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Our Quotation—16

"The Proclamation was read last Seventh day at the High Cross against Papists Nonconformists, and we are preparing our minds for prisons in these parts, for the justices are in consultation about it, and though the Papists are named yet we are like to bear the greatest part of the suffering, if it do any execution, for we are resolved to meet, preach, and pray, in public and private, in season and out of season, in city, town, and country, as if it had never been, well knowing that the same power by which we have been preserved and delivered out of the den is with us and will be with us to the end, if we abide faithful."

THOMAS SALTHOUSE to Margaret Fell, from Somersetshire, 21 i. 1668. Printed in Barclay's Letters, &c. of Early Friends, p. 245.

To the Reader

T is satisfactory to notice that writers on the history and principles of Friends are able to use freely the information provided by the volumes of The Journal. It has been and is the aim of the Editor, not to print finished articles such as suitably occupy the pages of

the Friends' Quarterly Examiner, but to supply data on a variety of subjects connected with Friends, likely to be of use to students and others interested in the centuries of Quaker history.

The Friends Historical Society is grateful for the pecuniary help which has enabled the Editor to further the purpose of its publication, and expresses the hope that this may be continued and increased, for there remains yet much land to be possessed.

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The readers of The Journal and subscribers to the Society will be interested to have a forecast of titles of the articles which will appear in the next or following volumes:

A Link with the Past, by Emily Manners, of Mansfield.

Another Literary Venture—Anthony Purver's Translation of the Old and New Testaments, 1764.

A Darlington Schoolboy's Diary, 1827, illustrated.

The Brother of a Noted Man-Joseph de Grellet.

An Outbreak of Quakerism in an Earl's Household, circa 1702.

Two Lincoln Worthies—Robert Craven and Abraham Morrice.

London Y.M., 1779.

And the usual features of each issue.

William Savery wrote in the journal of his visit to Ireland in 1797-8: "Friends of Ireland seem to live like princes of the earth." This statement receives abundant proof in extracts from "The Journal of Margaret Harvey," Cork, 1809, which have been placed at our disposal for The Journal by the Dublin Yearly Meeting Historical Committee, which we hope to print in part at least.