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WARSAW KEHILLAH REFUSES TO COMMEMORATE DEATH OF SPINOZA

Resolution Introduced by Member Is Voted Down 8 to 3

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Warsaw, May 5.—The Warsaw Kehillah, the Jewish communal board, officially refused to commemorate the two hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the death of Baruch Spinoza by rejecting a resolution offered yesterday.

The resolution was introduced by Noah Finkelstein, a member of the Executive, and supported by the Voelckist faction of the Kehillah members. The resolution urged that the Kehillah arrange a memorial service for Spinoza. The Kehillah voted it down by a majority of eight to three.

POLISH GOVERNMENT TO IMPROVE RELATIONS WITH ALL MINORITIES, PRESIDENT SAYS

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency Mail Service)

Warsaw, Apr. 20.—"It is our earnest intention to improve our relations with the minorities, not merely by words but in actual deeds," Professor Moscicki, President of the Polish Republic, stated in the course of his interview with Herman Bernstein.

"Our Government," the President said, "considers them all Polish citizens. All the minorities of different origin, race or creed, and all groups united among themselves by economic or cultural interests are absolutely equal, each of them contributing to the coun-

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VANDALS ROB SYNAGOGUE IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Vienna, May 5.—Unknown vandals broke into the synagogue at Freidek, Czechoslovakia, plundering the house of worship.

All gold and silver objects which were in the Ark were stolen. It was estimated that the loss amounts to 80,000 Czech Kronen.

ASSAILANT OF RUSSIAN CONSUL IN BERLIN CONVICTED

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Koenigsberg, May 5.—A sentence of five weeks' imprisonment was imposed upon Lechel, a German of Russian origin, who attacked the Russian Consul in this city, assuming that the consul was a Russian Jew. The sentence was suspended.

ANOTHER JEWISH CEMETERY DESECRATED IN GERMANY

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Berlin, May 5.—A new case of the desecration of a Jewish cemetery is reported from Bopfinger, Wuertemberg. The act was committed by sixteen year old boys.

PROPOSAL TO GIVE ITALY PALESTINE MANDATE STIRS POLITICAL CIRCLES IN ROME

Would Give Guarantees for Jewish National Home, Italian Paper States

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Rome, May 5.—Italy is prepared to assume the mandate for Palestine and Mesopotamia and in case this becomes a reality, Italy is ready to give the best guarantees for the creation of a Jewish national home in Palestine, according to comments of the Italian press today.

The comments of the press were caused by articles published in the London "Daily Mail", of which Lord Rothermere is the publisher. The suggestion that Italy be given the mandate was published in the Monday issue of the "Daily Mail" which has for years been conducting propaganda that England abandon the mandates over Palestine and Mesopotamia.

The "Messagero" observes that Italy will eventually take over the mandate and that it will give the best guarantees for the Jewish national home. Mr. Cantalupo, former Italian state secretary of the colonies, writing in the "Tribuna", states that Lord Rothermere's proposal touches the problem of the general revision of the mandate system. The "Impero" finds the proposal a just one corresponding with the historic traditions of Italy in Palestine.

The "Daily Mail's" suggestion is termed epoch-making, as it is the first recognition, even if only an unofficial one, of Italy's need to find an outlet for her surplus population and holds out some hope that this most important problem will receive proper consideration. The "Daily Mail's" suggestion acquires added importance from the fact that it is known that Lord Rothermere recently was in Italy and that during his stay, which lasted some fifteen days, he had a long meeting with Mussolini. It is supposed that during this meeting the question of mandates was raised and that Mussolini expressed Italy's willingness to assume the mandates over Palestine and Mesopotamia if the British Government should decide to relinquish them.

Official circles in Rome refuse to comment on the "Daily Mail's" suggestion, as the British Government has never given the slightest indication that it would even consider relinquishing the mandates. The general impression is, however, that if this eventually ever were to come about, Italy would be willing to accept the mandates over Palestine and Mesopotamia. It is pointed out in this connection that England has no peasant class and practically no emigration and that its mandates therefore represent a loss

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POLICE PREVENT RIOTS IN BERLIN WHEN HITLERITES HOLD MASS MEETING

Large Number of Firearms Confiscated; Thirty Arrested

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Berlin, May 5.—A huge anti-Semitic mass meeting took place here yesterday, called under the auspices of the followers of Adolph Hitler.

Three thousand Hitlerites filled the hall to listen to addresses on the subject: "Jakob Goldschmidt Is Germany's Misfortune". Representatives of the Liberal German press were ordered from the hall. The representative of the "Lokal Anzeiger" was forcibly ejected.

The meeting proceeded in tumult until 300 policemen occupied the building and made a search for weapons. They succeeded in confiscating a large number of firearms. Thirty persons were arrested.

JEWISH MANUFACTURER IN POLAND MAKES \$10,000 GIFT FOR SANITARIUM

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Bialystok, May 5.—A contribution of \$10,000 for the erection of a sanatorium for tubercular patients was made by the Jewish manufacturer Trilling of this city. The contribution was made to the Toz, the Society for the protection of the Health of the Jewish Population.

The American Jewish Joint Distribution Committee has allotted the amount of \$2,000 for the same purpose.

London, May 5.—Bernard Baron has given the amount of £1,000 for the Newspaper Press Fund and £10,000 for the Westminster Ophthalmic Hospital.

DR. KAHN GOES TO MOSCOW TO MEET FELIX WARBURG

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Berlin, May 5.—Dr. Bernard Kahn, European representative of the American Jewish Joint Distribution Committee, left for Moscow today to meet Felix M. Warburg.

Mr. Warburg, accompanied by Dr. Kahn and Dr. Joseph A. Rosen, will visit the colonies, from where they will proceed to Berlin to hold a conference on the situation of the Jewish colonists in Russia.

JEWISH LEADERS ATTEND POLISH STATE RECEPTION

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Warsaw, May 5.—The Jewish population of Poland was represented at the state reception given by President Moscicki on Constitution Day. Among the guests invited to the reception were Chaplain Mizés and Rabbi Perlmutter.

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CENTRAL CONFERENCE OF AMERICAN RABBIS WILL MEET IN JUNE

The annual session of the Central Conference of American Rabbis will be held at the Congress Hotel, Cape May, N. J., June 23rd to June 28th.

"Religious Education Day" will be observed by the conference on June 26. Dr. David Philipson of Cincinnati, Dr. Louis Mann of Chicago, Rabbi William Rosenblum of Washington and Rabbi H. G. Enelow will present papers on the subject of religious education.

Professor Moses Bittenwieser of the Hebrew Union College, of Cincinnati, will present a paper on "Israel's Prophets and Nationalism," the discussion will be led by Rabbi Barnett A. Elzas of New York City. "Is Spinozism Compatible with Judaism?" will be the subject of a paper by Rabbi Bernard Heller, of Scranton, Pa. Rabbi L. A. Mischkind, of Wilmington, Delaware, will lead the discussion.

A Round Table discussion on the subject of "The Relation of the Synagogue to Physical and Mental Healing," will be held Sunday evening at which time there will be a report of the Chairman, Rabbi Louis Witt, who has made a study of this question; a presentation from the physician's point of view by Dr. Bernard Glueck, of Washington, D. C.; and a statement by Rabbi Clifton H. Levy of New York City.

Monday afternoon, Rabbi Abram Simon, of Washington, D. C., will preside at a Round Table discussion on the subject of "The Curriculum of a Liberal Rabbinical Seminary." Discussion will be led by Rabbi Jacob Tarshish of Columbia, Ohio, and Rabbi Benjamin Friedman of Syracuse, N. Y.

Monday evening June 27th, is to be devoted to the affairs of the Alumni of the Hebrew Union College.

Rabbi Louis Wolsey, president of the Central Conference of American Rabbis, will deliver the annual message. The Conference lecture will be de-

LATE DR. KOPLIK LEFT \$25,000 FOR RESEARCH

Under the will of Dr. Henry Koplik, specialist in children's diseases and discoverer of the bacillus of whooping cough, which was filed in the Surrogates' office Wednesday, Columbia University will receive \$15,000 and Mount Sinai Hospital \$10,000. Dr. Koplik died on April 30, at the age of 69.

The Columbia bequest is to be used for the establishment of a scholarship for the study of children's diseases. The income of the \$10,000 to Mount Sinai Hospital is to be used by the social service department for the care of children whose parents cannot afford to pay the usual ward fees.

Dr. Koplik was the discoverer of an early diagnostic sign in measles since accepted by the medical profession as "Koplik's spots". He was attending physician at the Good Samaritan Dispensary and St. John's Guild and consulting pediatricist at Mount Sinai Hospital, the Hebrew Orphan Asylum, the Hospital for Deformities and the Jewish Maternity Hospital.

By the terms of the Columbia bequest the net income of the \$15,000 is "to be paid every second year to the physician under thirty years old who shall be selected by a committee appointed by the faculty of the College of Physicians and Surgeons for having shown special aptitude for original work in the investigation of the diseases of children." The recipient is to use this for the further study of said diseases, the will stipulates. The legacy was made in memory of Dr. Koplik's wife, Stephanie Koplik, and will be known as the "Koplik Children's Scholarship."

ADOLPH S. OCHS AWARDED SOCIAL SCIENCE MEDAL

Adolph S. Ochs, publisher of the New York "Times", was awarded the gold medal of the National Institute of Social Sciences for outstanding public service in the field of American journalism.

Frank B. Noyes, President of the Associated Press, presented the medal to Mr. Ochs at the annual dinner of the Institute in the Waldorf-Astoria Wednesday night. In making the presentation, Mr. Noyes said that Mr. Ochs typifies "the best in American journalism."

Mr. Ochs is sailing on the Olympic on Friday for Europe.

NEW YORK U. P. A. TO CLOSE AT DINNER MAY 10

The Greater New York United Palestine Appeal will close at a dinner on May 10, at Hotel Astor. The principal speakers will be Judge Otto A. Rosalsky, Greater New York Chairman, and Supreme Court Justice Mitchell May, Brooklyn Chairman, Judge William M. Lewis, national chairman, will be toastmaster. Morris A. Zeldin, campaign director, will render his report on the Appeal.

livered at Sabbath Services, by Dr. Israel I. Mattuck, of the Liberal Jewish Synagogue, of London.

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.]

Objects to Movement for Bringing Marranos Back to Jewish Fold

The movement in England for a fund with which to bring back to Judaism the Marranos of Portugal is criticized by the London "Jewish Chronicle", which regards the effort as unnecessary and unjustified in view of important Jewish work to be done within the Jewish fold. The "Chronicle" says, in its April 15 issue:

"An appeal is launched for £10,000, so as to resuscitate, in a small handful of Portuguese, the dying embers of a Judaism which their forebears treated none too faithfully when they observed it as a secret religion to be hidden from the sight of men. Surely there are numberless purposes to which such a sum of money might be well devoted in preference to the proposed provision for these Marrano Jews who, with their forefathers, for centuries have been to all intents and purposes dead to Judaism, and to whom Judaism, except perchance as a legendary memory, has long been dead and buried. Doubtless this appeal has its romantic side and it may prove attractive because of the glamour of history, which sheds its beams upon the objects of the collection. The fact that some of the Marranos may possibly be able to trace a high lineage for themselves will also add to the sympathy with which some minds will view the proposal that is now placed before the community. But that is not so much sentiment as sentimentality, while to others—possessed of more robust spirit—this claim for these Marranos will be repellent; for it is a religious exhumation of those from whom the spirit of Judaism has long since departed. There is living Judaism that requires sheltering and shielding, fostering and maintaining; there are children of faithful Jews by the hundreds of thousands, who need Jewish education and Jewish instruction, and calls of this kind upon us are infinitely greater than that of the moribund Judaism represented by those doubtless estimable but esoteric Portuguese."

A Step in the Right Direction

The recent creation of the Permanent Commission for Better Understanding is praised as a step in the right direction by two Virginia papers, the Granville "Register" and the Richmond "Times-Dispatch."

The "Register" observes: "Obviously the thing necessary to cast out fear and intolerance in the United States, and the hate that it breeds, is understanding. The appointment then in New York, of a Permanent Commission for Better Understanding, composed of the leading members of the three great

**SOCIAL SERVICE SCHOOL
HOLDS EXAMINATIONS
FOR FELLOWSHIPS**

The Training School for Jewish Social Work is holding competitive examinations in twenty-one cities this week for fellowships for the fifteen-month-course which is to begin July 5, 1927, at the school in New York City. The examination was open to college graduates of good standing of accredited colleges.

New York City was represented by candidates from the City College of New York, Hunter College and New York University. Applicants came from the University of Pennsylvania, University of Minnesota, Smith College, University of Nebraska, University of Wisconsin, Vassar College, University of Manitoba, Harvard, Carroll College, Wisconsin, University of Pittsburgh, University of Rochester, Radcliffe, University of Southern California, Goucher College, Syracuse, Iowa, Clark, Oregon, Michigan, Yale, McGill, California, Simmons, Johns Hopkins and Ohio.

The examinations are being conducted by accredited representatives in the cities where these institutions are situated. The admissions committee will meet May 26 to make the awards.

Contributions totalling \$17,550, including one of \$50 from Governor Smith, toward the \$1,500,000 Building Fund of the Young Men's Hebrew Association were announced Monday by Judge Joseph M. Prockauer, president of the Association. The announcement was made during the first of a series of luncheon-report-meetings which are to be held at the Hotel Biltmore headquarters of the Building Fund drive. The total of subscriptions already announced up to \$312,000.

The largest contribution announced was \$50,000 from Frederick Brown, Jerome J. Hanner, of the banking firm of Kuhn, Loeb & Co., gave \$30,000, and a similar sum was given by Arthur Lehman, of the banking firm of Lehman Brothers; \$15,000 each were reported from Simon W. Straus and Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Norman; \$10,000 from the Hoffheimer Foundation; and \$7,500 from Henry M. Toch.

faiths of America, Jewish, Protestant and Catholic, is a prodigious stride in the right direction. So representative is the commission of the best thought in America, that its combined opinion may do at least something towards moulding that unshapely thing that is American opinion, into the cast of symmetry and harmony, where American life can begin to seek for the higher objectives."

In the "Times-Dispatch" we read: "Important actual accomplishment may be looked for from this commission. If, as the American Hebrew suggests, a small body of men including Jews and Protestants in its membership had investigated the alleged oath of the Knights of Columbus and had issued a formal statement on the subject, a vast deal of good would have been accomplished. If, too, the absurd 'Protocols of the Elders of Zion' had been exposed in all their absurdity by a body of men including Catholics and Protestants, a vast deal of good would have been accomplished. These two illustrations, without the others, indicate what sort of actual accomplishment may be looked for from this distinguished commission."

PALESTINE GOVERNMENT REVIEWS TRADE DEVELOPMENT

Jewish Industries Persisted Through Depression and Economic Crisis
(Jewish Telegraphic Agency Mail Service)

Jerusalem, Apr. 12.—The total gross revenue derived from Customs Excise and Port Dues during 1926 amounted to £1,055,524 compared with £1,019,955 during 1925 states the annual report of the Department of Customs, Excise and Trade which has just been issued here.

The increase, the report says, is chiefly due to excise, duty on tobacco, import duties, fines and the sale of salt. The average monthly revenue from the Excise Tobacco collected in the form of banderoles, exceeds £100,000.

Local industries, the report states, were protected and encouraged by the exemption from customs duties of raw materials or essential adjuncts of manufacture, such as cotton yarns, silk and artificial silk, yarns and woolen and worsted yarns for the textile industry; certain hides and skins and barks for the tanneries printing and bookbinding machinery and printers' types; corks, capsules, bottles and jars for manufacturers of mineral waters and the wine trade; packing paper for oranges; empty sacks and hoops for barrels for the cement factory; copra, oil-bearing seeds and olive oil for the soap and oil industry; mother of pearls shells for the Bethlehem workers; tools and implements used in handicrafts; pipes for drainage; sulphur, raw and prepared drugs.

Goods to the value of approximately £43,000 were exempted from customs duties under Treaty rights and immunity clauses.

The export duty on all goods exported from Palestine save antiquities has been abolished. The total value of imports of merchandise for home consumption during the year was £66,429,245, compared with £7,338,491 during 1925; exports of Palestine produce amounted to £1,275,625 compared with £1,297,559 for 1925. The exports include 2,015 tons of cement to Syria; 4,047 tons of laundry soap and 26 tons of toilet soap; and 1,887,581 cases of oranges valued at £566,199.

Three thousand three hundred and five offenses against Customs and Excise Laws were detected and £9,744 was collected in fines. Five thousand five hundred and forty-nine tons of salt were sold compared with 4,794 tons during 1925.

The trade depression that set in towards the end of 1925 continued, and was most noticeable at Jaffa and Tel Aviv, where several trade failures occurred and many small industries closed down for lack of capital and credit. Economic conditions were difficult and liquid capital was scarce. Forward buyings were consequently discontinued and orders placed abroad are now restricted to immediate requirements.

Local Jewish industries have nevertheless been maintained. Over 6,000 workers are engaged in such occupations, compared with 5,000 in 1925; of industries that closed down in 1925, the largest, a chocolate and a silk factory,

FREE THINKERS CONTINUE APPEAL FROM RELIGIOUS INSTRUCTION RULING

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

Altany, May 5.—The Court of Appeals yesterday permitted John C. Mahon, counsel for Joseph Lewis, president of the Free Thinkers' Society, to continue his argument in appeal from the unanimous decision of the Appellate Division, Third Department, which held that the school authorities of White Plains were within their rights in excusing public school pupils for half an hour a week during school hours for religious instruction in outside buildings.

Mr. Mahon admitted that he had not received the customary permission to appeal for a unanimous decision of the Appellate Division, and Chief Judge Benjamin N. Cardozo announced the court would consider the question of receiving the appeal. Mr. Mahon declared he had a constitutional right to make the appeal to the highest state court. He was interrogated several times by Judge Lehman, Pound and Crane on various points he raised.

Ernest E. Cole, head of the legal department of the State Department of Education, denied that there is a constitutional question involved in Mr. Mahon's appeal. Mr. Mahon, he said, could not appeal from a unanimous decision on constitutional grounds "since the decision from which the appeal is taken is based on other grounds, and the appeal will not lie."

The regulation complained of in the case, Mr. Cole contended, did not violate any unconstitutional provision. Charles N. Tuttle, who represented the Greater New York Federation of Churches and the New York State Sunday School Association, declared that school boards had the right to dismiss students for periods of religious instruction.

Mr. Tuttle said that he was not charging the federation for his services but was giving them because of the "merits of the case." He said that at the time he was appointed United States Attorney for the Southern District of New York he obtained permission from Attorney General Sargent to appear in this case.

have reopened, and new undertakings were established, including tobacco factories, a stocking factory, and a brewery at Acre.

Three hundred and eighty tons of cigarettes were manufactured during the year, compared with 300 tons during 1925, and 27 tons of cut tobacco and 82 tons of tobacc. More than 4 tons of cigarettes were manufactured for export and 190 tons of leaf tobacco were exported.

There was a satisfactory summer tourist traffic of conducted parties.

The cost of living index number, calculated on the basis of retail price movements, fell by 17.9 per cent compared with 1922, and 1.7 per cent compared with 1925 (basis 1922). The index number of wholesale prices fell by 5 per cent as compared with 1925.

BETH-EL HESITANT TO ACCEPT AMALGAMATION

Members of the Consolidated Committees of Temple Beth-El, Seventy-sixth Street and Fifth Avenue, New York, and Temple Emanu-El, Fifth Avenue and Forty-third Street, failed to settle disputed points at their second meeting Wednesday night in the Adams House, 2 East Eighty-sixth Street. It was voted to hold a third meeting next Wednesday evening in the chapel of Temple Beth-el.

It was said that the chief obstacle was the fear of members of the Temple Beth-el congregation that its identity would be lost if merged with Temple Emanu-el, which is a much larger congregation.

More than 500 persons crowded the Essex Market Court Wednesday to attend the induction into office of Magistrate Adolph J. Frick, by Mayor Walker. Municipal Court Judge Lester Lazarus presided at the ceremony, assisted by Chief Magistrate William McAdoo.

City officials and representatives of a score of groups brought personal gifts and paid tribute to the new magistrate. A number of gifts were presented to him, including a silk robe given by City Court Justice Gustave Hartman in behalf of the Independent Order of British Abraham, a diamond studded watch from the Midian Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons, a watch chain from the Griepheer Lodge of Odd Fellows, and a traveling bag from the chapter of the Independent Order.

Among those present were District Attorney Banton, General Sessions Judges Koenig and Levine, Assistant District Attorney Weider, Supreme Court Justice Hyman, Congressmen Samuel Dickstein and William Strovich, Magistrate Brodsky and Alderman Graubard, Magistrate Gottlieb sat through the day with the new magistrate.

Jewish residents of Queens, particularly of Astoria, will cooperate actively in the campaign to raise \$1,000,000 to build a 225-bed addition to St. John's Long Island City Hospital. George H. Wilcockson, general chairman of the campaign, announced that the Jewish Center of Astoria has organized a committee to assume a share of the responsibility in the campaign, which is scheduled to open next Monday night.

Gustave W. Kohn is chairman of the Jewish Center committee. Associated with him are David Blumfeld, Bernard B. Klein, Morris Brecher, Stumend Stern, Harry Kaplan, Henry Rubinstein, Jerome Bauman, Isadore Weisberg, Edward Dangler, Dr. Phillip Schouffler, Dr. M. Weinstein and Dr. I. Berman. Rabbi Joshua Goldberg, director of the Jewish Center, is a member of the campaign committee.

Jacob Schroeder was reappointed police magistrate in Northern district of Astoria more by Governor Albert C. Ritchie. The term will continue for four years.

Daniel Ellison was reelected City Councilman from the district of Baltimore at the municipal election last Tuesday. Mr. Ellison, who is a Republican, received more votes than any of the other five candidates.

Mrs. Walter W. Kohn was reelected president of the Baltimore district of the Seaside Association, at a meeting at the Hotel Emerson. Mrs. Sydney M. Cone was chosen vice-president, and Mrs. Leon Ginsburg, treasurer.

Construction work on a \$100,000 Rodin museum to house a \$1,000,000 collection of Rodin sculptures bequeathed to Philadelphia by Jules E. Mastbaum, theatre owner and philanthropist, will be started immediately, it was announced by Mayor Kendrick after a conference with city officials. The museum will occupy a site on the Parkway at Twenty-third Street. Paul Cret and Jacques Greber, the architects, had completed the plans, the mayor said, and work would be under way in ten days.

Nelson Ruttenberg was appointed Fourth Deputy Police Commissioner by Commissioner Frick. The appointment is effective May 15. Mr. Ruttenberg succeeds to the vacancy caused by the resignation of Edward D. Kelly.

PROPOSAL TO GIVE ITALY PALESTINE MANDATE STIRS POLITICAL CIRCLES IN ROME

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owing to heavy military expenses, while Italy's emigrants are almost entirely recruited from the peasant class and Palestine and Mesopotamia, it is declared, could become useful assets if settled by Italian peasants.

In most of the press comment on the "Daily Mail's" suggestion, no opinion is expressed as to the usefulness or possibility of Italy taking over the mandates from England, but great importance is attached to it nevertheless as the most authoritative, if unofficial, recognition of "Italy's right to expand."

"L'Osservatore Romano," the official organ of the Vatican, prints the suggestion for the transfer of the mandates over Palestine and Mesopotamia verbatim. While the "Osservatore" publishes the news without adding any comment, it is felt here that the Vatican, which has never shown particular enthusiasm for the Zionist movement, would perhaps support a move to bring Palestine under the control of Catholic Italy.

New contributions amounting to \$87,600 were reported Wednesday to Judge Proskauer, president of the Young Men's Hebrew Association, by workers in its \$1,500,000 Building Fund Campaign, at a luncheon meeting at the Hotel Biltmore. This sum, in addition to \$142,000 previously raised, brought the total reported since the drive began on Monday within \$400 of the half-million dollar mark.

Two contributions of \$15,000 each were among those reported, one from David H. Schulte and the other from S. J. Bloomingdale. Ten thousand dollars each were given by Julius Goldman and Murry Guggenheim, and an anonymous contribution of \$7,500 was made through Mark Hyman.

The Convention of the Federation of Young Judea of Canada will be held in Toronto on June 25th, 26th and 27th. The Convention in Toronto will be followed by a special Western Conference, to be held in Winnipeg on July 10th, 11th and 12th. The educational program for the coming year for Canada will be considered at the Convention.

The National Association of Jewish Community Center Secretaries will hold its ninth annual conference in Atlantic City, N. J., May 31st to June 5th. Delegates from various parts of the United States are expected to attend. The headquarters will be the Ritz Carlton Hotel, where the opening session will be held. Congressman Meyer Jacobstein, of Rochester, N. Y., will deliver an address entitled "The Responsibilities of American Jewish Communities for Their Youth." The president of the association is Tobias Roth, of Rochester, N. Y.

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try's prosperity and welfare. We shall endeavor in fact and not only in words to cement and harmonize the different portions of Poland's entire population. We shall do that not by bargaining nor by offering concessions to certain elements and expecting immediate gratitude or compensation, nor shall we give advantage to one element at the expense of the others. We shall seek to strengthen and vitalize the entire population, so that each element shall live in harmony with all the others.

"The Government's policy is to treat all the groups of minorities in a straightforward and just manner which alone can stabilize and bring about healthy conditions in Poland," the president declared.

The Habima troupe which is now in Chicago, will return to New York in time for the special farewell performance being arranged before their departure from America.

The farewell performance will be given on May 15th at the Century Theatre. Among the numbers listed are three single acts from the three best plays of the repertory and a Habima concert.

Eight Jewish students are among the sixty-six new members elected to the Cornell Chapter of Sigma Xi, national honorary scientific fraternity.

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