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SIMPLE FUNERAL SERVICES FOR BRANDEIS; LEAVES REQUESTS TO PALESTINE, HADASSAH

WASHINGTON, Oct. 7. (JTA)-- Simple rites marked the funeral services of Justice Louis D. Brandeis this afternoon in the presence of a restricted group of personal friends who arrived here by train and airplane from all parts of the country.

The Palestine Endowment Funds Inc., Hadassah and the University of Louisville, Brandeis' alma mater, were today named among the beneficiaries in the \$5,200,000 estate left by the Justice, according to his will admitted to probate in district court. After making provisions for members of his family through trust arrangements the will creates a trust fund for the upbuilding of Palestine and his college, as well as for the maintenance of civil liberties and promotion of workers' education in the United States. Officials could not say today exactly what the specific bequests to each organization will total.

Memorial services for the late Justice will be held by Zionist groups throughout the country on Nov. 2, in connection with the observance of the 24th anniversary of the Balfour Declaration in the securing of which Justice Brandeis was largely instrumental. Similarly, the Hadassah has urged its 600 chapters and groups throughout the country to turn their regular sessions during the month of October into memorial meetings in Brandeis' honor. In a message released by Mrs. David de Sola Pool, national president, Justice Brandeis was praised as the greatest Jew of our day. "To Hadassah he gave supreme devotion," the message said. "He followed the growth and ramifications of its work from the very beginning until the eve of his last illness."

The American Jewish Congress issued a statement paying tribute to Justice Brandeis' special contribution in impressing upon the Jewish community the importance of applying its support of democracy in the affairs of the American people to the regularization of the affairs of the Jewish community as such.

Edgar J. Kaufmann, chairman of the General Jewish Council, made public the following resolution adopted by the Executive Committee of the Council: "In the passing of Supreme Court Justice Louis D. Brandeis, the American people have lost a militant advocate of liberalism and democracy. American Jewry has lost a great leader in Justice Brandeis who has always been a devoted servant of his people."

A.S.W. Rosenbach, president of the American Friends of the Hebrew University, issued a statement saying: "The American Friends of the Hebrew University mourns deeply the death of Louis Dembits Brandeis. He achieved greatness in everything he undertook and in everything which he was - as an advocate of great causes, as a jurist, as a leader, as a Jew, and as an American citizen. His interest in the development of the Hebrew University and his pride in its success were reassuring and inspiring to all of us actively identified with it."

PALESTINE MOURNS DEATH OF JUSTICE BRANDEIS

JERUSALEM, Oct. 7. (JTA)-- Lengthy obituaries in all the Palestine Jewish press and expression of sorrow from prominent individuals and organizations in the Yishub followed receipt here of the news of the death of Justice Louis D. Brandeis.

The Jewish Agency for Palestine stated: "We are deeply grieved by the passing of Justice Louis Brandeis, illustrious Zionist chief, whose clear vision, profound wisdom and nobility of character is lost to Jewry at a time when it can ill spare these supreme qualities of leadership."

The Vaad Leumi cabled the ZOA that it was "deeply shocked at the sad news of the death of a great Zionist leader, Justice Brandeis, who was a staunch fighter for freedom and justice in economic, social and international relations, and for the realization of the Zionist ideal."

Dr. Judah Magnes, President of the Hebrew University, stated that Brandeis was "a great and good man."

Henrietta Szold lauded Brandeis as an "ethical giant" who was a selfless and intrepid champion of all he espoused. "This is what made him - a neophyte - in one stroke a great leader of American Zionists and a world Zionist leader at the outbreak of the first world war, when Zionists were depressed and anxious," Miss Szold declared.

Julius Simon, President of the Palestine Economic Corporation, which was established largely due to the efforts of Justice Brandeis, issued a statement, in which he said that the "Palestine Economic Corporation is indebted to Brandeis beyond measure. His influence on the ethical, social and economic foundation of Palestine Jewish life is unparalleled."

British Press, Radio Laud Brandeis' Achievements

LONDON, Oct. 7. (JTA)-- Describing the late Justice Louis D. Brandeis as a "leader of world-wide honor in Jewry who took a great interest in Zionism," the London Times today publishes a lengthy obituary praising Brandeis as "one of the most valuable judges that ever sat on the Supreme Court."

The British Broadcasting Company in reporting Brandeis' death stressed the fact that he was the first Jew to sit on the Supreme Court and that he was a Zionist leader.

MILITARY GROUP ASKS BARRING OF FOREIGN-BORN CITIZENS FROM PUBLIC OFFICE

WASHINGTON, Oct. 7. (JTA)-- Legislation preventing foreign-born citizens from holding public office was unanimously requested by the national convention of the Military Order of the World War meeting here today. The resolution was introduced by Rear Admiral Reginald R. Belknap, U.S.N. Retired. Despite the unanimous vote the resolution was bitterly debated before passage and several delegates admitted afterward that they failed to vote against it because they feared to have their names recorded against the motion.

The resolution charged that many immigrants had sought citizenship to protect them in spreading subversive doctrines and that native-born citizens had a better understanding of the principles of government set forth in the Constitution. The Order is composed of commissioned officers who served in the World War.

PALESTINE LAUNCHES DRIVE TO SPEED JEWISH RECRUITMENT

TEL AVIV, Oct. 7. (JTA)-- A drive for a second contingent of ten thousand Jewish volunteers for the British forces was launched here today with an address by Moshe Shertok, chief of the political department of the Jewish Agency. Shertok called upon the Yishub to increase its war effort by sending Jewish youth to the front. He emphasized that recruiting does not have to interfere with Jewish war efforts "in the field and in the factory."

High points of a colorful campaign to increase Jewish enlistment in the armed forces will be a leaflet distribution from airplanes and a military parade through the main streets of the city. Visits will also be made to theatres and cafes in order to personally contact potential volunteers. A "Yishub Conference" will be held next Wednesday as part of the campaign.

BRITISH WAR SECRETARY DENIES PALESTINE UNITS LEFT IN GREECE

LONDON, Oct. 7. (JTA)-- The charges that Palestine Jewish units were left behind when the British retreated from Greece and the Middle East will prove baseless, Secretary of State for War Captain David Margesson stated in Commons today in reply to a question by Col. Josiah Wedgwood, who queried Margesson as to how many of the missing 1,541 Palestine soldiers, presumed prisoners of war, were left in Greece.

Wedgwood asked whether these Palestine units were left arms with which to defend themselves, whether they were led by British officers and if so whether the British officers remained with the troops. Margesson disclosed that he was investigating the facts and would communicate with Wedgwood as soon as possible. He added, however, that he "regretted that Wedgwood had seen fit to give publicity to suggestions which I am confident will prove entirely without foundation."

REFUGEE DOCTORS FROM GERMANY ALLOWED TO PRACTICE IN ENGLAND

LONDON, Oct. 7. (JTA)-- Jewish doctors, who for racial reasons were denied their diploma and barred from practicing in Germany, have been placed on the same footing as other foreign doctors in England possessing diplomas, and will be allowed to practice, temporarily at least, under new defense regulations issued today.

As a war measure, the Home Office recently announced that foreign doctors would be admitted to practice in England, Scotland and Northern Ireland during the war if they possessed a diploma from their country of origin. The new regulation waives this requirement. An official announcement states that the regulation was issued "mainly to cover the case of Jewish doctors who were penalized by the Nazi authorities."

OCTOBER PROCLAIMED "HECHALUTZ MONTH" IN AMERICA

NEW YORK, Oct. 7. (JTA)-- Proclaiming October as "Hechalutz Month," the Hechalutz Organization of America today launched a nation-wide drive to popularize among Jewish youth the program of training for pioneer service in Palestine after the war. The organization aims to train 1,000 young people in specialized courses, including aviation, farming, radio, nursing and mechanics, besides another 1,500 young people who will be physically and spiritually prepared for service.

Displaying the results of nine months of training at the Hechalutz Aviation School in New Jersey, two Halutz pilots, Hyman Schechtman and Pesach Toll, have just completed a successful 2,000 mile flight that included stops at Detroit and Cincinnati.

JNF PROCLAIMS SEVEN DAYS OF MOURNING FOR USSISHKIN

JERUSALEM, Oct. 7. (JTA)-- Seven days of mourning throughout Palestine to mark the death of M. M. Ussishkin has been proclaimed by the Keren Kayemeth. All institutions have been asked to refrain from any festivities during this period.

In the settlements of Petach Tikvah and Nathanya streets have been named in honor of Ussishkin.

Ussishkin Memorial Meeting Held in Havana

HAVANA, Cuba, Oct. 7. (JTA)-- An impressive memorial meeting for M. M. Ussishkin was held at Zionist headquarters here under the chairmanship of M. Bliss one of the veteran Zionists in Cuba. Among the speakers were Rabbi Chomsky of Cincinnati and Phineas Horowitz, Vice-President of the English Zionist Federation and former Secretary of the Jewish National Fund for Great Britain and Ireland.

Mr. Horowitz in the course of his address paid tribute to Ussishkin as the man who had been one of the guiding figures in the shaping of Jewish destiny during the past fifty years. On several occasions it had been given to Ussishkin to be the deciding factor on vital issues of Jewish policy such as the Uganda question and the Partition issue, the British Zionist leader declared.

Canadian Zionists Mourn Loss of Ussishkin

MONTREAL, Oct. 7. (JTA)-- A. J. Freiman, President of the Zionist Organization of Canada, in the name of the National Council of the Organization, sent to the head office of the Jewish National Fund in Jerusalem, the following cabled message: "Canadian Zionists are profoundly shocked by the passing of our friend and leader, the redeemer of the Valleys of Eretz Israel who symbolized in his life the idealism and indestructibility of Zionism. Canadian Zionists recall with deepest affection Ussishkin's visit to Canada in 1927 and the part he played in writing a glorious chapter in Canadian Zionism through the redemption of Eneq Hefher. Ussishkin's name and achievements will remain an everlasting inspiration to all who work for the redemption of Zion."

FIRST APPEAL FROM FORMER RUSSIAN-POLAND REACHES J.D.C.

LISBON, Oct. 7. (JTA)-- The first appeal from Jews in Eastern Poland, the area formerly occupied by Russia but now under German military occupation, has reached the J.D.C.'s European headquarters here today. The Jewish community of Stanislaw, Galicia, has asked the J.D.C. for urgent help to care for over 2,000 refugees recently deported to Galicia from Hungary. The deportees, who were thrust over the border after a series of round-ups of aliens, stateless persons and other Jews throughout Hungary, need food, clothing and other forms of help without delay.

The appeal, which was transmitted by the J.D.C. representative in Budapest, indicates that contact is possible between the Gouvernement General area of Poland, which is under civil German administration, and the former Russian-occupied area of Poland, which has been under the control of military authorities. The Galician community asks that help be sent it through the J.D.C. offices in Warsaw and Krakau. A special grant of \$20,000, over and above the J.D.C.'s regular monthly appropriation for work in Poland, is being recommended to the New York offices of the organization to meet the needs in Stanislaw. Funds will be sent into Poland under the J.D.C. clearance arrangement, which enables American dollars to be withheld from that and other German-dominated areas, at the same time that local currency is made available.