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Morris Rothenberg Re-elected; Zionist Convention Warned Hitlerism Is World Threat

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CHICAGO, July 5—Annual elections brought to a close the conference of the Zionist organization here, with Morris Rothenberg, of New York, being re-elected president.

Vice-presidents elected were: Judge William M. Lewis, of Philadelphia; Elihu D. Stone, of Boston; Robert Szold, of New York, and Rabbi Solomon Goldman, of Chicago.

Harry P. Fierst, of New York, was re-elected treasurer, and Morris Margulies, of New York, was re-elected secretary.

The convention went on record as favoring intensive work among Jewish youth. The report of the Zionist Commission on Jewish Youth and Education was adopted. I. Chipkin was chairman of this committee.

Warns of World Nazi Spirit

Reports delivered yesterday included one on the Jewish press by S. Margoshes, on Hebrew by M. Ribalow, and an address by Robert Szold in which he paid tribute to

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Zionist Executive Rejects Revisionists' Appeal for Putting Off World Parley

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

LONDON, July 5—The Zionist Executive Committee has decided against postponing the World Zionist Congress in Prague this August, it was announced here today. Postponement had been requested by various parties, particularly by the Revisionists, who pointed out that grave tension has been caused among the Jewish masses by the murder of Dr. Chaim Arlosoroff, and that the German Zionist leaders would be unable to attend the convention in August due to trouble in their country.

The Revisionists demanded, instead of the world congress, the immediate calling of a meeting of the Actions Committee to discuss new plans.

Various Zionist groups in Palestine have also informed the executive committee here that they fa-

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Ambassador Dodd Sails With U. S. Instructions On Racial Issue in Reich

Fighter for Academic Freedom
Hopes for a Change in Condition
of Jews; Wise Also Sails

Dr. William E. Dodd, the new American Ambassador to Germany, sailed for Europe on the S. S. Washington yesterday with the conviction that an improvement in the position of the Jews in Germany is bound to come before long. Dr. Dodd declared to a representative of the Jewish Telegraphic Agency that he is sailing with definite instructions on the racial question in Germany which, he hopes, will lead to a change in the present situation. He recently had conferences on the subject with President Roosevelt, he stated.

"I have studied thoroughly the problem of the Jews in Germany since my appointment as American Ambassador to that country," Dr. Dodd declared. "Being a liberal and a scientist, my views on the racial question are obvious and ought not to be defined. I am fully in harmony with the President's attitude on the subject, and his views on the racial question are well-known from his stand and actions in this country. I cannot, of course, disclose the details of my discussion with the President, but I am sure that a change of the situation of the Jews in Germany is bound to come."

The new Ambassador who is better known as a scholar than as a politician, is looking forward to his activities in Germany where he has spent a number of years in his early life. He speaks German fluently, and is well aware of the great

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Laurence A. Steinhart, New York lawyer designated as American Minister to Sweden, has been instructed to stop off at London to convey secret instructions to the American delegation at the World Economic Conference. These instructions strengthen and elaborate President Roosevelt's position on world fiscal problems.

Nazi Lawyers Demand Aryans Dismiss Jews In Legal Partnerships

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BERLIN, July 5—An order prohibiting Aryan lawyers from entering into partnerships with or sharing the offices of Jewish lawyers was issued by the Lawyers' Association here today. The association ordered that law partnerships dating back to September, 1930, must be dissolved wherever a Jew and an Aryan were together. The partnerships must be broken up, it was commanded, even if the Jewish partner has not yet been dismissed from office due to the fact that he is a war veteran.

It was indicated at the same time by the Lawyers' Association that a larger dismissal of Jewish notaries is expected shortly. The first two lists of dismissals of Jewish notaries were merely the beginning, it was hinted. In the near future such serious restrictions will be imposed that only those Jewish notaries who were appointed before the war will remain in office.

Lawyers' Collectives

Considering the fact that under the German Empire Jewish lawyers

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Lansbury Urges League Intervene in Germany On Behalf of Jewry

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

LONDON, July 5—A demand that the League of Nations intervene against Germany's persecution of the Jews was made this evening by George Lansbury in the House of Commons, in the course of a debate on the Dominions' foreign affairs policy. During the debate the question of Jewish treatment at the hands of the Nazis was raised by other parliamentarians.

Lansbury, in protesting against what he termed the brutal and ruthless persecution of German Jews, also demanded justice for German communists because, he said, they, too, were human beings.

Sir Austen Chamberlain pointed out that, as a former foreign minister, he must speak cautiously regarding the internal affairs of another country, but he stressed the

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American Jewish Congress Asks Strassburger to Cancel Naming Goebbels as 'Judge'

The American Jewish Congress has addressed a request to Ralph Beaver Strassburger, Pennsylvania publisher to withdraw his appointment of Paul Joseph Goebbels, Minister of propaganda and enlightenment of the German Reich, as judge of the \$1,000 literary award he makes annually.

Dr. Goebbels was named to replace Thomas Mann, internationally known author, whose works were proscribed by the Nazis and publicly burned on May 10th, because of their liberalism.

The American Jewish Congress, in a communication addressed to Mr. Strassburger, and signed by Bernard S. Deutsch, as President, points out that the appointment of Dr. Goebbels is direct sanction of his policies. It would have been singularly appropriate, says the communication, to have retained Thomas Mann, precisely because he was proscribed.

The American nation, dedicated to the principle that all men are free and equal, repudiates the policy of oppression practiced against the Jews by the Hitler government, says the communication. As a newspaper publisher and molder of public opinion, it continues, it behooves Mr. Strassburger, to really enlighten the American people as to the facts of the persecution of Jews in Germany.

Horthy Appoints Jew to Upper House of Hungary

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BUDAPEST, July 5—Nicolas de N. Horthy, Regent of Hungary, appointed Leo Buday Goldberg, active Jewish worker and prominent industrialist, a member of the Upper House here.

Jaffa Police to Ask to Hold Stavsky at Arraignment; Inquiry Not Completed

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

JERUSALEM, July 5—Abraham Stavsky, young Revisionist who is being held in connection with the murder of Dr. Chaim Arlosoroff, will appear today before the British Magistrate in Jaffa, at which time the police will ask that he be remanded into their custody for a further period, it was learned here. The evidence against Stavsky not yet being complete, police state that they require more time for concluding the investigation.

The Jewish Telegraphic Agency has learned that the report published in yesterday's editions of some Palestine newspapers to the effect that Stavsky would be formally charged with murder today was premature. Only a remand will be sought tomorrow, it was definitely established.

Meanwhile a cook in a Jerusalem restaurant has come forward with an offer to give evidence that Stavsky dined in his establishment between 8 and 8:30 p.m. on the Friday night Dr. Arlosoroff was slain. On the other hand, there are a total of six witnesses who claim they saw Stavsky in Tel Aviv shortly before the murder.

Three prominent Palestine lawyers, Messrs. Horiowitz, Elash and Bernard Joseph are following the case as representatives of Mrs. Arlosoroff, widow of the murdered man, who is slowly recovering from grief and shock as a result of her husband's murder.

Funeral of Rabbi Ellstein

Rabbi Oscar Ellstein, of 233 East 12th Street, who was killed Tuesday when struck by a taxicab at First Avenue and 1st Street, was buried yesterday in Mount Zion Cemetery.

Dr. Ellstein retired ten years ago from his post of leader at the Jewish Home for the Aged on East 10th Street. He also conducted services at Beth Israel Hospital.

He was born in Russia sixty years ago and came to New York City as a young man. He is survived by a widow and four sons, one of whom, Abraham Ellstein, is accompanist for Molly Picon.

CORRECTION

Dr. Otto Brodnitz, son of Dr. Julius Brodnitz, president of the Central Union of German Jews, has received a cable from his father to the effect that he has not been expelled from his law practice, as suggested in a Berlin cable published in Wednesday's Bulletin, but only from his practice as notary.

Neville Laski Warns Of Flamboyant Protests Against Nazi Tyranny

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

LONDON, July 5—A warning that a greater massacre of German Jews than is now being faced may yet follow, since Jews are hostages in the hands of their Nazi enemies, was uttered Monday night by Neville Laski, Jewish communal worker, at the annual dinner of the Religious Board for Jewish Education. Lloyd George was the guest of honor at the dinner.

Laski, denying that the Jews intend to meet war with war, said he opposed flamboyant theatrical acts such as demonstrative boycotts. He stressed his opposition to the street march being proposed by Jews here through Hyde Park July 20.

Lloyd George made a short address, flinging a challenge at the Third Reich. He asked how it was possible for them, while proscribing the Jewish race, to continue to worship the Jewish Bible. He described the section now on top in Germany as "a residuum whose antipathies are expressed in gross brutalities."

Every Jewish persecutor, he declared, pins to his own breast a badge of inferiority, acknowledging that he is beaten by Jewish subtlety, pertinacity and imagination, and admitting that he cannot fight the Jew on equal terms.

Nahum Sokolow, president of the World Zionist Organization and of the Jewish Agency, paid a tribute to Lloyd George, describing him as the father of the Jewish national home. Dr. Sokolow claimed that only with a revival of spiritualism can we overcome the terrible crisis with which German Jewry is face to face.

Weizmann to Aid Cleveland Drive for German Relief

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

CLEVELAND, July 5—With the Cleveland Campaign for German Jewish Relief drawing to a close, Samuel D. Wise, chairman, reports that pledges totaling approximately \$100,000 have been received at the offices of the Jewish Welfare Federation, under whose auspices the campaign was launched.

Dr. Chaim Weizmann, former president of the World Zionist Organization and at present one of the leaders in the British Campaign for the aid of the Jews of Germany, will stop over in Cleveland on his return east from Chicago on Thursday to address the final meeting of the campaign workers to be held at the Hotel Statler.

According to Mr. Wise, fund solicitations were surprisingly successful, considering the depressed status of local business conditions.

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the American spirit of liberty and Jewish idealism.

Richard E. Gutstadt, secretary of the Anti-Defamation League, yesterday warned the convention that Hitlerism was rampant in all parts of the world. "We are aware of the tragic plight of our 600,000 Jews in Germany," he declared. "Hitlerism is rampant in all parts of the globe and the utmost vigilance is necessary to stop this vicious propaganda."

Gutstadt said the league was trying its hardest to seek the restoration of the old American outlook on the Jewish people. He called for the return of the Jews to their age-old ideals, saying that with this return their problems would vanish.

At Monday's session of the conference administration resolutions calling for an \$8,000,000 drive, exclusive of Keren Hayesod contributions, over the next four years for settlement of the dispossessed German Jews in Palestine, were unanimously adopted.

Delegates endorsed other resolutions urging the Jewish Agency to act to obtain political and financial support for the League of Nations for settlement of Palestine, as previously outlined by the Zionist Organization of America. Also unanimously adopted was Dr. Chaim Weizmann's 5,000,000 pound drive for the settlement of 250,000 German Jews in Palestine. An American-Palestine campaign to start the new drive before September was urged by the delegates.

Weizmann Gets Ovation

The resolutions were presented by Louis Lipsky and seconded by Abram Goldberg and Eliku Stone, who characterized them as "a re-statement and reaffirmation of fundamental Zionism."

The movement to secure the appointment of American delegates to the World Zionist Congress who were in favor of the election of Dr. Weizmann to the world presidency gained great impetus on Monday as a result of his arrival on the convention scene in connection with Jewish Day. Making a dramatic appearance, unexpected by the delegates, at the morning session, Dr. Weizmann received a prolonged ovation. This ovation was repeated when 2,000 persons crowded the grand ballroom of the Palmer House on Monday evening at a dinner in Dr. Weizmann's honor. A sum of \$125,000 was raised for the American-Palestine campaign, it was announced.

The convention formally opened on Monday morning with welcoming remarks by Max Shulman, chairman of the convention com-

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DR. EINSTEIN TO HEAD PHYSICS FACULTY AT HEBREW UNIVERSITY, SAYS WEIZMANN

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

CHICAGO, July 5—Dr. Chaim Weizmann paid a surprise visit to the American Zionist Conference yesterday at its closing session and announced that in the very near future Dr. Albert Einstein will consent to head the Institute of Physics at the Hebrew University in Palestine.

Dr. Weizmann was asked to reply to a statement which Dr. Einstein made to the correspondent of the Jewish Telegraphic Agency in Belgium two days ago, but he refused to comment on it.

Dr. Einstein had stated: "Dr. Weizmann knows very well that with his declaration in New York

last week he misled public opinion. He knows only too well the reasons for my negative attitude and has frequently recognized its justification in private. He also knows under which circumstances I would be prepared to work for the university in Palestine."

The statement by Dr. Einstein came after Dr. Weizmann had made a speech in New York last week, in which he stated that Dr. Einstein had recently criticized the university, but believed that the noted scientist would shortly go there. "There is his place," Dr. Weizmann had exclaimed. "He would cease to be a wanderer throughout the universities of the world."

Yesterday in this city Dr. Weizmann proved that the misunderstanding between him and Dr. Einstein was smoothed over when he made the following announcement:

"It gives me great pleasure as president of the Board of Governors of the Hebrew University in Jerusalem to announce that Professor Albert Einstein has agreed to give the university his active cooperation in the administration and direction of the Physics Institute there. In accordance with the view of the plans already adopted by the board of governors and in accordance with the view of Professor Einstein, there will be certain reforms introduced in the university which will strengthen the structure. Proposals to that effect will be made to the next meeting of the Board of Governors which will be held in Zurich beginning in August."

Jewish Veterans Select

Wm. Berman Commander

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., July 5—William Berman, Boston attorney, was elected commander-in-chief of the Jewish War Veterans of the United States, at a stormy session marking the end of the annual convention here last night. Mr. Berman was formerly senior vice-commander.

J. George Fredman, Jersey City attorney, who was commander-in-chief last year, was renominated and his reelection was unopposed, but at the last minute he refused another term because of the pressure of family and business affairs.

Fredman said he would go to London with Samuel Untermyer to take part in the boycott conference opening July 15. He also intends to go to Geneva to appeal to the League of Nations against the persecution of Jews in Germany.

James Waterman Wise Says Jews Must Not Relax In War Against Hitlerism

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

CHICAGO, July 5—James Waterman Wise, of New York City, aroused 350 delegates to the National Jewish Youth Conference in session here yesterday to a pitch of intense feeling and enthusiasm when he demanded, in a talk on the German situation, that political intervention and an economic boycott must be pushed with the full force of American Jewry.

What is going on in Germany, he said, is part of the sub-conscious life of all Jews throughout the world. In telling what must be done to eliminate Hitlerism he declared that they must do everything possible to keep the wave of indignation at white heat.

"Jews must let the world know," he asserted, "that we will continue to raise our voices and speak intermittently until these wrongs have been righted. We must continue our own struggle for liberation of German Jewry. We must do this in order to retain world opinion now so strongly in our favor. Germany will feel the effects of this propaganda despite the iron ring of censorship which surrounds it."

Mr. Wise declared that the Jews of the United States have the right to expect President Roosevelt to speak out against the German situation.

Dr. A. L. Sachar, of Champaign, Ill., director of the Hillel Foundation, talking about the Jew on the American scene, told the delegates that the main problem confronting the Jew here is the preserving of the cultural autonomy of a minority people.

Judge William Lewis, of Philadelphia, discussing our relation with Palestine, said that country was the most hopeful solution of the Jewish problem.

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task that confronts him in his new job.

His unassuming personality and reluctance to talk much portrays a scholarly attitude to say less than he knows. He, however, could not resist making the following characteristic remark at the end of his interview, "Well, all my life I have fought for academic freedom, and now again I am confronted with a rather difficult problem." He did not quite finish his sentence, obviously mindful of his diplomatic mission in Germany.

Dr. Stephen S. Wise, honorary president of the American Jewish Congress, sailed on the same boat to confer with European leaders on the subject of the persecution of Jews in Germany and for wider participation in the projected World Jewish Congress.

Dr. Wise is proceeding directly to London where he will confer with British leaders and will proceed to Paris and Geneva for a series of special conferences there relating to the question of German Jewry.

Later in the summer he will attend a special meeting of the Executive of the World Jewish Congress, which will be held in August either in Geneva or Prague and will precede the opening of the World Zionist Congress. He will be joined abroad by Bernard S. Deutsch, president of the American Jewish Congress and other American representatives of the Executive of the World Jewish Congress.

In a statement issued prior to his departure, Dr. Wise called upon all Jewish organizations to join in making the World Jewish Congress the most representative organ of the voice of world Jewry.

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avor postponement of the world congress.

The Zionist Executive, however, decided not to delay the Congress, though, out of technical considerations, they decided to open the Congress in Prague five days later than was scheduled. Thus the World Congress will be convened August 21.

The session of the Actions Committee, which usually precedes the World Congress, will be convened August 15.

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difficulty for England "to be on friendly terms with a nation which banishes every idea fundamental to British institutions."

"How could we really be friendly with a nation which proscribes a race within its own borders, refusing to treat its own citizens as equals?" Sir Austen asked. "How can Germany expect our help and cooperation when Germany has outraged every sentiment implanted in our breasts through the whole course of history? These sentiments are common to every party, whatever their differences. The German policy is a menace to every nation beyond the German borders and for every race over which Germany might succeed in establishing her dominion."

Sir Austen pointed out that he had done his best to bring Germany within the good grace of other nations, but he said that this hope, if not destroyed, was at least postponed by the new anti-Semitic spirit prevailing there.

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mittee. Greetings were extended to delegates by Alderman Jacob Arvey; Jacob Braude, president of the Chicago Zionist Organization; Mrs. Bertha Berkman, president of the Chicago Hadassah; and Rabbi M. Sachs. Rabbi Felix Levy, of Chicago, delivered the invocation. Rabbi Meier Berlin, of the World Mizrahi, gave the opening address.

Weizmann Warnings

Speaking at the dinner in his honor on Monday evening, Dr. Weizmann warned against the danger of letting the city development of Palestine grow out of proportion to the development of the country. He also warned against overconfidence and against "building the national home on the foundation of the orange."

Dr. Weizmann declared that German Jews can be settled in Palestine provided they bring the spirit of the Chutzim with them. "Whether this spirit, born in the ghettos of Russia and Poland can be found along Unter den Linden, I don't know," he said. "A hundred and fifty years of emancipation and assimilation have hollowed out the spirit and heart of a great many Jews. One does not become assimilated with impunity."

Speakers at Monday afternoon's session of the convention included I. Meriminsky, Poale Zion leader; Dr. Stephen S. Wise and Emanuel Neumann.

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were promoted to the rank of notaries only when they reached an advanced age, only a small number of them still are in office. All the others, who were appointed under the republic, face dismissal.

More than 1,200 German-Jewish lawyers who formerly were officially permitted to appear in courts have now been advised by the authorities to form collective organizations. Each collective, it was ordered, should consist of ten Jewish lawyers, and only one representative of each collective may appear in court on the same day.

The official reason given for this advice was that the appearance of a large number of Jewish lawyers in court would enrage the populace at the present time. In reality, however, the advice is tantamount to an order reducing the number of Jewish lawyers who may appear in court to one-tenth of the former number. From now on 120 lawyers instead of 1,200 will be able to practice in German courts.

Judges have been warned against making any attempts to help poverty-stricken Jewish lawyers by appointing them as counsel for the poor or as executors. Any attempt by a judge to help a Jewish lawyer will result in his dismissal, the order stated.

New Brussels Chief Rabbi

(J.T.A. Special Correspondence)

BRUSSELS, June 21 — Rabbi Jacob Meer Sagalowitz of Danzig, author of "Meassef Drushi" and of "Neumim", one of the most prominent Rabbis in Eastern Europe, has been elected Orthodox Chief Rabbi of Brussels, in succession to the late Rabbi Hochstein.

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