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PRAHA CHECKS LISTING OF JEWS' SUDETEN FORTUNES BY REICH; CURB ON LAWYERS LOOMS

PRAHA, Oct. 27. (JTA) -- COUNTERMANDING A PREVIOUS ORDER OF THE JUSTICE MINISTRY, THE FINANCE MINISTRY TODAY WARNED SUDETEN JEWISH REFUGEES NOT TO COMPLY WITH AN ORDER FOR REGISTRATION OF ALL JEWISH FORTUNES EXCEEDING 5,000 MARKS, ISSUED IN SUDETENLAND AFTER THE GERMAN OCCUPATION, UNTIL SUCH ORDER IS DULY ISSUED FROM BERLIN.

THE FINANCE MINISTRY WAS UNDERSTOOD TO BE UNMILLING TO GIVE UP ITS PLANS REGARDING THE FORTUNES SALVAGED BY JEWS WHO FLED FROM SUDETENLAND, WHICH ARE NOW ESTIMATED TO TOTAL UP TO TEN BILLION KRONEN. A MINISTRY SPOKESMAN EXPLAINED THAT THE WHOLE QUESTION OF REFUGEES' FORTUNES MUST WAIT PENDING A DECISION ON WHETHER THE PLAN TO PERMIT REFUGEES TO OPT FOR CZECHOSLOVAKIA CITIZENSHIP IS CARRIED OUT.

MEANWHILE, THE PRAHA POLICE CONTINUED THEIR ACTIVITIES AGAINST REFUGEES. FORTY JEWS
WERE REPORTED TO BE HELD IN A POLICE CELL. SMALLER TOWNS WERE ORDERING REFUGEES TO LEAVE
WITHIN 24 HOURS. MOST REFUGEES WERE GOING TO COLLECTIVES ESTABLISHED BY VARIOUS WELFARE
ORGANIZATIONS.

THE GENERAL COMMITTEE OF THE PRAHA CHAMBER OF LAWYERS HAS CIRCULARIZED MEMBERS CALLING A GENERAL MEETING IN A FORTNIGHT TO DISCUSS A NUMERUS CLAUSUS FOR RACIAL GROUPS AND TO ESTABLISH REGULATIONS FOR ADMISSION OF NEW ATTORNEYS.

THE CIRCULAR LETTER ALSO ANNOUNCED THE RESIGNATION FROM THE CHAMBER OF THE SO-CALLED GERMAN COMMITTEE, II OF WHOSE 18 MEMBERS WERE JEWS. BEHIND THIS DEVELOPMENT IS AN INTERESTING SEQUENCE OF EVENTS COMMENCING LAST SATURDAY WHEN A GROUP OF "ARYAM" LAWYERS, MEETING IN A CAFE, ADOPTED A RESOLUTION TO DEMAND RESTRICTION OF JEWISH LAWYERS TO ONE PER CENT OF THE TOTAL, AFTER WHICH THEY TOOK A LEADING PART IN ANTI-JEWISH DEMONSTRATIONS ON THE STREETS.

AT PRESENT 65 PER CENT OF THE CITY'S 1,236 LAWYERS ARE JEWS. IT IS RELIABLY REPORTED THAT JEWISH LAWYERS HAVE AGREED TO A GENERAL MEETING IN THE HOPE THAT THIS WOULD PLACATE EXTREMISTS, AT LEAST TEMPORARILY. DESPITE THEIR MAJORITY, IT IS PROBABLE THAT JEWS WILL BE FORCED IN SELF DEFENSE TO ACCEPT SOME PROPORTIONALITY CLAUSE, UNLESS THE GOVERNMENT STEPS IN MEANWHILE WITH A NUMERUS CLAUSUS SCHEME OF ITS OWN.

ARABS ATTACK FARM SCHOOL, KILL STUDENT; KADOORIE SCHOOL CLOSED FOR YEAR; TIBERIAS MAYOR SHOT

JERUSALEM, OCT. 27. (JTA) -- A JEWISH AGRICULTURAL STUDENT AND A YOUNG COLONY OFFICIAL WERE SLAIN BY ARAB REBELS TODAY IN AN ATTACK ON A SCHOOL AND AN AMBUSCADE. THREE SOLDIERS AND A JEWISH SUPERNUMERARY WERE WOUNDED IN ANOTHER ATTACK, AND THE JEWISH MAYOR OF TIBERIAS WAS SHOT AND SERIOUSLY WOUNDED.

FOR THE FIRST TIME IN THE DISORDERS, AN ARAB BAND ATTACKED THE BOYS' AGRICULTURAL SCHOOL AT MIKVE ISRAEL, SOUTHEAST OF JAFFA, KILLING DOV SHIBER, 18, AND SEVERELY WOUNDING JACOB KOLTOVSKY, 17, BOTH STUDENT GUARDS. THE SCHOOL WAS ESTABLISHED BY THE ALLIANCE ISRAEL-ITE UNIVERSELLE IN 1870. IT HAS AN ENROLLMENT OF 250 STUDENTS, MOST OF WHOM ARE SONS OF FARMERS, AND IS ACCOUNTED THE FOREMOST AGRICULTURAL SCHOOL IN PALESTINE. THE KADOORIE AGRICULTURAL SCHOOL AT MT. TABOR WAS CLOSED BY THE AUTHORITIES FOR A YEAR FOR SECURITY REASONS

AN ARAB BAND EARLY THIS MORNING AMBUSHED A GROUP OF JEWISH WORKERS IN THE ORANGE GROVES NEAR NESS ZIONA, KILLING ISRAEL TAM, 25, SECRETARY OF THE TIRAT SHOLOM COLONY, WHO LEFT A WIFE AND CHILD. A THIRD JEW, BEN ZION GRADIS, 21, WAS KILLED IN AN ACCIDENTAL EXPLOSION OF A ROCKET PISTOL ON A TRUCK CARRYING JEWISH SUPERNUMERARY POLICEMEN NEAR KFAR SABA. BRITISH TROOPS YESTERDAY BEGAN DEMOLITION OF AN ARAB VILLAGE NEAR ACRE AS A PUNITIVE MEASURE FOR FREQUENT SNIPING ATTACKS.

ZAKAI EL KHADIB, JEWISH MAYOR OF TIBERIAS, WAS SHOT AND SERIOUSLY WOUNDED ON PEACE STREET, THE CITY'S MAIN THOROUGHFARE. THE AUTHORITIES IMMEDIATELY IMPOSED CURFEW. THREE SOLDIERS AND A JEWISH SUPERNUMERARY WERE SERIOUSLY WOUNDED WHEN A MILITARY TRUCK HIT A LAND-MINE NEAR KFAR SYRKIN, IN THE VICINITY OF PETACH TIKVAH. THE SUPERNUMERARY IS ZEV NADLER, 32, AN IMMIGRANT FROM POLAND.

TROOPS INFLICTED FOUR CASUALTIES ON BANDITS SEEKING TO ESCAPE WHEN A SEARCH OF THE TIRAH VILLAGE WAS CARRIED OUT. THE GOVERNMENT SCHOOL AT ASDUD WAS RAIDED AND MONEY AND EQUIPMENT WERE STOLEN. TERRORISTS IN HAIFA SET FIRE TO GIVE JEWISH HUTS AND A LEATHER SHOP AND ALSO SNIPED AT THE CENTRAL POLICE STATION.

A COMMUNIQUE ISSUED BY THE "REBEL ARAB GOVERNMENT" WARNED THAT ANY ARAB WHO TRIED TO OBTAIN A TRAVEL PERMIT FROM THE BRITISH AUTHORITIES WOULD BE PUNISHED BY DEATH.

MOSHE SHERTOK, HEAD OF THE POLITICAL DEPARTMENT OF THE JEWISH AGENCY, AND ISAAC BEN-ZVI, PRESIDENT OF THE JEWISH NATIONAL COUNCIL FOR PALESTINE, LEFT TODAY BY PLANE FOR LONDON FOR CONSULTATION ON THE PALESTINE CRISIS.

PALESTINE ENTRY REDUCTION DENIED; LIMIT SET FOR FIRST TIME ON ADMISSION OF DEPENDENTS

JEWISH AGENCY OFFICIALS POINTED OUT THAT THE NEW SCHEDULE, LIKE THE OLD ONE, PROVIDES 2,000 CERTIFICATES FOR JEWISH CAPITALISTS AND I,000 FOR JEWISH LABORERS, EACH CERTIFICATE BEING GOOD FOR A FAMILY. REGARDING ADMISSION OF STUDENTS, AND OF CHILDREN UNDER THE YOUTH ALIYAH MOVEMENT, THERE CONTINUES TO BE NO NUMERICAL RESTRICTION, THEIR ADMISSION DEPENDING ON THE NUMBER OF PLACES AVAILABLE FOR THEM.

THE 4,870-CERTIFICATE SCHEDULE APPEARS, ON ITS FACE, TO REPRESENT AN INCREASE FROM THE PREVIOUS 3,440-CERTIFICATE SCHEDULE. THIS APPARENT INCREASE IS DUE TO THE INTRODUCTION IN THIS SCHEDULE OF A 1,450 QUOTA FOR DEPENDENTS OF PALESTINE RESIDENTS, WHEREAS NO LIMIT ON DEPENDENTS WAS SET IN THE LAST SCHEDULE. WHILE THE PREVIOUS SCHEDULE SET NO FIGURE FOR DEPENDENTS, THE GOVERNMENT ADMITTED 800 OF THEM; ALTHOUGH THE NEW SCHEDULE PROVIDES 1,450 FOR DEPENDENTS, THE JEWISH AGENCY ACTUALLY RECEIVES ONLY 800. THUS THERE IS NO MATERIAL CHANGE IN THE NUMBER OF DEPENDENTS ADMITTED NOR IN THE NET EFFECT OF THE SCHEDULE ON JEWISH IMMIGRATION.

4.440 CERTIFICATES EARMARKED FOR JEWS

JERUSALEM, OCT. 27. (JTA) -- JEWS WILL GET 4,440 OF THE 4,870 IMMIGRATION CERTIFICATES ISSUED BY THE GOVERNMENT FOR THE ENSUING SIX-MONTH PÉRIOD, IT WAS ANNOUNCED TODAY. THE RE-MAINING 430 CERTIFICATES HAVE BEEN EARMARKED FOR NON-JEWS, TO BE APPORTIONED AS FOLLOWS: 200 FOR THE CLERGY, 150 FOR LABORERS, 50 FOR DEPENDENTS AND 20 FOR CAPITALISTS POSSESSING AT LEAST \$5,000. OF THE JEWISH TOTAL, 600 CERTIFICATES WILL BE DEDUCTED TO COVER THOSE ISSUED IN ADVANCE OF THE SCHEDULE.

ROOSEVELT SEES PEACE IMPOSSIBLE WHILE MILLIONS ARE DISPERSED, PERSECUTED ABROAD

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27. (JTA) -- MENTIONING NO COUNTRY NOR PEOPLE BY NAME, PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT LAST NIGHT LASHED OUT AT THE GERMAN GOVERNMENT'S POLICY OF EXPELLING JEWS AS MAKING PEACE IMPOSSIBLE. HE SPOKE BY RADIO TO THE NEW YORK HERALD TRIBUNE'S EIGHTH ANNUAL FORUM ON CURRENT PROBLEMS AT THE WALDORF-ASTORIA HOTEL.

"THERE CAN BE NO PEACE," THE PRESIDENT SAID IN LISTING THE FORCES MAKING FOR WAR,
"IF NATIONAL POLICY ADOPTS AS A DELIBERATE INSTRUMENT THE DISPERSION ALL OVER THE WORLD OF
MILLIONS OF HELPLESS AND PERSECUTED WANDERERS WITH NO PLACE TO LAY THEIR HEADS."

MR. ROOSEVELT SAID IT WAS BECOMING INCREASINGLY CLEAR THAT "PEACE BY FEAR HAS NO HIGHER OR MORE ENDURING QUALITY THAN PEACE BY THE SWORD," AND ASSERTED THAT THERE COULD BE NO PEACE "IF THE REIGN OF LAW IS TO BE REPLACED BY A RECURRENT SANCTIFICATION OF SHEER FORCE. HE ADDED THAT PEACE WAS IMPOSSIBLE "IF HUMBLE MEN ARE NOT FREE TO THINK THEIR OWN THOUGHTS, TO EXPRESS THEIR OWN FEELINGS, TO WORSHIP GOD."

THE PRESIDENT ALSO EVIDENCED HIS CONCERN OVER THE PROBLEM OF THOSE EXPELLED FROM
GERMANY BY WRITING TO THE WORLD YOUTH CONGRESS IN NEW YORK URGING YOUTH IN NEUTRAL COUNTRIES
TO COOPERATE "IN THE HUMANITARIAN WORK OF THE INTERGOVERNMENTAL COMMITTEE ON REFUGEES,"
SAYING THAT SUCH COOPERATION WOULD SE" "OF IMMENSE USEFULNESS."

FASCIST, NAZI PRESS ANGERED BY PRESIDENT'S SPEECH

LONDON, Oct. 27. (JTA) -- THE GERMAN AND ITALIAN PRESS TODAY SHARPLY CRITICIZED PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT FOR REFERENCE TO "DISPERSION ALL OVER THE WORLD OF MILLIONS OF HELPLESS AND PERSECUTED WANDERERS" IN HIS ADDRESS TO THE HERALD TRIBUNE FORUM LAST NIGHT, ACCORDING TO REPORTS FROM BERLIN AND ROME.

THE HAMBURGER FREMDENBLATT ADVISED HIM "TO REMEMBER THE INDIANS WHEN SOBBING ABOUT THE JEWS." IT ADDED THAT "NEITHER GERMANY NOR EUROPE HAVE ANY DESIRE TO BE CONFRONTED WITH ETHICAL MAXIMS WHICH HAVE NOT BEEN PART AND PARCEL OF AMERICAN PRACTICE." THE GERMAN NEWS AGENCY'S TERSE REPORT MERELY SAID: "ROOSEVELT FURTHERMORE DEVOTED HIMSELF SYMPATHETICALLY TO 'THE HELPLESS AND PERSECUTED' JEWS, ETC., ETC."

IN ROME, LA TRIBUNA SAID THE SPEECH SHOWED THAT THE JEWS CONSTITUTED THE "REAL REASON RATHER THAN THE PRETEXT WHICH IMPELS DEMOCRATIC GOVERNMENTS TO ARM THEMSELVES TO THE POINT OF CONGESTION." IT SAID THAT THE SPEECH "FITS QUITE WELL INTO THE PICTURE OF DEMOCRATIC, JEWISH AND MASONIC ACTIVITY."

ACTUAL CONSTRUCTION BEGUN ON PALESTINE PAVILION AT WORLD'S FAIR

NEW YORK, Oct. 27. (JTA) -- CONSTRUCTION WORK ON THE PALESTINE PAVILION AT THE NEW YORK WORLD'S FAIR HAS BEGUN, DR. ISRAEL GOLDSTEIN, CHAIRMAN OF THE PAVILION'S BOARD OF DIRECTORS, REPORTED LAST NIGHT TO THE FIRST CONFERENCE OF THE PAVILION NATIONAL COMMITTEE, HELD AT THE HOTEL ASTOR. ABOUT 50 MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE ATTENDED THE MEETING. CHIEF SPEAKER AT THE CONFERENCE, WHICH WAS CALLED TO HEAR REPORTS ON PROGRESS OF THE PAVILION WORK HERE AND IN PALESTINE, WAS MEYER W. WEISGAL, DIRECTOR OF THE EXHIBIT, WHO RETURNED RECENTLY FROM PALESTINE.

JEWISH ARTISANS' ASSOCIATION BANNED IN POLAND

WARSAW, Oct. 27. (JTA) -- THE AUTHORITIES TODAY DISSOLVED THE 25-YEAR-OLD JEWISH ARTISANS' ASSOCIATION ON THE GROUND THAT IT INFRINGES UPON A GOVERNMENT STATUTE. THE ASSOCIATION NUMBERS TENS OF THOUSANDS OF MEMBERS.

THE MINISTRY OF TRADE HAS REJECTED A REQUEST BY THE POLISH MERCHANTS' COUNCIL TO PROHIBIT CHRISTMAS SALES BY JEWISH MERCHANTS.

DEMOCRATIC POLISH STUDENTS EXPRESSED SYMPATHY FOR AND SOLIDARITY WITH JEWISH STUDENTS WHO REFUSE TO OCCUPY THE GOVERNMENT-SANCTIONED "GHETTO BENCHES" IN WARSAW UNIVERSITY. WHILE MANY JEWISH STUDENTS ARE BEING BEATEN UP BY ENDEKS (NATIONAL DEMOCRATS), OTHERS HAVE BEEN THREATENED WITH DISCIPLINARY MEASURES BY UNIVERSITY OFFICIALS FOR NOT COMPLYING WITH THE "GHETTO" OFFICE.

ENDEK STUDENTS AT LWOW AND OTHER UNIVERSITY CENTERS HAVE LAUNCHED AN ANTI-JEWISH CAMPAIGN IN CONNECTION WITH A PLAN OF THE LODZ MUNICIPALITY TO ESTABLISH A MEDICAL COLLEGE. THE ENDEKS-ASSERT THE PROJECT PROVIDES FOR CREATION OF CHAIRS FOR JEWISH SCHOLARS FROM GERMANY AND AUSTRIA AS WELL AS LEARNING FACILITIES FOR JEWISH STUDENTS NOT ADMITTED TO OTHER MEDICAL SCHOOLS IN POLAND.

GERMANS ORGANIZE ANTI-JEWISH DISORDERS IN MEMEL

KAUNAS, OCT. 27. (JTA) -- A NUMBER OF PERSONS WERE UNDER ARREST TODAY IN CONNECTION WITH YESTERDAY'S GERMAN ANTI-JEWISH DEMONSTRATION IN MEMEL, DURING WHICH MANY JEWS WERE INJURED. THE DEMONSTRATION WAS STAGED DURING A NIGHT SESSION OF THE AUTONOMOUS MEMEL DIET.

A NEW NAZI ASSOCIATION HAS BEEN FORMED IN MEMEL UNDER THE NAME OF "KULTURVERBAND."
THE ORGANIZATION PLANS TO CENTRALIZE ALL GERMAN "CULTURAL AND SOCIAL ACTIVITY" AS A PRELUDE TO POLITICAL ACTIVITY. THE HEAD OF THE NEW BODY WILL BE DR. ERNST NEUMANN, FORMER
NAZI LEADER IN MEMEL, WHO WAS SENTENCED IN 1935 TO 15 YEARS' IMPRISONMENT FOR ATTEMPTING
AN ARMED INSURRECTION. HE WAS ANNESTIED LAST SPRING.

STRONG BOYCOTT LAUNCHED AGAINST JEWS IN DANZIG

DANZIG, OCT. 27. (JTA) -- AN ANTI-JEWISH BOYCOTT HAS BEEN LAUNCHED THROUGHOUT THE FREE CITY, WITH STRONG PICKET LINES BEING THROWN AROUND ALL JEWISH SHOPS. OPENING OF THE DRIVE FOLLOWED AN ANNOUNCEMENT BY NAZI LEADER ALBERT FORSTER THAT NOT A SINGLE JEW WOULD BE LEFT IN DANZIG COMMERCE BY THE NEW YEAR.

ASSERTS ARABS WILL HALT REBELLION IF BRITAIN MEETS DEMANDS

BEIRUT, OCT. 27. (JTA) -- THE REBELLION IN PALESTINE WILL HALT IF BRITAIN PROMISES TO SATISFY ARAB DEMANDS, THE BEIRUT BOURSE WAS INFORMED TODAY BY FARES BEY KHOURY, SPEAKER OF THE SYRIAN HOUSE OF DEPUTIES, WHO WAS VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE RECENT PAN-ARAB CONGRESS AT CAIRO. "THE DIFFICULTY IS THAT THE ARASS DO NOT MISH TO DISARM UNTIL THEY ARE SATISFIED," KHOURY DECLARED. "ENGLISH PRESTIGE DOES NOT ADMIT OF A SOLUTION UNDER ARAB PRESSURE, BUT IF BRITAIN PROMISES SOLEMALY, THEN THE ARAB REBELLION WILL STOP."

STUDENTS DEMONSTRATE IN CAIRO

CAIRO, OCT. 27. (JTA) -- SEVEN STUDENTS WERE ARRESTED TODAY WHILE PARTICIPATING IN AN ANTI-JEWISH DEMONSTRATION. DURING THE SCUFFLE POLICE FIRED INTO THE AIR. EGYPTIAN STUDENTS MEANWHILE ANNOUNCED PLANS TO HOLD A CONGRESS OF UNIVERSITY AND HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS ON THE PALESTINE PROBLEM.

ARABS PROTEST ACTION OF U.S. CHRISTIANS

JERUSALEM, OCT. 27. (JTA) -- FOUR ARAB CHRISTIAN CLERGYMEN OF VARIOUS DENOMINATIONS, INCLUDING THE REV. YOUSSEF ISTAPHAN OF THE AMERICAN CHURCH IN JERUSALEM, AFFILIATED WITH THE CHRISTIAN MISSIONARY ALLIANCE, TODAY CABLED PRIME MINISTER NEVILLE CHAMBERLAIN A PROTEST REGARDING PRESSURE BY CHRISTIANS IN THE UNITED STATES AGAINST WHAT THEY TERMED ARAB RIGHTS IN PALESTINE. A SIMILAR PROTEST WAS MADE BY AN ARAB DELEGATION TO GEORGE H. WADSWORTH. UNITED STATES CONSUL GENERAL.

PALESTINE REVISIONIST COMMITTEE QUITS OVER FAILURE OF FUND NEGOTIATIONS

TEL AVIV, OCT. 27. (JTA) -- THE PALESTINE REVISIONIST CENTRAL COMMITTEE RESIGNED TODAY, EXPLAINING IN A CABLE TO WORLD REVISIONIST LEADER VLADIMIR JABOTINSKY THAT IT HAD FAILED TO REACH AN AGREEMENT WITH REGARD TO THE KOFER HAYISHUB, ZIONIST DEFENSE FUND. THE COMMITTEE SAID NEGOTIATIONS HAD FALLEN THROUGH BECAUSE OF THE STAND TAKEN BY THE ZIONIST LEFT AND CENTER PARTIES.

ALMA GLUCK, RETIRED SINGER, DEAD AT 54

NEW YORK, OCT. 27. (JTA) -- ALMA GLUCK, RETIRED SINGER OF THE METROPOLITAN OPERA-COMPANY AND ONE OF THE FIRST AMERICAN-TRAINED ARTISTS TO GAIN RECOGNITION ON THE OPERA AND CONCERT STAGE, DIED TODAY AT THE AGE OF 54. SHE WAS THE WIFE OF EFREM ZIMBALIST, THE VIOLINIST. BORN REBA FIERSON IN BUCHAREST, SHE WAS BROUGHT TO NEW YORK AT THE AGE OF FOUR.

ZIONIST LEADERS ARRIVE IN WARSAW FOR CONFERENCE

WARSAW, Oct. 27. (JTA) -- DAVID REMEZ, SECRETARY OF THE PALESTINE JEWISH LABOR FEDERATION, AND DANIEL AUSTER, VICE-MAYOR OF JERUSALEM, ARRIVED HERE TODAY TO ADDRESS A NATION-WIDE CONGRESS ON PALESTINE OPENING OCT. 30. THE NON-ZIONIST AGUDATH ISRAEL HAS ANNOUNCED THAT IT WILL PARTICIPATE IN THE CONGRESS. Dr. CHAIM WEIZMANN, PRESIDENT OF THE JEWISH AGENCY, WILL SPEAK BY TELEPHONE FROM LONDON.

ITALIAN FASCISTS PLAN TO INTENSIFY ANTI-JEWISH DRIVE

ROME, OCT. 27. (JTA) -- THE FASCIST PARTY WILL INTENSIFY ITS ANTI-JEWISH CAMPAIGN SO THAT "RACIAL CONSCIOUSNESS BECOMES THE SPIRITUAL HERITAGE OF ALL ITALIANS," ACHILLE STARAGE, SECRETARY-GENERAL OF THE PARTY, DECLARED AT A MEETING OF ITS NATIONAL COUNCIL.