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## PALESTINE MANUFACTURERS' TRADE AGREEMENT PLAN IS ACCEPTED BY GOVERNMENT

K. W. Stead Explains Palestine Government's View on Customs

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Jerusalem, Jan. 16.—An agreement between the Palestine government and Jewish manufacturers concerning the regulation of import and export trade between Syria and Palestine was reached.

Mr. K. W. Stead, director of the Trade Department, in a press interview declared that the Palestine government had found satisfactory the new formula proposed by the manufacturers, who were disturbed over the Palestine Syria trade agreement. The plan will be the basis of the new agreement which will be concluded shortly.

(J. T. A. Mail Service)

Jerusalem, Dec. 20.—The re-establishment of a separate Government Department of Industry would be impracticable, K. W. Stead, the Director of Customs, Trade and Excise to the Palestine Government, stated in the course of an interview to the "Palestine and Near East Economic Magazine."

In introducing the new customs tariff, Mr. Stead continued, the Government

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## STUDENTS CONFEDERATION INVESTIGATES ANTI-SEMITIC ACTIVITIES IN AUSTRIA

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Vienna, Jan. 16.—A commission representing the Confederation of International Students has arrived here to make a study of the anti-Semitic organizations among Austrian students.

The commission will concentrate on conditions in the universities and particularly inquire into the anti-Semitic activities of the student bodies. It was stated on this occasion that the Jewish as well as the socialist student bodies in Austria will from now on be given representation on the International Confederation.

## JEWISH COMPANY ACQUIRES TIBERIAS HOT SPRINGS

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Jerusalem, Jan. 16.—The hot springs of Tiberias will be operated by a Jewish company it was announced today.

A company headed by Mr. Supraski purchased the concession from the Arab holders. According to the agreement the company is obliged to complete the improvements of the springs as a health resort within three years.

## INTERVENTION BY BRITISH GOVERNMENT WITH ROUMANIA ASKED BY LONDON LEADERS

Roumanian Government's Measures are Considered Inadequate by Joint Foreign Committee

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

London, Jan. 16.—The measures taken by the Roumanian government following the recent anti-Jewish excesses in Roumania are viewed as inadequate by the Joint Foreign Committee, the body representing the Anglo-Jewish Association and the Board of Jewish Deputies.

The dissatisfaction of Anglo-Jewry with the present state of affairs in Roumania was given expression to in a letter addressed by Lucien Wolf, secretary of the Joint Foreign Committee, to the Roumanian Minister of Foreign Affairs, Titulescu, according to a report submitted yesterday at the monthly meeting of the Board of Jewish Deputies. This step was taken, Mr. Wolf declared in behalf of the Joint Foreign Committee, in view of the continued audacity of the anti-Semitic agitators and "because of the unsatisfactory political conditions of the Jewish population in Roumania."

The Joint Foreign Committee, Mr. Wolf added, arrived at the conclusion that the government's punitive action is not altogether consistent with the pledges made by Minister Titulescu in his telegram to Mr. Wolf recently. The committee has therefore written to the Roumanian Foreign Minister, urging him to take more effective remedial

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## FEUDS OF CHASSIDIC SECTS RAGE IN CARPATHO RUSSIA

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Munkacz, Jan. 16.—The feuds between Chassidic sects in Carpatho Russia are assuming serious proportions, calling forth the severe criticism of the local press. The newspapers commented today on what they term the actions of the "ghetto Fascists" when a series of events demonstrated the bitterness which characterizes the feuds.

Several nights ago a group of Chassidic followers bombarded the house of the Sepinker Rebbe with stones.

Another group of Chassidic followers attacked the slaughter house which is under the supervision of the Belzer Rebbe. In revenge for this attack, followers of the Belzer Rebbe attempted to drown the Sepinker Rebbe when the latter entered the pool for a ritual bath.

## BALTIMORE UNITED JEWISH APPEAL LAUNCHED; \$340,280 IS RAISED TOWARDS QUOTA

Warburg, Marshall, Brown and Samuel Address Gathering

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

Baltimore, Jan. 16.—A total of \$340,280 towards Baltimore's quota of \$750,000 in the United Jewish Appeal, which includes the United Jewish Campaign and the United Palestine Appeal, was raised at a banquet here last night at the Lyric Theatre. The campaign was launched not only for Baltimore but for Maryland, opening dinners being held simultaneously in cities and towns throughout the state.

Jacob Epstein and his family, including Mr. and Mrs. A. Ray Katz and Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Lansburgh, pledged to contribute 10 per cent. of the total amount subscribed in the campaign. In the event that the total reaches \$1,000,000, they will give \$100,000.

Felix M. Warburg, Louis Marshall, David A. Brown and Maurice Samuel were the speakers. Manuel Hendler, chairman of the Baltimore campaign, acted as toastmaster.

Mr. Warburg told of his visit to the lands where the funds being sought will be spent and of the conditions under which the Jews in these lands are living. He spoke of Jewish peasants in

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## TO CREATE PRO-PALESTINE COMMITTEE IN AUSTRIA

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Vienna, Jan. 16.—The creation of a Pro-Palestine Committee in Austria will be effected the end of January, it was announced today.

Nahum Sokolow, chairman of the Zionist Executive, and Count Von Bernsdorff, German statesman, will arrive here to address the inauguration meeting. The committee will include ex-premier Vladimir von Beck, Count Mensdorff, Chief of Police Schober and several members of the government.

## 20 SUSPECTED CEMETERY DESECRATORS ARRESTED

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Bucharest, Jan. 16.—Twenty individuals suspected of desecrating the Jewish cemetery at Piatrancea were arrested, an unconfirmed report received here states. Several of the arrested are students, although the majority are not.

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## \$900,000 SUBSCRIBED BY PHILADELPHIANS OPENS FEDERATION CAMPAIGN (Jewish Daily Bulletin)

Philadelphia, Jan. 16.—Twelve hundred men and women assembled at a dinner at the Hotel Benjamin Franklin, within half an hour subscribed \$900,000 toward the \$1,650,000 which the Federation of Charities of this city is seeking as a year's maintenance fund.

The guests of honor were Mayor James Walker of New York, Mayor Harry A. Mackey of Philadelphia, William Elkus, president of the Welfare Federation of Philadelphia, and Mortimer L. Schiff of New York.

Mayor Walker, in his address, said he was the most "pro Jewish Gentile in the world." "Show me a real Jew," he declared, "and I will show you some one capable of self sacrifice. You Jews have for three thousand years suffered bigotry and prejudice. I wish to God that you didn't have to conduct an offensive defensive and a defensive offensive in your social and economic life.

"My city owes an obligation to the Jewish people that it can never repay.

"This is an age of steel and iron and granite," he said. "But no nation can succeed on its material possessions. It needs a soul, culture, heart humanitarianism. In all these things you can find Jews in the leadership."

He asked the guests to rise in memory of Jules E. Mastbaum.

Mr. Schiff, Mayor Mackey and Mr.

## J.D.B. NEWS LETTER

### Outlines Contributions Made by Jews to Development of San Francisco

(By Our San Francisco Correspondent)

San Francisco, Jan. 14.—Outstanding contributions of the Jews in the development of San Francisco were outlined by Judge Max C. Sloss, former associate justice of the Supreme Court of California and one of the most distinguished members of the San Francisco bar, in a recent issue of the San Francisco "Call." To the Jews Judge Sloss attributes leadership in philanthropy and social welfare work, as well as in the business development and in musical and artistic accomplishments.

"There have been Jews here since the days of '49, and throughout all the years they have taken part in practically all of the community activities," writes Judge Sloss. "Throughout their known history the Jews have had a strong sense of family and social responsibility, and it is this quality which has enabled them to contribute so much to the development of philanthropy and social welfare work in San Francisco." He then cited the Hebrew Orphan Asylum at Homewood Terrace, San Francisco, as an excellent illustration of progressive and modern social service at its best. The children live in small groups in cottages with a house mother in charge of each cottage. The children help around the house and garden as they would if living at home with their parents.

"The same spirit," says Judge Sloss "is shown in the Old People's Home and in the boarding house for working girls, conducted by the Emanu-El Sisterhood. These all represent the last word in making provision for human welfare.

Long before the Community Chest was established, the Jews were carrying out successfully the idea of a single annual collection and distribution of money for social welfare purposes. Ten or twelve years before the Chest was formed the Federation of Jewish charities of San

Elkus addressed the gathering. "No people in the world have given as much to charity as the Jew," declared Mayor Mackey.

Judge Joseph L. Kun presided. Louis Wolf, campaign chairman, called for the initial reports.

Among the larger contributors were Gimbel Brothers, \$33,500; Albert M. Greenfield, \$25,000; Jacob D. Lit, \$25,000; Samuel D. Lit, \$25,000; Jacob and Samuel Paley, \$25,000; Benjamin J. Waserman, \$15,000; Benjamin Wolf, \$13,000; Alfred W. Fleisher, \$11,000; Samuel Gerstley, \$10,000; Joseph J. Greenberg, \$10,000; Albert Wolf, \$9,000; J. Solis-Cohen, \$7,500; Samuel and Benjamin Grabosky, \$7,000; Nathan Snellenburg, \$7,000; Louis Wolf, \$7,000.

Francisco was in full operation. This organization did all the collecting of funds for the various Jewish social agencies and distributed them equitably. Now that the Community Chest has been organized, you find many Jews active in its work and management."

Judge Sloss then tells of the great part played by the Jews in the pioneer days of the community. Among the most prominent figures he mentions are Levi Strauss, early wholesaler, whose firm still plays a great part in the distribution of commodities in the west, and the late Raphael Weill, founder of the White House. Weill was an able business man and a public spirited and useful citizen. Many Jews were prominent as bankers in the early days of San Francisco. The banks which were later merged into the Anglo and London Paris National Bank were conducted separately for many years by Jews. "The Fleishhacker brothers, now heading these consolidated banks, are known wherever finance is discussed," says Judge Sloss. "The Hellmans are another Jewish banking family, widely known."

Among the Jews who have been prominent in the professions are Solomon Heydenfeldt, one of the leading lawyers, who was elevated to the State Supreme Court, and Dr. Morris Herzstein, one of the leading physicians, who in his will made provision for many philanthropic and educational institutions. In politics the late Julius Kahn, congressman for many years, attained a national reputation. He was succeeded by his widow, Mrs. Florence Kahn, who has already made a name for herself in Congress.

"The Jews have always shown a love for the arts," writes Judge Sloss, "and have done their share of creative work. In music the remarkable performance of Yehudi Menuhin as a violinist has attracted literally world-wide attention. The San Francisco Symphony Orchestra has Jews of brilliance among its members. Alfred Hertz, the conductor, is one of the famous Jewish leaders in the country.

"The development of the theater in San Francisco owes much to the activity of the Jews. David Belasco the great manager and David Warfield the great actor, both were reared in San Francisco and when children lived next door to each other.

"In mentioning Jewish achievement in various lines only a few names have been given. Enough has been written, however, to show that the Jews have contributed much to the upbuilding of San Francisco."

### ZIONISTS IN HUNGARY HOLD THEIR FIRST CONFERENCE (Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Budapest, Jan. 16.—The first conference of the Zionist Organization in Hungary was opened here Sunday. Until recently the Zionist Organization was prohibited in the country.

## NEW YORK JEWISH COUNCIL HOLDS ANNUAL MEETING; NEW BOARD IS ELECTED

Discrimination against Jews in employment, pending immigration legislation, the recent anti-Jewish outbreaks in Roumania, as well as an effort to bring about closer unity among Jewish organizations in New York, were among the questions discussed by the Jewish Council of Greater New York at its Convention Sunday in the Hotel Pennsylvania.

Judge Gustave Hartman, Bernard G. Richards and Congressman Samuel Dickstein, were among the speakers. Mr. Richards dwelt on the exchange of letters between the Roumanian Minister, George Cretziano and Congressman William I. Sirovich relative to the Roumanian situation. He expressed skepticism regarding the assurances given by M. Cretziano and asked that the Roumanian Government translate these verbal assurances into action.

A letter was read from Rabbi Stephen S. Wise, likewise expressing dissatisfaction with Mr. Cretziano's statement.

Mr. Mordecai Soltes, in his opening address, summarized the activities of the Jewish Council and outlined a course of action for the future. He said: "Very serious charges have been made against the institutions of higher learning in Greater New York as well as throughout the country. It is claimed that there exists in our Colleges and Universities an academic boycott; that Jews of higher scholastic attainments are prevented from joining and in many cases adorning their families, unless they deny or ignore their Jewishness."

"The Council's Committee on Discrimination, should investigate objectively the situation in our metropolis, and make the facts public. We can then rely upon our fellow Americans' keen sense of fair play, to grasp the injustice in a procedure which tends to penalize our brethren because of their religious affiliation, and to sense the danger to American culture inherent in such intolerable conditions."

Pointing to the alarming tendency on the part of employers in New York to discriminate against the employment of Jewish workers, Col. Morris J. Mendelsohn urged upon the Council to make a full investigation of the subject and to take public action to stop this un-American practice.

Mr. Z. Tygel and Mr. Marcus S. Gross reported on the work of the Council's Bureau of Information and Welfare in assisting needy cases.

Among the resolutions adopted were: To memorialize Congress and urge the speedy passage of legislation aiming to unite the families of declarants; To support the United Palestine Appeal; To enlarge the scope of the Bureau of Information; To assist in the naturalization of Jewish non-citizens; To urge upon all Jewish organizations to affiliate with the Jewish Council; To protest against the

## EMIGRATION CONFERENCE OPENS IN BERLIN; SEEKS NEW IMMIGRATION POINTS

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Berlin, Jan. 16.—Seeking ways and means of aiding Jewish emigrants to find refuge in new countries and to engage in productive work is the subject of a conference which opened here yesterday.

The conference was called on the initiative of the European branches of the Hebrew Immigrant Aid and Sheltering Society of America, and the Emigdirekt, United Jewish Emigration Committee. Dr. Alfred Klee, member of the Berlin Kehillah and Zionist leader, is presiding over the conference.

Reports were submitted on the work done by Dr. Krainin and Dr. James Bernstein. The plan to create a Jewish emigrants bank is being considered.

## JEWISH UNIVERSITY PLAN IN PRAGUE PROVES BUBBLE

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Prague, Jan. 16.—The reports concerning a projected Jewish university in Czechoslovakia are unfounded, a local inquiry disclosed. It developed that no site was purchased for the university, as was reported.

The project has not advanced beyond the stage of a plan which is being promoted by an unnamed American Jew of Czech origin. It is not intended to establish a university for the victims of the numerus clausus in the neighboring countries, but rather to develop high school courses similar to the Ukrainian and Russian high schools here.

## DR. FILDERMAN, ROUMANIAN JEWISH LEADER, IN LONDON

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

London, Jan. 16.—Dr. William Filderman, president of the Union of Roumanian Jews, arrived here Saturday.

It was stated that the purpose of Dr. Filderman's visit is to confer with leading Jews in England on the situation in Roumania.

continued anti-Jewish excesses in Roumania and that "in view of the many promises made by the Roumanian Government and the subsequent failure to keep those promises, the convention calls upon the Roumanian Government to prove by its policy and acts the intent to comply with its latest promises by its duly accredited representative to America."

The following officers were elected: Honorary President Dr. Mordecai Soltes; President, Morris J. Mendelsohn; vice-presidents, Judge Gustave Hartman, Judge Adolph Stern, Herman J. Robbins, Max Silverstein, Dr. M. Eisenberg, M. S. Gross, Z. Tygel, H. Speier, and L. Diamant; Hon. Secretary, Samuel Kaplan, Treasurer, John Robinton.

## CHICAGO ZIONISTS REORGANIZE; PLEDGE SUPPORT TO WEIZMANN AND LIPSKY

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

Chicago, Jan. 16.—Max Shulman was re-elected president of the Zionist Organization of Chicago and a quota of \$300,000 was adopted for the United Palestine Appeal at the annual conference of the local organization.

Other officers elected were: Max Conheim, honorary vice president; B. Horwich, first vice president; Edward Chayes, second vice president; Pearl Franklin, third vice president; A. Z. Halperin, treasurer, and S. Wm. Halperin, secretary.

Resolutions were adopted pledging support to Dr. Chaim Weizmann and Louis Lipsky. Constitutional amendments were passed enlarging the Executive committee to fifty, creating an administrative committee and granting official participation in the annual conference to all members in good standing instead of restricting it to delegates as heretofore.

Judge Harry M. Fisher, chairman of the United Palestine Appeal for 1927, reported a total of \$220,000 raised in cash with \$26,000 still outstanding. H. Steinberg reported \$23,000 raised for the Jewish National Fund.

Resolutions were passed condemning the Roumanian outrages; pledging support of the Midwest Region of the Zionist Organization and pledging continued support to Young Judea. H. Steinberg, for many years chairman of the Jewish National Fund, was elected honorary chairman with C. Bierman and S. Diamond as co-chairmen.

## COMMITTEE IS ORGANIZED FOR JEWISH PRESS EXHIBIT

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Berlin, Jan. 16.—A special organization, known as the Isop (Juedische Sonderschau Presse) has been formed in Cologne to arrange the Jewish pavilion at the International Press Exhibition in Berlin. The committee includes Professor Moritz Sobornheim, Professor Elbogen, Dr. Klatskin.

Exhibitions of the Jewish press throughout the world will be included in the Jewish pavilion. An appeal will be made to Jewish organizations in America, England, France, Poland and Palestine to send representatives to the exhibition.

## BERLIN POLICE ARRESTS ANTI-SEMITIC PARADERS

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Berlin, Jan. 16.—An anti-Semitic demonstration took place here on Saturday when a meeting called by the National Socialist Party was concluded.

Four hundred participants of the meeting marched along Friedrichstrasse shouting, "Down with the Jews." Two passers-by who were mistaken for Jews were mistreated. The police intervened, arresting twenty.

## COL. LEHMAN IS REELECTED VICE PRESIDENT JOINT RE- CONSTRUCTION FOUNDATION

Colonel Herbert H. Lehman was re-elected Vice President of the Joint Reconstruction Foundation at its recent meeting in Berlin. David A. Brown, National Chairman of the United Jewish Campaign, announced at campaign headquarters, New York. The term of Colonel Lehman is two years. Franz Philipson of Brussels, is President of the Foundation.

The Foundation was organized in Europe in 1924 to continue the reconstruction work of the Joint Distribution Committee among Jews of Eastern Europe. To aid Jews to rehabilitate themselves, the Foundation has appropriated about \$2,250,000 in three years, principally in small loans in thirteen countries of Europe.

In Poland, there are 131,448 members of the credit cooperatives which the Foundation helps maintain, 10,600 in Latvia, 25,000 in Lithuania, 26,000 in Roumania, 13,000 in Bessarabia and thousands more in Czechoslovakia, Bukovina, Turkey, Bulgaria, Estonia, Greece, Transylvania and Austria.

## Palestine Manufacturers Trade Agreement Plan Accepted (Continued from page 1)

aimed at a reduction in the prices of food-stuffs, such as flour, sugar, rice, cocoa, etc. The tariff was based on an exhaustive investigation carried on over a period of many years. At the same time, Mr. Stead added, the Government was prepared to take into consideration any reasonable suggestions by the parties concerned.

Mr. Stead refused to make any statement on the subject of the Palestine-Syrian Trade Agreement.

A new import tariff which substitutes the former ad valorem duty a specific duty in the case of many commodities promulgated in Palestine on November 4th, increased the duty on certain products manufactured in the country giving substantial protection in particular to the cement industry, oil products and such products as chocolates and sweets.

A state-wide activity for the establishment of religious schools in the extensive rural districts of California has been undertaken by the California State Federation of Temple Sisterhoods.

The program calls for the formation of sisterhoods in the rural centers and these groups will work in co-ordination with the religious school authorities. It is planned to have one or more field workers or regional rabbis in supervision of the Jewish educational work in the rural territories.

For years Jewish children living in rural districts of California have been without religious education save for correspondence courses which have been sent to them by Congregation Emanu-El of San Francisco and other institutions.

Much has been said from time to time about forming religious schools in central points in

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Russia and declared, "My children and your children are no better than the children of these poor people." He outlined the work of the Joint Distribution Committee in attempting to raise \$21,000,000, \$10,000,000 of which has been raised.

The audience cheered with great enthusiasm at the mention of the name of Dr. Joseph A. Rosen.

Mr. Marshall said that Dr. Rosen was one of the greatest Jews that America has produced, he having surrendered all of his American interests to teach foreign Jews the cultivation of the soil according to scientific methods.

Mr. Marshall said the campaign was based on the postulate that the Jews of other countries were as much entitled to live as American Jews. He called 1914 the worst year in the history of Israel. In that period few Jews in Europe would have survived their deprivations and hardships if American Jews had not helped them, he declared. European Jews have been aided financially without regard to whether they were conservative, reform or radical. He said the work done by American Jews in the stricken lands was a miracle.

Mr. Brown gave a graphic account of events in Eastern Europe and Palestine and urged financial aid for Jews living there. He said he and others on the Committee had indorsed a note for \$1,000,000 in order that the work might go on.

Maurice Samuel spoke on present conditions in Palestine and pleaded for continued support for the upbuilding work of the Jewish National home.

Six hundred workers in the Baltimore campaign will begin a canvass of the city today. The first of a series of daily luncheons of the workers will be held Tuesday. The canvassing will be confined to Jews in Baltimore.

Albert Barney made the appeal for subscriptions at the banquet after the addresses had been delivered. H. L. Kaplan, A. Ray Katz, Aaron Straus, Judge Eli Frank, Harry T. Kellman, Dr. Harry Friedenwald, William Levy and Louis Blaustein were others who were at the speakers table.

the rural territories but no action was taken until the steps decided upon by the recent annual meeting of the State Federation of Temple Sisterhoods held in San Francisco.

"The Hebrew Physician," (HaRofoh Hovve), the only medical journal in the Hebrew language published outside of Palestine issued its first number.

The journal is under the editorship of Dr. Moses Einhorn and Dr. A. Goldenstein. It contains articles on general medical subjects and has a special section devoted to new Hebrew medical terminology.

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measures on a wider scale. The letter expresses the opinion that "the entire Jewish community in England, as well as all right minded men of other confessions, are not satisfied that deep rooted evils can be cured with the dismissal of three prefects and short sentences imposed upon a score of irresponsible students. There are abundant symptoms in Western Europe and in America that the postponement of this essential task must react unfavorably on the good repute of Roumania."

Mr. D'Avigdor Goldsmid, president of the Board of Jewish Deputies, added that the Joint Foreign Committee has decided to bring this correspondence to the notice of the British government and to ask the government to make friendly representations to the Roumanian government concerning this matter.

A bequest for the Jewish community in Milan was included in the fortune of 5,000,000 lire (about \$250,000) bequeathed in trust to Premier Mussolini by the will of Signora Costella di Castellazzo Doria, whose husband was an Italian General.

The premier is instructed by the terms of the will to devote the fund to various charitable purposes, setting aside 400,000 lire for the Jewish community of Milan.

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