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Editorial Notes
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"Men of Russia"

THE CURRENT issue of "The New Outlook" contains an article on "Men of Russia," by James E. Abbe, an American newspaperman, formerly employed by the "Soviet photographic trust." Mr. Abbe states that most of the men who control Russia today are not Russians, not even Slavs. He writes: "Stalin is a Georgian, a different race. Kaganovich is a Jew. Litvinov is a Jew. Karakshadai, Armenian. Smidovich (Smidovich) is a Jew. Ordjonikidze is Georgian. Kurtz is Austrian. Karl Radek, a Jew."

The biographical sketches of sixteen of the Russian Government are given. "Men in business for Russia in strategic positions: buyers, traders, are rarely ever Russians," writes Mr. Abbe. "Members of the Jewish race from all over the world predominate. Every member of the foreign office press censor bureau is a Jew. Little men of Russia who help in responsible positions, heads of offices, trusts, are mostly Jews. It is significant that the three warriors on our list are Russians. But Slavic Russia has been launched as a business firm by them among Slavs. The infusion of alien blood has quickened the pulse, the reaction, of the Russian race."

Though the article is intended to be an accurate picture of the men who rule Russia today, and though it was apparently the purpose of the author to be sympathetic to the role played by Jews in Soviet Russia, it is misleading because of the inaccuracies it contains. Of the six Jews among the sixteen men in control of the Soviet Government, only two, Kaganovich and Litvinov, should have been included. The other four, Radek, Bordoin, Padolsky and Smidovich, do not belong in that list. Radek is a thoroughly included among the Jews. While Austrian non-Jews are described as Austrians, Karl Radek, who is an Austrian of Jewish origin, is classed as a Jew. And he occupies an official position in the Government. The same is true of some of the other "Jews" mentioned. All these Jews do not control Russia, just as the non-Jews in the Soviet Government

Anti-Nazi Drive Summons Picket Line For Macy's

To Resume Demonstration
Tomorrow; Socialists
Plan Campaign

Prosecuting the anti-Nazi boycott on two fronts, organizations are planning a drive on department stores continuing to buy and sell goods made in Germany. Under the auspices of the United Labor Zionist Movement, picketing will be resumed in front of Macy's Department Store tomorrow at 1 p.m.

The Socialist Party which conducted a demonstration, protesting Macy's handling of German goods last Saturday, announced yesterday that their picketing activities will be resumed three weeks hence before other department stores, particularly before Gimbel's, Saks and Wanamaker's. Releases sent out under the subscription of the United Labor Zionist Movement bid all comrades "Join the picket line against R. H. Macy & Co., Saturday, February 3, 1934, at 1 p.m. sharp."

In the face of organized protest on the part of Jews and non-Jews alike, who are shocked by the spectacle of Nazi hooliganism, Macy's, one of the largest Jewish-controlled concerns in this country, persists in selling goods made in Hitlerland. "DO NOT TOLERATE THE HANDLING OF NAZI GOODS!" "JOIN THE PICKET LINES AGAINST R. H. MACY!" "BEARING APPROPRIATE PLACARDS!"

The release carried at its bottom the names of the anti-Nazi Committee, United Jewish Socialist Labor Party, Poale Zion-Zetor Zion, Pioneer Women's organization, the Jewish National Workers Alliance.

Dickstein Calls Byoir, Roosevelt Birthday Party Director, A Leading Nazi Propagandist In U. S.

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)
WASHINGTON, Feb. 1. — Carl Byoir, general director of the national celebration of President Roosevelt's fifty-second birthday, is reputed to be one of the principal Nazi propaganda agents in this country according to evidence in the possession of Representative Samuel N. Dickstein (D., N. Y.), chairman of the House Committee on Naturalization and Immigration. This was revealed today to the Bulletin as Dickstein announced that he would make a thorough investigation into Byoir's activities. He may be expected to be looked into. He may in the future take advantage of his contacts with notable Americans through the celebration committee to endeavor to spread Nazi propaganda with the aid of unsuspecting Americans whose confidence he

SPEAKER RAINEY'S WIFE FOR NAZI QUIZ; BELIEVES ANTI-SEMITISM HERE WILL DIE

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)
WASHINGTON, Feb. 1. — Mrs. Henry T. Rainey, wife of the Speaker of the House of Representatives, in an exclusive interview with the Jewish Telegraphic Agency, today indicated that she was in favor of an investigation of Nazi propaganda activities in the United States, but does not take the Nazi movement in this country too seriously.

The Nazi movement here, Mrs. Rainey said, is just like any other movement in the past. It will reach a certain point and then die down. She cited the various radical efforts which blazed up soon after the World War, only to disappear for lack of interest outside of those who were closely associated with them. Keenly interested in the development of radical movements, Mrs. Rainey closely informed as to their developments.

She has been paying particular attention to the Nazi efforts in this country and has followed closely the Dickstein investigations. While she is not very much concerned over Nazi activities in the United States, she

would favor an official investigation to get at the facts of the movement. Representative Dickstein has a resolution pending in the House, calling for an investigation of Nazi propaganda in the United States. Favorable action is expected soon. In the meantime Representative Hamilton Fish, Jr., of New York, has introduced a resolution, calling upon Congress to express regret at the persecution of Jews in Germany. Representative Frank Oliver of the Bronx has thrown his support for a resolution of protest "against the action of Herr Hitler in persecuting the Jews in Germany." According to Oliver, Hitler has "lost all the progress Germany has made toward a re-summation of its prestige and its dignity by these acts of inhumanity and brutality."

He said the American Jewish people have been patient with the crisis in Germany. They appreciate that the American government cannot interfere with domestic affairs in Germany, but they expect this country "to enter a strong protest" on behalf of humanity in international affairs.

Egypt Pays Homage At Mosseri Funeral

Member of Oldest Jewish
Family Was Noted For
Communal Work

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)
CAIRO, Feb. 1.—Funeral services were held today for Joseph Bey Mosseri, a member of one of the oldest Sephardic Jewish families who died here at the age of sixty-four. He was a banker and noted for his devotion to Jewish communal work. Among those present at the services were the Chief Rabbi, a representative of King Fuad, the Premier and the members of the cabinet, two ex-Premiers, ten former cabinet members, the Italian Ambassador and the leading Egyptian bankers and industrialists.

BADEN RABBIS CUT OFF GOV'T PENSION

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)
BERLIN, Feb. 1.—The Official Gazette of the government of Baden today announced that pensions granted to retired rabbis had been withdrawn. In the past the government of Baden granted pensions to retired clergymen, including Jews and non-Jews alike.

Police in Vienna Forbid Sale of Nazi Newspapers

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)
VIENNA, Feb. 1.—The police president of Vienna has issued orders forbidding the street-hawking of anti-Semitic and Nazi newspapers, including the Sturmer, thus bringing about the automatic demise of three provocatively anti-Semitic newspapers.

Goebbels Boasts Accomplishments Of Nazi Regime

Propaganda Chief Says
Ousting of Jews Was
Great Thing

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)
BERLIN, Feb. 1.—One of the most outspoken anti-Jewish addresses ever heard here was made last night by Paul Joseph Goebbels, Nazi Minister of Public Enlightenment and Propaganda. Goebbels spoke at the Sport Palace here and reviewed the Nazi government activities for the year of 1933.

"When we look back a year ago, we find public opinion created only by the Jews," Goebbels declared. "Berlin was not a German city. Everything was Jewish, concerts, theatres and newspapers. And the person who did not read Jewish books was considered uneducated. We were dragged to a court because we called a Jew a Jew. Nobody regrets the loss of such culture. We only pity the nations who bother to pay it attention."

The Propaganda Minister also declared that "when anybody says liberal economic views, are expressed by our leader, we say everything is permitted except disloyalty to the name of our leader."

Goebbels denied that there was any intention of not changing the economic system. "We merely do not wish the change to come from the street," he declared. "However, we will certainly introduce quick radical changes."

Congress Executive To Meet at Prague

Will Decide on Details of
Spring Convention—Im-
portance Great

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)
PARIS, Feb. 1.—The executive committee of the World Jewish Congress will meet in Prague, Czechoslovakia, on February 12. It was announced here today. Executive members from Eastern and Central Europe will participate in the meeting, which will decide definitely the agenda for the coming year and the program for the forthcoming meeting of the Committee of Jewish Delegations which will meet in Prague together with East European delegates, in order to discuss the important political issues with which the Committee is now engaged.

At this meeting, the relation of the Committee to the Minorities Congress will be decided.

1,737 JEWS ENTER PALESTINE IN MONTH

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)
JERUSALEM, Feb. 1.—According to government figures made public today, 1,826 people entered Palestine in the month of December, including 1,737 Jews, among whom were 283 in the capitalist category and 1,454 as dependents. The government figures also include twenty-six tourists, who overstayed their visas, and whose position in the country was regularized. Eleven

may have gained because of his apparent patriotic zealoussness.

Assisted President
"I am sure President Roosevelt would deplore the connection of such a person with the committee," the President is utterly opposed to any form of Nazism in this country and would not tolerate the activities of Nazi propagandists in this country. He would be inclined to look with suspicion upon a person who is alleged to be a Nazi agent and who pretends to be concerned about the President's activities."

During the World War Byoir was assistant to George Creel. Later he helped hushhoo Florida real estate for Henry L. Dougherty. Within recent years Byoir was the "right hand man" of ex-President Machado of Cuba; he edited the Havana Post and Telegram, two Machado organs, whose principal function was to gloss over the seething revolt among the Cubans; as the Washington representative of the Cuban Chamber of Commerce he deluged the American public with Cuban legends.

As an officer of Carl Byoir and

tion, in the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel admitted that according to her understanding of Byoir's business, he managed publicity accounts for German railways, the German American Chamber of Commerce, the Leipzig Trade Fair, and other German enterprises.

Present attempts to get in touch with Byoir having failed, Carl Dickey, business associate with Byoir was called upon for information.

Dickey confirmed the information that Byoir had been general director of the national committee in charge of publicity for the President's birthday celebration, but he refused to reveal whether or not Byoir handled publicity for congress or prospects in Nazi Germany.

Propaganda and Publicity

When asked whether or not Byoir handled Nazi propaganda in this country Dickey returned an emphatic negative reply. In response to the query, "Is it not true that Byoir handles publicity for certain German enterprises and for business organizations relative to German tourist traffic?" Dickey answered:

BULLETIN CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Friday, February 2nd
Jacob De Haas will speak at forum of the Jewish Community House of Bensonhurst, Bay Parkway and 79th Street, Brooklyn, 8:30 P.M.

Federation for the Support of Jewish Philanthropic Societies, 71 West 47th St., "Mental Hygiene", Dr. Lawson G. Lowrey, 1 A.M.

"The Muddle in Germany", Colonel Stewart Roddie, Civic Forum, the Town Hall, 123 West 43rd St., 8:30 P.M.

"The Situation in Germany", Martin Plettl, Siegfried Lipshitz, Mid-Bronx Forum, Elsmere Hall, 170th St. and Morris Ave., 8:30 P.M. *

Friday night forum, Young Israel Synagogue of Borough Park, lecture on "The Future of the Jew", Dr. Trude Weiss Rosenarin, 8:30 P.M.

The Young Folk's Congregational Group.

Synagogue at East 53rd St., between Church Ave. and Linden Blvd., Brooklyn, Irving Davidson, guest speaker, "Jewish Humor", evening.

The Brooklyn Jewish Center, 667 Eastern Parkway, Rabbi Jacob Weinstein, "Jews That Hitler Made", 8:15 P.M.

le Delinquency—Why?" at Flatbush Center, Church Ave., corner east 5th St., Brooklyn, 8:30 P.M.

Saturday, February 3rd
Charles Solomon, Louis Waldman, Harold Riegelman, Langdon Post on "Our City Under Fusion", Rand School of Social Science, 7 East 15th St., 12:30 P.M.

Annual dinner of the Independent Welfare League, Pythian Temple, 135 West 70th St., evening. Speakers: Bernard S. Deutsch, Judge Anna Moscovitz Kross, Harold S. Berman.

Estelle M. Sternberger on "The Peace Editor Looks at The News", Station WVEVD, 3 P.M., alternate Saturdays.

Symposium, "What do the Opponents of the Histadruth want?" Stuyvesant High School, First Avenue and 15th Street; evening; auspices of United Jewish Socialist

Annual charity ball of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Barnert Hospital, Alexander Hamilton Hotel.

Mass meeting and musical program of the Eastern District Gdud of Betar at Y.M. and Y.W.H.A. of Williamsburg Broadway and Rodney Street Brooklyn

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German Battleships Propaganda Carriers, Dickstein Discovers

Congressman Says San Francisco Is One of Ports of Call; Details Secret

Representative Samuel Dickstein, in an interview over the long distance at Washington, yesterday declared that new evidence "of a most discouraging nature" has come to light to indicate that German battleships are carrying Nazi propaganda into the United States.

Dickstein reported that German battleships "paying a friendly visit to the United States" were found dispersing large quantities of Nazi literature along the Pacific Coast. When asked for the names of the battleships, the representative declined to discuss the matter in detail, stating that he could not jeopardize his investigation of the matter by "giving out too much information before the investigation is completed."

The congressman did say, however, that one point at which the propaganda has been unloaded in San Francisco.

He also declared that he has documentary evidence from military authorities, which will tend to prove conclusively that "Hitler's peace talk is a lot of bunk." He says that the documents were taken into the country and that they bear official authorization.

Mr. Dickstein said that his resolution for the creation of a special congressional committee to investigate Nazi activities in the United States will be moved in the House of Representatives next week.

"The Committee on Rules, which passes upon the resolution appear to be unanimously in favor of the investigation," he said. "I have no doubt but that it will go over without difficulty."

LaGuardia Will Address Russell Testimonial Lunch

Although the testimonial luncheon to be tendered to the veteran Pro-Palestinian, Charles Edward Russell, February 12, at the Hotel Commodore, a complimentary dinner, and in recognition of his notable services to the cause of Palestine in the last few years, it is highly probable that the British policy of limiting immigration into Palestine will be fully aired at this gathering.

The speakers include Mayor LaGuardia, Judge Julian W. Mack, Dr. Stephen S. Wise, Charles H. Tuttle, Judge Mitchell May, Bernard S. Deutsch, President of the Board of Jewish Education, and Dr. David Solá Polak. Jacob de Haas will preside.

The luncheon is under the auspices of the Pro-Palestine Federation of America, which secured cooperation of a large group of sponsors.

Abrams Leads in Tennis High School Quarter Finals

Joseph Abrams, star tennis player of the Whit Clinton on the varsity, seeded No. 1 in the interscholastic quarter-final matches played yesterday afternoon at the 350th Regiment Armory, 143rd Street off Lenox Avenue. He defeated Robert Enrich, also of Clinton, by a score of 6-1, 6-1. He will play in the semi-finals this morning at 10 A.M.

In other matches of the tournament were as follows: David Kantrowitz, De Witt Clinton, beat Kenneth Wiener, Abraham Lincoln, 6-3, 6-2; Melvin Lapina, Evander Childs, beat Frank Farrell, Clinton, 6-2, 6-1; Henry Danzila, Bryant, beat James Reid, New Utrecht, 6-2, 6-0.

De Witt Clinton is thus assured a seventh title in the metropolitan indoor interscholastic tennis championship.

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LEGAL ASPECTS OF THE BOYCOTT

By JACOB CHAITKIN

III. Conflicting Social Considerations in Determining the Legality of the Boycott

(This is the third of a series of articles by Mr. Chaitkin, well-known New York attorney, on the legal effects of the anti-Nazi boycott in the United States and elsewhere.)

In the absence of specific statutes and direct precedents, the court will decide the legality of the anti-Nazi boycott by balancing the conflicting social, economic and political factors involved (33 Columbia Law Review 1439; Mr. Justice Holmes on Privilege, Malice and Intent, 8 Harvard Law Review, pp. 1, 9).

In other words, were the question to arise before an American court, the boycotters would be called upon to show their justification and purpose, and against these the court would weigh the harm or prejudice, if any, resulting from the boycott activities to the interests and welfare of the people of the United States.

The boycott's justification: The defense of the Jewish people against a campaign of extermination within Germany, and of vilification and hatred without; the answer of organized labor in America to the death-blow administered to organized labor in Germany; the protection of democratic institutions and human rights everywhere from the fate that has engulfed them in the Reich.

And as against these high purposes:

The threat of non-payment of German bonds held by American investors; disturbance of trade relations between America and Germany; the threats of German reprisals in the form of boycotting American goods.

Let us look somewhat more closely at these considerations which on their face would seem to militate against the boycott.

The argument most frequently advanced against the boycott is that it would react unfavorably on the repayment of the high private loans floated by Germany in this country in the years immediately preceding the depression.

The obvious reply to this argument is that the holders of German bonds in this country constitute a comparatively small group, whose private interests are not to be identified with the interests of the country at large.

the bondholders the argument lacks merit. The boycott bears no relation to Germany's debt policy.

The dereliction of the Nazis in the glow of the Reichstag pyre; the anti-Jewish and anti-intellectual orgies of last spring; the yave of protests and boycott resolutions that swept the outside world—all took place after Germany had suspended payment on her long-term obligations. To be exact, the decree of the German government declaring a moratorium on private debts owed to foreigners was promulgated on May 23, 1932. Since that time the German Reichsbank has steadily pursued the policy of depressing the value of German private obligations by defaults in the payment of interest, and of buying back these bonds at bargain prices.

"Of the \$1,200,000,000 of German dollar bonds originally issued here, Germany has repatriated \$450,000,000, and each day that passes sees the remainder steadily whittled down" (Edward J. Condon in the New York Times, Jan. 12, 1934).

The German bonds have been and are being repurchased by Germany at an average cost of 50 cents on the dollar. This cost is further diminished by the depreciation of the dollar in terms of the mark. Thus, a \$1,000 bond for which the Germans received \$1,000, or 4200 marks in 1927, is repurchased by them at a cost of \$50, which at the current rate of exchange is equivalent to approximately 1,333 marks—just one-third of the original loan!

It would have been impossible for Germany to effect these enormous savings without a continuing default in the payment of private obligations in the depreciation of her securities in Wall Street.

In the light of the subsequent events, the default may be considered as an integral part of the repatriation scheme, and is obviously justified by any counter-boycott activities in the creditor countries.

It is also argued that the boycott disturbs German-American trade relations, impeding Germany's ability to buy in America; and may result in a counter boycott on her part.

A proper understanding of the true nature of German-American trade relations, however, reveals the opposite possibility of this argument.

States consist overwhelmingly of raw materials. The report of the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce for 1932 shows that in that pre-Hitler year this country exported to Germany \$430,000,000 worth of crude materials, \$4,000,000 worth of "semi-manufactures" and only \$34,000,000 worth of finished products, including manufactured foodstuffs, a proportion of nearly three to one of unfinished to finished products.

Of raw materials, by far the most important single item is cotton, of which over \$68,000,000 worth was exported in 1932—over 50% of Germany's total imports from the U. S. This cotton is indispensable to Germany's textile industry, and is of the short-staple variety, which cannot be obtained elsewhere.

German textile machinery is adapted for this short-staple cotton, and it would cost Germany a staggering sum of money in new machinery if she desired to change to the long-staple product.

Such materials as cotton, scrap metals and raw furs are bought by Germany in the U. S. not for consumption, but because they are a vital necessity to her industrial life.

She converts them into finished products and resells them to other countries, including the United States, in return for commodities with American manufacturers.

In order to enable her exporters to gain an advantage over their competitors, Germany uses the notorious "scrap mark" system, which is a compulsory subsidy to German exporters wrested from American and other foreign holders of German bonds. The system is simply this: foreign bondholders receive part of their interest in the form of scrap, which is redeemable only at the Gold Discount Bank in Germany at a discount of 50%. This scrap is then sold by the Bank at 57 1/2% of its face value, to the German exporters, who are thus enabled to quote bargain prices for their wares in the international markets.

American purchases of German goods in 1932 amounted to approximately \$73,500,000, of which over \$24,000,000 worth were in finished manufactured products, \$20,000,000 in semi-manufactures and only \$11,500,000 in raw materials (Report of Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, 1932). Their finished products, in the vast majority of instances, could have been purchased from our own American manufacturers and sold for export employment to our own American labor.

It is true that our exports to Germany exceed our imports from that country. However, as President Roosevelt has pointed out (New York Times, Jan. 25, 1934, p. 9), in arriving at the true balance of trade, we must take into account the "invisible" exports—payments accepted by Germany from tourist expenditures, remittances by immi-

grants, shipping services, insurance, etc. These items swell the figure of German exports to a point where our favorable trade balance, if any, is negligible.

There is no gainsaying the fact that trade relations are disrupted by an effective boycott. But we may seriously doubt whether in the case of one trade with Germany, the boycott would be disadvantageous to America. The nature of German purchases here; the nature of German exports; the inextricable, the scrupulous methods of Germany in her competition with American manufacturers here and abroad; the direct benefits inuring to American capital and labor; the replacement of German products by those made in America; these factors may well cause a court to hesitate in declaring that the interests of the United States are injuriously affected by the boycott, or that the supposed injury to trade is more important than the tremendous stake which America has in the preservation of democratic institutions and human rights.

(Next Article: Boycott Tactics—Legal and Illegal.)

Theatre Benefit Feb. 19

For Menorah Activities

The Menorah Writers and Artists Committee, an organization of Jewish women members of the Menorah Association, will give a theatre benefit on February 19. The proceeds of the benefit will go toward the cultural and educational work of the association and the publication of the Menorah Journal, quarterly periodical of the society. The performance will be at the Morosco Theatre has been chosen for the facility.

Mrs. Jacob Eisenman will be in charge of ticket distribution.

Charity Bazaar Opens

Men's and women's garment industries of New York opened a four-day bazaar yesterday at the 165th Regiment Armory, 28th Street and Lexington Avenue.

The group, headed by Dr. Henry Moskowitz, expects to raise \$100,000 for those in the industry who contract pneumonia. The money will be sent to the Los Angeles Free Tuberculosis Sanatorium, to which most of the sufferers go.

Fuld Heads Congregation

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

PATERSON, N. J., Feb. 1—M. Fuld is the new president of Congregation B'nai Yeshurun of the Barnett Memorial Temple. Other officers are: Dr. Colin, vice-president, and A. L. Simon, treasurer. Trustees for three years are M. Fuld, Abram Kleiner, Abram I. Feldman, Joseph Wolf and Max Bojner, and W. E. Geller, trustee for one year. Rabbi Max Rabin was unanimously reelected rabbi.

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Poor Always Welcome at Denver Hospital, Says Mrs. Pisko, "Mother" of Institution

Pioneer Tubercular Worker in New York to Attend Annual Meeting

A comfortable little old lady, known as the "mother" of the National Jewish Hospital at Denver, came to New York yesterday afternoon. She is Mrs. Seraphine Pisko, seventy-three, pioneer hospital and social welfare leader of Denver, Colorado, and executive secretary of the hospital ward for more than thirty years. With Dr. William S. Friedman, president of the institution, she has arrived to attend the national annual board meeting to be held Sunday at the Waldorf Astoria.

At the age when most women are relegated to arm chairs, Mrs. Pisko is still full of enthusiasm and ambition for her remarkable "child", the first and largest national, non-sectarian, free hospital for tubercular poor in the United States. A gray-haired, pleasantly wrinkled, diminutive woman, dressed simply in black, she speaks with pardonable pride of the modest birth of her life's work.

"In the early days of Denver, poor people with tuberculosis, Jews, came from every part of the country in search of health in the Colorado climate. But they needed more than climate—they needed food, shelter and medical care. We were just a handful of Jews in those days and we could not take care of them all. We did the best we could, but it was not enough. Our rabbi, Dr. Friedman, conceived the idea of a free hospital for tubercular patients. We finally managed to open through the help of the B'nai B'rith Lodge and we started with one building—we now have sixteen."

"The hospital is 'kosher' and has Hebrew school for the children besides its regular public school studies. There is a synagogue in which services are held twice a day and 'Kaddish' recited for the dead."

"Mrs. Pisko said as a 'Kaddish' dream comes true, the dedication of the hospital thirty-five years ago, on December 1899. Previous to this date the poor Jewish consumptives used to live in 'rooms', hardly cared for, neglected, with occasional free services by some kindly physician."

"Now," she said, with glowing eyes, "we have one of the best up-to-date hospitals for tuberculars in the world. We are able to help far-advanced patients to a remarkable degree. We are also doing wonderful work for crippled children and our hospital contains the only national preventorium for children in the United States. As important as all this, it is the only place outside of heaven, that money will keep you out of. No one who can pay may enter."

Anti-Nazis Summon Macy's Picket Line

(Continued from Page 1)
and the Young People's Zionist Association.

Socialist Party headquarters last night expressed ignorance of the plans for Saturday's boycott demonstration. One official, however, announced that plans are being made for picketing three weeks hence before the doors of Gimbel's, Saks', and Macys'. Spokesmen of the American Federation of Labor and the Jewish labor groups are being invited to attend the affair.

MacLevy May Picket

It was said that Mayor MacLevy, Socialist Mayor of Bridgeport, may be present. In an interview with the Jewish Daily Bulletin, after last Saturday's picketing, Mayor Levy said: "I believe this picketing is a good idea. It is the only way to enforce the American people's war on German terrorism."

Endeks Attack Jews In Warsaw Riots

Anti-Government Group Make Trouble; Youth Is Jailed; Editor Injured

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

WARSAW, Feb. 1.—Jews were attacked today in the very center of Warsaw during a demonstration organized by the Endek National Democrats, anti-Semitic, anti-government political group protesting against the new constitution recently promulgated by the Pilsudski regime.

In the last few days frequent attacks have been made on Jews in Warsaw streets and many windows in Jewish shops smashed. Police arrested seventeen of the Endek hooligans, but the anti-government activities of the Endeks, which is taking an anti-Semitic form continues.

In the city of Czestochowa, the district court sentenced an Endek youth to serve eighteen months in jail for a brutal attack on David Altman, the Jewish editor of the government newspaper, Glos Czestochowski.

The Polish Nazi group today began to issue two new journals, one in Krakow called Swastika, and one in Katowice named Warta.

Wladec Lauds Foes Of Germany's Nazis

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

ELIZABETH, N. J., Feb. 1.—A drive for \$500 to be used for German Jewish relief, the Joint Distribution Committee, Hias, American Jewish Congress as well as several communal institutions not supported by the United States government, today inaugurated here tonight simultaneous with a boycott rally in the Y.M.-Y.W.H.A.

A. C. Wladec, manager of the Jewish Daily Forward, was the principal speaker. In making an appeal for the success of the drive, he compared current conditions in Germany with those of czarist Russia. "I wish to pay my respects to the Jews and non-Jews, the Socialists, Communists, liberals and ministers in Germany today who still have the courage to stand up, fight the oppressor and fight," he said.

George Friedman, past national commander of Jewish War Veterans, assailed the German Austrian War Veterans, whose commander resides here, "as a Nazi organization and caused this city with its Irving and Union City as 'hotbeds' of Nazi propaganda. He urged tightening of the boycott."

Addressees also were delivered by Rabbi R. H. Melamed of Congregation Tsion Israel; Charles Browne, a Catholic war veteran and Julius Kwidetz, president of the Y.M.H. who presided. The drive, for which nearly \$2,000 has already been subscribed, is under the auspices of the Jewish Council. Jack Pfisterstein is chairman.

Yiddish Paper Celebrates Its 20th Anniversary

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 1.—The Philadelphia Jewish World, the only Yiddish daily printed in Philadelphia is twenty years old today. The newspaper will celebrate the anniversary birthday with a special edition to be published February 23, a notice in today's issue says.

East N. Y. Center Honored

Governor Herbert H. Lehman, has consented to become an honorary member of the Advisory Body of the Public Relations Committee of the East New York Jewish Center, according to an announcement issued by George Weiler, president.

JEWISH EDITOR HONORED FOR EFFORTS IN PACIFYING PATERSON LABOR GROUPS

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

EDITOR HONORED



ABE J. GREENE

Jews Covet World, Berlin Paper Says

Propaganda Verlag Transmits "Secrets" of 1761 Convention

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BERLIN, Feb. 1.—Declaring that they were enulating the "Elders of Zion Protocols", a "propaganda verlag", publishing concern, which was established solely for spreading anti-Semitic propaganda, today issued hundreds of thousands of copies of a pamphlet of the alleged protocols discovered at a "secret session of the Cabbalist Sanhedrin, held in 1761. This meeting was attended by representatives of the twelve Jewish tribes from all parts of the world to work out a plot for the Jews to conquer the world in 1941."

The session, the pamphlet stated, took place "midnight at the grave of Simon Ben Jehuda, amter of the Cabbala." Punctuated at midnight as the chimes rang out, the assembly was greeted by a voice from the grave which said, "the greeted you best men of Israel's tribes."

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Jewish Life Reviewed in Latest Cables and Letters

Jewish Shop in Rio Mobbed by Students; Police Save Owner

Display of Pairing in Window Gave Offense to Students Leading Attackers

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

RIO DE JANEIRO, Jan. 31.—A painting of Rio harbor showing a Negro in the foreground served as an excuse for a mob attack upon the place of business of a Jewish trader in gold here today.

The student leaders of the mob asserted that the painting, which is the work of a Brazilian artist, was an insult to the Brazilian nation. Zitrin, the Jewish owner of the store, which is on the principal street of Rio, displayed the painting in his show-window.

Police saved Zitrin from the hands of the mob by arresting him. In commenting on the incident, the Jornal do Brasil attacked Zitrin for having considered himself a Brazilian and demanded the cessation of Jewish and Japanese immigration.

Change of Front

The comment by the Jornal do Brasil is apparently indicative of a reversal of policy on the part of the newspaper, since only last month the Jornal featured a detailed article on the growth and reconstruction of Palestine. The article, which was accompanied by photographs of the new Palestine, was written by Dalbo Cortez, one of the editors of the Jornal do Brasil, and was called "The Return of the Jews to Palestine, the Zionist Ideal and the Renaissance of Israel in Its Historic Land."

At the time it appeared, the article was considered a phenomenon favorable to the efforts of the Palestine Labor Fund, which is now conducting a campaign in Brazil. The Jornal do Brasil is one of the oldest and most influential newspapers in the country.

FINANCIAL AID GIVEN REICH JEWISH EXILES

(J.T.A. Special Correspondence)

JERUSALEM, Jan. 9.—It is learned by "Doar Hayom" that the Jewish Agency has reached an agreement with Bank Zerkubal, the central financing organization of Jewish cooperative credit societies in Palestine, and the Bank of the Manufacturers' Association at Tel Aviv, to establish special funds for the granting of constructive loans to German Jewish immigrants. The credits will be given only for the founding of new enterprises, factories, and workshops, and will be repayable on convenient terms.

Rumania Names Consuls To Posts in the Holy Land

(J.T.A. Special Correspondence)

JERUSALEM, Jan. 9.—A Consulate General of carriers has been established in Jerusalem by the Rumanian Government, and M. Marcus has been appointed consul general. Mr. Benz was until recently consul general for Rumania in London, and was also a lecturer at King's College, London University. He is an author of numerous works in English and Rumanian. He is a non-Jew who likes Palestine.

M. Alexander Adrian Boger has been appointed vice-consul general.

THE ABSTINENCE THAT HURTS



—Die Stunde, Vienna

"I can stand these one-dish Sunday meals, so long as we have more than one stein."

Jewish "Count" Leads Russian Nazis; Hitler Triumph Golden Opportunity

(J.T.A. Special Correspondence)

PARIS, Jan. 25.—For a Jew to become Pope sounds phantasmagoric enough, but it is a phenomenon not unknown in history. But for a Jew to become the leader of a party based on the principle of "pure Aryan descent" is surely unique.

National Socialism has long ceased to be a purely German matter. It has spread in varying degrees to all the countries of the world, and it has gained a particularly strong hold among the White Russian emigres, and they, like the Bourbons, have learnt nothing and forgotten nothing. It was inevitable that these elements should find much that was attractive to them in the Nazi program. It was not only the anti-Semitism of the Nazis that attracted them, but also their extreme anti-Communism. The majority of the Russian emigres are still monarchists, and at the bottom of their hearts still hope to return in triumph to a new Tsarist Russia. And they fondly hope that the Nazis will in some way help them to achieve this end.

Soon after Hitler's victory, Russian Nazi groups had been formed in Germany and within a few months a whole net of such groups had been established in all the countries in which Russian emigres live. Recently all these groups were united in one world body and a triumvirate of three was appointed to run the whole organization. The three members of this triumvirate are Von-siaki, Kazem-Bek, and "General Count Bermund-Awaloff." In view of the importance the Russian Nazis attach to "pure Russian Descent," it is interesting to note that Mr. Von-siaki is a Pole, while Mr. Kazem-Bek is not only not "pure Russian," but not even "Aryan," belonging as he does to the Caucasian "mountain tribes." But by far the most interesting member of this trio is "General Count Bermund-Awaloff."

Father a Goldsmith

"General Count Michailovich Bermund-Awaloff," to give him his full name, was born in Vladivostok, the son of a baptized Jewish goldsmith by the name of Raphael Bermund. In the Russo-Japanese war he served as an officer's orderly. He succeeded in getting a commission, but was a failure as an officer, and returned to Vladivostok where he first worked in his father's shop, and later became the conductor of a military band. During the Great War he held a commission in the Russian army but managed to avoid active fighting, and ultimately arrived in Germany with a group of refugees.

It was then that his real career started. Germany was just suffering a remarkable adventure in the Baltic Provinces of Russia, in the present Latvia and Estonia. There she was forming an army post out of the remnant of the German troops that were to occupy the whole area under the pretense of a fight against the Bolsheviks. For this adventure they required a suitable man, with good connections among the Russian officers. Bermund succeeded in gaining the confidence of the German authorities and was appointed to lead the whole affair.

He Becomes a "Count"

Bermund's highest rank in the army had been that of captain, and that he considered quite insufficient for the leader of such an undertaking. But that was no obstacle. One fine day Bermund appointed himself "General," and changed his name from "Raphaelowitch" to the less Jewish one of "Michailovich." Soon afterwards, finding that his self-created military title did not suffice, he decided to add an aristocratic "count" and so dubbed himself "count." But all Russian counts were well known. He might be discovered. So he decided that his title best had to be a Caucasian one—count with only one name? Better add another one. And so within a few short months the son of the baptized Jewish goldsmith became "General Count Bermund-Awaloff." Only one slight difficulty arose from all this—a real Count Awaloff happened to be living in Berlin. But Bermund did not allow this to bother him.

Bermund's campaign in the Baltic provinces was successful up to a point, but he was ultimately defeated by the Lettish army, with the support of the British. But even in those days, the reactionary element accepted him as one of their leaders. For fourteen years his life was heard of him and his career seemed at an end. But Hitler's victory in Germany provided him with a new field for action, and the son of the Jewish goldsmith became the central figure in the "triumvirate" that conducts the "pure Aryan" and "pure Russian" Nazi movement.

Swastika Proves Bad Business in Brazil

Paper Has to Take It Off When Advertisers Shy Away From It

(J.T.A. Special Correspondence)

SAO PAULO, Brazil, Jan. 22.—Sao Paulo's official Hitlerite newspaper, Der Deutsche Morgen, has removed the swastika which it formerly displayed on its masthead.

Your correspondent learns that this is a maneuver by the local Nazi leaders, who hope thus to obtain advertising for the newspaper. The greater number of large establishments contracting for newspaper advertising in the foreign language press had withdrawn their advertising from Der Deutsche Morgen because of the anti-Hitler boycott.

It is said that the newspaper was so affected by the loss of advertising that it was forced to change hands. The new management saw fit to remove the swastika.

Warsaw Jewish Papers Closed Down By Strike

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

WARSAW, Feb. 1.—On account of the strike which the Bundist professional associations are waging against the new labor laws, the Warsaw editions of all the Yiddish papers did not appear yesterday.

It is noteworthy that the professional associations connected with the Polish Socialist Party are not participating in the strike. The Polish language press will appear as usual.

Palestine Financing Plan To Aid Reich Refugees

(J.T.A. Special Correspondence)

JERUSALEM, Jan. 8.—The Jewish Agency has reached an agreement with the Bank Zerkubal, central financing organization of Jewish cooperative credit societies in Palestine and the Bank of the Manufacturers' Association in Tel Aviv, which will make it possible to lend money in large or small sums to German Jewish immigrants who plan to establish business enterprises here.

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Revisionist Founders Rejoin the Movement

The Moment Reports New Support By Three Jewish Leaders

(J.T.A. Special Correspondence)

WARSAW, Jan. 21.—The Warsaw Moment reports that Dr. Julius Brutkins, I. Trivus and Dr. M. Schwartzman, three of the outstanding founders of the Zionist Revisionist movement headed by Vladimir Jabotinsky, have rejoined the group after having been associated with the Grossmaitze Jewish State Party since it was formed as a result of a recent split in the Revisionist movement.

The Moment also publishes an appeal by the three leaders, in which they urge the unification of all Jewish national efforts, particularly, of the Revisionist movement. All who left the ranks of the World Revisionist Organization are exhorted to return to the Jabotinsky group.

Denies Statement Will Be Made on Palestine

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

LONDON, Jan. 31.—Malcolm MacDonald, son of the British Prime Minister and parliamentary secretary to the Colonial Ministry, today denied in the House of Commons that his chief, Sir Philip Cunliffe-Lister, has any intention of making a statement on the position in Palestine. He declared that there had been no new developments in Palestine which would require such a report.

MacDonald also informed the House that the cost of repairing the Church of the Holy Sepulchre will be met by the government of Palestine, and will amount to £75,000.

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A play in three acts by Wilhelm Steyer, adapted from the German by William A. Drake. Settings by Elaine Bernstein, designed by Conny Geyer and Robert C. Fischer; produced by Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Weisberg of the Selwyn Theatre.

...Lester Call
...Isabel Baring
...A Man
...A Woman
...John Walters
...Philip Van Zandt
...Secretary
...Helen Van
...Robert Ross
...Joy Ann
...Ludwig Reed
...George Allison
...Court Ardenant
...Charles G. D.
...James Gardiner
...Horse Cannon
...Clark
...George W. Williams
...Sergeant Whelan
...H. J. Carey
...Tommy Harris
...Oscar Berlin

As the title so brightly suggests, this is a mystery play. It was adapted from the German by William A. Drake, a young man who discovered, translated and generally boosted Vicki Baum's novel, "Grand Hotel". In this present work he has not the same attractive material to work with and the virtues of the play are not many. The really outstanding event of the evening is the appearance of A. E. Matthews in the leading role.

This suave gentleman from England is seen in the guise of a very successful New York trial lawyer. He is a meticulous fellow, cold and calculating, but always a gentleman unmoved by the mundane passion of us ordinary mortals. His wife craves a more demonstrating love than an affair with an artist who is the antithesis of her husband. A kind fellow, he befriends a lady of the streets and takes her home with him. She is next discovered a corpse murdered in his apartment, and therein lies the mystery. Although the police are not let into the secret, the audience is, and is shown the lady expertly and thoroughly murdered by none other than our lawyer friend. He, of course, has no escape with it, and is the cause of fuss and the play then concerned with the spectacle of the lawyer defending his wife, her lover and himself from the snooping of the rather nosy police.

The play is a trifle better than the ordinary run of the mill mystery play. It is well acted, expertly directed and intelligently presented, but it is unfortunately not as especially gripping. The first act is by far the best, but the next two sessions enough off to a whisper. Mr. Matthews is a very good actor, a needed lesson for actors who think that the only way to play a role is to holler, stamp and practically whistle their way through a part to convince the audience that they are "in" trying. Mr. Matthews demonstrates that an actor can be convincing without having a case of hysterics.

THEODORA, THE QUEEN

A play in three acts, by To Milward and J. Kerby Hawkes. Scenario by Yelmer and produced by To Graham. Art by Robert C. Fischer.

...Hilma Gray
...Hilma Gray
...Aghah
...Hilma Gray
...Cici
...Julia Cini
...Guard
...Robert Anderson
...Antonia
...Cecilia
...Theodora
...Antonia
...Paul
...Marcus
...Justinian

Theodora was the most successful prostitute of the fifth century. She lived in Constantinople and sold her favors at no cut rates. When Justinian was rising to the throne of the Eastern Empire, Theodora became his wife. She was a woman of the people. Her method was simplicity itself, she simply refused to allow Justinian the privilege of her bed-room, and as history will testify, she got her man.

In the play by To Milward and J. Kerby Hawkes, this calculating gal is shown as a victim of love and falling for the really mild young emperor. She gives up her life of

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THE READER'S FORUM

Religion and Jews

Jan. 30, 1934.
Editor, Jewish Daily Bulletin:
I appreciate the reply of Mr. Paul J. Pichan, in yesterday's issue, and regret that he misunderstood the tone of my remarks by taking them altogether literally, with regard to the persecution of the Jews in Germany, as compared with the persecution of Catholicism in Latin countries.

Of course it is difficult to separate a religion from its adherents, and when one is persecuted, the other suffers as a result. But there is a difference of degree in emphasis. For example, Russia persecutes religion, yet the adherents are not persecuted; or, if they are, the law. The clergy are deprived of suffrage; but if they change their occupation to what is legally permitted, they are still citizens. Similarly, if Mexico and Spain have deprived their clergymen and Sisters of their religious functions,—at least if they change their occupations they are still citizens. And if they adopt atheism or socialism, they would surely be accepted by the regime. But not so with the German Jews. Although the Nazis can say that they are not persecuting the Jewish religion (except banning the Old Testament from the churches; and except SHESTITAH, the Jewish method of slaughtering animals), their aim has been publicly repeated, namely, to exterminate and becomes surprisingly priggish.

Presented with a quiet dignity and with stirrings of the Byzantine period, the play does not come off. It is verbose and often dull. You are never made to feel that you have been whisked back to the sixth century; instead, the impression is gained that the piece is nothing more than a modern love story done in Byzantine dress, and done worse.

Theodora is played by Elena Miranova, Minor Watson is Justinian and Horace Bralian is his rival Hyacinth. This trio accounts their scenes with skill and precision.

nate the Jewish race, by all economic and political machinations. Neither are the Jews permitted to become Nazis; and even those who had adopted Christianity, are persecuted worse—and what is more—than those who remained Christians with Jewish ancestry are included in the "Aryan clause." If the Jews were barred from a certain economic activity and permitted to engage in all others, without losing their citizenship, they would accept this suffering without a murmur. But they are barred from all legitimate means of a livelihood, and their businesses and properties are directly or indirectly confiscated. They are not permitted to earn a living, nor to sell and leave. Hundreds have been tortured and mutilated to death, with thousands in concentration camps,—not because they violated German laws; not because they were disloyal to the Reich; but solely because they are Jews, or have Jewish ancestry. This is exactly the point. Herein lies the difference between the persecution of Jews as a race or as individuals in Germany, and the persecution of Catholicism as a religion in Spain and Mexico.

Persecution is not justified, whether carried on by a majority or a minority, and no matter how large or small the number of sufferers. But who other than a Catholic has a right to tell a Catholic not to change his belief? And who other than a Jew has the right to choose? Therefore what right have Jews to interfere in Catholic countries? Had the Pope issued a world-wide appeal to all national and religious groups to unite against the persecution of Catholicism in Spain and Mexico, I am sure that the appeal would be answered.

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THE BULLETIN'S DAY BOOK

Wednesday's Bulletin carried a detailed report of the joint meeting in London of the executive committee of the governing body and the advisory council set up by the League of Nations to assist James G. MacDonald, High Commissioner for Refugees. This column has already offered into a discussion of one of the important persons present at the meeting, James N. Rosenburg, distinguished New York attorney. There yet remain, however, a number of outstanding figures of great importance which it might be well to devote some space to here.

Lord Robert Cecil, of Chelwood, one of the world's foremost statesmen, who conducted the opening meeting and delivered the opening speech, is a former member of the Balfour cabinet and a well known friend of the Zionist cause. He is the patron of the Anglo-Palestine Club, in which capacity he succeeds Lord Balfour.

"The genius of civilized countries cannot be barred to refugees fleeing from persecution, intolerance and barbarism," Lord Robert, on several occasions declared. He believes that a course would be incompatible with Christianity.

While scores of relief agencies are active in functioning here and abroad and fabulous sums are being expended in order to somewhat alleviate the sufferings of Germany's Jews, Lord Robert doubts the lasting efficacy of these funds. He believes that relief measures cannot be permanently maintained and that the German situation hardly lends itself to such measures.

At this same meeting, Louis Guggenbuhl, executive director of the Jewish Colonization Association, stressed the possibility of emigration to the United States and the need to make the large Jewish population in America.

Mr. Guggenbuhl has labored for many years to establish greater cooperation between his association and the Jews of America.

He was born at Arlon, Belgium, and is 53 years old. His grandfather was rabbi and his father was officiating minister of the town. M.

sure that Jews and Protestants and others would join in this holy cause. The American, most highly organized protests effective. Even Mussolini had to consult the Pope for a treaty with him, when he tried to ban Catholic youth organizations in Italy. The Nazis too made a treaty with him when they dissolved the Catholic Churches in Germany. In order to protest effectively against the persecution of Jews in Germany, Spain and in Mexico, a world-wide movement should have been initiated by Catholics, with Jews (a minority) and others joining in and co-operating.

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Ounge was educated in the classics at the Athens of Arlon and in philosophy and arts at the University of Ghent where he obtained his doctorate.

While still at college he came to Paris. Enamored of the life in this busy and important city he decided to settle there. He became interested in thinking and in a comparatively short time became a man of great importance in financial circles.

If the Bulletin could boast of a sport section, one item would have been more or less prominent on its pages yesterday. Since it has no such section, this column takes it upon itself to make passing mention of the projected appointment of Henry Friedman, Jewish football star, as coach of the City College grid team.

Friedman has had a remarkable collegiate and professional football career. He is rated among the top forward pass artists in the country. If he proves able to transfer his own skill as a player to the team he will coach, there remains only one pitfall to avoid. That is Hollywood. It seems that most Gentile athletes go broke and all Jewish athletes go Hollywood.

Dr. S. S. Goldwater, New York City's hospital commissioner, was selected by Mayor La Guardia on the basis of his integrity and experience. On assuming his new official duties, Goldwater devoted himself to a superficial examination of the general state of the city's hospital system. His findings evidently did not jibe with his own version of integrity for, casting back over the remembrance of his earlier experiences with hospital management, he cut out with a statement to the effect that though it would seem unbelievable, a rotten political system could penetrate even the most honest of men.

"This city will have, though it may take some time, a hospital department devoted to the interests of the sick and the needy and to no other," he predicted. The Commissioner is bringing proof of his efforts in this direction with the announcement of several shifts in hospital personnel and three unexpected reassignments.

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CHAPTER XII.

Sarah Thinks of Marriage

Returning from England, Diego brought important news. It was hoped that Cromwell would let the Jews establish themselves openly in his country. The question had not yet been settled. Cromwell had shown himself very liberal, and the merchants of London were opposed to them. In Whitehall it was murmured that if Jews were admitted they would monopolize all the business of the East.

Better, perhaps, than the little Sarah," added Diego with a friendly smile. "The young girl blushed and Diego promised her a Dutch Bible, richly bound.

"So it was not a delusion, it was not a phantasm which appeared to me in the convent," said Sarah at night as she tossed sleepily upon her bed. "In the land of Diego and in the land of Cromwell that dream is as real as it was back there, when, to the sound of the convent organ, it appeared to me."

From then on, the thought of the Messiah, which had almost vanished from her mind, was renewed with greater force. But where was the Messiah? Why did he tarry? Why during all the past centuries, had so many prayers, so many exhortations been unanswered? Was it because faith, becoming weaker and weaker, had died into a habit of patience and

England, Cromwell is preventing the fulfillment of the Messianic promise of God. The dispersion of Israel cannot be considered an accomplished fact, while there are no Jews on English soil.

Diego explained to Sarah, who questioned him, that Manasseh-Ben-Israel was a wise and erudite Jewish doctor of Holland. He also told her that Cromwell was the ruler of a great country beyond the sea, that he was a fearless warrior and a pious man. Although not a Jew, he knew the Hebrew and the Prophets.

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resignation? That prayers, by force of their being endlessly repeated, had lost their power?

It seemed to Sarah that Diego, Rachel and all other Jews she had met in the house of the Portuguese were too ready a consolation in their faith. Even so trivial an allusion to the coming of the Messiah as Manasseh's letter, had been sufficient to make Diego happy. And Rachel also had become radiant. As if the promise already had been fulfilled!

Sarah believed one should not be lulled by false promises. She had gone about his business tranquilly. Rachel, untroubled, was advising her present her husband had brought her from London.

One should not believe, one should not hope and pray so casually. But like a fastidious man, who cannot appease his hunger until he has eaten, she should one should one hunger after liberation with all one's passion, with all one's will, at every breath and moment.

Diego had built a firm and magnificent house for his place, a garden around it. Did he not tarry then his faith? Rachel proudly displayed the gorgeous synagogue erected upon the direction of Manasseh-Ben-Israel, who was the ruler of the noble blocks of limestone? They seemed laid against all eternity. But where was the Rabbi's faith in the approaching Messiah? On the threshold of the Promised

Land, Moses did not erect temples in the Egyptian desert; he pitched his tents. God would send no one no one would come while the outward works of Israel so palpably denied their faith.

Now Sarah became more clearly conscious of a belief which until then had remained quiescent. It was necessary that she take a personal part in the noble task of liberating her people. As a neophyte in whom hope had been created by the dying words of her mother, she could no longer rest inactive. She would not cleave to the temporal goods of this world, she would not find a firm existence upon the foaming waters of a torrent, but her life must be comparable to the tent in the desert.

She had not rediscovered her people, she had not shuddered at their agony, to be consoled by empty words. She must find the Messiah and crouch in the shadow of His infinite wings.

But what was this Messiah?

In the distant convent days, shadowy visions appeared to Sarah. Confused shapes, mysterious faces passed before her. Sometimes she saw the beautiful features of a young boy who wore the austere noble costume of Holland; sometimes she saw the masculine figure of a warrior drawn in light and shade and resembling a picture she had seen in Diego's library; some-

times she saw the hoary, majestic head of a patriarchal Rabbi. They appeared before her in her room at evening, and in the green shadows of the garden during the day. But what was He really to be? And what country was He to be found? Sarah's eyes burned with restlessness. They one again assumed that radiance which, though it frightened Rachel, added a strange poignancy to the girl's somber loveliness. Young men of Amsterdam began paying court to this magnificent Jewess from Poland, who was being raised and educated by Diego.

One day, jokingly, Rachel spoke to Sarah about marriage. The girl began trembling violently.

"No, no," she cried, terror-stricken.

Laughingly, Rachel reassured her. When she was alone later on, Sarah wondered why the idea of marriage had terrified her. Amorous longings had sometimes filled her body with their mysterious power, but the young men of the city she had feared, many of whom were attractive to her.

But she knew that all her feelings, every part of her soul belonged to Him, who was the object of her longing. She would not build her house upon the foaming waters of the torrent. Her life must be similar to the tent pitched in the desert.

(To be continued tomorrow)

When Israel Comes Home

By BERNIE GOEMAER

V. David's Grand-Nephew

If I forget thee, Jerusalem,
May my right hand wither!

(Oath of the Hebrews)

David, Joseph and I were riding along the road to Jerusalem.

Joseph was David's grandnephew. David had at last found him on the dock at Haifa, and had made haste to get him through the official formalities. David wanted to be in Jerusalem before nightfall. Was this not Friday, the day when the Jew of Jerusalem remembers the destruction of the Temple and goes to let his tears fall upon the last remains of Solomon's great building?

When David introduced Joseph to me, I was dumbfounded.

Dumbfounded not only by the boy and his uniform, but the young man was dressed with the trimness of Granddaddy around his neck, contrasting in a surprising way with the sombre clothes of the rest of this group. David wanted to be in Jerusalem before nightfall. Was this not Friday, the day when the Jew of Jerusalem remembers the destruction of the Temple and goes to let his tears fall upon the last remains of Solomon's great building?

"A Jew, this blond young man with the blue eyes, light-skinned as a Norwegian youth? A Jew, this tough young man with the white chest, the 'tail' of the nose as straight as the tail of Apollo Belvedere? I wager that among the sixty million Germans who, each day, in Hitler's fine country, proclaim their racial superiority, wearing beer the while, you could discover a more Aryan type than the grandnephew of David!"

And yet Joseph was among the sons of Abraham, the purest among the pure. Not only by his blood (his father's name was Aaron and his mother's Sarah) but spiritually.

explain. The Jew of Jerusalem remembers the destruction of the Temple and goes to let his tears fall upon the last remains of Solomon's great building?

Jerusalem was a silent one. And how could he not be attracted (an attraction to which he accedes in ecstasy) by this Palestinian scenery through which our car was passing, by the Jewish porters, which he had come with the will to fulfill with his last strength, the great Zionist dream?

For that is what you will discover in this portrait of David's grandnephew, this young man, which we shall place together through little successive touches whenever Joseph, drawn out of his reverie for a few instants, consented to answer me.

On the surface, Joseph appeared to be a refugee like the others. Like the others, he came here because the Hitlerian climate was unhealthy for him.

He was twenty-one. He had been studying law in Berlin. The Jewish students were not expelled from German universities because there were neither Jewish porters, nor Jewish doctors brought down upon them, such as those which had forced out the schoolchildren. But German duplicity, the German attitude, which we shall place together through little successive touches whenever Joseph, drawn out of his reverie for a few instants, consented to answer me.

But Joseph himself did not want a diploma. He had been studying law in Berlin. The Jewish students were not expelled from German universities because there were neither Jewish porters, nor Jewish doctors brought down upon them, such as those which had forced out the schoolchildren. But German duplicity, the German attitude, which we shall place together through little successive touches whenever Joseph, drawn out of his reverie for a few instants, consented to answer me.

have seen a thousand times in every Jewish home, in all the Jewish families in Palestine. An Assyrian king? No! A simple Viennese journalist, Theodore Herzl, whose name, for the fifteen million Jews who people the earth, remains haloed with a radiance that no ancient Assyrian monarch had ever known. Theodore Herzl, the man who thirty years ago, gave to the world a great idea which was to shake all Israel, the man who was the first to dream of a Palestine where a dispersed race would at last find its home.

A disciple of Theodore Herzl, Joseph had taken the vow to be a Palestinian pioneer. The happenings in Palestine had just hastened the beginning of his mission.

Joseph was a *Chalutz*, that is, one of the members of the elect, one of those Jewish volunteers who, each year, recruiting in all the various countries (many of the countries of Eastern Europe where the misery of the ghetto is the most tragic) place themselves at the disposition of the official Zionist committees, which transports them to the land of Canaan when they are judged to be ready for action.

The action which awaited Joseph would be hard, disciplined. After a period as a common laborer—period during which his worth would be weighed—he would be turned over to the mobile work battalions (the role of which is to lend a helping hand to any colony which might need it) or to the nucleus of a new colony. Joseph's work will be that of a chief and an animating spirit.

Need I add: these young men have faith, who burn with an ardent thirst for sacrifice to the Cause, are the pride of Israel and its future.

Breastly, Joseph raised himself in the car. His staring eyes were wet with emotion. I saw his hand raised to his forehead. He had heard the first news of the return of the Jewish people to the land of Canaan.

that, up there, in the heights of Zion, spread above her white walls the Jewish banners.

Jerusalem!

The city where his forefathers had only a cross for the great Miesdostor, the modest wooden cross which was to grow so huge as to project its rays into both hemispheres and whose shadow, for two thousand years has never ceased weighing upon the descendants of Judah as it had weighed upon the spine of the Sufferer;

The City where the terrible curse of wandering was brought down upon Abimelech;

The City to which the descendants of Judah wish to return so that they can regenerate the Israel which has been soiled by impious commerce with the Gentiles;

The City from which, on all the roads to Judea, of Samaria, of Galilee, these pioneers, brothers of Joseph, the descendants of Judah, are being the ennobling laboring of the earth, will try to efface the ancient shame of their race and to find once again the Jewish Jerusalem.

Joseph looked at the City.

"Next year in Jerusalem," hope the old Jews on Passover.

No, thought Joseph. Today in Jerusalem!

Certain readers have written me concerning the "regime" that the Jews will carry on in regard to the Holy Places when some day they become masters of Palestine. What are their intentions? They ask me.

Obviously the Zionists have no intention, officially speaking, since they cannot foresee such a contingency, of restoring the question of the English, nor still less by the Arabs. But since it seems by this eventuality can be envisaged, I will answer all the Zionists whom I asked about this question. I said: "I would see that no one would be allowed to desecrate the Holy Places." "In the event of sorrow and persecutions," I said, "the Zionists will be the first to suffer, and they will be the first to suffer."

not have the greatest interest in respecting these places since any other power would only bring down upon us the reprisals of the Christian world? Do not forget that Palestine could never accommodate more than a very small part of our people. We are fifteen million in this world, assuming that Palestine would absorb two million Jews—which would seem the maximum—thirteen millions would still remain dispersed throughout the world. You can well understand that we would not wish, by stupid intolerance, to rekindle the old rumors and persecutions of the Aryan-Christians against our brothers, such as we ourselves have so often suffered."

I would also bring to your attention the words of a personality in the Zionist movement who has no interest in telling me this since he did not know I would report them: "If the Jewish State was recognized as a sovereign nation, the Jewish nation, our first diplomatic mission would be to proclaim the extraterritoriality of the Holy Places, to the benefit of the Christian nations. It would make haste then to renounce all temporal rights over these places, which, if they remained under our responsibility, would be a constant 'powder-barrel' for us, having been given us to keep for someone else..."

Finally, I remind you of the audience accorded in 1917 by the Pope to Adam Sokolow, one of the leaders of the Zionist movement, who pleaded before the Pontiff for the legitimizing of the Jewish claims on the Holy Land. This reception, which he "was not opposed to the re-establishment of Jesus in Palestine, as long as Catholic interests, and in particular the Holy Places, were respected." The Pope's reply, which Rome has been often reproduced, I find it, for instance, in the *Journal de R. P. Benignus*. "The Jewish claims on the Holy Land," he said, "are not a religious question, but a political one. It is for the benefit of the Jewish people that we must recognize their claims."

Pelley Continues to Get it from Cosmos: Roosevelt's a Dutch Jew, and Willy Jews Are Making Arliss Play Rothschild!

"Out of the vastness of Cosmos the Psychic Antenne tune in on a Voice..."

And William Dudley Pelley gets the latest dope from heaven. All about President Franklin D. Roosevelt—"reliably reported to be the descendant of certain Dutch Jews"—who is a tool of the Jews, you know. He was elected by the people to be running the country for them. True? Sure it's true. The Psychic Antenne says so. And the Psychic Antenne never lies.

The Psychic Antenne have a lot up their collective sleeve. You'll find the whole Silver Shirt Organization there, if you look hard enough. The Talmud and strict laws to "establish a true Christ Democracy—but mind you, strictly under the laws of the American Constitution."

This week, in the Cosmos' weekly Voice, "Liberation," a few more choice exposures from on high are revealed. There's "poor old George Washington" and "his resistance." He's become a Jewish propagandist.

The Jews needed propaganda if ever they were to dominate the nation in the age-old manner practiced by the Talmud. And strict believers in the Talmud as they all are—especially in these non-existent parts that the Silver Shirts love to study—the Jews took over the movie "The God of Russia," just to round out the whole thing. Naturally, Pelley and all the vastness of his Cosmos resonated the vile propaganda by mere mention of earth. Pelley also resented the actions of the President—how dare

he think of such a thing as the N.R.A.? He is a tool of the silly Jews. Pelley knows. The Voice told him.

So the poor Jews got scared of Pelley. And what did they do? They "conceived the idea that it was time to abandon all good tastes and restraint and produce a photoplay that should shock the morose with excellent people the Jews are on principle." They decided to produce a picture called "The House of Rothschild." That's why.

How the Mighty Are Fallen
And "poor old George Arliss" was the one chosen to play in this horrible production. Poor, poor George Arliss! He's going to play in another picture, "The House of Rothschild."

The Voice has much more to tell you. There's the story of the Rothschilds. They rose to power. And they were Jewish. The voice told the Silver Shirts will never forgive. It is not included in their program—"No More Hunger! Volume One: The Twenty-Two Articles of the Christian Democracy by William Dudley Pelley." In collaboration with the Psychic Antenne, it is assumed.

And then, there's the inside story of the Jews' retirement from business. That. And the pure food and drug act. It means "that if you tell your friends that they should drink grape juice or eat a tomato, you will be subject to a license and may be subject to a fine." Interpretation of the law, from the vastness of the Cosmos. The Psychic Antenne, Dudley Pelley, Box 2630, Asheville, North Carolina, collect.

School Principal Heads Seashore Fund Drive

Leon S. Kaiser, principal of P. S. 188 in Coney Island, has accepted the chairmanship of the Seashore Front Division of the \$2,000,000 National Emergency Campaign for the Settlement of German Jews in Palestine, Nathan Straus, Jr., chairman of the local division, announced yesterday.

Mr. Kaiser, a well known figure in Brooklyn communities, and a Jewish activist, will cooperate with Aaron Williams Levy, chairman of the Brooklyn chapter of the campaign.

In accepting the chairmanship of the Seashore Front campaign, Mr. Kaiser said that no member of the Jewish community could remain indifferent while thousands of German Jews were "clamoring for an avenue of escape from the misdeeds, persecution and oppression practiced by the Nazis. Palestine supplies the most effective solution to the problem," he said.

Young Judea Meeting Elects New Officers

The first meeting this year of the Judea League, a sponsoring organization of Young Judea, a junior Zionist movement in America, was held at the Hotel Camerota.

Pierre Van Paassen discussed the subject "The Jews and the European Scene."

The Judean League is now concentrating its efforts in training Jews for Young Judea as well as providing cultural opportunities in music, literature and art. A membership campaign is under way.

Through its 700 branches throughout the United States, Young Judea has for the past 25 years been engaged in training Jewish children in character, citizenship, and self-development.

Following officers were elected for the coming year: Harry Dressner, president; Janet Weisman, vice-president; Dr. Samuel Salganik, secretary; Yehuda Weisman, treasurer; and Gladys Pae financial secretary.

Woolworth Manager In Brighton Beach Denies Insulting Local Jews

Workers Club Claims John Smith Made Statement

A flat denial to the charge that he had said that "there ought to be a Hitler in Brighton Beach" was made yesterday by John Smith, manager of the Woolworth store on Brighton Avenue corner Coney Island Avenue.

The charge was made yesterday by John Smith, manager of the Woolworth store on Brighton Avenue corner Coney Island Avenue, claimed they heard Mr. Smith make that statement.

Tentative plans for meeting to force Mr. Smith to retract the alleged statement or leave Brighton Beach were being drawn up at the club.

The blither controversy raging in the neighborhood came to a climax a few days ago when eleven men, mostly students, were arrested for participating in a demonstration in front of the store.

The Bronx House Elects Officers for the Year

Mrs. Henry Morgenstern was elected honorary president of the Bronx House, Washington Avenue and 172d Street, at the annual election of the officers of the organization.

Mr. Marcus was elected president. Miss Ruth Weinberg vice-president, Mrs. Arthur K. Salomon secretary and John H. Stumm treasurer.

Upon expiration of their terms the following incumbents of the board of directors were re-elected: For 1934, Mrs. Frederick Brown, Mrs. Misha Hirsch, Mrs. Stettin, Mrs. Louis Tishman, Mrs. Harry Weinstock and L. Arnold Weisberger; for 1935, Mrs. Louise Behrens, Mrs. Louis Stumm, Mrs. Harry Weinstock and Mrs. Charles Riegelman, Mrs. Frank R. Wheeler and Mrs. Isaac Blumenthal; for 1936, Mrs. Walter Lindenbach, Richard K. Korn, Joseph L. Korman, Harry Morgenstern, Mrs. Robert Pretzfeld and Dr. Cahn.

Mrs. Marcus announced the appointment of the following committees and chairman: general activities, Mrs. Charles Riegelman; junior work, Mrs. Frank R. Wheeler; intermediate work, Mrs. Louise Tishman; dramatics and adult work, Mrs. Arnold Weisberger; education, Mrs. Stettin; physical education, Simon Hirsansky, and music, Mrs. Henry Morgenstern.

Jewish Center Executives To Meet in Atlantic City

Plans for the forthcoming national conference of Jewish Center executives in Atlantic City on May 26 to 30 are being formulated, it was announced by Louis E. Brodsky, chairman of the program committee. An attempt will be made to evaluate the positive communal aspects of the Jewish Community Centers and the Jewish life in American Jewish life, he declared.

Other members of the program committee representing every large city in the country and the Jewish Executive Board are: Brodsky, Mendel, Herman Jacobs, Moses W. Beckelman, Miriam Ephraim, Mordecai Soltes, Isidore Beirfeld, George Hyman, Aaron G. Robinson, Allan Bloom, Robina Roth, Mary Budson, Charles D. Bernheimer, E. J. London, Mrs. Hene, Mrs. Esther Jackson, Jack Nadell, William Pinck, Charles Nemes, and Mr. Rubenstein.

Officers of the organization include: Dr. M. H. Chaseman of Albany, president; Allan Bloom of Indianapolis, Ind., vice president; William P. Gindoff of Brooklyn, vice president; Miriam R. Ephraim of New York, vice president; William Pinck of Brockton, Mass., vice president; and Harry S. Albert of Paterson, N. J., secretary.

Duluth's "Durable David" In Ring Comeback Tonight

DULUTH, Minn., Feb. 1.—David Ostrov, young fighter, light heavyweight, will launch a comeback in the ring tomorrow at the Shrine auditorium here when he meets William Campbell, a powerful heavyweight of Hibbing, Minnesota, in one of the bouts on the bill.

Several years ago young Ostrov entered the local ring with a powerful left hand in both hands but his sock in his right hand especially flattened his opponents as fast as they came and he became a sensation in Northwest fight circles, earning the title of "Durable David."

He met his Waterloo in a match with Al Van Ryan of St. Paul, Minnesota, and then Ostrov retired from the ring. His training in recent weeks reveals that he still has those mighty punching chops. Only 27 years of age, Ostrov is now twenty-seven years old, fight fans predict that he will be successful in staging his comeback, and if so, this young Jewish light heavyweight will be heard soon from coast to coast.

Benny Friedman May Be Coach of C.C.N.Y. Eleven

Benny Friedman may be the next coach at City College, it was intimated at his office yesterday, following a meeting with Mr. Robinson, president of the college.

"We agreed only that it would be very hard to get a coach for the basketball team," he said. "We talked things over, discussed the difficulties involved, and may talk things over again." At his office it was said, "We'll know next week for sure."

Friedman has had a colorful career. He was All-American football coach at Yale and head coach of the Giants and Dodgers, professional players.

HIAS Conference This Sunday to Aid Exiles

The twenty-fifth annual convention of the Hebrew Immigrant Aid Society (HIAS) will be held Sunday afternoon at the Astor Hotel. The meeting has as its purpose the discussion of problems relating to the immigration of German refugees, many of whom are expected to take advantage of the recent American government order to the consular offices in Berlin asking that Jewish exiles be sent to come to the United States be offered the opportunity on liberal terms.

The convention will also treat the question of extending aid to the consequence of American recognition of Soviet Russia.

Speakers are to include Senator William H. King of Utah, Charles E. Wagner, Jr., of the State Department; Abraham Hyman, president of the society; Abraham Chasen, editor of The Jewish Daily Forward; Jack Fishman, managing director of The Jewish Morning Journal; Dr. Samuel Margoshes, editor of The Day and other Jewish and non-Jewish leaders.

Dr. Avi Cohen Is Named Seminary Campaign Head

Dr. Avi Cohen, noted Jewish scholar and social worker, was been appointed head of the campaign of the Jewish Teachers Seminary, 423 Lafayette Street, according to a statement made by P. Gindoff, general secretary of the institution.

The Jewish Teachers Seminary is now launching a campaign to gain several thousand new members. Dr. Cohen, who has been a member of the faculty for several years, is doing these activities in order to arouse the interest of the Jewish intelligentsia and the public opinion in regard to this institution of higher Jewish

American Committee Praised For Boycott Stand Against Reich

Rabbi Jonah B. Wise Leads Action of Group

"Rabbi Jonah B. Wise, president of the Association of Reform Rabbis of Great New York and vicinity, sent a letter to the American Committee on Religious Rights and Minorities commending the committee's stand on its protest against German rights and violations."

Rabbi Wise's letter follows in part: "The Association of Reform Rabbis of Greater New York and vicinity, through its Executive Committee, has instructed me to express its sincere appreciation of the protest of the American Committee on Religious Rights and Minorities against present conditions in Germany."

"It joins with you in believing that it is the duty of all right thinking men and women to voice their protest against injustice wherever it exists, even at the risk of greater hardship to those whose rights it feels called upon to protect. It feels the increased influx of immigrants both with the righteousness of democracy and the democracy of righteousness must find in your action encouragement and strength."

Nationalize Holy Land, Joseph Sprinzak Asks

Declaring that the Jews in Palestine have no right to voice their outlook, Joseph Sprinzak, Palestinian labor leader, told members of the local branch of the Pioneer Women's Organization of Palestine that the increased influx of immigrants brings with it the danger of new ideas from Europe—capitalism, Jewish Hitlerism, etc.

"The Jews are not to be met in hysterical outbursts against England, but in nationalization of land, development of agricultural technique, and retention of the spirit of the pioneers. We must regain a national consciousness."

Mr. Sprinzak was introduced by Miss Joyce Kersner, secretary of the New York City Council of the organization.

German Made Articles Listed In Newspaper

"The Economic Bulletin," official organ of the Non-Sectarian Anti-Nazi League to Champion Human Rights, devoted much of its current issue to news stories enumerating articles which have been hitherto imported from Germany and which are procurable elsewhere.

The articles, according to one report, is driving cheap German made thumb tacks from the market. Five and ten cent stores are selling better grade tacks made in Czechoslovakia, Poland, and other countries.

Fabric, leather goods, surgical instruments, industrial needles, cosmetic aids, chemicals and cosmetics were for many years almost monopolies of German goods.

France, Czechoslovakia, Italy, Belgium and England are cited as nations where these products are available. The list of goods which can be substituted for the German goods.

An editorial in the Bulletin by Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver sounds a plea for the Jews to take action against Nazism and voices a prediction that "if Hitler succeeds in permanently undermining the economic and political position of the Jews, they will have to serve as a guide and inspiration for enemies throughout the world."

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