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REV. DR. MILLIGAN SPEAKS. Orangeville, May 20.-In connection with the Manitoba school question, before the Presbyterian Synod, Rev. Dr. Milligan, of Toronto, brought in the following minority report: "Whereas the Manitoba school question is now under the consideration of the authorities appointed to deal with whereas the question lies within the our duty, as citizens, rather than as members of synod, and whereas there are questions of constitutional law involved in its solution rendering it difficult for the synod to pronounce a competent judgment upon it, especially at its present stage; resolved that no expression of opinion be given by the synod regarding the difficulties on educational matters at present existing between the Manitoba and Dominion Governments." It is not deemed inconsistent with this resolution to express regret that too frequently when electors are called upon to select men for Parliament appeals are made to their sectional and religious prejudices, instead of efforts being put forth to occupy their minds with the needs of the country, and the character for honesty and capability of the men required to meet these needs. They should be very careful about giving opinions on such matters in church courts, Dr. Milligan said, in supporting this. Church courts had in the past delivered opinions which the light of subsequent events had shown not to be the wisest. They would be reminded that the Roman Catholics banded themselves together, but they were not Roman Catholics, and he thought that they should express themselves as citizens and not as ministers. Dr. Milligan then referred to the way in which electors allowed themselves to be attracted by race and religious cries from the real political issues before the country. There is corruption at Ottawa, he exclaimed, which should be exposed. No matter which party is concerned, he said, they should deal with it so as to have honest and capable men occupying positions of honor. In Ontario when the elections came on there was no effort to confront the Government. And he had no objection to seeing Sir Oliver Mowat criticised, but there were efforts to draw a red herring across the trail by raising cries about the separate schools and the P. P. A., and so on. I abominate the whole thing, he cried. At Dominion elections they are very glad to find a traitor. They tried to get some kind of cry to arouse the sectional and religious prejudices of the people, and to take their minds off the real subjects of importance to the country. He was not speaking for Reformers or Conservatives, he said, but these methods had unfortunately hurt the country, which with its heterogeneous population was difficult to govern. He hoped that the country would put other questions aside and look at what should be the true policy of the country, and strive to subordinate other matters to the getting of honest government.

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A Powerful Plea Put Forth by Rev. Dr. Talmage,

In His Sunday Afternoon Sermon in the New York Academy of Music.

New York, May 20.—Dr. Talmage's Sunday afternoon sermon was a powerful and eloquent plea for practical Christianity. The subject as announced was "Wing and Hand," the text being Ezekiel, x., 21-"The likeness of the hands of a man was under their wings." Who are the cherubim? An order of angels, radiant, mighty, all-knowing, adoring, worshipful, whose majesty, and speed, and spiendor we will never know until, lifted into their presence, we behold them for ourselves, as I pray by the pardoning grace of God we all may. But all the accounts Biblical, and all the suppositions human, represent the cherubim with wings, each about

seven feet long, vaster, more imposing than any plumage that ever floated in earthly atmosphere. My attention is not more attracted by those wings than by what they reveal when lifted. In two places in Ezekiel we are told there were hands under the wings; human hands; hands like ours. "The likeness of the hands of a man was uder the wings." There are whole sermons, whole anthems, whole doxologies, whole millenniums in that combination of hand and wing. If this world is ever brought to God, it will be by appreciation of the fact that supernatural and human agencies are to go together; that which soars, and that which practically works; that which ascends the heavens, and that which reaches forth to earth; the joining of the terrestrial and the celestial; the hand and the wing. We see this union in the construction of the Bible. The wing of inspiration is in every chapter. What realms of the ransomed earth did Isaiah fly over? Over what battle-fields for righteousness; what coronations; what dominions of gladness; what rainbows around the throne did St. John hover? But in every book of the Bible you just as certainly see the human hand that wrote it. Moses, the lawyer, showing his hand in the Ten Commandments, the foundation of all good legislation; Amos, the herdsman, showing his hand in similes drawn from fields and floores

the fishermen apostles showing their hand when writing about Gospel nets; Luke, the physician showing his hand by giving especial attention to diseases cured; Paul, showing his scholarly hand by quoting from heathen poets, and making arguments about the resurrection that stand as firmly as on the day he planted them; and St. John shows his hand by taking his imagery from the appearance of the bright waters spread around the Island of Patmos at hour of sunset, when he speaks of the sea of glass mingled with fire; scores of hands writing the parables, the miracles, the promises, the hosannas, the raptures, the consolations, the woes of ages. Oh, the Bible is so human; so full of heart-beets; so sympathetic; so wet with tears; so triumphant with palm branches, that it takes hold of the human race as nothing else ever can take hold of it—each writer in his own style; Job, the scientific; Solomon, the royal-blooded; Jeremiah, the despondent; Daniel, the abstemious and heroic —why, we know their style so well that we need not look to the top of the page | man, who served at the wash-tub. Come to see who is the author. No more conspicuous the uplifting wing of inspiration than the hand, the warm hand, the flexible hand, the skillful hand of human instrumentality. "The likeness of

the hands of a man was under the

Again, behold this combination of my text in all successful Christian work. We stand and kneel in our pulpits, and social meetings, and reformatory associations, offering prayer. Now, if anything has wings, it is prayer. Wings, whether that prayer starts from an infant's tongue, or the trembling lips of a centenarian, rising from the heart of a farmer's wife standing at the dashing churn, or before the hot breath of a country oven, they soar away, and pick out of all the shipping of the earth, on all the seas, the craft on which her sailor boy is voyaging. Yea, prayer can fly clear down into the future. Prayer flies not only across continents, but across centuries. But, oh, my friends, the prayer must have the hand under the wing, or it may amount to nothing. The mother's hand, or the father's hand, must write to the wayward boy as soon as you can hear how to address him. Christian souls must contribute to the evangelism of that far-off land for which they have been praying. Stop singing "Fly abroad, thou mighty Gospel," unless you are willing to give something of your means to make it fly. Have you been praying for the salvation of a young man's soul? That is right; but also extend the hand of invitation to come to a religious meeting. It always excites our sympathy to see a man with his hand in a sling. We ask him. "What is the matter? Hope it is not a felon," or "Have your fingers been crushed?" But nine out of ten of all Christians are going their life long with their hand in a sling. They have been hurt by indifference, or wrong ideas of what is best; or it is injured of conventionalities; and they never put forth that hand to lift, or help, or rescue any one. They pray, and their prayer has wings, but there is no hand under the wings. From the very structure of the hand, we might make up our mind as to some of the things it was made for; to hold fast, to push, to pull, to help and to rescue. And endowed with two hands, we might take the broad hint that for others as well as for ourselves we were to hold fast, to lift, to push, to pull, to help, to rescue. Wondrous hand! Its machinery besinning at the shoulder, and working through shafts of bone, upper arm and forearm, down to the eight bones of the wrist, and the five bones of the palm, and the fourteen bones of the fingers and thumb, and composed of a labyrinth of muscle, and nerve, and artery, and flesh, which no one but Almighty God could have planned or executed. But how suggestive when it reached down to us from under the wings of the cherubim! "The likeness of the hands of a man was under the wings." This idea is combined in Christ. When he rose from Mount Olivet, he took wing. All up and down his life you see the uplifting divinity. It glowed in his forehead. It flashed in his eyes. Its cadences were heard in his voice. But he was also very human. It was the hand under the wing that touched the woes of the world, and took hold of the sympathies of the centuries. Watch his hand before it was spiked. There was a dead girl in a governor's house, and Christ comes into the room and takes her pale, cold hand in his warm grasp, and she opens her eyes on the weeping household, and says, "Father, what are

arose." A follower, angered at an insult

offered Christ, drew the sword from the

sheath, and struck at a man with the

sharp edge, and took off the right ear.

Christ with his hand reconstructed that

wonderful organ of sound. The Book

says, "He touched his ear and healed

him." Meeting a full-grown man who

had never seen a sunrise, or a sunset, or a flower, or the face of his father or

mother, Christ moistens the dust from his own tongue, and stirs the dust into an eye-salve, and with his own hands applies the strange medicament, and suddenly all the colors of the earth and sky rush in upon the newly-created optic nerve, and the instantaneous noon drove out the long night. When he sees the grief of Mary and Martha, he sits down and cries with them. Some say it is the shortest verse in the Bible; but to me it seems, because of its far-reaching sympathies, about the largest— "Jesus wept?" So very human. He could not stand the sight of dropsy, or epilepsy, or paralysis, or hunger, or dementia: but he stretches out his sympathetic hand towards it. So very, very human. Omnipotent, and majestic, and glorious, this Angel of the New Covenant, with wings capable of encircling a universe, and yet hands of gentleness, hands of helpfulness. "The hands of a man under the wings."

There is a kind of religion in our day that my text rebukes. There are men and women spending their time in delectation over their saved state, going about from prayer-meeting to prayermeeting, and from church to church, telling how happy they are. But show them a subscription paper, or ask them to go and visit the sick, or tell them to reclaim a wanderer, or speak out for some unpopular Christian enterprise and they have bronchitis, or stitch in the side, or sudden attack of grip. Their religion is all wing and no hand. They can fly heavenward, but they cannot reach out earthward. The highest type of religion says little about itself, but is busy for God and helping to the heavenly shore the crew and passengers of this shipwrecked planet. Such people are busy now up the dark lanes of this city, and all through the mountain glens, and down in the quarries where the sunlight has never visited, and amid the rigging, helping to take in another reef before the Caribbean whirlwind. There was much sense in that which the robust boatman said when three were in a boat off the coast in a sudden storm, that threatened to sink the boat and one suggested that they all kneel down in the boat to pray, and the ro-bust man took hold of the oar and began to pull, saying, "Let you, the strong, stout fellow, lay hold of the other oar, and the weak one who cannot pull give himself up to prayer." Pray by all means; but at the same time pull with all your might for the world's There is also in my subject the sug-

gestion of rewarded work for God and

righteousness. When the wing went

the hand went. When the wing ascended

the hand ascended; and for every use-

ful and Christian hand there will be an

elevation, celestial and eternal. Expect no human gratitude, for it will not come. But, my hearers, the day cometh when your work, which perhaps no one has noticed, or rewarded, or honored, will rise to heavenly recognition. While I have been telling you that the hand was under the wing of the cherubim, I want you to realize that the wing was over the hand. Perhaps reward may not come to you right away. Washington lost more battles than he won, but he triumphed at last. Walter Scott, in boyhood, was called "The Greek Blockhead," but what heights of renown did he not afterward tread? And I promise you victory further on and higher up; if not in this world, then in the next. Oh, the heavenly day when your lifted hand shall be gloved with what honors its fingers enringed with what jewels, its wrist clasped with what splendors! Come up and take it, you Christian woup and take it, you Christian woman, who pounded the shoe-last. Come up and take it, you professional nurse, whose compensation never fully paid for broken nights and the whims and struggles of delirious sick rooms. Come up and take it, you firemen, besweated, far down amid the greasy machinery of ocean steamers, and ye conductors and engineers on railroads, that knew no Sunday, and whose ringing bells and loud whistle never warned off your own anxieties. Come up and take it, you mothers, who rocked and lullabied the family brood until they took wing for other nests, and never appreciated what you had done and suffered for them. Your hand was well favored when you were young, and it was a beautiful hand, so well rounded, so graceful that many admired and eulogized it; but hard work calloused it; and twisted it, and self-sacrificing toil for others paled it, and many house-hold griefs thinned it, and the ring which went on only with a push at the marriage altar, now is too large, and falls off, and again and again you have lost it. Poor hand! Weary hand! Workout hand! But God will reconstruct it, reanimate it, readorn it, and all heaven will know the story of that hand w fallen ones it lifted up! What tears it wiped away! What wounds it bandaged! What lighthouses it kindled! What storm-tossed ships it brought into the Pearl-beached Harbor! Oh, I am so glad that in the vision of my text Ezekiel saw the wing above the hand. Roll on that everlasting rest for all the toiling, and misunderstood, and suffering and weary children of God, and know right well that to join your hand, at last emancipated from the struggle, will be the soft hand, the gentle hand, the triumphant hand of him who wipeth away all tears from all faces. That will be the Palace of the King, of which

the poet sang in somewhat Scotch dia-It's a bonnie, bonnie warl' that we're livin' in the noo, sunny is the lan' we aften traivel

But in vain we look for something to which oor hearts can cling, For its beauty is as naething to the Palace o' the King. see oor frien's await us ower yonder at the gate;

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