

IN REMEMBRANCE OF
SOME TRIBAL WANDERINGS ON SPECIAL "SERVICE" IN IRAQ.
1924-26.

Diary, with Letters, and some Verse.

DEDICATION

- Section I Outward Bound and Language Leave in
 Iráq.
- Section II Baghdad.
- Section III "Special Service;" Tribal duties in
 the Dulaini Liwa, and Shamiyah Desert.
- Section IV. "Special Service;" Tribal duties in
 Diwanyah Liwa; Baghdad floods. A
 local "War," and return to Europe on
 Leave.

DEDICATION

To R. J. S.

Roads part awhile ! Yet will I think of you,
Not in the futile count of empty days,
But linking your name with happy things we knew
Together, exploring the strange far ways
Of a strange land; — Vast plains at dawn; the haze
Of Sun; solitudes in shimmering review
High where the red-hued rocks their untamed sheerness raise.

Such scenes as these your name will always bring
Telling of Nature's freedom, space and sun.
And in the twilight there will warmly cling
Camp-fire thoughts, as when our day was done
And we'd speak dreams, till life and th'world were won !
Still in each absent hour your voice will ring
To wake Life's spacious friendship, and its youthful fun !

H. J.