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The marginal sections have been introduced merely for convenience of reference, and for the clearer articulation of the argument, and do not correspond to anything in the original edition.

Three comparative tables of contents are given at the end of the Introduction, showing the relation of the two Enquiries and the Dissertation on the Passion to the three books of the Treatise.

In these tables, and also in the Index and Introduction, the references to the Enquiries are made by means of the marginal sections of the present edition, those to the Dissertation by means of the pages of the edition of 1777, and those to the Treatise by means of the pages of the Clarendon Press edition, Oxford, 1888.

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