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# PREFACE

Only one important change has been made in this, the twelfth issue of the AMERICAN JEWISH YEAR BOOK. The article on The Year has been omitted, as the List of Events, arranged by countries, in itself constitutes an account of the year's activities, thus rendering any additional article unnecessary.

The principal article is on immigration, as this has been one of the chief subjects of interest to the Jews of the United States during the year. This article contains the most significant statements made before the Committee on Immigration and Naturalization of the House of Representatives, on March 11, 1910, and is printed here as being the best collection of information bearing upon the subject of Jewish immigration ever got together. It was the intention to make the principal article in this issue of the Year Book deal with the subject of the agricultural activities of the Jews of this country, but during the year the immigration question assumed such prominence that it was thought well to defer the article on agriculture to another year.

In the article on THE YEAR in the last YEAR BOOK, on page 101, the name of Edward S. Solomon, formerly Governor

of Washington Territory, was included among those who passed away during the year. This was an error for Edv S. Salomon, who was at one time Governor of Wisconsin.

As in the preceding two years, the manuscript of the Y BOOK has been compiled by the AMERICAN JEWISH COMPTEE, and the JEWISH PUBLICATION SOCIETY OF AMERICA the publisher.

I desire to make acknowledgment of the valuable assista of Dr. Cyrus Adler, of Philadelphia, and Miss Henrie Szold, Secretary to the Publication Committee.

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Feb. 1	5.39	7.19	5.09	6.49	5.38	7.14	5.14	6.50	5.37	7.10
10	5.29	7.07	5.22	7.01	5.29	7.04	5.26	6.59	5.29	7.01
20	5.15	6.52	5.36	7.12	5.17	6.50	5.38	7.12	5.17	6.48
Mar. 1	5.01	6.37	5.48	7.24	5.02	6.35	5.50	7.23	5.03	6.35
10	4.43	6.21	6.00	7.37	4.48	6.21	6.01	7.34	4.49	6.21
20	4.26	6.03	6.12	7.49	4.30	6.03	6.12	7.46	4.33	6.04
April 1	4.00	5.40	6.27	8.07	4.08	5.43	6.26	8.01	4.12	5.45
10	3.41	5.24	6.39	8.21	3.49	5.27	6.35	8.13	3.54	5.28
20	3.19	5.07	6.51	8.39	3.29	5.11	6.45	8.28	3.36	5.13
May 1	2.52	4.49	7.05	9.01	3.07	4.54	6.59	8.47	3.16	4.59
10	2.36	4.37	7.15	9.14	2.53	4.44	7.08	9.02	3.02	4.50
20	2.16	4.26	7.26	9.87	2.35	4.36	7.18	9.18	2.46	4.39
June 1	1.55	4.17	7.38	10.00	2.17	4.25	7.29	9.37	2.32	4.31
10	1.47	4.14	7.44	10.12	2.11	4.22	7.35	9.47	2.27	4.28
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Sep.	25	Day of Atonement	Tishri	10	Oct.	18	
Sep.	80	Tabernacles	Tishri	15	Oct.	18	
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April	24	Passover	Nisan	15	April	13	
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June	8	New Moon Day	Sivan	1	May	28	Ne
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Day of the Week	Jewish Month		PENTATEUCHAL PORTIONS חורש	PROPHETICAL PORTIONS הפטרות
	Tishri			71110311
$\mathbf{T}$	1	New Year א' דר' השנה	Gen. 21 Num. 29: 1-6	I Sam. 1: 1-2: 10
W	2	ב' דר' השנה New Year		Jer. 31: 2-20
Th	3	צום גדליה Fast of Gedaliah	Ex. 32: 11-14; 34: 1-10	) Is. 55: 6-56: 8 ( Seph. none
$\mathbf{F}$	4			
S	5	וילך, שבת שובה	Deut. 31	Hos. 14: 2-10; Joel 2: 15-27; Seph. Hos. 14: 2-10; Micah 7: 18-20
S	6			
M	7			
$\mathbf{T}$	8			
W	9		( Lev. 16	(Is. 57: 14—58: 14
Th	10	יום כפור Day of Atonement		Afternoon: Jonah:
F	11		2,007,0000. 1107. 18	Seph. add Micah 7:18-20
S	12	האזינו	Deut. 82	II Sam. 82:1-51 or Ezek. 17:22—18:32
S	13			
M	14		) Lev. 22: 26—23: 44	,
T	15	Tabernacles א' דסוכות	) Num. 29: 12-16	Zech. 14
W	16	ב' דמוכות Tabernacles	Lev. 22: 26—23: 44 Num. 29: 12-16 Num. 29: 17-25	I Kings 8: 2-21
$\mathbf{Th}$	17		Seph. 29: 17-22 Num. 29: 20-28	
F	18		Seph. 29: 20-25 Ex. 33: 12-34: 26	
S	19	<u>}*</u>	Num. 29: 23-31 Seph. 29: 23-28	Ezek. 38: 18—39: 16
S	20		Num. 29: 26-34	
M	21	The Great Hosannah	Seph. 29: 26-31 Num. 29: 26-34	
T	22	הושענה רבא Elghth Day of the Feast שמיני עצרת	Seph. 29:29-84   Deut. 16: 19-16: 17	I Wines & Ft on
W	23	Rejoicing of the Law	Num. 29: 35—30: 1 Deut. 33: 1—34: 12	I Kings 8: 54-66
Th	24	אסרו חג	Gen. 1: 1—2: 3 Num. 29: 35—30: 1	{ Josh. 1   Seph. 1: 1-9
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S	26	בראשית. (מב׳ הח׳)	Gen. 1: 1—6: 8	Seph. 42: 5-21; 61: 10; 62: δ
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<sup>\*</sup>The Book of Ecclesiastes is read.

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# HESHVAN 29 DAYS

PROP POI נות	PENTATEUCHAL PORTIONS פרשיות	SABBATHS, FESTIVALS, FASTS	Jewish Month	Day of the Week	Civil Month
			Heshvan		Nov.
	Num. 28: 1-15	ב' דר' חדש רב' בר' חדש	1	$\mathbf{Th}$	3
			2	F	4
{ Is. 54: 1- Seph. 54:	Gen. 6: 9—11: 82	נח	3	S	5
			4	S	6
			5	M	7
			6	$\mathbf{T}$	8
			7	$\mathbf{w}$	9
			8	Th	10
			9	F	11
Is. 40: 27—4	Gen. 12: 1—17: 27	לך לך	10	S	12
			11	S	13
			12	M	14
			13	T	15
			14	W	16
			15	Th	17
			16	F	18
II Kings 4:     Seph. 4: 1-2	Gen. 18: 1—22: 24	וירא	17	S	19
			18	S	20
			19	M	21
			20	T	<b>22</b>
			21	W	23
			22	$\mathbf{T}\mathbf{h}$	24
			23	$\mathbf{F}$	25
I Kings 1: 1-31	Gen. 23: 1—25: 18	חיי שרה. [מב' הח']	24	S	26
			25	S	27
			26	M	28
			27	$\mathbf{T}$	29
			28	W	<b>3</b> 0
			20	mı.	Dec.
		יום כפור קטן	29	$\mathbf{T}\mathbf{h}$	1

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Day of the Week	Jewish Month	SABBATHS, FESTIVALS, FASTS	PENTATEUCHAL PORTIONS פרשיות	PROPHETICAL PORTIONS הפטרות
	Kislev			
F	1	New Moon ר' תדש	Num. 28: 1-15	
S	2	תולדות	Gen. 25: 19—28: 9	Mal. 1: 1—2: 7
$\mathbf{S}$	3			
M	4			
$\mathbf{T}$	5			
W	6			
Th	7			( Hos. 12: 18—14: 10;
${f F}$	8			or 11: 7—12: 12; or 11: 7—14: 10
S	9	ויצא	Gen. 28: 10—32: 3	Seph. 11: 7—12: 12
S	10			
M	11			
${f T}$	12			
W	13			
Th	14			CTV - 10.10 14.10.
$\mathbf{F}$	15	,		Hos. 12: 18—14: 10; or 11: 7—12: 12;
S	16	וישלח	Gen. 82: 4—86: 43	or Obad. 1: 1-21 Seph. Obad. 1: 1-21
S	17			
M	18			
T	19			
$\bar{\mathbf{w}}$	20			
Τ'n				
F	22			
Ŝ	23	וישב. (מב' הח')	Gen. 87: 1—40: 23	Amos 2: 6—8: 8

Zech. 2: 14-4: 7

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Num. 7: 1-17 Seph. 6: 22-7: 17 Num. 7: 18-29 Seph. 7: 18-23 Num. 7: 24-35 Seph. 7: 24-29 Num. 7: 30-41 Seph. 7: 30-41 Seph. 7: 36-47 Seph. 7: 36-47 Gept. 4: 1-44: 17

Gen. 41: 1—44: 17 Num. 28: 9–15 Num. 7: 42–58 Seph. 7: 42–47

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PENTATEUCHAL PORTIONS פרשיות	SABBATHS, FESTIVALS, FASTS	Jewish Month	Day of the Week	Civil Month
Color Road No.		Tebet		Jan.
Num. 7: 48-59	New Moon ב' דר' חדש			1
Num. 7: 48-53 Num. 7: 54-8: 4	Eighth Day of Hanukah		-	2
				3
				4
				5
		_	_	6
Gen. 44: 18-47: 27	ויגש	7	S	7
		8	S	8
		9	$\mathbf{M}$	9
Ex. 32: 11-14; 34: 1-10	Fast of Tebet	10	T	10
		11	W	11
		12	Th	12
		13	F	13
Gen. 47: 28—50; 26	ויחי	14	S	14
		15	S	15
		16	M	16
		17	T	17
		18	W	18
		19	Th	19
		20	F	20
Ex. 1: 1-6: 1	שמות	21	S	21
		22	S	22
		23	M	23
		24	$\mathbf{T}$	24
		25	W	25
		26	Th	26
		27	F	27
Ex. 6: 2—9: 35	וארא [מב' הח']	28	S	28
	יום כפור קטן	29	S	29
	Num. 28: 1-15 Num. 7: 48-59 Seph. 7: 48-53 Num. 7: 54-8: 4  Gen. 44: 18-47: 27  Ex. 32: 11-14; 34: 1-10  Gen. 47: 28-50: 26	אפא Moon ב' דר' חדש (אינש אינה אינה ב' דר' חדש אינה אינה אינה ב' דר' אינה אינה אינה אינה אינה אינה אינה אינה	New Moon   SABBATHS, FESTIVALS, FASTS   FORTIUMS	Sabaths, Festivals, Fasts   Sabaths, Fasts   Sabaths, Festivals, Fasts   Sabaths, Fasts   Sabaths, Festivals, Fasts   Sabaths, Fasts   Sab

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Day of the Week	Jewish Month	SABBATHS, FESTIVALS, FASTS	PENTATEUCHAL PORTIONS פרשיות	PROPHETICAL PORTIONS הפטרות
	Shebat			
M	1	New Moon שר יי תָרש	Num. 28: 1-15	
$\mathbf{T}$	2	·		
$\mathbf{w}$	3			
$\mathbf{Th}$	4			
${f F}$	5			
S	6	בא	Ex. 10: 1—13: 16	Jer. 46: 13-28
$\overline{\mathbf{s}}$	7	,		
M	8			
$\mathbf{T}$	9			
$\mathbf{w}$	10			
Th	11			
$\mathbf{F}$	12	_		
S	13	בשלח. ש׳ שירה	Ex. 13: 17—17: 16	Judges 4: 4—5: 31   Seph. 5: 1-31
S	14	( New Year for Trees		
M	15	חמשה עשר בשבט חמשה עשר ב		
$\mathbf{T}$	16	( AUTA SALA (1) )		
$\mathbf{w}$	17			
$\mathbf{T}\mathbf{h}$	18			
$\mathbf{F}$	19			
S	20	יתרו	Ex. 18: 1—20: 23	{ 1s. 6: 1—7: 6; 9: 5, 6 Seph. 6: 1-13
$\overline{\mathbf{s}}$	21		·	
M	22			
$\mathbf{T}$	23			
$\widetilde{\mathbf{w}}$	24			
Th	25	,		
$\mathbf{F}$	26			
S	27	משפטים (מב' הח') פ' שקלים	Ex. 21:1—24:18; 30:11-16	II Kings 12: 1-17   Seph. 11: 17-12: 17
$\overline{s}$	28	,		
M	29	יום כפור קטן		
$\mathbf{T}$	30	א' דר' חדש New Moon	Num. 28: 1-15	

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Civil Month	Day of the Week	Jewish Month	SABBATHS, FESTIVALS, FASTS	PENTATEUCHAL PORTIONS פרשיות	PROPHI PORTI
Mar.		Adar			
1	W	1	ב' דר' חדש New Moon	Num. 28: 1-15	
2	Th	2			
3 4	F	3 4	תרומה	Ex. 25: 1—27: 19	I Kings 5: 2
	S		וויוטוו		
5	S	5			
6	M	6			
7	T	7			
8 9	$\mathbf{W}$ Th	8 9			
10	F	10			
11	S	11	תצוה. פ' זכור	Ex. 27: 20-30: 10	I Sam. 15: 2-3
			1121 2 3111311	) Deut. 25: 17-19	Seph. 15: 1-34
$\begin{array}{ c c }\hline 12\\13\\ \end{array}$	S	12 $13$	Fast of Esther תענית אסתר	Ex. 32: 11-14; 34: 1-10	) Is. 55: 6—56: 8
-	MT	14	Purim. Feast of Esther* פורים	Ex. 17: 8-16	Seph. none
14 15	W	15		12.11.6-10	
16	Th	16	שושן פורים Shushan Purim		
17	F	17			
18	S	18	כי תשא. פ' פרה	{ Ex. 30: 11-34: 85 Num. 19	Seph. 36: 16-38
$\frac{10}{19}$	S	$\frac{19}{19}$			1200111
20	M	20			
21	T	$2\overset{\circ}{1}$			
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$\frac{23}{23}$	Th	$\overline{23}$			
$\frac{24}{24}$	$\mathbf{F}$	24		Th= 0r. 1 40.00	
$\frac{25}{25}$	S	25	ייקהל. פקורי נמב' הח'ן) פ' החרש	Ex. 85: 1—40: 88; 12: 1–20	Seph. 45: 18-46:1
$\frac{26}{26}$	S	26			
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• The Book of Esther is read. 12

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	Nisan			
$\mathbf{Th}$	1	New Moon ר' חדש	Num. 28: 1-15	
F	2			
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S	3	ויקרא	Lev. 1: 1-5: 26	Is. 43:21—44:23
S	4			
$\tilde{\mathbf{M}}$	5			
T	6			
w	7			
Th	8			
F	9			(Mal O. 4 O. au Tan
	-	צו. שבת הגדול	Lev. 6: 1—8: 86	Mal. 3: 4-24 or Jer. 7: 21-8: 8; 9: 22, 23
S	10	צו, שבוו הגדול	1704. 0. 1-0.00	( Seph. Mal. 3: 4-24
S	11			
M	12			
T	13			
W	14	Fast of the First-Born תענית בכורים		( Josh. 8: 5-7:
Th	15	Passover א' דפסח	) Ex. 12: 21-51 Num. 28: 16-25	Josh. 8: 5-7; 5: 2-6: 1, 27 Seph. 5: 2-6: 2
F	16	Passover, First Day of 'Omer	Lev. 22: 26-23: 44 Num. 28: 16-25	) II Kings 23: 1 (or 4) -9; 21-25
S	17	ב׳ דפסח	Ex.83: 12-34: 26 Num. 28: 19-25	Ezek. 86: 87-37:14 Seph. 87: 1-14
S	18		) Ex. 13: 1-16	( Sepie. 01 . 1-12
			Num. 28: 19-25 Ex. 22: 24-23: 19	
M	19		Num. 28: 19-25 Num. 9: 1-14	
T	20		Num. 28: 19-25 Ex. 13: 17-15: 26	II Sam. 22
W	21	Passover   DDD 1	Num. 28: 19-25 Deut. 15: 19-16: 17	Is. 10: 32—12: 6
Th	22	Passover ח' דפלח	Num. 28: 19-25	15. 20.00
F	23	אסרו חג		) II Sam. 6:1-7: 3 or 17
S	24	שמיני [מב' הח']	Lev. 9: 1—11: 47	Seph. 6: 1-19
S	25			
M	26			
T	$\overline{27}$			
w	28			
Th	29			
F	30	New Moon א' דר' חדש	Num. 28: 1-15	
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<sup>\*</sup>The Song of Songs is read. 13

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Is. 66	Lev. 12: 1—15: 33 Num. 28: 9-15	New Moon תזריע, מצורע, ב' דר' חדש	Iyar 1	s	Apr. 29
11313			2	S	30
					May
			3	M	1
13.5			4	T	2
-			5	W	3
(Amos 9: 7-15			6	Th	4
Ezek. 22:1-19 Seph. Ezek. 2			7	F	5
1)-20	Lev. 16: 1—20: 27	אחרי מות. קדושים	8	S	6
			9	S	7
			10	M	8
9			11	T	9
3			12	W	10
			13	Th	11
		פסח שני	14	F	12
Ezek. 44: 15-31	Lev. 21: 1—24: 23	אמור	15	S	13
			16	S	14
			17	M	15
		33d Day of 'Omer ל"ג בעומר	18	T	16
			19	W	17
			20	Th	18
			21	F	19
Jer. 16: 19—17: 1	Lev. 25: 1—27: 34	בהר, בחקותי	22		20
			23	S	21
			24		22
			25		28
			26		24
					25
		ום כפור קטן מוקדם	28		26
I Sam. 20: 18-42	Num. 1: 1-4: 20	מדבר (מב' החין	29		2

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7	S	1	New Moon ר' חדש	Num. 28: 1-15	
1	M		New moon	Num. 28: 1-10	
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е	W	4			
- 1	Th	5			
	F	6	Feast of Weeks א' דשבועות	} Ex. 19: 1-20: 23   Num. 28: 26-81	Ezek. 1: 1-28; 3: 12
	s	7	Feast of Weeks* ב' רשבועות	Num. 28: 26-31 Deut. 14: 22-16: 17 Num. 28: 26-31	Hab. 3: 1-19 Seph. 2: 20-3: 19
+	$\frac{s}{s}$				( Nopies 2: 20 0: 10
	M M	8 9	אסרו חג		_
1	T	-			
		10			
	W Th	$\frac{11}{12}$			
	F				
	S	13		Num. 4: 21—7: 80	Tudana 12. 9.95
+		14	נשא	14 dim. 2: 21—1: 00	Judges 18: 2-25
	S	15			
	M	16			
1	$\frac{\mathbf{T}}{\mathbf{I}}$	17			
	W	18			
	Th	19			
	F	20	•		
1	S	21	בהעלותך	Num. 8: 1—12: 16	Zech. 2: 14-4: 7
	S	22			
	M	23			
	T	24			
	W	25			
1	Th	26			
	F	27			
	S	28	שלח לך (מב' הח')	Num. 18: 1—15: 41	Josh. 2
	S	29	יום כפור קטן		
	M	30	New Moon א' דר' חדש	Num. 28: 1-15	

<sup>\*</sup>The Book of Ruth is read. 15

PROPHET PORTIO	PENTATEUCHAL PORTIONS פרשיות	SABBATHS, FESTIVALS, FASTS	Jewish Month		Civil Month
			Tammuz		June
	Num. 28: 1-15	New Moon ב' דר' חדש	1	T	27
		*	2	W	28
			3	Th	29
			4	F	30
I Sam. 11: 14-	Num. 16: 1—18: 32	קרח	_	S	July
		1117	5		1
			6	S	2
Micah 5: 6-6: 8			7	M	3
			8	T	4
			9	W	5
			10	Th	6
	Num. 19: 1—25: 9	-4	11	F	7
	Numara 2017	חקת. בלק	12	S	8
			13	S	9
			14	M	10
			15	T	11
J Is. 55: 6-56: 8	7 00 11 14 04 1 10	( East of Tammuz	16	W	12
Seph. none	Ex. 32: 11-14; 34: 1-10	{Fast of Tammuz צום שבעה עשר בתמון	17	Th	13
Jer. 1: 1-2: 3	Num. 25: 10-30: 1		18	F	14
001111 210	Num. 25: 10-60. 1	פינחס	19	S	15
			20	S	16
			21	M	17
			22	T	18
	3.00		23	W	19
10000				Th	20
Jer. 2: 4-28; 3:	27 00. 0 .00. 19		25	F	21
1 Seph. 2:4-28;4:	Num. 30: 2—36: 13	ממות. מסעי [מב' הח']	26	S	22
			27	S	23
			28	M	24
10000		יום כפור קטן	29	T	25

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Deut. 1: 1—8: 22  Is. 1: 1-27  Is. 1: 1-27  Deut. 1: 1—8: 22  Is. 1: 1-27  Deut. 1: 1—8: 22  Is. 1: 1-27  Is. 1: 1-27  Is. 1: 1-27  Deut. 1: 1—8: 22  Is. 1: 1-27  Is. 1: 1-27  Deut. 1: 1—8: 22  Is. 1: 1-27  Deut. 1: 1—8: 22  Is. 1: 1-27  Is. 1:	The same of	W Th	1	New Moon שר 'ר	Num. 28: 1-15	
אל המשה ששר המשה באב ל במור באב באב ל במור באב במור באב במור באב באב באב באב באב באב באב באב באב בא	) —	FS	3	רברים. שבת חזון	Deut. 1: 1—8: 22	Is. 1: 1-27
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ר 16   Th 16   F 17   Deut. 7: 12—11: 25   Is. 49: 14—51: 8   S 19   M 20   T 21	•	M	13			
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M   20	}	S	18	עקב	Deut. 7: 12—11: 25	Is. 49: 14—51: 8
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Is. 54: 11-55: 5

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<sup>\*</sup> The Book of Lamentations is read.

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PROPHET PORTIO	PENTATEUCHAL PORTIONS פרשיות	SABBATHS, FESTIVALS, FASTS	Jewish Month	Day of the Week	Civil Month
			Ellul	17	Aug.
* * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *	Num. 28: 1-15	New Moon ב' דר' חדש	1	F	25
Is. 51: 12—52:	Deut. 16: 18—21: 9	שופטים	2	S	26
			3	S	27
15			4	M	28
			5	T	29
			6	W	30
			7	Th	31
			0	77	Sep.
	T 10 95, 10		8 9	F	1
Is. 54: 1-10	Deut. 21: 10—25: 19	כי תצא		S	2
			10	S	3
			11	M	4
	es es		12	T	5
		<u> </u>	13	W	6
			14	Th	7
			15	F	8
Is. 60	Deut. 26: 1-29: 8	כי תבא	16	S	9
			17	S	10
			18	M	11
		3 1 71	19	T	12
10		3.4	20	W	13
			21	Th	14
( To 61. TO 69.0		,	22	F	15
{ Is. 61: 10—63: 9 55: 6—56: 8	Deut. 29: 9—31: 30	נצבים. וילך	23	S	16
		משכימים לסליחות *Selihot	24	S	17
			25	M	18
1,7			26	T	19
		. 1	27	W	20
			28	Th	21
		ערב ראש השנה	29	F	22

<sup>\*</sup>The Sephardim say Selihot during the whole month of Ellul,
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# IN DEFENSE OF THE IMMIGRANT

On Friday, March 11, 1910, the Committee on Immigration and Naturalization of the House of Representatives granted a hearing to those opposed to any further restriction of immigration. Representative William S. Bennet, of New York, presided, in the absence of Mr. Howell, of New Jersey, the Chairman, who was ill. The other members of the Committee present were: Representatives Adair of Indiana, Goldfogle of New York, Moore of Texas, Sabath of Illinois, O'Connell of Massachusetts, Küstermann of Wisconsin, Burnett of Alabama, Edwards of Kentucky, Moore of Pennsylvania, and Elvins of Missouri. Those who appeared before the Committee were: Dr. Cyrus Adler, Mr. Cyrus L. Sulzberger, Mr. Louis Marshall, and Mr. Harry Cutler, representing the American Jewish Committee; Hon. Simon Wolf, Rabbi Abram Simon, Mr. Abram I. Elkus, and Mr. Max J. Kohler, representing the Independent Order of B'nai B'rith and the Board of Delegates on Civil Rights; and Judge Leon Sanders, representing the Independent Order B'rith Abraham. The first speaker was Hon. Simon Wolf, who stated that those appearing did so as American citizens, whose sole desire was to contribute to the welfare of the country. He made an earnest plea for the retention of the Bureau of Information, provided for in the last immigration law, and emphasized its value to the immigrant. In reply to questions, he argued against the necessity and value of an educational test, and maintained that the immigrants of the present time are a valuable asset to the country, to whom the application of such a test is of no use. Such a test was entirely un-Ameri-

can, uncalled for, and diametrically in contrast with the experience with the immigration that has so far come to our country. He thought the immigrants from the regions of the Mediterranean made as good citizens as any others, and that the way to guard citizenship was not by more immigration laws, but by proper naturalization laws, which we now have. He also opposed any increased head tax, as it should be a minimum tax, and he held the expense incidental to the administration of the immigration service should be borne by the government. If the head tax were levied with a view of recovering the expense of the administration of the law, it might be fixed at an exorbitant amount. He thought the four-dollar head tax more than ample. He also protested against the proposed extension of the time for the deportation of alien criminals to five years as likely to prove dangerous and unjust. To him, the thought that a man coming from Russia or any other part of the world, a thoroughly good man in every way, who came in contact with our civilization and imbibed some of the villanies of our lower classes, should be punished by deportation after so long a period as five years, was obnoxious and repugnant. He was in favor of excluding the criminal and all those who, after three years' residence, became inmates of public institutions, but he could not see the justice of deporting a man who within five years became a victim of circumstances, but who was a perfectly sane. sound man when he landed.

STATEMENT OF CYRUS L. SULZBERGER, Esq., of New York
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Before taking up the question generally, I want to call attention to an interesting point in connection with white



slavery, with reference to a statement in the Report of the Commissioner-General on page 117, dealing with the subject of white slaves. I desire to point out that, so far as white slavery and its attendant evils come to us by immigration, such immigration is only in very limited degree from Europe, but is chiefly from this continent. The total number of persons debarred from entering because of prostitution or procuring is 504. (Report of Commissioner-General, 1909, pp. 80, 81.) Of this number 279 were from Mexico, who sent us 11,000 immigrants over 14 years of age, and 225 were from the rest of the world, which sent us 651,523 immigrants over 14 years of age. (Comissioner-General's Report, p. 22.) Of the 225 coming from Europe who were debarred, the distribution was as follows:

French, 37, or 19 per 10,000 over 14 years.

Scotch, 19, or 13.7 per 10,000 over 14 years.

English, 39, or 11.7 per 10,000 over 14 years.

Irish, 21, or 7.2 per 10,000 over 14 years.

German, 31, or 6.4 per 10,000 over 14 years.

Dutch and Flemish, 4, or 6.3 per 10,000 over 14 years.

Hebrew, 15, or 3.5 per 10,000 over 14 years.

Italian, 22, or 1.3 per 10,000 over 14 years.

It will thus be observed that so far as the European immigration of this undesirable class is concerned, it is greatest among those races classed by the restrictionists as desirable and least among those classed as undesirable. Furthermore, it is observable that the Hebrews and Italians (which of the Europeans have the largest percentage of illiterates) have the smallest percentage of these miscreants, while the French, Scotch, English, Irish, and Germans have a much larger per-

centage. It is also observable that the amount of money shown (Commissioner-General's Report, p. 23) is least among the Hebrews and Italians and greatest among the others. It would therefore appear that so far as white slavery is concerned, neither the illiteracy of the immigrant nor his lack of funds has any bearing.

I want now to direct your attention to the subject of criminality, and to point out an extraordinary blunder made in the Report of the Commissioner-General of Immigration for the year 1904, in which, on page 59, he gives the total population of the United States as 75,994,575, and the total alien population of the United States as 1,001,595. That is the report of the year 1904, referred to in the current report; the report for the year 1909 (p. 6) refers to the report for the year 1908; the report for the year 1908 refers back to this table in the report I find, according to the census report of 1900, volume 1, part 1, page ccix, that of male aliens of voting age there are 1,004,217; that is to say, there are more male aliens of voting age than the total number of aliens given in the Report of the Commissioner-General. In addition thereto there are foreign-born persons of voting age as to whom it is not known whether they are alien or citizen, 748,506. Ignoring entirely all the female aliens of any age, and all the male aliens below voting age, we find that there were more male aliens of voting age than the total number of aliens upon which the whole table of statistics as to criminality and dependency is built, and the use of which in 1904 is repeated in 1908 and 1909. I have made some investigations on my own account upon this subject, and in view of the fact that there are 75 per cent or 748,000 persons of voting age as to whom we do not know whether they are aliens or citizens, but do know that they are

foreign born, it has seemed to me that it would be wiser to deal with the question of foreign birth rather than with the question of citizenship, inasmuch as if the man is to become a dependent or a criminal, he is just as apt to become so if he has taken out his citizenship papers as if he has not. I find, then, dealing with foreign born rather than with aliens, in the special reports issued by the Census Bureau (United States Census Report on Prisoners and Juvenile Delinquents in Institutions, 1904), it is said, on page 18:

If the general population of all ages be taken, the basis for comparison will not be equitable for several reasons. Inmates of the general prisons are all at least 10 years of age and nearly all over For the most part the immigrants are between 15 and 40 vears of age. The number of children under 10 years of age is extremely small among the white immigrants as compared with the native whites. In view of these facts, a comparison of the proportions of each nativity class in the white prison population with the corresponding proportions of the general population of all ages would clearly be unfair, for the inclusion of children under 10 years of age would so increase the proportion of natives in the general population that it would seem as if crime were more prevalent among the foreign born as compared with the native white than is actually the case. Therefore, children under 10 years of age are omitted, and the figures given for the population in Table 7 refer only to those at least 10 years of age. Even with this exclusion the figures are, on the whole, less favorable to the foreign-born white prisoners than the facts warrant, as no account could be taken of the large immigration between 1900 and 1904.

And on page 19 this report says:

The figures presented above give little support to the belief that the foreign born contribute to the prison class greatly in excess of their representation in the general population.

In the Census Report on Population, volume 2, pages 112 to 117, it appears that the total foreign-born population, 15 to 19 years of age, is 563,527. The total foreign-born population being 10,460,085, we find that of the foreign-born per-

sons, 5.4 were between 15 and 19 years of age, whereas of the foreign-born persons committed to prison during 1904, 4.6 were from 15 to 19 years of age, showing that there were fewer foreign-born persons from 15 to 19 years of age committed to prison than their percentage in the population.

The Industrial Commission Report, volume 15, part 2, page 287, calls attention to the fact that criminality is 3 to 5 times greater in males than females, and that persons under 20 seldom commit crime. Taking, therefore, male persons 20 years of age and upward, we find by the 1900 census, Population, part 2, pages 112 to 116, that there are 26 per cent foreign-born whites and 74 per cent native-born whites 20 years of age and upward. Turning to the report on prisoners, page 40, we observe that of the major offenders committed during 1904, 21.7 per cent were foreign born and 78.3 per cent native born, notwithstanding the fact that the percentage of foreign-born adult males is 26. That report says, on the same page:

The foreign born do not contribute to the white major offenders above their representation in the general population at least 15 years of age, except in the two Southern divisions, where they are comparatively unimportant. In the Western division, and more especially in the North Central, the proportion of foreign born is considerably lower among the white major offenders than in the white general population. Among the white minor offenders the proportion of foreign born is generally higher than among the white major offenders, and in the North Atlantic, South Atlantic, and Western divisions, exceeds the proportion of foreign born in the general white population. In the North Central division the foreign born contribute 23.3 per cent of the general white population at least 15 years of age and only 21.3 per cent of the white minor offenders. From these figures, as well as from those for the prisoners enumerated on June 30, 1904, it is evident that the popular belief that the foreign born are filling the prisons has little foundation in fact. It would seem, however, that they are slightly more prone than the native whites to commit minor offenses. Possibly to some degree this is

attributable to the fact that the foreign-born whites are more highly concentrated in urban communities.

Turning to New York State (Census Report, Population, vol. 2, pp. 112-116), we find that the number of native-born males of 20 years of age and upward in New York is 1,362,-300; foreign born, 844,563, or 61.7 per cent native born and 38.3 per cent foreign born. In the Special Report on Prisoners, page 18, table 7, we find that of the white prisoners enumerated in New York State on June 30, 1904, 68 per cent were native born and 32 per cent foreign born, the foreign born contributing, therefore, six thirty-eighths, or about 16 per cent less than their ratio in the community, and in view of the fact that 38.3 per cent of the adult male population of New York is foreign born, the statement made by the Superintendent of Prisons and quoted by Mr. Burnett (Hearings, p. 41), as to 25 per cent of the prisoners in Sing Sing, Auburn, and Clinton, is favorable to the foreigners rather than otherwise. It must always be remembered, too, that the census figures are for 1900 and the report on prisoners for 1904, there being no allowance made for the number of foreigners who came into the country in those four years.

Interesting, too, is the following from page 18 of the Special Report on Prisoners:

Even the North Atlantic States, which have absorbed most of the late immigration, show a larger percentage of native prisoners than in 1890. It is evident, therefore, that the huge recent additions of foreigners to the population are not reflected in the prison returns in the degree the prison statistics of 1890 might have led one to expect.

And on pages 19-20:

Certain offenses, especially some comprehended under the general group "against society," are not crimes in the true sense of the word. For instance, no less than 4701 prisoners were sen-

tenced for drunkenness, 2773 for disorderly conduct (which is often only another term for drunkenness), 4287 for vagrancy, and 709 for violating liquor laws, but it does not by any means follow that all these persons, or even a majority of them, should be described as criminals.

There were, in 1890, 28.3 per cent foreign-born prisoners and 71.7 per cent native born. Comparing this with the figures for 1904, we find that there were 23.7 per cent foreign born and 76.3 per cent native born, showing a decline of foreign-born prisoners between 1890 and 1904—precisely those years that are coincident with the large immigration of the so-called "undesirable classes."

From page 14, "Report on Prisoners," the following figures are taken:

NUMBER OF PRISONERS PER 100,000 POPULATION IN 1890 AND 1904

•	1890	1904
New York	191	126
Pennsylvania	123	92
Illinois	102	60
Massachusetts	233	187
New Jersey	169	131

These 5 States, which have the largest proportion of immigrants, all show decreases, whereas substantial increases are shown in New Hampshire, Vermont, West Virginia, Florida, Kansas, Wyoming, and Washington, where the immigrant population is small.

In the hearing given by this committee, Mr. Patten, a representative of the Immigration Restriction League, spoke of the fact that 21 per cent of the foreign-born prisoners were unable to read and write. I want to point out that this in itself shows nothing.

Of the native-born prisoners, only 7 per cent were illiterates and 93 per cent were literates, and the argument might be made that literacy causes crime. The fact is that the entire foreign population, as shown by the statistics reported in the volume of prisoners, is less prone to criminality than the native. Instead of its being true, as Mr. Patten says, that "statistics show, as one would expect, that it is the illiterate who generally has criminal propensities," statistics show that of the more than 3,200,000 white illiterates in the whole country the total number of white illiterate prisoners was about 6000. Therefore, to draw any wild inference as to illiteracy generally showing criminal propensities, is a statement not borne out by the facts.

Mr. Patten also says, on page 69, that the literacy test is proposed merely as a means of sifting out the unassimilative elements. What constitute the unassimilative elements does not appear, but if the ability to read and write in the second generation is any test of assimilativeness, it would seem that all the foreign elements assimilate without delay. We find by the census report (Population, part 2, table 10, p. cvi) the following percentage of illiteracy:

•	Native whites of native parents	Native whites of foreign parents
United States	5.7	1.6
North Atlantic	1.7	1.5
South Atlantic	12.0	2.1
North Central	2.8	1.3
South Central	11.6	6.8
Western division	3.4	1.3

So that in every separate division the illiteracy is greater among native-born children of native parents than it is among native-born children of foreign parents. It would seem, therefore, that the immigration raises our educational standards instead of degrading them. On page 50 of the Hearings Mr. Patten quotes the report of the commissioner at Ellis Island as follows:

Between these elements—the very bad—

and those that are a real benefit to the country (as so many of our immigrants are) there lies a class who may be quite able to earn a living here, but who in doing so tend to pull down our standards of living.

These elements are presumably such as the Commissioner-General in his Report speaks of as "economically undesirable," and which under that heading are added to the excluded classes in the Elvins bill. I have seen no definition of what constitutes "an economically undesirable" immigrant, but I assume it to be one who arrives without much money and with a physique that would not qualify him for the United States Army, the test proposed in the Elvins bill, and who is, to a considerable degree, illiterate. If that be the correct description, the average Jewish immigrant would probably fall under that heading. The conditions under which he has lived and from which he is fleeing have restricted his educational possibilities, his physical growth, and his accumulation of wealth. He comes here with a percentage of illiteracy, a physical development somewhat below our own, and a depleted purse. Large numbers of such Jewish immigrants have arrived in this country since 1880. So far, however, from pulling down our standards of living, they have done the reverse.

The men's and women's clothing industry is one which is almost exclusively in the hands of these immigrants, both as employers and employees, and gives us, therefore, an almost perfect illustration of their influence upon industry and their tendency to reduce or elevate the standard of living. We find by the Census Report on Manufactures (part 1, 1905, p. ccxxxiv, table clxix) that while the product of all industries increased from \$11,411,000,000 in 1900 to \$14,802,000,000 in 1905, an increase of 29.7 per cent, the clothing industry increased from \$436,000,000 in 1900 to \$604,000,000 in 1905, an increase of 38.5 per cent; in other words, while in 1900 clothing formed 3.8 per cent of all industries, in 1905 it formed 4.1 per cent of all industries. Only last month a clothing manufacturer from New York returned from abroad, having established agencies in London, Paris, Berlin, Vienna, Brussels, and other cities for New-York-made clothing. This is the second or third manufacturer who has recently put American-made clothing upon European markets, and in all likelihood a large foreign commerce in manufactured clothing, the product of immigrant labor, will ensue.

Taking the Special Census Reports on Manufactures (part 1, 1905, pp. 164-168) we find that in the production of \$604,000,000 worth of clothing there was paid for wages to men, the sum of \$60,943,153, or an average of \$601 per capita against an average earning of men in all industries of \$534 per capita (same vol., p. 22); and to women \$46,864,351, or an average of \$317 per capita, as against \$298 per capita earned by women in all industries. Inasmuch as the 147,000 women engaged in the clothing industry are earning 6 per cent more wages than women in all industries, and the 101,000 men engaged in this industry are earning 13 per cent higher wages than the men in all industries, it would seem in this industry, almost monopolized by immigrant labor, as though immigrant labor were advancing rather than lowering the standard of living. Furthermore, between the census of 1880 and the census of 1905, we had the period of high immigra-

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tion of the so-called "undesirable classes." In 1880 the average wages in all industries were \$344; in 1905 they were \$477, an advance of 39 per cent in the twenty-five years of high immigration.

Much concern is expressed about the cost to the country of maintaining foreign-born dependents. I do not suppose anybody will charge Mr. Prescott F. Hall, Secretary of the Immigration Restriction League, with being too friendly to the immigrants. I am going to read you an extract from his book, "Immigration," commencing on page 67:

In estimating the money value of the immigrant, attention may first be called to the fact that the bulk of our immigration is of the age of greatest productiveness; that is to say, this country has the benefit of an artificial selection of adults of working age. For example, in 1903, less than 12 per cent of all immigrants were under 14 years of age; leaving more than 83 per cent between the ages of 14 and 45. In other words, the expense of bringing up the bulk of our immigrants through childhood has been borne by the countries of their birth or residence, and this amount of capital therefore comes to us without expenditure. Professor Mayo-Smith refers to the frequently quoted estimate of Frederick Kapp that the cost of bringing up a child to the age of 15 is \$562.50 in Germany and \$1000 to \$1200 in the United States. Taking the value of the immigrant at \$1000, the immigration over 14 years of age in 1903 would have added \$754,615,000 to the wealth of the United States if it had all remained in the country. A thoroughly conservative estimate is probably that of Mr. John B. Webber, formerly Commissioner of Immigration at the Port of New York. He assumes that there were 10,000,000 foreign born at the date of the Eleventh Census, and that 2,000,000 of these were working at an average wage of \$1 per day; and he points out that these persons added \$600,000,000 per year to the earnings of this country.

Taking these figures, we find that the immigration of a single year adds \$754,000,000 to the wealth of the country by a saving in the cost of the upbringing of the immigrant, and that the industrial activity of the immigrant adds \$600,-

000,000 annually to the earnings of the country. In view of this statement we need not concern ourselves very much with the fact that a small percentage of immigrants become dependents. That the amount of dependency among immigrants should be larger than among natives is perfectly natural; they are engaged in those occupations in which they are subjected to the risk of physical injury, and being in a strange land when they fall into distress, they lack friends or relatives to care for them.

In view of the fact that the immigrant brings in \$750,-000,000 as new capital, and adds \$600,000,000 annually to the product of the country, it seems to me that what it costs to maintain those in public institutions who may happen to fall into public institutions, becomes negligible.

Another statement that has been made is that of Gen. Francis A. Walker, a statement quoted with approval by Mr. Prescott F. Hall, that the foreign immigration does not add to our population, but that it simply supplants native population; that when immigrants come in by Ellis Island they do not come in by the natural route. Mr. Hall says in his book, on page 117:

In many of the older countries of Europe the birth rate has continued with full vigor. In the country from which there has been a considerable emigration, the birth rate immediately increases to such a degree that the pressure of population is soon restored to its former condition.

As a matter of fact, it is a universal symptom—there is not a single exception—that the birth rate nowhere increases, but almost everywhere decreases. The Encyclopedia of Social Reform, 1908, page 117, gives a comparative statement of the birth rates in the various countries of Europe.

Country	1857-1899	1900	1906 ¹
Austria	. 38.0	• • • •	$\begin{cases} 1903 \\ 35.0 \end{cases}$
Belgium	. 30.1	28.9	${1903 \atop 27.5}$
Denmark	. 31.3	29.8	$\begin{cases}1904\\29.2\end{cases}$
England and Wales	. 32.3	28.7	$egin{cases} 1904 \ 28.0 \end{cases}$
France	. 23.7	21.4	$\begin{cases} 1904 \\ 20.9 \end{cases}$
Germany	. 37.2	35.6	${f 1904} \ {f 34.1}$
Hungary	. 42.9	39.3	${f 1903} \ {f 36.6}$
Ireland	. 23.8	22.7	$\begin{cases} 1904 \\ 23.6 \end{cases}$
Italy	. 36.6	32.9	$\begin{cases} 1903 \\ 31.5 \end{cases}$
Norway	. 30.7	30.1	$\begin{cases} 1904 \\ 27.9 \end{cases}$
Prussia	. 37.7	36.1	••••
Scotland	. 32.2	29.6	$\begin{cases} 1904 \\ 28.6 \end{cases}$
Spain	. 235.6	34.4	∫1902 <b>35.</b> 6
Sweden	. 28.7	26.9	1903 25.7
United Kingdom	. 31.1	28.2	••••
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At the hearing on February 22, Mr. Gardner, of this committee, is quoted as saying:

The greatest experiment in distribution that has been made was that made by the State of South Carolina. They received 762 immigrants from Berlin and Belgium and other places, and the result of that experiment was that, within a year, out of the 762 immigrants all but 72 had disappeared from the State and had gone elsewhere.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Statistisches Jahrbuch für das deutsche Reich.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> 1888-1899.

Mr. Prescott F. Hall, in a recent letter, speaks of the distribution as being "a bluff on the part of the Jews and the steamship companies." Both Mr. Hall and Mr. Gardner are mistaken. "The greatest experiment in distribution" was not made by the State of South Carolina, but by the Industrial Removal Office, of New York City, and its work is no bluff. According to the latest report of this office, there have been sent from New York 45,711 persons, of whom 24,123 were breadwinners, the remainder being their wives and children. These 24,123 persons represented 221 occupations, and were sent to 1278 cities and towns, and the 3500 distributed in 1909 were sent to 298 cities and towns. persons have been distributed to all parts of the United States. towns and villages as well as cities, and, according to the records of the office, 85 per cent of the breadwinners are engaged in gainful occupations at the places to which they were sent. These persons are distributed through the co-operation of friendly committees in the receiving places, excepting where the receiving places are small. Where we send a larger number, we have a reception committee to whom we send these people, not in response to immediate requisition, but from a general knowledge of the conditions as to what kind of workingmen they can use, and we send such classes of workingmen as may be useful in the particular community. These reception committees consist of public-spirited citizens of the Jewish community in the locality, who are interested in the work. They know perfectly well that they are able to place them; otherwise they would not ask us to send them. If they were to load themselves up with persons for whom no work was procurable, they would have upon their shoulders the responsibility of caring for those people and making dependents of them

In 1909 we sent 3504 breadwinners, of whom 33 went to the New England States, to 11 cities; 401 to the Middle Atlantic States, 78 cities; 254 to the Southern States, 51 cities; 2123 to the Central States, 126 cities; 680 to the Rocky Mountain and Pacific States, to 32 cities; and 13 to Canada, to 3 cities.

Here are the occupations of the 24,000 who were distributed between 1902 and 1909. They were engaged in 221 occupations; 9.97 per cent in wood working; 9.17 per cent in metal working, all classified here according to the various branches of metal and wood working; 8.03 per cent in the building trades; 0.93 per cent in printing and lithography; 20.86 per cent in the needle industries, clothing, and millinery supplies; 6.99 per cent in leather; 0.77 per cent in tobacco; 1.95 per cent in miscellaneous trades, as album makers, bedspring makers, bristle workers, being only a few of a kind; 1.52 per cent non-manufacturing-barbers, bartenders, bottlers, canvassers, cleaners, dyers, cooks, domestics, firemen, and so forth; men without trades, 31.65 per cent, being in numbers 7637. Of that number 7328 were unskilled laborers and 309 were peddlers. 1.74 per cent farming; 3.36 per cent small dealers in foodstuffs, bakers, brewers, butchers, confectioners, distillers, and so forth, making the number 809, out of 24,000. 3.6 per cent are office help, professional, and so forth.

Of the breadwinners whom we sent away 85 per cent are engaged at the places to which we sent them. Of the remaining 15 per cent some go to other places, about 3 per cent drift back to New York, 12 per cent get to other places and into other occupations, some of those, no doubt, into peddling. I

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have no knowledge about that, because after we have lost sight of them in the place in which we originally put them, we do not know what has become of them, but we have the records to demonstrate that 85 per cent of them are engaged at the jobs in which we succeeded in getting them occupation.

In response to questions with regard to what steps had been taken to induce immigrants to engage in farming, Mr. Sulzberger made the following statement with regard to the work of the Jewish Agricultural and Industrial Aid Society: That society engages in placing Jews upon farms. I do not like to adduce figures without having the figures before me, so I will not mention figures at all. The abandoned farms of New England the Jews have made to flourish once more, and we have farmers in pretty nearly every State in the United States. We began a year ago the publication of the "Yiddish Farmer" (a farm journal in the Yiddish language), which, although it is only a year old, has a paid subscription list that many older established papers would be glad to have. The Jewish farmer is in every respect able to hold his own along with any other, and is showing a very strong tendency and desire to get to the farm.

In addition to this society there is one in Chicago, the Jewish Agriculturists' Aid Society, which does similar work.

A farm school, of which Rev. Dr. Joseph Krauskopf, of Philadelphia, is President, is conducted at Doylestown, Pa., where trained agriculturists are turned out, and the Baron de Hirsch Fund has a similar school at Woodbine, N. J., where they are conducting a similar work. The Government has taken from that school a large number of experts for its agricultural service all over the country. There is a greater tendency to-

ward farming on the part of the Jewish people than since its dispersion.

As respects congestion, our experience in New York is that, whereas a few years ago we had one Jewish quarter, we now have many. The Jews who come from Russia have a natural tendency to live together, because they wish to live where their language is spoken. But they do not all live in one part of the city by any means. We have a large Jewish settlement on the lower East Side, we have a large Jewish settlement in Harlem, we have a large Jewish settlement in the Bronx, and several large Jewish settlements in Brooklyn. I believe that the amount of congestion on the lower East Side of New York is to-day less than it was eight or ten years ago, because of this spreading. The same thing is true about the Italians. They have spread over various settlements, instead of being concentrated in one. I want to call attention to a matter, in connection with congestion, that is generally overlooked: While in the large cities there is always a state of more or less congestion, the persons involved are not the same persons. In other words, a man who comes to the City of New York and settles down on the lower East Side stays there three or four or five years. After the lapse of a few years he moves on and comes up into the Harlem settlement. From there he goes to the Bronx, and presently he is on Fifth Avenue.

The greatness of the City of New York has been brought about by its immigrant population. If we had no immigrant population in New York, perhaps it might be better upon some sides, but it might be worse upon others. That is a large question to decide. Hundreds of thousands of men have made New York their home. When I arrived in New York, I had what was left out of \$25, after paying my railroad fare from

Philadelphia to New York. I have succeeded in making good to a reasonable extent. Hundreds of thousands have come from Europe who have made good in the same way, and it would have been a fatal blunder to have sent all these men off on the farms or to other parts, when they were fitted to work out and have worked out their salvation and economic success. and have done it right there in the City of New York. appreciate the difficulties and dangers of congestion. I do not suppose that any man appreciates them any more than I, because I have spent a great deal of time in the study of that matter, but we must not get hysterical about it, because those men who have gathered there have made that city great, and are making it greater day by day. It is the greatest city in the country to-day, and in a short time it will be the greatest city in the world. If you say to the immigrant population that it must go there no more, but must scatter through various parts of the United States, it would be good for the various parts of the United States, but it would be bad for New York.

As respects the Americanization of the immigrants, it proceeds at the most wonderful rate. So far as their reading foreign newspapers is concerned, it does not seem to me that that at all interferes with their Americanization. A man's thought may be thoroughly sympathetic with our American thought, and yet he may express it in another language. I do not know why a man who reads a German newspaper or an Italian newspaper or a Yiddish newspaper should not think along American lines as well as if he expresses himself in the English language.

As to an educational test, I will add that if we had not the laborer, irrespective of his ability to read, we would find great

difficulty about getting our heavy work done, in view of the great demand for labor in this country to-day. From my observation of the matter I am convinced that with all the immigrants we have we are not to-day responsive to the demand for labor. As I have said before, illiteracy and crime have no connection, and the fact that a man is illiterate should not weigh either for or against him in considering admitting him to the country. There may be reasons for debarring him, but illiteracy is not one of them, because there does not seem to be anyone I can find anywhere who says there is a connection between illiteracy and crime.

## STATEMENT OF LOUIS MARSHALL, Esq., OF NEW YORK CITY

The question has been asked as to what was being done in the City of New York by the Jewish organizations and other organizations with regard to the education of the immigrant. I am a member of the board of directors of the Educational Alliance, and have been for about fifteen years. That organization was formed for the Americanization of the immigrant. That is its principal purpose. The extent to which the work of the Educational Alliance is carried on is evidenced by the fact that during the last four or five years the number of visitors who have come to the building for the purpose of getting instruction has averaged about two and a half million a year. The work consists largely in instructing the immigrant as to the duties of American citizenship and as to the resources of our country, and I would like to read for your information, from the report of the Immigration Commission of the State of New York, one of the appendixes which shows the various subjects which are discussed and lectured upon with respect to American history and civics, in the Educational Alliance:

1. The American character: An exposition of the characteristics of the American.

2. American ideals: An exposition of the American ideals of work, civil liberty, equal rights, religious liberty, universal edu-

3. Ideal government: Embodying the ideas of liberty and law. A popular exposition of the Anglo-Saxon conception of government, of liberty, and law.

4. The beginnings of American liberty: Showing the reasons for the triumph in America of the English and their political

ideas

5. Periods in American history: Colonization. Illustrated.

6. Franklin and life in the colonies.

7. Washington and the American Revolution.

8. Jefferson and the Declaration of Independence.

9. The making of the American Constitution: Showing how and why the American nation was formed.

10. The American Constitution: The relation of the state and nation; amendments and Bill of Rights.

11. American Government, city, state, and nation: A general survey of the three kinds of government. Illustrated.

12. The American Constitution: Congress.

13. The American Constitution: The President.

14. The American Constitution: The Courts.

15. The American press and public opinion. 16. The American educational system and ideals.

17. The growth of America under the Constitution. Illustrated.

18. Lincoln and the abolition of slavery.

19. Geography of the United States. Illustrated. 20. Economic conditions of the United States as compared with Europe.

21. The development of the West. Illustrated.

22. Life of the Jews in the United States, in the South and the West. Illustrated.
23. Jewish farming in America. \_ Illustrated.

- 24. American public problems: The state and the nation.
- 25. American public problems: The government and the party.

26. American public problems: The citizen.

27. American public problems: The state and the city.

28. History of the City of New York.

29. Government of the City of New York. 30. Ideals of American citizenship.

31. The duty of the foreigners to America.

The lectures are first conducted in Yiddish, so as to enable those who are unable to understand English to understand the subjects in the earlier stages. Then the lectures are delivered in English, accompanied by illustrations and lantern slides.

A question was asked as to teaching English. In the Educational Alliance we have various classes organized solely for the purpose of rapidly teaching Jewish immigrants the English language. Those classes are very largely attended. We have now some 35 different classes taking care of the various portions of the population. The adults who work in the daytime are taught at night. The adults who work at night are taught The mothers have their own classes. in the daytime. teachers in the Jewish religious schools have their classes in which they are taught the English language, so that they may give their instruction in religion in the English language. Then there are day classes for newly arrived children; and in that way every part of the Jewish population is saturated with the English language, so that in a very short time those children, and those men and women who have come to this country after they have reached majority, are better able to speak with their Yiddish brethren in English than in Yiddish; and, as a matter of fact, it is a very curious thing that the Yiddish of New York is an entirely different language from the Yiddish of Russia, because there is an interpolation of English words from the very beginning. So that in a very short time, by a natural process, the people speak the English language and do not speak the Yiddish language.

As to the newspapers, the Yiddish newspaper performs a very important function. I had the fortune, or the misfortune, of being the organizer of a Yiddish newspaper a number of years ago, to be published purely and solely from the standpoint of good citizenship. We tried the experiment of establishing a paper which would do the very kind of teaching

contemplated by this list of subjects which the Educational Alliance deals with. We had the Declaration of Independence translated into Yiddish. We had the Constitution of the United States translated into Yiddish. We had commentaries upon that; and we had the history of the United States from the landing of Columbus down to the present day. We had all kinds of subjects of that character, for the purpose of impressing upon the Yiddish-speaking population these ideas. To indicate the process of development there were two pages in English, so that they would gradually go from the Yiddish into the English. The effect of it has been that there has been a development of all the Yiddish papers in New York City in that direction; and anyone who is capable of reading Yiddish will find that all the important questions of economics and civics, and all the important questions of politics, are most intelligently discussed in the Yiddish language in these newspapers. You need not be afraid that the Jewish people of that city, however, are going to adhere to those papers alone. They are repeatedly reading others. They are great readers of the newspapers. Anyone going into the reading room of the Educational Alliance in the evening would be astounded at the number of readers. And the subjects about which they read there are as various as the mind of man can conceive. The public libraries in those parts of the city in which the Jews live are the best patronized libraries in the City of New York. The books read are not trash and not light literature, but deal with scientific subjects. To give an idea of the mental characteristics of the people, I will say that in the Educational Alliance we had a class of 100 men who met every Saturday night. Some of these men were push-cart peddlers, and some of them workers at tailoring trades, but they met on Saturday night and discussed questions of science, of art, of the world's literature, and the higher mathematics. The people appreciated the subjects and took pleasure in the study of those particular matters.

I think this really is merely one of the side shows in this question, but still it indicates that the people who come here are being taken care of and are being advised; and the Educational Alliance is not the only organization that is doing it. There are the Young Men's Hebrew Association, the Young Women's Hebrew Association, and various settlements on the East Side. Other organizations are doing this work, not only in New York, but in Chicago, in Philadelphia, in St. Louis, in San Francisco, and in every quarter of America. Lest it be thought that the Jews are all segregated and congregated in the City of New York, let me tell you that there is scarcely a community in the country in which you will not find a settle-I think those who know them know that they ment of Jews. are a self-respecting part of the community and are doing their part toward becoming as rapidly as possible an integral part of the American people; and they resent nothing more than to be considered as a thing apart. They want to be considered as a part of the American people.

I have read some of the debates upon this subject, and they are really amusing when we use the parallel-column comparison. This same talk about inferior races has been used ever since immigration commenced.

In 1817, when the total number of immigrants to this country was 2800, see what Niles' Register said about the awful fate confronting the United States:

We have room enough, let them come. . . . . But the emigrants should press into the interior.

In the present state of the times we seem too thick on the maritime frontier already. Within, there is ample and profitable employment for all in almost any branch of business, and strangers should be encouraged to seek it there.

That was in 1817, when the total population of the United States was about 6,000,000. They wanted to get them away from the congested City of New York, which then had a population, I think, of 125,000 people.

In the report of the managers of the Society for the Prevention of Pauperism in New York City, in 1819, it is said:

First, as to the emigrants from foreign countries, the managers are compelled to speak of them in the language of astonishment and apprehension. Through this inlet pauperism threatens us with the most overwhelming consequences.

From various causes the City of New York is doomed to be the landing place of a great portion of the European population who are daily flocking to our country for a place of permanent abode. This city is the largest importing capital of the United States, and a position from which a departure into the interior is generally considered the most easy and practicable. On being possessed of more extensive and active trade than any other commercial emporium in the Union, it naturally occurs to the minds of emigrants that we possess great means of employment. Our situation is peculiarly healthy, and no local objection, either physical or moral, exists to arrest the approach of foreigners. The present state of Europe contributes in a thousand ways to foster unceasing immigration to the United States. . . . . An almost innumerable population beyond the ocean is out of employment, and this has the effect of increasing the usual want of employ. This country is the resort of vast numbers of those needy and wretched beings. Thousands are continually resting their hopes on the refuge which she offers, filled with delusive visions of plenty and luxury. They seize the earliest opportunity to cross the Atlantic and land upon our shores. . . . . What has been the destination of this immense accession to our population, and where is it now? Many of these foreigners have found employment; some may have passed into the interior, but thousands still remain among us. They are frequently found destitute in our streets; they seek employment at our doors; they are found in our almshouses and in our hospitals; they are found at the

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Niles' Register, VII, p. 359, 1817.

bar of criminal tribunals, in our Bridewell, our penitentiary, and our State prisons. And we lament to say that they are too often led by want, by vice, and by habit to form a phalanx of plunder and depredations, rendering our city more liable to increase of crime and our houses of correction more crowded with convicts and felons.<sup>3</sup>

That was in 1819. Some of those immigrants, I suppose, were your grandfathers; some of them may have been your fathers; and some arrived subsequent to that time; and still this country is what it is, and it has grown to be what it is. They are the people who have made the great Northwest, Wisconsin, Minnesota, and the neighboring States; and they are the people who have built up in the East all our great industries. When we think of the greatness of the State of New York, with its large percentage of foreign population, does it not seem utterly absurd to say that this country is going to ruin and destruction? Ah, but some of these gentlemen say it is because the people who are coming now are of a different class. They say that the people who were here before and who were the fathers of Senators and of Members of the House of Representatives, and who are in our State legislatures, were a different class. They were Germans, and they were Irish, and they were of a better quality. But let us see what they said in 1819. They said:

The Irish had an utter distaste for felling forests and turning up the prairies for themselves. They preferred to stay where another race would furnish them with food, clothing, and labor, and hence were mostly found loitering on the lines of the public works, in villages, and in the worst portions of the large cities, where they competed with the negroes—between whom and themselves there was an inveterate dislike—for the most degrading employments.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Second Annual Report, Managers of Society for the Prevention of Pauperism in New York City, 1819.

I have other beautiful specimens of the same character, in which the German is put in the same category as the Irish. They are priest-ridden; they are ignorant people; have no Anglo-Saxon ideals, and words to that effect.<sup>1</sup>

Later, still, we have criticisms of the Swedes and the Norwegians, and now the criticism comes of those from eastern Europe and from southern Europe.

I have had occasion to give a great deal of study to this question, with a view of seeing what the conditions are in this country to-day as the result of this eastern European and southern European migration into this country.

There is now very little immigration from Ireland, England, or Germany. The need for immigration, from those countries, no longer exists; but the immigration comes from other parts of Europe. Those people come, not for the purpose of being idle, not for the purpose of making themselves public charges, but for the purpose of being useful workers in the great American beehive. We are constantly engaged in great public works. Take the State of New York for example. At the present date the City of New York is spending over \$100,-000,000 on the new waterworks system and the Ashokan dam and aqueduct. And who are doing the work there? Italians, southern Europeans and eastern Europeans. The State of New York is also spending about \$50,000,000 on the building of the new public-highway system throughout the State. Who is doing that work? The same people. No Germans, no Irish, no native-born Americans. They would not work at such jobs.

They are constructing a great barge canal, at an expense of over \$100,000,000. And who is doing the work there? Not native Americans, not the sons of Irish immigrants, nor of

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> See Appendix I, pp. 87-93.

German immigrants. The people who are doing that work are these same people from southern Europe and eastern Europe.

The railroads require trackmen. All the great public works require men to do manual labor. All that is done by the southern European and the eastern European. I do not mean that the "bossing" is done by the newly arrived immigrants. That is done by those of an earlier generation; and that merely indicates the advantages of our system of government. man who comes to-day is ready to handle the pick and shovel. As a result of his imbibing American ideas his standard of living is raised and he becomes more expert, and in five years from now he will be the boss. In ten years from now he will be the contractor. In twenty years from now he will be the alderman. And so there is a development from time to time which is desirable, which is of great advantage to the country. and which adds to its strength. Every man who comes here in the vigor of manhood, and who has been admitted here, is an asset to this country of very great value. I have not any doubt but that every man who has the full possession of his faculties is worth at least \$1000 net to this country the moment he arrives here; and of course it results in an increase and addition of wealth to the country. I am not discussing it as a Jewish question, but as a question which applies just as much to the Italian, the Croatian, and the Hun, as to the Jew, because they are all doing their part in the world's work and in the development of this country. The whole tendency of the country is upward and toward improvement. laggards and the inferior people drop by the wayside. It is a question of the survival of the fittest.

As for the concentration of nationalities, people congregate because they like to be among those they understand and who

have the same ideas and associations and the same bringing up. They naturally congregate and have their own newspapers. There are probably 50 newspapers of that kind published in New York, in the Syrian, Armenian, and every known language of the world. That does not change the situation. That does not affect the Americanism of those people; because if you can speak in a dozen tongues you can preach the same doctrine and reach the people of a dozen tongues, whereas with one tongue you might be able to reach but one. The tendency is that they will all learn to speak the language of this country. The desire to get on will impel them to. There is not an Italian who does not in time begin, in his own way, to speak the English language. The children of the Italians are in a short time able to speak the English language as well as the children of any man whose ancestors came over in the Mayflower. The situation is no different. They will become accustomed to their environment, and they do. I am not discussing mere theories. The facts speak for themselves.

At the request of a member of the committee, I have sent copies of the report of the New York Immigration Commission, 1909, to the various members of the committee, and I hope that you will all take the pains to read the chapter on "Industrial and Agricultural Opportunities for Aliens," running from page 130 to page 137. You will find there a discussion of this economic question as it has been taken up in New York.

We took pains to send a schedule of questions to the various manufacturers and various trades unions in all the different parts of the State of New York, as to the character of the labor they had, as to the nationality, as to the time they had been in the country, etc.; and we found—and we have here excerpts

from the reports—that in many cases where there had been previously American labor, and where there had been German or Irish labor, those of other nations were coming in. But these were the reasons given:

Natives are not always available, and when available will not do the work required.

American-born citizens find more lucrative employment.

Foreigners are more reliable and do better work. Native-born are seeking other than mill work.

In the manufacture of fiber ware and material, on account of labor troubles, foreigners are better workers, steadier, and more sober; also not inclined to look for easy work.

## One says:

Foreigners on our work have not proven satisfactory.

Another says:

Our business is too particular and fine for foreign-born.

Another says:

The neatest workers are invariably American-born; they are cleaner, and more pride is seemingly taken by them in the execution of their work.

Then again they say they cannot get American labor. You cannot get the American-born to work in the mill, or to do the ordinary labor of a daily operative on public works, and therefore you must seek that labor somewhere, or else the country will be at a standstill.

Also the "birds of passage," who come over in a flush season and return in the dull, are not found among the Jews, since they have nowhere to return to. The tendency of the Jew is rather to remain and become naturalized, and to become Americanized.

Much is made of the congestion of the immigrants in the large cities. But that is not a phenomenon peculiar to this

country, but is the tendency the world over. Let me give you a few facts on that subject. The tendency of modern times has been toward the increase of the urban population at the expense of the rural districts. Here are a few figures as to the growth of cities, for 1800, 1850, 1890, and 1900:

London: In 1800, 958,000; in 1850, 2,362,000; in 1890, 4,211,000;

in 1900, 4,536,000.

New York: In 1800, 62,000; in 1850, 660,000; in 1890, 2,740,000; in 1900, 4,014,000.

Paris: In 1800, 546,000; in 1850, 1,053,000; in 1890, 2,448,000; in 1900, 2,714,000.

Berlin: In 1800, 173,000; in 1850, 378,000; in 1890, 1,578,000; in 1900, 2,033,000.

Vienna: In 1800, 232,000; in 1850, 431,000; in 1890, 1,341,000; in 1900, 1,674,000.

Whereas, at the beginning of the nineteenth century, the cities were comparatively small, at the beginning of the twentieth century they had increased fivefold in population throughout the world; not only in the country where the immigrant arrives, but in the country from which the immigrant comes. The tendency has been toward the building up of the city at the expense of the rural community, and the time has come when those who are wise will echo the cry "Back to the soil," because that will be the solution of many of the great economic problems that are confronting all parts of the world. Among the more recent immigrants the smaller proportion settle on the farms, or in the country. In the first place they come to New York or to Philadelphia and get employment there, but gradually they get into the country. By that I do not mean that they go on the farms, but they get into the smaller cities and then gradually into the villages and towns; and after a while when they get wise they buy farms.

<sup>1</sup> See Tables. Appendix I, pp. 94-95.

That fact is illustrated by the circumstance that the number of Jewish farmers is increasing every day, and the number of Italian farmers is very largely on the increase. That is also true of the Greeks, who are well known as florists, and who do a very large business in floriculture. A great many of other nationalities are carrying on truck farms near the cities. In that way there is a tendency in that direction, although it is not as rapid as it might be if they went to the country in the first place, and the census figures show that the proportion of foreign-born on the farms now is constantly increasing.

Immigration has been at no time inimical to the prosperity of the City of New York. Anyone who studies the history of the country, at any period, will find that if we had not been aided by this providential influx of immigration we would be very much behind the state we are now in. All this talk about immigrants is, to me, very amusing, when we consider that we are all immigrants—every one of us. Beyond that. there are very few who are in any way, in this community, descendants of the Pilgrims, or of the original settlers of the South, who arrived in the country prior to the Revolution; because I understand the Sons and Daughters of the Revolution are not very numerous-although there is one daughter of the Revolution here to-day, who is of Jewish birth. You will find that the great bulk of our population is descended from people who have been on this continent not longer than one century. What is to be gained by all this talk about difficulty with immigrants, when we are all either immigrants ourselves or the sons or grandsons of immigrants?

Taking up the head tax: If you increase the head tax to \$25 a head, it will be prohibitive in many instances. The people cannot raise the money. It is a difficult thing for them

to get the money with which to buy their transportation. If you add to that the artificial deterrent requiring them to pay a head tax of \$25, you make it impossible in the great majority of cases for the immigrant to come in, and most usually the people excluded are in that class of cases where the people are coming to this country as refugees from persecutionthe class of people to whom our doors have been opened from the earliest day of our history. We are still dealing in comparatively small figures, but \$25 is an amount of money which it takes years and years for people to collect when they are obliged to live within the Russian Pale, are restricted from activities, and have their hands and feet tied, as well as their consciences. It is an absurdity to say, as has been said before this committee on another occasion, that the increase in the head tax is paid by the steamship companies. They would not do it. How can they do it? They certainly are not going to pay the head tax if it is \$25 or \$10. Whatever they pay, in some way or other, is added to the immigrant's fare. They are not here as eleemosynary institutions. They are here to make money.

(Mr. Benner. I just want to say that the statement was made to the committee that the fare had not been increased. I looked it up and found that that was technically correct, and that the steamship companies' third-class rate had not been increased, but that the steamship companies had commenced, since the act of 1907, the practice of collecting the extra \$2 increase from the immigrant direct, in addition to the price he did pay.)

Any increase would be a burden under which they would have to stagger. If you put it at \$10 or \$25, as I say, it would be utterly prohibitive. You might as well not disguise the

measure, but say, "This is a bill for the prohibition of immigration into the United States," or "for the absolute restriction of immigration." The present law is all right, if you have proper administrative regulations which will make that law effective, and which will be fair and just to all concerned, which will give a man a hearing, and give him his day in court, and which will not introduce Russian methods into official administration. Further, it is a very serious question of constitutional law whether any increase of the head tax could be sustained. When the head tax was fixed at 50 cents under the act of August 3, 1882, the Supreme Court of the United States, in the "head-money case" (112 U. S., 580), had some considerable difficulty in even sustaining that, and the only way it could sustain that was by the reasoning of Mr. Justice Miller, who said it was not for the purpose of revenue, and that it was not exacted under the taxing power, but merely for the temporary care of paupers. The taxing power cannot be arbitrarily exercised. It must be for some specific governmental purpose.

With regard to section 7 of the Hayes Bill, which requires a certificate of residence to be taken out by every alien resident in the country for one year, I oppose this provision on the broadest and strongest grounds. These people come to this country for the purpose of aiding its development, and also of aiding themselves—for the purpose of doing their small part in the creation of a greater America. Is it not the most undignified thing in the world to say to a man who comes here with those purposes in view, "You are practically a man who is under surveillance; you must get a certificate from some official, which you must show on all occasions, to show that you have a right to be here"? Is it not an insult to

the dignity of manhood? Is it not introducing Russian methods into the United States? It is a re-introduction of the yellow badge that the Jews had to wear; and I would hate to see such a thing introduced into the United States in regard to the Jew, the Italian, or any part of our community. It is a degradation of manhood, and I hope that whatever you do, you will not put that blot upon people who, in time, will become citizens of the United States, and possibly members of a better stratum of society than that which they are supposed to occupy when they are called upon to make that acknowledgment of humiliation.

Then, look at what would happen. You would have to get that certificate. I think Congressman Bennet has been in the United States post-office building at times when people were there who wanted to become citizens of the United States; and they have been obliged to come day after day and to stand in line from 4 o'clock in the morning until 5 o'clock in the afternoon, and then be requested to come some other day. They are compelled to leave their work before they can go through the formula of becoming American citizens; and these people who come here for the purpose of earning a livelihood might be required to stand in line day after day before they could get a certificate, and be damned up hill and down by \$2 clerks because they would feel that those people as yet had no vote, and might not, perhaps, get one. I think the administrative features of such a law would be abhorrent to anyone's sense of right and justice, and to anyone who has seen the workings of even that part of our system which relates to the act of naturalization. Under our immigration law you have the record of the man when he arrives. Why should he get a certificate of residence in addition to that after

he stays his time? In regard to the act of naturalization, that is a judicial act. It is a proceeding in court. You have to have evidence, and that is perfectly proper; and the stronger your requirements may be with regard to the possession by the applicant of thorough knowledge of the genius of our institutions, of knowledge of our Government, and of ability to speak the English language, the better I like it.

Taking up the Elvins Bill, here are the different classes to be excluded from admission into the United States:

## Persons economically undesirable-

If we could review these questions in the Supreme Court of the United States as you can review almost every question, there would be a series of very interesting lawsuits which I would be very glad to argue, if I had the opportunity, without fee, to determine what the meaning of that phrase is; but inasmuch as under the law there is no way of reviewing those questions, and everything is left to bureaucrats—and I use the word without any intent to offend or to use slighting language —or to people who have arbitrary power, let us see what would happen.

"Persons economically undesirable." Undesirable to whom? How undesirable? What is meant by "undesirable?" What is meant by "economically undesirable?" Is it because they have not enough money, or is it because they have too much money? John D. Rockefeller might be economically undesirable to some people, and a man with only 50 cents in his pocket might be economically undesirable to other people, and yet they would not be, in fact, economically undesirable to the mass of mankind. But when you draft a great statute which is to be applied to 1,000,000 people a year, to use language of

that sort is to make it easy for any administrative officer to do iust as he pleases. If he should say, "I think this man is economically undesirable," how are you going to refute it? What are you going to do about it? You have heard a great deal about the Chancellor's foot, but there are some feet which, if applied to that language, would use it purely as a kicking-out process. That language is absolutely dangerous. It is potent with mischief. We have gotten along without it so well, and this country has improved so much economically, as I have tried to show, notwithstanding the absence of that language, that I do not think we ought to have a law which would make every superintendent, or whatever he is called, of a landing station, a professor of political economy, and of his own political economy. It may be free trade in one place, it may be high tariff in another, and stand-pat in still another, and you do not know where you would get, in acting on these various kinds of economic ideas. As to undesirability, one man might consider that a red-headed fellow was undesirable, and another man might think that a man who had black hair would be undesirable, and some might think that a man without any hair would be undesirable. As you see, there is great vagueness, and that is a thing we ought to avoid. We have had enough vague language. Some of you gentlemen understand what has happened as the result of vague terms. When opening a Pandora's box we do not want to put additional mischief into the box so as to do harm beyond the dreams of anybody at the present time.

Here is the next thing:

Male persons over sixteen years of age who do not possess in their own right at least one hundred dollars in lawful money of the United States or other money of equal value.

One hundred dollars! Think of a man from Russia, from Roumania, fleeing for his life, the victim of a "pogrom," or the members of a family fleeing as the result of an insurrection or a mob's wild action, having \$100 in their possession! Perhaps the argument I am now making would be considered by you as a good argument against my position, but I would not be here if anything like that had been in force when my father came to this country. My father had exactly 95 cents in his pocket when he landed in the City of New York on the 1st of September, 1849. It seems to me inconceivable, when people are coming here, ready to be deposited right at our door, full of hope and ambition, that we should say to them: "We will not let you come in unless you have \$25, or \$100." It is utterly contrary to the spirit of our institutions. wonder what George Washington and Thomas Jefferson would have said if anybody had thought of such legislation in their day. I know what they would have said, because I have extracts from some of their writings, in which both Washington and Jefferson speak of the great desirability of having immigration. And Rush, in his diary, when minister to England, said that the desire of foreigners to emigrate to the United States was a very desirable thing, and that men are the best of all imports. I think it is a great deal better to have the man than to have the \$100.

Now, here is the next thing:

Persons between the ages of sixteen and fifty years who cannot pass the physical examination prescribed for recruits by the military regulations of the United States Army.

I know that I could not pass that examination. I am nearsighted. There may be members of the committee who are near-sighted, or who may have other ailments, or who in other respects, perhaps, may not come up to the qualifications. It may be a matter of eyesight or a matter of weight, but all this is unnecessary.

Our immigrants were in the Army of the United States and in the Confederate Army during the Civil War, and they were pretty good soldiers at that. There were Germans who came to this country as fugitives from their Government, and they helped to fight the battles of the Republic. There have always been a large number of immigrants in our army, and are now, and Mr. Wolf has written a book for the purpose of showing how many Jews there were in the army in the Civil War. At a time when there were probably not more than one hundred to one hundred and fifty thousand in the United States, there were 8000 at least on the rosters of the army. and most of those people were recent immigrants. They had not been here many generations. They fought for their country. Nobody tried to avoid military duty. On the East Side, in the Educational Alliance—and I come to that once more—we had young men clamoring for the privilege of enlisting during the Spanish-American War. I remember that it is one of the traditions of Syracuse, where I was born, that in the early part of 1862 there was enlisted a company from one Jewish congregation, Company A, One Hundred and Forty-ninth Regiment, every man of whom was a Jew, and every one of whom came from abroad, foreign-born, and some of whom had not even had time to become citizens.

The next thing is the illiteracy test:

Persons over sixteen years of age, physically capable of reading and writing, who cannot read and write English or the language of some other European country or Hebrew or Yiddish.

I think I have discussed the question of the illiteracy test sufficiently. A man's ability to work is not dependent upon the amount of learning he has. A man who has a willing mind and a strong body and a desire to work and to earn his livelihood is a man who is desirable; and as has been suggested by Congressman Moore, the students, and the men of that type, the editors, etc., are not always the best citizens we can get. Some of them are anarchists. Many of them have been leaders of the anarchistic movement, and have done a great deal toward disseminating the seed of discontent. The man who works hard eight or ten hours a day has not much time for disseminating the seed of discontent. He does his work and gives value for what he receives. What more can be desired? He will be educated. He has the opportunity of being educated after he is here; but so far as his usefulness is concerned, that is not dependent upon his ability to read or I have known men who starved in seven languages, and who were unable to earn their living. I had one write me a letter last night, a man who is a physician, a man of education, who does not know where to go for money to pay his rent. The industrious immigrant is able to fight his way, and he is not dependent upon the United Charities, and the statistics show that we are not troubled by the recent immigration with respect to the question of pauperism. houses of the State of New York have a very small percentage of recent immigrants. There are many more people of nativeborn origin in the almshouse than those of recent immigration. The smallest percentage, according to the statistics of the New York State Immigration Commission's report, is composed of eastern and southern Europeans, so far as the almshouses are concerned; and as to the relationship of illiteracy and criminality, that subject has been fully discussed and established to the advantage of the immigrant by the argument made by Mr. Sulzberger.

Now comes another provision:

Persons over sixteen years of age who do not bring a certificate of good moral character signed by and under the seal of the proper official or officials whose duty it is to keep such record in the community from which they come, which certificate shall state that such person has not been convicted of or indicted for having committed any crime involving moral turpitude or been an inmate of any almshouse, insane asylum, or prison.

In other words, this requires that a man who comes to this country from Russia, or Roumania, for example, must bring with him a certificate of good moral character. Who gives him that certificate of good moral character? The police authorities, the public authorities. Gentlemen, do you think that people who are engaged in murdering the men of a certain race or of a certain class, and of stealing their property, are going to give certificates of good character to them? Do you think that that is such an easy thing to procure? Why, one of the noblest men of our time, Nicholas Tschaikovsky, could not get a certificate of good character from Russia; and Madame Breshovsky, one of the noblest women in all the history of the world, has been condemned to exile in Russia. She could not get a certificate of good character from that Government. Yet here we are trying to put upon the statute books of the United States a provision to the effect that before a person can be permitted to come here he must get a certificate of good character from such a government as that, or such a government as Roumania, which treats the Jews as aliens, although under the terms of the Treaty of Berlin they were bound to be treated as citizens

That applies to all classes. It is only another way of indirectly saying that we will stop immigration. If you are going to do it, if the Congress of the United States has made up its mind that it can afford to do it, do it openly and above-board, and say, "There shall be no more immigration"; but do not do it by indirection, by saying that a man must have \$100 when he cannot get it; by saying that he must be "economically desirable," when you do not know what that is; that he must be able to stand the test of physical examination prescribed for recruits by the military regulations of the United States Army; that he must be able to read and write English or some other European language; and that he must bring a certificate of good character.

Let us suppose the case of a poor fellow who has just been driven out of his house and home in Odessa, or in any of these other places where "pogroms" are always being committed upon them. He says "I have got to go to America. Now, what have I got to do in order to go to America?" He looks at the Elvins and Hayes Bills; and I think he will blow out his brains. There would not be anything else for him to do, because he could not come here and he could not stay there. He is driven from pillar to post. He does not know what is required of him. He may be a man who is 5 feet 2 inches in height, and not knowing anything about the military regulations of the United States Army he may suppose that he would be required to pass the examination prescribed for the grenadiers of Frederick.

Other gentlemen here will discuss the question from other standpoints; but I have too much confidence in the good sense of the American people to believe that that kind of legislation is going to be put upon our statute books.

Judge Leon Sanders, of New York, made a brief argument in opposition to the educational test and increased head tax and the enactment of any laws having a tendency to restrict immigration.

He cited his own personal experience as a Russian refugee, and stated that if many of the laws now proposed had been in force when he arrived in this country, he would have been debarred from entry. The Jews, he said, welcomed increased immigration; and though it imposed a burden upon them, they were willing to assume it and see to it that the Jewish immigrants did not become charges upon the public charitable institutions.

### STATEMENT OF ABRAM I. ELKUS, ESQ., OF NEW YORK CITY

I should like to answer one or two questions which were asked by members of the committee with reference to the working of the present act and its administration.

The subject is germane to the present inquiry; after you hear what I have to say, based upon knowledge derived from actual experience of how the present act operates, you will readily see how much more serious and how much more difficult and oppressive will be the operation of the proposed act.

In the present act we have a provision that a man shall not be admitted who is liable to become a public charge. I propose to touch lightly upon one or two cases which have come within my own personal experience, and give you the facts about them in order that you may see how that provision operates.

A man came to this country who was 33 years old, and ha a wife and two children, whom he left in Russia. He only ha with him \$4.95. He was in splendid health. He was e: cluded on the ground that he was liable to become a publi charge. An appeal was taken in his case to the Secretary of Commerce and Labor. The appeal was not sustained; it wa dismissed. When we came to look into that case, what do yo suppose we found? That while the man had only that amoun of money with him, he owned in Russia (a most unusus thing) the house he lived in and land that was worth ove 4000 roubles (about \$2000), and that he told the Immigration Commissioner: "If you will let me cable home, I can hav \$500 remitted to me by cable." Yet that man was excluded and he was on the ship, about to be deported and sent back as an undesirable alien, when, with a writ of habeas corpus, we forced the Commissioner to admit him.

That was only one of four cases which we took up as test cases. We picked out four cases at random from a batch of over 50 men, I think, who were ordered to be deported.

There was at the same time another case of a man who was excluded because he had only a few dollars with him. He was young, able-bodied, active, and had a skilled trade; yet he was excluded. It was found that he had a large and successful business in Russia. He was a representative of the best class of immigrants that come here, yet he was excluded under that elastic phrase, that he was "likely to become a public charge."

What would have happened if we had had the "economically undesirable" clause in addition?

Boards of inquiry have been taking into consideration, before admitting an immigrant, whether there is an economic de-

mand for the immigrant in the place of landing. But I hold that they have no such right. Not only that, but I say that no higher official has such a right. I told the Secretary so, and Mr. McHarg said to me: "I would admit some of these men if they were going somewhere else than to New York." I said: "How do you know they are going to stay in New York? The fact that they say they have a cousin or a brotherin-law somewhere in New York or in Philadelphia does not prove that they are going to stay there. What business is it of yours, because you think they will be useful in some other part of the United States, to determine that you will admit them if they will go there, even if they have not got a dollar?" He said: "Well, I never looked at it in that way." But the point was this, and the whole trouble arose in this way, and you will see just what would happen if we had a statute containing such loose language as that referred to here.

The Commissioner in New York issued an order—we call it a rule, but he said it was an "intimation"—which was practically to the effect that no immigrant should come here and be admitted who did not have \$25 in cash with him. He said: "I am going to raise the standard of inspection." Well, of course, after that broad "intimation" (if you want to be polite about it) every immigration inspector went to work and began to see how many immigrants he could keep out. Instead of asking these men, as was their duty, questions which would bring out all the facts, they asked them the bald and naked question: "How much money have you with you?" If you take a poor Russian immigrant, coming over here after going through what he has gone through with the Russian officials, and ask him how much money he has with him, which is usually followed by "Show it to me and give it to me,"

what do you think the result will be? Why, naturally, most of those men, even if they had several hundred dollars in the pockets, would say, "Four dollars and ninety-seven cents because they would be afraid the next question of this unformed official would be, "How much of it can I have? you cannot get in."

When the inspectors got that "intimation" from the hea of the office, they began to see if they could not live up to i Commissioner Williams himself, after he got through investigation tigating these cases on the facts that were laid before hin told me that one of the great troubles of his office was that hi subordinates were not sufficiently competent to fulfil their duties. I said: "Then why do you not permit these men who are on trial, really, for their liberty "-because it mean liberty for them to enter this country—" to have counsel down here, who would bring out these facts?" If you will read the records in those cases, you will find that they are enough to astound any man who is used to a fair trial or a fair hearing on any question. They ask the baldest, simplest questions: and then they throw the burden on the poor immigrant, and say to him: "Why didn't you prove these facts?" They expect him to do that, with no knowledge of the law, with no knowledge of his rights, with no permission to have anybody to help him.

One of the gentlemen here asked what was being done in New York toward making these men go out on the farms, teaching them to be farmers, and teaching them trades. That is a work that I have been particularly connected with, as one of the trustees of the Baron de Hirsch Fund. I wish you gentlemen, who think nothing is being done to make the young Jew from the East Side a farmer, would come to Woodbine,

N. J., some day, and see that farm school there. I wish you would come and see these young men from the much-defamed East Side of New York-young men from 18 to 25 years of age, who have saved up enough money, earned by hard work, to be able to go there and learn to become farmers, or farmers' assistants, farmers' helpers. They stay there six months or a year, or two years, and graduate to the number of 75 a year, and go out all over the country as farmers' assistants. I wish you could read the letters the superintendent of that school has, not alone from these boys, but from their employers, asking for more help of the same kind, and praising those that have been sent to them. I wish you could read the letters from the boys themselves, from all over the country, telling of their successful life as farmers. So great has been the success, not alone of the school, but of the boys as farmers' assistants, that the superintendent wrote me the other day that he had found places a month before graduation for every boy who graduated this spring. The superintendent (a man of education and character and learning) is a Russian refugee, who fled from Russia by reason of one of the "pogroms" which have been alluded to here. He is a man of the highest culture and the finest type, who landed here without a dollar in his clothes. I suppose if he came to-day, he would be excluded because he did not have \$25, on the ground that he was liable to become a public charge.

We have another school in New York—a trade school. It is not a school where we turn out, at the end of four or five years, skilled mechanics, or gentlemen who are fit to be superintendents; but after a course of training of six months as machinists, as electricians, as carpenters, or as painters, the pupils are turned out to become journeymen. And I should

like to refer here to the argument or suggestion that has been made that these men cut down the wages of the others. As a matter of fact, they all become members of unions.

A typical instance of what is accomplished by the young men who go through that school was shown the other day. In 1904 a young man, a Roumanian Jew, came to this country at the age of 18. He entered that school in 1905. He was there six months, took the course as an electrical worker, and graduated. He wrote the other day that at the time he entered he earned \$4 a week as an errand boy. When he left he was able to earn \$12 a week as an assistant electrician. A year afterwards he wrote that he had joined the union, and was receiving \$5 or \$5.50 a day. And the other day he wrote that he had successfully passed a competitive examination, and had received a position in Chicago, as an electrical instructor, at a salary of \$2000 a year.

I think the cry about congestion that has been so much uttered is really very much of a false alarm. There are many Jewish farmers in and about New Jersey; and I know of many instances where they are successful farmers. I was told the other day of a farmer near Woodbine, a Russian refugee, a man with five or six children, who had been farming down there, I believe, for five or six years on a farm of 15 acres, and had managed to support himself and his family nicely. He had his own home, and had saved a thousand dollars in one year. That is the type of Jewish farmer that is going around the country; and I think it is a type that ought to be encouraged.

As Mr. Marshall and Mr. Sulzberger pointed out, these men have not any particular desire to stay in one city, or in one State, or in one part of the country. They would just as soon make their homes in the West or in the South. No doubt you have all had that called to your attention by reason of the immigration to Galveston. They go there in great numbers, now that they have been diverted there by means of private enterprise.

Why should not this Government, through some one of its officials, and through proper channels, disseminate such information in a broader and wider and a more authoritative way, so that more of these immigrants—not alone Russians or Jews, but those from all parts of Europe—would go to those parts of the country that the Government thinks need immigration?

The fact that the country needs immigrants for its work has been amply demonstrated. There cannot be any question that certain parts of the country need immigrants. I was told by the managers of several of the New England mills that they welcome the immigrants there as workers in the mills; that they have found that they rapidly become Americanized and become citizens.

As to their becoming Americanized and becoming citizens in New York, it is only necessary to go to any of the public schools, the night schools, and the private schools that are provided by the Educational Alliance, to see how eager, how anxious, how more than willing, every one of these men and women and children is, not only to become acquainted with our language and our customs, but to become thoroughly acquainted with the spirit of Americanism and to try their best to become American citizens of the real type. That they value their franchise when they get it is beyond dispute, because it is the great East Side that over and over again has decided municipal elections and presidential elections. There they think before they vote. No party can claim them abso-

lutely as its own, because they, of all men, since they never had the right to exercise the franchise before they came her really value it.

That they read at times newspapers printed in other tha the English language, is so. One man said to me, when spoke with him on the subject: "I work from 7 in the morr ing until 8 at night. I have learned English with great diff culty, because I came here when I was over 40 years old. would like to read the English newspapers, but I find it diffi cult to read when I am tired. I want to know what is goin, on in this country, however, and so I read what I can read easily." But each day he had set for himself a task of reading something in English, so as to force himself to learn it. eager was he for knowledge of passing events-and he showed by his conversation with me in English how much he knew of what was going on in the world---that not only did he read the stint he had set for himself in English, but he read the Yiddish newspaper. He did that so that he might know what was going on. Is not that man to be encouraged? Is he to be forced (if we could force him to do so) to read only something that he understands with difficulty after his long day's work?

The best evidence of their desire to learn English would be the case of a woman who came to this country at the age of 30 or 35, who is the mother of 4 or 5 children, and who has little or no spare time. Yet, if you will go to the Educational Alliance in New York City at certain hours in the morning, you will find large classes of those women, those mothers, stealing away the hours from their children to come and learn not only English, but American customs and American ideas.

If you make any such provision in an act as that anybody who is "economically undesirable" is to be kept out, just imagine what is going to take place at Ellis Island! three immigration inspectors will solemnly convene. spector So-and-so will say: "Mister, how much money have you got in your clothes?" The man will say: "I have got a dollar and ninety-eight cents; I have got fine health and constitution, and I am a carpenter by trade." "Excluded as economically undesirable!" Or perhaps he has not a certificate of good moral character. There has been some reference made to certificates of good moral character. From what I know and from what I have read (and I am sure those of you who have been to Russia will agree with me), I assume that those certificates will be framed and ready for sale, and the price will be according to the frame that goes around them. If it is gilt-edged, it will cost so much. If it is only framed in plain wood, it will cost so much less.

In the last twenty years the City of New York has made wonderful strides in commercial success and in advancement, not only from a commercial but also from an artistic standpoint. Twenty years ago we had large tracts of land on the outskirts of the city that were wastes and deserts. They are now peopled by hundreds and thousands and hundreds of thousands of citizens—respectable, hard-working, law-abiding. Most of those are Russian immigrants and Roumanian immigrants, or their descendants. Who can say but that the great success of the City of New York is due to the muchdespised Russian and Roumanian immigrant, or to the immigrant who comes from Europe? Who can say that without them those desolate places would now be so thickly populated by men who have done so much to add to the wealth of the

country? Look at the great parts of the city that the Germans have built up, and that the Italians have built up. There is one section in the City of New York, on the upper East Side, that is almost entirely populated by Italians. They, too, a great majority of them, become law-abiding citizens of the community.

Moreover, the fact that we have people in this country who are familiar with the various languages in itself aids us in reaching and doing business with the different nationalities and different sections of the world.

STATEMENT OF MAX J. KOHLER, Esq., OF NEW YORK CITY

We have heard something said about the effects of the present administration of the law. As an attorney, I have had occasion to give quite a little attention to that branch of the law.

We notice, first of all, that according to the reports of the Commissioner-General of Immigration, 10,000 persons, roughly speaking, were excluded last year, about the same number the year before, and about 13,000 the year before that. In this connection I wish to refer to the group of cases that Mr. Elkus referred to—these habeas corpus cases of which we were going to make test cases, and would have done so but for the fact that the Government took our test cases away by admitting the men. We wanted a construction by the courts of the words "persons likely to become a public charge." But the men were discharged between adjournments. Those cases show that the greatest amount of misunderstanding prevails in administrative circles to-day, and also on the part of the immigrants, or prospective immigrants abroad, as to what our law requires.

Even now a great many persons are improperly excluded. I have here the reports covering about 25 separate cases out of about 100 excluded cases decided in January and February, 1910. In each of the 25 cases, on a proper test of the law, if we could have got into court, the men would have been admitted, as having been excluded without rhyme or reason. But the law makes those decisions non-reviewable unless you can show an utter lack of due process of law. But assuming (as is undoubtedly true) that the large majority, say 75 per cent, of those exclusions are justified, those persons ought to have an opportunity, before they come over here, to know what our law is.

Congress has had that matter in mind several times. the last immigration act, the act of 1907, in section 1, it was expressly provided that some of this head-tax money should be utilized for the preparation of digests of the decisions of the courts upon the immigration laws, which of course means their publication. We find the same provision in an earlier act-section 1 of the act of 1903. Curiously enough, the digest has never been published, notwithstanding the mandate of Congress on each of those occasions. There is to-day no recent government compilation containing even the determinations of the courts or of the bureaus of the Government as to the meaning (very often more or less uncertain, as applied in practice) of such words as "pauper," "persons likely to become a public charge," and the prepaid-ticket provisions. There is no compilation giving those constructions later than one published in 1899 by the Treasury Department, which I sought for in vain in every public office in New York and in the libraries there.

It is most important that the meaning of these terms. they have been construed by the courts and the Departme: should be made known abroad, so that an immigrant who debarred by those provisions may know what our law is. was certainly the purpose of Congress to have this or simil. compilations published before the persons are allowed or i duced to come over here. They do not want to waste all the substance and their time in coming here if they are likely 1 be debarred. They ought to have an opportunity of knowin what our law is: and the mandate of Congress ought to b observed in those respects. Unfortunately, the amendmen that was made last year, I think, which provided that the head tax should be turned into the Treasury instead of being kept as a separate fund, may possibly justify the present position that there is no necessary mandate. Incidentally, if we had a compilation of that kind, it would be valuable also to the Government officers, because it would show them what the courts and the highest authorities in the Department have said as to the proper meaning of these more or less indefinite terms of the law. Ever since the famous Massachusetts Bill of Rights, it has been recognized that this is a government of laws and not of men; and where can we get proper judicial and other authoritative constructions of these indefinite terms aside from the courts and authoritative decisions based upon their holdings? So it is most important that we should have that done.

While I have given you the number of exclusions here, it is interesting to note a matter that seems to have been quite overlooked. In the report of the Commissioner-General of Immigration for 1907 he calls attention to the remarkable fact (I have the exact reference to it here; it is on page 83) that

over 65,000 persons were refused tickets abroad because of the presence of the medical defects which the law specifies, as disclosed by the examination by the steamship companies That is five times as many as were excluded here. That refers only to medical defects. As to the rest of the possible reasons for exclusion—that they may be paupers, or that they may be persons likely to become a public charge, or that they may be subject to the so-called prepaid-ticket provisions of the law, etc.—they are never even disclosed to the poor immigrant, particularly the Russian Jew, who has to cross the frontier clandestinely to get here at all. He certainly is not going to get correct and good advice on that point from the runners of the steamship companies that may help him across the border. So this very important matter would simply tend in the direction of enforcing our own law; but it has been neglected and disregarded, as many other provisions for the benefit of the immigrant unfortunately have been.

(This number of 65,000 represents only intending immigrants who have paid for their steamship tickets in whole or in part; so there is no index at all as to the much greater number that have been refused permission to even buy tickets. These 65,000 had their names scratched off of the manifests after their tickets were purchased.)

The Report of the Industrial Commission of 1891 shows that in a prior year there were 50,000 such cases, according to the Government's calculations; but that only deals with those where the medical examination disclosed the defect. Prospective immigrants ought, in common decency, to be advised of what our law is. Incidentally, as I have attempted to point out, it would also have the effect of enlightening a great many of our subordinate immigration inspectors as to their

duties. But the indefinite provisions of our statute are su that we ought to have constructions by the courts, or otl authoritative officials, such as were published by the Treasu Department in 1899 in the document I referred to, but I since, notwithstanding the mandate of Congress.

There is a great deal of mistake and blunder, working greinjustice to the immigrant, in connection with the so-call "prepaid-ticket provision." When that was reported to Co gress, some language was used which throws more light up the matter than anything else I know of. I will read a fe lines from that. It is from the report of the committee on that of 1891, page iv:

Those assisted by friends from this side of the water are ti best class of immigrants, for they have relatives or friends wi will care for them in their untried surroundings. But the imm grant assisted from the other side usually has no friends here and if any on the other side, their chief interest is in getting ri of what is likely soon to become a burden.

The report goes on to say that the assisted-ticket immigran should not be put in a prohibited class, but that our experience has been so unfortunate that it would seem prudent to require him to show affirmatively that he does not belong to one of the excluded classes.

That is the intent of the law. It is very badly phrased, though; and this is the way it works in practice:

First of all, the law says that persons shall come over here subject to the burden of affirmatively proving their right to come, when their ticket was purchased with the money of another. What does that mean? The more intelligent man, who has relatives and friends here, who sends his money here to them to buy the ticket, presents a ticket bought here. At once it is said: "Here is a ticket bought in this country; it

has been paid for with the money of another," though the immigrant himself may have sent the money—which is, of course, utter folly. Our laws here throw some safeguards around the purchase of tickets, and still we have this ridiculous blunder.

Next, the law did not contemplate that if a man borrows money on his own property, his ticket is paid for with the money of another.

But waiving that, and the uncertainty as to what that provision means, we come to the next clause, which has caused the utmost folly. The law simply says that the burden shall be upon such alien to show affirmatively that he is not within any of the prohibited classes. The law, however, does not give counsel to the poor alien coming over here ignorant of our language and of our laws. It does not tell him beforehand what our law is. And I actually heard it seriously stated by an inspector of immigration at Ellis Island that when he attempted to question an immigrant holding a prepaid ticket as to whether he did or did not belong to any of these prohibited classes, he was reproved and told: "Why, the law says he must affirmatively show that, and you have no business to assume the burden for him."

When we have such extraordinary conditions as that, we see how important it is to have a fair and proper administration of the law, which would work for the benefit of those desiring to exclude undesirables as well as avoid this gross injustice that is now being done to a great many deserving immigrants.

I come next to the bonding provision, about which I want to say a few words. The bill which you have under consideration follows in part, at least, the recommendations of the Commissioner-General of Immigration, in which he says that in

general immigrants should not be permitted to land on bond; and he advances two arguments, which are deserving of serious consideration, against the taking of bonds. He says that the pecuniary responsibility of the bondsman is often doubtful; and he says, in addition to that, that the people frequently disappear, change their names, and are lost track of.

With regard to the first objection, it is the simplest thing in the world to require proper sureties. The constitutional right to bail may be thwarted in the same way, but I do not think a court will have much patience with that argument. It is perfectly capable of requiring only a surety company bond or a proper real estate bond with large equity. That is an abuse that can be very easily disposed of in administration.

Next, with regard to the claim that the people disappear. As an administrative matter, it is the simplest thing in the world to insert a clause in the bond that the person shall report to the immigration officials who have charge of the bond, or to anyone else who may be designated, every six months or year, or forfeit the bond if he does not do it.

There is a very able opinion on that by Mr. Justice Brown in a case in the Federal Reporter (56 F. R. 427); and there have been cases for nearly one hundred years in Massachusetts and in New York involving those bonds, and they have been repeatedly enforced. When a doubtful case is presented—and there are many of them—a bond is the best possible guaranty against the person's becoming a public charge. Someone else with adequate means is made surety for the man, to help him along. Why should not such a bond be taken liberally and fairly, instead of speculating as to the man's possibly becoming a public charge? I think it would be proper to require a surety company bond or an adequate bond from the owner

of real estate having an adequate equity in it—such, for instance, as is required in criminal cases under our New York penal code. The surety companies are freely giving such bonds; and it is not once in a thousand or ten thousand cases that an individual surety becomes bankrupt. That is an ordinary business risk that everyone takes in other things. And to-day, in the United States Circuit Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit, in New York, a case is being re-argued in which the claim is made (which I think is likely to be sustained) that the Department is unjustifiably, unreasonably and contrary to law refusing individual bonds almost invariably, misled by this specious reasoning to which I have referred.

I want to say one word more in connection with the illiteracy test that has been referred to. It has been commonly thought among almost all persons familiar with the Jewish immigrants, particularly, that there are practically no male Jews in this country who are illiterate. The figures given in the report of the Commissioner-General of Immigration show that there is an appreciable percentage on arrival, as was shown to-day. This is due to the fact that in Russia, particularly, the Government studiously refuses to permit them to get the education they want. Our private agencies here do everything conceivable to help those immigrants along after landing. They acquire a knowledge of English or other languages-chiefly English-so rapidly that the impression upon those that I have referred to is that there are no Jewish illiterates. I happen to be honorary secretary of the Baron de Hirsch Fund. The immigrant classes that we subsidize in the Educational Alliance have been referred to, but we now have similar classes in every large place in the country where

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there are Jewish inhabitants. We subsidize classes in Boston; we subsidize classes in Philadelphia; we subsidize them in Baltimore; we subsidize them in St. Louis, and in Pittsburg, and in Chicago, and we are now going to do so in Cleveland.

The eagerness of these immigrants, who have been deprived of the opportunity of learning to read and write in Russia, is indicated by the fact that we have to have special summer classes in New York for the immigrants who are unwilling to wait until the night schools open. In New York, with its enormous number of Jewish pupils, the night schools are open between October and April only. We had, during the past year, 25 classes in New York running at night during the hot intermediate summer months, which were attended by 2346 Jewish immigrants who were not willing to wait until October to learn English. The Educational Alliance, which we subsidize, also has about 25 special immigrant day classes having 1076 students, who are prepared for the public schools, in order to get into them sooner. The course is in no event longer than two years for any of them. A number of adults also attend special adult day classes. So that almost everything conceivable is being done to Americanize the Russian and Roumanian Jewish immigrants and make them good citizens of the United States. We are acting along those lines by subsidizing different organizations throughout the United States. because we want to stimulate each locality to do the work instead of bearing the total expense ourselves. What we contribute is only a fraction of what is raised for that purpose in all the different places. I think, therefore, that the law proposing an illiteracy test would answer absolutely no useful purpose, certainly as far as the Jewish immigrant is concerned. As soon as he comes over here he almost invariably acquires

a knowledge of reading and writing, which possibly in some cases he has not when he arrives here. The night-school classes in New York, of course, are enormous. Even now the College of the City of New York has opened a night college course, because of the large number thirsting for knowledge even in its higher forms. There is no danger at all that the alien immigrant coming over here will remain alien—alien to our thoughts and our citizenship.

I think that branch of the law relating to the examination of the immigrant on landing requires important administrative corrections. The Ellis Island Commission, appointed by President Roosevelt in 1903, called attention to the fact that the words of the statute specifying that the examination before the board of special inquiry shall be separate and apart from the public do not and were not intended to exclude interested friends, such as representatives of the charitable organizations that are active at Ellis Island, or counsel, or other persons of that kind. They were simply intended to prevent a multitude interfering with the transaction of business. Notwithstanding that fact, counsel is refused before the board of special inquiry in the earlier stages of the examination; and the immigrant is left entirely without an opportunity even intelligently to understand this process, this trial, involving practically his liberty. And what is more, the statute provides that on the appeal, if he takes one, the evidence shall be limited to what was adduced before the board of special inquiry. So the immigrant, without counsel and without knowledge of our laws, even on the appeal, when he is given counsel, is hampered by the requirement that even the evidence on the appeal cannot be different from that before the board of special inquiry. want to say to the credit of Mr. Williams (some of whose other actions I have had occasion to criticise) that he has, in a measure, overcome this last hardship by granting new hearings before boards of special inquiry in cases that strike him as proper; so that evidence can now be supplied in cases that he approves of.

Of course, part of that course proceeds on the theory that the law allows evidence against the immigrant to be taken outside of the board of special inquiry. The statute says that all the evidence before the board must be reduced to writing, and it is that evidence that is to be taken up on appeal. But we know, as a matter of fact, that all sorts of extraordinary misstatements concerning the immigrant crop out in the letters of recommendation which the commissioners of the various ports make to the Department, having no basis of fact in the evidence, and which, therefore, the immigrant cannot meet, even when he has counsel.

(Mr. Bennet. The intent of the statute was that the board of special inquiry should pass on the matter, and that from its decision there should be an appeal to the Secretary through the Commissioner-General; that if there was to be any new evidence adduced, the case should be sent back to the board of special inquiry, and that the evidence should be there adduced, and on the record in each instance the appeal should be taken.)

In the group of cases that Mr. Elkus referred to, which culminated in four habeas corpus cases (though there were 20 cases almost precisely alike that came up at the same time), a request was made, because it was an important matter, for a personal hearing before the Secretary of Commerce and Labor; or, in default thereof, for an opportunity to submit briefs. Before we knew of it, before any letter was sent in answer to our request granting either one or the other, all of

these men were ordered deported, and 16 of them had, in fact, been deported before we could do anything.

It is most important that the different charitable institutions represented on Ellis Island should have a right to have their representatives present freely and adequately at the hearing before the board of special inquiry. We want daylight, and we want publicity, and we want justice, and there is no reason whatever why they should be denied. The matter was thoroughly thrashed out before the Ellis Island Commission that President Roosevelt appointed some years ago. It is a most important matter that there should be an opportunity to bring the administration of the law more in accord with the law of the land and have it a government of laws and not a government of whim and caprice.

I will admit that the total number of these exclusions is only from 1 to 2 per cent; but the injustice done to the individual excluded is irreparable, and no man can tell who will be visited by such miscarriage of justice. We find that about 25 per cent of the Jewish exclusions at Ellis Island—and it is undoubtedly the same with regard to the non-Jewish ones—are unjust and not warranted by this digest of immigration-law decisions published by the Government in 1899, containing the decisions of the courts as well as the rulings of the Department.

There is no statute that prohibits the immigrant from having counsel; and that is the recommendation of the Ellis Island Commission. But I am not so much interested in counsel and the expense of having counsel. I do want, though, to have the representatives of the charitable organizations of the different nationalities handling immigration matters at Ellis Island officially recognized by the Government, afforded an oppor-

tunity freely and fairly to be present, and let the light of day in upon the proceedings of the board of special inquiry in every case. That is our procedure as to all trials outside of immigration matters; and it has worked well wherever the Anglo-Saxon law prevails. Every one, including the 48 agents of immigrant societies at Ellis Island, is excluded, except as a stray curiosity-seeker may happen to interest the officials in his desire to go through Ellis Island, and may thus see for a moment what is happening. The counsel of these representatives are very eager to be present. The fact is that it is not deemed expedient, as I understand it, to allow anyone else in. But it is a clear misconception of the law, which President Roosevelt's Ellis Island Commission called attention to in its printed report; but the matter has not yet been remedied.

I have here 25 cases of the past two months, where I know an injustice to have been done by reason of the failure of the immigrant to have counsel and to be properly advised.

Here is a case which I have picked out—the case of Jacob Granat, 19 years of age, who came over on the steamer Bluecher. He was a teacher; single; his country is Galicia. He was destined to an uncle, H. Granat, living at 199 East Seventh Street, New York City. He had \$32 in cash. His passage was paid by himself. Why that man should have been excluded, when this is a full and fair transcript of the case, I cannot tell.

MR. GOLDFOGLE. What was the ground assigned for his exclusion?

Mr. Kohler. He was excluded as likely to become a public charge.

MR. GOLDFOGLE. How was it possible that he would become a public charge?

MR. KOHLER. I have stated that in every one of these 25 cases, I have not any doubt that if we could have gotten them into court the applicant would have been admitted.

Mr. Moore, of Pennsylvania. But the Department surely must have assigned some reason for excluding him.

Mr. Kohler. The ground assigned was that he was likely to become a public charge.

Mr. Burnett. Was it not perhaps because of physical defects?

MR. KOHLER. No; there were no physical defects in his case. In every case where there is a physical defect our records show just what it is.

Mr. Sabath. I can give you the reason that was given to me, viz., that if they deport them, it will discourage immigration. That was the reason given me about these 20 Bulgarians.

Mr. Moore, of Pennsylvania. I cannot conceive of that reason.

MR. BURNETT. Who gave it to you?

Mr. Sabath. That was the reason that was given to me by an official. They had no other reason.

MR. BENNET. Suppose you give us another case.

MR. KOHLER. Certainly. Here is the case of Gulda Oliver. The exclusion was on the 18th day of February of this year. I ought to have stated that the other case was decided on the 20th of January, 1910. That is probably the date of application for admission. This Gulda Oliver, a woman of 27 years of age, came over on the steamer Marne. She was a domestic. She was single. She came from Galicia. She was destined to a cousin, Morris Halpern, 155 Rivington Street. She had \$24. Her passage was paid by herself. She was

formerly in the United States for two years. And we need domestics.

MR. MOORE, of Pennsylvania. What was her age?

MR. KOHLER. Twenty-seven.

MR. BURNETT. What ground was assigned?

MR. KOHLER. Likelihood to become a public charge.

MR. BENNET. Is it not stated in connection with those cases that the reason they are likely to become a public charge is that they are going to a congested city, to wit, New York City?

MR. KOHLER. I do not think so.

MR. BENNET. I have seen cases of that kind.

MR. KOHLER. It does happen on occasion; but they say that though they introduce no evidence as to that. It is utterly illegal. The law requires the board to decide the cases upon the evidence adduced before it.

Mr. Moore, of Pennsylvania. Mr. Kohler, did you have a chance to look at that testimony at all?

MR. KOHLER. I have not in these particular cases. I have compared these records with many full transcripts of the evidence.

MR. MOORE, of Pennsylvania. I agree with you that if the records given by you are complete there would appear to have been no reason for sending either of those persons back. Yet there must have been something, some other reason given, than that which you assign.

Mr. Kohler. I have seen scores of records—we had a number of them in these habeas corpus proceedings—that were just about the same.

MR. BURNETT. Why was not habeas corpus obtained there?

MR. KOHLER. Because Congress provided in 1891 that the decision shall be final, and reviewable only on appeal to the Secretary of Commerce and Labor.

Mr. Burnett. But you got some others off on habeas corpus.

Mr. Kohler. In those cases we applied to the court on the theory that because they had denied us any opportunity to argue the appeal, either personally or by brief, there was a denial even of the semblance of law. For that reason we got into court, and if the court took jurisdiction at all it would have had to decide the whole matter, including the merits. But when we came near getting a judicial construction of those words in these cases, between adjournments all four of our men were admitted. Of course we could not protest against that, and our test cases disappeared.

MR. BENNET. Would you mind if we sent to the Department to get the records and see what are the exact facts in these cases?

MR. KOHLER. I shall be very glad to have you do so.

MR. BENNET. Suppose you take ten of them.

Mr. Moore, of Pennsylvania. I would suggest that you pick out ten cases—the ten that you regard as the most flagrant—so that we may inquire into the facts.

MR. KOHLER. And I would also like to suggest that the letter of recommendation of the Commissioner at New York should accompany them, in order to intelligently present the case.

MR. BENNET. There would be no letter of recommendation if they were not appealed.

MR. KOHLER. They were nearly all appealed.

Mr. Benner. Were all of them appealed? Pick out appealed cases, then.

MR. KOHLER. Yes; in this first case there was an appeal taken.

MR. MOORE, of Pennsylvania. Under what auspices was the appeal taken?

MR. KOHLER. The Hebrew Sheltering and Immigrant Aid Society, which Mr. Williams has commended as one of the two very best, if not the best, of these organizations on Ellis Island.

MR. MOORE, of Pennsylvania. Then the immigrant did have the benefit of counsel to that extent?

MR. KOHLER. After the board of special inquiry had decided the case and when he took an appeal.

MR. MOORE, of Pennsylvania. The appeal was taken under the auspices of the society, and by its advice?

Mr. Kohler. By its advice.

Mr. Moore, of Pennsylvania. And with its assistance? Mr. Kohler. Exactly.

MR. MOORE, of Pennsylvania. And as the result of that appeal, the decision still was that he should be deported because he was likely to become a public charge?

MR. KOHLER. That is right.

MR. BURNETT. In other words, the decision of the board of inquiry was sustained by the Secretary?

The last speaker was Mr. Cutler. He spoke of himself as an example of the kind of immigrant who came here as a result of the Russian pogroms, in which his father had been killed and his mother and sisters had escaped through the friendship of some of their Christian neighbors. He argued

that the success which it has been his good fortune to meet with, merely showed what possibilities for good to this country lie in the immigrants from Russia, and how such restrictive measures as the Hayes or any similar bills would not only bring hardship upon refugees from political and religious persecution, but would deprive the country of a population which it needs and to which it owes its greatness. As evidence of the extent to which the immigrant was contributing to the importance of the country, he cited statistics showing that in an old State like Rhode Island, in almost all pursuits, the foreign born contribute a greater percentage of employees than the native born, a fact to which Rhode Island owes its industrial importance. In conclusion, he protested against any further restrictive measures as being obnoxious to the welfare of the country and utterly bad.

#### APPENDIX I

EXTRACT FROM THE REPORT OF THE INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION, Vol. XV, p. 462 (1819)

It had early occurred to those interested in bettering city conditions that one means of relief would be to assist migration to the interior, to country districts.

This means, indeed, was suggested at the very time the immigration problem itself was formulated in the report of the Society for the Prevention of Pauperism for 1819, already quoted from. The managers say:

"It would prove a great relief could means of employment be found (for the immigrants) when they enter our city. Many thousands who arrive in this country from Europe have been servants or manufacturers, and do not understand the art of husbandry; yet many arrive in destitute condition who have worked on the soil. A great many others are vigorous, healthy, and capable of learning the art of agriculture. Could some communication be opened with our great farmers and landholders in the interior, and ways and means be provided for the transportation of able-bodied foreigners into the interior and labor be provided for them, it appears to the managers that beneficial consequences might flow from the expedient. Many, very many, foreigners who are honest and industrious and who, for want of employ-

ment, are liable to become paupers, would gladly depart into the country and labor upon the soil or in workshops, could they thus obtain a bare living. In this case our city would be somewhat relieved, the number on our criminal calendar diminished, and the emigrant now on the brink of pauperism, or begging alms and receiving charitable aid, become useful to himself and to the community. Instead of bringing up his children in idleness, temptation, and crime, he would see them amalgamated with the general mass of our population, deriving benefits from our school systems, our moral institutions, and our habits of industry."

"They (the Irish) had an utter distaste for felling forests and turning up the prairies for themselves. They preferred to stay where another race would furnish them with food, clothing, and labor, and hence were mostly found loitering on the lines of the public works in villages and in the worst portions of the large cities, where they competed with the negroes, between whom and themselves there was an inveterate dislike, for the most de-

grading employments." 3

EXTRACT FROM A PAPER ENTITLED "IMMINENT DANGERS TO THE INSTITUTIONS OF THE UNITED STATES THROUGH FOREIGN IMMIGRATION, ETC.," BY "AN AMERICAN" (S. F. B. MORSE). 1835

(In speaking of the immigration of previous years as compared with that of the day:) Then, we were few, feeble, and scattered. Now, we are numerous, strong, and concentrated. Then our accessions of immigration were real accessions of strength from the ranks of the learned and the good, from enlightened mechanic and artisan and intelligent husbandman. Now, immigration is the accession of weakness, from the ignorant and vicious, or the priest-ridden slaves of Ireland and Germany, or the outcast tenants of the poorhouses and prisons of Europe.

EXTRACT FROM AN OPEN LETTER TO AARON CLARK, MAYOR OF NEW YORK CITY, SIGNED "A NATIVE." 1837

When foreigners come to us in large bodies, they are desirous of living together, and by that course they preserve the whole

<sup>2</sup> Association for Improvement of Condition of the Poor, 1860, page 50.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Second Annual Report, Managers of Society for Prevention of Pauperism in New York City, 1819.

current of their prejudices and national peculiarities and never become transformed to our habits of thinking and acting.

Not one-half of their sufferings are made public. Living in small apartments, destitute of pure air, cleanliness, and whole-some food, they die in multitudes in every part of the country.....

Our lands, under the culture of foreigners, will yield but little more than half as much as under our own husbandry.

## EXTRACT FROM A MEMORIAL TO THE MAYOR AND BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, BY THE GENERAL COMMITTEE

OF NATIVE AMERICANS, JUNE, 1837

at this port (New York) alone—equal in amount to the present population of the whole city. Sixty thousand five hundred and fifty-one arrived in the year 1836—double the amount that came in 1830. Four thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight arrived here between the 9th and 13th of the present month—June, 1837. On the 1st of January, 1837, 982 foreigners and 227 native

On the 1st of January, 1837, 982 foreigners and 227 native American citizens had been admitted to the hospital at Bellevue. The preceding year, on the 1st day of May last, there were in the almshouse 1437 paupers. Allowing the same proportion of foreigners as in the hospital, there would be 1068 foreigners and 369 native American citizens in the almshouse.

It appears from the report of a commission monthly appointed by the board of aldermen of this city that there are at the date of this report 3070 paupers in the almshouse, more than threefourths of whom are foreigners. How many more of this class live upon private charities, let the swarm of mendicants who daily and nightly infest our streets attest.

.... At a recent date it appears that the number of convicts confined in Sing Sing were 800, of whom 603 were foreigners.....

In the year ending in August, 1836, there were received in the Boston house of refuge 866 paupers, 516 of whom were foreigners. From the 1st of January to April 25, 1837, there were 264 paupers admitted to the same house of refuge, 160 of whom were aliens.

# EXTRACTS FROM THE "ADDRESS OF THE DELEGATES OF THE NATIVE AMERICAN NATIONAL CONVENTION," PHILADELPHIA, JULY 4, 1845

It is an incontrovertible truth that the civil institutions of the United States of America have been seriously affected and that

they now stand in imminent peril from the rapid and enormous increase in the body of residents of foreign birth, imbued with foreign feelings and of an ignorant and immoral character. . . . .

But for the last twenty years the road to civil preferment and participation in the legislative and executive government of the land has been laid broadly open, alike to the ignorant, the vicious, and the criminal; and a large proportion of the foreign body of citizens and voters now constitute a representation of the worst and most degraded of the European population—victims of social oppression or personal vices, utterly divested by ignorance or crime of the moral and intellectual requisites of political self-government.

The almshouses of Europe are emptied upon our coast, and this by our own invitation—not casually, or to a trivial extent—but systematically and upon a constantly increasing scale. . . . . The United States are rapidly becoming the lazar house and penal

colony of Europe. . . . .

### EXTRACT FROM THE RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED BY THE CONVENTION, July 5 and 7, 1845

... Believing that ruin, if it come, will come through a perversion and abuse of that right [suffrage];

Believing that such perversion and abuse to have already prevailed and to be now increasing to an alarming extent;

Believing that the greatest source of evil in this respect is to be found in the rapid influx of ignorant foreigners, and the facility with which they are converted into citizens. . . . .

### EXTRACT FROM THE REPORT OF THE INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION, VOL. XV, P. 460 (1860)

"The almshouse returns show that about 86 per cent of the persons relieved by charitable aid are of foreign birth, of which 69 per cent were Irish and about 10 per cent German, or nearly 7 Irish to 1 German. As the Irish population, however, is nearly twice that of the German, the actual ratio is about 3½ Irish to 1 German, and 5 Irish to 1 American."

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Report of Association for Improvement of Condition of the Poor, 1860, p. 49:

In chronic pauperism, as contrasted with that temporary condition of want requiring relief into which any immigrant might fall while going through the process of industrial adjustment, the Irish were far in the lead. A confidential list published by one charitable society, of cases on their hands for three years and over, and giving names and addresses, showed that the great bulk of such cases were Irish. On this list, comprising 650 names, there were only 4 which could be recognized as distinctly German; of the rest, all might, and a great majority must, have belonged to persons of Irish birth or descent.

EXTRACT FROM THE REPORT OF THE INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION, Vol. XV, p. 464 (1860)

The crude impression, then, that the less crowded a country the easier and more rapid is the dispersion of population, would seem to be quite the reverse of the truth. There was apparently a greater tendency for immigrants to remain in seaboard cities in 1817, when the interior was an untrodden wilderness, than in The fact seems to be (within limits and subject to modifications) that as the population increases and becomes more highly organized, adjustment to the social framework and dispersion from cities become easier of accomplishment. Thus, in the first half of the nineteenth century the opening of the wilderness, the growth of manufacturing industries in interior towns and cities, the development of transportation and ways of communication by mail and telegraph, were all means of facilitating the passage of the emigrant from the place where his presence was not desired and his labor not especially needed to places where his presence was not particularly objected to and his labor was greatly needed.

EXTRACT FROM THE REPORT OF THE INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION, VOL. XV, p. 455 (1867)

"So large are the aggregations of different foreign nationalities," the report goes on to say, "that they no longer conform to our habits, opinions, and manners; on the contrary, create for themselves distinct communities, almost as impervious to American sentiments and influences as are the inhabitants of Dublin or Hamburg. . . . . They have their own theaters, recreations, amusements, military and national organizations; to a great ex-

tent their own schools, churches, and trade unions; their own newspapers, and periodical literature." 1

.... The inhabitants of the district were largely of foreign birth; about one-half the population were Irish, about one-fourth Germans, the remainder were Americans, Swedes and Danes. About two-thirds of the population were laborers and mechanics with their families; the remainder were retail shopkeepers and keepers of hotels and sailors' and immigrants' boarding houses. A large element of the population was a floating one, consisting of travellers, immigrants, sailors, and "vagabonds without a habitation and almost without a name."

## CHURCH AND STATE IN THE UNITED STATES [By J. P. Thomson, Boston, Osgood, 1873]

A very large percentage of vice and crime in the United States, especially in the great cities, is chargeable to European immigration. The police statistics of New York show that the vast majority of prisoners arrested for criminal offenses are of European birth, and of these, again, the great majority are natives of Ireland. Thus, reared under the European systems of state religion, prisoners, baptized, taught and confirmed in state churches or, as in Ireland, reared under the imperious ecclesiastical authority of Rome, become outlaws of American society. America owes to Europe those two deadly foes of evangelical religion, Romanism and Rationalism; while Mormonism is recruited almost entirely from Northern Europe.

Hence the feeling is quite prevalent in the United States that a system of state religion tends toward practical heathenism and unbelief; that its training tends to substitute forms and dogmas for a personal religious faith, and its restraints and compulsions tend to produce a reaction against all belief; while the free religious system of the United States develops in church members the sense of personal responsibility and the spirit of religious activity; and the exhibition of these commands the respect of the community for religion and infuses into society a healthy moral sentiment, which in turn sustains the state in enforcing essential morality by the authority of law.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Report of the Association for Improvement of the Poor, 1867, p. 42.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Report Council of Hygiene, p. 5.

Note.—Of 80,532 prisoners arrested by the police of New York in 1867, only 27,156 were of American birth; and of the 53,376 foreigners who disturbed the peace of the city, 38,128 were Irish. From 1860 to 1868 there were within the precincts of the New York metropolitan police, 706,288 arrests. Of these there were 204,129 Americans, the foreigners numbering 502,159, of which 373,341 were Irish. This preponderance of foreign-born criminals is peculiar to New York, where naturally the worst elements of immigration would remain. The same ratio appears in the country at large.

The following facts are authentic. In prison in the United States on June 1, 1871, there were 32,901 prisoners thus distributed:

Native whites	8,056
Total prisoners	32,901
Native white population	4,880,009
Total population	38,558,371

showing that (assuming all in prison to be criminals) there is at least one criminal in every 1172 of the population, one in every 1744 of our native white population, one in every 637 of our foreign-born population, and one in every 605 of our colored population.

When European journals picture crime as abounding in the United States, they should have the candor to add that, though foreigners compose only one-sixth of the total white population, they furnish one-third of the white criminals, and, in the ratio of criminals, are on a level with the ignorant and degraded negroes.

Their crimes are not a fruit of American society.

# GROWTH OF CITIES (POPULATION IN THOUSANDS) [Encyclopedia of Social Reform, New York, 1908, p. 234]

City	1800	1850	1890	1900	
London	958	2,362	4,211	4,536	
New York	62	660	2,740	4,014	
Paris	546	1,053	2.448	2,714	
Berlin Tokyo	178	878	1,578	2,033 1,818	
Vienna	232	481	1.841	1.674	
Chicago		80	1.099	1.698	
Philadelphia	81	408	1.047	1,293	
St. Petersburg	270	490	1.003	1.373	
Constantinople	300	400	878	1,125	
Moscow	300	300	822	1.092	
Bombay	150	560	821	1,125	
Rio de Janeiro	125	170	800	872	
Calcutta	800	400	741	776	
Hamburg <sup>1</sup>	120	205	711	750	
Manchester 2	90	388	703	543	
Buenos Aires	70 l	120	677	1.000	
Glasgow	77	829	658	785	
Liverpool		376	518	684	

<sup>1</sup> Including Altona.

# POPULATION IN CITIES OF 100,000 OB OVER [Encyclopedia of Social Reform, New York, 1908, p. 235]

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Country	1800¹ total popula- tion in such cities	Per cent of pop- ulation	1850¹ total	Per cent	1900¹ total	Per cent
United States Canada Great Britain and			1,893,838	6.0	14,208,847 897,870	18.6 7.4
Ireland France	1.032,745 767,886	<sup>2</sup> 9.7 2.8	4,791,886 1,656,900	<sup>2</sup> 22.5 4.6	13,193,487 4,876,869	80.5 12.2
Prussia, Saxony and Bavaria Holland and Belgium	186,380	<sup>8</sup> 1.8 <sup>4</sup> 11.5	617,000 518,587	<sup>3</sup> 8.1 47.8	6 9.108,814 2.837,714	6 16.1 19.4
Spain	167,607	1.4 9.5 4.4	688,921 275,286 1,425,000	4.4 7.2 6.0	1,606,699 447,417 3,818,939	8.7 8.9 10.0
Austria Hungary	282,000	2.6	484,942 156,506	2.8 1.3	2,452.851 505,763	9.3 2.6
Greece Norway, Sweden and Denmark	100,975	5	128,128	Б	111,485 878.069	4.5 8.8
Russia	595,000 4,448,000	1.4	1,128,698	1.6	5,728,918 58,567,788	5.3

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Approximate date. <sup>2</sup> England and Wales.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Including Salford.

<sup>8</sup> Prussia. 4 Holland.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Sweden. <sup>6</sup> Germany.

# POPULATION OF CITIES OF 20,000 OR OVER [Encyclopedia of Social Reform, New York, 1908, p. 235]

Country	1800¹ total popula- tion in such cities	Per cent of pop- ulation		Per cent	1900¹ total	Per cent
United States	201,416	3.8	2,271,680 175,287	9.8 7.4	20,795,716 689,448	25.2 11.9
Great Britain and Ireland	2,283,868	<sup>2</sup> 16.9 6.7	7,640,912	285.0 10.6	21,000,000 8,668,036	48.3 22.2
Prussia, Saxony and Bayaria	1,840,386 845,500	86.0	3,811,500 2,781,000	37.8	6 14,800.000	25.4
Holland and Belgium Spain Portugal	1.112,877	424.5 9.7 10.3	1,382,703 1,489,688 415,286	421.7 9.6 10.7	3,587,525 3,600,000 470,606	28.9 19.3 8.7
Italy	1,000,000 449,000 228 000	3.5 2.3	2,500,000 720,548	4.2 4.5	5,000,000 4,044,000	15.1 14.1
Hungary Greece Norway, Sweden and	31,125				1,709,698 212,762	8.5 8.8
Denmark Russia	173,627 1,088.000	<sup>5</sup> 3.0 2.4	297,795 2,530,954	<sup>5</sup> 8.4 3.5	1,233,326 10,792,247	12.2 8.4
	10,355,141		26,546,955		96,103,364	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Approximate date. <sup>2</sup> England and Wales.

# SOME COMPARATIVE STATISTICS [Encyclopedia of Social Reform, New York, 1908, p. 234]

City	Popula- tion	Area	Density per acre	Death rate
London New York Paris Berlin Vienna Chicago Philadelphia St. Petersburg Hamburg Manchester Glasgow Liverpool	4,654.437 4.014,000 2.714,000 2,733,000 1,674,000 2.050,000 1,500,596 1,487,000 872,000 631,185 798,778 710,337	Acres 75,575 197,760 19,259 15,676 43,980 121,920 82,880 171,679 94,693 19,893 12,796 17,792	61 20 142 130 38 17 18 20 9 31 63 40	16.6 18.2 17.2 16.9 18.3 16.2 21.2 23.7 17.9 21.8 21.2 22.6

<sup>1</sup> With suburbs.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Prussia. <sup>4</sup> Holland.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Sweden. <sup>6</sup> Germany.

#### APPENDIX II

#### LETTERS TO REPRESENTATIVE JOSEPH F. O'CONNELL

CAMBRIDGE, MASS, February 14, 1910.

MY DEAR SIR: I beg leave to invite your attention to the following statement of the principles which should govern the national legislation on immigration:

(1) Our country needs the labor of every honest and healthy immigrant who has the intelligence and enterprise to come hither.

(2) Existing legislation is sufficient to exclude undesirable immigrants.

(3) Educational tests should not be applied at the moment of

- entrance to the United States, but at the moment of naturalization.

  (4) The proper educational test is capacity to read in English
- (4) The proper educational test is capacity to read in English or in the native tongue, not the Bible or the Constitution of the United States, but newspaper items in some recent English or native newspaper which the candidate can not have seen.

(5) The attitude of Congress and the laws should be hospitable

and not repellent.

The only questions which are appropriate are, is he healthy, strong, and desirous of earning a good living? Many illiterates have common sense, sound bodies, and good characters. Indeed, it is not clear that education increases much the amount of common sense which nature gave the individual. An educational test is appropriate at the time when the foreigner proposes to become a voting citizen. He ought then to know how to read.

Very truly, yours.

CHARLES W. ELIOT.

Notre Dame, Ind., February 26, 1910.

MY DEAR CONGRESSMAN O'CONNELL: In reply to your request for an expression of my views on the subject of immigration and naturalization, I desire to say that I am well pleased with the present laws relating to the exclusion of undesirable immigrants.

I am not in favor of any educational test as applied to immigrants desiring to enter the United States, though an educational test is entirely proper before naturalization. It is not advisable to insist on ability to read the English language, however, before an immigrant can be naturalized.

I am strongly in favor of excluding from this country all immi-

grants who profess the doctrines of anarchy.

Very sincerely, yours,
John Cavanaugh, C. S. C., President.

THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO, February 28, 1910.

DEAR SIR: Your favor of the 23d instant was received. I am not in favor of the restriction of immigration on the basis of the ability to read some European language. There is no doubt that the ability in question is desirable. At the same time, the conditions of workingmen in the old country and their conditions in our country are radically different. If they are industrious and honest and thrifty they will make useful citizens, and their children, having the opportunity of attending our free public schools, will acquire the needed education. In my opinion the requirements for naturalization ought to be made more strict, and at that point it might well be that an intelligence requirement should be embodied. A man should not become a citizen of this country and thereby, as under the laws of most of our States, entitled to the suffrage, unless he has a fair understanding of the nature of free government.

Very truly, yours,
HARRY PRATT JUDSON.

# Georgetown University,

WASHINGTON, D. C., February 28, 1910.

Sir: Regarding the educational test as a means of restricting immigration, on which question there is an agitation to report out a bill, I beg leave to submit the following:

(1) The educational test should be applied to the voter, not

to the immigrant.

(2) The laws restraining immigration are sufficiently drastic, and, if put into execution, will safeguard the country. Those who have openly taught immorality and favored anarchy should be excluded rather than the illiterates.

An illiterate artisan is not necessarily an ignorant or undesirable immigrant. Our whole past history proves that such men may serve the country in their proper sphere.

Very truly, yours,
JOSEPH HIMMEL, President.

#### CORNELL UNIVERSITY.

ITHACA, N. Y., March 4, 1910.

DEAR SIR: I have your communication of February 23, with the inclosed copy of the letter of ex-President Eliot, of Harvard University, on the subject of the admission of immigrants into the United States.

I fully concur in the views expressed by President Eliot, and I do not think I can express them in clearer, more forcible or appropriate language.

Very truly, yours,

J. G. SCHURMAN.

BOSTON COLLEGE. Boston, Mass., February 25, 1910.

I am pleased to know that you are MY DEAR MR. O'CONNELL: a member of the Committee on Immigration and Naturalization, because I think that you can render the country effective service. The proposed educational test seems to me to be a fatal mistake.

(1) Does not the country need the toil of every intelligent, active, and moral worker who comes to us?

(2) The proper time for the educational test is when the

immigrant seeks to be naturalized.

(3) Let existing legislation be enforced before new laws are enacted. The wise regulations already made, if enforced, would bar out undesirable subjects.

(4) There are millions of acres in the West waiting for these farm-loving immigrants. I am sure that you will insist upon these truths.

> Ever yours, sincerely, T. I. GASSON, S. J.

# A LIST OF EVENTS IN 5670

### AND NECROLOGY

JULY 1, 1909, TO JUNE 30, 1910

A dash (—) before an event indicates that the source from which the information was obtained did not specify the exact date.

#### UNITED STATES

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JULY

- Republican League of Brownsville meets and draws up resolutions to Congressmen asking for withdrawal of Commissioner Williams' "\$25 order."
- Department of State, at request of American Jewish Committee, cables to United States Consul at Odessa for information respecting reported pogroms in Bessarabia, and July 9 receives following reply: "Report of Jews massacred at Bessarabia unfounded. Condition of country quiet."
- Hebrew Sheltering and Immigrant Aid Society, New York City, protests against recent order of Immigration Commissioner Williams demanding certain special qualifications for immigrants before admission.
- 11. Monument dedicated at San Francisco, Cal., to memory of Benjamin Kreigh, killed in explosion on battleship "Georgia," while saving comrades.
- 12. Four Russian Jews appear in Court on habeas corpus proceedings instituted by Max J. Kohler and Abram I. Elkus for the Hebrew Sheltering and Immigrant Aid Society and American Jewish Committee, to prevent deportation.
- Leon Kamaiky calls on President Taft and protests against Commissioner Williams' rulings.
- Golden Jubilee of Congregation Beth Israel, San Francisco, Cal.

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 Henry M. Goldfogle, Justice Benjamin Hoffmann and Coroner Julius Harburger confer with Commissioner Williams regarding deportation of Jewish immigrants.

- Several Grand Masters of Jewish Orders meet in conference with Congressmen Goldfogle and Sabath and decide to ask Secretary Nagle for a conference.
- 32.400 acres of land in southern part of Georgia secured by Rabbi A. R. Levy, of Chicago, for settlement by Jewish farmers.
- Report that United States Ambassador to Russia is instructed to re-open negotiations on subject of passports.
- 18-19. First Annual Plowing Contest of Baron de Hirsch Agricultural School, Woodbine, N. J.
  - 25. Conference of representatives of American Jewish Committee, New York Jewish Community, American Jewish Society for Regulation of Immigration, and certain Grand Masters, discusses the situation at Ellis Island and decides to issue a statement.

#### SEPTEMBER

- Arbitration of Shochetim, dealers, and representatives of Jewish Community of New York. Temporary agreement reached and dealers agree to leave matter in hands of special committee.
- 10. Vorucarts charges A. Evalenko, New York City, with being Russian spy, on ground that he publishes books at a loss to ingratiate himself with Russian revolutionaries. He asks for appointment of committee to investigate the charge.
- Fiftieth anniversary of installation of late Benjamin Szold as Rabbi, Oheb Shalom, Baltimore, Md.
- Second Avenue Railroad Co., New York City, grants leave of absence to Jewish conductors and guards on New Year's Day and Day of Atonement.
- Harlem Evening High School, New York City, inaugurates class in Hebrew.
- Stock Exchange, Cleveland, O., closes on Yom Kippur, out of respect for its four Jewish members.
- Conference between number of local representatives and immigration officials, as to affairs on Ellis Island.

OCTOBER 2-9. First annual Agricultural Fair, Educational Alliance Building, New York City.

- 12. At meeting of Jewish Community of New York, instructions issued to Dr. H. P. Mendes to secure 25 suitable auditoriums and halls for places of worship for high holy days next year, as plan proved successful this year.
- 12. Kosher Butchers' Union, New York, declare general strike. Demand among other things abolition of boarding house system for apprentices and more sanitary working conditions.
- Public monument erected in Indianapolis, to Nathan Morris, as memorial for bravery, resulting in loss of his life.
- 26. Monteflore Home, New York City, celebrates twenty-fifth anniversary.
- 26. Executive Committee of Jewish Community of New York issue protest against article by Turner, in McClure's for November, on "White Slave Traffic."
- Catholic News publishes article by Rev. Jas. B.
   Curry and an editorial, disapproving of Mc-Clure article on "White Slave Traffic."

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- 5. Edwin J. Frisk, magistrate, Des Moines, Iowa, requires constable to summon Jews exclusively for jury service, in case of Jewish parties to suit on trial, stating it to be fairest way to receive just verdict; and intimates he may extend custom to other races and nationalities.
- School Board of Bridgeport, Pa., vote to discontinue reading of Bible in public schools, and
   recitation of Lord's Prayer.
- Memorial tablet unveiled at Temple Har Sinai, Bolton Street, Baltimore, Md., in memory of Dr. David Einhorn, first Rabbi of Congregation.
- Independent Order B'rith Abraham, New York City, calls mass meeting to protest against Turner's article on White Slave Traffic, McClure's, November, 1909.
- 8. Visit of Reuben Brainin to United States.
- 9-16. Central Conference of American Rabbis meets in New York City.
  - Services at Temple Beth El, New York City, in honor of late Rabbi David Einhorn, to commemorate one hundredth anniversary of his birth.

 Question of intermarriage discussed at meeting of Central Conference of American Rabbis; resolutions adopted.

 Services at Temple Emanuel, New York City, in honor of late Rabbi Samuel Adler, to commemorate one hundredth anniversary of his birth.

- Virginia Judge renders decision that Jews who
  observe the Sabbath cannot be prosecuted
  under the Sunday Law for working or trading
  on Sunday.
- One hundred Boston Jews gather in meeting to unite on platform for good government. Committee appointed to confer with good-government forces and co-operate with them.
- One hundredth anniversary of death of Moses Mendes Seixas observed at Shearith Israel Congregation, New York City.
- E. D. Taussig, Rear Admiral, retires from United States Navy, having reached age limit.
- Sixtieth anniversary of Crémieux Benevolent Society, New York City.

#### DECEMBER

- Henry Hellman, New York, offers National Farm School 750 acres of land in Tyrone, Polk County, N. C., valued at \$25,000, stipulating that Farm School graduates should be settled as farmers on that land.
- 4. Hon. Simon Wolf and Judge Julian W. Mack appear before Immigration Commission at Washington, D. C., to argue against restrictive measures; also oppose classification "Hebrews" in immigration reports.
- Congregation Beth Israel, Macon (Ga.), celebrates fiftieth anniversary.
- National Jewish Hospital for Consumptives, Denver, Colo., celebrates tenth anniversary.
- Petition presented to Chicago School Board requesting that sectarian teachings in public schools and particularly singing of Christian hymns be discontinued.
- Joseph Eichberg Chair of Physiology established in Ohio-Miami Medical College of University of Cincinnati.

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 First Hungarian (Congregation) Agudath Achim, Chicago, Ill., celebrates twenty-fifth anniversary.  Hebrew Relief Society of Cleveland, O., passes resolution to keep its doors closed on Saturdays instead of Sundays as heretofore.

15. Services in synagogues of New York City to raise united voice against child labor. Rabbis H. P. Mendes, Grossman, Harris, Schulman and Silverman among local members of New York Ministers' Auxiliary to National Child Labor Committee.

 Jewish Widows' and Orphans' Home, New Orleans, La., celebrates fifty-fifth anniversary.

18. Committee of Rabbis of Jewish Community of New York undertake regulation of Kosher food supply. Attempt to be made to determine what restaurants, butchers, delicatessen stores, etc., are entitled to be designated as Kosher.

- 19. Conference held at Washington, D. C., in office of E. D. Durand, director of census, at request of Wm. Lieberman, supervisor of census, second district, New York. Question regarding examinations for census enumerators, and their work on Jewish Sabbath considered. Department decides that all those having religious scruples will be afforded opportunity to take examination on Saturday evenings and will be able to do their census work on Sundays.
- Two hundred families, Indianapolis, boycott Kosher butchers.
- 23. Hebrew Sheltering and Immigrant Aid Society, New York City, at annual meeting, decides to call international conference of Jewish immigration societies to discuss immigration to America.
- 23. Mount Sinai Hospital and Hebrew Orphan Asylum, New York City, reject proposal to federate with Jewish institutions according to terms of Louis Heinsheimer's will.
- Jacob H. Schiff urges Jews to leave New York, in talk before Young Men's Hebrew Association, New York City.
- 30. Establishment of correspondence school for Hebrew, Jewish history and Jewish literature suggested at semi-annual meeting of Jewish Chautauqua Society, Philadelphia, Pa. National federation of Jewish schools proposed in

order to establish uniformity in curricula, by Dr. Cyrus Adler. Dropsie College president.

### FEBRUARY

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- Dr. Cyrus Adier, Dropsie College president. Celebration of twenty-fifth anniversary of Young Women's Union. Philadelphia. Pa.
- Senator Linthicum, Md., introduces bill asking for appropriation of \$5000 yearly for two years, for support of Jewish Home for Consumptives, near Reisterstown. Bill passed appropriating \$3500 for two years.
- Information received from Odessa, Russia, by American Jewish Committee, that persecution of Jews by Tolmatcheff is unabated.
- Congregation Orach Chaim, New York City, acquires library of late Rev. Joseph Mayor Asher.
- Assemblyman Levy introduces in New York State legislature bill to secure exemption of Sabbath observers from Sunday labor laws.
- Meeting in appreciation of life and art of late Louis Loeb held by Judæans, New York City.
- Rabbi I. Idleson, Denver, Colo., purchases 640
  acres for farming purposes, near Ault, and proposes to employ Jewish farmers and devote
  land to practical philanthropy.
- Committee on Conciliation, to act as Beth Din, created by Jewish Community of New York.
- 28. Leon Kamaiky and Jacob Saphirstein, New York City, interview President regarding recognition of American passport by Russia. President states he has instructed American Ambassador at St. Petersburg, Mr. Rockhill, to make strong representations to Russian government.

#### MARCH

- Meeting at Cooper Union, New York City, as farewell testimonial for Reuben Brainin.
- Tichenor Bill for purpose of making teaching of Bible obligatory in public schools of Kentucky defeated in State Senate.
- 8. Hebrew Institute, Chicago, Ill., destroyed by fire.
- Emma Lazarus Memorial Room endowed by Jewish women of Nashville, Tenn., in Baptist Memorial Hospital Fund.
- First celebration of Founders' Day at Dropsie College, Philadelphia, Pa.
- Hearing of American Jewish Committee, Board of Delegates, and Independent Order of B'nai B'rith before Committee on Immigration of the House of Representatives.

- Jewish Agricultural Experiment Station of Haifa, Palestine, organized, New York City. For officers, see p. 241.
- Jewish Daily News, New York City, celebrates twenty-fifth anniversary.
- 22. American Jewish Committee announces it has received advices from Berlin stating expulsion of Jews from various cities in Russia reaches magnitude never attained before. Hundreds of families living for years in Kieff, Riga, Kasan, and Voronezh, driven out.
- MARCH (end). Jews of New York, Philadelphia, Rochester, and other cities boycott Kosher butchers, because of increase in prices. Butchers claim inability to continue business under old prices, and close stores. Boycott suspended during Passover.

APRIL

- A. Leo Weil, Pittsburg, Pa., protests publicly on political condition of city and takes Mayor to task for offering no assistance in righting it.
   Order issued by Superintendent of Public
- Order issued by Superintendent of Public Schools, Cleveland, O., to principals of schools, that "Merchant of Venice" is not again to be taught in public schools.
- Percy Williams, New York, manager eight vaudeville houses, on Rabbi Silverman's protest, decides to bar actors who caricature Jews.
- Hebrew Orphan Asylum, New York City, celebrates fiftieth anniversary.
- Cincinnati Jews appeal to Jewish people of United States for funds for publication of new translation of Bible.
- 22. Mayor Gaynor, New York City, refuses license to Rev. Thos. M. Chalmers, of Jewish Evangelical Society, of New York, to preach for conversion of Jews on corners of Hester and Norfolk streets and elsewhere in Jewish quarters.
- Rear-Admiral Marix, U. S. N., retires from active service, having reached age of 62 years.
- 24. Rev. Dr. J. L. Magnes, Temple Emanuel, New York City, delivers sermon severely criticising "official" Reform Judaism in America as inadequate, and lacking in appeal to the young, and advocates a re-introduction of traditional ceremonials.
- 26. Civil Service Commission, Washington, advises Committee on Religious Schools of Council of

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Jewish Women that it can recognize only national holidays in its official calendar, and has no authority to observe holidays of any particular faith or sect.

- 29. American Jewish Committee receives advices from Hilfsverein der deutschen Juden confirming news of brutal expulsion of Jews from Kieff. 2500 Jews ordered to leave, despite assurance of M. Stolypin that expulsion would be postponed.
- Resolution adopted at annual meeting of Hebrew Education Society, Philadelphia, Pa., to establish David Sulzberger Memorial Fund, to further educational movement originated by him.
- Oscar Hammerstein, operatic manager, New York City, applies by telegram from London, to Russian Minister of Interior that Russian Consul-General at London be permitted to visé his American passport, which Russian consular agent had refused.
  - Celebration of twenty-fifth anniversary of Rabbi Adolph Rosentreter as Rabbi of Congregation B'nai Emunoh, St. Louis, Mo.
  - Dr. M. Samfield, Rabbi, Memphis, Tenn., elected for life, by Congregation Children of Israel.
  - 8. Twenty-fifth anniversary celebration of Beth Israel Congregation, Boston, Mass.
- Rev. Dr. K. Kohler, Cincinnati, O., in sermon at Temple Israel, New York City, defends Reform Judaism against criticism of Dr. J. L. Magnes, Rabbi of Temple Emanuel.
- Lindon Bates, Jr., Assemblyman, representing 29th Assembly District of New York City, offers resolution that Duma be asked to repeal the expulsion order.
- 20. American Jewish Committee receives cablegram: Forcible expulsions from Kieff now taking place in most brutal manner, many new expulsions of those hitherto exempted occurring. Expulsions from Moscow on increase involving additional hardships.
- Dr. J. L. Magnes, Rabbi, Temple Emanuel, New York City, not re-elected at annual meeting.
- Presbyterian General Assembly, meeting at Atlantic City, adopts resolution condemning

JUNE

- Russia for persecution of Jews. Protests especially against recent edict commanding expulsion of Jews in Kieff.
- Silver Jubilee celebration of Congregation Shaaray Shomayim (First Roumanian American Congregation), New York City.
- 31. Claude G. Montefiore, London, Eng., arrives in New York, on a visit to United States.
- Definite refusal received from Russian Minister
  of Foreign Affairs to visé passport of, and protest lodged by Oscar Hammerstein against this
  action of Russian Government, calling upon the
  American Government to secure reconsideration of decision of Foreign Minister.
  - American Jewish Committee receives cable from Berlin: Expulsions continue throughout Russia; at lowest estimate 30,000 victims involved, 7000 of whom are from Kieff.
  - 4. Senator T. E. Burton replies to letter of Maurice Weidenthal, editor Jewish Independent, regarding expulsion of Jews in Russia, saying, he would endeavor to confer with members of Committee on Foreign Affairs and with Secretary of State.
  - Delegation visits White House and confers with President Taft, urging action by Congress, upon House Foreign Affairs Committee, appealing for Russian Jews.
- Bronze bust of Abraham Lincoln, by Sir Moses Ezekiel, donated by Messrs. Isaac W. and Bernard Bernheim, for new State House, Louisville, Ky.
- Magistrate Cornell, New York, criticises East Side, commenting on increase in criminality of Jewish youth.
- State Department publishes report made to Department by American Embassy at St. Petersburg, relating to expulsion of Jews from Kieff.
- Rev. Drs. Robert MacArthur and M. Woolsey Stryker, New York City, discuss persecution of Jews from pulpits, both denouncing Russian intolerance.
- Seventy-five New York meat dealers arrested for violations of Sunday law, despite Mayor Gaynor's assurance that they would not be molested.

- 18. Aaron J. Messing, Rabbi Emeritus of B'nai Sholom Temple Israel, Chicago, Ill., celebrates fiftieth anniversary in ministry.
- Public Mass Meeting, Cleveland, O., to protest 18. against expulsions in Russia.
- 18. Central Federated Union, New York City, condemns Magistrate Cornell for attack upon Jews of East Side and calls for his impeachment.
- 19. Jewish Community of New York takes measures to establish Kosher kitchens in all Jewish and non-sectarian hospitals and Jewish orphan asylums.
- 22. Delegation headed by Jacob Ginsburg and Morris Rosenberg, both of Philadelphia, waits upon Senator Penrose, and requests his co-operation in solving passport question between United States and Russia. He promises his aid.
- 24. Boycott against Kosher meat declared in Providence, R. I.
- Rabbis Foster and Hoffman request Newark. 24. N. J., school authorities to discontinue Friday evening sessions in public evening schools.
- 30. Kosher Meat Strike reported in three New England cities, viz.: Providence, R. I., New Bedford, Mass., and Brockton, Mass.
- Supreme Court of Illinois forbids reading of 30. Bible in public schools.

#### NECROLOGY

# 1909 JULY

- 2. Isaac L. Lowman, merchant, Los Angeles, Cal.
- 3. Martha Leventritt (Mrs. David), communal worker, New York City.
- 7. Solomon Lipman, merchant, Portland, Ore., aged
- 11. Adolph Levy Frankenthal, merchant, ex-United States Consul at Berne, New York City, aged 57.
- Louis Loeb, artist, Canterbury, N. H., aged 43. 12.
- 27. Leopold Markbreit, Mayor, Cincinnati. O., aged
- 30. Louis Weiss, Rabbi and author, Bradford, Pa., aged 61.

#### AUGUST

- 4. Hannah Solomons, educator and philanthropist, San Francisco, Cal.
- Morris Stern, school commissioner, New York 15. City.

 Adolphe Godchaux, merchant, San Francisco, Cal., aged 88.

# SEPTEMBER

- Myer S. Hood, communal worker, Newark, N. J., aged 87.
- Elizabeth Hirschfield, authoress, communal worker, Buffalo, N. Y.
- Samuel Strouse, communal worker, Baltimore, Md., aged 75.
- 18. Gotthelf Bloch, member Indiana Legislature 1875, Toledo, O., aged 71.
- Solomon Galinger, Major, Civil War veteran, Rockville Center, L. I.

#### OCTOBER

- 4. Albert Pulitzer, publisher, New York City.
- Falk Vidaver, Rabbi and author, New York City, aged 65.
- 8. Naphtali Herz Imber, poet, New York City. aged 53.
- Louis Kafka, ex-Mayor Lake City, Twin Falls, Idaho, aged 67.
- Samuel S. Kahn, physician and Army surgeon, San Francisco, Cal., aged 54.
- Edmund Hendricks, 7th Regiment veteran, New York City, aged 75.

### NOVEMBER

- Jacob Keller, ex-councilman, Kendallville, Ind., aged 71.
- Joseph M. Asher, Rabbi, professor homiletics, Jewish Theological Seminary, New York City, aged 37.
- 12. Max Brooks, member Board of Education, San Francisco, Cal.
- Julius Schwartz, ex-park commissioner and communal worker, Port Richmond, S. I., aged 55.
- Sam Wertheimer, deputy sheriff, Portland, Ore., aged 49.
- Samuel Kohn, physician and communal worker, New York City, aged 56.
- Isadore Newman, banker and philanthropist, New Orleans, La., aged 72.

### DECEMBER

- Herman Glogowski, ex-Mayor, Tampa, Fla., aged 55.
- Isaac Hamburger, merchant, Baltimore, Md., aged 84.
- Alfred D. Kohn, physician and member Board of Education, Chicago, Ill.
- 3. Charles Gross, professor of history, Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass., aged 52.

- Isaac Kohn, captain, Civil War veteran, New York City, aged 97.
- Simeon Bloom, lawyer, soldier, and communal worker, Omaha, Neb.
- 9. Meyer Goldsmith, Civil War veteran, Avondale. O., aged 82.
- Sigmund Mannheimer, professor Hebrew Union College, Cincinnati, O., aged 74.
- Benjamin A. Bonnheim, Rabbi, Cincinnati, O., aged 68.
- 21. Julius Bien, lithographer, New York City, aged 83.
- 31. Julius Weis, philanthropist and communal worker, New Orleans, La., aged 83.

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- Mrs. Rose Frank, communal worker, New York City, aged 53.
- 20. Elias Berman, Rabbi, Portland, Ore., aged 48.
- Julius Levin, soldier Civil War, Alexandria, La., aged 76.
- Wolf Schur, Hebrew journalist and editor, Chicago, Ill., aged 78.
- Percy A. Sanguinetti, engineer, Mount Vernon, N. Y., aged 65.

#### FEBRUARY

- Josephine Lazarus, authoress, New York City, aged 64.
- 21. Joshua Siegel, Rabbi, New York City.
- David Moses Piza, communal worker, New York City, aged 81.
- 28. Gustav Liebermann, Hebrew scholar, Brooklyn, N. Y.

#### MARCH

- Joseph L. Sossnitz, scientist and editor, New York City, aged 73.
- Jules Lazard, physician and professor of physiology, New Orleans, La., aged 34.
- Solomon Harry Fishblate, ex-Mayor, Wilmington, N. C.
- Moses Ha-levi Horowitz, dramatist, New York City, aged 66.
- 6. Hirshel Kobre, Rabbi, New York City, aged 75.
- Michel Lion, member Orleans Guards, New Orleans, La., aged 77.
- David Sulzberger, educator and communal worker, Philadelphia, Pa., aged 72.

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JUNE

- Jacob A. Newstead, Republican leader 4th Assembly District, ex-deputy collector of port and State tax appraiser, New York City, aged 40.
- Adolphus S. Solomons, philanthropist and communal worker, Washington, D. C., aged 84.
- Abraham Lippman, philanthropist and communal worker, Pittsburg, Pa., aged 72.
- Marcus Witmark, music publisher, New York City, aged 76.
  - Michel Tobias, ex-alderman, Donaldsonville, La., aged 45.
- D. Mayer, physician and ex-consul general at Buenos Ayres, Charleston, W. Va.
- Bernhard Baruch, justice of Rye, Westchester County, N. Y., and veteran of Civil War, Brooklyn, N. Y.
- Joseph Shoninger, former Rabbi, New York City, aged 81.
- Joseph Goldsmith, member of city committee, Reading, Pa., aged 68.
- Jacob L. Phillips, author and teacher, New York City, aged 55.
- Joseph Loth, philanthropist, New York City, aged 86.
  - Samuel S. Freudenthal, superintendent Hebrew Orphan Asylum, Baltimore, Md., aged 69.
  - 3. Bernard Shoninger, manufacturer organs, New Haven, Conn., aged 82.
- 4. Mrs. Fannie S. Miller, communal worker, Philadelphia, Pa., aged 53.
- Simon J. Klauber, lawyer and communal worker, Orange, N. J., aged 61.
- Simon L. Elsner, surgeon and communal worker, Rochester, N. Y., aged 47.
- Jules A. Simon, physician, San Francisco, Cal., aged 60.
- David Wormser, communal worker, Chicago, Ill., aged 54.
- Joseph Simon, communal worker, New Orleans, La., aged 86.
- Edward Regensburg, cigar manufacturer, New York City, aged 64.
- 24. Isaac Schiffman, banker, Huntsville, Ala., aged 54.
- Jonathan M. Emanuel, Lieut.-Commander U. S. N., Philadelphia, Pa., aged 72.

#### FRANCE AND COLONIES

#### 1909

JULY

- Monument erected at Nimes, to Bernard Lazare, destroyed.
- 25. Dr. Mook, deputy-mayor, Dr. Robert Loewy, Daniel Lévy, president Alliance Française, San Francisco, and Salomon de Yonge, administrator American Chamber of Commerce, Paris, appointed Chevaliers Legion of Honor, France.
- Armand Schiller, secretary of editorial department of the Temps, and Raphael G. Lévy, member of Central Consistory of Jews of France, appointed officers of Legion of Honor. France.
- Attack made on Jewish official in Ministry of Marine during debate in Chamber, Paris.

#### AUGUST

- M. Bloch-Laroque, deputy of Procureur of Republic, at Seine tribunal, appointed deputy by Procureur Général at Court of Appeal. Paris.
- 1. Public appointments due to change of ministry are Maurice Leven, advocate Court of Appeal. Paris. appointed "sous-chef de cabinet" minister public works, posts and telegraphs. M. Grunebaum-Ballin appointed sub-director of the "cabinet" of President of the Council. with special charge of questions relating to public worship. Bernard Laroque, advocate Paris Court of Appeal, appointed "sous-chef de cabinet" of Ministry of Justice. M. Sasias appointed chief private secretary of President of the Council. M. Lévy-Ullman, professor of law at Lille University, attached to Sub-Secretarial Department of Ministry of Finance, and charged with mission of research into financial and fiscal legislation. M. Maurice Lévy, inspector-general of bridges and roads, appointed representative of Academy on Council of Polytechnic School.
- Raphael Georges Lévy, economist and financier, Paris, elected vice-president of new Franco-Persian Union formed to promote good relations between the two countries.
- Academy of Science, Paris, awards prize of 4000 francs to W. M. Haffkine, for work in connection with inoculation for cholera and bubonic plague.

- Lieut.-Col. Mayer, of Territorial Artillery, appointed officer of Legion of Honor; Capt. Carcassonne of 13th Regiment of Artillery Reserve, M. Henri Lévy-Finger, manufacturer chemical products, Paris; M. Aronssohn (M. Fordyce), secretary to Administration of Paris Journal, appointed Chevaliers of the Order.
- 27. M. Seligmann-Lui, Inspector-General of Posts and Telegraphs, appointed member of Commission formed by Minister of Labor, France, to consider measures to be taken to minimize effects of cessation of work resulting from periodical economic crises.

#### SEPTEMBER

- 24. Albert Cahen, Inspector of Public Instruction for Academy of Paris, appointed Professor of Literature at Superior Normal School for Girls at Fontenay-aux-Roses, M. da Costa at Auxerre, and M. Jasinski at Bourges appointed inspectors of the Academy.
- 24. Edouard Millaud, Senator, appointed President of Commission formed by Minister of Commerce and Industry, to deal with situation of silk weaving industry at Lyons.

#### OCTOBER

- Charles Lyon-Caen, member of Institute of France, attends as delegate the International Naval Conference, at Brussels, participated in by twenty-five countries.
- Dr. Netter, Academy of Medicine, appointed member of Superior Commission formed by Minister of Marine, to consider prophylactics against infectious diseases.
- Henri Deutsch de la Meurthe presents 50,000 francs to Aero Club of France on occasion of aerial exploit of Comte de Lambert.
- 25. Discovery reported to Académie des Inscriptions et Belles-Lettres, Paris, of a series of stone vases, at Jerusalem, some round, some rectangular, contents of which appear to resemble measures of capacity according to system of gauge and mensuration used by the ancient Jews.
- Paul Strauss, Senator and President of Superior Council Public Relief, Paris, appointed by President to Committee to superintend a Lottery of 77,750,000 francs authorized by the Government.

#### NOVEMBER

- Maurice Beer appointed Vice-President of the Municipal Council of Paris.
- Centenary of "Société d'Encouragement et de Secours," afterwards "Comité de Bienfaisance Israclite de Paris,"
- Tribute to late Henri Weil at annual public meeting of Académie des Inscriptions et Belles-Lettres, Paris.
- 26. French presidential decree approves list of donors who have enriched National Museum of Louvre, whose names are to be commemorated on marble tablets. List includes names of Barons Gustave and Edmond de Rothschild (1873), M. Noël Bardac (1897), Count Isaac de Camondo, Baroness Nathaniel de Rothschild, Baron and Baroness Adolphe de Rothschild (1901), Baron Arthur de Rothschild (1904). Among explorers figures name of M. Salomon Reinach (1880-82).
- 26. Henri Deutsch de la Meurthe, vice-president of Aero Club of France, appointed member of Permanent Aeronautical Committee formed at Ministry of Public Works.
- Alexandre Cohen, medical staff of Rothschild Hospital, Paris, receives medal of honor from Government.
- 29. Ferdinand Dreyfus, Senator, and M. Schrameck, Director of Penitentiary Administration at Ministry of Interior, appointed members of Commission charged with drafting of regulations dealing with prisoners who have been conditionally set at liberty.
- Paul Strauss, Senator, appointed President of Committee formed by Minister of Labor, for relief of workmen, victims of involuntary stoppage of employment.
- M. Sasias, Paris, appointed President of Court of Justice at Bentré.
- Consultative Conference decides that Tunisian Jews shall be eligible for French naturalization, and shall be placed under French judicial jurisdiction. Decision requires confirmation of Government.

DECEMBER

 Minister of Public Instruction, France, ratifles vote of Council of University of Paris, and reappoints M. Lyon-Caen, Dean of Faculty of Law, for three years.

- Joseph Reinach, Paris, appointed Vice-President of important group formed at Chamber of Deputies to study question of electoral and administrative reforms.
- Emanuel Glaser, attached to Ministry for Foreign Affairs, and David Devries, lyric artist at National Theatre of Opéra Comique, appointed Officers of Public Instruction and of the Academy.
- Lucien Dreyfus, head of Faculty of Medicine of University of Paris, appointed auditor to Superior Council of Public Hygiene of France.
- Minister of Public Instruction closes Faculty of Law temporarily, as demonstrations of Royalist and anti-Semitic students against M. Lyon-Caen, the dean, continue.
- 13. Alliance Israélite decides to hold inquiry on spot into moral and material position of Jews in Yemen. Mission entrusted to M. Yomtob Sémach, headmaster of school at Beyrout.
- 19. Gabriel Lippmann, Faculty of Sciences, Paris, appointed member of Council of Administration of Thiers Trust, object of which is to enable young teachers or students, by means of grants, to devote themselves to researches on scientific work.
- Alfred Dreyfus, member of Committee formed in Paris for erection of monument to Señor Ferrer, recently shot by order of Spanish Court Martial.
- 19. M. Briand, President of Council of Ministers, receives deputation of Central Jewish Consistory of France headed by Baron Edmond de Rothschild, to protest against discrimination against French citizens of Jewish faith wishing to obtain passports for Russia. Prime Minister gives assurance he will consider question with all interest it deserves. League of Rights of Man and of the Citizen also discusses question and intends to take action with view to putting end to special treatment accorded to different categories of citizens.
- 24. Libre Parole and Temps denounce projected extension of French citizenship to Tunisian Jews.

 Foreign Minister in course of extended debate in French Chamber promises to enter into pourparlers with Russian Government concerning passports of French Jews.

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- Committee on Technical Working of French Railways includes M. Lax, M. Worms de Romilly and M. Seligmann-Lui.
- Sylvain Lévi, Professor of Sanscrit, College of France, Paris, appointed Chevalier of the Legion of Honor.
- Samuel Mayer, Colonel of Artillery, Paris, appointed Commander of the Legion of Honor.
- Justin Dennery, General, reserve staff, Paris, appointed Commander of the Legion of Honor.
- 7. Alliance Israclite Universelle issues announcement to Jewish press, calling upon all its friends to celebrate beginning of its fiftieth year of activity, on Purim.
- M. Ernest Samuel Meyer and Dr. Edgar Hirtz, Paris, appointed officers of the Legion of Honor.
- Emanuel Hannaux, sculptor, Paris, elected member of Committee of Society of French Artists.
- Riots occur in Quartier Latin, Paris, between Royalist and Republican students. Royalists clamor for resignation of Dr. Lyon-Caen, Dean of Faculty of Law. On leaving Faculty Dr. Lyon-Caen is mobbed.
- Dr. Suss, Medical Officer to General Post Office, Paris, appointed Chevalier of Legion of Honor; Commandant Kahn, commanding Artillery at Montrouge, Judge of First Court-Martial of Paris.
- 23. Anti-Semitic and Royalist organizations, Paris, show continued hostility to distinguished Jews. Disturb lectures of M. Lyon-Caen, Dean of Faculty of Law, and prevent M. Schrameck, Director of Prisons Department at Ministry of Interior, from delivering lecture on organization of this department.
- M. Saint-Paul, Paris, appointed member of Council of State.
- Ricardo Levi, Cairo, appointed Chief Registrar of the Mixed Court of Appeal, Alexandria, Egypt.

- French Government confers on Moïse Bey Cattaui, Cairo, Egypt, President of Cairo Jewish
  Free Schools Committee, rank of Officier de
  l'Instruction Publique.
- 28. MM. de Rothschild Brothers, Paris, contribute 100,000 francs to public fund being raised for purpose of relieving distress occasioned by disastrous floods in city.

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- 4. Chevalier of Legion of Honor conferred on Abraham Weil, Assistant Director-General of Ottoman Tobacco Régie; Louis Cerf, President of Syndical Chamber of Merchants in Leather and Skins, and Gaston Bernheim, Commissary General of Fine Arts at Marseilles Colonial Exhibition.
- Michel Lévy, Inspector-General of Mines, Paris, appointed member of the Consultative Committee of French Railways.
- Large number of Jews lose property, through Paris flood.
- M. Lyon-Caen, Paris, resigns as Dean of Faculty of Law, in view of hostile demonstrations.
- Joseph Reinach, member Chamber of Deputies, Paris, appointed member of Superior Council of Prisons.
- 14. Michel Lévy, Professor at College of France, Paris, appointed member of commission, formed by Presidential decree, to study means of preventing, in future, catastrophes similar to flood which devastated Paris.

# MARCH

- M. Nathan, lawyer, Marseilles, promoted officer of Legion of Honor.
- Paul Strauss, Senator, re-elected President of Association of Republican Journalists in Paris.
- Gustavo Valensin, Chief Physician of Jewish Hospital, and Aldo Ambron, engineer, elected to Alexandria Municipal Council.
- 25. About twenty Jews candidates for seats in Chamber of Deputies at general election; they include MM. Louis Dreyfus, Javal, Klotz, Joseph Reinach and Théodor Reinach.

#### APRIL

M. Regnault, Minister of France, informs Central Committee of Alliance Israélite he has requested French Consul at Fez to bring cruel treatment of Jews to notice of Sultan and to remind him of formal promises which latter

gave to M. Regnault during visit to Sheriffian Court. M. Regnault expresses conviction that Sultan will not fail to send to Maghzen orders to treat Jews with justice and equity.

 French Consul-General in Crete assures Alliance Israélite that Jews of Island (recently object of "blood-accusation") may count on his pro-

tection.

Dr. George Rosenthal, clinical chief at St. Antoine Hospital, Paris, discovers serum which he declares is cure for rheumatic fever. Academy of Sciences appoints special commission

to investigate new remedy.

15. Law passed by both Houses of Parliament, permitting native Tunisians to contract military engagements for three, four or five years in French regiments stationed on continent, and in French Navy. New law has specially in view young Jews who hitherto were unable to enter African regiments of Foreign Legion unless they bound themselves for minimum of five years. When period of service is completed, it will facilitate acquiring of French naturalization, hitherto refused even to lawyers, engineers, and those who studied and obtained degrees at Universities and Superior Schools in France.

 L. L. Klotz, President of Customs Commission, Paris, re-elected in Department of the Somme. Jean Javal elected for the Yonne. Théodore Reinach re-elected for the Savoy.

 Georges Schwob appointed member of Council of Administration of French Colonial Office.

Joseph Reinach re-elected, and André Hesse, Advocate, Paris Court of Appeal, and Camille Picard, publisher, elected French Chamber of Deputies.

 René Worms, editor Revue Internationale de Sociologie, France, elected Foreign Member of Section of Moral and Political Sciences of Hungarian Academy of Sciences.

 M. Durckheim, Professor Faculty of Letters, Paris University, appointed member of Consultative Committee of Public Instruction.

 Charles Lyon-Caen, member Institute of France, elected foreign member of Academy of Belgium (Moral Sciences Section).

MAY

- M. Dennery, Principal Private Secretary to Under-Secretary of State for Posts and Telegraphs, France, appointed Inspector-General, and charged with direction of Superior School of Posts and Telegraphs.
- French Government confers cross of Officer of Legion of Honor on Lieut.-Col. Mayer, 3d Regiment of Colonial Infantry. Cross of Chevalier of Legion bestowed on Dr. May, of Military Medical Staff.
- E. Léon, of Avignon, decorated with Tunisian Order of the Nicham, Second Class, with the rosette of officer.
- 22. Jubilee of Alliance Israélite Universelle celebrated at Tangier, Morocco.
- 27. Felix Alcan, publisher; Emile Cahen, Professor School of Mines; and Alphonse Kahn, Director of Galeries Lafayette, all of Paris, appointed officers, and Leopold Weill, Consulting Engineer, Paris, Chevalier of Legion of Honor.
  - French Academy of Fine Arts awards Monbinnes Prize of 3000 francs to M. André Gédalge, composer of music.
- MM. Goldsmidt and Crémieux, Chiefs of Squadron in French Colonial Artillery, appointed Chief Engineers in Corps of Engineers of Naval Artillery.
- Henry Caro-Delvaille, painter, appointed Chevalier of Legion of Honor, France.
- Senator Ferdinand Dreyfus appointed member of committee formed by French Minister of Labor to draft regulations for pensions recently voted by Parliament. M. Camille Sée, Councillor of State, and Professor Albert Wahl, of Paris Faculty of Law, appointed members of Committee for Reform of French Civil Code. M. Crémieux, Doctor of Laws, is one of secretaries of last-named committee.
- Lucien Lévy, Chief of Battalion of Engineers, promoted Lieutenant-Colonel in active service in French Army.
- Georges Cahen and Jacques Helbronner (a member of Central Consistory of Jews of France)
   appointed "Maîtres des Requêtes" at Council
   of State.

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21-22. Conference of Rabbis, Paris, decides that, if necessary, women may be counted for Minyan; marriages may be celebrated during 'Omer, after urging postponement; in cases of cremation, rabbis allowed to officiate before cremation but not after; quarterly examinations of candidates for Bar Mitzuah decided on.

 Charles Lyon-Caen, member Institute of France. appointed one of two French delegates to in-

ternational conference at The Hague.

24. Lieut.-Colonel Bernheim, of French Army, ap-

pointed Officer of Legion of Honor.

(end). Senator Paul Strauss elected President of Commission charged by Minister of Labor to distribute amount provided for in budget of 1909 as subventions to relief funds in case of involuntary stoppage of labor.

(end). Colonel Bloch promoted to grade of General of Brigade, and appointed to command brigade of

infantry at Bourg.

#### NECROLOGY

17. Isaac Uhry, author, Bordeaux, aged 72.

	24.	Mathilde Salomon, educator, Paris, aged 72.
OCTOBER	15.	Manoa Bey, officer Legion of Honor, Paris.
	28.	Therese Otterbourg, communal worker, Paris aged 84.
NOVEMBER	8.	Henri Weil, philologist, Paris, aged 91.
	12.	Ferdinand Bischoffsheim, member of Chamber of Deputies, Paris, aged 72.
DECEMBER	10.	Maurice Beer, Vice-President Municipal Council Paris, aged 45.
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JANUARY	7.	William Seligman, banker, Paris, aged 87.
	9.	Paul Salzédo, artist, Bordeaux.

9. Faul Salzeuo, al list, Dordeaux.

 Simon Lévy, retired Chief of Squadron of Artillery, Nancy, aged 85.

Edouard Colonne (Jules Juda), musical conductor, Paris, aged 72.
 Jules Rosenfeld, chevalier of Legion of Honor.

Versailles, aged 86.

20. Charles Mannheim, chevalier of the Legion of Honor and art expert, Paris, aged 77.

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24. Adolphe Worms de Romilly, Paris.

(end). Jules Gommès, chevalier of Legion of Honor, Bayonne, aged 90.

#### GERMANY

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JULY

- Isak Perlmutter, of Hungary, awarded gold medal of International Art Exhibition at Munich.
- 16. Walter Cohen, appointed Assistant-Director of the Provincial Museum, Bonn, Germany.
- 16. Promotions of Jews in Bavaria Reserve Army.
- Felix Liebermann elected honorary member of Royal Academy and of Royal Society of Literature, London.
- Emperor confers Red Eagle Order, Second Class, on Ludwig Ritter von Gerngros, of Nuremberg, whom Grand Duke of Oldenburg appoints Honorary Grand Commander of Peter Frederick Order.
- B. Freudenthal, professor, elected Rector of Academy for Social and Commercial Sciences, Frankfort
- 23. Otto Brahm, Director of Lessing Theatre, Berlin, receives Knighthood of Order of St. Olaf, from King of Norway.
- Gustav Karpeles buried in Row of Honor, in recognition of literary and scientific labors, by executive of Jewish Community, Berlin.

AUGUST

 Ludwig Herrmann, Jewish Ordinary Professor, Berlin, awarded Order of the Crown, Second Class, on occasion of jubilee as doctor.

SEPTEMBER

- Emperor bestows Order of Red Eagle on Herr Berthold Israel.
- Anti-Semitic Reform Party in Saxony selects thirteen candidates for approaching general election for the Diet.
- Professor Ludwig Geiger, Privy Councillor, succeeds Gustav Karpeles as editor of Allgemeine Zeitung des Judenthums.
- 24. Higher authorities at Carlsruhe veto decision of Slaughter House Committee prohibiting Jewish method of killing animals in new public abattoir.

#### OCTOBER

- 14. Resolution adopted at Annual Congress of Verband der deutschen Juden, Breslau, calling upon the Government to protect loyal Jewish population, to abolish the restrictions in the filling of public offices and granting of naturalization to Jewish aliens, and demanding that no State subsidies should be given to anti-Semitic organizations.
- 19. Greater Actions Committee of International Zionistic Movement decides, at special meeting in Cologne, to establish an Agrarian Bank for benefit of Jewish farmers in Palestine, with object of furthering Jewish colonization in Holy Land.

#### November

- New symphony, "Miriam," played for first time in Berlin; author, Frederic Gernsheim.
- Town Council of Potsdam withdraws prohibition against practice of Shechitah in public abattoir.
- 25. Sunday Rest Bill issued by Ministry of Interior declares that in warehouses and shops belonging to Jews which are closed on their Sabbath and festivals, Jewish employés may carry on their duties for three hours on Sundays, but doors of these establishments must not be opened for purposes of trade.
- 26. Government of Alsace-Lorraine submits to Jewish Consistories in those provinces, scheme for reorganization of the Rabbinate, which comes into force next April, at same time as increases in salaries of Rabbis. According to this scheme, there will be ten rabbinical posts in upper Alsace, sixteen in lower Alsace (with Chief Rabbi at Strasburg), and five in Lorraine.

#### DECEMBER

- Siegmund Meyer, Judicial Councillor, first Jew to be elected member of Provincial Diet of Hanover.
- Rabbiner Professor Dr. Maybaum, dean of Rabbinate in Berlin, receives Red Eagle Order, Fourth Class.
- 10. Creation of trust of one and a quarter million marks, bequeathed by late Herr and Frau Louis Hille, Breslau, for provision of board and lodging for persons, irrespective of religion, who are unable to earn living, receives Imperial sanction.

- 19-21. General organization for Hebrew Language and Culture formed during conference in Berlin, for development of Hebrew Language and Culture; attended by one hundred and fifty delegates.
  - Elizabeth Hirsch, factory head, Liegnitz, chosen member of Governing Council of the Hansa-Bund, organization of financiers and capitalists to promote German commerce and industry.
  - Finance Committee of Corporation of Hanau unanimously reject request of magistrates to prohibit Shechitah in public abattoir.
  - At preliminary conference of Russian Zionist delegates at Congress, they decide not to have papers read in Yiddish.
- 26-31. Zionist Congress, Hamburg, Germany. Max Nordau elected chairman.
  - 27. Report of the Actions Committee submitted by Nahum Sokolow to Zionist Congress. Russian Zionists aided by number of Austrian delegates make bitter attack on Wolffsohn policy. Principals in opposition are Dr. Pasmanik and Dr. Adolph Stand of Austria. Wolffsohn replies attacking Russian Zionists and states he is prepared not to accept presidency again, but recommends election of Prof. Warburg. Dr. Pasmanik, criticising administration, moves it be considered moral duty of every Zionist to remove to Palestine within ten years' time. In debate on Actions Committee report, attack made by Dr. Charles Weitzmann, Manchester, who deplores fact that so little had been done. Adherents of Wolffsohn move acceptance of report, opponents move counter resolution, which is later withdrawn. Report accepted with approval.
  - 28. Kaiser William sends greeting to Zionist Congress. Russian Zionists, seconded by Galician delegates, again attack administration, all eager to minimize value of so-called Political Zionism and favoring so-called practical work in Palestine.
  - Dr. Franz Oppenheimer presents plan to Zionist Congress, for establishing co-operative colonies in Palestine. He proposes founding of stock

- corporation with capital of half million marks, and appeals especially to American delegates for their interest.
- David Wolfssohn re-elected president of Zionists at Ninth Congress.
- 31. German Emperor confers Red Eagle Order, Fourth Class, on Jacob Moser.

# 1910 January

- Max Levy, Berlin, appointed Captain in Bavarian Territorial Field Artillery.
- Congregation of Mayence celebrates fiftieth anniversary of its school founded by Dr. Meier Lehmann.
- 14. Liberal Jewish Union constituted.
- 28. Privy Councillors Professor Dr. Jaffe (Königberg), Professor Dr. Ehrlich (Frankfort), Professor Heinrich Grünfeld, Dr. Walter Rothenau, Judicial Councillor Simkiewicz, and Judicial Councillor Dr. Landau (Berlin) decorated with Order of Crown and Red Eagle Order.
- 28. Reform Congregation, Berlin, offers to transfer its funds to larger community on certain conditions, one being there should be no interference in internal affairs. Arrangement would give Reform Congregation representation on Council. Referred for decision to joint committee of both bodies.

# FEBRUARY

- Herr Leber, Socialist, defeats Herr Hädrich, candidate of Anti-Semitic Party at by-election, Eisenach.
- Privy Commercial Councillor Gumpert, Brandenburg, receives Order of Crown, Third Class.
- Official notice of Produce Exchange, Mannheim, announces exchange will close on all legally recognized holidays as well as on both days of the New Year and the Day of Atonement.
- Haivri Hachadasch, new monthly Hebrew magazine published in Berlin, Dr. Cahan, editor.
- King of Wurtemberg confers Order of Crown on Court Singer Sontheim, on occasion of ninetieth birthday.

#### MARCH

 Various clubs and societies at Carlsbad decide not alone to exclude Jews from membership, but also to refuse them admittance to social and other gatherings.

### APRIL

- German Emperor confers Cross of Black Eagle on Rabbi Welll.
- German Emperor confers rank of hereditary nobility on Eduard Beit, who will be known as Beit von Speyer.
- Grand Duke of Hesse confers on Dr. Stein, Hon. Rabbi Congregation at Worms, Knighthood of Order of Philip.
- 22. At sitting of Prussian Diet during debate on education estimates, Deputy Cassell draws attention to grievance of several Jewish com-munities. He explains that grants for Jewish religious education may be made where number of Jewish children in any one school exceeds twelve. In towns where Jewish population is considerable, but scattered in different quarters. Jewish children are divided up among several, and number twelve is not reached in any one school. Community therefore has to bear whole burden of religious education, without any grant from local authority. reply is that disability cannot be met except by legislation, and Herr Cassell is advised to bring in a bill.

#### MAY

- German comic paper, Kladderadatsch, ridicules assumed ignorance of Minister of War as to discrimination against Jews in matter of promotions.
- Dr. Netter, Chief Rabbi of Metz, receives Order of Red Eagle, Fourth Class, from German Emperor.
- S. Sonnenschein, Training School for Teachers of Berlin Jewish Community, receives from Emperor, Order of Red Eagle, Fourth Class.

### JUNE

- German Emperor confers Red Eagle Order, Second Class, on Professors Dr. Senator and Dr. Hermann Cohen (of Marburg).
- Meeting attended by 2000 Jews at Berlin, under auspices of Berlin Zionist Union, to protest against expulsion of Jews from Kieff. Jewish financiers strongly urged to withhold their support from Russian Government.
- Dr. Max May, Assessor at Tribunal of Worms, appointed Judge of Court of Osthofen. First appointment, occurring in Grand Duchy of Hesse-Darmstadt, of an unconverted Jew.

 Angelo Wassermann, head of banking house at Bamberg, raised to hereditary nobility of Bavaria, by Prince Regent of that State.

(end). Emperor confers Order of Red Eagle on Amtsgerichtsrat Dr. Carl Neuhaus, Berlin.

		NECROLOGY
1909		
July	13.	Jacob Bettelheim, author and dramatist, Berlin, aged 68.
	21.	Gustav Karpeles, historian and critic, Bad-Nauheim, aged 61.
	<b>3</b> 0.	Friedrich Endelmann, Sanitary Privy Councillor, Cassel, aged 76.
August	<b>3</b> 0.	Julius Oppenheimer, Rabbi Berlin Reform Congregation, Berlin, aged 83.
OCTOBER	1.	Alexander Strakosch, elocutionist, Berlin, aged 61.
	16.	Eugene J. Neisser, political economist, Berlin, aged 42.
	30.	Leopold Sonnemann, publicist and politician, Frankfort, aged 78.
DECEMBER	24.	Ludwig Friedländer philologist, Strasburg, aged 86.
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JANUARY	7.	Lina Morgenstern, philanthropist, Berlin.
	29.	Moritz Warburg, banker, Hamburg, aged 72.
FEBRUARY	4.	Ephraim Adler, physician, Nordbach, aged 55.
	25.	Gabriel Fabian Feilchenfeld, Rabbi and author, Schwerin, aged 83.
MARCH	27.	Marcus Horovitz, Rabbi, Frankfort-on-the-Main, aged 66.
APRIL	29.	

#### GREAT BRITAIN AND COLONIES

1909 JULY

1. Governor of Johannesburg reappoints Rev. A. P. Bender, member of University Council for six years.

Wholesale Co-operative Society, Leeds, issues 2. circular to Jewish outside employés notifying them that after July 8 their services will no longer be required.

- Right Hon. Herbert Samuel appointed Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and is the first English Jew to become Cabinet Minister.
- King Edward appoints Chief Rabbi Adler, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order.
- Attack on Shechitah made by Arthur Lee, in paper read at meeting of International Animal Protection Congress, London.
- Jewish Labor Union, Leeds, passes resolution "that we solemnly and emphatically protest against this country being compelled to receive the Czar of Russia, and deeply regret the action of the Government in bringing this disgrace upon us."
- H. Kramrisch appointed Honorary Consul for Servia, at Bradford.
- P. Guiterman, St. Pancras, Eng., invents effective life-saving apparatus, which, when adjusted, will cause anyone wearing it to float in a perpendicular position.
- Shortage of Kosher meat reported at London; meeting of Shechitah Board called to consider the matter.
- 16. At meeting of Whitechapel Liberal and Radical Association, resolved, on motion of Mr. Stuart M. Samuel, M. P., in connection with approaching meeting of King and Czar, this association rejoices at opportunity given of representing to His Imperial Majesty the friendly sentiments entertained by the nation for the Russian people, and expresses deep sorrow and regret felt by all classes of the community at repressive measures and numerous executions which have occurred in Russia during the last few years.
- J. David Sassoon, Bombay, elected Chairman of Standing Committee of the Corporation, India.
- 29. Visit of Turco-Jewish M. P.'s to England.

# August

- 4. Herbert Gladstone, London, introduces a Shop Hours Bill in House of Commons, England, which contains drastic provisions regarding Sunday closing.
- Trustees of Henry Barnato decide to devote legacy of \$250,000 to building and endowment of new cancer wing of Middlesex Hospital, London.

20. Sir Matthew Nathan, London, appointed Secre-

tary to the Post Office.

20. Australian State Bill to amend Marriage Acts issued by Victorian Government contains clause: Nothing in this act shall extend to any marriage in the religious Society of Friends, commonly called Quakers, or of Jews, but every such marriage shall be legal and valid as if duly solemnized under the provisions of the marriage acts, if such marriage was, when celebrated, a valid marriage according to the usages of the Quakers or the Jews, as the case may be.

Charles Behrens, Councillor, Manchester, nominated Lord Mayor.

 Anti-Semitic attack on Jews in Jewish District, Montreal.

 N. Charles Rothschild appointed by Colonial Office member of a Scientific Committee to further study of economic entomology with special reference to Africa.

SEPTEMBER

 E. Basch, Councillor, re-elected Mayor for third term, at Bulawayo (Rhodesia).

 A. E. Solomon appointed Minister of Education and Attorney-General in New Tasmania.

23. Jewish Religious Union determines to establish

separate synagogue.

24. Recorder of Montreal censures police for neglect in suppressing disorders against Jews, and

deals severely with case of assault.

 Chief Rabbi Adler, London, with special reference to Jewish Religious Union, denounces Sunday services as menace to Judaism.

OCTOBER

 Publication of the Jewish Religious Union's Pamphlet.

20. Movement initiated among organized Jewish workers of London to bring about a federation of existing Jewish trade unions, to obtain better collective bargain for their labor, adequate representation on trade boards and effective method of influencing Board of Trade in their interests.

NOVEMBER

 Harry Graumann elected Mayor of Johannesburg.

Recommendation to Market Stall-Holders' Association, Dewsbury, that Jews be not admitted

members of association, adopted. It is stated by market inspector that but for Jewish stallholders market would be a failure.

- 5. Reuben Cohen elected Councilman, Stockton-on-Tees.
- Gabriel Woolf elected Councilman, Westgate South Ward, Newcastle-on-Tyne.
- Benno Perlman elected to City Council for Botanic Ward, Hull.
- M. Abrahams (ex-Mayor), Grimsby, returned for sixth time in succession to Town Council.
- H. E. Davis, J. P., C. C., re-elected Mayor, Gravesend.
- 12. Henry Feldman, J. P., re-elected Mayor, Hull.
- N. Richardson, Councillor, re-elected to City Council, for East Ward, Sunderland.
- 15. At address on Mesopotamia to Royal Geographical Society by Sir W. Willcocks, Israel Zangwill declares that unless Turkish Government would grant facilities for establishment of Jewish land of refuge in Mesopotamia, he would have nothing to do with any scheme for its development.
- 15. Protest addressed by Lord Swaythling, O. J. Simon and Frank Emanuel, to Mayor of Kensington, for permitting use of Town Hall for meeting of "Parochial Mission to Jews."
- 19. Philip Dresner, Edinburgh, elected to Leith Town Council.
- 20. Committee of prominent English Jews form branch of "B'nai B'rith" in London.
- 22. Bishop of London addresses meeting of Parochial Missions to Jews despite protest made against meeting in Kensington Town Hall by Lord Swaythling and others.
- 24. Deputation from Spanish and Portuguese Synagogue headed by Sir Francis Montefiore attend at Portuguese Legation and present address to King Manuel from the congregation.
- 26. H. Goodman, physician, Johannesburg, elected member of City Council.

#### DECEMBER

 King of Portugal confers on Imré Kiralfy the Order of Knight Commander of Our Lady of the Conception of Villa Vicosa, in recognition of services in organizing exhibitions.

- Isidore Spielmann, appointed by Government, Commissioner-General for Great Britain, at International Art Exhibition, Rome, 1911.
- 26-28. First Conference of Anglo-Jewish Ministers, London.

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- 7. Shechitah Board, London, in issuing annual licenses to Kosher butchers, makes condition that all holders of such licenses shall exhibit them in a conspicuous place in their shops, and for this purpose have them suitably framed.
- Jews barred out of public schools as teachers, Montreal, Can., as result of division of public school funds between Protestant and Roman Catholic school boards.
- 29. Lewis Cohen, elected Mayor, Adelaide, Australia.
- Jewish Naturalization Society formed in Portsmouth.
- (end). Of 32 Jews standing for Parliament the following were elected: Sir Harry Samuel, Sir Edward Sassoon, Right Hon. Herbert Samuel, Capt. H. M. Jessel, Rufus Isaacs, K. C., Stuart M. Samuel, Alfred Mond, Arthur Strauss, H. H. Raphael, Sir Philip Magnus, Hon. Edwin L. Montagu, C. S. Henry, Sir Maurice Levy, Lionel de Rothschild, and Frank Goldsmith.

FEBRUARY

- 4. Isadore Bloom, Middlesborough, elected delegate of Middlesborough Board of Guardians in conjunction with another member and the Clerk to the Guardians, to represent the Board, at Poor Law Conference, on 22d and 23d inst., in London.
- Mark Aurel Stein, Educational Department of Indian Government, receives from Oxford University degree of Doctor of Science, honoris causa.
- 18. West London Synagogue proposes as reforms in its service the introduction of English language into Sabbath Evening and Morning Services to extent of not more than one-half of service, not including the sermon and Torah; such portions to be varied on alternate Sabbaths; modification of Festival and Holiday Services by introduction of English to extent of not more than one-half of those services; the

curtailment of ordinary Sabbath Morning Service so that its duration shall be approximately one and a half hours, time of commencement being 11 a. m. Opinion of meeting is that seating of men and women together might tend to increase attendance at services, and recognizing such change to be in accordance with wishes of some members and not an infraction of Mosaic Law, it requests council to consider and report on change.

- Hon. Herbert Samuel, London, appointed Postmaster-General.
- Berthold Kapolowitz, engineer, Johannesburg, awarded prize for South African National Anthem.
- Successful test made of apparatus for casting cattle, invention of H. Freedman, of Newcastleon-Tyne.
- Vida Goldstein, Melbourne, nominated for Senate of Federated Australia by Women's Political Association of Victoria.
- Hon. E. S. Montagu, M. P., appointed Under-Secretary of State for India.
- Dr. Stephen S. Wise, New York City, lectures in England before the Jewish Religious Union.
- Sir Rufus Isaacs, London, appointed Solicitor-General.
- Jewish Ratepayers' Association formed in St. Louis and St. Lawrence Wards, Montreal; efforts will be made to organize voters, that at next civic elections in two years, Jewish Aldermen may be elected.
- Eleven Jews elected to London County Council:
   J. Brandon, N. L. Cohen, David Davis, Lewis
   Barned, Isidore Salmon, R. M. Sebag-Monteflore, Miss N. Adler, H. H. Gordon, Percy A
   Harris. A. L. Leon and Carl Stettauer.
- 18. Percy C. Simon elected to London County Council.
- 25. Lord Swaythling repeats protest of last year in letter, urging that Claude G. Monteflore dissociate himself from Westminster Jews Free School and Jews' Infant School.

 King Edward confers commandership of Victorian Order on Prof. Robert Kutner, Director of Empress Frederick Institute for Medical Studies in Berlin.

MARCH

APRIL

MAY

- 12. Resolution offered by Lord Swaythling carried at meeting of Federation of Synagogues: That the members of the Federation utterly condemn the ultra-reform movement called "Liberal Judaism" and resolve to use their utmost endeavors to check its vicious influence upon young and old of Jewish community.
- 15. G. B. Phillips elected Mayor of Enfield, Australia
- 22. Leonard L. Zossenheim appointed Italian Consular Agent for Leeds.
- 25. British Foreign Office approached by Conjoint Committee of Board of Deputies and Anglo-Jewish Association in reference to threatened expulsions at Kieff. Representations made to British Ambassador at St. Petersburg, urging him to employ his good offices in matter.
  - Anti-Semitic outbursts in recent French-Canadian clerical newspapers.
- Memorial services for King Edward VII held in all congregations.
- 13. Westminster Gazette, London, prints Reuter telegram from St. Petersburg, as follows: "Telegrams to the newspapers from Kieff state that a commission which has investigated there a thousand cases of Jews under sentence of expulsion has recommended that 10 per cent should be permitted to remain, but that the others should be expelled within a month." In consequence of telegram D. L. Alexander, K. C., and Claude G. Montefiore call at Foreign Office, and have interview with permanent official, calling his attention to renewed danger threatening Jews of Kieff.
- Under new Town Ordinance, Fiji, David Jaffa Solomon, chosen Mayor of Levuka, and Gabriel Jacob Marks chosen Mayor of Suva.
- Dr. Emil G. Hirsch lectures in England before Jewish Religious Union.
- Felix Rosenheim, Lewisham, elected Liberal and Radical candidate for Parliament at meeting of Central Finsbury Liberal and Radical Association.
- 31. Movement to raise Jewish East End memorial to late King, Edward VII, inaugurated.

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31. Sir Joseph Dimsdale at Guildhall, London, in making presentation of address and casket to ex-President Roosevelt, refers to "his action in regard to fair and humane treatment, and due recognition of equal rights of citizenship for Jewish community." Chief Rabbi, when introduced to ex-President Roosevelt, thanks him for his services on behalf of Russian Jews.

 H. Liberman, Cape Town, elected representative, at election for new Rural Council.

- A. M. Hertzberg, President of Brisbane Chamber of Commerce, appointed member of first Senate of newly-inaugurated University of Queensland.
- Herbert Solomon, Secretary of Adelaide Hebrew Congregation, elected Chief President of Australian Natives Association for South Australia.
- King confers Knighthood on Mr. Rufus Isaacs, M. P.

 King of England approves of George Jacobs as Vice-Consul for Ecuador, in London.

- General Botha, on behalf of Union Government, accepts Mr. Solly Joel's gift of Barnato Park, Johannesburg, of 11½ acres with buildings, to be used for girls' school.
- 22. King George of England grants audience to large and influential deputation, representing Board of Deputies and Anglo-Jewish Association, for purpose of receiving address of condolence on death of King Edward and congratulations on his accession to throne.

24. Alfred Mond, M. P., Adolph Tuck and Carl Meyer created Baronets by King George.

### NECROLOGY

1909 July

JUNE

28. Aline Caroline, Lady Sassoon, philanthropist, London.

AUGUST

- Sir Henry Aaron Isaacs, ex-Lord Mayor, London, aged 79.
- Henry Isaacs, Mayor, Auckland, New Zealand, aged 78.
- Frau Joseph Gugenheimer (Friederica Rott), authoress, St. Leonards-on-Sea, aged 75.

September	13.	
		Bayswater, aged 70.
	13.	Herman Tuck, communal worker, Highbury New Park, aged 60.
	15.	James Heckscher, journalist, London, aged 75.
OCTOBER	28.	A. Englander, communal worker, London.
	29.	Morris Asher, pioneer, Potts Point, Sydney, aged 92.
Novembeb	8.	S. Alexander, communal worker, London, aged 65.
	8.	Sir Benjamin L. Cohen, Bart., communal worker, London, aged 65.
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December	5.	A. J. S. Bles, J. P., communal worker and philanthropist, Manchester, aged 72.
	11.	Ludwig Mond, chemist, London, aged 70.
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	24.	Isaac Falcke, art collector, London.
	26.	Louis A. Nathan, communal worker, Bayswater, aged 66.
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JANUARY	15.	Joseph Jacobus, communal worker, Sussex, aged 78.
	17.	Leb Schapiro, Rabbi of Russian Community at Amsterdam and author, London, aged 75.
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MARCH	14.	Charles Lisser, Vice-Consul for Germany, Not- tingham, aged 71.
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	18.	Julius D. Ichenhauser, banker and art critic, London, aged 52.
APRIL	1.	
MAY	4.	Adolph Rutkowski, Rabbi, New Hebrew Congregation, Liverpool, aged 62.
	14.	Frederick Ehrenfried Baume, K. C., LL. B., M. P., communal worker, Auckland East, New Zea-
	18.	land, aged 48. Solomon E. Benoliel, communal worker, Gibraltar.

#### JUNE

- 17. David Nathan, art collector, London.
- Charles R. Keyser, F. R. C. S., surgeon, London, aged 36.
- 24. Henry Samson, communal worker, Stoke Newington.

### RUSSIA AND FINLAND

# 1909 July

- 4. Kieff authorities repeal order permitting Jewish merchants to reside there for period not exceeding fortnight. With these instructions, night searches for Jews recommence. Efforts of Russian merchants on behalf of Jewish colleagues has only temporary effect.
- Ministry of the Interior, Russia, rejects petition of the Taurida Zemstvo requesting the Government to permit Jewish corn merchants to reside in the province unmolested.
- 4. In Odessa, preparations for election campaign begun with publication of document, signed by members of the municipality, declaring Jews to be revolutionaries and enemies of the Czar; on strength of these allegations, demand alteration of method of electing a representative of the city.
- 4. Ministry of Commerce, Russia, effects reduction of Jewish students in Kieff Polytechnic from 10 to 5 per cent, and lowers percentage of Jews in Warsaw Polytechnic from 15 to 10 per cent.
- 4. Expulsions reported from Kislovodsk, from villages near Pereyaslev and from Siberia, where authorities have not permitted Jewish cattle merchants to pay their usual visits to Asiatic Russia. At Yalta, police post constables in the port to prevent Jews landing there.
- 4. Bokhara Jews send deputation to Count Pahlen, who inspects the Turkestan district, requesting that he use his influence with St. Petersburg authorities to restore them old privileges of residing in Moscow and Central Asia. He informs them the Russian banks have petitioned him on their behalf, and he will do all in his power to repeal the restrictions issued against them.
- 4. Fine of 3000 roubles imposed on Dubrovin, for article published by him in Russkoe Znamya

entitled "The Price of Russian Life and of Jewish Blood."

 Delegate of Jewish Institute for Teachers, Wilna, to Poltava festivities, informed his presence is undesirable.

12. The Russkoe Znamya declares openly that "Real Russians" assassinated Herzenstein and Iollos with knowledge of officials, and expresses regret that only two Jews perished in crusade against revolutionaries. Branches of "Real Russian" Union open campaign against Freedom of Conscience Bill, which they describe as a Jewish product; Nicolayeff "Black Hudreds" petition Senate to clear local Government institutions of all Jews, while at Cherson the authorities comply with similar request made by anti-Semites.

 Jewish Literary Association, Russia, opens fifteen new branches in the Pale.

12. Finnish authorities permit Jews to import Kosher meat into the principality.

12. Minister of Commerce renews efforts to obtain sanction of Minister of Interior, for measure to facilitate movements of Jewish emigrants across frontier without passports. Jewish Colonization Association invited to furnish Government with details relating to the problem.

15. Finnish Senate gives Jews permission to transport Kosher meat from Russia on following terms: (1) To every carload of meat a document must be attached showing that animal was killed according to Jewish ritual, (2) meat brought from Russia must be sold to Jews only; any one caught selling it to Chris-

tians will be punished.

30. Percentage of Jews in Secondary Schools, Russia, raised. Minister of Education receives unofficial intimation from majority of Cabinet members of undesirability of prohibiting admission of Jews to universities during next eight years. Lower technical schools to be opened to Jews, without restrictions. Circular issued by Minister of Interior, permitting Jewish students on scientific excursions to reside throughout the Empire.

30. Censorship of Yiddish publications, abolished

1905, re-established at Kieff.

AUGUST

- St. Petersburg authorities reject new Jewish laws for Finns, drafted by Special Commission, as being too liberal, especially as regards citizenship.
  - New Emigration Law of the Ministry of Commerce, Russia, submitted to the Council of Ministers.
  - Governor of Kishineff confiscates money collected by local Zionists in aid of National Fund.
- Homel reactionary municipality compels Jews to keep business houses closed on 150 days during year (Sundays and holidays), and Council places Jewish burial ground at disposal of state for purpose of erecting a bank.
- Wholesale attacks on Jews reported from Tiraspol, Nicolayeff and Yaroslavl.
- Several hundred Jews exiled from Shiro, a Siberian watering place, permission to spend summer having previously been granted. Jewish invalids also expelled from Caucasus.
- In Province of Vitebsk (Pisevo, Bubni, and Shulatna) Jewish residents petition the Government, requesting expulsion of their nonagricultural coreligionists from the colonies, on ground that they damage their interests.
- Russian police, Wladikaukas, expel Jews from mountain settlements.
- 6. Large number of Jews expelled from Riga.
- 6. Governors of Russia instructed by Ministry to investigate rights of Jewish artisans residing outside Pale. Expulsions follow such orders. Authorities requested to give ministry full information concerning Jews allowed to remain outside Pale on strength of M. Stolypin's circular.
- Important educational institutions in towns of Russia reject large numbers of Jewish students who present themselves for examination.
- 6. M. Niselovitch appeals to Polish Jews to organize into a strong opposition to new Polish local government measure and to Chelm Province Bill. He points out importance of protesting against new legislation, which will place Jews at disadvantage in comparison with their neighbors and restrict rights as citizens.

- Jewish World, Yiddish daily published at Warsaw.
- 18. Count Konovnitzin, General Kardinalovski, and M. Pelikan proceed to St. Petersburg with purpose of supporting in person, petition forwarded week previous to Czar, by Odessa "Black Hundred" Municipality, praying him to disfranchise Jewish electorate of Odessa.
- Kishineff police confiscate Zionist library in addition to money collected in aid of National Fund.
- 22. Forty-six Jewish artisans expelled from St. Petersburg, 70 from Vologda, and several Jews exiled from Monastirishe (near Kieff). Authorities of the Caucasus banish from their homes Jews born in that province.

22. "Black Hundreds" circulate reports to effect that election will be signalized by a "determined demonstration" against Jews, no matter whether municipal petition succeeds or not.

- 22. Thirty Jews refused admission to Kieff Polytechnic threaten suicide unless admitted immediately. Eighty Jewish students request Constitutional Democrats to interpellate Government with reference to injustice done to them by not admitting them to higher educational institutions.
- Twenty-five Jewish families, some of whom resided there over 25 years, expelled from Losenovka, province of Tchernigoff.
- 22. Ministers of Education and Commerce, Russia, reject 400 petitions from Jewish students that reach them before issue of official notification that such appeals would not be attended to.
- Czar sends message of thanks to Jewish community of Novi-Dvor (near Warsaw) for their loyal telegram on occasion of opening of new synagogue.
- M. Stolypin greeted by Jewish deputation, at Keidanah (near Kovno) and attends prayer offered by Jewish community for Imperial Family.
- Society of Jewish soldiers at Kieff present Czarevitch with a Scroll of the Law.
- 22. Committee formed to fight new disabilities, and petition bearing thousands of signatures

- drawn up imploring Russian Government to remove restrictions against Jews.
- M. Stolypin receives Jewish deputation on his estate in province of Kovno, and promises to ameliorate the condition of Jews, in near future.
- 24. Secret Conference of Orthodox Rabbis from Russia takes place at Hamburg. Rabbis select this meeting place, as Russian Government looks suspiciously on rabbinical conferences and had prohibited Congress of Polish Rabbis in Warsaw. Aim of Conference is to find ways and means to extirpate spirit of religious license.
- 27. Reported that Odessa "Black Hundreds" threaten to make a pogrom on Jews of Odessa if Jewish advocate Brodsky is elected Duma Deputy.

#### SEPTEMBER

- Governor of Kishineff orders closing of Russo-Jewish Library.
- Stolypin's circular regulating expulsion of Jews from places outside the Pale declared legal by Council of the Ministry of Justice.
- 6. Imperial prerogative of clemency extended, on recommendation of Council of Ministers, to Jewish merchants in Moscow who, by the judgment of the Senate in a test case, have been found to have no legal right of residence outside the Pale. The merchants in question number 200 and business interests involved amount to £10,000,000. Moscow Bourse Committee make representations pointing out widespread ruin to result from expulsion of merchants.
- Governor of Irkutsk issues circular urging police to be more strict with Jews who reside in his province illegally. Melitopol authorities exile suddenly all Jews residing at Kirilsbad, summer resort.
- Organized pogrom in suburbs of Kieff. Fifty Jewish houses plundered, 20 Jews wounded.
- Local press announces that leading newspapers urge police to expel all Jews of Finland, excluding those native born.
- Reports from St. Petersburg state that leaders of Russian Jews decide to found a Jewish uni-

Jews in the extra-Pale provinces, as well as introduction of a series of new educational, mili-

tary and domiciliary restrictions.

22. Government issues order requesting authorities of St. Petersburg Academy for Arts to apply percentage norm in admitting Jews to the institution. Restriction strongly resented by heads of the Academy, Count A. Tolstoi, M. Becklemesheff, and M. Botkin, and by liberal press. Petition of professors of Institute for Railway Engineers requesting Minister of Communications to admit small number of Jews to the college rejected.

23. New Duma session opens.

- Bill giving Jews limited right of residence in Finland receives first hearing from constitutional Committee of Diet. Measure applies only to Jews born or having lived a decade in Finland.
- 29. Former editor of Voschod, M. Sirkin, sentenced to 100 roubles fine or month's imprisonment, and editor of Birzevia Viedomosti imprisoned for five days for accusing Russian Government and troops of complicity in Bielostok massacre. Advocate Rodzevitch, appointed by authorities to defend organizers of Rasan pogrom, declines to speak on behalf of his clients. Government has instituted legal proceedings against him.
- Monument erected at Ekaterinoslav, on grave of Scrolls of Law, mutilated in pogrom of 1905.
- Scrolls of Law mutilated at Choral pogrom, buried in presence of thousands of mourners.
- 29. General Tolmatcheff, Odessa, arrests newspaper correspondents on charge of agitating for M. Brodsky, and issues order instructing police to close students' kitchen on account of sympathies of its members with newly-elected deputy.
- Black Hundreds" request M. Stolypin not to allow Jews to reside in Kieff summer resorts in future.
- Organizers of Var Varovka pogrom all acquitted at recent trial at Odessa.
- 29. Four hundred Jewish applicants to Warsaw University refused admission by Ministry of Education. in spite of 600 vacancies for stu-

dents. Twenty rejected Jews who changed their religion, surprised to find step of no avail, as authorities chose to apply in their case M. Schwartz's circular, directing that percentage norm should be applied to all students converted after certain date.

- One hundred Jewish artisans and their families expelled from Voronezh.
- At opening of Duma session the Government announces withdrawal of Freedom of Conscience Bill in its present form.
- 29. Premier Stolypin announces his fullest agreement with Right in denouncing non-Orthodox Russian subjects as sole organizers of revolution; he expresses high praise for the Kiefflanin, organ of Kieff "Black Hundreds." Premier declares that Czar's power is still absolute, and 20 years of internal and external rest are required for introduction of substantial reforms in Russia.

## NOVEMBER

- Jewish quarter of Turan, including great number of shops and warehouses, burns down. Damage estimated at 1,000,000 roubles.
- M. Neidhardt, organizer of Jewish pogroms, Odessa, designated as prospective Governor-General of Wilna, Kovno, and Grodno.
- 5. General Tolmatcheff institutes legal proceedings against newly-elected deputy M. Brodsky, for using name of "Arkadi" instead of "Aaron"; in passport issued to M. Brodsky by police authorities he is named "Arkadi." Prefect refuses to ratify election on this ground and despatches communications to that effect to Senate and to Duma, denouncing return of M. Brodsky as fraud. Senate resolves to await pronouncement of Duma on legality of election of M. Brodsky, and to demand supplementary details with reference to controversy from General Tolmatcheff.
- General Tolmatcheff, Governor of Odessa, issues order that all Jewish Synagogues must display on towers the Cross alongside of Russian Crown. Odessa Jews telegraph to St. Petersburg in regard to order of the Governor.
- Trial of M. Hillerson, lawyer, who charged Russian Government with complicity in Bielostok

- massacre terminates. M. Hillerson sentenced to one year's imprisonment in a fortress.
- Inquiry instituted by M. Niselovitch into Russo-Jewish relations outside the Pale succeeds in eliciting replies from 150 centres. Nearly all statements describe relations as very friendly.
- 12. Forty-four Jewish artisans receive notice to leave St. Petersburg. Jewish fishermen banished from Derwent (Caucasus). Charkoff police inquire into status of Jews residing in province. "Real Russians" complain Jews reside there contrary to laws of the Empire. Government inquiry into right of Ekaterinodar Jews to remain in district terminates unfavorably for Jews. Jewish commercial travellers do not obtain right to visit South-East of Russia, in spite of repeated promises of Government to ameliorate their condition, and notwithstanding numerous petitions on their behalf.
- 12. Reform movement initiated by M. Pereferkovitch, St. Petersburg, arouses opposition in local Jewish community. Baron Günzburg and other communal workers demand resignation of organizer of movement from post of Jewish religious teacher in St. Petersburg secondary schools.
- Member of Jewish Colonization Association invited to attend meetings of Committee of Ministry of Commerce dealing with new emigration law.
- 12. Reported that General Tolmatcheff orders Jewish Community to explain to him absence
  of Cross on the synagogues, on the illuminated emblems of Czar's arms during latter's
  stay at Odessa, and on other festive occasions.
  Special committee delegated by Jews fails to
  impress the Prefect with impossibility of
  allowing a Cross to appear on a synagogue, and
  matter has been referred to the Capital.
- 12. Special Committee of Diet reports law granting to all Jews who have resided in Finland for a long time with permission of authorities, and to all who settled there before age of twentyone, right to remain and trade in the princi-

- pality. Facilities also granted by new law to other categories of Jewish residents in Finland.
- Municipal Council, Odessa, petition Czar to disfranchise Jewish voters.
- 16. Russian Minister of Justice limits percentage of Jewish students eligible for admission to bar to 35 per cent of those living within the Pale and 20 per cent of those outside the Pale.
- 18. Diet of Finland, by vote of 112 to 43, adopts law conferring citizenship upon Jews who are natives or who have been residents of country for ten years. It places other Jews on equal footing with other foreigners, abolishing mediæval restrictions which confined them to three towns wherein they might reside and conduct business.
- 19. Constitutional Democrats and Labor members resolve to interpellate M. Schwartz in Duma on his motives for issuing circular, establishing new percentage norm for Jews in secondary schools. They possess documents proving that hundreds of Jewish candidates were rejected at schools, owing to failure of Minister to inform principals of new order in time.
- 19. On failure of authorities to admit Jews to commercial school in city, to which they contributed largely on condition that admission of Jews should be granted, Jewish merchants of Irkutsk refuse to support school in future, and institute legal proceedings against authorities to recover donations contributed.
- 26. Deputies of Right determine to uphold legality of General Tolmatcheff's order on Cross question at Odessa, and in view of that fact, Moderate Deputies advise Jews to dismantle emblem altogether, to avoid complications. Novoe Vremya suggests as way out of the difficulty, "Let the Jews go and find a land with another emblem."
- Stronger police supervision of right of residence of Jews demanded by Stolypin. He declares Jews ought not to be allowed to visit summer resorts.
- Police of Kieff and Charkoff, on strength of published opinions of Premier, regarding necessity of close supervision of right of residence of

Jews, resume night searches, which are carried on with great severity. At Charkoff action of authorities greatly impedes business at annual fair, and Russian merchants are obliged to petition Government to suspend severe measures instituted against Jewish colleagues, which resulted in exile of latter from city.

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26. Minister of Education orders law faculties of universities not to admit any students who finished their course of study abroad to examinations for lawyer's certificate. Reported that same procedure will be introduced into all faculties. New circular only affects Jews, as they alone are compelled to go abroad to study, on account of scarcity of vacancies for Jews in Russian universities. Minister of War decides to discontinue postponement of term of military service in cases of those students who are obliged to go abroad to complete their studies.

26. Military Committee of Duma adopts by large majority resolution in favor of closing military medical academy to Jews, and prohibiting them from acting as medical officers in the army "in

peace time."

26. Wholesale expulsions of Jews reported from vil-

lages in Volhynia.

DECEMBER

2-5. One hundred and fifty delegates from 60 cities meet at Kovno, under presidency of former Duma Deputy Winawer, to consider Jewish communal affairs. Discussion confined to administration of Jewish communities, and religious education.

 General Tolmatcheff agrees to waive question of setting up Crosses on illuminated emblems of synagogues in Odessa, on condition that same should appear on vestry rooms of synagogues. It is understood that Wardens have

accepted the compromise.

3. Extreme Right in Duma moves that Jews should not be tolerated as justices of peace in reformed rural courts. M. Karauloff enters energetic protest against resolution which he opposes as a "Russian," a "Christian," and a "Constitutionalist." Bishop Mitrophan proclaims in Duma that certain religious doctrines prohibit Jews from acting as judges in Russia.

- 3. Jewish Question comes up in Finnish Diet. With exception of Old Finns, all the deputies, and especially the women, speak in favor of granting full liberties to Jews. By majority of 112 to 43, House resolves to petition Czar on their behalf. Diet subsequently dissolved owing to its opposition to schemes of Russian Government.
- M. Schwartz, Minister of Education, prepares bill for Duma, which has for object introduction of all percentage restrictions applied to Jewish boys into all female secondary schools, in order to limit number of Jewesses in educational institutions.
- Monument at St. Petersburg erected in memory of sculptor, Antokolsky, unveiled in presence of Baron Günzburg.
- Reported from Russia that the Government will aid those emigrating through Libau. Emigrants will receive free foreign passports and steamship companies will reduce prices of tickets.
- Serious fire at Gombin, Poland; one-third of dwellings burned to ground, hundreds of families without food or shelter.
- 10. Debate in Duma on question of appointment of Jewish justices of peace results in resignation of Deputy Gulkin from Nationalist Party, when he protests against intended exclusion of Jews from judicial reforms. M. Niselovitch, attempting to make address, forced to return to his seat. Octobrists announce their intention to vote against resolution prohibiting selection of Jews as justices of peace.
- 10. Moscow Society for Promotion of Unity among Nationalities inhabiting Russia makes progress. Several Russian noblemen and men of letters join original small band of peacemakers. Society feels itself sufficiently strong to issue manifesto to members of both Houses of Parliament and to all social workers, appealing for cordiality amongst citizens of Empire, and declaring itself in favor of permitting all nationalities and sects to develop freely both economically and politically, as only means of establishing great Empire on firm basis.

10. Senate of Finland submits question of Shechitah to local medical council, which, by majority of five to three, decides that though actual process of Shechitah is perfectly humane, preparations for it are of a cruel character. General Beckman, who was in its favor, has been superseded by notorious anti-Semite.

10. Police banish several Jewish merchants from Samara. Local Exchange Committee wires to Ministry protesting against brutal manner in which searches for Jews are conducted. St. Petersburg Jewish students no longer allowed to reside in Imperial residential townlets of Gatchina, Tsarskoe Selo, Peterhoff, and Pavlovsk. Senate permits all official Rabbis to reside outside the Pale during term of office.

10. General Tolmatcheff informs Senate that M. Brodsky was elected deputy for Odessa. Senate will consider the Prefect's accusation against the deputy for using name of "Arkadi"

instead of "Aaron."

M. Friedman, Jewish Deputy, delivers speech in 10. Duma, pointing out to deputies that inviolability of person is impossible in Russia, as long as police possess power to search for Jews outside the Pale. M. Purishkevitch replies by saying he felt quite "tired of hearing of Jew-Question," and warns his colleagues against embarking on dangerous road indicated to them by M. Friedman. M. Roditcheff agrees with remarks of M. Friedman, and exclaims that "Russia cannot enter temple of freedom so long as there exists a Pale of Settlement for Jews." Announced that Constitutional Democrats would formally introduce bill for abolition of Pale after Christmas vacation.

10. Volkszeitung, Berlin, reports from Samara that Russian authorities arrested all Jews of stock exchange. Wholesale arrests caused by local Governor, who holds that Jews should not be allowed to do business on the exchange.

 School Inspector of Novgorod-Sewersk gives orders that on Sundays and Christian holidays Jewish children must accompany non-Jewish children to church. Same order was issued in Bolozerkow, province of Kieff.

- Report of attack on Jews at Ekaterinoslav by "Black Hundreds." Four mortally wounded.
- 14. Organization founded at Kieff by L. Brodsky, Baron Günzburg, Prof. Lertchinski and Zochs, to struggle against Anti-Semitism. It will issue books and pamphlets regarding Jewish question and relations existing between Jews and other peoples.
- Reported from St. Petersburg that Constitutional Democrats introduced in Duma a bill calling for abolition of Pale of Jewish Settlement. Measure endorsed by number of prominent Octobrists.
- 17. New Minister of Commerce forwards to Ministry of Interior scheme facilitating process of emigration from Russia. According to project free passports would be issued to single passengers or groups embarking at Libau on Russian boats. Proposed to reduce railway fare to Libau. Doubt expressed whether Police Department will consent to passport clauses of the bill.
- 17. Owing to the exclusion of Jewish merchants and agents from the autumn fair, 45 firms of Charkoff approach Minister of Commerce, through local Bourse Committee, with view to admission of Jews in the future. Representations made also to members of Duma and the Council of the Empire.
- Novoe Vremya complains that Jewish inventor, M. Lutzki, not allowed to reside in St. Petersburg, has been employed by German Government, which is now using his motors on warships.
- 17. Rabbi of Odessa forwards special report to Ministry of Interior requesting it to abolish office of Rabbi-Registrar in Russia and to combine his work with that of spiritual head of community, provided latter undergoes an examination in Russian language.
- 17. Senate decides to annul election of M. Brodsky as Deputy for Odessa. Odessa Court sentences M. Brodsky to fine of 100 roubles or month's imprisonment for using name of "Arkadi" instead of "Aaron." He has also to sign promise not to leave city.

17. Duma adopts recommendation of committee to limit admission of Jews to new Wilna medical school to 10 per cent. Motion in favor of abolishing percentage norm in new institution defeated by combined votes of Octobrists and the Right. Education Committee decides to accord to every 50 non-Russian children right to form themselves into new school, where instruction can be imparted in their national language. This privilege refused to Jews.

 Authorities of Kieff School of Commerce reduce number of Jews in the institution from 50 to 10 per cent, as instructed by Minister of Edu-

cation

17. Fifty Jews expelled from Toropza (near Pskov) and 116 Jews from St. Petersburg. Verification of Right of Residence of Jews, which is accompanied by expulsions, carried out at Kieff, Ekaterinburg, and Perm.

17. Kovno Conference terminates. Practical result is M. Sliosberg's proposal to impress on Government necessity of introducing bill into Duma, converting all Jewish residents of each town into a community, which should be governed by an elected body and which should have power to raise general tax. At same time right will be accorded each member of community to choose synagogue for his place of worship. Schemes considered for transferring Jewish artisans possessing right of residence to inner provinces of Russia, and for education of Jewish laborers, in order to enable them to compete with those of other nationalities.

 Reported from St. Petersburg that president of Duma, Komiakoff, refused to accept resignation of Aaron Brodsky as member of Duma.

- 24. "Black Hundreds" persuade Government to take away right to vote from all Jews registered under their Russian first names. This move is a consequence of Brodsky affair.
- 24. New Minister of Commerce receives numerous petitions from Russian peasants, merchants, and exchange committees on behalf of exiled Jews. Samara Exchange (also Charkoff) demands that Jews should not be molested at coming fairs. Toropza peasants despatch peti-

tion to Ministry protesting that Jews are useful to them, and not harmful, as claimed. Peasants of Akimova (near Cherson) ask Ministry to convert village into townlet, to enable Jews to reside there unmolested. M. Niselovitch requests Government to inquire into unjust banishment of Jews from Voronezh, and from colony Prishib (province of Taurida), where Jews were permitted to reside by Imperial Order. Request refused.

 Ekaterinoslav "Real Russian" branch organize series of daily assaults on Jews in streets. Four receive severe injuries.

- 24. Odessa School of Commerce declines to carry out Minister Schwartz's instructions, on ground that Czar long ago permitted its authorities to admit 50 per cent of Jews.
- 24. Ministry appoints special committee at Moscow (over which Governor will preside), to revise rights of residence of local Jews.
- 24. New Minister of Commerce, M. Timasheff, issues instruction to subordinates to prohibit non-Russians from acting as exporters of State mineral waters. Order mainly affects Jews.
- 24. M. Wolfensohn, Odessa, President of Art Exhibition, compelled to resign, as Prefect states he would do all possible to prevent success of exhibition if he remained.
- 24. M. Brodsky, deputy of Odessa, disfranchised in addition to being unseated.
- Report from London that Russian Government again active in harassing Jews. Three hundred Jewish families residing in suburb of Koyno ordered out of town.
- 31. Legislative Chamber declines to allow use of any language but Russian in court. Fear expressed that anti-Semites will introduce resolution affecting Jewish lawyers. Petition on behalf of these forwarded to Cabinet.
- 31. Three hundred Jewish families at Dimievka (near Kieff) instructed to leave. They request Government to permit them to remain until the summer. Over 250 Bokhara Jews must leave non-Pale provinces for their native land at end of current year. All attempts to obtain repeal of Government expulsion order prove

fruitless. Moscow authorities prohibit visit of Jewish students from Kieff School of Commerce to ancient Capital.

- 31. Kieff Merchants' Guild directs operations against Ministry's order in educational crisis. Delegates despatched to St. Petersburg to draw attention of Government to great waste of millions of roubles closing of schools will cause. Assistant Minister of Education confirms statement of University opening in Lithuania.
- 31. Prince Obolensky (former Chief of Holy Synod) states to press representative that he and his followers would vote for abolition of Pale, if Duma agrees to it. Member of Right of Upper House announces several of his friends are prepared to support measure, in view of corruptive influence existence of Pale exercises on Russian police.

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- Octobrists by advice of leader, Alexander Gutchkoff, decide to postpone question regarding abolition of Pale.
- 2. Duma session ends.
- Russian Senate issues statement that foreign Jews may visit Russia provided they pay the fee of members of the First Guild.
- Reported that 300 Bokhara Jews are expelled from Tashkend. Government claims they have no more rights than other Jews, and therefore cannot live in Tashkend.
- 7. Prefect of St. Petersburg expels 37 more Jews from capital and refuses permission to Jew dangerously ill to remain for 10 days, despite medical representation and request of M. Fried-Charkoff police amend law of Empire and refuse to issue artisans' certificates to Jews who have no right to reside outside Pale. although privilege to possess the document is sufficient qualification for residing in most areas prohibited to Jews, including city in At Moscow authorities decline to question. issue trading certificates to Jewish chemists before production of residence certificate. which police decline to supply. Increase in number of Jews expelled on account of latest statement of Ministry, that M. Stolypin's circu-

lar does not apply to those Jews who, after issue of document, settled illegally outside Pale. Several hundred expelled from province of Kieff. Alushta peasants, at instigation of General Dumbadze, request Government to banish Jews from summer resorts. At Toropza, circular received through influence of M. Niselovitch and local Russians, annulling expulsion order of 36 families.

- 7. Reported that Octobrists decide to postpone discussion of Pale question in Duma, owing to pressure exercised by influential persons on M. Gutchkoff. Rossia warns Jews semi-officially against complete reliance on efforts of the opposition, threatening them with displeasure of governing classes. Cadets and other groups of the Left remain the only supporters of Jewish cause in the Duma. Former prepare bill providing for complete emancipation of Jews.
- 7. General Tolmatcheff institutes inquiry as to name of son of M. Brodsky, student of Moscow University, and puts difficulties in way of M. Brodsky to find commissioner of oaths to testify to his signature. He declines to permit opening of branch of Orient Society at Odessa, on account of fact that birth certificate, testifying to right of one of Jewish organizers, M. Weinstein, to possess name "Gregory" was not forthcoming. Announced that Governor of Minsk also orders inquiry into first names of Jews in province.
- Dr. Eisenstad, of Rostoff-on-the-Don, elected official Rabbi of St. Petersburg.
- 14. Tiflis Jews direct Advocate Sliosberg to deposit wreath on grave of Grand Duke Michael Nikolayevitch, with inscription, "From the Tiflis Jewish Community to late Imperial Viceroy, who always protected them." Wreath from Caucasian Jews bore inscription, "To the magnanimous protector of the Jews."
- Polish Governors receive instructions to forbid Jewish charitable institutions participating in Zionist movement.
- Odessa District Assizes confirms sentence of M. Brodsky to fine of 100 roubles for using name

- of "Arkadi." Magistrates refuse to grant private advocate's certificate to Jew who gave his first name as "Michael."
- 14. Eight hundred Jewish families ordered banished immediately from Kieff permitted to remain until April. Governor-General of Turkestan expels 300 Bokhara Jews from Tashkend. Official of Ministry of Interior revises right of residence of Jews at Riga, owing to fact that anti-Semites denounced local authorities for leniency to Jews. Borisoglebsk police carry out series of searches for Jews at local exchange.
- 21. M. Niselovitch declares that no less than 75 per cent of Octobrists promised him to vote for bill abolishing Pale, and that M. Stolypin told him April 8, 1908, that should Duma express itself in favor of extending Jewish rights, Government would support its decisions.
- On initiative of Baron Günzburg, 119 male and female delegates assemble at Wilna to discuss problems affecting Jewish women's trade schools in Russia.
- General Tolmatcheff introduces great alterations into mode of management of Jewish Hospital, increases his power and that of anti-Semitic Council, as far as appointment of doctors and administrators is concerned. Jewish Community ordered to raise meat tax to meet cost of additional requirements at Hospital. Town Council refuses to supply institution with water free of charge and orders hospital to pay arrears for past few years.
   Execution of M. Stolypin's circular respecting
- Execution of M. Stolypin's circular respecting Jews who lost residential rights after August 1, 1906 (o. s.) begins; 280 Jewish families of Demievka ordered to leave immediately.
- 21. Decision of Duma Committee to effect that Russian language is to be taught in all schools of Empire by certified teachers, leads to closing of number of Jewish private schools, which, owing to scarcity of such instructors, find it impossible to comply with regulations.
- 23. Conference of great medical authorities on insanity and mental deficiency calls attention of public to tragic economic and social condition of Jews, resulting in tremendous growth of number of lunatics among Jews.

- Fraind reappears in Warsaw and Voschod in St. Petersburg. New Yiddish daily, Tageblatt, published at Kieff.
- 23. New Year's Honors List includes M. Halpern, Vice-Director of second department of Ministry of Justice, who receives high Order of Vladimir in second division. M. Movshenson, of Dvinsk, decorated with Stanislav Order in second division. M. Levin (Wilna), M. Barone, M. Jaffe (Dvinsk), and M. Freedberg (Romni) become honorary citizens; 28 communal workers receive medals for their administrative services.
- 23. Conference of Jewish Women's Trade Schools in Wilna closes, after adoption of resolutions in favor of separating technical from secular studies, making former fundamental, and introducing modern Yiddish literature into school curriculum.
- 23. Anti-alcoholic Conference praises Jews. Deputy Shingareff eulogizes Jewish thrift, to which he attributes mental superiority of Jews.
- 23. Reported that local Rabbi, Kieff, has been assured that rights of residence of Jews will be revised before order for expulsion is carried out.

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- Expulsion orders issued at Ekaterinoslav against Jewish contractors of North Donetz line, against a few Jews at Murchansk, and against several St. Petersburg dentists found practicing in capital.
- 4. Over half of 1200 Jewish voters in first category, at Odessa, disfranchised. In addition, legal proceedings instituted against them for using Russian equivalents of their first names. Warsaw postal authorities begin to refuse delivery of parcels and payment of money orders to Jews, who are addressed by their Russian first names. Announced that question raised by General Tolmatcheff assumes such importance that it will be discussed by Rabbinical Commission, assembling on March 15.
- 4. Revision of first names of Jewish students of Kieff University results in finding that scarcely a Jew was using his registered name, and authorities even declined to pass "Abram" for "Abraham." Fifteen Jewish students refused

transfer to Kieff University on account of their first names, and the old students ordered to alter their names as soon as possible, or leave the institution

- Rabbi Reiness elected Rabbi of Novogrudock (near Minsk); his famous Yeshibah removed there from Lida.
- 4. Dr. Yochelman urges commissioners to take up question of raising fine of 300 roubles from family of every missing Jewish conscript. "Black Hundreds" despatch petitions to Czar asking him to exclude Jews from Army and to deprive all Jews possessing St. George Order for bravery of their decorations.
- Senate rejects appeal of Advocate Hillerson, sentenced to imprisonment in fortress for one year for accusing authorities of complicity in Bielostok pogrom.
- 4. Emir of Bokhara and Governor-General of Turkestan aid Jews in endeavor to repeal expulsion order, which would compel 32,000 Jews, of Persian origin, under protection of former, to return to Bokhara and abandon Central Russia. Chief Rabbi is willing to accept on behalf of community Russian citizenship as price for receiving permission to stay in Russia.
- Commission convened at Ministry of Commerce. participated in by Russian officials, foreign representatives, Dr. Yochelman, on behalf of Ito Emigration Department, and M. I. Gordon and M. S. Yanovsky, on behalf of Jewish Colonization Association. Proposed to establish Emigration Information Bureau. Ministry of Interior consents to relax difficulties connected with issue of foreign passports in Russia. Commission proposes to restrict emigration countries which invite colonists for settlement. and to hinder departure of parents leaving large families behind them, of children without their parents, and of destitute emigrants. likely to be prevented from landing in countries where immigration of aliens is restricted. Grants to Ito emigrants a reduction in railway fares to 75 per cent of usual rate.

- M. Martoff, Reactionary leader, suspended for 15 sessions of Duma because of attack he made on Jews during debate upon subject of reforms.
- 11. Jews expelled from Moscow on account of refusal of authorities to accept their documents bearing Russian first names. Official Rabbi of Moscow, M. Maze, requested not to issue any more identifications to Jews who endeavor to procure certificates confirming their first names.
- 11. True motives of Russian Government in taking emigrants under its wing revealed at sitting of Emigration Commission. Russian Cabinet desires strong volunteer fleet and Government lacks funds for building it, and decides to subsidize lines engaged in emigrant traffic. Low railway fare (embodying reduction of 75 per cent for Galveston emigrants) and cheap passport will be provided for every emigrant leaving on Russian subsidized ships. Other emigrants not to possess these advantages, except that process of issuing passports will be facili-Hoped that Russian ships instead of will soon attract passengers, and German strong ocean fleet will be established to meet increased requirements. German companies are protesting against scheme for fear of losing about 15 million roubles annually.
- Russian Jewry celebrates 50th anniversary of death of Isaac Ber Levinsohn.
- Senate definitely declines to permit Shechitah in Finland.
- 18. Government permits three thousand members of Jewish Community to remain in Central Asia, at request of Chief Rabbi of Bokhara Jews, in response to petition of Moscow merchants and peasants, until question of their naturalization is decided.
- Agrarian Commission declares in favor of taking away land from Jewish colonists, retired soldiers who were permitted to form colony of Noder-Toy (near Cherson).
- Jewish Question brought to the fore on re-opening of Duma. Resolution adopted in favor of introducing more regular system of admission of students. Thirty deputies submit petition

that resolution prohibiting Jews to fulfil duties as justices of peace should not be discussed. Octobrists in favor of negativing the amendment. Centre unwilling to indulge in discussion of purely sentimental question, as Jews are not likely to be appointed judges. by M. Friedman, replying to anti-Semitic critics, motion for prohibiting Jews to act as justices of peace defeated. "Real Russians" at subsequent sitting again propose that list of candidates for posts of judges should only include Christians. Motion defeated. Active peparations made to deal with exclusion of Jews from the Army, at secret sitting for military estimates. Advisory Committee of Jewish deputies at St. Petersburg is being dissolved, in view of election of representative Council of Russian Jews, to direct work of Jewish Deputies.

20. Conference of delegates of Bourse and Chambers of Commerce enter emphatic protest against treatment of Jewish colleagues. They demonstrate their adverse feelings to policy of Government and, it is asserted, as result of their private representations to Government, the latter will soon establish norm of 45 per cent of Jews in secondary commercial schools. Conference expresses desire that Jewish exchange brokers be permitted to reside outside the Pale.

 M. Dubrovin retires from active work in "Real Russian" Union.

20. Reactionary Merchants' Guilds of Kishineff, Minsk and Kieff join in general request that order restricting admission of Jews to Schools of Commerce to 15 per cent of newly-admitted students, be abolished, and original norm of 50 per cent be restored.

Deputy Friedman receives assurances that Cabinet will support his Pensions Bill for Jewish teachers.

 Odessa Jews reject candidature of Cadet nominee and decide to invite Advocate Grosfeld to contest seat in their interests.

 Judicial Committee of Duma declare in favor of abolishing restrictions against Jewish lawyers. Octobrists conspire with Government and succeed in getting amendment to Ministerial Judicial Reform Bill ruled out of order, on ground that Cabinet was opposed to dealing with restrictions against lawyers at this junc-

- 20. Report that according to new circular issued by Minister of Interior, 150 Jewish families lose their permits of residence in Kieff; an investigation of Police Records shows that 450 Jewish families also forfeit their permits of residence by this circular. Result is about 5000 Jews are compelled to leave.
- Peasants of Vohlin, Kieff and Vitebsk instruct their deputies to urge upon Government withdrawal of order limiting number of Jews in commercial schools to 15 per cent.
- Legal proceedings instituted against M. Wolfensohn, recently compelled to resign post on Exhibition Committee, for using first name of "Gregory."
- 20. General Tolmatcheff dismisses President of Odessa Synagogue for permitting Broder Synagogue to introduce an organ. M. Leon Margolius sends official complaint to Ministry of Interior charging Prefect with unwarrantable interference in Jewish religious affairs.
- At Yalta, General Dumbadze issues order instructing police to expel all Jewish artisans found trading there.
- Fairs at Charkoff prove great failure, on account of prohibition against Jews staying in city during market days.
- Governor of Kieff at request of "Black Hundreds" forbids Jews to visit summer resorts in Kieff Gubernia this summer.
- 25. Question of Jewish methods of slaughtering animals re-opened in new Finnish Senate.
  - Reported from St. Petersburg that Russian Government orders expulsion of all Jews living in Gubernias of Vologda and Viatka.
- 4. Governor of Kieff complies with wishes of "Real Russians" and prohibits Jews from residing in local resorts during summer months. House owners and peasants of villages decide to petition Premier and to despatch deputation

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to him for interview on subject. Several exiled Jewish artisans from Yalta express willingness to adopt Christianity. General Dumbadze explains that this change would not alter decision.

4. M. Stolypin issues circular to Governors instructing them to hinder formation of national culture societies and arrest growth of such clubs already formed. Jews are specially mentioned in circular. Senate closes Warsaw "Palestine" Union. In stating reasons, Senators refer to Zionism as dangerous movement.

Despatch from Kieff states expulsion of 1500
 Jews has begun in spite of promise of Prime
 Minister Stolypin that Jews will be undis-

turbed until April.

4. Committee on Interpellations of Duma decides to interpellate Premier Stolypin concerning circular issued by Government June 4, 1907, instructing local authorities not to evict Jews who had illegally settled outside Pale prior to August, 1906, pending enactment of general Jewish reforms. Committee finds law requires such Jews to be immediately returned within Pale, and brought to trial, and demands of Premier what justification there was for illegal circular, and why it had not been revoked. Committee insists that steps to execute law be taken.

Extreme Right decide to interpellate Government on permission extended to Jewish member of French Parliamentary delegation to

visit Moscow with his colleagues.

 Duma Committee decides to deprive Jews of right to vote for new Rural Councils. Upper House resolves that imposition of additional taxes on Jews by municipalities is illegal.

4. Kovno Committee meet to discuss Russian Jewish conditions. Opinion prevails that time is inopportune for demanding great reform measures, beyond introduction of bill providing for abolition of Pale. Deemed advisable to return to old policy of "Shtadlonus" and plead for each case on its own merits, owing to critical situation in certain instances demanding immediate help, and antagonism in influential

- spheres toward general relaxation of restrictions against Jews.
- Premier Stolypin sanctions Jewish Religious Congress, to meet in St. Petersburg, March 15.
- 11. Reported that Rabbi Zirelson (of Kishineff) will be appointed President of Russian Rabbinical Commission, and Baron David Günzburg, President of Conference. Orthodox candidates emerge successful from campaign for Polish seats at Conference. At Odessa elections conducted entirely by M. Pelican, who succeeds in engineering return of General Tolmatcheff's favorites.
- 11. Reported that deputations are expected in St. Petersburg from Kieff, Riga, etc., to lodge appeal on behalf of a hundred Jewish families who are being expelled, owing to revocation of M. Stolypin's circular of May, 1907. Stated that 150 families, numbering 700 persons, are being expelled from Riga within fortnight, 38 families numbering 120 persons being expelled from town and province of Voronezh, and 1200 families ordered to leave Kieff by middle of April.
- 11. Russian Minister of Education issues circular to principals of private schools informing them if percentage norm of Jews is not strictly observed, he will punish teachers and close He instructs St. Petersburg educaschools. tional authorities to admit only those Jewish students whose parents are allowed to reside in capital. Owing to numerous appeals of merchants' guilds, Ministry of Commerce permits Nicolayeff and Tcherkassi Schools of Commerce to admit 50 per cent of Jews this year. Reported bill for exclusion of Jews from military medical academy will soon be presented to Duma.
- 11. Question of opening special Jewish schools, where Hebrew or Yiddish could serve as mother tongue of pupils, occupies attention of Jews. Duma Committee declines to recognize those languages, but efforts are being made to reverse decision in plenary sitting of Duma. Deputy Friedman studies question in order to be in position to present Jewish side of problem to Legislative Chamber.

 Governor compels local Jew of Tambov to resign from Exchange Committee; and succeeds, by means of threats, in putting Rule on Statute Book of Institution, that no Jew shall ever occupy position on managing body of Exchange.

14. A report from St. Petersburg asserts that the Ministry of Education has under consideration the closing of all Jewish elementary schools and the Jewish Teachers' Institute in Wilna.

15. M. Charusin, Director of Department for Non-Orthodox Religions, St. Petersburg, declares Russian Rabbinical Conference open. He says, "the decision of the Government to convene you here" was evoked by its great desire to improve the spiritual condition of the five and a half million Jews residing in Russia.

15. Russian Rabbinical Conference authorizes Baron Günzburg and Rabbi Zirelson to despatch telegram to Premier, expressing loyalty to Czar. Endeavors being made to obtain His Majesty's consent to receive delegates in special audience. Premier announces his desire to see Jewish representatives at his residence.

Reported that Conference of Rabbis, St. Petersburg, is to consider number of questions of religion and general condition of Jews and to advise Government on these matters through commission of Rabbis which has been appointed by Government. This commission of seven chosen from among forty-two delegates to conference are to meet in St. Petersburg under governmental auspices at time the congress will be in session. Commission is to present certain proposals to Government for improvement of Jewish conditions, these being based on deliberations of conference of Rabbis. Baron David Günzburg presides over conference.

17. Despatch from St. Petersburg reports expulsion of Jews in Finland has commenced. Order issued by which 40 Jewish families of Helsingfors are compelled to leave immediately.

18. Governor-General Tolmatcheff of Odessa forbids Jewish community to vote any money for relief of widow and family of late Moses Loeb Lilienblum, Hebrew writer and communal worker, who died recently, leaving his family practically penniless.

- 18. Ministry of Interior issues confidential circular to governors of outlying territories (excepting Poland and interior provinces) ordering summary expulsion of all Jews who have no right of residence. Among these are persons living from 10 to 20 years in a place. In order to deprive these people of right of residence Minister revives an old provision of "Jewish Statutes."
- 18. Jewish pupils of Moscow College for Music deprived of right to reside in Moscow, by order of Ministry. At Tiflis, secret police are entrusted with duty of verifying rights of Jews to remain. At Benderi, police commissioner agitates among peasants, inciting them to petition Government in favor of exiling Jews. Yoruhah (Podolia) Jews ordered to leave their houses and village, and are fined for renting former for several years illegally. of Pilno and Vishkovo (Tchernigoff) not permitted to let their houses to Jews in summer, despite urgent petition. At Esthonia police official is arrested for having failed to control right of residence of Jews. General Dumbadze requested by Simferopol Governor, to with-draw order against Jewish artisans at Yalta. Riga Jews, including those who possess privilege of residence in villages, determine not to visit any summer resorts until restriction of residence in these places is withdrawn. ported on good authority that administration has decided to annul prohibition.

 Russian Minister of Education orders closing of Jewish Elementary Schools.

- 18. M. Markoff, in first speech on return to Duma, since his exclusion, declares there is no harm in assaulting Jews. M. Niselovitch resents this as incitement to pogroms, and invites Ministry to defy anti-Semites and counteract their policy.
- Speech on Jewish disabilities made by M. Friedman in Duma. M. Roditcheff follows this by developing idea that a united Russia is only possible when all nationalities inhabiting Empire are fully emancipated.

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25. Forty Jewish families expelled from Helsingfors. Several from Rosovski, in province of Ekaterinoslav, and petitions drawn up by Chief of Police of Pskov district requesting Government to exile 40 Jewish families from Toropza.

25. Duma, considering estimates of Synod, discovers grant described by authorities as fund "for purpose of conducting active campaign against Judaism." Duma has no control over that part of budget. Chamber, nevertheless, earnestly advises Synod not to waste any money on converting Jews.

 Attacks on Jews recommence in Kieff. Eighty Jews arrested at one time and sent to cities

where they were born.

1. Czar instructs M. Stolypin to thank Russian Rabbinical Conference for expression of loyalty to throne.

Senate resolves that large number of Jewish merchants of Second Guild should leave Kieff. Searches for Jews in Moscow renewed, and Russian tradesmen appeal directly to Czar to put stop to expulsions. Similar step taken by Ekaterinoslav Stock Exchange, head of which requests Cabinet not to molest Jewish mer-chants outside Pale. Rural police in province of Bessarabia continue to incite peasants to petition Ministry to banish Jewish residents from villages, on strength of alleged secret circular issued by Premier. At Nicolayeff number of Jews present themselves for educational examination. But, though they reside in district by virtue of generally recognized privileges, local officials scrutinize their rights and now threaten them with exile. Examiners despatch complaint to M. Niselovitch, requesting him to report matter to Minister of At Iskorost (Volhynia), authorities Interior. inform local Jewish residents that they had no ownership rights, and would soon be requested to abandon their synagogue and houses and find a new home. Police still persist in refusing Jewish delegates to second conference of middle class tradesmen permission to reside in St. Petersburg. In view of action, Odessa merchants invite organizers of gathering to meet

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in their city. Russian Government is engaged in preparing special bill according German-Jewish professors and doctors right to visit Russia on professional matters. So far Duma has received no intimation of progress of measure.

- Attempts made by Russian merchants and managers of commercial schools to persuade Government to recall circular limiting number of Jews in these institutions to 15 per cent end in failure. Minister of Commerce refers the deputations to Premier and Minister of Finance, and latter refuses to receive them. Most to be expected is that the Government will permit extension of norm in individual cases during next three years.
- Novoe Vremya correspondent at Tiflis writes that residential rights of all local Jews are being verified and those not legally entitled to live in town are being expelled at 24 hours' notice.
- M. Friedman advocates, in Duma Committee, recognition of the Yiddish and Hebrew languages. Committee refuses to agree to his proposal, but consents to permit Jews to open national schools where instruction should be in Russian tongue. Second resolution carried by vote of anti-Semites. It is feared that the latter adopted proposal only in order to compromise Committee, and that in plenary sittings of Duma they will reject motion.
- 1. M. Niselovitch addresses Duma on anti-Jewish policy of M. Schwartz on occasion of discussing education estimates. He complains that recent circulars regarding percentages of Jews in educational institutions were enacted by Cabinet without authority of Duma. He draws attention of House to rude manner in which he has been treated by officials of Ministry of Education. Deputy Nikolsky describes effects of new percentage regulations introduced into Belzi (Bessarabia) gymnasium. The Institution, he said, was supported largely by Jewish contributions, and all Jews asked for was to be allowed to fill vacant places for which there were no Russian candidates. This privilege is de-

nied to them and gymnasium is to be closed. M. Bulat criticises Government for not allowing Jews to teach in general schools or even to act as private teachers to pupils of secondary schools. M. Markoff advocates exclusion of Jews from all educational institutions.

- M. Stolypin, on receiving deputation of nine of Russian Rabbinical Conference, headed by Baron Günzburg, throws all blame on Jews for their depressed state. He says, "The Jews have greatly damaged their reputations and left sad memories of their revolutionary activity. The Bund and other Jewish organizations have dealt severe blows at the Govern-Moreover, young Jews have abandoned their religion and acquired no new ideals. is impossible for such a state of affairs to continue. If you educate your children in the spirit of the Law of Moses and teach them loyalty to throne, bad past will be forgotten, and we may then find ourselves in position to consider problem from different point of view." Baron Günzburg repudiates charges of Premier, saying, "All Russian citizens participated in revolution."
- Jews of Kieff send deputation to St. Petersburg to request Premier Stolypin to postpone expulsion of 5000 Jewish families, ordered to leave Kieff this month. Leader of deputation is Rabbi Aronson.
- 8. Conference of Russian Nobles adopts very hostile attitude toward Jews. Demands put forward in favor of excluding Jews from Army and high schools and for restricting their rights in legal profession. They even express desire not to admit converted Jews to any government or municipal posts.

 Duma approves National Defence Committee's report prohibiting Jews from entering military

medical academy.

8. Scheme of Committee for Communal Organization of Rabbinical Conference discussed at Conference. According to it, all Jewish inhabitants of town will constitute community, to be governed by elected council and executive with power of collecting contributions towards religious, educational, and charitable institutions. In addition, each synagogue will be managed by own council, which decides questions affecting place of worship. Odessa community recommends to Conference creation of special District Chief Rabbis to whom local Rabbis should be subordinated.

- 8. Rabbinical Conference settles rabbinical question with compromise, deciding that Orthodox rabbis should acquire knowledge of Russian language. This does not affect present Rabbis, who may retain their posts without additional qualifications. Baron Günzburg demands that Rabbis should pass recognized examination. His views are rejected, owing to protest of Orthodox party.
- 8. Rabbinical Commission decides that Jews who had not been initiated into Abrahamic Covenant should not be entered into Jewish registers and that Jews might use Russian equivalents to their first names. Their first resolution evokes great displeasure among intellectuals, while second decision receives hearty approval of all circles. Kertch police announce their intention to institute proceedings against leaders of Jewish community for using Russian first names.
- Dr. J. B. Sapir, member of Zionist Actions Committee, arrested at Odessa for making collection for National Fund.
- Meeting of Kieff Jews presided over by M. Brodsky. Decide to establish judicial vigilance committee connection with impending in wholesale expulsions. Committee empowered to assist those Jews under orders to leave Kieff by April 15. Wealthy and privileged Jews of city undertake not to visit any summer resorts until recent order prohibiting poor Jews from staying there is withdrawn. Their resolution creates great sensation among peasants, who wire immediately to Ministry, predicting their ruin if restriction is not recalled. Kieff police carry out successful night search for Jews, resulting in arrest and expulsion of eighty.
- Reported that Kieff Guild of Merchants telegraph to M. Stolypin and M. Kokovtzoff, Min-

- ister of Finance, urging that decree regarding expulsion of Jews should not be carried out. Some 2700 Jews are involved.
- Report that police of Smolensk attack Jews without permits of residence. Fifty arrested and expelled.
- 14. Deputation from principal commercial and industrial associations in Russia waits upon M. Stolypin and explains prejudice which might be caused by restriction of number of Jewish pupils in commercial schools to 15 per cent. Points out that these schools are largely maintained by Jewish subscriptions. M. Stolypin promises question shall be carefully considered.
- 15. General Dumbadze, Prefect of Yalta, addresses "Real Russians" and states, "I wanted to clear Yalta of Jews, but was disturbed in my work; I advise you to get rid of them yourselves. Refuse to let your houses and shops to them, even if they offer to pay double, and they will all disappear."
- 15 M. Markoff proposes Jews should not be admitted to schools for military medical assistants, and all converted Jews should share fate of Jews in Medical Academy. Makes severe attack on Shulchan Aruch, which, he states, teaches Jews not to cure Christians, unless compelled to do so. Jewish deputies deny statement. In view of attack in Duma on Shulchan Aruch, and criticism of Talmud at Nobility Conference, the Rabbinical Conference unofficially adopts protest against anti-Semitic Government representative proaccusations. hibits Assembly to issue official reply to "Real Russians."
- 15. Jews found trading in Polish villages expelled. Twenty-two artisans and families expelled from St. Petersburg, others from Charkoff. Jewish merchants of Second Guild allowed to reside outside Pale for three months during year, fined at Saratov for staying there. Rabbi of Nei-Bosan (near Tchernigoff) exiled in spite of petitions of local population, including Cossacks, on his behalf. Search for Jewish employés in shops carried out at Kieff, where 70, including 33 women, are arrested. Jews

who left city before August 1, 1906, to serve term in army, not allowed to return. Russian merchants and landlords appeal to Mayor to request Governor-General to cancel impending wholesale expulsion of Kieff Jews. Mayor refers matter to his Council. "Real Russians" encouraged by anti-Jewish measures arm band of 10 members and despatch them to Nikolsk suburb to "shoot Jewish Duma deputies besieged by individual petitions in connection with expulsions of Jews. Ministry of Interior addresses urgent circular to Senate, requesting it to decide question submitted last year, regarding residence of Jews in summer resorts. Report of Ministry unfavorable to Jews, but Senate inclined to undo work of authorities and grant Jews privilege of spending summer in country places, in view of numerous petitions of Russian house-owners. M. Stolypin's representative closes proceedings, with request to be permitted to draw up another report on subject.

Duma adopts resolution not to admit Jews to 15. Military Medical Academy, by vote of 144 to Admission always restricted, only two Jews at present in institution.

Russkoe Znamua complains that M. Stolypin is

15. assisting Jews in establishing Jewish settlement at Berditcheff, and "Real Russians" threaten M. Charusin (official who opened Rabbinical Conference) with death.

General Tolmatcheff prohibits Odessa Jews from 15. requesting Rabbinical Conference to create facilities for observance of Saturday as day of rest.

Ritual murder accusation revived at Konska 15. Volja (Lublin) and Rossein (near Kovno). Authorities prevent pogroms.

22. Polish Progressive Party issues series of recommendations to Jews as to course they should pursue, in order to gain sympathy of Poles and complete religious freedom. The Jews, they say, must not claim to be a nation; must assimilate with Poles and adopt culture and language of Poles. A few prominent Jewish groups reply that Jews need full emancipation,

- their language is dear to them, and that only when allowed to regain national consciousness will they become good friends of Poles.
- Letters from Kieff state that anti-Semitic riots are continuous. Jews driven like sheep to border. Forty families driven out of Ekaterinoslav without household possessions or clothing.
- Band of robbers at Kieff utilize situation created 22. by searches for Jews. Dressed as police officials they arrest Jews, allowing victims in each case to escape on payment of large sums of money. Authorities immediately issue order warning Jews to demand legal proof as to identity of officials approaching them with regard to residence in Kieff. Searches for Jews carried out at Smolensk; 50 young Jews and Jewesses expelled in last few weeks. again withdraws from Jewish dentists right to practice there. Several artisans expelled from Ekaterinburg. Police commissioner. St. Petersburg, arrested for permitting Jewish female student to remain in capital. Peasants in Ackerman district definitely refuse to comply with request of local police official to sign petitions in favor of exiling Jews from villages, and documents prepared by anti-Semites are signed by few hooligans only. Potchaveff "Real Russians" issue secret document requesting branches to send telegrams to Czar, praying His Majesty to expel all Jews from Twenty-two Jewish families receive orders to leave Turboy (near Berditcheff).
- 22. Russian Rabbinical Conference threatened with being dispersed by M. Stolypin, if they venture to protest officially against M. Markoff's allegations. Scheme for organization of community approved by conference. Decided that Korobka (meat tax) should remain intact, but that Jewish doctors and chemists should no longer be exempt from it. In order to remove certain anomalies, resolve to place the Korobka in hands of proposed communal organizations. Conference expresses itself against establishment of theological college in Russia. Number of Warsaw communal workers take matters

into their own hands and establish organization with object of opening Rabbinical Seminary, where students would be prepared for Rabbinical diploma and instructed in economics and other subjects embodied in curriculum of secondary commercial school. With regard to Poland, conference declines hand over to Rabbis supreme control of Chedorim and choice of candidates for communal councils, while it admits to synagogue elections all members who pay lowest annual rate of three roubles. Latter decision is great triumph for poorer Jews, who hitherto had no voice in management of their places of wor-Agrees with regard to Commission and Conference to recommend to Government that former should be convened once every three years, and that it should consist of 11 elected representatives, and also that conferences should be convoked in future, too, to regulate Jewish communal life.

Selma Kurz, Austrian prima donna, who accepted engagement for four evening performances in St. Petersburg, refused permission to enter Russia on account of her faith.

22. "Real Russians" force discussion in Duma, on question of appointment of Jewish judges; during second reading of Judicial Reform measure, M. Markoff again attacks Talmud, and ends by saying that Jews as criminals cannot sit in judgment of anybody. House is reminded by M. Karavloff that lawgiver of Christians was himself Jew, and M. Markoff's proposal that bill should contain definite clause forbidding Jews to act as justices of peace, lost by 165 votes to 134.

22. Important Conference convened, St. Petersburg, by Jewish Education Society. Question of superiority of Russian language over Yiddish among Jews results in decision in favor of former by majority of 24 to 3. Delegates express desire that provincial branches of society should make themselves responsible for education of Jews in their districts, and should pay special attention to its elementary stage. Opinion prevails that Korobka funds should

be utilized for that purpose. Delegates resent difficulties put in way of Jewish Colonization Association in making grants to Jewish schools. Point out that no less than 5000 roubles spent annually in obtaining grants from Association in Paris. Conference called on to discuss scheme for creation of Jewish schools, where children from ages of six to eleven or twelve should receive instruction in Hebrew religion, Russian, and other up-to-date subjects, special attention being paid to physical exercise. Scheme provides for free education in case of deserving poor. Committee, bearing name of Baron Horace de Günzburg, formed at St. Petersburg with object of effecting establishment of training college for Jewish teachers. Promoters of scheme have already 100,000 roubles for purpose.

22. District Assizes, Odessa, acquit M. Brodsky (former deputy) of charge of using name of "Arkadi," instead of "Aaron." Officials propose, however, to appeal against verdict to ask Senate to reinstate Brodsky; fine of hundred roubles imposed at first trial. Court also declines to close Jewish Farm at request

of Municipality.

 Duma rejects at secret meeting "Real Russian" proposal to exclude Jews from Army. M. Friedman is principal speaker on behalf of Jews.

23. Government order for wholesale expulsion of Jews residing illegally in Kieff and elsewhere outside Pale, to have taken effect April 28, suspended by Stolypin to permit further examination of matter. Local commissions formed to revise lists of those marked for expulsion with result that large proportion may remain where they now reside.

26. Retch reports that Government withdraws notice of expulsion of majority of 657 families of Kieff who were notified some time ago that

they were to leave at end of month.

27. Governor-General receives protocol from Senate, regarding Shechitah in Finland. Senate states by a protocol that majority of Senators are opposed to granting request of Jews to allow Shechitah.

- 28. "Black Hundreds" issue circular to all towns of Wilna Gubernia in which they ask peasants to send despatches to Czar and to Duma, with request to expel Jews from towns.
- Twenty-two Jewish families expelled from Turbov, Berditcheff, by order of Governor.
- 29. Authorities of Astrakhan prohibit Jews from Pale to enter local fish trade. Two Jewish families expelled from Grabovka (near Zhi-Senate decides that Jewish soldiers who participated in late war may reside outside Pale, except in districts where special restrictions are in force against Jews. Ministry of Interior issues circular explaining only merchants of First Guild, who paid their fees for 10 years in Pale, may reside outside Pale. Examination by St. Petersburg authorities, according to police, reveals fact that too many Jews reside there who make use of their trade to remain in capital. New law to be promulgated with view to remove these facilities. Deputation of Don Cossacks complain to M. Stolypin, that local chief is advising them to petition Government to exile Jews, promising them the confiscated possessions for their efforts. Novo-Roseisk "Real Russians" wire to Czar imploring him to expel Jews from city on account of their revolutionary activity. Petition received from Kieff against permitting Jews to reside in summer resorts, signed by railway officials, interested in rent of houses in country places being kept low. M. Homiakoff and Baron Meyendorff (ex-President and ex-Vice-President of Duma) are among signatories to bill for abolition of Pale.
- 29. "Real Russians" announce in reply to bill for abolition of Pale, they will introduce measure into Duma, to exclude Jews from all schools, professions, army, and guilds, and prohibit them from editing papers and owning houses and factories. Certain privileges provided in measure for Jewish converts.
- 29. Russian Rabbinical Conference decides against conversion of minors without permission of parents or guardians, and in favor of permitting Melammedim to teach Russian in Chedo-

Wish expressed that orthodox priests should abstain from attempting conversion of married Jews or Jewesses. Government prohibits conference from dealing with proposal of committee to petition Ministry to release Jewish students and pupils in all schools from writing lessons on Saturdays. Resolution regarding abolishing of candle tax and asking Ministry to defray cost of maintenance of Jewish schools allowed to stand over, as delegates recognize afterward that their decision would only endanger position of institutions, and fail to elicit support of Government. Conference evolves scheme for establishing recognized communities consisting of all Jewish inhabitants of town, and governed by elected councils and executives, with power to own property. Conference decides against Crown Rabbis and in favor of recognizing orthodox spiritual chiefs, who are to acquire knowledge of Russian; regulates registration of children not initiated in Abrahamic Covenant; alters the oath; places meat tax in communal hands; resolves in favor of allowing Jews to use Russian first names; solves problem relating to Jewish-Karaite marriages; admits poor Polish Jews to communal administration; and requests

convocation of Commission every three years. 29. MM. Friedman and Roditcheff endeavor to persuade Duma to reject clause of Building Bill. granting permission to build houses only to those who have right to possess land in that particular place. They show how harmful measure would prove to several districts and how growth of latter would be affected by anti-Jewish restriction. Similar restrictions at present prevail. In many towns city boundary is in middle of town, and as Jews are not allowed to build houses outside city, they are prevented from extending town. First vote favorable, but at recount amendment of M. Friedman rejected by 113 votes to 112. eral deputies afterward s' e they did not know what question was before them when they divided second time.

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- 29. A few hundred Jewish families from Vinitza, Novoconstantinoff and Szmerinka leave Russia for Mesopotamia and Syria. Several Bobruisk Jews emigrate to Palestine. Increased emigration to America noticeable throughout Russia.
- Russian Government gives orders that Bokhara-Jews in Turkestan should remain undisturbed, and also be permitted to reside in Samara and Khakara, Marghellan, and Luna.
- 6. Reported at Kieff that Rabbi Aronson, who went to St. Petersburg on behalf of community, was given to understand that expulsions had only been postponed for year, and that Jews are expected to leave quietly during next twelve months.
- 6. Right of residence in Moscow of three Jewish children questioned. Parents permitted to reside in ancient capital. Prefect argues that nevertheless children have to leave. Senate decides to permit children to remain in Moscow pending complete solution of case, and examination of reasons prompting Ministry to exile them.
- 6. Jews arrested in large numbers at Lodz, Wilna, and Warsaw for political offences. In Lodz Jews detained number one hundred. In Polish capital Jew imprisoned for keeping National Fund stamps in house. Several Jewish societies closed on ground of M. Stolypin's circular advising authorities to hinder development of national associations. Minsk Branch of Education Society meets with same fate, owing to objection of Governor to frequent use of Yiddish at meetings. At Bobruísk, Chief of Police demands translation of all Jewish songs on program of concert.
- Russian Government permits Karaites to hold conference at Eupatoria, in order to discuss extension of their civil rights.
- 6. Position of Jews at Smolensk grows worse. Anti-Semites, aided by authorities, practically succeed in organizing general boycott of Jewish goods, which, in addition to numerous expulsions, plunges local community in despair. Indications point to conversion of Smolensk into another Kieff or Odessa.

Reported that Kieff police discover 300 Jews at Dimievka (suburb of Kieff) were under orders to leave before spring. Expulsion may be expected.

13. Baron Günzburg announces gift, left in will of his father, to city of Kieff, of statue of Czar

Alexander II (work of Antokolsky).

15. Commission appointed April 23 to inquire into question of expulsion of Jews residing illegally in Kieff and elsewhere outside Pale, finishes its labors. One thousand one hundred and fifty cases investigated.

Premier Stolypin postpones expulsion of Jews 15.

of Kieff until June 14.

18. Reported 228 Jewish families receive orders to leave Dimievka, suburb of Kieff. Forty Jewish families in Tashkend have already left city.

- 19. Reported, in accordance with decision of Russian Council of Ministers, order limiting Jewish attendance in commercial schools of empire to 15 per cent, suspended for present. after Jews will be admitted up to 45 per cent of total attendance.
- 20. Petersburg triennial Medical Congress, named after famous founder Pirogoff, utilizes one hundredth anniversary of his birth for pro-Jewish demonstration. Deputy Shingareff, in narrating life of Pirogoff, speaks of his love for "the most oppressed nation" and his efforts to spread education among Jews are eulogized as protest against present anti-Jewish policy.

20. Professor Lokot, recent convert to reaction and anti-Semitism from Labor ranks, at St. Petersburg Congress of literary lights of Russia. attempts to demonstrate to delegates necessity of resisting spread of Jewish influence by severe Only two support him. legislation. tack him with great vigor.

20. Conference of Loan and Credit Societies, Kovno, contrary to expectations of anti-Semites, reveal fact that Jewish organizations are better managed and on a firmer footing than Russian associations.

20. Esperanto Congress at St. Petersburg, consisting of 700 delegates, welcomes Jewish founder of

movement, Dr. Zamenhof.

- Commission of Inquiry into rights of residence of Kieff Jews decides to allow only 10 per cent of 2500 families to remain in holy city. Rest ordered to leave during May.
- 20. Reports from Oofa, Tomsk, Tchita, Krasnojarsk, Irkutsk and Omsk tell of numerous expulsions of Jewish artisans, dentists, teachers, doctors and lawyers. In Oofa constables made responsible to superiors for illegal residence of Jews. At Smolensk hospitals issue written promises they will not attend to Jews not having right of residence in city. Viceroy again raises question of residence of ailing Jews in local spas in Caucasus, during coming season. Viceroy requests Government to grant Jews same concessions this year as last, more especially as local inhabitants are likely to lose considerably if Jews are excluded.
- 20. Duma reopens.
- 20. Reported by Jewish Daily News of New York that M. Friedman, Jewish Deputy of Duma, calls upon M. Stolypin for purpose of asking him to postpone expulsions of Jews from number of cities. Prime Minister declines to give any promise. Reported that M. Friedman will soon introduce bill to abolish Pale of Settlement. He has received 88 endorsements of fellow-members and expects bill to pass.
- 21. Hilfsverein der deutschen Juden receives despatch from Kieff as follows: "Expulsion of Jewish families carried out in cruellest manner. Respectable Jewish citizens corralled within police cordons and led in groups to Police Headquarters. Even in most favorable cases maximum of two days is allowed for leaving city." Despatch received from Moscow "Many expulsions of Jews occurring. states: Even children two years old expelled in cases where fathers are commercial travellers without permanent homes, although mothers are not molested, exemption not being extended to their children. Parents therefore obliged to choose between losing their children and abandoning their homes." In some cases permits granted to allow dispossessed time to settle their affairs, but order clearly given that all

Jews in illegal residence in Kieff must leave city by June 14. Same procedure contemplated for Moscow. According to cablegram to New York Times, instructions given to reduce number of Jewish residents in ancient capital at all costs. Local authorities engaged in giving notice to Moscow Jews whose expulsion is necessary for reduction of Jewish population.

 Reported that edict against Jews in Russia will be enforced. Many families banished. Efforts made to secure extension of time beyond one

month successful.

22. Important decision of Senate affecting Jewish question published, in which ruling is made that women's higher educational courses established in many cities are classified with university courses, and that privilege of residence outside Pale is extended to such students on same basis as to university graduates.

 Police of Tula commence to strictly examine permits of residence of Jews. Many, receive

orders to leave.

25. Official publication of list of 191 Jewish merchants of First Guild whose families are legally entitled to live in Moscow. Other Jewish residents allowed, in same announcement, one month to produce proofs of right to remain outside Pale.

 Expulsion of Jews from Kieff begins. Total departures 300 proscribed families, belonging to

poorest class.

27. Governor of Minsk institutes legal proceedings against several notable Jews for using Russian first names. Odessa Public Prosecutor appeals to Senate against verdict of local Assizes, acquitting M. Brodsky for using name of "Arkadi" instead of "Aaron."

27. Jewish population threatened with serious blow by Russian Sunday Closing Bill. Duma adopts proposal of Right that Sundays, New Year's Day, two days of Easter, two days of Christmas, and 19th of February (day of liberation of peasants from serfdom) be declared compulsory holidays throughout the Empire.

 Town Zambrov (Poland) destroyed by great fire, impoverishing over 700 Jewish families. Losses amount to 500,000 roubles. Fire at Ostrovzi (Radom) destroys several Jewish houses resulting in loss of 100,000 roubles.

- 27. Kovno Committee of Communal Workers authorize Deputy Friedman to introduce bill for abolition of Pale into Duma before end of present session. Measure bears 83 signatures of various deputies. Deputy Freedman informed of exile of eight Jewish families from Lesnizkovo (Ekaterinoslav). Forty Jewish families ordered to leave Tashkend in course of three days. Authorities compelling all housekeepers in summer resorts not to let their houses to Jews without special permission, even if they possess right to reside in villages.
- 27. Order issued expelling large number of Jews from Kursk, Tula, Tamboff, Charkoff and Ekaterinoslav. Numbers to be expelled in each place vary from five to five hundred. M. Friedman, Jewish member of Duma, telegraphed to, to secure suspension of order, or a delay. Request transmitted to Premier Stolypin, who says he cannot interfere. He advises appealing to Senate in individual cases where doubt exists regarding legality of expulsion, particularly in distressing cases.

28. One thousand and two Jewish families, Kieff, receive official notification that they must leave city. Additional 193 families living in suburbs are subject to deportation before June 18 unless they produce proofs of right of residence.

- 3. Jews of Kursk, Tula, Charkoff, Tamboff, Ekaterinoslav, and Toropza despatch urgent appeals to M. Friedman to use his influence on Ministry with regard to numerous expulsions from those districts. Ministry declines to consider M. Friedman's representations. Deputations arrive in capital from affected communities with definite proof that local police expel even artisans who honestly attend to their work, and children of recruits of Nicholas I.
- Government inquires into cases of Jews engaged in drug business, suspecting their using that

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privileged employment to avoid expulsion to Pale. Stores required to reduce number of clerks

- Jews excluded from Zemstvos by Duma. Deputy Tchechidze in Duma comments severely on grave injustice inflicted on Jews and draws attention to growth of anti-Semitism at headquarters. M. Roditcheff and M. Shingareff also condemn measure as anti-Semitic. M. Markoff. on other hand, thinks time has arrived for disfranchisement of Jews in parliamentary elections. Anti-Semite Shulgin admits position of Jews to be pitiful. "Each triumph of theirs. each new business opened and new house built only excites our attention and results in a pogrom movement. Therefore in interests of Jews themselves their chances of success should be limited." M. Friedman delivers powerful speech, making strong impression in house. He questions, "If you have decided to exclude us from Zemstvos, why do you impose new tax on us for keeping up these institutions?" M. Stolypin, who took part in debate. justifies his measure, basing arguments once more on revolutionary activity of non-Russian elements. Octobrists support policy of Premier, and vote for bill, carried at second reading by majority of 195 votes to 141.
- Jewish population of Dvinsk in state of panic owing to numerous fires in city. About 130 Jewish houses and several factories destroyed. Losses amount to million roubles. Large portions of Dalhinovo (Wilna), Teiraspol (Siedlece), and Mintavito (Suwalk) destroyed by fire
- 3. Russian Senate discusses question of allowing Jews to reside in summer resorts. Majority of members in favor of permitting Jews to stay in villages for summer months. M. Stolypin permits authorities to sanction residence of Jews in summer resorts only in individual cases, when applications are accompanied by medical certificates.
- Duma completes reactionary work with reference to Sunday Closing Bill, by entrusting administration of measure to committees, con-

sisting of Russians only, two-thirds of members of which belong to orthodox church. News produces consternation among Russian Jews. Kovno Jews ask Deputy Friedman to use influence in Duma in order to insert clause in measure permitting fruit-sellers to trade on Sundays.

3. Imperial Musical Society expresses itself strongly against limiting entrance of Jews to the conservatories. With one exception, Jewish students at St. Petersburg Musical College win every medal offered by institution. Council of St. Petersburg Conservatoire decides to request Government to exempt famous violinist, M. Zimbalist, from military service.

 Reported 200 Jews expelled from Kieff during past week. Governor permits 80 Dimievka Jews to remain there.

- 3. Government introduces into Duma new University Bill, one clause of which embodies existing restrictions against Jews in higher educational institutions. Temporary provisions against Jews will therefore be converted into permanent laws, breaking of which will be a serious offence. Duma Education Committee agrees in principle to M. Friedman's proposal to extend pension provisions to Jewish teachers.
- 3. Reported at Smolensk, hospitals required to issue notices that they will not attend to Jews not possessing "legal" right of residence.
- Authorities in Poland fail to prevent Jews from paying tribute to deceased authoress, Elise Orczeszko. Memorial services held in several synagogues. Important communities of Poland and western provinces send delegations and wreaths to funeral, and form part of procession. Jewish shops closed during funeral.
- Jews, unable to establish legal right of residence outside Pale, driven back. Russian Government pursues close inquiry regarding those engaged in drug business.
- Prefecture of police, Moscow, informs organizers of Pharmaceutical Congress, to be held there, that Hebrew delegates, who are pharmaceutical

assistants, will not be permitted to enter the city.

4. Reported expulsions of Jews from Russia increase daily. Up to date more than 30,000 Jews expelled, in most cases without notice, from forbidden territory; not less than 7000 of these resided in Kieff. Many emigrants proceed to United States, Canada, and Argentine Republic; many, under guidance of Rabbis, turn to Turkey, where arrangements are made to establish colonies.

 Reported 1421 persons expelled from Kieff, up to and including yesterday.

- 6-10. One hundred and eighty-five persons expelled from Kieff.
  - 8. Reported at St. Petersburg that Governor of Smolensk employs secret police throughout Province to trace Jews illegally residing there since May 30. Secret police and mounted gendarmes make house to house search at Polchinok, settlement of 200 houses on Riga-Orloff Railway. Ten Jews arrested and deported. Sixty caught in wood, in hiding.

Twenty Jewish families ordered to leave Lisichansk, in coal region. Petition in their behalf sent to Premier Stolypin, signed by their neighbors.

- 10. Large number of arrests occur in Lodz, resulting from house searches by police. About 100 persons taken in charge, most being teachers, lawyers and commercial travellers. Two Jewish societies, "The Harp" and "The Brotherly Love," suppressed. "Union of Jewish Textile Workers" disbanded.
- 10. Situation in Kieff grows worse. Large numbers of Jews, whose cases were not put before commission, discovered by police during night searches, and summarily dealt with. Expulsions assuming larger proportions than originally expected. Second deputation of local community goes to capital to plead for expelled brethren, but in most cases delegates refused interview. M. Brodsky sends telegram to Czar congratulating him on his birthday and appealing to his clemency to allow expelled Jews to remain in Kieff. Influx of expelled Jews

into near-by towns brings with it heavy rise in rent. Poor communities confronted with large numbers of unemployed Jews, thrown on their hands. Mounted patrols of police and gendarmes posted on all roads leading to Kieff summer resorts with instructions to prevent any Jews from entering them without permit from Governor.

- 10. M. Friedman gives notice of his desire to propose amendment to Sunday Closing Bill, granting Jews and Mohammedans right to rest on Saturdays and Fridays (respectively) instead of Sundays. The Mussulmans have introduced amendment providing for their own needs only.
- 10. Jews of Pjatigorsk inform M. Friedman of necessity of defining attitude of Government towards visits of ailing Jews to Caucasus. Local authorities expel large number of Jews. arriving recently, and refuse to extend to present season permission granted by Czar last year to remain two months. Bill introduced by Octobrists last year, authorizing all ailing Jews to live in Caucasus, has made no progress since then. Siberian gendarmes instructed to search all trains for Jewish passengers, and return them to Pale, unless possessing necessary documents. Thorough revision made at Zarizin with reference to right of residence of local Jews, and 50 of latter ordered to leave town with their families. Police commissioner of Ekaterinoslav dismissed for lenient attitude to Jew.
- 10. Unfavorable comments in foreign press about expulsions, and arrival of American correspondents to inspect situation at Kieff, open eyes of Russian Government to seriousness of its policy. Semi-official Rossia, in article inspired by Premier, expresses disappointment at new outburst in press against expulsion of Jews from various parts of Empire. "We proceed according to the law," is excuse offered by Rossia for wholesale expulsions.
- 10. M. Karavloff makes bitter attack on Government for excluding Jews from new institutions, when discussing each article of Zemstvo Bill. "The restriction," he said, "is a blot on Chris-

tianity; 2,000,000 Jews are deprived of benefits of the measure and are asked to raise a sixth of money, necessary to carry out scheme. Spain, Venice, and Genoa were all at one time very prosperous states, but thought well to get rid of Jews, and, as result of anti-Semitic policy, lost their power." After speech, majority closes discussion of clause dealing with Jewish disabilities, and disposes of it in less than half hour, in accordance with wishes of anti-Semites. Not even M. Friedman is given another chance to criticise the article.

- 10. Delegates of Toropza, Jewish exiles, produce at St. Petersburg proof that they settled in town 50 years ago, and that M. Plehve recognized their right to live there. Police offer no reason for expulsion, except alleged injury Jews were doing to native local population. Peasants of Toropza sign statement that presence of Jews in town is highly beneficial, and documents, despatched by police to St. Petersburg, illustrating harmful influence of Jews, are signed by people unknown to any except to police.
- Officially announced that Ministry decides to offer passport facilities to those emigrants only who travel on Russian ships.
- 10. Czar, in accordance with recommendation of Viceroy of Caucasus, permits all ailing Jews to live in local spas for two months. This time, special commission will be empowered to judge whether Jews are in need of the cure, and certificates of ordinary medical authorities will not be taken into account.
- 10. Russkoe Znamya publishes daily accusations against Jews that they steal Russian children in various parts of country, giving details how Jews performed such deeds in Cherson and Vetka and how two Jewish families in Smolensk inflicted wounds on a Russian baby.
- 11. Forty-five Jewish families expelled from Kieff.
- Retch reports 6000 Jews expelled from Kieff.
   Many wandering, homeless and destitute, on outskirts of city.
- 12-13. Ninety-six Jews expelled from Kieff.

- Jewish girl, in grief over her expulsion from Kieff, kills herself.
- 14. Nineteen Jews expelled from Kieff.
- Bill providing for abolition of Jewish Pale introduced in Duma, in December, has no chance of enactment. It is signed by 165 members out of total of 440.
- 15. Reported from St. Petersburg that Senate orders expulsion of Jewish children from Moscow to be suspended until decision has been handed down interpreting law with reference to children. Official statement by Premier Stolypin makes special reference to expulsion of school children from Moscow, explaining that professional women enjoying right of residence outside Pale may not confer privilege upon their children; as a consequence many children separated from their parents.
- One hundred and five persons expelled from Kieff.
- 15. Kieff authorities ordered by central government to proceed slowly in matter of Jewish expulsions. Instructions mean that Kieff authorities shall not resort to deportation by "etappe."
- Russian Senate orders repeal of ministerial circular, July 23, 1909, providing for expulsion of Jewish pharmacists, Moscow.
- Governor of Smolensk makes inquiry as to reasons that local Zemstvo employs so many Jews.
   He is told that, since their employment, frauds, drink and corruption in hospitals ceased.
- 17. Fifty Jewish families expelled from Libau, and thirty-seven families from St. Petersburg. All Jews who went to Darnitza (Tchernigoff) for summer, ordered to leave in course of four days. Expulsion orders served on Jewish residents in villages, in province of Ekaterinoslav. Governor-General of Irkutsk forbids Jews to stay at Lake Shiro spas, in province of Eniseisk.
- 17. Reported that emigration movement from Kieff is largest known since 1882. Many Jews obliged to leave on account of severe financial crisis created by expulsion of heads of several business houses.

- 17. Kieff "Black Hundreds" post large gangs at piers in Slobodka, where expelled Jews continually land, with instructions to attack them. Several Jews cruelly beaten in presence of police, who do not interfere. Russian trying to interfere on behalf of Jews also assaulted.
- 17. Duma Committee arrives at new decision concerning new Zemstvos and Jews. In western provinces Jews will be deprived of privilege of serving in local government institutions as doctors, apothecaries, medical assistants, and even clerks, as heretofore. Contention of a few deputies that it would be hard to find better medical authorities than Jews, ignored. Freedom of Conscience Manifesto becomes dead letter through latest circulars of Ministry and decision of Parliamentary Committee. Former prohibits all conferences likely to strengthen one particular non-orthodox sect, and latter deprives all Christians of right to adopt non-Christian religion. Converted Jews, therefore, will be again unable to return to their old faith.
- 17. New Minister of Commerce in new circular to authorities of technical high schools determines that percentage of Jews should be reckoned in accordance with total number of students in institution, and not with respect to newly-admitted ones. As institutions accepted large number of Jews during liberal epoch, no Jews will be received this year. At Kieff, heads of commercial schools still admit Jews in very limited numbers, according to old circular. Special entrance fees exacted from Jews. eral, rejected, commit suicide in despair. Friedman's proposal to remove restrictions against Jewesses in reorganized Grodno School for Midwives, rejected by Duma Committee. Staff of St. Petersburg female gymnasium severely reprimanded for expressing sympathy with teacher dismissed for his adherence to Jewish religion. Doctor Bendersky's School for Midwives, Kieff, closed at instigation of "Real Russians."
- Fire destroys two hundred Jewish houses and four synagogues at Borisoff (Minsk). Hundreds of Jewish families destitute. Several

persons perish. Second fire breaks out at Borisoff, destroying 250 houses. Large portion of Ivangrod, Iren (Lublin) and Belobrezeg (Radom) destroyed by fire. In Belobrezeg four persons burnt to death. Severe storm causes heavy floods and serious fire at Wilna.

- 17. Judicial authorities of Tchernigoff discover that they had wrongfully sentenced a Jew, Glusker, to death, a few months ago. Real authors of crime now discovered, and members of court-martial acknowledge their error. M. Miliukoff brings case to notice of Duma, demanding abolition of capital punishment and extraordinary trials in Russia.
- Senate acquits M. Brodsky, accused by General Tolmatcheff for using name of "Arkadi" instead of "Aaron."
- 17. Warsaw authorities prohibit all Jews from entering Central Park. Hitherto order held good only in case of Jews dressed, according to Eastern style, in long coats. Community despatches strong protest against new restriction.
- 17. Ekaterinoslav Zemstvo experiences great difficulty in obtaining sufficient number of doctors during cholera epidemic. When a member suggests that Jewish medical men should be invited to co-operate, Chairman replies that such a course would cause him "considerable pain."
- 18. One hundred and ninety-four Jews detained under arrest, Kieff, pending investigation into their rights of residence.
- 21. Orders issued by Governor expelling 139 Jews from Solomenka and 173 from Demievka who take refuge there after leaving Kieff. Organized search for Jews resumed in Dukhovshtchina district. Fourteen taken there under arrest after raid of neighborhood of Yartsevo station, on Moscow-Brest Railroad. Extensive house-to-house search in progress at other points.
- 22. Sixteen Jews expelled from Kieff, twelve from Solomenka, and eight from Demievka.
- 23-25. Forty-six Jews expelled from Kieff, thirty-seven from Solomenka, and thirty-seven from Demievka.

- 24. Opposition makes final attempt to persuade Government to admit Jews to new Zemstvos, upon third reading of Zemstvo bill. M. Gulkin. peasant deputy, makes speech, vehemently attacking Government for un-Christian and illiberal proposal to impose taxes on Jews for administration of an act of whose benefits they will be deprived, while priests are admitted to Zemstvo and freed from all taxes. M. Friedman, M. Shingareff, and M. Kuznezoff support M. Gulkin in attack on Government. M. Roditcheff delivers speech of the day. Bill carried by Duma, anti-Jewish restrictions being re-tained. New proposal of Committee not to admit Jews to salaried posts in Zemstvo institutions in western provinces, lost. Opposition makes great attempt to defeat motion. Shingareff argues it is impossible to restrict Jews any further, unless "Black Hundreds" wish to propose some day to execute them all. "Suggestion not to accept services of Jewish doctors in hospitals," he said, "is contrary to wishes of people, who respect Jewish medical authorities." M. Miliukoff causes heated dispute by asking President to call M. Markoff to order for referring to Jews as nation of criminals. M. Shidlovsky refuses to comply with request. M. Tchelnokoff complains "that the Right are trying to extend their anti-Semitism to beds of ailing peasants." the Octobrist, M. Amosenok, states there is no necessity to place restriction on statutebook, as composition of new Zemstvos was sufficient guarantee that Jews would not receive any posts in their institutions, the Chamber rejects anti-Semitic proposal by 156 votes to 107.
- Great fire breaks out in Sokoloff (province of Siedlece), destroys 200 houses. Fires destroy large portions of Gluboki (Wilna), Demblin (Poland) and Vidz (Kovno).
- Twenty-seven Jews expelled from Kieff, twentyfour from Solomenka, and seventeen from Demievka.
- Ninety-five Jews expelled from Kieff, fifty-two from Solomenka, and fifty-one from Demievka.

- 28. Jews attacked by "Hooligans" in Simna and Suwalka Gubernias. Pogrom follows; number wounded, while heroically defending themselves.
- Six Jews expelled from Ekaterinoslav, despite orders of Czar to allow Jewish invalids to visit summer resorts.
- One hundred and fifty-eight Jews expelled from Kieff, sixty-one from Solomenka and seventyseven from Demievka.
- One hundred and eighteen Jews expelled from Kieff, eighty-two from Solomenka, and sixtyeight from Demievka.
- (end). Government introduces Polish municipal bill in Measure restricts representation of Jews in municipalities to twenty per cent in towns where Jews form majority, and to five per cent in all other places. It prohibits Jews from becoming Mayors, Deputy-Mayors and Town Clerks, and provides that one Jew only be allowed to sit on Executive Councils. Duma endorses interpellation on illegalities of General Tolmatcheff during recent by-election at Odessa. M. Purishkevitch defends Prefect on ground that "in a town, where so many Jews and revolutionaries reside, police may disregard the laws." Notable employers and employés from Wilna protest against Sunday Closing Bill to Deputies Miliukoff, Tisenhaus, Gegetchkory, Friedman, and Niselovitch.
- (end). Mohileff (on Dnieper), six hundred houses destroyed by fire; second conflagration destroys another hundred houses. Local Jews form civil guard to patrol streets at night. At Svislotz (Grodno) four hundred houses burned and over one thousand families left without shelter. Large portions of Yastrozomb (Radom), Sumova (Lomza), Mezeritch (Siedlece), Bisnovitch (Podolia), and Derazchno (Zitomir) destroyed by fire. Russian "Black Hundreds" held responsible for fires.
- (end). Ministry of Interior permits Jewish Colonization Association to convene conference of its representatives at branches of Emigration. Society, in order to consider work of district committees, best methods of providing emigrants with

tickets and passports for abroad, schemes for medical assistance to emigrants and publication of pamphlets, containing information for people desiring to leave Russia. Conference to meet at Libau during summer. Permission to hold conference obtained in spite of opposition of Governor of Libau. Branch of Kieff Emigration Society opened at Warsaw.

(end). All doctors of Choral Zemstvo resign their positions on account of ill-treatment of Jewish medical assistant.

(end). Government awards orders to three Jewish military doctors at Slutzk for distinguished services.

(end). Twenty Jewish families ordered to leave Helsingfors, although old residents of city. Prefect writes informing them that their impudence in trying to remain in Finland surpasses all limits, but they will no longer be tolerated. Governor refuses to receive deputation. Herr Jacobson, editor of Työ, and organizer of movement in favor of emancipation of Finnish Jews, arrested at Viborg, according to M. Stolypin's instructions.

## NECROLOGY

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SEPTEMBER	24.	Chayim Lieb Morkon, Maskil, Wilna, aged 61.
DECEMBER	3.	Jacob Poliakoff, councillor, communal worker, Biarritz, aged 77.
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JANUARY	15.	Zvi Hirsh Rabbinovitch, Rabbi, Kovno, aged 60.
	21.	Isaac Myer, Rabbi, Zicklin (near Warsaw).
FEBRUARY	11.	Moses Denishewsky, Rabbi, Talmudic scholar, Kovno, aged 84.
	12.	Lazarus Gordon, Rabbi, Telsh, aged 65.
	15.	Moses Loeb Lilienblum, author and poet, Odessa, aged 67.
	25.	Saul Paduo, Rabbi, Wilkomir, aged 90.
MARCH	4.	Abraham Bornstein, Rabbi, Sochatchover, aged 73.
May	13.	Rabbi Schneerson, Zadick of Lada, aged 82.
	13.	Alexander Passover, lawyer, St. Petersburg, aged 70.
JUNE	24.	Aaron Landa, Rabbi of Biala, Warsaw, aged 54.

## TURKEY AND PALESTINE

## 1909 July

- Chief Rabbi of Turkey, at request of M. Babkoff, a Russian journalist, who was ordered to leave Jerusalem after sojourn of three months, makes representations to the Government on subject of restriction on residence of foreign Jews in Jerusalem.
- School at Jaffa taken over by Frankfort Educational Committee, opens under name of Hebrew Middle Grade School Tachkemoni.
- Chief Rabbi of Turkey receives letter from Jewish community at Bassorah, complaining of hostile attitude of Mohammedans, and too frequent connivance of local authorities. Minister of Interior, at request of Chief Rabbi, opens inquiry into the matter.
- Djavid Bey, Minister of Finance, Turkey, visits Chief Rabbi, and expresses satisfaction of Government at support which Jews continue to give, and devotion shown, to new régime.
- Sultan confers Grand Cordon of the Imperial Order of the Medjidié on M. Haim Nahoum, Chief Rabbi.
- 9. Chief Rabbi addresses long memorandum to Prime Minister with reference to service of Jews in Turkish Army. Privileges desired are: exemption from service of Rabbis and Seminarists; appointment of Rabbi as Chaplain in every battalion where imams and priests act in that capacity; leave of absence for Jewish soldiers on Day of Atonement, New Year and Passover. In conformity with unanimous decision of committee appointed by Chief Rabbinate to study this question, M. Nahoum states question of provision of Kosher food will be waived, as obligations to fatherland precede other considerations.
- 16. Mohammedan watchman, at Mikve Israel Agricultural School, near Jaffa, traps Mohammedan thief on premises, and fatally shoots him. His friend attacks school and some of the pupils, wounded. Troop of soldiers from Jaffa disperse attacking party.

- 16. Agricultural School, Kiriath Sefer, near Lydda, founded by Herr Belkind, temporarily closed. It is to be reorganized and reopened under auspices of public Jewish bodies in Palestine and Germany.
- Emperor of Abyssinia confers Order of Solomon, Third Class, on Chief Rabbi of Turkey.
- Vitalis Effendi Stromza appointed President of Committee to effect reconciliation between races in Macedonia.
- Law passed by Turkish Parliament according to which Jewish societies have privilege of purchasing land in their own names.
- Sir Gerald Lowther, British Ambassador, Constantinople, visits Chief Rabbi.
- Laying of foundation stone of new Hebrew Gymnasium. Jaffa.

AUGUST

- Chief Rabbi of Adrianople compelled by Jews of Demotica to resign in consequence of inaction in not protesting against change of market day at Demotica, from Thursday to Saturday.
- Restrictionist legislation, proposed by Ferid Pasha, late Minister of Interior, rejected.
- Palestinian Government authorizes purchase by rich Jews of Moscow, of 10,000 dunams of land at 25 francs per dunam, between Ramleh and Rehoboth, to found new Jewish colony.
- Emanuel Carasso selected member of Turkish parliamentary commission to inquire into Adana disorders.
- 16. Chief Rabbi of Turkey visits Minister of Public Instruction to inform him that very shortly a memorial will be presented by him to the Government asking for admission into high schools of the State of goodly number of Jews who hold scholarships, and for Government subventions to all Jewish schools in the Empire.
- Léonid Lam, composer, awarded medal of fine arts, by Sultan.

September

- Signor Primo Levi appointed Italian Consul-General at Salonica.
- Vitalis Effendi Stroumza, appointed member and General Secretary of permanent commission formed at Ministry of Finances, Turkey, to superintend finances of Macedonia.

- 8. Jews in Aleppo telegraph to Chief Rabbi, requesting his intervention with the Government respecting taxes for exemption from military service, on account of their precarious financial condition. Chief Rabbi prevails on Minister of Finance to telegraph to authorities in Aleppo directing them to demand only 20 per cent of debts due from Jews, and to release from prison those arrested for non-payment.
- 8. Talaat Bey, Minister of Interior, informs Chief Rabbi that his protest against holding of Fair at Demotica on Saturdays, causing inability of attendance of Jews, is justified. Government therefore decides that in all cities where there are Jews fairs must not be held Saturday.
- 12,214 Jewish young men registered as recruits for Turkish Army.
- 14. At request of Chief Rabbi, authorities take important steps to suppress White Slave Traffic.
- 22. Jews forced to leave Yemen (Arabia) to avoid conversion to Mohammedanism.
- 24. Meeting of Mizrachists, comprising all sections of Jews, held at Jerusalem, decide to found new colony on Jaffa Road.
- Turkish Government appoints Nissim Guso, Secretary of Finance.
- 25. Four new Jewish schools open in Turkey.
- 25. Minister of the Interior informs Chief Rabbi that proposal to abolish "Red Ticket" handed to foreigners landing in Palestine has been discussed by Council of Ministers, that not slightest objection has been raised, and that a definite and favorable settlement of the question will soon follow.
- 30. Respective Chiefs of Sephardic and Ashkenazic Jews of Jerusalem pledge themselves to work hand in hand in interests of entire community, and found relief committee for benefit of Jewish families whose heads will be called to military service.

### **OCTOBER**

- 4. Turkish Government appoints Israel Effendi, Chief of Police.
- Turkish Minister of Education provides in next budget for subventions to Jewish schools.
- Chief Rabbi addresses Minister of Interior, demanding punishment of persons who lynched

Jewish pilgrim at Hebron, for approaching too close to tombs of patriarchs (Maarath Amahpéla), access to which is forbidden to Jews. Chief Rabbi asks for abolition of the order and Minister telegraphs to Governor of Jerusalem in this sense.

- 29. Minister of Interior sends telegram to Soubhy Bey, Governor of Jerusalem, instructing him to carry out as hitherto all regulations on immigration, now in force, until Chamber passes new laws affecting immigration into Palestine; thus retaining "Red Ticket."
- Municipality of Jerusalem arranges for provision of water supply for that city.
- 31. Riza Tewfik receives Jewish deputation at Budapest, and speaks on Jewish immigration into Turkey, urging Jews to "do more and talk less." Value of Jew as counterweight to Greek influence emphasized.

NOVEMBER.

- Ahmed Riza Bey, President Chamber of Deputies, visits Chief Rabbi to thank him in name of Parliament, for having attended reading of Imperial Firman, thus giving fresh proof of attachment of Jews to the Fatherland.
- Minister of Interior asks Council of State to accelerate consideration of new law on immigration into Turkey.
- Several hundred Jewish recruits present themselves for enrollment in Turkish Army.
- Turkish Government favorably disposed to establishment of Jews in Mesopotamia.
- 16. Government publishes official notice informing all non-Mohammedans in Empire that by virtue of the law, associations are categorically prohibited from holding political meetings in churches and synagogues, which are intended exclusively for public worship.
- 19. Grand Vizier, at request of Chief Rabbi, asks Minister of War to appoint Jewish chaplains for battalions in which Jewish soldiers serve, to grant Jewish soldiers permission to observe high festivals, and to facilitate their being provided with Kosher food. Request made that teachers in all Jewish schools and students of Rabbinical Seminary should be exempt from military service.

 Government resolves to grant special religious facilities to Jewish soldiers, except provision of Kosher food.

## DECEMBER

- One hundred and fifty Jewish emigrants from Yemen arrive in Palestine; they are distributed among colonies of Rehoboth and Rishonle-Zion.
- 14. Report in London paper states the Ica sent well-known Zionist, Dr. A. Nossig, to Constantinople in order to confer with Turkish Government on Jewish colonization. Dr. Nossig puts before Turkish Government plan to colonize Jews in Anatolia. Ministry promises to introduce bill into Parliament in that respect.
- Imperial iradé confirms election of Rabbi Haim Bidjarano as Chief Rabbi of Adrianople.
- New school for poor boys and girls established at Haidar Pasha.
- Soubhy Bey, Governor of Jerusalem, tenders resignation; accepted by Government.
- 17. Grand Vizier expresses to Mr. Arthur E. Franklin the view that Government was not prepared
  to sanction entry into Palestine of Jews without means. It would favor those possessing
  capital or knowledge of a trade. Government
  is not impressed with agricultural possibilities
  of Palestine, but would be prepared to grant
  large tracts of land for colonization purposes
  in neighboring countries belonging to the Empire. He adds that the Government was
  fully alive to necessity of providing Jerusalem
  with an adequate water supply, and contemplates assigning certain revenues to Holy City
  and of raising loan for purpose.
- Government promises financial assistance to Alliance Israélite toward establishment of technical school in Yemen.

# 1910 January

- 17. Chief Rabbi Jacob Meïr, Salonica, Chief Rabbi of Turkey, and M. Issaharoff, Russian philanthropist, consult on measure for putting end to anarchy in Jerusalem community and of reconciling the Sephardim and Ashkenazim.
- Emperor of Austria confers Commandership of Order of Francis Joseph on M. Emanuel Salem, lawyer. Salonica.

- 20. Local authorities decide to sell by auction part property of Talmud Torah anople, for indebtedness. Chief Rabbi of Turkey notifies Minister of Finance, and points out to him that, according to Firman granted by former Sultans to Jews, all buildings used for public worship and for charitable and educational purposes were exempt from rates and Minister recognizes force of this and telegraphs to stop the sale. He promises also to send a circular letter to all the Provincial Governors calling attention to privileges of Jews in this respect.
- 28. Jeune Turc, organ of Zionist Committee, Constantinople, announces that Talaat Bey will renew with new Grand Vizier, Haki Pasha, attempt to suppress "Red Ticket" for Jews landing in Palestine.

FEBRUARY

- Turkish Jews raise money for support of fleet, to compensate for lack of active service in manning it.
- Report that new land law is to be submitted to Chamber. Principal provision of new measure will be clause permitting ownership of land by corporations, only condition being societies must be registered as Turkish companies.
- 4. General Jewish organization, through Turkish Ambassador at Berlin, submits memorial to Turkish Government for settlement of Jews in Turkey. Result of negotiations to be submitted to chief Jewish communities of Ottoman Empire.
- Rev. Haim Bidjarano installed Chief Rabbi of Adrianople.
- 8. Prince Mirza Riza Khan, Persian Ambassador to Turkey, requests Chief Rabbi to examine question of divorce affecting a Persian Jew, and to state whether the application should be granted by the Ambassador. He also informs Chief Rabbi that whenever there are disputes between Persian Jews, they will be referred to him and his decision abided by.
- Minister of Justice and Public Worship writes to Chief Rabbi, informing him that Ottoman Government is negotiating with that of Persia for conclusion of treaty of commerce, and asking

- him whether he has any recommendations to make on subject of religious interests of Ottoman Jewish subjects in Persia.
- Council of State approves statutes of essentially Jewish bank to be established in Salonica.
- 17. Chief Rabbi, in interview with Minister of Interior, asks for support of Cabinet in inducing Parliament to pass bill confirming rights of Grand Rabbinate which has been accorded by former sovereigns.
- New epidemic of cerebral meningitis breaks out in Jerusalem. Mortality very high.
- Yom Tob Haman, lawyer, appointed Judge of Supreme Court of Jerusalem.
- 22. Chief Rabbi visits Grand Vizier, Haki Pasha, and discusses relation of Turkish Jews to State and their organization. Government, believing regulation by legislative means would present difficulties, suggests leaving external question for present and dealing with internal problem by amendment of existing system, which could be introduced without reference to State authorities. Regarding communal tax, Chief Rabbi is referred to Armenian system, collection of communal fiscus with aid of the State.
- 23. Reported that Chief Rabbi proposes to convene, in summer, conference of delegates of all Jewish communities of Empire to consider reform of Rabbinate, and scheme for organization of Jewish community. Provides for establishment of metropolitan as distinct from national consistory, latter to be elected by proportionate poll, which will adjust present unfair preponderance of the capital in Jewish affairs. There are to be no life appointments, but regular elections. All communal tax-payers will possess franchise.
- 28. David Yellin, Rachmim Misrachi, and Joseph Eljascher elected members of Beladie (City Council) of Jerusalem.

# MARCH

- Large number of Jews recruited for Turkish Army.
- 4. Society "Tikvat Zion" formed in Palestine to establish colony there for Roumanian Jews.

- 11. Turkish Minister of Interior informs Prefect of Constantinople and Judicial Authorities that Jewish cheese and wine merchants must pay Kosher meat tax, same as butchers, and in event of non-payment they will be summoned before courts.
- 11. Isaac Florentin, Elie Benonsiglio and Sabetai Abrayanel elected to Council in Salonica.
- New Chief Rabbi of Adrianople establishes cordial relations with Armenian Patriarch.
- Two Jews are appointed judges in Courts of First Resolt in Beyrout and Jerusalem.
- Turkish Minister of Education advocates adoption of Hebrew as national language of Turkish Jews.
- Jewish National Fund grants local building society loan of 50,000 francs for new colony to be established near Haifa and called "Herzeliah."
- 25. Of 1908 Jews enrolled at Salonica, 1719 entered for active service; remaining 189 placed in reserves. Each soldier receives five piastres on his departure; Jewish recruits present this gift to Navy Fund.
- 25. Chief Rabbi, Salonica, protests that, despite assurances to contrary, during his absence Jewish recruits were enrolled in Turkish Army on a Saturday. Minister of Interior, Constantinople, telegraphs to Governor-General, instructing him to inform all whom it may concern that act complained of must not be repeated, and to see that justice should be done to all citizens, irrespective of race or religion.
- Large mercantile house, Salonica, owned by Jews, announces its decision to allocate for indefinite period one per cent of all cash takings toward cost of new Turkish warships.
- Governor-General, Salonica, refuses to confirm election of Isaac Florentin as member of Municipal Council.
- Minister of War grants leave of absence to Jewish soldiers in Turkish army on first two and last two days of Passover.
- Nissim Effendi Rousso, Principal Secretary to Turkish Minister of Finance, appointed "officier d'Académie" by President of French Republic.

APRIL

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- 15. Lieut.-Col. Dr. Elia Bey Modiano appointed Physician-in-Chief to great Military Hospital at Yildiz (Constantinople).
- Large number of Jewish recruits make demonstration at Haskeui to protest against being compelled to serve during Passover week.
- Jewish community, Nasibin, in Vilayet of Mossoul (Asiatic Turkey), complain of hostile treatment which they receive at hands of reactionary local officials.
- 29. Imperial iradé published at Salonica, sanctioning constitution of proposed Popular Bank to be founded here and which will be of an essentially Jewish character. It is to serve as basis for creation of loan fund for relief of families of Jewish soldiers.
  - Jubilee Celebration of Alliance Israélite Universelle at Salonica.
  - Commandants of several barracks, Constantinople, grant nine days' leave to Jewish soldiers, although official leave granted is limited to first two and last two days of Passover.
  - Minister of Justice, at request of Chief Rabbi, orders liberation for Passover week of all Jews sent to prison for trivial offences.
  - 6. Cabinet favors suppression of "Red Ticket," which is forced on all foreign Jews wishing to enter Palestine. It is expected the restrictive measure will be abolished. Liberty to immigrate to Palestine will depend on vote of Chamber of Deputies to which bills on general immigration will be presented.
- Jewish population, Constantinople, celebrates Jubilee of Alliance Israélite Universelle.

1. Minister of Interior, Talaat Bey, during debate by Deputies on distribution of £1000 as subvention to hospitals of Constantinople, says:

"Some deputies have spoken on behalf of Mussulman, Greek, and Armenian hospitals, but I note with regret no one has a word for the Jewish hospital, which renders great services. It admits all persons sent to it by the police without distinction of race and religion. I oppose proposal to divide subventions as suggested, but, on contrary, urge allocation should be made according to service each hospital ren-

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ders to State and its own merits." On vote, suggestion of Talaat Bey adopted.

 Letter and telegram sent from Palestine to Grand Rabbinate, Constantinople, states that Governor of Jerusalem, in conformity with instructions received from Grand Vizier and Minister of Interior, refuses sale to Jews of foreign nationality, of immovable property or land, or even to authorize handing over to some Jews title deeds of property bought before decision was reached.

 Chief Rabbi leaves for Jerusalem to endeavor to settle Rabbinical question, subject of dispute, past four years. Communities of Tiberias and Safed in constant disorder over question.

 Several Russian Jews, intending to emigrate to Turkey, advised by Chief Rabbi of Constantinople, to remain in Russia until Turkish Government makes clear its position with regard to Jewish immigration into the country.

 Kieff millionaire, M. Halpern, sends expedition to Palestine to inquire into possibility of developing sugar production.

 Isaac Jessua, Salonica, appointed Chief of First Division of General Command of Gendarmerie at Ministry of War, Constantinople.

3. Grand Cercle dcs Intimes, Jewish Club, Salonica, founds important league for Ottomanization of Jews in Turkey. Principal object is to establish evening classes for study of Turkish, and to secure admission into superior Turkish schools of as many Jewish students as possible, so as to permit of employment of Jews in Government posts and of their taking part in political life. Bases of similar league also laid in Adrianople by Jewish Club and the Association of Old Pupils of Alliance Israélite. Steps in same direction being taken at Smyrna.

3. Reported in Turkish press, 2000 Jewish families settle in village of Chottin in Bessarabia, and wanting to adopt Ottoman nationality, petition Government to grant land in neighborhood of Angora, Konia, or Constantinople. They ask, in event of land not being presented to them, permission to buy it and pay in small instalments. Regulations concerning immigrants

not containing clause concerning Jewish immigrants, the Minister of Interior asks Council of State whether regulations for Mussulman immigrants are to apply in present case or not. The Ikdam, daily paper, writes: "It has long been well known that Jews desire to immigrate in large numbers into Turkey. This is a very important question for us. Consequently, it is clear that the regulations which apply to Mussulman immigrants cannot in any way be extended to Jewish immigrants."

10. Jewish community, Haifa, brings action against editor of Arab newspaper El Carmel for continued anti-Semitic attacks. Defendant acquitted. Community fearing attack by Arabs, telegraphs to Chief Rabbi in Constantinople, who makes representations to Minister of Interior. Latter sends energetic instructions to Governor at Haifa to prevent any disorders.

12. Jewesses attending schools of congregationalists, Adrianople, take part in annual procession on occasion of Fête Dieu, joining in prayers and ceremonies. Indignation expressed by Jews this year for first time.

17. New Governor of Palestine forbids sale of land to non-Turkish subjects as well as Jews. British Consul protests to Constantinople, on behalf of one of his subjects—a Jew—refused ratification of a land purchase by Turkish authorities. Representatives of other nationalities also address protests to Constantinople.

 Nissim Roditi Bey, Consul-General for Turkey at Antwerp, appointed by King of Greece, Officer of Order of the Savior.

17. G. Norsa Bey, Comptroller of the Municipality, Alexandria, raised to grade of Moutemaiz, which carries with it title of Excellency, by Khedive.

17. Small-pox epidemic breaks out in Jerusalem.

24. Eight Jews are members of mission sent to France by Turkish Government, Nissim Rousso, principal private secretary to Minister of Finance, among them.

(end). Report of attack on Jews at Adrianople. Director of Police causes arrest of about fifty young men of leading Jewish families. Chief Rabbi

Bidjarano interferes and lodges official protest with Minister of Interior, who telegraphs to Governor of Adrianople informing him, he will be held personally responsible for any attack on Jews. Order restored and Governor promises release of all prisoners, except those who had used firearms.

Ottoman Chamber appoints Jewish deputies, Faraggi and Mazliah, to represent it at Con-(end). gress of Interparliamentary Union, at Brussels, in August.

(end). Invitation extended to Rabbi Jacob Meir. Salonica, to become Haham Bashi of Jerusalem.

#### NECROLOGY

## 1909

AUGUST

- 16. Samuel Salant, Chief Rabbi, Jerusalem, aged 93.
  - 27. Raffaelo Nahum, communal worker, Tripoli, aged 55.

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Joseph Hayeem, Chief Rabbi, Bagdad, aged 83. 1. 17. Nissim Moché Amon, Rabbi, President of Beth

Din, Constantinople, aged 72.

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- 20. Carlo Allatini, communal worker and philan-
- thropist, Salonica, aged 59. Baroness Hélène de Menasce, philanthropist, 29. Alexandria, aged 36.

#### OTHER COUNTRIES

1909 JULY

- Monument unveiled at Lemberg in memory of Berek Jesselowicz, Colonel in Polish War of Independence, hundredth anniversary of whose birth was recently celebrated.
  - Jewess of Burka (near Tarnopol), Austria-Hungary, abducted and placed in convent.
- New series of expulsions begin in Roumania. Jews of small towns near Jassy notified to leave within 48 hours. Thousands compelled to go.
- Jews in Jassy boycott tramways because conductor of a car refuses to stop while Jewish funeral procession crosses the street. Serious decrease in receipts alarms directors of company, who enter into negotiations with execu-

tive of Jewish community, with view to giving such satisfaction as will bring about removal of the boycott.

- Jews of Persia take refuge in Turkish Consulates during revolt. They appeal to Chief Rabbi to take measures that they may be accepted as Ottoman subjects.
- Paper by Nathan Straus on "Progress in America in Fight Against Tuberculosis," read at Eighth International Tuberculosis Conference at Stockholm.
- Emperor of Austria confers Order of the Iron Crown, Third Class, on Guido Adler, Prague.
- Haarbleicher, Chief Engineer of Navy, Austria, appointed Chevalier of the Legion of Honor.
- 16. Albert Apponyi, Minister of Public Worship and Education, Hungary, conveys official thanks of Government to Herr and Frau David Huebsch, of Temesvar, who present site for Talmud Torah and money for its construction.
- Austrian Parliament elects Delegation, from which Jewish members are this year excluded, to discuss common affairs of monarchy.
- 16. Isak Grünfeld, Sergeant, chosen for prize as most competent soldier of 5th Infantry Regiment, stationed at Szatmarnémeti (Hungary), which celebrated the 54th anniversary of the Battle of Custozza.
- Baron Rauch, Governor of Croatia, visits Daruver and assures Jews of his protection and of
  the impartiality of his views as also those of
  Francis Joseph.
- Jews accused of being accountable for scarcity of food in Roumania, as they purchase their food from the peasants.
- M. Elmaleh, Headmaster Alliance School in Fez, visits Grand Vizier, Morocco, who takes steps to redress Jewish grievances.
- Hostile demonstration by Roumanian students in Jassy, against Jews.
- 29. International Commission sitting at Casablanca, Morocco, allows claims solicited by Alliance Israélite for damage to school furniture and expenses of repatriation and maintenance of Casablanca Jews, who fled in panic, 1907.

- Committee of citizens, Ancona, Italy, appeal for funds to raise memorial to 24 Jews, burnt at stake, 1556, by order Pope Paul IV.
- Edward Frankfort, Amsterdam artist, receives gold medal at International Exhibition of Pictures. Arnheim.

#### AUGUST

- Austrian Government recognizes national rights of Bukowinian Jews and at next election to Bukowinian Diet Jews will elect their own representatives according to Jewish population of that province.
- Jewish Deputy in Austrian Parliament, in speech, draws attention of Government to Jewish poverty in Galicia.
- Austrian Government orders inquiry into causes of Jewish distress in Galicia.
- Attack made on Jewish quarter, Bucharest, Roumania. Several hundred persons injured.
- R. Vidal Hasserfaty, Chief Rabbi of Fez, intervenes successfully on behalf of Jewish community of Ouezzan, who were ill-treated by the local sheriff, Mouley Ali.
- J. Limburg elected member of Lower House of Parliament for district of Schoterland, Holland.
- 18. Heinrich Hirschsprung bequeaths magnificent collection of pictures to State of Denmark.
- Emperor of Austria confers title of Royal Councillor on Joseph Stern, President of Jewish Congregation of Altofen.
- Roumanian Premier makes statement declaring Jewish question to be entirely economic.
- Emperor of Austria confers title of Imperial Councillor on Herr Hermann Strach, Chief Auditor of State Railways in Ministry of Railways.
- 27. Committee under presidency of Mayor, formed at Lucca, Italy, for purpose of raising monument in honor of Heinrich Heine who wrote "The Baths of Lucca."

#### SEPTEMBER.

 Recently enacted Immigration Law, Hungary, containing regulations for protection of emigrants, and providing for creation of an Emigrants' Fund, goes into operation. It forbids, under pain of severe punishment, emigration to Brazil and Canada.

- Arie Duparc resigns as member of Town Council of Leeuwarden, Holland, after 45 years' service.
- Emanuel Wein, physician, presents favorable report on the Marmorek tuberculosis serum, to the Medical Congress at Budapest.
- Jewish population at Fez holds, at request of Sultan, a public fête in honor of recent victories of Sheriffian Army.
- 10. Calendar for 1909-1910 published by Czech Jews, Prague, confiscated owing to inclusion of an article entitled, "Comments on Czech politicoeconomical endeavors in theory and practice" and abstract of an article on Germanization.
- Galician Minister of Domains, Dr. Dulemba, promises relief to the Jews, in address on being elected to Diet.
- Julius Rosenberg von Satorkoe, legal adviser of Roumanian Consulate, Budapest, receives from King of Roumania, Cross of Officer of Royal Order of Crown of Roumania.
- Report of conflict at Folticeni, Roumania, between number of Jews and about 20 soldiers, in course of which four of the Jews were mortally wounded.
- Dr. S. van Os, President of Central Jewish Lunatic Asylum, appointed Knight of the Order of Orange-Nassau, Holland.
- Reports from Roumania state that Roumanian soldiers attacked Jews brutally without reason. Four killed, many wounded.
- Herman Van Gelder, Army Physician, Leeuwarden, Holland, promoted to be Lieutenant-Colonel.
- King and Queen of Bulgaria attend opening of new synagogue at Sofia.
- OCTOBER 8. Jews, Fez, cruelly treated by the Chamberlain of the Sultan of Morocco.
  - 8. Standing Committee of Diet of Bukowina elaborates a Franchise Reform Bill, whereby bodies of separate nationalities, Jews included, will be created. Zionists in favor of plan, non-Zionists oppose it strenuously. Court Councillor Dr. Kuranda, member of Imperial Parliament, is agitating for rejection of the bill.

- Emperor of Austria confers Cross of Commander of Francis Joseph Order on Commercial Provincial Councillor Goldberger of Berlin.
- Six Jews appointed to Bench as Judges of Supreme Court of Judicature for Austria.
- Austrian Government expresses its opposition to creation of separate national electoral bodies in Bukowina.
- 10. Two Jewish girls of Galicia abducted.
- 15. Court of Cassation at Bucharest hears appeals by Rabbis Dr. Niemirower and Tauber of Jassy, against fines imposed for refusing to administer the oath "more Judaico." Court of Cassation unable to agree on question, which is remitted to a considerably strengthened court.
- Hilsner's counsel, Dr. Auredniczek, goes to Pisek, place of second trial, to study its judicial documents.
- Jewish Communal Association of Shanghai, China, organized.
- 22. Jews of Tunis protest against statements made at Congress of Marseilles and Paris tending to represent them as partisans of native (Mussulman) justice; they affirm on contrary that they desire to be subject to the control of French tribunals only, and they solicit the Government of the Republic to attach them as soon as possible to this jurisdiction.
- Ludwig Pollak, Imperial Councillor and Archæologist, Rome, receives Order of Red Eagle, Third Class, from Emperor of Austria.
- Emperor of Austria confers title of Ordinary Professor on Dr. Leo Strisower, Extraordinary Professor of International Private Law at University of Vienna.
- 25. Koloman Müller created a Baron of the Kingdom by the Emperor of Austria in recognition of services rendered in connection with holding of 16th International Medical Congress at Budapest, and Professor Dr. Emil Gross receives title of Court Councillor.
- 25. Tobias Aschkenase resigns as Vice-President of City Council of Lemberg, owing to bitter attack made on him by the "All Poles" for having taken part in the inauguration of the Jewish Academicians' Home established by the

Rigorosanten Union, of which he is Honorary President, and which has neither political nor nationalist tendencies.

29. New restrictive measures against Jews of Roumania reported. Minister of Interior sends fresh circular to provincial Prefects, reminding them that "foreigners"—that is to say, Jews living in rural districts as administrators for farmers and representatives of forestry societies must possess a certificate of residence from municipal authorities. As this certificate is systematically refused to Jews, effect of new circular is the exclusion of Jews from situations of nature just named in country districts. Municipality of Bucharest announces that only "Roumanian or naturalized subjects may be admitted as tenants in the new artisans' dwellings which the city has built in the capital." These cheap dwellings will therefore not be at the disposal of Jewish working class.

 Alliance Israélite Universelle makes representations to the French Legation in Morocco in reference to hardships imposed on Jews at Fez.

29. French delegates to the Consultative Conference of Tunis resolve to request Resident General to include in agenda for its next session the question of the extension of French jurisdiction to Tunisian Jews.

#### NOVEMBER

- Masonic fraternity of Italy criticises Past Grand Master Ernesto Nathan, Mayor, Rome, for serving on delegation appointed by King of Italy to greet Czar Nicholas of Russia on occasion of his visit.
- Edward Brandes, writer, Copenhagen, appointed Minister of Finance, in democratic Cabinet, Denmark.
- Emperor of Austria confers Knights' Cross of Francis Joseph Order on Armin Friedmann, art and dramatic critic of Wiener Zeitung.
- Reported that forcible abduction of Jewish girls in Galicia for conversionist purposes assumes large proportions.
- Anti-Jewish demonstrations at Lemberg occasioned by proposal by the District Council to grant subventions to various charitable institutions, including one recently established by Jewish community.

19. Viennese Zionists protest against attitude of Jewish Deputy Kuranda, through whose efforts proposal to treat Jews of Bukowina as separate nationality was defeated. Demonstration at offices of Neue Freie Presse, which defended Kuranda, and in front of latter's house. Police obliged to disperse demonstrators.

26. Consultative Conference now sitting about to discuss question of naturalization of Tunisian Jews as French citizens, and of placing them under jurisdiction of French tribunals. Anticipated that these concessions will be granted.

 Rev. B. Frank of Jewish Congregation at Zutphen, Holland, appointed Knight of Orange-Nassau Order.

 Austrian Emperor confers Order of Iron Crown, Third Class, on Government Councillor Dr. Adolph Bachrach.

(end). Law introduced in Roumanian Parliament granting certain privileges to manufacturers, provides that at least 25 per cent of those in their service are Roumanian citizens. In five years, 50 per cent must be citizens.

DECEMBER

Prof. Salomonsen, Director of Germanic Institute, appointed Rector of University of Copenhagen.

6. Official action taken in consequence of remonstrances addressed by Alliance Israélite Universelle to Grand Vizier El Glaoui against cruelty of Sultan's Chamberlain to Jews at Fez. Grand Vizier summons Chief Rabbis and makes statement that Jews will never again have to suffer injustice at hands of the Maghzen, that forced labor will no longer be imposed, that Sabbaths and Festivals will be respected, that doors of Dar-el-Maghzen will be open to Jews and complaints may always be brought and will be justly dealt with.

 Ernesto Nathan, Mayor, Rome, receives Grand Cross of Crown of Italy from King Victor Emmanuel.

 Luigi Luzzati, Italy, appointed Minister of Agriculture, in new Cabinet of Baron Sonnino.

 Roumanian Government drafts two new laws against Jews, which close professions to them hitherto open. First measure, to encourage national industry, prevents Jews from obtaining appointments as engineers, clerks, etc., in factories. Second measure, Sanitary Law, affects Jewish doctors; it provides that no foreigner can practice medicine if he holds a foreign diploma; those holding Roumanian diploma have to obtain authorization from Minister of Interior before being allowed to practice.

- 17. Agitation started, Tunis, by Mussulmans holding meeting to protest against decision of Consultative Conference. Resolution adopted declaring that projected measure of placing Tunisian Jews under French jurisdiction, is a violation of treaties and constitutes privilege to Jews to detriment of Mohammedans, who constitute majority of population. Subsequent demonstrations held in city of Tunis, and French Minister for Foreign Affairs acquainted with result of meeting with object of preventing French protection being accorded to Jews.
- 24. Emperor of Austria sends acknowledgments to Dr. Edmond Benedikt, Professors Dr. Hans Gross and Dr. Joseph Rosenblatt for co-operation in preparation of reformed Austrian Criminal Code.
- 24. Emperor of Austria appoints Dr. Salomon Ehrmann Professor Extraordinary of Dermatology at University of Vienna.
- 24. Armin Schnitzer, Chief Rabbi, Komaron (Hungary), complains in annual report of Jewish Benevolent Society, that no less than 1383 Jewish children are being brought up in non-Jewish institutions.
- 24. Professor Jorga, Roumanian anti-Semitic agitator, announces intention to interpellate Government on alleged campaign undertaken at instigation of Jewish reservists, object of which is to preach insubordination. Old Jewish soldiers in Roumania address to President of Chamber of Deputies letter declaring falsity of M. Jorga's statement.
- 24. Austrian branch of the Ito decides only to call a General Emigration Congress, if statistical material it is collecting in Galicia should prove necessity for international conference.

24. Emperor of Austria confers Commandership of Francis Joseph Order on Court Councillor Ignaz Konta, member of General Council of Administration of Austrian State Railways.

24. Galician Minister of Commerce issues circular with concession to strictly observant Jews, directing that all postal matter which requires receipt shall not be delivered on Saturday and Jewish Festivals to Jews who refuse to sign receipt on those days. Postmasters advised to keep record of Jews who keep these days.

29. German Emperor confers Golden Cross of Merit

on Herr Kohnberger, Prague.

 Adolf Lieben, Court Councillor, Vienna, raised by Emperor to House of Peers.

- New Communal House presented by President of the Community, dedicated at Basle.
- 31. Jewish Communities in the Argentine Republic federate.
- Austrian Emperor confers title of Baron on Professor Herzel and Banker Byck of Budapest.

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- David Josephson, Lecturer, appointed Professor of Gynecology at University of Upsala, Sweden.
- Professor Dr. Wilhelm Bacher, Budapest, celebrates sixtieth anniversary of birth.

 Herman Trier, member of Lower House of Parliament, Copenhagen, appointed by King mem-

ber of Upper House.

- 14. Chief Rabbi, Copenhagen, suspended as result of controversy between him and Board of Managers of the community regarding right of assistant to admit strangers into Jewish religion. Chief Rabbi protests against suspension, holding he was appointed by Government with sanction of King, and only Danish Government has power to cancel appointment; and he continues to discharge official duties.
- 14. Belgian Foreign Minister, in speech, strongly condemns action of Russia in refusing to accept passports issued to Jews by his Government. He asserts conduct of Russia in matter has been one of factors that impairs her financial credit and standing in other countries.

 Solomon Reichard, lawyer, elected Mayor of Satoralja-Ujhely, Hungary.

- Emperor of Austria confers knighthood of Order of Leopold on Court Councillor Dr. H. Müller, Professor at University of Vienna.
- Dr. Auredniczek, Austria, advocate for Hilsner, receives refusal of request to reconsider case.
- 28. Board of Management of Copenhagen Community ask Government for assistance against Dr. Lewenstein, who has been superseded as Chief Rabbi, defies the Board, and refuses to be dismissed.
- 28. New Governor, Kazaroon, Persia, orders Jews to cut hair and wear special head covering. Director of Alliance Israélite School at Shiraz asks Governor-General to intervene. He sends message to Governor of Kazaroon, asking for explanation of his conduct and reminds him under liberal rule of constitutional Government differences must no longer be made between Mohammedans and Jews, who are alike Persian subjects.
- 28. New General Association of the Jewish Youth, Jassy, issues energetic manifesto, in which demand is made for equal rights, and declares Jews will no longer permit themselves to be treated as pariahs of Roumanian nation. Association will give lectures, organize classes, and open libraries with view to developing education of Jewish youth, especially of working classes.

#### FERRUARY

- One hundredth anniversary of birth of Ludwig August Frankl, Austrian author and poet.
- 4. Town Council of Hohenems, Austria, names three streets after Jews, Sulzer Strasse, Brunner Strasse, and Steinbach Strasse.
- President of French Republic confers Cross of Legion of Honor on Joseph Leinkauf, representative in Vienna of North of France Railway.
- Anti-Semitic Minister of Education and Public Worship, Barkoczy (Hungary), removed from office by Khuen-Hédervary Cabinet.
- King of the Belgians appoints Leo Weinthal, editor of African World, Chevalier of the Order of the Crown.
- Elizabeth Order, Second Class, received by Frau Rosa Zifferer, Vienna.

18. Dr. Solomon Reichard, elected Mayor of Hungarian town, Satoralja-Ujhely, resigns because of anti-Semitic agitation.

18. Emperor of Austria confers Knights' Cross of Francis Joseph Order on Herr Richard Wilhelm, publisher of Korrespondenz Wilhelm, issued in Vienna.

18. History section of International Exhibition of Hygiene to be held at Dresden next year, under patronage of King of Saxony, commissions Rabbiner Dr. Max Grunwald, Vienna, editor Zeitschrift für jüdische Volkskunde, to organize exhibit of Jewish hygiene.

18. Jewish Communities of Greece apply to Parliament for a grant for their support, which was

voted unanimously, without debate.

18. M. Diomedos Kyriakos, Professor at University of Athens, suggests to Minister of Education the establishment of a Chair for Hebrew at that University, and recommends Professor M. Pandyotopoulos for the post.

Ludovico Mortara and Vittorio Polacco appointed 18.

senators of Italy.

18. M. Panu, journalist, in Review Septamana, denounces anti-Semitic agitation carried on at Jassy, under lead of Professors Jorga and Cuza. He warns public that if the incitements to disturbance of peace be continued, scenes similar to those which occur in Russia will result. He condemns local authorities for remaining passive in presence of so dangerous a movement, and warns Government against those who threaten lives of Jews.

18. Program of Social Democratic Party formed in Roumania contains following: (a) Universal suffrage for Parliament and for communal councils; right of voting to be accorded every inhabitant of country above age of 20, without distinction of race or religion, born in Roumania, and not enjoying foreign protection, and satisfying requirements of military laws; (b) Abrogation of measures of expulsion and of all restrictive laws which affect certain categories of inhabitants; (c) Organization of free and compulsory education for all children, without distinction of race or nationality.

#### MARCH

- Great Council of Canton of Basle unanimously adopts measure for separation of Church and State.
- Dr. Carl Lueger, Burgomaster of Vienna and well known for anti-Semitic crusade, dies.
- 11. Emperor of Austria grants constitution to provinces of Bosnia and Herzegovina, which guarantees equal rights to all inhabitants without distinction of creed. Citizens of various religious beliefs will be represented in Diet in proportion to their numbers. Two seats to be assigned to Jews, one of them Chief Rabbi of Serajewo.
- 11. Professor Jorga interpellates Roumanian Government on steps taken by Jews to convene Jewish National Congress with view to claiming political rights. Prime Minister in reply states civil rights are equal for all in Roumania. Constitution confers liberty of press, of holding meetings and of political action, only on citizens. Government makes no distinction of nationality or of religion between citizens. As to agitation of non-citizens, Government reserves right of deciding what might be tolerated.
- 18. E. Morpurgo appointed Under-Secretary for Posts and Telegraphs, Italy.
- 25. Report circulated that Jewish Club, comprising group of Jewish members of Reichsrath, is to be dissolved. Club issues denial, declaring at same time that present deplorable political situation of Austrian Jews renders all the more necessary continued existence of this legitimate Parliamentary representation of Jewish people.
- 25. Italian Geographical Society elects Dr. Aurel Stein, Asiatic explorer, honorary member.
- King of Italy commands Luigi Luzzatti to form new cabinet. He thus becomes Prime Minister.

#### APRIL

- King of Bulgaria confers on Nissim Lazaroff, Headmaster of Jewish School at Dubnitza, Knights' Cross of Order of Independence.
- Roumanian Jews present memorial to Senate and Chamber of Deputies, surveying Jewish question in Roumania.

- Roumanian Minister of Public Instruction and Worship addresses circular to school inspectors to remind them, they are bound to admit to examination Jews who desire to become Rabbis.
- 1. Committee representing Bucharest community appears before King of Roumania and his ministers, with petition, calling upon Government to abrogate laws relating to Jewish traders. the oath "more Judaico," and other laws designed to limit activity of Roumanian Jews. Premier Bratianu listens to presentation, and agrees to take their arguments into consideration.

Jewish Congress, planned by Jews of Roumania 1. to consider status of Jews of that country, for-

bidden by Bratianu, Prime Minister.

8. Sig. Francesco Tedesco appointed Minister of Treasury, Italy.

- 8. Deputation of Hungarian Zionists waits on Prime Minister, Count Khuen-Hédervary, to call attention to fact that former Cabinets refused without reasonable grounds to sanction Constitutions of Hungarian Zionist Organizations. and to request that required sanction should no longer be withheld. Premier expressed surprise at action of his predecessors in office, and promised, after making inquiries he would communicate his decision on subject.
- King of Italy confers Commandership of Order of Crown of Italy on Cattaui Bey, President of Jewish Community, Cairo.
- King of Italy appoints Signor Barzilai, member 8. of Chamber of Deputies, Ambassador to China.
- Eduard Klein, Councillor, appointed Chief of 15. Press Bureau of Prime Minister of Hungary.
- 15. Pellegrino Rosselli receives title of Commander from King of Italy, after presenting to nation house in which Giuseppe Mazzini died.
- 15. Angelo Pavia, Secretary of Chamber of Deputies, appointed Under-Secretary of State for Treas-
- Dr. Mahler, Professor, member Austrian Parlia-15. ment, appointed "officier d'Académie" by President of French Republic.
- 22. Roumanian Government presents to Senate bill for encouragement of national industry.

passed, it seriously injures Jewish population. as it excludes it from employment as workmen, engineers, etc., in factories. Central Committee of Jewish Representatives addresses fresh petition to Senate with reference to proposed new law, in which Jews demand that in proportion of 75 per cent of Roumanian employés at factories. Jews who are Roumanian subjects should be included, and should not be confounded with Jews who are subject of other Petitioners call attention to disastrous consequences which new law would have for thousands of families of honest workmen, and they appeal to spirit of justice and humanity of Senate. Reported that Government of Roumania requests French Minister of Education to withdraw permission from Roumamanian Jewish students, to practice medical profession in France on passing necessary examinations, at University in that country. French Minister assents to intolerant request.

- 22. International Committee of Statesmen and Scholars, commemorate jubilee of conferment of diploma of Doctor on Tobias M. C. Asser, Minister of State and member of Council of Holland, by establishing library of international private law, to form part of Library of Palace of Peace, at The Hague.
- 6. Lay heads of Jewish Community, Vienna, take official action to oppose candidature of two renegade Jews for City Council. Converts stand for division of city where Jews represent 70 per cent of voters, and therefore control election. All candidates of opposition supported by Jews are successful.
- Deputy Gabel, in Austrian Reichsrat, criticises
   President for countenancing attacks on Jews
   in the Chamber.
- Roumanian Industries Bill passes Senate, with several modifications. Stated that Government does not intend to proceed with measure.
- 20. George Brandes notifies executive of Jewish community at Copenhagen of his withdrawal as a contributing member, giving as reason the differences which have arisen between Board of Management and Chief Rabbl, Dr. Lewen-

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stein, declaring in removing latter they acted unjustly.

20. Roumanian Government grants naturalization to 15 Jews.

 Moïse G. Treves, Council of Chevra Kadisha, and Leopoldo Wolff, charitable worker, both of Turin, appointed Chevaliers of Order of Crown of Italy.

 Gustav Klemperer, Director of Dresden Bank, Berlin, raised by Emperor of Austria, to the

hereditary nobility.

 Emperor Francis Joseph confers title of Royal Hungarian Court Councillor on Jacques B. Simon, Vice-President of the Bourse at Budapest.

21. Report of outrages on Jews of Persia at Shiraz; native monitor of Alliance Israélite, Nissani Machallah, assassinated in street by young priest, while defending two old Jews from attack of priest. Jew assassinated at Senneh. Fanatical priests at Hamadan preach against

Jews and incite population.

27. Report from Jassy that Roumanian Jews are active in defending their own interests. Leading Roumanians write in favor of Jews, and Deputy Arion speaks in Parliament in their behalf. Deputation of Jewish School Committee hand to Minister of Education protest memorandum dealing with unfair treatment accorded to Jewish schools. Committee includes Dr. Beck, Bucharest, Dr. Niemirower, Jassy, and Dr. Olivenbaum, Botoschani.

 Dr. Adolph Kohner, Vice-President of Pester Lloyd Company, and Jewish art patron, Vienna, made Court Councillor and granted exemption from taxation.

 Emperor Francis Joseph appoints Dr. Ferdinand Unger, Prague, Judge in Court of Appeals.

June

(beginning). Report of statements with reference to Jews made at Congress of Roumanian Chambers of Commerce, held at Focschani. M. Orleanu, Minister of Commerce, said: "Only when we are masters in commerce and industry, shall we be able to consider that we have been liberated from economic slavery. I have always had as

an ideal that in our country everything should be Roumanian." M. Buteulescu stated: "Commerce constitutes greatest source of wealth of our country. This is why the Alliance Israélite seeks to obtain control of commerce by lending its assistance to commercial undertakings of Jews in Roumania." M. Bunea demanded that "foreign" merchants who become bankrupt should be expelled from the country. Congress adopts resolution: Roumanian pupils, leaving commercial schools, who shall embrace a commercial career and exercise it for at least three years, shall be exempt from tax on patents for three years and shall have advantage of loans co-operation banks created with Chambers of Commerce and Minister of Commerce and Industry.

 Josua Salom, banker, candidate of Sephardic Jews, elected member by large majority for Serajewo in Bosnian Diet.

 Debate in Reichstag, on discrimination against appointing Jewish teachers to high school positions in Bavaria.

- 8. Hungarian elections for seats in Reichstag begin. Orthodox and Reform Jews unite in declaring anti-Semitism must be fought at all costs, and support given to candidates who express themselves in favor of denominational privileges being extended to Jews. Rabbi Loew of Ungvar issues letter to his flock in reference to elections. Priests visit villages, agitating against Jews. Bishops issue pastoral pronunciamentos in favor of anti-Semitic candidates, and the Primates' Secretary preaches from pulpit in favor of anti-Semitic group. Minister of Finance removes regulation which compels Jewish tobacconists to remain open on Saturdays, and forbids them to lease their business to non-Jews on that day. Minister of Education, an anti-Semite, gives Jewish deputation assurance that Government intends to respect religious convictions of all citizens. candidates are being specially branded as converted Jews to avert Jewish support from them.
- M. May, banker, elected member for Nivelles in New Belgian Chamber of Deputies.

- 10. Emperor Francis Joseph, Austria, concludes first visit to Bosnia since annexation to Empire. At Serajewo he receives deputations of Jews in Bosnia and Herzegovina. Replies to address delivered by Josua Salom, thanking Jews for evidence given of loyalty and assuring them of good will and favor.
- Gustave Bauer, banker, Madrid, elected deputy for Corogna, to Spanish Parliament. First Jew elected to public office since expulsion in 1492.
- 11. Official Gazette, Spain, publishes decree concerning interpretation to be given in future to Article 11 of the Constitution, dealing with religious matters. Decree states that religious meetings will henceforth not be considered public demonstrations, and authorizes use of flags, religious emblems, notices, and all other external signs characterizing buildings designed for forms of worship differing from the Spanish State religion.
- Reports received from Ternovitch, Roumania, states Jews were attacked. Four killed, twenty-one severely wounded.
- 15. Reported from Jassy that ill-treatment of Jews in Roumania becomes more severe than ever before. Expulsions increase. Report that four Jews were driven out. One Jew attacked, robbed and killed.
- 17. Reported for several weeks past peasants at Futonna (Galicia) carry on hostile movement against Jews, developing at times into excesses. Property belonging to Jews destroyed, several severely assaulted and subjected to personal indignities. Local authorities refuse protection to Jews, and police refuse to intervene further after aggressors who were arrested are acquitted by magistrate.
- King of Italy appoints Dr. S. Nar, Surgeon to the Italian Hospital in Constantinople, Officer of the Order of the Crown.
- Arthur Wellisch, architect, Budapest, granted hereditary patent of nobility.
- Eighteen Jews elected to Hungarian Parliament, thirteen belonging to Government Party, one to the Justh, two to the Kossuth, and two to the Democratic Party.

- 17. Committee formed at Geneva with view to erection of monument to actress. Rachel Felix.
- 24. Arrest of twenty young Jews, Saffi, Morocco, caused by Kadi, without investigation of charge that Jewish population removed from custody young Jew, arrested after dispute with an Arab. Intervention of Headmaster of Alliance Israélite school and of French Consul necessary before liberation is effected.
- 24. Deputation of Austrian Society for Combating Anti-Semitism (non-Jewish organization) waits on Procurator-General, Privy Councillor Dr. von Schrott, and requests him to order new investigation with view to a pardon being granted to Leopold Hilsner, alleged perpetrator of a so-called ritual murder at Polna. Procurator-General, in reply, said there were great difficulties in way of formal re-opening of case, but expressed willingness thoroughly to examine any fresh document concerning it that might be submitted to him.
- 24. Victor Cattan elected President of the Order of Advocates at Tunis.
- 24. E. T. V. Meyer, former Swedish Minister of Finance, appointed Chairman of General Swedish Hypothek Bank (state institution), Sweden.
- 24. Wilhelm Bacher, professor, Budapest, receives Order of Iron Crown, third-class.
- (end). Joseph Schey von Koromla, member Austrian
  House of Peers, elected Dean of Faculty of Law
  at University of Vienna. Karl Stoss elected
  Pro-Dean of same Faculty.
- (end). Jewish Museum, containing valuable exhibits, opens at Prague.

#### NECROLOGY

1909 July

- 4. Wilhelm Beck, philanthropist, Vienna, aged 91.
- Philipp Fruchtmann, Burgomaster of Stryj, member of Galician Diet.
- Jacob Vandor, physician and philanthropist, Budapest.

AUGUST

- Moses Bloch, Rabbi, ex-president of Corps of Professors at Rabbinical Seminary, Budapest, aged 95.
- Alexander Rosenberg, Chief Rabbi of Liberal Congregation at Arad (Hungary), aged 64.

September	2.	Moses S. Nahon, banker and merchant, Tangier, aged 58.
	23.	Theodor Ritter von Goldschmidt, member of City Council and philanthropist, Vienna, aged 73.
	24.	Baron George Rosenthal, banker, Amsterdam, aged 81.
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	24.	Adolphe von Stein, Baron and member of Consular Corps, Antwerp.
	29.	S. Braunschweig, President Zurich Jewish Community, Zurich, aged 56.
November	24.	Theodor Ritter von Taussig, banker, Meran, Austria.
DECEMBER	3.	B. de Casseres, Knight of Order of Orange-Nassau, Curação, Dutch West Indies, aged 88.
	19.	Aage Hirschsprung, publisher, Copenhagen, aged 40.
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JANUARY	11.	Eduard Pick, major, Vienna, Austria, aged 57.
	<b>26</b> .	Dr. de Sémo, physician, officer of Crown of Italy, Alexandria, Egypt.
FEBRUARY	2.	Solomon Rubin, author, Cracow, Austria, aged 87.
	6.	Ferdinand Klebinder, journalist, Vienna, aged 63.
	7.	Martin Ekenberg, scientist, Sweden.
	21.	Robert Fraenckel, manufacturer, Copenhagen.
	25.	Samuel Rona, professor and physician, Budapest, aged 53.
MARCH	4.	Herman Heijermans, member Council of Jewish Community, Rotterdam, aged 85.
	11.	Vittorio de Rossi, lawyer, Leghorn, Italy.
	25.	Ugo Pisa, senator, Milan, Italy, aged 65.
APRIL	8.	Wilhelm Joseffy, Talmudical scholar, Budapest, aged 86.
	24.	Max Weinberger, Chief Inspector of Imperial and Royal Austrian Northern Railway, Vienna.
MAY	4.	Wilhelm Pollak, Imperial Councillor, member of Council of Chamber of Commerce and of State Railways, Vienna, aged 56.
	14.	Joseph Grünfeld, physician, Vienna, aged 70.
JUNE	10.	Emil Zuckerkandl, court councillor and anatomist, Vienna, aged 61.
	11.	Isaac Moses Hartwig Glückstadt, financier, Copenhagen, Denmark, aged 71.
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# THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES AND AFFAIRS OF INTEREST TO THE JEWS

1909 Dec.

- 4. Hon. Simon Wolf, representing the Independent Order of B'nai B'rith and the Board of Delegates of the Union of American Hebrew Congregations, and Judge Julian W. Mack, for the American Jewish Committee, appear before the U. S. Immigration Commission and argue against any further restriction of immigration.
- 7. Rep. Everis A. Hayes (Cal.) introduces bill (H. R. 13,404), providing for a head tax of \$10, an educational test, the exclusion of aliens not having \$25, the registration of aliens, the abolition of the Division of Information of the Immigration Bureau, and other restrictive measures.
- Sen. William P. Dillingham (Vt.), on behalf of the Immigration Commission, presents a report on steerage conditions on vessels carrying immigrants (S. Doc. 206).
- Rep. William Richardson (Ala.) introduces bill (H. R. 14,492), providing for a head tax of \$20 on immigrants.
- 15. Rep. Augustus P. Gardner (Mass.) introduces bill, providing for an educational test for immigrants over 16 years of age except dependent parents or grand-parents and sons or daughters under 21 years of age who accompany admissible aliens.
- 15. Rep. Adolph J. Sabath (III.) introduces bill (H. R. 15,431), providing for the punishment by imprisonment and for the subsequent deportation of aliens who attempt to enter the United States after they have been debarred for being prostitutes or procurers.
- Sen. Dillingham, on behalf of the Immigration Commission, presents report on changes in bodily form of descendants of immigrants (S. Doc. 208).
- Sen. Lee S. Overman (N. C.) introduces bill (S. 4514), providing for a \$10 head tax, an educational test, the production of certificate of good character, the possession of \$25, and other restrictive features.

 Rep. Augustus P. Gardner (Mass.) introduces bill (H. R. 16,036), providing for a head tax of \$10 and an educational test for all immigrants over 16 years of age.

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- Jan. 5. Sen. William P. Dillingham (Vt.) introduces bill (S. 4667), to provide for United States surgeons, immigrant inspectors, and matrons on vessels carrying immigrant or emigrant passengers between ports of the United States and foreign ports.
  - Rep. William S. Bennet (N. Y.) introduces bill (H. R. 17,159), providing for the deportation of aliens sentenced to a State prison or penitentiary for one year or more, at the expiration of sentence.
  - Rep. Henry M. Goldfogle (N. Y.) introduces resolution (H. Res. 198), providing for an investigation by the Committee on Immigration and Naturalization of the conditions existing in the offices of the clerks of the courts having jurisdiction in naturalization proceedings.
  - Rep. Benjamin F. Howell (N. J.) introduces bill (H. R. 17,262) (same as bill introduced by Sen. Dillingham, Jan. 5).
  - Rep. William Sulzer (N. Y.) introduces concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 29), for the prevention of the separation of families because of the inadmissibility of one or more members.
  - Sen. Dillingham presents report on the progress of the work of Immigration Commission together with an estimate of the appropriation necessary to complete its report.
  - Sen. Dillingham, on behalf of the Immigration Commission, presents report on the occupations of first and second generations of immigrants to the United States (S. Doc. 282).
  - 14. Rep. William S. Bennet (N. Y.) introduces resolution (H. Res. 234), requesting the President to consider the expediency of appointing special commissioners to foreign countries for the purpose of entering upon agreements for the prevention of the emigration, to the United States, of aliens belonging to the excluded classes.
  - Rep. William S. Bennet (N. Y.) introduces bill (H. R. 18,164), providing for the return of aliens brought into the United States in violation of law.

- 14. Rep. William S. Bennet (N. Y.) introduces bill (H. R. 18,172), providing for the punishment by imprisonment and subsequent deportation of aliens attempting to enter the United States after having been debarred or deported for any cause involving moral turpitude.
- Rep. John L. Burnett (Ala.) introduces Bill (H. R. 18,288), providing for the deportation of convicted aliens at the expiration of sentence.
- Sen. Morgan G. Bulkeley (Conn.) presents joint resolution passed by the Legislature of Connecticut on April 14, 1909, relative to the protection of American citizens abroad, regardless of race or creed.
- Sen. Joseph F. Johnston (Ala.) submits a report (No. 81), on the bill (S. 404) introduced by him on March 22, 1909, for the proper observance of Sunday as a day of rest in the District of Columbia.
- 17. Rep. Herbert Parsons (N. Y.) introduces bill (H. R. 18,377), permitting the immigration of persons otherwise admissible who have been convicted of an offense purely political, not excepting an offense "involving moral turpitude."
- Rep. Everis A. Hayes (Cal.) introduces bill (H. R. 18,898), defining the term "alien" as "any person who is not a citizen of the United States."
- 24. Rep. John L. Burnett (Ala.) introduces bill, providing for \$5 head tax, an educational test for all immigrants, the deportation of aliens without \$30 (females \$20), and the examination of emigrants at place of embarkation.
- 24. Rep. Adolph J. Sabath (Ill.), in a speech in the House, denounces the Immigration Commission for its "libel" on the Jewish people in its report on the White Slave Traffic.
- James H. Patten, Secretary of the Immigration Restriction League, appears before the House Committee on Immigration, and argues in favor of the Hayes bill (H. R. 13,404).
- Rep. Henry M. Goldfogle (N. Y.) introduces bill providing for the deportation of convicted aliens upon the expiration of sentence.
- 27. After debate, in the course of which Senators Bailey (Tex.) and Money (Miss.) pay tribute to Jewish people, Senate passes bill (S. 404), introduced by Senator J. F. Johnston (Ala.), on March 22, 1909, for the proper observance of Sunday as a day of rest in

the District of Columbia, amended so as to exempt from its penalties persons who observe as a day of rest any other day of the week than Sunday.

- Sen. Dillingham, on behalf of the Immigration Commission, presents a report on immigrants in cities.
- Feb. 1. Rep. John L. Burnett (Ala.) introduces bill (H. R. 19,861), providing for the deportation of aliens convicted of crime within five years after arrival, upon the expiration of sentence.
  - Reps. Sulzer and Goldfogle (N. Y.) appear before the House Committee on Immigration, to argue in favor of House Resolution 29, introduced by Rep. Sulzer, to prevent the separation of families.
  - Rep. William S. Bennet (N. Y.), from the Committee on Immigration, reports bill (H. R. 20,166), in lieu of bills introduced by Representatives Bennet, Goldfogle, and Burnett, for the deportation of convicted aliens.
  - 8. William B. Griffith, representing the State Council, Junior Order United American Mechanics of the State of New York, appears before House Committee on Immigration and argues for further restriction.
  - James H. Patten, Secretary Immigration Restriction League, appears before House Committee on Immigration in favor of an educational test.
  - Rep. Everis A. Hayes (Cal.) introduces bill (H. R. 20,379), excluding all aliens who, under Section 2169 of the Revised Statutes, cannot become naturalized.
  - Rep. Benjamin F. Howell (N. J.) introduces bill (H. R. 20,980) for the deportation of alien criminals.
  - Rep. Martin Dies (Tex.), in speaking to a bill making an appropriation for the Bureau of Indian Affairs, makes anti-immigration speech.
  - Rep. Adolph J. Sabath (Ill.) introduces bill (H. R. 21,325), for the prevention of the separation of families because of the inadmissibility of one or more members.
  - Rep. Everis A. Hayes (Cal.) introduces bill (H. R. 21,342), providing that the naturalization laws shall apply only to "white persons of the Caucasian race."
     Sen. Wesley L. Jones (Wash.) introduces bill (S.
  - Sen. Wesley L. Jones (Wash.) introduces bill (S. 6552), providing for the purchase of a site and the erection thereon of an immigrant station at Tacoma, Wash.

- Rep. Adolph J. Sabath (Ill.) introduces bill (H. R. 21,426), to increase the scope of the work of the Division of Information of the United States Immigration Service.
- Arthur E. Holder, representing the American Federation of Labor, appears before House Committee on Immigration in favor of further restriction of immigration.
- 22. Rep. Politte Elvins (Mo.) introduces bills (H. R. 21,584 and 21,588), providing for an educational test for all aliens, and the exclusion of all persons between the ages of sixteen and fifty years who cannot pass the physical examination prescribed for recruits by the military regulations of the United States Army, those not possessing \$100, persons economically undesirable; and containing other restrictive features.
- Sen. Dillingham, on behalf of the Immigration Commission, presents a report on immigrant banks.
- 28. Delegation representing the American Association of Foreign Newspapers, appears before the House Committee on Immigration and presents resolutions opposing further restriction of immigration.
- Mar. 8. T. J. Brooks, representing the Farmers' Educational and Co-operative Union, appears before the House Committee on Immigration and argues for a more stringent administration of the immigration laws, and for further restriction of immigration.
  - A. A. Roe, representing The Brotherhood of Railroad Firemen and the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen, appears before the House Committee on Immigration in favor of further restriction of immigration.
  - Rep. William S. Bennet (N. Y.) appears before House Committee on Immigration, in opposition to further restriction of immigration.
  - 11. Dr. Cyrus Adler, Mr. Cyrus L. Sulzberger, Mr. Louis Marshall, and Mr. Harry Cutler, representing the American Jewish Committee; Hon. Simon Wolf, Mr. Abram I. Elkus, Mr. Max J. Kohler, and Rabbi Abram Simon, representing the Independent Order of B'nai B'rith and the Board of Delegates of the Union of American Hebrew Congregations; and Judge Leon Sanders, President of the Independent Order B'rith Abraham, appear before the House Committee on Immigration and make a protest against further restriction of immigration. (For account of this hearing, see pp. 19-98.)

11. Rep. Samuel L. Gilmore (La.) introduces bill (H. R. 22.793), to restore endowment of Judah Touro Almshouse, of New Orleans, La.

12. Rep. John A. Keliher (Mass.) appears before House Committee on Immigration, in opposition to further restriction of immigration.

14. Rep. John L. Burnett (Ala.) appears before House Committee on Immigration, in favor of further restriction of immigration.

14. Rep. Adolph J. Sabath (Ill.) appears before House Committee on Immigration, in opposition to further. restriction of immigration.

House Committee on Immigration decides to postpone action on bills restricting immigration until the next session of Congress (Dec., 1910).

April 1. Sen. Dillingham, on behalf of Immigration Commission, presents report on immigration in Canada.

- Rep. Joseph F. O'Connell (Mass.) introduces bill (H. 15. R. 24.550), for the prevention of the separation of families through the inadmissibility of one or more members.
- 15. Rep. Adolph J. Sabath (III.) introduces bill (H. R. 24,555), to increase the scope of the Division of Information, United States Immigration Service.
- Rep. William S. Bennet (N. Y.), from the Committee on Immigration, reports bill (H. R. 24,695), in lieu of 19. bills introduced by Representatives Sabath and O'Connell and resolution introduced by Rep. Sulzer, for the prevention of the separation of families because of the inadmissibility of one or more members.
- 26. Rep. Everis A. Hayes (Cal.) introduces bill (H. R. 24,993), providing that Section 2169 of the Revised Statutes, which accords the right of naturalization to "free white persons" and Africans, shall not be construed so as to prevent "Asiatics who are Armenians, Syrians, or Jews from becoming naturalized citizens."
- Rep. Francis B. Harrison (N. Y.) introduces resolution 30. (H. Res. 615), deploring the persecution of the Jews of Russia and the restrictions upon their natural rights, and requesting the President to use the good and friendly offices of the United States with the Russian Government to secure action for the prevention of outrages in the future.

House passes Mr. Hayes' bill, introduced April 26, ex-May 2. pressly permitting Asiatics who are Armenians, Syrians, and Jews to become naturalized citizens.

- June 9. Committee of Foreign Affairs, House of Representatives, requested by members of House and by Rabbis and others to pass resolution (H. Res. 615, see above) introduced by Rep. Harrison of New York, on April 30.
  - Department of State issues report from charge d'affaires at St. Petersburg respecting expulsions from Kieff.
  - Rep. Henry M. Goldfogle (N. Y.) introduces resolution (H. Res. 733), providing for an investigation of conditions in the New York City courts having jurisdiction in naturalization proceedings, with a view to relieving alleged congestion and consequent delay. (Reported to House June 17, Rep. No. 1620.)
  - 14. Sen. Weldon B. Heyburn (Idaho) reports bill (S. 8695), for the naturalization of such persons as have, because of misinformation in regard to the law, acted in good faith as citizens for the past five years.
  - Sen. Henry C. Lodge (Mass.), on behalf of Immigration Commission, presents report on immigrants in industries.
  - Department of State makes public additional report of the chargé d'affaires at St. Petersburg respecting the expulsions at Kieff, Russia.
  - Resolution (H. Res. 733, see June 10) passed by House of Representatives.
  - Sen. Thomas P. Gore (Okla.) introduces bill (S. 8813), requiring alien immigrants to come to the United States in vessels of American registry.
  - Senate passes bill (S. 8695), providing for the naturalization of persons who have acted as citizens in good faith, through misinformation, reported by Mr. Hawburn, June 14
  - Heyburn, June 14.

    24. Chairman Benjamin F. Howell (N. J.), of the House Committee on Immigration, appoints following committee to carry on investigation provided for by resolution (H. Res. 733), passed June 20: William S. Bennet (N. Y.), chairman, Augustus P. Gardner (Mass.), J. Hampton Moore (Pa.), Henry M. Goldfogle (N. Y.), and Adolph J. Sabath (Ill.).

# LIST OF JEWISH MEMBERS OF THE CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES

#### PAST

BENJAMIN, JUDAH PHILIP, 1812-1884. Sen. from La., 1853-1861. EINSTEIN, EDWIN, 1842-1906. Rep. from N. Y., 1879-1881. EMERICH, MARTIN, 1847- . Rep. from III., 1903-1907. FISCHER, ISRAEL F., 1858- . Rep. from N. Y., 1895-1899. Frank, Nathan, 1852- . Rep. from Mo., 1889-1891. GOLDZIER, JULIUS, 1854- . Rep. from Ill., 1893-1895. HART, EMANUEL B., 1809-1897. Rep. from N. Y., 1851-1853. Houseman, Julius, 1832-1891. Rep. from Mich., 1883-1885. Jonas, Benjamin Franklin, 1834- . Sen. from La., 1879-1885. LESSLER, MONTAGUE, 1869- . Rep. from N. Y., 1902-1903. LEVIN, LEWIS CHARLES, 1808-1860. Rep. from Pa., 1845-1851. LEVY, DAVID. See YULEE, DAVID LEVY. LEVY, JEFFERSON MONROE. Rep. from N. Y., 1899-1901. LITTAUER, LUCIUS NATHAN, 1859- . Rep. from N. Y., 1897-1907. MAY, MITCHELL, 1871- . Rep. from N. Y., 1899-1901. MEYER, ADOLPH, 1842-1908. Rep. from La., 1891-1908. MORSE, LEOPOLD, 1831-1892. Rep. from Mass., 1877-1885, 1887-1889. PHILLIPS, HENRY MYER, 1811-1884. Rep. from Pa., 1857-1859. PHILLIPS, PHILIP, 1807-1884. Rep. from Ala., 1853-1855. Pulitzer, Joseph, 1847-Simon, Joseph, 1851-. Rep. from N. Y., 1885-1886. Sen. from Ore., 1898-1903. STRAUS, ISIDOR, 1845- . Rep. from N. Y., 1894-1895. STROUSE, MYER, 1825-1878. Rep. from Pa., 1863-1867. WOLF, HARRY B., 1880- . Rep. from Md., 1907-1909. YULEE, DAVID LEVY, 1811-1886. Del. from Fla., 1841-1845; Sen. from Fla., 1845-1851; 1855-1861.

#### PRESENT

# (Members of the Sixty-first Congress)\*

GOLDFOGLE, HENBY M., Democrat, Representative, New York City. Guggenheim, Simon, Republican, Senator, Colorado. Kahn, Julius, Republican, Representative, San Francisco. Rayner, Isidor, Democrat, Senator, Maryland. Sabath, Adolph J., Democrat, Representative, Chicago.

<sup>\*</sup> For biographies see American Jewish Year Book 5669, p. 70 et seq.

# DIRECTORY OF JEWISH NATIONAL ORGANIZA-TIONS IN THE UNITED STATES

[An asterisk (\*) indicates that no response was received]

# ALLIANCE ISRAÉLITE UNIVERSELLE

Org. May, 1860. Office: 150 Nassau, New York City Branches: Baltimore, Md.; Boston, Mass., 2; Elmira, N. Y.; Hoboken, N. J.; Jersey City, N. J.; New York City; Philadelphia, Pa.; Worcester, Mass.

## AMERICAN FEDERATION OF THE JEWISH TERRITORIAL ORGANIZATION

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Org. April, 1906. Office: New York City EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE: Chairman. Cyrus L. Sulzberger, 516 West End Av., N. Y. C.; Daniel Guggenheim, Herman Rosenthal, both of N. Y. C.; Solomon Solis Cohen, Mayer Sulzberger, both of Phila. Pa. Branches: Baltimore, Md.; New York City; Philadelphia, Pa.

#### THE AMERICAN JEWISH COMMITTEE

Org. Nov. 11, 1906. OFFICE: 356 Second Av., New York City For report, see pp. 338-54.

#### AMERICAN JEWISH HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Org. 1892. Office: 531 W. 123d, New York City Eighteenth Annual Meeting, February 21-22, 1910, New York City. Members, 286.

Members, 286.

Has issued nineteen volumes of "Publications." Maintains a collection of Books, Manuscripts, and Historical Objects in its Room in the Building of the Jewish Theological Seminary, 531 W. 123d. N. Y. C. Officers: Pres. Cyrus Adler. Phila., Pa.; Vice-Pres., Simon W. Rosendale, Albany, N. Y.; David Philipson, Cincinnati, O.; Julian W. Mack, Chicago, Ill.; Richard J. H. Gotthell, New York City; Treas., N. Taylor Phillips, N. Y. C.; Curator, Leon Hühner, N. Y. C.; Cor. Sec., Albert M. Friedenberg, 38 Park Row, N. Y. C.; Rec. Sec., Herbert Friedenwald, 356 Second Av., N. Y. C.

EXECUTIVE COUNCIL: The Officers, and Charles J. Cohen, Phila., Pa.; Henry Cohen, Galveston, Tex.: Lee M. Friedman, Boston, Mass.; Jacob H. Hollander, Baltimore, Md.; Joseph Jacobs, N. Y. C.; Max J. Kohler, N. Y. C.; Max L. Margolis, Phila., Pa.; Alexander Marx, N. Y. C.; A. S. W. Rosenbach, Phila., Pa.; J. Bunford Samuel, Phila., Pa.; Mayer Sulzberger, Phila., Pa.; Simon Wolf, Washington, D. C.; Oscar S. Straus, Constantinople, ex officio. as past President of the Society.

#### ARBEITER RING

#### (THE WORKMEN'S CIRCLE)

Org., Sept. 4, 1900. Office: 89 Delancey St., New York City Tenth Annual Meeting, May 4-7, 1910, New York City.

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Tenth Annual Meeting, May 4-7, 1910, New York City.
Members, 35,883.
Branches, 440.
Officers: Pres., S. Boulgach, N. Y. C.; Treas., H. Sack, N. Y. C.;
Sec., Jehlel Weintraub, 89 Delancey Street, N. Y. C.
DIRECTORS: The Officers, and R. Ginsburg, B. Wolovitz, J. Cooperman,
A. Raffalofsky, A. Walitzky, Mrs. C. Hochberg, Wm. Holen, A. Smith, H.
Feldman, I. Cohen, J. Epstein.
Branchess: Alabama: Birmingham; California: Los Angeles, Oakland,
San Francisco; Colorado: Denver; Connecticut: Ansonia, Bridgeport,
Danbury, Hartford, Meriden, Middletown, New Britain, New Haven, New
London, Norwalk, Norwich, Stamford, Waterbury, Winsted; Delaware:
Wilmington; District of Columbia: Washington; Florida: Jacksonville;
Georgia: Atlanta, Macon, Savannah; Illinois: Chicago, Maywood; Indiana: Indianapolis, South Bend; Iowa: Des Moines, Sioux City; Kentucky: Louisville, Newport; Louislana: New Orleans; Maine: Auburn;
Maryland: Baltimore; Massachusetts: Boston, Brockton, Cambridge,
Chelsea, Fall River, Haverhill, Lawrence, Lynn, Maiden, Mariboro, New
Bedford, Pittsfield, Quincy, Roxbury, Salem, Springfield, Taunton, Worcester; Michigan: Detroit; Minnesota: Minneapolis, St. Paul; Missouri:
Kansas City, St. Joseph, St. Louis; Nebrasks: Lincoin, Omaha, S. Omaha;
New Hampshire: Manchester, Nashua; New Jersey: Atlantic City, Bayonne, Carteret, Elizabeth, Hoboken, Jersey City, Newark, New Brunswick,
Passaic, Paterson, Perth Amboy, Plainfield, Trenton, Vineland, W. Hoboken; New York: Albany, Binghamton, Brooklyn, Buffalo, Centerville Sta.,
Elmira, Gloversville, Kingston, Newburgh, New Rochelle, New York, N.
Tarrytown, Patchogue, Port Chester, Rochester, Schenectady, Syracuse,
Troy, Utica, Yonkers; Ohlo: Akron, Cincinnati, Cleveland, Columbus,
Dayton, Toledo, Youngstown; Oregon: Portland; Pennsylvania: Altoona,
Easton, Harrisburg, Johnstown, Pittsburg, Philadelphia, Scranton, WilkesBarre; Rhode Island: Providence, Woonsocket; Tennessee: Memphis;
Texas: Dallas, Houston, S Winnipeg.

#### THE BARON DE HIRSCH FUND

OFFICE: 43 Exchange Place, New York City

The activities of the Fund fall under the following heads:

I. BARON DE HIRSCH AGRICULTURAL SCHOOL, Woodbine, N. J., offers to Jewish young men a course in Agriculture, consisting of two years, beginning April 1.

II. BARON DE HIRSCH TRADE SCHOOL. 22 East 64th Street, New York City, offers instruction in day classes in the following trades:

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Ing.

III. Controls the Woodbine Land and Improvement Company.

IV. English education to immigrants. Day and Evening Classes through branches and subsidized Societies.

V. Relief Work. Through branches and subsidized Societies.

Branches: Baltimore, Md.; Boston, Mass.; Brooklyn, N. Y.; Chicago, Ill.; Denver, Colo.; Philadelphia and Pittsburg, Pa., and St. Louis, Mo. Officers: Pres., Eugene S. Benjamin, 440 Lafayette; Vice-Pres., Jacob H. Schiff; Treas., Murry Guggenheim; Hon. Sec., Max J. Kohler, 30 Broad Street, all of New York City.

TRUSTEES: The above Officers, and Nathan Bijur, Abram I. Elkus, Henry Rice, Louis Siegbert, S. G. Rosenbaum, all of New York City; Abraham Abraham, of Brooklyn, N. Y., and Hon. Mayer Sulzberger, William B. Hackenburg and S. S. Fleisher, of Philadelphia, Pa. GEN. AGT.: H. I. Sabsovich; ASS'T AGT.: Louis J. Cohen.

#### CANTORS ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA

(SUCCEEDS SOCIETY OF AMERICAN CANTORS) Org., June 1, 1908. OFFICE: New York City.

Second Annual Meeting, August, 1910, New York City.

Members, 200.

OFFICERS: Pres., David Cahn; Vice-Presidents, Saul Draffman and A. Trachtenberg; Sec., Solomon Sokolsky; Treas., Ed. Kartschmaroff, 1143 Lexington Av., N. Y. C.
TRUSTEES: Sol. Baum and S. Meisel.
DIRECTORS: A. Minkofsky, S. Meisel, S. Baum, I. Schorr, Cantors, Siegel,

Wolfberg, Friedman, and Auerbach.
BRANCHES: Chicago, New York City, Philadelphia.

#### CENTRAL CONFERENCE OF AMERICAN RABBIS

Org., July 9, 1889

Twentieth Annual Convention, November 9-16, 1909, New York City. Members, 206.

Members, 206.

Has Issued nineteen volumes of its "Year Book"; the "Union Prayer Book"; the "Union Hymnal"; the "Union Haggadah"; and "A Set of Holiday Sermons," and various other publications.

Officers (1909-10): Hon. Pres., Kaufmann Kohler, Cincinnati, O.: Pres., Max Heller, 1828 Marengo, New Orleans, La.; Vice-Pres., Samuel Schulman, New York City; Treas., Moses J. Gries, Cleveland, O.: Rec. Sec., Julian Morgenstern, Cincinnati, O.; Cor. Sec., David Marx, 354 Washington,

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EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE (1910): Israel Aaron, Buffalo, N. Y.; Henry Cohen, Galveston, Tex.; Wm. H. Friedman, Denver, Col.; Maurice H. Harris, New York City; Emil G. Hirsch, Chicago, Ill.; Charles S. Levi, Peoria, Ill.; David Philipson, Cincinnati, O.; Wm. Rosenau, Baltimore, Md.; Isaac L. Rypins, St. Paul. Minn.; Joseph Stolz, Chicago, Ill.

#### COUNCIL OF JEWISH WOMEN

Org., Sept., 1893. Office: 448 Central Park West, New York City.

Org., Sept., 1893. Office: 448 Central Park West, New York City. Fifth Triennial Convention, Dec. 1-8, 1908, Cincinnati, Ohio. Sections, 65: Senior Sections, 55: Junior Sections, 10.

The work of the Council is conducted under the following Committees: Religion, Religious Schools, Philanthropy, Jewish Juniors, Reciprocity, Peace, Education, Purity of the Press, Immigrant Aid.

The National body supports a Committee on Immigrant Aid and the Sections engage in philanthropic, educational, and religious work.

Officers: Pres., Marion L. Misch (Mrs. Caesar), 400 Westminster. Providence, R. I.; First Vice-Pres., Belle Lowenstein (Mrs. Ben), Cininati, Ohio; Second Vice-Pres., Bertha F. Rauh (Mrs. Enoch), Pittsburg, Pa.; Treas., Hattie Kahn (Mrs. Adolph), Washington, D. C.; Rec. Sec., Melida Pappe (Mrs. Julius), Sioux City, Ia.; Auditor, Janets S. Harris (Mrs. Nathaniel), Donora, Pa.; Executive Secretary, Sadie American, 448 Central Park West, New York City; Sec. of Immigrant Aid Committee, Julia Schoenfeld, 448 Central Park West, New York City; Diectors (1905-1911): Miss Jennette Goldberg, Jefferson, Texas; Mrs. Julius Andrews, Boston, Mass.; Mrs. Emma Eckhouse, Indianapolis,

Ind.; Mrs. Harry Hart, Chicago, Ill.; Mrs. M. A. Weinberg, Chicago, Ill. (1908-1914); Mrs. Ell Strouse, Baltimore, Md.; Mrs. J. L. Greenwald, Philadelphia, Pa.; Mrs. Jacob B. Judah, Louisville, Ky.; Mrs. D. E. Levy, Norfolk, Va.; Mrs. Robert Well, New York City, SECTIONS: Albany, N. Y.; Alexandria, Va.; Altoona, Pa.; Atlanta, Ga.; Baltimore, Md.; Birmingham, Ala.; Bloomington, Ill.; Boston, Mass.; Bradford, Pa.; Brooklyn, N. Y.; Buffalo, N. Y.; Charleston, S. C.; Chicago, Ill.; Cincinnati, Ohio; Colorado Springs, Colo.; Dayton, O.; Elmira, N. Y.; Fort Worth, Texas; Hartford, Conn.; Indianapolis, Ind.; Kansas City, Mo.; Lafayette. Ind.; Los Angeles, Cal.; Louisville, Ky.; Marion, Ohio; Milwaukee, Wis.; Minneapolis, Minn.; Mobile, Ala.; Montgomery, Ala.; Nashville, Tenn.; New Orleans, La.; New York, N. Y.; Norfolk, Va.; Oil City, Pa.; Philadelphia, Pa.; Pittsburg, Pa.; Portland, Ore.; Providence, R. I.; Richmond, Va.; Rochester, N. Y.; St. Paul, Minn.; San Antonio, Texas; San Francisco, Cal.; Savannah, Ga.; Seattle, Wash.; Selma, Ala.; Sloux City. Ia.; Syracuse, N. Y.; Terre Haute, Ind.; Toronto, Can.; Tyler, Texas; Washington, D. C.; Worcester, Mass.; Youngstown, Ohio; Zanesville, Ohio.

# DROPSIE COLLEGE FOR HEBREW AND COGNATE LEARNING

Inc., May 20, 1907. OFFICE: York near Broad, Philadelphia, Pa. OFFICERS: Pres., Cyrus Adler, 2041 N. Broad; Vice-Pres., Mayer Sulzberger; Treas., Oscar B. Teller; Sec., Ephraim Lederer, all of Philadelphia,

Pa.

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FACULTY: Pres., Cyrus Adler (Ph. D., Johns Hopkins); Max L. Margolis (Ph. D., Columbia), Professor in charge of the Biblical Department; Henry Malter (Ph. D., Heidelberg), Professor in charge of the Rabbinical Department; Jacob Hoschander (Ph. D., Marburg), Instructor Department of Cognate Languages; Hon. Mayer Sulzberger (LL. D.), Resident Lecturer in Jewish Jurisprudence and Institutes of Government. Non-Resident Lecturers: 1909-10, President S. Schechter (Litt. D. Cantab.); 1910-11, Prof. Geo. F. Moore, Harvard University, Fellows: Bible, Rabbi Raphael H. Melamed (Jewish Theological Seminary, 1909); Joseph Reider (B. A., College of the City of New York); Rabbinics: Rabbi Bernard Revel (M. A., New York University); A. Simon (B. A., Harvard University); Cognate Languages, Maud Downing (B. A., University of Toronto).

## EDUCATIONAL LEAGUE

FOR THE HIGHER EDUCATION OF ORPHANS Org., 1896. Office: Jewish Orphan Asylum, Cleveland, O.

Org., 1896. Office: Jewish Orphan Asylum, Cleveland, O. Fourteenth Annual Meeting, Cleveland, O. Members, 1645.
Officers: Pres., Moses J. Gries, Cleveland, O.; Vice-Pres., Nathan Cohn, for Tenn.; Adolph Freund, for Mich.: Milton R. Hart, for Ill.; Louis S. Levi, for Southern Ohio; Ernest Morris, for Colo.; Treas., S. Wolfenstein, Cleveland, O.; Sec., Alfred A. Benesch, 620 Society for Savings Bidg., Cleveland, O., GOVERNORS: Selma E. Altheimer, St. Louis, Mo.; Myrtle W. Baer, Milwaukee, Wis.; Henry Berkowitz, Phila., Pa.; Garfield A. Berlinsky, Cincinnati, O.; Amelia Buchman, Cleveland, O.; Mrs. Rosalie L. Cohen, Columbus, O.; Mrs. S. H. Einstein, Cleveland, O.; Morris H. Florsheim, Columbus, O.; Mrs. S. H. Einstein, Cleveland, O.; Morris H. Florsheim, Columbus, O.; Mrs. Michael W. Heller, Cleveland, O.; Sol. S. Kiser, Indianapolis, Ind.; S. J. Kornhauser, Cleveland, O.; Emil W. Lelpziger. Terre Haute.

Ind.; Hon. Godchaux A. Levi, Victoria, Tex.; Meyer Lovitch, Paducah, Ky.; Louis D. Marks, Cincinnati, O.; Martin A. Marks, Cleveland, O.; Charles F. Moritz, Montgomery, Ala.; Beatrice Moss, Cleveland, O.; Emil Nathan, Memphis, Tenn.; Mrs. Jacob Ottenhelmer, Cincinnati, O.; Sidney Pritz, Cincinnati, O.; James Rossen, New York City; Anna C. Roth, Toledo, O.; E. A. Schwarzenberg, Cleveland, O.; Mrs. Charles A. Stix, St. Louis, Mo.; Anna Vell, St. Louis, Mo.; Mrs. Charles A. Stix, St. Louis, Mo.; Anna Vell, St. Louis, Mo.; Mrs. Aaron Waldhelm, St. Louis, Mo.; Eugene F. Westhelmer, St. Joseph, Mo.; Louis Wolsey, Cleveland, O. The members are distributed as follows: Alabama: Demopolis, Montgomery, Opelika, Selma; Arkansas: Little Rock; Colorado: Cripple Creek, Denver; Illinois: Champaign, Chicago; Indiana: Albion, Evansville, Fort Wayne, Goshen, Indianapolis, Kendaliville, Lafayette, Ligonier, Madison, Marion, Mount Vernon, Muncle, Terre Haute; Lowa: Carroli, Council Bluffs, Davenport, Des Moines; Kentucky: Louisville, Newport; Louisiana: Donaldsonville, New Orleans, Shreveport; Maryland: Baltimore; Michigan: Bay City, Cadiliac, Detroit, Gaylord, Houghton, Jackson, Kalamazoo; Minnesota: Minneapolis, Renville, St. Paul, Winona; Mississippi: Columbus, Greenville, Gunnison, Natchez; Missourl: Farmington, Kansas City. Louisiana City, St. Joseph, St. Louis; Nebraska: Beatrice, Grand Island, Omaha; New Jersey: East Orange, Jersey City, Newark; New York: Buffalo, New York City; North Dakota: Fargo; Ohio: Akron, Cincinnati, Cleveland, Columbus, Dayton, Defiance, Fremont, Lima, Ottawa, Toledo, Youngstown; Pennsylvania: Philadelphia, Pittsburg; South Carolina: Sumter: Tennessee: Chattanooga, Knoxville, Nashville: Texas: Galveston, San Antonio; West Virginia: Charleston; Wisconsin: Milwaukee; Canada: Montreal; Germany: Würzburg, Mainz, Hessen.

# FEDERATION OF AMERICAN ZIONISTS

PEDERATION OF AMERICAN ZIONISTS

Org., 1897. OFFICE: 200 East Broadway, New York City
Thirteenth Annual Convention, July 1-6, 1910, Pittsburg, Pa.
Number of Shekel-payers, 14,000.
Societics, 215. Camps of Order Bnai Zion (affiliated), 50. Circles of
Young Judæa (affiliated), 60.
The Federation issues leaflets, pamphlets, etc. Also The Maccabaean,
a monthly in English, and Dos Yiddishe Folk, a weekly, in Yiddish.
OFFICERS: Hon. President, Harry Friedenwald, Baltimore, Md.; Chairman of Executive Committee, Israel Friedlaender, N. Y. C.; Treasurer,
Herman Conhelin, N. Y. C.; Hon. Secretary, Henrietta Szold, N. Y. C.;
Administrative Committee: Israel Friedlaender, Joseph Jasin, Louis Lipsky,
and Henrietta Szold, N. Y. C.
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE: Joseph Barondess, Gedallah Bublik, Morris

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Salit, all of N. Y. C.

ADVISORY COUNCIL: S. Schaffer, Baltimore, Md.; H. M. Kallen, Boston, Mass.; N. T. Isaacs, Cincinnati, O.; S. Margolles, Cleveland, O.; A. M. Hershman, Detroit, Mich.; C. Blumenthal, Fort Worth, Tex.; A. Alsenberg, Hartford, Conn.; H. Rubinowitz, Louisville, Ky.; L. Kohn, Newark, N. J.; B. L. Gordon, S. Solis-Cohen, Phila., Pa.; M. L. Avner, H. Jackson, Pittsburg, Pa.; L. A. Freed, San Antonio, Tex.; and S. Goldman, St. Louis, Mo. Societies: Alabama: Montgomery; Arkansas: Little Rock; California: Los Angeles, 3, Oakland, San Francisco; Colorado: Colorado Springs, Denver, 4; Connecticut: Ansonia, Bridgeport, Hartford, 2, New Britain, New Haven, Meriden, Stamford, Waterbury; District of Columbia: Washington, 2; Florida: Jacksonville; Georgia: Atlanta, 3, Savannah; Kentucky: Louisville, 4, Newport; Kansas: Leavenworth; Louisiana: New Orleans; Maine: Auburn and Lewiston, Bangor, Portland; Maryland: Baltimore, 6; Massachusetts: Boston, 10, Brockton, 2, Cambridge, Holyoke, 2, Newburyport, New Bedford, Pittsfield, Worcester; Michigan: Bay City, Detroit, 2, Saginaw; Minnesota: St. Paul, Minneapolis, Chisholm; Mississippi: Hattlesburg; Missouri: Kansas City, 2, St. Louis, 4; North Carolina:

Wilmington; North Dakota: Grand Forks; New Hampshire: Manchester; New Jersey: Alliance, Atlantic City, Camden, Englewood, Jersey City, 2, Newark, 3, Norma, Trenton, Paterson, 2, Pialinfield, Woodbine, 2; New York: Albany, Brooklyn, 2, Buffalo, Elmira, Kings Park, Sag Harbor, Newburgh, New York, 22; Rochester, 3, Syracuse, 2, Troy, 3; Ohio: Cincinnati, 2, Canton, Cleveland, 4, Columbus, Dayton, Toledo, Youngstown, 3; Oregon: Portland; Pennsylvania: Beaver Falls, Bradford, Butler, Farm School, Harrisburg, Greensburg, Johnstown, Philadelphia, 7, Pittsburg, 3, Punxsutawney, Washington; Rhode Island: Pawtucket, 2, Providence, Woonsocket; South Carolina: Charleston; Tennessee: Chattanooga, Knoxville; Texas: Austin, Corsicana, Dallas, 3, Fort Worth, 2, Galveston, 2, Houston, 3, San Antonlo, Terrel. Waco: Vermont: Burlington: Virginia: Lynchburg, Newport News, Norfolk, Portsmouth; West Virginia: Charlestown; Washington: Bellingham, Seattle, 2, Spokane; Wisconsin: South Madison, La Crosse. Madison, La Crosse.

# FEDERATION OF JEWISH FARMERS OF AMERICA

Org., Jan. 20, 1909. Office: 174 Second Av., New York City

Org., Jan. 20, 1909. Office: 174 Second Av., New York City Members, 700.
Societies, 25.

Purpose: To advance the interests of Jewish farmers.
Officers: Pres., S. P. Becker, 367 Blue Hills Av., Hartford, Conn.; Vice-Pres., S. Hein, Nassau, N. Y.; Sec., J. W. Pincus, 174 Second Av., N. Y. C.; Treas., P. Abelson, 197 E. Broadway, N. Y. C.
EXECUTIVE COMMITTE: L. Harkavy, Leonard's Bridge, Conn.; L. Honig, Brainard, N. Y.; S. Grudin, Perrineville, N. J.; H. Rotman, Millis, Mass.; M. Mackoff, Ashley, N. D.
CONSTITUENT SOCIETIES: Connecticut: Chesterfield, Ind. Hebrew Farmers' Assn., Sec., S. Sulman; Colchester, Jewish Farmers' Assn., Sec., Chas. Gellert: Newtown, Jewish Farmers' Assn., Sec., Chas. Levine; Sharon, Cornwall Bridge Association, Sec., E. Cohen, Route 3. Massachusetts: Medway, Medway and Holliston Farmers' Assn., Sec., B. Kaufman, Millis, Hebrew Farmers' Assn., Sec., H. Rotman. New Jersey: Bridgeton, Rosenhayn Farmers' Assn., Sec., H. Rotman. R. F. D. No. 6; Carmel, Carmel Farmers' Club, Sec., I. Rosen; Cranbury, First United Hebrew Farmers' Assn., of Hightstown, Sec., H. Schulman, R. F. D. No. 4; Flemington, Jewish Farmers' Circle, Sec., I. Janoff; Jamesburg, Jamesburg and Englishtown Farmers' Assn., Sec., M. Sabriel, R. F. D. No. 1; Pinebrook, Jewish Farmers' Assn., Sec., M. Gabriel, R. F. D. No. 1; Pinebrook, Jewish Farmers' Assn., Sec., M. Gabriel, R. F. D. No. 6; Woodbine, Farmers' Assn., Sec., J. Goldwaeser, R. P. D. No. 6; Woodbine, Farmers' Assn., Sec., J. M. Gabriel, R. F. D. No. 6; Woodbine, Farmers' Assn., Sec., J. W. Gnore, Co., Sec., S. Entin; Centerville Sta, Hebrew Farmers' Assn., Sec., J. George, Sec., J. Weiner, R. F. D. No. 1; Fallsburg, Hebrew Farmers' Assn., Sec., J. Sec., J. Weiner, R. F. D. No. 1; Fallsburg, Hebrew Farmers' Assn., Sec., B. Jacobs; Parksville, Farmers' Assn., Sec., J. Kaufman. North Dakota: Ashley, Sulzberger Colony of Jewish Farmers, Sec., J. Miller.

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## HAI RESH FRATERNITY

Org., July, 1907. Office: St. Joseph, Mo. Third Annual Conclave, Dec. 26, 1909-Jan. 1, 1910, St. Joseph, Mo. Members, 31.

OFFICERS: Council Chief, J. C. Riefer, Kansas City, Mo.; Council Prophet, F. A. Arnstein, St. Louis, Mo.; Council Regent, H. Wessel,

Lincoln, Neb.; Council Scribe, L. S. Schembeck, St. Joseph, Mo.; Asst. Council Scribe, H. C. Straus, 615 S. 9th, St. Joseph, Mo.; Council Governor, Hon. S. F. Westhelmer, St. Joseph, Mo. CHAPTERS: Ilm Chapter, St. Joseph, Mo.; Maj Chapter, Kansas City, Mo.; Sar Chapter, St. Louis, Mo.; Hav Chapter, Lincoln, Neb.

# HEBREW UNION COLLEGE

(See pp. 250-51.)

# INDEPENDENT ORDER AHAWAS ISRAEL

Org., 1893. OFFICE: Germania Bank Bldg., 190 Bowery, New York City Eighteenth Annual Convention, July 18, 1909, New York City. Members, 20,000. Lodges, 148.

Lodges, 148.

Officers: Grand Master, Louis Morris, 214 South, Philadelphia, Pa.; First Deputy Grand Master, Max Lefkowitz, New York City; Second Deputy Grand Master, Joseph Edlowitch, Baltimore, Md.; Grand Treas., Moritz Gold, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Grand Sec., L. Herman, 190 Bowery (Germania Bank Bidg.), N. Y. C.

Lodges: Albany, N. Y.; Baltimore, Md., 10; Bayonne, N. J.; Brooklyn, N. Y., 14; Chester, Pa.; Elizabeth, N. J.; Harrisburg, Pa.; Jersey City, N. J.; Lancaster, Pa.; Newark, N. J., 3; New Haven, Conn.; New York City, 80; Paterson, N. J., 2; Philadelphia, Pa., 16; Pittsburg, Pa., 3; Providence, R. I.; Sag Harbor, L. I.; Scranton, Pa.; Springfield, Mass.; Syracuse, N. Y.; Utica, N. Y.; Vineland, N. J.; Waterbury, Conn.; Willimantic, Conn.; Willimantic, Conn.; Willimantic, Conn.; Willimantic, Conn.; Willimantic, Pa., 16; Pittsburg, Pa., 16; Pittsburg, Pa., 3; Providence, R. I.; Sag Harbor, L. I.; Scranton, Pa.; Springfield, Mass.; Syracuse, N. Y.; Utica, N. Y.; Vineland, N. J.; Waterbury, Conn.; Willimantic, Conn.; Willimantic,

# \* INDEPENDENT ORDER BRIS ACHIM

Grand Master, Samuel Weis, New York City

#### INDEPENDENT ORDER BRITH ABRAHAM

Org., Feb. 7, 1887. OFFICE: 37 7th, New York City Twenty-fourth Annual Convention, May 15-18, 1910, New York City.

Twenty-fourth Annual Convention, May 15-18, 1910, New York City.
Members, 130,842.
Lodges, 555.
OFFICERS: Grand Master, Hon. Leon Sanders, 292 E. Broadway, N. Y. C.; First Deputy Grand Master, D. George Sultan, Chicago, Ill.; Grand Sec., Jacob Schoen, 37 7th; Grand Treas., Wolf Sprung, 252 Rivington, both of N. Y. C.; Endowment Treas., Adolph Moschkowitz; Counsel to the Order, Alfred B. Jaworower.
Lodges: Albany, N. Y., 2; Allentown, Pa., 2; Ansonia, Conn.; Asbury Park, N. J.; Atlanta, Ga.; Attleboro, Mass.; Auburn, N. Y.; Baltimore, Md., 6; Bath Beach, N. Y.; Bayonne, N. J.; Binghamton, N. Y., 2; Brooklyn, N. Y., 29; Buffalo, N. Y., Cambridge, Mass., 2; Carmel, N. J.; Carteret, N. J.; Chelsea, Mass., 11; Chicago, Ill., 18; Cincinnati, Ohio, 3; Cleveland, Ohio, 4; Collinsville, Mass.; Columbus, Ohio; Concord, N. H.; Conshohocken, Pa.; Corona, L. I.; Davenport, Ia.; Denver, Colo., 2; Elizabeth, N. J.; Elmira, N. Y.; Fall River, Mass., 5; Glen's Fails, N. Y.; Gloucester, Mass.; Gloversville, N. Y.; Harrisburg, Pa.; Hartford, Conn., 3; Haverhill, Mass., 2: Holyoke, Mass.; Homestead, Pa.; Indiana Harbor, Ind.; Indianapolis, Ind.; Jersey City, N. J., 2; Kansas City, Mo., 2; Kingston, N. Y.; Lawrence, Mass., 3; Long Branch, N. J.; Long Island City, N. Y., 2; Louisville, Ks., ; Lynn, Mass., 2; Manchester, N. H., 2; Melrose, Mass.; Meriden, Conn.; Milwaukee, Wis., 3; Minneapolis, Minn.; Morristown, N. J.; Nashville, Tenn.; Newark,

N. J., 7; New Bedford, Mass.; New Brighton, S. I.; New Haven, Conn., 3; Newburgh, N. Y.; Newburyport, N. J.; Newport, R. I.; Newport News, Va.; New Rochelle, N. Y.; New York City, 167; Norfolk, Va.; North Adams, Mass.; Northampton, Mass.; Norwich, Conn.; Passaic, N. J., 2; Perth Amboy, N. J.; Philadelphia, Pa., 34; Pittston, Pa.; Portchester, N. Y., 2; Portland, Me. 4; Portland, Ore.; Portsmouth, Va.; Pottstown, Pa.; Poughkeepsie, N. Y.; Providence, R. I., 9; Quincy, Mass.; Reading, Pa.; Rochester, N. Y., 2; Roselle, N. J.; Rosenhayn, N. J.; Sag Harbor, L. I.; St. Joseph, Mo.; St. Louis, Mo., 8; St. Paul, Minn., 2; Salem, Mass., 2; Schenectady, N. Y.; Scranton, Pa., 4; Somerville, Mass.; South Bethlehem, Pa.; Springfield, Mass., 2; Syracuse, N. Y., 2; Taunton, Mass.; Torrington, Conn.; Trenton, N. J.; Troy, N. Y., 2; Utica, N. Y., 2; Washington, D. C., 2; Waterbury, Conn.; West Orange, N. J.; Wilkes-Barre, Pa., 2; Wilmington, Del.; Woodbine, N. J.; Woonsocket, R. I.; Worcester, Mass., 3; Yonkers, N. Y.; York, Pa.

#### INDEPENDENT ORDER BRITH SHOLOM

Org., Feb. 25, 1905. OFFICE: 512 S. 5th, Phila., Pa. Sixth Annual Convention, May 22-23, 1910, Newark, N. J.

Members, 20,595. Lodges, 174.

Lodges, 174.

Officers: Grand Master, Samuel Berkowitz; First Deputy Grand Master, Benjamin N. Berman; Second Deputy Grand Master, Samuel Blumberg, all of Philadelphia, Pa.; Third Deputy Grand Master, Louis M. Grant, Providence, R. 1.; Grand Secretary, Martin O. Levy; Assistant Secretary, Adolph Rosenblum; Grand Treasurer, Sol. C. Kraus, Endowment Treasurer, Dr. Louis S. Rubinsohn; Counsellor of the Order, Joseph L. Kun, all of Philadelphia, Pa.

LODGES: Akron, O.; Allentown, Pa.; Atlantic City, N. J.; Baltimore, Md., 11; Bridgeton, N. J.; Burlington, N. J.; Camden, N. J.; Carbondale, Pa.; Cleveland, O.; Coatesville, Pa.; Columbus, O.; Denver, Colo.; East Liverpool, O.; Easton, Pa.; Elizabeth, N. J.; Harrisburg, Pa.; Hartford, Conn., 3; Lancaster, Pa.; Louisville, Ky.; Lynchburg, Va.; Mahanny City, Pa.; Newark, N. J., 9; New Britain, Conn.; New Haven, Conn.; Norfolk, Va.; Norristown, Pa.; Passaic, N. J.; Philadelphia, Pa., 96; Phoenixville, Pa.; Pittsburg, Pa.; Pottsville, Pa.; Providence, R. I., 8; Reading, Pa.; Roanoke, Va.; Scranton, Pa., 4; Shamokin, Pa.; Shenandoah, Pa.; South Sharon, Pa., 2; Wellmington, D. C., 2; West Chester, Pa.; Wilkes-Barre, Pa., 2; Wilmington, Del.; Woodbine, N. J.; Woonsocket, R. I.; Youngstown, O.; York, Pa.

#### INDEPENDENT ORDER FREE SONS OF ISRAEL

Org., Jan. 18, 1849. OFFICE: 21 W. 124th, New York City Eighth Quinquennial Convention, May 26, 1907, Atlantic City, N. J. Members, Jan. 1, 1910, 10,125. Lodges, 96.

Districts, 3.

Districts, 3.

OFFICERS: Grand Master, M. S. Stern, 2013 Fifth Av.; First Deputy Grand Master, S. Hoffhelmer; Second Deputy Grand Master, Adolph Finkenberg, all of N. Y. C.; Third Deputy Grand Master, Adolph Pike, Chicago, Ill.; Grand Sec., Abraham Hafer, 21 W. 124th; Grand Treas, Louis Frankenthaler; Chairman Committee on Endowment, Henry Lichtig; Counsel to the Order, M. B. Blumenthal, all of N. Y. C.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE: William Bookhelm, Albany, N. Y.; I. S. Lurie, I. A. Loeb, H. L. Welsbaum, Chicago, Ill.; M. S. Meyerhoff, Phila., Pa.; Julius Sinshelmer, Rochester, N. Y.; Benjamin Blumenthal, Isaac Hamburger, Julius Harburger, J. I. Hartenstein, J. A. Hirschman, Henry Jacobs, Raph. Levy, Raphael Rosenberger, Henry V. Rothschild, Herman Stiefel, Emil Taussig, B. H. Wasserman, all of N. Y. C.

Districts: I. Territory: Connecticut, Massachusetts, New Jersey, New York, and Rhode Island. II. Territory: Illinois, Kansas, Minnesota, Missouri, and Wisconsin. III. Territory: U. S. Grand Lodge. Lodges: Albany, N. Y.; Amsterdam, N. Y.; Atlanta, Ga.; Baltimore, Md.; Boston, Mass., 2; Brooklyn, N. Y., 4; Buffalo, N. Y.; Chicago, Ill., 10; Cincinnati, O., 2; Cleveland, O., 2; Dallas, Tex.; Detroit, Mich.; Greenville, Miss.; Hartford, Conn.; Leavenworth, Kan.; Louisville, Ky.; Memphis, Tenn.; Meridian, Miss.; Milwaukee, Wis., 2; Nashville, Tenn.; Newark, N. J., 2; New Haven, Conn.; New Orleans, La.; Newport, R. I.; New York City, 38; Norfolk, Va.; Philadelphia, Pa.; Pittsburg, Pa., 2; Port Gibson, Miss.; Providence, R. I.; Rochester, N. Y.; Rondout, N. Y.; St. Joseph, Mo.; St. Louis, Mo., 2; San Francisco, Cal.; Schenectady, N. Y.; Syracuse, N. Y.; Troy, N. Y.; Vicksburg, Miss.; Washington, D. C.

#### INDEPENDENT ORDER FREE SONS OF JUDAH

Org., Feb. 12, 1890. Office: 78 Second Av., New York City Twentieth Annual Convention, April 10, 1910, New York City. Members, 19,000. Lodges, 119.

Lodges, 119.

OFFICERS: Grand Master, Isaac Grossman, 709 Sixth, N. Y. C.; First Deputy Grand Master, Sam Goldstein, New York City; Second Deputy Grand Master, Jacob Weissman, Stamford, Conn.; Grand Sec., Sigmund Fodor, 78 2d Av., N. Y. C.; Grand Treas., Adolph Wiener, N. Y. C.; Endowment Treas., Louis Dintenfass, N. Y. C.
LODGES: Baltimore, Md., 3; Bayonne, N. J.; Brooklyn, N. Y., 8; Buffalo, N. Y.; Fall River, Mass., 2; Gloversville, N. Y.; Hartford, Conn., 2; Haverstraw, N. Y.; Jersey City, N. J.; McKeesport, Pa., 2; Newark, N. J., 2; Newburgh, N. Y.; New Haven, Conn.; New York City, 75; Philadelphia. Pa., 6; Pittsburg, Pa.; Rochester, N. Y.; Schenectady, N. Y.; Scranton, Pa.; Stamford, Conn.; Tarrytown, N. Y.; Washington, D. C.

# INDEPENDENT ORDER OF B'NAI B'RITH

Org., Nov. 1, 1843. Office: 1248 Tribune Bldg., Chicago, Ill.

Org., Nov. 1, 1843. Office: 1248 Tribune Bidg., Chicago, Ill. Ninth Quinquennial Convention, April 3, 1910, Washington, D. C. Members, 33, 123.
Lodges, 386 (in North America, Europe, Asia, and Africa).
Districts, 10 (7 in the United States).
Institutions founded by the Order in the United States: Hebrew Orphans' Home, Atlanta, Ga.; B'nai B'rith Cemetery, Chicago, Ill.; Free Employment Bureau, Chicago, Ill.; Jewish Wildows' and Orphans Home, New Orleans, La.; Touro Infirmary, New Orleans, La.; Home for Aged and Infirm, Yonkers, N. Y.; Cleveland Jewish Orphan Asylum, Cleveland, Ohio; B'nai B'rith Free Employment Bureau, Pittsburg, Pa.; Relief Committee, Hot Springs, Ark.; B'nai B'rith Club, San Francisco, Cal.; Home for Jewish Orphans, Los Angeles, Cal.; Immigrant Schools, at Kalamazoo, Mich. and Memphis, Tenn.; Sabbath Schools, at Houghton, Mich., Trenton, N. J., Madison, Wis., and Sharon, Pa. Orphanage in Pennsylvania now being organized.

Officers: Pres., Adolf Kraus, Chicago, Ill.; First Vice-Pres., Lucius. Solomons, San Francisco, Cal.; Second Vice-Pres., Jacob Singer, Philadelphia, Pa.; Treas., Jacob Furth, St. Louis, Mo.; Sec., Alex B. Seelenfreund, Chicago, Ill.; Simon Wolf, Washington, D. C.; Charles Hartman, New York City; Rabbi E. N. Calisch, Richmond, Va.; Philip Stein, Chicago, Ill.; Joseph Hirsh, Vicksburg, Miss.; Berthold Timendorfer. Berlin, Germany; Dr. Adolphe Stern, Bucharest, Roumania; Adalbert Skall, Prague, Austria.

Districts: I. Org., 1851. Lodges, 43. Territory: Connecticut. Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New York, Rhode Island, and Vermont. Sec., S. Berliner, 1161 Madison Av., New York City.

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II. Org., 1852. Lodges, 37. Territory: Colorado, Indiana, Kansas, Kentucky, Missourl, New Mexico, and Ohio. Sec., Victor Abraham, 505 First National Bank Bidg., Cincinnati, Ohio. 111. Org., — Lodges, 48. Territory: Delaware, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, and Mest Virginia. Sec., M. K. Cohen, 227 Mint Arcade, Philadelphia, P. 1863. Lodges, 26. Territory: Arizona, California, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, Oregon, Utah, Washington, and Wyoming. Sec., I. J. Aschhelm, 408 Van Ness Av., San Francisco, Cal. Georgia, Maryland, North Carolinas, South Carolinas, Founday, Virginia and Jostrict of Columbia. Sec., Joseph L. Levy, 2202 Grace St. West, Richmond, Va. VI. Org., 1868. Lodges, 42. Territory: Illinois, Iowa, Michigan, Minnesota, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, Wisconsin, and Manicoba. Sec., A. B. Seelenfreund, 1248 Tribune Bidg., Chicago, Ill. VII. Org., 1873. Lodges, 72. Territory: Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Louislana, Mississippi, Tennessee, Texas, and Indian Territory. Sec., Nat. Strauss, 2337 Magazine, New Orleans, La.
Looges: Albany, N. Y., 2; Albuquerque, N. M.; Alexandria, La.; Allentown, Pa.; Altoona, Pa.; Amsterdam, N. Y.; Appleton, Wis.; Ardmore, Okla.; Atlanta, Ga., 2; Atlantic City, N. J.; Austin, Tex.; Baton Rouge, La.; Bay City, Mich.; Bayou Sara, La.; Bessemer, Ala.; Birmingham, Ala: Biomington, Ill.; Boisé, Idaho; Boston, Mass., 3; Braddock, Pa.; Brenham, Texas; Bridgeport, Conn.; Brootlyn, N. Y., 2; Brownsille, Tenn.; Brunswick, Ga.; Buffalo, N. Y.; Burlington, Lowa; Butte, Mont. Champaign, Lattine, Markade, Miss.; Cleveland, O.; Clinton, La.; Colorse, Pa.; Coricana, Tex.; Cripple Creek, Colo.; Crowley, La.; Dallas, Tex.; Danville, Ha.; Danville, Pa.; Darilington, S. C.; Davenport, Iowa; Dayton, O.; Demopolis, Ala.; Denver, Colo.; Des Molnes, Iowa; Dayton, O.; Demopolis, Ala.; Denver, Colo.; Des Molnes, Iowa; Dayton, O.; Demopolis, Ala.; Para, Eufaula, Ala.; Evansville, Ind.; Fargo, N. D.; Flint, Mich.; Fort Smith, Ark.; Fort Wayne, Ind.; Fort Worth, Tex.; Gainesboro, N. C.; Green Bay, Wis.; Clevelan

Cal.; Savannah, Ga.: Scranton, Pa.; Seattle, Wash., 2; Sedalia, Mo.; Selma, Ala.; Sharon, Pa.; Shreveport, La.; Sioux City, Iowa; Spokane, Wash.; Springfield, Ill.; Starkville, Miss.; Stockton, Cal.; Summit, Miss.; Stockton, Cal.; Summit, Miss.; Syracuse, N. Y.; Terre Haute, Ind.; Texarkana, Tex.; Toledo, O.; Trenton, N. J.; Trinidad, Colo.; Tuscaloosa, Ala.; Tyler, Tex.; Uniontown, Ala.; Uniontown, Pa.; Vicksburg, Miss.; Victor, Colo.; Victoria, Tex.; Vincennes, Ind.; Wabash, Ind.; Waco, Tex.; Washington, D. C.; Washington, Pa.; Waterbury, Conn.; Wilkes-Barre, Pa.; Wilmington, Del.; Wilmington, N. C.; Winnipeg, Manitoba; Worcester, Mass.; Yonkers, N. Y.; Youngstown, O.; Zanesville, O.

# INDEPENDENT ORDER OF TRUE SISTERS (UNABHÄNGIGER ORDEN TREUE SCHWESTERN)

Org., April 21, 1846. Office: 238 W. 131st, New York City One Hundred and Nineteenth Semi-Annual, or 60th Annual, Session of the Grand Lodge, May 24, 1910, New York City.

Members, 3658.

Lodges, 16.

Lodges, 16.
Publishes a monthly, "Ordens Echo." Editor. Blanca B. Robitscher.
Officer: (for May, 1910-May, 1911): Grand Monitress, Mrs. Rosalle A.
Elsner, 158 E. 72d; Grand Pres., Mrs. Frieda Bloch, 223 E. 57th; Grand
Vice-Pres., Mrs. Rose Baran; Grand Treas., Mrs. Sarah Markewitz; Grand
Sec., Mrs. Blanca B. Robitscher. 238 W. 131st; Grand Mentor, Mrs. Hulda
Lissner; Grand Warden, Mrs. Flora Fischlowitz.
Longes: Albany, N. Y.; Boston, Mass.; Brooklyn, N. Y.; Chicago, Ill.,
2; Newark, N. J.; New Haven, Conn.; New York City, 7; Philadelphia,
Pa.; St. Louis. Mo.

Pa.; St. Louis, Mo.

# INDEPENDENT ORDER OF UNITED HEBREWS

Org., Sept. 9, 1904. Office: 17 W. Dedham, Boston, Mass. Sixth Annual Convention, June 5-6, 1910, Boston, Mass.

Members, 3054. Lodges, 33.

Lodges, 33.
OFFICERS: Grand Master, Manashe Kranzman; First Deputy Grand Master, H. J. Danzig; Second Deputy Grand Master, J. Newmark; Grand Treasurer, Abraham J. Bennett; Grand Secretary, Louis Davis, 17 W. Dedham; Grand Guide, L. Bloom; Grand Inner Watch, B. Rosenthal; Grand Outer Watch, M. M. Comanday; Counsel of the Order, H. Murray Pakulski; Grand Medical Examiner, N. M. Freedman, M. D.; Chairman on Finance, Adolph Gottesman; Chairman on Laws, L. Harrison; Chairman on Printing, A. Cohen; Chairman on State of the Order, D. Weiss.

# INDEPENDENT ORDER SONS OF BENJAMIN

Org., Dec. 23, 1877. Office: 953 Third Av., New York City Eighteenth Annual Convention, March 15, 1910, New York City. Members, 17,533. Lodges, 147.

Lodges, 147.

OFFICERS: Grand Master, Richard Cohn, N. Y. C.; First Deputy Grand Master, Solomon Stern, N. Y. C.; Second Deputy Grand Master, Jacob Hyman, Boston, Mass.; Third Deputy Grand Master, Lazarus Shapiro, N. Y. C.; Grand Secretary, Louis B. Franklin; Grand Treasurer, Louis Levinson; Grand Messenger, Samuel Ascher; Chairman on Finance, Magnus Levy; Chairman on Mortuary Fund, Julius Gumpert; Chairman on State of Order, Herman Baruth, all of N. Y. C.; Chairman on Appeals, Isidor Posner, Astoria, L. I.; Chairman on Laws, Morris Cohen, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Chairman on Mutual Guaranty Fund, Wm. Wolfskehl, N. Y. C. Lodges: Albany, N. Y.; Baltimore, Md., 2; Bangor, Me.; Binghamton, N. Y.; Boston, Mass., 5; Bradford, Pa.; Bridgeport, Conn.; Brooklyn,

N. Y., 7; Buffalo, N. Y., 2; Chicago, Ill., 5; Cincinnati, O., 2; Cleveland, O., 6; Columbus, O.; Dayton, O.; Denver, Colo.; Detroit, Mich.; Erie, Pa.; Fall River, Mass.; Hartford, Conn.; Hoboken, N. J.; Indianapolis, Ind.; Ithaca, N. Y.; Kansas City, Mo., 4; Milwauke, Wis.; Minneapolis, Minn., 2; Montreal, Can., 3; Newark, N. J., 4; Newburgh, N. Y.; New Haven, Conn., 2; Newport News, Va.; New York City, 60; Norfolk, Va.; Paterson, N. J.; Philadelphia, Pa., 7; Pittsburg, Pa., 2; Providence, R. I., 2; Rochester, N. Y.; St. Louis, Mo., 2; St. Paul, Minn.; San Francisco, Cal., 3; Springfield, Mass.; Syracuse, N. Y.; Toledo, O.; Troy, N. Y.; Washington, D. C.; Wilkes-Barre, Pa.; Wilmington, Del.; Worcester, Mass.; Zanesville, O.

### INDEPENDENT ORDER SONS OF JACOB

Org., April, 1905. Office: 216 S. 4th. Philadelphia, Pa.

Fifth Annual Convention, Aug. 30, 1909, Philadelphia, Pa.

Members, 9500. Lodges, 91.

Lodges, 91.
OFFICERS: Grand Master, Simon D. Shore, 314 Christian, Philadelphia, Pa.; First Deputy, Charles Loebel, Newark, N. J.; Second Deputy, Abraham Wartelsky; Grand Sec., Joseph Klein, 216 S. 4th; Grand Treas, Lipman Rosenberg; Endowment Treas, Samuel Julia, all of Philadelphia, Pa. Lodges: Akron, O.; Allentown, Pa.; Baltimore, Md., 4; Bayonne, N. J.; Bradford, Pa.; Bridgeport, Conn.; Carbondale, Pa.; Cleveland, O., 4; Derby, Conn.; Hartford, Conn.; Lancaster, Pa.; Louisville, Ky.; Newark, N. J., 5; New Haven, Conn., 2; New York City, 5; Norma, N. J.; Old Forge, Pa.; Passaic, N. J.; Paterson, N. J.; Philadelphia, Pa., 48; Plainfield, N. J.; Scranton, Pa., 2.

### INDEPENDENT WESTERN STAR ORDER

Org., Feb. 13, 1894. OFFICE: 604 W. 12th, Chicago, Ill. Fifteenth Annual Convention, Aug. 16-18, 1908, Peoria, Ill. Members, 12,968.
Lodges, 123.

OFFICERS: Grand Master, N. T. Brenner, 21st and Sangamon; Vice-Grand Master, H. Waiss, both of Chicago, Ill.; First Deputy Grand Master, Sam Cohen, Toledo, O.; Second Deputy Grand Master, Charles Hechtkopf, Youngstown, Ohio; Grand Secretary, I. Shapiro, 604 W 12th; Grand Endowment Treas., S. Steiner; Grand General Fund Treas., S.

Lyons, all of Chicago.

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LODGES: Allentown, Pa.; Altoona, Pa.; Benton Harbor, Mich.; Bellaire, O.; Bradford, Pa.; Braddock, Pa.; Brooklyn, N. Y.; Calgary Alta, Can.; Chicago, Ill., 37; Cleveland, O., 3; Columbus, O.; Chicago Heights, Ill.; Canton, O.; Cincinnati, O., 2; Detroit, Mich.; Dayton, O.; Echicago, Ind.; Evansville, Ind.; Grand Rapids, Mich.; Hazleton, Pa.; Indianapolis, Ind.; Joliet, Ill.; Johnstown, Pa.; Kalamazoo, Mich.; Kansas City, Mo.; Leighton, Pa.; Lincoln, Neb.; Los Angeles, Cal., 2; Loulsville, Ky.; Milwaukee, Wis., 3; McKees Rocks, Pa.; McKeesport, Pa.; New York City, 4; Oshkosh, Wis.; Passalc, N. J.; Paterson, N. J.; Peoria, Ill.; Philadelphia, Pa., 11; Pittsburg, Pa., 4; Punxsutawney, Pa.; Providence, R. I., 2; Portsmouth, Va.; St. Paul, Minn., 2; St. Louis, Mo., 6; Sheboygan, Wis.; S. Chicago, Ill., 2; South Bend Ind.; Steubenville, O.; Sharon, Pa.; St. Joseph, Mo.; Scranton, Pa., 2; Toledo, O., 2; Turtle Creek, Pa.; Uniontown, Pa.; Waukegan, Ill.; Youngstown, O.

### THE INDUSTRIAL REMOVAL OFFICE

Org., 1900. Office: 174 Second Av., New York City OFFICERS AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS: Chairman, Reuben Arkush; Vice-Chairman, Alfred Jaretzky; Secretary, Nathan Bijur, and Eugene S. Benjamin, N. Y. C.; Max Senior, Cincinnati, O.; Cyrus L. Sulzberger, N. Y. C. GENERAL MANAGER: David M. Bressler.

AGENCIES: Akron, O.; Albany, N. Y.; Altoona, Pa.; Atlanta, Ga.; Ashtabula, O.; Alliance, O.; Ashland, O.; Bellaire, O.; Birmingham, Ala.; Bucyrus, O.; Buffalo, N. Y.; Burlington, Ia.; Canton, O.; Cedar Rapida, Ia.; Charleston, S. C.; Chattanooga, Tenn.; Cincinnati, O.; Cleveland, O.; Colorado Springs, Colo.; Columbus, O.; Dallas, Texas; Dayton, O.; Des Moines, Ia.; Detroit, Mich.; Dubuque, Ia.; Duluth, Minn.; Erie, Pa.; Evansville, Ind.; Fall River, Mass.; Fort Smith, Ark.; Fort Worth, Texas; Fort Wayne, Ind.; Galveston, Texas; Grand Rapids, Mich.; Hannibal, Mo.; Hot Springs, Ark.; Houston, Texas; Hutchison, Kan.; Huntington, W. Va.; Hamilton, O.; Indianapolis, Ind.; Jacksonville, Fia.; Kansas City, Mo.; Knoxville, Tenn.; Lake Chartes, La.; Lancaster, Pa.; Leavenworth, Kan.; Little Rock, Ark.; Lima, O.; Logansport, Ind.; Lorain, O.; Lafayette, Ind.; Lincoln, Neb.; Louisville, Ky.; Los Angeles, Cal.; Macon, Ga.; Marion, O.; Memphis, Tenn.; Milwaukee, Wis.; Minneapolls, Minn.; Mobile, Ala.; Montgomery, Ala.; Norfolk, Va.; Nashville, Tenn.; Natchez, Miss.; New Orleans, La.; Newark, O.; Omaha, Neb.; Ottumwa, Ia.; Peoria, Ill.; Pine Bluff, Ark.; Pittsburg, Pa.; Parkersburg, W. Va.; Portland, Ore.; Portsmouth, O.; Pensacola, Fla.; Pueblo, Colo.; Richmond, Va.; Rochester, N. Y.; Rockford, Ill.; Rock Island, Ill.; Savannah, Ga.; San Antonio, Tex.; San Francisco, Cal.; Seattle, Wash.; Shreveport, La.; Spokane, Wash.; St. Joseph, Mo.; St. Louis, Mo.; Sheboygan, Wis.; St. Paul, Minn.; Sloux City, Ia.; South Bend, Ind.; Salt Lake City, Utah; Scranton, Pa.; Springfeld, O.; Syracuse, N. Y.; Toledo, O.; Tacoma, Wash.; Terre Haute, Ind.; Topeka, Kan., Tyler, Texas; Vicksburg, Miss.; Waco, Texas; Wichita, Kan.; Wilkes-Barre, Pa.; Youngstown, O.; Zanesville, O.

#### THE JEWISH AGRICULTURAL AND INDUSTRIAL AID SOCIETY

Org., Jan. 23, 1900. Office: 174 Second Av., New York City OFFICER: 128 SECOND AV., New YORK CITY
OFFICERS: Pres., Alfred Jaretzki; Vice-Pres., Percy S. Straus; Treas.,
Eugene Meyer, Jr.; Sec., Morris Loeb, all of New York City.
DIRECTORS: The Officers, and Eugene S. Benjamin, Solomon G. Rosenbaum, and Cyrus L. Sulzberger, all of New York City.
GENERAL MANAGER: Leonard G. Robinson.
ASSISTANT MANAGER: Gabriel Davidson.

### JEWISH AGRICULTURAL EXPERIMENT STATION

Org., March 20, 1910. Office: 356 Second Av., New York City OFFICERS: Pres., Julius Rosenwald, Chicago, Ill.; Vice-Pres., Morris Loeb; Treas., Paul M. Warburg; Sec., Henrietta Szold, 528 W. 123d St., all of New York City.

DIRECTORS: Cyrus Adler, Samuel S. Fels, both of Philadelphia, Pa.; Julian W. Mack, Chicago, Ill.; Louis Marshall, N. Y. C.

MANAGING DIRECTOR: Aaron Aaronsohn, Haifa, Palestine.

THE JEWISH AGRICULTURISTS' AID SOCIETY OF AMERICA Org., Oct. 28, 1888; Inc., Jan. 24, 1900. O Chicago, Ill. OFFICE: 507 S. Marshfield Av.,

Ninth Annual Meeting, Feb. 2, 1909.

Members, 396. Summary of work during 1909: 7 families, comprising 33 persons.

placed on farms.

Jewish farmers settled since the Society began operations, 433.

OFFICERS: Pres., Morris Well; Vice-Pres., Maurice W. Kozminski;

Treas., Edward Rose; Sec., Hugo Pam, The Rookery; Cor. Sec., A. R.

Levy, 507 S. Marshfield Av., all of Chicago, Ill.

DIRECTORS: Israel Cowen, Emil G. Hirsch, Jacob L. Kesner, Maurice W. Kozminski, A. R. Levy, Leo A. Loeb, Hugo Pam, David M. Pfaelzer, J. Rappaport, Edward Rose, Julius Rosenwald, Emanuel F. Selz, Leo Straus, Simeon Straus, Morris Weil, all of Chicago, Ill.

GENERAL MANAGER: Nathan D. Kaplan, 1610 Ashland Blk., Chicago,

### JEWISH CHAUTAUQUA SOCIETY

Org., April 29, 1893. OFFICE: 643 Drexel Bldg., Philadelphia, Pa. Fourteenth Annual Summer Assembly, July 17-24, 1910, Detroit, Mich. Members, 3000.

OFFICERS: Chancellor, Henry Berkowitz, 1823 North 33d, Philadelphia, Pa.; Pres., Israel Cowen, Chicago, Ill.; Vice-Pres., Perry Frankel, Phila., Pa.; Treas., Frank Newburger, Phila., Pa.; Sec. and Director, Charles Edwin Fox, 988 Drexel Bidg., Phila., Pa.; Field Sec., Jeanette Miriam Goldberg, Jefferson, Tex.

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EDUCATIONAL COUNCIL: Max Herzberg, D. W. Amram, Julius H. Green-

Simon Wolf, Washington, D. C.

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CIRCLES: Albany, Ga.: Appleton Wis.: Asheville, N. C.: Atlanta, Ga.

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CIRCLES: Albany, Ga.; Appleton, Wis.; Asheville, N. C.; Atlanta, Ga.; Baltimore, Md.; Bloomington, Ill.; Bridgeport, Conn.; Brooklyn, N. Y., 2; Brunswick, Ga.; Bucyrus, O.; Buffalo, N. Y.; Canton, Miss.; Carthage, Mo.; Champaign, Ill.; Charleston, S. C.; Charlotte, N. C.; Chattanooga, Tenn.; Cincinnati, O.; Cleveland, O., 3; Coatesville, Pa.; Columbia, Mo.; Columbia, Tenn.; Columbia City, Ind.; Columbus, Miss.; Columbus, O.; Danville, Ill.; Dayton, O.; Demopolis, Ala.; Donaldsonville, La.; Duluth, Minn.; Eau Claire, Wis.; El Paso, Tex.; Erle, Pa.; Eufaula, Ala.; Fort Wayne, Ind.; Germantown, Pa.; Goldsboro, N. C.; Goshen, Ind.; Grand Rapids, Mich.; Green Bay, Wis.; Greenville, Miss.; Greenwood, Miss.; Hamilton, Ont.; Henderson, Ky.; Indianapolis, Ind.; Jackson, Mich.; Jacksonville, Fla.; Joplin, Mo.; Kalamazoo, Mich.; Lafayette, La.; Lansing, Mich.; Lexington, Miss.; Ligonler, Ind.; Louislana, Mo.; Madison, Wis.; Mansfield, O.; Marlon, Ind.; Marlon, O.; Milwaukee, Wis.; Minneapolis, Minn.; Mineola, Tex.; Mobile, Ala.; Mount Vernon, Ind.; Nashville, Tenn., 3; Natchez, Miss.; Natchitoches, La.; Newark, N. J., 2; New Orleans, La.; New York City; Niagara Falls, N. Y.; Northern City, La.; Oklahoma City, Okla.; Paducah, Ky.; Passalc, N. J.; Petoskey, Mich.; Philadelphia, Pa., 4; Reading, Pa., 2; Saginaw, Mich.; Sandusky, O.; Savannah, Ga.; Schenectady, N. Y.; Scranton, Pa.; Seattle, Wash.; Selma, Ala.; Shreveport, La.; St. Louis, Mo.; Statesville, N. C.; Tampa, Fla.; Terre Haute, Ind.; Toronto, Can., 2; Troy, N. Y.; Tuscaloosa, Ala.; Vicksburg, Miss.; Waco, Texas; West Point, Ga.; Wheeling, W. Va.; Williamsport, Pa.; Williamsport, Pa.; Williamsport, Pa.; Williamsport, Pa.; Williamsport, Pa.; Williamsport, Pa.; Youngstown, O.

### JEWISH CONSUMPTIVES' RELIEF SOCIETY

Org., Jan. 2, 1904. Inc., June 25, 1904. Office: 1421 Court Place. Denver, Colo.

Sixth Annual Meeting, March 27, 1910. Denver, Colo.
Members, 15,000. Income 1909, \$56,165,14. Capacity, 110 beds.
Publishes bi-monthly, "The Sanatorium."
OFFICERS: Pres., Philip Hillkowitz, 1427 Stout; Vice-Pres., O. M.
lere; Treas., A. Judelovitz; Sec., C. D. Spivak, 1421 Court Place, all Shere; Treas., of Denver, Colo.

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TRUSTEES: Sol. Bloomgarden, S. L. Bresler, S. F. Disraelly, Edw. S. Goalstone, Ed. Grimes, David Gross, Philip Hillkowitz, Louis Hahn, Isidore Hurwitz, A. Judelowitz, C. H. Kauvar, Goodman Levin, Louis Levy, Mrs. Louis Levy, Louis Robinson, Louis Schapiro, O. M. Shere, C. D. Spivak, Louis M. Weiner, Adolph Zederbaum, all of Denver, Colo.; Max Stern and Mrs. Louis Bloch, of New York City.

AUXILIARY SOCIETIES: Clucinnati, O.; Denver, Colo.; Fort Worth, Tex.; Hartford, Conn.; Holyoke, Mass.; Kansas City, Mo.; New York City, N. Y.; Philadelphia, Pa.; Savannah, Ga.; Springfield, Mass.; St. Joseph, Mo.; St. Louis, Mo.; Waterbury, Conn.

Has support of Federated Charities in Atlanta, Ga.; Birmingham, Ala.; Chicago, Ill.; Cleveland, O.; Des Moines, Ia.; Detroit, Mich.; Louisville, Ky.; Memphis, Tenn.; Milwaukee, Wis.; Nashville, Tenn.; Perth Amboy, N. J.: Toledo, O.

### JEWISH PUBLICATION SOCIETY OF AMERICA

Org., June 3, 1888. Office: 608 Chestnut, Philadelphia, Pa. For the Report of the Twenty-second Year of The Jewish Publication Society of America, see p. 355 et seq.

### JEWISH SOCIALIST-TERRITORIALIST LABOR PARTY OF AMERICA

Org., Feb. 3, 1906. Office: 256 E. Houston, New York City Third Annual Meeting, September, 1909, Philadelphia, Pa.

Members, 3000.

Branches (of 25 members or more), 36; Groups (of less than 25 mem-

bers), 18.
CENTRAL COMMITTEE: R. Awerbach, A. Fifemacher, L. Fifemacher, J. Globus, J. Sacoder, R. Glanz, J. Lieberman, and D. Levy, all of New York

City.

SECRETARY: J. Sacoder, 256 E. Houston, N. Y. C.
BRANCHES AND GROUPS: Augusta, Ga.; Baltimore, Md.; Boston, Mass.;
Bridgeport, Coun.; Buffalo, N. Y.; Calgary, Can.; Chelsea, Mass.; Chicago,
Ill., 2; Cincinnati, Ohio; Cleveland, Ohio; De Kalb, Ill.; Denver, Colo.;
Detroit, Mich.; Galveston, Tex.; Gloversville, N. Y.; Grand Forks, N. D.;
Hartford, Conn.; Kansas City, Mo.; Lincoln, Neb.; Los Angeles, Cal.;
Malden, Mass.; Milwaukee, Wis.; Minneapolis, Minn.; Montreal, Can.;
Newark, N. J.; New Bedford, Mass.; New Haven, Conn.; New Orleans, La.;
New York City, 12; Omaha, Neb.; Perth Amboy, N. J.; Philadelphia, Pa.;
Pittsburg, Pa.; Rochester, N. Y.; St. Louis, Mo.; San Francisco, Cal.;
Schenectady, N. Y.; Springfield, Mass.; Toronto, Can.; Trenton, N. J.;
Waterbury, Conn.; Winnipeg, Can.; Worcester, Mass.

#### THE JEWISH THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY OF AMERICA

Org., 1886. OFFICE: 531 W. 123d, New York City

Twelfth Biennial Meeting, March 27, 1910. Seventeenth Commencement, June 5, 1910. Graduates, Rabbinical Course, in 1910, 6. One Doctor's Degree given in Course.

Whole number of graduates, Rabbinical Course, 55.
Whole number of graduates, Teachers' Institute, 15.
OFFICERS: Pres., Solomon Schechter; Chairman Board of Directors,
Louis Marshall; Vice-Chairman, Newman Cowen; Hon. Sec., Irving
Lehman; Treas., Daniel Guggenheim, all of New York City.
DIRECTORS (for life): Jacob H. Schiff, Daniel Guggenheim, Felix M.
Warburg, Louis Marshall, Adolph Lewisohn, all of New York City; Philip
S, Henry, Asheville, N. C.; Mayer Sulzberger, Philadelphia, Pa.; Cyrus
Adler, Philadelphia, Pa.; Simon Guggenheim, Washington, D. C. (term
expires in 1910), Newman Cowen, Simon M. Roeder, Irving Lehman, Samuel
Greenbaum, Morris Loeb, all of New York City; William Gerstley, Philadelphia, Pa., and Harry Friedenwald, Baltimore, Md.
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE: Chairman, Louis Marshall; Cyrus Adler,
Jacob H. Schiff, Daniel Guggenheim, Mayer Sulzberger, Simon M. Roeder,
Newman Cowen, ex officio.
FACULTY: Pres., and Professor of Jewish Theology, Solomon Schechter,
M.A., Litt, D. (Cantab.); Sabato Morais Professor of Biblical Literature and Exegesis, Israel Friedlaender, Ph. D. (Strasburg); Professor of Taimud, Louis Ginzberg, Ph. D. (Heidelberg); Professor of History, Alexander Marx, Ph. D. (Königsberg); Professor of Homiletics,
Mordecal M. Kaplan, M. A. (Columbia); Instructor in the Taimud, Joshua
A. Joffé; Instructor in Hebrew and Rabbinics, Israel Davidson, Ph. D.
(Columbia); Professor of English Literature and Rhetoric, Joseph Jacobs,
B. A. (Cantab., London), Litt, D. (University of Pennsylvania); Hazan
and Instructor in Hazanut, Rev. Simon Jacobson; Tutor of Elocution,
Grenville Kleiser.

Library Staff: Librarian Professor Alexander Marx: Assistant Grenville Kleiser.

LIBRARY STAFF: Librarian, Professor Alexander Marx; Assistant brarian, Dr. Israel Davidson; Cataloguer, Israel Shapira; Assistant in Librarian.

Library, Samuel Abrahams.
REGISTRAR: Professor Joseph Jacobs; Secretary, Joseph B. Abrahams.
BRANCHES: Baltimore, Md.: Denver, Colo.: Detroit, Mich.; Louisville,
Ky.; Montreal, Can.; Newark, N. J.; New York City; Philadelphia, Pa.

ALUMNI ASSOCIATION OF THE JEWISH THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY OF AMERICA

Tenth Annual Meeting, June 20-21, 1910, New York City.
Officers: Pres., Charles I. Hoffman, 158a Quitman, Newark, N. J.;
Vice-Pres., M. M. Kaplan, New York City; Rec. Sec., Elias L. Solomon,
New York City; Cor. Sec., Nathan Wolf, 279 Maple St., Perth Amboy, N.
J.; Treas., L. H. Elmaleh, 2228 N. Broad, Philadelphia, Pa.
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE: Chas. H. Kauvar, Denver, Colo.; Julius H.
Greenstone, Philadelphia, Pa.; S. Z. Prokesch, Hawthorne, N. Y.; Alexander
Basel, New York City; Jacob Kohn, Syracuse, N. Y.; Marvin Nathan,
Philadelphia, Pa.

### JUDAIC UNION

Org., May 31, 1880. Office: 2322 N. Woodstock, Philadelphia, Pa. Thirtieth Annual Convention, Feb. 14, 1910, Philadelphia, Pa. Members, 903.
Lodges, 8.

OFFICERS: Grand Master, Louis Sulka, 2325 N. 13th, Philadelphia, Pa.; Vice-Grand Master, Jos. D. Levy; Grand Sec., S. J. Marx, 2322 N. Woodstock, Philadelphia, Pa.; Grand Treas., Sam'l Stern; Grand Conductor, Max Stamm.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE: The Officers, and Arthur Cohen; I. N. Weinstock; Albert Sohns; Wm. Jaekson; Milton Bernhelm; M. A. Rome. Lodges: Baltimore, Md.; Philadelphia, Pa., 5.

### NATIONAL CONFERENCE OF JEWISH CHARITIES IN THE UNITED STATES

Org., 1899. OFFICE: 411 W. Fayette, Baltimore, Md. Sixth Biennial Convention, May 17-19, 1910, St. Louis, Mo.

Members, 117 societies.

Officers (1910-12): Pres., Lee K. Frankel, N. Y. C.; Vice-Pres., Julius Rosenwald, Chicago, Ill.; Sidney Pritz, Cincinnati, O.; Sec., Louis H. Levin, 411 W. Fayette, Baltimore, Md.; Treas., Bernard Greensfelder, St. Louis, Mo.

Julius Rosenwald, Chicago, III.; Sidney Pritz, Cincinnati, O.; Sec., Louis H. Levin, 411 W. Fayette, Baltimore, Md.; Treas., Bernard Greensfelder, St. Louis, Mo.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE: Max Senior, Cincinnati, O.; Max Herzberg, Philadelphia, Pa.; Julian W. Mack, Chicago, III.; Nathan Bijur, New York City; Jacob H. Hollander, Baltimore, Md.; Alfred Benjamin, Kansas City, Mo.; Aaron Waldheim, St. Louis, Mo.; Minnie F. Low, Chicago, III.; Samuel S. Fleisher, Philadelphia, Pa.; Jonas Well, Minneapolis, Minn. CONSTITUENT SOCIETIES: Albany, N. Y., Hebrew Benevolent Society; Jewish Home Society; Alexandria, Va., Hebrew Benevolent Society; Atlanta, Ga., Federation of Jewish Charities, Hebrew Orphan Home; Baltimore, Md., The Federated Jewish Charities, Hebrew Denevolent Society; United Hebrew Charities; Birmingham, Ala., United Hebrew Charities; Boston, Mass., United Hebrew Benevolent Society, Hebrew Women's Sewing Society; Braddock, Pa., Braddock Lodge, No. 516, I. O. B.; Buffalo, N. Y., Federated Jewish Charities, Hebrew Benevolent Loan Assn.; Charleston, S. C., Hebrew Benevolent Society; Chicago, III.; Associated Jewish Charities, Bureau of Fersonal Service, Chicago Women's Aid, Home of Jewish Friendless Working Girls, Jewish Ald Society; Cincinnati, Ohio, United Jewish Charities; Cleveland, Ohio, The Federation of Jewish Charities; Columbus, Ohio, Jewish Charities; Delroit, Girls, Jewish Charities, Deroit, Mich., Detwish Charities; Delroit, Mich., Detwish Charities; Delroit, Mich., Detwish Charities; Delroit, Mich., Detroit Ladies' Society for Support of Widows and Orphans, United Jewish Charities; Delroit, Mich., Detroit Ladies' Society, Jewish Consumptives Relief Society; Fort Wayne, Ind., Hebrew Relief Union; Gainesville, Texas, United Hebrew Congregation; Evansville, Ind., Hebrew Benevolent Society; Fort Wayne, Ind., Hebrew Relief Society, Jewish Women's Benevolent Society; Hot Springs, Ark., Hot Springs Relief Society, Hebrew Benevolent Society; Hot Springs, Ark., Hot Springs Relief Society, Hebrew Benevolent Soc

Ladies' Hebrew Benevolent Society; Oakland, Cal., Daughters of Israel Relief Society; Paducah, Ky., Congregation Temple Israel; Pensacola, Fla., Congregation Beth-El; Peoria, Ill., Hebrew Relief Association; Philadelphia, Pa., Home for Hebrew Orphans, The Jewish Foster Home and Orphan Asylum, Jewish Hospital, The Orphans' Guardians, United Hebrew Charities, Young Women's Union; Pine Bluff, Ark., Hebrew Relief Association; Portland, Ore., First Hebrew Benevolent Association, Jewish Women's Benevolent Society; Portsmouth, O., Ladies' Aid Society; Reading, Pa., Ladies' Hebrew Aid Society; Richmond, Va., Congregation Reth Ahaba of Richmond, Hebrew Home for Aged and Infirm, Hebrew Ladies' Benevolent Society; Rochester, N. Y., Jewish Orphan Asylum Association of Western New York, United Jewish Charities; Salt Lake City, Utah, Jewish Relief Society; San Antonio, Texas, Monteflore Benevolent Society; San Francisco, Cal., Emanuel Sisterhood, Hebrew Board of Relief; Savannah, Ga.; Ladies' Hebrew Benevolent Society; St. Joseph, Mo., Jewish Ladies' Relief Society; St. Louis, Mo., Jewish Charitable and Educational Union; St. Paul, Minn., Bikur Cholim Society, The Jewish Relief Society; Stockton, Cal., Ladies' Hebrew Benevolent Society; Syracuse, N. Y., United Jewish Charities; Toledo, Ohio, Hebrew Ladies' Benevolent Society; Troy, N. Y., Ladies' Society Brith Sholom Congregation; Vicksburg, Miss., Associated Jewish Charities, Ladies' Hebrew Benevolent Society; Troy, N. Y., Ladies' Nearities, Ladies' Hebrew Benevolent Society; Troy, N. Y., Ladies' Society Brith Sholom Congregation; Vicksburg, Miss., Associated Jewish Charities, Ladies' Hebrew Benevolent Society; Waco, Texas, The Hebrew Benevolent Society; Waco, Persas, The Hebrew Benevolent Society; Waco, Jewish Charities; Wheeling, W. Va., United Hebrew Charities; Wilkes-Park, Pa., Ladies' Auxiliary, Y. M. H. A.; Wilmington, D. C., The United Hebrew Charities Society Society Society Society Charities, Ladies' Hebrew Benevolent Society; Pal., Hebrew Charities, Wilkes-Park, P

### THE NATIONAL FARM SCHOOL

Inc., April 10, 1896. SCHOOL AND FARMS: Farm School, Bucks Co., Pa. BUSINESS OFFICE: 334 Mutual Life Bldg., Philadelphia, Pa.

Twelfth Annual Meeting, Oct. 3, 1909, Farm School, Bucks Co., Pa. Ninth Annual Commencement, June 5, 1910.

Number of graduates, 1910, 15. Whole number of graduates, 86.

Members, 1459.

OFFICERS: Pres., Joseph Krauskopf, 4715 Pulaski Av., Germantown, Pa.; Vice-Pres., Harry B. Hirsh; Treas., Isaac H. Sliverman; Sec., Isaac Landman, 334 Mutual Life Bidg., Philadelphia, Pa.

DIRECTOR: J. H. Washburn.

EXECUTIVE BOARD: A. Bamberger, B. Binswanger, Hart Blumenthal, W. Atlee Burpee, Adolph Eichholz, H. Felix, B. Finburg, Edwin S. Fleisher, Simon Friedberger, S. Grabfelder, Abram Israel, M. A. Kaufmann, Alfred M. Klein, Arnold Kohn, Howard A. Loeb, Leon Merz, Barney Selig, J. N. Snellenburg, all of Philadelphia, Pa.

NATIONAL AUXILIANY BOARD: Louis I. Aaron, Pittsburg, Pa.; Julius Adder, Portland, Ore.; Henry Beer, New Orleans, La.; I. W. Bernhelm, Louisville, Ky.; Henry Frank, Natchez, Miss.; M. J. Freiberg, Cincinnati, O.; Bernard Ginsburg, Detroit, Mich.; Mrs. Jacob H. Hecht, Boston. Mass.; A. Hirshhelmer, La Crosse, Wis.; M. Horkhelmer, Wheeling, W. Va.; Adolph Lewisohn, N. Y. C.; Leon Mandel, Chicago, Ill.; Louis Newberger, Indianapolis, Ind.; Edw. E. Richards, Mobile, Ala.; E. Raab, Richmond, Va.; Alex. Sanger, Dallas, Tex.; David Sternberg, Memphis, Tenn.; Sigmund Sonneborn, Baltimore, Md.; Harris Weinstock, Sacramento, Cal.; Ferdinand Westhelmer, St. Joseph, Mo.; A. Younker, Des Moines, Ia.

THE NORTH CAROLINA BRANCH OF THE NATIONAL FARM SCHOOL

Organized March 28, 1910, at Asheville, N. C. OBJECT: To promote the settling of graduates of The National Farm School, on Hellman Farms and in other parts of North Carolina.

OFFICERS: Judge J. C. Pritchard, Chairman; F. W. Cone, Secretary. COMMITTEE: G. Alexander, J. A. Campbell, H. L. Finkelstein, W. A. Hildebrand, R. S. Jones, S. Lipinsky, M. D. Long, J. Lowenbein, S. H. Michaelev, G. S. Powell, E. L. Ray, J. S. Silverstein, and S. Sternberg, all of Asheville, N. C.; Caesar Cone, Greensboro, N. C.; S. Friedman, Rock Hill, S. C.; Sol. Gellert, Rutherfordton, N. C.; A. J. Lemort, Tryon, N. C.; Wm. Wallace, Statesville, N. C.; Sol. Well, Goldsboro, N. C.; T. C. Westall, East Flat Rock, N. C.

### NATIONAL JEWISH HOSPITAL FOR CONSUMPTIVES

Org., 1899. Office: 522 E. and C. Bldg., Denver, Colo. Ninth Annual Meeting, November, 1909, New York City.

Members, 17,000. Patients treated, 1600.

OFFICERS: Pres., Samuel Grabfelder, Merchant and Mariner Bidg., Philadelphia, Pa.; Vice-Pres., Louis Gerstley, Phila., Pa., Treas., Ben. Altheimer, St. Louis, Mo.; Sec., Alfred Muller, 522 E. and C. Bidg., Denyer,

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE: The Officers, and Abe Bloch, Cincinnati, O.; William S. Friedman, Denver, Colo.; Mrs. J. B. Greenhut, N. Y. C.; J. E.

Schoenberg, N. Y. C.

## NATIONAL UNION OF JEWISH IMMIGRANT AID SOCIETIES

Org., Jan. 23, 1910. Office: 229 East Broadway, New York City

OFFICERS: Pres., Louis E. Levy, Phila., Pa.; Treas., Leon Sanders; Sec., Miss Carrie Wise, 229 East Broadway, both of N. Y. C.
CONSTITUENT SOCIETIES: New York Hebrew Sheltering and Immigrant Aid Society; Philadelphia Association for Protection of Jewish Immigrants; Baltimore Hebrew Immigrant Protective Association; Boston Hebrew Immigrant Aid Society.

#### ORDER BRITH ABRAHAM

Org., June 12, 1859. Office: 266 Grand, New York City Twenty-fifth Blennial Convention, June 13, 1909, New York City. Members, 62,176.
Lodges, 340.

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Lodges, 340.
OFFICERS: Grand Master, Samuel Dorf, New York City; First Deputy Grand Master, M. Schoenfeld, New York City; Second Deputy Grand Master, David Grody, Syracuse, N. Y.; Third Deputy Grand Master, Emil Mantel, Indianapolis, Ind.; Grand Treas., Barnet Friedman, New York City; Grand Sec., L. Leisersohn, 266 Grand, New York City; Counsel to the Order, Hon. H. M. Goldfogle, New York City.

Lodges: Albany, N. Y.; Atlanta, Ga.; Baltimore, Md., 5; Biddeford, Me.; Binghamton, N. Y.; Birmingham, Ala.; Boston, Mass., 24; Buffalo, N. Y., 2; Burlington, Vt.; Centerville, Ia.; Chelsea, Mass., 2; Chester, Pa.; Chicago, Ill., 27; Cleveland, O., 7; Dallas, Tex., 2; Denver, Colo., 3; Des Moines, Ia.: Detroit, Mich., 2; Duluth, Minn., 3; East Boston, Mass.; Elmira, N. Y.; Eveleth, Minn.; Fall River, Mass., 3; Hartford, Conn., 3; Haverhill, Mass.; Hazleton, Pa.; Hibbing, Minn.; Holyoke, Mass.; Houston, Tex.; Hudson, N. Y.; Indianapolis, Ind., 3; Johnstown, Pa.; Kansas City, Mo., 2; La Crosse, Wis.; La Salle, Ill.; Lafayette, Ind.; Lawrence, Mass., 2; Lewiston, Me.; Los Angeles, Cal.; Louisville, Ky., 2; Macon, Ga.; Manchester, N. H.; Milwaukee, Wis., 2; Minneapolis, Minn., 6; New Bedford, Mass.; New Britain, Conn.; New Castle, Pa.; New Haven, Conn., 2; New London, Conn.; New York City, 122; Newark, N. J., 9; Newport News, Va.; Norfolk, Va.; Norwich, Conn.; Omaha, Neb.; Paterson, N. J. 2; Peekskill, N. Y.; Peoria, Ill.; Philadelphia, Pa., 9; Pittsburg, Pa., 4; Portland, Me.; Providence, R. I., 7; Pueblo, Colo.; Reading, Pa.; Richmond, Va.; Rochester, N. Y., 2; St. Joseph, Mo.; St. Louis, Mo., 10; St.

Paul, Minn; Salem, Mass., 2; San Antonio, Tex.; San Francisco, Cal., 3; Savannah, Ga.; Scranton, Pa.; Shreveport, La.; South Framingham, Mass.; South Norwalk, Conn.; Springfield, Mass.; Syracuse, N. Y., 3; Toledo, O., 2; Troy, N. Y.; Utica, N. Y., 2; Waco, Tex.; Washington, D. C.; Waterbury, Conn., 2; West Superior, Wils.; Wilkes-Barre, Pa., 2; Woonsocket, R. I.; Worcester, Mass., 2; Youngstown, O.

#### ORDER KESHER SHEL BARZEL

Org., 1860. Office: 342 E. 50th, New York City Biennial Convention of District Grand Lodge, No. 1, Feb. 20, 1910, New York City.

Members, 47 Lodges, 34. 470.

OFFICERS: Pres., A. N. Rotholz, 123 Liberty, New York City; Sec., Moses Greenbaum, 342 E. 50th, New York City.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE: S. Elias; Wm. Bernard; H. Beck; M. Kreisler;

II. Hellbrun.

I.ODGES: Albany, N. Y.; Boston, Mass.; Brooklyn, N. Y., 2; Buffalo, N. Y.; Elmira, N. Y.; Hartford, Conn.; Jersey City, N. J.; Kingston, N. Y.; Newark, N. J., 2; New Haven, Conn.; New York City, 18; Ogdensburg, N. Y.; Poughkeepsie, N. Y.; Rochester, N. Y.; Syracuse, N. Y.; Troy, N. Y.

### ORDER KNIGHTS OF JOSEPH

Org., Feb. 14, 1896. Office: 34 Blackstone Bldg., Cleveland, O. Eighth Biennial Convention, Aug. 9-12, 1908, Buffalo, N. Y. Members, 10,000. Lodges, 72.

Lodges, 72.

OFFICERS: Supreme Commander, N. Meyers, 81 Seneca, Buffalo, N. Y.; First Vice-Supreme Commander, Harry Adelstein, Cleveland, O.; Second Vice-Supreme Commander, G. H. Marks, Chicago, Ill.; Supreme Sec., D. J. Zinner, Cleveland, O.; Supreme Treas., N. L. Holstein, Cleveland, O.; Endowment Treas., A. Jacobs, Cleveland, O.; Supreme Counsellor, J. C. Bloch, Cleveland, O. Y., 5; Camden, N. J.; Chicago, Ill., 13; Cincinnati, O., 5: Cleveland, O., 8: Columbus, O., 2; Indianapolis, Ind.; Louisville, Ky.; Nashville, Tenn.; New Haven, Conn.; Passaic, N. J.; Paterson, N. J.; Piltsburg, Pa., 5; Providence, R. I.; Rochester, N. Y., 3; Rock Island, Ill.; St. Louis, Mo., 5; Toledo, O.; Wheeling, W. Va.

#### \* ORDER KNIGHTS OF MACCABEES

Lodges: Bangor, Me., Queen City Tent; Denver, Colo., Dr. Herzl Lodge, Secretary, Louis Lipschitz; Monteflore Tent No. 20, Organized, June 1, 1896, Secretary, M. Gridenberg; Colorado Tent No. 51, Organized March 1, 1904, Secretary, A. Schapiro.

### ORDER KNIGHTS OF ZION

(WESTERN FEDERATION OF ZIONISTS) Org., Oct. 25, 1898. Office: Chicago, Ill.

Twelfth Annual Convention, Jan. 8-11, 1909, Chicago, Ill. Members, 3500: Male, 3000; female, 500.

Gates, 35.

Officers: Grand Master, Leon Zolotkoff, 906 Ashland Block; Grand Vice-Master, Max Shulman; Grand Treas., B. Horwich; Grand Sec., Dr. Geo. K. Rosenzweig, 919 W. 12th; all of Chicago, Ill. Garres: Chicago, Ill.; Council Bluffs, Ia.; Des Moines, Ia.; Indiana Harbor, Ind.; Lafayette, Ind.; Lincoln, Neb.; Milwaukee, Wis.; Minneapolis, Minn.; Omaha, Neb.; Sloux City, Ia.; South Bend, Ind.; Springfield, Ill.; Toledo, O.; Wichita, Kan.

#### ORDER UNITED HEBREWS OF AMERICA

HEADQUARTERS: Boston, Mass.

Annual Convention, June 5-6, 1910.

Officers: Pres., Sigmund Goldman; Vice-Pres., L. Saklad and H. Orenberg; Grand Treas., A. J. Bennett; Grand Sec., L. Davis; Grand Inner Guard, H. Greenberg; Grand Outer Guard, S. Kaufman.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE: M. Appel, H. Benigson, J. Boracks, A. Cohen, H. J. Danzig, D. M. Goldstein, J. Godgart, H. Gradetsky, M. Klein, M. Krakowsky, M. Krantzman, C. Levy, I. Mann, I. Massel, H. M. Pakulski, L. Taylor, and H. H. Westreich.

#### PROGRESSIVE ORDER OF THE WEST

Org., Feb. 13, 1896. Office: 11th and Franklin Av., St. Louis, Mo. Fourteenth Annual Convention, July 25-27, 1909, St. Louis, Mo. Members, 6782.

Lodges, 51.

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OFFICERS: Grand Master, B. Frank, 3103 Thomas, St. Louis, Mo.; First Deputy Grand Master, B. Stone, Chicago, Ill.; Second Deputy Grand Master, Abe Levy, St. Louis, Mo.; Third Deputy Grand Master, Mike Berlaw, Kansas City, Mo.; Grand Sec., Sam. Schwartzberg, 1334 Walton Av., St. Louis, Mo.; Grand Treas., Sol. Levitt, St. Louis, Mo.; Beneficlary Treas., Sam Kranzberg, St. Louis, Mo.; Counsellor of the Order, Max Levy, Cincinnati, O.

LODGES: Beaumont, Tex.; Charleston, W. Va.; Chicago, Ill., 21; Cincinnati, O.; Cleveland, O., 2; Dallas, Tex.; Fort Worth, Tex.; Houston, Tex.; Indianapolis, Ind., 2; Kansas City, Kan.; Kansas City, Mo., 3; Louisville, Ky.; Milwaukee, Wis., 3; St. Louis, Mo., 16; St. Paul, Minn.

### SOCIETY OF JEWISH ART

Org., Feb. 4, 1908. Office: Care of A. E. Peck, 138 5th Av., New York City

Members, 200.
OFFICERS: Pres., Samuel Strauss; Vice-Pres., Henrietta Szold, Dr.
Jacob Teschner; Treas., Alfred E. Peck, 138 5th Av., all of New York City.
EXECUTIVE COUNCIL: The Officers, and B. Cassel, Herbert Friedenwald,
Louis Halle, Lewis M. Isaacs, Joseph Jacobs, Sol. C. Lowenstein, J. L.
Magnes, Leo Mielziner, Leon Moisseiff, David de Sola Pool, Bernard G.
Richards, Mrs. S. Schechter, and Max Spicker.

### THE UNION OF AMERICAN HEBREW CONGREGATIONS

Org., 1873. OFFICE: Cincinnati, O. Twenty-second Council will meet Jan. 17-19, 1911, New York City.

Twenty-second Council will meet Jan. 17-19, 1911, New York City. Members, 187 Congregations.

Three Departments: I. Hebrew Union College, Pres., Board of Governors, Edward L. Heinshelmer, Cincinnati, O. II. Board of Delegates on Civil Rights, Chairman, Simon Wolf, 700 14th, N. W., Washington, D. C. III. Board of Synagogue and School Extension, Chairman, Sol. Fox; Director, Rabbi George Zepin; both of Cincinnati, O. Chairman, Sol. Fox; Director, Rabbi George Zepin; both of Cincinnati, O. Chricers: Pres., Louis J. Goldman, 4th and Eim, Cincinnati, O.; Vice-Pres., Harry Hart, Chicago, Ill.; Treas., Louis Krohn, Cincinnati, O.; Sec., Lipman Levy, Fourth Nati. Bk. Bidg., Cincinnati, O. Executive Board for 1910: Isaac W. Bernhelm, Louisville, Ky.; Bernhard Bettmann, Cincinnati, O.; Judge Josiah Cohen, Pittsburg, Pa.; Solomon Fox, Cincinnati, O.; J. Walter Freiberg, Cincinnati, O.; Bernard Ginsburg, Detroit, Mich.; Louis J. Goldman, Cincinnati, O.; Harry Hart, Chicago, Ill.; Charles Hutzler, Richmond, Va.; Samuel Katz, Omaha, Neb.; Adolf Kraus, Chicago, Ill.; Victor H. Kriegshaber, At-

lanta, Ga.; Louis Krohn, Cincinnati, O.; Moritz Loth, Cincinnati, O.; Baruch Mahler, Cleveland, O.; Martin A. Marks, Cleveland, O.; Mars, B. May, Cincinnati, O.; Elias Michael, St. Louis, Mo.; Adolph S. Ochs, New York City; Abram Oppenhelmer, Buffalo, N. Y.; Marcus Raul, Pittsburg, Pa.; Sigmund Rheinstrom, Cincinnati, O.; Julius Rosenwald, Chicago, Ill.; Jacob H. Schiff, New York City; Emil Selig, Philadelphia, Pa.; Charles Shohl, Cincinnati, O.; Isaac Strouse, Baltimore, Md.; Solomon Sulzberger, New York City; Maurice Stern, New Orleans, La.; Samuel Woolner, Peorls, Ill.

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homa City, Okla, Temple B'nai Israel; Omaha, Neb., Israel; Owensboro, Ky., Adath Israel; Paducah, Ky., Temple Israel; Pensacola, Fla., Beth El; Peoria, Ill., Anshe Emeth; Peru, Ind., Or Zion; Petersburg, Va., Rodef Sholom; Philadelphia, Pa., Keneseth Israel, Rodef Shalom; Pine Bluff, Ark., Anshe Emeth; Piqua, O., Anshe Emeth; Pittsburg, Pa., Rodef Shalom; Plaquemine, La., Ohabe Shalom; Port Gibson, Miss., Gemiluth Chasadim; Portland, Ore., Temple Beth Israel; Portsmouth, O., Bene Abraham; Providence, R. I., Sons of Israel and David; Reading, Pa., Oheb Sholom; Richmond, Va., Beth Ahaba; Rochester, N. Y.; Berlth Kodesh; Sacramento, Cal., Bene Israel; Saginaw, Mich., Beth El; Salt Lake City, Utah, Bene Israel; San Antonio, Tex., Beth El; Sandusky, O., Beth Israel; San Francisco, Cal., Emanuel, She'erith Israel; Savannah, Ga., Mickva Israel; Scranton, Pa., Anshe Chesed; Selma, Ala., Mishkan Israel; Shreveport, La., Hebrew Zion; Sioux City, Iowa, Mt. Sinai; South Bend, Ind., Beth El; Springfield, Mo., Temple Israel; Springfield, O., Oheb Zedakah; St. Joseph, Mo., Adath Joseph; St. Louis, Mo., Shaare Emeth, Temple Israel; St. Paul, Minn., Mount Zion Hebrew; Statesville, N. C., Emanuel; Stockton, Cal., Ryhim Ahoovim; Syracuse, N. Y., Society of Concord; Tampa, Fla., Shaare Zedek; Terre Haute, Ind., Temple Israel; Texarkana, Ark., Mt. Sinai; Titusville, Pa., Bene Zion; Toledo, O., Shomer Emunim; Trinidad, Colo., Aaron; Tyler, Tex., Beth El; Vicksburg, Miss., Anshe Chesed; Wabash, Ind., Rodef Shalom; Waco, Tex., Rodef Snalom; Washington, D. C., Washington Hebrew; Wheeling, W. Va., Leshem Shamayim; Wichita, Kan., Emanuel; Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Bene Berith; Willamsport, Pa., Beth Hashalom; York, Pa., Beth Israel; Youngstown, O., Rodef Shalom; Zanesville, O., Keneseth Israel.

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### UNITED CLOTH HAT AND CAP MAKERS OF NORTH AMERICA

Org., Mar. 20, 1901. OFFICE: 62 E. 4th, New York City Seventh Annual Convention, May 1, 1909, N. Y. C. Meets biennially thereafter.

Members, 3000: Male, 2600; Female, 400. Locals, 24.

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### UNITED ORTHODOX RABBIS OF AMERICA

Org., Tammuz 24, 5662 (1902)

Seventh Annual Convention, November 7, 1909, Philadelphia, Pa.

Members, 110.

OFFICERS: Hon. Pres., Bernard L. Levinthal, 716 Pine, Philadelphia, Pa.; Pres., S. E. Jaffe, N. Y. C.; Vice-Pres., I. Rosenberg, Burlington, Vt.; I. Seltzer, Paterson, N. J.; S. Rosenberg, Buffalo, N. Y.; Secs., P. Tuchman, Baltimore, Md., and B. Revel, Philadelphia, Pa.; Treas., B. Abramovitz, St. Louis, Mo.; Chairman of Committee to organize Jewish Congregations in the U. S., Bernard L. Levinthal.

### Z B T FRATERNITY

Now known as the Zeta Beta Tau, ranking as an Intercollegiate Greek-letter fraternity, open to Jewish men. Org., 1898. Inc., 1907. Office: New York City

Eleventh Annual Convention, Dec. 28, 1909, Hotel Astor, New York

Members, 500.
OFFICERS: Supreme Nasi (Pres.), Samuel Stark, 299 Broadway; Supreme Sophar (Sec.), Chester E. Frankel, 924 Prospect Av.; both of N. Y. C.

N. Y. C.
Chapters located at the Boston University, Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute, Case School of Applied Sciences, College of the City of New York, Columbia University, Cornell University, Long Island Medical College, New York University, Tulane University of Louisiana, Union University, the University of Pennsylvania, and Western Reserve University. Has a Graduate Club in N. Y. C. and in Cleveland, O.

# NEW JEWISH LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS IN THE UNITED STATES

The following list supplements the DIRECTORY OF JEWISH LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS IN THE UNITED STATES published in the AMERICAN JEWISH YEAR BOOK 5668 and the additions in those of 5669 and 5670. It enumerates the organizations which have come into existence between July 1, 1909, and June 30, 1910, and it includes also a few organizations inadvertently omitted from the other lists. Juvenile organizations, because of their ephemeral character, have been omitted.

The following abbreviations have been employed: CEM. = Cemetery; CG. = Congregation; CHR. = Charity; CL. = Club; CoM. = Community; EDUC. = Educational; M. B. = Mutual Benefit. An Asterisk (\*) indicates

that exact information was not procurable.

### ALABAMA

#### GADSDEN

CG. Beth Israel. Sec., A. Kohn, P. O. Box 530. Rabbi, F. K. Hirsch, Bessemer, Ala. Sunday School.

### ARKANSAS

### FORT SMITH

Educ. Young Men's Hebrew Association. Org., March 29, 1908. Sec., Paul Isaacson, Van Buren, Ark.

### CALIFORNIA

#### ALAMEDA

CG. \*Congregation.

#### LOS ANGELES

CG. \*Poale Zedek. CHR. Hebrew Sheltering Association, Rose St. Org., 1908. Sec., L. Ginsherg.

Ginsberg.

\*Hebrew Protective Club.

EDUC. Jewish Endeavor Society, care of Temple B'nai B'rith, 9th and Hope. Org., Nov. 1, 1908. Sec., Miss J. Pinkiert, 519 W. 9th.

### OAKLAND

CL. Judean, Zion Hall, 9th and Castro. Org., 1908. Sec., J. O. Levy, 805 11th.

#### SAN FRANCISCO

CG. \*Beth Jacob. Auxiliary Society. Ladies' Endeavor Society. Sec., Mrs. M. Silverstein. \*Shaare Refooah.

CHR. Federation of Jewish Charities, 436 O'Farrell. Sec., Meyer H. Levy, 436 O'Farrell. (Pacific Hebrew Orphan Asylum and Home Society, Eureka Benevolent Society, Mt. Zion Hospital, Hebrew Home for Aged and Disabled, First Hebrew Benevolent Society, Emanuel Sisterhood, Free Loan Society, The Helpers, Ladles' United Hebrew Benevolent Society, Jewish Ladles' Relief Society, Free Burial Society. Hebrew Ladles' Sewing Society, and Jewish Educational Society.

### COLORADO

### COLORADO SPRINGS

CG.

CL.

\*Beth El. Sec., B. S. Kaufman.
Sons of Abraham, 404 S. Conejos. Sec., D. Wachnokitz.
Jewish Alliance. Sec., Henrietta Schwartz, 112 N. Nevada Av.

#### DENVER

CHR. Mo'os Chittim Society of Denver, 24th and Curtis. Org., March 23, 1909. Sec., Chas. Judelowitz, 834 14th.

### CONNECTICUT

#### ANSONIA

Cg. Sons of Jacob. Rabbi, S. Bernstein, 4 Coburn.
EDUC. Ansonia and Derby Talmud Torah, Factory St. School Bldg. Sec.,
Louis Aronson, 62 Main.

### BRIDGEPORT

Rodeph Sholom, 36 Court. Sec., Joseph Lovenbein, 102 Highland Av. Rabbi, Hayman Kotler, 552 Water. CG.

#### EAST LYME

M. B. East Lyme Jewish Religious Benevolent Association, Niantic St. Sec., Samuel Jaffe, Niantic St., R. F. D. Route 1, Box 75.

#### HARTFORD

CHR. Hartford Hebrew Orphan Asylum. Sec., Pauline R. Breslav, 101

Windsor Av.

\*Hebrew Old People's Home, 33 Wooster.

\*Jewish Aid Society.
Ladies' Free Loan Association, Pleasant and Winthrop.
September 1, 1908. Sec., Mrs. Annie Tuck, 55 Wooster.

M. B. \*Hebrew Peddler's Protective Association. Sec., D. Nass. Org..

\*Workingmen's Protective Association.

### NEW BRITAIN

\*New Britain Jewish Club, 269 Main. Ladies' Auxiliary. Sec., M. CL. Colodney.

#### NEW HAVEN

CHR. Hebrew Free Loan Association (Gemillath Chesed). Sec., Hyman Krall. Hebrew Ladies' Orphan Society, York Square. Org., 1906. Sec., Huldah Jacobs, 7 Waverly. EDUC. \*Young Men's Hebrew Association, 106 Church. Sec., M. Kaufman. M. B. Roumanian American-Hebrew Aid Association, 890 Chapel. Sec.,

Osias Brown, 138 Liberty.

#### NORWICH

CHR. \*Hebrew Ladies' Aid Society. Sec., Mrs. C. Taylor.

#### WATERBURY

CHR. Waterbury Hebrew Ladies' Aid Association, Garden Hall, E. Main.
Org., March 3, 1902. Sec., A. Schoenfield, 84 Phoenix Av.
EDUC. Young Men's Hebrew Association, 73 Main. Sec., B. Blick, 975 N.

Main.

#### WILLIMANTIC

CHR. \*Hebrew Ladies' Society. Sec., Mrs. Jacob Cohen.

### DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

#### WASHINGTON

\*\*Combined Congregations. Sec., A. E. Weiner.
CHR. Foster Home for Dependent Jewish Children, 728 6th, N. W. Sec.,
Mrs. Simon Oppenheimer, 1406 12th.
Hebrew Free Loan Association of the District of Columbia, 1819
15th, N. W. Sec., J. Wolf, 1819 15th, N. W.
CL. Criterion, 1306 7th, N. W. Org., September 18, 1908. Sec., Louis
Sheers, 19th and Q. N. W.
M. R. \*\*Elesavetrad Renewolant Society\*\*.

M. B. \*Elesavetgrad Benevolent Society.

## FLORIDA

#### **JACKSONVILLE**

EDUC. Young Men's Hebrew Association. Sec., Sam'l Herscovitz, 439 E. 3d.

### PENSACOLA

B'nai Israel, East Chase St. Org., July, 1899. Sec., M. Lischkoff, Pensacola, Fla. Rabbi, Sam'l Berson, E. Intendencia St. CG.

### GEORGIA

### ATLANTA

CHR. \*Orphans' Aid Society. Sec., Mrs. H. Benjamin.

### ILLINOIS

#### ALTON

CG. \*Congregation, Belle St. Sec., G. Markoff.

#### AURORA

Cg. \*Congregation.

#### CHICAGO

\*Anshe Emeth Musach Sefard. CG.

\*Anshe Odessa. Pres., Henry J. Norwitch.

\*Beth Israel.

B'nai Abraham (Austrian Galician), 1105 S. Morgan. Org., 1892. Sec., Mandel Janowitz, 1105 Lytle. Rabbi, S. Isarlson, 1072 Tyler.

\*B'nai Anshe Nezchin.
\*B'nai Isaac.
\*B'nai Rubin Anshe Mazin.

\*Kesher Israel.
\*Shaare Tefillah.
CHR. Emanuel Mandel Memorial, West Side Free Dispensary, Maxwell

and Waller.

saconsfield, West Side Auditorium. Org., 1893. Beaconsfield, Schiff. CL. Sec., Chas. E.

\*Lakeshore Country Club, Glencoe. Sec., M. M. Markwell.
\*Jewish Press Club. Sec., Jas. Loebner.
Universal Club, Grand Boulevard and 41st. Sec., Oliver Salinger,
4148 Grand Blvd.

EDUC. \*Sagerer Aid and Educational Association. Sec., W. Resnick. M. B. \*Bakers' Union No. 237. Sec., Sam'l Beaber.

### STIRLING

CG. \*Congregation.

### INDIANA

### INDIANAPOLIS

EDUC. Jewish Educational Society, 821 So. Meridian. Sec., Mrs. Harry A. Kahn, 1305 N. Alabama. \*Young Men's Hebrew Association.

#### LAFAYETTE

CHR. Lafayette Jewish Charity Organization. Sec.-Treas., Rabbi Horace J. Wolf, 7th and Columbia.

#### SOUTH BEND

EDUC. Young Men's Hebrew Association, 325 S. Michigan. Sec., P. Weisberger, 601 N. Emerick.

#### TERRE HAUTE

CHR. Young Hebrew Benevolent and Gemillath Chasodim. Org., Aug. 7, 1908. Treas., Louis Braun. 230 Main.

### TOWA

#### CENTERVILLE

CHR. \*Hebrew Ladies of Centerville. Pres., Tilly Tertle.

#### DES MOINES

CHR. Federated Jewish Charities, Bank Bldg. Org., 1908. Sec., Mrs. A. H. Cohen, 733 E. Walnut.

### KENTUCKY

#### HOPKINSVILLE

CG. \*Congregation.

### LOUISVILLE

Educ. Jewish Institute, 531 S. 1st. Org., May, 1909. Supt., Garfield A. Berlinsky, 531 S. 1st. Affiliated with Federation of Jewish Charities

Yiddish Literary Society, 531 S. 1st. Sec., J. H. Leventhal, 401 E. Jefferson.

### OWENSBORO

CHR. Ladies' Hebrew Benevolent Society. O Mrs. May B. Greenberg, 518 Frederica. Org., Apr. 7, 1869.

### LOUISIANA

### NEW ORLEANS

CHR. Daughters of Jacob Benevolent Association. Sec., Bessie Goldman, 1719 Baronne.

EDUC. Beth Hasefer Hoivri. Sec., A. P. Schoenkraut, 1018 Baronne. M. B. International Protective Association. Sec., I. Eckman, 1104 Dryades.

### MAINE

#### CALAIS

CG. \*Congregation.

PORTLAND

CG. Shearith Israel, 79 Middle. Reorg., September 26, 1909. Sec., C. Howitz.

### MARYLAND

#### ANNAPOLIS

CG. \*Congregation, 181 Gioucester.

#### BALTIMORE

\*Anshe Kolk. Ca.

CG. \*Anshe Kolk.
 \*Anshe Mezen. Pres., N. Horinger.
 \*Berocho Zedek, 8 W. Hill.
 \*Beth Jacob Anshe Vilaer. Sec., Robt. D. Cohen.
CHR. Betsy Levy Memorial Hebrew Orphan Asylum, Broadway near Fairmount Av. Supt., I. Leo Theuman.
 \*Hebrew Ladies' Loan and Charities. Pres., Mrs. Cohen.
 Jewish Young Men's Association, 1017 E. Baltimore. Sec., D.
 Ellison, 1627 E. Madison.
Ladies' Consumptive Relief Association, Home Bank Bldg., cor. High and Baltimore. Sec., Mrs. M. Jacobs, 442 Alsquith.

EDUC. Young Men's Hebrew Association. Pres., Harry Linden, Johns Honkins University.

Hopkins University.

M. B. Children of Israel, Indep. Order, 11 S. Broadway. Org., May 28, 1909. Sec., Israel S. Gomborov, 505 Calvert Bidg.
Independent Order of Brith Sholom of Baltimore, Bond and Baltimore, Org., 1902. Grand Record. Sec., David Paulson, 1621

\*Pushealator Sick and Distress Relief Association. Sec., A. Hurwitz.

CG. \*Congregation.

## FREDERICK MASSACHUSETTS

ATTLEBORO

Cg. Ahawath Achim. Sec., J. Kadets, 56 Carpenter. Rabbi, Gorwitz, 21 Pine. CHE. \*Attleboro Helping Hand. Sec., Mrs. J. Kadets.

BOSTON

\*Anshe Brith Sholom, 204 Centre. Sabbath School.

Emanuel (Roxbury), 67 Warren. Sec., Isaac Rich, 11 Marble.

Rabbi, Louis A. Alexander.

\*Hebrew (Congregation) of S. Boston, 164 Broadway. Sec., N. CG. Braver.

\*Lineth Hazedek (E. Boston). Rabbi, Louis Spring.

\*Yavna. Rabbi, Aaron Gorowitz.

\*Destitute Children's Aid Society. Sec., Anna Cline.

East Boston Ladies' Charitable Society, Gove and Paris. Org., 1896. CHR. Sec., Jacob Saperstein, 146 Paris.
\*East Boston Ladies' Free Loan Association. Sec., Mrs. A. Aronson.
Jewish Consumptives Relief Society of Massachusetts. Sec., S.

CL. \*Halevi Singing Society.

EDUC. Hebraic Society, 608 Carney Bldg. Sec., Lucy A. Landberg, 608

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Jewish People's Institute, 62 Chambers. Org., September 1, 1908.
Sec., Simon L. Levin, 141 Milk. Ladies' Auxiliary.
Jewish Religious School, 11 Union Park St. Teachers' Conference.
Sec., Miss Rachel Rosnosky, 20 Richfield, Dorchester, Mass.
\*Jewish Social and Educational Institute (Roxbury).
\*Tifereth Bochurim. Sec., R. Radin.
\*Woman's Scholarship Association.

M. B. \*Brothers of Palestine Aid Association.
\*Independent Vilkomir Benefit Association. Sec., I. Grant.
\*Montefore Benefit Association. Sec., A. J. Cooper.

#### BROCKTON

- CHR. Brockton Hebrew Loan Association. Org., 1909. Sec., Joseph Bodetsky. Hebrew Ladies' Auxiliary. Org., 1903. Sec., Miss Emma Cohen. 386 Pleasant.
- M. B. Hebrew Loan Association, Sec., H. Minsk.

#### CHELSEA

CHR. Chelsea Hebrew Ladies' Charitable Association, 263 Broadway. Org., July 2, 1895. Sec., Wm. Karmensky, 287 Washington Av.

#### DEDHAM

CG. \*Congregation.

### DORCHESTER

Cg. Shaare Tefillah, Cunningham St. and Howard Av. Talmud Torah.

#### EVERETT

B'nai Israel, Clinton and Chelsea. Sec., J. Nathan. CG.

### FALL RIVER

- CHR. Ladies' Hebrew Helping Hand Society, 1438 Pleasant. Org. June 12, 1908. Sec., Sarah Shon, 14 Danforth.
   CL. Hebrew League, 166 Pleasant. Org. Jan., 1909. Sec., D. L. Gourse,
- 166 Pleasant.
- EDUC. Hebrew Free School Society, 60 Washington. Org., 1900. Reorg., 1906. Sec., David L. Gourse, 166 Pleasant.

#### GARDNER

Ca \*Ohave Sholom, 175 Nichols.

#### HAVERHILL

EDUC. Young Men's Hebrew Association, 124 Merrimack. Sec., Joseph S. Goodman, 102 River.

#### JAMAICA PLAINS

Anshe Brith Sholom, 65 Bickford. Org., June 3, 1904. Sec., Jos. B. Berkowitz, 85 Minden. Rabbi, S. A. Seltzer, 104 Westminster, Roxbury, Mass. CG.

### LYNN

- CHR. \*Hebrew Ladies' Helping Hand. Sec., Mrs. Rachel Newberg.
  \*United Hebrew Loan Association.

  CL. \*Lynn Jewish Social Club, Branch No. 2.

  EDUC. Jewish Citizens' Improvement and Educational Club, 40 Flint. Sec.,
  M. Goldman. 96 Flint.

  M. B. \*Hebrew Beneficial Society. Sec., S. Dubitsky.
  \*West Lynn Hebrew Mutual Aid Association.

#### MALDEN

- CG. Mishkan Tefiliah, 48 Granville Av. Sec., Jacob Katz, 100 Granville Av. Rabbi, B. Boruchof.
   CHR. Malden Hebrew Ladies' Charitable Society. Org., Dec. 14, 1908.
- Sec., Mrs. S. Hoberman, 129 Bryant.

#### MEDWAY

EDUC. \*Talmud Torah.

#### NATICK

CEM. \*Cemetery, Lake Av. Treas., B. Avitz.

#### NEW BEDFORD

CG. \*Abraham Levy, So. Water. Rabbi, Burnstein.

NORWOOD

CG. \*Congregation.

PEABODY

CG. \*Sons of Israel. Sec., Barney Rubin.

## QUINCY

EDUC. Hebrew Educational School and Chapel, Cyril St. Org., 1909. Sec., M. Zirlstein.

#### REVERE

CHR. \*Daughters of Israel. Org., 1908.

### SALEM

\*Hebrew Socialist Club. Ct.

#### SOMERVILLE

M. B. East Somerville Hebrew Association, 5 Bonain. Sec., Isidor Weinberger.

### SPRINGFIELD

Young Men's Alliance, Chestnut and Lyman. Org., 1905. Pres., CL. Sam'l Klein.

### TAUNTON

CHR.

\*Ladies' Helping Hand Society.
 Agudath Achim. Sec., Louis Swig, Crocker Bldg. Rabbi, Israel Faber, Mason St.

### WINTHROP

\*Tifereth Israel Association of Winthrop. CG.

### WORCESTER

CHR. \*Hebrew Orphan Asylum.
\*Shaare Zion Association.
COM. \*Sifka Tonem. Sec., Albert Beeber.
EDUC. Hebrew Free School, 16 Waverly. Pres., Saml. Wolfson.

### MICHIGAN

### ANN ARBOR

CG. \*Congregation.

\*Congregation.

CG.

CALUMET

### MINNESOTA

### DULUTH

CG. \*Congregation.

#### MINNEAPOLIS

CHR. Associated Jewish Charities, 226 Century Bldg. Sec., A. N. Bearman, 218 6th, N.

### ST. PAUL

Cg. \*Sons of Moses (Russian and Roumanian). EDUC. Hebrew Institute, Trenton and Kentucky. Sec., A. Stacker, 248 E. Fairfield Av.

### MISSOURI

### KANSAS CITY

Ca. \*B'nai Zion.

#### ST. LOUIS

CHR. \*East St. Louis Hebrew Association. Jewish Home for Chronic Invalids. Sec., Mrs. Jacob Friedman.
Tifereth Israel Hachnosith Orchim, 925 N. 9th. Org., Dec. 15, 1907.
Sec., H. Yawitz, 4275a N. Market.
Jewish Home for Chronic Invalids of St. Louis. Sec., Mrs. Jacob
Friedman, 4653 Berlin Av. Jewish Shelter Home for Children, 1722 Missouri Av. Sec., Mrs. A. Friedman, 4904 Berlin Av.
M. B. \*Fraternity of Peace. Pres., S. Robinson.

#### SEDALIA

CHR. Jewish Women's Aid Society, 304 S. Ohio. Org., 1908. Sec., Mrs. Wm. Arenson, 312 W. 4th.

### MONTANA

#### BUTTE

CG. \*Adath Israel. Rabbi, Isaac Leib Margules. CHR. \*First Hebrew Benevolent Society. Org., Feb. 17, 1878. Sec., H. Jonas.

### NERRASKA

#### **OMAHA**

CHR. Jewish Ladies' Aid Society (S. Omaha), 25th and J. Sec., Mrs. B. Handler, 3309 Q, S. Omaha.

COM. Jewish Community, 615 Brandels Bldg. Sec., Martin L. Sugerman. 615 Brandels Bldg.

### NEW HAMPSHIRE

#### MANCHESTER

CG. \*Adath Jacob. Pres., Isaac Finman.

#### NASHUA

CHR. Nashua Hebrew Ladies' Aid Association, Cross St. Synagogue. Sec., Ida F. Goodman, 99 Vine.

#### PORTSMOUTH

Educ. Hebrew Literary Society, 2 Manning Pl. Org., July 1, 1908. H. Gerstein, 9 Manning.

### NEW JERSEY

### ASBURY PARK

CHR. \*Ladies' Hebrew Aid Society. Pres., Mrs. R. Brylawski.

#### ATLANTIC CITY

CHR. Mo'os Chittin, 1714 Arctic Av. Scc., J. Jacobs. (True Sisters, Moses Monteflore, Sons of Jacob, Congregational Believers of Israel.) EDUC. \*Hebrew School (B'nai B'rith Auspices).

#### HOBOKEN

CHR. \*Daughters of Israel.

### JERSEY CITY

Educ. Young Men's Hebrew Association, 77 Newark Av. Sec., I. Feinstein.

#### LONG BRANCH

CHR. \*Ladies' Independent Hebrew Association. Sec., Mrs. S. Lehman.

#### MONTCLAIR

Cg. \*Congregation.

#### NEWARK

Cg. \*Terath Emeth.

CG. \*Terata Emeta.
CHR. Hebrew Charity Contributors' Association.
\*Hebrew Maternity Aid Society.
\*Jewish Day Nursery. Head Nurse, Elizabeth S. Harvey.
Society for the Improvement of the Condition of Infants, Beth
Israel Hospital. Org., 1908. Sec.-Treas., A. Wyle, 534 Clinton Av.
Educ. Young Men's Hebrew Associations of New Jersey, 156 Market. Sec.,

Louis Levy.
M. B. \*Bakery and Confectionery Workers' Union. \*Newarker Carpenters, Erste.

#### NEW BRUNSWICK

CG. \*Congregation, Neilson St.

EDUC. \*Hebrew School. Sec., Abr. Jellin.

M. B. \*Orange Israelitscher K. U. V.

#### PASSAIC

CHR. \*Hebrew Orphan Asylum, Columbia Av. bet. Jefferson and Madison. Educ. Young Women's Hebrew Association.

### PATERSON

CG. Tomchai Nidcom, 149 River. Org., September 15, 1908. Sec., Elias Zweig, 219 Water. M. B. \*Free Burial Association.

#### PERTH AMBOY

CG. \*Congregation. EDUC. \*Young Men's Hebrew Association.

#### PLAINFIELD

 CG. Agudath Achas, 109 Madison Av. Org., April, 1909. Set Ullman, W. 3d
 CHR. Plainfield Hebrew Ladies' Benevolent Society, 505 W. 3d. Annie Stergman, 320 Washington. Sec.,

#### TOWACO

Agudath Achim Anshe Pine Brook. Org., Oct., 1886. Sec., Paul Schulhopp, Towaco, Morris County, N. J. Cg.

#### TRENTON

CHR. Hebrew Free Loan Association. Org., Dec. 22, 1907. Sec., Mendel Dietz, 118 Fall.

M. B. \*Ahawath Achim (Brotherly Love), Capitol City Lodge, No. 1.

### UNION HILL

Cg. \*Temple Emanuel. EDUC. Hebrew Institute of Union Hill (Talmud Torah), 320 Franklin. Org., Dec. 15, 1906. Sec., Solomon Littauer, 314 Columbia.

#### VINELAND.

EDUC. Vineland Ladies' Talmud Torah Society. Org., May, 1909. Sec., Mrs. Monick, Vineland, N. J.

### NEW YORK

#### ALBANY

CHR. \*Hebrew Ladies' Benevolent Society. Sec., Mrs. Max Lonsberg.

#### AUBURN

B'nai Israel (Orthodox), Woodman's Hall. Org., 1908. Sec., Morris Blank, 120 Van Anden. Rabbi, Markowitz, 14 Bradford. Cg.

#### BROOKLYN

Abarah Sholom Anshe Sokolo. Sec., H. Norodwor, 251 Montrose. Achim Bene Israel, 228 Christopher. Sec., Ch. Shulman, 342 Cg. Christopher.

Anshe Old Crestentina. Sec., M. Weinberg, 1214 Harrison Av. Anshe Potatzk. Pres., L. Dickman, 141 Belmont Av. Anshe Rodishkowich. Sec., B. Schulman, 1342 Christopher Av.

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\*Anshe Zitomer Wohlyn.

Atereth Tiphereth Israel (East N. Y.), 528 Ashford. Sec., David
Bernstein, 917 Sutter Av. Sisterhood. Sec., Isidore Blumenthal, 938 Dumont Av.

\*Beth Abraham Anshe Brownsville.

\*Beth Hakeneseth Anshe Ashlan.

Beth Hakeneseth Anshe Blalystok, 7-11 Willet. Pres., Sam Green-

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\*Beth Hamidrash Hazedek d'Brownsville. Isaac Allen.
Bialostoker Sonk Nifiek (†). Pres., S. Sonz. 204 Ellery.
B'nai Shmuel, 126 Cook. Sec., Jurov, 61 Varet.
Chono David, 13 Cook. Sec., Bernstein, 751 Yates Av.
Emeth Anshe Grinkeshok, Uhner Konne, 1897 Prospect Pl. Sec., Margolin, 446 Rockaway Av.
Ez Chayim Machzike Horaw. Pres., J. Davis, 112 Thatford Av.
Machzike Hadath Anshe Sefard, Chevra, 175 Thatford Av. Sec., Jacob Falk, 50 Watkins.

Machzike Talmud Torah (Borough Park), 4019 13th Av. Sec., S. Mirsky. Supt., 4019 13th Av.

Mirsky. S \*Matei Levy.

\*Matei Levy.
Tifereth Israel Anshe Sefard, 23 Tilgh. Sec., S. Lifshitz, 26 Cook.
Ungarische und Oester., Erste. Sec., Freedman, 84 Bristol.
Zemach Zedek, 125-7 Moore. Sec., W. Chaikin, 464 Bushwick Av.
Chr. \*Brownsville Free Burial Society. Sec., Villensky.
\*Hebrew Ladies' Aid Society (Greenpoint). Sec., Max Brody.
\*Hebrew Ladies' Society (Kensington).
Help for the Sick Poor Society (Brownsville), 131 Watkin. Org.,
Aug. 14, 1895. Sec., M. Shapiro, 1780 Pitkin Av.
\*Ladies Hebrew Benevolent Society (Greenpoint). Sec., Tasch.
\*Manhattan Hebrew Aid Society. Director, Jacob Deutschman.
\*Moses Maimonides Orphan Asylum. Young Folks' Auxiliary. Sec.,
Nathan Gerstein.

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Roumanian Gemillath Chesed Verein. Pres., H. H. Brodsky, 1008 Herkimer Av.

### BROOKLYN (continued)

\*Sisterly Aid Society of Brooklyn. United Jewish Aid Societies of Brooklyn, 158 Hopkins. Sec., Bertram N. Manne, 40 Court.

\*Brisker Progressive Society, care of S. Mandelbaum, 522 Bushwick

Ct.

EDUC. Educational Aid Society of Plungian, First. Pres., Abrahamson, 419 Saratoga Av. \*Hebrew Educational Association. Sec., B. Markowitz.

Young Mon's Hebrew Association (Williamsburg), 575 Bedford Av.

Sec., I. H. Smolensky, 106 Keap. Ladies' Auxiliary. Sec., Bella

Perlman

M. B. Anshe Achim Benevolent Association. Pres., H. Noodelman, 236

Anshe Achim Benevolent Association. Pres., H. Noodelman, 236
Fulton, Jamaica, L. I.
American Hebrew Lodge, Dumont Av. near Natkin. Pres., M.
Abromson, 329 William.
Bereder Roumanian B. A.,
First. Pres., Feldshten, 110 York.
Bielaker Brud. U. V. Sec., N. Berger, 394 Lorimer.
Britchauer U. V., Erste. Pres., S. Edelman, 506 Sheffield.
\*Brooklyn Hebrew Mutual Society. Sec., S. Rice.
Brooklyn Witebsker Benevolent Society, 143 McKibben. Org., Jan.
15, 1909. Sec., Wm. Bass, 193 McKibben.
Bukarester K. U. V., Ind. Pres., R. Sperling, 1899 Douglass.
Greater New York Society. Pres., Weinberg, 476 New Jersey Av.
Gudliner U. V. Pres., O. Levin, 206 Bedford.
Horodchstxe Bros. Benev. Assn. Sec., B. Rubenstein, 327 Nostrand Av.

Av.
Independent First Odesser Society (Brownsville), 95 Thatford Av.
Sec., Rubin Datshkowsky, 201 Thatford Av.
\*Independent Webster Ladies' Benevolent Society of Brooklyn.
Korner Young Men's Association. Pres., A. Stein, 817 Mastly Av. D.
Koydenover U. V. Pres., H. Schwartz, 27 Chester.
Lodiner Lakocher Society. Sec., H. Ladel, 157 Hopkins.
\*Merchants Association of Brownsville. Org., Jan. 28, 1909.
Minsker Brothers' Benevolent Society, Sec., I. Hurwitz, 310 Hop-

kinson Av.

Oshmanener Brothers' Benevolent Association. Sec., O. Bernstein, 399 E. 11th.

Ostroar U. V. Sec., S. Glass, 1442 Pitkin Av.

Paddenihtzer Benevolent Society. Pres., S. Simpson, 2595 Bedford

Percyaslover Women's Benevolent Society. Sec., Rebecca Wolinsky.

2205 Dean. Ph. Bernstein F. 75, U. Verein, Indep. Pres., A. Lazurovitz, 382

Wallabout Av. Piatra B. M. B. Society. Pres., Mr. Vafelfanger, 2874 Coney Island

Primrose Sick Benevolent Society. Sec., S. M. Bick, 348 60th Romner K. U. V., Erste. Pres., H. Elser, 208 E. 1st. \*Schpoler Verein.

Schweisner Benevolent Association. Pres., Rubin Sperence, 1091 Myrtle Av.

\*Serayer Benevolent Association of Brownsville.
Solocker Benevolent Association. Pres., M. Levine, 103 5th Av.

\*Sons of Malament Benevolent Association.

\*United Peddlers' Citizens' Association.

United Wilkier und Sredniker Benevolent Association of Greater New York, 191 Harrison Av. Sec., M. Stamislow, 608 3d Av. Vengrover K. U. V., Erste. Pres., Monotz, 158 Loumner. Volkemerer Benevolent Association. Sec., Hymanowitz, 1516 Pitkin

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Warschawer Ladies' Benevolent Association. Sec., P. Schuman, 186 Varet.

Zagerer Benevolent and Educational Association. Sec., Morris Levitt.

179 E. Broadway.

Zezmerer Benevolent Association, Ind. Sec., A. Goldman, 1242 39th.

Zhitomirer Young Men's Benevolent Association. Pres., N. Friedman, 5491/2 Kosciusko.

#### BUFFALO

CL. Jewish Young Men's Association, Emes Club, Delaware Av. Sec., Louis Brozmann, Emes Club.

#### GLEN FALLS

CHR. \*Charitable Society. Sec., Mrs. M. Kugel.

#### GLOVERSVILLE

CHR. \*Hebrew Benevolent Association. Sec., A. Gordon.

### HOOSICK FALLS

Ohave Sholom. Org., March 1, 1892. Sec., Ellis Ferber. Rabbi, J. CG. Deltch, 19 Centre.

#### JOHNSTOWN

Cg. \*Hebrew Temple. Rabbi, L. Yasgour.

#### MOUNT VERNON

EDUC. \*Young Men's Hebrew Association. Sec., Nathan Wilchinsky. M. B. \*Hebrew Benevolent Association. Sec., S. Schneider.

### NEW ROCHELLE

CHR. Hebrew Ladies' Aid Society, Bonnefoy Pl. Org., April 28, 1908. Sec., Mrs. A. Cohen, 66 Church.

#### NEW YORK CITY

Abe Jacob. Pres., M. Margolles, 18 E. 120th.
Adath Jacob Anshe Stollkin. Pres., M. Simon, 112 W. 113th.
Agudath Achim, 140th near 7th Av.
Agudath Achim Anshe Rodum. Pres., M. Sluppman, 342 E. 4th.
Agudath Achim Anshe Trembaula. Pres., L. Kappel, 69-73 Rivington.
Agudath Achim B'nai Koval, Chevre, 236 Broome. Sec., Henry
Jacobs, 428 E. 153d.
Agudath Achim Gelida Roumania. Sec., M. Hershkowitz, 10

Delancey.

Agudath Achim Harlem, 206 W. 134th. Sec., Dr. Serling, 193 St.

Nicholas Av. Ahawath Chevra Plelizat. Pres., M. Simon, 36 E. 9th.
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Anshe Grodom Chevra. Pres., J. J. Appelbaum, 31 Pike.
Anshe Schlenstrave. Pres., Wohshinsky, 140 E. Broadway.
Anshe Slutzer and Greiver. Pres., H. Rothbaum, 279 Broome.
Anshe Tisktine. Pres., S. Lichtenstein, 1325 5th Av.
Anshe Ushmurei. Pres., D. Sikent, 312 E. 33d.
Berditchever Chevre Kedushin. Pres., W. Rabinowitz, 269 Division.
Beth Abraham Anshe Trestiner. Sec., H. Popkin, 87 Monroe.
\*Beth David Anshe Roman, 139 Forsyth.
Beth Hakeneseth Anshe Oishan ve-Anshe Eveien, 63 Montgomery.
Sec., H. Lipnitzky, 273 Madison.
Beth Chasidim de Polen. Pres., M. Geidinan, 57 E. 7th.

Beth Joseph Anshe Rachwoluwka, Chevra, 88 Monroe. Sec., I. Sosnik, 49 Rutgers.

B'nai Eli. Pres., Gonizer, 9 Hester. B'nai Ebe Samuel Anshe Ashishok. Pres., Max Weinberg, 147 Wooster.

Wooster,
B'nai Pisohak Chevrah Anshe Amerk. Pres., S. Rosenberg, 87 Henry.
Dr. Solomon Neuman Zion. Pres., Dr. S. Neuman, 317 6th.
Ezraz Israel, 1463 Brook Av. Sec., A. Siegal.
Geubbewd Anshe Dubish. Pres., Kruger, 13 Clinton.
Har Sinai, 600 W. 181st. Sec., D. Weldner. Ladies' Auxiliary.
Sec., Mrs. W. M. Green.
Hebrew Congregation for Deaf, 72d and Lex. Av. Org., June, 1907.
Sec., Sam'l Cohen, 1002 Fulton, Brooklyn. Ladies' Aid Society.
\*Hope (Fraternai Union), 1364 5th Av. Rabbi, David Judah. Sec.,
M. Levv.

\*Hope (Fraternal Union), 1007 C. M. Levy.

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Hungarian Brotherly Love Benevolent Society (Yorkville), 304 E.
78th. Org., January 5, 1901. Sec., Philip Gross, 343 E. 80th.

\*Independent Chochaum, 65 E. 3d.

Jasser, First, 83-85 Forsyth. Org., Oct. 20, 1908. Sec., H. Braunstein. 290 Bowery.

Kishineff, of New York, First. Sec., Fragerman, 302 E. 5th.

Lanavitzer Chevra. Pres., I. Zarinsky, 119 Henry.

Luborich Neshisen. Pres., Lieberman, 621 Broadway.

Makover Anshe Polen. Pres., M. Hoffman, 236 Clinton.

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Midrash Anshe Makover Chevra. Sec., A. Kirimkowitz, 78 Norfolk.

Misnei is Aneshei Ber-e-sin, Chevre, 320 Madison. Sec., Jacob
Kornowitz, 58-60 E. 106th.

Nachal Itzchok Dorshe Tov, 123 Forsyth. Sec., L. Schebischer, 123

Forsyth.

Nachlas Zevie. Pres., J. H. Friedlander, 144 W. 111th. Ohave Sholom Anshe Krinkaer. Sec., S. Lipski, 168 Madison.

Ohave Sholom. Pres. Wm. B. Roth. 321 Stone Av.

Sadagoraer, 2d St. Sec., Rosenzweig, 211 Av. A. Sechre Torah Moshe, Chevra, 183 E. Broadway. Sec., L. Rosentahl,

2 Pike.

\*Sharis Sphard.

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Sneer and Wilner Schul. Pres., S. Goldberg, 327 Madison St.
Torah Anshe Vesoke Mazovetzk. Pres., J. Sandusky, 196 Broome.

\*Washington Heights (Congregation), 510 W. 161st.

CHR. Educational and Aid Society of Plungian, 151-3 Clinton. Sec., J.
Siegel, care of Kruskall, 293 Henry.

Hebrew Day Nursery, 262 Henry. Org., April 1, 1907. Sec., D.
Silberblutt, 120 W. 119th.

Schkuder Young Men's Aid Society, 151 Clinton. Sec., Morris
Greenberg, 64 E. 1st.

Young Folks' League for Promotion of Charity, Duryea's, 72d and
Broadway. Org., March, 1908. Sec., Sylvia Greenstein, 612 Lexington Av. ington Av.

CL. Sec., E. Columbia Menorah Society, Columbia University. Kaufman.

\*Consolidated Protective Society, 1714 Lexington Av. Hebrew League, 213 E. Broadway.

Max H. Dicker, 176 Delancey. Org., January, 1906. Sec.,

Jewish Press Club. Sec., Abe Goldberg, 200 E. Broadway. \*Jewish Socialist Agitation Bureau, 141 Division. Jewish Uplift Society, 99 Nassau. Sec., Meyer Green

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Morris Rosenfeld Literary Circle. Sec., J. Fox, 163 Broome. New York Social Club. Pres., M. Rosenberth, 359 E. 8th.

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Oriental Progressive Society, Florence Bldg., 2d St. and 1st Av. Sec., Abr. Schwartz, 495 Wendover Av. Society of American Cantors, 48 W. 119th. Org., Jan. 1, 1890. Pres. H. L. Martin, 109 E. 86th. Young Jews, 11 Montgomery. Sec., Sundel Doniger, 99 Nassau. Educ. Achiever Society, Eron School, 185 E. Broadway. Org., 1909. Sec., Abr. Goldberg, care of Das Yiddishe Folk, 200 E. Broadway. Association for Improved Instruction of the Deaf Mutes, 904 Lexington Av. Org., 1869. Sec., A. M. Wolff, 9 Church.

\*Bessarabian Young Men's Benevolent and Educational Club. Central Board of Jewish Education of the City of New York. Org., 1908. Sec., S. P. Abelow, 464 Willoughby Av., Brooklyn. (Affiliated Schools: The Machzikei Talmud Torah and its 7th St. Branch: Uptown Talmud Torah; School of Biblical Instruction, Brocklyn; Brownsville Hebrew Free School; Broonx Tremont School; school of Cg. Brith Jacob Anshe Emes, Brooklyn; Hebrew Folks' School of Brooklyn; Roumanian Synagogue School; and school of Kehillath Yeshurun.)

\*Chovevel Ivright (Lovers of Hebrew), 132 E. 111th. Sec., Saml. W.

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\*\*Federation of Talmud Torahs. Sec., J. B. Koenigsberg, 99 Nassau. Group "Altneuland" University Settlement, 184 Eldridge. Sec., Harry Louschein, 237 E. 6th.

Tachkemoni Committee, 2 W. 70th. Sec., Rev. Dr. H. P. Mendes, 99

Central Park West.
Talmud Torah Ohab Zedek Association, 630 E. 5th.
Sec., Emanuel Feuerlicht.

M. B. \*Aliker and Ostrozetzer Sick and Benevolent Association.

Alliance of Roumanian Jews of United States, 93 Rivington. L. Diamant.

American Benevolent Association. Sec., J. Balay Bros, 141 Division. American Benevolent Association. Pres., D. Weinbrand, 9 Essex. Arnestego U. V. Pres., Lichtenman, 33 Attorney. Babroisker Ladies' K. U. Pres., B. Bass, 22 Rutgers Pl. Belzen Bosharolya Benevolent Association, First. Pres., M. Schneider, 167 Ludiow.

Bialystoker Brothers Love Association, Independent, 2d and Av. B. Org., Feb. 20, 1888. Sec., S. Hain, 631 Broadway.
Bilsker Brotherly U. V. Pres., J. Price, 213 Broome.
Bodischever K. U. V., Erste. Pres., P. Freedman, 533 E. 5th.
Bogopolier U. V. Pres., I. Schecter, 341 E. 3d.
Borrisov Young Men's Benevolent Association. Pres., N. Cohen, 3

Rutgers.

Botka U. V., 206 E. Broadway. Org., September 9, 1890. Sec., S. Schillewenet, 18 Clinton.

Botoschaner Ladies' Sick and Benevolent Association, First. Sec.,

D. Wolf, 666 Greene Av., Brooklyn.

Botschoner United Benevolent Association. Pres., M. Schmyer, 230 E. 4th.

Boyterker K. U. V., Erste. Pres., N. Brenner, 96 Goerck. Braila Young Men's Benevolent Association. Pres., J. 163 Chrystie. Pres., J. Steinberg.

Brainsker Brothers' Aid Association. Pres., H. Sandler, 3-5 Lewis.

Brainsker Brothers and Association. Fres., II. Sandier, 3-5 Lewis. Brechaner U. V., Erste. Pres., S. Glickman, 62 Av. B. Brider U. V. Pres., A. Goodman, 61 Forsyth. Brieziner Progressive Benevolent Association. Brotherhood Lovers of Freedom of the City of Sakolle. Sec., H. Novaronh, 251 Monroe. Brothers of Nesweiz, Ind. Sec., L. Bornstein, care of S. Epstein,

65 Gouverneur.

Bucurnar Young Men's Benevolent Society. First. Pres., S. Weschler. 51 Sheriff. 51 Sheriff.

Butchers' K. U. V., Indep. Pres., M. Ferner, 120 E. 110th.
Chaierk K. U. V., Erste Ind. Pres., H. Giller, 126 Cannon.

\*Chaim Hersch Weiss Janower Sick and Benevolent Association.
Chechanoffzer U. V. Sec., I. Kresches, 172 2d Av.
Chotiner Bessarabian U. V., 214 2d. Sec., Louis Levine, 524

Jersey Av., Brooklyn.
Chotmel Benevolent U. V. Sec., S. Hochman, 110-112 1st.

\*Clothing Turners' Union of New York.
Crémieux Benevolent Society, Terrace Garden, 155 E. 58th.
Nov., 1849. Sec., Chas. Rosenfeld, 110 W. 137th.
Csenshchanai — Young Men's Benevolent Association.
Pendrok. 54 E. 106th. Sec., Louis Levine, 524 N. Org., Csenshchanai

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Denabinger B'nai B'rith. Pres., J. Judelson, 1479 Washington Av.

Deranishker U. V. Pres., J. L. Levy, 1244 Amsterdam Av.

Dinewitzer K. U. V., Erste. Pres., L. Polatnik, 89 Monroe.

Dolinaer Sick and Benevolent Society, 222-4 E. 2d. Org., 1899. Sec., Dolinaer Sick and Benevolent Society, 222-4 E. 2d. Org., 1899.
Sec., M. Kurz, 89 Av. C.
Dunaburger Brothers' Benevolent Association, Florence Bidg., 2d
Av. and 1st. Org., 1885. Sec., M. Trisky, 859 Home.
Drikover Chevra, First, 88 Columbia. Sec., L. Canner, 134 Columbia.
\*Fanny Siegel Bertander Ladies' Sick Benevolent Association.
Finshnitzer K. U. V., Independent. Sec., A. Cohen, 12 W. 115th.
Geveser Manner U. V. Sec., I. Piser, 410 E. 81st.
\*Gnozdziecer Sick Aid and Benevolent Booiety, Independent.
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Gordishzer U. V. Pres., S. Veschkoff, 285 Broome.
\*\*Gradinger Podoler Friends' Association, First.
Greater New York Nadal Benevolent Association. Sec., Rogolin. 454 11th Av. Grosder Benevolent Association. Pres., A. Sarkin, 1472 Madison Av. \*Haradoker Benevolent Aid Association, Independent.

Harlem Hebrew Retail Grocers' Association, 60 E. 104th. Sec., J. Brill, 60 E. 104th.

Harlem Roumanian Sick Benefit Association, First. Pres., L. Davidson, 312 Broome.

Harry M. Sadsen U. V. Pres., M. Somach, 81 Forsy C. Horowitz, 75 Holowna Slovai Benevolent Association, Ind. Pres., C. Horowitz, 75 2d Av. Hombo Verein. 20 Av. D.

\*Horodenker Young Men's Sick and Benevolent Society, First.

Horodishzer Brothers' Benevolent Association. Sec., B. Rubins 327 Nostrand Av., Brooklyn.

Husiatyner K. U. V. Pres., L. Epstein, 311 E. 3d.

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\*Literweitern! Association, Independent. Sec., B. Rubinstein, \*International Arbeiter, K. U. V. Sec., M. Sokoloff, 325 E. 21st. Jannina Society. 236 Eldridge. Pres., Elie Contente, care of Jannina Apron Co., Joseph Grumet Sick and Benevolent Society, 223 E. 2d. Sec., Joe Neuwirth, 520 E. Houston. Junior Auxiliary to National Jewish Hospital for Consumptives at Denver, Colo. Sec., Amy Buchbinder, 56 W. 89th.

\*Justice Benevolent Association. \*Kalisher K. U. V., Indep. Pres., H. Geller, 74 E. 6th.
Kaluszer Sick and Benevolent Society, Indep., 125 Rivington.
Max Demner, 42 Clinton.
Kalvaria Ladies Society. Sec., Mrs. B. Frank, 74 Bowery. Sec.,

Keloth Ladies' Association. Pres., I. Magid, 309 E. 10th.

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 Attorney.
Kishineff Mutual M. A. Pres., Katzman, 76 E. 100th.
Kishiner Muttai M. A. Fres., Ratzman, 10 E. 190th.

*Kishinover, First.

Kithver U. V. Pres., Reinhold, 28 E. 106th.

*Koldenover Young Men.

Kolker U. V., 158 Monroe. Sec., N. Shoffman, 53 Monroe.

*Koniner Young Men's Benevolent Association.

Korner U. V. Pres., H. Levine, 99 Chrystle.

Korner Voliner Young Men's Benevolent Association. Sec., J. Homimer, 166 Henry.

Kossodel Sick Benevolent Association. Sec., C. Rashkin, care of Mt Sinet Hospital.
Mt. Sinal Hospital.

Kr. Simon Schreiber. Pres., I. Wetzner, 972 2d Av.

**Krakauer Progressive Association.

Lahuskei Young Men's Benevolent Association. Sec., Dr. L. Levant,
227 Henry. *Lecinker Benevolent Association, First.
 Lodser Young Men's Benevolent Association. Sec., M. Suffin, 103 E.
      4th.
*Louis Schinkowitz Association.
H. Lusker K. U. V. Pres., B. Lipshutz, 118 E. 134th.
*Lutzin Resitzer Con. and Loan Fund. Sec., J. Sns
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Lutker Sick and Benevolent Association, First, 209 E. Broadw Sec., Nathan Solvko, 57 Orchard.

Machmofsker K. U. S. Sec., P. Jachlus, 312 Henry.

Machnovker U. V. Pres., J. Cooper, 274 Henry.

Makraver U. V. Pres., H. Cohen, 302 Broome.

Malnizer U. V. Sec., J. Lasner, 45 Av. D.

Mary Wilman Ladies' Aid Society. Sec., D. Hoffman, 615 E. 16th.

Medisobosk Progressive Solidarity. Sec., Halperin, 239 E. 36th.

Melitzer Podhiston. Sec., M. Heltzer, 708 E. 5th.

Merszer Relief Assn. Sec., L. Harstein, 22 E. 108th.

Mesinalsher Young Men's Association, Ind. Pres., I. Leikofs. 3906 SR Av.
Lutzker Sick and Benevolent Association, First, 209 E. Broadway.
                                                                                                                 Pres., I. Leikofsky.
      3905 3d Av
Molotter Benevolent Association. Pres., I. Gordon, 10 E. 114th.
Molyrer U. V. Sec., I. Friedlander, 16 E. 103d.
Monacklyer, Pres., Dr. Goodman, 196 Chrystie.
Monasehtzer K. U. V. Pres., M. Minds, 165 Madison Av.
Mosirier Aid Society. Pres., C. Urectzky, 46 W. 117th.
Moskauer Benevolent Association of New York. Louis Amdur
                                                                                                                     Louis Amdur, 227
E. Broadway.
Navigrader Young Men's Benevolent Association.
                                                                                                                           Sec., A. Harris,
129 E. Broadway.

Nemenzever Benevolent Association. Sec., M. Kolmonowitz, 53 7th.
 Neshevesher Young Men's Benevolent Association.
                                                                                                                           Pres., A. Berko-
 witz, 99 E. Broadway.
*Nevler Benevolent Association.
Newmarke Young Men's Benevolent Association.
                                                                                                                          Pres., S. Kobel,
      41 Attorney
Mezricher Ladies' U. V. Pres., N. Baumgarten, 369 Grand. *Mieziner Young Men's Benevolent Association.
Nov. Radonsker K. U. V. Pres., L. Nuenberg, 22 W. 117th.
Nova Seletzer Pess K. U. V. Sec., M. Dunefer, 9 E. 3d.
 Odessa Young Men's Sick Benevolent Association, 195 Christie.
Nov. 4, 1906. Sec., B. Rosenzweig, 602 Dumont Av., Brooklyn.
Odesser Mutual Relief Association. Pres., M. Nore, 305 Broome.
Oshmianer Young Men's Progressive Association. Care of A. Camp,
158 Boerum, Brooklyn.
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NEW YORK CITY (continued)
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Ottymier Young Men's Benevolent Association, First. Sec., A. Weisberg, 151 Orchard.

Pecanianer Young Men's, Young Ladies' E. Benevolent Association. Sec., G. Udelman, 212 Eldridge.

Phrisiner Chevra. Pres., A. Shadrowitz, 3 Lewis.

Podwoloczysker Young Men's and Young Ladies' Association. Sec., M. Stettner, 390 E. 10th.

Posteva Benevolent Association. Pres., W. Weiner, 228 E. 6th.

Prager Warshawer Young Men's Association. Sec., I. Friedman, 63 E. 102d.

Prailer Sick Renevolent Association.
 Prailer Sick Benevolent Association, First. Sec., D. Rimson, 63 E.
      115th.
Rabbi Kellah Lichtenstein Kahomah. Pres., Hocher, 83 Eldridge. Rachel Richter Lodge, K. U. V. Pres., Rose Shoenberg, 99 2d Av. Ratmintrovker Benevolent Society. Pres., A. Bogach, 10-12 2d Av.
      Sec., D. Goschinsky.
Resiner Chevra. Pres., I. Shapiro, 43 2d Av. Roumanian-American Benevolent Association.
                                                                                                                         Pres., M. Goldstein.
199 E. Houston.

Sanyaticher K. U. V. Pres., L. Wilner, 200 Henry.

Schatzker Benevolent Association. Pres., A. Fischer, 34 Canal.
Schkuder Ald Society. Pres., Mr. Pussman, 101 St. Marks Pl.

Scholozover Young Men's S. S. S., Ind. Pres., M. Matchik,
Schrensker Benevolent Association. Sec., M. Newman, 707 Park Av. Schversmer Benevolent Association. Sec., I. Perlman, 227 Cherry. Scorover K. U. V., First. 118 Ridge. Sec., Rabbi Rosen, 145 Norfolk. Seltzer Benevolent Association. Care of Beiser, 259 Henry. Shaniner Independent Benevolent Association. Pres., B. Katz, 355
     E. 4th.
 *Shater Progress and Benevolent Association.
*Bieradz Benevolent Society.
Skelower Benevolent Association, Independent. Pres., B. Mendelson.
316 E. 8th.
Skolotter K. U. V., Independent. Pres., Grunbans, 197 Forsyth.
Slutzker Benevolent Association, Independent. Sec., M. Maro
                                                                                                                          Sec., M. Marofsky.
Sutzker Ladies' Aid Society. Pres., M. Goldsmith, 85 Essex.
Sniatyner K. U. V. Sec., Ruthman, 20 Av. A.
Solonimer Benevolent Association. Pres., A. Shomershine, 27 Canal.
Solotwinar Sick and Benevolent Association, First, 73 Ludlow. Sec.,
L. Wiesner, 428 E. 6th.
Sowtorsbier Benevolent Association, First. Pres., J. Posmonick, 628
      E. 11th.
 Stanislauer, First, Young Men's Association. Sec., M. Kraus, 341 E.
Stefaveseter Sisters' and Brothers, First. Sec., L. Fanner, 46 1st.
*Steptzer American Citizens' Association.
Storozynetzer Buk, U. V., First. Sec., S. Aurot, 537 Wendover.
Suczawi K. U. V. of New York. Pres., A. Blum, 604 Park Av.,
      Brooklyn
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Topovow Sick and Benevolent Association, First. Pres., B. Seigel, 110 Av. A. "United Antepoler Association.
United Brethren Mutual Benefit and Need Aid Society. Pres., H.

\*Szczerzecer Sick and Benevolent Association, Independent.
Tismonitzer K. U. V., Independent, 52 Willett. Sec., A. Waldman,

Young Men's Benevolent Association. Pres., J. Feinberg.

Wennik, 95 Cauldwell Av.

Sukyaner 340 Allen.

72 Columbia.

United Minsker Benevolent Association. Sec., B. Monashewitz. 65 E. 112th.

Userbiskuyuer U. V., Erste. Pres., L. Fliffer, 625 E. 9th. \*Uzlianer Young Men's Benevolent Association.

Votkovitsker, Chevra. Sec., L. Gryefsky, care of Levy, 15 Rutgers Pl. Vichilichen U. V. Pres., S. Stoller, 67 E. 4th. Volkovisker Young Men's Association. Pres., Phil Hurvitz, 356

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Warshauer Cigar Makers' Sick Support Scriety, 304 E. 101st. Sec., J. Goldman, 148 E. 98th.

Warshower Israel Ladies' S. S. S. of New York. Sec., I. Benistock,

127 Rivington.
Warshower K. U. V. Pres., D. Lismon, 106 E. 134th.
Warshower Sick Support I. B. Y. Pres., M. Smith, 138 2d Av.
Warshower Sick Support Society B'nai Israel. Pres., A. Wagman,

62 Essex.
Warshower Young Men's Benevolent Association. Pres., B. Gordon.

62 Bowery. Ge Bowery Boung Men's Sick and Benevolent Society, First Inde-\*Weislitzer

weisitzer Young men's sick and Benevolent Society, First Independent.
Welkomer Chevra B'nai Verein. Pres. L. Wolk, 64 Montgomery.
Wesoko-Litovsker Brüderliche U. V., 79-81 Forsyth. Org., April 15, 1902. Sec., H. Levin, 236 S. 1st, Brooklyn.
Wolf Abramovitz U. V. Sec., S. Hochman, 47-49 E. 3d.
Yanover Association, Independent. Pres., P. Bender, 64 E. 119th.
Yessyer Young Men's and Young Ladies' Benevolent Association,
First. Pres., M. Swartz, 99 E. 7th.
\*Yorkville Young Men's Sick and Benevolent Association.

Young Petofi Loan and Benevolent Society. Pres., H. Bloch. 137

Zhitomir Ladies' U. V. Pres., S. Kadron, 403 Grand.

#### NEWBURGH

EDUC. Young Men's Hebrew Association, 116 Broadway. Sec., L. Oppenheim. OZONE PARK, L. I.

Young Folks' League of Richmond Hill, 3312 Jamaica Av., Richmond Hill. Sec., Louis Steinburg, 4085 Broadway, Woodhaven, L. I. Auxiliary of Congregation Beth Israel. CL.

#### PATCHOGUE, L. I.

Hebrew Women's Progressive League, Buena Vista Av. Sec., Leah CL. Mendelsohn. PEEKSKILL

(Congregation) Kesher Israel of the Village of Peckskill. West-CG. chester County, N. Y.

### PELHAM

EDUC. \*Young Men's Hebrew Association. Sec., J. B. Wallach.

### PORT CHESTER

\*Judith Aid Society. M. B. \*Port Chester Hebrew Progressive Circle. Sec., A. Winick.

SCHENECTADY

EDUC. \*Machzikei Talmud Torah. M. B. \*Hebrew Sick and Benevolent Association.

#### SPRING VALLEY

\*Lovers of Peace. CG.

#### SUFFERN

CHR. Hebrew Benevolent Society of Suffern. Sec., J. K. Patterson, P. O. Box 644. Suffern. N. Y.

#### SYRACUSE

CHR. \*Linas Hatzedeck Society (Home for Aged Hebrews), 1112 Almond.
Young Men's and Ladies' Benevolent Association, Hebrew Free
School Bldg. Sec., Max Perlman, 809 Orange.

#### TROY

CG. \*Organis Poaley Zion.

UTICA

CG. \*Congregation.
\*Keneseth Israel.

Tree of Life. Rabbi, Benjamin A. Lichter.

### YONKERS

Cg. Agudath Achim, Hudson above Riverdale Av. Rabbi-Cantor, Gono-

CG. Aguitat Achier, Hudson above riverdate Av. Rabbi-Cantor, Gonopolsky.

CHR. \*Hebrew Charity Association.

CL. Harmony Club of the City of Yonkers, 65 Buena Vista Av. Sec., David Gorfinkel, 8 Fernbrook.

EDUC. Hebrew Institute, 65-67 Buena Vista Av. Org., March 1, 1909.

Sec., Sadie Klein, 74 Riverdale Av. Auxiliary: Young Hebrew CIRCLE. Sec., Lela Bauerberg.

## NORTH CAROLINA

#### CHARLOTTE

Hebrew United Brotherhood, 17 E. Trade. Sec., Dr. Sam Levy, 6 E. Trade. Rabbi, Chas. Arik, 415 W. 3d. CG.

## NORTH DAKOTA

#### GRAND FORKS

CHR. \*Hebrew Relief Society.

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### AKRON

EDUC. \*Akron Hebrew Educational Society. Sec., H. Arensen.

#### CLEVELAND

\*Shomre Shabbos (Guardians of Sabbath). E. 37th near Woodland CG. Av. Rabbi, Schoenbrun.

CL. Warfield Dramatic Club, 3213 Croton Av. Sec., Louisa Landy. EDUC. \*Hebrew Institute. Sec., Henry H. Rocker, 620 Soc. for Savings

\*Young Men's Hebrew Association.

#### DAYTON

CG. \*Congregation.
 CHR. Federation of Jewish Charities of Dayton, 49 Louis Block, 5th and Jefferson. Sec., Sidney G. Kusworm, 502 Reibold Bldg.

### ELYRIA

Agudath Achim B'nai Abraham, 143 West. Sec., A. Altfeld, 375 Ca. Furnace.

#### TOLEDO

EDUC. Young Women's Hebrew Association. Sec., Frieda Benowitz, 807 Utica.

#### YOUNGSTOWN

CG. \*Shearith Torah. Sec., S. Shayer.

### OKLAHOMA

#### ENID

CG. Emanuel. Sabbath School, Rabbi, Blatt. Sec., Isadore Gratz, Loewen Hotel.

#### OKLAHOMA CITY

CL. Phoenix. Sec., S. K. Bernstein, 108½ W. Grand Av. Educ. Young Men's Hebrew Association. Sec., S. K. Bernstein, 108½ W. Grand Av.

## OREGON

#### PORTLAND

CHR. \*Jewish Ladies' Endeavor Society, 310 1st. M. B. Hebrew Agricultural Association. Sec., J. Rosumni, 566 2d.

### PENNSYLVANIA

### CHELTENHAM

CHR. Industrial Home for Jewish Girls. ()rg., April 18, 1904. Mrs. S. Jacobs, 2209 N. Broad. (Auspices of C. J. W.) Sec.,

#### **JESSUP**

CG. \*Congregation, Church St.

### KITTANNING

CG. Keneseth Israel, Odd Fellows' Hall. Sec., L. Lessere. Rabbi, I. Dolgoff. LATROBE

CG. \*Beth Israel.

### MEADVILLE

CHR. \*United Hebrew Charities (Federation). Sec., S. Seigel.

### MOUNT CARMEL

Cg. Tifereth Israel, Fourth and Oak, Sec., Abr. Cohen. Rabbi. S. Rabinowitz.

#### MANTICOKE

CG. \*Congregation.

#### OLD FORGE

CHR. \*Hebrew Ladies' Aid Society.

#### PHILADELPHIA

Cg.

CHR.

\*Adath Israel Nusach Sfard, Chevra Kahal.

Agudath Achim, 249 Pine. Pres., Max Fine.

Jewish Consuptives Institute, 408 Wharton. Sec., D. B. Tierkel,
327 Manton. Junior Auxiliary. Sec., Ida Weltzenfeld.

Society for Improvement of Jewish Poor, 504 S. 7th. Org., April
1909. (Auspices Phila. Section C. J. W.) Sec., Mrs. B. L.
Solomon, Parkside Apt., 40th and Girard Av.

Trachoma Institute, 917 Spruce. Sec., Dr. B. S. Krisher, 917

Spruce.

### PHILADELPHIA (continued)

- Fellowship Club, S. E. Cor. 19th and Tioga. Sec., M. E. Stern, 426 Mint Arcade.

  \*Students' Medical Society of the Medico-Chirurgical College. Sec., CL. L. Lehrfield

- COM. \*Roumanian Hebrews, Federation of,
  EDUC. \*Deaf Mute Association. Sec., Miss Pollock.
  Ladies' Hebrew Sunday School Society of Frankford, Wright's Institute. Org., Nov. 10, 1907. Sec., Rose Rollnick, 4132 Paul, Frankford.
- M. B. \*Roumanian Emergency Society. Sec., Dr. M. M. Fritiz.

#### PITTSBURG

CHR. United Jewish Relief Association, 601-602 Washington Bank Bldg.
Sec., Mrs. H. B. Ferguson, Nicholson St. (United Hebrew Relief Association, Hebrew Ladles' Hospital Ald Society, Hebrew Sick and Relief Society, Young Ladles' Sewing Society, Young Ladles' Relief Society, Employment Bureau and Personal Service Bureau of Council of Jewish Women.)

CL. Corona, 1334 5th Av. Sec., B. I. Bernstein, Kentucky av. E. E.
M. B. \*Varshauer U. V., Erste. Sec., A. Friedman.

#### READING

Ca. \*Kehillath Israel. Rabbi, H. G. Blott.

#### SCRANTON

CHR. \*Hebrew Ladies' Aid. Sec., Mrs. Harry Oppenheimer.

#### SOUTH SHARON

EDUC. \*Talmud Torah.

#### WILKES-BARRE

Ca. \*Congregation, West Side. Sec., L. Schainuck.

### RHODE ISLAND

### PROVIDENCE

Cg. \*South Providence Congregation. Rabbi, Solomon Goldenberg.

EDUC. Hebrew Philomathian Association, 470 N. Main.

1906. Sec., Braverman, 344 N. Main.

Young Men's Hebrew Association, Room E, 103 Westminster. Sec.,

Wm. S. Robinson, Room E, 103 Westminster.

### TEXAS

#### AUSTIN

EDUC. \*Talmud Torah Society. Pres., Marion Levy.

#### BRENHAM

Educ. Jewish Civic League. Sec., Abe Levine, 506 Clinton.

#### CALVERT

M. B. Ladies' Cemetery Society. Org., Dec. 8, 1907. Sec., Esther Marx. (Auxiliary.)

#### EL PASO

CG. \*B'nai Zion. Pres., J. Snider.

#### GALVESTON

CHR. Jewish Immigrants' Information Bureau. Org., July 1, 190'.
Manager, Henry Berman, Galveston, Tex.

#### HOUSTON

Cg. Adath Emeth, 523 Preston Av. Sec., Solomon Abraham, 3 Artesian Pl. Rabbi, Rev. M. Eppstein, 33 Stanley.

#### SAN ANTONIO

CHR. \*Free Loan and Benevolent Association. \*Hebrew Aid Society.

#### WACO

CHR. \*Ladies' Hebrew Rest Society. Sec., Mrs. J. Benedick.

### VERMONT

### BURLINGTON

CHE. Hebrew Free Loan Association.

Hebrew Ladies' Aid Society.

Alpert, 28 Crombie.

Sec., Fanny Rothmar, Elmwood Av.

Org., Purlm, 1907.

Sec., Fannie

Alpert, 28 Crombie.

EDUC. Hebrew Free School (Talmud Torah), 268 N. Winooski Av. Sec., M. G. Rosenberg, North Union St.

#### RUTLAND

CG. \*Adath Israel. Sec., M. E. Henson.

### VIRGINIA

#### ALEXANDRIA

CHR. \*Hebrew Free Loan Association. Sec., John Wolf.

#### NORFOLK

CG. \*Gemilath Chesed Chevra, County near Washington. Rabbi, Morris Shapiro.

CL. \*Hebrew Musical Society. Director, Jacob Schwartz. EDUC. Young Men's Hebrew Association. Sec., Herman Getz, Hotel

Educ. Young Men's Hebrew Association. Sec., Herman Getz, Hotel
Princess.

\*Southern Sabbath Guardian Association. Temp. Pres., Rabbi H. Benmosche.

#### PETERSBURG

EDUC. \*Young Men's Hebrew Association. Org., Oct., 1908.

#### POCAHONTAS

Cg. Ahawath Chesed. Org., 1895. Rabbi, L. Cantor. Sec., N. Marks.

### PORTSMOUTH

Educ. Young Men's Hebrew Association, 504 Effingham. Sec., Victor Schur, 1501 Effingham.

#### RICHMOND

Educ. Hebrew Progressive Library, Thompson Hall, 1st and Broad. Sec.,
David Newman, 318 E. Broad.
M. B. \*Hebrew Sick and Relief Association. Sec., S. Rottenberg.

### WASHINGTON

#### MAIUPOH

Gray's Harbor Hebrew Congregation, Aberdeen, Wash. Sec., Joseph CG. Jacob. Aberdeen.

#### SEATTLE

EDUC. \*Hebrew School, 1914 Main. Principal, Mr. Matzkind. Young Men's Hebrew Association, 627 First Av. Sec., L. Molin, 912 5th Av.

## WEST VIRGINIA

#### PARKERSBURG

B'nai Israel. Sec., A. H. Setron, Cor. Market and Court Sq. Rabbi, M. Lesseraux. Ladies' Auxiliary. Sec., Hanna Newberger. CG.

## WISCONSIN

#### MILWAUKEE

CHR. Hachnosith Orchim. Sec., M. Pollack.
Social Workers, 2601 State. Org., Jan. 1, 1909. Sec., Mrs. H. S.
Wetzler, 2511 Prairie.

EDUC. Federation of Jewish Sabbath Schools of Milwaukee. Sec., Bertha Slabodkin, 512 Vliet.

## WYOMING

#### CHEYENNE

Mount Sinal, 422 W. 16th. Sec., Maurice Spiegleman, 2406 Thomes. Rabbi, M. Himmerman, 1610 Moxwel. Cg.

## JEWISH STATISTICS

The statistics of Jews in the world rest largely upon estimates. In Russia, Austria-Hungary, Germany, and a few other countries, official figures are obtainable. In the main, however, the numbers given are based upon estimates repeated and added to by one statistical authority after another.

For the statistics given below various authorities have been consulted, among them the "Statesman's Year Book" for 1910, the English "Jewish Year Book" for 5670-71, "The Jewish Encyclopedia," Jüdische Statistik, and the Alliance Israélite Universelle reports.

#### THE UNITED STATES

#### ESTIMATES

As the census of the United States has, in accordance with the spirit of American institutions, taken no heed of the religious convictions of American citizens, whether native-born or naturalized, all statements concerning the number of Jews living in this country are based upon estimates.

The Jewish population was estimated-

In 1818 by Mordecai M. Noah at 3,000
In 1824 by Solomon Etting at 6,000
In 1826 by Isaac C. Harby at 6,000
In 1840 by the American Almanac at 15,000
In 1848 by M. A. Berk at
In 1880 by Wm. B. Hackenburg at230,257
In 1888 by Isaac Markens at
In 1897 by David Sulzberger at937,800
In 1905 by "The Jewish Encyclopedia" at1,508,435
In 1907 by "The American Jewish Year Book"
at
In 1910 by "The American Jewish Year Book"
at2,044,762

### DISTRIBUTION

The following table by States presents two sets of estimates. In the left-hand column is given the estimated Jewish population of each State for 1905 as it appears in the "Jewish Encyclopedia," Vol. XII, pp. 371-374, in the article "United States." In the right-hand column are the estimates made up from figures furnished by correspondents who interested themselves in the Directory of Jewish Organizations in the United States compiled for the American Jewish Year Book, 5668 (p. 432).

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	Ket. Jew. Pop.	Est. Jew. Pop. 1967
90.00	1966 •The Jewish Encyclopedia"	Compiled from statements of
STATES '	Vol. XII, pp. 371-374	individual correspondents of the
	Article "United States"	American Jewish Year Book
Alabama	. 7.000	7,000
Alaska		••••
Arizona		500
Arkansas		3,085
California		42.000
Colorado		6,500
Connecticut		22.000
Delaware		1.600
District of Columbia		5.100 3.000
Florida		9,300
Georgia		100
Hawaiian Islands		300
Idaho		110,000
Indiana		12.000
Iowa		6.000
Kansas		1.500
Kentucky		10,000
Louisiana		12.000
Maine		5.000
Maryland		41.000
Massachusetts		90.000
Michigan		16,000
Minnesota		13.000
Mississippi		<b>3.300</b>
Missouri		52,000
Montana	. 2,500	1,500
Nebraska	. 3,800	6.500
Nevada	. 300	300
New Hampshire		1.000
New Jersey	. 40,000	70.000
New Mexico		800
New York		905,000
North Carolina		1,500 1,000
North Dakota		85.000
Ohio		1,000
Oklahoma Oregon		6.000
Pennsylvania		150.000
Philippine Islands		100
Porto Rico		100
Rhode Island		12.000
South Carolina		2,500
South Dakota		300
Tennessee	. 7,000	10.000
Texas		16.000
Utah	. 1,000	1.000
Vermont	. 700	1.000
Virginia		10.000
Washington	2,800	5.500
West Virginia		1.500
Wisconsin	. 15,000	15.000 300
Wyoming		
	1,508,435	1,777,185

The Industrial Removal Office made an estimate in 1910 of the Jewish population in fifty cities as follows: Akron, O., 1,400;

Atlanta, Ga., 4,200; Augusta, Ga., 600; Buffalo, N. Y., 14,000; Canton, O., 1,000; Charleston, S. C., 1,500; Chattanooga, Tenn., 600; Chester, Pa., 500; Cincinnati, O., 28,000; Cleveland, O., 45,000; Colorado Springs, Colo., 400; Columbus, O., 4,200; Davenport, Ia., 350; Dayton, O., 3,500; Denver, Colo., 8,000; Des Moines, Ia., 3,500; Detroit, Mich., 14,000; Erie, Pa., 600; Evansville, Ind., 900; Fort Wayne, Ind., 500; Grand Rapids, Mich., 400; Harrisburg, Pa., 1,700; Indianapolis, Ind., 7,000; Jacksonville, Fla., 1,000; Joplin, Mo., 175; Kalamazoo, Mich., 400; Kansas City, Mo., 8,000; La Crosse, Wis., 200; Leavenworth, Kan., 400; Lincoln, Neb., 1,000; Lynchburg, Va., 250; Madison, Wis., 200; Minneapolis, Minn., 6,500; Montgomery, Ala., 1,500; Norfolk, Va., 3,200; Omaha, Neb., 6,500; Portland, Ore., 5,500; Quincy, Ill., 150; Rochester, N. Y., 12,000; St. Joseph, Mo., 2,500; St. Louis, Mo., 45,000; Salt Lake City, Utah, 900; San Francisco, Cal., 30,000; Seattle, Wash., 4,500; Sioux City, Ia., 1,200; Spokane, Wash., 1,400; Syracuse, N. Y., 9,000; Toledo, O., 3,500; Topeka, Kan., 225; Zanesville, O., 250; total, 287,100.

This shows an increase of 37,220 over the figures for the same cities given in the AMERICAN JEWISH YEAR BOOK for 5668, or not quite 15 per cent. On this basis the Jewish population of the whole of the United States should have increased, since the last estimate, made in 1907, from 1,777.185 to 2.044.762.

#### IMMIGRATION

The total Jewish immigration to the United States, through the three principal ports of entry, New York, Philadelphia, and Baltimore, from 1881 to June 30, 1910, is stated to have been 1,473,167. The immigration at the same ports from July 1, 1909, to June 30, 1910, was as follows:

	Port of New York			Port of	Port of Balti-	Port of	Totals	Total General		
	Aus- trians	Rou- manian	Rus-	Others	Totals at New York	deiphia Totals	more Totals	Boston Totals	for four Ports	Immi- gration
July	1,080	151	6,030	894	8,155	304	216	104	8,779	66,218
Aug	853	141	4,669	865	6,528	801	807	139	7,275	59,777
Sept	809	104	3,925	719	5,557	849	837	157	6,400	67,619
Oct	608	93	1,426	671	2,793	209	181	4i	3,174	75,608
Nov	1,105	185	5.484	918	7,692	643	385	172	8,892	85,049
Dec	1,085	191	3,895	539	5,710	714	464	44	6,982	68,711
Jan	610	<b>10</b> 8	2,869	531	4,118	319	269	16	4,722	50.242
Feb	578	47	2,352	899	8,371	841	228	78	4,018	<b>57,9</b> 80
Mar	778	119	4.019	501	5,417	665	517	136	6,735	136,745
Apr	680	121	8,711	805	5,817	896	157	135	6,505	135,052
May	803	97	1,946	635	8,481	319	239	89	4,128	188,544
June	1,115	160	5,519	1,220	8,014	836	445	297	9,592	105,025
	10,094	1,517	45,845	8,697	66,153	5,896	3,695	1,408	77,147	1,041,570

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>We are indebted to Mr. David M. Bressler, General Manager of the Industrial Removal Office, for the figures of the population of the cities given above.

To the totals given above should be added 1,271, the number who arrived at Galveston, and 5,842, the number who arrived at

other ports, making a total Jewish immigration of 84.260.

For the year 1908-9, the Jewish immigration was: New York, 49,024; Philadelphia, 1,789; Baltimore, 2,443; Boston, 955; other ports, 3,340; total, 57,551. From this should be deducted 6,105 emigrating aliens recorded, and a considerable number not recorded. Thus the total increase of the Jewish population by immigration for the year 1908-9 was less than 51,446.

#### THE BRITISH EMPIRE

British Isles240,546	South Africa 50,000
Australasia 17,106	Gibraltar 1,300
Canada and British Co-	Aden 3.500
lumbia 60,000	Cyprus and Malta 143
Trinidad and Barbados. 50	Hong Kong and Straits
Jamaica 2,000	Settlements 680
India 18,228	<del></del>
•	Total393,553

## GENERAL JEWISH STATISTICS

United States	2,044,762	Luxembourg	1,200
British Empire	393,553	Mexico	8,972
Abyssinia (Falashas)	3,000	Morocco	109,712
Argentine Republic	30,000	Norway	642
Austria-Hungary 1	2,084,591	Persia	49,500
Belgium	12,000	Peru	498
Brazil	3,000	Roumania	<b>250,0</b> 00
Bulgaria	36,455	Russia *	6,243,712
China and Japan	2,000	Servia	5,729
Costa Rica	43	Spain	2,500
Cuba	4,000	Sweden	3,912
Denmark	3,476	Switzerland	12,264
France	95,000	Turkey 4	463,686
Algeria	64,565	Egypt	38,635
Tunis	62,540	Tripoli	18,660
Germany 2	607,862	Crete	1,150
Greece	8,350	Turkestan and Af-	
Holland	105,988	ghanistan	14,000
Curaçoa	1,000	Venezuela	411
Surinam	1,158		
Italy	52.115	Total	12.840.641

 <sup>1 851,378</sup> in Hungary, 8,213 in Bosnia and Herzegovina.
 2 409,501 in Prussia.
 3 Census of 1909.
 4 78,000 in Palestine.

## A LIST OF ARTICLES OF JEWISH INTEREST

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Jl.-July.

J. O.—Jewish Outlook.

J. Rec.-Jewish Record.

J. S .- Jewish Spectator.

Observer.

J. R. & O .- Jewish Review and

Ag.-August.

A. H.-American Hebrew.

A. I.—American Israelite.

Ap.-April.

Chaut.--Chautauguan.

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THE AMERICAN HEBREW AND JEWISH MESSENGER. Weekly. New York. Est. 1879.

THE AMERICAN ISRAELITE. Weekly. Cincinnati, O. Est. 1854.

See also THE CHICAGO ISRAELITE.

DER AMERIKANER. Yiddish. Weekly. New York. Est. 1904.

DEB ARBEITER. Yiddish. Weekly. New York. Est. 1904.
English title, "The Workman." Organ of the Socialist Labor Party and of the Industrial Workers of the World.

BETH EL TIDINGS.

Published by West Philadelphia Jewish Lyceum.

B'NAI B'RITH MESSENGER. Semi-monthly. Los Angeles, Cal. Est. 1897.

B'NAI B'RITH NEWS. Monthly. Chicago, Ill. Est. 1908.

Boston Jewish American. Yiddish. Weekly. Boston, Mass. Est. 1908.

CHICAGO HEBREW INSTITUTE MESSENGER. Monthly. Chicago, Ill. First issue November, 1909.

Organ of Chicago Hebrew Institute, Chicago, Ill.

THE CHICAGO ISBAELITE. Weekly. Chicago, Ill. Est. 1854. Chicago edition of The American Israelite.

EMANU-EL. Weekly. San Francisco, Cal. Est. 1895.

ENTERTAINER. St. Louis, Mo. Est. 1907.
Official organ of the United Hebrew Entertaining Circle.

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Established as "Israelite Alliance Review." First number under new name (Vol. II, No. 1), August, 1907. Organ of the Federation of Jewish Organizations, State of New York.

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FOLKS BLATT. Weekly. Yiddish. New York City. First issue, February 18, 1910.

Freie Arbeiter Stimme. Yiddish. Weekly. New York and Philadelphia. Est. 1899. See Freie Gesellschaft.

Freie Gesellschaft. Yiddish. Monthly. New York. First issue, January 1, 1910.

Published by FREIE ARBEITER STIMME.

THE GLEANER. Monthly. Farm School, Pa. Est. 1901.
Published by the students of the National Farm School, Doylestown, Pa.

GROSSER KUNDES. Yiddish. Bi-monthly. New York. Est. 1908.

THE HEBREW. English and German. Weekly. San Francisco, Cal. Est. 1863.

THE HEBREW STANDARD. Weekly. New York. Est. 1883.

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Jewish Advocate. Weekly. Boston, Mass. Est. 1905. Est. 1905 as Boston Advocate; name changed May, 1909.

THE JEWISH CHAUTAUQUAN. Monthly. Philadelphia, Pa. Est. 1908.

Organ of the Jewish Chautauqua Society.

JEWISH COMMENT. Weekly. Baltimore, Md. Est. 1895.

THE JEWISH CRITERION. Weekly. Pittsburg, Pa. Est. 1895.

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JEWISH ECHO. Yiddish. Weekly. Rochester, N. Y. Published by Jewish Publishing Co.

THE JEWISH EXPONENT. Weekly. Philadelphia, Pa. Est. 1886.

THE JEWISH FARMER. Yiddish. Monthly. New York City. Est. 1908.

Organ of the Jewish Agricultural and Industrial Aid Society.

JEWISH HERALD. Monthly. Houston, Texas. Est. 1908.

Jewish Immigrant. Occasional. English and Yiddish. New York City. Est. 1908.

Published by Hebrew Sheltering and Immigrant Aid Society.

THE JEWISH INDEPENDENT. Weekly. Cleveland, O. Est. 1906.

\*Jewish Labor World. Yiddish. Daily. Chicago, Ill. Est. 1909.

THE JEWISH LEDGER. Weekly. New Orleans, La. Est. 1895.
Official organ of the joint lodges of New Orleans, Independent Order of B'nai B'rith.

- JEWISH LIFE. Yiddish and English. Weekly. Baltimore, Md. First issue, April 11, 1910.
  - Issued by United Hebrew Charities. See Das YIDDISHE LEBEN.
- Jewish Life. Weekly. Indianapolis, Ind. First issue, December 31, 1909.
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- JEWISH QUARTERLY REVIEW. Philadelphia, Pa. New series.
  Published by the Dropsie College for Hebrew and Cognate Learning.
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- THE JEWISH REVIEW AND OBSERVER. Weekly. Cleveland, O. Est. 1889.
- THE JEWISH SPECTATOR. Weekly. Memphis and Nashville, Tenn.; and New Orleans, La. Est. 1885.
- JEWISH STAE. Yiddish and English. Weekly. Atlanta, Ga. Est. 1909.
- THE JEWISH TIMES. Weekly. San Francisco, Cal. Est. 1855.
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- THE JEWISH VOICE. Weekly. St. Louis, Mo. Est. 1884.
- JEWISH WEEKLY. Yiddish. Providence, R. I. Est. 1909.
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- JÜDISCHE GAZETTEN. YIddish. Weekly. New York. Est. 1874. English title, "The Jewish Gazette." Weekly edition of JÜDISCHES TAGEBLATT.
- DIE JÜDISCHE POST. Yiddish. Weekly. Pittsburg, Pa. Est. 1903. English title, "The Jewish Post."
- DAS JÜDISCHE WOCHENBLATT. YIddish. New York City. Published by Galician Verband.
- JUDISCHES TAGEBLATT. Yiddish and English. Daily. New York. Est. 1885.
- English title, "Jewish Daily News." See also JUDISCHE GAZETTEN.
- \*Junior Maccabean. Monthly. Wilkes-Barre, Pa.
- DER KIBETZER. Yiddish. Monthly. New York City. Est. 1908.

- \*Kol Boinik. Yiddish. Weekly. St. Louis, Mo. First issue. March, 1910.
- \*THE LITTLE WORLD. Hebrew. Monthly. Cleveland, Ohio. Est. 1906.

Hebrew title, "Olam Katon." Published by the Ivriah.

THE MACCABÆAN. Monthly. New York. Est. 1901.

Published under the supervision of the Federation of American Zionists. Monthly. Indianapolis. Ind. Est. 1910. First issue

April 5, 1910.

Organ of Indianapolis Lodge, No. 58, I. O. B. B.

THE MODERN VIEW. Weekly. St. Louis, Mo. Est. 1901.

MONTHLY BULLETIN. New York. Est. 1900. Organ of the Young Men's Hebrew Association.

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\*Neue Gedank. Yiddish. New York. First issue, December 17. 1909

DIE NEUE WELT. Quarterly Magazine. Yiddish. New York. First issue. October, 1909.

NEWS-LETTER. Monthly. Kansas City, Mo. Est. 1907. Organ of Kansas City (Mo.) Section C. J. W.

Dos Neve Leben. Monthly. Yiddish. First issue, December, 1908.

ORDENS Echo. German. Monthly. New York. Est. 1884. Official organ of the Independent Order of True Sisters.

OUR REVIEW. Weekly. Bedford Station, N. Y. Est. 1906. Published by the inmates of the Monteflore Country Sanitarium.

PHILADELPHIA JEWISH MORNING JOURNAL. Yiddish. Daily. Philadelphia, Pa. Est. 1899 as Philadelphia Abend-Post. Name changed June 1, 1907.

THE REFORM ADVOCATE. Weekly. Chicago, Ill. Est. 1891.

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Organ of the Young Men's Hebrew Association.

THE ROUMANIAN-AMERICAN. Monthly. San Francisco, Cal. Est. 1908-

Organ of the Roumanian Hebrew Protective League.

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English title, "The Sunday Jewish Courier." Sunday edition of DER TÄGLICHER JÜDISCHER COURIER.

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- DER TÄGLICHER JÜDISCHER COURIER. Yiddish. Daily. Chicago Ill. Est. 1887.
- English title, "The Daily Jewish Courier." See also DER SONNTAG COURIER.
- DER TÄGLICHER YIDDISHER KOL. Daily. Chicago, Ill. Est. 1900. English title, "The Daily Jewish Call." See also DER SONNTAG KOL.
- THE TEMPLE. Weekly. Louisville, Ky. First issue, August 1, 1909.
- TEXAS ISBAELITE. Monthly. Fort Worth, Texas. Est. 1908.
- DEB VOLKSADVOKAT. Yiddish. Weekly. New York. Est. 1891. Weekly edition of Die Warheit.
- DER VOLKSFREUND. Yiddish and Hebrew. Weekly. Pittsburg, Pa. Est. 1889.
- Vorwärts. Yiddish. Daily. New York and Philadelphia. Est. 1896.
  - English title, "Forward."
- DIE WARHEIT. Yiddish. Daily. New York. Est. 1894.
  English title, "The Truth and Daily Herald." See also DER VOLKS-ADVOKAT.
- YIDDISHE ARBEITER WELT. Weekly. Chicago, Ill. Est. 1908. Organ of the Jewish Socialist Publishing Association.
- DAS YIDDISCHE FOLK. Yiddish. Weekly. New York. Est. 1909. Published by Zion Press Association.
- DAS YIDDISHE LEBEN. English and Yiddish. Monthly. Baltimore. First issue, January 1, 1910.

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- \*DER YIDDISHER GEIST. Monthly. New York City. Est. 1910. Organ of Federation of Roumanian Jews of America.
- \*DEE YIDDISHEE KÄMPFEE. Yiddish. Weekly. New York. Organ of the Poale Zionists.
- DER YIDDISHER RECORD. Yiddish. Weekly. Chicago, Ill. First issue, March 4, 1910.
- Young Israel. Weekly Sabbath School Journal for Jewish Children. Detroit, Mich. Est. 1907.
- Issued under the auspices of the Union of American Hebrew Congregations.
- Young Judæa. Zion Council Bulletin. New York. Zionist Publication. Est. 1909.
- Young Men's Hebrew Association Magazine. Semi-monthly. New Orleans, La. Est. 1903.
- DIE ZUKUNFT. Yiddish. Monthly. New York. Est. 1892. English title, "The Future."

### APPOINTMENTS, HONORS, AND ELECTIONS

JULY 1, 1909, TO JUNE 30, 1910

- AARONS, CHARLES L., Milwaukee, Wis., elected President of the Milwaukee School Board, July, 1909.
- ABRAHAMS, HENRY, Boston, Mass., appointed by Governor, member State Commission to investigate high cost of food, March, 1910.
- ABRAMS, ELLIS C., nominated by President, Supervisor of Thirteenth Decennial Census, in second district, State of Pennsylvania, from September 10, 1909.
- ABBAMSON, MEYER, Rochester, N. Y., appointed Census Enumerator for Monroe County, March, 1910.
- ADLEB, HARRY, Baltimore, Md., appointed Clinical Professor of Medicine, University of Maryland, August, 1909.
- ADLER, Max A., appointed member of general committee of the Industrial Exposition, Rochester, N. Y., September, 1909.
- ALEXANDER, LOUIS A., Boston, Mass., elected Prison Chaplain, by Boston Central Jewish Committee, July, 1909.
- ALPERN, Louis, appointed Magistrate, Pittsburg, Pa., July, 1909.
- Amster, Nathan L., Boston, Mass., nominated by Governor, memmer of commission to investigate employment and intelligence offices, June, 1910.
- APPEL, AARON H., Medical Corps, U. S. A., nominated Colonel, January 31, 1910.
- ARKY, T. H., appointed member of committee appointed by Governor of Mississippi to meet President at Meridian, November 1, 1909.
- Arnstein, Leo, New York City, appointed Borough Secretary, by President of Borough of Manhattan, May, 1910.
- BARNETT, ISADORE J., Postmaster Onaway, Mich., December 11, 1909.
- Barnett, Walter, New York City, re-appointed School Trustee, by President of Borough of Manhattan, January, 1910.
- BAUER, HENRY D., Memphis, Tenn., appointed member of Civil Service Commission of Memphis, February, 1910.
- Bernstein, Alexander, elected Councilman, Cleveland, O., November, 1909.

- BERNSTEIN, I., New York City, appointed Jewish Prison Chaplain, April, 1910.
- BERNSTEIN, LOUIS, Rabbi, St. Joseph, Mo., elected member of Advisory Board of Local Census Committee. March. 1910.
- Bernstein, Maurice, Councilman, Cleveland, O., appointed Assistant Police Prosecutor, January, 1910.
- BETTMAN, BEBNARD, Cincinnati, O., elected honorary president for life, Hebrew Union College, February, 1910.
- BIJUB, NATHAN, New York City, elected Supreme Court Justice for New York County, November, 1909.
- BILLIKOPF, JACOB, Kansas City, Mo., re-appointed by Mayor, member of Board of Public Welfare, April, 1910.
- BLAUSTEIN, DAVID, appointed to lectureship in New York School of Philanthropy, on restriction and distribution of immigration, March, 1910.
- BOROFSKY, SAMUEL H., Boston, Mass., appointed by Mayor, Overseer of the Poor. April. 1910.
- Braun, Marcus, named by Governor Hughes, member of Board of Port Wardens of New York, May, 1910.
- Brenner, Victor D., sculptor, New York City, winner of prize for design of Lincoln cent, 1909.
- Bromberg, Pauline, Boston, Mass., appointed Physical Director and Instructor in Anatomy, Physiology and Hygiene in Wisconsin State Normal School, August, 1909.
- Brown, Max, appointed by Mayor, Police Commissioner, Elmira, N. Y., October, 1909.
- Brunner, Arnold W., architect, elected Associate of National Academy of Design, April, 1910.
- Bullowa, A. L. M., New York City, appointed member of Permanent National Committee to arrange for a proposed Peace Celebration to commemorate Century of Peace between United States and Great Britain, June, 1910.
- BYCK, EPHBAIM, named by Mayor McClellan as member of board of managers of Brooklyn Disciplinary Training School, December, 1909.
- CANTOB, JACOB A., New York City, named by Mayor, as chairman of Commission on Prevention of Congestion, May, 1910.
- COHEN, HYMAN M., Maryland, appointed First Lieutenant, Medical Reserve Corps (December 7, 1909), from September 11, 1909.
- COHEN, JACOB SOLIS-, Philadelphia, Pa., celebrates fiftieth anniversary of his Doctorate, March 15, 1910.

- CUTLER, HARRY, Providence, R. I., re-elected to Rhode Island State Legislature, November, 1909. Elected captain of Co. E., First Light Infantry, December, 1909. Appointed by Governor one of five commissioners on Perry victory centennial at Put-in-Bay, Ohio, 1913, March 3, 1910.
- Davis, Allan, Pittsburg, Pa., appointed Director of New York Educational Alliance, April, 1910.
- EDELMAN, SAMUEL, Philadelphia, Pa., appointed attaché of U. S. Embassy at Constantinople, July, 1909.
- EHRLICH, WILLIAM, Evansville, Ind., elected president of the Vanderburg County Medical Association, March, 1910.
- EICHHOLZ, ADOLPH, Philadelphia, Pa., created by Austrian Emperor, officer of Order of Franz Josef, January, 1910.
- EINSTEIN, LEWIS, New York, Secretary of embassy, Constantinople, nominated secretary of legation at Peking, China, December 20, 1910.
- ELIAS, BARNEY, Postmaster, Bristol, S. Dakota, January 1, 1910.
- ELLIS, DAVID A., Boston, Mass., re-elected member of School Committee, January, 1910.
- ENELOW, H. G., Rabbi, Louisville, Ky., appointed delegate by Mayor, to National Conference of Charities and Correction, St. Louis, Mo., May 19-26, 1910.
- ENGLANDER, HENRY, Rabbi, Providence, R. I., elected by Board of Governors of Hebrew Union College to chair of Bible and Biblical History, March, 1910.
- Erlich, Mrs. K., New York City, appointed on local school board, February, 1910.
- ETTLESON, HARRY W., Rabbi, appointed by Mayor, Fort Wayne, Ind., to represent city at the National Conference of Charities and Correction, May, 1910.
- FALCK, ALBERT, nominated by President, Supervisor of Thirteenth Decennial Census in first district, State of New York, from December 1, 1909.
- FARBACHER, SOLON, elected president of Baton Rouge, La., Board of Trade, May, 1910.
- FAUMAN, DAVID, Rochester, N. Y., appointed Census Enumerator for Monroe County, March, 1910.
- Feigenbaum, Nathan, Cleveland, O., appointed Deputy State Fire Marshal, July, 1909.
- FEINBERG, I. L., New York City, elected Coroner, Manhattan Borough, November, 1909.

- FELDMAN, JACOB, Postmaster, Woodbine, N. J., February 2, 1910.
- FELSENTHAL, ADOLPH, Camden, Ark., delegate to Waterways Convention to represent board of trade, at New Orleans, October, 1909.
- FELSENTHAL, J. J., Brownsville, Tenn., elected Alderman, September, 1909.
- FEUER, WM., Gary, Ind., elected Alderman at Large, December, 1909.
- FEUERLICHT, MORRIS, Rabbi, Indianapolis, appointed delegate from Indiana to annual meeting of National Conference of Charities and Correction, St. Louis, Mo., May 19-26, 1910.
- FISCHEB, C. O., St. Louis, Mo., appointed by Mayor, City Surveyor, April, 1910.
- FISHCHEL, EMANUEL, Helena, Mont., elected City Treasurer, May, 1910.
- FLEXNER, MARY, New York City, nominated by Governor, Director of Mahantic State Hospital, May 5, 1910.
- FLEXNER, SIMON, director Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research, receives degree of D. Sc. from Yale University, June, 1910.
- FOREMAN, OSCAR G., elected president of Illinois Bankers' Association, Chicago, October, 1909.
- FOX, CHARLES E., Philadelphia, Pa., appointed Assistant District Attorney, January, 1910.
- Frankel, Lee K., New York City, appointed by Mayor member of Commission to investigate teachers' salaries, February, 1910. Appointed assistant secretary of Metropolitan Life Insurance Company by Board of Directors, April, 1910.
- Franko, Samuel, New York City, decorated with gold medal of art by Duke and Duchess of Schwarzburg-Sondershausen, September, 1909.
- FREUND, ERNEST, Chicago, Ill., elected trustee of League for Protection of Immigrants, March, 1910.
- FRIEDENWALD, HARRY, Baltimore, Md., named by Mayor, member of new Municipal Tuberculosis Commission, June, 1910.
- FRIEDHEIM, HARRY G., nominated by President, Register of the land office, Camden, Ark, Confirmed June 21, 1910.
- FRUCHT, MAX M., lieutenant (junior grade), promoted Lieutenant in navy, December 13, 1909.
- Fuld, Joseph W., Postmaster, Hailey, Idaho, January 10, 1910.

- FURST, MICHAEL, Brooklyn, N. Y., appointed by Mayor, Aqueduct Commissioner, February, 1910.
- GARFEIN, R. New York, elected to Assembly, November, 1909.
- GINZLEB, ABTHUB, Rabbi, Elmira, N. Y., appointed Chaplain of New York State Reformatory at Elmira, November, 1909.
- GLUCKMAN, BARNET, appointed by Governor, Magistrate, Wilmington, Del., November, 1909.
- GOLDBERG, MARK, New York, re-elected to Assembly, November, 1909.
- GOLDBERG, MAX, San Francisco, Cal., appointed Fire Commissioner, by Mayor. February. 1910.
- Golden, Isadore, Judge, appointed Assistant District Attorney, San Francisco, November, 1909.
- GOLDMARK, RUBIN, Paterson, N. J., wins Paderewski prize for composing quartette in A major for piano and string, January, 1910.
- GOLDSTEIN, JACOB, Rabbi, New York City, appointed Probation Officer. April. 1910.
- GOLDWATER, MORRIS, P. G. M., Mayor, Prescott, Ariz., receives from President Taft, 33d degree F. and A. M., October, 1909.
- GOLTMAN, MAX, appointed President of Board of Health, Memphis, Tenn., January, 1910.
- GOODMAN, LEO, appointed Assistant City Attorney for Memphis, Tenn., January, 1910.
- GOTTLIEB, LOUIS I., Gary, Ind., elected Police Judge, December, 1909.
- GRAUBARD, M., New York, re-elected to Assembly, November, 1909.
- GRIFENHAGEN, MAX S., New York City, elected Register New York County, November, 1909.
- GROSS, EDWARD, Postmaster, New City, N. Y., June 21, 1910.
- GROSSMAN, LOUIS, Rabbi, Cincinnati, O., appointed member of General Committee of Universal Races Congress, at London, October, 1909. Elected member of Advisory Board of National Purity Federation, December, 1909. Appointed a Commissioner of Paul Laurence Dunbar Scholarship Fund, Boston, Mass., May, 1910.
- HAAS, AARON, St. Louis, Mo., appointed one of Board of Equalization on Licenses, May, 1910.
- HACKENBURG, WM. B., Philadelphia, Pa., re-elected Grand Treasurer of the Grand Lodge of Masons, December, 1909.

- HAMBURGER, SAMUEL B., New York City, re-appointed by Mayor, Commissioner of Parole for City Reformatory, February, 1910.
- HARRIS, Moses J., Brooklyn, N. Y., appointed Magistrate by Mayor, March 11, 1910.
- HARTOGENSIS, B. H., Baltimore, Md., elected member of Comité Central of Alliance Israélite Universelle, June, 1910.
- HARZFELD, J. A., Kansas City, Mo., appointed by Mayor, member of Public Utilities Commission, April, 1910.
- HEILBRONNER, SOLOMON, Henderson, Ky., elected Prosecuting Attorney, November, 1909.
- HELLENSTEIN, HERMAN, New York City, elected Coroner, Manhattan Borough, November, 1909.
- HERRMAN, Moses, reappointed City Magistrate by Mayor, New York City, July, 1909.
- HERZBERG, MORTIMEB, Philadelphia, Pa., appointed Professor of Bacteriology and Pathology and Director of the State Laboratory at University of South Dakota, August, 1909.
- Hirsch, David, Louisville, Ky., appointed by Governor, Delegate to National Rivers and Harbors Congress, at Washington,
   D. C., December 8-10, 1909. Appointed Director of Publicity League of Louisville, Ky., March, 1910.
- Hirsch, Emil G., Rabbi, Chicago, Ill., appointed by Governor, member of new Charities Commission, January, 1910.
- HIRSCH, MRS. JUDITH, New York City, appointed on local school board, February, 1910.
- HIRSCHFIELD, SIEGFRIED, Long Branch, N. J., elected Councilman, November, 1909.
- HOFFMAN, BENJAMIN, New York City, re-elected Municipal Court Justice, November, 1909.
- HOURWICH, ISAAC A., New York City, appointed Expert Special Agent on Mining to United States Census Office, August, 1909.
- Isaacs, Marcus J., Postmaster, Etna Mills, Cal., February 22, 1910.
- ISAACS, MAX, Judge, Brunswick, Ga., re-appointed Referee in Bankruptey, January, 1910.
- ISENBERG, HAROLD, Louisville, Ky., appointed Chemist of United States Geological Survey, Pittsburg, August, 1909.
- Jacobi, Abbaham, New York City, celebrates fiftieth anniversary of beginning medical career in Mt. Sinai Hospital, which names new medical library in his honor, "Jacobi Library." German Hospital names new building, "Dr. Abraham Jacobi Division for Children," April 21-24, 1910.

- JACOBS, ARTHUR I., St. Louis, Mo., appointed Supervisor of city lighting, December, 1909.
- Jacobs, Pizer, Rabbi, Jacksonville, Fla., member of committee on establishment of Associated Charities of city, November, 1909.
- JACOBS, RALPH K., Brooklyn, N. Y., appointed Secretary to American Commissioner of the International Prison Commission to be held in October in Washington, April, 1910.
- JACOBS, SIDNEY B., Deadwood, S. D., appointed by Governor as South Dakota's representative to the National Commercial Congress, Denver, Colo., August 16, 1909.
- JACOBY, OSWALD N., New York City, appointed Deputy Assistant by District Attorney Whitman, December, 1909.
- Jacoves, Louis J., Brooklyn, N. Y., appointed Lecturer on Bankruptcy and Partnership of University, State of New Jersey. September, 1909.
- James, Peter, Jersey City, N. J., re-elected to State Assembly, November 2, 1909.
- JAPHA, SOLOMON E., Lieutenant-Colonel of Ninth Regiment, New York State Militia, brevetted by Governor as Colonel, January, 1910.
- Johnson, Edgar M., Cincinnati, O., re-nominated State Senator, May, 1910.
- Joseph, I. J., New York, re-elected to Assembly, November, 1909.
- JOSEPHTHAL, LOUIS M., New York City, appointed Paymaster of New York Naval Militia, January, 1910.
- Kabatchnik, Sam, elected Justice of Peace, Cleveland, O., November, 1909.
- KAHN, EMANUEL, Rabbi, elected member of Central Council of Charity Organization Society, Grand Rapids, Mich., October, 1909.
- KAHN, SAMUEL, Rochester, N. Y., appointed Census Enumerator for Monroe County, March, 1910.
- Kaplan, Jacob J., Dorchester, Mass., elected to Board of Editors of Harvard "Law Review," October, 1909.
- KAPLAN, MORDECAI M., New York City, appointed Principal of Jewish Teachers' Institute, established in connection with Jewish Theological Seminary of America, July, 1909. Appointed Professor of Homiletics at Jewish Theological Seminary of America, New York City, December, 1909.
- KAPPER, ISAAC M., elected to Supreme Court for district embracing Kings (Brooklyn), Queens, and Richmond Boroughs, New York City, November, 1909.

- KAUFMANN, EDWARD, New York City, appointed by Mayor, Commissioner of Taxes and Assessments, January, 1910.
- KEMPNER, OTTO, Brooklyn, N. Y., appointed by Mayor, Chief Magistrate of Magistrates' Courts of Boroughs of Brooklyn, Queens, and Richmond, June, 1910.
- KLEIN, JACOB, appointed by Mayor, member of Board of Public Works, Springfield, O., November, 1909.
- KOWALSKI, BENJ., Brownsville, Tex., elected Mayor, April, 1910.
- KRAKER, DAVID AARON, New Jersey, appointed by President, First Lieutenant, Medical Reserve Corps, from October 4, 1909.
- KRAMER, S. E., elected Councilman, Cleveland, O., November, 1909.
- Kraus, Sidney M., nominated by President, Ensign in United States Navy. Confirmed June 20, 1910.
- KRUGEB, ISIDORE, Butte, Mont., appointed by Mayor, Library Trustee, February, 1910.
- Kuhn, Joseph E., Major, Corps of Engineers, promoted Lieutenant-Colonel from October 16, 1909.
- LACHMAN, A., New York (Brooklyn), re-elected to Assembly, November, 1909.
- LAMPERT, JACOB, St. Louis, Mo., elected Junior Grand Warden of Masons for State of Missouri, October, 1909.
- LANGSDORF, ALEXANDER S., St. Louis, Mo., appointed Dean of Washington University, May, 1910.
- LASER, LILIAN, Hot Springs, Ark., appointed Professor of German language and literature, Hot Springs High School, August, 1909.
- LAZANSKY, EDWARD, School Commissioner, appointed by Mayor, Trustee of College of City of New York, November, 1909.
- LEAVY, CHAS. M., San Francisco, Cal., appointed Civil Service Commissioner, February, 1910.
- LEHMAN, EUGENE H., New York City, appointed Instructor in Religious Pedagogics at Yale University, April, 1910.
- LEHMAYER, MARTIN, Baltimore, Md., appointed by Governor, Judge of Supreme Bench of Baltimore, September, 1909.
- Leo, Leopold, New York City, appointed Assistant by District Attorney Whitman, April, 1910.
- LEVENSON, JOSEPH, New York City, appointed by Comptroller, Marshal for Collection of Arrears in Personal Taxes, March, 1910.
- LEVENTRITT, OLIVIA, New York City, appointed by Mayor, to Board of Education, November, 1909.



- LEVI, HARRY, Rabbi, Wheeling, W. Va., elected State Vice President of Child Labor Commission, Director of Wheeling Playgrounds Association, State Secretary of Probation Officer' Association and Secretary of Anti-Tuberculosis Society, March. 1910.
- LEVY, A. G., Mobile, Ala., appointed member of Board of Public Works, November, 1909.
- LEVY, A. J., New York, re-elected to Assembly, November, 1909.
- Levy, Chas. H., Brooklyn, N. Y., appointed member of Brooklyn School Board by Borough President, March 11, 1910.
- LEVY, Morris, named by Governor Hughes, member of Board of Port Wardens of New York, May, 1910.
- LEVY, T. A., Syracuse, N. Y., elected President of Board of Education, February, 1910.
- LIEBERMANN, WILLIAM, nominated to be Supervisor of Thirteenth Decennial Census, in second district, State of New York (December 7, 1909), from September 10, 1909.
- LOEB, ISADORE, Columbia, Mo., chosen President of Missouri State League, April, 1910.
- LOEB, JACQUES, University of California, appointed head of Department of Experimental Biology, Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research, January, 1910.
- LOEWY, IGNATZ DAVID, Pennsylvania, appointed First Lieutenant, Medical Reserve Corps (December 7, 1909), from October 4, 1909.
- Lowenstein, Louis C., Lynn, Mass., appointed Lecturer on Mechanical Engineering at Columbia University, New York, September, 1909.
- Manne, Joseph B., named by Mayor McClellan, a member of Board of Managers of Brooklyn Disciplinary Training School, December, 1909.
- MARIX, ADOLPH, Rear-Admiral, re-appointed by United States Government, Chairman of the American Lighthouse Board, July, 1909.
- MARK, LEWIS, elected member of city school board, Marion, Ind., September, 1909.
- Marks, I., member of committee appointed by Governor of Mississippi, to meet President at Meridian, November 1, 1909.
- Marks, John D., Boston, Mass., appointed by Mayor, Director of the Chattel Loans Company, May, 1910.

- Marks, M. A., Cleveland, O., re-elected to Library Board, July, 1909.
- MARSHALL, LOUIS, New York City, elected Trustee-at-large, Syracuse University, Syracuse, N. Y., January, 1910.
- MASCHKE, MAURICE, Cleveland, O., appointed County Recorder, December, 1909.
- MASHBIR, FRIEDA F., Postmistress, Safford, Ariz., confirmed January 24, 1910.
- MAY, ISAAC, Rome, Ga., re-elected Councilman, and elected Mayor pro tem., April, 1910.
- MAYER, THEODORE, Cincinnati, elected Decennial Appraiser of Real Estate, November, 1909.
- MELEN, DAVID, Rochester, N. Y., appointed Census Enumerator for Monroe County, March, 1910.
- MERRITT, M. J., Rabbi, Evansville, Ind., elected Trustee of the Vanderburg County Anti-Tuberculosis Farm Hospital, March, 1910.
- MEYERHARDT, MAX, Rome, Ga., elected City Attorney, April, 1910.
- MICHAELSON, ALBERT A., Chicago University, Chicago, Ill., receives honorary degrees, Doctor of Philosophy and Master of Arts, from Leipzig University, August, 1909. Elected President of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, January, 1910.
- MICHAELSON, LEWIS B., Rabbi, Trenton, N. J., appointed Chaplain to Jewish prisoners of State of New Jersey, February, 1910.
- MILLNER, FRANK, Trenton, N. J., appointed Public Playground Commissioner, February, 1910.
- MILLSTONE, Dr., Gary, Ind., elected Health Officer, December, 1909.
- MOBAWETZ, ALBERT R., Arizona, nominated Consul of United States of America at Leipzig, Saxony, January 5, 1910.
- Morrison, Morris L., Boston, Mass., appointed by Mayor as Principal Assessor, May, 1910.
- Moskovitz, M. M., Scranton, Pa., appointed by President, United States Commissioner for District of Columbia, in State of Pennsylvania, March, 1910.
- Moskowitz, Henry, New York City, appointed on local school board. February, 1910.
- Neuenburg, Henry H., Postmaster, Olivia, Minn., January 28, 1910.
- NEWMAN, LOUIS, Brooklyn, N. Y., appointed member of Board of Education by Mayor, February, 1910.
- OBERFELDEB, JOSEPH, Sidney, appointed United States Commissioner for District of Nebraska, September, 1909.

- OPPENHEIMEB, Sol., New York City, elected Judge Municipal Court, November, 1909.
- Philipson, David, Rabbi, Cincinnati, O., elected Director of Mercantile Library, January, 1910.
- Philo, Isador, Rabbi, Akron, O., appointed Assistant Chaplain Ohio Reformatory, Mansfield, March, 1910.
- POLLAK, EMIL, Cincinnati, O., appointed member of University Board of Trustees, January, 1910.
- RAUNHEIM, MAURICE S., New York City, appointed by Comptroller, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, February, 1910.
- RAYNER, HON. ISIDORE, re-elected United States Senator for Maryland, January, 1910.
- REINHARD, LORBAINE, Baltimore, Md., appointed Probation Officer by Supreme Court, May, 1910.
- REIZENSTEIN, MILTON, Brooklyn, N. Y., member of Tenement House Commission under Brooklyn Bureau of Charities, March, 1910.
- REIZENSTEIN, MRS. MILTON, named by Mayor McClellan member of Board of Managers of Brooklyn Disciplinary Training School, December, 1909.
- RHINE, ABRAHAM BENEDICT, Rabbi, Hot Springs, Ark., elected President of the Arkansas Association of School Boards, January, 1910.
- RICE, MRS. ISAAC L., New York City, appointed American delegate to Conference of Representatives of Anti-noise Organizations of England, Holland, Denmark, Austria, and Germany, held in London, August, 1909.
- ROBINSON, HERMAN, New York City, appointed by Mayor, Commissioner of Licenses, January, 1910.
- ROSENAU, MILTON J., Washington, D. C., appointed Professor of Hygiene and Preventive Medicine and Head of New Department at Harvard University, July, 1909.
- ROSENBERG, LOUIS J., Michigan, nominated United States consul at Barranquilla, Columbia, January 5, 1910.
- ROSENTHAL, LESSING, elected President of Municipal Voters' League, Chicago, Ill. February, 1910.
- ROSEWATER, Mrs. NATHAN, Cleveland, O., re-appointed by Governor, visitor to State Correctional, Charitable and Penal Institutions, May, 1910.
- ROTHENBERG, T., appointed member of committee appointed by Governor of Mississippi, to meet President at Meridian, November 1, 1909.

- ROTHSCHILD, LEOPOLD G., Indiana, re-nominated Surveyor of Customs for port of Indianapolis, February 28, 1910.
- Rowe, Leo S., Philadelphia, Pa., elected honorary member of the Mexican National Geographical and Statistical Society, July, 1909.
- RYPINS, I. L., Rabbi, St. Paul, Minn., appointed by Mayor to City Art Commission, July, 1909.
- SALOMON, SIEGFRIED, Postmaster, Platteville, Colo., January 19, 1910.
- SAMUELSON, LEO I., promoted First Lieutenant, 7th Infantry, U. S. A. (December 7, 1909), from August 18, 1909.
- SCHAMBERG, JAY F., Philadelphia, Pa., elected Professor of Dermatology at Temple University, January, 1910.
- SCHEELINE, ISAIAH, Altoona, Pa., Democratic Candidate for Congress in Nineteenth District, April, 1910.
- Scholle, Gustave, Minnesota, nominated Second Secretary of Embassy of United States at Paris, March 25, 1910.
- Schongut, Jacob, New York City, elected Coroner, Bronx Borough, November, 1909.
- SELIGMAN, ARTHUR S., elected Mayor, Santa Fé, N. M., April, 1910.
- SELIGMAN, JEFFERSON, New York, made member of Legion of Honor, France, February, 1910.
- SELLING, LAWRENCE, Portland, Ore., awarded Fellowship of Pathology at Johns Hopkins University, November, 1909.
- Senior, Max, Cincinnati, O., Director National Housing Association, March 10, 1910. Appointed on the United States Forestry Commission, March, 1910.
- SHAPIRO, MEYER MERWIN, Bridgeport, Conn., awarded Phelps Montgomery Prize, Yale University, at Commencement, June, 1910.
- SHARFMAN, ISAIAH LEO, ROXbury, Mass., appointed Professor of Economics and Law in University of Tien-Tsin, China, June, 1910.
- SHOENTHAL, ISAAC, elected Surrogate of Essex County, N. J., November, 1909.
- SHUGERMAN, HARRY P., Alabama, appointed First Lieutenant, Medical Reserve Corps (December 7, 1909), from September 1, 1909.
- SILVERBURG, ADOLPHE C., Muncie, Ind., appointed City Attorney, by Mayor, January, 1910.

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- Simon, Abram, Rabbi, appointed Director of Columbia Hospital for Women by Board of Commissioners of District of Columbia. June. 1910.
- SNITKIN, LEONARD A., New York City, elected Judge Municipal Court. November, 1909.
- Sobel, Isador, Erie, Pa., re-appointed Postmaster, February 4, 1910.
- SOLOMON, HENRY, New York City, appointed by Governor to represent State of New York, at National Conference of Charities and Correction, St. Louis, Mo., May 19-26, May, 1910.
- SPEAR, IRVING J., Baltimore, Md., appointed Clinical Professor of Psychiatry and Diseases of the Nervous System, University of Maryland, August, 1909.
- SPEAR, J. D., Rabbi, Temple Israel, New Rochelle, appointed by Mayor, member of committee of 100 on Hudson-Fulton Celebration, also appointed member of Religious Observance Committee, September, 1909.
- SPIEGEL, ARTHUR, Cincinnati, O., re-nominated for House of Representatives, May, 1910.
- SPIEGELBERG, W. I., New York City, appointed by Mayor, member of Ambulance Board, February, 1910.
- SPIELBERG, H., New York, re-elected to Assembly, November, 1909.
  SPIBO, ISAAC, San Francisco, Cal., appointed Police Commissioner, February, 1910.
- STEIN, PHILIP, Chicago, Ill., appointed by Mayor, member of Board of Education, January, 1910.
- STEINEM, Mrs. PAULINE, Toledo, O., appointed Trustee of Public Library, April, 1910.
- STERN, NATHAN, Rabbi, Providence, R. I., appointed Lecturer in Biblical Literature and History at Brown University, May, 1910.
- Stone, Nahum I., Washington, D. C., Tariff Expert Department of Commerce and Labor, appointed Statistician to Tariff Board, December, 1909.
- STRAHL, JACOB S., Brooklyn, N. Y., elected Judge Municipal Court, November, 1909.
- STRASBOURGER, SAM'L, New York City, appointed by Mayor, Commissioner of Catskill Water Works, December, 1909.
- SULZBERGER, DAVID, Philadelphia, Pa., appointed by Governor Delegate from Pennsylvania to annual meeting of the American Prisons Association, August 14-19, at Seattle, Wash., July, 1909.

- SULZER, MARCUS R., Madison, Ind., re-appointed Postmaster, February, 1910.
- TAMM, N. A., Brownsville, Tenn., elected Alderman, September, 1909.
- TRIEST, MONTAGUE, Charleston, S. C., elected member of the Board of City School Commissioners, March, 1910.
- ULMAN, JOSEPH N., Baltimore, Md., elected President of Prisoners' Aid Association of Maryland, May, 1910.
- WALDAUER, LOUIS, Postmaster, Greenville, Miss., December 13, 1909.
- WARTMAN, SAMUEL L., promoted to be Chief Machinist in navy, December, 1909.
- WASSERVOGEL, ISIDOR, New York City, appointed Assistant by District Attorney Whitman, December, 1909.
- WEBBER, ABRAHAM C., Boston, Mass., appointed by District Attorney, Assistant District Attorney, November, 1909.
- Weil, Abnold, New York City, appointed Assistant by Corporation Counsel Archibald R. Watson, April, 1910.
- Weiner, Adolph, New York City, appointed by Mayor, member of Board of Education, February, 1910.
- Weinstein, S., New York (Brooklyn), elected to Assembly, November, 1909.
- WOLBARST, ABRAHAM L., New York City, appointed (May, 1910), Delegate from Peace Society of City of New York, to Eighteenth International Peace Congress, to be held in Stockholm, Sweden, August 1-6, 1910.
- ZALINSKI, M. GRAY, Major, Quartermaster's Department, U. S. A., Washington, D. C., transferred to New York City, Depot Quartermaster, January, 1910.
- ZEPIN, GEORGE, Rabbi, Fort Worth, Tex., appointed by Mayor, head of local Board of Charities, October, 1909.

## SYNAGOGUES AND HOMES OF SOCIETIES DEDICATED

#### IN THE UNITED STATES

JULY 1, 1909, TO JUNE 30, 1910

#### 1909 **July**

 Sixth Perpetual Free Room of Jewish Seaside Home, Ventnor, N. J.

#### AUGUST

- Rothschild Pavilion of Jewish Seaside Home Ventnor, N. J.
- Talmud Torah (Southern Independent Congregation) additional building, Philadelphia, Pa
- 15. Sons of Israel, Belmar, N. J.
- New York Ladies' Pavilion Jewish Consumptives' Relief Society, Edgewater, Colo.
- 22. Shaare Zedek, Anshe Rezischev, Philadelphia

#### SEPTEMBER

- 5. Gates of Wisdom, Pittsburg, Pa.
- 5. Chicago Hebrew Institute, Chicago, Ill.
- 5. Thoras Emes, Newark, N. J.
- 5. Shomre Shabbos, Cleveland, O.
- 5. Agudas Achim, Yonkers, N. Y.
- 8. Council Educational Alliance, Cleveland, O.
- 12. Beth-El, Norfolk, Va.
- 12. Sons of Israel, Allentown, Pa.
- 12. Congregation of Israel, Omaha, Neb.
- 14. Mikveh Israel, Philadelphia, Pa.
- Sons of Moses (Russian and Roumanian), St. Paul, Minn.
- 19. Rodeph Sholem, Tampa, Fla.

#### OCTOBER

- 3. Gratz College, Philadelphia, Pa.
- 10. Beth Israel, Wilmington, Del.
- Philadelphia Sanitarium for Consumptives. Eagleville, Pa.
- 10. Mishkan Tefila, Malden, Mass.
- 24. Beth Israel Bikur Cholim, Troy, N. Y.
- 27. Young Men's Hebrew Association, Bronz Branch, New York City.
- 31. Emanuel Mandel Memorial Domestic Science Building, Chicago, Ill.

#### NOVEMBER

- 14. Hebrew Day Nursery, New York City.
- 14. Shearith Torah, Youngstown, O.
- 24. Home for Jewish Aged and Infirm, addition, Mount Auburn. O.
- Young Men's Hebrew Association, New Rochelle, N. Y.

#### DECEMBER

- 12. Gusky Home Pavilion, Pittsburg, Pa.
- 12. Peni-El, New York City.
  - 12. Emanu-El of Borough Park, Brooklyn, N. Y.
- 18-19. Ohel Torah, New York City.
  - 19. Emanu-El, Port Richmond, N. Y.
  - 19. Hebrew Orphan Asylum, new wing, Brooklyn, N. Y.

#### 1910 January

- 1. Sons of Abraham, Colorado Springs, Colo.
  - 2. Anshe Brith Sholom, Jamaica Plains, Mass.
  - 2. Hebrew Educational School and Chapel, Quincy,
  - Betsy Levy Memorial Hebrew Orphan Asylum, Baltimore. Md.

#### February March

- Hebrew Institute of Union Hill, Hoboken, N. J.
   Gates of Mercy of the Bronx, New York City.
- 11. Gemilath Chesed (Hebrew Benevolent), Atlanta, Ga. Re-dedicated
- APRIL 3. B'nai Abraham, Philadelphia, Pa.
  - 10. Beth Jacob, Detroit, Mich. 10. Beth Israel, Latrobe, Pa.
  - Beth Israel, Latrobe, Pa.
     Hebrew Tabernacle, New York City.
    - 21. Progress Club, Lafayette, Ind.
    - 24. Emanuel Mandel Memorial West Side Free Dispensary, Chicago, Ill.

#### May

- 8. Brownsville Dispensary, Brooklyn, N. Y.
- 15. Free Hebrew School Association, Burlington, Vt.
- 19. Emanu-El, Greensboro, N. C.
- 29. Hebrew Orphans' Home, Philadelphia, Pa.

#### JUNE

- Industrial Home for Jewish Girls, Cheltenham, Pa.
- 5. B'nai Sholom, New York City.
- 12. Hebrew Congregation of West Philadelphia (Beth-El), Philadelphia, Pa.
- 19. Home for Hebrew Orphans, Philadelphia, Pa.
- 21. People's Hospital, New York City.
- 24. Kasparé Cohn Hospital, Los Angeles, Cal.
- 26. Agudath Achim, Philadelphia, Pa.

# THIRD ANNUAL REPORT OF THE AMERICAN JEWISH COMMITTEE

NOVEMBER 14, 1909

#### OFFICERS AND EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

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#### MEMBERS AND DISTRICTS

Dist. I: Florida, Georgia, North Carolina, South Carolina. 2 members: Ceasar Cone, Greensboro, N. C. (1911); Montague Triest, Charleston, S. C. (1914).

Dist. II: Alabama, Mississippi, Tennessee. 2 members: Jacques Loeb, Montgomery, Ala. (1913); Nathan Cohn, Nashville, Tenn. (1913).

Dist. III: Arizona, Louisiana, New Mexico, Texas. 2 members: Maurice Stern, New Orleans, La. (1914); Isaac H. Kempner, Galveston, Tex. (1911).

Dist. IV: Arkansas, Colorado, Kansas, Missouri. 3 members: Morris M. Cohn, Little Rock, Ark. (1914); David S. Lehman, Denver, Col. (1911); Elias Michael, St. Louis, Mo. (1910).

Dist. V: California, Idaho, Nevada, Oregon, Utah, Washington. 3 members. Max C. Sloss, San Francisco, Cal. (1911); Harris Weinstock, Sacramento, Cal. (1912); Ben. Selling, Portland, Ore. (1912).

Dist. VI: Iowa, Michigan, Minnesota, Montana, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, Wisconsin, Wyoming. 4 members: Henry M. Butzel, Detroit, Mich. (1914); Emanuel Cohen, Minnapolis, Minn. (1910); Victor Rosewater, Omaha, Neb. (1914); Max Landauer, Milwaukee, Wis. (1912).

Dist. VII: Illinois. 7 members: Edwin G. Foreman (1914); M. E. Greenebaum (1913); B. Horwich (1912); Julian W. Mack (1913); Julius Rosenwald (1910); Joseph Stolz (1914), all of Chicago, Ill.; Samuel Woolner, Peoria, Ill. (1911).

Dist. VIII: Indiana, Kentucky, Ohio, West Virginia. 5 members: Louis Newberger, Indianapolis, Ind. (1910); Isaac W. Bernheim, Louisville, Ky. (1912); David Philipson, Cincinnati, O. (1914); J. Walter Freiberg, Cincinnati, O. (1911); E. M. Baker, Cleveland, O. (1913).

Dist. IX: New Jersey, Pennsylvania. 9 members: Cyrus Adler, Philadelphia, Pa. (1913); Isaac W. Frank, Pittsburg, Pa. (1912); Wm. B. Hackenburg (1914); B. L. Levinthal (1910); M. Rosenbaum (1910), all of Philadelphia, Pa.; Isador Sobel, Erie, Pa. (1911); Mayer Sulzberger, Philadelphia, Pa. (1913); A. Leo Weil, Pittsburg, Pa. (1914); Benjamin Wolf; Philadelphia, Pa. (1912).

Dist. X: Delaware, District of Columbia, Maryland, Virginia. 3 members. Harry Friedenwald, Baltimore, Md. (1910); Jacob H. Hollander, Baltimore, Md. (1910).

Dist. XI: Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, Vermont. 3 members: Isaac M. Ullman, New Haven, Conn. (1911); Lee M. Friedman, Boston, Mass. (1912); Harry Cutler, Providence, R. I. (1911).

Dist. XII: New York City. 25 members: Joseph Barondess (1912); Samuel Dorf (1911); Bernard Drachman (1913); Harry Fischel (1913); William Fischman (1913); Israel Friedlaender (1912); Daniel Guggenheim (1910); Samuel B. Hamburger (1912); Maurice H. Harris (1911); S. Jarmulowsky (1911); Nathan S. Jonas (1910); Leon Kamaiky (1913); Philip Klein (1911); Nathan Lamport (1912); Adolph Lewisohn (1915); J. L. Magnes (1915); M. Z. Margolies (1910); Louis Marshall (1910);

H. Pereira Mendes (1910); Solomon Neumann (1915); Jacob H. Schiff (1911); Bernard Semel (1912); P. A. Siegelstein (1915); Joseph Silverman (1913); Cyrus L. Sulzberger (1915).

Dist. XIII: New York (exclusive of the City). 2 members: Abram J. Katz, Rochester (1913); Simon W. Rosendale, Albany (1911).

Members at large: Nathan Bijur, New York City (1910); Isidor Straus, New York City (1910).

### THIRD ANNUAL MEETING NOVEMBER 14, 1909

The third annual meeting of the American Jewish Committee was held at the Hotel Astor, New York City, on Sunday, November 14, 1909. The President of the Committee, Judge Sulzberger, called the meeting to order, and the following report of the Executive Committee was read:

#### MEETINGS

Meetings have been held on January 1, March 13, August 25, and November 13, 1909.

#### DEATH, RESIGNATIONS, ETC.

Your Committee reports with regret the death, on December 8, 1908, of the member from District I, Moses H. Cone, Esq. At the meeting held on January 1, 1909, the following minute was adopted:

"The Executive Committee of the American Jewish Committee has learned with deep sorrow of the death of Moses H. Cone, of Greensboro, N. C., one of the original members of the Committee.

"The Committee herewith expresses its appreciation of the loyalty and understanding with which Mr. Cone placed his services at its disposal.

"A great merchant, the organizer of an important industry in a district far removed from the scene of Jewish activities, he was nevertheless ever ready to act for his people with vigor and devotion.

"By his unhappy taking off in the prime of life, the Committee has lost a valued supporter, the Jewish community a sympathetic

friend, and the country a public-spirited citizen."

As Mr. Felix Fuld, of Newark, N. J., who at the last annual meeting had been elected a member from District IX, declined to serve, the vacancy in that district was filled by the transfer of Dr. Cyrus Adler, who had removed from Washington to Philadelphia.

We beg to announce that during the year Messrs. Edward Lauterbach, Morris Loeb, Joseph H. Cohen, of District XII, and Emil G. Hirsch, of District VII, tendered their resignations, which were accepted with regret.

The terms of the following members expire this year:

District I, Montague Triest, Charleston;

District III, Isidore Newman, New Orleans; District IV, Morris M. Cohn, Little Rock;

District VI, Henry M. Butzel, Detroit, Victor Rosewater, Omaha; District VII, Edwin G. Foreman, Joseph Stolz, Chicago;

District VIII, David Philipson, Cincinnati;

District IX, William B. Hackenburg, Philadelphia; A. Leo Weil. Pittsburg.

Their successors should be elected at this meeting. Also, there are vacancies in Districts I and X, which should be filled.

Attention is again directed to the fact that Oklahoma is a state of the Union, and that no provision has been made for giving that state representation on the Committee, although Arizona and New Mexico are included in District III.

#### THE JEWISH COMMUNITY OF NEW YORK CITY

In accordance with the resolution adopted at the last annual meeting, approving a plan for the formation of the Jewish Community of New York City, the New York members held conferences with the representatives of the proposed organization for the consideration of methods of organization. These conferences were followed by a call to all Jewish organizations in New York City for a constituent convention. After several sessions held on February 27, and 28, March 6, and 27, and April 10, the convention adopted a Constitution, and elected an Executive Committee of twenty-five and an Advisory Council of seventy. The members of the Executive Committee, who, according to the plan approved by you, thus became members of the American Jewish Committee, are as follows: Joseph Barondess, Nathan Bijur, Benjamin Blumenthal, Samuel Dorf, Bernard Drachman, Harry Fischel, William Fischman, Daniel Guggenheim, Samuel B. Hamburger, S. Jarmulowsky, Nathan S. Jonas, Leon Kamaiky, Philip Klein, Nathan Lamport, J. L. Magnes, M. Z. Margolies, Louis Marshall, H. Pereira Mendes, Solomon Neumann, Jacob H. Schiff, Bernard Semel, P. A. Siegelstein, Joseph Silverman, Isidor Straus, and Cyrus L. Sulzberger. The recent election of Mr. Bijur as justice of the Supreme Court has, under the rules of the Community, created a vacancy which is to be filled by that body.

The relationship of the American Jewish Committee to the new body is established in Article V of the Constitution of the Jewish Community of New York City, as follows:

#### V. RELATIONSHIP TO THE AMERICAN JEWISH COMMITTEE

"1. The twenty-five members elected by the Jewish Community of New York City as the Executive Committee thereof, shall at the same time constitute District XII of the American Jewish Committee.

"2. The American Jewish Committee shall have exclusive jurisdiction over all questions affecting the Jews generally, not of a

purely local character.

"3. The Executive Committee of the Jewish Community of New York City shall have jurisdiction over all questions of a local character, or which shall specifically affect the New York Community itself, subject, however, to the right of any two members of the Executive Committee, who shall at the same time be members of the Executive Committee of the American Jewish Committee, to appeal to the latter from any action determined upon, if they shall certify that in their opinion the action proposed to be taken shall infringe upon the jurisdiction of the American Jewish Committee, in which event a special meeting of the Executive Committee of the latter shall be held within ten days to consider such appeal. All action by the New York Community as to the subject matter of the appeal shall be suspended until the decision of the appeal, which decision shall be final.

"4. It shall not be within the province of any member of the Executive Committee of the American Jewish Committee chosen from any other district, to take such appeal or to interfere with

the action of the New York Community.

"5. Any person, who shall have been elected a member of the American Jewish Committee, shall continue to complete his term of office in that Committee, and as ex-officio member of the Executive Committee of the Community of New York City, notwithstanding the fact that he may not have been re-elected a delegate."

#### ADVISORY COUNCILS

The formation of the Jewish Community of New York City superseded the Advisory Council for District XII. As considerable difficulty had been met with in organizing the advisory councils of the several districts, and as it was considered that New York's experiment might form a model for other communities, the work of perfecting the advisory councils has been suspended until such time as experience may prove whether New York's example will be followed elsewhere or not.

#### AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION

At the last annual meeting, the following resolution was passed: "That the Executive Committee be empowered to divide the present District No. XII into such districts as may be deemed expedient, and to make such other amendments to the Constitution as may be found necessary—such amendments to be submitted for ratification either to the next annual meeting of the General Committee, or to a special meeting, should one be called."

Accordingly, the following amendments to the Constitution are

hereby recommended:

"Under article entitled 'District Representation,' add the word 'City,' after 'New York,' change '17' to '25,' and add 'XIII, New York State, exclusive of the city, 2 members.'

"Under article entitled 'Members,' in line 1, after the word 'committee,' add the words, 'excepting members at large,' and add at the end of the second paragraph 'excepting that the Executive Committee of any organized community formed in accordance with the purposes of this Committee, and in the manner and upon the terms prescribed by it, shall constitute the members of the Committee from the District.'

"'At the annual meeting, members at large, not exceeding ten in number, may be elected who shall serve for one year, provided that not more than three shall be elected from any one district.'

"Under the article entitled 'Vacancies,' after the word 'occurs,' add 'or if not so filled, by the Committee at the annual meeting.'"

During the past year, your Committee pursued the same method for the collection of funds as was followed in previous years. According to a resolution of this Committee at its last annual meeting, the various districts were assessed as follows:

District	Quota	District	Quota
I	<b>\$200</b>	VII	\$1300
II	200	VIII	500
III	200	IX	1200
IV	200	$\mathbf{X}$	300
v	200	ΧI	500
VI	200	XII	5000

This year a plan of subscription was adopted in New York City and State by which the entire assessment was subscribed pavable in installments of fifty per cent immediately, twenty-five per cent at the expiration of six months, and the balance three months thereafter.

Your Committee is glad to be able to state that the support received from the other districts has been more satisfactory than heretifire, and hipes for the continuation of this interest on the part of the members.

#### THE PASSFORT QUESTION

Furnize the winter of 1988-9, your Committee watched with interest the process of the extradition proceedings brought by the Rissian determinent against Jan Janoff Pouren and Christian Rulifwith, two of her subjects who had sought an asylum in America. In their important features, both cases were practically similar. But Pouren and Rulifwith were charged by the Russian Generalment with the commission of murder and arson, criminal offenses which are extraditable under the treaty of 1887. Both refuses were acquitted of these charges after important and difficult legal cattles. Truing the trials of the refugees, there was considerable acitation from many quarters for the abrogation of the existing extradition treaty between this country and Russia. The importance of this move in relation to the passport question can be readily autorestated.

The present administration is pledged to bring about the final solution of that question. Mr. Rockhill, our ambassador at St. Petersturz, is especially charged with this task, and your Committee feels encouraged to hope that some progress will be made in regard to this much-discussed and important matter in the near future.

#### IN MIGRATION

Although several string restrictionist speeches were made in both houses of Congress firing the past year, no serious attempt was made to enact restrictive legislation, outside of the introduction of an amendment to the Tariff Bill providing for the increase of the immigrant head-tax from \$2 to \$10. As soon as this amendment was introduced, your Committee entered a vigorous protest against this attempt to enact piecemeal legislation on a matter of such importance and magnitude as immigration.

#### ELLIS ISLAND

For several months during the past summer the situation at Ellis Island was distressing, and necessitated some action on the part of your Committee. On May 18, 1969, William Williams was appointed by the President to succeed Robert Watchorn, resigned, as Commissioner of Immigration at the Port of New York. On June 30, 1969, Mr. Williams issued a notice to the steamship companies engaged in the transportation of immigrants to this country, in which he said, among other things, that "in most cases it will be unsafe for immigrants to arrive with less than

\$25 (besides railroad ticket to destination), while in many instances they should have more." This notice was also posted in the rooms of the Board of Special Inquiry, whose duty it is to consider individual cases and render a decision on the immigrant's right to enter the country. During July, the number of deportations on account of likelihood of becoming public charges was unprecedentedly large, being relatively double the number of deportations for the same month in 1908. This situation gave rise to much indignation and agitation on the part of the Yiddish press of New York City. Meanwhile, four immigrants who were about to be deported without due process of law secured counsel. and habeas corpus proceedings were instituted in their behalf by Messrs. Max J. Kohler and Abram I. Elkus. of the New York bar. Before the trial was concluded, however, the Commissioner reviewed the findings in the four cases and the immigrants were admitted.

Your Committee kept itself fully advised of everything that was done in connection with the matter, was able to furnish Messrs. Kohler and Elkus with valuable data to assist them in their cause, and bore the expense of printing their most valuable brief. A meeting was held in New York City on August 25, 1909, and after a thorough discussion, your Committee decided to call a conference of interested bodies for a discussion of the situation with a view to the publication of a statement of the conditions, in order to prevent aimless and baseless agitation. This Conference was held under the auspices of the Jewish Community of New York City, and prepared the following statement:

"In view of the recent agitation in the Jewish Press concerning the administration of the Immigration Law and the action of various bodies in bringing phases of this to the attention of the authorities, the American Jewish Committee, after a careful consideration of the subject by its Executive Committee, deemed it advisable and necessary to call a Conference, in New York City. of a few organizations interested in the subject. It therefore requested the Chairman of the New York Jewish Community to invite to such a Conference the representatives of the Grand Masters Association which had previously moved in the matter, the Grand Master of District No. 1 of the Independent Order of B'nai B'rith, a representative of the American Jewish Society for the Regulation of Immigration, and Max J. Kohler, Esq., of Counsel in a recent test case. These, with two representatives each, of the Community and the American Jewish Committee, met and exhaustively discussed the subject. It was felt that a decided misapprehension existed here and abroad on many points, and, in order to clarify the situation, a statement should be issued pointing out these misapprehensions.

"The Immigration Laws of the United States, aside from those dealing with Chinese (with which the present statement does not concern stelf), were primarily intended to regulate immigration. They are designed to exclude those persons only who would inflot injury upon the body politic, either physically, mentally or morally. They are arbitrarily exclusive solely of those who come within the definition of contract labor. Roughly speaking, there have been admitted into the United States within the past twenty years an average of nearly Section persons per annum, and there have been deported about 10 (40) per annum. The permanent addition to our population by reason of immigration by no means equals the number of immigrants, because there constantly is a large emigration, which in 1968 almost equalled the entire immigration for that year. What it is desired to point out in the first instance is, that the immigration laws of the United States are not restrictive but regulative, and that the statements, made here and abroad, to the contrary, are practically without foundation. The head tax has not been designed as a restrictive measure, but was intended to meet the cost of regulating immigration. portations, while constituting a small percentage of the total immigration and though in the aggregate inconsiderable, are naturally of the most serious importance to those directly involved as well as to their relatives and friends; yet it is fully believed that in a large majority of instances the deportations which have occurred were necessary under the law. Nor should it be forgotten that the law must be administered by individuals, and that the administrative processes employed, in view of the fact that the public welfare is involved, are from the very nature of the case more summary than American citizens are accustomed to expect where grave issues are involved.

"Recently, greater stringency has been exercised at the Port of New York in the interpretation of that clause of the Immigration Law which excludes those likely to become a public charge. In a group of cases manifest injustice had been done. Max J. Kohler and Abram I. Elkus, in behalf of certain individuals who had been ordered deported, secured from the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York writs of habeas corpus. Before the matter could be settled in court the findings were reviewed by order of the Commissioner of Immigration at the Port of New York, and the petitioners were admitted. The points made in the brief presented were that these immigrants were excluded under a notice of the Commissioner which indicated that it would be unsafe for immigrants to arrive with less than \$25; the notice of the Commissioner also stated that the applicants must likewise satisfy the authorities that they would not become charges on public or private charities, and that gifts to relatives after arrival, unless from parent to child, would be treated as private charity. It was contended that this notice had virtually the force of an instruction; that it was not warranted in law, and that it had undue influence upon Boards which were supposed to exercise quasi-judicial powers. It was argued that these instructions were illegal; that the members of the Boards of Special Inquiry were not free agents; that counsel was improperly denied before the Boards and on appeal; that evidence was improperly excluded on appeal by the Commissioner and illegal evidence admitted; and communication with relatives and friends unlawfully restrained.

"None of these points and others germane to the subject, which were elaborately discussed, were passed upon by the court for the reason already stated. Messrs. Kohler and Elkus, however, were invited to submit this brief to the Secretary of Commerce and Labor together with their views as to necessary reforms with regard to methods of administration, and they accordingly made suggestions, sixteen in number, looking to improvement of the situation. In view of this, and the fact that the situation has improved, it was the opinion of the Conference that further agitation directed against the officials having in charge the administration of the Immigration Law at the Port of New York was unwise.

"Changes are likely to be slowly made, however, especially because of the fact, which it is important to bear in mind for a variety of reasons, that a Congressional Commission was appointed more than two years ago to study the whole question of immigration. This Commission will, in all probability, make a report to the next session of Congress. No credence is to be given to the various forecasts of the report which have, from time to time, appeared in the daily press. The members of the Conference have full confidence in the ability and fairness of the Commission, but of course reserve the right to be heard before the Committees of Congress upon any bill based upon the report of this Commission. Instead of making charges against the administrative officials of the Government, at this time, the advisable course is to take up the matter with representatives in Congress, when the subject properly comes before that body.

"The increased stringency in the administration of the law, of which complaint has been made, has in fact produced a result much less striking than might have been supposed, in view of the recent agitation. Thus, for example, during the month of July, 1909, there were \$155 Jewish immigrants who came to the Port of New York, of whom 280 were deported, and although the number of deportations shows a larger percentage than during any previous like period, these figures do not justify the statement which has been made in a portion of the Jewish press. that

America is closed to the Jews. On the contrary, it is the firm opinion of the members of the Conference, that, whilst in the administration of the law, errors of judgment have undoubtedly occurred on the part of the Commissioner and of his subordinates, no race or religious prejudices have been evinced by them.

"A new point has recently arisen, with regard to tickets paid for with the money of others than the immigrants. and a most unwise agitation against the Commissioner of Immigration has been launched upon this point. In effect, the law imposes on the immigrant whose passage is paid in whole or in part with the money of another, in an emphatic way, the burden of proving that he does not belong to one of the excluded classes. In all cases arising under the statute the burden of proof is placed upon the immigrant, in that he must show that he does not belong to one of the excluded classes, but the rule is stated with greater emphasis with regard to those whose passage is prepaid by another, because of the probable presumption that such an immigrant is more likely to become a public charge. Here, therefore, the attack is not upon the administration of the law, but upon the law itself, a course which the Conference deems not only unwise but reprehen-There have, however, been occasional errors in adminissible. tering this provision of the law, because of error on the part of subordinate inspectors in construing it. They have, in some instances, erroneously confused this provision, concerning tickets paid for with the money of others, with 'prepaid tickets' generally, instead of confining it to cases where the money for the ticket, in whole or in part, was a gift to the immigrant. have also occasionally misconstrued the provision requiring affirmative evidence in such cases, overlooking the fact that it is the duty of the Boards of Special Inquiry to question such immigrants themselves so as to show that they are not within any of the prohibited classes, where such is the fact, and that the immigrant's own evidence, except in special cases, constitutes the requisite 'affirmative evidence.'

"The members of the Conference, while deeming it to be the proper policy to maintain the rights of those entitled under the law to enter our ports without let or hindrance, and to the extent of our power to resist any harsh, unwarranted or illegal interpretations of the law whenever brought to our notice, and whenever new legislation is proposed, as is likely, to take counsel with all interested in order to procure wise and humane laws and regulations, unite in the determination that they will not under any circumstances countenance any endeavor to land those who are not entitled under the laws to enter, even though in some cases such exclusions are repugnant to our sense of humanity. This conclusion is deemed to be correct not only because it is in recog-

nition of and obedience to the law, but because in a large sense the immigration policy of the United States has been so entirely humane that minor hardships must be endured in the interests of the many.

"Finally, it was the view of the Conference that it is advisable in the interest of intending immigrants that the confusion now prevailing in Jewish circles should cease, and to that end it was decided to make this statement in the interest of the immigrants. If any case of individual injustice, so far as the administration of Ellis Island is concerned, is brought to the attention of the Jewish Community of New York City, 356 Second Avenue, steps will be taken to procure a fair hearing. For any case outside of the Port of New York, complaints may be made to the American Jewish Committee, 356 Second Avenue, or to the Board of Delegates on Civil and Religious Rights of the Union of American Hebrew Congregations, care of Simon Wolf, Esq., Washington D. C."

#### AMERICAN JEWISH YEAR BOOK

Your Committee continues the preparation of the American Jewish Year Book, which is published by the Jewish Publication Society of America. The Year Book 5670 (1909-10) was issued in September last. It was considered advisable to supplement the material on the passport question printed in Year Book 5665 (1904-5), by printing in the current issue an article on "The Passport Question in Congress," which is a compilation of all the resolutions introduced into or passed by either branch of Congress, together with other documents pertinent thereto.

The experience of the Jews of New York City in connection with the formation of the New York Jewish Community, aside from the intrinsic importance of the event itself, may serve as a guide to other cities which may desire to form similar organizations. Notwithstanding the short period of its existence, the Jewish Community of New York City has proved itself an efficient and useful power in communal affairs. It has, therefore, been deemed advisable to print in the present issue of the Year Book an extended account of the manner of its formation, together with its constitution. Besides these special articles, and one on the Year 5669, by Albert M. Friedenberg, Esq., the Year Book contains the usual lists, calendars, and tables which have been found to be the most useful aids in Jewish communal work.

During the past year, the number of Jewish organizations of which we have information has been increased by upwards of four hundred. Besides this increase, numerous changes in older organizations have been noted, and the data now in the hands of your Committee will serve as a valuable basis for a new directory of organizations, to supersede the one which was compiled two

years ago, should this Committee decide to have a new directory prepared.

In view of the attention which has been attracted to the agricultural activities of the Jews in this country, it is expected that a special article in the next Year Book will deal with that subject.

#### INFORMATION AND STATISTICS

During the past year, your Committee has continued the practice of collecting, indexing and filing articles in the Jewish and general press, which are considered of value or interest to Jews. 2447 articles have been indexed and filed, and 3396 index cards have been written. At the present time, the number of articles which are on file in your office is 5637.

Besides these shorter articles, a few books have been purchased from time to time. Your Committee has continued to pay special attention to procuring data respecting immigration questions.

#### THE CENSUS BILL

On January 9, 1909, an amendment to the Census Bill was introduced providing that the census enumerators should ascertain. among other things, the race of all inhabitants of the United States. As the classification of races adopted by the United States Immigration Commission would most probably have been used, and as this classification is, in the opinion of many members of the Committee, open to serious objections, it was deemed proper to protest against the inclusion of the word "race" in the Census Bill.

To our Government, American citizens are natural-born or naturalized. It should know no further distinctions, and as the bulk of the population are American citizens and residents of the United States who aspire to citizenship, racial questions have no place in the census.

For this reason, your Committee deemed it important to protest against the investigation of race affiliations by the Census Bureau. The Bill was referred to a conference committee of both houses of Congress, and the word "race" was eliminated from the Census Bill.

#### ASSOCIATED PRESS

The situation of the Jews in Finland, though of importance and another indication of Russia's policy of oppression, was not published in the daily papers served by the Associated Press, until your Committee had drawn their attention to it. felt by your Committee that Russian matters and, especially, Russian-Jewish matters were not receiving the attention from the press which their importance and interest would seem to warrant. Your Committee accordingly addressed a letter to the Directors of the Associated Press, calling their attention to the noticeable paucity of Russian and Russian-Jewish news reaching this country. Your Committee was assured that the matter would be looked into and that, if possible, the service would be improved.

#### FINLAND

During the winter of 1908-9, a policy of oppression and expulsion of the Jews was inaugurated by the Government of Finland. Your Committee, on being apprised by cablegrams from the Hilfsverein der deutschen Juden that the situation was critical and distressing, immediately gave the report wide publicity in the daily press of the United States. Notwithstanding these efforts and those of our co-religionists in other countries, no substantial improvement in these conditions has been reported. Shechitah has been prohibited, and restrictions of the right of residence of other than native-born Jews to periods of three months, or, by special permit, six months, have been imposed and do not appear to have been removed.

#### THE WASHINGTON OFFICE

The Washington office has been continued and has proved of great usefulness in keeping us informed of affairs in Washington.

#### RUSSIA

On July 7, 1909, despatches were published in several papers, reporting a Jewish massacre in Bessarabia. Your Committee promptly communicated with the Department of State for confirmation of the report, and was informed that the Consul at Odessa, in a cablegram to the Department, reported the rumor unfounded. The Jewish press was apprised of the contents of the cablegram, and much anxiety was thus allayed.

Upon receipt of reports of a massacre at Kieff, in September, 1909, the Department of State was again communicated with, and we were informed that the rumors were founded on a slight disturbance, which had been immediately quieted without any serious results.

#### BOUMANIA

The recent political imbroglio in the Balkan peninsula seemed to offer an opportunity for a move toward the emancipation of the Jews in Roumania. For several months during the past winter, there was talk of a conference of the Powers signatory to the Berlin Treaty in order to consider the breach of that treaty

by Austria and Bulgaria. The former had annexed two Turkish principalities, Bosnia and Herzegovina, and the latter had declared its independence of the suzerainty of Turkey. As Roumania was made a sovereign state by the Treaty of Berlin, and as, in its treatment of the Jews, it has been consistently violating one of the most important articles of that treaty, this Committee in common with the Alliance Israélite of France, the Conjoint Foreign Committee of England, and the Hilfsverein of Berlin, thought that it would be well to make an attempt to bring this matter to the attention of the proposed conference of the Powers. Both the English and the French organizations addressed their respective Governments on the matter, and both met with the reply that the alleged disabilities of the Jews in Roumania would be investigated, but that this subject was not germane to the matters which a conference of the Powers would be called upon to consider.

Your Committee learned also that this Government had in view the negotiation of a treaty of extradition with Roumania. This was considered as another opening for the consideration of the Jewish question in that country, and your Committee, therefore, addressed a letter to the Department of State asking for a confirmation of the report that such a treaty was contemplated, and that if such were the case, your Committee be permitted to present a memorial on the subject, before any negotiations were concluded. The Department of State replied that the Minister to Roumania was charged with the negotiation of such a treaty upon his arrival at his post. But no further advices have been received as to the progress of the negotiations.

#### THE ITALIAN EARTHQUAKE

In common with other organizations of its kind, your Committee viewed with profound sorrow the disaster which befell Italy due to the earthquake in Sicily and Calabria in December, 1908. The question of rendering assistance to the Italian people who were made homeless and destitute by the disaster was discussed at some length. It was determined that, as the collecting of funds was in the hands of a capable organization, the American Red Cross Association, the following appeal be issued to the Jewish people:

"The American Jewish Committee, in executive session assembled, expresses its deep sympathy with the Italian people in their distress. On behalf of American Jewry, it sends the Italian people messages of encouragement and brotherhood, with the prayer that they may be strong and hopeful of the future.

"We call upon the Jews of America to open wide their purses and to contribute what they can to the funds now being gathered by the American Red Cross Association. Let every Jew do his duty by his stricken Italian brother.

"Contributions should be sent to the nearest local Red Cross treasurer, or to the National Red Cross treasurer at Washington. D. C."

#### CONCLUSION

Notwithstanding the present conditions of the Jews in Russia and Roumania, there seems to be room for the hope that, with the aid of Western governments, and the gradual development of a larger spirit of liberality in the countries of oppression, there may soon come the beginning of a movement which will ultimately, though slowly, tend to the betterment of conditions. require the best efforts of all friends of liberty and justice everywhere to obtain even small results in a short time.

#### ACTION ON THE REPORT

On motion, the annual report of the Executive Committee was received.

On motion of Dr. Adler, the minute of the Executive Committee in regard to the death of Moses H. Cone. of Greensboro, was adopted by the Committee as expressive of the esteem in which Mr. Cone was held.

The amendments to the Constitution of the Committee recommended by the Executive Committee in its report were discussed and adopted as follows:

"Under article entitled 'District Representation,' add the word 'City' after 'New York,' change '17' to '25,' and add 'XIII New York State, exclusive of the city, 2 members.'

"Under the article entitled 'Members,' in line one, after the word 'committee,' add the words, 'excepting members at large'; and add at the end of the first paragraph: 'In District XII the Executive Committee of the Jewish Community of New York City, not more than twenty-five in number, shall constitute the members from that District.' At the end of the second paragraph of the same article, add: 'At the annual meeting, upon nomination by the Executive Committee, members at large, not exceeding ten in number, may be elected, who shall serve for one year, provided that not more than five shall be elected from any one District.'

"Under the article entitled 'Vacancies,' at the end of the second paragraph, add: 'In default of action by the Advisory Councils. vacancies in the Committee may be filled at the annual meeting."

The report of the treasurer was read, and, on motion of Mr. Marshall, it was accepted and ordered audited. The Chairman appointed Messrs. Henry Fischel and Joseph Barondess, both of New York City, auditors.

It was resolved that the respective districts be assessed for the ensuing year as follows:

District	Quota	District	Quota
I	\$200	VII	\$1300
ΙĪ	200	VIII	500
III	200	IX	1200
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v	200	XI	500
VΪ	200	XII	5000
		XIII	500

Officers were elected as given on p. 338.

The following were elected to fill vacancies or expired terms: District I: Montague Triest, Charleston, to succeed himself, term expiring 1914.

District III: Isidore Newman, New Orleans, to succeed himself. term expiring 1914. (Maurice Stern, of New Orleans, has been elected to succeed Mr. Newman, who died November 30, 1909.)

District IV: Morris M. Cohn, Little Rock, to succeed himself,

term expiring 1914.

District VI: Henry M. Butzel, Detroit, and Victor Rosewater.

Omaha, to succeed themselves, term expiring 1914.

District VII: Edwin G. Foreman and Joseph Stolz, Chicago, to succeed themselves, term expiring 1914; M. E. Greenebaum, Chicago, to succeed Emil G. Hirsch, resigned, term expiring 1913.

District VIII: David Philipson, Cincinnati, to succeed himself. term expiring 1914.

District IX: William B. Hackenburg, Philadelphia; A. Leo Weil, Pittsburg, to succeed themselves, term expiring 1914.

There being no other nominations, the Secretary was requested to cast one ballot for all the nominees of the Committee on Nominations.

Upon the request of Mr. Weil, it was resolved that his election by the Committee be subject to the action of the Advisory Council of his District, to whom the question of electing a successor to himself should be referred. The Secretary announced that the Executive Committee recommended the election of Nathan Bijur and Isidor Straus as members at large. Elected unanimously.

After a discussion of the general welfare of the Committee, it was resolved that the address delivered by Louis Marshall, Esq., on January 20, 1909, before the Union of American Hebrew Congregations, and a copy of the Third Annual Report, together with a letter of transmittal, be widely distributed.

It was also resolved that a standing Committee on Immigration be appointed to endeavor to co-ordinate the work of the various bodies engaged in guarding the interests of immigrants. Mr. Bijur, Mr. Kamaiky, and Mr. Barondess were appointed on this Committee, with Mr. Marshall as counsel.

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#### MEETING OF THE TWENTY-SECOND YEAR

The annual meeting of The Jewish Publication Society of America was held Sunday evening, May 22, 1910, in the Assembly Hall of the Keneseth Israel Temple, Broad Street, above Columbia Avenue, Philadelphia, Pa.

The President of the Society, Mr. Edwin Wolf, called the meeting to order. Mr. I. George Dobsevage, of Philadelphia, was elected Secretary of the meeting. The President then read his annual address.

#### PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS

#### Ladies and Gentlemen:

It is my pleasant duty to welcome you to this meeting, which marks the beginning of the twenty-third year of the existence of The Jewish Publication Society of America.

Our first moment together should be dedicated to the memory of our co-worker, Professor Charles Gross, the eminent historian, who, as a member of our Publication Committee since its inception, rendered most important service to the Society.

The fiscal year just closed was, in many ways, prosperous for the Society. Our membership was never so large, and our financial condition never more satisfactory. We have concluded the year with a bona fide membership of nearly fifty-five hundred, about ten hundred more than last year, having enrolled over eighteen hundred new members. What is more, we have succeeded in establishing an accurate basis for computing our membership, so that the figures just quoted represent a solid clientèle. Even our delinquents are fewer in number, and have been less tardy with their remittances.

The new members were secured mainly through the efforts of several agents working under the direction of the office, though a not inconsiderable number was enrolled by friends of the Society. We are especially grateful to Rabbi J. H. Hertz, of South Africa, who has been a tireless worker in our behalf, and who has increased our membership on that far-away Continent, until it now exceeds the total membership in such States as Arkansas, Colorado, Florida, Georgia, Indiana, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Michigan, Oregon, Texas, Wisconsin, and several others.

tucky, Louisiana, Michigan, Oregon, Texas, Wisconsin, and several others. The magnitude of the task in which the National Committee on Membership is engaged, necessarily implies slow progress in the beginning, but I am advised that a number of interested gentlemen in various States have kindly consented to co-operate with us in our propaganda, and in the coming year we should reap an abundant harvest.

We had a larger income from dues during the past year than ever before, but what is particularly gratifying is the fact that our sales of books are steadily increasing. The amount realized on our older publications during the last year was almost double the amount in any of the four preceding years, and three times as large as that of five years ago. A commentary on the views of those who, years ago, warned the Society not to risk destruction by publishing Graets's "History of the Jews," is the fact that Graets still continues to be our best seller. The sales of this History, during the last year, amounted to \$4324.00.

Another index to progressive activity is that our expenditures for publications were greater than ever, almost double the amount, for instance, spent four years ago, and somewhat more than that of last year. However, we met all of our obligations for the year, we paid the billis left from the year preceding, and even advanced money for subsequent publications. A considerable sum was spent in reprinting new editions of a number of our older publications. We conclude the year with a fair balance in the treasury, and several thousand dollars still due to us.

In spite of the five-foot-plus-book-shelf of Jewish books which we have already set up, we have only begun our work. There is so much ahead that will require the moral and financial support of American Jews, that, unless our membership is materially increased, and our working capital augmented, we shall be correspondingly retarded in our progress. We have still the problem of securing funds in order to realize our dream of "a Jewish English Bible in every Jewish home." We are in need of money with which to publish the proposed Jewish Commentary to the Bible, and if this meeting adopts the proposed amendments upon which you will be asked to vote to-night, we shall require still more to carry out the changes in our policy which their acceptance will inaugurate.

You have all received the four publications issued by the Society since May 1, 1909. Last year I referred to Professor Ginzberg's great work, "The Legends of the Jews," of which Volume I has appeared. Volume II is ready for delivery, and will be in the hands of our members in a few days. The Society hopes to issue, at an early date, the volume containing the introduction, Notes, and Index to Professor Ginzberg's work, so that the reader and the scholar may be in a better position to judge of the full value of this remarkable product of scholarship.

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The second book of the year, "The American Jewish Year Book," edited by Dr. Herbert Friedenwald, is one of our most valuable publications, as it is the only authoritative Jewish reference annual in America.

In Dr. Nahum Slouschz's "Renascence of Hebrew Literature," done into English by our secretary, Miss Henrietta Szold, the members found a volume which afforded them the welcome and perhaps novel information that our ancient mother tongue occupies a distinct place as a literary vehicle among modern languages.

"Philo-Judæus of Alexandria," the third in our Jewish Worthies Series, was our last book. The author, Mr. Norman Bentwich, a young man of remarkable promise, has carefully studied the life, times, and work of Philo, and has admirably succeeded in giving a frank presentation of the Hellenistic Jewish philosopher.

The books for the coming year will include, in addition to the second volume of "The Legends of the Jews," and the "American Jewish Year Book for 5671,"—the latter to contain, as special features, articles on "Jews in Agriculture in the United States," and "Jewish Immigration

to the United States,"—a biographical essay on the great Hebrew poet Leon Gordon, by Rabbi Abraham B. Rhine; a juvenile on the early life of Moses Mendelssohn, by Dr. A. S. Isaacs, and a volume of selections in prose and poetry suitable for Jewish homes and schools, by Mrs. Marion L. Misch. Among the books which are to follow in subsequent years are a volume of essays by the eminent Jewish thinker Ahad Ha'am; "A History of the Jews," by Professor Israel Friedlaender; an anthology, consisting of translations from the best Yiddish writers, prepared by Helena Frank; "'The Book of Delight' and Other Papers," by Professor Israel Abrahams; the first monograph in our Movement Series, on "Pharisaism," by Dr. Joseph Eschelbacher, of Berlin, and a book entitled "The Jews among the Greeks and Romans," by Dr. Max Radin. Under advisement, and in the course of preparation, the Publication Committee reports biographies of Hillel, Saadla, and Josephus.

The progress made by the Society during the twenty-two years of its existence may seem to have been slow. We have not yet reached the point of being able to publish as many works yearly as we should like. In a large community there are many shades of opinion, of capacity, and of taste, and the ideal consummation would be to put out books that Practically, however, this is impossible. should please everybody. this impossibility is not so serious a drawback as it seems. many agencies for public instruction. We have a Jewish pulpit and a Jewish press more vigorous than at any previous period in our history, and these powerful agencies are well adapted for spreading that popular knowledge of Jewish subjects which meets the demand of great num-Our special function is at once narrower and broader. devolves the task of introducing into our community the gradual perception and appreciation of our national Jewish literature and the creation and development of an English section of it. That this task cannot be made universally popular is a truism.

While popular knowledge works evenly among the mass, literature begins at the intellectual summit and works downwards. When these facts are considered, we must not expect too much. A healthy and steady advance in support is all we can expect, and in that respect we have only the usual right to desire, hopefully, a large increase of receipts, and the consequent enlargement of output and of usefulness.

The Bible Translation is progressing excellently. Dr. Max Margolis has completed his task as chief translator, and the Board of Editors have held several sessions for the revision of the translation. We owe thanks to these learned scholars who, at a great expense of time and effort, are working earnestly and eagerly to make possible a truly Jewish English Bible. It will require but a few more sessions to complete the revision. It is our sincere hope that Jews of all classes will assist us in publishing this version of the Bible. Our Christian neighbors, only a few months ago, raised \$1,000,000.00 for the wider dissemination of Protestant Our Bible Fund amounts to \$3,000.00. We need \$50,000.00. May we depend upon American Jewry to supply this sum during the year? I am certain that for the sake of our sacred history, there will be found among our people, men who will volunteer moral and financial support. with which to carry on our work to a glorious future.

#### REPORT OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR 1909-1910

The Report of the Board of Trustees was as follows:

The Jewish Publication Society of America has concluded its

twenty-second year.

The Board of Trustees elected the following officers: Treasurer, Henry Fernberger, of Philadelphia; Secretary, Lewis W. Steinbach, of Philadelphia; Assistant Secretary, I. George Dobsevage, of Philadelphia; Secretary to the Publication Committee, Henrietta Szold, of New York.

The following were chosen members of the Publication Committee: Mayer Sulzberger, of Philadelphia; Cyrus Adler, of Washington; Henry Berkowitz, of Philadelphia; Solomon Solis Cohen, of Philadelphia; Herbert Friedenwald, of New York; Israel Friedlaender, of New York; Felix N. Gerson, of Philadelphia; Charles Gross, of Cambridge, Mass.; Max Heller, of New Orleans; Jacob H. Hollander, of Baltimore; Joseph Jacobs, of New York; J. L. Magnes, of New York; Leon S. Moisseiff, of New York; David Philipson, of Cincinnati; Solomon Schechter, of New York; Samuel Schulman, of New York; Oscar S. Straus, of Constantinople; Samuel Strauss, of New York. Mayer Sulzberger was elected by the Committee as its Chairman.

#### REPORT OF THE TREASURER

Showing Receipts and Disbursements from May 1, 1909, to April 30, 1910

Henry Fernberger, Treasurer,
In account with The Jewish Publication Society of America.

Dr.				
To Balance, as audited, May 21, 1909			\$4,897	55
To cash received to date:				
Members' dues Sales of Books. Interest Year Book Account. Special Capital Fund.	\$16,086 4,639 997 1,552 1,300	92 99 72		
Bible Fund	2,160	00		
			26,736	63
Cr.			\$31,634	18
By disbursements to date:				
Canvassers' and Collectors' commissions	\$2,656	62		
Salaries of Secretaries	3,949			
from office	2,315	94		
Cost of publications, authors' fees, etc	13,364			
Bible Fund	3,552	78		
			25,839	39
Balance Balance deposited with Fidelity Trust Co.:			\$5,794	79
General Fund	1,193	36		
Permanent Fund	400			
Bible Fund	2,901			
Special Capital Fund	1,300	00		
			\$5.794	79

Respectfully submitted,
(Signed) Henby Fernberger,
Treasurer.

May 1, 1910.

#### PERMANENT FUND

The Permanent Fund amounts to \$18,202.53  Michael Heilprin Memorial Fund:  Donation of Jacob H. Schiff  Donation of Meyer Guggenheim	.\$5,000	00		
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Morton M. Newburger Memorial Fund				
Bequest of J. D. Bernd			500	
Donations				
Life Membership Fund				
Bequest of Lucien Moss				
Bequest of Simon A. Stern				
Bequest of A. Heineman	• • • • • •	• • •	90	72
Total		• • •	\$18,402	53
The Permanent Fund is invested as follo	ws:			
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The accounts of the Treasurer and of the Assistant Secretary have been examined and found correct. The cash and securities have been examined and found correct.

ADOLPH EICHHOLZ, EDWARD LOEB.

Philadelphia, May 19, 1910.

#### STATEMENT OF MEMBERSHIP

Alabama 31	New York1825
Arizona 3	North Carolina 12
Arkansas 7	Ohio 181
California 161	Oklahoma 9
Colorado 26	Oregon 15
Connecticut 79	Pennsylvania1363
Delaware 17	Rhode Island 18
District of Columbia 52	South Carolina 12
Florida 8	South Dakota 2
Georgia 20	Tennessee 16
Idaho 1	Texas 41
Illinois 171	Utah 10
Indiana 34	Virginia 126
Iowa 16	Washington 15
Kansas 12	West Virginia 13
Kentucky 31	Wisconsin 29
Louisiana 39	Australia 2
Maine 2	Austria 2
Maryland 330	Canada 64
Massachusetts 162	Central America 1
Michigan	Cuba 1
Minnesota 22	Dutch West Indies 1
Mississippi	England 5
Missouri 72	France 2
Montana 9	Germany 5
Nebraska 7	Mexico 1
	Portugal 1
	South Africa 44
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New Jersey 288	m-4-1
New Mexico 7	Total5486
Life Members	
Library Members	
Special Members	
Annual Members	
Annual Members	
Total	5486

Mr. Wolf appointed Mr. William B. Hackenburg, Mr. Edward Stern, and Mr. David W. Amram, all of Philadelphia, a Committee on Nomination of officers and trustees.

#### PROGRESS OF BIBLE REVISION

Dr. Cyrus Adler, as chairman of the Board of Editors in charge of the new translation of the Bible, made an informal report on the progress of the work. The translators had finished the translation up to Isaiah, Chapter 22. The work was progressing rather slowly from the viewpoint of the public, but from that of the editors it was going along rapidly. The completion of the work depended largely upon the number of meetings held by the Editorial Board. It would be easily two years before the work could be completed.

# REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON REPORT OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES

The Committee appointed to consider the report of the Board of Trustees consisted of Mr. Isaac Hassler, Rev. Dr. Julius H. Greenstone, and Mr. Charles E. Fox, all of Philadelphia.

To the Members of The Jewish Publication Society:

Our task of review and criticism of the account of the stewardship of our Board of Trustees is this year a relatively easy one. You will have gathered from their report that there has been a general improvement in the Society's work and status during the year, and so our utterance or the subject, speaking for the general membership, must be chiefly applause.

The Society should be judged by its publications. There is no room for doubt that the books which received the imprimatur of the Society this year satisfied all except casual critics, here and there, who ar always ready to insist that they have better ideas than the combine judgment of the Publication Committee and the Board of Trustees.

Reference was made in the report of the Committee last year t Volume I of Professor Louis Ginzberg's work, "The Legends of the Jews, and further detailed notice is unnecessary. When this is completed by th publication of the other volumes, one of which is promised shortly, th Society will have erected another monument of literary and Jewish in portance. The excellence of the work is shown by the favor with whic it was received by the different elements in the community; the casus reader and the specialist, the folklorist and the poet, find in it entertainment, instruction, and raw material for further Jewish work.

We are constrained to refer, however, to one thing which was con mented upon in the report of last year. The publications of the Societ for the various years should not overlap. If Volume I of this work considered as belonging to the year 1908-1909, it cannot then be con sidered a publication of the year 1909-1910. If the plan is to give our members a specific number of books every year, it should be adhered i rigidly. From the business point of view it is not wise to announce that

four books will be given every year when in fact only three and a half are issued.

The "Year Book," edited by Dr. Herbert Friedenwald, continues to be as useful as heretofore. It serves an important purpose in the variety of information and the excellent articles on current subjects which it presents. The Jewish community of the United States is in a constant state of development and increase, and the "Year Book" serves as a valuable compendium of information of interest, which will prove serviceable in the future.

The creation of a wider knowledge, among English-speaking Jews, of important movements in Jewry (which is certainly one of the purposes of The Jewish Publication Society) is well served by Dr. Nahum Slouschz's book, "The Renascence of Hebrew Literature." That the Jew has a literary life of distinct color, and that a quasi-Jewish literature is being created in the vernacular of the environment is, of course, common knowledge; but that a Jewish literature of more indigenous character, using the ancient tongue for its vehicle, and writing in all the forms which appeal to the modern brain, throbs and lives and grows in ample dimension: that it has writers of importance, from the Jewish point of view as well as from that of general literature; of these facts many in American Jewry are almost unconscious and the general public wholly uninformed. What could more strikingly illustrate the vitality of the Jew, of his language, than such a book, descriptive of the rebirth, or what might better be called the re-awakening, of an individual liebrew literature. Of course, the translation by Miss Henrietta Szoid is, like all of her work, what a good rendition should be. We hope one day to review a work by Miss Szoid entirely her own.

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Again, with Philo, the last book of the year, it is difficult to keep the praise toned down to a moderate statement. Our object is not merely the creation of light literature, but also one with a serious purpose. We always have an educational object in view, i. e., to cultivate in the Jew a knowledge of those things which he should know, and to develop in him a capacity of delight in, and a taste for, the products of the Jewish genius. It must be admitted that Philo has been greatly neglected by Jews. To publish, then, an account of him, at once scholarly and comprehensive, in research and fact, illuminated by discriminating criticism of his point of view, is noteworthy. It is written in a charming and easy style. It is a book which will help to re-locate one of our great men in the reverence and affections of the Jewish people. To have accomplished the multum in the parvo of a small volume, which not even the most indifferent will neglect, and, glancing at, can resist reading, is highly commendable.

Moreover, the Society does the great service (the importance of which is often overlooked) of introducing to the world of letters a young writer from whom we are sure to hear again. The encouragement of writers who would otherwise find it difficult to secure an outlet for their Jewish work is undoubtedly one of the essential purposes which the Society subserves.

As to the membership, it is gratifying to learn of the increase. Yet, while an improvement over the immediately preceding year, 5500 members is not enough to grow enthusiastic over. The fact that 1800 new members were enrolled without large improvement in the average total of recent years, indicates the urgent necessity of constant attention to our

membership. Last year this Committee made a number of suggestion this regard. How far these have been acted upon we are unable to We know that a local committee, under the able direction of Mr. Ho Stern, secured good results in Philadelphia and vicinity. We also le that Rabbi Hertz has done admirable work in South Africa. The Rep of the Board of Trustees states that the new members were secu mainly through the efforts of paid agents. The Society, however, can depend upon paid agents only. There are intimations that a number men in various States have consented to co-operate in the members propaganda. Volunteer committees may be made to do useful work, h nevertheless, it is everybody's experience in this class of work that ma men will declare themselves interested and never accomplish any resul It is easy to secure enthusiastic acceptance and promises of active co-ope tion, but, somehow, the members fail to come in. We cited last year cases of such cities as Chicago, Pittsburg, Cincinnati, Cleveland, St. Lou New Orleans, which furnish a ridiculously small number of members to tl Society. We urge that the most energetic members of our Board of Tri tees, our Honorary Vice-Presidents, and our Publication Committee, gi their attention to the work and be held responsible for results. made a number of suggestions, some of which were undoubtedly born the ease with which suggestions can be made to other people as to he work should be done, but still we think that some of these suggestion were valuable. We concluded a rather lengthy harangue on this vit subject, with this thought:

"But over and above every suggestion which is made, we emphasite necessity of giving this matter attention at once and of persisting it on a clearly defined policy in charge of a committee of the Board, we shall pursue it vigorously, organizing the big cities and not neglecting the smaller towns tributary to them, in which the occasional member if found; and we ask that by the next annual meeting the report of the Society's affairs shall show that this membership feature, vital to it growth and free operation, as far as funds are concerned, has been those unphily and effectively organized by the Board, and that our membership to 7500 by next year instead of less than 5000."

We make bold to ask whether this clearly defined policy has been de termined and pursued consistently, untiringly. We find no report as to whether the big cities that we used as illustrations of delinquency have been organized for the work, and show any result. It must be that there are men in these communities who, under the spur of some zealous member of our official staff, would galvanize their community into commensurate response to the noble work of our Society. Who doubts that Who doubts that these large communities can be there are such men? awakened to our legitimate demands? Of course, it will be said, "It is hard to get the men," but these can be obtained by consistent, sustained. persistent effort; and it is true that this persistent, unflagging effort must find its dynamo originally in the Home Office, among the officers. Haphazard schemes, sporadic impulses, will not suffice for a Society twenty-odd years old. We should like to see, as we have said, a comprehensive plan, wisely worked out, formulated, and then carried out with every ounce of power and energy which the executive abilities of the men in charge command, year in and year out. The fine showing of this year must not be permitted to lapse. It is, after all, a good beginIn this connection we call attention, without further comment,

to a suggestion made last year:

"It might be well to make provision for honorary directorships, so that a trustee serving, say fifteen years, or any period of time, if elected by the annual meeting, who desired to give up the post, should not be lost to the Society, but opportunity might be afforded for the addition of new strength, particularly in localities where we are bent upon increasing our membership."

On the whole, we regret to note that the Board apparently has not given full attention to the suggestions of this Committee, which, in a measure, represents the point of view of the general membership.

With respectful obstinacy, we mention as one of the desiderata the publication of a popular Jewish magazine, the failure to suggest which would show us lacking in our sense of the duty of traditional, if futile, relteration, and with the same fatuous optimism, distinguishing this Committee in the past, we hope for the presentation of the plan of such a magazine at the next annual meeting.

The Bible Translation, of course, is the magnum opus. It is a pleasure to learn that the revision is almost complete. The fund to publish this, which has stood still for a long time, must be raised to adequate proportions, but there can be but little doubt that the Jews of the country will respond as they should in financial support for the promotion of this great undertaking.

In connection with the increased membership, the large sales of books of the Society, which are constantly increasing, are ample assurance of the importance of our publications. That a book so foundational as Graetz's History is the best seller, is a striking indication of the existence of a healthy Jewish sentiment and a testimonial to the Society which carried through successfully the project for English-speaking Jews. The sales of Jewish books, of course, open a wide avenue of possibility to the Society. The suggested amendment to the By-Laws furthers the development of this more mercantile side of the Society's business, by no longer making it requisite that every member shall necessarily receive a copy of every book that may be undertaken. The Board of Trustees. in accordance with the amendment, if adopted, would be the arbiters of what the members of the Society should receive. Greater elasticity in management and the reaping of the best results is thus given to the Society.

The prospect which the report unfolds for the near future discloses interesting additions to the Society's growing library of valuable Jewish publications. There are works of scholarly interest, of school and adult interest, of prose and poetry, of didactic essays, anthologies, biographies, histories, which promise, in short, the immense variety which should meet every taste and need. We would particularly emphasize the need of the "History of the Jews," at once brief and comprehensive, which is promised from the pen of Professor Israel Friedlaender. The continuation of the "Jewish Worthies" series is also valuable, as conveying history through biographical study of historic personalities.

We must conclude that our affairs are well managed, and to the President and his coadjutors of the Board and to the other members of the working force our thanks are due. Occasionally some are inclined to forget the difficulties of the task which confront our Trustees. have to find the writers and the books; they have to sift out the wheat from the chaff; they must create and hold the constituency of members and increase it; and, producing a worthy literature, they must at the same time please heterogeneous opinions and dissimilar tastes. Occasional criticism of their work represents, as a rule, no more than the conceded proposition that they are not infallible. Such criticisms as are offered with the assurance that better material could be published are usually only the carp of the zealous flaw-seeker or the gratuitous venture of the uninitiated and the inexperienced. It is so easy to talk, but when it is all said and done, this Society has published a considerable library of Jewish books, many of them of the highest class, all of them of value, both from a literary and a Jewish point of view. It continues to be served by the wisdom and devotion of a loyal bodyguard, and it has projects in hand of constantly increasing importance. It remains one of the most valuable and valued of our national institutions.

It was moved that the report be referred to the Board of Trustees for such action as it might deem desirable.

The motion was adopted.

The Committee was then discharged with thanks.

At the request of the presiding officer brief addresses were made by Mr. Seligman J. Strauss, of Wilkes-Barre; Rev. Dr. Julius H. Greenstone, of Philadelphia; and Rev. Dr. Henry Berkowitz, of Philadelphia.

The address of the evening was delivered by Miss Henrietta Szold, of New York, who spoke on "The Progress of Jewish Education in the Orient."

#### AMENDMENTS ADOPTED

Upon the motion of Mr. Ephraim Lederer, who explained that by the provisions of two amendments to be voted upon by the Society, this body would be enabled to engage in the publication of books other than those issued to the members, the following amendments to the charter and to the by-laws were adopted.

1. Amend the second paragraph of the Charter, by striking out all after the words "Jewish religion" and substituting therefor "and in Jewish history and literature," so that the second paragraph will read, "The said Corporation is formed for the support of a benevolent educational undertaking, namely, for the publication and dissemination of literary, scientific, and religious works, giving instruction in the principles of the Jewish religion and in Jewish history and literature."

2. Amend Article 6, Section 1, of the By-Laws, so that it should read: "Every member of the Society shall receive a copy of its publications approved by the Board of Trustees for distribution among the members."

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The Committee on Nominations presented the following nominations:

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The Secretary was instructed to cast the unanimous ballot of the meeting for the nominees, and the Chairman declared them duly elected.

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On motion, the meeting adjourned.

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