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EUROPEAN JEWISH LIFE LOSING ART BECAUSE OF ECONOMIC CRISIS

Many Artists Emigrating; Berlin Jewish Community Moves to Preserve Works of Jewish Art
(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Warsaw, Jan. 22.—Jewish life in Eastern Europe will soon be bereft of its art as a result of the continued economic crisis from which the Jewish intellectuals and artists are suffering most.

As a result of this condition, a great number of Jewish artists, writers and actors are emigrating to South America and Africa. A number of Jewish actors have left for Roumania.

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency Mail Service)

Berlin, Jan. 6.—The Executive Committee of the Berlin Jewish Community has decided to purchase a number of works of art by Jewish artists to add to its collection of pictures and statuary. This decision was taken on the initiative of the Jewish People's Party with a view of furthering Jewish art since the Jewish middle-class has ceased buying Jewish works of art because of the economic crisis.

A special commission was elected by the Executive Committee of the Berlin Jewish Community with Dr. Sandler as President. The Committee has already chosen a number of pictures, engravings and sculptures, some of which will be retained by the Jewish community and others distributed among
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ORDINANCE EXEMPTING JEWS OF SALONICA FROM MILITARY SERVICE VOIDED

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Salonica, Jan. 22.—An order issued by the Greek Ministry of War cancelled the previous ordinance which was in force for some time whereby Jewish citizens could free themselves from military service by paying a special tax.

The new ordinance, which goes into effect on March 8, states that no citizen will be permitted to buy themselves off from military service. The term of service in the Greek army is eighteen months.

HAKENKREUZLER ORGAN CONFISCATED FOR ATTACK

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Vienna, Jan. 22.—The newspaper, "Volkskampf," the organ of the Vienna Hakenkreuzler, was confiscated by an order of the Attorney General.

The confiscation order was issued because of the publication in the newspaper of a picture purporting to illustrate the ritual murder accusation against the Jews. In the same issue an article was published in which the Jewish race was insulted.

NEW ATTACKS ON JEWS, LED BY SEMINARY PROFESSORS, REPORTED IN ROUMANIA

Students' Poverty Named by Goga, Minister of Interior, as Excuse for Anti-Jewish Movement
(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Vienna, Jan. 22.—A recurrence of the anti-Jewish excesses is reported by the Bucharest correspondent of the "Wiener Morgenzeitung" to have taken place in Edineti.

Students of the seminary, led by their professors, attacked Jewish passersby in all the streets of the town. Many Jews were injured. Stores and homes were damaged.

"If the Roumanian government wishes to create favorable public opinion abroad through the efforts of the Jewish press, it must at least show its goodwill by attempting to counteract these excesses," the correspondent writes.

Czernowitz, Jan. 22.—An ordinance prohibiting the Jewish hospital of this city to accept Christian patients was issued by the police.

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency Mail Service)

Bucharest, Jan. 2.—Poverty was given as an excuse for the anti-Jewish excesses on the part of Roumanian students, by Octavian Goga, Minister of the Interior, in an interview granted
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HAYM SALOMON'S RELATIVES IN POLAND CLAIM \$6,500,000 FROM U. S. GOVERNMENT

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Warsaw, Jan. 22.—The descendants of the relatives of Haym Salomon, Polish Jewish emigrant who aided the American colonies during the Revolution, will present their claims to the United States government for payment of the principal and interest on the loans advanced by Salomon to the American colonies.

Persons claiming to be the descendants of Haym Salomon met in Lodz and considered the method of presenting this claim. It was estimated that it would amount to \$6,500,000.

PALESTINE TOURIST SEASON OPENS WITH ARRIVAL OF 400

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency Mail Service)

Jerusalem, Dec. 29.—The 1927 Palestine tourist season was inaugurated with the arrival of the "Empress of Scotland" which brought 400 tourists to Palestine for the Christmas holidays.

A large number of tourists are expected to arrive during the next five months. It is estimated that about 10,000, 4,000 more than last year, will come here during the season. The majority of the visitors come from America on World or Mediterranean Cruises.

JEWISH FEDERATION OF NEW YORK HOLDS ELEV- ENTH ANNUAL MEETING

Former United States Attorney General Suggests Interdenominational Community Chest

The eleventh annual meeting of the New York Federation for the Support of Jewish Philanthropic Societies was held yesterday afternoon at Temple Emanu-El. The ninety-one constituent societies and thirty thousand subscribers were represented at the meeting.

Budgetary allotments to the ninety-one affiliated institutions of the Federation for 1927 will probably be kept within the limits of last year's awards, Sol M. Strock, president of the Federation, declared in his report. The total allotment by the distribution committee for 1926 was \$4,679,067.

A plea for cooperation in philanthropic affairs by the agencies of various denominations with an inter-denominational community chest as the ultimate object, was made by former United States Attorney General George W. Wickersham, who delivered the principal address.

"Just as I long to see the government of my country united with those of other lands in making perfect the work of peace," he declared, "so I faint would see all lines of race or creed united in the great work of stimulating support of every agency established for the betterment of the condition of the poor and of suffering humanity.

"I have deep respect for the splendid record of Jewish charities," Mr. Wickersham continued, "and for that spirit of mutual helpfulness which universally is recognized in the common saying that the Jews always take care of their own poor and afflicted. It is sometimes gained toward that great balance of competition and cooperation that so many different organizations for charity
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WASHINGTON RABBI SAYS 100,000 N. Y. JEWS HAVE BE- COME CHRISTIAN SCIENTISTS

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

Washington, Jan. 22.—A controversy between Rabbi Louis J. Schwefel of the Adath Israel Congregation of this city, and Christian Scientists, has developed as a result of a recent sermon delivered by Rabbi Schwefel attacking Christian Science and Mary Baker Eddy, its founder. "The Christian Science Watchman," a national organ of the Christian Scientists, has sent out a printed circular to leading Jews of Washington, replying to Rabbi Schwefel's attack.

The "Watchman" utilizes as part of its propaganda the following statement made by Rabbi Schwefel in his sermon: "The movement of Jews to Christian Science is the greatest defection we have had in centuries. Never in the last five centuries have as many Jews
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**ECHOES OF STEIGER CASE
REVERBERATE IN POLISH
SENATE COMMISSION**

Delegation of Jewish Leaders Confers with Minister of Education on School Problems

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Warsaw, Jan. 22.—A delegation of the Club of Jewish Deputies called on Polish Minister of Education Debucki and conferred with him on the problems of the Jewish schools in the Republic.

In a press interview following the conference the Minister stated that he recognizes the full scope of the cultural demands of the Jewish population.

In the Budget Commission of the Polish Senate on Friday, Senator Ringel directed a question concerning the Steiger case to the Polish Minister of Justice. The Senator asked why Tadeusz Malina, the Lemberg District Attorney who was in charge of the Steiger investigation, had not left his position, notwithstanding the fact that his resignation was announced. The Senator also asked by the disciplinary investigation initiated against the other officials who were found responsible for falsification of the records of the investigation has not been completed.

The Minister of Justice replied that Malina himself had asked for the disciplinary investigation and for this reason he had not resigned.

The will of Lee Kohns, who died on Tuesday, leaves \$37,500 to charities and public institutions. In the event that legs to his wife and children or their descendants, who inherit the bulk of the estate, lapse, four-fifths of his estate is to be devoted to the study of cancer. The estate is worth about \$3,000,000, it was said.

The Educational Alliance inherits \$25,000, the United Hospital Fund, \$5,000, and the Beth-El Sisterhood, \$2,500. The executors of the will are given \$25,000 to distribute to charity in accordance with wishes expressed by Mr. Kohns.

The contingent interest in the estate which is to be used to fund the Lee Kohns Foundation, becomes effective only in the event that no descendants of the testator survive. In that event, one-fifth passes to Mrs. Irene Kohns Wise, a sister, and the other four-fifths is to be held in trust by the foundation to study the causes of cancer and to promote research for a cure.

**NATHAN STRAUS SAILS
FOR PALESTINE, TO ESTABLISH HEALTH CENTER**

Nathan Straus, famous philanthropist, sailed on Saturday for Palestine on the steamer Homeric. Mr. Straus will be 79 on January 31.

"I am sailing on the Homeric for a few weeks' stay in Palestine in order to establish in Jerusalem a Health and Welfare Center, to help through this institution the population of the Holy Land, regardless of race or creed," Mr. Straus stated before his departure.

"This is the first time that I undertake so long a journey unaccompanied by my wife, but Mrs. Straus is not strong enough to go on this trip, and at my age I feel that I have no right to delay the most important thing I still wish to see accomplished.

"I regard the Health and Welfare Center as one of the most essential institutions in the rebuilding of Palestine, introducing in the Holy Land the advanced American methods of sanitation and hygiene."

**SOCIAL AGENCIES UNITE FOR
IMMIGRATION PROTECTION**

Thirty-two social agencies and religious organizations interested in the protection of immigrants arriving in New York have named a special committee to study existing facilities with a view to promoting teamwork and preventing overlapping in their activities.

The committee includes Miss Virginia M. Murray, executive secretary of the Travelers' Aid Society, chairman; Thomas F. Mulholland, port director of the National Catholic Welfare Conference; Miss Florina Lasker, of the National Council of Jewish Women; Captain Fritz Nelson, of the Salvation Army, and Isaac Asofsky, of the Hebrew Sheltering and Immigration Aid Society.

New Attacks on Jews, Led by Seminary Professors, Reported in Roumania

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press representatives at his castle in Transylvania. The erection of dormitories for the students would be a means of quieting the movement, Goga declared.

"The student movement has been called into existence by the poverty prevailing among them. The students need a greater number of dormitories, and I will open hotels for them all over the country. This will solve the problem," Minister Goga declared.

As to the position of the national minorities in the country, the Minister declared that the new year will see improvements in the cultural and educational situation of the minorities.

At the annual meeting of the National Alliance Bureau, held at the office of the bureau in New York City, the following officers were elected: President, Walter H. Liebman; Vice-Presidents, James N. Rosenberg and Howard E. Reinheimer; Treasurer, Judge Proskauer; Secretary, Charles Zussner.

The following were elected to the board of directors: David M. Bressler, Fred M. Butzel, George W. Naumburg, Benjamin Tuska, Morris D. Waldman, John J. Wilberg, Horace Manges, Victor R. Kaufman, Morris M. Gold, Ralph F. Colin, Sol. M. Strock, France Tauszig and George Ernst.

**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 app.oval.—Editor.]

**Terms Weizmann-Marshall Agreement
Consummation of Herzl's Plans**

Dr. Weizmann has realized in fact the plans of Theodor Herzl—Louis Marshall has revived the noble tradition of Moses Montefiore. This view is expressed in "Dos Yiddishe Folk", official organ of the Zionist Organization of America, by Dr. S. Bernstein, editor of the paper. Stating the attitude of the American Zionists toward the Marshall-Weizmann agreement on the Jewish Agency, Dr. Bernstein, in the Jan. 21 issue, writes:

"In the light of the great event which has been realized by the Weizmann-Marshall agreement, we must pause to consider the significance of the occurrence. Like every luminous thing so, too, this document has some dark spots surrounding it. The correspondence between Dr. Weizmann and Louis Marshall which preceded the announcement of the agreement will, and justly so, evoke a feeling of criticism among some Zionists. They will with justice feel that this or that phrase in Dr. Weizmann's letter could have been given a happier turn, but the Zionists must reckon here with their political schooling and with the unassailable dignity of their 'weltschaung' in life and in struggle. The trifles must vanish in the light of the great and far-seeing moment. Phrases are insignificant and indifferent—the chief thing is the idea, the glorious distant horizon, the road to the great national achievement."

The paper then pays tribute to Dr. Weizmann's statesmanship, adding:

"Perhaps, too, it was a stroke of historic fate that it fell to Dr. Weizmann's lot to meet in his path such a wonderful Jew and unusual personality as Louis Marshall. With the conclusion of their agreement they have both become the bearers and realizers of definite historical traditions in our history. If Weizmann has been successful in converting into a living fact the political-financial plans of Dr. Herzl, Louis Marshall has revived again and renewed the tradition of Moses Montefiore. In such a spirit will the Jewish world accept the news. It is the spirit that performs wonders in the life of nations and peoples. It is the spirit that builds the future."

The "New Palestine," the official English organ of the American Zionists, writes as follows (Jan. 21 issue):

"The period of anxious waiting is over. Confidence in the plan, shaken for a time, has been restored, and Zionists the world over will rejoice that the delays and misunderstandings are now happily over, and that an era of constructive work involving the strength of all Israel has set in. The policy which the American Zionists

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ROSKALSKY APPEALS TO NON-ZIONISTS FOR SUPPORT IN NEW YORK \$2,500,000 U. P. A.

Call Is the Result of Recent Accord Between Two Forces

An appeal to all Jews of Greater New York, and particularly to non-Zionists, as a result of the recent accord effected between the two groups, was issued by Judge Otto A. Roskalsky, upon his assumption of the chairmanship of the New York \$2,500,000 drive for the United Palestine Appeal. The appeal read:

"To My Fellow Jews of Greater New York:

"In view of the important stage which the rebuilding of the Jewish National Home in Palestine has attained, and also in view of the cooperation and harmony now existing among the important groups toward the promotion of this great cause, I have felt it my duty to accept the burden of the office of Chairman of the United Palestine Appeal for Greater New York.

"The necessity and desirability of making Palestine a prosperous center of Jewish life is dictated to us by our history and traditions and by the expectations of the entire civilized world which is carefully scrutinizing the work we are doing under the opportunities afforded by the British Mandate.

"I have assumed the serious duties of leadership in the present effort to raise \$2,500,000 in the city of Greater New York for the United Palestine Appeal in the firm belief that I shall have the cordial and generous cooperation of all my fellow-Jews of our great community.

"Is it necessary for me to point out the basic and indispensable work in Palestine which depends for its continuance and extension upon the success of the United Palestine Appeal? This Appeal embraces the most important constructive agencies engaged in the varied tasks involved in the rebuilding of Palestine. It embraces first, the Keren Hayesod which promotes the colonization of the land, both agricultural and urban; which regulates and assists immigration; which maintains the Hebrew school system and which is engaged in other important activities. It embraces, further, the Keren Kayemeth, the Jewish National Fund, which is redeeming the soil of Palestine for the Jewish people. It embraces the Hadassah Medical Organization with its large and varied activities and institutions for the health and healing of the people irrespective of race or creed. It embraces, finally, the Hebrew University at Jerusalem and the Mizrahi religious institutions in Palestine. Thus, the United Palestine Appeal is a union of forces engaged in the economic, social, cultural and religious development of the land of Israel. What Jew who is alive to the necessity and opportunity I have pointed out will refrain from the most generous cooperation in behalf of the cause?"

"My present call goes out especially to those of my fellow Jews who have not identified themselves with Zionism in the organization sense of the word.

BREVITIES

William M. Benesch of Baltimore, Md., left a personal estate appraised at \$437,000 in the inventory filed in the Orphans' Court. Mr. Benesch's will contained legacies aggregating \$200,000 to four Jewish organizations. The residue of the estate was left to his widow, his son and relatives. Mr. Benesch died December 19.

Dr. A. A. Roback, experimental psychologist, is giving a radio course in the psychology of the individual. Lectures are given at Boston and Springfield, Mass., according to an announcement made by William J. Sheehan, of the division of University Extension of the Massachusetts Department of Education. The lectures are arranged by the Division.

The first of eight lectures was given Thursday, January 20. Subsequent lectures, each of half hour duration, will come on successive Thursdays at 6:30 P. M. A certificate of the Massachusetts Department of Education will be awarded to all who complete the course. Psychoanalysis, inferiority complex, the psychology of self-consciousness, humanism, and the Neurotic are among the topics to be discussed.

An accounting for the \$3,500,000 spent by the ousted Communists at the twenty-five week cloakmakers' strike, in which the workers lost in addition a full season's earnings estimated at \$30,000,000, will be demanded by Morris Sigman, President of the International Ladies' Garment Workers' Union as a result of failure of the deposed leaders to turn over to him all books, records and vouchers relating to the strike.

"In view of the startling revelations by the American Federation of Labor about hundreds of thousands of dollars paid out by the Communist sales managers without vouchers and receipts to account for," Mr. Sigman said, "our union will be particularly interested to learn what has become of the \$1,500,000 spent so lavishly by the committee of the cloak strike, in checks that were signed by Louis Hyman.

"The 130,000 workers who quit work Wednesday afternoon to take part in the huge demonstration against the union against Communist domination, graft and corruption, have given proof of their loyalty to the American Federation of Labor. They have shown they are against political unions conducted by Moscow. It would seem that half of what remains of our left wing is out on bail most of the time."

Poor children of New York are "infinitely worse off than any city abroad, than even the poorest London or Calcutta," according to August Heckscher, philanthropist, in an address he delivered at the annual meeting of the Even Goldsmith Home for Crippled Children, Inc.

While the children of New York slums were not so poor as those in foreign cities, they showed they were against political unions conducted by Moscow. It would seem that half of what remains of our left wing is out on bail most of the time."

The organized Zionists of the country have hitherto carried the brunt of the burden manfully. They have carried it at a time when the movement was only one of propaganda and education. The future historian will know how to appraise the self-sacrificing labors of the Zionist leadership and the Zionist rank and file.

"Palestine is a task not for the Zionists alone but for all Jews. And so my call goes out to all Jews and I appeal particularly to the large number of high-minded and public-spirited men and women with whom I have had the distinction and pleasure to be associated in so many undertakings for the honor and welfare of our people in this community.

"I address myself to my fellow Jews of Greater New York in the name of the sacred historic cause as well as in the name of the effective unity and harmony in the household of Israel which has now been established for its furtherance and consummation."

JEWISH FEDERATION OF NEW YORK HOLDS ELEVENTH ANNUAL MEETING

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table effort can submit themselves to the guidance, direction, restriction and often the criticism or even censure of the governing board of a federation. May the Federation long continue to be for each and all of you a source of great and justified pride."

Col. H. A. Guinzburg, treasurer of the Federation, in the annual treasurers' report, announced that for budgetary and non-budgetary funds the Federation had received \$5,130,987.81 in 1926 and had expended for the same period \$5,137,508.48. The non-budgetary items represented in this amount were \$137,284.60 in receipts and \$175,256.74 in disbursements.

The following eight trustees-at-large whose terms expired yesterday were re-elected to office: David A. Ansbacher, Mrs. Sidney C. Borg, Judge William N. Cohen, Dr. Harry G. Friedman, Percy C. Straus, Manny Straus, Sol M. Stroock and Ludwig Vogelstein. Other trustees-at-large include Walter E. Beer, Eli H. Bernheim, Col. H. A. Guinzburg, Arthur Lehman, Herman Lissner, Max D. Steuer, Cyrus L. Sulzberger, B. C. Vladeck, Maurice Wertheim, Z. D. Bernstein, Joseph L. Buttenwieser, Benjamin K. Feiner, Dr. Lee K. Frankel, Jonah J. Goldstein, I. Edwin Goldwasser, Henry F. Samstag and Felix M. Warburg.

Mr. Stroock announced that a memorial fund had been created as a tribute to Leo Sulzberger, member of the Federation board of trustees, who died on the day of the last annual meeting, January 31, 1926 and that a Leo Sulzberger Memorial Room would be set aside in the proposed Federation Building. Frederick Brown, general chairman of the Federation campaign for the last two years, is arranging for an oil portrait of Mr. Sulzberger to hang in the room. Other members of the board of trustees to whose memory Mr. Stroock paid tribute included Emil Carlebach and Lee Kohns, who died within the year.

Plans have been prepared for a new Federation building to be erected at 67 to 71 West Forty-seventh Street, the \$500,000 site being the gift of Frederick Brown. The work of demolishing the old buildings has been finished and actual construction is about to begin. Mr. Stroock announced that a special fund for the erection of the building is being raised and that in order not to delay work in the meantime, Felix M. Warburg, S. W. Straus, Eli H. Bernheim and Samuel Keller Jacobs have underwritten a further substantial sum. The new home will be a sixteen-story building and will contain central offices for the Federation as well as the administrative offices of many of its constituent agencies.

Reporting on the recent \$4,720,000 campaign for funds conducted by the Federation, Mr. Stroock congratulated Frederick Brown on the success of the drive and also cited Ira M. Younger, campaign manager for his volunteer services.

"So large a percentage of the contri-

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Contributions to the Federation represented by donations are not recurrent," explained the report, "that at the end of 1926 we found ourselves in the position of considering the budget of 1927 and again facing a deficit." Mr. Stroock recommended that continued efforts be made to increase the sums received as recurring annual subscriptions, rather than as special one-time donations. Special mention also was made of the \$50,000 gift during the year to the Federation by John D. Rockefeller, the largest amount ever donated to a local Jewish movement by a non-Jew.

Affiliated institutions were urged to defer making plans for additions to buildings or substantial alterations until the Jewish Communal Survey, undertaken by the Bureau of Jewish Social Research at the request of a non-partisan citizen's committee, completes its work. The survey, with Dr. Lee K. Frankel as chairman of the executive committee, will evaluate the work of existing agencies in the five boroughs to determine what changes and additions in institutional work need to be made.

The Junior Federation was praised by Mr. Stroock in his report for its volunteer social service program and for its campaign of education in philanthropic matters among the young men and women of the community. Special tribute was paid to the Young Women's Hebrew Association, one of the constituent agencies of the Federation, which has just completed twenty-five years of service. It also was made known that a building extension program is being considered by the Young Men's Hebrew Association of Ninety-second Street.

The growth of the Jewish community in New York from a handful in New Amsterdam days to perhaps 1,700,000 today, is described in the introduction to the book, "Fifty Years of Social Service," which comes off the presses tomorrow.

The book, which has as its sub-title, "The History of the United Hebrew Charities, now the Jewish Social Service Association," recounts the development of social service among the Jews of this city and traces communal development from year to year.

Through the first stage when the Spanish-Portuguese Jews arrived here, and the subsequent settlement by the German-Jewish group in the early nineteenth century and by the Eastern European groups a half century later, runs the story of Jewish philanthropy.

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the various institutions of the community. Included in the selection of the Committee are works by Steinhard, Julius Rosenbaum and Rahel Szalit. A special sum for the purchase of these works will be allocated in the 1927 budget of the Berlin Jewish Community.

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administration has pursued for the past four years—not always along a straight line, not always with absolute faith in its success—has been justified by this event, and it remains intact.

"The extended Jewish Agency is more than an undertaking jointly to build the Jewish National Home. It has in it a far greater purpose. It is intended to become the bridge for bringing together those who have stood aloof from the responsibility for building the Jewish National Home, and those who have carried the burden of its service, for a decade.

"We offer our congratulations, upon this achievement, not only to Dr. Weizmann, the President of the World Zionist Organization, but also to the Zionist Executive as a whole.

"It would be ungracious not to speak here of the fine service rendered to the cause of establishing understanding in the matter of the Jewish Agency by Mr. Marshall, Mr. Warburg, Judge Lehman and Col. Lehman who, in the face of a serious situation, by their tact and appreciation of the difficulties of Dr. Weizmann's position, made it possible for harmony to emerge and the Jewish Agency to be advanced a step further. The part the American Zionist Organization has played in the realization of the policy of the Jewish Agency has not been clearly understood or appreciated. From the very inception of the idea, the American Zionist administration has stood strongly and without hesitation behind the efforts of Dr. Weizmann. If at times it faltered in its confidence in the plan, it was not because it had any doubts as to the value of the principle involved in it. During the past few months, the American Zionist administration has worked hand in hand with Dr. Weizmann in order that this effort should not fail. The Zionists of America are also entitled to congratulations for having been instrumental in bringing about this rapprochement in American Jewish life, from which so much of value to the Zionist movement is anticipated."

WASHINGTON RABBI SAYS 100,000 N. Y. JEWS HAVE BECOME CHRISTIAN SCIENTISTS

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been converted to another religion of any kind as in the last twenty-five years to Christian Science. You, my dear friends, do not understand how serious this movement is. I have watched it for years; not ten thousand, not fifty thousand, but in New York somewhere over one hundred thousand Jews have become Christian Scientists."

Regarding this statement, the "Watchman" observes, "It is certainly true that the modern Jew is a progressive citizen and seeks to keep abreast of the times. Therefore, there must be sound reasons for such an astonishing situation as Rabbi Schwefel declares exists. It is not a question of the Jew accepting a new religion, but of recognizing his own relation with the lost tribes of Israel now representing the Christian Science advancing movement which has developed the plan of their original Abrahamic covenant unity to its highest standard of scientific religious efficiency."

The circular closes with an invitation to visit the Christian Science reading room and offering to send literature free.

The site for the new Staten Island Jewish Community House has been purchased.

A campaign, of which Max Levy is chairman, is now being conducted to raise the necessary \$150,000.

The Jewish Community Center will have a large auditorium, a gymnasium, a library, a swimming pool, and club and class rooms.

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