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RUSSIAN MONARCHISTS BLAMED FOR SPREAD OF ANTI-SEMITISM IN SOVIET

**'Pravda' Declares Anti-Semitism is
Worst Enemy of Soviet**
(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Moscow, May 3.—The propaganda of the secret branches of the Russian monarchist organizations abroad was blamed for the spread of anti-Semitism in the Soviet Union by the "Pravda," official Soviet organ.

In an article published by the newspaper on April 30 against the anti-Semitic tendencies the paper declares: "These (the monarchist organizations), our enemies, use the anti-Semitic propaganda to provoke distrust in our authority, circulating it whenever there is unemployment, discontent or economic difficulties. They penetrate the ranks of the politically immature workers and unemployment affords them a basis for their propaganda among Government employees."

The "Pravda" urges the eradication of anti-Semitism as the worst enemy of the Soviets and the workers.

CANADA MUST NOT BECOME 'MELTING POT' IS PLEA

"Canada must not become another melting pot; we must keep Canada British," stated Albert Chamberlain of Toronto, President of the British Welfare and Welfare League, in appearing before the Agricultural Committee of the House considering immigration problems, according to a Canadian press despatch from Ottawa.

ZIONIST IS INSULTING TERM, SOVIET COURT DECLARES

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Moscow, May 3.—Deborah Polovinchik, a Jewish girl of Charkov, was ordered by the Soviet criminal court to apologize and to pay the costs of the trial, for calling a non-Zionist a Zionist.

Abraham Danziger, a resident of Charkov, brought the suit claiming that by terming a Zionist, Miss Polovinchik had insulted him.

JEWISH MUSIC FESTIVAL WILL BE HELD IN LONDON

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

London, May 3.—A Jewish music festival will be held in London June 4 to 6. Lord Rothschild will preside at the first gathering to stimulate interest in Jewish music. The festival is being sponsored by the "Jewish Chronicle."

FOUR NEW MEMBERS CHOSEN TO FILL VACANCIES ON Z. O. ADMINISTRATIVE COMMITTEE

**Herman Bernstein, Jonah Goldstein,
Robbins and Cohen Elected; Mor-
rison to Head Finance Committee**

Four new members were unanimously elected to the Administrative Committee of the Zionist Organization of America, at a meeting held Wednesday night. The new elections were made to fill vacancies caused by the recent resignations.

The new members are Herman Bernstein, author and playwright; Jacob H. Cohen, chairman of the advisory board of the World Exchange Bank and president of the Provident Finance Corporation of Brooklyn, active in Zionist and Jewish welfare work; Jonah J. Goldstein, prominent New York attorney, vice chairman of the United Jewish Campaign of New York and chairman of the Jewish Education Association campaign committee; and Herman G. Robbins, New York attorney, for many years a member of the Executive Committee of the Z.O.

At the time of the election of the new members of the Administrative Committee, the Finance Committee of the Zionist Organization was reorganized and new members elected. Isidore D. Morrison, attorney and financier, was elevated to the Chairmanship of the Finance Committee. Jacob H. Cohen, new member of the Administrative Committee, was made a member of the Finance Committee. Morris Weinberg, Vice-President of the Municipal Bank of Brooklyn, and Treasurer of the Brownsville Savings Bank, was also elected a member of the Finance Committee. Mr. Weinberg is also Trustee of the Bellevue and Allied Hospital, Vice-President of Hias, and a Director of the Brooklyn Federation of Charities.

The other members of the Finance Committee are Morris Rothenberg, Philip Wattenberg, Louis Topkis, A. L. Liebovitz, Harry Fierst and Isaac Meister.

LOWENTHAL, LEADING RABBI OF BERLIN, PASSES AWAY

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Berlin, May 3. — Rabbi Abraham Lowenthal, Conservative, died here today at the age of sixty.

Rabbi Lowenthal was very influential during the World War in bringing relief to the East European Jewish war prisoners.

JEWISH FAMILIES ROUTED IN LATVIAN TOWN FIRE

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Riga, May 2.—Fifty Jewish families lost their homes in Borokoye, Latvia, when the town was destroyed by fire last night.

'BOSTON POST' ASKS OFFICIAL RECOGNITION BY CONGRESS OF CHARLES LEVINE'S FLIGHT

**Calls Upon Congress to Award Dis-
tinguished Flying Cross**
(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

Boston, May 3.—The "Boston Morning Post," the largest morning newspaper circulated in New England, in an editorial entitled "How About Levine?" comments on the failure of the United States Congress to recognize Chas. Levine the first passenger to fly across the Atlantic. The newspaper in its editorial declares that Levine receives nothing from his flight, but an official cold shoulder. "Congress should wake up," concludes the editorial, "to the valid claims of American citizens for the honors due heroes."

"Both Houses of Congress performed a graceful act in voting authority to the President to bestow the Distinguished Flying Cross on the three gallant members of the crew of the Bremen. The award was not alone deserved, but Congress was commendably prompt in recognizing the wonderful flight," the paper writes.

"It is pertinent to inquire, however, if Congress has ever heard of Charles A. Levine? Or of Brock and Schlee of Detroit, who not alone hopped across the Atlantic, but continued on to Tokio, Japan, in a record-breaking series of flights? "Levine, Brock and Schlee are, without the least disparagement of the flight of the Bremen, as much entitled to recognition by Congress as the German and Irish fliers. Mr. Levine, in particular, has not received the slightest recognition for his management and participation in what was, from several standpoints, the great-

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POLICE BAR ROUMANIAN STUDENTS FROM NATIONAL CELEBRATION IN KISHINEFF

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Bucharest, May 3. — Two hundred Roumanian students who were preparing to leave Jassy for Kishineff to participate in the Roumanian celebrations of Bessarabia's incorporation into the Kingdom of Roumania were prevented by the police from carrying out their plan.

The measure was taken because of the fear of excesses. The Roumanian press reports that 100,000 visitors from all over Roumania came to Kishineff to participate in the celebrations. Vigorous measures were taken by the police and the military to prevent disorders. No disturbances occurred.

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LOS ANGELES KEHILLAH
ADOPTS CONSTITUTION

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

Los Angeles, Cal. May 3. — With thirty-one organizations represented the Kehillah of Los Angeles adopted its constitution.

Sixty-two delegates, two from each of the various organizations, met as a board of governors with Dr. George J. Sayim, president of the Kehillah, presiding, and discussed the various articles, adopting the constitution almost as reported by the committee, by unanimous vote.

The constitution was prepared by the officers elected at a general meeting, including J. A. Rosenkrantz, Aaron Shapiro, Mrs. Albert Mellinkoff, Moses Tannenbaum, Dr. J. L. Reynolds, vice president, and A. Fisch, treasurer.

The California Jewish Voice, Yiddish paper published in Los Angeles, has suspended daily publication. The paper will appear as a weekly.

A. Wohlner is editor of the paper. The paper began publication as a daily in December 1927.

LORD MAYOR WILL OPEN
LONDON JEWISH HOSPITAL

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

London, May 3.—The Lord Mayor of London will open the new extension of the Jewish Hospital. The opening exercises will take place on May 23.

LEAGUE OF BRITISH JEWS
SAYS IT WILL CONTINUE TO
ADVOCATE ITS PRINCIPLES

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

London, May 3. — Doubts as to whether "the continued existence of the League of British Jews is necessary" are answered in the tenth annual report of the organization, a non-Zionist body, issued in connection with the forthcoming annual meeting on May 9.

The question was raised in the report which declares that "during 1927 the League was not needed to take any action requiring public notice." With the decline of the attacks on the political status of British Jews and the League's aims have been realized.

Settlement of the Palestinian question "in approximation with the principles of the League of British Jews," it is urged, the report states, that the

In reply to these doubts the report declares: "This plea has force but it would be shortsighted to ignore the fact that even in this country signs exist of some opposition to the principles on which the Jews obtained complete civil and political emancipation. Moreover, the continued existence of the League is a standing protest and barrier against anyone seeking to foist on the Jews an additional bond of nationality above the religious one which for 2,000 years has sufficed to unite them in spiritual brotherhood." The report is signed by Lionel Rothschild, president of the United Synagogue who is also president of the League. The League is described as an association of British subjects professing the Jewish religion.

SILVERMAN RESIGNATION
ACCEPTED BY HADASSAH

The resignation of Mrs. Archibald Silverman from the vice-presidency of the Hadassah women's Zionist organization, was accepted by the National Board of Hadassah, it was announced yesterday.

"Let us hope that you will in time come, if not to agree with us, at least to recognize that our actions are directed not by 'a spirit of rancor and hatred,' as you declare, but only by our deep concern as Zionists.

"Please believe that while necessarily accepting your resignation we are not unmindful of the excellent service you have long rendered Hadassah in unstinted measure," the National Board declared in their letter regretfully accepting the resignation.

Professor Salo Baron of the Department of History of the Jewish Institute of Religion has been called to the Jewish Seminary of Breslau to fill the Chair of Jewish History. Professor Baron has not yet announced his decision as to whether he will accept the invitation.

WORKERS CONFERENCE FLAYS
SOVIET FOR SUPPRESSION OF
CHALUTZIM ORGANIZATION

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

Detroit, May 3.—The Jewish National Workers Alliance at the closing session of its eleventh annual convention at the Hotel Statler here, reelected Meyer Brown, President; Louis Segal, Secretary and Nathan Zwirin, Vice-President. An executive committee of eleven was elected. A treasurer is to be chosen by a referendum vote of the entire membership, Dr. A. Grossman and R. Plottrott being the candidates.

A resolution adopted by the convention decided that the twelfth or thirteenth convention of the Verband will be held in Palestine and negotiations are to be begun immediately for such arrangements with the Palestine Jewish labor party.

Colonization in Russia was endorsed but the Yevsekts were assailed and the Soviet Government attacked for withdrawing the legalization of the HeChalutz. An invitation to the Jewish International Labor Congress was accepted. A resolution to place a special tax on membership for schools was defeated.

NEW JEWISH GOLF CLUB
FORMED BY OUSTED MEMBERS

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

Milwaukee, Wis., May 3.—Following on the attempt of the Michiwaukee golf club to eliminate Jews from its membership comes the announcement of the progress that the Brynwood country club, the new Jewish organization of golf enthusiasts, is making.

Morris Stern is president of the Brynwood club. It was he who sent his resignation voluntarily to the Michiwaukee club as soon as he heard of the Michiwaukee's action Mr. Stern, who is a circuit court commissioner and former member of the Milwaukee school board, announced that nine fairways and greens will be ready for play by the middle of July and that the entire 18 holes will be ready a year from now.

Dr. L. Koppel is secretary of the club. It has a membership now of eighty-six and is limiting its members to 300.

TWO NEW YORK JEWS ELECTED
MIZRACHI BANK DIRECTORS

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Jerusalem, May 3.—Joseph Dauber and Max Stavitsky, both of New York, were elected directors of the Mizrahi Bank at the annual meeting held here.

The report and proposals of the directorate, including a decision to pay a four per cent dividend this year and reduce the discount by one-half of one percent, were approved. Assignments to the Keren Hayesod, the Keren Kayemeth and the Mizrahi Palestine Fund were also approved.

MORRISON, Z. O. FINANCE HEAD, REPLIES TO ATTACK IN OPEN LETTER TO JUDGE MACK

Expresses Surprise That Judge Mack Should Have Presided at Opposition Conference in Washington; Answers Attacks in Resolution

An open letter to Judge Julian W. Mack was made public yesterday by Isidore D. Morrison, New York attorney and chairman of the finance committees of the Zionist Organization of America and the United Palestine Appeal.

Other than to acknowledge receipt of the letter, no reply from Judge Mack was made public.

In his letter, in which he replies to some of the charges against the present Zionist Administration contained in the resolution adopted by the opposition conference Mr. Morrison expresses his surprise that a judge had consented to preside over the proceedings in Washington.

"For the past four years," Mr. Morrison continues, "I have devoted myself assiduously to the work of the Zionist Organization and its subsidiaries. My work has not been sporadic but continuous and was frequently done at the sacrifice of my health. You have done me the honor of stating that you believe in my integrity and sincerity of purpose and that you know that I had no axe to grind. Associated with me in this work are many men of prominence in the Jewish community of New York, such as Mr. Abraham L. Liebowitz, who occupies first rank among our Jewish merchants, Mr. Philip Watenberg who is a prominent builder and who has contributed \$100,000 to the Hebrew University, Dr. David J. Kaliski, a prominent physician with whom you have been long associated in Palestine health work, Mr. Morris Rothenberg, an attorney of prominence and of ability, in whom, I know, you have confidence, and many other men of equal standing. If rumors of mismanagement or diversion of funds were brought to you, the fair thing, the judicial thing to have done would have been to send for me or for any of the other gentlemen prominent in the administration and say to them, 'Gentlemen, such and such allegations have been brought to me, such and such accusations have been made. What are the facts?' You would have gotten them. You could have gone further and said, 'Gentlemen, my many years of labor for Palestine entitles me to know what is being done with the collections that are being made in this country and I, therefore, demand that you permit a committee appointed by me to examine your books and records.' That request would also have been acceded to, but you did neither of these things. Instead, you presided at a conference which culminated in a barrage of mud. This conference had neither facts nor figures before it; its delibera-

tions were based upon hearsay evidence furnished by men known to you to be prejudiced and you did not lift a voice in protest but on the contrary lent this proceeding the dignity of your name and your position.

"Let me point out to you that a prominent figure in the conference was the former chairman of our Finance Committee who received the full backing of the organization while occupying that position but who now criticizes the very acts for which he was responsible. A great portion of those present were persons who have never been identified with Palestine work and have never, as far as it can be ascertained, contributed to Palestine funds.

"Mr. Felix Frankfurter, the chairman of your Committee on Resolutions, expressed pride in the fact that he has not been a member of the Zionist Organization for seven years and yet the opening sentence of your address to the assembly was as follows: 'We have gathered here today to take counsel with one another as members of the Zionist Organization of America.'

"Permit to take up, one by one, the resolutions adopted by your conference:

"(1) This deals with the American Zion Commonwealth. The situation in reference to the Amzic has been sufficiently explained in the statement of Louis Lipsky, the president of the Zionist Organization of America, which appeared in the daily press. That statement clearly shows that the Zionist Organization of America has made itself morally responsible for the Amzic as long back as 1918 when you were president of the organization. I am not going to discuss the Amzic situation any further except to add that even assuming, but not conceding, that the expenditure of large sums of money for the rehabilitation of the Amzic constituted a diversion of funds, it should be borne in mind that the Commonwealth was instrumental in establishing several flourishing colonies in Palestine and acquiring large tracts of land surrounding Haifa Bay, which land is considered of tremendous value even by the Palestine Economic Corporation. It would have been short of criminal for the Zionist Organization and the U. P. A. to stand aside and permit this property, settled by Jews, to be lost to those who are developing it.

"(2) This point deals with the deficit of the Palestine Securities, Inc. This was a corporation organized for the purpose of selling the bonds of the General Mortgage Bank of Palestine in the American market. After the organization of the corporation it was

found that certain technical difficulties prevented the marketing of the bonds on a large scale. The attempt entailed an outlay of money and the deficit was less than \$10,000. This amount is called in the resolution 'relatively enormous.'

"(3) This states that the reason remittances have not been made regularly to Palestine is because the present administration has lost the confidence of the public. That, of course, is a conclusion based upon no facts at your disposal and a statement that the reason for the falling off in our collections was due to south winds would have been entitled to equal weight. As a matter of fact, however, our collections have not fallen down and by the end of the year we shall have remitted in full, notwithstanding the fact that all our field directors report that the campaigns have suffered tremendously by reasons of the mud singing indulged in by some of the leaders of Hadassah and some of the persons who attended your conference.

"(4) The statement is made that by reason of its inexperience, incompetence, etc., the American organization exercised no influence on the World Zionist Organization or the Palestine Zionist Executive. The facts are to the contrary. The American delegation at the last Zionist Congress dominated the proceedings of that gathering and carried through the program decided upon at the last Zionist Convention. The reforms instituted in the administration in Palestine are directly due to the influence of the Zionist Organization of America.

"(5) The Zionist organization is accused of having failed to utilize the available resources for the economic upbuilding in Palestine. How it failed to do this does not appear. No one can point to a serious proposition for the upbuilding of Palestine that ever came to the Zionist organization that was not properly considered.

"(6) The accusation was made at the conference that the Zionist Organization of America has lost in membership. To that accusation we must plead guilty. But, my dear Judge Mack, if you were sitting in our committees, as you had a right to if you chose to do so, and heard read the almost daily cables from Palestine reciting hunger, starvation, unpaid wages and general distress and you were confronted with the problem of either devoting the personnel of the organization for increased membership or gathering of funds for Palestine, which course would you have pursued?

"The mountain has labored and gave birth to a mouse. Well meaning people from all over the country were called together and instead of appealing to them to help in the tremendous work that is before us they were filled with

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a lot of vague, indefinite and untrue accusations. You, as presiding judge at a trial, would not permit such flimsy and unsupported evidence to be submitted to a jury and yet you permitted this great undertaking of Palestine up-building to be unscrupulously lashed and besmirched at this lamentable conference.

"No, my dear Judge Mack, Palestine will not be built by conferences of this kind. It will not be built by using the public press to instill suspicion and animosities against those who have labored hard and conscientiously to give to the work of upbuilding the best that was in them. If our best men, among whom I count you, lend a hand to such destructive work, what can be expected of the general public?"

LAY CORNERSTONE TODAY OF NEW TEMPLE EMANU-EL

The laying of the cornerstone of Temple Emanu-El at Fifth Avenue and Sixty-fifth street, will take place today at four o'clock.

Louis Marshall, president of the congregation, and Dr. H. G. Enelow will be the speakers. Dr. Samuel Schulman and Dr. Nathan Krass will offer the opening and closing prayers.

Trustees of the temple, officers of affiliated organizations and rabbis of other congregations will be present at the ceremonies.

The new Temple Emanu-El, representing an amalgamation with Temple Beth-El, is being erected at a cost of \$3,000,000.

ZIONIST CONVENTION TO BE HELD IN WASHINGTON

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

Detroit, May 3.—The national convention of the Zionist Organization of America, originally scheduled to be held in Detroit the latter part of June, will instead convene in Washington, D. C., according to the "Detroit Jewish Chronicle."

A gift of \$2,500 a year for a period of five years to the Department of Art and Archaeology at Princeton University has just been made by Otto Kahn of New York. Part of this fund is to help finance the publications of the department and the remainder is to be devoted to the continuation of the special lectures in art, archaeology, architecture and civilization which were initiated two years ago with Mr. Kahn's help, by Gabriel Miller at the College de France.

Lectures of the current year were given by Prof. John Gwynne of the University of Liverpool.

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"Congress should wake up to the valid claims of American citizens for the honors due heroes. The Distinguished Flying Cross should be given to Levine, Brock and Schlee without delay. Surely they have earned it," the editorial concludes.

The establishment of the first Summer Nutrition Camp for rural Jewish children, was announced by Mrs. Elmer Eekhouse, national chairman of the Department of Farm and Rural Work of the National Council of Jewish Women. The camp which will be known as the Country Camp for Country Children, will be situated at Newton, Connecticut, eighteen miles from Bridgeport, and will cover five acres of land which were donated to the Council's Department of Farm and Rural Work.

Building plans for the proposed Jewish Community Center in Staten Island were filed with the Bureau of Buildings.

The new building, according to the plans, is estimated to cost \$80,000 and will be erected on Victory Boulevard.

The Home of the Daughters of Israel moved into its new quarters on 106th street between Lexington and Park avenues, New York. The Home was formerly located at 1250 Fifth avenue.

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