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NEW YORK TO HAVE MUSEUM OF JEWISH RELIGIOUS ART; TO BE REMOVED FROM NATIONAL MUSEUM WASHINGTON OWING TO LACK OF GOVERNMENT APPROPRIATION

Washington, Sept. 26 (Jewish Telegraphic Agency) The city of New York will shortly have a new Jewish Museum consisting of valuable collection of Jewish religious ceremonial objects. The collection was, for twenty years, housed in the National Museum of the United States where it was under the supervision of Dr. Casanowicz. The collection was the property of a New York Jewish family who have been adding to it throughout the years. Recently the family was compelled to sell the collection, but the United States government was unable to make the purchase because of lack of an appropriation. Subsequently, it was purchased by a group of wealthy New York Jews and it will be moved to New York.

The collection contains Jewish art objects from different periods of Jewish history and while it was on exhibition at the National Museum here, it was the center of attraction for thousands of visitors, Christians as well as Jews.

FIRST JEWISH SOVIETS ELECTED IN RUSSIA

Moscow, Sept. 26 (Jewish Telegraphic Agency) The first two Jewish Soviets in Soviet Russia were elected in the village Slcbodea Davidovka, in the district of Mozyr, and in the agricultural colony Kormi, in the district of Mogileff.

According to the latest decree of the Soviet Government, localities where National Minorities are in the majority, separate elections are held and their own Soviets are elected.

2500 FAMILIES WILL BE SETTLED ON LAND IN DISTRICT
OF KERSON

Moscow, Sept. 26 (Jewish Telegraphic Agency) 2500 Jewish families, coming from the districts of Podol, Chernigoff, and Kiev, will settle in the district of Kerson. 3,000 Desiatin land was tentatively allotted for this purpose by the Agricultural Commissariat of the Ukraine.

SIR HERBERT RAPHAEL, JEWISH BANKER, BRITISH M.P. DIES

London, Sept. 26 (Jewish Telegraphic Agency) Sir Herbert Raphael, well-known Jewish millionaire and banker, for twelve years until 1918 Member of Parliament for the Liberal Party, died here today at the age of 65. His death occurred suddenly, while he was hunting on his estate. He collapsed while holding the gun to his shoulder

DR. WISE TO ADDRESS INTERNATIONAL FRIENDSHIP ALLIANCE
IN BUFFALO

Washington, D.C. Sept. 26 (Jewish Telegraphic Agency) Rabbi Stephen S. Wise will be one of the speakers to address the Ninth Annual Convention of the World Alliance for International Friendship Through the Churches, which will be held at Buffalo from November 11 to November 13.

The Annual meeting of the American Council of the World Alliance for International Friendship, which is considered an important factor for the advancement of international friendship, will be marked this year by the presence of many noted speakers from America and abroad who are interested in promoting international co-operation.

NATIONAL SECURITY LEAGUE ATTACKS LA FOLLETTE SUPPORTERS

New York, Sept. 26 (Jewish Telegraphic Agency) "The roster of La Follette supporters is conclusive proof that the backers of the third party ticket include pro-Germans, Pacifists and Bolsheviki", states a bulletin issued by the National Security League.

The bulletin gives the names of those who have enlisted in the La Follette campaign. Among them are Prof. Felix Frankfurter, Harvard; member American Civil Liberties Union; Abraham Lefkowitz, Farmer-Labor Party; Henry Rosenfelt, American Jewish Relief Committee; Morris Sigman, President International Ladies Garment Workers, radical union; D.C. Vlodeck, business manager, "The Forward", Jewish daily.

COMMENCE CONSTRUCTION OF NEW SYNAGOGUE IN PHILADELPHIA

Philadelphia, Sept. 22 (Jewish Telegraphic Agency) Construction of the new Enai Jeshurun Synagogue and the Jewish Community Center of Strawberry Mansion was begun yesterday in the presence of a large gathering, including many prominent Jews.

Among the speakers at the exercises were William M. Lewis, Judge of the Municipal Court, and Rabbi B.L. Levinthal. The new institution, of which Rabbi Abraham A. Neuman will be leader, will cost \$400,000.

The cornerstone of a home for aged women was also laid yesterday. The new home will accommodate 800 guests and will cost approximately \$80,000.

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TRADE UNION OF ORTHODOX JEWISH WORKERS IN PALESTINE

Berlin, Sept. 12 (Jewish Telegraphic Agency Mail Service) The establishment of a Histadruth Haovdim of Jewish orthodox workers in Palestine as the only body to which Mizrachist workers are to belong has been decided on by a conference of the Mizrachi Organization here.

About forty delegates were present at the conference, which has just been concluded. The chief question before the conference was that of the Statutes of the Mizrachi Bank. The raising of the funds for the building of the Tachkemoni School in Jaffa, and several organization questions in connection with the Palestine work were also discussed.

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FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF PARIS GREAT SYNAGOGUE

Paris, Sept. 14 (Jewish Telegraphic Agency Mail Service) Soon it will be just fifty years since the Great Synagogue in the Rue de la Victoire was opened. The Synagogue was formally consecrated and opened the end of September 1874, although the construction of the Synagogue had begun as far back as 1865.

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LATVIAN PRESIDENT'S LIBEL ACTION AGAINST FOUR ANTI-SEMITIC NEWSPAPERS; ATTACKED BECAUSE HE HAD PORTRAIT PAINTED BY JEWISH ARTIST

Riga, Sept. 12 (Jewish Telegraphic Agency Mail Service) M. Jan Chakste, the President of the Latvian Republic, has started libel actions against four anti-Semitic newspapers

which have been attacking him for having ordered a portrait of himself painted by a Jewish artist, Jan Motzkin.

On the same day, obviously by arrangement, all the anti-Semitic newspapers in Latvia published an article under the heading "President has portrait painted by Jew". The President was strongly censured for having gone to a Jewish artist for his portrait. Some of the statements made against the President in the article were highly libellous. The trial is due to open this week.

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JEWS IN PALESTINE BECOME FREE MEN, SAYS MAURICE SAMUEL

New York, Sept. 26 (Jewish Telegraphic Agency) "I went to Palestine to see what is happening to the Jewish spirit out there. I went out to ask, What do Jews become in Palestine. The answer is, They become Free men."

This was the substance of a report brought back from Palestine by Maurice Samuel, noted novelist, poet and author of "You Gentiles". His address was delivered at a reception tendered to him by the Zionist Organization of America at the Hotel Astor, New York, last night.

In describing what he meant by Jewish freemen, Mr. Samuel made clear that quite a different concept prevailed in Palestine from that which prevails through the rest of the world. In Palestine, the thousands of recent immigrants who have been rescued from pogrom-ridden countries, look upon self-reliance as being synonymous with freedom. They believed that they would become free when they would cease to be dependent on others, not merely for their political rights, but for their economic existence. It was this belief that filled them with extraordinary energy and gave them the endurance to pull through the first years of suffering in the hope that they would establish themselves in complete independence.

Under the spur of this faith, Jewish pioneers in Palestine have produced altogether unexpected results. Mr. Samuel instanced the development of the Valley of Jezreel, the great rift of fruitful land which breaks up the mountains of central Palestine.

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EDITOR OF POLISH-JEWISH DAILY IMPRISONED FOR ATTACK ON GOVERNMENT WHICH IS NO LONGER IN OFFICE

Warsaw, Sept. 13 (J.T.A. Mail Service) The editor of the "Nasz Przegląd", has been sentenced to one month's imprisonment for the publication of an article at the time the Witos Government was in office, attacking the policy of that Government in respect to the Jews.

PALESTINE TELEGRAPHIC AGENCY DESPATCHESDR. WEIZMANN ACCORDED HEARTY RECEPTION IN JERUSALEM
AND TEL AVIV

Jerusalem, Sept. 26 (Jewish Telegraphic Agency) Dr. Chaim Weizmann, President of the Zionist World Organization, who arrived here yesterday was accorded an enthusiastic reception both in Jerusalem and in Tel Aviv, the modern Jewish city near Jaffe.

After his so-journ in Palestine, Dr. Weizmann will visit the United States for the purpose of continuing negotiations with regard to the formation of the Jewish Agency.

ARAB'S APPEAL TO HUSSEIN AND IBN SAUD TO STOP FIGHTING
IN THE NAME OF THE MOSLEM RELIGION

Jerusalem, Sept. 26 (Jewish Telegraphic Agency) The war between King Hussein and Sultan Ibn Saud is causing much anxiety among the Moslems of Palestine and Egypt. The Executive Committee of the National Arab Party in Palestine and the Azhar University of Cairo have today appealed to Hussein and Ibn Saud to stop fighting in the name of the Moslem religion.

The Arab press suggests a delegation representing the Arabs of Palestine and Egypt to proceed to Mecca for the purpose of mediating between Hussein and the Wahabis.

TWO ARAB'S SENTENCED TO DEATH FOR MURDER OF CHOLUZ

Jerusalem, Sept. 26 (Jewish Telegraphic Agency) The trial of two Arabs who attacked and killed the Choluz Leibowitz from Tel Yossef near Kilkilah last June, took place today at Nablus. The court, under the Presidency of Mr/ Hycraft, pronounced death sentence.

MANUFACTURE OF JAM IN PALESTINE

Jaffa, Sept. 4 (Jewish Telegraphic Agency Mail Service) In view of the fact that a large stock of unsold wine remains in the cellars of Rishon-le-Zion and Zichron Jacob, it has been decided to use a considerable portion of this year's grape crop for the purpose of making jam and concentrated grape juice. This was tried last year and proved successful. Thirty-five tons of concentrated grape juice were produced and exported from Zichron Jacob to European, especially to English, markets. A new vacuum machine, valued at £1,000 has been established in Zichron Jacob.