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JEW SHOT IN NEW PALESTINE DISORDERS; CURFEW IMPOSED, LATER LIFTED

JERUSALEM, March 7. (JTA) -- Nine p.m. curfew invoked by the Government in Jerusalem last night after a Jew was shot was cancelled today, but police and troops stood by in various parts of the country to preserve order as new violence was reported.

Traffic between Tel Aviv and Jaffa after six p.m. was suspended and barbed wire barricades separated the two cities. Gatherings of Jews and Arabs on the respective borders were dispersed by police. Most shops in Jaffa were closed.

Arabs demonstrating in Haifa demanding employment at the harbor were dispersed. Four Arabs preparing bombs in the port city were seriously injured when the explosives went off prematurely.

An Arab was killed -- the second in two days -- by two Arabs who entered his home between Ramat Sharon and Abukishek and shot him.

A crowd of Arabs attempted to halt a Jewish taxi on the Jerusalem-Jaffa road. The driver speeded up and broke through the crowd, injuring two Arabs.

The Jew, Yehuda Leib Schneersohn, 42, was seriously wounded by Arabs as he walked along the Street of the Chain en route to the Wailing Wall. It was revealed that he had narrowly escaped death in the Hebron massacre of 1929.

Other incidents were reported both in the Jerusalem area and in outlying districts of Palestine. An Arab shot and seriously wounded a Polish Catholic named Slugo after having asked him for oranges as he worked in a Jewish grove near Ness Ziona.

In the Neve Shaanan quarter of Jerusalem, Arabs stoned Jews as they strolled in the streets, slightly wounding one.

One Arab was killed and another wounded in an open field behind the Jewish colony of Rehavia.

Arabs under Emergency Laws Upheld

LONDON, March 7. (JTA) -- The Privy Council's Judicial Committee has dismissed the appeal of two Arabs against death sentences imposed in Palestine following a hearing in which the legality of Palestine's strict emergency laws for coping with violence was challenged.

The Arabs had been convicted of firing at troops with intent to assist the enemy. Their petition was heard by Lords Thankerton, Russell, Killowen and Roche.

Commyn Carr, appearing for the Arabs, held the Palestine emergency regulations were not in accordance with the League of Nations Covenant under which, he said, territories of the former Ottoman empire were to be recognized as independent states subject to temporary administrative assistance and advice from the Mandatory Power.

"They (the territories) were conquered and ceded by the Allies to the League for mandate purposes," remarked Lord Thankerton.

Mr. Carr argued that the emergency regulations were ultra vires (exceeding authority) on the ground that they were prejudicial to the civil and religious rights of non-Jewish communities in Palestine.

No reason was given for the dismissal of the appeal.

RUMANIA TO TRY POLICE FOR NOT SUPPRESSING ANTI-JEWISH RIOT

BUCHAREST, March 7. (JTA) -- The precedent of punishing police for negligence in dealing with violence was established today by Premier Tatarescu who dismissed the Bacau prefect and ordered the town's entire police force brought to trial before a disciplinary committee in connection with an anti-Jewish election riot a week ago in which 30 persons were injured.

The Premier's announcement came while 14 of 25 persons arrested in the riot were held for trial on charges of assault and destruction of property. M. Satareanu, general secretary of the Union of Rumanian Jews, went to the Moldavian town to investigate the disorders and aid the Jewish victims.

Premier Tatarescu's statement was as follows:

"Wherever there is a disturbance punishment will be applied not only to the offenders, but also to representatives of the law who knew how to suppress the excesses. Consequently I have accepted the resignation of Entleonia Dumitresco, Prefect of the Department of Bacau. I have also ordered the entire police of Bacau to be brought to trial before a committee of discipline. In the meantime the police will be transferred from Bacau pending the trial."

Justice Minister Jon Sassu circularized district attorneys asking them to take strict measures to punish rioters "no matter to what party

... said, you are requested to punish promptly all offenders of national public order for the safety of the State."

Minister Sassu concluded by naming attorneys responsible personally to him for application of measures for preservation of law and order.

RUMANIA DRAFTS BILL CURBING EMPLOYMENT OF MINORITY GROUPS

BUCHAREST, March 7, (JTA) -- The Rumanian Government has drafted a bill providing that 75 per cent of the employes of commercial, industrial and financial enterprises must be of "Rumanian ethnical origin," it was disclosed today.

The remaining 25 per cent may include Jews, Hungarians and Germans who have acquired Rumanian nationality as a result of the post-war treaties. The only foreigners to be permitted, it was learned, will be specialists not available in Rumania.

It was expected that the Jews would be the hardest hit by the proposed law because, observers pointed out, they are mostly town-dwellers and many work in Government offices.

The bill was drafted by Commerce Minister Valerius Pop, a former adherent of the Cuzist anti-Semitic party. It was reported the Government hoped the bill would serve as a compromise to Rightists who are protesting against the curbing of the Iron Guard's terroristic activities.

Curierul Israelit, organ of the Union of Rumanian Jews, reported the Bank of Rumania had notified its branches not to make advances for bills of exchange to members of national minorities.

Since numerous Jewish credit enterprises have functioned thanks to such advances, Jewish circles feared the affects of the reported action.

TEACHERS FORCE RUMANIAN CHILDREN TO JOIN ANTI-SEMITES, PARLIAMENT HEAR

BUCHAREST, March 7. (JTA) -- Many teachers in State schools have compelled students to wear swastika badges and become members of anti-Semitic organizations, Deputy Michael Slavesco charged in Parliament.

He asked the Education Minister to take steps to end this propaganda, declaring that Jewish children were constantly subjected to humiliation.

ANTI-JEWISH EXCESSES CALLED 'SADISM' IN POLISH SENATE

WARSAW, March 7. (JTA) -- Anti-Jewish excesses in Polish universities were denounced in the Senate yesterday by Professor Mieczyslaw Michalowicz, former rector of Warsaw University and a prominent physician.

Pointing out that the Nationalist "hooligans" constituted only a small section of the students, Prof. Michalowicz said that that fact was of small account because the majority did not have sufficient courage to oppose them.

Senator Jakob Trockenheim demanded in the course of a debate on the Jewish question that Jews be allowed to enter the civil service and thus decrease to a minimum the number of Jewish tradesmen.

Senator Moses Schorr announced he would vote against the Government's budget because of its anti-Jewish policy. Three Jewish deputies in the Sejm have already voted against the budget for the same reason.

8 SENTENCED IN ANTI-JEWISH RIOT IN POLAND

WARSAW, March 7. (JTA) -- The Lomza District Court today sentenced eight Nationalists to prison terms varying from six months to a year for participating in anti-Jewish riots in Zambrow last November.

A lawyer named Fensterblau, a leader of the Bund, Jewish labor organization, in Krakow, was sentenced to four years' imprisonment for a May first speech last year.

Police searched the editorial officers of the Wilner Tog, Wilno Yiddish daily.

CLEARING COMMITTEE TO BE ESTABLISHED UNDER POLAND-PALESTINE PACT

WARSAW, March 7. (JTA) -- Clearing committees will be established in Warsaw and Tel Aviv to administer the new Poland-Palestine clearing agreement permitting Jewish emigrants to export capital to the Holy Land. It was disclosed today by Isaac Gruenbaum, who signed the agreement in behalf of the Jewish Agency for Palestine.

The pact covers exchange of goods, the clearing of funds for Zionist causes collected in Poland and tourist traffic. Mr. Gruenbaum told the Jewish Telegraphic Agency the Jewish Agency and the Anglo-Palestine Bank would establish a firm to supervise the clearing.

DENY SOVIET PROHIBITED MATZOH-BAKING

MOSCOW, March 7. (JTA) -- Paris reports that baking of matzoh had been prohibited in Russia were authoritatively denied here today. How the reports might have arisen was explained in a statement to the Jewish Telegraphic Agency, which pointed out that the alleged prohibition would be a violation of the new Soviet constitution guaranteeing full religious freedom to all creeds.

The constitution does prohibit, however, the use of hired labor for private purposes, it was explained. This affects the baking of mat-

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The statement discloses that Jews have offered to bake the matzoth in the State bakeries where they would observe the Jewish religious precepts. A group of leading rabbis, however, have asked the highest authorities to make an exception and permit religious supervision of the baking if it is done in the State bakeries. A final decision on the request is expected shortly.

'Anti-Soviet Sources': Blamed for Report

LONDON, March 7. (JTA) -- Soviet Ambassador Ivan Maisky yesterday branded as false Paris reports that baking of matzoth, unleavened bread eaten by Jews during Passover, had been prohibited by the Soviet authorities. Mr. Maisky issued the following statement to the Jewish Telegraphic Agency:

"I have now received information from Moscow on this point. The rumors which have been circulated to the effect that baking will not be allowed this year are utterly without foundation. Matzoth are being baked as usual and I can only conclude the story about prohibition has been set in motion by some anti-Soviet sources trying to arouse Jewish feelings against the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics."

DANZIG SHOPS DISPLAY ANTI-JEWISH BOYCOTT SIGNS

DANZIG, March 7. (JTA) -- All German shops have been ordered to display a special sign in order to intensify the anti-Jewish boycott.

TRANSLATIONS OF HEBREW WORKS SHOW CZECH INTEREST IN JEWS

PRAHA, March 7. (JTA) -- The friendly interest of Czechoslovakians in the Jews is indicated by the fact that Czech translations of the Third and Fourth Books of the Pentateuch, and of the Maczor, book of Jewish holiday prayers, will be issued soon. Karls University in Praha has offered to establish an institute for Judaica studies and to train rabbis.

These facts were brought out at the conference of the Council of the Union of Jewish Communities of Bohemia, Moravia and Silesia, which decided to allocate 100,000 kronen for publication of the Maczor translation. The Czech version of the Mosaic books is being published by the Praha Jewish Community.

The Praha community's report to the conference stressed the importance of President Edouard Benes' interview with the union's presidium on March 5, 1936, when the President promised to support the chief demands of the Jewish minority. A law passed by the Czech Parliament to assist organization of Jewish communities only partly satisfies the demands, it was reported.

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