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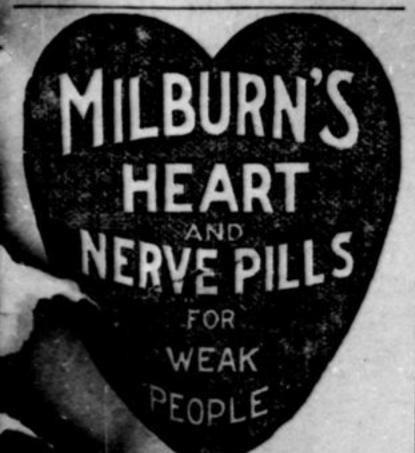
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Rev. Dr. Talmage on the Christian Heroes of To-Day.

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Job's body and soul; but there are er of righteous indignation is an tween them and ruin was no thicker than a tooth's enamel; but, as Job. finally escaped, so have they. Thank mid-life who have still in them

help, that some men make narrow escapes for their souls, and are saved as "with the skin of their teeth."

im coming to God, will have to run you vill-yet very narrowly, "as wit against sceptical notions. It is use- the skin of your teeth." God less for people to say sharp and cut- your own soul only know what ting things to those who reject the such things. By what process of temptation, or trial, or betrayal, you knock at the door of your house, you in your parlour. If I should come at you with an argument, you would answer me with an argument; if with sarcasm, you would answer me with sarcasm; blow for blow, stroke stroke; but when I come and knock at the door of your heart, you open it and say, "Come in, my brother, and tell me all you know about Christ and heaven."

Listen to two or three questions;

Are you as happy as you used to be when you believed in the truth of the Christian religion? Would you like to have your children travel on in which you travelling? You had a relative, who professed to be a Christian, and was thoroughly consistent living and dying in the faith of the Gospel. Would you not like to live the same quiet life, and die the same peaceful death? I recently received a letter, sent me by one who has rejected the Christian religion. It says "I am old enough to know that the joys and pleasures of life are evanescent, and to realize the fact that it must be comfortable in old age to believe in something relative to the future, and to have a faith in some system that proposes to save. I am free to confess that I would be happier if I could exercise the simple and beautiful faith that is possessed by many whom I know. I am not willingly out of the Church or out of the faith. My state of uncertainty is one of unrest. Sometimes I doubt my immortality, and look upon the deathbed as the closing scene, after which there is nothing. What shall I do that I have not done?" Ah! scepticism is a dark and doleful land. Let me say that this Bible is either true or false. If it be false, we are as well off as you; if it be true, then which of us is safer.

Do you not feel that the Bible, take it all in all, is about the best book that the world has ever seen ? Do you know any book that has as much in it? Do you not think, upon the whole, that its influence has been beneficent? I come to you with both hands extended toward you. In one hand I have the Bible, and in the other I have nothing. This Bible in one hand I will surrender for ever just Hugh Latimer, and John Knox, Huss as soon as in my other hand you can put a book that is better.

fashioned religion of your fathers,- and preplexities of the exchange, the to the God whom they worshipped, to the market, the courts and from busithe Bible they read, to the promises ness. On earth they were called on which they leaned, to the cross brokers, or stock-jobbers, or retailers, on which they hung their eternal or importers; but in heaven, Christian expectations. You have not been hap- heroes. No fagots were heaped about py a day since you swang off; you their feet; no Inquisition demanded will not be happy a minute until you from them recantation; no sol-

swing back. rising from disordered tian life will have to run against ing is as the breath of a spring morn-

A despatch from Washington says; getting mad if you only get mad at -Rev. Dr. Talmage preached from the sin. You need to bridle and saddle following text: "I am escaped with those hot-breathed passions, and with the skin of my teeth."-Job, xix. 20. them ride down injustice and wrong. be mad dry. He cries out, "I am escaped harm in getting red hot if you only bring to the forge that which needs A very narrow escape, you say, for hammering. A man who has no powthousands of men who make just as becile. But be sure it is a righteous narrow escape for their soul. There indignation, and not a petulancy was a time when the partition be- that blurs, and unravels, and depletes ruin. the soul.

There is a large class of persons

petites that were aroused in earl I want to show you, if God will manhood, at a time when they prided themselves on being a "little fast "high livers," "free and easy," "ha fellows well met." They are no We will admit that it is more dif- paying in compound interest for trou ficult for some men to accept the bles they collected twenty years ago. Gospel than for others. Some of you, Some of you are trying to escape, and many a soul that pulled out deeper in the mire than you are. They line the beach of heaven-the multitude whom God has rescued from the thrall of suicidal habits. If you this day turn back on the wrong, and start anew, God will help you. will sympathize for a while, and then turn you off. If you ask for their pardon, they will give it, and say saulted your body with weapons you they will try you again; but, falling would meet me with weapons, and it away again under the power of tempsword- tation, they cast you off for ever. But God forgives seventy times seven; yea, seven hundred times; yea, though this be the ten thousandth time, he is more earnest, more sympathetic, more helpful this last time than when you took your first mis-step.

> If, with all the influences favorable for a right life, men make many mistakes, how much harder is when, for instance, some appetite thrusts its iron grapple into the roots of the tongue, and pulls a man down with hands of destruction! If, under such circumstances, he break away, there will be no sport in the undertaking, no holiday enjoyment, but a struggle in which the wrestlers move from side to side, and bend and twist, and watch for an opportunity to get in a heavier stroke, until with one final effort, in which the muscles are distended, and the veins stand out, and the blood starts, the swarthy habit falls under the knee of the victor-escaped at last as with the skin of his teeth."

There are others who, in attempting to come to God, must run between a great many business perplexities. If a man go over to business at ten o'clock in the morning, and comes way at three o'clock in the after noon, he has some time for religion; but how shall you find time for religious contemplation when you are driven from sunrise to sunset, and have been for five years going behind in business, and are frequently dunned by creditors whom you cannot pay, and when, from Monday morning until Saturday night, you are dodging bills that you cannot meet? You walk day by day in uncertainties that have kept your brain on fire for the past three years. Some, with less business troubles than you, have gone crazy. will now take heart again, and that Now, God will not be hard on you. He knows what obstacles are in the way you have never experienced before, stocks of unsaleable goods, block up skin of my teeth!" your way to heaven. Gather up all your energies. Tighten the girdle about your loins. Take an agonising look into the face of God, and then say, "Here goes one grand effort for life eternal," and then bound away for heaven, escaping "as with the skin of

your teeth." In the last day it will be found that and Ridley, were not the greatest martyrs, but Christian men who went I invite you back into the good old- up incorrupt from the contaminations dier aimed a pike at their heart; Again: There may be some of you but they had mental tortures, comwho, in the attempt after a Chris- pared with which all physical consum-

fortness of breath, swelling of feet haps, while in a very serious mood, you ed, so lied about, so outrageously d ankles, nervousness, sleepless hear of something that makes you wronged, that they have lost their as, anæmia, hysteria, St. Vitus' leel that you must swear or die. All faith in everything. In a world where

frenzied, and misanthropic. Elaborate arguments to prove to them the truth of Christianity, or the truth of anything else, touch them nowhere, Hear me, all such men. I preach to you no rounded periods, no ornamental discourse; but I put my hand on your shoulder, and invite you into the peace dash against it harder than the At-Eddystone Light-house. Do stuck to God, God stuck to the world; wheat rather late on account of the hundreds of years he has been coaxing sowed with a month's difference the more he has coaxed, the more vio- in the time of the wheat's ripening. ent have men been in their resistance, and they have stepped back and stepped back until they have dropped into

Try this God, ye who have had the blood-hounds after you, and who have thought that God had forgotten you. Try him, and see if he will not help. Try him and see if he will not pardon. Try him, and see if he will not save. The flowers of spring have no bloom so sweet as the flowering of Christ's affections. The sun hath no warmth compared with the glow of his heart. The waters have no refreshment like the fountain that will slake the thirst of thy soul. At the moment the reindeer stands with his hip and nostril thrust in the cool mountain torrent, the hunter may be coming through the thicket. Without crackling stick under his foot, he comes close by the stag, aims his gun, draws trigger, and the poor thing rears in its death-agony and falls backwards, its antlers crashing on the rocks; the panting hart that drinks from the water-brooks of God's promise shall never be fatally wounded, and shall never die.

tomb two fingers, represented sounding upon each other with snap, and under them the motto, "All is not worth that." Apicius Coelius hanged himself because his steward commences its depredations on informed hiim that he had only 80 attempted to win the applause of the crying to him, "Murderer of my kindred, descend to hell, covered with the curses of every mother in France!" Many who have expected the plaud-Anathema Maranatha.

Oh, find your peace in God. Make one strong pull for heaven. Not halfway work will do it. There sometimes comes a time on shipboard when everything must be sacrificed to save the passengers. The cargo is nothing. The captain puts the trumpet to his lip and shouts, "Cut away the mast!" Some of you have been tossed and driven, and you have, in your effort to keep the world well-nigh lost your soul. Until you have decided this matter, let everythingus. e go. Overboard with all those ay have your pride, and cut away the Last. With one earnest cry for help, put your cause into the hand of him who helped Paul out of the breakers of Melita, and who, above the shrill blast of the wrathiest tempest that ever blackened the sky or shook the ocean, car hear the faintest imploration for

Heaven grant that some of you, who have considered your case as hopeless, with a blood-red earnestness, such as

SOME FARM POINTERS.

The wheat crop is hardly harvested of the Gospel. Here is a rock on which before the wise farmer begins his you may stand firm, though the waves, plans for sowing wheat again. Experience has proved the wisdom lantic, pitching its surf clear above early sowing on many lands for wheat so as to allow the land to settle well. charge upon God all these troubles In some places it is becoming underof the world. As long as the world stood, however, that it is best to sow but the earth seceded from his govern- ravages of the Bessian fly. It has ment, and hence all these outrages and been determined by a careful wheat all these woes. God is good. For many grower that the same kind of wheat the world to come back to him; but tween the sowing made no difference

> Remember the adage that more farm implements and machinery "rust out than wear out." Exposing implements and machinery to the rains and hot sun will really prove more destructive to them than the actual use they get. All such things should be kept under shelter when not in actual use Look them carefully over when away, and if any repairs are needed attend to them at once, so as to have in readiness to take quick advantage of all favorable weather opportuni-

> Crimson clover makes a good carpet for fields that are now unsightly with noxious weeds. Sow the seed any time in October. The clover will afford considerable winter pasture and be excellent to turn under in the early spring for a corn field. The crop will become a summer weed preventer and will turn such unsightly fields into sources of profit, as the turning under will enrich the soil.

Always be careful to mark some of the best vegetables and corn that are to be saved for seed. Proper seed selection means improvement, both in quality and yield. Wise farmers place high value on choice seeds for This world is a poor portion for kinds of crops. It pays to pay an inyour soul, oh business man! An East- creased price for prime, plump seed upon his wheat. Poor seed of any kind should as never be planted and it is always a wise investment to secure the best seed the market affords.

The cabbage worm when it once cabbage is very destructive. It will this world's riches make but a small riddle the cabbage leaves so they will inheritance for a soul. Robespierre be comparatively worthless. Paris green at the rate of one pound to world; but when he was dying, a wo- 50 galons of water is recommended. man came rushing through the crowd It is considered perfectly safe until the heads commence to form. Many good authorities claim it may be used after the heads form, as they cabbage heads grow large from the its of the world, have died under its inside instead of from the outside after a certain time of growth. Hot water is also effectively used. Some farmers say they use a small handful of salt on each wormy head. Kerosene and milk, put on with an ordinary sprayer, one part kerosene to five of milk, is a very good plan.

POULTRY POINTERS.

your growing chickens should now be moderately free from the troublesome Some people keep their poultry well,

but seem to forget that different breeds have different purposes. Promptness and thoroughness, as in mises to be of great commercial ad-

all other professions, is of vast im- vantage. It has been known for portance in poultry culture.

for a pullet of the laying variety to while the leaf was passing through get ready for laying.

sicken chicks.

HORSE HINTS.

A horseman writes: "I pride myself or ferment and on the care I give my horses, and I was understood it would say keep the currycomb off of them possible to push or arrest its deof your being a Christian, and your you will start for the good land of if you desire a fine, glossy coat. The velopment almost as a photographic first effort in the right direction he the Gospel-at last to look back, say- currycomb irritates the skin, creates plate can be weakened or intensified will crown with success. Do not let ing, "What a great risk I ran! Al- more dandruff than it cleans out, in the dark room. Satan, with cotton bales, and kegs, most lost, but saved! Just got splits and cuts the hair and makes and hogsheads, and counters, and through and no more! Escaped by the the coat rough and dull looking. The similar experiments with butter and currycomb is of no use to me except cider. The flavor of butter is held to

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to clean the brush. Brush your horse well, give him a ggood rubbing with a cloth and you will secure a nice glossy coat."

ledge.

The horse may know a good deal more than his owner, but, unfortunately for both, the horse is not permitted to use his superior know-

Is the currycomb a benefit or damage to the coat of the horse There is a growing opinion that the man who currycombs his horse makes a mistake. The teeth of the comb break off many hairs and roughen many more. Many hairs are split by the teeth of the comb. Furthermore, it is claimed that "the comb creates dandruff by looseningg scales of the skin. The scales if left to loosen by natural processes, will flake off in due time, and only brushing is needed to seems as though I am piercing my own remove them and to spread through the hair the natural oil secretion of the skin. Must the currycomb go? ment of the kidneys will be glad to know Who can successfully deny these state-

comb? All hard-worked horses in farm fields are greatly refreshed by an occasional rub with a coarse cloth wisp of fine, dry hay. Repeated eral times during a hot day, be simple attention will do wonders for the toiling, sweating animal.

ments against the sharp-toothed

INVESTIGATING ENZIMES.

Commercial Value.

Dr. Loew is the lecturer on agricultural chemistry in the Agricultural College of the Japanese Imperial University. Dr. Loew's specialty is the investigation of what are known in organic chemistry as erzimes, a subthe species of liquid ferments that are neither microbes nor fungi, but somewhat similar to both. He found that certain of these ferments were present at the culminating stages of practically all the virulent diseases and that it was the development of the enzime in the system that checked the disease and killed the microbes when a disease like typhoid, smallpox or yellow fever had run its course. From this discovery it was but a step to decide that if the enzime could be introduced into the system of a patient the disease would be checked before it had run its course and the patient have a much better chance for recovery.

It was a long and infinitely patient investigation that established this fact .Dr. Loew finally succeeded in selecting a particular enzime which while not harmful to the human system would dissolve and kill the microbes of yellow fever, scarlet fever, typhoid, smallpox, bubonic plague, diptheria, tetanus and other diseases. Like all other investigations of this sort the experiments had to be made first in the laboratory test tubes, then on the lower animals and finally on human beings. In Japan Dr. Loew proposes to carry on extensive hospital experiments with the enzime before If you begin to fight the lice early turning the discovery over to the medical profession at large. He hopes especially to try it under practical working conditions on a large num-

ber of plague patients. The work Dr. Loew carried on in connection with tobacco curing prolong time that the critical stage in Cor. Michigan Ave. and Shelby St. Six months is considered long enough the curing of high-grade tobacco came the period of fermentation, when Air-slacked lime scattered on the by some method not generally underrange will kill many of the germs that stood it developed the aroma and flavor that fixed its market value. Dr. Loew found that this fermentation was controlled by another enzime

> Prof. Loew was also engaged in be due not to any excellence in the cow or its food, but to the presence of certain enzimes. It was Dr. Loew's theory that he could turn poor butter into high grade butter by introducing the proper enzimes. Experiments were also made with cider wine into which Dr. Loew introduced the enzimes which give to Rhine wines and other light wines their flavor, He procured from Germany some of the ferment used in wine making and sought to develop it so that the farmer could introduce the enzimes into his cider barrel and later draw out a fine quality of white wine. Prof. Loew was conducting other experiments with wines, being convinced that the superiority of French wines over American lay not in the soil or the climate or methods employed but in the flavoring enzimes which enter the casks during fermentation.

These enzimes are not native to America and can be secured only by importation. This theory has been strengthened by some of the Western wine growers who have secured enzimes from France, introduced them into their wine casks and produced wines of a much higher class than formerly and scarcely distinguishable from the French product.

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