## NOTE.

In issuing a Second Edition of Mr David Stevenson's ark on American Engineering to the profession and the public, Mr Weale begs to state that he has had chiefly in view its application to new countries, and particularly to India, where, doubtless, engineering works on an extensive scale will soon be in full operation. Mr Weale believes the work (which has been styled a "Sketch of the Civil Engineering of North America") may be regarded in a more general view, and may with equal propriety be styled a "Sketch of Engineering Practice, applicable in New Countries;" and it was this belief that led him to urge Mr Stevenson to allow him to republish it, and Mr Weale takes this opportunity of expressing his thanks to Mr Stevenson for his permission to do so.