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## Hitler Attacks Palestine Immigration Regulations And Anti-Nazi Boycott

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BERLIN, Oct. 25—Adolf Hitler sharply attacked Great Britain for demanding a thousand pounds capital for Jews proceeding to Palestine, while Germany keeps her gates open to any one in spite of overpopulation.

He delivered the attack while addressing a monster pre-election meeting at the Sport Palace in Berlin last night.

"It is very kind of England to declare that she is ready to receive the Jews with open arms," Hitler declared, "but why should England make the admission of the Jews dependent upon a thousand pounds?"

The Chancellor challenged the world stating that "only fifty Jews were killed in Germany and these were Jewish scoundrels killed during the Nazi revolution. If we had wished we could have shown what form atrocities can really take."

He asserted that the Jews were still retaining a proportionately high percentage of positions in Germany, while only Jewish criminals escaped abroad from German justice and that the majority of Jews continue to live in Germany unmolessted.

Vehemently denouncing the boycott against German goods, Hitler ridiculed the suggestion that his government was unable to stop the spread of the Jewish boycott, maintaining that such a boycott was merely damaging the governments that permitted it and reducing German purchasing power.

Hitler also asserted that he sees symptoms that the boycott is declining in England and the United States and that the governments of both countries have turned their backs on the inciting elements promoting the boycott.

## Abraham Goldberg, Editor Of Warsaw "Hajnt," Dead

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

WARSAW, Poland, Oct. 25—Funeral services were held here today for Abraham Goldberg, managing editor of the Warsaw Jewish daily, Hajnt, since it was founded in 1908. Mr. Goldberg, who died here late Tuesday night at the age of 52, was well known as a worker

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## MAYOR RESERVES DECISION ON PLEA TO LIFT BAN ON GERMAN DAY FETE AFTER STORMY HEARING

At the close of a stormy hearing before Mayor John P. O'Brien yesterday it appeared certain that the mayor would not permit the projected German Day celebration, sponsored by the United German Societies, to take place next Sunday in the 165th Regiment Armory. The decision, which was reserved, was expected to be handed down late last night.

After three hours of fiery debate, headed by Samuel Untermyer, opposing the demonstration, and Rev. William Popcke, defending it, the session closed with evidence apparently in favor of the affair's continued suspension.

Untermyer charged Heinz Spanknoebel, Nazi agent to the United States, with being a "brigand" and "bandit", and declared that evidence at hand would secure the deportation of Spanknoebel and other aliens propagandizing Hitlerism under the guise of being connected with the "Friends of New Germany" organization.

Only three men spoke in favor of the celebration: Popcke, Morris Ernst, and Harry Weinberger, the last two favoring permission only on the grounds that suspension would set a "dangerous precedent

for privileges of free speech and assembly."

Over three thousand interested spectators and participants crowded the hearing-room, corridors and the environs of the city hall when the hearing finally got under way after three o'clock. Large detachments of police and detectives were on hand and part of the proceedings were broadcast.

Despite their announced decision to remain away from the hearing, a representation of the United German Societies, headed by the Rev. William Popcke, acting president of the organization, was on hand. Heinz Spanknoebel, chief Nazi propagandist in this country, who was ordered to attend the hearing by the mayor, was not present. It was explained he had been called out of town.

Rev. Popcke, in presenting the plea of the organization, denied that the German Day celebration had any political motives and insisted its sole purpose was to honor the memory of the first German settlers in this country. He denied having any knowledge of any of Spanknoebel's activities or anything about him personally.

He declared that the committee in charge was willing to drop Spanknoebel from the speakers' list, explaining that the committee had agreed to do this after the dispatch of a letter to the mayor stating this could not be done.

He was questioned by Mayor O'Brien and by Mr. Untermyer, the president of the American League for the Defense of Jewish Rights, who sought to establish that the

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## Jaffa Commissioner Warns Arabs Against Plan to Demonstrate There Friday

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

JAFFA, Palestine, Oct. 25—District Commissioner Robert E. H. Crosbie, in charge of the Southern district, warned the Arabs not to demonstrate Friday. The demonstration to protest against the immigration of Jews into Palestine, is similar to the one suppressed by the Jerusalem police, two weeks ago. The Arabs retorted that they were carrying out the decision of the Arab Executive.

Arab boatmen were also warned by the Commissioner against the program of their proposed march. Published reports that a large number of Arab villagers will attend are not confirmed. However, it is understood that the police are sending reinforcements.

## 25 Polish Jews On Trial For Bribing Berlin Police

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BERLIN, Oct. 25—The trial of twenty-five Polish Jews accused of bribing police officials in order to obtain residential permits in Germany opened in a Berlin court. Sixteen of the accused failed to appear and it was assumed that they had left Germany.

The central figure in the trial is

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Leo Weinberger, who is a stateless or man without citizenship in any country. He is accused of having received three hundred to one thousand marks for every residential permit secured from the police. Two highly placed police officers are accused of having accepted the bribes.

Twenty-seven Jews had originally gone on trial in Berlin on July 25, but the case had been postponed.

The German press devoted much space to the case terming it an example of "Jewish corruption of German officials."

Weinberger is well known in Berlin as a manufacturer of confectionery. He was active in Jewish communal life in Berlin.

## Suit Follows Restraint Of "Mad Dog" Production

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 25.—Suit for \$1,022,000 damages was brought by Al Rosen, film producer, against the Association of Motion Picture Producers and Distributors here yesterday on the charge that an attempt was made to restrain the production of "The Mad Dog of Europe," a picture based on the life of Adolf Hitler. Will Hays, president of the association, and another official, are defendants in the action.

Mr. Rosen said that about \$7,200 have been spent in preparation for the filming of the picture. On Oct. 5, he said, he received warning that he must cease in his production of the film. According to his statement Mr. Hays and F. W. Beeson, association secretary, promised to obstruct the filming operations.

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United German Societies was now under the domination of the Nazis. Morris Ernst, attorney for the American Civil Liberties Union, supporting Popcke in his plea for a rescinding of the mayor's ban on the grounds that it was a denial of the traditional American right of free speech and assembly. He cited Hitler's autobiography, "My Battle," to support his contention that the best way to handle the Nazi threat was to expose it to open ridicule.

From more than a dozen participants at the hearing came severe denunciation of the New York Nazi group. Charges were flung at the absent Spanknoebel as being a paid employee of the Hitler Government, sent here to create sympathy for the Nazi leader's racial aims and to reproduce his practices in the United States.

Mr. Untermeyer presented the mayor with samples of Spanknoebel's publications, in which he asserted the President of the United States and other American figures and institutions were scurrilously libelled. He declared that Spanknoebel had been subsidized by the Hitler government to the extent of 10,000,000 Marks. In attacking the Nazi organization in this country, Mr. Untermeyer said he saw no difference between Spanknoebel and other Hitlerites "even though they masquerade as ambassadors."

Magistrate Charles Brandt, Jr., in

describing his withdrawal from the United German Societies, declared that many members of that group are restrained from leaving or declaring their honest opinions for fear of consequences to their relatives in Germany.

A representative of the American Federation of Labor announced the unfavorable attitude of his federation toward the Hitler Government and charged that union tradesmen fleeing from Hitler's persecution were afraid to do otherwise than denounce unions in the United States for fear of consequences which would be visited upon their families in Germany.

Victor Ridder, ousted member of the United German Societies, appealed for the suspension of German Day celebrations, and described how they were being sponsored by Nazi elements of the organization, which, he said, in recent weeks had succeeded in coercing all old elements of the organization into following the dictates of Adolf Hitler.

Bernard Deutsch, president of the American Jewish Congress, also condemned the proposed German Day celebrations as a Nazi propaganda stunt and demanded that the United States armory should not be used as a rostrum for their un-American viewpoints.

Edgar H. Burman, commander of the Jewish War Veterans, shortly before the session was called to order, told a reporter for the Jewish Daily Bulletin that forty organizations, including his own, the American Legion, the American Federation of Labor, the Veterans of Foreign Wars, and others, were prepared to stage a counter-demonstration in the event of the mayor's acquiescence to the demands of the United German Societies.

Mayor O'Brien was in receipt of a letter yesterday morning in which the United German Societies declined to attend the public hearing which the mayor had set for the afternoon. In the letter it was said that Spanknoebel could not attend the hearing as ordered by the mayor Tuesday, but reiterated the request that the mayor permit the celebration to be held. Copies of speeches to be delivered at the meeting would be furnished the mayor in advance, the letter promised. It declared that Spanknoebel could not be withdrawn.

The decision to send the letter was adopted at an all-night meeting of representatives of the United German Societies at the Turn Hall.

### Followed Challenge to Authority

The mayor's action came yesterday after the United German So-

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## Spanknoebel's Citizenship

The Jewish Daily Bulletin learned yesterday through the Immigration Office at Ellis Island that Heinz Spanknoebel, Nazi propagandist in the United States, was not an American citizen when he returned to this country last July.

"According to our records, Mr. Spanknoebel had not become a citizen when he came here four months ago," immigration officials declared.

Their statement explodes Spanknoebel's frequently-asserted contention that he is a citizen of the United States. The Nazi agent declares he has lived on American soil three-and-a-half years. Normally, the process of becoming a citizen requires five years' residence in the country.

German officials at the German embassy in Washington, at the German Consulate in New York, and at Nazi Party headquarters in Berlin were quoted yesterday as denying Spanknoebel's representation of the National Socialist Party.

## Merchants Bar Jews From Commerce Revival Aids

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BERLIN, Oct. 25.—The association of retail merchants of the city of Duisburg, yesterday distributed special placards intended to revive trade in accordance with the instructions issued by the Minister of Economics, Dr. Kurt Schmitt.

However, they declined to supply Jewish shops with the placards declaring that no placards aiming to advertise goods may be displayed in Jewish shops.

## Zionists Organize Units Along Southern Seaboard

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

ASHEVILLE, N. C., Oct. 25.—Mobilization of the forces of the Zionist Organization in this region got under way here when units were formed in strategic cities including Norfolk, Newport News, Richmond, Danville, Va., Greensboro, Charlotte, Gastonia and Asheville, N. C.

Simon J. Levin, of Baltimore, executive director of the Seaboard Zionist group, announced plans to establish units and branches of the organization throughout North Carolina, South Carolina, Maryland, Virginia and the District of Columbia.

## Dr. Nathan Krass Resigns as Rabbi of Temple Emanu-El

Dr. Nathan Krass has resigned as senior rabbi of Temple Emanu-El on account of illness.

According to present plans, a special meeting of the congregation will be held Monday evening when a successor to Dr. Krass will be named. Judge Irving Lehman, president of the Board of Trustees of the Temple, will preside.

During his ten years' service as spiritual leader of the wealthiest synagogue in the country, Dr. Krass was active in meeting the cost of building the present \$8,000,000 edifice, Fifth Avenue and Sixty-fifth Street.

## Rabbi Ignatz Roth

Funeral services were held yesterday morning for Rabbi Ignatz Roth, who died at the People's Hospital. The services took place at the Shearith Zedek Congregation and Rabbi Klein officiated. Rabbi Roth, who was 64 years old at the time of his death, was interred at Mount Zion Cemetery, Maspeth, L. I.

Rabbi Roth was born in Roumania and received his rabbinical training in Hungarian Yeshivas, where he occupied several pulpits. Ten years ago, he came to the United States, in response to a call from a Cleveland congregation. Since 1925, he had been religious supervisor of the Hebrew Sheltering and Immigrant Aid Society.

## Dominican Legation Denies Knowledge of Arrests of Jews in Santo Domingo

(Jewish Daily Bulletin)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 25.—Inquiry concerning reports that Jews are being mistreated in the Dominican Republic brought forth expressions of surprise from the Dominican Legation here today.

Legation officials stated that as far as they knew the reports were unfounded. They also declared that the Dominican Republic is inhabited by few, if any, Jews.

Questioned whether any disturbances had been reported to the Legation from Santo Domingo, officials answered that "our country is a peaceful country. No, we have heard of no disturbances." Nazi activities had not been heard of in the Dominican Republic, they said. Legation officials also declared that the German influence in that country amounts to practically nothing as there are very few Germans there.

Recent dispatches from Havana stated that a Jew, Chaim Reber, who fled from Santo Domingo, arrived in Havana with the news that 11 Jews had been arrested on the charge that they had come to Santo Domingo to overthrow General Trujillo, local dictator. Nineteen others are being sought by the police and all will be deported to Haiti.

## Ban Trumpeldorite Uniforms In Czechoslovakian Provinces

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

PRAGUE, Oct. 25.—Members of the Revisionist, right-wing Zionist, organization, and of the Brith Trumpeldor, Revisionist youth organization, were forbidden yesterday by the government authorities in Slovakia and Carpatho-Russia, to wear their organization uniforms. The Trumpeldorites, who affect a brown uniform, muster considerable strength in the provinces where their uniforms are now banned.

The Czech press reports that action will be taken against several of the Trumpeldorite leaders. No grounds for this action, however, are reported.

## Federation Workers Meet

The Real Estate Club of the Federation for the Support of Jewish Philanthropic Societies will hold a dinner meeting tonight at the Commodore. The object of the meeting is to launch a drive for \$150,000 which is to be used toward the Federation drive's goal of \$4,200,000. Speakers are to include Col. A. Pearson Hoover, Aaron Rabinowitz, chairman of the Club, and G. Richard Davis, chairman of the executive committee.

## 5 Warsaw Terrorists Held In Newspaper Bombing

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

WARSAW, Poland, Oct. 25.—Five terrorists belonging to the group calling themselves National Revolutionaries were arrested and accused of having participated in the bombing of the Polish Jewish newspaper, *Nasz Przegląd*.

Investigation by the Polish police revealed the existence of the terrorist group with headquarters on the premises of the Nationalist, anti-Semitic organization known as the *Obwiscopol*.

## Funeral Services Today For Dr. Julian W. Brandeis

Funeral services for Dr. Julian W. Brandeis, attending physician at Lebonon Hospital, the Bronx, will be held at his residence 8 West Eighty-third Street at 11 o'clock today.

Dr. Brandeis, who was 58 years old, was a specialist in internal medicine. His interests were widely varied both within and outside his profession. He was known as a wit, a literateur and a lover of music. He was the author of "Baron Munchausen, M.D.," editor of *The Medical Pickwick*, a monthly magazine, and a contributor to the *Saturday Evening Post* and other publications.

His musical inclinations he probably inherited from his father, the late Fredrick Brandeis, who was organist and choir master at the Shearith Israel Synagogue for twenty-five years and composed many of the hymns used in synagogues. Dr. Brandeis was an instructor in surgery at the Polytechnic Hospital and a professor of medicine at Fordham University.

Surviving him are his wife, a son, Fredrick, and a daughter, Irma. Interment will be in Beth Olam Cemetery, Cypress Hills, Brooklyn.

## Paperhangers Refuse to Handle German Products

The first direct result of the boycott on German-made goods declared by the American Federation of Labor at its recent convention in Washington, was felt here yesterday when a group of union paperhangers belonging to District Council 9, of the Brotherhood of Painters, were instructed by union officials not to handle German-made wall paper in the work going on in Rockefeller Center.

G. Pellechia, assistant secretary of the union, declared that the situation was practically that of a strike and that the Rockefeller Center authorities had been informed that the men would not go back to work until another wall paper was substituted for the German product.

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cities had openly challenged his authority to interfere with their celebration of German Day with speeches by Heinz Spanknoebel, Nazi agent to the United States, and by Ambassador Hans Luther, representative of the Hitler Government in Washington.

First official protest against the mayor's suspension of celebrations came on Monday night when in a tumultuous meeting of the United German Societies a letter was drafted terming the mayor's decision an "insult to the organization" and an encroachment upon American rights of assembly. A delegation of seventeen members, who interviewed the mayor Tuesday were invited to return to present their case yesterday.

United States Attorney George Z. Medalie announced yesterday that he would undertake an investigation of the activities of Spanknoebel in this country. His announcement followed a visit to his office by Victor and Bernard Ridder in which charges made against Spanknoebel by the Ridders were discussed.

The Ridders declined to reveal the nature of their talk with Mr. Medalie who declared merely that "I am looking into Spanknoebel's status in this country and also into his actions in this city."

### German-American Conference Plan

As the German American Conference went into session last night it was felt in many German-American circles that the United German Societies, which recently came under the control of American Hitlerites, would lose all its prestige among German American groups.

Victor Ridder, president of the German American Conference, was suspended with his brother Bernard from the United German Societies for "treachery and treason to the German people," when they demanded that the U.G.S. throw off the yoke of Heinz Spanknoebel, Nazi agent in the United States, at the organization's meeting Monday.

It was expected last night that the German American Conference embracing 300 German American organizations would introduce a plan for an organization to replace or rival the United German Societies. The new federation will either be anti-Nazi in policy or steer clear of political entanglements altogether. Prominent German Jewish and German leaders last night believed the latter policy would be adopted.

The United German Societies is a small part of the German American Conference; and it was expected that the larger organization would bring to task the minor group for its active participation in foreign

politics and its attempted application of Hitlerite features to American affairs.

Asked what action would be taken against the United German Societies, Victor Ridder, president of the conference, yesterday refused to discuss the possibility of creation of a rival organization.

When queried as to whether or not the policies of the German American Conference were liberal, Ridder cried, "Liberal? I'll say we are."

Bernard and Victor Ridder declared yesterday that hundreds of members of the German colony in New York had called them to offer support in their opposition to the Nazi control of the United German Societies. The suspension of the brothers, publishers of the New Yorker Staats-Zeitung, is believed in many quarters to have been the signal for a schism between factions of the United German Societies. Leaders of the German-American community indicated that the Ridders will receive strong support from dissenting German-Jewish organizations of the United German Societies and tremendous backing from other groups.

Other features inspired optimism before the mayor rendered his decision on the celebration yesterday on the possibilities of thwarting plans for observance of the day. Representative Samuel Dickstein on his departure for Washington Tuesday promised to jail all alien Nazi agitators; the Board of Aldermen rendered a vote of confidence in the mayor's early prohibition of German Day celebrations; all anti-Nazi elements were called upon to mobilize to break up the German Day celebration at the 165th Regiment Armory; and factions of Yorkville yesterday loaned their support to the Ridders as a good omen to opposition of the transformation of German Day into a Nazi fete.

### Endorse Ridders' Action

Among those endorsing the action of Bernard and Victor Ridder in denouncing the United German Societies' preparations for the German Day celebration, according to the Staats-Zeitung were: Dr. Gotthard E. Seyforth, president of the North-eastern Saengerbund; Dietrich Wortmann, president of the German American Sport Alliance; Jacob Moebus, president of the United Sangers of New York; Professor Mankiewitz of the School of Education of City College; John H. Ducker, honorary president of the Plattdeutsche Volkfest Alliance of Brooklyn; Dr. Louis Ewald, Bruno C. Schmidt, and Fred Scharrel, secretary of the German American Football League.

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## Abraham Goldberg, Editor Of Warsaw "Hajnt", Dead

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in the Zionist movement and as a member of the Polish Zionist Executive.

The funeral cortege was followed by a large number of representatives of Warsaw Jewish organizations and members of the Jewish community. Mr. Goldberg was buried in a grave in a section of the Warsaw Jewish cemetery reserved for prominent Jewish writers.

The noted Jewish editor was born in Brisk, Lithuania, in 1881, the son of a Hebrew teacher, who was one of the pioneers in the Zionist movement. He was educated by his father and began his career in journalism by contributing articles to the Hebrew publications, Hazfira and Hamelitz. Later he edited the Warsaw Jewish dailies, Morgen Blatt and Last Post.

When the Hajnt was founded, Mr. Goldberg became editor, a post he kept until his death. He was noted as a consistent and staunch defender of the Zionist viewpoint. He visited the United States a few years ago. A brother, Menachem Boreisha, noted Yiddish poet and playwright, lives in New York.

### LETTER TO EDITOR

October 24, 1933.

Editor, Jewish Daily Bulletin:

A false impression has been left by publicity regarding action by the Presbyterian Synod in Atlantic City last week. It was not an anti-Semitic action, nor anything near that. The motion, according to reports I received, should have gone through the proper committee before it reached the floor, and it not only failed in this, but it was presented in the last few minutes of the session and the Synod felt that there was insufficient time to consider the case. Moreover, the motion called for intervention by President Roosevelt, and the idea of intervention raised the horror of more war, and the final action, hurriedly taken, was to table the motion. The Synod of New Jersey, however, did not "condemn protesting against the treatment of Jews in Germany" as stories in the press would lead readers to believe.

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