PREFACE.

The following sheets contain the substance of most of the Letters, Editorial Remarks, Petitions and Parliamentary Proceedings, in reference to the Canada Company, published during the summer of 1866,—in addition to which are some further remarks on the subject by the author. The object in having this pamphlet printed is to preserve, in a concise form, some record of the very general expression of public opinion on the subject of the Canada Company; and in some degree to constitute an answer to any attempt on behalf of the Company to belittle the movement of last year; and further, that the people's representatives in Parliament may have in their possession, in a compact form, the whole of the proceedings, with a view to some definite action on the subject at the earliest possible moment.