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1000 VICTIMS IN WARSAW BLAST.

J.D.C. Gives 150 Million Marks For Relief.

WARSAW, Oct. 16. (Jewish Telegraphic Agency) More than thousand Jews were victims of the explosion in Warsaw last Saturday, according to latest estimates. The bodies of many victims were so horribly disfigured, as to make it impossible to identify them. All Warsaw Jewry is bending its energies to relieve the surviving victims and the families of those bereaved by the accident.

The Joint Distribution Committee has appropriated 150 million marks for the relief work.

GARMENT WORKERS' UNION, LARGELY JEWISH, VERY PROSPEROUS.

Has Valuable Realty, Vacation Farm; To Open Bank.

NEW YORK, Oct. 16. (Jewish Telegraphic Agency) The International Ladies' Garment Workers Union, composed largely of Jewish workers ranks among the wealthiest of labor unions, according to a survey just completed by Philip Kaplowitz, secretary of the Joint Board of the cloak and dress industry.

The union owns realty valued at \$1,000,000. It possesses also a union health center where more than 10,000 members receive medical attention annually and a vacation farm of more than 1,000 acres in eastern Pennsylvania.

The Union will open its own bank about December 1, with total resources estimated at \$1,500,000. The vacation farm is at Forest Park, Pa. where a hotel accommodating 500 is operated for the union members.

ARAB PAPER RAPS IDEA OF SENDING ANOTHER DELEGATION.

JERUSALEM, Sept. 28. (J.T.A. Correspondence) The Palestine problem must be settled in Palestine itself, says the "Meeraat el Shark". The paper objects to sending another delegation to London and urges the Arabs to contribute to the national cause.

PALESTINE NEEDS COMPETENT BUSINESS MEN, SAYS JUDGE MACK RETURNING.

Bublick and Paley Also Arrive on Leviathan.

NEW YORK, Oct. 16, (Jewish Telegraphic Agency) Judge Julian Mack and Gedaliah Bublick, editor of the Jewish Daily News, returned today on the Leviathan after a tour of Palestine.

Judge Mack spoke very hopefully of the Palestine situation. Under favorable circumstances, he declared, there is every reason to believe that Palestine will develop into a prosperous land, where all classes of Jews may live contentedly.

Palestine needs most of all competent business men able to invest in commercial enterprises, Judge Mack declared.

Mr. Bublick also spoke very optimistically of the outlook in Palestine. Herman Paley of the Day was among others who returned on the Leviathan.

BETHLEN AGAINST CAMOUFLAGING ANTI-JEWISHNESS AS NATIONALISM.

Premier Answers Charge He Sold Out To Jews.

BUDAPEST, Oct. 16, (Jewish Telegraphic Agency) Premier Bethlen today replied to the accusation of Deputy Goemboes that the government had abandoned its national anti-Jewish principles and sold out the country for an international loan.

Bethlen declared that the government realizes that it must subordinate Hungary to the general interest of Europe. He was unwilling however, he said, to make the country dependent on the big banks which function for the good of the country.

Personally, he said, he was always opposed to unscrupulous attacks on Jews and big finance masquerading as nationalism.

A bill proposing the confiscation of all estates acquired by Jews during the war was introduced by a deputy from the Right. It proposes that the confiscated property be distributed among the peasants.

RENAISSANCE OF JEWISH IDEALISM IN EUROPE, AB CAHAN SAYS ON ARRIVAL.

NEW YORK, Oct. 16, (Jewish Telegraphic Agency) Ab Cahan, editor of the Forwards returned to New York on the Leviathan Monday, after a tour of virtually all principal points of Europe.

Cahan told reporters that in many parts of Europe there was a renaissance of Jewish national culture and Jewish idealism. He honored and respected their idealism and fine feeling, Cahan said, although he did not believe it would be productive of any results.

Mussolini, Cahan declared, was introducing anti-Semitism in Italy. Cahan conferred with President Ebert of Germany and many other European notables.

A reception will be tendered to the Jewish editor at the National Theatre, Houston Street next Tuesday.

BRITISH "ISRAEL" WELCOMES JEWS ON ENGLISH TERRITORY.

LONDON, Oct. 15, (Jewish Telegraphic Agency) The members of the British "Israel" organization which adheres to the belief that the British are the lost ten tribes are divided in their opinion on Zionism but always were convinced long before the Balfour Declaration that Palestine should be repopled with Jews only under British suzerainty.

This statement was made to the J.T.A. by a member of the praesidium of the "Israel" convention which is meeting here.

The "Israelites" welcome the presence of the Jews on English territories. They emphasize their belief that the Jews are only a small portion of the ancient Hebrews, the Jews being the descendants of Judah and the British the offspring of the Israelites.

LITHUANIA DEPUTIES PRESENT INTERPELLATION ON EXCESSES.

KOWNO, Oct. 16, (Jewish Telegraphic Agency) The Jewish Sejm Deputies Finkelstein, Robinson, Garfunkel and Roginsky interpellated the Minister of the Interior at the last meeting of the Sejm regarding the recent excesses participated in mostly by persons in military uniform.

The Jewish deputies asked why the police had been inactive when a synagogue in Poniewierz was set fire to and when in Wilkomir, a man in uniform with drawn sword wounded twenty Jews.

They referred also to the practice lately quite frequent of obliterating signs above Jewish stores by smearing them over with tar. They mentioned also the smashing of the windows of two synagogues in Kowno and of the windows of the Jewish National Council building in the same city.

MINNEAPOLIS JEWS PRESENT LLOYD GEORGE WITH HEBREW SCROLL.

MINNEAPOLIS, Oct. 16, (Jewish Telegraphic Agency) Jews of this city yesterday presented Lloyd George on his arrival here from Canada with an illustrated scroll on which appeared in Hebrew an appreciation of what he had done as Premier in connection with the Jewish settlement in Palestine.

Dr. Maurice Lefkowitz, speaking on behalf of the Twin Cities' Jewish community presented the scroll to the guest. Lloyd George would never be forgotten by the Jews for what he had done to restore Palestine as a Jewish homeland, Dr. Lefkowitz said in making the presentation. Lloyd George seemed greatly moved by the tribute.

PRESIDENT MANUFACTURERS' ASSOCIATION DIES SUDDENLY.

NEW YORK, Oct. 15, (Jewish Telegraphic Agency) Samuel Broom, 62, president of the United Shirt Manufacturers Association dropped dead while walking on Fifth Avenue yesterday. The deceased was also the head of Broom and Newman, shirt manufacturers. He was a director of the National Dry Goods Ass'n and a member of the Central and Free Synagogue.

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CUT FEDERATION'S DEFICIT OF \$325,000.

NEW YORK. Oct. 16, (Jewish Telegraphic Agency) The \$700,000 deficit of the Federation for the Support of Jewish Philanthropic Societies has been decreased by \$325,000, it was announced at a dinner of the Business Men's Council of the Federation held at the Pennsylvania Hotel last night.

Among the speakers, praising the work of the 91 institutions affiliated with the organization were Justice Lehman, Percy S. Straus, Adolph S. Ochs and Jonah J. Goldstein. The guests numbering about 300 were filmed as they entered the dining room and their pictures were shown on the screen at the close of the dinner.

HUNGARY'S JEWISH POPULATION 473,301.

BUDAPEST. Oct. 16, (Jewish Telegraphic Agency) The Jewish population of Hungary totals 473,301 according to the 1920 census figures just made public. The total population is given at 7,980,143. The Roman Catholics are in the preponderant majority numbering 5,096,729.

POLAND'S EFFORT TO DODGE MINORITY GUARANTEES BALKED BY LEAGUE.**2,000 More Bessarabian Refugees Coming to U.S.**

LONDON, Oct. 16, (Jewish Telegraphic Agency) The Polish government sought unsuccessfully to virtually nullify the minority guarantees exacted from it by the League of Nations, according to Lucien Wolf, secretary of the Joint Foreign Committee of the Jewish Board of Deputies and the Anglo-Jewish Association.

Poland sought to obtain the League's consent to a proposal that no organizations outside of Poland be allowed to intervene before the League regarding the minority rights within Poland.

The Council of the League, Mr. Wolf also announced, decided to table for the present the petition of the Joint Foreign Committee relative to the numerus clausus in Poland. In view of the failure of the Sejm to take any decisive action on the numerus clausus, the Council felt it would be premature to take any steps regarding it. Should the Sejm finally pass it, it will come up again for consideration.

Wolf announced that 1700 of the Jewish refugees of Bessarabia had left for the United States and that 2,000 more will leave in November. The Jewish refugees are all out of Poland, he said, and as soon as Russian conditions are normal, the refugee problem will be solved.

ACTIONS COMMITTEE CALLED TO MEET OCT 24.

LONDON, Oct. 16, (Jewish Telegraphic Agency) The Zionist Actions Committee has been convoked for a meeting called for October 24.

While no reason is stated for the sudden calling of the meeting it is believed the recent communication of Sir Herbert Samuel regarding the Arab Agency will be considered.

AMERICAN JEWISH CONGRESS DISAVOWS ZANGWILL VIEWS

ZANGWILL SAYS HE WAS MISREPRESENTED

CONGRESS IS "PRIMARILY FOR PALESTINE"

New York, October 16 (Jewish Telegraphic Agency). The American Jewish Congress at its convening Monday officially disavowed the views of Israel Zangwill as expressed in his address the night before at Carnegie Hall.

As soon as the Congress assembled Monday, it was evident that the delegates were strongly aroused against the views of Mr. Zangwill and particularly against the manner in which it had been ~~xxx~~ presented in the general press.

Mounting the platform, Rabbi Wise declared that the Congress had listened with entire respect to the address of its distinguished visitor but it "could not be made too clear that Mr. Zangwill spoke for himself and not for the Congress".

Rabbi Wise maintained that the address of Mr. Zangwill had been misconstrued by the press "headline writers". He said that Zangwill was a Zionist and that his address was not directed against Zionism but against the present Zionist policies.

Mr. Lipsky proposed that the remarks of Rabbi Wise declaring that the views of Zangwill were purely personal and not that of the Congress be taken as expressing the official stand of the Congress. The motion was adopted.

Spirited denunciation of Mr. Zangwill's views were also expressed by Nathan Straus who declared that Zangwill's statement that "political Zionism is dead" was a "beautiful illustration of misinformation". "I wouldn't care if he was my own son" said Mr. Straus, referring to Mr. Zangwill, "I would denounce him for what he said last night". The Zionism Mr. Zangwill proclaimed, he added, "is counterfeit Zionism. I speak from experience. He speaks from hearsay. I have devoted my life to this one cause and I am not going to have people misinformed. I have been in Palestine. I have lived in Palestine. My mind is there. My money is there and my heart is there".

"I saw Mr. Zangwill this morning," continued Mr. Straus. "He said how did my lecture suit you. I said, I differ with you so much we had better go and play golf".

Mr. Zangwill was the guest of Mr. Straus at luncheon Monday and took occasion then to defend his much attacked address. He contended that the press had misrepresented his views and put them out of proportion.

The sessions of the Congress Tuesday morning were devoted to the hearing of the reports of the Resolution Committee headed by Judge Hugo Pam. Seven resolutions proposed by the committee was adopted Tuesday.

The only one which met opposition on the floor of the Congress declared "The American Jewish Congress believes that for the achievement of its aims and purposes it is vitally important that there be created a World Jewish Congress, democratically elected and representing the Jewish people of the world as a unit, therefore instructs its Executive Committee to communicate with responsible and representative Jewish national and international organizations to the end that such a world's Jewish Congress be convened as soon as possible".

The fifth arose when it was proposed to insert the words "primarily for Palestine" in the clause defining the scope of the Congress.

Judge Hugo Pam urged that the original resolution be adopted, declaring that there would doubtless come before the world Congress many other Jewish problems, such as the situation of Jewry in Eastern Europe. Those championing the amendment however contended

Rabbi Stephen S. Wise, Chairman of the Congress, asked Louis Lipsky to take the Chair so that he (Rabbi Wise) could take the floor and discuss the question. He proposed that the words "primarily for Palestine" should be interpolated in the resolution.

"After what happened Sunday night", said Rabbi Wise, referring to Israel Zangwill's denunciation of the programme of Zionism, "It is necessary to emphasize with all earnestness that any such organization should be for and primarily on behalf of Palestine before anything else".

Nothing, he declared, could be gained by passing resolutions about Mr. Zangwill or what he said, or what he left unsaid, or what he should have said.

"Our answer to Mr. Zangwill should be", declared Rabbi Wise, "We're going to call the World Jewish Congress primarily for Palestine". There was only one way, contended Rabbi Wise, to unite the Jewish people. It was to build up Palestine. Others had objected that any limiting of the phraseology might shut out certain classes of Jews who were not Zionists, but Rabbi Wise said: "Any Jew who refuses to enter a Congress for Palestine is little enough interested in Jewish rights or law, and I don't care to meet him".

Another resolution calling on the Jews of America to unite in a permanent organization under the American Jewish Congress was adopted by the delegates. ~~A resolution on immigration urged that the "abolition of the restrictions on immigration that have been adopted since the World War".~~

Referring to the Jewish refugees problem, the resolution adopted points out that "changes in boundaries affected by the Versailles Treaty have deprived many Jews of Central and Eastern Europe of their rights of Citizenship. It therefore demands that the Jews affected by those changes shall have the right to free movement within the pre-war boundaries until they have had ample and fair opportunity for choosing and establishing their citizenship".

A resolution expressing appreciation for Lloyd George's stand on the Jewish question and another expressing appreciation of the services of Dr. Weizmann were also adopted.

At the luncheon which was given to Mr. Zangwill on Monday at the Commodore, he said:

Now I am persuaded that you gentlemen who are against my views are too near them and you have also read perhaps perversions in the press which have misrepresented and put them out of proportion - I was careful to supply the synopsis, as long as I dared, to the press - but I find that especially the New York Times has put in even more than the synopsis. It is a great compliment. But they should either have put in all or should have put in the portion which I gave them.

I think that when you take a long view of my speech, when you wait a few weeks, when you see the effect upon the Arabs and upon the British Government, you will perhaps change your view of what I said. What I said was perpended for long weeks at home, was perpended on the watches of the night on the ship coming here, and prevented my sleeping many nights over here till I delivered the speech, because I was so anxious to do justice to all sides. It is the most difficult speech I ever made in my life.

But I find that my Zionist friends are of the opinion that Arabs are fools. They do not read the Arab newspapers. The Arabs say straight out that they know quite well that you wish to swamp them and that you can't have a Jewish National Home in Palestine unless you are masters there. This is their idea. They understand what politics means. The Jewish people do not understand what politics means having been away from their own politics for 1850 years, they have ceased to have the sense of what it means to be a people and to be a nation and to control its affairs.

I as a Jew am supposed to be bitterest enemy of the Arabs and have told them that under the British mandate they have a right to a free constitution. But at the same time (as I know why they want that free constitution in order to pass an anti-Jewish Immigration Law), I also pointed out that the Balfour mandate says that the English are in Palestine to build up a Jewish National Home there and therefore they can't do anything with their parliamentary government to stop the building up of that Jewish National Home. And therefore I have said that the British government must have a veto upon any measures of anti-immigration of Jews or any measures against the spirit of the Balfour mandate. Therefore, I am playing fair for both sides.

I have also reminded the British government that in the very word of the mandate they have to give us the waste lands and the public lands not otherwise utilized. They have not given us a single acre. I have never known in the whole of history a piece of work thrown upon the people like this - such a Shylock piece of work against us that we are to build up a country where we have to buy every single piece of land by the square yard, and every purchase we make puts up the price for us. You will search the pages of history in vain to find any similar example of such a colonization.
