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HITLERIST ORGANISATION IN ENGLAND: EXTRAORDINARY PLAN REVEALED BY "DAILY HERALD": "WE WILL DRIVE OUT JEWS AND PREVENT THEM HOLDING OFFICES OF ANY KIND" NORTHERN ORGANISER DE-CLARES: HOPE TO HAVE MEMBERS OF PARLIAMENT AND PERHAPS OF CABINET PLEDGED TO SUPPORT HITLER'S POLICY: THIS IS BEING DONE IN EVERY EUROPEAN STATE AND IN THE UNITED STATES SO THAT "WHEN HITLER SEIZES POWER GOVERNMENTS WILL BE FAVOURABLY DISPOSED TO HIS NEW GERMANY."

London, Mar. 23rd. (Jewish Telegraphic Agency).

An extraordinary plan to form secret groups of the German Nazi movement - Hitler's Fascist organisation - in this country - is revealed in the Labour paper, the "Daily Herald" to-day.

It is hoped to influence the Government, the paper says, to accept Hitler's policy so that his threatened seizure of power in Germany shall not be opposed. The plan, part of a scheme to establish the movement in every country in Europe, has already made considerable strides. In the strictest secrecy, Herr Nieland, general organiser of the Hitler campaign outside Germany, visited London two months ago, it is stated, to launch the movement. About 200 Germans attended a meeting and pledged themselves to further Hitler's plans by propaganda and other means.

The help of sympathetic Englishmen is to be enlisted. Dr. Thost, London correspondent of Hitler newspapers, was appointed to control the activities of Germans in the South of England - his headquarters being in Cleveland-square, Hyde Park, W. - and Herr Hans Erich Bening in the North.

Herr Bening revealed his plans to a "Daily Herald" reporter in Liverpool yesterday, the paper says. His room was decorated with photographs of Hitler and there were scores of pamphlets, mainly anti-French, antisemitic and anti-Socialist in their design. Herr Bening emphasised that the Nazi movement in England must work quietly at the moment. Things must be done gradually, he said. I am first obtaining support amongst our friends. The time will come when we can come out into the open. My move is to join every club I can and go to dances and there meet friends who will become interested.

Persons may join our organisation so long as they are of pure nationality or not Jews and are not coloured races. "We will drive out the Jews and prevent them from holding office of any kind.

It is hoped, another official of the organisation told the "Daily Herald", that eventually the movement will grow to sufficient strength to carry weight in the election of Parliamentary candidates, so that there will be members of Parliament and perhaps of the Cabinet pledged to support Hitler's foreign policy.

This is being done in every European State and in the United States, so that when the time comes for Hitler to seize power, he will be surrounded by States whose Governments will be favourably disposed towards the new Germany he will make.

Already, the "Herald" concludes, the campaign has produced a split in the Anglo-German Association at Oxford University, and a separate body has been formed to further Nazi interests.

The existence in New York of a very active "cell" of the German Hitlerist Organisation was revealed in December 1930 through the Jewish Telegraphic Agency. This National-Socialist group in New York is in direct contact with Adolf Hitler in Germany, it was stated. Following the "protoplasmic" structure of the Hitlerist Organisation, which consists of party "cells" that rapidly generate new "cells", which in turn increase, the New York unit organised a Chicago group, and is planning to organise Hitler "cells" in all large German settlements in the United States.

In January of this year, a Hitlerist Organisation was formed in Detroit, the inaugural meeting ending in a free fight, which had to be stopped by the police. The fight started when Mr. Luedecke, the leader of the American Hitlerists, was reading out his programme, some of the audience objecting to the paragraph which speaks of the purification of the German race by purging it of Jews and Catholics.

The same week a Hitlerist meeting attended by 200 young Germans was held in Chicago, addressed by Theodore Gissibel, of the New York branch, the organiser of the American Hitlerist Party, who delivered a speech attacking Jews and declaring that Germany would be cleared of Jewish domination when the Hitlerists take over the Government.

Hitlerist Organisations have also been formed in a number of European countries, notably in Austria, Scandinavia, Holland and Latvia.

HITLERIST JOURNALIST SENT TO PRISON IN MUNICH FOR A LEGION  
DR. MELCHIOR GERMANY'S JEWISH REPRESENTATIVE AT BASLE  
MEETING OF INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL EXPERTS WAS NOT SERV-  
ING GERMAN INTERESTS BUT THOSE OF HIS WARBURG BANK.

Berlin, Mar. 22nd. (Jewish Telegraphic Agency).

One of the editors of the Hitlerist chief organ, the "Voelkischer Beobachter", Ferr Binz, has been sentenced in Munich to fourteen days' imprisonment for alleging in an article published in the "Voelkischer Beobachter" that Dr. Carl Melchior, the Jewish banker who acted as Germany's representative on the Reparations Commission and was recently a German representative on the Advisory Committee of Financial Experts which unanimously adopted his contention that Germany is unable to pay reparations, was serving in his various positions as the German representative on these bodies not in the interests of Germany, but in the interests of the Warburg firm in Hamburg, in which he is a partner.

The Hitlerist papers, headed by the "Voelkischer Beobachter", launched a vicious attack on Dr. Melchior while he was acting in December as the German representative on the Special Advisory Committee meeting in Basle, where he defended Germany's case, that she is unable, owing to the economic situation, to continue to meet her reparations obligations.

The German people seems incapable of appointing a tribute negotiator, the "Voelkischer Beobachter" wrote, without selecting an international Jewish banker whose business interests prevent him representing the interests of the German people. Similar allegations have been made repeatedly before and since in the paper, that Dr. Melchior acted at Basle and at other meetings in the interests of the Warburg firm, not of Germany, and above all in the interests of international Jewry.

A month ago, on February 25th., the Prime Minister, Dr. Bruening, replied in the Reichstag to an attack made there on Dr. Melchior by the Hitlerist Deputy Rosenberg.

Dr. Melchior represented Germany masterfully at the various international conferences in which he acted as our representative, Dr. Bruening declared, and Germany owes a debt of appreciation to this brave and capable man who has a record of great services to our country.

JEWISH DEPUTIES IN ROUMANIA TERRORISED BY CUZIST DEPUTIES  
IN CHAMBER: LODGE COMPLAINT WITH PARLIAMENTARY OFFICIALS.

Bucharest, Mar. 22nd. (Jewish Telegraphic Agency).

Deputy Dr. Joseph Fischer and Deputy Michael Landau have on behalf of the Jewish Parliamentary Club interviewed Professor Pompeiu, the President of the Chamber of Deputies, and complained to him that they are being terrorised in the Chamber by the Cuzist Deputies.

The delegation told the President that the Cuzists make it a practice to create a disturbance whenever a Jewish Deputy appears on the tribune of the Chamber without the presiding officers taking any action to keep order. Jewish Deputies were constantly being abused in the Chamber by the Cuzists, without any interference by the officers of the Chamber. Things had even gone so far that Cuzists, notably Deputy Robu, had actually begun to molest the Jewish Deputies, and to threaten to thrash them.

The Jewish Parliamentary Club demanded that the Presidium of the Chamber should protest them against such terrorism, else the members of the Jewish Parliamentary Club would find themselves compelled to take measures for their self-defence, and would call upon international public opinion to defend the right of duly-elected members of Parliament to speak in the Chamber on behalf of those who had elected them, without being subjected to personal molestation.

Professor Pompeiu in his reply to the delegation said that he would ask Deputy Cuza and Deputy Robu to visit him and would warn them that they must stop molesting or threatening the Jewish Deputies.

SOROCA AGAIN IN ROUMANIAN PARLIAMENT: GOVERNMENT SENATOR WHO  
WAS SOPOCA PREFECT ACCUSES PRESENT PREFECT OF IRREGULARI-  
TIES AND ILLEGALITIES.

Bucharest, Mar. 22nd. (Jewish Telegraphic Agency).

The conditions in Soroca have been brought up again in Parliament by Senator Iov, member of the Government Party, and former Prefect of Soroca, who at the time of the Soroca shooting outrage conducted a personal investigation on the spot and issued a statement denouncing the findings of the

Government Commission as not in accordance with the facts, and declaring that the outrage at Soroca was a blot on the name of Roumania.

Senator Iov complained that there was terrible maladministration in Soroca and that the present Prefect of Soroca has been guilty of innumerable irregularities and illegalities.

The Minister for Bessarabia, M. Cristi, said in his reply that he would transmit Senator Iov's complaints to the Governor of Bessarabia, General Riskanu.

A motion by Senator Cananau for the appointment of a Parliamentary Investigation Commission to enquire into the facts of the administration of the Soroca district was not put to the vote for technical reasons.

#### ANTI-JEWISH BOYCOTT AGITATION RENEWED IN POLAND WITH APPROACH OF EASTER.

Warsaw, Mar. 22nd. (Jewish Telegraphic Agency).

The approach of the Easter festival has been seized on by the National Democratic press and agitators to renew their anti-Jewish boycott agitation. The entire National Democratic press publishes an official proclamation issued by the headquarters of the National Democratic organisation which says:

In the present time of crisis every Pole must remember that not one groschen is to fall into the hands of aliens who live among us, and become rich at our expense. Every groschen which goes into the pockets of the Jews is taken from the Polish worker, artisan and merchant. The Jewish question in Poland is coming to a head. There is a new generation in Poland which realises the importance of the Jewish question, and how essential it is for Poland and the Polish people to liberate themselves from Jewish influence in every sphere of activity. The motto for every Pole must be - "Buy only from Christians".

#### POLISH GOVERNMENT GIVES RIGHTS FOR FIRST TIME TO HEBREW HIGH SCHOOL.

Warsaw, Mar. 22nd. (Jewish Telegraphic Agency).

The Hebrew High School of the Tarbut Organisation in Bialystock has been granted public rights under an order issued by the Ministry of Education. The High School will be able to exercise these rights during the current year, and the matriculation examinations at the end of the present school year will be held in the Hebrew language.

The Bialystock Hebrew High School is the first in Poland to enjoy public rights. All other Hebrew secondary schools in Poland still have no rights. It is hoped now that the conferment of public rights on the Bialystock Hebrew school will be followed by similar action in the case of other Hebrew schools in other parts of the country.

#### LORD MELCHETT IN PALESTINE.

Jerusalem, Mar. 22nd. (Jewish Telegraphic Agency).

Lord Melchett arrived in Palestine to-day. He is staying at Migdal, the villa built by his father, the late Lord Melchett, on the shores of Lake Tiberias, with his sister, Lady Erleigh, to whom the late Lord Melchett left Migdal in his will.

Lord Melchett will probably visit the orange groves of Palestine Plantations at Tel Mond, of which he is the head. Both Lord Melchett and Lady Erleigh are remaining over in Palestine for the Baccabad which will be held in Tel Aviv next month.

PROFESSOR BORIS SCHATZ DIES IN AMERICAN HOSPITAL.

New York, Mar. 23rd. (Jewish Telegraphic Agency).

Professor Boris Schatz, the founder of the Bezalel Jewish School of Art in Jerusalem, died last night in hospital at Denver.

Professor Schatz, who was born in the district of Kovno, was in his 55th. year. He was a student at Yeshiva, when he fell under the influence of the Haskalah movement, lost his religious faith, and took up secular education. He was fifteen when he went to Vilna, where he entered the School of Drawing, suffering considerable privation, until a Russian General, Dinamovitch, took him up. The famous Jewish sculptor, Antakolsky, on one of his visits to his native town, Vilna, arranged for him to get a stipendium enabling him to study at the Petersburg Academy of Art, but the Czarist authorities refused to give him a permit to reside in Petersburg. He thereupon settled in Warsaw, studying at the School of Fine Arts, and took up sculpture. He then lived for about six years in Paris, afterwards going to Bulgaria, where he founded a School of Art, at which he was appointed Professor, and he was the official sculptor to the Bulgarian Government and Court. His wife left him after several years, taking with her their only child, a daughter, and he was plunged into despair. At this time he began to interest himself in Jewish questions, and became a Zionist.

He founded the Bezalel Jewish School of Art in Jerusalem in 1906, and since then he had devoted himself solely to the promotion of Jewish art in Palestine.

Professor Schatz visited America several times, obtaining funds there which repeatedly enabled him to keep the Bezalel School open when it was on the verge of closing down, and once, in 1928, after it had already been closed for a few months.

Professor Schatz also wrote much on Jewish art and on various Jewish questions in Yiddish, Hebrew, Russian and Bulgarian.

In 1927, on the occasion of the 20th. anniversary of the founding of the Bezalel School, he published a Utopian tale, in which he pictured Jerusalem as he imagined it in the future.

In addition to its work of reviving Jewish art in Palestine, the Bezalel has through the Bezalel workshops provided a means of livelihood for hundreds of young people engaged in artistic craft work.

Attached to the school is the Jewish National Museum which, founded at the same time, was also directed by Professor Schatz, and contains over 5,000 paintings, statues and other works of art, including some by famous men like Joseph Israels, Max Liebermann, and Henry Glicenstein.