

More Wholesale Dismissals Of World Famous Scholars Ordered by Nazi Minister

Jewish Chemists, Surgeons, Diplomats, Lawyers Banned from Colleges, Hospitals and Courts

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BERLIN, May 3—One more German-Jewish Nobel prize winner, twenty-one professors at the University of Berlin, nine at the University of Cologne, a world-famous surgeon and a world-famous neurologist, were dismissed from their posts today as Bernhard Rust, Nazi Minister of Education for Prussia, continued the work of eliminating "Jewish influence" from German cultural centers. Meanwhile systematic instructions were given to libraries for preparing books of Jewish authorship for the auto-da-fé on May 10. All libraries have been instructed to turn over such books to the authorities, and special squads of Nazis are touring the residential districts, collecting "fodder" for the flames. Students have been instructed to turn in all text-books that are of Jewish authorship. Universities also extended their boycott on Jewish culture into the fields of commerce, forbidding the purchase of ink, paper, and other school supplies from Jewish shops, for fear that the taint of Jewish culture might reach the students through such contact. The University of Frankfurt ordered that all agreements with Jewish supply firms

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Importation of Kosher Meat Forbidden by Nazi Office

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BERLIN, May 3—State Secretary Von Rohr today requested the Minister of the Interior to prohibit the importation of kosher meat. Since the Nazis have forbidden slaughter of meat according to Jewish ritual, some importation of kosher meat from Denmark has been organized. At first, it was announced that any such importation would have to be conducted through Nazi firms. The latest decision, to altogether bar such imports, declares that the commerce in kosher meat is injurious to German industry.

German Christians Ask Law Banning Conversion, Intermarriage of Jews

Intermarriages Considered "Jewification" of German Nation

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BERLIN, May 3—The prohibition of Jewish conversions to Christianity and of intermarriages between Jews and Germans is contemplated by the Nazi government, following the demand of the German Christians, which is the Nazi church organization. The Nazi clergy demands a law prohibiting intermarriage, with a heavy fine for both parties in the event of disobedience.

It is pointed out that during the last 25 years, 30,000 intermarriages were registered. This is considered as "Jewification" of the German nation. During the same period, there were 21,000 Jews converted to Protestantism in Prussia alone.

Prevent Jewish Lawyers from Arbitrating Jewish Cases

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BERLIN, May 3—Attempts by Jewish lawyers to establish arbitration courts for the settlement of disputes between Jews were checked today by the Nazi government, which made it clear that all legal disputes must be handled by the regular government courts. The purpose of the proposed arbitration courts was twofold, first, to avoid, under the present circumstances, the bringing of Jewish disputes to the attention of the general public; and secondly, to provide some means of livelihood for Jewish lawyers, since all local courts have now informed the Jewish lawyers who remain in practice that any attempt on their part to appear and handle cases in court will be useless.

Egyptian Government Admits Two Hundred German Jews

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

CAIRO, May 3—The Egyptian government has authorized residence in Egypt for two hundred Jewish doctors and lawyers who are compelled to leave Germany. They will be permitted to practice their professions here.

All Shades of British Public Opinion Support German Jews—Goldsmid

Jewish Agency Leader Arrives Here to Coordinate British, American Jewish Action on Nazi Question

D'avigdor Goldsmid, former President of the Board of Jewish Deputies in London and chairman of the Executive of the Jewish Agency, arrived in New York yesterday on the S.S. Majestic. He will participate in a number of conferences here on the situation of the Jews in Germany and also on the Jewish problem in Palestine.

"I have arrived in New York in order to have a private interchange of views with some of my American friends with regard to the situation in Germany, and in that connection, various Palestine problems will also be discussed," the noted English-Jewish leader declared in an interview with a representative of the Jewish Telegraphic Agency on his arrival.

"My colleagues on the other side of the Atlantic felt that full and accurate knowledge of American Jewish opinion would be of the utmost value to them and would doubtless enable them to direct their policy and energies along parallel lines. I need hardly repeat here as you are probably quite familiar with our views, that the efforts of Anglo-Jewry are being directed against the discrimination on grounds of race or creed exercised by the German Government, and it is our determination to do our utmost to prevent the German Jews from being permanently degraded to a position of lower class citizens," declared Mr. Goldsmid, adding that "all shades of

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Arrest Nazi Speaker for Threat on Polish Jews

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

LODZ, May 3—The German Socialist councillor, Gustave Wald, was arrested here today for threatening Jews in a public address. "Your time will come," he said, predicting that Nazi anti-Semitism would find a way to attack Polish Jewry. "You are not safe forever, although you are now protected by Yossele." The "Yossele" referred to is Joseph Pilsudski, Polish dictator.

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American Jewish Congress To Meet in Washington

The annual meeting of the American Jewish Congress will be held in Washington, D. C., instead of in New York, from May 20 to May 22, it was announced by the Administrative Committee of the Congress today.

The change in the seat of the Congress was decided upon following a meeting of the Committee. The annual meeting will devote itself to a discussion of the desperate plight of German Jewry and to further action to be taken in their behalf.

Organize Bronx Branch

The organization of a permanent branch of the American Jewish Congress in the Bronx, where six hundred Jews reside, will be brought about at a meeting of Jewish organizations in Bronx County on the evening of May 8 at the Bronx Y. M. H. A., Fulton Avenue and 171st Street.

A call to the conference was issued by a committee headed by I. Teitelbaum as chairman.

Dr. Stephen S. Wise, honorary president, and Bernard S. Deutsch, president of the American Jewish Congress, will address the conference.

A large number of Bronx Jewish organizations are already cooperating in the work of the Congress, and it is desired to unite them in a permanent organization.

Rodeph Shalom Choral Society of Forty Voices, under the direction of Cantor Nathan G. Meltzoff, will render Gounod's Cantata "Gallia" with Miss Viola Philo, Soloist, next Sunday morning, May 7th, 10:30 o'clock, at Temple Rodeph Shalom, 7 West 83rd St., near Central Park West. The public is invited.

Louis Kärstein Again Heads Associated Philanthropies

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

BOSTON, May 3—Louis E. Kärstein was re-elected president of the Associated Jewish Philanthropies at a meeting of the board of trustees at the Obabei Shalom Temple Center, Brookline, last night. He has served continuously as president since the organization of the Philanthropies to succeed the Federated Jewish Charities four years ago.

Judge Abraham K. Cohen was elected first vice-president, and Mrs. Hyman Freiman, Albert A. Ginzberg, Albert W. Kaffenburgh, Judge Jacob J. Kaplan, and Henry Penn, vice-presidents. Others named to office are Casper M. Grosberg, treasurer; Morris Morse and Joseph Rabinovitz, assistant treasurers; Max E. Bernkopf, secretary, and Dr. B. M. Selekman, executive director.

Six trustees-at-large were also designated to fill vacancies on the board. Judge Lewis Goldberg and Mrs. Lyman Lehrburger were elected for three-year terms and Mrs. Max E. Bernkopf, Jacob Blume, Adolph Giesberg and Philip Smith for two years.

Bernard Richards Breaks In on Pro-German Lecture

An impromptu debate on the German-Jewish question took place in Town Hall on Tuesday morning when Bernard G. Richards, executive secretary of the American Jewish Congress, broke into a lecture by Ellery Walter, author and traveler, who was explaining the Nazi anti-Semitic policies. Mr. Richards objected to Mr. Walter's statement that the atrocity stories on German-Jewish persecutions were exaggerated, and offered to show proof of excesses committed by the Nazis.

"I am no Nazi," the lecturer declared. But he asserted that the news on anti-Semitism has been given emphasis "out of all proportion" to the news of what is happening in Germany.

Robert E. Ely, director of the League for Political Education, which sponsored the lecture, permitted Mr. Richards to come up from the audience and state his point of view, in reply to Mr. Ellery. Mr. Richards said he would show documents and letters testifying to the brutal assaults on Jews in Germany, in controversy of Mr. Ely's remark that there was "a lot of atrocity bunk" being published about the German-Jewish situation.

Rabbi A. B. Reines sails for Palestine on the Vulcania on May 6. He is taking with him 38 volumes of manuscripts by his father, the late Rabbi Yitzchak Ya'akov Reines, gaon of Lidov. Some of these works will be published in Palestine.

War Veterans to Issue Nazi Boycott Seals

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

NEWARK, May 3—Jewish war veterans at a state convention here heartily approved the steps being taken by the national administration of the Jewish War Veterans of the United States to institute a boycott against all German-made goods as a retaliatory measure against Hitler and the Nazis.

J. George Fredman, of Jersey City, commander-in-chief of the Veterans, in a spirited address to the convention, declared that "pusyfooting must cease and American Jewry must take steps to vigorously combat the Nazi persecutors." He announced that placards and special seals—the latter similar to Christmas seals—bearing the inscription: "For Humanity's Sake, Boycott German Goods", will be ready for coast to coast distribution, within a few days.

Fredman also declared that the Veterans' administration did not favor participation in the proposed May 10 protest demonstrations, rather adhering to the viewpoint that an international boycott would be the only effective medium for fighting Hitlerism.

Announcement was made at the convention that the Veterans would hold their annual national encampment in Atlantic City over the Fourth of July week-end. Herman W. Brams, Newark lawyer, was re-elected state commander.

Menorah Writers, Artists Meet on Book-Burning Day

On the date decreed by the "neo-medieval government of Germany" for an auto-da-fé of books by Jewish authors, the Menorah Society will conduct a symposium on "The Function of the Artist in These Times" at the Park Crescent Hotel, Riverside Drive and 87th Street. Prominent artists and writers will lead the discussion, which will take place after a dinner for the group. Lee Simonon, theatrical designer, Diego Rivera, distinguished painter, and Gilbert Seldes, author, will be the chief speakers.

"We propose to re-examine the rights and duties of freedom of thought and expression—the place of the critic and creative artist—in modern civilized society," the Society announces.

"It is a grave error to isolate the present persecution of the Jews in Germany from the Nazi persecution of all liberals and republicans, even though the German Jews are by no means all liberals and republicans. For thus we permit the Nazis to draw a Jewish red herring across the basic issues of humanity and freedom that are involved."

All Cleveland Religious Bodies to Pray Nazis May Cease Persecutions

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

CLEVELAND, May 3—The Cleveland Fellowship of Faiths today issued a letter calling upon all the clergy of Cleveland to set aside Sunday, May 7, as a day for special prayer that the Nazi administration of Germany may give up its policy of religious and racial persecution, and refrain from the proposed public burnings of books of Jewish authorship on May 10.

The letter is signed by Rabbi Abraham Nowak, executive chairman of the Cleveland Fellowship of Faiths; Dr. Charles Thwing, president emeritus of the Western Reserve University; Dr. Arthur Culler, president of the Ministers' Association; Dr. Don Tullis, secretary of the Federated Churches; Rev. Fred Adams, president of the Episcopal Clergy; Leo Weidenthal, editor of the Jewish Independence; and Mrs. Jennie K. Zwick, president of the Cleveland committee of the American Jewish Congress.

New Revisionist Organ To Appear in Warsaw

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

WARSAW, May 3—"Die Welt" is the name of a new Zionist-Revisionist organ which will shortly appear here.

It will support Vladimir Jabotinsky's policies within the Revisionist movement and will particularly combat the adherents to the idea of class-struggle.

Sunday Is Flower Day For Palestine Pioneers

The tenth annual Flower Day of the National Labor Committee for the Jewish Workers and Pioneers in Palestine, will be held all over the country Saturday evening and Sunday, May 6 and 7.

The proceeds of this Flower Day will be used to a great extent in receiving the new immigrants who are arriving daily in Palestine from Europe and to make possible their establishment in the country on a sound economic basis.

Polish Rabbis Support Boycott

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

WARSAW, May 3—The orthodox rabbinate of Poland, through its association, the Agudath Harabanim, today announced its support of a general boycott of German goods. In reply to a query from the Union of Orthodox Rabbis of the United States and Canada, the Agudath cabled: "We support, with full religious and social authority, the protest against the murderous National Socialists, and approve an unconditional boycott on all German goods."

Is Hitlerism a Disease?

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

CHICAGO, Ill., May 3—"Is Hitlerism a Disease or a Philosophy?" will be debated by two outstanding authorities on German Jewish relations before a public gathering in the Grand ballroom of the Hotel LaSalle, tomorrow evening. Dr. Solomon Goldman of Temple Anshe Emet will preside. That Hitlerism is a disease of the mass mind and must be treated as such will be argued by Maurice Samuel, author and orator and a leading authority on international Jewish affairs.

Dr. Max S. Melamed will defend the view that Hitlerism is a knowingly accepted philosophy of action for which the German people must answer to humanity. Dr. Melamed is the author of a book, "Buddha and Spinoza," shortly to be published by the University of Chicago Press.

Portland Congregation Marks 75th Anniversary

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

PORTLAND, Ore., May 3—Congregation Beth Israel of Portland, the oldest Jewish institution in the Pacific Northwest, will celebrate its seventy-fifth anniversary May 4-5-6.

Governor Julius L. Meier is president of the Congregation, and Dr. Henry J. Berkowitz is Rabbi.

The celebration is being opened by a congregational dinner presided over by Governor Meier. Adolph Wolfe, whose eighty-fifth birthday falls upon the congregational anniversary, is chairman of the Anniversary Committee. Mr. Wolfe is an honorary member of the Board of American Hebrew Congregations. Roscoe C. Nelson is acting as master of ceremonies at the dinner.

The speakers at the special services to be held Friday evening, May 5, and Saturday morning, May 6, are: Rabbi Samuel Koch, Seattle; Rabbi Irving F. Reichert, San Francisco; Rabbi Adolph Fink, Spokane; and Rabbi Max J. Merritt, Berkeley, Cal. Congregation Beth Israel was founded by pioneers in 1858. Most of the early Jewish settlers came across the plains by wagon train and founded their Congregation when there were only 1,200 people living in Portland.

Abraham G. Duker, who has been affiliated with the Library of the Jewish Theological Seminary of America during the past seven years, has been awarded the Miller Foundation Fellowship in Jewish History at Columbia University. He plans to sail for Poland to continue his researches in the field of Polish history. He has studied under the direction of Professors Salo Baron and Carlton J. E. Haynes in the Graduate School of Columbia University, during the past three years.

Dr. Jung Has Proof That Atrocity Denials Violate Established Facts

Before departing for Palestine and other countries of the Near East, as well as Western Europe, Dr. Leo Jung, Rabbi of the Jewish Centre, 131 W. 86th St., and member of the Editorial Board of "The Jewish Forum", made the statement that he received information from an absolutely reliable source which convinces him that the cable from Dr. Munk, head of the Orthodox Jewish Community of Berlin, denying the widespread excesses in Germany, did not correspond with the facts.

"There is incontrovertible evidence," Dr. Jung said, "that at least 70 Jews were cruelly murdered by the Nazis and a great number brutally ill-treated. I wish to emphasize that the cold-blooded and unfortunately successful system instituted by the German government to starve out the Jewish populace represents a still more heinous crime, the full story of which cannot be told before the German government removes its water-tight censorship."

The occasion was a farewell reception and Bon Voyage Tea tendered the Rev. Dr. Leo Jung in the auditorium of the Spanish and Portuguese Synagogue, 2 W. 70th St., under the auspices of the Women's Association of "The Jewish Forum." Mrs. Rebecca Kohut, President of the World Organization of Jewish Women, presided, and among the speakers were Mrs. Moses Hyamson, Mrs. Herbert S. Goldstein, Mrs. David de Sola Pool, Mrs. Nina H. Adlerblum, Mrs. Leo Jung, Rev. Dr. David de Sola Pool, Prof. A. Broderick Cohen, Director of the Evening Session of Hunter College, and Isaac Rosengarten, Editor of "The Jewish Forum."

Nazi Jew-Haters Incite Raids in East Galicia

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

LEMBERG, May 3—Ukrainians are raiding Jewish communities in many localities in East Galicia, it is reported here today. The attacks are particularly numerous in and around Stanislaw. Jewish residents report that the raids are due to propaganda spread by German anti-Semitic agents.

Dismisses Jewish Teachers from Lemberg German Schools

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

LEMBERG, May 3—With the spread of Nazi propaganda here, the Association of German Schools in Lemberg has dismissed all Jewish instructors from local German schools.

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be abrogated, and forbade renewal of any such contracts.

Prof. Fritz Haber, head of the department of physical chemistry in the Kaiser Wilhelm Institute of Berlin, and winner in 1918 of the Nobel prize in chemistry, headed today's contingent in the exodus of Jewish intellect from German institutions of learning. He is famous for the invention of a process of obtaining nitrogen from the atmosphere. Two assistants, Prof. Freundlich and Polyani, resigned with him.

Oust Famous Surgeon

At the Moabit hospital, Prof. Moritz Burchard, chief of the surgical department since 1919, vice-president of the Berlin Medical Association, and a member of the presiding board of the Red Cross in Germany, tendered a requested resignation. He was accompanied in his action by Prof. K. Goldstein, head of the department for nervous diseases, who at one time taught at Frankfort University. Prof. Goldstein's resignation was also at the request of the authorities. The Moabit hospital is attached to the Berlin university as a surgical clinic.

Prof. Ferdinand Blumenthal, specialist in cancer research, and Prof. Friedrich Friedmann, specialist in tuberculosis, and Prof. Victor Jollas of the department of biology of the Kaiser Wilhelm Institute were among the dismissed scholars.

Students Want More Dismissals

At the same time the German Student's League of the University of Berlin announced that these dismissals were not sufficient, as some German-Jewish professors still remained in the colleges, their dismissal being precluded by the official regulation against the expulsion of Jewish professors with an active war record. The Studentschaft called upon all German students to boycott the classes of these professors.

"No German student shall attend lectures by any Jewish instructor," the league ordained. "German students shall not have the foundations of their knowledge and thinking dictated by Jews."

Warn Against Sympathy

Even non-Jewish professors who, like Dr. Eduard Kohlrausch, former rector of the University of Berlin, express a sympathy for their Jewish colleagues, are threatened with severe measures of reprisal. Students, likewise, are warned to adhere to the Aryan dictates.

"We shall not hesitate," the Minister of Education proclaimed, "to expel from the university students who permit themselves to be misled for creating disturbances. Teachers who defame the German

Mass Meeting on Germany

"What Must Jews Learn from Recent Events in Germany?" will be the topic of a group of speakers at a mass meeting for East Side Jews to be held at the Roumanian-American Congregation, 89 Rivington St., on Sunday evening, May 7, according to an announcement by Morris Goldstein, president of the congregation, who will preside.

The speakers include Congressman Samuel Dickstein, chairman of the House Immigration Committee; Judge Benjamin E. Greenspan, Ephraim Caplan and Morris Zeldin.

\$25 Dinner for Palestine Fund

The Jewish community of Eastern Parkway will make its contribution to the rebuilding of the Jewish National Home in Palestine through a \$25 dinner on behalf of the American Palestine Campaign on Tuesday evening, May 9, at the Brooklyn Jewish Center, 667 Eastern Parkway, the officers of the Eastern Parkway division of the drive have announced.

The committee sponsoring the event consists of Rabbi I. H. Levinthal, Milton J. Goell, Morris Miller, Max Leff, William I. Siegel, Isidore Fine and Jacob Goell.

university system and our new Germany through inopportune and unjustifiable declarations shall be eliminated."

Foreign Office Adviser Dismissed

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BERLIN, May 3—Prof. Eugene Mittwoch, German-Jewish adviser to the foreign office, who succeeded the late Dr. Walter Sobernheim, was relieved of his post today. The position was an honorary one.

Hamburg Expels Lawyers Who Were Re-admitted

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

HAMBURG, May 3—Forty-four Jewish lawyers who were permitted to practice after the modification of the quota rules in regard to Jewish members of the bar were again officially expelled today. Hamburg was one of the few cities where the government decree for the re-admission of Jewish lawyers who were war veterans was put into practice by the court authorities.

Heinrich Heine Monument Descended in Frankfurt

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

FRANKFORT, May 3—The Frankfort monument to the great German-Jewish poet, Heinrich Heine, was found overturned today. The perpetrators of the deed are unknown. The monument, however, will not be set up again in the public square. Authorities have ordered its removal to the Frankfort museum.

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public opinion in England, are practically without exception, in full sympathy with our views."

Mr. Goldsmid was greeted at the pier by Felix M. Warburg, his host during his stay here, and by Joseph C. Hyman, general secretary of the Joint Distribution Committee. Arriving on the same boat with Mr. Goldsmid were Dr. Maurice Hexter, member of the Executive of the Jewish Agency in Palestine and director of the Palestine Emergency Fund, and Leib Jaffe, director of the Keren Hayesod, who left directly for Canada, where he will speak before many Jewish communities in behalf of Palestine settlement.

Mr. Goldsmid will be the guest at a meeting of the American representatives of the Jewish Agency at the Astor Hotel on Saturday evening.

Illinois Lodges Convene

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

CHICAGO, May 3—Henry Pitzele, past grand master of the Independent Order Free Sons of Israel, was elected president of the Union of Jewish Fraternal Orders of Illinois for the coming year at the organization meeting of that body held at the Hotel Sherman last Sunday. Mr. Pitzele was vice-president of the Union for the past year. Jacob W. Schwartz, the retiring president, was unanimously elected honorary president.

More than 70 fraternal lodges in Illinois were represented by delegates at the meeting. The delegates present represented more than 20,000 members of fraternal organizations in this state.

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