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## Roumanian Jews Ask Govt. To Ensure Peace Menaced By Iron Guard Assembly

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BUCHAREST, Roumania, Sept. 27.—The monster anti-Semitic demonstration scheduled for the beginning of October at Bucharest by the Iron Guards organization headed by Professor Cuza, and in which fifty thousand are expected to participate, is causing considerable anxiety among the Roumanian Jews.

Jewish representatives have approached the government to take measures to insure peace if the demonstration is not to be prohibited. They also drew the attention of the government to the growing incitement against the Jews in the Bessarabian German colonies conducted by Hitlerite agents.

Carloads of swastikas have been freely distributed among the population. Anti-Semitic literature is being widely circulated and many mass meetings are being held. The gov-

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## Germany Seeks to Hush Discussions at Geneva On Problem of Refugees

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BERLIN, Sept. 27.—An effort to prevent discussion of the question of German refugees at the League of Nations Assembly on the basis of proposals by the Dutch, was made by German delegates at a closed session of the assembly, newspapers published here disclosed last night.

The German delegates suggested a new plan that the refugee problem is not a matter for the League but for direct negotiations with countries concerned, including Holland, France, Poland, Czechoslovakia and others.

## Jewish Land-Ownng Ban Extended to All Germany

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BERLIN, Sept. 27.—An official announcement was issued today stating that the Nazi cabinet had decided to extend the law forbidding Jews to own land, which is now applicable only to Prussia, to all Germany. In the future Jews will be debarred from owning land anywhere in Germany.

## Pogroms in Berlin Likely, Manchester Guardian Says; To 'Throw Jews to Wolves'

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

LONDON, Sept. 27.—Pogroms against the Jews in Berlin are forecast in today's Manchester Guardian, noted liberal paper, by a correspondent of "authority and detachment", following a private inquiry as to present conditions in Germany, made by the paper.

"Hitler became moderate in all things except the Jews, about whom he still speaks with foaming mouth," the correspondent declares. "Perhaps with the throwing of the Jews to the wolves, Hitler will tide over the rough winter."

Speculating upon what will happen if pogroms upon the Jews actually occur, the correspondent discards the pessimistic view current that the world powers will not intervene as they did not intervene when the Armenians were massacred by the Turks, but maintains that the position in Germany is different. Germany is not in Asia, but in Central Europe, the Jewish co-religionists abroad will protest, and the powers will be forced to intervene, the Guardian correspondent states.

Negotiations between the Jewish leaders and the Nazi chiefs have as yet not occurred, the Guardian correspondent states, but some Jews

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## German Cooperative Starts New Boycott Drive on Jews

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BERLIN, Sept. 27.—An intrastate campaign to drive Jews out of business was officially launched in the two German states of Hessen and Nassau in southwestern Germany, by the Central Cooperative Association. The Association circularized letters to cooperatives demanding the following:

First: expulsion of all Jews from employment; second: cooperatives abrogate commercial relations with Jewish firms; third: prepared lists of member cooperatives, especially peasants, who are still trading with Jews, to be submitted to the Central Association for action; fourth: to register and submit lists of Jews making remarks against the coopera-

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## Schmitt Again Orders Cession of Boycott Against Jewish Firms

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BERLIN, Sept. 27.—Clear-cut and strongly-worded instructions prohibiting the boycott against Jewish firms were again issued today by the Minister of Economics, Dr. Kurt Schmitt. The instructions were part of an official circular to all authorities in Germany not to distinguish between Aryan and non-Aryan enterprises. "Such distinctions aiming to boycott non-Aryans must eventually lead to difficulties in our economic system," the circular declares.

Emphasis is also placed upon the fact that it will unavoidably lead to an increase in unemployment and the destruction of industry. The circular concludes with the assertion that Paul Joseph Goebbels, Nazi Minister of Propaganda and Public Enlightenment, also has agreed not to practice discrimination against any firm as long as it conducts its affairs in conformity with the existing laws.

## American Investments Seen Jeopardized by German Drive on Jewish Business

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BERLIN, Sept. 27.—Devaluation of the volume of business being done here by many Berlin department stores, which is directly traceable to governmental anti-Jewish discrimination, has aroused Americans who own capital investment in the stores.

Indignant protests against the policies being pursued by the government are being climaxed by the threat that a suit for damages may be brought by capitalists who are affected.

The situation was aggravated when an internationally known Berlin clothing house, Hemdenmatt, which has numerous branch shops, was prohibited from functioning merely because it is owned by Jews. Announcement was made yesterday that the firm has passed into Aryan ownership. It is the first instance where a large Berlin concern was closed because it is Jewish.

The American investors who have watched with apprehension the diminution in value of their capital, es-

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tives; fifth: compiled list of all Jewish shops, and sixth: compiled list of non-Jewish shops employing Jews.

The letter goes on to say that the "Jews are deadly enemies to our cooperatives. They must at all costs be eliminated."

A memorandum was also issued by the Frankfurt municipality in Hessen ordering all Jewish firms to employ Aryan managers.

At Schotten, in southwestern Germany, a resolution was adopted by the milk and dairy dealers expelling Jews and boycotting Jewish goods.

The Jews are prohibited from trading at tomorrow's annual market, the Diersen municipality declares.

At Niedersteten, in the Wuerttemberg district, the local shochet was arrested when a carload of chickens ritually slaughtered was found. The driver and escort of the car were also arrested for helping to violate the anti-shochet law.

**42 Yeshiva College Freshmen**

Yeshiva College has begun its sixth year of work with a freshman class of forty-two. A change has been effected in the entrance requirements allowing for the consideration of those students who are qualified high school graduates. Hitherto the college was open only to students of the Hebrew departments of Yeshiva. This new policy in admission requirements marks a widening of the perspective of the institution.

Among the new members of the faculty is Aaron Margalith, Ph.D., of Johns Hopkins University, instructor in international relations.

**Special Police Detailed****To Austrian Universities**

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

VIENNA, Sept. 27.—For the first time since the modification of the university autonomy act, special university police took over the supervision of the universities in order to ensure peace and to prevent anti-Semitic disturbances in connection with the anti-government agitation.

Dr. Kurt Schuschnigg, Minister of Education in the cabinet of personalities that recently came into power, instructed the university authorities to hand to the police lists of foreign students so that the police may identify the instigators of disturbances among them, particularly the foreign Nazi students.

The Austrian universities have enjoyed autonomy for hundreds of years. It was only after serious anti-Semitic riots broke out this Spring that police dared to enter the university grounds and violate the age-old autonomy of the universities. Among the injured students in the riots were several American Jews.

**University President****Attacks the Nazi Regime**

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Sept. 27.—Dr. Rufus von Kleinsmid, president of the University of Southern California, attacked the Nazi regime in Germany at a luncheon given in his honor, upon his return from a European trip.

"The edicts against the Jews in Germany are as terrible as they can be," said Dr. von Kleinsmid. "This non-Aryan persecution affects even the higher institutions of learning and the program is rigorous almost beyond expression."

He stated that American and other protests were keenly felt by the Nazis and declared, "The edicts against the Jews point to the dark ages. Anything that smacks of intolerance against this cool and courageous people must be condemned."

Dr. von Kleinsmid's declaration is notable because he has often been accused of being pro-Nazi.

**Head of Springfield Y.M.C.A.****Attacks Hitler Persecutions**

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Sept. 27.—The treatment of the Jews in Germany under the Hitler regime is "most outrageous," President L. L. Doggett of Springfield Y. M. C. A. College stated in an interview on his recent return from a European trip which included a visit to Germany. Dr. Doggett told of being sold a publication by a Hitler trooper which

**Denies Brith Biryonim****Guilt in Arlosoroff Case**

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

JAFFA, Sept. 27.—Colonel Rice, of the Criminal Investigation Department, read out at the examination of the 14 Revisionists, the extreme right-wing Zionists accused of membership in a terroristic organization and of seditious offenses, a statement by Yeivin, one of the defendants, declaring that the Brith Biryonim, the alleged secret organization, was started in November 1931 with the object of propagating dissatisfaction with land immigration policies and against the census system which resulted in 5,000 census forms having been unsigned and uncounted at the last census.

Yeivin was quoted as stating that he did not believe that Abraham Stavsky, one of the three men held for the murder of Dr. Chaim Arlosoroff, noted Zionist labor leader, on June 16, was a member of the Brith Biryonim, although Stavsky had removed the swastika banner from the German consulate in Jaffa last May. Yeivin in the statement affirmed his belief that the Brith Biryonim was not connected with the Arlosoroff murder.

Zwi Cohen, counsel for the Biryonim, re-examined three police witnesses today. The hearing will continue on October 3.

**Three Hebrew Schools****In Dayton in Merger**

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

DAYTON, Sept. 27.—Merger of the three Hebrew schools in Dayton has been effected, with the new organization to be known as The Dayton United Hebrew Schools.

Sam H. Thal, prominent Dayton merchant, has been selected as superintendent of the schools, with new officers and a board of education to be selected at a meeting on Sunday, October 1, at which time also, enrollment for the fall and winter season will take place.

Approximately 250 students are expected to register for the classes. Two units of the school, in different sections of the city, are to be operated with the three present instructors, Sholon Mizrahi, Abraham Mintz and Pinchos Wechter, being retained and a fourth instructor to be selected within the next several weeks.

contained articles denouncing the Jews. There was also what he characterized as a "disgraceful cartoon" picturing the Jewish employer as a rascal trying to impose on a German boy who was looking for a job. Under the sketch was the statement that "Jews are Germany's misfortune."

## Commissar Explains Why He Permits Jewish Theatre To Function in Germany

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BERLIN, Sept. 27.—An apology for permitting the creation of the Jüdische Kultur Bund, German Jewish cultural association formed since the exclusion of all Jews from the varied cultural life of Germany, was issued today by State Commissar Lintel and published in the entire German press.

The commissar explained that the Kultur Bund was allowed to be formed for the following reasons:

It was supported by such Jews who preferred to remain in Germany rather than go abroad and spread atrocities. The activities of the Bund are limited to Jews and is permitted no publicity except in the Jewish press. The theatre to be established by the Bund may be attended only by Jews. Propaganda for the Bund or its theatre is absolutely prohibited and the critics of the German press are not permitted to visit the Bund theatre or publish reviews of the plays put on there.

In conclusion Commissar Lintel declared that since the German Jews are classified as foreigners, they are entitled to lead their own cultural life by Jews and for Jews.

## Weizmann to Open London Office for German Work

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

LONDON, Sept. 27.—Dr. Chaim Weizmann will return here today to direct establishment of a London bureau to handle the work of settling German-Jewish refugees in Palestine. A similar office is being established in Jerusalem.

Dr. Weizmann, former president of the World Zionist Organization, was elected at the Eighteenth World Zionist Congress, recently held at Prague, to direct Zionist activities in behalf of the German Jews.

## Rutenberg to Undertake New Development Schemes

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

LONDON, Sept. 27.—Pinchas Rutenberg, noted Jewish engineer and builder of electrification and irrigation plants in Palestine, left for Palestine today after an absence of six months. Mr. Rutenberg plans to undertake in Palestine his own independent schemes for industry and settlement.

## Imprisoned for Defacing Synagogue

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

VIENNA, Sept. 27.—The Vienna police yesterday sentenced to six week's imprisonment, the Nazi malefactor who was responsible for painting swastikas on the synagogue walls here during the Rosh Hashonah High Holiday services.

## Prof. Goldschmidt Predicts Downfall of Hitler Regime Under Debts, Unemployed

Predicting the collapse of the Hitler regime on the basis of a brilliant analysis of Germany's economic situation, Dr. Alfons Goldschmidt, former dean of the Department of Economics at the University of Leipzig, appealed to the intellectuals of America to fight "for the dignity of the true, oppressed Germany", and thus hasten the downfall of the Hitlerites. Dr. Goldschmidt spoke at a dinner on Tuesday night given in his honor by the American Committee Against Fascist Oppression in Germany at the Hotel Lismore.

Decrying the revival of barbarism in Germany by a Fascist State whose brutality is increasing in fear of its own impotence, Dr. Goldschmidt demanded with great emotion: "Why are they beheading and shooting workers—they who claim to be a labor party? Why was my friend Theodor Lessing shot? Why my friend Wilhelm Spiegel? Why did my friend Erich Baron commit suicide? Why do I receive threatening letters here in New York?"

"Because," he answered: "A large part of the German people, desperate and blind, full of mysticism and the goose-step, has followed them and another part has submitted without protest or opposition. Because the scientists, the writers, the artists, the engineers, the physicians and lawyers outside Germany are not resolutely taking up the cause of the cultured Germany which has been trampled under foot. Because the intellectuals in the world have not had the energy to unite into a world-wide association. . . Because even refugee German intellectuals are looking out for only their own lives and are not defending the lives of their brothers in Germany." **Germany Completely Impoverished**

Discussing Germany's financial condition he declared that Germany is completely impoverished under a debt burden of 240 billion marks, which is approximately equal to the total national wealth of the country according to pre-war estimates. "Under present conditions the German working population must pay up more than 20,000,000,000 marks annually in the form of interest, management costs and so forth. In other words, 21,000,000 persons, who produce Germany's total output, are expected to turn over more than 1,000 marks per capita of this output, which is more than most of them earn."

Dr. Goldschmidt said that this was the basic cause of fascism, born out of the despair of a middle-class threatened with certain proletarianization in such a situation. The Nazi's promises to the middle class that they would abolish this terrible

## Detroit Judge Apologizes For Shylock Quotations, Erases Offending Remarks

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

DETROIT, Sept. 27.—Portia's famous words uttered in the courtroom scene in Shakespeare's "Merchant of Venice" deriding Shylock's covetousness, repeated here by a circuit judge in an opinion rendered during injunction proceedings, aroused much resentment on the part of Detroit Jews and resulted in an apology by the court to the Jewish race yesterday.

Louis Berry, a Jewish creditor of the Detroit Trust Company, sought an injunction restraining the company from reorganizing. The company owed Berry \$6,139. Circuit Judge Ormond F. Hunt handed down his opinion refusing the injunction, and quoting Shakespeare.

Aaron Kurland, attorney for Berry and a well-known Jewish leader here, after listening to the Judge's opinion, was indignant.

"If your honor please," he said, "I want to state that the Court has been provocative in making the Shylock allusion. The plaintiff has a perfect right to come in here and ask a review without being subject to such an allusion."

Complaints came pouring into the

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## Motzkin Rejects Proffered Minorities Congress Post

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

GENEVA, Sept. 27.—Leo Motzkin, noted Jewish leader and member of the Jewish delegation to the National Minorities Congress, today wrote to President Wilfan, declining a post on the executive of the Minorities Congress, conferred upon him at the recent session.

In his letter, Dr. Motzkin declared that in view of the Congress attitude toward the Jewish question, he must decline the post on the executive committee. The Jewish delegation to the congress, which was held last week, declined to participate because they could not receive assurances that the German-Jewish question could be fully discussed.

interest slavery brought millions into the fold.

Dr. Goldschmidt ridiculed Chancellor Hitler's efforts to reduce unemployment, stating Nazi figures as an indication that the situation was practically unchanged, and pointing to the drop in export trade as the direct cause of depriving 1,000,000 persons of a living.

Professor Robert Morss Lovett, chairman of the committee, presided. Other speakers were Bernard S. Deutsch, president of the American Jewish Congress; Dr. Florace M. Kallen and Dr. Ira S. Wile.

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ernment authorities promised to make an investigation.

Roumanian Jews are also aroused by government circulars sent to officials and schools urging them to keep appointments down to the proportion of the ethnological divisions of the population. The Jewish deputy Michu Wiesmann, in a letter to Premier Vaida-Voevod, declared that he will bring the matter up as soon as parliament opens, particularly in view of the fact that it was the Premier himself who first introduced discriminations against the ethnological minorities in a circular which he issued to the banks.

Now the government authorities, following the example of the Premier, have circularized even the private schools and other institutions, ordering them to reduce the number of Jews. This is tantamount to a numerus clausus in all branches of employment, Deputy Wiesmann concluded.

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offices of Judge Hunt during the subsequent three days. He expressed a desire to withdraw the offensive portion of the opinion. Through Henry Rottman, a Jewish attorney and a personal friend, the judge called together twenty-five outstanding Jews of the community and in open court read a statement of his apology, which follows:

"In the opinion I illustrated the point of insistence upon strict legal rights as opposed to equity by inserting a portion of Portia's speech from 'The Merchant of Venice'.

"At that time I had no thought that anyone would draw any reflection on the race or religion of any one involved in the case. If the case had centered around a Christian the quotation would have been just as apt in my mind.

"This morning I was informed that some members of the Jewish race had construed my opinion as at least a veiled reflection. Never in my life have I spoken of the Jewish race or religion except in the highest terms. Christianity is based upon the Jewish religion and literature. Two members of the United States Supreme Court are members of that race. Our statesmen, poets and leading business men in every walk of life belong to it. The roster is full of prominent names.

### No Reflection on Jews

"The illustration was neither intended nor thought of as reflecting on the Jewish race, but to make certain there has been no thought of this nature, the court now amends the opinion, leaving out every reference to the quotation from Shakespeare. It is an opinion, not a judgment, and can be amended at any time.

"I personally have drawn a pen through every reference to this quotation. I have instructed my stenographer to redraft the opinion and have it ready Tuesday morning, when I shall sign it as the opinion in the case."

Rabbi Leon Fram, Sidney L. Alexander and Abraham J. Levin and Judge Arthur J. Lacy, who opposed Mr. Kurland in the original hearings in the case, commended Judge Hunt for his action.

Mr. Kurland thereupon made a final statement in which he pointed out to the judge that Shakespeare did not know the Jew because there were few Jews in England in Shakespeare's day. He told Judge Hunt that neither his nor his client's feelings entered into the matter but when "the revival of an ancient and unfounded prejudice threatens to harm a race it is the duty of

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pecially in concerns like Tietz and other large department stores, point out that since the devaluation of their property is directly due to governmental policy, they have sufficient grounds for suit. They deny the allegations that the devaluation is due to poor business conditions.

It is argued that investments in English department stores have steadily increased 36 percent in value, while German investments have dropped 90 percent during the same period.

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believe such a conference is unavoidable in the long run.

Describing the Jewish isolation, the fear of the Jews to appear in the streets after ten in the evening, and the fact that they never go to theatres or lectures, the correspondent tells of the tragedy of the Jewish children in Germany, revealing that at the beginning of this month, Nazis entered Jewish religious classes and beat a teacher and several pupils. Later one of the pupils died as a result of the beatings.

### Open New York Bureau

The London Jewish Chronicle and the London Jewish World, Anglo-Jewish newspapers, have established a New York bureau with headquarters in the Salmon Tower Building, 11 West 42nd Street, under the direction of Louis Minsky, their New York correspondent.

members of that race to call attention to it."

He thanked the judge for his action and the incident was declared closed at that point.

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