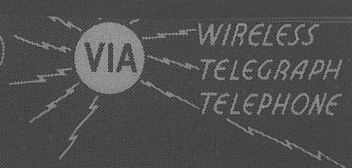


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PARLIAMENT SEEN ACCEPTING PARTITION AFTER FIGHT ON DETAILS

LONDON, JULY 9. (JTA) -- POLITICAL CIRCLES TODAY VOICED THE OPINION THAT PARLIAMENT WILL ACCEPT THE ROYAL COMMISSION'S PROPOSAL TO TRIPARTITION PALESTINE, ALREADY ADOPTED AS A COMMAND PAPER BY THE CABINET.

THE ONLY IMPORTANT CRITICISM OF THE PLAN, IT IS FELT, WILL BE DIRECTED AGAINST DETAILS SUCH AS THE PROPOSED FRONTIERS OF THE ARAB AND JEWISH STATES AND SUBVENTIONS WHICH THE COMMISSION SUGGESTED THE JEWISH STATE SHOULD PAY TO THE ARAB AS AN OFFSET TO ACQUISITION OF TERRITORY CONSIDERED MOSLEM.

AFTER VIRTUALLY UNANIMOUS ACCEPTANCE OF THE SCHEME AS ANNOUNCED WEDNESDAY NIGHT, BY THE BRITISH PRESS OF ALL SHADES OF OPINION, POLITICAL LEADERS WERE BELIEVED READY TO ACCEPT THE PRINCIPLE OF PARTITION.

LABORITES, LIBERALS AND MANY CONSERVATIVES, HOWEVER, ARE EXPECTED TO WAGE A DETERMINED FIGHT TO REMOVE SUCH ANOMOLIES AS EXCLUSION FROM THE JEWISH STATE OF DEGANIA AND THE RUTTENBERG POWER STATION BY THE DRAWING OF A PURELY ARTIFICIAL FRONTIER.

THEY ARE ALSO EXPECTED TO MAKE AN EFFORT TO SECURE FOR THE JEWS MORE THAN THE 1,200 SQUARE MILES ALLOCATED TO THE JEWISH STATE IN THE COMMISSION'S PROPOSALS.

THE LABOR PARTY HAS DECIDED TO FORM A SPECIAL COMMITTEE UNDER THE CHAIRMANSHIP OF CLEMENT ATTLEE TO CONSIDER THE COMMISSION'S REPORT. LIBERAL M.P.'S CONTEMPLATE SIMILAR ACTION.

THE REACTION OF THE PERMANENT MANDATES COMMISSION OF THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS IS EAGERLY AWAITED, SINCE THAT BODY MUST APPROVE THE SCHEME IF IT IS TO BE ENACTED.

SOME HERE BELIEVE THE MANDATES COMMISSION, WHICH MEETS JULY 30 TO ACT ON THE MANDATORY'S DELAYED 1936 REPORT, IS LIKELY TO VIEW THE PLAN WITH DISPLEASURE ON THE GROUND THAT IT STRIKES A SERIOUS BLOW AGAINST THE WHOLE MANDATORY SYSTEM.

REACTION OF THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT IS ALSO EAGERLY AWAITED, SINCE UNDER THE 1924 UNITED STATES-GREAT BRITAIN-PALESTINE MANDATE CONVENTION, AMERICA'S CONSENT TO ANY CHANGES IN ADMINISTRATION OF THE MANDATE MUST BE OBTAINED.

(UNITED STATES AMBASSADOR ROBERT WORTH BINGHAM CONFERRED TODAY WITH FOREIGN SECRETARY ANTHONY EDEN ON THE ROYAL COMMISSION'S PLAN, THE HAVAS NEWS AGENCY REPORTED.)

IN THIS CONNECTION, COLONIAL SECRETARY WILLIAM ORMSBY-GORE AND J.M. MARTIN, SECRETARY TO THE ROYAL COMMISSION AND A COLONIAL OFFICE ATTACHE, ARE GOING TO GENEVA, WHILE IT IS BELIEVED THE BRITISH AMBASSADOR AT WASHINGTON HAS BEEN INSTRUCTED TO MAKE EVERY EFFORT TO SECURE AMERICAN ASSENT.

A STRONGLY DISSENTING NOTE CONDEMNING THE REPORT WAS SOUNDED TODAY BY LORD STRABOLGI, WHO PLACED THE ENTIRE BLAME FOR THE PALESTINE TROUBLES ON BRITISH OFFICIALS AND ACCUSED THE ROYAL COMMISSION OF NEGLECTING IMPERIAL INTERESTS.

COL. JOSIAH WEDGWOOD, LABORITE, ALSO ASSAILED THE REPORT FOR ITS "UTTER DISREGARD OF THE JEWS." THE NEW STATESMAN AND NATION, INFLUENTIAL WEEKLY, CHARACTERIZED PARTITION AS AN ADMISSION OF DEFEAT AND VOICED THE HOPE THAT THE BRITISH TROOPS NOW STANDING BY IN PALESTINE WOULD NOT HAVE TO BE USED TO QUELL A CIVIL WAR.

WAUCHOPE CONFERS WITH EMIR ABDULLAH AT AMMAN

JERUSALEM, JULY 9. (JTA) -- HIGH COMMISSIONER SIR ARTHUR GRENFELL WAUCHOPE FLEW TO AMMAN TODAY TO CONFER WITH EMIR ABDULLAH OF TRANSJORDAN REGARDING THE PROPOSED PARTITION OF PALESTINE.

THE EMIR IS VITALLY INTERESTED IN THE BRITISH ROYAL COMMISSION'S RECOMMENDATIONS, AS UNDER THEM THE ENTIRE PROPOSED ARAB PORTION OF PALESTINE WOULD BE ADDED TO HIS DOMAIN AND TRANSJORDAN, NOW A BRITISH MANDATE, WOULD BECOME A WHOLLY SOVEREIGN STATE.

THE EMIR IS ONE OF THE ARAB RULERS TO WHOM THE ARAB SUPREME COMMITTEE IN JERUSALEM HAS APPEALED FOR ADVICE ON THE COURSE IT SHOULD TAKE IN THE FACE OF THE PARTITION PLAN.

THE MEETING OF THE COMMITTEE, HEADED BY GRAND MUFTI HAJ AMIN EL HUSSEINI, LEADER OF THE ARAB ANTI-PARTITION FORCES, CALLED ON THE POPULATION TO PAY NO ATTENTION TO "EMPTY PROMISES" FROM BRITAIN.

DECLARING THAT PALESTINE BELONGS TO THE ENTIRE MOSLEM AND ARAB WORLD, THE COMMITTEE SAID IT WOULD CONFER WITH RULERS OF NEIGHBORING ARAB STATES ON FUTURE POLICY.

WITH THROGS OF ARABS IN THE CITY TO OBSERVE THE MOSLEM SABBATH TODAY, THE AUTHORITIES TIGHTENED PRECAUTIONS AGAINST POSSIBLE OUTBREAKS STEMMING FROM THE PARTITION PROPOSALS. STRONG CONTINGENTS OF STEEL-HELMED POLICE GUARDED THE EXITS OF ALL MOSQUES.

TENSION, HIGH FOR DAYS BEFORE ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE ROYAL COMMISSION'S RECOMMENDATIONS, WAS INTENSIFIED FOLLOWING YESTERDAY'S STONING OF A JEWISH LABORER, ZEVI BAIDAK, NEAR ST. STEPHEN'S GATE.

A SITUATION THAT THREATENED FOR A TIME TO GET OUT OF CONTROL DEVELOPED IN JAFFA YESTERDAY, WHEN ARABS ATTEMPTED TO DEMONSTRATE. POLICE ARRESTED 25 PERSONS AND DISPERSED THE CROWDS.

PARTITION TO BE AIRED ON SENATE FLOOR

WASHINGTON, JULY 9. (JTA) -- Discussion of the British Government's proposal to partition Palestine between Jews and Arabs on the floor of the United States Senate was assured today when Senator Warren R. Austin (R., Vermont) announced he intended to bring up the subject soon.

Senator Austin, one of the three members of the upper House who last year visited Palestine, criticized partition as "an improper solution" of the problem.

"If Great Britain had made a vigorous effort to carry out the policy declared in her treaty with the United States (the 1924 treaty recognizing American interests in Palestine) there wouldn't have been the present trouble," Senator Austin said.

Declaring that "not all parties are free from blame" for the Palestine situation and that there must be "yielding on all sides," Senator Austin urged return to the original Palestine policy, on condition that neither Jews nor Arabs consider Palestine as a Jewish or an Arab state.

BLUM TARGET OF ATTACK IN PARIS

PARIS, JULY 9. (JTA) -- An unidentified man flung a heavy glass bowl at Vice-Premier Leon Blum as he stepped out of an automobile on a Paris street today, the Havas News Agency reported.

The object failed to hit Blum. The mysterious assailant fled and disappeared. The bowl was wrapped in a sheet of paper on which was written "Vive la Rocque!"

(Col. Francois de La Rocque is head of the French Social Party, successor to the banned pro-Fascist Croix De Feu.)

HUNGARIAN PARLIAMENT GRANTS POWERS OF KING TO REGENT HORTHY

BUDAPEST, JULY 9. (JTA)--- The upper chamber of the Hungarian Parliament today adopted without debate the bill giving Regent Nicholas Horthy powers rivaling those of a king. The measure was passed by the lower house on July 1, the Havas News Agency reported.

Premier Koloman Daranyi thanked the members for their unanimous action.

The regent's new powers will enable him to suspend for six months application of any law he believes to be "dangerous to the national interest." If the law is passed over this modified veto, he can suspend it for another six months.

CONGRESS HEARS PLEA OF 130 CLERGYMEN TO HELP JEWS IN POLAND

WASHINGTON, JULY 9. (JTA) -- An appeal to the United States Government to "help mitigate Jewish distress" in Poland, signed by 130 Cincinnati, Ohio, clergymen of all denominations, was read today in the House of Representatives by Representative Herbert S. Bigelow of Ohio.

CHARGING POLAND WITH VIOLATION OF TREATIES GUARANTEEING THE RIGHTS OF MINORITIES WITHIN HER BORDERS, THE CLERGYMEN'S PETITION HELD THE AMERICAN GOVERNMENT HAD A RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE ENFORCEMENT OF THE TREATIES.

THE UNITED STATES, THEY POINTED OUT, WAS A PARTY TO THE PACTS THAT HELPED RECREATE THE POLISH NATION, WHEN POLAND MADE A PLEDGE TO "TOLERATE ALL RACES."

VIENNA GROUP PLANS GRAND-SCALE BIBLICAL PLAYS FOR JERUSALEM, TEL AVIV

VIENNA, JULY 9. (JTA) -- PLANS TO PRODUCE BIBLICAL PLAYS IN JERUSALEM AND TEL AVIV IN THE MANNER OF THE BAYREUTH AND MALVERN FESTIVALS WERE ANNOUNCED HERE TODAY BY A COMMITTEE OF NOTED JEWS INCLUDING DR. SIGMUND FREUD AND PROF. HEINRICH NEUMANN, FAMOUS EAR SPECIALIST.

THE PERFORMANCES ARE SCHEDULED TO BEGIN IN THE SPRING OF 1939, WITH THE HABIMAH AND OHEL, HEBREW THEATRE COMPANIES IN PALESTINE, PARTICIPATING.

THEY WILL BE GIVEN IN SPECIALLY CONSTRUCTED AMPHITHEATRES ON MT. SCOPUS IN JERUSALEM AND IN TEL AVIV, PALESTINE'S LARGEST CITY, WHOSE POPULATION OF 150,000 IS ENTIRELY JEWISH. THE AMPHITHEATRES, IT WAS STATED, WILL BE BUILT BY OSKAR KAUFMANN, BERLIN JEWISH ARCHITECT.

GUEST ACTORS WILL BE INVITED TO PLAY LEADING ROLES IN THE DRAMAS. AMONG NAMES SUGGESTED BY THE COMMITTEE ARE PAUL MUNI AND JOSEPH SCHILDKRAUT OF AMERICA, FRITZ KORTNER AND ERNST DEUTSCH.

MUSIC WILL BE PROVIDED BY THE NEWLY-ORGANIZED PALESTINE SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA, OF WHICH BRONISLAW HUBERMANN IS THE CONDUCTOR AND FOUNDER.

THE IDEA WAS INITIATED BY DR. ARTHUR RUNDT, VIENNA WRITER, WHO INFORMED THE JEWISH TELEGRAPHIC AGENCY THAT IN ADDITION TO THE LOCAL COMMITTEE, SPONSORING GROUPS WILL BE ESTABLISHED IN ALL IMPORTANT COUNTRIES.

OTHER MEMBERS OF THE VIENNA COMMITTEE INCLUDE DR. DESIDER FRIEDMAN, PRESIDENT OF THE VIENNA JEWISH COMMUNITY, AND JULIUS GOURAY, VICE-PRESIDENT.

MANY AUSTRIAN JEWS FACE CITIZENSHIP LOSS ON TECHNICALITY

VIENNA, JULY 9. (JTA) -- A FEDERAL COURT HAS RULED THAT CHILDREN OF NATURALIZED CITIZENS DO NOT ACQUIRE AUSTRIAN NATIONALITY UNLESS INCLUDED IN THE PARENTS' NATURALIZATION. AS A RESULT, HUNDREDS OF JEWS WHOSE PARENTS IMMIGRATED TO AUSTRIA AFTER THE WAR FACE LOSS OF NATIONALITY.

STEWARDS ON U.S. LINER INSULT JEWISH PASSENGERS

NEW YORK, JULY 9. (JTA) -- PASSENGERS ON THE UNITED STATES LINER MANHATTAN, COMING UP THE BAY YESTERDAY, WERE SURPRISED TO HEAR A STEWARD ENTER THE BAR AND SHOUT, "ALL ALIENS AND SHEENIES THIS WAY!"

THE STEWARD WOULD GIVE HIS NAME ONLY AS "ALBERT" WHEN INDIGNANTLY REBUKED BY AN AMERICAN-JEWISH PASSENGER. ANOTHER STEWARD EXPLAINED TO PASSENGERS THAT THIS WAS THE USUAL NAME APPLIED TO JEWS. THIS STEWARD ADDED HE HAD LEFT AMERICA BECAUSE THERE WERE "TOO MANY SHEENIES THERE."

THE MANHATTAN OPERATES UNDER A UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT SUBSIDY, BUT IT IS KNOWN THAT MANY AMERICAN LINERS EMPLOY GERMAN STAFFS.