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Roumanian Jews Hope for Improved Status in King Carol's Accession to Throne

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Bucharest, June 9.—The willingness of the Jews of Roumania to support King Carol and the hope that his assumption of power will mean stability for the entire country is expressed in a declaration read today in Parliament on behalf of the Jewish Parliamentary Club, speaking in the name of the Jewish population of Roumania which hails the new regime as inaugurating a reign that will put an end to recent anti-Semitic disturbances.

Just before Dr. Maniu was replaced by Premier Mironescu, for one day, he received a special correspondent of the Jewish Telegraphic Agency who has arrived here to look into the reports of anti-Semitic troubles. Dr. Maniu told the correspondent that he is satisfied with the new political situation and expressed the belief that the change would prove beneficial to all interests of Roumania.

With the new political developments overshadowing the Jewish question the anti-Semitic agitation of Professor Cuza has ceased to be a factor and the Jewish deputies in Parliament feel that a sectional attitude is impossible. The Roumanian Jews are prepared to emphasize their loyalty to the state in consonance with Jewish aspirations and to place their hopes in the stability of the new regime. This is the spirit of the Jewish Parliamentary Club's declaration, the full text of which follows:

"The Jewish Parliamentary Club and the entire Jewish population of the country associates itself with affection with the dynasty and solemnly lays at the feet of the throne inextinguishable confidence in the capacities of the suc-

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Geneva Denies Britain Has Given Arabs Legislative Council

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Geneva, June 9.—A "figment of the imagination" is the unofficial characterization here of the New York report that the British government has granted the Palestine Arabs' demand for a legislative council. Dr. Drummond Shiels, British under-secretary for the colonies, representing his government before the Mandate Commission's inquiry on Palestine said he was unaware of any legislative council.

It is pointed out here that even should such a council be under consideration the reported proportion of 34 Arabs and Christians to 6 Jews in the council is a preposterous proportion. In some quarters here the story is said to have emanated from Abdul Auni Bey, Arab leader, who may have expressed the idea of the council.

Sees Discrimination, Prejudice, Becoming Dangerous Factors to Jews of United States

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Boston, June 9.—Prejudice and discrimination have gradually become dangerous factors to the Jews of the United States, declared Dr. Ben M. Selekman, director of the Associated Jewish Charities of Boston, speaking at a symposium on the economic, cultural and social changes of American Jewish life in this century. He spoke at the National Conference of Jewish Social Service, Dr. Abraham Rosenthal of New York, Michael Freund of the Bureau of Jewish Social Research and Louis Kirstein of Boston also joined in the symposium.

Mr. Kirstein, who was chairman of the session, pointed out that the Jews of this country are faced with a dual responsibility, that of developing an adequate program for taking into account the changes in the country and the fact that "the Jews of America have been catapulted into the position of world leadership in Jewry".

Dr. Selekman declared that while many Jews had obtained wealth and influence through industrialism, particularly in the fields of real estate, entertainment and trade, the economic hardships created by the chain store had narrowed the economic field for the small store owner. The conference is being attended by some 600 social workers from all parts of the United States and Canada.

Suggest U. S. in Group to Hold Palestine Mandate

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

London, June 9.—The United States would be among a group of states to whom the Palestine Mandate would be transferred according to a suggestion made in unofficial but influential quarters, says a Geneva dispatch to the "Morning Post". The same report says that when the Mandate is relinquished by Great Britain it may perhaps be transferred to the League of Nations itself.

The "Post" says that the fact that the proposal emanates from the Zionists of America indicates the strong current of feeling in Geneva at present. The paper points out "that doubt seems to prevail among the members of the Mandates Commission whether the British government has done all it might for the defence and security of Palestine. Much of the present friction between members of the Commission and the British government may be attributed to active Jewish propaganda, conducted against the British government's decision to restrict Jewish immigration for a period".

Mandates Commission Deals With Measures Taken to Prevent Palestine Riots

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Geneva, June 9.—After examining the Palestine disturbances, the immediate and remote causes of them and the responsibilities involved, the Mandates Commission discussed the measures taken by the Mandatory power to prevent them. Dr. Drummond Shiels, British under-secretary for the colonies, explained to the Mandates Commission that since September the British police forces had been increased by 400 hundred men, 100 in September, 100 in October and 200 in January, making the present force 650.

Dr. Shiels informed the Mandates Commission that the decision to increase the police and the measures taken to enable them to take their place rapidly had resulted from the provisional report prepared by Inspector-General Dowbiggin who investigated the police situation.

The two battalions sent to Palestine in September would remain, Dr. Shiels said. After studying the final report of Inspector-General Dowbiggin the British government will take other measures indicated for the maintenance of order, Dr. Shiels declared.

"Doar Hayom" and Two Arab Dailies Are Suspended

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Jerusalem, June 9.—In place of the suspended Hebrew daily "Doar Hayom" there appeared this morning the "Yerushalayim," (Jerusalem) printed from the Doar Hayom's press and under the same editorship but published under a permit in the possession of an obscure weekly known as "Yerushalayim".

The "Doar Hayom" and the Arab dailies "Jamal Al Arabia" and the "Falastin" were suspended Sunday until further notice. The notice received at the "Doar Hayom's" office gave no reason for the suspension but it is learned that the orders sent to the Arab papers mention inciting articles calculated to exacerbate public feeling.

Three Condemned Arabs to Die June 16

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Jerusalem, June 9.—The three Arabs whose death sentences were not commuted to life imprisonment in the general reprieve May 31 will be hung June 17, according to a report to the Cairo daily "El Mokktam" from its Haifa correspondent. Of the score or more Arabs under the death sentence for the murder of Jews during last August's riots all but two from Hebron and one from Safed were reprieved.

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Judge Joseph Sabath Is

Boomed for Chicago Mayor

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Chicago, June 9—A boom for Judge Joseph Sabath of the Superior Court for next mayor of Chicago has just been begun by his friends. Judge Sabath, who is a democrat, is a brother of Representative Adolph J. Sabath. He is now sixty years old. He arrived in Chicago as an immigrant at the age of fifteen and his first job here was that of a messenger boy.

Friends who are furthering Judge Sabath's candidacy for mayor claim he is so popular in Chicago that he can draw over a million votes. They base his popularity chiefly on his record as a judge in the divorce court. During the nine years that he has been hearing such cases, the judge has granted 35,000 decrees of divorce and effected 2,100 reconciliations. This, argue his friends, means that he has made 74,000 votes of litigants alone and at least 350,000 more from their acquaintances. Besides this, Judge Sabath can speak nine languages—English, German, Bohemian, Polish, Yiddish and several Slavic tongues—is a member of twenty-two organizations and is believed to be in sympathy with the "wet" movement.

Dr. Stephen S. Wise Honored

by Syracuse University

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

Syracuse, N. Y., June 9—Rabbi Stephen S. Wise was among the eight church leaders who received honorary degrees from the Syracuse University in conjunction with the dedication of the \$600,000 memorial chapel erected as a gift of the late Senator Francis Hendricks.

In bestowing the degree, Chancellor Charles W. Flint, said of Rabbi Wise: "Founder and rabbi of a great Jewish synagogue—Ever in the forefront of movements for your own racial and religious expression and achievement, ever in the forefront of movements for a better social order for all races and religions, as an influential fellow-religionist and as an outstanding fellow-American citizen."

"Sunday Times" Hopes England Will Withdraw Immigration Ban; Hurts Great Britain

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

London, June 9—Hope that the British government by withdrawing the ban on Jewish immigration "which nothing in the state of Palestine justifies" will put itself "right with the Mandate Commission and the world" is expressed in a strongly worded editorial in the "Sunday Times" which condemns the British government's policy in not only making the Jews "indignant but all who are sensible about British international relations".

The sequence of events, says the "Sunday Times", has been extraordinary. "First the Jews are massacred in their National Home. Then the Inquiry Commission instead of fixing the immediate responsibilities strays outside of its terms of reference and blames the Mandate, the Jews and everyone but the murderers. Then the government, instead of throwing the slovenly and biased report into the waste paper basket proceeds to act on two of its recommendations about immigration and land and finally proceeds to hang up the Mandate altogether until someone else has reported".

At all costs, the "Sunday Times" concludes, the government "should reverse the ban which has raised a storm of passionate protest in three continents and is doing Great Britain much international injury".

Rabbi Would Not Prohibit

Intermarriage If Love Exists

Churches and synagogues should not forbid intermarriages in cases where true love and affection are the guiding motives, declared Rabbi Clifton Harby Levy on Sunday in his sermon before the Centre of Jewish Science. However, to avoid possible disagreements in mixed marriages, Rabbi Levy said, there should be a pre-nuptial agreement that the children are to be brought up in one faith.

"This is a serious and a very practical problem," declared Rabbi Levy. "Shall we bar the doors between the lovers or shall we perpetuate the farce of forced conversions? It is a problem which concerns not only the Jew, but all other earnest believers as well".

Jew Heads Juvenile

Court in Milwaukee

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Milwaukee, June 9—Circuit Judge Charles L. Arons, who was elected to this office in 1925 for a term of six years, has just been unanimously chosen as presiding judge of the Juvenile court at a meeting of the Milwaukee county board of judges, composed of the 19 jurists of the county. He will serve in this capacity for one year. Judge Arons' intelligence and sympathetic handling of domestic relations cases that have come before him has been universally commended and his opinions have been lauded by the press and the clergy of Milwaukee.

Value of Synagogues Rises 300 Percent in Decade; Jews Leading Urban Set

A 300 percent increase in the value of synagogue buildings in the decade from 1916 to 1926 is shown in a volume entitled "The United States Looks At Its Churches" which was compiled for the Institute of Social and Religious Research by Dr. C. Luther Fry. In the two decades from 1906 to 1926 the increase was 400 percent, the actual figures for the synagogue values in the years 1906, 1916 and 1926 being, \$23,198,925, \$31,012,576 and \$97,401,688 respectively.

Dr. Fry gives the total membership of Jewish synagogues as 2,930,000 persons over 13 years of age but he explains that this number "undoubtedly exaggerates the numerical strength... because Jewish membership has recently been defined in such an inclusive fashion that the data collected are virtually population estimates rather than membership figures comparable with those for other religious bodies".

In giving figures for church members by rural or urban areas Dr. Fry points out that 94 percent of all synagogues members are in urban areas which makes Judaism the most urban religion in the country. Of all the church members in the United States 66 percent are Jews while 69 percent of all Jews in the country are affiliated with synagogues.

While there is naturally not a single state in which synagogue members constitute a majority of all church members there is no state in which there are no synagogue members, making the Jews one of eight denominations in the country that have at least one church in every state.

The value of the synagogues per synagogue adult members is \$33 but this small investment does not mean that synagogues are comparatively inexpensive, but on the contrary. The average synagogue costs \$86,000, which is higher than the cost of a church for any other large denomination in the United States.

The Jewish congregations also have the smallest expenditure per adult member, the figure being \$6.52 in urban areas and \$5.35 in rural areas. In view of this small expenditure per adult member it is surprising to find that the Jews are among the highest in expenditures per congregation with an average of more than \$12,500, contrasted with a national average of only \$3,800.

Jew Named to Lake

Placid Village Board

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

Lake Placid, N. Y., June 9—S. J. Volpert, a life-long resident, has been appointed a trustee on the Lake Placid Village Board to fill a vacancy caused by the resignation of Walter Kennedy. Mr. Volpert has been president of the Lake Placid Synagogue since its organization.

This is believed to be the first time in the history of this internationally-known resort that a Jew has been elected or appointed to a post in conducting municipal affairs.

Synagogues and Temples Raise \$92,288 for Allied Drive

Headquarters of the New York Allied Jewish Campaign announced yesterday that, including contributions made last Tuesday, the second day of Shevuoth, synagogues and temples in Greater New York have thus far given \$92,288 toward the \$250,000 which is being raised in this city toward the \$6,000,000 fund that is being sought nationally for the 1930 budgets of the Joint Distribution Committee and the Jewish Agency for Palestine.

The following are the congregations that have thus far reported:

Manhattan and Bronx—The Jewish Center, \$30,000; Kehillah Jeshurun, \$13,185; Society for the Advancement of Judaism, \$25,000; Shaare Zedek, \$3,500; Shearith Israel, \$2,000; Brotherhood of West End Synagogue, \$600; Mt. Sinai Anshe Emeth, \$2,000; Washington Heights Hebrew Congregation, \$1,000; Inwood Hebrew Congregation, \$1,000; Ahavath Israel of Washington Heights, \$500; West Side Jewish Center, \$200.

Borough Park—Anshe Sfard, \$4,000; Shomer Eimuna, \$1,800; Young Israel, \$1,200; Beth-El, \$2,000.

Flatbush—Shaare Torah, \$1,478; Kings Highway Jewish Center, \$435; Ocean Parkway Jewish Center, \$490; Williamsburg—Bnai Israel, \$650; Agudas Israel, \$1,000; Young Israel of Brooklyn, \$250.

Ten thousand dollars by Arthur M. Lampert, \$2,500 by Truly Warner and Reuben Arkush were among the contributions to the New York Allied Jewish Campaign announced yesterday. Contributions of \$1,000 were received from Dr. and Mrs. Joseph Klein, Robert Marshall, Hon. Albert Ottlinger, Albert R. Rossin, Abraham Siegel and Mr. and Mrs. Philip Weinstein.

Says Charity Could Be Better Provided for by State Taxation

The poor and needy could be better provided for by state and municipal taxation than they are now provided for by organized charity through voluntary contribution, declared Henry Nias, president of the Lily-Tulip Cup Corporation of New York, who is himself a liberal contributor to charities and a director of the Brooklyn Orphan Asylum, in an interview appearing in the "Brooklyn Examiner" of last week.

Not only would taxation by the government distribute the burden of caring for the destitute equally among the population according to its means, said Mr. Nias, but it would also eliminate the glorification of individuals who, he believes, contribute to charities only because they want to be in the public eye.

"It is a well known fact," said Mr. Nias, "that the responsibility for our indigent Jews falls upon the shoulders of comparatively few individuals. A graduated tax, levied according to the means of every citizen, would create funds sufficiently large to care for every one in want. The man who owns a delicatessen store may pay several dollars a year. The man who owns a bank, several hundred or thousands."

Public Opinion on the Allied Jewish Campaign

This is the tenth of a series of letters from prominent leaders in the American Jewish community showing what they have to say about the \$6,000,000 Allied Jewish Campaign.

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HOWARD S. CULLMAN

Dear Jim,

Any constructive effort of rehabilitation of reorganization, whether from an industrial standpoint or dealing with human equations, cannot be successfully accomplished without an orderly program extending over a period of years.

The primary steps that were taken by the various Jewish agencies abroad to alleviate the suffering resulting from the aftermath of the War, as well as the maladjustment of millions of individuals without basic industrial or agricultural training, can only be considered fundamental. Those receiving only primary help from this country are still a vital problem to those who, being in a more fortunate position, should feel it a privilege to solve these difficulties permanently.

It is my firm conviction that the successful rehabilitation of the Jews in Eastern and Central Europe is dependent on a continuous program that will eventually develop industrial, agricultural and professional classes that will not only be self-supporting but will simultaneously, with this new economic background, gain the respect and encouragement of their respective communities.

I am sure that those of us who have had every advantage through citizenry and education will do all we can to give equal opportunities to those who, through no fault of theirs, have not been as fortunate in being offered the same opportunities.

Sincerely,

(signed) Howard S. Cullman.

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New York City.

Jersey Court of Appeals Hears Eulogy of Judge Kalisch

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

Trenton, N. J., June 9—A portrait of the late Justice Samuel Kalisch was presented here to the Court of Errors and Appeals simultaneously with the reading to the Court, of a resolution by the New Jersey Bar upon the death of the jurist who served on the State Supreme Court for seventeen years.

The resolution was read by Attorney General Stevens and the portrait was accepted by Governor Larson on behalf of the state. The resolution was drafted by five prominent non-Jewish lawyers.

This was one of three honors lately accorded the memory of the deceased jurist. The graduating class of the New Jersey Law School this week announced the establishment of the Samuel Kalisch Scholarship and a tree in memory of the judge was planted lately at the National Farm School.

Dedicate Tablet in Honor of Late Felix Fuld

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

Newark, N. J., June 9—During his life-time, the late Felix Fuld, merchant and philanthropist, refused to permit the erection of a tablet in the new \$4,000,000 Beth Israel Hospital, to commemorate his large share in the work of making that institution a reality. Now, however, one year and a half after his death, some eighty-five personal friends have decreed otherwise for a tablet has just been unveiled in the reception hall of the hospital bearing a likeness of Mr. Fuld and the inscription: "In affectionate remembrance of Felix Fuld whose philanthropy led in establishing this institution." Mr. and Mrs. Fuld's contributions totalled more than \$500,000.

Felix Berg, a nephew of the deceased, unveiled the tablet. Rabbi Julius Silberfeld offered the invocation and Samuel F. Leber, acting president of the Conference of Jewish Charities, delivered the eulogy.

New England Zionists Vote Down Brandeis Memo Unless Changes Are Made in It

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Pittsfield, Mass., June 9—While stressing the need of further negotiations with the Brandeis-Mack group to maintain a united front among American Zionists, the New England regional Zionist convention here went on record as urging modification of the recently submitted memorandum of the Brandeis-Mack group before it could be declared acceptable to the Zionists.

The debate on the Brandeis memorandum, which overshadowed all other questions, was keen and lasted several hours. The leaders who urged that the memorandum in its present form be not accepted were David Radovsky, Joseph Schubow, I. J. Lower, and Rabbi Harry Kaplan.

Last year's president, Dr. Hyman Morrison, was chosen honorary president and Elihu G. Stone, assistant U. S. Attorney, was named president. Other officers elected were A. Freedman, Bangor, Me., Col. Jacob Frank, Burlington, Louis Shapiro, Portsmouth, Col. Benjamin Everts, Holyoke, Mrs. David A. Lourie, James D. Glunts, Moses Miskel, Benjamin Robalsky and Collman Silbert, all of Boston, vice-presidents, Henry Yozell of Lynn, treasurer and Dr. Anna Mintz, treasurer.

The principal addresses were made by Louis Lipsky, Mrs. Archibald Silver of Providence, Menachem Rebaiov, editor of the Hebrew weekly "Ha-dar" and P. M. Raskin. Resolutions adopted condemned Great Britain for the immigration ban and recalled the memories of Judge David Lourie, Mrs. Lena Straus and Lord Balfour.

Dr. Max Meyer Not Jewish

Since the publication of the news of the ousting of Dr. Max F. Meyer, psychology professor from the University of Missouri, it has been learned that Dr. Meyer is not a Jew.

United Sentiment on Palestine to be Voiced at Z.O. Convention

The thirty-third annual convention of the Zionist Organization of America, to begin in Cleveland on June 29 will be a demonstration of united American Jewish interest in Palestine, where American Jewry will be able to "give expression to its views with regard to present political conditions that prevail in Palestine", according to a letter sent by Louis Lipsky, President of the Zionist Organization, to the leading Jewish national organizations in the United States, inviting them to send delegates to the Cleveland meeting.

In addition to the delegates from the various Zionist districts, it is expected that representatives from the other Jewish national bodies will attend the Cleveland convention, since it will be the first occasion at which a united American Jewry will be able to give an impressive expression of its attitude to the recent conduct of the British Government with regard to Palestine.

Mr. Lipsky has invited each of the following organizations, who have hitherto shown interest in the development of Palestine, to send three representatives to the annual Zionist gathering: American Jewish Congress, Independent Order Brith Abraham, Independent Order Brith Shalom, Independent Order Free Sons of Israel, Progressive Order of the West, Federation of Lithuanian Jews, Federation of Orthodox Rabbis of America, Federation of Polish Jews, Federation of Ukrainian Jews, Federation of Galician Jews, Junior Hadassah, United Rumanian Jews of America, Independent Western Star Order, Order Knights of Joseph, United Synagogue of America, Union of Orthodox Jewish Congregations of America, Rabbinical Assembly, Mizraichi Organization, Poale Zion, Zeire Zion, Avukah, Young Judaea, Jewish National Fund, and Histadruth Ivrit.

In his letter, Mr. Lipsky said in part: "It is intended to make a demonstration of Jewish interest in the Zionist cause at this convention, and to give expression to the views of American Jews with regard to the present political conditions that prevail in Palestine, and the policies of the Mandatory Government. The presence of your delegation at our convention will give added strength to the expression of opinion which will be adopted there".

Jewish Vets Propose to Aid Unemployed Comrades

A permanent veteran employment bureau to be established in the city of Brooklyn, will be proposed by the delegation of Jewish War Veterans from Brooklyn Post No. 2, at the convention of the national body at Providence, which will meet July 3, 4, 5 and 6.

It is the purpose of these veterans to render services gratis to employer and employee. The only requisite on the part of the employee is that the applicant be a veteran or a member of a veteran's family. It is expected that this bureau, after being approved by

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cessor of the Rumanian kings. The Jewish population perceives in the act consummated today a guarantee of the development of the country and the peaceful progress of all its nationalities.

"Rising above every day questions and considering only the supreme interests of the country, we emphasize that the Jewish population desires with all its heart that today's act signify the beginning of a peaceful life of brotherhood and understanding for the commonwealth.

"Being foes of all disorders, which primarily hit the Jewish population, we are convinced that the new constitutional order will compel the respect of citizenship rights and the fundamental institutions of the land and will recognize all sons irrespective of nationality as equal in rights and duties. We believe implicitly in the high and notable sentiments of love of King Carol and we say in the name of the Jewish population, 'Long Live King Carol and Greater Roumania'."

As foreign minister in the Maniu government M. Mironescu, who was premier for twenty-four hours until King Carol was placed on the throne, last year told Jacob Landau, managing director of the Jewish Telegraphic Agency, who was visiting in Roumania, that he desires stabilization of the Jewish situation to prevent the molestation of the Jews in the railways and universities and that he would pursue a determined policy of suppression of anti-Jewish violence.

Effect of Rumanian Changes on Jews Hard to Foresee

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Vienna, June 9—Whether King Carol's accession to the Rumanian throne will improve the Jewish position in the country is hard to foresee, the Vienna "Neue Freie Presse" points out, because of rumors that the King is anti-Semiticly inclined. On the other hand the Vienna press indicates that the government's authority is undoubtedly increased and it will be able to suppress disturbances, including those directed against the Jewish population.

Thus far, however, the anti-Semitic agitation shows no signs of diminishing, the paper says in publishing alarming reports from Southern Bukovina and other districts where frightened Jews are fleeing their villages. In Baltzi the Cuzists are continuing their attacks, breaking into Jewish houses and assaulting Jews on the streets.

The opinion here is that it remains to be seen whether the coronation will ease the Jewish situation or whether new conflicts arising out of the coronation, which has already resulted in a split in the Liberal Party, will cause renewed anti-Jewish disturbances.

the national convention will be in operation immediately following the close of the encampment.

Nasal Twang and Speech Defect Bar 8 at Hebrew Union College

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

Cincinnati, June 9—The ever elusive "It" has invaded even the sanctuary of the Hebrew Union College, where it seems that rabbinical candidates must not only have "elements of personality, loyalty, character, idealism and religious spirit" but must not be guilty of shyness, an accent, speech defect, and nervous instability.

Under these circumstances eight rabbinical aspirants have been dismissed from the Hebrew Union College. Dr. Julian Morgenstern, president of the college, stated that "all the eight students are fine boys. Their character and scholarship is excellent.

"It is largely an economic situation," he went on to say. "Every year we weed out students and limit the number of those admitted. Our judgment of which ones should be dismissed is based on the promise they show for the ministry."

150 Rabbis Will Visit First U.S. Synagogue During Central Conference of American Rabbis

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

Providence, R. I., June 9—For the first time, 150 rabbis and their families will make a pilgrimage in a body to the first Hebrew house of worship in the United States, the Touro Synagogue in Newport, during the sessions of the Central Conference of American Rabbis, that convenes in this city, June 25 to 30.

Among the important matters to be considered by the conference during its five-day session here, is the symposium on the Union Prayer Book, preparatory to "a thorough revision of the Prayer Book", as the resolution passed at the Detroit conference last year instructed. Rabbi Sol B. Frechhof of Chicago will speak on the evolution of the liturgy; Rabbi Israel Bettan and Rabbi Samuel S. Cohon, both of Hebrew Union College, Cincinnati, will speak on the function and religious ideas of a prayerbook respectively; and Rabbi Jonah Wise of New York city will discuss the devotional value of the Union Prayerbook.

The whole program of religious education for these days will be analyzed and discussed, with a special emphasis on the subject of "Methods of Teaching the Idea of God to Children", by Rabbi Louis Wolsey of Philadelphia and Rabbi Barnett R. Brickner of Cleveland. Rabbi Leo M. Franklin of Detroit, a former President of the Conference, will give an important paper on "The Purpose and Possibilities of Synagogue and School Extension in American Reform Judaism".

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