

THE EAST WIND.

It Will Drive Sinners Into the Harbor of God's Sympathy.

It Tries Men's Souls and Learns Them to Endure the Vexations of Life—Through Much Tribulation We Shall Enter the Kingdom.

In his latest sermon, Rev. Dr. Talmage calls attention to the ravages caused by the east wind, and also shows how it is but a blessing in disguise.

The reference here is not to a cyclone but to the long-continued blowing of the wind from an unhealthy quarter. The north wind is bracing, the south wind is relaxing, but the east wind is irritating and full of threat.

Before I overtake the main thought of my subject, I want to tell Christian people they ought to be observant of climatical changes. Be on your guard when the wind blows from the east.

You say that men and women ought not to be so sensitive and nervous. I admit it, but I am not talking about what the world ought to be, I am talking about what the world is.

Dr. Rash, a monarch in medicine, after curing hundreds of cases of mental depression, himself fell sick and lost his religious hope, and he would not believe his pastor when the pastor told him that his spiritual depression was only a consequence of physical depression.

nobody, but I am very much sunk indeed, and I wish I could have the relief of weeping as I used to. My days are exceedingly dark and distressing.

What was the matter with the Dean of Carlisle? Had he got to be a worse man? No. The physician said that the stage of his pulse would not warrant his living a minute.

But notice in my text that the Lord controls the east wind: "The Lord brought the east wind." He brings it for special purpose; it must sometimes blow from that quarter.

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from that stone were enabled to read ancient inscriptions on monuments and on tombstones. Well, many of the handwritings of God in our life are indecipherable hieroglyphics; we cannot understand them until we take up the Rosetta stone of divine inspiration.

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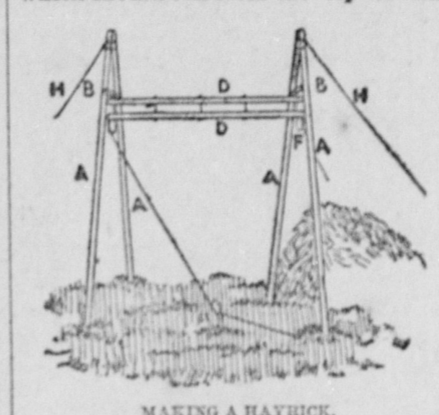
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