

GEORGE V. IS DESCENDANT OF DAVID

SECRETARY OF ISRAEL FEDERATION SAYS.

Predicts Great Things to Come Through Britain Doing Work of Jews.

King George the Fifth, King of Great Britain and the Dominions Over the Seas, is a descendant in the direct line from King David.

Speaking at the opening of the British Israel Congress at Kensington, Herbert Garrison, secretary-general of the British Israel World Federation, expressed his conviction that very wonderful things are coming, and coming quickly. British Israelites claimed to have the key of the Bible, he explained, and they also stood for the King, because they knew he was in a direct line with David himself.

As to whether British Israelites could prove this, Mr. Garrison asserted the proof was in a building in London. It was not Westminster Abbey, he said, but there was a building—he must not name it yet—and he had it on the highest authority that when the time arrived that building would give up its secret. Then all the world would know and rejoice.

Major Gen. C. A. Hadfield said that every day the belief was becoming more firmly established that Great Britain was doing the work that was allocated to Israel, and that the people of the British or Saxon race were of the stock of Israel.

Prophecies Unfulfilled.

During the war the members of this organization called attention to the striking passages in the Bible as the Apocrypha that appeared to foretell the result of the war, especially in regard to the final destination of Turkey, but up to the present their forecasts have failed to materialize.

Some years back they claimed the David's descent for the late Queen Victoria, but the coming of the world was provided a much better subject for the raising of public interest, and not so much has been heard of the matter lately until Mr. Garrison made his statement.

One of the chief points of their version of the interpretation of the Scriptures centres around the Great Pyramid and certain measurements of the monument. These measurements are claimed to provide a key to many obscure passages in Holy Writ, but apparently there is a new sensation in store in the mysterious building that was mentioned by Mr. Garrison, for he failed to mention the one time source of inspiration, the Great Pyramid.

Official Peacemakers.

All married people, however happy they are, at times have quarrels. Starting as they do from the most trivial causes—a harsh word, or an imaginary or real slight, there is always the danger that unless someone mediates, the bitterness grows.

And nothing will satisfy the pair but an appeal to the police-courts and a judicial separation. All this through the lack of a peacemaker at the right moment. At times it lies within the power of a magistrate, by a little friendly talk, to reconcile the disputers. Often it has been my privilege to patch up a quarrel, and send the man and wife away from my Court arm-in-arm, to live happier lives together than they had in the past, says a magistrate.

Why not have an official peacemaker in every town and country district—a Government official whose advice is free? He would be much sought after; indeed, his intervention and advice would save many wrecked homes, simply because it came at the right time.

Often when bitterness between husband and wife is intense, they decide to apply for separation at that moment. Why not, instead of allowing the case to come before the Court, direct the pair to the peacemaker?

Unlike relatives and friends, he will not take sides and fan the feeling that exists. But he will sort out the grain from the chaff, discover the original cause, and a few tactful helping words will wash away all traces of harshness and ill-feeling, and the possibility of a fatal difference and separation is averted.

All this is being accomplished daily by lawyers, magistrates, and police-court missionaries. But how much more could an official peacemaker achieve, if only such a person existed.

A nervous passenger on the first day of the outward voyage impudently asked the captain to know what would be the result if the steamer should strike an iceberg while it was plunging through the fog. "The iceberg would move right along, madam," the captain replied courteously, "just as if nothing had happened." And the old lady was greatly relieved.

A Maryland housekeeper had two maids in her employ, who, she discovered, were not on good terms, so she remonstrated with Mattie, the more intelligent girl, and was told that Lizzie "ignored" her. She then interviewed Lizzie, who answered: "I never ignored her, none! I never speaks to her; I never sits down with her; I never has nothing to do with her."

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24,000 Miles of Tree-Lined Roads.

Many of us trudged up and down the tree-lined roads of France during the war, says the London Chronicle. All the national roads, to the extent of 24,000 miles, are lined with trees planted and cared for by the Government.

Four centuries ago Francis I. started the good work with a batch of Lombardy poplars, and it has ever since been carried on, despite all political upheavals.

The Ministry of Public Works has now more than 3,000,000 trees under its control. When the road is between ten and sixteen metres in width one row of trees is set out on each side. When the width is over sixteen metres two rows are planted, with a foot-path between them.

Tree-planting is given out in small contracts to local men, who receive a lump sum as soon as the trees are planted and the balance at the end of two years.

During that period the contractor is responsible for the care of the trees, and for replacing any that die or prove defective.

Overgrazing will ruin the best of pastures.

The halibut is the largest of the flatfish family.

Minard's Liniment Relieves Distemper.

She Got the Yellow Pitcher

For thrills certain and cheap many women prefer the auction room to the best melodrama ever written, but it is the innocent who gets most of them and reacts most violently. Quite recently a housekeeper noticed the red flag up on a house in her neighborhood, and after looking the offerings over she informed her husband that she meant to attend the sale and acquire, if possible, two side chairs, which had caught her fancy. He advised her to be careful and protect her pocket by taking with her a sum of money not exceeding \$5. And this measure of precaution she promised to observe.

On the day of the auction she went early and got a good seat, but a long wait intervened between the first article put up and the chairs she fancied. One of these articles was a small yellow pitcher. The first bid it called forth was 15 cents. Merely thought the innocent, the pitcher must be worth more than that, so she raised

Spiders Aid Astronomers.

To give fine lines by which to measure the relative position of the stars, astronomers use the threads spun by the garden spider. For a century they used silver wire drawn as thin as possible; then the finest of hairs, and the silk threads of the silkworm's cocoon. Finally, an English telescope-maker discovered that a spider's web is three or four times smaller than the thread of a silkworm, and is, at the same time, stronger. Spiders are carefully placed on tiny racks, and when they begin to spin, the thread is fastened to a window, which is turned till the desired length is spun.

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Russia is the only great gold-producing country in Europe.

Potato-blight usually follows a period of prolonged wet weather.

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WHY BEAUTY FADES

A Condition Due Entirely to Poor, Watery Blood.

The girl who returns home from school or from work thoroughly tired out will be fortunate if she escapes a physical breakdown, because this getting tired so easily is probably the first warning symptom of a thinning blood that must not be disregarded if her health is to be preserved.

When the blood becomes thin and impure the patient becomes pale, haggard and angular. She not only tires out easily but suffers from headaches, palpitation of the heart, dizzy spells and a loss of appetite. This condition will go from bad to worse, if prompt steps are not taken to increase and enrich the blood supply.

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Britain Profits Through War Materials.

Lord Inverforth, formerly Surveyor General of Supplies in the British War Office, by world-wide purchases of raw materials on behalf of the government, was able to turn into the British treasury on March 1 last \$25,000,000, representing profits on all transactions since 1914, according to his report recently made to the Ministry of Munitions, says a London despatch.

While the profits were large, Sir Arthur Goldfinch, Director General of Raw Materials, points out that the economic benefits were far greater. The raw materials obtained were largely used in the manufacture of military equipment with a direct saving estimated at more than \$500,000,000. The purchases were of wool, hides, leather, flax, hemp and similar materials.

Insurance, generously taken out, served to make that make up losses from submarine warfare. It was stated. The record of Lord Inverforth's activities is in contrast with results obtained by similar departments in other Allied countries. Among the purchases were nearly 24,000,000 pounds of American sole leather and \$2,000,000 feet of American upper leather.

Included in the chief items of textile and leather equipment for the army and navy, air force and other branches of the public service and for the Allies from August 4, 1914, to March 31, 1919, were 61,899,626 pairs of boots, 81,538,000 yards of cotton drill, 69,917,000 yards of khaki, 16,259,000 ground sheets, 1,188,000,000 sand bags, 49,508,669 blankets, 23,776,345 jackets, 164,314,787 pairs of socks and 20,190,810 pairs of woolen gloves.

Contracts made with British manufacturers for the goods afforded them a larger profit than they made for similar work in pre-war days. It was said, and served to speed up production.

Bolshevism a Social Disease.

Bolshevism cannot be kept out of any country, because it is an idea, and ideas cannot be stopped at frontier barriers, says the London Daily Telegraph. There is Bolshevism in our own country and plenty of it, but it is held in subjection by the commonsense of the mass of our people. It is folly to think that it can be defeated by a return to the discredited method of human slaughter.

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Costly Carpets.

The deal by which England secured control of the Persian carpet and rug industry is a good one for this country—that is, if the Bolsheviks do not overrun the land of the Shahs, says an English writer.

The genuine Persian rug is the most valuable thing of its kind in the world, a really fine specimen fetching anything from twenty-five dollars to one hundred thousand dollars. Shiraz and Kerman are the chief centres of the industry, though the products of Meshed and Rejaid are also held in high esteem.

The trade is largely in the hands of certain families, who have handed down the art and its secrets from one generation to another. To the making of even one comparatively small rug, ten or fifteen years of patient labor may be devoted.

In the reign of Muzaffer-Din, however, this great and beautiful industry was threatened with extinction. This was when the aniline dyes of Germany burst upon an astonished world. These "split-your-eyeball" chemical products—German-made rugs—found their way to Persia, and, incredible though it may seem, the beauty-loving natives took kindly to them, and in their favor the weavers abandoned the dyes that had been in use for thousands of years, and copied the appalling hue designs.

Fortunately, the Shah had an artist's soul, and was also a good business man. He saw that his country's carpet export trade was in imminent danger of being ruined by these aniline atrocities, and, under appropriate penalties—banning oil, and so forth—he forbade the importation of the German dyes, or their use if already in the country, in the carpet trade.

To this day, however, the traveler may see in the Persian equivalent of our drawing-room, the place of honor given to some abominable German hearthrug, while ancient Persian products, for which collectors would give their very souls, are scattered anywhere.

Catfish Used to Help in Street Cleaning.

In one of the towns of the State of Oregon the familiar catfish figures as a hardy pioneer, and a valued adjunct to the street department, all because the town's cotta sewers and drains, especially those in the lower part of the town, frequently get choked.

If the sewer is not broken it can be cleaned by passing a rope through it, to be pulled backward and forward until the obstruction is loosened and removed. The deputy superintendent of streets had a great deal of such work to look after, but at last he discovered a quick, sure and easy method.

He goes to the river, catches a catfish, ties a string to its tail, drops it down a manhole into the sewer, and at once starts for the river and forces its way through any obstruction not as solid as brick, dragging the string after it. Then the deputy goes as far down the sewer as he deems necessary and picks up the string, which he uses to draw a wire through the sewer, and with this a rope is pulled through and the sewer is soon cleared.

St. Isidore, P.Q., Aug. 18, 1894.

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British Women on Jury.

"Ladies and gentlemen of the jury," was the address of counsel heard for the first time in the history of English courts recently, when six women formed a part of a jury in the Bristol Quarter Sessions. Six cases were tried, one of them being that of a man who was charged with assault. He was convicted and sentenced to nine months' imprisonment. All the women on the jury voted for his conviction, after hearing the evidence.

At the close of the day's session two of the women asked the court to excuse them from further service because of their home duties. The court granted their request, whereupon two other women in the room volunteered for jury service and were accepted.

The prosecuting attorney congratulated the women jurors on "at last taking their proper places in the administration of justice in England." He declared that justice also was furthered in women accepting jury duty.

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BITS OF HUMOR FROM HERE & THERE

Reward of Politeness.

They were entertaining the minister at dinner, and after dessert little Johnny said:

"Won't you take another piece of pie?"

The preacher laughed. "Well, Johnny," he said, "since you are so polite, I will have another."

"Good!" said Johnny. "Now, ma, remember your promise. You said if it was necessary to cut into the second pie I could have another piece!"

The Woman Pays.

Through the long summer hours she had done her best to let him see she liked him. But he wrapped himself in a cloak of cynicism and made no move.

"Marriage!" he spoke bitterly. "Marriage is a mistake! Why should a man saddle himself with a wife for life, when he can buy a parrot for \$5?"

She hid her anger behind a charming smile.

"Yes," she retorted. "There again you men certainly have the advantage. We poor women can't buy a bear of any kind under \$200."

His Hopes Were Dashed Away.

A family in an Eastern city includes several children, but only one—the eldest—is a boy. The little lad longed for a brother. Recently the house was rather upset. A nurse who had appeared on the scene came to the little boy.

"What do you think you've got?" she asked him.

"A baby brother!" fairly gasped the youngster.

"No, dearie, it's a baby sister," replied the nurse.

"Aw!" groaned the youngster, "am I going always to have to sift these ashes?"

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"There!" he exclaimed to his spouse, "Isn't that fine? But," he added, reflectively, "I shall not be happy till my boy attains the proud position that leads 'em all." And he pointed in rapt admiration to the drum-major.

Minard's Liniment For Dandruff.

Conclusive Evidence.

William and Henry, chauffeurs, were discussing the ill luck of a fellow chauffeur, Clarence, who had the day before been fired for taking out his employer's car without permission.

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"Why," explained William, "Clarence ran over him."

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