

God Cares Not on How You Come To Him Just so You Do Come

Rev. "Billy" Sunday spoke last evening at the Tabernacle on the "Timid Woman."

Mark v, 28-34: The scene of this story is in Capernaum. Our Lord has but recently returned from the country of the Gadarenes...

Result often Unknowns. By Jesus stopping that crowd in the street we have the right to expect something new...

A Blessed Business. Isn't that just like the whisky business at this time? Oh, it is!

It makes a lot of difference in the world as to whether we look at things from a hog standpoint or from a manhood or a womanhood and childhood basis.

So when the Gadarenes declared in such unmistakable terms that they preferred their hogs than decent men, Jesus took them at their word...

How many little children in Gadara were at the point of death when Jesus was there, and who might have been saved from death had not their hog-raising fathers besought Him to depart out of their coasts...

"Not I! Not I!" As Jesus and the great crowd led by Jairus is passing along the street and suddenly the Master stops and says: "Who touched me?"

Perhaps Jairus may have chafed somewhat at the delay caused by the woman who thought to get a blessing without anybody knowing it, and perhaps he may have said to himself: "We shall be too late and my daughter will die."

be baptized by immersion I shall be saved. And they tried it and it worked. Something was done and they were saved, just as they believed they would be. Another has said: "I will join this church of that, and I believe that if I do I will be saved, and they tried it and it worked, just as they believed it would, and they didn't have to go under the water at all. They made their own little plan and God looked into their hearts, and saw that they were walking in all the light they had, and He let it go at that. Another said: "If I can only get out of bed and get down on my knees and pray I believe I will be saved."

Profession Not Enough. Some of you who profess to be Christians are just as bad off as was that poor woman. You have been more dead than alive in the church, just as she was. You have had no strength to do anything for anybody else. There has been no joy in your religion, and no sunshine. You have been so near dead all the time that you haven't been any account at anything. You have never counted one in the prayer meeting. Your voice has never been heard in prayer.

Yes, all the little plans of which I have been telling you? and a great many more, worked, and yet every theologian knows they were all wrong; and you say so yourself when you take them all in pieces and look into them like a botanist looks at a flower; but thank God. He can and does save people, and He does it in a hurry, in spite of wrong theology. Theology may stand up and tell you until it is black in the face that all the water in the world can't save a sinner by his baptism in it; for water has nothing to do with it; it is the blood of Christ that saves, and yet everybody who has got into the kingdom in that way knows that theology is talking through its hat, for they tried it and it worked. Theology will tell you that joining the church won't lift you toward heaven an inch—and I say it, too, if there is no faith in Christ behind it—and yet people join the church because they know they must do something or be lost, and so they blunder toward God the best they know how, and in their doing it they get a touch from Christ that saves them through and through.

It is a thousand times better to blunder toward God in the worst kind of a way than it is to do nothing at all. Theology will also tell you that there is nothing in a mourner's bench, and that you may pray to your dying day; for prayers alone can't save; and that you may take the communion without getting any help, or whatever else you will, and yet never get rid of your sins, because these things are all nothing in themselves, and it is true, ever and ever, just as theology says, but poor sinners have tried them, some one, and some another, and they worked with them, and they were saved because they just stepped out and blundered toward God the best they could, as the poor timid woman did. Thank God that Jesus wasn't a half-apostle; that He wasn't hidebound, and dead set on having everything done in an iron-clad and legal way, as was the case with the men with broad phylacteries who nailed Him to the cross, just because He wouldn't do their way.

Want to Be Christians. If He sees us coming to Him heart foremost He don't care how much we slip and slide with our feet. He will reach right out and take hold of us with His life-giving hand and make us strong and well. He always lets the virtue go out of Him to heal the folks who are willing to do the right thing, no matter how much they may tremble and limp in trying to do it.

There are any number of people who honestly and earnestly—yes, longingly—want to be Christians for years, just as this poor woman never wanted to be sick at all, but she couldn't help it, on account of her going so much to the wrong doctors; but at last when every case also failed her, she took her case to Jesus the best she knew. So I say, there are people who want to be Christians just as much as she wanted to be sound and well. They have felt that they were losing life; that it was going from

which is in a very tender stage. If this frost is not followed by another the corn will not be hurt. BROKEN BOW. (Special Telegram.)—There was quite a heavy frost in this vicinity Monday night, and the thermometer dropped to 27 degrees. As near as can be ascertained little damage was done to the corn. The farmers declare a medium frost is of some benefit now. No Damage at Pierre. PIERRE, S. D., Sept. 21.—(Special Telegram.)—With a government record of 23 degrees, the first light frost of the season showed up here this morning. It was not severe enough to injure tomatoes and other vegetation, and corn was not affected.

RUSSIAN ARMY ESCAPES NET OF VON HINDENBURG

Continued from Page One. from trench to trench with bombs and hand grenades. "Along the canal from the Aisne to the Marne we secured footing on the right bank at a point near Saigniel. In the Champagne district the German artillery yesterday directed violent firing into the suburbs of Mourmelon. "There was effective artillery firing against the German positions at Bois Haut on the heights of the Meuse and along the front in Lorraine, where we dispersed groups of German pioneers and provision convoys. "From the Vosges there has been reported fighting with hand grenades at Hartmannsweilerkopf, where we made perceptible progress. "French dirigible last night bombarded the railroad junction at Amagne-Lucy, to the east of Reims."

McReynolds-Poeschl. WEST POINT, Neb., Sept. 21.—(Special.)—The marriage is announced of Carl McReynolds and Miss Emma Poeschl, which took place at Pender on Saturday. The young people are popular and well known residents of this community. The marriage was somewhat of a surprise to the friends of the young people. The groom is the son of Jasper McReynolds, a prominent farmer, and the bride the daughter of Wenzel Poeschl, an old settler of this county. They will make their home in this vicinity.

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FROST DOES NOT HURT CORN CROP. Continued from Page One. It is thought that a heavy dew protected the vegetation. There is quite a diversity of opinion whether the frost did any damage. It is conceded that early corn is safe and that nothing short of a freeze could harm the late corn. Clear skies existed on this county last night and no wind.

No Damage in Clay. EDGAR, Neb., Sept. 21.—(Special.)—Edgar was visited by a frost last night, the first of the season. While it was fairly heavy, little or no damage will be done unless it is to the young alfalfa.

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