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## THREE AUTONOMOUS JEWISH REGIONS TO BE ESTABLISHED IN UKRAINE

**Ozet to Facilitate Visits of Representatives from Abroad**  
(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Moscow, July 26.—The establishment of three Jewish autonomous regions is part of the program of the Department of National Minorities, for the year 1928. The regions will be established in the districts of Krivoyrog, Zaporozje and Mariupol, where Jewish colonization efforts are concentrated.

The Executive Board of the Ozet, the Society for the Establishment of Jews on Land, has decided to facilitate the visits of representatives of organizations and other individuals from abroad, who are anxious to inspect the Jewish colonies. Numerous applications for this purpose have been received by the Ozet.

## ANTI-SEMITIC PAPER WANTS METRO-GOLDWYN REPRE- SENTATIVE BE DEPORTED

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Berlin, July 26.—The deportation of the representative of the Metro-Goldwyn Films in Germany is demanded in the last issue of "Der Hammer."

Ernst Lubitsch, who, according to the paper, came to Germany in order to produce the well-known play "Old Heidelberg" by Meyer-Forster at an expense of four and a half million marks did not acquire for the company the rights of production from the author of the play, the paper charges.

The anti-Semitic periodical accuses the company of having in the past produced anti-German films and asks that it be prevented from carrying out other productions in Germany.

## TWO HUNDRED NEWSPAPERS WILL BE REPRESENTED AT TRIAL OF SCHWARTZBARD

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Paris, July 26.—M. Flory has been appointed president of the Schwartzbard trial, while M. Reingaud will act as public prosecutor.

The trial will open on October 18th. More than 100 witnesses will be called by both sides. Schwartzbard's lawyer, M. Torres, expects the trial to last eight days.

Great interest in the trial has been manifested. Over 200 newspapers, from every part of the world, have requested that seats be reserved for their correspondents.

## 353,000 JEWS NOW LIVING IN 609 UKRAINIAN VILLAGES

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Kief, July 26.—Three hundred and fifty-three thousand Jews are now living in the villages of Ukraine, according to the results of the last census.  
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## EARTHQUAKE SHOCK CAUSES PANIC IN JAFFA AND HEBRON

**One Hundred Seventy-five Houses in Jerusalem Affected by Shock**  
(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Jerusalem, July 26.—The new earthquake shock, reported yesterday to have been felt slightly in Jerusalem, Jericho and Bethlehem, was also felt in the cities of Jaffa and Hebron, where it caused a panic among the population, the correspondent of the Jewish Telegraphic Agency learns.

The shocks, which have, since July 11th, been following in rapid succession, have created considerable uneasiness among the people. The newspapers are trying to calm the population asserting that yesterday's shock was a natural vibration following in the wake of the first shock.

Arab newspapers are giving expression to their satisfaction at the various actions for relief which have been undertaken by the Zionists in Europe and in the United States. "While our own appeals to organizations and individuals have remained unanswered, the Jews are coming to our rescue," one paper says, pointing to the gift of \$25,000 which has been cabled by the New York Jewish philanthropist, Nathan Straus.

An official inspection by the municipality of Jerusalem shows that 175 houses have been seriously affected by the shock of July 11th.

## \$8,500 COLLECTED IN ENG- LAND FOR PALESTINE EARTHQUAKE VICTIMS

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

London, July 26.—The Board of Jewish Deputies of the Anglo-Jewish Association has already collected £1,700 for the victims of the Palestine earthquake.

Bernhard Baron heads the list of contributors with the sum of £500. The firm of Rothschild contributed £250 and the Bearsted firm, £250. The Anglo-Jewish Association and the Economic Board of Palestine each subscribed £100.

## DISCOVERS TWO WALLS BELONGING TO AKRA

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Jerusalem, July 26.—Continuing his excavations on Mount Ophel, Prof. Crowfoot has discovered, forty feet beneath the surface, on rock level, two walls.

These walls, which are 22 feet thick, are believed by Prof. Crowfoot to have been part of the entrance to the Fortress of Akra, which was built by King Antiochus Epiphanes for the Syrian garrison, 168 B. C., which is mentioned in the first book of the Maccabees.

## POPE WILL ISSUE ENZYKLIKA DEALING WITH JEWISH QUES- TION, ANNOUNCEMENT SAYS

**German Leader of "Friends of Israel" Society Makes Statement**  
(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Berlin, July 26.—An encyklika will be issued by the Pope, on the Jewish question according to the announcement of Kaplan Koeler, the German representative of the Society Friends of Israel in Rome.

The encyklika will be issued by the Pope as soon as the movement of the Society has gained force.

The Society "Friends of Israel" (Amici d'Israeli), was founded in Rome for the purpose of developing within the Catholic world a friendly attitude towards the Jews, and to arouse the sympathies of the Jewish people. A number of prominent Catholic prelates, among them Monsignors Pisani and Cariador, have joined the society, which is regarded with favor by several influential cardinals. The initiative for the formation of the society was taken by its General Secretary, Mgr. Dr. Van Asseldonk, the head of the Dutch religious order.

## KING FERDINAND MAKES BEQUEST TO JEWISH SCHOOLS IN LAST WILL

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Bucharest, July 26.—A bequest to Jewish schools is included in the last will of the deceased King Ferdinand. This action has deeply impressed the Jewish public. The Jewish newspapers, in their comments, praise the late King for his generosity.

At today's session of Parliament the representatives of the Jewish, German and Hungarian minorities solemnly declared their unconditional loyalty to young King Mihai.

"Our great protector died," says a manifesto issued by the Board of the Jewish Community of Bucharest. "He was the first," the manifesto continues, "who recognized the sacrifices on the battlefield made by the Jewish citizens. He was anxious to satisfy our striving for equal rights. It was from him that we heard in difficult times. It was his words of justice which brought us comfort in the hours of  
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## JEWS MOURN CARDINAL CZERNOCH'S DEATH

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Budapest, July 26.—Following the death of Cardinal Czernoch, the Primate of Hungary, a number of Jewish homes have hung out black flags as a symbol of mourning. Special memorial services have been held in many synagogues throughout the country.

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## EMANUEL NEUMANN RESIGNS CHAIRMANSHIP OF U. P. A.

Emanuel Neumann, Executive Chairman of the United Palestine Appeal, resigned from his position, the "Jewish Daily Bulletin" learns.

The resignation of Mr. Neumann from the United Palestine Appeal was submitted at the last meeting of the Board of Directors of the Appeal, and was accepted with regret. The resignation followed Mr. Neumann's resignation from the Administrative Committee of the Zionist Organization of America in May, submitted prior to the holding of the annual Zionist convention in Atlantic City, where an oppositional group attacked the Lipsky administration and called forth wide discussion which led to the changes in the Zionist administration.

Mr. Neumann was one of the pioneer workers of the Keren Hayesod in the United States, having joined this organization as its secretary when it was established in 1921, following the breach at the Cleveland Zionist convention. In the past two years Mr. Neumann occupied the leading position in the national administration of the Keren Hayesod as a volunteer worker.

In accepting the resignation, the Executive Committee of the United Palestine Appeal passed a resolution expressing the appreciation of the Committee for the services of Mr. Neumann.

Judge William M. Lewis, National Chairman of the United Palestine Appeal, has issued a statement with regard to the resignation of Mr. Neumann in which he pays tribute to his services.

General Frank T. Hines, director of the United States Veterans' Bureau, advises the Jewish Welfare Board as follows:

"The Campaign of Education as to Government Insurance rights so well conducted by the Jewish Welfare Board and others, interested in the welfare of the veterans, which terminated on July 2, 1927, has been successful."

## JEWISH RECORD OF JEWISH CANDIDATES MUST BE UN- QUESTIONABLE, PAPER SAYS

Denounces Candidates Who Are Jews  
at Election Time in Order to  
Obtain Votes

In the political circles of the Democratic as well as the Republican Party, a great deal of activity can be noticed in connection with the various appointments of judges in the elections which will take place in November, writes the "Day."

While there are as yet three months before elections, a number of candidates have already organized their committees, who try to influence Judge Olvany and Samuel Koenig with regard to their choice of candidates for the Supreme Court, City Court, Court of General Sessions and the Municipal courts. Although there is only one vacancy in the Supreme Court, the applicants are innumerable. Among those seeking the Supreme Court judgeship, over 100 are Jewish candidates.

A well-known leader of the Democratic Party told a reporter of the "Day" that there is hardly a well-known Jewish lawyer who does not consider himself a Jewish leader and entitled to an appointment. "In our own circle," he said, "we do not have to suffer from such applicants. We know where each man stands in political life, and we cannot be deceived. But as soon as the question of Jewish candidates arises, we are often seriously embarrassed. We do not know how to decide. Each one brings a list of signatures of rabbis and other Jews and declares that he is a leader of Jewry."

The most important candidates for Supreme Court judgeship are, according to the paper, Mr. Irwin Untermyer, Jonah J. Goldstein, Carl Sherman Jacob Benjamin Schreiber, Assemblyman Maurice Block, Gustavus A. Rogers, Judge Louis B. Brodsky, and others.

"It is time," says the paper editorially, "to say a word with regard to this subject. In principle, neither geography nor religion should play any part in politics. The ability of the candidate in question should be the only criterion, and no mention should be made of his origin, religion or domicile. It is a fact however, that the politicians, who are all practical men, do pay regard to geographical lines and the religious affiliations of the political candidates."

"If, for example, the presidential candidate has been nominated by the East, the vice-president is chosen from the West. If the governor is nominated by the City of New York, the lieutenant-governor is chosen from up-state."

## JEWISH DAILY "FORWARD" PLACES WREATH ON GRAVE OF VIENNA RIOT VICTIMS

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Vienna, July 26.—A wreath was deposited today on the grave of the victims of the recent riots which occurred in Vienna, by Jacob Leshchinsky, correspondent of the Jewish Daily "Forward" of New York, and well-known Jewish writer and statistician.

If the mayor is from Manhattan, the comptroller is from Brooklyn and the president of the Board of Aldermen from the Bronx. Just as election lists are balanced geographically, so are they also balanced according to the origin and the religion of the candidate.

"If a Catholic runs for the governorship, there is usually a Protestant for the lieutenant-governorship, and a Jew for the office of attorney general. It is a well-known fact that of the three candidates which the Democratic Party nominated last year for the Supreme Court, one was a Catholic, one a Protestant and one a Jew."

"It is therefore of great importance to the Jewish community that if a candidate is nominated as a 'Jewish candidate' he should be not merely a Jew in name, but actually our representative. Such a candidate should not only have a general record as a citizen and jurist, but also a Jewish record as a Jewish communal worker. Because the Jewish candidate is considered by the outside world as a symbol of Judaism, he should be a recognized Jewish leader. Only too often are such Jews, occupying high positions, merely election Jews, that is, Jews who declare themselves as such only at the time of elections in order to secure votes. It is therefore important from the Jewish viewpoint that Jewish candidates should not be men with Jewish names only. It is vital that the following questions be asked of the Jewish candidate: Is he a Jewish communal worker? Has he participated in or worked for the Federation of Jewish charities and other philanthropic institutions? What has he done for Jewish education in order to maintain Judaism in the United States? Does he belong to any of the large Jewish organizations? What has he done for the suffering Jews on the other side of the ocean? Is he connected with the great historical enterprise of rebuilding the Jewish national home in Palestine?"

"It is the duty of the leaders of the two great political parties and of our own Jewish communal workers to take care that the candidates who are elected because of their Jewishness be Jews not only in name, but should incorporate the best qualities of the Jewish people."

## 6,554 HOMELESS WERE SHELTERED BY HIAS

The Hebrew Sheltering and Immigrant Aid Society of America (Hias) has sheltered 6,554 wayfarers and homeless persons during the past year, and served them with 32,262 meals, according to a report made public today.

The Hachnosos Orchim, or the Shelter Department of Hias, the report states, is the only institution of this kind in Greater New York, and is made use of not only by New York organizations, but by agencies from all over the country, which refer to it wayfarers and travelers who are coming to New York and must be temporarily aided before they are able to settle themselves permanently.

A portion of the building at 425 Lafayette Street, New York City,

## COUNTRY-WIDE COMMENT SEES IN FORD RECANTATION END OF INTOLERANCE CAMPAIGN

Country-wide press comment expresses satisfaction at Ford's recantation. Nevertheless, the press generally is amazed or incredulous or both at the statement in the apology that the owner of the "Independent" had not known what his magazine was printing.

"Imagine a publisher letting seven years go by before directing his 'personal attention' to what was being printed in his paper!" exclaims the Knoxville "News Sentinel", which estimates "the artlessness of the apology" as "rivaled only by the old, old story of the 'Babes in the Woods'."

The Anniston Star considers that Mr. Ford's "admission that he did not know the tenor of the writings that were appearing in his own paper" will cause him to "lose prestige as a publicist and as an executive," and the Flint "Daily Journal" remarks: "We are certain that Henry Ford knows exactly what is being issued from his factories in the shape of automobiles and other products, staff or no staff. If he has actually not seen what has been printed in the 'Dearborn Independent' then he has made a confession of incredible short-sightedness."

"Was ever journalism thus conducted before?" asks the Louisville "Courier-Journal", while the Charleston "Daily Mail" declares: "That very freedom of the press of which we boast as a people, and which is perhaps the most precious of all our possessions, by its very freedom imposes the greatest of responsibility upon those who would exercise it." The Tulsa "Daily World" believes that if Henry Ford "did not read his own publication . . . then he stands self-convicted of being unworthy of the high privilege of owning and publishing a periodical of any character."

Says the Winston-Salem "Twin City Sentinel": "No man has any right to sponsor a journal of any kind unless he knows what it is doing. There is no place for falsehood, untruth, half-truth or gross errors in journalism. Mistakes will sometimes be made; errors will sometimes appear. This is inevitable. But there is no excuse for a deliberate perversion of facts, which Mr. Ford admits took place in the 'Dearborn Independent', the conduct of which he had turned over to others," concludes the "Sentinel".

"A publisher cannot, of course, have personal knowledge of all that goes into his publication," says the Omaha "World Herald", "but it is only an exceptional one who can be blind to something which has been going on for five years and which everybody else, apparently, except himself, is fully aware of," and the Richmond "News Leader" calls attention to the fact that "every other publisher is held responsible for the general edi-

torial policy of his paper, though single articles, written in his absence, may not reflect his views."

"The 'Dearborn Independent' is the property of Henry Ford to do with as he sees fit," observes the Memphis "Commercial Appeal". "That he is in a position to dictate its policies is evidenced by Ford's own statement that he has ordered the periodical to discontinue permanently these hostile articles." The San Bernardino "Sun" also thinks the statement "hardly seems to be an acceptable or an accurate alibi."

Taking the position that "it is only too plainly and pitifully evident that Mr. Ford is but dimly aware of the enormity of his offense," the St. Louis "Post Dispatch" declares that "the essence of his offense was its wretched un-Americanism, its ignorance, preposterous and, at times, malevolent intolerance," and, this St. Louis paper continues "Is there anything more deplorably violative of the spirit of our Constitution, more criminally perfidious to our traditions and our political credo, more insidiously destructive of our institutions than the systematic preaching of race hatred?"

The Dayton "Daily News" holds that "hardly in our time has so conspicuous a man confessed to so egregious, so inexplicable an error."

Many of the papers feel, however, that Mr. Ford's present action should be taken at its face value. The Rochester "Times-Union" is glad because of his announcement that "his name will no longer be connected with encouragement here of that anti-Semitism which is a disruptive force in a number of countries," and the Washington "Evening Star" thinks Mr. Ford's statement "was a manly, courageous act which calls for warmest praise and congratulation."

The Detroit "News" says: "Whatever the inspiration, his retraction evidently comes from the heart and is characteristically complete."

The Washington "Post" says: "The premise that Ford aspires to the Presidency can be attributed only to the dearth of actual news. The conclusion that the Democrats would take his candidacy seriously is the most unkind thrust that has yet been directed at that much maligned party."

An editorial in the Pittsburgh "Sun" says: "Let the ugly chapter now be closed. Mr. Ford's retraction is complete and earnestly sincere on its face. The publications complained of were made by the intolerant the basis of promotion of ill-feeling. May the retraction now, in the hands of the tolerant, be made the instrument of promoting good-feeling throughout the land."

"Mr. Ford should not sell the 'Dearborn Independent'," declares the Suffolk, Va., "News-Herald." He should "kill" it, junk his files and pamphlets, and buy in every copy extant if he had to pay a thousand dollars a copy for them. He should then make a bonfire of the whole outfit and thus purge himself of

## SAYS RELATIONS BETWEEN NATIVE AND FOREIGN-BORN IS PROBLEM OF AMERICA

Miss Florina Lasker Writes on Subject in "The Red Cross Courier"

In an article contributed to the recent issue of "The Red Cross Courier", official publication of the American Red Cross, Miss Florina Lasker of New York City, National Chairman of the Department of Immigrant Aid and Immigrant Immigrant Education of the National Council of Jewish Women, discusses "Adjusting the Relations Between the Native and the Foreign-Born Resident". Miss Lasker maintains that the fundamental problem facing America today is the relationship between the native and the foreign-born resident of this country.

In presenting her point of view, Miss Lasker writes:

"The future of America depends in large measure upon the nature of the relations established between these two groups—relations which will reflect themselves not only in our political and economic institutions, but in our social and cultural structure as well. Early in its history, the National Council of Jewish Women recognized the significance of this problem and organized a Department of Immigrant Aid, whose program in the course of years has been broadened and developed to meet existing needs.

"With the enactment of restrictive immigration legislation, it has obviously been found necessary to make certain fundamental changes in our program. Not only has the Department increased its activities in behalf of those foreign-born women and girls who have been in this country a number of years, perhaps, yet who, nevertheless, still feel themselves strangers in a strange land, but its services in

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all intent to injure without cause a race which has just as much right to be respected as any other on the face of the earth, for it has won that right through ages of toil and suffering and sacrifice.

"Henry Ford is not a bad or a malicious man. Actually he is just the opposite. But this experience should teach him that every man is not fit to publish a newspaper even if he have millions."

In the same way the Pittsburgh "Chronicle-Telegram" writes: "The injury he has done cannot be repaired by mere words, however sincere his sorrow and repentance. The remaining years of his life may well be devoted to rebuking and combating racial and religious prejudices, wherever these evils show their ugly heads. They are wicked and un-American and to be condemned unsparringly by all good citizens of this land of liberty."

The Birmingham, Ala., "Age-Herald" says: "They are ready to let by-gones be by-gones, in the hope that this conspicuous accession to the ranks of fair play will so seriously cripple the forces of prejudice and suspicion that the United States will soon be again a harbor where ships carrying every flag of faith may rest at peace."

where the headquarters of the Hias are, is devoted to dormitories where people in temporary need are given the necessary help.

# KUTISKER DIES ON EVE OF REHABILITATION

Device: Teletypewriter, Acoustic Mail Service.

Berlin, July 13.—(Evan Parrott News-  
ber, who was in June, 1924 sentenced  
to life imprisonment on charges  
of being found in possession of  
thousands of pounds in transactions  
with the Prussian State Bank, died  
in a hospital here today. The judgment  
in his case, which was expected to  
clear him of the charges, was to have  
been given yesterday.

The charges against Kravskiy, a Russian Jew, were like those against the Russian Karmali, part of the anti-Semitic campaign conducted by the German Nazis, who sought in this way to antagonize the Russian Government and to bring about the return to power of the anti-Semitic Party, who would then proceed to the expulsion of all foreign Jews as undesirable aliens. German Ministers were accused of complicity in speculation with the Germans and with Kravskiy and one, Herr Thiele, the Minister of Posts, was arrested and died in prison while awaiting trial, although it was afterwards shown that he was innocent.

When the Russian investigation was resumed recently, it was stated that had been found that the charges had originated by the German Nationalists for the purposes of anti-Jewish propaganda.

the international field have likewise been extended as a result of the changed immigration policy.

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