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COMMERCE LAWS BY CHRISTMAS, NAZI PRESS REPORTS

Berlin, Dec. 8. (JTA) -- Regulations restricting Jews in the field of commerce will be promulgated not later than Christmas, it was disclosed today in the German press which reports that the final draft of the regulations has already been prepared.

The announcement lends emphasis to the statement made at Hamburg last night by General Hermann Wilhelm Goering, Minister of Air, that "Jews will be isolated in commerce as they are isolated in cultural life." General Goering declared that with the promulgation of the Nuremberg laws the larger part of the Nazi program against the Jews has been settled.

He added, however, that "other clauses of our program will also be carried out, but their tempo is to be decided only by the Fuehrer."

Today's press declares that "the law regulating Jewish activities in economics" is based on the Nuremberg laws and will be effective immediately after it has been promulgated.

According to the press the official interpretations of the economic law have already been printed and will be distributed to the courts before the end of the year.

Meanwhile, the Juristische Wochenschrift, organ of the Ministry of Justice, reports today that Jewish lawyers will be barred from practice even before promulgation of the economic law.

Quoting for the first time the secret decisions of the Association of National Socialist Jurists, which have the approval of Minister of Justice Frank, the publication points out that there is no reason why application of the Nuremberg laws to the legal

profession should be postponed. The publication states that the only exceptions to the laws should be Jewish lawyers wounded in the war or those possessing high decorations for war service.

STAY OUT OF GAMES, MANCHESTER GUARDIAN URGES IN EDITORIAL

LONDON, Dec. 7. (JTA) -- The Manchester Guardian in an editorial yesterday demands that Great Britain stay out of the Olympic Games in Berlin next year since "the Nazis have injected the political poison of anti-Semitism into the principle of human equality upon which the games have been based and without which they are spiritually dead."

The movement against British participation in the games was given added impetus by Philip Noel Baker, most famous of British Olympic athletes, who in a letter published by the Guardian urges the British Olympic Association not to send a team to Berlin.

Predicting that participation in the games will involve disastrous risks to Olympic principles, Mr. Baker charges that the Nazis "have injected politics in the most odious form into the organization of any kind of game and the process has been carried to the point where it revolts foreign observers. Its most execrable manifestations are the Nazis' treatment of Jews."

WILL SUPPRESS ALL VIOLENCE, RUMANIAN OFFICIALS STATE

BUCHAREST, Dec. 7. (JTA) -- Any form of violence will be swiftly suppressed by the Rumanian Government, it was announced today following a conference between Premier Tatarescu and Minister of the Interior Inculiet during which they discussed the anti-Semitic agitation which is rife throughout Rumania. The conference is believed to have been held as a result of protests against the anti-Jewish incitement submitted by various Jewish leaders and organizations.

HISTORY OF VIENNA JEWS TO BE PUBLISHED HERE

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 8. (JTA) -- "The History of the Jews in Vienna" by Dr. Max Grunwald of Vienna, translated from the German by Dr. Solomon Grayzel and Albert Mordell will be published shortly by the Jewish Publication Society of America as the fourth in the Historical Jewish Community series.

SYNAGOGUE COUNCIL ASKS WORLD PROTEST AGAINST NAZIS

NEW YORK, Dec. 8. (JTA) -- The Synagogue Council of America, representing every Jewish denomination, was on record today with an appeal to "the moral forces of the world and especially to the great religious organizations" to "meet the threat to western culture and civilization" that arose from Nazi persecution of minorities.

The appeal, signed by Rabbis Samuel Schulman, chairman; Elias Margolis and David de Sola Pool, vice chairman, says in part:

"The Synagogue Council...feels that we must appeal to the moral forces of the world and especially to the great religious organizations which exert influence on the culture of the western world, which they have helped create.

"Many voices have been raised in protest against the outrage committed against German Jewry. Men and women of good-will, of all creeds and races, have spontaneously voiced their indignation against the persecution not only of the Jews, but of all those who suffer in the name of the rights of conscience.

"But we deplore that there has not been a sufficiently impressive cry of horror at what has taken place in Germany, where a minority has been ruthlessly driven out of the national life, and has been declared to be alien, with all that such a declaration implies. This minority has for 1,000 years in historic continuity lived on the soil, and has given evidence of its contribution to German culture and of its readiness again and again to lay down its life for the country it loves."

CANADIAN MATRIARCH DIES AT 99

TORONTO, Ont. Dec. 7. (JTA) -- One of Canada's oldest Jewish women, Mrs. Dora Pasternak, 99, died here today. She came to this country from Austria thirty-five years ago. Surviving her are one son, two daughters, twenty-five grandchildren and fifteen great grandchildren.

POALE ZIONISTS MARK 30TH ANNIVERSARY

NEW YORK, Dec. 8. (JTA) -- Labor Zionists of this city last night celebrated with a banquet at the Central Plaza, 111 Second Avenue, the thirtieth anniversary of the founding of the Poale Zion Party in America. Among the scheduled speakers were Berl Locker, member of the World Zionist Executive who is in this country on a special mission; Baruch Zuckerman, member of the Histadruth delegation in America, and Chaim Greenberg, editor of the Yiddisher Kaempfer.

Greetings were read from the following: Judge Julian Mack, Rabbi Stephen S. Wise, Louis Lipsky, Morris Rothenberg and others.

Events celebrating the anniversary will be held in Detroit the week of Dec. 9, in which the Canadian branch of the party will participate.

PALESTINE ASKS PRESS TO HALT RECRIMINATIONS

JERUSALEM, Dec. 7. (JTA) -- The Palestine Government today sent letters to the Jewish and the Arab press requesting that a halt be called on the bitter attacks they have been printing against each other.

PALESTINE JEWISH YOUTH PROTEST NUREMBERG LAWS

JERUSALEM, Dec. 8. (JTA) -- Jewish youth numbered in the thousands Friday held protest meetings all over the country, voicing indignation against the Nuremberg anti-Jewish laws.

U.S. TEAM HELD SURE TO GO TO BERLIN OLYMPICS

NEW YORK, Dec. 8. (JTA) -- With the close of the Amateur Athletic Union convention tonight, it was regarded as certain that the United States will send a team to the Berlin Olympics next year.

This view prevailed even before the resolution of the executive committee condemning participation, but containing no reference to certification, came up before the plenary session of the A.A.U.

When the resolution was submitted it became clear that the fight to keep the United States out of the games had been abandoned and the struggle was centered on keeping the A.A.U. athletes home by what Jeremiah T. Mahoney called a "moral and intellectual appeal."

Former Justice Mahoney and other anti-Berlin leaders at the A.A.U. admitted that certification of the amateur status of the athletes could not be refused by the A.A.U., but that certification of status in no way implied approval of their participation.

The resolution, proposed by Mr. Mahoney and brought on the floor by a 10 to 5 vote of the executive committee, called upon American athletes not to attend the games, declared that the German sports authorities had violated Olympic pledges and asked the International Olympic Committee to reconvene and change the site of the games.

Further, it called on the American Olympic Committee to revoke its conditional acceptance of Germany's invitation and asked all Americans not to support the games financially or otherwise.