PREFACE.

THERE are some subjects on which there cannot be too much literature. David Livingstone is one of them. While it is fitting that tributes should be laid on his grave during the centenary year of his birth by those residing in Britain, it is appropriate that one laurel of admiration at least should come from the great daughter colony of the Empire—a land in which he had a close personal interest, owing to members of his family residing there. The following pages are issued with the author's consciousness of the unsurpassed greatness of Scotland's greatest son, and with the hope that they will create in many a passion for the nobility of character and strength of faith which won for him his place in the ranks of fame.

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