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# DR. GOLDMANN SAYS HE WILL SETTLE IN ISRAEL: WILL NOT RUN FOR KNESSET

TEL AVIV, May 7. (JTA) -- Dr. Nahum Goldmann, president of the World Zionist Organization, declared his "readiness" here yesterday to settle in Israel "shortly," and to join the new Liberal Party, formed here two weeks ago through the merger of the Progressive and General Zionist parties.

Dr. Goldmann stated he is "not yet ready" to run for the Knesset (Parliament) on the Liberal Party ticket to be drawn up by the party for the forthcoming national elections, to be held in August. But, he declared, he would participate in the election campaign in support of the Liberal list.

The president of the WZO told a conference of Liberal Party leaders that he cannot run for the Knesset because he will be unable to discontinue his many activities, as Zionist leader and in other capacities, in the short time remaining before the August elections. However, he assured the Liberal leaders that, when he settles in Israel, he would be ready to take up any suitable function to be proposed by the party. Meanwhile, he reiterated his readiness to participate in the election campaign on behalf of the Liberal list.

(The New York Times, in a cable from its correspondent in Jerusalem, reported today that Dr. Goldmann said he "would relinquish his United States citizenship and join the new Liberal Party in Israel. The Zionist leaders action marked a personal challenge to Premier David Ben-Gurion.")

Deputies of the Progressive party and General Zionist party factions in the Knesset wist as one faction when the Knesset is reconvened this week after the Passover recess, according to Moshe Kol, General Zionist leader.

He told a meeting of the executives of the two merged parties—now the executive of the new Liberal party—that the goal of ithe new party platform is to achieve a regime in which national interests came first. The naming of executive units and functions of the new party-have been postponed until after the elections next August. Until then there will be two functionaries for each post, including two chairmen and two general secretaries.

#### Ben-Gurion Pleased to See Dr. Goldmann Settle in Israel; Confers with Him

JERUSALEM, May 7. (JTA) -- Prime Minister David Ben-Gurion today conferred with -D. Nahum Goldmann, president of the World Zionist Organization, and expressed his satisfaction with Dr. Goldmannsadecision to settle in Israel. The Prime Minister displayed interest in the progress of the house which Dr. Goldmann is now building as his residence
in Israel.

The Prime Minister also met earlier with Dr. Pinhas Rosen, Minister of Justice am leader of the Progressive Party which was merged with the General Zionist Party into the newly formed Liberal Party. The talk with Dr. Rosen was centered on Israeli problems, on the question of the Jewish nation at large and on Israel's development.

Mr. Ben-Gurion's talks with Dr. Goldmann and Dr. Rosen were held in a conciliatoryspirit aimed at easing the tension created over the stacks made recently by the Prime Minister against Dr. Goldmann and the Zionist movement.

#### STATE DEPT. SHARPLY CRITICIZED IN ISRAEL ON VIEWS OF ARAB BOYCOTT

JERUSALEM, May 7. (JTA) -- Israel may voice strong disagreement on the views of the State Department with regard to the Arab boycott, against Israel expressediin Washington by Brooks Hays, Assistant Secretary of State, it was indicated here today. In the absence here of an official text, there was no comment on the subject from Israel's Foreign Ministry. However, political circles expressed sharpest criticism of Mr. Hays' statement made last week.

Israelis found it surprising that an American official has said that the Arab boycott is not as serious as it has been represented, while scores of American ships and companies have been blacklisted by the Arabs. They also said "it is simply not true, " as Mr. Hays contends, that the blacklisting was directed only against ships carrying war materiel, pointing out that Arab ports have confiscated much food, machinery and building materials shipped to Israel.

It was pointed out here also that American companies have received from Arab sources questionnaires asking about Jewish ownership, Jewish management and even Jewish workers

in such firms. "Mr. Hays must know that Saudi Arabia does not permit American Jewish airmen at the Dharan Air Base," Israelis argued.

Mr. Hays' mention of a stipulation by Israel that ships bringing surpluses to Israel ments not enter Arab ports was denounced as "bordering on the malicious." Such clauses, it was pointed out, were inserted recently to protect American commodities since, in several recent instances, ships carrying surplus American foods to Israel have had the cargoes confiscated in Beirut or Alexandria, to prevent these foods from reaching Israel,

#### EICHMANN'S PROSECUTOR TO DECIDE TODAY ON GRANTING IMMUNITY TO EX-NAZIS

JERUSALEM, May 7. (17A) -- When the Adolf Eichmann trial resumes tomorrow, Attorney General Gideon Hausner, chief prosecutor, is expected to tell the court whether he could guarantee immunity from prosecution for two of six former Nazis whose names were submitted Friday by the defense as witnesses for Eichmann.

No immunity was granted earlier to four former Nazis whom the defense wanted to summon to Israel as witnesses. However, this did not deter Dr. Robert Servatius, Eichmann's lawyer, from asking for immunity for six other ex-Nazis.

When the list of the six was submitted on Friday, Attorney General Hausner said four them were Nazi war criminals, and would be arrested as soon as they came to Israelf-He listed them as Otto Winkelmann, one of the higher leaders in the SS and chief representative in Hungary of SS head Heinrich Himmler, duringshe time the Hungarian Jews were slaughtered; Dr. Edmund Veesenmayer, Minister Plenipotentiary to Hungary of Hitler Germany; Erich von dem Bach-Zewlewski, leader of a Nazi execution squad in occupied Russia; and Richard Baer, last commander of the Auschwitz murder factory,

The Attorney General asked for the delay until tomorrow to decide whether he could guarantee immunity to two former SS officers, Willi Hoettl and Walt Huppenkotten, After he labeled the four former Nazi officials as war criminals, the three-man court ruled that they should be questioned before a West German judge, with an Israeli representative present.

This was also the procedure ordered for the first four former Nazis whose names Dr. Servatius proposed for calling to Israel as defense witnesses-Dr. Fanz Six, a Nazi secret police officer; Hermann Krumey, a former SS major; Max Merten, Nazi military governor of Salonika, Greece; and Dr. Eberhard von Thadden, the Nazi Foreign Office expert on Jewish affairs.

The Attorney General submitted to the court a series of questions for cross-examination for the four ex-Nazis before a West Germanacourt. Though the questions also were made available to Dr. Servatius, the Attorney General asked the court to forbid publication of them so that the prospective witnesses would not learn their contents. Presiding Judge Moshe Landau said he could not do so without the consent of Dr. Servatius. The latter agreed to non-publication of questions from both defense and prosecution.

#### 200 Survivors of Nazi Death Camp Hold Reunion in New York

NEW YORK, May 7. [JTA] -- Recent statements by German leaders in connection with the Eichmann trial were denounced here today as attempts to 'soften' the Eicture of Germany's past guilt. The criticism leveled by Joseph Rosensaft, former chairman of the Central Committee of the Liberated Jews in the British Zone of Germany, at a dinner-reunion of 200 survivors of the Bergen Belsen death camp at the Hotel Delmonico.

"Statements to the effect that only 'a relatively small percentage" of Germans were convinced Nazis or that 'a great majority of Germans' were happy to help their Jewish fellow citizens when they could, have a bitter ring of irony for us who have suffered the agonizing truth in our bodies and incour hearts, "Mr. Rosensaft said,

In the same vein, Mr. Nor ert Wollheim, former vice-chairman of the Central Committee of the Liberated Jews, stressed that "the chapter of suffering, persecution and death which we have witnessed can never be closed,: Noting that in due time the Eichmann trial may share the fate of 'Other headlines of yesterds,' Mr. Wollheim declared: "Names like Bergen Belsen, Auschwitz, Maidanek and Treblinka which represent mankinds darkest hour must never be forgotten."

The meeting, which for the first time brought together two hundred survivors of one of Hitler's most feared 'factories of death,' was chair. ed by Mr. David Rosenthal, a former member of the Central Committee of the Liberated Jews, and Sam E. Bloch, a former member of the Administration of the Belsen D.P. camp after its liberation bythe Allied Armies on April 15, 1945.

#### GOLDA MEIR ARRIVES IN STOCKHOLM ON OFFICIAL GOODWILL VISIT TO SWEDEN

STOCKHOLM, May 7. (ITA) -- Israeli Foreign Minister Golda Meir arrived here today for an official goodwill visit to Sweden. Mrs. Meir was met at the airport by Swedish Foreign Minister Osten Unden, Israel Ambassador and Mrs. Arieh Aroch and leaders of - the local Jewish community. Mrs. Meir's visit is reciving wide press and television coverage:here.

#### GESTAPO LEADER, NOW IN JAIL, IS UNDECIDED ON TESTIFYING FOR EICHMANN

FRANKFURT, May 7. (JTA) -- Hermann Krumey, former deputy in Hungary of Adolf Eichmann, was reported today in his Frankfurt Jail cell as undecided on whether to testify before a West German court as a defense witness for his former Gestapo superior.

The former SS Major was named by Dr. Robert Servatius, Eichnann's defense counsel, as one of several former Nazis from whom he wanted testimony for the former Gestapo colonel on trial in Jerusalem. Krumey is awaiting trial on charges of participation in the murder of Hungarian Jews and children from the Czech village of Lidice.

Heinz Wolf, the Frankfurt Chief Prosecutor, told the Jewish TelegraphicAgency that Kumey wanted his lawyer, Erich Schmidt Leichner, to make the decision. The attorney told the JTA he first wanted to see what questions Dr. Servatius wanted to have answered,

Meanwhile, a former guard in a Nazi concentration camp was arrested here this weekend on chartes of having participated in the murder of 400 prisoners at Gusen. The accused, Heinz Jentszch, has been operating a small construction business here.

#### BONN SAYS MARTIN BORMANN, HITLER'S DEPUTY, IS ALIVE; SOUGHT BY GERMANY

FRANKFURT, May 7. (JTA) -- The German Government has "positive evidence" that Martin Bormann, deputy to Adolf Hitler, is alive and hiding "somewhere outside Germany," according to Dr. Fritz Bauer, the State Prosecutor here.

Dr. Bauer, who is conducting a widespread search for Nazi war criminals, said he has "virtually certain proof" that Bormann is alive. The prosecutor is trying to trace a number of Nazi war criminals, some of them related through their past activities to the case of Adolf Eichmann, the Gestapo colonel now on trial in Israel for the annihilation of 6,000,000 European Jews.

In connection with those cases, Dr. Bauer declared, he is carrying out a "most intensive search" for Bormann and for Dr. Joseph Mengele, the Nazi physician who was in charge of "selecting" Jews for gassing at Auschwitz. According to Dr. Bauer, leading bair repatriated to Germany from Russia five years ago brought reports that they had "confirmed" Bormann's death. Those reports, he said today, "were deliberate lies." Dr. Bauer said that a secret SS escape network, using the code name "Odessa," had helped Bormann escape.

#### CHURCHILL PLANNED SETTLING DISPLACED JEWS IN FORMER ITALIAN COLONIES

WASHINGTON, May 7. (JTA) -- Winston Churchill had told the late Josef Stalin, during the Potsdam Conference in 1945, that he had considered a plan for settling displaced Jews in former Italian colonies, it was revealed here this weekend.

The disclosure came through the publication of official United States diplomatic papers related to the Potsdam Conference. According to the papers, Mr. Churchill told Stalin that he had consulted some prominent Jews about the plan, and found they were nothing the state of the papers.

#### PRESIDENT OF TUNISIA COMMENTS ON ISRAEL; OPPOSES NASSER'S 'MACHINATIONS'

WASHINGTON, May 7. (JTA) -- President Habib Bourguiba of Tunisia, appearing before the National Press Glub, said this weekend in commenting on Israel that the best basis for hunan progress was to put aside religious and racial distinctions,

In reply to a question on Israel, the Tunisian President said he thought humanity was progressing to a point where mem wwill know each other and discover they are all the same! regardless of race or religion. He said such human progress was "the main point."

The Tunisian President rejected Nasser's leadership of the Arab world, accusing the United Arab Republic of "machinations" against Tunisia. He said "the Tunisian people have only laughter when we listen to Cairo propaganda." He emphasized that he followed a policy he considered in the best interest of his own country, "Tunisia.

#### GERMAN INDEMNIFICATION BODY RECOMMENDS RESTORATION OF ANCIENT SYNAGGUE

FRANKFURT, May 7. (JTA) -- Renovation of the oldest synagogue in this State of Hesse recommended here today by the Hessian State Indemnification Commission. The synagogue, at Michelstadt, originally consecrated in 1791, was partially wrecked during the 1938 "Crystal Night" atrocities carried out by Nazi gangs.

At the same time, a commission appointed by the State Legislature reported that it had completed inspection of 342 Jewish cemeteries in Hesse, and found that "for the most part, they were in good condition." Members of the commission have been visiting the cemeteries during the last few weeks, accompanied by Rabbi I. E. Lichtigfeld.

#### JEWISH IMMIGRATION TO ISRAEL REPORTED INCREASED; 3,300 ARRIVED LAST MONTH

JERUSALEM, May 7. (JTA) -- Jewish immigration in April of this year was almost three times as large as in April 1960, the Jewish Agency reported today. A total of 3, 300 immigrants arrived in Israel last month, compared with 1, 300 in the same month last year.

#### TOYNBEE EQUATES ZIONISM WITH ANTI-SEMITISM; ATTACKED BY JEWISH LEADERS

PHILADELPHIA, May 7. (JTA) -- Arnold Jr. Toynbee, the British historian, in an address here last hight, equated Zionism and anti-Semitism as representing "an identical point of view" and said that anti-Semitism will end and Judaism become "one of the great spiritual possessions of the whole human race" when Jews and non-Jews "abandon" their ethnic or national reservations" about Jews. Jewish leaders immediately took issue with his views charging him with making "distorted statements."

Dr. Toynbee made-his statements as the principal speaker at the dinner of the 17th annual conference of the anti-Zionist American Council for Judaism. Both Zionism and anti-Semitism, he declared, assume "that it is impossible for Jews and non-Jews to grow together into a single community and that, therefore, a physical separation is the only way out."

"The watchword of anti-Semitism," Dr. Toynbee continued, "is back to medieval apartheid; the watchword of Zionism is back to the medieval ghetto. I All the far-flung ghettos of the world are to be gathered into one patch of soil in Palestine, to create a single, consolidated ghetto."

Asserting that Zionism "was born of a pessimism" about the prospects of Jewish emancipation; Dr. Toynbee held that "if the Jewish community in the West were to continue to be an ethnic--even if only a partly ethnic and partly religious--community, co-existing with the present State of Israel, it could hardly avoid falling, sooner or later, into the position of being a political dependency of Israel."

In reply, Murray H, Shusterman, president of the Jewish Community Relations Council of Greater Philadelphia, said: "Professor Toynbee's statement that Zionism and anti-Semitism stem from the same point of view is a shocking example of defamation of the Jewish people." Rabbi Throdore Gordon, president of the Greater Philadelphia Board of Rabbis, commented that Dr. Toynbee's "lack of understanding of the religious roots of Zionism, and its spiritual implications in Jewish life, is grossly apparent."

(In New York, Professor Toynbee was accused today of being "ignorant" of the essential nature of Judaism and of "totally misunderstanding" the purpose of Zionism. Professor Sol-Liptzin of City College, chairman of the Commission on Jewish Affairs of the American Jewish Congress, made the criticism at an all-day conference of rabbis and educators. Professor Liptzin told the AfCongress meeting: "In urging that Judaism abandon its ethnic character, Professor Toynbee is in effect calling on the Jewish people to commit harakiri. For the fact is that Judaism cannot survive without budaism cannot survive without budaism cannot survive without budaism.")

#### Council for Judaism Criticizes Israel on Eichmann Trial; Votes on U. J. A.

At the concluding session of its conference today, the Council for Judaism adopted a resolution asserting that the Adolf Eichmann trial, currently being held in Israel, is furnishing the Zionist movement with the opportunity of "identifying all Jews with a system of national rights and obligations,"

Emphasizing that "all mankind was horrified by the unparalleled crimes for which Eichmann is being tried," the resolution declared it "inexcusable" that the trial "provides another opportunity for Israeli-Zionist officials to foster the concept of 'Jewish' nationality by using the term 'the Jewish people' to imply an automatic nationalistic relationship to the State of Israel."

Another resolution called for "effective, real re-organization of the United Jewish Appeal" to include the following: "I. A genuine separation of the control of the UJA from the Jewish Agency for Israel and other Zionist organizations, themselves the major beneficiaries of the UJA; Z. Effective American control over actual disbursement of UJA funds to ultimate beneficiaries; 3. Regular publication of complete, understandable, detailed re-ports accessible to examination; such reports should include details of expenditures to ultimate beneficiaries."

The conference "condemned" Zionist efforts "to capture the communities of United States Jews for the purposes of Zionistni," noted the Zionist elaborate structure aimed at "education for Aliyah"; and called upon lay and rabbinical bodies to distinguish between "education in Judaism" and "education for Jewish" nationalism."

The delegates also adopted a resolution calling on the United States Government "to examine the structure of the Israeli-Zionist organization" and to "protect United States citizens from involuntary identification with a foreign nationalism, ". This resolution asserted that "Zionism's representation of the 'Jewish people' cannot be regarded as applicable to United States citizens, "

#### VANDALS SMEAR ANTI-JEWISH SLOGANS ON N. Y. JEWISH HOME; CAUSE \$1,000 DAMAGE

AMITYVILLE, N.Y., May 7. (JTA) -- Crude swastikas and anti-Jewish slogans were smeared in large numbers this weekend on all the outer walls of the home of Eugene J. Blumberg, an attorney in this Long Island town. The damage from the vandalism, which was carried out while the family slept, was estimated at \$1,000.

#### STEVENSON STRESSES EINSTEIN'S ROLE IN HELPING U.S. TO WIN WORLD WAR II

NEW YORK, May 7. (JTA) -- The role which the late Professor Albert Einstein played in helping the United States win World\*War II and in bringing the Nazi regime to an end was emphasized here tonight by Adbi E Stevenson, head of the U.S. delegation to the United Nations.

Mr. Stevenson was the principal speaker at a dinner attended by 1, 200 friends of the Abert Einstein College of Medicine of Yeshiva University. The dinner followed ground-breaking ceremonies on the college campus earlier today. At the dinner, it was announced that \$7,000,000 has been contributed toward the \$27,500,000 development and expansion program in which the college is now engaged.

Emphasizing that Professor Einstein's original calculations on mass and energy helped to pavette way for the atomic bomb, Ambassador Stevenson reminded the audience that it was Dr. Einstein who wrote to President Roosevelt at the beginning of the war advising him that the Germans were considering such a weapon. The "Manhattan Project" sprang from Professor Einstein's initiative. Mr. Stevenson stressed,

Mr. Stevenson recalled that, for a time after World War I, "when all Europe's governments were mccor less civilized and democratic," Einstein combined support for the League of Nations with a passionate plea for total disarmament. "But such was his down-to-earth sagacity that, on the day-that Hitler took over power in Germany, he abandoned pacifism, and even shocked his followers by urging re-armament to resist a government which, he saw at once, had put itself outside the bounds of civilized society, "the U.S. statesman declared.

"Professor Einstein warned his supporters to beware of the rapturous offers of Communist backing," Mr. Stevenson continued, "He was not taken in by Stalin's peace campaigns. There was at least one man in Europe whom the Nazi-Soviet pact did not take by surprise," Ambassador Stevenson said. He added that Einstein spent the last ten years of his life arguing ceaselessly with both sides on the follies of an arms race and the essential need to control all arms in the interests of human survival.

In a special tribute, at the dinner, Dr. Samuel Belkin, president of Yeshiva University, presented silver spades, symbolic of the ground-breaking ceremonies, to donors of over \$1,000,000. These were given to Mr. and Mrs. Siegfried Ullmann, for their gift of \$2,000,000, establishing the Ullman Research Center for Health Sciences; and to Mr. and Mrs. David Schwartz and Horace W. Goldsmith, for their gifts of \$1,000,000 each establishing twin patient care pavilions at the University Hospital.

During the ground-breaking ceremonies, addresses were delivered by U.S. Senator Jacob K. Javits; Professor Hans Albert Einstein, son of the late Albert Einstein; New York State Attorney General Louis J. Lefkowitz; Jack D. Weiler, chairman of the college's board of overseers; Max K. Etra, chairman of Yeshiva University's board of trustees, and others,

## ORTHODOX LEADER SAYS JEWISH COMMUNITIES MUST TAKE CARE OF RELIGIOUS SCHOOLS

NEW YORK, May 7. (JTA) -- A leading Orthodox rabbi proposed tonight a procedure for resolving the dispute within the American Jewish community on the issue of Federal aid to religious schools.

Rabbi Charles Weinberg, recently re-elected national president of the Rabbinical Council of America, made his suggestion in an address as principal guest speaker at the 63rd Anniversary National Dinner of the Union of Orthodox Jewish Congregations of America, the central agency of traditional Jewish congregations in the United States and Canada.

Rabbi Weinberg told the 700 guests at the annual dinner, held at the Pierre Hotel here that the federal aid controversy both within the Jewish community and in relations of the Jewish community with the larger community could be resolved by application of the ancient Jewish principle of "taking care of our own."

"I would propose that all elements of the orthodox Jewish community organize a basis for an approach to the Council of Jewish Federations and Welfare Funds, as the central body of the 800 federations and welfare funds of our Jewish community, to achieve a better, more fruitful approach to this problem, "he said. "Through such negotiation, it should be possible to channel some of the funds raised from all Jewish contributors to the Hebrew Day School,"

The religious leader stressed that "the controversy now raging in the American Jewish community concerning Federal aid to private schools stems in part from a widespread concern among Jewish educators for the continued growth of a system of religious education which is accepted widely as a significant contribution to the development of a truly Jewish community in the United States. "He cited the existence of more than 250 all-day Hebrew schools in the United States, with an enrollment of 50,000 pupils.

He charged that the principle of "taking care of or own" was one "which has been almost totally ignored in the area of Jewish education, particularly the type of maximum Jewish education represented by the Hebrew all-day school." He pointed out that the traditional Jew in the United States "contributes to the central Jewish fund in his community for the needs of the total community" in application of "the democratic principle of self-taxation which has made it possible for our community to flourish without the problems of government supervision or control."

# DR. SCHWARTZ LEAVES FOR ISRAEL TO DISCUSS SECOND DECADE OF EOND CAMPAIGN

NEW YORK, May 7. (JTA) -- The completion of the first decade of State of Israel Bonds will be marked this week when Dr. Joseph J. Schwartz, vice-president of the Israel Bond Organization, meets with Prime Minister Ben-Gurion and Finance Minister Eshkol in Jerûsalem to consider Israel's future economic needs.

Dr. Schwartz left yesterday for Israel to set up the program for the official celebration of the tenth anniversary of the Israel Bond Organization, which will take place at a National Leaders Conference to be held in Jerusalem and TelAviv during the period from July 25 through August 3. Following his seven-day stay in Israel, the Israel bond leader will take part in a special dinner tribute in Paris to Baron Edmond de Rothschild; president of the Israel bond campaign in Europe, signaling theopening of the 1961 campaign overseas.

## NEGRO ORGANIST COMPOSES JEWISH LITURGICAL MUSIC; MAKES DEBUT IN TEMPLE

PATERSON, N.J., May 7. (JTA) -- Worshipers at Congregation B'nai Jeshurun here heard the temple's cantor and choir perform yesterday a one-and-one-half hour religious service, the music for which was composed by the temple's Negro-Baptist organist. To organist, 20-year-old William Farley Smith, made his debut as a composer of Jewish liturgical music after working for six months with the Reform temple's cantor, Joseph Posner, in creating a musical setting in a modern idiom for the traditional responsess during the service.

Mr. Smith, who does not read Hebrew, explained that by listening and getting accustomed to the tone of the language he was able to set the transliteration to music. Noting that he used Jewish modes and the resources of the Hæsidic idiom, he said that the melodies were "net of traditional source, but they are definitely Jewish." Mr. Smith is the sixth organist in the 14-year historypof the congregation.

#### SONCINO PRESS ISSUES NEW 18-VOLUME EDITION OF ENGLISH TRANSLATION OF TALMUD

NEW YORK, May 7. (JTA) -- The Soncino Press of London today announced here the publication of a new 18-volume edition of the English translation of the Babylonian Talmud. The announcement was made by S. M. Bloch, managing director of Soncino, who arrived in this country to introduce the new edition. He said that the first four volumes would be available in the United States next Sunday.

"We are presenting this new edition of the Talmud," Mr. Bloch said, "at a time when the world thirsts for traditional values; when present-day members of the Jewish faith need to know and understand the basic philosophies of their forefathers. It is our modest hope that by scrupulously translating this revered repository of Hebraic knowledge and ideas into the languages on many know best, we will help fill this void."

Soncino's original English translation of the Talmud, published in 1932, required 35 volumes. However, modern typography and the use of a special white India paper, compact but sufficiently opaque to permit facile reading, has made possible the publication of the complete Talmud in 18 volumes, without a single omission, "Mr. Bloch stated.

#### JEWISH LEGION IN U.S. SENDS BUSTS OF JABOTINSKY AND TRUMPELDOR TO ISRAEL

NEW YORK, May 7. (JTA) -- Busts of Vladimir Jabotinsky and Joseph Trumpeldor, founders of the Jewish Legion during the First World War, have been sent to Avichail village, Israel, where they will be unveiled on May 15, it was announced here today by Hagdud Haivri League, an organization of surviving veterans of the Legion.

President Izhak Ben-Zvi and Premier David Ben-Gurion will participate un dedication ceremonies at the village, marking the opening of the 500-seat Goodman-Strekim: Auditorium in the Bet Hagdudim cultural center built by Hagdud Haivri League. The double-life-size statues of the founders of the Legion, which will be housed in the patio of Bet Hagdudim, were created by Nathan Rapoport, the sculptor of the famous international memorial monument in Warsaw.

# ISRAEL PRESIDENT PARTICIPATES IN HADASSAH-HEBREW U. HOSPITAL CEREMONY

JERUSALEM, May 7. (JTA) -- A mezuzah was today affixed to the main entrance of the hadassah-Hebrew University Hospital and Medical Center in nearby Ein Karem by Chief Rabbi 'itzhak Nissim in the presence of President Izhak Ben-Zvi and Hadassah national president, Mrs. Siegfried Kramarsky, marking the beginning of the transfer of the scattered Hadassah facilities to the new center.

After the ceremony, President Ben-Zvi toured the premises, which were visited later in the afternoon by Prime Minister David Ben-Gurion. Furniture, equipment and supplies are already being moved into the center with the transfer of hospital wards and patients scheduled for June 6,

# ROSE HALPRIN MADE HONORARY LIFE MEMBER OF U.S. -CANADIAN GROUP IN ISRAEL

TEL AVIV, May 7. (JTA) -- Mrs. Rose Halprin, a member of the Jewish Agency executive was today made an honorary life member of the Association of Americans and Canadians in Israel im recognition of her faithful support of the organization. The presentation of a special scroll to Mrs. Halprin was made at a special meeting of the group here.