

TRIAL FOR THROWING BOMB IN BUDAPEST SYNAGOGUE BACKGROUND OF POLITICAL CRISIS IN HUNGARY

Count Bethlen, Hungarian Prime Minister, Charged with Secretly Supporting Awakening Magyars.

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Budapest, Dec. 2.—Following the stormy scenes which occurred in the Hungarian Parliament yesterday, resulting in the removal from Parliament of twelve Social Democratic deputies and two opposition leaders, the capital of Hungary is going through intense political excitement which endangers the existence of the present Hungarian cabinet under the premiership of Count Bethlen.

Although the crisis has as its cause the economic and political structure of present-day Hungary, its immediate background is the anti-Jewish atrocities committed by members of the anti-Semitic Awakening Magyars.

An important part in the excitement in Parliament was the interest displayed in the trial of Marffy, executive secretary of the Awakening Magyars. He is being tried for arranging an anti-Jewish conspiracy, one detail of which was the throwing of a bomb at a synagogue in Budapest over a year ago. The Awakening Magyars have sent a letter to the chief of Police, threatening to bomb the police headquarters if Marffy is convicted. It is felt that if Marffy is acquitted the

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BOLSHEVISTS TAKE CENSUS OF BELIEVERS AND NON-BELIEVERS

Believers Must Pay Heavy Taxes for Religious Adherence

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Riga, Dec. 2.—An unparalleled administrative measure was effected by the authorities in Soviet Russia in connection with their determination to exterminate religious belief in Russia, according to information received here today.

A census was taken with particular emphasis on the question whether the individual was a believer or a non-believer. The data obtained by the census are being used as a basis for persecution of those who stated that they were religious. Heavy taxes are imposed on the believers, while those who registered as non-believers are exempt.

Particular victims of the new anti-religious campaign are the clergy and those connected with the church. Many rabbis who left their towns to avoid the payment of the religious tax were compelled to return and effect payment.

The Jewish Communists have gone further in their anti-religious campaign and have effected the compulsory closing of Jewish houses of worship. Synagogues were closed in the towns of Snowsk, district of Tschernigow, and in Reschitz, district of Homel.

The children of those who registered as believers are being excluded from the schools.

OFFICE OF POLISH JEWISH PAPER IN POSEN RAIDED BY STUDENTS

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Posen, Dec. 2.—The offices of the "Glas Poznanski", the newly established Jewish paper published in Posen in the Polish language, were raided by three Polish students who forced their way into the premises and beat the editor and publisher of the paper.

The attack was the result of an article in the paper which criticized Polish students for engaging in anti-Semitic propaganda.

The raiders were arrested. One of them was an officer in the army of General Haller which was recruited in America.

FOUR JEWS WILL BE MEMBERS OF MESOPOTAMIAN PARLIAMENT

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Bagdad, Dec. 2.—At least four Jews and four Christians will be members of the first Mesopotamian Parliament, the elections to which started today, it is estimated.

The interests of the National Minorities in Mesopotamia are safeguarded by a clause in the Anglo-Mesopotamian Treaty, which guarantees them full representation in the legislative body.

LORD SWAYTHLING'S SON TO MARRY GRANDDAUGHTER OF LORD BEARSTED

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

London, Dec. 2.—An event of unusual interest in London society is the engagement of Stuart Montague, son of Lord Swaythling and heir to the title, and Miss Mary Levy, a granddaughter of Lord Bearsted, Sir Marcus Samuel, who was Lord Mayor of London in 1902.

EXPULSION STUDENTS ON SUSPICION OF ZIONISM

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Riga, Dec. 2.—Fifteen Jewish students were expelled from the Soviet College in Minsk on the suspicion that they are Zionists. The expelled pupils were kept in prison for three weeks.

BILL FOR ADMITTANCE OF REFUGEES INTRODUCED IN CONGRESS

(Jewish Daily Bulletin Despatch)

Washington, D. C., Dec. 2.—A bill to amend the present immigration act was introduced at the opening session of Congress by Congressman Perlman of New York. The bill provides for the exemption from the quota of wives, husbands, children, parents, brothers and sisters of citizens and declarants who were admitted to America prior to July 1st, 1924. Congressman Perlman also introduced a resolution to admit and exempt from the quota refugees stranded in European ports who hold American visas issued before July 1st and who were barred from entry because of the new law.

RABBI COOK RECEIVED BY BRITISH COLONIAL SECRETARY

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

London, Dec. 2.—The audience which was to be granted by King George to Rabbi A. I. Cook, Chief Rabbi of Palestine, could not take place because of the King's absence from the Buckingham Palace.

Rabbi Cook was received today by the new British Colonial Secretary, Rt. Hon. Leopold Amery. Rabbi Cook is leaving for Palestine today.

ICA CLOSES EMIGRATION OFFICE IN CONSTANTINOPLE

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Constantinople, Dec. 2.—The office maintained by the Jewish Colonization Association for the purpose of aiding Jewish emigrants stranded in Constantinople was closed today.

There are still a thousand Jewish refugees stranded in Constantinople who are unable to proceed further. The refugees consider the closing of the Ica office as the disappearance of their last ray of hope.

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FUTURE OF JUDAISM IN AMERICA DEPENDS ON EDUCATION AND TRAINING, SAYS ADOLPH S. OCHS

Expansion of Reform Judaism Will Be Result of Immigration Restriction, Is View.

That the future of Judaism in America after the coming into effect of the new immigration law depends upon education and proper training, was the opinion expressed by Adolph S. Ochs, publisher of the New York "Times", in response to an inquiry sent out by the Union of American Hebrew Congregations as to the effect on Jewish life in America of the restriction of immigration. This inquiry, addressed to a group of men prominent in the life of American Jewry brought the following responses:

"Endow the Hebrew Union College with five million dollars to educate and train men and women to keep the faith, and enlighten the world with the spirit and tenets of American Progressive Judaism", Mr. Ochs stated.

James Davis, Chairman of the Jewish Education Committee of Chicago replied, "The effect of immigration restriction cannot help but be beneficial to the Jew in America. It will release the resources in effort and money that can well be spent in religious and cultural work.

"With proper religious training of the young, there is no reason why the Jew should not continue to represent the fine traditions of his race. The synagogue can and ought to assume a larger responsibility in this direction."

"Many of the present Jewish activities will be restricted", Mr. Aaron Waldheim stated, "and the necessity for Jewish social service will gradually become less and less. Reform congregations should be able to increase their membership, and persistent efforts should be made towards this end."

"The restriction of immigration is going to simplify the Jewish problem in America", is the opinion of Ludwig Vogelstein. "The Eastern Jews, who have come to America during the last four decades, will become Americanized and in another generation reasonably assimilated. The social service and philanthropic problem will change to educational work. The Jews will become a part of the country, different from the Gentiles only in their religion."

"Congregations should take a more active interest in the religious education of the Jews, which is the only thing that will keep the Jews Jewish. I do not think their views will change except that extreme Orthodoxy will disappear, and there will be a slow movement toward Reform Judaism."

With the subscription of \$20,000 by six prominent members of Congregation Israel, and the inauguration of a drive for further funds, the construction of a new temple will soon be undertaken. This was the sentiment expressed at the annual meeting, which was held Tuesday evening in Pichian temple, with an attendance of over 400.

DAILY DIGEST OF PUBLIC OPINION ON JEWISH MATTERS

The Minorities Problem

The "Christian Science Monitor" of Nov. 25 comments on a speech delivered recently by Erik Kolban, chief of the minorities section of the League of Nations, on the subject of the minorities, whom the League has undertaken to protect against injustices by governments in the Balkan states and in Eastern Europe. The editorial of the "Monitor" says:

"The world has had a distinct impression that minorities are complaining of the treatment to which they are subjected in various countries; but it has been generally believed that the area of discontent, and consequent danger of violent protest, has been limited to the Balkans. Some light was cast recently upon the significance of the information supplied by Mr. Kolban by the observations of a Zionist agent, who informed a representative of the 'Monitor' in a remote capital of eastern Europe that the discontent of some minorities in the Balkan region are duplicated in almost every detail in countries remote from the Balkans.

"Mr. Kolban pointed out in his address that the rights of protecting various minorities, formerly vested in individual powers, have been transferred by treaties to the League of Nations, and that the League is prepared to act energetically in behalf of these minorities, now legally placed under its protection, whenever circumstances should require such action."

Ridicules "Khazar" Theory

The theory, now revived by Dean Inge of England, that the Jews of Eastern Europe are not the descendants of Abraham, but of the Khazars and have, therefore, nothing in common with the Jews of the western countries is an outrageous lie, says the "Day" editorially on Nov. 29.

"This theory is unfounded and cannot be proven with any facts. It has been invented in order to insult the Jews and to ease the conscience of the anti-Semites. It is not so nice to persecute the descendants of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob, of those who gave the world the Bible, etc. But the descendants of the Khazars—well, one need not be too scrupulous with them," says the "Day".

"It is a noteworthy and comical fact that those who are shouting most loudly that we are descendants of the Khazars, accuse us of being dishonest in business and that Jewish deceit originates from Jacob who cheated Isaac into giving him Essau's blessing. When it comes to beating us we are true children of Israel."

The Tenth Anniversary of the "Day"

On the occasion of the 10th anniversary of the "Day", celebrated a week ago, the "Jewish Daily Courier" of Chicago says:

"The 'Day' is unquestionably the best Yiddish daily paper in this country, counting among its contributors some of the leading Jewish journalists in the world. Its 10th anniversary is likewise a happy occasion for Jewish literature."

Praises the "Day"

The "Hebrew Journal" of Toronto also speaks in high praise of the "Day". In its issue of Nov. 25 the "Hebrew Journal" remarks:

"From the very moment of its inception, ten years ago, the 'Day' proved to be larger, more versatile and interesting than any other Yiddish paper. The editors of the 'Day' can look back with just pride on the ten years' services which their paper has given the Jewish public."

OUR DAILY NEWS LETTER

The Kehillah Elections in Vienna

(By Our Vienna Correspondent, M. Tennenblatt)

Vienna, Nov. 17.—The results of the recent Kehillah elections in Vienna are highly interesting. The Zionists suffered the severest defeat, coming out with 10 candidates, which is less than they succeeded in electing the previous time. This was due to the fact that at that time the Zionists adopted an attitude of vigorous opposition to the assimilationists, whereas this time they agreed to an impolitic compromise with the old Kehillah element on the one hand and the sanctimonious anti-Zionist "Agudas Israel" on the other.

A new curiosity in the present Kehillah composition is the fact that five Socialists were elected to the Kehillah and, it is expected, they will bring the class-struggle idea into the very midst of the rabbis, the shochets and the rest of the religious group. We may now look forward to stormy debates in the Kehillah on the questions of socialism, Karl Marx, etc.

The Mizrahi, too, were unsuccessful in the elections. Conducting their campaign on the principle that Zionists must not make any compromise with the assimilationists, the Mizrahi put up their own candidates in opposition to the "United Jewish Parties", as they termed it. Not being very popular among the Jews of Vienna, the Mizrahi scarcely succeeded in electing two of their men. The "Agudas Israel", which is much less popular than the Mizrahi, nevertheless succeeded in electing three candidates, owing to its alliance with the Zionists.

A small group of Zionists revolted against the majority and put up their own candidates who fervently preached "no compromise" with the assimilationists. The Zionist organization officially expelled these rebels from the party, but they did succeed in electing one candidate. It is characteristic that the "Sozialistisch-Wirtschafts" party who participated in the elections, were also composed of rebellious Zionists whom the organization excommunicated.

It is regrettable that the Zionist organization of Vienna adopted this attitude. It is very probable that had the Zionists refused to compromise and issued a purely Jewish nationalistic democratic program they would have been equally successful. And even had they elected one or two candidates less, they would have felt that at least those elected were 100% Zionists, whereas now their candidates are obliged to represent the principles of assimilation in the Kehillah. What an incongruous spectacle: Zionist-assimilationists!

In connection with the Kehillah elections an interesting episode occurred which is not only amusing, but shows likewise that Vienna is, after all, a unique city of culture. At an election meeting the various factions began to wrangle and argue and fight until the noise could be heard far out in the street. The passers-by thought that the Jews were waging a bloody war among themselves and matters reached such a point that a policeman finally entered upon the scene. In any

The policeman talked matters over with the chairman and other leaders and learned that the oppositional minority had been denied an opportunity to express itself through its spokesmen. Finding that the minority was in the right, and feeling that such unconstitutional methods could not be permitted, the policeman took over the chairmanship of the meeting, informed himself on the character of the political groups present, ascertained who had already spoken, etc. and conducted matters to everybody's complete satisfaction, in the most parliamentary manner, unto a very late hour of the night. Could such a thing happen in any other city?

GOLDBERG DENIES OPPOSITIONAL ACTIVITIES

Denial that he conducted oppositional propaganda against the Zionist Executive was made by Abraham Goldberg, member of the Administrative Committee of the Zionist Organization of America, to a representative of the "Jewish Morning Journal" in Berlin.

Mr. Goldberg assured the correspondent that he was loyal to the Zionist Organization and its leader, Dr. Weizmann. His articles were published in the "Juedische Rundschau", the official organ of the Zionist Organization in Germany, which is known to be loyal to the present administration. He also characterized the rumors that he had joined the Brandeis group as ridiculous.

The correspondent of the "Jewish Morning Journal" adds that a banquet will be tendered Mr. Goldberg by prominent German Zionists in recognition of the services he has rendered the Zionist organization in Germany.

Mr. Goldberg in his denial omits to state that the "Juedische Rundschau", while publishing his articles, accompanied them with an introductory note in which the "Rundschau" clearly indicated that it published the articles only in recognition of Mr. Goldberg's position and that this was not an indication of its approval or identification with his views.

His statement in no way denies the report that he had advocated an oppositional course in private meetings, which fact was the main reason for the accusation made against him that he was not loyal to the Zionist Executive. Besides, it is well known that before Mr. Goldberg left this country for Europe serious friction existed between him and the Administrative Committee. It was clearly indicated that the Committee could not see its way clear to approve or endorse the agreement he had entered into with the tobacco manufacturer, Lubliner, and he was given the alternative of either giving up this enterprise or resigning from the Administrative Committee.

It was not stated that Mr. Goldberg had joined the Brandeis group, but it was said that he propagates views which until now were those of the Brandeis group. It is also understood that before leaving America he approached members of the Brandeis element on the matter of their re-entering the Zionist Executive, but they refused to consider this proposal.

In the text of the cable of the Administrative Committee, made public a few days ago, surprise was expressed that Mr. Goldberg was engaged in any propaganda as he had undertaken his journey on the representation that he had to attend to private affairs. The Jewish Daily Bulletin has learned that while Mr. Goldberg left for a stay of only four weeks, he has been in Germany for three months and the Zionist Organization here has received no communication from him whatever.

CONSTANTINOPLE COMMUNITY ASKS WITHDRAWAL OF TURKISH PROHIBITION OF SHORTHAND, TYPEWRITING AND BOOKKEEPING

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Constantinople, Dec. 2.—Shorthand, typewriting and bookkeeping were the subjects which were prohibited by the former Turkish government in the elementary schools maintained by the Jewish community of Constantinople. The schools, which have a broad curriculum, aim to prepare the pupils for useful business careers. However, the former minister of education prohibited the instruction of the subjects, protesting that they were not a part of the curriculum suitable for elementary education.

The Jewish community of Constantinople has applied to the new minister of education, asking for the withdrawal of this prohibition on shorthand, typewriting and bookkeeping.

JULIANA, DUTCH PRINCESS, FALLS IN LOVE WITH AMSTERDAM CANTOR

Sexton Intervenes and Prevents Romance.

(Jewish Daily Bulletin Despatch)

Berlin, Dec. 2.—A romance between Princess Juliana, the fifteen year old daughter of Queen Wilhelmina of Holland, and the young Jewish cantor of an Amsterdam synagogue was made known here today. Although the story was common knowledge in Holland for some time no newspaper in that country dared to print it.

Princess Juliana had gone to Amsterdam during her holiday from school, accompanied by a lady-in-waiting. She escaped from her chaperon and wandered into a synagogue where Gabriel Alaro, a widower of thirty with two children, was chanting the services.

The Princess was thrilled, so much so that she returned the next day and the next. She sought to disguise herself as a pious Jewish girl and managed to intercept the cantor when services were over. She told him how his voice had been an inspiration to her.

The sexton didn't believe the enthusiastic girl was Jewish and recognized her from newspaper pictures. He communicated with The Hague. Court emissaries took Princess Juliana home. She protested that she and she alone must help the cantor study so that a new Caruso might be given to the world. But Queen Wilhelmina placed her daughter under the surveillance of tutors.

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resignation of the present government is inevitable.

Count Bethlen, who was believed to be an opponent of the Awakening Magyars and who was responsible for the suppression of their terrorist anti-Jewish activities, was accused by Deputy Talin, the leader of the Social Democratic Party, of "playing a double game".

"The Prime Minister has managed to impress the moderate opposition and the progressives that he is a bulwark against the excesses of the Awakening Magyars and that he intends to suppress these enemies of order and progress. It is clear now that he is linked to the Awakening Magyars and has secretly supported them all along", Deputy Talin stated in parliament.

A general strike of the workers was threatened following the forcible removal of the opposition from Parliament. Budapest resembles a besieged city. Gendarmes and military guards occupy the bridges and main thoroughfares. Mounted police patrol the working class districts.

An attack on the residence of Admiral Horthy, the Regent of Hungary, was threatened by the workers. "Horthy is incriminated", they declared.

REAL ELECTION DEMANDED BY JEWS IN TANGIERS

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Paris, Dec. 2.—Jewish deputies in the city of Tangiers have refused to nominate their representatives to the legislative assembly because of a dispute with the government. The deputies demanded the right to elect the Jewish representatives without submitting their names for approval by the government.

JOHNSON INTRODUCES BILL FOR NEW ALIEN DEPORTATION LAW

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Washington, Dec. 2.—Immediately after the House convened Albert Johnson of the House Immigration Committee put into motion legislation concerning new alien deportation laws. Features of his bill include deportation of aliens convicted of violating the liquor and narcotic laws.

The section dealing with the Eighteenth Amendment and the Volstead act follows several general deportation provisions. It provides that "an alien who is convicted of any crime for which he is sentenced to imprisonment for a term of one year or more, or who is convicted more than once (if the penalty imposed is less than one year's imprisonment) in any court of record, of any violation of or conspiracy to violate any statute of the United States or of a state, territory or possession prohibiting or regulating the manufacture, possession, sale, transportation, importation of intoxicating liquors for beverage purposes, or of opium, coca leaves or any salt, derivation or preparation of opium or coca leaves.

"Felonies or other crimes or misdemeanors involving moral turpitude before entering the United States" is given as sufficient grounds for deportation in another section. Immoral women would also come under the ban.

INVENTION OF ROTORSHIP BASED ON PRINCIPLE OF GERMAN JEWISH SCHOLAR

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Berlin, Dec. 2.—The invention to employ the wind as the driving power for ocean vessels which will reduce the use of coal, oil and other fuel is based on the principle of the dilation of gases, set forth in 1841 by Professor Heinrich Gustav Magnus, German Jewish scholar and professor at the Goettingen University.

This statement was made today by Herr Flettner, the inventor of the rotorship, which employs the wind at a fuel saving of seventy-five per cent.

FRENCH PRESS FEARS CRISIS IN TUNIS

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

Paris, Dec. 2.—That a crisis, similar to that in Egypt, may arise in Tunis which is under French control, is the fear expressed by the French press today.

Tunis has a population of 2,000,000 Arabs, 50,000 Jews and 46,000 French.

DONATES £50,000 FOR HOSPITAL

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

London, Dec. 2.—Goeffrey Duveen, member of the famous art firm, donated £50,000 for the erection of a new hospital for ear, nose and throat diseases, in memory of his father, Henry Duveen.

Goeffrey Duveen, himself suffered from an ear disease which resulted in deafness. His brother died from a similar cause.

JEWISH DAILY BULLETIN REMOVES TO NEW QUARTERS

Owing to an increase in its staff, the Jewish Daily Bulletin has removed to 611 Broadway, where it will occupy more spacious quarters.

All inquiries and communications should be addressed to the new address.

Plans for the erection of a Jewish temple are being completed in Lynn, Mass. The policy of the temple will be conservative.

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