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## FAVORABLE ATTITUDE TO WADSWORTH AMENDMENT SEEN IN HOUSE COMMITTEE

Republican Majority Leader Will Urge  
Support for Measure  
(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

Washington, Dec. 17.—The House Immigration Committee met in executive session yesterday morning and it is understood from reliable sources discussed both the Wadsworth amendment and Congressman Sabath's bill to admit additional relatives of both citizens and declarants and to repeal the national origins plan. No decision was reached, the committee adjourning until Monday when another meeting will be held.

It is understood that while none of the members definitely committed themselves not only was a more or less sympathetic attitude displayed by those who hitherto have opposed amending the law but there was even some discussion of adding the parents and children between eighteen and twenty-one of citizens.

Congressman Perlman conferred yesterday with Republican majority leader, Tilson, who declared that he will support the Wadsworth amendment and will urge Chairman Johnson and other members of the Immigration Committee to act favorably upon it.

## SOCIALISTS IN VIENNA CITY GOVERNMENT CHARGED WITH ANTI-JEWISH DISCRIMINATION

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Vienna, Dec. 17.—The Social Democratic municipal government of the city of Vienna was charged with anti-Jewish discrimination, at a meeting of the Council of the Viennese Kultusgemeinde.

The charges were made by Mr. Plaschkes, who stated that the Social Democrats are conducting an anti-Jewish policy which is calculated to ruin the Jewish population of Vienna economically. He also stated that the municipal government under the social democrats excludes Jews from civil positions and does not support Jewish institutions. In addition, the social democrats are engaged in combatting the Zionist movement and the effort to build Palestine, he charged.

## RELIGIOUS TEACHER IS SENTENCED FOR MAIN- TAINING SECRET CHEDER

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Minsk, Dec. 17.—Secretly maintaining a Jewish religious school in White Russia is punishable by a prison sentence.

In the town of Starodub, the court, consisting of Jewish Judges, sentenced the Jewish religious teacher, Abraham Kireshbin to two months at hard labor on the charge of having illegally conducted a cheder where eight children between the ages of six and ten were instructed by him in Hebrew.

## LEAGUE CANNOT CONSIDER POLISH JEWISH PROTEST AT ROUMANIAN EXCESSES

Protest Is Couched Too Strongly,  
Minority Department Head Says  
(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Warsaw, Dec. 17.—The telegram of protest against the anti-Jewish excesses in Roumania directed to the League of Nations by the Club of Jewish Deputies was acknowledged by Eric Colban, director of the National Minorities Department of the League of Nations.

Mr. Colban pointed out, however, that in view of the fact that the telegram of the Club was couched too sharply, the League of Nations finds it impossible to consider the petition of the Club of Jewish Deputies.

The praesidium of the Club of Jewish Deputies replied that the telegram is not a petition of the Club, but a call of protest and that the sharp tone of the telegram corresponds with the indignation of the Jewish population in Poland over the suffering of Roumanian Jews. The Club hopes that the League of Nations will not remain indifferent to the suffering of Roumanian Jews, the praesidium declared.

The telegram of the Club of Jewish Deputies protesting to the League of Nations read, as reported by cable: "We protest strongly against the persecutions directed against the Jewish minority in Roumania. The Roumanian government should know that a people whose professors and students are pogromists cannot find a place among the civilized peoples of the world."

Warsaw, Dec. 17.—Deputy Wladislaw Widlicki, who rejected the order conferred upon him by the Roumanian government as a protest against the anti-Jewish excesses in Roumania, was invited by the Roumanian Minister here to a conference at which the Minister purposed to prove to him that the despatches concerning anti-Jewish pogroms in Roumania were untrue. Deputy Widlicki refused the invitation.

## JEWISH CORPSE QUESTION STIRS LITHUANIAN STUDENTS

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Kovno, Dec. 17.—Lithuanian students are beginning to follow in the footsteps of Polish and Roumanian anti-Semitic students in raising agitation that they be provided with Jewish corpses for dissection in the clinics of the medical college.

A meeting of Jewish students was called for the purpose of protesting against this movement.

The director of the clinics issued a statement to the press in which he declared that there prevails a shortage of corpses and that the Jews must deliver their share. This is not a national question, he stated.

## EXCAVATIONS OF JERUSALEM THIRD WALL COMPLETED; FACTS AROUSE INTEREST

Discovery of Exact Wall Line May  
Solve Question of Holy Sites  
(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Jerusalem, Dec. 17.—The excavations of the Agrippa Wall, commonly known as the Third Wall, around Jerusalem, being carried on by the Jewish Archaeological Society under the auspices of the Hebrew University, are nearly completed.

During the excavations a continuation of the Wall to the south was uncovered and a gateway between two towers opposite the Tomb of Queen Helena of Adiabana, along the side of the valley as far as the Temple area. The towers are mentioned in Josephus Flavius' "History of the Jewish Wars Against the Romans."

The exact line of the Third Wall now seems to be fixed. It went from opposite the Tomb of Helena along the Vadi extending to the Temple area. The corner tower, which is mentioned by Josephus, is probably the Herodian tower, the foundations of which are visible to the northeast corner of the Temple area.

The discovery of the line of the Third Jerusalem Wall is of great historic value and has caused considerable interest among Jewish and non-Jewish scholars. Particular significance is attached to this discovery in view of the fact that it might offer a solution to the debated question as to the exactness of the location of what are traditionally known as the Christian Holy Sites in Jerusalem.

## HEJJAS, HUNGARIAN ANTI- SEMITIC LEADER, IS RE- ELECTED TO PARLIAMENT

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Budapest, Dec. 17.—Hejjas, one of the leaders of the Hungarian Race Purifiers, was returned to parliament in a closely contested election. Hejjas received a majority of 56 votes. It was said that his campaign directors compelled many Jews to cast their votes for him.

When the final election returns came in, it was seen that many deputies of the opposition, including several Jewish deputies, were reelected in the large towns.

## RUMORS REGARDING PLUMER RESIGNATION ARE DENIED

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

London, Dec. 17.—Rumors that Lord Plumer, High Commissioner of Palestine, would resign from his post in June were denied here today.

The probability of the succession to the post of Lord Allenby, conqueror of Jerusalem, was termed "absurd."

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**COM. KENWORTHY INDICTS****PALESTINE GOVERNMENT  
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and Parsimonious"**

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Jerusalem, Dec. 17.—An indictment against the policy of the Palestine government was made by Lt. Commander J. M. Kenworthy before his departure for the United States via England.

Commander Kenworthy stated that he was deeply impressed by the progress in Palestine, but he said it was his duty to criticize the "conservative and parsimonious" Palestine government for its failure to extend the British trade influence to Palestine. There is no representative board of trade in the country; there is not a single English commercial traveller visible. All the motor cars operated in the country are American. The ports are disgraceful, the treatment of visitors is shameful. The government quarantine at Haifa is located at the edge of malarious swamps and make Ellis Island by comparison a hotel de luxe. The government treats the Palestine immigrants worse than animals," he stated.

Commander Kenworthy further declared that it was the duty of every British imperialist to support the Zionist policy in Palestine, which is the only insurance policy for the defense of the Suez canal, he stated.

**HAKOAH WINS AUSTRIAN  
FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP**

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Vienna, Dec. 17.—The final game for the Austrian Football League championship ended with a victory for the Hakoah soccer team, the team which visited the United States last summer.

The Hakoah was undefeated during the entire tournament and emerged with a better total scoring than the previous year.

The entire Vienna press expresses its admiration for the achievements of the Hakoah. It was also stated here today that the Hakoah soccer team has been reinforced with new, first-class players.

**PROF. HAUPT, NON-JEWISH****BIBLE CRITIC, DIES AT 68;  
WROTE 600 WORKS ON BIBLE****Made Important Contributions to  
Ancient History of Jews  
(Jewish Daily Bulletin)**

Baltimore, Md., Dec. 17.—Dr. Paul Haupt, W. W. Spence professor of the Semitic languages, director of the Oriental Seminary at the Johns Hopkins University and one of the foremost Bible critics, died Wednesday, Dec. 15, at the Johns Hopkins Hospital after an illness of ten days. Dr. Haupt was not a Jew.

Recognized as one of the leading philologists of the world and noted as a Semitic scholar, Dr. Haupt had been connected with the Hopkins faculty for 43 years. Among his students were many who later attained prominence in many walks of life. He was born at Gorlitz, Germany, November 25, 1858.

Until very recently Dr. Haupt returned to Europe every summer to continue his studies of Biblical events. In his more than 600 works he is considered to have made many important contributions to the ancient history of the Jewish people. He did extensive research work in the district where the cities of Sodom and Gomorrah are supposed to have stood and was among the first to voice the opinion that the ancient cities had been destroyed by earthquakes and not by miracles. He also stated the belief that the Christian tradition of Calvary was wrong.

In a commemoration of his fortieth anniversary as a teacher at Johns Hopkins there was dedicated to him a book of Oriental studies to which more than forty celebrated scholars contributed. The book was edited by the late Dr. Aaron Ember, then associate professor of Semitic languages at Hopkins, and Dr. Cyrus Adler, president of Dropsie College, Philadelphia.

In 1898 Dr. Haupt edited the polychrome Bible. His works brought him honors from many universities and scientific societies and orders.

**TEL AVIV RESIDENTS WANT  
TO VOTE IN JAFFA ELECTIONS**

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Jerusalem, Dec. 14.—The residents of Tel Aviv and the Palestine Government are in disagreement over the right of the former to participate in the Jaffa municipal elections.

The Palestine Government issued an announcement according to which the Tel Aviv residents have no right to participate in the Jaffa elections. At a meeting held in Tel Aviv last night at which representatives of the township, of the industrial group and of the National Council of Palestine Jewry participated, a resolution protesting against the government announcement was adopted.

The Tel Aviv leaders pointed to the fact that under Article 11 of the Tel Aviv Constitution, the Tel Aviv residents are granted the right to participate in Jaffa elections.

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**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.]

**Press Commends Senate For Adopting  
Wadsworth Amendment**

The passing by the U. S. Senate of the Wadsworth amendment to permit the entry of 35,000 wives and minor children of declarants, is greeted by New York newspapers as a step commendable for its humanity in that it aims to reunite families separated by the quota laws.

The "Times," in an editorial entitled "A Speech That Changed Votes", lauds Senator Wadsworth for carrying through the amendment against what seemed certain defeat. The paper writes: "The story is hackneyed of the United States Senator who said that during the thirty years of his service at Washington he had heard many speeches that changed his convictions, but thanked Heaven that he had never heard one that changed his vote. Last Tuesday, however, a speech was made in the Senate which did change votes. It was delivered by Senator Wadsworth of New York in support of his amendment to the Immigration act. At least two Senators who had expected to vote against the amendment, Senator Bingham of Connecticut and Senator Bruce of Maryland, rose to announce that they had been convinced and converted. There must have been several others of the same mind, for when the vote was taken the amendment was agreed to by 39 years against 37 nays. . . . The decision of the Senate was noteworthy as showing that, at least in non-partisan matters, reason and humane considerations may transform an expected minority into a majority."

As amended, the bill should pass and be signed by the President, urges the "World", pointing out that "neither the original bill nor the amendment is inconsistent with the new immigration policy of the Nation. It cannot be necessary to that policy that American women married abroad should be denied entrance into their native country, or that 35,000 waiting wives and children of men who are rightfully in the country should be unable to rejoin them."

The "Telegram" says: "Humane as well as practical reasons made the action of the United States Senate in passing Senator Wadsworth's amendment admitting the families of resident aliens to American shores a fitting event of the Christmas season."

By adopting Senator Wadsworth's amendment, avers the "Evening Post", the Senate "has given its endorsement to a broadening of the law which is not only practical and humane but a contribution toward the solution of the vexing problem of Americanization. The new plan would enable these prospective citizens to take deeper root in American soil. Family life is the greatest of all stabilizers, not only from a

# **PRESIDENT MAY DROP NATIONAL ORIGINS PLAN CONGRESSMAN PREDICTS**

The opinion that President Coolidge may avail himself of the "loophole" in the Immigration Act of 1924 and prevent the introduction of the National Origins Plan, under Section 11 of the Act, is expressed by Congressman Emanuel Celler in a statement he issued to the press.

The introduction of the National Origins Plan would reduce, almost to a negligible amount, the German, Irish and Scandinavian quotas and unduly enhance the English quota. So many protests have been received at the White House against this plan that Congressman Celler predicts that the President will not issue the proclamation necessary to introduce the Plan.

"The determination of quotas is an administrative or executive function, and it is the duty of the Secretaries of State, Commerce and Labor to ascertain the quotas. The President can only proclaim the quotas after he receives from these Secretaries their report, as to what the quotas should be.

"The law also states, that in the event that the Proclamation of the President is not made, the present condition of quotas obtains. There is the rub of the situation. The President can say, 'I have not received the report of the Secretaries of Labor, Commerce and State, and hence cannot act.' No one can or will compel these Secretaries to ascertain the quotas. Therefore, there will be no action whatever. In other words, there seems to be in the minds of the authors of the Statute, the giving to the President of a way of escape," Congressman Celler declared.

sociological point of view but morally as well."

The "Day" declares that "by its action the Senate has in part rectified its error in rejecting Senator Wadsworth's bill at the previous session. Senator Wadsworth's amendment had to be accepted not, as Senator Reed would have it, because of political pressure by immigrant groups, but because the measure, as adopted by the Senate, is even more in the interests of America itself, than in the interests of the immigrant families."

Exception to the general approval of the Senate act is taken by the "Herald-Tribune," which fears that "if this attempt, moderate and definite, to widen the non-quota privilege should succeed there is every likelihood that Congress will be bombarded with appeals for further extensions, which, if granted, will fritter away the benefits of numerical limitation." As a justification of its attitude the paper adds:

"To select a favored 35,000 for non-quota entrance would but make more bitter the disappointment of the thousands left out. It is better for Congress to adhere to the line which it drew deliberately in 1924."

The "Jewish Daily News" takes the "Herald-Tribune" to task, saying:

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# **UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO INTRODUCES COURSES IN JEWISH STUDIES**

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 17.—The university college of the University of Chicago will institute a series of courses in Jewish education, beginning with the winter quarter, it was announced today. This is being done at the request of the College of Jewish Studies which will cooperate in conducting the courses.

"This new undertaking," Dr. Alexander M. Dushkin, director of the College of Jewish Studies said, "is indicative of the policy of the University of Chicago to be of practical service to the whole community by extending its educational program and influence so as to be of greatest possible usefulness."

The courses will be opened to all qualified students, but they are designed, it was announced, primarily for those who are to teach in Jewish religious schools and who engage in social service. Most of the courses will be conducted in the evening on the university campus and at the downtown quarters of the university college. The faculty appointed for these courses is from the teaching staff of the College of Jewish Studies.

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## **COMMUNICATIONS TO THE EDITOR**

Sir: I notice in your issue of Tuesday, Dec. 14, an announcement that San Francisco and Oakland, California were the only two communities which have developed an organization for an annual drive to cover their respective obligations to national and foreign philanthropic agencies.

May I correct this. The Federation of Jewish Philanthropies of Harrisburg, Pa., announced, in October 1926, its first campaign for such a purpose. In this campaign was included every Jewish organization that solicited funds in our community, national, international, and local, charitable, philanthropic and educational. The first campaign concluded in October was successful, and we are planning to make payments on all of our allotments for the first of the year.

Harrisburg is also satisfied that this method of meeting a community's responsibility is definitely successful, and we are looking forward with much anticipation to our campaign of next October, when we hope that the \$12,000.00 which was raised in our last campaign, will be materially added to.

PAUL GOLDBLATT,  
Executive Secretary,  
Federation of Jewish Philanthropies,  
Harrisburg, Pa., Dec. 15, 1926.

Sir: Let me congratulate you upon the publication of the "Jewish Daily Bulletin." I find it of extraordinary interest. I am confident that it is a pioneer work in the field of Jewish history, indispensable to the student and publicist. You are doing a great service for the education of the Jewish mind, and I am sure that you will continue to try and laity. May I take this occasion to try and laity. May I take this occasion to try and laity. May I take this occasion to try and laity.

(Rabbi) LOUIS I. NEWMAN,  
San Francisco, Calif., Dec. 7, 1926.

Sir: We are enclosing herein check for \$2.50 in payment of the "Index" of the "Jewish Daily Bulletin."

May I take this opportunity to express to you our appreciation of the splendid contribution to Jewish communal life which you are making through the "Daily Bulletin"? It is an excellent little paper.

FLORINA LASKER,  
Chairman, Department of Immigrant Aid,  
The National Council of Jewish Women,  
New York, Dec. 17, 1926.

# **LARGE REQUESTS FOR JEWISH CHARITY AND EDUCATION ANNOUNCED**

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

Philadelphia, Dec. 16.—The largest single bequest ever made to the Federation of Jewish Charities in this city was received yesterday in the form of a check for \$166,000 from the executors of the will of Harry A. Jeitles.

Mr. Jeitles was a cigar manufacturer. He died in Atlantic City.

Payment of the check to the Federation was accompanied by the announcement from the executors that another check for approximately \$50,000 would come later.

It was known that Mr. Jeitles had named the Federation of Jewish Charities sole beneficiary of his residuary estate, but it was not known how much the residue would be. It now is believed that the testator left an estate of close to \$400,000.

By the terms of the will, the Jewish Hospital Association and the Jewish Foster Home and Orphan Asylum will receive \$1,000 each. A codicil gives \$5,000 to the Atlantic City Hospital and \$1,000 to the Atlantic City Lodge No. 275, B. P. O. E. Other beneficiaries include Samuel C. Jeitles, a brother and former partner of the testator, who receive \$20,000 and three nephews, who receive \$20,000 each.

Baltimore, Dec. 16.—Charity and public bequests for \$160,000 are listed in the will of Julius Levy, filed for probate in the Orphans Court yesterday. Mr. Levy died on Nov. 22.

The largest is \$50,000 for Johns Hopkins University. The income from one half is to be used for general purposes and from the other half for The Medical School.

The sum of \$25,000 was left to the Associated Jewish Charities of Baltimore, and the same amount to the Chizuk Emunah Congregation of Baltimore.

Bequests of \$10,000 each were made to the Baltimore Talmud Torah Society, the Baltimore Hebrew College and Teachers Training School, the Jewish Theological Seminary of New York, the Rabbi Isaac Elchanan Theological Seminary of New York and the Hebrew University in Jerusalem.

Sums of \$5,000 each are set aside for the Jewish Educational Alliance and the Jewish Home for Consumptives in Reisterstown.

Only the income of these bequests shall be used. The bequests are to be called the "Julius and Etta G. Levy Fund."

Mr. Levy was President of M. S. Levy & Sons, founded by his father.

## **POLISH ZIONISTS INVITE SIR WYNNDHAM DEEDES**

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Warsaw, Dec. 17.—Sir Wyndham Deedes, former Civil Secretary to the Palestine Administration, was invited by the Executive of the Zionist Organization of Poland to come to this country for a two weeks lecture tour.

Sir Wyndham will aid in the campaign of the Keren Hayesod.

## GROWTH OF ZIONIST MOVEMENT IN HOLLAND REPORTED

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

The Hague, Dec. 17.—The growth of the Zionist movement in the Netherlands is reported by the Federation of Dutch Zionists. An increase of 1,829 has been reported in the membership. Ninety-one Dutch Jews have registered with the Federation expressing their desire to emigrate to Palestine. Among the registered are eight farmers.

An anonymous Dutch Zionist has inscribed Queen Wilhelmina in the Golden Book of the Jewish National Fund.

## University of Chicago Introduces Courses in Jewish Studies

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the following courses have been announced; Biblical history and literature by Dr. Isadore Keyfitz; modern Hebrew, by Dr. Abraham J. Levy; methods of teaching in Jewish religious schools, by Jacob S. Golub; and Jewish folkways and institutions, and a graduate course in problems in American Jewish education by Dr. Dushkin.

Jewish communal leaders have expressed their enthusiastic appreciation of the cooperation of the University of Chicago with them in their efforts to train teachers and community workers.

Philadelphia will launch its annual Maintenance Campaign for the Federation of Jewish Charities on January 16th. The quota has been set at \$100,000. The campaign will continue for ten days unless the goal is achieved before the time limit set. This was the unanimous decision at an emergency meeting called by Albert H. Lieberman, Chairman. Because of the death of Jules E. Mastbaum, who has always been one of the guiding spirits of all local endeavor, it was at first suggested that the campaign be postponed.

Among those who attended the meeting were: Judge Horace Stern, President of the Federation, Colonel Samuel D. Lit, Mr. Jacob D. Lit, Mr. Samuel Feis, Alfred W. Fleisher and Congressman Benjamin Gold.

The Congregation Har Zion in Philadelphia will celebrate its third anniversary this evening, with a banquet in the vestry rooms of the synagogue.

Organized originally in 1922 to meet high holiday requirements of a handful of Jewish families then residing in a newly built district of the city, it has become one of the strongest congregations in Philadelphia.

The Synagogue was erected on a site contributed by Harry and Philip Publisher. The congregation now numbers two hundred members.

Rabbi Simon Greenberg is the rabbi of the Congregation. Mr. Wm. Portner will be toastmaster of the banquet. Addresses will be delivered by Judge Wm. M. Lewis, Rabbi Greenberg, Mr. Harry Cohen and others.

Arrangements for the banquet were made by a Committee headed by Dr. David I. Soltman, Chairman and Mr. Henry Laver, Treasurer. The officers of the Congregation are Harry Cohen, President; David Weber and Kain Ellis, Vice-Presidents; Harry Publisher, Treasurer; H. L. Schindler, Financial Secretary and Paul Wintrob, Recording secretary. The trustees of the Congregation are Philip Publisher, Jacob Brodsky, and David Weber. Mrs. Fred Wintrop is President of the Sisterhood.

Announcement is made of the purchase of land for a \$250,000 community center for all Jewish organizations and people of Springfield, Mass., from the Wesson Memorial Hospital Association at \$25,000. Raphael Sagalyn is president of the Jewish Community Center. Eighty thousand dollars is already pledged for the work, but of this sum \$20,000 will be used to remodel the Talmud Torah.

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## VALUE OF "JORDAN VALLEY-MEDITERRANEAN" PLAN IS DOUBTED BY AUTHORITIES

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency Mail Service)

London, Dec. 1.—In connection with the reports which have been published in the Jewish and general press concerning a plan by a French engineer, M. Imbeaux, the essential feature of which is the bringing of water from the Mediterranean Sea to the Jordan Valley utilizing the difference of levels, the Jewish Telegraphic Agency is authoritatively informed that a number of similar projects were made many years ago by a Norwegian and an English engineer and so far not one of them has materialized. All these projects remain on paper as their practical value is very much doubted when the scheme is discussed from a business point of view.

It is stated that if this scheme is carried out, the initial cost per H.P. will be extremely high and that the expenditure of £15,000,000 which such a scheme requires would be entirely out of proportion to the possibilities of revenue in Palestine and Transjordan, even in the remote future.

Besides, the question arises whether such a scheme would not conflict with the concession held now by the Palestine Electric Corporation. The Jewish Telegraphic Agency understands that any project of this nature intended for the generation and sale of energy from water power in Palestine or any other means, would infringe the rights under the existing Jordan concession, and could not, therefore, be carried out.

Eleven of the twenty-one honor students inducted into the Graduate Society of New York University Medical School are Jewish.

Irving Ocko, and Abraham Schonholtz, with an average of 91.4 per cent for two years, awarded for second highest honors and awarded the second prize by the medical society.

Under police protection, 7,500 cloak makers, locked out of contractors' shops, returned to work on Wednesday as provided in the agreement of the International Ladies' Garment Workers Union, which has assumed charge of the strike, and the contractors' association to arbitrate all differences.

Police also guarded the headquarters of the International in West Fifteenth Street, and Beethoven Hall, where a provisional strike committee, headed by Morris Sigman, President of the International, met Wednesday evening.

Police also were on guard at the offices of the "Jewish Daily Forward" in East Broadway, which on Sunday was the centre of attack by adherents of the Communist group, a charge of the strike until Monday last.

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## MISSIONARIES URGE PRAYERS FOR CONVERSION OF JEWS

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Rome, Dec. 17.—A call to the Catholic churches to hold services for the conversion of the Jews was issued by the sacerdotal association, Amici Israel. The services are to be held the first Friday of every month.

Robert M. Bernstein, attorney and communal worker of Philadelphia, was elected Chairman of the United Palestine Appeal Board of Directors of Philadelphia Wednesday night at the annual meeting of the Board. Mr. Bernstein succeeds B. T. Miller, who was Chairman since 1921.

The late Jules E. Mastbaum will be inscribed in the Golden Book, according to a decision of the Board. Since 1921 Philadelphia has raised one million dollars for Palestine and subscribers increased from one thousand to fifteen thousand. Other officers elected were B. F. Miller, Honorary Chairman; Jacob Edelstein and Sol C. Krauss, Vice Chairman; I. Rothman, Treasurer and Rabbi Max D. Klein, Secretary.

## Daily Digest of Public Opinion

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"When a big New York newspaper such as the 'Herald-Tribune' has reached a point of cruelty where it is not ashamed to invent an excuse of mercy to the thousands who will be left out above the 35,000, as an argument for not admitting the 35,000, it is indeed an indication of how deep-seated hatred to immigrants has become in America."

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