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PREFACE

So many inquiries have come from societies and individual students in regard to the best reference books to buy in taking up the present text-book that the author gladly avails herself of the opportunity to answer all such inquiries in this brief foreword.

If but one reference book can be bought, by all means get Alexander's "Islands of the Pacific." This covers in great part the same field as "Christus Redemptor" and gives it very much more fully. The author acknowledges her special indobtedness to Mr. Alexander, the matter of whose book has been freely used in the preparation of this volume. Martha B. Banks' "Heroes of the South Seas" is a less exhaustive and briefer treatise, covering a good portion of the field, and will admirably supplement Alexander.

If a number of books are to be purchased, the best small collection is the library of eight standard books published by the United Study Committee. This includes two general reference books, Alexander and Banks; a book on Hawaii, Brain; one on the Philippines, Brown; and four biographies, Calvert, Paton, Patteson, and Chalmers.

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THE COMMITTEE ON THE UNITED STUDY OF MISSIONS take pleasure in presenting the sixth book of the series, "Christus Redemptor: An Outline Study of the Islands of the Pacific," by Helen Barrett Montgomery.

More than a quarter of a million of the text-books have found their way into study classes and missionary societies, and their influence for good can hardly be overestimated. In this last volume the picturesque setting and the marvellous stories of the transformations of many of the Islands through the efforts of heroic men and women must lead to greater enthusiasm and zeal and to an intensified faith in the ultimate triumph of the Cross.

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