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PALESTINE HEBREW AUTHORS ISSUE CALL TO WORLD JEWRY IN BEHALF OF RUSSIAN JEWS

**State Soviet Policies Annihilate Jews;
Protest Against Brainin Attitude**
(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Tel Aviv, May 24—Claiming to be in possession of exact information, derived from the most reliable sources in Russia, a group of Hebrew authors, and communal workers, led by Chaim Nachman Bialik, Hebrew poet, today issued a statement here drawing attention of Jewish public opinion throughout the word to "the truth about Russia."

This statement was issued following a meeting of the authors and communal workers presided over by Mr. Bialik. It declares that millions of Russian Jews are facing the danger of annihilation as the result of the despotic and merciless policies of the communists. It urges the Jewish press "that the time has come when it must fulfil its duty to voice vigorous protests daily. Russian Jewry is living in extreme material and moral distress," the statement declares. "The most atrocious terrorization is being applied openly and more so secretly against the Hebrew language, the Hebrew culture, Jewish religion and Zionism in Russia. If world Jewry will not awaken to save their Russian brethren, so called, this will be a shameful crime, which will never be forgotten," the statement continues.

"One of the chief factors, putting to sleep public opinion, is the part played by the Jewish press, which fails to divulge the truth about Russia, and the various visitors who return from

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ARGENTINE DELEGATION CHANGES PALESTINE PLAN

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Madrid, May 24—The startling proposal contained in a memorandum submitted by the Argentine delegation to the International Conference of the Union of the League of Nations Societies in session here, asking the League to persuade Great Britain to issue a £200,000,000 loan to aid in the establishment of the Jewish National Home, will not come up for discussion in the original form.

The delegation decided to greatly modify this proposal before it is submitted for official action. It was also learned that a memorandum prepared by the Bulgarian League of Nations Society regarding the persecutions of the Jews in Yemen will not be taken up at this session.

Dr. Leo Motzkin, chairman of the Committee of Jewish Delegations in Paris, and a delegate to the conference representing the Palestine Society, was appointed to serve on the National Minorities Commission of the Conference.

PALESTINE GOVERNMENT GIVES STATE LANDS TO THE BEDOUINS

**20,000 Dunams Near Jericho Distributed,
Palestine Press Reports**
(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Jerusalem, May 24—A large part of the state lands which are under the control of the Palestine Government and under the provisions of the Palestine Mandate are to be used for facilitating a "close settlement on the land by the Jews" were distributed among the Bedouins, lately, sensational reports in the Palestine press declare today.

An area of 20,000 dunams was distributed by the government to the Bedouins in the vicinity of Jericho.

SCHECHITA PROHIBITION PROPOSAL BEFORE COM- MITTEE OF BAVARIAN DIET

**Ten Societies Submit Petitions Sup-
porting Bill**
(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Munich, May 24—A bill which is enacted would prohibit the schechita, the Jewish method of slaughtering animals for food, is now under consideration in the Constitution Committee of the Bavarian Diet.

In the language of the bill slaughtering animals without previous stunning would be prohibited. Ten Societies submitted petitions to the Diet in support of the bill. The All German Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals is among the petitioners.

The leaders of the Jewish community in Bavaria submitted a memorandum in opposition to the bill, quoting the opinions of experts to the effect that the schechita method is humane. In the Committee the measure was vigorously supported by the nationalist deputies who demanded the prohibition in accordance with a Diet decision of 1926, while the Social Democrats, joined by the Bavarian Volkspartei Deputies, fought against it.

20 EMIGRANTS, WITH FALSE U. S. VISAS, ARRESTED

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Warsaw, May 24—Twenty Polish Jewish emigrants, alleged to be in possession of falsified U. S. visas on their passports were arrested at Tczew, near Danzig. One, Max Beigeman, who is charged with the falsification, was among those arrested.

MAIMONIDES MANUSCRIPT, THOUGHT LOST, SOLD IN LONDON

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

London, May 24—A thirteenth century parchment manuscript, containing a commentary of Maimonides on the Talmudic tractate "Hullin" was sold yesterday at auction for £270.

The manuscript was long believed to have been lost.

WARSAW KEHILLAH COUNCIL VOTES "NO CONFIDENCE" IN ITS EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

**Commission of Seven to Look Into
Activities of the Executive**
(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Warsaw, May 24—The administration of the affairs of the largest Jewish community in Europe, the Warsaw Kehillah, is again facing a crisis, as the result of a vote of "no confidence," passed by the Kehillah Council, a democratically elected body.

At its session Wednesday evening, the Kehillah Council, with only two dissenting votes, passed the resolution introduced by the representatives of the ultra Orthodox party, Agudath Israel. The motion was supported by the councillors representing the Jewish Socialist Labor Bund. In the absence of a considerable number of Zionists and Mizrahi councillors, the resolution was passed and a commission is to be appointed consisting of seven members to review the activities of the executive committee since its coming into power.

The present Kehillah Council has been functioning during the past four years since the last elections. On many previous occasions, motions to express "no confidence" were introduced by the spokesmen of the various groups opposing each other, but were never passed. The present vote threatens to throw the affairs of the Kehillah into a chaotic condition. It is likely that both extreme wings, the Socialists and the Orthodox, will recall their representatives from the present administration. The Zionists, against whom the vote was directed, on the other hand, will take no action since they assert that the vote was taken in the absence of a quorum and therefore lacks validity.

HEBREW CHAIR AT LATVIAN UNIVERSITY

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Riga, May 24—A chair for Hebrew Literature and Language will be established at the University of Borpart, it was announced here today. Dr. Nodel, a Jewish scholar, and director of the Jewish High School at Borpart, was invited to occupy the chair and will begin his work at the beginning of the next school year.

SYNAGOGUE DESECRATED; RABBIS PROCLAIM FAST

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Warsaw, May 24—The desecration of the synagogue at Warsaw near Lodz, caused the local rabbis to proclaim a day of prayer and fasting. The synagogue was invaded during the night, the ark of the scroll smashed, five Holy Scrolls torn up and the furniture destroyed. It was found that the vandalism was perpetrated by a non-Jewish maniac.

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NAVAL HONORS TO ATTEND FURNAL SERVICES FOR REAR ADMIRAL JOSEPH TAL

Service Aboard the Naval Reserve
Armory Ship Illinois Today;
Body to be Cremated

Naval honors will be accorded Rear
Admiral Louis Maurice Josephthal,
Commander of the New York State
Naval Militia, who died on Thursday,
at his home, All View, Premier Point,
New Rochelle, N. Y., at the age of
sixty-one, after a long illness.

Funeral services will be conducted
aboard the Naval Reserve Armory
Ship Illinois, this afternoon at 3 P. M.,
where the body has lain in state since
yesterday. A firing squad will fire a
salute before the coffin is taken from
the Illinois and the minute gun will
fire the usual salute. An escort of
Naval Militia will accompany the body
from the Illinois to the crematory at
Fresh Pond, Queens, L. I. A firing
squad and a bugler will officiate at the
crematory.

Beginning his career in the State
Naval Militia in 1891 as an ordinary
seaman, he rose through successive
promotions to the Rear Admiration
to which he was commissioned by Gov-
ernor Smith on February 27, 1925.
He served as naval aide on the staffs of
seven Governors, Dix, Sulzer, Glynn,
Whitman, Smith, Miller and Roose-
velt.

He was a member of the American
Legion, Military Order of the United
States, and the Order of the United
Sons of American Wars.

Admiral Josephthal held a commis-
sion as a Reserve Captain in the
United States Naval Reserve. He re-
ceived a medal for thirty-five years of
service with the State Militia. The
Government of Roumania gave him
the grand cross of the military order
of Roumania, the highest award within
its gift, for his services to that country.

For nine years he served as Secre-

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ORTHODOX RABBIS AGAIN ASK FOR REPRESENTATION ON JEWISH AGENCY

Rabbi Rosenberg Elected Over Refusal,
Unwilling to Serve as President

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

Belmar, N. J., May 24—Has or
has not the Union of Orthodox Rab-
bis a president? The twenty-sixth
annual convention of the Union was
concluded here and the members left
for their respective homes, asking each
other this question, for Rabbi Israel
Rosenberg, of Brooklyn, N. Y., who
was unanimously re-elected president
for a second term, remained adamant
in his refusal to serve in that
capacity. In his message at the open-
ing of the convention, Rabbi Rosen-
berg declared he was not a candidate
for re-election, but his renomination
brought cheers from the rabbis and
re-election for him over his protests.

Five honorary presidents were chosen
as follows: Rabbi M. S. Margolies,
New York; B. L. Levinthal, Philadel-
phia; E. Zivick, Pittsburgh; Dr. Ber-
nard Revel, New York; and E. Silver,
Springfield, Mass.

That the orthodox rabbinate is de-
termined to be represented in the Jew-
ish Agency was evident from one of
the resolutions adopted. Although
there was no official action on the
question of the Agency itself, it was
evident from the tone of the resolu-
tion that the rabbis favored the unify-
ing pact, for the resolution specifically
had the convention request those of
its members who participate in the
World Zionist Congress to meet pre-
viously with the European rabbis and
demand this representation.

Ancient Palestine in general, the rab-
bis went on record as favoring the
support of all religious institutions
there, urging their members to visit
the country, and registering their protest
against the Walling Wall incidents.

JUDEA LIFE AUTHORIZED TO INCREASE CAPITAL TO \$1,000,000

The insurance department of the
State of New York, yesterday granted
permission to the Judea Life Insurance
Company, a subsidiary of the Judea
Industrial Corporation, to increase its
capital stock of \$1,000,000 the company
announced. The capital stock previ-
ously authorized was in the amount of
\$150,000.

The home office of the Judea Life
made public yesterday the election of
the following new directors: Maurice
Gusman, president of the Merchants
Trust and Savings Bank of Cleveland.
O.; Irving Rosenzweig, vice-president
of the International Union Bank of
New York; Dr. Julius M. Rosenthal
of Monticello, N. Y.; Jacob Alson,
president of the Equitable Merchants
Association of New York; Louis Rosen-
zweig, president of L. Rosenzweig
& Son, New York; Max Fanwick,
president of the O. K. Dress Company
of New York; Henry I. Lebowitz,
president of the Mart, Paterson, N. J.,
and Harry B. Rosen of Rosen
Brothers, New York.

LEAGUE COMMITTEE REJECTS PLAN TO CHANGE MINORI- TIES COMPLAINT PROCEDURE

Question to Come Up at Madrid Ses-
sion of League Council

The special League of Nations com-
mittee of three has rejected the main
proposal recently formulated by Ger-
many and Canada concerning the pro-
tection of minority peoples who num-
ber about 40,000,000 in Europe, accord-
ing to an Associated Press despatch
from Geneva.

The committee which met in Lon-
don, included Sir Austen Chamber-
lain, Senor Quinones de Leon of
Spain and M. Adatchi of Japan.
Their report will be published on
the eve of the June council session
in Madrid. As the chief German pro-
posals were not approved, it is felt that
the Madrid session promises to be
lively since Dr. Gustav Stresemann,
German Foreign Minister, is almost
certain to make a further fight for the
acceptance of his ideas.

The committee rejected the sugges-
tion that the League Council should
exercise constant surveillance over the
interests of minorities, but decided
that the council is only empowered to
act under the minority treaties when
some member of the council reports an
infraction of treaties can only be
modified by a majority vote of the
council or with the consent of the sig-
natories.

Similarly the committee failed to ap-
prove a recommendation that if the
governments against whom the griev-
ance is directed are unable to satisfy
the petitioners, the minorities can
frame a new petition and insist that
all correspondence be sent to the
league. The committee deemed this
would be inimical to friendly negotia-
tions between the Minority Committee
and the Government in question.

The report then disapproved the
Canadian proposal to increase the
Minority Committee from three to
fourteen, but leaves the door open for
an increase of the committee to five
members. It respects a recommendation
for the appointment of a consul-
tative committee which would collabo-
rate with the Minority Committee.

The committee also disapproved a
plan to make the meetings of the
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Dr. Joseph Barsky, for twenty-nine years
physician at the Beth Israel Hos-
pital, recently President of the Medical Board
of the hospital, and an ardent worker in
social service, left an estate valued at \$100,000.

Beth Israel Hospital will receive \$25,000
right and \$75,000 more on the death of Estelle
Hoffman, a friend, who has a life interest in
the latter bequest. Of this, \$7,000 is to be
used as a scholarship in her name for nurses
at the hospital. Dr. Barsky has requested
that the cash bequest be known as the "Rebe-
cca Barsky Prize, of which the yearly income
is to be awarded to the most efficient and hu-
mane nurse at the hospital.

In addition, he left three legacies of \$500
to the Beth Israel Hospital, to the Hospital
A. Frank; to the superintendent of nurses,
Sadie C. Sharp, and to Minnie Bender, who
is connected with the staff.

The recent charity goes to
the General Memorial Hospital, with \$500. After
the designation of \$15,000 cash to Miss
Hoffman, the residue of her small be-
quests to eleven other relatives and friends,
the residuary will be divided among his sons,
Edward H., George K., Arthur I., and
Michael H.

JEW'S APPLAUD HENRY FORD AT TESTIMONIAL DINNER TO DAVID A. BROWN

Former Foe Issues Statement Praising Race; 2,000 Attend; Hoover Sends Message

Henry Ford, one of the guests of honor at a dinner given at the Hotel Commodore on Thursday night by more than 2,000 Jews as a testimonial to David A. Brown, national chairman of the United Jewish Campaign, paid his tribute to Mr. Brown as well as to "the great race which is proud and fortunate to count him among its own,"—the race to which Mr. Ford apologized two years ago after repeated anti-Semitic attacks in the "Dearborn Independent," which he controlled.

Mr. Ford's encomiums to Mr. Brown and the Jewish people were contained in a statement which was issued at the dinner, but not read, and most of those present were not aware of its existence.

At the first mention of Mr. Ford's name by one of the early speakers, however, the entire gathering stood and cheered about a minute. Mr. Ford, from his place of honor on the speakers' dais, bowed his acknowledgment. He was referred to several times by later speakers, and some of them told Ford jokes—at which Mr. Ford laughed.

His statement was as follows: "I am happy to come here tonight to pay a tribute of admiration to my good friend David A. Brown, and through him to the great race which is proud and fortunate to count him among their own."

"David A. Brown is a shining example of the great benevolence of the Jewish people, their philanthropy, their eagerness to make this world better, to educate the untutored to heal the sick; to care for the orphans; their intense and intelligent participation in all that makes for civic righteousness and social justice stamps them a great people—and David A. Brown is one of their greatest and finest sons."

The dinner welcomed Mr. Brown, formerly a resident of Detroit, to New York, where he will make his residence

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SCHECHITA BARRED IN RUSSIAN TOWNS, RIGA HEARS

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Riga, May 24.—The schechita is prohibited in a number of Russian centers with considerable Jewish population groups by the orders of the local communist authorities, reports received here from Russia state.

According to a report, from a source described as authoritative, the schechita prohibition is in existence in Leningrad for over a month and the Jewish population is without kosher meat as a result.

Persons close to Rabbi Schneersohn, known as the Lubawitcher Rebbe, declared today that the Rabbi, who has many followers in Russia, was in receipt of letters from his friends confirming the reports that the prohibitions of the schechita was degraded in a number of other towns in Russia.

VATICAN FINDS PROFESSOR EINSTEIN IS AN ATHEIST

Rome Organ Upholds Cardinal O'Connell's Attack on Scientist (Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Vatican City, May 24.—Professor Albert Einstein, the famous Jewish scientist and author of the theory of relativity, is regarded by the Catholic Church as an atheist, if the comment of the "Osservatore Romano," usually the mouthpiece of the Vatican for official announcements, is to be taken as the official view of the Pope, Pius XI.

The Papal organ, in an editorial, yesterday, commends Cardinal O'Connell of Boston, who is now on a visit to Rome, for his recent attack on the famous scientist, concerning whose theories he stated that they were "befogged speculation producing universal doubt about God and His creation," and "cloaking the ghastly apparition of atheism." The "Osservatore Romano" declares that the American cardinal was right in his views about Professor Einstein's theories. His theories, the paper says, have a "tendency to cut off faith and God from human life. This is authentic atheism even if camouflaged as cosmic pantheism."

JEW'S SUBSCRIBE TO BRITISH THANK OFFERING

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

London, May 24.—A large number of Jews are among the contributors to the National Thank Offering for the King's recovery, to be devoted to the enrichment of the King Edward's Hospital Fund and the establishment of a National Radium Fund.

The contributors include Messrs. M. Samuel & Co., Ltd., £10,000; Lord Melchett, £5,000; Bernhard Baron, £1,000; Messrs. N. M. Rothschild & Sons, £1,000; the Hon. Henry Mond, £1,000; Louis Sterling, £1,000; the Hon. Mrs. Sebag Montefiore, £1,000 and many other Jews who have given smaller sums.

FOUR \$10,000 GIFTS MADE TO HEBREW UNION

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

Cincinnati, May 24.—Four contributions of \$10,000 each are among pledges reported in the past few days toward the \$5,000,000 endowment fund of the Hebrew Union College. Two of \$5,000, one of \$3,000 and a number of lesser amounts sent the total to date to \$3,281,181.76. This leaves \$718,818.24 to be pledged to reach \$4,000,000 by July 1, to make effective a \$500,000 gift of Julius Rosenwald of Chicago. Those who contributed \$10,000 are Mr. and Mrs. Milton F. Goodman, Chicago; L. E. Block, Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. Philip D. Block, Chicago; and Mr. and Mrs. Maurice L. Rothschild, Chicago.

Ground for the new Children's Home for Temporary Shelter will be broken next month at the north-west corner of 12th Street and the Grand Concourse, New York. The new home will cost \$300,000.

The new building will supplant the present quarters at 30 West 120th Street which are considered inadequate. The announcement was made following an executive session of the Jewish Club, at the Park Royal Hotel, at which Nathan Hirsch presided.

"HOUSE CLEANING" OF SOVIET APPARATUS THROWS JEWISH WORKERS OUT OF JOBS

"Emes" and "Octiabr" Complain Postal Authorities Refuse to Deliver Yiddish Papers (Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Moscow, May 24.—The slogan "Clean the Soviet Apparatus," meaning put into practice in White Russia, has resulted in the loss of employment by a great number of Jewish workers in the territory.

Reports from Homel, Minsk and Bobruisk state that many Jews who have been for years members of the Artisans' Guilds are now unemployed. Various reasons are given for their disqualification, one of them being that a number of the workers who were previously artisans have exploited the workers in their workshops.

The Yiddish Communist daily, "Octiabr," published in Minsk, complains in its issue of today that the Soviet postal authorities in White Russia refuse to distribute the Yiddish newspapers. During the last month, in the entire city of Homel, only eleven copies of the "Octiabr" were distributed. The Yiddish Communist daily of Moscow, "Emes," likewise complains that its circulation has been reduced due to the negligence of the postal authorities. In the entire territory of White Russia, the "Emes" has a circulation of less than 1,500.

COMMUNIST TEACHERS CONSPIRE TO OUST JEWESS

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Moscow, May 24.—A conspiracy on the part of communist teachers to oust a newly employed Jewish teacher, in a public school in Alexandria, near Kremenitshuk, Ukraine, was discovered by the authorities.

The Jewish teacher, Miss Esther Laginskaya, several days ago received an anonymous letter, declaring: "If you will not leave our school, you will be killed, because we never before had a Jewish teacher in our school." An investigation disclosed that the letter was written by Nadia Vassileva, a teacher in the same school, with the consent of the other members of the staff.

NEW VICTIMS OF LABOR RIOTS IN WARSAW

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Warsaw, May 24.—New victims were added to the list of those injured in the fights between the Right and Left wings of the Jewish labor movement in the Polish capital.

Continuing the feuds, the two warring factions engaged in another skirmish yesterday, in which knives were used. Three workers, Mendel Gottlieb, Solomon Kreda, and Joshua Halberstein, were injured and taken to the hospital. Like the victims of the previous fights, they, too, declined to divulge the names of their assailants.

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as chairman of the board of the new Broadway National Bank and Trust Company.

Hundreds of telegrams of greeting and congratulation were received by Mr. Brown, and among those read by the toastmaster, Dr. Lee K. Frankel, were messages from President Hoover, Acting Governor of New York Lehman, Ambassador C. C. Wu of China, former Ambassador Henry Morgenthau, Bishop Gallagher of Detroit, Felix M. Warburg, who is now in London, and Julius Rosenwald of Chicago. Mayor Walker, unable to attend because of the death of a relative, sent a message of regret.

President Hoover's message, which was read at the dinner, declared: "Please extend to the citizen's committee for the testimonial dinner to David A. Brown my sincere regrets that I cannot participate in person in the expression of good-will and regard which your distinguished guest so well deserves."

"Over a period of many years I have known of the large range of civic, patriotic and humanitarian activities of Mr. Brown. In a number of these movements I have enjoyed his close association, especially in the efforts for the relief of war sufferers in many lands. He has rendered noteworthy contributions to the well-being and happiness of many peoples. I greatly admire his outstanding services in the fund raising activities of the Jewish Joint Distribution Committee. He has been at all times inspired by unselfish ideals and he has succeeded to a remarkable degree in stimulating the generous activities of others."

Among the speakers, all of whom praised Mr. Brown's broad philanthropic services, were David M. Bressler, chairman of the citizens' committee, that arranged the dinner; James Schermerhorn, former president of the Michigan Press Association; Judge Alfred J. Murphy, dean of the Circuit Court of Michigan; Louis Marshall, president of the American Jewish Committee; Martin W. Littleton, former Borough President of Brooklyn, and J. Howard Ardrey, vice-president of the Guaranty Trust Company.

Mr. Brown, in a brief address, spoke of the need of individuals willing to give their time and money to humane services. He was presented with a desk set.

Among the guests were Mr. Brown's mother, Mrs. Charlotte Brown, seventy-six, and his two daughters, Rosalie and Carolyn.

Delegations attended the dinner from fifteen other States and the District of Columbia and from eight other cities within New York State.

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ZIONISTS TO ELECT DELEGATES TO WORLD CONGRESS ON JUNE 9th All Shekel Payers Entitled to Vote for U. S. Representatives at Zurich Conference

Elections of the American delegates to the sixteenth biennial World Zionist Congress which will be held in Zurich, Switzerland, beginning July 28, will be held on June 9 in Zionist districts, according to an announcement issued by the Central Election Board in New York, which is supervising the national elections for all Zionist parties and factions.

Sunday, June 9, was set aside in order to permit every Jew and Jewess who purchases a shekel, to take part in the democratic election of representatives to the Congress. Every one who becomes a shekel-payer by purchasing the fifty-cent shekel—the symbol of membership in the World Zionist Organization—is entitled to participate in the elections. All members of the Zionist Organization of America, Hadassah and Order Sons of Zion are automatically entitled to vote.

Unusual interest has been aroused in the election of delegates to this year's Congress because of the importance of the issues which are to be taken up. The Zurich meeting will definitely give the decision of Zionists on the question of the extension of the Jewish Agency and the unifying of Zionists and non-Zionists for the rebuilding of Palestine. It is because of this issue that the American Zionists are aiming to send an unusually large delegation to the Congress.

An announcement issued by the Zionist Organization of America urges all Zionists to vote for the list prepared by the Organization since the candidates on that list are all in favor of the extension of the Jewish Agency and will support the plan when it is taken up at the Zurich Congress.

LEAGUE COMMITTEE REJECTS PLAN TO CHANGE MINORITIES COMPLAINT PROCEDURE

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Minority Committee public. However, it authorized sending the result to every member of the council and expressed the hope that the interested States would approve publishing these results.

At the same time it empowered the League to issue annual reports on the number of minority grievances received. As a further concession to the minorities, the League was empowered to inform petitioners when their petitions are deemed for any reason unacceptable.

The report is considered of the greatest importance to the political situation in Europe, since many observers regard the problem of minorities as a whole to be the greatest potential causes of misunderstandings between the Nations.

The report of the special committee must be ratified by the council which will meet privately in Madrid June 6 for the purpose of discussing it before opening the regular public session on June 10.

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Russia and publish reports which mislead the public," the statement asserts.

A striking feature of the statement is the attack it contains on Reuben Brainin, Hebrew writer of New York who is travelling throughout the world, championing the cause of Jewish colonization in Russia. The statement expresses a "particular indignation at the acts of Reuben Brainin, who is now playing a treacherous role in constantly spreading false news and thus assisting the Jewish section of the Communist Party and all of its persecutions against Judaism and Zionism in Russia."

NAVAL HONORS TO ATTEND FUNERAL SERVICES FOR REAR ADMIRAL JOSEPH TAL

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tary and Director of the Mount Sinai Hospital.

Admiral Josephthal is survived by his widow, the former Edyth Guggenheim, and two daughters, Elinore Clare and Barbara Edyth.

Born in New York, the son of Moritz and Theresa Wise Josephthal, he received his education in the public schools of New York and was graduated from the College of the City of New York in 1887, and while there obtained the honor of the Phi Beta Kappa fraternity.

The key with which Sir John Chancellor, High Commissioner of Palestine, opened the Nathan and Lina Straus Health Center in Jerusalem, was presented to Nathan Straus by the British Government official.

The presentation was made in a letter received by Mr. Straus from Sir John.

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