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## NEW PALESTINE IMMIGRATION ORDINANCE CAUSES CRITICISM AT SESSIONS OF ACTIONS COMMITTEE

**Dr. Chaim Arlosoroff Scored for Failure to Make Known Its Imminence; Says Keren Hayesod Receipts Fell to \$210,000; Want Departments of Emanuel Neumann and H. Farbstein Combined; Ask Neumann Be Named to Assist Arlosoroff**

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

LONDON, Aug. 2—Some excitement was caused at this morning's session of the Actions Committee, when several members of the General Council brought attention to the new immigration ordinance of the Palestine government as published by the Jewish Telegraphic Agency.

An interpellation was submitted and criticism aroused by the statement of Dr. Chaim Arlosoroff, member of the Zionist Executive in Palestine, who said that he was aware of the pending publication of the ordinance prior to his departure from Palestine.

George Halpern, general Zionist of London, and Robert Stricker, Revisionist of Vienna, were particularly outspoken in their criticism of Dr. Arlosoroff's failure to bring this matter to the attention of the Actions Committee.

The ordinance, according to the information received by the Jewish Telegraphic Agency, is designed to make stricter existing immigration and deportation regulations. Dr. Arlosoroff explained, however, that the ordinance merely codifies the practice of checking immigrants. He expressed doubt that immigration will be curtailed. The creation of a new capitalist immigration category will be welcomed by all, he said.

Referring to unrestricted immigration from Transjordan which the new ordinance leaves untouched, Dr. Arlosoroff said it was inconsistent to protest that no immigration barrier exists between Palestine and Transjordan at a time when the demand is made that these two lands be regarded as one country.

The interpellators at this point objected and labelled the explanation as an attempt to whitewash an unsatisfactory government act.

The Executive is expected to make a formal reply to objections.

Dr. Arthur Ruppin, Jewish colonization expert, outlined his colonization plan at this morning's session and was followed by S. Soskin, Revisionist representative, who offered a counter plan.

Robert Stricker, Revisionist of

Vienna, in a lengthy address, pointed to the need of amalgamating the work of Emanuel Neumann of New York and H. Farbstein, of Poland, both members of the Zionist Executive, working in the economic field. There is not much difference between them, Mr. Stricker said. He recommended that Mr. Neumann be assigned to cooperate with Dr. Arlosoroff in the political work in Palestine.

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

LONDON, Aug. 2—The Actions Committee, having completed its political discussions, settled down to a discussion of other outstanding business at its yesterday afternoon session and listened to the addresses of Dr. Maurice Hexter, H. Farbstein, Emanuel Neumann, Berl Locker, Dr. Werner Senator and Arthur Hantke.

Immigration and financial matters were discussed. Mr. Hantke stated

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## CENTRAL UNION SENDS REPRESENTATIVE TO KOENIGSBERG IN EFFORT TO SECURE PROTECTION FOR JEWS AGAINST FURTHER ATTACKS

**Dr. Alfred Hirschberg, Central Union Press Chief, to Make Representations to Authorities; Will Investigate Attempt on Life of Kurt Sabatzky; Police Report Says Three Nazis Invaded His House at 6 A. M.**

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BERLIN, Aug. 2—In an effort to prevent further attacks upon Jews and Jewish stores in Koenigsberg, where yesterday an attempt on the life of a representative of the Central Union of German Citizens of the Jewish Faith was made, the Central Union today despatched to Koenigsberg, Dr. Alfred Hirschberg, its press chief, to make representations to the authorities.

Dr. Hirschberg will seek to procure for the Jews measures of protection against the Nazis.

He will also investigate the Nazi attempt upon the life of Kurt Sabatzky, its representative, who protested with the East Prussian authorities against the anti-Jewish attacks in Sensburg.

Dr. Sabatzky has on several occasions been threatened by the Nazis

## Resident of Tunis Taken To Task for Failure to Protect Jews Against Attack

**Silence of General Press on Attack on Jews in Tunis Criticized**

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

PARIS, Aug. 2—The general press is criticized today for its silence in the face of the anti-Jewish attacks which occurred in Tunis last Monday by the Socialist daily, "Populaire."

The paper criticizes the Resident General Manceron, for failing to take adequate steps to protect the Jewish population.

Eleven Jews were injured last Monday in the attacks which began with a quarrel between an Arab and a Jewish merchant and culminated with an invasion of the Jewish quarter.

## Charges Two Communists Condemned Because Jews

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

PARIS, Aug. 2—The assertion that the two Communists, Emmerich Szalay and Alexander Fuerst, hung by order of the Budapest authorities, were condemned because they were Jews was made by Deputy Jean Longuet of

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and little doubt is felt that the attack upon him was long planned. The Nazis were prevented from carrying out their plans only by the absence of Dr. Sabatzky from home.

The police report on the incident states that three Nazis invaded Sabatzky's home at six o'clock in the morning and searched every room and every bed without avail.

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BERLIN, Aug. 2—Jewish shops in Koenigsberg were attacked and their show windows broken yesterday by the Nazis.

Among the firms which suffered damage to their property are those of Lachmansky, Sommerfeld and Gruenwald.

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## B'nai Brith Fulfills Obligations To Jewish War Orphans In Czechoslovakia

### Orphans Reaching Self-Supporting Status; B'nai Brith Makes Final Payment

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

CINCINNATI, Aug. 2.—B'nai Brith has fulfilled its final obligation to the Jewish War Orphans of Czechoslovakia, who have been supported and cared for by the Order since 1919, it was announced here today.

A check covering the support of the last few orphans who will soon reach a self-supporting age has been acknowledged by Dr. Josef Popper of Prague, president of B'nai Brith in Czechoslovakia.

B'nai Brith authorized the War Orphan program immediately after the war, and planned to care for hundreds of Jewish war orphans living in Poland, Germany, Bulgaria, Austria, Roumania, Jugo-Slavia, Turkey, Czechoslovakia, and other countries. It was decided to have the American B'nai Brith lodges "adopt" a number of these orphans and support them until they should reach the age of fourteen. A special War Orphan Fund was created for this purpose.

Guardians, often members of European B'nai Brith lodges, were secured for the children, and efforts were made by the various Secretaries of the Order to establish some personal contacts between the orphans, their guardians in Europe, and the adopting lodges in the United States.

The Order supported fifty of these

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## Vestry Locks Doors of Clinic as 150 Patients Seek Treatment

Dr. Cowles May Seek Court Decision  
in September; Patients Treated  
Free at His Office

The vestry of the church of St. Mark's on-the-Bowwerie locked its doors on Monday to the Body and Soul Clinic and, it became known, indicated that the clinic will not be permitted to open again after the month's suspension to which Dr. Edward S. Cowles, director of the clinic, consented after a long period of controversy.

The action of the vestry brings to a close ten years of service on the part of the clinic and the closing, it is charged, is due to racial prejudice because the majority of the patients treated are Jews.

The eviction notice is signed by Dr. William N. Guthrie, rector of the Church, together with other members of the vestry. The latter's communication, according to the "Herald-Tribune," declared:

"In accordance with the foregoing statements of the corporation and its rector, you are hereby notified that the use of the church by the clinic will under no circumstances be permitted after July 31, 1932. We also notify you specifically that the use of the church will not be permitted for use by the clinic after the suspension beginning August 1, 1932 and, ending August 31, 1932, nor at any time thereafter.

"We trust that this letter is sufficiently definite and certain to cause you to remove any property that you may have on the premises of St. Mark's without further notice." This letter, dated July 26, was received by Dr. Cowles, on July 31st.

On Monday evening, following this communication, Dr. Cowles received a telegram from Dr. Guthrie declaring:

"I understand you will urge no objection to closing your clinic for August if this vacation be without prejudice to such right as you think you have. Now I did not exclude the clinic myself and have no intention of doing so, but this does not imply that I have the power to continue the hospitality I gladly gave it for ten years in the face of an opposing majority of trustees in accord with the diocesan."

Dr. Cowles states he will seek a court decision in September if as he was informed by Dr. E. Clowes Chorley of Garrison, N. Y. and canonical authority of the Episcopal Church that St. Mark's was chartered "under and conformable to the direction of statutes of this state." If this is correct the vestry's outster of the clinic is illegal, Dr. Cowles contends.

In the meantime, 150 patients who gathered before the church on Monday to receive clinic treatments were told to come to Dr. Cowles office where they received treatment without

## Congress Court Declines To Handle Revisionist Complaints Against Executive

Says Matter of "Illegal" Palestine  
Offices Outside Its Jurisdiction; Mat-  
ter to Go to Actions Committee

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

LONDON, Aug. 2.—The Congress Court scheduled to hear the grievances of the Revisionists against the Zionist Executive yesterday made known that it does not consider itself competent to deal with the subject of the complaint which are outside its jurisdiction.

The Revisionists charge that the World Zionist Executive, contrary to the decision of the World Zionist Congress last year, has not reorganized the Palestine offices according to the new composition of parties and that the Palestine immigration certificates issued are therefore illegal. The Revisionists ask the recall of these certificates.

Since the Congress Court has declined to hear the complaint, the matter will be brought before the Actions Committee, now in session, for discussion.

## Governing Body of World Union to Meet at The Hague

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

THE HAGUE, Aug. 2.—The Governing Body of the World Union for Progressive Judaism will hold its Summer meeting at The Hague on Monday, August 8th, preceded by a series of special Services and Meetings which are being organized by the Dutch Liberal Union in consultation with the World Union Executive.

These meetings are being arranged in substitution for the regular Biennial World Conference which, in view of the abnormal economic conditions, the Governing Body has decided not to summon this year. They will be open to all members of Progressive Congregations and groups, as well as to visitors interested in Progressive Judaism.

### The Programmes

The first meeting will be held in Amsterdam on Thursday afternoon, August 4th, under the chairmanship of Miss Montagu, and will be a Meeting for Parents to discuss "Religion in the Home and Religious Education." A similar meeting will be held the following afternoon in The Hague.

### The Delegations

The meetings will be attended by visitors from America, France, Germany, Great Britain, Holland, Poland and Sweden.

In addition to a number of leading laymen, the following Rabbis are expected from America: Dr. W. Rosenau of Baltimore, Drs. Gerson B. Levi and

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charge. Assistants of Dr. Cowles gave the treatment since the latter is suffering from bronchial pneumonia.

## J. D. B. NEWS LETTER

### German Press Lauds Great Jewish Artist,

#### Prof. Max Liebermann, on His 85th Birthday

By Our Berlin Correspondent

BERLIN—The German press contained special and leading articles, photographs and tributes on the occasion of the 85th birthday of Professor Max Liebermann, the great artist, who celebrated his 85th birthday on July 20.

Professor Max Liebermann, who belongs to one of the most distinguished Jewish families in Germany, is a brother of the late Professor Carl Liebermann, the famous chemist, and of the late Professor Felix Liebermann, the historian and authority on English Constitutional History, who died in 1925, and a cousin of the late Walter Rathenau, the German Foreign Minister, who was assassinated by anti-Semites in 1922.

He is the dean of German painters and the greatest representative of German impressionism. He was a great friend of Joseph Israels, the Jewish painter in Holland, who was known as the "Rembrandt of the Nineteenth Century," on whom he has written the most authoritative work. He has written a number of other important essays on art, which are collected in a volume of "Collected Writings."

During the monarchy in Germany, Liebermann was denied all official recognition because he was a Jew. His election as President of the Berlin Academy of Art was vetoed by the Kaiser. When the Republic was established, however, the Academy again elected him as its President, and although the term of office of the President of the Academy is limited by law to three years, the law was repeatedly suspended by Act of Parliament in his favor.

The anti-Semitic movement did not, however, neglect to attack even this greatest of German artists. The fact that he was one of the signatories to the appeal issued to the German people by some of the most distinguished artists and writers of the country, calling on the German people to vote for President Hindenburg, in the presidential elections, when he was opposed by Hitler, called down on him the wrath of the Hitlerist press and speakers, and the Berlin Hitlerist daily, "Angriff," published an allegation that he had told a French journalist that if Hitler was returned to power, the French army must march into the country to put down his Government, and called him a traitor, demanding his arrest and trial.

Professor Liebermann immediately issued a denial. It is true, he said, that I received a French journalist and showed him my pictures, but I did not talk politics with him, let alone say anything of the kind attributed to me in the report.

At the end of May it was announced that Professor Liebermann had resigned the Presidency of the Berlin Academy of Arts, ostensibly on account of his advanced age, but it is understood that the real reason—since it was taken for granted that he would be President for life—is the growth of Hitlerist influence.

The Minister for Education and Fine Arts, Dr. Grimm, sent him a letter after that, expressing to Professor Liebermann his personal admiration and his official gratitude for the important work he had done for German art, and the prestige his presence at the head of the Academy gave Germany in international art.

An exhibition of Liebermann's works was opened in the galleries of the German Art Association in May, in preparation for his 85th birthday.

When Professor Liebermann celebrated his 80th birthday in 1927, the occasion was one of nation-wide observance. The President of the Republic, Field-Marshal von Hindenburg, sent him a message in his own handwriting through the Federal Minister of the Interior, who brought him at the same time the Order of the Shield of the Eagle of the Empire. Your life-work, President Hindenburg wrote, is of undying importance in the history of art. You have opened up a new road for a whole generation of artists, who follow in your steps. In token of the great debt which the German people owes you, I hereby confer on you the Shield of the Eagle of the Empire.

#### "I Was Born a Jew and I Shall Die a Jew"

"I was born a Jew, and I shall die a Jew," Professor Liebermann declared in a statement published in the "C. V. Zeitung." "The other day," he went on, "I looked out at the Old Jewish cemetery in the Schoenhäuser Allee, and as I looked out I said to myself: It is a very fine thing to know that your grandparents and your parents lie there, and that you, too, will lie there."

"Do you know how many years it is since I was offered a post as the head of an Academy, and the letter containing the offer went on to say that I should go and be baptized at once? I replied to these people that if it will make me paint better, I might consider being baptized."

"I have often spoken with Professor Einstein about the Jewish question," Professor Liebermann continued, "and I used to talk about it frequently with the late Dr. Paul Nathan. It is a very painful question," he said, "but the solution is not simple. Zionism is attempting to find a solution. Zionism is a

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### Lewis Goldberg Nominated For Massachusetts Superior Court by Governor Ely

To Fill Place of Judge Elevated to  
Position Refused by Frankfurter;  
Is Active in Jewish Affairs

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

BOSTON, Aug. 2—Lewis Goldberg, former member of the Massachusetts Department of Public Utilities and prominent in Jewish affairs was nominated yesterday for the Massachusetts Superior Court by Governor Joseph B. Ely.

Mr. Goldberg was named to succeed Judge Henry P. Lummus who was elevated to fill the vacancy on the bench of the Supreme Judicial Court which Professor Felix Frankfurter of Harvard Law School declined.

Mr. Goldberg is a prominent member of the Jewish community and is affiliated with the Kehillath Israel Congregation of Brookline. He is chairman of its Hebrew School Committee and is active in Zionist work. Mrs. Goldberg was formerly president of New England Hadassah. Mr. Goldberg is an observant Jew. His father recently died in Palestine.

### New England B'nai Brith To Hold Conference

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

OLD ORCHARD, Me., Aug. 2—A conference of representatives of B'nai Brith lodges throughout northern New England will be held at Old Orchard, Maine, on August 6th and 7th.

The conference has been summoned by President Benjamin J. Shoolman, the newly elected President of District Grand Lodge No. 1. Reports of activities of the individual lodges will be presented and steps taken to strengthen the scope and influence of B'nai Brith throughout the section. The conference will begin with a dinner and reception tendered by the President of the District which will be held at the Hotel La Reine.

Isidor Kadis, Field Director of the B'nai Brith Wider Scope, representing National B'nai Brith Headquarters, will deliver a report of the international work of the Order on behalf of Jewry.

### Merchants Association Signs Agreement

The Merchants Ladies Garment Association signed an agreement yesterday with the International Ladies Garment Workers Union and thus averted a threatened strike which would have involved 12,000 people.

One other employers group must now agree to sign the contract which was drawn up through the mediation of Lieutenant Governor Herbert H. Lehman.

## New Palestine Immigration Ordinance Causes Criticism at Sessions of Actions Committee

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that the income of the Palestine Foundation Fund this year was reduced to \$210,000 and that no larger income may be awaited next year.

Emanuel Neumann described the great strides made in Palestine development and stated that the prospects for the future are distinctly encouraging, particularly when the Haifa Harbor and the Mosul oil pipe lines will have been completed. Within five years, the orange production will be trebled, Mr. Neumann predicted.

The American member of the World Zionist Executive recommended the establishment of a new department for an extensive campaign to impress wide circles with the attractiveness of Palestine as a place to live in and to invest in. He also asked for the establishment of Economic Committees in the Diaspora.

The trickle of American Jews toward Palestine is now broadening into a stream, Mr. Neumann said. Last year hundreds of Jews went to Palestine and several thousand are behind them. The capital thus mobilized for Palestine amounts to millions of dollars.

Mr. Farbstein dealt with middle class colonization.

## Jew Named President Of Seattle Park Board

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

SEATTLE, Aug. 2—Two months after his appointment as the only Jew on the Seattle Park Board, Barney B. Lustig, well-known in the local Jewish community, this week was elected by fellow workers as president of the board.

He is the second Jew in the history of the city ever to hold the position.

## Charges Two Communists Condemned Because Jews

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France, a grandson of Karl Marx, in a statement to the Jewish Telegraphic Agency today.

Deputy Longuet, prominent Socialist leader, came to Budapest to defend the executed Communists. He denounced the trial procedure as abhorrent. Attorneys for the accused were not permitted to communicate with their clients and were not even shown the charges against them.

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very noble and ideal movement, but it is not for me.

"Do you think that my cousin, Walter Rathenau, would not have been murdered if he was not a Jew?" he asked. "There is no man who can say that. Unfortunately, Erzberger, too, was murdered, and he was not a Jew."

"When I became President of the Academy I received an anonymous letter threatening that if I did not retire within three days I would be removed. I threw the letter into the waste paper basket."

"Jews should be told that they should not segregate themselves," Professor Liebermann concluded. "A certain amount of self-consciousness, if one is something and can do something and has the right amount of tact to go with it, will not harm anyone."

In a letter dealing with the question of anti-Semitism which was published some time ago, Professor Liebermann wrote that "anti-Semitism has become dangerous only since it has infected the so-called scholars, since it has invaded the universities. Honors appear to be given to individual Jews only so that the mass of Jews should be the more insulted. I consider it is the greatest insult to which I can be subjected when a Christian says to me: 'If only all the Jews were like you!' I always answer: If only all the Christians were like me!"

Professor Liebermann has presented a number of his works to the Museum of the Bezalel School of Art in Jerusalem, and recently he assured Mayer Dizengoff, the Mayor of Tel Aviv, of his interest in the new Jewish Museum in that town.

Professor Liebermann made a drawing in his 80th year, which he called the "Mother of Twelve Thousand," to commemorate the 12,000 Jewish soldiers who fell in battle for Germany during the War, and presented it to the Federation of Jewish ex-Soldiers.

The official organ of the Berlin Jewish Community published an article by Dr. Karl Schwartz, recalling that in the old synagogue in the Heideruter Street in Berlin there is a curtain hanging before the Ark of the Law, presented by Professor Liebermann's grandfather, Joseph Liebermann.

Only recently, Dr. Schwartz wrote, Professor Liebermann told me, that he well remembers standing 75 years ago in this synagogue at the side of his father, who pointed out to him this beautifully embroidered curtain, with the name Liebermann on it, and he had felt very proud of it.

When he graduated in 1866 from the Friedrich-Werder High School, whose oldest living student he is, Dr. Schwartz mentions, Professor Liebermann wrote in the record there:

"I, Max Liebermann, was born on July 20th, 1847, in Berlin. My father, Louis Liebermann, brought me up loyal to the faith of my fathers, in the Jewish religion."

## B'nai Brith Fulfills Obligations To Jewish War Orphans In Czechoslovakia

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orphans in Czechoslovakia alone, and hundreds more in the other countries mentioned. In thanking the Order for the payment of its final check, Dr. Popper wrote as follows:

"I believe that at the conclusion of this important activity it may not be superfluous to point out that through this generous action of our American brethren, the solidarity of the Order was splendidly demonstrated. I may also add that through these remittances the purpose has been fully achieved and that fifty orphans whose very existence was threatened were saved, and the foundation was laid to make them useful members of society."

## Governing Body of World Union to Meet at The Hague

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Felix Levy of Chicago, Dr. Philip Bookstaber of Harrisburg, Rabbis S. J. Levinson and E. Trattner, Drs. Alexander Lyons, W. F. Rosenblum and S. S. Tedesche, of New York.

The German Delegation will include Dr. Leo Baeck, Dr. Lehmann, Rechtsanwalt Heinrich Stern and Herr Kleemann of Berlin, Dr. Vogelstein of Breslau, Dr. Seligmann and Frau Dr. Ettlinger of Frankfurt, and Frau Dr. Goldstein, Rabbi Cohn of Leipzig, Dr. Norden of Elberfeld, and Dr. Wolf of Dresden.

The English Delegation will include the Hon. Lily H. Montagu, Dr. C. G. Montefiore, Dr. I. I. Mattuck, E. Turk and the Rev. M. L. Perlzweig.

Rabbi Levy of Paris and Dr. Ehrenpreis, Chief Rabbi of Stockholm, hope to be able to attend.

Delegations have been invited from the Young People's Societies associated with Progressive Congregations, and arrangements are being made for such Delegations to meet separately for the discussion of their own affairs. Leaders of local Youth Groups who desire further information are asked to communicate immediately with the Hon. Sec. of the World Union.

Out of a battalion of 1,024 young men at the Citizens' Military Training Camp at Plattsburg, Harry Levy of Syracuse, N. Y., a graduate of Central High School, has been chosen the best all-around-man of the group.

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