

PRILUTZKY, FORMER VOELKIST LEADER, DECIDES TO RETIRE

Result of Party Differences; Will
Settle in France

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Warsaw, Sept. 2.—Noah Prilutzky, Warsaw attorney and former leader of the extremist Voelkist party, has decided to withdraw from Jewish political life in Poland, following a split in the ranks of his party.

Mr. Prilutzky, who was elected to the Sejm on the ticket of the Voelkist group, announced he will resign from his seat in parliament. He will leave Poland to settle in France, he stated.

Opposition to his policy was recently manifest at a conference called in Vilna, where a considerable group of secessionists from the Voelkist party joined the newly formed Jewish Democratic Party. Charges were also made against Prilutzky in connection with the administration of a Jewish orphans home in Otwock, near Warsaw, established by the Warsaw Relief Society of New York City.

ROUMANIAN ANTI-SEMITIC STUDENTS COMPEL RABBI TO SHOUT "LONG LIVE CUZA"

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Bucharest, Sept. 2.—An attack on a rabbi, a passenger on a Roumanian train, is reported by the Roumanian paper, "Egalitate."

Rabbi Isaac Welech of Breaza was a passenger on a train going from Dornahelgie to Clausenburg. He was surrounded by students, who hit him in the face with their fists and forced him to shout, "Long live Cuza." They also made him dance to the tune of "Ma Yophis."

Officials on the train refused to intervene to stop the outrage.

COLOGNE JEWISH POSTAL OFFICIAL CONGRATULATED

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Cologne, Sept. 2.—Carl Philipsohn, the only Jew holding a high position in the German postal service, was the recipient of many congratulations yesterday.

Mr. Philipsohn celebrated the fortieth anniversary of his service in the postal department. He received congratulations from President Hindenburg and several postmasters.

YELLIN TO HEAD JERUSALEM EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Jerusalem, Sept. 2.—Dr. David Yellin, well known Hebrew philologist and president of the Vaad Leumi, National Council of Palestine Jews, was appointed director of the Vaad Ha'chinuch, the educational department of the Zionist Executive.

ITALIAN INSTITUTE SEEKS TO CREATE COMMERCIAL RELATIONS WITH PALESTINE

Big Opportunities in Palestine Seen
By Italian Economists

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Rome, Sept. 2.—A National Institute for Italian Economic Expansion Abroad was formed recently with headquarters at Milan. The object of the Institute is to promote trading relations between Italy and foreign countries, especially in the Mediterranean countries and the Middle East.

In an interview with the Jewish Telegraphic Agency Deputy Lanfranco, the President of the Institute, said that Italian trading circles are following with close attention the rapid economic development of Palestine due to the Jewish immigration. At the present rate of progress, it is obvious that very soon Palestine would play a leading part in the economic revival of the East, he said. Italy is especially interested in the commercial possibilities of Palestine, because its geographical position fits it particularly well for trading with the Mediterranean countries. The growing Jewish community so abounding in all parts of the world will afford the Italian traders big opportunities for economic cooperation, he declared.

The Italian authorities regard with great favor the establishment of a Jewish National Home in Palestine and are very far from all influences of a religious or nationalist character. It is desirable, Deputy Lanfranco concluded, that the Palestine economic bodies should enter into close relations with his Institute with a view to such economic cooperation.

SOKOLOV FINDS PROGRESS IN PALESTINE DESPITE CRISIS

Colonization in Transjordan Possible,
He Observes

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Jerusalem, Sept. 2.—Nahum Sokolow, chairman of the Zionist Executive, sailed today for London, following a short stay here on his return from a tour of South Africa.

When interviewed by the correspondent of the Jewish Telegraphic Agency, Mr. Sokolow summarized his impressions of present-day conditions in the country. Notwithstanding the prevailing economic crisis, Palestine has progressed since last year, Mr. Sokolow stated. Lord Plumer, the High Commissioner, is earnestly trying to carry on the Jewish National Home policy, taking into consideration the existing circumstances. Concerning the land question, it is evident that the British Colonial Office has now adopted a more liberal attitude.

It is possible for the Zionists to start work in Transjordan, Mr. Sokolow added, because the Transjordanian gov-

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KRAININ, PRESIDENT OF EMIGDIREKT, TO COME TO UNITED STATES

To Discuss Future Activities; Organi-
zation Issues Report

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Berlin, Sept. 2.—M. Krainin, president of the Emigdirekt, the United Jewish Emigration Committee, with headquarters in Berlin, will sail from Bremen on the steamer Columbus on September 17 for the United States.

It was stated that Mr. Krainin's journey to the United States is to consult the Hebrew Sheltering and Immigrant Aid Society of America regarding the future activity of the Emigdirekt.

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency Mail Service)

Berlin, Aug. 16.—During 1925 the Emigdirekt gave advice to 70,000 emigrants, intervened in 14,705 cases with consulates and Government offices, provided 2,815 emigrants with passports and 1,162 emigrants with visas, according to a report issued here. It also provided cheap passports for large

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SOVIET RUSSIA DOES NOT ADMIT RELIGIOUS ARTICLES FOR JEWISH HOLIDAYS

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Tel Aviv, Sept. 2.—The government of Soviet Russia has apparently declared an embargo on Jewish religious articles coming from Palestine, according to evidence accumulating in the Palestine post offices.

A number of Jewish residents of Palestine sent Erogim and Lulovim (citrons, willow bough and myrtle) for the Feast of the Tabernacles, to their relatives in Russia. The Russian postal authorities returned these packages.

JEWISH PHILOSOPHER IS HONORED BY VIENNA

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Vienna, Sept. 2.—The Vienna City Council has decided to erect a statue in the city park to the late Jewish philosopher, Josef Popper-Lynkeus.

Popper-Lynkeus, who wrote a number of important philosophic works, notably "The Right to Live and the Duty to Die," and many technical books dealing with engineering, electricity and flying, on his death left his valuable library to the Jewish National Library in Jerusalem.

JERUSALEM-JAFFA DISTRICT HAS NEW COMMISSIONER

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Jerusalem, Sept. 2.—J. F. Campbell has been appointed Commissioner of the Jerusalem-Jaffa District, it was learned here.

His assistants will be R. E. Crosbie, Edwin Samuel, Wadia Francis, Revenue Inspector for the South, and N. Fiani. W. J. Miller was appointed District Officer at Iaffa.

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JEWISH LEADERS RETURN FROM EUROPE; OTHERS ARE EXPECTED HERE SOON

Dr. Stephen S. Wise returned yesterday afternoon on the steamer President Roosevelt from Europe, where he attended the meetings of the Zionist Actions Committee, the conference of Liberal Jews and the meeting of the Committee of Jewish Delegations.

Louis Lipsky, president of the Zionist Organization of America, is returning today on the Mauretania.

Dr. Henry Moskowitz, chairman of the National Executive Committee of the Ort Reconstruction Fund and a member of the Executive Committee of the Joint Distribution Committee, returned Wednesday on the Homeric from a two months' trip through Europe. Dr. Moskowitz participated in the International Conference of the Ort.

"The sad plight of the Jews occasioning the \$25,000,000 United Jewish Campaign in America was not exaggerated. Israel in Eastern Europe is bleeding and needs healing. American Jews will be encouraged to know that the funds they are sending are being used not alone to succor the orphan, the sick and the starving but the greatest portion is being devoted to the reconstruction of Jewish life destroyed and shattered by pogroms, war and famine," Dr. Moskowitz declared in a statement to the press.

"While the colonization work is good and should be encouraged, the Russian Jews are all for it, we must remember that it cannot reach a large percentage of the Russian Jewish population. All colonization work is expensive, the limited fund and even lands are not immediately available to colonize the mass of Russian Jews in need of a living. The great mass must therefore engage in occupations provided by the cities and towns," he stated.

Dr. Bernard A. Kahn, European representative of the Joint Distribution Committee, will sail from Cherbourg on September 15, advices received from Berlin state. He is expected to arrive in New York on the 22nd. He will be

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.]

Zionism at Cross Roads, Says Zionist Organ

That Zionism is today "standing on trial" and the reconstruction work in Palestine has reached the cross roads, is the assertion made by "Haolom" of London, official Hebrew organ of the World Zionist Executive.

"All over Palestine," the "Haolom" says, "in the towns and villages, the Zionist movement is standing on trial. All of us in the Diaspora, the men who hold high office in the various institutions of our movement have to recognize that this trial is our own trial. If irresponsible and dishonest people accuse us in the foreign and the enemy press of having enticed them to Palestine and left them there to die of starvation, it might rouse our indignation and we could disregard their accusations and exclude this irresponsible rabble from our midst. But if we consider the matter deeply asking ourselves whether we have done all in our power to prevent such a state of affairs, can we help being overwhelmed with shame and a feeling of disgrace? It has been frequently pointed out by Zionists belonging to responsible quarters and it should again be stated openly and explicitly for all to hear: There are Zionists in high positions in the Zionist movement, both honorary and paid, who as members of the Zionist Organization have been elected as deputies to Parliament, and members of Municipalities in various countries and communities, some of them even standing at the head of various Zionist business enterprises who are not doing their duty to the movement or who are doing it in so paltry a fashion as to make it appear a mere travesty of a public sense of duty.

"The immigration to Palestine for the last year," the paper continues, "amounted to 40,000. Based on this figure, a definite scheme has been worked out for the establishment of the Jewish National Home. If the fourth

accompanied by Dr. Joseph A. Rosen, head of the Agrojoint in Russia. Jacob Billikopf, who visited the Jewish colonies in Russia, will sail for America a few days later, the advices from Berlin state.

Dr. David de Sola Pool, President of the Young Judaea Organization of America and rabbi of the Spanish and Portuguese Synagogue of New York will arrive on the Mauretania, after a two months sojourn in Palestine where he made preparations for the establishment of a Nathan Straus Health Center.

Dr. Pool also made a survey of the status of the Jewish youth in Palestine and the progress of the Hebrew Scout Movement, which is sponsored by Young Judaea.

Alyah (immigration of the middle class) contained unsuitable elements who could not adapt themselves to the economic conditions prevalent in Palestine and were in consequence compelled to leave the country, this fact does not fill us with any alarm. Such things are not to be avoided in any immigration movement which is carried on on a large scale. Even if the immigration officers were endowed with supernatural vigilance they would not be able totally to eliminate persons incapable of making good in Palestine. The only way for Palestine to be able to absorb a steadily growing immigration would be if it were given the proper support to enable it to develop its production and its needs.

"But today there are several thousands of unemployed in Palestine, most of them belonging to the suitable element, and we know that we are to blame for their deplorable state, because we have not raised the sums required for the establishment of the enterprises which would provide employment for thousands of workers.

"We cannot go on at this slow pace any longer. People acquainted with the conditions in Palestine all agree that what has to be done in Palestine must be done within the next few years, otherwise we may be greatly disappointed.

"This is the essence of the recent manifesto issued by the Zionist Executive calling for the raising of two million pounds for the settlement of 30,000 new immigrants. Will the whole people respond to the call, realizing that we stand at the cross-roads and that this is the moment when all Jewish energy must be directed into the way which leads to Jewish life?"

Proposes Jewish Colonization in South Africa

A proposal for Jewish colonization in South Africa is put forth by the "African Jewish World" of Johannesburg.

Recalling that it had made the same suggestion a number of years ago, the paper writes, in its issue of July 23:

"By degrees this matter is beginning to arouse attention and at the last conference of the Board of Jewish Deputies of South Africa, a delegate introduced a resolution regarding Jewish colonization. The resolution was rejected. Impossible! was the reply, without qualifications. But life makes possible many things that seem impossible. Jews are beginning to discuss the question more and more.

"It is the duty of all organizations connected with the Board of Jewish Deputies to demand that measures be adopted to create a body whose purpose should be to evolve plans and negotiate with the government to secure—free or at a very low price—land for Jewish colonization, to conduct an intensive propaganda among the Jews, and to turn the stream of 'luftmenschen,' particularly the new comers here, from the city to the land."

ORTHODOX ELEMENTS ARE SEEKING RAPPROCHMENT; MIZRACHI ADOPTS POLICY

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency Mail Service)

Antwerp, Aug. 16.—Another attempt to enter into contact with the Agudah with a view to reaching an understanding with it and bringing about a unification of Orthodox Jewry with regard to Palestine, will be made as a result of a resolution adopted by the conference of the Mizrahi held here. Deploring the split in the ranks of Orthodox Jewry the resolution calls upon the new Executive to take steps to bring about a reconciliation.

The Conference also decided to protest against the tactics of the Zionist Executive in ignoring the existence of the Mizrahi Organization in its communications to the League of Nations.

On the question of the Jewish Communities Ordinance in Palestine, the Conference has expressed itself in favor of the existence of one community only in Palestine comprising all Jews resident in the country. Withdrawal from the community should be permitted only in cases where the seceders declare that they are leaving Judaism. It should be possible for various groups to obtain autonomy in religious questions within the community, on condition that they recognize the basis of the upbuilding of Jewish Palestine and of the Jewish religion, the resolution stated.

The Conference decided to welcome the endeavor to begin Jewish colonization in Transjordan and Syria.

The Executive has been urged to conduct all activity of the Mizrahi in labor matters through the agency of the Poale Ha'Mizrahi. The Executive was also called upon to assist middle-class immigrants to settle in Palestine and to this end the Executive was instructed to take steps for the establishment of the Mortgage and Industrial Bank.

Opposition was expressed to the decision of the last Zionist Congress to impose a unified Shekel on all movements in Zionism and the Conference instructed all Mizrahi delegates to the next Congress to vote against the unified Shekel. The Conference issued a call to all Orthodox Jews in America and their rabbis to take part in the United Palestine Appeal in America.

The new executive is comprised of Rabbi Meier Berlin, Rabbi Fischman, Deputy S. Feldman and Mr. S. Landau. Rabbi Berlin will be in charge of educational and political questions; Rabbi Fischman of propaganda and the Press; Mr. Landau of colonization and labor; and Dr. Feldman of finance and economics.

The Sinai Congregation of Los Angeles, Cal., the oldest conservative congregation in southern California, will dedicate its new Synagogue and Center on September 5. The synagogue has a seating capacity of 1,500. The educational centre is equipped with a social hall, library, an entire floor of class rooms, club rooms and offices, a dining room and Kosher kitchen.

An outstanding feature of the decorations are the carved wood panels for the door of the Oratory and for the wall of the synagogue. The Jewish artist Peter Krasnow, to carve. Rabbi Mayer Winkler is rabbi of the Congregation. Dr. L. G. Reynolds is president, and Emil Brown, chairman of building committee.

OUR DAILY NEWS LETTER

"Dirty Jew" Hurled Publicly at Jews in Roumanian Parliament by Minister

(By Our Bucharest Correspondent, A. Goldenthal)

Bucharest, Aug. 10.—For the first time in the history of Roumania, the appellation "dirty Jew" has been publicly used in Parliament by a member of the Government, the Minister for Public Health, a Transylvania priest, Lupash, who in a speech full of venomous hatred, reviled the Jews.

After him came the Minister for the Interior, M. Goga, the father of Roumanian anti-Semitism, who repeated all the old demands of his anti-Semitic paper "Zea Nostra." And when Cuza, the leader of the anti-Semitic students, got up and delivered his first speech in Parliament, demanding that the Jews should be deprived of all rights, even of the right to live, he was enthusiastically cheered by the majority party, and the Premier, General Averescu himself, got up and shook him by the hand, his face beaming with satisfaction.

These incidents, coupled with the rumor that Cuza will soon be included in the Cabinet, are indicative of the state of affairs under the Averescu government, which, when it came to power was looked to for relief from the reactionary anti-Semitic regime of Bratianu.

The outstanding characteristic of the new regime can be expressed in two words—words very much in fashion in Roumania today: "fascism" and "dictatorship," fascism in this country being identical with anti-Semitism.

The only salvation from all the evils that beset Roumania is declared to be contained in Mussolini's teaching and Octavian Goga, formerly a poet and now a Minister, is its chief prophet.

The first sign of where the wind is blowing was given in Parliament by a Cuzist deputy crying: "We want an iron hand, we want a dictator!" And he threw a quick glance at Goga, as though wishing to indicate the coming dictator.

The fascist anti-Semitic papers have caught up the tune. The financial crisis in France and the fall of the Herriot Ministry, gave especial cause for pleasure for this was surely the sign that Parliamentarism had become obsolete. Obviously fascism is conquering everywhere, dictatorship is the only salvation for humanity! Roumania will revive only if it accepts the new Fascist gospel at the hand of the ex-poet Goga.

If Averescu goes to Rome to discuss loans or the Bessarabia question, Goga goes with him. There are rumors going round about Goga's frequent visits to Rome. They are connected with his project for the militarization of the universities which is to come up in Parliament during the autumn session. Under this project, every undergraduate will be under the command and at the orders of the military. All students will be required to do military drill every day. Military discipline will continue for the whole duration of the studies at the universities and after graduation the students will be considered to have

GERMAN JEWS PAY TRIBUTE TO SOLDIERS KILLED IN WORLD WAR

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Berlin, Sept. 2.—Memorial services for the Jewish soldiers in the German army who fell during the world war will be held here on September 5.

The Board of the Jewish Community of Berlin has given the use of a hall in the vicinity of the Jewish cemetery at Weissensee where the largest number of the Jewish war dead are buried. The memorial services will be country-wide in character so that relatives and members of the various Jewish communities especially in the former German province of Posen, in West Prussia and Upper Silesia who are not able to come to Berlin for the ceremony should be able to hold memorial gatherings at the same time.

The memorial service will be of a purely religious character. Addresses will be delivered after the service by Rabbi Dr. Baeck, and Rabbi Dr. Lik, both of whom were chaplains in the field during the war and by Mr. Max Shodziever on behalf of the Federation of Jewish Soldiers at the Front.

The initiative for the services was taken by the Berlin Chevra Kadisha. Arrangements are being made by the Federation of Jewish Soldiers at the Front, the Berlin Zionist Federation and the Federation of Posen Jews.

TRAGEDY IN FAMOUS JEWISH FAMILY STIRS WARSAW JEWS

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Warsaw, Sept. 2.—A tragedy in Jewish family caused a considerable stir here. Miss Sara Bernholz committed suicide yesterday by jumping from a fourth story window. She was the granddaughter of Rabbi Solomon Gesuntheit, famous Warsaw rabbi and author of the "Chemdash Shlomo."

The cause of her act was said to be the distressed circumstances of her parents, who were threatened with eviction from their home.

490 POLISH JEWS LEFT FOR PALESTINE IN AUGUST

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Warsaw, Sept. 2.—The slump in Jewish emigration from Poland to Palestine, caused by the general economic crisis in Poland, continued throughout the month of August, according to figures made known today.

During the month only 490 Jewish emigrants left for Palestine.

done their military training and will not be required to serve in the army.

It is clear that this new project is not intended as a concession to the students, for instead of having to serve one year only they will be under arms for between 3 to 6 years. The Government wants simply to have a fascist army ready for any emergency. The students, however, are not very enthusiastic about this new plan of Goga's. Breaking the windows of Jewish houses and thrashing Jews, that is a different thing to putting on khaki for three years or more. It is expected that the students

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**WELCH, FAMOUS COMEDIAN,
DIES; BLIND SINCE 1921**

Ben Welch, the blind comedian, died yesterday in Kings Park Sanitarium, Long Island, at the age of 50.

Welch was one of the outstanding Yiddish dialect comedians on the vaudeville stage and appeared in that role for many years. He lost his sight in 1921 while on a tour abroad. Returning to New York he made efforts to regain his sight, but failing, he appeared on the stage as a blind comedian. Before he lost his sight he was earning \$50,000 a year.

Welch was born in New York on the East Side. His brother, Joe Welch, also a noted comedian, died in 1918. He is survived by his wife and a daughter of 17.

JEWISH COMMUNAL ACTIVITIES

Jewish young women attending college away from their homes this fall will be afforded an opportunity to enjoy the hospitality and interest of the National Federation of Temple Sisterhoods. Mrs. Martha L. Steinfeld, of St. Louis, chairman of the National Committee on Student Reform in Religion, will call all local Sisterhoods in towns adjacent to colleges a list of out-of-town Jewish students at school in or near the city.

Letters of welcome will be sent to the students by the local Sisterhoods to meet them on their arrival. "In this way the parents will know of the interest that is being taken in their son or daughter, and they will encourage their children to meet at the advance halfway. It is the aim of our Committee to encourage a personal interest in every Jewish student. As in past years, out-of-town students will be invited to services on the holidays and on the Sabbath, and they will be made welcome in Jewish homes," Mrs. Steinfeld stated.

Robert Sher, Earl L. Morse, and Isadore G. Aik were the three winners of the students of the University of Wisconsin in the Prize Orator Contest conducted by the Department of Synagogue and School Extension. Robert Sher received first prize for his essay, "A Few Suggested Reforms in Religion." Earl L. Morse received the second prize for his essay, "The Hebrew University on Mt. Scopus," and Isadore G. Aik, the third prize for his essay, "The Youth and Zionism."

Dr. Lee M. Frankel, Second Vice-President of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, New York, was the principal speaker at a luncheon given in the Montefiore Club on August 21, by the Business Men's Association, a constituent group of the Federation of Jewish Philanthropies of Montreal.

Dr. Frankel spoke on "Applying Business Methods to Federation." Among those present were Mrs. L. K. Frankel, Mrs. Rosenau, Mrs. Lyon Cohen and Messrs. I. Greenberg, Lyon Cohen, S. W. Jacobs, K. C. M. P., J. Levinson, Sr., Maxwell Goldstein, K. C., Al Lesser, David Kirsch and Michael Morris.

A special session of the Board of Managers of the National Council of Jewish Women has been held in New York. The purpose of the meeting, which will be held in New York, is to act upon the report and recommendations of the Bureau of Jewish Social Research on its survey of the Council.

The recommendations of the Board of Managers on the Survey Report will be referred to the Eleventh Triennial Convention of the National Council of Jewish Women, which will meet in Washington, D. C., during the week of November 14. The survey of the Council was made under the direction of Samuel A. Goldstein, of the Bureau of Jewish Social Research of New York City.

The date of the Israel Zangwill Memorial Meeting, arranged by the American Jewish Congress, usually held for September 19, 1926, has been changed to Sunday evening, September 26. It will be held in Carnegie Hall. The Committee includes David Belasco, Daniel Frohman, Ralph Ochs, Franklin P. Adams, Fudge Otto A. Rossinsky, Dr. Stephen S. Wise, Louis Marshall, Judge Abram I. Elkus.

**REQUEST FOR PROTECTION
OF ARABS ABROAD TO BE RE-
NEWED BY ARAB EXECUTIVE**
(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Jerusalem, Sept. 2.—The question of British protection for Palestinians abroad will again be raised with the High Commissioner, Lord Plumer, as soon as he returns from his vacation, by Musa Kazim Pasha, the president of the Palestine Arab Executive, it was stated. Musa Kazim Pasha will ask Lord Plumer to afford protection to all Arab emigrants from Palestine resident in various countries and also to prolong the period in which such emigrants may apply for naturalization as Palestinian citizens.

When the question was raised before the Acting-Chief Secretary, Mr. Mills, by a deputation of Bethlehem Arabs, Mr. Mills replied that Arab emigrants from Palestine abroad must make ordinary application for Palestinian nationality before the British representatives abroad are able to take them under their charge. Before acquiring Palestinian nationality the emigrants are regarded as Ottomans and must apply to the Turkish consular officers.

**Krainin, President of Emigdirekt, To
Come to United States**

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numbers of emigrants and engaged in welfare work on board ship. In 6,634 cases the Emigdirekt traced relatives for emigrants in the oversea countries. Altogether 31,338 emigrants, about half the total number of Jewish emigrants in Eastern Europe used the services of the institutions of the Emigdirekt during 1925.

The Emigdirekt investigated conditions of life in the lesser known countries of immigration such as Uruguay, Paraguay, Australia, and provided information regarding them to intending emigrants. The Emigdirekt was also in close relationship with the Jewish organizations in Canada, Mexico, Australia, Argentina, Brazil, etc. It has local committees in all European countries, except Russia, and representations in France, England, Constantinople and the Far East. Through its permanent representative in Geneva it is in touch with the League of Nations on emigration matters.

BREVITIES

Mrs. Florence Prag Kahn, widow of the late Congressman Julius Kahn, won the Republican nomination for re-election to Congress from the Fifth District, San Francisco, Cal., with a sweeping victory over four candidates. She will be opposed by Chauncey Tramatolo, Democrat, at the Fall election. She polled more votes than her opponents combined.

Deutsch Brothers, New York furniture dealers, have announced that they will present \$3,000 worth of furniture to Mrs. Clemington Corson, second woman to swim the English Channel.

The fifth national convention of the Young Poale Zion organization of the United States and Canada will open in Albany, N. Y., today. The sessions will last until next Monday. Approximately seventy delegates are expected to attend.

Of the 481 law students who passed the State bar examinations held in June, 499 are Jewish students.

**RUSSIAN JEWISH SCIENTIST,
NOTED PSYCHIATRIST, DIES**

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency Mail Service)
Moscow, Aug. 17.—Prof. Samuel Vermel of the Moscow State University died here.

Dr. Vermel introduced psychiatry into Russia. In addition to his chair at the University, he was director of the Institute of Psychiatry.

He founded at the Moscow University a chair for social-professional diseases, the first of a number of such chairs since established at various Universities in the country.

The Minister of Health, M. Semashko, the Vice-Minister M. Solovlov, and leading professors and representatives of the medical world delivered eulogies to the late professor.

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will refuse to obey if the project is passed into law.

But it is said that Goga is going to pacify the students in another way—that Professor Cuza will in the autumn be included in the Cabinet. Averescu, it is true, is the premier, but it is Goga who acts. This is why Cuza so suddenly changed his attitude to one of supporting the Government and this is why the "young" Cuzists have become so incensed with their leader. It is for this reason very possible that Cuza may cease to be the leader of the Christian League on his assumption of ministerial rank or even earlier.

Meanwhile, among the Jewish population feeling in the face of the fascist anti-Semitic intrigue which Goga is carrying on with Professor Cuza is extremely depressed and there is a great deal of apprehension for the future.

**Sokolow Finds Progress in Palestine
Despite Crisis**

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ernment hopes to develop the country through Jewish capital and initiative. Mr. Sokolow also declared that the Zionist Executive has not given up the question of the participation of Jews in the Palestine-Transjordanian frontier force. Negotiations on this matter are still pending.

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