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# HADASSAH LAUNCHES BIG HOSPITAL PLANS FOR PALESTINE JEWS

**Building Will Be Erected Immediately in Haifa, Which Is Growing Fast.**

## MEMORIAL HOSPITAL TO GO UP IN TOBORIAS

**\$350,000 Budget for Medical Service Approved; Officers Elected as Session Ends.**

A large hospital building program in Palestine was decided upon yesterday by the Hadassah Women's Zionist Organization of America in its closing session at the Mayflower hotel. While the campaign for funds will not be started at once, it was voted to begin immediately the erection of a hospital in Haifa, a rapidly growing city.

A site for the new hospital has been donated by Baroness Rothschild. It comprises a large tract on the slope of Mount Carmel overlooking the Mediterranean sea. It is understood that the baroness has pledged £1,000 toward the building fund. The Hadassah will contribute \$20,000, which it has available for building purposes, and it is expected that the city of Haifa will give financial support.

In addition to the Haifa project, it was announced, a hospital is to be built in Toborias through a gift of Mrs. Peter Schweitzer, of New York, who has made the donation as a memorial to her husband. In Safed, Hadassah will maintain a tuberculosis hospital, to be supported by the Canadian branch of the organization.

### Four Hospitals Maintained.

Adoption of the hospital campaign as Hadassah's outstanding activity followed the indorsement of a budget of \$350,000 for hospital and medical work in Palestine. Hadassah already maintains four hospitals in that country. Addresses in support of the budget were made by Miss Henrietta Szold, national president, and by Mrs. A. D. Silverman, of Providence, R. I., a member of the national board.

Recognition of Hadassah as the sole women's Zionist organization in America has been officially granted by the Zionist Organization of America, according to an announcement made at the morning session.

The sessions concluded with the election of the following officers: President, Miss Henrietta Szold, New York city; vice presidents, Mrs. Edward Jacobs, New York city; Mrs. Emil Crockin, Baltimore; Miss Pearl Franklin, Chicago; secretary, Mrs. Robert Szold, New York city; treasurer, Mrs. H. B. Lefwowitz, New York city; national board, Mrs. William Berkson, New York; Mrs. H. J. Dannenbaum, Houston, Tex.; Mrs. Harry Winer, Chattanooga, Tenn.; Mrs. S. W. Myers, Boston; Miss Rachel Natelson, Brooklyn; Mrs. A. Silverman, Providence, R. I.; Mrs. A. Slomka, Brooklyn; Mrs. Robert Wile, New York; Mrs. Robert Szold, New York.

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The following were elected as delegates to the fourteenth world Zionist congress, at Vienna August 18: Mrs. N. H. Ebin, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Mrs. Joseph Horowitz, Brooklyn; Miss Jennie Jellin, New York city; Miss Sarah Kitay, Paterson, N. J.; Mrs. Samuel C. Lamport, New York city; Mrs. Samuel Palley, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Mrs. Max Shulman, Chicago; Mrs. A. Slomka, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Miss Henrietta Szold, New York city; Mrs. Frieda Silbert Ullian, Detroit, Mich., and Mrs. B. Davis, Pittsburgh, Pa.

### Officers Elected by Juniors.

The Junior Hadassah, concluding its convention yesterday in the Mayflower hotel, elected the following officers and members of the national board:

President, Mrs. Frieda Silbert Ullian, Detroit, Mich.; vice presidents, Sylvia Levine, New York; Anne Mason, New York; Miriam Caro, San Francisco, and Gertrude Buckman, Philadelphia; treasurer, Gertrude Goodstein, Brooklyn, N. Y.; members at large, Fannie Fishelson, Boston; Ruth Feinberg, Boston; Stella Berman, Cleveland; Sarah Kittay, Patterson, N. Y.; Ruth Isenberg, Chicago; Miriam Borscow, San Antonio, Tex.; Flora Snyder, Pittsburgh; Rose Tucker, St. Louis; Ruth Melrick, Newark; Esther Kurzrock, New York; Sarah Freed, New York; Rose Lipsitz, Detroit, Mrs. Theresa Goell Levinthal, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Esther Radin, Hartford, Conn.; Fannie Smith, Providence, R. I.; Mildred Hillman, Worcester, Mass., and Sara Bokritsky, Atlanta, Ga.