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GOLDMANN ADVOCATES INCLUSION OF NON-ZIONISTS IN JEWISH AGENCY

JERUSALEM, July 6. (JTA) -- The expansion of the Jewish Agency by inviting several outstanding non-Zionists to join the Agency's executive was advocated here today by Dr. Nahum Goldmann, addressing the plenary session of the Jewish Agency in which the presidents of all Zionist groups in the United States are participating.

Premier Ben Gurion, addressing the same session, advocated the merging of all Zionist parties into territorial Zionist federations into which all persons who support Israel could be organized, while the Zionist organizations would continue to represent only organized Zionists.

The Israel Premier emphasized the "personal responsibility" of every individual Zionist to Israel, indicating that every Zionist must ultimately strive to settle in Israel and to contribute to the upbuilding and consolidation of the state. He also urged intensified Zionist and Jewish traditional education in order to prepare -- psychologically and morally -- every Jew for ultimate settlement in Israel.

Sprinzak Outlines Reorganization Plan for Zionist Movement

Joseph Sprinzak, Speaker of the Israeli Parliament, told the meeting that in order to meet new conditions it is necessary for the Zionist Organization to convert its structure to include not only the Zionists but all of the hundreds of thousands of Jews who assist Israel. Such an organization, he added, must fulfill three functions:

1. It must assist politically and economically in Israel's consolidation and prosperity;
2. It must work for Jewish education throughout the world;
3. It must strive to make Hebrew the language of world Jewry.

According to the proposal outlined by Mr. Sprinzak, every purchaser of a shekel as well as contributors to drives for Israel would be eligible to participate in elections for the World Zionist Congress and the Congress would elect the executive bodies of the Zionist movement.

Mr. Sprinzak said that there was a reason for the continued existence of the Zionist parties and trends in that they could deepen their ethical and ideological values without having any special rights or organization status within a larger Zionist organization. This, he asserted, was a natural development of the Zionist organization after the establishment of the state.

Last night, Levi Eshkol, Israeli Finance Minister and head of the Agency's colonization department, gave the executive a detailed report of the agricultural

picture. He reported that some 4,000,000 dunams (1,000,000 acres) of land could be cultivated in the near future and that after a while the hilly regions and the Negev would yield an additional 1,000,000 cultivable dunams.

A total of 3,400,000 dunams are now under cultivation, including 1,700,000 dunams of irrigated land. Some 1,500,000 dunams are being farmed by recent immigrants, Mr. Eshkol said. He reported that the Agency had planned to establish 50 new colonies this year but that the plan could not be carried out because there were too few candidates for settlement.

Four-Year Plan For Colonization of Hilly Regions Proposed

In a special section of his report, Mr. Eshkol outlined a four-year plan for the colonization of the hilly regions. He said the total cost of the plan would be 81,515,000 pounds, of which the Agency would provide 71,315,000 pounds and the government, 10,200,000.

At a press conference this afternoon, Dr. Goldmann told newsmen that Israel had entered a state of consolidation. Israel has accomplished more than any other state would or could have done in the field of immigration and more than she herself was able to do, he declared, therefore the present decreases in immigration can bring only good results.

"Naturally, if an emergency arises anywhere, the Jewish Agency will do everything humanly possible to save those who are threatened," Dr. Goldmann pointed out. In the meantime, the present situation is good for the state in that it will be able to fully absorb the previous immigration, he said, emphasizing that the system of selective immigration must remain.

At the Agency plenum Dr. Emanuel Neumann was congratulated by all the members on his 60th birthday.

AUSTRIAN-JEWISH REPARATIONS TALKS APPROACH DECISIVE STAGE

VIENNA, July 6. (JTA) -- With the Austrian Parliament due to adjourn within the next few days, a decisive stage in the Austrian-Jewish negotiations on the Jewish claims for reparations and restitution is expected to be reached this week, authoritative sources indicated today.

These sources point out that Chancellor Julius Raab wants a free hand in negotiating with the Jewish delegation therefore he is hastening to cut short the Parliamentary session. Meanwhile, the Austrian team is preparing its reply to the presentation of the Jewish case.

EX-NAZIS ASK COMPENSATION ON SAME BASIS AS VICTIMS OF NAZISM

HANOVER, July 6. (JTA) -- Some 3,500 former Nazis who had been interned by the Allies after the occupation of Germany yesterday massed near Hanover to demand the same compensation payments as voted for Jewish and other victims of the Nazis last week by the German Parliament.

The German Parliament's action was based on a promise made by the Germans to the Conference on Jewish Material Claims Against Germany when the reparations agreement was signed last September. The ex-Nazis, who met on the site of an Allied internment camp, heard speakers praise the "great ideals" of the German people during the Nazi regime.

NUREMBERG POLICE CHIEF ACQUITTED OF DEPORTING JEWS TO DEATH

NUREMBERG, July 6. (JTA) -- Benno Martin, Nuremberg's police chief during the Nazi regime, has been acquitted a second time by a German court of sending thousands of Jews from this city to their deaths in Nazi camps in Eastern Europe, despite the fact that he readily admitted in court having arranged and supervised the deportation.

He was first tried four years ago on these charges and was freed after a two-year trial on his plea that he acted on orders from superiors without knowing the ultimate fate in store for the deportees. The German Supreme Court threw out the acquittal and ordered a new trial, but the court disregarded the Supreme Court and the prosecutor's plea for a three-year jail sentence and again acquitted the ex-police chief.

MEMBER OF ROTHSCHILD FAMILY TESTIFIES IN "JEWISH BANK" CASE

FRANKFURT, July 6. (JTA) -- Baron Alexis von Goldschmidt-Rothschild, a collateral descendant of the famed Frankfurt Rothschild banking dynasty, testified in a Swiss court at Basle last week that three years ago he had been on the point of taking over the management of the "Jewish Bank" in Frankfurt, and to become one of its principal shareholders. Just when negotiations had been concluded, he indicated, the State of Hesse closed the bank amid a profusion of inflammatory publicity.

A transcript of his testimony was read in the Frankfurt court where the trial of five defendants formerly connected with the "Jewish Bank" has been in progress since last fall and where the Bank has often been described in very disparaging terms. Baron von Goldschmidt-Rothschild, who is a banker in Basle, had refused to come to Germany. Representatives of the Frankfurt court, prosecution and defense therefore journeyed to Basle earlier last week to listen to his deposition and to cross-examine him.

Germany's best-known Jewish attorney, Joseph Klibansky, who as the Bank's former legal adviser is one of the defendants in the case, took part in the proceedings in the Swiss courtroom. His role in the 1950 negotiations was warmly praised by Baron von Goldschmidt-Rothschild.

GERMAN UNIVERSITY HONORS THREE EXILED JEWISH PROFESSORS

HANOVER, July 6. (JTA) -- At the celebrations marking the one thousandth anniversary of Goettingen University, one of the high points was the granting of the University's "honorary citizenship" to three distinguished Jewish scholars driven out of Germany when Hitler came to power.

The three former members of the Goettingen faculty, who came back to receive the awards from the city's Mayor, are 1925 Nobel Prize winner James Franck, 71, now professor emeritus of physiological chemistry at the University of Chicago; Professor Richard Courant, born in Poland 65 years ago, teacher of mathematics at Goettingen from 1910 to 1933 and head of the Mathematics Department at New York University since 1934; and Max Born, 71, since 1936 Teit Professor of Natural Philosophy at the University of Edinburg in Scotland.

JEWISH REPRESENTATIVE CRITICIZES U. S. POLICY ON HUMAN RIGHTS

GENEVA, July 6. (JTA) -- A proposal that the United Nations lay down rules withholding UN technical assistance of any kind to any country except on prior condition that the recipient guarantee that the benefits of such aid would accrue to every section of the population regardless of race, sex, religion or language, was made here today before a committee of the UN Economic and Social Council by Dr. Maurice L. Perlzweig, head of the international relations department of the World Jewish Congress. He asserted that such action would be an immediate and effective contribution to the promotion of human rights.

Dr. Perlzweig criticized the United States and other western powers for the policy they are pursuing in the field of human rights. He said that despite the refusal of these states to conclude an enforceable covenant on human rights, the organizations in 60 countries for whom he spoke would continue the struggle for such a covenant.

Nevertheless, the WJC leader promised his organization's support for the American proposal for annual reports on human rights by all states and for the inauguration of special studies by experts on specific aspects of human rights problems. He urged the Economic and Social Council to call two annual meetings of the Human Rights Commission, one to be devoted specifically to completing the covenant and the other to dealing with practical matters and specific proposals.

J. D. C. HELPS JEWS IN MOROCCO WITH LOANS TO BUY TOOLS

CASABLANCA, July 6. (JTA) -- A free loan fund to enable Moroccan Jewish artisans to purchase tools and materials and open shops of their own was inaugurated here today at ceremonies attended by leading figures in the Jewish community and the local administration.

The fund was established by the Joint Distribution Committee and the Jewish Colonization Association and will be administered by the local Jewish communal organization in conjunction with the two agencies. A similar fund under the same auspices was opened in Tunisia last month.

Raphael Ben Azeraf, Jewish community leader and president of the new Credit Center, explained that individuals and groups of artisans lacking capital could borrow money for new tools, raw materials or to relocate their shops. In addition, the Credit Center will sponsor training and retraining courses for various types of craftsmen.

CANADA NAMES JEWISH GROUP FOR PLAN TO BRING RELATIVES

MONTREAL, July 6. (JTA) -- The Jewish Immigrant Aid Society of Canada has been named as one of the voluntary agencies participating in a plan for the migration to Canada of dependents of Canadian residents from Germany and Austria, it was revealed here by the Canadian Jewish Congress.

The plan for the migration of these dependents -- limited to wife, minor child or parents supported in whole or in part by the applicant -- was submitted by the Inter-Governmental Committee for European Migration to the Canadian Government, which approved it. The announcement of the decision was sent to the CJC by Col. Laval Fortier Deputy Minister of Citizenship and Immigration, because the Canadian immigration department recognizes the CJC as a representative of Jewish organizations in policy matters, while the JIAS is recognized as an operating agency.

YOUNG ISRAEL CONVENTION REJECTS ESTABLISHMENT OF JEWISH COURT

NEW YORK, July 6. (JTA) -- A resolution rejecting the decision adopted by the Conservative rabbis at their recent annual convention to establish a "Beth Din," a Jewish court to deal with family affairs including marriage and divorce problems, was adopted at the 41st annual convention of the National Council of Young Israel.

The Young Israel parley also adopted a resolution calling for the support in Israel of independent religious schools, outside of the unified government system. Another resolution called upon the Government of Israel to introduce a law prohibiting the offering of food, clothing and shelter to lure children and adults to another faith, as is presently practiced by missionaries in Israel. The resolution pointed out that similar laws are in effect in a number of Scandinavian countries.

INSTITUTE OF ISRAEL CULTURE OPENS IN U.S.; CONDUCTED IN HEBREW

ELLENVILLE, N. Y., July 6. (JTA) -- Leading American Jewish educators and guest lecturers from Israel are participating in the second annual Summer Institute on Israel Culture, sponsored by the World Zionist Organization and the American Association for Jewish Education, which opened here today. The opening session was devoted to the memory of the late Dr. Hayim Greenberg, founder of the WZO's Department of Culture and Education, who established the Institute last year.

Thirty-five teachers, principals and other Jewish educators registered for the Institute which will be conducted entirely in Hebrew. The lecturers include Professor Michael Avi-Yonah, of the Hebrew University, Jerusalem, who will speak on the historical geography of Israel and Professor Shlomo Shpan, Supervisor of Secondary Education of the Israel Ministry of Education, who will discuss recent Hebrew literature.

Other lecturers include Avraham Harman, Israel Consul General and Eliezer Doron, Israel Consul in New York, Yehuda Levitt, Israel Economic Consul, and Moshe Rivlin and David Marmor of the Israel Office of Information in New York, Shaul Hareli of the Jewish Agency for Palestine and Dr. Judah Pilch of the American Association for Jewish Education. A similar cultural institute, under the same sponsorship will open in Los Angeles on August 17.

COMMITTEE FOR RABBI KOOK INSTITUTE IN JERUSALEM FORMED IN U.S.

NEW YORK, July 6. (JTA) -- Formation of a national committee for the Rabbi Kook Institute in Jerusalem, with the goal of strengthening cultural and religious ties between Israel and American traditional Jewry, was announced here today by Rabbi Chaim Heller, noted Talmudic scholar.

The Rabbi Kook Institute was established in 1938 to honor the memory of Rabbi Abraham Isaac Ha-Cohen Kook, the first Chief Rabbi recognized officially by the British Mandatory Government in Palestine, and one of the founders of the World Mizrachi movement. More than 500 works of enduring importance have been published by the Institute, some of them reprints of important studies in Jewish Law which have virtually disappeared.

ISRAEL PRESIDENT RECEIVES HEAD OF HISTADRUTH DRIVE IN U.S.

JERUSALEM, July 6. (JTA) -- President Ben Zvi today received Isaac Hamlin, head of the Histadrut campaign in the United States, who brought the President greetings from "hundreds of thousands of friends throughout America."