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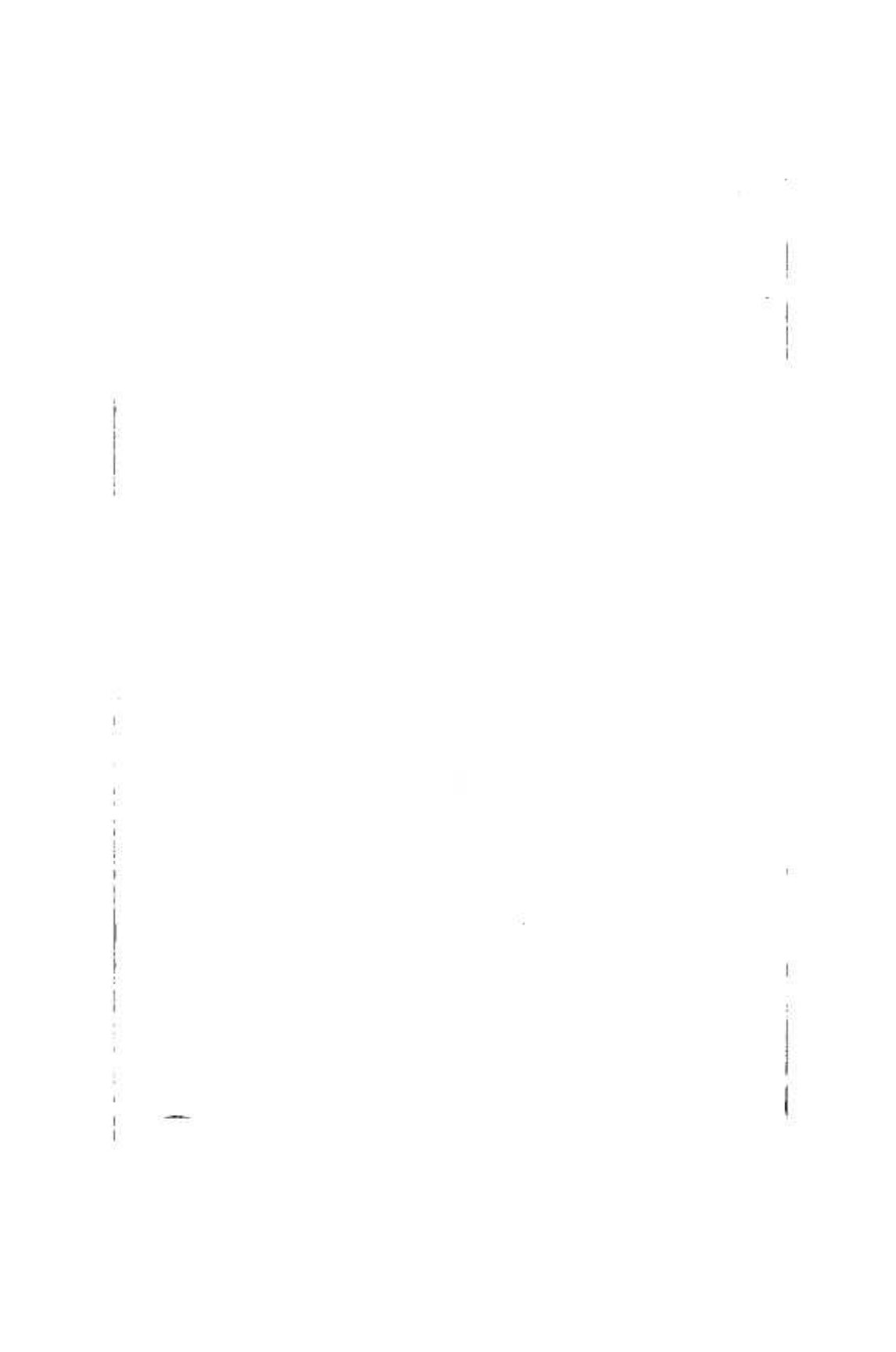
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To
HENRY CODMAN POTTER
Bishop of New York
IN WHOSE EPISCOPATE
THE CHURCH IS ENTERING INTO ITS PROPER RELATIONS
WITH MODERN SOCIETY
THIS VOLUME
IS AFFECTIONATELY DEDICATED



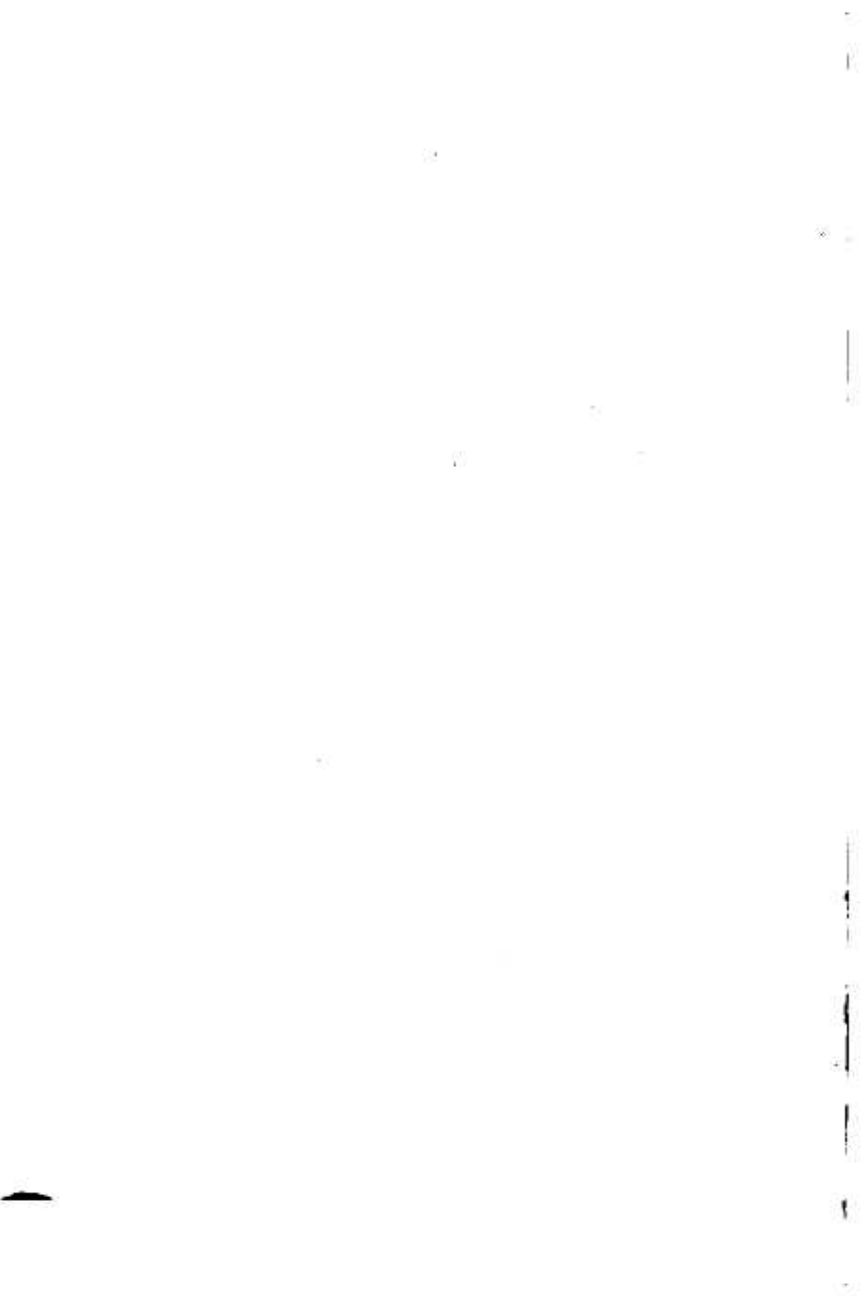




PREFACE.

THIS book is intended for the whole Christian family in this country. The comparative study of the truths contained but imperfectly expressed in the terms of different creeds reveals larger agreements than men have willingly allowed; and when Christianity is interpreted helpfully and constructively in the light of these agreements, the Church of Christ exerts the organic influence in the social life which the national government exerts in the political and economic life of the people. The collective church has this large and comprehensive work to do, and the aim of these pages is to suggest a way in which it may be done.

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