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Where in romance can you find anything equal to what Daniel was in reality? A young man, far away from home, introduced into the most magnificent and most dissolute palace of all the earth. The king, wishing to make this young man a prodigy in personal appearance, orders his attendants to see that he has plenty of meat and wine, and Daniel refuses these delicacies, and insist on a vegetable diet, refusing everything but pulse and water, waving back all the rich viands with a determined, "No; I thank you." He surpasses all the princes in brilliancy. As this run rises higher and higher in the firmament, it puts out all the stars, and if there is anything the stars hate it is the sun. Daniel becomes so much of a favorite with King Darius that our young hero is promoted to be Prime Minister or Secretary of State—the Frelinghuysen or the Bismarck of the ancients. But no man ever attained such high position without exciting the envy of others. The meanest and wrathiest passions of the soul is jealousy. You see it among all professions and occupations. I am sorry to say you see it as much among clergymen as among other classes of men. It is a passion bitter as a hell, and it is immediately recognized, and yet though it blackens the man who indulges in it, men will kindle this fire which consumes only themselves. There were demagogues in Babylon, who, highly appreciative of their own capacity, doubted the policy of elevating such a young man as Daniel. They said: "Why, we know more that he does. We could manage the public affairs better than he can manage them. The idea of putting Dan in such a place as that." Old Babylon was afraid of the young Babylon. They began to plot his ruin. He was an illustrious target. The taller the cedar the more apt to be struck by the lightning. These demagogues asked Darius to make an unalterable decree that any man who within 30 days shall ask a petition of anyone except the king shall be put to death. Darius, not mistrusting any foul play, makes such a decree. The demagogues have accomplished their purpose, for they knew that Daniel would not stop sending up petitions to his God, and Daniel, instead of being affrighted by the decree, went three times a day to his house-top for prayer. He is caught in the act. He is condemned to be devoured by the lions. By the rough executioners of the law he is hurried away toward the den. How strange a welcome Daniel receives from the monsters. They fawn about him. That night Daniel's sleep is calm and undisturbed, with his head pillowed on the warm neck of the tamed lions. But King Darius was not so happy. He loved Daniel, and he hated the stratagem by which his favorite had been condemned. He paces his floor all night. He cannot sleep. At the least sound he starts and his flesh creeps with horror. A bad conscience will make the bravest man a coward. He watches eagerly for the dawn, which seems so long in tarrying. At the first streak of light, he starts out to find the fate of Daniel. The palace gate opens and jars heavily behind him while yet the city is asleep. He comes to the den. He looks through the crevices but sees nothing. He dare not speak. Expecting the worst, his heart stops. Gathering strength he puts his mouth to the rifts in the rock and cries: "Oh, Daniel, is thy God whom thou servest continually able to deliver thee from the lions?" An answer comes rolling up out of the deep darkness: 'Oh, King, live forever. My God has sent his angel and hath shut the lions' mouths, that they have not hurt me." The young man is brought out and the damagogues who made the plot are thrown in. But they hardly struck the bottom of the den when their flesh was rent, and their bones cracked, and the blood spurted through the rifts, while the fierce monsters shook the rocks with their terrible roar, announcing to all ages the truth that while God defends the people, the way of the wicked shall perish.

Now, you see from this subject that in the eyes of many the greatest offense you can commit is success. Success is often a synonym for scorn. The first thing a man wants is religion. The second is grit. If you do not want to face wild beasts, you will never get to be prime minister. If you are now, as a young man, rising in any one respect, I bless God for your advancement, but wish to say before I quit this thought, look out for the lions. Young merchants, young lawyers, young physicians, young ministers, have much sympathy, and kind advice is given them at first, but, as you become your own masters and begin to succeed in your different occupations and professions, how is it then, young merchants, young lawyers, young physicians, young ministers? How is it then?

Again, behold in our subject an exhibition of true decision of character. Before Daniel were condemnation and death, if he continued faithful to his religion. Yet, just as before, three times a day he prayed, with his face toward Jerusalem. There is nothing more fatal for a religious or worldly advancement than a spirit of indecision. How often youth is almost gone before the individual has determined upon his profession. There are those who for 30 or 40 years have accomplished nothing anywhere because they have not felt themselves settled. Onward! Let cowards skulk. Act you like sons of God. If you want to sail to the land of gold you must double the Cape. To usefulness and strong character there is no overland route. Over the great deeps you must fly. Most of the way it is either head wind or tempest.

Again, let this story of Daniel teach us that the way to future success is through present self-denial. Not only did Daniel show his willingness for self-restraint by refusing the luxuries of the king's table, but must have denied himself much social enjoyment and sight-seeing, in order to have attained most wonderful proficiency in study. The most of those who have succeeded in any profession or occupation have come up from the very bottom of the ladder. The brightest day began with the twilight. No growth in grace is possible unless, like Daniel, we are willing to take up the cross, however heavy it may be and rough with nails. Moses chose affliction with the people of God rather than the pleasures of sin, and if we would be anything like him, we must be willing sometimes to choose the hard bread of self-denial rather than the imperial clusters from royal vineyards. To get strength and depth enough in rivers for turning mill wheels and manufactories, dams are built across them, and then through the millrace the quick floods leap on the water wheel to turn it with tremendous power. So natures that would otherwise have been powerless and insufficient by self-restraints have been dammed back and deepened, until, with concentrated power, they rush into the world, turning its ponderous machinery of important interests.

Again let the story of Daniel teach us the beauty of that youthful character which remains unblemished and upright when away from home. Had Daniel, on arriving in Babylon, plunged into every excess, his friends in Jerusalem would never have heard of it. His dissipation and renunciation of religion would not have cast one sorrow on the family hearth where he had lived or the old family Bible which he used to read. But, though far away from home, he knew that God's eye watched him, and that was enough. It is not every young man who maintains the same character when absent that was maintained at home.

There is no passage in a man's life of more thrilling interest than the day in which he leaves home and goes off to seek his fortune. That morning he takes a last walk around the old place, and going past some loved spot, a sly tear may start but no one sees it. The trunk is on the carriage, and after a warm good-bye, away they speed over the hills. Set down amid excitements and among companions not over scrupulous as to their words or deeds, temptations troop aroung the stranger. The morning comes, but no family altar, and the Sabbath, but no real quiet, and perhaps at the sanctuary the faces are all strange, and no one cares whether he goes to church or whether he does not go. Long winter evenings arrive, and how shall they be spent? On his way home from his place of business he saw flaming placards announcing rare performances and that this was positively the last night. At the door of his cheerless boarding house, no one greets him, and the evening meal is insipid, for no one cares whether he eats or does not eat. The room in the third story that evening seems doleful and repelling. A book snatched up from the stand proves to be dull, for no sister is there to look over it with him. In despair he rushes out reckless as to where he goes if only he can see something that will make him stop thinking. That night may be the turning point in his history. Once within the fatal circle of sin and the soul has no power to repeal it.

In many a country churchyard is now the grave of some youthful spirit that went away lithe and bounding, but came home diseased and crushed and blasted to disgrace the sepulchre of his fathers. Yet this exodus must be made. The Lord stretch forth his hand for the deliverance of these Daniels away down in Babylon. Wherever your lot may be cast—in far inland town or in some great seaport—maintain in your absence the same principles of morals and religion which may have been instilled by parental solicitude. And while you may feel in your heart and life the advantages of early religious culture, forget not those to whom you are chiefly indebted, and pray that as age comes upon them and the night of death begins to fall on their pathway, the hope of heaven may beam through the darkness, lustrous and steady as the evening star.

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