

## QUEEN VICTORIA

S AID by some students of history to be descended from the Royal Line of Irish Kings of great renown.

Said by others, students of history also, that her genealogy can be directly traced from King David, the illustrious Monarch of Israel.

Whether either contention, or both are correct, we cannot say, but we do claim that if exalted ideas, noble thoughts and deeds require exalted and noble ancestry, then it must follow that our beloved Queen is descended from the greatest and most worthy of all former generations; for we deem it an honor to place on record our sincere appreciation of the extraordinary character of her who is known among all English speaking peoples as "Victoria the Good." Her sympathetic qualities of heart have endeared her to all her own subjects, and