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## ZIONIST EXECUTIVE ANNOUNCES SPEAKERS AT AGENCY MEETING

American and European Spokesmen to Address Inaugural Session in Zurich  
(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

London, July 23—The Zionist Executive of London, in a statement issued today, announced the list of those who will address the opening meeting of the enlarged Jewish Agency conference to be held in Zurich, August 11.

In the group who will speak are Chaim Nachman Bialik, Leon Blum, Willy Dreyfus, Brodsky, Professor Albert Einstein, O. E. d'Avigdor Goldsmid, Louis Marshall, Felix M. Warburg, Sir Herbert Samuel, Nahum Sokolow, Rabbi Ben-Zion Uziel, Oscar Wasserman and Dr. Chaim Weizmann.

## TO SPARE GRAVE OF LEVI ISAAC BERDITCHIVER

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Riga, July 23—The grave of Levi Isaac Berditchiver, one of the outstanding leaders of the Chassidic movement, whose memory has been perpetuated in many stories and anecdotes depicting him as the champion of the common people, will be spared in the present program of digging up the ancient Jewish cemetery in Berditchev, it is reported here.

Orthodox Jews were greatly aroused when the digging up of the cemetery was started several weeks ago, principally because of the sanctity ascribed to the grave of Rabbi Levi Isaac. It is stated now that the Jewish section of the Communist party, in Berditchev has consented to make a concession to the protesting Orthodox and to spare the grave of the popular Chassidic rabbi. The Jewish communists have, however, refused to spare the graves of other Chassidic Zadikim buried in the same cemetery.

## UNDERTAKE MOTORCYCLE TRIP FROM RIGA TO PALESTINE

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Riga, July 23—Three members of the Brit Trumpeldor have undertaken a motorcycle journey from Riga to Palestine, with the intention of visiting the entire Palestine territory. The distance is estimated at 5,000 kilometers. The three motorcyclists were given a farewell reception and escorted to the outskirts of the city by a group of cyclists. The Shell Oil Company presented the oil for the journey.

## FIRE DESTROYS JEWISH HOMES IN LITHUANIAN TOWN

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Kovno, July 23—Sixty-five Jewish houses were destroyed when a fire swept the town Remigold, district of Poniaz.

The Jewish cemetery, Ligum, district of Scharlen, was destroyed by unknown vandals.

## BUDAPEST GOVERNMENT PAY DAY CHANGED FROM SATURDAY TO WEDNESDAY

Law Affecting All Municipal Institutions Adopted on Plea of Sabbath Observers; Jewish Traders Gain  
(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Budapest, July 23—The Budapest municipality has passed a law changing pay day in all municipal government institutions from Saturday to Wednesday. The action was taken following the suggestion of Councillor Korein, acting in behalf of the Hungarian Sabbath Observers Alliance. All communal institutions have been informed of the change.

The efforts of the Sabbath Observers Alliance have also resulted in having a number of other institutions shift their pay days from Saturdays to Wednesday.

It is believed that this new regulation will be beneficial to Jewish shopkeepers and traders who lost considerable trade because they were closed on the Sabbath.

## EFFORTS TO PLACE JEWISH WORKERS IN DON COAL BASIN FAIL, "EMES" SAYS

Yevsektzia Charged with Responsibility for Failure in One Region  
By Comzet

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Moscow, July 23—That the efforts undertaken recently by Soviet authorities to place unskilled Jewish laborers in the Don Coal Basin and in other industries, with the exception of the experiment at Kertch, have failed, is admitted by the Yiddish Communist daily, "Emes."

Two hundred workers who arrived at the metal factories in the Don Basin last month were compelled to return to their towns because of the unfriendly attitude displayed. Three hundred sent by the Comzet from Totchin to Artiomovsk, were refused admission by the Artiomovsk factory administration. Later, admitted, they were treated so poorly, receiving 60 kopeks per day instead of the one rouble, 20 kopeks promised, that only a few remained.

The Comzet, governmental department for settling Jews on the land, charges the Yevsektzia, Jewish section of the Communist party, with responsibility for the failure at Artiomovsk. The Yevsektzia, on the other hand, denying the accusation, states that the prolongation of such a situation may discredit the Soviet policy among the Jews, therefore the guilty must be found and punished.

## GERMAN STUDENTS OPPOSE PROPAGANDA FOR NUMERUS CLAUSUS

Opposition Expressed at Conference of Students Body  
(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Berlin, July 23—Opposition to the propaganda carried on by certain factions in the German student body in favor of enacting a numerus clausus law limiting the number of Jewish students in German universities, was expressed at the 12th annual convention of the general German students' body, meeting at Hanover.

The organization includes such student bodies as are affiliated with the Voelkische (Nationalist) party and the Austrian student organizations. The official rapporteur, Kersten, recommended to the convention to reject the proposal made by the Werzburg delegation favoring a numerus clausus.

## VILNA GAON'S GRANDCHILD WILLS LANGUAGE FOUNDATION

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Vilna, July 23—A foundation in memory of the Vilna Gaon will be established at the University of Vilna with a fund of 10,000 zlotys, bequeathed in the will of Madame Efron-Rosenthal, a great-granddaughter of Rabbi Elijah, the Gaon of Vilna. Madame Efron-Rosenthal, who died recently in Belgium was the sister of the co-partner in the Leipzig publishing house, Brokhus.

Vilna Jews were somewhat surprised to read that under the terms of the will the foundation was established to further studies in Germanic and Romance languages.

## SYNAGOGUE DESECRATION NOT BY ANTI-SEMITES

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Kovno, July 23—Despatches received here indicate that the desecration of the synagogue at Volkowischki was not perpetrated by vandals as was originally reported.

It has now been revealed that Rachel Stropolsky, the young girl found unconscious outside the synagogue was mentally deranged, and that she shut herself up in the Aron Kodesh, remaining inside until she reached the point of suffocation. The desecration of the synagogue is attributed to her.

## JAMES MARSHALL VISITS WARSAW ENROUTE TO RUSSIA

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Warsaw, July 23—James Marshall, son of Louis Marshall, spent several days here on his way to Soviet Russia.

Mr. Marshall visited a number of Jewish institutions aided by the Joint Distribution Committee, the Jewish Artisans School, the Orphan Asylum, and several synagogues in the Jewish quarter.

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## ORDER CREATES 2 NEW INSURANCE CLASSES

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

Philadelphia, July 23—An acrimonious discussion concerning remuneration for their Grand Master, featured today's session of the 26th convention of the Progressive Order of the West, now in session here. Apparent factionalism made itself felt when it was sought to amend the by-laws of the Order so that the Grand Master may receive a substantial monetary gift at the close of his term, as was the case before the present Grand Master, Joseph Schiller, of Chicago, took office. Mr. Schiller today protested against the reinstatement of this procedure and urged the defeat of the amendment. Acrimony developed when it was sought to amend the pending motion to the effect that at no time should the remuneration be more than \$500. This proviso, however, as well as the original motion, was defeated.

Mr. Schiller was renominated without opposition for his present office, thus virtually assuring his re-election for a second and final term as Grand Master. Among other renominated without opposition were Morris Shapiro, of St. Louis, Grand Secretary; Sol Goldman, of the same city, Grand Treasurer; and Wm. H. Goldman, Grand Beneficiary Treasurer.

A new constitutional proviso voted on yesterday creates two new classes of insurance—\$100 and \$250. This was in response to a demand on the part of many of the delegates who claimed it will meet with the request of younger people who desire to join the Order, more for its fraternity than for the insurance feature.

Funeral services were held yesterday for Leopold Presidential, cigar manufacturer, who died on Sunday at the age of 75 at his home, 37 East Street, Washington, N. J. He is survived by a widow and eight children. He belonged to the Masons and other fraternal societies.

## UNITED STATES BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS SUR- VEYS OLD AGE HOMES

\$26,000,000 Spent to Care for 69,000;  
Facilities for 80,000  
(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

Washington, D. C., July 23—A study of homes for the aged in the United States has just been completed by the United States Bureau of Labor Statistics. The complete data secured in the course of the study covered 1,037 homes sheltering nearly 69,000 persons and involving the expenditure of more than \$26,000,000 per year.

It is estimated on the basis of the figures secured that approximately 80,000 persons can be cared for in homes for the aged maintained by fraternal, religious, trade-union, and other organizations.

Visits were made to about 150 homes in several States and a summary of the conditions found in these homes is given in the July issue of the "Monthly Labor Review." The visits to the homes showed the different types of homes and the kind of accommodations provided for the guests as well as the various special features serving their interests or comfort. The study was one which developed much human interest as it shows the problems which those in charge of the homes have to meet and the degree of success achieved in making the old people happy. In general it was found that the matrons had the interests of the residents of the homes at heart, but in a few cases, which were outstanding because of their small number, the guests were treated with no consideration and the spirit of some of the old people in the homes had evidently been broken to the point of humility by their position.

An article on the status of old-age pension legislation summarizes the provisions in the States which have enacted such legislation. During the present year four States—California, Minnesota, Utah and Wyoming—have

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## CATHOLIC COLLEGE FINDS NOVEL ENDOWMENT PLAN

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

Philadelphia, July 23—Members of the 1929 graduating class of St. Joseph's College, of which the Very Rev. William T. Tallen, S. J., is president, have hit upon a somewhat novel plan of creating an endowment fund to aid their alma mater. Wishing to present a substantial sum as a class unit and unable to do so at this time, the class arranged to have each member take out a twenty-year endowment insurance policy payable to the College.

Each policy is written for \$500 and the group will at time of maturity twenty years hence, represent a sum of nearly \$15,000. Should any member of the class die within the twenty year period, his policy will immediately become available to the college.

Although this action is in no way binding on future classes, it is expected to become a custom. Several recently graduated classes are considering following the plan.

## WARSAW RABBINATE AGREES TO MODERN SYSTEM OF REGISTRY FOR MOHELM

Must Pass Exams to Get Rabbinical  
and Health Dept's Certificates  
(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Warsaw, July 23—Introduction of a modern system of registry, intended to safeguard the observance of sanitary requirements in the performance of the Abrahamic rite of circumcision, was agreed to by the Warsaw rabbinate.

The rabbinate decided today to approve the regulations promulgated by the Warsaw Kehillah, henceforth compelling all Mohelim to secure certificates of authorization from the rabbinic as well as the health authorities. Under the regulations, a candidate for a Mohel will have to go through a medical and religious course, secure hospital experience, and pass the respective examinations before obtaining his double certificate.

## JUDGE LEWIS NOT TO ACCEPT MAYORALTY NOMINATION

Judge Henry E. Lewis, Justice of the Supreme Court of New York, Second District, will not consent to serve as the Republican candidate for Mayor of New York City, according to word received by Republican leaders from Oscar Lewis, a brother, and spokesman for the jurist, who is now in Europe.

Mr. Lewis declared that the Republican chances for defeating Mayor Walker were still too weak to justify his brother in sacrificing the remaining seven years of his term on the bench, and altering his original decision, which was not to run unless there were indications he had a chance of winning. Mr. Lewis said he would advise his brother not to run, in view of the situation, and that he had no doubt his advice would be followed. Republican leaders will make a last-minute attempt to have the Judge revise his decision.

## TO OPEN CONSUMPTIVE HOME FOR CHILDREN

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

Spivak, Colo., July 23—The Jewish Consumptives' Relief Society of Denver, Colorado, will open a department for the treatment of children stricken with pulmonary tuberculosis, according to an announcement by Dr. Philip Hillkowitz, the president of the institution. No place is anywhere available, it is stated, for this type cases.

This announcement coincides with the preparations for the forthcoming 25th annual national convention of the Jewish Consumptives' Relief Society of Denver, Colorado, which will be held at Denver, beginning August 18. The opening of the new children's department will be celebrated at the convention, together with the formal dedication of the new Texas Building, and the acquisition of the site for the proposed Eastern Branch at Highland Mills, New York.

# LABOR LEADERS DECIDE TO CALL WORLD LABOR CONGRESS ON PALESTINE IN 1930

## Conference of Working Palestine Leagues Approves Histadruth Suggestion

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Berlin, July 23—A plan to convoke a World Jewish Labor Congress in the summer of 1930 was approved by the conference of the Working Palestine Leagues, which was in session here for several days. The proposal came from the Palestine Jewish labor organization, Histadruth, which submitted an extensive program for organizing the Jewish labor groups in various countries which are in sympathy with the ideals of the Jewish workers in Palestine.

Satisfaction with the entry of prominent Socialist leaders into the extended Jewish Congress was expressed in a special resolution adopted by the conference.

This action was taken following a discussion of the theories of the relation of the labor movement to the Palestine movement in which the labor leaders Remez, Naphtali and Dr. Aronson participated. The Palestine Histadruth received a vote of thanks for the initiative taken in the matter.

# SYNAGOGUE HELD UP SECOND TIME; ROBBERS FOILED

For the second time in two weeks a hold-up was attempted yesterday at the Congregation Bhebra Bnai Israel, at 77 East 114th Street, when three men waylaid Morris Licht, president of the congregation, in a vestibule of the building at 7 A. M., immediately following the morning services.

Demanding the collections of the week-end, under the threat of physical violence, the thieves, who were armed with knives, fled when alarmed by the entrance into the building of another member of the congregation.

Pursued by a patrolman, two of the robbers escaped, while the third, Arturo Cavasso, collapsed from a bullet wound inflicted by the policeman, and is now unconscious in the Harlem Hospital.

On July 10, Mr. Licht declared, five men held up a meeting of the Neighborhood Business League Corporation in the synagogue, at which he was present, escaping with \$500 in cash and personal valuables.

# JEWISH MIGRANTS AFFECTED BY SINO-RUSSIAN CONFLICT

Several hundred Jewish migrants from Russia, enroute to South and Central America, South Africa, Canada and the United States, find themselves marooned in Harbin because of the uncertain situation arising out of the Sino-Russian conflict.

Harbin is the center where Jewish emigrants gather. An Immigrant Aid and Information Bureau is maintained there by the Hias, Hebrew Immigrant Aid and Sheltering Society of America. The New York office of the Hias has cabled to its Harbin office to ascertain the number of migrants now stranded there.

# J. D. B. NEWS LETTER

## National Geographic Society Surveys Palestine

By Our Washington Correspondent

Washington, D. C.—Another survey of Palestine has been made. The facts, old and new, in retrospect and perspective, were again reviewed, recast and presented in relation to the question of the establishment of the Jewish National Home. The National Geographic Society, founded in 1888 for the increase and diffusion of geographic knowledge, with headquarters in Washington, D. C., took a geographic inventory of Palestine as it appears in 1929 and in a release declares that the survey reveals Palestine as a country "on the make."

Today the Jordan River has been crossed again—by the dam of a power project.

Crusaders from Europe once more invade the land, fighting the mosquitoes who infected 64 per cent of the new settlers with malaria.

The land of milk and honey flows with oranges and Portland cement.

Nazareth is a town famous throughout Palestine as the home of a new water system.

Within the walls of Jerusalem rises a new temple—a \$2,000,000 museum of archaeology presented by an American philanthropist.

Jehu chauffeurs drive furiously over the hills to Jezreel—not to wreak vengeance on Jezebel, but to transport some of the 50,000 tourists using the Bible as a guidebook. Motor cars on the modern Jezreel road make the chariot speed record of the original Jehu II (Kings, 9:20), patron saint of taxicab drivers seem a mere snail's pace. Indeed, from Dan, in the north, to Beersheba, in the south, the length of Palestine, is a pleasant day's motor tour.

Where Richard the Lion Hearted ruled in Haifa there is a Norman castle—at least it looks like a Norman castle, but it is an electric powerhouse.

Progress reaches even to the little town of Bethlehem, where a new hospital is under construction.

Even the age-old cry of the Jews has been changed. The wail of 2,000 years of yesterday, "Next year in Zion," has become "Tomorrow, Zion." Tel Aviv is called the first Hebrew city since the destruction of the temple.

There is more to post-war Zionism than Tel Aviv. While this new all-Jewish community of 40,000 is the largest, there are more than 100 other Jewish colonies. Since the Balfour Declaration of 1917 recognized the special interests of Jews in Palestine, the Jewish population has increased from about 70,000 in 1920 to more than 150,000. Jews are still a minority in their homeland, however, numbering but one-fifth of the total population.

Israel's ten tribes lived off the land. Driven out of Israel into the corners of the world, they made those corner shops and banks. Reconquest of their

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# HOOVER ASKED TO EXCLUDE ROSIKA SCHWIMMER ON HER RETURN FROM TRIP ABROAD

Board of Woman Patriot Publishing Co. Says Temporary Permit Does Not Give Status of Non-Quota Immigrant

President Hoover has been petitioned to take steps to bar Rosika Schwimmer, Jewish pacifist leader, recently refused American citizenship by a Supreme Court decision, from re-entering the United States when she returns from a trip to Europe, on a permit granted her for a temporary visit abroad.

The request was made to the President in the form of a petition submitted in behalf of the Board of Directors of the Women Patriot Publishing Company by Mary G. Kilbreth.

The permit granted Madame Schwimmer for a temporary visit abroad, the petition contends, is not a title of readmission to the United States and does not give her the status of a non-quota immigrant. It is granted with the reservation that it is to have no effect on the immigration laws beyond showing that the alien in question is returning from a temporary visit abroad. President Hoover is therefore urged to give most careful consideration to the prompt and vigorous enforcement of the law.

The petition maintains that Madame Schwimmer is in a class with Countess Karolyi and Mme. Alexandra Kollontay, Soviet Minister to Mexico, both of whom were refused admission to the United States. Countess Karolyi was excluded under the passport control act and Miss Kilbreth declares that "Frau Schwimmer, as well as her intimate friends and patrons, Count and Countess Karolyi, comes clearly within the class under which the Karolyis were excluded." Leniency, she continues, to Madame Schwimmer "would jeopardize the principles of war time conscription of citizens, and just enforcement of the immigration law."

"It would be intolerable injustice," the petition declares, "to draft some men for the front and some women for any service they could perform while harboring, exempt from any service, native or alien militant war obstructors of the Rosika Schwimmer and Roger Baldwin types (in jail or at large) working to thwart our nation's victory."

Associated on the directorate of the Women Patriot with Miss Kilbreth are: Mrs. Randolph Frothingham of Boston, Mrs. Rufus Gibbs of Baltimore and Mrs. B. L. Robinson of Cambridge, Mass.

Funeral services were conducted Monday for Sidney S. Prince, former Governor of the New York Stock Exchange, who died at his home in Mamaroneck, New York, on Saturday. Interment took place at the Mount Hope Cemetery. He was sixty-four years old.

A native of Germany, Mr. Prince came to the United States in 1877. For more than fifty years he was a member of the New York Stock Exchange firm of Asiel and Company, and a member of the Stock Exchange from 1893 to 1928.

He was a trustee and former treasurer of the Mount Sinai Hospital and a benefactor and advisor of the Federation settlement. He is survived by his wife, a brother and a sister.

## J. D. B. NEWS LETTER

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Palestine homeland once more requires agricultural skill of the Jews. Some of the new settlers, former druggists, clerks, grocers in Russia, studied agriculture two years before coming to Palestine.

Good orange growers will inherit the Holy Land. Yet there is a movement by the Jewish immigrants to make Palestine a glorified department store of the awakening Near East. Already they are selling stockings in Egypt, cement to Syria and Cyprus, perfume to France, oranges to England, and made-in-Palestine unleavened bread all over the world.

It is plain that the reconquest of Palestine must come by economic development, not sentiment. The Zionist movement rides two economic horses, pioneering and industry. Pioneers of the American West found free land and lots of it. Jewish pioneers in Palestine must buy the land and a whole community must live on an acreage equal to a moderate-sized Middle West farm. American pioneers found forests; the hills of Judea must be reforested. Americans found a healthy land; the Jewish settlers fight the mosquito, tropical diseases and a whole catalogue of scourges that attack their orange and almond groves, vineyards and grain fields. From 1919 to 1924 the Zionist movement cost about \$35,000,000 and only a few communities have begun to break even, much less pay interest on loans.

Industrial conquest relies on a triple program already under way: Haifa Harbor, the Jordan River and the Dead Sea salts. First, the \$5,000,000 Haifa Harbor development will give Palestine its only deep water port. Secondly, the railroad running inland from Haifa to the Jordan River now carries supplies for the hydro-electric development (the first in Asia Minor, it is declared) which will turn the 165-foot drop between the Sea of Galilee and the Dead Sea into 70 million kilowatt hours per year to light up Palestine. At present there is only a market for 20 million kilowatt hours, but wait and see, say the Zionists.

Thirdly it has been established that the salts of the Dead Sea contain potash in a form usable for the world trade. The chemical extraction problem has been solved. The Jordan development will supply power. Extension of the Haifa Railroad will supply transportation from the 1,300-foot sub-sea-level Dead Sea to the new Haifa port, where all except the biggest liners can dock. Jewish capital and brains and British aid move toward the goal.

Palestine is not a large country. New Hampshire is slightly larger. Palestine, like New Hampshire, has a mountain range down its middle. New Palestine, nevertheless, deals in millions. Government nurseries now produce more than a million trees annually for reforestation, more than 11,000,000 telephone calls were made and 12,000,000 letters were handled in 1927, more than 2,000,000 boxes of oranges were shipped out. Foreign trade

has increased approximately \$5,000,000 since 1924.

Life is complicated by the existence of three official languages. Palestine pounds (equal to British pounds) and the subsidiary coins, "mils" of various denominations, display their values in English, Hebrew and Arabic. They circulate in Palestine, Palestina, or Falastin, depending on your particular faith. The railroad station of the city, sacred to Moslems, Jews, and Christians, welcomes them respectively with the words, El Quads sher Sherif, Yerushalayim, and Jerusalem.

When archaeologists engaging in one of the country's chief industries, dig up a town, they find remains of each civilization hidden by the one on top. Not so with the human layers that have been spread over this foot-path between Asia and Africa. Remnants of races and peoples mill about in the currents of Holy Land life, seldom mixing.

The few Samaritans at Nablus are survivors of a colony established by Sargon II, King of Assyria, 722 B.C.

Major Edward Keith-Roach, Deputy District Commissioner, Jerusalem Division, records in the National Geographic Magazine that the lingual groups in Jerusalem alone are made up of the following numbers:

Abyssinian	73	Magyar	55
Arabic	22,307	Maltese	4
Armenian	2,442	Persian	122
Bulgarian	29	Polish	10
Circassian	3	Pashto	4
Dutch	2	Rumanian	36
English	986	Russian	407
French	261	Serbian	13
German	281	Spanish	102
Georgian	4	Sudanese	35
Greek	760	Swedish	10
Gypsy	7	Syrian	38
Hebrew	32,341	Turkish	198
Indian dialects	769	Yiddish	999
Italian	209		

The whole drama of modern invention's power to remake history is compressed into the recent Palestine experience of some Americans. "We crossed Esdraelon in half an hour," they wrote home, "climbed the hill to Nazareth, but found there was no room for us in the inn. It was only a 40-minute run to Tiberias on the shores of Galilee and there we found good accommodations in a hotel that is run by some Germans."

Funeral services were held Monday for Frank Goldberg, Yiddish actor who died on Friday.

Mr. Goldberg, who was 34 years old, had been manager of the Prospect Theatre in the Bronx. Rev. Israel Broth officiated. The funeral took place in the Yiddish Theatrical Alliance's plot in the Mt. Hebron Cemetery.

A least performance to defray the expenses of Mr. Goldberg's illness will be placed next Saturday at midnight at the Tilyou Theatre, Coney Island.

The Federation for the Support of Jewish Philanthropic Societies of New York City receives \$10,000 under the will of Alfred Bernstein, died in Hamburg, Germany, June 5. The value of the estate is estimated at \$300,000. His widow, Tillie, of 40 West Seventy-second Street is the chief beneficiary, receiving per centum of the principal will pass to the Federation and brothers of Mr. Bernstein.

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## UNITED STATES BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS SURVEYS OLD AGE HOMES

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provided for the establishment of old-age pension systems, making a total of ten States and the Territory of Alaska having such legislation at the present time. California is said to have probably the best law on this subject yet enacted in this country. The law provides a pension up to \$1 a day to citizens over 70 years of age who for 15 years have been residents of the State and citizens of the United States. The system is to be administered by the county, or city and county, and supervised by the State, one-half of the cost to be borne by the State.

Milwaukee, Wis., July 23—Ground has been broken here for the erection of a new Jewish Home for the Aged, at a cost of \$125,000, on a lot of 200x131 feet.

It will be constructed of fireproof brick and stone, two stories in height, with a basement. It will accommodate 45 aged men and women. There will be no dormitories, each person occupying a private single or double room. The most important feature of the building is the infirmary for the care of the sick and incurable cases, which will be set off as a separate unit, and will contain all the facilities of a modern miniature hospital.

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