



DIFFERENT TYPES OF JEWS.

The Israelitish Race is Divided into Two Parts.

We continually hear of the Israelitish race. It is spoken of as the most homogeneous of races, and the most refractory, says the Monist. But it is strongly diverse. Anthropologists are accustomed to divide it into two parts well distinguished—the dolichocephalic and the brachycephalic. To the first type belong the Sephardim Jews, the Spanish and the Portuguese Jews, even the larger part of the Jews of Italy and southern France. To the second belong the Askénazim Jews—that is to say, the Polish Russian and German Jews. In Africa we find agricultural and nomadic Jews allied to the Kabylos and to the Berbers near Setif, from Guclma and Biskra to the frontiers of Morocco. They travel in caravans to Timbuctoo, and some of their tribes upon the confines of the Sahara are black, as for instance the Daggatomis, as are also the Falachas Jews of Abyssinia. In India white Jews are found in Bombay, and black Jews in Cochín. As to the Jews in China, they are not only allied to the Chinese who surround them, but they have even adopted their customs and the religion of Confucius. It is well known that in Italy they speak Italian, as in France they speak French, and in Germany German. A language is learned and spoken by two peoples which have no other point of contact.

Parrot Diseases.

Psittacosis, the peculiar form of bronchial pneumonia communicated by parrots, has broken out in Genoa, 14 cases, eight of them fatal, being traced to a single importation of two sick Brazilian parrots. The health board has warned the citizens against harboring parrots as pets. At Berlin the veterinary school has found that out of 174 sick parrots 54 were suffering from tuberculosis. The disease is hereditary in the birds, and is intensified by the close confinement and discomfort of the voyage to Europe.

Queer Funeral Music.

At a recent funeral in Vincennes, France, the remains were those of a man past 80, a band played a series of polkas and mazurkas and wound up with the Marseillaise at the grave. It was done in obedience to the orders left by the deceased. He said he had lived 80 years and had had a good time and saw no reason for mourning over the departure.

Didn't Know He Was Elected.

That a man could be elected to represent a constituency in parliament without any knowledge of the fact seems impossible, yet such has been the case of Alfred Pease, now M. P. for Cleveland. Mr. Pease was traveling abroad when a vacancy occurred and he was nominated and afterwards elected by a good majority. Sir Joseph Pease received a telegram from his son from Arden in these terms: "News of candidature and election received. I will try and merit the honor my friends and neighbors have conferred." Such an occurrence could hardly take place in this country.

An Old Telegraph Message.

At the annual meeting of the Telegraphic Historical Society of the United States in Washington the other day William B. Wilson, of Philadelphia, was elected president for the ensuing year. During the course of the meeting Secretary Maynard laid before the society a copy of the first telegram sent over the wire west of the Alleghany mountains. The message was from Adjt. Gen. G. W. Bowman to President Polk. Gen. Bowman was at that time (December 29, 1846) at Pittsburgh, organizing the Second regiment of Pennsylvania volunteers gathered there for service in the Mexican war.

Biggest Fire Engines.

The two biggest fire engines in the world are in Liverpool. These are the most powerful fire engines known, throwing 1,800 gallons of water a minute, and a jet 140 feet high. The force with which the water is ejected from them may be estimated from the fact that the jet is "warranted to kill a man at 50 feet."

Asiatic Vines in France.

Japanese and Chinese vines have been successfully acclimated near Alencon, in northern France, in a district where grapes for wine have never been raised. Their fruit ripens in the middle of September, and produces a fair, weak wine that can be used to "cut" the stronger southern wines.

Deaf, Dumb and Blind.

The ratio of deaf mutes and blind in all civilized countries rises much faster than that of the population.

ABSENT-MINDED.

This Man Carried a Lighted Lamp Several Blocks.

An amusing case of absent-mindedness was experienced by a young south sizer the other evening, says the Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph. The young man is usually of a bright nature, but for some time past his friends have been noticing that he does some peculiar things. Not long ago he was at a reception, and a few minutes before closing time he went to the coat box and secured his hat and coat. Then he walked upstairs to the dancing floor and picked up another coat and walked home with it on his arm. Arriving at his home he found that he had one coat on and another on his arm. The next day he found the owner of the extra coat and mutual explanations followed and all was well. But that has been eclipsed by his latest exploits. He had finished his toilet and started for the street. As soon as he made his appearance he was greeted with smiles from everybody who saw him. He walked down the street and could not imagine what made the passersby smile at him. Finally he reached the restaurant where he takes his meals, then he realized that he was carrying something in his hand. He looked at it and found that he had carried the lighted lamp from his room and had walked several blocks along the main street with it in his hand.

Another case is cited concerning the same young man. At the office where he is employed he has occasion to answer many calls at the telephone. One evening he was reading a book in his room when an alarm clock rang in an adjoining room. The absent-minded youth got up and commenced to yell "Hello! Hello!" and when the occupant of the other room inquired as to the cause of the yelling the young man said in a sheepish manner: "Oh, I thought it was the telephone bell ringing."

BRITISH SHIPYARDS.

The Thousands of Men Employed in Them Across the Water.

Of marine engineers alone there are over 9,000 employed on the Clyde, and in the boiler shops slightly over 3,000 more men, in the shipyards a full muster of fitters, platers, riveters, calkers, carpenters, joiners and laborers would add more than 30,000, and over and above would have to be included an army of draughtsmen, clerks, time-keepers and counters in proportion. These, says a writer in Cassier's Magazine, are official figures.

Belfast, where no official figures are available, may safely be set down as employing 6,000 men, and about half that total is the measure of the industrial activity in one commercial capital in Ireland. Taking the extensive repair work into consideration, 5,000 men represent about the total on the Mersey; in the royal dockyards at Pembroke, Davenport, Portsmouth, Chatham and Sheerness, 23,049 men are employed, of whom about a third are in the engine shops; and on the Thames, which is, despite its decadence in shipbuilding, an engineering center, the total number of men employed in the industry is approximately 8,000—3,000 shipworkers and 5,000 engineers. Of the northeast coast of England the total, including the Humber, is not far short of 70,000, of whom about two-thirds are shipyard hands.

PAGININI WAS MISERLY.

Close-Fistedness Was One of the Characteristics of the Great Violinist.

Plunkett Greene, the Irish baritone, tells a good story which illustrates the closeness in money matters for which Paganini was almost as celebrated as for his violin playing, says the Troy Times. It seems that at the time the great violinist was giving his concerts in London he resided in Regent street quadrant, and when he practiced it was with a mute on his violin so that nobody might hear but those who paid for the privilege of his public performances. His fame reached his landlady, who had a power of appreciating artistic greatness which ought to have promoted her to a more elevated position than that of presiding over a wash tub. She was seized with an irrepressible desire to participate in the wondrous influence his marvelous bow had over his magic fiddle; consequently when she brought home his linen on the next occasion she sent up her humble and modest request that he would be good enough to give an order for the gallery to hear him play at his next concert. He complied readily and sent her down a pass or two, but when her account was settled she was startled to find that the price of the two admissions was deducted from it.

"Peace with Honor."

The Boston Transcript declares that Lord Beaconsfield did not originate the phrase "peace with honor," but he had the wit to remember and apply it at the propitious moment, as history is aware. The other day an Englishman, whose mission it was to expose this fallacy, told an amusing story on the strength of it. It appears that at some dissolving views a photograph of Lord Beaconsfield and Lord Salisbury was thrown on the screen, and underneath those famous words were written. Having carefully studied the two faces an old woman in the audience innocently inquired: "And which is the—?"

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A 90-YEAR-OLD LIFE-SAVER.

Strange Old Samaritan of the Sea Who Lives on a Lonely Island.

Peter W. Green, the governor of a group of three tiny islands of volcanic origin off the African coast in the South Atlantic, and geographically known as Tristan d'Acunha, is one of the most remarkable life-savers in the world, says the New York World. For 60 years and more he has made life-saving from shipwreck his business, having little else to do, as he expressed himself to a recent visitor, the captain of the English mail boat which touches at the islands once a year. Mr. Green is a native of England and now in his 90th year. At the age of 30, when sailing before the mast on a British vessel, he was wrecked near Tristan, and he and several companions were saved by the exertions of the natives. His friends, some time later, were taken on board a passing ship, but Green remained there and in the following year was nominated governor of the islands because of his wisdom and the esteem in which he was held. The office he has held ever since, combining with it the duties of a clergyman and a doctor.

Green has always been on the lookout for persons and ships in distress and he has saved many hundred lives from certain death on the rocky coast, the rescued ones being of all nationalities. The governor has received decorations and medals from almost every monarch in the world in recognition of his humane efforts. The United States government presented him with a handsome gold chronometer and chain. His own sovereign, Queen Victoria, sent him recently a most appropriate present—namely, a life-saving boat, with apparatus of the newest models. The islands which he governs contain only from 55 to 60 inhabitants, poor natives, whom Gov. Green has educated to be, like himself, Samaritans of the sea.

QUARRELSOME BIRDS.

The Missal Thrush is Cruel and Piti- less.

The robin, that "pious" bird, is very quarrelsome, and it exasperates one to watch him wasting the precious hours in hunting another hungry robin down, and round and round, till the sparrows have cleared the board, says the Contemporary Review. The blackbirds, too, are very annoying in the way that they snatch up a lump of bread and fly off with it, only to be chased about for the rest of the morning by other blackbirds, while a sparrow makes a square meal off the morsel fallen meanwhile under a shrub. But, relentless as they are in pursuit, the curious fact is that they seldom fight. If the pursued turns, the pursuer stops, perks up his tail, and being promptly charged by the other, becomes in turn the pursued. But woe to both when the missal thrush comes. He is pitiless in pursuit, and I have seen them pass my window time after time in the course of a morning, the storm cock hard on the "heels" of the blackbird. And when they overtake them what happens? For myself, I have often said before I believe the missal thrush a cannibal. At any rate, I attribute some of the dead blackbirds and thrushes that one finds about the grounds to his cruel beak. He watches for birds for hours at a time, like a bird of prey, and attacks like one. I have often stopped a chase which I knew could only end in one way.

CONSCIENCE'S PROMPTINGS.

Those Who Have Defrauded the Government Have Sent Back \$300,000.

So strong is the influence wielded by conscience, and so frequently does it cause the wrong-doer to atone for his sin, that for the past 85 years the conscience fund has been officially recognized as one of the regular sources of revenue for the United States government, writes Clifford Howard in Ladies' Home Journal. During this time the consciences of the American people have added to Uncle Sam's resources at the rate of about \$300 a month, or a total sum up to the present year of something over \$300,000—the amounts of the individual contributions varying from a few cents to several thousand dollars. The smallest contribution ever made to the conscience fund was received in May, 1896, and consisted of a two-cent stamp, which was inclosed in the following letter of explanation: "I once sent a letter in with a photograph (unsealed), which I have since learned was not lawful. I inclose stamp to make it right." By a curious coincidence the largest sum ever contributed, reached the treasury department about the same time that the stamp was received. This was a bill of exchange for \$14,225.15, which had been sent to the secretary of state by the consul-general at London, to whom the money had been given by a clergyman on behalf of a person unknown, no name being given.

Long Sleepers.

The American in England affords matter for much perplexity and astonishment to his English kinsmen. One of our countrymen was being shown an old church, wherein hundreds of people were buried. "A great many people sleep between these walls," said the guide, indicating the inscription-covered floor with a sweep of his hand. "So?" said the American; "same way over in our country. Why don't you get a more interesting preacher?"

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