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LEGAL COMMITTEE OVERRIDES GERMAN CLAIMS, COUNCIL TAKES UP BERNHEIM CASE TUESDAY

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

GENEVA, June 1—The committee of jurists to which the Council of the League of Nations on Monday referred questions regarding the validity of the Bernheim petition against violation of Jewish rights in Upper Silesia, raised by the German delegation, has rejected the German claims, it was learned today.

The Council is expected to meet next Tuesday to consider the committee's report.

The committee, composed of Dr. Max Huber, former Swiss vice-president of the Council; Dr. Manuel Pedrosa, of Spain, and Dr. Maurice Bourquin, of Belgium, met yesterday and considered the German objections. Their decision that the claims were baseless, was unanimous, it was learned.

A German representative appeared before the committee this afternoon in support of the German contentions that the petition was invalid since Bernheim was not a resident of Upper Silesia, and that in any case, his claim for damages brought the matter within the province of the Upper Silesian courts.

A Polish representative also addressed the committee. Poland is an interested party in the case since the Upper Silesian territory is administered under the terms of a German-Polish convention. League juridical circles professed the opin-

ion today that the committee verdict would of necessity be against Germany.

Impressive Jewish Victory

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

GENEVA, May 30—An impressive Jewish victory was achieved today when the world powers through their representatives in the Council of the League of Nations, unanimously condemned Germany for depriving the Jews of their rights referring not only to Upper Silesia but to the entire Reich.

Despite all efforts of the German representatives as late as this morning, to have the Bernheim case shelved, the matter came up at today's meeting when Sean Lester, rapporteur on minorities, declared

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Otto Schick, editor of the Berlin bureau of the Jewish Telegraphic Agency, has been arrested by the Nazi authorities, according to word received here yesterday. The American State Department will be asked to intervene to secure his release.

NOTED STATESMEN JOIN JEWISH AGENCY PLEA FOR PALESTINE AS REFUGE FOR GERMAN JEWS

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

LONDON, May 29—An appeal to the Jews of the world to rally in support of establishment of a Jewish national home in Palestine in order to provide a refuge for the Jews of Germany was issued here today by the Jewish Agency for Palestine, the body recognized under the terms of the Palestine mandate as the official Jewish instrument in settlement of Palestine.

Among the signatories to the appeal are David Lloyd George and General Jan Smuts, South African leader, who together with the late Lord Balfour were responsible for issuance of the Balfour Declaration pledging Great Britain to aid in the establishment of a Jewish National Home in Palestine, and Lord Robert Cecil, noted British statesman.

Austrian Nazis, Dollfuss Negotiations Disclosed

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

VIENNA, June 1—Nazi negotiations with Chancellor Engelbert Dollfuss during the last few weeks, with a view to forming a Nazi coalition government for Austria, were disclosed today, startling Democratic and particularly Jewish circles which fear that the danger of sudden assumption of power by the Nazis is not passed.

Chancellor Dollfuss, in an official communique confirmed reports of the negotiations but denied that any coalition had been effected.

It is interesting, however, that the Christian Socialist leader, Minister of War Vaugoin, issued a complete denial. This is believed due to the fact that the most influential Christian Socialists favor a coalition with the brown shirts.

The revelations explain the evident reluctance of Chancellor Dollfuss to prohibit the Nazi party in Austria. The Nazis have threatened to make further revelations substantiated by documents of government ministers. The authorities, therefore, have undertaken diligent searches of Nazi quarters and offices and the homes of Nazi leaders with the purpose of confiscating incriminating documents.

Commons Discusses Action On Bernheim Petition

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

LONDON, June 1—The Bernheim petition before the League of Nations Council at Geneva was discussed in the House of Commons this afternoon when Geoffrey Mander, National Labor member, inquired regarding the stand of the British representatives on the matter.

Sir John Simon, Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, in reply gave a full description of the Council's discussion, stressing particularly the declaration of Captain Anthony Eden, British representative, in support of the report submitted by Sean Lester, rapporteur on the question.

American Leaders to Voice Protest Against Hitlerism

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

WASHINGTON, June 1—Outstanding Americans from varied fields of life will meet here at the Mayflower Hotel Monday, at the American National Conference Against Racial Persecution in Germany. The conference is expected to be one of the most significant pro-

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Commissar Warns Nazis Against Interference With Industrial Enterprises

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

MUNICH, June 1.—That a number of municipalities have recently circularized a large number of trades and industries with a questionnaire asking whether Jewish capital is invested in them and whether they have Jews on their staffs, was revealed here in a letter from Nazi Commissioner of Industries, Wagener, to the chairman of the political department of the Nazi party, Fiedler, who is also mayor of Munich.

Wagener points out in his letter that the circular caused a disturbance in the economic situation which he said was harmful although it was motivated by the best purposes.

"The enterprises," he said, "even if foreign capital is invested in them, or if they are conducted by non-Germans, must not be destroyed, but compelled to act as German, namely in the spirit of general utility." He requested Fiedler to use his influence in preventing distribution of similar questionnaires in future, simultaneously pointing out that naturally, municipalities are expected to order their supplies only from German firms.

Rundschau Sees Hope

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BERLIN, June 1.—The Juedische Rundschau sees hopes of a return of a number of businesses to the hands of their former Jewish owners in an announcement of Commissar of Industry Wagener, threatening punishment of self-appointed commissars. The paper hopes that as a result of this announcement, many of the suspected self-appointed commissars who have taken over Jewish firms without authorization and dismissed Jewish employees, will vanish.

Even Jewish attorneys who have been readmitted to practice have been turned into second-class lawyers.

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Mannheim Students Limit Jews in University

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

MANNHEIM, Germany, June 1.—Students at the University of Mannheim, after negotiations with the university senate, announced that, in the future, Jews would not be admitted to the institution in a proportion exceeding one and a half per cent. No Jewish students, except those who are now concluding their studies, will be given an opportunity to graduate from the school of commerce.

It is pointed out, however, that this application of the numerus clausus is superfluous since the proportion of Jewish students is in any case less than one per cent.

Trotzky to Go to Russia

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

ISTANBUL, May 31.—Leon Trotzky, exiled Russian Bolshevik leader, may soon leave Prinkipo on Prince's Island, where he has spent most of his period of exile, to return to Russia, he revealed today to a correspondent of the Jewish Telegraphic Agency.

Asked regarding current rumors that he had made his peace with Josef Stalin, general secretary of the Communist Party and Soviet dictator, Trotzky declared: "My return to Russia is likely in the very near future."

He did not amplify this statement.

Nazis Boo Appointment

Of Kelsen to Prague Post

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

PRAGUE, May 31.—German Nazi university students here demonstrated for ten minutes with a series of derisive cat-calls and shouts of "Out with Jewish professors!" against the contemplated appointment of Professor Kelsen, one of the Jewish professors ousted from German universities by the Nazis, to the chair of politics and constitutional law at the University of Prague.

Professor Kelsen is one of the group of professors mentioned in connection with the "University in Exile" which the New School of Social Research is seeking to establish in New York.

Oust Jewish Traders

From Market Places

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BERLIN, May 30.—Official measures for the ousting of Jewish traders were announced today in the publication of the small traders, exhibitors and market vendors. The paper quotes the official Nazi management resolutions that Jews must be radically uprooted from markets and fairs except the certified Jewish war veterans, who are to receive different treatment, and points out that the process of ousting Jews is already in full swing.

It reports that a Jewish woman who has had a market booth in the town of Konstanz for years has been informed that, in the future, she can sell only to Jews, while in Darmstadt Jewish applications for trading visas were returned with the remark that "Jewish traders cannot be allotted stalls in our markets."

At Frankfurt, the Jews have been expelled since April. Regulations of the central authorities governing the matter are as yet unavailable and it is not yet known whether the Nazi traders are acting independently or with government sanction.

Police Raid Jewish Homes, Synagogue In Grenadierstrasse

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BERLIN, May 31.—Under personal supervision and direction of Admiral von Levetzow, the police president, a widespread raid was made on the Grenadierstrasse, main artery in the Jewish quarter of the city yesterday afternoon. Many locked houses were broken into, cellars and attics were searched thoroughly and an undetermined quantity of personal possessions and valuables confiscated.

Thirty-four, including nine women, were arrested and turned over to the political police because they had no identification papers at the time they were seized.

The German press, in a detailed description of the raid, states that the police entered one house which was arranged as a private synagogue while the sacramental candles were still burning and a group of worshippers prayed in preparation for the Jewish holiday which began yesterday at sun-down. In the synagogue were also several elderly Jews who had fled to it as a place of refuge in the confusion attendant on the raid.

Two boxes, containing many old silver coins, were broken open by the police. The press, however, did not state that these boxes were for charity collections.

The home of a rabbi living at No. 14, on the Grenadierstrasse, who had been drawing relief from the Jewish community, was searched and revealed, according to the press; a five-dollar bill, eleven marks and a savings account book allegedly showing deposits of 2,500 marks.

From the cellars of private homes along the street, the police dragged out and confiscated cases of clothes and valuables including watches and jewelry.

Should Sterilize Jews Nazi Doctor Advises

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BERLIN, June 1.—Sterilization of the Jewish population of Germany is recommended by the medical counselor, Dr. Vellguth, writing in the journal of the Hartmannbund, a physicians' organization. He suggests sterilization for seven categories of people—feeble-minded, lunatics, epileptics, criminals, deaf and dumb mutes, tubercular and "foreign races", in which category Vellguth includes Jews, Negroes and Mongols, who could be sterilized with impunity and regardless of whether they are healthy or defective.

In order to induce the "foreign race" elements to submit to sterilization, Vellguth recommends that the state offer them a special premium.

Houghton Attacked For Interview Here On German Situation

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BERLIN, May 29—An attack upon Alanson B. Houghton, former American Ambassador to Great Britain, who recently returned to the United States after a trip to Germany, is made in the *Juedische Rundschau*, one of the most influential Jewish newspapers in Germany.

Quoting an interview Mr. Houghton gave the press in New York, in which he declared he found only quietness and peace and did not see any molestation or agitation against the Jews, the paper says:

"Should the interview be correct, then the former Ambassador has rendered no good service to Germany because not a single leading German personality, including members of the Government, even attempt to deny anti-Jewish agitation. The Nazis base their anti-Jewish agitation on arguments emerging from their 'weltanschauung' with which, with due respect, we disagree. If the Ambassador supports this 'weltanschauung', he is entitled to say so. But when he declared he never heard of anti-Jewish agitation, at a time when the entire German press daily speaks of it, then indeed he is a rare ambassador."

Canada Moves to Aid Jews of Germany

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

TORONTO, June 1—An investigation by E. J. Skelton, Canadian Undersecretary for External Affairs, while in Europe, substantiates reports of Jewish persecutions in Germany. Premier Bennett notified Samuel Factor of Toronto, a Jewish member of the Dominion Parliament. Consequently, the Premier has instructed the Canadian representative at Geneva, to take appropriate action.

Jewish members of the Parliament, in Ottawa, appealed to Premier Bennett in behalf of the Jews of Germany recently. The investigation by Mr. Skelton and the premier's subsequent instructions to the League envoy followed.

Name Young's Successor

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

LONDON, June 1—The Colonial Office formally announced the appointment yesterday of John Hatborn Hall, an official in the department, as successor to Mark Aitchison Young as chief secretary of the Palestine Government. Mr. Young is shortly to assume his new post as governor of the Barbadoes Islands.

Rudzin Extradition Refused by French; Refugees in Strasburg

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

PARIS, May 29—Abraham Rudzin of Chemnitz, whose extradition to Germany was demanded by the Nazi authorities for alleged malicious bankruptcy, was released from prison after two months of detention. The decision of the appellate court, ordering him turned over to the German authorities was overruled by the Minister of Justice who ordered Rudzin freed.

The court decision was reached in spite of the fact that the prosecuting attorney joined with the defense in its claim that a Jew cannot expect justice from a German court.

The case, which was believed, if successful, to be the first of many to be instituted by the Nazi authorities in order to compel the return to Germany of escaped Jewish refugees, aroused widespread attention.

Reports to the Paris Haint from Strasburg describe an inpouring of refugees from Germany who relate shocking stories of the resumption of Nazi terroristic methods.

Nazi Torture

Under the initials A.M., a Jewish refugee states in the newspaper that he was arrested May 5 by the auxiliary police and tortured until unconscious as the Nazis demanded that he submit a list of Jewish communists which he was unable to supply. He was released after prolonged mistreatment and after he had been forced to sign a declaration that he was leaving Germany of his own free will.

A Jewish widow, Ella Bauminger, was robbed of her valuables when a gang of Hitlerites burst into her home in Berlin, bound her hands and feet, gagged her and tore her hair.

Another Jewish refugee from Dortmund describes the torture of hundreds of Jews held in the concentration camps at Neustadt and Osthafen.

The Strasburg Jewish relief committee is finding it most difficult to deal with the daily growing problem of furnishing aid to the refugees. The situation of the Polish Jewish refugees is particularly acute as the committee has not been able to aid them all and can only advise them to proceed to Poland.

Heads Jewish Party in Germany

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BERLIN, May 30—Georg Kareski, one of the German Jewish leaders who has advocated recognition of the Jews of Germany as a national minority, has been unanimously elected chairman of the Jewish Party.

Close Vilna Schools While Decision Reached On University Autonomy

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

VIENNA, May 29—The University of Vienna, the School of Commerce and the Polytechnic Institute have been ordered closed until the middle of next month as the authorities acceded to the demands of Austrian Nazi students that the institutions be closed pending settlement of the conflict that has arisen between the students and the Government regarding the suspension of the traditional autonomy of the universities from outside interference.

Three hundred police were sent into the University of Vienna grounds Saturday when Nazi student rioters raided a celebration of Catholic students at which Chancellor Engelbert Dollfuss was a speaker, thus precipitating the conflict. University grounds have long been immune from the police unless the rector of the institution called the authorities.

A large detachment of Vienna police remained on duty in the university buildings today to prevent disturbances.

German Jewish Aid Body Names Executive Group

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BERLIN, May 30—The central Jewish body, known as the Central Committee of German Jews for Relief and Reconstruction, today announced formation of a secretariat authorized to plan the work and carry out the decisions of the central body. The secretariat is composed of Werner Senator, Ludwig Tietz and Walter Alexander, all of whom have been prominent in German-Jewish life.

It is learned that this body amalgamates various Jewish organizations within Germany and will coordinate local relief efforts. It will also work with other relief agencies from outside Germany, such as the American Jewish Joint Distribution Committee, which are making funds available in Germany for relief purposes.

"German Origin" Ruling

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BERLIN, June 1—The controversy over the definition of "German origin" was cleared up in a letter to the *Vossische Zeitung* from the ministry of justice in which it is explained that "gleichblutige" or other races similar to the German must be treated equally with the German. The conception of "fremdstaemmige" or foreign descent, is applicable only to Jews, since there are almost no Negroes or Mongols in Germany. The definition is expected to be embodied in a law to be published soon.

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London Jewish Chronicle**Favors World Congress**

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LONDON, June 1—The Jewish Chronicle, one of the most influential Anglo-Jewish publications in Great Britain, which up to the present has opposed the Jewish world congress, today calls for convening of the congress sessions at the earliest possible moment.

It points out editorially that conditions have changed since last year when the British Board of Jewish Deputies turned down an invitation to be represented at the congress and declares that the fear of open discussion of the German question, which prevailed last year, is no longer valid. It urges that the Congress be not delayed until 1934 but be called as soon as is practicable.

Colonization Group to Meet

The Central Commission for Jewish Colonization will hold a preliminary conference Sunday at the Hotel McAlpin, 34th Street and Broadway, at 3 p.m., for a discussion of plans to form a national organization for Jewish agricultural colonization along cooperative lines.

The Commission has been formed as a result of the widespread demand of various groups throughout the country, seeking ways and means to rehabilitate themselves from the havoc of the depression.

The Advisory Committee consists of Benjamin Brown, chairman; Dr. Chaim Zhitlowsky, Prof. Jacob Jaffe, David Pinski, Peretz Hirshbein, Louis Segal, Mrs. Elmer Eckhouse, Estelle Sternberger, Dr. Max Weis, Philip Gindgold, Jacob Levin, S. Liebman, D. Mines and Elizabeth Hasanovitz, secretary.

Congress Acts to Expunge**McFadden Remarks on Jews**

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

WASHINGTON, June 1—A demand that Representative McFadden of Pennsylvania retract statements made in the House of Representatives Monday charging that the gold clause repeal resolution was "a bill specifically designed and written by the Jewish international money changers themselves in order to perpetuate their power" was made yesterday by Representative Byrns of Tennessee, Democratic floor leader.

A move to expunge the remarks, which included copious quotations from the "Protocols of the Elders of Zion", was made by Representative Boylan, of New York. This was delayed by Representative Snell, Republican minority leader, who was not in the House when McFadden spoke, and asked time to investigate the matter.

A letter from Dr. Cyrus Adler, president of the American Jewish Committee, declaring that McFadden's remarks were based on forged documents, was also read into the records.

In his speech Representative McFadden paid tribute to the Dearborn Independent, which he said had prophesied the present measure. He said in part:

"Is it not true that, in the United States today, the 'gentiles' have the slips of paper while the Jews have the gold and lawful money? And is not this repudiation bill a bill specifically designed and written by the Jewish international money changers themselves in order to perpetuate their power? What else do you make of it, Mr. Chairman? Does it not cancel the war debts? Does it not defraud the holders of Liberty Bonds and every other obligation calling for the payment of money? Does it not defraud the veterans of the World War and take the value out of their adjusted-compensation certificates?"

Michigan Medicos Protest**Nazi Persecution of Jews**

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

DETROIT, June 1—Copies of resolutions adopted by the Wayne County Medical Association protesting against persecution of members of the medical profession in Germany "who because of their race or faith are prevented from carrying on their professional work", have been forwarded to the Michigan State Medical Society. It is hoped they will be approved by the state body and transmitted to the American Medical Society and ultimately sent to President Roosevelt, Secretary of State Hull and Senators Copeland, Couzens and Vandenberg.

Nazi Envoy Hides from Public at Chicago Fair

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

CHICAGO, June 1—Hans Weidemann, Nazi envoy to the Century of Progress, is avoiding the public and is being zealously guarded from the public by German consular officials. He took no formal part in the opening of the exposition, although the Chicago Tribune yesterday printed a photograph of him at the Fair, accompanied by Dr. Allen D. Albert, assistant to Rufus Dawes, president of the Fair.

An attempted demonstration of anti-Hitler groups in front of the German consulate yesterday was dispersed by the police with little disorder, although traffic was tied up. The demonstration was directed against Weidemann's presence in this city.

1,827 Jewish Immigrants**Enter Palestine in April**

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

JERUSALEM, June 1—A total of 1,827 Jewish immigrants entered Palestine in April, figures made public today reveal. Of this number, 147 are listed in the capitalist class. The total number of entrants to Palestine during the month was 2,110.

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

HAIFA, Palestine, June 1—Left-wing workers yesterday attacked a procession of the Brith Trumpeldor, young Zionists-Revisionists group who were celebrating the religious holiday Shabuoth. Several of the demonstrators, as well as members of the Brith Trumpeldor and three Arabs who were charged with throwing stones at the parade, were arrested as police restored order. They were later released under bond.

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

JERUSALEM, June 1—Two Palestine Jews have purchased Marga, a colony established by the Jewish Colonization Society on the Isle of Cyprus. They will establish a large orange plantation on the site.

German Jewish Bankers Retire

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BERLIN, June 1—Two prominent German Jewish bankers, Oscar Wassermann and Theodor Frank, have notified the governing board of the Deutsche Bank that they will retire at the end of the year.

Both Herr Wassermann and Herr Frank have been important figures in German banking circles, and Herr Wassermann's influence has been extended far beyond the limits of the Deutsche Bank.

LEGAL COMMITTEE OVERRIDES GERMAN CLAIMS, COUNCIL TAKES UP BERNHEIM CASE TUESDAY

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Germany had admitted its international obligations in Upper Silesia must not be infringed upon by internal legislation, in its declaration to the Council last Friday.

The second point emphasized in Mr. Lester's report was that the German Government must pledge that persons, who because they belong to a minority, have lost their employment and are unable to practice their trades, or professions, in consequence of the application of the new laws will be reinstated in their old positions without delay.

Mr. Lester demanded that Germany keep the rapporteur informed regarding the measures and means used for reinstating the Jews. The fourth point in the report was that Upper Silesian Jews who suffered losses as a result of anti-Semitic laws, particularly personal losses, and Bernheim himself should be compensated. Mr. Lester suggested that the Council investigate losses through the Upper Silesian local courts. Following his report, the head of the German delegation, Friedrich von Keller, declared the Government could not accept the report because first, the German Government does not consider Bernheim a resident of Upper Silesia, second, even if Bernheim were a legal resident he could only submit a claim on his own behalf and not on that of the entire Upper Silesian Jewry. In the third place, von Keller stated, Bernheim's claims for damages is a case for local courts and not for the Council. He concluded by pointing out that the German Government trusted the Council would consider itself satisfied by Friday's declaration.

Delegates Smile

Von Keller's speech caused ironical smiles among the other delegates present. The Italian chairman of the session, Guido Biancheri, suggested that since the German Government was again questioning the

validity of the Bernheim petition, the matter should be transferred to a jurists' committee to establish whether the German contention was justified.

Mr. Lester agreed to this on condition that the Council would not terminate its session until the committee had concluded its investigation within a week or a fortnight, and taken the matter up. Following discussion on the question, in which representatives of many countries participated, the question of appointing a committee of jurists was unanimously carried with Germany abstaining from voting. After the vote was recorded, Mr. Lester announced that the Council would reconvene within forty-eight hours after the committee reported on its investigation of the status of the Bernheim case.

Southern Methodist Boys State Teutonic Preference

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

DALLAS, Texas, June 1—Dallas Jews were somewhat disturbed last week by stories of a race preference ballot taken among students at Southern Methodist University in which Germans received a higher preferential rating than did Jews. Germans were preferred as matrimonial mates, friends, neighbors and labor companions. Immigration of Jews would be restricted, but not that of Germans.

Forced by complaints—Jews are students and good friends of the school albeit it is denominational and regarded as the most important educational center of Southern Methodism—to make some explanation, Dr. H. L. Pritchett, head of the sociology department, said this: "The survey is without significance. It was taken some months ago among thirty-five students in a beginning class in sociology, not, as the stories said, throughout the nation. It recorded merely the prejudices of these students without recording how deep they are. The aim of sociology is to level these prejudices. In the light of recent events, had the survey been taken now, it would doubtless have shown far different results."

Soloff to Providence Temple

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

PROVIDENCE, R. I., June 1—Mordecai I. Soloff has been engaged as the Educational Director of Temple Beth-El here. Temple Beth-El is a reform congregation nearly a century-old.

Munich Jewish Lawyer Tortured by Nazis in Concentration Camp

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

INNSBRUCK, June 1—The famous Munich Jewish attorney, Dr. Loewenfeld, was so severely tortured in the Nazi concentration camp at Dachau that his survival is doubtful, it was learned today.

Dr. Loewenfeld gained many distinctions as an army officer during the War in which he served in a Bavarian regiment, where, unlike Prussia, there were no restrictions against Jewish officers.

He was arrested because he was chiefly instrumental in exposing the scandal surrounding the homosexual practices of Captain Ernst Roehm, commander of the Nazi storm troops.

A journalist, "M. X.", who has just returned from an inspection trip to the Dachau camp, declares he will never revisit it because free movement of journalists there is forbidden. He was shown only a few well-treated communists, he said, but was refused permission to speak to several Jews who happened to be in the prison yard.

Workers' Alliance Opens Convention at Chicago

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

CHICAGO, June 1—The thirteenth convention of the Jewish National Workers' Alliance, opened here in the presence of 150 delegates representing its branches from all over the United States and Canada. The convention was opened by Dr. Pomerantz, chairman of the Chicago convention committee. He introduced Mayer Brown, president of the Alliance, who delivered the main speech, in which he discussed the activities of the organization.

Mr. Brown analyzed the situation of the Jews in the United States as well as the world over, with special emphasis on the Jewish developments in Germany. Chaim Greenberg, editor of Der Yiddisher Kempfer, also spoke at the first session. He said that the Jews must not only look to the outside world for grievances and complaints, but must also rectify their own life and conduct, in order to avoid such tragedies as are happening now to the Jews in Germany.

The convention will continue until Sunday.

Establish Memorial Fund

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

DALLAS, Texas, June 1—A scholarship loan fund has been established by the Jewish student body of Southern Methodist University in memory of Rowena Kaplan, student who died here last week.

Archbishop of Canterbury At Anti-Nazi Protest

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

LONDON, May 31—The most important mass meeting of protest against the persecution of the Jews in Germany to be held in England has been organized for June 27, it was learned today.

Lord Buckmaster will preside at the session. The Archbishop of Canterbury will move adoption of a resolution against the persecution of the Jews by the Hitler regime.

Coty in Paris Trial**On Anti-Semitic Libel**

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

PARIS, June 1—A libel action brought by the Union of Jewish Ex-Soldiers against Francois Coty, the perfumer and newspaper publisher, which went to trial today, was adjourned for two weeks on account of the illness of M. Coty.

Witnesses who took the stand today included the famous Jewish novelist, Josef Kessel. Others who are due to testify in behalf of the war veterans include several former ministers, the head of the French volunteers' group and a number of former Jewish soldiers.

Coty's statements did not refer to the Jewish combatants, his advocate said today, but only to an irresponsible group.

The trial has aroused much interest since it marks the first time that the inciting articles which M. Coty has sponsored in L'Ami du Peuple and Figaro could be taken into court. The article in question claimed that the Jewish veterans' body and the Jewish sport organizations in France were merely disguised revolutionary organizations.

Danzig Nazis Promise**Final Punishment of Jews**

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

LONDON, June 1—"Final punishment of the enemies of the German nation in the first rank of whom are the Jews will be ordered by Hitler at the right moment," reads a secret order issued by Nazi leaders in the Free City of Danzig, according to Albert Foster in the London Daily Herald.

"We should have done only half our work if we did not finish once and for all with the Jewish world pestilence," the order continues. "The vile Jew-pack plague will be cleared out of Danzig. Every one strives to force out this hated race from our German Danzig but the right moment has not yet come. That which tomorrow may be a holy duty must today be left undone."

The order advises caution until such time as the helm of Danzig's government is in Nazi hands.

New Pupils Unincluded**In School Ouster Stay**

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BERLIN, May 30—The Frankfurter Zeitung points out today in connection with the Government order not to dismiss Jewish pupils from the secondary and high schools of Germany until detailed regulations announcing the procedure are made public, that this is applicable only to old pupils in the schools. The one and a half percent numerus clausus, it declares, must be strictly observed in accepting new Jewish students in the schools.

Congress of Journalists**Takes Anti-Nazi Stand**

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BUDAPEST, June 1—Dismissal of Jewish and Marxist journalists from the German Press Association conflicts with the articles of the International Union of Journalists, it was resolved at a conference of the executive committee of the organization holding its congress here.

Another resolution condemned the restriction of liberty of the German press.

German representatives did not attend the conference because they were not promised that the Jewish situation would not be discussed.

A resolution introduced by J. Gottlieb of the Warsaw Haint called for expulsion of the German body. This resulted in a sharp controversy, with the Austrian, Zappler, urging restraint, but Zappler finally voted for the two resolutions of censure, which was considered a victory for Gottlieb's stand.

Noted Jews Missing**Manchester Guardian Says**

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

LONDON, May 30—The Jewish poetess, Else Lasker-Schuler, is among the German Jews who have disappeared without a trace, the Manchester Guardian reports. Others who have disappeared include Dr. Fritz Naphtali, noted economist, who has been associated with the Frankfurter Zeitung; Dr. Litten, of Berlin, who was known as a defender of the poor in the Berlin courts, and Walter Schuppig, editor of the Sueddeutsche Sonntagspost, who was arrested by the Nazis on March 9.

While not suggesting that these people have all been killed, the Guardian suspects they have been imprisoned in concentration camps under frightful conditions. Some of them may have escaped and may be in hiding, it is pointed out.

Frau Lasker-Schuler is in Zurich, Switzerland, it was learned here yesterday.

Dr. S. Margoshes, editor of The Day, notified the Jewish Telegraphic Agency that he had received a letter from the noted poetess within the last few days, in which she told of her flight from Germany and declared that she had taken up residence in Zurich.

To Abolish Titles Held by Jews

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BERLIN, June 1—The Nazi press service reports that titles of members of the German nobility who intermarried with Jews will be abolished, also titles held by Jews. It points out that the Hapsburgs sinned most against the German nobility by awarding titles to Jews.

Urge Yellow Books**To Register All Jews**

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BERLIN, June 1—The introduction of yellow books for the Jews is recommended at length in the Deutsche Nachrichten which demands that these yellow books contain not only the complete registers of all Jewish families but also of families in which intermarriage with Jews has taken place.

It urges that a Jewish bureau be established as soon as possible to introduce the yellow books and to search the church records for every case of conversion or intermarriage, revealing those still undisclosed. It suggests that every German applicant for a marriage permit should also have to inform the Jewish bureau in order to establish whether either of the parties is of Jewish origin.

Prohibition of intermarriages, the paper sagely observes, is useless, "because love cannot be ruled by regulations," but a German marrying a Jew should be warned his name will be registered in the yellow book as soon as he is married and that his children will be treated as Jews.

To Kill All German Jews**If War Occurs, Nazi Warns**

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BERLIN, June 1—Should war occur between Germany and another Power, every German Jew would be killed, Julius Streicher, Nazi leader, told a party meeting in Nuremberg.

He explained this warning as the best safeguard for peace because "only international Jewry wishes war. Only the Jew came out of the World War victorious and he knows no mercy. The Jew needs war again to detach the German nation from its government. Only with the solution of the Jewish problem will the German question as well as the problem of the world be solved."

Increase in Tuberculosis**Seen in Hospital Report**

An increase in tuberculosis among men, women and children throughout the country is reflected in the applications for admission to the National Jewish Hospital at Denver, Justice Samuel D. Levy, of the Children's Court and chairman of the hospital's New York Committee, declared in a report to contributors in the metropolitan area.

Dr. Morris Fishbein, noted medical authority and editor of the Journal of the American Medical Association, stated in a supplementary report that twenty years from now the effect of the present depression will still be evident in the death rate from tuberculosis.

NOTED STATESMEN JOIN JEWISH AGENCY PLEA FOR PALESTINE AS REFUGE FOR GERMAN JEWS

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world appeal; Felix M. Warburg, American Jewish banker and philanthropist; Dr. Cyrus Adler, president of the American Jewish Committee, and Morris Rothenberg, president of the Zionist Organization of America.

The appeal points to the need to care for the Jews of Germany, the value of linking up "the greater abilities of the German Jews who held so eminent a place among the Jewries of the world for many centuries" in the rebuilding of a national home, and declares that the absorptive capacities of Palestine can be extended to care for large numbers.

Importance of Signatures

The importance of the signatures of Mr. Lloyd George, General Smuts and Lord Cecil was emphasized today by Leo Hermann, general secretary of the Keren Hayesod (Palestine Foundation Fund) who has been in London for several weeks engaged in preparation of the appeal and organization of the Palestine fund.

The fact that these distinguished statesmen accepted the invitation of Dr. Weizmann to sign the appeal to the Jews of all countries "as friends of the Jewish people and the Jewish National Home" is considered of great significance, Mr. Hermann said, and adds proof of their attachment to the Jewish cause. Sir Herbert's signature lends weight, not only as that of a great Jewish leader, but also as that of an outstanding British statesman.

The Jewish Agency appeal is already functioning in several countries, Mr. Hermann reported. In England and Czechoslovakia united appeals have been issued with the consent of the Jewish Agency and the Keren Hayesod. In these, agreements have been reached regarding the relief of German Jews generally and the settlement of German Jews in Palestine, and the duties involved will be carried out jointly. Where appeals have been issued jointly with relief agencies no collections will be made for the Jewish Agency.

Independent Appeal Here

In the United States, however, he pointed out, the appeal is being issued independently and apart from that of several other bodies seeking relief funds. Money raised in America by the Jewish Agency will therefore be applied exclusively for constructive help for the German Jews in Palestine.

"It is the first time that I signed an appeal for funds," Sir Herbert Samuel told Mr. Hermann, referring to his signing of the world appeal

of the Jewish Agency. "I felt that the situation created for the German Jews and Jewry at large, as well as for Palestine, is extraordinary, calling for extraordinary measures.

"I am particularly interested in the plight of the German Jewish intellectuals," Sir Herbert said. He expressed the hope that a considerable amount of the funds raised would become available for the Hebrew University and would provide new avenues of research.

Text of Appeal

The full text of the appeal follows:

"Jews throughout the world have been deeply moved by the tragic fate which has befallen their brethren in Germany. Their feelings have found spontaneous expression in the immediate organization of relief work both for the refugees in neighboring countries and for those who remain in Germany.

"Thousands of German Jews, especially among the young, see a prospect of restarting their lives in Palestine to which some of them have already made their way.

"Palestine shows a steady development both in agriculture and in industry. Its power of absorption is increasing and can be further increased. Determined, concerted Jewish effort can make it capable of providing a permanent home for a considerable part of German Jewry to whom the rest of the world, with few exceptions, is closed.

"As representatives of the Jewish Agency, constituted under the authority of the League of Nations by virtue of the Palestine Mandate, and recognized by the Mandatory Power, and as friends of the Jewish people and the Jewish National Home in Palestine, we appeal to all Jewish communities to take part in creating a Palestine fund for the Jews of Germany.

"It is earnestly hoped that fund-raising committees will begin their work without delay. Receipts of the fund will be applied, in cooperation with the existing financial institutions of the Zionist Organization and the Jewish Agency, the Keren Hayesod (Palestine Foundation Fund) and the Keren Kayemeth (Jewish National Fund), to purchasing land for the settlement of German Jews, assisting industrial undertakings and artisans, furnishing credits, supporting private enterprise of persons with means, encouraging settlement of the land by chalutzim (pioneers) and generally facilitating their transition to new occupations.

"An effort will be made to provide Jewish scholars and scientists who

Rabbi Fineberg Replies To Luther "Propaganda"

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

MOUNT VERNON, N. Y., June 1.—In replying to the address made by Dr. Hans Luther, German Ambassador, in Mount Vernon last week, Dr. Solomon A. Fineberg of Sinai Temple, denounced the Ambassador's statements as "a piece of vicious, false propaganda."

"His statements regarding the Jews of Germany are so apparently self-contradictory that they are an insult to the intelligence of his American audience. Moreover those statements are so contradictory to established fact as to make one question whether the Hitler government has one shred of honor within its structure," Dr. Fineberg declared.

"According to Dr. Luther, the government of Germany was so much in control of the Jews that 50 per cent of the government offices were occupied by Jews. And yet he asks us to believe that a minority consisting of one per cent of the population, able to control the government to such an amazing extent, would be plotting to destroy that very government in favor of Communism. Could anything be more preposterous? To cry out in one breath that the Jews had everything their own way, that they were the successful capitalists of Germany, and at the same time they were the Communists! It is apparent absurdity.

"The Hitler defense," said Dr. Fineberg, "as presented by the Ambassador, does not withstand even a superficial examination. The facts are too apparent. Jews are being destroyed in Germany for the same

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had to abandon their studies in Germany with facilities for continuing them in Palestine under the auspices of the Hebrew University, the Agricultural Experimental Station, the Haifa Technicum and other institutions of higher learning.

"The greater abilities of the German Jews, who held so eminent a place among the Jewries of the world for many centuries must be linked up with all the creative forces of the Jewish people in the reconstruction of the Jewish National Home. To assist them in establishing for themselves in Palestine a new existence, in freedom and honor, is a great, humane task.

"Collections for the Palestine Fund for German Jews under the auspices of the Jewish Agency have already been launched in Palestine with the collaboration of all sections of the Jewish population. We appeal to the Jews of all countries to emulate this example by service and sacrifice on a scale commensurate with the great emergency."

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unwarranted vicious reasons that minorities have been destroyed by terroristic governments in every dark benighted age.

"Dr. Luther has demonstrated clearly that one needs not even a semblance of truth, nor even a shadow of logic, to build up a case against those whom one wishes to persecute. But the American public will not be tricked by such spurious argument."

American Leaders to Voice Protest Against Hitlerism

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test steps against persecution of the Jews in Germany that has been held in this country since the advent of the Hitler regime to power.

Following the conference, a dinner will be held at which a prominent Jew will be one of the speakers.

Among those who will participate in the conference are: former Ambassador James W. Gerard, Bainbridge Colby, Governor and Mrs. Gifford Pinchot, of Pennsylvania, and William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor. Former Representative Fiorella La Guardia, will open the conference and define its purpose.

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Commissar Warns Nazis Against Interference With Industrial Enterprises

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yers, the Rundschau declares. It publishes the ten points outlined in a circular issued by the Duesseldorf bar association in which Jewish lawyers are forbidden to be members or participate in arbitration and in which the courts are asked to order the dissolution of partnerships between Jewish attorneys and non-Jews.

The Rundschau considers particularly inhuman the order expelling Jewish employes and prohibiting dismissed Jewish lawyers from acting even as clerks in law offices.

"What does the lawyers' association expect to happen to the many aged Jewish attorneys who are not even permitted to occupy an ordinary clerical post and are exposed to starvation?" the paper asks.

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Jewish Doctors Poisonous, Writes Medical Commissar

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BERLIN, May 27—A violent campaign against Jewish doctors has been resumed in Brandenburg, where Medical Commissar Rupin, in an article in the medical journal titled "Down with Jew Doctors", appealed for complete exclusion of Jewish physicians.

"Doctors, in their position of confidence towards their patients are enabled to exercise considerable influence on the population, thus offering an opportunity to few doctors to infuse the poison of Jewish thoughts. Therefore Jewish doctors must be ruthlessly removed from the medical profession. The Jews are the incarnation of lies and betrayal."

His appeal concludes with a demand for drastic punishment for any breach of confidence by a member of the profession. The Frankfurter Zeitung, republishing the text of the article, editorially expresses the hope that the authorities will disassociate themselves at the present time from such wild expressions apart from the fact that hundreds of thousands of the population owe their lives to treatment by Jewish physicians.

Other newspapers, however, feature the appeal without comment or in an approving tone.

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