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Preliminary Investigation of Panisoara Reveals He Has Not Yet Been Transferred

Attorney General Says Panisoara Denies Responsibility; Trial Expected Before July 15th

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

CZERENOWITZ, July 4—The preliminary investigation of Captain Panisoara and the three gendarmes responsible for the torture of Samon Bronstein, Zionist leader of Yedinez, Besarabia, has been completed, and the trial may open before the fifteenth of July when the court adjourns, Attorney General Alexandru informed the Jewish Telegraphic Agency today.

Neither Captain Panisoara nor the chief of the gendarmes have been transferred as a disciplinary measure as announced by the Under Secretary of State Tillea on June 22nd.

The transfer of Captain Panisoara to Transylvania is contemplated.

Captain Panisoara has denied all responsibility for the torture, although Bronstein is authority for the statement that Panisoara attempted to bribe him to keep silent on the whole incident.

The court will have to probe into the whole matter, Attorney General Alexandru stressed.

He admitted that the gendarmes had been instructed to vigorously persecute the Communists. The methods adopted, however, were disapproved by the government. Instructions have now been issued by the local commandant not to repeat the methods employed against Bronstein.

Bronstein was arrested in May on the alleged ground that he was a Communist and subjected to torture described as on a par with medieval barbarism.

Anti-Jewish Disturbances Are Renewed in Vienna

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

VIENNA, July 4—Three Jews, directors of the club, were injured in the Nazi midnight attack on the International country club, it was learned yesterday.

The police are searching for the organizers of the attack. The Nazis claim, however, that the attack was a provocation by the Marxists.

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

VIENNA, July 4—Anti-Jewish disturbances occurred at the University of Vienna.

Several Jewish students were beaten up, and others were thrown out of the university buildings.

Jew Who Refused to Vote for Cuzists Killed By Cuzist Agitator

Local Military Commandant Promises to Take Measures to Protect the Jews

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BUCHAREST, July 4—A Jew in Falticeni, Itzig Nuhem, was killed by a Cuzist agitator, George Georgesi, because he declared he would not vote for the Cuzist candidates.

The murder was committed in connection with the Cuzist election agitation.

Nuhem was beaten up and sustained severe head injuries to which he succumbed.

A protest was entered with the District chief, Titus Jonescu, by a delegation headed by the president of the Falticeni Kehillah. The latter promised to protect the Jews.

National Minorities Congress Closes in Vienna

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

VIENNA, July 4—The East European Minorities Congress closed here with the adoption of resolutions.

The nations allied with the League of Nations were called upon to undertake measures for the protection of their minorities.

The Jewish representatives, Rotenstreich and Rabbi Nuork, described the position of the Jews in various East European countries.

Jew Elected to First Mayoralty Post in Burma

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BOMBAY, July 4—A Jew, R. A. Raphael, has been elected president of the municipality of Bassien and is the first Jew to be elected to a mayoralty post in Burma.

A native of Burma, M. Raphael is forty-four years old and has served as a Municipal commissioner for the last fifteen years.

He is prominently identified with philanthropic activities of a diverse nature.

Rosen and Schweitzer Enroute to United States

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BERLIN, July 4—Dr. Joseph Rosen, director of the Agrojoint work in Soviet Russia, and David Schweitzer, assistant European director of the work of the Joint Distribution Committee, are enroute to the United States on the "Bremen."

Nazi Deputy Would Exclude Jews From Military Service, Exact Special Tax Instead

Measure Goes Back to Middle Ages; Berlin University Reopened Following Peace Pact

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BERLIN, July 4—An anti-Semitic measure going back to the Middle Ages which provides that the Jews must pay a special tax instead of being enrolled in the army, was proposed in a radio address by the Hitlerite Deputy Hiehl.

Hiehl is scheduled to be the future Commissar of Labor and Army Conscription should the Nazis take over the power.

"Military service is an honorary duty which the Jews should not share," the Nazi said. "Instead they should pay a special tax consisting of ten percent of their income until they reach the age of fifty."

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BERLIN, July 4—Every student fraction at the University of Berlin, including the Nazi fraction, undertook a written obligation to maintain peace at the university.

As a result of this peace pact, the University which had been closed two days ago following anti-Semitic riots was reopened on Saturday.

Representatives of the Central Union of German Citizens of the Jewish Faith conferred with the rector, Dr. Heinrich Lueders, concerning the future possibilities of attacks against the Jewish matriculants.

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BERLIN, July 4—"We want no Jews in our University," a meeting of Nazi students at the University of Frankfurt decided.

"We desire a pure German culture and we shall see to it that the Jews

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Lithuania to Act for Nationals in Germany

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

KOVNO, July 4—The Lithuanian Government has instructed its Berlin Embassy to make investigations as to whether Lithuanian Jewish nationals will be affected by the Prussian confiscation law providing for the confiscation of the property of East European Jews who entered Germany after August 1, 1914.

The Lithuanian government, it is learned, will take strong measures to protect its citizens residing in Germany.

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Makes \$250 Gift to Palestine Institutions

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TRIESTE, July 4—The "Assicurazioni Generali," an insurance company operating in fifty lands, has distributed the sum of \$250 to leading Jewish and Arab causes in Palestine on the occasion of the celebration of the one hundred anniversary of its founding last month.

Of this sum \$50 was assigned to the Hebrew University; \$50 to the two chief rabbis of Palestine to be distributed among any Jewish organizations they see fit; \$50 to the Moslem Supreme Council; \$50 to the supreme Christian Ecclesiastic authority in Palestine.

Similar contributions were made to organizations in other lands where the company has branches.

National Democratic Attack

Frustrated by Police

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

WARSAW, July 4—An attempt to attack the Jews was made in Kalisz by National Democrats assembled in convention.

The attempt was frustrated by the energetic action of the police.

The meeting, attended by 1,000 delegates, commenced a street demonstration, which marched to the tune of abuse of the Jews and the governments.

Dispersed once by the police the demonstrators reassembled, but were finally routed completely by the police.

I. Sobel Re-Elected Head

Of Erie County Bar Ass'n

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

ERIE, July 4—Isidor Sobel, prominent in Jewish philanthropic circles, has been re-elected president of the Erie County Bar Association.

Mr. Sobel is the only president ever to be elected to serve a second term.

Builds Miniature Replica Of Tabernacle Ordered by Moses 3,000 Years Ago

Tabernacle Is Four Feet Long, Composed of 459 Pieces.

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

MINNEAPOLIS, July 4—Taking his instructions from the Torah, seventy-six year old Moritz Glasberg of Minneapolis has just completed a miniature replica of the tabernacle Moses instructed the Israelites to build when he led them into the wilderness to escape the Egyptians more than 3,000 years ago.

In minutest detail Mr. Glasberg has constructed a movable tabernacle, composed of 459 pieces, and a court of sacrifice with a movable wall around it. He has duplicated the furnishings described by Moses even to "a golden ball and pomegranate."

Mr. Glasberg has substituted copper and brass for the pieces that called for gold—the candlestick in the entrance of the temple, the doves over the "holy of holies," the vat in the yard for the sacrifice of animals, the altars and the detachable beams supporting the sides of the temple.

The tabernacle would not have been built if Mr. Glasberg had not had high blood pressure when he retired from a roofing and cornice business. His grandson, a physician, decreed that Mr. Glasberg should occupy his mind with some hobby to take his mind off thoughts of the ailment.

The model of the temple is nearly four feet long with the surrounding wall almost three times that length.

When asked what he intended to do with his masterpiece, Mr. Glasberg said, "If I'm still alive when the world fair opens at Chicago next summer I may show it there. There isn't a question in connection with this tabernacle that might be asked me by the most learned rabbi that I can't answer."

Estelle M. Sternberger Heads Anna Garlin Spencer Memorial

Estelle M. Sternberger of New York City, first vice-president of the National Council of Women of the United States, was named chairman of the Anna Garlin Spencer Memorial Committee, by representatives of Teachers College, Columbia University; National Board, Young Women's Christian Association; American Unitarian Association of America; National Council for Prevention of War, American Social Hygiene Association, Women's International League for Peace and Freedom, Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America and the New York School of Social Work, with which organization and institutions the late Dr. Spencer was connected during her lifetime.

The Guardians of Faith Congregation of Montreal, N. J., has elected as its rabbi Eliezer Asher Levi of Toronto, Canada.

Voluntary Assessment of Capital Urged by A. Leo Weil As a Cure for the Depression

States Capital Is More Affected by
Depression Than Labor

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

PITTSBURGH, July 4—An interesting plan for ending the depression, which has been submitted to a score of industrial and financial leaders in the United States, was described by A. Leo Weil, Pittsburgh attorney, in an interview.

After Mr. Weil's plan had been submitted to the industrial and financial leaders and they had pronounced it as impractical on account of the suggested voluntary assessment of Capital upon itself, it was submitted to the United States Senators and to a number of the members of the House of Representatives, with the suggestion that the necessary capital be raised by a Federal bond issue, the proceeds to create an Emergency Construction Fund to be loaned to the municipalities of the country. Many of them have expressed an interest in the plan, and Senator Nye had published in the Congressional Record the full text of this proposed plan.

"The depression has affected capital more than labor," said Mr. Weil. "Capital, however, can stand it longer than labor."

"But what can capital do to cure the depression? It can start the wheels of industry, give employment to the unemployed, put into circulation the wages of labor, and make this era of depression but a nightmare that came across the sleep of a prosperous nation, whose granaries and warehouses were full and which had capital and capacity in men and machines to supply the world."

Mr. Weil proposes that "Capital make a voluntary assessment upon itself of say 5%." The capital of the United States in 1930, as compiled by the National Industrial Conference Board, was stated to be \$329,700,000,000.

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Nazi Party Attempts Foothold in Many Lands

The extent to which the Nationalist-Socialist party of Germany is attempting to secure a foothold in other countries of the world is revealed in the Nationalist-Socialist organ "Trustworthy Nationalist-Socialist Letters from Abroad," which is published in Hamburg.

In a single issue of the magazine are to be found letters from Nazi correspondents in Barcelona, Spain; Rio Grande De Sul, Mexico; Southern Chile; Hoboken, N. J., representing North America; Holland; Haiti; South Africa; Buenos Aires, Argentina.

Each of these letters purports to describe conditions in the land of residence and the extent of Nazi activity.

Harbin Revisionists Protest To Inquiry Commission Against British Government

**Charge Britain Guilty of Sabotage;
Suppression of Rights of Jews; Care-
lessness in Defense of Jewish Life**

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

HARBIN, July 4—A group of Zion-ist Revisionists resident in Harbin have submitted a memorandum protesting against what is termed a breach of treaty on the part of Great Britain as the Mandatory for Palestine, to the Inquiry Commission appointed by the League of Nations to look into the situation in the Far East.

The Inquiry Commission consists of the Earl of Lytton, of England; General McCoy, of the United States; General Claudel, of France; Dr. Von Schnee, of Germany, and Count Aldavandi of Italy.

The memorandum charges Great Britain with the suppression of the rights of the Jews, carelessness in the face of attacks on Jewish life and open and secret sabotage.

"We realize very well that the nature of our appeal is not within your sphere of action," says the memorandum, "but seeing in the purpose of your inquiry the strengthening and upholding of just treaties, we cannot but recognize a deep relation in principle between all great aims of the League of Nations."

"Being a part of the population of the Far East, we take the liberty of appealing to you with a protest against the breach of treaty which Great Britain committed in her capacity as Mandatory of Palestine, a country which is under the protection of the League of Nations and the U.S.A., which you represent," the memorandum continued.

"Years have passed already, since Great Britain is breaking her pledges, given to the Jewish people in the Balfour declaration, which has been confirmed by the League of Nations in the Palestine Mandate.

"As against the suppression of our rights, against the carelessness in face of attacks on Jewish life, which stained the reputation of England, against the disarmament of our self-defense, against the open and secret sabotage which England is conducting at the construction of the Jewish National Home, we raise our flaming protest and ask you to convey it to the High Assembly of which you are the envoys and to the people and governments whom you represent.

"Daring not to indulge further on your attention, we enclose herewith a declaration of the Central Executive Committee of our World Union and beg to emphasize that only by fulfillment of the Mandate, by the most active assistance to the Jewry in the construction of a Jewish Palestine, Great Britain has the right to remain in Palestine as Mandatory," the memorandum concludes.

Congress Scored for Failure To Call Protest Meeting Against "Dollar Inquisition"

**Ben Zion Katz Severely Scores Congress for Resting Attitude on
Legality of Arrest**

The American Jewish Congress is severely criticized for failing to call a mass meeting to protest against the "dollar inquisition" against Jews in Soviet Russia by Ben Zion Katz, leading member of the Tel Aviv Committee for the Affairs of Jews in Russia, writing in the "Yiddische Stimme" of Kovno which has just arrived here.

The writer takes the Congress to task for limiting its interest in the arrests of Jews in Soviet Russia in the so-called "dollar inquisition" to the question of whether or not the arrests are legal.

The legality of arrests is a matter which nationals in the land where they occur must perforce be guided by, he asserts.

In other countries, fine humanitarian instincts alone must be the judge of the action to be taken.

He points out that in 1891 when the Jews were ordered expelled from Moscow, the Jews of Russia remained silent, but that did not prevent Jewries abroad from raising a vast protest with the result that the Russian Government was called upon to defend itself.

The American Jewish Congress has its own precedent to go by, Ben Zion Katz says. He recalls that the American Jewish Congress took the initiative in raising a general and widespread protest against the wholesale confiscation of synagogues and churches and the arrests of rabbis and other clergymen.

At that time, Ben Zion Katz asserts, the Congress did not hesitate to call a protest meeting. "And in my opinion," says Ben Zion Katz, "an inquisition against human beings is much more important than an inquisition against religious institutions."

He points out, moreover, "that there is no law in Soviet Russia which says that he who receives money from relatives in America must deposit them in the government treasury." The only

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Anti-Semites Break

Up Diet Session

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

VIENNA, July 4—Saturday's session of the Vienna Diet was interrupted with an uproar when the anti-Semites battling with other members of the Diet, refused to permit the continuation of the agenda, so long as the Jewish Socialist Deputy Dannenberg remains president of the German constitutional Committee.

The Nazis kept up an uproar shouting, "Let the Jews go to Palestine!" "Oust the Jewish Gang from German countries," until the session had to be adjourned.

Says Economic Discrimination Most Serious Aspect of Jewish Situation in Germany

**States Present Cabinet Has Created
Situation Where Hitlerite Words as
Important as Government's**

The present cabinet in Germany has created a situation whereby the inciting agitation of Hitler and his press are almost as important as the declarations of reassurance issued by the government, states a leading editorial in the "Rundschau," organ of the general Zionists in Germany, which has just reached this country.

More important even than the attacks upon the Jews and the demonstrative anti-Jewish attitude of Adolf Hitler, the Nationalist Socialist leader, is the economic discrimination which is beginning to be felt," the paper says.

The Jews of Germany cannot accept reassurance with confidence since the words are uttered in an atmosphere so poisoned it must occasion great concern, says the editorial.

The new Cabinet has twice already through the mouth of the Reich Minister of Interior, Freiherr von Gayl—once in an interview and a second time in a long speech—issued statements intended to calm public opinion," says the "Rundschau." In his first statement Mr. Gayl stated that the new cabinet would not be as sensitive and discriminating as the previous governments and would therefore forgivingly overlook "small clashes." Only serious attacks, especially against the head of the state, would be prosecuted with all the weight of the law, it was indicated. The government is to concern itself with the maintenance of peace and order and with the protection of the rights of each citizen.

In a long speech held before the Reichs Council, the paper continues, "Freiherr von Gayl said among other things: 'As to the general cultural life of our nation, especially in the radio and movie fields, it seems to me of importance to emphasize and cultivate the German spirit and to eradicate all non-German, alien influences, which for some time have antagonized a great part of the German nation.'

"This statement, as well as the first declaration of the policies of the new Cabinet, show a remarkable mixture of intentions and assertions which can hardly evoke an impression of union. On the one hand, a repeated emphasis that the government's actions will be guided by the constitution, and on the other hand an astonishing repetition of a phraseology which emanates from the Nationalist Socialist publications.

"There can be no doubt that the government has the greatest interest and desire to put an end to the uneasiness which prevails in wide circles because of the uncertainty over the coming political developments. It is, however, questionable whether the statements of

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The Cabinet will be able to achieve their goal in this respect. The situation in Germany, unfortunately, is such that statements of the "Voelkischer Beobachter" and the behaviour of Mr. Hitler are regarded as being as nearly important as official declarations by the government.

"When the 'Voelkischer Beobachter' triumphantly states that the coming establishment of the 'third Reich,' causes many Jews to flee from Germany and to seek shelter in Spain (which so far is not the case) and that this flight of the Jews would assume greater proportions in the coming months; when Hitler refuses to testify on the witness stand with the explanation that he does not reply to questions by a Jewish lawyer, such words have so strange an affect, that even the word of the Reich Minister of Interior are overshadowed by them.

"It seems that the government intends to counteract the extreme forms of the National Socialism and its 'Socialistic' components, by trying to secure recognition as a 'National' regime. The maintenance of a peaceful state through the force of the government, is, of course, of vital interest for the Jews. But up until now we have much to report concerning the numerous anti-Semitic excesses against the Jews in Germany.

"But these facts already quoted are not the only and not the most dangerous assertions concerning the anti-Jewish course (although they arouse much attention). More impressive and more important are the other symptoms, although they do not manifest themselves by the use of 'brass knuckles' or by calls of 'Judaen perish!' It is a usual and daily occurrence for a Jewish lawyer, an expert, etc., to hear in a public institution that 'the situation which has prevailed until now will be changed' and that the Jews will do well if they will begin to adjust themselves to a new situation.

"These fears are so impressive that loud rumors are now circulating about the start of a Jewish flight from within Germany. We mean by that the 'trend to Southern Germany,' which the papers reported, and also the transfer of some firms to Munich, and the desire of many Jews to avoid the districts where the Nationalist Socialist influences are unrestricted.

"This is the Jewish reality in Germany. And against that, comforting pills are ineffective. There is a good reason for not having much confidence in programs and words. When one is aware the atmosphere in which these words are spoken is so poisoned, there is ample cause to look to the future with serious concern," the editorial concludes.

Nazi Deputy Would Exclude Jews From Military Service, Exact Special Tax Instead

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have no place in our University," the resolution adopted read.

The resolution was referred to the university administration and was accompanied by a threat that disturbances would follow should the demands be unsatisfied.

Goettingen Synagogue Attacked

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BERLIN, July 4.—The synagogue in Goettingen was attacked by four Nazis in uniform on Friday evening and the head, David Tanstein, beaten up and left unconscious.

Tanstein was rushed to the hospital where his injuries were found to be so serious that an immediate operation was performed.

"This is our revenge for our two comrades who were stabbed yesterday in Duesseldorf," the Nazis shouted. All four were arrested.

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BERLIN, July 4.—The Prussian State Council has modified the amnesty law adopted by the Diet, so that it does not apply to desecrators of cemeteries.

It is also learned that the participants in the disturbances in Kurfuerstendamm on the Jewish New Year will not be released.

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BERLIN, July 4.—Six months imprisonment will be meted out to any one agitating for a boycott against Jewish firms in Meiningen according to a decision handed down by the local court in connection with the distribution of anti-Jewish boycott leaflets.

The boycott agitation against the Jews has spread to Hamburg and is menacing many Jewish firms, the "Israelitisches Familienblatt" reports.

The boycott, the paper says, is becoming more menacing daily.

In many of the provincial towns, not only merchants, but Jewish physicians and other professionals, are affected.

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thing forbidden, he says, is the sale of dollars at speculators prices.

Tens of thousands of Jews in the small towns of Ukraine have been arrested although they had no money and they were compelled to procure from \$10 to \$20.

"Were the acts of terrorization current in Soviet Russia to take place in any other country there would be numerous protests," writes Ben Zion Katz, "and there would be none of this present hedging about legality or its lack. But where Soviet Russia is concerned, even the American Jewish Congress is not certain in its conception of 'legality,'" he concludes.

Voluntary Assessment of Capital Urged by A. Leo Weil As a Cure for the Depression

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with an income of \$71,000,000,000 per annum. This would yield, if every interest paid its share, nearly \$16,500,000,000. If only 50 per cent paid up it would yield nearly \$8,250,000,000. These figures are given merely as illustrations.

"This assessment could be made, in the judgment of those in charge, upon corporations as well as individuals and be limited, if thought advisable, to those exceeding a certain minimum of income or capital. This fund, through committees appointed by contributors, could be allotted to respective communities. By local committees under the supervision and control of the general committee or state committees, as desired (all appointed by those who contributed to the fund), this money, without any restraints such as apply to funds voted by the government, could be used, to illustrate, to tear down and rebuild the slum districts; to open, widen and improve streets; to open and improve parks, playgrounds, and the like; to build bridges, subways and the like; to improve waterfronts, and to countless other improvements that would permanently benefit and enrich the city.

"These direct activities would employ large numbers of the unemployed, and the structural material—iron, steel, lumber, brick, plumbing, concrete, etc.—would create a demand that would reopen the shutdown industries and give employment to those who have been thrown out of employment by these industries for the want of demand. The wages paid would go into circulation, affecting the department stores and other commercial establishments of every kind, and the demand for supplies of all these would in turn create a market for manufactured goods of every variety, and thus put into operation all of those industries now closed down, the resumption whereof would offer employment. If these improvements were inaugurated in every city in the United States, the imagination would be staggered by the demand for products thereby created," Mr. Weil states.

"This assessment upon capital to cure our present-day ills must be voluntary; it must come from within, not from without, not by government or by force," Mr. Weil asserts. The reward will be great, he states.

Rabbi Alexander S. Kleinfeld of West Palm Beach has accepted a call to Congregation Beth David, of Miami, Florida, the largest conservative congregation in Florida.

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