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Jews of the Week.

New Brunswick.

The N. B. government has decided that the \$1,000 grant to the New Brunswick contingent fund shall be paid into the central fund at St. John's to be disposed of by the committee in charge of the same, it being understood that the provincial secretary shall represent the government on such committee.

The tender of Albert Brewer, Upper Woodstock, for the Hartland bridge, has been accepted. The price is \$27,945.

It is said that Messrs. Peters, whose tannery was recently burned at St. John, will establish their industry at Fredericton or in its suburbs. Representatives of the Messrs. Peters have been discussing the matter with representative citizens.

At Chatham, Wednesday, the 7 years old son of James Welsh was drowned. He was sliding on the ice; it broke, and he could not be rescued.

R. B. Hanson of Boabach proposes building a saw mill at the mouth of the Magaguadavic river.

The cheese factory at Corn Hill, Kings Co., has closed for the season. It received 1,030,000 lbs. of milk, from which about 100,875 lbs. of cheese were made. The farmers netted a little over 70 cents per 100 lbs and got the whey back.

Considerable Shore Line railway property was destroyed by fire at St. George, Thursday morning. The fire spread rapidly and destroyed the set of buildings that comprised the old machine shops. These included the machine shop, the polishing mill, two blacksmith shops, the cutters' shed and outhouses. In the machine shop were a passenger car and a flat car. Both were consumed. The fire is supposed to have started from the boiler in the polishing mill. Some of the property was leased to the granite cutters and some was used by the railway for storage purposes, and for a carpenter repair shop. The loss is quite heavy. The Shore Line had \$6,500 insurance.

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Nova Scotia.

It is said that a large publishing house is looking for a site on which to build in the town of North Sydney.

An explosion in the Union Colliery Co.'s Cumberland mine, Wednesday, killed two men, and injured several others.

The biggest order ever received by a mining company in Nova Scotia was that received by the Dominion Coal Co. when it was notified to ship 120,000 tons of coal to the United States by February next. Besides this order 150,000 tons or so will be required during the next three months to supply the Canadian orders of the Dominion Coal Co.

A number of Windsor capitalists have subscribed \$100,000 to the stock list of Calcium Carbide Co.

A shipment of 50 cases of canned finnan haddie has been made direct from Yarmouth to Buenos Ayres, as an experiment.

Fred W. Arnold has been appointed immigration agent at Halifax in place of Mr. J. A. Kirk, appointed warden of Dorchester Penitentiary.

The minister of Marine, on representation made to him by the pilots and shipping interest at Halifax, has decided to make the pilotage rates at Halifax uniform all round. The present water rates will prevail in summer and winter.

Kings county, Nova Scotia, speculators are now paying 40c. per bushel for potatoes, for shipment to Havana, an advance of ten cents on the price ruling a week ago.

Lewis Cohn, a dealer in bankrupt stock, was arrested in Halifax for alleged fraud at the instance of Montreal houses, and was taken to Montreal, Wednesday, for trial.

Wilbur Terry, M. D. son of Alexander Terry, of Guysboro, died of smallpox at Pittsburgh, Pa., on Monday last. He was 30 years of age.

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W. C. and C. W. Elderton, of Advocate, N. S. expect to cut about 4,000,000 feet of deals this winter.

The Truro Knitting Mill Co. will enlarge their plant. About 50 hands are now employed, and when the new mill is completed over 100 hands will be engaged.

At Yarmouth, Thursday, fire destroyed a small dwelling occupied by Thos. Carr, boiler maker. Mrs. Carr, about 70 years old, who was alone in the house, perished. The adjoining house caught and was badly damaged. Both were owned by the Burrell Johnson Iron Co. The latter was occupied by Arthur Smith, truckman, whose furniture was mostly saved. No insurance.

There live on Pictou Island 41 families including 152 souls. 34 families are "Macos"—12 MacDonalds, 11 MacCullums.

The Coast Railway is making progress, the rails being now laid from Yarmouth to Barrington—53 miles. Thomas Robertson has been re-elected President of the company, and W. B. Ross, Vice-President. In 18 months Shelburne will be reached by rail. It is proposed to erect a fine hotel at Barrington.

On Wednesday quite a serious collision occurred on the I. C. R. at James River, this side of Mulgrave, between two specials, and considerable damage was done to the rolling stock, both engines being badly smashed up and some of the cars more or less damaged. Robert Sweatman had his jaw broken and his head badly cut.

At Halifax, Friday, T. P. Frederickson, donkey-engineman on the steamship Manchester Commerce stumbled and fell into the hold, about twenty feet, landing on his head and shoulders, and was unconscious when picked up. He was cut about the face, and it is feared, injured internally.

Fridy, a little girl, daughter of A. Botulier, engineer at Richard's Mill, Bedford, sustained such serious injuries by burning that she died that evening. The child, seven years of age, was putting shavings in the stove at her home, when the shavings ignited so quickly as to set fire to her apron. Her clothing was quickly ablaze. The fire was quickly smothered out of the clothing, but the flesh on her body and face was badly burned.

A Storm is Brewing.
Your old rheumatism tells you so. Better get rid of it and trust to the weather reports. Scott's Emulsion is the best remedy for chronic rheumatism. It often makes a complete cure.

Other Provinces.

Levi Stewart, colored, has been sentenced at Windsor, Ont., to be hanged on Feb. 9 for the murder of an old man named Joseph Ross on July 18.

Great destruction to sheep has been wrought by dogs in P. E. I. during the last few weeks. The latest report of losses is from John Court of Back River, whose valuable flock was destroyed in one night.

A fire at Regina Monday morning, resulted in the death of three of the sons of Constable Saunders. Their mother barely escaped with her life.

The Owen Sound, Ont. iron works were partially destroyed by fire, Wednesday.

Ferdinand L. L. L. ex-accountant of the Banque Ville Marie, Montreal, has been arrested on the charge of stealing \$173,000 of the bank's funds.

At Coburg, Ont., Wednesday, public library of 4,000 volumes was almost completely destroyed by fire. The insurance will not nearly cover the loss.

Alex. Grant, an Englishman, at Stovey, B. C., held a cow while J. Jones shot the animal. The bullet struck the animal's skull, and glanced off and went through Grant's temple. The poor fellow fell to the ground dead.

The Manitoba government's crop bulletin issued today shows the yields as follows: Wheat 27,922,230; oats 22,318,378; barley 5,374,156; potatoes 4,226,396.

United States.

The worst fire that Augusta, Georgia, has had in years caused \$1,000,000 damage on Sunday.

A fire at Gloucester, N. J., Sunday cost two lives and destroyed the Green Tree Hotel and stables and the Clifton House.

Fire at Nebraska Penitentiary, Lincoln, Friday, consumed the manufacturing building. The loss amounts to nearly \$200,000. All the prisoners are believed to have escaped injury.

The crops in Kansas this year are enormous. Winter wheat yields 42,815,471 bushels; corn 225,183,432 bushels, the largest corn crop in any exception the State has ever produced, and it exceeds in value any preceding crop by a good deal more than a million dollars. The combined home value of the three grains—wheat, corn and oats—is \$80,888,622, or a total increase over the 1898 value of the same crops of \$13,384,621.

In Boston, last week, the republicans won a great victory in the municipal election. Hon. Thomas N. Hart defeating Geo. Patrick A. Collins, the democratic nominee for mayor, by 1,904 votes, the total vote being: Hart, 40,665; Collins, 38,761. The democrats, however, still control both branches of the city government, the board of aldermen by a somewhat increased majority.

The publishing house of Harper & Bros. in New York City, have passed into a receivership. The liabilities are \$5,500,000, of which \$2,000,000 are unsecured. The assets are said to be largely in excess, but not available for quickly realizing on them. The business is to continue.

FOR THE HOLIDAYS.—This is the season when people require for themselves or as presents for their friends, good warm clothing, either in underware, coats, pants, vests, overcoats, reefers, boots, overshoes, etc. Lucy & Co. keep a large stock of these goods, which have been bought from the best manufacturers in Canada, and selected by an old experienced buyer for this market. They don't touch shoddies. They leave these goods in the hands of our city's Cheap John, who gives you "everyday for nothing." They have some excellent value in boys' overcoats and reefers, which were bought less than their real value, and which are selling very low, they have also a few Persian lamb and beaver caps which they are selling very low.

British and Foreign.

The distress of the famine stricken districts of India is becoming more acute. About 2,500,000 persons have received relief.

The men of the English navy are not at all apathetic. According to the last return there is \$1,313,860 standing to the credit of blue-jackets in ships' or at the dockyard. The number of depositors is 23,000. It will be seen that each man, on the average, has over \$50 to his credit.

A Great 57 Cents Worth.

This is frequently called "woman's century," and the appellation becomes significant when one considers the difference in woman's position to day from what it was a hundred years ago. She is rapidly becoming a force in the business world, as well as in the world of art and letters, yet her home interests have not seemed to suffer in consequence, as may be proven by the increase in publications for the homemaker during the past few years. The Housekeeper, established in 1877, was one of the first journals to recognize woman's demand for a periodical devoted to progressive methods in housekeeping. "Helpful, instructive and progressive" has always been its motto. It is a thirty-six page monthly, beautifully illustrated with half tone plates, and full of good things from cover to cover. It tells the homemaker how to cook, how to dress, how to care for her babies, how to raise flowers and chickens, and how to do many other things, and it also keeps her fairly well informed concerning current events, besides giving a large amount of good fiction and special articles on timely topics. Upwards of 140,000 subscribers pronounce it to be the best of the "domestic" magazines. It is certainly a wonderful 57 cents' worth.

The Housekeeper also publishes the famous "Buckeye Cookery," which has proven a boon to thousands of housewives. It is a standard up-to-date illustrated work of 540 large pages. More than 750,000 copies have been sold by subscription at \$1.75 per copy. The publishers will give a free copy of this book, bound in strong leather paper covers, to all who subscribe for the magazine, provided they will pay the cost of mailing, which is seven cents. Send 57 cents for "The Housekeeper" and "Buckeye Cookery." Address is Minneapolis, Minn.

Moving Sidewalks.

One of the features of the Paris Exhibition will be a series of moving sidewalks (trottoirs mobiles) constructed on a scale sufficiently large to demonstrate the practicability of their general introduction into the large cities of the world. Two of these moving sidewalks or platforms are to be erected along the banks of the Seine to connect the new exhibition grounds with the old, and will be nine miles in length. It is expected that these sidewalks will be most useful in relieving the congestion which is sure to occur along these strips of the river bank. One of the sidewalks, which will be entirely within the exhibition grounds, will be built on the ground, as there will be no need for it to cross, but in the case of the other, which will run on the north bank of the river, the construction will be on the elevated principle. In each case the moving sidewalk will be triple. One strip will be stationary, another will be kept moving at the rate of three miles an hour, while the third will be always moving at a rate of close on six miles an hour. The motive power employed will be electricity, and each running platform is furnished with a continuous rail, and is pushed forward by fixed rollers. The two moving platforms will be operated by the same motive power, which is applied regularly at intervals throughout the length of the line. Meanwhile, a short experimental strip of moving sidewalk has been constructed at Saint-Ouen, which is being used every day by large numbers of deeply interested Parisians who are ever on the lookout for novelty, and who find in this sidewalk one that exactly suits their fancy. The proprietors of this new venture have already realized a considerable sum of money from it.

Christ's Attitude Towards Evil.

Dr. R. A. Torrey says: Christ and His immediate disciples attack, exposed and denounced error. We are constantly told in this day that we ought not to attack error, but simply teach the truth. This is the method of the coward and trimmer. It was not the method of Christ. For example, in John 8: 21, 24, Jesus attacked the error of those who denied his divinity saying that they should die of their sins, and could not go whither he went. In the forty-seventh verse of the same chapter he declared that those who did not receive his teachings were not of God.

Rev. Andrew Murray agrees with Dr. Torrey that the church of to-day needs men who, like Samuel, Elijah, and Nehemiah, will lift up their voices against error with power, but claims that the teachers need more than one thing in judging error. He says: "One is a deep humility in the consciousness of our ignorance and limitation; our utter unfitness to be judges of the danger of our seeing the mote in our brother's eye and not knowing the beam in our own. Another is a heart and life fully yielded up to the Holy Ghost, revealing to us the truth of God in its spiritual power, and showing us whether we are called upon to bear public testimony against the teaching of our brethren. And then, with the humility and meekness of wisdom which the teaching of the Spirit would give, a holy boldness in the assurance that we are sent of God, and that the weapons of our warfare are mighty through God."

Endorsing which the Telescope adds that there is as much need for the faithful ambassador of Christ to "cry aloud and spare not" to-day as there was in the days of the old prophets.

The teacher of the people is under the most sacred obligation to keep within the bounds of the teaching of God's Word. It is his duty to assail the sin. He must hold up to public gaze in all their enormity sins personal, social, and individual, and fire into them hot shot from the live magazine of Holy Writ. If he thus presents the truth to the people, the truth will make them free, and then they will be free indeed.

Dr. Cuyler is lamenting the falling off of candidates for the Presbyterian ministry. Five years ago the number of students preparing for the pulpit was 959; last year it was only 787.

It is said that the Tombs Prison mission work, New York, carried on by pastors of all the denominations carries the Gospel to as many as twenty-five thousand poor, unfortunate human beings every year.

"Wash and pray" is a Mexican boy's version of a familiar text. He is an Endeavourer, and has to wash dishes in the school in which he is being trained.

You Can't Dodge Them

Did you ever try to dodge the rain-drops? Did not succeed very well, did you? It's just as useless to try to escape from the germs of consumption. You can't do it. They are about us on every hand and we are constantly taking them into our lungs.

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WHERE THEY WILL END.—Rev. Basil Maturin, formerly a minister of the Church of England, now a Roman Catholic priest, is reported as saying that the present movements in the English Church will in the long run end in the Church of Rome. It is impossible for outsiders, he said, to imagine how Catholic the Church of England is in many parishes. When he was in the Church of England he no more doubted that what he said was the Mass, any more than it was the Mass he said now as a priest of the Catholic Church. There were multitudes of people in that state of mind in the Church of England, and it was the great work of the Catholic Truth Society to lead them into the true fold.

PRONOUNCE THEM.—The N. Y. Advocate tells that on a recent day among those who applied for their first naturalization papers in the United States Circuit Court in the city of New York were the following citizens of foreign powers: Spiro Papastavropoulos, Greece; Cologero Tutoties, Italy; Ferzian Dikran Garabias, Turkey; Facheliere de Hencelleive, France; Henri A. Van Der Pauwert, Holland; Pinots Tvaachtenbroit, Russia; Gander Torkildsen, Norway; Felix I. de Cuspere Barrell, Spain; Schwarzbard Schilbee, Austria; Bentojose Sirbas, Portugal; and Antonio S. Fernandez Roswies, Cuba.

We commend this list of names to our young friends as an exercise in pronunciation.

The total wealth of the world is computed to be five hundred billions of dollars. Of this sum three hundred and fifty billions are in the possession of the Christian nations; and of this sum again two hundred billions belong to the Protestant nations.—Statesman.

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