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DE COSTA ON YOUNG MEN.

In the Easter number of "Donahoe's," Dr. R. F. De Costa, now as famous as a Catholic lecturer and writer, as he had formerly been noted as an eminent Anglican divine, has a fairly long essay, under the heading "Young Men and Personal Service."

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powerful factors in the formation of character. It is often the case that weaknesses, which eventually develop into passions with young men, are inherited from antecedents—fathers, grand-fathers, and even great-grand-fathers—but they may be checked, kept under control, even made subservient, through good, judicious training in younger days.

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