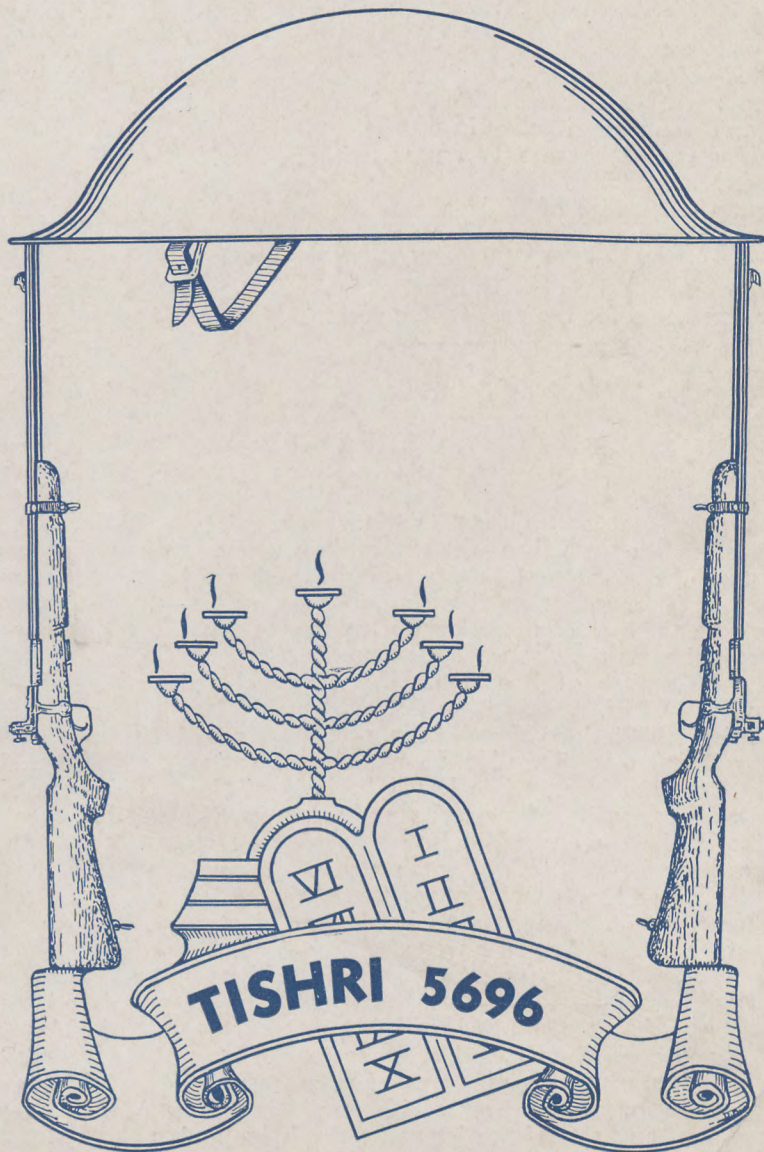


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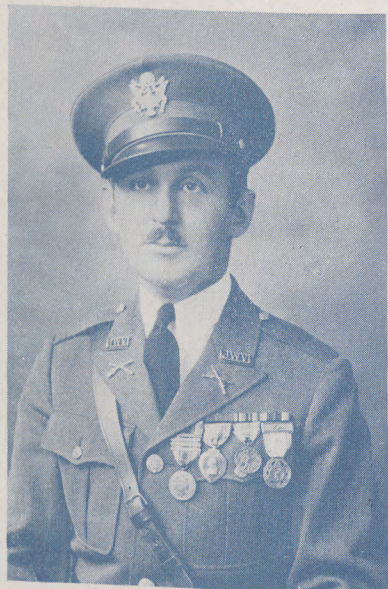


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## QUARTERMASTER GENERAL



EDWARD M. WARSHAUER

Age—40 years.

Married—eighteen years, has a son of 14.

Served 2 yrs. with 77th Division 305th Infantry, Co. M.  
Gassed and wounded in action in France.

Past-Master and Present Treasurer Faith Lodge No.  
1044 F & M.

Present Commander of University Heights Post No.  
89, Senior Vice Commander Bronx County Council,  
Quartermaster General, J.W.V.

Actively engaged in other fraternal organizations.

Bank Executive for the past twelve years.

## Connecticut J. W. V. Are Active

Connecticut's delegation to the 14th National Encampment of the Jewish War Veterans of the U. S., held at Saratoga Springs, N. Y., over Labor Day week-end, played a prominent part during the four days of the convention. With more than 250 persons in attendance, representing the seven posts and auxiliaries within the Department of Connecticut, and with the delegation voting as a unit, the eyes of the delegates from other states were focussed upon the Connecticut group.

Abraham Kraditor of Brooklyn, N. Y., was elected Commander-in-Chief.

Mrs. Elizabeth Clark of New Britain, past president of Sgt. Harry Berson Auxiliary No. 56, was elected National Junior Vice President, while David L. Nair of New Britain was the recipient of a certificate of merit together with a National medallion. He also was made an Honorary member of the Jewish War Veterans as a result of his splendid work as general convention chairman last year in New Britain. Only at a National convention can this honor be bestowed upon anyone.

—Hartford, Conn., *Jewish Ledger*.

## ARTICLES WANTED

Original poems, writings, speeches, happenings of whatever nature affecting the weal or woe of any member of the organization or any member of his family is interesting news, at any rate please let us be the judge and forward such items immediately.

## WATCH ASBURY PARK

If the reception to Commander-in-Chief Abe Kraditor and staff in Asbury Park on September 22nd, is any criterion of the "action" of the new Monmouth County Post, then we predict great things for this post in J.W.V.

Within five minutes after arriving in Asbury Park, without previous notice, Commander Michael Weinstein had arranged for a banquet for twenty five, at the Berkely Carteret Hotel. As becomes such distinguished visitors, we immediately became the guests of the City.

During the meal, a telegram of congratulation was dispatched to the Methodist Conference in convention there, because of their scorching condemnation of the Nazis, and resolution urging America to withdraw from the Olympics if held in Germany.

The possibility of holding our next Annual Convention in Asbury Park was also discussed. Commander Weinstein is Chairman of the Asbury Park publicity bureau, and if we hold our convention there, we start with an influential friend among the City Fathers.

Incidentally, comrades are urged to write the Editor and express their views on holding our next Convention on the week-end following Labor Day, to avoid the Holiday crowds, and to receive advantage of lower hotel rates, concessions, etc.

Doc. Coyne who was responsible for organizing the Monmouth County Post may well be proud of his "baby." Approximately the same group of comrades that attended the Hoffman Good-Will Plaque ceremony was present in Asbury Park.

J.G.F.

## SOUTH OPPOSES OLYMPICS

BALTIMORE, Sept. 17.—By unanimous vote of more than 35 representatives of member clubs, the South Atlantic Association of the Amateur Athletic Union tonight instructed its National A. A. U. convention delegates to vote against participation of a United States team in the Olympic games next Summer in Berlin.—*Buffalo Courier Exp.*

## Paris Post Commander Sends Greetings

Received at the last moment, an interesting communication from Commander Jack E. Spector of Paris Post No. 120, Paris France, was crowded out of this issue. Other important Post and general news, necessarily omitted will appear in the October number.

Comrades are urged to be patient with us and overlook our shortcomings—we hope to improve with age.—Editor.

## HOW ABOUT IT?

Comrade—What are you doing about organizing a post in your vicinity? Dr. David Coyne, Past Commander of Hoboken Post No. 55, we are informed, is working diligently on the formation of several posts within a radius of fifty miles of Hoboken.

If Dr. Coyne can do it, why "COYNET" you?

## AND FINALLY—

Heywood Broun in the New York World Telegram is devoting his column to develop public opinion in keeping the Amateur Athletic Union from participating in the Nazi-controlled Olympics.

You who read these lines are urged to write him AT ONCE—write right now! And please mail us a copy of your letter. Thank You.

Lashono Tovo.

A  
**New Year's Message**

*By the*

**Commander-in-Chief**



My Comrades:

It is perhaps fitting that on the Eve of Rosh Hashonah, when Time the inexorable ushers in another New Year (5696) that a new set of officers take over the Administration of the affairs of our beloved Organization.

Nor do I consider it amiss at this time, to express the fervent hope that every succeeding New Year shall witness a similar change in the Administrative forces of the Jewish War Veterans of the United States.

I am deeply grateful for the great honor of National leadership which you have conferred upon me, and I am keenly appreciative of the responsibilities that the office entails.

Please accept this, my solemn obligation, to perform the duties of my office, actuated only by one thought—the good of J. W. V.

With that objective, I invite your criticisms, opinions and suggestions on any matter you deem essential to our welfare, assuring you that all communications addressed to me will have my personal attention.

Permit me to conclude this brief message with every good and kind wish to you, my Comrades, for your personal well-being, and in the hope that the New Year will bring to you and your families an abundance of health, wealth and happiness, I have the honor to remain,

Gratefully and sincerely yours in Comradeship,

ABRAHAM KRADITOR,  
*Commander in Chief.*

## LEHMAN FLAYS FIGHT ON JEWS

*Governor Strikes at Hitler Attack Before Veterans—Whole People Marked for Destruction, He Tells Jewish War Vets Convention—Receives An Ovation—National Encampment Opens Three Day Sessions—Parade and Contests Monday*

From The Saratogian, Saturday, August 31st

Governor Herbert H. Lehman struck again today at Nazi persecution of Jews in Germany as he spoke at the opening session of the 14th national encampment of the Jewish War Veterans in the Casino.

The Governor declared the plight of Jews in Germany "must call forth from all right thinking people an expression of abhorrence of tyranny whether by government or by mob."

"In Germany," he told delegates, "a whole people, six hundred thousand in number, have ruthlessly and without mercy been marked for destruction—social, economic and political. Many of these were leaders in literature, science, music and art and in every form of spiritual, moral and intellectual activity.

### *Contributed to Germany*

"Their ancestors have lived in Germany for centuries. They and their fellows have held honored places in the country of their birth. In peace they contributed to Germany's well-being; in war they laid down their lives for Germany's greatness. They have been deprived of their opportunity to live and work as loyal citizens of a country to which they have given not only their allegiance but their love. Even their children in many cases are being denied the right of education.

"Their plight must call forth from all right-thinking people an expression of abhorrence of tyranny whether by government or by mob. It has caused many Americans of all creeds and groups to join in solemn reaffirmation of the great principles of civil and religious liberty and in a solemn resolve to combat tyranny and bigotry."

Governor Lehman reviewed the contributions that his co-religionists have made toward the welfare of the American nation, and said:

"Our faith has for centuries taught that to be a good Jew a man must perforce to be a good citizen. If he is not we want none of him. That is true not only here but in every enlightened country.

### *Fortunate in America*

"How fortunate are we that our lot has been cast in this beloved land! Here we enjoy the blessings of a traditional policy of religious and civil freedom which is firmly embodied in the fundamental law of the land and in the heart and conscience of its people."

The Governor told the convention that service to the nation should not be limited to times of crisis and danger.

"The duty of service in peace time should be compelling with each one of us every day in the week, every week in the year," he said.

"That peace time service can best express itself in the carrying on as well as we can of the daily tasks with which we are confronted in our hopes and in our communities. Every man and woman has a definite respon-

sibility which must not be evaded, if we are to safeguard and transmit to posterity the principles of justice, freedom and democracy."

### *Ovation for Governor*

Governor Lehman returned to Albany directly following his address. The main ballroom of the Casino was crowded to capacity for the opening session and the Governor received a tremendous ovation.

The welcome of the city was extended by Mayor Henry Schrade and William Berman, commander-in-chief, made a brief response. Others speaking briefly were Mayor Meyer Ellenstein of Newark, N. J., and Frank Curley, Washington, past national commander of the Disabled War Veterans.

This afternoon, delegates and guests were scheduled to attend the races, visit the new Saratoga Spa and the Saratoga Battlefield and otherwise fill in an afternoon of recreation. Tonight, a business session will be held between 7 and 10 with the annual ball following in the Casino.

### *Parade Monday*

Tomorrow's program is filled almost entirely with business sessions with a midnight supper club program scheduled for the Casino. Monday, Labor Day, the annual parade will be staged at noon on Broadway.

The departments of ten states will be represented in more than 3,000 marchers in the parade, which has been divided into eight divisions. In the first will be the police escort, the Spanish War Veterans, Veterans of Foreign Wars and the American Legion.

The second division will find the New York department, the third, fourth and fifth, the departments of New Jersey, Massachusetts and Connecticut in that order. Pennsylvania and Ohio will march in the sixth division while the seventh will contain Rhode Island, Indiana, Illinois and Washington, D. C. The last division will be made up of the Ladies Auxiliary units.

Reviewing stand for the parade will be the porch of the Grand Union Hotel and notables in attendance will gather there at noon. The parade is scheduled to begin at that time and all of the drum corps competing in the annual contest Monday afternoon on Recreation Field will march.

Several drum corps returning from the American Legion convention at Rochester will compete, it was announced today. More than 25 corps from throughout the entire country are entered. The contest begins at 2:30 P. M.

Business sessions Monday are planned for 9 a.m. and 2 p.m. Election of officers is expected to be held at the afternoon session with installation and adjournment immediately afterward.