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Nazi Cabinet Officially Clamps Numerus Clausus On All Jewish Students

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BERLIN, April 26—The Hitler cabinet has at last delivered the official dictum on the limitation of Jewish students in high schools and colleges. The long threatened numerus clausus, reducing Jewish attendance in the schools of higher learning according to the Jewish proportion of the population, is now made law by an edict of the Nazi cabinet. The new law provides that only one and one-half per cent of the students may be non-Aryan.

Wherever the percentage of Jewish students already exceeds this quota, the enrollment of new pupils of the non-Aryan type must be completely discontinued, and the number of Jewish students in attendance must be reduced, for the time being, to five per cent. This means that expulsions will take place in many schools and universities.

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New Ruling Permits More Entries to Palestine

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

JERUSALEM, April 26—A degree of leniency in the capital required of prospective immigrants was indicated today by the High Commissioner, raising the hope that a large number of German-Jews might be admitted to Palestine. The High Commissioner gave instructions to consider favorably applications for visas by individuals of the professional class and of the artisan class who were in the possession of two hundred and fifty pounds or more.

Formerly, the possession of five hundred pounds was required for those in the professional class, while skilled artisans had to have two hundred and fifty pounds.

The suggestion of the Jewish Agency that a new immigrant category for applicants with one hundred fifty pounds of capital was declined.

Budapest Aids Jewish Kehillah

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BUDAPEST, April 26—The Budapest municipality today granted a subsidy of 177,000 pengos for this year to the Jewish community organization. The money is to be used for Jewish religious instruction.

Jew Without a Country Is Worst Sufferer as Nazis Deny Nansen Passport

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BRESLAU, April 26—Holders of the so-called Nansen passports, issued through the International Office for Refugees at Geneva, which is an affiliate of the League of Nations, are becoming the greatest sufferers in the German-Jewish crisis, it was made evident here today. These international passports are of no avail to Jewish residents in Germany, who, when expelled, have nowhere to turn.

A representative of the Jewish Telegraphic Agency reports having personally inspected a notice served to one such "man without a country," ordering him to leave Germany within twenty days, delay being subject to a fine of 130 marks, while protracted delay would result in his being interned in a concentration camp.

Many Breslau Jews are affected by this measure, as a large part of the Jewish population came into Germany from Galicia due to war-time pressure, and many of these refugees did not subsequently succeed in getting Polish passports. The Berlin advocate for the League of Nations, Volkovsky, declared that although he

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Mizrachi Asks Removal Of Dr. Arlosoroff Over Transjordan Negotiations

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

JERUSALEM, April 26—The retirement of Dr. Chayim Arlosoroff, head of the Political Department of the Jewish Agency for Palestine, was demanded today by the world center of the Mizrachi, the orthodox Jewish party. "In view of Dr. Arlosoroff's prejudicial political steps in arranging a meeting with the Arab sheiks in regard to the leasing of land in Transjordan, without previously consulting his colleagues in regard to this affair, we demand his retirement," the Mizrachi resolved.

It is their contention that Dr. Arlosoroff's action greatly damaged the Transjordan project, and they have cabled their resolution to the London Executive of the Jewish Agency for Palestine, while also submitting it to the Palestine Executive.

Dr. Arlosoroff is leaving tomorrow for Europe in connection with the German-Jewish situation.

British Minister Refuses To Divulge Ambassador's Report on Nazi Acts

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

LONDON, April 26—Hope that the British Government might publish the official ambassador's report in regard to the treatment of German Jews was dispelled today by Sir John Simon, Minister of Foreign Affairs, who advised the House of Commons that he considered the practice of disclosing such reports undesirable. Sir John Simon was subjected to a shower of supplementary questions from Members of Parliament, revealing the keen interest of that body in the Jewish question. Barnett Janner, member from Whitechapel, asked whether the German Government had denied the reports of systematic discrimination against the Jews.

Holford Knight, M.P. of Nottingham, suggested that the British Government convey expressions of concern over the situation to the German ambassador, but the speaker of the House intervened before Sir John could reply to this suggestion. More questions were showered upon the Foreign Minister, all tending to extract details about the ambassadorial report, but he declared that the matter was a delicate one, and reiterated his statement that the discussion of the question in Parliament was in itself evidence of British concern for the German Jews. It was a statement similar to this, made just before Easter, that aroused official German protest to the British Foreign Ministry.

Renew Leases at Same Price in Tel Aviv Is Order

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

TEL AVIV, April 26—The sudden influx of German-Jewish immigration to Palestine, adding to the housing shortage which already was acute, has caused the government to take measures to prevent landlords from exploiting the situation. Upon initiative from Jerusalem, the municipality of Tel Aviv has issued an ordinance similar to a war-time measure, extending the tenancy agreements for apartments and shops for another year. The municipality responded to the strong pressure of public opinion to prevent an exorbitant rise in rentals.

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San Francisco Welfare Drive To Continue for Full Quota

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SAN FRANCISCO, April 26—San Francisco's Jewish National Welfare Fund drive has been continued indefinitely, with all of the workers determined to continue their efforts until every cent of the quota of \$200,000 has been raised.

When the closing date of the drive arrived, 64.3 percent of the goal had been attained, despite an intensive canvass of the city. The workers, at their final luncheon rally, resolved to continue the campaign to a successful close "if it takes all summer."

Rabbi Irving F. Reichert, campaign director, was presented with a handsome pen and pencil set at the closing luncheon as a token of appreciation for his work.

Polish Nazis to Confer On Anti-Jewish Activity

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

WARSAW, April 26—A meeting to consider methods of introducing anti-Semitic activity in Poland on a scale and in a manner comparable to that carried on in Germany is being contemplated by the Nationalist Socialists in Poland, it was learned today. The meeting is being projected for April 30, according to the "Hainti Neuyes," a Polish-Jewish newspaper.

Dr. Leopold Alkan Dies

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BERLIN, April 26—Dr. Leopold Alkan, the famous German-Jewish physician, died suddenly yesterday. He was fifty-six years old.

Room for Millions of Jews in Transjordan and Palestine, Says Greenspan

Judge Greenspan, in Radio Address,
Reproves U. S. Government for
Silence on Nazi Anti-Semitism

The United States Government was criticized for its inactivity in regard to the anti-Semitic campaign of the Nazi Government in Germany by Judge Benjamin E. Greenspan in a radio address over Station WOV on Wednesday afternoon. Judge Greenspan asked for a much broader consideration of Jewish settlement in Palestine and Transjordan as the solution for the Jewish problem.

"The universal horror aroused by the anti-Semitic persecutions in Germany has been intensified in recent weeks as it has become evident that protests from abroad have not in the slightest shaken the Nazis in their determination to uproot Jews from all walks of life," said Judge Greenspan. "What has been taking place in Germany is a pogrom, violent and devastating, even though bloodless for the moment."

"There can be no doubt that the program of anti-Semitism has the complete and full-hearted support of the present German administration. Every day new evidence is forthcoming that German Jewry has no reason to expect mercy or leniency from the officials of the country."

"It is incredible that the United States Government has not taken more forceful action than it has exhibited heretofore. At this very moment, our country is engaged in conversations with representatives of other governments to devise plans to end chaos and instability in world affairs. It is impossible to conceive of any solution of the international situation that does not include a satisfactory adjustment of the Jewish problem."

"Millions of Jews in America will not consent to any pact with Germany as long as that country persecutes its Jewish citizens merely because of their faith. It is idle to think that American Jews will eventually cease their protests, merely because outrages upon Jews have taken on an economic instead of a physical character. Every means within their disposal will be utilized by American Jews to make it clear that they will continue a systematic, widespread, effective opposition to the anti-Semitic program of the Nazi Government of Germany."

"But the action to be taken by Jews in America, as in other countries, must have a positive character also."

"It is often heard among those who have but limited statistical knowledge of the resources of Pal-

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Immigration Quota May Be Waived for Citizens' Parents Over Sixty

House Immigration Committee Approves
Dickstein Bill to Allow Citizens
to Bring Aged Parents to U.S.

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

WASHINGTON, April 26—The Congressional Immigration Committee yesterday reported unanimously in favor of the Dickstein Bill which will permit naturalized citizens to bring their parents, if over sixty years of age, into the United States from foreign countries even if the immigration quotas for those countries have already been filled. It is not as yet known when the measure will reach the House for consideration.

Another Dickstein bill, which would automatically grant citizenship to the children of American women who marry foreigners, or of foreign women who have become naturalized citizens, was defeated by the Immigration Committee by a vote of 15 to 4. The passage of the bill was anxiously desired by women who have children living in other countries, and are unable to bring them here because of restrictions. Under the present law, citizenship is granted to children in the case of the father being a citizen, through naturalization or marriage.

One Hundred Delegates Attend Avukah Conference

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

BALTIMORE, April 26—The Eastern Regional Conference of Avukah was held at the Lord Baltimore Hotel, here, last Sunday. Over one hundred delegates attended.

The guest of honor was Dr. Harry Friedenwald, distinguished American Zionist leader, who urged renewed loyalty to the Zionist movement, particularly in consideration of the fact that events have so fully vindicated all previous Zionist arguments.

The Conference also heard messages from Rabbi Edward L. Israel, the president of the Seaboard Zionist Region, and spiritual leader of Har Sinai Temple, and from Harry T. Kellman, president of the Baltimore Zionist District. Miss Rose L. Kornblatt brought the greetings of Junior Hadassah.

The afternoon session of Avukah was devoted to a symposium on "Personal Relationship with Palestine." Joseph Shubow spoke on the investment possibilities. Michael Aharoni described the Chalutz farms near Baltimore where young people are being prepared for settlement in Palestine, and Sol Lippman spoke on working for Palestine in the Diaspora.

American Masonic Lodges Uninformed by Changes Ordered by German Lodges (Jewish Daily Bulletin)

BALTIMORE, April 26—The dissolution of Free Masonic lodges in Germany, as announced by the grand lodges in Berlin, will have no meaning to Masons in this country. George Cook, grand secretary of Masons in Maryland, pointed out that German Masons and Masons here have had no official relations with German lodges since the World War.

The announcement in Germany said that the order would reorganize on a "purely Christian basis," retaining only temporarily the word "Freemason" and the ritual based on the Old Testament. The name will be changed ultimately to "National Christian Order of Frederick the Great."

Jews will not be permitted to join the new German order.

Masons here have few relations with Masonic orders in other countries. Mr. Cook said, except in England, Norway, Sweden and the Netherlands. Most of the other countries have been cut off because they made changes in their religious ritual.

The German lodges, however, cut themselves off from the rest of the world at the time of the war, Mr. Cook said. The relations never have been reestablished. He added that Masons here have no interest in what the Masonic orders in Germany choose to do.

Jewish Charities of Newark Hold Annual Meeting (Jewish Daily Bulletin)

NEWARK, April 26—Fourteen societies associated in the conference of Jewish charities of this city, met on Monday evening, April 24, at the Y.M.-Y.W.H.A. building. According to the report of S. F. Leber, president of the organization, the societies have been able to carry on their community work in spite of curtailed budgets and increased responsibilities during the past year.

Mrs. Leah Frank Segal, executive director of the conference, stressed the need for facilities for youth activities. "The attendance at the Y.M.-Y.W.H.A. for 1932 was 383,000 as compared with 359,000 in 1931," she said. "What are our young boys and girls going to do? In normal times they would be stepping into jobs after graduating from school. Today they stand on the threshold of life bewildered, with no prospect of work; they do not know what to do with their time. At home all is gloom and despair. This special group imperatively needs the service of agencies such as the Neighborhood House, the Jewish Guidance Bureau, and the Y.M.-Y.W.H.A."

Agudath Israel Asks World-Wide Tax for Aid of German Jewry (Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BRUSSELS, April 26 — Jewish communities all over the world are urged to impose a tax upon themselves, consisting of a tax on all their community dues, to be used for the support of the German Jewish Communities, by the Agudath Israel in conference here today. Delegates from France, Italy, England, Belgium, and Holland support the resolution. Rabbis everywhere are asked to appeal for help for the German Talmud Torah schools. The Western bureau of the Agudath Israel is to be transferred to Zurich, and an economic and a legal advisory committee established there for the assistance of German-Jewish refugees.

Polish Jew Stricken Dumb by Nazi Beating (Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

WARSAW, April 26—A sworn deposition describing another of the incredibly brutal assaults of the Nazi storm-troopers was made here today by the Polish-Jewish citizen Knispel, aged 55, who, with his three sons, has just escaped from Berlin.

At three A. M. on April 16, he swears, twenty Nazis broke into his house, beat him unconscious, and took his sons into "protective arrest." The sons were released on the following day, after representations that they were Polish citizens, but Knispel was forced under threat of death to flee Berlin with them. His wife and their younger children remain in Berlin.

Knispel still bore marks of the Nazi beating and tortures. He was so frightened after his experience that he became dumb when he reached the Polish frontier. Unable to answer the questions of the Polish officials, he threw himself into their arms, crying with joy at having escaped alive from Germany.

Mizrachi Women Meet

The Mizrachi Women's Organization of America, representing the orthodox Zionist women of America, held its semi-annual conference, on Monday and Tuesday, April 24 and 25, in the Brooklyn Jewish Center, Brooklyn.

The advance made by the organization since its annual convention in Buffalo, last November, was reviewed at this conference by the national president, Mrs. Adela Goldstein. The national treasurer, Mrs. Abraham Shapiro, reported on the finances of the organization and the secretary's report was given by Mrs. Lillian S. Isaacson, national secretary.

Here Is Cause to Grieve, 5 Widows to Each Widower In the Town of Tel Aviv (Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

JERUSALEM, April 26—Figures on birth and marriage just published here by the government reveal the startling fact that, although the numbers of men and women are almost equal in other respects, there are five times as many widows as widowers among the Jews of Tel Aviv and Jerusalem! The sea-side city has but 501 widowed men, while exactly 2,676 widowed ladies may be counted upon its streets and beaches. In Jerusalem, strange to relate, the number of widowers is exactly the same, 501, while the number of widows is even greater, reaching the grand total of 3,080.

The legend that there are seven girls to one man in Palestine, long honored in folk-lore, seems almost to apply to widows, but its general truth is blasted by the cold figures of the government statistical announcement. For, according to the figures, there are just about as many Jewish women as Jewish men in the country. Of the 175,000 Jews in Palestine, 88,000 are men, and over 86,000 are women, the census reveals.

Tel Aviv has 1,055 women for every 1,000 men. Jerusalem has a shortage, with 977 women to every 1,000 men, and Haifa has but 804 women for every 1,000 men.

The statistics on marriage disclose that thirteen Jews in Palestine who have not yet reached the age of thirteen, are married. Of these, four are men, and nine are women.

The number of divorced Jewish women in Palestine is 582, while only 322 men are divorced. Tel Aviv holds first place as a center for divorced residents.

Jewish Council to Hold Installation Dinner

Delegates from New York Societies, affiliated with the Jewish Council of Greater New York, and members of its executive committee, will assemble at an informal dinner, to be held next Sunday evening, April 30, at 7 o'clock, in the Hotel Imperial, Broadway and 32nd Street, to install the new officers of the Council.

On this occasion a general discussion will be held on the topic of "The present crisis in Jewish life—is there a way out?"

Among the speakers will be Hon. Louis S. Posner, Hon. Carl Sherman, Dr. Mordecai Soltes, Dr. Samuel Margoshes, Abraham Goldberg, and Bernard G. Richards, the new chairman of the Council.

The chairman of the Installation Dinner Committee is Harold S. Budner, and the secretary, M. Mortimer Lancet.

Nazi Cabinet Officially Champs Numerous Clausus On All Jewish Students

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Preference is to be given to the children of Jewish war veterans, and of mixed marriages in which one of the two parents is of the Aryan race, or to children who can boast of a single Aryan grand-parent. This represents a leniency in comparison to the civil service law, which bars anyone who has even one Jewish grand-parent.

The campaign against the Jews who came into Germany from Poland and other Eastern European countries since the war, and who bear the brunt of the Nazi Jew-hatred, is continued through the new student laws. Children of these East-European Jews are altogether barred, even from the high schools. Elementary school attendance is allowed.

The cabinet decree explains that this drastic measure in the field of education is due to the disproportionately high number of Jews in the liberal professions, while there are "hardly any Jewish manual workers." The moral and economic influence of the educated non-Aryans has weakened the strength of the nation, according to the decree.

Dismiss Jewish Professors

Meanwhile the campaign to purge the university faculties of Jewish influence continues unabated. Twenty-six Jewish professors were discharged from the faculties of Prussian universities by Bernhard Rust, Minister of Culture. Eighteen of these professors were on the faculty of the University of Frankfurt-am-Main, seven on the faculty of the University of Göttingen, and one at the University of Marburg.

Among the Frankfurt dismissals was that of Dr. Gotthold Weil, celebrated Orientalist. Professor Weil, who enjoys world renown as an authority on the literature of the East, was at one time chief Orientalist for the Berlin State Library, held an Honorary Professorship in the University of Berlin, and is a member of many societies specializing in problems of Jewish scholarship, acting also in an advisory capacity for this department of the Hebrew University in Jerusalem.

Youth Society Expels Jewish Unit

In spite of the Nazi declaration that the government desires to encourage the development of a larger working class among the Jewish population, the Jewish Youth Association, whose purpose conforms to this tendency, has been expelled from the general German Youth Association. This means that the Jewish organization will lose its right to benefit by the government

Mount Vernon Campaign Committee Aids German Jews

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

MOUNT VERNON, N. Y., April 26.—An active committee to aid the persecuted Jews of Germany has been formed by the Jewish community of Mount Vernon. The United Jewish Campaign Committee, which began its activities with a mass meeting on Sunday, April 23, is now engaged in active relief for Jews in Germany.

The executive committee includes Leo Mann, chairman; Samuel Bashlow, treasurer, and Theodore Charnas, Harry P. Fierst, Julius Klausner, Jr., Edgar A. Pollack, Charles Ress, Henry Y. Schoorler, and Edward C. Weinrib. Isador Kadis is campaign director, Elliott Cohen is recording secretary, and Samuel B. Kaufman is executive secretary.

The campaign committee is also organized to aid the needy Jews of other European countries through the Joint Distribution Committee, to support the Jewish Agency for Palestine, the American Jewish Committee, and the American Jewish Congress.

A large sum of money for relief work was collected at the first meeting, which was addressed by Morris Rothenberg, Rabbi Elias Margolis, Dr. William Holmes, Superintendent of Mount Vernon schools; the Rev. Carl L. Weist of the Community Church, and others.

support which is given to Youth groups.

The general campaign to eliminate Jews from all fields of public activity has been extended into the field of sports and even of chess. All German chess clubs have been brought together into the "Grossdeutsche Schachbund," to be headed by the Nazi, Herr Pruske. Jews, always prominent in the chess world, are to be barred.

The Union of German Professional Boxers has published a list of rules which will effectively destroy Jewish participation in that sport. German boxers are ordered to tear up any contract with a Jewish manager, are forbidden to engage Jewish doctors, dentists, or lawyers. Jewish members are ruled off the lists of the clubs, and Jews are forbidden entrance to club-rooms. Bouts financed even in part by Jewish capital are outlawed.

Max Schmeling, the former heavyweight champion, has, however, so far retained his Jewish manager. Schmeling is at present in Portland, Me., with Joe Jacobs, his manager. "Sports have nothing to do with a national movement of this kind," Schmeling said on his recent return from Germany. Joe Jacobs asserted that they would "simply ignore" the Nazis.

Room for Millions of Jews in Transjordan and Palestine, Says Greenspan

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estine that Palestine cannot be considered in any comprehensive plan to meet the tragedy of the Jewish people in Europe. But expert findings have shown that there is room in Palestine for anywhere between 2,000,000 and 3,000,000 Jews. Moreover, in the country east of Palestine, which is called Transjordan and which was always an integral part of Palestine until 1922, when an artificial division was created, there is room for additional millions, for the soil of Transjordan is even more fertile than that of Palestine.

"The time has come when the Jewish people and the world at large must think of Palestine in terms larger than a meagre annual immigration of two to five thousand Jews. The Jewish problem is too vast and too pressing to be met by this tiny trickle of Jews into the only country that promises them a haven of refuge.

"If the Jewish problem is to be met realistically, it must be admitted that there is no economic future for hundreds of thousands of Jews in various lands of Europe. They are doomed to destruction because the most vicious forms of chauvinism have made the Jews the first target of their attacks. Outlawed economically, socially, politically and even educationally, thousands of Jews face a living death. It is to avoid this wholesale slaughter that we plead that more room be created in Palestine for these victims of medievalism in our time."

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might be able to help non-Jewish refugees, "it would be hopeless to attempt to intervene with the authorities in regard to Jews."

The Community organization succeeded in securing some visas from the Portuguese government for these aliens, but these are insufficient, and though it is rumored that a special League Commission will be appointed to settle their problem, thus far nothing has materialized.

The possibility of sending a number of German-Jewish doctors to India is being investigated by Jewish medical organizations abroad. Meanwhile the world-famous cancer research specialist, Dr. Ferdinand Blumenthal of Berlin, has submitted his resignation from the directorship of the Berlin Cancer Institute to the Minister of Education.