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## BAVARIAN JEWS IMPERILLED, BERLIN BELIEVES.

Berlin, November 9. (Jewish Telegraphic Agency). Grave anxiety is expressed in Jewish and liberal quarters here over the fate of the Bavarian Jews, now that the anti-Semitic Fascisti leader Hitler rules Bavaria and menaces the Reich with the aid of General Ludendorff.

It is recalled that one of the Fascisti leaders' aims has been the expulsion of all Jews from Bavaria and that Dictator Von Kahr's action in expelling foreign Jews and those that are alleged to be foreign was only a partial realization of Hitler's wishes.

What the Bavarian Dictator dared not do openly for fear of foreign intervention, Hitler and Ludendorff, indifferent to public opinion, may not hesitate to do, it is feared.

Lack of communication with Munich tends only to increase the dark forebodings regarding the fate of the Jewish population in Bavaria.

Prior to the Hitler-Ludendorff putsch announcement was made in the Voelkischer Beobachter, Hitler's organ, that Dictator Von Kahr had called a halt in the expulsion of East-European Jews.

## MACHINE GUNS, TANKS GUARD DEVASTATED JEWISH QUARTER OF BERLIN.

Professional Thieves Continue Looting of Jewish Shops.

## JEWISH WAR HERO HUMILIATED, WOUNDED.

Berlin, November 9. (Jewish Telegraphic Agency). The Jewish quarter of Berlin today, four days after the pogrom, resembles an armed camp. Police armed with machine guns, hand grenades and rifles are stationed on the street corners and inhabitants of the area may pass the police cordon only after strict investigation. Tanks move about lumberingly, ominously.

Professional thieves were not slow to take advantage of the chaotic conditions produced by the pogrom, and looting of shops, particularly jewelry shops, still continues.

In Charlottenburg, fine residential section which numbers many Jewish residents, was invaded yesterday by a hungry crowd which made

a rush at the restaurants and bakeries, ravenously devouring the food and removing meat and other edibles in handbags for homes that had not seen meat in months.

In the Jewish quarter, ransacked until it looks like a devastated area, hundreds have lost everything. Add to this that many lost not only their possessions but also their means of earning a livelihood, it is impossible to estimate the material damage caused by the systematic rioting.

Harrowing stories of attacks are gradually evolving out of the confusion and chaos of the last few days. There are stories of Jews stripped and pursued through the streets in their undergarments. There are reports even of several who had been flung into the River Spree.

Typical of many other assaults is that made upon Dr. Hugo Bernhardt, a physician and war veteran of four years' front service, who was severely wounded in battle and who was awarded the Iron Cross as well as First and Second-Class Saxon Knighthood for valor.

"The signal for the attack upon me and several of my friends was a rifle shot. The mob rushed upon us and while we defended ourselves as well as was possible, we sighted an automobile containing a Major and two Schutz-Polizei. They refused our cries for help. A motor lorry carrying a number of Schutz-Polizei, to whom we looked for protection, followed us, rushed us into the infuriated mob, reviled and beat us, finally removing all of us to the barracks in Alexanderstrasse where we were forced to stand in the courtyard with our hands up. It took 200 police to search us, submitting us during the search to unspeakable indignities and maltreatment. In the end my right knuckles were smashed by a rifle blow."

#### MOVE TO DEPORT ALL ALIEN JEWS.

At the meeting of the Municipality yesterday, Nationalist members introduced an urgent resolution calling on the Prussian central governments to expel all aliens settled since 1914, especially Jews. Internment of the Jews is urged where deportation is impossible.

Herr Crispian, former Socialist Minister, in an editorial in the *VORWÄRTS* declares Berlin had been humiliated by the pogrom. This blot on German history is caused by the Communists and the anti-Jewish press, Herr Crispian charges. The only ones to reap the harvest are the Industrialists and none are more pleased than Stinnes because the workers were sent to the throats of their Jewish fellow beings.

The first fatality resulting from Monday's rioting is the death of Herr Zilberberg, the butcher who was severely injured while trying to beat back his assailants.

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**WARSAW JEWS UNEASY ABOUT FRIENDS IN BERLIN.**

Warsaw, November 9. (Jewish Telegraphic Agency). Offices of the Jewish newspapers here are besieged night and day by anxious crowds demanding information as to the state of affairs in Berlin. Jews having friends and relatives in Berlin are impatiently waiting to hear that all is well with their kinsmen in the German capital. As a large number of the Jews in Berlin are from Eastern Europe and since many are Polish citizens, numerous telegraphic inquiries are being sent from here to the Polish Minister in Berlin.

**JEWS CONGRESS MOVES TO CHECK GERMAN POGROM.****State Department Concerned Over Bavaria.**

New York, November 9. (Jewish Telegraphic Agency). Officers of the American Jewish Congress together with members of the Administrative Committee met at noon yesterday under the chairmanship of Dr. Stephen S. Wise, at the Hotel Pennsylvania, to take action with regard to the anti-Jewish riots which are taking place in Berlin and other sections in Germany.

A number of steps were decided upon, aiming at prevention of further outrages and a special sub-committee was appointed, consisting of the following: Judge Aaron J. Levy, Joseph Barondess, Congressman Nathan D. Perlman, Judge Louis D. Gibbs, George I. Fox, and Dr. Stephen S. Wise, ex-officio.

The Committee will present a report on its efforts at the meeting of the Executive Committee which will be held November 18 and which will consider also the future activities of the Congress.

The concern of the State Department over the Jewish situation in Bavaria has been communicated to the offices of the Jewish Congress, it is learned. Correspondence with regard to the situation of the Jews in Bavaria which developed when the expulsion of Jews was begun, was initiated by the Jewish Congress with the State Department and it is understood that the sympathy of the United States Government had been assured.

**BOSTON TRANSCRIPT URGES DEPORTATION OF "ALIEN JEWS."**

"Greedy and Ungrateful Recipients of American Hospitality Are Fitted for Deportation" Urges Boston Paper Because Jews Objected to Haller.

**RECEPTION TO HALLER ASSURED WHILE JEWS QUARREL.**

Boston, November 9. (Jewish Telegraphic Agency). The hearing called by Mayor Curley to receive evidence as to the fitness of the Polish General Haller as the City's official guest has caused

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General Edwards, Commander of the American Legion, to announce that the Polish General will be invited by the Legion and not by the Mayor.

Invitations to the hearing were extended by the Mayor to representatives of the Jewish, Ukrainian and Polish population. The Mayor refused the Jewish protest, however, on the ground that some of the complainants are not residents of the city of Boston, but of Lynn. The Polish General's pogrom record was submitted in writing, the statement being signed by Elihu D. Stone, Assistant Attorney General for Massachusetts, a member of the National Executive Committee of the American Jewish Congress, and Robert Silverman, Secretary of the Jewish Congress Committee of Boston.

Samuel Kalesky, Chairman of the Jewish Congress Committee and M. Deputy Grandmaster of the I.O.B.A. refused at the last moment to sign the statement, although the Committee had decided to protest against the reception to the Polish General.

Mr. Kalesky's refusal is said to be due to the efforts of certain members of the Jewish Community who persuaded Mr. Kalesky and through him, the Mayor, to suppress the Jewish protest. A number of Jews are reported to have taken it upon themselves to indicate to the Mayor they had no objection to the proposed reception to Haller.

Herman Bernstein of New York, who was to represent the American Jewish Congress at the Mayor's hearing, had no opportunity to present his case orally but filed a written memorandum.

The Haller incident evoked vicious anti-Semitic editorials in the BOSTON TRANSCRIPT, the latest one of which today says: "These so-called 'Jews' then, aliens though they are, are guilty of abusing the hospitality of an all too patient and easy-going people, abusing a hospitality generously and all too widely extended. But there is a limit to patience, even to the patience of the American people. Aliens who tax American patience too far, aliens who repeatedly abuse American hospitality of which they are the greedy and ungrateful recipients, are fit subjects for deportation, regardless of the race they disgrace, the religion they pretend to avow, or the country from which they came."

This editorial has been characterized as the greatest anti-Semitic manifestation ever seen in America.

#### SEES JEWISH RELIEF WORK THREATENED.

New York November 9. (Jewish Telegraphic Agency). Lack of funds may make it impossible for the Joint Distribution Committee to continue its work for 150,000 Jewish children in Russia and Central Europe, according to Dr. Bernard Kahn, Chairman of the European Council of the Committee. Dr. Kahn said the Committee was caring for 120,000 children in Russia and 30,000 in Central Europe. Most of them are under 14 years of age. Many have no homes or parents, and are weak and delicate from privation and illness. More than 35,000 are in institutions.