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Soviet Concessions for Far East Settlement Do Not Include Bureva

(Tewish Telegraphic Agency) MOSCOW, Dec. 18-Far-reaching concessions announced by the Soviet People's Commissariat for Far Eastern Affairs with a view to checking the migration of population from Far Eastern areas because of the increasing feeling of tension between Japan and Russia, do not affect Bureya, the area set aside by the Soviet for the establishment of a Jewish autonomous region, it was

Because of feeling that settlers in the Russian Far East would find themselves caught in the arena of hostilities in the event of war be-tween the two countries, there has been a noticeable emigration from the area. Soviet colonizing plans for this region have been proceeding amiss, largely due to this feeling.

In order to end the process of

withdrawal of Russian population outposts and to encourage settle-ment in the Far East, the Soviet authorities announced that peasants in the Far East would be freed from the obligation of supplying corn, meat, soya beans and vegetables to the government for a five-year period. Farm collectives, it was announced, would be free from these duties for a ten-year period.

In Bureva and two other districts.

the peasants will not receive these benefits, it was announced today. The farm collectives will be exempted from the corn levies but must continue to furnish the government with the other commodities.

Exclusion of peasants in the Bu-

Apathy of Moslems Forces Leaders to Drop General Strike in Jaffa City (Tewish Telegraphic Agency)

JAFFA, Palestine, Dec. 18—The Arab Executive today called off the general strike scheduled as a demonstration against the trial of eighteen Arab leaders who are charged with illegally participating in the out-breaks here last month. The obvious reason for the failure of the strike

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Three Jews Are Killed In New Cuban Outbreak: Negro Mob Joins Invaders (Iewish Telegraphic Agency)

HAVANA, Cuba, Dec. 18—Two Cuban Jews were killed and one fatally wounded yesterday during an outbreak which took place here in the heart of the business district which virtually amounted to a pog-TOM:

Soldiers armed with machine-guns and accompanied by a large mob of Negroes suddenly invaded the estab-lishment of Moishe Krischer, shot and fatally wounded him and killed two Jews who happened to be in the place. The dead are Julio Klein-dorf and Mottel Turtshinski. The victims were reputable Cuban Tews.

victims were reputable Cuban Jews. They are survived by families. The attack on the Jews followed the burning of Cuba's best popular newspaper, El Pais, and the looting of the building by the mob, which was not hindered by the troops.

The Jewish population of Cuba lives in constant dead heavys of the constant dead heavy of the constant dead heavys of the constant dead heavy of the constant dead heavys of the constant

lives in constant dread because of threats of pogroms that have been made by soldiers and Negroes against all foreigners and against the Jews in particular.

The Jewish community juridical

committee is fearful over the fate of Cuban Jews. The committee has opened an investigation into the death of the three Jews.

Berlin Police Permit Keren Hayesod Mass Meeting; First Time Since Advent of Hitler

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency) BERLIN, Dec. 18-For the first time since the advent of the Hitler regime, a mass meeting sponsored by the Keren Hayesod, Jewish Foundation Fund, was permitted here by the German police. The here by the German ponce.
meeting was addressed by noted
German Zionist leaders including
Declar Wasserman, Dr. Kurt Dr. Oskar Wasserman, Dr. Kurt Blumenfeld, Friedrich Brodnitz and Michael Tranb.

Dr. Wasserman, who oppened the meeting, condemned the restrictions on Jewish immigration imposed by the Palestine government and the deportation of those illegally in the reason for the materialize was the apathy of control. "It means that we all cambilities of the feligee of Moslem boatmen and tradesmen. Into migrate to Palestine," said Dr. the courtroom was almost desert "see means. "Our fate will have desert desert will control to be settled here. However, Pales-to (Continued on Page 9). (Continued on Page 9). (Continued on Page 9).

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New Gov't Order Bridles **Boycott of Jewish Firms:** Defied by Nazi Newspaper

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)
BERLIN, Dec. 18—Reich Minister
of Economics Kurt Schmitt issued another order yesterday to all state governments and commercial associations insisting on the immediate suppression of the Christmas cam-paign against the Jewish firms. He declared that the government had promised Jewish merchants that they would be able to conduct their Christmas sales in freedom, and that acting on this promise, Jewish mer-chants had bought up large stocks of merchandise, which if unsold, will cause great loss to the creditors.

Dr. Schmitt ordered local govern-

ments throughout Germany to see to it that Jewish firms are not ham-pered. He also declared that local authorities must allow the Tewish firms to decorate their windows with trees and religious decorations. "I prohibit this shameful practice

of threatening the population against of threatening the population against buying Christmas presents in Jewish shops," the order concluded. In a lengthy editorial commenting on Dr. Schmitt's orders, the Ber-liner Tageblatt declared that the

Minister was compelled to issue the order because the campaign against the Jewish shops is increasing, par-ticularly in the provinces, and that this explains the necessity for ad-dressing the state governments. The Reich Minister has no executive power, the editorial states, and can not suppress the anti-Jewish dis-criminations himself. He can only instruct the state governments to execute his orders.

Migration Committee To Be Incorporated by League of Nations Body

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(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)
LONDON, Dec. 18—In an address
delivered before the Board of
Deputies of British Jews of which
he is president, Neville Laski declared that the Board of Deputies
would soon witness the establishment of a migration committee together with High Commissioner James G. McDonald of the refugee

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Proskauer Warns Jews Against Minority Status At J.E.A. Chanukah Fete

A warning to American Jewry not to permit itself to become a class claiming the privileges of a minority without at the same time expecting to bear the burdens of a minority was voiced Sunday night by former Supreme Court Justice Joseph M. Proskauer, principal speaker at the twelfth annual Chanukah dinner of

the Jewish Education Association.

The dinner, which was held in
the grand ballroom of the Waldorf-Astoria, was attended by more than 1,000 persons, many of them leaders in education and the professions. Professor Emil Lederer, speaking

for the six members of the University in Exile who were present as guests of honor, remarked that the warmth of the greeting extended the professorial refugees made them feel that they had found not only new contacts but new friendships in this country. He hoped here, Professor Lederer said, to continue his work in the old spirit of the German universities, which permitted the expression of knowledge and the search for truth without regard to religion, nationality or opinion.

Professor Lederer was presented by Louis P. Rocker, chairman of the dinner, who also called upon Professors Max Ascoli, Karl Brandt, Eduard Heimann, Herman Kan-torowicz, and Hans Speier "to rise, and, as we say in America, 'take a bow

Chanukah Menorahs dominated the decorative scheme of the ball-room, glowing from the stage and flickering on every table. Paul Felix Warburg, Judge Otto A. Ro-(Continued on Page 4)

Aryan Divorce Law In Sway in Germany: Mixed Marriages Hit

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency) BERLIN, Dec. 18-Aryans, regardless of whether or not they are members of the Nazi party, are per-mitted to divorce their Jewish wives, the newspaper Deutsche Justitz declared today in commenting on the divorce just granted to an unnamed Nazi from his Jewish wife-

According to law, divorce is permissible in Germany six months after the marriage is contracted on the ground of personal incompata-

However, incompatability of mixed racial marriages has been brought to light in Germany only since last April. Thus within six months from April, mixed marriages could have been annulled on racial grounds.

The divorced Nazi, who joined the party after it came into power, actually applied for the divorce before October, therefore acting in conformity with the existing laws.

In issuing the verdict, the court officially declared "Jews are not only an alien race, but are the enemies of the German nation." Therefore, the court added, it is easily understood why Aryans are auxious to secure divorces.

Henry Ford Denies He Is 'Jew-Hater' or 'Jew-Baiter'

Henry Ford denied that he is a hater of the Jews, or that he ever contributed money to anti-Semitic activity, in an exclusive interview with John Henry Hewlett which was published in yesterday's issue of The New York Evening Journal. "I am no Jew hater," Mr. Ford

"I am no Jew hater," Mr. Ford was quoted as saying. "I have never met Hitler. I have never contributed a cent, directly, indirectly or any other way, to any anti-Semitic activity anywhere.

"Jews have their place in the world social structure, and they fill

it nobly.
"I have Jewish friends—many of them—and I have Jewish friends in my business association. I have Jewish customers, affiliations with finance companies controlled by Jews. I don't believe either that the Jews think I am a Jew-hater or a Jew baiter."

Bronstein Trial Again Postponed by Roumania

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency) CZERNOWITZ, Roumania, Dec. 18-For the eighth time the trial of Samson Bronstein, who was violently beaten and tortured by gendarmes er. His sufferings at the hands of following charges leveled against the Roumanian police because of a him for supposedly spreading Com- trumped up charge of engaging in munist propaganda, has been post-poned, this time until the middle of a matter of world attention.

Jabotinsky Is Reported Seeking Polish Citizenship: To Be Candidate for Seim (Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

WARSAW, Dec. 18-Vladimir Jabotinsky, who organized the Jewish Legion which fought under General Allenby in the British Army's Palestine campaign during the World War, is seeking Polish citizenship, the Warsaw Togblatt reported today. Jabotinsky, founder and head of the Zionist Revisionist movement. at present has citizenship in no country, being one of the holders of the Nansen, League of Nations, passports.

Revisionist circles are buzzing with rumors that, if granted citizenship, Jabotinsky will appear in the next elections for the Polish Sejm, heading a list of candidates put up by the Revisionist organization.

Apathy of Moslems Forces Leaders to Drop General Strike in Jaffa City (Continued from Page 1) brought to trial before Magistrate

Kingsley-Heath. The defendants pleaded not guilty through ten attorneys who are representing them. In the midst of the proceedings the defense attorneys suddenly de-manded an interruption, claiming it

necessary for the religious observ-ance of Ramadan, holy Moslem month. The trial was adjourned until tomorrow.

Previous to his order for a postonement, Magistrate Kingsley-Heath stopped to pay tribute to Myles Layman Farr Elliot, government advocate who prosecuted the Terusalem Arab demonstrators and who died last night following an automobile accident. The vehicle which ran him over was driven by an Arab. He was struck the night

the rioters were convicted.

Jemal Hussein, convicted member of the Arab Executive, whose sentence of a month's imprisonment was reversed on Saturday at the behest of a number of sympathizers who pleaded for clemency, and who received instead the imposition that he pay a deposit of two hundred pounds as guarantee for a year's good be-havior, is reported as having refused the new sentence. He re-fused to post the bond, saying that he preferred the earlier sentence.

February. The court postponed the trial because it claimed one of the chief witnesses is absent

Bronstein is a Poale Zionist lead-

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BERLIN, Dec. 18-A large delegation from Aachen, including the mayor of the city and the leaders of the local chamber of commerce, arrived in Berlin today to petition the government to eliminate the auti-Tewish restrictions in connection with the manufacture of the new uniforms, which the leader of the Labor Front, Dr. Robert Ley, ordered all members of labor unions

Dr. Ley recently ordered all the millions of German workers included in the Labor Front to buy a special holiday uniform consisting of a blue civilian-looking suit and a cap

with a distinctive badge.

According to the original speci-fications laid down by the German authorities, the material for the uniforms was not to be produced by Iews and neither were the uniforms to be sold by Jews. However, the Aachen delegation pointed out that their city, a large textile center, will be severely affected if Jews are excluded. Many of the factories would be compelled to reduce their output considerably since the workers will order uniforms instead of other suits. Not only will Jewish owners of the-factories suffer, but the num-ber of workers would be reduced, increasing unemployment.

Iron Guardists in New Measures Against Jews (Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BUCHAREST, Dec. 18-The anti-Semitic newspaper, Calendranul, today published warnings that the few days remaining before Christmas will not pass quietly.

The Jewish population of Cluj reports further anti-Tewish attacks which have taken place since the cessation of the student riots which swept the country.

The University of Jassy was the arena for an attack on Jewish students by anti-Semitic undergraduate bodies, resulting in the discontinuation of classes. There is a reign of terror developing and its victims present indications.

Pressure against the government for the release of Iron Guardists, militant anti-Semitic body aiming at the establishment of clauses curbing guarantee that their entire interest Design freedom increased and had belongs to the work of reconstructhe establishment of clauses can belongs to the distribution in Germany.

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Right to Live Sought by Berlin Jewish Assembly In Supporting Reich Gov't

(J.T.A. Special Correspondence) BERLIN, Nov. 30-The differ-ences between the Zionists and the nou-Zioniete in the Berlin community were made the subject of a special sitting of its representative assembly, called by the Board for the one purpose of considering a statement from the Board on this matter, the only question on the

agenda. After Herr Heinrich Stern, president of the Assembly, had oppened the meeting, Director Heinrich

Stahl, president of the board, read out the Board's statement, in the course of which it is said:

The board of the community has asked for the present meeting of the assembly to be called in order to declare its attitude on the matters raised as a result of various attacks launched against it recently by Dr. Moses, based on the assertion that the board has stabbed in the back the Reichsvertretung der deutschen Juden, in whose executive it is re-presented by its own president, and that it has been seeking to over-throw this body. We emphatically repudiate this charge. The board of the Berlin Jewish community wishes the Reichsvertretung to de-velop an extensive and beneficial activity on behalf of the German capital to Palestine under the agree-jews, and especially to devote itself ment involved a loss of five per to the protection of the rights of the German Jews.

"Of course, the Reichsvertretung cannot be followed unconditionally. Support - and I am sure we are all agreed on this - must depend on the work done by the Reichsver-

"Now I would like to say here what I believe is essential to maintain that attitude of trust and cooperation towards the Reichsvertretung at which we aim.

"We hold that the principal objects of the Reichsvertretung must be the maintenance and reconstruction of German Jewry, securing new livelihoods by changing the occupational strata and the timely training

of the youth.
"In spite of all the efforts that the German Jews are under obligation to make and themselves wish to make, it will not be possible to carry on the reconstruction, educational and cultural activities without the will be the Jews, according to aid of funds from the Central Re-present indications. place particular stress on the need of the negotiations on this matter being conducted with the authorities

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency) BERLIN, Dec. 18—In the last three months 2.210.000 marks were transmitted from Germany to Page tine under the three million mark agreement reached by the Zionists with the German government last August, the German press announced

today. The agreement which was an-nounced at the Eighteenth Zionist Congress at Prague by Dr. Arthur Ruppin, agricultural and colonizafor Palestine, provided for the establishment of a trustee corpora-tion to liquidate Jewish possessions in Germany to the extent of three million marks, this sum, in the form of goods manufactured in Germany, to be exported only to Palestine. The agreement was opposed by

many Jewish groups.

The German press appeals to the Palestine Zionist executive to extend German exports because this is in the interests of the German exporters as well as advantageous to the sending to Palestine of German Jews. The press complains that German exports to Palestine amount only to ten per cent of total Pal-estinian imports. German papers revealed that the transfer of Jewish

Federation to Sell Minutes at Rally Tonight

The Federation for the Support of Tewish Philanthropic Societies will launch its "minute appeal" tonight at a rally of campaign workers to be held in the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel. The drive is based on the sale of minutes, at eleven dollars apiece, as part of the fund campaign to raise \$4,200,000.

Speakers tonight will include Otto H. Kahn, David Sarnoff, Paul Adler, Benjamin J. Buttenwieser, Mrs. Felix M. Warburg, Mrs. Sidney C. Borg and Judge Jonah J. Goldstein. Entertainment will be provided by stage and radio stars.

Mrs. Warburg welcomed members of the Committee of Unaffiliated Workers at her home yesterday, and pleaded for support. Mrs. Albert I. Erdmann will receive members of the Junior Group of the Division at her home, 7 East 76th Street today, where plans will be made for a tea and dance to be held Dec. 25 at the Central Park Casino.

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however, prejudice the complete un-derstanding and interest of the hoard or me community in the relief or me community in the relief activities on behalf of those members of our community who seek their future outside the German homeland, particularly those who have identified their future with the construction work in Palestine, or wish to do so.

"Dr. Moses has objected in particular to the fact that two members of the community board have taken a leading part in the newly-started renewal movement of Jewish Germans. It never was intended to be the aim of the community board to surpress any movement within German Jewry. In the same way the Zionist members of the various communal bodies are at this moment enthusiastically engaged in furthering the particular objects of the Zionist Organization, so every other member of these bodies must have the right to work for his particular conception of Jewish life.

"The community board is fully conscious of the responsibility that lies upon it in a time like the pre-sent. It does not think of surrendering this responsibility before the proper time arrives. If Dr. Moses wants a change in the administration of the Berlin Jewish community before the end of our term of office, he will find that he has against him the determined resistance of the duly qualified representatives of the community. "The Board of the community is,

as far as lies in its powers, trying to meet the needs of the time and of all the various movements.

"While the work of building up a Jewish school system is in the other Jewish communities still in the prepewisi communities stait in the pre-paratory stages, Jews in Berlin have already given schooling facilities to large numbers of children. The applications made by the Hebrew Teaching Institute and the School of the Jewish Youth for funds for providing instruction in New Hebrew have been met readily.

The economic aid department, whose work has won admiration and a special report. There is an em-ployment exchange, which is success-fully combating the want that exists among the Jewish unemployed. The community's welfare department is being maintained, and has been extended, and the community board is glad to be able to state that it has succeeded in obtaining a consider-able amount of collaboration with the winter relief bodies set up by the government.

tions it will always be possible for ner of the Association.

the various movements to engage in common work, as they have done hitherto, if only there is the neces-

sary good will.

It is certainly not in the interests of Jewry, in these anxious times to destroy our existing unity by disruptive measures. The community board has been entrusted with a spec task which it will not renounce. which is to give courage and stability to the large numbers of those who have been violently pushed out of their normal economic and spiritual course and who desire to build their new future in Germany and nowhere else. The board is doing its utmost to help these people, and it is able to state with satisfac-tion that it succeeded in implanting new hope and new strength in many who had begun to doubt. The in-tensification of Jewish knowledge and feeling, and the strengthening of the tie that binds Jews together is certainly something worth aiming at. "On this point we are all at one, and we can certainly work together

for this object, but that alone will not suffice. Beyond this the leaders of the community and every member of the community must have a feeling of confidence that there is going to be a future for the German Jews in Germany, where, loyally adapting themselves to the existing state law and order, they will be able to live their lives on a status of equality, as free men and women. board of the Berlin Jewish commun-ity will not allow itself to swerve from this path, and along these lines it will conduct its activities to the full measure of its Jewish responsi-

Proskauer Warns Jews Against Minority Status

(Continued from Page 2) salsky, Adolph Lewisohn, Sol Tekul-sky, Municipal Court Justice Nathan Sweedler and Max Lazare were honorary kindlers of the lights, while Samuel Penner, 11, a student at the Hebrew High School, lit the Aaron Caplow of Temple Israel of Long Beach, sang "Rock of Ages" and an excerpt from the Mishnah, and Mrs. Clara L. Ostriker pro-claimed the voice of Ivriah, the wo-men's division of the Jewish Education Association.

Magistrate Goldstein introduced Mr. Proskauer, Mrs. Gabriel Hamburger, chairman of Ivriah, who said that the future of American Jewry was assured once Jewish mothers. the strongest force in the preservation of Judaism, were won to the cause of Jewish education.

Greetings to the dinner were received from President Roosevelt and government. Governor Lehman, who was guest "In this and in many other direc-of honor at the last Chanukah din-

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reva area from these benefits was explained as being unimportant since practically all the farms in that area have been collectivized. The con-cessions will go into effect January of the Soviet Union republic, forming one of the Soviet Union republics was to have been proclaimed in Bureya in 1935. The date for giving the region autonomous status has been altered to 1937 when it is expected that the Jewish population there will

exceed half the total population. A twenty percent increase in wages in the factories, the army and the "sovchozes", the Soviet collectives, was announced. The intives, was announced. The in-crease is expected to improve the living conditions of many thousands of workers, non-lews and lews.

Migration Committee To Be Incorporated by League of Nations Body

(Continued from Page 1) sioner is not only one of coordination, but also one of making ef-fective effort in the interest of the refugees, the Anglo-Jewish leader stated. Although cooperating with the Jewish Agency for Palestine, the High Commissioner is not specifically concerned with Palestine, Dr. Chaim Weizmann, head of the Zionist campaign to settle German refugees in Palestine, and High Commissioner McDonald are cooperating to the fullest exent, Mr. Laski pointed out. He added that Palestine is always uppermost in the minds of those concerned with the refugee problem.

Berlin Police Permit Keren Havesod Mass Meeting; First Time Since Advent of Hitler

(Continued from Page 1) tine is not only important for us German Jews, but it is perhaps the most decisive factor for our future in Germany." Dr. Wasserman also contrasted the restrictions against lewish students in German universities with the possibilities for Jew-ish students at the Hebrew University.



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