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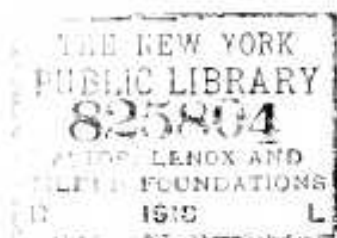
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FOREWORD

THE accompanying Sermons deal with the practicalities of the Christian Life. Their only virtue—if virtue they possess—lies in their simplicity, and in the patent fact that they are devoid of doctrinal definition.

The Discourses are addressed to the average person who sits but lightly in the pew, and to the stimulation of the over-worked Preacher who would relate his weekly message to the intelligence of the business-wracked worshipper who is physically incapable of extraordinary mental effort on “the one day’s rest in seven”.

It is hoped that the obvious imperfections of the following pages will be overlooked in the earnest desire of the author that they may minister, under God, to the spiritual edification of the Reader.

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