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EDEN TELLS LEAGUE COUNCIL DANZIG SITUATION IS "INTOLERABLE"

GENEVA, Jan. 22. (JTA) -- Opening a spirited debate on Danzig before the League of Nations Council, Foreign Minister Anthony Eden of England, acting as Council rapporteur on Danzig, today described as "intolerable" the present situation in that League-supervised territory.

Blame for this condition, Capt. Eden pointed out, rests with the Free City's Nazi-controlled Senate which he said has failed to keep its promise to the League Council to observe its recent recommendations on treatment of minorities.

Representatives of seven nations, France, Spain, Denmark, Soviet Russia, Turkey, Portugal and Poland, emphasized during the debate the necessity for preservation of the territory's constitution against attempts at violation. The Polish representative, while joining with the others in this attitude, called special attention to the fact that friendly relations exist between Poland and the Danzig Senate.

A speech by Dr. Arthur Greiser, president of the Senate, in which he warned that peace of Europe would be endangered if Council members judged Danzig on "juridical" rather than "political" grounds, was greeted with ironic smiles.

A similar skepticism was apparent on the faces of Council members as they listened to Dr. Greiser reaffirm the Senate's "absolute desire" to respect the constitution and that the Council's apprehension on that score were "absolutely baseless."

Dr. Greiser explained that "only secondary differences between jurists" formed the real ground for complaints, since the Danzig High Court had expressed opinions differing from those of the

League jurists on many points. He contended that the Danzig Senate was forced to respect the opinion of the High Court which he characterized as "politically absolutely independent."

Concluding his speech, Dr. Greiser eulogized Nazism which he said had turned Danzig from a "powder magazine into an island of peace," and declared Danzig's eternal allegiance to the League, "whose child Danzig considers herself."

Capt. Eden, in reply to Dr. Greiser, stated he would "prepare a report that does not share Greiser's views, but will base its conclusions upon the unanimous conviction of members of the Council." It is expected that his report will be submitted tomorrow.

The Council accepted without debate a report on the Mandates Commission submitted by the Rumanian representative. The report preserves the right to consult with the Council at a later date on Japan's declaration that, despite its non-membership in the League, it be accorded equal trade rights with League members in mandated territories such as Palestine.

FRICK ORDERS JEWISH-OWNED SHIPS TO FLY SWASTIKA

BERLIN, Jan. 22. (JTA) -- Minister of Interior Wilhelm Frick today officially ordered the hoisting of the national swastika flag on German commercial steamers owned by Jews.

The decree added that in view of the laws banning display of the national colors by Jews, the Jewish-owned steamers may be deprived of the right by joint agreement of the Ministers of Interior and Navigation together with Rudolph Hess as Reichsfuehrer Hitler's deputy.

The Arnold Bernstein ship, operating as the Red Star Line, will be affected by the order.

The instructions are believed to be the first exception to the law adopted by the Reichstag at Nuremberg on September 15 prohibiting Jews from displaying the national emblem, the swastika.

REPORT HIGHER TARIFF TO PROTECT PALESTINE INDUSTRY

JERUSALEM, Jan. 22. (JTA) -- It was learned today that the British Colonial Office has approved changes in Palestine's tariff schedule in behalf of industry in the Holy Land. Duties on foreign manufactures have been increased, but rates have been lowered on raw materials, especially textiles and metals.

ORDER ANTI-JEWISH SIGNS REMOVED FOR WINTER GAMES

BERLIN, Jan. 22. (JTA) -- It is reported here that the Garmisch-Partenkirchen authorities have ordered removal of the "Jews not wanted" placards and other anti-Semitic signs, which had been conspicuously posted around the city, for the duration of the Olympic winter games.

POLISH OFFICIAL BLAMES ENDEKS FOR ANTI-JEWISH DISORDERS

WARSAW, Jan. 22. (JTA) -- Minister of Interior Ladislaw Racziewicz declared today that the renewal of anti-Semitic disorders throughout Poland was caused by the agitation of the anti-Jewish National Democratic (Endek) Party.

Replying to Deputy Minzberg in the course of a debate on the budget in a Sejm committee, M. Racziewicz admitted that a recrudescence of anti-Semitism had taken place during 1935.

Minzberg had bitterly attacked the failure of the Government to prevent anti-Jewish attacks. He cited instances in which Jews were unable to buy food because of anti-Semitic boycotts and disorders.

In his reply to Deputy Minzberg, the Minister of the Interior declared that the police on many occasions had intervened energetically to check the anti-Jewish outbreaks. He contended that it was unfair to generalize from what he described as the recent isolated cases in which insufficient police protection had been provided.

NAZI PAPERS ATTACK U.S. NEWS SERVICE FOR OLYMPIC REPORT

BERLIN, Jan. 22. (JTA) -- An attack on the Universal Service, American news agency, for reporting that no quarters had been prepared for American athletes who were slated to participate in the Winter Olympic Games at Garmisch-Partenkirchen, is published in Der Angriff and other German newspapers.

The article, sent out by the Deutsche Nachrichten Bureau, official German news agency, states in part as follows:

"Apparently irritated by the fact that the Jewish campaign (against participation) has failed in the United States, the Berlin correspondent of Universal Service is now starting a new anti-Olympic campaign."

The correspondent referred to is William Schirer who has just returned from an inspection tour of Garmisch-Partenkirchen.

10 HEBREW U. STUDENTS GIVEN BIALIK SCHOLARSHIPS

JERUSALEM, Jan. 22. (JTA) -- Ten students of the Hebrew University have been granted scholarships of \$250 each from the Bialik Fund established in the name of the late Hebrew poet by Sir Montague Burton.

EDEN REPORTED ACTIVE IN MAPPING PALESTINE POLICY

JERUSALEM, Jan. 22. (JTA) -- Capt. Anthony Eden, British Foreign Secretary, is taking an active hand in formulating British policies with regard to Palestine, it is indicated in El Liwa, Arab newspaper.

The paper, the organ of Jerusalem's Grand Mufti, reports that Capt. Eden is constantly consulting with Colonial Secretary J.H. Thomas on Palestine affairs.

TEL AVIV COUNCIL POSTS ASSIGNED

TEL AVIV, Palestine, Jan. 22. (JTA) -- After a month's contest over division of portfolios in the recently-elected council of this all-Jewish municipality, the following allocations were made:

Vice Mayor Israel Rokach, finance; Mr. Pinkas of the orthodox Mizrahi, education; Mr. Perlson, health and social welfare; Mr. Zabarski, technical; Mr. Garfinkel, cultural; Mr. Shoshani of the landlords' association, drainage and D. B. Benvenisti of the Sephardic Jews, water and lighting.

AGENCY TO LIMIT PALESTINE VISAS FOR RELATIVES FEB. 1

JERUSALEM, Jan. 22. (JTA) -- Starting February 1 and until further notice no applications for certificates permitting Palestine residents to bring relatives into the country will be received by the Jewish Agency for Palestine, it was announced by the Agency today. Exceptions will be made in the case of persons with relatives in Germany, Yemen and Russia, the announcement stated.

This development follows closely on reports that the Palestine Government was planning new curbs on immigration. The contemplated curbs would invalidate immigration certificates if not used within a specified time, double the \$5,000 minimum necessary for entry under the capitalist category, increase the tourist deposit to \$400 and restrict entry of Palestine citizens' relatives.

It was announced yesterday that the Government had promised the Agency that before drafting any ordinance curbing immigration it would consult with that body's Executive.

8,000 BAVARIAN JEWS LOSE FOREIGN TRAVEL PERMITS

BERLIN, Jan. 22. (JTA) -- More than 8,000 passports held by Jews of Bavaria have been invalidated by the political police of that province for use in foreign travel, it was reliably learned here today.

The passports, after seizure by the police, were returned with the explanation that the travel permits had been cancelled and that if the holders wished to abroad they would be obliged to deposit a "flight tax" which would be forfeited if they failed to return by a specified date.

Passport seizures were heaviest in Munich and Wuerzburg. It is believed most of those whose passports were taken up are Jewish business men who had been planning, under Nazi pressure, to sell their enterprises to "Aryans."

PALESTINE JEWRY GREETES NEW BRITISH KING

JERUSALEM, Jan. 22. (JTA) -- All major Jewish institutions and organizations in Palestine today cabled greetings to Edward VIII, new King of England.

PALESTINE RAISES TARIFF ON MANUFACTURED IMPORTS

JERUSALEM, Jan. 22. (JTA) -- New customs regulations published today in the Official Gazette revise upward the Palestine tariff schedule in what is believed to be an effort to protect the Holy Land's infant industries against the "dumping" by such nations as Germany and Japan.

According to the new schedule, duties on manufactured products are increased. At the same time the new schedule provides for lower rates on raw materials, especially textiles and metals.

There has long been agitation by Palestine industrialists for adequate tariff protection. Recently one of the country's largest silk mills, owned by a former American Jew, was forced to close because of competition by Japanese interests. Other factories have declared they would be forced to close if "dumping", particularly by Japan, were not checked.

FRICK WRITES RACIAL QUESTION IS STATE'S FOUNDATION

BERLIN, Jan. 22. (JTA) -- The racial question forms the basis of the State's entire existence, it is stated by Minister of the Interior Wilhelm Frick in an anti-Jewish article in today's issue of the German Law Academy Journal.

Speaking at Koenigsberg today, Dr. Walter Gross, head of the Nazi Party's racial department, stated that the racial laws in themselves were not sufficient. He said that it was important that the laws be fully understood by the entire population, particularly insofar as they relate to the prohibition against intermarriage with Jews.

REICH ACADEMY PROPOSES NEW DIVORCE LAW

BERLIN, Jan. 22. (JTA) -- "Aryans" would be given the right to divorce Jewish wives on racial grounds alone by a new law proposed today by the German Academy of Jurisprudence.

The proposed law would establish "volks-gemeinschaft," membership in the German nation, as a fundamental principle in marriage and divorce.

The law was framed by the academy's department of family affairs which explains that it has taken the National Socialist ideology as the basis of its work.

REPORT ARABS WARY OF COUNCIL, FEARING ZIONIST TRAP

LONDON (JTA) -- The Jerusalem correspondent of Great Britain and the East, semi-official Colonial Office publication, reports that the Arabs are afraid to give their consent to the legislative council proposal because they fear a Zionist trap.

Although many of the leaders favor the council, the correspondent says on the basis of information "obtained from many reliable quarters," their suspicions have been aroused by the Jews' vigorous opposition to the council.

The Arabs reason that since it is known they would join in any project opposed by the Jews, the Zionists are only faking opposition to lure them into accepting the council, the correspondent says, adding that the Arabs fear the Jews may then turn about and take part in the assembly.

The Arabs are apprehensive, the correspondent says, that in this way the Jews "hope to secure Arab-Jewish cooperation and harmony under one roof and proclaim this to the world."

The publication, expressing gratification over the re-appointment of Sir Arthur Grenfell Wauchope as Palestine High Commissioner, holds the council is "a perfectly natural development" in view of Britain's record in overseas countries.

The altering of the Holy Land's position by the Ethiopian war is stressed. "It is now bound up irretrievably with strategic and commercial considerations which interest a far larger section of the world than the Eastern Mediterranean."

The publication complains about "the continuation of lawlessness" in Palestine.