### DON'T INVITE SORROW.

### SUFFICIENT UNTO THE DAY IS THE EVIL THEREOF.

Dr. Talmage Preaches a Powerful Sernon on the Insanity of Borrowing Trouble-It Has Wrecked Many a Life. The Lord Will Look Out for You.

BROOKLYN, Aug. 16 .- Dr. Talmage has returned from his western tour reinvigorated in health-and cheered by the hearty and enthusiastic greetings he has received in the numerous cities he has visited. Thousands of persons who have read his sermons in their local newspapers have struggled to get within sound of his voice wherever he has spoken. His sermon this week is on the very common and foolish habit of borrowing trouble, and his text is Matthew vi, 34, "Sufficient unto the day is the evil thereof.'

The life of every man, woman and child as closely under the divine care as though such person were the only man, oman or child. There are no accidents. As there is a law of storms in the natural world, so there is a law of trouble, a law of disaster, a law of misfortune; but the majority of the troubles of life are imaginary, and the most of those anticipated never come. At any rate, there is no cause of complaint against God. See how much he hath done to make thee happy; his sun-shine filling the earth with glory, making rainbow for the storm and halo for the mountain, greenness for the moss, saffron for the cloud and crystal for the billow, and procession of bannered flame through the opening gates of the morning, chaffinches to sing, rivers to glitter, seas to chant, and springs to blossom, and overpowering all other sounds with its song, and overarching all other splendor with its triumph, covering up all other beauty with its garlands, and outflashing all other thrones with its dominion-deliverance for a lost world through the Great Redeemer. I discourse of the sin of borrowing trou-

First, such a habit of mind and heart is wrong, because it puts one into a des-pondency that ill fits him for duty. I planted two rose bushes in my garden. The one thrived beautifully, the other perished. I found the dead one on the shady side of the house. Our dispositions, like our plants, need sunshine. Expectancy of repulse is the cause of many secular and religions failures. Fear of bankruptcy has uptoru many a fine business and sent the man dodging among the note shavers. Fear of slander and abuse has often invited all the long beaked vultures of scorn and backbiting. Many of the misfortunes of life, like hyenas, flee if you courageously meet them.

FORCE HAPPINESS TO COME. How poorly prepared for religious duty is a man who sits down under the gloom

of expected misfortune! If he pray, he "I do not think I shall be answered." says, If he give, he says, "I expect they will steal the money." Helen Chalmers told me that her father, Thomas Chalmers, in the darkest hour of the history of the Free Church of Scotland, and when the woes of the land seemed to weigh upon his heart, said to the children, "Come, let us go out and play ball or fly kite," and the only difficulty in the play was that the children could not keep up with their father. The McCheynes and the Summerfields of the church who did the most good, cultivated sunlight. Away with the horrors! they distill poison; they dig graves, and if they could climb so high, they would drown the

rejoicings of heaven with sobs and walling. You will have nothing but misfortune in the future if you sedulously watch for it. How shall a man catch the right kind of for bats and hawks and bats and hawks you will find. Hunt for robin redbreasts and you will find robin redbreasts. One night an engle and an owl got into fierce battle; the engle onused to the night was d the owls and the night hawks and the bats came a secand time to the combat; now, the eagle, in the sunlight, with a stroke of his talons and a great cry, cleared the air, and his enemies, with torn feathers and splashed with blood, tumbled into the thickets. Ye are the children of light. In the night of despondency you will have no chance against your enemies that flock up from beneath, but, trusting in God and stand-ing in the sunshine of the promises, you shall "renew your youth like the cagle." THERE ARE BLESSINGS A-PLENTY Again, the habit of borrowing trouble is wrong because it has a tendency to make us overlook present blessing. To slake man's thirst, the rock is cleft, and cool waters leap into his brimming cup. To feed his hunger the fields bow down with bendiug wheat, and the cattle come down with full udders from the clover pastures to give him milk, and the orchards yellow and ripen, casting their juley fruits into his lap. Alas! that amid such exuber-ance of blessing man should growl as though he were a soldier on half rations, or a sulor on short allowance; that a man should stand neck deep in harvests looking forward to famine; that one should feel the strong pulses of health marching with regular tread through all the avenues of life and yet tremble at the expected as-sault of sickness; that a man should sit in his pleasant home, fearful that ruthless want will some day rattle the broken window sash with tempest, and sweep the coals from the hearth, and pour hunger into the bread tray; that a man fed by him who owns all the harvests should ex-pect to starve; that one whom God loves and surrounds with benediction, and attends with angelic escort, and hovers over with more than motherly fondness, should be looking for a heritage of tears! Has God been hard with thee that thou shouldst be foreboding? Has he stinted thy board? Has he covered thee with rags? Has he spread traps for thy feet, and galled thy cup, and rasped thy soul, and wrecked thee with storm, and thundered upon thee with a life full of calamity? If your father or brother come into your bank where gold or orother come into your bank where gold and silver are lying about you do not watch them, for you know they are honest; but if an entire stranger come by the safe you keep your eye on him, for you do not know his designs. So some men treat God; not as a father, but a stranger, and act suspiciously toward him, as though they were afraid be would steel something. were afraid he would steal something.

that cushions the earth, and the clouds that curtain the sky, and the foliage that waves in the forest. Thank him for a Bible to read, and a cross to gaze upon, and a Saviour to deliver. Many Christians think it a bad sign to

be jubilant, and their work of self exam-ination is a hewing down of their brighter experiences. Like a boy with a new jackknife, hacking everything he comes across, so their self examination is a religious cutting to pieces of the greenest things they can lay their hands on. They imagine they are doing God's service when they are going about borrowing trouble, and borrowing it at thirty per cent., which is al-ways a sure precursor of bankruptcy.

Again, the habit of borrowing trouble is wrong because the present is sufficient-ly taxed with trial. God sees that we all need a certain amount of trouble, and so he apportions it for all the days and years of our life. Alas for the policy of gathering it all up for one day or year! Cruel thing to put upon the back of one camel all the cargo intended for the entire caravan. I never look at my memorandum book to see what engagements and duties are far ahead! Let every week bear its own burdens.

WHY BRING NEW SORROWS?

The shadows of today are thick enough, why implore the presence of other shadows? The cup is already distasteful, why halloo to disasters far distant to come and wring out more gall into the bitterness? Are we such champions that, having won the belt in former encounters, we can go gered into the hall.

forth to challenge all the future? Here are business men just able to manage affairs as they now are. They can pay their rent, and meet their notes, and manage affairs as they now are, but what if there should come a panic? Go tomorrow and write on your daybook, on your ledger, on your money safe, "Sufficient unto the day is the evil thereof." Do not worry about notes that are far from due. Do not pile up on your counting desk the financial anxieties of the next twenty years. The God who has taken care of your worldly occupation, guarding your store from the torch of the incendiary and the key of the burglar, will be as faithful in 1891 as in 1881. God's hand is mightier than the machinations of stock gamblers, or the plots of political demagogues, or the red right arm of revolution, and the darkness will fly and the storm fall dead at his feet. So there are persons in feeble health, and they are worried about the future. They make out very well now, but they are bothering themselves about future pleurisies and rheumatisms and neuralgias and fevers. Their eyesight is feeble, and they are worried lest they entirely lose it. Their hearing is indistinct, and they are alarmed lest they become entirely deaf. They felt chilly today, and are expecting an attack of typoid. They have been troubled for weeks with some perplexing malady, and dread becoming lifelong invalids. Take care of your health now and trust God for

the future. Be not guilty of the blasphemy of asking him to take care of you while you sleep with your windows tight down, or eat chicken salad at 11 o'clock at night, or sit down on a cake of ice to cool off. Be prudent and then be confident. Some of the sickest people have been the most useful. It was so with Payson, who died deaths daily, and Robert Hall, who' used to stop in the midst of his sermon and lie down on the pulpit sofa to rest, and then go on again. Theodore Frelinghuysen had a great horror of dying till the time came, and then went peacefully. Take care of the present and let the future look out for itself. "Sufficient unto the day is the evil thereof."

ROBS US OF WHAT STRENGTH WE HAVE. Again, the habit of borrowing misfortune is wrong because it unfits us for it when it actually does come. We cannot always have smooth sailing. Life's path fish if he arranges his line and hook and bait to catch lizards and water serpents? Hunt and mount a steep and be thorn pierced. Judas will kiss our cheek and then sell us for thirty pieces of silver. Human scorn will try to crucify us between two thieves. We will hear the iron gate of the sepulcher creak and grind as it shuts in our kindred. no match for so owl, which is most at home in the darkness, and the king of the air fell helpiess; but the morning rose, and woes will come, out of breath, into conflict woes will come, out of breath, into conflict with the armed disasters of the future Their ammunition will have been wasted long before they come under the guns of real misfortune. Boys in attempting to jump a wall sometimes go so far back in order to get impetus that when they come up they are exhausted; and these long races in order to get spring enough to vault trouble bring us up at last to the dreadful reality with our strength gone. Finally, the habit of borrowing trouble is wrong because it is unbelief. God has promised to take care of us. The Bible blooms with assurances. Your hunger will be fed; your sickness will be alleviated, your sorrows will be healed. God will sundal your feet and smooth your path, and along by frowning erag and opening grave sound the voices of victory and good cheer. The summer clouds that seem thander charged really carry in their bosom harvests of wheat, and shocks of corn, and vineyards purpling for the wine The wrathful wave will kiss the Dress feet of the great storm walker. Our great Joshua will command, and above your soul the sun of prosperity will stand still. Bleak and wave struck Patmos shall have apocalyptic vision, and you shall hear the cry of the elders, and the sweep of wings, and trumpets of salvation, and the voice of Hallelujah unto God for ever.

Thought She Was Shot, but She Wasn't. Even the saddest accident is pretty sure to be the moving cause of one or two more or less amusing incidents, and Tuesday night's gasorater explosion was no exception to the rule

The story is worth telling as illustrating what imagination can do.

A prominent young Rochester physician had a call that night that promised to keep him out late and his wife sat up for him, getting more and more nervous as the slow hours lagged by on leaden feet, after the manner of ladies so engaged. At midnight there came a step up the walk, up the side stoop, even to the office door. Mrs. Doctor thought she recognized it as her husband's, and without any precau-tionary "Who's there?" or "Is that you?" threw the door wide open.

There was a man there and he was not her husband. He was a big burly fellow; his face bore what seemed to her a mur-derous expression; his right hand was raised and pointed toward her in what seemed to her a threatening attitude. "Murderer," "revolver," "shoot," were the words that her transmission to the second words that best represent the impression produced on her. She drew back to close the door, and that very instant came the sharp sudden explosion a mile away. That was enough. The chain of suggestion was completed. Her imagination, directed by having heard gunshot wounds professionally discussed, caused her to feel a sharp burning pain pierce her shoulder, and with a scream, "I'm shot! I'm shot!" she stag-

The man, naturally, ran for dear life. Mrs. Doctor dropped into a chair and screamed for help. Her brother ran to her assistance. With a last effort she raised herself from the chair, reeled toward him, and fell fainting in his arms, gasping out he's killed me. Break it gently to Tom." just before she lost consciousness: It came near being a matter mere serious than funny, for when the fainting spell was, over it was no easy matter to convince the lady that she was unhurt and quiet her nerves. And now in one physician's family the principal topic for wonderment is whether Mrs. Doctor's nervousness thwarted a genuine burglarious attempt, or whether some innocent visitor, seeking instant relief for some suffering member of the family, is wondering why Dr. ---doesn't exercise proper supervision over women be is treating for acute mania if he will keep them in his own dwelling.-Rochester Democrat and Chronicle.

#### A Gallic Find in Denmark.

An antiquarian find, which will excite interest all over Europe, has lately been made in Roevemose peat bog, near Hobro in Jutland, Aalborg Amt. The objects are all of silver, the principal piece being a very large basin, on which have been fastened plates of silver hammered out with figures of men, women and animals. The basin is twenty-six Danish inches in diameter, but scarcely eight inches high. One or two pieces are apparently wanting; but it is hoped they will turn up when the moss is minutely examined. The eyeholes of the figures are now

empty, but had evidently been filled with colored glass. One of the plates, which is nearly seventeen inches long, shows warriors, with helmets and other ornaments. One figure is a god with a wheel at his side, and on another are two elephants. A third shows a horned god in a sitting pos-ture with his legs crossed orientalwise.

All these have apparently nothing to do with northern mythology, as was at first supposed. The whole find has now reached the Danish national museum, and we see the Gallic peoples. The god with the wheel, for instance, is the Gallic sun god. The whole is the work of a Gallic artist at that early period when the Roman and Gallic peoples first came in contact. Al-lowing time for these things to wander so far north, the date would seem to be, as regards Denmark, the first century before Christ. Other things belonging to this Gallic group have been found previously in this country. The total weight of precious metal hitherto exhumed is about twenty Danish pounds .- Academy,

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### ODDS AND ENDS.

Mrs. Lloyd Brice wears what are probably the handsomest set of turquois in w York. Take egg stains from silver by rubbing

with a wet rag which has been dipped in common table salt.

The juice of half a lemon in a teacup of strong black coffee, without sugar, will often cure a sick headache.

A fly lays 320 eggs during a summer. The progeny of a single fly may from June 1 to Sept. 30 exceed 2,000,000.

The Arabian year is a lunar one, and in the course of thirty-two years each month runs through all of the seasons.

There are plenty of good fish always in the sea, but thousands of worthy inland people can never get to the seashore. Bills are now posted in Paris by ma-

Lady Randolph Churchill is the only support. American woman who has been honored by the queen with the Order of the Crown of India.

Maxims which seem truisms in their ap-plication to the conduct of others are apt to escape us altogether in their bearing on our own.

To take rust out of steel rub it over with unslaked lime, finely powdered, until the rust disappears.

ricultural projects. Pure Olive Oil from California. The convention of olive oil producers, recently assembled in this city, took a decided stand for pure, homemade oil. This stand was not taken a day too soon. When a few months ago some official tests were made of the purity of olive oil it was found that some brands, or rather certain lots, had already been adulterated. The temptation is very strong to keep a spurious article on the market. Cottonseed oil and some other vegetable oils will always be cheaper than pure olive oil. The imported article is continually sold at a lower price than that produced at home. The area suited to olive culture in this

country has never been accurately defined In general terms it may be said to include the country on the western side of the Sierras, below 42 degs. of latitude, down to and including parts of Arizona and New Mexico. Beyond this territorial area it is not probable that the olive will make much of a figure. Indeed, there is a strong probability that for at least a whole generation the only state in the Union that will get

much commercial prominence for the pro-duction of the olive will be California. The growers who have already become producers here are pioneers. Olive orchards have been planted almost as freely during the last two or three years as apple or plum orchards. The area of olives not now in bearing is greater than that in fruitage The planting will go on in coming seasons because there is satisfactory evidence that the business will be a paying one. The convention has now established the very conditions of success—concerted action se-curing a perfect guarantee of the purity of



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#### PLACE YOUR TRUST IN GOD.

Your way may wind along dangerous bridle paths and amid wolf's howl and the scream of the vulture, but the way still winds upward till angels guard it, and trees of life overarch it, and thrones line it, and crystalline fountains leap on it, and the pathway ends at gates that are pearl, and streets that are gold, and temples that are always open, and hills that quake with perpetual song, and a city mingling forever Sabbath and jubilee and triumph and coronation.

### Let pleasure chant her sirer song. "Tis not the song for me: To weeping it will turn e'er long. For this is heaven's decree.

# But there's a song the ransomed sing. To Jesus, their exalted king, With joyful heart and tongue, Oh, that's the song for me!

Courage, my brother! The father does not give to his son at school enough money to last him several years, but, as the bills for tuition and board and clothing and books come in, pays them. So God will not give you grace all at once for the future, but will meet all your exigencies as they come. Through earnest prayer, trust him. Put everything in God's hand, and leave it there. Large interest money to pay will soon eat up a farm, a store, an estate, and the interest on borrowed tronbles will swamp anybody. "Sufficient unto the day is the evil thereof."

lampreys for dinner, when he rose instantly and came down to the table.

ses telegraphic communica- That was two years ago and Mrs. Belden is well transit po tions and in places automatic switches and signals, so all parts of the human mechanism are controlled by nerves, the head center being in the brain and numerous subsidiary offices situated in various parts of the body The organism has advantages over all ordinary systems of transit inasmuch as the arrangements for automatic communication are more complete and numerous than any transit system possesses. And very fortunately is this the case, since all the vital functions, including circulation, respiration and digestion, might otherwise cense to be performed.

The mechanism being complete and the food supply sufficient, the growth of the body depends on the multiplication of cells. As to the origin of cells opinions differ, he German school holding that each new cell proceeds from a prior cell, while the French school declares that some cells are produced spontaneously from the plasma. Certain It is that in the lymphatics the white corpuscles of the blood are found in abundance, the same that are found in the living plasma and are always numerous in the vicinity of wounds where repairs have to be made.

Further, where anything serves to check the flow of this white blood, either by ef-fecting the nerves that control the lymphatics and lacteals or these organs directly, bodily growth is checked. To some such influence we attribute the diminutive stature of the "Liliputians." - New York Times

#### Where the Line Was Drawn.

What a mystery is woman! How tender, low gentle, how forgiving! Like a moss rose, her love sheds its delicious perfume over her husband's heart and home. She loves for the sake of loving, and where she has once given her heart there it stays, and all the personal abuse and bad treatment heaped upon her by the object of her affect tion only causes her to worship him with increased devotion, as the violet, when crushed under foot, gives forth a sweeter fragrance.

But there are some things which a husand can do to this mysterious creature that will turn her love to hate and make her fly off in search of a sharp nx or a le-gal separation. A woman in Illinois has created a mild sensation by suing her hushand-not for a divorce, but for her false teeth, which he took away when she insisted upon biting him.-Galveston News.

#### Saved Her Stock in Trade.

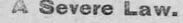
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