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### NAZIS TO CLOSE DACHAU PRISON CAMP, PERMIT JEWISH PRISONERS TO EMIGRATE

BERLIN, SEPT. 28. (JTA) -- THE NAZI AUTHORITIES HAVE DECIDED TO LIQUIDATE THE CONCENTRATION CAMP AT DACHAU, WHERE JEWISH PRISONERS ARE HELD, IT WAS DISCLOSED HERE TODAY. THE DECISION WAS MADE KNOWN THROUGH INSTRUCTIONS TO THE REICHSVERTRETUNG DER JUDEN IN DEUTSCHLAND, TO TAKE STEPS TO TRAIN JEWS IMPRISONED IN THAT CAMP FOR EMIGRATION.

OFFICIALS OF JEWISH ORGANIZATIONS, IT WAS STATED, WILL BE ASSIGNED TO GIVE LANGUAGE INSTRUCTION AND VOCATIONAL TRAINING TO JEWS HELD AT DACHAU TO PREPARE THEM FOR EMIGRATION WHEN RELEASED.

AMONG THE PRISONERS ARE A NUMBER OF JEWS WHO WERE ARRESTED AFTER THEIR RETURN TO GERMANY FOLLOWING EMIGRATION, AS WELL AS SEVERAL POLITICAL PRISONERS. THE EXACT NUMBER IMPRISONED AT DACHAU COULD NOT BE ASCERTAINED.

### \$50,000 REWARD POSTED FOR ANDREWS' MURDERERS; 200 SEIZED IN HUNT

JERUSALEM, SEPT. 28. (JTA) -- THE GOVERNMENT TODAY POSTED A \$50,000 REWARD FOR CAPTURE OF THREE ARAB TERRORISTS WHO SUNDAY NIGHT ASSASSINATED GALILEE DISTRICT COMMISSIONER LEWIS Y. ANDREWS AND HIS BODYGUARD, CONSTABLE PETER R. McEWAN, IN NAZARETH. THE REWARD IS BELIEVED TO BE THE LARGEST EVER OFFERED IN PALESTINE FOR APPREHENSION OF CRIMINALS.

A TOTAL OF 200 ARABS HAVE BEEN ARRESTED SINCE SUNDAY NIGHT, IT WAS REVEALED HERE TODAY, IN CONNECTION WITH THE SO FAR FRUITLESS HUNT FOR THE SLAYERS. AMONG THOSE ARRESTED ARE A NUMBER OF KADIS, OR HEADS OF LOCAL "ARAB NATIONAL COMMITTEES," WHO ARE KNOWN TO BE AGITATORS. A MAJORITY OF THOSE SEIZED ARE MEMBERS OF THE GRAND MUFTI'S PARTY.

BRITISH TROOPS AND POLICE GUARDED THE PALESTINE TRANSJORDAN BORDER AS THE WIDE HUNT FOR THE ARAB ASSASSINS OF ANDREWS AND McEWAN CONTINUED.

MANY WEALTHY ARABS RESIDING IN HAIFA, IT WAS LEARNED HERE, ARE PLANNING TO QUIT THE NORTHERN SEAPORT CITY IN VIEW OF THE INCREASED TERROR, WHICH LAST WEEKEND ALSO CLAIMED THE LIVES OF TWO ARAB NOTABLES IN NORTHERN PALESTINE.

ULEMA, MOSLEM RELIGIOUS BODY, PROTESTED TO ACTING HIGH COMMISSIONER W. D. BATTERSHILL AGAINST THE ARREST OF MOSLEM CLERGYMEN. SUCH ACTIONS, THE PROTEST DECLARED, ARE NOT "ASSISTING BRITISH-ARAB UNDERSTANDING."

#### OFFICIALS MAP EMERGENCY MEASURES

MEANWHILE, EMERGENCY MEASURES TO SUPPRESS TERRORISM WERE DISCUSSED YESTERDAY AND TODAY AT GOVERNMENT HOUSE CONFERENCES ATTENDED BY MR. BATTERSHILL, MAJOR-GENERAL ARCHIBALD P. WAVELL, COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF OF BRITISH FORCES IN PALESTINE; POLICE HEADS, CHIEFS OF THE CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION DEPARTMENT AND TRANSJORDAN BRITISH RESIDENT H.F. COX.

MR. BATTERSHILL, IT WAS DISCLOSED, DISCUSSED THE SITUATION ON THE LONG DISTANCE TELEPHONE WITH THE COLONIAL OFFICE AND HIGH COMMISSIONER SIR ARTHUR GRENFELL WAUCHOPE, WHO IS ON LEAVE IN LONDON. A SECOND CONFERENCE, ATTENDED BY ALL DISTRICT COMMISSIONERS, WAS HELD LATER IN THE DAY.

THE JEWISH NATIONAL COUNCIL PAID TRIBUTE TO MR. ANDREWS IN A STATEMENT WHICH DECLARED HE HAD "FAITHFULLY SERVED HIS COUNTRY SINCE THE BRITISH OCCUPATION AND UNDERTOOK RECENTLY TO RE-ESTABLISH ORDER IN THE DISTRICT MOST DISTURBED BY TERRORISTS, COURAGEOUSLY REINSTATING LAW THOUGH AWARE HE WAS ENDANGERING HIS OWN LIFE." THROUGH SUCH ACTIONS, THE COUNCIL SAID, ANDREWS "ENGRAVED HIS NAME IN JEWISH HISTORY AMONG THE MARTYRS AND SACRIFICED HIS LIFE FOR HIS COUNTRY'S PEACE AND UPBUILDING."

MANY JEWISH ORGANIZATIONS SENT CONDOLENCES TO THE OFFICIAL'S FAMILY.

THE PALESTINE DEFENSE COMMITTEE ANNOUNCED OCT. 2 AS "PALESTINE DAY" AT WHICH TIME MOHAMMEDANS WILL BE CALLED UPON TO PLEDGE FUNDS TO THE FAMILIES OF ARABS KILLED IN THE 1936 DISORDERS.

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#### LONDON TIMES CRITICIZES ADMINISTRATION

LONDON, SEPT. 28. (JTA) -- COMMENTING ON THE ANDREWS ASSASSINATION, THE TIMES, IN AN EDITORIAL TODAY, CONDEMNS THE ADMINISTRATION FOR WHAT IT TERMS "INCAPACITY TO PROTECT ONE OF ITS ABLEST SERVANTS."

THE EDITORIAL DECLARES: "THE METHODS OF CONCILIATION WHICH WERE ATTEMPTED DURING LAST YEAR'S OUTBREAK HAVE NOTORIOUSLY FAILED BUT THE LESSONS OF THIS FAILURE HAVE NOT BEEN TAKEN TO HEART. IT HAS MERELY CONFIRMED THE ARAB TERRORISTS IN THEIR BELIEF THAT A MANDATORY ADMINISTRATION, AND PERHAPS A MANDATORY GOVERNMENT, HAVE POSSIBLY NO POWER AND PROBABLY NO WILL TO ENFORCE LAW AND ORDER."

THE EDITORIAL GOES ON TO STATE THAT ANDREWS' DEATH IS THE DIRECT CONSEQUENCE OF THE WAVE OF SABOTAGE AND TERRORISM THAT SWEEPED PALESTINE LAST YEAR, AND STRESSES THE ROYAL COMMISSION'S STATEMENT THAT THE GRAND MUFTI BEARS A FULL SHARE OF RESPONSIBILITY FOR THESE DISORDERS. THE TIMES ALSO EMPHASIZES THAT SINCE THE JEWS BEGAN REPRISALS, ATTACKS ON THEM HAVE DECREASED.

3 SEIZED AS MEMBERS OF JEWISH SECRET SOCIETY IN PALESTINE

JERUSALEM, SEPT. 28. (JTA) -- EXISTENCE OF A SECRET SOCIETY PLEDGED TO "RID ISRAEL OF THOSE SEEKING TO SELL IT FOR A MESS OF POTTAGE" WAS REVEALED TODAY WITH THE ARREST OF THREE YOUNG JEWS FOR THE ATTEMPTED THEFT OF £5,400 (ABOUT \$22,000), THE HAVAS NEWS AGENCY REPORTED.

IT WAS BELIEVED THE SECRET SOCIETY WAS IMPLICATED IN THE MURDER OF THE JEWISH POET, ZVI FRANKEL, WHO WROTE UNDER THE NAME OF BEN AMRAM. THE LATTER'S BODY, BOUND AND WEIGHTED WITH A HEAVY STONE, WAS RECENTLY FOUND IN THE YARKON RIVER NEAR TEL AVIV.

THE PRISONERS, WHO ALLEGEDLY ATTACKED A CASHIER, APPARENTLY WERE MEMBERS OF AN ORGANIZATION WHOSE ACTIVITIES TO DATE HAD CENTERED AROUND THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A "WAR CHEST." FUNDS FOR THIS WERE GATHERED EITHER BY FORCE OR THROUGH INTIMIDATING LETTERS SENT TO PROMINENT JEWS, IT WAS SAID.

THE THREATENING LETTERS REPORTEDLY WERE SENT TO JEWISH LEADERS KNOWN FOR THEIR EFFORTS TO REACH AN AMICABLE SETTLEMENT OF ARAB-JEWISH DIFFERENCES, INCLUDING VISCOUNT SAMUEL AND DR. JUDAH MAGNES, PRESIDENT OF THE HEBREW UNIVERSITY.

98 ARRESTED IN CZERNOWITZ FOR HAVING J.N.F. BOXES

CZERNOWITZ, RUMANIA, SEPT. 28. (JTA) -- IT WAS DISCLOSED TODAY THAT 98 PERSONS HAVE ALREADY BEEN ARRESTED FOR POSSESSING BLUE-WHITE JEWISH NATIONAL FUND BOXES. ZIONIST COLLECTIONS ARE PROHIBITED THROUGHOUT RUMANIA BY MINISTERIAL DECREE. DISTRIBUTION OF ALL PALESTINE PROPAGANDA MATERIAL HAS ALSO BEEN PROHIBITED IN BESSARABIA, IT WAS ANNOUNCED TODAY.

SPANISH LOYALISTS REAFFIRM PLEDGE OF EQUALITY FOR JEWS

VALENCIA, SEPT. 28. (JTA) -- THE OFFICIAL INFORMATION SERVICE, IN A COMMUNIQUE TODAY, REAFFIRMED THE SPANISH GOVERNMENT'S DETERMINATION TO PRESERVE RELIGIOUS FREEDOM, CITIZENSHIP IN THIS CONNECTION THE EXPERIENCES OF THE JEWISH COMMUNITY IN BARCELONA.

"THE JEWISH COMMUNITY IN BARCELONA," THE COMMUNIQUE SAYS, VOLUNTARILY INTERRUPTED SERVICES IN ITS SMALL SYNAGOGUE ONLY DURING THE FIRST DAYS OF THE REVOLUTION. FOR MORE THAN A YEAR, SERVICES IN BARCELONA HAVE BEEN PROCEEDING WITHOUT INTERRUPTION. IF THE FORMER SYNAGOGUE ON CALLE PRINCIPE IN MADRID IS NOW CLOSED, THIS IS DUE TO THE FACT THAT THE FEW JEWS WHO RESIDED IN MADRID BEFORE THE OUTBREAK OF THE CIVIL WAR WERE MOSTLY FOREIGNERS AND HAVE NOW FORSAKEN THE CITY."

THE COMMUNIQUE ALSO QUOTES THE STATEMENT OF JOSE MARIA SAMPRUM, SPANISH CHARGE D'AFFAIRES IN HOLLAND, IN WHICH HE SAID: "AFTER THE WAR, JEWS IN THE SPANISH REPUBLIC WILL ENJOY FULL FREEDOM AND EQUALITY. JEWISH IMMIGRATION TO SPAIN WILL DEPEND UPON THE INTERNATIONAL SITUATION AT THE END OF THE WAR."

CAIRO EDITOR ARRESTED FOR LIBELING JEWS

CAIRO, SEPT. 28. (JTA) -- THE EDITOR OF THE ISLAMIC REVIEW WAS UNDER ARREST TODAY ON A CHARGE OF PUBLISHING AN ARTICLE LIBELING THE JEWISH PEOPLE.

ARGENTINE LEADERS ADDRESS RALLY AGAINST NAZI PROPAGANDA

BUENOS AIRES, SEPT. 28. (JTA) -- LEADING SENATORS, REPRESENTATIVES AND DEPUTIES TODAY ADDRESSED A GREAT RALLY ORGANIZED BY THE NATIONAL COMMITTEE AGAINST RACISM AND ANTI-SEMITISM TO COMBAT GERMAN PROPAGANDA IN THE ARGENTINE.

U.S. ROLE IN PALESTINE PROBLEM AIRED AT GENEVA, MINUTES OF MANDATES BODY REVEAL

GENEVA (JTA) -- THE ROLE OF THE UNITED STATES WAS ONE OF THE SUBJECTS DISCUSSED AS THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS MANDATES COMMISSION EXAMINED THE BRITISH PROPOSAL TO PARTITION PALESTINE, IT IS REVEALED IN THE MINUTES OF THE COMMISSION'S THIRTY-SECOND SESSION.

WHILE WASHINGTON MIGHT TECHNICALLY INVOKE THE 1924 TREATY WITH BRITAIN TO VETO THE PARTITION PLAN, THERE IS LITTLE LIKELIHOOD THAT THIS WILL HAPPEN, IT WAS BROUGHT OUT. THE BRITISH REPRESENTATIVE SAID THAT HIS GOVERNMENT INTENDED TO CONFER WITH THE AMERICAN GOVERNMENT ON THE SCHEME.

WILLIAM G.A. ORMSBY-GORE, COLONIAL SECRETARY, SAID THAT WASHINGTON HAD BEEN SUPPLIED WITH A COPY OF THE ROYAL COMMISSION REPORT AND THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT STATEMENT OF POLICY. THE MINUTES CONTINUE WITH HIS REMARKS:

"THE UNITED KINGDOM WAS A MANDATORY ON BEHALF OF THE LEAGUE AND THEREFORE THE FIRST STEP WAS WITH THE LEAGUE RATHER THAN WITH THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT. WHEN THE LEAGUE'S ATTITUDE TO THIS WHOLE POLICY WAS MADE CLEARER, IT WOULD BE NECESSARY FOR THE UNITED KINGDOM AND THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT TO CONFER.

"M. (FREDERICK) VAN ASBECK (NETHERLANDS MEMBER OF THE MANDATES COMMISSION) CONCLUDE THAT, FROM A JURIDICAL STANDPOINT, AFTER THE MATTER HAD PASSED THROUGH ALL THE STAGES OF LEAGUE PROCEDURE, IT MIGHT CONCEIVABLY BE DROPPED BECAUSE OF THE VETO OF THE UNITED STATES

"MR. ORMSBY-GORE THOUGHT THAT, AS THE ESSENCE OF THE CONVENTION BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND THE UNITED KINGDOM WAS A RECITAL OF THE MANDATE, IF THE MANDATE WERE CHANGED IN ANY WAY, IT WAS UNLIKELY THAT THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT WOULD WISH TO INSIST ON A CONVENTION WHICH RECITED THE OLD MANDATE AND NOT THE NEW.

"M. VAN ASBECK SAID THAT THE QUESTION OF THE JURISDICTION IN FOREIGN AFFAIRS OF THE NEWLY-CREATED STATES SEEMED TO ARISE IN THIS CONNECTION.

"MR. ORMSBY-GORE AGREED. HE EXPLAINED THAT THE STATUS IN THIS MATTER OF THE UNITED STATES, APART FROM THE CONVENTION IN QUESTION, WAS SOMEWHAT DIFFERENT FROM THAT OF THE ALLIED POWERS. THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA WAS NEVER, DURING THE GREAT WAR, AT WAR WITH TURKEY, THOUGH IT WAS AT WAR WITH GERMANY. WHEN THE MANDATORIES WERE SELECTED, THE MANDATORY POWERS FOR THE FORMER GERMAN TERRITORIES WERE SELECTED BY THE PRINCIPAL ALLIED AND ASSOCIATED POWERS, WHICH INCLUDED THE UNITED STATES, BUT HE BELIEVED IT TO BE AN HISTORICAL FACT THAT, WHEN THE MANDATE FOR PALESTINE WAS CONFERRED UPON GREAT BRITAIN, IT WAS ACTUALLY CONFERRED NOT BY THE PRINCIPAL ALLIED ASSOCIATED POWERS, BUT BY THE PRINCIPAL ALLIED POWER ALONE."