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surches in Chicago and had been in-

to fill the pulpit for both morning evening services. (nest he hesitated, but finally ac-id, seeing in it the hand of the ed seeing in it car infinit of the seulaing power. He would test wn question. He would prove the faisity of the charge made of faisity of the charge made t the church at the settlement . How far would it go in its nial for Jesus' sake? How close it walk in His steps? Was the the. willing to suffer for its Master' saturday night he spent in prayer arly the whole night. There had nev. en so great a wrestling in his soul, his strongest experiences He had, in fact, entered new experience. The definition own discipleship was receiving ed test at this time, and he was into a larger truth of his

great church was filled to its ut. Henry Maxwell, coming into the from that all night vigil, feit the of a great curiosity on the part ople. They had heard of the ement, as all the churches the recent action of Dr. Bruce to the general interest in the With this curiosity was some, more serious. Mr. Maxeper, more serious. hat also, and in the knowledge Spirit's presence was his living brought his message and

to the church that day. uality that makes remark-But ever since he had do as Jesus would do he a certain quality of perthat had all the essentials of This morning the peo complete sincerity and hu-an who had gone deep into han who had gone deep into a great truth. After tell-of some results in his own Raymond since the pledge a went on to ask the quesbeen asking since the settle needing. He had taken for his bestory of the young man who Jesus asking what he must do eternal life. Jesus had tested sell all that thou hast and give oor, and thou shalt have treain heaven. And, come; follow me." the young man was not willing to the young man was not willing to fer to that extent. If following Josus and suffering in that way, he was willing. He would like to follow-us, but not if he had to give up so

it true," continued Henry Maxrell, and his fine, thoughtful fac ed with a passion of appeal that end the people as they had seldom enstirred-"is it true that the church today, the church that is called after diday, the church that is called after trists own name, would refuse to blow Jesus at the expense of suffering. physical loss of temporary gain a estatement was made at a large hering in the settlement last week y a leader of workingmen that it was by a leaser of workinghen that it was booless to look to the church for any referm or redemption of society. On what was that statement based? Plain-by on the assumption that the church if on the assumption of the most part men and momen who thought more of their own ease and luxury than of the sufferings and needs and sins of humanity. How Are the Christians was that true? of America ready to have their disciple ship tested? How about the men who ssess large wealth? Are they ready to take that wealth and use it as Jesus seald? How about the men and women eigrest islent? Are they ready to conrate that talent to humanity, as Jesus

ubtedly would do' Is it not true that the call has come is this age for a new exhibition of disdpleship, Christian discipleship? You who live in this great, sinful city must know that better than I do. Is it possihe you can go your ways careless or thoughtless of the awful condition of men and women and children who are dying, body and soul, for Christian help? Is it not a matter of concern to bep? is it not a matter of content to you personally that the saloon kills its thousands more surely than war? Is it not a matter of personal suffering in some form for you that thousands of tramp the are to this city and all cities crying for work and drifting into crime and skielde because they cannot find it? Can you say that this is none of your busi-Let each man look after himself Weyld it not be true, think you, that if every Christian in America did as Jeus would do society itself, the busitess world-yes, the very political system under which our commercial and mountal activity is carried oning would be reduced to a minimum? "What would be the result if all the church members of this city tried to do is Jesus would do? It is not possible to ay in detail what the effect would be of it is easy to say, and it is true, that istantly he human problem would be What is the test of Christian discifleship? Is it not the same as in Christ's own lifetime? Have our surroundings modified or changed the test? If Jesus ere here today, would He not call some of the members of this very church to do just what He commanded the young man and ask him to give up his wealth and literally follow Him? I believe He would do that if He felt certain that any church member thought more of his possessions than of his Siviour. The ten would be the same today as then. I believe Jesus would demand, He does demand now, as close a following, as much suffering, as great self denial, as then He lived in person on the earth ind said, 'Except a man renounceth all hat he hath, he cannot be my disciple. "that is, unless he is willing to do it First church in Raymond, living there in a simpler, more self denying fashion "What would be the result if in this ly every church member should begin do as Jesus would do? It is not easy go into details of the result, but w I know that certain things would in know that certain things would be impossible that are now practiced by thurch members. What would Jesus do in the matter of wealth? How would He spend it? What principle would reg-ulate His use of money? Would He be likely to live in great luxury and spend ten these as much on personal adorn-ment and entertainment as He spent to elieve the useds of memory humanity? leve the eds of suffering humanity How would Jesus be governed in the oney? Would He take rentoaking of money? ais from saloon and other disreputable operty or even from tenement prop-ty that was so constructed that the rty that mates had no such thing as a home and no such possibility as privacy or What would Jesus do about the frat army of unemployed and desperthe who tramp the streets and curse the church or are indifferent to it, lost in the bitter struggle for the bread that astes bitter when it is earned, on acount of the desperate conflict to get it ould Jesus care nothing for them' Would He go His way in comparative tase and comfort? Would He say it was one of His business? Would He excuse ilmself from all responsibility to re-What would Jesus do in the center d a civilization that hurries so fast ther money that the very girls em-ployed in great business houses are not hald enough to business houses are not paid eno jaid enough to keep soul and body to-rether without fearful temptations, so reat that scores of them fall and are swept over the great, bolling abyss; there the demands of trade sacrifice bundreds of lads in a business that is-tores all Christian during toward them wept over the shere the dema ores all Christian duties toward them in the way of education and moral training and personal affection? Would training and personal affection? Would less if He were here today, as a part of our age and commercial industry, fee bothing, do nothing, say nothing, in the face of these facts, which every business man knows? "What would Jesus do? Is not that that the disciple ought to do? Is be at commanded to follow in His steps?" How much is the Christianity of the tream is the Christianity of the age suffering for Him? Is it denying it-self at the cost of ease, comfort, luxury, elegance of living? What does the age bed more than personal sacrifice? Does the church do its duty in following church do lesus when it gives a little money to time of want? Is it any sacrifice for a

man who is worth \$10,000,000 simply to give \$10,000 for some benevolent Is he not giving something that costs him practically nothing, so far as any personal pain or suffering goes? Is it true that the Christian disciples today in most of our churches are living

soft, easy, selfish lives, very far from any sacrifice that can be called sacri-fice? What would Jesus do? "It is the personal element that Christian discipleship needs to emphasize. The gift without the giver is bare.' The Christianity that attempts to suffer by proxy is not the Christian. ity of Christ. Each individual Chris-

tian, business man, citizen, needs to follow in His steps along the path of personal sacrifice for Him. There is not a different path today from that of Jesus' own times. It is the same path. The call of this dying century and of the new one soon to be is called for a new discipleship, a new fellowship of Jesus, more like the early, simple, apos-

tolic Christianity when the disc left all and literally followed the disciples ter. Nothing but a discipleship of this kind can face the destructive selfishness of the age with any hope of overcoming There is a great quantity of nominal Christianity today. There is need of more of the real kind. We need a revival of the Christianity of Christ. We have, unconsciously, lazily, selfishformally, grown into a discipleship that Jesus Himself would not acknowl-

edge. He would say to many of us when we cry, 'Lord, Lord,' 'I never knew you.' Are we ready to take up the cross? Is it possible for this church to sing with exact truth:

"Jesus, I my cross have taken, All to leave and follow thee?

"If we can sing that truly, then we may claim discipleship, but if our definition of being a Christian is simply to enjoy the privileges of worship, be generous at no expense to ourselvs, have a good, easy time, surrounded by pleasant friends and by comfortable things, live respectably and at the same time avoid the world's great stress of sin and trouble because it is too much pain to bear II-if this is our definition of Christianity, surely we are a long way from following the steps of Him who trod the way with groans and tears and sobs of anguish for a lost humanity; who sweat, as it were, great drops of blood; who cried out on the upreared cross, 'My God, my God, why hast thou forsaken me

"Are we ready to make and live a new discipleship? Are we ready to re-consider our definition of a Christian? What is it to be a Christian? It is to imitate Jesus. It is to do as He would do. It is to walk in his steps."

When Henry Maxwell finished his sermon, he paused and looked at the people with a look they never forgot and at the moment did not understand. Crowded into the fashionable church that day were hundreds of men and women who had for years lived the easy, satisfied life of a nominal Christhe tianity. A great silence fell over the congregation. Through the silence there came to the consciousness of all the souls there present a knowledge, stranger to them now for years, of a divine power, Every one expected the preacher to call for volunteers who would do as Jesus would do, but Henry Maxwell had been led by the Spirit to deliver his message this time and wait for re

sults to come He closed the service with a tender prayer that kept the divine presence Ingering very hear every heart, and the people slowly rose to go out. Then followed a scene that 'would have been impossible if any mere man

had been alone in his striving for re-

Men and women in great numbers crowded around the platform to Henry Maxwell and to bring him the promise of their consecration pledge to do as Jesus would do. 11 was a voluntary, spontaneous move ment that broke upon Maxwell's soul with a result he could not measure. But had he not been praying for this very thing? It was an answer that more

than he had yet been willing to observe,

than met his desires. There followed this movement a prayer service that in its impressions gan to pray, and the vision was more of a longing for a future than a reality epeated the Raymond experience. In in the future. The church of Jesus in the city and throughout the country-would it follow Jesus? Was the move-ment begun in Raymond to spend itself evening, to Maxwell's intense joy, the Endeavor society, almost to a mem-ber, came forward, as so many of the church members had done in the mornin a few churches like Nazareth avenue and the one where he had preached to ing, and seriously, solemnly, tenderly, took the pledge to do as Jesus would and the one where he had preached to-day and then die away as a local move-ment, a stirring on the surface, but not to extend deep and far? He felt with agony after the vision again. He thought he saw the church of Jesus in America open its heart to the moving of the Spiril and rise to the sacrifice of its second self satisfaction in the A deep wave of spiritual baptism broke over the meeting near its close that was indescribable in its tender. byful, sympathetic results. That was a remarkable day in the history of that church, but even more so in the history of Henry Maxwell. He of the Spiril and rise to the sacrifice of its ease and self satisfaction in the name of Jesus. He thought he saw the motto, "What Would Jesus Do?" in-scribed over every church door and written on every church member's heart. The vision vanished. It came back clearer than before, and he saw the Endeavor societies all over the world carrying in their' great proces-sions at some mighty convention a ban. left the meeting very late. He went to his room at the settlement, where he was still stopping, and after an hour with the bishop and Dr. Bruce, spent in a joyful rehearsal of the wonderful events of the day, he sat down to think over again by himself all the experience he was having as a Christian disciple. he was having as a Christian disciple. He kneeled to pray, as he always did now, before going to sleep, and it was while he was on his knees this night that he had a waking vision of what might be in the world when once the new discipleship had made its way into the conscience and consciousness of Christendom. He was fully conscious of sions at some mighty convention a ban-ner on which was inscribed, "What Would Jesus Do?" and he thought in the faces of the young men and women he saw future joy of suffering, loss self denial, martyrdom, and when this part of the vision slowly faded he saw the figure of the Son of God beckoning to him and to all the other actors in his being awake, but no less certainly did it seem to him that he saw certain re-sults with great distinctness, partly as to him and to all the other actors in his life history. An angel choir somewhere was singing. There was a sound as of many voices and a shout as of a great victory, and the figure of Jesus grew more and more splendid. He stood at the end of a long flight of steps. "Yes! Yes! O my Master, has not the time come for this dawn of the millennium of Christian history? Oh, break upon the Christendom of this age with the realities of the future, partly as great longings that they might be realities, and this is what Henry Maxwell saw in this waking vision: He saw himself first going back to the

because he saw ways in which he could help others who were really dependent on him for help. He also saw more dimly that the time would come when his position as pastor of the church would cause him to suffer more, on account of growing opposition to his interpretation of Jesus and His conduct, but this was vaguely outlined. Through it all he heard the words, "My grace is sufficient for thee."

He saw Rachel Winslow and Virginia Page going on with their work of servthe Rectangle and reaching out loving hands of helpfulness far beyond the limits of Raymond. Rachel he saw married to Rollin Page, both fully conmarried to Rollin Page, both fully con-secrated to the Master's use, both fol-lowing in His steps with an eagerness intensified and purified by their love for each other, and Rachel's voice sang on in the slums and dark places of de-spair and sin and drew lost souls back to God and heaven once more.

He saw President Marsh of the college using his great learning and his great influence to purify the city, to ennoble its patriotism, to inspire the young men and women who loved as well as admired him to live lives of Christian service, always teaching them that education means great responsibility for the weak and the ignorant. H saw Alexander Powers meeting with sore trials in his family life, with a constant sorrow in the estrangement of wife and friends, but still going his way in all honor, seeing and living in all his strength the Master, whom he had obeyed even unto loss of social distinction and wealth.

He saw Milton Wright, the merchant, meeting with great reverses, thrown upon the future by a combination of circumstances, with vast business in-terests involved in ruin, through no fault of his own, but coming out of all his reverses with clean Christian honor, to begin and work up to a position where he could again be to hundreds of young men an example of what Jesus could be in business. He saw Edward Norman, editor of The News, by means of the money giv-

en by Virginia, creating a force in jour-nalism that in time came to be recognized as one of the real factors of the nation, to mold its principles and actually shape its policy, a daily illustra-tion of the might of a Christian press and the first of a series of such papers begun and carried on by other disciples

who had also taken the pledge. He saw Jasper Chase, who had denied his Master, growing into a cold, cynical, formal life, writing novels that were social successes, but each one with a sting in it, the reminder of his denial, the bitter remorse that, do what he would, no social success could remove.

He saw Rose Sterling, dependent for some years upon her aunt and Felicia, finally married to a man far older than herself, accepting the burden of a relation that had no love in it on her part because of her desire to be the wife of a rich man and enjoy the physical lux-urles that were all of life to har. Over this life also the vision cast certain dark and awful shadows, but they were not shown to him in deatail. He saw Fellcia and Stephen Clyde

happily married, living a beautiful life ogether, enthusiastic, joyful in suffer pouring out their great, strong, trant service into the dull, dark, fragrant service errible places of the great city and re deeming souls through the persona ouch of their home, dedicated to the uman homesickness all about them. He saw Dr. Bruce and the bishop go

ing on with the settlement work. He seemed to see the great blazing motio over the door enlarged, "What Would Jesus Do?" and the daily answer to that question was redeeming the city n its greatest need. He saw Burns and his companion

and a great company of men like them redeemed and going in turn to others, conquering their passions by the divine grace and proving by their daily lives the reality of the new birth, even in the lowest and most abandoned.

And now the vision was troubled. It seemed to him that as he kneeled he be.

light and the truth! Help us to follow

light and the truth? Help us to follow thee all the way!" He rose at last with the awe of one who has looked at heavenly things. He feit the human forces and the human sins of the world as never before, and, with a hope that walks hand in hand with faith and love, Henry Maxwell, disciple of Jesus, laid him down to sleep and dreamed of the regeneration of Christendom and saw in his dream a church of Jesus "without spot or wrlhchurch of Jesus "without Apot or wrin-kle or any such thing," following him all the way, walking obediently in His

THE END. PUPIL SELF-GOVERNMENT IN A PUBLIC SCHOOL.

steps.

Among the punishments visited upon offenders in the Hollingsworth school by their own magistrates are detention after school with the obligation to cleaning slates, washing blackboards, sharpening pencils, doing long division examples, or working out other tasks. The boys themselves declare that since they have had the school city they have had very much better order in the school. The young citizens are as a rule very discriminating in their choice of officers and clear-headed and firm in their sense of justice. Last winter some of the Hollingsworth boys in fun, rather than in malice, snowballed an Italian boy on the way home from school, and, as it happened, scarred his face. A complaint was made, and after an inquiry in the school it turned out that five boys had participated in the snowballing, all of whom con-fessed it, and three of whom proved to be holders of important offices in the school city. The situation was a deli-cate one. Miss McCormick told the cate one. Miss McCormick told the story to the assembled school and then

asked the five to come forward. "Now, asked the nye to come forward. Now, she said, "you may choose your own punishments." With drooping head and tears in his eyes the director of public safety declared that he thought he ought to be deprived of his office. A member of the select council chose the same punishment, and the magthe same punishment, and the mag-istrate similarly declared that he ought to be deposed. The other two culprits, not holding any official positions, asked that Miss McCor-mick should assign their punish-ments. The three boys who had thus absent to be vertired to pulvate thus chosen to be retired to private life had unquestionably inflicted upon themselves the most severe punish-ment that could have been named. Miss McCormick appreciated this Miss McCormick appreciated this fact, and her sympathy for the three led her to make an appeal to the as-sembled citizens for clemency and and

sembled citizens for demency and for the reinstatement of the trio. But the body of citizens did not take this sentimental view of the mat-ter. They were unanimous in voting "no." It is not likely that they had any grudges against the three boys what-cover, but their sense of the necessity. oever; but their sense of the necessity soever; but their sense of the necessity of maintaing order and discipline un-der the laws of the school city was so great that they felt it necessary that punishment should be enforced and senschool City-A Method of Pupil Self-Government," by Albert Shaw, in the American Monthly Review of Reviews for December.

SMALL FRUITS ON NEW FARMS.

There are many reasons why person who start in farming should commence with berry bushes and vines rather than with trees, if their object be the sup-plying of their own table with fruit Strawberry plants come into bearing one year after they are set out, while gooceberry, currant, raspberry and blackberry bushes will produce good crops in two years from the time they are planted, provided they receive suitattentio abb

The costs of cuttings of grapes, curthey can be sent througt the mails at cheap rates, and they are easily rooted by cutting them in suitable lengths and setting them in a trench that can be made by simply forcing a spade into the soil, which should be crowded close to them with the foot. In mid-summer is best to give them a partial shade, This may be done by means of a fence board fastened to supports on the south or east side of the row. The board should stand about two inches from the ground, and four inches from the cuttings. If the soil is rich, is kept free from weeds and grass and is covered with mulch the rooted cuttings can be transplanted the following year. Cut-tings obtained in the fall may be kept over the winter by placing them in the cellar or by burying them in the ground deep enough to protect them from the deep enough to protect them from the The small fruits are adapted to a greater variety of soils and climates greater variety of soils and climates than the large fruits. Strawberries suc-ceed in every school district in the Union, and there is scarcely and place between the Atlantic and Pacific where raspber-ries and blackberries do not grow wild and where their cultivation is not at-tended with success. Till the canning process was invented and generally introduced small fruits were of comparadively little value. They decayed so quickly after they became ripe that it was necessary to eat them immediately or to preserve them by drying. But by means of the canning process they can now be preserved any length of time without having their flavor essentially impaired. The cost of preserving them is slight, as the same cans can be used for many years. With half an acre in grapes, red white and black currants, gooseberries, strawberries, raspberries and blackberries, a family can have fresh or preserved fruit on the table every day in the year,-Rodney Welch in American Agriculturist.

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eight cures in every hundred. The theory held by Dr. Pierce that the stomach is the chief breeding

place of disease, is abundantly borne

out by the success of his treatment

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SOLD BY ALL DECOGISTS.



It is many years since the wife of the President came so little into public notice as has Mrs. McKinley. Her features are unknown to many newspaper readers and she is seldom mentioned in Washington dispatches. This is of course due to the ill health which has prevented her taking a prominent part in the social side of administrative life. The above portrait is the latest one taken of the President's wife and it has been pronounced an exceptionally good likeness of her.