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WEIZMANN LEAVES PLATFORM AS WISE AT STORMY CONGRESS SESSION INDICTS ENGLAND FOR FAILURE WITH MANDATE AND SCORES WEIZMANN'S POLICIES

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BASLE, July 3—The stormiest session the present Zionist Congress has yet witnessed came late today when Dr. Stephen S. Wise of New York, speaking as the representative of the American delegation, came out with an excoriating indictment of England for its failure to fulfil the obligations of the Palestine Mandate and a bitter attack on the leadership of Dr. Weizmann. At one point the Congress was thrown into an uproar when Dr. Weizmann left the platform in demonstrative protest against the speaker and the Laborite delegates attempted to shout him down with cries of "demagogue" and appeals to the chairman to forbid the continuance of his speech.

"I indict the present government of England on this tribunal of the Jewish people before the moral conscience of the world as having tragically failed to fulfil its obligations under the Palestine Mandate to the Jewish people," Dr. Wise called out.

"Dr. Weizmann's speech sounded like a statement by the British government," he continued, "but my word will be a statement to the British government. Whether it will be necessary to speak against England depends on whether we shall have a leadership which shall speak to England." Dr. Wise then declared that he offered no indictment against the English people. "How," he asked, "can I indict Lord Balfour, Lloyd George, Lord Plumer and General Smuts? It is these who are representative of the English people and not Lord Passfield, High Commissioner Chancellor and Keith Roach, district commissioner in Palestine."

"Security, Land, Immigration"

The three major points for the estab-

lishment of the Jewish National Home are security, land and immigration. Dr. Wise said. "Security should not rest on British bayonets but on an end of the will and efforts on the part of British officials in Palestine who incite the Arabs against the Jews. We do not demand safety for our men in Palestine, but we demand that the British government grant security for women, children and old men who were the especially chosen victims of the 1929 riots. Our second demand is free and legal access to the land, and our third is freedom of immigration.

"During the past two years we have had none of these things. We have had bad laws administered by worse officials. We had utter and tragic insecurity. We had restriction, even cancellation of immigration. We are justified in saying that the establishment of the Jewish National Home has been practically annulled by fiat of the British Government."

Characterizing Dr. Weizmann's speech as a personal apologia and not a political address, Dr. Wise emphasized

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Venizelos Tells Jewish World There Is No Cause for Alarm Over Situation in Saloniki

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

LONDON, July 3—Terming published reports abroad regarding the Saloniki anti-Jewish riots greatly exaggerated and admitting that they were unjustifiably provoked by Nationalist students and Greek war veterans, Premier Venizelos, in a cable to the Jewish Telegraphic Agency tonight, declared that the Jewish world need have no further anxiety for the safety of the Jews of Saloniki.

Replying to an inquiry from the Jewish Telegraphic Agency for an official version of the disturbances, the venerable Prime Minister cabled the following statement:

"The Saloniki disorders were unfortunately provoked by the unjustified manifestations of Nationalist students and Greek war veterans against the participation by members of the Saloniki Maccabee Club in a celebration of the same organization in Sofia where a member of the Bulgarian Maccabee spoke in favor of the territorial claims of his country.

"Happily, the information circulated about the Saloniki incidents were exaggerated, and apart from certain material damage one can only regret the death of one Greek. Order has now been completely reestablished. The government has delegated A. Avraam,

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Saying He Doesn't Represent Views of Congress, Weizmann Repeats He Isn't Candidate

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BASLE, July 3—Terming Vladimir Jabotinsky, Revisionist leader and one of the chief critics of his administration, "a man of great ability and quality," Dr. Chaim Weizmann, in an exclusive interview with the Jewish Telegraphic Agency, today repeated his determination not to accept a nomination for the presidency of the Zionist Organization, an office he formally resigned Wednesday in making his address to the Zionist Congress.

Dr. Weizmann's statement to the Jewish Telegraphic Agency was made while the Congress was still heatedly debating the merits or demerits of his administration.

"Jabotinsky and his followers have the courage of their convictions," Dr. Weizmann declared. "There are many others in the Congress who lean towards the Revisionists' views but who do not have the courage openly to confess Revisionism."

While the delegates to the Congress were wondering whether Dr. Weizmann would yet be returned to office despite the heated criticism of his policies and in the face of his own announcement that he had definitely resigned, Dr. Weizmann said, "if anything, my determination not to accept the presidency has been strengthened by the developments at the Congress. I feel I do not represent the views of a large part of the Congress and it would be folly for me to assume the responsibility of leadership in the face of such a large and determined opposition. Besides, I feel really tired."

Dr. Weizmann expressed his conviction that the Congress will act wisely by accepting Premier MacDonald's let-

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Says British Jews Hopeful Weizmann Will Resume Reins

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

LONDON, July 3—British Jews are still hopeful that the Zionist Congress will invite Dr. Chaim Weizmann to return to the leadership and carry on his original policy, the London Morning Post says today in commenting on an interview that Dr. Weizmann gave Dr. Samuel Margoshes, editor of the New York Jewish Day. Dr. Margoshes saw Weizmann as a man who preferred retirement but who would accept a call to resume the leadership.

Other London newspaper's feature yesterday's general debate at the Congress and quote at length from the speech of Vladimir Jabotinsky, Revisionist leader. The Daily Express, which yesterday described Dr. Weizmann's speech as "a swan song" today terms Jabotinsky the "Jewish Mussolini".

Rectors Warned to Be Severe As Nazi Student Riots Grow

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BERLIN, July 3—Dr. M. Grimme, Prussian minister of education, is understood to have ordered the rectors of all universities of Prussia to apply the strictest disciplinary measures in an endeavor to halt the wave of anti-Semitic rioting on the part of Nazi students. The minister's order is reported to be the result of information he has received that the student disorders in the various universities are organized under instructions from a central headquarters.

Yesterday's Nazi student meeting at the University of Cologne to protest against the Versailles Treaty, eventually became nothing more than an anti-Semitic meeting accompanied by the usual cries of "death to the Jews" and subsequent attacks on Jewish students.

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Kallen Would Abolish All

Jewish College Fraternities

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LAKE GEORGE, N. Y., July 3.—The Jewish college fraternity was attacked as "one of the most vicious forms of imitation of the Gentiles adopted by the Jews since the war" and Zionism was held out as the only force through which the Jew could achieve "a sense of belonging," by Dr. Horace M. Kallen of the New School for Social Research in a lecture yesterday before a group of Jewish students from many American universities who attended the summer courses of Avukah, American student Zionist federation, at Camp Scopus.

"I would abolish all of the Jewish fraternities," said Dr. Kallen. "It is one of the most artificial forms that has come up in the process of the assimilation of the Jews in the academic community. The fraternities are the most vicious form of Gentile imitation, and contribute nothing to the adjustment of the Jew to American life."

In outlining the relation of the American Jew to Zionism, Dr. Kallen said that the eventual political or economic success of the Zionist program did not determine the value of the movement to the American Jew who gained a sense of "belonging" irrespective of the eventual fate of Zionist aims. Dr. Kallen declared that only when the Jew achieved the sense of belonging to something as a Jew could he become at ease as an American.

"Zionism had had a much more fundamental effect on the life of the modern Jew than has the synagogue," he said. Dr. Kallen also urged the students to observe that, as Jews were becoming Americanized, America was also becoming, to a degree, Judaized.

The Avukah summer school, which closed yesterday, was attended by over 100 students from 16 colleges.

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that the Congress "will never accept the MacDonald letter as setting right the White Paper. The letter is not a treaty of peace but red cross relief for those sorely wounded by the Grand Mufti, Lord Passfield and the pogroms.

Letter Cancels White Paper

"All major and minor pogroms in Palestine hurt Great Britain at least as much as they hurt us. Our leadership maintains that the MacDonald letter is a virtual cancellation of the White Paper. However, not the White Paper but immigration permits were cancelled. England's answer to the Mufti-led pogromists was the cancellation of permits. Our leadership's answer was the whittling down of the Jewish National Home into a bi-national state. We have had insults, indignity, shame and degradation from the British Government which learned the art of fifty-fifty from the Jewish Agency, fifty percent for the Arabs and fifty percent against the Jews."

It was at this point of Dr. Wise's speech that the Congress was thrown into an uproar. Dr. Weizmann rose from the platform and in a half demonstrative fashion left the hall while Dr. Wise was speaking. Out in the lobby he explained that he left because he considered Dr. Wise's address unparliamentary and irresponsible.

After Dr. Weizmann left the hall the Laborite delegates, who have been Dr. Weizmann's staunchest supporters, shouted "you are a demagogue" to Dr. Wise and attempted to prevent him from continuing with his address. Jacob Fishman of New York, claiming that he spoke for the American delegates of the group headed by Louis Lipsky, former president of the Zionist Organization of America, declared that Dr. Wise did not speak in the name of their group. In the meantime, Dr. M. D. Eder, leader of the British general Zionists, called upon Dr. Leo Motzkin, the chairman, to prevent Dr. Wise from continuing.

Dr. Motzkin, however, found that Dr. Wise had spoken in parliamentary form. "So long as I am chairman," he ruled, "I shall not prevent him from continuing."

Arab Problem Invented

The uproar lasted for some time. When it finally quieted down Dr. Wise continued: "If the Balfour Declaration had read 'the aim of His Majesty's Gov-

ernment is to hinder, obstruct and frustrate the establishment of the Jewish National Home,' the Declaration would have been abundantly fulfilled. England is responsible for an understanding between the Jews and the Arabs which London and Jerusalem officials have done everything to make impossible notwithstanding the fact that the Jews are willing, nay eager, for such an understanding. There would not have been an Arab problem in Palestine if the Palestine government had not invented it or evolved it."

Asserting that the Zionist Executive had no right to accept the MacDonald letter as a basis for cooperation, Dr. Wise declared that this letter should not have been answered by Dr. Weizmann three months ago, but by the present Congress. "The land development scheme is the best proof that the MacDonald letter offers no basis for cooperation," he charged.

"We have cooperated fully and loyally for ten years and in return we have hurt and reprisal, wrong and murder. The Arabs have not cooperated and they have gotten all they wanted. The Arabs do not even find it worthwhile to go to London for the purpose of a conference as we must go. We must speak to England as England likes to be spoken to. No leadership is qualified to speak for us which faces the British government in the spirit of 'you are great and we are small, you are all and we are nothing.' That our leadership has lost faith in the Jewish people is abundantly proved by events before and after the negotiations between the Jewish Agency and the British government.

"A vote for the present leadership," Dr. Wise declared, "is a vote for a present British regime from Lord Passfield down to Keith Roach. If the present leadership is reelected the British government would have the right to say, and would say, that the Zionist leaders were not right in resigning after the issuance of the White Paper.

Reelection of Leaders Disgrace

"It would be an eternal disgrace if the present leadership were to accept reelection. Jewish history would never forgive it. If the British government desires the present leadership to continue, our answer is, we choose our leadership which is not to be chosen for us. We have not freed ourselves under Herzl to be reenslaved under Weizmann by the British government."

A new scandal erupted during this address in which Dr. Wise, Dr. Eder and Jabotinsky engaged in outcries across the platform. Immediately after Dr. Wise ended his address Dr. Eder rose and protested in the name of the English delegation against the introduction of British politics into a Congress debate. Dr. Wise, he claimed,

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Today's Issue of Jewish Daily Bulletin Is Number 2000

Today's issue of the Jewish Daily Bulletin is number 2,000. The Bulletin, which first appeared in printed form on October 1, 1924, is the only Jewish daily newspaper in the world published in English. The appearance of the 1000th number of the Bulletin was celebrated on February 21, 1928.

Urges Jewish War Veterans To Interest Themselves in Problems of Their People

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

PHILADELPHIA, July 3 — Four hundred ex-service men representing groups in various parts of the country, met today in this city at the opening of the tenth encampment of the Jewish Veterans of the World War. Outstanding among the addresses was one delivered by Congressman Benjamin N. Golder, who urged the Jewish World War veterans to extend their program so that it would include an interest in the affairs of their own people, in the upbuilding of Palestine, in the synagogue and in Jewish education.

"As Jews," Congressman Golder declared, "we have special problems deserving our serious consideration. To these we must now apply ourselves. Another reason for this interest by the Jewish war veterans is to demonstrate to the rest of the world the loyalty, heroism and idealism of the Jewish people."

In his annual message, Harold Seidenberg of Boston, national commander, outlined the purposes of the organization as follows: "the Jewish War Veterans, like other veteran organizations, abhor war, and sincerely hope that our country will never be involved in another."

Meetings of the various committees followed before the convention adjourned temporarily to meet again in Atlantic City tomorrow and Sunday.

Ludendorff Found Guilty of Anti-Semitic Libel

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BERLIN, July 3—General Erich Ludendorff, former German war lord, suffered another blow to his prestige today as a result of his Jew-phobia when the court at Gotha found him guilty of defamation in a libel suit brought against the general by Count von Dohna, the aged former grand master of the German Masons. The court fined Ludendorff 500 marks and costs with the alternative of ten days in prison. Count von Dohna was also authorized to have the verdict published in Ludendorff's paper, Volkswarte, at the general's expense.

The suit grew out of a charge made in January 1928 by Ludendorff that Count Dohna knew as far back as 1911 of a "Jewish-Free Mason's plot" to murder the Austrian crown prince, Franz Ferdinand, in order to provoke a world war, but had done nothing to prevent it and therefore was guilty of high treason.

Leon Stern, Architect, Dead

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

ROCHESTER, N. Y., July 3—Leon Stern, noted Rochester Jewish architect, who designed many public buildings in this city, is dead at the age of 64. Mr. Stern was made a fellow of the American Institute of Architecture in 1925. He was a director of several charitable institutions in Rochester and a member of Temple Brith Kodesh

Plans for Students' Identification In German U.'s Announced

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BERLIN, July 3—Plans for the compulsory identification of all students entering university premises in Germany were announced today by the German ministry of education in an endeavor to halt the growing anti-Semitic riots of the Nazi students. In an order issued today by the ministry of education to all university rectors the latter are charged with the responsibility of taking immediate disciplinary measures against student rioters.

The order provides for speedy punishment of rowdy students and their trial before a specially convened court.

Wise Outlines Program of World Jewish Conference

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BASLE, July 3—The program for a world conference of Jews, planned to be held either in Basle or Zurich after the close of the Zionist Congress, was outlined here today by Dr. Stephen S. Wise in a statement to the Jewish Telegraphic Agency. Dr. Wise pointed out that the conference will not deal with the rights of Jewish minorities with special reference to the Versailles Treaty, but envisages a study of the Jewish problem in its entirety, including the problems faced by Jews in various lands, whether these problems be racial, political, economic, social or educational.

The conference will also consider whether this is an opportune time for a Jewish world conference. The call for the conference has been issued by Dr. Wise in the name of the American Jewish Congress of which he is honorary president. Originally it had been anticipated that the Commission on Rights of Jewish Minorities would join in the call for this conference, but Dr. Leo Motzkin, the head of the Committee of Jewish Delegations, and some of his associates were found to be unwilling to participate in the conference, Dr. Wise said, adding that he was then compelled to issue the call in the name of the American Jewish Congress.

150 American Middle Class Colonists Sail for Palestine

More than 150 Jewish men and women sailed for Palestine Thursday on the S. S. Providence to become middle-class settlers in Eretz Israel. This is the largest group of this type that has ever gone at one time from this country and they are taking with them a total capital of well over one-half million dollars for investment purposes.

The group was tendered a farewell reception at the 92nd St. Y.M.H.A. prior to their departure under the auspices of the Zionist Organization of America and were addressed by Harry P. Fiester, treasurer of the Zionist Organization of America; Dr. S. Bernstein, director of the Palestine bureau of the Zionist Organization of America; Nahum Lipshitz, representative

Part of General Zionists Will Offer Resolution for Rejecting MacDonald Letter

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BASLE, July 3—All of the General Zionists (Centrists) with the exception of the group headed by Dr. M. D. Eder of Great Britain and the American delegation today agreed upon a resolution to be presented to the Zionist Congress to the effect that the MacDonald letter interpreting the White Paper of October 1930 is unsatisfactory and that confidence in the Mandatory Power can only be restored if and when the policies now pursued by the British government and the Palestine government are radically changed.

The resolution in part reads as follows: "The policy of Great Britain as well as that of the Palestine government has deeply shaken Jewish confidence which was hitherto the basis of our relations with the Mandatory Power which for the last two years violated the obligations imposed by the Mandate with regard to the Jewish National Home." Terming the MacDonald letter unsatisfactory and pointing out that the attitude of the Palestine government is systematically obstructing the upbuilding of Palestine, the resolution concluded by saying that confidence in the Mandatory can be reestablished only if and when "the policies now pursued by the British government and the Palestine government are radically changed."

The American General Zionists are still heatedly discussing the acceptance of this same resolution.

Three Jews Win Industrial Teachers' Scholarships

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

ALBANY, N. Y., July 3—Three Jews are among the winners of twenty-five industrial teachers' scholarships of \$1,000 each and one year's tuition at the Buffalo State College for Teachers. They are Samuel Goldfield, Samuel A. Kaynis and Jack Bloom, all three of New York City. All the winners will enter the Buffalo College for Teachers in September and at the end of the school year will receive permanent certificates to teach various trades in vocational schools.

Would Dismiss Officials Playing Saturday Games

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

JERUSALEM, July 3—The chief rabbinite of Palestine today called on all national Jewish institutions in the country to dismiss any of their officials who participate in Saturday sports. The Agudath Israel, extreme Orthodox organization, has been making a determined fight to prevent Saturday games. It has asked the High Commissioner to enact an ordinance making such games unlawful.

of the Manufacturers' Association of Palestine and Isaac M. Allen, Nasi of the Order Sons of Zion.

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had said that under a Conservative government these pogroms would never have occurred. At this point Dr. Wise interrupted with the cry, "I never said that." Eder shouted, "you liar." Jabotinsky called across to Eder, "Eder, you're talking dangerous nonsense." Meer Grossman, Revisionist leader, and Dr. Robert Stricker, erstwhile Radical, joined in the ensuing tumult.

Dr. Wise then rose on the platform and stated that he had never uttered the sentence quoted by Dr. Eder. He demanded an apology which Dr. Eder refused to give him. Dr. Chaim Arlosoroff, Palestine Labor leader, sustained Dr. Wise's claim that he had never made the statement attributed to him by Dr. Eder and this brought the incident to a close.

Morris Meyer, an English delegate, asked the Congress presidium why it permitted Dr. Wise to insult the British government with whom relations had not been broken off. But the chairman ruled that Dr. Wise had not insulted Great Britain and furthermore that since an opportunity had been given to offer a defense of the British government, it was not more than right to give free opportunity for criticism to Zionists who in their patriotic ardor had perhaps used sharp words.

Dr. Weizmann returned to the Congress hall immediately after Dr. Wise's address.

The general debate then continued with a discussion of (1) the Weizmann policy as against Jabotinsky's program, (2) Dr. Weizmann's definition of the aims of Zionism, and (3) the proposed rejection of the MacDonald letter. Ben Zion Mossinsohn, general Zionist of Palestine, asked for the rejection of Dr. Weizmann's call for political parity with the Arabs as well as the Revisionists' suggestions and demands. He urged that no Arab problems be discussed but that only practical Palestine work and the fight for Jewish political rights be taken up.

Criticizes Revisionists

Dr. Chaim Arlosoroff concentrated chiefly on criticism of Revisionism and termed it merely a fighting system which isolates Zionism from international, English and Arab public opinion. The only way to continue is to strengthen the upbuilding work in Palestine and the Jewish community politically and economically, he declared. "It is impossible to close our eyes to changes in international policy since the Balfour Declaration which are now unfavorable to Zionism."

He also contended that in spite of all the occurrences of the last few years there were opportunities for bringing tens of thousands of people in Palestine just as was done after the Churchill White Paper of 1922. In describing the internal Zionist position he claimed that the Revisionists were seeking to destroy the organization

and sabotage the Zionist Administration.

As regards England, he said, opinion is divided between those who are pro-Jewish and those who are pro-Arab. The latter, he went on, wished to liquidate Zionism, while those who are pro-Jewish wished to strengthen the movement. The only future for Palestine, he concluded, is equal rights for Jews and Arabs.

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BASLE, July 3—Richard Lichtheim, leader of the German Zionist Revisionists, demanded at this morning's session of the Zionist Congress that the enlarged Jewish Agency for Palestine be reorganized by the Congress because the influence of the Agency on the Zionist Organization has not been a happy one. The enlarged Jewish Agency was created at the 16th Zionist Congress held in Zurich in August, 1929.

Quoting Dr. Lee K. Frankel, a member of the Administrative Committee of the Jewish Agency and one of the leading American non-Zionist Agency leaders, whom he recently met in Berlin, as saying that he was not optimistic concerning the financial prospects of the Agency, Mr. Lichtheim expressed the hope that new ways would be found for cooperation between Zionists and non-Zionists.

In the course of the continued general debate this morning under the chairmanship of Rabbi Meyer Berlin, president of the Mizrahi, Orthodox Zionists, the Congress heard speeches by Dr. Joshua Thon, Polish General Zionist; Dr. Michael Ringel of East Galacia, Kurt Blumenfeld, president of the German Zionist Federation, and Heschel Farbstein, Polish Mizrachi leader.

Farbstein severely criticized Dr. Weizmann, terming his report "an inheritance from a bankrupt idea." He said that the Mizrahi does not intend to accept this inheritance because it is a total failure. Dr. Weizmann should have withdrawn a long time ago, Farbstein declared. Dr. Thon and the other speakers emphasized that while this was a most critical Congress, Zionists should not despair.

Motza Settlers May Leave If More Colonists Don't Come

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

JERUSALEM, July 3—If more settlers are not added the Jewish colonists at Motza, one of the settlements that was destroyed during the 1929 disturbances, will leave the colony, leaders of the settlement today cabled the Zionist Congress which is in session in Basle. The colony claims that it cannot maintain its position with only 15 families.

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minister of justice, to go to Saloniki to make a thorough inquiry. All political parties, supported by public opinion, have unanimously approved by categorical declaration in parliament disapproving of the disorders. The Jewish world need have no anxiety.

"Venizelos."

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BASLE, July 3—Already concerned over the status of the Jews of Saloniki as a result of the anti-Jewish riots there earlier in the week, the Zionist Congress today received a cabled appeal from leaders of Saloniki Jewry urging central Jewish organizations to intervene immediately in the Saloniki situation. "If no immediate outside intervention is forthcoming the lives of the entire Jewish population are in danger," the plea declares.

The Saloniki Jews urge that a special representative be sent there at once. They point out that the danger has not yet passed and that all Jewish quarters have been evacuated. The central government is sympathetic but the local authorities are inactive, the Congress was informed. A strict censorship makes it impossible for correspondents to cable details of the situation or even to mail full reports, the Saloniki leaders cabled.

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ter as a basis for cooperation with the British government. "If the Congress rejects the letter what will the new Zionist Executive do first after the Congress," Dr. Weizmann said. "I strongly feel that an agreement with the Arabs is obtainable on the basis of parity."

"If a legislative council should come, equal Arab and Jewish representation would afford an opportunity for satisfactory cooperation. We would also demand an equal distribution of funds for Arabs and Jews within the development scheme. I do not see how we can demand more."

"Parity does not mean a bi-national state which is vague and does not necessarily imply parity. I have no sympathy or understanding with the demand for a Jewish majority in Palestine. A majority does not necessarily guarantee security. We may have a majority and still be insecure. A majority is not required for the development of Jewish civilization and culture. The world will construe this demand only in one sense, that we want to acquire a majority in order to drive out the Arabs. Why should we raise a demand which only makes a provocative impression."