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## J. T. A. Man Is Arrested In Danzig

Joseph Loewy, Editor of 'Echo', Held Without Explanation

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)  
DANZIG, June 9—Joseph Loewy, Danzig correspondent of the Jewish Telegraphic Agency and editor of a local newspaper, Danziger Echo, was arrested here today.

No reasons for his arrest were given, but it is understood that he is charged with reporting facts which emphasize that the present administration of Danzig is controlled by the Nazis. Recent editions of the paper edited by Mr. Loewy have been confiscated, and his private apartment thoroughly searched.

Dr. Bermann, editor-in-chief of the Echo, was spared arrest owing to his illness. Attempts to obtain the release of Mr. Loewy have so far proved unsuccessful.

### His Second Arrest

This is the second time that Mr. Loewy has been arrested by the Nazi-controlled Danzig authorities for his anti-Nazi reports.

Eduard Penkalla, the Berlin correspondent of the Viennese newspaper Neue Wiener Tageblatt, was arrested here yesterday when, acting upon instructions from his paper, he came to Danzig to investigate conditions here.

Mr. Penkalla is a Yugoslavian citizen and his wife is a Jewess from Holland. The Yugoslavian Minister in Warsaw intervened with the Danzig authorities today for his release. Mr. Penkalla is charged by the Nazi authorities with sending "atrocity news" from Danzig.

## Nazis Blame Jews For Danzig Panic

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

DANZIG, June 9—An orgy of buying food and clothing, for hoarding purposes, as a result of the fall of the Danzig currency, was utilized today by the Nazi authorities here to start a strong and open campaign against the Jews.

Anxious to divert the state of panic which the drop in Danzig currency provoked, Nazi officials made statements that the Jews are all to be blamed for the devaluation of the Danzig gulden.

## Arabs Ask Hitler Bar Sale of Land to Jews

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

JAFFA, June 9—The Federation of Arab Youth in Palestine today sent a cable to Adolf Hitler asking him to forbid the sale to Jews of the land on which the German orphanage in Palestine is located.

A telegram to the same effect was also sent by the Arab Youth Federation to the German Consul-General in Jerusalem.

## Nazis to Expel All Who Give Trade to Jews

Hess Warns Members Of Party to Shun Personal Contact

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

BERLIN, June 9—Members of the National Socialist Party in Germany will be expelled from the ranks of the Party if they patronize Jewish stores or maintain personal contacts with Jews, Rudolf Hess, Nazi Minister and Hitler's right-hand man, declared today in a public address.

Nazi employees working for Jewish employers should not wear the Party badge during the hours of their work, the Nazi Minister said in the course of his speech.

Dr. Alfred Rosenberg, another of Hitler's favorites, announces today that "there will never be any compromise with the Jews."

In an article which Rosenberg publishes today in the Essener National Zeitung, he assures those Germans who cannot understand why the Nazi government persecutes the Jews.

Dr. Rosenberg admits that the Jews are no longer a menace to the cultural shaping of present-day Germany but he denounces the new Nazi adherents for "dabbling with so-called humanitarian ideas" and for not understanding that "the Jewish question is not a personal one but a problem of basic importance."

"We shall never make any compromises as far as the carrying out of the paragraphs of our program dealing with Jews," Dr. Rosenberg writes in his article. "The principles which were formulated by our leaders when the Nazi movement was born must be upheld."

The Nazi Ministry of Propaganda has issued an order prohibiting the owners of moving picture houses to exhibit films produced before the Nazis came into power, in which Jewish actors take part.

## Press Opens War on Plan For Council

Hebrew Dailies Assail Talk on Transjordan At Geneva

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

JERUSALEM, June 9—The explanations given by the representative of the Palestine government, Sydney Moody, to the session of the Mandates Commission of the League of Nations in Geneva, that Jews cannot be admitted to Transjordan "for political reasons" and that a legislative assembly will be established in Palestine despite the Jewish opposition, provoked a good deal of excitement among the Jews in Palestine.

Expression to this excitement is given today in the Hebrew press which described Moody's explanations as "cynical statements."

### Jews Will Fight Council

"The Jews will never consent to sign their political suicide," editorials in the Hebrew press declare, emphasizing that the establishment of a legislative council in Palestine will be bitterly fought by all Jewish elements in the country.

At the same time a memorandum was submitted today to the Palestine government by ex-Mayor Nashashibi in the name of the Arab National Defense Party, asking for the establishment of a self-government in Palestine and for the stoppage of Jewish immigration into the country.

The memorandum was submitted (Continued on Page Four)

## School Figures Show Increase

32,788 Students Listed In Jewish System In Palestine

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

JERUSALEM, June 9—The number of Jewish pupils in the school system maintained by the Jewish National Council has increased from 27,706 last year to 32,788 this year, it was officially announced today.

The sum of \$650,000 will be spent this year on the Jewish school system in Palestine. Only an insignificant fraction of it will be covered by government subsidies.

Today's announcement also discloses that the number of teachers in the Jewish school system has increased from 1,057 last year to 1,217 this year.

Figures published today disclose that the number of casualties in Palestine is growing from month to month. During May there were seventy-three labor accidents, the highest ever registered in Palestine.

## Dr. Levin Dead at 68; Noted Zionist Leader

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

JERUSALEM, June 9—Dr. Shmarya Levin, famous veteran Zionist leader, died here today at the age of 68.

## Ley, Nazi Radical, Is Revealed as Jew

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

VIENNA, June 9—The sensational revelation that Dr. Ley, Nazi leader in Germany and head of the so-called Labor Front, is of Jewish origin, is made today in the Weltblatt here.

The Weltblatt reports that an "Aryan" editor in Berlin named Herzog was arrested for declaring that he is unable to understand how Dr. Ley, despite his "non-Aryanism," is allowed to remain one of the outstanding Nazi leaders in Germany. Dr. Ley is known as one of the radicals of the Streicher type in the Nazi movement.

## Set August 20 For Congress At Lucerne

Date Is Changed from 27th; New Actions Body Meets Sept. 1

### BULLETIN

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

JERUSALEM, June 9—The World Zionist Executive will propose to the next Zionist Congress in Lucerne that in the future the Congress be called once every four years instead of once every two years, it is stated here today.

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

LONDON, June 9—Changing the date of the opening of the World Zionist Congress in Lucerne from August 27 to August 20, the Zionist Executive today announced that it expects the Congress to last ten days.

The announcement also states that the new Actions Committee which is to be elected by the Congress will have its first session in Lucerne immediately upon the conclusion of the Congress. The sessions of the Actions Committee will open September 1 and will last three days.

The Jewish Agency, which is recognized by the League of Nations as the representative body for Jewish interests in Palestine and which consists of Zionists and non-Zionists, will open its session in Lucerne September 4, upon the conclusion of the sessions of the Actions Committee.

The Jewish Agency will be in session two days, after which the new Administrative Council of the Jewish Agency will have a session September 6.

## 60 Are Hurt In Riots In Polish City

Attacks on Jews Sweep Grodno After Fatal Dance Hall Clash

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

WARSAW, June 9—Sixty Jews were injured, three of them critically, in anti-Jewish riots which took place in the city of Grodno on Friday, the Jewish Telegraphic Agency has established upon investigation in Grodno.

The Mayor of Grodno issued an appeal to the Polish youth "not to disgrace Polish tradition" and not to provoke further excitement. A Jewish delegation was assured by the district chief of police that steps have been taken to preserve peace in the city.

### Call Riots 'Spontaneous'

An official communique issued by the Grodno authorities says that the anti-Jewish riots were of a spontaneous nature and were not instigated by political parties. In addition to attacking Jews on the streets, the windows of many Jewish houses were smashed.

The anti-Jewish attacks started on Dominanski Street, which is the main street of Grodno. They lasted over an hour and the gendarmerie had to be called to assist the police in restoring order. In the evening the riots were repeated on the outskirts of the city. Of the sixty Jews injured, eight are now in local hospitals.

### Dance Hall Clash

The riots came as a result of a clash between Jewish and non-Jewish youngsters at a dance hall. The clash took place on Tuesday night and resulted in the stabbing of Wladislaw Kuszcz. The victim died the next day in a local hospital.

During the funeral on Friday an organized group of Poles began to attack Jewish pedestrians and to smash the windows of Jewish houses. Two Jewish underworld characters, Samuel Steiner and Melech Kantorowicz, were arrested as the alleged murders of Wladislaw Kuszcz.

A statement issued today in official Polish quarters declares that during the anti-Jewish riots windows of Christian houses were also smashed. There are other clues which indicate that the riots were started for the purpose of robbery, the statement says.

WARSAW, June 9—Following the (Continued on Page Four)

## Brodetsky Hails Appointment Of MacDonald to Colonial Post

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

PARIS, June 9—The appointment of Malcolm MacDonald, son of the British ex-Premier as Colonial Secretary, was hailed today by Prof. Selig Brodetsky, member of the World Zionist Executive, addressing a convention of Zionists in France.

"Malcolm MacDonald is a friend of the Zionist movement," Prof.

Brodetsky said. Sixty delegates were present at the convention.

Prof. Brodetsky in the course of his address vigorously protested against the intended establishment of a legislative council in Palestine.

"Such a Council will proclaim the Jews a minority," he explained. He demanded that Palestine be opened to larger immigration and urged that all forces in Zionism be united.

## Ukraine Farms Seen Losing Attraction for Jews of Russia

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

MOSCOW, June 9—The Jews in Soviet Russia are no longer anxious to settle in collective farms in the Ukraine, it was established today by the Ozet, the Soviet organization to settle Jews on land.

Improved conditions in the Jewish townships, coupled with the opportunities for young Jews to enter factories, have led to a situation where only fifty per cent of the

quota for Jews to be settled this Summer in the collective colonies in Ukraine has been filled, the Ozet announces today.

The Ozet has applied to the Soviet government for funds to purchase cattle and inventory necessary for adjusting the new Jewish settlers in Ukrainian colonies, in order to stimulate a larger migration of Jews from the townships into the colonies.

# The Daily News Letter

The League Petition on Danzig

By a J.T.A. Special Correspondent

GENEVA.

Those wishing to have a complete picture of the Nazi anti-Jewish activities in Danzig, should carefully examine the petition which the Jews of Danzig submitted to the League of Nations Council and which has been made public here as part of the minutes of the session of the Council.

The petition points out that since the government of the Free City was taken over by the National Socialist majority, and especially of late, the Danzig Constitution, which guarantees all citizens unrestricted equality of rights, and the Polish-Danzig Convention of November 9, 1920, which secures to all inhabitants of Danzig, irrespective of their language or religion, equal status before the law and the full enjoyment of all citizenship and political rights, are being visibly infringed and ignored in respect to the Jews in all spheres of public life.

## Lists Discriminations

The discrimination against the Jews solely because of their origin, finds expression in all spheres of public life; in legislation, in the "Aryan Paragraph" that is disguised in other words, directed against Jewish officials, judges, notaries, lawyers, doctors, pharmacists, dentists and teachers.

In administrative practice, this discrimination expresses itself even more definitely in all activities affecting citizen life: (a) The police do not uphold public order, security and peace where this basic law is infringed against Jews; (b) The few Jewish officials employed in the Municipal Administration have been dismissed by actions constituting breaches of the Constitution; and (c) Similar anti-constitutional treatment is meted out to the Jewish professors, teachers and students in all public educational institutions, to Jewish artists and to Jewish actors; Jewish doctors, pharmacists and dentists are boycotted in the most diverse fashion, and this is not only tolerated by the authorities, but quite openly encouraged. The same thing is happening in the judiciary.

## Role of the Senate

In economic life everything is done to ruin the Jewish merchant class, by boycott, the refusal of State tenders, etc.

The Senate has rejected all petitions for protection against boycott and defamation, though the fundamental rights proclaimed in the Constitution guaranteeing the equality of rights of all citizens calls for such legal measures to be taken by the government under such circumstances. The same fate

attends Jews employed in commerce, and private officials.

The petition points out that the position of the Jews of Danzig since the National Socialist government cannot be reconciled with human dignity and with the rights guaranteed in the Constitution and the Polish-Danzig Convention. The Jews are denied in the Danzig State, it says, the equality of rights to which they are entitled equally with the rest of the Danzig citizens.

Nevertheless, the petition proceeds, the representative bodies of Danzig Jewry hesitated for a long time before they finally felt compelled to present a petition to the League of Nations. The Jews are always prepared to adjust themselves to the government and the laws of the State, even when these support conceptions which are alien to the Jews, it declares. Only in the extreme event when the intensity of persecution and oppression have become intolerable, they have decided to lodge a complaint against the government of their State.

## What Petition Asks

The petition asks the League of Nations to require the Senate of the Free City of Danzig to: (1) Repeal all laws and decrees whose anti-constitutional character is demonstrated in the petition; (2) Demand of the Senate that it should alter its administrative practice to make amends for all discriminations to which the Danzig Jews have been subjected and to make it impossible for new discriminations to take their place; (3) To demand of the Senate that all citizens, including Jews, should be given adequate protection against all defamation; (4) To demand of the Senate that the boycott carried on against the Danzig Jews should be firmly prohibited, if necessary, by legal regulations.

## Government's Reply

The Senate of the Free City of Danzig in its observations accompanying the petition, which run to twenty folio pages, argues that the position of the Jews in Danzig corresponds in every respect with that guaranteed to them in the Constitution and the Polish-Danzig Convention.

It is not denied, says the government, that the position of the Jews has at the moment grown a little worse, but this is in no way the result of infringement of the Constitution or of the provisions of the Polish-Danzig Convention, but is the result of the attitude adopted by the population, which in consequence of a new moral and political conception has turned away from the Jewish elements.

## Obligations Met

It cannot be the duty of the government to influence, or to combat this attitude of the population. The government has carried out its obligations with regard to the Danzig Jews and will continue to fulfil them in the future. It believes, however, that the attitude of the population in respect to the Jewish element will not improve when the great mass of public opinion will learn what it has not previously known, that the Jews have made use of the right of petition, which they are not prohibited from doing and is not contested. The government must therefore deplore that this petition has been presented.

# Between the Lines

By B. SMOLAR

## A Soviet Decision

The Soviet government has decided to cancel 23,000,000 roubles in debts which Jewish colonies in Crimea and the Ukraine owe the government bank, cooperative banks and other credit institutions.

This decision is a part of the general cancellation of farm debts in the U.S.S.R. totalling 435,000,000 roubles. It aims to consolidate the position of the collective farms in the country.

## Agro-Joint Assured

When the Soviet government first made its decision last December to cancel a part of the debts of the Jewish collective farms, the question was asked whether those debts which the farms owe to the Agro-Joint—not to the Soviet government—would be honored.

The present decision of the Soviet gives a clear answer to this question. It says that the writing off of the debts will in no way affect the Agro-Joint. The sums advanced by the Agro-Joint to the Jewish collective farms will be repaid by the Soviet government.

## Funds for Biro-Bidjan

The explanation now given by the Soviet authorities will be met with great satisfaction by American Jews, both because the Jewish colonists in Soviet Russia will benefit if they have less debts to pay and also because the money advanced to the colonies from American Jewish funds will be returned by the government.

With the present project of settling Polish and Baltic Jews in Biro-Bidjan, the sums which the Soviet government will refund to the Agro-Joint can be utilized to a great extent to help the colonization of foreign Jews in Biro-Bidjan. In announcing that the cancellation of farm debts will not affect the credits extended by the Agro-Joint to the Jewish colonies, the Soviet has proven that it can be trusted and that any credits extended by the Agro-Joint for Biro-Bidjan will be repaid, just as the loans to Crimea are being repaid now.

## Attention, Mr. McDonald!

James G. McDonald, the High Commissioner for Jewish and Other Refugees from Germany, who returned last Thursday from his trip to South American countries in search of new lands for Jews, should be interested in the Soviet announcement that it intends to admit this year 4,500 Jews from abroad into Biro-Bidjan. This announcement was made while Mr. McDonald was away on his mission to Argentine and Brazil. It opens perhaps wider facilities for the settling of Jewish refugees than any of the Rosen, director of the Agri-Joint, countries in South America may offer at this moment.

Hand in hand with Dr. Joseph Commissioner McDonald could accomplish much for the Jewish refugees if he were to start negotiations with the Soviet government along the same lines as he did with the governments of the South American countries. The opening of such negotiations would present no difficulties to Mr. McDonald since Soviet Russia is now a member of the League of Nations, which set up Mr. McDonald's office.

## Completing a Mission

Irrespective of whether many of the Jewish refugees would like to go to Biro-Bidjan or whether the number of prospective immigrants would be small, it is the duty of Mr. McDonald to investigate the possibilities of settling refugees in Biro-Bidjan, as he is doing in other territories. Mr.

# World Press Digest

## History of Jews Briefly Presented

The *Huddersfield Daily Examiner* of England, in a review of the Jewish situation, says:

In spite of the centuries of attempts to hold the Jew down, even to exterminate him, he was more numerous today than he had ever been. There were 116,000,000 Jews in the world, and they were in all lands. The Jews were essentially a city people, not necessarily of their own choosing, but because they were compelled to live in the cities throughout the centuries. Fourteen cities of the world had one-third of the Jews crowded into them. The Jews were everywhere because of persecution, and because they were everywhere there was no people in the world more internationally-minded than the Jews. At the same time, and paradoxical as it might seem, there was no people with such strong national and racial consciousness as the Jews. The Jews had been the victims of physical violence, but they had never retaliated by resorting to physical violence. Yet they had survived every nation that had tried to kill them off.

The Jews everywhere in the world were in a minority, and all minorities were inclined to be clannish. Whenever a minority were the victims of the oppression of the powers that be the minority tended to become radical and revolutionary. It was still a disadvantage and a handicap to be a Jew in practically every country in the world. The Jew to get ahead had to go against the current, and this made an individual, as well as a people, strong. The Jew, because of his uphill fight, had developed qualities of shrewdness, ingenuity, and cleverness to a marked degree. Usually the Jew got on very well, and that was one reason why he was not liked.

McDonald's mission would not be considered completed until he has brought a definite report about Biro-Bidjan, toward which the eyes of many Jews are turned. That his negotiations with the Soviet government will meet with less obstacles than those with any other government, is certain.

## 'Only Fools or Bigots Can Credit Protocols'

The *Irish Press*, a daily published in Dublin, carries the following editorial on the "Protocols of the Elders of Zion":

The Swiss Jewish community has won a signal victory in its action against the National Socialist leaders. The judge of the Berne Court not only condemned the "Protocols of the Elders of Zion" as constituting a forgery, but also expressed his astonishment that such an idiotic question as that of their authenticity could be discussed for seventeen days in a court of law. Nonsensical as they are, the "Protocols" have been used to stir up racial hatred in many countries.

Now that it has been subjected to a searching examination in a court of law and once more proved false, only the very foolish or the very bigoted can ever again put any credence in the "Protocols of Zion."

## Canadian Zionists Pick Slates Today

Expect 10,000 Holders of Shekels Will Vote for Congress Delegates

(Special to the J.D.B.)

MONTREAL, Que., June 9—Ten thousand Shekel holders are expected to participate in the election tomorrow of the Canadian delegates to the next Zionist Congress. An advance poll has been held in Montreal, Toronto and Winnipeg. However, the ballots will only be counted in all centres on Monday evening after the closing of the polls.

Canada is entitled to elect five delegates to the nineteenth congress which opens in Lucerne, Switzerland, on August 20.

There will be three slates on the ballot: List No. 1—General Zionists and Hadassah; List No. 2—Poale Zion-Zeire Zion; List No. 3—Mizrachi.

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## Soviet Survey Reveals Drop In Use of Yiddish

### Readers of Jewish Books In Minsk Decreased Sharply

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)

MOSCOW, June 9—A sharp decline in the use of the Jewish language is disclosed today in the results of a survey made in Minsk, the capital of Soviet White Russia. The survey shows that the number of readers of Jewish books in the Minsk Central Library has decreased from 29,000 in 1928 to only 7,000 this year. This is at a time when the number of readers in the non-Yiddish departments of the library has considerably increased.

The decrease cannot be explained by lack of government subsidy for the library, since the budget of the library has been increased constantly during the last five years. The local government has also increased the number of books in the Jewish department of the library. The Moscow press demands that the White Russian Commissariat of Education should start an investigation to establish the reasons for the apathy of the Jewish readers.

More than 14,000 sets of various Jewish newspapers and periodicals from all parts of the world are now in the possession of the Press Archive of the Institute for Jewish Proletarian Culture in Kiev, the Moscow press reports. The Institute receives daily 250 periodicals from different parts of Soviet Russia and foreign countries. The Institute serves with its Press Archives individual research workers as well as Soviet institutions interested in studying Jewish life all over the world.

### 1,000 Set to Attend Bronx Appeal Dinner

One thousand Bronx residents have made reservations to attend a dinner Wednesday night at the Concourse Plaza Hotel to launch an extensive drive in the Bronx on behalf of the United Jewish Appeal. Nathan Straus, co-chairman of the Greater New York United Jewish Appeal, will be the guest of honor. The principal speakers will be Rabbi Jonah B. Wise, national co-chairman of the Appeal, and Rabbi Barnett R. Brickner of Cleveland, Ohio. A program of entertainment will be furnished by radio stars of WOR through the courtesy of Abraham Krasne, chairman of the Bronx Division.

### Dr. Linder Honored

The staff of the Jewish Hospital last night gave a dinner at the Waldorf-Astoria in honor of Dr. William Linder, newly elected Dean of Surgery.

## Bulletin Calendar of Events

Monday, June 10

Springtime breakfast in celebration of the ninth anniversary of Ivriah, Hotel Waldorf-Astoria, Park Avenue at Fifth Street, 8:30 a.m. Address by Rabbi Barnett.

Meeting of the Theodor Herzl Society, Central Jewish Institute, 125 East Eighty-fifth Street, 8:30 p.m. "Palestine and New Standards," Charles A. Cowen.

### ENGAGEMENTS

Dr. and Mrs. Morris Mestel of 500 West 11th Avenue, New York City, announce the engagement of their daughter, Eleanor, to Mr. E. Murray Reinberg, 230 Central Park West, New York City.

### Rabbi Named Head of Scranton Charter Body

(Special to the J.D.B.)

SCRANTON, Pa., June 9—Rabbi Victor Eppstein of the Madison Avenue Temple has been elected chairman of the Scranton Governmental Study Committee, formed for the purpose of advocating progressive revision of the Pennsylvania State Constitution and the Charter of the City of Scranton.

The committee, which is made up of sixty of the most prominent citizens of the community, also includes four other Jews, I. E. Oppenheim, M. L. Goodman, A. D. Cohen, and Ralph Levy.

### Import Label Act To Get Court Test

#### Anti-Nazi League Preparing Brief on Constitutionality In Dennison Case

The New York State Wald Act, which makes it a crime to obliterate or hide marks of origin of goods imported from abroad, will receive its first constitutionality test in the case brought by the Non-Sectarian Anti-Nazi League against the Dennison Manufacturing Company, when the charges filed by the League against the company for violating the act are heard in Special Sessions Court this week. The case is scheduled for Thursday.

Since the case involves important legal questions, Dr. M. S. Fischer, of the legal committee of the League, has asked permission to file a brief regarding the constitutionality of the act. Samuel Untermeyer, president of the League, and Barnett A. Kopelman, who represented it in the court proceedings, will also file briefs.

The Dennison Company was held for Special Sessions after a hearing in Magistrates' Court on the charge of having covered a "Made in Germany" price tag on a small china figure in order to hide the country of its origin.

### Reich Savants Invited To Live in Honduras

The government of Honduras will welcome Jewish scientists from Germany, it was declared by President Tiburcio Carias to Dr. Samuel Guy Inman, assistant to James G. McDonald, High Commissioner for Jewish and Other Refugees from Germany, according to a report received here yesterday.

Dr. Inman was received by President Carias and by members of the Honduras government and negotiated with them for the admission of German-Jewish refugees.

## Healey Jailed; Held to Blame In Yorkville Clash

### Young Irish 'Hitler' Put Up Sign Urging Action Against Jews

Raymond J. Healey, the self-styled American Hitler and editor of the anti-Semitic Healey's Irish Weekly, was convicted Saturday night for disorderly conduct in connection with his posting of an inflammatory anti-Semitic sign in Yorkville which led to a riot there.

Healey was sent to jail immediately after Magistrate Louis B. Brodsky found him guilty at the hearing in Night Court. He will appear for sentence on Wednesday. Meanwhile his fingerprints were ordered taken and his case was handed over for investigation to a probation officer.

Appearing before Magistrate Brodsky, the youthful Irish Nazi leader gave the Nazi salute in court and tried to outline to the judge the "destructive philosophy of the Talmud." He at first brought charges of disorderly conduct against Julius Alexander, a Jewish machinist, for ripping off the anti-Semitic poster, but Judge Brodsky dismissed the charges against Alexander and directed the latter to swear out a similar complaint against Healey. This Alexander did with apparent pleasure.

#### Healey Charges Prejudice

John S. Wise Jr., defending Healey, asked that the case against his client be transferred to another judge, declaring that Judge Brodsky "is being prejudiced." The judge, however, refused to transfer the case declaring that there had been nothing in his conduct to prove that he was prejudiced.

Healey denied in court that he had anything to do with putting up the inflammatory anti-Jewish sign which read: "Gentiles Organize! Unite and Fight Jewish Talmudic Gangsterism." He admitted, however, that he was to address the meeting which was advertised on the sign.

It was from this sign that the trouble had started. Julius Alexander, who is six feet, four inches tall and weighs 250 pounds, stopped his car on Thursday night in front of the Kreutzer Hall, 228 East Eighty-sixth Street, to investigate a knock in his motor. As he stopped, he was attracted by a twelve-foot placard hanging out of a window of the hall, inviting "Aryan Americans" to enter and to help fight "Jewish Talmudic gangsterism."

Seizing several long poles and

some wire, the Jewish mechanic made a hook and started to tear the placard down. The Nazis flung buckets of water at him from the windows of the hall, but he finally dislodged the sign. The Nazis then hurried to attack him; thus starting

a clash which was later checked by the police.

Appearing before Magistrate Brodsky, Alexander declared that he was enraged by the sign and tore it down as an act of good citizenship. Such signs, he stated, are likely to provoke excesses.

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## Hull Explains U.S. Attendance At Berlin Parley

### Replies to Untermyer Protest on Penology Conference

An explanation as to why the United States Government is participating in the meeting of the International Penal and Penitentiary Commission to be held soon in Berlin, was given by State Secretary Cordell Hull in a letter addressed to Samuel Untermyer, president of the Non-Sectarian Anti-Nazi League, and made public by Mr. Untermyer yesterday.

The letter came as a reply to an inquiry by Mr. Untermyer in which he asked "why of all places on earth Germany, which has so flaunted every fundamental of human decency, has been selected for the forthcoming international meeting," to which America is sending twenty-one delegates.

Replying to this inquiry, Mr. Hull explained to Mr. Untermyer that "it would be contrary to the policy of the government to deny itself the privilege of participating in the work of an international commission of which it is a member, meeting in a country with which the United States maintains normal diplomatic relations."

#### Answers Hull

Taking issue with Mr. Hull, Mr. Untermyer has addressed a second letter to him pointing out that, according to the information given him by Commissioner Bates, the United States was not represented at the meeting at which Berlin was selected as the place of the conference.

"I did not know," Mr. Untermyer writes, "that there is any governmental policy that would require representatives of our government to participate in a convention to be held in a country where, since the invitation was accepted, conditions have radically changed, an enlightened democratic government has been succeeded by the most despotic rule on earth, law and order have ceased to exist and where the government, in time of peace, has descended to the medieval depths and degradation of inflicting cruel and inhuman punishment by secret administrative process and where the person accused is tried and sentenced without an opportunity to defend. If he happens to be a Jew or of Jewish ancestry, the law of that 'enlightened' country gives him no protection."

#### No Jews on Delegation

Mr. Untermyer emphasizes in his letter that he is surprised to notice that in the long array of penologists who have been selected to go abroad at the expense of the American government, there does not happen to be a single Jew.

"I assume that this is a mere 'coincidence'. Or perhaps this is because no Jew would have been received," Mr. Untermyer states.

"Why of all places on earth we should select such a country to send our representatives, absorb its poison and spend our money, is a mystery to me," Mr. Untermyer continues. "I believe it will also be a mystery to every self-respecting American, regardless of race or creed, who learns of this excursion who has a sense of justice or a spark of the milk of human kindness in his heart."

Mr. Untermyer concludes his letter to Mr. Hull with a repetition of his protest against the participation of the American government in the conference to be held on German soil. "It will be the standing joke for a long time to come—but mostly and humiliating one for our millions of Jewish citizens," Mr. Untermyer emphasizes.

## Swiss to Stay Out Of Berlin Olympics

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)  
GENEVA, June 9—The Swiss Federal Council voted down a grant of \$12,000 for the Swiss team which was to participate in the World Olympic games of 1936 in Berlin.

By eighty-two votes against fifty-seven, the Council decided that participation of the Swiss team in the Olympic games was not desirable because of the Nazi spirit which will surround them. The Catholics joined the Socialists in the vote.

## Press Opens War On Council Plan

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to Sir Arthur Wauchope, the High Commissioner of Palestine, by a special delegation of the National Defense Party. The delegation also demanded that Palestine issue a law prohibiting the sale of land to Jews.

Sir Arthur today invited the Grand Mufti to explain what prompted him to send a memorandum to all Moslem kings and princes requiring their immediate intervention in the Palestine situation. The memorandum was full of inciting allegations against the British administration in Palestine and against the Jews.

A copy of this memorandum fell into the hands of the Zionist Executive which lodged a strong protest with the High Commissioner against the inciting propaganda carried on by the Grand Mufti.

"I have only fulfilled my duty," was the explanation given by the Mufti today to Commissioner Wauchope with regard to the memorandum, according to the Al Balag, an Arab publication.

## Miss Razovsky to Head Immigrant Aid Body

Miss Cecilia Razovsky, associate director of the National Council of Jewish Women, and an immigration authority, has been reelected chairman of the General Committee of Immigrant Aid at Ellis Island and New York Harbor, an advisory agency of all church and welfare groups conducting immigrant aid work at the Port of New York, it was announced yesterday.

## Samaritans Protest Hunt for Contraband

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)  
NABLUS, Palestine, June 9—The Samaritan High Priest today lodged a protest with the Palestine government against a search conducted by the Palestine police in the homes of Samaritans, the ancient Hebrew tribe, on the pretext of looking for foreign smuggled goods. No such goods have been discovered in any of the houses during the search.

## Mrs. Kohut to Address Jewish Affairs Institute

Mrs. Rebekah Kohut, president of the World Organization of Jewish Women and honorary vice-president of the National Council of Jewish Women, will be the principal speaker at the second annual Institute on Contemporary Jewish Affairs of the National Council, to be held June 18 at the Central Synagogue Community House, 35 East Sixty-second Street, it was announced yesterday by Mrs. Maurice L. Goldman, chairman of the executive committee of the Council.

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## NEWS IN BRIEF

**Chicago**  
The People's Junior College conducted by the Jewish People's Institute, an accredited institution, has graduated sixty-seven of its students.

**Cincinnati**  
The University of Cincinnati will confer on Rabbi Barnett R. Brickner of the Euclid Avenue Temple of Cleveland, the degree of Doctor of Philosophy in the Social Sciences. Rabbi Brickner is the President of the Cleveland Bureau of Jewish Education and a leader in Zionist circles.

**Cleveland**  
Louis S. Bing, Jr., president of the Jewish Welfare Federation for the past two years, has been reelected by the board of trustees. Three new vice-presidents chosen are: Joseph M. Berne, Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver and Rabbi Barnett R. Brickner.

Jack Greitzer, Cleveland artist who recently won several first prizes in the annual May Show of the Art Museum, was selected to paint the huge murals in the newly-built government post office building here.

**Mamaroneck, N. Y.**  
A garden party to further interest in the Palestine land redemption work of the Jewish National Fund will be held Thursday afternoon on the grounds of the estate of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Y. Palitz, Shore Acres.

**Milwaukee**  
Bert C. Broude was re-elected president of Temple Emanu-El B'nai B'rith at the annual meeting.

**Newburgh, N. Y.**  
At the annual meeting of Congregation Beth Jacob, Rabbi Maurice J. Bloom was granted a sabbatical leave beginning in October, 1935 by unanimous vote of the members in appreciation of his ten years of faithful service as their rabbi.

**New Kensington, Pa.**  
An appeal to the community at large to give support to the United Jewish Appeal campaign was made here by Mayor Sam Burns, a Catholic, at the opening of the local drive.

**Hazleton, Pa.**  
Judge William H. Lewis of Philadelphia was the guest speaker at the opening here yesterday (Sunday) of the fund-raising effort for the United Jewish Appeal. Isadore H. Rifkin is chairman and campaign director.

**Pittsburgh**  
Two McKeesport synagogues, Keser Israel and Star of David, have merged to form Star of David Synagogue. The united congregation will use the Anshe Galizien Building.

At the annual meeting, the Rodef Shalom Sisterhood elected the following officers for the coming year: Mrs. Ferdinand T. Weil, president; Mrs. Nathan B. Jacobs, recording secretary; Mrs. Richard Benswanger, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Harold B. Block, treasurer; Mrs. Herschel N. Benedict, auditor.

The Jewish Children's Aid Society has elected the following officers for the ensuing year: Mrs. George H. Berman, re-elected president for the third successive term; Mrs. Karl Kalmenson and Mrs. Frank Weiss, vice-presidents; Mrs. A. Rubenstein, recording secretary; Mrs. William Hause, corresponding secretary; Mrs. B. Shablatt, financial secretary; Mrs. E. Chaban, treasurer, and Ida Hansell, auditor.

**New York City**  
The Women's American ORT is winding up its active season with a luncheon tomorrow at the Hotel Navarro, 112 West Fifty-ninth Street. Officers for the coming season will be installed by Dr. David Lvovitch of Paris, vice-president of the World ORT Union.

Jews of South Brooklyn-Bay-Ridge gave a testimonial dinner last night to Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Sanders on the occasion of their recent return from Palestine. The dinner was under the auspices of the South Brooklyn-Bay Ridge division of the United Jewish Appeal.

## J. M. Levine Reelected Free Synagogue Head

Joseph M. Levine, Commissioner of Taxes and Assessments, was re-elected president of the Free Synagogue of New York at the annual dinner meeting of the Executive Council tendered to the newly elected members of the Executive Council. Mr. Levine, who is one of the founders of the Free Synagogue, has been active in Jewish and general communal work for more than thirty years. Other officers elected were Benjamin Schloss and Frederick L. Guggenheimer, vice-presidents; Ira Frank, honorary secretary and Edward Davis, treasurer.

## Polish Jews Are Told To Push War on Nazis

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)  
WARSAW, June 9—How Jews should combat Nazism was the topic of the sermons delivered by hundreds of rabbis throughout Poland during the Shavuoth holiday.

The Agudath Tarabonim, the rabbinical assembly of Poland, issued a call to their members to stir their congregations through the Shavuoth sermons to renewed efforts in the fight against Nazi Germany. The appeal was made in view of the fact that the early enthusiasm displayed in the anti-Nazi campaign has begun to taper off.

## School Accepts Resignation Of Noted Librarian

### Dr. Bergmann Continues At Hebrew U. Post Until October

(Jewish Telegraphic Agency)  
JERUSALEM.—The Hebrew University has released the following statement for publication on the recent resignation of its librarian, Dr. Hugo Bergmann:

"Dr. Hugo Bergmann, Director of the Jewish National and University Library since 1920, requested the University authorities some years ago to relieve him of his library duties in order that he might devote his time entirely to scientific work in the field of modern philosophy. While great importance was attached to his request by the University authorities and his colleagues in the Faculty of Humanities, it was not possible to meet his desire in view of the difficulty in finding a suitable successor, in spite of considerable efforts for several years. Now that a suitable solution has been found for this important and responsible matter, the University authorities have decided to accede to Dr. Bergmann's request, and he will continue to direct the Library only until October 1, 1935.

"A worthy appreciation of the invaluable work done by Dr. Bergmann in organizing the Jewish National and University Library will be given at the proper time. When he was invited by the Zionist Organization in 1920 to head this institution, he found only a small library of 18,000 volumes, mostly in Judaica, crowded into one small and unsuitable building. With forceful energy and great devotion to the task, Dr. Bergmann brought the institution to its present standard as the largest library in the Near East, serving the whole of Palestine, and having a treasure of over 300,000 volumes in all branches of science, with regular catalogues and a trained staff.

"With the completion of Dr. Bergmann's service of over fifteen years, the Library is now housed in a magnificent structure, and has Committees and Societies of Friends in all parts of the world who are working devotedly for its expansion and improvement. The achievement of so worthy an enterprise is in largest measure due to Dr. Bergmann, who is now to be enabled to devote himself entirely to philosophy at the Hebrew University.

"A later announcement will be made as to the new arrangements at the Library."

## 2 Cities Open Drive

Lowell, Mass., and Utica, N. Y. will launch their United Jewish Appeal campaigns today, it was announced yesterday.

## Youth Is Urged To Take Lead In Jewish Affairs

### Joint Action on Problems Of Jewry Is Advised At A.J.C. Parley

United action by Jewish youth organizations in meeting problems of Jewry was urged at a conference at the Hotel Astor yesterday of more than 100 young people, representing such organizations in the metropolitan area. The conference, arranged by the youth division of the American Jewish Congress, was the first of its kind held here.

In an address to the delegates, Rabbi Stephen S. Wise, president of the Congress, urged youth to take the leadership in Jewish affairs and deplored the fact that the "veterans" are at the helm to too great an extent. He declared that the Jewish youth "ought to serve as a mobile unit of the Congress army."

Previously, at a luncheon, Rabbi William F. Rosenblum had urged "progressive and aggressive action" by Jewish youth in combating the enemies of Jewry.

#### Cites Dangerous Symptom

In an opening address in the morning, Louis Sturz, chairman of the youth division's advisory council, warned that Jewish youth is confronted by "the problem of the right to live and work." He asserted that the fate of Jewry in America rests upon the will of youth to survive. He pointed out that a dangerous symptom in the United States is the fact that preaching anti-Semitism is no longer shameful.

After the general session, the delegates were divided into six seminars on anti-Semitism, student affairs, economic discrimination, the 1936 Olympics, good-will between Jew and non-Jew, and communal relief.

At the anti-Semitism seminar, sentiment was voiced that anti-Semitism is not a peculiar problem but a specific manifestation of the conflict between an isolated minority and the majority.

It was declared at the discussion of the 1936 Olympics that there is no reason to hope that Jews will receive equal treatment in the Berlin athletic games and that a boycott should be pressed against the Olympics.

Among other speakers were Dr. Joshua L. Goldberg, secretary of the Congress, and Maurice R. Whitebook. Emanuel Sonnenreich presided at the luncheon.

## 60 Wounded in Polish Riots

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Gazetta Warszawska, the organ of the anti-Semitic National Democratic Party which was closed down after 150 years of existence, another paper of the same party, the Gazetta Radomska, was forced to liquidate its offices today.

Both organs of the National Democratic Party were forced to close because of the boycott which advertisers and readers displayed against them for the undignified attitude which they had taken towards the late Marshal Pilsudski during his funeral. Being opposed to the Pilsudski government, these papers ignored the Marshal's death and did not pay him the due respect. The Association of Polish Newspapers therefore expelled both papers from membership in the Association.