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INTER PARLIAMENTARY UNION TO SAFEGUARD MINORITY RIGHTS.

COPENHAGEN, Aug. 23, (Jewish Telegraphic Agency) The Congress of the Interparliamentary Union at its closing session yesterday adopted a series of resolutions providing for the safeguarding in some of the old and newly created European States of the rights of the national minorities. The resolutions were introduced by M. Usteri, of the Swiss Delegation.

The first resolution demanding full safeguards for the languages and religions of the minority nationalities was adopted with but five dissenting votes.

The establishment of interstate equality committees to prevent national conflicts was adopted unanimously.

With thirteen dissenting votes, a resolution was carried for the establishment of a permanent committee at the Interparliamentary Union to control the rights of minorities, with special reference to admissions in schools and universities.

This resolution is directed against the agitation in a number of European countries in favor of percentage norm for members of minority nationalities.

Americans at the Interparliamentary Congress include Senators Joseph Robinson (D) of Arkansas; Robert M. La Follette (R) of Wisconsin; William B. MacKinley (P) of Illinois; Kenneth McKellar (D) of Tennessee; and Claude A. Swanson (D) of Virginia.

AMERICAN CITIZEN BEATEN BY ROUMANIAN MOB, REPORT.

BUCHAREST, Aug. 23, (Jewish Telegraphic Agency) Mr. Haimowitz, said to be an American citizen was the victim of an anti Semitic mob composed of the disciples of the notorious anti-Semitic leader, Professor Cuza. The attack took place at the Barlard railway station. Haimowitz described as an invalid was removed to a hospital, his condition being aggravated by the maltreatment. The attack was reported to the American Legation.

A Roumanian officer who attempted to protect Haimowitz, narrowly escaped attack himself, the cavalry officer who brought the patient to the hospital reported.

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CATHOLICS UPSET BY "JEWISH INVASION" AND "ENGLISH-PROTESTANT PROPAGANDA.

ROME, Aug. 4. (J.T.A. Correspondence) The so-called "invasion of Jews" into Palestine and the "English Protestant" propaganda is causing grave anxiety in Catholic circles, as will be seen from the following official statement appearing recently in the Catholic newspapers here:-

"In connection with the Peace of Lausanne, Catholic circles are following the position in Palestine with particular interest. Anxiety is caused not only by the invasion of Jews but also by the English Protestant propaganda which is being conducted with the aid of large financial means. The Catholics of the Holy Land are thus finding themselves placed between two fires -- the Jewish and the Protestant.

"The problem has been thoroughly examined these last few days by leading circles of the Holy See, and in agreement with the Latin Patriarch and the Franciscans in the Holy Land, it is now intended that no means should be left unused in order to protect the interests of Catholicism both now and in the future."

LORD WHO ATTACKS ROUMANIA IS CALLED A JEW.

BUCHAREST, Aug. 22. (Jewish Telegraphic Agency) His attack on Roumania for its oppression of the Hungarians in Transylvania in the House of Lords last week has gotten Lord Newton in bad with the anti-Semites.

Instead of attempting to answer the attack, the "Victorul" seeks to argue it down by "charging" that Lord Newton is a Jew. The paper declares that Lord Newton's father was a native of Oradea, that he emigrated to England in 1860, founded a brewery and made a fortune. In return for loans of money to the then Prince of Wales, a barony was conferred on him, according to the story.

The "Victorul" gives no evidence in support of the contention that Lord Newton is of Jewish origin, unless it be the fact that he demands fair treatment for the oppressed can be construed as such evidence.

JOINT SPENDS \$500,000 FOR 17,920 ORPHANS.

NEW YORK, Aug. 23, (Jewish Telegraphic Agency) The Joint Distribution Committee has appropriated over a half a million dollars for the maintenance of orphan relief work in Europe and Palestine during the remainder of 1923.

Of the sum \$271,500 will be used in Poland where the J.D.C. is supervising the care of 12,240 children in orphan asylums and private homes. \$100,000 will go for Palestine orphans, \$26,000 for Czecho-Slovakia, 23,000 for Lithuania and 22,000 for Turkey.

The entire number of orphans being supported by the J.D.C. throughout the field of its activities is 17,920.

DR. TCHERNOWITZ TO RECONCILE TALMUDIC CODE WITH MODERN LIFE.

"Rav Zair", First of Faculty of Jerusalem University, To Lecture Here.

NEW YORK, Aug. 23, (Jewish Telegraphic Agency) The study of the application of the Mosaic code and Talmudic law to Jewish life in modern Palestine is the object set for himself by Dr. Chaim Tchernowitz, leading Russian rabbi and noted scholar, who arrived in New York this week.

Dr. Tchernowitz will spend some months here prior to his departure for Jerusalem to occupy the chair of Jewish Jurisprudence and Talmudic law at the Hebrew University there. His is among the first three departments of the University to open in 1924, the others being Jewish Archaeology which will be occupied by Professor Samuel Kraus, and Jewish History by Prof. Ludwig Blau of Budapest.

Dr. Tchernowitz, formerly head of the famous Talmudic Seminary of Odessa, is the author of numerous works on Jewish jurisprudence, among them the History and Development of the Jewish Code, An Introduction to Talmud, Lectures on Talmudic Civil Rights, and a Compendium of the Talmud.

America and Palestine are the future centers of Jewish culture, Dr. Tchernowitz believes, Palestine because of the international facilities for the establishment of the Jewish homeland, and America because of its large and prosperous Jewish community.

Dr. Tchernowitz hopes the American Government will use its influence over the Soviet Government with a view to having the persecution of ministers of religion stopped. The rabbis are the particular sufferers, he asserts, both "economically and spiritually".

Asked for his opinion of the aims of the Agudath Israel, Dr. Tchernowitz declared he did not believe in Clericalism and he particularly deprecated the attempts of the extreme orthodox wing to confuse politics with religion.

During his sojourn in the United States. Dr. Tchernowitz, known in Hebrew literature as "Rav Zair", will lecture at some of the higher seats of Jewish learning, it is understood.

BREMEN RABBI DIES ON WAY TO GERMANY.

NEW YORK, Aug. 22, (Jewish Telegraphic Agency) Dr. Leopold Rosemak, Bremen rabbi and immigration representative of the German "Hilfsverein" died aboard ship on his way back from America to Germany. News of his tragic death was received by the "Hias" from Bremen.

Dr. Rosemak was returning from America, where he had come in the interest of more than 8,000 Jewish immigrants who are now virtually stranded in Bremen.

During the war, Dr. Rosemak was a chaplain in the German army.

VASSAR PRESIDENT SCORES GOSPEL OF NORDIC SUPERIORITY

Chautauqua, August 23 (J. T.A.) A warning against the false gospel of Nordic superiority, inaccurate assumptions that the people from the south of Europe are intellectually inferior to those from the north, was sounded here today by President Henry Noble MacCracken of Vassar College before the Conference on International Relations from a Christian Viewpoint.

Dr. MacCracken said there was no scientific proof of these assumptions and that there is need for caution lest "such conclusions be capitalized by the advocates of the narrowest form of Americanism, which would substitute the Ku Klux creed for the broad tolerance of our forefathers.

DENIES HE DISCRIMINATES AGAINST JEWISH EMPLOYEES

New York, August 23 (J. T.A.). Mayor Hyman charges that Frank D. Waterman, had made religious discriminations in selecting his employees brought demands for an apology today.

Mr. Waterman declared that a majority of his employees were Catholic and Jews, whereas the Mayor had insinuated that he preferred Protestants. He cited figures which showed that out of 1,000 employees 500 were Catholic, 100 Jews and 400 Protestants.

RICHARD

JACOBS SCHIFF'S GRANDDAUGHTER TO WED B. W. HALL

New York, August 23 (J. T.A.). Mr. and Mrs. Mortimer L. Schiff of 932 Fifth Avenue and Cyster Bay, L. I. announces the engagement of their daughter, Miss Dorothy Schiff to Richard B. W. Hall, of this city.

Miss Schiff is a graduate of the Brearley School and has attended Bryn Mawr College.

Mr. Hall is the son of Mrs. E. Wadsworth Hotchkiss of Rye, N.Y. and of the late Benjamin E. Hall. He was a member of the class of '17 at Williams College, and during the war he served as a lieutenant in the navy.
