

An Exalted Religion

Its Charm Illustrated and Commended By Dr. Talmage—The Crystal Cannot Equal It

Washington, Oct. 6.—The charm of an exalted religion is by Dr. Talmage in this discourse illustrated and commended; text, Job xviii, 17: "The crystal cannot equal it."

God is not trying to put you down. Now you understand why you lost that child and why you lost your property. It was to prepare you for eternal treasure. And why sickness came, it being the precursor of immortal juvenescence. And now you understand why they lied about you and tried to drive you in the glorious company of such men as Ignatius, who, when he went out to be destroyed by the lions, said, "I am the wheat, and the teeth of the wild beasts must first grind me before I can become pure bread."

Sunday School.

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Joseph and His Brethren.—Gen. 45:1-15. Commentary.—Connecting Links. The fertility of the land of Egypt is dependent upon the annual overflow of the river Nile. The waters deposit on the land a rich loam which is brought down from the mountains; and it is this deposit which may be considered as constituting the wealth of Egypt.

THE MARKETS

Toronto Farmers' Market.

Oct. 19.—Trade was brisk on the street market to-day. Grain receipts were heavier, 5,900 bushels. Wheat was steady, 100 bushels of white selling at 63 1/2 to 70c per bushel, 200 bushels of red at 43c per bushel, and 500 bushels of goose at 63 1/2 to 66c per bushel.

WHAT HEAT CAN MAN STAND?

How much heat can a human being stand?

Thousands of Hamiltonians asked themselves this question when thermometer registered 98 degrees. The system of a normal person can endure 98 degrees that much. It is quite common to find it up to withstand 600 degrees of heat.

THE MARKETS

Toronto Fruit Markets.

Oct. 19.—There was a fair demand to-day for fruit of all kinds, and trade was fairly brisk. Prices were steady. We quote: Peaches, per basket, Crawfords, 75c to \$1.10; white, 20 to 50c; yellow, 25 to 30c; large basket, 27 1/2 to 40c; lunanas, per bunch, \$1.25 to \$2; lemons, per box, \$3 to \$3.50; California lemons, per box, \$4.50 to \$5; oranges, per box, \$1.10 to \$1.25; cranberries, per basket, 30 to 40c, per barrel \$2.75 to \$3.

General Cheese Markets.

London, Ont., Oct. 19.—At to-day's market seven factories offered 1,731 boxes September cheese, 745 white and 990 colored. Sales, 175 at 9 1/2-10c, 445 at 9 3/8c.

Toronto Live Stock Market.

Export cattle, choice, per cwt. \$1.60 to \$1.75; do medium, 1.40 to 1.55; do poor, 1.20 to 1.35; butchers' cattle, picked, 4.00 to 4.15; butchers' cattle, fair, 3.75 to 3.90; do common, 3.50 to 3.65; do light, 3.25 to 3.40; do heavy, 3.00 to 3.15; pigs, per cwt., 6.00 to 6.15; sheep, per cwt., 5.75 to 5.90; hogs, per cwt., 5.50 to 5.65.

Leading Wheat Markets.

Following are closing quotations at important wheat centers to-day: Cash. Dec. Chicago 70-78; New York 71-78; Toledo 73-74; Detroit, white 74; Duluth, No. 1, hard 70-78; Duluth, No. 1, hard 73-78.

Toronto Dairy Markets.

Oct. 21.—Butter.—The receipts are set on, and the tone of the market steady. Poor qualities plentiful. We quote: Selected dairies, 16c to 17c; choice 1-lb. rolls, 18c to 19c; second grades, in large rolls or tubs, 13c to 14c, and bakers', 12c. Creamery solids, 19c to 20c, and prints, 21c to 22c.

Bradstreet's on Trade.

The conditions of wholesale trade at Montreal this week have been satisfactory. The wholesalers report a good distributive demand to sort of fall stocks for the fall and winter trade. At Quebec the open weather of the last fortnight has been beneficial. In trade circles activity is still noticed, and with the first touch of cold weather a big demand for heavy goods is expected. There has been some activity in wholesale trade at Toronto this week. The cooler weather has stimulated the demand for heavy fall and winter goods. Business at Hamilton this week has been fairly active. Travelers are sending in numerous and large orders for the sorting trade, and the present activity promises to considerably increase with the first touch of winter weather. Trade at Winnipeg, according to advices to Bradstreet, is showing much activity. There are encouraging signs of the improvement of trade at some of the coast centres. The jobbing trade is very fair in some departments, the retailers being now anxious to sort stocks for the present season. Business at London has been moderately active this week. Business at Ottawa has been good.

King Victor Emmanuel has informed the Ministers that there is a probability of an heir being born next May. A story is circulated to the effect that a stick of gold has been made on the new Canadian Northern line near Fort Franco. The Toronto grand jury at the recent sessions urged the systematic use of the lash for offences against women.