

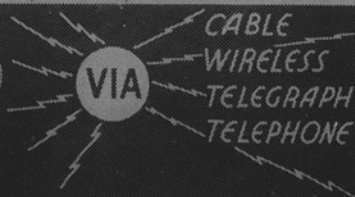
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ANTI-JEWISH DRIVE "JUST BEGUN," NAZIS DECLARE; CAFES RAIDED AGAIN

BERLIN, JUNE 16. (JTA) -- NAZI CIRCLES REVEALED TODAY THAT THE REINTENSIFIED ANTI-JEWISH DRIVE "HAS ONLY JUST BEGUN" AFTER A NEW SERIES OF CAFE RAIDS IN BERLIN HAD RAISED THE TOTAL JEWISH ARRESTS IN A FOUR-DAY NATION-WIDE DRIVE TO AN ESTIMATED 2,000 OR MORE. JEWISH SHOPS IN BERLIN'S EAST END CLOSED DOWN AS SPORADIC BOYCOTTS BROKE OUT ANEW, WITH NAZIS PLASTERING THE WINDOWS WITH ANTI-JEWISH SLOGANS.

LAST NIGHT'S CAFE RAIDS WERE CARRIED OUT ON THE KURFUEURSTENDAMM, IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD OF THE SCENE OF THE RAIDS TWO WEEKS AGO IN WHICH MORE THAN 300 JEWS WERE ARRESTED. AMONG THE PLACES VISITED BY THE POLICE WERE TRUMP'S, ONE OF THE MOST POPULAR CAFES IN THE CITY, WHERE HALF A DOZEN JEWS WERE PICKED UP, AND ALSO THE MEUDTNER CAFE. STORM TROOPERS ENTERED TWO THEATRES, SWITCHED ON THE LIGHTS AND ORDERED JEWS TO LEAVE.

OFFICIALS AT THE ALEXANDERPLATZ CENTRAL POLICE HEADQUARTERS WOULD REVEAL NO INFORMATION ABOUT THE NUMBER ARRESTED OR THEIR FATE. AN OFFICIAL REPLIED TO AN INQUIRER: "YOUR FRIEND WILL BE RELEASED IN THREE DAYS OR HIS FAMILY WILL BE NOTIFIED AT THE END OF THAT PERIOD ABOUT THE DISPOSITION OF THE CASE."

MEANWHILE, THE GESTAPO SUSPENDED INDEFINITELY THE NEWSPAPER DAS JUEDISCHE VOLKSBLATT, ORGAN OF THE GERMAN ZIONIST-REVISIONISTS, WHICH WAS FOUNDED BY GEORG KARESKI, FORMER GOVERNMENT-APPOINTED HEAD OF THE JEWISH CULTURE LEAGUE, WHO IS NOW IN PALESTINE.

A COLOGNE PROVINCIAL COURT ADDED TO THE GROWING LIST OF DECISIONS PUTTING JEWISH TENANTS AT THE MERCY OF BLACK-BALLING "ARYAN" NEIGHBORS BY RULING THAT AN "ARYAN" WAS WITHIN HIS RIGHTS IN BREAKING A LEASE WHEN HE DISCOVERED THAT ANOTHER FLAT OF THE BUILDING WAS LEASED TO A JEW.

REGISTER OF JEWISH FIRMS ORDERED

BERLIN, JUNE 16. (HAVAS) -- THE THIRD REICH STRUCK A NEW AND DRASTIC BLOW AT JEWISH BUSINESSMEN WITHIN ITS FRONTIERS TODAY BY RIGIDLY DEFINING WHAT CONSTITUTES A JEWISH FIRM AND ORDERING THESE CONCERNS BE LISTED IN A SPECIAL PUBLIC REGISTER. IN ADDITION, THE INTERIOR MINISTER WAS EMPOWERED TO ORDER THAT ALL JEWISH SHOPS BE IDENTIFIED AS SUCH BY A DISTINCTIVE MARK.

THE DECREE, ISSUED BY INTERIOR MINISTER WILHELM FRICK, WAS COUNTERSIGNED BY RUDOLF HESS, DEPUTY LEADER OF THE NAZI PARTY, ECONOMICS MINISTER WALTHER FUNK AND JUSTICE MINISTER FRANZ GUERTNER.

THE NEW REGISTER OF "NON-ARYAN" FIRMS WILL BE OPEN TO PUBLIC INSPECTION, SAID THE DECREE, "IN ORDER THAT EACH CITIZEN MAY KNOW WHETHER A STORE IS JEWISH OR NOT." FIRMS OWNED OR CONTROLLED BY FOREIGN JEWS MAY BE LISTED IN THE SPECIAL REGISTER ONLY BY SPECIAL PERMISSION OF THE ECONOMICS MINISTER.

DEFINED AS JEWISH CONCERNS ARE THE FOLLOWING: (1) ANY ENTERPRISE OWNED BY A MAN WHO IS A JEW UNDER THE NUREMBERG RACIAL LAWS; (2) A LIMITED PARTNERSHIP IN WHICH ONE OR MORE JEWISH PARTNERS ARE PERSONALLY RESPONSIBLE; (3) LIMITED COMPANIES IN WHICH ONE OR MORE JEWS ARE QUALIFIED TO REPRESENT THE FIRM, OR IN WHICH ONE OR MORE DIRECTORS ARE JEWS, OR IN WHICH JEWS OWN MORE THAN ONE-QUARTER OF THE CAPITAL OR A MAJORITY OF COMMON STOCK.

THE JEWISH CAFES IN THE KURFUERSTENDAMM WERE ALMOST COMPLETELY EMPTY TONIGHT, BERLIN'S JEWRY PREFERRING TO REMAIN AT HOME AND ESCAPE THE CONTINUING POLICE RAIDS. THE CONFUSION WAS MULTIPLIED BY THE FACT THAT HUNDREDS OF AUSTRIAN JEWS FLED TO BERLIN TO ESCAPE THE ANTI-JEWISH DRIVE, HOPING TO FIND ANONYMITY IN THE LARGER METROPOLIS. INSTEAD THEY MET WITH A NEW WAVE OF ANTI-SEMITIC ACTIVITY HERE.

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150 ARRESTS IN GERMAN SILESIA REPORTED

KATOWICE, POLISH UPPER SILESIA, JUNE 16. (JTA) -- NUMEROUS ARRESTS AMONG JEWS IN GERMAN SILESIA WERE REPORTED BY THE POLISH PRESS TODAY, INCLUDING 36 IN BEUTEN, AMONG THEM THE LEADERS OF THE JEWISH COMMUNITY, DR. DZIANLOSCHINKI AND ADVOCATE KUTNER, 20 JEWS IN GLEIWITZ AND 100 IN HINDENBURG, ALL OF WHOM WERE INTERNEED IN CONCENTRATION CAMPS.

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BRITAIN REPORTED PROTESTING TO BERLIN

LONDON, JUNE 16. (JTA) -- SIR NEVILLE HENDERSON, BRITISH AMBASSADOR TO GERMANY, HAS MADE REPRESENTATIONS TO THE GERMAN FOREIGN OFFICE REGARDING ARRESTS OF JEWS, THE DAILY HERALD REPORTED TODAY. SIR NEVILLE WAS BELIEVED TO HAVE STATED THAT BRITAIN INTENDED TO PROTECT THE ASSETS AND INTERESTS OF BRITISH JEWS, THE REPORT SAID.

THE BERLIN CORRESPONDENT OF THE DAILY TELEGRAPH DECLARED IN CONNECTION WITH THE CURRENT GERMAN ANTI-JEWISH CAMPAIGN THAT THE BERLIN PUBLIC APPEARED BORED, IF NOT DISGUSTED, BY ITS CONTINUATION. THERE IS NOT THE SLIGHTEST SIGN OF GENERAL HOSTILITY TO JEWISH SHOPKEEPERS, THE CORRESPONDENT ASSERTED, AND IT MAY BE THIS LACK OF RACIAL FANATICISM WHICH HAS CAUSED NAZI LEADERS TO ENDEAVOR TO WHIP UP PUBLIC ANGER.

THE PLIGHT OF THE JEWS WAS MADE THE SUBJECT OF SPECIAL NOTE IN THE ANNUAL UNIFIED STATEMENT OF THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND MISSIONARY COUNCIL. AFTER DESCRIBING THE PERSECUTION, THE STATEMENT DECLARED THAT THE JEWS RAISED MORE THAN £2,000,000 (\$10,000,000) FOR THEIR SUFFERING BRETHREN AND WERE ALSO EXTENDING AID TO "NON-ARYAN" CHRISTIANS, WHILE CHRISTIAN CHURCHES HAD RAISED A SMALL AMOUNT FOR "NON-ARYAN" CHRISTIANS. "THERE APPEARS TO BE SOMETHING LACKING IN OUR SENSE OF UNITY OF THE BODY OF CHRIST," THE STATEMENT SAID.

5 ARRESTED IN FASCIST CLASH WITH JEWS IN LONDON

LONDON, JUNE 16. (JTA) -- FIVE PERSONS WERE UNDER ARREST TODAY AFTER FASCISTS ATTEMPTING TO HOLD A MEETING IN THE JEWISH QUARTER OF LONDON'S EAST END HAD CLASHED WITH JEWS. POLICE CLUBBED THE CROWDS TO BREAK UP THE CLASH AND STRONG POLICE REINFORCEMENTS REMAINED ON DUTY IN THE EAST END THROUGHOUT THE NIGHT TO PREVENT FURTHER DISORDERS.

THE JEWISH PEOPLE'S COUNCIL AGAINST ANTI-SEMITISM ISSUED A STATEMENT TODAY DECLARING THAT RECENT ATTEMPTS BY FASCISTS TO HOLD MEETINGS IN JEWISH AREAS WERE AIMED SOLELY AT PROVOKING DISORDERS AND OBTAINING THE PROHIBITION OF ALL MEETINGS. THE COUNCIL EXPRESSED FEARS OF WORSE EXCESSES YET TO COME, AND DEMANDED IN THE NAME OF LAW AND ORDER THE SUPPRESSION OF "FASCIST PROVOCATION."

GERMANS, ITALIANS REPORTED RENEWING PROPAGANDA IN NEAR EAST

LONDON, JUNE 16. (JTA) -- THE JERUSALEM CORRESPONDENT OF THE DAILY HERALD REPORTED TODAY THAT GERMAN AND ITALIAN PROPAGANDA AGAINST GREAT BRITAIN WERE CONTINUING FURIOUSLY THROUGHOUT THE NEAR EAST. HE DECLARED THAT RECENT INSTRUCTIONS TO GERMANS IN THE NEAR EAST SUGGESTED A NETWORK OF SPIES WAS BEING BUILT UP, WITH THE MAIN GERMAN PROPAGANDA CENTERS IN CAIRO AND BAGHDAD.

EGYPT CLOSED TO REFUGEES, PREMIER ASSERTS

CAIRO, JUNE 16. (JTA) -- THE GOVERNMENT PRESS TODAY CONDEMNED "THE ATTEMPT TO CREATE A JEWISH PROBLEM" IN CONNECTION WITH A CAMPAIGN FOR AN ANTI-JEWISH BOYCOTT LAUNCHED IN UNIVERSITIES BY SENATOR ABD-EL-MEGUID. THE SENATOR INTERPELLED THE GOVERNMENT IN PARLIAMENT REGARDING JEWISH USURERS, LAND SPECULATION AND JEWISH REFUGEES, WHO, HE SAID, "ARE COMING TO EGYPT LIKE LOCUSTS, CAUSING UNEMPLOYMENT." THE PRESS HAILED THE ANNOUNCEMENT OF PREMIER MOHAMMED MAHMOUD PASHA THAT EGYPT IS CLOSED TO REFUGEES AND THAT ONLY SIX OF THEM HAVE BEEN ADMITTED IN THE PAST THREE YEARS.

CANADA TO HAVE REPRESENTATIVE AT EVIAN CONFERENCE

OTTAWA, JUNE 16. (JTA) -- CANADA WILL HAVE AN OFFICIAL OBSERVER AT THE EVIAN REFUGEE-AID CONFERENCE CALLED BY PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT, MINISTER OF IMMIGRATION THOMAS A. CRERAR ANNOUNCED YESTERDAY TO A DELEGATION OF THE JEWISH FOLK'S COMMITTEE.

WITH MINISTER OF PUBLIC WORKS PIERRE J.A. CARDIN AND DEFENSE MINISTER IAN MACKENZIE ALSO PRESENT, THE DELEGATION MADE A PLEA FOR AID TO JEWISH REFUGEES. THE DELEGATION SAID IT REPRESENTED TWENTY JEWISH ORGANIZATIONS IN TORONTO, MONTREAL AND WINNIPEG.

MCDONALD APPEALS TO CHRISTIANS ON REFUGEES

NEW YORK, JUNE 16. (JTA) -- PRESENTED WITH THE JEWISH FORUM'S EINSTEIN MEDAL FOR HUMANITARIAN SERVICES, JAMES G. McDONALD, CHAIRMAN OF PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT'S ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON REFUGEES, TOLD A DINNER SPONSORED BY THE COMMITTEE OF ONE HUNDRED AT THE HOTEL ASTOR LAST NIGHT THAT NOT UNTIL CHRISTIANS AS WELL AS JEWS UNDERSTAND THAT THE THINGS THEY HOLD DEAR ARE THREATENED, "WILL THERE BE AN ADEQUATE RESPONSE TO ENABLE REFUGEES FROM CENTRAL EUROPE TO BE CARED FOR." HE DEPLORED THE TENDENCY TO REGARD REFUGEES AS "LIABILITIES," SAYING HISTORY SHOWED WE WERE A "COUNTRY OF REFUGEES." GOVERNOR LEHMAN, JEREMIAH T. MAHONEY, JAMES W. GERARD, GEORGE GORDON BATTLE AND REPRESENTATIVE EMANUEL CELLER WERE AMONG THE OTHER SPEAKERS.

YESHIVA COLLEGE GRADUATES 46; INDIA TO GET FIRST RABBI

NEW YORK, JUNE 16. (JTA) -- YESHIVA COLLEGE TODAY AWARDED 46 DEGREES AT ITS SEVENTH ANNUAL COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES BEFORE AN AUDIENCE OF 1,500. AMONG THE GRADUATES IS ELIAS LEVI, OF RANGOON, WHO, AFTER HIS ORDINATION, WILL BECOME THE ONLY RABBI OF INDIA. TEN SCHOLARSHIPS FOR JEWISH STUDENTS FROM GERMANY WERE ANNOUNCED. DR. BERNARD REVEL, PRESIDENT OF THE COLLEGE, DELIVERED THE COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS. GUEST SPEAKER WAS DR. PAUL KLAPPER, PRESIDENT OF QUEENS COLLEGE, WHO WAS AWARDED THE HONORARY-DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF HUMANE LETTERS. CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES WERE PRESENTED BY PROF. LEON JUNG. RABBI JACOB HOFFMAN, FORMER CHIEF RABBI OF FRANKFORT-AM-MAIN, DELIVERED THE INVOCATION.

HUNGARIAN JEWS HERE PROTEST TO AMBASSADOR ON DISCRIMINATION

WASHINGTON, JUNE 16. (JTA) -- PROTEST AGAINST HUNGARIAN DISCRIMINATION AGAINST THE JEWS WAS LODGED TODAY WITH THE STATE DEPARTMENT AND THE HUNGARIAN AMBASSADOR TODAY BY A DELEGATION REPRESENTING THE ASSOCIATION OF HUNGARIAN JEWS IN AMERICA. THE GROUP ALSO PROTESTED IMMIGRATION RESTRICTION IN PALESTINE TO THE STATE DEPARTMENT AND THE BRITISH AMBASSADOR. THE DELEGATION PRESENTED ENDORSEMENT OF THE DICKSTEIN REFUGEE BILL TO CONGRESS.

DI CASTELLNUOVO, ITALIAN PUBLISHER, DEAD AT 82

ROME, JUNE 16. (JTA) -- BARON ARTURO DI CASTELLNUOVO, FOUNDER AND UNTIL 1931 EDITOR-IN-CHIEF OF THE MOST IMPORTANT POLITICAL PERIODICAL, ECHI E COMMENTI, HAS DIED AT THE AGE OF 82. HE WAS FORMERLY EDITOR OF SEVERAL ITALIAN PERIODICALS IN ARGENTINA AND A MEMBER OF A NOTED JEWISH FAMILY.

\$11,000 PLEDGED AT DINNER FOR J.D.C. CAMPAIGN

NEW YORK, JUNE 16. (JTA) -- MORE THAN \$11,000 WAS PLEDGED AT A TESTIMONIAL DINNER TO BENJAMIN ABRAMS AT THE CAPITOL CLUB, BROOKLYN, LAST NIGHT FOR THE JOINT DISTRIBUTION COMMITTEE. THE DINNER TO MR. ABRAMS, IT WAS STATED BY SAMUEL SENNETT, CHAIRMAN OF THE DINNER COMMITTEE, WAS IN RECOGNITION OF HIS MANY YEARS OF COMMUNAL SERVICE, PARTICULARLY HIS ASSOCIATION WITH THE BROOKLYN CAMPAIGN OF THE J.D.C.

LABOR COMMITTEE ACTS ON UNITY PROPOSAL

NEW YORK, JUNE 16. (JTA) -- THE JEWISH LABOR COMMITTEE MET THIS EVENING TO ACT ON THE PITTSBURGH PROPOSALS FOR COORDINATION IN DEFENSE OF JEWISH RIGHTS. THE DECISION HAD NOT BEEN ANNOUNCED AT THIS WRITING, BUT RATIFICATION WAS EXPECTED. A MEETING OF THE AMERICAN JEWISH COMMITTEE'S EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE IS BEING ARRANGED FOR TOMORROW EVENING. B'NAI B'RITH WILL POLL MEMBERS OF ITS EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE BY TELEGRAPH AND MAIL. THE AMERICAN JEWISH CONGRESS ADMINISTRATIVE COMMITTEE IS EXPECTED TO MEET BEFORE THE END OF THE WEEK, AND IS ALSO EXPECTED TO RATIFY THE AGREEMENT.

MRS. JACOBS CHARGES DELIBERATE ATTEMPT TO PROLONG UNCERTAINTY

NEW YORK, JUNE 16. (JTA) -- RETURNING ON THE CONFÉ DI SAVOIA FROM HER TENTH VISIT TO PALESTINE, MRS. EDWARD JACOBS, ONLY WOMAN MEMBER OF THE EXECUTIVE OF THE JEWISH AGENCY FOR PALESTINE AND FORMER NATIONAL PRESIDENT OF HADASSAH, TODAY BLAMED THE "INSECURITY AND ECONOMIC DEPRESSION" IN PALESTINE ON THE UNCERTAINTY AS TO THE POLITICAL FUTURE OF THE COUNTRY. SHE SAID THE UNCERTAINTY IS AN OUTGROWTH OF THE BRITISH PROPOSAL MADE LAST JULY TO PARTITION PALESTINE AND CHARGED THAT "TO PROLONG THIS STATE OF ARRAYS" SEEMS TO BE DELIBERATE.

THE GENERAL IMPRESSION OUTSIDE OF PALESTINE THAT THE JEWS OF THAT COUNTRY STAND FOR THE PARTITION PROPOSAL "AS A SOLID BLOCK" IS INCORRECT, MRS. JACOBS SAID. "THE FACT IS THAT CONSIDERABLE ELEMENTS, AND IMPORTANT ONES, IN THE JEWISH COMMUNITY OF PALESTINE ARE OPPOSED TO ANY PARTITION SCHEME FOR PALESTINE. THESE ELEMENTS ARE TO BE FOUND AMONG THE LABOR LEADERS, MIZRACHI, GENERAL ZIONISTS, REVISIONISTS AND LARGE NUMBERS UNAFFILIATED WITH PARTIES. THE REASON WHY THE OPPONENTS OF PARTITION HAVE NOT SPREAD THEIR VIEWPOINT IS THAT THEY HAVE NO ORGANIZATION MACHINERY FOR FUNDS AND PROPAGANDISTS FOR THAT PURPOSE. THE LEADERSHIP WHICH IS IN CONTROL OF THE JEWISH AGENCY, HOWEVER, STANDS FOR THE JEWISH STATE EVEN AT THE COST OF DISMEMBERING PALESTINE." THE ANTI-PARTITIONISTS TURN TO AMERICA FOR POLITICAL INFLUENCE AND FOR THE NECESSARY FUNDS TO FIGHT THE PARTITION SCHEME, SHE ADDED.

STRIKE OVER TUITION CLOSES HEBREW UNIVERSITY

JERUSALEM, JUNE 16. (JTA) -- RECTOR HUGO BERGMANN ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT HEBREW UNIVERSITY WAS CLOSED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE AFTER THE STUDENT BODY WENT ON STRIKE, BOYCOTTING CLASSES, LABORATORIES AND FINAL EXAMINATIONS IN SUPPORT OF THEIR DEMANDS FOR REDUCTION OF TUITION FEES AND INCREASED FINANCIAL AID FOR THE NEEDY.

PALESTINE ECONOMIC CORPORATION URGED TO INCREASE CAPITALIZATION TO STIMULATE CONFIDENCE

NEW YORK, JUNE 16. (JTA) -- MRS. ROSE JACOBS, MEMBER OF THE JEWISH AGENCY EXECUTIVE, NEWLY-ARRIVED FROM PALESTINE, URGED STOCKHOLDERS OF THE PALESTINE ECONOMIC CORPORATION AT ITS MEETING IN THE HOTEL ASTOR TONIGHT TO EXPAND ITS CAPITAL STOCK TO "INCREASE CONFIDENCE IN PALESTINE AND HELP TO SALVAGE JEWISH MATERIAL RESOURCES."

OTHER SCHEDULED SPEAKERS WERE JULIUS SIMON, PRESIDENT OF THE CORPORATION; DR. MAURICE B. HEXTER, FORMER MEMBER OF THE JEWISH AGENCY EXECUTIVE, ROBERT SZOLD AND CHARLES J. LIEBMAN.

"THE DEVELOPMENT OF WORLD AFFAIRS AND THE CONDITIONS THAT NOW PREVAIL AMONG JEWS EVERYWHERE MAKE IT INCUMBENT UPON THE CORPORATION TO EXPAND ITS FACILITIES SO THAT IT MAY BECOME A FACTOR FOR CONSERVING LARGE AMOUNTS OF AMERICAN JEWISH CAPITAL FOR THE BENEFIT OF PALESTINE," MRS. JACOBS SAID. "THERE ARE IN THE BANKS OF PALESTINE CONSIDERABLE IDLE FUNDS WAITING TO BE PUT INTO CIRCULATION; ALSO, I AM TOLD, LARGE AMOUNTS OF JEWISH MONEY OF EASTERN AND CENTRAL EUROPE READY TO FLOW INTO PALESTINE -- ALL WAITING FOR A RESPONSIBLE ORGANIZATION LIKE THE PALESTINE ECONOMIC CORPORATION TO TAKE THE INITIATIVE -- INTO PROPERLY ORDERED INVESTMENT."

DECLARING THE GREAT NEED OF THE MOMENT WAS TO INSPIRE CONFIDENCE OF POTENTIAL INVESTORS, SHE SAID THAT THEREIN LAY THE OPPORTUNITY OF THE CORPORATION AGAIN TO SHOW THE WAY TO THE HESITANT JEWISH PUBLIC OF AMERICA. "IMMEDIATE AND SUBSTANTIAL INCREASE OF THE CAPITAL STOCK OF THE PALESTINE ECONOMIC CORPORATION WOULD, I BELIEVE, INCREASE CONFIDENCE IN PALESTINE AND HELP TO SALVAGE JEWISH MATERIAL RESOURCES."

MR. SIMON DECLARED THAT "IF NORMAL CONDITIONS ARE REESTABLISHED IN PALESTINE IN THE REASONABLY NEAR FUTURE, MUCH OF THE DAMAGE DONE TO THE ECONOMY OF THE COUNTRY IN THE LAST TWO YEARS IS REPARABLE." HE DECLARED THAT THE JEWISH POPULATION HAD AN ADEQUATE INTERNAL RESERVE OF CAPITAL, MANPOWER AND MARKETS TO RESUME ITS FORWARD COURSE AS SOON AS CONDITIONS WERE STABILIZED.

MR. SZOLD REPORTED THAT PALESTINE POTASH LTD., HAD IN 1937 INCREASED ITS SALES 55 PER CENT OVER THE PREVIOUS YEAR. BERNARD FLEXNER, CHAIRMAN OF THE CORPORATION'S BOARD OF DIRECTORS, WHO PRESIDED, PAID TRIBUTE TO THE LATE FELIX M. WAREBURG, ONE OF THE FOUNDERS OF THE CORPORATION AND ITS HONORARY PRESIDENT.