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"PARTITION MAPS" COMPLETED BY ENGINEERS; ORDERED BY ROYAL COMMISSION

JERUSALEM, May 27. (JTA) -- Thirty British engineers have just finished maps of Palestine ordered by the British Royal Commission, it was reported today, in order to carry out the partition of Palestine.

The maps have already been sent to England, where the Royal Commission's report will be made public the third week in June, declared the Hebrew daily, Haboker.

It has been persistently reported that the Commission, which investigated last year's Palestine disorders and the administration of the mandate, intends to recommend division of Palestine as the solution of Arab-Jewish difficulties:

A Jewish state is to be set up, it was declared, which will cover 3,000,000 dunams (about 750,000 acres) from the Galilee to Gaza, including the hill area. The State would be called Eretz Israel (Land of Israel).

The rest of the country, Haboker said, excluding Haifa, Bethlehem and Jerusalem, will be joined to Transjordan under the sovereignty of Emir Abdullah -- whom Great Britain is believed to be backing as a stabilizing force among the Arabs.

The three cities excluded from the partition will be internationalized, it was stated, Bethlehem and Jerusalem because of their religious associations and Haifa because of its position as an import Mediterranean port.

To meet the needs of the Jews for intensive colonization, the reports said, the Negeb sector in southern Palestine will be proclaimed as a mandated area where the Jews will have the right to colonize 5,000,000 dunams (about 1,250,000 acres).

MOUNTED POLICE IN CLASH WITH ARAB BAND

JERUSALEM, May 27. (JTA) -- An hour-long engagement between mounted police and an Arab band occurred last night near Ramleh, the authorities reported today. One Arab was arrested with a rifle and fifty bullets in his possession. The rest of the band escaped.

JAFFA CABMEN STRIKE WHEN TEL AVIV BANS HORSES

JAFFA, May 27. (JTA) -- Neighboring Tel Aviv's decision to ban horse-drawn vehicles within its city limits precipitated a strike today among this city's Arab cabbies, who operate such vehicles almost exclusively.

DUTCH NAZIS ROUTED IN ELECTION; 7 JEWS WIN SEATS

AMSTERDAM, May 27. (JTA) -- The Liberal Government of Premier Hendryk Colijn was buttressed by a strong vote of confidence from the Netherlands electorate today after parliamentary elections which saw the Nazi-inclined Mussert party suffer a decisive set-back, the Havas News Agency reported.

The final results of yesterday's balloting for both houses of the States General (Parliament) clearly revealed that the Netherlands were opposed to the Rightist political aspirations of A.A. Mussert and his followers.

In the returns, the Mussert group gained only four seats. It had hoped to gain at least eight seats in the election, the first in which the Nazi-inclined group had presented candidates.

Mussert's candidates obtained a total of 171,057 votes yesterday as compared to 294,596 ballots secured in the provincial elections.

In commenting on the results, Mussert said "yesterday was Colijn's day, ours will come."

Colijn declared "the people cried halt to the National Socialists by approving the policies of the Government."

Seven Jews were among the 100 members elected to the Second Chamber. They are Dr. Vos, Liberal; Mr. Cohen and Mrs. Bakker, Radicals; Mr. Wijnkoop, Communist; and Prof. Van Gelderen, Mr. Stovkis and Miss de Jong, Socialists.

PART JEWS "BIOLOGICALLY UNDESIRABLE," REICH MEDICAL LEADER HOLDS

BERLIN, May 27. (JTA) -- Half-Jews and quarter-Jews are biologically and politically "undesirable," it was declared today by Dr. Gerhard Wagner, Reich Medical Leader, in a speech on the Nuremberg Laws of 1935 at Freiburg.

Abandonment of planned legislation ousting Jews from economic life was disclosed by Dr. Wagner, who declared:

"It was expected that economic laws would follow the Nuremberg laws, but it is important to realize that the Jewish economic problem can best be solved by education.

"It is often said, why not leave the poor Jews alone. To those who are so concerned about the Jews, let us say: the fight must go on here, either victory or defeat is possible."

ASKS HALT IN ENTRY OF REICH-JEWISH TRADERS TO COLOMBIA

BERLIN, May 27. (JTA) -- Warning against emigration of business men to Colombia, South America, was issued here today by the Hilfsverein der Juden in Deutschland, central Jewish relief organization.

The warning pointed out that businessmen immigrants have already caused a certain embarrassment in Colombia and that entry of more Jewish tradesmen without specialized knowledge might endanger all Jewish immigration to that country.

128 CONVICTED OF RASSENSCHANDE IN 3 MONTHS

BERLIN, May 27. (JTA) -- The third quarter of 1936 saw 128 persons, ninety of them Jews, convicted of Rassenschande (race defilement), it was announced officially today.

POLISH JEWS ORDERED OFF STREETS FOR CORPUS CHRISTI PARADES

WARSAW, May 27. (JTA) -- Jews in provincial towns were warned by the authorities not to appear in the streets today during the traditional Corpus Christi processions.

In the town of Zdunskawola, southwest of Lodz, where minor anti-Jewish excesses recently occurred, Jewish leaders and rabbis were made responsible for compliance with the order.

Jewish families of surrounding villages arrived this morning in Miedzyezec, in the Brzesc area, reporting peasants had threatened to kill them on Corpus Christi Day.

11 ARGENTINE JEWISH SCHOOLS RAIDED AS RED CENTERS

BUENOS AIRES, May 27. (JTA) -- Argentine police today raided 11 establishments which allegedly served as Jewish schools for the teaching of Communistic ideology, the Havas News Agency reported. The teachers were arrested and alleged propaganda material seized.

CHILDREN STONED NEAR WARSAW; TEACHERS FAIL TO ACT

WARSAW, May 27. (JTA) -- An attack on Jewish school-children at Mlocin, a popular resort near Warsaw, in which several were hurt by large stones thrown at them was reported here today.

The children were attacked by Polish youths. Non-Jewish teachers walked away and would not intervene, it was charged.

The Union of Instructors in Secondary Schools has decided not to allow Jewish children to spend the Summer or holidays in camps under its control.

CHILD DIES OF INJURIES INCURRED IN BRZESC DISORDERS

WARSAW, May 27. (JTA) -- The first fatality attributable to the anti-Jewish riots of May 13 in Brzesc occurred today when a four-month-old baby who was dropped to the ground during the disorders, died in the Jewish Hospital.

Another victim of the disorders, Boruch Silberberg, 50, was in grave condition in the hospital and little hope was held out for his recovery.

1,510 QUIT POLAND FOR PALESTINE IN 4 MONTHS

WARSAW, May 27. (JTA) -- A total of 1,510 persons left Poland for Palestine during the first four months of 1937, it was announced today.

HOUSE DEFEATS MEASURE BARRING ALIENS FROM RELIEF

WASHINGTON, May 27. (JTA) -- By a close margin, the House today defeated an amendment to the \$1,500,000 relief bill which would have excluded aliens from relief. The amendment was introduced by Rep. Fritz G. Lanham (Dem., Texas) and defeated by a vote of 112-116 after a stormy debate.

Rep. Leon Sacks, Jewish member from Pennsylvania, had offered another amendment extending relief to aliens who signified their intention of becoming citizens, but withdrew it after the failure of the Lanham amendment.

INTERFAITH UNION URGED AT COLUMBUS TO SAVE DEMOCRACY

COLUMBUS, Ohio, May 27. (JTA) -- An appeal to Catholics and Protestants to join with Jews in a cooperative alliance of religious forces in the struggle to save Democracy was made by Rabbi Edward Israel of Baltimore today at the annual convention of the Central Conference of American Rabbis, in session here.

Discounting religious antagonism as a factor in anti-Semitism, Rabbi Israel declared this was not a "theological age" and that no one was naive enough to believe that even the most exemplary conduct on the part of Jews would remove antagonisms.

"Melting pot Americanism," he said, "can only lead in such a world as we have to racial Fascism. We cannot deny our distinctive Jewish culture."

Rabbi Samuel Wohl of Cincinnati urged launching of a "great preaching mission" to revitalize Jewish community life.

He said that Jews in the United States were "jittery and have reason to be." He declared that "recent experiences have shown us that we can become a target for attack during political upheavals and especially in times of economic distress," and added that "we need not have illusions that it cannot happen here."

Rabbi Leon I. Feuer of Toledo, emphasizing the "dire need for factual data," made a plea for Jewish economic reorientation. Citing the need for growing economic discrimination, he said vocational guidance must be undertaken under auspices other than the American Jewish Congress.

Rabbi Jonah Wise of New York declared Jewish secular agencies can not succeed without the aid of the synagogue.

Other speakers included Robert Goldman, president of the Union of American Hebrew Congregations, who declared the synagogue must "come to grips with the realities of Jewish life today."

SENATOR COPELAND HITS PARTITION AS IMPRACTICABLE

NEW YORK, May 27. (JTA) -- Senator Royal S. Copeland, attacking reported plans to partition or cantonize Palestine, declared tonight that "its utter impracticability would be apparent even to the writer of the craziest fairy tales."

Senator Copeland spoke at a dinner in his honor given by the Food and Allied Trades Divisions of the United Palestine Appeal and the Joint Distribution Committee at the Hotel Commodore. He visited Palestine last Summer as chairman of an unofficial senatorial investigating committee.

Recalling the United States-Great Britain treaty on Palestine, Mr. Copeland spoke of Americans' "national responsibilities" to support the Jewish homeland. Other speakers included Dr. Stephen S. Wise, chairman of the U.P.A., and George Backer, New York chairman of the J.D.C.

HEBREW RELIGIOUS SPIRIT REBORN IN AMERICAN COLONIES, NEUMANN SAYS

NEW YORK, May 27. (JTA) -- There might never have been an American Revolution had not the Puritans sought to re-establish here the Biblical Commonwealth of the Hebrews, Prof. Abraham A. Neumann of Dropsie College declared last night at the Jewish Theological Seminary Institute of Bible Study.

Speaking on "The Relation of the Hebrew Scriptures to American Institutions," Dr. Neumann said that the Puritans "identified themselves with the Chosen People of the Book," christening their children with Biblical names and relating events of their life in Bible episodes.

"The heroes of the Old Testament were the models of heroism to be emulated," he said. "Tyrants were Pharaohs. Tyranny was Egyptian bondage. Revolutionary leaders were likened to Moses and Joshua."

WISE URGES ITALIAN JEWS NOT TO YIELD TO FASCIST DEMANDS

NEW YORK, May 27. (JTA) -- Dr. Stephen S. Wise, president of the American Jewish Congress, last night urged the Jews of Italy not to yield to Fascist demands that they "make peace with the Nazis in Germany or leave Italy."

Addressing a dinner of the congress women's division at the Hotel Roosevelt, Dr. Wise expressed the hope that the Italian Jews would "choose the noble, not the easy way" and declare "We dare not forswear ourselves."

Praising Cardinal Mundelein's attack on the Nazis, Dr. Wise said the Chicago Archbishop had spoken "not on behalf of the Jews, not even on behalf of the outraged honor of the sons and daughters of the priesthood, but on behalf of the forces of religion and justice and civilization, which must stand together."

Other speakers were Mayor LaGuardia, Dr. John H. Finley, editor-in-chief of the New York Times; Mrs. Stephen S. Wise, president of the women's division, and Mrs. Bernard S. Deutsch, treasurer of the division, in whose honor the dinner was given.

PALESTINE JEWS CONGRATULATE EGYPT ON LEAGUE ENTRY

GENEVA, May 27. (JTA) -- The congratulations of the Jews of Palestine were today conveyed to Premier Moustapha el-Nahas Pasha of Egypt by Dr. Nahum Goldmann, Geneva representative of the World Zionist Organization, on the occasion of Egypt's entry into the League of Nations.