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itself. On one gown, for instance, the

folds of the bodice are high at the

How to Wear the Hat.

Eyelet Embroidery. Very many of the most beautiful new

cloth gowns are worked in eyelets,

along with other embroidery, in bro-

Severe and Gentle Tailor Mades.

Two kinds of severe tailor mades are

to divide feminine affection, and fash-

ion will smile alike upon both the se-

vere and ornate style of coat and skirt

ostume. The dividing line will be

found even more distinctly than for-

merly, the severe gown having for its

basic fabric the rougher tweeds and

mixtures and the frock of lesser sever-

ity being smartly evolved from one of

derie Anglaise fashion.

back, carried up in a point.

v York City .- Deep yokes are possible to have a variety of different generally becoming and just now effects for the one gown. These bodices are among the most fashionable of all are often elaborate affairs of pleats models. This very attractive waist which are really a part of the gown



shows one of cream colored lace over chiffon combined with a full blouse of pale blue crepe poplin and includes sleeves of the very latest model. The trimming also is a novelty and consists the legion of new smooth cloths, which,





# A SERMON FOR SUNDA

AN ELOQUENT DISCOURSE ENTITL "FREEDOM IN CHRIST."

The Rev. Edward Huntting Rudd Show How Faith Unfolds Itself in M y Forms of Christian Experience pentance, Growth and Service.

Both English and American women must come to Paris to learn to wear their hats with distinction. Only la Parisienne understands just how to always wear correct headgear. Never does she wear a superbly large and

flaring hat laden, with expensive plumes except she be en grande toil-

the arbitrament of the Man of Galilee. But it is your duty and mine to remind ourselves and others that according as we

claim the friendship of another is not to possess it. To say of Christ and our rela-tions to Him, as we say of some well-known people, "Oh, yes. I know Him well; He is a warm personal friend," when in reality little more than a formal introduc-tion has been given, is in essence to know only about Him, and that in a formal sense, instead of being divinely commis-sioned by the living holy spirit of God to be a "child of God" and an heir with Christ to eternal life. Manifestly, then, this is an important matter to us all-even to the careless, thoughtless ones who make up a part of every audience. Have we any right to call ourselves "children of God?" And if we have, what has God, by His regenerating spirit, done in us? It was our New England poet, Lowell, who said:

who said:

The thing we long for-that we are For one transcendent moment.

But even the poet fails to be true to fact unless we have such a definite, genufact unless we have such a definite, genu-ine faith in God's power and willingness to give us Himself and to make us sons and daughters of the living God, that we receive Him and by that act avail of Him as our Saviour not only for one transcend-ant moment, but for all the moments for the rest of time, and in that act we are born of God, and by that act we are given the right to become—aye, to be be-rotten as children of God.

gotten as children of God. gotten as children of God. Almost immediately in this sublime, scholarly and heart searching gospel of John, that great disciple, speaking the words of Christ Himself, begins by divid-ing mankind into the same two divisions task, and after many mon of labor he returned to the master anaid. "Come and see." When the cun fell, the which are represented in this audience, and in every audience, viz., those who have received Him and those who, though have received Him and those who, though they were His own by creation, received Him not, by a regenerating faith. And I want just now, if possible, to avcid ab-struse, moss covered theological terms and phraseology, and to clothe these burning issues in simple, clear Bible language, but none the less to remind ourselves that many of us are longing to get out into the open sky, in some of the old fashioned, necessary doctrines of the word of God. We have gotten some of the choicest and most essential statements of divine truth beclouded, and we are not quite sure and see." When the court fell, the greatest picture of the akwas before them, "The Last Supper," oconardo da Vinci. "Paint Me a picture," sayhe Divine "Paint Me a picture," salhe Divine Master to every Christian wer in this community. Do not say thata cannot, for His aid is promised you. int Me a picture of consecrated serviced it for My sake." And in the coming, when we walk the corridors of themortal, perchance we shall see on its her walls our pictures of consecrated eff, which shall be to the honor of that in which is forever best, because it shall be been "for, His sake." most essential statements of divine truth beclouded, and we are not quite sure where we are. May God's spirit enlight-en and allay doubt and uncertainty on these truths this day, i.d allign us all in the comforting strength of His own conship. And I frankly believe, my broth-er man, we cannot be satisfied in this sub-lime hour by turning to the poets, much as they will uplift and rest us. Even though Phillips Brooks declared whould strive to see the loving hand old in every trial and sorrow. He once eased this thought in the following dialog "What shall I do with this sorr that God has sent me?" "Take it up abear it and get a strength and blessing of they will uplift and rest us. Even though you turn to Emerson, who has been so ex-alted and almost deified by some in New England Unitarianism and ask him about Even though God has sent me?" "Take it up abear it, and get a strength and blessing, of it." "Ah, if I only knew what ling there was in it, if I only saw how it lid help me, then I could bear it like a pl!!" man, and in one place he will tell you: "A man is the whole encyclopedia of facts. The creation of a thousand forests is in one acorn, and Egypt, Greece, Rome, Gaul, Britain, America, lie folded already in the first man." Yes, potentiality lies help me, then I could bear it like a pl!!" "What shall I do with this hard, hul duty which Christ has laid right iny "Ah, yes; if I could only see that it y make me grow!" In both these case you not see that what you are begging is not more faith, although you thin is, but sight? You want to see for yo self the blessing in the sorrow, the stren in the hard and hateful task. Faith se not. "I see that it is good for me, and God must have sent it," but "God sent and so it must be good for me." enfolded, but naught else can bring it to surface and to living power save the touch of Christ the Redeemer of Manhoad. Nor does the statement of Carlyle satisfy me, for you recall in his essay on "character-istics," he says: "Man stands in the cen-tre of nature; his fraction of time encir-cled by eternity, his handbreadth of space" encircled by infinitude." I say this cannot satisfy you, for you long to know how you can best live and expand, while you are in this "centre of nature," and where and how you are to spend eternity. And you turn to that beautifully human and real poet, Robert Burns, and remember Had the Missionary Spirit. John R. Mott visited a college in Ceylor where he found a band of students so poor that sixteen of them occupied one room. Near the building was a garden, in which they spent their spare time cultivating ba-nanas. When Mr. Mott inquired: "What do you do with the money?" they took poet, Robert Burns, and remember him "That man's a man for a' that," with with him "That man's a man for a' that," and here you feel that you may be argu-ing in a circle, and if Burns had only known more of the Man of Calvary, he would have been saved many of the sins which blighted his whole life. Or you may stand with that dear English poet, Gray, as from afar he beholds Eton Col-lege and exclaims, "Ah. tell them they are men," and those words and this poet's longing, more nearly voice your own soul's nanas. When Mr. Mott inquired: "What do you do with the money?" they took him to the shore and pointed to an island off in the sea. "Two years ago," they said, "we sent one of our graduates there. He started a school, and it has developed now into a church. We are going to send him to another island this year." They also said that they had instructed their cook that every tenth handful of rice should be men," and those words and this poets longing, more nearly voice your own soul's wish, and you add, "Ah, tell them of the Man, who became flesh and dwelt among that He might redeem men for Himthat every tenth handful of rice should be laid aside, that they might sell it, in order to have Christ preached a little nore

lowed Him. Four child loves and rejorces in you when he obeys you. Christ the great captain of righteousness is asking men to follow Him. "If ye know these things, happy are ye if ye do them." This means more than mere intellectual assent to the doctrines and teachings of Christ, for this may remain only profession and not pass into feeling and action. You recall the searching words of Christ speaking to the intellectual failures of the Pharisees, in Matthew xv: 8: "This peo-ple honoreth Me with their lips, but their heart is far from Me. But in vain they do worship Me, teaching for doctrine the commandments of men." And again, when He was speaking to this same aris-

Forms of Christian Experience-pentance, Growth and Service. BROOKLYN, N. Y.-The Rev. Edwa Juncting Rudd, pastor of the First Con-gregational Church, Dedham, Mass preached Sunday morning in the Tom kins Avenue Congregational Church to large audience. His subject was "Free dom in Christ," and the text was fro large audience. His subject was "Free dom in Christ," and the text was fro large audience. His subject was "Free dom in Christ," and the text was fro large audience of the large the text was fro large audience. His subject was "Free dom in Christ," and the text was from low for the will of the free the things which I say?" Manifestly, John ii.: 13 and 14: "But as many a treeeved Him to them gave He the righ give honest, hearty assent to His claims to become children of God, even to them of discipleship. He then promised poten-that believe on His name, who were borntial freedom, personal liberty. But the not of blood nor of the will of the free more truly free when my actions and words are controlled by divine laws, im-posed willingly upon man by his own em-lightened self? To answer these questions intelligently, clearly and helpfully takes us at once into that field of Christian sociology and of the interrelation of man with man and of man with his God which so engages the atter-tion of men everywhere to-day. The place and duty of the church is very clear. It is to show men in the spirit of candor, of sympathy, of open mindedness, of toler-ance, that the word of God gives us great elemental teachings by a master thinker interrelation of man with man and of man with his God which so engages the atter-tion of men everywhere to-day. The place interrelation of man with man and of male sympathy, of open mindedness, of toler-ance, that the word of God gives us great elemental teachings by a master thinker ind reasoner, who was divine and who claims the right to influence men. The so-called great problems of Abor and capital will find a permanent solution only by the arbitrament of the Man of Galig swee c sary,And what is it? "It is a deep chanof the entire thinking, feeling and willitman; and involves as its elements enlighment, contrition and confession, prayebr pardon and peace, counting the cost 4 endeavor after new obedience." Look these for a moment. Enlighten

But it is your duty and mine to remind ourselves and others that according as we square ourselves with the requirements of God in Christ shall the problems of life be met and be grappled and worth while results be achieved. We are here to-day to ask entrance into the light. We are here to know more truth, so that truth may make us free. We long to know how to be happily and contentedly free. To have our freedom no things agenerated in the same chapter sessing it with us, we shall together make men strong. Bearing one another's bur-dens we shall surely fulfill in part the law of Christ. The gospel of St. John, sim-ple yet profound, shows us how to gain reedom in Christ. It reminds us what is so necessary to recall in this easy going, non-thinking age, viz. that in no real and permanent sense are men children of God antil Christ has made them such by vita mino with Him. That we have no right to call ourselves children until God Him-self transfers that right to us by an act of will and obedience done His part. To claim the friendship of another is not to possess it. To say of Christ and our rela-tions to Him, as we say of some well-

admit the th of much that I say, but in whom annout whom there are ob-stacles which u have not the courage and the detened patience to overcome. Some of these stacles are the power of sin in the souor, like St. Paul of old, you find a layaat "when you do good evil is presen a false pride in one's own personalit and achievement. for there are not av of us, with "I thank Thee that I anot as other men are" tendencies; the ironment of worldly interests and filships, and the insin-cerity of many fassing Christians. Ah, 'ow many of us is this latter include? Nevertheless, no few are enabled to rise above these occles and become sous rise above these occles and become sons of God.

of God. Again I ask the tial question of this message, can I do I please? Or must I do as another hes? And I believe an honest study the New Testament will show us that bonly freedom which is comprehensive ise freedom and lib-erty which God give our whole nature when we have accel or received His Son Jesus Christ to pur Redeemer and Master. May you i day, my earnest. Son Jesus Christ to pur Redeemer and Master. May you tiday, my earnest, seeking friends, findne Christ whose sacrificial love, represed in this atoning blood, and receiving m by faith, be called children of Goand if children, then heirs, heirs of Gand joint heirs with Christ, if so be twe suffer with Him, that we may beso glorified to-gether.

Every Man a

Have Faith in God.

## Badly Beaten That Morning.

A Ft. Fairfield lady living in the country says that a short time ago she sent out from the parents' lodge fails falsely accused of having sought to was awakened at about 3 o'clock in the to find a mate he is set to repair the morning by a furious ring of the tele- dam. If he fails a second time he is phone in her house.

Feeling from the wildness of the ring that somebody's house must be on He tells us that those who buy beaver fire or that somebody was bleeding to skins can distinguish between the death, she scampered downstairs and skins of masters and slaves. The latnervously selzed the receiver, only to ter have the hair of the head rubbed hear a shrill soprano voice shrick: off, because they have to pound the "Got your washin' done yet? Had wood for their masters' focd, and do it with their heads. mine out half an hour ago."-Lewiston Journal.

Sentence Sermont

Kindness is catching. One sin bears many seeds. A ledger makes a hard pillow. Red blood is always better than blue vision.

None are so poor as those who do not love people.

A poor man does not need to be a poor sort of a man.

Living for one's land is greater far than dying for it.

He has made no great gains who has never lost anything. A man never gets much hold on

heaven when he grasps humanity with just two fingers.

More enemies have been slain by mercy than by malice.

Chance is one of the most profane words in our language.

Real religion never has to advertise for a chance to do good.

A man's title to glory does not de pend on the glory of his title here. Men who are always on the make

never make much of anything. An open denial of God may be better than an empty definition of Him. The light of one life shines farther than the brillance of a century's logic. The rainbow of love always looks best against the black clouds of hate. When religion is a matter of business, business is never a matter of religion.

The church is not at all sacred when it thinks that the street is wholly secular .- Chicago Tribune.

#### George Ade on His Stage Ambltions. George Ade, the author of five pieces running simultaneously, is the man of

the hour in theatrical circles, having eclipsed even Clyde Fitch in the rapidity of his rise as a playwright. Mr. Ade takes his success modestly and disclaims any desire to pose as a dramatist.of serious intent.

"If I have any single ambition in reference to the stage," said Mr. Ade, "it is to depict every day American life in such a manner as to amuse the public and not offend good taste. If, incidentally, I can touch upon some of the weaknesses and foibles of the present moment without slandering my own countrymen, or holding our home people up to ridicule, the plays will have a value which never can at tach to an entertainment that is mere ly farcical.

"I do not wish," he continued, "to be serious or didactic. It seems to me that any writer who can amuse the American public without resorting to the use of questionable topics or physical buffoonery has done something of which he need not be ashamed, even if he sheds no great light on any national problem."-Theatre Magazine.

Pointed Paragraphs. Never strike a man for a loan when

Three Queer Animal Tales. The Indians say that if a beaver donada, a girl of Buenos Ayres, was

banished. An Arab writer has the same story.

nocent.-Edmund Selous' "Romance of the Animal World." No matter how smart a person is, he

is never quite smart enough to realize One more story is about the puma, that there are others equally smart.

the "friend of man." A certain Mal-

betray the town to the Indians, and

was condemned to be exposed in the

forest. An enormous puma guarded

her all night from the attacks of other

beasis. The next day she was taken

back to town and pronounced to be in-



To be a successful wife, to retain the love and admiration of her husband should be a woman's constant study. Mrs. Brown and Mrs. Potts tell their stories for the benefit of all wives and mothers.

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Suffering women should not fail to profit by Mrs. Brown's experiences; just as surely as she was cured of the troubles enumer-ated in her letter, just so surely will Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound cure other women who suffer from womb troubles, inflammation of the ovaries, kidney troubles, nervous excitability, and nervous prostration. Read the story of Mrs. Potts to all mothers:-



" DEAR MRS. PINKHAM : - During the early part of my married life I was very delicate in health. I had two miscarriages, and both my husband and I felt very badly as we were anxious to have children. A neighbor who had been using Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound advised me to try it, and I decided to do so. I soon felt that my appetite was increasing, the headaches gradually decreased and finally disappeared, and my general health improved. I felt as if new blood coursed through my veins, the sluggish tired feeling disappeared, and I by came strong and well. "Within a year after I became the mothes of a strong healthy child, the joy of our home. You certainly have a splendid remedy, and I wish every mother knew of it. - Sincerely yours, MRS. ANNA POTTS, 510 Park Ave., Hot Springs, Ark.' If you feel that there is anything at all unusual or puzzling about your case, or if you wish confidential advice of the most experienced, write to Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., and you will be advised free of charge. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has cured and is curing thousands of cases of female troubles - curing them inexpensively and absolutely. Remember this when you go to your druggist. Insist upon getting

of ruchings of the material gathered through the middle and finished with

tiny silk braid over the stitching. In addition to outlining the yoke and concealing the closing at the front it is continued round, the lower edge falling over the belt to give a bolero suggestion. The sleeves are of the "leg o' mutton" sort and generously full bretelles which are arranged under the above the elbows, snug fitting below. At the waist is worn a shaped belt of line that is so marked a feature of the paune velvet and a little fall of lace completes the front.

The waist consists of the fitted lining, the full back and fronts with the yoke. The yoke is hooked over onto the left shoulder seam while the waist and lining are closed separately at the front. The sleeves are made in one piece each, arranged over fitied foundations that are faced to form the cuffs. The deep girdle is smoothly fitted and extended slightly below the waist line at the front.

The quantity of material required for the medium size is three and fiveeight yards twenty-one inches wide, three and one-half twenty-seven inches wide, or two yards forty-four inches wide, with one yard of all-over lace and five-eight yards of velvet for belt.

#### Petal Dress.

One of the loveliest dresses is of satiny Liberty silk in delicate pink. And it might well serve as a costume for a bal masque if the fair wearer had a floral headdress, though it is not at all loud and none too showy for any evening wear. This dress is a flounced affair, the skirt being in triple flounce effect. Each flounce is cut out in petal shape around the edge, and between these petals another petal of palest pink chiffon is introduced. The petals are edged with tiny pink sequins and the veinings are done in glistening silks. Three shaped flounces form the elbow sleeves, and the pretty blouse bodice is likewise formed of three overlapping sections, these like the skirt flounces being edged in this petal effect.

### Beits and Bodices.

Belts and bodices of all sorts and descriptions are worn with waists of dinner and ball gowns. Silk, satin and velvet on the bias are in favor, or ribbon, but the long sash ends have not met with popular approval, and the bodice is fastened with buckles or fancy buttons. The different colored five and three-quarter yards twentybodices considered so smart last season will be as fashionable as ever, and certainly they are a great addition to and one-half yards fifty-two inches almost any gown, besides making it wide.

if possible, are more attractive than last season's productions.

Girl's Box Pleated Dress.

Box pleated dresses in Russian style suit young girls admirably well and are essentially smart. This one 18 quite novel, inasmuch as it includes pleats and give the broad shoulder season. The model is made of army blue serge trimmed with fancy braid

and is worn with a white collar and blue tie. All materials in vogue for girls' dresses are, however, equally appropriate.

The dress is made with backs and fronts and is closed invisibly beneath the box pleat at the left of the front. The pleats are laid for its entire length and the bretelles are attached to the waist beneath the edge of the outer The sleeves are full, pleated ones. at both upper and lower edges and finished with shaped cuffs, and at the waist is arranged a belt which is slipped under straps at the under-arm

seams. The quantity of material required for the medium size (eight years) is



seven inches wide, three and one-half yards forty-four inches wide, or two

wish, and you add, "Ah, tell them of the Man. who became flesh and dwelt among us, that He might redeem men for Him-self." It is to this Incarnate word that we must turn if we are to be enlightened and satisfied. And few passages in God's word speak out more hope and immediate blessing than the text: "As many as re-ceived Him to them gave He the right blessing than the text: "As many as re-ceived Him, to them gave He the right to become children of God." But some one asks, what is the process by which this is done? And I reply in the continuing words of this same verse: "Even to them that believe on His name." But what is it to believe on His name? What is faith? And we reply with Bux-ton: "Faith is the filial, trustful relation, which the whole man, intellect, heart and which the whole man, intellect, heart and will, sustains toward the Lord Jesus Christ." Christ said to His disciples,

widely.

The Cost is Great.

Little Aid on the State.

No Leanness of Soul. '-

Always With God.

Rev. Elihu Grant, Saugus, Mai-

Beverly, Mass.

wes.

"Come ye after Me, and I will make you fishers of men." They obeyed. Heart, intellect and will accepted and believed Christ to have the right and the power to communicate to them "sonship" of God. Disciples of Him who walked among them as their Redeemer. And when they had given Him that simple confidence and had given Him that simple confidence and proved it openly by obedience to His com-mand of public confession of His claim, glad and willing to be known as His fol-lowers and co-workers, at that moment were they given the right to be the chil-dren of God. Then were they born not of blood, nor of the will of the flesh, nor of the will of man, but of God. The gen-pirgeness of their faith and somehin was

uineness of their faith and sonship was attested in various ways. To them salva tion in Christ was equipment for service to others. They did not doubt the di-vine personality of Christ. but they folhe' is down.

"Paint me a picture," a great mas-ter to his favorite pupi"Paint me a picture," said the studt "I cannot paint a picture worthy of a master." "But do it for my sake-foy sake," was the response. The studewent to his tack and after many months block has It is far easier to make a bullet proof garment than it is to construct a steam laundry proof shirt. Vice is always punished-on the

stage. The blindness of love enables young

people to economize on gas. A man may pose as a sculptor with-

out cutting much of a figure. A man's conscience is continually re-

minding him of his neighbor's sinfulness. The so-called new thought is merely

an old thought discovered by new people.

In Adams' day woman was merely a side issue, but at the present writing she poses as the whole show.

Women have better control of their tongues than men have; in fact, men have no control whatever of women's tongues .- Chicago News.

Women.

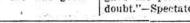
There were four women: a pretty woman, a great woman, a wise woman, and a good woman.

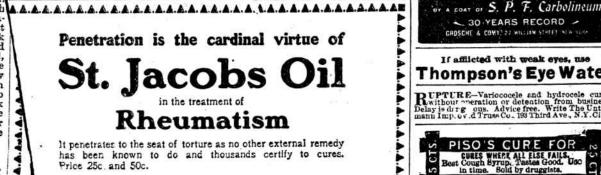
About the pretty woman thousands pressed, asking her how she did her bair.

Hundreds gathered about the great woman, asking her how she managed her butler. Dozens drew near to the wise wo-

man, asking her how she avoided inkcuriae suggested that there never was ing her fingers.

But the good woman stood alone, any duck at all. Then accused was except for a blind person, who could acquitted, not "because they chose any ot see that she was either pretty, nor particular defense, but because they reat, nor wise, and was, therefore, cu- did not know which to choose, and so ious to know why she was good .gave the prisoner the benefit of the doubt."-Spectator. ife.

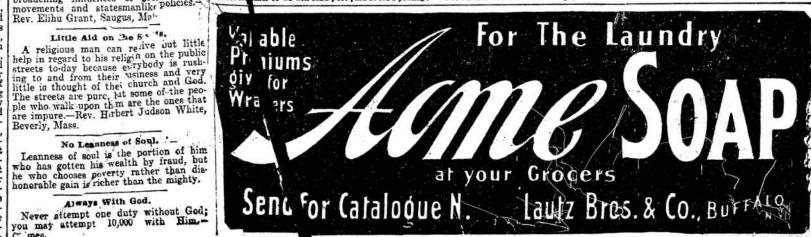




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An interesting book might be written on the subject of "Curious Defenses." One excellent instance is supplied here in what was known as "Codd's Puzzle." Codd was defending a client

accused of stealing a duck. He set up seven defenses: (1) The accused bought the duck and paid for it; (2) he found it; (3) it was given to him; (4) it flew into his garden; (5) it was

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