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BRITISH JEWRY SENDS FUND TO POLAND FOR RELIEF OF STRICKEN BRETHREN

Jewish War Victims Reserve Fund
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(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

London, Apr. 22.—The entire reserve fund of the Jewish War Victims was allotted for credit and aid work in Poland.

This allotment, amounting to £5,000, is a part of the efforts now undertaken by British Jewry to relieve the distress of the Jewish population in Poland. The £5,000 will be placed at the disposal of Dr. Bernard Kahn, European director of the Joint Distribution Committee. The amount of £3,000 was allotted for the same purpose by the newly formed Federation of Jewish Relief Organizations of Great Britain, which includes the Federation of Ukrainian Jews, the Lodzer Benevolent Society and the Federation of Polish Jews. The Federation was formed at a special relief conference in London on April 11. The conference was called by the three societies participating in the Federation.

Dr. J. H. Hertz, Chief Rabbi of Great Britain, presided. At this meeting Dr. Leon Reich, former president of the Club of Jewish Deputies in Poland, reported on the situation of Polish Jewry. A resolution was adopted to ask the War Victims' Fund to send its reserve fund to Poland.

PRESIDENT RECEIVES UNITED SYNAGOGUE DELEGATES

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

Washington, D. C.—Apr. 22.—More than 200 delegates to the conventions of the United Synagogue of America and the Women's League of the organization, which were held in Baltimore the first three days of this week, were received at the White House Wednesday afternoon by President Coolidge. The party made a special trip from Baltimore by automobile.

The delegates had their pictures taken with the president. Later the party was entertained at luncheon by local Jewish organizations, after which they visited places of interest in the Capital.

JEWISH ART EXHIBITION IS OPENED IN CHICAGO

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

Chicago, Ill., Apr. 22.—Modern art rubs elbows with conventional forms of painting in the exhibition of work of Jewish Artists being held from April 20 to 30 under the auspices of the Jewish Women's Art Club at the Jewish People's Institute here. All schools and forms of painting and sculpture are represented in this collection, which seeks to discover a "Jewish style" in art.

Works from France, Germany, Switzerland, and other European countries,

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PROPOSE JEWISH MISSION TO MARRANOS IN PORTUGAL; PLAN OUTLINED IN LONDON

Lucien Wolf Urges Crypto-Jews Be
Brought Back to Fold

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

London, Apr. 22.—A proposal to form an organization for the purpose of bringing the Marranos, or the Crypto-Jews of Portugal, back to Judaism, was made in the report of Mr. Lucien Wolf, secretary of the Joint Foreign Committee of the Anglo-Jewish Association and the Board of Jewish Deputies, to the Anglo-Jewish Association and the Alliance Israelite Universelle, published here.

"From time to time we have waxed enthusiastic over other more or less dubious off-shoots from Jewry, such as the Chinese Jews of Kai-feng-fu, the Falashas of Abyssinia, the Black Jews of Cochín and the Daggaoutin of Timbuctu. But these Marranos are much nearer to us. They are part and parcel of European Jewish history, the near kindred of all our Sephardic congregations in Western Europe and America, and the descendants of men and women who, for two and a half centuries, waged a heroic fight in defence of Judaism for which their co-religionists can never sufficiently testify their admiration and their gratitude. They have a claim upon us which we cannot put aside. If we may not be able to satisfy it to the full, we should, at any rate, not spare the effort to do so," the report stated.

The broad lines of the organization of a proposed Mission to the Marranos are indicated by Mr. Wolf in his report. On the educative side, public lectures in towns like Covilhao and Belmonte would prove very useful. They should be combined with other

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LITHUANIAN UNIVERSITY HAS 496 JEWISH STUDENTS

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Kovno, April 22.—The Lithuanian State University here has at present 2,105 students and 263 special students. Of these, 1,464 are Catholics, 496 Jews, 37 Greek Catholics, 48 of no religion, 10 Free thinkers, 29 Lutherans and 2 Mohammedans. The majority of Jewish students are studying at the colleges of Law and Medicine.

DEMONSTRATIONS AGAINST JEWS IN ROUMANIAN TOWN

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Czernowitz, Apr. 22.—Anti-Jewish demonstrations took place yesterday in Rosh, a suburb of Czernowitz.

Mr. Grzianu, the mayor of Rosh, in an address delivered before the demonstrators, assured them that the Hakenkreuz party will see to it that not a single Jew will remain in Rumanian territory within three years.

UKRAINE COLLECTIVE FARMS PROVE TO BE A FAILURE. INVESTIGATION SHOWS

Charge that Failure Is Due to Characteristics of Jewish Settlers Refuted

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Moscow, Apr. 22.—Surprising results of an investigation into the practicability of the Collectives, the semi-communistic form of farming, were disclosed by "Der Stern," Yiddish Communist paper of Charkoff.

The paper reports that much comment has been aroused in Russian circles over the recent collapse of the agricultural collectives. Some regarded this failure of the collectives as due to specifically Jewish characteristics, declaring that the Jewish town, trading elements are not fitted for life in farming collectives.

The paper, therefore, undertook an investigation of the conditions in the general collectives in the Ukraine. The investigation showed that the productivity of all the collectives in the Ukraine is lower than in the farms operated by individuals. In actuality the collectives represent not one big farm, but a series of small farms. These collectives conduct their accounts badly and are not punctual in the payment of credits, the investigation showed.

The collapse of the Jewish collectives is really due to the general characteristics of the collectives, "Der Stern" declares.

HOUSE COMMITTEE VOTES ON LEGALIZATION QUESTION

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

Washington, Apr. 22.—The House Immigration Committee decided by a majority vote to grant legalization privileges only to unlawfully entered aliens who entered the United States prior to 1921 instead of 1924 as originally decided.

A strong effort is still being made to enforce the English reading and writing test for naturalization. Both Congressmen Dickstein and Sabath are conducting a fight against these attempted restrictions.

The votes that have been taken up to now are only temporary because only parts of the bill were voted on. The permanent vote will take place on the entire Bill.

JEW APPOINTED MEMBER OF ROUMANIAN CABINET

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Bucharest, Apr. 22.—For the first time in the history of Roumania, a Jew was appointed a member of the Roumanian cabinet today.

Mr. Yaruslavitch, a Roumanian Jew, was appointed vice-minister of Trade. Mr. Yaruslavitch, who is a member of the assimilationist group, has not identified himself with Jewish communal activities in Roumania.

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DETROIT WILL LAUNCH LOCAL AND U. J. C. DRIVE FOR \$600,000 QUOTA MAY 11

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

Detroit, Mich., Apr. 22.—Detroit's United Jewish Campaign for \$600,000 will commence on May 11. David A. Brown addressed more than 600 workers who will canvass the city for the campaign. \$170,000 of this sum is to go for the next three years for the United Hebrew Schools of Detroit, who joined with the United Jewish Campaign in a combined drive.

Henry Wineman is the chairman of the local drive, assisted by a staff which includes such local leaders as Nathan Gross, Harry Z. Brown, Jerome Freud, Adolph Finsterwald and Morris Friedman. Serving on the board are Judge Harry B. Keidan, Judge Charles C. Simons, Leo M. Butzel, Fred M. Butzel, and William Friedman.

Two hundred women attended a luncheon conference of the Women's Division of the United Jewish Campaign of New York, at the Hotel Biltmore, where final plans were made for the coming drive in New York City. Twenty committees were formed.

Mrs. Irene Moskowitz presided.

Mrs. Alexander Kohut, President of the International Council of Jewish Women and honorary vice-chairman of the American Council of Jewish Women, was the principal speaker.

Miss Irma May also addressed the conference.

New York Police Commissioner, George V. McLaughlin, has renewed the order which former Police Commissioner Enright issued, prohibiting the parking of automobiles, wagons and pushcarts within 100 feet of a synagogue from Friday sundown to Saturday night and during holiday services. All congregations have been notified regarding this order. The renewal of this order was brought about by the Sabbath Alliance of America.

A recent issue of the "Novi Mir" of Moscow, publishes a number of hitherto unpublished letters written by Tolstoy to his friend, the philosopher Nikolai Strakov.

They include a letter dated 1884, in which Tolstoy asks Strakov to intervene with the authorities on behalf of Professor Lazar Mirnor, now of Moscow University.

HENRY A. DIX GIVES \$50,000 TO HEBREW UNIVERSITY

Henry A. Dix, well known Jewish philanthropist, contributed \$50,000 thru the United Palestine Appeal as a trust fund for the Hebrew University in Jerusalem, according to an announcement made yesterday by Dr. Israel Goldstein, Rabbi of Temple B'nai Jeshurun and Chairman of the West Side Division of the Appeal.

Mr. Dix, upon retiring three years ago, turned his \$1,000,000 dress manufacturing business over to his employees. Since then he has been devoting himself actively to various philanthropic movements.

"The Hebrew University, in my opinion, is the most important phase of the rebuilding of Palestine as the Jewish Homeland," Mr. Dix stated in making his \$50,000 contribution, "because the University stands as a symbol of the entire movement, typifying the great cultural contribution that the Jews will again give to the world from Palestine."

"The development of agriculture in Palestine, bringing the Jews of the Ghettos of Eastern Europe back to the soil, which is already proceeding so successfully, and the stimulation of business and industry in the cities, are vital points in the restoration of the Holy Land. But even more important than these fundamental colonization projects is the building of a great cultural center, as the Hebrew University is destined to be, linking the civilizations of the East and the West, where the world's most famous Jewish scholars will gather to devote themselves to the untrammelled pursuit of truth in all the sciences and arts."

BREVITIES

A Farewell Tea in honor of Mrs. Sari Berger, who is returning to Palestine, was given by the Jewish National Fund Council of Haddassah, at the Hotel Pennsylvania, yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Irma L. Lindheim, Mrs. De Sola Pool, Miss Susan Brandeis and Dr. Nadia Stein addressed the gathering.

The Hakoah, Jewish soccer team, of Vienna, was held to a 0-0 tie by the City College soccer club at Jasper Oval.

The visitors' forward wall was perfect. Their pass work could not be improved upon, but they failed to score on account of the fine defensive work of the goal minder, Goldberg. Neufeld and Captain Hausel were the outstanding men on the Hakoah team.

State Senator Harry O. Levin of Maryland was being elected chairman of the State Council of the American Legislators' Association, which has headquarters in Denver.

The Council of Columbia University announced the winners of seventy-eight fellowships and scholarships for the ensuing year.

Among those who received awards are: Robert E. Stein of New York; Harvard University, 1923; economics; Moses Hadas of New York; Emory University, 1923; Dr. P. Fellowship; Greek and Latin; Bernard B. Coyne, Wallace, Idaho, Harvard University, 1923; Greek; Grace L. Dodge Fellowship; chemistry; Frederick C. Hess, Washington, Pa., Washington and Jefferson, 1923; Ferguson Fellowship, organic chemistry; Miroula B. Huber, Lynchburg, Tenn., Columbia University, 1923; Greek; Dodge Fellowship; Blanche Schnitzer, New York City, Wellesley College, Columbia University, economics; David Zablodowsky, New York City, Columbia University, 1923, philosophy.

CORRECTION

In yesterday's Bulletin a headline was erroneously given as: "Missionaries Plan World Wide Attack on Zionism." It should have been: "Missionaries Plan World Wide Attack on Judaism."

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 indicate approval.—Editor.]

Arabs Reconciled to Jewish National Home, London "Times" Correspondent Asserts

The opinion that the Arabs have become reconciled to the fact of a Jewish National Home in Palestine, is expressed by the special correspondent of the London "Times." In an article on Palestine revisited appearing in the London "Times" of April 12, the correspondent writes:

"The experiment of providing simultaneous accommodation for a Jewish National Home and a comparatively large non-Jewish population in a small and economically speaking, far from rich country, seems to have come to be accepted as just one more of the numerous paradoxes, religious, cultural and geographical, to which Palestinians are already so well accustomed."

This attitude on the part of the Arabs is due, the correspondent believes, to a realization by the Arab that "however National the Jews' Home may be in Palestine he, the poor Hagarene, is among the children of Abraham, more truly the son of the soil."

The very backwardness of the Arab, we are told, is regarded by him as an economic advantage over his Jewish neighbors. To quote again: "An Arab-built house is cheaper and can be let for a lower rent than a corresponding house of Zionist workmanship, Arab production of the simpler necessities of life is cheaper and, in fine, the Zionist, in his enthusiasm for finding a short cut to the realization of all his dreams in a single generation has overlooked the fact that the son of the soil has been left in possession of a valuable economic weapon with which to defend himself and his traditional simplicity against the aspiring immigrant."

The Emergence of a Nation

The career of Lord Reading is more than an individual achievement—it is "the emergence of a nation out of medievalism," declares the New York "World" of Apr. 22, commenting on Reading's advance to the rank of Marquis, the highest title ever conferred on a British Jew.

"Reading is a mile-post," writes the paper. "When he was born, Lionel Rothschild was but newly seated in Parliament after an eleven years' struggle for such a modification of the oath as would admit a Jew to Parliament. He was twenty-five when Nathan Rothschild entered the House of Lords. Think what an English Earl was to a Jew of the middle ages in his Ghetto, and we see in Reading's career more than the rise of a man—it is the emergence of a nation out of medievalism."

The "Evening World" of same date compares Reading to Disraeli and observes that "if Lord Reading lacks some

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NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON JEWISH EDUCATION CALLED BY ZIONIST ORGANIZATION

Delegates to Meet in New York May 16; New Agency Not to Interfere with Religious Tendencies

The official call to a national conference on Jewish education, sponsored by the Zionist Organization of America, was issued yesterday by Louis Lipsky.

The conference will take place in New York on Sunday, May 16. The call, which is addressed "To the Jewry of America," reads:

"The Zionist Organization of America, which regards the preservation of Jewish cultural values among our people in this country as a moral and historic duty, in conjunction with a Provisional Committee formed for the purpose of establishing a national organization for the promotion of Jewish education, is issuing this call for a National Conference which will take place in the City of New York, Sunday, May 16, 1926, beginning 10 A. M.

"For many years the subject of Jewish education has been a matter of deep concern to all Jews to whom the Jewish cultural heritage is precious. In the years of self-adaptation which the Jewry of America has had to undergo, in the struggle for physical and moral adjustment to a new environment, it was inevitable that the energies devoted to Jewish education and the conservation of Jewish cultural values should be sporadic, inadequate and uncoordinated. Owing to fragmentation and diffusion of effort there could not come into being a harmonized and efficient educational system.

"The time for the integration of Jewish educational activities has arrived. American Jewry has found itself. It has won a distinguished and acknowledged place of usefulness in American economic and cultural life. In addition, the course of Jewish life the world over, involving great efforts for relief and for Palestine, has woven more strongly the threads which unite American Jewry with the whole Jewish people. The part which history has imposed upon the Jews of America in the work of re-establishing the National Jewish Home in Palestine, a part which they are carrying out generously and with a realization of its historic importance, has inevitably lead to a spiritual and cultural inventory, disclosing, in spite of the fine work which is undoubtedly being accomplished in many communities, glaring gaps and insufficiencies in the work of preserving the Jewish heritage and transmitting it to the coming generation.

"Jewish education in the United States in all its forms—as manifested in the school, the home, the press, the library, etc.—must receive a dynamic impulse and be dominated with the ideal of conserving through its processes the authentic Jewish personality. The Zionist Organization of America regards the initiation of this work as its natural duty. The actual conduct of the work will be entrusted to a distinct body which this Conference will call into

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OUR DAILY NEWS LETTER

Attempting to Revive Russian Czarism in Paris

(By Our Paris Correspondent)

Paris, Apr. 8.—Nothing can be more indicative of the changes wrought by the World War and its aftermath in Eastern Europe than the conference of Russian monarchists which is now being held here at the Hotel Majestic, and perhaps nothing can better characterize the nature of this gathering of the men who once kept the Jews in Russia under their iron heel of oppression than the fact that a French Jew, without any moral or legal authority and speaking in no one's name, greeted the conference—in behalf of France! This, when it is pointed out that the French monarchists, followers of Leon Daudet and Charles Maurras, did not take the trouble to present their greetings, is illuminating."

The Jew who took it upon himself to speak to the Russian monarchists in the name of France is one Ehrlich, who was elected in 1919 on the Nationalist-block list as one of the Parliamentary deputies from Paris. He is no longer a deputy today, holding merely an office in the city magistracy. But he still puts on the airs of an important personage. Speaking before the monarchist conference at yesterday's session, Ehrlich declared: "If I have taken the liberty to address you, it is only because I, a Frenchman, regard it an injustice that here in Paris, in whose defense so much Russian blood was spilled, the voice of a French citizen should not resound in greeting to the great Russian nation. . . . I fought unto the end against the recognition of Soviet Russia by France, and I am proud of it. I mention this so that you may know that you need fear no one. Here, under the protection of the French and the Russian flags, you must unite to rebuild the great country of Russia."

This bold statement was not the only Jewish voice at the monarchist gathering. There were also greetings from the "Fatherlandish Union of Russian Jews Abroad." If this greeting was as unauthorized and irresponsible as that of Ehrlich it was, however, more pathetic. This small, unknown group of Jews still believes in the possibility of a monarchist restoration, and hopes for it—hopes for a return to power of those men who always regarded the Jews as pariahs, drove Russian Jewry into the degrading "pales of settlement" and cold bloodedly enacted the Czaristic policy of anti-Jewish pogroms.

It must be emphasized that among those who signed the greeting of the "Fatherlandish Union" there are not to be found any representative or even well known Jews. An idea of the type of Jew who is associated with this organization can be obtained from the fact that one of them, Bickerman, announced his belief some 20 years ago that the Jews in Russia should assimilate in the name of Socialism. Now he has turned monarchist and greets the Czarist conference.

JABOTINSKY IS HONORED AT ORDER SONS OF ZION BANQUET IN NEW YORK

Program of Zionist Revisionists Expounded by Leader to Large Gathering

A large gathering of members of the Order Sons of Zion, a constituent body of the Zionist Organization of America, and many prominent Jews, honored Vladimir Jabotinsky, leader of the Zionist Revisionists, at a banquet given Wednesday evening at the Town Hall Club, under the auspices of the Order Sons of Zion.

The dinner was another step in the recent development following the adoption of a resolution by the Executive Committee of the Order, endorsing the program of the League of Zionist Revisionists and the insistence of the Committee that Mr. Jabotinsky prolong his stay in the United States in order to head a propaganda campaign for the aims of the League of Zionist Revisionists in the United States.

Sol Friedland, nassi of the Order, presided. Nathan Straus, Herman Bernstein, Dr. Herman Koerner, president of the Viennese sport club, Hakoah, Elias Ginsberg, Solomon Jacobi, executive secretary of the Central Committee of the Zionist Revisionists, Morris Symonds of Sydney, Australia and Judge Jacob S. Strahl, president of the Judea Industrial Corporation, were the speakers of the evening. The guest of honor was the last speaker.

Judge Strahl stated that the Order Sons of Zion, which was the first to take a definite stand with regard to the establishment of the Keren Hayesod in the United States when the then leaders of the Zionist Organization of America were opposed to inaugurating the Keren Hayesod collections in America, felt that it was its duty to come out openly for the Zionist Revisionists' aims.

"I am capitulating to Jabotinsky," Dr. Koerner declared. "Circumstances and events force us into the camp of the Revisionists. We will join his ranks with flying colors," the president of the Hakoah declared.

Adherence to the Zionist Revisionists ideas, particularly with regard to proper protection in Palestine, was given expression to by Mr. Morris Symonds, president of the League of Sydney Zionists.

Mr. Herman Bernstein criticized what he termed "the silent boycott of the Zionist press" against Vladimir Jabotinsky. "It is a mistake to believe that a gifted publicist cannot be instructed with the affairs of statesmanship. Herzl was a publicist, Nordau was a publicist and, one may say that, in a broader sense, Moses, the Jewish Lawgiver, was a publicist, who put the Jewish people on the pages of mankind's history," Mr. Bernstein stated. Mr. Jacobi gave a description of the career and many achievements of the guest. Mr. Ginsburg, who was one of the group arrested by the military administration in Palestine following the 1920 riots, described Jabotinsky when he was a fellow-prisoner.

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EDUCATION CONFERENCE IS CALLED BY ZIONISTS

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being and which will mobilize the necessary forces for a large-scale constructive service. We are mindful of the existence of Jewish educational agencies in various parts of the country, many of them doing excellent work in their respective spheres. With these, the national organization to be created will seek to cooperate in every possible manner.

"In the field of Jewish education various tendencies arising from religious viewpoints and practices, find expression. We have neither the desire nor the intention to interfere in the slightest degree with these tendencies. The intention, on the contrary, is to create a framework of constructive co-operation, within which various views and tendencies may have free play. There are definite cultural elements in which all groups concerned with the preservation of the integrity of Jewish life, are interested. It will be the function of the proposed organization to strengthen these cultural elements, and, without, of course, attempting to finance or conduct local schools and institutions, to render assistance in the field of educational organization and technique.

"The proposed organization will aim to be of service to Jewish educational activities that minister to the child, the youth and the adult. It will regard its basic purposes to be the following:

First: To foster a wider and more intensive cultivation and study of basic Jewish cultural values, including the Hebrew language and literature, the vital qualities of Jewish tradition, and the modern renaissance in Palestine.

"Second: To cooperate with existing Jewish educational institutions and organizations to the end that there be brought about a coordination of Jewish educational effort which will result in greater efficiency, prevent overlapping, and provide the stimulus which arises out of common counsel and action; as well as to stimulate the creation of new Jewish educational institutions.

"Third: To arouse the conscience of American Jewry to effective interest in Jewish education in all its phases.

"We regard the task to which we are now summoning the Jewry of America to be imbued with an importance not exceeded by any other. It entails the dignity and wholeness of Jewish life, and its capacity for greater service both to this country and to the historic destiny of the Jewish people."

Many Strauss gave a luncheon on Monday in honor of the Soccer players of the Hakoah Sport Club of Vienna. Mr. Strauss, who is heading the committee which will send several thousand orphans of the city to the opening game at the Polo Grounds on Sunday, will himself send 1,000 orphans to the game. Others who will entertain orphans of the city are: Marguerite Louis Brockley, Martin McCue, Clerk of the Surrogates Court; Ella P. Sullivan, of the Women's Civics Club; Mrs. Richard Gottheil; Congressman Emanuel Celler; Victor Rider and Adolph Lewinsohn.

Among others present at the luncheon were Health Commissioner Louis Harris; President of the Board of Aldermen, Joseph V. McKee, who made a speech of welcome and commended the efforts of the Hakoah; Nathan Strauss, Sr., and the Austrian, Polish and Czech-Slovakia consuls, respectively, George Schmidt, Dr. Sylvester Gruska, and Dr. Jaroslav Novak.

JABOTINSKY HONORED AT SONS OF ZION BANQUET

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oner with him in the Acre jail, for taking up the self-defense at that time.

An ovation was rendered to Nathan Straus by the gathering. Nathan Straus paid tribute to Jabotinsky. "For no other man in America would I have come to New York today," Mr. Straus said. "I love Jabotinsky and I believe that he who stands up for the right is right."

Mr. Jabotinsky gave an outline of Zionist Revisionism. "The Revisionists are charged with pessimism. The contrary is true. We believe in the power of the Jewish people. We believe that right is more than might and we believe that in our fight for right, we are bound to win out. I believe, like Herzl, that the British are not a people of robbers, but are a people of judges. They will not commit any injustice to the Jewish people," he declared.

"As to the program of the Zionist Revisionist League, if it could be shown that the problems which one or another point of the program deals with could be solved in any other way, we would dispense with it. We are entering a time of fighting for our ideals. I pledge to you my devotion and loyalty, just as I am sure of yours," Mr. Jabotinsky concluded, amid acclamations from many in the audience.

JEWISH ART EXHIBITION IS OPENED IN CHICAGO

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embodying the latest ideas in medievalism, are hung side by side with skyscraper studies from New York, pastoral landscapes from California, portraits from Brooklyn, Detroit, Philadelphia and medieval panels from Chicago.

There are over two hundred works of art in the exhibition, which is declared to be an excellent representation of what Jewish artists are doing the world over.

The period of the exhibition will also be a ten-day art festival for the Jewish Women's Art Club.

The exhibition had its opening last night, with a reception to which many of Chicago's most celebrated artists and art lovers had been invited. Philip L. Seman, director of the Jewish People's Institute, was one of the speakers of the evening.

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of the more shimmering qualities of that picturesque poseur, he has proven his capacity for the highest public service. Americans who remember his brief diplomatic mission to Washington will rejoice in his recognition."

Referring to Lord Reading's distinction as a jurist, the New York "American" remarks:

"The drift of distinguished Jews to the bench has not been so marked in England as in the United States. In this country the roll of great Jewish judges is a long as well as brilliant one, in which respect it simply parallels the experience of American Jews in other professions and callings."

PROPOSE JEWISH MISSION TO MARRANOS IN PORTUGAL

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functions and celebrations which would bring home to the Marranos something of the aspects of Judaism. It would be desirable to prepare and circulate a certain number of handbooks in Portuguese dealing with the same matters. These should include a Prayer Book compiled from the earliest Portuguese Tephilloth. Such a book would unquestionably impress the Marranos, who are sadly in want of additions to their collection of prayers. Then handbooks of Jewish doctrine and ceremonial and popular histories of the Jews in general and those of Portugal in particular would do much to stimulate a better instructed Jewish spirit in the Marrano home circle.

"The plan that I submit to the Anglo-Jewish Association and the Alliance Israelite," Mr. Wolf stated, "is that, with the co-operation of the Lisbon congregation, a Jewish Mission be established at Oporto. The Chief of the State, who discussed Jewish questions with me, concluded the audience by saying: 'If at any time you find any difficulty in carrying out your plans for the succor of our Jews, do not hesitate to write to me. You may rely upon me to do everything in my power to help you.'"



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