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The Jews of Palestine

The story of the sufferings of the Jews at the hands of the nations, which makes some of the blackest pages of history, is not yet ended. It is being continued today in Palestine under the rule of the Turks and their allies, the Germans.

As is well known, the so-called Zionist movement, aided by wealthy Jewish philanthropists, has of recent years led thousands of Jews to the Holy Land. They have gone, many of them, under the conviction that the prophecies of the Old Testament point to a period when a Jewish Kingdom will be established there with Mt. Zion for its capital, and that their ancient religion with all its forms and ceremonies will then be continued in preparation for the coming of the Messiah.

The present war has put a damper upon their hopes, and added its own quota to the sad tale of the nation's sorrow. Because of their unwillingness to pledge allegiance to Turkish authority, or to constitute a province of the Ottoman Empire, many of them have been expelled from their homes under circumstances of great injustice and cruelty. In March 6000 refugees from Palestine were hurried to Alexandria. Most of these were taken over by the American warship Tennessee, which made five trips during the months of December, January and February, last past.

The announcement was made one day in Jaffa at noon that all Jews who had not accepted Ottoman citizenship must leave the country at four o'clock in a steamer which was ready to take them. The police seized all men and women who were upon the street. They were not allowed to return home to prepare for a journey during the prevailing cold weather. Boatmen with poignards threatened to kill them if they did not hand over all money and jewels in their possession. Women were disrobed and jewels taken from them. Business establishments were robbed by Ottoman authorities. Silks, garments, gloves and perfumes were needed, it was said, by the soldiers. Overcoats and leggings were taken from them on the streets. A building, formerly the residence of the Khedive in Alexandria, but later used as a quarantine station, was opened for the reception of these sufferers, and as many as possible crowded into it. Twenty-six families, in one case, were found gathered in a single room, and seven horse-stalls were occupied by two families. They are dependent upon relief work, at the head of which is Mrs. Broadbent, an Englishwoman. In other Egyptian towns the condition is just as deplorable. The lady, whose report furnishes these items, says that this deportation of the Jews from Palestine is favored by the Germans, who find in the well-known business capacity of the Jews a menace to their own commercial advancement.

These Jews claim to have gone to Palestine from various European countries, and the Consuls of these countries are making plans to enable them to ride over the present difficulties, and to assist them to return to Palestine, as they desire to do, if the issues of the war make it possible, or rather, feasible.

An Example of Perseverance

The closing of the Schools and Colleges for the summer vacation brings to mind the case of a young man who should act as an encouragement to other young persons who are seeking a higher education in spite of difficulties.

This young man was a native of San Domingo, where the common language is Spanish. He was one of a family of sixteen children. His father wished him to become a physician and promised him financial aid for the purpose, but as the father was not a wealthy man, the son declined the offer, believing that so large a draft upon the resources of the father would be unfair to his brothers and sisters. The young man determined to seek his own fortune. He made his way, by his own endeavors, to Sackville, N. B. Arriving at the station, the only English words he knew were "Palmer Academy." By their aid he was directed to the Academy. In two years he acquired such a mastery of English as enabled him to prepare and read in public a very creditable account of his experiences from the time of his leaving home to the time of preparing the paper. Subsequently he sought employment in New York, but becoming

dissatisfied he went to France, and after a course of study in an institution in Paris, he received the degree of LL.B. Thence he went to a German university and won the degree of LL.D. He then returned to his home in San Domingo, where he is engaged with a good degree of success in educational work, and is otherwise a very useful citizen.

Many spheres of usefulness are open to the young men and women of today, and all of them are demanding more loudly than ever a well-equipped mind. On the other hand, the opportunities for a good educational preparation for life's duties are easy of access and available by everyone who is determined to embrace them.

Scott Act Repeal

The DATE of Election is July 8th. The AIM of the Temperance Alliance is to repeal the Scott Act.

The PURPOSE is to secure the more effective and better N. S. Temperance Act which will insure a drier County. The CHALLENGE comes to the Temperance Electors of Annapolis County to prove their principles at the polls.

A TEMPERANCE MAN is good, a TEMPERANCE ELECTOR is better; and it is only the actual casting of TEMPERANCE VOTES that will bring into operation better temperance legislation in this County.

TEMPERANCE ELECTORS of Annapolis County, let not CARELESSNESS or INDIFFERENCE give the victory to the enemy on July 8th. VOTE THE RED BALLOT.

The N. S. Temperance Alliance has drawn up the following comparison between the Scott Act and the N. S. Temperance Act, and in this comparison presents some reasons why the electors should vote for the repeal of the Scott Act.

SOME REASONS WHY THE SCOTT ACT SHOULD BE REPEALED

The Nova Scotia Temperance Act placed upon the Statutes by the Government of Nova Scotia in 1910 and amended in 1911, 1912 and 1913, can be used with better effect than the Scott Act in the suppression of the liquor traffic in the province. It is superior in many respects.

Some of the outstanding advantages of the N. S. Temperance Act are:

All Alcoholic Drinks Prohibited

1. The prohibition of the sale or keeping for sale of all drinkable liquids containing alcohol.

Various kinds of beer with a light percentage of alcohol, very injurious to the system, are being legally sold in Scott Act Counties—the N. S. T. Act prohibits the sale of such drinks.

Jail Penalty After First Offence

2. The jail penalty must be imposed after one first offence. The Inspector is liable to a penalty of \$20.00 if he does not regularly proceed from first to second or subsequent offence. This provision does away with the system in many municipalities of enforcing law to obtain revenue rather than to suppress the traffic.

No Personal Use Provision

3. Under the amended Scott Act liquor can be legally shipped by Halifax dealers for personal use into Scott Act Counties. Halifax is thus the provincial bar-room for Scott Act Counties.

But liquor cannot be legally shipped by Halifax dealers into Nova Scotia Temperance Counties. The penalty is \$50.00 for the first offence, \$100.00 for the second, and \$200.00 for third and each subsequent offence.

Safe-Guarding of Court Records

4. Stipendiary Magistrates must send to the County Prothonotary a certificate of each conviction and such certificate in all proceedings upon an information where a previous conviction is charged, is sufficient evidence of such previous conviction. This provision in the N. S. Temperance Act means the safe-guarding of papers absolutely necessary for efficient enforcement.

Less Difficulty in Making Seizures of Liquor.

5. Any Inspector or police officer may at any time without warrant enter and search premises where he believes liquors are kept for sale or disposal contrary to the provisions of this Act, and seize any liquors unlawfully kept. Under the Scott Act the officer requires a search warrant and it can be executed only between 6 a. m. and 9 p. m.

Disposal of Fraudulent Shipments.

6. Any Inspector may without warrant seize and remove liquor he finds in transit in any vehicle or at any wharf, warehouse or other place. The Scott Act is ineffective where liquor is in actual transportation in a truck or wagon within a municipality, and in all seizures the Scott Act Officer must have a warrant.

If it appears to the magistrate that such liquor was consigned to some person in a fictitious name, or was shipped as other goods, or was concealed in such a manner as would

probably render discovery more difficult it is prima facie evidence of violation.

Liquor Peddlers May be Searched

7. Any person who may be suspected of selling liquor from or keeping for illegal sale in his pockets or from or in any vehicle, may himself and his vehicle, be searched, and if any liquor be found he may be arrested.

Clubs Can be Suppressed.

8. Under the amended Scott Act clubs are common. The N. S. T. Act prohibits such places; the keeping or having in any house or building or in any room or place occupied or controlled by any incorporated or unincorporated society, association or club or any member or members thereof or by any person of any liquor, is a violation of the Act.

Prescriptions by Physicians

9. Under the Scott Act a physician who prescribes liquor for other than medical purposes is liable to a fine of \$20 for first offence and \$40 for subsequent offences.

Under the new Act prescriptions can only be given to persons whom the doctor has visited professionally within three days and the penalty for violation of this provision is \$50 for first offence and \$100, or two months imprisonment for second.

Enforcement.

10. It is made the express duty of the Council, police and temperance committee and every officer and inspector to enforce this Act and take necessary proceedings to punish offenders.

To Obtain Repeal

To obtain the repeal of the Scott Act in any county, petitions must be signed by one fourth of the electors and forwarded to Ottawa. A date is then fixed for the election. If a majority vote for repeal, the N. S. Temperance Act will automatically come into force in the county.

MARK YOUR BALLOT THUS:

Against the Act	X
For the Act	

The words "Against the Act" will be printed in red ink.

"Against the Act" means against the Scott Act.

In voting Against the Scott Act, you vote For the Nova Scotia Temperance Act.

VOTE THE RED BALLOT

and help bring into force the Nova Scotia Temperance Act, which can be used with better effect to destroy the liquor traffic in Nova Scotia.

G. C. WARREN, Secretary.

ITINERARY OF REV. H. R. GRANT

The Temperance Alliance of the County has secured the services of Rev. H. R. Grant, Secretary of the Provincial Alliance who will address meetings in the interests of the repeal as follows:

Wednesday, June 23—Granville Ferry.

Thursday, June 24—Port Wade.

Friday, June 25—Round Hill.

Saturday, June 26—Dalhousie.

Sunday, June 27—Bentville Methodist Church at 11 a. m., Centrelea Baptist Church at 3 p. m., Belleisle at 7.30.

Monday, June 28—Hampton.

Tuesday, June 29—Paradise.

Wednesday, June 30—Centre Clarence.

Thursday, July 1—Lawrencetown in the afternoon, Port Lorne in the evening.

Friday, July 2—Port George.

Saturday, July 3—Margaretville.

Sunday, July 4—Middleton in the morning, Melvern Square in the afternoon, Nictaux in the evening.

Monday, July 5—Springfield.

G. C. Warren, Secy.

ANOTHER LETTER

FROM GUY RUFFEE

Mrs. Charles Ruffee received on Monday Last the Following Letter From Her Son Guy.

Meschede, Germany, May 15, 1915.

Dear Mother:—

I suppose you know by this time that I am a prisoner of war in Germany. I am well enough but we get different food you know at home. I hope you are all well at home, also Cecil. Say, will you send me a parcel of ten pounds including tobacco, soda biscuits or a cake. You can send the parcel of ten pounds for nothing. Send two if you like, at once, to help me out. You must not put any letter in the parcel at all, or mention anything about the war, or it will be destroyed at once. See the parcel post people and they will explain about the parcels. Tell me all about home and Cecil. There are about one hundred Canadians here, and thousands of French and Russians too. I guess this is all for this time.

Guy.

No. 14535, Barrack 8.

No. 3 Company.

Bridgetown United Baptist Church

Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 8 p. m.

B. Y. P. U. on Friday at 8 p. m. Sunday services: Bible School at 10 a. m. Public worship at 11 a. m. and at 7.30 p. m.

CENTRELEA

Prayer meeting on Tuesday at 8 p. m.

On Sunday afternoon at three o'clock Rev. H. R. Grant, Secretary of the N. S. Temperance Alliance, will deliver a temperance address.

St. James Parish Church Notes

The services next Sunday, (4th Sunday after Trinity) will be: Bridgetown, 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. St. Mary's Belleisle, 3 p. m.

WEEK-DAY SERVICES

Thursday—St. Mary's, Belleisle, 7.45 p. m.

Fridays—Bridgetown, 4.30 p. m., Intercession on behalf of the War; 7.30 p. m., Evening Prayer followed by choir practice.

Methodist Church Circuit Notes

Epworth League, Friday evening at 7.30 p. m.

Services next Sunday, June 27:—Bridgetown—Sunday School and Bible Study 10 a. m. Public Worship 7.30. Granville—11 a. m. Bentville—3 p. m.

Rev. J. Norman Ritchey, B. A. of Middleton is exchanging with the pastor and will preach at all the services.

Grand Farmer's Excursion to Truro College Farm

On Friday, June 25th

Excursion Train leaves:

Annapolis	6.10 a.m.
Mochelle	6.17 a.m.
Round Hill	6.24 a.m.
Tupperville	6.32 a.m.
Bridgetown	6.42 a.m.
Paradise	6.54 a.m.
Lawrencetown	7.02 a.m.
Brickton	7.10 a.m.
Middleton	7.20 a.m.
Wilmot	7.30 a.m.

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