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# JEWS TAKEN FROM VIENNA SYNAGOGUES, FORCED TO SCRUB WALLS; OTHERS ROUTED FROM THEATRES

VIENNA, APRIL 18. (JTA) -- NAZI STORM TROOPERS BROKE INTO PASSOVER SABBATH MORNING SERVICES AT THE ORTHODOX SCHIFF SYNAGOGUE, IT WAS LEARNED TODAY, AND LOADED A DOZEN WORSHIPPERS ON A TRUCK TO BE TAKEN TO THE NEAREST POLICE STATION. THERE SOME WERE PHOTOGRAPHED, WHILE OTHERS WERE FORCED TO WASH WINDOWS AND SCRUB WALLS FOR HOURS.

PHOTOGRAPHS WERE TAKEN IN THE COURTYARD OF THE POLICE STATION FOR DER STUERMER, JULIUS STREICHER'S RABIDLY ANTI-SEMITIC WEEKLY ISSUED IN NUREMBERG, OF FIVE JEWS, ALL STRIKING ORTHODOX TYPES, WITH LONG BEARDS, "PEYOS" (RINGLETS OF HAIR ON THE TEMPLES), AND WEARING "TALLESIM" (PRAYER SHAWLS).

A. N. Fuchs, Jewish Journalist, correspondent of the Jewish Daily Forward of New York, his wife and daughter, have been released from Jail After Twelve Days' Detention on unknown charges. W.S. Eisenburg, former member of the Government Press Department under ex-Chancellor Kurt Schuschnigg, who had been in custody for several weeks, has been sent to the Dachau concentration camp near Munich.

# JEWS DRIVEN FROM OPERA HOUSE; 2 BANKS TAKEN OVER

JEWS HAVE BEEN DRIVEN FROM THE VIENNA OPERA HOUSE AND AT LEAST ONE LARGE CINEMA IN RECENT DAYS BY HOSTILE AUDIENCE DEMONSTRATIONS IN THE GALLERY.

CATCALLS AND SHOUTS OF "JEWS OUT!" INTERRUPTED THE PRESENTATION OF RICHARD WAG-NER'S OPERA, "LOHENGRIN," AND WERE FOLLOWED BY THE DEPARTURE OF FIVE PERSONS FROM THE OPERA HOUSE.

THE MANAGER OF THE BURG CINEMA HALTED THE SHOWING OF ALICE FAYE'S FILM, "You'RE A SWEETHEART," WHICH NAMES SEVERAL JEWS IN ITS CREDIT LIST, TO REQUEST JEWS TO LEAVE THE BUILDING, AFTER A SIMILAR DEMONSTRATION HAD OCCURRED. ABOUT TWENTY-FIVE PERSONS WALKED OUT.

TWO MORE IMPORTANT JEWISH BANKS, THE EPHRUSSI AND GUTTMAN INSTITUTIONS, WERE TODAY PLACED UNDER "COMPULSORY ADMINISTRATION" OF THE AUTHORITIES, WHICH MEANS THAT THEIR JEWISH OWNERS HAVE BEEN VIRTUALLY DISPOSSED. THE FIRST JEWISH BANK TO BE TAKEN OVER BY THE AUTHORITIES WAS S.M. ROTHSCHILD AND SONS.

# ORDER TO CONTRIBUTE TO NAZI PARTY BEHIND COMMUNITY'S APPEAL

PRAMA, APRIL 18. (JTA) -- RELIABLE SOURCES REVEALED TODAY THE REAL REASONS BEHIND THE MYSTERIOUS APPEAL FOR 800,000 SCHILLINGS (ABOUT \$160,000) ISSUED LAST WEEK BY THE VIENNA JEWISH COMMUNITY WITH THE EXPLANATION THAT THE MONEY MUST BE COLLECTED IMMEDIATELY IF ITS OFFICES, CLOSED SINCE ANSCHLUSS, ARE TO BE REOPENED.

BACK OF THE APPEAL, IT WAS ASSERTED HERE, WAS AN ORDER TO VIENNA JEWISH LEADERS TO MATCH A KNOWN 800,000 SCHILLING CONTRIBUTION TO THE SCHUSCHNIGG REGIME WITH AN EQUAL CONTRIBUTION TO THE NAZI PARTY. THIS ORDER, IT WAS STATED, WAS ACCOMPANIED BY AN INTIMATION THAT PRESSURE ON THE JEWS WOULD BE EASED IF THE REQUIRED SUM WERE RAISED.

SHORTLY AFTER THE NAZI DEMAND HAD BEEN MADE KNOWN TO THE VIENNA JEWISH LEADERS, SLIGHTLY MORE THAN HALF THE SUM WAS PRIVATELY RAISED. IT WAS THEN DECIDED TO ISSUE AN APPEAL TO 20,000 JEWS, WHO EACH PAYS MORE THAN 50 SCHILLINGS ANNUALLY IN COMMUNITY TAXES, TO CONTRIBUTE VOLUNTARILY HALF HIS TAX TO MAKE UP THE TOTAL NEEDED.

## SPEED-UP IN "ARYANIZATION" FORECAST

BERLIN, APRIL 18. (JTA) -- "ARYANIZATION" OF JEWISH ENTERPRISES IN AUSTRIA WILL BE CARRIED OUT MUCH MORE RAPIDLY THAN IN GERMANY, ACCORDING TO A FORECAST PUBLISHED IN UEBERBLICK, ORGAN OF THE GERMAN RETAILERS' UNION. REVIEWING THE SITUATION IN AUSTRIA, THE PERIODICAL DECLARES THE "ARYANIZATION" PROCESS WILL BE SPECOED UP TO PREVENT JEWISH FIRMS FROM SHARING IN THE ANTICIPATED PROSPERITY OF AUSTRIA.

"What in the Reich has been a half-year, will in Austria be one month," The paper asserts, adding that the extent of "Aryanization" in Austria will be much larger than it was in the Reich, since the percentage of Jewish retailers is higher, ranging from 30 in general to 80 in the textile trades.

THE ORGAN DECLARES THAT DISMISSAL OF NUMEROUS JEWISH EMPLOYES RENDERS POSSIBLE
IMMEDIATE LIQUIDATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT AMONG "ARYAN" EMPLOYES. IT WARNS AGAINST THE METHODS
OF "PROFESSIONAL ARYANIZATORS WHO COME FROM THE REICH FOR THEIR PERSONAL INTERESTS."

### HUNGARIAN JEWS IN AMERICA URGED TO SEND AID

BUDAPEST, APRIL 18. (JTA) -- PREDICTING THAT 50,000 HUNGARIAN JEWS WOULD LOSE THEIR MEANS OF LIVELIHOOD THROUGH PENDING ANTI-SENITIC LEGISLATION, THE EGYMLOSEG, FOREMOST JEWISH WEEKLY, TODAY APPEALED TO THE 100,000 HUNGARIAN JEWS LIVING IN AMERICA TO COME TO THE ALD OF THEIR CORELIGIONISTS HERE.

IN AN ARTICLE HEADLINED, "WE MOURN," DR. LAJOS SZABOLCSI, EDITOR-IN-CHIEF OF THE WEEKLY, EXPRESSED THE HOPE THAT THE JEWS' EQUALITY OF RIGHTS, ABOLISHED UNDER THE PROPOSED LEGISLATION, WOULD BE RESTORED WITH THE HELP OF LIBERAL CHRISTIAN PUBLIC OPINION.

"A NEW SITUATION IS CREATED FOR HUNGARIAN JEWRY, ITS EQUALITY ENDING, BUT THERE IS YET THE GREAT LIBERAL CHRISTIAN PUBLIC OPINION, WHICH REALIZES THE WRONG DONE TO US AND IS RAISING ITS VOICE FOR US," THE ARTICLE DECLARED. "WE KNOW THERE WILL BE CHRISTIAN DEPUTIES AND MEMBERS OF THE UPPER HOUSE TO FIGHT DEPRIVATION OF RIGHTS, AS THEIR PREDECESSORS FOUGHT WITH US FOR OUR EQUALITY."

. THE ZIONIST ORGAN, SZIDO SZEMLE, STRESSED THE IMPORTANCE OF OCCUPATIONAL REORIENTATION FOR EMIGRATION.

## RUMANIAN LANGUAGE TEST FOR LAWYERS NOW SEEN AIMED AGAINST JEWS ALONE

BUCHAREST, APRIL 18. (JTA) -- FOLLOWING CHANGES IN THE RUMANIAN LANGUAGE EXAMINATION REQUIREMENT FOR LAWYERS WHO ARE MEMBERS OF NATIONAL MINORITIES, CURIERUL ISRAELIT, ORGAN OF THE UNION OF RUMANIAN JEWS, CHARGED TODAY THE EXAMINATION WOULD NOW BE DIRECTED EXCLUSIVELY AGAINST JEWS.

THE STANDING COMMISSION OF THE RUMANIAN LAWYERS' UNION HAS ALTERED ITS RULING TO MAKE THE EXAMINATIONS NECESSARY ONLY FOR LAWYERS WHO ARE FORMALLY DENOUNCED BY ONE OR SEVERAL ATTORNEYS, OR BY AN OFFICIAL OF A LOCAL BAR ASSOCIATION FOR NOT MASTERING THE LANGUAGE.

THE ACTION WAS TAKEN AFTER A PROTEST BY LAWYERS OF THE GERMAN AND HUNGARIAN MINORITIES, WHO DECLARED THEY WOULD NOT UNDERGO THE LANGUAGE TEST ON THE GROUND THAT IT WAS UNCONSTITUTIONAL.

MEANWHILE, THE BUCHAREST BAR AUTHORITIES, DISREGARDING A MINISTRY OF JUSTICE ORDER NOT TO SUSPEND JEWISH LAWYERS PENDING THE REVISION OF CITIZENSHIPS, HAS ELIMINATED SEVEN MORE JEWISH MEMBERS, AMONG THEM JACOB BACALU, PRESIDENT OF THE RUMANIAN JEWISH YOUTH ASSOCIATION.

### EINSTEIN WARNS AGAINST PARTITION AS LEADING TO "NARROW NATIONALISM"

NEW YORK, APRIL 18. (JTA) -- PROFESSOR ALBERT EINSTEIN LAST NIGHT OPPOSED THE PROPOSED PARTITION OF PALESTINE AS AGAINST JEWISH SPIRITUALITY AND AS LEADING TO A NARROW NATIONALISM. HE ADDRESSED 3,000 LABORITE ZIONISTS WHO CROWDED THE HOTEL ASTOR'S GRAND BALLROOM FAR BEYOND CAPACITY FOR THE SIXTH ANNUAL "THIRD SEDER" OF THE NATIONAL LABOR COMMITTEE FOR PALESTINE.

SPEAKING IN GERMAN, DR. EINSTEIN DECLARED HE WOULD MUCH RATHER SEE A REASONABLE AGREEMENT WITH THE ARABS ON THE BASIS OF LIVING TOGETHER. HE URGED THAT IF THE JEWS ARE FORCED TO ACCEPT PARTITION, THEY BEAR IT "IN THE KNOWLEDGE THAT IT WILL BE IN CONTRAST TO OUR NATURE."

THE LABORITES, WHO HAD GIVEN THE NOTED SCIENTIST A THUNDEROUS THREE-MINUTE OVATION AS HE AROSE TO SPEAK, APPLAUDED HIM SOMEWHAT LESS ENTHUSIASTICALLY WHEN HE HAD CONCLUDED. MANY IN THE AUDIENCE, NOT KNOWING GERMAN, DID NOT UNDERSTAND THE ADDRESS, AND NO TRANSLATION WAS READ.

OTHER SPEAKERS WERE HERBERT MORRISON, CHAIRMAN OF THE LONDON COUNTY COUNCIL, WHO URGED THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT TO RESTORE THE ABSORPTIVE CAPACITY PRINCIPLE OF PALESTINE IMMIGRATION; MAURICE FEINSTONE, SECRETARY OF THE UNITED HEBREW TRADES; DAVID PINSKI, PRESIDENT OF THE JEWISH NATIONAL WORKERS' ALLIANCE; GOLDIE MYERSON, OF THE PALESTINE HISTADRUTH; ISAAC HAMLIN, SECRETARY OF THE NATIONAL LABOR COMMITTEE FOR FALESTINE, AND CHAIM GREENBERG, EDITOR OF THE JEWISH FRONTIER.

THE EARLY PART OF PROFESSOR EINSTEIN'S ADDRESS DEALT WITH ANTI-SEMITISM. HE DE-CLARED THAT "WE SHALL SURVIVE THIS PERIOD" OF OPPRESSION, "NO MATTER HOW HEAVY A LOSS OF LIFE IT MAY BRING."

"A COMMUNITY LIKE OURS, WHICH IS A COMMUNITY PURELY BY REASON OF TRADITION, CAN ONLY BE STRENGTHENED BY PRESSURE FROM WITHOUT," HE SAID. "FOR TODAY EVERY JEW FEELS THAT TO BE A JEW MEANS TO BEAR A SERIOUS RESPONSIBILITY, NOT ONLY TO HIS OWN COMMUNITY, BUT ALSO TOWARD HUMANITY."

COMING TO THE SUBJECT OF PALESTINE, HE PRAISED THE ACCOMPLISHMENTS OF JEWISH PION-EERS, DESPITE "FANATICAL ARAB UPRISINGS." HE PAID TRIBUTE TO THE SOLIDARITY AND CONFID-ENCE OF THE PALESTINE JEWS. THE DISORDERS, HE CHARGED, WERE FORMENTED BY THOSE INTERESTED IN EMBARRASSING NOT ONLY THE JEWS, BUT PARTICULARLY GREAT BRITAIN.

ON THE SUBJECT OF PARTITION, HE ASSERTED THAT "I WOULD MUCH RATHER SEE A REASONABLE AGREEMENT WITH THE ARABS ON THE BASIS OF LIVING TOGETHER THAN THE CREATION OF A JEWISH STATE."

"APART FROM PRACTICAL CONSIDERATIONS," HE SAID, "MY AWARENESS OF THE ESSENTIAL NATURE OF JUDAISM RESISTS THE IDEA OF A JEWISH STATE, WITH BORDERS, AN ARMY AND A MEASURE

OF TEMPORAL POWER, NO MATTER HOW MODEST. I AM AFRAID OF THE INNER DAMAGE JUDAISM WILL SUSTAIN -- ESPECIALLY FROM THE DEVELOPMENT OF A NARROW NATIONALISM WITHIN OUR RANKS, AGAINST WHICH WE HAVE ALREADY HAD TO FIGHT STRONGLY, EVEN WITHOUT A JEWISH STATE.

"WE ARE NO LONGER JEWS OF THE MACCABEAN PERIOD. A RETURN TO A NATION IN THE POLITICAL SENSE OF THE WORD WOULD BE THE EQUIVALENT OF TURNING AWAY FROM THE SPIRITUALIZATION OF OUR COMMUNITY, WHICH WE OME TO THE GENIUS OF OUR PROPHETS. IF EXTERNAL NECESSITY SHOULD, AFTER ALL, COMPEL US TO ASSUME THIS BURDEN, LET US BEAR IT IN THE KNOWLEDGE THAT IT WILL BE IN CONTRAST TO OUR NATURE."

### 3 JEWS ARRESTED IN HAIFA ARAB KILLING

JERUSALEM, APRIL 18. (JTA) -- THREE JEWS WERE UNDER ARREST IN HAIFA TODAY IN CONNECT-ION WITH THE FATAL WOUNDING OF AN ARAB LAST NIGHT. A SECOND ARAB DIED THIS MORNING OF WOUNDS SUFFERED YESTERDAY IN THE BOMBING OF AN ARAB CAFE IN HAIFA (REPORTED YESTERDAY AS IN JERUSALEM).

A CRUDE "HOME-MADE" BOMB EXPLODED TODAY OUTSIDE THE INTERNATIONAL RESTAURANT IN THE CENTER OF JERUSALEM, FREQUENTED BY BRITISH SOLDIERS AND POLICE, WRECKING THE LOBBY, DAMAGING THE INTERIOR AND SLIGHTLY INJURING AN ARAB BOY.

#### IBN SAUD HELD OPPOSING PALESTINE VIOLENCE

CAIRO, APRIL 18. (JTA) -- EMIR IBN SAUD OF SAUDI ARABIA DISAPPROVES OF THE VIOLENCE IN PALESTINE AND FAVORS PEACEFUL ARBITRATION, HIS MINISTER TO LONDON, HAFEZ WAHBA, TOLD THE JEWISH TELEGRAPHIC AGENCY TODAY FOLLOWING A CONFERENCE WITH AUNI BEY ABOUL HADI, BANISHED PALESTINE ARAB LEADER.

#### PALESTINE COLONY FOUNDED IN MEMORY OF JOSHUA THON

JERUSALEM, APRIL 18. (JTA) -- A NEW COLONY NAMED BETH JOSHUA (HOME OF JOSHUA), IN MEMORY OF DR. JOSHUA THON, POLISH JEWISH PARLIAMENT DEPUTY, WAS FOUNDED TODAY IN THE NORTH OF THE SHARON PLAIN BY 80 ZIONIST SETTLERS FROM THE POLISH JEWISH COMMUNAL SETTLEMENT, KIBBUTZ AKIBA. THEY RECEIVED 1,300 DUNAMS OF LAND FROM THE JEWISH NATIONAL FUND, AND 2,000 ADDITIONAL DUNAMS FOR TEMPORARY USE.

### PALESTINE SPORTS MEET OPENS BEFORE THOUSANDS

TEL AVIV, APRIL 18. (JTA) -- THE MACCABIADE, PALESTINIAN "OLYMPIC GAMES," OPENED IN THE STADIUM HERE TODAY WITH A PARADE OF 3,000 ATHLETES BEFORE A CHEERING CROWD OF THOUSANDS. DISTRICT COMMISSIONER ROBERT F.H. CROSS IE, IN AN ADDRESS, DECLARED THAT THE MACCASI, JEWISH SPORTS ORGANIZATION, LIKE EVERYTHING ELSE IN PALESTINE, WAS GROWING. HE CONCLUDED HIS SPEECH WITH THE HEBREW WORDS, "CHAZAK VE-EMATZ!" (BE STRONG AND HAVE COURAGE!)

# ANTI-SEMITE NAMED PROFESSOR AT BERLIN UNIVERSITY

BERLIN, APRIL 18. (JTA) -- DR. WALTER CROSS, HEAD OF THE RACIAL POLICY DEPARTMENT OF THE NAZI PARTY, HAS BEEN APPOINTED PROFESSOR AT BERLIN UNIVERSITY. DR. GROSS IS RESPONSIBLE FOR MOST OF THE ANTI-JEWISH RACIAL MEASURES.