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RELIGION IN TRADE

Rev. Dr. Talmage Shows How Business Trials Refine the Spirit.

The Merchant Finds His Office a School of Industry, Patience, Integrity and Upright Living--The Martyrs of the Counting Room.

sourse Dr. Talmage argues that religion may be taken into all the affairs of life, and instead of being a bindrance, as many think, is a re-enforcement. The text is Romans xii, 11, "Not slothful in business; fervent in spirit; serving the Lord in my worldly occupation?"" He men, however, who can say it, hundreds

Industry, devoutness and Christian service-all commended in that short text. What, is it possible that they shall be conjoined? Oh, yes. There is no war between religion and business, between ledgers and Bibles, between churches and counting houses. On the contrary, religion accelerates business, sharpens men's wits, sweetens acerbity of disposition, fillips the blood of phlegmatics and throws more velocity into the wheels of hard work. It gives better balancing to the judgment, more strength to the will, more muscle to industry and throws into enthusiasm a more consecrated fire. You cannot in all the circle of the world show me a man whose honest business has been despoiled by religion.

The industrial classes are divided into three groups-producers, manufacturers, traders. Producers, such as farmers and miners. Manufacturers, such as those who turn corn into food and wool and flax into apparel. Traders, such as make profit out of the transfer and exchange of all that which is produced and manufactured. A business man may belong to any one or all of these classes, and not one is independent of any other.

When the Prince Imperial of France fell on the Zulu battlefield because the strap fastening the stirrup to the saddle broke as he clung to it, his comrades all escaping, but he falling under the lances of the savages, a great many people blamed the Empress for allowing her son to go forth into that battlefield, and others blamed the English Government for accepting the sacrifice, and others blamed the Zulus for their barbarism. The one most to blame was the harnessmaker who fashioned that strap of the stirrup out of shoddy and imperfect material, as it was found to have been afterward. If the strap had held, the Prince Imperial would probably have been alive to-day. But the strap broke. No prince independent of a harness maker! High, low, wise, ignorant, you in one occupation, I in another, all bound together.

The Discipline of Work.

ary by inxecrable obligation and duty, plowing corn, tinning roofs, pleading mightier than King Lear or Macbeth! a business woman, and my subject is Oh, that amid the turmoil and anxiety

moil and tug of business life are a prison patience possess your soul. Let patience do not oftener preach about their strughave her perfect work.

Mrs. Dahl was a sympathetic womhappiness of one so young, so sorrowthe Duke of York's cup. man goes forth to contend. I shall show you this merning that business life was school of useful knowledge. Merchants toil with the brain. The farmers who hope with her husband, then prepared through a very reinbow of torce. That intended of God for grand and glorieus do not read many books and do not study through a very rainbow of tears. That through a very rainbow of tears. That complete the control of such through a very rainbow of tears. That through a very rainbow of tears. That complete through a very rainbow of tears and the wheat through a very rainbow of tears. That complete through a very rainbow of tears and the wheat through a very rainbow of tears. That complete through a very rainbow of tears and the wheat through a very rainbow of tears. That complete through a very rainbow of tears and the wheat through a very rainbow of tears. That complete through a very rainbow of tears are through a very rainbow of tears. That complete through a very rainbow of tears are through a very rainbow of tears. That complete through a very rainbow of tears are through a very rainbow of tears. That complete through a very rainbow of tears are through a very rainbow of tears. be helped to say what I want to say I of learning, and yet nearly all through grain merchants have an easy time and widows and maidens of uncertain years lighted the gas jet in the church gallery shall rub some of the wrinkles of care their occupations come to understand get their profits without giving any as she thought suitable to M. Auguste's he turned to the organ and once more the burdens from your back. I am not geography, and jurisprudence, and ethics.

Plato and Aristotle were so opposed to was to bring about meetings. She ar- to love, to home, to peace, to his hunhaving been in business life, I know all pupils will not learn, she strikes them to be the curse of nations, and they adabout business men In my first parish over the head and the heart with severe vised that cities be built at least ten at Belleville, N.J., ten miles from New losses. You put \$5,000 into an enterprise. miles from the seacoast. But you and I for him. She asked two spinsters to tea York, a large portion of my audience It is all gone. You say, "That is a dead know there are no more industrious or on a certain evening and invited M. was made up of New York merchants. loss." Cn, no. You are paying the school- highminded men than those who move in Auguste to meet them. The seventh Then I went to Syracuse, a place of ing. That was only tuition, very large the world of traffic. Some of them carry and last candidate she would ask to bad luck would certainly attend any immense commercial activity, and then I tuition—I told you it was a severe school- burdens heavier than hods of brick, and ride out with her and include the or- person who neglected to either burn or among the merchants of that city, than ed things under that process you would east wind, and climb mountains higher whom there are no better men on earth, not have learned in any other way. and for 25 years I stood in my Brooklyn Traders in grain come to know some- are faithful Christ will at last say to his choice, his emotions. The rest could to pare the nails on a Friday, and the pulpis, Sabbath by Sabbath, preaching to thing about foreign harvests; traders in them: "Well done, good and taithful take care of itself. audiences the majority of whom were fruit come to know something about the servant. Thou hast been faithful over a No fault could Mrs. Dahl find with tain manner. The little finger on the

ness life was intended as a school of understand the new law of copyright; energy. God gives us a certain amount owners of ships must come to know of raw material out of which we are to winds and shoals and navigation, and hew our character. Our faculties are to every bale of cotton and every raisin be reset, rounded and sharpened up. Our cask and every tea box and every cluster young folks having graduated from of bananas is so much literature for a school or college need a higher education. business man. Now, my brother, what that which the rasping collision of every- are you going to do with the intelligence? day life alone can effect. Energy is Do you suppose God put you in this wrought out only in the fire. After a school of information merely that you man has been in business activity 10, 20, might be sharper in a trade, that you 30 years, his energy is not to be measured might be more successful as a worldling? by weights or plammets or ladders. Oh, no. It was that you might take that There is no height it cannot scale, and useful information and use it for Jesus there is no depth it cannot fathom, and Christ. there is no obstacle it cannot thrash.

The Meaning of It. you in that school of energy? Was it of foreign people? Can it be that you have merely that you might be a yardstick to become acquainted with all the outrages measure cloth, or a steelyard to weigh inflicted in business life and that you flour? Was it merely that you might be have never tried to bring to bear that better qualified to chaffer and higgle? gospel which is to extirpate all evil and No. God placed you in that school of correct all wrongs and illuminate all and energy that you might be developed for save men for this world and the world Christian work. If the undeveloped tal- darkness and lift up all wretchedness to ents in the Christian churches of to-day come? Can it be that understanding all were brought out and thoroughly harn- the intricacies of business you know essed, I believe the whole earth would be nothing about those things which will converted to God in a twelvemonth. last after all bills of exchange and con-There are so many deep streams that are signments and invoices and rent rolls

harnessed to no factory bands. Now, God demands the best lamb out of every flock. He demands the richest sheaf of every harvest. He demands the best men of every peneration. A cause in which Newton and Locke and Mansfield toiled you and I can afford to toil in. Oh, for fewer illers in the cause of Christ and for more Christian workers, men who shall take the same energy that from Monday norning to Saturday night they put forth for the achievement of a livelihood or the gathering of a fortune, and on Sabbath days put it forth to the advantage of Christ's kingdom and the bringing of men to the Lord. Dr. Duff visited a man who had in-

herited a great fortune. The man said to

A School of Patience. shopping without any intention of pur- end shall be a fool." chase, overturning great stocks of goods What a school of integrity business people. and insisting that you break the dozen. life is! If you have ever been tempted to More bad debts on the ledger. More let you integrity cringe before present counterfeit bills in the drawer. More advantage, if you have ever wakened up debts to pay for other people. More mean- in some embarrassment and said, "Now, nesses on the part of partners in busi- I will step a little aside from the right ness. Annoyance after annoyance, vexa- path and no one will know it, and I will tion after vexation, and loss after loss.

All that process will either break you down or brighten you up. It is a school | thousands of men for this life and blasted | tale of woe or distress. Her surprise | Could not ze small brozzer come wiz ze the process to become petulant, and choleric, and angry, and pugnacious, and cross, and sour, and queer, and they lost Bank of England note, and, holding it his heart's desires, his thoughts, his their customers, and their name became a up toward the light, he saw some inter- hopes and besought her assistance in Mother hopes the mending will suit ened up under the process. They were finally deciphered the letters and found toughened by the exposure. They were out that the writing had been made by like rocks, all the more valuable for be a slave in Algiers, saying in substance, ing blasted. At first they had to choke "Whoever gets this bank note will please ganist gained her sympathies. She small brozzer tomorrow. It will be ze down their wrath, at first they had to inform my brother, John Dean, living questioned, she deliberated, hesitated great plazzir to me. Tell him. I will bite their lip, at first they thought of near Carlisle, that I am a slave of the and was lost. Ere an hour had passed go down ze stairs wiz zu, mademoiselle. some stinging retort they would like to Bey of Algiers." The merchant sent she had promised him her assistance. make, but they conquered their impa- word, employed government officers and tience. They have kind words now for found who this man was spoken of in sarcastic flings. They have gentle behav- this bank bill. After awhile the man was So that there must be one continuous for now for unmannerly customers. They rescued, who for 11 years had been a line of sympathy with each other's are patient now with unfortunate debt- slave of the Bey of Algiers. He was work. But whatever your vocation, if ors. They have Christian reflections now immediately emancipated, but was so you have a multiplicity of engagements, for sudden reverses. Where did they get worn out by hardship and exposure he ingly. "Zst iss suit you an suit me, as annoyances and perturbations as well as preach concerning it on Sabbath? Oh. bills that come through your hands could stand." percentages and dividends, if you are no. They got it just where you will get tell all the scenes through which they pursued from Monday morning until Sat- it—if you ever get it at all—selling hats, have passed, it would be a tragedy urday night, and from January to Janu- discounting notes, turning banisters, eclipsing any drama of Shakespeare,

and exasperation of everyday life you

In the first place, I remark that busi- cles; publishers of books must come to

Can it be that you have been dealing with foreign lands and never had the Now, my brother, why did God put missionary spirit, wishing the salvation surning no mill wheels and that ary small have crumpled up and been consumed in the fires of the last great day? Can it be that a man will be wise for time and a fool for eternity?

It Teaches Integrity. school for integrity. No man knows the best of morals, but he was one of he made no sign to the astonished Mrs. what he will do until he is tempted. those men such as you have sometimes Dahl that he had any choice. Instead contents of the book. kept their integrity merely because they wrong. His life became to him a plague. during the whole drive.

When I heard he was dead, I said, "Good Mrs. Dahl requested not be their puzz. elected treasurer of the State of Maine —got rid of the sheriffs!" Who are those Mrs. Dahl requested monsieur to call having written a page of the book. We some years ago. He was distinguished for lustrous souls before the throne? When upon her the next day, and at the hour know a man who never wrote a book in his honesty, usefulness and uprightness, the question is asked. "Who are they?" swept into the room with something of his life, and probably never will, who but before one year had passed he had the angels standing on the sea of glass indignation in her mind. The little has copyighted a score of titles for taken of the public funds for his own respond, "These are they who came out organist stood at the window and novels which he would like to write. fere. Distinguished for crime after. You blood of the Lamb." can call over the names of men just like

that, in whose honesty you had complete confidence, but placed in certain crises of temptation they went overboard. Never so many temptations to scoundrelism as now. Not a law on the statute book but has some back door through

which a miscreant can escape. Ah, how many deceptions in the fabric of the goods! So much plundering in commercial life that if a man talk about living a life of complete commercial integrity there are those who ascribe it to greenness and lack of tact. More need of honesty now than ever before-tried honesty, complete honesty-more than in those times when business was a plain affair and woollens were woollens, and silks were silks and men were men.

How many men do you suppose there Washington, Ang. 27.—In this dis- him: "I had to be very busy for many truthfully, "In all the sales I have ever years of my life guting my livelihood. | made I have never overstated the value After awhile this fortune came to me, of goods; in all the sales I have ever and there has been no necessity that I made I have never covered up an impertoil since. There came a time when I fection in the fabric; in all the thousands said to myself, 'Shall I now retire from of dollars I have ever made I have not business or shall I go on and serve the taken one dishonest farthing?" There are said: "I resolved on the latter, and I who can say it, thousands who can say have been more industrious in commerc- it. They are more honest than when they ial circles than I ever was before, and sold their first tierce of rice, or their first since that hour I have never kept a far- firkin of butter, because their honesty thing for myself. I have thought it to be and integrity have been tested, tried and a great shame if I couldn't toil as hard come out triumphant. But they rememfor the Lord as I had toiled for myself, ber a time when they could have robbed and all the products of my factories and a partner, or have absconded with the my commercial establishments, to the funds of a bank, or sprung a snap judglast farthing, have gone for the building ment, or made a false assignment, or of Christian institutions and supporting | borrowed illimitably without any efforts | the church of God " Would that the at payment, or got a man into a sharp same energy put forth for the world corner and fleeced him. But they never could be put forth for God. Would that a took one step on that pathway of hell thousand men in these great cities who fire. They can say their prayers without have achieved a fortune could see it their hearing the chink of dishonest dollars. duty now to do all business for Christ They can read their Bible without thinkand the alleviation of the world's suffer- ing of the time when with a lie on their soul in the custom house they kissed the book. They can think of death and the Again, I remark that business life is a judgment that comes after it without school of patience. In your everyday life any flinching-that day when all charlahow many things to annoy and to dis- tans and cheats, and jockeys and frauds quiet! Bargains will rub. Commercial shall be doubly damned. It does not men will sometimes fail to meet their make their knees knock together, and is engagements. Cashbooks and money does not make their teeth chatter to read drawer will sometimes quarrel. Goods "as the partridge sitteth on eggs and ordered for a special emergency will come hatcheth them not, so he that getteth too late or be damaged in the transporta- riches, and not by right, shall leave tion. People intending no harm will go | them in the midst of his days, and at his

come all right again, it is only once."

That only once has ruined tens of

A Slave's Message.

As I go on in this subject, I am im-We are under the impression that the might hear the voice of God saying: "In Is it not a shame that we in our pulpits mate. gles, their trials and their temptations? an. She entered the interview in her ful." Men who toil with the hand are not apt diary and memorandum book. On Mon- He turned up the street, but as she

than the Alps or Himalayas, and if they business men and business women. It is prospects of tropical production; manufew things. I will make thee ruler over monsieur's conduct. He appeared at left hand had first to be operated on,

Our Everyday Martyrs. martyrs of Fulton street and Broadway, martyrs of Atlantic street and Chestnut | circle. out of everything but their coffin. They were sued, they were imprisoned for debt, they were throttled by constables Still monsieur rewarded not Mrs. cellent titles which only needed to have with a whole pack of writs, they were Dahl by a sign of preference. Quite books written for them to give her an sold out by the sheriffs, they had to com- puzzled by his reticence, the minister's income. There is no question of the promise with their creditors, they had wife chose the next fine day for her great importance of a well selected to make assignments. Their dying hours drive, and placed by the side of the name for a book as for a person. Some were annoyed by the sharp ringing of the sensitive organist the last of her seven very wretched books have achieved at doorbell by some impetuous creditor eligibles. This candidate was younger, least a profitable sale by means of a

unes. Everything went against him. He exerted herself to please monsieur. He Yet it would be unfortunate if authors party against whom it is directed. The bad been out during the day before and I remark also that business life is a had good business capacity and was of smiled freely. He was even voluble, but should come to regard the title as hav-There are thousands of men who have seen, for whom everything seems to go his eyes kept their puzzled expression Perhaps many people do not know

THE SOWING.

"OH, WAD SOME POWER THE GIFTIE GIE US, TAE SEE OORSELS AS ITHERS SEE US."

One wept that his harvest was small, With little of fruit or of grain, While his neighbor, with barns running o'er, Still followed the full freighted wain. "How much didst thou sow?" I said. "Friend A handful of wheat, less or more." "And didst thou expect broad acres would bend To thy sickle from such scanty store? Who sparingly soweth must look For little of fruit or of grain; Tis only the bountiful sower can reap A bountiful harvest again.

lesson," I said, "to the soul. For harvest time soon will be here: When the Lord of the harvest draws near."

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How an Organist Sought Love Through a Medium and Found It Through Accident.

John the Evargelist opened about an young. Ze work, ze study, ze poverty hour after the Sunday morning service, has made me old, but I forgot, for ze and a spruce fig 3 passed slowly down | heart has yet ze youth. I may nefer the asphalt w : to the street pave- find ze lady dat I seek. I grow old. ment. It w: M. Auguste, the little Madame, I will return to my musique.

M. Auguste had come to a determination within the past hour. The sup of | was so provoked," said Mrs. Dahl to prosperity was beginning to shine upon her husband. "Is he or is he not a this middle aged Alsatian, and he felt | fool?" the elation of spirit. He had a good position as organist; he had a large music class; he had composed a success- guste leaned from the attic window. ful march; he had a bank account. He | The magnificence of sunset was in his would have more; he would share his face, the silve. moon rode high in the happiness; he would marry.

Practical thought came back to him | Now a calmness was in them, the calmwith the eating of his Sunday restaur- ness of a resigned hope. A pile of music ant dinner. His pint bottle of cheap lay on a chair near him. He would soon wine stimulated him to an act courage- go down to the church and by the sinous. He would seek the wife of the gle gas jet lighted in the vast room give minister and ask her help to find him a his whole soul up to his goddess, music. suitable mate. He had heard that she | She would be richer by the death of a made many matches among the church hope, the rude dominion of a foolish

In this state of mind he went to the the spruce little organist, but she came | him. to him at once and expected to hear a "Zanks to zu, Mlle. Marguerite. may be imagined when the excited article? Nicht zu?" Alsatian, in a compound of bad Eng- The girl colored and tears came into A merchant in Liverpool got a £5 lish, German and French, poured forth her eyes. finding him a proper life companion. you and that you will have more.' The hopelessness of the task struck her at once, but the earnestness of the or- guste gravely. "I will come to see "I will introduce you to such ladies

Mrs. Dahl watched him away in the direction of the park with misgivings. Shrewd she might be, but she could not to see ze small brozzer tomorrow. If he fathom the feeling of this poor alien, pressed with the importance of our hav- who felt that now at a late day he

> She secured a widow as a piano pupil ald. ganist in a drive to a distant park. bury the parings of his finger nails. Then monsieur would confide in her Among the Hebrews it was the custom

not an abstraction of which I speak, but facturers of American goods come to many things. Enter thou into the joy of the church social, obedient to her hints then the middle finger, followed by the as to appearance and deportment. He fourth finger, thumb and forefinger. was soon presented to several ladies, The nail of the middle finger of the We talk about the martyrs of the Pied- whom he treated with reverential po- right hand had next to be cut. Then mont Valley, and the martyrs among liteness, but his gaze kept wandering came the thumb, then the forefinger the Scotch highlands, and the martyrs at to the bouquet of young maidens who and afterward the fourth and little fin-Oxford There are just as certainly mar- laughed and joked with the youths of ger.

chastisements sometimes are very griev- good family upon whose virtues Mrs. interpreted. - Woman's Life. ous. But do not complain. The hotter Dahl had discoursed to him the day bethe fire the better the refining. There are fore. One played the piano for him men before the throne of God this day very well; the other was a paragon as

who thought it was outrageous and impudent that a man should dare to die
hafare he paid the last half dollar.

lady the aspiring musician had met.

lady the aspiring musician had met. I had a friend who had many mistort. She was merry, she was pleasant and by an awkward or an insignificant title.

"Well, monsieur, and have you found a suitable lady among those you

Monsieur looked at the minister's wife as a terrified child looks at its tormentor.

"Good madame, are doze all ze ladies zu haf zelected for me?" he stammered. "Why, you've seen seven. That is a great many to select from, is it not?" "Zey are all old ladies, iss it not? Zey air not fraish, zu call it-not full of feeling."

"Man alive!" cried Mrs. Dahl, forgetting her politeness in her vexation. "Did you expect to meet young girlsto marry as if you were young and fresh yourself? Why, man, look at yourself! You are past middle age. You are not attractive to young girls. Look at yourself!' She pushed him in front of the long

mirror. The poor little organist looked long and hung his head. Then he sought for his hat, and as he took it he turned and spoke:

"Madame, zu haf been kind, verra The vestry door of the church of St | kind. Zu speak truly. I am nicht | Forgive me, madame."

"I wanted to cry, and yet I never

Her husband did not reply. In the dusk of the evening M. Aueast. His eyes showed that he had wept. but ecstatic dream.

There was a timid knock at the door. house of the minister, Dr. Dahl, and was | When he opened it, there stood a tall. announced to the wife of that gentle- slight girl. She was very young and man, to her great surprise. She had very timid. On her arm hung a basmerely a speaking acquaintance with ket, from which she took a bundle for

"Yah, oui, I mean yes," said M. Au-Zu air one brave girl-one goot girl."

They proceeded down three flights to as would be suitable, you understand," | the street door. In the light the organshe said; "you must do your own court- ist saw the traces of tears on the girl's cheeks. His heart melted. Another if into your life there come losses and that patience? By hearing a minister soon after died. Oh, if some of the bank 'tis great affaire for me, you un'er- be fair, be happy. His voice was very wept in sorrow, one so young and who

"Go home, my child," he said. "Ve must all suffer mouch. I will not forget is in great dangair, come to ze church for me zis evening. I play ze organ to ing more sympathy with business men. might build a nest and find a heart ease my soul. Good night, mademoi- ber of the South Staffordshire regiment. Hors. Hears H

ranged some for a coming church social. | gry heart's best wishes. - Chicago Her-

Finger Nail Fancies.

the Luther league and the Endeavor When fortune telling was more in formed before, and, as regards one of the day's shooting in the Ahearn and Soper vogue than at present, the shape and street, going through hotter fires, or hav- At Mrs. Dahl's suggestion he even appearance of the finger nails were ing their necks under sharper axes. Then escorted one of the widows to her home, looked on as having reference to one's it behooves us to banish all fretfulness and was cordially invited to call upon destiny. The nails were first rubbed from our lives, if this subject be true. her in the future. The widow pupil over with a mixture of wax and soot, We look back to the time when we were was exceedingly kind to him, but he and after being thus prepared were held for by teams of ten, representing the Sergt. Morce, 69th, who were equal, at school, and we remember the rod, and regarded her with curious eyes-eyes so that the sunlight fell full upon them. we remember the hard tasks, and we that had something pathetic in them. On the horny, transparent substance ganized by the club.

This year the wing it was for the best. Business life is a On the occasion of Mrs. Dahl's tea M. | were supposed to appear signs and charschool, and the tasks are hard and the Auguste met the two maiden ladies of acters from which the future could be

Value of Book Titles.

It is said that Samuel Richardson on far as housekeeping qualities were con- his deathbed told his wife that she would find among his effects some ex-

sell off his titles -Kansas City Journal

TO CATCH AGUINALDO.

Colonel Hayes Means to Capture the Filipino Leader.

With the express purpose of capturing Aguinaldo, the Filipino leader, Colonel Edward M. Hayes is going to Manila. Not that he has been given this particular mission by the government. General



COLONEL EDWARD M. HAYES, Otis and some 30,000 good soldiers have

been at work on the job for some months now and have not succeeded. But this does not discourage Colonel Hayes. He goes to the Philippines in command of the Fourth United States | Chickens, per pair. . . . 80 45 to \$0 90 authority to make an independent campaign, he will keep his eyes open for a chance to realize his ambition.

Aguinaldo to be exceedingly careful how Potatoes, per bag. 0 60 0 70 he strolls about Luzon after Colonel Hayes reaches there, for the colonel is an old Indian fighter and has long been looking for a chance to put his half forgotten tactics into practice.

Colonel Hayes was born in New York in 1842 and became a cavalry bugler when only 13 years old. He became a lieutenant of Ohio cavalry in 1863 and was brevetted major of volunteers in 1865 for gallant and meritorious services during the campaigns in Georgia and the Carolinas. After the war he entered the regular army as second lieutenant of the Fifth cavalry.

In 1876 he took part in the operations against the hostile Sioux in the Black Hills of Wyoming and served with the Big Horn and Yellowstone expeditions. He saw service in minor Indian disturbances and was several times wounded.

BEST SHOT IN ENGLAND.

The Hero of This Year's Great Shoot

teer brigades, which correspond, by the \$3.50. way, to our national guard. There are probably few better marksmen in Great

He is Sergeant Wood, and he is a mem- extra, \$4.25 to \$4.50; good to choice, \$4



SERGEANT WOOD.

Twice only has such a feat been per- No possibles were made in the first occasions, it is doubtful whether the extra series, sven shots at 600 yards. match in question was shot under The Tyro Match, open to members

eight divisions into which England is or- with a score of 33. They won \$17.50.

his remarkable "shoot," was second.

The Lemon Hoodoo.

the number of lemons thrown over the | Sergt A. Wilson, 43rd, with a score of fences into backyards. These were usu- | 67. ally attributed to mischievous boys. Where they got so many lemons was always a mystery. The other morning a colored cook caught a young Italian in | in a letter from Paris to his son, received the lemon pitching act and held on to yesterday, announces that he will sail him until his shricks of terror brought from Bristol on the Arawa of the Elderher employer to the scene. Then it Dempster Line, on Sept. 11. Mr. Tarte leaked out that lemon pitching is a su- states that he is improving daily, and lemon is stuck full of pins, at the inser- had received a visit from M. Delcasse, ing any considerable weight besides the tion of each of which the worker of the Minister of Foreign Affairs. Mr. Tarte is spell says, 'Malo Saluta,' believing that expected home by Sept. 23 or thereabouts. each pin will cause a violent and fatal that one can copyright a title without | pain in the head of him against whom it is directed."

London's Strangers.

private use and was hurled out of effice of great business trouble and had their bowed quite as gracefully to her as Some day he will hold an auction and I there is an average of 120,000 visitors who are within the metropolitan bourd-

MARKET REPORTS.

Wheat Is Down to 70 Cents-Cables Caused High Opening, But It Soon

Declined-Latest Prices. Liverpool, Aug. 29.—September wheat esterday closed unchanged from Satur-

day. December 1/4d higher.

Liverpool Markets. Liverpool, Aug. 29.—Yesterday's close: Wheat futures steady; September 5s 10%d, December 6s %d. Spot corn quiet; new 3s 5 %d, old 3s 5 % 1; futures quiet; September 3s 5d, October 3s 51/d, Nov-

ember 3s 5%d, December 3s 5%d. Flour, Leading Wheat Markets,

Toronto St. Lawrence Market,

Wheat, goose, bu..... 0 70 Buckwheat, bu..... 0 55 HAY AND STRAW.

Hay, new, per ton....\$10 00 to \$11 00 Straw, sheaf, per ton... 6 00 Straw, loose, per ton. 4 00 DAIRY PRODUCTS. Butter, lb. rolls......\$0 20 to \$0 23 Eggs, new laid..... 0 14 0 16

cavalry, and, while he will not have the Turkeys, per lb. 0 10 0 12 Ducks, per pair..... 0 60 0 90 FRUITS AND VEGETABLES. Onions, per bag...... \$1 00 to \$1 50 At any rate, it would be well for Mr. Apples, per brl..... 0 75 1 50

> Montreal Live Stock. Montreal, Aug. 29.—The receipts at the East End Abattoir vesterday were 500 head of cattle, 200 calves, 700 sheep and lambs. The demand was quiet and prices unchanged.

> Caftle-Choice sold at from 41/2c to 41/2c per pound. Good sold at from 31/4c to 4c per pound. Lower grades from 2c to 3c per pound. Calves sold at \$2 to \$10. according to size. Sheep brought from 31/4c to 33/4c per pound. Lambs were sold from 4 to 1/2c per pound. Hogs brought from 41/2c to 5c per pound.

East Buffalo Cattle Market. East Buffalo, Aug. 29,-Cattle-The

receipts vesterday were surprisingly large, 240 loads, including 19 loads of Canadian stockers. Good to best smooth fat export cattle, \$5.60 to \$5.85; export bulls, \$4 to \$4.25; good to choice butchers' steers, \$5.10 to \$5.40; feeder bulls, \$3 to \$3.50; good to best fat heifers, \$4.25 to \$4.65; fat cows, good to best, \$4 to 4.25; stockers, choice to extra quality, \$4.15 to \$4.25; stock bulls, \$2.75 to \$3.10; fancy yearlings, \$3.25 to \$4.35; stock heifers, \$3 to \$3.25; feeders, good to extra, \$4 to \$4.25; fresh cows, choice to extra good bag, \$42 to \$50; springers, good to extra, \$42 to \$48; calves, choice to extra, \$6.75 to \$7; heavy calves, \$5 to

Sheep and Lambs-Lambs, choice to extra, were quotable \$5.50 to \$5.75; good to choice, \$5.25 to \$5.50. Sheep, choice to

Hogs-Heavy, \$4.90 to \$4.95; mixed, \$4.95 to \$5; Yorkers, \$4.95 to \$5; pigs, \$4.65 to \$4.80; grassers, \$4.60 to \$4.75;

were the official sales of cheese: Large colored, 260 boxes at 10c, 2.250 boxes at 101/2c, 3,345 boxes at 103/c. 250 boxes large white at 10c%, 1,030 boxes small colored at 10%c, 9 boxes do. at 10%c, 1,670 boxes do. at 10%c. 410 boxes small white at 10c, 530 boxes do. at 10%c. On the curb a few lots of very fancy large and small colored sold at 10%c to 11c. The sales of butter were: 19 packages at 201/c, 10 packages at 211/c, 16 packages

D.R.A. RIFLE MATCHES.

The 32nd Annual Meeting Begins With

450 Competitors Entered. Ottawa, Aug. 29.-The 32nd annual meeting of the Dominion Rifle Association opened yesterday morning at 9 o'clock in grand weather. The whole ranges are completed and give this year 55 targets and a full range for all targets made the highest possible score at the of 1.000 yards. There are over 450

who have not at any previous meeting of The Duke of York's cup is presented the N.R.A. or D.R.A. won an individual

by the Duke of York as president of the prize, was divided between Sap. F. F. The Bankers' Match-Open to members This year the winners represented the and associate members of the association. Manchester division. The Midland di- Range 600 yards, rounds 7. Sergt. W. vision, for which Sergeant Wood made Agias, R.C.A., made the highest score,

MacDougall Challenge Cup-The match for the MacDougall Challenge Cup and \$532, presented by the D.R.A., was shot "Housekeepers in the southern part of for all afternoon. The weather was perthe city," says the Philadelphia Record, fect, a light, steady rear wind blowing "have been surprised of late years at all day. The cup and \$25 were won by

Montreal, Aug. 29 .- Hon. J. I. Tarte,

Dropped to His Death.

Toronto, Aug. 29.-Another victim was yesterday added to the long list of London harbors every day 120,000 persons drowned this season in Toronto strangers. Some may remain a week, Bay. William Burt White of 193 Duchess street fell from a ladder on the city's dredge about 5 o'clock and was drowned before assistance arrived. White way years of age and unmarried