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## IMMIGRANTS IN EXCESS OF NOVEMBER QUOTA ADMITTED

Department of Labor Orders Admission of Those To Sail Today For Canada, and Other Deportees.

## OTHERS PREVIOUSLY ADMITTED WILL BE DEPORTED, SECRETARY DAVIS SAYS

New York, December 13 (Jewish Telegraphic Agency). After spending forty days on Ellis Island hundreds of immigrants who arrived on November 3rd are being admitted in the United States today. Among the first to be admitted are about 250 Jewish immigrants who had been ordered deported and for whom arrangements were made to go to Canada to await the reopening of the next quota.

Assistant Secretary of Labor White late Wednesday afternoon ordered Commissioner Curran at Ellis Island to admit these deportees first of all under the decision of Federal Judge Knox, declaring the Russian quota for November was not exhausted ~~when~~ when these immigrants arrived.

In the statement to the Jewish Telegraphic Agency in Washington, Assistant Secretary of Labor White estimated all Russian deportees arriving in November and being held at different ports will be admissible under the ruling by Judge Knox.

This decision of the Federal Court may put the Immigration Bureau to the necessity of deporting several hundred other Russians mostly Jews, already in the United States, it was announced at Washington at the same time. Commissioner General Husband stated the Congress decision was that immigrants admitted in excess of the quota in July, are unlawfully in the United States and must leave the country. Those admitted and charged to the November quota were 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.

James J. Davis, Secretary of Labor, in a letter to the Jewish Telegraphic Agency dated December 12 also indicated that Russian refugees as well as others admitted prior to November and charged to the November quota will have to be deported.

Mr. Davis made the statement in acknowledgement of the Jewish Telegraphic Agency's invitation to its Fourth Anniversary Dinner, to be held Wednesday evening, December 19, at the Hotel Brevoort.

The ruling of the Federal Court, Secretary Davis said, declaring that the Secretary of Labor did not have the power of citing immigrants into a subsequent month, makes it necessary for the Department to call upon these Russian refugees as well as all those admitted prior to November and charged to the November quota "to depart the country forthwith, and in case of their failure so to do, deportation proceedings will have to be instituted. The only possible relief for those so situated would be some act of Congress".

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JEWISH BACKER EXPLAINS WHY HE SUPPORTS FORD FOR PRESIDENT.

Edward Frensdorf Defends Ford's Views On Jews But Says They Should Support Him Just The Same

Detroit, Mich. Dec. 13th (J.T.A.). Responding to a letter of inquiry by The Detroit Jewish Chronicle for his reason in supporting Henry Ford for President, Edward Frensdorf of Hudson, Mich., a Jew, former acting warden of the Michigan State Prison at Jackson and former Food and Drug Commissioner for Michigan, states that while, in his opinion, Mr. Ford has not been justified in assailing the Jews as a race, he quite agrees that "we have Jews in league with some Gentiles who are exacting undue profits and who are guilty of promoting that which will bring disaster to our nation."

Mr. Frensdorf is the man who is responsible, as a member of the Michigan Democratic Committee, for circulating petitions in the state favoring Mr. Ford for the Presidency.

The telegraphic message of The Chronicle, inquiring of Mr. Frensdorf his reasons for favoring Mr. Ford, follows:

"We understand you are a Jew. If so will you write an article for our publication telling our readers why you are for Ford for President?"

Mr. Frensdorf's statement, dated December 10, follows, in part:-

"Your message requesting that I give my reason for favoring the nomination of Henry Ford for President of the United States, duly received. Responding wish to say its my opinion that Mr. Ford has not been justified in assailing Jews as a Race, but I quite agree that we have Jews in league with some gentiles who are exacting undue profits and who are guilty of promoting that which will bring disaster to our nation.

"Besides this, I am well convinced that some of Mr. Ford's quoted sayings go beyond his real feelings. He not only employs thousands of Hebrews at good wages and without discrimination as compared with workers of other races, but also he uses the skilled services of Jewish professional men of highest abilities. These facts satisfy me that his real antagonism is directed against individuals who indulge in disgraceful and of ten times criminal practices and not against the Jewish religion or people as a whole.

"He is the one man who has demonstrated that a great and colossal fortune can be accumulated without a monopoly or being favored by special legislation, and without robbing or taking undue advantage of labor or any citizen. He has shown himself to be the greatest industrial and business genius of the age. Why not avail ourselves as citizens of his abilities in running the business affairs of our Country?

"In the name of humanity, those who call themselves Jews, have no clearer duty to perform than to come to the rescue of those who are and will suffer to appease the selfish desired of a few."

FRENCH ROYALIST STUDENTS DEMONSTRATE AGAINST JEWS

Paris, Dec. 13, (J.T.A. Mail Service). On Thursday evening, an anti-Jewish open air meeting was held by Royalist students in the Latin Quarter of Paris. Copies of "L'Action Francaise", the Royalist Organ, were on sale. The speakers ~~of~~ denounced the Jews as the chief obstacle to the restoration of the Monarchy in France. The Jews, they declared, were Communists, the Jews were the counsellors of President Wilson and were responsible for his Fourteen Points, which had brought about the isolation of France. The first step towards the destruction of the Republic must be the annihilation of the Jews.

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TWO JEWS INNOCENTLY IMPRISONED IN FRANCE SEVEN YEARS.

Paris, Dec. 13th, (J.T.A. Mail Service). In 1916, two Jewish journalists named Landau and Goldsky were sent to prison in connection with the proceedings against the French evening paper "Bonnet Rouge". It has now transpired that both these Jews were innocent of the charge brought against them. Yet they are still being detained in prison. The Ligue des Droits de l'Homme has started an extensive campaign to secure their release. The whole of the progressive press is devoting much space to the agitation.

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"CATHOLIC JEWS" STILL JEWS.

London, Dec. 13. (J.T.A. Mail Service). The "Catholic Herald", in an editorial on a speech by a Catholic prelate declaring that although a Catholic he was still a Jew, writes: "By becoming a Christian a Jew does not cease to be a Jew. He is still the seed of Abraham, one of the chosen people. He may still be proud of his nation, share its joys and sorrows, believe the distresses of its members, believe in its glorious future. Our Lord himself never renounced his nationality, never ceased to love his nation. St. Paul after his conversion never ceased to love and pray for his nation, proclaiming himself 'a Hebrew of the Hebrews.' We have examples of eminent Jews accepting Christianity without ceasing to be justifiably proud of their Jewish descent. Mendelssohn, Disraeli, Sir Ernest Cassel are some of the names that readily present themselves."

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## CHURCHILL WINS LIBEL SUIT AGAINST DOUGLAS

Anti-Semitic Publisher Sentenced to Six Months.

London, December 13 (J. T.A.) Winston Churchill, won his suit against Lord Alfred Douglas, the anti-Semitic publisher and author. Lord Alfred was found guilty of criminal libel and sentenced to six months imprisonment in the second division. Justice Evers, in summing up, said there was no doubt that the matter published by Douglas concerning Mr. Churchill was libelous. The defendant, instead of giving evidence made a diatribe of politics and indulged in vituperous abuse against Mr. Churchill, the Justice declared.

In addition to the imprisonment Lord Alfred has been ordered to deposit a surety of £100 at the end of sentence to keep the peace for six months, particularly toward Mr. Churchill. Failure to find a guarantee will result in Douglas being imprisoned for an additional six months.

The Justice referred to Douglas' suit for libel against the Morning POST where his accusations also proved untrue, Lord Douglas must be taught like other persons to suffer punishment, the Justice declared.

The libelous statements of which Lord Douglas has been found guilty were contained in a pamphlet entitled "Winston Churchill, The Battle of Jutland and the Jews". In this pamphlet Douglas libeled that Mr. Churchill issued a false communique regarding the Battle of Jutland to enable the late Sir Ernest Cassel to buy British and German securities at a low rate. The Earl of Balfour testified during the trial that he had issued the communique in question, with which Mr. Churchill had nothing to do. The Secretary to the late Sir Ernest testified that his employer bought no German securities during the war.

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## JEWISH MINISTRY IN LITHUANIA REMAINS, MINISTER ASSERTS

London, Dec. 13 (Jewish Telegraphic Agency). Dr. S. Rosenbaum, Minister for Jewish Affairs in Lithuania, interviewed on arrival here declared the reports of the liquidation of the Jewish Ministry were untrue. Some of the Ministries' activities were transferred to the National Council of Lithuanian Jews, but this was done for legal reasons, he asserted.

The failure of the Lithuanian Sejm to ratify the minorities' rights clause was of no significance, Dr. Rosenbaum declared, except as a legal point. The League of Nations has accepted the view that the Government declaration safeguarding minority rights has come into force and the ratification by the Sejm was not imperative.

Minister Rosenbaum has come here in order to inform the Jewry of Western Europe regarding the economic, ~~and~~ political and cultural situation of Lithuanian Jewry.

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