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Separat hoe nos a grege mutorum, strue ideo venerabile coll sortiti ingenium, dirinorumque capacsa atque execondits capiendisque arbitus apti menum a cederit demissum fuzionus arco enjus egent prons et terram specianita. Mundi principio indulait communia conditor illis teotum animas, nobis animum quoque.--Jur.



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THIS ESSAY OBTAINED THE BURNEY PRIZE IN THE UNIVERSITY OF CAMERIDGE IN THE YEAR 1865-66.

THE late RICHARD BURNEY, Esq., M.A., of Christ's College, Cambridge, previously to his death on the 30th Nov. 1845, empowered his Cousin, Mr Archdeacon Burney, to offer, through the Vice-Chancellor, to the University of Cambridge, the sum of £3,500 Reduced Three per Cent. Stock, for the purpose of establishing an Annual Prize, to be awarded to the Graduate who should produce the best Essay on a subject to be set by the Vice-Chancellor.

On the day after this offer was communicated to the Vice-Chancellor, Mr Burney died; but his sister and executrix, Miss J. Caroline Burney, being dosirous of carrying her brother's intentions into effect, generously renewed the offer.

The Prize is to be awarded to a Graduate of the University, who is not of more than three years' standing from admission to his first degree when the Essays are sent in, and who shall produce the best English Essay "on some moral or metaphysical subject, on the Existence, Nature, and Attributes of God, or on the Truth and Evidence of the Christian Religion." The successful Candidate is required to print his Essay; and after having delivered, or caused to be delivered, a copy of it to the University Library, the Library of Christ's College, the University Libraries of Oxford, Dublin, and Edinburgh, and to each of the Adjudicators of the Prize, he is to receive from the Vice-Chancellor ' the year's interest of the Stock, from which sum the Candidate is to pay the expenses of printing the Essay.

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In the event of the exercises of two of the Candidatos being doemed by the Examiners to possess equal merit, if one of such Candidates be a member of Christ's College, the Prize is to be adjudged to him.

The subject proposed by the Vice-Chancellor for the year 1865-66 was:---

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PREFACE.

THE Author having received permission from the Examiners to make some necessary corrections in the MS. has endcavoured to render the alterations as few as possible. One or two explanatory notes have been added, the Author preferring to refer the reader to some of the chief opponents of Mr Locke's theory respecting innate ideas rather than give their opinions at length in the text. •

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EMMANUEL COLLEGE, June 1, 1866.

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