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Nazis Direct New Drive On Children

Led by Streicher, They Demand Ouster From Schools

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BERLIN, April 22.—A campaign against Jewish children was started here today by the Nazi press in connection with the new school term starting after the Easter holiday.

The campaign is led by Julius Streicher, who objects to Jewish and German children still sitting on the same benches in the elementary schools. This, he says, inevitably leads to some comradeship.

"The Jews are still too much at home in the schools," the Frankische Tageszeitung, one of the papers published by Streicher, writes. "Tolerant treatment of the Jews and a common school for Jews and Christians will not do."

The Way to Peace

The Nazi District Commissioner, Dr. Jaeger, addressing a mass meeting in Berlin today, declared that "peace will not be reached through air pacts, or eastern pacts, but only through the annihilation of Jews." The only thing for Germany to do, is to fight the Jews and destroy them, he urged.

The headquarters of the Mac-cabi organization in Germany today issued a denial of the report in the Nazi press that the Mac-cabi has prohibited its members from participating in the Olympiad which is to take place next year in Berlin.

Saar Temple Wrecked

The Deutsche Nachrichten Bureau, the official government news agency, reports that four youths of St. Wendel in the Saar broke into a synagogue there and wrecked its interior. They were arrested and summarily tried before a court.

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Chalutzim Fear Return to Reich

Scouting Arrest, They Wait Palestine Visas in Copenhagen

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)
COPENHAGEN, April 22.—A group of German youths who were trained here as Chalutzim, to work on the soil in Palestine, and who were scheduled to return this week to Germany to bid farewell to their families before proceeding to Palestine, today cancelled their plans, fearing that they might be taken to concentration camps as soon as they reached Germany.

The entire group has elected to remain here to wait for their immigration certificates which they are to receive from Palestine.

The certificates normally are sent to Germany, but under the present circumstances, it is believed that the Palestine Immigration Office will agree to send them directly here in order to spare the youths possible arrest on their return to Germany to receive the certificates.

Statue of Law Giver Presented to Praha

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)
PRAHA, April 22.—A statue of Moses was presented today by the Minister of Education as a gift to the municipality of Praha.

At a joint session today of the Municipal Council with representatives of the Ministry of Education, it was decided that the statue is to stand in Pariser Strasse, facing the Altneu Synagogue. The sculpture was made by F. Bilek, a well-known sculptor.

Turkey Forbids Clerical Garb In Public Places

New Law Applying to All Religions Goes Into Effect in June

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)
ISTANBUL, April 22.—A new law, which prohibits Jewish, Christian and Moslem clergy from wearing clerical dress beyond the threshold of their places of worship, was passed here, and will go into effect next June.

The ban will affect even tourist clerics who pass through Turkey. Rabbis travelling to Palestine will be unable to land on Turkish territory unless they put on lay dress. Otherwise they will be obliged to remain on board while other passengers visit Constantinople.

The sight of a person wearing clerical dress in Turkey will cause him to be held by the police for inquiry, according to the new law. The only exception is to be one resident cleric for each religion, the cleric in question being selected by the government and especially authorized to wear clerical dress outside his shrine. The Jewish and Greek Catholic clergy coming under this category will have to wear frock coats and bowler hats.

Under the new law, open air burials will no longer be carried out by clerics wearing religious dress, since the latter is to be confined entirely to use within closed shrines.

The primary object of this law (Continued on Page Four)

No Matzoh for Me, Thank You, Soviet Ex-Cantor Tells Kin Here

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)
MOSCOW, April 22.—Samuel Rybak, a collective farmer in the new Zlatopol Jewish rural region, who used to be a cantor in the small town from which he came, has written to the Yiddish Communist daily Emes, enclosing a copy of a letter he has forwarded to his brother in America, returning a packet of matzoh which he sent him for Passover.

"My brother in America, without my knowledge and without my consent, has sent me a packet of matzoh for Passover," he writes. "I have been working all this year on the farm, and though I am over sixty, I have worked 250 working days and am provided with bread for the whole year. I do not want any matzoh, so I am sending them

Try to Tie B'nai B'rith To Protocols

Nazi 'Experts' to Charge Order, Not Zionists, Framed 'Plot'

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)
BERNE, April 22.—A definite effort to involve the B'nai B'rith in the trial on the "Protocols of the Elders of Zion" which is scheduled to resume here April 29, will be made by Nazi "experts" in court, it was learned here today.

The Nazi "experts," who have hitherto claimed that the "Protocols" are records of the first Zionist Congress in Basle, will declare in court that they had made a mistake. They will contend that the alleged "Protocols" were not laid down at the first Zionist Congress but "at a simultaneous Freemason Congress of the Jewish B'nai B'rith Order."

Fleischhauer Testimony

This will be the "expert" opinion, to be submitted to the court by Lieut.-Col. Fleischhauer on behalf of the Swiss Nazis, against whom the Federation of Jewish Communities in Switzerland has brought libel charges for spreading the "Protocols" in Switzerland.

Herr Fleischhauer's "expert opinion" to the court is still unpublished, but its contents were given in the Westdeutscher Beobachter, the leading Nazi paper of Cologne. Herr Fleischhauer is the chief Nazi "expert" for the defense.

"Secret" Unearthed in Poland

The Westdeutscher Beobachter, in publishing in advance a summary of Fleischhauer's testimony, says that a special investigation conducted by the Nazis in Poland "revealed the secret" that at all Zionist Congresses, dual Congresses are held.

"It was discovered that a B'nai B'rith Congress was also held in 1897," the paper writes, "and it was at this Congress that the 'Protocols' were decided upon. Thus, the assertion by Jewish witnesses before the Berne court was true insofar as the 'Protocols' were not discussed at the Basle Congress. However, in true hair-splitting style, they were silent about the second parallel Congress."

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)
back to America. There are plenty of unemployed and starving there who need bread. Those people in America who are so concerned about the Jews in Soviet Russia would do better to help the Jews who are unemployed in America. I am a collective farmer of the Socialist Soviet Union, and I do not need any religious matzoh. Religion is only poison for the workers."

The collective farmers of the Jewish collective farm at Origen, in the district of Vinice, told the Emes that they have received \$2 per family as Passover relief from the Rabbinical Relief Committee in America, but they have not sent the money back. Instead of

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Revisionists to Hold Their Own Congress

British 'Rail Queen' Ends Palestine Tour

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)
TEL AVIV, April 22.—Miss Ruby Dorey, the "Railway Queen of England," whom the railway workers of Great Britain sent to Palestine "as a gesture of good will towards the Jews who are at this time the subject of so much persecution," left for home today after spending several weeks in this country.

Miss Dorey was officially received by Tel Aviv and was presented by the acting mayor with a pin in the shape of the Tel Aviv emblem as a token of the city's regard.

Vaida-Voevod Pushes Plans For New Party

Anti-Semitic Political Unit May Be Formed at May 5 Parley

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)
BUCHAREST, April 22.—Whether Dr. Vaida-Voevod, the ex-premier of Rumania, known for his anti-Jewish activities, will or will not establish a political party of his own to carry out his anti-Jewish program, is intriguing Jewish leaders here following an announcement today that such a party may be established within the next two weeks.

The announcement states that Dr. Vaida-Voevod has called a national conference of his followers for May 5. This conference, it is anticipated, will proclaim the new party.

Reticent on Plans

Dr. Vaida-Voevod himself was rather reticent today when asked about his plans. He refused to confirm or deny the report that he will establish a special party for the purpose of carrying out his long cherished wishes to eliminate Jews from professions and from the school system.

Meanwhile, it became known today that the supporters of Dr. Vaida-Voevod are holding quiet conferences throughout the country seeking to enlist local leaders and politicians to aid in formation of the new party.

The Jewish population in Kishinev, Bessarabia, is especially concerned in view of the fact that severe anti-Jewish propaganda is now being conducted in this city where one of the worst pogroms in history took place under the Czarist regime. This propaganda is stimulated by speeches delivered by Dr. Vaida-Voevod from Transylvania and by his followers in Bessarabia.

No Paper 2 Days

The Jewish Daily Bulletin will not be published tomorrow and Thursday, the last two days of Passover. The next edition will appear on Friday, April 26.

Plebiscite May 19 to Approve Creation of New Party

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)
PARIS, April 22.—A complete break with the World Zionist Organization was decided upon today at a session of the World Revisionist Executive, which resolved to initiate a movement for a separate Congress, with a separate Shekel, and to create an independent Zionist organization.

Presided over by Vladimir Jabotinsky, today's session adopted the following resolutions:

1. Members of the Revisionist Party or affiliated bodies are forbidden to participate in the next Zionist Congress elections, whether actively or passively.

2. Since the World Zionist Organization has replaced the Shekel of Dr. Theodore Herzl with a party ticket, members of the Revisionist Organization are forbidden to buy the Shekel, thus signifying their withdrawal from the Zionist Organization.

3. Members who defy the above resolutions will be automatically expelled from the Revisionist ranks.

4. All Revisionists are to withdraw from membership in the Zionist Actions Committee.

5. The World Revisionist Executive has notified the Executive of the Zionist Organization that since the Revisionists, as the second greatest Zionist faction, are leaving the Zionist Organization, the latter loses its right to speak as a representative of the entire Zionist movement.

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)
PARIS, April 22.—A plebiscite among all members of the Revisionist (Continued on Page Four)

Jail 5 Russians As Anti-Semites

Leader Gets 3 Years; 800 to Quit Ukraine for Biro-Bidjan

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)
MOSCOW, April 22.—Five workmen at the government shipyards in Petrokov were sentenced today to varying terms in prison for anti-Semitism and for insulting their Jewish fellow-workers.

The leader of the group was sentenced to a three-year term. The others received milder sentences.

The government today decided to erect in Biro-Bidjan a mining metallurgical institute, the building of which should be completed not later than 1937. The institute will also include living quarters for the students.

Eight hundred Jews in the district of Vinnitza, in the Ukraine, registered this week for emigration to Biro-Bidjan during the next three months. Seventy-five Jewish families in the same district have registered to go to the Jewish collective farms in Crimea.

The Daily News Letter

Moslems Welcome Jews to Syria

By a J. T. A. CORRESPONDENT

BEIRUT, SYRIA.

The Syrian population is keenly interested in the opening of this country to Jewish settlement. It is a favorite topic of conversation in high and low quarters of the land.

The Moslem population in Syria is highly pleased with the fact that the government has finally decided to permit a Jewish company to obtain the concession of the Valley of Alomex, and that the French High Commissioner here has approved the deal. The Moslems would like to see Jews coming into Syria and bringing prosperity into the country as they did in Palestine.

The question of Jewish settlement in Syria has been very much discussed of late, with particular emphasis on Lebanon. Three or four months ago, it was reported that the vice-president of the Merchants Association here had submitted a memorandum to the association urging it to take steps to obtain permission for Jews to settle in Syria, pointing out that Jewish settlement has been highly beneficial to Palestine, making of the desert a flourishing country. The Jews constitute no danger to Syrian nationalism, he argued, and if Jews are not allowed to establish themselves in Syria, there is grave danger that Jewish industry in Palestine will destroy Syrian production.

Last Summer, it was reported in Palestine that the possibility of Jewish immigration into Lebanon was being widely discussed in Lebanon political and business circles. The press and the population were sharply divided into two camps, it was said, the issues being on national and economic rather than on religious grounds.

The opposing group maintains that Jewish immigration will add a new element to the already heterogeneous Lebanese people which will tend toward disintegration and away from unity and solidarity necessary at the present time for the formation of a national State.

This party fears that Jewish colonization in Southern Lebanon (which is the Lebanese-Palestinian frontier) will afford a pretext for these immigrants to demand union with Palestine in the future.

The party which holds that the country is short of capital and that the entry of 50,000 Jews will mean stimulation of commerce, trade and industry. Capital and skilled labor, would be provided by Jewish immigration. To establish this point they give Palestine as an example of prosperity and cite the present budget surplus. This party contends that Jewish immigration holds no dangers as the Balfour

Declaration is limited to Palestine and that the immigrants to Lebanon would have no political aims.

Business and banking circles seem to favor Jewish immigration. There is no fear in their ranks as regards economic competition from the Jews as they claim that increased capital and labor will mean increased production and general prosperity.

The authorities of Syria and the Lebanon have taken the important decision to allow Jewish immigration, the London Times reported in November, provided, it added, that the immigrants import capital and found factories and other enterprises employing native labor. A further condition is that they must renounce Zionist ideals which aim at a concentration of the Jewish population.

In order to safeguard the integrity of Syrian and Lebanese territory, the registration of Jewish purchases of land along the Syrian frontier will be refused, it stated, since settlements in that area ultimately be cited as a reason for modifying the frontiers in favor of Palestine.

At a recent meeting of the Permanent Mandates Commission of the League of Nations it came out that two decrees had been promulgated in 1934 by which any purchase of land or long-term lease in the southern frontier districts of Syria and the Lebanon was subject to the authorization of each government concerned.

The French representative at the meeting, M. de Caix, explained that the decree applied to all foreigners. The government's authorization could be obtained in the case of a purchase which would not prepare the way for colonization likely to disturb the tranquility of the country. There had been no measures against the immigration of Jews, he added, but Zionist colonization would require a protective force and there was no obligation upon the mandatory power to facilitate the settlement of foreign colonists which would justify it in placing upon the governments of Syria and the Lebanon the cost of such a force.

Pearlstein to Head JNF Work in Southwest

The appointment of Jacob S. Pearlstein as Jewish National Fund field representative for the Southwest, was announced yesterday by Dr. Israel Goldstein, president of the Jewish National Fund of America. Mr. Pearlstein, who was formerly executive director of the Jewish Community Center and Welfare Federation of Omaha, Neb., and affiliated with the Allied Jewish Campaign and the American Palestine Campaign, has assumed his duties in connection with the Keren Kayemeth Palestine Land Redemption Campaign, with St. Louis as his headquarters. Mendel N. Fisher, national campaign director of the land redemption fund-raising effort, also announced the convocation of a Keren Kayemeth regional conference, to be held during May, to inaugurate the fund-raising effort in the Southwest communities.

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Between the Lines

By B. SMOLAR

Louis E. Kirstein

Louis E. Kirstein, well-known for his activities in Jewish life in America, is now organizing all retail merchants of America into a special federation from which both the government and the consumer in America will benefit.

The retail trade in America is the third largest industry in the country. Nevertheless, it is not properly organized. This was discovered by Mr. Kirstein when he served as a member of the NRA Advisory Board. While acting on this board, Mr. Kirstein established that was no single authoritative group to speak for retailers in general.

An Able Organizer

Retail trading affects almost every citizen in the country. The work which Mr. Kirstein has now undertaken is therefore of interest not only to Jews but to every citizen of the United States. It aims to protect the interests of the consumer by protecting the interests of the retailer.

The organizing abilities of Mr. Kirstein, which are known to those who have had an opportunity to observe his activities, have long been appreciated in Washington. His new project to organize "a unified voice of the merchants of the nation" will be welcomed by the present administration which would prefer to deal with one representative body rather than with dozens of delegations who are flooding Washington in connection with numerous legislative problems concerning retail trading.

Speaking for Millions

The new Federation which Mr. Kirstein is forming will speak for not less than one million merchants in America. It will thus be the properly authorized institution to act on economic issues and to voice its opinion to the government on legislative problems. It will maintain headquarters in Washington under the directorship of Col. Clarence O. Sherrill, winner of the Distinguished Service Medal and the Croix de Guerre in the World War.

Facts for Dreiser

From a Jewish standpoint the efforts of Mr. Kirstein to bring the government into closer contact with the merchants of the nation, through a unified body, are only to be congratulated. People like Theodore Dreiser and others who claim that the Jews in America are chiefly engaged in commerce, will realize that they are mistaken when the merchants of the country are organized into one body. They will then see for themselves that among the one million retail merchants there is a very small proportion of Jews. They will perhaps then change their minds about the so-called "domination" of Jews in commerce.

Hardly represented in the heavy industries in America, and only insignificantly represented in the nation's retail trade, the allegations about Jews preferring commerce to labor or farming will once and for ever be refuted, as soon as the list of the one million members of the new Federation organized by Mr. Kirstein is published. It is only when no specific data is obtainable that anti-Jewish elements in the country feel free to operate with false figures against the Jews.

The new Federation, compiling all the necessary data for the government, will indirectly also help the Jews in establishing who is who in America's

World Press Digest

London Post On Maimonides

The London Morning Post, in an article on Maimonides, writes:

"From Moses unto Moses there arose not one like Moses" has long been the verdict of posterity on Moses Maimonides, the 800th anniversary of whose birth is now being celebrated by Jewry throughout the world, and not least in Spain, the land of his birth.

Dr. Hertz, the Chief Rabbi in England, referred to him in a commemoration lecture as "Israel's most universal mind and its greatest spiritual force since the close of Bible times." Maimonides achieved greatness in at least four capacities: as philosopher, writer, jurist, and organizer, and in the versatility of his genius was fit to rank with the great figures of the Renaissance.

Readers of Walter Scott may remember that Maimonides was personal physician to Saladin, and declined the offer of a similar post to Richard Coeur de Lion.

Community Council Urged for Pittsburgh

The necessity of organizing Jewish community councils in America is emphasized in an editorial in the American Jewish Outlook of Pittsburgh. The paper writes:

The city of Cleveland has just formed a Community Council consisting of the 100 senior Jewish organizations in that city. Its purpose is to unite all the organizations and thereby estab-

commerce. The myth about Jewish control of America's trade will thus disappear, replaced by actual facts and figures.

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lish a medium for discussing all major communal problems. There is much to recommend a council of this sort.

In Pittsburgh we have scores of societies, auxiliaries, and organizations. Some have local projects, some national, and some international projects. Some are service groups while others are primarily money-raising. Some are affiliated with larger organizations while some are not. But they are all worthwhile and in each there are leaders whose services are of great value. There could be no finer unifying force than to get these leaders together in a council concerned with the problems of the Jews.

Sees Temples Failing To Spur Youth

The Synagogue Review of London, commenting on Jewish religious life in Europe, states:

A recent meeting of the governing body of the World Union for Progressive Judaism received a report upon Jewish religious conditions in Poland and Latvia. A dreary picture of apathy toward and ignorance of Judaism among otherwise cultured youth was portrayed; and it was suggested that while desertion from Judaism was often for the sake of convenience, yet it was not infrequently due also to the lack of any real religious stimulus from within the Synagogue.

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ZOA, Hadassah To Submit One Congress Slate

Women to Have 50% of Delegates on Joint Ballot June 23

Members of the Zionist Organization of America and of Hadassah will vote June 23 for a united slate of candidates for designation as delegates to the forthcoming World Zionist Congress.

An agreement to this effect was approved by the administrative committee of the Zionist Organization of America at a meeting Sunday afternoon at the Hotel Astor.

According to the arrangement, Hadassah will put up fifty per cent of the delegates for the joint ticket, with members of both organizations voting for the list as a whole. Both bodies are part of the General Zionists.

Newman Objects

The session at the Astor was thrown into turmoil when Rabbi Louis I. Newman, leader of Group "B," charged the Z. O. A. was "playing a game" with Hadassah, was stepping into a trap of the Histadruth "oligarchy" and had "raised up a golem." Dr. Newman is a member of the administrative committee.

The rabbi was frequently heckled and interrupted during his remarks, which fell on hostile ears because of a statement he issued last week characterizing the platform adopted by the administrative committee for the American delegation to the August parley as "inadequate, deceptive and insincere."

Among those present at the Astor were Mrs. Rose Jacobs, president of Hadassah, and Prof. Norman Bentwich, associate of James G. McDonald, League of Nations High Commissioner for Refugees. Prof. Bentwich spoke briefly, saying that while he doubted that Palestine could be built up as the Jewish national homeland if the profit motive prevails, the effort can be successful if pursued from the national approach.

Other speakers included Morris Rothenberg, president of the Z. O. A., who acted as chairman; Morris Margulies, secretary; Abraham Goldberg, Dr. S. Margoshes and Jacob Fishman.

Jewish Guardians Hold Parley May 2

Judge Smyth, Dr. Levy Slated to Address Meeting at Lewisohn Home

Judge George W. Smyth of the Children's Court of Westchester County and Dr. David M. Levy, former chief of staff of the Institute for Child Guidance, will be the chief speakers at the annual meeting of the Jewish Board of Guardians, to be held in the home of Adolph Lewisohn, 881 Fifth Avenue, on May 2. George Z. Medalie, president of the Jewish Board of Guardians, and former United States District Attorney, will preside.

Mrs. Julius Ochs Adler, member of the executive committee of the Jewish Board of Guardians, and a director of the Child Study Association of America, together with Mrs. Arthur D. Schulte, also member of the executive, child guidance and big sister committees of the Board, are acting as the committee on arrangements for the meeting. Nearly 2,000 invitations have been issued to members of the Jewish Board of Guardians and others interested in the treatment of personality and behavior problems, according to Mr. Medalie.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Athens, Ga.

Two young Jewish students at the University of Georgia have made excellent scholastic records in their four years here. Edmund Landau, Jr., son of Rabbi Landau of Albany, Ga., has been elected to both Phi Beta Kappa and Phi Kappa Phi, the two highest scholastic honors which a student can win. Max Michael Jr., son of Max Michael, president of the Athens Jewish Congregation has also received both of these scholastic honors and has been admitted to Harvard Medical School.

Pittsburgh

The Braddock Lodge of the B'nai B'rith will be host of the quarterly session of the Western Pennsylvania Council of B'nai B'rith Lodges on Sunday. Delegates from eighteen lodges and some 500 visitors are expected to attend. Following an afternoon meeting, the lodge will hold a banquet at the Jewish Community Center. Judge Joseph Stadfield will be the principal speaker. The committee in charge includes Jack Sherman, Barnhardt Blumenfeld, Sol Dodolsky, Jacob Adler, Leon Smith, Saul Gershuny, Ben Ochs, Gordon Segal and Dr. Samuel Terris.

Beth-El Congregation in Beechview celebrated the dedication of its new pews Sunday. Honor guests were Mayor William N. McNair of Pittsburgh, Judge Elder A. Marshall, Rabbi Herman Hailperin and Rabbi Goodman A. Rose.

Mossaiye J. Olgin, journalist, will speak today (Tuesday) in Carnegie Lecture Hall of his experiences in Soviet Russia.

New York City

Funeral services will be held this morning at Central Synagogue, Fifty-fifth street and Lexington avenue, for Dr. P. William Nathan, orthopedic surgeon, who died Saturday at the age of 63. Dr. Nathan was head of the orthopedic service at Mount Sinai Hospital until he retired recently. Burial will be at Mount Neboh Cemetery, Brooklyn.

Council Body to Meet

The first meeting of the newly elected executive committee of the Jewish Council of Greater New York, will be held Thursday evening in the Hotel Commodore.

Palestine Marks Rambam Birth At Tiberias Bier

Thousands of Pilgrims Attend Celebration Honoring Sage

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

TIBERIAS, April 22.—In the presence of thousands of Jewish pilgrims from all over the country, and representatives of national Jewish organizations, the octocentenary celebration of the birth of Moses Maimonides, the Jewish philosopher and physician who is buried in Tiberias, opened here today.

The municipality of Tiberias was represented at the ceremonies by Zaki-Alchariv, Jewish mayor of the city, who brought greetings from the municipal council. Prof. Selig Brodetsky of Leeds University, member of the World Zionist Executive, greeted the assemblage in behalf of the Executive.

The celebration started near the grave of Maimonides with music followed with speeches by Jewish leaders. Soon after the celebration started, a pouring rain compelled the gathering to disperse until the evening, when the rain stopped.

A number of historians from several countries arrived in Tiberias today to study on the spot the legends surrounding the grave where the Jewish sage is buried.

High Court to Hear Case Against Butcher

Morris Weiner, a Kosher butcher at 2,633 Broadway, was held for Special Sessions by Magistrate Hulon Capshaw in West Fifty-fourth Street Magistrates' Court yesterday on the charge of Retail Kosher Meat Trade Code Inspector Robert Cohen that he exposed and sold non-Kosher meat as Kosher. The case is the first action by this code authority to reach Special Sessions.

No Matzoh for Me, Thank You, Soviet Ex-Cantor Tells Kin Here

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buying matzoh with it they have bought suckling pigs, "which will be a useful addition to their livestock."

All the members of this collective farm pledged themselves to work in the fields during Passover, and have called upon all other collective farmers and artisan co-operatives in the district to follow their example.

A report from White Russia says that 350 workers in the township of Storodorog, near Minsk, approached the district executive committee, asking it to confiscate the local synagogue and convert it into a cultural institution. The demand has been granted, and has been confirmed by the White Russian Central Executive Committee. The district executive committee has allocated ten roubles towards reconstructing the synagogue as a cinema.

Won't Bake Matzoh

A large number of workers in Polotzk, in White Russia, have torn down the mezuzah from their doorposts and have undertaken not to bake matzoh. One of the workers made arrangements for baking matzoh, the report says, but his little girl, a member of the Young Atheist Pioneers, heard of it and argued with her father and convinced him that religion is harmful. In order to influence her backward parent, she put to him the ultimatum, that if he baked matzoh and observed Passover she would leave home. The father took fright and finally agreed not to bake matzoh. At the same time,

he tore down from the wall a portrait of Moses Montefiore which he had held sacred for many years.

Twenty-one collective farmers in the region of Slutsk have published an announcement in which they say: "As answer to the clericals we refuse to bake matzoh, and during Passover we shall all go to work as one man, and see that the sowing is finished more quickly. We are spring-cleaning, removing from our houses all religious mildew, mezuzah, religious books, religious pictures, etc."

Bulletin Calendar Of Events

Tuesday, April 23

Passover services, Temple Rodeph Shalom, 7 West Eighty-third street, 5:30 p. m. Rabbi Louis I. Newman.

New School for Social Research, 66 West Twelfth street, 8:20 p. m. "The Future of Western Democracy," Harold J. Laski.

Youth House, 73 West Sixty-sixth street, 8:30 p. m. Address by Dr. Samuel D. Schmalhausen.

Wednesday, April 24

Society for Ethical Culture, 2 West Sixty-fourth street, 8:30 p. m. "Freedom in the Western World: Germany Under Hitler," Dr. Harold Buschman.

Congregation Shaari Zedek, Kingston avenue and Park place, Brooklyn, 9:30 a. m. "Bitter Herbs and the Call of Charity," Rabbi Harry Weiss.

Thursday, April 25

New School for Social Research, 66 West Twelfth street, 8:20 p. m. "Contemporary World Politics," Hans Kohn. "Dominant Ideals of Western Civilization," Horace M. Kallen.

Continental Club, 249 West End avenue, 9:00 p. m. "Hitlerism 2,000 Years Ago and Today," Dr. Elias L. Tariat.

More water is consumed in the Rouge Plant of the Ford Motor Company at Dearborn, Michigan, than in the cities of Detroit, Washington, and Cincinnati com-

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Lvovitch Relates His Impressions Of European Tour on ORT Mission

Found Polish Jews With Hopeless Outlook on Life

The following article was prepared specially for the Jewish Daily Bulletin by Dr. Lvovitch shortly after his arrival here last week from Paris. Dr. Lvovitch, who is vice-president and member of the praesidium of the World ORT Federation, is in this country to raise funds for ORT rehabilitation and colonization activities throughout the world.

By DR. DAVID LVOVITCH

Upon my return from my trip through Germany, Poland and Latvia, and after seeing the condition of the Jews in those countries, I felt like one who is recovering from a serious illness. In Germany one meets Jews whose faces express panic, in Poland one meets young people whose attitude toward life is that of sheer hopelessness. In Latvia Jews told me conditions in their country are worse than anywhere, because the economic discriminations they have to face are a new misfortune to which they are not accustomed.

It will perhaps sound to many like a paradox, but when I arrived in Russia from these other countries, I felt greatly relieved. Of course, one should not gather from this that I mean to say the conditions of the Jews in Russia is enviable. It is not, inasmuch as they are lacking in so much that is necessary even for ordinary comfort, but there is no specifically Jewish question in Russia, and Jews in no way feel any discrimination.

Would Go to Soviet

It is no wonder therefore that one meets large numbers of Jews in the border states who crave to emigrate to Russia. Millions of Polish Jews—and now surely there are as many thousands in the other Eastern European countries—would emigrate anywhere at all if only the way were shown to them.

One hears of an unusually high number of suicides among Polish Jewish business men. And recently this suicide epidemic has been spreading among the younger element, including even disappointed Cholutzim, who failed to secure a visa to Palestine. The Jews in Poland and in Latvia are practically abandoning their hopes of remaining in the businesses to which they have been accustomed. For this reason they are anxious to place their children in vocational schools.

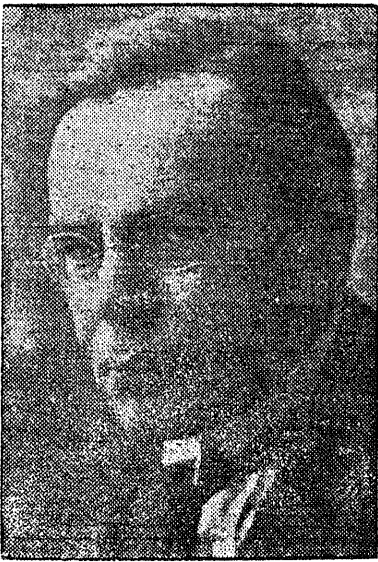
Trade Courses Popular

There is now such a bid demand for vocational courses—so many apply to the ORT vocational schools for admission, that we are unable to accommodate one-tenth of those who apply. You find in the ORT vocational schools in Poland, Lithuania, Latvia and Rumania young people who have finished higher educational courses in other schools, even universities, learning manual trades and crafts. The wives and daughters of business men are taking up millinery, dressmaking and corsetmaking.

Out of the total of 114 ORT institutions for vocational training, no fewer than fifty-two are operating in Poland. These institutions include the Jewish Technicum in Vilno, textile and hosiery training factories in Lodz and Bialystok, and a considerable number of engineering, iron-working, joinery, weaving, tailoring and other trade schools in Warsaw, Lodz, Wloclawek, Bialystok, Brzesc, Grodno, Lublin, Piorokow, Rovno, Kovel, Sarny, Wlodzimierz, Krzemieniec, Volynsk, Kobryn and other cities.

5,000 Students a Year

If I tell you that in the vocational schools and workshops of the ORT in Eastern Europe 5,000 persons receive instruction annually at present, and that during the last ten years the Polish ORT



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had given to about 25,000 the possibility of acquiring a sound knowledge of different branches of handicraft and industrial work, you will appreciate that a very serious work has been accomplished.

The vocational schools and workshops have acquired such a reputation that factories and private artisans are very willing to give work to those who have been trained in them. From data not yet completed for 1934, it can be seen that in Volhynia, for instance, the young men who have been trained in mechanical smithing and joinery have found work not only in Jewish, but also in non-Jewish enterprises. An inquiry carried out by the administration of the ORT Technicum in Vilna shows that a number of its graduates—smiths and electricians—found work in small and big factories, and in public works such as canalization, water supply, etc. A number of graduates of the Technicum emigrated to Palestine and to Russia, and have found work in their respective trades.

Lack of Funds Cited

We have great difficulty just now in supporting our schools, because of a lack of money. Formerly we received liberal support from the Joint Distribution Committee, for which we have been always thankful. But for the past few years ORT has maintained its institutions through funds obtained from its own sources. Many of these schools would have been closed long ago were it not for the sacrifices made by the local populations and the local ORT committees, which have carried on a desperate struggle to keep the schools open.

In a number of towns the authorities demanded that the school buildings be enlarged or that considerable repairs be made. These new tasks added considerably to the heavy burdens of the ORT. Many school buildings would have been taken away by the government in lieu of taxes, social insurance, etc., but in each instance the committee appeared and bought the building back. Many municipalities which formerly subsidized our institutions have now reduced these subsidies. For instance, from the Warsaw government we used to receive 40,000 zloty (\$8,000) annually. Now they do not give us anything.

Notes New Burdens

A new burden has been imposed upon Polish Jewry by a recent Polish act which requires artisans to possess craftsmen's certificates as a prerequisite to the right to work. More than 20,000 Jewish artisans are affected by this decree which requires that a fee of forty-two zloty, or \$8.50 in American exchange, be paid for the certificates and that many Jewish workers be obliged to undergo a qualification examination. Realizing that not only will 20,000 Jewish families face the loss of a live-

Sees Millions Eager to Cast Lot With Soviet Government

lihood but that one of the most important sources of Jewish labor will be closed, the Polish ORT has prepared a plan for the creation of special courses in fifteen cities for the purpose of preparing thousands of Jewish artisans for the compulsory examinations.

There is a movement now among Polish Jewry for agricultural work. Those who find it impossible to settle on the land, wish at least to develop small garden plots in their small towns where they can raise their own vegetables.

Aid 12 Farm Groups

We support twelve agricultural cooperatives in Jewish colonies in Volinien, Poland. In Lithuania there is a very successful farm, Magorina, where thirty-two young Jews from Germany are learning farming. Many of them went to Palestine where they were placed on farms. There are more than 100 young German Jews—farmers, doctors, lawyers and professional men—who are attending ORT schools in Kaunas and Libo preparing for new vocations. In the Paris ORT there are special courses for German refugees; also agronomical assistance is given by the French ORT to groups of refugees who are desirous of settling on the land in Southern France.

The conditions of the Jewish colonies in Russia is this year much better than it was two years ago, on account of good crops. We helped many colonies to maintain themselves by establishing cooperative factories and workshops where the women were able to work at millinery—and now at toys—which ORT sells to the cooperatives. In this way the women were able to earn from 100 to 150 rubles monthly, which additional income helped the colony to exist.

In the small towns we have organized, and are supporting, about sixty factories where declassified Jews are working. The condition of the Jew in the small towns, however, is not at all satisfactory, and many of the small town dwellers are emigrating to the Jewish colony in South Russia Crimea and now to Biro-Bidjan, where the government is firmly determined to establish a Jewish colony and is spending considerable money to accomplish this purpose.

From my conversation with Peter Smidovitch, who just died, to the great and irreparable loss of the Jews in Russia—for he was a great friend of the Jewish reconstruction in Russia—I learned that the Soviet government would be willing that foreign Jews, who are mechanics or have some useful trade, settle in Biro-Bidjan, providing foreign Jewish organizations provide them with the necessary housing, tools, etc. On this occasion, he stated that he had been commissioned by his government to thank the central committee of ORT for the work it has done in Russia.

On the question as to why I came to this country, my answer is this: When I came to Moscow, everybody asked me what I was doing in Moscow. When I was in Warsaw, I had the same experience. But when I left Paris for America, nobody asked me why I was going to America. Everybody seemed to know.

People are interested in automobiles. On the first two days the new Ford V-8 for 1936 was displayed to the public, a total of 8,683, 900 persons visited dealers' showrooms throughout the United States to see the new models. When Henry Ford brought out his Model A late in 1927, a total of 5,000,000 persons visited Ford dealers' showrooms.

Cornerstone Is Laid For Maccabi Village

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency) HAIFA, April 22.—The cornerstone for a Jewish village to be named Maccabi, after the World Maccabi Sports Organization, was laid today by Lord Melchett, president.

The village will be built on land belonging to the Jewish National Fund. M. M. Ussishkin, chairman of the Jewish National Fund, and members of the World Zionist Executive, participated in the ceremony.

Tel Aviv Denounces Sabbath Violation

Hapoel Scored for Riding Past Temple With Load of Athletes

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency) TEL AVIV, April 22.—The municipal council of Tel Aviv today adopted a resolution condemning the Hapoel, the Laborite sports organization, for violating the Sabbath.

The resolution was adopted because the Hapoel, which opened its fourth sports festival here on Saturday, carried its members to the athletic field in open trucks, deliberately passing the synagogue where worshippers were attending Sabbath services. The action of the Hapoel provoked great consternation.

An all-Palestine convention of retail merchants opened here today to discuss the position of retailers in the Palestine trade.

New Nazi Drive Against Children

(Continued from Page One) fore the first court in Saarbruecken. They admitted their guilt, and the court sentenced them, as proposed by the public prosecutor, to terms of imprisonment of seven to eight months.

The Voelkischer Beobachter, Hitler's chief organ, complains that Prof. Ernst Horneffer of Giesen, is traveling throughout the country lecturing on Spinoza, putting forward "the sensational idea" that the German people owes its great poetic genius, Goethe, to the Jewish philosopher. The paper threatens Prof. Horneffer with reprisal, stating "he repudiates the racial idea when he alleges that a true genius can grow beyond the qualities of his race."

Turkey Forbids Clerical Garb

(Continued from Page One) is to deprive the Moslem clergy of the irregular authority still remaining to them. This authority persists, helped by their distinctive dress. The more ignorant population continues to give them undue veneration and to attribute to them occult knowledge. The wearing of distinctive dress in the streets challenges the conception that all authority in new Turkey must come down from the lay Republican leaders. The same motive is behind the extension of the veto also to Jewish and other clergy.

North Jersey Hadassah To Hold Annual Parley

(Special to the J.D.B.) PLAINFIELD, N. J., April 22.—Described as the most important event of the year in the Northern New Jersey region of Hadassah, the annual all-day conference of the group will take place in the local Jewish community center Monday, April 29.

Mrs. Moses P. Epstein, national vice-president, will be present, it was announced today. Features will be round table discussions and display exhibits.

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Seize 2 Naras Who Tried to Pin Murder on Jew

Anti-Semites to Stand Trial in Place of Accused Baker

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency) WARSAW, April 22.—An attempt to accuse a Jewish baker of ritual murder in order to cover up their own crime, resulted today in the arrest of two members of the anti-Semitic Nara party, who will probably be sentenced to death for murder.

One of the two is the president of the local Nara organizations in the township of Szduvowiec, district of Radom, where the murder occurred. The other is his assistant, Stanislaw Pajak.

Both members of the anti-Semitic party are accused of killing the town official Josef Gowalczyński, after robbing him. In order to disguise their deed, they spread the rumor that the official was killed by a local Jewish baker for Passover ritual.

Police officials, soon after the investigation was started, traced the murder to the two members of the Nara party. Both were arrested and will be tried for murder.

Revisionists to Hold Own Congress

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The projected Independent Zionist Organization will call a constituent Congress for December, 1935. The Congress will be called on the basis of "a Jewish State and Herzlian Shekel."

All members of the organizations affiliated with the Revisionist Party will be called to participate in the plebiscite. The outcome of the plebiscite is considered by the Revisionist Executive as certain to be a vote of confidence in its action and its plans.

'Old Guard' Zionists Discuss New Problems

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency) JERUSALEM, April 22.—Twenty-five surviving members of the first Zionist Congress, which took place in 1897, gathered here today for a discussion of the problems now facing the Zionist movement, as a result of the Zionist Actions Committee session which failed to bring unity within the Zionist Organization.

The "Old Guard" of the Zionist ranks also discussed today problems dealing with the forthcoming World Zionist Congress, from which the Zionist Revisionists have withdrawn and which is expected to take place in August.

Set April 29 for Rally of London Anti-Nazi Unit

A mass meeting is being arranged in London to take place April 29 under the auspices of the World Non-Sectarian Anti-Nazi Council, it was announced here yesterday.

The meeting will be addressed by Commander Locker-Lampson, Miss Monica Whatley, Lion Feuchtwanger, who is making a special flight from France to attend the rally; G. Lathan, president of the National Federation of Professional Workers, who will preside; Winston Churchill, Lord Snell, Dr. Maude, Lord's leading won. Sir Stafford Cripp Morrison.