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TYPE OF MANHOOD NEEDED FOR THE TIMES.

By REV. GEO. GILMORE, London, Ont.

"Among them that are born of women there is none greater than John the Baptist."—*Luke vii. 28.*

There are two lines of evidence in regard to the ability and integrity of a person that are conclusive and indisputable. One is the testimony of his closest bosom friend, if he speak from disinterested motives and is possessed of ordinary intelligence; the other is the record of his life work, going to show success in doing something, not only to alleviate the misery of men, but to elevate poor fallen humanity. Tried by these conclusive tests, the character of John the Baptist is presented to us as one worthy of our study and emulation. The Redeemer paid a glowing tribute to him in the passage which calls for our attention, because of its sweeping statement, which is made all the more noteworthy by the fact that the one who