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KLAN FIGHTS NOMINATION OF N. J. JEWISH CANDIDATE FOR CONGRESSIONAL SEAT

**Klan Sentiment Massed Against
Major Melniker of Bayonne**
(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

Bayonne, N. J.—The fight of Maj. Aaron A. Melniker, former city attorney, for the Republican nomination for United States Representative from the Eighth Congressional District of New Jersey has developed into a fight not only on the issues of the campaign but also against the oral spreading of anti-Semitic propaganda, it became known here today.

From well-authenticated sources has come the information that Ku Klux Klan sentiment is being massed to cause the defeat of Maj. Melniker at the primaries on May 15, when he will be opposed for the nomination by John DeGraw, of Newark, and Fred Hartley, of Kearny. Neither of these candidates is mentioned as a participant in the Klan activities to deprive their Bayonne rival of votes.

The charge of the propaganda is that Maj. Melniker is the active head of a local secret Kehillah serving as a unit in a world-wide movement of the Jewish people to gain control of economic and governmental forces in order to bring about subjugation of other peoples.

Maj. Melniker has made no particular appeal to the Jewish voters. He has been conducting his campaign along party lines, clarifying his stand on the issues in every part of the Eighth Congressional District.

NAME BRIDGE FOR AUTHOR OF GERMAN CONSTITUTION

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)
Berlin, May 11. — Hugo Preuss, author of the draft of the Weimer constitution of the Republic of Germany, was honored today at the opening exercises of the new Berlin bridge.

The bridge, which is 170 meters long and 40 meters wide, was named after Hugo Preuss. Leading German statesmen participated in the exercises.

GOVERNING BOARDS OF THE HEBREW UNIVERSITY TO MEET

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)
London, May 11.—A meeting of the Academic Council of the Hebrew University in Jerusalem will be held here on June third. The Board of Governors of the University will meet on the two days following, June 4 and 5.

DR. JOSEPH KRIMSKY RESIGNS FROM PRESIDENCY OF THE JEWISH NATIONAL FUND

**Step Due to Disagreement With
J.N.F. Administration**

Dr. Joseph Krinsky, president of the Jewish National Fund of America, resigned from his post, according to a statement issued by him yesterday.

"I regret that about three months ago I found it necessary to resign from my office as president of the Jewish National Fund of America because my attempts at systematizing the bureau and making it more fruitful and efficient were hampered and obstructed," Dr. Krinsky stated. "I have refrained thus far from making my resignation public out of consideration for the success of the United Palestine Appeal. I am constrained at present to make this matter public owing to the fact that the National Fund Administrative Committee, while refusing to accept my resignation, has, without my sanction and approval, taken certain attitudes in the present Zionist situation in America, with which

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ITALY MAY GUARANTEE LOAN OF ZIONIST ORGANIZATION

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Jerusalem, May 11. — The Italian Government will be asked to guarantee the international loan which the World Zionist Organization is seeking to obtain under the auspices of the League of Nations, it was learned here.

It was stated that the purpose of Sir Alfred Mond's visit to Rome is to obtain the consent of the Italian Government to guarantee the loan together with England, France and Germany.

ANDRE MAUROIS STATES HE IS OF JEWISH ORIGIN

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

London, May 11.—Andre Maurois, well known French writer and author of the new biography of Disraeli, is of Jewish origin, according to a statement he made in response to a question of the "London Jewish Chronicle."

"My grandfather was a Jew, my grandmother a Protestant," M. Maurois stated. "I was brought up in no religion whatever and married a Roman Catholic. My children are Roman Catholics. Personally I have no religion, but live more as a Christian than a Jew. My family has been French for a large number of generations."

JEWISH LAWYERS TO PRESENT RIGHTS OF HEBREW IN COURTS TO PALESTINE GOVERNMENT

**New Organization Urges Court Rights
of Women Attorneys**
(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Jerusalem, May 11.—The establishment of an all-Palestine organization of Jewish lawyers was officially announced at a conference held here. A central committee was elected composed of Dr. Eliash, Dr. Zmoira, Messrs. Auster, Lavon of Jerusalem; Ben Meir and Zeiger of Tel Aviv, and Dr. Weinshel of Haifa.

The Committee was instructed to submit a memorandum to the Government demanding that the rights of the Hebrew language in the Courts should be observed. A decision obliging members of the organization to address the Courts in Hebrew only was passed.

Other resolutions urge that women lawyers should be given the right to appear before the Courts, that the Lawyers' Organization be given the opportunity to see every draft ordinance prior to publication, that the judgments of the High Court be published in Hebrew and that a fixed honorarium for lawyers be established and approved by the Government.

Distribution of certificates and diplomas to the graduates of the School of Legal Studies took place here with the Chief Justice distributing the diplomas.

Fourteen persons received diplomas, 11 Jews and 3 Arabs. Diplomas are given to those who underwent examinations not only in Palestine but also in part of English Law.

CONGREGATION SUES FOR ITS TEMPLE DESTROYED BY FIRE

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

Fall River, Mass., May 11.—Members of the congregation of Temple Beth-El of this city have filed suit in Bristol County Superior court, Taunton, Mass., against the Thomas A. Elstrom Wrecking Company of Boston, seeking to recover \$75,000 as a result of the Fall River fire of Feb. 2. The wrecking company was dismantling the old Pocasset mill in this city, where the fire started.

The members of the congregation charge that the fire which destroyed their temple spread from the Posasset mill. The fire, they charge, was caused by negligence of the wrecking company.

The synagogue was the only house of worship to be razed by the great fire that wiped away the heart of the business section here.

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HEBREW UNIVERSITY TESTS
NUTRITIVE VALUE OF BREAD
(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Jerusalem, May 11.—Investigation of a claim made by a Palestinian chemist that bread prepared by a special method devised by him has qualities not contained in ordinary bread and has a higher nutritive value was undertaken by the Hebrew University and the Hadasah Medical Organization with the help of a grant received through Judge Julian W. Mack of New York. Arrangements were made for a special investigation to be carried out at the University under the supervision of the Institute of Chemistry, and the Department of Hygiene, of the Hebrew University.

Experiments were conducted with human subjects and animals in order to determine the effect of the germination of wheat prior to the manufacture of the bread on the resorptive quality and higher available vitamins and protein content of such bread. The results of the experiments did not support the claim that bread thus especially prepared was of appreciably higher value than whole wheat bread. At the same time certain points of interest were ascertained. It developed that germination improves the nutritive value of the wheat, that bread in general has a higher nutritive value than wheat, but that neither whole wheat bread nor the especially prepared bread can serve as a complete diet.

Experiments on the subject of human nutrition are being continued.

CINCINNATI CONFERENCE
DISCUSSES LEADING SOCIAL
SERVICE PROBLEMS IN U. S.Samuel Goldsmith, Nominated for
President; Elections Today

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

Cincinnati, May 11.—The problem of Jewish education, child welfare work and the need of further popularization of social work were taken up at the second day's sessions of the National Conference of Jewish Social Service, the National Association of Jewish Community Center Secretaries and the National Council for Jewish Education which are holding their conventions at the Hotel Sinton here.

Harry L. Glucksman of New York presided at a meeting of the center secretaries at which Dr. Arthur E. Morgan spoke on adult education. "The normal span of life today," he said, "is sixty-five years. Because of this and because individuals today have more leisure than in former years, we must develop a program of adult education for adventure and fine living in mature life."

At the same session Milton M. Alexander of Detroit declared that the Jewish public must be educated as to the work that is being done by the Jewish social agencies. This can best be done through a scientific use of the accepted media of public information, he stated.

At the educators meeting, Dr. Samson Benderly explained the work of the Jewish home institute. Correspondence courses are being given to mothers to help them rear their children in a proper Jewish manner. Appropriate books were supplied to give the child a good foundation for later Jewish study.

Philip L. Seman of Chicago led the secretaries in a symposium on adult education. Mr. Seman outlined the various courses the Jewish people's institutions give for the average citizen who cannot attend regular universities. Dr. Louis Pechstein of Cincinnati, Samuel Gerson of Omaha, Harold H. Levin of New York and William Kolodney of Pittsburgh participated in the discussion.

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PALESTINE TO ACQUIRE THE
WORKS OF NATIONAL ARTISTS

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Jerusalem, May 11.—The Palestine Government will acquire from time to time works of Palestine artists, to remain the property of the nation, it was decided at the suggestion of Lord Plumer, the High Commissioner.

From the exhibits at the Jewish Art Show now being held at the Citadel, a painting was selected to be purchased out of a special fund to be raised in large part from private subscriptions. The picture selected is "The Family," by Mr. Rubin of Tel Aviv. The commission which made the selection consisted of Mr. Harrison, Mrs. MacDonnell, and Mr. Van Vriesland.

ABE CAHAN STIRS GARMENT
WORKERS CONFERENCE IN
PLEA AGAINST COMMUNISTSUrges All Factions to Unite for Re-
election of Sigman

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

Boston, May 11.—A strong plea for all the factions to unite and re-elect Morris Sigman, president of the International Ladies Garment Workers Union, was sounded by Abraham Cahan, editor of the "Jewish Daily Forward" at the convention in session here. The dramatic appeal caused enthusiasm among delegates favoring the present leadership in the International

Described as the "father of the Jewish labor movement" by Morris Sigman, who declared it was Cahan who stood behind him in his struggles, the speaker declared in his address that it would be a severe blow to the cause of trade unionism and particularly to the battle that is being waged against the Communists to "drop the pilot" after he has steered the ship almost to safety.

Cahan criticized those who propose the referendum on the election as a means to defeat the re-election of the present leadership of the International. "I stand here as a real friend of every faction in the hall, there are absolutely no factions in my heart," he declared.

"I am looking for an adjustment where nobody shall be vanquished and after studying the situation I am convinced that there is a way out of the middle," Mr. Cahan continued. "I would be a most wretched man indeed if I saw my point of view triumph at the expense of engendering a feeling of resentment and defeat. I hope that the rank and file of the delegates won't leave this convention before you re-establish peace and real strength in your organization."

"This world is a world of compromise. You must be ready to bow your head to necessity and compromise in the interest of the great cause that you all represent. Nobody has the right to say 'Here comes the editor of a paper who is butting into our affairs.' All these forty-two years and particularly during the last two years I have been actively connected with your union. There was not a day but that Sigman would come down to my office to consult me. Both sides consulted me. Brother Breslaw come to see me several times and so did Dubinsky."

"We were together day and night in our fight against that terrible monster, 'Communism.' The work of forty-five years was at stake. You know their methods — smash, break, pulverize, destroy anybody and everything. But in destroying everything they destroyed themselves."

COURT RESERVES DECISION ON SABBATH OBSERVANCE

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Jerusalem, May 11. — The Supreme Court heard the appeal lodged by the Attorney General against the judgment of the District Court of Jaffa in the case of the shopkeeper Altschuller of Tel Aviv who had been fined for keeping his shop open on the Sabbath.

The Attorney General argued that the observance of the Sabbath in a purely Jewish area should be made legally binding on all Jews in that area.

Judgment was reserved.

CHARGES AGAINST GERMAN JEWISH BANKER DROPPED

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Berlin, May 11.—The charges against Walter Loeb, president of the Thuringian State Bank, were dropped by a decision of the authorities.

A trial in the criminal court against Herr Loeb was begun four years ago at the instigation of the leaders of the anti-Semitic Voelkische party, under the leadership of the notorious German anti-Semite, Arthur Dinter.

IMMIGRANT AID CONTEST OPEN TO NON-JEWISH WOMEN

The Annual Prize Essay Contest of the Department of Immigrant Aid and Immigrant Education, of the National Council of Jewish Women, has been opened this year to the participation of non-Jewish, as well as Jewish, foreign-born women.

The subjects chosen for this year's contest are "English Books I Have Read and Enjoyed", "Present Day Americans I Admire", and "How American Institutions Have Been Helpful to Me and to My Family". The contest will close on July 1.

Mr. Cahan referred to D. Dubinsky, vice-president of the International, as a "civilized enemy." He suggested Shiplakof and Zaritzky, leaders of trade unionism, as arbitrators who could restore order and peace within the union. Appealing to the delegates to uphold Sigman, Mr. Cahan said "You will commit one of the greatest crimes in history if you let yourself be deluded and fooled by the objections of those who want Sigman out. This is one of those cases where the referendum is a bluff and a fake and I hope it will go down in dust." Mr. Cahan said that Dubinsky and Breslau will not ruin the union, referring to reports current that the New York organizations would sabotage the International and defy its leaders if their program is defeated.

About seventy additional resolutions were introduced yesterday making more than 119 that will have to be acted upon in closing days of the convention.

J. D. B. NEWS LETTER

Canada's Immigration Policy May Be Changed; Urge Quota

(By our Montreal Correspondent)

Montreal, May 10.—That non-British immigrants, particularly from Central European countries, were crowding into Canada and that it was urgent that the Canadian Government adopt a quota system, were the salient points debated before the Immigration inquiry being conducted by the Canadian Government at Ottawa.

Albert Chamberlain, of Toronto, who is at the head of the British Welcome and Welfare League, stated that Canadian immigration facilities were not conducive to British immigration. The League is said to be a public, philanthropic, non-denominational institution whose purpose is to welcome the immigrant in Canada and help him to get work.

"We must not become another melting pot," declared Mr. Chamberlain before the Immigration Inquiry. "At no time should the influx of continental immigrants exceed the British. The British Government is willing to assist financially the movement of bringing British people to Canada if the Dominion or Ontario Government both or either would go in on the scheme on a fifty-fifty basis. We could bring 50,000 Britishers to Canada every year under such a scheme. If this offer is turned down, then I will conclude that Canada does not want British immigrants."

The establishment of a colonization bureau of statistics, adoption of a quota system and co-operation of immigration activities in England were the strong recommendations made by a Miss Margaret Mackie, of Montreal, at the sitting of the inquiry yesterday. Miss Mackie has been engaged in immigration work in the British Isles.

The new system introduced by the Government last year, whereby prospective immigrants were examined by Canadian doctors at the English ports of embarkment, also came in for severe criticism at yesterday's sessions.

The new Canadian medical system is antagonizing prospective British immigrants, stated the Hon. George Langley, former minister in Saskatchewan. Mr. Langley told the committee on immigration that the bringing of Canadian doctors into Great Britain had been resented by the British medical men and by the would-be settler. Mr. Langley was also alarmed at the number of aliens pouring into the Province of Saskatchewan. "We are building a British nation in Canada,"

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AMERICAN CONTROVERSY PUZZLES ZIONISTS ABROAD

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

London, May 11.—The controversy within the ranks of American Zionists is little understood among the leading Zionists of Europe. Various attempts are being made by the Zionist group to put their own interpretation on the issues involved in the controversy.

The "London Jewish Chronicle," commenting today editorially declares that the controversy seems to be "a jumble of contentions in which every one's hand is directed against his neighbor." The newspaper observes that it is difficult to see from a distance a clear cut issue. "The common nexus appears to be the discontent with the progress of the movement in America and the feeling that American Jewry is not doing its full share in the Palestine adventure and hence the anxiety to remedy the defect.

"Although the main motive is the desire to help the Zionist movement in America," the paper continues, "one cannot doubt that considerable damage will result to the movement from the discord. We shall not be surprised at all if this is soon realized and the quarrel brought to an end.

"Things in America being as they are, we should think that Dr. Weizmann would see the necessity to avoid diluting the movement by accepting cooperation on the part of persons who are frankly opposed to the basic principles of Zionism. The movement needs strengthening, not diluting," the paper observes.

The "Juedische Rundschau," the Berlin organ of German Zionism, recalls that it was Henrietta Szold who, at the last Zionist convention in Atlantic City, restored peace when the anti-Lipsky move commenced.

"A greater task now awaits Miss Szold" the paper writes, "since the Hadassah seems to be the kernel of the opposition. The differences are those that exist between the eastern and western section of Zionism. We cannot afford to lose either. It would be idle to make proposals from a distance regarding the question of persons in the American organization, but it is impossible that with the realization of the necessity, no way out can be found.

"The cardinal interests of the entire movement are involved. It is not an internal American affair only. The Zionist world expects Miss Szold to intervene. She can play an historic role in the history of the movement if the American movement is compelled to rise to the heights where the interest of the entire movement are considered," the German Zionists' organ states.

CINCINNATI CONFERENCE DISCUSSES LEADING SOCIAL SERVICE PROBLEMS IN U. S.

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Dr. Joseph A. Rosen, head of the Agrojoint, addressed a joint session of the three bodies in the evening. He illustrated his description of conditions in Russia and the work of the Agrojoint with stereopticon slides of the Jewish colonies. Dr. Julian Morganstern presided.

Dr. John Slawson spoke on Jewish education as a Jewish social function. He advocated overcoming the feeling of inferiority felt by many Jews through proper training in all forms of Hebrew and Jewish culture. E. J. London of the Jewish Welfare Board and Dr. Isaac B. Berkson of Palestine, led the discussion.

A dinner to the members of the National Council was tendered by the Board of Managers of the Department of Synagogue and School Extension of the Union of American Hebrew Congregations. Rabbi George Zepin, director of the department, greeted the delegates.

Social work publicity has not kept pace with the growth of social work during the last decade. Mrs. Ray Wechsler, supervisor of the Bronx district of the Jewish Social Service Association, started to the social service conference. Kurt Feiser, superintendent of the United Jewish Social Agencies of Cincinnati, presided at the session devoted to family and child welfare.

Mrs. Wechsler expressed the opinion that federations of Jewish charities and community chests in taking over the function of propaganda permitted constituent agencies to forget the distinction between propaganda and publicity. "There is a valuable distinction to be drawn here," explained Mrs. Wechsler. "Propaganda and publicity both have the same objectives. Both would have the individual know the facts presented, both would prove the facts, use the facts to secure funds. Propaganda, however, makes an emotional appeal, while publicity tends to help in the formation of judgments. Every social worker must be both a friend of his client, but also a 'glorified press agent,' helping to interpret the work of the organization to the public."

The nominating committee of the National Conference of Jewish Social Service proposed Samuel A. Goldsmith as president. Dr. Samson Benderly, Herman Passanunack and Mrs. M. C. Sloss of San Francisco, vice-presidents; Hyman Kaplan of the Bureau of Jewish Social Research, secretary; and Ferdinand S. Back of St. Louis, treasurer. New nominations for the Executive Board included Miss Stegmüller Harnag, Cleveland; Dr. I. M. Robinson and Dr. John Slawson. Elections will be held Sunday morning.

NEW ENGLAND I.O.B.B. OPENS CONVENTION IN PROVIDENCE

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

Providence, May 11. — Delegates to the District Grand Lodge Convention of the Independent Order B'nai Brith are arriving here from the six New England States, New York and Canada.

The convention will be officially opened tomorrow at the Biltmore Hotel. On Sunday and Monday the business sessions will take place. The women's auxiliary will meet simultaneously.

Governor Norman S. Case, United States Senators Metcalfe and Gerry and several Congressmen are expected to attend the dinner on Sunday.

Attorney Max Winograd is chairman of the general committee, members of the other committees being Phillip L. Davison, Harry Ballou, Abraham Kestennan, Dr. Harry Soferenko and Abbott M. Goldblatt.

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he contended, "and though the second generation of Central Europeans may learn our language, they are only in a very small degree British."

It is expected that the inquiry will be terminated shortly and that important changes in regard to Canada's immigration policy may result from it. It is generally felt, however, that the exception being taken to immigrants of other than British birth is rather exaggerated and confined to a small though determined minority.

The workers and officers of the New York Wider Scope Committee of the I. O. B. met at a rally at the Level Club to render reports on behalf of the respective lodges and auxiliaries, and also to hear reports from the chairman of the Wider Scope Committee on the progress of the campaign.

Of the total amount of money raised, \$114,000, three-fourths is due to the efforts and individual contributions of the members of the I. O. B. R.

Maurice P. Davidson, Louis Fabricant, A. Broderick Cohen, chairman of Brooklyn, addressed the gathering.

A meeting of the general committee of the Wider Scope Committee comprising Manhattan, Bronx, and Brooklyn, will take place at the Level Club next Wednesday, May 16.

At the 6th Annual Meeting of Chicago Sinai Congregation held on Sunday, May 6, M. E. Greenbaum, the President, paid tribute in his report to Dr. Louis L. Mann who had completed his fifth year as Rabbi of the congregation. "Through the neighborhood of the Temple has changed for the worse," he said, "we have had the largest attendance at services during these five years, with a full temple, week after week, and a larger proportion of young people than ever before in our history. Secondly, we have secured the largest, most interested and most efficient Religious School in our history with High School and Normal School departments. Thirdly, we have the largest membership that Sinai has ever had."

DR. JOSEPH KRIMSKY RESIGNS FROM PRESIDENCY OF THE JEWISH NATIONAL FUND

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I cannot permit my name to be associated. I wish to add that I am in full sympathy with Dr. Chaim Weizmann, president of the World Zionist Organization, in his extremely difficult task of carrying out the mandate of the Zionist Congress with the inadequate and insufficient financial support accorded him by the Jews of America and other materially prosperous countries.

"A more satisfactory and effective leadership in the American Zionist Organization would assist tremendously in removing the obstacles and difficulties which now hamper and frustrate the course of the upbuilding of Palestine."

The Jewish Daily Bulletin learns that at a recent meeting of the Jewish National Fund called to fill several vacancies on the Board of Directors, Mrs. Irma L. Lindheim, president of Hadassah, nominated as one of the directors, was defeated.

A \$500 scholarship to be known as the Rabbai and Mrs. William S. Friedman scholarship which will pay for the room board and education for student for a year was presented the Hebrew Union College this week by the Sisterhood of Temple Emanuel, Denver, Col. Dr. Friedman is a graduate of the College, and has occupied the pulpit here for almost 40 years.

Hyman M. Teich has been named managing editor of the Boston University News. He has been on the dean's list of honor rolls for the last two years.

Mrs. Minnie Hayman, widow of Al Hayman, theatrical producer and one time partner of Charles Frohman, according to an amended petition for probate of her will filed in Surrogate's Court.

The Montefiore Home for Chronic Invalids, the Bronx, the North Wood Sanatorium for the Tuberculous, Saratoga Lake, N. Y., and the Hospital for Joint Diseases, each received one third of the residue.

When Mrs. Hayman died April 16 a life estate in \$1,492,470, which had been left by her husband at his death in 1917, was automatically terminated, and the principal dispersed to fourteen nephews and nieces after \$25,000 each passed to three hospitals.

Under her will Mrs. Hayman bequeathed \$20,000 to the Ethical Culture School, and \$15,000 to Mount Sinai Hospital.

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