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# JEW KILLED, 7 WOUNDED IN NEW POLISH DISTURBANCES

WARSAW, Nov. 2. (JTA) -- ONE JEWISH YOUTH WAS KILLED, SEVEN OTHER JEWS WOUNDED AND A SYNAGOGUE GUTTED BY FIRE IN NEW ANTI-SEMITIC DISORDERS THAT FLARED TODAY IN VARIOUS PARTS OF POLAND.

THE FATALITY OCCURRED IN THE VILLAGE OF MIECZYSZOW, NEAR BRZEZANY, WHEN A GANG OF UKRAINIAN HOOLIGANS ATTACKED A JEWISH TAVERN-KEEPER, JUDEL STRZINER, AND HIS FAMILY. STRZINER, HIS SON AND DAUGHTER WERE ALL WOUNDED AND REMOVED TO THE HOSPITAL, WHERE THE SON, SAMUEL, DIED LATER.

A BOMB WAS THROWN INTO A SYNAGOGUE IN THE OKUNIEV DISTRICT OF WARSAW, RESULTING IN FIRE THAT PARTIALLY DESTROYED THE BUILDING.

ANTI-SEMITES ATTACKED JEWS IN THE STREETS OF WILNO, WOUNDING FIVE YOUTHS.

Scores of Jewish Shopkeepers in Radomsk who closed during the recent protest strike Against "Ghetto Benches" in Warsaw universities are being prosecuted by the Local authorities, it was learned today. A delegation of tradesmen intervened with Warsaw authorities, urging the proceedings be suspended.

PROF. KULCZYNSKI, RESIGNED RECTOR OF LWOW UNIVERSITY, ANNOUNCED TODAY RECLIPT OF A LETTER SIGNED BY A NUMBER OF PROMINENT POLES, THAKKING HIM FOR HIS DEFENSE OF CULTURE IN POLAND'S PUBLIC LIFE BY OPPOSING INSTITUTION OF THE BENCHES. AMONG THE SIGNERS WERE PROF. KAZIMIERZ BARTEL, SCIENTIST AND FORMER PREMIER OF POLAND.

# BRITISH TROOPS PRESS DRIVE TO CLEAN UP ARAB TERRORIST CENTERS

JERUSALEM, Nov. 2. (JTA) -- WITH SPORADIC ARAB DISORDERS CONTINUING, BRITISH MILITARY FORCES BEGAN AN INTENSIVE DRIVE TODAY TO MOP UP CENTERS OF TERRORIST ACTIVITIES

LARGE BODIES OF TROOPS WERE CONCENTRATED IN THE "BLOODY TRIANGLE" OF NABLUS, TULKAREM AND JENIN, ESTABLISHING HEADQUARTERS IN NABLUS, SEAT OF THE ARAB NATIONALIST MOVEMENT.

AT THE SAME TIME, OTHER BRITISH REGIMENTS CONDUCTED MAKEUVERS IN THE HAIFA AREA UNDER PERSONAL DIRECTION OF MAJOR-GENERAL WAVELL. PLANES, ARMORED AND RADIO CARS, AND ARTILLERY PARTICIPATED IN THE DISPLAY OF FORCES.

A MILITARY PATROL, ATTACKED BY AN ARAB BAND NEAR TULKAREM, ROUTED THE ATTACKERS WITH MACHINE GUNS. ARAB SOURCES REPORTED A BAND AGAIN ATTACKED THE POLICE POST AT DAHARIA, TARGET OF A RECENT RAID IN WHICH POLICE EQUIPMENT WAS CAPTURED BY THE ARABS. PLANES WERE ORDERED TO THE AREA, IN SOUTHERN PALESTINE, TO LOCATE THE RAIDERS. ONE OF THE PLANES CRASHED, REPORTEDLY BROUGHT DOWN BY ARAB BULLETS. THERE WERE NO CASUALTIES.

A CONSIDERABLE QUANTITY OF ARMS CONSIGNED TO PALESTINE, IT WAS ANNOUNCED HERE, HAS BEEN DISCOURTED BY THE LEBANESE SECRET SERVICE. INVESTIGATION REVEALED EXISTENCE OF A LARGE ORGANIZATION TO SMUGGLE ARMS TO PALESTINE.

THE AUTHORITIES ASSIGNED 130 EXTRA POLICE FOR PATROL DUTY ALONG THE JERUSALEM-LYDDA SECTION OF THE RAILWAY TO PREVENT POSSIBLE SABOTAGE.

A VOLLEY OF SHOTS WAS FIRED INTO THE INTERNATIONAL POTASH COMPANY CONCESSION DURING THE NIGHT. TROOPS FROM THE BLACK WATCH REGIMENT, ENCAMPED IN JERUSALEM, RUSHED TO THE SCENE. RETURNING THIS MORNING THEY WERE FIRED ON FROM THE MOAB HILLS.

ANOTHER MILITARY PATROL WAS FIRED ON AT LONG RANGE ON THE JERUSALEM-NABLUS ROAD. REINFORCEMENTS WERE RUSHED BUT FAILED TO LOCATE THE ATTACKERS.

SHOTS WERE FIRED INTO THE AUSTRIAN HOSPITAL AT NAZARETH. A MILK TRAIN WAS FIRED ON BETWEEN ANEBTA AND DIRESHARF. SEVERAL BOMBS WERE DISCOVERED IN AN ARAB HOUSE IN THE VILLAGE OF BASHITA.

THE MAYOR AND MUKHTARS (ARAB CHIEFTAINS) OF SAFED RESIGNED AFTER THE DISTRICT OFF-ICER HAD THREATENED THEM WITH EXILE IF PEACE WERE DISTURBED IN THE AREA.

CHIEF RABBI JACOB MEIR OF THE SEPHARDIC JEWISH COMMUNITY ISSUED A MANIFESTO PRO-CLAIMING A DAY OF FAST AND PRAYERS NOV. 5 FOR STOPPAGE OF THE DISTURBANCES.

# PALESTINE MARKS 20TH ANNIVERSARY OF BALFOUR DECLARATION

JERUSALEM, Nov. 2. (JTA) -- JEWS THROUGHOUT PALESTINE OBSERVED TODAY THE TWENTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF THE BALFOUR DECLARATION, WHICH PLEDGED GREAT BRITAIN TO FACILITATE ESTABLISHMENT OF A JEWISH NATIONAL HOME IN PALESTINE.

HEBREW NEWSPAPERS CARRIED ARTICLES AND EDITORIALS, BAYING TRIBUTE TO LORD BALFOUR, WHO WAS BRITISH FOREIGN SECRETARY AT THE TIME HE MADE THE DECLARATION IN A COMMUNICATION TO THE LATE LORD ROTHSCHILD.

THE PAPERS WERE UNANIMOS IN DECLARING THE DECLARATION COLD NOT BE LIQUIDATED AND CALLING UPON WORLD JEWRY AND THE LOCAL JEWISH COMMUNITY TO CONTINUE IN THE WORK OF UPBUILDING THE JEWISH NATIONAL HOME.

UNLIKE RECENT YEARS THERE WERE NO ARAB DEMONSTRATIONS. JEWISH PUBLIC BUILDINGS IN JERUSALEM AND TEL AVIV WERE DECORATED WITH ZIONIST AND BRITISH BANNERS.

### PALESTINE TEACHERS AGREE TO ARBITRATION; STRIKE AVERTED

JERUSALEM, NOV. 2. (JTA) -- A STRIKE OF JEWISH TEACHERS, SCHEDULED FOR TODAY, WAS AVERTED THIS MORNING WHEN THE TEACHERS CONSENTED TO ARBITRATION IN THEIR DEMAND FOR RESTORATION OF SALARY CUTS.

#### ORMSBY-GORE DEFENDS DYNAMITING OF ARAB HOUSES

LONDON, Nov. 2. (JTA) -- COLONIAL SECRETARY WILLIAM ORMSBY-GORE IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS TODAY DEFENDED THE PALESTINE ADMINISTRATION FROM CHARGES BY WILLIAM GALLACHER, COMMUNIST M.P., THAT IT HAS EMBARKED UPON A "POLICY OF DESTRUCTION." MR. GALLACHER BASED HIS CHARGES ON THE DYNAMITING OF ARAB HOMES IN REPRISAL FOR TERRORIST ACTIVITIES. REPLYING TO HIS DEMAND THAT THE DYNAMITING BE DISCONTINUED, MR. ORMSBY-GORE DECLARED THERE WAS "NO INTENTION OF ALTERING THE LAW."

#### WORLD JEWISH CONGRESS PROTESTS DANZIG EXCESSES TO LEAGUE

GENEVA, Nov. 2. (JTA) -- THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE WORLD JEWISH CONGRESS TODAY LODGED A PROTEST WITH THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS DANZIG COMMITTEE OF THREE AGAINST THE FAILURE OF THE LEAGUE HIGH COMMISSIONER AT DANZIG TO TAKE ANY ACTION AGAINST ANTI-SEMITIC EXCESSES IN THE FREE CITY. THE HAVAS NEWS AGENCY REPORTED.

THE PROTEST WAS ADDRESSED TO THE FOREIGN OFFICES OF FRANCE, GREAT BRITAIN AND SWEDEN WHO COMPRISE THE LEAGUE COMMITTEE. IT EMPHASIZED THE BIG INCREASE IN JEWISH PERSECUTION IN DANZIG DURING THE PAST TWO WEEKS.

THE COMMITTEE RECALLED THAT IN THE PAST YEAR IT HAD CALLED THE LEAGUE'S ATTENTION TO ATTACKS AGAINST JEWS IN THE FREE CITY IN VIOLATION OF THE CONSTITUTION GUARANTEED BY THE LEAGUE. THESE APPEALS APARENTLY WERE IGNORED, THE PROTEST SAID.

ON Oct. 10, THE NAZI FREE CITY LEADER ALBERT FOERSTER ANNOUNCED A CAMPAIGN TO "REDUCE THE JEWISH RABBLE OF DANZIG" TO THE SAME STATE AS THE JEWISH POPULATION OF GERMANY, THE COMMITTEE SAID.

NO ACTION WAS TAKEN BY THE LEAGUE HIGH COMMISSIONER IN CONNECTION WITH THIS ANN-OUNCEMENT AND EIGHT DAYS LATER ANTI-SEMITIC EXCESSES WHICH ATTAINED THE INTENSITY OF A VERITABLE POGROM BROKE OUT IN THE FREE CITY, IT WAS CLAIMED. THE COMMITTEE CHARGED THAT NO ACTION OF ANY KIND WAS TAKEN TO PROTECT THE JEWISH RESIDENTS OF DANZIG AGAINST THESE EXCESSES.

THE PROTEST CONCLUDED WITH AN APPEAL THAT "NO TIME BE LOST IN REESTABLISHING THE LEGAL SITUATION IN THE FREE CITY."

#### DANZIG BEING TURNED INTO PART OF REICH, WARSAW HEARS

WARSAW, Nov. 2. (JTA) -- TRANSFORMATION OF DANZIG INTO AN INTEGRAL PART OF THE HITLER REICH AND AN IMPORTANT GERMAN MILITARY BASE IN NORTHEASTERN EUROPE IS PROCEEDING RAPIDLY UNDER THE DIRECTION OF ALBERT FOERSTER, NAZI LEADER OF DANZIG, ACCORDING TO REPORTS FROM WELL-INFORMED POLISH SOURCES IN THE FREE CITY, THE HAVAS NEWS AGENCY REPORTED TODAY.

IN A RECENT DEMAND FOR "VOLUNTARY DISSOLUTION" OF THE CATHOLIC CENTRIST PARTY IN DANZIG, FOERSTER EMPHASIZED THE OBJECTIVES OF THE NAZIS IN THE FREE CITY. WHEN "VOLUNTARY DISSOLUTION" WAS REJECTED BY THE CATHOLIC PARTY THE NAZI AUTHORITIES COUNTERED WITH A GOVERNMENT BAN BASED ON CHARGES OF ANTI-GOVERNMENT ACTIVITIES.

APPEALING TO THE CATHOLIC PARTY TO HALT THEIR OPPOSITION TO THE NAZI GOVERNMENT IN DANZIG, FOERSTER SAID:

"You well know where we are headed. We must have unity in the interior because we have other duties to fulfill."

THE NAZI LEADER THEN REPORTEDLY DISPLAYED A MAP OF NORTHEASTERN EUROPE AND POINTING OUT THE STRATEGIC POSITION OF DANZIG HE WAS QUOTED AS ADDING:

"OUR FUTURE IS EASTWARD AND WE MUST CONQUER NEW TERRITORIES,"

THE ANTI-SEMITIC CAMPAIGN IN THE FREE CITY WHICH HAS BEEN MARKED BY FREQUENT DISORDERS DURING THE PAST TEN DAYS HAS RESULTED IN VIRTUAL APPLICATION OF THE GERMAN "NUREMBERG LAWS" AND HAS SERVED AS A "STOP GAP" FOR THE NAZIS. THIS CAMPAIGN IS EXPECTED TO PAY
THE WAY FOR OTHER PRO-GERMAN AND ANTI-SWISH STEPS WHICH PROBABLY WILL BE UNDERTAKEN AT
THE PARILAMENTARY SESSION OPENING LATER THIS MONTH. HAVAS SAID.

# 4 POLISH CITIZENS WOUNDED IN DANZIG ATTACKS

DANZIG, Nov. 2. (JTA) -- A GROUP OF UNIFORMED NAZI STORM TROOPERS INVADED THE VILLA OF PIEKLO IN THE DANZIG SUBURBS AND BEAT UP A GROUP OF POLISH RESIDENTS, SERIOUSLY INJURIN FOUR OF THEM, THE HAVAS NEWS AGENCY REPORTED TODAY. THE STORM TROOPERS ALSO SACKED A NUMBER OF HOMES OF POLISH RESIDENTS AND BROKE THE WINDOWS OF POLISH STORES.

#### PREDICTS EARLY "SOLUTION" OF JEWISH PROBLEM

DANZIG, Nov. 2. (JTA) -- ADDRESSING A MEETING HERE TODAY, ALBERT FOERSTER, NAZI DISTRICT LEADER, DECLARED THE JEWISH PROBLEM WOULD BE SOLVED BEFORE THE NEW YEAR, INDICAT-ING ANTI-JEWISH LEGISLATION WAS BEING PREPARED.

# ARAB OUTBREAKS IN NORTH AFRICA LIKENED TO PALESTINE DISTURBANCES

NEW YORK, Nov. 2. (JTA) -- WRITING FROM NAPLES ON THE ARAB UNREST IN NORTHERN AFRICA, ANNE O'HARE MCCORMICK IN A DISPATCH TO THE NEW YORK TIMES TODAY COMPARES DISTURBANCES THERE WITH THOSE IN PALESTINE. SHE DECLARES:

"THE OUTBREAKS OF ARAB NATIONALISM ARE MORE LIKE A CONTAGION THAN A DIRECTED MOVEMENT. THEY INDICATE THAT THE AUTOINTOXICATIONS OF EUROPEAN NATIONS HAVE INFECTED THE NEIGHBOR ING CONTINENT.

"THE SITUATION IS GRAVE NEVERTHELESS, AND THE DISTURBANCES IN FRENCH TERRITORY
THROW LIGHT ON DISTURBANCES ELSEWHERE. A BRIEF STOP-OVER AT A PORT LIKE ALGIERS REVEALS
THAT THE AGITATION AMONG ARABS UNDER FRENCH RULE IS MORE WIDESPREAD AND HARDLY LESS VIOLEN
THAN THAT IN PALESTINE.

"ARAB NATIONALISM TAKES THE FORM OF ANTI-ZIONISM IN THE HOLY LAND WHERE IT IS AGG-RAVATED BY THE ENERGETIC COLONIZATION OF THE JEWS AND IS BROUGHT TO THE EXPLOSION POINT BY THE PROPOSAL OF PARTITION. BUT IT ALSO EXPLODES WHERE THERE IS NO JEWISH SETTLEMENT AND FLARES UP AGAINST THE FRENCH AS HOTLY AS AGAINST THE BRITISH OR THE ZIONISTS."