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## PLAN TO SETTLE RUSSIA'S MOUNTAIN JEWS IN NORTH- ERN CAUCASIA DISTRICT

**Spokesmen Present Their Plea at  
Moscow Conference**

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Moscow, Sept. 29.—A plan to settle the mountain Jews on land in Northern Caucasia was presented to the conference of mountain Jews which opened here yesterday.

Representatives of the Commissariat of Education were present at the first session which was opened in the presence of many delegates of the Jewish communities in the mountain districts throughout Caucasia. The proceedings were conducted in Tatish, the vernacular of the mountain Jews and translated into Russian. Spokesmen for the mountain Jews described the miserable conditions under which the group exists. The mountain Jews were completely ruined by the war. Eighty percent of the population is illiterate, it was reported.

## LONDON EXECUTIVE DENIES RUMORS OF MARSHALL CABLE

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

London, Sept. 29.—An emphatic denial of the report in the London Yiddish Post which alleged that a cable was received by the Zionist Executive here from Louis Marshall, expressing his dissatisfaction with the decisions of the Fifteenth Zionist Congress, was issued yesterday by the Zionist Executive to the Jewish Telegraphic Agency.

The report has no foundation in fact. Nothing of the kind was received by the Executive, it was declared.

## GLOVERSVILLE SUSPENDS BUSINESS ON 'LITTAUER DAY'

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

Gloversville, N. Y., Sept. 29.—Littauer Day was celebrated by the entire city yesterday in honor of Lucius N. Littauer.

There was a general suspension of business in the town and the day was given over to a parade and a dinner in honor of Mr. Littauer.

By a decision of the City Council, High Street will be renamed Littauer Place.

In addition to having spent more than \$1,000,000 for hospitalization in Gloversville, Mr. Littauer established a chair in Jewish Literature at Harvard University. He has also made large contributions toward the prevention and cure of cancer.

## KOVEL JEWS HAVE PUBLIC BURIAL FOR HOLY SCROLLS DSECRATED IN POGROMS

**Impressive Ceremonies Attend Interment  
of Blood-Stained Scrolls**

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Warsaw, Sept. 29.—Impressive ceremonies were arranged by the Jewish community of Kovel, Poland, on the eve of Rosh Hashanah when the burial of a number of Holy Scrolls desecrated during the Balachovitch pogroms in 1920 was held.

During the pogroms committed by the Balachovitch army in 1920 in the region of Kovel, the synagogues in many towns were raided and the Holy Scrolls torn. Many of the Scrolls were covered with the blood of pogrom victims. The scrolls were brought to Kovel several years ago, but permission for holding the burial exercises was not received until recently.

The Scrolls were brought to the Great Synagogue of Kovel from where the funeral procession started. An old Jewish custom provides that a desecrated Scroll is to be buried with all the attendant ceremonies of a funeral. The entire Jewish population participated in the exercises. All synagogues were filled and rabbis delivered sermons and recited the El Molei Rachmin. An intense feeling pervaded the large crowds. An aged man, Schmarya Selzer, died following the funeral from injuries he received in the crush of the crowd.

The scrolls were deposited in a grave in the new cemetery.

## MINISTER BARS INTER- NATIONAL AFFILIATION OF ANTI-SEMITIC STUDENTS

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Berlin, Sept. 29.—International affiliation of anti-Semitic student organizations in Central Europe was checked by a government ordinance issued today by Prussian Minister of Education Becker.

According to this ordinance, the Prussian Students Association was enjoined against affiliating itself with the student organization of Austria which barred Jewish students from its membership. A plan was recently fostered for creating a purely Aryan student association consisting of the student bodies of Prussia, Austria and Czechoslovakia to conduct a racial program.

The ordinance points out that students organizations are formed on the basis of cultural activity and not on racial lines.

## RACIAL THEORY OF PROF. MEHELY, HUNGARIAN UNI- VERSITY DEAN, CENSURED

**Would Introduce a Numerus Clausus  
Against Inter-marriage**

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Vienna, Sept. 29.—The pronouncements by Prof. Ludwig Mehely, the new dean of the University of Budapest, of his racial theory is commented upon by the Neue Freie Presse. The newspaper states that Prof. Mehely advocates the introduction in Hungary of a numerus clausus against the intermarriage of Jews and non-Jews.

In his address yesterday Professor Mehely declared that he had invented a device for discerning the identity of race through blood tests. He urged the Hungarian government to introduce a bill into parliament for the protection of the purity of the Hungarian race, arguing that intermarriage between members of various races has a bad effect on the progeny.

The New York Evening World, commenting on Prof. Mehely's address stated:

"In an address before a scientific body in Budapest, Prof. Ludwig Mehely, a noted student of racial biology, submitted two startling propositions. One of these was that the intermarriage of people of different races makes for the degeneracy of their progeny; the other that Government should not permit unlimited reproduction."  
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## MICHELSON'S DAUGHTER MARRIES OUT OF FOLD

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

Chicago Ill., Sept. 29.—Dorothy Michelson, daughter of the famous American Jewish scientist, Professor Albert A. Michelson, of the University of Chicago, married Sheldon Dick, son of Albert Blake Dick, of Lake Forest, in New York on Wednesday.

The engagement had been announced last week, but no wedding date had been set.

Mrs. Michelson, who was going to New York on Friday to join her daughter for a European trip was informed of the sudden marriage by the representative of the Jewish Daily Bulletin here, Prof. Michelson is in Pasadena, Cal. conducting experiments.

The marriage of Michelson's daughter to a non-Jew called forth lively comment in Jewish circles. It was pointed out that Professor Michelson does not take an interest in the affairs of the Jewish community here.



# WARSAW JEWISH COMMUNITY MAKES GRANTS TO JEWISH CULTURAL INSTITUTIONS

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Warsaw, Sept. 29.—The Schools and Talmud Torahs Commission of the Jewish community here has allocated a sum of 807,718 Zlotys for assistance to Jewish cultural institutions here. In addition a subsidy of 25,000 Zlotys has been granted to the Yiddishist secular schools, 5,000 Zlotys to go as prizes for Yiddish works of literature, 5,000 Zlotys as a grant-in-aid for the Jewish Art Society, 10,000 Zlotys for the Society of Libraries in Warsaw, and 5,700 Zlotys as subsidies to four Jewish sports organizations, 3,500 for the Macabee, 700 Zlotys for the Bar Kochba, 1,000 Zlotys for the Stern and 500 Zlotys for the Morgenstern.

Ten thousand Zlotys have been allocated for the Jewish evening classes and people's university. It was also decided to organize a Jewish school exhibition in Warsaw, 2,300 Zlotys being allocated for this purpose. A subsidy of 1,000 Zlotys has been granted to the Jewish Teachers' Seminary in Vilna. It has been decided that the language of instruction in all the schools of the Jewish community should be Yiddish.

## \$250,000 CAMPAIGN FOR DEBORAH SANATORIUM; MRS. SCHAPIRO, FOUNDER, HONORED

A campaign to raise \$10,000 in Paterson, N. J. for the Deborah Sanatorium at Brown's Mills, N. J. was organized this week. It was learned yesterday. Filbert L. Rosenstein was elected chairman of the campaign committee.

The Deborah Jewish Consumptive Relief Society of which Mrs. Dora Schapiro is the founder and president is now seeking \$250,000 for the erection of a new building on grounds recently acquired adjacent to the present sanatorium.

Plans for the campaign were discussed last week at a dinner given at Weinberger's restaurant, New York, in honor of Mrs. Schapiro on her return from a trip abroad. Joseph Baroness, chairman of the Board of Directors of the sanatorium, presided.

The Deborah Sanatorium which was founded four years ago has at present a large number of Jewish patients and is the only Jewish institution for tubercular cases in the east where the Jewish dietary laws are observed.

Rabbi Eljah D. Stampper was installed as rabbi of the Baron Hirsch Congregation, Memphis, Tenn. Rabbi Stampper, who was born in Petach Tikveh, Palestine, came to the United States in 1923. He served as rabbi in Madison, Wis. and Evansville, Ind. and was for a time instructor at the Hebrew Theological College, Chicago.

The Baron Hirsch Congregation is now conducting a drive for funds to erect a community center.

# BACK TO LAND MOVEMENT IS SUPPORTED BY GERMAN JEWS

Jewish Farmers Strongest Argument  
To Combat Anti-Semitism  
(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Berlin, Sept. 28.—The movement for Jewish Land Settlement in Germany, which is being carried on by the Union of Jewish Ex-Soldiers, is the subject to which an issue of the "Juedische Liberale Zeitung" is devoted. The issue contains articles by Professor Dr. Franz Oppenheimer, Dr. Berthold Timendorfer, former President of the German B'nai B'rith, and Rudolf Mosse, a Jewish estate owner.

The President of the Union of Jewish Ex-Soldiers in Germany, Dr. Leo Lowenstein, writes: "We German Jews were for centuries settled on our own land on the Rhine, the Main and the Danube, respected by land owners, bishops and people, until the fanaticism of the Crusades and of the succeeding centuries drove us from our soil and shut us up in the stifling ghettos of the towns. The campaign of the Union of Jewish Ex-Soldiers in Germany is a gateway to lead the German Jews out of the ghettos on to the body and soul-strengthening land. We want to have our part in German soil, for which we German Jews fought like every other section of the people. It is a hard task which we have taken upon ourselves, but it is the most important task before German Jewry today, and we shall carry it out. We German Jews, to the welfare of our future generations so that they may root themselves more deeply into the German Fatherland and be still more closely identified with it in life and death."

An appeal for funds has been issued in connection with the movement, which says:

"The Union of Jewish Ex-Soldiers in Germany seeks to settle Jewish peasants on German land. On the advice of leading experts, the Union to which most of the Jewish land owners in Germany belong, has started a great settlement work which will be carried on in association with all Jewish organizations, irrespective of party or tendency. Trained Jewish farmers and gardeners will be settled on the land under the direction of experts. The first condition will be that each piece of land must pay for itself, and the scheme which has been adopted guarantees this. The Union of Jewish Ex-Soldiers in Germany, with its tens of thousands of members, is only the pioneer, the appeal concludes, of this idea, which is a part of its general task to act as a shield for the right and the honour of German Jewry."

Professor Franz Oppenheimer writes that the movement is one which the German Jews should support both as Germans and as Jews. "Antisemitism, which insults us as citizens and harms us in the economic sense," he says, "uses as one of

# SAN FRANCISCO LAUNCHES NATIONAL COMMUNITY CHEST

DRIVE: GOAL SET AT \$250,000  
(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 29.—The campaign to raise San Francisco's \$250,000 quota in this year's drive of the Jewish National Welfare Fund was launched today.

At a meeting of large donors, held last Thursday, Lloyd Dinkelspiel, campaign director, announced the quota for the drive, which will continue until October 8.

Rabbi Louis I. Newman, on behalf of the campaign committee, presented Moses A. Gunst, president, with an antique candlestick in appreciation for his services in the campaign.

The funds are to be distributed among 25 constituent agencies in the United States and abroad. Mr. Dinkelspiel explained. A budget committee to determine how the money shall be apportioned is operating under the chairmanship of Leo J. Rabinowitz.

A drive to raise \$25,000 for the erection of a Jewish centre in Queens Village, N. Y. is being conducted.

A plot on Hollis Court Boulevard has already been purchased. The structure will include a synagogue, assembly, gymnasium, and class rooms, and a swimming pool.

Edward Maas is president of the center. Dr. Philip Goldstein of the Jewish Welfare Board is directing the drive.

Samuel S. Koenig was elected Chairman of the New York County Republican Committee for his seventeenth consecutive term at a meeting Wednesday night at Bryant Hall.

Benjamin S. Applestein was appointed Librarian of the City of Baltimore by Mayor William F. Broening. Mr. Applestein was City Librarian in the first Broening administration nine years ago.

The new Metropolitan Yiddish Theatre in Cleveland was opened last night. City Manager Hopkins and Rabbi Solomon Goldman addressed the large audience.

its strongest arguments the allegation that the Jew is only able to be a parasite, that he is in body too weak and in spirit too indolent to adopt the life of a tiller of the soil. A few thousand good German peasants in Germany are of greater importance for the combating of anti-Semitism than all the work of the Central Union and the other similar bodies."

Professor Oppenheimer says that the Union has decided to adopt his system of intensive colonization in carrying out the scheme and shows how this system is best suited for the purpose. "The scheme," he concludes, "requires considerable sums of money and I hope that German Jewry will raise these necessary funds so that this important German and Jewish work should be carried out with complete success."

## DR. MOSKOWITZ, HEAD OF AMERICAN ORT EXECU- TIVE, SAILS FOR EUROPE To Conclude Pact with Russia for Adding Jewish Artisans

Dr. Henry Moskowitz, Chairman of the Executive Committee of the American Ort and a member of the Executive Board of the Joint Distribution Committee, sailed on the steamer *Maurovia* on Wednesday.

Dr. Moskowitz stated that the purpose of his trip was to conclude an agreement with the Soviet government permitting the Ort to send machines and raw material to Jewish artisans who are now in a position to make a living at their trade.

"I am confident," he said, "that I will conclude the negotiations with the Soviet government. American Jews will be able to send their kin such machines and thus make their contributions work to put them on a self-supporting basis."

"The American Ort is organizing a credit corporation under the sanction of the New York State Banking Department to enable poor relatives to help their still poorer kin in Eastern Europe by furnishing them loans in easy time payments and on a non-profit basis."

Dr. Moskowitz said he will visit the Jewish colonies in the Crimea, Caucasus and Odessa. He will also visit Poland.

## Racial Theory of Melchior, Rumpelstilz University Dean, Condemned (Continued from page 1)

duction among the workers, but should reserve the privilege of having large families for mental workers and farmers.

"The first proposition is of interest in America where the intermarriage of different races has been commonplace for two centuries and without any notable degeneration of the progeny. On the contrary, the theory is advanced that the strength and success of Americans are due to this very mingling of racial strains. To take the Professor seriously we must eliminate America."

"The second proposition proposes a reversal of the natural tendency. The poor multitude and the mental workers are given to small families. Just how Government is to change all this is something for the Professor to work out."

The Rev. Brannan Spear, rector of the Central Synagogue, London, died in London at the age of 73. Rev. Spear, who had a fine career when, gained the title "Senior Singer in Britain" as the chorist of Baron Rothschild in 1877. He was awarded the Gold Medal of the London Academy of Music.

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## ABRAHAM CAHAN, EDITOR OF "FORWARD," LEAVES RUSSIA (Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Warsaw, Sept. 29.—Abraham Cahan, editor of the Jewish Daily Forward, New York, who spent several months in Russia, passed through Warsaw this morning on his way from Moscow to Berlin.

The thirty-fifth annual meeting of the American Jewish Historical Society will be held in Newark, on Wednesday evening, November 24, and Thursday, November 25.

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