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Hadassah, 1940.

ABSTRACT OF ADDRESS DELIVERED BY DR. ABBA HILLEL SILVER OF THE TEMPLE,
EAST 105TH STREET AND ANSEL ROAD AT HOTEL CLEVELAND BEFORE THE HADASSAH
ON WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 16, 1940.

Palestine is today in the active war zone. The foes of mankind who are attacking the last great citadel of human freedom in Europe - Great Britain - are also attacking Palestine. The Land of Israel is today an important section of the front line of defense against the menacing barbarism of our day. We are proud of the way the Jews of Palestine are carrying on in the face of danger. Their courage is high. They are mobilized as one man for the defense of the land which they had built with such love, enthusiasm and sacrifice. They are wrestling bravely with the many serious economic problems which war conditions have forced upon them. Even under the fires of war, new settlements are being established and new land is being acquired for the refugees who are arriving into the country -- refugees who keep on coming in spite of the great hazards and difficulties of travel in a war-ridden Europe. The Jews of Palestine are sharing their homes and their meager resources with these new arrivals. The community is dauntless and undeterred. War has not quenched the great passion for building the Jewish Homeland, that extraordinary and consecrated passion which in twenty short years has raised the Jewish population from 75,000 to 500,000, and, upon land redeemed from disease, poverty and general backwardness has established more than 225 colonies, built villages, towns and cities, erected schools, colleges, a university and a national library, founded hospitals and a great medical center, revived a language and a national culture and made of Palestine the most modern and progressive country of the entire Near East.

The pincer movement of the Axis powers to capture Egypt and the Suez Canal may develop. This would mean that Palestine would be invaded and held until the end of the war. If the Allied powers win the war, the invaders would, of course, be ejected and the Jewish community of Palestine would undoubtedly then have greater opportunities for development. And even if the Axis powers win the war, it is unlikely that Italy will proceed to disrupt the economic life of Palestine which depends almost entirely upon the Jewish community. She will not wish to make of Palestine an imperial liability like Ethiopia. Undoubtedly

the Jewish community would be subjected to severe restrictions. But it will carry on as in the long past waiting for another political orientation to resume the historic and inevitable task of rebuilding a national home, for a people who is so desperately in need of a national home as the events of recent years have demonstrated.

The morale of Palestine Jewry is high. It is thinking today not in terms of retreat or subjection, but in terms of resistance and the re-enforcement of its position in that country. Thousands have volunteered for the defense forces of Palestine and many thousands more will await the opportunity to form a Jewish legion.



impermanant in so many parts of the earth. Here hope is restored to men robbed of hope, and pride to the humbled, and the gift of mission and destiny to those spiritually dispossessed, and cast out of all inheritance.

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We, the Jews of the United States, have in the past helped these splendid pioneers and builders of Zion. So have the Jews of the rest of the world. But now the help from the rest of the world has been cut off by the war. Only our own help now remains upon which the brave men and women of Palestine can count to help them carry on. Our support must be increased in order to make up for what is no longer forthcoming

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The High Priest does not mourn
- (13) 11/ מלכזק (13) 11/ לזקק 11/ (San. 19a)

There is no room for mourning
in a state of perfect holiness ~~and~~
which is of the quality of Eternity.
- Spiritual.

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1) A depressing time - crisis - is - tides - active was 3 me - Bombard.
S.E. -

Has already happened - Br. Empire - Fight not yet begun.

Mobilized - Wrestling - Sharing - Immigrants - Colonies - industries
Territories - England - Hold their positions! Morale!
- 2002 first life - 2002 is 1st life - only thing which
would undermine - our courage - lack of faith

We, 2,000,000, never really had sufficient faith in P. - 500,000 -
50,000 - I recall - Revisionists - Roman days 4th

No in capacity of our people - Estimate - most average job
(quote underneath) - Lebensraum - "ex nihilo"

What it does to men - Miracle of survival
not suff. Confidence in loyalty - York - our so-
called "practical" & "unmistakable" Jews mis-led us -
The rest, Jews - "Deutschland is our fatherland"

Let's not anticipate disaster or hysteria in P.
Mussolini is not there yet!

Even if invaded - questionable whether he will remain
" " Axi axis - (Axis will not win) - Liability
Ethiopia - Pan Islamism

Rather let us think in terms, Resistance - Re-empowerment
Cables - all those which come from England -
only source - U.S. - Man - money - Understanding

2/ Ramparts they watch

(1) National life + Survival - Europe shattered - no org.
J. comm. life left - Strong - Bulwark - & which
defends principle: Jews as a people - which is
entitled to survive as a people - in the history
here, that people. Tabernacle x100

(2) International Jew - normalize as states

(3) Humanism - not - "and I will turn you
captivity, ~~said the Lord~~ and gather you from all nations,
and from all the places whither I have driven you, said
the Lord, and I will bring you back into the place
whence I caused you to be carried away captive"

3/ Our prophetic Ideals ^(Not just Levantine nationality) mandates - Justice - freedom - brotherhood

ד/ו/ו ד/ו/ו - ד/ו/ו ד/ו/ו - Justice - Faith
ד/ו/ו ד/ו/ו ד/ו/ו - Blood - pride - glory

drenched in blood - current despoiled

① Socialism ^{- even Nazis} dictatorship - terror - expropriation
- materialism - deifying beings - less, less - division / Man kind
voluntary - compulsion - in freedom
pr. of organic sp. evolution - Strasser

② Innovators are always restorers - Renascence
in them - Jews - fulfil Law & Prophets

ד/ו/ו ד/ו/ו ד/ו/ו -

4/ Dark Days ד/ו/ו ד/ו/ו ד/ו/ו - Sh. restorers

...would
Premier Benito Mussolini and
Ciano, Foreign Minister.

GERMANS ARE WARNED TO BEWARE OF POLES

Leaflet Distributed in Berlin Says They Are 'Despicable'

BERLIN, Sept. 17 (AP)—Thousands of leaflets extolling the German "master race" and describing Poles as second-rate beings were distributed to Berlin householders today by the Society for 'Germandom Abroad. Poles were called unfit for inter-marriage or even comradeship with Germans.

The conquered Poles were described as especially despicable, the leaflets said, "because the atrocities in Poland compelled the Fuehrer to protect our Germans there with our armed forces." The leaflets then cite a series of alleged Polish atrocities, and exclaim:

"Fellow German! The Pole is never your comrade! He stands beneath every German on your farm or in your factory. Be just, as becomes a German, but never forget that you belong to the master race.

"If anybody comes and tells you his Pole is decent, then counter with: 'Today apparently everybody knows one decent Pole, just as at another time he knew one decent Jew.'

"The obsequiousness shown by the Pole toward the German farmer is perfidy. His friendly demeanor is a lie. The greatest care is essential to prevent Poles from grouping together and possibly engaging in espionage."

Farmers and factory owners were warned not to permit Polish laborers to write long letters home lest they contain untrue statements about Germany. The Poles, moreover, are to receive no cash.

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that, great as was London's suffering in this time of trial, to come of the prolonged air raid, raging even as he spoke, awaited with "sober but unshaken confidence."

Repeated visits of German bombers, in formation and in force, failed to prevent Common Council holding public and private sessions and making plans for similar sessions to be held in future without public announcement in advance of the hours of the day. Nor did they prevent King George VI from decorating relatives of war heroes at Buckingham Palace, part of which lies in ruins from repeated bombings, nor from making a scheduled appointment with Sir Archibald Sinclair at the War Ministry, even though the sirens sounded as the King stepped out of the Palace gates.

Mr. Churchill had little time to communicate to the representatives of the nation gathered together in the historic chamber of the mother of all Parliaments, which since the bombing of Buckingham Palace is expected to be a target for Reich Marshal Hermann Goering's demolition squad of the air. Yet the general tenor of the Prime Minister's words was to reassure the members of Parliament, the people and the world that Britain was holding her own against the ferocious onslaught from the air.

His brief review of the war situation at home and abroad was received by the members, who appreciated his frankness in war, that neither side had yet used more than "a portion" of its forces and that the danger of sea-borne in-

In time, war & danger - nations
send re-embodiment to their
front lines - draw upon their reserves
stronger than defenses. They do
not draw away, & draw their
fighting power - before an attack.
- England - France -

1) What a sick-shaker - ^{quite} ~~disposable~~
and any ~~must~~ ^{be} in Volke
12 Jan 1918

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Yabai the Apostate

wrote: "It is disgraceful that
us ~~one~~ of the Jews here, while the atheistic Galileans
not only maintained their own form, but also say
when we have helpers"

- ① Pol. Center - Kabb - crowd 15000
- ② Bah. " - Talmon - Seven - 75000.
- ③ Sp. " - Parby - Ahl - 50000.
- ④ Pol. Russian - Modern Heb. - Rosovsky
- Zouren - 40000.

5) American -

Great ones both in East & West.
shows, Med - Sp. resembles Pol -
= a 2nd time - climate etc

Trans - as subject of letters - "Zohar"

Bension

7 things for which it was praised -

March 12th

Wed.

Jan 8th

Van Patten



Letter from Egypt - (July - Bar Hachaim)
Greece

WRHS



English Jewry has long been highly regarded for the programmatic way in which it has distributed its public funds for Jewish purposes. A few months ago, Simon Marks, an officer of and one of the leading contributors to the British Central Council for Refugees, reviewed what has been accomplished by English Jewry with funds raised to aid German Jews. He stated that 80,000 Jews from Germany and Austria had gone to Palestine and that the Council had assisted 20,000 of these to emigrate there, having allocated £900,000 for this purpose. He went on as follows:

"Whilst less than one refugee in a thousand of population has found sanctuary in most countries, the proportion in Jewish Palestine is one in five. This would have been impossible had not the foundations been laid over many years by the devotion and sacrifice of Zionists throughout the world, who did not wait for a Hitler to pose the Jewish problem of homelessness.

"Fifty years of experience with the land and its climate have enabled the small Jewish community of nearly 500,000 to absorb these 80,000. With larger funds Palestine could absorb, it has been estimated, some 50,000 a year.

"The basis is already there. To the experience already gained, there is now added the experience in numerous branches of economic activity of many newly-arrived men and women, of scientists, chemists, doctors, technicians, skilled craftsmen and operatives who formerly held key positions in the science and industry of Central Europe.

"With the assistance of such forces and adequate financial help from outside, Palestine should again expand on an even surer foundation."

Judgment of Independent Expert

Dr. W. C. Lowdermilk, Assistant Chief of the Soil Conservation Ser-

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vice of the United States Department of Agriculture, made a thorough survey of the colonization program in Palestine. His report indicated that what was being accomplished by the Jews in Palestine carried interest even for the United States and the world as a whole. He said, in part:

"The colonization of the wasted land of Palestine is one of the most significant phenomena of our day in the relation of a human population to its land. L

"A little more than fifty years ago, Jewish colonies undertook a formidable task to redeem this old land, and have carried out to date one of the most remarkable works of the restoration and reclamation of wasted lands that I have seen in three continents. L

"This remarkable restoration and reclamation work has been guided and sustained by a well-thought-out experimental and research program. In the earlier stages, practical farming schools were established to train the young colonists who were to take up the burden of redeeming the land. As time went on, the need for more thorough study was realized and Rehoboth Agricultural Experiment Station was established and equipped and today stands as one of the best agricultural experiment stations that I visited in fourteen countries of Europe and the Near East.

"These agricultural colonies, covering about 5 percent of the total area of Palestine, serve as excellent demonstration projects to indicate how and to what extent the Promised Land may be restored to a condition of greater productivity and support for a larger population.

"These colonies are demonstrating that land has other values than its commercial products. They are demonstrating that land in the final analysis is an integral part of the corporate existence of a nation, even as its

people are. If the Jews are permitted to carry out this magnificent restoration and redemption work of the wasted lands of Palestine, they will have set a Messianic example of the possibilities of the restoration of the wasted lands of North Africa and the Near East."



- trace his fall regular

Oswald's regular - cosmetics

substance for health

- not to poison his or his father

to murder him, but death

- evd. death was valuable

7 life - his life.

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RABBI ABBA HILLEL SILVER

WILL ADDRESS THE OCTOBER OPEN MEETING

ON

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 16, 1940

AT 2:00 P. M.

AT

THE HOTEL CLEVELAND BALLROOM

HIS SUBJECT: "THE RAMPARTS WE WATCH
IN PALESTINE"

Hadassah National Convention -- Oct. 30 -- Nov. 3
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HADASSAH WILL KEEP FAITH

Throughout this month we are earnestly engaged in achieving our quota for Palestine Land Redemption through the clearance of the Blue and White National Fund Boxes.

In the face of the destruction of Continental Jewries, the Yishuv, despite the fact that it is confronted with the prospect of fighting for its very life, is proceeding courageously with upbuilding of the Homeland. In this crucial hour, it implores us in America to redeem more land for more people who are finding the way to Palestine.

We are determined to meet the responsibility which we as American Jews are called upon to assume, because we know that by strengthening the Yishuv, we are aiding materially the cause of democracy. Our Jewish National Fund boxes will be filled! This year we shall certainly over-subscribe our quota!

The age-old story of our people's survival climaxed by the example of the Yishuv's conduct in this crisis is teaching us again that, out of destruction itself, redemption will arise.
Mrs. Clarence Weidenthal.

BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL

The Business and Professional Division is holding its Open Meeting on Wednesday, October 9, 1940, at 8:15 P. M., at the Hadassah Headquarters, 10616 Euclid Avenue. Mrs. Benj. F. Margolin will be the guest speaker and her topic will be: "Hadassah's Role in the Struggle for Democracy."

This year the Education Division under the chairmanship of Miss Rebecca Hellerstein is planning small study groups under the leadership of Mrs. Henry Essin, Mrs. Max Powers, Miss Bertha Josephson and Miss Lillian Stein. Some of the topics under discussion will be: Organization—local and national—Education, Membership, Jewish National Fund, Child Welfare and the Hadassah Medical Work. The members of the study group will then have the opportunity of participating in the open discussion following the monthly meeting devoted to these respective subjects. This plan makes it possible to integrate the study group's activities with the program planning division.

The division is opening its Jewish National Fund drive on October 5. Miss Fritzie R. Levin, chairman, and her committee composed of Misses Sally Kessler, Mae Price, Anna Volk, Esther Granovitz, Rose Strauss, Mesdames Oscar Popper and Harry Weston, will be in charge.

The first Oneg Shabat will be a Simchas Torah party on Oct. 25, 1940, at the home of Miss Fritzie R. Levin, 2448 Euclid Heights Boulevard. The program is being planned under the direction of Miss Sarah Levine, Oneg Shabat chairman, assisted by Misses Lillian Berman, Esther Granovitz and Frieda Berger.

HADASSAH NATIONAL CONVENTION

The Hadassah National Convention will be held at the Gibson Hotel, Cincinnati, Ohio, from October 30 through November 3. By our membership we are entitled to thirty delegates and thirty alternates. Only twenty-three alternates have been appointed so far, so anyone else desiring to go, please get in touch with the office. Whether you go as delegate, alternate or on-looker, the experience will be a valuable one. As many Hadassah members as can possibly go should be there, especially since Ohio is the hostess state.

Reservations for hotel and railroad accommodations may be made through the office by October 25. Because of the number going from Cleveland a reduced rate of \$7.60 for the round trip has been made. The special train leaves Wednesday, October 30, at 8:00 A. M. Try to arrange your affairs so that you can attend the convention, and communicate with the office.

Following is a list of delegates and alternates approved by the Hadassah membership at its last open meeting:

DELEGATES

Mrs. Chas. Auerbach
Mrs. J. Baskin
Mrs. J. J. Bloch
Mrs. B. R. Brickner
Mrs. J. W. Epstein
Mrs. A. E. Eisenberg
Mrs. Moses Garber
Mrs. Albert Goodman
Miss Lillian Granovitz
Mrs. D. L. Halper
Mrs. David Glasser
Mrs. Harry Jacobson
Mrs. Jack Jacobson
Mrs. Harry Karklin
Miss Edith Kalis
Mrs. I. C. Levy
Mrs. A. F. Mellman
Mrs. B. F. Margolin
Mrs. Ed C. Newman
Mrs. Rudolph Rosenthal
Mrs. Ezra Shapiro
Mrs. Ira Sachs
Mrs. Paul Sogg
Mrs. S. Silverman
Mrs. Samuel Stillman
Mrs. Abraham Strauss
Mrs. S. H. Stecker
Mrs. C. Weidenthal
Mrs. Harry Weinraub
Mrs. J. Schwarzbarg

ALTERNATES

Miss Lillian Berman
Mrs. Nate Cornsweet
Mrs. Meyer Fine
Mrs. Eugene Freedheim
Mrs. Harold Gardner
Miss Irene Jaffe
Mrs. Bernard Kane
Mrs. Jos. Kohrman
Mrs. Milton Landy
Mrs. H. Levitt
Mrs. Max Lieber
Mrs. H. O. Marks
Mrs. Max Michael
Mrs. Edwin Pollak
Mrs. Harry Polster
Mrs. A. H. Sachs
Mrs. Ben Schwartz
Mrs. Jos. Schulman
Miss May Settle
Mrs. J. Stashower
Mrs. D. Weitz
Mrs. O. I. Simon
Mrs. M. Roth

CALENDAR

October

- 9 Wednesday, 10:30 A. M. Literature Meeting, Phillip Bernstein.
Wednesday, 8:15 P. M. Business and Professional Opening Meeting.
10 Thursday, 8:00 P. M. Central Board Meeting.
14 Monday, 1:30 P. M. Clay Group.
16 Wednesday, 2:00 P. M. Open Meeting, Hotel Cleveland.
21 Monday, 1:30 P. M. Clay Group.
22 Tuesday, 2:00 P. M. Drama Group Tryouts.
25 Friday, 8:15 P. M. Business and Professional Oneg Shabat, 2448 Euclid Heights Boulevard.
26 Saturday, 2:00 P. M. Tea for Paid-up New Members, Mid-day Club.
27 Sunday, 2:30 P. M. Heights Junior Bridge and Style Show, Hotel Cleveland.
28 Monday, 1:30 P. M. Clay Group.

November

- 6 Wednesday, 10:00 A. M. Board Meeting.
7 Thursday, 8:00 P. M. Central Junior Board.
13 Wednesday, 10:30 A. M. Literature Meeting, Dr. Grace Coyle.

All meetings are held in the office 10616 Euclid Avenue, unless otherwise specified.

A ROSH HASHONAH MESSAGE

from TAMAR DE SOLA POOL

President of Hadassah

IT IS TERRIFYING to contemplate Europe on this first anniversary of what is called the second world war. Of the nations of Europe that were free and sovereign, only Switzerland and Sweden have remained unattacked. The highways and by-ways of Europe are crowded with suffering refugees who know not whither to turn. Utter despair and homelessness which the world thought to be reserved only for the Wandering Jew, have become a universal experience.

CAN WE, in the midst of it all, pause to apprehend the deep moral implications and see with unblurred vision the spiritual order in the chaos around us? The opening of the Jewish New Year which calls upon us to pause and look within ourselves as well as upward to the Source of all being, can give us the vision to see and the heart to understand. It is the message of Judaism to every Jew and it is the message of Jewish history to all the world that only through strengthening the spirit can true victory come.

SIX THOUSAND MILES from our home shores the Yishuv of Palestine stands firm and fearless. The year of war has seen that Yishuv grow in maturity, in determination, in strength. It has proved to us that the Jew and the Arab, if left undisturbed by political machination, can be neighbors, collaborators and friends. There is no panic; there is no fear; there is no defeatism for that Yishuv and therefore there will be no defeat. All they ask from us is to uphold their hands, to strengthen their resistance against any assault that may come. Who of us can refuse that help? Who in Hadassah can fail them?

I bid you now, at the beginning of our Hadassah season and in anticipation of our holiest days, LESHANAH TOVA. These words have profound meaning for us today. They should bring us strength to do our tasks, courage to face difficulties, and vision to see beyond the obstacles which hinder only those who look back, and not up, and beyond the immediate horizon.

MEMBERS OF HADASSAH, I wish you, and through you, your communities — LESHANAH TOVA TEKATEVU!

! ! DONOR AHEAD ! !

THIS year the Donor Committee, instead of being a Separate Entity in Hadassah, is merely an augmentation of the Standing Committees. In this way we hope to unify, simplify and coordinate all our activities. Here is the plan.

Vice President in Charge of Fund Raising.....	Mrs. Albert Goodman
Chairmen of Sustaining and Contributing Membership.....	Mrs. David Glasser
Chairman of Donor.....	Mrs. Jack Goodman
	Mrs. Abraham Strauss
Vice Chairman in charge of Contacts.....	Mrs. Ben Schwartz
	Mrs. David Weitz
	Mrs. Harry Weinraub

Each of these Vice Chairmen is to be in charge of five Captains, each of whom in turn will control a team of seven to ten workers.

Vice Chairman in charge of Ways and Means:

J. N. F.....	Mrs. Samuel Stecker
	Mrs. Max Michael
	Mrs. Samuel Stillman
Child Welfare.....	Mrs. David Magid
Palestine Supplies.....	Mrs. Morton Bialosky
Memorials.....	Mrs. Chas. Estrin
Vice Chairman in charge of Program.....	Mrs. Chas. Auerbach
Vice Chairman in charge of General Education.....	Mrs. Louis Gressel
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Branch Education, Choral Group.....	Mrs. Simon Silverman
Branch Education, Scribes Group.....	Mrs. J. Hollander
Branch Education, Art Group.....	Mrs. Harry Jacobson
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Vice Chairman in charge of Sponsors.....	Mrs. Morris Arnoff
Vice Chairman in charge of Housing and Tickets.....	Mrs. Simon Lewis
Treasurer of Donor.....	Mrs. E. Pollak
Secretary of Donor.....	Mrs. Harold Gardner

PROGRAM FOR DONOR
 Surprise
 on
SUNDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 15, 1940
 at
THE CLEVELAND HOTEL

WE NEED

GIVERS, generous, glad-to-give givers because we in America are able to live and give freely. The Yishuv has given, is giving and will continue to give everything they have and are, to establish themselves deeply and solidly in the hard ground. We must help them to make their stand secure for themselves, for those who have been and are being forced to Palestine, and for us. Along with England they are our first defenses. For Palestine is not only their home but a vulnerable spot in England's life line. We must help them defend themselves.

WORKERS because we need money. Those who work understand and give. Those who work make others understand and give. Those who give make others give and work. We need a large army of self enlisted and conscripted to work, for the quotas are larger than ever and must be met. We cannot fail.

Therefore, everyone either call the office and sign up for any activity that appeals to you, or notify the Vice Chairman in charge of the activity you wish to undertake.

WORKERS, PLEASE REMEMBER

Tuesday, October 29, 1940 at 12:00 noon at the Wade Park Manor

OPENING OF DONOR ACTIVITY

Tuesday, December 3, 1940 at 2:00, at the Cleveland Hotel

VICTORY RALLY

Please hold yourself ready and at the call of the Vice Chairman in charge of the particular branch of the Donor, in which you have chosen to work. This is a serious responsibility and we shall need your full cooperation. Hadassah must go way over the top this year.

GIVES MUSIC SCHOLARSHIP THROUGH HADASSAH

Mrs. Hyman Schandler, one of Cleveland's outstanding music teachers, has very generously offered to give a limited number of piano scholarships to deserving refugee children between the ages of nine and sixteen. This is a splendid opportunity for such children to continue their study of music without any loss during their stay in the United States. If you know of any likely, talented candidates for these scholarships, please communicate with Mrs. Schandler, GA 7665.

TRY OUT FOR THE HADASSAH PLAY

On October 22, at 2:00 P. M., try-outs for the first play, to be given in November, will be held at the Hadassah office. All those interested in acting or participating in any phase of play production are urged to attend. If you cannot come, please call Mrs. Joseph Kohrman, WA 7392.

READ!

Just arrived! A collection of 100 books from the Main Library to supplement the Hadassah Library. Books for every interest, from fine arts to cookery, from history and social questions to popular fiction. Whatever your hobby or interest, you will find a book for it at the Hadassah Library.

Again, as at the last open meeting, the Library will move to the Cleveland Hotel for the open meeting on October 16. This service is for the convenience of members who may not get to the office. Draw your books either at the open meetings or any day from the larger collection at the office, but get acquainted with our library and use it.

BRIDGE AND STYLE SHOW

The Cleveland Heights Junior Hadassah announces its Bridge and Style Show to be held Sunday, October 27, 1940, from 2:30 to 5:30 P. M., in the Hotel Cleveland Ballroom. Tickets are 55c each and may be obtained at the office. Make up a table and come!

HADASSAH STUDY GROUP

The initial meeting of the second Hadassah Study Group was held on Monday, Sept. 30. This group is open to all Hadassah members who are desirous of studying the background of Zionism and the meaning of Hadassah. Mrs. Harry Kaplan will again lead the group. Any one wishing to join may call Mrs. Philip Mason, YE 4763.

STUDY HEBREW

Last year's Beginner's Hebrew Class, which now attains the enviable status of the Intermediate Class, will resume its meetings right after the holidays. The classes will again be held at the Bureau of Jewish Education. All those with a limited knowledge of Hebrew and an unlimited desire to learn more are heartily welcomed. For further information, please call Mrs. Arthur Gressel, MU 3765.

Arrangements are also in progress for the re-opening of the Advanced Hebrew Class, and also for the organization of a Beginner's Class. You may call Mrs. I. C. Levy, FA 2762.

DO YOU HAVE A SEWING MACHINE?

Mrs. Felix Dolinsky would appreciate the loan of several sewing machines to be used for Red Cross sewing at the Jewish Center.

ART SERIES

A model of the Rothschild Hadassah University Hospital was started by the sculpturing group, Monday, Sept. 23. Ruth Melziener Moss, a well-known artist is conducting the class which will be held each Monday at 1:00 o'clock at the Hadassah office, until the project is finished. It will then be exhibited at an open meeting. Any one who is interested in clay work is welcome to join.

ERWIN JOSPE TO CONDUCT CHORAL GROUP

Cleveland Hadassah's Choral Group announces that plans have been completed and rehearsals will begin on or about October 28, under the fine leadership of Erwin Jospe, Director of the Euclid Avenue Temple Choir.

Mrs. Simon Silverman is chairman; Mrs. Morris Traeger, co-chairman; Mrs. Meyer Rosen, secretary; Mrs. Sam Stillman, chairman of displays, and Mrs. Ben Goodman, treasurer. Membership for this group is open. Any one interested please call Mrs. Simon Silverman, FA 3891.

WE ARE STILL CALLING FOR PHILIP MORRIS

Please continue to bring Philip Morris wrappers to the office or to any meetings. The offer of one-half cent for each wrapper still holds. If any further incentive is needed to remind you to save the wrappers, this may be it. The Hadassah Board at its last meeting voted to give all monies received from Philip Morris toward the Juniors' Youth Aliyah quota.

DUES**DUES****DUES****DUES****ARE OVERDUE AND PAYABLE****PLEASE REMIT****WE NEED THE FUNDS****WE COUNTED ON YOUR HELP****DON'T LET US DOWN****PAY YOUR DUES**

Our committee will be happy to pick up your dues. Call CEDar 4977

JEWISH NATIONAL FUND FOR HADASSAH—"THE BLUE BOX"

The Blue Box coin receptacle is used throughout the world and is by far the best source of fund-raising for land purchase. It was devised by Professor Herman Shapiro, one of the great Jews of the 19th Century, who gave J. N. F. its first impetus.

It has practically unlimited possibilities, because the public has become accustomed to contributing through it year after year. However, before a box is placed the interest of the box-holder must be secured. The "Blue Box" should not be "dumped" or forced on anyone, first, because they are expensive, and secondly, because careless placement undermines their importance.

Slogan: A J. N. F. Box in every Hadassah Home.

TREES

Help to plant them in order to:

Provide employment for refugees;
Extend Eretz Israel's landscape and livable area.

Prevent soil erosion;
Conserve the soil;
Establish playgrounds for youth.

Occasions for Tree Planting

On many occasions, joyous as well as solemn—the planting of trees on J. N. F. land can be a touching token of remembrance and love.

Tree certificates make dignified and inspiring gifts to mark the following:

Birth of a child, birthday, Bar Mitzvah celebration, confirmation day, wedding anniversary, receipt of an honor, or the observance of a memorial day.

Encourage your friends and relatives to commemorate any of these occasions by planting trees in Palestine.

Cost of planting one tree \$1.50.

Sefer Hayeled is the children's register of the J. N. F. and honors the child from birth to confirmation. The register is generally inscribed with the name of the child and contains his or her photograph.

The cost of the Sefer Hayeled is \$10.

TREES PLANTED

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Ratner, in memory of Anna Michael Fagin.
Dr. and Mrs. Max B. Michael, in memory of Pesha Ratner.
Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Margolin, in memory of Mrs. Mollie Simon.
Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Mellman, in memory of Mollie Simon.
Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Fine, in memory of Mollie Simon.
Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Stecker, in memory of Mollie Simon.
Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Stecker, in memory of Mrs. Lena Abrams.
Hilda Fish in honor of father, David I. Fish.
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lipman, in memory of Pesha Ratner.
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Greenberg, in memory of Pesha Ratner.
Michael Tisch in memory of Pesha Ratner.
Mrs. Philip Mason and Mrs. Roy Kohn, in memory of Morris Berman.
Mr. and Mrs. Leon L. Berger, in memory of Mollie Simon.
Mr. and Mrs. Ira Saks, in memory of Mollie Simon.
Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Shapiro, in memory of Mollie Simon.
Mr. and Mrs. Sigmund Braverman, in memory of Mollie Simon.
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jacobson, in memory of Mollie Simon.
Mr. and Mrs. Myer S. Fine, in memory of Mrs. Lena Abrams.

BEHIND THE SCENES OF J. N. F. COLLECTIONS

Following the initial luncheon meeting of chairman and division captains at the home of Mrs. S. H. Stecker, eight teams were fully organized. For two weeks Mrs. Sam Stillman's recreation room was general headquarters and office for preparing the working kits that were distributed at the tea held on Monday, September 23, at the home of Mrs. H. Blonder. Mrs. L. Kaufman, who was introduced by Mrs. Clarence Weidenthal, chairman of the afternoon, gave an inspiring talk on the current Zionist situation. The collectors' prize, a handsome Palestinian brooch, was won by Mrs. M. Axelrod.

It gives us great pleasure to announce Mrs. Wm. Goodstein and Mrs. Harry Simon as the first bell-ringers to have finished their collections with many cards recording an increase.

The Hadassah J. N. F. Collection Committee under the directorship of Mrs. Samuel H. Stecker consists of the following:

Chairman

Mrs. Samuel Stillman

Captains

Mrs. M. Axelrod	Mrs. Al Karklin
Mrs. M. Arnoff	Mrs. L. W. Phillips
Mrs. H. Polster	Mrs. Geo. Dubin
Mrs. I. C. Levy	Mrs. Andrew Lustig
Miss Fritzie R. Levin of the Business and Professional Women's Group	

The following are the bell-ringers enlisted thus far:

Mesdames

Louis Benway	S. Lewin
E. S. Byk	Adolph Loeb
Lou Blackman	M. B. Michael
Leonard Broida	M. Moss
Joe Bloomfield	D. Monosoff
M. Bogart	Sadie Price
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A. Chertoff	S. Price
L. Dworken	Sam Palevsky
Geo. Dubin	S. Plisskin
Chas. Einhorn	A. Rosenberg
Moe Epstein	I. Rudinger
S. Fine	Alex Rosenthal
Peggy Folph	Jos. B. Robinson
Wm. Goodstein	L. Rubini
A. Goodman	Ben Rogat
Arthur Gressel	M. Rabine
A. D. Gittelsohn	Abe Schweidt
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Jos. Jacoby	Jos. Schwartzberg
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Sam Klopper	Henry Sulka
B. Klausner	H. Simon
Louis Levin	M. Sampliner
S. A. Landy	S. Wilkofsky
C. Lurie	A. C. Winkelman

We are appealing to all J. N. F. contributors to please have your boxes ready and be gracious to your collector: she is doing her bit as a volunteer!

TEA FOR NEW MEMBERS ANNOUNCED

The Mid-day Club will be the scene of a special innovation — a novelty tea for new members. On Saturday, October 26, at 2:00 P. M., Cleveland Hadassah will play hostess to every paid-up member. There will be a "dues" table at the door for those who have not had the opportunity to join the organization before hand.

More than 200 women are expected, since this is the approximate number that the Cleveland Chapter has had added to its ranks. While this is a splendid beginning, the membership committee feels that the campaign has not yet attained the results desired. Every member is asked to try to bring in at least one new member. Only by responding in this way, will the membership-at-large show its recognition of the importance of this drive.

In appreciation of the enthusiastic services rendered, and of the display of true Hadassah spirit, the following Unit-Chairmen of the campaign have been asked to serve as "honor" hostesses for the chapter's open meeting on October 16: Mesdames Robt. Behrman; Julius Bloomberg; Louis Brooks; Wilton Cahn, D. L. Cohn; Arthur Feiner; Harry Friedman; H. Gardner; Albert Heller; Harry Herman; B. M. Kane; David Kaplan; Arthur Kalish; Wm. Marmorstein; David Magid; David Moritz; Earl Rogoff; Milton Silverman; Simon Silverman; Sidney Wisch.

WE CONTINUE OUR EDUCATION ON WEDNESDAY MORNINGS

After a very successful and stimulating first meeting, the Wednesday A. M. series is ready to go on with the second phase of its series: "Zionism Functions in a Democracy," on October 9. This meeting will be addressed by Mr. Phillip Bernstein, and his topic will be: "Zionism in the Community."

Mr. Bernstein is Secretary of the Cleveland Jewish Community Council, is Associate Director of the Jewish Welfare Federation, and is a man who has his finger on the pulse of the Jewish Community in Cleveland. His talk should be not only interesting but informative and educational as well.

On November 13, we have arranged to have Dr. Grace Coyle, of the School of Applied Social Sciences of Western Reserve University, talk to us on the topic: "Zionism in the Fabric of Democracy," the third of our series in the Wednesday A. M. Talks. Dr. Coyle's work in the field of sociology is varied and profound. She has a wealth of information to bring to us and all members of Hadassah should avail themselves of the opportunity to hear her exposition of Zionism's place in America.

SEE THE J. N. F. EXHIBIT

At the October open meeting an extensive exhibit, showing all phases of Jewish National Fund work, will be displayed in the foyer, just outside the main ballroom of the Hotel Cleveland. See graphically the territory that belongs to us in Palestine—plus the amount of land still available for our purchase! Any one who does not have a J. N. F. box may get one at this time.



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