TO ANOTHER ONE.

Rev. Dr. Talmage Preaches on the Subject. Duty of the One With a Single Talent.

Try to Make an Accuste Estimate of Vouresting the Compression of th

with doxology when an exile on barren Patmoe and the God who has given happiness to thousands of the bankrupted and persecuted, filling them with heavenly riches which were more than the earthly advantages that are wiped out—let that God help them. If He takes full possession of your nature, then you will go down the street a benediction to all who see you, and those who are in the tough places of life and are run upon and beined and had their homes destroyed, will say: "If that man can be happy, I can be happy. He has been through troubles as big as mine, and he goes down the street with a face in every lineament of which there are joy and peace and heaven. What am I groaning about? From the same place that man got his cheerfulness I can get mine. Why are thou cast down, O my soul, and why art thou disquieted within me? Hope thou in God, for I shall yet praise Him who is the health of my countenance and my God."

Again, is your takent that of wit or humor? Use it for God. Much of the world's wit is damaging. Most of satire has a string in it. Much of caricature is vitriolie. In order to say smart things how many will sacrifice the feelings of others! The sword they carry is keen, and it is employed to thrust and lacerate. But lew man in all the world and in all the churches realize that if wit is bestowed it is given them for useful, for improving, for healthful purposes. If we all had more of it and knew how to use it aright, how much it would improve our Christian conversation and prayer meeting talk and sermon? Robert South and Rowland Hill and Jerenny Taylor and Dean Swift and Lorenno Dow and George Whitefield used their wit and their humor to gather great audiences and then lead them into the kingdom of God. Frivolity is repulsive in religious discussion, but I like the humor of the prophet Elijah, who told the Baalites to pray londer, as their god was out hunting or on an excursion or in such houce, and they have a seed on the pulpit and the per popel of the pulpit and the pew are so dull tasy cannot sta

rences and all the consecrated Christian men and women who were great in literature, in law, in medicine, in philosophy, in commerce. Their genius never spoiled them. They were as humble as they were gited or opulent. They were great on earth, and now they are great in heaven. Their surpassing and magnificent talents were all used for the world's betterment. As they pass in review before the King on the great white throne to higher and higher rewards it makes me think of the parable of the talents, "To another ten." I stand and watch the other divisions as they go by, division after divisions, until the largest of all the divisions comes in sight. It is a hundred to one, larger than the other divisions. It is made up of men who never did anything but support their families and give whatever of their limited means thay could spare for the relief of poverty and sickness and the salvation of the world, mothers who took good care of children by example and precept starting them on the road to heaven, millions of Sabbath-school teachers who sacrificed an afternoon's siesta for the listening class of young immortals, women who declined the making of homes for themselves that they might take care of father and mother in the weaknesses of old age, ministers of the gospel who on niggardly stipend preached in the backwood meeting houses, souls who for long years did nothing but suffer, yet suffered with so much cheerful patience that it became a helpful lesson to all who heard of it; those who served God faithfully all their lives and whose name never but once appeared in print, and that time in the three lines of the death column which some survivor paid for, salors who perished in the storm while trying to get life line out to the drowning, persecuted and tried souls who endured without complaint malignity and abuse, those who had only ordinary endowment of intellect, yet devoted all they had to holy purposes and spiritual achievement. As I see this, the largest of all the divisions, from all lands and from all ages, p

NEWSY CLEANINGS.

The Salvation Army will cataliled colony in Florida.

The first stock exchange in Sibilia has just been opened at Tomsk. It is proposed to hold a South American exhibition in London next year.

A bill to suppress juvenile smoking is to be introduced in the Isle of Man. Most of Chicago's big office building: have passed into the hands of a trust. Controller Coler reports that the net nded debt of Greater New York is 3303.081.548

A woman in Ottawa, Kon., has offered to pay \$1000 for peso, of the existence of God.

Postage stamps issued for the Transvaal will be the first to bear the Etad of Edward VII.

The People's Gar Company, of Chicago, is to pay the city three and a naif per cent, of its gross receipts. Spendings per year for three Fire contracts: New York City, 52,500,00; Chicago, \$1,500,000; Boston, \$1,00,000.

COMMERCIAL REVIEW

General Trade Conditions New York, (special)—Bradstreet's says "The general situation is still favor-ble, the primary encouraging feature be-ing the fine outlook for the country's crops. General distribution, retarded hitherto by the backward spring, has been stimulated by warm, sunny

"Reports as to quiet trade in iron and steel come from the East, where the de-mand for pig iron is of a hand-to-mouth character.

"The boot and shoe and allied trades note considerable activity in manufac-turing lines, the Eastern shoe shipments have again exceeded the 100,000 case mark, and the total for the season is now nearly 50,000 cases ahead of last

"Such unanimity as to good crop re-ports has rarely been seen at this per-iod of the year. Much was made in speculative grain circles of dry weather at the Northwest, but recent rains have at the Northwest, but recent rains have placed that section in a favorable condition as regards the spring wheat. From the winter wheat belt reports continue optimistic, and especially favorable advices being received from Kansas.

"The feature of the week in textiles is a perceptible improvement in the tone of most content of the section.

of most cotton goods, which are in rather better demand at large Eastern markets. This, of course, does not ap-ply to the print cloths situation, which is one of excessive stocks, curtailed production and of goods selling below cost in many instances. Export shipments

of cotton goods are heavy, although new business is lighter.

"Wheat (including flour) shipments for the week aggregate 4,796,084 bushels, against 3,984,968 bushels corrected last week, 3,698,968 bushels in the corlast week, 3,008,008 bushels in the cor-responding week of 1900, 3,198,319 bushels in 1899, and 4,309,133 bushels in 1898. From July 1 to date wheat ex-ports are 190,048,662 bushels, against 178,394,566 bushels last season and 209,-808,175 bushels in 1808-1899.

"Corn exports for the week aggregate 2,204,902 bushels, against 2,704,594 bushels corrected last week, 4,374,145 bushels in this week a year ago, 3,845,818 bushels in 1899, and 6,164,451 bushels in 1898. From July 1 to date corn exports are 163,584,763 bushels, against 185,653,354 bushels last season and 151,770 car bushels in 1898, 180. 879,033 bushels in 1898-1899.

LATEST QUOTATIONS.

Flour.—Best Patent, \$4.50a4.75; High trade Extra. \$4.00a4.25; Minnesota Grade

Grade Extra. \$4.00a4.25; Minnesota bakers, \$2.00a3.25.
Wheat.—New York, No. 2 red. 79a 82c; Philadelphia, No. 2 red. 78a79c; Baltimore, 78a801/4c.
Corn.—New York, No. 2, 49/4c; Philadelphia, No. 2, 473/4a48c; Baltimore, No. 2, 50a511/4c.
Oats.—New York, No. 2, 33c; Philadelphia No. 2 white, 331/2a35c; Baltimore, No. 2, white, 331/2a34c.
Rye.—New York, No. 2, 6tc; Philadelphia, No. 2, 60c; Baltimore, No. 2, 58a50c.

58a59c. Hay.-No. 1 timothy, \$17.00; No. timothy, \$16.50; No. 3 timothy, \$15.50 a16.00. No. 1 clover, mixed, \$15.50a 16.00; No. 2 clover, mixed, \$14.00315.00; No. 1 clover, \$14.50; No. 2 clover,

\$13.00a14.00. Green Fruits and Vegetables.—On Green Fruits and Vegetables.—Onions spring, per 100 bunches, 60a80c;
do, new, Bermuda, per crate, \$1,25a
1,40; do Egyptian, per sack, \$2,25a2,40;
Asparagus, Norfolk, per dozen, No. 1,
\$1,50a2,00; do, Norfolk, per dozen, seconds, \$1,00a1,25; do, Easiern Shore Md. onds, \$1.00a1.25; do, Eastern Shore Md.
per dozen, prime \$1.25a1.50. Cabbage,
Charleston and North Carolina, per
crate, 65a85c; do, Norfolk, per bbl, 75a
90c. Celery, Florida, per crate, \$1.50a
2.50. Apples, \$2.00a4.25. Oranges, \$2.00
a3.00. Strawberries, per quart, 5a12c.
Potatoes.—We quote: White, Maryland and Pennsylvania primes, per bus,
contre, do, New York prime, per bus,

land and Pennsylvania primes, per bus, 50a55c; do, New York prime, per bus, 58a60c; do, Michigan and Ohio, per bus, 55a60c; do, new, Florida, per bbl, No. 1, \$3.50a450; do, do, do, per bbl, No. 2, \$2.00a3.00; do, do, Charleston, per bbl, No. 1, \$3.50a5.00; do, do, do, per bbl, No. 2, \$2.00a3.00. Sweets—Maryland and Virginia, kiln dried, per bbl, \$2.25a2.50; do, North Carolina, per bbl, prime, \$2.50a3.00; do, lancy bright Jerseys, per bbl, \$2.50a3.00.

Beans and Peas.—We quote: New York marrow, choice hand picked, \$2.30

Beans and Peas.—We quote: New York marrow, choice hand picked, \$2.30 a2.35; do do medium do do, \$2.20a2.25; do do pea, do do, \$2.15a2.20. Blackeye peas, per bushel, choice new, \$1.75a 1.80. Black peas, per bushel, choice new, \$1.70. Green peas, per bushel \$1.25. Nearby white beans, hand picked, per bushel, \$1.50a2.00. Beans, imported, per bushel, \$1.50a2.00. Butter.—Creamery, 15a19c; factory, 11a13c; imitation creamery, 13a17c;

Halac: imitation creamery, 13a17c

State dairy, 15a18c.
Cheese.—Fancy, large, colored, 10½c; fancy, large, white, 10½a10½c; fancy, small, colored, 11½c; fancy, small, white, 11¼c.

For State and Pennsylvania 122

Eggs.—State and Pennsylvania, 12a 3c; Southern, 11a12c; Western stor-

Provisions.—The market is firm.
Jobbing prices: Bulk shoulders, 8a8¼c; do short ribs, 9½c; do clear sides, 9½c; bacon rib sides, 10c; do clear sides, 10¼c; bacon shoulders, 9c. Fat backs, 8agar guard breasts, 11½c; sugar 10%c; bacon shoulders, 9c. Pat backs, 11%c; sugar cured shoulders, 9c. Hams—Small, 11%e; large, 11c; smoked skinned hams, 12%c; pienic hams, 83ác. Lard—Best refined, pure, in tierces, 9%c; in tubs, 3%c per lb, Mess Pork, per bbi, \$16.00. Hides.—Quote: Green salted, 5%c; do do, damaged, 6c; do do, Southern, 5%c; green, 6c; do, damaged, 5%c; dry flint, 13c; do do, damaged, 11c; dry flint, 13c; do do, damaged, 11c; dry flint, 13c; do do, damaged, 11c; dry blác; green, oc; do, damaged, 592c; dry flint, 13c; do do, damaged, 11c; dry salted, 11c; do do, damaged, toa101/2c; dry calf. 10c; dry glue, 6/2c, Bull hides, per lb, green, 5/2a6c; do do, per lb, green salted, 6c. Goatskins, 15a25c. Caliskins, green salted, 6oa8oc. Sheep-lbac, 6oa8oc. Sheep-lbac, 6oa8oc. Sheep-lbac, 6oa8oc. skins, 60a75c. Spring lambskins, 30a

Live Poultry. — Market is steady. Quote: Hens, 10c; old roosters, each, 25a30c; spring chickens, 18a25c; winter do, 2 to 25fbs, 16a18c. Ducks, 8a9c. Geese, apiece, 30a40c.

Live Stock.

East Liberty, Pa .- Cattle steady; extra, \$5.70a5.85; prime, \$5.50a3.65; good, \$5.30a5.40. Hogs lower; prime heavies and best mediums, \$5.92½a5.95; heavy Yorkers, \$5.90a5.92½; light do. \$3.85a' 5.90; pigs, \$5.75a5.85; skips, \$4.75a5.25; roughs, \$4.00a5.50. Sheep slow; best wethers, \$4.35a4.40. wethers, \$4.3514.40.

Chicago, Ill. - Cattle - Steers active; good to prime steers, \$5,300,00; poor to medium, \$4,2035,30; cows, \$2,003,70; heifers, \$2,9034,90; calves active, \$4,25 40.00; Texas fed steers, \$4 2525-40.

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Minneapolis has a servant girls'

mion.

London boasts 2700 crossing sweep nen insurance agents are m

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Coogan's Hurry.

James J. Coogan, de facto president of the borough of Manhattan, recently applied to a Harlem horse dealer to purchase a trotter. The dealer brought our a handsome bay horse.

"I'll guarantee that animal to go in

three minutes easy," said the dealer. Coogan understood the man to mean that the horse could go a mile in three minutes and drove the animal up to the speedway to fry him.
"I found he was a slow plug and could

not trot," said the friend of Croker in telling the story. "I drove back to the

stable.

"Here, you,' I said to the dealer,
'you told me this horse could go in
three minutes! It took him four by the watch.' "Well, you must have been in a -

of a hurry if you coudn't wait a minute, the dealer replied."

Coogan did not buy the horse.

nstructions. Innocent Man-What about?

anything else.

Just to Be Quarrelling.

"Edgar and I quarrel all the time about automobiles; he says he won't have a horse, and I say I won't have

"So you are going to get a convey-ance of some kind?" "Oh, goodness, no; half the time we can't scrape up street car fare.

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THE TABLET

Needed Further Instructions.

Prison Warden—It's just been found out that you didn't commit that crime you've been in for all these years, and so the Governor has pardoned you.

"Naw, course not," indignantly replied the customer. "Can't you see I want a shave?"

The barber heaved a weary sigh a The barber heaved a weary sigh a The barber heaved a weary sigh a total state of the customer.

Prison Warden—Seems to me that, considerin' you hadn't any business here, you ought to pay the State for your board. back of the instrument.
"By Jove, a shave makes a man

"That's the fourth one o' them things to-day," growled the barber.

Mark Twain Childed.

The president of the Chicago Press Club went to New York for the purpose of inducing Mark Twain to come there to deliver a lecture for the benefit of the C. P. C. Mr. Clemens was up in the mountains of New York when the Chicago man arrived. The latter patiently awaited the return of the humorist and succeeded in meeting Mr. Clemens in his study at a rather late hour. According to the Chicagoan. Mr. Clemens was not favorably inclined. Indeed, he was not in one of his happy moods.

happy moods.
"I can't go to Chicago: I won't go."
The "I can't go to Chicago; I won't go," he said in an underscored voice. The Chicago man intimated that the Press Club would be willing to pay any sum which Mr. Clements saw fit to name. "That has nothing to do with it," Mr. Clemens replied. "I wouldn't go to Chicago for \$10,000, nor anywhere else. Now, that settles it. I am going to have some rest."

have some rest."

At that, the voice of a young person the Chicago man says it was a girl's voice, was heard from the top of a stairway. "Don't get excited," said the

Mr. Clemens turned his face in the direction of the stairway and scowled "You go to bed," he thundered. Ther turning to the Chicagoan he said in a voice almost musical: "Perhaps I may come some other time—not now." Then he turned his face in the direction of the stairway again and listened. There was a subdued giggle at the top. And the face of the grizzled humorisi became radiant.

His Shave.

He was one of these smooth-faced young men who chew gum because it's ladylike and smoke cigarettes because it's manly. He couldn't have stood under the mistletoe in a shirtwaist for five minutes with tempting something with a deep bass voice and whiskers to meander that way.

The barber heaved a weary sigh as he lathered the face, which looked like an advertisement for somebody's complexion balm. Then he picked up a neck razor, whipped it over the strop once and scraped the lather off with the back of the interest.

feel betterf" ejaculated the smooth-faced one, rubbing his hand gently over his skin

Thus in New York State, for instance, a woman has a larger control of her real estate than her husband has of her real estate than her husband has of his. She, if she likes, may make out a will whereby she cuts him off or ignores him entirely, whereas he cannot sell, mortgage, will, or alienate any of his real property without her consent in writing, and in some instances under seal. He must reserve to her what is commonly known as her dower right or a life interest in one-third of all his real estate possessed or acquired by him during their married life. It is thus impossible for him to alienate his real property without his wife joining in the deed to bar her dower. Thus does the law protect the woman in the enjoyment of her property rights.

Popular if Not Profitable.

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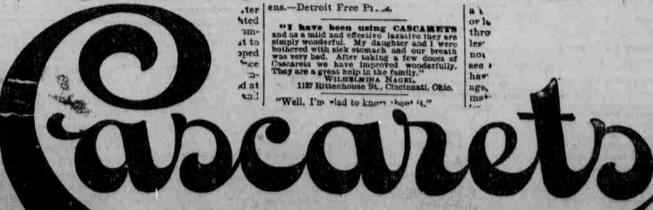
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