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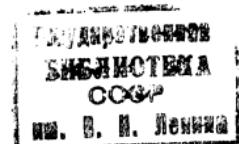
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TO

Virginia and Isabel Bateman

IN KINDLY MEMORY OF THEIR MOTHER, MRS. S. F. BATEMAN,

TO WHOSE FIRST SUGGESTION AND FAVOURITE IDEA

(A SHADOW OF AN OLD LEGEND IN MODERN LIFE,

AFTER THE FASHION OF MISS THACKERAY'S FAIRY-TALES)

THE ORIGIN OF THIS STORY IS DUE,

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PROPORTIONS IS DEDICATED BY THEIR ATTACHED FRIEND

THE AUTHOR.

HAZARD SIDE,  
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