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BROOKLYN, Oct. 8, 1894.-Rev. Dr. Talmage, who is still absent on his roundthe-world tour, selected as the subject of yesterday's sermon, through the press: "Hadassah," the text chosen being Esther A beautiful child was born in the capital of Persia. She was an orphan and a captive, her parents having been stolen from their Israelitish home and carried to Shushan, and had died, leaving their daughter poor and in a strange land. But an Israelite who had been carried into the same captivity was attracted by the case of the orphan. He educated her in his holy religion, and under the roof of that good man this adopted child began to develop a sweetness and excellency of character if ever equaled, certainly never surpassed. Beautifu! Hadassah! Could that adopted father ever spare her from his household? Alas! Worse than anything that the father expects happens to his adopted child. Anasuerus, a princely scoundrel, demands that Hadassah, the fairest one in all the kingdom, become his

wife. Worse than death was marriage to

such a monster of iniquity! How great

the change when this young woman left

the home where God was worshiped and

religion honored, to enter a palace devoted to pride, idolatry and sensuality! "As a lamb to the slaughter !" Ahasuerus knew not that his wife was a Jewess. At the instigation of the infamous prime minister the king decreed that all the Jews in the land should be slain. Hadassah pleads the cause of her people, breaking through the rules of the court, presenting herself in the very face of death, crying, "If I perish, I perish." Oh, it was a sad time among that enslaved people! They had all heard the decree concerning their death. Sorrow, gaunt and ghastly, sat in thousands of households, and mothers wildly pressed their infants to their breasts as the days of massacre hastened on, praying that the same swordstroke which slew the mother might also tions to pride, and arbitraryness, and slay the child, rosebud and bud perishing

in the same blast. But Hadassah is busy at court. The hard heart of the king is touched by her story, and although he could not reverse his decree for the slaying of the Jews, he adopted, and introduced into the abominmules, on dromedaries, messengers sped patches, and a shout of joy went up from mangled corpses sounded the triumph of the delivered Jews, and their enthusiasm was as when the Highlanders came to the relief of Lucknow, and the English army, which stood in the very jaws of death, at the sudden hope of assistance and rescue, lifted the shout above belching cannon and the death-groan of hosts, crying, "We are saved! We are saved!" My subject affords me opportunity of illustrating what Christian character may be under the greatest disadvantages. In the first place, our subject is an illustraneither father nor mother." A nobleman

had become her guardian, but there is no one who can take the place of a parent. Who so able at night to hear a child's tion Hadassah exhibited ! Though father and mother were gone, grace had triumphed over all disadvantages. Her willingness to self-sacrifice; her control over the king; her humility; her faithful worship of God, show her to have been one of the best of the world's Christians. There are those who did not enjoy remarkable early privileges. Perhaps, like the beautiful captive of the text, you were an orphan. God's grace will triumph if you seek it. He knows what obstacles you have fought against, and the more trial the more help. After all, there are no orphans in the world, for the great God is the father of us all.

Again, our subject is an illustration of what religion may be under the pressure of poverty. In the humble home of Mordecai, her adopted father, Hadassah was a light that illumed every privation. In some period in almost every man's life there comes a season of strained circumstances, when the severest calculation and most scraping economy are necessary in order to subsistence and respectability. To such I bear a message of good cheer. You say it is a hard thing for you to be a Christian. This constant anxiety, this unresting calculation, wear out the buoyancy of your spirit, and although you have told perhaps no one about it, cannot I tell that this is the very trouble which keeps you from being what you ought to be? Sometimes you sit down discouraged and almost wish you were dead. Christians in satin slippers, with their feet on damask ottoman, may scout at such a class of temptations, but those who themselves have been in the struggle and grip of hard misfortune can appreciate the power of these evils to dissuade the soul away from religious duties. We admit the strength of the temptation, but then we point to Hadassah, her poverty equaled by her piety. Courage, down there in the battle! Hurl away your disappointment! Men of half your heart have through Christ been more than conquerors. In the name of God, come out of that! The religion of Christ is just what you want out there among the empty flour barrels and beside the cold hearths. You have never told anyone of what a hard time you have had. but God knows it as well as you know it. Your easy times will come after a while. Do not let your spirits break down mid-life. What if your coat is thin? Run fast enough to keep warm. What if you have no luxuries on your table? High expectations will make your blood tingle better than the best Maderia. It does not require extravagant wardrobe, and palatial residence, and dashing equipage to make a man rich. The heart right the estate is right. A new heart is worth the world's wealth in one roll of bank bills; worth all scepters of earthly power bound in one sheef; worth all crowns expressed in one coronet. Many man without a farthing in his pocket has been rich enough to buy the world out and

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uch as you may never have imseined. Again, our subject illustrates what religion may be when in a strange land, or far from home. Hadassah was a stranger in Shushan. Perhaps brought up in the quiet of rural scenes, she was now surrounded by the dazzle of a city. Heads such as hers had been turned by the transit from country to city. More than that she was in a strange land. Yet in that loneliness she kept the Christian integrity, and was as consistent among the allurements of

Shushan as among the kindred of her father's house. Perhaps I address some who are now far away from the home of their fathers. You came across the seas. The sepulchres of your dead are far away. Whatever may be the comfort and adornment of your present home, you cannot forget the place of your birth, though it may have been lowly and unhonored. Far away the kirk! Far away the homestead! Far away the town! Have you formed habits which would not have seemed right in the places and times of which we speak? Have you built an altar in your present abode? Is the religion of olden time, once planted in your heart, come up in glorious harvest? Is your present home an eulogy upon that from which you were transplanted? Then are yeworthy companions of Hadassah, the

stranger, as holy in Shushan as in Jerusalem. Again, our subject illustrates what religion may be under the temptation of personal attractiveness. The inspired record says of the heroine of my text, "She was fair and beautiful." Her very name signified, "A myrtle." Yet the admiration, and praise, and flattery of the world did not blight her humility. The simplicity of her manners and behavior equaled her extraordinary attractions. Japonicas, anemones and heliotropes never swagger at the beauty which God planted in their very leaf, sepal, axil and stamen. There are many flowers that bow down so modestly you cannot see the color in their cheek until they lift up their head, putting your hand under their round chin. Indeed, any kind of personal attractions, whether they be those of the body, the mind, or the heart, may become tempta-

foolish assumption. Again, our subject exhibits what religion may be under bad domestic influences. Hadassah was snatched from the godly home into which she had been sent forth an order that they should arm able associations of which wicked Ahasuthemselves for defense. On horseback, on erus was the center. What a whirl of blasphemy, and drunkenness and licenthrough the land, bearing the king's dis | tiousness! No altar, no prayer, no Sabbath, no God! If this captive girl can be a that enslaved people at the faint hope of Christian there, then it is possible to be a success. The day of execution dawned. Christian anywhere. There are many Government efficials, armed and drilled, of the best people of the world cowed before the battle shout of the op- who are obliged to contend with pressed people. The cry of defeat rang the most adverse domestic influences, back to the palaces, but above the moun children who have grown up into the ains of dead, above 75,000 crushed and love of God under the frown of parents and under the discouragement of bad example. Some sister of the family having professed the faith of Jesus is the subject of unbounded satire inflicted by brothers and sisters. Yea, Hadassah was not the only Christian who had a queer husband. It is no easy matter to maintain correct Christian principles when there is a companion disposed to scoff at them, and to ascribe every imperfection of character to hypocrisy. Do I speak to any laboring under these blighting disadvantages? My subject is full of encouragement. Respontion of what Christian character may be sibilities rest upon you. Be faithful, under orphanage. This Bible line tells a though you stand as much alone as did Lot long story about Hadassah. "She had in Sodom, or Jeremiah in Jerusalem, or

Jonah in Nineveh, or Hadassah in the court of Ahasuerus. Finally, our subject illustrates what religion may be in high worldly position. prayer; or at twilight to chide youthful The last we see in the Bible of Hadassah is wanderings, or to soothe youthful sorrows? | that she has become the Queen of Persia. And yet behold what a nobility of disposi- Prepare now to see the departure of her humility, and self-sacrifice, and religious principle. As she goes up you may expect Grace to go down. It is easier to be humble in the obscure house of her adopted father than on a throne of dominion. But you misjudge this noble woman. What she was before, she is now-the myrtle. Applauded for her beauty and her crown, she forgets not the cause of her suffering people, and with all simplicity of heart. still remains a worshiper of the God of

heaven. Noble examples followed only by a very few. I address some who, through the goodness of God, have risen to positions of influence in the community where you live. In law, in merchandise, in medicine in mechanics, and in other useful occupations and professions you hold an influence for good, or for evil. Let us see whether, like Hadassah, you can stand elevation. Have you as much simplicity of character as once you evidenced? Do you feel as much dependence upon God; as much your own weakness; as much your accountability for talents intrusted? Or are you proud and over-demanding, and ungrateful, and unsympathetic, and worldly, and sensual, and devilish? Then you have been spoiled by your success, and you shall not sit on this throne with the heroine of my text. In the day when Hadassah shall come to the grander coronation, in the presence of Christ and the bannered hosts of the redeemed, you will be poor indeed. Ch, there are thousands of men who can easily endure to be knocked down of misfortune, who are utterly destroyed if lifted up of success. Satan rakes them to the top of the pinnacle of the temple and shoves them off. Their head begins to whirl and they lose their balance and

down they go.
My friends, "God resisteth the proud, but giveth grace to the humble." Take from my subject encouragement. Attempt the service of God, whatever your disadvantages, and whatever our lot, let us seek that grace which outshone all the splendors of the places of Shushan.

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