Dr. Talmage Discourses on Feminine Attributes.

The Hand on the Shuttle-The Nobility of Womanhood.

The Greatness of Christian Characteristics-The Duties of Women.

WASHINGTON, January 15. - A scripture character whose name given becomes the subject of Dr. Talmage's sermon, in which he sets forth the qualities of good and noble womanhood; text, II. Kings iv., 8, "Elisha passed to Shunem, where was a great woman."

The hotel of our time had no coun-

terpart in any entertainment of olden time. The vast majority of travellers must then be entertained at private afode. Here comes Elisha, a servant of the Lord, on a divine mission, and he must find shelter. A balcony over-looking the valley of Esdraelon is offered him in a private house, and it is especially furnished for his occupancy -a chair to sit on, a table from which to eat, a candlestick by which to read and a bed on which to slumber, the whole establishment belonging to a great and good woman. Her husband. it seems, was a goodly man, but he was entirely overshadowed by his wife's excellencies, just as now you sometimes find in a household the wife the centre of dignity and influence and power, not by any arrogance or presumption, but by superior intellect and force of moral nature wielding domestic affairs and at the same time su pervising all financial and business affairs. The wife's hand on the shuttle, or the banking house, or the world-

You see hundreds of men who are successful only because there is a reason at home why they are successful If a man marry a good, honest soul he makes his fortune. If he married a fool, the Lord help him! The wife may be the stlent partner in the firm. there may be only masculine voices down on Exchange, but there of tentimes comes from the home cirdle a potential and elevating influence This woman of my text was the superior of her husband. He, as far as I can understand, was what we often see in our day, a man of large fortune and only a modicum of brain, intensely quiet sitting a long while in the same place, without moving hand or foot; if you say "Yes," responding "Yes;" if you say "No," responding the pantry, and there were the stilles "No"—inane, eyes half shut, mouth | and the coffees and the sugars, and wide open, maintaining his position in society only because he has a large patrimony. But his wife, my text says, was a great woman. Her name went into the diring rall, and there has not come down to us. She belong- | was the table aiready set-the glass ed to that collection of people who need and the silverware. He went into the no name to distinguish them. What kitchen, and there were all the culinwould title of duchess or princess or ary implements and a great crove. queen—what would escutcheon or The young pastor lifted one lid of the gleaming diadem he to this women of my text, who, by her intelligence and ter behavior, challenges the admiration of all ages? Long after the bril liant women of the court of Louis XV have been forgotten, and the brilliant women of the court of Spain have been forgotten, and the brilliant women who sat on the throne of Russia hav been forgottetn, some grandfather will put on his spectacles and, holding the book the other side the light, read to his grandchildren the story of this great woman of Shunem who was so kind and courteous and Christian to the good prophet Elisha. Yes, she was

a great woman THE HOSPITABL WOMAN.

In the first place, she was great in ter hospitalities. Uncivilized and barbarous nations have this virtue. Jupiter had the surname of the Hospitable, and he was said especially to avenge the wrongs of strangers. Homer extolled it in his verse. The Arabe are punctitious on this subject, and among some of their trites it is not until the nbith day of tarrying that the occupant has a right to ask his guest, "Who and whence are thou?" If this virtue is so honored amone barbarians, how ought it to be honored among those of us who believe in the Bible, which commands us to use hospitality one toward another without grudging?

Of course, I do not mean under this cover to give any idea that I approve of that vagrant class who go around from place to place, ranging their whole lifetime perhaps under the au-spices of some benevolent or philanthropic society, quartering themselves on Christian families with a great pile of trunks in the hall and carpetbag portentous of tarrying. There is many a country parsonage that looks out week by week upon the ominous arrival of wagon with creaking wheel and lank horse and dilapidated driver come under the auspices of some char itable institution to spend a few weeks and canvass the neighborhood. Let no such religious tramps take advant-

age of this beautiful virtue of Christian hospitality. Not so much the sumptuousness of your diet and the regality of your abode will impress the friend or the stranger that steps across your threshold as the warmth of your greeting, the informality of your reception, the reiteration by grasp and by look and by a thousand attentions, of your earnestness of welcome. There will be a high appreciation of

your welcome though you have nothing but the brazen candlestick and the plain chair to offer Elisha when he comes to Shunem. Most beautiful is this grace of hospitality when shown in the house of God. I am thankful that I have always been pastor of churches where strangers are welcome. But I have entered churches where there was no hospitality. A stranger would stand in the vestibule for awhile and then make a pilgrimage up the long aisle. No door opened to him until. flushed and excited and embarrassed, he started back again, and coming to some half-filled pew with apologetic air, entered it, while the cocupant glared on him with a look which seemed to say, "Well, if I must, 7 must." Away with such accursed

indecency from the house of God. Let out of the northern sky, you have every church that would maintain large Christian Influence in community culture Sabbath by Sabbath this beautiful grace of Christian hospital-

THE JOYS OF THE MINISTER.

Again, this woman of my text was great in her kindness toward God's messenger. Elisha may have been a stranger in that household, but as she found out he had come on a divine mission he was cordially welcomed. We have a great many books in our day about the hardships of ministers and the trials of Christian ministers. I wish somebody would write a book about the joys of the Christian minister, about the sympathies all around about him, about the kindness, about the genial considerations of him. Does sorrow come to our home, and is there a shadow on the cradle, there are hundreds of hands to help, and many who weary not through the night watching and hundreds of prayers going up that God would restore the sick. Is there a burning, brimming cup of calamity placed on the pastor's table? Are there not many to help him drink of that cup and who will not be comforted because he is stricken? Oh, for somebody to write a book about the rewards of the Christian ministry-about his surroundings of Christian

sympatthy! This woman of the text was only a type of thousands of men and women who come down from mansion and from cot to do kindness to the Lord's servants. I could tell you something that you might think a romance. A youg man graduated from New Brunswick Theological Seminary was called to a village church. He had not the means to furnish the parsonage. After three of four weeks of preaching a committee of the officers of the church waited on him and told him he looked tired and thought he had better take a vacation of a few days. The young pastor took it as an intimation that his work was done or not acceptable. He took the vacation, and at the end of a few days came back, when an old elder said: "Here is the key of the parsonage. We have been cleaning up. You had better go up and look at a." So the young pastor took the key, went up to the parsonage, opened the door ,and lo! it was carpeted, and Where was the hatrack all ready for the canes and the umbrellas and the overcoats, and on the left hand of the tall was the parlor, sofaed, chaired, pictured. He passed on to the other side of the hall, and there was the study table in the centre of the fiber with stationery upon it, bookshelves tuilt, long ranges of new volumes, far beyond the reach of the means of the

young pastor many of these volumes The young pastor went upstairs and found all the sleeping apartments fur-rished, came down stairs and entered the pantry, and there were the spices the groceries for six months. He went down into the cellar, and there was the coal for all the coming winter. tove and he found the fuel all ready for ignition. Putting back the cover of the stove he saw in another part of it a lucifer match, and all that young man had to do in starting to keep house was to strike the match. You tell me that is apocryphal. Ch, no! that was my own experience. Oh, the kindnesses, oh, the enlarged sympathies sometimes clustering around those who enter the gospel ministry I suppose the man of Shunem had to pay the bills, but it was the large hearted Christian woman of Shuner that looked after the Lord's messen

GREAT EVEN IN TROUBLE.

Asain, this woman of the text was great in her behavior under trouble, Her only son had died on her lap. A very bright light went out in that household. The sacred writer puts it very tersely, when he says, "He sat on her knee until noon and then he died.' Yet the writer goes on to say that she exclaimed, "It is well!" Great in prosperity, this woman was great in trou-

Where are the feet that have not been blistered on the hot sands of this great Sahara? Where are the soldiers that have not bent under the burden of grief? Where is the ship sailing over glassy sea that has not after awhile been caught in a cyclone? Where is the garden of earthly comfort but trouble hath hitched up its fiery and panting team and gone through it with burning plowshare of disaster? Under the pelting of ages of suffering the great heart of the world has bust with woe. Navigators tell us about the rivers and the Amazon and the Danube and the Mississop pi have been explored, but who car tell the depth or the length of the great river of sorrow, made up of tears and blood, rolling through all lands and all ages bearing the wreck of families and of communities and of empires, foaming, writhing, boiling with the agonies of 6,000 years? Etna Cotopaxi and Vesuvius have been described, but who has ever sketched the volcano of suffering reaching up from its depths the lava and scoria and pouring them down the sides to whelm the nations? Oh, if I could gather all the heartstrings, the broken heartstrings, into a harp, I would play or it a dirge such as was never sounded! Mythologists tell us of gorgon and centaur and Titan and geologists tell us of extinct species of monsters, but greater than gorgon or megatherium and not belonging to the realm of fable and not of an extinct species, monster with an iron jaw and a hunired iron hoofs has walked across th nations, and history and poetry and sculpture, in their attempt to sketch it and describe it, have seemed to sweat great drops of blood. But, thank God, there are those who can conque as this woman of the text conquered and say, "It is well, though my property be gone, though my children be gone, though my home be broken up, though my health be sacrificed, it is well, it is well!" There is no storm on the sea but Christ is ready to ris in the hinder part of the ship and hush it. There is no darkness but the con-

stellation of God's eternal love can il-

lumine it, and though the winter comes

sometimes seen that northern sky all ablaze with auroras which seem to say: "Come up this way; up this way are thrones of light and seas of sapphire and the splendor of an eternal heaven. Come up this way."

We may, like the ships, by tempest be On perilous depths, but cannot be lost, Though Satan enrage the wind and the tide, The promise assures us the Lord will provide.

THE HOME WOMAN.

Alrain, this woman of my text was great in her application to domestic luties. Exery picture is a home picture, whether she is entertaining an Elisha, or whether she is giving careful attention to her sick boy, or whether she is appealing for the restoration of her property. Every picture in her case is one of domesticity. Those are not disciples of the Shupern ite woman who, going out to attend to outside charities, neglect the duty of home—the duty of wife, of mother, of daughter. No faithfulness in public benefaction can ever atone for domes tic negligence.

There has been many a mother who by indefatigable toil has reared a large family of children, equipping them for the duties of life with good manners and large intelligence and Christian principle starting them cut, who has done more for the world than many a woman whose name has sounded through all the lands and through the centuries. I remember when Kossuth was in this courtry there were some ladies who got honorable reputations by presenting him very gracefully with bouquets of flowers on public occasions. But what was all that compared with the plain Hurgarian mother who gave to truth and civilization and the cause of universal liberty a Kossuth. Yes, this woman of my text was great in her simplicity. When this prophet wanted to reward her for her hospitality by asking some prefer ment from the king what did she She declined it. She said, "I dwell among my own people," As much as to say: "I am satisfied with my lot. All I want is my family and my friends around me. I dwell among my own people.

THE BEAUTIFUL HOME. Oh, what a rebuke to the strife for precedence in all ages! How many there are who want to get great architecture and homes furnished with all art, all painting, all statuary, who have not enough taste to distinguish between Gothic and Byzantine, and who could not tell a figure in plaster of paris from Palmer's "White Captive," and would not know a boy's pencilling from Bierstadt's "Yosemite. Men who buy large libraries by the square foot, buying these libraries when they have scarcely enough educaltion to pick out the day of the month in the almarac! Oh, how many there are striving to have things as well as their neighbors or better than their neighbors, and in the struggle vast fortunes are exhausted and busi-ness firms thrown into bankruptoy. and men of reputed honesty rush into astounding forgeries! Of course I say nothing against refinement or culture. Splendor of abode, sumptuousness of diet, lavishness in art, neatness in apparel, there is nothing against them in the Bible or out of the Bible. God does not want us to prefer mud hovel to English cottage, or untanned sheepskin to French broadcloth, or husks to pineapple, or the clumsiness of a boor to the manners of a gentleman. God, who strung the beach with tinted shell, and the grass of the field with the dews of the night, and hath exquisitely tinged morning cloud and robin redbreast, wants us to keep our eye open to all beautiful sights, and our ear open to all beautiful cadences. and our heart open to all elevating sontiments.

But what I want to impress upon ou, my bearers, is that you ought not to inventory the luxuries of life among the indispensables, and you ought not to depreciate this woman of the text, who, when offered kingly preferment, responded, "I dwell among my own people." Yea, this woman of the text was great in her piety. Just read the chapter after you go home. Faith in God, and she was not ashamed to talk about it before idolaters. Ah, woman will never appreciate what she owes to Christianity until she knows and sees the degradations of her sex under paganism and Moham-

medanism. Her very birth considered a misfortune. Sold like cattle on the shambles Slave of all work, and, at last, her body fuel for the funeral pyre of her husband. Above the shrick of the fire worshippers in India, and above the umbling of the juggernauts, I hear the million voiced groan of wronged, insuited broken hearted, down-trod-den woman. Her tears have fallen in the Nile and Tigris, the La Plata, and on the steps of Tartary. She has been dishonored in Turkish garden and Per sian palace and Spanish Alhambra Her little ones have been sacrificed in the Indus and the Ganges. There is not a groan, or a dungeon, or an island, or a mountain, or a river, or a lake or a sea, but could tell a story of the outrages heaped upon her. But, thanks to God, this glorious Christianity comes forth, and all the chains of this vassalage are snapped, and she rises from ignominy to exalted sphere and becomes the affectionate daughter, the gentle wife, the honored mother, the useful Christian. Oh, if Christianity has done so much for woman, surely woman will become its most ardent advocate and its sublimest exemplification.

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cluded free.

SHIP NEWS.

PORT OF ST. JOHN. Arrived.

Jan. 17.—S S Californian, 2638, McNelit, from Liverpool via Halifax, Wm Thompson and Co, mails, male and pass.

S S Alcides, 2131, McKle, from Glasgow, Schofield and Co, geteral.
Coartwise—Schs Wanita, 42, Heady, from Thorn's Cove; Oito, 32, Glaspy, from Digby, Yarmouth Packet, 76, Shaw, from Yarmouth; Porpoise, 32, Ingersoll, from North Head; Muteor, 9, Small, from North Head; L M Billis, 34, Lent from Tiverton; Alph B Parker, 29, Outhouse, from do; barges No. 1, 439, Warnock, and No. 2, 433, Salter, from Parraboro. 439, Warnock, and No. 2, 200, Satter, Hom-Parrisboro.

Jen. 18—SS Harlaw, 267, Scott, from Ber-riuda, Schofiell & Co., bad.

Jan 19—Sch Marlon, 123, Ricker, from New York, J E Moore, coal.

Sch Comrade, 76, Dickson, from Boston, F Tufts, general.

Sch Susie Prescott, 98, Gough, from New York, F Tufts, crel.

Sch Hattie C, 181, Buck, from New York, F Tufts coal. Sch Mary E, 98, Ward, from Portland, F Tufts, oak.
Sch Neille Eaton, from Portland, oak.
Coastwise—Schs Vuldare, 99, Hatfield,
from Alma; Sea Flower, 10, Thompson, from
fishing, Miranca B, 79, Day, from Alma;
Yarmouth Packet, Shew, from Yarmouth

Dora, Canning, from Parrsboro. Cleares. Jan. 17.—Sch Rosa Mueller, McLean, for New York,
Coastwise—Schs Alice, Benjamin, for
Parrisboro; Susie N, Merriam, for Canning.
Jan 18—SS Manchester Trader, Batty, for
Manchester via Hallfax.
Sch A P Emerson, Haley, for New York.
Sch Effie, Brown, for Fall River.
Coastwise—Sch Afoh B Parker, Outhouse,
for Tiverton.
Jan 19—SS St Croix, Pike, for Boston.
SS Duart Castle, Seeley, for West Indies
via Hallfax.

CANADIAN PORTS.

via Halifax.

Arrived. HALIFAX, N. S., Jan. 17.—Ard, str La-brador, Erskine, from St John, and saded for Liverpool. Sailed, str Halifax, Pye, for Boston. Cleared, soh Brüdeneil, King, for British West Indies.

BRITISH PORTS. Arrived

At Hong Kong, Nov 30, bark Howard D Troop, Counting, from New York. At Cardiff, Jan 17, ss Gunaxa, from Bremen.
At Sydney, NSW, Jan 13, ship Marathon, Crossley, from Delagoa Bay (will load at Newcastle, NSW, for Valparaiso) for orders.
At Kingston, Ja, Jan 7, sch Anita, Melene, from St John via Turks Islend (to repair).
At Sydney, NSW, Jan 5, bark Ancona, Billis, from New York.
At Cape Town, Dec 21, bark Avona, Porter from Barry. Ait Cape Town, Dec 21, bark Avonfa, Porter, from Harry.
At Quenstown, Jan 17, bark Angola, Glocker, from Cardiff for Cape Town.
At Sydney, NSW, Jan 5, bark Ancona, Ellis, from New York.
At Barbados, pritor to Jan 14, bark Galatel, Lewis, from Buenos Ayres for Turk's Island (to load for Boston).
At Falmouth, Jan 17, ship Alpuera, Gosum, from Calet Buena; bark Anglo Norman, Ives, from Tocopilia.

Sailed. From Belfast, Jan 13, bark Ossuna, Anrews, for Sapelo. From Liverpool, Jan 15, str Platea, Allen, from Table Bay. Dec 21, bark Albertina, Dill, for Delagoa Bay.
From Fleetwood, Jam 17, ship E J Spicer, Cochran, for Sapelo.

Arrived.

FOREIGN PORTS. At Breios Ayres, Jan 7, bank Rubia, Hansen, from Campbelton, N B.

At New York, Jan 15, brigt Electric Light, Edwards, from Demerars.

At Otorto, Jan 7, schs Hibernica, Noel, from Gaspe (not previously); Phylirs, Davies, from St John.

At Michiel Company of the Surinam general of the Surinam gener Mobile, Jan 14, sch Helen E Kenney, Mcreil, from Cardenas.
At Philadelphia, Jan 15, brig Venturer,
Henry, from Port Spain.
BUENOS AYRES, Dec. 19.—Ard, bark En-PORTSMOUTH, Jan. 17.-Ard, sch Oriole, PORTSMOUTH, Jan. 17.—Ard, sch Oriole, from River Hebert for Boston.

BOSTON, Jan. 17.—Ard, str Cephalonia, from Liverpool; Norseman, from Liverpool; Prince George, from Yarmouth, N S; bark Austria, from Cebu.

Sailed, str Boston, for Yarmouth; sch Tyree, for Cape Coast, West Coast Africa.

PORTLIAND, Jan. 17.—Ard, bark St. Croix, Trefry, from Boston, to load for South America. VINEYARD HAVEN, Jan. 16.—Sld, schs Frank W, and Marion.

Passed, sch Luta Price, from New York At Buenos Ayres, Dec 22, bark Antigua,

At Buenos Ayres, Dec 22, bark Antigua, Holmes, from Sathila.
At Havena, Jan 7, sch Vera B Roberts, from Cornwallis, NS, via St John.
At Wilmington, NC, Jan 16, sch Therese, Matthesen, from New York.
At Montevideo, Jan 16, bark Swansea, Sanford, from Buenos Ayres for Barbados. At Tyrre, Jan 17, ship Euphenma, Kinney, from Buenos Ayres, fo.
At Buenos Ayres, Jan 16, sch Nimbus, Stahl, from Aunapolis for Rosario.
At Vineyard Haven, Jam 14, bark Fihel Clarke, Brinton, from Philadelphia for Bear River.
At Macoris, Dec 25, bark Edith Sheradon. At Macoris, Dec 25, bark Edith Sheraton, Michelson, from New York via St Domingo City (to load for New York).

Cleared. At Jacksonville, Jan. 13, bark Siddardha, Gerard, for Liverpoot; sch John S Parker, Gesner, for Point-a-Pitre. At New Orleans, Jan 16, str Ardova, Smith, for Bremen via Norfolk.

At Atlantic Oity, Jan 17, sch Allen A McIntyre, Somerville, for Barbados. Sailed.

From New York, Jan 15, sch Otis Miller, Miller, for St John; sohs Prudent, Dickson, for John; Eltie, Hovard, for do; Abbie Ingalis, Weldon, for Boston; Ira D Sturgis, Kerrigan, for Woods Holl; Helen, Cotton, for Hyannis; Harry W Lewis, for Rio Grand do Sul.

In Faindina, Jan 15, schs Keewaydin, McLean, for S Lucia; Shesile, Hatfield, for From Pascegoula, Jan 14, seh Omega, Le-sain, for St. Ann's. From Pensacola, Jan 14, bark Alkaline, From Paccagonia, Jan 12, sch Umega, Lecain, for St. Ann's.
From Pensacola, Jan 14, bark Alkaline,
Houghton, for Fort de France.
DUTCH ISLAND HARBOR, Jan. 17.—
Ed. sch E H King, from Grand Manan for
New York.
MONTEVIDEO, Jan. 14.—Sid, bark Trinidad, for Annapolis, N S.
Jan. 17.—Ard, sch Eille H Barnes, from
Liverpool, N S, for New York.
From New York, Jan 15, schs Ottis Miller,
Prucent and Ettle, for St John; Ira 19
Sturgis, Wood, for Hall.
From Bahla, Dec 24, brig Curlew, Grundmark, for Barbados. From Bahla, Dec 24, brig Curlew, Grundmark, for Barbados.
At Hobile, Jan 16, ship Thos H Rand, Morris, for Havre.
From Port Eads, Jan 17, str Ardova, Statth, for Bramen via Norfolk.
From Rosario, Dec 19, bark Hillside, Morrill, for San Nicholas.
From Caleta Buena, Jan 2, bark Thetis, Oliver, for Hampton Roads.
From Buenos Ayres, Dec 19, ship Mary L Buyrill, Rice, for Mobile; 22nd, son Americata, Hatfield, for Rosario.
From New York, Jan 17, ship Albanta, for Sydney; schs Barl of Aberdeen, for Point a Pitre; Ruth Shaw, Whelpley, for Boston. Boston.
From New London, Jan 17, son Rebecca
W Huddell, Tower, for Bastport.
From Montevideo, Jan 14, bark Trinidad,
Oard, for Annapolis, NS.

MEMORANDA. Passed out at Delaware Breskwater, Jan 14, str H H Pollock, from Philadelphia for Noviembre de Dios via St Themas.
Passed Isle of Wight, Jan 18, ship Astracra, Griffiths, from Iquique for Antwerp. In port at Buenos Ayres, Dec. 3, bark Strathmuir, McDougail, for Ohannel.
DUBLIN, Jan, 17.—Anchored in the bay: Str Glen Head, from Ardrossan for St John.
In port at Melbeurne, Dec 17, ship Andors, Daylos, for Newsystle, NSW, and Mauritius. Davies, for Newcastle, NSW, and Mauritius.
In port at Newcastle, Dec 19, ship Andreta, Nekterson, for San Francisco, Norwood, Roy, for Hollo.

In port at Port Spain, an 5, seh Elma,

Peace Chatham, Mass, Jan 18, as John J Hill, McLean, from Newport News for Bos-ton at 9 a m.

SPOKEN. From Nash Island Lighthouse to French-man's Bay, Maine Simms' Rock buoy, 2d class nun, red and black, horizontal stripes, is reported adrift. It will be replaced as soon as practicable.

NOTICE TO MARINERS Bark Charles E Lefurgey, Read, from Mobile for Montevideo, Dec 7, lat 5 N, lon 28 W.
Bark Landskrone, Starratt, from New
York for Rio Janeiro, Dec 12, lat 14 N, lon
31 W.
Sch Sir Hibbert, Rafuse, from New York
for Pelotas, Dec 23, lat 1 N, lon 27 W.

MARRIAGES.

McLEAN-FARRIS—On Jan. 18th, by Rev. J.
A. Gordon, M. A., Percy McLean of Robertson's Point, Queens Cog, and Clotida Farris of Waterborough, Queens Cog.
MILLER-PHILPS—At 5 Paddock street, on the 18th January, by the Rev. D. J. Fraser, B. D., Sidney Roys Miller of Napanes, Ont., to Rachel, daughter of the late James Philps of this city.
NORTHRUP-FROST—At Lower Norton church, January 18th, by Rev. C. P. Handagton, assisted by Rev. H S. Walnwright, Horace E. Northrup of Kingston, Kings, to Minnie M., daughter of J. Harvey Frost of Norton, Kings.

DEATHS.

FINLEY.—Suldealy, at her late residence, 165 Charlotte street, Susan, beloved wife of Joseph Finley. McWILLIAMS.—In this city, Jan. 17th, McWilliams.—In this city, Jan. 17th, George McWilliams.
MORRIS—On Jan. 18th, at Southwood, St. John Co., Carrie H., daughter of Annie Holt and Denis Morris.
THOMPSON.—At Wallace, N. S., Jan. 14th, Hilda May Thompson, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Thompson, aged 11 months.

—(Boston papers please copy.
TODD.—At Narrows, Queens Co., on Sun-day, Jan. 15th, Henry Todd, Esq., aged 89

years.

ROSS COOPER—On Jam. 18th, by Rev. J. A.

Gordon, M. A., Walter C. Ross of Fairwile and E. Blanch Cooper of St. John.

SMITH—At Milford, on Jan. 17th, Edward

Smith, only son of John Smith, after a

lingering illness, aged 18 years.

MARINE MATTERS. (From Wednesday's Daily Sun.)

Sch. Pearline loads lumber at Anapolis for Havana. Brigt. Electric Light, Capt. Edwards, from Demerara, reached New York on the 15th. She reports: Put into St. Thomas Nov. 25 in a leaking condition (as before reported); made temporary repairs and proceeded. Bark Florence B. Edgett, Capt.

Kay, at New York Jan. 15 from Rosario, reports: Dec. 26, about noon, John Birdseye, aged 53 years, a native of England, cook, fell or jumped overboard; threw a life buoy within a short distance of him and lowered a boat, but failed to save. He was slightly demented before Lis loss.

Capt. Meikle of the steamer Micmac, at Charleston from Hamburg, reports: Jan. 7, lat. 30.07 N., lon. 67.40 W., pass-

riella, New York to Surinam, general, \$1,800 and port charges; bark St. Croix, Boston to Buenos Ayres, lumber, \$8.50, ortion Portland, \$9; bark L. W. Nor ton, New York to Kingston, Ja., brick, \$2.50 and loaded; bark N. B. Morris Jamaica to New York, sugar, 11c.; sch. Nugget. Turk's Island to Boston salt, p. t.

(From Thursday's Daily Sun.)

Sch. Hazelwood loads coal at New York for St. John at \$1.10.

Ship Astracana, Capt. Griffiths, from Iquique for Antwerp, went ashore in the Scheldt and floated at high water.

Bark Swansea, Capt. Sanford, from Buenos Ayres for Barbados, has put into Mcntevideo partially disnisted in a gade.

S.S. Harlaw, Capt. Scott, from Bermuda, reached the island at 10 o'clock Tuesday night. On Sunday she encountered heavy gales from the west to northwest, increasing to a regular hurricane. Capt. Scott was forced to heave his vessel to for 2shours. The Harlaw loads at the government pier for Bermuda.

A London cable says: Steamer Cheromea, at Havre from Galveston, previously reported having sustained sundry damages during heavy weather, has machinery and hull injured. It was expected in St. John the steamer would sail from Havre Saturday for Cardiff for bunker coal. (From Thursday's Daily Sun.)

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Sch. Cunaxa sailed from Cardiff yesterday for Sandy Hook for orders.

Bark Angola, Capt. Crocker, from Cardiff Jan. 6 for Cape Town, has put into Queenstown with loss of some sells and with bulwarks damaged.

Capt. Buchanan has been appointed first officer of the s.s. Duart Castle, in place of J. W. Dalton, resigned.

Steamer Turce. Age, Capt. Brady, from Cardiff Ded. 21 for New York, has arrived at St. Johns, Nid., with 16 feet of water in forehold; survey is being held. Had to burn woodwork to make port.

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A Halfar despatch says: At a triad trip of steamer Prince Arthur on the 31st she ran 300 miles, developing speed of 20.34 knots. Will leave soon for Yarmouth, N. S. (From Friday's Daily Sun.)

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The Farmers' and Dairymen's Association of N. B. Meetings will be held at dates and places indicated below:

STAFF NO. L. Jan. 23.—Coverdale, Albert Co., Evening session. " 24.-Salem, Albert Co.,

Evening session. " 25 .- Riverside, Albert Co., Evening session. " 26 .- Salisbury, Westmorland Co.,

Evening session. " 27.-Corn Hill, Kings Co., Evening session. " 28.—Petitcodiac, Westmorland Co.,

Evening session. " 30.-Carsonville, Kings Co., Evening session " 31.-Collina, Kings Co., Evening session.

Feb. 1.—English Settlement, Queens Co Evening session. 2.-Waterford, Kings Co., " 3.-Jeffries' Corner, Kings Co.,

Evening session. 4.—Bloomfield, Kings Co., Evening session.

6.-Welsford, Queens Co., Evening session. 7.-Frederiction Junction, Sun. Co Evening session.

8.-Harvey, York Co., Evening session 9.-Moore's Mills, Charlotte Co., Evening session 10.-Canterbury Station, York Co.,

Evening session. STAFF NO. II.

Jan. 31.—Andover, Victoria Co., Evening ses Feb. 1.-Kincardine, Victoria Co., Afternoon and evening session.

Evening se " 3.-New Denmark, Victoria Co., Evening session 4.-Florenceville West, Car. Co., Evening session

6.—Glassville, Carleton Co., Evening session " 7.-Jacksonville, Carleton Co., Evening session

" 8.-Richmond Corner, Car. Co., Evening session 9.-Millville, York Co., Evening

" 10.-Keswick Ridge, York Co., Evening session " 11 .- Douglas, York Co., Evening se " 13.-Upper Gagetown, Queens Co.

Evening session 14. -Sheffield (Temperance Hall), Sunbury Co., Evening session. 15.-Lincoln, Sumbury Co., Evening session

The list of speakers has not yet been completed. It will be advertised later. C. H. LABILLOIS. Com. of Agriculture. W. W. HUBBARD,

Cor.-Secretary F & D. Assn.

NOTICE OF SALE

To the Heirs, Executors, Administrators and Assigns of Henry J. Du Vernet, late of the Partish of Gagetown, in the County of Queens, farmer; Priscilla A., his wife, and all others whom it may in any wise Parish of Gegetown, in the County of Queens, farmer; Priseilla A., his wife, and all others whom it may in any wise concern:

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in two several Indentures of Mortgage, made between the said Henry J. Du Vernet and Priscilla A., his wife, of the one part, and the undersigned, James A. Caswell of the Parish of Gegetown, aforesaid, doctor of medicine, of the other part, the first of which said mortgages bears date the fifth day of November, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four, and the second the fifth day of September, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six, there will for the purpose of satisfying the moneys secured by the said mortgages, default having been made in the payment of the principal and interest secured by the said mortgages, default having been made in the payment of the principal and interest secured by the said mortgages, be sold at Public Auction, in front of the office of the Registrar of Deeds and Wills, at the Parish of Gegetown, in the County of Queens, on SATURDAY, the Eleventh day of February, A. D. 1899, at the hour of twelve o'clock, noon, the lands mentioned in the said several Indentures of Montgage, and described therein as follows:

"All that certain tract, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the Parish of Gegetown, in Queens County and Prevince of New Brunswick, willed by the late Chief Justice, the Hon. Robert Parker, to the said Henry J. Du Vernet, and bounded as follows: "On the north by land owned and occupied by one John Mokinney; on the west by the base line of the river tots; on the south by land owned and occupied by the said Henry J. Du Vernet and Pricoilla, his wife, to Her Majesty the Queen, by deed dated the thirty-first day of March, A. D. 1894, and recorded in Book No. 2 of Queens County Record will more fully appear, containing two hundred and fifty acres, more or less, together with all and engalar, the buildings and impr

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