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Hae tibi Sacrosanctæ mentis
illius vivam referunt imaginem, ipsumque
Christum loquentem, sanantem, resurgentem,
denique totum ita presentem reddunt, ut minus
visurus sis si coram oculis conspicias.
ERASMUS.

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# LECTURE I

## THE OLD TESTAMENT IN ITS RE-LATION TO PHYSICAL SCIENCE