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Responsible Party Still Unapprehended; 25 Rioters, Arrested for Disturbances, Released; Confiscated Resolution Adopted by Union of Jewish Students in Lwow Accuses University Authorities of Doing Nothing to Pacify Rioters and Creating Impression They Would Not Be Punished; Warsaw Educational Institutions Re-open Without Incident; 5,000 Attend Protest Meeting in Paris; Memorandum Sent to League for Human Rights

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

WARSAW, Dec. 8.—The resumption of class work at the University of Warsaw and other schools which had been closed following anti-Semitic disturbances, passed without incident yesterday. There was considerable tension in the high schools between Jewish and non-Jewish students, and the Jewish students of their own accord sat in separate groups.

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

PARIS, Dec. 8.—The anti-Semitic disturbances in Poland were sharply scored here last night at a mass meeting attended by five thousand people and addressed by representatives of the Jewish, Protestant and Catholic faiths.

Pierre Bonardi, leading non-Jewish journalist and the negro deputy, M. Monnerville, strongly urged the organization of a Jewish self-defense. Other speakers included Deputy Bergery, Henri Barbusse, the writer; Bernhard Lecache, president of the League to Combat Anti-Semitism; the liberal Rabbi, Louis Germain Levy; Pastor Monod, and Father Maingold who appealed for a campaign against racial estrangement. Royalists, joined by sympathizers of

Francois Coty, the anti-Semitic leader, created disturbances at the meeting.

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

PARIS, Dec. 8.—The Committee of Jewish Delegations yesterday addressed a memorandum to the League for Human Rights with regard to the anti-Semitic excesses in Poland.

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

LWOW, Dec. 8.—The four Jews arrested in connection with the death of Jan Grotkowski, the Polish student who succumbed to knife wounds received on November 26 following a drunken brawl when he with five companions, attacked Jewish passersby, are not guilty of causing his death, it is established here today.

The efforts of the authorities to trace the person responsible for Grotkowski's death have proved unavailing, it is learned. It is also known that when he is apprehended, he will not be court-

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Mark Concession for Tiberias Hot Springs

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

JERUSALEM, Dec. 8.—The official opening of the Tiberias Hot Springs Concession, which was leased to a Jewish Company for a period of forty years took place today in the presence of guests from many sections of the country.

District Commissioner Edward Keith-Roach officiated at the ceremonies.

The company which has received the concession has a capital of 55,000 shares and aims to convert Tiberias into a health centre similar to that of Carlsbad. Its aim will be to restore the hot baths of Tiberias to their ancient fame.

The hot baths of Tiberias were known early in history and are mentioned in Jewish literature dating from the third century of the present era.

Prussian Minister of Education Orders Introduction of Numerus Clausus in Prussian Universities

At Present Is Not Directed Against
Jews, But Fear Anti-Jewish
Repercussion

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BERLIN, Dec. 8.—The introduction of a numerus clausus regulation in all Prussian Universities was ordered today by the Prussian Minister of Education.

Students are to be accepted in Prussian Universities in the order in which they registered in their districts, each district having a certain quota. When the limits are reached, no more students will be accepted according to the terms of the regulation.

The Jewish Telegraphic Agency learns from a reliable source that thus far the numerus clausus is not directed against the Jews. It is pointed out that priority at the present stage applies to the order of registration. Nevertheless fears are expressed that anti-Jewish agitation will result and that students who fail to gain admission will demand the rejection of Jews so that vacancies may be created for Christian students.

Report Britain Negotiating To Lease Haifa Bay Land

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

JERUSALEM, Dec. 8.—The Arab paper, "Falastin," publishes an unconfirmed report which states that the Palestine government is negotiating the lease of the reclaimed area of the Haifa Harbor to the Anglo-Swiss Company, Ltd.

The lease, according to the report, would be for a period of forty-nine years, at the rate of £10 to £13 per square meter.

Jaffa Orange Exports To Countries Abroad

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

JAFFA, Dec. 8.—Figures just made available disclose that for the period of September to November 15th, there were shipped from Jaffa to Liverpool 38,147 cases of oranges.

Other figures for orange exports from Jaffa for the same period show that 8,721 cases went to Glasgow; to Germany through Trieste, 1,373; to England through Port Said, 10,213; to Denmark, 1,500; to France, 387.

Condition of Hillel Zlatapolski Now Critical

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

PARIS, Dec. 8.—The condition of Hillel Zlatapolski, noted Zionist leader and one of the founders of the Palestine Foundation Fund, who was shot yesterday, is reported to be critical today.

Zlatapolski was shot in his room by a Frenchman, Leon Leval, a former director of Zlatapolski's sugar factory. Leval then turned his pistol on himself and committed suicide.

Leval is believed to have lost a considerable sum in the bankruptcy of the sugar factory and his business troubles caused his act.

Zlatapolski is sixty-two years old.

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Jewish Organizations Meet On Sunday for Palestine

The first conference of Jewish organizations in New York City, that are unaffiliated with the Zionist movement directly, will be held at the Hotel Astor on Sunday afternoon, December 11th, to discuss the problems of Palestine, according to an announcement by Nathan Straus, Jr.

This will mark the first major attempt to federate existing Jewish organizations within Greater New York for joint action with regard to the upbuilding of Palestine. The participating organizations include the Independent Order Brith Abraham, the Federation of Polish Jews, the Federation of Rumanian Jews, the Society for Advancement of Judaism, Temple Gates of Israel, Temple Bnai Israel.

The conference will be presided over by Dr. S. Margoshes, Editor of the Day. The scheduled speakers are Nathan Straus, Jr., Chairman of the Greater New York American Palestine Campaign; Louis Lipsky, National Chairman of the American Palestine Campaign; Isidore Apfel, President of the Independent Order Brith Abraham; A. D. Braham, President of the Union of Rumanian Jews; Jacob Fishman, Managing Editor of the Jewish Morning Journal.

One of the objects of the conference is to prepare a community-wide welcome for Dr. Chaim Weizmann, world Zionist leader, who is scheduled to visit the United States in the early part of 1933.

Cantor Marcel Katz observes the completion of twenty-five years of service to Temple Anshe Chesed today. For twenty-one years he served as cantor and principal of the Hebrew School. Four years ago, the congregation designated him Cantor Emeritus. At present he is Executive Director of the Temple's Community Center.

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martialled, but tried by an ordinary criminal court.

The four Jews arrested for the death of Grotkowski, which led to serious rioting in Lwow and many sections of Poland, were described as members of the underworld in a police communiqué issued the day after Grotkowski's death. This was vigorously disputed by the accused and their families, who asserted that they were bakery workers returning from work when the drunken group of students returning from an all night party attacked them, compelling them to defend themselves.

The four Jews under arrest are M. Katz, S. Keller, N. Schmer and Isaac Tune.

Twenty-five anti-Semitic students arrested in connection with the rioting which has been continuous since November 26th, were released in the last two days.

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

LONDON, Dec. 8.—The Jewish Telegraphic Agency here has succeeded in securing the text of the resolution adopted by the Union of Jewish Students of Lwow, protesting against the anti-Semitic riots, which was confiscated by the authorities which refused to permit its publication.

The resolution charges the University authorities with doing nothing to pacify the rioters and with creating the impression that the rioters would not be punished.

The resolution refers to the funeral services held for Jan Grotkowski, the Polish student killed after he and five companions in a drunken state attacked Jewish passersby in Lwow, declaring: "The attitude of the University authorities who officially participated in the funeral for the victim of drunkenness lent to the funeral the character of a manifestation to which the University

authorities in no way contributed measures for pacification. Rather they fostered the impression that the rioters would not be punished.

"The Jewish students protest against the mild and considerate treatment accorded the rioters by the University authorities, declaring that even the appeal of the rectors issued on the fifth day of the disturbances was not in accord with truth or a sincere condemnation of acts committed by Polish students of Lwow.

"The Jewish students have further established that National Democratic leaders utilized the tragic death of Grotkowski who was killed by drunkards in order to provoke brutal excesses on chauvinistic grounds," the resolution asserts.

Student Demonstration to Protest Riots Next Thursday

Jewish University students of New York, joined by non-Jewish student sympathizers, will take part in a demonstration to the offices of the Polish Consulate in New York City on Thursday, December 15th, to protest against the anti-Semitic disturbances in Poland.

The demonstration, in which thousands of students are expected to participate, is being organized by a Committee calling itself "Jewish Student Defense Executive," headed by Dr. Arthur Kraus, an instructor at the College of the City of New York, Department of Philosophy.

The Jewish Student Defense Executive has pledged to it the support of the Intercollegiate Menorah Society, the Avukah organization of City College, the Social Problems Club of that institution, the League for Industrial Democracy, the Inter Club Council of City College; the Newman Club, a Catholic Society, and the Y.M.C.A. of City College.

Efforts are being made to secure the co-operation of other organizations in other educational institutions in New York City. Dr. Kraus explained in a statement issued to the Jewish Telegraphic Agency yesterday.

The demonstration will begin at twelve o'clock on Thursday, December 15th, at the Lincoln Statue on the campus of City College. Thence it will proceed to the Union Theological Sem-

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Esberg Named to State Social Service Board

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 8.—Milton Esberg, prominent San Francisco civic leader, has been appointed by Governor Rolph as a member of the State Social Welfare Board.

He succeeds Albert A. Rosenshine, also a Jew.

Dr. Speiser to Deliver

Lecture for Seminary

The second lecture of the series conducted by the Jewish Theological Seminary of America will be delivered by Dr. Ephraim A. Speiser, Professor of Semitic Languages at the University of Pennsylvania, and Lecturer on the History of the Ancient Orient and on Biblical Philology at the Dropsie College, on Monday, December 12, at 8:30 P.M. in the Unterberg Auditorium of the Seminary.

He will speak on "The Historical Background of the Bible."

Professor Speiser has recently returned from the Near East where he conducted an archaeological expedition under the joint auspices of Dropsie College and the Museum of the University of Pennsylvania.

Jewish Farm Population Throughout World Set At 750,000 by Davidson

**Says Gap Between Jewish Farmer of
Biblical Days and Farmer Today
Not So Wide**

Gabriel Davidson, General Manager of The Jewish Agricultural Society, speaking this afternoon before the International Association of Agricultural Missions told that body that "the gap between the Jewish farmer of biblical days and the Jewish farmer of today is not nearly as wide as is generally supposed."

He drew attention to the fact that Jewish farmers are to be found in practically all parts of the globe and that the Jewish farm population throughout the world is estimated at 750,000. "True," said Mr. Davidson, "the number and proportion are small, but that is not due to any inherent antagonism of the Jew toward the soil. For almost two thousand years repressive and oppressive laws made farming for the Jew virtually a proscribed occupation and weaned him from the soil. It was not until these restrictions were lifted that Jews could give vent to their age-long urge."

The speaker pointed out that in this country Jews have been engaged in farming since the early Colonial days and that according to Dr. H. S. Linfield one hundred thousand Jews are today deriving their livelihood in whole or in part from America's soil.

Mr. Davidson also told his hearers of the work of the Jewish Agricultural Society and of what the Society is doing to encourage and promote agriculture among the Jews of the United States.

Rodeph Sholom Anniversary Banquet Tomorrow

Mayor Joseph V. McKee will be the guest of honor at the 90th Anniversary Banquet of Congregation Rodeph Sholom, on Saturday evening, Dec. 10th. Other speakers will include Justice Jos. M. Proskauer, President of the New York Federation for the Support of Jewish Philanthropic Societies; Justice Samuel I. Rosenman, Alexander Pfeiffer, Chairman of the 90th Anniversary Committee, who will preside; Rabbi Stephen S. Wise, who is a son of the late Dr. Aaron Wise, Rabbi of Congregation Rodeph Sholom until his death in 1897; Hon. Maurice B. Blumenthal, Rabbi Louis I. Newman, Rabbi of the Congregation; Ernest J. Wile, President of the Congregation; Mrs. Samuel Siegler, President of the Sisterhood; Arthur J. Messing, President of the Men's Assn.; Mrs. Myron Harrison, President of the Rodeph Sholom League; Milton Saltzer, President of the Junior Society, and Samuel Falk, President of the Parents Assn.

Rabbi Paul Reich has been elected spiritual leader of Congregation Beth Judah of Ventnor City, N. J.

Three Industrial Possibilities in Palestine, Offering Employment To Hundreds, Are Reported On

**American Economic Committee for
Palestine Receives Reports on Bee,
Fish Farm and Marble Industries**

Three industrial possibilities in Palestine which offer employment to hundreds of Jewish families and could be developed with a modest capital outlay are described in reports received by the American Economic Committee for Palestine and made public today. These reports, according to Israel B. Brodie, Chairman of the Committee, form a part of the data which the Committee has been gathering and utilizing at its Palestine Economic Bureau in New York, for the guidance of Americans interested in settlement and investment in Palestine.

The reports describe the possibilities of developing the bee industry, the marble industry and the fish industry, pointing to the natural resources of the country in all three fields.

The report on apiculture, prepared by Robert Blum, serving as honey technical adviser to Central Tenuva, declares that Palestine is a country of abundant facilities for apiculture. The Maritime plain, which is richly planted with oranges, a part of the Judean mountains, the Western Emek, Galilee and other regions, bear thousands of tons of honey which remain unexploited in the flowers. Only 120 tons per annum are used by the bees, declares the report.

On the other hand, the report points out that "some 150,000 dunams of orange plantations exist now in the country and their blossoms alone would suffice for the annual production of 1,000 tons of honey." At present a maximum of 20 tons of this valuable honey material is exploited, it states.

Apiculture in Palestine could be extended eighteen times, according to the report, "so that 13.5 bee hives could be kept for every one hundred inhabitants." Even then the possibilities would not be exhausted. Only a hundred persons are now engaged in apiculture, the report states, while "hundreds could be employed and subsist on this branch of apiculture."

The physical requirements are such, it is pointed out that women as well as men could engage in this work. One bee-hive, it is stated, requires an annual labor of three to four hours; thus one person could manage from 200 to 300 bee-hives.

The annual profits on this branch of apiculture are estimated at 50% of the investment, the report states. The local honey produced thus far is of such excellent quality, moreover, that it has obtained a much higher price on foreign markets. Thus far the demand is much larger than the output.

Pond Fish Culture

Palestine has the most favorable conditions for intensive fish culture in

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Union of Orthodox Jewish Congregations Calls National Convention Here in January

**Effort to Be Made to Bring About
Reconstruction of and Unity in
Orthodox Jewry**

In an effort to bring about the reconstruction of and unity in Orthodox Jewry in America, the Union of Orthodox Jewish Congregations of America has issued a call for a National Convention, to be held in New York City, on Saturday evening, Sunday and Monday, January 28-29-30, 1933.

At this Convention, to which all orthodox congregations have been invited to send delegates, plans will be laid for the safeguarding and preservation of traditional Judaism, and with this object in view, there will be inaugurated, beginning with the Convention, a nationwide educational campaign.

The convention will lay special stress upon re-establishing the supremacy of the synagogue as the central force in Jewish life, and the Committee on Education of the Union will present concrete proposals for the Jewish training of the youth.

The Convention will also discuss the financial difficulties which are endangering the existence of the Jewish religious and educational institutions, and will formulate plans for their solution.

Reports on the state of Jewry from a religious point of view will be presented by authorities and special place will be assigned to Palestine.

The primary work of the Convention, (Continued on Page 4)

Chicago Women's Club Marks 50th Anniversary

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

CHICAGO, Dec. 8.—The Chicago Woman's Aid, Chicago's leading Jewish woman's organization, celebrated its fiftieth anniversary today. The celebration began with a breakfast at the Standard Club, and was followed by a review depicting the many milestones that have been passed during the club's existence.

Mrs. Charles P. Schwartz is president of the club which numbers 1,400 members.

King Fuad to Receive Nahum Sokolow

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

ALEXANDRIA, Dec. 8.—King Fuad has informed Nahum Sokolow, president of the Jewish Agency for Palestine, that he will receive him upon his return from Palestine.

Dr. Sokolow plans to depart from Palestine on December 17th.

Dr. Rudolph I. Coffee was unanimously re-elected rabbi of Temple Sinai of Oakland, California, for a three year term at the annual meeting of the congregation. J. H. Lesser and M. J. Silver were elected members of the congregation's board of trustees to fill vacancies.

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inary and the Jewish Theological Seminary of America to Columbia University. Professor Henry Sloane Cossin, president of the Union Theological Seminary, has promised to deliver an address and invitations have been issued to Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler and Dr. Cyrus Adler also to address the demonstration as well as to Dr. Robinson, president of City College.

The demonstration will then proceed to the Polish Consulate where a resolution of protest will be presented addressed to the Polish Ambassador in the United States, Tytus Filipowicz.

The group also plans to address a resolution to the Pope, who has often referred to Poland as the most Catholic country in the world, to join in the protest against the recurrent excesses.

Dr. Kraus, the leader of the protest demonstration, is a native of Cracow, Poland, and a former lieutenant in the Polish Army. He was the organizer of a Jewish self-defense corps during the anti-Semitic excesses in Poland during the period of 1918-1920, for which he was thrown into prison.

Dr. Kraus has been in this country for five years. For two years he studied at Oxford University on a fellowship created for him by the late Julius Rosenwald of Chicago.

Posters in the thousands calling upon the Jews to protest against the riots in Poland have been published by the Student Committee, all the expenses of which are being defrayed personally by Dr. Kraus. The posters are distributed on the campus of City College, the dormitories of Columbia University and the buildings of Union Theological Seminary.

Dr. Kraus explained that the Jewish intellectual is the worst persecuted group in the world and that the time has come for the organization of an educational front. When the immediacy of the protest has passed, a permanent intellectual organization as the outgrowth of the Jewish Student Defense Executive is projected.

A fund will be established, moreover, to bring a number of the more seriously injured students in the riots in Poland to the United States for a year's study, Dr. Kraus stated.

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ponds, according to a report prepared by Dr. E. Liebman of Jerusalem and J. Inglis Spicer, Chief Fisheries Officer.

Palestine today imports about 1,750 tons of fish annually valued at £70,000. The report states that Palestine has the possibilities of producing itself on 6,000 to 8,000 dunams of land 1,000 tons of fish food with a value of £50,000.

The report sees a number of otherwise almost useless areas of land which could be converted into fish farms at comparatively little cost. Mention is made of Birket Ramadan, in Tulkarem; Kabbara Swamps, in Benjaminia; the courses of the River Namen in Acre and River Rubin, south of Jaffa and very nearly all the courses of the River Jordan with the Rutenberg Reservoir and selected areas around Lake Huleh and Tiberias.

The report finds this industry innately suitable for small holders and urges the Fisheries Service of the Palestine Government to allocate funds for demonstration farms in various localities.

Marble

Marble deposits which for practical purposes may be considered inexhaustible are to be found in the mountain chain stretching from Kfar Gladi to Metullah, says a report by D. Horovitz.

The question of Palestine marble has not yet had sufficient attention given to it. The country alone purchases annually £10,000 worth of marble from Italy which could be supplied locally, it states.

"The Palestinian marble industry could, with sufficient capital, find extensive markets in the Near East which now imports large quantities of Italian, French and Belgian marble," the report holds. "Egypt imports an annual amount of approximately £1,000,000 worth of stone and Syria is also a fairly large importer of this product. Iraq, now on the threshold of a new career of rapid development, will in all probability be a market of value for the marble industry."

Europe and America, too, have

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however, will be to plan for constructive Jewish work in this country.

The affiliated organizations of the Union, namely, the Rabbinical Council, the Women's Branch, the Collegiate Branch and the Hahonim will hold their Conventions at the same time.

The Opening Session will be held Saturday evening, January 28th, at the Ohab Zedek Synagogue.

The business sessions will take place at the Hotel Edison.

A National Convention Committee is in charge of the arrangements.

James Waterman Wise and Louis P. Rocker on Air Today

James Waterman Wise, editor of "Opinion," will speak over Station WEVD at 8:45 P.M. tonight. Louis P. Rocker, Treasurer of the Zionist Organization of America, will speak over Station WOV at 4:15 P.M.

Both of these addresses are part of the nation-wide effort of the Zionist Organization of America to increase its membership by interesting public opinion in the purposes and achievements of the Zionist movement.

Rabbi Uri Miller of Terre Haute, Ind., has been engaged by the Omaha Union of Orthodox Synagogues to be the spiritual leader of the five orthodox houses of worship comprising the Synagogue. He will assume his duties the first of the year.

evinced an interest in Palestine marble, the report says.

Palestine marble can be utilized for floor tiling; furniture; sculptural work; decoration; ornamentation; lamps; table ornaments; writing appointments and monuments.

Pointing out that Italy and Austria employ tens of thousands of workers in the marble industry, the report asserts that given the requisite financing, thorough technical experience, organization and transport facilities, this industry can, in addition to reducing Palestine's imports and increasing its exports, give employment to a large number of Palestinian workers.

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