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PUBLISHER'S REMARKS.

IN presenting to the patrons of this work the SECOND EDITION I shall be compelled to ask their kind indulgence for the few errors or discrepancies which have imperceptibly crept in. In the compilation of this edition I found it necessary to employ an assistant to collect matter for the work. Much of the manuscript copy furnished me through that *source* was very difficult to decipher, and being compelled at times to trust to the accuracy of the printer in the proof-reading, I trust will, to some extent, extenuate for what may appear to be errors.

Being also compelled to have the work printed in Philadelphia, in order to issue it at the time contemplated, prevented me from consulting the Advertisers in regard to the correctness of their Cards.

However as the errors are merely on the surface, and are easily corrected in the mind of the reader, I trust they will only receive a passing notice. In offering an apology for having the work printed from home, I can only say that had not the saving of time and *circumstances* compelled me I should have certainly consulted my own pecuniary interests by having had it published in Baltimore.

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