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National Executive Reaffirms Biltmore Program

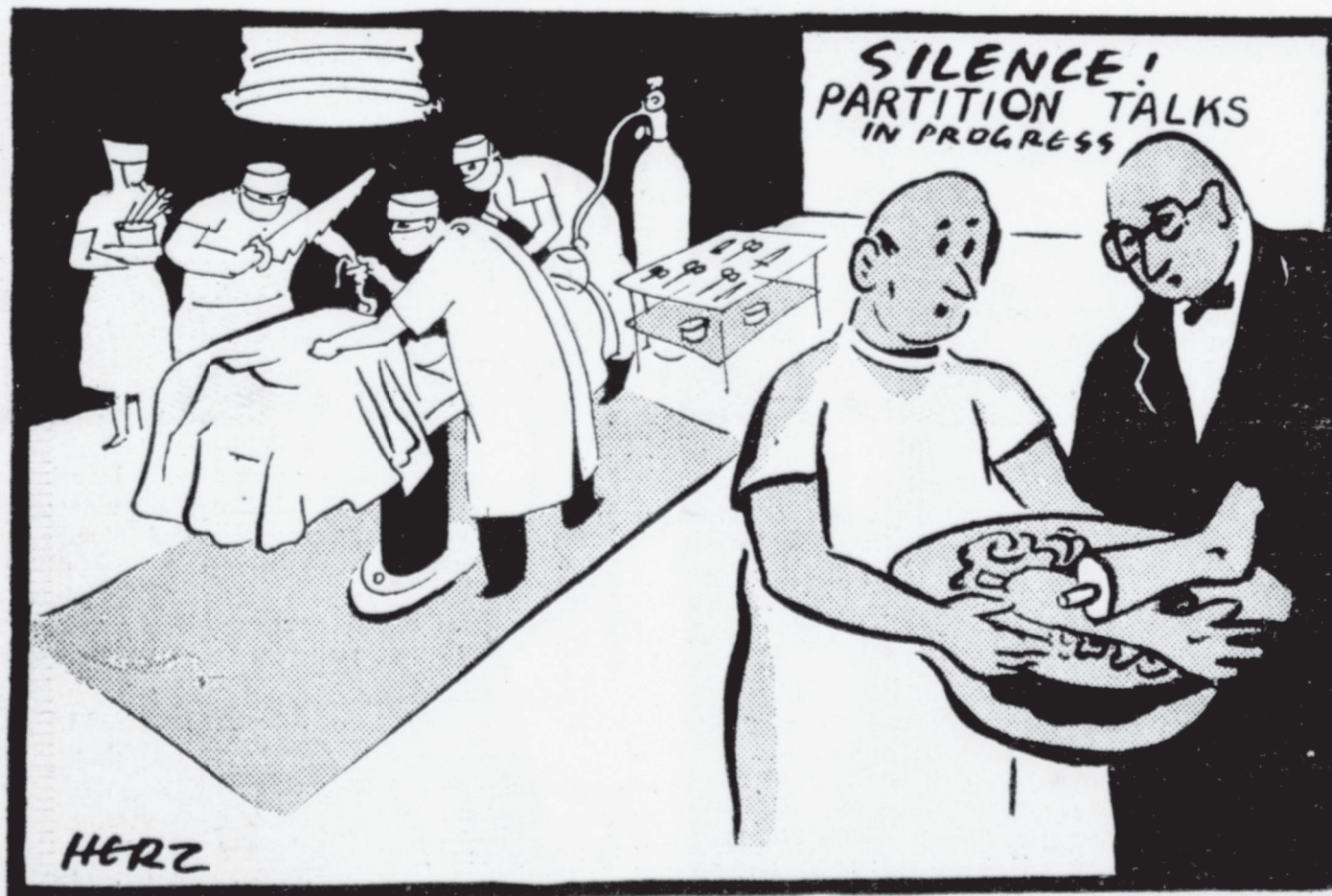
TEXT OF RESOLUTION

The National Executive Committee of the Zionist Organization of America has noted with amazement and concern recent highly-colored press dispatches emanating from Paris in connection with the reported resignation of our president, Dr. Abba Hillel Silver, from the executive of the Jewish Agency for Palestine. We reject the imputation conveyed in these tendentious and harmful reports that Dr. Silver and the masses of American Zionists whom he leads represent an "extremist" position in contrast with the allegedly "moderate" position of the Jewish Agency executive. We also regret the equally unwarranted suggestion that he or we are motivated by anti-British sentiment.

We declare that the Zionist Organization of America stands today, as it has consistently stood, by the official program of the Zionist movement calling for the free entry of Jews into Palestine and the establishment of Palestine as a Jewish Commonwealth, with full equality of right and status

for all its inhabitants. This program, adopted and ratified by the highest instances of the World Zionist movement, has been approved by the overwhelming majority of American Jewry, and has gained wide support among the American people and at the hands of the Congress of the United States; nor has that official Zionist position been reversed or modified by any world Zionist conference or Zionist Congress empowered to make valid decisions touching basic Zionist policy and principles.

We take this occasion to express on behalf of 200,000 members of our organization our admiration and gratitude for the unceasing and effective efforts carried on in the United States under the leadership of our distinguished president, Dr. Abba Hillel Silver, to promote the realization of Zionist aims in unwavering adherence to the basic Zionist program, and we renew our expression of confidence in his leadership of American Zionism.



"PRESERVE THESE BITS FOR FURTHER PARTITIONING"

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EDITORIAL

The Partition Proposal—A Tactical Error

JUDGING by reactions in all parts of the country, American Zionists have not yet recovered from the feeling of shock and bewilderment occasioned by the sudden change of policy on the part of the Executive of the Jewish Agency and its widely publicized efforts to press for partition as the solution of the Palestine question. The conviction is growing that a great tactical blunder has been committed and the fruits of immense Zionist labor unnecessarily sacrificed.

For years American Zionism has made prodigious efforts and waged an unrelenting struggle for the general acceptance of the Biltmore Program, which calls for the establishment of Palestine—the whole of it—as a Jewish Commonwealth. That program was formally adopted by the representatives of all parties of American Zionism in 1942. The following year, it became the program of American Jewry through its endorsement at the historic session of the American Jewish Conference at the Waldorf-Astoria. In the summer of 1944, this program was accepted by the Republican and Democratic National Conventions and incorporated in their party platforms. In the fall of that year, it was solemnly endorsed by the President of the United States, who pledged his best efforts to bring about its implementation. In the summer of 1945, a World Zionist Conference—the first since the outbreak of the war—meeting in London, reaffirmed the Biltmore Program in more explicit terms by demanding a Jewish state in Palestine “undivided and undiminished.” And in December, 1945, the Congress of the United States adopted a Palestine resolution constituting a substantial endorsement of that policy. All of this and much else that has transpired have helped to create for the Zionist movement a certain bargaining position which it lacked at the outbreak of the war. The determined attitude of the Yishuv on the one hand, and the pressure of American opinion on the other have been the two prongs of a great political offensive carried on with ever increasing vigor in recent months.

A RADICAL SHIFT

But suddenly, following the publication of the Morrison-Grady Federalization Plan and the announcement by the British Government of a Conference on Palestine to be held in London, the Executive of the Jewish Agency meeting in Paris launched a drive for Partition and the establishment of a Jewish state in a part of Palestine. It was a radical shift of position.

American Zionists who attended the meeting of the Jewish Agency in Paris have now returned. Speaking before various Zionist bodies, they have reported fully and ably on what transpired at those fateful sessions. They also explained the background of the critical decision taken by the Agency Executive and described the moral and political atmosphere under which it met: the imprisonment of members of the Jewish Agency, who are still in Latrun; the impact of the continued suffering of European Jews; the bitter disappointment over the outcome of the Anglo-American discussions; the emotional tension and the pervasive gloom.

But all of these are explanations which do not explain. Neither emotional stress nor psychological depression should determine the policies and tactics of a mature political movement. Nor could they justify an astounding course of action which left the Zionist world gasping with amazement. Without preparing the movement for such a radical departure, without warning or notice, without seeking authority from the Zionist Congress or the Greater Actions Committee, the Executive took it upon itself to commit the movement to Partition, to put it forward officially as the Zionist solution and to press for its adoption by the American and British Governments.

NO OFFER MADE TO US

The arguments for and against Partition have been threshed out for years. Admittedly there are two sides to the question. There is room for legitimate difference of opinion on its merits. But that was not the issue confronting the Executive and is not the issue at this moment. We have not been called upon to accept or reject a Partition proposal. There has been no such offer and therefore no occasion to invite an internal controversy on hypothetical grounds.

There is no analogy between the situation in 1937 and the present. At that time the Zionist movement was confronted with a definite and concrete offer officially submitted by the British Government to establish a Jewish state in a part of Palestine. It was brought before the Zionist Congress, which was sharply divided on the merits of the particular proposal then under consideration. That is not the situation today. Not only has there been no such offer from the British Government; there has been not the slightest intimation, official or otherwise, from the British Cabinet that it would give favorable consideration to such a compromise proposal if it came from us.

What then could have moved the Jewish Agency Executive to adopt formal resolutions, to place itself on record, to reduce the political content of the Biltmore Program, to reverse a series of decisions made in America and in Palestine? What could have prompted it to nullify an

express provision of a political resolution adopted by the World Zionist Conference only a year ago which has been regarded as binding upon the movement; to make a grand gesture of renunciation and to offer on behalf of the Jewish people a further substantial “territorial sacrifice”? And even if, for reasons we cannot comprehend, the Executive felt impelled to adopt such a decision, what reason was there to advertise the fact, to send the precious tidings by special emissary flying across the Atlantic, to have it proclaimed to the world and shouted from the rooftops? What diplomatic wisdom was it to abandon publicly the position on which the movement has stood so long and throw away such bargaining power as that position contained? To these questions which are agitating Zionists everywhere, no adequate answer has been given.

NO GAIN WHATSOEVER

And what has been gained by this extraordinary maneuver? So far as can be judged, there has been no gain whatever. Apparently it had been hoped that by a few bold strokes, by a sort of diplomatic “blitz,” the British and American Governments would be made to agree upon this proposal as the cornerstone of the London conference. But the attempt failed. The British would not be “blitzed.”

So far as the American Government is concerned, it was glad to transmit the Agency's partition proposal to the British Government together with the expression of a hope that its consideration might lead to a solution acceptable to all concerned. To transmit this approval without assuming any further obligation with regard to it gave the American Government a convenient way out of the impasse it had reached with the British Government, whom it had been pressing for the immediate admission of 100,000 refugees—and a most welcome relief from the relentless pressure to which the Administration had been subjected by American Jews and an aroused public opinion. The President's statement at the time made it clear that the American Government, far from identifying itself with the Agency's plan, “had no proposals of its own” to make. It declined to send even an observer to the London conference, thus bowing itself out of the picture.

A WAIVER OF HISTORIC CLAIMS

As for the British Government, after some preliminary conversations calculated to raise Zionist hopes, it definitely refused to accept Partition as the basis for discussion, which resulted in the decision of the Jewish Agency not to participate in the conference. The great gesture of renunciation on the part of the Jewish Agency failed in fact to elicit a single concession from the British as a quid pro quo—not even a tactical concession; not even the release of the Agency members from arrest; not even permission for Ben Gurion, Chairman of the Jewish Agency, to go to London free from the threat of immediate arrest. Thus we have publicly waived the historic claims of the Jewish people to a large part (ultimately perhaps the largest part) of Palestine and got nothing—absolutely nothing—in return.

In defense of this incredible performance, it has been said that there was a widespread sentiment in England in favor of partition; that a large section of the press was for it; the Conservative Party was for it; some members of the Cabinet favored it; even important Arab leaders were similarly inclined. All of these facts, if they are facts, are so many additional reasons why the Jewish Agency need not have made the offer. Clearly, if the tide was setting so strongly in that direction, it would have been the part of wisdom and prudence to let such a compromise proposal come from the British Government, which would have left the Zionist movement in a much stronger position. If the offer seemed acceptable, it could then have been submitted to the highest Zionist instances for consideration. And if the offer was inadequate, whether in respect of territory or otherwise, we would have been in an incomparably better position to bargain and to hold out for a more satisfactory offer. As it is, the movement has been maneuvered into the unfortunate position of pressing for a compromise which from that moment becomes the maximum Zionist demand; while the British Government—and the Arabs are given the tactical advantage and afforded every opportunity to grind us down in order to extort still greater sacrifices and concessions on our part.

ARABS MORE ASTUTE

It must be admitted that the Arab leadership has been more astute or better advised. The Palestinian Arabs refused to attend the conference because the Mufti was excluded. Representatives of the Arab states did accept the British invitation but entered the conference on the basis that they rejected the federalization proposal and stood upon the united Arab demand for the establishment of the whole of Palestine as an Arab state. If, as is rumored by some who claim to be “in the know,” there are Arab leaders who secretly favor a Partition solution, it has been a zealously guarded secret. Indeed, if the Arabs had a compromise proposal of any kind in mind, they did not reveal their hand in advance of the Conference but waited for offers of compromise to emanate from the British—or

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ZOA horizon

DEVOTED TO EXPANSION FUND, MAJOR PROJECTS, MEMBERSHIP AND GENERAL ZIONIST ACTIVITIES

Neumann to Speak at Manhattan Conference

Emanuel Neumann, vice-president of the Zionist Organization of America, will address the Convention session of the Third Annual Conference of the Manhattan Zionist Region, to be held on Sunday, September 29, at the Park Central Hotel, New York City. Guest speaker at the Luncheon Session will be Pierre van Paassen, author of *Forgotten Ally*, *Days of Our Years*, and other notable works. The Convention is scheduled to start at 10 A.M.

An unusual feature of the program this year will be a concert of songs of Zion, presented by the Manhattan Choral Society.

Marcus M. Zetkin is chairman of the Convention Committee, assisted by Samuel L. Brennglass and Max F. Birnbaum, co-chairmen. Judge Hyman J. Reit is president of the Manhattan Zionist Region.



JUDGE HYMAN J. REIT

Lassar Re-elected Head Of Flatbush Zionists

Philip H. Lassar was reelected president of the Flatbush District, one of the largest ZOA units in the country, with a paid-up membership of 3,500.

The installation of Mr. Lassar and the other elected officers will be held at the opening meeting of the district at which Dr. Emanuel Neumann, chairman of the ZOA Inner Committee, will be the principal speaker and Rabbi Harry Halpern installing officer. The other officers elected include Louis J. Solomoni, secretary; Jacob Goodman, treasurer, and Seymour B. Liebman, chairman of the executive.

Entering upon a new year of activity, the Flatbush district has



PHILIP LASSAR

to its credit the remarkable record of achievements in every sphere of Zionist endeavor. The extent of its effective and efficient operations was reflected in the holding of executive meetings on the first Wednesday of every month and public meetings on the third Wednesday of every month. Its program was divided among various committees such as membership, Jewish National Fund, educational, which met monthly, rotating at homes of members of the executive, which in turn helped to create a close and friendly spirit.

The Flatbush Zionist News which appears monthly, is considered one of the best informational bulletins of its kind.

Affiliated with the Flatbush

Zionist Organization are four synagogues: The East Midwood Jewish Center; Avenue N Jewish Center; Madison Jewish Center and the Kingsway Jewish Center.

For the new year, the district headed by Mr. Lassar, has mapped an even wider program designed to draw into the Zionist fold larger circles of the Jewish community in the neighborhood.

Ohio Valley Region Plans

An intensive program for the coming year was mapped out at a recent luncheon meeting of the Ohio Valley Zionist Region held in Columbus. The gathering, presided over by the regional president, Jacob H. Gilbert, heard reports of the past year's activities. After discussion and deliberation, those present enthusiastically adopted a program covering all phases of Zionist activity to be carried out in the districts comprising the Region.

ZOA Radio Program Aired In Okinawa

A ringing echo of the widening sweep of the ZOA Radio Project resounded from far-off Okinawa when "THE DRAMA OF PALESTINE" series began broadcasting over Armed Forces Radio, WXLH, on August 7th. These transcribed programs are established now as a weekly morning feature of the Okinawa station. Chaplain Moses B. Sachs of the First Air Division in Okinawa was instrumental in arranging the broadcasts.

"THE DRAMA OF PALESTINE," which was financed by the ZOA Expansion Fund, has been scheduled on 120 radio stations this year with indications that additional communities will initiate broadcasts of the series during the Fall season. For fuller details, communications should be addressed to the Radio Department of the Zionist Organization of America, 41 East 42nd Street, New York 17, N. Y.

A Rosh Hashana Message

By DR. ABBA HILLEL SILVER
President, Zionist Organization of America

One cannot look back on the year just elapsed without experiencing, to an immeasurable degree, a sense of close spiritual kinship with those of our people who suffer and languish in the hell holes of Europe, as well as with those valiant sons of Israel who do battle in the land of Israel, seeking to provide and assure permanent security for our people.

And yet it is not to the past that we should look on this day. From the Jews of Palestine we must draw strength and confidence in the future. The Yishuv looks to us not only for strength of numbers and strength of financial support, but also for an unwavering moral solidarity with them. They must know that if an all-out struggle is required, the Zionists in America stand with them until our goal has been achieved—firm and final establishment of the national rights of the Jewish people to Palestine.

In this grim and determined mood American Jews enter the year 5707.

Conn. Backs Leadership Of Silver; Fox Re-elected

The annual convention of the Connecticut Zionist Region, held on September 8 at the Hotel Elton in Waterbury, was featured by an unusually outstanding program, with an attendance far exceeding that of any previous annual meeting. It was pervaded by a spirit of enthusiasm that has made Connecticut known as one of the leading Zionist states in the country. Significant messages were delivered by U. S. Senator Brien McMahon of Connecticut and Lionel Gelber, Political Adviser to the Jewish Agency for Palestine in the United States.

The convention adopted a resolution expressing wholehearted confidence in the leadership of Dr. Abba Hillel Silver in the Zionist movement. John J. Fox of New Haven was reelected as Regional president. The other officers elected for the forthcoming year are: Rabbi David Polish of Waterbury and Judge Joseph E. Klau, vice-presidents; Dr. Harry A. Cohen, secretary; and David Nevins, treasurer.

Committee reports to the Convention showed that the Region last year had increased its membership from 5,100 to nearly 7,000; that in the contributions to the Expansion Fund, it had already surpassed the total amount raised last year; and that in the recent elections to the World Zionist Congress, Connecticut ranked as, perhaps the leading Region in the country in that regard, with 50 per cent of the votes in the State going to the ZOA ticket.

Cohen in Golden Book
Dr. Harry A. Cohen, executive director of the Region, was honored by the Region with an inscription in the Golden Book of the Jewish National Fund for his services and activities as Regional director during the past five years. Alexander Winnick, president of the New Haven Zionist District, made the presentation.

Messages of greetings were received at the Convention from Governor Raymond E. Baldwin of Connecticut; Aaron Berman, State Commander of the Jewish War Veterans and from Mayor John S. Monagan of Waterbury. Reports on the political situation were made by Abraham Goldstein

Pittsburgh to Hear Silver

PITTSBURGH.—Dr. Abba Hillel Silver, president of the ZOA, will address the Expansion Fund Dinner of the Pittsburgh Zionist District on September 23, it was announced by Hyman Rogal, general chairman of the affair.

Assisting Mr. Rogal on the committee are Major Herbert Baker, Harry Berlin, Abe R. Cohen, A. J. Epstein, Herman Fineberg, Samuel Goldstock, Bernard Kaplan, Alex Lowenthal, J. H. Marcus, Harry I. Neaman, J. N. Pearlman, Joseph Porter, Oscar Robbins, Emanuel Spector, Joseph Spokane and Hon. Samuel A. Weiss.

New England Convention

The present Palestine emergency, recent political developments on the American, British and European fronts, as well as confidential reports of the session of the Jewish Agency Executive held in Paris will highlight the coming 26th annual Convention of the New England Zionist Region scheduled for Worcester the week-end of September 28 and 29.

According to reports received by Samuel Caploe, Regional president, and Louis E. Brown, Regional Convention chairman, Zionist districts, representing over 12,000 members, are making plans to elect their delegates and attend the extraordinary emergency convocation in a mass demonstration.

Distinguished notables will head the galaxy of speakers to address the Saturday evening and Sunday sessions at the Hotel Sheraton, which will serve as Convention headquarters. Louis Lipsky, who returned from the Jewish Agency Executive meeting in Paris, will address the opening session Saturday evening at the Little Theatre auditorium. Sharing the platform with Mr. Lipsky will be Elihu D. Stone, national vice-president of the ZOA. The annual presidential report will be given by Samuel Caploe, president of the New England Zionist Region.

Joseph Goldberg, president of the Worcester District, and national ZOA membership chairman, has been named Worcester convention chairman.



New England Zionist leaders making plans for annual regional convention. L. to R.: Emanuel Borenstein, executive director, N. E. Zionist Region; Samuel Caploe, president; Louis E. Brown, Regional Convention chairman; and Joseph Goldberg, Worcester chairman.

Convention Names Browdy New Brooklyn Region Head

B. G. Browdy, noted Zionist and a member of the ZOA Finance Committee, was elected president of the Brooklyn Region at the eleventh Annual Convention held on September 15 at the Jewish Community House of Bensonhurst. He succeeds Rabbi Harry Halpern. Others elected to office in the Brooklyn Region, the largest single Jewish membership unit in the ZOA, are Jack B. Cohen, Ocean Parkway District 42, Jochanon I. Rudavsky, Boro Park 17, and Philip H. Lasser, Flatbush 32, vice-presidents; Thomas Cohen, Rugby District 37, secretary; Emanuel Stavish, Bensonhurst District 19, treasurer. Former Appeals Commissioner Albert D. Schanzer, founder of the Region, was Convention Chairman.

The morning session, presided over by Bernard Isaacowitz, was over by Bernard Isaacowitz, was Nathaniel Kaplan, Kings County Commander of the Jewish War Veterans. Judge Morris Rothenberg, president of the Jewish National Fund, spoke at the Convention Luncheon, which was dedicated to the JNF. Among the speakers at the afternoon session was Dr. Sidney Marks, Executive Director of the ZOA.

The following convention committee chairmen reported at the afternoon session: B. G. Browdy, Program; Adolph Brinberg, Resolutions; James Stein, Credentials; Benjamin Lassar, Reception; Emanuel Stavish, Luncheon; Philip H. Lassar, Distinguished Guests. Samuel Sloan, Executive Director of the Brooklyn Region, also addressed the meeting.

New District Chartered

The first Zionist District to be established in Bay Ridge was presented with a charter by Rabbi Harry Halpern, past president of the Brooklyn Zionist Region, at a ceremony on September 16, at the B'nai Israel Community Center. The new District, Bay Ridge Zionist District 104, was built through the cooperation of the two Bay Ridge Temples, the B'nai Israel Community Center and the Bay Ridge Jewish Center, and their respective Rabbis, Irving Silman and Joseph Sarachek. Sol L. Leopold is the president and Dr. Nathan Kobrin is chairman of the Executive Committee.

Among the original sponsors of the new district are Samuel Goldenberg, Charles Goldenberg, Solon B. Hanft, Dr. A. Edward Gindea, Jack T. Kotch, Nathan Lessen, Leo S. Auerbach, Louis Vienick, Bernard Jackowitz, Leo Spingarn, Eli Gottlieb, William J. Kramer, Dr. Leo Linet, Dr. Benjamin Kringstein, Harry Anson, Hy Hameroff, Hy Herman, Simon Abels, Samuel Green.

District Officers Elected

The following have been newly elected to office in various districts in the Brooklyn Region: Eastern Parkway 14: Dr. Samuel T. Markoff, president; Bernard Isaacowitz, chairman of the Executive Committee; Bensonhurst 19: Joseph J. Green, president; Parkside 23: Henry Kislak, president; Williamsburg 24: Samuel Buchalter, president; Kingsway 26: Abraham Wiener, president; Louis D. Brandeis 27: Michael Berman, president; Brighton Beach 28: Sigmund Blitzer, president; Glenwood 31: Simon Schneirow, president; Flatbush 32: Philip H. Lassar, president; Seymour B. Liebman, chairman of the Executive Committee; Rugby 37: Aaron Geiger, president; East Flatbush 38: Abraham W. Slepian, president; Ocean Parkway 42: Morris Putter, president; Prospect Park 54: Max Goldberg, president; Stephen Wise 55: Abe Golding, president; David Wolffsohn 59: Leo Slutsky, president; Young Folks Zionist League of Borough Park 97: Henry Brinberg, president; Brooklyn Zionist Club 100: David Romanoff, president; Hatikvah Zionist Club 101: Harry Talesnick, president; Bay Ridge 104: Sol L. Leopold, president; Dr. Nathan Kobrin, chairman of the Executive Committee.

Rosenfeld Here After Tour Of South America

Dr. Alexander Rosenfeld, representing the British Ivrit Olamith (World Union for Hebrew), is now in this country, on his way back to Palestine after an extended tour to several countries in South America. Dr. Rosenfeld has been connected with the Union since its establishment.

The Brith Ivrit Olamith, with branches in over 40 countries, was founded more than 15 years ago, with the idea of disseminating Hebrew culture and the Hebrew language among all Jewish communities. Its headquarters are in Tel Aviv. The president of the Union since its inception has been Dr. Nahum Slousch, formerly Professor of Hebrew at Sorbonne in Paris, famous archeologist and traveler. The Union has been especially active in the Jewish communities of the Balkans and the Moslem countries where it has provided guidance in establishing modern Hebrew schools, in stimulating interest in Hebrew books and, often, in providing Hebrew books for communities too poor to purchase them. Dr. Rosenfeld has visited Iran, Iraq, the Balkans and several other little-known Jewish communities whose need for moral encouragement and guidance by larger Jewish communities is especially great.



DR. ALEXANDER ROSENFELD

During his stay in the United States, Dr. Rosenfeld is working with the Histadruth Ivrit, which is affiliated with the World Union, the Keren Hatarbut (Hebrew Culture Fund) and other organizations devoted to the same purpose, with the view of extending the activity in behalf of Hebrew.

Riverside Forum

The Riverside Zionist District of New York City of which Robert Seelav is Chairman, opened its season's activities recently with a forum on "Christianity and the Jewish Claim to Palestine."

Membership Drive Set For Westchester Region

An intensive membership drive, aimed at doubling the membership total in Westchester Region, was formally started at a special breakfast meeting of district representatives on September 8. Joseph Blau, Regional membership chairman, outlined his plans at this meeting.

Simultaneous membership breakfasts in each district, on a Sunday in October yet to be named, will be the opening gun in a door-to-door membership drive. This drive will receive county-wide newspaper advertising and will feature the awarding of prizes to those who bring in the largest number of new members.

Remobilization Day Sept. 22

The Brooklyn Zionist Region's Membership Committee has designated Sunday, Sept. 22, as Zionist Remobilization Day. With a goal of 20,000 members—double the total of two years ago—the Region is only 985 members from its mark. Every member in the Region has been enlisted to remobilize his fellow workers in the ZOA.

In appealing to the membership to get behind this final lap of the drive, Jack B. Cohen, Regional membership chairman, who has originated many clever attention-getting devices, sent to each member a call, printed on mammoth-size stationery, urging each and every one to pitch in for the final renewal push.

Rabbi Shubow In New Post

Rabbi Leo Shubow has accepted the call to serve as the spiritual leader of Temple B'nai Brith, Somerville, Mass. He recently completed eight years of service as the Rabbi of the Genesis Hebrew Center, Crestwood, Yonkers, N. Y., and helped build the new Temple Center there last year.

Rabbi Shubow has been very active in the Zionist movement.



RABBI LEO SHUBOW

Zionist District, chairman of the Cultural committee of the Westchester Zionist Region and editor of the regional bulletin. He was on the national speakers list of the Zionist Organization of America.

Koss Named President

In the recent elections held by the Mattapan-Dorchester-Roxbury Zionist District, Harry L. Koss was chosen as president for the coming year. Other officers elected include Herbert Sklar, Joseph J. Flashman, Herman Carp, Arnold Kleven, Dr. William Talcoff, vice presidents; Arlan Lampert, treasurer; James S. Shulman, recording secretary and Maurice Betterman, executive and financial secretary. The District also chose a number of new activities chairmen for the coming year.

Renew Your Membership

Frisch On Tour Of West Coast

Daniel Frisch, chairman of the National Administrative Council of the ZOA, is now on an extended tour of the West Coast area on behalf of the Expansion Fund in furtherance of the organizational program of the organization.

His first stop was at Los Angeles

where on September 17th he was the principal speaker at the annual Expansion Fund dinner under the auspices of the local district. The following day, Frisch was guest speaker at an Expansion Fund dinner of the Beverly Hills district. He is scheduled to visit a number of large gatherings in San Francisco, Salt Lake City, Oakland, Milwaukee and Chicago.

Capacity audiences attended gatherings addressed by Mr. Frisch who reviewed the newest developments on the American and national scene in relation to the future of Palestine.

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