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## ROUMANIAN COURT ACQUITS 10 STUDENTS, SENTENCES 8 FOR ANTI-JEWISH RIOTS

Clausenburg Court Concludes Trial of  
Last Group of Students

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Bucharest, Mar. 8.—The military court of Clausenburg, which tried the last group of Roumanian students involved in the anti-Jewish riots in the beginning of December, concluded its proceedings yesterday.

Ten of the accused were acquitted, one was sentenced to one month imprisonment, three to fifteen days and four to seven months imprisonment. The latter four were sentenced for failure to obey an order to appear in court.

The Roumanian Government appropriated an additional amount of 140,000,000 lei for the victims of the anti-Jewish riots in Oradeamare.

## ANTI-SEMITISM DOESN'T PAY, LONDON PAPER ADMONISHES HUNGARIAN GOVERNMENT

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

London, Mar. 8.—Anti-Semitism doesn't pay is the advice given to the Hungarian statesmen by the London 'Daily Express' in an editorial on the Jewish situation in Hungary.

"Britain's title to statesmanship surpassing all others is due to the fact that she made peace with the Jews generations ago. She has been abundantly repaid by Jewish loyalty and enterprise in the fabric of British life," the paper writes.

"Britain is a powerful, secure nation, Hungary a weak, threatened nation. Therefore, it is doubly foolish for Hungary, encompassed by ill wishes, to add the antagonism of the Jews to her difficulties," the 'Daily Express' declares.

## HEAVY TAXES RUIN MORE JEWISH TRADERS IN RUSSIA

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Riga, Mar. 8.—The measures taken by the Communist authorities in Moscow and Leningrad to collect the unpaid heavy taxes, exacted from Nepmen and traders, has increased the number of Jews in the category of declassified persons.

Several hundred traders, mainly Jews, were deprived of their entire possessions by requisitions made in lieu of taxes.

## HOLY WAR NOT OFFICIALLY PROCLAIMED BY ARABS, PAL- ESTINE GOVERNMENT SAYS

Military Forces Rushed to Trans-  
jordanian Frontier, Ready for  
All Contingencies

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Jerusalem, Mar. 8.—The holy war of Ibn Saud against the "unfaithful Moslems" in Transjordan, Iraq and Kuwait, British mandated territories, has not been officially proclaimed, the Palestine Government stated today in an official statement given to the correspondent of the Jewish Telegraphic Agency here.

The report of the declaration of a holy war by Ibn Saud has not been confirmed, the Government statement declared.

All officers and men of the Transjordanian frontier force who were on leave of absence have been recalled.

Another armored car and a company of the air force left Ramleh for Amman, the capital of Transjordan. A group of troops carrying aeroplanes, each with 20 soldiers, passed here on the way from Egypt to Transjordan. Strong patrols have been stationed along the frontier.

## ARABS LIVING OUTSIDE OF PALESTINE CANNOT RETAIN PALESTINE CITIZENSHIP

League Council Approves Attitude of  
British Government

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Geneva, Mar. 8.—The Council of the League of Nations, in session here, yesterday approved the report of the last session of the Permanent Mandates Commission, including the report on Palestine.

The Permanent Mandates Commission expressed its agreement with the point of view of the British Government to reject the petition of Palestine born Arabs living abroad who apply for Palestine citizenship.

The Mandates Commission, in its report, stated it agrees with the British view that it is undesirable that thousands of people living abroad should possess Palestinian citizenship and claim the protection of the British consulates. Palestine citizenship is only for persons living in Palestine, the report held.

The petition referred particularly to the application for Palestine citizenship made by Arabs resident in Honduras, Salvador and Mexico.

## 250 ARRESTED IN LEMBERG WHEN STUDENTS CONTINUE ANTI-JEWISH EXCESSES

Three Zionist Election Campaigners  
Are Released from Prison

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Warsaw, Mar. 8.—The anti-Jewish riots which were started in Lemberg on Tuesday when the results of the election showed that two Jewish deputies were among the four deputies elected to parliament by the city, continued until late at night yesterday.

Notwithstanding the measures taken by the police, the demonstrators proceeded to attack Jewish passersby and smash windows in Jewish homes and shops. The attack on the Jewish student's home was particularly severe. The police then took drastic measures, arresting 250 of the rioters.

A group of progressive Polish students published a statement protesting against the riots.

The "Glos Prawdy," the Government organ, today published an article condemning the Lemberg riots and the methods of the anti-Semitic students, declaring that "Poland cannot tolerate militant methods modelled after those of Roumania and Hungary."

Warsaw, Mar. 8.—Three Polish Zionists who were members of the election committee of the national minorities bloc in Rovno were released from prison yesterday, following the conclusion of the elections.

The three, Brick, Eisenberg and Kalina, were arrested on the charge of espionage in connection with their activities in behalf of the minorities bloc.

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## COMMUNIST ORGANIZATION OF YOUTH FORBIDS MEMBERS TO CELEBRATE PASSOVER

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Minsk, Mar. 8.—Jewish members of the Comsomol, the Communist youth organization in White Russia, were prohibited from participating in the celebration of Passover in the family gatherings and festivals. The youths were warned against helping their parents to prepare for Passover and against attending the Seder services, and to refuse to eat Matzoh.

The members of the youth organization were urged to attend lectures and discussions which will be arranged on the Seder nights in the organization clubs.

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## ROUMANIAN GOVERNMENT WILL NOT LEGALIZE KISHINEV KEHILLAH STATUTES

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Kishinev, Mar. 8—Two reasons were offered for the decision of the Roumanian Government not to approve the statutes of the Kishinev Kehillah which is being reorganized, since Bessarabia became a part of Roumania.

The first reason offered by the authorities was that legally constituted kehillahs do not exist in Bessarabia. The second reason was that the Kehillah statutes included in its scope social welfare work, emigration and other activities which are not exclusively religious.

The rejection of the statutes will hamper the reorganization work and has called forth many protests on the part of Jewish leaders.

After four performances given here by the Warsaw Art Theatre troupe, which has been touring Roumania, the troupe was compelled to leave the city by the Kishinev authorities.

In recognition of his activities in social, civic and business affairs, Albert Berner, retiring president of the Phoenix Club, the Jewish club in Baltimore, Md. was tendered a testimonial dinner by more than 200 members of the organization Monday night.

Mr. Berner has devoted himself to charitable purposes of all creeds. He has served on different civic committees and has been prominent in promoting the arts, particularly music. He directed the United Jewish Appeal in Baltimore.

## J.D.B. NEWS LETTER

### Newark Jews Complete Survey of Local Communal Needs

(By our Newark correspondent)

Newark, Mar. 5.—Following the successful conclusion of the \$2,000,000 endowment fund campaign for the Beth Israel Hospital, the Newark Jewish community, numbering 70,000, is occupied with its many communal activities.

Under the auspices of the Conference of Jewish Charities, the Bureau of Jewish Social Research has just completed a survey of the local communal needs. Among the recommendations thus far made public is one affecting the Hebrew Orphan Asylum. The report recommends: "Organization of a department for the placing of as many children as possible in private homes instead of the orphan home, and changing the name of the institution with the elimination of the words 'orphan asylum.'"

Louis Bamberger and Felix Fuld stand out in Jewish and non-Jewish philanthropy in this city. Mr. Bamberger, through a gift of \$600,000 which made possible the establishment of the Newark Museum, has permanently written his name into the history of this city. One of the most prominent of Mr. Fuld's communal activities is the New Jersey Federation of Y.M.—Y.W.H.A.'s of which he is president.

Leaders of the Newark "Y" which has a membership of 5,000 are considering expansion of building facilities. A. J. Dimond is president of the institution, and also of the Conference of Jewish Charities of which the "Y" is one of 13 constituents. The Conference, in turn is a constituent of the Welfare Federation which seeks to meet its budget through an annual Community Chest campaign.

Conservation has two houses of worship; Temple B'nai Abraham, probably the largest in the state, of which Albert Hollander is president and Rabbi Julius Silberfeld, spiritual leaders, and Oheb Shalom Synagogue of which Herman Kussy is president, and Rabbi Charles I. Hoffman and Leon S. Lang, the rabbis. The only Reform congregation in the city, the oldest in the city and state, is Temple B'nai Jeshurun. Natha-

### SEND EMISSARY TO U. S. TO PROPAGATE BUREYA PLAN

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Moscow, Mar. 8—A journey to the United States will be made by M. Katz, secretary of the Ozet, society for settling Jews on the land.

The purpose of his journey, it was declared, will be to disseminate more information concerning the Soviet Government plan to inaugurate Jewish settlement work in the Bureya region of Siberia.

niel King is president of the congregation and Rabbi Solomon Foster, spiritual leader. The latter is also founder and president of the Clergy Club of Newark.

There is a branch of Young Israel Synagogue holding services every Sabbath.

Orthodoxy has its synagogues here—fully a score of them—and its city Talmud Torahs, which together with a parochial school, are better identified as the United Hebrew Schools of Newark, of which Dr. H. L. Gordon is principal. Outstanding among orthodox rabbis in the city is the 76 year old Hyman Brodsky, rabbi emeritus of Anshe Russia Synagogue, and head of the Rabbinical Association of New Jersey.

There are many Jewish lodges and societies in the city and the B'nai B'rith, I. O. B. A. and I. O. B. S. have large memberships. Local Jews are also well represented among Masonry, Elks, Knights of Pythias and other large orders. The Hadassah, Council of Jewish Women and U. O. T. S. have active memberships.

This city has the only Jewish normal school in New Jersey. The New Jersey Normal School for Jewish Teachers is now in its second year, having been established by Rabbi Solomon Foster, its president. Dr. Leon Mones is the director. The Y. M.—Y. W. H. A. is sponsoring an Institute of Jewish Studies.

Jews are active in the business and professional life of the city, especially in the practice of law. Supreme Court Justice Samuel Kalisch, head of the Yeshiva campaign in New Jersey, is a resident of Newark, as are also District Court Judge Louis R. Freund and Judge Joseph Siegler who presides over the Essex County Juvenile and Domestic Relations Court. A prominent Jewish physician, Dr. Max Danzic, is head of the Essex County Medical Society.

The president of the City Tax Board is Commissioner Louis A. Fast who heads the Newark Zionist District, and one of New Jersey's four Jewish assemblymen, David M. Litwin, comes from this city. Samuel I. Kessler was until recently chairman of the Essex County Democratic Committee. Louis C. Schwartz is a member of the Board of Education.

Organization of a Vaad Hakehillah represented an attempt on the part of the Orthodox element to unite the community but the Vaad languished after about year's existence.

An organization known as the "Yiddish Cultural Center" has lately been organized. The "center" is to function, as the name implies, as a Yiddish cultural medium, indirectly under "Y" auspices.

The Jewish Court of Arbitration which was organized here last year and is similar to the one in New York, has lately been re-organized with Mordecai L. Lipin, Newark lawyer at the head. Plans at being made to have it function again.

### COMPROMISE ON ELECTION ORDINANCE IN PALESTINE IS SOUGHT BY MIZRACHI

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Jerusalem, Mar. 8.—The controversy which is now raging among the various sections of Palestine Jewry in connection with the organization of internal autonomy under the Palestine Communities Ordinance may be ended if the compromise offered by the Mizrachi is accepted.

The ultra-Orthodox declined to join the Keneseth Israel, the Jewish community unit provided for in the ordinance, and are agitating for the creation of separate organizations because of their objection to woman's suffrage and because of their fears that they will be outvoted in matters of purely religious interest by a majority of non-observant and secular minded members.

The Mizrachi leadership in Palestine has now put forward a proposal which would permit women to vote but not to be elected to those offices within the Jewish community and in the central body which dealt with the purely religious aspects of the life of the community. The Mizrachi proposal also urges the Vaad Leumi, the national council of Palestine Jews, which, under the law, is to be the recognized spokesmen of the individual communities, to amend the election ordinance in other respects so that the objections of the ultra-Orthodox Jews will be removed and they will be enabled to participate in the general organization.

### DENOUNCE ANTI-SCHECHITA MOVEMENT IN BAVARIA

(J. T. A. Mail Service)

Berlin, Feb. 19.—The Federation of Jewish Ritual Slaughterers in Bavaria, which has just held its conference in Nuernberg, devoted itself to a very large extent to the movement which is being conducted in Bavaria towards bringing about a prohibition of Schechita. The conference adopted a resolution protesting against this agitation. "This conference," it says, "indignantly repudiates the allegations made by the opponents of Schechita that Schechita involves cruelty to animals thus branding those who are engaged in the practice of Schechita as being torturers of animals.

"We declare before the whole world," the resolution proceeds, "that we are no torturers of animals. When we slaughter an animal according to Jewish ritual law we do so in full realization that the God of Love, who extends his loving kindness to all his creatures, cannot demand from us an act of barbarity, and by performing this religious commandment we rather seek to exclude the possibility of

### MIZRACHI PRESENTS VIEWS ON SABBATH OBSERVANCE QUESTION IN PALESTINE

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Jerusalem, Mar. 8.—A delegation of the Mizrachi Organization, the Orthodox wing of the Zionist movement, consisting of Rabbi Ostrowski and Rabbi Landau, was received yesterday by the Attorney General of the Palestine Government.

The delegation presented its views concerning the Sabbath observance issue which has now become acute in Palestine in view of the decision of the Jaffa district court in the case of the Jewish merchant of Tel Aviv, Altschuler, that the Jewish municipality of Tel Aviv cannot enforce Sabbath observance. The court ruled that the municipal ordinance prohibiting Jewish residents of Tel Aviv to trade and work on the Sabbath was contrary to the article of the Palestine mandate guaranteeing to the inhabitants of Palestine freedom of conscience.

### SICHER TO HEAD FEDERATION BUSINESS MEN'S COUNCIL

Dudley D. Sicher, president of D. E. Sicher and Company, has liquidated his business and will devote all of his time to philanthropic work. On Wednesday evening, March 21, Mr. Sicher's entry into full-time social work as a volunteer will be marked at a dinner meeting at which Felix M. Warburg, chairman of the board of the Federation for the Support of Jewish Philanthropic Societies, will install Mr. Sicher as chairman of the Business Men's Council of the Federation.

As chairman of the Council, Mr. Sicher succeeds Percy S. Straus, who, together with Frederick Brown, will serve as honorary chairmen. Justice Joseph M. Proskauer will preside at the dinner. Bernard F. Gimbel is chairman of the committee on arrangements and Frederick Brown is the treasurer. Dr. Julius Klein, director of the Federal Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, will be among the speakers.

torturing animals. Schechita has been practised for thousands of years on the basis of Divine Law and it is an essential part of Jewish observance.

"This conference is confident that the authorities will not yield to the agitation of the opponents of Schechita who refuse to take into consideration the expressed views of some of the most authoritative men in physiological science and who seek to violate the principle of liberty of conscience in regard to the faithful members of the Jewish community and to embitter and harass their lives."

### INTERNATIONAL UNION TO RELIEVE STRICKEN POPULATIONS MEETS IN GENEVA

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Geneva, Mar. 8.—The Preparatory Committee for the International Union of Relief for populations stricken by disaster, met here to study means of facilitating the creation of the union.

The union was constituted in July, 1927. Its object is to coordinate the efforts of relief organizations in the event of disaster and, in a general way, to encourage the study of preventive measures against disasters and to induce all peoples to render mutual international assistance. It operates for the benefit of all stricken peoples regardless of race, nationality or political or religious considerations.

It is constituted between States, but contemplates close cooperation with non-official organizations such as the Red Cross societies.

Each State member of the union contributes to the constitution of an initial fund, the share being 700 Swiss francs, and the quota of each State being proportional to its contribution to the league.

The convention creating the union will enter into force when ratified or acceded to by twelve States members or non-members of the league, whose combined contributions amount to 600 shares.

The convention has so far been signed by Belgium, Bulgaria, Colombia, Cuba, Danzig, Ecuador, Finland, France, Germany, Guatemala, Italy, Monaco, Poland, Roumania, Spain, Turkey, and Uruguay.

No ratification has yet been deposited.

### JUDGE CARDOZO TRUSTEE OF COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Benjamin Nathan Cardozo, Chief Judge of the Court of Appeals of the State of New York, was elected a trustee of Columbia University to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Dr. Walker B. James last April, according to an announcement made by the university.

Judge Cardozo was a member of the class of 1889 of Columbia College and received the honorary degree of LL.D. from Columbia in 1915, from Yale in 1921, from New York University in 1922 and from the University of Michigan in 1923.

At the trustees' election President Nicholas Murray Butler of Columbia said:

"The university welcomes to its governing board in Judge Cardozo one of its most distinguished alumni as well as the university's most eminent contribution of his generation to the public life of the State and nation."

### LUBAWITCHER REBBE TELLS OF HIS EXPERIENCES; JEWISH RELIGION HAD HARD STRUGGLE

(J. T. A. Mail Service)

Warsaw, Feb. 22—The struggle which the religious Jews of Soviet Russia had to make to maintain their positions under the onslaught of the Jewish Communists, was described today by Rabbi Schneuersohn, the famous Lubawitcher Rebbe, in the course of an interview which he gave to the press on his arrival here.

In 1921, when Russia was still completely shut off from the outside world, he said, the economic position was very bad, but the persecution in the religious sphere was a thousand times worse. There was a merciless campaign against every appearance of religious feeling. The Lubawitcher Rebbe lived at the time in Rostov, far away from the Jewish centres. He decided to go to Moscow. The first secret conferences were held there, all being Lubawitcher Hassidim numbering about 1,500 to 2,000 persons. Reports were submitted on the position of Jewish religious affairs in the various places. The rabbi then approached Rabbi Rabinovitch, who has since died, asking him to convocate a conference to consider Jewish religious questions. The rabbi replied that he dared not do this, so the Lubawitcher Rebbe took the initiative himself and ten days after the conference was held. The question was dealt with in earnest for the first time at this conference. All the conferences were held in secret. From that time, the work for the revival of Jewish religious life in Russia commenced.

The Soviet Government was never so hostile to the Jewish religion as the Jewish Communists. At present the position of Jewish religious life is no longer as bad as it was before. The synagogues and Beth Medrashim are packed. There are also Yeshibas which are permitted to maintain students of the age of eighteen, but even here they are in fact persecuted by the Jewish Communists. But the Russian Jews are able to resist persecution. What they really need are funds. In this respect they must have assistance from foreign Jewry. Something is already being done in this respect, but not to a sufficient extent, the rabbi declared.

### WIDER SCOPE CAMPAIGN PROGRESSES IN NEW YORK

The Wider Scope Campaign of the Independent Order of B'nai Brith in New York City was extended through the organization of a women's division under the leadership of Mrs. Henry L. Smith, president of the Women's Auxiliary of New York Lodge No. 22, and the following vice-chairmen: Mrs. Max Rockmore, Miss Jessica Feldberg, Mrs. Ed. Steiner, Miss Fannie Klein, Miss Amy H. Lewis, Mrs. Sol W. Eckstein. Mrs. Harry H. Meyer, was elected Treasurer, and Miss Augusta Israel, Secretary.

Another step in the organization of the Campaign was the initiation of 150 new members of the B'nai Brith Lodges and 70 new members of the Women's Auxiliaries. The meeting was held under the auspices of the Metropolitan Conference of B'nai Brith Lodges, and was followed by a reception to Maurice Bloch, president of District No. 1.

It was presided over by L. E. Schlechter, Chairman of the Conference, and was addressed by Maurice P. Davidson, chairman of the Wider Scope Committee of District No. 1 and Rabbi Nathan Krass.

### ITALIAN ZIONISTS FETE PRO-PALESTINE COMMITTEE

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Rome, Mar. 8—A banquet in honor of the newly constituted Italian Pro-Palestine Committee was given last night by the Zionist Federation of Italy.

Under Secretary of Public Instruction, Professor Bodrero, and Deputy Bottai were present as representatives of the Government. Others who attended included many members of the Senate and persons prominent in the civic life of the capital.

Ciro Glass, chairman of the Zionist Federation, greeted the meeting, explaining the task of the committee and expressing the wish that the committee will be efficacious in illuminating public opinion on the reconstruction work in Palestine.

Prof. Lattes, secretary of the committee, discussed the economic and cultural relations of Palestine and Italy. Prince Scaless, chairman of the Pro-Palestine Committee, declared that the Jewish people have accomplished a historical miracle in preserving their existence. He praised the Balfour declaration, saying that what England did for the Jews, Italy views with profound sympathy. Italy, he said, is following the realization of the Zionist ideal with close interest.

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### PRESIDENT AWAITS CONGRESS ACTION BEFORE ENFORCING NATIONAL ORIGINS MEASURE

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

Washington, D. C., Mar. 8—President Coolidge understands that he could issue a proclamation between now and April 1 relative to immigration quotas under the Act of 1924, if such a plan seems desirable. Meantime, he is awaiting the action of Congress on the subject. This was stated officially yesterday. The views of the President are as follows:

There has been presented to the President the report of the Secretary of Labor, the Secretary of State, and the Secretary of Commerce concerning immigration quotas national origins under the Act of 1924. The President, however, has not had an opportunity as yet to go into the report in detail.

The report was requested by an order of the Senate that it be transmitted to that body for its information, and it has been sent to the Senate.

The President understands that the Senate asked for the report with a view to the enactment of legislation on the subject. Pending a decision by Congress on the question, the President has not taken up the matter himself.

### 250 ARRESTED IN LEMBERG WHEN STUDENTS CONTINUE ANTI-JEWISH EXCESSES

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The released prisoners declared they will start proceedings against the authorities for damages.

Warsaw, Mar. 8—Tadeusz Dymowski, notorious Polish anti-Semitic leader, former member of parliament and director of the anti-Jewish boycott organization, Rozwoj, collapsed in his prison cell when he was informed that he had not been re-elected to the Sejm.

Dymowski, against whom charges of fraud and swindle were formulated in connection with his activities in the boycott organization, was imprisoned several months ago. His friends included him in the list of their party for parliamentary election in the hope that his election would secure him immunity from the courts. He was transferred to the prison hospital.



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