

PLIGHT OF EUROPEAN JEWRY - 1944

Mindful of the appalling plight of European Jewry, and of the necessity for the voice of the American Jewish community to be heard in alleviating the distress of their brethren, as well as to advise in the postwar reconstruction of their lives, the Executive Board of the National Federation of Temple Sisterhoods concurs in the resolutions on the rescue of European Jewry and on post-war Jewish problems, adopted at the historic sessions of the American Jewish Conference, held August 29th to September 2nd 1941. Recognizing that the establishment of a Jewish Commonwealth in Palestine is a subject in which the members of the Federation must exercise the right of individual conscience and belief, the Executive Board refrains from action on the Palestine resolution, but calls upon its units and members to cooperate fully in all measures seeking to aid the oppressed both of our own and other peoples.