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## ROUMANIA TAKES DRASTIC ACTION AGAINST GUILTY IN ANTI-SEMITIC RIOT

**Bureau Chief of Police Demoted for Inadequate Action**

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Bucharest, Jan. 7.—Confirmation of the report that an attempt at instituting an anti-Jewish riot was made in Buzaeu, Moldavia, was contained in a communique issued today by the Ministry of the Interior.

The communique declares that the Ministry has issued an order for the demotion of the Buzaeu chief of police for failure to take proper action. The statement names six persons, among whom are students, railway workers and an attorney, who were arrested on the charges of participating in the attack on a Jewish store. Two Roumanian Christians, neighbors who attempted to defend the Jewish merchant, were seriously injured.

## EARL OF PLYMOUTH HEADS MANDATES ADVISORY BODY

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

London, Jan. 7.—The Earl of Plymouth was appointed chairman of the advisory committee concerning the problems of protectorates and mandatory countries. The appointment was announced by Colonial Secretary Amery.

The committee will also deal with the educational development of these territories, it was stated.

## BEDOUINS CONTINUE DISPUTE OVER HEDERA LAND

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Jerusalem, Jan. 7.—The Bedouins who claim right to part of the land of the Jewish colony Hadera, are continuing the dispute after the row which occurred last week.

The Bedouins undertook ploughing of the field until recently cultivated by the Hedera colonists. A detachment of Palestine police was sent to the colony to protect the Jewish settlers.

## DIZENGOFF ELECTED MAYOR OF TEL AVIV

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Tel Aviv, Jan. 7.—M. Dizengoff, one of the founders of the city of Tel Aviv and former mayor, was again elected to this post at a meeting of the new city council.

The return of Mayor Dizengoff was made possible by the victory of the middle classes during the last municipal election, after the election ordinance had been changed by the government. Dizengoff withdrew from the post three years ago when the labor groups gained control of the city council.

## TRIAL IN BARSHAY AFFAIR SCHEDULED TO TAKE PLACE IN MINSK JANUARY 15

**Eight Defendants; Five Charged with Counter-Revolutionary Action**

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Moscow, Jan. 7.—The trial of the workers in the Bobruisk glass factory, Octiabr, charged with persecuting their fellow worker, a Jewish young woman, Miss Barshay, is scheduled to begin on January 15, in the Minsk Supreme Court.

Volosévitch, Vice-Commissar of Justice in White Russia, will preside. Assistant-Prosecutor in White Russia, Michaelov, will conduct the prosecution. Ignatovskiy, president of the White Russian Academy of Science, and Konoplin, vice-head of the White Russian University, will be the public accusers.

Eight workers will be called as defendants, five of whom are charged with counter-revolutionary action in their persecutions of Miss Barshay. The other three are to be tried as their aides. Twenty-one witnesses will be called.

## OFFICIAL COMMUNIQUE ON PALESTINE PARLIAMENT ISSUED BY GOVERNMENT

**Chancellor Promises to Consult Amery in Summer**

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Jerusalem, Jan. 7.—An official communique relating what was the reply of the new High Commissioner to the demands submitted by a delegation of the anti-Zionist Palestine Arab Executive for the establishment of a parliament in the country, was issued by the government.

The High Commissioner declared, the communique states, that the beginnings for popular representation were already made in Palestine through the reorganization of the municipal councils. A legislative council was offered to the Palestine Arabs by Sir Herbert Samuel, then High Commissioner, but this proposal was rejected.

The High Commissioner recognizes the importance of this question, but he finds it impossible to give an immediate reply. During his visit to London in the Summer, he will consult Col. Amery, the Colonial Secretary. Upon his return to Palestine, he will resume the negotiations with the Arab Executive.

## SAYS 3,500th ANNIVERSARY OF MOSES'S BIRTH IN 1929

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

London, Jan. 7.—The year 1929 of the Christian era will mark the 3,500th anniversary of the birth of Moses the Lawgiver, according to a tabulation of Prof. Henry Spooner.

Prof. Spooner published a list in the "London Observer" of the anniversaries which will occur in 1929.

## ORTHODOX JEWS IN BERLIN HOLD MEETING TO INCREASE SABBATH DAY OBSERVANCE

**Plan Economic and Legislative Measures to Aid Observers**

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Berlin, Jan. 7.—The significance of the Sabbath in the faith and life of the Jewish people was stressed at a mass meeting held Sunday evening in the former Prussian House of Lords under the auspices of the Berlin Committee which seeks to organize a Sabbath observance world federation. A wide-flung plan, including legislative and economic measures, to aid Orthodox Jews in all countries who are anxious to observe the Sabbath as prescribed, but find it difficult because of the prevailing commercial and industrial conditions, was presented in a series of addresses delivered.

Advocacy of the five-day week was one of the features of the plan. The establishment of credit banks and similar organizations with aid which is expected to come from American Jews was planned. Prof. Weinberg of the Berlin Seminary presided. Addresses were delivered by Rabbi Ezra Munk, Rabbi Gutschaechter of Warsaw, Rabbi Thal of Amsterdam, Emil Hirsch, German industrialist and Mr. Rasmilewicz of Kovno. Messages of concurrence were read from Rabbi A. J. Kook, Rabbi Chaim Sonnenfeld of Jerusalem, Rabbi Chaim Ozer Grodzensky of Vilna, Dr. J. H. Hertz, Chief Rabbi of the British Empire, from the Chassidic Rabbis of Gora Kalwarja, Czortkow and the Lubawitscher Rebbe. Messages were also read from rabbinical bodies in Switzerland, Lithuania, Vienna and Prague. After the meeting, the former Prussian House of Lords presented a unique picture when the participants scattered into the various corners to recite the evening prayer, Maariv.

## HENRYK SOKOLOW, ZIONIST LEADER'S SON, DIES

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Berlin, Jan. 7.—Henryk Sokolow, a son of Nahum Sokolow, chairman of the World-Zionist Executive, died here today of influenza. He was the eldest son of the Zionist leader and forty-five years of age.

Nahum Sokolow was at the bedside of his son when he died. Sympathy was expressed in Zionist circles here in the veteran Zionist leader's loss.

## JEWS NAMED TO WHITE RUSSIA ACADEMY OF SCIENCE

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Minsk, Jan. 7.—Two Russian Jews were confirmed as members of the newly established White Russian Academy of Science here. Simon Wulfsohn and Boris Orschanski, editor of the Yiddish Community daily, "Oktiabr," are the two appointees.

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## PACIFIC COAST COLLEGES GIVE CREDIT FOR HEBREW

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

Portland, Ore., Jan. 7.—Universities and colleges on the Pacific Coast have recognized the knowledge of the Hebrew language as credit for admission to the institutions of learning, it was announced by the Portland Hebrew School here.

Dr. F. L. Griffin of the administration committee of Reed College, Portland, Oregon, stated: "It is a pleasure to report that the faculty of Reed College voted to recognize the study of Hebrew in the Portland Hebrew School as the equivalent of two years of foreign language study in the high schools."

The other institutions of higher learning that have expressed themselves favorably are: Oregon State Agricultural College, Corvallis, Oregon; University of California, Berkeley; University of Washington, and University of Oregon.

Abe Rosenstein is the president of the Portland Hebrew School, Joseph Shemanski is the president of the Jewish Educational Association, and Bert I. Treiger is the principal of the Portland Hebrew School.

## HENRY MORGENTHAU, JR. HEADS AGRICULTURE BODY

Henry Morgenthau, Jr., publisher of "The American Agriculturist," was designated by Governor Franklin D. Roosevelt as chairman of an unofficial commission to undertake a study of agricultural problems confronting the industry in New York state.

Four legislators, the Commissioner of Agriculture and Markets, and a number of men identified with agriculture or the dairy industry, have been invited to accept membership on the commission headed by Mr. Morgenthau, Jr.

## UNITY OF ROMANIAN JEWS URGED AT NATIONAL CONVENTION HELD HERE

Express Confidence in Maniu Government

Confidence in the good will of the new government in Roumania, headed by the leader of the National Peasant Party, Julius Maniu, toward the Jewish population in Roumania, was expressed in a resolution adopted at the annual convention of the United Roumanian Jews of America which met all day Sunday at Pythian Temple, New York.

Welcoming the change in Roumania as one which will have a beneficial effect upon the welfare of the Jewish population which suffered a reign of injustice and terror for the past fifty years, the Roumanian Jews of America went on record as urging their brethren in their native country to crease all party and geographic division in order that they be enabled to face the new situation as a united body.

The convention addressed a plea to the leaders of the Jewish community in Roumania to call a national conference of the Jews of Transylvania, Bukovina, Bessarabia, Banat and the Old Kingdom to formulate a program of action. Such a convention would be in a position to state the needs of the Jewish population and to submit these demands to the Maniu government, which has given assurances that it will meet them.

Similarly, the convention decided to endeavor to bring about unity between the American Jews of Transylvania, Bukovina, Bessarabia and Banat origin, so that they may cooperate with the United Roumanian Jews in furtherance of the interests of Jews in Roumania.

A special committee under the name Foreign Relations Committee was chosen for the purpose of eliminating what was declared to be confusion which obtained until recently with regard to Roumanian matters. It was pointed out that utterances by various spokesmen in behalf of the Roumanian Jews in the United States were conducive of much evil. The purpose of the new committee will be, it was stated, to formulate a policy for the organization. The committee will consist of the following five members: Leo Wolfson, A. Hirsch, Solomon Suffrin, and Bennett E. Siegelstein, president, and Herman Speier, secretary, ex-officio. Abraham Hirsch of Philadelphia was the sponsor of the plan.

The administration was re-elected, including Bennett E. Siegelstein, president, Herman Speier, secretary, Haim Haimowitz, treasurer, Leo Wolfson, chairman of the executive committee. Solomon Suffrin was chosen chairman of the advisory committee. The vice-presidents elected are A. Hirsch, Leo Fischer, Samuel Kanter, Maurice Florea and Paul R. Silberman.

One hundred and eighty-seven delegates, representing 16 cities, attended the session. Mr. Siegelstein, the president, submitted an exhaustive report of the activities of the organization.

## ROSALSKY ATTACKS WISE FOR AGENCY STAND AT GOLDBERG DINNER

Four Hundred Attend Testimonial to Abe Goldberg

The opposition of Dr. Stephen S. Wise to the consummation of the plan for the extension of the Jewish Agency was termed "a bomb in the Jewish camp" by Judge Otto A. Rosalsky of the Court of General Sessions and chairman of the New York United Palestine Appeal, who was one of the speakers at a dinner given Sunday night at the Level Club in honor of Abraham Goldberg.

"The Jewish Agency is becoming an accomplished fact, notwithstanding the tyrants who speak in the name of democracy and violate in a most irresponsible manner every democratic principle in the Zionist movement," Judge Rosalsky stated, without mentioning any names, while speaking on the subject.

The dinner was given under the auspices of a joint committee of various Zionist and other organizations to honor Mr. Goldberg on the occasion of the 25th anniversary of his literary and Zionist activities. Louis Lipsky acted as toastmaster. Jacob Fishman presided at the opening, introducing Mr. Lipsky as the toastmaster. The speakers praised Mr. Goldberg's service to the Zionist cause. The speakers included Rev. Z. H. Masliansky, Morris Rothenberg, Rabbi Israel H. Levinthal, Emanuel Neumann, Dr. S. Margoshes, Peter Wiernick and many others. About 400 guests attended.

Three volumes of Mr. Goldberg's collected essays in Hebrew will soon be published, it was announced, under the auspices of Ogen, publication committee of the Histadruth Ivrit, Hebrew organization of which Mr. Goldberg is president.

A silver loving cup was presented to the Union by William Nelson Cromwell, president of the Society of the Friends of Roumania.

A gift of \$1,000 from Saul E. Myer was announced. Among the resolutions adopted at the closing session were the following: The conference pledged itself to cooperate with the Ort. It stated its confidence in the Marshall-Weizmann Agreement. The action of the Greek Orthodox Church in calling upon its priests to abstain from anti-Semitic propaganda was commended. The Kellogg Peace Pact was endorsed.

Speakers at the various sessions over which Mr. Siegelstein presided were Herman Speier, Solomon Suffrin, A. Hirsch, Dr. Henry Moskowitz, representing the Ort, Carl Sherman of the American Jewish Congress, William Nelson Cromwell, president of the Society of the Friends of Roumania, and Z. Tygel, director of the Federation of Polish Jews of America.

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# ZIONIST EXECUTIVE RE-AFFAIRS CONCURRENCE IN AGENCY EXTENSION

## Opposition Group Urged to Desist From Further Obstruction

A unanimous vote taken at the quarterly session of the National Executive Committee of the Zionist Organization of America held Sunday all day at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel, again expressed the whole-hearted concurrence of the majority of American Zionists in the extension of the Jewish Agency.

The Zionist opposition group in the United States was urged in a resolution adopted to "desist from further action which may prove disastrous to the interests of Palestine and the Jewish National Home." Dr. Stephen S. Wise was rebuked by Louis Lipsky for his recent utterances in Europe and the United States, concerning the decisions of the Zionist General Council ratifying the Marshall-Weizmann agreement. The "responsibilities of democracy" are forgotten by Dr. Wise in his championship of democracy in the Zionist movement, Mr. Lipsky stated, charging that Dr. Wise's public statements that the Zionism suffered a death blow are injurious to the interests of the movement.

The meeting was presided over by Elihu D. Stone of Boston, and listened to extensive reports of the state of affairs in the Zionist movement in the United States by Dr. I. M. Rubinow, executive director, and Dr. Mordecai M. Kaplan, chairman of the administrative committee. A series of recommendations formulated by Dr. Rubinow and Dr. Kaplan on how to strengthen the Zionist movement and prepare it for the near future when the Agency will come into operation were referred by the committee to the administrative committee with power to act. These measures, including a recommendation for amendments to the constitution of the Zionist Organization of America, were necessary, it was explained, because of the new phase which Zionist work will have to assume under the Agency.

"As far as parliamentary action is concerned, all obstructions to proceeding with the extended Jewish Agency have practically been removed, and it remains for the next Zionist Congress, to meet in July, to give its approval of all Dr. Chaim Weizmann has achieved in this direction," Mr. Lipsky declared in his address.

The Zionists of America have given their approval to the policy of extending the Jewish Agency, because they have felt that the task of upbuilding Palestine is not specifically and exclusively the task of the Zionist Organization, that all Jews have a share in the responsibility and that unity in this direction is of the utmost importance both economically and politically. They feel that in the extension of the Jewish Agency, Zionist principles are adequately safeguarded.

The Louis Marshall group have accepted the terms of the Palestine Mandate. They have accepted the principles underlying the Jewish Na-

# FEDERATION OF POLISH JEWS FORMULATES PLAN FOR \$5,000,000 LOAN

## Experts to Study Plan Submitted in Form of Plea to J. D. C.

A plan to aid the Jews of Poland toward self-help, calling for the floating of a loan for \$5,000,000 was formulated and discussed at a special conference called by the Federation of Polish Jews of America, held Sunday at Mecca Temple. Benjamin Winter presided.

The plan was embodied in a resolution which is a plea to the Joint Distribution Committee to take up this matter. It was adopted following reports submitted by Z. Tygel, Executive Director, and Harry Koppelman, the Federation's representatives who recently visited Poland for the purpose of surveying conditions. What Polish Jews need is not charity but credit. A sum of from \$3,000,000 to \$5,000,000 creating credit facilities for Jewish merchants, manufacturers and small traders, would save them from the ruin they face, the delegates reported.

Under the plan the loan would be administered through a Jewish Economic Council in Poland, which is now being formed.

The conference was addressed by Jonah Goldstein, who stated that the J. D. C. commitments in Poland run until October 1929. Mr. Goldstein stated that a special committee of the J. D. C. has been appointed, charged with the task of outlining recommendations for future action. This proposal of the Federation of Polish Jews should come up for consideration by this committee.

Dr. Henry Moskowitz, former Congressman Nathan D. Perlman, Dr. David Lvovitch and Abraham Herman addressed the session.

# GRAND DUKE NIKOLAI OF RUSSIA, DIES

## (Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Paris, Jan. 7.—Grand Duke Nikolai Nikolaievitch, second cousin of Czar Nicholas II and commander-in-chief of the Russian armies in the first period of the World War, died Sunday morning at Antibes, France. Death was due to pneumonia. He was 72 years.

The Grand Duke was known for his extreme hatred of Jews. It was during his command of the Russian armies that thousands of Jews living in the western parts of Russia were taken as hostages and exiled to Siberia and other parts of Russia. Many innocent Russian Jews were court-martialed on slight suspicions. At a recent meeting of Russian monarchistic emigres, Nikolai Nikolaievitch was proclaimed as their candidate for the Romanoff throne.

# ANTI-JEWISH EXCESSES OCCUR IN POSEN

## (Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Danzig, Jan. 7.—Reports received here from Posen state that anti-Jewish excesses occurred on Saturday at Wengrowiec, Posen. No arrests were made by the police. Several Jewish stores were demolished.

# RABBI WISE DEMANDS RESIGNATION OF PRESENT ZIONIST LEADERSHIP

## Asserts Political Zionism Dead in Europe and America

Calling for the resignation of all those who have surrendered the central Zionist idea, the Jewish State, beginning with the leader of the World Zionist Organization, Dr. Weizmann, and declaring his intention to fight the Jewish Agency until the World Zionist Congress has declared "this is not an extended Jewish Agency, but an attenuated, emasculated, minimized Jewish Agency," Dr. Stephen S. Wise asserted that Herlian Zionism is dead both in Europe and America.

Making his first public address since his return, Rabbi Wise, speaking before his congregation on Sunday in Carnegie Hall, launched into an attack on the Zionists, non-Zionists and the Jewish press for their concurrence in the Marshall-Weizmann agreement.

Dr. Wise said he went to Berlin in the knowledge that he would be technically defeated, but in order that there might be one "sincere mourner at the burial of political Zionism."

"Palestine under the Jewish Agency that threatens is not fit to contain the ashes of Herzl," he declared, "I would not bring his ashes there, until that brood responsible for the Jewish Agency has left Palestine."

He berated the Jewish press in America for its acquiescence to the Jewish Agency. "There is not a Jewish or a Yiddish paper in America that has raised the question of the terms of the Jewish Agency. The Jewish people gave a blank check to a small group to draw on the fortune of the Jewish people and not one newspaper uttered a word of protest or inquiry," he said.

Resenting any implication that his is a battle against personalities, he said: "If you ask me: 'Are you hostile to the leaders of the World Zionist Organization?' I would say: Personally I am exceedingly fond of Dr. Weizmann. He is a charming and powerful personality at his best. I am not interested in personalities. I am interested in the center of Zionism. Those who have ceased to be interested in the central ideal of Zionism, beginning with the President of the World Zionist Organization, must go."

Dr. Wise accused Louis Lipsky, president of the American Zionist Organization, of moral laxity, in permitting to appear unrefuted the statement attributed to him that Rabbi Wise went to Berlin for the purposes of revenge, because certain honors were not given him. Although satisfied with the explanation made him by Lipsky, Rabbi Wise said, this inference could have been drawn from the language of his lieutenants who surrounded him at the pier. Denying that he has ever sought honor, Dr. Wise said he could, if he wished, and he would some day tell a very interesting story of what happened at Basle in 1927.

He charged the Actions Committee with unfairness in giving him the floor.

# ZIONIST EXECUTIVE RE-AFFIRMS CONCURRENCE IN AGENCY EXTENSION

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tional Fund, which is regarded as the most nationalistic of the Zionist institutions to come under the wing of the Jewish Agency. They have also expressed absolute accord with the idea that Palestine is to be built up through Jewish labor, and in all enterprises of the Jewish Agency Jewish labor is to be employed. They are wholly in accord with the spirit of the Hebraic cultural revival in Palestine. There are a few additional points on which there is dispute, but we have no doubt that at the first meeting of the Council of the extended Jewish Agency, these disputed points will be settled in a friendly manner.

"Dr. Stephen Wise is unduly alarmed, and is guilty of using extravagant words in describing the present Zionist situation. His attempt to discredit Dr. Weizmann's leadership will not meet with the approval of any considerable section of any Jewry in any part of the world. It is curious that Dr. Wise and Mr. Justice Brandeis and Judge Mack should regard the present co-partnership arrangement with the non-Zionists with disfavor, when in 1920, it was Mr. Brandeis' own proposal to hand over the absolute control of the Zionist Organization to a quintette of directors responsible not to the Zionist Organization, but with full power to act as the agency for the upbuilding of Palestine for a term of five years. If this was in consonance with Zionist principles in 1920, why is it so incongruous to accept an arrangement with non-Zionists, who endorse so many of the Zionist principles and are willing to give their generous co-operation in the achievement of our ideal?"

Mr. Lipsky was preceded by Jacob Fishman, managing editor of the Jewish Morning Journal, who had also attended the sessions of the General Council in Berlin. Mr. Fishman gave a comprehensive account of what had taken place at the meeting, declaring that the great majority of Zionist opinion in Europe was in favor of the Jewish Agency pact.

The resolution, which was introduced by Herman Bernstein, chairman of Political Affairs of the Zionist Organization, and seconded by Dr. Joseph Silverman, Rabbi Emeritus of Temple Emanu-El, read as follows:

"Whereas, the extension of the Jewish Agency aims to secure the co-operation of all Jews in the upbuilding of Palestine as the Jewish National Home, in accordance with the terms of the Balfour Declaration and the Mandate for Palestine, is now the settled policy of the Zionist Organization, and

"Whereas, at successive Zionist Congresses, resolutions were adopted, directing the World Zionist Executive to take steps toward the achievement of this object, without disturbing the fundamental principles on which Zionism rests, which have been stated in definite terms by the Congress, and

"Whereas, at a meeting of the General Council of the World Zionist Or-

ganization held in Berlin in July, 1928, a series of resolutions were adopted safeguarding these principles which were subsequently incorporated in an agreement between representatives of the World Zionist Organization and the non-Zionist group in this country, and

"Whereas, the Zionist Organization of America is convinced of the historic necessity which underlies the extension of the Jewish Agency, and

"Whereas, non-members of the Zionist Organization in this country, headed by Mr. Louis Marshall, have indicated their earnest desire to co-operate with the Zionist Organization in the upbuilding of the Jewish National Home in Palestine in accordance with the terms of the Balfour Declaration and the Palestine Mandate, and have fairly accepted the terms laid down by the Zionist Congress.

"Therefore be it resolved, that the National Executive Committee of the Zionist Organization of America express its deep satisfaction at the action of the General Council of the World Zionist Organization meeting in Berlin in December, approving the agreement reached between the representatives of the World Zionist Organization and the Marshall group in this country, giving authority to Dr. Weizmann to sign such agreement in behalf of the Zionist Organization, thus making possible the final consummation of the Jewish Agency to which effort it pledges further its full support and co-operation.

"Be it further resolved that the National Executive Committee express its regret that an attempt is being made by a Zionist group in this country to place obstacles in the way of the peaceful negotiation required for the consummation of the extended Agency and to disruption of the union of the forces. It expresses the hope that in the interests of Zionism, the Jewish National Home and Jewish unity, it will desist from further action which may prove disastrous to the interests of Palestine and the Jewish National Home."

The Jewish Agency pact was called of "tremendous consequence to the Zionist movement" by Elihu D. Stone in his report. This position was also taken by Prof. Mordecai Kaplan, who stated that the achievement of unity in Jewish life is the main objective now.

One of the speakers at the meeting was Mayor David Bloch, of Tel Aviv, who predicted that large progress is to be expected in Palestine.

Much of the discussion during the afternoon session of the meeting was devoted to "Dos Yiddish Folk." A motion to reconsider the action of the last meeting of the National Executive Committee which ordered the change of "Dos Yiddish Folk" from a weekly to a monthly, was passed. Mr. Wm. B. Leaf then presented a motion on behalf of the Administrative Committee of the Zionist Organization of America that "Dos Yiddish Folk" be published every other week, instead of every week, as at present. The motion was passed.—29 to 23.

Mr. Emanuel Neumann, recently

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after the debate was closed, in forcing him to speak within one hour at twenty minutes of his arrival in Berlin after eight days of continuous travel. He pointed out that they listened with their ears, not with their hearts, and that while he was overwhelmingly defeated, immediately after the vote one-half of the members of the Actions Committee came to him and said, "Wise, you are right. But what can we do?"

"If Herzl had lived he would have dealt with the non-Zionists with the same dignity as he dealt with Dr. Hirsch and the Rothschilds. He would have said, 'We want your help, we need it, but we cannot accept your help on terms violative of the convictions of the Jewish people.'"

"If only the leader of the Zionists today would have been as firm with the non-Zionists as Winston Churchill was with the anti-Zionists, a different chapter would have been written today."

Some of those who are among the non-Zionists today, he said, were, very short time ago, from a Jewish point of view, treacherous. These are the same men who went to President Wilson and asked him to take back the word endorsing the Zionist ideal, Dr. Wise declared.

"I would not entrust the sovereign inalienable rights of the Jewish people to any group of people without guarantees," said Rabbi Wise, reviewing a demand that "if we form the Jewish Agency, we must automatically restate the Zionist Organization as the Agency, not on the promise of a New York lawyer or philanthropist, but through a document by the Mandate Power, approved and endorsed by the League. If the non-Zionists invest money, if they do, the Zionists are investing the hope, life and faith of the Jewish people.

"I returned from Berlin a bowed but not broken man," he continued. "I went to Berlin expecting to find Zionism misunderstood. I found political Zionism dead, as dead in Europe as is in America."

Concluding, Rabbi Wise said: "The genius of the Jewish people that recreated the miracle of a national revival after 1,800 years will yet again perform the miracle of saving Zion from the Jewish people and the Jewish people for Zion. When my people understand they will reject compromise. They may not live to see the day when the surrender is undone. But you will remember one man warned you again the surrender of one iota."

electd President of the Jewish National Fund, made an appeal for unit support for the Jewish National Fund.

The meeting closed with the adoption of a resolution expressing congratulations to Abraham Goldberg on the attainment of his twenty-fifth year, serving in the Zionist cause.