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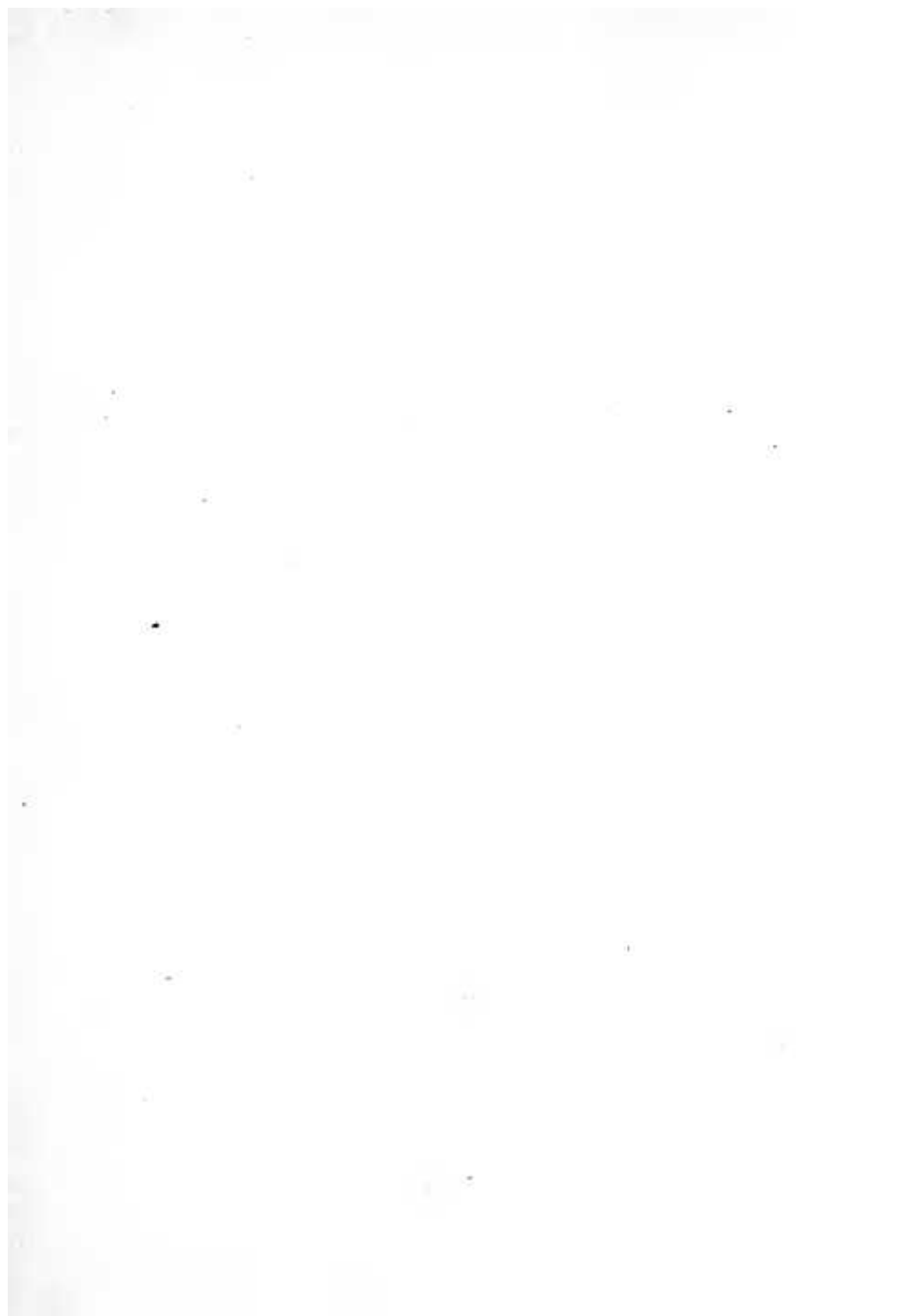
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Foreword

THESE pages have been written in the interims of a busy life; the burden of their intent being to emphasize a saying of James Russell Lowell's that the "highest outcome of culture is simplicity." Much has been written of late concerning simplicity and simple living. It is the controlling note all but drowned, yet clamouring for a hearing, in a materialistic age. And we believe it to be a spiritual note too. Such at least we have regarded it in these chapters. The message of the Eternal is ever the same, but the language in which it is expressed varies with the type and temperament of the people to whom it comes; and to an age steeped in mammonism and worship of the flesh, the evangel calling for a voice and a deliverance is that simplicity is culture; simplicity is spirituality; simplicity is power; the spiritual is the solution of everything. Back to culture then, the culture of the cross, the culture that is towards the Christ. This is the gospel for an age of unrest.

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