SIX MILLION OPEN GATES



"Dr. Levin, in the course of his talk, expressed the opinion that six million Jews of Eastern Europe are doomed to perish."

- Jewish Telegraphic Agency, February 20, 1930.













SIX MILLION OPEN GATES

By S.A.R. Lynch

"This is called "the purple earth." It shines with every kind of light that proceeds from hashmal. In this earth are sunk twelve thousand myriads of pearls, sunk in this earth and reaching as far as the eastern gate. There there are six million open gates, and Anael is the chief guardian of them."

- Zohar Hadash, Yitro, 38d

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The majority of newspaper articles reproduced in this book have been reformatted to make the text as large as possible. An article which fills a column 2 inches x 28 inches, i.e. the entire length of a broadsheet newspaper page, would not be legible in this book (produced on Microsoft Word, A4 sized pages) in its original form. In some cases, I've also tidied-up the articles, by deleting ink stains or smudges, but not a single letter of a single word has been altered in any of the articles reproduced in this book.

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On December 14, 1945, the world learned that six million Jews had been murdered by the Nazis. It was on that day, in the German city of Nuremberg, that the signed confession of a SS Major was presented as evidence at the trial of the major Nazi war criminals, in which he had admitted; that six million, was the number of Jews the Nazis themselves had estimated to have murdered.

But in reality, December 14, 1945 wasn't when the world learnt that the Nazis had murdered six million Jews. As prominent Zionist leaders had been repeatedly proclaiming that six million Jews had been murdered by the Nazis since the latter months of 1944. Over a year before the Nuremberg trial even started.

September 29, 1944, is the earliest published claim that six million Jews had been murdered, this author has found. August 13, 1943 is the latest (of many) predictions that six million Jews would be killed, this author has found. I'm not including here the writer who was bold enough to claim in January 1939, that Hitler had already killed six million Jews!

Further research has revealed an undeniable Jewish, or more precisely; Zionist, obsession with the exact number of six million Jews, being on the verged of death, dating back to 1915, or arguably even earlier. This undeniable obsession was first hinted at by the rediscovered in 1995 of an article published in New York in 1919 (no.63 in the list in this book), and this Zionist obsession was undeniably proven in Don Heddesheimer's superb book *The First Holocaust*, originally published in 2003.

In this chapter I've reproduced over 180 articles or newspaper adverts, which claim 6,000,000 Jews are on the point of annihilation. I could have reproduced over a 1,000. I saw little point in reproducing articles which only mention the numerous Jewish "six million" campaigns in passing, or each version of the same article published in more than one newspaper. But the main reason this book is not 1,000 pages thick, is because I've included less than 1% of articles I've discovered, regarding Russia prior to the overthrow of the Czar. 'Six million', whether rightly or wrongly, was the figure usually put forward as the Jewish population of Russia from around 1890 onwards. Even Stalin wrote in 1913:

"Of the five or six million Russian Jews, only three to four per cent are connected with agriculture in any way."

As the Czarist regime held an unfavourable opinion of Jews, reproducing articles claiming six million Russian Jews are being done-in, would likely be dismissed as merely containing the estimated number of the Jewish population, whilst ignoring the clearly exaggerated claims of Jewish suffering. Especially when contrasted with U.S. newspaper coverage of the Soviet famines of 1921-1922, and 1932-1933, which were generally ignored, and in some cases, outright denied.

The overwhelming majority of the articles in this book were rediscovered by myself, and many are reproduced here for the very first time. They all add up to prove, that Zionists had been predicting the downfall of precisely six million Jews for decades before Adolf Hitler came to power in 1933.

ZIONISTS' MASS MEETING

Leaders in the Movement Arouse Enthusiasm at Cooper Union.

A PLEA FOR HUMAN JUSTICE

Israel's Great Gift to Mankind Recalled -Dreyfus and European Persecution Mentioned in Convention.

A mass meeting, under the auspices of the Federation of American Zionists was held at Cooper Union last night. The half was crowded, many representative men being present, as well as those whose appear-ance told of drudgery in the east side sweat shops. There were many women and girls in the audience; and little sober-faced inds, whose ages could not have been ever ten years, followed with attention the remarks of the speakers, applauding at times with enthusiasm.

The platform was draped with the National colors and the blue and white of the Zionista.

Personal tributes were paid by the speakers to Rabbi Gustav Gotthell, who presided.

In his opening remarks Rabbi Gotthell said that they had come together for one of the greatest purposes that had ever summoned the scattered people of Isract. "The life of our Nation has not lost by the trinis it has endured," he said, "for we are joined together heart, soul, and mind, by the will of God."

DR. GOTTHISIL'S WORDS.

Dr. Gotthell said that he was in the posttion of a father who was bound to obey his own son and had been told that he must not speak long. "But." he added, "I cannot retire without telling you of a "I cannot retire without telling you of a man who came to me some time ago from the native sail; one who came, not driven forth, but of his own free will, with horny hand, bronzed face and stordy figure. In him I saw the success of the Zionist movement, for I took him as a messager who told that our aspirations are not dreams.

"There he no such thing as an anti-Zionist," concluded Rabbi Gotthet.

"A man need not be a supporter of our ethics, but how can any one in whose voins flows Jewish blood oppose the movement? Every true Jewish heart is naturally Zionistic."

The Rey. Dr. 8. Schaffer of Baltimore, who spoke next, said that in the four years since the Ziontst movement began much opposition had been developed; that it was impossible to change the views of all but that if their opponents could see the remarkable gathering they would restize that the Jewish people still lived and proopjered.

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"When one realizes how much has been done in this golden land of freedom," be continued, "It is patent that the principles of the Jewish people still exist in many hearts. We have already was millions of men to our views, and in time we will realize our ideal. Such a movement requires time and persistent, unided effort."

He added that the Hebrew language and literature must be broadly disseminated. A pealer, by Lee Rafuels, song under the direction of the Rev. David Cahn, aroused considerable enthusiasm, and then the next speaker, the Rev. H. Illowizz of Philadelphia, was introduced.

"There are some things that never persists."

"There are some things that never per-ish," he said. "Weeds flourish easily. The rerest flowers require careful nursing. The Pharoahs—oppressors of Israel—have been many."

ASKS FOR JUSTICE.

He then paid a tribute to Rabbt Gott-ell, and added: "Zion! Zion! Hew the hell, and added: name vibrates on the harp of Judaism! We demand of humanity the heritage that

name vibrates on the harp of Judnism! We demand of humanity the heritage that God bestowed upon us. We ask for juetice.

"Israel has given to humanity a religion, a church, a mosque, a literature; in return for those gifts our people received stones and misery.

"We tesk the return of our land, not that we mean to pack up and go away, But it is our right. To-day the Beer is fighting for the laud he won from savages; the Irishman demands hope rule.

Because we are begin in this land of freedom | Applance| ist us not forget the 5,000,000 besteren who are suffering upwession. There is a movement on feet to prevent the Russian Jew from landing on these shows. Oppressed in flusts, himsted in Russian, not wanted here, his only hope is Zion."

The Rev. H. Masliansky, who spoke in Hobrow, aroused the audience to great enthusiasm, "Mas'ath Nafeni" was then aung, and the volces of the children mingled with those of their elders in an improsive strain.

Resolutions of ayengathy were adopted and a collection falcen for the Jewe of Bessarable.

The Rev. Dr. J. H. Herts of Johannesburg, South Africa, and that he brought greetings from the 3,000 Zhonists of South Africa, the said that it would probably surprise those present to know that seyeral such mass machings had been held in Johannesburg within the last four years.

"The choice between life and death is before you," he said. "When the world's story lakes a different tone and justice is at hand we will realize our destiny. The fact that so many of our puople are setted that the world's story lakes a different tone and justice is at hand we will realize our destiny. The fact that so many of our puople are setted.

In presenting Rabbi Stephen S. Whee, the Chairman expressed regret that it was the last time he would be heard here for some time. Rabbi Wise is going to the Pacific Coast.

HABBI WISE'S ADDRESS.

Rabbi Wise said, in part:

"The day will never come when I will care tens for Zion, when there wat be any one who will strive more for the glorique ideals of Zjonfam.

"Two great conventions of Jews are being held to-night. In Chicago there is a conference of charities called together by men who minister to the wants of the They have assembled to see that too much charity is not given to the un-worthy. Their purpose is right. But ours is the greater charity. We have as-sembled not to see that the Jew does not get too much, but that every Jew shall get

came not to beg, but ask for that which is higher than all material things. They seek to have satisfied the unquenchable thirst after the ideal. They ask to become once again the messengers of right, justice, and humanity.

"Your Christian friends will honer you if you have chough self-respect to care fer your own people. Say that you are not a few, and you will be hated as a few, not retain. Jew, and you will be hated as a few, nevertheless. But may that you are an American Jew, and strive for the best principles of the race, you will be respected and the Zionist name honored.

"Of Sensel and Zion one thing is true. They can conquer. God is our leader, and with the General of the heavenly posts to lead who will say that we go not to yietory?

"In the old Greek games the meaning heaven."

lead who was any true.

"In the old Greek games, the man who won the race was not he who went fastest, but the one who bore a lighted torch to the end of the course.

"We Zionists have entered a race, the torch of liberty, charity, and justice in our bounds."

"The race will be won, not because we are fastest but because that lamp is a light unto the world. It will never be extin-

unto the world. It will never be extinguished.

Come, brothese, the lamp is is your
hands; run the race and may God give you
the victory forever.

Other speakers were Dr. M. Mints. Dr.
Robert L. Halperin of Chicago, and the
Rev. Dr. R. Druchman.

The Zion hymn by the Rev. Dr. H. Pereiru Mendee, was sung at the conclusion of
the speaking. The band of the lichraw
sheltering Guardian Society Orphan Auvlum, under direction of I. L. Fauerbach,
played a number of selections.

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"There are 6,000,000 living, bleeding, suffering arguments in favor of Zionism."

The New York Times, June 11, 1900.

The above was stated by a young Rabbi Stephen S. Wise at a Zionist meeting of the Federation of American Zionists at Cooper Union, New York on June 10, 1900. Wise would go on to become one of the most energetic and outspoken leaders of American Zionism. This is the first known, of his many, uses of the 6,000,000 figure of Jews. Rabbi Wise features prominently in this book.

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equivocal response in the specules of some of the leading Liberal statesmen; but on the country generally it produced no effect. It was revived when the persecutions in Russia threatened England with a great influx of Polish Jawa, whose mode of life was calculated to lower the standard of living in the industries in which they were employed. All danger was, however, averted by the Jewish communal authorities, who, by dint of great pecuniary serifices and an excellent international organization, managed to control the immigration. In 1883 Herr Stocker visited London, but received a very unflathering reception. Equally abortive attempts to acclimatize anti-Semitism have been made in Switzerland, Belgium, Grecco, and the United States.

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Auti-Semitism has usede a great deal of history during the last thirty years, but it has loft no permanent mark on the social and political evolution of Europe. It is the fruit of a great ethnographic and political error, and it has spent itself in political intrigues of transparent dishonesty. Its racial destrine is at best a crude hypothesis; its astionalist theory has only served to throw into striking roliof the escentially economic bases of modern seciety, while its political activity has revealed the vulgarity and ignorance which constitute its main sources of strongth. So far from injuring the Jews, it has really given Jovaich metal separation a new lease of life. Its extravagant accusations, as in the Tieze Esther and Dreyfus cases, have resulted in the vindication of the Jawish character. Its agitation generally, coinciding with the revival of interest in Jewish history, has helped to transfer Jewish solidarity from a religious to a racial basis. The bond of a common race, vitalized by a new pride in Hebrew history and sparred on to resistance by the insults of the anti-Semitas, has given a new spirit and a new source of strength to Judaism at a mansant when the approximation of cthical systems and the revolt against degree were sapping its essentially religious foundations. In the whole history of Judaism, perhape, there have been no more numerous or remarkable instances of reversions to the faith than during the last perhaps, there have been no more numerous or remarkable instances of reversions to the faith than during the last thirty years. The reply of the Jews to anti-Semitism has taken two interesting practical forms. In the first place there is the so-called Zionist movement, which is a kind of there is the so-called Zioniat movement, which is a kind of Jawish nationalism and is vitiated by the same errors that distinguish its anti-Semitic analogue. It aims at the re-ceitablishment of the Jewish state; and, under the leader-ship of Dr Theodor Herzl (b. 1860) and Dr Max Nordau (b. 1849) it has found no fewer than a quarter of a million supporters, who are now definitely organized. In the second place, there is a movement represented by the Maccabeans' Society in London, which socks to units the Jewish people in an effort to raise the Jewish character and to promote a higher consciousness of the dignity of the race. It lays no stress on orthodoxy, but welcomes all who strive to no stress on orthodoxy, but welcomes all who strive to render Jewish conduct an adoquate toply to the theories of the anti-Samitas. Both these movements are clements of the anti-Simitar. Both these movements are elements of fresh vitality to Judaism, and they are probably destined to produce important fruit in the near future. A splendid spirit of generosity has also been displayed by the Jewish community in assisting and relieving the victims of the Jewhaters. Besides countless funds raised by public subscription, Baron de Hirsch founded a colossal scheme for transplanting persecuted Jews to new countries under new conditions of life, and endowed it with no less a sum than £9,00,000 (see Hirsch, Montro ng).

Though auti-Semitism has been normasked and discredited, it is to be feared that its history is not yet at an end. While there are in Russia and Rumania and Montro of Jews who are being systematically degraded, and who

of Jews who are being systematically degraded, and who periodically overflow the western frontier, there will con-tinue to be a Jowish question in Europe; and while there

"Though anti-Semitism has been unmasked and discredited, it is to be feared that its history is not yet at an end. While there are in Russia and Rumania six millions of Jews who are being systematically degraded, and who periodically overflow the western frontier, there must continue to be a Jewish guestion in Europe; and while there are weak governments, and ignorant and superstitious elements in the enfranchised classes of the countries affected, that question will seek to play a part in politics."

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A Happy New Year To Our Readers

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There are sumy people who have green acceptioned to speak of Judaism as a stead or decaying crowd, warrow in its views and antiquated in its minospriors of life. If the vibre of a religion were to be gauged by the number of its followers, by its political power, by its territorial eway, Indiano might be considered "a small affair." (Judged by such a standard even the dominant faith sinhs into emparative magnificance at the side of the religion of India. and China). But if a religion is to he researed by its immortal truths. by the unitying allegiance of its supporters, by its inviscible vitality, by its power of resistance to persontion, by its ability to wishstand the allings and arrows of outrageous fortune, if a seligibe late be gasged by the spiritual power with which it has redered its followers, then is July

ism entitled to the reverence of its rarce, has it been recognized? Reafforems and the respect of all member! Reflect!

That there is in our faith fundaesental truth, that it possesses the power of awaying the consciousness and the conscience of Istacl, may he seen at this season of the year, when, touched by a common sentiment of loving faith, all farnel agperes before God. The New Year is observed us the public expression of Israel's devotion to the Creator of the Universe. Every Jew who observes the day as a sacred occasion amountees his belief in the "autoreand Crestor," the Eternal God, who is Our and whose name is One." It is unnecessary to here enter into the philosophy of religious belief; it is neither the pince nor the occasion to discuss whether the unisurse is a manifestation of eternal matter or eternal spirit, or whether it is the product of chance. Suffice it to say that the real significance of the great and body day, which is ushered is next Monday evening, is the public declaration of the people of Israel that "the Lord God of larnel is the only King, that His docomion is throughout all Time and Space, that the universe is the polisset of Ha locing will." This is the reach, fundamental with Indames. which the observance of the New Your ansertement

It is a solemn day. It is a 'Day of Remembrance," sas which to recall the events of the year just going. As though standing on a mountain peak we look below and review the series of events which have best emodalism the street's of time between new and the last work-hasham. The resolutions of former days, where are they? The promises of last year, what yes become of there! The events we dreaded, have they improved? The incidents we hoped to see, buye stey been realized? The parent's bity, has it been performed. The eithe's obligations. have they been get? The Joelah hir has it been fred? God's press renew our spiritual relationship

It is a day of "Independ," Aircient percey typesents God scated uson His throne, high and exalted, entrounded by myrinis of angels, scanning the record of each individand and deciding the future of each, The liteation of such a norne is considered abound by modern materials ism. And yet science, with its teach ings concerning hereditary inflaences and the sway of acquired halsits, would have us believe that, as year exceeds year, our future is inscribed, nay engraved, on our bones, nervet and firsh, by unseen fingers and indelible stylus. Our thoughts become our words, our words become our docts; our deeds become our habits; our habits become nurselves. Shall we continue to be in the future what we are so-died. In there no room or reason for amendment? Shall we permit our besetting sins to control us? Shall we allow our weakness to exert a stronger control over un? or shall we group the opportunity granted us, look at ourselves as welenousurasless to be, judge ourselves before the tribinal of conscience and sock to become better? Thus Resident shans appeals to the better side of out business may and survey to bring us to our slds of God and goodness

It is / lay of "sounding the Shophas," of calling along to the imme of jouch, "Seek we the Lord while He may be found." While God is ever willing to be entreated of His childress, our Rabbie have taught that He to openially gracious at this seaone of the year, that is to ray, He is most likely to unswer prayer solanaly offered at a solarm season in a solemus place. All Inrael is assum-Med in prayer and the Jewish conwicesness is touched to the quick. The flays of sorrow are not yet over. the days of glory are not yet here. When could we bester renew our attachment to our faith, when better with our boothesn than at such an

May it be the Divine Will that the coming Holy-day may exert a powcritil influence for good among us. and all Isearl. With the New Year may renewed religious bervor manthat itself among us. With the advent of our great Day of Remem brance may our people realize more than ever the daties and glories of

L LEONARD LEVY.

JOSHUA OF THE PUTURE.

The Foundation of an American Jewish Statistical Society Propresed.

In a few days the American delegates will have returned from the Sixth Zimist Congress at Basic, and tion not only on the true heating of the Ugunda proposition of the firitish government, but also with regard to the general outlook of the imboubsedly, has reached its turn

tion that forever will be identified friends and countryment. m and so ably been described to need not add new arguments either pro or con. The Zionists here and should have fought and are still fighting against wieley odds. They timir courage and are movees full recognition even from the question now arises. In it withis the power of these modern Mac values to bring to a speedy and happy and the unserv of their 5., 180,000 (Russian official crasses of 1902) wards in the empire of the Coar, about 300,000 in Research and Sciuco in Galicia, to view of the levelle attitude of the Resolute overnment reward Ziociem, of the impending revolution in the domin-ions of the Sultan, and finally, in ethosition, to their scheme on the part of nins-tenths of the well-te-do beraellies of Western Europe and

has the right to keep allence. The international situation of the Joursh people is normality such as not to normit any Trivish scholar, professimilar forciness man in refuse his share of active co-operation and The well-to-do Jewish lawyer, pla-tician, buster, truder and manufacturer of London and Paris, New York and San Francisco have not done their full duty as men and fews in puring for their family pew

" ... six million downtrodden brethren."

OUR LONDON LETTER.

By Our Own Correspondent

LONDON, Feb. 3.

The death of Leo N. Levi truly examed a shock to the whole creamonity here. A goodleman who, as everybody is well aware, strived for the eights of the Jews in the red country of Russia. Red wife the blood of its Jews. The dailies here gave long accounts of the life and work of the deceased and past splendid tributes to him. I are informed from a trust-scortby source that in the smaller sheroes of the East limit (which I think can be designated as the "East Sule" at Lomban) services were held. for the late Mr. Lesi. Such a man

A largely uttended meeting con-sensed by the Sheffield Zionia Assostation was held on Sanday evening Str. S. B. Harris, Provident of the Association, accupied the chair, the chief speaker being the Rev. S. Al-fred Adler, son of the Chief Rabbi and minister of the Liverpool Heliten Congregation. The chairman, who mentioned that the Sheffield Associafrom had been in extranse five years, urged again those present four necessary it was that they should werk to aid the millions of their Leithren who lived in countries of oppression and persecution. Referring to the mag-stationers offer of the Brutch Coverntnest of territories in East Africa, the consideration of which last introduced consideration of which lead introduced in-freding into Zionnets deliberations, he simil rote would have preferred eathing for Polestine. The action of their delegation in the Basic Congress, however, had proved alternia. He Bosigia, however, that the sole aim of the Russian, in well as other Jewa shinid he the Hole Land. He looked to Dr. Herzi as a lander of the Zion of care.

The following resolution was pro-posed and seconded: "This meeting a decircus of placing on record its ligh appreciation of the indefaugable lators of Dr. Hersi on behalf of the Sewich nation, and tender to him their sincere flatios for his strenuous exertions to ansilierate the condition of the poor and oppressed Jenus and recognize been so the great Zirens-leader to where we place every con-

The Rev. 5. A. Adler lad in in-thinitiatic recention. He also recog-nized in Dr. Herst a leader of the Zionest some. He would not go as far as to say this be agreed with the political system of the Zionia move-ness in every respect, but the Zionia and the Zionia. stic platform was broad. There was a great future. As an English Jew schich his nution had received decoughout the Entitle Empire, to which they had proud privilege to be-long. But the ideal conditions which ditamed in England did not hold good in other countries. He referred thirty to Russia and the flattens. where five or the million people or issed under persecution. Afthough they might aske the Jewish speaking to England, they could not solve it in Humis. He appealed to the Jewon nation lost to make the Zemist interestient a orionization investment only. Let it give one life to their religious and racial existence. The definition of Zemises was a loose in Pulcetime. They could not request the fruition of Zemises as something they would not see in their own days. It was their duty to make for the peak

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generation jet and not surrow, day and not night, light and out darkness. He rejoiced in the time when the children bread should live in the clear air of Palestine, and when their plough-share would be once more heard in the mendows of the Promised Land.

or height has been re-Jewish circles here by one of the lead-lets usued by the Tariff Relorm lets issued by the Farist Resorm League, a league at which Mr. Chamberlain is the shining light. In this there is a picture of an alien numbers of stradient framers and permissional Jerish framers; and beside blue is a much better looking Buttish artisan. The alies is labeled. "The one we beneat?" and the Bid: The man we import, and the British workingmen as "The man we export." The leafet contains the maid appeal for support to Mr. Balfour (the Premier) and Mr. Chamberlain's pellis, so as to protect the British workingtons against foreign labor. Of course, it is objected to, and more so the introduction of the Jews pura Jews into the tariff controversy, and se mating up the question of rare.

As a reactive of fact, the Statistical Secretary to the Tarist Commission is a calented young Jew.

For over fifty years the Jewish com-remity of Welvertampton have wonsloped in a synagogue erectal in a small street of the town, but of late years it has been found to be inputed ment and suffering to a great extent from decay. It was decided to pull it down and erest a new building The exterior design of the syragogue the exterior using at the strangegue is very pleasing the material used being of pressed brick, with stone dressings, while the inverse decorations are light and attractive. Our purchases to the nature part of the walls, the remaining portions being painted while and picked out in gold. Special materials with a positive of the property of the prope cul attention has been paid to the botherom in the collar, where there is a mittral spring, the walls being eve-ered with white glassed bricks. It is extended that the cost of the building would be nearly 2 17000. There was a large congregation present when the a large congregation present when the operang service was modified in Sanday exeming by the Ray, G. J. Eccased, who performed the service of semecration. The removal genetician, followed by the wardens and other heating officers of the congregation took up a position under a campy, where the Rabbi coclaimed. "Open unto use the gains of right-coincient. I will other their and prince the Lord." Payagers were come for the Ray I Roser to the prime the Lord." Passages were using to the Ker. J. Rosen as the raths and other gentlemen walked in procession to the ark, and pattern statuted as they proceeded three tiems round the synagegise. After minchs had been recited by the Rev. J. Rosen, the Rev. G. J. Emanuel delivered an impressive synuon and peace. The pract has the life. practs. The prayet for the Boysl

family followed and the mading of Mastiv emcloded the premiony.

HE JEWISH CRITERION.

The death is announced of Herr Karl Lind France, whose novels and streetes dealing with the condition of the Jews to Galleia, the Dalowina. South Russia and Rosmania excitoti great interest throughout Europe

some 25 years ago.

Herr Frances was been in 1848, star the Roses-Austrian femilier, and one elinated at the gyrmasion of Cornewitz and at the Universities of Grata and Virona. Until 1885 the scene of his Invrary labors was Virona, where his first published work of any importance. "Ans Halbasion; Kestneinhöse ans Gallaron, der Dalowire. Sudrussland and Rossumia," was exceived with enthusiasse and was altimately translated into various European languages. His subsequent collections of short stories, "Die Juden von Harnew," und "Vent Don Zur Donan," dealt with the same therms Donan," dealt with the same themse as his first book, and were full of local knowledge used color. In Terlin he edited the formightly magazine beutsche Deduting, and he occupied till the end of his life a promisent place in the liserary world of the German capital. He has assurtines been called "The Jewish Dichers," but his besubter germas horned with a setter. bendler germs berusd with a softer and for famier light than ther of the immortal author of "Piciowith" and "Harnahy Realige."

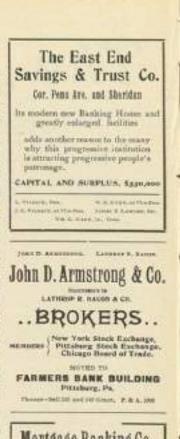
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A service was held at the Home of which Mr. Ethin was the Jometary scentury and at which the Rev. A. D. Green delivered a muching address.

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THE PANAMA CANAL AND THE RUSSIAN EXODUS.

(By Dr. Ludory Singer).

Lecture delivered December as tong, at a public secreting of the Dovales Zina Society, Brenklyn, N. Y.—Cauricay Dr. Sauger,

Mr. Pression, Ladies and Gentle-

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Short and distorted as this report was, seef princed under seth as enting beatfines as "Plan to Bring all Romains leves Here," "Initial Merements or behans to Caree General Excolus bears the Land of the Care," etc., I was satisfied to know that these disputches formed the subsert of discussions at themsands of Jewish hours. In this way it brought energy of our co-elippositis who had abready beginning the Rabiness and Gourd for as boar or m. again face to lace with their dary inward their subspays beatfars in Eastern Europe.

League speech the main topic of our distribution to-day, allow me to rend to you can of these reports (ex uno flucits nomes), for they are all some

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is the plan which had its initial dis-cussion has right at the receiling of the Zoot Edunational League at No. 6. Rivington street, called to con-sider the question of the Jowish ran-riation from the land of the Case. The assessment of a tax upon the righ Jones of the country of two-jec cant of their purity secons was proposed, and this plan was given two-risks consideration. With this maney it is between that the Jewish population now in Russia can be brought to this country and scat-tered over the Wessers States. "It was also proposed that an at-

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"the final and definite deliverance of the six millions of Russian, Roumanian and Galician Jews from their political and economic bondage—within or without the boundaries of the land of Canaan. ... We, in this old country, may stand aghast at the splendid audacity which does not shrink from the task of transporting five or six million people over the sea."

POBIEDONOSTZEFF RESIGNS.

Chief Procurator of the Holy Synod Most Hated Man in Russia.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 31.—Constantine Petrovitch Pobledonostzeff, Chief Procurator of the Holy Synod, has resigned.

Constantine Petrovitch Pobiedonostzeff, now in his seventy-eighth year, has been a prominent factor in the internal life of the Russian Empire for the last fifty years, and is the most hated man in Russia to-day.

Since his appointment as Procurator General of the Holy Synod, in 1880, he has persecuted the Jews, Lutherans, Catholics, and other dissenting sects with an unswerving fanatical zeal. From 1890 to 1902 he caused 6,000,000 Jewish families to be expelled from Russia and sent thousands of Poles to Siberia. His watchword was "Russia for the Orthodox Russians." Cossacks were ordered to surround the Catholic churches in Poland and shoot down the congregations as they came out.

Numerous attempts have been made upon the lift of Pobiedonostzeff. He professed to be a victim of calumny, and said that he had been dishonestly denounced to the people. The last attempt was at the Tsarskoe-Selo Station, on July 20, when a student drew a revolver, but did not have time to fire it. A desperate attempt to kill the Procurator General was made in March, 1901, when a Russian official from the Baltic Provinces got into his library and fired five shots at him point blank, none, however, taking effect.

Pobledonostzeff had the power to make new laws, and also to veto them. He fought steadily against the people, and was one of the most powerful factors in restraining the Emperor from giving them liberty. The Czar and the nobles feared him. He was against education for the masses because they could not use it in their calling, against the Parliament because it represented the personal vanity of the representatives, and against freedom of the press because he considered that it was already the most powerful and despotic thing ever conjured up by the brain of mankind. His religious persecutions earned for him the title of "The Modern Torquemada."

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Dr. Paul Nathan's View of Russian Massacre

of Russia's 6,000,000 Jews were made on March 12 in Berlin to the annual meeting of the Central Jewish Relief League of Germany by Dr. Paul Nathan, a well-known Berlin publicist, who has returned from an extensive trip through Russia as the special emissary of Jewish

through Russia as the special emissary of Jewish philanthropists in England, America, and Germany, to arrange for distribution of the relief fund of \$1,-500,000 raised after the massacres last Autumn.

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Dr. Nathan read to the meeting a circular addressed to the garrison of Odessa, calling upon the soldiers to "rise and crush the traitors who are plotting to upset the holy Government of the Czar and substitute for it a Jewish empire."

He concluded with an appeal to the Jewish money powers of the world to arrest Russia's career as a borrower. The financiers of the world should call a halt to Russia, not only for humanitarian reasons, but for practical reasons. Russia's bankruptcy is an established fact, he added.

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A wail has gone up from the Hotel Keepers' Association of Naples to the effect that American and English tourists are rapidly being supplanted by Germans. One is informed how the Italian host does not relish the change. "Are we to credit the Teuton," inquires a local paper, "with the welcome announcement that the Hotel Keepers' Association has formed a league to protect the foreign wanderer from 'fraud, general trickery, and imposition'? The proverbially deliberate economy of the Tauton forbids such an assumption. There must be some other reason."

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RUSSIAN JEWS.

A correspondent of Emanu-El, a paper edited by Rabbi Versanger of San Francisco, gives a pitiful picture of the condition of the Jews in Russia. Ho says that poverty, starvation and disease are the afflictions which now bein that counnet the try and Roumania. The government does afford some medicum of relief to the starving Russlan moulik and laborer; but for the Jew there is no charity, no mercy! The little assistance which used to come from America and Enghand is diminishing daily. Part of the money sent by relatives who have emigrated is stolen in transmission, whilst, those who could make sure that their doles would reach their destination are unemployed, and "sweated" when they work, and are no longer able to render a mintance. The revolutionary movement has destroyed the industries in the Pale. Thus, for instance, whilst the factories at Lodz are not working, or only working half time, the Russian factories at Moscow have been over busy. But in Moscow there are not any Jowish workers. What is to become of the mass of the Jewish population in Russia is beyond man's ker. It is useless to look for the causes when a calamity is staring in the face. It is useless to point out that early and imprudent marriages are one of the causes of the great poverty. A preacher of Malthuslanism would probably stoned if he dared to suggest it to the Jews of Russia. Russian regeneration would do something, but regeneration is not in sight, and meanwhile the mass of Russian Jews are starving, the price of the most necessary food having rises to enermously high prices. The price of the loaf of bread has gone up from three to seven kopeks!

And yet Rabbi Vorminger has no word of encouragement for the Hebrews who believe in the ancient Seers and look for a rehabilitation of the nation in the land of their fathers, as the final solution of the problem. Is there any other? And who knows but that, when oppression becomes heaviest, the near of liberation will strike?

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Deseret Evening News (UT), March 17, 1908.

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presented themselves. In England more than one attempt to acclimatize the doctrines of Marr and Treitschke has been made. The circumstance that at the time of the rise of German anti-Semitism a premier of Hebrew race, Lord Beaconsfield, was in power first suggested the Jewish bogey to English political extremists. The Eastern crisis of 1876-1878, which was regarded by the Liberal party as primarily a struggle

Though anti-Semitism has been unmasked and discredited, it is to be feared that its history is not yet at an end. While there remain in Russia and Rumania over six millions of Jews who are being systematically degraded, and who periodically overflow the western frontier, there must continue to be a Jewish question in Europe; and while there are weak governments, and ignorant and superstitious elements in the enfranchized classes of the between Christianity, as represented by Russia, and a degrad- countries affected, that question will seek to play a part in politics.

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WARRAW. June 2.—Within the Bussian empire are 2001110 Jews, dependent for their lives on the fickle will of the increasorate. What is their sondition to-day? The answer is to be found in recent delates in the duna; for it has been shown that although foreign opinion has done ownywith the bloody crises of the persons—since Belevae financies control the Emandal markets of all the capitals and can hamper the floating of lown—the lot of the installine in Russia to worse to-day than ever.

Prince, pricet and ponsant have declared wer against them. Duna metaphers have lately declared that any robles officer sught to be called to fill-both for allowing Jews to live within the pals—i.e., in the large districts of eastern and control. Russia for-badden to Hebrews. The nobility, who recently met at their annual delegation, passed repaintions that they would not allow even beginned Jews to serve the state, either in a military et civil capacity, nor permit Jewsia possed repaintions that they would not allow even beginned Jews to enter the same schools as their own children. As to allowing them to be smoothed, the idea, the delegation declared, was no pragoculeous that nobudy need think of him a single norman.

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THE JEWISH CRITERION

WHERE DOES THE JEW STAND?

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By Man Nordan

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"... the downfall of six million creatures ... for no war has ever yet destroyed six million human lives."

The Jewish Criterion (Pittsburgh), September 1, 1911, page 1.

The above is from the speech of Max Nordau (real name: Simon Maximilian Südfeld), co-founder of the World Zionist Organisation, at the 10th Zionist Congress in Basle, Switzerland on August 9, 1911. The speech is also quoted in: The Jewish Chronicle (London), August 18th, 1911, page 14. And The Reform Advocate (Chicago), September 9th, 1911, Volume 43, page 120.

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cards to 11,642. The usefulness of this collection was made apparent at the time of the hearing of your Committee before the House Committee on Immigration in March last, when a number of the articles on file were consulted and yielded valuable data for incorporation in the testimony, and also when the recent Recommendations to the Immigration Commission were prepared.

The Committee is receiving an appreciable number of requests for information upon various subjects, which it furnishes whenever possible.

WASHINGTON OFFICE

The Washington Office has been continued, and has, as heretofore, proved of great usefulness in keeping your Committee informed of affairs in Washington.

RUSSIA

The position of our co-religionists in Russia grows increasingly deplorable, and recent advices from that country indicate that there is little likelihood of any relief being afforded.

The situation is of the gravest. It may be doubted whether Jewry has ever confronted a greater crisis since the overthrow of the Jewish state by the Roman Empire. Not even the horrible persecutions of the times of the Crusades or the expulsion from Spain and Portugal affected so large a mass of our co-religionists. Russia has since 1890 adopted a deliberate plan to expel or exterminate six millions of its people for no other reason than tha they refuse to become members of the Greek Church, but prefer to remain Jews. To carry out this purpose, it has used several methods. Wholesale assassinations (called pogroms), have been employed in order to arouse the religious fanaticism, the greed, and the savagery of the needy, the ignorant and the depraved among the Russian people. Horrible as these pogroms are, their effects are trivial compared with those which have followed other methods countenanced by that Government. The Jewish inhabitants of the congested Pale of Settlement are being harassed by restrictions on their ordinary activities, by practical denial to a serious extent of the right to educate their children, and by having thrust upon them by force, large numbers of their co-religionists who had settled in other places within the Empire and had there been usefully employed. By this insidious process, the Russian Government wickedly and artificially creates unnatural conditions that enable it to twist economic and social laws into the service of persecution, and it believes that by their operation the ultimate expulsion or destruction of the Jews of Russia is From the point of view of that Government, this method has the further advantage that it avoids the cry of horror

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DR. WISE REVIEWS YEAR

Abrogation of Russian Treaty the Big Event, He Says.

Standing alone or the great platform of Carnegie Hall in front of a crescent of growing palms, Rabbi Stephen S. Wise addressed an audience of a thousand or more last night at the first of the Holy Day services of the Free Synagogue, on "5613: The Story of a Year in Israel at Home and Abroad." He appealed to his hearers to serve those in need by making the New Year one less of terror and more of hope.

"Wo are the men and women with whom time does not count," Dr. Wise said, "for what is one year in 4,000? But last year has counted with some very mournfully. Think of the great and tragic sorrow that broke a multitude of hearts, of the sacrifice of men that women might live—the Titanic tragedy. So tonight we remember that Jowish gentieman, Isidor Straus, and the wife who in life could not be without him in that awful hour. Think of other great men we have lost in the year, David Blaustein, Rothschild and others. Then think of the fact that the two Nobel prizes were both taken by Jews.

"The most conspicuous event of the year was the abrogation by the United States of its treaty with Russia," said Dr. Wise.

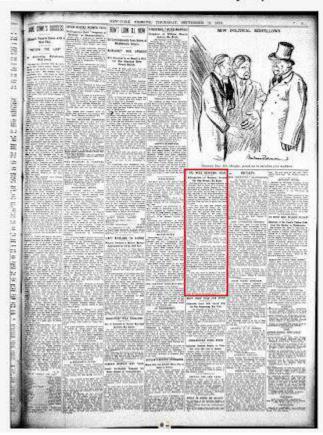
"When the government has taken the necessary steps there will be no more violation of the sacredness of American citizenship in Russis," he declared.

"We are looking to a treaty of abrogation between Great Britain and Russia," he continued. "Russia is now asphyxiating the Jews. It does not dare to offend the nations by blood spilling, so it is slowly, but surely grinding out the lives of 6,000,000 Jews. The result there is physical poverty, moral and spiritual degradation.

"I will just touch at present," he went on, "on the crying situation in New York, upon which I shall speak more fully tomorrow. If overything else in Israel shed gladness and joy, the happenings in just two months in New York make us bow our heads in shame. The shield of Israel has been dragged in the mire. The honor of Israel has been derided. We pray never again to hear of such spiritual disaster falling on the heads of Israel."

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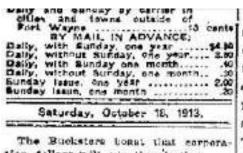
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The above is from a speech made by American Zionist leader Rabbi Stephen S. Wise at Carnegie Hall, New York, on September 11, 1912. He was the first in our list, this is his second appearance, and far from his final one.

No.14, October 1913



tion deliars will win the election.

There are six million Jews in Russiz and the government is anxious to annihilate them by methods that provoke protests from the civilized world.

We would like to hear from Hon. Perty A. Randail on the Sunday so-Like our friend Buck and his blind tiger, brother Randell can tell a nuighty interesting story of Habbath day law and order.

It is said the traction company invested more than \$24,000 in its campaign against the city lighting plant, hiring expert accountants to investigate the finances of the concern and investing many dellars in "Electric

In 1911, Mr. McCulloch was willing the city had more cash than there to give to Mr. Hosey the crudit that was justiy his due for his fidelity to the people's interests. But he is now associated with a bunch of disgruntled politicians who are seeking, not no much to elect Charles II, Buck, of "blind tigor" fame, but to defeat Floaest Eill Hozey.

Not only did Charles McCulloch warmly commend Mr. Hosay in his communication to the Sentinel, but he pol light plant. In that regard the statement of Mr. McCulloch published in the Sentinel January 08, 1011, uniq; "NO WONDER THE GENTLEMEN OWNING THE WARREN VALLEY TRACTION COMPANY WERE ANXIOUS TO PREVENT THE CITY

were improvement bonds on the marhet. Bonds were bought when bonds were for sale and the balance was retained in the fund until more bonds were placed upon the market.

DRAWN OUT SUIT

tees, Many years are Elifai Hars decided all of his property to the Mothodian charten to be used for the hear-fit of the Nicholius Law Theological asininary at hisraedee, Argentina, to Bouth America. The Property way worth about Findio, and by the terms of the deed Mr. Haya received an annually of \$1,000 and his wife \$500 a year Several years later Mr. Paya, who had accomplated nearly \$3,000 by saxing and levesting his annually, made a school deed to the church. After his death his heirs columned and to set using the his death the second deed claiming that Mr. Haya was of unascend mind when he made the last deeds. The vertical being for the defendant.

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Fort Wayne Journal Gazette (IN), October 18, 1913, page 4.

APPEAL FOR AID FOR JEWS.

American Committee Tells of Suffering Due to the War.

The American Jewish Relief Committee, called into being at a conference of more than 100 national Jewish organizations which was held at Temple Emanu-El on Oct. 25 to consider the plight of more than 6,000,000 Jews who live within the war zone, has elected Louis Marshall Chairman, Cyrus L. Sulzberger Secretary, and Felix M. Warburg Treasurer, and has issued the following appeal:

The American Jewish Relief Committee for Sufferers from the War appeals to you to aid, with the utmost generosity and self-sacrifice, the fund now being gathered to provide relief for the families of the Jewish people in various parts of Europe and Asia who have been deprived of their means of sustanance either through the killing or wounding of their bread winners, through the destruction of the towns in which they live, or through the resulting economic distress.

Our coreligionists, in common with their

Ing economic distress.

Our coreligionists, in common with their fellow-citizens of other creeds, are contributing with their usual liberality to the several national and international relief funds. Neither these contributions nor those for local charities should be lessened by reason of the necessity which impels us to make this special appeal to their

us to make this special appear to their generosity.

The disaster, in which the whole world shares, falls with disproportionate weight upon the Jewish people, more than nine millions of whom live in the countries at war and over the millions of these in the actual war zone in Poland, Galicia, and the whole Russian frontier. Throughout this section the horrors of war and the devastation due to conflict have come upon a population already so oppressed and improverished by persecution as to leave no reserve for this new calamity. Hunger, disease, destitution in its extremest form confront a Jewish population as numerous as that of Belgium.

These exceptional circumstances have impelled the formation of the American Jowish Relief Committee, with a view to unite all sections of Jewry in the United States in this supreme effort in the greatest crisis that has faced the Jewish people in modern times. Representatives from all parts of the United States and of every shade of opinion have participated in the deliberations which brought about the formation of this committee in the hope that united, concerted action would produce the most effective results.

In Poland and Galicia, where great contending armies are now engaged, it would not be wise to intrust a committee of people who have instituted a religious and racial boycott against Jews with the duty of alding or distributing funds among the large Jewish population in those countries. The sad conditions in Russia are well known. Palestine, whose main source of subsistence is cut off, and whose economic life has been paralyzed, is likewise in

urgent need.

In view of these considerations and the exceptional severity of the conditions, we appeal to the Jews of America to come without etint to the rescue of their afflicted brethren. It is the purpose of this committee, should it be found that no relief funds are available in those districts, that this fund be applied to the relief of the most urgent distress, without regard to race or creed.

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At the time of the Russian Pogroms the Jews of this country contributed nearly \$1,500,000 for the relief of the victims. The present calamity is vastly greater and requires, accordingly, greater measure of relief.

In cities which have already established associate relief committees we ask you to make your donations and pledges to your local Treasurer, or, if you are a member of a national organization in co-operation with this committee, to the Treasurer of your organization, or to send your checks or piedges direct to the Treasurer of the American Jewish Relief Committee, Felix M. Warburg, 53 William Street, New York.

This appeal is signed by the Executive Committee, made up of prominent citizens of all the larger cities in the coun-

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JEWS' INDIFFERENCE TO WAR AID REBUKED

Louis Marshall Denounces Apathy Toward Suffering of Co-Religionists.

MILLIONS IN DIRE DISTRESS

Jacob H. Schiff, Meyer London, and Dr. Enelow Plead with the Rich to Give.

Louis Marshall, speaking at a meeting in Temple Emanu-El last night, deplored what he termed the failure of the Jews of America, particularly of New York, to realize the terrible calamity that has overtaken the millions of Jews whose homes are in the eastern theatre of the European war.

The meeting was held in the interest of the American Jewish Relief Committee, of which committee Mr. Marshall is President. Besides Mr. Marshall Congressman-elect Meyer London, and the Rev. Dr. H. G. Enclow of Temple Emanu-El spoke. Like Mr. Marshall, each deplored the fact that the Jews of America have not given the assistance they should to their suffering coreligionists. Further emphasis on the same subject was contained in a letter from Jacob H. Schiff, read by Mr. Marshall. "It is discouraging." said Mr. Marshall," to those who have devoted so much time and energy to this work that

there has been so small a response from

Jews in New York, a city which is so great a Jewish centre. It seems to me that the people are so dazed by the European cataclysm that they are unable to realize that it is their duty to aid of those who are suffering through the

calamity. "In the world today there are about 13,000,000 Jews, of whom more than the control of the war zone: Jews whose lives are at stake and who today are subjected to every manner of suffering and sorrorw, and the grerat American Jewish community is not doing its duty toward these sufferers. In the United States there are between 2,000,000 and 3,000,000 Jews, nearly all able to do something and yet, after months of work, we have not raised more than \$300,000. In New York there are more than 1,000,000 Jews, some of them persons of great affluence, but many of them seem to think if they give few hundred dollars they have done

a few hundred dollars they have done their duty.

"We hear of pogroms in Russia, in Poland, in Galicia, and et we sit indifferent. In Palestine starvation stalks through the land. Shall we selfishly enjoy ourselves and say we would like to, but cannot help because of hard times, and think we are doing out duty? No. The time has come for every man and women and child to do his duty, and we must fulfill that duty quickly or it may be too late in hundreds of

and we must fulfill that duty quickly or it may be too late in hundreds of thousands of cases."

At this point Mr. Marshall read Mr. Schiff's letter. Mr. Schiff said his own interest in the work was intense, and that it should appeal to every Jew. Private reports he has received. Mr. Schiff said, showed conditions in Russia, Palestine, Poland, and Galicia, the frightful nature of which could not be pletured. pictured.

He said that the Emanu-El congrega-tion is the largest and wealthiest in the United States and hoped that its mem-United States and hoped that its members would give in proportion to their means. He further suggested a committee to canvass the congregation for a Temple Emanu-Fl Fund and said he would contribute. Mr. Marshall put the suggestion in the form of a motion which was unanimously carried. Mr. Marshall will name the committee soon.

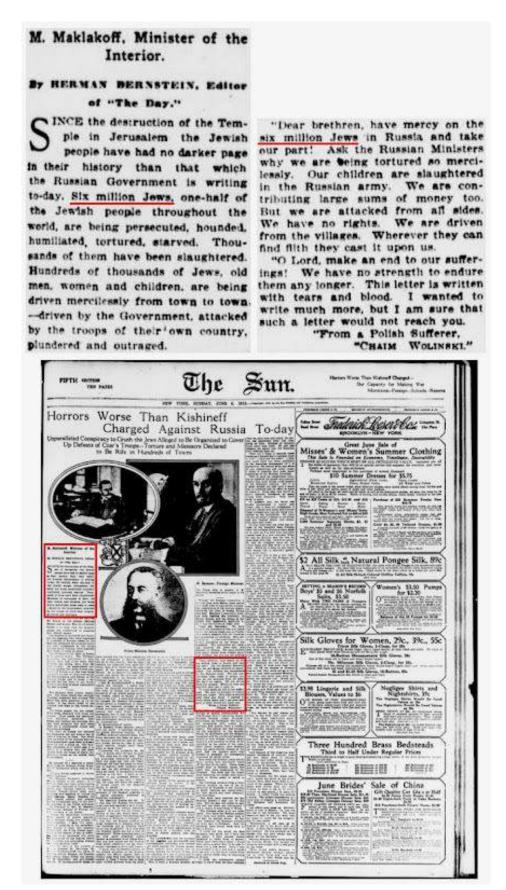
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Mr. London said this was the "worst period in Jewish history," and that the having of millions of Jewish peoples depended on the generosity of more fortunate Jews of the United States.

Dr. Enclow emphasized what Mr. Marshall had said and added that never before were the Jews of this country confronted with so great a duty.

"In the world today there are about 13,000,000 Jews, of whom more than 6,000,000 are in the heart of the war zone; Jews whose lives are at stake and who today are subjected to every manner of suffering and sorrow ... Mr. London said this was the "worst period in Jewish history,"



"Six million Jews, one-half of the Jewish people throughout the world, are being persecuted, hounded, humiliated, tortured, starved. ... have mercy on the six million Jews in Russia ... being tortured so mercilessly."

THE JEWISH CRITERION.

be their God, and they shrift be my people." (NNXL-33)? Wordsworth, a Christian writer, in a better theologian than Dr. Desen, for he first God in stones and blocks and flowers of the field, God has always spaken so the hearts of men. What passless as is the interpretation nucleus Christians place upon the acts of Europeans who profess Christiansty, and appresselv hear the voice of God, yet had the continuance of the present war. If we judge religion by its fruit, instead of the "new coverast" being the message of the "prince of peace," it is rather emphasizing the verse in Matthew, "Think not that I am come to send peace on earth. I come not to send peace but a sword," (X-34).

May we suggest to the preachers of America that instead of proving hose much better shelt book is than our own, they limit their afforts to making the lives of their parishioners square with the high simis they profess.

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CONGRATULATIONS.

"Lend a Hand" is the appropriate name of a journal which has just unhished its initial number. Edited by Mr. Charles I. Cooper, of the United Hebrew Relief Association, it is intended to give publicity to the work of our local philanthropies. The idea is a spleadid one, and the paper deserves every encouragement. We trust that its appeals for various articles will be successful, and we are sure that its portrayal of out articles and he successed, and in the society's work recent cases will interest our people in the society's work.

RUDOLPH L COFFEE.

STAND BACK

By Joseph D. Seitzer.

The most dreaded, the most scared has happened? The wanderer's staff has been forced once more into the hands of the much-suffered Resears Jews and as in the infamous days of Ferdinand and Jeahelit, they are turned loose in a cruel world with a long, perilous and aimless journey before them.

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journey before them.

Four weeks ago I cautioned American Jews to exercise more tact and diplomacy in their witerances and to cease attacking one nation in cause of the other, for "the Old World Jose may come to harm our uncalled for propagated. Wee unto use-this prediction has come true. No less a personage than Chief Rabbi Ehrenpress of Sweden, rables the following appeals:

From trustworthy courses I lears that the entire ferroit population of the provinces of Koron, Kurland and part of Seealist 200,000 persons all tale, were expelled from their places of artifement,

KO000 of antiritarian betterm and nation were expelled from those places same days ago. Tegrilor with these 20,000 new marryes, 20,000 Jews are new sandering about foracless and varring.

As a thouserfold from better nation this last effet. The infortunate did not even have enough time to buy their dead, to care for their wounded to proper the size for the inginitud and similars journey.

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As soon as the hellish edict was producted, the Jews producted with the

fothers and grandchildren.

As soon as the bellish edict was proclaimed, the lowe processed with the only mean available—trars and lamentations. This only inflatocoal the blood-thirdly government to grant them a stay long enough to bely the dead and so take as such at their property as they could possibly rary, PROVIDED LIV.

ING HOSTACES ARE LEFT WITH THE GOVERNMENT AS A GUAR-ANTER THAT NONE OF THE JEWS REMAIN DEVIND.

This deadly insult was reserved by the testured and despatring lever and salled than have their property and tending the dual to have the dual, they have morely takes along the sick and washed.

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Over a million making must be secured at once for the appport of these pro-

Over a million rubbs must be secured at once for the support of those se-

American Jones, help! Help is innersative and argent! The minturnes in two gigantic to postpoor it for even another moment.

RABBI EMRENPHEIL

S00,000 Jews were thus transformed, by one stroke of the pon of a Rassian canadal, into purpers, into homeless and penulies beggars, 300,000 Jews were in the coasse of a few hours exiled from their homes, without even being granted amough time to bury their dead and to have being companied and to be the state of the

without even being granted amough time to bury their deed and to care for their sick.

Think of this spalling catastrophe and your blood will freeze, your hunt will couse bearing and your hair will stated on edge.

History hardly knows of a parallel. The destruction of the Temple by Tirus was accompanied with few refined harbstities and blood carding atmentics, than this twenfieth century world war.

The annihilation of the six million jews now congregated in the Rassian domains goes on in a well defined and systematic manner. It is to Nishadar advantage to subject his "beloved flows" to a slow and extratiating death, rather than to a quick, yet conspocuous extratemention. And while this tragedy is being exarted on the blood socked soil of Poland, humans governments are looking olly on. Their leaders who scarte so much breath pracabing the "Peare on earth and good will towards men' takin, dare not check the assassin's marderns band.

The inger of scorn is also pointed at England. It is intimated in certain others the tregland who is in a position to materially lighten the burden of the Jews in Russia has done absolutely nothing in this

respect. I will go a step further and say that she deliberately neglected to do counciliang— and yet if we IMPARTIALLY dissect and analyze all the pros and cess in the matier, we must economic linghoof from all possible belong and its the responsibility thewhere. The stand of almost the enery levish press, which from the very first day of the war declared treatf emphatically pro-German and hoosile to England, has seneth to do with it. The logic of those editors is hard to follow. We are all united of course, and all of us alided the nomity on England is a grievous mistake. Became one inter Sawsia, it is hardly reason senough to make Perace and England the target for most victous attacks. Erred Zangwill has almost been helared by cortain goo-forman scribes as a Russian agent and assaults were showered upon him in such an increasing and profile stream, that the great few had to withdraw from public life broken hearted. Every unflowment escribes has been magnified and every insquirients, yet unpleasant designations which form an uncontrollable element in every antional crises, has been frightfully exaggerated. Belt shami-forman into were promounced by them as progress against Jews; because a few wealthy Jews of Gersamic origin were compelled to resem from their publish offices, they interpreted it as an undensible sign of Jewsh proteculier. In England and the recorganization of the British cabinet and the theoretish and the factors and the compelled to resembers, has been branded in an unheared of Anti-Semitic acc.

I speak not thus to mitigate the meits of Germany and Austria as regards the Jewish mation, but I leave it to the stawnthest friends of Germany of deviate monaceus less friendly to few the provise of the leit the government to conneigate the Russian Jew, when there two countries proved frameshme less friendly to few than Germany. Do they toget that Langwill lind back of him the hosa fide provise of the leit the government to enancipate the Russian Jew, when there were no such promases made by the other

HEART RENDING CALAMITIES.

In it for your, American Jawe, to take aides? In it for your to point out to England her salvation; to condemn her alliances, to revel at her authoritimes? Who are those orators, scribes and psucdo-thinkers who in spite of a proclaimed sentrality date openly and publicly to further the interests of a heligerent; who go even so for as to criticise this government's war points? Who are they who recalcitate about the President's action and in words of blackest venom denounce his every move? Who has given these self appointed spokerson a right to speak for the lewish aution and thus recoorder the weifare of a people? WHO HAS AUTHORIZED THEM TO STGOL PIGEON UNADVISEDLY AT THE ENPENSE OF OUR UNFORTUNATE ERETHREN AND SISTERS IN RUSSIA? STATERS IN BUSSIAN

Trails would they truck or more a deking hand? All their sentres dutiess, and few authoritand."

Vain illusionists, who have striven for a prismatic hubble on a receding wave. Why scorned you one government, aroused the wrath of
another, when absolutely no reward awaits your points? You describ
yourselves with a painted branty and thus invoked the inevitable genatly. You have failed to study the past, you ignored the dictions of the
present—behold then the future. A path of tocture stream with corpoa mountroom ever of blood, wreekage and rulm; a graver and where your
sest and your home only vesterday were basking in the golden glory
of a rosente sun. You have scorned England, because you hated Runia,
you have aworn omity unlying and inextinguishable to the land of the
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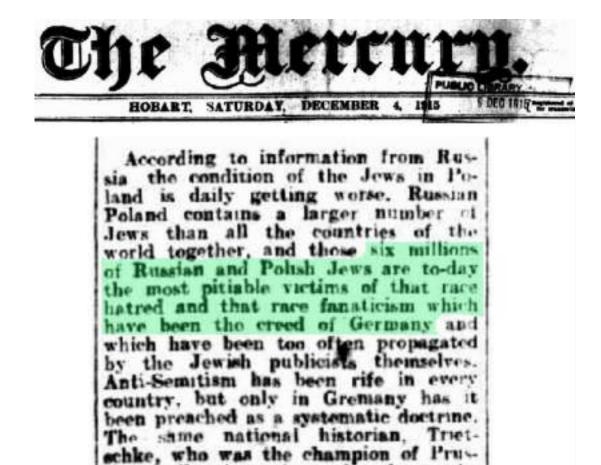
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As Icwa you should sympathize with all those belikerests, who in needy moracule consoled and assisted us, regardless of how they are lined up in the battlefeld. Then you would have been truly neutral, then you would have shown a true A mican spirit. Bestember, that after all that has been said or done, your sympathies are of little MILL TARY VALLIE to the warring autions, but while encouragement enterprises and insite dangerous passions.

This is humans nature and its laws are all powerful and mighty. It listens not be able to these the arrival to dely its sovereign power will you be able to these its workings, to dely its sovereign power.

Stand then back. You have tarried too long on a dangerous and

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"... six millions of Russian and Polish Jews are to-day the most pitiable victims of that race hatred and that race fanaticism which have been the creed of Germany ..."

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yet leading Jews like Miximilan Harden, Dernberg, and Wolff are still defending the righteous German war, and

tather of German anti-Semitism.

are still loyal to the Super-race.

The Mercury (Hobart, Australia), December 4, 1915, page 7.

THE JEWS IN THE EASTERN WAR ZONE

- p. 19 has virtually converted it into a penal settlement, where six million human beings guilty only of adherence to the Jewish faith are compelled to live out their lives in squalor and misery, in constant terror of massacre,
- p.20 At the beginning of the war the number of Jews in the Russian Empire was estimated at six million or more, comprising fully half of the total Jewish population of the world. Ninety-five per cent. of these six million people were confined by law to a limited area of Russia, known as the Pale of Settlement, consisting of the fifteen
- p.20 mendous mass of special, restrictive legislation converted the Pale into a kind of prison with six million inmates, guarded by an army of corrupt and brutal jailers.
- p.29 The persons most affected, the six million Jews of Russia, received the "Emancipation Act" with deep mistrust. They were chiefly concerned lest the news
- p.47 ness, hatred, nothing else. . . . The Jews are loyal and brave, and it is most inadvisable to pursue a policy which might convert six million subjects into enemies."
- p.60 In spite of these suspensions, however, the six million Jews of Russia still continued, in a measure, to inform themselves as to the conduct of their sons in the field.
- p.66 irretrievable disaster to the Jews of Poland and Russia. It has been estimated that nearly three of the six million Jews of Russia and Poland are now without means of support.

THE AMERICAN JEWISH COMMITTEE
NEW YORK
1916

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Governor Calls on State to Aid Jewish War Victims

The following proclamation was Issued by Gerernor Hiram W. lotuson designating Jappays 27 as Jewish Relief Day and calling guon the people of Cadiforms to assist in the work of providing relief for the destints Jews of Rurops.

"At the auggestion of these active to providing for the destitute in Europe, I hereby direct the attention of the people of California to the proclamation of the president of the United States designating Timesalay, January 27, 1910, as Jewish Relief Day, when concerted efforts will be made throughout the country to obtain funds for food and clothing for the five faillions of Jova whose homes and resources have been laid whate in the castern war zone,

"I trust that Calliornia's response will be hearty and generous and that victors everywhere will lend active to-operation to the committoe in charge,"

(By DANIEL HARRIS.)

in response to the senate resolution requesting nim to do so, Frestdent Wilson itseled a proplamation designating Johnsey 27 as a day upon which Americans may make congributions for the retlef of saffering Jews in Europe.

This is the first time in history The problem is of and; singgering proportions that the world is aghast with its solution!

Six million starving Postsh fews! |

This number represents nearly half the Jewish population of the carth! Six millions of a peacable rarenow all but foodless, sick, bare, living in holes in the graund, cold-Hierving:

The Jews have until now below contributing millions for relief in the war active countries. The present world's history pule into insignific puble. eauco:

Could the agostered cries of those six millens of men, women and litings must be likened only to the hall, deventeenth and C streets. arost exquisito forfure.

Money is needed - immediately? it will be spent in America and the provisions respect to Poland.

The Russian and German governments, with all their organization and resources; could not master this collocal task, even it they were so inclined.

It is a world problem a situation for all lumanity to put its shoulder to the wheel and relieve this unleard of distress

Prof. V.L. Kellugge of Stanford unlversity, who was a director q' rulief work in Belgium and who afterwards was sent to Poland to sandy condi-Cant the news have asked their Chris- tions there brought tears to the eyes lian friends and neighbors for help of his hearers while relating the awful sufferings of the Jowian nouple in Poland who form the greatest part of the population of the country. In Warsaw slone, one committee has had the care of 25,000 orphass children who had lost their fathers in battle and their mothers through illness.

You can belu!

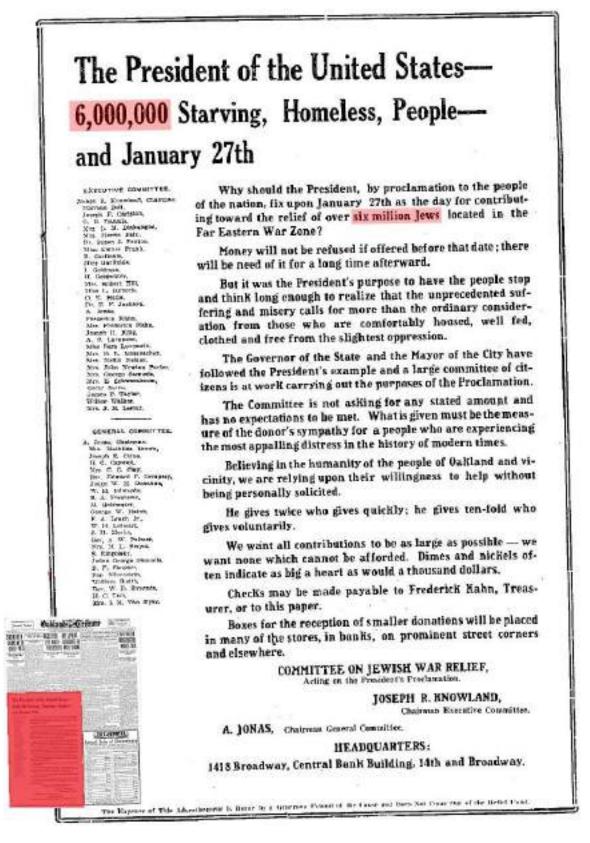
It is asked that the ministers of the various churches read the president's prachamutics from their pulpits today and edd a word in the attempt to relieve a people who are in the most desperate plight lungl-

in order that the work of relief may be semewhat organized, a meetsix millions of mon, women and lit- ing has been called for today at 11 the children reach our cors, our fools o'clock a, m. at the new K, of P. entire public is justled to attend.

Those desiring to make contributions may annel them to Mr. M. M. Lichtenstein, transurer, or to The Reno.

Let Itnicerafield be well up in the that of cities to head the call!

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"The President of the United States—6,000,000 Starving, Homeless, People—and January 27th Why should the President, by proclamation to the people of the nation, fix upon January 27th as the day for contributing towards the relief of over six million Jews located in the Far Eastern War Zone?"

Oakland Tribune (CA), January 25th, 1916, page 1. This advert also appeared on the front page on the following day's edition of the Oakland Tribune.



"... there were 6,000,000 Jews in Europe absolutely without food or resources."

The Tacoma Times (WA), February 28th, 1916, page 3.

No.24, February 1916

SCHIFF GIVES \$25,000 TO IMMIGRANT SOCIETY

Money Is Contingent on Hebrew Aid Members Raising Fund for a New Building.

Jacob H. Schiff yesterday gave \$25,000 to the Hebrew Sheltering and Immigrant Aid Society of America on condition that it creet a new building within the present year. Harry Fischel, Treasurer of the society, said last night that the new building would cost \$200,000, but that as the society had 52,000 members he felt sure that there would be no difficulty in speedily raising the money.

The announcement of Mr. Schiff's gift was made at the seventh annual meeting of the society in the auditorium of Public School 62, Hester and Essex Streets. The meeting was attended by delegates of 2,000 organizations throughout the country which were affiliated with the society.

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Among those present were James A. Reed, United States Senator from Migsouri; Louis F. Pest, Assistant Secretary to the Department of Labor; William Phillips, Assistant Secretary of State: Jacob H. Schiff, Congressman William S. Bennet, Adolph J. Subath, Isane Siegel, and Simon Wolf of Washington. The speakers were Senator Reed, Congressman Bennet, and Secretary Phillips.

Judge Sanders, President of the Suclets, in his annual report declared that even the wrongs of the Belgions could not be commared to the outrages hosped apon the Polish Jows. Nonthy six million Jows are ruined." he hald. In

the greatest moral and material misery; millions of them are refugees, dependent upon the good will of their brethren. And the world is silent, perhaps because no Bryce Commission has gathered the details of this terrible period and published them to the world. I ask the people of this free and peaceful and neutral land. I appeal to the Government of the United States, in the name of humanity, to appeal to the manie of humanity, to appeal a commission to investigate these wrongs committed upon our hapless people in Bastera Europe. Let the world know and Judge!"

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The report also said that owing to the war immigration on the Pacific Coast has become unusually active. Many refugees who made long journeys from Russia through Siberia and Manchuria arrived at San Francisco and Seattle. The society, therefore, organized branches in these cities, which are carring for these refugees. It added that 15,000 applications had been made for naturalization papers at the offices of the society or its branches.

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Senator Reed said that America was the only country that had ever granted the Jews complete and absolute equality.

equality.

An Advisory Board was elected, consisting of Max J. Kohler, Edward Lonterbach, Louis Marshall, Jacob H. Schiff, Isaac N. Seligman, Oscar S. Straus, Rev. Dr. Stephen S. Wise of New York, Adolf Kraus and Julian W. Mack of Chicago, Rev. Dr. Martin A. Meyer and Lucius Solomons of San Francisco, Isaac W. Fernheim of Louis-ville, Louis D. Brandeis of Boston, Moses Fratey of St. Louis, Ben Selling of Portland, Ore.; Mayer Sulzberger of Philadelphia, and Simon Wolf of Washington, D. C.

"Judge Sanders, President of the Society, in his annual report declared that even the wrongs of the Belgians could not be compared to the outrages heaped upon the Polish Jews. "Nearly six million Jews are ruined," he said."

THE JEWS AND THE WAR.

Meetings at Barnstaple.

The annual meetings of the local branch of the British Society for the Propagation of the Gospel among the Jews were held on Thursday at the Rackfield Hall, Barnstaple (by kind permission of Mr. Stanger).

Rockfield Hall, Barnstaple (by kind permission of Mr. Stanger).

In the afternoon the Mayoress (Mrs. F. A. Jewell) presided, and there was a representative gathering of all denomination—in the town. Among others present were Mr. and Mrs. Stanger and the deputation (Rev. F. J. Extey).

Mr. J. K. Curry (the local Hon. Secretary) presented a pleasing report. In which he stated that public opinion was more favourable than it had been towards the object the Society had in view. The financial year (1914-15) had been a good one, the total receipts being £9 Is. The Rackfield Hall box yielded Hs. 3d., and Miss Cox's box 8s 6d.

The Gecretary was heartly thanked for his report and services.

The Rev. F. J. Exhex delivered an eloquent and interesting address on the "Jaws and the War," after which light refreshments were provided by a few friends for the gathering.

In the evening Mr. Stanger presided over a large attendance, and interestingly told of how he worked among the Jews who attended the Barnstaple Fair. He had always found them most courteous—gentlemanly, he might say—and they were ever willing to hear his remarks on spiritual mattern. One thing he could not talk to them about was their manner of living; the Jews were by far a cleaner-living race than the English.

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The Rev. F. J. Exley gave another engrossing address on "The Jews and the War," but dealt with his theme from a different standpoint to that of the afternoon, and relterated as little as possible what he had said at the afternoon meeting. The Jews, he said, had thrown themselves into this great donflict that was testing men and revealing the secrets of their hearts. To uncounted thousands of Jews this War was the latest chapter in the age of long sorrow of the martyrdom of their people. Referring to how the War affected the Jews, he said that fully ten millions out of the thirteen millions of Jews in the world had found homes in the countries at present engaged in this Titanic struggie. In some of these countries the War found these people smarting under the same of bitter wrong. But instead of saying "You have shown us you wanted to do without us in time of peace, you can do without us in time of peace, you can do without us in time of fends were ignored, and old quarrels forgetten, and the Jews flocked in thousands to the colours. One of the tradegles of the situation was that the Jew had been compelled by his some of duty to take up the sworld against the Jew brother fighting against brother. One saw the fineness of it too, because it meant cach were possessed of the true spirit of patriotism; each was ready to shoulder the responsibilities as well as enjoy the privileges of citizenship. When the War broke out into the hereic Serbian Army there passed 2,500 Jews. In the French Army there passed 2,500 Jews. In the French Army there passed 1,700; in the Italian Army were an equal mamber, in the army of Great Britain and the Dominions—and he was speaking of the figures before Lord Derby's scheme was introduced—were 25,000 Jews. (Applause.) A more significant Dominions—and he was speaking of the figures before Lord Derby's scheme was introduced—were 25,000 Jews. (Applause.) A more significant fact was that Russia, to her army, had no fewer than 645,000 Jews. So in the Armies of the Allies there were considerably over fall a million of Jews. The speaker related the adventures of a company of soldiers composed exclusively of Turka, who had done extremely valuable and appreciable work in the fallipoli Peninsula, where their knowledge of the contents of the Turks stood them in good stead hereral of these soldiers gained the D.C. medal, and high opinions of them were expressed by their

leader, Col. Pattison. The approximate numbers of Joses who had won distinctions in the field write —16 ID.C. O., S.D.S.O., T. Milliary Cross. and 3 the Victoria Cross. In the Russian Army the first man to gain the Order of St. George was a Jowish student. One Jewish soldier had been decorated in Russia five times for his splandid reaklessness. To appreciate what these displays of heroism and rocklessness meant, one must remember that the Jows were not a people of military ideals or traditions. When the onthreak of war occurred there was an over the offices of the Jewis Chrosacte, in London, this motte. England has been all she could be to like Just the Jows will be all they can be to England. They had been living up to that worthy and inspiring mutto. Proceeding, Mr. Extey said that when the Jews were able to took back upon the War with a certain pride they would also have to look back on it with great sorrow. Multitudes had suffered in every part of the War arm. In Poiand, in Southern and Western Russia, six million Jows resided when the War arm in Poiand, in Southern and Western Russia, six million Jows resided when the War troke out. They have the land and then passed ou. But it did not. Seven reparate times up to now that awful lide chied and flowed across the land. And the land was stripped bare. Was it at all littely that what is happening in the world just now is to bring about a brighter day for the Jows hopping. In the first place he did not think the Jows would agoin be persecuted in Russia as much as they had in the post. Concerning the re-sattlement of the Jows and in more ways than one. In the first place he did not think the Jows would agoin be persecuted in the land that was given them, he did not know whether God was going to bring about the re-sattlement of the Jows are patently confident that it would come in some way, and that one day the fulliment of that divine plan was the fact that the way. He was stronely inclined to think that when the War is over the Turk would no longer stand in the that any other great Power should possess that point of strategic advantage—because Palestine was a point of strategic advantage. The land was waiting for the Jews, and the Jews were waiting for the land. The country of Palestine had been kept separate by the nations as though by a miracle. Writers in the leading journals stated they saw a movement in a new direction. He saw something else; he saw the Hand of God. Out of the midst of the terrible chaotic movement of our time God knew how to make the wrath of man to carry out His great purpose, and the meeting that evening would have been well worth while if he could help them to cherish that hope.

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On questions being invited a member of the audience asked the Rev. Exley whether the Jews' return to Palestine would be a political or a religious movement. Mr. Exley said he thought it would be neither; the movement would, he thought, rather be of a national character, because there would be non-thristians among them. It would arise from the desire of the Jews to have a land of their own, and he thought this War was bringing this about. The Jews would be tired, so to speak, of this conflict, and would seek refuge in their own land.

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The collection in the afternoon amounted to £1 3s. 6d., the evening offering realising 16s. 6d.

"In Poland, in Southern and Western Russia, six million Jews resided when the War broke out. They lived there in the pale of settlement, in poverty, and were terribly overcrowded."

Brungung Word From War Lost Jews; The Sort of News That Comes From Poland, Austria and Russia.

(By Roth Pickering-Exclusive Service The Survey Press Rureau).

brother. I saw him last in the village of Novaia."

"Learn for me of Mendel, my son, the man who limps. Ask the people in the town of Kalach, in the south of Russia. They will know what has become of him."

With requests like these on their hos, thousands of cost side Jews are daily climbing six flights of stairs at 77 Delautey street, New York city, for in their first hurry to get word of those whom they had lost, they broke the elevator.

In a small undirection and a few extra rooms at this address the Hebrew Shelter and Jumigrant Aid Society of America is telling the Jews of this country what has become of their friends and relatives abroad. The andertaking was begun last fall, when Isadore Herabifeld went abroad to organize in Botterdown a conter of coinmunication between American Jews and their suffering relatives in Poland, Russia and Austrie.

The First List.

In December the first list sout back by Mr. Herschield, containing a thousand names of persons who had been asked for or who were inquiring for the help of some friend hero, was road at a meeting everdewing the roarss of the bureau by hundreds. The next day 200 or 300 who had been forced to wait on the sidewalks the night before were given news of their loved ones, and by given news of their loved ones, and by a o'clock the bureau had filed 11,530 fresh requests for information. Periodic public meetings have since been held to give out news received from abroad.

Mr. Horshfield baving organized his hendquarters in Rottordam, proceeded to Berlin, and is now in Poland. From there he expects to go into Russin.

Most of those who are less live in the small towns where Jews solden have a family name. In the large towns, since the Jews were freed, they have adopted family names, often by governmental request. All the surds of the applicants for information ask for the nicknown, and when the applicant has given this and the current name, the less known European address of the one less known European address of these still in Russin who might know of him, he is handed a card with a number on it and is ushed not to come back, until he receives a postal from the bureau.

Relief Funds.

When nows finally comes—perhaps that his father is alive with his sister in the little village of Zamoste in southern Poland, but that she has consumption contracted from postileuro in the wake of war and he is without money to help her, or perhaps that his bestier is a prisoner in an Austrian camp, or that his mother had filed because she has no meany for food—theories she has no meany for and it is some out's tack to tell him what word has been received.

The news is almost always tragic. That intense family feeling so characteristic of the Jews becomes more than ever clear as the boart-broken father or mother or son or daughter, turns away from the desk and returns in a day or two asking how \$50 or \$75 can be safely sont abroad.

These small amounts of anoney for relief are supplemented by money raised in energetic comparigns carried on throughout this country to send to the six million Jews reported starving in the warring countries.

Three million, seven hundred and fifty thousand dollars has up to dake been collected and sent to Jews in Russia, Galicia, Poland and Palestine, by the Jewish Relief committee. Their first mass meeting in Carnegia hall, New York city, brought in \$500,000 in pledges and netual contributions. Since then railies all ever the United States have raised the amount to where it now stands.

Under the joint committee on dewish relief, of which Pelix Wachary is abstract, are two other committees: One the control contentities working for funds among the synagogues, and the other, the people's relief committee. The inster branch co operates with the trade unions and colicits from business people. The women's auxiliary of this committee, with Mrs. Philip Lawissian as chairman, has plumed a series of tag stays to gather money.

To keep alive the two and one-half million Jons in the twenty Russian provious under the care of the Jewish Colonization society in Petrogram, it is estimated that \$20,000 reables per month is needed.

While the money is being used primarily to buy bread, it is being speak also, it is declared, to rebuild releads, In these acknots children will be clashed and fed, and distracted as far as possible from the misery in which they are growing up. Where armies have fought and passed as as in Gatisia, some of the propey is going for re-babilitation.

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Religion, Not Race Consciousness, Should Dominate Thought of the Jewish People

By Rabbi SAMUEL SCHULMAN, New York City

Where they are oppressed, exploited, crushed and robbed of every inalienable human right. The world does not recognize the Jews as an ordinary nation in the sense in which it talks of the nationality of various peoples.

It is not by emphasizing Jewish nationality that the Jew will ever obtain his rights, political, civic and religious, in the world. His business is to be the everlasting protagonist on behalf of the thought of humanity

as again-t the exclusiveness of race.

HE IS THE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE INTERNATIONAL SPIRIT-UAL PEOPLE.

The business of the Jew is to throw into the background his race and so called nationality and emphasize exclusively his religious character. He must organize himself as a religious community and as nothing else. If he wants to borrow trouble in this country, if he wants to make his position bord, if he wants to intensify the propodice against him, if he wants to pass de respects for the hands of his enemies, then he will, in the sport of madress, helpe his history, seek to ann away from his mission and TALK OF HIMSELF AS A DISTINCT COMMUNITY OR NATION IN THIS COUNTRY

"Six million Jews are living in lands where they are oppressed, exploited, crushed and robbed of every inalienable human right."

Corsicana Daily Sun (TX), February 16th, 1917, page 2.

IN HUMANITY'S NAME.

Next week the people of Fort Wayne, regardless of race or religion, are to be given an opportunity to contribute to the cause of the Jewish relief work in the European war zone. This is an opportunity which in so great a degree partakes of the elements of privilege that it must be welcomed by all to whom it is presented. For it involves not only the furtherance of a work which is intensely patriotic but sublimely humane. The Jewish Welfare Board, which together with the Y. M. C. A. and the K. of C. cajoys government sanction in relief work, is engaged in an activity of tremendous importance and far reaching philanthropy. In the war zone of Europe there are six million Jews who have been the war's worst sufferers, the majority of these unhappy people residing in the territory of Poland and Russia where the conflict's devastation has been complete. For four years misery and suffering have held sway there and it is estimated that during this period one million persons have actually died of starvation. It is planned to raise next week from fifteen million to twenty millions of dollars in this countury to relieve in a slight measure the woe that exists, a relief which it is hoped will at least preserve the lives of thousands who without it must perish miscrably. It is not a call of sect or race but of common humanity and one to which all classes of our citizenship should be gratefully willing to respond. The Jewish Welfare Board likewise looks after the interests of the members of the Jewish faith in the military service of the country and as there are of these 70,000 out of a population of 3,000,000 it will readily be seen that the members of this particular religious institution have been anything but remiss in their response to their country's call. The funds to be raised next week are for the dual purpose of promoting the welfare of the soldiers and of affording relief to the millions who are destitute, suffering, and imperiled by the calamitous fortunes of a terrible war. The call is one from those in need to those in peace and plenty and it cannot be ignored. It is compelling and not to be denied.

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CLAIMS PALESTINE HAS ROOM FOR SIX MILLION

count James Bryce that Pales- tural regions of Europe, in fact tine cannot accomodate more its distribution is even more than 300,000 Jewish colonists, is favorable. The mountains of strongly controverted by the fig- Palestine are covered with 'nariures offered by Carl Balod, of crust' affording a serviceable the University of Berlin, the soil for tree-plantation. Olive leading German economist. In trees, vines, almond and fig trees a lecture delivered in Vienna re- have thriven here without articently under the auspices of ficial irrigation, from time im-"Pro-Palestine" (The German memorial. Committee for the Promotion of ment) Prof. Ballod said:

Taking into consideration only hectares of level or slightly flowvelopment, 44,000 hectares (a of Palestine. hectare is equivalent to 2,471 reds of orchards.

of the Jordan will offer 150,000 that are reviving these counbectares after the necessary tries." dams and canals have been constructed. This country will be of "Pro-Palestine" Prof. Ballod particularly suitable for rice, said: 'We have organized besugar, coffee and cocca cultiva- cause, we, of whom the major-

der available the coastal plain movement which must be judged from Gaza to Carmel, compris- both by its ideal and its practical ing 250,000 hectares. The Audja aspect. In this connection Zionriver pouring into the Medditer- ism can be compared only to the anean north of Jaffa, has a flow movement of the Puritans and of 10 cubic meters per second, Quakers who went to America in sufficient for the irrigation of the 17th century and who have 66,000 hectares, at an irrigation left as their heirloom the whole elevation of 500 milimetres, suf- ethical ground-work of domern ton and soya-beans. Moreover, a great economical developthe rainfall in Palestine aver- ment."

The recent statement by Vis- ages with that of the agricul-

"On the whole, we may estithe Jewish Palestine Settle- mate Palestine, employing minimum figures, as follows: 300,000 "It is quite possible for Pales- hectares of fertile lowlands, tine to find room for five to six which by means of artificial irmillions who may seek to return rigation can be made to yield to agriculture in that country, a double annual harvest; 600,000 the fertile valleys and lowlands ing suitable for agriculture; we find an acres of 700,000 to 400,000 hectares in the Hauran, 800,000 hectares (1,729,700 to capable of one annual harvest, 1,976,800 acres) will suffice to and at least one million hectares produce the food of six millions of hill and mountain country of people, reckoned in meat and covered with nari-crust. There corn. This would still leave the remain, therefore, only 700,000 highlands available for orchards hectares of non-productive soft. and similar agricultural de- or 25 per cent of the entire area

"The question of acquirement acres) are already in Jewish of the land," continued Prof. possession, not including hund- Ballod, "ought to present no insuperable difficulties. Most of "Of the fertile regions of the land is already owned by Palestine, the first and foremost great Arab land-owners, waiting is the great plain of Jesroel with for their price, and the Fellahin an accrage of 30,000 hectares would willingly leave for North 20,000 on the coast of Galilee; Syria or Babylon if they were 15,000 on the great plain border- offered better conditions ing on Hule Lake. The Valley through the civilizing influences

In explanation of the motives-. ity are non-Jews, take a special "Artificial Irrigation will ren- "interest in Zionist aims. It is a ficient for the dry culture of cot- America, and who also initiated

"Claims Palestine Has Room For Six Million ... "It is quite possible for Palestine to find room for five to six millions ... 800,000 hectares will suffice to produce the food of six millions of people,""

STIRRING MESSAGE ON JEWISH **RELIEF FROM DR. NATHAN KRASS**

Eloquent Rabbi, at Local Luncheon, Touches the Hearts of His Hearers—Fund to Be Raised in Kern County

More than thirty citizens of Bakersfield met Dr. Nathan Krass, representing the Jewish Rolief committee, at luncheon today at the new St. Francis cafe at 1 o'clock, to hear his mission concerning the work of that committee in ministering to the six million starving Jews in Poland, Galicia and other stricken Eastern provinces and they heard a message powerful in expression and thought and convincing in its appeal. The tables were decorated with the flags of the allied nations, and after the delightful luncheon. Jos. Redlick, who presided, presented Dr. Krass, who is a noted rabbi of New York and who is making a nation-wide tour in the behalf of the cause. No effort to raise a fund was made. That was not the purpose of the function. But the speaker, after relating that \$12,000,000 had been raised last year, and that \$20,000,000 will be needed this year, that Jew and Gentile alike, all over the land are interested in the work as they are in all war work, said there is no quota for Bakersfield, that the amount that will be contributed rests on the generosity of the people and the virility fo the leadership.

A Strong Appeal.

Dr. Krass spoke for 30 minutes, and his pictures of the suffering and distress in the east left an indelible impress on the minds of his hearers while his words of patriotism, his praise of the unity of the American people, touched a responsive chord. In forceful words the terrible tragedies enacted in the eastern part of Europe and in Palestine were described by the orator. Words can not begin to describe the suffering of the Jewish people in that faraway region.

Scene after scene of the terrible cruelties forced upon the Jews by

of the Jewish people in that far-away region.

Scene after scene of the terrible cruelties forced upon the Jews by the enemy were pictured.

"Little children, half crazed by lack of food, eat the grass in the fields to stay their hunger, while the older people are dying in great numbers from starvation." said Dr. Krass.

The fund which is being raised by the American Jewish Relief War organization is to be used as a humanitarian fund to furnish relief to the suffering Jews, and not to further a religious demonstration, the speaker pointed out. This is practically the first time that the American population as a whole has been asked to help the Jewish cause and they have been most magnanimous in their response, he said.

War Destroys Prejudice

"We are now united as a people in America as we never were before. The hyphen is being washed away by the precious blood of our boys 'Over There.' A Jowish boy in Flanders held aloft a cruciffx before the eyes of his dying Catholic comrade while a Protestant lad ran to fetch a little water to moisten the praying lips. That picture typiffes the new spirit of fellowship. No more divisions through creedal hatreds. And in the spirit of those three American soldiers 'Over There' the people here must unite in all good causes for common humanity."

Will Organize.

Bakersfield citizens, later, will organize to take up the work for the Jewish relief. The committee will consist of Jews and non-Jews, and the sentiment expressed following the luncheon reflecting that of the community, there will be the usual generous response that this city and county give to all worthy causes in connection with the war.

Those Who Attended.

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Those who attended the luncheon to meet Dr. Krass were:

A. Weill, Joseph Redlick, W. H. Hill, H. A. Jastro, M. M. Lichtenstein, Alfred Harrell, B. E. Diggs, Max Fielschman, H. A. Peairs, M. Hochbeimer, S. Weiskopf, J. A. Hughes, H. I. Tupman, Norman Misrarh, O. Scharfries, Joseph Chain, Martin Ruhn, Ike Harrison, Sam Bork, W. W. Kaye, Arthur S. Crites, A. W. Mason, Edgar R. Fuller, Daniel Harris, A. L. Waugenheim, Abe Reigler, Nat R. Solomon, Morris Green, James Bloom, E. A. Klein, Jos Malalmrude,

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THE NEW YEAR



the Jewish people, few New Years have been so fraught with consequence as the one which is approaching. The great Pale of Settlement in Western Russia, where alone in the modern world where alone in the modern world survived a vitally characteristic Jewish life, has been shattered. Fiery waves of opposing armies swept over it. The great Russian retreat devastated it. And now anarchy has supervened to complete the destruction of the few obvious landmarks and gracious monuments of the spirit that war may have left untouched. Not in Belgium nor in Servia has the ruin been greater or the suffer-ings of the population more terri-ble. The beautiful forms in which the beautiful forms in which civilization embodies its multiple energies have crumbled. There is no longer gesture nor efflorescence. Life has been reduced to the animal monotony of sustaining existence. That alone now is effort enough, a great burden, not have the consequently and this consequence.

borne very successfully. And this is the cost of the war in the Pale! For a few brief months, as if in testimony to the recuperative power of the most ancient and most astonishing of races, their spirits soared with bright hope when the Revolution, like a gush oi primal energy, dethroned the czar and broke the backbone of bureaucracy. Who does not re-member the cheerful prophecies that were indulged in on every side but little more than a year ago? For all the world, it was as if the Jewish people had never been oppressed in Russia and would never be oppressed there again. More thoughtful observers, reading the present in the light of the past, could not conceal their misgivings of the permanency of freedom gained at a giant's stride, unaccompanied by the throes and agonies that seem to be the nec-essary incidents to historical struggles for freedom. It was a coup-d'etat rather than a Revo-lution. Beholding the uprisings, the mutinies, the general lack of restraint and of deference to the newly constituted authority, the relaxation alike of the sanctions of religion and the penalties of law, the breaking up over night of all the ordered institutions of society and the tribunals of justtice, within whose calm shadows alone there is peace, thoughtful spectators had ample grounds for their opinion that there could not be freedom for the Jewish people in Russia until there should be freedom for the Russian people in Russia. And freedom for the Russian people is still a long way off

It is a time of immense uncer-Lvoff, Miliukoff, Rodzi-Kerensky — names that

Alas! we have seen that what we Alasi we have seen unit when took for the figures of giants were only the shadows of men, given terrifying dimensions by the lurid light of the upseething fires be-

fore which they stood.

They, too, have been swept away; and to their efforts, wise or unwise as they may seem to be in the light of history, succeeded the devil dance of the Bolsheviki. Never in the chronicles of the world, not even in the Parisian Terror, have the shocked eyes of mankind beheld a wilder phantas-magoria, compounded of ideals and fanaticism and criminality.

Drest in a little brief authority,
Most ignorant of what he's most assured His glassy essence, like an angry

ape Plays such fantastic tricks before high heaven As make the angels weep . . .

Grievous as have been the sufderings of the Russian people un-der this regime, the sufferings of the Jewish people have been even more grievous. Accused on the more grievous. Accused on the hand by the middle classes of harboring extremists and of having had the unwelcome distinction of contributing a Trotsky to Russian politics, on the other hand they have been attacked by the Red Guards and the Soviets because they are declared to belong to the hated Bourgeosie. If the people of Russia themselves suffer under the iron heel of Germany, the sufferings of the Jewish people are far greater because to the tyranny of German occupation has been added the burden of Russian out-

the Jews are ground between the upper and the nether millstone. In upper and the nether millstone. In Russia of the Czars they were an alien people, hemmed in by every restrictive law that the ingenuity of the bigot could devise, and marked for slaughter at will by the base passions of a mob inflamed by a venal police. In Russia of the Revolution they are still an alien people, a buffer between conflicting hatreds in a class war.

Should Russia in the course of

Should Russia in the course of should kussa in the course of time ultimately win her way to peace, order, and security under some system of democratic and enlighted government, it is not improbable that the Jews will share with all other Russians a larger measure of civic freedom than they have ever had heretofore. But it is a long and tortu-

In the vast and tragic history of Jewish people, few New cars of mankind, personages who ears have been so fraught with onsequence as the one which is approaching. The great Pale of the world! sounded like trumpet peals in the ous road to that happy consummation. Who knows whether the strode forth seemingly as great Jewry of Russia will be able to as the giants of Genesis in this stand up under the blows that newer creation of the world! stand up under the blows that have been rained upon it by Ger-mans and Russians alike, by foreign wars and domestic broils? And should it survive, may not the thoughtful Russian Jew, lover of old Russia though he be-cause his people have inhabited it for a thousand years, reasonably ask himself whether even with the accomplishment of freedom, the characteristic life of his people as a people will be preserved? May he not well entertain troublesome questionings whether it is more likely to undergo the dissolving process which it seems to have undergone in all the western lands undergone in all the western lands of the emancipation. That is a speculation for the future. It is enough to say of the present that Russia, where the bulk of the Jewish people to the number of well over six million still dwell, is a land of blood and of midnight darkness. Kisheneff was an isodated episode in comparison. It will be a heartin comparison. It will be a heart-rending New Year that the Jews

of Russia will celebrate this year. But as the sun for the present seemingly sinks in the West, it rises once more in the East, Who does not know of the British declaration favoring the establishment in Palestine of a national home for the estine of a national home for the Jewish people? From north of Jaffa, across the plains of Philistia, up through the hills of Judaca, down once more to the River Jordan, and so beyond to the Mesopo-tamian desert, extends the gallant British line. Jewish young men are fighting in it. The Jewish Legion is eloquent testimony of the valor of the Jewish youth who from all the free lands of the Dispersion have rallied round the Shield of David to bear it onward bravely in battle for liberty and the old homeland as did the legions under the Maccabees and Bar Cochba. Nothing more signifi-cant of the enduring worth of the Jewish race has occurred since the destruction of the Temple, Nothing has had a more inspiring effect upon Jewry the world over. Zion-ism is no longer a dream. It is an ism is no longer a dream. It is an establish fact. The blue-and-white banner with its star streams once more over the walls of Jeru-salem. In Palestine alone is there salem. In Palestine alone is there an opportunity of establishing anew a center of characteristic Jewish life. It is the greatest consequence that may come with the New Year—that will surely come with the continued success of the British come and the picture of the Allienters. arms and the victory of the Allies, Jews, who have fought for the lib-erties of all other peoples, are now fighting for their own liberty as

For liberty America, too, has girded herself for combat, the last great

nation of the world to enter the in evitable battle. Americans of all faiths have rallied round Freedon. at its call. Jews who shall be en-rolled in the armies of the free allies have an added distinction. They fight not alone to secure the safety of the native lands which have given them freedom and opportu-nity, but also to establish a princi-ple in the world for which they, as people, have stood as protagonists for over eighteen hundred and sev-

enty years.

If this war is to establish a reign of law in the world, who can en-gage in it with minds more con-vinced and wills more resolute than the Jewish people, who, from the time of Moses upon Sinai, have proclaimed the sanctity of law? If this war is to establish a reign of right over the might, who can support it more ardently than the Jewish people? Was it not their prophet who cried out, "Not by might nor by power, but by my spirit, saith the Lord of Hosts." If this war is to establish the binding obligation of plighted covenants, who can enter it with greater enthusiasm than the Jews, who throughout historical times have suffered as none others from a cynical disregard of treaties? If this this war is to establish a reign of ical disregard of treaties? If this war is to give to peoples the world over, freedom, a voice in their own destiny, and a right to live their own lives without dictation, wheth-er they be large or small, who can er they be large or small, who can engage in it with more zeal than the Jewish people—they who are the smallest of nations, the most outraged over the longest period of time, the most unyielding, and the most persistently hopeful of an era when liberty should be proclaimed throughout all the world and to all the inhabitants thereof?

Amid the inarticulate discordant voices that rise from Russia, and the clash of arms, the turmoil of battle, and the cries of agony that fill the hearts and spirits of suffer-ing mankind, amid the heave and tug and granding combats of the very forces of the Universe, as it were, comes the New Year of the

Never a day of light-hearted festivity, but rather of grave and sol-enn communion, New Year this year will be in the truest sense, in the phrase of Leviticus, a Sabbath and a memorial of blowing of trumpets, a holy convocation, with an offering made by fire unto the

The New Year is called the Day of Memorial. To what great memor-ies will the blowing of the trumpets summon us before the Lord—mem-ories of that grandeur which is Jewish history; memories of home and family and the freedom which we have enjoyed in this blessed land; memories of every hill and valley

"... Russia, where the bulk of the Jewish people to the number of well over six million still dwell, is a land of blood and midnight darkness."

SAMUEL MASON DESCRIBES AWFUL SUFFERING OF RUSSIAN REFUGES

Special Commissioner of Hebrew Sheltering and Immigrant Society Submits Report of His Six Months Labor at Harbin and Vladivostock.

Describes Relief Work Among 20,000 Russian Refugees Who Have Been Compelled to Travel Thousands of Miles to Escape the Enemy.

In a report to the director of the Hebrew Sheltering and Imhardships to escape the enemy. Over 20,000 Jewish war refugees horrible plight nearly broke my beart. are scattered east of the Urals.

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their homes, they went eastward in their flight, because their nearest of kin are in the United States. They, too, are stranded but their position is made more precarious by a hostile regime, augemented by the setting loose of thousands of German war prisoners, who look upon the Jewish victims as the easiest prey for exercising their ill-concealed desire for vengeance upon their enemies. Thus the plight of the 8,000 Jewish refugees from Kowna and Suwalke Gubernias now in Tomsk was for a time indescribable, owing to the persecution of the fomer German prisoners, whom the Bolsheviki permitted to administer and control that

The condition at Vladivostock is deplorable, the main trouble migrant Aid Society, Mr. Samuel Mason, who went to Japan and there is with the male refugees who are not given any assistance Russia as special commissioner for the organization, tell the story by the local community. Says Mr. Mason: "They are actually of the terrible hardships endured by Jewish war refugees from picking up crumbs of bread wherever they can find them and they Russia. The report describes the havor the war has caused among sleep in any shed they can find along the railroad tracks. Their lews of Russia. Driven by the invading armies, number is very large. In the course of my investigation in Vladthe Jews have been compelled to flee from their bomes; tens of ivostock I came across several hundreds at the railroad station at thousands have traveled thousands of miles amidst the greatest 5 o'clock one morning. Their pitiful pleas and the recital of their

From the very inception of the work, even before Mr. Mason The relief organized by the Hebrew Sheltering and Immigrant sailed for the Far East, the United States Government evinced a Aid Society of America came none too soon. The work is only deep interest in the fate of the refugees, and "had it not been for in its inception, but what has been accomplished thus far shows the broad humanitarianism that actuates the administration in that American Jewry must make strenuous endeavors to rescue Washington, our efforts," Mr. Mason reports, "might have been these war refugees, the vast majority of them women and child-frustrated at the very outset. War conditions made it necessary for the promulgation of a new policy in regard to the visa of alien Mr. Mason strived in Yokohama on January 1. From that day passports and the American Consuls in Japan naturally had to until July 5, when he left to return to New York for the purpose guide themselves accordingly. However, due to your prompt of reporting upon this work and discussing the needs of the action in advising the State Department of the character of our future, his whole time was occupied in organizing relief agencies work and thanks to the thorough comprehension of that work by In Yokohama, Harbin, Valdivostock, Tokyo, Kobe and Nagassaki. our Government officials, some of the greatest difficulties were The result of the work is embodied in the report to the board of overcome after the State Department had issued special instrucdirectors of the Hebrew Sheltering and Immigrant Ald Society tions to the American Consuls at Harbin, Vladivostock, Kobe and of America, new made public by Mr. John L. Bernstein, the pres- Yokohama relative to the passports of women and children-war refugees-who are destined to male relatives in the United States. Among the refugees were one hundred and six non-Jews, Poles, The consuls not only followed the letter of the modified instruc-Slavs, Armenians, Syrians and Persians. It goes without saying tions of the State Department, but they evidenced too a willingthat they received every care. As previously stated, more than ness to reflect the liberal spirit of President Wilson's administra-20,000 refugees are scattered east of the Urals. This is a con-tion. Having satisfied themselves as to the worthiness and the pervative estimate. Driven by the enemy, thousands of miles from eligibility of the applicant, they promptly visued the passport.

"The report describes the havoc the war has caused among the six million Jews of Russia. Driven by the invading armies, the Jews have been compelled to flee from their homes;"

The Columbus Jewish Chronicle (OH), September 13, 1918, page 1.

\$1,000,000,000 FUND TO REBUILD JEWRY

ix Million Souls Will Need Help to Resume Normal Life When War Is Ended.

LOANS WITHOUT INTEREST

Committee of American Jews Lays Plans for the Greatest Humanitarian Task in History.

The American people, Jews and non-Jews alike, will soon be asked to lend or contribute the larger part of a fund of approximately \$1,000,000,000 to carry out plans for the reconstruction of the Jewry of the effect, together with the general plan of procedure, was made public last night, following a meeting held rester-day in the office of Felix M. Warburg of Kuhn, Loeb & Co., Chairman of the Joint Distribution Committee of the American Funds for Jewish War Suf-

While the appeal will go out to the en-tire world, the people of war-ravaged Europe, it is believed, will not be in position to further the plan financially to any large extent, so that the burden will fall upon the United States, Canada, and perhaps England.

The money for the project, the largest

ourly humanitarian undertaking in his-tory, will not be sought alone through contributions, but will embrace loans, and will be accepted from non-Jewish as well as Jewish sources. The exact date and the duration of the campaign for the billion-dellar reconstruction fund was not announced, but preliminary work

not announced, but preliminary work has already begin.

The plan is the result of menths of study by the Joint Distribution Committee of reports from every country in which Jews have been made to suffer through the war, and includes the sending of commissions of American Jews, experts in philanthropy, social service, education, and business, to Russia, Rumania, Poland, Palestine, Serbia, Greece, Bulgaria, and other lands as soon as the international situation permits. The work has already been initiated in several countries where recent allied successes have made a beginning possible.

From reports from representatives abroad it is estimated that of the 9,-000,000 to 12,000,000 souls making up the Jewish population of the world, exclusive of the 3,000,000 Jews in the United States, a quarter of the number are destitute, starving, and homeless, and fully half will need assistance to become self-supporting again.

Loans without interest will be made available to Jews in various parts of the world so that business enterprises may be reconstructed. The only se-curity will be the stability of the in-dustries after they have been put upon a sound business foundation. The only mortgages, it was said, will be "mort-gages of honor" on the word of the

Jewish people.

The work has already been inaugurated through the organization of three commissions. Miss H. Goldman, daughter of Dr. Julius Goldman of New York, is now on her way to Saloniki, and she will visit Serbia, Bulgaria, and Rumania soon as possible to establish a branch of the committee in each country. Dr. Solomon Lowenstein, Superintendent of the Hebrew Orphan Asylum of New York, is on his way to this country, following an inspection trip to Palestine on behalf of the committee. Dr. Borls D. Bogen, Secretary of the Field Bureau of the National Conference of Jewish

of the National Conference of Jewish Charities, has applied for passports for Viadivostok, and will go there under the auspices of the committee.

Realizing the immensity of the task of reconstruction and the labor, funds, and scientific knowledge required, the John Distribution Committee has inaugurated a study of the huge problem, with a view to being prepared as rapidly as conditions allow to enter upon a program of permanent rehabilitation, sulted to the especial needs, environment, and circumstances of the Jews in different parts of the world.

The commissions to be sent from America will perform their labors and render American assistance through representative Jews of the nations and localities to which they go, following out the present policy of the Joint Distribution Committee in disbursing the more than \$20,000,000 raised by American Jewry for war relief since 1914.

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It is planned to give reconstruction work the benefit of American system, energy, and resourcefulness, reinforced by American millions. The scope of the undertaking in its broad outlines em-braces the following:

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1. Immediate and temporary assistance
necessary to price the way for permanent
reconstruction, viz.: the supplying of food,
clothing, shelter and medical attention.

2. Scientific study upon the ground of
the various forms reconstruction shall
take, according to the needs of the sevard populations. Of lablor, through the
planning and carrying out of projects by
which workers may be most advantageously and economically snade self-supporting and the public welfare furthest advanced.

4. Hepatriation of refugees and the reestablishment of the family and home.

5. Supplying of raw materials needed for
the industrial life of the community.

8. Vecational and technical schools for
the training of the young.

7. Gernliuth Chasedim—the extension of free loans—loans without interest—to the deserving, for the purpose of engaging in useful business and occupations.

S. Provision for the spiritual and moral welfare, through assistance to the Pablic, Yeshivoth (Jewish Theological University). Taimud Toraha (tichicum Schools) and other religious and higher Schools) and other religious and higher faith.

S. The return to the United States of American citizens, exhibit through the war in enemy and neutral countries, reuniting them to their families.

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"Members of the Joint Distribution Committee, desiring to anticipate the tremendous need and the magnificent proportunity for service presented by the reconstruction problems of Jewry, have for many months been considering the practical steps to be taken, once it should be possible to enter upon the task, the immensity of which staggers the imagination," said Mr. Warburg in the statement accompanying the announcement of the plans by the Joint Distribution Committee.

"To that end," he continued, "numerous conferences have been held, budgets for the beginning of the work are now in preparation, and tentative plans have been laid for the methods to be pursued and the policies to be followed.

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"America has learned through the Liberty Loan the value of loans and how these can be made to accomplish what cannot be accomplished by contributions. There is no doubt that a large part of the money required to carry out the program for Jewish reconstruction will be obtained through loans which will repay not only the original principal advanced, but dividends of grattude of the Jewish people and the boon to the individual conscience which comes from noble deeds. The opportunity will be given to enable as large a number as possible to become self-supporting, and in this way the principal will be amply secured, for once the sums advanced for experience of the sums advanced. Burdeau will be amply secured. For once possible to be possible to be possible to be possible to be possible to the propose of the sums advanced. The propose of the sums advanced for the possible to the propose of the sum of the sums advanced for the propose of the pr

Experience, Brains, Money.

"There is available in American Jewty every factor necessary to the successful carrying out of this project. Experience, brains, the will to do, and the wherewithal are not lacking. The Joint Distribution Committee will seek to en-

roll in the undertaking not only the thousands who have contributed in the past to the war relief funds, but in fact every Jewish man and woman and child in America.

The Joint Distribution Committee, under whose direction the work of rehabil-Itation will be conducted, is made up of the representatives of the American, Central, and People's Jewish War Re-lief Committees, and early in the war the committee was responsible for the the committee was responsible for the sending of a commission to Poland for the purpose of gathering reliable in-formation and statistics as to the situa-tion to be alleviated by American funds. It has since established and now main-

than since established and now maintains a permanent branch of the committee in Holland, which receives reports directly from the occupied territories where the moneys for relief are disbursed on the recommendation of Dr. Albert Van Raalte, who has just reduced to the recommendation of Dr. Albert Van Raalte, who has just reduced to the relief and the recommendation of Dr. Albert Van Raalte, who has just reduced to the relief of the relief by the three constituent committees and disbursed by the Joint Distribution Committee, represents a per capita contribution of nearly \$7 from the 3,000,000 Jews in America, the largest per capita contribution that has been made to any single war relief by any people. This does not take into account the contribution of American Jews to the Red Cross and to other relief agencies. In its larger amounts the \$20,000,000 so far collected has been disbursed as follows: Russia, \$7,500,000; Poland \$6,000,000, and Palestine, \$2,000,000.

. The Committee Members.

The members of the Joint Distribu-ion Committee include, besides Mr. Werburg, Chairman, Arthur Lehman of Lehman Brothers, and Paul Baerwald of Lazard Frères, Treasurers; Albert Lehman Brothers, and Paul Baerwald of Lazard Frères, Treasurers; Albert Lucas, Secretary, the following members: Jacob H. Schiff, Louis Marshall, Julius Rosenwald, Rabbi Stephen S. Wise, Jacob Wertheim, Colonel Harry, Cutier, Oecar S. Straus, Nathan Straus, Henry Morgenthau, Abram I. Elkus, Dr. Judah L. Magnes, Harriet B. Lowenstein, Jacob Billikopf, Stanley Bero, Dr. Cyrus Adler, Baruch Zuckerman, Harry B. Simmen, A. C. Wurmser, Peter Wirnish, Colonel Harris Weinsteck, A. Leo Weil, Colonel Harris Weinster, Arson M. Travis, Louis Topkis, Rabbi Asron Teitelbaum, Mayer Sulzberger of Philadelphia, Cyrus K. Sulzberger, Nat Stone, Abram Simon, Max Senior, Morra Schoenberg, Joseph H. Schoenfeld, Leon Sanders, Morris Rothenberg, Otto A. Rosatsky, Samuel E. Rauh, Samuel Philipson, Joseph Michaels, Rabbi M. S. Margolles, Judge Julian W. Mack, Meyer London, Jacob D. Lit, E. W. Lewin-Enstein, Julius Levy, Captain Horbert H. Lehman, Rabbi Nathan Krass, Rabbi Louis J. Kopald, Louis E. Kirstein, Loon Kamaiky, Alexander Kahn, J. G. Joseph, Louis Isaacs, the Rev. Emil G. Hirsch, Isidore Hirschfield, Mrs. Janet Simmons Harris, Rabbi Moses Gries, Meyer Gillis, Felix Fuld, Dr. Harry Friedenwald, Professor Israel Friedlander, J. Walter Freiberg, Dr. Lee K. Frankel, Mortimer Fleischbecker, Harry Fischel, Borls Fingerhood, Morris Engelman, Sanuel Dorf, Dr. Edward N. Calisch, Fulton Brylawski, David A. Brown, David M. Bressler, Dr. Bods Dolon Asch.

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The New York Times, October 18, 1918.

JEWISH STATE IN PALESTINE PLANNED

Immigration of 6,000,000 Jews to Palestine Will Be Provided For.

A Jewish Palestine which will absorb fix million people—this is the territory which the Zionist delegation at Paris has asked at the peace conference, according to a cablegram from Reuben Fink, correspondent for the "Day," who has just interviewed Dr. Chaim Weizmann.

The head of the Zionist administrative commission is credited by Mr. Fink with the following statements:

Plans have already been perfected for regulating the migration of all million Jews to Palestine. The immigration will be conducted on the broadest possible basis and all the necessary measures will be taken for the proper absorption of this immigration. The plan has been so formulated that the Jewish homeland in Palestine will be transformed into a Jewish state when the Jews have a majority in that land.

Dr. Weizmann is reported to have stated that he is convinced that the peace conference will grant a full realization of the Zionist project.

A commission to regulate this immigration and to investigate the economic, agricultural and industrial of portunities of Palestine in order to facilitate the rapid absorption of the masses upon their arrival is provided for in the budget of the \$2,000,000 Palestine restoration fund which is now being raised in the United States by the Zionist organization of America.

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Schenectady Gazette (NY), February 21, 1919, page 2.

SIX MILLION ARE STARVING

Gov. Hobby Issues Proclamation Calling on People to Help

There will be a campaign in Texas in behalf of the Jewish War Sufferers. Gov. Hobby has issued a proclamation to the people asking them to respond to the call for help. Every county in Texas is now being organin Navarro county organization is being effected with the view of putting on the campaign at as early a day as possible. A meeting of prominent citizens has been called for tonight at 8 o'clock at the Chamber of Commerce to make plans for the campaign.

Recently in New Orleans \$250,000 time and the State of Louisiana has raised a total of \$450,000. The feeling among Texans is that Texas can do what Louisiana has done, and Navarro county will doubtless do its part.

Dr. Henry H. Romfelt, director of the American Jewish Relief Committee, in a recent issue of the Jewish New Orleans contributed \$250,000 and Monitor, published at Fort Worth, the little city of Shreveport with a

wrote as follows:

The need for relief in war-wrecked Europe is greater now than ever he odist minister, subscribed \$50,900. fore. With the signing of the armistice millions of people in the liberated creas were found to be suffering as perhaps people have never suffered before. In Galacia and Lithuania, the death rate among the children under five at the present time exceeds sixty percent, due to mainutrition. It is esdinated that there are six million Jewish women, children and aged men acqually starving to death. Mr. Louis Marshall recently raid:

"We shall need more money than ever, now that the reil is about to be lifted which has prevented the outer world from appreciating the full ex-tent of the suffering of the unfortu-nate inhabitants of Eastern Europe. Not only have our brethren been vic tims of famine, but the recent atractions which they have undergone in Po land and Galacia beggar description."

Last year through the generosity of the Jows and non-lows of America. we raised fifteen million dollars to help three million of our brethren, while was raised for this fund in a short this year, with the removal of the barriers, more than five million people cry to us for food. Will the people of America permit them to plead in voin?

Louisiana has replied with \$459,000 the proceeds of a campaign held in January of which amount the city of New Orleans contributed \$250,000 and

population of 35,000, under the leadership of Rev. Jasper K. Smith, a Meth-Way out in Kansas, our state chairman, Henry Wallonstein of Wichita, joined forces with the Armenian and Syrian relief committee, which will add at least acothor 100,000 to the Mr August Kohn of Cosagred fund. lumbia, South Carolina, is preparing a state drive and the governor of South Carolina has called upon his citizenthip to contribute at least \$150,000. Out in South Dakota a small group of Jews invited the participation of leading non-lews and on March 28th the drive lasting three days which is cerstricken people. It will be interesting to note that the chairman for this drive is Lt. Gov. W. H. McMastors, who choorfully answered the call to servo us. The State of Arizona under the leadership of David Goldberg of Phoenix, within a few days will send a check for \$55,000, being the procerds of their campaign recently consucted which netted \$110,000 to be war sufferers and the Armenian and Syrian relief committee.

Many other states, such as Kentuc-ky, with Col. Fred Levy of Louisville as chairman, Texas under the general-ship of Alex H. Sanger of Dallas, and several more, have pledged to raise large sums in order that the greatest tragedy in hunan history may be averted

Notwithstanding the militating factors of unsettled business conditions, income tax, etc., we face the future confident that American generosity is not an evanescept thing which must he kept alive by the pressure of war. but instead a permanent spiritual enrichment which has transformed America into one of the greatest and happlest notions on the earth.

"SIX MILLION ARE STARVING ... It is estimated that there are six million Jewish women, children and aged men actually starving to death."

Corsicana Daily Sun (TX), April 3, 1919, page 5.

A Call for Help

T^{he} People of Galveston to Answer It

Refugees, they wonder homeless, hungry, in rags. Herbert Hoover has said that one million people will die in Eastern Europe this winter. Thousands upon thousands will perish of starvation and exposure unless immediate aid comes from America. The destitution of Jewish war sufferers during the coming months will probably surpass anything ever known in the history of human suffering. Their suffering is wurse than death—it is the lingering torture of starvation, the pitcous tragedy of ematiation, the horrible waiting, in agony of hunger, for the grim reaper to end their misory.

With this picture before us, how can we have the heart to sit down comfortably at our tables if we have not given to the limit to save the lives of these afflicted people. Only those who do not know can refuse to give. Only those who have not been told of children 5 years of age who, through want of food, have never been able to walk, of mothers who hide the dead bodies of their children to retain the bread cards—only those who have not heard of these heart-reading conditions can turn complacently aside the appeal for help.

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Galveston Daily News April 4, 1919, p.3

"Six million Jews in Poland, Lithuania, Galicia, Palestine, Turkey and Siberia are dying of starvation. ... These six million despairing souls are totally dependent on American generosity for the bare necessities of life."

Galveston Must Do Its Part Your Help Is Needed

This is not only a dety but a privilege. In our own dark hour the world responded. We must now reciprocate. Six million Jews are dying of starvation. Homeless, hopeless, craxed with hunger, in indescribable destitution they wander, refugees, innocent victims of a bsortless militarism. Prusslanian and automory are destroyed, but famine remains, threatening world peace and happiness. Picture, if you can, the misery of these stricken people. Their suffering is worse than death—it is the lingering terture of starvation, the piteous tragedy of smaciation, the horrible waiting, in agony of hunger, for the grim respect to end their wretchedness.

There is only one thing you can do to help them.

You can give.

Who can not spare something for those who have nothing at all?

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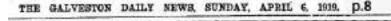
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"Six million Jews are dying of starvation."

The Galveston Daily News (TX), April 5, 1919, page 5.



Your Opportunity

To Raise \$25,000 for Jewish War Sufferers

No Sectarianism in Jewish Drive Which Starts Monday, April 7

ALL AMERICANS BEHIND JEWISH RELIEF

The appeal that is now being made to the people of this community is directed to every more and creed. It is the call of suffering and starving humanity—the plea of a helpless people for financial assistance in this time of their greatest need. This is not a Jewish movement, it is a human movement.

President Wilson, Vice President Marshall, Secretary of the Navy Daniels, James Cardinal Gibbons, Governor W. P. Hobby of Texas, the governors of many states and many of the foremost men of America, have joined in this appeal for humanity. The American Jewish Relief Committee is endeavoring to save from starvation six million Jews who are the halpless victims of the German terror. Every dollar given goes to the immediate relief of these starving human souls.

BE READY TO GIVE AS MUCH AS YOU CAN AFFORD WHEN THESE SOLICITORS CALL ON YOU

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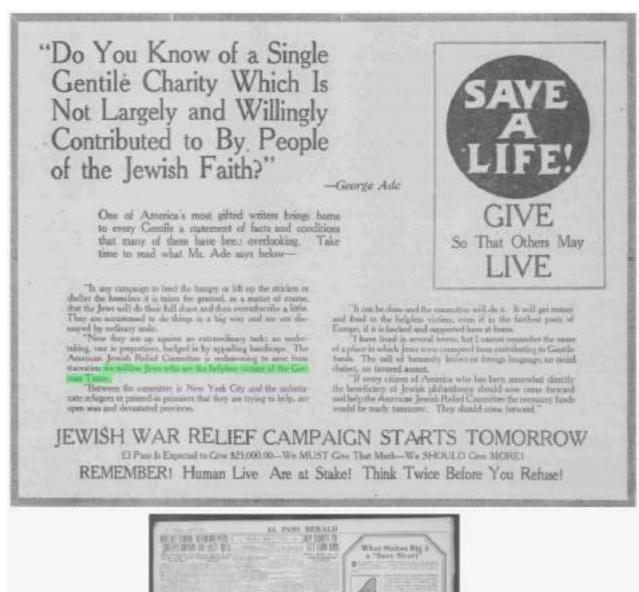
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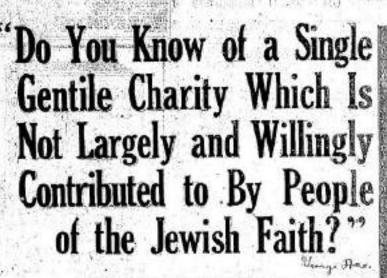
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The Galveston Daily News (TX), April 6, 1919, page 8.





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"If every citizen of America who has been assurabled directly the hearficiary of Jurish philanthropy should now come forward and helpthe American Jawish Relief Committee the necessary funds would be ready tourness. They should come forward."

Think over what this keen observer of human nature has said above—and be ready to do your part for humanity, when the solicitors call on you.

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INDIGNANT PROTEST AGAINST POGRAMS

Mass Meeting Held at Lumberg Theatre by Ulica Jews.

PERSECUTION MUST STOP

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APPEALS TO AMERICA TO ACT QUICKLY IF LIVES OF SOME SIX MILLION JEWS ARE TO BE SAVED

Louis Marshall, Buck From Abroad, Tells of Terrible Conditions There.

SEEK \$35,000,000 HERE

Campaigns Must Be Held Quickly, Mr. Marshall Declares, as Milliens Will Not Survive to Enjoy Its Benefits; Delay Means Loss of Many.

Special to The Courier.

NEW YORK, Aug. 4—"Let me say to you candidly and in all sedemnity that Jewry abroad is tottering on the briak. The lives of some six million people are at stake. I say advisedly that never in the history of our people whose tribulations have been notorious throughout the ages, has there been such a welter of misery, poverty and suffering. Horrors and both physical and spiritual toott re that would sound unbelievable if narrated are the common lot of millious of Jewish people in the old world.

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JEWRY IN EUROPE Totters on Brink

Distress of Persecuted Race In the Old World is Told by Louis Marshall of Relief Committee.

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Altoona Mirror (PA), August 6, 1919, page 17.

Said Louis Marshall, president & founder (with Jacob Schiff) of the American Jewish Committee, and vice-president of the American Jewish Congress, who had written on September 26, 1918:

"Zionism is but an incident of a far reaching plan. It is merely a convenient peg on which to hang a powerful weapon."

WISCONSIN JEWS PLAN ORGANIZATION FOR RELIEF FUND

(Special to the Press)

Milwaukee, August 12.—Thoroughly roused by the jeopardy of the Jewish race in Europe, as disclosed in authentic reports from Jewish relief investigators abroad, representative Jews in all parts of Wisconsin are soon to take steps to effect a state organization and put on a state-wide drive for funds this fall A state committee is to be formed and a chairman will be elected in the near future.

This action is being taken by the Wisconsin Jews at the specific request of Nathan Straus. Jacob H. Schiff and Felix M. Warburg, of New York, Julius Rosenwald, of Chicago, and other prominent members of the American Jewish Relief Committee which has headquarters in New York. Appeals have already been sent by Mr. Straus to a number of Wisconsin men, and one of the American Jewish Relief Committee's staff representatives is now enroute here to make final arrangements.

Among the Wisconsin men who are to sponsor this humanitarian undertaking are Nat Stone, of this city, Gabe Ullman, of Appleton, I. C. Schwager, of Ashland, Ben Stone

and Adolph Roth, of Beloit, Louis Levy, M. M. Horn and Sol Kann, of Eau Claire, P. S. Haber and R. Shurman, of Fond du Lac, M. Roseman and H. Davidson, of Green Bay, Harold Schwartz of Janesville, Louis Pious and E Epstein of Kenosha, A. Hirsheimer, of La Grange, S. Woldenberg, S. Levitan and A. Kornhauser, of Madison, B. Balansky, of Manitowoo, H. Friedstein, of Martnette. Sol Kingsbaker and Morris Block, of Oshkosh, David Eisendrath of Racine, Anton Hoenigsberg, of Sheboygan, S. Y. Joseph and Robert Jacobs, of Superior, Benjamin Heineman, of Wausau, A. Jacobson. of Waukesha and other representative

"More than six million Jews," states Mr. Strauss' appeal, "the remuants of our race left alive in Europe are today facing starvation, disease and unbelievable physical and mental suffering. Such a blow has been dealt to Jewry abroad that our people are unable yet to help themselves. For yet a little time America in her might must assist them. Here is an appeal to which no Jew or Gentile can turn a deaf

"In this perhaps the darkest hour that Jewry ever knew, we turn to the good people of Wisconsin for both sympathy and material help."

Detailed plans for the campaign will be announced shortly. The drive in Wisconsin will be one of many similar efforts to be made throughout the Union. As Milwankee has already contributed to the Jewish relief funds this year, the present undertaking will be exclusive in this city.

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WORLD JEWRY AT Greatest Crisis

Leaders in America Striving to Save Race in Europe From Destruction.

MUST SEND AID QUICKLY.

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From the Cataclyom That Has
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The countries in which the plight of the Jews is the worst are Peland, Jozostavia, "zechoslovakia, mattin, Serbia, Calicia. f'alcritne, Parkey, Greece'and Sileria. In Vilna. a typical town of Poland, the Jewish population has been cut down by starention, syphus and other diseases in the last five years from 98,800 to 15,000. Nearly half of the survivors are dependent upon relief supplies their co-religionists in America. Worsaw, Kovoo, Constanga, and many other cities throughout Central and Eastern iderope tell the same tale.

American Jews, aroused by the reports that first filtered through after the signing of the armistice, immedintely organized under the American Jewish Relief Committee, of 15 East som Street. New York City, to save their race abroad. They sent some 20 commissioners to various foreign countries to investigate the truth of these reports. Almost all these commissioners have now returned and the firsthand information that they have brought back is more nintming than the early unsubstantiated reports. Such men as Nuthun Straus, Henry Morgenthan, Julius Rosenwald, Jacob H. Schiff, Fellx M. Warburg, and major other prominent members of this committee are now bending every effort to accure America to the great need abroad and rush the food and supplies across the ocean which, if sent quickly, will sore the Jewish race from destruction.

Saddest of the victims of all this were are the children. Tens of thousands of pittful youngsters who are seven or eight youngsters who are seven or eight youngsters who are seven or eight yours old have gune so long undernourshed that they are little further developed than normal infants of one or two years. Is the Polish cities cophoned children unpder about the streets, homeless and mable to get into the orphonages. These are streety overcrowded and depend prinsurity upon American relief fundato heep them going.

JEWISH RELIEF WORK IS NOW WORLDWIDE

Christian as Well as Jewish Sufferers Are Aided by Organization That Covers Many Countries in Europe and the Orient.

Quietly, and practically without publicity of any sort, the Jews of Americs bave built up, through the Amerionn Jewish Relief Committee and other official agencies, a mechine for the organization and distribution of rolled to war sufferers of their own and other rares that is now practieatly worldwide. The bendquarters of the Committee are at 15 East 40th Street, New York, Expendaures for this work now aggregate more than \$2,000,000 a month, and by means of state-by-state comparigns to be beld this full a total of \$35,000,000 is to he sought to finance the work through the coining months.

An enumeration of the countries in which relief efforts are being made is indicative of the scope of the work. Representatives of those Jewish appricing are to be found in Poland, Crechostorakia, Ingostavia, Calicia, Serbia, Rumania, and other Buikan states. Greece, Turkey, Pulestine and Siberia. Small groups of refugees, cast up by

the backwash of war, are being assisted in Holland, Japan, China and other isolated parts of the globe.

All told, many million Christians and more than \$600,000 Jews in countries other than the Upited States are being directly aided by American Jewish relief funds. The major portion of this humanitarian work is of course carried on in Eastern Europe. It is there that the bulk of the world's Jewish population lives. The fact that these same nations have been perhaps hardest hit by the late war, explains

World Jewry is at the greatest crisis in its history,

But though the Jews of America have set out in save their race from destruction. they are not forgetting that their near prople are not the only uniflyrers in these lands. The significance of the whole sudertaking becomes apparent when it is known that the relief supplies which have been purchased and shipped largely with Jewish finds are distributed without diserimination to Christians as well as Barriers of race and creed have been submerged in the fixed tide of suffering throughout ranch of the earth, and the efforts of American lowry to sid in the great crists of odsy have become as broad as burgen-IF REGIT.



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The Fulton Patriot (NY), September 3, 1919, page 4.

This exact article also appeared in the: *The Livingstone Democrat* (NY), September 3, 1919, page 2, and *The Long Islander* (NY), September 5, 1919, page 10.

UKRAINIAN JEWS AIM TO STOP POGROMS

Commission to Visit Europe and Prepare a Memorandum for President Wilson.

LANSING GIVES PERMISSION

Mass Meeting Hears That 127,000 Jews Have Been Killed and 6.000,000 Are in Peril.

The Federation of Ukrainian Jews in America, an organization said to represent three-quarters of a million Ukrainians in this country, decided at a convention yesterday that the massacre of their brethren in Eastern Europe must finally be stopped, and, to bring about this peace, the aid of the United States Government will be utilized. Secretary of State Lansing, it was asserted, has already given the consent of the State Department for the federation to send a commission to Ukrainia to investigate the conditions of the Jews there, and to establish direct connection between them and their relatives in the time.

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The convention was held at the Broadway Central Hotel, at Broadway and Third Street, and was attended by more than 800 persons, representing 300 branches of the organization in this country and Canada. Joseph Seff, the President, was Chairman. Addresses were delivered by the Rev. M. Kanewsky, Rabbi Z. Masliansky, Jacob Adler, Herman Bernstein, Dr. Samuel Bucher, Rabbi Meier Berlin, Mordecai Danzis, the Executive Secretary of the society, and others.

Tales of massacres in which 127,000 Jews had either been killed or wounded during the last six months were told by the speakers, and all of them, speaking in English, Yiddish, Polish, or Russian, pointed out the disgrace of these pogroms upon twentieth century civilization.

The matter of relief was taken up, and it was decided that the Federation of Ukrainian Jews request this Government to lift the blockade so that food and funds may be sent to their destitute relatives in Eastern Europe. The President reported that there were 3,000,000 Jews in Ukrainia and a like number in Poland, all of whom were in need of assistance from America.

Before Ukrainia should be recognized by America or any of the other allies, it was said that she should first desist from her persecutions of innocent Jews. Until the commission which is to be appointed shall have reported that the Jews are actually receiving equal rights, friendly relations should not be made.

friendly relations should not be made, it was urged.

The commission, which will probably consist of ten of the leading Ukrainlans in America, is to work out a memorandum of the conditions in Eastern Europe, which will be sent to President Wilson, Secretary Lansing, and to all Senators and Congressmen.

An information bureau will also be established by the organization to take care of the reports of the commissioners on the other side, and to send the facts to the press of this country. The Federation also aims to act as the link joining the Ukrainlans in this country with their relatives and friends in their native land.

Demonstration mass-meetings similar

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Demonstration mass-meetings similar to the one which took place at Madison Square Garden some time ago will be held in every important city in the United States, as the beginning of a protest movement to put an end to the pogroms across the seas.

When the question of appointing a commission was proposed Reuben Fink, the representative of the society at Washington, said that he had seen Secretary Lansing during the week and that he received Mr. Lansing's consent that the delegation be sent over.

"We come out now before the world with the determined slogan. Thospogroms must stop," said the President in his annual message. "It is only a question of holding these facts continually before the civilized world; we must not permit the world to slumber. This fact that the population of ber.

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"Mass Meeting Hears That 127,000 Jews Have Been Killed and 6,000,000 Are in Peril. ... 6,000,000 souls in Ukrainia (sic) and in Poland have received notice through action and by word that they are going to be completely exterminated this fact stands before the whole world as the paramount issue of the present day."

Add Up Your Troubles!

Strike a Balance and Compare It With This— While the 3.500,000 American lews were



While the 3,500,000 American Jews were loyally fighting and laboring to help "make the World safe for Democracy," the Jews of Eastern Europe, where lives the bulk of the world's Jewish population, were being ground out of existence by the ebb and flow of contending armies.

Today 6,000,000 Jews Are Facing the Darkest Days Ever Known in the Long History of the Race

Families are scattered—broken. A hundred thousand children are orphaned. Poverty is the common lot. Whole cities have not known a square meal in five years. Disease stalks on every hand. The death rate mounts to double—triple—quadruple—that ever before known in a civilized country.

America Is the Only Hope

In this, the greatest crisis that Jewry has ever known in centuries of suffering and persecution, the Jews of America turn to their fellow citizens of all races and creeds for that material and immediate aid which alone can save the survivors of the race in Europe from destruction.

\$35,000,000 NEEDED!

This sum represents the amount sought from the country at large. Every cent of it will go to buy food, clothing, medicines and other necessities of life for the destitute, starving and utterly stricken men, women and children across the sea. It is veritable ransom money, for without it millions will surely die.

JEWISH RELIEF CAMPAIGN

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"Today 6,000,000 Jews Are Facing the Darkest Days Ever Known in the Long History of the Race."

A. E. THOMAS TO HEAD CAMPAIGN

Will Lead Allen County Forces
in Work of Saving Lives
of Starving Jews.

POLLAK VICE CHAIRMAN

To Fort Wayne has come once more the cry of distress from Europe and immediately the appeal has been heard. Albert E. Thomas, who has given of his talents and energy to the success of all of the war drives when the heat of battle was an incentive to united work, has ac-



Albert E. Thomas, Campaign Chairman.

cepted the leadership of the Ailen county campaign for this worthy cause at a time when people are asking, "why a campaign, now that the war is over?" But Mr. Thomas is not asking the question, neither are any of the other people who have listened to the story of suffering and death which has come from Poland, Lithunia, Galacia, Palestine, Turkey and Siberia, where six million Jews are dying of starvation and where vast numbers of them—innocent victims of the ravages, of war—wander homeless, and in rags. Even with the most prompt action on the part of the people of America, it is declared by Herbert Hoover that one million people will die in eastern Europe this winter, and that the destitution of Jewish war sufferers during the coning months will probably surpass anything ever known in the history of human suffering.

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Herman Pollak. Vice Chairman.

Herman H. Pollak, of the Pollak Waist company, has accepted the vice chairmanship of the campaign for Fort Wayne and Allen county, and he with Chairman Thomas, will arrange for the appointment of all committees, as well as to arrange for the details of the actual campaign.

details of the actual campaign.
Rabbi A. L. Weinstein, in consultation with many members of the congregation of Achduth Vesholom synagogue, reports the deepest interest in the coming campaign, and states that if the people can only realize the conditions of eastern Europe, where the suffering of the Jews is worse than death—where the lingering torture of starvation, the pitcous tragedy of emaclation, the horrible waiting in agony of hinger for the grim reaper to end their misery—the outpouring of money will be most generous indeed. Six million despairing souls are totally dependent upon American generosity for the bare necessities of life.

The plans of the Fort Wayne campaign have not yet been arranged in detail, but it is probable that the actual work of solicitation will begin en Monday, October 5. Throughout the state of Indiana the drive opens one week earlier than this, but because of the duplication of the dates of the Fort Wayne peace centennial celebration, exposition and style show for that week, the leaders in the campaign chose the later date as the time for the Fort Wayne campaign.

The quota for the state of Indiana has been placed at \$800,000, but, according to the state campaign head-quarters, an earnest endeavor to raise one million dollars will be made.

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FORT WAYNE TO HELP THE JEWS

Millions Are Dying in Eastern Europe, and Call for Life-Saving is Heard

THOMAS HEADS CAMPAIGN

Announcement was made yesterday of the early opening of a campaign in Fort Wayne and Allen called for the purpose of securing a large fund for the saving of the lives of perishing Jews in the easteen portion of Europe.

Abert E. Thomas, who has been a leading factor in the success of many of the war drives, has accepted the chairmanship of the campaign, with Herman H. Pollak as vice clairman. A complete working arranization will soon be amounteed to the drive which will open here on the 5th or 6th of October.

This is a nation-wide campaign in response to the startling news, repeated by everyone who has come back to tell the story, that under the most favorable circumstances fully one million people will die this winter of starvation in Poland, Lithuania, Galacia, Palestine, Turkoy-and Siberia. Florbert Hoover, recently returned, verifies this claim, and states that six million wer sufferers are absolutely destitute in these regions.

At a meeting of the members of the Achdoth Vesholom synagague, the conditions were reviewed and every person present pledged his earnest support of the campaign which will begin directly after the close of the coming colebration of Fort Wayne's peace centennial. Rabbi A. L. Weinstein is one of the most enthusiastic leaders in the campaign, and he already is preparing to respond to the call for help in the speaking campaign in other cities than Fort Wayne.

It is hoped that the campaign in Indiana will result in the securing of a fund of not less than \$1,000,000. Allen county's quota has not been announced; in fact, it is probable that no definite quota will be tixed, although it is probable that a minimum of \$50,000 will be the goal of the workers who will go forward under the leadership of Mr. Thomas and Mr. Pollak. The state slogan is "Save Six Million." As that is the approximate number of persons now in imminent danger of perishing. The national quota is placed at \$35,000,000.

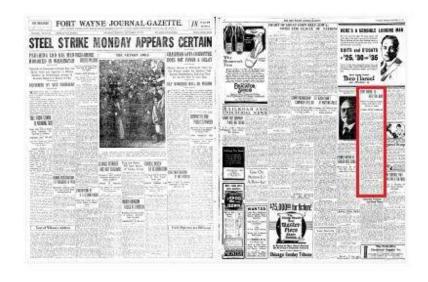
President Urges Help.

President Wilson in a recent letter to Jacob H. Schiff, says: "From statements which I have previously made, you know how sincere my bellef is that the American public, trrespective of race or creed, should respond liberally to the call for help

from stricken Europe, and I feel confident that the needs of the Jewish people in the war zones will find a ready response from their co-religionists in this country."

Vice President Marshall says: "We have made this light of ours, not only that all the traditions of the republic may be preserved, but that we may lend a helping hand to every suffering, sighing son of God, the world around. Among them, none have suffered longer, nor appealed to us greater, than the persecuted few. Proved by your works, your protestations of brotherhood are not mere lip service."

The people of Fort Wayne and Alien county are asked to reflect deepty on the need of the hour—to remember that although the war is over, thousands upon thousands of people will perish of starvation and exposure unless immediate aid comes from America. Every dollar subscribed goes to the work of life saving. The money to pay for the campaign has already been provided from private sources.



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Fort Wayne Journal Gazette (IN), September 18, 1919, page 2.

HUMANITY KNOWS NO CREED

The call for help comes from starving, disease-stricken <u>Jews</u> abroad—millions of them, helpless innocent victims of the war : : : : : : :

Remember These Thoughts

Six millions are starving
Your contribution will save a life
It's up to you
Christianity to the rescue
"Rescue the perishing"
America alone can save
We dare not fail them
Adams county has a heart of gold
Men and women of every creed, join
hands for humanity

The drive in Adams county starts Monday morning

Our Quota is \$6,000

It is better to give than to receive and by giving now means the saving of the lives of helpless, starving, suffering babies and children

PLEASE HELP THIS GREAT CAUSE

ADAMS COUNTY JEWISH RELIEF COMMITTEE
BARNEY KALVER, Chairman



"The call for help comes from starving, disease-stricken Jews abroad ... Six millions are starving"

"I AM JOSEPH-YOUR BROTHER"

By Meredith Nicholson

So long as there is misery and heartache in the world the world is not right. The thought that as I walk the streets of this prosperous and happy town there are \$,000,000 people in other lands without food, shelter or raiment is disturbing. I do not like it. The fact that these people are a long way from my home does not lighten my responsibility for their plight, for the great way has no kalt mankind together that wherever a man, woman or child of any race is hungry or homeless or the victim of cruelty, there, indeed, is my neighbor.

Of all the passions of men that which manifests itself in race batted is the most despicable. The business of civilization is incomplete so long as one man'anywhere hates another because of his faith, his blood or his color. When I read, as I have read all my life, of the persecution and slaughter of the Jews I am not proud of my own race or of my religion.

The most beautiful story in the world is the story of Joseph and his brethren. I wish that every child who knows and loves that story might contribute to the fund of the Jewish relief committee. The lessons of tolerance, forgiveness, mercy and helpfullness are summed there with incomparable art. Let us ponder a little.

What we should do with this appeal from the hand of famine is to give generously of corn "and put every man's money in his sack's mouth." "And put my cup," said Joseph, "the silver cup, in the sack's mouth of the poungest and his corn money."

That was Joseph's idea—to add to the value of his gift by putting his heart into it.

This appeal is not to Jews or Christians, but to humanity. It should be a high privilege for those of us who have so long enjoyed the hearty co-operation of our Jewish fellow-citizens in every good cause to prove to them now our neighborliness and our appreciation of their generosity.

The public spirit, patriotism and liberality of the Jewish people of Indians need no advertisement. They have rarely asked our aid in their benevoleness, but always they have helped with ours. All the more readily we should respond to this cry for help which they utter; not in the name of their own people, but for all who dwell in the lands of forming and desolation.

Six million people perishing! There's not much jey in that for you and me.

Let the sacks be filled, and Joseph's cup, the silver cup of love and brotheriness and good will, be thrust into the top of every one.

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No.55, October 1919

JEWISH NEW YEAR.

Today is Yom Kippur, the great Jawish Day of Atonement. It will be suithfully celebrated in all the Jawish synagogues, institutions and homes in America. To its sanchity as the most important of the fast days, there is added a double significance for the calendar has brought Yom Kippur on the Jewish Babbath, making it a doubly sacred day, and it is perhaps the most tragic Day of Atonement in the history of ancient Jewish. From their home in Palestine, from the shores of the Baltie and the Black seas, from Poland and the tresses waster of Siberia—from every forsign land into which Jewish relief workers have penetrated, the sad New Year message that comes to this country is ever the same—"European jewry is perishing."

America is the only land in which the new month of Tishri, the Hebrale January, brings any joy to the Jewish population. The year of \$550, reckening from the Day of Abraham on the Jewish calendar, dawned on September 25, the Feast Day of fresh Hachonah. It was not a feast day for some six million starving Jews of Europe because every day for the past four years has been a fast day for most of them. So tolay's Yem Kippur fast will be all too easy for those millions to observe.

The Jews in the war-racked countries abroad have suffered more than any other people, and they are dying by thousands of starvation and discase. The Yom Kinpur fast, during the twenty-four hours when no good-Jew will allow feed to pess his lips, will be little more than a continuation of the five year fast that has been the let of the 5,500,000 Jews in Europe. Orphaned

children and widows are continually being turned away from the evertrowded charitable institutions and tood stations to die in the streets of Poland and nearby countries. The only nope that the great mass of Jewry will survive the coming winter depends upon America.

The fortnight between Rosh Roshensh and You Kippur is observed as a period of repentance, during which the Divine Judge weight the earthly deeds against each individual before entering his final fate in the book of judgment. This year it is a period of deep serrow as well for many American Jews. The records of Jewish relief agencies in New York show that several hundred thioteands have tried without avail to trace their dear ones abroad who have been awallowed up in the chaos of war when communications were broken. These people are at a loss whether to hope that their loved ones are dead or that it is their fate to face a new year of terrible suffering and sorrow. Another and phase of this years Yem Kipper will be the memorial service for the dead, when almost every Jewish family in the stricken countries, together with many in America, will mourn the loss of one or more of their members.

In view of the terrible situation abroad, Jews throughout the country have organized compaigns and drives to raise a total of \$55,094,000 in the United States under the direction of the American Jewish Relief committee, the Central Relief committee, and the Jewish Peoples' Relief committee which are appropriately culminating in many states with the beginning of the Jewish New Year.

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About the Campaign Which Opens To-day

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Sanatol Fisher—"50 leng as there it a cry for help, no matter where from or from whom America, the hand of promise, can not close the eyes not shot its ours. Once again give with its old time generally to show unhappy, helpless people of custern Europe."

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Jarope. Bothschild—"It seems that sur earlie population is in one according to the sympathy for the Jesush retter company. It is not a call free day people or sect, but from whole suffering, devouted content Europe who have felt the terrible Manaters of the great war.

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If they need you help we see allie to give, we have no snoral right to deep them."

"With six million of their population in absolute want, they are unable alone to render sufficient aid ... There are to-day to be found in the ten provinces of Russia, Poland and the fifteen provinces called the 'Pale of Settlement' six millions of these peaceful and law abiding people ... We do not see with our eyes the evidences of want and degradation into which six million Jews have been thrown suddenly through no fault of their own."

BOOSTER'S BOOST

(By ARTHUR BROWNLES.) Booster's Roost,

Life for six millions in the shadow death! That is a stronge throne or this week's Becates estates. Strange because it is the first time in all history that the children of Israel have over naked and from Elbers than their own race. It is a sure proof of the dire need that they are brave enough to break an age old curton; to overlook their pride of race for the first time, and appeal to outside à seve the perishing. Six millions stone what? We cannot grasp it.

Suppose along our main street procession were passing. The ranks are ten abreast. The murchers are men and women promuturely aged in years, in the prime of life, in locks, at the 80-year murk; not able bodisd young men - so strong young -en; only a few children for hardly a child under five remains alive; tasane yeeng girls and others e sometily elad they shrink from the light of day; the mairred and muti-lated; the sick and dying. Suppose these heart-breaking ranks are ten fort spart, slightly farther spart Can soldiers march, but this is necessary scame of this tothering, struggling, gasping bost, one million will die in opite of all that can be done! Suppose they march from dkylight to dark, a merciless twelve hours each day! Suppose they sleep in fields and cellars without privacy or any sanitary arrangements; Then daily take up their hepeless plodding. How long would you and I have to stand on the Court House stops to see the and of this massed misery? Slightly over 54 days. From October 8 until January 10. Every Sunday we would stand Thankagiving day, on Christman and all the holidays and on into the winds and cold and rain and snews of January, we must stand to see the end. Ne bands of music, no lively cheering hosts, no bright beauers snapping in the bresse. But instead, the sobs of the young, the mount of the once strong, the despair of the starving and the feuter of rage, rage, rage. Merciful heaven, what a night-

But there is hope. Hope in the broad and generous people of America, the fastered. America, "the land sheltered with wings" that their old prophet Isiah long ago foreteld. Isiah who if not only their prophet, but ours also. How much we owe to the Jews! Moses the lawgiver; Moses, the author of asnitution. Then David, the sweet singer, and Solemon, the wise builder. And the prophets, men of faith andfidelity to right and Jesus, the Christ, the founder of the positive, living, vitalising religion and all the approprie Apostles to both the Jow and Gertin All these were Jews, and law. much of trade and commerce; of an and rousic; of love for freedom in life and learning; how much of-but time

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and theier works. Read the cold, bald statement of facts and figures from their official committee.

Six million souls, old men, old we nen, and little children in Poland Lithunda, Ruscia, Palestine, Ginicia, Turkey, Syris, Saumurin, Greece, and Bulgaria are in imminent danger starving to death this winter.

The serieusness of this condition is directed by a statement of Herbert Moover , who says that at least one nation, people will die of starvation in Bastern Europe this winter—and this compite the combined efforts of Amerirelief agencies.

Countless others will parish from the herrible slow torture of hunger and sold unless America somes im-

mediately to their aid. Jowish War Relief Co. expending more than \$2,000,000 a month now to keep alive the Jawish expending more than people and the non-Jewish peoples in hese afflicted countries. |The ships the "Westward He" and

meeney" make constant trips, and for the period coding Scate approximately \$50,000,000 has

already been speat.

This year \$35,500,000 is required to sustain the lives of these geople, and America, always generous, is asked to supply this sum in the campaign October 5th and continue through October 18th Annual Continue through O

Huge as the figures seem, this to less than \$6.00 a year per person with which to provide food, clothing, fuel, shelter, merical attention, drugs, and

the other measurables of life.

Two cents a day to keep slive, an old man, woman, or young boy or girls whose only fault is that they have been born to a life of war asfuring, is truly a small sum indeed to ask of a salton whose most formal elitimeter. mation whose most frugal citizens must spend at least \$500.00 a year

gtenance, elething, and shelter. The Jewish population of Bastern Europe is entirely deprived of the op-portunity to be self-supporting. All industries are at a standatili. The treder and merculate of the avail town hee been driven into the cities where he has added largely to the problems of unemployment. Today 80 per cent of the Jewish population of Europe is absolutely dependent upon the relief funds furnished by the Joint Distribu-tion Committee. The Jow of Europe has gained a large measure of political fendous from the War, but his mixery has not been lessened-it has been as has not been reserved.

centuated by the end of the hostilities.

The accumulation of more than four
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child under five years old remains alive. There are no able-bedied young min-its strong young women. The trai end suffered from the hands of old, the smallest, the empointed child, both sides." ren (more than 800,600 of these) are

The Need of Funds.
The Jewish War Relief Committee and not participate in the fuede raised in the United War Work Carpaign. The Jestsh Wolfare Beard, entirely independent and distinct, whose funtion was to minister to estions and sel-diers only, did benefit in that cam-paign. This ene is untirely for the civilian population in Europe, Pales-tine, and Siberia, which is absolutely conflict.

Rgist Given To All.

Nor is this help limited to Jeon, and it is because these who are son-less in the afflicted areas are beneficinries, that this year America without regard to creed, is asked to contribute,

The enupsign for this fund in Westom Pennsylvania will hagin October 6th and continue through October 13th. The constrictes in charge of the collection of this district's quots is conground of many prominent Jawa and non-Jews, including the leading clergymen of all denominations.

American Jewry cannot bear the traden alone. The wealthy Jews of the United States have given with a liberality meknous in history, and will continue to do so, and it is of course the day. the duty of every Jew to give to the limit of his monns. It should be the privilege of the non-Jew to sid a cause tely necessory, so humanitarian in its principles, and so broad in Its nurcy.

The work of this committee is not In competition in competition with other govern-ment approved agencies for the relist of wer sufferers. On the contrary, it supplements and extends the work of the Refi Cross, and similar organica tions, relieving them of a part of their

Give and Give Liberally.

Collecting committees have been orconsecting committees have been or-garized and will work constantly dur-ing the week of the comparism. The responsibility of maintaining life in those all million sufferent rests upon every man and woman in the United States which and woman in the United States who is not willing to turn askin and allow a helploss, harmican man, woman or little child to die because out of his own planty he would refuse

to share his loaf of bread.
Also road what Loais Also reed what Louis Marshall, a New York lawyer and Rabby Nathan Krass told a Pittsburgh audience this week and raised two handred fifty thousand dollars within a half hour. These gentlemen had been sent to investigate the conditions in the days stated regions, Mr. Marshall said:

pears of war herrors has left these scopic probably in the greatest destitation ever known in the history of the have been subjected to cracilles, false world.

Conditions Are Tegrible.

The reports of investigators of the raininan and Poles the Jews were concluded about the Crack and other relief called upon to declare on which slide accrecies show that in Poland hardly a of the struggle they side not dura de-"Becase the Yiddish language is of German root," he said, "the Jown remains of the struggle they sid not dars do-

"Our race," said Mr. Marshall, "beren. (more than 800,000 of these) are sufferly dependent upon America. At fore the war, was showly but surely less these peoples and millions in the liftling its head above the centuries of other war-stricker countries on he persecution. As it nearest the heights kept from starration—they can be and began to see the promised land hept alive until the industries in the the war came. As the clouds of that nations are reparred if this commains nations are resemed, if this compaign devastation, the miscry, the starra-

tion and ruin which has been visited spon our possio which put the hor-rors of the Inquisition to shame."

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BOOSTER'S BOOST

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found enofitions particularly Bed in Lemburg. The city, which was bedd by the Pales was businged by the Extrateines. The Jews, after deciding to recease neutral, full victims to the When the beenburdment of the town. Effections were finally driven off the Poles entured the Jewish payeter of the town and killed many of the Jews

and wounded hundreds, he said.

"After Marshall declared regards that the Jews are siding with the Bulshavik over false. The few who have joined the red forces have divorced series from their faith, he said.

The religious Joe is law-shiring and peace lusing and not revolution-may, in the rad sence," he recerted. Effecting the Jown in their extremity is ment helping the Bulshwists, speaker emphatically declared.

Speciting of individual cases of suf-ring, Mr. Marshall told of a mether Dermag, Mr. Marzenall told of a mether sand three children who lost husband and father at one steele when the carifes of the collar is which they were fiving caved in and killed many off the companie of the place.

Countries Filled With Issues. The countries through which he passed are filled with insure orpe-cially young girls who have been at-sacked by solders, Mr. Marshall said. These who are left carnet even work because they were not left enough w them to seek it, he seserted.

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Bathing facilities are unknown encut segions according to Mr. Mar-had. Many people there have not that an opportunity to bathe themmeTwee for months as all public hars, there have been destroyed or locked

"But out of communion.
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"But, etrange as it may seen,"
nood Mr. Marshall, "I found a spirit
was that was amazing. The of optimism that was amazing. The Been of devastated Durope have Burope my faith that American Jews are counting to their relief.

"Life for six million in the shadow of death! ... Six millions mean what? ... Six million souls, old men, old women, and little children in Poland, Lithuania, Russia, Palestine, Galicia, Turkey, Syria, Roumania, Greece, and Bulgaria are in imminent danger of starving to death this winter. ... The responsibility of maintaining life in these six million suffers rest upon every man and woman in the United States ..."



"Today 6,000,000 Jews Are Facing the Darkest Days Ever Known in the Long History of the Race."

Schenectady Gazette (NY), October 16, 1919, page 15.



"Today 6,000,000 Jews Are Facing the Darkest Days Ever Known in the Long History of the Race."



hunger. The number of refugres has been greatly increased also by the Betahevile fighting, and innumerable

NATHAN STRAUS, poted philanthropist and merchant, who pleads for the relief of destitute Jewish people in Eastern Europe.



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Highdreds of thousands of Jews are Hindreds of incuments the process of part. In the rags they have worn for the last five years, with strips of legith hound to their feet or bits of bark thed to their soles to serve as

PROMPT AID NECESSARY

Dr. Nathan Krass, rathe of the Cen-tral Synoxicitis, Lesington avenue and Fifty-fifth ettent, New York, who has just returned from several months of relief work in Eastern Horoge, con-firmed the separa that existence through the winter was impurable for hundreds of thousands of Jews, ness, women and children, without procedure and

nest, women and children, without Immediate aid.
"Only the most prompt setten on the part of the people of the United Rivies can save them from free Presidents, death and from riveration desire the taming winter." he said. "If these the taming winter," he said, "If there the taming winter," he said, "life the taming winter," he said, "life the taming winter," he said. "If there are to be kept alive, where of additional soop his/help most be opined and large shipments of above and ciuthing and bedding event be sent to Kurope immediately."

Although more than \$2,000,000 new being spent every month is light-ern. Europe by the Joint Distribution FIG. Europe by the Jaint Instribution Committee, from sums desarted in the United States to the American Jewish Relief Committee, and other American Jawish relief agancies, this sum is not nearly sufficient for the needs of 6,000,000 destitute persons, thou-saids of them sight. This seem makes possible the expenditure of a dollar 6-month as the entire surfay for every three pennitra persons. Oh-viously, this is not enough to support life in them. ble in them.

THOUSANDS TURNED AWAY

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The chief thing that the relief workers have been able to do thus far was to concurs themselves with the immediate need for tood of these stapling people, the daily vap of soap for the sharpy children. Even then, they were compedied by lack of funds to see thousands turned away unfeel. The corring of winner will conspell them to me from the prodom more darphy. Rootes of exphanages muribe opened and hundreds of private houses to take in the little lewish orphana who will otherwise be left on the street all winter.

"It was no ware more thing for a child to be found should at the absent, Ries Boss Riombers, a relief warker eyecully made from Falestine, reported upon her return.

"In Constantineple you could not step notable the doors of even the cot thesters and lateds without almost theology appeared to step, buddled together for warenth." Miss Hetty Goldston, another return despend in large turnbers, also, An epidemic of trabius, a dresse russed by fith, inevitable among a people who have load to warp the same clothing for pasts, la raging in Exstern Europe and intriner Cast. By the first Cross some other dread mainly in Siberia alone, and the dread mainly in Siberia alone.

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Extensive as it seems, the sid now
being given children in Eastern Sorespe door ant nearly ment the need,
and unless funds are ruled to carry
on the work as an infinitely sreater
reals, the coming spring will find
comparatively less children alive in
those stricken lands. Heather Heaver of the American food commission, who just returned to America, commented upon this fact, and
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There is he corner of Poland, Litheanin, Rumania, Czecho-Niovakia, as Paleatine as remode that the Joint Instrubution Committee of American Funds for Jewish War Sufferer has not reached it with some supplies for the unfortunate populace, either Jews or Comittee or both. A relief train of farly-foor early recently carried food and old clothing and bedding to a number of tewns in Niteria. Night more tracks, laden with crackers and condensed milk, are even now following upon the trial of the Bolsheriki in Poland as they rezenut, in under to save the people alli left after to save the people alli left after from death by startabue. All this work must be confined.

"6,000,000 JEWS IN BREAD LINE, STRAUS WRITE More Than Third of Entire Race in World Reduced to Despair in Europe. ... Six million Jews, out of the 16,000,000 in Only immediate shipments of food and clothing, and prompt the world ... donations of money for further aid can prevent the extermination of the Jewish race in Eastern Europe this winter."



"Today 6,000,000 Jews Are Facing the Darkest Days Ever Known in the Long History of the Race."

The Post-Standard (Syracuse NY), October 27, 1919, page 5.



"There are 6,000,000 Jews in eastern Europe whom the war has left dependent upon America for aid. About 800,000 are children."

The Crucifixion of Jews Must Stop!

(Former Governor of the State of N. Y.)

From across the sea six million men and women call to us for help, and eight hundred thousand little children cry for bread.

These oblidren, these men and women are our follow-members of the human family, with the same claim on life as we, the same susceptibility to the winter's cold, the same propensity to death before the fangs of hunger. Within them reside the lilimitable possibilities for the advancement of the human race as naturally would reside in all million human beings. We may not be their keepers but we ought to be their helpers.

In the face of death, in the threes of starvation there is no place for mental distinctions of creed, no place for physical differentiations of race. In this catastrophe, when air million human beings are being whiried toward the grave by a cruel and relentiess fate, only the most idealistic promptings of human nature should away the heart and move the hand.

from lack of the necessaries of life; eight hundred thousand children cry for bread. And this fate is upon them through no fault of their own, through no transgression of the laws of God or man; but through the awful tyranny of war and a bigoted just for Jewish blood.

In this threatened in life, forgotten are the niceties of philosophical distinction, forgotten are the differences of historical interpretation; and the determination to help the helpiess, to shelter the homeless, to clothe the naked and to feed the hungry becomes a religion. at whose sitar men of every race can worship and women of every creed can kneel. In this calamity the temporalities of man's fashionings fall away before the eternal verities of life, and we awaken to the fact that from the hands of one God we all come and before the tribunal of one God we all must stand on the day of final reckoning. And when that reckoning comes mere profession of lips will not weigh a pennyweight; but deeds, mere intangible deeds, deeds that dry the tear of sorrow and allay the pain of anguish, deeds that with the spirit of the Good Samaritan pour oil and wine in wounds and find sustenance and shelter for the suffering and the stricken, will outweigh all the stars in the heavens, all the waters in the seas, all the rocks and metals in all the celestian globes that revolve in the firmament around us.

Race is a matter of accident; creed, partly a matter of inheritance, partly a matter of environment, partly one's method of ratiocination; but our physical wants and corporeal needs are implanted



WHITHER !

in all of us by the hand of God, and the man or woman who can, and will not, hear the cry of the starving; who can, and will not, take heed of the wall of the dying; who can, and will not, stretch forth a helping hand to those who sink beneath the waves of adversity is an assassin of nature's finest instincts, a traitor to the cause of the human family and an abjurer of the natural law written upon the tablets of every human heart by the finger of God himself.

And so in the spirit that turned the poor widow's votive offering of cepper into silver, and the silver into gold when placed upon God's sitar, the people of this country are called upon to sanctify their money by giving \$35,000,000 in the name of the humanity of Moses to all million famished men and women.

eight hundred thousand little shildren are crying for bread.

And why?

Because of a war to lay Autoeracy in the dust and give Democracy the sceptre of the Just.

And in that war for democracy 200,000 Jewish lads from the United States fought beneath the Stars and Stripes. In the 77th Division alone there were 14,000 of them, and in Argonne Forest this division captured 54 German guns. This shows that at Argonne the Jewish boys from the United States fought for democracy as Joshua fought against the Amalekites on the plains of Abraham. In an address on the so-called "Lost Battalion," led by Colonel Whittlesey of Pittafield, Major-General Alexander shows the fighting stuff these Jewish boys were made of. In some way or another Whittlesey's command was surrounded. They were short of rations. They tried to get word back to the rear telling of their plight. They tried and they tried, but their men never got through. Paralysis and stupefaction and despair were in the air. And when the hour was darkest and all seemed lost, a soldier lad stepped forward, and said to Col. Whittlesey: "I will try to get through." He tried, he was wounded, he had to creep and crawl, but he got through. Today he wears the Distinguished Service Cross and his name is

ABRAHAM KROTOSHINSKY,
Because of this war for Democracy att
million Jewish men and women are starting across the cess; eight hundred thousand Jewish belies are string for break,

The Crucifixion of Jews Must Stop!

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is the name of Abraham Krotoshinsky, who mived the "Last Saliniten," in the same of the one hundred and sinety-nian measured and nine hundred and ninety-size other Jewish boys who fought for Democracy beneath the Stars and Stripes went you give copper, or silver, or gold, is keep life in the heart of these men and these women; to keep blood in the bedies of these bablics?

THE JEW HAS HELFED EVERYSOOT BUT THE JEW.

In the world war the Jew has belped everyholy but the Jew. "Over there" he helped in camp, in council and in conflict. "Over here" he helped the Red Cross, the J. R. C. A., the Knights of Columbus, the Execus, the Salvation Army and everyholy size. So now is the time for everyholy to help the Jew, and God knows now is the time be needs it.

From out of the gloom of this war every other race. save one or two, has snatched a my of sunshine. But smid the encircltag gloom there is no light for the Jew "so lead thou me on." The war is over for everyone, but the Jew. The knife is still at his throat and an unrecoming and comable century-old lest for Jewish bood opens his veins. The Jew in Reuments, Poisnd and Ukraints is being made the scapegoat of the war. Since the armietice has been signed thousands of es la Ukrainia have been offered up as living secrifices to disbolical greed and function! pession—their throats out, their tedles rended timb from limb by assessing made and rabid soldiery. In the city of Prockunoff one day a few weeks ago the dawn new the door of every house wherein lived a Jew marked as a shambles for aughter. For four days, from sucrise to senset, fanatics plied the dagger like sons from hell, stopping only to est with hands adrip with the blood of Jewish victims. They killed the men; they were merciful to women. These they violated, and then they killed. From a purese to a fury, from a fury to a habit ran this killing of Jews, until within four the streets of Prockupoff ran red with blood like gutters of a slaughter bouse, until lin homes became a morgue for thequands of slaughtered human beings whose gaping wounds eried out for rengance and whose eyes had turned to slone at the horrors they had seen. As Hen. Simon W. Rosendale, aptly paraphrasing Bobby Burns' thought, in his speech not long age, said it is the appoid story of "man's inhumanity to man that makes countless thousands mourn." For as it has been at Proskunoff, so has it een in a hundred other places. The bloody tale hath repetition od nouerow. It is the same tear-stained story-the mme old stata upon the escutcheon of humanily. Verily, Dyron was right when he wrote:

"Tribes of the wandering feet and weary breson.

Whither shall ye fee to be at rest?

The wild dove both her nest, the fox his care.

Mankind their countries, Israel but the grave." But feruot is cutified to a place in the sum, and the crucificion of Jene went stop. We repeat the war is over for everybedy, but the Jew. Like lease the halfs is at his throat, but unlike Issue so power seems this to stop the steel from thirsting for his blood. But some power the world must raise up to prevent this desimation of a deserving race. For the power of the world a Leopue of Nations byt us have by all means; but for the Humonity of the World, to give justice to the Jew and other oppressed secoles on earth, let us have a Truce of God!—Albemy Times Union.



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"The Crucifixion of Jews Must Stop! From across the sea six million men and women call to us for help ... Within them reside the illimitable possibilities for the advancement of the human race as naturally would reside in six million human beings. ... In this catastrophe, when six million human beings are being whirled toward the grave by a cruel and relentless fate, only the most idealistic promptings of human nature should sway the heart and move the hand. Six million men and women are dying from lack of the necessaries of life ... bigoted lust for Jewish blood. In this threatened holocaust of human life in the name of the humanity of Moses to six million famished men and women. Six million men and women are dying ... six million Jewish men and women are starring across the seas ... "

The American Hebrew (NY), October 31, 1919, page 582.

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"In the midst of our campaign for the relief of the six million Jews of Eastern Europe ..."

The Evening Tribune Providence (RI), October 31, 1919, page 11.

How Much is a Child Worth?

With ASP you can see our ADE & life in outers Ramon for a schole you.

For SCR you can find one little girl for a worth, once in Poland, Where frost come, twee an assets on I show here.

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- ¶A william shikhon don't know what milk tester like. They are not your children—but just response they were.
- If how would you feel 2 year shild recent authorly deprived of food and was forced to lace a coming winter without shoes, and hardly enough rap to sover its pusy body to say nothing of postertion against the solid?
- And yet this condition actually exists. Think of it! Think
 of it!
- ¶ Almost a million innocest children robind of their hightight! Their shidthood is every. Ever since their practing belty days they have known only War. Peacs to them is an atter stranger. For years themselved if then have worshood, selegates from contending annies. Other thousands are or planted. None have known a full meal to five years.
- Q They can't remember what mile tastes like!
- Q Thirk of the long dreamy clays, with the hunger pangs ever graviting at their little witals. Thirk of the terrible endiese nights, speed above and organizated cost in the fields under the stars or us drey city streets. Thirk of the rags and the data and the lack of loving kindness, of the sickness and the soffering and the heartestees of maximile of little tots "cut on their over," in a world gate meal.
- ¶ Could but a part of the sufferings of limit fewish children throughout Eastern Europe in the past five years be seromed up in words, the world would stand aghast. Surely the heart of the forting God most be surely wounded at what these liths come have been through.
- There is a situation where mon, creed, nationality—nathing counts except humanity. It is a blot on the securcheon of the human root. Nor our America ever alear benefit if she permits these conditions to continue.
- These multitudes of Jewish children in Eastern Europe must have food! They must have elething! They must have a decent place to live!
- 4 And they must have a little of the cars and loving kindof the child of your heart and of these numberless Javish of the child of your beart and of these numberless swish

American Jewish Relief Committee
WALTER H. MORSE, Treasurer

"There are 6,000,000 Jews in eastern Europe whom the war has left dependent upon America for aid."

HOOVER VISITS JEWS; TELLS OF SUFFERING

American Food Administrator Pictures
Terrible Conditions in Poland and
Czecho-Slovakia.

\$400,000 FUND IS ASKED OF NEBRASKA THIS MONTH

CHILDREN ARE SO WEAK THAT THEY CANNOT WALK.

"Dr. Goldflamm of Warsaw tells me upon the authority of his medical reputation that in his clinic during the past year there has not been a Jewish child up to four years of age who could walk. Some of the children have forgotten, have unlearned how to walk. They have been rachitic from under-neurishment, from being fed once a day this warm potato soup and this hunk of bread."

-From an eye-witness.

First-hand information of the starvation and destitution of the Jewish peoples of Poland and Czecho-Slovakia, as it exists today, is brought out of this land of sorrow and horror by Herbert Hoover, head of the inter-allied relief organization, who has returned to Vienna after a trip of inspection.

Mr. Hoover declared that the economic situation in much of the territory he visited could only be expressed by the t-rm "complete demoralization." He continued:

"As a result of seven invasions by different armies, the country has been largely denuded of buildings. These regions are four-fifths uncultivated."

The territory which Mr. Hoover, visited is but a part of that in which 1,000,000 Jews, sufferers of war and war's equally horrible after-math, stand helpless today, hopeless, too, save for the promise of aid from America, which may give them food and clothing until order comes out of chaos and gives them again a chance to make their own livelihood

To meet this trust of starving and destitute humanity, the American Jewish War Relief Committee is conducting a nation-while campaign for \$35,000,000, as a 1919 budget to supply the MINIMUM needs. Nebraska's share of this fund, \$400,000, to be raised in a campaign during the week of September 15-22.

George Brandeis, well-known Omaha merchant, has accepted the chairmanship of the Nebraska committee, nonsectarian, under the chairmanship of Governor McKelvie.

Harry Wolf, leading Omaha realtor, has agreed to pay the entire expense of the Nebraska campaign. This means that every cent that every other contributor gives will be used for direct relief, in food, clothing, hospital supplies and other necessities of life.

Hendquarters of the campaign have been established in a "hut" on the Coint House square at Oniaha.

WHAT AMERICAN DOLLARS MEAN TO STARVING JEWS

The Need: SIX MILLION STARVING

Six million Jews in Poland, Lithuania, Galicia, Palestine, Turkey and Siberia are dying of starvation. Refugees, they wander homeless, hungry. in rags. Herbert Hoover has said that one million people will die in Eastern Europe this winter. Thousands upon thousands will perish of starvation and exposure unless immediate aid comes from America. The destitution of Jewish war sufferers during the coming months will probably surpass anything ever known in the history of human suffering. Their suffering is worse than qeath-it is the lingering torture of starvation, the tragedy of emaciation, the horrible waiting, in agony of hunger, for the grim reaper to end their misery. These six million despairing souls are totally dependent on American generosity for the bare necessities of life,

The Object: \$35,000,000 for 6,000,000

LIVES This year finds Prusslan'sm and autocracy destroyed but famine remains threatening world peace and happiness. Until a stable government is established and industry again, the Jewish war sufferers are entirely dependent upon our help. America must respond with characteristic generosity to save the lives of these stricken people whom our boys for relief is \$35,000,000. is to stand its share with other states, 125 must contribute \$400,000. . Without this money the indespensable food and clothing cannot be secured. Without it, the work of rescue cannot go on.

HOW THE MONEY IS DISTRIBUTED.

With the sanction and assistance of the state department at Washington, these funds are sent through a branch committee in the Netherlands and by it distributed to the various relief centers.

YOUR CONTRIBUTION:

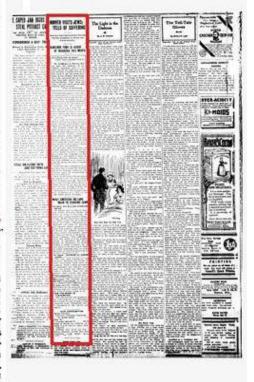
George Brandels, Treasurer, Nebraska Committee

for Jewish Relief. Dear Sir:

I hereby subscribe \$...... for the relief of Jewish war sufferers, all of which is to be used for direct relief. (Signed)

(Signed)

(Ehelose your check and mail to George Brandels, Jewish War Reilef Committee, Court House Square,



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DISEASE AND STARVATION IN POLAND

Lieut. Wright Tells of Half Starved People Clad in Rags

BREAD OUT OF LEAVES

Says 6,000,000 Face Death This Winter Unless Given Immediate Relief

The hardships of the coming winter will mean death to thousands of Jews in Poland, unless outside aid intervenes at once, according to Licutenant Shelton Wright, of the American Red Cross Commission to Poland, recently returned to the United States after months of relief work in eastern Europe,

He painted a vivid picture of this half-starved people, clad in rags, who are now creeping back toward their devastated homes, after months of refugee wandering, and dying of starvation and typhus along the roads, as they go.

Disease and Starvation
"Outright starvation, numerous diseases, attributed to malnutrition and typhus have killed men and women and children like files," he said. "I remember a family trying to live under an over-turned wagon by the roadside. The mother was dead under a tree a few yards away,—she had been dead for days. The father was stretched upon the ground dying of typhus. He died that day. Under the wagon were two little children, both under five, sick with typhus. An older child sat stupidly beside them—a girl driven out of her mind."

Bread Out of Leaves

Many of the people are driven to making "bread" out of leaves and bark, and "soup" out of grass and water. Lieutenant Wright reported. In spite of the fact that the American Jewish Relief agencies are spending almost \$2,000,000 a month now on their relief work in Poland, and that the American Red Cross is doing its work on so vast a scale, hundreds of thousands of people will die during the winter unless more aid comes.

Die Along the Way
"Every box car full of refugees
returning to their homes has in it
those who die along the way, and
those who have contracted typhus",
Lieutenant Wright said. "The people try to avoid disease by keeping
clean, but it is impossible to do so
under existing conditions. Even
our American aurses and doctors fall
ill of typhus, a disease caused by
fitth and lice."

The American Red Cross and the Jewish Relief agencies are doing their utmost to keep both the Jews and the Gentiles in these stricken lands alive. Six million Jews eastern Europe face death during the coming winter, unless immediaje shipments of food, clothing, bedding from the United reach them before the cold weather sets in. Herbert Hoover, head of the American Food Commission, who recently returned to America, that without the funds raised by the Jewish Relief and co-operating ganizations it would be impossible to feed between 4,000,000 and 000,000 starving children in ogstern Europe.

Philadelphia and the surrounding counties of this district, are preparing to contribute their share during the week of November 17th towards the relief of the awful condition of the destitute war sufferers abroad. The district includes in addition to Philadelphia, the counties of Bucks. Berks, Chester, Delaware, Lancaster, Lobanon, Lehigh, Montgenery and Northampton, under the general chairmanship of Dr. Cyrus Adler, of Philadelphia, The funds thus raised will be dispersed thrusthe Joint Distribution Committee.

"DISEASE AND STARVATION IN POLAND Lieut. Wright Tells of Half Starved People Clad in Rags BREAD OUT OF LEAVES Says 6,000,000 Face Death This Winter Unless Given Immediate Relief ... 6,000,000 Face Death ... Six million Jews in eastern Europe face death during the coming winter,"

TELLS SAD PLIGHT OF JEWS.

Felix M. Warburg Says They Were the Worst Sufferers in War.

Felix M. Warburg, Chairman of the Joint Distribution Committee of American Funds for Jewish War Sufferers, who returned several days ago from a trip to Europe for that organization, made public yesterday some of his findings.

"The successive blows of contending armies have all but broken the back of European Jewry," he said, "and have reduced to tragically unbelievable poverty, starvation and disease about 6.000, or half the Jewish population of the earth.

"The Jewish people throughout Eastern Europe, by sheer accident of geography, have suffered more from the war than any other element of the population. The potential vitality and the capacity for self-help that remains to these people after the last five years is amazing to me."

The people are deeply moved by the help given them by America, Mr. Warburg said, but it would be fatal to lessen the emergency aid now while millions are in tragic need. The \$30,000,000 spent by his committee, he said, has fed and clothed more than a million children and has renewed the hope of five million parents and elders.

"For more than four years," he said,
"the war on the Eastern front was
fought largely in the congested centres
of Jewish population. A straight north
and south line from Riga, on the Baltic,
to Salonika, on the Aegean Sea, will
touch every important battle area of the
Bastern war zone and every centre of
Jewish population. After the cataclysm
of the last few years it is too much to
expect this Jewry to become self-sustaining in a short twelve-month."
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program soon to be started for the discontinuance of emergency relief. This plan, he said, calls for the formation of a \$10,000,000 reconstruction corporation. "This organization," he said, "would afford facilities for constructive aid to Jews abroad in the way of loans and credit at nominal interest rates. The value of this sort of assistance as a substitute for pure charity is apparent." Other relief projects recommended by Mr. Warburg include the establishment

Other relief projects recommended by Mr. Warburg include the establishment of an express company to forward money and packages from Jews in this country to relatives and friends abroad; the distribution of \$120,000 worth of fuel in sections of Poland where destitution is greatest; the purchase of \$300,000 worth of cloth in the bolt whereby unemployed workmen of Poland may get raw material, and a plan to reunite those Jewish families that have relatives in the United States and those who have become separated abroad.

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New York Times, November 12, 1919.

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Race is a matter.

Race is a matter of accident; creed, partly a matter of inheritance, partly a matter of environment, partly one's method of ratiocination; but our physical wants and corporeal needs are implanted in all of us by the hand of God, planted in all of us by the hand of God, and the man or woman who can, and will not, hear the cry of the starving; who can, and will not, take heed of the wail of the dying; who can, and will not, stretch, forth a helping hand to those who slak beneath the waves of adversity is an assassin of nature's finest instincts, a traitor to the cause of the human family and an abjurer of the natural law written upon the tablets of every human heart by the finger of God himself.

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AN APPEAL FOR

JEWISH RELIEF

Six Million Men and Women Are Dying — Won't You Help Them? Eight Hundred Thousand Little Children Cry for Bread. Won't You Head Them?

[From The Times-Union, Albahy, N.Y., Oct.21, 19]

From across the sea six millions men and women call to us for help, and eight hundred thousand little children cry for bread.

These children, these men and women are aur fellow members of the human family, with the same claim on life as we, the same susceptibility to the winter's cold, the same propensity to death before the fangs of hunger. Within them reside the lillmitable possibilities for the advancement of the human race as naturally would reside in six million human beings. We may not be their keepers but we ought to be their helpers.

In the face of death, in the throces of starvation there is no place for physical differentiations of race. In this catastrophe, when six million human beings are being whirled toward the grave by a cruel and relentless fate only the most idealistic promptings of human nature should sway the heart and move the hand.

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bables? In the world-war the Jew has helped everybody but the Jew. "Over there" he helped the Red Cross, the Y. M. C. A., the Knights of Columbus, the Masons, the Salvation Army and everybody else. So now is time for eberybody to help the Jew, and God knows now is the time he needs it.

From out of the gloom of this war every other race, says one or two, has

every other race, save one or two, has anatched a ray of sunshine. But smid the encircling gloom there is no light for the Jew "to lead thou me on." The war is over for everyone, but the Jew. The knife is still at his throat and an unreasoning and unreasonable century-old lust for Jewish blood opens his veice. The Jew is Roumania, Poland and Ukrainia is being made the scapegoat of the war. Since the armistice has been signed thousands of Jews in Ukroinia have been offered up

as living sacrifices to diabolical greed and fanatical passion—their throat cut, their bodies rended limb from limb by assassin bands and rabid soldiery. In the city of Proskunoff one day a few weeks ago the dawn saw the door of every house wherein lived a Jew marked as a shambles for slaughter. For four days, from sunrise to sunset, fanatics plied the dagger like demons from hell, stopping only to eat with hands adrip with the blood of Jewish victims. They killed the men; they were less merciful to women. These they violated, and then they killed. From a purpose to a fury, from a fury to a habit ran this killing of Jews, until within four days the streets of Proskunoff ran red with blood like gutters of a slaughter house, until its homes became a mergue for thousands of slaughtered human beings whose gaping wounds cried out for vengeance and whose eyes had turned to stone at the horrors they had seen.

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Six million men and women of the race that helped do the greatest of the world's work are falling into the grave! Your hand can help enatch them back! Won't you help? Eight hundred thousand babies of the race that helped us Christians build the cabernacie of Democracy are crying for bread! Won't you feed then?

And so for what the Jew is and what the Jew has been, for what the Jew has done in the long-ago and what the Jew did in the world war, in the name of the Divinity of Moses, in the name of the Divinity of Christ, won't you sanctify some of your money, won't you put a halo around some of your gold and silver by giving something—no matter how little—to the famishing men and women, the starving little children of the race that almost alone from the days of Moses to the days of Christ, and side by side with the Christians from the days of Christ until to, day, has patiently and peristently help lay stone upon stone in the Temple of Democracy that now crowns the hill of human endeavor and answers the prayer of human aspiration.

To that Temple of Democracy, which their fathers helped build, and which they helped save, six million famished men and women now turn mute eyes of appeal; eight hundred thousand starving children etresch out beseaching bands for belp.

What will the answer be?

"Life" or "Death!"

Give, America! Give, and the answer "Life!"

Give, America! Give, and the answer Hear not the cry, deny the appeal, America, and the snewer is—"Death."

"Six Million Men and Women Are Dying... Won't You Help Them? ... From across the sea six million men and women call to us for help ... in six million human beings ... In this catastrophe, when six million human beings are being whirled toward the grave by a cruel and relentless fate ... Six million men and women are dying ... Six million men and women are dying ... Because of this war for Democracy six million Jewish men and women are starving across the seas ... Six million men and women of the race that helped do the greatest of the world's work are falling into the grave! ... six million famished men and women now turn mute eyes of appeal ..."

SEC. SHAPIRO ON THE JEWISH RELIEF DRIVE

Bright Prospects That Lebanon Will Go Over the Top

QUOTA IS \$15,000

Six Million Face Winter of Starvation and Death

Volunteer worker, in the Jewish Relief Campaign, report being well received throughout the city, and prospects are growing steadily brighter that the effort will go over the top with a harrab. In speaking of the project today, Maurice Shapiro, the Executive Secretary agid:

The purpose of this Campaign is to raise \$35,000,000 throughout the United States for the immediate relief of the more than \$,000,000 Jaws and other nationalities in the warstricken countries of Europe. They fore a droudful winter of death by starvation and cold unless America heips. This fund is being raised through a series of State and District "drives" throughout the country?

L',banon County's share is \$15,-900. This amount we hope to raise by an appeal to the entire community in Lebanon county.

Until July 1, 1319, the American, Relief Administration had been helping to relieve the terrible conditions abroad. On that date the Commission officially ceased to exist. Itelief work for the children is being carried on by Herbert Hoover through the American Relief Administration Children's Bureau. This Bureau is receiving money and active co-operation from the Jewish Relief agencies.

America is the only country which the great war has not soriously affected. In the nearly five years of world etrife, have you, for instance, been hungry or cold because of any need growing out of the war?

In the future, as in the past, the money will be handled by the Joint Distribution Committee. Represenstantly on the ground and can bee conditions as they are.

Contrast the happy, well-fed, well-clad, well-cared-for life of your own little boy or girl with the starving regged, homeless, harefooted wanderer of the same ago on the streets of war-stricken cities, and answer for yourself. For the price of an ice cream feds, you can buy a ten-year-old boy more food than he has had at one time for the past five years; a change of clothing may save a boy or girl from the terrible typhus epidemic new raging thrubut the devastated countries. Think these facts over when your little boy or girl greets you as you go home tonight.

Great quantities of wheat, condensed milk, meats, oils and fats, ciothing, shoes, hoots, and medical supplies enough, in fact, to fill several steamers, have already gone overseas and other cargoes are to follow.

You are "your brother's keeper." Hecause your own little boy or girl has ample food, would you turn a deaf ear to the cry of the tiny begar on the streets who pleads for food?

In view of this the people of Lebanon County are asked to do their utmost to help reach this quota. EVERY DOLLAR YOU GIVE WILL, HELP OTHERS TO LIVE.

"SEC. SHAPIRO ON THE JEWISH RELIEF DRIVE ... Six Million Face Winter of Starvation and Death ... 6,000,000 Jews and other nationalities in the war stricken countries of Europe."

Lebanon Daily News (PA), November 21, 1919, page 9.



What Does It Mean?

It is the symbol the rallying cry—of a campaign which is to begin in Baltimore on Saturday of this week.

A campaign which means the saving of six million men, women and children from the most horrible of all deaths—

STARVATION!

For nearly six years these people have been in the shadow of death. They are without food, clothing, homes—they lack the barest necessities of life. They are the Jews of Poland, Lithuania, Galicia, Czecho-Slovakia and Palestine.

Here is a situation where nothing counts except humanity. These Multitudes Must Not Be Left To Die.

So, on next Saturday, November 22nd, and for the week that follows, men and women of every creed will unite in the effort to raise the money needed to feed, clothe and house these suffering, starving people.

It's everybody's job

(NON-SECTARIAN)

Jewish War Relief Campaign

NOVEMBER 22 to 30

Chairman Frederick County

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Cumberland Evening Times (MD), November 22, 1919, p.6.



HOW MUCH IS A CHILD WORTH?

Turn for a moment, if you will, from your own cozy tamily circle to those 800,000 starving, ragged, helpless Jewish children in Eastern Europe. Consider their lot. You'll have to stretch your imagination to the breaking point-and even then you will not exaggerate the grim, terrible facts.

Almost a million insident children robbed of their historight? Their childrend is easy. Ever aims their practing both deporture have known only War. Power to them is an other stranger. For yours thousands of four housands are or phased. Note that a location for or phased. Note that known a full pread in the pears. They coult remember what will have the

Think of the long divery days, with the hunger panes ever growing of their Bible visits. Think of the hertilis continus nightly-depent alone and ex-pressioned out in the fields under the stars or or develop streats. Think of the sings and the distract the lack of loving kindress, of the others and the saffering and the heartaches of crystals of Bible tate "act on their one" in a world gone mid.

Could but a part of the sufferings of Rate Jewish children throughout Eastern Earner in the part five years be summed up to words the world would stand agrees. Surely the learn of the looking God sout he world would at what these little case have been through.

How is a sibution where eace, creed assumpty—nothing search countries. It is a laid on the exceptions of the factors rece. Nor tan America over clear broad X she permits these conditions to carthons.

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And they must have a little of the core and loving kindness that is the birthright of every child born into the world—of the shild of your boart and of these supplication Jessish children?

The first consideration of American Jewes is to care for the orderated, un-fed, underbed—and unlessed—affapring of the race across the say. But it is

the first condifferation not only of \$1-1.5.1.2 of America as a whole. The \$25,060,060 that the American Jewis socied transmittee sends from the United States this year will go geteen by to save the Jewish obtained abread.

Shall it even be said that for a f_{PP} : $PP \neq F$ have above at little still little water allowed to period?

SHARE-DON'T DODGE!

. With \$200 year can save one oblishs life in Electors Sarage for a whole year.

For \$27 you can feed one little girl for a receilt, even in Poland, where food cests twice as such as it does burn.

For 35 early you can hay a bee-year-old buy more food than he has had to not at one time for the past for years.

There are \$100,000 Jimes in Eastern Staroge, where the war has left de-position upon as for sid. About \$00,000 of there are children.

One change of clothes may save a key or girl from the terrible typics epidemic which is raging now in Eastern Suppose.

Poland is full of children of eight or bin years old, no larger than lefants of a few question, who cannot walk because of lack of food.

There are hundreds of thousands of Jestich children in Polyad, Palestina, Crirola-Sieraida, Lifesanda, Rusmania, Sheria and the Orient, left helpfass and homeless by the war. Thansands of them, quable to get into the already communical explanation, hap on the streets by they and along on the streets by night. And there, but for the grave of God, good year even little boy or girl.

JEWISH RELIEF CAMPAIGN



"Life for Those in the Shadow of Death"



This Campaign Begins December 1, For One Week

WM. PROVOST, Jr., Chairman, Cambridge Building

THIS SPACE DONATED BY

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"There are 6,000,000 Jews in Eastern Europe whom the war has left dependent upon us for aid."

Chester Times (PA), November 28, 1919, page 15 (this was a full page advert).

HELP THE JEWISH RELIEF CAMPAIGN

For First Time in History of Race, Jews Are Asking Others For Help.

Adolph Skud is the general chairman for the "drive" that is being made in Gogebic county for the relief of the Jews in eastern and central Europe, who are starving and dying as a result of the World War. Ironwood's share of the quota expected is \$2,500. The Jewish people of this city have already contributed nearly onehalf of that amount, and are asking the help of the people of other faiths in the community in raising the balance. Thus for the first time in the history of their race, the Jews are asking help for their people from those who are not of their own blood.

They are doing it because six million Jews in eastern and central Europe are actually in need of food at this moment. They have nothing to look to, to keep them from starvation, except the bread lines, soup kitchens and milk stations American Jewish relief agencies are establishing. The conditions which have left them starving and dependent are not of their own making. War, which took their men, and destroyed their trade and devastated the countries in which they have dwelt for centuries, tore down their homes and drave many of them to foreign lands, is alone to blame for their predicament. The problem of 6,000,000 starving men, women and little children ought to be the problem of all humanity.

Mr. Skud may call on you for a subscription Yor this worthy cause. An intensive canvass has been made among the Jewish people of Ironwood, and donations will be received from all others who may wish to contribute. It is impossible that an appeal so deserving and a need so pressing will be unheeded by the charitably inclined people of Ironwood. Send your check for amount that you feel you can afford to Mr. Skud today, or send the money to his store. Let it not be said that "Ironwood fell down" in the matter of giving relief to any people, Jew or Gentile, who suffered because of the devastations of the World War. The Jews have given liberally to help others; they have done this in addition to sending relief to their own people for nearly five years. They did this freely and gladly, as they now urge others-for the first time-to give help to their people.

Thirty-five million dollars will save the Jewish race in Poland, Lithuania, Roumania, Czecho-Ślovakia, Palestine, Siberia and the orient from starvation during the coming year. For this reason the Jews are asking help for their people from you. The News Record does not believe that you will turn deaf ears to their appeal.

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GENTILES RESPOND TO CALL FOR JEWISH AID

Measures Are Under Way For Relief of Six Million Sufferers in Europe

REPORT IS MADE PUBLIC

Ten Million Dollar Campaign Is Being Planned to Wind Up Year's Work.

New York, Dec. 18.—The remarkable way in which the country has responded to the cry for relief from the 6,000,000 starving Jewish people of Eastern Europe, is shown in a report made public by Henry H. Resenfelt, director of the American Jewish Relief Committee, which has completed campaigns in about half of the states of the Union.

For the first time in the history of the Jewish race, Jew and Gentile worked side by side this year to alleviate the intense suffering of millions of Jews throughout Eastern Europe. American Jewry had borne alone the heavy burden of caring for their suffering kinsmen in the castern war zone throughout the four years of war, but with the signing of the armistice, the terrible condition of Eastern European Jews disclosed, proved too herculean a task for the Jews of this country to attempt to carry alone. So Centile joined with Jew and the gratifying results of this most radical departure from Jewish iraditions, is shown by a comparison of this year's, and the 1918 campaign.

Will Save Many Lives.

Purchase of this vast quantity of clothing, which the joint distribution committee is now considering, will mean saving the lives of thousands of children, as well as adults, who will be given immediate protection against the winter, Henry H. Rosenfelt, director of the American Jowish Relief Committee, announced, Lieut, Becker, in his cable, emphasized that "this is the only chance this winter to aid Kiev and its surrounding territory."

Because of the opportunity to deliver this clothing at once to territory where it is so sorely needed. Mr. Rosenfeit declared this is one of the most important measures over undertaken in this year's relief work in Eastern Europe. Included in the supplies are 70,000 pairs of shoes, which would be distributed mainly among the children, who are all practically barefoot.

"Report of Lieut, Smith, military attache at Kiev, indicates terrible conditions," Lieut, Becker cabled, "If money consideration is too great, could purchase part of supplies, although a hundred times that amount is needed."

The great demands made upon the committee to tide the 6,000,000 starving Jews over the winter and the enormous amount of relief work already accomplished, are rapidly depleting the committee's treasury, according to Mr. Rosenfelt, which makes imperative completing att state campaigns of the American Jewish Reilef Committee by February. Funds raised from both Jews and Gentiles so far this year in half the state of the Union total over \$11,000,000, while over \$25,000,000 has been spent in eastern relief since the outbreak of the war, Mr. Rosenfelt added.

It is planned to wind up this year's work with a \$10,000,000 campaign in New York city, whose successful termination, is vitally necessary to insure completion of the Eastern European relief program, Mr. Rosenfelt said.

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Charleston Daily Mail (WV), December 18, 1919, page 15.



"Today Six Million Jews Are Facing the Darkest Days Ever Known In the History of the Race."



"Six Million Human Beings Are Suffering the Tortures of Disease, Hunger and Death ... American Jewish Relief Committee"

The Toledo News-Bee (OH), December 27, 1919, page 11 (this was a full page advert).

THE TIMES-DEMOCRAT, LIMA. OHIO.

Executive Department office of the Governor PROCLAMATION

None suffered more severely during the war, none more patiently endured the hardships under oppression and invasion than did the Jews. Literally starved, unclothed and unsheltered, with necessities denied them in deliberation, they have been driven almost desperate.

We have noted the contribution to the advancement of civilization and material prosperity of all nations on the earth by the Jewish people, and know further that none have been more patriotic, more liberty loving and more ready to sacrifice for the cause of liberty and in behalf of justice.

It is estimated that today more than six million old men, women and children are actually starving to death in the war ridden countries overseas, and that their only relief can come through the generosity of the American people.

The American Jewish Relief Committee is devoting its entire time, energy and funds toward the lifting of misery and distress wherever found in any of the war ravaged countries of the old world, without any regard to nationality or religious creed, and is now making the first general appeal that a Jewish Society has ever made of the American people, having set aside the week from Friday, December 26th to Friday, January 2, for a campaign for funds in this state.

i. therefore, James M. Cox, Governor of Ohio, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the constitution and under the laws of the state, with full knowledge of the feeling which exists in the hearts of our citizens and repeated demonstration of generosity within the state, designate officially the period from

Within the state, designate officiary the period for the Friday, December 26th, to Friday, January 2, as Jewish Relief Week in the state of Ohlo, and respectfully call upon all the people of our state in their respective communities to organize forces and aid in this worthy movement. I appeal to mayors and municipal officers inroughout the state to lend of their help in every possible way.

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Lima Times Democrat (OH), December 27, 1919, page 2.



"There are 6,000,000 Jews in Eastern Europe whom the war has left dependent upon us for aid. About 800,000 of them are children."

JEWS SUFFER GREAT TORTURES IN EUROPE

Thousands Face Wintry Blasts Without Shelter of Food on Medical Aid

"The Jows of eastern Europe suffered greater hardships, sustained greater losses and have been left in a worse economic condition than any other people with the possible exception of the Armenians," according to Dr. Cyrus Adier, noted Jewish educator, in an interview given the American Jewish Relief committee.

There are thousands of Jewish families in Europe whose only home is a rude cart, open to the enows and rains. They must tace the wintry blasts without hope of medical aid, without heat, without shelter, without food, unless the people of America help them in their truly American manner.

Six pullion human beings are suffering the tortures of disease, hunger and death in the devastated countries of Poland, Gallola, Rumania, Lithuania, and Plestine. Eight hundred thousand of these are children, robbed of their birthright, who never have known what a square meal looks like or even tastes like. They have never tasted milk. They are too weak, thousands of them, even to walk. They cannot raise a hand to help themselves.

For the first time, the Jews of America are appealing to their fellow efficient to ad them in an effort to save these unfortunates from such a horrible death. Through the American-Jowish Relief committee, a campaign has been organized to raise a fund of \$35,000,000, every cent of which will be spent to buy food and clothing for these destitute people. Utah has been asked to raise \$70,000 as its quota.

State headquarters have been opened at the Sait Lake Commercial ciub, with Daniet Alexandera a state chairman, and Wesley E. King as campaign director. In Ogden headquarters for Weber county have been opened at the Weber ciub. Samuel C. Dye is in charge of the Weber county campaign and is being assisted by a number of prominent Ogden citizens.

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The Ogden Standard (UT), March 18, 1920, p.12.

AID SOUCHT FOR STARVING JEWS

Just now some sex incline of Jows, eight innoless thousand of em just children, are in limment prope Their American brethern have undertaken the herculean task of saving them They have commated that it will require a fund of \$15,000,000 to beep their poor, distitute bodies ap l souls together And because of the enormity of the task and its pressing necessity, all races and creeds in America are now joining in thir collect work in the belief that race, creed or netionality should not be seen in this cry of dying humanity.

The demands of charity, and the demands for the necessities of life, are many and increasingly larger from day to day. Yet we, in our plenty, can scarcely fail to heed such a pressing call as this, a matter of life or doub, nothing loss.

Utah has been asked to raise \$70,000 of this fund. The 2,000 Jown of Utah have guaranteed to raise \$22,500 of this amount, or \$11.25 per capita, which is about \$65 for each head of a Jewish family in Utah. The Jews therefore, are not shirking their burden. But they do need some assistance from their friends. They have given until it has quit hurring and leels good,

State Campaign Headquarters have been opened in the Salt Lake Commercial Clob, and a systematic plan laid out for quitetly asking for this help from the non Jows of the State.

Excerpts from Letter written by Dr. (Major) H. I Davis to Mrs. Davis.

I returned to Warson after an eight day tour of inspection of the Polish aghting fronts, cities and villages behind them, and large centers outside of Warson

My trip was extensive-2000 kilometers—by special train, guarded by polish troops, before we were thru we used our arm oured trains, horses, peasunt's carts, automobiles, ambulances and our feet

I saw the actual fighting fronts of the Poles, Bulsheviks and Ukranians. Rifle it my band and with my 45-Colt in my overcoat pocket, I walked thru trembles and fourd for the first time the peculiar music of a shell. I rode horseback to the farthest villages, risited the cities of Kovel, Protorsk, Vladimer, Volynski, Brest-Litovsk, Chelm and as far east as Ponst.

What i saw is beyond description. It oversteps all possible limits of imagination or dreams and they are after for fatched. Whole districts are bare, are entitivated fields, homes barned and destroyed, whole cities demolished no horses, cattle and the people, Good God! There were moments when I wished I was never born to see what I did say.

Thousands and thousands of children, old men and women without clothing, warmth or food racked by typhus (in some places half of the population is suck) and other diseases. Wanderers by the thousands trying to return to their homes from which they were drated out to Russians or Germans Starving and dying women and children deleriously raying for bread. Huddled together in syn-

aggrees, men and women, all too wear to stand up or move about pitco sly atfetching their lends toward you. And those faces, one amatel, thus, barning eyes, hat-less, unable to appreciate anything you may any to them, only begging for a piece of bread.

In the city of Pinsk I saw hundreds of children, women and inmates of hospitals who did not have a piece of bread for four days. And the bread they are asking for—a filthy mixture of a little flour with bark of trees or leaves, sixdent and Got knows what.

What do you think of a diet of wild horse-chestnuts for those sick with typhus or of warm water with a little corn most mixed with it?

It was a pergatory which I saw, but a pergatory of human creation for living people

Those orphaned children slowly starving to death, and our rich giving a few dollars of their surplus. It is a mockery

There were measures when I had to run away from the inderry and suffering. How I wish I had plenty money to at least help them a little. I returned to Warsaw without a single pomy in my pockets.

Enough for this time. Our people must belp. The help must be prompt, it must be generous, it must be continuous, or we shall have on our consciences the death, horrible deaths,—It would be more merciful to kill them—of thousands upon thousands of people. THE GREAT. IST. NUMBER OF WHOM

"Just now some six million of Jews, eight hundred thousand of them just children, are in imminent danger of starvation in eastern Europe."

WILL MAKE PASSOVER GIFT.

Jewry of North Carolina Asked to Give of Their Means to Relieve the Suffering.

As a Passover gift for the aid of their suffering people in Eastern Europe, who are beginning their sixth year of starvation and misery as a result of the war, North Carolina Jewry, under the leadership of berger, of Greensboro, will make an appeal for relief funds April 4-10.

Passover, the great Jewish holiday of feasting, comes during these dates. and Mr. Sternberger and other leading Jews of the State considered it most appropriate that while they are enjoying the bounties of a prosperous country, it would be fitting to aid as much as within their means, the 6,-000,000 Jews in Eastern Europe, who have been facing death by starvation and disease for so many years.

In appealing to prominent Jews throughout the State asking them to serve as chairmen in their cities, Mr.

Sternberger says:

"Conditions in Eastern Europe are far worse now than they have ever been before. Six million Jews, including over 1,000,000 children, are en-during terrible suffering and are facing annihilation through lack of food and disease.

"A report to the American Jewish Relief committee from the European relief general states that typhus, raging all over Poland, is affecting 95 per cent of the population of that country and threatens it destruction. Relief funds are being used to fight the terrible epidemic, but owing to lack of medicines and clothing as well as to the undernourished condition of the people, it is almost impossible to combat it and the report states that it threatens all of Eastern Europe.

"Let us all join in doing and giving our atmost to relieve the dire distress of these unfortunate people. A million Jewish children alone have been living on the one meal a day they have been getting from soup kitchens. Many of them are unable to walk from What if our children malnutrition were suffering like this?"

Mr. Sig. Wallece is local chairman

for conducting this campaign.

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The Landmark (Statesville, NC), March 26, 1920, page 2.



Don't Delay!

A nation is perishing of hunger.

Little children are wandering about homeless and dying of disease and exposure!

Half of the Jews in the world face death from Starvation!

Only You can Help!

and your help must come quickly if it is to save.

The Jewish War Relief Campaign asks of you all that your generosity can afford—a contribution in accordance with your means.

This is not an ordinary appeal nor are the circumstances prompting it ordinary. Over six million Jews in Poland and other parts of Eastern Europe are without bornes and without food and without clothing.

In the Name of Humanity HELP THEM!

The campaign is almost over here. If you have not already done your shape send your contribution without delay to

non-sectarian

JEWISH WAR RELIEF CAMPAIGN

Headquarters,

No. 5 Hunter Bldg., Oswego.



"Over six million Jews in Poland and other parts of Eastern Europe are without homes and without food and without clothing."

Oswego Daily Times, March 26, 1920, page 6.

Proclamation by the Governor

To the People of Oklahoma

Now that peace is assured the veil has been lifted to reveal in a measure, the indescribable suffering and privation of those peoples occupying the territory lying in the pathway of contending armies. This presents a picture so crushing in its desolate misery that it challenges the sympathy of the world.

Six million of helpless Jewish people—aged men, emacated women and piteous little children—homeless, naked and standing in the bread-line of the world. Many have died and many more are dying of starvation. EUROPE CAN GIVE NO AID AND NOTHING CAN SAVE THEM EXCEPT THE GENEROSITY OF THE PROSPEROUS AMERICAN PEOPLE.

This Is Surely a Problem of Humanity

Realizing this fact, the Jews of the State of Oklahoma, always responding most liberally to every worthy cause whether local or national and now seeking to succor their suffering brethren, appeal with confidence to their fellow citizens of all creeds in this great State to aid them in meeting this vast need in war-stricken Europe.

THEREFORE, I, J. B. A. Robertson, Governor of the State of Oklahoma, now designate April 5th to 12th, 1920, as Jewish War Relief Days and call upon the people of this State to lend an attentive ear to the cries of distress from the Jews in Europe.



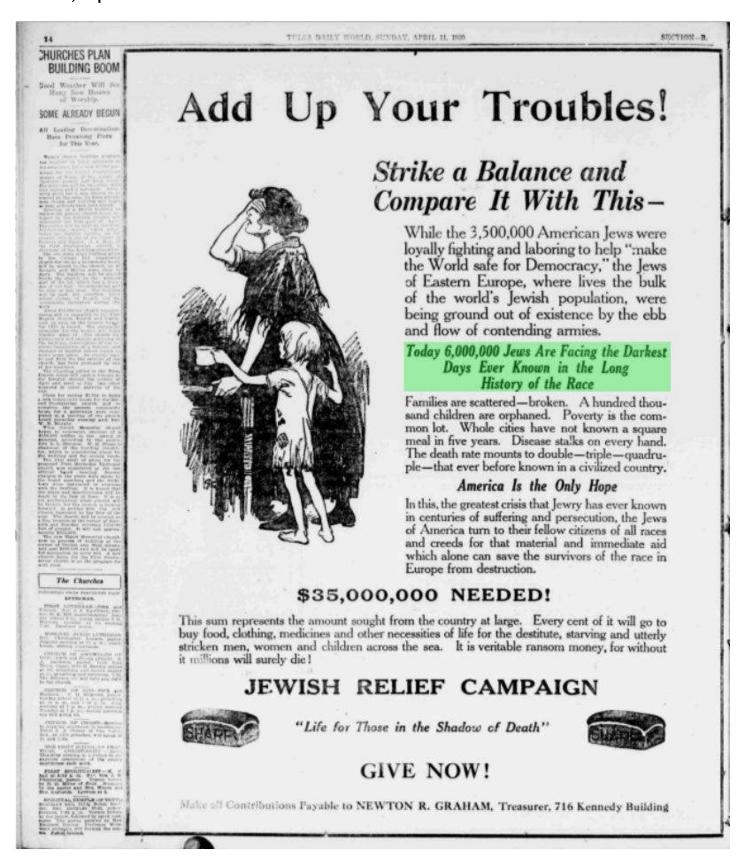
IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State to be affixed.

Done at the capitol this fifteenth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty and of the State the thirteenth year.

> J. B. A. ROBERTSON, Governor.

"Proclamation by the Governor (of Oklahoma) ... Six million of helpless Jewish people ... J. B. A. ROBERTSON, Governor."

The Ada Evening News (OK), April 5, 1920, page 8.



HOOVER PLEA NETS \$1,600,000 FOR JEWS

Tells of Typhus Menace at Launching of New York Campaign for War Sufferers.

3.000,000 CHILDREN IN NEED

Louis Marshall and Judge Elkus Picture Plight of Stricken People-Large Contributions Made.

Although the American Relief Administration, in an endeavor to prevent the spread of typhus in Europe, recently obtained the entire assignment of antityphus material, drugs, machinery, disinfecting plants and motor cars, including all the tremondous equipment that went with each of the continental armies, this equipment is probably not one-third of the amount required "if typhus is not to spread gradually eastward and westward across the whole of Europe."

This statement was made last night by Herbert Hoover, at the Hotel Astor, where more than \$1,600,000 was subscribed at a dinner to launch the campaign known as the New York Appeal for Jewish War Sufferers. About 1,000 men and women prominent in all walks of life attended the dinner and listened to the appeals of Mr. Hoover, Louiz Marshall, Abram 1. Elkus, Associate Judge of the Court of Appeals, and Judge Otto A. Resalsky, on behalf of the stricken Jews of Europe.

The menace of typhus was the note struck by all the speakers. Mr. Marshall

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'In New York City there are 6,000,000

"In New York City there are 6,000,000 men, women and children," he said. Imagine that each and every one of hese 6,000,000 is without food, clothing, shelter, medicine, nurses, without help; imagine that these six million include you, and your children and your friends and then you will begin to understand what it is that has brought us together and why we propose to find ways and means to help these unfortunate people."

Judge Elkus described the ravages of typhus as he witnessed it when Ambas-sador at Constantinople, and of his own experience when stricken by it.

Mr. Hoover, who received an ovation when he arose to speak, said that when the veil over Eastern and Central Europe was torn asunder there was revealed a mass of suffering humanity such as the world has not seen since the Thirty Years War. He said it was felt that unless special care and food were provided for them the degeneration of child life would be such that at least one generation in all that area least one generation in all that area from Lithuania to the Mediterranean would be lost.

Today, he said, 3,000,000 children are still dependent on American charity. The child-feeding service must still go on another year, he added, if the child life of Central Europe is to be maintained. "Suffering," he said, "is unknown in the United States under the terms that it comes home to every town and vilence the terms that it comes home to every town and vilence the terms that it comes home to every town and vilence the terms that it comes home to every town and vilence the terms that it comes home to every town and vilence the terms that it comes home to every town and vilence the terms that it comes home to every town and vilence the terms that the t

it comes home to every town and village through Poland, through Czechoslovakia, Austria and Hungary."

There was an outburst of applause
when Mr. Hoover remarked that the
relief organization notified those Governments that were persecuting Jews
that the relief work would not continue if the persecutions did not cease.
Subscriptions amounting to more than
\$1.600,000 followed Mr. Marshall's address. Among the large subscriptions
were the following:

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Washington Heights Congregation	117,000
Mr. and Mrs. Fellx M. Warburg	100,000
Congregation Ohab Zedek	100,000
Family of Nathan Lamport	50,000
M. and H. Rosenwasser	20,000
Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Werthelm	25,000
Louis Marshall	20,000
Michael Friedsam	20,000
Samuel and Harry Saks	20,000

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The New York Times, April 12, 1920.



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"There are 6,000,000 Jews in Eastern Europe whom the war has left dependent upon us for aid. About 800,000 of them are children."



Daily Sentinel (Rome, NY), April 20, 1920, page 6.



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Add Up Your Troubles!



Strike a Balance and Compare It With This—

While the 3,500,000 American Jews were loyally fighting and laboring to help "make the World safe for Democracy," the Jews of Eastern Europe were being ground out of existence by the ebb and flow of contending armies.

Today 6,000,000 Jows Are Facing the Darkest Days Ever Known in the Long History of the Race

Families are scattered — broken. A hundred thousand children are orphaned. Poverty is the common lot. Disease stalks on every hand.

America Is the Only Hope

In this, the greatest crisis that Jewry has ever known in centuries of suffering and persecution, the Jews of America turn to their fellow citizens of all races and creeds for that material and immediate aid which alone can save the survivors of the race in Europe from destruction.

\$35,000,000 NEEDED!

This sum represents the amount sought from the country at large. Every cent of it will go to buy the necessities of life for the destitute, starving and utterly stricken men, women and children across the sea. It is veritable ransom money, for without it millions will surely die!

JEWISH RELIEF CAMPAIGN

Oneida County Headquarters

124 Kempf Building

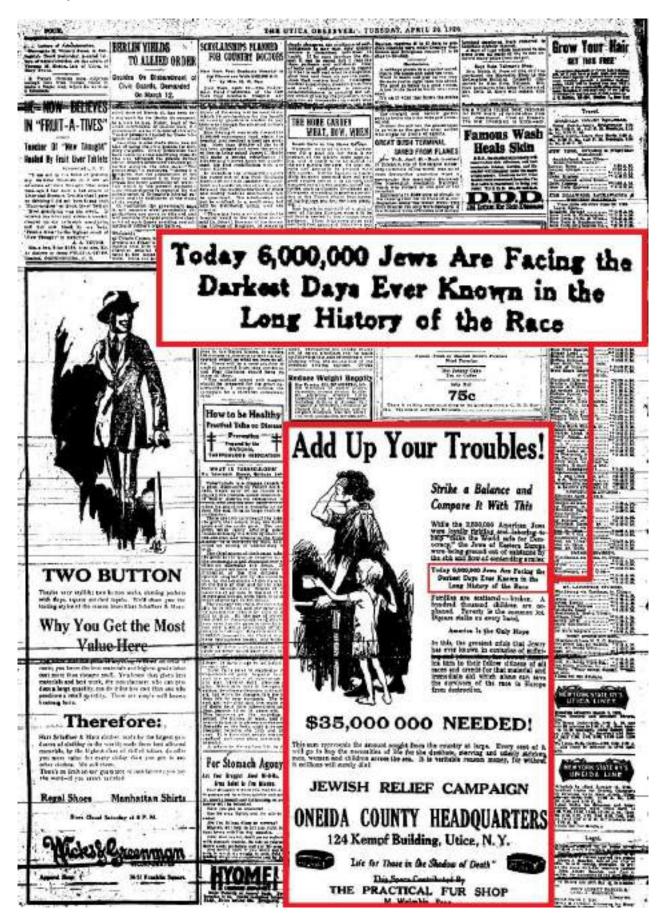
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"Life for Those in the Shadou of Death"



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Daily Sentinel (Rome, NY), April 20, 1920, page 6.





"Today 6,000,000 Jews Are Facing the Darkest Days Ever Known in the Long History of the Race"

"Just Another Drive," But the Lives of 6,000,000 Human Beings Wait Upon the Answer

Just another drive-just another campaign-just another effort to alleviate human misery, to save the lives of men, women, and children. Campaigns are an old story in New York.

But to 6,000,000 men, women and children, HUNGER IS AN OLDER STORY, AND NAKEDNESS, HOMELESSNESS, DISEASE AND DEATH HAVE ALSO CEASED TO BE NOVEL.

At no time during the war, in any land, not even in Belgium or Northern France was there a situation more critical—a need more great—a demand for sacrifice and help more insistent than now comes to us from Eastern and Central Europe.

There is but ONE WAY in which the lives of the people of these lands

are to be saved.

There is but ONE PLACE in all the world to which they may look for help.

This is the reason for the NON-SECTARIAN APPEAL to be made in New York next week in behalf of the Sufferers from Famine, Disease and Destitution in the War-Ridden Lands.

If typhus fever and the other innumerable consequences of hundreds of thousands of human beings starving, are not checked in time, SOME REV-ERBERATION OF THIS THUNDEROUS CALAMITY WELL REACH OUR SHORES JUST AS SURELY AS EACH EPIDEMIC OF INFLUENZA IN EUROPE HAS ULTIMATELY FOUND ITS WAY ACROSS THE ATLAN-TIC OCEAN.

Will YOU GIVE to save a life, or

"Shall Death Be the Highest Bidder?"

We hope you will not wait to be asked to give in person, but will send your check NOW to

PAUL BAERWALD, TREASURER, 389 FIFTH AVENUE, NEW YORK

OTTO A. ROSALSKY, Chairman

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New York Times, May 1st, 1920, page 8.

JEWS ASK PUBLIC TO AID WAR VICTIMS

Non-Sectarian Appeal for \$7,-500,000 Starts Today with Sermons in All Churches.

POLAND'S WOE APPALLING

Campaign to be Pressed by 10,000 Active Workers in the Five Boroughs.

A famished child spon the auction block, a mother to the foreground pleading for aid, death with outstretched arms lurking near and the legend, Death Be the Highest Bidder?"

Such is the pictorial representation of the needs of stricken peoples in the wardevastated sones of Central and Eastern Europe which will confront New Yorkers everywhere teday. Back of that representation stands an organization designed to take advantage of every channel to press home to the people of this city the need for contributing toward the \$7,500,000 to be raised here this week by the Greater New York Appeal for Jewish War Sufferers.

This fund is but a tithe of that which must be subscribed in the entire country if disaster to whole peoples is to be averted. The world nature of the calamity which has overtaken men, women and children, deprived not only of life's hare necessities but of all mesms of rehabilitating themselves without sid from the outside, has led leading Jews of New York and the nation to turn to the public, irrespective of creed, for help. Herstodres the Jews themselves have contributed many, many millions which have been expended by the Joint Distribution Committee through relief agencies of all countries and without regard to the religious beliefs of those in need. This time the burden is too gigantic to be horne by Jews alone.

Millians Racked by War. lamity which has overtaken men, women

Millions Racked by War.

A pen picture of actual conditions, typical of those in several countries, has been sent to the Campaign Committee by Dr. Borts B. Bogon of this city, new in Warsaw as head of the First Relief

in warsaw as head of the First Belief Unit, sent abroad by the Joint Distribu-tion Committee. Dr. Bogen writes: "Hunger, cold rage, decolation, dis-ease, death—Bit pullers human beings, without food, shelter, dothing or medical treatment in what new are but the wastes of once fair lands, lands ravaged by long years of way or blighted by its consequences." consequences!

"That, in a few words, is the actual situation in all those countries that con-stituted what was known during the great conflict as the Eastern theatre of

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"Words cannot adequately convey nor can any pleture be drawn which can bring home to comfortable, affluent, happy New Yorkers, surrounded by their families and friends, riding in their automobiles, enjoying every luxury, the utter, abject, hopeless misery confronting the population of these lands, a population about equal to that of New York City itself.

If you would try to visualizit, to realize the situation, place yourself at the corner of Fifth Avenue and Forty-second Street.

"The once teening avenue is all but dearted. Gone are the gay equipages, their bejoweled occupants and liveried attendants. No kenger are the street is all but still. Laughter and livery drawals filled with a surging crowd of gayly dreased men and women. The street is all but still. Laughter and lively chalter are heard no more.

"Instead, old men lean for support aguinst the buildings. Mothers, with dying babes tugging vainly at their breasis, sit along the curb. The flower of what was once the young manhood and womanhood of the city is not in the pleture, for they, by thousands and tens of thousands, lies stricken in the overgrowded bospitale, laid low by the breath of a postilence.

Too Weak to Cry for Bread.

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"Little children, with wasted frames and swollen bodies, cling to their moth-

and swollen bodies, cling to their mothers' rags, too weak to even cry for the bread that is not to be had.

"A bitter wind sweeps the avenue from the north. A man-his tatters cannot be called clothes—his face blue and pinched, looks at you with unseeing eyes. You do not at first recognize him. It then dawns upon you that you have seen that face before. It is the face of a friend, a man who but a few short mothia before was weel-io-do. a banker, as prosperous, well-fed and well-dressed as you are now. He reaches out his arms toward you and falls at your feet. You stopp down to lift him up. He is dead!—Hunger did it.

"The scene is not exaggerated, not overdrawn. It has its exact counterpart in hundreds of cities, towns and villages throughout Central and Eastern Europe at this very moment. The call comes from one human being to another, from those who have much. It is the call of humanity.

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"At no time during the war, in any land, not either in Belgium or Northern France, was there a situation more criti-cal, a need more great, a demand for sacrifice and help more insistent than new comes from Eastern and Central Europe. Both the present and future existence of an entire people are at stake."

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The campaign is receiving the active co-operation and support of Archbishop Patrick J. Hayes of the Roman Catholic Diocese, Bishop Charles S. Burch of the Episcopal Diocese, Bishop Luther B. Wilson, President of the Beard of Ferrign Missions of the Mathodist Episcopal Church; Miss Evangeline Booth, Commander of the Salvation Army.

Members of the Salvation Army.

Members of the Executive Committee include Cleveland H. Dodge, Treasurer of the Committee for the Rellef in the Near East; President Nicholas Murray Butler of Columbia University, George Gordon Battle, Otto T. Bannard, John G. Agar, the Rev. Dr. David J. Burrell, Robert Grier Cooke, Paul G. Cravath, Francis D. Gellatin, Charles H. Sabin, President of the Guaranty Trust Company; former Attorney General George W. Wickersham, Judge Joseph F. Mulqueen, Judge William H. Wadhams and Alfred E. Marling.

The appeal is to be brought home forethly to the people of New York in many ways. Today is Church Sunday, and there will be speedal sermons in the churches of all denominations. The Rev. Dr. S. Parkes Cadman has prepared a model sermon for Protestant churches, Vicar General Joseph F. Money has written a measage to the Roman Catholic churches, and Dr. Natham Stern, rabbi of the West End Synasogue, prepared an appeal to be read to the Jawish congregations.

Children in the public pehoode, through the co-operation of the Board of Education, are to bear the story of the sufferings of the children in other lands. In the stream, meeting-pleture bouses, clubs, hotels and restaurants, in short wherever people are gathered the tenter, the conditions they are asked to alleviate will be made clear to them.

It is estimated that not fewer than 10.-100 active workers have been enlisted in the cause in the five boroughe, The organization of the trades and industries, so that not a single business or profession in the cit

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Shall Death be the Highest Bidder?



Your help is needed to save the lives of six million people in Eastern and Central Europe.

They are destitute of food, clothing, shelter, medicine—of everything on which life depends.

You have the power to give them life.

Their fate is in your hands.

What will you give?

Send your contribution to Paul Baerwald, Treas.

GREATER NEW YORK NON-SECTARIAN FUND

Otto A. Rosalsky, Chairman

To be administered by the JOINT DISTRIBUTION COMMITTEE Felix M. Warburg, Chairman

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This advertisement paid for he the M. Street Corporation, Dit Church Person

"Your help is needed to save the lives of six million people in Eastern and Central Europe."

ASK \$7,500,000 HERE FOR EUROPE'S NEEDY

Great Drive, with \$35,000,000 Objective, Is the Theme of Many Pulpits.

1,500 AT 'HUNGER DINNER'

Secretary Colby Gives Government Approval of Jewish Relief Appeal.

The appeal for \$7,500,000 to relieve appalling conditions of disease and distress among 6,000,000 people in Central and Eastern Europe was put before New Yorkers yesterday. In virtually all the churches there were sermons emphasizing the non-sectarian character of this call to humanity and at a "hunger dinner" at the Biltmore last night Secretary of State Bainbridge Colby expressed the Government's official sanction of the campaign and its official knowledge of the calamitous character of the troubles that have overtaken whole peoples.

The Greater New York Fund for Jewish War Sufferers will try to raise the full amount in the present week, and, having aiready subscribed more than \$30,000,000 for relief, it is turning for the first time to the general public for funds. The whole nation is being asked to subscribe \$35,000,000, a sum which must be raised quickly, according to those with first-hand knowledge of conditions in Foland, hast Galicia, the Ukraine, and other places, if hundreds of thousands are not to die of starvation or to full a prey to the ravages of typhus rever, aiready stalking through the land.

through the land.

Today the entire east side is to be draped in mourning, in token of sym-

part in the great work of world recovery. I deny that the specious plea of Americanization is an absolution for our national or personal duty. You are not Americanizing an American obligation when you are coupling it with reservations or expressing it in terms of repudiation.

repudiation.

"America is acting falsely to that simple and rugged honesty which is part of the American character when it hesitates and draws back upon the performance of a duty or the grasping and embracement of an opportunity. Let us give of our political power, of our political experience, of our commercial strength, of our pecuniary power, to the succor and relief of this sorely afflicted world.

afflicted world.

"It is not only our duty as human beings, but it is the only enlightened policy. Shall a man who is riding on the promenade deck of a great steamer profess himself to be wholly unconcerned with the fact that there is a gaping hole in the hull of the ship?"

Louis Marshall said that those who had labored long for the relief of Jewish war sufferers had expected that suffering

Louis Marshall said that those who had labored long for the relief of Jewish war sufferers had expected that suffering to cease very soon after the war was over, but unfortunately peace was not yet declared and the conflict still was raging.

Tells of Plague's Bavages.

"Suffering," said Mr. Marshall, "has not decreased, but increased beyond what it was in the active days of the war. Despite all we have told you in the past, there are even lower depths, people are falling victims to typhus in East Galicia, in Poland and the Ukraine, and unless we send food, clothing, the proper apparatus and the means to operate that apparatus, not thousands, not hundreds of thousands, but such vast numbers of our people will die as will stagger the imagination."

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Lir. I. Edwin Goldwasser begged the workers for team work, urging them to function like Kipling's "Ship that Found Herself" with the uniform hum of one vast machine, with all parts driving together to a uniform end.

Judge Rosalsky expressed the committee's thanks to the workers and to the non-Jews who are co-operating in the campaign.

Felix M. Warburg told how first-hand reports from unquestioned sources confirmed the worst that could be imagined of some of the stricken districts. He explained how the fiendishness of underpaid soldiers under arms for five years had caused much of the misery, and defended the Jews in some places from the charge of Bolshevism, asserting they were of a class who never would have indorsed propaganda of that

"Secretary Colby Give Government Approval of Jewish Relief Appeal. ... appalling conditions of disease and distress among 6,000,000 people in Central and Eastern Europe ..."

THE APPEAL-

To Save Six million Men and Women in Eastern Europe from Extermination by Hunger and Disease.

THE FACTS

"It is proper, for me in my official capacity to certify to the men and women of New York that the appalling conditions which have been related to them and of which they have formed very varying realizations are true beyond the power of words to convey adequately.'

BAINBRIDGE COLBY, Secretary of State,

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Their fate is in your hands! You have the power to give them life! HOW MUCH WILL YOU GIVE?

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274 Church Street, New York City.

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"The fund for Jewish war sufferers in Central and Eastern Europe, where six millions face horrifying conditions of famine, disease and death,"

The New York Times, May 7, 1920.

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"PUSH DRIVE FOR JEWISH RELIEF ... Mr. Bond declared today that there are six million jews (sic) in eastern and central Europe whom the war has left dependent upon America."

Ogden Standard Examiner (UT), August 20, 1920, page 9.

6,000,000 POLISH JEWS ARE STARVING

That the Russian-Polish hostilities have seriously aggravated the condition of the destitute millions of Jews in Poland, and in many cases have already nullified the work of the joint distribution committee, was the statement made yesterday by Judge Otto A. Rozalsky of the Court of Special Sessions, Manhattan, who is chairman of the Greater New York campaign for Jewish war sufferers abroad. Judge Rozalsky stated that reports had been received here, announcing the temporary abandonment of relief work in Warsaw and in that part of Eastern Poland now used as a battle ground by contending armies. He added that millions of dollars in addition to the \$7,500,000 quota which his committee has in large measure already secured, would be needed to meet conditions which had arisen out of the new emergency.

"Six million Jews had been made homeless, starving, naked and plague-ridden by five years of foreign and domestic wars that swept Poland," Judge Rozalsky said. "Through the joint distribution committee to raise funds for which the Greater New York war relief campaign was organized and conducted, we had succeeded in restoring in some measure, pormal health and "economic independence. American dollars and devotion to the miserable and oppressed were doing.

their work."

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The Brooklyn Daily Eagle, August 29, 1920, page 13.

BEGS AMERICA SAVE 6,000,000 IN RUSSIA

Massacre Threatens All Jews as Sóviet Power Wanes, Declares Kreinin, Coming Here for Aid.

Copyright, 1921, by The Chicago Tribune Co. BERLIN, July 19.—Russia's 6,000,000 Jews are facing extermination by massacre. As the famine is spreading, the counter-revolutionary movement is gaining and the Soviet's control is waning. This statement is borne out by offical documents presented to the Berlin Government, which show that numerous pogroms are raging in all parts of Russia and the Ukraine.

The information was gathered by Dr. Joseph Kreinin, a noted Jewish social worker and President of the Russian Joint Board of Jewish Societies. He says that several villages have been burned already and scores killed, seventy in one village alone. He is en route to America, where he plans meetings in New York, Chicago and elsewhere for the purpose of "saving his people."

According to Dr. Kreinin, mass flights from Russia have already begun, the Jews rushing to all borders and especially to Rumania, where there are 40,000 families camping along the frontier, hoping to find refuge. Among these, he says, at least 100 persons daily are dying from exposure and hunger.

Dr. Kreinin, who recently escaped from Moscow, says the pogroms are especially severe in the provinces of Homel, Minsk and Volhynia. The pogroms originated outside of Russia, in the Ukraine and White Russia.

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He says in the Volga region a new sort of pogrom occurred, when Russian peasants attacked German' settlements because they were foreigners. He declares the recent transfer of General Budenny into White Russia was for the purpose of pacifying the region.

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"My object in visiting Germany and the United States is to organize all relief organizations throughout the world, Jewish as well as others," he added.

"The only hope for the millions of Jews is for American aid, both material and political.

"I cannot expect much effect from any political steps, as the Soviets are losing control everywhere except in the cities. The massacres are occurring chiefly in the small towns.

"However, I hope the American Government will realize the danger of massacres is greater than at any time in history, and I hope they will help open the borders and lift restrictions on entering the United States."

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The New York Times, July 20, 1921.

JEWISH WAR SUFFERERS

Eye Witness of Cruellies Inflicted on Jews Addresses Local Meeting

At a joint meeting of the Lowest Order of Brist Brith and the Young Woman's Hebrent association held last evaning at Odd Fellows hall, Mr. Fred Ruslander or Philaburgh, tra., who is executive secretary of the war sufferers' drive, spoke in behalf of the Lowell campaign of Jewish war sufferers. Mr. Rusmider, a nowspaper man who has been priors the water six times since the hoginains of the world war, with an eye-witness of the desceration which the neanic of Central Eurana, capecially the Jaws, have suffered since and during the outbroak of hostility. The Jaws in the immediate district for which the aid of the war, sufferers'

campaign is to be given numbered over

six million. They had in stand the brunt of the conflict, as they, a people without a country, were moved back and forth, ever on the go as one army and then the opposing forces captured and re-captured their villages, "For most of the nations in the world," Mr. Ruslander continued, "the war is over. but for the Jows of that dernstated area the war is still on. Over 100,000 orphans, over 150,000 descerated wemen, over six million wandering Jews working, crawling in their rulery, feeding or the last feeding on the back of trees and on herhs that grow by the way-ldo."

With Judge Barry Pisher of Chicago, Mr. Ruslander stood over the graves of 1200 pegreen victims and heard him make a pledge on the grave of those martyra. "So long as I have breach in my body -so long as I have the name? to use my voice. I will never cease to appeal to the Jowe of America to help their brethren in Europe who have suffered as have no other people in the world." Since then Mr. Rushander has devoted all his time and efforts to assist the people whose misery is be-

your description.

Mr. Ruslander spoke in a subdued tone of voice, but very impressively, Illa feelings and emotions as he recalled witnessed and gone what he bad through were cyldent.

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The Lowell Sun (MA), March 22, 1922, page 14.

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While the main activity of anti-Semitism has manifested itself in Germany, Russia, Rumania, Austria-Hungary and France, its vibratory influences have been felt in other countries when conditions favourable to its extension have presented themselves. In England more than one attempt to acclimatize the doctrines of Marr and Treitschke has been made. The circumstance that at the time of the rise of German anti-Semitism a premier of Hebrew race, Lord Beaconstield, was in power first suggested the Jewish bogey to

Baron de Hirsch founded a colossal scheme for transplanting persecuted Jews to new countries under new conditions of life, and endowed it with no less a sum than £0,000,000 (see HERSCH, MAURICE DEL

Though anti-Semitism has been unmasked and discredited, it is to be feared that its history is not yet at an end. While there remain in Russia and Rumania over six millions of Jews who are being systematically degraded, and who periodically overflow the western frontier, there must continue to be a Jewish question

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Encyclopaedia Britannica, 13th Edition, Vol. 1, 1926, page 145.

UNITED JEWISH CAMPAIGN NEWS

Wednesday evening, March 31, the first organization meeting of the Conference Committee of the United Tewish Campaign took place. David A. Brown. national chairman of the campaign, who coming to Montreal to address representatives of the lewish communities of Montreal and other cities in the province, will be welcomed by this Committee. Lyon Cohen, Lionel Coviensky, Leon Crestohol, H. M. Caiserman, R. A. Darwin, Michael Garber Marcus Sperber, H. Wolofsky and Rabbis Herbert J. Samuel and Hirsch Cohen were present. Lionel Coviensky and Leon Crestohl will arrange details of the conference dinner which will take place either May 4 or 5. Lyon Cohen and H. M. Caiserman will take care of the invitations. General meeting was held Thursday, April 8, to complete organization plans. It was reported that due to the extreme need of 6.000,000 Jews in ussia and Poland, the original goal of \$15,000,000 on this side by the United Jewish Campaign, had been increased to \$25,000,000.

Lyon Cohen will send letters of invitation to leaders of the Jewish communities in other cities in the Province of Quebec inviting them to serve on the Con-

ference Committee.

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Writing the first draft of Jewish history since 1917

FEBRUARY 20, 1930

50 American Chalutzim Leave for Palestine

The first American group of "chalutzim," which sailed yesterday on the "Mauretania" for Palestine, was honored by the Zionists of New York City Tuesday night at a farewell reception in the Jewish Club. The group consists of fifty men and women. Several hundred people were present at the reception.

The principal speakers were Dr. Shmarya Levin, Rabbi Stephen S. Wise and Rabbi Gold. Dr. Levin, in the course of his talk, expressed the opinion that six million Jews of Eastern Europe are doomed to perish. He advised the American "chalutzim" to "write good letters home, though without exaggerations," assuring them that no matter what hardships they may have to endure in Palestine as pioneers, they will nevertheless feel happy.

Dr. Wise expressed confidence that England has already recognized its mistakes in Palestine and will soon rectity them, and said that the Jews will not surrender under threats of force. "Palestine is not only a refuge for the Jewish homeless, but also, and more so, for Jewish homelessness," he said.

Judge Bernard Rosenblatt presided at the reception.

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Dr. Shmaryahu Levin (1867 - 1935).

Jewish Zionist activist in the Russian Empire, who emigrated to the U.S. soon after 1908.

(photo found in a 1967 edition of his autobiography Forward From Exile, published in Hebrew in the U.S.).

SIX MILLION JEWS FACE STARVATION

Bad Conditions in South-Eastern Europe Reported by Rabbi Wise

FEARS CRISIS AT HAND

Chairman of American Joint Distribution Committee Makes Appeal to Canadian Jewry for Help

Six million Jews in Eastern Europe face starvation, and even worse, during the coming winter. If additional funds are not collected by the American Joint Distribution Committee to meet an estimated budget of \$2,500,000 unprecedented have and misery will rule to the everlasting chame of humanity at large, Rabbi Jonah Wise, of New York, chairman for 1931, told a large gathering of leaders in Montreal Jewish communal life at a luncheon meeting at the Montefiere Club, Guy street, yesterday.

terday.

The joint distribution committee has been functioning for the past 20 years as the international Jew-lah Red Cross Society, supplementing local effort throughout Eastern Europe and Asiatic countries, as well as in other parts of the world. Felix Warburg, international figure

in banking circles, is the president, and Hon. Herbert Lehman, Lleuten-ant-Governor of New York State, is the vice-president.

In stressing the necessity for the Canadian metropolis to step in line with the largest communities of Jews in the United States, Dr. Wise emphasized the fact that a crisis was at hand that no one could possibly have forceen last year. Yesterday, he spoke before a representative gathering in Ottawa, and met pleasing response. He hoped Montreal would set an example in this respect, serving as the pacemaker for the Deminion.

POSITION IN RUSSIA.

In discussing conditions in Europe, Dr. Wise said that the Soviet Government was alive to the awful predicament of the Jowish residents, and was co-operating to the best of its ability. Thus 300,000 Jews have been placed on farms, due to the ready cash supplied by the joint distribution committee. This number, of course, represented but a small percantage of the population, still it was a distinct step forward in the new order of things lostituted by the present regime.

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Poland, alas, has not faced the problem. Rather has it made the present position of the Jews more unhearable. Economic boycotts and decided restriction in every branch of endeavor have placed the Jewish population in a predicament that cannot be fully realized in America. The situation, in fact, is now werse than it has ever been in history. The pressing need, therefore, was to rush help before death took its toil of the helpless, Dr. Wise concluded.

Mark Workman presided at the luncheon. Seated at the head table were: Allan and Samuel Bronfman. A. H. Jassby, Sol Kellert, Edgar Berliner, J. Levinson, sr., A. Z. Cohen, Lyon Cohen, Martin Simon. Rev. Dr. H. Abramowitz, Rabbi Harry Stern, Samuel Hart and C. N. Sommer.

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The Montreal Gazette, December 28, 1931, page 25.

Rabbi Wise again

One Man's Gift

By JACOB BILLIKOPF

Executive Director The Federation of Jewish Charities of Philadelphia

ULIUS ROSENWALD'S benefactions were many and varied-[see Julius Rosenwald-Fellow Citizen, by Graham Taylor, The Survey, February 1]. One of them has always seemed to me the most telling piece of philanthropic giving of which I have had knowledge.

This was his contribution of a million dollars to the American Jewish Relief Committee on March 4, 1917-the day President Wilson was reinaugurated. The fate of six million people in the shambles of the Eastern war-zone hung on his decision to give it. With his tithe of the total sum, American Jewry successfully raised the ten millions then needed for succor. More than that, his contribution raised the standards of wartime giving throughout the country. The American Red Cross, which had aimed to obtain \$10,000,000 throughout the country for its overseas and army campwork, shortly thereafter lifted its quota, under Henry, P. Davison's leadership, to \$100,000,000.

At the time, Mr. Rosenwald was in Washington, a member of the Council of National Defense, and his death prompts me to tell of the circumstances of the gift, as it was my privilege to be with him when he made it. I remember those circumstances very vividly not alone because of the cumulative significance of what he did, but of how he did it. Because also this was the first large money-raising campaign in which I had taken part; and on the way East Mr. Rosenwald himself had thrown cold water on my call from the American Jewish Relief Committee. "You are a social worker," he had said; "what have you got to do with fund collecting? It is a profession in itself." The committee consisted of the then leaders in American Jewry-Jacob H. Schiff, Louis Marshall, Felix M. Warburg, Henry Morgenthau, Herbert H. Lehman, Lee K. Frankel, Stephen S. Wise, Julian W. Mack, and others.

In Chicago he had frankly told me that had they taken him into their counsels, he would not have advised calling me; and here a fortnight later to my discomfiture, I was getting off the sleeper in Washington on my way to try the abilities which he thought were not in me, on him for a starter. Mr. Rosenwald was personally close to the President, this was the great day in official Washington, and heaven alone knew whether, for all his usual generous leanings, he would be in a mood to listen to my horror-mongering anent the Jews of Eastern Europe.

But Mr. Rosenwald, I had been told, was the only reliance of the Committee. If he failed us, all our plans would be headed for the rocks. That morning, I had his assurance that he would make time to see me late in the evening. My notes at the time tell of the suspense and uncertainty that filled my day until I was pacing the corridors of the Willard Hotel waiting for him to return from an official dinner. He stopped for his mail at the hotel desk, before some senators surrounded him. I touched his shoulder and whispered in his ear that I had something of importance to convey to him. He studied me calmly. "Is it very, very important?" he asked lightly, and before I could give him my emphatic reply he bade his friends

"Well, tell me about it," he said as soon as we had sat down. I glanced up at him and my entire harangue on which I had spent so much arduous toil and thought evaporated. I heard myself, to my own great surprise, telling him in the very simplest and most unadorned style that a

goodnight and drew me off to a sofa in a corner of the lobby.

campaign for ten million dollars was about to be launched; that it needed some powerful dramatic stimulus to start it off effectively and to end it successfully; that the committee had determined that nothing but a great single gift would serve and that he alone could make that gift. I dwelt hardly at all on the state of things abroad, merely indicating in a matter of fact way what he was well aware of, that the condition of the European Jews was growing increasingly worse, and that therefore a renewed effort on a much greater scale than had ever been tried must be initiated. He listened to me without comment while my appeal was gathering momentum. I had had hundreds of conversations with Mr. Rosenwald but I had never before asked him for contributions of any sort, and never before had I seen a face so transparent and serene and yet so profoundly thoughtful. We seemed both caught by a common great purpose. As I concluded with my specific request for a round million the earnestness of his expression deepened.

He said, "Do you think it will do any good?" I nodded and was about to make a highly colored forecast of the results of such a contribution, when he added: "Very well, I will do it. You may go back to New York and tell them that I'll do it."

O one who has known Julius Rosenwald will find any cause for surprise in the manner in which by his outstanding generosity he paved the way for so much that followed. It was thoroughly in keeping with the modesty, the vision and the utter selflessness of the man. I have a very vivid picture in my mind of the complete absence in his manner of any thought of vain reward. His quick, unhesitating response had in it all the elements of an instinctive reaction. But his reward came nevertheless in the great incentive that he gave to his fellows throughout the country to follow his example; and that, for him as for any genuinely generous heart, was reward enough. Not alone the American Jewish Relief Committee but the country as a whole was soon to feel the impetus of his unparalleled act. The President of the United States at once estimated its importance and telegraphed to him in these words:

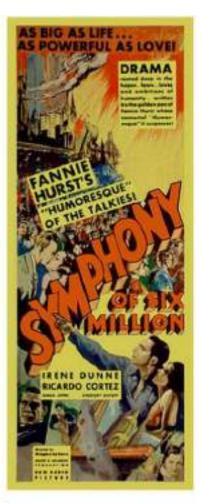
Your contribution of one million dollars to the Ten Million Dollar Fund for the Relief of Jewish War Sufferers serves democracy as well as humanity. The Russian Revolution has opened the door of freedom to an oppressed people but unless they are given life and strength and courage the opportunity of centuries will avail them little. It is to America that these starving millions look for sid and out of our prosperity, fruit of free institutions, should spring a vast and ennobling generosity. Your gift lays an obligation even while it furnishes an inspiration.

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RICARDO CORTEZ STAR OF NEW FANNIE HURST DRAMA

Gives Excellent Performance in "Symphony of Six Million"; Irene Dunne Has Feminine Lead; Lillyan Tashman Booked to Appear Sunday

By MARY BERGER

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Bicardo Cortes has always given his best to his scream performances but to his work in "Symphony of Six Million" the motion picture industry should doff its hat.

As Dr. Felix Klauber of Fanny Hurst's emotional take of New York's Chetto, Cortex grasps the colorful drama that Miss Hurst bells and he not only plays the role in which he is cust but firms it.

"Symphony of Six Million" to every bit as sentimerial as the mane of its author would lead one to believe. But it ien't as offensive emotionalism. The characterizations are shaded with the delicate numeroof action and the dramatic sentuences are whealed in action and the dramatic sequences are vibrant in effectiveness.

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The story is that of a young dewich decier, who in the instalant belief that his faculty desires wealth, given up the dreams of his youth and becomes a famous surgeon, whose patients are in the main women with imaginary advects, but very material hard accounts. The death of his father, which his "million-dellar hands" are unable to prevent, brings that to a realization of his duty to humanity. The film brings a changed Cortex to authiences that have seen him during the past few years in villainous roles. He plays the part with a vast amount of sympathy and, indisputably, it is the heat thing that he has denote date.

Able Players.

Irene Dunce, to whom high praise is at all times the because the la an actress who plays with artistry and feeling, has the femi-nine lead opposite Gorten. Excellent judgment was also

artistry and feeling, has the feminine lead opposite Gerten.
Excellent judgment was also used in selecting the rest of the cost. Anna Appel, formerly of the Yiddish Art theater, plays Cortes' mether: Gregory Ratoff, erstwhile star of the Hoscow Art theater, is the most betweak Jowish father, and others of ability are Noel Medisen as the brother and Lita Chevret as the sister.

The picture was directed with understanding and its very lack of artifice makes the production twice as forceful as it might otherwise have been. "Symphony in Six Millian" is good, clean entertainment with a tremendous arsount of human appeal, and as such is resembled for the family sudience. Tashman in Person.

The personal appearance at the Lapitol Sunday of Lillyan Tashman, one of the arccer's most colorful figures, is announced by the management. Miss Tashman, who in private life is Mrs. Edmand Love, will be here May 28.

Her appearance will be part of the regular Stanley stage show to be brought to the Capitel for the case day, and will bring to a close Sunday stage shows for the summer season, it is understood.



"Symphony of Six Million"

A film by PKO Pictures. Directed by Gregory La Cava, written by Fannie Hurst (story), J. Walter Ruben, Bernard Schubert (screenplay), starring Ricardo Cortez. Released April 1932.

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ALDERMEN VOTE HITLER PROTEST

Board Calls on Washington to Take Persecutions Up With German Authorities.

APPEAL FOR FUNDS MADE

Meeting to Plan Relief Program Called by Joint Distribution Group for Sunday.

Without a single dissenting vote, the Board of Aldermen adopted a resolution yesterday petitioning the United States Government to make "vigorous and proper representation" to the German Government against the persecution of Jews by the Hitler régime. The resolution was offered by Alderman James F. Kiernan of Coney Island and was moved for immediate adoption by Alderman Joseph Reich, of the forty-ninth district, Brooklyn.

Spurred by cables from Germany announcing an economic boycott against Jews by the Nazi party, steps were taken yesterday by the American Jewish Congress to raise an emergency fund to help the Jewish sufferers and combat the

Jewish sufferers and compat the anti-Semitic campaign.

At the same time the American Jewish Joint Distribution Committee announced that it would hold a special meeting on Sunday afternoon at Temple Emanu-El to discuss a program of relief for Jewish cuss a program of relief for Jewish sufferers in Germany. A report on the extent of relief required will be made at the meting. Announcement of the meeting was made by Dudley D. Sicher, Rabbi Jonah B. Wise, chairman of the national fund raising committee of the organization, and Joseph C. Hyman, secretary of the joint distribution committee.

Appeal for Funds Issued.

An appeal in behalf of Jewish sufferers in Germany was issued by Rabbi Stephen S. Wise, honorary president, and Bernard S. Deutsch, president of the American Jewish

Congress. It said in part:

"The American Jewish Congress, Jewry, representing American through whose initiative and devotion this great awakening of was brought public conscience about, is seeking an emergency fund to enable it to carry on the gigantic work it has undertaken in the name of the Jews in America.

"It must wage vigorously this great battle against anti-Semitism

great battle against anti-Semicism and its efforts must not abate until justice is restored to the Jews of Germany and in other lands.

"The necessary funds must be forthcoming. Every Jew must give. Let the depth of your feeling be measured by the generosity of your ciff.

your gift.
"We in America have taken the lead in a battle for the preservation of German Jewry. We must help of German Jewry. We must them and we will help them.

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The spokesmen for the American Joint Distribution Committee declared that the committee was in close contact with the German situation through its Berlin office.

"This office has not been molested and is in free and continuous contact with Germany as well as the rest of Europe since 1921." the spokesmen declared. "The American officers of the Joint Distribution Committee have the utmost

can officers of the Joint Distribution Committee have the utmost
confidence in the judgment of
their representatives in Germany.
The Joint Distribution Committee is
in a position to distribute aid
promptly and effectively.
"It is also in a position to go into
any place as a neutral because of
its charter and its history. The
Joint Distribution Committee is a
non-political organization, organized solely for relief and philanthropic aid. It has the same
neutral character as the Red
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"It is now active in relief and reconstructive work in Eastern Europe where 5,000,000 Jews are involved. The work there is done through the office in Berlin.

"The Joint Distribution committee has invariably worked in the closest cooperation with national and local welfare and social organizations. This policy will, of course, be consistently pursued in any relief work undertaken in Germany.

Nothing will be done without the fullest cooperation of organized agencies in that country."

Meetings in Other Cities.

Protest meetings are being planned in thirty-two cities of the United States as well as in Canada, it was announced yesterday at the office of the American Jewish Congress, 122 East Forty-second Street. Baltimore will hold a mass meeting on Thursday.

The Congress received a telegram from Governor Albert C. Ritchie of Maryland, adding his protest to those of forty-two other Governors. Governor Ritchie wired:
"I would like to add my voice of disapproval and condemnation of the treatment to which reliable information indicates Jews have been

disapproval and condemnation of the treatment to which reliable information indicates Jews have been subjected in Germany."

Nineteen members of the faculty of Dartmouth College signed the following protest:

"We, faculty members at Dartmouth College, do hereby register a sincere and fervent protest against the anti-Semitic activities of the present German Government. We believe the continued mai-treatment of Jews in Germany, as openly countenanced by Herr Hitler's administration, is misguided in theory (its nationalistic basis being dangerous to world peace), unintelligent and medieval in purpose, and brutally uncivilized in practice."

New York University students will protest in a similar vein at a mass meeting to be held today under the auspices of the Christian Association and the Menorah Society at the university's School of Education auditorium, 37-41 West Fourth Street.

On behalf of the German-Jewish

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On behalf of the German-Jewish Congregation, 652 Lexington Avenue, Rabbi Max Malina, Dr. Ernst H. Feilchenfeld, Dr. Fritz Schlezinger, Robert Rosenbaum and Herman Secunda issued a statement last night expressing confidence in the assertions of Dr. Julius Brodnitzn, chairman of the Central Union of German Citizens of the Jewish Faith, and of Rabbi Dr. Esra Munk, leader of orthodox Jewry in Germany.
"We have absolute faith and confidence in these statements," they said, "the main contents of which are warnings against exaggerated

said, "the main contents of which are warnings against exaggerated reports and requests for immediate reports and requests for immediate termination of all actions based on unproved information. We know these two distinguished leaders of German Jewry and are sure that they would never, not even under pressure, sign their names under declarations which they know to contain falsehoods.

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Congress Defends Polish Jaws.

LONDON, Sept. 7 .- The preliminary session of the first world conference of the Federation of Polish Jews being attended by sixty delegates from eighteen countries representing 6:000,000 Jews was held in the East End of London tonight. Many delegates have traveled thousands of miles to attend the conference by which they seek to improve the conditions of 3,500,000 Jews in Poland.

A. Tarle, chairman of the federation in Britain, in welcoming the delegates, said many eminent Brit-ish Jews had commended the purpose of the conference.

The Daily Express (UK) September 9, 1935

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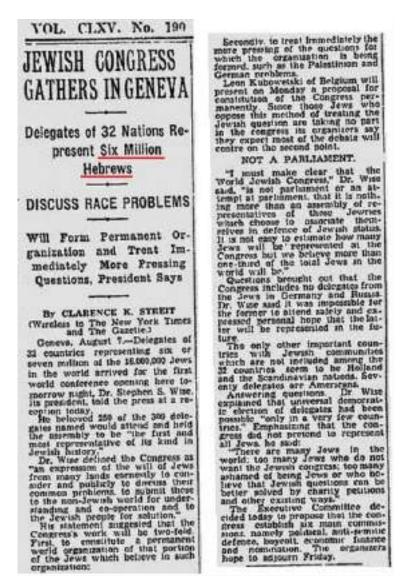
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"Delegates of 32 Nations Represent six million Hebrews."

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"If one goes further afield, and takes the Jewries of Rumania, Latvia, Lithuania, Austria, one sees practically the same picture, and it is no exaggeration on my part to say that today almost six million Jews ... in that part of the world are doomed to be pent up in places where they are not wanted, and for whom the world is divided into places where they cannot live, and places into which they cannot enter. ... These six million people to whom I have referred are condemned to live from hand to mouth. They do not know today what is going to happen tomorrow ... it affects the fate of six million people."

Weizmann, Chaim. The Letters and Papers of Chaim Weizmann: Vol.II, December 1931-April 1952. NJ; Transaction Publishers. 1983. pp.102-3.

President of World Zionist Organisation, and the future first President of Israel, before the British "Peel Commission" on the future of British Mandate Palestine. November 25, 1936, Jerusalem.

JEWISH RELIEF BOARD TO HEAR LEHMAN SUNDAY

Gathering to consider the crisis confronting 6,000,000 Jews in Central and Eastern Europe, leaders from the United States and Canada, associated with the American Jewish Joint Distribution Committee, will meet Sunday in the new ball-room of the Hotel Astor.

Governor Lehman will address the group from 12 noon to 12:15 P. M. His talk will be broadcast over NBC's red network. Felix M. Warburg, national chairman, will report on the \$3,500,000 national campaign for funds. Coincident with the national gathering, the committee will hold its annual meeting for the transaction of regular business and for the election of next year's officers.

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New York Post, December 11, 1936, page 19.

Jews Should Be Thankful They Live in United States, **Hadassah Leader Declares**

Stating that "6,000,000 Jews in central Europe have neither life nor death because of extreme persecutions," Mrs. Emanuel Halpern of New York city, member of the national board of Hadassah urged those attending the first annual donors' dinner of the Fitchburg-Leominster Hadassah at Brooks' restaurant last night, to "thank God that we are living in the United States where all peoples are free." The dinner, first of its kind in this

part of Worcester county, was marked by an announcement that the chapter had raised \$265 for contributions to a national fund which is used in the rehabilitation and resettlement of Palestine by Jewish people.

An impressive, convincing talker, Mrs. Halpern congratulated the chapter for the completion of a successful year, following her intro-duction by Miss Florence Chitoff, toastmistress, of this city.

"This is a joyous time for Hadas-

sad all over the country," he said, "for on Feb. 25, the 350 chapters celebrate the 25th anniversary of their work in the rehabilitation of Palestine.

Thankful To U. S.

"And we should be thankful we are living in the United States where our people are not subject to the persecutions that they are in other lands. President Roosevelt in his inaugural address four years ago spoke a word of vital meaning to all people of this land when he said he would never permit a law to be enacted which would force any citizen of the United States to become superfluous.

IEWS SHOULD BE THANKFUL

(Continued from Page Oue)

"This is one land which all Jew sh people can consider their home-a home of freedom and equality

'Today many nations are busy with a problem of caring for their Jewish populations The prime min-ister of Poland is one of the many officials in central European countries oppressing our people, a race that can trace its ancestry back more than 3000 years It is difficult to understand the attitude of such

"Neither Life Nor Death"

"The treaty at Versailles granted freedom to minority groups yet Poland, Germany and Rumania have forgotten this clause. Today there are 6 000 000 million Jews in cential Europe who have neither life non death"

Mrs Halpern told of the start of rehabilitation work in Palestine by Jewish people who desired to reestablish Palestine as their home

Hadassah in this re-organization Originally their plan had been twofold, first to develop a medical program in Palestine and secondly, to carry on a program of education among the Jewish people in the United States

"Now as we near the close of a quarter of a century of work," she concluded, "we find that our efforts have not been in vain. The rebuilding has been a tremendous task, but we are making steady progress During the past two years we have

been able to transport 1550 children between the ages of 15 and 17 from Germany to Palestine where they receive education and opportunity far beyond that offered in European countries.

Parents Suffer Hardships

"Although their emigration in many cases means the breaking up of families, yet the parents in Germany are willing to subject them-selves to these hardships They know that if their children are brought up in Germany life holds no

'Under the projects established by the Jewish National Fund, lands in Palestine have been bought and new settlements started There has been a steady immigration to such an extent that houses cannot be built fast enough to care for all the families Schools and universities have been established and work on the new and modern, Rotschild-Hadassah hos-pital has begun. A symphony or-chestra has been formed by Jewish musicians who have fled from other countries where genius is not recognized among our people.

"It is a great work we are doing and we will do much more with your help and the help of other chapters during the next quarter of

a century.

Entertainment Given

Previous to the speaker, Miss Eunice Rosen offered an invocation President Mrs. Harry Levine of Leominster praised the chapter for its work during the first year of its organization "We have had an excellent response to our requests for funds and our meetings have been well attended," she said, "but been well attended, sile sale, and I know that during the next year we will progress much further

Entertainment was provided by Rose Slobin Berlyn, vocalist and Mrs Aida Fiengold, accompanist,

both of Worcester

Mrs Benjamin Asher gave a reading A skit, "An Evening at Home," was presented by Cora Podonle, Ida Rafer and Irwin Levine.

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Dr. Stephen Wise in Fiery Defense of Jews

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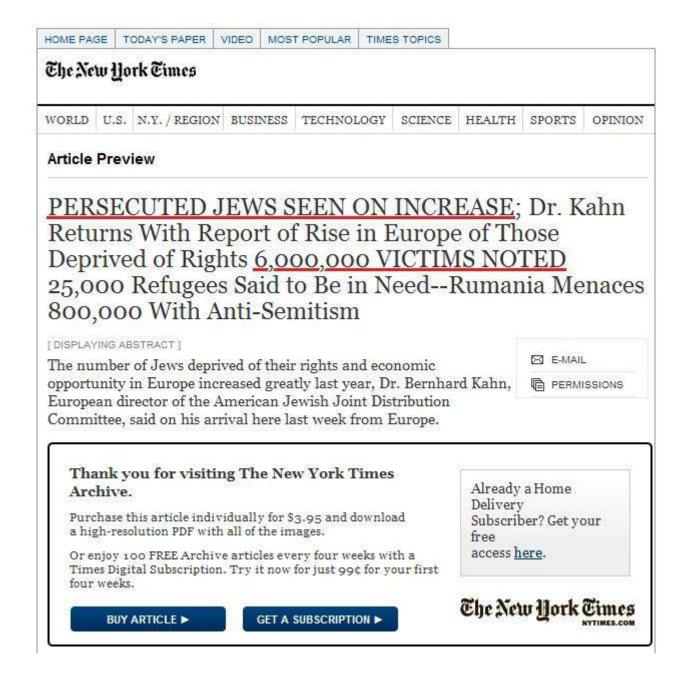


"Six Million Jews Homeless ... Six million Jews are homeless"

The Day (New London, CT), December 17, 1937, page 17 Second Section.

This article was about a Zionist meeting of the Beth-El Congregation, at Bulkeley School in Connecticut. It was again Rabbi Stephen S. Wise, who was responsible for numbers one and thirteen in our list, who made the claim at this meeting that "Six million Jews are homeless."

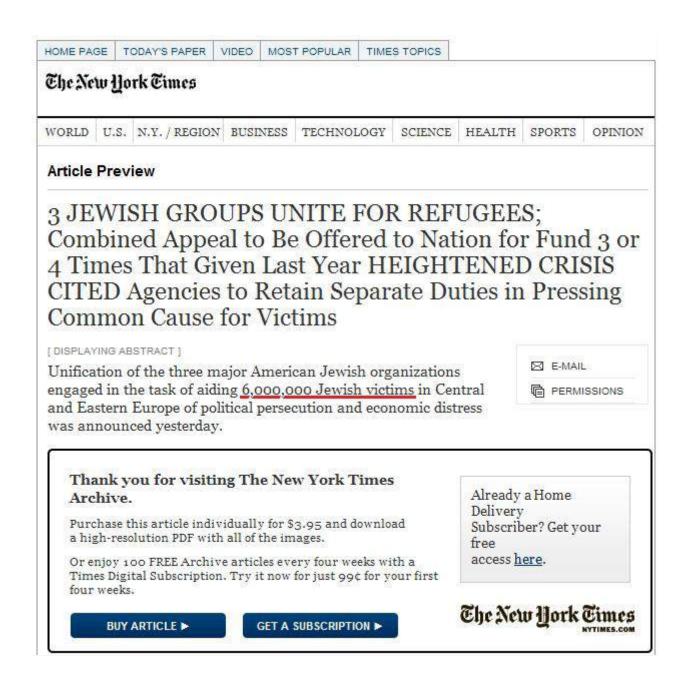
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"PERSECUTED JEWS SEEN ON INCREASE ... 6,000,000 VICTIMS NOTED"

The New York Times, January 9, 1938.

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"Unification of the three major American Jewish organizations engaged in the task of aiding 6,000,000 Jewish victims in Central and Eastern Europe of political persecution and economic distress was announced yesterday."

The New York Times, January 13, 1938.

EUROPEAN JEWRY HELP IS SOUGHT

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 26 (UR) — American aid for European jewry and a policy of peaceful cooperation by the United States with other countries were asked today in speeches at the 15th triennial convention of the national council of Jewish women.

Urging American aid for its European Jewry, Dr. Joseph Dunner, exiled German sociologist and novelist, declared there were six million victims of governmental anti-semitism and persecution in Germany, Poland, Rumania, and elsewhere in Europe.

Convenient Scapegoat

"The Jew, convenient scapegoat in time of hatred and dictatorship, has become an outcast; he is not allowed to practice his profession or vocation in any single walk of life in Germany," Dunner said.

"The persecution of little children is perhaps the most revolting feature of all in Nazi Germany," he added, in describing the ostrucism of Jewish children in German schools.

While the German Jew is being liquidated, the Jews in Poland and Rumania are fighting against the persecution in those countries and "such people deserve the help of American Jewry," Dunner said.

Peaceful Cooperation

The report of the council's committee on peace, under the chairmanship of Mrs. Maurice N. Weyl, of Philadelphia, advocated peaceful cooperation by the United States with other countries as the best means of promoting world peace.

The report expressed support of the principle of the recently defeated Ludlow constitutional amendment which would provide for a popular referendum before this country could go to war.

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Idaho Evening News, January 25, 1938, page 3 second section.

Article also appeared in: The Ogden Standard-Examiner (UT), January 25, 1938, page 1 section B.



"George Backer, vice-chairman of the Joint Distribution Committee, said today at the fifteenth triennial convention of the National Council of Jewish Women. ... "the soul of the Jew is on a rack of hatred more powerful and shattering than Torquemada's," Mr. Backer urged the convention to "take the lead in this gigantic struggle for human survival." "In lacerated Europe," he said, "six million Jews are in agony." "

The Jewish Telegraphic Agency, January 26, 1938.

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JEWISH TEACHERS CHIDED BY ISAACS

Borough Head Tells Sectarian Group He Sees No Reason for Its Existence

JASON DISPUTES HIS VIEW

Association of 3,000 Defended at Luncheon—Civic Duty in School Work Is Urged

After warning that he would be "tactless" in his remarks, Stanley M. Isaacs, Borough President of Manhattan, told 1,750 teachers attending the eleventh anniversary luncheon of the Jewish Teachers Association at the Hotel Commodore yesterday that he could see no reason for the existence of their organization.

"While it is very important that the teachers organize as you have done, I must say that I regret that the Jewish teachers, or Catholic or Protestant teachers, should have separate organizations," he declared. "I hope it will not be long before the separate groups will comTaking issue with Mr. Isaacs, Simon J. Jason, president of the Jewish Teachers Association, pointed out that this body, now grown to more than 3,000 members, exists to "improve the moral, social and religious training of the children."

"The Catholic and Protestant teachers' associations have equally high and noble motives," Mr. Jason said. "We are not concerned with politics. No one of these three groups expects to use the influence of its association other than for the good of the community."

Civic Responsibility Urged

Schools should develop into the community centers of the city, catering to the needs of adults as well as of children, Mr. Isaacs declared. He urged that "adequate recreational facilities" be established near each school and that the teachers take an important part in improving the conditions in each neighborhood.

"I feel that from the Jewish point of view we are not a separate people, but that we each owe a duty to the community to do our job as ably and effectively as we know how," he added.

Teachers would be more "useful" in community affairs if they did more than merely represent their own profession, Mr. Isaacs contended.

"You know at first hand the actual living conditions better than any other group of public officials," he said. "I am sure that when the children come before you and you find some ill-clothed and ill-nourished, condemned to live in shabby tenements that are a disgrace to the city, you want to help improve conditions.

"I want to see the school much more the center of communal activities than it has been in the past. I think the facilities furnished the children should be extended to include the adults as well."

"Jewish Tragedy" Pictured

A depressing picture of 6,000,000

Jews in Central Europe deprived of protection or economic opportunities, slowly dying of starvation, all hope gone, was presented to the teachers by Jacob Tarshis, known to his radio audience as The Lamplighter. Mr. Tarshis represented the American Jewish Joint Distribution Committee.

The "Jewish tragedy" started when Hitler came into power in 1933, Mr. Tarshis declared. Now anti-Semitism has spread to thirteen European nations, and threatens the very existence of millions

of Jews, he said.

"The Jewish people are facing the greatest tragedy of history, not excepting the darkest years of the Middle Ages," he continued. "There is no future for the Jews in Germany, in Poland or in Rumania. They are being strangled to the point of starvation. These people are being reduced to the untouchable state."

Since 1914 the Joint Distribution Committee has spent \$100,000,000 to aid Jews in Europe, according to Mr. Tarshis. Through this organization, hundreds of thousands of Jews in Central Europe are kept

"The Jews have but two ways to turn," he said. "One is toward Palestine and the other toward this committee."

Governor Lehman sent a letter expressing regret at his inability to attend.

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The New York Times, February 23, 1938.

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Between Negley Avenue and Graham Street

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Obituaries Charles Biron

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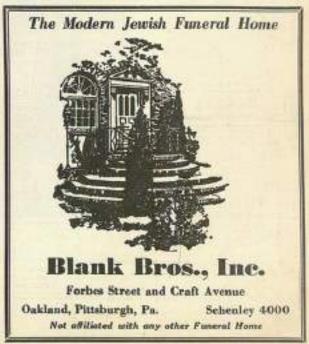
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PLIGHT OF JEWS IN AUSTRIA

Worse than in Germany

PALESTINE THE ONLY SOLUTION

Professor S. Brodetsky,: executive member of the Zionist World Organisation, described the position of Austrian Jewry as "so bad that none of you can form any impression of how bad it is" when he addressed a meeting of the Manchester Zionist Association last night.

"From the information we have been able to gather the treatment of the Jews in Austria, especially in Vienna and certain places round it, has been infinitely worse even than anything the Jews of Germany have had to endure,"

"No Zionist propagandist ever made so clear a Zionist speech as did Herr Hitler when he marched on Vienna and literally overnight, without their knowing anything about it, placed 200,000 Jews outside the law, stripped them of citizenship and all their rights, and reduced them to a level of sheer misery such as has never been imagined in a so-called civilised Europe.

"Trapped Like Rats"

"Six million Jews at this moment are trapped like rats in lands where democracy, freedom, and human decency are not understood. They cannot help themselves and no one will come to their aid, as the note of 'We can't interfere in the internal affairs of other nations, which has crept into the speeches of statesmen, plainly shows. You are woefully mistaken if you think the fate of these millions will in any shape be influenced by public opinion in other lands; nothing happened in Germany and I cannot see anything happening in Austria. We must depend ultimately upon ourselves for our safety and our future.

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"What can we do about Austria? We can go round begging once again from our own people, as we did five years ago, and little enough good that will do. The Germans have learned a lot more of the art of suppressing Jews since then. In five years something like 40,000 German Jews have found their way to Palestine under far more favourable conditions than we have to-day; what can we do for Austria's 200,000 victims?"

The only hope of a future for the Jews was to secure the fundamental right of every people to live in its own State. Palestine represented that hope, and he believed that the whole world was now conscious of the fact. He felt that, in particular, the tragedy of the Jewish position abroad had aroused in Britain the deepest possible sympathy and he was convinced also that the Government was not unaware of the advantages of having a large number of Jews with the strongest ties of gratitude and friendship for Britain at so vital a key to Empire communications as Palestine.

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The Guardian, April 4, 1938, page 11.

Professor Selig Brodetsky was then the president Board of Deputies of British Jews.

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NATION IS WARNED OF ANTI-SEMITISM

Dr. Hoffmann Is Fearful That Persecutions Abroad May Spread to This Country

SEES INTOLERANCE RISING

Calls Upon Church to Meet 'Challenge' of Prejudice Here With Aggressive Action

The rising tide of anti-Semitism in Europe today, which has deprived more than 6,000,000 Jews and non-Aryans of a birthright, may some day sweep across the United States if Christian America does not aggressively challenge the menace, the Rev. Dr. Conrad Hoffmann Jr. declared yesterday morning. Dr. Hoffmann, assistant secretary of the Board of National Missions of the Presbyterian Church of the U. S. A., was guest preacher at the Memorial Presbyterian Church, 207 East Thirtieth Street.

"We have no right to protest against the Nazi persecution of Jews in Germany and Austria when here in our own country among the clergy and laity there is increasing prejudice against the Jews," he said. "Recently when the Administration approved of a plan to offer a haven for Jewish refugees, I heard men of my own Christian faith violently oppose the plan on the grounds that we already had enough Jews in this country.

"Germany would like to be rid of her half million Jews, but she cannot, because no other country will take them. She cannot murder them in cold blood, but she can methodically deprive them of their only means of living, and thus slowly but surely starve them to death. That is what Hitler has been doing to Jews and non-Aryans in Germany and what he is already insti-

Saying that the general run of German people were not any more anti-Semitic than the average American, Dr. Hoffmann described them as "being spoon-fed with propaganda against the Jews." The revolution and the post-war sufferings and bitter disillusionment of the Germans were largely caused by the unfair terms of the Versailles treaty, he said. Hopelessly embittered, they grasped at a straw, much like any drowning man, and that straw was Adolf Hitler.

"Americans scoff at the possibility of anti-Semitism sweeping this country," he said. "But let us remember that fundamentally the only difference between a lynching in the United States and a pogrom in Poland is that in the former instance it is usually a Negro who is persecuted and in the latter a Jew. Christian love is the only manner in which the problem of the Jew will be rolved in the world today."

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The essence of my report is that behind the stentorian demands of Hitler, the dramatically successful foreign ventures, the flag waving and the shouting, lies the ugly reality of widespread discontent in Germany. The people for the most part are deeply, grindy unhappy. But they are not ready or able to do anything about it. This offers little cheer to Jews and other lovers of peace and democracy. Nevertheless, there is German people will soon again see the light.

some comfort in the evidence that dictatorship does not promote the welfare of a nation. only does it destroy freedom, crush individuality, prostitute patriotism, but it also impoverishes a people, leaves them friendless in a hostile world and cobs them of peace and happiness. The word used to describe the blackout for the air raids is symbolic of what has happened in Germany-Verdunklung. I hope with all my heart that the

The Jews of Central Europe

by Jacob Lostshinsky

EVERY NATION is morally compelled to face the bitter truth. This article is written not with the intent of bewailing our plight but in order to arrive at a factual calculation of the status of six million Jews in Central and Eastern Europe and of the prospects that exist in the lands

We will begin our reckoning with those countries in which the Jews had reached the peak of their development and where they now tamble at break-neck speed into a bostomless abyss. Over half a million Jews of central Europe are now in the grip of a ruthless inquisition: 300,000 in Germany and 200,000 in Austria. The liquidation of Jewish commercial concerns in Germany is now proceeding at a more rapid pace than it did even during the most difficult months of 1934 and 1935. At that time the Jewish as well as the world press was full of reports concerning the shameless robberies perpetrated by the "saviors" of the German nation. Now the process of pauperization has become a chronic ailment. Everyone, with practically no exceptions, is preparing for flight. As recently as one year ago German Jewish leaders were seriously considering the establishment of homes for the aged to house 250,000 Jews According to their calculations about 100,000 of the younger and more adaptable Jews would leave the country in the next five years and only the old and those no longer fit for work would remain. They then believed that the old, the decrepit and the widows would be allowed to end their days in the exile of Hitler land. But now they too have changed their minds. They now realize that the departure of the younger ones increases the terror of the old people at the prospect of remaining in the bell which Germany has become for them and that these too are ready to grasp the wanderer's staff in order to escape the fate of remaining alone in Germany.

Thus proceeds the liquidation of a section of Jewry which for 150 years has enriched the Jew-

ish people and the whole world with hundreds of scholars and scientists. The 150,000 German Jews who have scattered throughout the world are spiritually crushed and will not soon recover. The 40,000 Jews who have settled in Palestine will probably enrich the Jewish community there: but the 110,000 others who fied to various lands are merely looking for a place of refuge where they can hide without attracting attention. Only one hope fills the heart of the German Jewish refugee who has found a domicile—to find room for those dear to him who still remain in Germany.

Such is the end of German Jewry which was the richest and most prosperous from an economic as well as from a spiritual viewpoint.

But the debacle of German Jewry is as nothing when compared to the calamity which has overtaken the Jews of Austria. The measure of destruction which was achieved in Germany in two years has been accomplished in Austria in two weeks. In proportion to the population there were more Jewish shops pillaged in Austria in two weeks than there were in Germany in two years. More Jewish doctors, dentists, lawyers, engineers and architects were expelled from their positions in Austria in one month than were affected in Germany in three years. The number of Jewish officials in Austria was negligible and altogether they mumbered no more than 156 in government and municipal positions.

Austrian Jewry suffered from a severe economic dislocation even before the annexation of the country by Hitler. Sixty thousand out of Vienna's 170,000 Jews-over one third-were dependent on relief. Among the needy who appealed for aid there were Jews who only a few years before themselves contributed considerable sums to the Jewish charitable institutions. Even before Hitler seized Austria the majority of the Jewish lawyers were unemployed and the number of Jewish bank employees decreased from 10,000 to 1,200

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Tragedy of Persecution of Jews Stirs the World

Often in recent years—especially in recent months—your sense of human justice and decency no doubt has been stirred by reports of wholesale outrages perpetrated upon the Jewish peoples of central Europe.

Reminiscent of barbarism of the Dark Ages, accounts of these intelerable persecutions must appall every right-thinking American, regardless of his race or creed, but they are continuing, uncurbed by protests of democratic governments.

It is estimated that nearly six nullion Jews have been driven from their homes by ruthless oppressors and stripped not only of their property but of their right to work for a living. Their money boxes and other holdings looted, the victims

of this victous tyrrany are denied even the chance to quit the scene of their misery. Unable to seek another land—even a strange one—they must starve or subsist on the pitiful charity of others only a little less destitute than themselves.

This tragedy of central European Jewry is being brought home to Port Arthurans this week by the amount campaign of the American Jewish Joint Distribution committee to raise funds for the succor of these pathetic peoples — these victims of totalitarian madness.

The committee is undertaking to raise the comparatively small sum of \$100.000 in the U.S., of which Port Arthur's share is a modest \$2000. The money will go for food for millions of distraught, homeless families and for removing them, if possible, from the grasp of heartless tyrants,

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The Port Arthur News (TX), June 9, 1938, page 1.

Zionist Aide Stresses Need Of Freeing Jews in Europe

Judge Sees Hope for Persecuted of Race In Palestine Move

Less emphasis on agitation for a Jewish State in Palestine and more on the problem "of taking as many Jaws as possible out of the hell of Europe," was urged last night by Judge William M. Lewis, Phila-delphia, vicepresident of the Elecist Organization of America.

"We cannot afford to quarrel," the Philadelphia Domastic Rela-tions Court jurist told the Rock-esten Zionist Organization at a meeting in the JYMAWA. He referred to the tendency of some nationalist extremists to quarrel with Great Britain in its handling

of the Jewish-Arab problem. Speaking in support of the more ment 'n alleviate the plight of op-Judge Lawis urged American mem bers of the race to swing moral and financial powers into the channels of syscuating some 6,000,000 Jaws to Palestine.

Seen Everitual Solution

Reactitement of European Jawa in their fromer homeland presents the most hopeful possible solution, Judge Lewis said. Once settled in Pairstine, European refugees will be "domiculed, not called," and aventually, he suggested, Arab-Jawish differences would be sattled, possibly in the way America from time to time purchased additional lands to the west of the 13 original enionies as the country expanded.

The Italian-British Mediterrancen nest already has cased the Arab situation, for Italian propagandists were stirring Arabs to action against Great Britain, Judge Lewis belleved.

As was the case of 'American ploneers, said Judge Lewis, gravewhen people talk in terms of a jewish state I'm not interested for the moment . . My thoughts are in the direction of the moment mention taking as mosaible many suffering Jews as possible out of the bell of Europe, even if

and South American



JUDGE WILLIAM M. LEWIS

Judge Lewis said he was not "In the sast perturbed over the possibillty of any similar movement in the United States.
'Gites American Traditions

Pointing to America's traditions. he seid: "The United States is too healthy to permit growth of an insidious hatred of a people and a race. For, after all, America is a corporate entity of a great many LUCOR,

Few Jews reside in Bouth Amerles, the Philadelphian said, ex-pressing a wish, however, that this country had joined closer business and cultural interests with South nations to forestall American European finencial and ideological dom'nation.

considers Euro reablem. Judge Jewry considers Europe its major problem, Judge Lewis added. Although the German eltu-Europe ation has been dramatized to a greater extent, the plight of Jews in Pound is the more desperate, be said.

Harman Serachan, membership arc.stary of the JYMA, presided.
Announcement was made that elections to name five delegates to the
American Jewish Congress will be it means excrifees for the presit means excrifees for the presint."

White anti-Sensitic sentiment is the JYMA Associated Hebrew Charities, Field Street Symagogue, Conand a spreading through Central
and South American countries, have been nominated.

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TREATMENT OF GERMAN JEWS

PROTEST MEETING TO BE HELD AT ALBERT HALL

A resolution "strongly protesting against the religious and racial persecution which is taking place throughout Germany," will be submitted to a meeting representing all religious bodies and schools of political thought at the Albert Hall on December 1. The resolution also pledges support to every legitimate form of action likely to alleviate the sufferings of the victims of such persecution.

Lord Sankey will preside, and the speakers will include the Archbishop of York, the Cardinal Archbishop of Westminster, the Moderator of the Federal Council of the Free Churches, the Chief Rabbi, Sir Archibald Sinclair, M.P., Mr. Herbert Morrison, M.P., and a representative of the Conservative Party.

The Battersea Borough Council Health Committee, as a result of an application from a sub-committee of the Coordinating Committee for Refugees, recommends that, provided the necessary arrangements can be made with University College Hospital, with which the council is affiliated for the "first period" training of pupil midwives, the Refugees Committee be informed that the council is willing to accept an agreed number of refugee applicants for training at the maternity hospital on approved conditions.

M.P. ON JEWISH MIGRATION

Mass emigration of Jews to Palestine for two years and the formation of a Jewish national assembly was advocated by Sir John Haslam, M.P., in a message which he sent to a public meeting at the Kingsway Hall last night held by the New Zionist Organization. The message stated that the problem now involved some 6,000,000 Jews. It was not a question of Germany alone; once the other countries saw that the civilized States could be impelled to help Germany get rid of her Jews, the same thing would happen in other areas of distress in Europe. Mr. Vyvyan Adams, M.P., said that the esteem and loyalty of Jewry were of supreme importance to the British Empire. The placing of Jewish immigrants in Tanganyika would certainly impress the Germans, but the great solution of the problem lay in Palestine.

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The Wisconsin State Journal, December 30, 1938, p.9.

This is part of an advert for *The Capitol* theatre in Madison, Wisconsin. Which mainly features the 1938 film *Going Places* (starring Ronald Regan). The "pictorial document" *The Refugee* must have been a Zionist propaganda film shown before the main feature.