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JEWS THROUGHOUT WORLD VOICE THEIR PROTEST AGAINST ANTI-JEWISH EXCESSES PERPETRATED IN ROUMANIA 250,000 YOUNG MEN AND WOMEN AFFILIATED WITH JEWISH CULTURAL

ORGANIZATIONS. WELFARE BOARD CONVENTION HEARS HOUSE RULES COMMITTEE URGED TO SUMMON FORD TO PROVE HIS

CHARGE OF JEWISH CONTROL OF FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM Conference of American Jewish Con- | Work of Jewish Welfare Board Out- Congressman Sol Bloom

gress Protests Against Roumanian Government for Pogroms

At a conference called by the officers of the American Jewish Congress and attended by a number of Jewish members of the House of Representatives as well as by Jewish communal workers, held on Sunday, at the Hotel Pennsylvania, the Roumanian government was charged by several speakers with re-sponsibility for the recent anti-Jewish excesses in Roumania and a resolution was adopted condemning the outrages and calling upon the Jews of America to give voice to their protest at public meetings to be immediately arranged for that purpose.

In the discussion regarding the action to be taken for improving the con-dition of the Jews in Roumania, Max D. Steuer, who presided, proposed that the atrocities being committed by Roumania against the Jews and other minorities be made the subject of an address in the House of Representatives in order to call the attention of the American people to the wrongs and injustices suffered by various peoples, Jewish and non-Jewish, in Roumania.

Mr. Steuer further urged more intensive activity on the part of American Jews to aid their persecuted brethren abroad and appealed that the American Jewish Congress be given the necessary means in order to carry its important work forward.

Meetings of Protest Urged
Dr. Stephen S. Wise, President of
the American Jewish Congress, opened
the discussion by a recital of the recent occurrences in Roumania, saying that the facts in connection with the outrages upon the Roumanian Jews have been established and confirmed. He pointed out that Rabbi Zirelson, a member of the Roumanian Senate publicly condemned the pogroms, and when later, as a further protest, he resigned, the Senate accepted his resignation and voted to exclude his address from the Official Gazette. Dr. Wise proposed that a series of protest meetings should be held forthwith throughout the country. He also suggested that a conference be held in Europe next summer of representatives from all Jewish communities in order to consider the whole Jewish problem in Eastern

Europe.

lined by Judge Lehman and Other Leaders at Convention in Boston (Jewish Daily Bulletin)

Boston, Dec. 20 .- Over a quarter of a million young men and young women are affiliated with the Jewish Welfare Board, Judge Irving Lehman, president of the organization, declared at the third biennnial convention of the organization held at the Elysium Club yesterday. Three hundred delegates, representing Y. M. H. A.s, Y. W. H. A.'s, and Community Centers from every part of the country, participated in the deliberations which terminated in a banquet at the local Y. M. H. A. in the evening. Since its organization on April 6,

1917, as a welfare committee for Jewish men in the American Expeditionary Forces and in the United States Navy, and its transformation subsequent to the war into a peace-time organization for the cultural and physical guidance of Jewish young men and women, there have come under its jurisdiction 97 Y. M. H. A., Y. W. H. A., and Community Center societies owning property estimated by Judge Lehman to be worth \$15,250,000. During the next few months seven additional structures are to be erected in various parts of the country, at an estimated cost of \$1,000,000 and an equal sum is available in nine cities as a result of recent campaigns. Jewish Centers and "Ys" Enrich Ameri-

can Civic Life, Lehman Says

These magnificent structures embody beauty of design, harmony of archi-tectural form and an arrangement of facilities that meets in the fullest degree the needs of the community, adding to the enrichment of the civic life of American cities," Judge Lehman de-Iewish Welfare Board has

"The made it its task to ascertain the needs of these young people and to present them in a comprehensive and convincing manner to the responsible members of the community," Judge Lehman de-clared, adding that studies were made in fifty communities during the past five years.

One hundred and four institutions affiliated with the Jewish Welfare Board have paid executives, with several hun-Judge Julian W. Mack reviewed the dred departmental executives, includ-(Continued on Page 2) Request to Chairman Snell of Congress Rules Committee

(Iewish Daily Bulletin) Washington, D. C., Dec. 20 .- A request that the Rules Committee of the

United States Congress call Henry Ford to appear before it and to submit "the facts he claims he has" to sub-stantiate his charge that the "international Jew" controls the United States Federal Reserve System was submitted to Bertrand H. Snell, chairman of the Rules Committee, by Congressman Sol Bloom. Congressman Bloom introduced a

resolution in Congress last week urging that the House appoint a Committee of Inquiry consisting of seven members, intrusted with the task of investigating Henry Ford's charges. This resolution was referred to the Rules Committee.

In his letter Congressman Bloom asks that the Rules Committee, before making its report on the proposed resolution, invite Henry Ford to give an outline of his charges. Congressman Bloom's letter read:

"Referring to my resolution before the Committee on Rules of the House for the appointment of a select committee of seven to investigate the charge made by Henry Ford that the international Jew is in direct control of all financial centres of Government, including the Federal Reserve System.

"True, the Congress has nothing to do with any charges that Mr. Ford may bring against the Jews in general, but the Congress has everything to do with charges made in connection with the Administration of the United States Government.

Charge Involves Integrity of U. S. Congress

"Mr. Ford's assertion that the United States Federal Reserve System is under international control (which is to say, at least in part alien control) cannot be interpreted otherwise than as a charge involving the integrity of this country's Governmental financial organization. For this organization's loyalty to every American interest the Congress, as its creator, is responsible to the American people. Any question raised as to its unqualified devotion to these interests of necessity is of the most vital concern to the nation, and (Continued on Page 5)

CONFERENCE OF AMERICAN JEWISH CONGRESS CALLS FOR PUBLIC MEETINGS TO CONDEMN OUTRAGES ON JEWS IN ROUMANIA

Protest May Be Voiced in United States Congress; Meetings Held in Moscow, Kiev and Jerusalem; Police Disperse Demonstration in Jerusalem; Orders Issued to Roumanian Police Chiefs Do Not Dispel Anxiety of Jewish Population; Numerus Nullus Vittually in Effect in Bucharest University Due to Excesses; Sufficient Evidence to Bring Complaint Against Roumania to League, Anglo-Jewish Deputies Hear

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history of the American Jewish Congress, dwelling particularly on the ac-tivities of the Congress delegation, of which he was a member, in bringing about the insertion of the protective minority provisions in the post-war treaties with Poland, Roumania and other European countries. Judge Mack stated that the situation of the Jews in Roumania has now become intolerable and agreed with the suggestions for the calling of protest meetings as well as for a protest to be heard in the halls of the United States Congress.

Congresswoman Mrs. Florence P. Kahn of San Francisco and Congressman Sabath of Chicago, cautioned against taking hasty steps involving the United States Congress for the reason that the policy of Congress was not over-friendly toward interference with conditions abroad. Mr. Sabath thought that conditions in Roumania would improve shortly. Congressman Meyer Jacobstein of Rochester, while asking that all the facts be first ascertained. said: "As Jews in the American Congress it would not only be improper but harmful to make a protest against the atrocities in Roumania. We can. however, make such a protest as Americans against inhumanites."

Congressmen Promise Help

Similar sentiments were echoed by Congressman Perlman of New York. Congressman Dickstein of New York declared that he was aware of the facts, that he was prepared at the proper time to rise in Congress and point out that as long as Roumania will persist in its mistreatment of the Jews and other minorities she cannot expect the sympathy and help of America. Congressmen E. Celler of Brooklyn, as well as Congressmen-elect William W. Cohen and William I. Sirowich were also among the speakers, and promised their help. The following resolution proposed by Louis S. Posner was unanimously accepted:

"We utter a solemn protest against the persecution of our brethren in Roumania, as evidenced by the continual anti-Semitic agitation and demonstrations of animosity against the onstrations or animosity against the fews, and more recently by the assaults upon the lives and property of Jews in the cities of Kishineff, Kalrash and Bucharest. Our protest is directed against the Government of Roumania which has done nothing either to punish the perpetrators of the outrages or to suppress the hideous efforts to provoke aggression upon the Jews, or to avert the calamities which are inflicted on the Jews of Roumania.

"Roumania has deliberately repudiated the obligations which she assumed under the Treaty of 1919, guaranteeing the full enjoyment of civil, political, linguistic and religious liberty to all of

and spirit of the Treaty provisions, expressed their sympathy with the suf-voluntarily recognized by Roumania as fering Jewish population in Bessarabia. Icws of Roumania have been subjected to the most oppressive forms of discrimination. Jews of the new prov-inces are deprived of Roumanian citizenship. Jewish students are being driven out of the universities. They are denied equality before the law. Vio-lence to Jewish life has become a common occurrence in Roumannnia. "Roumania Stands Convicted Before

the Civilized World"

"Roumania stands convicted before the civilized world as an habitual wrong-doer. She violated the Treaty of 1878. The suffering, which she has caused to be inflicted upon the Jews in the years following, aroused the profound sympathy of the United States, which found expression in the historic memorandum of protest against the Roumanian Government issued by Secretary Hay in 1902. Roumania has not changed her ways. She is likewise violating the Treaty of 1919.

"The crimes committed by Roumania against her Jewish population must cease! Roumania shall not with impunity continue to defy the law of nations as well as the elementary law of civilization! We carry our appeal to the court of last resort-to the iudgment and verdict of an enlightened public opinion. To the end that the foul deeds of Roumania against the undefended Jewish residents of the land may be made known throughout our country.

"Be it hereby resolved:

1. "That the Chairman of this Conference be empowered to direct the publication and extensive distribution of a comprehensive statement setting forth the facts in connection with the ill-treatment of the Jews in Roumania;

2. "That public meetings be held forthwith in New York and other cities in order to give voice to the protest and indignation which have been aroused by the atrocities committed upon the Jews in Roumania;

3. "That the Chairman is authorized to direct an appeal to all Jewish organizations and the Jewish public at large to subscribe immediately the necessary means in order to carry the above resolutions into effect."

Meetings in Kiev, Moscow and Jerusalem Protest Against Roumanian Pogroms

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Riga, Dec. 20.-A protest demonstra-tion against the anti-Jewish excesses in Roumania took place in the city of Kiev, according to despatches received

Thousands of Jewish workingmen aslinguistic and religious liberty to all of sembled at the protest meetings. students and that they received redress her inhabitants. Contrary to the letter Sailors of the Dnieper flotilla have for the damages suffered. The Jews,

Moscow, Dec. 20.—The anti-Jewish excesses in Bessarabia were condemned at a huge mass meeting held in one of the largest halls in Moscow. The meeting was called under the joint auspices of the Bessarabian Society, the Jewish Club of Communists, and the Roumanian political refugees in Soviet Russia. J. Larin, M. Dimantstein, Esther Frumkin, Schmeral Kolaroff and Mr. Dombal, member of the Peas-International, were among the speakers who denounced the Roumanian government for persecutions against the national minorities.

A resolution protesting against the pogroms in Roumania and the Roumanian White Terror was adopted.

Jerusalem, Dec 20.-A huge anti-Roumanian manifestation was held here Friday. The police dispersed the demonstrants and arrested six. However, 300 reached the Roumanian Consulate. A delegation elected by the crowd en-tered the office and demanded to see the Consul in order to submit the protest of Palestine Jewry against the Roumanian government.

The consul, who received the delegation, stated that he regrets the pogroms and declared that the Tews who have fought for Roumania are entitled to the same rights as the other citizens. He was certain that the murderer of the Iewish student, David Falik, would be punished.

Berlin, Dec. 20.—The numerus nul-lus, demanded by Roumanian students to exclude all Jewish students from the Roumanian universities and colleges, has been practically put into effect due to the anti-Jewish excesses, according to the Roumanian newspaper "Adeverul."

The newspaper states that Jewish students at Bucharest Medical College could not attend the lectures because of the anti-Jewish excesses and, in accordance with the rule of the college that any student who is absent from ten lectures is excluded, all Jewish students were automatically excluded.

Bucharest, Dec. 20 .- All police chiefs in Roumanian towns were ordered to take strict measures against those who disturb the public order.

These orders have not dispelled the fears of the Tewish population.

It became known today that following the anti-Jewish student excesses, police officials urged the Jewish victims to sign papers that the excesses were committed by hooligans and not by

WORK OF JEWISH WELFARE BOARD OUTLINED AT THIRD BIENNIAI CONFERENCE IN BOSTON

Activities of Y. M.-Y. W. H. A.s and Jewish Community Centers Add to Enrichment of Civic Life of American Cities, Declares Judge Irving Lehman; Work of Jewish Welfare Board Regarded with Great Favor by United States Navy and Army Departments

directors, and it has stimulated interest in the training of volunteer workers. In addition to its work in this country, Judge Lehman added, the Board has furnished material to Jewish youth organizations in France, England, Pales-tine, Russia, South Africa and Cuba. The deficit of the Board, Judge Lehman reported is \$42,680.

Harry L. Glucksman, executive di-rector of the Jewish Welfare Board reported that 67 Y. M. H. A.' and Y. W. H. A.s, about one-fourth of the constituency of the Board are located in New England. "Since the inception of the work, the Board has sought to stimulate interest in Jewish cultural subjects, through its various publications and the programs arranged by the lecture and concert bureau," Mr. Glucksman stated. "During the past two years there have been arranged 966 celebrations of Jewish festivals and 427 patriotic celebrations. Religious classes are being organized in many centers to supplement the work done in religious schools. They mark the inauguration of an advanced type of ac-

however, refused to sign such papers No redress was made for the damages.

Roumanian Government Blamed by Joint Foreign Committee (Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

London, Dec. 20.-The anti-Jewish excesses in Roumania were taken up at the monthly meeting of the Board of Jewish Deputies held here yesterday. The Joint Foreign Committee of the Board of Jewish Deputies and the Anglo- Jewish Association has received no appeal from the Roumanian Jews, Lucien Wolf reported. The Foreign Committee has considered the reports of the pogroms. The Joint Foreign Committee is of the opinion that sufficient evidence exists to take that sundent evidence exists to take action and to bring the case before the League of Nations. The Roumanian government ought to be communicated with that the anti-Yewish agitation constitutes a danger of the infraction of Articles 2 and 12 of the minorities treaty, Mr. Wolf declared.

The attention of the Joint Foreign Committee has been especially engaged by the brutal murder of the Jewish student, David Falik. There is no doubt that the pogroms are due to the organized efforts of the followers of Alexander Cuza, whose inflammatory activities would not be tolerated in any civilized state. Much blame rests with the Roumanian government, owing to its failure to restrain, in accordance with Roumanian law, the criminal propaganda of Cuza. The Roumanian government has been ostentatiously to the religious needs of these men, Dr. patronizing to Cuza, Mr. Wolf de-Adler stated, reaching out to such disclared.

Jewish Center as a medium for Jewish content and its ability to communities during the Jewish holidays make the acquisition of Jewish knowl- and festivals. The development of edge attractive to the youth. The success that has attended the attempt to Army has been followed by the Board. Army has been followed by the Board. Army has been followed by the Board which conducts services in 32 places summer. Six full time and 18



TUDGE IRVING LEHMAN

Jewis!: educational institution." Over a thousand lectures and concerts for adults have been arranged by the Board since 1921, Mr. Glucksman stated.

Need to Study Synagogue Centers

The need to study the growth of Synagogue Centers, in order to determine the attitude of the Board toward them was pointed out by Mr. Glucksman, who said it would not be sound policy to regard them as sepa-rate and distinct institutions not related to the development of the community

"More than the increase of buildings, the expansion of programs, the enlargement of the employed personnel, there Jews, are the imponderable gains in an in-Joint tensified Jewish spirit," Mr. Glucksman "A reawakening of Jewish communities to their responsibilities for the training of its youth, and the unfolding to our young people of the beauty of Jewish culture, the spiritual strength of Jewish idealism, the glory of Israel's past, and the hope of its future," was Mr. Glucksman's summary of the service rendered by the Jewish Welfare Board.

The work of the Jewish Welfare Board among Jewish soldiers and sailors was the subject of a report renors was the subject of a report code deed by Dr. Cyrus Adler, president of the Jewish Theological Seminary of America and Dropsic College, Philadelphia, who is chairman of the Army and Navy Committee of the Board.

Dr. Adler said that there are approximately 5,600 Jewish men in the Ameri-can uniform and 1,000 in veterans' hospitals still suffering from injuries The received during the late war. Army and Navy Committee ministers tant points as China, Manila, Honolulu,

(Continued from Page 1) tivity in the Jewish Center program the Canal Zone and Haiti. Furloughs ing directors of women's work, educational directors and physical training Jewish Center as a medium for Jewish Juling them to go home or to nearly part-time field representatives are in the employ of the Army and Navy Com-mittee, and a host of volunteers cooperate with it.

J. W. B. Work Regarded with Favor by War and Navy Departments

During the past two years the Army and Navy Committee has dealt with 6.000 cases requiring personal services in relation to problems of ex-service claims. \$161,067 was spent by the Army and Navy Committee in connection with its work during the past two years, which, Dr. Adler stated is looked upon with great favor by the War and Navy Departments of the national govern-

Captain C. H. Dickins, chief of the Chaplains of the United States Navy, paid high tribute to the cooperation of the Army and Navy Committee toward the solution of the religious problems

of the service men.

Mr. Louis Kirstein of Boston opened the morning session with an address of

welcome on behalf of the Jewish community. Rabbi H. H. Rubenovitz delivered the invocation.

During the afternoon session Mr. Sol M. Stroock of New York reported on the recent establishment in that city of the Metropolitan League of Jewish Community Associations, in which is included 21 of the principal recreational and educational organizations in that city under Jewish auspices. These have a membership of 60,000 young people, and the cost of maintenance is about \$1,000,000 a year. The value of the property of the organizations affiliated with the League is \$4,500,000. Under its auspices there was held, in connection with the opening of the Sesquicentennial, a relay race of 114 miles between New York and Philadelphia, in which the runners carried messages to and from the Mayors of all the towns along the route. Additional building campaigns in Greater New York are in contemplation during the next two years by the League, and a survey of its recreational and cultural needs has just been completed by the

Welfare Board. Felix Fuld, merchant-philanthropist of Newark, New Jersey, who is president of that state's Federation of Y. M. H. A.s and Y. W. H. A.s, reported that the Federation's connstituency is approximately 15,000, with property holdings valued at \$2,500,000. Its summer camps accommodate 1,000 young people annually.

For New England, Albert Hurwitz of Boston, president of the Associated Y. (Continued on Page 8)

J. W. B. WORK OUTLINED AT BOSTON CONVENTION

(Continued from Page 3) M. H. A.s and Y. W. H. A.s. reported a growth in 15 years from seven ora growth in 15 years from seven or-ganizations with 600 members, to 109 organizations with a total of 20,000 dues-paying members this year. Twenty of these organizations are giving ac-

ot these organizations are giving ac-commodations to religious schools, for about 2,000 children. The Boston Y. M. H. A. has 71 boys and girls' clubs, with a total membership of 1200. Eighteen New England Y. M. H. A.s have their own buildings representing an investment of \$400,000.

Touching the Boston situation, Mr. Hurwitz said: "We feel there is something wrong if cities like Chicago, Philadelphia, St. Louis and Baltimore have buildings which cost from \$500,000 to \$1,500,000, this city with a Jewish population larger than any of these has only one building, a remodelled residence, costing only \$40,500, and a gymnasium built at a cost of \$107,000." Mr. Hurwitz declared that it was the

ambition of the members of the local Y. M. H. A. to erect a building in the center of the city, which would be adequate to the needs of Boston and a credit to the community.

Commenting on Mr. Hurwitz's re-port, Judge Lehman declared that it was the carnest desire of the Welfare Board to conduct a series of campaigns which would result in the erection of a sufficient nnunmber of nYnn22fin? sufficient number of Y. M. and Y. W. H. A. buildings to meet the needs of

H. A. Dundings to meet the Mew England.

David Weiner of Washington, D. C., president of the Middle States Federation of Y. M. and Y. W. H. A.s. reported on the recent successful completion of a campaign to raise \$500,000 in Baltimore, and described the activities of the constituent organizations in Richmond, Norfolk and Newport News, Va., and in Washington, D. C., whose \$400,000 Jewish Community Center is attracting nation-wide attention.

Mr. Joseph Hormats of Troy, N. Y., reporting on the New York Federation, told of a new \$200,000 building in Albany and a campaign for \$500,000 to be launched shortly for a new community center building in Rochester. The New York Federation has the cooperation of the State Department of Health in carrying on a series of lectures on and character-building and courses in first aid and home surgery. Its oratorical contests are a popular feature.

A resolution was adopted to appoint a committee to confer with Synagogue organizations in order to make a study of the relations between the Jewish Welfare Board and Synagogue and similar center movements. Another committee was voted to consider the establishment of a building bureau.

The convention expressed its grief over the deaths during the past year of David Sommers of St. Louis, Harry Rosensohn of Brooklyn, and Jules Mastbaum of Philadelphia, members of its executive council. It also sent felicitations to Louis Marshall of New York, who recently celebrated his seventieth birthday.

The following were elected as mem-

ISRAEL ZANGWILL LEFT \$15,000, HIS WILL DISCLOSES

Bequest to Zionist Organization If National Home Is Being Built (Tewish Telegraphic Agency)

London, Dec. 20 .- Israel Zangwill's will, published on Saturday, indicated that the novelist and playwright, who died several months ago, was under the impression that his estate would be larger than it proved to be. The estate amounted to £3,267, gross,

but he left bequests totalling more than £12,000. His will was written on a single sheet of paper torn from an exercise book, and provided £4,000 each for three children, £250 for a memorial and various gifts to relatives and iriends.

All of his literary and dramatic properties and household effects went to his wife. Any surplus up to £1,000 he directed should be left "to the Zionist Organization if, in my wife's opinion, it is building up a Jewish national home."

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without interference to publish and distribute inflammatory literature gainst the Tews.

So outrageous has been the attitude in official quarters on the question of the Czernowitz developments and the Falik murder that a number of Roumanian papers, including government organs, have lifted their voices in pro-test. Thus "Dreptatea" and "Glasul Bucovinei" have not hesitated to charge that the murder of Falik is to be laid at the doors of the Roumanian teachers who conduct a murderous anti-Jewish propaganda in the schools and that the government is doing nothing to check the activities of the Cuza gang.

pers of the Board of Trustees for a period of six years, to succeed themselves: Judge Irving Lehman, New York; Felix M. Warburg, New York; Jacob M. Loeb, Chicago; Louis E. Kirstein, Boston; Jacob L. Wiseman, Boston; Gen. Abel Davis, Chicago and Morris Wolf, Philadelphia.

bers of the Board of Trustees for a

At the banquet Sunday evening addresses were delivered by Judge Lehman, Judge Joseph M. Proskauer of New York County Supreme Court, Jacob L. Wiseman of Boston, Ex-Congressman Isaac Siegel, and Felix Fuld of Newark, N. I. Mr. Louis Marshall who was sched-

uled to speak at the banquet but who was compelled to absent himself owing to an important conference in New York, sent the following telegram:

"I know of no educational and social movement which at the present time is as deserving of the best thought of every loyal Jew and Jewess as that which is intended to develop the Jewish centres and the young men's and young women's Hebrew associations as an essential part of the American Jew-ish life. It is gratifying that through their agency a halt has been called to the indifference of our people to Judaism and all that it implies, which until recently was a serious menace to its When writing to advertisers please mention future in this country."

DANIEL FROHMAN HONORED AT ACTORS' FUND BANQUET Otto H. Kahn to Head National Fund for \$1,000,000

Daniel Frohman was feted Sunday night at the Hotel Biltmore in recognition of his forty-four years of ser-vice to the Actors' Fund of America. The dinner marked the opening of the fund's campaign for \$1,000,000 to care for the needy, aged and ill of the theatrical profession. Many of the guests paid \$1,000.44 for the dinner, the thousand dollars of which, it was announced, was to go into the organization's treasury. A portrait of Mr. Frohman, painted by I. Mortimer Block, was unveiled at

by I. Mortimer Block, was unvened at the dinner. Just before the picture was shown to the guests, an address by Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, President of Columbia University, was read by seven men prominent on the stage-John Drew, Augustus Thomas, Fred Stone, Otis Skinner, William Hodge, Walter Hampden and Frank Gillmore Otto H. Kahn has been appointed

National Chairman of the campaign, it was announced at the dinner.

HABIMA PLAYERS HONORED AT MECCA TEMPLE RECEPTION

A large audience gathered at Mecca Temple Sunday night to attend the concert and reception arranged under the auspices of the Zionist Council of Greater New York in honor of the Habima troupe. Dr. A. Rongy was chairman of the evening. Dr. Chaim Weizmann, who

was called from the audience to address the gathering, compared the Habima to the Mishkan (temporary temple of the Jews in the desert) and expressed the wish that the Habima will finally build its temple of art in Pales-

Nahum Zemach, founder and direct-or of the Habima, and Tchemerinski spoke on behalf of the Habima, bringing the greetings of Russian Jewry.

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NO DISTURBANCES OCCURRED IN KOVNO, LITHUANIAN CON-SUL GENERAL IN N. Y. STATES

New Government Issues Proclamation Welcoming Cooperation with Lithuanian Jews, Riga Report States No disturbances took place in the c'ty of Kovno during the military coup d'etat which resulted in the formation

of the new government, declared Henof the new government, accuared rear-rikas Rabinowiczis, Lithuanian Consul General in New York, in a statement based on cable advices he recaved from Kovno, which he issued to the Jewish Telegraphic Agency yesterday. This statement is a denial of the re-ports of the German Uilstein Syndicate coming via Vilna to the effect that anti-Jewish and anti-Polish excesses

took place in Kovno during the change in government. The president of the Lithuanian Republic, Dr. Grinius, resigned Sunday

morning and at a special session of the Lithuanian parliament Antanas Smetona was elected president. The Jewish Telegraphic Agency has, during the course of the day, received

a number of despatches from various European cities portraying the situation in Lithuania.

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Warsaw, Dec. 20 .- Reports of the

occurrence of anti-Jewish and anti-Polish excesses in Kovno are repeated by the Polish press of Vilna. According to these reports the military coup detat was started under the slogan: "Down with the Poles, and Bolsheviks."

The Polish Jewish newsparer "Nasz Przeglana" states that the situation of Lithuanian Jewry has become much

Warsaw, Dec. 20 .- The Jewish Telegraphic Agency correspondent wires from Kovno that the military coup from Novno that the military coup derat succeeded and that a right party government under the premiership of Professor Waldemars was formed. Many persons termed "Bolshevils" were arrested, including many Jews. A state of siege was proclaimed in the

EMIGRANT NEEDS PLANNED Three Organizations to Unite for Action (Jewish Telegraphic Agency) Berlin, Dec. 20 .- An all Jewish emigrant bank for the purpose of meeting

the needs of Jewish migrants is plan-ned by the Emigdirekt, the society to aid Jewish emigrants. The Jewish Colonization Association and the Hebrew Immigrant Aid Society of America are to lend their support to this project if negotiations now being carried on concerning this matter are successful. This was learned at the conference of the Council of the Emigdireka which opened its session here yesterday. Dr. Myron Krainin, president of the Council, submitted a report of his recent trip to the United States. B. C. Vladeck, manager of the "Jewish Daily For-ward," is among the delegates attending the conference.

In reporting on this project, Dr. Krainin stated that the agreement negotiated between the Emigdirekt and the Hias and the Ica will need the ratification of the three respective bodies and it is probable that the bank will be established the middle of Janu-

BENNY FRIEDMAN AWARDED "CHICAGO TRIBUNE" TROPHY (Jewish Daily Bulletin) Chicago, Ill., Dec. 20.-Benny Fried-

man, University of Michigan star football player, was awarded the "Chicago Tribune" trophy for being the most valuable player in the big ten conference. The vote was taken among the coaches and officials. The "Chicago Tribune" Trophy is awarded annually. The "Chicago

city. Censorship of the press was in-troduced. The anxiety prevalent among the Tewish population has sub-Riga, Dec. 20.-Despatches received here from Kovno state that the new

Lithuanian government has issued an appeal to the population, intended to pacify public opinion. The proclamation says that of all the minorities, only the Jews are a loyal

element with whom cooperation is pos-

Berlin, Dec. 20.-Antanas Smetona was elected president of the Republic of Lithuania at the session of the Lithuanian Sejm. The Jewish deputy, Robinson, participated in the session. Riga, Dec. 20.-The first issue of the

Yiddish daily of Kovno. "The Yiddische Stimme", to arrive here since the revolution in Kovno shows many

signs of the press censorship.
Reports received here state that the government is negotiating with the German and the Jewish Clubs of Deputies to gain their support. Should these negotiations succeed, the government would have a majority in the house of 44 to 41.

Paul Rosenthal, 60 years old, former prize-fighter, was found dead in his room at East Fourteenth St., New York, Sunday afternoon

ON JEWISH MATTERS

DIGEST OF PUBLIC OPINION

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

Anti-Defamation League Reviews Thirteen Years of Work The work of the Anti-Defamation League, established by the I. O. B. B.

League, established by the I. O. B. B. thirteen years ago, is lauded in the "Day" by Dr. K. Fornberg, who discusses the report issued by the League reviewing its thirteen years of activity. "As could be surmised, the report was written in an optimistic tone," Dr. Fornberg writes. "The leaders are

satisfied with the results. Yes, contrary to the prevalent opinion that anti-Semitism is growing, the authors of the report find that the work of defending the Jewish honor is no longer so urgent and important, that in various large fields of public life the treatment accorded the Jews gives no cause for protest; and that therefore the time has arrived for positive, con-structive work to implant in our Christian neighbors a better understanding and knowledge of Jews and Judaism, feeling certain that this in itself will create greater good will toward the Terre ' Analyzing the conclusions of the re-port, Dr. Fornberg points out: "It is to be seen that precisely in the spheres of politics and culture generally Ameri-

can anti-Semitism has struck no deep or lasting roots. The situation is different in respect to the economic field. The most frequent insults, the report tells us, appeared in trade publications, agricultural journals, periodicals, etc. Here the League had to fight hard and persistently. Here then we have one fundamental root of anti-Semitism, the prevalent economic. And another one, social root, combined with the first is especially conspicuous in the advertisements which too frequently ask for 'Christians only.' A law against this form of advertisement has been passed in seven states and the League is satisfied. But-no matter how optimistic the League may be with its achievements, it must be added that in actual life it is easier to detect in these fields during the last 13 years of history facts and tendencies for the worse

rather than for the better Referring to the activities of Ford and the Klan the writer emphasizes how "ungrateful the task of guarding the Jewish honor and cleansing American life of the anti-Semitic filth has been. And for its faithful work the Anti-Defamation League deserves our wholehearted gratitude," he says.

"Dearborn Independent" Lauds Pritchett Report

Dr. Pritchett's unfavorable report on Palestine has found a friendly welcome in the "Dearborn Independent." In an editorial on the subject, Ford's organ

writes: "There is nothing new for readers of the 'Dearborn Independent' in the report on Zionism made by Dr. Henry

HOUSE RULES COMMITTEE URGED TO SUMMON FORD TO PROVE HIS CHARGE JEWS CONTROL FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

Ford's Charge That the United States Federal Reserve System Is Under International Control Involves Integrity of Our Country's Governmental Financial Organization, Congressman Bloom Declares; "N. Y. Times' Gives Striking Satire on Substance of Ford's Charges; Dr. Krass Denounces Ford in Temple Address l vestigation of his broad, general, non-

(Continued from Page 1) nation's trusted representatives.
"Mr. Ford raises such a question.

More, he makes the definite charge that the United States Federal Reserve System is internationally controlled or dominated. Mr. Ford has made many charges behind a smoke screen of generalities. With them I have nothing to do. Now, however, he makes this specific, unmistakable charge 'the interspecific, unmistakable charge 'the inter-the American people's elected proxies national Jew is in direct control of all in the House of Representatives, he financial centres of government, including the United States Federal Reserve System.'

"It is immaterial that he speaks of this outside influence which, he asserts, controls the financial system of the American Government, as a Jewish in-The essential point is that he fluence. refers to it as an international influence -I repeat, at least in part, an alien influence for it cannot possibly be international and at the same time all-

American. "So grave a charge from such a

source is not to be lightly disregarded. Mr. Ford is a public man. When he speaks he has a national audience. He has been seriously mentioned for the Presidency. His fortune is placed in the neighborhood of a billion of dollars-or a dollar a minute since the dawn of the Christian era. Mr. Ford's bank balance on Dec. 15, 1926, was reputedly more than the net balance in the general fund of the United States Treasury on that date, as given by the latter's published report. Wants Evidence from Ford

"So when Mr. Ford speaks his words have more than ordinary weight with the public, his national audience. far his charge is only a charge, but Mr. Ford says he has proofs to substantiate I repeat, proofs to substantiate it.

"If he has proof that any voice but an American voice-the voice of a Jew or non-Jew-has a controlling influence in shaping the financial policies of the Government of the country which has favored him so highly, it is treason for him to withhold it.

"Possibly Mr. Ford has been right hitherto in his contention that an in-

S. Pritchett, of the Carnegie Endowment, but it is significant that a group ment, put it is significant that a group which could not possibly be labeled 'Anti-Semitic' has reached the same conclusion expressed in this magazine years ago. The project of settling lews in Palestine is fated to failure Zionism itself was but a diversion of public attention from a general Jewish world program; honest Jews visiting Palestine to see where all the contributed millions have gone have returned home frankly puzzled; the nations which were first inveigled by Jewish war support into approval of the which were first inveigled by Jewish tornal section of Sunday and the world work world was upported into approval of the Times." The writer of the world was upon the following the press. The writer of the world was upon the provided with the provided with the provided world world with the provided world world world and were the provided world world with the provided world wor covered their error, and inevitable nary description of what Ford's answers failure appears," Ford's paper declares, might be like. We read in the column:

especially to us of the Congress as the specific charges could lead nowhere. We have before us now, however, his concrete charge that the United States Federal reserve System is under international control. This charge can be proved or disproved. The only jury he could trust, Mr. Ford announced, was the American people. Very well, the Congress is the American people.
"Unless Mr. Ford can trust seven of

> cannot trust even the American people. He can trust nobody. Mr. Ford calls his Dearborn Independent the Chronicler of the Neglected Truth.' It is Mr. Ford who neglects the truth, if he has proof that the United States Federal Reserve system is under international control and refuses to lay it before the Congress.

Important Issue

"A vindication of the Tew is not my "A vindication of the jew is not my innividual or goversolution's object. My religion and are employing the my Americanism are two entirely dif-jlewish purposes? ferent matters. Not as a Jew, but as A.—I think it's an American in behalf of my constituents, non-Jewish as well as Jewish, I claim the right to know whether or not this Government-for its finances are vital to any Government -is controlled internationally. The issue is of supreme

importance.
"Mr. Ford assures us he has facts. He offers to put any investigator who calls upon him in the way of finding them. He can do better than that. It he has these facts he himself can reveal them. He owes them to his country. If he can substantiate his charge, he is entitled to the opportunity. people are equally entitled to demand

it of him. "Either the situation calls urgently for action or it should be clearly shown that so damning an accusation as Mr. Ford's against one of the most important agencies or the American Government is wholly baseless. It is preeminently a question for the Congress to determine.

"Therefore, after placing the above information before your committee, I respectfully ask that the Rules Committee invite Henry Ford to appear im-mediately before the committee to present an outline of the facts that he claims he has with references to the international control of the United States Federal Reserve system, so that the committee can decide whether or not these facts are sufficient to ask that my resolution be reported and that a committee of seven be recommended to investigate the charges in further de-

A striking satire on the substance of Ford's charges was published in the edi- Jews. torial section of Sunday's "New York

The "International Jew" Myth

Just suppose that a Congressional Committee of Inquiry into "The Dearborn Independent's" charges against the international Jew were in session and the eminent citizen whose mouthpiece that journal is understood to be should take the witness stand. Examination by counsel for the committee might very well be expected to proceed. partly and approximately, as follows: Circumstantial Evidence

O.-It is your contention, sir, that the international Jew is in control of the Federal Reserve System? A.-That's right. The way things

are going we shan't have a stick of timber standing ten years from now.

Q .- Aren't you confusing the Federal Reserve with the Forest Reserve? A.—Maybe. But if the Jews get control of the national forest it will happen just as I said.

O .- Could you designate by name any individual or group of individuals who are employing the Federal Reserve for

A .- I think it's safer not to. Don't you?

Q.-It is your contention that the in-ternational Jew is in control of all financial centres of government. evidence have you on that point?

A.-I have been told that when Secretary Mellon stopped over in New

York on his return from France he went down to the Neighborhood Playhouse and took in a performance of The Dybbuk.

Q.-Do you suggest that Secretary Mellon went in on a pass? A .- I am morally convinced he did.

O .-- I show you here the photographic reproduction of the theatrical advertising pages of several New York papers and call your attention to the fact that during Mr. Mellon's stay in New York there was another show running at the Neighborhood Playhouse.

A .- That only demonstrates the Jewish control over the press.

Q .- Does your objection to naming names extend to give us the name of the authority who supplies you with

your financial information? A .- Well, it was the same fellow who taught navigation to Roszika

Schwimmer. Teachings of History Q .- Now, it is your further belief

that the international Jew controls the revolutionary elements of the world as well as the ultra-conservative elements?

A .- Where does it say that? Q .- In the "Dearborn Independent."

A.—Then I guess I believe it. Q .- On what gounds?

A .- The lessons of history. Q .- Then you do believe in history?

A .- I believe in histories about the Jews. And let me say that on the general subject of history I have been treated very unfairly by the press.

Q.—I am sorry, sir. To remove an

"N.Y. TIMES" PUBLISHES STRIKING SATIRE ON FORD'S LATEST CHARGES (Continued from Page 5)

you mind telling us whether Arnold Bennett wrote the "Old Wives' Tale" before or after his infamous transactions with Major Andre?

tions with Major Andre?

A.—He did it shortly after his return from the North Pole with Byrd and

just before he founded the "New York Herald."

Q-Ah! Coming back to the original question, don't you think that if the

Jews are both ultra-conservatives and revolutionaries that let them pretty well out?

A.—No. On the contrary, I think it gets them coming and going.

Q.—It is your assertion, then, that Jewish influence is debauching the American theatre?

A.—That's right.
Q.—Can you cite, as an instance, one or two plays from the current Broad-

way season?
A.—I never go to New York.
don't like the process-servers there.

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Q.—Do you think that our theatre as
a whole stands higher or lower than it
did thirty years ago.
A.—I never go to the theatre.

Q.—Then your convictions with regard to Jewish influence in the theatre would be based on what?

A.—On television.

Q.—And your knowledge of Jewish control of the Federal Reserve System?
A.—Telepathy.

Q.—And with regard to Jewish control of Secretary Mellon?

A.—On the improved cathode ray.
Q.—Does personal ratiocination i

any form enter into your conclusions?

A.—Well, it's this way. I don't like the Federal Reserve and I don't like the international Jew, and putting one and one together I get what the boys on "The Dearborn Independent" think

On the Deathorn Independent of the Lorentz of the Lorentz of the International Jew represents the combined efforts of your secretarial staff and the boys on "The Independent"?

A.—That's right. You see, it's the seembling system as we practice it at Detroit. Somebody puts the skeleton framework of an international put wo not the endless belt. Another fellow with a wrench jumps forward and puts in something about Jewish finance. Another fellow has a hammer and taps in something about Jewish war-proficering. Two other fellows with sereudrivers insert Jewish ultra-conservatives and Jewish revolutionaries, respectively. When everybody is through the completed international Jew drives of under his own power and into the pages of "The Dearborn Independent." Any time you are in Detroit I should be happy to show you around the shop.

Q.—Thank you! Now what do you

consider to be some of the responsibilities of great wealth?

A.—The only proper use of great wealth is to develop mass production

by way of raising the American standard of living.

Q.—Do you regard the mass produc-

Pale" American life is appreciably raised by formenting racial and religious hatreds? A.—Same answer. Q.—Do you regard the Dec. 25 issue

Q.—Do you regard the Dec. 25 issue of The Dearborn Independent as an ideal Christmas message to the American people?

tion of hate as one of the purposes to

which wealth should be dedicated?

A.—The boys on The Independent could answer that better than I can.

Q .- Do you believe that the plane of

A.—Same answer.
Q.—One more point. You consider the international Jew to be our chief

national peril?

A.—I certainly do.

Q.—Do you regard the international Jew as a more serious menace than General Motors?

A. (After a pause)—Well, that's an idea.

"The contemptible, bitter, poisonous, unholy attack on the Jews by the Dearhorn Independent," was the subject of Rabbi Nathan Krass's address

before the congregation of Temple Emanu-El, New York, on Sunday, Dr. Krass declared that the editorial which will appear in the "Dearborn Independent" on December 25 is an indictment "unfounded, dangerous and designedly slanderous." Rubbic Krass spoke of the "villainous villactions of Fords" Dearborn Independent," and asserted the spirit of the particular editorial mentioned is utterly antagoneditorial mentioned is utterly antagon-

"When a whole race is slandered or libeled there is no legal redress, but an individual can confront his accuser before the bar of justice. In declaring that the 'International Jew' is in direct control of all financial centres of government, including the United States Federal Reserve System, the 'Dearborn Independent' has been 'indiscreetly de-

istic to the teaching of Christianity.

"If the resolution introduced in Congress to summon the Detroiter in order that he disclose the name or names of the Jewish conspirators, passes, an opportunity will be given to present in court the ranss of fiction which was published as fact in 'Dearborn Independent.'

"When one considers that the bulk of Israel in Eastern Europe is in dire straits, oppressed, persecuted, famished, poverty stricken, when one recalls that American Israel sent about \$70,000,000 to feed and clothe them, when one knows that in New York City there are over 100 Jewish elecmosynary institutions, when one realizes that the basic industries in America and elsewhere are not in the hands of Jews, when one knows that no Jew controls the Federal Reserve Banks, is it too strong to denounce the mythical presentation as a dastardly lie?" he declared.

NATHAN LAMPORT DONATES AN ADDITIONAL \$100,000 FOR AMERICAN YESHIVA COLLEGE

Friends Honor President of Yeshiva on Seventieth Birthday At a testimonial dinner given on the occasion of his seventieth birthday at

the Hotel Astor Sunday night, Nathan Lamport, President of the Yeshiva of America, announced a contribution of an additional S100.000 to the Yeshiva This brings Mr. Lamport's contributions to the Yeshiva to \$200,000.

The dinner also commemorated Mr.

Lamport's twenty-fifth anniversary as President of the Rabbi Isaac Elchanan Theological Seminary.

Samuel Levy, Chairman of the Yeshiva College Building Fund, praised Mr. Lamport for his devotion to the cause of Jewish education.

Mr. Lamport was not only responsible for the material protection that the Yeshiva would mean to Traditional Judaism but his invaluable service as President of the institution was a great spiritual blessing to the Jewish religion, it was pointed out.

Rabbi Moses S. Margolies announced that Mr. Lamport, on the occasion of his seventieth birthday, had donated his second \$100,000 to the

Yeshiva.

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Judge Otto A. Rosalsky praised Mr. Lamport for his efforts on behalf of the Yeshiva.

Mr. Lamport in acknowleding the tributes that were paid to him said: "Before I give an inheritance to my children, I feet that I must leave one for our people and our God. It is with this spirit that I have given \$200,000 to our Veshiva. I want no glory for giving expression to my great love for Iudaism. God has been good to me. I me thankful to him for what formul I have acquired. My gift and service I have acquired. My gift and service to the Yeshiva is in small proportion to my sense of duty toward our cause."

In a tribute to his father, Samuel C. Lamport said:

"Thank God, father, you have left your inheritance to the Jewish children of America. Your bequest, made while you are still fighting for our cause, is more glorious, richer and more thrilling than all the stocks and bonds you might leave to your children."

Other speakers were Rabbi Isador Goodman; Harris L. Selig. Executive Director of the Yeshiva College; David A. Brown and Dr. Bernard Revel, President of the Faculty of the Rabbi Isaac Elchanan Theological Seminary.

OUR DAILY NEWS LETTER

Toll-The Murder of the Jewish Student Falik

(By Our Czernowitz Correspondent)

Czernowitz, Dec. 8.-While cables have been arriving in this country daily telling of the triumphant tour of the Roumanian Queen in America, where she issued the assurance that the Jews were being treated in Roumania exactly as all other parts of the population, a series of events have taken place that are so startling in their frank manifestation of anti-Semitism on the part of the government that it may sound unbelievable to civilized people. These events, resulting upon the now well known Roumanian "baccalaureat" tests, a device for keeping the Jews and other minorities out of the universities, started with the developments in Czernowitz recently, which led to the ar-rest of twelve Jewish students, then to the murder of the Jewish student David Falik and have culminated in the renewed anti-Jewish excesses in a number of cities.

The trial of the twelve Jewish stu-dents who participated in the demonstration against the professors who de-liberately "flunked" them in the Czer-nowitz "baccalaureat" tests, began on Nov. 10. At the very outset it was obvious that all the forces of Roumanian anti-Semitism had gathered in the court room to war on the Jews. At the head of the Cuzist group of lawyers who came to defend the anti-Semitic professor who alleged he was beaten by the Jewish students, was none other than the notorious Lieutenent Morarescu, who last year confessed in court to the cold-blooded murder of 33 Jews on the Dniester border and was nevertheless acquitted. Morarescu hurled abuses at Dr. Allerhand, the attorney for the Jewish students. "Go to Palestine!" he shouted at one part of the court proceedings. To which Dr. Allerhand at once retorted: "Go back to the Dniester to your murderous work!" What hanpened at the end of that court session was a natural consequence of this atmosphere. As the public was leaving the courtroom, there was the sound of a shot and when the panic was over, the Jewish student, David Falik, one of the accused, was lying in a pool of of the accused, was ring in a pool of blood and over him stood the anti-Semitic student, Teteu, with a smok-ing revolver in his hand. Teteu later stated that he had come from Jassy expressly for the purpose of carrying out the murder. He was led to the act by a Cuzist pamphlet he had read.

The manner in which the police behaved was demonstrated following the death of Falik. The entire Jewish population was in mourning, black flags were displayed and stores and shops closed. Some fifty thousand persons, including representatives of the other minorities, the Germans and Ukrainians, participated in the funeral procession. The police engaged themselves in ripping down the black flags from the Jewish houses and mocking the Jews.

Roumania's "Baccalaureat" Claims Its | Even more striking and significant was the following incident. Morarescu wrote a letter to the police headquarters, declaring that if the Jewish law-yer, Dr. Allerhand, would "insult" him again, he would shoot Allerhand. In-stead of disciplining Morarescu, the police turned the letter over to Dr. Allerhand, asking him to express his attitude on the matter!

The attitude of the government in Bucharest could not have been stated any more clearly than it was by the Minister of Interior, Goga, who replied to the interpellation of Senator Rabbi Ebner. He stated that the Roumanian government was for order and equal treatment for everybody. He made no mention at all of the Falik murder but spoke of the necessity of calming the violent feelings that had been aroused in the population. To that effect he advised the Jewish leaders to use their influence with the Jews, especially in Czernowitz! Not a word about the injustices of the "baccalaureat," not a syllable about the activities of the anti-Semites, no promise of suppressing anti-Jewish excesses. Moreover, while the "Curierul Israelit," organ of the Federation of Roumanian Jews, was confiscated on the day when it carried a report of the murder of Falik, the Cuzists have all the time been allowed (Continued on Page 8)

JUDGE FISHER IS NAMED CHAIRMAN OF CHICAGO UNITED PALESTINE APPEAL Emanuel Neumann, chairman of the

executive committee of the United Palestine Appeal, announced the ac-ceptance by Judge Harry M. Fisher of the chairmanship of the Chicago cam-

Dr. Chaim Weizmann, when in-formed that Judge Fisher has undertaken the leadership of the Chicago Appeal, expressed his satisfaction in a congratulatory message in which he declared that Judge Fisher's chairmanship "presages the success of our efforts in the great city of Chicago.

The Chicago campaign is planned to open early in May. Dr. Weizmann is scheduled to visit in Chicago at the invitation of Judge Fisher.

DR. ADLER IS NAMED ON HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION COMMITTEE IN PENNA. (Jewish Daily Bulletin)

Philadelphia, Dec. 20.—Dr. Cyrus Adler, president of Dropsie College, has been appointed to the Eastern Pennsylvania Committee of the American Historical Association. The committee seeks to raise \$1,000,000. sum will be used in research for the purpose of arriving at a more accurate knowledge of history, particularly in this country. This organization will work with fifty other committeees all over the United States.

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aditor, The Jewish Daily Bulletin, 611 Broadway, New York.

Dear Sir:

I have looked over with great interest your

Index to the Jewish Daily Bulletin for 1925. It seems to me to have been samirably done, and will be unquestionably of great value not only to those who are personally interested in Jewish progress, but as a book of reference for students and editors. I congratulate you upon it.

Yours very truly

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