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ARE THEY PERSECUTED?

DISCUSSION OF THE TREATMENT OF THE JEWS.

Interesting Meeting of the Lyceum Last Night—Mr. Hammershlag Says it is Religion—Mr. Demens Differs From Him.

There was a large attendance at the Lyceum meeting last night. The officers elected at the last meeting were installed and entered on their duties. These officers are: H. B. Stevens, president; H. Buell, vice-president; W. Ward, secretary, and T. R. Gaines, treasurer.

S. Hammershlag made the opening speech. The subject was: "The Persecution of the Jews."

He first gave extracts from published opinions on the subject, one of them from Rev. M. L. Haines, pastor of the church in Indianapolis of which President Harrison is a member, and said every statement to be made could be substantiated by prominent men. He then stated that the Jews, for thousands of years, have been the objects of bad treatment and the target at which the vicious have aimed, and charged that "the minds of the people of Russia and especially of the 'malicious czar and his cabinet' were poisoned against the Jew many years ago." Tracing from the reign of Cassimer IV, 1441-1492, when Jews were colonized, until 1866 and 1867, when the czar's life was attempted, he said that this offense was laid, for the greater part, to the Jews. When the czar was assassinated in 1881, he said, and his autocratic son came to rule, the latter swore vengeance against all supposed enemies of the church, of which he was the head.

"So," said Mr. Hammershlag, "the cause as plain. The persecution is based upon the false principle that no set of people have a right to differ from the established religion of the Russians. Now in order to exterminate all opposition the Czar attacked the weakest first. That was the Jews. This, he reasoned, was the weakest, for what nation would defend 'the despised killer of the Savior?'"

Mr. Hammershlag then related how three million of them were settled upon an area of county not more than ten miles square and were forced to battle with starvation and corrupts official, who pillaged their homes and abused the men, insulted and terrorized the women. He said that they were forced to leave their homes, and foot sore and weary press on not knowing where to go, as all the European nations appear to have closed their gates to them. He expressed his gratitude that there was "one free country," the United States of America where religion was no hindrance.

Mr. Hammershlag was followed by Hillhouse Buel, who read a long and interesting article on the subject, consuming about forty-five minutes in his discourse. He was followed by P. A. Demens, who said that as he had been a resident and citizen of Russia and also had held a government position, he had every opportunity affording him of becoming familiar with the treatment of the Jews by the Russian government. The Jews, said he, are not persecuted on account of their religious belief, but because they attempt to defraud the Christians by their sharp trading and trickery. He stated that he had never seen a Jew in Russia who was a soldier and that these people evade the operation of the military laws in every conceivable way, most frequently by cutting off the right thumb and by bribing the officials.

The Lyceum is to discuss politics. On motion of T. R. Gaines, H. T. Collins, the "peoples'" candidate for mayor, was invited to address the Lyceum two weeks from last night on the subject: "What does it take to constitute a model mayor?" Next Thursday night, John W. Starnes will talk on "Latter Day Politics."

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IN MEMPHIS.

President Harrison and Party are so far Safely on Their Trip.

MEMPHIS, April 17.—The elegant special bearing the presidential party arrived here at 8 o'clock, after an all night run from Birmingham, Ala., where the party were welcomed as they have been elsewhere in the south. The municipal officers of the city received the president on his arrival in this city. A large crowd, including local and militia, were gathered at the station and cheered the president when he appeared on the platform. The party were driven up Main street to the Merchant's Exchange, fronting on court square, which was massed with people. The president was introduced to the assembled crowd by Mayor Clapp, who welcomed the president on behalf of the city. The president responded.

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Our Treaty With Spain.

MADRID, April 17.—The draft of the new commercial treaty between Spain and the United States, looking toward partial reciprocity with Cuba, was concluded to-day. It is understood that the treaty fixes very low duties on flour and other articles imported from the United States into the Antilles.

AFFAIRS OF CONSEQUENCE.

HOME.

The president's tour in the south is a series of ovations.

Henry M. Stanly denies that he has been appointed governor of the Congo State.

Johns Hopkins Hospital physicians think they have cured one patient by the Koch treatment.

Mr. Blaine who has been under great mental strain for six weeks over the New Orleans affair, left Wednesday for a trip down the Potomac river and Chesapeake bay.

Secretary of the Treasury Foster has announced that it has been decided not to permit the shipping of goods in bond by the Canadian railways through this country or across our territory.

The census returns concerning diamonds show that precious stones have been found in certain districts of California, North Carolina, Georgia and recently in Wisconsin, but the discoveries have been rare and purely accidental. The emerald and other beryl gems have been mined in Alexander county, N. C.

MAYOR BLANTON SICK.

His Physicians Have Forbidden Him to See Any Visitors.

Charles. D. Blanton mayor of Asheville, is very ill with inflammatory rheumatism at the Battery Park hotel. His mother is with him and has been for several days. His physicians have forbidden him to see any visitors whatever on account of his very feeble and serious condition. Mr. Blanton's condition is not so favorable as it was yesterday. He is suffering great pain and Drs. J. H. Wilhams and S. W. Battle, who are in attendance, pronounce his sickness very serious.

At 2 o'clock this afternoon Mr. Blanton was reported as resting easier.

At 4 o'clock there was no apparent change.

Be at the court house tonight! Eight o'clock is the hour.

'TWAS EVER THUS.

The English Rule in England That of a Conqueror.

BENARES, India, April 17.—Intense excitement has broken out in this city because of the demolition of a native temple in order to provide a site for the new water works. All the shops in Benares are closed and all the natives in the city and district have sullenly stopped work and are gathering in crowds in and about the principal thoroughfares of the holy city. Serious riots have already occurred between the disturbed natives and the local authorities of Benares, who are supported by the British troops quartered in that vicinity.

WHERE WILL IT END.

Our Little Misunderstanding With Italy.

ROME, April 17.—An Italian paper says that Blaine's reply to Rudini's last note evinces a great desire to elude the demands of the Italian government to escape from indemnifying the families of the men lynched New Orleans and to refrain from acceding to the Italian government's right to interfere in the New Orleans affair.

The Popolo Roma says that in view of the tenor of Blaine's answer to Rudini's, it is difficult to form any idea as to how or where the matter will end.

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LOST HALF A MILLION.

A Fire in New York Does That Much of Damage.

NEW YORK, April 17.—Last night a fire occurred in a facsimile ancient Greenwich village here which proved most disastrous. The Ross building, six stories of brick and iron, at the corner of Hudson and Bank streets, running through to Greenwich, was totally destroyed. Also Taggart's storage warehouse. Three dwelling houses on Bank street and several tenements on Greenwich street were damaged. It is estimated the loss will amount to half a million.

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Bismarck Not Elected Yet.

BERLIN, April 17.—The latest returns from Gestemunde are: Prince Bismarck 7,557, Schrualfeld (socialist) 3,928, Plate (guelph) 3,343, Adloff (freisinnige) 2,619. A second ballot will be necessary between Bismarck and Shrualfield as a majority of votes is necessary to elect.

Whiskey Trust Gibson.

PEORIA, Ill., April 17.—The directors of the whiskey trust have elected Joseph B. Greenhut, president. George J. Gibson was not reinstated in his office.

He's a Visitor.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—Col. J. T. Murfee of Alabama, has been appointed a member of the board of visitors to the naval academy.

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NORTH CAROLINA FOLKS.

The Presbyterian church of this city is without a pastor. Rev. Monroe has been called to Lenoir for his entire time.—Hickory Press.

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Professor W. L. Poteat, of Wake Forest College, has been elected president of the board of trustees of the Baptist state female university.

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As a result of Evangelist Fife's meetings since he entered the work, 5,000 persons have connected themselves with the protestant churches.

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Under instructions from the general assembly at its last session, the state librarian has had executed in oil a fine portrait (25x30) of Henry Lawson Wyatt, the first confederate soldier killed in line of battle.

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The directors of the North Carolina railroad have accepted Governor Thos. A. Holt's resignation and elected Gen. Robert F. Hoke president. The latter is also president of the Georgia, Carolina and Northern railway. James H. Holt was elected a director.

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J. L. Wright, ex-president of Thomasville female college and an ex-professor of Trinity college, died at his home near Thomasville Monday. Recently his horse ran away and threw him out of a wagon, the wheels of which passed over him, injuring his spine.

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Evangelist Fife made a pulpit attack upon a Raleigh club which may draw upon him the fire of some of its members. The evangelist also said some pretty severe things concerning one of the local newspaper men. The collection was rather light, and he intimated that pickpockets had been through the crowd before the latter got to the church.

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ATTENTION OF THE WORLD

FIXED ON SOUTHERN INDUSTRIES TODAY.

Robert P. Porter Has Grasped the Idea of What the South is and Can Be.

BALTIMORE, April 17.—The Manufacturer's Record of this week contains a long and elaborate review by Mr. R. P. Porter on the subject of the census of the industrial and agricultural progress of the South during the last ten years, based on the official statistics of the census.

Mr. Porter, at the beginning of his article referred to the wonderful progress of the South during the last decade. He said:

"The mineral development and the increase in manufactures during this period has been of such magnitude and of such importance as to seriously attract the attention of the world. The south today is producing as much coal, iron ore, and pig iron as the entire United States produced in 1870. With a fact like this established by official statistics, it is not to be wondered at that as careful a statistician as Edward Atkinson should say that standing on top of the highest peak of the great Smoky mountains he could find in a radius of seventy-five miles the future iron producing centre of the United States. Those who live in the south and in the midst of all this progress know it and realize it far better than the people here in the north. To my mind the progress of the southern states in the manufacture of steel will be as great during the next ten years as it has been in the production of coal and pig iron during the past decade."

Be at the court house tonight! Eight o'clock is the hour.

IT BURST.

Terrible Accident at a Planing Mill in Indiana.

LEBANON, Ind., April 17.—Last evening the boiler of the engine of Stewart Brothers' planing mill bursted, killing David W. Campbell, fireman, outright and horribly burning and mangling Wm. Stewart, one of the proprietors, so that it is thought he can not recover.. The cause is unknown. The mill was completely wrecked and the fragments strewed over an area of four hundred yards.

Stock Quotations.

NEW YORK, April 17.—Erie 20⅛; Lake Shore 108¾; Chicago and Northwestern 111½; Norfolk and Western ——; Richmond and West Point Terminal 17¾; Western Union 81⅝.

Baltimore Prices.

BALTIMORE, April 17.—Flour, strong and unchanged. Wheat—southern, strong; Fultz $1.13@1.20; Longberry, $1.18@1.22; No. 2 $1.18 and nominal; western, unsettled; No 2 winter red spot and April, $1.16½; May, $1.16¼@1.16½. Corn—southern, strong; white, 85c; yellow, 85@86c; western, unsettled and higher.

New York Market.

NEW YORK, April 17.—Stocks, quiet but firm. Money, easy at 3@4; Exchange, long, 4.85@4.85¼; short, 4.88¼@4.88½; state bonds, neglected; government bonds, dull but steady. Cotton, easy—sales, 244 bales; Uplands, 8 15-16c; Orleans 9⅜c; futures opened and closed steady; April,——; May, 8.61; June, 8.70; July, 8.78; August, 8.84; September, 8.88. Flour—active and strong. Wheat—active but firm. Corn—active but strong. Pork—quiet but firm, at $12.00@14.00. Lard—quiet but firm at $7.10. Spirit-Turpentine—quiet but easy at 39½@39½c. Rosin—quiet but firm, at $1.70@1.75. Freights—easy.

LIFE IN NORTH CAROLINA.

—The road between here and Webster is still in a fearful condition.—Tuckaseegee Democrat.

—Bishop Galloway will be in North Carolina to assist in raising the endowment fund of Trinity college.

—Contracts have been made for an iron bridge at Bryson City, the iron work to cost $8,000, the wood work, $2,750.

—The educational conference of North Carolina Methodism will be held May 5th and 6th, at what place has not yet been determined.

—The Goldsboro Headlight says that the Bank of Wayne is now a full fledged institution. The entire capital of $125,000 was subscribed in Goldsboro.

—It is suggested that farmers should exercise more than the ordinary scrutiny in purchasing fertilizers this season. Many new brands are in the state.

—We notice with pleasure that the formation of the Western North Carolina Fair Association is assuming definite shape at Asheville.—Tuckaseegee Democrat.

—New evidence has been obtained at Charlotte against Bradham, the murderer. A person was found who saw him drop the coupler with which he struck the fatal blow and then pick it up again and wrap it in his handkerchief.

—Mrs. Phoebe Wheeler, of Greensboro, whose son was so badly injured recently recently while jumping from a C. F. & Y. V. train, has become insane from her grief and been taken to the state hospital at Morganton.—Raleigh Chronicle.

—Mayor McDowell on Wednesday was in receipt of numerous telegrams from neighboring towns in North and South Carolina offering services of their military and citizens in case of any further disturbance.—Charlotte Chronicle. One South Carolina company had to be positively ordered by telegraph to stay at home.—Charlottr News.

—G. S. Ferguson, Esq., sold his valuable property in South Waynesville to Gov. Charles Anderson, of Kentucky. Gov. Anderson will be in our town shortly will make Waynesville his future home. Mr. Ferguson will purchase some of our small knolls and build a cottage thereon. He will still practice law in Western North Carolina. The price paid for the property was $5,000.—Waynesville Courier.

—During the charge of Judge Connor to the grand jury, a little fice ran in the court house and barked. That dog was mad, and ought to have been killed. If he wasn't mad he was likely to go mad and ought to have been killed. You could tell from the voice of the dog that something was the matter and he ought to have been killed, but he wasn't. He was gently taken out, patted on the head, and turned loose to hunt sheep.—Tarboro Southerner.

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Beautiful lot on Grove street, 75x200 with large oak shade trees, must go. Apply to J. M. CAMPBELL.

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Have for sale 10 or 12 lots of 20 acres, more or less each, 2½ miles of court house at $50 per acre, and within one mile of proposed street railway. The timber on the land is worth price asked. Apply at once. Terms easy, to suit purchaser. Parties can get enough fire wood off the land to pay for it within one year. J. M. CAMPBELL.

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