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German Jewry Carries On

By Ludwig Lewisohn

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IN July 1933 I worked in Paris on a Franco-American Jewish committee for the relief of our fugitives from Germany who were crossing the frontier at the rate of several hundred a day. Among the consultants of that committee was a lawyer of Cologne, an able and now grimly realistic man. Certain measures were proposed in the committee to which an aged member offered the objection that these measures, were they to become known, might do harm to the Jews of Germany. Our Cologne lawyer said with a lack of emphasis more terrible than any outburst would have been: "You can not harm the German Jews any more." We all fell silent. I thought of the line of Bunyan: "He that is down need fear no fall." Well, the meaning here was altogether different, a wholly desperate one. You could not rob the German Jews of any hope. They were hopeless.

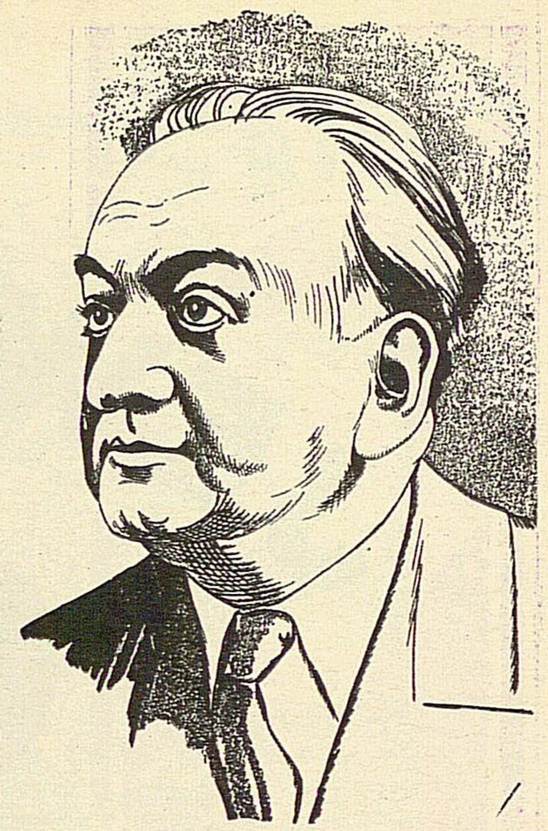
They are, if possible, more hopeless today. A chapter is closing. A group of our people, as such, is doomed. And in the midst of that doom, under the lash of hunger and obloquy, of bitter need and bitterer defamation, they are upholding the supremacy of the triumphant mind; they are today, on their terrific *yom ha-din*, an example to world-Jewry of moral and spiritual mobilization. They are Jewishly and intellectually more productive today than the free Jewries of the West.

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Let us get at the facts. The circulation of the *Juedische Rundschau*, the extraordinarily able Zionist biweekly, has quadrupled since 1933. People in the extremes of poverty join, two or three families, to afford a single subscription or the few *pfennig* to buy each number separately. The circulation of the *Israelitisches Famlienblatt* of Hamburg and of the *Zeitung* of the *Central-Verein* have risen in lesser but also enormous proportion. And note that these papers manage to sustain themselves under the Nazi regime only by confining themselves to Jewish news and to preoccupation with Jewish literature, art and philosophy, with Zionist politics and with Palestine. But that is what these German Jews desire. They have been awakened. They are re-born. Men and women who until 1933 had no Jewish knowledge and few Jewish interests are rebuilding their inner lives and the lives of their children through the historic and living culture of Israel.

They have their press. They have through cultural associations their theatre and their music to which, by Nazi decree, no Aryans are admitted, so that the sale and distribution of tickets must be rigorously guarded. The slightest infringement of police regulations would mean destruction.

They have their books. The *Juedische Buch-Vereinigung*, a cooperative enterprise, began its series of publications this winter with Arthur Eloesser's excellent "Vom Ghetto nach Europa," a history of the intellectual processes by which German Jewry entered European civilization between Mendelssohn and Heine. But the triumph of German Jewry over its fate is symbolized by the publishing house founded and sustained by that great philanthropist, Zionist and scholar Salmann Schocken. This extraordinary undertaking has put out during this spring of 1936 the first two volumes of a new and highly original



Ludwig Lewisohn

"History of Israel," by Elias Auerbach; a great anthology of Jewish material found in German poetry, drama and fiction, called "The Sevenfold Light," an important work of Jewish philosophy "Tradition and World Crisis" by Paul Amann, a new thin paper edition in one volume of the beautiful collection of haggadic material by M. J. Bin Gorion, formerly published in six volumes, the collected letters (large octavo Pp.743) of the late Franz Rosenzweig, a new and cheaper edition of the translation of the scriptures by Martin Buber and Rosenzweig, new editions off all the works of Martin Buber and the essays of Dr. Leo Baeck as well as the three volumes of the Jewish writings of the late eminent neo-Kantian philosopher Hermann Cohen.

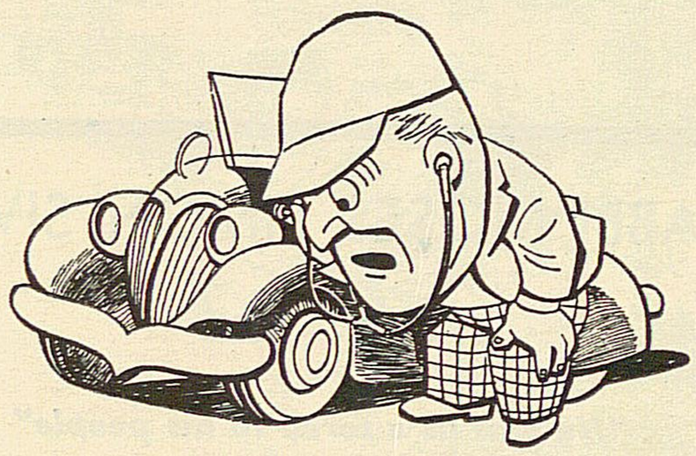
I omit mention of the truly magnificent contributions to technical Jewish scholarship issued by the Institute for Research in the history of Jewish poetry and philosophy, founded by Schocken in 1930, and hasten to call special attention to the two series of pamphlets and small books costing respectively 50 pfennig and one mark 25 apiece that are both learnedly and exquisitely placing into the hands of German Jews and German Jewish youth the treasures of our past and of our present. Here are Jeremiah and Jehuda Halevi, Buber and Agnon, Leo Baeck and the life of Josephus, proverbs and tales and legends and histories, an anthology of Yemenite song and story, selections from the late Franz Kafka and the living Jewish poets Karl Wolfskehl and Ludwig Strauss, selections from the Ma'aseh book, from Talmud and Midrash, from the writings of Hermann Cohen and the Rambam and Bialik; here are Yiddish folk songs and the autobiography of Salomon Maimon and the narrative of his intercession with Caligula of Philo of Alexandria.

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And what have we—free, prosperous and nearly five million strong? What have we in comparison? How are we carrying on? How are we disseminating our treasures, the contents of that Judaism as a civilization for which Mordecai Kaplan has so learnedly plead? What have we—at twenty cents to half a dollar—to place in the hands of our people and of our children and into the hands (still possible here) of those Christian neighbors who do not desire to remain in a state of prejudiced ignorance concerning us? We have nothing like this Jewish series of Schocken or the Hebrew Everyman's library, the admirable *Sefrih l'Khol*, published at Tel Aviv. What have we? And where is our Salmann Schocken and our Schocken-Verlag? . . . The German Jews are carrying on . . I throw out this suggestion, this reproach, this query without any other hope than that here and there a few quiet thoughtful people may keep these matters in their minds.

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I Joined the Christian Party

An Expose of William Dudley Pelley's Silver Shirts

By Dan Swett

A Jewish journalist ventured into Pelley's den of anti-Semitism in Seattle, joined the Silver Shirts and obtained the first really authentic information on the notorious organization. His story will be published through the Seven Arts Feature Syndicate exclusively in The Jewish Criterion and affiliated Seven Arts publications. This is the first of three articles. —THE EDITOR.

I FIRST went to the Christian Party headquarters at 3005 Arcade Building, Seattle, on June 1st, prompted by curiosity. My features are of such type that I can be taken for any nationality, and I wore a button in my lapel indicating that I had been honorably discharged from the United States Marine Corps. This button was noticed by W. W. McDonald, Christian Party organizer in Seattle, who at once drew me into conversation regarding the party and its aims. He took my name (assumed, of course) and address and gave me a supply of "literature," telling me to come back after I had read it. I later learned that the Christian Party is anxious to induct ex-service men into its ranks.

Among the literature I was given was one circular which explained at length the old principles of Americanism, dwelling on the fact that when the internal peace of any locality was threatened all patriots organized themselves into bands of vigilantes in order that they might cope with the situation. The circular further explained that today America is threatened by the Jewish bankers and Communists, and called upon all good Americans to organize themselves into "Councils of Safety" so that this threat to our country might be eradicated. This determined me to find out if a Council of Safety had been organized in Seattle, and to join it if it were possible to do so.

On my next trip to the party office, on June 8th, McDonald greeted me cordially. This time a woman also was present; she was introduced to me as a Mrs. Hoffman. This woman immediately impressed me as being dangerous. She was sharp-eyed, and looked me over closely from head to foot before acknowledging the introduction. Her voice was cold and had a very much affected Boston inflection. All the time I was at the office she continued to watch me closely.

When I asked about the Council of Safety McDonald was eager to explain it to me. "Yes," he said, "we're organizing them here. Right now we're working in the West Seattle territory. We've only got two requirements for membership, and you can fit both of those."

"What are they?" I questioned.

"Well, you have to be a good Protestant and a patriot. We don't want no Roman Pope-lovers. Only good, Christian, God-fearing Americans. There's gonna be a meeting day after tomorrow in West Seattle. Think you can make it?"

"I'd certainly like to," I replied.

"O.K.," he answered, signing a card and handing it to me, "The address is on here. You just show this to the fellow at the door and he'll let you in. You come there and you'll find out what the Jews are trying to do to us."

Of the Council of Safety meetings little need be said. At that time they were held at Townsend Hall, 4823 California Avenue, in West Seattle. On Wednesday, June 10th, there were twelve persons present beside McDonald, Mrs. Hoffman and myself. However, I was given to understand that this group was only a nucleus about which would be formed an organization "hundreds strong." The meeting was taken up by reports from McDonald and Mrs. Hoffman concerning the nefarious activities of Jews in the United States and by laudatory expositions of Pelley's plan of government, the Christian Commonwealth. Extracts were read from Pelley's Weekly, presumably because the majority of the members find reading for themselves a difficult job.

The audience that evening was composed of the most ignorant class of laborors—mostly low paid mill hands. longshoremen and dockworkers. Every time some derogatory mention was made of Jews or Communists they applauded dutifully. Mrs. Hoffman, when not speaking, was watching the face of each member. When the meeting was over, and the audience gathered into groups of two or three, she seemed to bustle around eavesdropping on the conversation of all groups at once.

The only surprising thing about the party unit here—and I understand that this applies also to other units in the rest of the country—is where its money comes from. I was given to understand that "unlimited" funds were available, but the source of these funds was not explained to me. The only known sources of income are from the sale of literature and voluntary contributions from members. The literature, which includes a newly rehashed version of the Protocols of Zion, another pamphlet just as absurd called the "Hidden Empire," and Pelley's Weekly, a hopeless little propaganda sheet, nets anywhere from twenty-five to fifty cents a week in sales, and members' contributions bring even less. Where, then, does

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EDITORIAL

WHOSE FAULT?

WE are beginning to think that Mr. Avery Brundage is not so pleased that the United States decided to send a brood of athletes to the Olympic Games after all. From the moment the decision was made, albeit after much fuming and fanfare, Mr. Brundage has had nothing but headaches. First it was the press of the country, non-Jewish as well as Jewish—that chided him for many of his utterances, especially those which were said to have an anti-Semitic twist. Then a gentleman named Jeremiah T. Mahoney added to his worries by bruiting about certain facts of what went on in Olympic committee meetings. Mr. Mahoney's charges made Mr. Brundage blush no end, though the latter put forth every effort to preserve face.

After the committee decided that America shall be represented, Mr. Mahoney passed from the picture just in time for a new plague to be visited upon Mr. Brundage. Whence shall come the funds to transport the athletes and keep them fit for the competition? This question added ten years to his life, though the gentleman tapped every sports exchequer in the country. The teams sailed last week with a deficit, after several squads were dropped in an attempt to balance the budget. Once on the high seas, Mr. Brundage thought he had at last shaken misfortune. But alas! it was not to be. On shipboard his large, happy family became, it seems, too gay; and the upshot was the dismissal of a star swimmer and charges of wholesale carousing. Further dismissals followed upon the arrival of the athletes in Berlin for alleged infractions of training rules though at the present writing no one is willing to tell the bald details.

It hardly needs a second glance to convince the American fan back home that this country would not get the laurel wreath for internal management. Things have come to a pretty pass when a boatful of young men and women cannot spend a few days on the ocean without jeopardizing a nation's victory chances in so important an international event. Of course, the athletes themselves are not children, and therefore are not blameless. But were the watchful eyes more watchful, much of the unpleasantness that has arisen would have been avoided.

It is a good thing the Games are opening today, otherwise Mr. Brundage himself might have to fill in on the badminton squad.

"A SANE VOICE . . . "

WE have always had more than ordinary respect for Dr. Hjalmar Schacht, president of the German Reichsbank. Cloistered though he is in a land of bigots and chauvinists, he has nevertheless managed to retain a remarkable sense of values. He has never allowed the miasma of Nazi treachery to cloud his vision. He has never seen eye to eye with Hitlerite schemers who hold the destiny of an erstwhile live and progressive nation in their palms. On too many occasions for his own safety has he transgressed the sacred bounds of Nazi diplomacy to speak his mind, refusing to be gagged by the regulations of the Ministry of Propaganda and Enlightenment which promulgates the notion of free speech peculiar to present-day Germany. Frankly does he have his say—and he can afford to, for he is a financial wizard whom his government needs more than he needs it.

Recently Dr. Schacht was being congratulated by an interviewer on his success in maintaining the economic existence of a nation, bankrupt in terms of gold, and lacking most of the raw materials necessary to its great industries. More than that he had obtained manna by methods that amazed economists for the carrying out of a stupendous rearmament program. Financial experts, who said in 1933 that the Nazi regime would not last a year, this interviewer pointed out, had begun to respect the unorthodox system of barter by which this wizard had kept alive a country that had no apparent means of subsistence.

Dr. Schacht listened stoically, then turned on his interviewer:

> "Do you really think that it is a normal way to exist when you are obliged to revert to medieval methods of barter instead of using the interplay of exchanges? Do you really think it is good to replace credit by a bureaucratic regime which is a burden for those applying it no less than to those to whom it is applied. The truth is that economic life should be free. It is incredibly barbarous to exchange machinery against grain, radio sets against tobacco, or rubber against cotton, as if we were savages bartering ivory against shell. Is such a system worthy of a civilized human society?"

Since barter has been recommended to America as a panacea for her economic ills, Dr. Schacht's remark becomes gospel. Here the doctor admits that he is keeping the breath of life in his patient only by artificial respiration, but is afraid that he cannot fortify the patient against eventual death. And when the doctor criticizes his own procedure, you can rest assured that he is honest and dependable.

Dr. Schacht is here condemning economic nationalism. On the surface it looks Utopian, is a step toward international stabilization; whereas in reality it makes for poverty, bureaucracy and foreign insecurity. America should look with suspicion upon such a system which strikes at the roots of liberal government. It should learn a lesson from a regime that has been functioning on borrowed momentum. It should be chary of an "autarchy" which is riding high to a fall.

We can be thankful that amidst the shadows which have enveloped Naziland there shines this one, hopeful light. We can rejoice that among all the Nazi chieftains there is one who is not a mummer, but who speaks in a clear voice and sees with an unerring eye.

Him can we trust, for unwilling to be deceived, he will not deceive us. We trust he will find a place of refuge when the crash comes.

RABBI MOSES SIMON SIVITZ

"FROM his little study in his home at 1229 Epiphany Street," the newspapers said, "Rabbi Sivitz gained world-wide recognition. . ." Here is the summation of the scholarly life that was his, this beloved rabbi and teacher in Israel. A chronic ailment sapped whatever strength he was able to salvage from a long and active career in the service of his people.

To Pittsburgh Jewry he was a patriarch. He came here 50 years ago, and spent 45 of them in the pulpit of his little congregation on Townsend Street, which, appropriately enough, bears the name of Gates of Wisdom. During this half century, he wrote tirelessly on biblical subjects and homiletics. He leaves behind hundreds of manuscripts and treatises as well as five books on Moses, all of which bear the stamp of profound study and learning.

When he came to this community, the Jewish population was negligible, and few of us today know of his efforts to establish harmony between the orthodox and liberal Jews of his day. His ability to preserve unity among his people attracted requests for advice and assistance from numberless civic enterprises. He never refused them.

A founder of Yeshiva College in New York City and a high officer of the Rabbinical Council of North America, he leaves behind a spirit of selfless devotion to inspire his fellow-anointed of the House of Jacob.

Italy Wants Palestine Internationalized

Mussolini's Press and Propaganda Undermining Homeland

By Moses Moskowitz

This is the first of two articles on Italian political action against the Jewish Homeland. The author is a student of public law and social economy; he is an authority on Italian affairs and has made a special study of the attitude of the Italian press toward the development of a Jewish Palestine before and since the Ethiopian adventure.
—THE EDITOR.

FOR a number of years the Jews the world over looked upon Italy as a friend of the Jewish National Homeland in Palestine. Italian public opinion looked with favor upon the Jewish enterprise in Palestine, and Italian statesmen spoke of the Zionist cause with sympathetic understanding. Italy seemed to reckon seriously with the eventual Jewish nation in Palestine and her policy dictated a positive attitude toward Zionism. Italian economic circles expressed great satisfaction with Italy's commercial relations with Palestine and looked forward to an even more profitable trade in the future. The Italian press followed very closely the development in the Holy Land, painting it in the brightest colors and prophesying the early realization of the Zionist dream. Finally, Italy magnanimously expressed her faith in the New Palestine when, several years ago, she endowed a chair in Italian literature at the University of Jerusalem.

It is true that from time to time Zionism was attacked in Italy. But these attacks, inspired by extreme Fascism and the result of misunderstanding of the objects of Zionism, were directed mainly against the Italian Jews. After a period of time these attacks ceased almost completely. Suffice it to recall the many utterances made by Premier Mussolini in which he expressed the highest regard for the Jewish renaissance in Palestine. Indeed, it was only shortly before the outbreak of the Italo-Abyssinian war that S. Parini, Italian Minister for Propaganda, declared that "Rome looks with the greatest sympathy upon the Jewish Homeland in Palestine and fully recognizes the services rendered by the Jews in the Holy Land." Under these circumstances it was only natural that the Jews should have felt justified in their belief in Italy's abiding sympathies with the Jewish aspirations in Palestine.

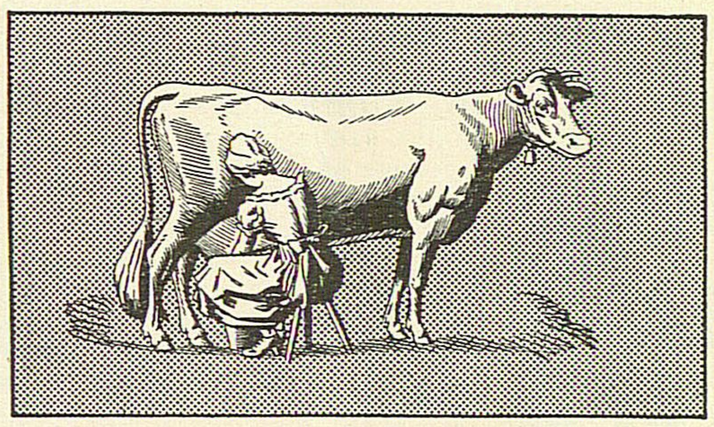
Of late, however, Italy has been officially and unofficially linked with the present disturbances in Palestine. It is generally agreed that Italian propaganda, broadcast from Italian stations or conducted by Italian agents in Palestine itself, has unquestionably helped inflame the passions and to stimulate the hopes of the Arabs. Several weeks ago Prime Minister Baldwin, speaking before Parliament, warned against Italian seditious propaganda in Egypt and in Palestine. In the week of May 31, Dr. Chaim Weizmann declared in a lecture before the Royal Central Asian Society in London that "Italian propaganda has been busy in Palestine, particularly in Arabic messages broadcast from Italian stations, since the Abyssinian war." The press, especially in England and France, has been emphatic in its repeated reports of Italian propaganda among the Arabs and of Italian subsidies to Arabic funds. On May 27 L'Oeuvre of Paris published documentary evidence to the effect that Emir Scekib Arslan of Egypt concluded a four-year accord with Italy for which he received a handsome sum of money. Moreover, the charges of Italian propaganda were not only not denied in Arab circles but were tacitly or openly admitted to be true. As early as September 23, 1935, Fakhri Bey Nashashibi, President of the Arab Labor Organization in Palestine, speaking before the Royal Central Asian Society on "The Position of the Arabs in Palestine," declared that "in their desperation, the Arabs are becoming more and more ready to lend an ear to foreign propaganda at critical moments such as confronts the British Empire at the present time." Similarly, on June 20, Jamal al Husseini, leader of the Arab Nationalist Party in Palestine, admitted that the reports of Italian propaganda among the Arabs are "true to a certain extent." Finally, while Italy found it necessary to deny officially, through her Consul General in Jerusalem, the charges of Italian subsidies to Arab funds, she did not find it even expedient to refute the charges of Italian propaganda among the Arabs.

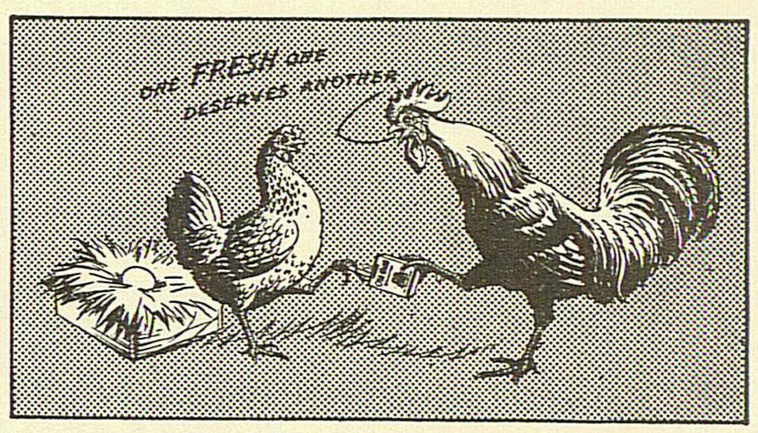
It is undoubtedly true that the Italian propaganda among the Arabs bears a direct relationship to the role of England in the Italo-Ethiopian war and was designed, presumably, to embarrass the English Government in retaliation for the latter's stand on sanctions. But it is equally true that, although there are no official pronouncements, the opinions and sentiments evidenced in the Italian press indicate that Italy has assumed a definite anti-Zionist attitude which may prove to be of far-reaching consequence. As early as July, 1935, when the Abyssinian war was still a matter of discourse, the Regime Fascista, official organ of the Fascist Party and once outspokenly in favor of a Jewish State in Palestine, carried an article which tended to ridicule and insinuate against the very same thing for which it once did find sufficient words of praise. Answering his own question, "What really is Palestine?" the writer declares as follows: " . . . a land of thousands of beastly natures, where Jewish young men are lurking on Arabs and Arabs are beating up Jews; pious, veiled Arab women flirting with broad-shouldered young men of Israel; the sparkling of diamonds and endless darkness. This, really, is the true picture of Palestine; a mixture of races, Arabs, Jews, Zionists, Sephardim, Yemenites, Ashkenazim." Naturally, the writer concludes, nothing good and worth while can possibly come out of such a state of affairs. Attacking the Mandate system in Palestine, he concludes: "Without shouting or fanfaring we can already say today that the 'case' Palestine is one of the most distressing features of European colonial policy. The Mandate regime is tottering and about to expire. Not in vain has Lord Rothemere remarked that the Palestine Mandate is one of the most lunatic adventures of the post-war period. And let us be mindful of the fact that the Mandate regime constitutes a great menace to the Mohammedan peoples, to the Arabs the warld over, and especially to Catholic Italy, which has the historic duty of maintaining the healthy equilibrium in the Mohammedan world."

These statements in the Regime Fascista proved to be only the opening of a press campaign which is still in full progress. The present situaation in Palestine is very prominently featured in the Italian press, which takes particular pains to present and amplify the Arab side and to attack the Mandate together with the Zionist cause. No opportunity is missed to attack the "injustice" of the Balfour Declaration, or to emphasize England's imperialistic designs in Palestine. In addition, the Italian press draws heavily upon foreign comments on the present situation in Palestine, especially German comment, which happens to agree with the Italian point of view. Needless to add, all find themselves in agreement that the Zionist venture is a misfortune and England's rule in Palestine a complete failure.

Thus we read in the Corriere dolla Sera of May 27 that "the real and original blunder which is responsible for this complex imbroglio in Palestine is the Balfour Declaration . . . The Jews cannot claim any right to Palestine after having been away for so many years; especially when, in the

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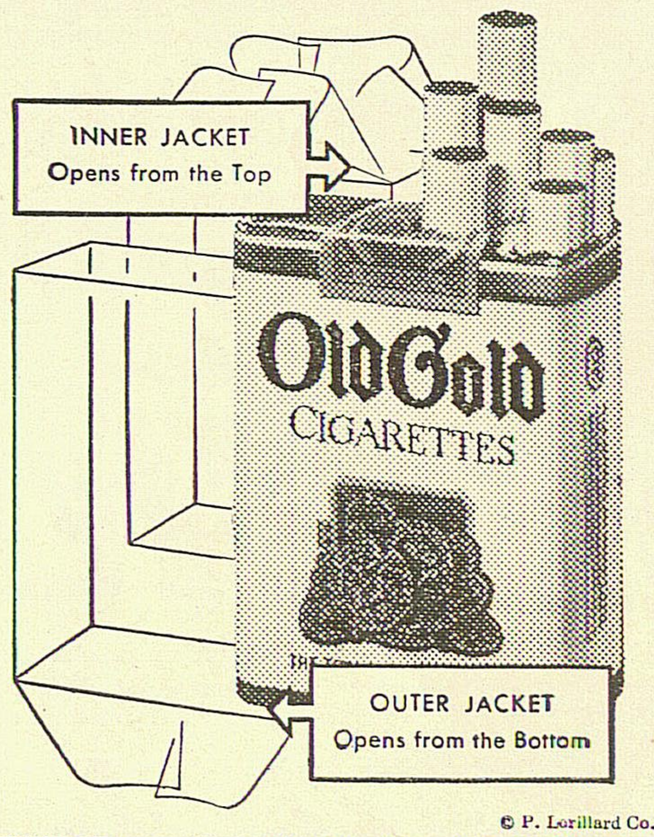
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5 Arabs, including Communists and a Government official, were arrested in Lifta after a search by the authorities revealed considerable Communist literature and four rifles.

Only because a freight train was by chance shunted from a nearby siding ten minutes before a Haifa passenger train reached the spot near Kalkilyeh where Arab saboteurs had torn loose the railroad tracks was a terrible disaster that might have cost the lives of scores of Jews averted. The Haifa train carried 100 Jewish passengers. The 20-car freight train was derailed as it passed over the dislocated tracks.

The first break in recent restrictions against communication with the outside world occurred when the Government ordered the lifting of the censorship on telegrams to America and Europe, for the time being.

Two British soldiers of the Cheshire regiment were wounded as they were standing guard over a platelaying gang along the railway line near Tulkarem. They were shot by three Arabs who had been loitering suspiciously near the railroad and whom they had challenged. The assailants escaped.

Assimilationists Aid Drive Against Alien Jews in Roumania

Bucharest — With the slogan "Roumania for the Roumanians" a group of assimilationist Jews have organized a new society to cooperate with those Roumanian groups that oppose alien Jews in the country. Leaders of the movement are former Senator Finkelstein and M. Peltz, author.

Last Jew Leaves Pappenheim

Berlin—Pappenheim, one of the oldest and once one of the most flourishing Jewish communities in Germany, was added to the growing number of "Judenrein" towns when the last Jewish family moved out. The government insurance department and the old age pension bureau have dismissed their last remaining Jewish doctors.

Danzig Bans Warsaw Yiddish Paper

Warsaw — Continuing its war on the Jews, the Nazi regime of Danzig has banned the Warsaw Moment, Yiddish daily, from the Free City for six months, as a result of an article in the Moment attacking the Danzig regime. A number of Jews were seriously injured here when anti-Semites attacked a meeting called to protest the violation of Jewish rights in Danzig.



Nazi Press Attacks German Jewish Refugees in Spain

Berlin — Attacks on pro-Nazi Germans in Barcelona by the loyalist supporters of the Spanish government are being utilized by the Nazi press here to stimulate feeling against the German Jewish refugees in Spain. Quoting reports by pro-Nazi refugees from Spain who have returned to Germany, the Nazi papers declare that the woman manager of the Nazi Labor Front office in Barcelona was attacked by an armed mob led by "Jews and German emigres" who threatened to kill her unless she disclosed the names and addresses of Nazi propagandists in Spain.

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Paris — The 9 American athletes who went to Barcelona to participate in the anti-Nazi labor athletic carnival found themselves shot at by rebels, and later participated in the fighting, it was revealed when they arrived here to board the Normandie, which is taking them home. William Chamberlain and Francis A. Henson, executives of the American Committee on Fair Play in Sports, told how the American anti-Nazis helped build barricades, addressed the civilian militia and were mobilized as food collectors for women and children. The athletes who are sailing for home are Charles Burley, Dorothy Tucker, Bernard Danchik, Harry Engel, Eddie Kraus, Myron Dickes, Al Chakin and Frank Payton. Julian Raul went to Barcelona alone and has not been heard from.

Jews Throughout Palestine Commemorate Destruction of Temple, Fail to Go to Wailing Wall

Jerusalem — Palestine Jewry ushered in the observance of Tisha B'Ab in an atmosphere of sorrow and mourning directly bound up with its trials during the current disturbances. Throughout Palestine large numbers of Jews gathered in synagogues to mark the occasion. These services were made possible by a special dispensation from the authorities, who lifted curfew laws in Jerusalem to permit worshipers to return to their homes between 8:30 and 9:00.

The most important symbol of this mournful holiday was missing during this year's ceremonies, for the traditoinal pilgrimage to the Wailing Wall, in which not only Jews of Palestine but Jews from many parts of the world join to pray for the restoration of the homeland of the Jewish people, was canceled because of the possibility of attack in the Old City.

6 Jews Join Austrian Olympic Team

Vienna — Bowing to terrific pressure brought to bear upon them by Austrian sports authorities, six Jewish athletes have joined the Austrian Olympic team. Previously all but one of the leading Jewish athletes had decided to boycott the Olympics. Four of the six are members of the Vienna Hakoah.

Isaacs Named to King Edward's Coronation Committee

London — Sir Isaac Isaacs, former governor general of Australia, has been appointed to the committee named by the British Government to direct the coronation ceremonies for King Edward VIII next May. Sir Isaac, the only Jewish member of the Committee, of which the Duke of York is Chairman, will represent Australia.

American Gives Nazi Salute At Berlin Recreation Parley; Hails Hitler

Berlin — Notwithstanding the fact that the American National Recreation Association is boycotting the World Congress for Leisure and Recreation, Gustavus T. Kirby, treasurer of the American Olympic Committee, signed a eulogistic telegram sent by the delegates to Hitler, gave the Nazi salute, and then nominated Robert Ley, head of the Nazi Labor Front, for President of the Congress. Appearing at a press conference Mr. Kirby gave signs of admiration of the Nazis.

Not Contemplating Change In Immigration Policy, Says Colonial Secretary

London—Colonial Secretary W. G. A. Ormsby-Gore has told the House of Commons that the British Government cannot contemplate any change whatsoever in its policy on Jewish immigration into Palestine until the Royal Commission to investigate the Arab disturbances has made its report. Asked to state the Government's position on the question of temporary suspension of Jewish immigration during the period of the Royal Commission's inquiry, the Colonial Secretary replied that he could not at present make any statements regarding the Government's intention beyond saying that its decision will be taken in due course on the merits of the case, and that there was no question of the Government being influenced by Arab violence and intimidation in this matter.

Ask Czechoslovakia Aid its Jewish Citizens in Germany

Prague — Revealing that 70 per cent of the Czechoslovakian Jews resident in Germany have returned to Czechoslovakia penniless as a result of the Nazi policy of expropriation, Deputy Angelo Goldstein, in a speech in Parliament, demanded that the Czech government take vigorous measures to reimburse the Jews and urged a sharp protest to the German government.

Anti-Semitism is Anti-Christian, German Clergy Tell Hitler

Berlin — The most severe indictment of Nazi anti-Semitism to be made in Germany since the advent of the Hitler regime is contained in the 4,000-word memorandum addressed some weeks ago to Chancellor Hitler by ten leaders of the anti-Nazi Protestant clergy, the full text of which has just been made public. Denouncing attempts to deify Hitler and to de-Christianize the German people and paganize the Old Testament, the statement declares:

"When blood, race, nationality and honor are thus raised to the rank of qualities that guarantee eternity the Evangelical Christian is bound by the first Commandment to reject the assumption. When the Aryan human being is glorified, God's Word bears witness to the sinfulness of all men. When, within the compass of the National Socialist view of life, an anti-Semitism is forced on the Christian that binds him to hatred of the Jew, the Christian injunction to love one's neighbor still stands for him opposed to it. The members of our Evangelical community have to submit to an especially severe conflict in their conscience when, in compliance with their duty as parents, they have to combat the penetration of these anti-Christian ideals in their children's minds."

Latest Telegraphic Flashes

Cuba Plans Conference on Proposed Jewish Colony

Los Angeles — Organization of a permanent, non-sectarian international committee to sponsor a project for settling between 100,000 and 200,000 Jews from Germany, Poland and other countries in an industrial colony in Cuba was commenced here when Louis B. Mayer, head of the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer studios, announced his acceptance of the temporary chairmanship of the committee. Announcement of the formation of the committe was made shortly after the arrival from Cuba of Congressman William I. Sirovich of New York, prime mover of the plan, who discussed it with President Gomez of Cuba.

In an exclusive interview granted Louis Pekarsky, managing editor of the B'nai B'rith Messenger and WNS correspondent, Mr. Sirovich revealed that he had spent "two weeks in conference with Carlos Pelaz, the Cuban secretary of the interior; Luis del Rat, secretary of state, and Carlos de la Cruze, speaker of the Cuban house of representatives, and upon completion presented a colonization plan to President Gomez." Asked how he intends to begin work on the colonization plan, Representative Sirovich said he plans to contact Catholic, Protestant and Jewish leaders before making a further announcement, but he disclosed that President Gomez plans to "invite leaders of European countries which are closed through immigration quotas, to map a great colonization scheme. In the preliminary conversations we even went as far as discussing the possibility of erecting a Jewish university. Things will be well on the way before the year is over."

American Delegation, Headed by Louis Lipsky Sails for Congress

New York — Louis Lipsky, veteran Zionist leader and vice president of the American Jewish Congress, headed the American delegation which left here for the World Jewish Congress to be held at Geneva beginning August 8th. Many of the delegates, including Mr. Lipsky, sailed on the S.S. Queen Mary; others are already in Europe. The total of the American delegation is 75.

Among the delegates who left together with Mr. Lipsky or previously are Professor Nathan Isaacs of Harvard; Prof. Horace M. Kallen of the New School for Social Research; Dr. Samuel Margoshes, editor of The Day; Maldwin Fertig and Herman Speier of New York; Rabbi Edward L. Israel, Baltimore; Dr. Ilie Berger, Providence; and many others. Dr. Stephen S. Wise, president of the American Jewish Congress and of the Committee of Jewish Delegations, has been in Europe for almost two months in connection with Zionist problems and with preparations for the Geneva sessions, where efforts are to be made to plan collective security for Jews throughout the world.

JDC Spent $300,000 to Aid Jews in Germany During 1935

New York — The sum of $300,000 was contributed by the Joint Distribution Committee during 1935 for the rehabilitation of German Jewry, thus bringing the total of the Committee's expenditures in behalf of the Jews in Germany to $1,000,000 since 1933, Joseph C. Hyman, executive director, declares in the Committee's annual report, the first section of which has just been made public. The report cited unification of German Jewry in the Reich Representation of Jews of Germany and its operating agency, the Central Committee for Relief and Reconstruction, through which the JDC's aid program was carried out.

Seattle Editor Threatened for Expose of Anti-Semitic Group

Seattle, Wash.—An anonymous letter threatening dire, if unspecified, consequences unless Dan Swett's expose of Pelley's Christian Party is discontinued and retracted has been received by Herman A. Horowitz, publisher of The Jewish Transcript, on the staff of which Mr. Swett is employed. Mr. Swett's articles, which are appearing in English-Jewish publications affiliated with the Seven Arts Feature Syndicate, will continue appearing in the Transcript, Mr. Horowitz declared, adding that he had "nothing to fear from such anonymous, swastika-signed threats" and pointing out that as the letter reached him through the mails Federal authorities are now on the trail of the sender.

The letter, signed only with the swastika symbol, reads as follows:

"Call this a warning or what you please to call it. In all events it is up to you. It has taken the Gentiles two thousand years to awaken to the autrosities of the Jews. Now we are awake!!!

"Are you interested more in the wailing wall or pogroms?

"Please cease your tirades against Pelley and the Christ Party and retract what you have said.

"I am not an individual but a spokesman conversant with conditions as they really are.

"This is our first move.

"The future of American Judah rests immediately with you. Neither Americans or the Christian Party are doing anything — they are not self-starters. We are. We can get their backing when we make the move. It is up to you. Retract or you and your friends will have a chance to attend a free party with all the entertainment at our expense and Adolph Hitler is not furnishing the ice cream, the chili or the pork.

"Christians pity the 'Chosen People.' The Christian Party men await the Chief's order. We take orders from none of them. Not even Hitler. You have one stay and one stay only and that is retraction.

"If you have a surplus amount of intestinal fortitude, please publish this letter or its contents.

"We are dying to get into action to give Pelley a start.

"Come on, Brother Zionist, chosen of God to crush Christianity and the dumb Gentiles. Be a sport. Show us what you are made of.

"Order!

"First—Publish this letter.

"Second — Attack the Christian Party.

"Third—Attack Pelley.

"We invite either or all—Please.

(Signed with a Swastika)

"We don't back one inch.

"How about you, Brother Zionist?"

Kansas City Minister Finds Strong Anti-Semitic Movement In East. Many Groups Ready For Armed Uprising

Throughout the South there are secret, anti-Semitic organizations whose members are armed and who are ready to take immediate violent action against the Jews of America as soon as the word is given by the leaders of these groups. In Pennsylvania there is such a group of 30,000 composed entirely of white Protestants, and in at least one southern state there is another group of 1500.

This was stated by the Reverend L. M. Birkhead at the offices of the Non-Sectarian Anti-Nazi League of 20 West 47th Street, New York City. Dr. Birkhead, who for the last nineteen years has been leader and pastor of the Liberal Center of Kansas City, Mo., was interviewed at the League's headquarters after he had completed an investigation of Fascist and anti-Semitic organizations working in the East.

"In the East," Rev. Birkhead said, "The Anti-Semitic movement is stronger than it is in the West because it has more financial backing here. It would be difficult to prove, but there are some financial interests who are even putting up money for the defense of Robert Ed. Edmondson. There is no question but that they are financing the publication and distribution of anti-Semitic and pro-Fascist literature."

One of the groups visited in New York by Dr. Birkhead is the League for Constitutional government, at 18 East 48th Street. This is ostensibly a patriotic organization at the head of which is John B. Snow.

"They do not say they are anti-Semitic" Dr. Birkhead said, "But I was able to buy the "Protocols of Zion" from them and a pamphlet called 'Zionism" which they have imported from England. This pamphlet charges that Zionism is a world conspiracy to put the Jews in power. It also says the Jews control the League of Nations and are trying to impose Theosophy on the world."

Dr. Birkhead tried to visit Mrs. A. Tellian, New York correspondent of Streicher's Der Sturmer, the anti-Jewish newspaper of Nuremberg, Germany. She is the publisher of the American Bulletin and the Irish Outpost, a new paper which is trying to stir up anti-Semitism among the Irish people in America. In every issue of her papers she uses the slogan, "Don't forget Huey Long—Killed by the Jews" and she repeats it in all her speeches. She would not interview Dr. Birkhead, he said, until he had read a number of anti-Semitic books to put him in a proper frame of mind.

In Boston, Birkhead investigated the Industrial Defense Association, whose leader is Edward A. Hunter, and which is one of the most active anti-Semitic groups in the East. Hunter circulates such pamphlets as "Are the Jews the Chosen People?" and "Was Christ a Jew?"

In Washington he called on James True of the James True Association, and America First, Inc. True maintains a news service and distributes anti-Semitic literature through the mail. His offices in the National Press Building in Washington are very lavish.

"The most startling thing about some of these anti-Semitic groups," Dr. Birkhead said, "is the fact that they are setting up secret organizations in some of which members are known only by numbers. The members are definitely going to be armed. I was in the office of one of these gentlemen and I saw an assortment of policemen's billies, all of the hip-flask variety. They are using the slogan "Kill the First Jew," suggested by William Dudley Pelley, head of the Silver Shirts. The impatience and temper of these people is similar to the temper of the Black Legion which is spreading all over the country."

"I asked True what he thought of the statement of Landon's campaign manager, John Hamilton, that he is not anti-Semitic. True said that it was too bad because it will lose eight million votes for Mr. Landon."

Birkhead declared the work of the Non-Sectarian Anti-Nazi League to be most valuable in combating such movements in America. Each of the Anti-Semitic groups he said, have a Nazi flavor and in many instances are directly tied up with the Nazis of Germany. It is necessary, he said, to expose to the American people that anti-Semitism is being employed here as it was in Germany and that there is a strong movement for the Nazification of America.

Invite Mrs. Jarrett to Enter Anti-Nazi Olympiad Here

New York — Acting on assertions by Mrs. Eleanor Holm Jarrett, who was dropped from the American Olympic team on alleged charges of drinking, that members of the Olympic Committee engaged in questionable conduct on the voyage to Germany, Samuel K. Maccabbe, former chairman of the Move-the-Olympics Committee, cabled her an invitation to enter the anti-Nazi World Labor Athletic Carnival on Randall's Island on August 18 and 19. Judge Mahoney, former president of the A. A. U. predicted a Berlin trip for American athletes would be a junket for Olympic officials, Maccabbe's cable said. "Your charges make it a shocking picnic. American self-respect demands you and your fellow athletes return home and participate in the World Labor Athletic Games."

London — England's former Olympic salute, an extension of the arm, will not be used this year by the British team at Berlin because it is too much like the Nazi salute. When the British athletes pass the reviewing stand they will salute only by "eyes right."

Berlin—"Persons who may be Jews are to be treated just as courteously as Aryan visitors," it was declared by Walter Darre, minister of agriculture, in instructing the German countryside how to behave during the Olympic Games. Pointing out that "there may be Jews among the foreign visitors, for the Reich government has given the International Olympic Committee its pledge to protect all Olympic guests," Darre said: "In no circumstances are Jewish trouble-makers to be given a chance to cause incidents which would provide material for hostile propagandists abroad. Therefore, anti-Jewish signs are to be removed during the period in question."

Norman Leaves $1,000,000 To Philanthropy

New York—To carry on his various philanthropic interests, the late Aaron E Norman, Jewish philanthropist and former president of Sears, Roebuck & Company, left $1,000,000 to the Assistance Fund, Inc., it was revealed when his will was filed for probate. The Assistance Fund was organized to distribute his bequests. A codicil in the will revoked a bequest of $100,000 to the Federation here.

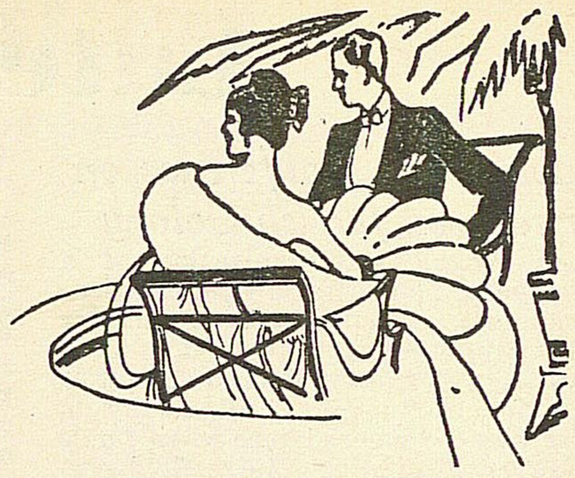
Rabbi Denied Self Needs to Leave $10,000 to JNF

Philadelphia — The sum of $10,000, accumulated over a period of 25 years by a denial of all but the barest necessities of life, was bequeathed to the Jewish National Fund by the late Rabbi Simon Fine, for many years spiritual leader of Congregation Beth Jacob. After a visit to Palestine in 1911 Rabbi Fine pledged himself to shun all but necessities in order that he might leave money to the Jewish National Fund.

Demands Roget's Thesaurus Remove Term Offensive to Jews

Chicago — A letter to the Garden City Publishing Company, Garden City, N. Y., publishers of the new edition of Roget's Thesaurus, from Harold J. Reiter of Chicago, demands the elimination of the word "Jew" as a synonym for "lender" and "parsimony." Citing a long array of facts and biographical data to disprove the myth of Jews as usurers, Mr. Reiter calls on the publishers for a correction, charging that the use of the word "Jew" in this connection spreads race hatred.

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Notes for these pages should be received in our office not later than Wednesday of each week for insertion in the issue of the following Friday.

Mid-Summer Vacations Continue

Though the recent cool weather has been heartening to the stay-at-homes who won't be vacationing this year, it hasn't deterred others from joining the continual exodus from town.

Atlantic City remains the most popular resort of them all. Year after year, the seashore retains its following, and every season brings new admirers who spend their days lying on the beach and their evenings wining and dining themselves at some of the finest hostelries in the land.

Others have taken to the open road. Destinations are uncertain and plans frequently change, but that is one of the main joys of touring and each summer the crowded highways are proof that the average American family has discovered the simple and comparatively inexpensive mode of travel.

Cruises to far away ports, short jaunts to Lake Erie over the week-end, camping trips in Canada and the Adirondacks, visits to the west coast ——all these and more, the summer vacationist has discovered and he is now either extolling the vacation he just had or laying deep plans for the one ahead.

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Mrs. Frank Wertheimer of Northumberland Street is in New York City visiting the John Wassermans.

Mrs. Richard Rauh has returned to her apartment in the Royal Yorke after spending the early part of the summer in Keene, New Hampshire.

Mr. Maurice Spear of Beacon Street has been spending some time in New York City.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Arnfeld, who have been living at the Schenley Apartments have left for Detroit, where they will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Steinfirst of Denniston Avenue are in Rochester, New York, guests of the Richard Adlers.

Mr. Charles Joseph and his son, Charles junior, of Darlington Road, have returned from a European trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Sigmund Feuchtwanger of New York City were visiting with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Feuchtwanger of Ferree Street, this week.

Over the week-end, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Balter of Squirrel Hill Avenue visited their son, Jimmy, who has been spending the summer at Camp Kewanee, in the Poconos.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin C. May of Beacon Street returned this week from an eastern trip.

Mr. Charles Sachs and his son, Herbert of Inverness Street are visiting in Beverley Hills, California, at the home of Mr. Sach's nephew, David O. Selznick.

Miss Eva Ada Winkler of the Schenley Apartments returned Sunday from a West Indies cruise.

Mrs. Malcom Goldsmith of Albemarle Street is back in town again after a few days in Charleston, West Virginia with her mother, Mrs. Ben Baer.

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Mr. and Mrs. John H. Cohen of Fair Oaks Street are in Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob R. Einstein of Kittanning are leaving tonight for Atlantic City, where they will spend a few weeks at the Shelbourne.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Frank of Bennington Avenue spent the week-end at Conneaut Lake.

Mrs. Arthur Gatz is vacationing at the Lake of Bays, Canada.

Mrs. Milton Straus of Beechwood Boulevard and Mrs. Charles Baer and daughter, Susan, of Bartlett Street are in Atlantic City.

Mr and Mrs. Julian Hast and family of Inverness Street were at Bemus Point over the week-end.

Richard and Edward Benswanger of Inverness Street are at Camp Kon-O-Kuee, at Fom-Belle, Pennsylvania.

Mr. and Mrs. Alec Lowenthal of the Aberdeen Apartments left this week on a motor trip through New England.

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Mrs Morris Baer of the Schenley Apartments and Mrs. I. J. Loewenstein of the Ruskin are cruising the Great Lakes on the Juniata.

Doctor and Mrs. Milton Jena of Beacon Street left today by motor for Camp Billy Bear in Huntsville, Ontario.

Mrs. Karl J. Kaufmann of Wightman Street leaves tomorrow to spend a few days at the Barclay in New York City.

Mr. and Mrs. James Elkus of the Schenley Apartments leave the beginning of the week for New York where they will sail to Bermuda.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Behr of Dormont motored today to New York City.

Miss Ruth Glick of Pocusset Street is spending a couple of weeks at Green Mansions Camp in the Adirondacks.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Terner of North Negley Avenue, together with their son, Alan, and Edwin Lebau of South Graham Street motored to Atlantic City this week.

Mr. William W. Shamberg and his daughter, Bertha, of Wightman Street are vacationing in Atlantic City. They were accompanied east by Mr. and Mrs. Barnett J. Shamberg of Hutchinson, Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ruben and son, Harrold of Wightman Street and Mr. and Mrs. Al Berk and daughter, Shirley of Forward Avenue are in Atlantic City this week.

Mr. and Mrs. N. John Serbin will arrive Monday on the S.S. Virginia, after a voyage from California, via the Panama Canal.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Half of Wilkins Avenue, returned home this week after spending some time at Virginia Beach.

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Mr. and Mrs. Norman DeRoy are house-guests of the Walter A. Mays at their summer home in Marblehead, Massachusetts.

Mrs. Sylvia Strouse of Shady Avenue is spending a few weeks in Atlantic City.

Mrs. I. H. Levin of Hastings Street returned recently from Atlantic City, and from Philadelphia, where she had been visiting relatives.

Doctor and Mrs. Jesse Amshel of Wendover Street left this week for California with their son, Albert.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Bloch of Shaw Avenue have their niece, Jeanne Makover, visiting them this week. Next Saturday, the Blocks and Miss Makover will motor to Philadelphia where they will visit with relatives, and then go on to Atlantic City for a few days.

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Mrs. Sara Kliachko of Wightman Street sailed Wednesday on the Queen Mary. She will go immediately to Russia, where she plans to visit with relatives in Odessa, and later attend the Annual Music Festival in Moscow.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Osgood and their daughter, Leora, of Marlborough Road are in Bedford Springs.

Mrs. A. Lincoln Cohen and her family of Morrowfield Avenue are at Beach Haven, N. J., where they will spend the remainder of the summer.

Doctor Sylvia Wechsler of Beacon Street sailed this week from New York on a trip to Bermuda.

Mr. and Mrs. Meyer Sycle of Philadelphia are visiting Doctor and Mrs. Joseph Jackson at their home on Denniston Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wender of Chicago, who have been visiting their mother, Mrs. Joel Spear of Beechwood Boulevard, drove home on Saturday of last week.

Madeline Goldenson of Scottdale is visiting her sister, Mrs. Julius Weil and Mr. Weil of Bartlett Street.

The Edward Solomons of Bennington Avenue have taken a house in Atlantic City for the summer.

Mrs. Oscar Affelder of Munhall Road leaves this week to visit her son, Charles, who is a counsellor at Camp Kewanee at La Plume, Pa.

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Mr. and Mrs. Sigmund Hahn of Squirrel Hill Avenue plan to leave this week-end to visit their daughters at Camp Tappawingo in Maine.

Mrs. M. B. Lichtenstein of Darlington Road is spending some time with her daughter, Rosalind, who is at camp near Buffalo.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Vatz and daughter, Marjorie of Jancey Street leave today for New York and Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Levy of Morrowfield Avenue returned this week, after a short vacation in Atlantic City.

Over the week-end, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kehr of Hobart Street left to spend some time at Conneaut, Ohio.

Mrs. Samuel Krause of Ft. Wayne, Indiana, is visiting relatives here this week.

Mr. Harry Dobrin of Munhall Road left by motor for California on Sunday, with her son Milton and her daughter, Beverley. Beverley plans to enter the University of Southern California in the fall.

Miss Miriam Wiener of Hobart Street is summering with Doctor and Mrs. A. Schoenthal at Huntingdon, West Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wasser of Jackson Street are in Beach Haven, New Jersey.

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Mr. and Mrs. Herman Rosenfield and daughters, Merla and Betty of Inverness Street left yesterday for Atlantic City.

After spending this week-end at Hershey, Mrs. Abe Seder and her daughter, Mildred will tour the New England States for the next few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shapera and son, Dicky of Darlington Road leave the first of the week on a cruise of the Great Lakes.

Berenice Williams of Hobart Street and Catherine Lieberman of Mt. Lebanon leave Saturday to spend a few weeks in Chicago.

Miss Esther Friedberg of Woodmont Street returned today after spending two months visiting in New York, Atlantic City and Long Branch, New Jersey.

Dr. I. R. Pearlman of Penn Avenue is at Saratoga Springs for the races.

Miss Florence Hinkes of Pittock Street is vacationing in Atlantic City.

Miss Leone Feldman of Oakland Square leaves today for a month's vacation which she will spend traveling through Yellowstone National Park and California. While in San Diego she will visit Mrs. C. Rosman, the former Cele Levy of Pittsburgh.

Mrs. Samuel Gomberg, her daughter, Pauline, her son, Bernard and Doctor Hyman Golub, all of Chicago, were guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gordon of Wood Street, Wilkinsburg.

Mrs. A. G. Lurie motored with her son, Herbert and her daughter Lois, to Long Branch, New Jersey, where they will remain until the end of the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Rothschild of Inverness Street are visiting their children, Mr. and Mrs. George Kerngood of Woodmere, Long Island. They will return to Pittsburgh in October. Jeanne Benswanger of Inverness Street is also a guest of the Kerngoods.

Mrs. Freda Levenson and sons, Alfred and Harold of South Aiken Avenue left by motor yesterday for Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Silver are spending the week-end at Chautauqua Lake. From there they will motor to Buffalo, and then take a cruise through the Great Lakes.

Miss Rose Epstein of New York City has been visiting her brother, Mr. A. J. Epstein of Dormont for the past few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius A. Cohen of Phillips Avenue and Mr. Harry Bloom of Hempstead Road spent last week-end at Twin Echo Camp.

Miss Helen Rauch of Hobart Street is visiting her aunt, Mrs S. M. Grossman of South Bend, Indiana.

Miss Jean Abels of Brooklyn, New York, is the guest of A. M. Ress of Thomas Boulevard.

Mrs. Meyer Seegman of Detroit and her daughters, Gladys Seegman and Mrs. H. Salzman of Chicago are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ben Schorin of Euclid Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. David Hershman of Greydon Avenue, McKees Rocks, are leaving Sunday for a motor trip to Brandon, Vermont, to spend a week with their son, Howard, who is summering at Twin Lake Camp.

Doctor and Mrs. R. H. Pearlman of Bartlett Street leave Sunday to visit their daughter, Elinore, who is at Eagle Point Camp in New Hampshire, and their son, Robert, who is spending the season at Camp Cody.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Pearlman, their son, Howard and their daughter, Cecile have been spending the month of July in Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Averbach and children of Eldridge Street left on Saturday for a visit to Conneaut Lake.

Out of town guests here for the Berger-Neiman wedding included Mrs. Mollie Weis of New York City, Mr. Samuel Kleiman, Mr. and Mrs. D. Wolf and their daughters, Yetta and Esther, all of Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Davis and their daughter, Carol, of Northumberland Street are vacationing in Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Schreiber of Stanton Avenue have been in New York and Atlantic City for the past week.

Miss Betty Braunstein of Pittock Street is spending a few weeks at the shore. From there, she will go to Newark, where she will be the guest of relatives and friends.

Returning from the shore this week were Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Miller of Wightman Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Ely LaBovick of Kennebec Street are now on an eastern motor trip.

Mr. Murray Minster of Windsor Street is at Conneaut Lake for a week.

Mr and Mrs. Emanuel Harris of Wellesley Avenue will be back in town Sunday, after a visit to Long Beach.

Freda and Elsie Guggenheim of Wightman Street return the end of the week from Atlantic City.

Mrs. George Wintner of Wilkins Avenue is visiting in Chicago, and leaves this week for Los Angeles.

Mrs. Sara Harrison will return to the Kirkwood Hotel the end of the week after spending some time in Atlantic City.

Mrs. Jacob Levy of Hobart Street is visiting in New York City.

Mr. Zundel Ress of Kowna, Lithuania, arrived on Tuesday, July 14, on the Aquitania to be the guest of relatives here for the next three months. He will visit his son, Bernard Ress at his home on Bates Street, his brother, A. M. Ress of Thomas Boulevard, and his sisters, Mrs. R. Bernstein of Wightman Street, Mrs. Samuel Levine of McKees Rocks, Mrs. M. Shapiro of Somerset, Mrs. A. Silverman of Oil City and his sister-in-law, Mrs. Louis Ress and her family on Shady Avenue.

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Engagements

Schnitzer — Abelson

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schnitzer of Old York Road, Philadelphia, announces the engagement of their daughter, Judith E., to Max Abelson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Abelson of Tilbury.

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Brenner — Jacobson

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Brenner of McKees Rocks announce the engagement of their daughter, Minnie, to Hyman J. Jacobson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Jacobson of Punxsutawney.

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Cantor — Gross

Mr. and Mrs. Max Cantor of Phillips Avenue announce the engagement of their daughter, Pearl, to Nathan Gross of Pittsburgh, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gross of Los Angeles.

A reception will be held at the Cantor home at 5925 Phillips Avenue, Sunday evening, August 9.

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Shullman — Cohen

At a reception on Sunday, July 26, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. Shullman of Roberts Street the engagement of their daughter, Clara, was announced to William E. Cohen of Cincinnati, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Cohen of Wightman Street.

Weddings

Hart — Dorfzaun

On Sunday, August 2, Helena, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hart of Chicago will become the bride of Arthur Dorfzaun, son of Mrs. Abraham Dorfzaun Mattes of Pittsburgh. After their wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. Dorfzaun will live at 521 Lloyd Street.

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Berger — Neiman

Mr. and Mrs. Berger of Braddock announce the marriage of their daughter, Jeanette, to Max Neiman, son of Mrs. Fannie N. Neiman of McKeesport. The ceremony took place on July 5, with Miss Yetta Wolfe of Philadelphia as her cousin's maid of honor, and Louis Berger acted as best man for his brother.

Their wedding trip was spent in Canton, and also at the Great Lakes Exposition in Cleveland.

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Sarbin — Landy

Ruth Sarbin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Sarbin of Cleveland will be married on Sunday, August 2, to Milton Landy, son of Mrs. Fanny Landy of Cassett Street.

The ceremony will be performed at the Beth Shalom Synagogue, at 2:30 in the afternoon.

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Coren — Gelman

On July 29, in Atlantic City, Ida Coren, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Coren of Herron Hill became the bride of Louis Gelman, son of Mrs. Rose Gelman of Dinwiddie Street.

After a wedding trip in Atlantic City, the young couple will reside in Pittsburgh.

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Friedman — Ungar

On Sunday, August 2, Madolyn Friedman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Friedman of the Saybrook Apartments will be married at the Poale Zedeck Synagogue to Milton Ungar, son of Mrs. I. Ungar of Waldron Street.

After the ceremony which will be officiated by Rabbi Joseph Shapiro, Mr. and Mrs. Ungar will leave for a wedding trip to New York City. Later they will be at home at 3603 Parkview Avenue.

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Lewis — Hoffman

Rose Lewis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Max Lewis of Douglas Street, has decided upon August 9 as the date of her marriage to Harold Hoffman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Isadore Hoffman of N. St. Clair Street.

Gilbert Shepse, Ben Wanetick, Matthew Frankel, Robert Lewis and Nelson Combs will act as ushers and Harry Kodinsky will be best man.

Mrs. Victor Goodman, sister of the bride elect will be her matron of honor and Miss Rae Hoffman, maid of honor. Eleanor Shepse, Helen Perlut, Elsie Frankel, Dorothy Kart and Meryl Rubin are to be her bridesmaids; Lita Brown will act as flowergirl.

After the ceremony, which will take place at Beth Shalom Synagogue, the young couple will leave for North Carolina and Virginia Beach.

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Shapiro — Lindenbaum

The marriage of Fay Shapiro, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Shapiro of Lyons Street, and Saul Lindenbaum, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lindenbaum of New York, will be solemnized next Sunday afternoon. The Reverend Louis Alpern will officiate at the ceremony which is to be performed in the "Y."

Mary Shapiro and Ethel Seltzer are to be the bridesmaids and Abraham Lindenbaum is to serve as his brother's best man.

When they return from a wedding trip to Canada and Chicago, the bridal couple plan to live in New York.

Births

— Wasserman —

Mr. and Mrs. John Wasserman of New York City announce that a daughter was born to them at the Women's Hospital in New York on Thursday, July 23. Mrs. Wasserman will be remembered as the former Miriam Wertheimer of Pittsburgh.

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— Denawetz —

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Denawetz (Rose Evelyn Fingold) of Ebdy Street a daughter, Marjorie Louise, on July 15, at the Montefiore Hospital.

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— Eisenfeld —

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Eisenfeld of Adelaide Street announce the birth of a son on Sunday, July 26, at the Montefiore Hospital. Mrs. Eisenfeld is the former Bessie G. Ruben.

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— Heller —

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Heller of the South Side, a daughter, Marilyn Irene, at the West Penn Hospital on July 14. Mrs. Heller is the former Faye Sussman.

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— Roth —

Mr. and Mrs. David Roth of Bartlett Street announce the birth of a son at the West Penn Hospital on Saturday, July 25.

Bar Mitzvahs

Manuel Zweig, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Zweig of Crombie Street will be bar mitzvah on August 15, at the Poale Zedeck Synagogue.

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Aaron Sacks, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Sacks of Devilliers Street will be bar mitzvah at the Shaare Zion Synagogue on Saturday, August 1.

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Edgar W. Michaels, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Michaels of the North Side, will be bar mitzvah on Saturday morning, August 1, at the Beth Israel Synagogue, 801 East Street, N. S.

Receptions

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Michaels of the North Side will receive at the Fort Pitt Hotel on Sunday evening, August 2, in honor of the bar mitzvah of their son, Edgar.

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Mr. and Mrs. William Sacks of 422 Devilliers Street will be at home on Saturday, August 1, in honor of the bar mitzvah of their son, Aaron.

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A reception will be held by Mr. and Mrs. Max Cantor of 5925 Phillips Avenue, Sunday evening, August 9, in honor of the engagement of their daughter, Pearl, to Nathan Gross.

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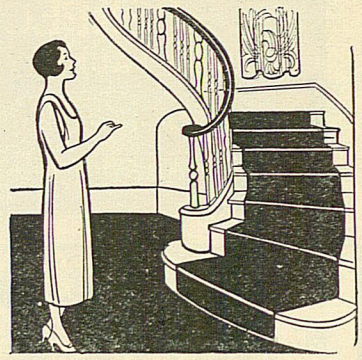
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ORGANIZATION ACTIVITIES

Junior Hadassah Makes New Appointments

Junior Hadassah has discontinued regular meetings until Fall, but the newly-elected president, Miriam Stone and her officers are busy preparing for an outstanding season of cultural and social activities.

Jeannette Brinn, one of the vice-presidents and head of the organization department, is happy to announce the following appointments: Membership chairman, Ethel Davis; delinquent membership, Pauline Colker; hospitality, Claire Gordon; welfare, Esther Diamond; social, Ruth Kalson; conference delegates, Bess Satin and Rose Schreiber; Zionist representatives, Miriam Stone, Fay Camill and Jeannette Brinn; Young Judea, Esther Camill; Junior-Senior relations, Miriam Stone; supplies, Florence Brinn.

"Y" Day Camp Gives Child Free Choice of Activity

The "Y" Day Camp, under the leadership of Earnest Slessinger is now swinging into its fourth week. Special features for the week included a trip to the Heinz factory, and a special entertainment by The Polish Group of the N. Y. A. in the "Y" auditorium, on Friday, at two o'clock.

An entirely new scheme of administration is being used this year at the "Y" Day Camp. Progressive ideas of education have been introduced whereby the children have free choice of clubs which they wish to join. Opportunities were created for activities in Art, Handicraft, Nature Study, Writing, Rhythm Band, Bell Ringing Club, Jug Band, Activities in Schenley Park, Swimming in the "Y" pool, dramatics and the Camp Weekly, the Spotlight.

To date there are 125 children registered. In addition to the free opportunity of doing what they, themselves like best, every child is given a progressive series of swimming tests, under the supervision of Lou Leon, assistant director of the camp.

United Jewish Picnic Next Sunday

On Sunday, August 9, a United Jewish Picnic will be held at Sportsman's Grove, Trafford City. The picnic is being sponsored by groups from Braddock, North Braddock, Rankin, Swissvale, and surrounding territories. Groups from New Kensington, Greensburg, Brownsville and other outlying districts will also attend.

Ben Ochs, Dave Rosenberg, Jake Mendelblatt and Harry Stark are in charge of tickets. Guide signs are being conspicuously placed along the road by Bob Kane, Herbie Jones, and Leon Ochs. S. Kane, M. Kostman, I. Blattner and Harry Berkowitz will be at the door.

Refreshments will be served by Irving Caplan, Al Ohringer, Max Feldman, Marcus Rubin and Dave Rosenberg. Jo Shermer, Sam Zelmanowitz, Leo Kostman, Dr. Alex Klein, Dr. Sam Terris, Frank Shaeffer, Harry and Sol Gershuny are in charge of sports. The games committee includes Jake Mendelblatt, Harry Lubic, Gordon Segall and Morris Green.

Popular dance music will be furnished by a local orchestra. Julius Steinmetz, Dr. Sobel, and Jo Shermer are on the dance committee.

New Cantor Elected for Adath Jeshurun

A new, talented, young Cantor arriving two weeks ago from St. Louis, has been elected for a year as Cantor in the Adath Jeshurun Congregation located at the corner of North St. Clair and Margaretta Street.

Cantor H. Sender has a fine tenor voice and a beautiful coloratura. He was born in Palestine. Cantor Sender still a young man, possesses the power to please both young and old.

The Cantor has a fine choir for the holidays under the leadership of Mr. Kimel.

This Saturday, Cantor Sender is chanting; he chants twice a month.

Phi Ep to Celebrate at Willows

The Pittsburgh Alumni Association of Phi Epsilon Pi, National Collegiate Social Fraternity, will celebrate National Phi Epsilon Pi Day, on Saturday evening, August 8, at the Willows in Oakmont.

The affair is to begin at 7:00 o'clock and will include a special dinner and dancing to the music of Austin Wylie and his NBC Orchestra.

The assessment, which is all inclusive, is $3.00 per couple, with a small extra charge for speed-boating.

The committee responsible for all arrangements includes Louis Rosenfield, Esquire, chairman; Eugene Cohen, Israel Greenberger, Dr. B. B. Miller, Harry Feinstein, Eugene Strauss, Theodore Schmidt, Milton E. Harris, Milton K. Susman, Manuel Selker and Frank Weberman.

Reservations may be made by calling Louis Rosenfield, at Court 4444, or any other member of the committee.

Outing of New Hapoel Hamizrachi Unit Sunday

The newly formed Pittsburgh unit of Hapoel Hamizrachi has made final arrangements for the membership outing to be held Sunday, August 2.

The organization holds its meetings every Tuesday evening at the "Y." All young people between the ages of 17 and 21 are welcome.

New Penn, Scene of Junior Children's League Dance

Tickets are now on sale for the annual dance to be given by the Junior Children's League, at the New Penn on August 18 Reservations may be obtained by phoning the social chairman, Miss Helen Wesoke.

Peace Rally to be Held Today in Schenley Park

The Pittsburgh Committee of the Emergency Peace Campaign will join with the Pittsburgh Committee of the American League Against War and Fascism in co-sponsoring a Peace Rally at the Schenley Park Band Stand on Saturday afternoon, August 1, at 3:00 o'clock.

This meeting is one of a series being held throughout the world on this date—the 22nd anniversary of the declaration of the World War on August 1, 1914—to affirm a pledge that "It Must Not Happen Again." Representatives of Youth, Labor and Peace groups will speak on the necessity for establishing united peace action at once if war is to be averted.

Music and choral numbers will be furnished by a band and chorus provided by the W. P. A.

The Rev. Dr. Benjamin F. Crawford, chairman of the local Emergency Peace Campaign, will act as chairman for the rally.

Mrs. H. K. Griffin, secretary of the Emergency Peace Campaign Committee, Mrs. George Bray of the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom, and R. Norman McKibben of the American League Against War and Fascism, head the committee arranging the rally.

Phi Gamma Pi Frolic at Picnic Grounds

Tuesday evening, July 28, the Phi Gamma Pi Fraternity held a combination wiener and marshmallow roast at the Edgewood picnic grounds. Among those present were: Jerry Lieblich and Yetalouise Steinman, Donald Benjamin and Jean Miller, Harry Daniels and Adelee Paris, Sylvan Rosenfield and Rosella Bass, Melvin Young and Ruth Goldenson, and Alan Lincoff and Corrine Lenchner.

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Where Life Means Death

Polish Jewry is Down for the Count of Ten

By Irma May
Jewish Criterion and Seven Arts Staff Writer

The economic war against Polish Jewry is in full swing, official communiques by Jewish organizations and by the Polish government, issued from time to time, have blurred instead of clarifying the picture of the life of Polish Jewry.

Our staff writer Irma May has visited Jewish houses in Poland. Her graphic description of the life of these victims of economic warfare is appalling. It completely reveals the Polish Jewish tragedy.
—THE EDITOR.

" . . . We shall encourage the economic battle to the very end . . though we shall not tolerate beating . . . "

These words, uttered by Premier General Skladkowski in his memorable expose in the first week in June, 1936, were an answer to the query, brought forth by the few remaining Jewish Senators, as to what the Government intended to do in the face of the ever-growing attacks on Jews in Poland.

These were startling words, but they confirmed the worst fears. The economic battle, the boycott, has been in force since 1926, and the end is not so far off. While there are still a few well-off Jews left in Poland, the masses, which populate small towns and villages, are down and out. It is no longer a question of a battle—it is merely a matter of time, a short time. Exactly ten years after the sound of the first gong, Jewish Jewry is down, to the count of ten. No miracle, no unforeseen turn in the policies of Poland could help them rise to their knees and face another blow.

Who is this powerful enemy on whom a soldier and a statesman declares a bitter warfare?

Not far from the palace from which the statement came forth is the famous Jewish quarter of Warsaw, Nalewki, and its adjoining streets. Where this "enemy" is entrenched in overcrowded, condemned houses, in stagnant cellars and wind-blown attic dwellings. The courtyards are crowded with children, pale, undernourished, in torn clothing—playing amidst refuse and decaying garbage. We climb the shaky stairway, higher and higher, until we land before a low door. Apartment 68 on Rynkowa Street in Warsaw. The home of Chaya Palland, a dangerous "enemy" of the people of Poland.

She is the mother of Ruchel Palland. I look quickly at the questionnaire which the Child-Care Department of the Joint Distribution Committee gave me. Ruchel is a girl of nine, tubercular, in dire need of help. We enter. The room is long enough to hold two small beds and leave a narrow passage to the stove. Chaya Palland and her three children are at home. The fourth is in the summer colony of the Joint. The girl just had double pneumonia, and therefore was the first selected among the children. It happens to be Friday evening, but the cold stove is untouched and empty. No trace of food or smell of cooking.

The father, we learn, has been an invalid for the past six years. He was taken to a hospital a few weeks ago and is not expected to live. "Final stages of T.B.," the woman whispers, as if keeping it from her brood. She is worn out herself, ill, and has been the sole support of the family for years. Her sister helps her occasionally, and furnishes the merchandise she sells. Fried herrings. There is not much demand for such luxuries lately. If she is lucky and has a good day she may earn seventeen cents. The rent has not been paid for months; the landlord had mercy on them. But it cannot go on forever, and they are faced with eviction.

"What will they do?" She does not seem frightened. "I have no strength left for any feelings any more," she said to me.

The children looked with curious eyes at a bag of food I held in my hand. Sandwiches and candy. "Would you like some of it?" and I offered it to the children. Only the baby took a piece, smelled it and started to cry. The older children did not touch it. "Tell them not to be bashful, to eat," I asked the mother. She looked at the children mournfully and assured me that they were not afraid or bashful. "They are good children," she said, "only too hungry to eat." And she went on explaining that they had had a piece of bread and herring already, and could eat no more. The herring filled them up, they get it only once a week, on Friday. With quiet dignity she assembled her children on the bed and allowed us to photograph them. "If you wish to photograph our misery you are welcome," she said, and added wistfully: "Help will come too late for us—but some one else might benefit . . . "

We left her home and proceeded to the house across the street. By that time a large crowd assembled downstairs and followed us on our way. Children, grown-up men—women and old people. There are so many people in those quarters with time on their hands. The slightest excitement is welcomed as an escape from dreaded reality. No escape from crowds once you enter any Jewish quarter in Poland. The home we were looking for has been on the list of the Child-Care Department for a long while. At Krochmalna Street, Number 8. The head of the house Chayem Borg, was not at home when we arrived. He is a young, prematurely gray man who spends his days looking for employment he cannot hope to find. His wife, mother of three children, lies hopelessly ill of tuberculosis in the Sanatorium Bryjus in Otwock. One child, a daughter, was sent away to the Medem Sanatorium for two months, which may give her a new lease on life. The child was very undernourished, and on the verge of tuberculosis.

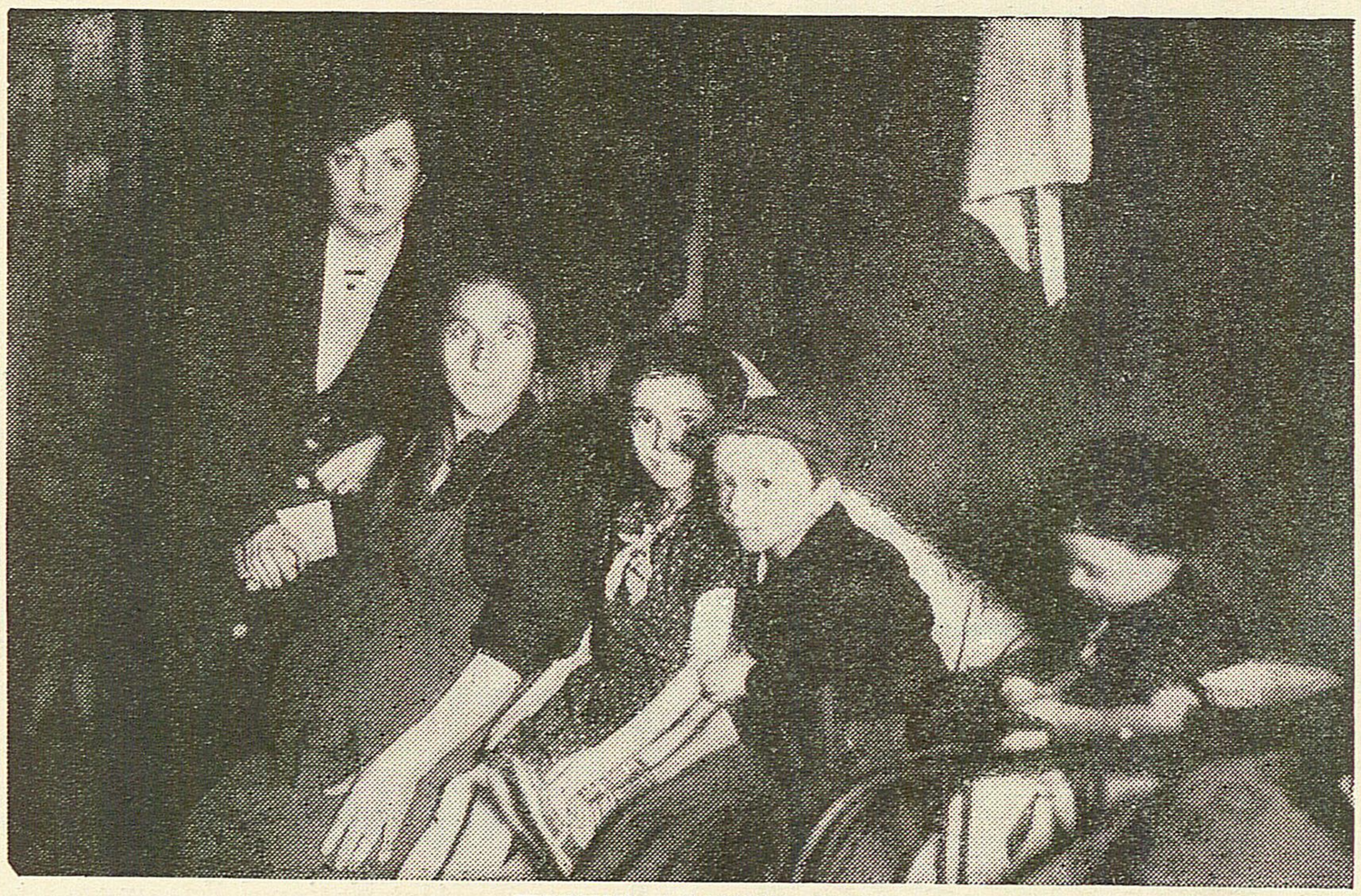
We found the two remaining children alone in the house. In a desolate attic room, bare of all living furniture; there they sat amidst carpenter tools and wooden shavings. "Where is your father?" we asked. "Looking for work," answered the little girl, and her brother whined: "Mother has been away a long time." The little sister comforted him.

"Who takes care of you children?"

What a cruel question. I regretted it the moment it passed my lips.

"Grandmother," said the little girl, and added that the grandmother was very old and weak herself. The little stove was cold and the dishes unused for a long time. The girl walked over to me and said apologetically that the dishes had not been washed in a long time because they were not in use. The children refused the sandwiches, but they did take the candy. The little girl saved her piece, while the boy chewed on his. Finally the child took a sandwich for her father. "He is very desperate," she said, "with mother so ill, and unable to find any work for so long."

We inquired where the grandmother was selling her pickles, and went looking for her. It started to pour in the meanwhile, and like the rest of the people I ran quickly into a nearby doorway for shelter. It was already crowded with people. The only one who did not care about the rain was an old woman, selling pickles. I stood there for a long while even after the first downpour stopped. No one bought any pickles from her, and she stood there, as if carved in wood, her eyes so helpless and her hand so ready to serve. The sole support of a family—against whom warfare is being waged.



HOPING AGAINST HOPE
'I have no strength left for any feelings any more," this mother of three told Irma May

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TIDBITS FROM EVERYWHERE

By Phineas J. Biron

The Anti-Semitic Rackets

Just so you won't be surprised when it happens, we're telling you now that Rev. Gerald Smith, Huey Long's political heir and ally of Father Coughlin, intends to convert the Townsend movement into the American counterpart of the National Socialists, with himself in the role of Hitler . . . In referring to the New Deal at the Townsend convention Smith called it "a cake baked in Moscow by Ezekiel, Cohen and the rest" . . . Keep a sharp eye peeled for Smith's new storm troopers . . . The Rev. Dr. L. M. Birkhead of Kansas City has just completed a tour during which he met every one of the Fascist and anti-Semitic crackpot leaders . . . The results of these meetings will be the subject of a series of articles which Dr. Birkhead is writing exclusively for the Seven Arts Feature Syndicate's affiliated publications.

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Politicus

It is rumored in Washington that Supreme Court Justice Benjamin N. Cardozo is considering resigning . . . He is said to be suffering from a heart ailment . . . There is a strong likelihood that President Roosevelt, when reelected, will name a prominent Jew as American consul-general in Palestine . . . J. George Fredman, former commander-in-chief of the Jewish War Veterans, didn't get that New Jersey judgeship after all . . . And it's just as well, because Governor Hoffman's Jewish appointee is in for a battle that is likely to become a major political issue in New Jersey . . . The incumbent, who denies he resigned, is putting up a stiff fight.

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Akha Dham

A sensational story affecting Palestine is due to break in London almost any minute . . . Mrs. Sigmund (Libbie) Braverman, right-hand woman of Rabbi Barnett Brickner of Cleveland, got a first-hand taste of the Palestine riots . . . The bus in which she and her husband were traveling was attacked by Arab brigands on the road to Tulkarem . . . Six of the Arabs were killed by a convoy of British troops, but the Bravermans escaped unscathed . . . The family of the late Achad Ha-am (Asher Ginsberg), famous Jewish philosopher and scholar, is getting a big laugh out of the assertion of the American Christian Party (successor to William Dudley Pelley's Silver Shirts) that "Akha Dham" is the uncrowned secret king of world Jewry and that Bernard M. Baruch is his "prince-sponsor" in the Western hemisphere . . . We'd like to bet that Baruch never even heard of Achad Ha-am . . . It isn't generally known that High Commissioner Wauchope spends a good part of his salary in contributions to Jewish and Arabic philanthropies.

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Sportiness

Jewish followers of the New York Giants are wondering why manager Bill Terry has benched Harry Danning, his Jewish backstop . . . Incidentally, Terry, now hard up for a couple of good hitters, would give plenty for Phil Weintraub, ex-Giant outfielder, who is hitting the apple for over .380 with Rochester in the International League . . . The jinx that has been trailing Jewish big leaguers this year again camped on the trail of Buddy Meyer of the Senators, when he suffered a bruised jaw . . . The only all-Jewish battery in big league history was broken up when the Senators released Bill Starr, catcher, to Albany . . . Starr and Sid Cohen had been teamed up by the Senators . . . Charlotte Epstein, coach of the Women's Swimming Association, was offered and refused the job of coaching the American Olympic mermaids.

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Rather Strange

Norman Raeben, only surviving son of the late Sholom Alechem, is doing very well in New York as an artist and teacher of painting . . . There's a Chinese laundryman in New York by the name of Harry Jew . . . Sol A. Rosenblatt, former head of the NRA amusement division, is now in charge of the radio and screen campaign of the Democratic National Committee . . . The news service of the National Conference of Jews and Christians, started to publicize news of a good-will nature, is beginning to compete with Jewish publications and Jewish news agencies . . . In the last month it sent out stories on the Washington conference of the American Jewish Congress, the meeting of the Central Conference of American Rabbis and the Zionist convention . . . Samuel H. Abramson, well-known Montreal Zionist journalist, suspected of being Cactus Scribendi, the columnist of the Jewish Standard, has been seen much of late in the company of Viola Louisa Jassby, tall, dark daughter of a prominent Montreal family who is notorious for her puns . . . Things look serious, since Sam, a cynical misogynist of long standing, has always threatened that when he fell it would be for a brunette.

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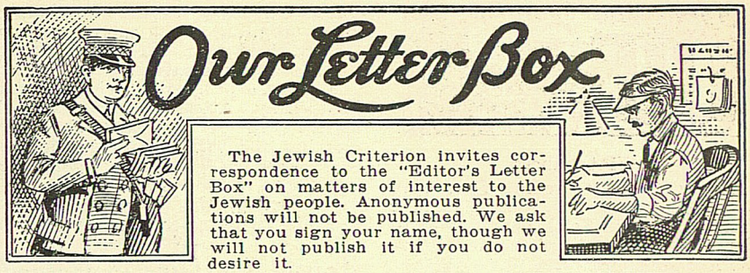
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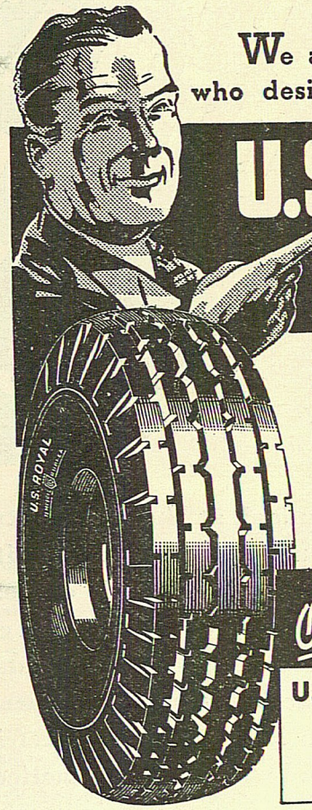
Dear Mr. Alter:

I very seldom comment on newspaper items or editorials, but when I read Mr. Susman's editorial on "Paul Block and the Governor Lehman matter," I was so deeply touched with feeling of approval that I could not resist writing this letter.

The above is not only my sentiments, but it expresses the sentiments of many people with whom I spoke, who complimented Mr. Susman and the "Criterion" for their position and frankness, as well as the masterly composition of the editorial.

If the "Jewish Criterion" had not accomplished anything else during the entire year, the printing of this editorial in itself has served a great purpose in behalf of the Jewish community of Pittsburgh, by expressing the minds and sentiments of thousands of us who feel that the "Paul Block articles" were unforgivable and inexcusable . . . . "

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Pet Show

A Pet Show featuring the most interesting and unique pets in the neighborhood will be held on the Playground of the Settlement on Thursday afternoon and evening, August 6.

Interesting Assemblies

On Monday morning, August 3 a program of mass singing and individual vocalizing will be the feature. Tuesday morning the first impromptu stunt program of the current season will be held with various pupils in the school participating.

A surprise program is scheduled for Wednesday, August 5. Educational movies will be presented Thursday morning and will be repeated in the Auditorium on Thursday evening for the benefit of the older members. Friday morning, the Dramatic groups will offer a dramatic presentation.

Appeal for Jews in Poland to Begin in Pittsburgh October 4

Pittsburgh Jewry will respond to the call of the 3,500,000 Jews in Poland calling for help under the whip of pogroms, political discrimination and economic ruination. Under the leadership of Morris Neaman and the other associate chairmen, Julius Weisberg and S. L. Fuss, an appeal for the Jews in Poland will be made in Pittsburgh from October 4 to October 18.

Headquarters are being established at 1211 Clark Building with S. N. Goldman, L. Y. Borkon and S. Zeiden as secretaries. H. Tuch will act as treasurer.

The Pittsburgh campaign is part of the nation-wide undertaking to raise $2,000,000 through the American Committee Appeal for the Jews in Poland.

Numerous local organizations have already indicated their intention to participate actively in this urgent campaign. Those who have not yet submitted their list of workers are asked to do so at once.

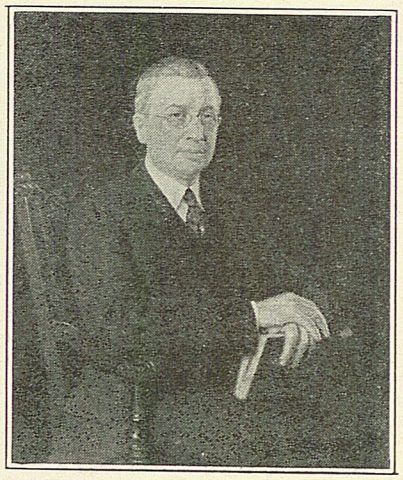
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The Home thankfully acknowledges receipt of contributions from the following:

Mrs. Herman Perlman, in memory of father, Max Goldberg, $100; Louis Lando, Cameron, W. Va., in memory of mother, Shina Esther Lando, $100; Robert Amper, McKeesport, Pa., balance of $100 subscription in memory of father, Nathan Amper, $35; Milton Klein, New Wilmington, Pa., in memory of father, Max Klein, $25; Mrs. Charles Ruben, Cleveland, O., in memory of mother, Rosa Rosenthal and husband, Charles Ruben, $10; I. A. Simon, in memory of mother, Mary Simon, $10; Saul Glosser, Johnstown, Pa., in memory of father, Louis Glosser, $5; Mrs. H. I. Neaman, in memory of mother, Nettie Frankle, $5; Miss Peggy Eber, in memory of father, Samuel Eber, $5; Mrs. L. B. Supovitz, in memory of mother, Dora Kaufman, $5; Mrs. I. Levendorf, Hollidays Cove, W. Va., in memory of father, Alfred M. Tanzer, $2; Mrs. Catherine Goldblum, in memory of father, Frank Israel, $2; Anonymous donation, $1; Mrs. Abraham Lichter, in memory of brother, Wm. Kawolsky, $1; Mrs F. Israel, in memory of husband, Frank Israel, $1; Mrs. J. S. Rush, Huntingdon, Pa., in memory of mother, Rashel Levy, $1; Mrs. Lottie Tanzer and Miss Elizabeth Tanzer, in memory of husband and father, $2; Martin Stein, donation, $1; Mrs. Fannie Cohen, New York, donation, $1; Mrs. David Busis, in memory of brother, Nathan Friedman, $1.

Dr. Silverman a Delegate to Chemistry Union

Dr. Alexander Silverman, head of the Department of Chemistry, University of Pittsburgh, has been appointed a delegate to the International Union of Chemistry, which meets in



Dr. Alexander Silverman

Lucerne, Switzerland, August 16 to 22, by the National Academy of Sciences, the National Research Council and the American Ceramic Society. He sails August 5 on the "Normandie."

The International Union of Chemistry is the Standard Commission of the world for establishing the various units and nomenclature in chemistry.

Torath Chaim Lawn Fete Next Week

Final arrangements have been made by the Congregation Torah Chaim for their lawn fete. It will be held on their own grounds at 728 N. Negley Avenue, on August 4, 5 and 6.

Beth Shalom Men's Club Corn Roast Free to Members

The Men's Club of Beth Shalom will hold a corn roast for the members of the club and their families, Mr. Nat Hankoff, general chairman has announced.

This affair will take place on Sunday, August 30, afternoon and evening, at Pleasant Hills, better known as the Airport Picnic Grounds.

Those members who wish to pack baskets and come out in the afternoon to spend both afternoon and evening, will find these grounds most ideal. There will be games and prizes under the direction of Mr. Lubic. Directions to reach the ground will appear on the invitation tickets which will be mailed soon to the members. There will be plenty of corn to roast; beer and soft drinks will also be free.

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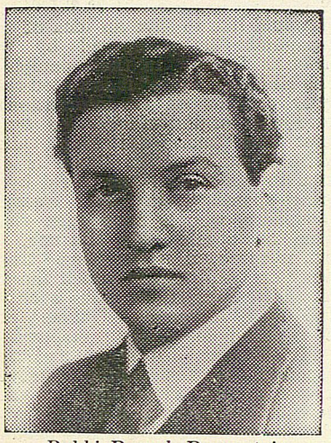
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Rabbi Baruch Braunstein Joins the National Staff of the Emergency Peace Campaign

Augmenting its staff in order to reach all groups in American life as part of a general campaign to educate Americans to stop the next war before it comes, the Emergency Peace Campaign has added Dr. Baruch Braunstein to its Executive staff, at



Rabbi Baruch Braunstein

its national headquarters in Philadelphia. Dr. Braunstein, prominent rabbi, lecturer, and writer, comes to his work with a background of service and achievement in Jewish activities. For six years he was the Counselor to Jewish students in Columbia University, where he organized Jewish student life as part of the general university program for infusing the religious spirit in the student body. He later served as rabbi in Wheeling, West Virginia.

Dr. Braunstein will endeavor to interpret the Emergency Peace Campaign and seek the cooperation of a larger number of Jewish groups, who with their traditional emphasis on a warless world, will be asked to work with other groups in American life to achieve the ideal of universal peace.

Military Ball Big Event of Veterans Encampment

The Crowning Event of the 41st National Encampment of the Jewish War Veterans of the United States will be a huge Public Military Ball to be held in the Ballroom of the William Penn Hotel on Saturday evening, September 5, 1936.

Of the many features arranged for the entertainment of the guests, the principal event will be the crowning of two Queens; namely Miss National Encampment and Miss Military Ball.

Any young girl, in the Tri-State District; between the ages of 16 years and 24 years will be eligible to participate in the voting for selection as Queens.

The honors to be bestowed on the fortunate young girls, will be National in scope, as it will include the Coronation before members and delegates from every State in the Union and they will be further honored by leading the Grand March.

The method of choosing the Queens will be by vote and the committee invites all eligible young ladies in the Tri-State District, to mail the form to be found elsewhere in this paper to the Military Ball Committee, Headquarters, Room 31, Club Floor, William Penn Hotel, Pittsburgh, Pa., and receive full details of the plan.

Coughlin Again Attacks Jews

Hankinson, N. D. — Father Coughlin, radio priest and militant anti-New Dealer, again made use of anti-Semitism for political purposes when he told 15,000 supporters of the presidential candidacy of Representative William Lemke that "the right to coin money must be restored to Congress for the welfare of the people and not for the welfare of the Rothschilds."

Anti-Nazis Rip Down Swastika at Milwaukee Meeting

Milwaukee — In the presence of Governor Philip LaFollette and Mayor Daniel Hoan a crowd of some 50 anti-Nazis defied several thousand Nazis and ripped down the swastika at a German Day picnic in Washington Park. Two men were arrested and a number injured in the melee that followed.

Plan National Body to Picket Stores Handling German Goods

New York — A nationwide organization of volunteers pledged to picket daily all stores and factories selling or handling German goods is now being set up and will be ready to function within two weeks, it was announced by Dr. Joseph Tenenbaum, chairman of the boycott committee of the American Jewish Congress, to a meeting of 600 delegates from Jewish organizations in Greater New York. Dr. Tenenbaum declared that more than 200 pickets are being enrolled. Copies of a list containing the names of several hundred mercantile establishments in and around New York which deal in German goods were distributed.

Daughter of Pioneer Jews Bequeaths $1,000,000 to Charity, Nothing to Jews

Portland, Ore.—The will of the late Miss Ella Hirsch, wealthy spinster and descendant of one of the pioneer Jewish families of the Northwest, created a stir in Jewish circles here when it was learned that she had bequeathed $1,000,000 to various charities and individuals, but not a penny to Jewish institutions. The chief beneficiary was the Portland Art Museum, which received $200,000 to build a new wing in honor of her parents, the late Solomon and Josephine Hirsch. Her father was at one time mayor of Portland, and from 1889 to 1892 served as U. S. Minister to Turkey. Miss Hirsch also bequeathed $50,000 to the Portland Symphony Orchestra and $50,000 to the Christian Science Church.

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CONGREGATIONAL NEWS

Rodef Shalom Congregation

Sabbath Services are held throughout the year at Rodef Shalom Temple each Saturday morning, beginning at eleven o'clock.

Tree of Life Inaugurates Junior Sisterhood

The Tree of Life Congregation wishes to announce the formation of the Tree of Life Junior Sisterhood. Temporary officers have been elected and the charter members are meeting during the summer to get this new organization into working order by early September.

For information call the secretary's study at the Tree of Life Synagogue, Craft Avenue.

Adath Jeshurun Congregation

Services

Daily services at 7 and 8:30 a. m. Chevra-Mishna meets after the first services. Shoolchon-Oruch meets before Mincha services. Mincha services at 8 p. m. Eion-Jacob Circle meets after Mincha. Maarive services at 9 p. m. Saturday morning services at 8:30 o'clock. Rabbi M. A. Levin will speak on "The Prophetical Comfort." The Choomosh and Rashi Circle will meet at 3 p. m. The Talmud Circle meets every Saturday at 5:30 to 7:30 p. m. Mincha services at 7:45 p. m.

Newly Elected Cantor

Cantor H. Sender who was elected at the last meeting for a term of one year will davan this Saturday, Shabbos-Nachamoo at 9 a. m.

Hebrew School

The Hebrew School continues its sessions daily, from 9 a. m. to 1 p. m. Sunday included. New classes are open for beginners. A special class for bar mitzvah boys has been organized. For particulars call the principal, Rev. A. B. Sokolow, Emerson 0176.

Children Services

Children services are conducted every Saturday morning from 9 to 11 o'clock, under the personal supervision of the principal. The Nira Club holds services every Saturday morning for boys only, from 9 to 11:30 in the Beth-Hamedrosh. This Minyon is conducted by the members of that Club, who have their own officers, cantor, reader, and also a reader of the Scroll.

Sholosh-Seudos

The host on Sabbath, July 25, was Mrs. B. Lipshitz, of N. Euclid Avenue. This Saturday, August 1, Mr. and Mrs. M. Simon of Black Street will be hosts.

Condolence

Members of the Congregation wish to take this means of expressing their deepest sympathy and condolence to the children of Mrs. Rose Tucker of 630 N. Euclid Avenue for the bereavement of their beloved mother, Rose Tucker.

Congregation Poale Zedeck

Services

Daily services at 6:30 a. m. and 8:00 a. m., evenings at 8:30 o'clock. Sabbath services Friday evening at sunset. Saturday morning at 9:00. Mincha at 7:45 p. m. After Mincha the table is set for Shulosh Seudoth in the Beth Hamedrash and the Sabbath Z'miroth are sung. Rabbi Joseph Shapiro delivers a homiletical discourse on the portion of the week.

Shulosh Seudoth

The host on Sabbath, July 25, was Mr. C. I. Schwartz of Phillips Avenue, in memory of the Yahrzeit of his Father.

Meeting

The regular monthly meeting of the Congregation will be held Sunday, August 2 at 2:30 p. m. at the Synagogue.

B'nai Israel Hebrew School to Hold Summer Session

Mr. Nathan Savage announces that the B'nai Israel Hebrew School will reopen on Monday, August 3, and will hold summer session in the morning from 9:30 to 12:30. The school has been closed for the month of July while the school rooms have been renovated. All classes including the bar mitzvah class will meet.

Memorial Services at the J. M. Gusky Hebrew Orphanage and Home

August 2 — Himan Frank, Clementine W. Siesel, Charles Ruben, Hattie Biesenthal, Rosa Rosenthal, Bernard Heilbronner, Louis Glosser, Marcus Lippman, Morris Oseroff, Solomon Bachman.

August 9 — Sigmund Rothschild, Helene Hirsch, Daniel Obernauer, Bertha Mayer Levy, Abraham Wolf.

August 16 — Johanna Bickart, Clementine Mayer, Raphael Hahn, Eleazar Fink.

August 23 — Felix Half, Louis H. Adler, Alexander Spiro, A. H. Abrams, Pine Victorius, Isiah Alexander Shaw, Pauline Weiler, Meyer Hanauer, Karolina Naumburg, Elmore I. Lee, Angelina Hyman, Jacob Fink, Bertha Bachman.

August 30 — Mary DeWolf, Oscar Wertheimer, Moses DeWolf, Theresa Guggenheim, Eugene Baer, Eleazar Ehrlich, Jacques Weil, Dora Friend, Rev. Marcus Hast, Hannah Guttman, Moses Arnold, Solomon Rauh, Moritz Stadtfeld, Adolf Hollander, Leo Heilbronner.

Donations

The following donations were received during the month of July and acknowledged with thanks:

Mr. Louis Caplan, candy treat; Mrs. Harvey Strassburger, ice cream and cake treat, in memory of her mother, Fannie Lehman; Miss Sadie Feigenbaum, donation to the Children's Fund in memory of her mother, Anna Feigenbaum; Mr. Isidore Rothstein, water filter; Mr. and Mrs. Harry H. Silverman, ice cream and cake treat in memory of their son, Morris Louis Silverman; Mrs. Sidney Lowenstein and Mrs. P. Ginsburg, candy treat in memory of their brother, Jacob Abrams; Mrs. Enoch Rauh, a new Dental Clinic rug; Fiegenbaum family, 1 box of oranges and 1 crate of plums in memory of their mother's birthday; Mr. George Goff, wall paper; Mrs. Charles Ruben, Cleveland, Ohio, donation to the Children's Fund in memory of her husband and her mother; Anonymous donation from Homestead, Pa., for an ice cream treat for the children.

I Joined the Christian Party

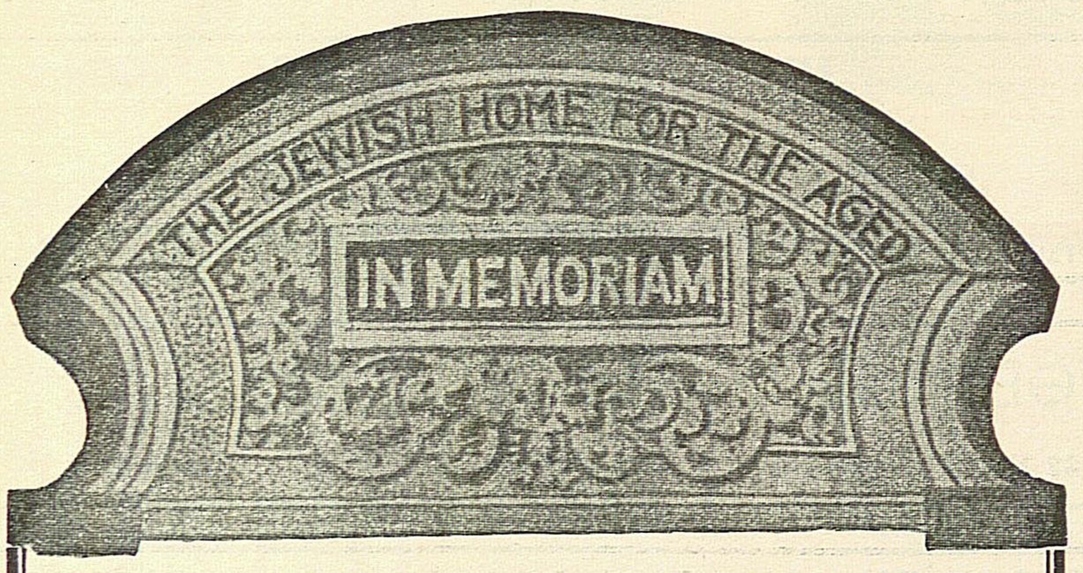
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the money come from? When that question is answered the reason for the Christian Party will be explained.

I would like to give an idea of the propaganda being spread by the Christian Party. In their pamphlet "The Hidden Empire" it is stated that Jewry consists of an international, world-wide organization ruled by a secret and uncrowned king called "Akha Dham." Akha Dham is assisted in his rule of the world by a "prince-sponsor" in the Western hemisphere, who is none other than Bernard Baruch. Mr. Baruch, in turn, is the head of the "seven times seven" organization, in which the officers have mysterious titles such as "auditors," "scriveners," "mutes," etc. As an example, directly responsible to Mr. Baruch are seven auditors. Responsible to each auditor are seven scriveners, and responsible to each scrivener are seven mutes. This provides the powerful and secret organization wherein each person knows all of those under him and only a single one directly above him, and whereby Jewry rules the Western hemisphere.

The black fly-leaf of one edition of "The Hidden Empire" contains a small square of green paper glued over the top of the page. Upon steaming this off one finds underneath what is a direct incitement to violence. This little paragraph states that all Jews are enemies and traitors, and that any Gentile who deals with a Jew or patronizes a Jewish-owned business is also a traitor. It ends with the warning that all Jews and "Jew-lovers," meaning those who deal with Jews, are soon to be exterminated. Presumably this paragraph was deleted in order that the pamphlet could safely be sent through the mails. The Christian Party is anxious to avoid trouble with the Federal Government.

Pelley's Weekly is a four-page tabloid-size sheet containing reports from various sections of the country on the havoc wrought by Jews. A regular feature is a page entitled



The following JAHRZEITS will be observed by the old folks of THE JEWISH HOME FOR THE AGED in the Chapel of the Home during the week beginning Sunday, August 2:

Sunday, August 2 — Jacob Edel, Minnie Oberfield, Fannie Weiss, Sarah Kornblum, Bert Beigel, Mary Simon.

Monday, August 3 — David Gessner, Max Marks.

Wednesday, August 5 — Hyman L. Little, Nathan Friedman, Belina Weintraub.

Thursday, August 6 — Helene Hirsch, Abe Myers, Charles Spandau.

Friday, August 7 — Judah Knofsky, Abraham Silverblatt, Clara Jason, Mollie Cukerbaum.

Saturday, August 8 — Ben Zion Browarsky, Aaron I. Foster, Rachel Newman.

Services in the Chapel of the Home start at 8:30 P. M., 7:00 A. M., and 5:30 P. M. Saturday and Holiday services start at 8:30 P. M., 9:00 A. M., and 5:30 P. M.

Information regarding the above arrangements for Kaddish and Jahrzeit may be secured by writing to the Jewish Home for the Aged, Brown's Place, or calling Jackson 1711.

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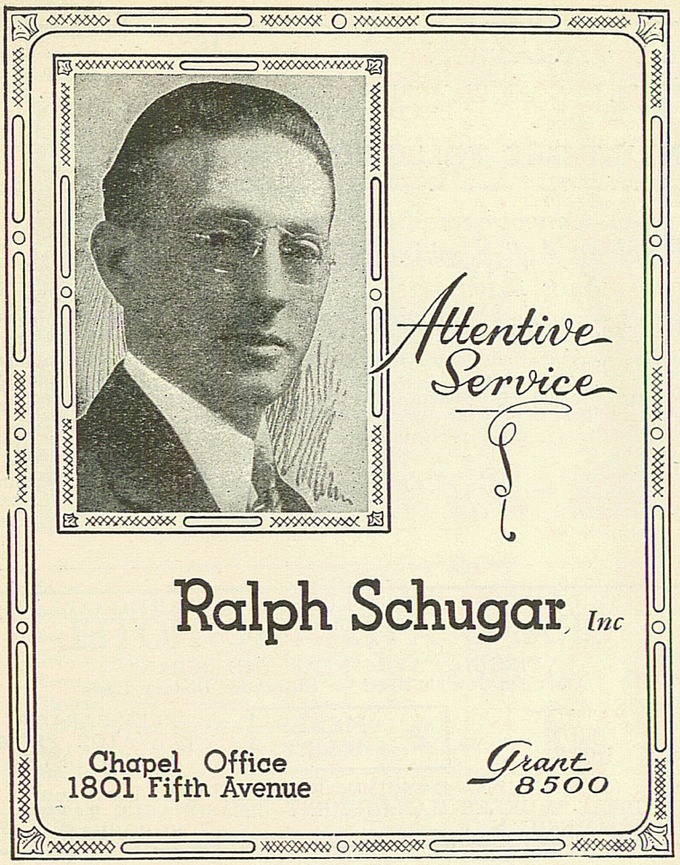
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"Cogitations by the Chief," a series of maniacal rantings and ravings coming from the divine pen of Pelley himself.

One typical issue of this paper carried a two-column lead article entitled "Have You Become Judaized?" The text of this article was that Gentiles may live peacefully in any neighborhood, and then disaster moves in in the form of a Jewish family. Evidences of prosperity are soon shown by the Jews. They have a new automobile, their house is painted and garden improved, and the ladies of the family wear fur coats. The Gentile women of the neighborhood see this and nag their husbands for these things. The husbands cannot afford these luxuries for their families, but get them to placate their wives, and as a result are either forced into bankruptcy or into illegal practices. and are sent to prison. Consequently, because of the presence of one Jewish family, the entire neighborhood is "Judaized" and ruined.

Another news item contained a description of a conversation of a group of children overheard in an Eastern city. One Jewish child called the others "dirty little Christians" and told them that all Christians would soon be eating scraps from Jewish cellars.

The party is continually circulating propaganda dodgers that all dwell on the same theme, to wit, the Jews. Jews are blamed for the depression, for the Communist government in Russia, and even for the dust storms and drought in the Widwestern United States! This last seems entirely too fantastic, but it is nevertheless true. The Jews are responsible for the drought and dust storms because the Federal Government (controlled by Jews, of course) has allowed Midwestern farmers to cultivate the soil too intensively, thus breaking up the land so that the top-soil can be displaced by the winds.

Under the Christian Commonwealth, however, all is to be different. Money will be dispensed with entirely, and all persons will be employed directly by the government. Each month there will be deposited in the "national bank" to the credit of every citizen a certain sum representing a month's wages. Then all the citizens have to do is write checks for everything that they buy. This will eliminate the amassing of money in the hands of the Jews. It is taken for granted that the Jews will be disposed of under the Christian Commonwealth, for in Pelley's own words the Jew represents the "negative influence in cosmic reactions" and ordinary Christians cannot be expected to live in the same country with this "negative influence" and survive.

How the Jew will be disposed of is not explained—further workings of Pelley's monetary "system" are not explained—in fact, Pelley finds it convenient to explain nothing, and his followers find it convenient to refrain from asking explanations.

This, then, is the Christian Party—membership composed of malcontents and misfits who are stringing along for what they can get out of it, together with a smattering of professional "joiners," thugs and crank-organizers—headed by William Dudley Pelley, the self-styled "Chief," spiritualist, traveler to heaven and would-be Hitler.

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Dr. Pendleton, Good Will Champion, Dies

Newton, Mass. — Dr. Ellen Fitz Pendleton, retired president of Wellesley College, who was chairman of the 1936 observance of Brotherhood Day, is dead here at the age of 71. Dr. Pendleton was one of the outstanding supporters of inter-religious good will, and was active in the movement to keep the United States out of the Berlin Olympic Games.

Acknowledgment

Mrs. Theresa Moskowitz wishes to express her appreciation of the kindness and sympathy shown her during her recent bereavement.

Unveiling of Monument

A tombstone in memory of the late Julius Cohen will take place at the Shaare Torah Cemetery in Carrick on Sunday, August 2, Rabbi Levin officiating.

Obituaries

Rabbi Moses Simon Sivitz

The long and splendid career of one of the greatest historians of the Jewish people came to a close at five o'clock, Wednesday afternoon, July 29, when Rabbi Moses Simon Sivitz died at the Montefiore Hospital at the age of 82.


Rabbi Moses Simon Sivitz

Born in Lithuania, which was then Russia, Rabbi Sivitz grew up in a scholarly family of rabbis. He married there, and at the age of 31, he came to Baltimore. A year later, he sent for his family and they moved to Pittsburgh where the Jewish population barely exceeded five hundred. Five years later, he became the head of the Gates of Wisdom Congregation on Townsend Street, which post he has held for the past forty-five years.

It was in his little study in Epiphany Street that Rabbi Sivitz did the research and study that made his reconstruction of the Talmud Yerusalmi, a book of Jewish customs and traditions, possible. After years of gathering his material, he also wrote five books on Moses.

Rabbi Sivitz has been a real leader in all civic activities, and he was, at one time, vice-president of the Rabbinical Council of North America. He was also founder of Yeshiva College in New York City.

He is survived by his four sons, Jacob of Cincinnati, Nathan of Toronto, and William and Benjamin of Pittsburgh, and by his sister, Mrs. Hannah Tobias of Los Angeles.

Funeral services were held on Friday, at 10:00 a. m., with eight rabbis in attendance. Rabbis Wolf Leiter, E. Kochin, Joseph Shapiro, Morris Levine, H. Miller and Joseph Caplan represented the Jewish rabbinate.

The Union of Orthodox Rabbis of America were represented by the Reverend Doctor Phillip Rosenberg of Cleveland and Rabbi I. Mishkin of Chicago. Cantors Joseph Schwartzman and Benjamin Kimel chanted the funeral service, after which burial was made in the Gates of Wisdom Cemetery.

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Mrs. Rose Tucker

Mrs. Rose Tucker, aged 80, passed away at her home, 630 N. Euclid Avenue, on July 25.

She is survived by her nine children, Dr. A. L., Max L., Louis, Morris M., Jack A., Herman E. of this city, Mrs. A. S. Eisenberg and Mrs. O. L. Jacobson of Boston, Mass., and Mrs. S. M. Himelblau of Pittsburgh, and by seven grandchildren, and two great-grandchildren.

Services were held at her late residence on Sunday, July 26, at 2 p. m. and also at the Gates of Wisdom Cemetery, Rabbi M. A. Levin officiating.

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Anna Lena Miller

Mrs. Anna Lena Miller, wife of Davis Miller, of Freeport Road, New Kensington, died in her home Tuesday morning, July 28, in her 68th year. Mrs. Miller had lived in New Kensington during the past 40 years, being one of the pioneer residents there. She was an active member of the Beth Jacob Congregation and Sisterhood, and was much interested in all philanthropic work.

She is survived by her husband, and six children, Mrs. Rose Donofsky, Irving G. Miller, Mrs. Dorothy Erenstein, Harry C. Miller, Ida Belle Miller, Howard H. Miller; two sisters, Mrs. Louis Levison and Mrs. Harry Cohen, both of Pittsburgh; two brothers, Alex M. Schwartz of New York City, and Myer D. Schwartz of Port Allegany, and by 13 grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at her late residence on Thursday afternoon, at two o'clock, followed by interment at B'nai Israel Cemetery. Rabbi Benjamin A. Lichter and Rabbi Mordecai Thurman officiated.

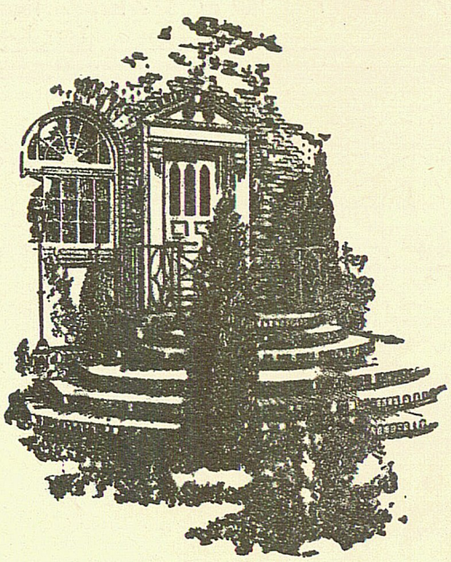
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Minnie Broudy Collins

Minnie Ida Collins (nee Broudy) of Washington Street, Brookline died on July 20. She was the wife of Alexander Broudy and the mother of Evelyn Berman and Julius Collins. She is also survived by her sister, Jennie Bennett and Esther Goldenson and her brothers, Abraham, Benjamin, William, Barney and Harry Broudy.

Funeral services were held at her home on Tuesday, July 21, at 2:00 o'clock.

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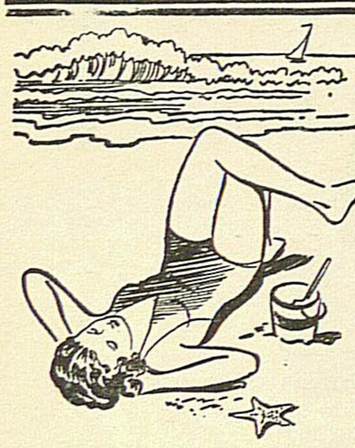
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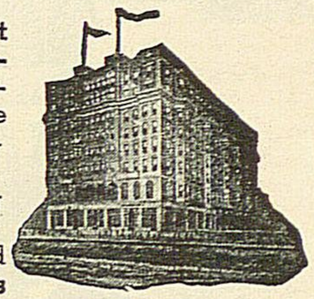
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Britain Cannot Protest to Reich on Anti-Semitism, Says Eden

London — Anthony Eden, British Foreign Secretary, told the House of Commons that he could not forward to Germany any request that she should not renew her violent anti-Semitic policy after the Olympic Games. His statement replied to a request by Geoffrey Mander, Liberal M.P., that the British Government call on the Reich to give assurances that the Jews would not suffer after the Olympics.

Harold Cohen, British Philanthropist, Dies

London — Harold Leopold Cohen, millionaire Jewish merchant, philanthropist and patron of education, died suddenly at Neston on the eve of the dedication of the new $500,000 library of the University of Liverpool which he had donated two years ago. Mr. Cohen, whose family has lived in Liverpool for four generations, and whose father, Louis Cohen, was mayor of that city in 1899 and 1900, was to have received an honorary degree from the university.

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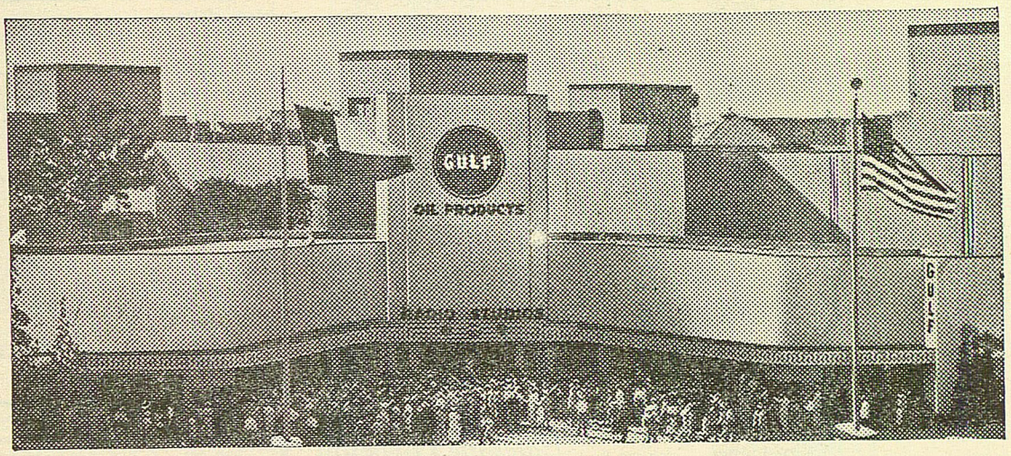
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Nazi Support of Spanish Fascists Charged in London, Paris and Moscow

London — Whispered charges of Nazi and Italian Fascist support for the Fascist uprising in Spain came into the open when the liberal Manchester Guardian asserted that German Naziism and Italian Fascism have a vital interest in the success of the Spanish rebels. Asserting that many of the weapons used by the Spanish insurgents are of Italian and German make, the Manchester Guardian said that Germany's interest in a Fascist victory lies in her "hopes to secure concessions in the Balearic Islands from them when they are in power," as well as territorial concessions in Morocco.

The Guardian revealed that the Nazis maintain an extensive and well-financed Nazi party branch on the Spanish mainland "which has been strongly reinforced by newcomers during the last few weeks It also maintains a powerful organization for political and military espionage, which works behind a diplomatic and educational facade."

Paris — A victory for the Spanish rebels will result in the creation of an Italian-German-Spanish Fascist bloc, it was charged by Le Populaire, organ of Premier Blum. Countering charges of French Communist aid to the Spanish government, Communist circles here formally accused Hitler and Mussolini of financing the Spanish revolt.

Moscow — Pravda, official Communist organ, believes that "there are very reliable reasons to believe the Spanish rebels are linked with German and Italian Fascists by more than spiritual bonds."

Marseilles, France — Jews as such were not molested iin Barcelona during the bloody fighting there, but the pawnshops, which are for the most part owned by Jews, were badly damaged and their proprietors forced to turn over pawns without receiving payment, according to eye-witness reports by American refugees from Spain who arrived here on the steamer Exeter. Recogniziing the danger to the pawnbrokers if they resisted, the government authorities ordered them not to object to any demands.

Washington, D. C.—9 foreign Jews, 8 American and one British, are among those rescued from Spain by American warships and steamers, French liners and British battleships, it was revealed in a list made public by the U. S. State Department. Those rescued were Paul Seidenman, New York; Luis Kantor, New York; Mr. and Mrs. Edward D. Lowenthal, Chicago; Howard A. Klapetsky, Syracuse; Bernard and Eugenie Gottlieb and Miss Winstein, and Joseph Friedman, London.

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News from the Film Capital

By Louis Pekarsky

Seven Arts-Jewish Criterion Staff Correspondent

Film Actors' Ball Game for L. A. Charity

Twenty thousand fans, the largest crowd of the year, enjoyed the antics of fifty or more motion picture stars and other celebrities who donned uniforms and played a hard ball game for the benefit of Mount Sinai Home for Chronic Invalids, Los Angeles, at Wrigley Field the other Saturday afternoon. Yasha Frank was responsible for the imposing array of stars who donated their services in this unique fund-raising event, and deserves a lot of credit for the great success it turned out to be despite the fact that it was played on the hottest day of the summer in Los Angeles. The huge crowd forgot the 97-degree temperature (who said it's always cool in California?) as they laughed heartily and continuously over the gags and monkey-shines pulled by the actor-players.

Two exhibition games by girls' softball nines preceded the main game. A police patrol wagon was driven across the field and out of it came movie stars on crutches and in wheel chairs, looking old and decrepit and anything but fit to play ball. Among those who cavorted on the diamond for the sake of charity were Jack Benny, George Jessel, Harry Ruby (chairman of the benefit), Mervyn LeRoy and many others. Jack La Rue broke up the game when he ran around the bases "shooting" the infielders with a revolver loaded with "blanks."

Members of the opposing team included Ricardo Cortez, Watler Abel and Cotton Warburton, All-American football stars. Victor Moore had the part of the "blind umpire," and Al K. Hall was a riot as the mascot and waterboy. The only casualty was Vince Barnett, who sprained his ankle dashing into second base.

Zukor Moves to Hollywood

In order to devote all his time to the production of films at Paramount Studios Adolph Zukor, chairman of the Paramount board of directors, will maintain a permanent residence in Hollywood, it was announced last week on Zukor's 25th anniversary in the motion picture industry. This means that Mr. Zukor will become the guiding hand at the source of Paramount's product.

Coming back to the production field Mr. Zukor returns to his first love. A quarter of a century ago he became one of the pioneer leaders of screen entertainment with his entrance into feature film production as head of Famous Players, which produced many of the greatest pictures and developed outstanding stars of the past. Barney Balaban, Paramount's new president, will have offices in New York.

Ratoff Reaches the Heights

The ultimate in motion picture contracts was reached by Gregory Ratoff when Daryl F. Zanuck, 20th Century-Fox chief, gave him a new four-way agreement which is the most inclusive of all contracts to date. The new contract calls for Ratoff's services as actor, writer, director and supervisor — an all-embracing employment which covers the four principal creative branches of the industry, in all of which Ratoff has distinguished himself in a short time.

Odets Back on Broadway

With the praises of Paramount officials ringing in his ears for his efforts in writing the script for a screen play, and with the script of his own new stage play, "The Silent Partner," under his arm, Clifford Odets is back on Broadway. This sensational young American playwright has promised to return to Hollywood and Paramount next spring to prepare an original story and adapt another novel for the films. Odets' trip back east is regarded as a setback to his romance with Luise Rainer.

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Toscanini to Conduct Palestine Orchestra

Jerusalem — The Palestine Philharmonic Orchestra will begin its first season this year under the baton of Arturo Toscanini, it was announced here. Among the other conductors will be Issay Dobrowen, formerly of San Francisco, and Hans W. Steinberg, former director of the opera in Frankfort, Germany. The season's program will consist of 26 concerts, of which 10 will be given in Tel Aviv, 8 in Jerusalem and 8 in Haifa.

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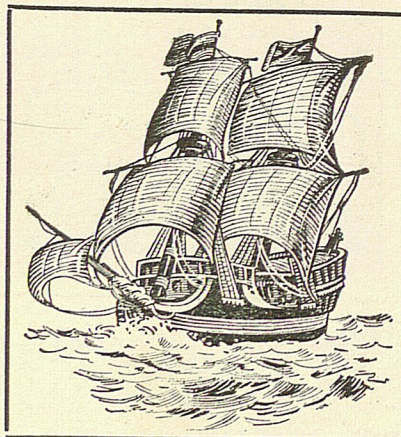
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3,000 Refugees From Disturbances Need Help in Tel Aviv

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Plot to Prevent Anti-Nazi Olympiad Believed Involved In Spanish Upheaval

Barcelona—The arrest of four Nazi propagandists by the Left Wing government of Catalonia has given rise to rumors that Nazi funds played a part in the Fascist revolution. It is also reported that Nazi desires to prevent the holding of the anti-Nazi sports carnival, scheduled to have opened here on July 19, influenced the timing of the revolt. Anti-Fascist circles here point out that shortly before the revolt the Fascist press in Madrid published a number of violent attacks on the German Jewish refugees in Spain and urged measures to prevent the admission of more. During the sanguinary fighting in Barcelona, 150 German Jewish refugees resident here enrolled in the Republican militia and fought beside native Spaniards in repulsing the Fascist rebels. The revolution has blocked, for the time being, the entry of an additional 200 German Jewish refugees, for whose admission government approval had been obtained just before the civil war broke out.

The cancellation of the anti-Nazi games left scores of athletes, including Jews from Palestine, stranded on the Franco-Spanish border. Five of the French athletes were slightly wounded in the fighting at Barcelona. The Americans and Canadians escaped unscathed. The Jewish athletes have sent an emissary to Paris to seek funds to enable them to return to their native lands. The French athletes were taken back to France in a steamer sent here by the French Government. Before leaving Spain the athletes, including the Americans, were given an official reception at the government palace by Luis Companys, president of Catalonia.

Warsaw—Poland has decided not to send a team to the chess Olympiad at Berlin, as her leading chess masters, all of them Jews, have refused to go. Last year Poland's all-Jewish chess team, consisting of S. Tartakower, Paul Friedman, A. Neidork and H. Friedman, took third place in the world championships.

Vienna—Alfred Guthm is the only Austrian Jewish athlete who has accepted the invitation of the Austrian Olympic Committee to represent Austria at the Berlin Olympics. Invitations were extended to 11 Jews. The suspension of 15-year-old Ruth Langer and Judith Deutsch, Jewish swimming champions, by the Austrian Swimming Federation for their refusal to join the Olympic team is expected to be followed by the suspension of 8 other Jewish athletes.

Belgrade—Every Jewish athlete of Olympic calibre in Yugoslavia, Greece and Bulgaria has declined a place on the Olympic team, it is learned here.

Berlin — Anti-Nazi literature distributed from unknown sources was found in the cabins allotted to the American athletes when the members of the American Olympic team reached the Olympic Village.

Major Morris Florea Dies

New York—Major Morris Florea, who was credited with selling $1,000,000 worth of Liberty Bonds during the World War, is dead here at the age of 60 from injuries received during a hold-up. A former alderman, Major Florea was once commander of the N. Y. department of the Jewish War Veterans, and a member of the New York World War Memorial Authority.

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Governor Earle to Address Jewish Veterans' Convention

New York — Governor George H. Earle of Pennsylvania will be the principal speaker at the 41st annual encampment of the Jewish War Veterans of the U. S., to be held at Pittsburgh over the Labor Day week-end, it is announced here. General Frank T. Hines, administrator of the U. S. Veterans' Bureau, has designated Samuel Rose as his personal representative to the convention, and James Van Zandt, national commander-in-chief of the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the U. S., will also address the gathering.

Gigantic Rally of 30,000 Children at "Home Industry" Celebration

Jerusalem — Undismayed by the present disturbed situation, Palestine's industries are now carrying on a nationwide celebration to promote the Home Products movement. 30,000 children gathered in various parts of Palestine to mark the end of the school project of this celebration, which has been going on for the past month. The most important rally took place on the Levant Fair grounds.



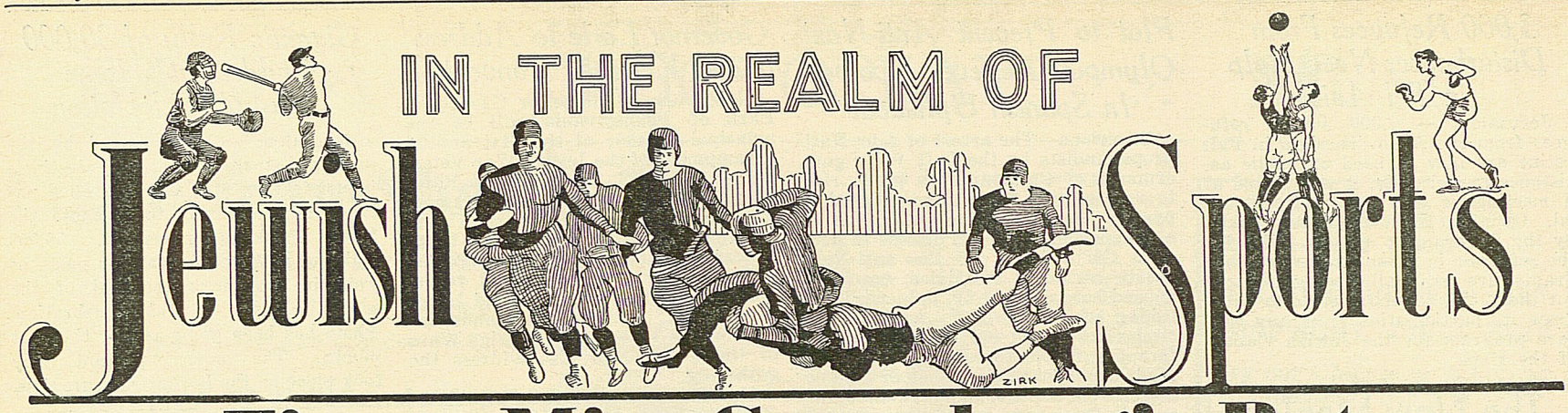
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Tigers Miss Greenberg's Bat

Jungaleers Face Real Fight To Retain Title

BY BOB LEWIS

Detroit baseball fans, who are downhearted over the failure of the Detroit Tigers to set the pace in the American League pennant race, may attribute the downfall of the Jungaleers to the absence of Henry (Hank) Greenberg, slugging first baseman, and Gordon (Mickey) Cochrane, hustling manager of the American League titleholders.

The value of Greenberg, who was named the outstanding player in the American League last season, to the Detroit Tigers was borne out when a fractured wrist forced the New York Jewish slugger to the sidelines. Following this misfortune, the Tigers suffered the loss of their manager and these two mishaps alone have played major roles in keeping the Tigers out of first place.

There is no telling just when Greenberg will be able to resume his position at the initial sack, but until he is able to play regularly, the Jungaleers have little or no hope of making any headway in the race for the pennant. The Tigers with Greenberg and Cochrane both playing regularly, easily are the class of the American League, but with both of them incapacitated, the Detroit entry represents an ordinary club.

Reports from the American League headquarters have Greenberg's wrist mending rapidly, but it will be some time before Big Hank will be able to return to the regular lineup Cochrane, more or less worried by the bad breaks suffered by his club, is believed to be out for the season.

Injuries and other mishaps must be considered when rating pennant contenders in any branch of sport. These bad breaks, such as suffered by the Detroit Tigers, invariably upset the calculations of the best of experts They are something that cannot be prevented or avoided during the course of a season.

Greenberg's trusty bat has been sorely missed by the Detroit Tigers all season, one of the reasons the Junglaeers have been making a futile attempt to overtake the New York Yankees, a team which has been setting the pace ever since misfortune struck within the ranks of the defending titleholders.

Unless the Detroit club takes a decided brace, the American League pennant likely will return to the eastern end of the circuit with the Yankees, under the leadership of Joe McCarthy representing the junior circuit in the world series next fall.

In the meantime, Jewish fans throughout the two major leagues are pulling for the popular Greenberg to recover fully from his wrist injury They are hopeful the fracture will have no permanent affect on his batting prowess.

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JEWISH STAR HAILED

Another Jewish football star promises to make his presence felt in the Western Conference next season.

Out at the University of Chicago, where the popular Clark Shaughnessy is coach, they are predicting bright things for Morton Goodstein, sophomore quarter of the Maroon eleven, who is expected to win a regular berth on the varsity eleven.

Goodstein stood out as a signal-barker during his freshman year at Chicago and Coach Shaughnessy is banking heavily upon him in his plans to make the Maroons a consistent winner on the gridiron next fall.

Weighing over 200 pounds, 207 to be exact, Goodstein has amazed the followers of the Chicago football team by his ability to direct the varsity eleven on the field.

Should Goodstein make good as expected he will be the third famous Jewish quarterback developed in Western Conference ranks. The others both stood out at the University of Michigan. They are Benny Friedman, all-American star and now identified with professional football, and Harry Newman, who also earned nationwide fame during his career at Michigan. Both Friedman and Newman hail from Cleveland.

The Big Ten, of which Chicago is one of the oldest members, always has been noted for the caliber of its football teams. Goodstein, however, has displayed so much promise that students of the school are convinced he has the quarterback position on the varsity eleven all but clinched. He is going to bear watching in the Western Conference next season, make no mistake.

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JEWISH SPORTSWOMAN

Mary Hirsch, the only licensed girl horse trainer in New York State and a daughter of Max Hirsch, trainer of Bold Venture, winner of the Kentucky Derby at Churchill Downs in 1936, does not confine her sports activities to the turf.

Miss Hirsch, who has played a prominent role in assisting her father in the development of some of the outstanding turf stars in the country, also displays considerable skill at clay targets, a sport which is making rapid strides in this nation.

When not busy with her racing interests, Miss Hirsch likes nothing better than to turn her leisure moments to clay pigeons.

Those who watched Bold Venture race to victory in the Kentucky Derby at the famous Downs last year attribute most of the success to the training ability of this young Jewish girl and her dad.

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ANENT DAVE LEVIN

Dave Levin, claimant to the world's professional wrestling championship as a result of winning from Ali Baba on a foul, attributes his success as a matman to the training he received in other sports.

The Jewish athlete feels certain that the stamina he possesses was developed during the days he was a cross-country runner when he had no thought of becoming a professional wrestler. He attributes his strength to the apprenticeship he served in the butchering trade.

At 23 years of age, Levin is among the youngest grapplers engaged in the sport and at 191 pounds he is among the lightest ever to ascend the heavyweight throne. He shows no marks on his person despite the number of gruelling matches required of a champion in any sport.

The Jewish youngster is managed by Toots Mondt, a former wrestler himself, and plans are being made for a nationwide tour. Levin's first ambition was to become a fireman. Recalling his early dreams, Levin said:

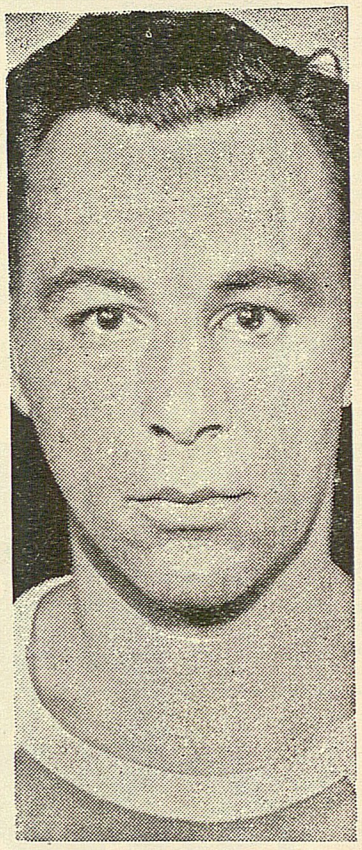
"My first ambition was to become a fireman. I passed physically, but couldn't make the grade mentally—so I became a wrestler."

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SPORTS SHORTS

You don't see much of Harry (Cutsey) Levine these days . . . What a sweet basketball player he was during his days at Fifth Avenue High School, the University of Pittsburgh, the Coffey Club and the Amerita Club . . . Aside from taking on a lot of weight, Sam Levinson, former "Y" star, has changed little over the passing years . . . He was one of the most rugged basketball players during his younger days . . . Butch Mates is a frequent visitor to the dog races at New Kensington and picking them on the nose consistently . . . Al Berk is another of the uptown sportsmen to take in the greyhounds . . . Lewis Lavine, mayor of the City of Farrell, is rated one of the best amateur golfers in Mercer County . . . He has been a consistent winner in tournament competition.

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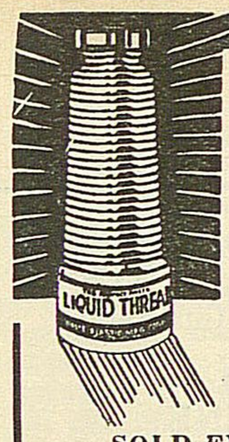
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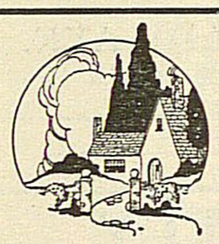
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Plain Talk

Is There A Jewish Vote?

By Al Segal

Paul Block, publisher of newspapers (and a Jew), is troubled on account of Governor Lehman of New York running for re-election. He thinks Mr. Lehman ought to be defeated. He wrote an editorial on the matter, and so hot does he feel about it that he paid to have the editorial printed as an advertisement in The New York Times.

He wonders whether Lehman was drafted for the nomination because "they believe he can deliver the vote of the people of the Jewish faith, of whom there are close to two millions in Greater New York."

"We do not believe he can dictate the Jewish vote," he asserts. In fact we believe these voters are just as independent as the people of other religious faiths . . . And we do not believe they will follow Lehman simply because they are of the same religious faith."

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This brings up the question: Is there a Jewish vote?

Well, there have been occasions when I have distinctly felt that I have a Jewish vote even when I voted for Barney McGuire, the candidate for state senator.

People asked me: "Aren't you going to vote for Levy?" Levy was running against McGuire.

"No," I answered, "McGuire is more after my heart."

There was something prophetic about McGuire. He flamed against injustice. He was hurt by the sight of slums. His eyes were rapt with a vision of a world more just and lovely.

I had always said there was no such thing as a Jewish vote . . . "We," I used to observe, "vote as Americans pure and simple" . . . But when I voted for McGuire I was conscious of doing a thing that I owed to myself as a Jew who had lived long and was an old-timer in the suffering of injustice; who by suffering had acquired something of compassion with all others who were afflicted; who from seeing so much injustice had come to love justice above all the good in the world.

The flaming McGuire was my hero of justice for the hour.

In fact, other Jews felt the same way about McGuire. For they said:

"He is a man with a Jewish heart."

"He has all the Jewish dreams."

Not that we expected anything of special Jewish benefit from McGuire. He never had a word to say for Jews. But McGuire was for minimum wages established by law. He was for the child labor amendment. He was for old age pensions. He was for these things with the hot ardor of a burning bush.

Most of the Jews voted for McGuire, or, I should say rather, for the justice, loving-kindness and compassion that were McGuire. Certainly, I could feel I was casting a vote essentially Jewish when I voted for McGuire.

In our town (which has been called the best-governed in the country) the Jews are mainstays of civic righteousness. Recently there was brought up an issue that involved the perpetuation of this righteousness, and in the Jewish ward the majority in favor of maintaining good government was more than 2,000. This was far larger than any favorable majority in any other ward.

Our Jews are among the leaders for civic virtue. They never ask anything for themselves as Jews. They are even troubled at times when more than one Jew attains office by election.

"It is enough," they say, "that we do our part to perpetuate this good government."

Our non-Jewish political leaders speak of "the Jewish vote." By this they intend no affront, but rather a tribute. They mean a vote that for ten years past has been zealous for good government, that votes for it not casually but with flaming ardor.

We do not resent being called a Jewish vote in that meaning. We are conscious that we are fulfilling something finely Jewish when we give the strength of our numbers to civic decency. We were proud that the Jewish ward had contributed more than the majority by which a fundamental principle of good government carried in the recent election.

We voted as good citizens and certainly as worthy Jews ought to vote who are aware that they are the bearers of good ideals which they took at Mt. Sinai or thereabouts.

Yes, we are a Jewish vote; and what of it? I should feel that I belonged to a futile minority if there were no mass Jewish opinion supporting that which is righteous and that which is just and that which is merciful and that which is compassionate.

If, as Jews, we are only a self-serving group there is no reason for us to keep on being Jews. If what we call our inheritance (Torah and prophets) means anything, it means (it seems to me) that as social beings we have an obligation to join with other men to make this teaching of justice, righteousness and loving-kindness dominant in the affairs of the world.

I don't know any other way in which we can do this than by casting a Jewish vote for causes that have to do with building a better social order.

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If I were a Jewish publisher of a daily newspaper I should feel that I had a special opportunity to apply my inheritance of social ideals to the common good.

As a Jewish publisher I would be a stranger in the company of Hearst: "I should run with him! I who have been given these ideals to carry! I should make common cause with him?"

Not that I would make a Jewish paper of it. Not that the news of Jews would enjoy any more prominence in my newspaper than in any other; not that the exploits of Jews would be screamed from my columns. For, in fact, I get pain enough from seeing too much Jewish publicity in the daily press.

But the spirit of my newspaper would be Jewish in that it would be a voice for the disinherited, the meek and the lowly who cannot speak for themselves. As a Jew (a son of prophets) I should feel greatly diminished to be one of the chorus of voices that speak for the powerful.

At least, I would not be a Jewish publisher who in his single public appearance as a Jew drags before the public a matter that should be private in the house of Israel.

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Mistowsky Heads Rhode Island Disabled Veterans

Providence, R. I.—Samuel Mistowsky, member of the R. I. Post No. 23 of the Jewish War Veterans of the U. S., has been elected state commander of the Rhode Island Department of the Disabled American Veterans. He is the first Jew to hold this post in Rhode Island.

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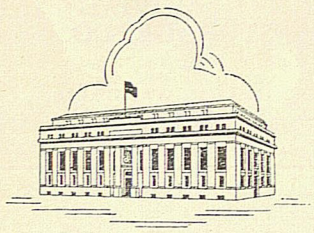
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Flint, Mich.—Buick dealers throughout the country sold more used cars in the last ten days of June than in any ten day period so far this year, W. F. Hufstader, General Sales Manager, announced today.

A total of 12,304 used cars, having an aggregate value of $4,921,600, were sold between June 20 and June 30.

Used car sales for all of June this year totaled 28,874 units, worth approximately $11,549,600.

Buicks' used car activity in June, Mr. Hufstader pointed out, is in line with the great increase in new car sales for the month when compared with a year ago. During June this year a total of 16,454 new cars were delivered at retail, nearly three times the number sold last year. The last ten day period in June accounted for 7,698 domestic deliveries which was the highest figure for this period in nine years.

Physician Pleads for New Children's Hospital Over WJAS, Monday

Dr. George J. Feldstein, eminent Pittsburgh Pediatrician, who has been working tirelessly, to establish an adequate Municipal Hospital for Children having contagious diseases, spoke today in the interests of the welfare of this district's inadequately taken care of children, on Elsie Lichtenstul's program at 11:15 a. m., over station WJAS.

Dr. Feldstein, as former president of the Pediatric group of this district, has been working with other prominent physicians for the past few years, hoping the present hazardous Municipal Hospital will be torn down and a new, safe building erected.

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Italy Wants Palestine Internationalized

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meantime, they were replaced by other peoples . . . The expropriation of the land, which was taken away from the Arab peasant by a handful of gold from the Jewish National Fund, has daily more and more increased the irritation of the natives at the usurping invasion of the foreigners." The article concludes with a warning to England: "If one imagines that tomorrow the Moslems of Syria, Transjordania, Iraq and of the entire Arabian Peninsula may draw up in line of battle on the side of the Arabs in Palestine, he may get an idea of the risk to which England is exposing herself by persisting in her Zionist policy in the Holy Land."

Similarly, in the Giornale D'Italia of May 29, Virginio Gayda, foremost Italian spokesman and publicist, writes: "The situation in Palestine has its real origin in the British policy during the war when on one hand she promised the Arabs a great and independent Arabian Empire and at the same time issued the Balfour Declaration, which carries with it the implication of favoring Jewish immigration into Palestine and the accompanying pressure upon the rights of the Arabs . . . This is what creates a situation whereby two diverse and unassimilable peoples, who hate one another and cannot cooperate, are being brought face to face . . . It is this, in short, which creates the unredeemable reasons for the inevitable conflict."

The conclusion reached by the Italian press is self-evident. The Mandate having proved a failure, it is only right that England should relinquish her rule over Palestine. This opinion is corroborated in semi-official circles, as in an article by Romolo Tritonj, in the May issue of the Oriente Moderno, a semi-official publication of the Italian Foreign Office. Attacking the Mandate system, and citing the case of Palestine, Tritonj concludes that "internationalizing the country . . . will constitute an equitable and sane revision of the Mandate."

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United Anti-Fascist Front Organized in England

London — A nation-wide united Fascist movement to meet the threat of increasing Fascist and anti-Semitic propaganda and agitation in Great Britain is now being organized here. The anti-Fascist organization will have sufficient funds to undertake political and propaganda measures to counteract the efforts of the Fascist groups.

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Suggestions for the Housewife



These days your electric refrigerator is a pleasure. It seems almost impossible to exhaust the supply of various chilled dishes that one can make with electric refrigeration. Left overs will pop up in complete new disguises, in appetizers, in salads and even in desserts.

In connection with a discussion of left-overs, mention should also be made of the great saving in food bills to be gained by purchasing in large amounts. Buying two heads of lettuce for a quarter instead of one for fifteen cents one day, and another at that price two days later, means a saving of over 16%! A can of peas may be purchased for only a few cents more than the cost of one large enough for only one meal. Your ice box will keep what remains after the first meal, safe and sweet for many days.

A few cents saved here, a few there —by buying in larger quantities and by the utilization of all left-overs will soon make an appreciable difference in the family food bills. Dishes made from left-overs which would have to be thrown away were it not for the refrigerator in the kitchen, will furnish the family with many "free meals" if they are cleverly used, in the preparation of delicious frozen dishes.

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Frozen Tomato Salad

Two cups canned or fresh stewed tomatoes, 2 cloves, 1 allspice berry, ¼ teaspoon celery seed, ¼ teaspoon salt, ⅛ teaspoon peppercorns, 1 small slice onion, sprig parsley, few grains cayenne, 1⅛ teaspoons vinegar, 2 tablespoons cold water.

Cook tomatoes with seasoning for ten minutes. Cool. Add vinegar and strain. Turn into freezing tray or into individual molds placed in freezing tray. Stir twice during freezing. Serve on lettuce hearts garnished with mayonnaise. Serves four to six. May also be served as appetizer in cocktail glasses.

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Tomato and Frozen Cheese Salad

Six ounces cream cheese, 2 tablespoons mayonnaise, 6 firm, red tomatoes, paprika.

Cream the cheese and season with the mayonnaise and paprika. Pack one inch deep and two and one-half inches wide in freezing tray and freeze.

Dip tomatoes in hot water and then in cold and remove skins. Turn stem-end down and cut three times crosswise a little more than half way through, once in the center and once half-way toward each end. Cut wedge shaped pieces from the frozen cheese and force down into the cuts in the tomato. Cut corners even and shape to fit. Chill thoroughly and place on crisp lettuce.

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Pineapple Drink

One cup sugar, 1 cup water, 2 tablespoons lemon juice, 1 can crushed pineapple, ½ cup orange juice, 5 cups ice water.

Make a syrup of the sugar and water. Cool. Add the fruit juices and the pineapple and ice water. Chill in the refrigerator. When ready to serve pour into glasses filled with ice cubes.

A dressed up version of the old favorite lemonade can be made as follows:

Raspberry-Ade

One quart raspberry ice, 2 quarts lemonade, 8 to 10 maraschino cherries.

Place a scoop of raspberry ice in a tall beverage glass. When ready to serve fill glass with chilled lemonade. Drop in a maraschino cherry. This recipe will be sufficient for eight to ten persons.

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Souffle Glace

Four eggs, grated rind of 1 lemon, 2/3 cup sugar, 1 tablespoon lemon juice, ¼ cup sherry wine jelly, ¼ cup hot water, few grains salt, ¾ cup whipping cream.

Beat egg yolks slightly, add lemon juice, grated rind, jelly, water, sugar and salt, and cook till mixture thickens, stirring constantly. Add whites of eggs beaten stiff, blend well, and cool. Fold into whipped cream. Fill small paper cups with mixture, cover with macaroon crumbs, place in ice tray and freeze. Serves twelve.

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Peach Delight

Two egg whites, 1 cup peach pulp, 4 tablespoons confectioners sugar, few grains salt.

Whip eggs till quite stiff; add sugar, salt and peach pulp. Fold together lightly and pour into ice tray. Place small tea cakes at intervals so that one will be in the center of each serving when cut. Serves six.

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Marshmallow Ice Cream

6 marshmallows or 5 tablespoons marshmallow sauce, 1 cup milk, ½ pint whipping cream.

Heat milk in top of double boiler. Cut marshmallows in small pieces, and dissolve in milk, then chill. Whip cream and fold in marshmallow mixture. Place in ice tray and freeze.

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Escalloped Vegetables Tasty Dish

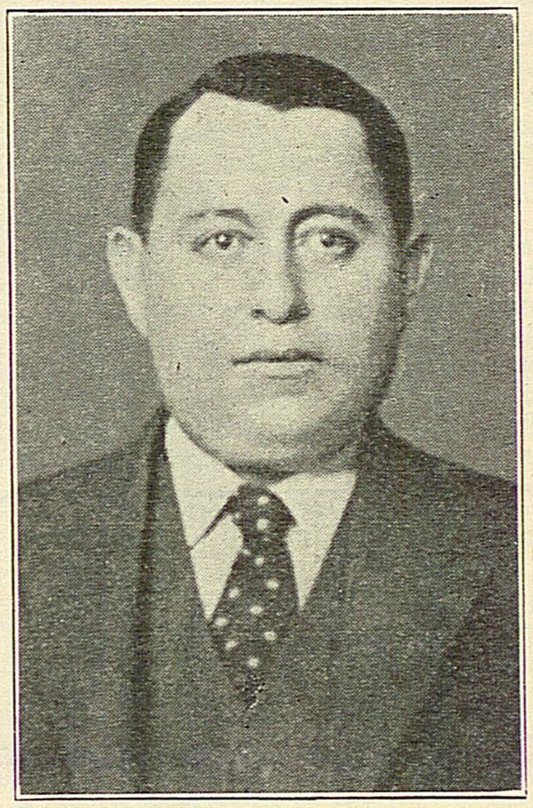
Escalloped vegetables make excellent luncheon dishes when you need meat substitutes. If your family likes escalloped corn, try out this new way of fixing it:—

Use 1 can of No. 2 corn to which add 2 slightly beaten eggs and 1 teaspoon salt. Then scald 2 cups milk. Incidentally, if you want to supply your family with an excellent nutritive food as well as an excellent tasting one, use Irradiated Vitamin D Milk in this recipe. Vitamin D is the vitamin which has been proven an aid in the prevention of rickets. Vitamin D also helps build and maintain the teeth and bones.

Add the scalded milk to the corn and egg mixture. Also add ½ teaspoon pepper and 1½ tablespoons butter. Pour into a buttered baking dish, cover with a thick layer of seasoned and buttered cracker crumbs and bake in a moderate (350 degrees) oven until firm like custard.

Morris Millstone to Represent Otto Milk

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Deny Postponement of World Jewish Congress

New York — The World Jewish Congress will not be postponed and will open at Geneva as scheduled on August 8th, it was declared in a cable received by the American Jewish Congress from Nahum Goldmann, chairman of the executive committee of the World Jewish Congress. Dr. Goldmann's cable was in reply to rumors that the Congress might be postponed.

Miami Radio Station Ends "Gentiles Only" Broadcasts

Miami — Bowing to vigorous protests from Abe Aronovitz, city solicitor and chairman of the local B'nai B'rith Anti-Defamation League, and from other Jewish leaders, Hal Leyshon, city editor of the Miami Daily News, apologized to the Jewish community for the broadcasting of "Gentiles only" announcements over Station WIOD, which is owned by the News, and promised to discontinue such broadcasts.

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A Young Folks' Page Conducted by Judith Ish-Kishor

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Big Athletic Meet Here for Those Who Are Against Nazi Olympics

We had the Olympic Games at Los Angeles in 1932, and after they were over the 1936 games were awarded to Berlin, the capital of Germany. That was a different Germany from what it is now for Hitler was not yet put in power.

When the Nazis became the party in power in Germany a big fight began, everywhere else, to take the Olympic Games away from Berlin. For it soon became clear that the Nazis don't care anything at all about the Olympic ideal of broadmindedness and human brotherhood and letting the best man win. They were planning to make the games into a parade of Nazi power. They also mean to get the athletes interested in the Nazi government so that they may take back to their own country lessons in Jew hatred and against democracy. Westbrook Pegler, who went to Germany so that he could report the Olympic Winter Games for an important New York paper, says that the Nazis at once turned the Olympics into a Nazi show. Mr. Pegler is not a Jew, but he is so disgusted at what he saw in Germany that he keeps on writing articles, warning Americans not to let Nazi ideas spread in America.

Now to keep people away from the Berlin Olympics those who fought against having the Olympic Games in Germany have worked out a new plan. They are going to have a big athletic carnival right here in America. It will be called the Labor Athletic Carnival, and will take place at Randall's Island, New York, on August 15 and 16. The National Jewish Labor Committee will take charge of it. The American Federation of Labor will join in. (They voted solid against sending American athletes to Berlin.) And Jeremiah T. Mahoney, who resigned from the presidency of the American Athletic Union rather than work for the sending of American teams to Germany, will now take a leading part in arranging the Labor Athletics.

So we can look forward to a great anti-Nazi sports carnival here, on the last two days of the Berlin Olympics. All those who feel, with Westbrook Pegler, that "the Nazis are the opposite of everything that Americanism stands for" will welcome these new games.

If father has ever promised to take you to New York, this would be a lovely time to come.

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Riddle Box

The Number Puzzle of July 3 was a great success. I'll tell you all about it in a minute. But why, dear boys and girls, did you "flop" so badly over the last Square Puzzle we had? (Only one reader guessed it.) Perhaps it was too hard? or perhaps you had forgotten how to do it? Well, here's a little practice. Never say die. This one is easier, too. Try it.

1. A creature God made on the Fifth Day..... * * * *
2. A thought; the active kind that spreads to others ..... * * * *
3. A creature that lives both in water and on land... * * * *
4. A large room used for meetings or gatherings.. * * * *

Now put a letter in the place of each * and send it to "The Sabbath Angel," care of The Jewish Criterion, 441 Oliver Building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Now for the Number Puzzle. I am so glad you liked it.

To find a name of eight letters.... 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8
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Letters 5, 6 and 8 make the number of the Commandments. (Ten).... TE N

Letters 3, 1, 4 and 5, what birds live in (Nest) ..... E NST

Letters 5, 1, 8 and 5, what Abraham, Jacob and Isaac lived in (Tent)..... E T N

Letters 8, 7, 3 and 6, the number of months from Passover to Chanukah, inclusive (Nine).. N EIN

Letters 5, 2 and 3, a useful white metal (Tin) ..... IN T

The famous scientist is ..... EINSTEIN

Congratulations go to Judith Bleadon, 9412 Prairie Avenue; Morris Gorovitz, 1809 S. Central Park Avenue; Norma L. and Naomi Ruth Joffee, 1050 Catalpa Avenue; Morris H. Faden, 6400 S. Sangamon Street; Ruby Rothenberg, 1253 S. Independence Boulevard; Leona Bernice Edidin, 2861 Palmer Street; Jean Kosterlitz, 1145 Hyde Park Boulevard; Sidney S. Macy, 4000 Washington Boulevard; David L. Willens, 4224 Hazel Avenue, Chicago, Ill. Arline Palatsky, 102 Winthrop Avenue, Albany, N. Y. Shirley Ostrum, 1454 N. Tenth Street; Esther Axelman, 5020 N. Hutchinson Street; Gilford Myers, 4835 Osage Avenue, Philadelphia. Eleanor Quin, 620 Ludwig Street, Greensburg, Pa. Irma Mae Reznick and Harriet Reznick, 2212 Whittier Avenue; Ethel Kaplan, 2310 W. North Avenue; Leona Levinsohn, 3703 Reisterstown Road; Barbara Hyman, 5604 South Bend Road; Betty H. Hurwitz, 2336 Reisterstown Road; Stella Karen, 600 N. Eden Street, Baltimore, Md. That's what I call a good list.

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Our Mail

This is from Leona Bernice Edidin: "Dear Miss Ish-Kishor, I enjoy reading your page very much, and especially do I like to work out your riddles. I am 12 years old and in 7-A grade. I go to Sunday school and I'm in the graduating class in Hebrew school, and I also take piano lessons. I would like to see my letter in print. Very truly yours—a true reader—Leona Bernice Edidin." A very busy lady is Leona, as anyone can see from all that she studies. Will she be able to write a letter about "My Vacation" for our contest? I hope so.

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The Faithful Daughter

A Folk Story, Adapted by Judith Ish-Kishor

(Esther was a very happy child when her father was alive, but when he died her mother had to work very hard as a lace maker and as a nurse when people were sick. Esther's mother did this because she wanted to keep the money her husband had left for Esther when she should be grown up. This all happened two hundred years ago, in Germany. When Esther was sixteen a plague broke out. Her mother helped the doctor to save people's lives until, at last, she fell ill herself. The doctor could not cure her, and she died. But Esther would not leave her mother's body. She kept it warm and watched it all by herself in the night. Finally, losing hope, she throws herself despairingly on her mother's breast.)

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How long she stayed like that Esther did not know, but presently a faint breathing aroused her. Or, perhaps it was only the faintest tremor in the woman's breast. A wild light came to Esther's eyes. She ran to Frau Werner's door.

"Wake up! Wake up! Come and help me," she cried. "My mother is living!" Half asleep, the woman and her husband came to Esther's aid. More to humor the girl than with any belief in the use of their efforts they brought brandy and warm blankets, while Esther rubbed her mother's limbs with frantic perserverance.

And the result was that, two hours later when morning broke, the widow's eyes opened. Her first glance fell on Esther, kneeling exhausted but triumphant, by her side. Dr. Falkenberg, when he came, gladly admitted that he had mistaken the almost deathly weariness of the worn-out nurse for the sleep of death.

"And so it would have been," he said, with a humble glance at Esther, "if not for a Jewish girl's love for her mother." What the widow thought about it couldn't be expressed until the following day.

"Esther, my child," she murmured, "I gave you life, but you have indeed returned the gift."

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Everything for the Best

A Story About Rabbi Akiba

When the Roman soldiers were hunting all the teachers of the Law in order to kill them so that the Jewish learning might die out and the spirit of the Jewish people be broken, Rabbi Akiba was urged by his pupils to escape. Now the emperor had given special orders that Akiba was to be captured because he was the greatest rabbi of that time. So his pupils, knowing his danger, sent him away in the middle of the night.

They brought him a donkey to ride on, a knapsack full of food and a lamp to give him light when he arose before dawn to begin his studies. He also took with him a rooster, that would crow and awaken him before daylight.

For many days he traveled safely along the road. But one morning when he awoke he found that the poor donkey had been devoured by wild animals. He was forced to continue his journey on foot, but he said:

"This, too, is for the best." Now that he could not ride he went along by narrower paths and more secret ways where the donkey would not have been able to pass. But on the following day two other misfortunes befell him.

While he was walking across a wide field a bird of prey swooped down and attacked the rooster and carried him off. And that evening when the rabbi, feeling lonely for his poor friend, was camping for the night, he dropped the lamp and it broke. But he kept up his courage and said:

"This, too, is for the best."

In the morning he woke with the sun and went on his way alone. Still traveling by hidden paths, he came safely to the town where his friends lived.

Akiba soon found out that his trust in God was justified.

"How did you ever escape Hadrian's soldiers?" his friends cried out. "They passed through the district from which you have come. They have been over the same ground and have just gone on to the next town, certain that you are not anywhere here."

"Praise be to God," cried Akiba. "Whatever He does is for the best. And he told them of his adventures. Now he knew that because the donkey was killed he had traveled by impassable roads and so escaped the soldiers. If he had had the rooster with him the noise of its crowing would have betrayed his hiding place. And if he had had the lamp its light would have been visible among the bushes, and he would have been found out. So Akiba's friends said, too:

"This also was for the best."

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The Mouth and the Ears

(From the Hebrew)

My friend, speak always once, but listen twice.
This, I would have you know, is sound advice.
For God has given you and all your peers
A single mouth, friend, but a pair of ears.

("Your peers" means "your equals," those who are like you.)

Jewish Calendar

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Fast of Gedalia	Sept. 19
Yom Kippur	Sept. 26
Succoth	Oct. 1-6
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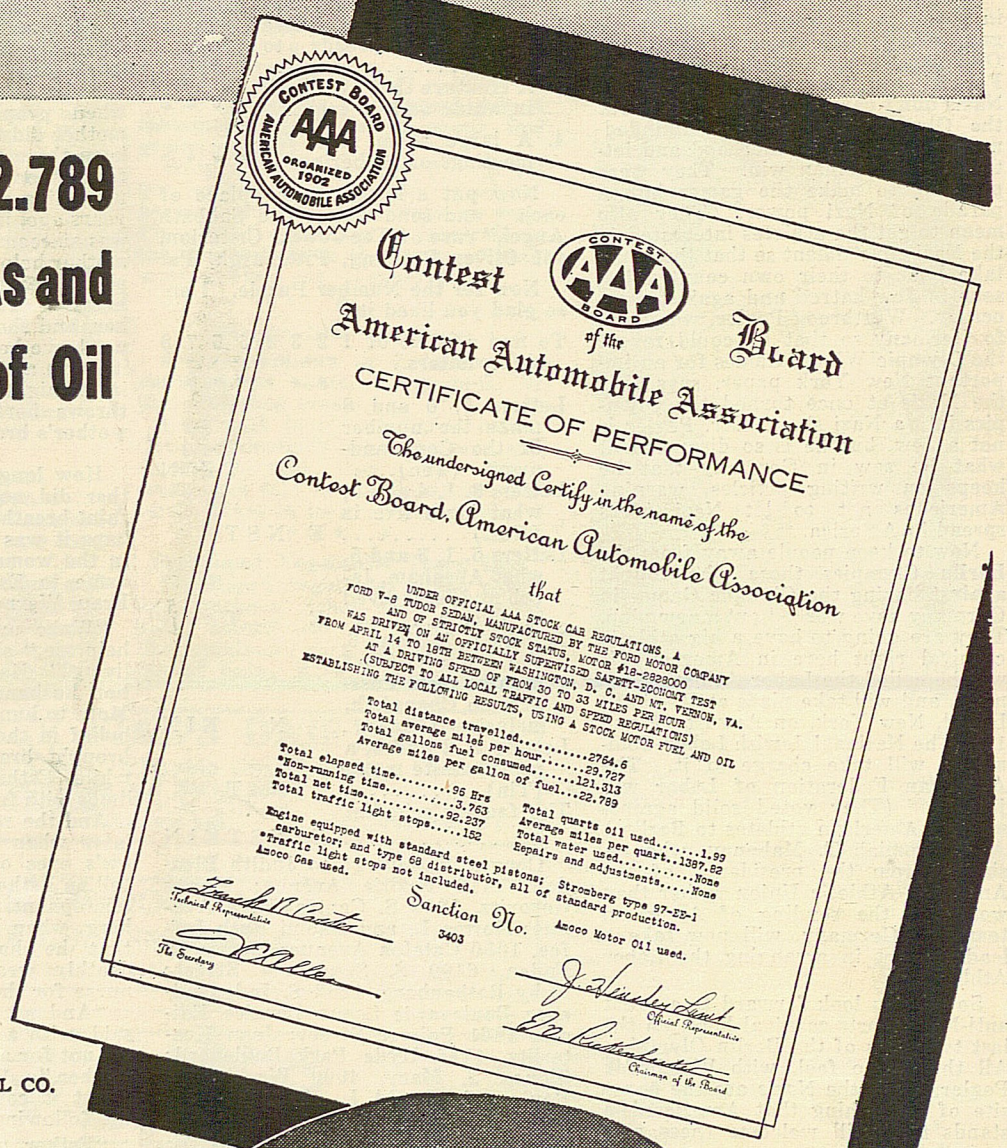
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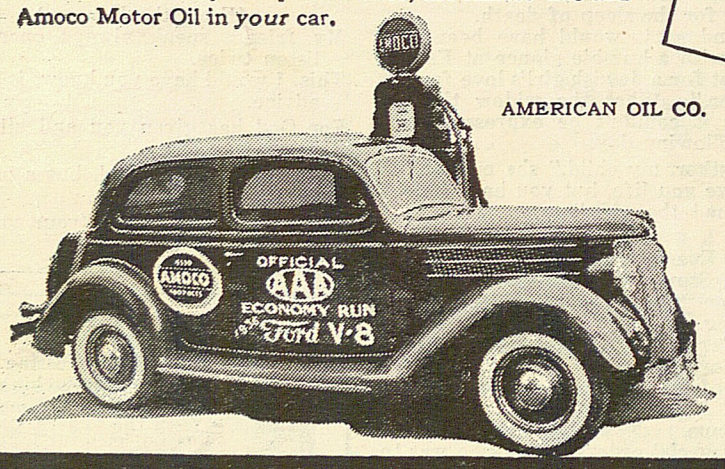
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