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Must Give More, Say GJC Leaders

Sherwin Kapstein to Run For School Committee

Nomination papers for election to the Providence School Committee have been taken out by Sherwin J. Kapstein, former All-State athlete and prominent on independent committees such as FEPC, Direct Primary and State Aid for Teachers, it was announced this week. Kapstein's candidacy has the endorsement of the Non-Partisan Committee for Sherwin J. Kapstein for School Committee. He seeks election from School District A.

Elections to the School Committee will be held this fall.

Kapstein, a native of Providence, attended Hope High School, where he won All-State football recognition, and was graduated from Brown University, Class of '39, majoring in social studies and education. He

was an outstanding athlete in basketball and track as well as football.

He was a teacher and coach in the Warwick school system for two years, prior to going on active duty with the navy, from which he emerged with the rank of Lt. (j. g.). He previously saw service with the 243rd Coast Artillery. He is married to the former Miss Gladys Chernack. The couple have two children.

Kapstein is a member of several organizations, including the Brown Club of Providence, the U. S. Naval Reserve, the American Legion, the Jewish War Veterans and the American Veterans Committee.

Goldberg To Speak at Meeting

Miss Hannah L. Goldberg, national education chairman for Hadassah, and executive secretary of the Jewish Reconstructionist Foundation, who has just returned from her first trip to Palestine where she went as a Hadassah delegate to the World

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GJC Drive Chairman



Alvin A. Sopkin, chairman of the record-shattering \$1,125,000 1947 General Jewish Committee fund-raising campaign, who stated this week that "preparations for the biggest and most intensive campaign in local history are now in their final stages."

To Hold Initial Gifts Dinner at Ledgemont

"It is singularly appropriate that the most intensive fund-raising campaign ever conducted by the General Jewish Committee of Providence is being officially inaugurated by the personal visit and fervent appeal of Henry Morgenthau, Jr.," declared Alvin A. Sopkin, 1947 campaign chairman, this week in announcing that arrangements for the GJC initial gifts dinner at the Ledgemont Country Club, Sept. 11, were virtually completed.

The dinner, which marks the formal opening of the GJC's record-shattering \$1,125,000 goal this year, will find the former Secretary of the Treasury in the role of principal speaker.

"The need for immediate financial assistance to our homeless and destitute brethren is greater now than it ever has been in

the past. Our quota this year is the greatest challenge we ever have faced. Therefore, it is most fitting that this dinner, in honor of one of the greatest Jewish statesmen of our time, also opens our 1947 campaign," Sopkin observed.

"It has been many years since the arrival of such a distinguished Jewish leader was awaited with such eager anticipation. The Jewish community of greater Providence considers it a deep honor that Mr. Morgenthau, despite the pressure of his many duties, will be able to be with us on this momentous occasion," the campaign chairman commented.

Sopkin added that Governor John O. Pastore, U. S. Senator J. Howard McGrath, Mayor Dennis J. Roberts and several other city, State and Federal officials are expected to welcome Mr. Morgenthau on his arrival in Providence on the afternoon of Sept. 11.

In addition, several hundred persons are expected to be in attendance at the Ledgemont Country Club when Mr. Morgenthau is introduced to the gathering by Sopkin and Archibald Silverman, president of the GJC. The reception is scheduled to begin at 6 o'clock.

A steady flow of dinner reservations has been pouring into GJC headquarters at 203 Strand Building in Providence, Joseph Galkin, campaign director, noted this week.

He urged that all persons planning to attend the affair indicate their intention within the next few days in order that the necessary dinner arrangements may be completed as soon as possible.

CHURCH GROUP USES JCC
SIOUX CITY, IA.—The Unitarian Congregation here, whose church was razed by fire last month, will use the facilities of the Jewish Community Center here for at least six months.

Editorials

The Partition Plan

There are two kinds of criticisms to be made of the partition plan advanced by the majority of the United Nations Special Committee on Palestine (UNSCOP).

One is the criticism that partition of any kind is unwise, unjust and unworkable. This is the criticism advanced by Arab leaders and a small minority of Jews.

That kind of criticism cannot be answered by any amendment of the UNSCOP majority plan. It can only be answered by complete abandonment.

On the other hand, those who see in partition a hopeful approach to the Palestine problem see certain flaws in the UNSCOP plan.

Much will be made of these flaws when the plan is opened for debate by the General Assembly later this month. They will be spotlighted by both friends and enemies of partition. The difference will be that the friends of the plan will stress that the flaws are remediable; its enemies, that they are irremediable.

In any case, both for her own sake and for the sake of the peoples of Palestine, Great Britain's immediate and total exit from the Holy Land should be provided for in any final partition scheme.

N.E. Hadassah Region To Meet Here Tuesday

The Providence Chapter of Hadassah will be host to the New England Region at a conference to be held this Tuesday at the Sheraton-Biltmore Hotel. Mrs. Israel M. Goldman will give the opening prayer. The con-

clave will include a morning session, which will open at 10 o'clock, and which will feature an "Information Please" program; a luncheon meeting, which will begin at 12:30 o'clock, and

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To Head GJC Initial Gifts Division



BENJAMIN BRIER

Announcement of the appointments of Benjamin Brier, Samuel Rapaporte, Jr. and Samuel Shore as co-chairmen of the important Initial Gifts Division of the 1947 General Jewish Committee \$1,125,000 appeal, was made this week by Alvin A. Sopkin, campaign chairman.



SAMUEL RAPAPORTE, JR.

In responding to Mr. Sopkin's request to head the division, Messrs. Brier, Rapaporte and Shore, in a joint statement, declared: "We are fully confident that the Initial Gifts dinner at the Ledgemont Country Club next Thursday evening will be met with a most enthusiastic re-



SAMUEL SHORE

sponse. Like ourselves, our fellow Jews in the greater Providence community are deeply conscious of the critical need behind this year's campaign. Who among us can deny the saddening plight—economically and socially—of European Jewry?"

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Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Spencer



Mr. and Mrs. Spencer were married last Sunday at the Barrington summer home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Abraams, of Summit avenue, this city. The bride is the former Miss Ruth Abraams.
Photo by Fred Kelman

U.S. Jewry to Observe Days of Remembrance

NEW YORK—Henry Morgenthau, Jr., General Chairman, has announced that the High Holiday period from September 15 to September 24 will be observed by American Jewry as the "Ten Days of Remembrance" as part of a nation-wide mobilization to assure the attainment of the \$170,000,000 quota of the United

Jewish Appeal to rebuild Jewish life overseas and in Palestine and to aid refugees in the United States.

Declaring that recent events on the world horizon have created a highly critical situation for the Jewish people, Mr. Morgenthau called upon Jewish communities throughout the nation to join in the observance of the "Ten Days of Remembrance" of their obligation to their fellow Jews in distress overseas.

The "Ten Days of Remembrance" will mark the opening of the 2,000 local community fall drives in behalf of the United Jewish Appeal and will also represent the concluding phase of spring drives in many cities to give new hope and life to the Jewish survivors at a time "when they are subjected to infinitely greater trials than at any time since the end of the war and with far less resources available from intergovernmental and governmental agencies," Mr. Morgenthau said.

Yiddish Actors Plan 30 Year Anthology

MOSCOW—A group of outstanding Soviet Yiddish actors and dramatists under the leadership of Prof. Solomon Mikhoels of the Moscow Yiddish Theatre are working on the assembly of materials for an anthology of 30 years of the Jewish Soviet Theatre, to be published before November 7 of this year.

Streicher's Dogs Respond to Yiddish

NEW YORK—The late Julius Streicher's bloodhounds, trained by that prime anti-Semite to leap at the throat of his victims, now respond only to commands given in Yiddish, reports Leonard Lyons in the "New York Post."

Streicher's estate, near Nuremberg, Lyons reveals, has been converted into a Joint Distribution Committee agricultural training center for Jewish DP's, who

have retrained the once-ferocious dogs.

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Schlichos prayers will be read Sunday, September 7, 1947 at 6 A. M.

The Cantor will be heard on the radio, Sunday, September 7, 1947, at 10:45 o'clock over Station WPRO.

Expect 40 Children at Center Nursery School

The Center Nursery school of the Jewish Community Center will open on Wednesday, September 17, with an expected registration of forty children, according to an announcement by Mrs. Raymond G. Franks, chairman of the nursery committee of the Center Women's Association, the sponsoring organization.

The school has been fortunate in retaining its staff of last year; Mrs. James Blease as head teacher; Mrs. Harlan Espo, and Miss Irene Polikoff as assistant. The name of a third teacher will be

announced.

Mrs. Blease will interview parents daily between 9 and 4 during the week of September 8. A general visiting day, when the school will be open for inspection, will be held on Sunday, September 14, between 1 and 4 o'clock.

Registrants have a choice of two sessions, 9 to 12 and 1 to 4. The morning session is recommended for the younger group. The school accepts children from 2½ to 4½ years of age. A medical examination within five days of the opening of school is required of all children. Bus transportation is provided.

Registration forms may be obtained by calling the Center, DE 6730 or DE 6175.

Talmud Torah Open for Registration

Rabbi Joseph Goldstein announced this week that the South Providence Talmud Torah, of 129 Chester avenue, is now open daily from 3:30 to 5:30 o'clock for registration. Classes are from beginners through advance Hebrew courses. Talmud Torah classes will be held in the latter part of the afternoon for those children who attend public school. Plans are being made for transportation.

Obituary

MRS. ANNIE ASKINS

Funeral services for Mrs. Annie (Landesberg) Askins, who died last Wednesday morning, August 27, at her home, 81 Gay street, after a long illness, were held that afternoon from the Max Sugarman Funeral Home. Burial was in Lincoln Park Cemetery.

The widow of Samuel Askins, she had resided in this city for 47 years.

Survivors are four daughters, Mrs. Gladys Kushner and Miss Rose Askins, both of this city; Mrs. Irving Palow and Mrs. Isadore Handler, both of Pawtucket; two sons, Ben and Louis Askins; two brothers, Harry and Samuel Landesberg; eight grandchildren, and two great-grandchildren, all of this city.

Unveiling Notice.

The unveiling of a monument in memory of the late MRS. ROSE GRAUBART will take place on Sunday, September 7, at 2 o'clock at Lincoln Park Cemetery. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

Unveiling Notice

The unveiling of a monument in memory of the late MRS. FANNIE ABRAMS will take place on Sunday, September 7, at 3 o'clock at Lincoln Park Cemetery. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

Frymer to Speak At Joint Meeting

Dr. Beryl Frymer, executive secretary of the Labor Zionist Organization of America, will be the guest speaker at a joint meeting of the local Poale Zion and the Henry Burt Chapter of the Labor Zionist Organization, which will be held tomorrow evening, September 6, at 8 o'clock at the Sheraton-Biltmore Hotel. All members of both groups have been urged to attend.

Rabbi Morris Silk To Broadcast Sunday

Rabbi Morris G. Silk will broadcast a Rosh Hashonah message this Sunday morning at 9:30 o'clock over station WJAR. The traditional music will be sung by Cantor Benjamin Pearlman, who will be assisted by a large choir, under the leadership of Karl Sigmund Kritiz.

List Building Fund Committee

Mrs. Rose Smira and Mrs. Fred Adler were chairmen of the Pioneer Women's Club building fund committee for Conimicut, East Greenwich, Arctic Center and Providence. The following women assisted in selling bricks for the building fund: Mesdames Alter Boyman, David Spahn, Louis Gordon, Max Brown, Ben Silverman, Jacob Hazman, Charles Bograd, S. Berman, S. Brodsky, W. M. Fruit.

Alliance to Hold Committee Meeting

The executive committee of the Jewish National Workers' Alliance will hold a special meeting this Monday evening at 8 o'clock at the offices of Max Berman, 218 North Main street. Members have been urged to attend as reports of various committees will be given at that time.

Regional Masada To Meet Here

The Providence Chapter will be host to the board of the New England Region of Masada at a meeting to be held this Sunday afternoon in Parlor B of the Sheraton-Biltmore Hotel. Plans will be made for a regional convention, which will be held in October.

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The unveiling of a monument in memory of the late MRS. BETTY WOOLF will take place on Sunday, September 7, at 10 o'clock at Lincoln Park Cemetery. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

Unveiling Notice

The unveiling of a monument in memory of the late MRS. FANNY M. LEVINSON will take place on Sunday, September 7, at 11:30 o'clock at Lincoln Park Cemetery. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

Unveiling Notice

The unveiling of a monument in memory of the late MR. BERNARD WINN, of Cranston, will take place on Sunday, September 7, at 1 o'clock at Lincoln Park Cemetery. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

Unveiling Notice

The unveiling of a monument in memory of the late MR. HARRY FREEDMAN will take place on Sunday, September 7, at 1 o'clock at Lincoln Park Cemetery. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

Unveiling Notice

The unveiling of a monument in memory of the late MR. HARRY ROBRISH will take place on Sunday, September 7, at 12:30 o'clock at Lincoln Park Cemetery. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

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Carolyn Scherz and David Bornside compare notes on styles in dresses and smocks for nursery school, anticipating the opening of the Center Nursery School on Wednesday, September 17.

Photo by Joseph Halpern

Temple Beth-Israel To Greet New Cantor

Temple Beth-Israel will inaugurate the High Holy Days Services on midnight, September 6, with the presentation of the traditional Slichoth services. Cantor Israel M. Breitbart, newly engaged cantor of the Temple, will chant the services. Rabbi Morris Schussheim will conduct the services and Dr. Robert Weiss will be at the organ.

Prior to the services, and beginning at 10 o'clock tomorrow evening, a reception to Cantor and Mrs. Breitbart will be held

in the vestry of the Temple. This occasion will afford a splendid opportunity to all the members and friends of the Congregation to greet and meet Cantor Breitbart personally; and at the same time to greet one another after the summer recess. The reception is under the general chairmanship of Mr. Irving Brodsky, chairman of the program committee of Temple Beth-Israel. Refreshments will be served by the ladies of the Sisterhood, under its president, Mrs. Irving Arnoff.

The community of Providence is cordially invited to partake of the reception festivities; and more particularly, to attend the Slichoth services, and to hear Cantor Breitbart.

Truman Says We're All DP Descendants

WASHINGTON—Since all present Americans are really descendants of displaced persons, President Harry S. Truman declared this week Americans ought not to disagree over proposals to admit larger quotas of DP's into the U. S.

Truman said he would again support bills in behalf of DP's in the next session of Congress in January as he did in the last. Stating that he is very interested in the problem, he added his belief that it is up to the U. S. to do its share in aiding of the DP's.

Kosher Meat Sent To "Exodus" Refugees

NEW YORK—Word has just been received in the New York offices of the Mizrahi Organization of America that the Central Mizrahi Relief Bureau in Paris this week sent a truckload of kosher meat to the Jewish refugees of the "Exodus 1947."

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Society This Week

Komros-Cohen

Miss Frances Cohen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel H. Cohen, of Leicester Way, Pawtucket, was married to Jacob Komros, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Komros, of Goddard street, this city, last Sunday evening at 6 o'clock. Rabbi Aaron Goldin performed the ceremony, which took place in the Crystal Ballroom of the Narragansett Hotel. Decorations were southern smilax, palms, white gladioli and asters. Al Rosen was organist, and Mrs. Nathan Gerstenblat was soloist. The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a white satin gown, en train, fashioned with a sweetheart neckline, long sleeves, and appliques of lace throughout the gown. Her fingertip veil was attached to a crown of seeded pearls, and she carried a crescent bouquet of white orchids and stephanotis.

Miss Charlotte Cohen was the maid of honor. The bridesmaids were the Misses Rosiland and Rita Kaplan, Barbara Block, Charlotte Shlevin and Doris Eisenberg.

The best man was Dr. Leonard Komros. Ushers included Leonard Komros, Marshall Cohen,

Morris Feldman, Samuel Kadsvitz and Dr. Raymond Kamaras.

The bride is a graduate of Bryant College. Mr. Komros attended Trinity College, Providence College and the USNR Midshipman's School, New York, and is now attending the Dental School at the University of Maryland. Following a wedding trip to Washington, D. C., Mr. and Mrs. Komros will make their home at 4327 Reisterstown Road, Baltimore, Md.

Schwartz-Flaschen

Miss Gladys Flaschen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Flaschen, of Brooklyn, N. Y., was married to Donald Schwartz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Isidore Schwartz, Hamilton street, Pawtucket, on August 24, at the Twin Cantors, Eastern Parkway, New York.

Given in marriage by her parents, the bride was attired in a white satin gown, designed in a sweetheart neckline, long sleeves, and a fitted bodice which flared to form a sweeping train. Her fingertip veil, held in place by a Nile green bow, was attached to a crown of orange blossoms and she carried an open Bible marked with orchids and streamers of stephanotis.

Miss Claire Flaschen, sister of

the bride, was maid of honor and she wore a pink satin gown, pink feathered hat and carried a Bible marked with pink and white tiger lilies.

David Schwartz was the best man for his brother. The usher corps included Morris Ragosa of Lynn, Mass., Israel Schwartz, brother of the groom, Irving Flachsen, brother of the bride, of Detroit, Mich., Israel Goldstein and Saul Goldstein, both of New York.

The mother of the bride chose a gown of royal blue trimmed with multi-colored beads, while Mrs. Schwartz wore a vintage red gown trimmed with black sequins. Each wore orchid corsages.

Mr. Schwartz is a veteran of four years' service in the U. S. Air Corps, part of which was spent in the European Theatre of Operations. The bride is a graduate of Hunters College, N. Y.

The couple, who are now on a wedding trip through the Catskill Mountains, will make their home in Brooklyn, N. Y.

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Woman Trying To Find Family After 34 Years

Local Jewish residents were asked by the R. I. Refugee Service this week to help locate a family, whose name is unknown, for a New York woman, formerly of this city, who faces the curious problem of being unable to obtain her citizenship papers unless the family is found.

According to the woman involved, she arrived at Ellis Island from Hamburg, Germany, on board the steamship Patricia (as nearly as she can recall the name) on January 5, 1913. She traveled with a family comprised of the father, Morris, his wife, two daughters and a son. The children are thought to have been in their early teens at the time.

The party came from Vilertzerkva (Chwartztuner, Kiev, directly to Providence. The woman, whose first name is Vechna, lived with them for about a year before moving to New York. They have been separated ever since.

The present problem arises from the fact that Vechna's only proof of legal arrival in this country is tied up with this family, whose name she has forgotten. Without them she probably cannot obtain her citizenship.

It is in this regard that she has appealed for aid, hoping that the children of the family will read the story and recognize the woman as their companion of long ago.

Jewish Convert Gives 10 percent of Earnings

ROCK SPRINGS, WYO.—Converted to Judaism, Abe Carmel, a miner who lives alone in a small cabin here, has donated 10 percent of his earnings, according to the Jewish law of "masser," to the Allied Jewish Campaign in Denver, The Intermountain Jewish News reports.

Penn Railroad Gets Conviction In Bias Case

NEW YORK—Defense against anti-Semitism takes on a variety of forms, but an unusual situation occurred last week, when the Pennsylvania Railroad was drawn into a case as the co-plaintiff against a disorderly person.

Louis Chumsky, of East Orange, told the Jewish News that while passing through the Pennsylvania Railroad station in Newark his attention was attracted to two men, who were apparently arguing. He briefly turned his head as he passed these men, and one of the participants shouted, "Who are you looking at, you Jew...?"

Thereupon Chumsky had the man, who later identified himself as one Silvio DeMartino, arrested by Special Patrolman Bockin of the Pennsylvania Railroad. DeMartino was taken to the First Precinct Police Station, Newark, and was held for arraignment in the First Criminal Court the following morning.

On his way to court the next day, Chumsky could not make up his mind whether to press charges. He stated that he felt

a night in jail was sufficient punishment for DeMartino. When he arrived in court, however, he was asked to file a complaint and was then introduced to a lawyer who disclosed that he represented

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Mr. Harry Schleifer, president of the Pioneer Women's Club, this week issued a statement expressing the thanks of the Club to the residents of Barrington and Hampden Meadows who contributed to the Children's Building Fund in Palestine.

Mrs. William Bishoff and Mrs. Schleifer were in charge of the project. They were assisted by the Mesdames Myer Goldman, Lewis Wattman and Henry Halpern.

Hannah Goldberg To Speak Here

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Conference on Jewish Education, will be the principal speaker at the afternoon session of the New England Regional Conference of Hadassah, which will be held at 2 o'clock this Tuesday afternoon at the Sheraton-Biltmore Hotel. A graduate of Boston University, Miss Goldberg practiced law in Boston for several years before taking over her duties as executive secretary of the Foundation.

Miss Goldberg served as national vice-president of Junior Hadassah and was president of the New England Region of Senior Hadassah after joining that group.

Long identified with liberal movements, Miss Goldberg is also known as a writer through her book reviews in the Jewish weekly Times of Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Komros



Pictured above are Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Komros as they received guests following their wedding ceremony, which took place last Sunday evening at the Narragansett Hotel. The bride is the former Miss Frances Cohen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel H. Cohen, of Leicester Way, Pawtucket. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Komros, of Goddard street, this city.

Penn Railroad Presses Charge

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the Pennsylvania Railroad.

The case was heard before Judge Beckley, with the counsel for the railroad pressing the complaint. DeMartino was judged guilty and fined \$15.

Chumsky, in reporting this incident to the Jewish Community Relations Committee, declared, "As an American citizen of the Jewish faith, whenever I'm confronted with this situation, I will fight. Democracy cannot survive when the dignity and liberties of any individual are abused."

YIDDISH ACTORS PLAN

MOSCOW—A group of outstanding Soviet Yiddish actors and dramatists under the leadership of Prof. Solomon Mikhoels of the Moscow Yiddish Theatre are working on the assembly of materials for an anthology of 30 years of the Jewish Soviet Theatre.

Hadassah Regional Conclave Here

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which will include an address on "Exodus 1947", to be given by Mrs. George Rossin, of Malden, Mass., president of the Region. Local members who wish to attend the luncheon should make reservations with Mrs. Saul Feinberg, at PL 8456, by tomorrow, September 6.

A first-hand report on the situation in Palestine will feature the afternoon session, which will take place at 2 o'clock. Mrs. Maurice Robinson, president of the local Chapter, will be in charge, and the speaker will be presented by Mrs. Isaac Gerber. Mrs. Feinberg, who is a regional vice-president, will preside over

the closing meeting at 3:30 o'clock.

GI Bill Aids Vets Studying for Rabbinate

WASHINGTON — More than 1,100 disabled veterans are learning to be priests, ministers and rabbis under the Vocational Rehabilitation Act (Public Law 16), the Veterans Administration disclosed this week.

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OSE GETS GRANT

The Italian Government has approved a grant of 1,000,000 lire for the OSE, Jewish health society.

Pegler, O'Donnell Defend Chandler; See No Treason

NEW YORK—Two voices were raised in the American press last week in brazen defense of race hatred and those who purvey it. Douglas Chandler, arch-anti-Semite and convicted traitor who broadcast propaganda for the Nazis during the war, and 28 mass sedition trial defendants whose names constitute an index of the lunatic-fringe hate-mongers in America, were championed respectively by columnists Westbrook Pegler and John O'Donnell.

Mr. Pegler based his contribution on the premise that "even the preaching and propagation of racial hatred is not un-American; it is a characteristic, a confirmed notorious fault of ours." "Mostly, I think," he says, "the true feeling of those who hiss 'race hatred' as a political catchword is not noble 'democracy' of spirit but envy and hatefulness of him who feels somewhat inferior. We hear the accusation made against persons who reveal their own shame of race or envy by adopting English, Irish and Scotch names..." Getting to the Chandler case, Mr. Pegler admits he did not hear all of the evidence "but it was no treason to live in Germany, to be friendly with the Nazis, even to Hitler himself, to write pro-Nazi material and to broadcast for the Nazis right down to the hour when the war became a legal fact. ... It was no treason then and it would be no treason now to preach and extol Nazi-Fascism in the United States. I am not dis-

cussing the desirability of such propaganda or the merits of Nazi-Fascism. But mere unpopularity does not constitute illegality..."

Columnist O'Donnell, long a user of the anti-Semitic innuendo, calls the mass sedition trial "an obscene travesty of justice," and "smear terror" "engineered by Roosevelt and the leftists to squelch any criticism of America's foreign policy." "The Justice Department's publicity machinery

... poured out ~~thousands~~ of words for the pinko press. The shrill screams of the self-appointed world savers over radio and in leftist periodicals howled to the nation for the blood of the victims. Some of the defendants are telling us that they now intend to roll up their sleeves and go into the courts to seek damages for the verbal assaults made on them over the radio, on lecture platforms and in some of the literature distributed by operators of sucker-traps who have made a lush living collecting dough from the weak-brained to battle for 'democracy' ... on a percentage basis."

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Ahavath Sholom Selichoth Services

The Ahavath Sholom Synagogue will usher in the Rosh Hashonah season with a special midnight service called "The First Selichoth", to be held tomorrow evening.

Cantor Benjamin Pearlman, of New York, who has been engaged by the Synagogue for the High Holy Days, will also sing the First Selichoth Worship. The Cantor will be assisted by the Providence Jewish Choir, under the direction of Karl Sigmund Kricke. Rabbi Morris G. Silk, who will officiate, will base his Selichoth sermon on current Jewish history.

South Providence Ladies' Aid to Meet

Board members of the South Providence Ladies' Aid met at the home of the president, Mrs. Louis Chaster, on Wednesday afternoon, August 20. Plans were completed for the forthcoming season. The first regular meeting of the organization will be held this Wednesday at the Willard Avenue Synagogue.

ALLIANCE TO MEET

The Jewish Mothers' Alliance will hold their first meeting this Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Sheraton-Biltmore Hotel. Mrs. Jack Melamut will preside.

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Young Adults Division To Conduct Campaign

Machinery for the most intensive fund-raising campaign ever conducted by the younger members of the greater Providence Jewish community was formally set in motion this week with announcement by Alvin A. Sopkin, 1947 General Jewish Committee chairman, of the appointments of Miss Claire Ernstof, chairman, and Ira Rakatansky as co-chairman of the Young Adults' Division Campaign.

Miss Charlotte Rakatansky will serve as secretary of the Y.A.D.

and Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Bell will head its advisory committee.

Also spearheading the advisory committee activities of this division will be the Misses Sylvia Bezyner, Shirley Brier, Paula Dauer, Mrs. Everett Kauffman, Edith Lipsey, Mollie Moses, Ann Naimark, Dorothy Rabinowitz, Claire Stone and Ruth Tanenbaum.

Male committee members include Syd Cohen, Arnold Galkin, Sam Kadsivitz, Everett Kauffman, Lester Millman, Ben Pearlman, Ronald Sopkin and Jack Temkin.

Young adult leaders have held several preliminary meetings in recent months in preparation for the formal opening of the GJC campaign next Thursday evening at the Ledgemont Country Club. Their own initial gifts dinner is slated for Wednesday evening, Sept. 17, at the same site, Miss Ernstof and Mr. Rakatansky informed the Herald this week.

Jacob N. Temkin and Miss Edith Lipsey will head a rally for the general solicitation, sponsored by the Young Adults' Division, at the Churchill House, 155 Angell Street, Monday evening, Sept. 22.

Center to Hold Annual Yom Kippur Dance

The Jewish Community Center's fall program of activities will again be inaugurated by the annual Yom Kippur Nite Dance. Intensive preparations for this major event already are underway, according to an announcement by Paul Litwin and Miss Beatrice Knopow, co-chairmen of the general committee.

The dance, which will be held this year on the evening of September 24, is scheduled to take place in the main ballroom of the Narragansett Hotel. Popular Bob Clifford and his orchestra have been engaged to play for the dancing, which will begin at 8:30 o'clock. Miss Shirlee Landy will be the featured vocalist.

Other committee members include Abe Goldstein, music; Ruth Berman, tickets; Sydney Rakatansky, hotel, and Dorothy Click, publicity. Tickets may be secured from any member of the committee or at the Center.

Sons of Jacob Plan S'Lichoth Radio Program

S'llichoth services at the Congregation Sons of Jacob will be held tomorrow at 12 o'clock midnight, it was announced this week. The Congregation also has completed arrangements for a special Rosh Hashanah radio broadcast on Saturday, September 13.

Cantor William Rabinowitz will conduct the S'llichoth services, assisted by the Synagogue Choir

under the direction of Eugene Cornfield. Choir members include Hyman Gershman, Irving Schmuger, Maurice Gordon, Isadore Wuraffie and Bernie Zuckerman. Rabbi Carol Klein will speak on "Enough of the Night."

Next week's broadcast will be heard from 9 to 9:30 o'clock over station WEAN. Rabbi Klein will speak on "Life's Values" while the choir will present the musical portion of the program. Singing with the choir will be Al Goldberg, Sam Berditch, Hyman Gershman, Irving Schmuger, Maurice Gordon, Isadore Wuraffie and Bernie Zuckerman.

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sons with passports and passage and pay them an average of \$500 each to take autos over, signing manifests that they intend to travel in them on the continent....The countess, herself, on one crossing, brought three sedans and a station-wagon....So far, the French haven't figured a way to refuse entry to Americans with cars, duly accredited in this country....The traffic isn't conspicuously heavy, but at the turnover profit quoted, the two chiselers can do all right if they sneak in only an average of one a month.

Abbey Fischer, drummer who banged the skins at the Strand theatre with the Ted Lewis orchestra, has stirred the pulses of many a maiden and matron with his rhythms. But the one who won him couldn't hear him. He married beautiful Nan Bower, with the Maryanne Abbott dancers. She is a deaf mute!

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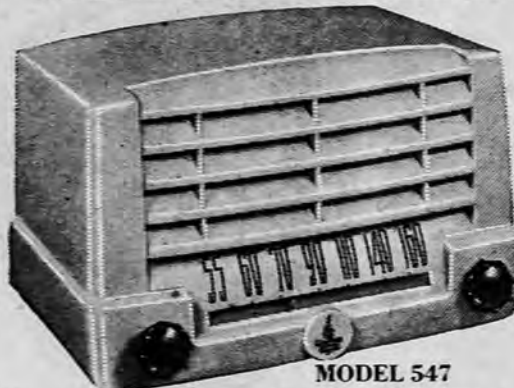
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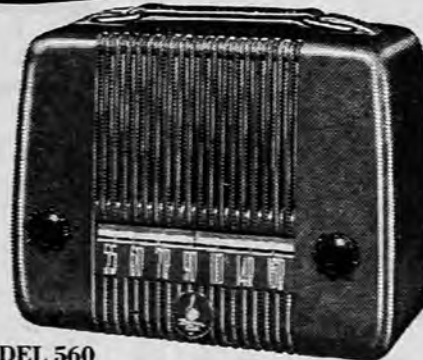
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Miss Dorothy Zarum, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Zarum, of Ninth street, was married to Richard Bookbinder, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bookbinder, of Homer street, at a double-ring ceremony, which was held at the United Commercial Travelers Hall last Sunday evening. Rabbi Israel M. Goldman officiated at the candlelight ceremony.

The bride was attired in a candlelight satin gown, en train. Her fingertip veil was draped from a crown of pearls and orange blossoms and was trimmed with satin bows. She carried a Bible with an orchid marker and streamers of stephanotis.

Miss Joan Rosenfield, the maid of honor, was attired in a green taffeta gown and carried an arm bouquet of yellow roses. The bridesmaids included the Misses Irma Blumenthal, Molly Kadsitz, Frances Kushner, Doris Kushner, Elaine Lipton and Janet Miller. They wore similar taffeta gowns and carried Colonial bouquets.

Miss Marion Davis and Miss Linda Portnoy, of New Bedford, were the flower girls. They wore pastel gowns.

Stanley Fishman was the best man, and the usher corps included Paul Bookbinder, brother of the groom; Joel Zarum, brother of the bride; Stanley Turco and Martin Gold, cousins of the groom; and Morris and Richard Brier.

The mother of the bride wore a melon-colored, crepe gown. Mrs. Bookbinder selected a pale green, silk jersey gown. Each had gold accessories and an orchid corsage.

Approximately 200 persons attended the affair from Providence, New Bedford, Fall River, Brockton, Boston and New Jersey.

Following the wedding reception, Mr. and Mrs. Bookbinder left by plane for New York. They will reside at 50 Homer street upon their return.

Return from Pier

Mrs. Leonard Blau and daughters Barbara and Audrey, of 250 Gallatin street, have just returned after a three weeks' vacation at Peterson Inn, Narragansett Pier.

Halpern-Landy Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Landy, of Edgehill Road, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Annette Landy, to Theodore Halpern, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis J. Halpern, of Smith street.

On Motor Trip

Mr. and Mrs. George Mandell, and daughter, Barbara, of Pembroke avenue, are on a motor trip to Maine and Canada.

Spencer-Abraams

The marriage of Miss Ruth Abraams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Abraams, of Summit avenue, Providence, to Edward C. Spencer, of New York City, took place last Sunday at the summer home of the bride's par-

Albert Weiner's Observe Fortieth Anniversary



Mr. and Mrs. Albert Weiner observed their fortieth wedding anniversary at a dinner dance, which was held at the Narragansett Hotel last Friday evening. Approximately 125 guests attended. Music was furnished by Tommy Masso's Orchestra. Mr. and Mrs. Weiner are pictured in the photograph to the right.

Members of the immediate family are shown above. Seated about the table, left to right, are: Mrs. Harold Weiner, Miss Beverly Weiner, Harold Weiner, Gerald Pressman, Mrs. Albert Lieberman, Mr. Lieberman, Dr. Samuel Pressman, Mrs. Pressman, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Weiner, Mrs. E. Harold Dick and Mr. Dick.

ents, in Barrington. Rabbi Morris G. Silk officiated, assisted by Rabbi Herman J. Bick, of Lynn, Mass.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her parents, was attended by her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. William Aron.

The groom was attended by his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Neustadt, of Brooklyn, N. Y., and Mr. and Mrs. Moses Dyckman, of Peekskill, N. Y.

Miss Edith Abraams was the maid of honor for her sister. The bridesmaids were the Misses Sylvia Aron and Alice Pearl.

David Wilkes, a cousin of the bride, was the best man, and the ushers included Donald, Samuel, Edward and Jerome Aron.

A reception was held for members of the immediate family who attended the wedding from New York, Massachusetts and various parts of Rhode Island.

After a wedding trip to New Hampshire, Mr. and Mrs. Spencer will reside at 103 Holden street, this city.

Manelis-Horowitz

Smilax, white roses, gladioli and carnations decorated the



Crystal Ballroom of the Sheraton-Biltmore last Sunday evening when Miss Anita Edna Horowitz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Horowitz, of Providence and Toulset Point, was married to Dr. S. Robert Manelis, of New Bedford, Mass., son of Mr. and Mrs. David Manelis. Rabbi Jac-

obson, of Boston, uncle of the groom, and Rabbi David Werner officiated at the 7 o'clock, candlelight ceremony.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her parents, wore a gown of ivory satin, en train, designed with a fitted bodice, and carried a white Bible marked

with stephanotis and white orchids. Her veil of illusion fell from a pearl tiara.

Miss Selma Manelis, sister of the groom, as maid of honor, wore a blue satin gown. The bridesmaids, who were all similarly attired in gowns of rose satin, were the Misses Rosalyn Epstein, of Glendale, L. I., a cousin of the bride; Judith Korey, of New York City; and Sandra and Sybil Manelis, twin sisters of the groom. They carried bouquets of roses.

Miss Marjorie Harris, a cousin of the bride, was the flower girl. Her frock was a pale blue taffeta.

Dr. Arthur Wein, of Boston, was the best man. The usher corps included James Fox, Harold Hurwitz, Bernard Herman, all of New Bedford; Dr. Sidney Wolman, of Boston, and Albert Datlof and Louis Alpert, of New York.

The bride's mother chose a gown of royal blue crepe for her daughter's wedding, while Mrs. Manelis was attired in aqua crepe.

Following the ceremony a dinner dance was held at the Hotel. Dr. and Mrs. Manelis left for Cahada. Upon their return they will take up residence in Boston.

The bride, an alumnus of Pembroke College, was graduated Phi Beta Kappa. She has been a member of the faculty of the North Providence High School. Dr. Manelis, a resident physician in orthopedic surgery at the West Roxbury Veterans' Hospital, is an alumnus of Colby College, Waterville, Me., and the Boston University Medical School.

Jacobs-Liebman

The Wentworth Hotel, in New York, was the scene of the wedding on Sunday afternoon, August 24, of Miss Gwendolyn Liebman and Walter Jerome Jacobs, of New York City.

The bride was given in marriage by her brother, Jesse Liebman. Mrs. B. R. Gutterman, attired in mink brown, acted as matron of honor for her sister.

The bride is the sister of Mrs. Solomon Korn, of Emeline street, this city.

Upon their return from a wedding trip to the Balsams, in New Hampshire, Mr. and Mrs. Jacobs will reside at the Hotel Bossert, in Brooklyn, N. Y.

Gamon-Weinstein

The marriage of Miss Gloria Weinstein, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Weinstein, of 93 Orms street, and Samuel Gamon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Gamon, of Public street, took place at the Sons of 'Zion Synagogue last Sunday afternoon. Rabbi David Werner officiated at the 3 o'clock ceremony.

Given in marriage by her parents, the bride wore a powder blue, lame dress, and a matching fingertip veil. She carried a Bible adorned with streamers of lilies-of-the valley.

The maid of honor, Miss Bernice Weinstein, wore an aqua dress with black accessories. The best man was Morris Gamon.

The bride and groom, who are on a wedding trip to Atlantic City, will reside at 58 Jefferson street upon their return.

Dr. and Mrs. S. Robert Manelis



Dr. and Mrs. Manelis are seen returning from the altar following their marriage at the Sheraton-Biltmore Hotel last Sunday evening. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Horowitz of Providence and Touisset Point. Dr. Manelis is the son of Mr. and Mrs. David Manelis.

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Beth-Israel to Have Reception for Cantor

Cantor Israel M. Breitbart will chant the Selichos services at Temple Beth-Israel tomorrow evening, September 6, at midnight. The new cantor and his wife will be honored at a reception, sponsored by the women of the Sisterhood, to be held at 10 o'clock in the vestry of the Temple. The community has been invited to attend the services and the reception to Cantor and Mrs. Breitbart.

Urge End of Racial Bias in Education

NEW BRUNSWICK—An anti-discrimination clause which would ban segregation in the New Jersey public schools and militia was adopted here at the State Constitutional Convention by a vote of 50 to 18. The amendment will make New Jersey the first state in the Union to include such a provision in its charter.

To Open Registration for Emanuel Hebrew School

Julius G. Robinson, chairman of the school board of Temple Emanuel, announced this week that registration for the weekday Hebrew School department has begun. The School will be under the supervision of Aaron Klein, who is now entering his fifth year as director of religious education. Mrs. Aaron Klein will also be a member of the staff and will act as the director of youth activities.

Mr. Robinson also reported that Mrs. Aaron Marks will once again be associated with the Hebrew School department.

The following days next week have been designated for registration: Sunday morning, from 10 to 12 o'clock; Monday and Tuesday afternoons from 3 to 5 o'clock. Classes will open on Wednesday.

As in previous years the School will be under the general supervision of Dr. Israel M. Goldman, Rabbi of the Congregation.

DP DENTISTS STUDY

Some 200 displaced Jews who were dentists in various parts of Europe before the Nazis uprooted and imprisoned them are now taking a "refresher" course.

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SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1947 at 7 O'CLOCK—EVENING SERVICES

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 1947 at 8 O'CLOCK A. M.
(First Day Rosh Hashono)

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 1947 at 7 O'CLOCK P. M.—Evening Services

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 1947 at 8 O'CLOCK A. M.
(Second Day Rosh Hashono)

Yom Kippur

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 1947 at SUNSET—KOL NIDRE SERVICES

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 1947 at 9 O'CLOCK A. M.—YOM KIPPUR SERVICES

Slichos Services

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1947 at MIDNIGHT.

The Community of Providence is cordially invited to attend our Slichos Services, and to partake of the reception in honor of our new Cantor and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Israel M. Breitbart. The reception will be at 10 o'clock P. M. in the Vestry of our Temple. Everyone will want this opportunity to hear the beautiful Services chanted by our talented Cantor.

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Dedication in Newport

By BERNARD SEGAL

On the 31st day of August, 1947, and of the Hebrew calendar the 15th day of Elul, in the year 5707, the Touro Synagogue in Newport was dedicated as a National Shrine by the United States Government.

Thus, or in similar terms, will the solemn occasion which many of us have witnessed in Newport, be handed down to posterity. The date, the data on the bronze tablet, and the printed program will be all that history will note. Yet I venture to say that many a sensitive student in the years to come will wonder what was it like inside the old synagogue on that day? What did people say, and what did they feel as the ceremony proceeded?

What took place in Newport in and around the 184 year old synagogue of the Congregation Jeshath Israel, organized in 1658, is the stuff of which history is made. Time will give it significance and will hallow it.

We who have been eye-witnesses to the ceremony owe it to those who will come after us, to leave an account not alone of the events of the day, but also of the spirit of the day.

It was a sunny late summer Sunday in this lovely sea coast town. But the news and the reports that appeared in the newspapers that Sunday were not sunny at all. Slaughter of countless thousands in India. Violence in Indonesia. Terror in Greece. Prospects of famine in Europe. Stabbings in the Holy Land. And the refugees of "Exodus 1947" are still on the high seas.

"Gay Nineties" Revived

But in Newport the streets were festively decorated, and the sidewalks were lively with the laughter and chatter of young and old. A "Gay Nineties" parade was in progress and cavalcades of vehicles, and floats portraying the styles and manners of the last century, were cheerfully reviewed by thousands who lined the streets and crowded the balconies of houses and hotels in the line of the parade.

And on Touro Street, site of the National Shrine, people of many creeds and colors gathered

for the ceremony. The white rectangular building being so honored stood in its simplicity in the dazzling noontime sunlight. All the seats in the tree-shaded lawn were occupied. Many stood around the massive iron gates, and many filled the Community Center directly across the street. Inside, the pews were filled with invited guests and the men of the press and the movies. On the platform in front of the Holy Ark, on what the Touro Congregation calls the George Washington seat, were assembled the officers of the Synagogue, the emissaries of the City, the State, and the Federal government. There they sat side by side the Speaker of the House of Representatives, Joseph Martin, who is a Republican, and Senator Theodore Francis Greene, who is a Democrat, Bishop Bennet, of the Episcopal diocese, and Rabbi David de Solo Pool of the Spanish-Portuguese Congregation of New York, and also Carl van Doren, the historian, the emissary of literary America. They all came to honor and to speak.

They spoke to those who were seated in front of them, and to the many more who listened in their homes over the radio on that afternoon. They all spoke of religious freedom, of brotherhood, of tolerance, of virtues of the synagogue, and of the men and women who lived, worshipped, and died here long long ago. The president of the United States sent in his message, and a lovely soprano, Patrice Munsell, of the Metropolitan Opera House sang inspiringly.

Silently and reverently the people listened. Solemnly the flames of the candles in the ancient candelabra wavered in the light breeze. Gracefully stood the twelve white Ionic columns, representing the twelve tribes of Israel. And the Holy Ark with the ancient Torahs inside bore witness to all that was said in front of it.

They bore witness, and they also spoke. They spoke in the voice of History. They told of a handful of refugees from oppression who came to the shores of a newly settled colony in the year 1658. They took root in the new soil and prospered. They grew in strength and in numbers. Soon they were strong enough to prove their value to the colony and to the land that gave them a haven. They helped develop industry and to increase commerce. They used their connections abroad, and sent out ships to the seven seas carrying the products of the land and bringing back the materials of far away islands and continents.

They helped build a city of great renown in Colonial America and to plant within it seats of culture and learning.

And then they built for themselves a sanctuary. For the designing thereof they called on an inspired architect, Peter Harrison, who conceived of the House of Worship as a simple, well proportioned rectangular structure. The interior was to be adapted to the requirements of Jewish worship in the Orthodox style. Very little adornments were indulged in in the interior as well as on the exterior. Thus the synagogue was to inspire by its beauty in simplicity.

To give the brick and stone edifice its soul, the Holy Ark was filled with Scrolls of the Law, and the Perpetual Light was suspended from the ceiling in front of the Ark. Then men of good will were moved to give to the synagogue as gifts five massive bronze candelabra wrought by hand by the artists of the day. These are still here and they too bore witness to the dedication.

Present at the dedication was a Torah that was brought to the new world by a refugee from Spain, and is estimated to be four hundred years old. The script on this old scroll is as clear and fresh as on the day when some pious scribe printed the holy words laboriously with the point of a goose feather on young calf skin somewhere in Spain. This and the other scrolls behind the closed portals of the Ark also spoke. They spoke of wanderings across continents and oceans; of joys in the Torah, and of pain suffered because of it. They were present at the dedication as symbols of a faith that survives tortures, wars, revolutions, and uprootings.

And there were two living witnesses within the white walls and under the sky blue dome of the synagogue. They came from the sister synagogue Shearith Israel in New York. To them it was a homecoming in more than one way. Here in this city lived and worshipped and died their ancestors long long ago. Mr. Henry S. Hendricks and his wife sat in the same seats where their great-grandparents might well have sat when the Touro Synagogue was young. She is a direct descendant of Moses Mendes Selsax, and he is five generations removed from the house of Aaron Lopez. Both of these names were eminent in Colonial America, and both are honorably inscribed in

LAKE SUCCESS—The majority report of the United Special Commission on Palestine reveals the boundaries of the proposed new Jewish and Arab states, which would achieve independence by Sept. 1, 1949.

The Jews would be allotted Galilee, the central coastal plain including Haifa, Jaffa and Tel Aviv, and the Beersheba sub-district, including most of the Negev.

The Arabs would receive Western Galilee, the hill country of Samaria and Judea, excluding Jerusalem, and a coastal strip in the south from Isdud to the Egyptian frontier.

The autonomous area of Jerusalem would become a UN trusteeship—like Trieste—under a governor appointed by the UN, who would be neither Jew nor Arab. Bethlehem would be part of the city of Jerusalem and holy places would be put under the protection of an international police force recruited outside Palestine.

The majority report recommended that 150,000 Jewish immigrants be admitted to Palestine in the next two years during which the land transfer restrictions in the area of the future Jewish state would be suspended. The Jewish Agency for Palestine would select and care for the immigrants. The report called for the economies of the two states to be closely integrated, with a customs union, a common currency and joint control of public utilities.

the annuals of this country.

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