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APOSTASY OR DEATH IS ALTERNATIVE TO JEWS; MANY KILLED.

JERUSALEM, April 3, (Jewish Telegraphic Agency) Reports of indescribable atrocities against Yemenite Jews have been received here. Scores of Jews are said to have been killed in virtually uninterrupted warfare on Jews launched by the Moslems.

Many of the Jews to escape death have nominally accepted Mohamedanism. Numerous Jewish children have been seized and given the alternative of death or conversion.

Hundreds of the Jews are in flight from town to town in an effort to escape their oppressors. Representatives of the Yemenites in Palestine have appealed to the Jewish organizations in Palestine to provide aid wherety the Yemenite Jews may be able to escape to Palestine.

BRITAIN'S PRESENCE IN PALESTINE FOR HER OWN ENDS, SAYS FRENCHMAN.

PARIS, April 4, (Jewish Telegraphic Agency) England's efforts in Palestine are part of a comprehensive scheme to constitute an eastern empire subject to it, joining India with the Mediterranean through Mesopotamia and Palestine with Haifa as a port, according to the former French minister Hanotaux. France knows of this plan and yet does not criticize he, says the Frenchman, while England is attacking France for her entrance into the Ruhr region.

SCIENTIST ARRIVES TO PLAN FOR HEBREW UNIVERSITY.

JERUSALEM, April 4, (Jewish Telegraphic Agency) Professor Fodor of Halle University has arrived in Jerusalem to organize the plan for the Biochemical Institute of the Hebrew University.

Another, notable arrival was Mr. Clayton, the successor of Sir Wyndham Deeds, recently resigned as Civil Secretary of the Palestine Administration.

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ANTI-PASSOVER DEMONSTRATION LEADS TO CLASH.**Jewish Communists Appeal for Violation of Passover.**

MOSCOW, April 3. (Jewish Telegraphic Agency) A clash occurred at the anti-Passover carnival of the Jewish Communists at Kremenchug when a number of more pious Jews attacked the Communists' burlesque of the Passover festival. A free for all fight resulted.

The anti-religious demonstrations were held throughout White Russia and the Ukraine. In addition to the carnivals, buffooning the festival, the Jewish Communists appealed to the other Jews to go to work on the holidays and devote the wages of the first day of the festival to the labor movement and the proceeds of the second day to the Red Army.

The Jewish Communists speeches also made it a point to stress the "folly" of the housewife getting special dishes for Passover and the higher cost of Matzos or unleavened bread as compared with bread.

The Communists are very elated over the general success of their anti-religion campaign. They point to the large number of Jewish synagogues which have been turned into workmen's clubs. They also declare their pleasure in the fact that many factories in south Russia have accepted in some cases Monday, some Wednesday as their weekly rest days, thus abolishing the Sabbaths of the three great religions.

In all of the carnivals, the figure of Moses is caricatured extensively. Appeals are made that the Jews lose their racial identity in the general Russian nation. Special appeals are made to all those contemplating marriage to avoid the Jewish religious ceremony.

DR. ADLER ELECTED PRESIDENT OF ORIENTAL SOCIETY.

PRINCETON, N.J. April 3. (Jewish Telegraphic Agency) Dr. Cyrus Adler was elected president of the American Oriental Society at its annual meeting held at Princeton University. Among the papers read at the meeting was one by Professor Max Margolis of Dropsie College.

The delegates were entertained during the afternoon at the home of the President and Mrs. Hibben.

PALESTINE INSURANCE COMPANY READY FOR BUSINESS.

JERUSALEM, April 3. (Jewish Telegraphic Agency) The Judean Limited American Insurance Company, the first Jewish insurance company to be organized in Palestine will start with a capital of ES25,000.

The directors named in the official papers are Abraham Shomer, Nathan Chazan, Hyman Dulson, Leopold Kilmer, Heinrich Abramowitz, Joseph Bluestein and Henry Milner. The company was officially registered in Jerusalem yesterday.

JEWISH PROFESSOR MAKES BLIND SEE.

PETROGRAD, April 3. (Jewish Telegraphic Agency) A Jewish physician Professor Katz of Petrograd has devised an operation by which the blind are able to see, according to a story printed by the Petrograd correspondent of the New York World.

All that is necessary for the operation to be successful, says Katz is that the light perception nerves are intact. In more than fifty per cent of the blind cases this condition exists. The operation includes the insertion of a celuloid cup into the socket of the eye, so that the light is reflected through it.

JEWISH WOMAN CELEBRATES 108TH BIRTHDAY.

NEW YORK, April 3, (Jewish Correspondence Bureau) Mrs. Fannie Gold celebrated her 108th birthday at the home of her son, Samuel Gold in Brooklyn. Fourteen grandchildren and eight great grandchildren were present to offer their congratulations. Of her own children, only a son and a daughter are still living.

Mrs. Gold still is able to work about the stationary store of her son. Asked as to the recipe for longevity, Mrs. Gold replied "Perhaps I can tell you when I am 200."

SAMMY GOLDMAN AGAIN ORDERED DEPORTED.

NEW YORK, April 3, (Jewish Correspondence Bureau) Sammy Goldman, the 16 year old Jewish boy against whose deportation Governor Smith and the New York State legislature protested was examined again by a board of psychiatrists at Ellis Island. After tests which lasted for three hours, the Board decided that the boy was feeble minded.

Dr. Mark A. May, a psychiatrist at Syracuse University who appeared before the board in the boy's behalf said that Sammy's voice "had a squeak in it" and his eyes were dull. "His personality unfortunately is against him" Dr. May said. "If I could put a tag over his head and let him talk, I believe he would pass the test. I believe if he had the schooling opportunity his intelligence would be higher, and for this reason I cannot regard him as a mental defective."

Commissioner of Immigration Todd declared following the hearing that in view of the Board's finding, he had no alternative except to again recommend that the boy be deported.

JEWS BARRED FROM TEMPLE WALL.

JERUSALEM, April 3, (Jewish Telegraphic Agency) Great indignation was created among Palestinian Jews when they were barred from approaching the temple wall on Passover on account of an anti-Zionism Arab procession.

"Palestine is our own country" - "Down with Zionism" and "Long live Mustapha Kemal Pasha" were some of the shouts of the marchers resulting in the arrest of several of them.

ROUMANIA TAKES STEPS AGAINST ANTI-SEMITES.

BUCHAREST, April 4, (Jewish Telegraphic Agency) All the universities of Roumania recently closed by the government on account of anti-Semitic disturbances will be reopened some time during the middle of April.

The government is also taking active steps against the further inflaming of the masses by the anti-Semitic ringleaders. Anti-Semitic meetings at Jassi where the attacks on Jews reached their climax have been prohibited. The government is also instituting proceedings against the Jassi police for negligence in combatting the recent riots.

Chief Rabbi Niemrover has expressed the thanks of the Jews to the government for the manner of its settlement of the Jewish question in the Roumanian constitution.

JEWISH DEPUTIES FINALLY VOTE FOR ROUMANIAN CONSTITUTION.

New Constitution However Not Entirely Satisfactory.

BUCHAREST, April 4, (Jewish Telegraphic Agency) All Jews who at the time of unification of the new provinces with old Roumania were citizens of the provinces will retain their citizenship rights under the new Roumanian constitution.

All Jews of old Roumania not yet citizens may obtain their citizenship within three months after the promulgation of the new constitution, if properly qualified in accordance with the decree of March 22nd which provides that all Jews of old Roumania who have been permanently domiciled in Roumania since 1916 are admissible to citizenship.

Replying to a query by Deputy Stern, the Minister of Justice declared that while the provisions of the peace treaty relating to citizenship have not been incorporated in the constitution, they are nevertheless considered binding on the government. Upon this assurance Deputies Stern, Zierelson and Straucher voted for the constitution. Deputy Pistiner abstained from voting.

Roumanian Jews as a whole however are far from pleased with the new constitution, believing that the rights granted to the Jews represent the minimum.

NOTED JEWISH FINANCIER KILLS SELF.

VIENNA, April 4, (Jewish Telegraphic Agency) Dr. William Rosenberg, Councillor of the Anglo-Austrian bank and financial adviser of the Austrian government committed suicide today.

This is the second suicide in the family of the noted banker, Dr. Rosenberg's son ending his life in Paris in 1921.
