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GROUP CONSCIOUSNESS, SOCIAL SERVICE CONFERENCE HEARS

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

Cleveland, May 25 .- Jewish community centers have been potent factors in ostering group consciousness among American Jews, according to Rabbi Max kadushin of New York, speaking at a joint session here last night of Jewish Community Center Secretaries and National Conference of Jewish Social Service.

Samuel A. Goldsmith of New York, secretary of the Social Service Conference denied that the public is tired of drives and said that people enjoy drives and "being driven." There is the ex-hilaration of the drive, the thrill of distant appeal, the compensation of ministering to suffering or helping achievement far away," he declared.

There are two roads open to you." Rabbi Kadushin said in discussing the the lewish Center movement. One way is to ignore the group consciousness; the alternative is to nourish and develop it. The underlying purpose of every activity should be to seek out and use all the agencies which promote Jewish group feeling. The synagogue is no longer the Jewish communal institution and if the synagogue is to succeed it will not confine itself to services. The synagorue must engage in any activity which can serve its purposes and many (Continued on Page 8)

UNION TO BE REPRESENTED AT LONDON CONFERENCE OF LIBERAL CONGREGATIONS (Tewish Daily Bulletin)

Cincinnati, O., May 25.—The Union of American Hebrew Congregations and the Central Conference of American Rabbis will be represented at the conference called for the purpose of organizing the International Union of Progressive Jewish Congregations which will be held in London on July 11th and 12th. The National Federations of Sisterhoods and Brotherhoods

will also be represented.

According to a resolution adopted by the Executive Board of the Union, the delegates will have no power to

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AGUDAH CENTRAL COUNCIL HOLDS MEETING IN BERLIN (Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Berlin, May 25.—The conference of the Central Council of the Agudath Israel World Organization opened here yesterday.

The conference was opened by the chairman, Rabbi Lewin Sambor, Pinchas Kohn, president of the Agudah, and the chairman of the Executive. Mr. Jacob Rosenheim reported on the general situation.

COMMUNITY CENTERS FOSTER | PARLIAMENTARY ELECTIONS IN ROUMANIA BEGIN WITH INTENSE EXCITEMENT

American Jews Enjoy "Drives," De-clares Secretary of Conference Expected; What Would Happen to Jews If Anti-Semites Succeeded

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency) Bucharest, May 25.-Elections to the list under General Averescu is expected. Roumanian parliament began here to-day with intense excitement. The elec-

tions to the Senate will begin on Friday About 25 Iews are candidates on the

various lists, including that of the government party, the liberals, nationalists, peasants and socialists. In the new provinces a victory for the government

2.500 IMMIGRATION PERMITS FOR PALESTINE ISSUED TO ZIONIST EXECUTIVE (Tewish Telegraphic Agency)

Jerusalem, May 25,-Two thousand five hundred Immigration Permits were given by the Palestine government to the Palestine Zionist tive on account of the April-Septemher labor schedule, leaving it to the discretion of the Executive to dis-tribute these permits as it sees fit among the male and female skilled and unskilled labor.

It is contemplated by the Palestine Zionist Executive to consider, in the first place, the claims of the dependents of residents in Palestine.

WARBURG LIBRARY OPENED IN HAMBURG (Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Berlin, May 25 .- The Warburg Library was opened in Hamburg. library, which consists of rare and important works on the history of art, philosophy and history, has been col-lected over a period of many years by the well-known art-critic and his-torian, Proi. Dr. Aby Warburg, and has been presented by him to the city of Hamburg, to be at the special dis-

posal of the University. The Library is housed on four floors and is divided into special sections, with a complete catalogue compiled over many years.

There is a special section under the heading of the War, consisting of complete bound files of all the most important newspapers published dur-

ing the Great War. DESECRATOR OF JEWISH CEMETERY GETS 4 MONTHS

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Berlin, May 25 .- A sentence of four months' imprisonment was imposed by the court on the twenty-year old music student. Fritz, for descrating the Jewish cemetery in Kallies, Pomerania.

court proceedings.

The peasant list is expected to be vic-torious in the Old Kinkdom. A majority of liberal candidates and a few socialists are expected to be elected, while the complete failure of the anti-Semitic Cuza list is anticipated.

Vienna, May 25 .- What might be the fate of the Jewish population in Rou-mania if the anti-Semitic Cuza party gains power through the present elections was revealed in a campaign speech by Zelea Codreanu, which he delivered at an open air meeting in Kumlung, according to despatches received here from Bucharest.

Codreanu outlined the program of the party with regard to the Jewish population. According to the Cuza program, the Roumanian government should confiscate (1) all land in possession of Jews: (2) all forests and bridges on Jewish property; (3) lines and taverus owned by Jews; (4) houses owned by Jews; (5) to proclaim a prohibition for 100 years against any Jew stepping on Roumanian soil; (6) the Jewish population of Reumania be ordered to leave the country within 45 days, emigrating "not to Palestine but to Uganda to be-come the prey of the cannibals there."

ROUMANIAN QUEEN FORMS RELIEF COMMITTE FOR BAKAU FIRE VICTIMS

(Tewish Telegraphic Agency)

Bucharest, May 25 .- A relief committee to help the victims of the fire which broke out in Bakau, Old Roumania, destroying five hundred Jewish houses and causing the loss of many lives, was formed under the auspices of Queen Marie of Roumania.

A donation of 200,000 Lei was made

by the royal family. Four hundred thousand Lei was subscribed by the Kehillah of Bakau.

EMANUEL CUZZER. ITALIAN JEWISH JURIST, DIES

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Rome, May 25.—Emanuel Cuzzer, Italian Jewish jurist, died in Verona at the age of 76.

His most important work, "Commentaries on the Codex of Civil Procedure," has been published in many editions and has been translated into several languages. He was the editor of the Italian "Year Book of Civil Procedure." Prof. Cuzzer has bequeathed large sums to various charites, both Jewish and non-Jewish, in-fritz confessed his guilt during the cluding a sum of 5,000 Lire for the Jewish National Fund.

CITIES THROUGHOUT U. S. ARE RE ACTIVE IN UNITED PALESTINE APPEAL DRIVE (Jewish Daily Bulletin)

Houston, Texas, May 25.—The United Palestine Appeal Compaign for \$100,000 in Texas, will come to a close with the State Zionist conference to be held in Houston on May 30th and 31st. The Texas committee, headed by Harry Sigel, of Dallas, announced that \$75,000 has already been raised.

Peoria, Ill., May 25.-Judge Bernard A. Rosenblatt opened the United Palestine Appeal Campaign here yesterday.

The campaign committee, representative of all shades of opinion in the com-munity, consists of Harry Klein, chair-man; Adolph Woolner, treasurer; David Citron, Chairman of the Executive Committee; Milton G. Newman, Arthur Lehman, Charles Weinstein, Dr. R. Heller, Al. Schiff, Rabbi Lovitch, Clarence Ullman, chairman of Dinner Committee, Harry A. Frankle, Chairman of Quota Committee and Rabbi William P. Mayer, General Secretary,

Manchester, N. H., May 25 .- The United Palestine Appeal in New Hampshire was launched at a dinner at the Adath Jeshuran Synagogue on Sunday. Addresses were delivered by Judge David A. Lourie of the Massachusetts Superior Court. Rabbi Nathan Milei-woksky, Hon. Elihu D. Stone, Assistant of the New England Zionist Region and United States Attorney and President Louis Shapiro, State Chairman of the New Hampshire United Palestine Ap-

Des Moines, Iowa, May 25 .- The United Palestine Appeal Campaign in this city for \$20,000 will be launched at a banquet tonight at which Judge Bernard A. Rosenblatt will be the principal speaker.

The committee is headed by Louis Oransky, the state chairman of the Iowa Appeal, and L. Marcus the Des Moines city chairman.

Under the direction of Mr. Oransky and Samuel Lapidus, a member of the New York Appeal staff, campaigns have been organized in the following towns in Iowa; Centerville, Waterloo, Boone, Fort Dodge, Mason City and Marshalltown About \$10,000 has thus far been raised in the small communities throughout the state.

TO OBTAIN MONA LISA FOR PHILADELPHIA EXHIBITION

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)
Philadelphia, May 25.—Ellis Gimbel, who is now in Paris, has cabled Mayor Kendrick that he is making strenuous efforts to obtain the famous Da Vinci painting. Mona Lisa, for the Sesqui-Centennial International Exposition.

ARABIC DAILY IN JERUSALEM

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency) Jerusalem, May 25 .- Munif Al-Husseini will start the publication of an Arabic daily in Jerusalem with Jamal Al-Husseini as editor-in-chief, according to the Arab paper "Ul Yarmuk."

JEWS HONOR MEMORY OF THOS, KENNEDY, CHAMPION OF RELIGIOUS TOLERANCE (Jewish Daily Bulletin)

Hagerstown, Md., May 24.-A group of five hundred Jews from all parts Maryland, as well as from several West Virginia and Pennsylvania communities, made a pilgrimage, under the auspices of the Menorah Lodge of the Independent Order B'nai B'rith of Baltimore to the grave of Thomas Kennedy, champion of religious toler-ance in Maryland, whose remains are buried in the local Rose Hill Ceme-The pilgrimage was undertaken in

commemoration of the centennial of the passage of the so-called "Jew Bill" which gave the Jews equal civil rights in Maryland and of which Thomas Kennedy was the author and champion. He waged a struggle in the state legislature which lasted from 1816 to 1826 for the passage of the bill which sought to remove from the constitution of Maryland the requirement that every candidate for office in the state must make a declaration of belief in the Christian religion. The pilgrims were welcomed by

Charles E. Bowman, mayor of Hagers-

town. They gathered at the B'nai Brith headquarters from where they marched to the cemetery headed by the municipal band. Rabbi W. Willner of Frederick, Md., delivered the opening prayer. President Simon E. Sobeloff of Menorah Lodge unveiled a bronze tablet. Dr. Walter Byron Stehl of the local Episcopal church and E. Milton Altfeld, Assistant States Attorney of Baltimore, spoke of Thomas Kennedy's services in the cause of Jewish liberty in Maryland. Dr. Irving Meisles of the Hagerstown Young People's Synagogue, delivered a Hebrew prayer.

METROPOLITAN MUSEUM RECOGNIZES ART OF JEWISH SCULPTOR OF BALTIMORE (Jewish Daily Bulletin)

Baltimore, Md., May 25.-The Metropolitan Museum of Art in New York has expressed a desire to own examples of miniature bronzes executed by Louis Rosenthal, Baltimore sculptor, according to an announcement made at a dinner of the Charcoal Club here Three New Yorkers, it is said, have purchased two specimens of Mr. Rosenthal's work, which will be presented formally to the museum next fall The directors of the Metropolitan are considering the purchase of two more and a fund was started under auspices of the Charcoal Club to buy two others to be given the museum.

Though no larger than a thumb nail, Mr. Rosenthal's miniatures are perfect in every detail. Some of them have been exhibited throughout the world and have attracted wide attention.

An intensive campaign to advance Jewish religious education through the immediate entropied to 1000 additional children in religious education in the second of the second

PHILADELPHIA FEDERATION OF JEWISH CHARITIES WILL CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY (Jewish Daily Bulletin)

Philadelphia, May 25.-The achievements of the Philadelphia Federation of Iewish Charities will be commemorated June 3, the twenty-fifth anniversary of the founding of the Federation. The quarter century anniversary will be observed by a dinner at which Judge Horace Stern, president of the Federation, will preside. One thousand guests

are expected. Addresses will be made

by Rabbi Abba H. Silver of Cleveland, Fanny Hurst and Arthur Brisbane. Two aspects of the anniversary are deemed by the leaders of the Federation especially worthy of remembrance: One is that only two other American cities preceded Philadelphia in achieving federation of the Jewish charities-Cincinnati and Chicago. Another is that no city is giving so generously in proportion to population for Jewish charities as Philadelphia, according to the report of Jacob Billikopf, executive director of the Federation. Chicago, with a million more inhabitants than Philadelphia, and with 75,000 more Jews, gives \$50,000 to \$100,000 a year less than Philadelphia to its Federation. New York, with six times as many Jews as Philadelphia, raises for its Jewish federation only two and a half times as much money as

BILL TO NATURALIZE ALIENS WHO ENTERED ILLEGALLY UP AT THE NEXT CONGRESS (Jewish Daily Bulletin)

this city.

Washington, May 25 .- No action for the legalization and naturalization of aliens is contemplated at this session of Congress, according to a statement issued by Congressman Johnson, chairman of the House Immigration Committee Congressman Johnson nounced, however, that he has drafted a bill to be taken up at the next session, wherein the legalization and naturalization will be extended to those aliens who entered illegally prior to Tuly 1, 1924.

"No relief is contemplated for those who entered subsequently," Chairman Johnson said, "since they entered with full knowledge." One million, three hundred thousand persons in America have no proof of legal entry. these, probably one million have been here three to five years and the statute of limitations prevents their being deported, he stated.

Congressman Johnson further declared his intention of supporting a change in the law whereby thirteen years will be required for the naturalization of aliens, and, instead of furnishing two witnesses acquainted with the applicant for five years. Congressman Johnson proposes an annual ex-amination and would require the alien to "speak and read the English language understandingly unless physically unable to do so.

Miss Dorothy C. Kahn was reelected president of the Social Service Club of Maryland at the annual meeting of the organization in

TOURS MARSHALL AND JULIUS ROSENWALD PRAISE NEW YORK JEWRY FOR GENEROUS CONTRIBUTION TO OVERSEAS CHEST

President of American Jewish Committee Pays Tribute to David M. Bressler, Acting Chairman of New York United Jewish Campaign

A tribute to the Jewish community of New York for its generous partici-nation in the \$6,000,000 United Jewish Campaign for the "Overseas Chest" of the American Jewish Joint Distribution Committee was paid by Louis Marshall, president of the American Jewish Committee and honorary chairman of the

New York drive, and Julius Rosenwald, well known s American Jewish philanthropist who 000 to the "Over-

seas Chest." At the final rally of the campaign workers, where it w as announced that the quota of \$6,000,000 had been

oversubscribed by \$656,000, Mr. Marshall praised Mr. William Fox, the chairman of the New York drive, and Mr. David M. Bressler, acting chairman, who was actually in charge of the cam-

paign.
"I have lived in New York for thirtytwo years and all of this time I have been trying to get into a frame of mind enabling me to voice my approval of this community. At last I have found it," Mr. Marshall declared.

Louis Marshall

The great service Mr. Fox gave this campaign was not in his splendid contribution of \$300,000 but in his insistence that you, Mr. Bressler, should lead it. If praises was ever due to any man you are that man. You laid aside all your personal business, you forgot everything, you forgot yourself. You threw yourself into this work with but one thought, one ambition-and that was to make New York proud of itself. Now, it is proud of you. New York, through you, has learned that by helping our suffering brethren abroad, we were at the same time educating ourselves, making of ourselves better men and women. You have made a marvelous contribution to the history of the Jewish people, first by salvaging the unfortunates overseas, and secondly by making us do something that is good for our souls.



A large number of delegates are expected to attend the eighteenth annual convention of the Young Judaea which will open its sessions on May 28, at the Hotel Scarboro, Long Branch, N.J.

The convention will open with a conference of rabbis who are interested in Young Judaea.

Saturday will be Bialik Day and the

Hebrew poet will deliver an address at the Sabbath morning services. Bialik will preside over a round table discussion Saturday afternoon, when the Jewish youth problem will be taken up. I Jew throughout your career.

"For a long time I regarded Brook-1 to know that they have made a mistake. lyn as 'darkest America.' But since 1914 it has made wonderful progress and I am sure it will raise its full quota of \$1,200,000. I am proud of its leaders—of men like Judge Moscowitz, of Hugh Grant Straus, worthy son of a worthy father." Praise was extended to Leon Lauterstein, chairman of the Rockaway Division, for rolling up a total of \$235,000.

"I hope we will never need another ampaign like this. I hope that our brethren overseas will be able by our help and because of improved conditions to help themselves. But there are many works calling to us-especially Jewish education in this country, Jewish cul-tural development," Mr. Marshall concluded. Mr. Rosenwald

was the guest of honor at the final rally. Mr. Rosenwald expressed delight over the success of the New York drive. Chicago had its drive at the beginning of the year rais-ing \$1,000,000 as that city's quota of the \$25,000,000 overseas chest. In his address Mr.

Rosenwald said:

David M. Bressler "On this occasion I am going to con-

fess that when you set \$6,000,000 we in Chicago did not believe it. You surprised everybody in this country. We took for granted when you set \$6,000,000 that you would be mighty glad if you got \$4,000,000. I am delighted and every-body in the country will be delighted New York."

When I was told that this sum had been reached, somebody stated that if we had fallen down in New York it would have injured the whole country. I said, we in Chicago took it for granted you would fall down, so we

had our campaign before you did. Fortunately, we were

mistaken and we are delighted that

we were.
"My hat's off, not to the people who gave this money, not at all, but to people like David M. Bressler, David A. Brown, and you good men and women and people who the worked with them. These are the peo-

ple who gave the money. If it had Julius Rosenwald

not been for you, if it had not been for the men and women like you, I do not care what kind of an example had been set by a few big givers-you would not have gotten anywhere with this campaign. It is not the big subscribers that make a campaign. It is the work of the people and in addition to that you have done much bet-ter than was expected. Not alone have you succeeded in getting money for this campaign but it has been an educational campaign of teaching people their duty, of showing them the way to be of service to other people which is worth more than the money you have raised.

"I bring you greetings and congratulations from Chicago. We will be very

BENNY LEONARD MAKES CONTRIBUTION TO U. P. A.

Benny Leonard, undefeated light-weight champion of the world, sent a contribution of \$500 for the United Palestine Appeal to Dr. Stephen S. Wise, the National Chairman. In a letter accompanying his check he explains the motives that prompted him in making his contribution: "You know of my deep interest in

the welfare and up-building of Palestine. I want to help in the drive which you are now carrying on. am therefore enclosing a modest check which I hope will help in the good cause. My only regret is that I cannot make it much more. Dr. Wise in a letter of acknowledge-

ment to Benny Leonard writes:

"I want you to know that as the Chairman of the United Palestine Appeal, I am glad of the contribution, bepeal, I am glad of the contribution, to cause it comes from you. I know how tance among the Jews. Lance among

DR. SIGMUND SALFELD, RABBI OF MAYENCE, DIES

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency Mail Service) Berlin, May 10,-Dr. Sigmund Sal-

feld, for 46 years rabbi of the community of Mayence, died at the age of 83. Rabbi Salfeld was for some years instructor at the Auerbach Orphanage in Berlin. In 1870 he became Rabbi at

Dessau, a post which he held until 1880. when he was called to Mayence. In 1912 he was given the title of Professor. Among Prof. Salfeld's works are his

History of the Martyrology of the Jews of Nuremberg during the Crusades" which appeared in the "Monumenta Germaniae Historica," "The menta Germaniae Historica," "The Song of Solomon with Jewish Medie-val Commentaries," "Nuremberg in Medieval Times," "Senes from the Life of the Jews of Mayence," etc. After his 80th birthday Prof. Salfeld pub-lished a new work on the law of inheri-

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CLEVELAND ORGANIZES PERMANENT COMMITTEE FOR JEWISH PHILANTROPIES

Oakland, Cal., Completes National Welfare Drive

(Jewish Daily Bulletin) Cleveland, O., May 25 .- Organization of a permanent committee which will function in behalf of any worthy cause, was aunounced here by San Hartman, who was chairman of the organization committee for the United

Jewish Campaign in Cleveland.

Hartman's announcement was the result of several days consideration on the part of the campaign leaders. They came to the conclusion that since Cleveland was capable of exceeding its original quota in the United Jewish Campaign drive by nearly \$200,000 the Jews of the city are eager to do their part in behalf of any important cause if only the organization

exists to undertake the work. Cleveland's quota in the United Jewish Campaign had been set at \$550,000. When the drive ended here subscriptions totalling \$701.076 had been received.

Oakland, Cal., May 25.—The Jewish community of Oakland subscribed in full to the \$30,000 Jewish National Welfare Fund, which embraces the United Jewish Campaign, the United Palestine Appeal, and all other worthy national and international Jewish couses.

The Fund organization, of which Mr. A. S. Lavenson is Chairman, includes every Jewish organization, and all the leaders of the local Jewish community. The first annual appeal which was made the week of May Ist to May 8th, was under the direction of Mr. Lionel Wachs.

"Oakland has never seen such wholehearted and complete cooperation for any cause as was evidenced before and during the drive, and Oakland is asson declared.

MAYOR WALKER DEFENDS THE FIRE COMMISSIONER FOR HIS "JEWISH JOKE" "I am perfectly sure Mr. Dorman did

not mean to cast aspersions on the Tews," Mayor Walker said, commenting on the protest addressed to him by the Veterans of the Wars of the Tewish Republic, demanding the removal of Fire Commissioner John J. Dorman for a remark Commissioner Dorman made in a radio address Sunday. "His appointment was one of the most

popular I have made. His previous position in the courts in Brooklyn made him acquainted with all sorts of persons and he was universally popular. He had a host of friends including many Jews. I am sure he did not mean anything by the anecdote to which these people took exception." The Harry Wolkof Association, a so-

cial organization composed principally of Jews, at No. 1255 Bedford Avenue, Brooklyn, Monday night, rejected the protest against Fire Commissioner Dor-The Harry Wolkof Association resolution condemned the attack on Commissioner Dorman and "particularly those who, assuming to speak on behalf of the Jewish Veterans of the Wars of

the Republic and other Jews of the city.

have misrepresented Jewish thought and

inflamed race prejudice."

pest in a teapot"

According to the New York "Herald ribune," Meier Steinbrink, Brooklyn Tribune." lawyer, told the story to Mr. Dorman. In admitting that he told the joke at a dinner attended by Mr. Dorman last Thursday night, Mr. Steinbrink called the protest "ridiculous." according to the protest "ridiculou the "Herald Tribune."

"I told the joke and I may tell it again," Mr. Steinbrink is quoted by the paper. "Life is certainly going to be a solemn affair if they take away all the Jewish jokes. All this protest is a tem-

BILL TO ADMIT 22,350 RELATIVES OF DECLARANTS INTRODUCED BY SABATH

(Jewish Daily Bulletin) Washington, May 24.-Congressman Sabath of Chicago introduced a bill for the exemption of relatives which would admit 22.350 additional instead of 35,000, as proposed by the bills introduced by Senator Wadsworth and Congressman Perlman. The bill would admit as nonquota immigrants, the wives or husbands and unmarried children under twentyone, the fathers and mothers over fiftyfive of American citizens, and wives and children under eighteen of those who have resided in the United States more than three years and who already have filed their declaration of intention to become American citizens over one

However, the bill restricts the number that would be permitted to come as non-quota immigrants to 100 when the quota of such nationality or country is more than 100 and below 300, and 250 when the quota is more than 300 and below 600; 500 when the quota is more sured, as a result of this campaign, than 600 and below 1,000; 1,000 when that it has a United Jewry," Mr. Laven-the quota is more than 1,000 and below

JEWISH FARMERS IN RUSSIA POLAND AND BESSARABIA GET AID FROM LONDON ORT (Tewish Telegraphic Agency)

London, May 25 .- In order to support the Jewish agriculturalists during the spring season the Ort Reconstruction Fund has made further grants for Russia, Poland and Bessarahia A sum of \$10,000 was granted for

A sum of \$10,000 was granted to credits to be given to the colonists in the district of Odessa. An additional sum of \$1,500 has been remitted to Poland and a further grant of \$1,000 has been made to the farmers in Bessarabia who suffered from the famine of the previous two years.

In order to extend the work of the Cooperative Tool Supply Company the Reconstruction Fund has granted a loan of \$10,000. The company has considerably developed its scope and is satisfied with the regularity with which the farmers and artisans pay by installments for the cost of the machines and raw material given them on credit terms. In the last two years over 4,000 artisans and small industrialists have been supplied with tools and implements. An order for machinery and raw material amounting to about \$19,000 was recently carried out for a Jewish cooperative society in Russia. It is expected that in the near future the work in Russia, which is at present sporadic, will become regular as the company is about to sign an agreement with the Soviet authorities which will give certain facilities for the importing of tools machinery and raw material required by farmers and artisans.

JEWISH COMMUNAL ACTIVITIES

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Avenue synagogue. New York City, was hid
Assistant Corporation Counsel Arthur J. W.
Hilly, represented Mayor Walker, Among the
Pree Synagogue, Assemblyman Sanuel Beistadier, M. Sanuel Stern, Rabbi Israel Goldinters; Jacob Friedman, Jr., President of the
congregation, and Assemblyman Maurice
Bloch, who presided.

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The new Rodfie Zedek Temple in Chicago, was dedicated on Standay. The building, just completed at a cost of \$250,000, is the home was desicated on Sunday. The building, just completed at a cost of S20000, is the bone discount of the bone of the sunday of the completed at a cost of

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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 indicate approval.-Editor.]

Kosher Kitchens in New York's Hotels The volume of Jewish business, in the form of banquets, weddings, par-ties, etc., at the large hotels in New York has grown to such proportions of late that a kosher kitchen is now part of the equipment of some of these hotels, we read in the "For-

ward" of Sunday, in an article by

Samuel Tenenbaum. "One-third of the business of the nganic riotel Commodore enhances from Jewish sources, according to Eugene H. Marcote, banquet man-ager," Mr. Tenenbaum writes. "A high official of the Pennsylvania Hotel admitted to me that without the sup-gort of the Jews that hotel and almost very other hotel in the city would go under. The select Hotel Astor also admitted a tremendous Jewish trade, so large in fact that a Kosher kitchen and cooking utensils are part of the

old, shabby yellow-lighted halls that served as combination banquet rooms and ball rooms not so long ago on the Fast Side. "If figures given by hotel men are correct, the East Side is conducting is festivals at the largest and the most sumptuous hotels in New York.

equipment of the hotel.

"This situation is a far cry from the

East Side Jews are crowding the ballrooms and banquet rooms of these hotels. This trade, say hotel men, has become so important that the big hotels, including the Astor and the Commodore, have arrangements serve strictly Kosher meals.

"Arrangements to serve kosher food

differ with various hotels," we are jurther informed. "Several of the most select hotels serve Kosher food but not all. Those that do not will arrange to serve a "semi-kosher" meal. The usual method is to have a Kosher caterer officially connected with the hotel, and when a request is made for this kind of a meal the hotel puts the applicant in touch with its caterer.

"The Commodore Hotel has one official caterer, and all requests for kosher meals are put under her charge. This particular caterer has all her dishes stored in the hotel premises.
"Of all the strictly Jewish banquets about one-half request Kosher meals. according to the banquet department of the Hotel Astor."

The Fire Commissioner's "Jewish Joke The action of the Jewish War Vet-Fire Commissioner, John J. Dorman, be taken to account for telling an inradio, is approved by Jacob Fishman in the "Jewish Morning Journal" (May 25.)

"li any other public official had told

doubly so when told by the Fire Com-missioner. Thousands and thousands of persons who heard it will not see in it a joke but an intimation by the Fire Commissioner that incendiarism is more prevalent among the Jews than among the other races. A responsible official who tells such an irresponsible joke should be called to account. It cannot be waved away on the score of Jewish 'sensitiveness'. The evil intent was clear. We expect that Mayor Walker, who is a tolerant person, will not overlook this scandal."

A different attitude on this incident is taken by the New York "World" of the same date.

After thinking it over, the paper says, it has concluded that the revision veterans "were not justified in demanding the scalp of the Fire Commissioner because he told a Cohen story. In the first place," the "World" explains its views, "it is extremely doubtful whether Mr. Dorman intended. ed to cast aspersions on the Jewish Politicians have done such things, but ordinarily they cannot be persuaded, or even bribed, to cast aspersions on any class represented by numerous votes."

matter as not deserving of too serious attention, the "World" offers this facetious suggestion: "All things considered, we believe that every requirement of honor would be satisfied if the veterans were to appoint a committee to wait on the Commissioner and tell him, while the municipal radio broadcast the ceremony, a suitable Pat-and-Mike story. Then the com-mittee and the Commissioner could attend a special matinee performance of 'Abie's Irish Rose,' by which the public would know that a reconciliation had been effected."

In conclusion, regarding the whole

How Jewish National Reconstruction Compares with Others

Facts and figures published recently by the United States Department of Commerce dealing with developments in Palestine indicate, the Baltimore "Sun" finds, that the Jews have done as well as other nations in the way of national reconstruction since the

Terming the Palestine work a "fascinating experiment," the paper writes:

"The Department of Commerce, in its bare, business-like way, tells us that repopulation of Palestine is proceeding rapidly, nearly as many settlers entering in 1925 as in the previous four years; that forty-two per cent of the 1925 immigration had at least \$2,400 per man to invest; that business, in factory and on farm, is proceeding apace, and that the River Jordan is to be harnessed for power and for irrigation. Further, the department reports that the Jews now number 130,000, or seventeen per cent sach a story." Mr. Fishman writes, "it of the population, and are still imwould be scandalous enough. But it is proving their relations with the ele-

ments in the old population that were dissatisfied. It would seem that relatively the Jews' reconstruction of their ancient home compares quite favorably to other national efforts at recon-struction fellowing the war."

Racial Strains and Sport

No one race has a monopoly in respect to liking or excelling in sport, declares the New York "Herald-Tribune," referring to the field and track games of the Public Schools Athletic League in which 6,000 school boys participated. "A glance at the list of competitors,"

the paper says, "shows that athletic ability and a liking for sport are not confined to two or three or half 2 dozen racial strains. Almost every school had representatives of various stocks. The point is not that the games would afford an interesting subject to the student of national origins, but that in special ability honors were widely distributed and one and all practiced good sportsmanship. It is well understood that the schools are the surest agency of Americanization, and it is also apparent that the common field of sport is an invaluable

COL. LEHMAN DONATES FRESHMAN DORMITORY TO WILLIAMS COLLEGE (Tewish Daily Bulletin)

Williamstown, Mass., May 25.-A new freshman dormitory was given Williams College by Herbert H. Lehman, Williams alumnus of the class of '99, it was announced by Dr. Harry A. Garfield, president of the college. This will afford dormitory accommo-

dations for those freshmen who have heen forced to live off the campus in recent years. Mr. Lehman, who made several

other generous gifts to the college in recent years is very active in Jewish and non-sectarian philanthropic work. Mr. Lehman is a member of the Phi Gamma Delta fraternity. In 1921 hc was awarded an honorary Master of Arts degree by his alma mater.

LABOR LEGISLATION PROPOSED BY PALESTINE GOVERNMENT COMMITTEE

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency) Jerusalem, May 25.—Recommenda-

tions concerning the enactment of labor legislation in Palestine were made by a committee appointed by the Palestine government. The committee, which was formed

last October, submitted the following proposals, according to an official annonncement made here vesterday.

(1) To institute a system of workingmen's accident compensation; (2) to exercise closer governmental con-trol of industrial enterprises; (3) to regulate the employment of children under 16: (4) to prohibit the employment of women and children in cer-tain industries; (5) to prohibit night work in all industries.

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OUR DAILY NEWS LETTER

Activities of Jewish Colonization Association (Ica) Reviewed by Dr. Oungre, Ica Manager "'All the data on this point found in (By Our Berlin Correspondent)

Berlin, May 7 .- A review of the activities of the Jewish Colonization Association (Ica) was given here to the representative of the Jewish Telegraphic Agency by Dr. Louis Oungre, of Paris, manager of the ica who is at present on a visit here. Dr. Oungre's statement was made in an effort to defend the Ica against charges levelled at that or-

ganization by the Jewish press.
"The activity of the Ica," Dr. Oungre declared, "comes in general under three headings: (1) improving conditions among the East European population on the spot: (2) their colonization in new countries; and (3) emigration work.

"To take the colonization activity first. It is well known that this is mainly carried out in the Argentine and Brazil, but also in Canada, Palestine, Turkey, Asia Minor, etc. of the colonization activity is in the Argentine. If the work of the Ica there is considered impartially, it will be pronounced extremely successful.

"It is an indirect result of the coloni-

zation work in the Argentine that Argentine Jewry has established itself firmly and has grown in numbers, developing intellectually, socially and ma-terially. The Jews of the Argentine terially. The Jews of the Argentine have among them intellectuals of the first rank—University professors, deputies, writers in both Spanish and Yiddish, artists, scholars, etc. This result may be indirectly ascribed to the activity of the Ica, since we have develop-ed the hinterland for immigration and so created centres of attraction.
"Our colonists are working industri-

ously; they are accomplishing their emancipation on the ground of their contracts with the Ica, more or less rapidly according to the circumstances.

A large number of them have completed their repayments to the Ica and are now entirely emancipated and undisputed owners of their land. In general, things are going very well with our colonists. From the agricultural standpoint we believe that they have been well-trained for their new occupation, especially where the second generation is concerned. Our agriculturists are regarded in many cases as models and carry off attachment to the land is growing with every year.
"At the same time, we have always

provided for their spiritual and religious needs. We have established schools in all our colonies and after being for a long time maintained and controlled by us they are now under the control of the Argentine Government. We have taken care for the safeguarding of Jewish tradition and the religious education of the children not only in the colonies but also in the towns and settlements in the Argentine. Wherever there are Jewish settlements we have undrtaken the establishment of religious educational institutions. There are today about 100 such religious schools junction with the Joint Distribution under our direction, in which about Committee of America through the

"All the data on this point found in our annual report will show that our work in the Argentine has been established upon a firm basis, is developing normally and surely, and as an indirect result is also bringing with it the pros-perity of Argentine Jewry in general. "It is something similar to which the Ica is striving to do in Brazil. There are still prejudices against Brazil. It is

forgotten that there are in Brazil provinces which are well adapted for the settlement of Jews on account of both the climatic and the economic conditions -for example, South Brazil. The Ica has big estates there which are being used for colonization. Here, too, we have in the last few years engaged in the galvanization of Jewish life. Rabbi Raffalovitch of Liverpool was sent out by us to Brazil in order to promote religious and social life there. He has succeeded in organizing the Jewish communities in the chief towns in Brazil and animating them so that the emigrants find a Jewish life there when they arrive. "In the matter of colonization, whether in the Argentine, Brazil, Can-

ada or Palestine, we naturally take into consideration only such persons who are suited to agriculture and are likely to succeed in this occupation. "Another important part of the ac-tivity of the Ica is the improvement of the condition of our co-religionists in

the condition of our co-religionists in Eastern Europe. Treated in general, this activity may be considered under three heads; (1) improvement of the material position of our co-religionists by the creation of cooperatives; (2) their spiritual and especially their technical education and training; and (3) the promotion of Jewish agriculture on the spot.

"Before the war there has been about 650 loan banks established in Russia on the initiative and with considerable financial cooperation on the part of the Ica which were working with great success and has developed to a remarkable degree. The Ica had also created and maintained numerous professional schools in which the young were trained in all manner of occupations. With regard to agriculture, the Ica had given intensive moral, technical and material aid to the Jewish settle-ments in the districts of Cherson and Ekaterinoslav. The war and its aftermath naturally did great damage to these institutions; nevertheless, it could be stated with satisfaction that in many cases the threads had not been entirely snapped. Since the end of the war it has been our chief task to take up again all these threads. In Poland, Bessarabia, Lithuania and Latvia, the loan bank system is thanks to our efforts reviving and developing in spite of all the eco-nomic difficulties. In the past few years we are carrying on this special activity of cooperative credits in conIoint Reconstruction Foundation, to which the Ica conttributes half the finances. "The Ica has also taken up again is

activity in the professional schools in Eastern Europe, especially in Poland and the professional school in Bialy-stok, Czenstochau, Grodno, Kalisch Lodz. Pinsk, Piotrokow, Warsaw, Vilna Cracow, Lemberg, Przmysl, etc., which have for many years been subsided by us are again carrying on their activity. There are now eleven boys' and eight girls' schools.

have again taken up our activity and have provided a large number of farmers with material, technical and other aid. The Ica has rebuilt about 1,000 houses which were destroyed during the war, especially in the Vilna district.
"There is a great deal spoken now about Russia. Here, too, the Ica re-

"In regard to agriculture, too, we

sumed its activity after the war under the same three heads as in Poland. More than 100 cooperative loan banks have received our subventions. We are professional maintaining about 25 schools. "With regard to agriculture in Russia

we are not only restoring our old colonies but have in addition taken up a new activity for the colonization of new settlers on land for which we have been given concessions by the Government. Our agricultural activity extends now especially to the districts of Nikolaieff, Elizabetgrad, Krivoyrog, Saporoje, Mariupol, etc., and the favorable results which we have achieved have moved us to extend this agricultural We intend during this year to work. We intend during this year to settle 300 new families in the province of Ekaterinoslav.

"We are engaged in similar activity in Bessarabia, where we are now giving considerable aid to the Jewish agricultural population, not only in the old Jewish colonies such as Dombrowen, Lublin, Capresti, Petrowka and Brzesini, but also to an increasingly larger extent in assisting would-be settlers in obtaining land. In the matter of the cooperatives, we are through the Joint Reconstruction Foundation supporting a big loan bank system in Old Roumania and Bessarabia comprising about 25,000

members. "Finally, there is our emigration ac-vity. The Ica maintains bureaus in tivity. the various emigration countries as well as in the countries of immigration. There are committees formed in the transit stations and port towns, partly subscribed by the Ica, as for example, the Ezra Society in Antwerp, and the committees in Liverpool, Rotterdam, etc. We have also contributed largely to the solution of the difficult problem of refugee avacuation between the years of 1920-22, and with our cooperation over 20,000 refugees were sent on from Roumania, Constantinople and Poland."

A gift of \$17,000 by Mrs. Herman Schir of the setablishment of a specialized library with the setablishment of a specialized library and director of the Institute. The Bibary will be known as the Herman Schur Reference Library and will be located in the new Jistitute building now being constructed, to be Jimon as the West Soike branch of the Institute. The area of the work of the constructed, to be Jimon as the West Soike branch of the Institute.

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SOCIAL SERVICE CONFERENCE DISCUSSES CENTERS

(Continued from Page 1) of these are found in the program of

the center." The keynote of the convention here, which is being attended by 600 delegates

from all over the country, was expressed by Dr. S. Benderley of New York. "We are getting away from dealing with petty ills and misfortune of the

individual and are coming to a study of the group and society in general," he the group and society in general, he said. "The Jew does not include in prayer only a plea for the individual. His plea is for "us" and "we." His His plea is for "us" and "we." His prayer is not individual but social," Dr. Benderley declared.

The Community Chest, which collects in one campaign once a year all money for all charitable enterprises, is a disruptive factor in the development of Jewish community life, according to Dr. Maurice B. Hexter, executive director of the Federation of Jewish Philantropies of Boston, in an address delivered in the Temple here at the opening of the National Conference of Jewish

Social Service. "I have no mandate from my col-leagues," Dr. Hexter said, "but Jewish federations in the larger cities not now affiliated with community chests probably will not join such general financial federation. I believe this will be which the Jewish community is cast by reason of such joinder, which diverts the activity of the Jews, as Jews, from their philanthropic impulses." "The one clear gain which the chest

vields is that of drawing the community together in fraternal cooperation, making for better understanding and goodwill between the Jew and the non-Jew,"
Dr. Abba Hillel Silver declared.
Rabbi Silver joined Louis M. Cahn

of Chicago, President of the conference. in warning against overprofessionalization in social work.

"You must not only tolerate the lay-man," he said, "but you must cultivate and stimulate him to participate directly in both the theory and the practice of progressive social work. The layman must not be permitted to discharge his social obligations merely with a check."

Edward M. Baker, President of the

Cleveland Federation of Jewish Charities, welcomed the conference, after the opening prayer by Rabbi Solomon Goldman.

More than 100 persons attended the dinner in the great balloans of the Hord Aster Sanday night for the benefit of the Harden Home of the Daughters of Israel, Receipts bailding now being erected at Fifth Avenue and 107th Street, Expectation is that the middle of August this year. When completed the edifice will have cose more than \$1,000,000.

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completed in the fall.

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BILL WOULD ADMIT 22.350 DECLARANTS' RELATIVES (Continued from Page 4)

2,000; and 1,500 when the quota is more than 2,000. In a statement explaining his bill Congressman Sabath points out that the total of the European immigrants for

the fiscal year 1925 was 148,366. Of this number 75,064 departed, leaving a net increase of European immigrants of 72,896, including the additional number of those admissible under his bill. The net increase of the European immigrants would be under 100,000 which is smaller than the immigration from Canada or Mexico. Congressman Sabath's bill would also permit the importation of skilled labor at the discretion of the Secretary of Labor, where same cannot be obtained here, restricting the number to ten immigrants for any one enternrise.

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