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WITH ILLUSTRATIONS.

"Where is the dust that has not been alive?"—YOUNG.

A. JOHNSTON,

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1883.

PREFACE.

THE very favourable reception accorded to "A Lump of Coal," tempted its Author to prepare the present little treatise upon Chalk, and the various substances with which it is indirectly associated in the grand operations of Nature.

To render the work interesting to the general reader, an outline is given of the various useful purposes to which Chalk, and also Lime and its numerous compounds, are applied in the arts, manufactures and agriculture; and it is hoped that the variety and interesting nature of the accumulated facts will prove not only entertaining but instructive.

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