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# **Unity Sought** As Zionists **Open Parley**

Dr. Sokolow Appeals for Peace at Initial Jerusalem Session

#### BULLETIN

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency) JERUSALEM, March 27. The Actions Committee today rejected the motion of the Revisionists to put the question of calling a round-table conference first on the agenda. At the same time the committee accepted a Revisionist motion to place on the agenda the question of the Palestine Transfer Agreement concluded with Germany.

with the serious problem of securing discipline in the Zionist Organization, the Zionist Actions Committee opened its meeting here at 10:30 o'clock this morning in the presence of several hundred leading Zionists from all over the world, including members of the Zionist Executive.

The session was opened by H. Farbstein, former member of the Zionist Executive and one of the 'leaders of the World Mizrachi Organization. The delegates were welcomed by Isaac Ben-Zvi, chairman of the Vaad Leumi, the Jewish National Council of Palestine.

Speaks for Peace A call for peace in the Zionist movement was sounded at the opening session by Dr. Nahum Sokolow, president of the World Zionist Organization, who eulogized the Zionist leaders who died since the last session of the Actions Committee which met a year

No permanent chairman of the Actions Committee to succeed the late Leo Motzkin will be elected at the present session, it was announced. Dr. Motzkin's successor will be elected at the forthcoming Zionist Congress.

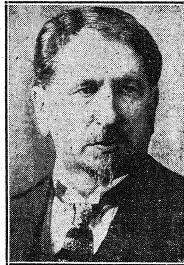
In greeting the gathering on behalf of the Vaad Leumi, Mr. Ben-Zvi emphasized that the Jewish population in Palestine now totals 400,000 and comprises 42 per cent of the entire rural population. The speaker expressed his belief that an understanding can be reached with the Arabs.

Touching upon the relations between the Jewish Community and (Continued on Page Three)

Histadruth Offers New Compact

To Revisionist Labor Group

#### Calls for Peace



DR. NAHUM SOKOLOW

# Agency Loses JERUSALEM, March 28.—Faced Sole Control of Palestine Visas

Certificates to Be Given Directly to Applicants by New Law

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency) JERUSALEM, March 28.-Important changes in the Palestine immigration laws, eliminating the Jewish Agency from sole control over Jewish immigration into Palestine, were announced today in the Palestine Official Gazette.

The changes provide that instead of granting immigration certificates for Jews through the Jewish Agency alone, henceforth these certificates can be granted directly by the government to any applicant who sends in his application to the Palestine government.

Visas to Employer

Immigration certificates will be issued by the Palestine government, under the new changes, directly to a prospective employer of immigrants or to the employe

Applications submitted for immigration certificates to the Palestine government through the Executive of the Jewish Agency will be considered and the decision of the government will be sent to the applicant through the Jewish Agency, the new regulations prosuch applications will be issued though their weapons are primi-

The regulations published in to-(Continued on Page Three)

# Greece Ends Existence of All Nazi Units

Must Disband at Once, Government Decrees: **EEE Included** 

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency) SALONICA, March 28. Greek government today ordered the disbanding of all anti-Semitic organizations, including the EEE, known as the Nazi organization

The order is to take effect immediately, according to special instructions issued by the Minister of the Interior.

The government edict puts an end to the violent anti-Jewish propaganda which has been conducted openly throughout the country by the EEE organization, subsidized from Berlin, and by the Venizelos party, which could not forgive the Jews for voting for the present regime in the last Parliamentary elections.

With the Venizelos party now liquidated, the Cabinet felt that it was its duty also to declare illegal the other anti-Semitic groups which were not associated with Venizelos, but which utilized the opposition of the Venizelos party to the present regime for their anti-Jewish activities.

In connection with the order suppressing the anti-Jewish propaganda, it was revealed today that when the government sent out a mobilization call during the recent revolts, more than 2,000 Jewish reservists and war veterans left their occupations and volunteered for the defense of the government against the Venizelos

# 11,000 Return To Reich in '34

#### Rabbi Jonah Wise Says Jews Are Determined to Fight All Odds

The Jews of Germany are determined to fight for their existence in that country against the The certificates granted on terrific odds confronting them, alalso through the Jewish Agency. | tive in the face of the "ar of their enemies, declared Rabbi Jonah B. Wise to a group of prominent New York Jews at a conference yesterday at the home of Felix M. Warburg, at which he reported his observations during a recent visit to the Reich to obtain first-hand information on the Jewish situation in Germany.

Rabbi Wise reported that 11,000 German Jewish refugees returned to Germany in 1934.

"Many of them," Rabbi Wise said, "have been arrested by the secret police and put in concentration camps to learn the new 'anschaung' of Germany.'

Many of those who have returned to Germany constitute a very serious problem, Rabbi Wise said, emphasing that the German Jews are still in great need of relief.

Mr. Warburg, recently back from a short trip to Palestine, told (Continued on Page Four)

#### Discussed Jews



SIR JOHN SIMON

# Peasant Party Strikes Blow at Vaida - Voevod

To Act Against Members Demanding Quota in Rumania

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)
BUCHAREST, March 28.—The
central committee of the Peasant Party decided today to enforce strictly party discipline against those who openly advocate the introduction of anti-Jewish restrictions in Rumania.

The decision was adopted in order to check the efforts of ex-Premier Vaida-Voevod, a deposed leader of the party, in his efforts to create a bloc against the present leadership of the National Peasant Party which opposes the incorporation of anti-Semitic provisions in the program of the

"Any member who does not submit to party discipline will be expelled from the party," the decision of the central committee warns, predicting the eventual expulsion of Vaida-Voevod from the party for his anti-Jewish agita-

#### 5,220 Jews Entered Palestine in February

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency) JERUSALEM, March 28. total of 5,220 Jewish immigrants entered Palestine in February, according to official figures made public today.

# Simon Spoke About Jews, **Eden Reveals**

Fall of Cabinet in Poland Believed a Blow to Anti-Semitism

#### BULLETIN

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency) WARSAW, March 28. — The municipality of Lodz, after a stormy session, resolved to withdraw the municipal subsidy from all Jewish institutions except the institution for deaf mutes which receives the smallest subsidy of any group.

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency) WARSAW, March 28. -

question of mistreatment of Jews in Germany was taken up by Sir John Simon in his conference with Hitler in Berlin, it was disclosed here today by Captain Anthony Eden, British envoy, on his way from Berlin to Moscow.

"The Jewish question in Germany was not taken up by Sir John Simon as a special question, but it was touched upon occasionally." Captain Eden stated to press representatives here.

Slawek to Head Cabinet

Jewish leaders here today followed with great interest news of the fall of the present Polish Cabinet. Though dissatisfied with the new Polish constitution which will deprive the Jewish population of representation in the Polish Parliament, Jewish leaders felt more at ease today as to the plan of Marshal Pilsudski to entrust the cabinet in the hands of Col. Walery Slawek, Pilsudski's right hand

The hope was expressed in Jewish circles here today that with the formation of a new cabinet by Col. Slawek, stricter measures will taken by the government against the anti-Semitic National Democratic Party which is opposed to Marshal Pilsudski.

Col. Slawek, who will probably be the premier of the new Cabinet, is known for his fair attitude toward the Jews. He was one of the leaders of the Polish Socialist Party and is Pilsudski's intimate and most trusted friend.

The anti-Semitic National Democratic Party will have to give up its Jew-baiting propaganda under the tightened Pilsudski regime, it foder in circles.

In Lodz, however, where the

# First Prayer in 500 Years To Be Said in Cordoba Temple

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

CORDOBA, Spain, March 28 .-The fourth day of the Maimonides celebrations in Spaln was marked today by events emphasizing the contribution of the Jewish philosopher and physician of the twelfth century to medicine.

A comparison was drawn between the medical achievements of today and the medical contributions made by Maimonides nearly 800 years ago in an address delivered by Prof. Jose Goyanes of the University of Madrid be-

fore a scientific assembly. The Spanish professor pointed out that much of the medical advice given by Maimonides is still recommended by the medical profession of today.

For the first time in five centuries, a Jewish prayer will be recited tomorrow in the ancient synagogue of Cordoba on the occasion of the Maimonides celebration. No such prayer has been heard within the walls of the

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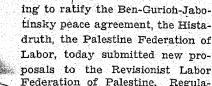












tinsky peace agreement, the Histadruth, the Palestine Federation of Labor, today submitted new proposals to the Revisionist Labor tion of the right to work and arbitration for every labor group

The new text was submitted by the Histadruth after the Revision-

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency) JERUSALEM, March 28.—Fail-|proclamation that it "will continue to stand by the basis of the agreement which the Histadruth referendum rejected last Sunday and will endeavor to preclude new clashes."

Answering this proclamation, Federation of Palestine. Regula- the Histadruth, in a letter accompanying the new agreement, said that the Histadruth is ready for in Palestine are features of the proposed new agreement.

a new pact "under certain principles." The letter invites the Revisionist Labor Federation to empower representatives to clarify ist Labor Federation issued a the points of the new agreement.

# The Daily News Letter

Lectures on Rambam in Spain

By a J. T. A. STAFF CORRESPONDENT:

MADRID.

Metropolitan as well as provincial papers are now giving a good deal of attention and space to the lectures being sponsored throughout Spain by official and private organizations in connection with the Maimonides festivals.

One of the lectures which attracted a large and distinguished audience was that given by Dr. Jose Chapiro under the auspices of the Madrid Medical Association, at one of the great halls of the

university. Among those on the rostrum were the Minister of had blended harmoniously the Egypt, and high military and civil, Greek, Mohammedan and Chrisofficials, including Don Ignacio Bauer, a member of the press department of the Ministry of Interior.

In his lecture Dr. Chapiro pointed out the greatness of Maimonides in such diversified fields of learning as medicine, astronomy and philosophy. His influence had done much to further the sciences. His wanderings must have been a torture to him, who was inclined to peace and contemplation.

These wanderings which started in his thirteenth year, when he left his birthplace at Cordoba in order to evade his compulsory conversion to Mohammedanism, came to an end at last when he settled near Cairo, at Fostat. Here he acted as medical adviser to the Sultan Saladin, at the same time occupying the position of president of the Jewish community and, by his teachings and mode of living becoming one of the greatest men who ever lived in Egypt. Even the English King, Richard the Lionhearted, who had heard of the fame of Maimonides came to Fostat, which in the meantime had become a center of learning, and invited him to come with him to England as his medical adviser. But Maimonides declined. When on December 13, 1204, the great philosopher died, the entire population of Fostat observed mourning for three days and the Jews of Jerusalem observed a day of fasting.

After outlining the life of Maimonides, Dr. Chapiro dealt with his works, which found their highest expression in the "Guide to the Perplexed." In the opinion of Dr. Chapiro, neither his metaphysic nor his admirable moral teachings gained immortality for the writings of Maimonides. The Rambam's views on international relations and international law, to which even today a body such as the League of Nations could add nothing new, have earned for the Jewish sage the right to enduring fame, Dr. Chapiro declared.

In his moral works, Maimonides

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tian philosophies, applicable to the whole of humanity. According to Maimonides, morality is a science that must be studied, a science that regards good deeds as obligatory and not to be allowed to remain undone. A man who only acts when driven by his instincts will never hear the voice of conscience. Morality, the Rambam maintained, is the science of heart which permits us to discover in ourselves what is bad in order to find a remedy in the science of ethics.

In concluding his lecture, Dr. Chapiro showed how the influence of Maimonides could be traced through the centuries even in the works of St. Thomas of Aquino, upon whom the "Guide to the Perplexed" had made a deep impres-

A further lecture was held at the Ateneo, the famous Madrid association of scholars. Here Alfredo Lagunilla Inerritu spoke about Maimonides as philosopher. According to him, the philosophy of Maimonides had its roots in the schools of Baghdad and Cordoba which created an Arabic-Hebrew and Catholic scholasticism. This speaker also, as did Dr. Chapiro, linked Maimonides to the Greek philosophy, but he went even further and showed the traits of the philosophy of India, which had contributed in rounding out the pic-

## Bulletin Calendar Of Events

Friday, March 29 Young Women's Hebrew Association, 31 West 110th street, 8:30 p. m. "The Basis of World Peace," Dr. Elias Solomon.

Jewish Community House of Benson-hurst, Bay parkway and Seventy-ninth street, 8:30 p. m. "Maimonides," Dr. George J. Bacarat.

Temple Ansche Chesed, 100th street and West End avenue, 8:15 p. m. "Jewish Fraternalism," Henry Abelson.

Labor Temple, Fourteenth street and Second avenue, 8:15 p. m. "Historic Sig-nificance of Maimonides" Philosophy," Harry Waton. Under the auspices of Harry Waton. Under the Spinoza Institute of America.

Temple Israel, 210 West Ninety-first street, 8:15 p. m. "Honest Men In and Out of the Church," Hon. Ferdinand S. Pecora. Sponsored by the Men's Club of Temple Israel.

Young Men's Hebrew Association, Nine-y-second street and Lexington avenue, Maimonides," Rabbi Henry M. Rosenthal.

Tifereth Mizrachi Hatzair, 511 Bedford avenue, Brooklyn, evening. Reception in honor of Aaron Klausner. Address by Isidore Epstein.

Jamaica Jewish Center, Jamaica, L. I., 8:15 p. m. "Ideals and Realities in Mod-ern Palestine," Rabbi William Malev.

Young Israel of Bronx Gardens, 1205 Ward avenue, evening. Address by Rabbi Jacob Katz.

Union Temple, 17 Eastern parkway, Brooklyn, 8:00 p. m. "Maimonides: An 800th Birthday Celebration," Dr. Sidney Tedesche.

Emanu-El Brotherhood, 309 East Sixth street, 8:30 p. m. "800th Anniversary of Maimonides--Kambam," Rev. Dr. Gustave A. Hausman.

Young Israel of Manhattan, Mogen Abraham Synagogue, 67 Attorney street, evening. "Rambam," Rabbi Sidney H.

evening. Hoenig. Congregation Shaari Zedek, Kingston avenue and Park place, Brooklyn, 8:15 p. m. "The Octocentennial of the Birth of Maimonides," Rabbi Harry Weiss.

## Between the Lines

By B. SMOLAR -

Jewish Position Lost

The system which the Palestinian government has introduced in issuing certificates directly to applicants is a direct slap in the face to the Jewish Agency. It abolishes the monopoly of the Jewish Agency as the only recipient of immigration certificates for Jews.

Though the new provisions published by the Palestine government state that the Jewish Agency will continue to get immigration certificates under the so-called labor schedule, this statement makes it clear, however, that in the future visas for labor hands will be issued by the government directly either to the employed requiring such labor or to the laborer who is to be employed.

#### What Price Favoritism?

This innovation is no doubt due to the disagreements which have arisen recently between the Association of Jewish Farmers and the Executive of the Jewish Agency. More than once has the Executive been accused by the farmers, as well by industrialists in Palestine, of utilizing the immigration certificates for party purposes and the resulting importation of immigrants not at all fit for the industrial and agricultural requirements of the Yishub.

This accusation has never been looked into properly by the non-Zionist part of the Jewish Agency which is as responsible for the distribution of certificates as the Zionist section. The distribution of the immigration certificates was left to the so-"Palestine Amts," in which the non-Zionists are not represented at all, and which are composed of representatives of Zionist groups only.

#### A Lesson for Non-Zionists

The rebuke to the Jewish Agency by the Palestine government in taking away from it the monopoly on Jewish immigration is, therefore, something which will give the non-Zionists in the Agency food for thought. Their prestige, as the prestige of the Zionists, is equally affected by the mistrust which the Palestine government has just exhibited in removing the Jewish Agency from control of Jewish immigration into Palestine.

Partners in receiving the immigration certificates from the government, the non-Zionists should understand that it is high time for them also to be partners in the distribution of these certificates. The present system of distribution eliminates them from any voice in the matter. They will still be responsible to the Palestine government for the immigration certificates, but they will not even be consulted as to how their distribution is to be conducted.

#### A Serious Blow

There is no doubt that if the non-Zionists wielded the influence to which they were entitled in the distribution of the immigration certificates, the Palestine government would not have acted as abruptly as it did. The complaints against the system of distribution of these certificates would not have reached such proportions. There would have been no accusations that the Executive of the Jewish Agency was favoring a certain type of immigrant simply because this type strengthened the position of a definite political group in Palestine.

The change which the Palestine government has just instituted in the system of issuing immigration certificates is a very serious act. Politically it means

# World Press Digest

#### Hebrew U. Work **Highly Praised**

The New York American carried the following editorial on the tenth anniversary of the Hebrew University in Palestine:

Each successive year of the decade has brought some notable addition to what is becoming one of the world's remarkable foundations of higher learning—in 1926 the beginning of the Einstein Institutes of Mathematics and of Physics, in 1928 establishment of the Faculty of Humanities, and so on. In 1933 the first group of exiled German professors was added to the faculty.

Last year the cornerstone of the University Hospital was laid, the first step toward a Medical

As a symbol of the Jewish tradition of the advancement of Palestine as a national home and of the future of the University as a contributing institution in the progress of civilization, this anniversary is notable.

Fittingly, leaders in science and education throughout the world are joining in the observance. It is especially appropriate that American participation should be made notable as well as helpful.

#### The Algiers Probe By M. Regnier

The London Times prints the following editorial on the trip of investigation made by M. Regnier, the French Minister of the Interior, to Algeria:

The attacks on the Jews of Constantine and Ain Beida last August have been followed by a series of disturbances. Riots at Ain Setif, when a police barrack was at Sidi-bel-Abbas, Mostaganem, and Algiers have alarmed the French government, and explain M. Regnier's investigation. His visit has indeed been criticized by some French politicians on the ground "of its psychological effect on the Mos-

that the Jewish Agency, as the Jewish representative body, is no longer trusted by the Palestine government, Practically, it means that the strength of the present Executive of the Jewish Agency will be weakened, since the activities of the Executive have been concentrated principally on the task of obtaining the immigration certificates and distributing them.

#### A Warning Ignored

Now that each farmer, each industrialist, each individual Jew in Palestine can apply for an immigration certificate and bring over whomever he wishes, much wind will be taken out of the sails of the Executive of the Jewish Agency. The next labor schedule granted by the Palestine government will certainly not be as large as the last. All the immigration visas issued upon individual applications will be removed by the government from this schedule.

That such a development is possible was known by the members of the Executive of the Jewish Agency long in advance. They were warned about it more than once by Mr. Smiliansky, head of the Farmers Association. They were warned about it by leading Jewish industrialists. It seems, however, that these warnings were not taken seriously. Now the non-Zionists are paying for something on which they were never given a chance to act. The responsibility of the Executive's losing the sole control over Jewish immigration to Palestine rests equally on the shoulders of the non-Zionists as upon the Zionists.

lem population"-in plain English "because it will put ideas into the natives' heads." M. Regnier however is clearly not afraid of "ideas."

#### The Bird Collection Of Lord Rothschild

The London Daily Express, comments as follows on Lord Rothschild's famous collection of birds:

Sadly must Lord Rothschild have seen that his collection of 280,000 birds was being rehoused in New York. Son, grandson, nephew of millionaires, he was never excessively rich himself. Zoology and ornithology appealed to him more than finance.

The bird-collection was chief treasure of his house at Tring. He sold it in 1932.

Burly, bearded, deaf, a bachelor, Lord Rothschild has taken little part in public life, and then only from a sense of duty to help his fellow Jews.

#### Tel Aviv Reception For WIZO Delegates

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency) TEL AVIV, March 28 .- A reception was given today by the Tel Aviv municipality to the several hundred delegates attending the convention of the WIZO, the Women's International Zionist Organization. The convention, which ended today, was the first world parley ever held in Palestine.



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# By Jabotinsky Rabbi Berlin Supports

#### Rabbi Cautioned Against 'Careless Use' of Term 'Fascist'

(Special to the J.D.B.)

CHICAGO, March 28 .- A sharply worded attack on Rabbi Stephen S. Wise was made here last night by Vladimir Jabotinsky, Revisionist leader, addressing a large audience in Chicago Orchestra

Taking exception to the recent attack made by Rabbi Wise on the Revisionist movement, Jabotinsky charged that Rabbi Wise has never made a study of the Revisionist program and based his allegations only on a superficial knowledge.

#### Meites Speaks

The meeting was opened by H. L. Meites, editor and publisher of an Anglo-Jewish weekly in Chicago. Mr. Meites, in his opening speech, told of the severe opposition which he encountered from various opposing groups in preparing the meeting. Charles P. Schwartz presided.

Mr. Jabotinsky started with an objection to Rabbi Wise's characterizing the Revisionists as "Fascists." He declared that the use of this term is an extremely seri-

ous matter.

"That is not a term of derogation," Mr. Jabotinsky said, "but a name of a political belief of a power that is still friendly to the Jews. If such careless use is made of this term in a fight among the Jews, we face the danger of enrolling a new power among the ranks of our enemies, a power we need and need badly."

"Rabbi Wise says that we are against social justice," Mr. Jabotinsky continued. "I cannot understand his misuse of the word 'justice.' All one has to do is to pick up a dictionary and look up the meaning of this word. We object to the whole class war ideology and psychology and we do not want it in Palestine."

Replying to Rabbi Wise's assertion that the Revisionists advocate militarism, Mr. Jabotinsky said, "All one has to do is to get someone who can read and understand Hebrew and read our party program printed in Hebrew. He will then see how ridiculous it is to charge us with militarism. All we

advocate is merely the protection of Jews in Palestine, since the British army in Palestine is not large enough to insure Jewish life and limb. We do not want a Jewish army. What we are doing is to prepare ourselves to have our own protection in case of necessity,"

Jabotinsky explained.

### Sees Yeshiva Vital To American Jews

The importance of the Yeshiva College to American Jewry was emphasized by Dr. Bernard Revel, founder and president of the college, last night in a broadcast over radio station WJZ.

"For two generations," Dr. Revel said, "Yeshiva College has been a source of sustaining strength in our striving for spiritual survival in this land."

#### Mrs. Goldman to Head Women's Committee

Mrs. Maurice L. Goldman of New York has been named chairman of the executive committee of the National Council of Jewish Women, it was announced yesterday by Mrs. Arthur Brin of Minneapolis, president of the organi-

# Wise Attacked Sokolow Opens Zionist Parley In Chicago Talk With Appeal for United Ranks

## Demand for Conference of All Parties

(Continued from Page One) the Palestine government, Mr. Ben-Zvi declared that the government is not fulfilling its obligation toward the Yeshub as far as subsidizing Jewish institutions is concerned.

"Our social requirements have heavily increased," the speaker said. "The Yeshub is eagerly contributing toward them, but this is not enough, because the government is not carrying out its obligations toward the Jewish population in proportion with the growth of its needs."

#### Prof. Brodetsky Reports

Addressing the session of the Actions Committee, Prof. Selig Brodetsky, member of the Zionist Executive, reported that the special committee set up by the Zionist organization for studying the political problems of the movement is in complete agreement with the program and method of the Zionist Executive. The fundamental political issue is Palestine immigration difficulties, Prof. Brodetsky stated.

Prof. Brodetsky warned that the question of establishing a legislative council in Palestine has been postponed but has not disappeared.

Referring to the petition which the Revisionists sent to the Mandate Commission in Geneva, Prof. Brodetsky demanded once and for all strict discipline in the Zionist organization "in order to prevent the dangerous activities in which one section of the Zionist organization is engaged."

#### Opinion Divided On Round-Table Parley

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

JERUSALEM, March 28. division of opinion was seen today in Palestine with regard to the ultimatum made by Vladimir Jabotinsky, Revisionist leader, who demanded that the Actions Committee, now in session here, call a round-table conference of representatives of all Zionist groups as the only means left of bringing unity into Zionist ranks.

While Rabbi Meier Berlin, leader of the Mizrachi, favored convocation of such a conference, the Davar, official Laborite organ, stated that the Laborites will definitely reject any such proposal. General Zionist View

The General Zionist leaders took the attitude today that the question of convoking a round-table conference can be recommended to the Zionist Executive for decision, but that it may not be decided upon by the Actions Committee. Dr. Schwartzbard, president of the World Organization of General Zionists, predicted that the change in the text of the Shekel, which will eliminate Revisionists from participating in the next World Zionist Congress, will be approved by a small majority of the Actions Committee.

In a statement to the Jewish Telegraphic Agency, Rabbi Berlin expressed his dissatisfaction with the fact that the Shekel question has been put on the agenda of the Actions Committee session.

"I cannot understand why this question is to be brought up at the session, unless it is intended to irritate the delegates and to occupy their minds with futilities instead of concentrating on vital necessities," Rabbi Berlin said. "Actually the question of discipline within the Zionist Organization is an old law of the Zionist Congress, but relatively few of the decisions of the Congress have not been carried out by the Zionist Executive," he added.

Rabbi Berlin warned against a split in the Zionist ranks. "Woe, unquestioned acceptance only in if the days of the last Zionist France and Austria.



RABBI MEIR BERLIN

Congress in Praha return," he exclaimed.

Touching upon the proposal of convoking a round-table conference, Rabbi Berlin said that "good results from such a conference can be expected only from a joint meeting of all groups, but the Zionist Executive prefers to separate the peace negotiations. Therefore, they are bound to remain without any results."

The Davar, in rejecting the proposal for a round-table conference says editorially that the Zionist Organization and the Actions Committee will not yield to Jabotinsky's ultimatum and will not take a step which would mean suicide for the Jewish State.

"All Zionists must appreciate our persistence for full discipline in the Zionist Party, and this will be the main point of discussion at the Actions Committee," the Davar

## To Voice Prayer In Cordoba Temple

(Continued from Page One) synagogue since the Jews were expelled from Spain nearly 500 years ago.

Grand Rabbi Julien Weil of France has been selected to recite the prayer in tribute to France for having unreservedly accorded shelter to Jewish fugi-

High government officials will participate in the unique services to be held in the ancient synagogue of Cordoba, which is now a national Spanish monument.

The entire afternoon today passed in literary festivals and in excursions arranged by the municipality for the foreign guests. Judaeo--Spanish poetry was recited in the evening at a commemorative concert given in the Conservatory of Music.

A lecture on Maimonides' conception of the Aristotleian philosophy was the feature of yesterday's program. The lecture was delivered by Prof. Jose Gaos of Madri an assembly of scientists and philosophers.

#### Rachel Axelrod, Actress, Is Dead in Rumania

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency) BUCHAREST, March 28. Rachel Axelrod, the Jewish actress who recently donated a house in Czernowitz for aged Jewish actors in memory of her husband, died in Czernowitz today at the age of 70.

Mrs. Axelrod was born in Jassy, Rumania. Her husband, Abraham, was a prominent Jewish actor.

The rabbinical prohibition against bigamy dates from the early eleventh century, but found

# EWS

Professional social workers and lay leaders in Jewish welfare work will meet here on April 27 and 28 for the annual Upstate New York Regional Conference of Jewish Social Agencies, sponsored by the National Council of Jewish Federations and Welfare

#### Columbus, Ohio

The local section of the National Council of Jewish Women has volun-teered to care for a German refugee family in this city.

#### Dallas, Texas

The Congregation Shearith Israel will celebrate its golden jubilee April 5 to 8 inclusive.

#### New Haven, Conn.

Rabbi B. Leon Hurwitz of Brooklyn will be the guest preacher tonight at the Congregation B'nai Jacob here. He will speak on "Judaism and Con-temporary Civilization."

#### Lancaster, Pa.

A \$25 scholarship fund has been established by the local branch of the National Council of Jewish Women to be used in retraining German Jewish social service workers in this country.

#### Philadelphia

About 100 new members will be installed at the twenty-fifth anniver-sary dinner of the Moses Hess camp of the Order Sons of Zion, to be held here April 7.

#### Pittsburgh, Pa.

The \$60,000 membership and maintenance campaign of the Young Men and Women's Hebrew Association here has been oversubscribed, it was announced by Harry J. Applestein, president.

New York City Rabbi Harry J. Stern of Montreal yesterday addressed the students of the Jewish Institute of Religion after which he was the guest of Rabbi Stephen S. Wise at a luncheon given

## **Agency Loses** Control of Visas

(Continued from Page One) day's Official Gazette state that the Jewish Agency will continue to receive immigration certificates under the Labor Schedule. It is, however, believed that the government will remove from the Labor Schedule all the certificates which it grants directly to Jewish em-

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The new regulations provide opportunity for Jewish farmers and industrialists to bring over to Palestine Jewish workers who are qualified for the work now required in Palestine.

Negotiations have been going on between the government and leading Jewish industrialists and farmers in Palestine, who want special certificates granted to them so that they may choose laborers from European countries fit for work on the soil and qualified for the new industrial enterprises now being developed in the country.

The farmers and industrialists, in these negotiations with the government, have complained that Jewish immigrants now entering Palestine under the Labor Schedule granted to the Jewish Agency remain in the cities and do not choose to work on the land or in any industry where the wages are not as high as those offered in the

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# Prisoners Halt Hunger Strike In Jerusalem

To Be Released on Bail; 4 Czech Jews Given 1-Month Terms

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency) JERUSALEM, March 28.-All Jewish prisoners who went on a hunger strike in the Jerusalem jail last Sunday ended their protest Simon Discussed today, with the exception of two. Detained on the charge of illegal entry into the country, they will be released on bail.

Four Jews, who were detained as illegal entrants, were sentenced today by Judge Corrie, the British magistrate, to one month's imprisonment each. Among those sentenced are two women. All will be deported after their sentence is served.

"The Jewish position in Czechoslovakia is not like that in Germany," the Judge said, in issuing his sentence. All four are Czechoslovakian citizens.

Nine other Jews from Syria, Egypt and Turkey were given the same sentence by Judge Corrie.

#### Rabbi Israel to Speak At Anti-Fascist Rally

Rabbi Edward L. Israel of Baltimore, chairman of the social justice committee of the Central Conference of American Rabbis, will be among the speakers at the Madison Square Garden meeting Wednesday evening, April 3, jointly sponsored by the American

#### Arab Sheikhs Swear Not to Sell to Jews

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency) JERUSALEM, March 28. - A conference of several hundred Arab sheikhs from Palestine villages took an oath today to refrain from selling land to Jews.

The conference was addressed by the Mufti who was the principal organization of the gathering. The sheikhs have also sworn to take measures against any Arab who continues to sell land to Jews.

# Jews, Eden Says

(Continued from Page One) National Democrats are forming a majority of the municipality, a new bitter attack was made upon the Jewish population by the local party leader, I. Kowalski.

"The Jews ought to thank God that we are not starting any pogroms against them," the anti-Semitic speaker said, addressing the municipal council. "We will however, herd them into a special Jewish ghetto."

The session of the municipal council was very stormy in view of the fact that the National Democratic faction again made an effort to have the municipal council cancel subventions for Jewish organization, despite the fact that such an effort was blocked by the Government Commissioner only the other day.

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## Revisionists to Hold | Left \$50,000 for Use Conference Here

Second National Parley Slated for April 6, 7, 8; Jabotinsky Opening Speaker

The second national conference of the Zionist-Revisionist Organization of America will be held here April 6, 7 and 8, it was announced yesterday by Elias Ginsburg, chairman.

Delegates to the conference have already been elected in the leading cities of the United States and Canada, including New York, Chicago, Philadelphia, Boston, Detroit, St. Louis, Montreal and Ottawa. Vladimir Jabotinsky will address the opening session on the "Situation in Zionism."

In conjunction with the Revisionist conference, the Brith Trumpeldor of America will hold its own convention on Monday, April 8.

#### Guild for Jewish Blind To Erect New Buildings

New buildings will soon be erected by the New York Guild for the Jewish Blind in Yonkers, it was announced yesterday.

At a regular meeting of the Guild, held at its headquarters, 200 West Seventy-second street, and presided over by Leonard M. Wallstein, president, the directors approved the project as submitted by the building committee, of which Mark Rafalsky is chairman. Mr. Rafalsky is assisted on the building committee by Millard Shroder, Everett Jacobs, Mrs. R. L. Zeimer, Frank J. C. Weinberg and S. H. Scheuer.

# In Palestine Work

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

RIGA, March 28.—The sum of \$50,000 for work in Palestine was bequeathed by M. S. Muschkat, a Latvian Jewish leader, it was disclosed today when his will was read.

Mr. Muschkat was a member of the Jewish Agency and was known as one of the greatest Jewish philanthropists in Eastern Europe.

### 11,000 Returned To Reich in 1934

(Continued from Page One) the conference that he had several conversations with High Commissioner Wauchope and found him a great admirer of the work done by the Jews. Mr. Warburg welcomed the announcement by the Canadian government that Palestine oranges are to be admitted to the Dominion free of duty.

"The industrial development of Palestine is excellent," he said. "Every cent we have spent there has been put to excellent use. I have never seen so much progress in any other country in such a short span of years."

The conference decided to take steps towards organizing a drive in New York City for the benefit of the United Jewish Appeal which is seeking \$3,250,000 nationally this year for the relief of the Jews of Germany and other European countries, including Poland and for the settlement of Jews in Palestine.

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# Sees Promise In Bureya for-Colonization

Louis Fischer Declares Soviet Area Is Rich in Resources

The possibilities of settling Jews in Biro-Bidjan were discussed last night by Louis Fischer, American authority on Soviet Russia, in a lecture at the New School for Social Research on the subject, "Reconstruction of Jewish Life in the U.S.S.R."

"Biro-Bidjan," Mr. Fischer said, "is a most promising development for the colonization of Jews. I say this because I know the country. It is fertile and rich in natural resources. In addition, the Soviet government is willing to go a lon way toward assisting the building up of this territory as an autonomous Jewish Republic.

"I do not advocate immigration to Biro-Bidjan from the United States or Great Britain, but I believe that this territory will be a real haven for the Polish and Lithuanian Jews.'

Mr. Fischer voiced the opinion that the Jews need not fear a war between Soviet Russia and Japan. Even if such a war breaks out, it will not affect Biro-Bidjan, he stated. On the other hand, warned against a possible war between Poland and Soviet Russia in which the lives and welfare of millions of Jews will be involved.

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