

## LITHUANIAN GOVERNMENT DECIDES TO CURTAIL IN- FLUENCE OF MINORITIES

**Fear of Minorities' Power Actuates  
Cabinet Step**

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Kovno, May 26.—An attempt to curtail the parliamentary representation of the national minorities in the Republic of Lithuania is made by the Lithuanian government with the enactment of a new election ordinance.

In a statement issued jointly by all the members of the cabinet, the government points out that the minority representatives in parliament were too dominant a factor in the political life of the country and that it became necessary to reduce the minorities' representation from 14 to 5.

## BERDITCHEFF POLICEMEN MUST KNOW YIDDISH, IS ORDER OF "ISPOLKOM"

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Moscow, May 26.—A knowledge of Yiddish is a requirement for persons wishing to hold office in the police department in districts where the Jewish population is in the majority.

The Ispolkom, the executive committee of the Berditcheff district, issued an order that all policemen and chiefs of that district must know Yiddish. Otherwise they will be dismissed. The Jews in that district number sixty percent of the total population.

## RUTTENBERG WILL BEGIN WORK ON JORDAN IN JULY

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Jerusalem, May 26.—The machinery necessary for the commencement of the work on the Jordan, ordered in England by the Palestine Electric Corporation, is expected to arrive here in June. The work will be begun in July.

Pinchas Ruttenberg announced that 1,500 Jewish and Arab workers will be employed immediately the work starts.

## JACOB LANDAU SAILS FOR UNITED STATES

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

London, May 26.—Jacob Landau, managing director of the Jewish Telegraphic Agency, sailed yesterday on the Majestic for the United States.

Mr. Landau made an extended tour of European countries and visited Palestine.

## SIR ALFRED MOND IS TO BE MADE A PEER

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

London, May 26.—Sir Alfred Mond, one of the three commissioners of the Jewish Agency Survey Commission, will be named to the peerage.

This was disclosed today in a report published by the "Manchester Guardian."

## LEAGUE OF NATIONS UNION TO PROTEST AGAINST ROUMANIA

**Austrian Jews Name Committee to Act  
on Rumanian Situation**

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Berlin, May 26.—A strong resolution of protest, condemning the anti-Jewish excesses in Roumania, is expected to be the result of the discussion on the Jewish situation in that country, which will take place at the International conference of the Union of League of Nations Societies, which opened its sessions here yesterday.

The League of Nations Society of Palestine is represented by M. Dizengoff, former mayor of Tel Aviv. The Jewish League of Nations Society of Austria is represented by Rabbi Zevi Chajes and the Bulgarian Jewish society by Mr. Cordous. A representative of the Czechoslovakian Jewish League of Nations Society is also present.

A report of the situation in Roumania is included in the report of the general secretary of the international Union.

Vienna, May 26.—Joint action on behalf of the Jewish community in Austria will be taken in the matter of the anti-Jewish persecutions in Roumania, according to a decision of the All-Jewish Committee formed for that purpose.

The committee has adopted a resolution of protest against the anti-Jewish persecutions in Roumania. The committee also decided to call a mass meeting for the end of May with the cooperation of the League for Human Rights, the Pacifist Union and the International Organization of Christian Democratic Students.

## SAMUEL LAMPORT PLANS FOR SERIES OF MODERN HOTELS FOR PALESTINE

**Enlists Interest of Frank Goldsmith,  
Large Hotel Owner**

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Paris, May 26.—A combination for the erection in Palestine of modern hotels will be the result, it was learned here today, of negotiations conducted by Samuel C. Lamport, New York cotton merchant and prominent communal worker, who is returning from a visit to Palestine.

Mr. Lamport, who studied the project while in Palestine, has succeeded in interesting Major Frank Goldsmith, former M. P., who is a brother-in-law of James Rothschild, in the project. Major Goldsmith is the owner of the Hotel Scribe in Paris and other well known hotels in France. Major Goldsmith will come to the United States in September and will seek to enlist American capital in the enterprise. He also studied the project while in Palestine recently.

## WARBURG HONORED IN BER- LIN; HAS TEN-YEAR PLAN FOR PALESTINE AND RELIEF

**To Meet Mond, Frankel and Weiz-  
mann in Paris; Sailing June 11**

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Berlin, May 26.—A reception in honor of Felix M. Warburg, chairman of the American Jewish Joint Distribution Committee, was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Dr. Bernhard Kahn. Leaders of the German Jewish community were present.

In his address Mr. Warburg described his impressions of his trip. He termed the efforts in Palestine heroic and spoke of the wonderful progress of the Russian colonization work.

Mr. Warburg will meet Sir Alfred Mond and Dr. Lee K. Frankel in Paris on May 28. He will confer with them concerning the work of the Jewish Agency Survey Commission of which they are the three commissioners. Mr. Warburg will sail for the United States on June 11.

When interviewed by a representative of the Jewish Telegraphic Agency concerning the opinions on Palestine ascribed to him by Paul Sander in an article published in the Hungarian press, purporting to report a conversation between Mr. Warburg and Mr. Sander while they were fellow passengers on the steamer Resolute, Mr. Warburg termed this report incorrect. "I am without weapon against people who desire to write," he stated.

A cable to the "Jewish Morning Journal" from Berlin states that Mr. Warburg will meet Dr. Weizmann in Paris this Sunday. The "Morning Journal" also learns that Mr. Warburg is formulating a plan for the raising of a general fund for the next ten years which will include both the Palestine and Russian work.

## WHAT PRICE LIFE? — ANSWER: ONE KOPEK

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Moscow, May 26.—For his unwillingness to reduce the price of tobacco by one kopek, a Jewish peddler, Salman Dworkin, paid with his life.

Dworkin was found murdered in the village Dilevitch, near Dubrowna. The police found that he had been killed by a peasant of the village because the peddler declined to sell him some tobacco for one kopek less than he had asked. The peasant was arrested.

## BERLIN STOCK EXCHANGE HONORS LATE PRESIDENT

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Berlin, May 26.—Edgar Rosenthal, president of the Berlin Stock Exchange Board and prominent social worker, died here.

A memorial meeting was held by the Stock Exchange Board yesterday.

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# **ACTS OF VANDALISM IN CHICAGO JEWISH CEMETERY**

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Chicago, May 25.—Celluloid inclosed photographs placed on tombstones in the Jewish Waldheim Cemetery at Forest Park, a suburb west of Chicago, have been used as targets by boys with air rifles, it was revealed today. More than 500 pictures of the deceased have been defaced in the past two weeks. The mayor of Forest Park has called a special meeting of the council to consider steps to terminate the vandalism.

# **PRUSSIA VOTES 600,000 MARKS FOR JEWISH INSTITUTIONS**

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Berlin, May 26.—An increased subsidy for Jewish religious institutions in Prussia was voted upon by the Prussian Diet.

The bill passed by the Diet provides for the allocation of 600,000 marks annually for the religious needs of the Jewish communities.

# **PLUMER ARRIVES IN LONDON; WILL CONFER WITH AMERY**

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

London, May 26.—Field Marshal Lord Herbert C. Plumer, High Commissioner of Palestine, arrived here yesterday on his vacation.

It was announced here that the High Commissioner will confer with Col. Leopold H. Amery, British Colonial Secretary, before the latter's departure for a tour of the Dominions.

# **TO CREATE HEBREW UNIVERS- SITY SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

London, May 26.—A scholarship fund at the Hebrew University will be created by the British Jews' War Memorial Council.

The Council announced that it will raise a sum of £4000 for this purpose.

# **SIR ALFRED DAVIES REPLIES TO DR. FOSDICK'S CRITICISM**

Sir Alfred Davies, British educator who for twenty years was head of the Administration of Education in Wales, defended Zionism in answer to Dr. Harry Emerson Fosdick, pastor of the Park Avenue Baptist Church, who said that Zionism will be a failure unless its leaders in Palestine turn away from extreme nationalism.

Sir Alfred's reply was made at the annual meeting of the New York chapter of Hadassah, the Women's Zionist Organization of America, at the Hotel Chalfonte, Wednesday. Sir Alfred spent several months in the Near East recently.

"I should like to know if Dr. Fosdick includes the Valley of Esdraelon, where malaria has been stamped out; the marvelous orange groves near Jaffa, and the fertile lands in Galilee in his description of Palestine as a more unpromising looking place for modern agriculture than can be imagined.

"While Palestine cannot hope to be immune from political commotion any more than any other country can and although these tendencies are deplorable, I do not share the view in regard to the unlikelihood of agriculture being developed in Palestine unless the Zionist colonies become self-supporting. The Commission which is soon to go to Palestine to examine the economic and agricultural conditions will surely throw more light on that phase of Palestine's development than either Dr. Fosdick or I can."

Sir Alfred denied that there are racial differences between the Jews and the Arabs. The fact that some leading Arabs are learning Hebrew, he said, is significant of a friendly relation between the two peoples.

"Last month was the first time since the Balfour Declaration that the Arabs showed a willingness toward promoting municipal government in Jerusalem. Both Jews and Arabs were elected to the council. This is a most hopeful sign. There have been no Arab outbreaks since 1922. Then, too, the last British soldier has left Palestine and order today is kept by the Palestinian police. Finally, Palestine is no longer a charge on the British Exchequer; it is self-supporting.

"On what evidence does Dr. Fosdick base his statement that many Arabs are prepared for violence. There are men in all countries prepared for violence. The extremists in Palestine are not representative of public opinion in Palestine any more than highway robbers express the condition of affairs in the United States. No one who knows Palestine would endorse the statement that the Arab is on the eve of revolt. The fact is that the Arab is coming better to realize what Zionism means to his own race. If this were not true, it is strange, very strange, that the fear of the Arabs finds no expression in action on the part of the Mandatory Government. Great Britain does not withdraw soldiers when they are required.

"Dr. Fosdick mentioned the fact that there are Jewish settlers in Palestine taking up agriculture for the first time

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# **DIGEST OF PUBLIC OPINION ON JEWISH MATTERS**

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

**Brisbane Answers Fosdick**

A retort to Dr. Fosdick's criticism of Zionist work in Palestine is made by Arthur Brisbane in yesterday's "New York American". Mr. Brisbane writes:

"Jews will remind Dr. Fosdick that they were interested in agriculture many centuries before the Anglo-Saxon race had got over the habit of living on uncooked meat.

"Palestine is not the beautifully fertile land that it was 1,900 years ago, and Jews seeking to reestablish the Jewish homeland have difficult problems. They are not helped by discouraging criticism."

# **Jewish School Issue Remains, Says Canadian Paper**

The vexing problem of Jewish schools in the province of Quebec remains as it was, despite the victory of Bercovitch over Fitch in the recent elections, declares the "Western Jewish News" of Winnipeg, in its May 20th issue.

"Now that the fight is over and the smoke of battle has cleared," the paper asserts, "we can calmly review the strategy employed. One thing is certain: The issue was clear, unequivocal and specifically Jewish; the Jewish issue having been introduced by Fitch, who contested the seat as a 'Nationalist' and designated Bercovitch as an 'Assimilationist'. The terms referred not to the fact that Fitch was a leader of the Zionist Movement, and the other not; but to the circumstance that Louis Fitch had defended the principle of separate Jewish schools in Montreal, while Bercovitch sponsored the idea of maintaining the status quo, namely that the Jewish children would continue to be the 'guests' of the Protestant schools.

"This issue was not a mere issue with which to catch the Jewish vote. It was not invented for the purpose of the campaign. The public school question has been a live acute problem with the Jews of Montreal for a few years now, and still worries the thinking, conscientious Jewish masses. And while the matter rests in abeyance, pending the decision of the Privy Council (where it went, thanks to the activities of the 'assimilationists' lead by Peter Bercovitch) final solution of the vexing problem will ultimately depend on 'political action'—since it will be up to the Legislature of Quebec to give practical effect to the decision of the Privy Council."

A memorial meeting to Hermann Conheim, the late National Treasurer of the United Palestine Appeal, will be held on Thursday evening, June 2, at the Jewish Institute of Religion, 40 West 68th Street, New York. The meeting is being arranged under the auspices of the Zionist Organization of America, the United Palestine Appeal and the Keren Hayesod.

## ORT ORGANIZES \$100,000 CREDIT CORPORATION

### \$50,000 Subscribed at Conference; Speakers Praise Organization's Work; Brown Rebukes Gruenbaum

The organization of a new financial agency by the American Ort, to be known as the Ort Credit Corporation, was announced at the Ort Reconstruction Conference Dinner held Wednesday night at the Hotel Biltmore. Several hundred prominent New Yorkers, including representatives from all sections of the Jewish community, were present. Dr. Henry Moscovitz acted as toastmaster.

The Joint Distribution Committee was represented by David A. Brown, Col. Herbert H. Lehman, David Bressler and Joseph G. Hyman.

The new agency is incorporated under the laws of the State of New York with a capital of \$100,000. One half of this amount was subscribed according to announcement made at the dinner by Dr. Moscovitz. Among the subscribers to the fund are: Dr. Julius Goldman, \$5,000; Col. Herbert Lehman, \$2,500; William Lowenstein, \$5,000; S. A. Glushanok, \$2,000; Murray Levine, \$1,000; Mr. Romm, \$1,000; M. Chafkin, \$5,000; Henry Mayer, \$1,000 and L. B. Boudin, \$1,000.

The fund is being raised not as a charitable fund but as a business investment. It will be used to supply credit for the purchase of tools and implements for the European relatives of American Jews.

Among the speakers at the dinner were Judge Jacob Panken, Dr. David Lvoitch, Col. Herbert H. Lehman, David A. Brown and Louis B. Boudin.

Messages were received from many European organizations, and from prominent Americans, including one from Gov. Alfred E. Smith.

In describing the character of the fund, Louis B. Boudin declared: "What we are offering is a proposition to do a very good piece of work at a minimum of cost to yourselves that is to say by lending your money at small interest for a limited period of time."

Dr. David Lvoitch gave an outline of the situation in Europe.

Interesting data with regard to the participation of American Jews in public drives were presented by David A. Brown. Mr. Brown, in his address made a striking reply to the contention of Deputy Isaac Gruenbaum in his assertion that 1,000,000 Jews in Poland are superfluous and they must be assisted to emigrate.

"I know something about the possibilities within this country, and I think I know in a general way how far you can stretch the generous impulses of a group," Mr. Brown said. "Remember we are a limited group, approximately \$80,000,000. That is not a and with this limited group we have possibilities for any kind of an effort. We have raised since the beginning of the Joint Distribution Committee approximately \$80,000,000. That is not a very large sum of money, but it is a larger amount than has been raised by any other group of people in the history of America. During the War

when patriotism ran high and people were generous whether they wanted to be or not there was less compulsion in our campaigning efforts.

"The largest amount of money that was ever raised in America by combined organizations not by one organization, but in one touching Catholic and Protestant and Jew and every type and kind of a relief organization that was working in Europe, the large amount of money that was raised per capita was \$2.10 from 110,000,000 of people and that was an enormous effort with every agency in America working together as one, with publicity such as was unheard of before. We were able to raise \$2.10 per capita. If you figure out the amount of money that has been raised per capita from the Jews alone, stretching their generosity at times almost to the breaking point, you will see how ridiculous it is for any man to come out with the statement proposing to remove 1,000,000 Jews from Europe that would cost a conservative estimate of \$1,000,000,000," Mr. Brown said.

Col. Lehman, chairman of the Reconstruction Committee of the J. D. C. said:

"I am convinced that the Ort has done a splendid work both in cooperation with the Joint Distribution Committee and independently of it. I am perfectly convinced that there is no agency that is going to work to the betterment and happiness of the people so much and so thoroughly as intelligent, well-directed reconstruction work, just the kind of work of which you have heard and of which you so well know, carried on by the Ort.

"There was no such thing as credit for the small trader, small merchant, the small manufacturer to be found in Poland, Roumania, Lithuania, or elsewhere in Central or Eastern Europe. Through the support and encouragement of the Joint Distribution Committee and the Ort there are today I believe 450 cooperatives in Europe with a total membership in Poland alone of 173,000 members. Multiply the members by five, the average size of family, and you find that there are directly benefiting through these cooperatives alone quite exclusive of the other reconstructive efforts that have been put forth by the organizations over three-quarters of a million people, as you will see, a very large and important and substantial percentage of the total Jewish population of that country," Col. Lehman stated.

## SOVIET COURT SENTENCES MOHEL TO IMPRISONMENT

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Moscow, May 26.—A sentence of two years' imprisonment was imposed by the District Court of Volyn on a mohel for failure to observe sanitary rules in performing a circumcision operation by the mohel, Reiberg. The sentence by the Mohel, Reiberg. The midwife was sentenced to 18 months imprisonment.

## BEQUEATHES \$400,000 TO CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS

The Hospital for Joint Diseases of the City of New York is the largest public beneficiary in the will of the late Leo L. Doblin, filed yesterday in Surrogate Court. Mr. Doblin died in Gallup, N. M., May 16, at the age of 53.

An annex for the free treatment of crippled children, a dormitory and training school for nurses and a pathological department will be added to that institution as a result of Mr. Doblin's will. For a number of years he has been interested in the hospital and some time ago he donated a moving picture machine for the amusement of the patients. He leaves in trust a fund of \$10,000 for the maintenance of the machine. The bequest to the institution, outright and contingent, totals \$252,000.

Large bequests to his family and relatives revert to charity at the death of the beneficiaries.

The bequests to public institutions not mentioned above were: Montefiore Hospital for Chronic Diseases, \$5,000 outright and \$200,000 contingent; Home for Incurables, \$25,000 contingent; Beth Israel Hospital, \$15,000 contingent; Convalescents Home for Hebrew Children, Rockaway, N. Y., \$5,000 outright and \$10,000 contingent; Society for the Relief of the Destitute Blind, \$25,000 outright; Mount Sinai Hospital of the City of New York, \$10,000 for research; Home for Aged and Infirm Hebrews, \$5,000; Sixth Pythian District Foundation of New York City, \$10,000; Jewish Consumptive Relief Society, of Denver, Col., \$5,000 outright and \$5,000 contingent; Clara de Hirsch Home for Working Girls, \$2,000; Mount Nehoh Cemetery Association, of Brooklyn, \$3,000 outright; Herman Knapp Memorial Eye Hospital, \$5,000; University Hospital in Palestine, \$5,000; Seaside Home for Crippled Children, Far Rockaway, \$5,000; Federation for the Support of Jewish Philanthropic Societies, \$5,000; Michael Reese Hospital of Chicago, \$5,000; the Lebanon Hospital Association, \$5,000; the Hebrew University in Palestine, \$5,000.

## UKRAINIAN OZET OPENS SESSION IN CHARKOFF

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Charkoff, May 26.—An All-Ukrainian conference of the Ozet, the society for settling Jews on the land, was opened here yesterday.

Thirty-three delegates representing a membership of 43,000, were present. It was reported that the Ukrainian Ozet collects the amount of 33,324 roubles monthly in membership fees.

## HAKOAH SOCCER TEAM LOSES IN TORONTO

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

Toronto, May 26.—The Hakoah soccer team lost to the Toronto all-star team in a game played here yesterday. The match had been scheduled for Tuesday but had to be postponed on account of rain. The score was 3 to 2.

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## ISABELLA FREEDMAN, PHILANTHROPIST, DIES

Miss Isabella Freedman, sixty-four, philanthropist and active in nearly every branch of social welfare, died Wednesday after a long illness in her home, No. 300 Park Avenue, New York City.

One of Miss Freedman's chief interests and one which occupied much of her time and energy was the Andrew Freedman Home, at 166th Street and the Grand Concourse, the Bronx, founded by her brother the late Andrew Freedman, to provide a home for persons who had been wealthy and accustomed to luxury, but were living in penury.

She established and was associated with more than twenty welfare and religious institutions. She founded the Temple Emanu-El Sisterhood, also the Welfare Island Synagogue, Belrice House, the Widowed Mothers' Fund and Inwood House. She was connected with the Jewish Working Girls' Vacation Society, the Sisterhood of Religious Schools, and the National Council of Jewish Women.

Funeral services will be held today at Temple Emanu-El. A brother, Daniel B. Freedman, survives her.

### BREVITIES

The William M. R. French scholarship of \$1,000 for travel in Europe given annually to a student of the Chicago Art Institute was awarded to a Jewish girl, Miss Marion Gettelson, for her model of "The Prodigal Son." Thirty-two students entered the competition.

A concert of Yiddish music, with well known concert stars participating in the program, will be given at Carnegie Hall, on the evening of Decoration Day, May 30th, under the auspices of "The Prodigal Son."

The concert is being arranged for the benefit of Camp Vacamat, near Whiteport, N. Y., where each year five hundred boys and girls whose homes are in congested tenement enjoy a holiday of two weeks or more. "The Day" has maintained this camp for four years. Two thousand children are given a vacation at the camp each year.

This concert, in addition to aiding Camp Vacamat, will conclude the season of radio broadcasting of Jewish music, which has been given under the auspices of "The Day," through Station WJMA. The concluding concert will be broadcasted from Carnegie Hall.

"I am the most pro-Jewish Gentile in the world," said Mayor Walker Monday night at the monthly dinner of the Institutional Synagogue, 37 West 116th Street, New York and placed a yarmulke on his head.

"The only Jew for whom I have neither honor nor respect, is he who is ashamed of his race and religion. The Jew who is proud of his creed finds a friend in me. But I cannot countenance any religion, group or sect whose exponents are so fanatic in their beliefs that they have to hide their faces behind pillow slips."

Twenty-five public and private social agencies concerned with the problem of child welfare have organized themselves into a section of the Welfare Council of New York to pool their experiences and ideas and to correlate their efforts. It was announced by William Hudson, executive director of the Welfare Council.

Bernam J. Fagan, chief probation officer of the Children's Court, was elected chairman of the new section. The Executive Committee includes Mrs. A. A. Friedlander, of the Council Home for Jewish Girls.

Among the organization are: Brooklyn Jewish Social Service Bureau, Council Home for Jewish Girls and Teen Board of Guardians. Instead of the studio of WJMA.

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## JEWISH COMMUNAL ACTIVITIES

Norfolk, Va., raised \$5,000, over one-fourth of its quota for the United Palestine Appeal, at a banquet Sunday night. Maurice Samuel was the principal speaker. Rabbi Alex Steinbaugh was toastmaster. H. Crockin is Campaign Chairman and Mrs. Herman Barr, Chairman of the Women's Division.

Although the United Palestine Appeal campaign in Newark, N. J., will not open formally until June 7, a pre-campaign dinner held there netted approximately \$20,000 or one-fifth of the quota of \$100,000 which the city is to raise. Bernard Miller, chairman of the drive, was host, along at the dinner and Judge William M. Lewis, national chairman of the Appeal, the principal speaker. Other speakers included Philip J. Schotland, vice-chairman of the drive; Michael A. Stavitsky and Meyer S. Mintz, campaign director.

The largest contributors were Mr. and Mrs. Felix Fuld, who subscribed \$5,000. Mr. and Mrs. Michael Hollander subscribed \$3,000, and Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Miller, \$1,000; Mr. and Mrs. Louis B. Brown, \$1,000; and Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Hollander, \$1,000. Other donations varied from \$750 down to \$50.

Ground breaking ceremonies for the new building of the Jacksonville Jewish Center, Jacksonville, Fla., will take place Sunday, June 5.

Dr. Mordecai M. Kaplan of New York is expected to take part in the exercises.

Harry Finkelstein is president of the Jewish Center organization.

The first unit of the Jacksonville Jewish Center is expected to be completed and fully equipped for religious, cultural and educational activities by October 1, 1932. A second unit will be erected later for house the athletic and physical development activities.

Newport News, Va., oversubscribed its quota of \$2,000 at the banquet launching the local United Palestine Appeal drive on May 1, at which Rabbi Louis J. Scheidel of Washington was the principal speaker. Mr. Theo. Beskin is Chairman of the Newport News Campaign. Mr. Charles Reiser, Treasurer and Miss S. Schneider, Secretary.

Rosauke, Va., launched its campaign on May 22. The quota is \$3,500 for the city. Mr. N. W. Schlossberg is Chairman of the Campaign.

Norfolk, Va., inaugurated its campaign on Sunday, May 22, at a banquet at the Ghent Club, at which Maurice Samuel was the principal speaker. Over \$5,000, one-fourth of the Norfolk quota was raised at the banquet. Dr. Alex Steinbaugh was toastmaster, H. Crockin, Chairman of the Campaign Committee and Dr. J. A. Lipnick, Chairman of the Executive Committee.

The Los Angeles United Jewish Appeal for the United Jewish Campaign, the United Palestine Appeal and twelve other Jewish funds, including the Wider Scope Fund of the Independent Order B'nai B'rith, will be launched at a banquet on June 13. Henry W. Lomis, prominent Los Angeles merchant and civic worker, is chairman of the campaign.

A quota of \$225,000 will be sought.

The Congregation Kesser Maariv, Chicago, has purchased a site on the north side of Chicago upon which the construction of a \$150,000 temple will be started. The building will have an auditorium seating 1,500 and a school.

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in their lives. What of it? So also did many men take up soldiering for the first time in their lives and many women relief work during the late war. I have yet to learn that the word 'failure' is written across their efforts.

"This can be said of those that are going to Palestine, that they are fired by a great and noble ideal, that they prefer comparative poverty in Palestine to the flesh pots and riches in modern Babylons, like London, New York or other world capitals. The back to the land movement is not unique in Palestine; it is also true of Russia, for instance. It is getting back to a more rational mode of living, he said.

The Zionists, he said, are engaged in a noble, holy work.

Mrs. Israel Goldstein, president of the New York chapter, was reelected for another term. Other officers elected were Mrs. Jacob Schwarz and Mrs. Mathilda Radin, vice-presidents; Mrs. Eva Marcus, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Joseph Newman, recording secretary, and Mrs. Harry Plattoff, treasurer.

Aaron Sapiro will make his first address in New York since his \$100,000 libel suit against Ford was declared a mistrial when he will occupy the pulpit tonight in Union Temple, Eastern Parkway and Prospect Park, Brooklyn.

Mr. Sapiro will talk under the auspices of the Men's Club of Union Temple. The subject of his address will be, "The Secret of Cooperation."

The lecture will follow the regular services at the temple beginning at 8:15 p.m. A reception to Mr. Sapiro in the ballroom of the Temple will be given after the address. Aaron L. Jacoby, president of the Men's Club of Union Temple, will preside at the reception.

Jewish Book Week was observed at Temple Emanu-El, New York, of which Dr. Herman Lissauer is Rabbi, during the week of May 20th-26th. It was inaugurated by a special service on Friday evening, with a review of the Jewish Publication Society's "History of the Jews," recently issued. An exhibit of Jewish books and pictures was held in the library of the Temple.

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