

## JEWISH LEADER MAY BE ELECTED SENATOR FROM MISSOURI

**Nathan Frank, Former Congressman, Active in Politics 40 Years**  
(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 21.—Nathan Frank, Congressman from St. Louis during 1889-1891, will probably be a Republican candidate in the fall primary for the office of United States Senator. The election will be for the seat held by the late Selden P. Spencer. A recess appointment was given by Governor Baker of Missouri to Geo. H. Williams, now Senator from Missouri.

In a recent statement Mr. Frank said, "My friends in the party declare that they think a term in the United States Senate would be a fitting climax to my long and faithful service to the party, both locally and nationally. I informed them that I would agree to accept their offer of support providing there be no opposing candidates. My friends informed me that I would have an open field for the office."

Nathan Frank has been actively identified in Republican politics for nearly forty years. In addition to his Congressional office he has served as a member of city committees, chairman of state committees and has been known as an active supporter of civic affairs. Recently Mr. Frank donated a bandstand to the City of St. Louis. Mr. Frank is seventy-four years of age.

## CONSTRUCTION OF UNIVERSITY BUILDINGS WILL BEGIN ON MOUNT SCOPUS

**Plans for Einstein Institute and National Library Concluded**  
(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Jerusalem, Jan. 21.—The building activities for the Einstein Institute of Physics at the Hebrew University, which is to be erected at the cost of \$100,000 donated by Philip Wattenburg of New York, and for the National Library, a part of the University, will begin on Mount Scopus shortly, it was announced here today.

The plans have just been completed by Professor Mears, the associate of Professor Patrick Geddes, British architect who designed the University.

## ANTI-SEMITIC EXCESSES CONTINUE FOR THIRD DAY AT BUCHAREST UNIVERSITY

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Bucharest, Jan. 21.—Anti-Jewish excesses continued for the third day at the University of Bucharest yesterday.

Roumanian students attacked their Jewish classmates in the lecture hall of the Medical College. Many of the Jewish students were beaten and thrown out of the lecture hall. The lectures were suspended.

The government announced that punitive measures would be taken.

## JEWISH STUDENTS HOLD CONFERENCE IN POLAND

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Warsaw, Jan. 21.—The second all-Polish conference of Jewish students was opened here yesterday in the presence of 75 delegates. The conference will last four days.

Representatives of the central government, the city government, the Jewish community and cultural institutions greeted the assembly.

The majority of the students are of Zionist affiliation. The minority belong to the labor parties, Bund and Poale Zion, and to radical groups.

## URGE AMERICAN AID FOR JEWISH EMIGRANTS IN EUROPE

**United Jewish Emigration Committee Wants Hias to Continue Activity**  
(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Berlin, Jan. 21.—American Jews were urged to continue their relief work for the stranded Jewish refugees and emigrants, in a resolution adopted by the United Jewish Emigration Committee and other organizations working for the relief of Jewish emigrants.

The resolution made a particular appeal to the Hebrew Immigrant Aid Society of America not to carry out its plan of liquidating its activities in Europe at this time when Jewish emigration is going through a severe crisis.

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency Mail Service)

Berlin, Jan. 1.—In view of the acute crisis in the Jewish emigration movement the United Jewish Emigration Committee has had a meeting with the Jewish press representatives for the purpose of acquainting them with the situation. The chairman, Dr. Kreinin, said that the decision of the Hebrew Immigrant Aid Society of New York to withdraw from Europe, had made still more acute the crisis in Jewish emigration. Representations ought to be made to American Jewry to continue to assist financially in the efforts to solve the difficult problem of Jewish emigration.

Mr. Latzki Bertholdi said that they had to refute the American contention that European Jewry was able to look after its own affairs, especially with regard to emigration. America took the view that Emigration was no longer a question of actual moment, since most countries had shut their gates to immigration. The emigration problem was far more

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## 500 JEWS LEFT RUSSIA TO GO ON FOOT TO PALESTINE

**Group Suffers in Adventure; 150 Died; 4 Arrive**  
(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Jerusalem, Jan. 21.—Tales recalling the medieval Palestine pilgrimage adventures were described by four Jewish immigrants from Soviet Russia who arrived here via Bagdad. The four are members of a group of 500 Russian Jews who left Soviet Russia last year with the intention of going on foot to Palestine through Persia.

Many were arrested by the officials on the frontier and were exiled to Siberia. About 150 of the group died en route, the new arrivals declared. The other surviving members are expected to arrive shortly.

## FOUR-FIFTHS OF JEWISH ARTISANS UNEMPLOYED IN WARSAW

**Ask Kehillah and City Government for Immediate Relief**  
(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Warsaw, Jan. 21.—An appeal to the Kehillah for immediate relief was made by the Executive Committee of the Jewish Artisans Association at its session held here last night. Of the 10,000 members of the Association, 8,000 are unemployed.

Twenty-five thousand Zlotys was asked of the Kehillah Council for relief.

The committee also decided to appeal to the Warsaw city government to see that Jewish artisans be provided with employment in proportion to the number of non-Jewish artisans employed.

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## JEWISH DOMINANCE OF GERMAN PRESS, ANTI-SEMITES' CHARGE, IS BASELESS LEGEND, FIGURES SHOW

T. U., Anti-Jewish Agency, Supplies 1,200 Newspapers in Country

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency Mail Service)

Berlin, Jan. 4.—The assertion by anti-Semitic propagandists that the German press is dominated by Jewish journalists is dealt with by Dr. Richard Lewinsohn in the "Schild," the organ of the German Jewish ex-service men.

"Jewish journalists and Jewish newspaper proprietors occupy a prominent position, but when we look more closely into the matter we see that while the big Jewish newspaper undertakings, like the Mosse and Ullstein concerns, conduct their activity in the full public light, there is a many-branched non-Jewish and even anti-Jewish secret press organization through which the largest part of the German press is being fed directly or indirectly. This is the so-called Hugenberg concern, headed by the German National Deputy Alfred Hugenberg, formerly chairman of the Krupp board of directors," Mr. Lewinsohn writes.

"This concern runs a number of metropolitan and provincial newspapers. Its most important undertaking is the Telegraph Union (T. U.), a press agency supplying about 1,200 German newspapers and is larger than the official Wolf Telegraph Bureau. This secret press organization, which exercises the greatest influence on German public opinion, is entirely free of Jews and Jewish influence," he states.

"According to the Institute of Newspaper Research of the Munich University there are in Germany 3,152 newspapers. 838 of these (27.1%) belong to the parties of the Right, and 330 (10.8%) to the parties of the Left, while 1,984 (62%) are official publications, technical papers, non-party organs, etc. Those papers which, according to the anti-Semitic argument, constitute the Jewish Press are thus seen to form no more than one-tenth part of the German Press.

"But even this small group of Democratic, Social Democratic and Communist papers is not actually a Jewish press, for only a small minority of these papers are really owned and run by Jews. There is, therefore, nothing at all in the legend of the domination of the German press by 'Jewish international finance.' Contrary to the policy of the non-Jewish industrial capital which has for the past few years obtained a hold over an important section of the German press, the banks under Jewish direction are almost entirely uninterested in the political press," he declares.

## DAILY DIGEST OF PUBLIC OPINION ON JEWISH MATTERS

[The purpose of the Digest is informative: Preference is given to papers not generally accessible to our readers. Quotation does not indicate approval.—Editor.]

### Secretary Davis Disavows Anti-Semitism in Attitude to Immigrants

Resentment at what he took to be an implication of anti-Semitism on his part is voiced by Secretary of Labor Davis in a communication to the editor of the "Jewish Tribune," which will appear in the Jan. 22 issue of that paper.

Replying to an editorial in the "Jewish Tribune" of Jan. 8 on the subject of immigration, Mr. Davis disavows any prejudice on his part against Jewish immigrants.

"Regardless . . . of how much you may lament the restrictive principle, no matter what the numerical limit may be, I am at a loss to understand why you should want to single me out as one necessary to be convinced that the Hebrew race is being discriminated against," writes Mr. Davis.

"I must therefore, take it for granted that your purpose is to brand me as an individual of anti-Jewish or anti-Hebrew sentiments.

"Fortunately for my own conscience, nothing which you might say would serve to reduce my admiration for those of the Hebrew race who have had a wholesome effect upon the character of the nation. In my personal business and official relations I have had the privilege of knowing, working with, and enjoying the friendships of many persons of many races and religions, none of whom do I respect more than those of Jewish faith. The injection of racial prejudice by "The Jewish Tribune" into the situation, I can assure you, would not induce me to discriminate against these people in the administration of the immigration laws, which, of course, express the will of Congress, but nevertheless I regret that you should take such an attitude.

"Just in closing, let me point out that I am myself of foreign birth. I am of the Welsh race, of which I am proud, as Hebrews should be of theirs. If I were inclined toward an attitude of favoritism, assuming that I had the power to change the situation, it would be natural to presume that I should feel my own race discriminated against because so few were admitted during the past year. Yet it was not until recently in scanning the figures, because some one wished to point out so-called discriminations against another race, that I discovered that the admissions of people of the Hebrew race exceeded the Welsh by nearly ten to one! And let me assure you that neither does this fact impel me to suggest that any discrimination has been exercised."

Answering Mr. Davis, the "Jewish Tribune" declares it had no intention of branding Mr. Davis as an anti-Semite but intended to point out that the present immigration policy is based on prejudice against immigrants from certain countries.

"Mr. Davis' disavowal of harboring anti-Jewish prejudice is commendable, although it was not called for," the paper says. "His further statement that what he regards as our 'injection of racial prejudice . . . into the situation' would not induce him to discriminate against Jews in the administration of the law, we also welcome, although this was unnecessary, for any man who alleges that he became an anti-Semite because he was falsely charged with being one, was always one and is merely rationalizing.

"Mr. Davis' statement that more Jewish immigrants were admitted into the United States than

## OUR DAILY NEWS LETTER

**Theodor Fritsch, Libeller of Max Warburg, Publishes Scurrilous Scream, Charging Jews Are Immoral**

(By Our Berlin Correspondent)

Berlin, Jan. 5.—The low depths to which anti-Semitism in Europe has sunk in its search for an outlet to its abnormal impulses, cannot be better illustrated than by a glance at one of the imbecile outpourings which has appeared, under the heading "The Moral Insanity of the Jews and their Eternal Blood-Bond," in the Jew-baiting paper "Der Hammer," whose editor, Theodor Fritsch is being sued in Hamburg for libel by Max Warburg, the well known banker, brother of Felix and Paul Warburg of New York.

Theodor Fritsch tells his readers that the author of this article, which exceeds in idiocy anything produced so far by the deranged brains of Voelkische Jew haters, is "a Bible believing Catholic reader" of the paper. But it is well known that this "Bible believing Catholic reader" is none other than one Adama N. Olshowy, who has distinguished himself in the past for his ability to misquote and distort passages of the Bible in his anti-Semitic contributions to such organs as Alfred Roth's "Reichssturmflamme" and others.

Herr Fritsch took the pains to write an introduction to Olshowy's article in which he delivers himself of this piece of wisdom: "Our readers know that we have a different explanation for the moral perversity of the Jews. We see in the Jews the remains of an element criminal, despised and rejected by the ancient civilized nations. . . As a result of his immoral nature and uncompromising hate for civilized mankind, this dehumanized outcast has created his own teaching which distorts all moral conceptions and stands them on their head. . ."

There appear to be fine shades of difference, as Herr Fritsch informs us, in the "philosophic" interpretations of the editor and his contributor, but that they are both equally unbalanced is evidenced by such morsels as the following from the pen of Herr Olshowy:

"It is . . . absolutely impossible for the Jews, except as regards treachery, to contribute anything spiritually great. This fact regarding inborn insanity can be tested and found in the Jews by every mentally normal person. . ."

"And when the Jews declare that their leaders are 'messengers of God' they are speaking the truth. They are messengers of their god—Satan."

"The word 'bond' in Hebrew is 'berit' and means 'cutting up.' The insoluble blood bond of the Jews was sealed some 3900 years ago through the medium of Abraham. . ."

"This bond cannot be unsealed in any way and will lose its power only when the Jews will have attained the final fate of this Opferriere, that is: when they will be torn asunder and cut up. . ."

Herr Olshowy here quotes the New Testament (Hebrews 3, 11) and predicts that there will soon take place "wars among the Jews all over the world" and that "being children of Satan, the demoralizer, they shall not enter into eternal rest."

Welsh (Mr. Davis' own nationality) is not only beside the point, but also strangely naive. The population of Wales, according to The World Almanac for 1926, is 2,206,712, or less than the Jewish population of Poland alone, while the total number of Jews in Europe is well over ten millions. Moreover, the Welsh live in their own country, which was not devastated by war, and in which they enjoy complete political and economical equality; whereas the majority of the European Jews live in war-ravaged countries, where they are discriminated against and even persecuted."

## CONGRESSMAN JACOBSTEIN CRITICIZED FOR CREATING DISSENTION ON PENDING IMMIGRATION BILLS

**Charges Other Bills Are "Mere Political Gestures"**  
(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

Washington, Jan. 21.—An emphatic complaint was expressed in quarters interested in the adoption of the Perlman-Wadsworth relative exemption bills against the action of Congressman Jacobstein of Rochester. Congressman Jacobstein sent letters to members of the House Immigration Committee to obtain their support of the bill he recently introduced which proposes the exemption from the quota only of relatives of citizens and not non-citizens, whether declarants or aliens residing in the United States, and merely granting preference within the quota for the latter.

Alarm was expressed that Congressman Jacobstein's bill, which conflicts with the more liberal Perlman and Wadsworth measures, will greatly injure the chances of securing the adoption of the latter bills. Jacobstein's circular letter was brought to the attention of a Jewish Congressman by a member of the Committee.

Congressman Jacobstein's circular letter pointed out that his bill does not go so far as to make the relatives of non-citizens exempt from the quota, as do the Perlman, Wadsworth, Dickstein and Copeland bills.

When asked, Congressman Jacobstein admitted having sent out the circular letters but denied that the introduction of his bill will injure the chances of the Perlman and Wadsworth bills. "To the contrary, my bill will really help the adoption of those bills if Congressman Perlman and Senator Wadsworth, particularly the latter, are in earnest and if they have enough influence with the Republican administration to obtain support of their measures," he said. "My principal motive in introducing my bill was to force them to take action. I charge that the Perlman and Wadsworth bills were mere political gestures and neither of these men, especially Senator Wadsworth, really thought these measures have any chance of adoption."

## PHILADELPHIA JEWISH COMMUNITY REACHES \$3,500,000 IN THREE DAYS

**Fund Will Be Utilized for Building Purposes**

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

Philadelphia, Jan. 21.—The goal of \$3,500,000 in the Building Fund Campaign of the Federation of Jewish Charities was surpassed in three days. In making this announcement, Mr. Jules E. Mastbaum, chairman of the campaign, declared the goal will advance to \$4,000,000. The campaign period, which was set for ten days, will be shortened, he stated.

Commenting on the campaign, Mr. Jacob Billikopf, Executive Director of the Federation of Jewish Charities, characterized the response as nothing short of remarkable.

## COMMUNICATION TO THE EDITOR

Sir: Recently you reported in your "Bulletin," and it was repeated in our Jewish press, English and Yiddish papers—that Rabbi Jack, of Little Rock, Ark., was the first Jew who opened the United States Senate with prayer. After this, you published a communication from Rabbi Joseph Silverman, of Temple Emanu-El, that the late Rabbi Isaac M. Wise, president and founder of the Hebrew Union College, was the first rabbi to receive this distinction. Thus, accordingly, there were two rabbis who opened the United States Senate with an invocation. While I am not absolutely certain, I believe that I am the only rabbi who opened with prayer both Houses of Congress: the Senate and the House of Representatives.

I was the first rabbi who gave the invocation in the State Senate of Michigan and I opened the State Senate of New Jersey with prayer twice.

RABBI GUSTAV N. HAUSMANN.

New York, Jan. 20, 1926.

Judge Abram I. Elkus will sail tonight on the California for a month's cruise to the West Indies.

## CHICAGO MAYOR PRESENTS FREEDOM OF CITY TO COL. WEDGWOOD

**\$500,000 Palestine Appeal Started; Pharmacists to Raise \$50,000**

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 21.—The freedom of the city of Chicago was presented to Colonel Josiah Wedgwood, by Mayor William E. Dever. Col. Wedgwood is in Chicago addressing a series of meetings under the auspices of the United Palestine Appeal. Mayor Dever put an automobile at the disposal of Colonel and Mrs. Wedgwood and provided a police escort for them.

Colonel Wedgwood spoke at a luncheon at the City Club at which leading Jewish and non-Jewish citizens were present, including Judge Harry M. Fisher and Judge Hugo Pam who presided. Col. Wedgwood said he expressed the opinion prevailing among English members of Parliament that Palestine is a success. "The Jews have proved able agriculturists; the immigrants from Eastern Europe are a blessing to Palestine. The British policy regarding the Balfour Declaration is far-sighted and humane," he stated.

Lessing Rosenthal, prominent Chicago lawyer, stated that he was in Palestine recently and wholeheartedly endorses Col. Wedgwood's views.

Chicago Jewry is organizing for the half million dollar campaign of the United Palestine Appeal.

The American Jewish Pharmacists' Committee, New York City, will raise \$50,000 among the Jewish pharmacists of New York with which to establish the Pharmaceutical Department of the Medical College of the Hebrew University in Palestine, it was announced.

The committee in charge of the pharmacists campaign includes J. L. Lascoff, Chairman; Abraham Bakst, Treasurer; and Abraham Margulis, Secretary.

## Urge American Aid for Jewish Emigrants in Europe

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urgent than before the war. There were still about 60,000 Jews in process of emigrating and they presented a more difficult problem than the hundreds of thousands of emigrants before the war who had a definite destination in view which they could reach without difficulty.

There were now big opportunities, he said, for Jewish mass emigration into the South American States, such as Argentine, Brazil, Uruguay, Paraguay, Chile, etc. These countries were capable of absorbing large numbers of emigrants, but several of them had followed the example of the United States in restricting emigration. The Argentine was four times the size of Germany, was rich in natural resources and its population was not more than 10 millions. It must have a bigger immigration if it is to become a flourishing country. And the same is true also of the other South American countries.

At this time when the Jewish emigration problem was more burning than ever, the Hias had decided to withdraw and the Ica which had in past years done a great deal for Jewish emigration was concentrating only on colonization work.

The idea that the Jewish masses were henceforth to be provided for in their home countries was radically false. The Jewish middle-class in Eastern Europe were being thrust out of existence. There was also a surplus of Jewish productive labor. The Jewish artisan class was suffering from severe unemployment. It was impossible to escape the emigration problem.

## TEMPLE SISTERHOODS CONCLUDES SESSIONS IN CHICAGO

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 21.—The problem of presenting religious training in so interesting a fashion that it will attract American youth to the temple, was discussed by the Executive Board of the National Federation of Temple Sisterhoods which closed its annual meeting at the Congress Hotel yesterday.

"Modern education methods have proved that religious education can be imparted more effectively by interesting presentation than by the old process," declared Mrs. Maurice Steinfeld, chairman of the National Committee on Student Welfare, in presenting her annual report.

The Board voted adherence to the National Committee of Organizations interested in working among Jewish students and to the Committee on Friendly Relations, a national clearing house of Jewish women's organizations.

Mrs. Walter J. Freiberg of Cincinnati, president of the National Federation of Temple Sisterhoods, addressed a joint meeting of the Chicago Temple Sisterhoods held under the auspices of the Washington Boulevard Temple Sisterhood and the Temple Judea Women's Club at the Washington Boulevard Temple Community House.

## 500 CHRISTIAN PILGRIMS OF VARIOUS DENOMINATIONS SAIL FOR PALESTINE

**Sell Farms to Make Trip; Take Along Bottles to Be Filled with Jordan Water**

An interdenominational pilgrimage to Palestine has been organized quietly throughout the United States during the last few months and the pilgrims embarked on the steamer Republic, of the United States Lines.

Almost 500 people are going, some of them after selling their farms to raise the minimum fare of \$600.

James W. Boring, former advertising manager of the United States Lines, is directing the cruise.

The announcements stated it was worth a little self-denial "to tread the soil of the Holy Land where Jesus of Nazareth trod 2000 years ago; to view Mount Carmel where Elijah challenged the priests of Baal; to see the Sea of Galilee where fish abound, as they did when Jesus performed the miracle of the drought of fishes; to Jericho to see the ruins of what may be the very walls which fell at the blast of Joshua's trumpet."

Many of the pilgrims took with them bottles which are to be filled with water at the River Jordan.

## JEWS BEATEN IN VIENNA THEATRE

Jewish theatre goers are nursing bruises and John Galsworthy's "Loyalties" has been withdrawn as a result of a riot in a theatre, an Associated Press despatch from Vienna states.

Resenting the depiction of a British aristocrat as a thief and the triumph of his Jewish victim, Nationalist students beat up all the Jews in the audience, the despatch states.

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(See Yesterday's Issue)

## WHAT POLITICAL ACHIEVEMENTS CAN AGUDATH ISRAEL POINT TO?

Agudath Israel has the assurance of the League of Nations, that the contemplated calendar reform will be arranged not to interfere with the observance of the Sabbath.

Agudath Israel has the assurance of both the British Government and the League that no compulsion is to be exercised upon the Orthodox Jewish Communities of Palestine in regard to taxation for the maintenance of irreligious institutions. Nor are their religious sensibilities to be disregarded in any manner or form whatsoever.

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