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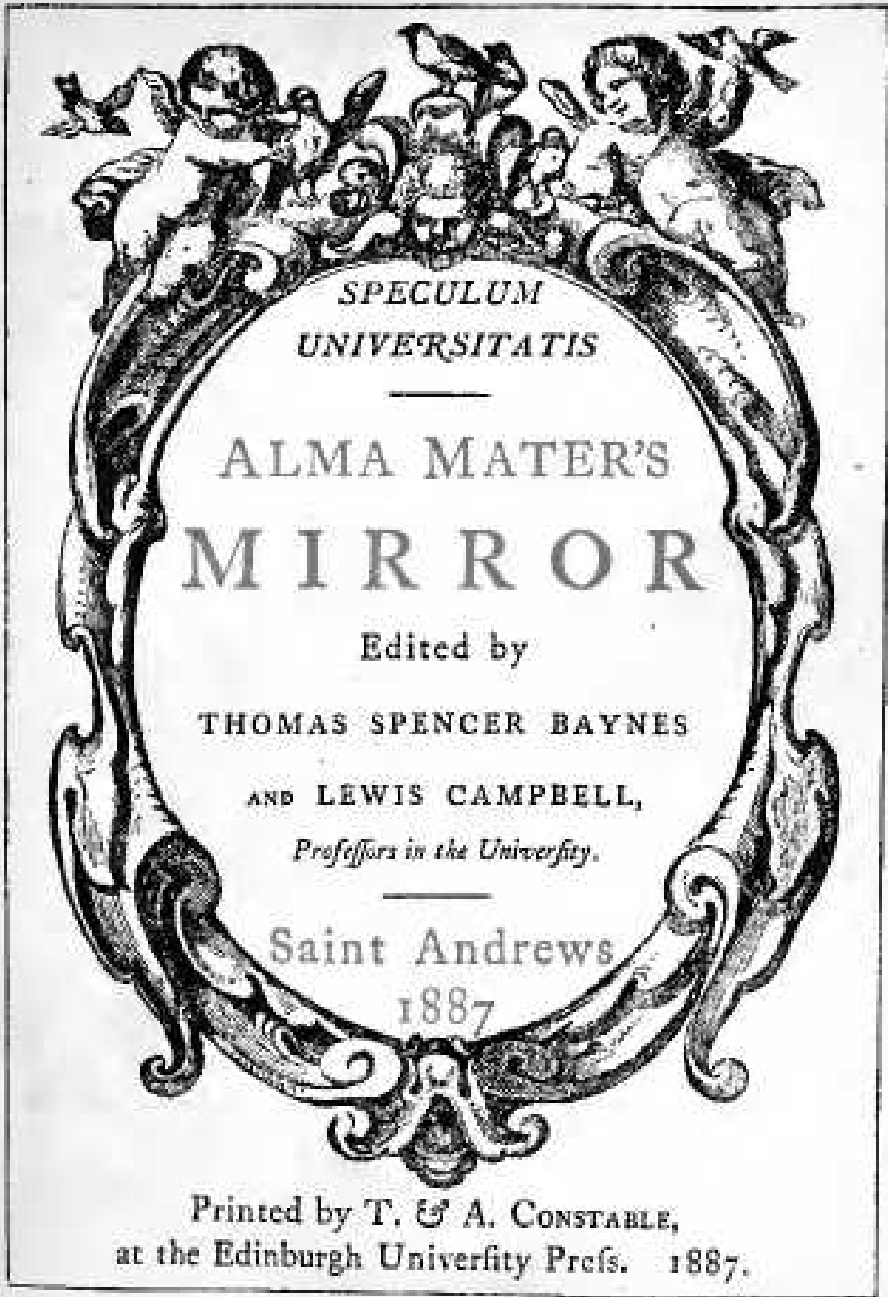
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*"Tis vile, unless it may be quaintly order'd,
And better in my mind not undertook."*

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Preface.

Gentle Reader,

THIS book is for behoof of the
ST. ANDREWS STUDENTS'
UNION, wherefore, we pray you, look
gently on its faults, and read,—but
before all, buy!

*The occasion may excuse the title,
albeit hardly covering the hetero-
geneous contents. We have endea-
voured that the original articles, and
the illustrations likewise—contributed
as one and all have been out of mere
goodwill to St. Andrews and her*

The mean-
ing of this
Book.

Preface.

alumni,—should be ‘few, but flowers,’
βαιὰ μὲν, ἀλλὰ ῥοδά: and that the
whole work should be, like our Univer-
sity, though little, yet of good report.

A rightful
rendering
of thanks.

For some short pieces, which have
formerly appeared elsewhere, but were
germane to our purpose, we have, be-
fore reprinting them, both sought, and
readily obtained, the needful consents.
Then fear not to be herein partaker
with others' faults,—but forward,
with a mind at ease!

Which that thou and all friends
of our Alma Mater may continually
enjoy, is the desire of your hearty
well-wishers,

EDITORES.

T. S. B.

OUR little 'toy-book' required only the completing touch of my co-editor, when he was suddenly taken away from this and from weightier cares. He ever followed the things that make for peace,—and he is now at rest. His eulogy will be said and written elsewhere; here one thing shall have special record. He was the idol of the students, and they never had a truer, worthier friend. Of late, with a sort of prescience, they had singled him for their applause. Wherever he went, he was the universal favourite of old and young. Urbanity, *bonhomie*, human kindness, unfailing cheerfulness, faithful comradeship, inalienable affection—many such terms rise up in thinking of him. But on reflection they are all summed up in *Goodness*. He was one of the best men whom many of us have known.

L. C.





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