

YOUR ATTENTION

FROM

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No. 180 CONFIDENTIAL1. Shipment of Shoes to Poland

10 cases containing 1054 pairs of new men's shoes purchased here were shipped on the SS "Vasaaholm" of the Swedish American Lines to the American Joint Distribution Committee, Warsaw, Poland. The shipment will be discharged in Gdynia. The costs of ocean freight, insurance, wharfage, shipping attendants, etc., aggregate \$311.73.

2. New Films Distributed

A number of new films purchased by the Canadian Jewish Congress as a community service have been distributed by the National Film Board to their regional offices in sufficient prints for national coverage. They include the color cartoon "Brotherhood Of Man", the motion picture "Whoever You Are", and the film strip "The Man in the Cage", the latter dealing particularly with Fair Employment Practices. These films have already found high acclaim in Canada when they were shown at the national conventions of the Canadian Welfare Council and other national organizations.

3. Rabbi Perlzweig Accepts Toronto Pulpit

Rabbi Maurice Perlzweig formerly of London, later head of the Political Department, World Jewish Congress, New York, has accepted the position of senior Rabbi of Goel Tzedek (University Avenue) Synagogue in Toronto. He will move to Toronto in September.

4. Jewish Adult Education

A meeting was held with representatives of the Y.M.H.A. and the B'Nai Brith and a tentative program drawn up for the series of lecture forums which the Canadian Jewish Congress will sponsor again in co-operation with these organizations in Montreal.

5. JDC Work in Palestine Being Published in Pamphlet

The General Secretary of Congress is publishing a pamphlet telling the story of JDC work in Palestine. He has undertaken this work to dispel widespread misunderstandings about the relationship of the JDC and the reconstruction of the Jewish homeland. The material used in this pamphlet was obtained by Mr. Caiserman from Palestine and from the JDC. An address which Mr. Caiserman delivered in Buenos Aires on a related subject was reprinted by the JDC in the Argentine.

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6. 6 Reports on Anti-Semitism Completed by Research Department

The Research Department has just completed 6 reports - an analysis of the anti-semitic content in a number of books and pamphlets distributed by the Social Credit Movement in Canada. The analysis traces the anti-semitic references and their sources, quoting chapter and page of these books and pamphlets.

7. Distribution of Literature

The following acknowledgment was received from the Board of Christian Education, United Church of Canada: "Your film catalogues have been very much appreciated and we greatly value the opportunity of distributing an additional 2250 copies to the Young People of the United Church. Your contribution to our Visual Aid work through this channel is appreciated".

8. Central Conference of American Rabbis

The 58th convention of the Central Conference of American Rabbis is being held in Montreal at the present. Rabbi Abraham L. Feinberg of Toronto delivered a paper entitled "A Re-evaluation of the Good Will Movement."

9. Central Region Members of the Dominion Council

The list of the Central Region members of the Dominion Council will be published in a later issue of the I.O.I.