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INTRODUCTION.

BEFORE submitting this essay to the public, I wish to notice the fact that there is a popular theory antagonizing science with revelation, thereby setting up an incompatibility which is difficult to reconcile.

Now, if these premises are well taken, it must be conceded that religion is a matter of personal belief, while philosophy is an established fact, because the operations of nature are self-evident and inconfutable.

The existence of God, or a supreme exponent possessing unlimited power, coupled with all the attributes necessary to combine perpetuity and supremacy, is the conviction of every true scientist; on this faith he rests the strongest evidence of natural development.

Believing the true God to be a power which holds every operation of nature in the hollow of His hand, guiding and directing their consummation through cycles of all

ages and even beyond, to a period when time will meet and unite with eternity.

On these conditions, and with the proofs and deductions set forth, I now submit the rest to impartial scrutiny for a verdict.