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QUOTA VICTIMS TO BE ADMITTED AFTER ALL, ASSISTANT SECRETARY/LABOR STATES

Joseph Barondess Informed By Assistant Secretary of Labor White Deportees About To Proceed to Canada Will Undoubtedly Be Admitted Here

LOUIS MARSHALL APPEALS TO PRESIDENT

Judge Knox' decision Re-opens November quota for 876 Aliens

New York, December 12 (Jewish Telegraphic Agency). All Russian immigrants now detained at Ellis Island who are able to pass the necessary tests will in all likelihood be admitted into the United States, previous decisions ordering their deportation notwithstanding.

This development arises from an eleventh hour discovery that the quota for November had not actually been exhausted before the arrival of these immigrants who, it now appears, were erroneously ordered deported.

The immigrants directly affected by this latest development are in the first instance over 300 Jewish deportees for whom special permission had been obtained by representatives of the American Jewish Congress and of Canadian Jewry to proceed to Canada pending the re-opening of the Russian quota in the United States next July. Others to benefit by the decision are immigrants admitted under bond as cases for whom deportation would involve extreme hardship as well as the many other deportees who had not indicated their wish to go to Canada and those whose appeals for admission are still pending.

The immediate cause for the review of the deportees' situation were writs of habeas corpus obtained by Maurice Zuckert and Isaac Stegel, counsel for 12 Jewish immigrants detained at Ellis Island, by a ruling of Federal Judge Knox.

Joseph Barondess informed the Jewish Telegraphic Agency late this afternoon, following his conversation on the long distance telephone with Assistant Secretary of Labor Carl White at Washington, that immigrants admitted on parole will undoubtedly be declared permanently admitted without further delay and that all those who were to have been taken on the S. S. Pittsburgh to Canada Thursday will in all probability also at once be admitted.

In the meantime the Pittsburgh with its human cargo has been ordered to remain in port pending the final decision by the Labor Department.

Louis Marshall who had previously appealed to President Coolidge on behalf of the Russian immigrants ordered deported as being in excess of the quota, yesterday telegraphed to the President appealing for their release now it had become clear from Commissioner of Immigration Husband's account that the figures were "erroneous". It would appear, Mr. Marshall indicated, that on the first of November when the Russian quota for the month was declared exhausted, there was still room for about a thousand aliens under that quota.

Room for the deportees was found in the opinion of Federal Judge Knox, who said it would be improper to charge against the quota for November the 740 Russian refugees taken from a sinking Pacific liner in July and the 163 Russian immigrants who arrived in San Francisco in July sometime before the Japanese earthquake. As it was impossible to return these refugees they were admitted by special permission of the Department of Labor and charged to the Russian quota.

"This decision held up the Russian immigrants who arrived here after the usual race to this harbor on November 3," Mr. Zuckert said last night. "The decision of the Commissioner made it necessary to detain them at Ellis Island pending arrangements for their deportation. They were to be sent away on the White Star liner Olympic when the writs were obtained for those represented by me and Mr. Siegel, which resulted in holding them all until argument could be heard by the Court.

"Judge Knox ordered the admission of the twelve for whom the writs had been obtained, and said that the order affected 876 others who were being detained at Ellis Island. The Court pointed out that an injury would be inflicted upon those Russian immigrants who had left Russia in good faith in October to be shut out because the United States had played the part of a humanitarian in aiding those other Russians who were refugees and those who could not be returned to Japan because of the earthquake there".

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COUNSEL FOR DOUGLAS TRIES TO REPRESENT SIR ERNEST CASSEL AS PRO-GERMAN

Churchill Asserts Friend of King Edward Respected By Cabinet Though Pro-German.

London, December 12 (Jewish Telegraphic Agency). Winston Churchill's suit for libel against Sir Alfred Douglas at the Old Bailey yesterday assumed the appearance as if Churchill and not Douglas were the defendant. The former Lord of the Admiralty and Colonial Secretary was subjected to a grilling cross-examination lasting six hours. Cecil Hayes, Counsel for Lord Douglas, kept Mr. Churchill on the witness stand under a constant fire of questions involving the plaintiff's entire career.

It seems to be the object of Mr. Hayes to throw into the shadow of Mr. Churchill's public and private dealings while representing Sir Ernest Cassel, the great Jewish financier and friend of King Edward as an unrepentent German.

The counsel for Lord Douglas who had alleged that Mr. Churchill made a profit of £40,000 out of a transaction Sir Ernest Cassel was able to make following the adverse reports on the battle of Jutland, tried to establish that Mr. Churchill was unduly indebted to the late Jewish financier.

Mr. Hayes turned to Mr. Churchill's relations with Sir Ernest Cassel, and particularly to a roomful of furniture Sir Ernest had given him.

"Was the furniture inside the door!"

"Yes, inside and right round the room," Mr. Churchill answered. "That is a very important point".

Sir Ernest, though German-born, was trusted by all the Cabinet, said the witness,

#### ZIONIST DEPUTIES OF POLAND REJOICE IN BRITISH LABOR VICTORY

Warsaw, December 12 (Jewish Telegraphic Agency). The hope that the victory of the British Labor Party at the polls would lead to the emancipation of the workmen, the consolidation of labor and the creation of a Jewish workers' center in Palestine, is expressed in a message from the Zionist labor deputies of the Polish Parliament to the heads of the British Labor Party. The signatories to the message of felicitation are deputies Heller, Levinsohn and Silbershein.

#### JEWISH WORKMEN OF PALESTINE REJOICE IN BRITISH VICTORY

Jerusalem, Dec. 12 (Jewish Telegraphic Agency). Victory of the British Labor Party in the Parliamentary elections has caused rejoicing among the Jewish workmen of Palestine. Both the general labor party and the labor union have cabled congratulations to the leaders of the British Labor Party.

Six hundred Jewish immigrants were admitted in Palestine during November, according to official figures.

#### POLISH "EXPERTS" LAKE SCIENCE OF ANTISEMITISM

Warsaw, December 12 (Jewish Telegraphic Agency) Noted anti-Semites of Poland alleged experts in the Jewish question, have met here under the auspices of the Roswoj with the object in view of making Jew-haiting a science. The range of subjects covered during the assembly is indicative of the "experts" aims. Professor Konopczynski, a member of the Polish Sejm delivered a long lecture on the numerus clausus as an effective weapon in the struggle against the Jews. Briest Kruszynski discussed the old testament and the later-day ethics of the Jews. The notorious Prince Lutoslawski gave a pseudo scientific explanation of anti-Semitism.

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The Jew-haiting conference celebrated also the tenth anniversary of the Roswoj activities. Special services were held in the Cathedral in honor of the occasion, Lutoslawski urging the continuance of the fight.

Founders of the Roswoj movement, among them Roman Dmowski, who now occupies the post of Foreign Minister, Editor Sadzewicz of Dwa Groshe, and others, were extolled for their part in the anti-Jewish campaign.

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#### ROTHENBERG CASE BLOCKED BY ANTI-JEWISH FEELING, JONAH GOLDSTEIN ASSESTS

New York, Dec. 12 (J. T.A.) Charging that anti-Semitic feeling and the influence of the Ku Klux Klan were making a mockery of the official investigation into the murder of Howard R. Rothenberg, seven years old, who was found strangled to death in a barn at Cedar Lawn, near Windham, N.Y., on August 29th last, Jonah J. Goldstein, attorney for the boy's parents, appealed to Governor Alfred E. Smith yesterday to order an independent inquiry into the case by the Attorney General.

"Since the cry 'the Jews are after my blood' was raised by Anna Sobin, sixteen years old, a Polish girl who was employed by the Rothenbergs as a servant, and who is a material witness in the case, the parents", said Mr. Goldstein, "believe that the real issue in the case, the discovery and apprehension of the murderer, has been sidetracked", and that anti-Jewish feeling, which he declared was rife in the community along with the prejudice in favor of the Ku Klux Klan, had supplanted it.

Edward W. Lackey, attorney for the family, and the dead child's parents have all received letters signed Ku Klux Klan", he continued, "warning them not to persist in their efforts to bring about the arrest of the murderer. Some of the letter to the family", he said, "have advised them that if Jews don't want their children murdered they had better keep out of this country."

"To me as a Jew", said Mr. Goldstein, "the facts on the whole present an intolerable situation, and I propose to aid this family in any way that I can."

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#### RABBI JOINS CHRISTIAN POET AND PAINTER IN WEDLOCK

New York, Dec. 12 (J. T.A.) Arthur Davison Ficke, one of America's foremost poets, and Miss Gladys Brown, the painter, were married Saturday according to the Jewish law by Rabbi Lewis Browne.

Although both the bride and groom are Christian, they chose a Jewish Minister to perform the ceremony because of what they called an "aesthetic repugnance to Christian clerics and justices of the peace".

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The ceremony was performed in the home of Edna St. Vicent Millay, the well-known poet and painter, and among the guests were Witter Bynner, Eugene Boissevain, and a number of others, prominent in the literary and art circles of New York.

Rabbi Browne was formerly of Temple Israel, Waterbury, Conn., and is now in New York, connected with the Nation and the Freeman.

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#### FRENCH PUBLISHER SEES NO JEWISH QUESTION AT HOME

New York, Dec. 12 (Jewish Telegraphic Agency). Senator Paul Dupuy of France in an interview with the Jewish Telegraphic Agency, dismissed as unfounded reports of an anti-Semitism in his country. There is no Jewish question in France, the Senator, who is the publisher of the Le Petit Parisien, the newspaper with a circulation of nearly 3,000,000, said.

French Jews take a leading part in many walks of life, but they are not thought of as Jews, as is the case in central and east-European countries, where there is an organized anti-Semitic movement.

Senator Dupuy minimized the importance of papers like the "Action Francais", which does conduct an anti-Jewish agitation.

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#### JOINT VOTES \$25,000 FOR "ORT" WORK IN EUROPE

New York, December 12 (J. T. A.) Following conferences of Dr. Leo Bramson and Dr. A. Singalowsky, representing the European "Ort" association with Colonel Herbert Lehman, Dr. Joseph Rosen and Dr. B. Kahn of the Joint Distribution Committee, an appropriation of \$25,000 was made by the "Joint" for the "Ort's" work in Poland, Lithuania and Roumania.

The "Ort" delegates who arrived here recently have been conferring also with the heads of the People's Relief Organization which with the aid of the American "Ort" has pledged its assistance in the raising of the million dollar reconstruction fund the "Ort" world conference launched in Danzig last summer.

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#### FIRE DESTROYS TORONTO JEWISH THEATRE

Toronto, Dec. 12 (J. T. A.) The National theatre, one of the two local Jewish theatres, was destroyed Monday night by fire that was caused by a burning cigarette. The stage and scenery was completely destroyed.

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