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In Memoriam.

WHEN the venerable EARL RUSSELL gave permission for this Work to be dedicated to him, the shadows of a closing life were multiplying and deepening, and the act became the more significant because it was among the very last of the great statesman in the cool, quiet evening of old age.

Lord John Russell was one of the foremost founders of the political freedom of Lambeth. His memory, therefore, claims to be cherished and preserved by those who rejoice in true freedom and in adequate representation. Had it not been for him, there would have been no history, or a very brief one, to trace of the Borough of Lambeth. For, as things were, they might have remained until now. Customs—formed and consolidated in times when government was synonymous with repression, and freedom of the subject deemed incompatible with the safety of society—were almost perilous to touch, and attempts to destroy them were regarded as