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Deputy Michael Landau Brutally Attacked in Lobby of Roumanian Parliament by Cuzist Deputies

At One Stage Jewish Deputy and As-
sailant Rolled on the Floor of
Parliament; Discipline Asked

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BUCHAREST, Sept. 27—The lobby of the Roumanian Parliament was the scene last night of a brutal attack upon Deputy Michael Landau, Jewish representative, by anti-Semitic fellow members of Parliament.

The attack upon the Jewish deputy, who is known for his vigorous denunciation of the anti-Semitic movement in Roumania, was apparently in retaliation for his protest against an incident which occurred in Parliament itself involving the anti-Semitic Deputy Robu and another Jewish deputy, Dr. Meyer Ebner.

Dr. Ebner had just concluded an address expressing opposition against the proposed compulsory Roumanization of Jewish names in Bukovina and was descending the platform, when Deputy Robu purposely stretched out his leg, with the result that Deputy Ebner tripped over him.

Deputy Landau protested against this act, calling it a prank worthy of school boys.

Later, when Deputy Landau went out into the lobby he was fallen upon by a Cuzist deputy, named Adam, who beat him up. Adam was joined by Robu, who punched Deputy Landau's face and broke his glasses.

At one stage of the attack, Deputies Landau and Adam were rolling on the floor of the Parliament. Deputy Landau finally gained the upperhand over his assailant. Robu who attempted for

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Spain Grants 10,000 Ptas

For Cordova Synagogue

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

MADRID—A grant of ten thousand ptas has been made by the Spanish Government for the restoration work of the ancient Cordova Synagogue as an architectural monument of ancient Spain. This grant has been made by the Spanish Government following the decision of a Parliamentary Committee to reject the proposal made in Parliament to transfer the care of the Cordova Synagogue to the Jewish Community.

The Parliamentary Committee ex-

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District Governor Orders Dissolution of Anti-Semitic Organization in Pommerania

Heavy Punishment to Be Meted Out
to Those Who Persist in
Activities of Body

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

WARSAW, Sept. 27—The District Governor of Torun today ordered the dissolution of the anti-Semitic National Democratic organization, "Obwiepol," wherever its branches may be located throughout Pommerania.

Heavy punishment will be meted out to all those who persist in continuing their activities in this organization.

The District Governor gave as his reason for the dissolution order the fact that the "Obwiepol" threatened the public peace, spread incitement, set one part of the population against the other, and agitated for acts of violence.

Systematic Persecution of Jews Employed in Building New Moscow Hotel Reported

Paper Demands Dismissal of Secre-
tary of Communist Buildings Union
and Trial of Anti-Semites

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

MOSCOW, Sept. 27—Persecution of Jewish workers among the 1,500 persons employed in the erection of Moscow's new twenty story hotel, and acts of violence against them, were disclosed today.

A group of anti-Semitic workers have undertaken a systematic persecution of the Jews, throwing stones, pouring water over them and beating them. A Jewish worker, named Rud, had to be taken to the hospital for treatment for injuries received in a beating at the hands of a fellow worker.

Another Jew, Frankel, was also beaten up, it is reported.

Complaints were registered with the secretary of the Communist Buildings Union. The latter refused to act denying the existence of anti-Semitism. When a similar complaint was lodged with him by the secretary of the Buildings Comsol, his dismissal was ordered by the Communist Union Secretary.

The "Wetchernaja Moscva" takes up the matter in its editorial columns and demands the dismissal of the Union Secretary and the trial of the anti-Semites.

Goebbels Asks Papen Bluntly Whether He Conferred With Goldschmidt on Dissolution

German Chancellor Refuses to Answer;
Prussian Diet Votes Down Jewish
Artists Dismissal

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BERLIN, Sept. 27—A session was created at today's session of the Reichstag Committee which is hearing the case for and against the legality of the recent dissolution of the Reichstag when Paul Joseph Goebbels, leader of the Nazi Party in Berlin bluntly demanded of Chancellor Franz von Papen: "Did you declare to the Jewish banker, Jacob Goldschmidt, that you will not permit the Reichstag to pass a non-confidence vote and that you would dissolve the Reichstag before the vote?"

The Chancellor replied: "I refuse to answer whether or not I had any conversations with Herr Goldschmidt because it does not concern the evidence. In any case I did not tell any one about the dissolution."

Adolph Hitler himself has publicly charged that Herr Goldschmidt conspired with Chancellor von Papen to prevent the Nazis from coming into power.

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BERLIN, Sept. 27—A Nazi motion calling for the dismissal of all Jews from the Artists Employment bureau and the listing of all Jews employed in State theatres and orchestras was turned down today by the Prussian Diet Committee dealing with the subject.

The Nationalists voted with the Nazis for their motion, while the Centre

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400 Chalutzim from Poland Arrive in Palestine

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

JERUSALEM, Sept. 27—Four hundred Chalutzim from Poland arrived in Palestine yesterday.

Chief Rabbi Kook Undergoes Successful Operation

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

JERUSALEM, Sept. 27—Chief Rabbi A. I. Kook underwent a successful nasal operation yesterday afternoon.

The Chief Rabbi will remain in the hospital for several days.

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No Merger of Separate Identities Of ZOA and Palestine Campaign Intended Explains Rothenberg

**Says Co-ordination of Technical and
Administrative Equipment Only
Planned in Interests of Economy**

No merger of the individual identities of the Zionist Organization of America and the American Palestine Campaign is intended, declared Morris Rothenberg, president of the Zionist Organization of America yesterday in a statement explaining the resolution adopted by the Administrative Committee of the Zionist Organization on Sunday.

A co-ordination of the technical staffs of both organizations, to place at each other's disposal the facilities that might not be available to the other is the only plan which will be undertaken, Mr. Rothenberg said.

"This is in accordance with the proposal which I made at the Sunday meeting, which was concurred in by Louis Lipsky, Chairman of the American Palestine Campaign and ratified by the Committee.

"At this time, when the need for economy is so urgent, I am certain that there will be general approval of the proposal not to create new machinery that would involve large expenditures, but to make greater use of the existing technical and administrative equipment," stated Mr. Rothenberg.

"The action taken by the Administrative Committee was not dictated solely by economy, however. There is a general recognition of the need for more intensive efforts today to win effective, concrete support for Jewish aims in Palestine. On the one hand, the Jew-

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Federation May Be Compelled to Use Earmarked Funds for Relief

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

DETROIT, Sept. 27.—In a statement discussing the present status of the Jewish Welfare Federation of Detroit and the position of the relief agencies, Henry Wineman, chairman of the board of directors of the Federation, declares that as a result of the economic crisis and the deficit created it may become necessary to use some \$80,000 of funds "earmarked" for other purposes to aid the needy and unemployed.

Declaring that the Federation is faced by a serious problem, Mr. Wineman states:

"The Federation has funds raised for other purposes, such as the Jewish Center site, which funds must be held inviolate, because they are earmarked for the proposed Jewish Center," Mr. Wineman said. "Only with the consent of the subscribers could such funds be used for other purposes. Possibly we shall be driven to such an extremity. Detroit Jews have always taken care of their own, and a way must, and most likely will, be found. In the meantime, the relief work must go on."

To Make Appeal for Aid to Reform Union

An appeal will be made during the high holidays in every Reform Congregation in the United States for support of the Union of American Hebrew Congregations, which after sixty years of service, is going through a difficult period.

This announcement was made on Monday evening at the first meeting of a special committee established in the interests of the Union, held at the Community House of Temple Emanuel.

Ludwig Vogelstein, Chairman of the Executive Board of the Union, told of the urgent needs of the union.

Mr. Vogelstein also read a message from Henry M. Toch, Chairman of the special committee, who could not attend the meeting. Mr. Toch appealed for support for the Union.

San Francisco Ministers Oppose Mushroom Synagogues

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 27.—The Board of Jewish Ministers of Northern California, at its monthly meeting, went on record as unalterably opposed to the so-called "mushroom congregations" that have been springing up in the larger cities, especially about the holidays.

The board decided to do all in its power to curb this practice and to discourage the formation of such congregations.

Jewish Immigrant Suicides Daily Occurrence in Paris

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

PARIS—Suicides in Jewish immigrant circles in Paris have become almost a daily occurrence.

Fifty percent of the suicides are middle class people, usually former merchants, who cannot meet their bills, or who see no future ahead.

A large percentage too are recent newcomers from East European lands who expected to find economic security in France only to discover that the crisis has reached this country as well.

Suicides in students circles are a common place as well.

Jewish philanthropic institutions in France and a special committee headed by Chief Rabbi Levi are endeavoring to arrest the suicide tendencies among the immigrant Jews.

Rabbi Mendelsohn Again Heads Rabbinical Ass'n

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

CHICAGO, Sept. 27.—Rabbi S. Felix Mendelsohn was reelected president of the Chicago Rabbinical Association at the first meeting of the year.

This is the second year that Rabbi Mendelsohn, who is the spiritual leader of Temple Beth Israel, will head Chicago's rabbis. Rabbi Abraham L. Lassen of Congregation B'nai Zion was named vice-president. Rabbi Harry Z. Zwelling of Congregation Anshe Emet was named secretary and Joseph Stolz, rabbi-emeritus of Isaiah Israel, was chosen honorary president for life of the association.

The organization was formed nearly four decades ago by the late Bernard Feltsenthal and is the only rabbinical body in the middle west including representatives of reform, orthodox and conservative Judaism among its members.

Issue Joint Appeal For Jewish Education

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

SYRACUSE, Sept. 27.—Representatives of various Jewish schools, for the first time in the history of Syracuse Jewry, met here at the Jewish Community Center to forget the differences in their programs and to issue a united call to all Jewish families to send their children to one of the several Jewish institutes in the city.

The institutions that have united to promote Jewish education are: Talmud Torah, Jewish National Peoples' School, Temple Adath Yeshurun, Temple Society of Concord, New Temple of Beth Israel, the Jewish Community Center and the Sunday School of the Council of Jewish Women.

Doak Rules Foreign Students In U.S. May Not Be Employed On Penalty of Deportation

New Interpretation Arouses Opposition
of Leading Educators in
Country

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27—Foreign students who have been admitted to the United States outside the quota in order to study at accredited American institutions are prohibited from engaging in any employment other than that which will permit them to pay for board or room or part of their tuition expenses, in a new interpretation of the non-quota student provisions of the immigration law by Secretary of Labor William N. Doak.

The new interpretation of the immigration law is to apply after October 15th. Between 1,500 to 2,500 of the 10,000 foreign students now in the United States will be affected by this new interpretation, it is believed.

Secretary Doak rules that henceforth a student applying for admission outside the quota "must be able to show that adequate financial provision has been made or is satisfactorily assured, which will enable him to maintain an interrupted student status.

"If any such student already here or hereafter admitted to the United States engages in any business or occupation for profit or labors for hire, he shall be deemed to have forfeited his status and shall be liable to arrest and deportation."

In addition Harry E. Hull, Commissioner General of Immigration, has instructed immigration officers to require the posting of a \$500 bond in doubtful student cases.

Secretary Doak's withdrawal of working rights from foreign students has aroused the opposition of such leading educators as Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, president of Columbia University; Dr. John H. MacCracken, associate director of the American Council on Education; Dr. Cloyd H. Marvin of George Washington University and Dr. William J. Cooper, Commissioner of Education of the Department of Interior.

Lessing J. Rosenwald Named to Museum Board

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

CHICAGO, Sept. 27—Lessing J. Rosenwald, oldest son of the late Julius Rosenwald, and Clarence W. Sills, were elected to vacancies on the board of the Museum of Science and Industry founded by the late Julius Rosenwald.

Solomon A. Smith was elected treasurer of the museum. Plans for opening a portion of the museum to the public next Spring are being formulated.

J. D. B. NEWS LETTER

Association Formed to Organize Jewish
Community of Cochín, Oldest
in India

By Our Bombay Correspondent

BOMBAY—Cochin Jewry, the oldest Jewish community in India, is just now awakening to the fact that unless immediate steps are taken to organize the community, a very dismal future is in store.

This small Jewish group, comprising 1,500 persons in all, which has the distinction of being the oldest Jewish settlement in India, represents also the smallest and poorest Jewish group in the land.

If, however, Cochín Jewry is poor in material resources, it is rich in Jewish tradition. A notable feature of its communal life since the organization of the community in the sixteenth century is the consistency with which its members have sought to consolidate their position by adherence to the tenets of Judaism.

Despite the paucity of their numbers and the weakness of the general communal organization, orthodox Judaism has been tenaciously and consciously preserved.

The catholicity with which the tenets of Judaism are observed by Jews residing in this tiny location on the Malabar coast is second to none and rivals that of the much larger and more influential communities in other sections of India.

The remarkable zeal with which Cochín Jews have preserved their religion throughout the centuries today has its reward in religious amenities in which no sister community excels.

It is no exaggeration to state that nowhere else in India is the full exercise of his religion assured to the Jew as in Cochín.

Saturdays and Jewish holy days are gazetted holidays for the Jews. No public officer may demand that a Jew work on these days.

No public examinations are held on Saturdays. Even the Madras University has abstained from holding examinations on Saturday or on Jewish holy days when there were Jewish candidates.

Moreover there is a special constituency where Jewish tax payers can elect their own candidates for the Cochín Legislative Assembly.

No other Jewish community in India has such privileges. Nowhere else are either the Sabbath or other Jewish holy days recognized as days on which the Jews are excused from labor.

Cochín Jewry's privileges were not achieved easily or quickly. They represent years of indefatigable effort on the part of capable and unselfish workers during a period when Cochín Jews were well organized.

Cochín is no exception to the rule
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Body and Soul Clinic Reopens; Director Says Discrimination Will Not Halt Operation

Rented Quarters Only Temporary; Dr.
Cowles Says Fight Against Church
Trustees Not Yet Ended

The Body and Soul Clinic, which was ousted during the summer from the church of St. Mark's-in-the-Bouwerie, owing, it was said, to prejudice against the Jews who comprised a large proportion of the patients, was reopened on Monday afternoon in temporary headquarters in a rented room in the Stuyvesant Casino, one block from the Church, and will hold its second session tomorrow afternoon.

To the two hundred patients who assembled to mark the re-opening of the clinic, Dr. Edward S. Cowles, director of the clinic, who has been indefatigable in his fight against the ouster from the church, stated that the controversy with the trustees of St. Mark's has not ended.

On August 1st, Dr. Cowles, who had threatened to seek a court injunction to prevent the closing of the clinic, agreed to a suspension of its activities, for a period of one month, until September 1st, at the request of Dr. Norman William Guthrie, the rector of the church, in order, it was then stated, that the necessary repairs might be undertaken.

"No amount of racial prejudice can keep this clinic from going on," Dr. Cowles asserted. He reiterated his charge that Bishop William T. Manning is responsible for the ouster. Bishop Manning at the height of the controversy, in a statement issued to the Jewish Telegraphic Agency, denied Dr. Cowles' charges that he is anti-Semitic.

"It has been carefully demonstrated by a careful examination of the facts that while St. Mark's was technically closed by Dr. Guthrie, it was actually closed by Bishop Manning. Dr. Guthrie's sympathy has been expressed from the beginning and his co-operation with the clinic has been evident from the first," Dr. Cowles said.

The clinic is to be open three days weekly, Monday, Wednesday and Friday.
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Don Kaplanowitz, Jewish Writer, Dies at Age of 52

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

VILNA, Sept. 27—Don Kaplanowitz, Yiddish editor, novelist and translator, died here yesterday in his fifty-second year.

Mr. Kaplanowitz was the editor of the "Zeit." Two years ago, Mr. Kaplanowitz visited the United States. He was a brother of A. Kaplan, American Jewish journalist.

Rabbi Joseph Gitin of Buffalo, N. Y., who was ordained at the Hebrew Union College, has been appointed Rabbi of Temple Emanuel at Buffalo, N. Y.

No Merger of Separate Identities Of ZOA and Palestine Campaign Intended Explains Rothenberg

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ish Agency for Palestine is facing a severe financial crisis, which can be solved only if the utmost support of American Jewry is sought and secured. The opportunities for growth and service of the Zionist Organization appear very encouraging. By taking advantage of these opportunities, a double purpose can be achieved. The Zionist movement, which is the backbone for the upbuilding of the Jewish National Home can be strengthened, and the resources for the maintenance of the Jewish Agency projects increased.

"At the present time, because of a lack of co-ordination, fund-raising activities and Zionist membership efforts needlessly conflict with each other. This reacts to the detriment of the Zionist Organization and the American Palestine Campaign as well which is the fund raising instrument of the Jewish Agency. It was for that reason that I urged a plan for an improvement in the situation and the appointment of a committee of the Zionist Organization to confer on the subject with the American Representatives of the Jewish Agency for Palestine and the American Palestine Campaign, whose consent is necessary for the adoption of any plan.

"It should be clearly understood that the plan outlined at the Administrative Committee meeting provided that the Zionist Organization of America and the American Palestine Campaign remain distinct and separate in their identity, with the same autonomy and authority which they have always enjoyed individually. Uneconomical duplication, friction and confusion in their activities however must be avoided. Such a step will be welcomed, I believe, by all forces interested in accelerating the upbuilding of Palestine," he concluded.

Spain Grants 10,000 Ptas For Cordova Synagogue

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plained the rejection by the fact that the present Government is a lay Government and as such cannot take an interest in any religious questions. It also pointed out that a centre of Jewish culture in Cordova as was intended by those who proposed to Parliament that the synagogue should be transferred to the Jews, because under the present conditions there are hardly any Jews in Cordova, and this could not be achieved.

In making the grant of 10,000 ptas the Government does not indicate what it intends to do with the Synagogue when it is restored. It is possible that it will be used as a museum similar to many other architectural monuments of Spain, but it is certain that the synagogue will not be used as a place of worship for the Jews.

Deputy Michael Landau Brutally Attacked in Lobby of Roumanian Parliament by Cuzist Deputies

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the second time to come to the assistance of Adam was forcibly held back by newspaper men.

The session of Parliament was suspended owing to the attack. When it was resumed the Speaker of the House expressed his regret that the incident had occurred and called upon the Parliamentary Disciplinary Committee to take the matter under its jurisdiction.

The exclusion of Robu and Adam from Parliament for a period of ten days was proposed by the speaker as a disciplinary measure.

Body and Soul Clinic Reopens; Director Says Discrimination Will Not Halt Operation

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day, when treatment will be continued gratis.

The re-opening of the clinic, which had been in operation for ten years, has been made possible through gifts from donors who prefer to remain anonymous, Dr. Cowles said.

Since the closing of the clinic doors by the church, patients have been treated free at the private office of Dr. Cowles.

Youngest Bilu Settler Succumbs in Tel Aviv

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

TEL AVIV, Sept. 27.—The youngest Bilu settler, Dr. Hissin, died yesterday in Tel Aviv at the age of sixty-seven.

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that communities like nations have their rise and ebb, it would appear. For some period, now the Jewish community has been showing signs of decline. More recently, however, efforts to revive it have been undertaken. The formation of the Malabar Jewish Association is a step in this direction. It is hoped means of injecting life into the community will be found.

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Goebbels Asks Papen Bluntly Whether He Conferred With Goldschmidt on Dissolution

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Party deputies, who opposed the motion to dismiss the Jews, later voted for the Nazi demand that a list of Jewish artists be drawn up.

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

FRANKFURT, Sept. 27.—The West German Theatrical Arbitration Court today ordered the manager of the state theatre in "Gotha" to pay his salary for the winter to an artist who was dismissed because he is a Jew.

The manager of the theatre stated that in dismissing the Jewish artist, he was acting upon orders of the Nazi majority in the municipal council of Gotha who had decided upon the dismissal of all Jewish artists.

Rabbi Gordon Heads Ministers Association

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Sept. 27.—Rabbi Gordon of B'nai Israel, this city, has been elected president of the Salt Lake Ministerial Association, a group of local ministers drawn chiefly from the Christian churches other than Mormon.

Dr. Gordon succeeds the Rev. Chester Carwardine, pastor of a Methodist Episcopal church here.

Says

Emanuel Gamoran:

"I have come to the conclusion that *Jewish Current Events* would be most useful, particularly in the first two grades of the High School department. . . . The news in this bulletin seems to be carefully selected with a view to the needs of young people. This publication is useful and I am taking this opportunity of heartily recommending it to Jewish teachers and schools."

EMANUEL GAMORAN,
Former President, National Council
for Jewish Education

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