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### REFUGEE BODIES STUDY COLONIZATION PROSPECTS; SEEK ADMISSION OF 3,000 CHILDREN TO ENGLAND

LONDON, Nov. 22. (JTA) -- PROSPECTS FOR EVENTUAL LARGE-SCALE SETTLEMENT OF JEWS IN BRITISH GUIANA AND THE BRITISH-MANDATED FORMER GERMAN COLONY OF TANGANYIKA, HELD OUT BY PRIME MINISTER NEVILLE CHAMBERLAIN IN HIS STATEMENT IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS YESTERDAY, WERE UNDER INTENSIVE STUDY TODAY BY ALL REFUGEE-AID ORGANIZATIONS. CLARIFICATION OF MANY POINTS WHICH WERE BRIEFLY MENTIONED OR PASSED OVER BY MR. CHAMBERLAIN, SUCH AS FINANCE, IS CONSIDERED NECESSARY IN ORDER FOR THE ORGANIZATIONS TO BE ABLE TO ESTABLISH JUST WHAT THE BASIS WILL BE FOR THE COLONIZATION ACTIVITY.

THIS IS EXPECTED TO BE FORTHCOMING AT THE MEETING OF DIRECTORS OF THE INTERGOVERNMENTAL REFUGEE COMMITTEE IN LONDON THIS WEEKEND WHEN THE BRITISH REPRESENTATIVES ARE EXPECTED TO REDUCE THE PROPOSALS TO A MORE CONCRETE FORM AND OUTLINE THE BRITISH VIEWS ON THE EXTENT TO WHICH THE COMMITTEE'S REFUGEE BUREAU WILL PARTICIPATE IN INVESTIGATION, ORGANIZATION AND FINANCING OF SETTLEMENTS. THE PRESENT BELIEF IS THAT THE WORK WILL BE DIRECTED BY THE BUREAU IN COOPERATION WITH PRIVATE ORGANIZATIONS.

MEANWHILE, THE QUESTION OF IMMEDIATE REFUGE FOR GERMAN JEWS WAS GIVEN URGENT CONSIDERATION BY REFUGEE ORGANIZATIONS. IN LINE WITH HOME SECRETARY SIR SAMUEL HOARE'S STATEMENT LAST NIGHT, THE BRITISH COUNCIL FOR GERMAN JEWRY WAS RUSHING DEFINITE PROPOSALS ON ADMISSION OF CHILDREN TO BRITAIN FOR SUBMISSION TO THE HOME OFFICE. LORD SAMUEL, CHAIRMAN OF THE COUNCIL, PRESIDED TODAY AT A MEETING OF JEWISH LEADERS CALLED TO CONSIDER THE TRANSFER OF CHILDREN. LORD SAMUEL IS UNDERSTOOD TO BE ANXIOUS TO SECURE ADMISSION OF 3,000 CHILDREN. MANY PRIVATE FAMILIES ARE OFFERING HOMES FOR THE REFUGEE CHILDREN.

WHILE BRITISH NEWSPAPERS WERE DIVIDED IN THEIR REACTION TO MR. CHAMBERLAIN'S STATEMENT ON THE JEWISH REFUGEE QUESTION IN COMMONS YESTERDAY, ALL AGREED IN STRESSING THAT BRITAIN WOULD BE UNABLE TO TACKLE THE PROBLEM WITHOUT INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION. SEVERAL NEWSPAPERS SAW THE POSSIBILITY OF AN IMMEDIATE RECALL OF GERMANY'S AMBASSADOR "TO REPORT" AS A RESULT OF THE INCLUSION OF TANGANYIKA IN THE COLONIZATION PROPOSALS.

CONSERVATIVE ORGANS INSISTED THAT RESETTLEMENT OF THE REFUGEES WAS A BROAD INTERNATIONAL TASK OF WHICH BRITAIN COULD NOT BEAR THE FULL BURDEN. WHILE AGREEING WITH THIS THESIS, OPPOSITION NEWSPAPERS REGRETTED THAT THE GOVERNMENT HAD NOT MADE MORE SWEEPING PLANS.

THE TIMES EXPRESSED THE HOPE THAT THE DEPARTURE OF THE AMERICAN AND GERMAN AMBASSADORS WOULD NOT INVOLVE INDEFINITE SUSPENSION OF DISCUSSIONS WITH THE GERMAN GOVERNMENT TO FACILITATE JEWISH EMIGRATION. IT STRESSED THE IMPORTANCE OF AN AGREEMENT WITH BERLIN ENABLING EMIG-

RANTS TO TAKE WITH THEM PART OF THEIR CAPITAL AND URGED COORDINATION OF ALL JEWISH AND NON-JEWISH ORGANIZATIONS TO ASSIST THE REFUGEES. IT ALSO SAW "PROMPT AND GENEROUS" FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FROM PRIVATE AMERICAN SOURCES FOR "ANY PROPERLY ORGANIZED SCHEME OF REFUGEE SETTLEMENT."

THE NEWS-CHRONICLE CRITICIZED THE CHAMBERLAIN PROPOSALS, DECLARING THE CHANCES OF SUCCESS WITH REGARD TO TANGANYIKA WERE REMOTE SINCE IT WAS IMPROBABLE THAT GERMANY WOULD AGREE TO RELEASE JEWS FOR SETTLEMENT IN HER FORMER COLONY. STRESSING THE NECESSITY FOR LARGE SCALE SETTLEMENT WHICH IT SAID WAS POSSIBLE ONLY BY COOPERATION OF THE DEMOCRACIES, THE NEWS-PAPER DECLARED THAT "BRITAIN WILL NOT HAVE FULFILLED HER DUTY IF SHE MERELY DECLARES SHE IS WILLING TO TAKE A SMALL QUOTA."

THE DAILY HERALD ASSERTED IT REMAINED TO BE SEEN WHETHER GUIANA COULD BE TURNED TO MUCH ADVANTAGE IN VIEW OF THE FACT THAT THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS HAS ALREADY CONDEMNED IT AS UNFIT FOR SETTLEMENT BY EUROPEANS. THE LABORITE ORGAN DECLARED THAT MR. CHAMBERLAIN HAD BEEN AT PAINS TO PUNCTUATE HIS SERIES OF SUGGESTIONS WITH WARNINGS THAT THE POSSIBILITIES OF LARGE-SCALE SETTLEMENT IN THE COLONIAL EMPIRE WERE STRICTLY LIMITED.

THE DAILY TELEGRAPH COMMENTED CAUSTICALLY ON THE GERMAN GOVERNMENT'S DISPOSITION TO "MAKE A PROFIT OUT OF PERSECUTION" RATHER THAN CONTRIBUTE, AS THE EVIAN CONFERENCE HAD HOPED, TO SOLUTION OF THE REFUGEE PROBLEM BY ENABLING THE EMIGRANTS TO TAKE THEIR CAPITAL WITH THEM.

GEORGETOWN, BRITISH GUIANA, Nov. 22. (HAVAS) -- PRIME MINISTER NEVILLE CHAMBERLAIN'S ANNOUNCEMENT THAT BRITISH GUIANA MAY PROVIDE A HAVEN FOR A NUMBER OF GERMAN JEWISH REFUGEES WAS RECEIVED WITH SATISFACTION HERE TODAY. AN INCREASE IN THE POPULATION, IT WAS REMARKED, WILL GREATLY AID IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF THIS COLONY.

NEW YORK, Nov. 22. (JTA) -- MOST JEWISH LEADERS WERE NON-COMMITTAL WHEN ASKED TODAY TO COMMENT ON THE CHAMBERLAIN COLONIZATION PROPOSALS. CHARLES J. LIEBMAN, PRESIDENT OF THE REFUGEE ECONOMIC CORPORATION DECLARED IT WAS "HEARTENING TO REALIZE THAT THE PLIGHT OF REFUGEES COMMANDS THE ATTENTION OF MEN OF GOOD WILL THROUGHOUT THE WORLD." THE JEWISH MORNING JOURNAL EXPRESSED DISAPPOINTMENT WITH THE PROPOSALS, DECLARING THAT IF IT WERE ONLY A QUESTION OF RESTRICTED IMMIGRATION GREAT BRITAIN MIGHT JUST AS WELL HAVE OPENED PALESTINE WIDER.

#### LUXEMBOURG, BELGIUM OFFER TEMPORARY ASYLUM

LUXEMBOURG, Nov. 22. (JTA) -- MINISTER OF JUSTICE R. BLUM ADVISED THE J.T.A. TODAY THAT THE GOVERNMENT IS WILLING TO ADMIT GERMAN JEWS TEMPORARILY AND IS PREPARED TO GRANT PERMANENT RESIDENCE TO THE AGED ON CONDITION THAT THEIR MAINTENANCE IS GUARANTEED.

BRUSSELS, Nov. 22. (JTA) -- MINISTER OF JUSTICE M. PHOLLIEN ANNOUNCED IN PARLIAMENT TODAY THAT BELGIUM, HAVING ALREADY ADMITTED NUMEROUS REFUGEES, WAS UNABLE TO DO MORE THAN REMAIN A COUNTRY OF TEMPORARY ASYLUM. HE ADDED THAT THE GOVERNMENT HAD TEMPORARILY HALTED DEPORTATIONS ON HUMANITARIAN GROUNDS.

JERUSALEM, Nov. 22. (JTA) -- OPENING OF PALESTINE AS A MEANS OF RESCUING GERMAN JEWRY WAS URGED UPON THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT TODAY IN A CABLE SIGNED BY CHIEF RABBIS ISAAC HERZOG AND JACOB MEIR.

#### POLAND NAMES 2 JEWISH SENATORS

WARSAW, Nov. 22. (JTA) -- PRESIDENT IGNACE MOSCICKI TODAY NOMINATED TWO JEWS AMONG THE 32 APPOINTED AS SENATORS -- RABBI ISAAC RUEENSTEIN, FORMER DEPUTY, AND ZDISLAW ZMIGRYDER KONOPKA, LEADER OF THE JEWISH WAR VETERANS' ORGANIZATION. UNDER THE CONSTITUTION THE PRESIDENT NAMES ONE-THIRD OF THE UPPER HOUSE, WHICH COMPRISES 96 MEMBERS, WHILE THE OTHER TWO-THIRDS ARE SELECTED BY SPECIAL ELECTORAL COMMISSIONS. THE NEW SENATE HAS THE SAME PROPORTION OF MINORITY REPRESENTATIVES AS ITS PREDECESSOR -- SIX UKRAINIANS, TWO JEWS AND TWO GERMANS.

9 DEATHS LISTED IN NAZI POGROMS; 180 SYNAGOGUES BURNED

AMSTERDAM, Nov. 22. (JTA) -- RELIABLE PRIVATE ADVICES FROM GERMANY REVEALED TODAY THAT AT LEAST NINE JEWS WERE MURDERED OR COMMITTED SUICIDE AND NO LESS THAN 180 SYNAGOGUES WERE BURNED IN THE POGROMS THAT SWEEPED THE REICH ON NOV. 10.

THE KNOWN DEAD INCLUDE SEVERAL PROMINENT BANKERS, MERCHANTS AND SCIENTISTS. FIVE WERE SHOT TO DEATH OR DIED AFTER BRUTAL TREATMENT, WHILE FOUR OTHERS COMMITTED SUICIDE. THE FATE OF ANOTHER JEW, RABBI JACOB HOROWITZ, OF FRANKFURT-AM-MAIN, IS UNCERTAIN, BUT HE IS BELIEVED EITHER DEAD OR DYING AS A RESULT OF BEATINGS.

THE LIST OF THOSE KNOWN TO HAVE BEEN MURDERED FOLLOWS: DR. PRENTUS, OF LUDWIGSBURG, NEAR STUTTGART; DR. LEO LEVY, OWNER OF A BRICKWORKS AT POLZIN, POMERANIA; WILLI LESSING, OF BAMBERG, POMERANIA; KARL HERZ, MERCHANT OF HILDEN, NEAR DUSSELDORF -- STABBED IN THE PRESENCE OF HIS DUTCH-BORN DAUGHTER; PAUL MARKUS, OWNER OF CAFE KAREMA, DUSSELDORF; HIS WIFE WAS SHOT IN THE STOMACH AND SERIOUSLY WOUNDED.

THE SUICIDES ARE LISTED AS FOLLOWS: DR. PAUL VON SCHWABACH, WELL-KNOWN BERLIN BANKER; DR. PAUL WALLICH, OWNER OF THE WELL-KNOWN BERLIN BANK, DREYFUSS AND Co.; DR. BERNHARD ROSENTHAL, GYNECOLOGIST AT THE FRANKFURT-AM-MAIN, JEWISH HOSPITAL; DR. LOEWE, X-RAY SPECIALIST AT THE SAME HOSPITAL.

IN ADDITION, THERE WERE UNCONFIRMED REPORTS THAT AT LEAST SIX JEWS WERE KILLED IN DUSSELDORF ALONE. A REPORT THAT RABBI ESCHELBACHER OF THAT CITY HAD BEEN LYNCHED WAS FOUND TO BE UNTRUE.

(THE NEWS THAT DR. PAUL VON SCHWABACH COMMITTED SUICIDE CONTRADICTS AN ANNOUNCEMENT PUBLISHED IN NEW YORK LAST FRIDAY THAT HE HAD DIED IN BERLIN OF HEART DISEASE AT THE AGE OF 72. THE ANNOUNCEMENT WAS MADE BY S. BLEICHROEDER, INC., 25 BROAD STREET, NEW YORK OFFICE OF THE BERLIN FIRM OF THAT NAME, OF WHICH DR. VON SCHWABACH WAS A SENIOR PARTNER.)

THREATEN EXTERMINATION FOR JEWS WHO DO NOT EMIGRATE

BERLIN, Nov. 22. (JTA) -- THE NAZIS WILL WIPE OUT THE GERMAN JEWS WITH "FIRE AND SWORD" IF FOREIGN NATIONS DO NOT SUCCEED IN TAKING THEM OUT OF THE REICH, DAS SCHWARZE KORPS, ORGAN OF THE GESTAPO AND HITLER'S ELITE GUARD, WARNED TONIGHT. THE PAPER ASSERTED THAT RICH JEWS WOULD BE FORCED TO SUPPORT THE POORER ONES UNTIL ALL WERE DESTITUTE CRIMINALS, WHEREUPON THE STATE WOULD BE FORCED TO EXTERMINATE THE "JEWISH UNDERWORLD" JUST AS "IT ELIMINATES ALL CRIMINALS."

MEANWHILE, IT WAS REPORTED FROM VIENNA THAT TWO NEW CONCENTRATION CAMPS HAVE BEEN ESTABLISHED AT MARSCHEGG AND MATHAUSEN. WIVES OF ARRESTED JEWS WHO VISITED THEM AT VIENNA'S ELISABETH PROMENADE POLICE STATION REPORTED THAT MANY HAD HEAD BANDAGES AND SHOWED OTHER SIGNS OF INJURY.

DESPITE THE FACT THAT THREE BERLIN SYNAGOGUES REMAIN VIRTUALLY INTACT AFTER THE SYNAGOGUE-BURNING CAMPAIGN OF TWO WEEKS AGO, THE GESTAPO OFFICIALLY FORBODE SERVICES IN THEM THIS WEEKEND. THE PROPAGANDA MINISTRY DENIED THAT THE GERMAN GOVERNMENT INTENDED TO INTERFERE IN JEWISH RELIGIOUS LIFE. THE PALESTINE OFFICE HERE REOPENED THIS AFTERNOON.

BERLIN, Nov. 22. (Havas) -- REICH MINISTER OF PROPAGANDA PAUL JOSEPH GOEBBELS WAS TO PRESIDE TONIGHT AT THE FIRST OF A SERIES OF BIG ANTI-SEMITIC RALLIES SCHEDULED FOR THE BERLIN NAZI PARTY DISTRICT DURING THE WINTER MONTHS. THE THEME OF THE MEETINGS ARE "ONE PEOPLE, ONE WILL, ONE AIM."

TONIGHT'S rally took place at the Kroll Opera House, with a speech by the Propaganda Minister and the presentation of an anti-Semitic film scheduled as feature attractions. Present were Nazi leaders from the Berlin zone who were to be given instructions for conducting future rallies.

THE BEGINNING of the anti-Semitic rallies in Berlin came less than 24 hours after the granting of authority to Nazi officials in Austria to confiscate all property and goods of persons or organizations "hostile to the people and to the State." In giving this authorization, the government said confiscation would be directly supervised by Arthur von Seyss-Inquart, Governor of Austria. The Minister of Interior will determine what constitutes "hostility" to people and state, the ordinance said. All confiscated goods become the property of the Austrian provincial government, it was further stated.

#### NEW U.S. NOTE TO BERLIN

(THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT LATE MONDAY presented a note to the Foreign Office asking formal assurances that the decree ousting Jews from business enterprises did not apply to American citizens, according to the Associated Press and United Press. The note said the Washington government assumed the decree did not apply to American nations and requested a reply as to whether this assumption was correct.)

THE GERMAN LABOR FRONT and the Berlin Chamber of Commerce at present are conducting an investigation to determine which Jewish retail concerns in Berlin will continue functioning under "Aryan" management after Jan. 1, 1939. Newspapers estimated that only one-third of an estimated 33,767 such concerns will be permitted to continue their activities. Tailoring, hairdressing, fur and watchmaking establishments are among those included in the estimate. Those enterprises which have not been "Aryanized" by Jan. 1 will be provisionally closed down and reopened after their "Aryanization" has been completed, it was said.

THE RECALL of Dr. Hans Dieckhoff, German Ambassador to Washington, to report on the United States' attitude toward Germany was mentioned for the first time in a German newspaper today when the Danziger Vorposten published an article from Berlin on the matter. After pointing out that the German press thus far "refrained" from mentioning this recall, the Danzig organ, which often reflects the views of the Wilhelmstrasse, said: "One must not expect Dieckhoff's return to Washington before (Hugh) Wilson, United States Ambassador resumes his post."

PRIME MINISTER NEVILLE CHAMBERLAIN'S statements regarding settlement of Jews in the British Empire were greeted with irony and considerable irritation by the press. Warning that such declarations will not tend to hasten a solution of the Jewish problem, newspapers were indignant over the possible use of the former Reich colony of Tanganyika as a Jewish haven.

HOWEVER, COMPETENT GERMAN QUARTERS said they knew nothing of rumors abroad regarding a possible recall of Herbert von Dirksen, German Ambassador to Great Britain, to report to Berlin on developments across the channel. Observers pointed out that the absence from Berlin of British Ambassador Sir Neville Henderson, who returned home three weeks ago for an operation had not provoked any speculation in German quarters on Britain's attitude in spite of the fact that London's moves on behalf of Jewish refugees have drawn brisk criticism in the press here. The view is prevalent that the Reich, for the time being, does not wish to attach any political significance to Sir Neville's absence.

#### PROTESTS ON PERSECUTION CONTINUE TO MOUNT

NEW YORK, Nov. 22. (JTA) -- GERMAN-AMERICAN LEADERS JOINED TONIGHT in denouncing Reich persecution of Jews in a broadcast over Station WWC. Speakers scheduled were Victor Ridder, publisher of the New Yorker Staats-Zeitung und Herold; and Special Sessions Justice Gustave M.M. Wiedoldt, and also Representative Hamilton Fish.

Mr. Ridder, in an address at the West Side Institutional Synagogue last night, appealed to Americans, particularly Jews and German-Americans, to prevent the spread of racial prejudice and animosity in the United States. Drawing a distinction between the German people and the rulers of the Third Reich, he declared that outside of "a few fanatical Bund members" German-Americans opposed race hatred and were shocked at events in Germany.

The New York Times, commenting editorially on Mr. Ridder's address, said that "we must not permit events in Europe to stir up antagonisms among Americans." The editorial said that American public opinion repudiated Nazism, but not German culture of German-speaking people. "We are combating a set of hateful ideas, not a race," it declared.

LONDON, Nov. 22. (JTA) -- The Council of the Anglo-German Fellowship adopted a resolution today expressing regret over recent "events" in Germany -- the anti-Jewish campaign -- as a setback to an understanding between the nations. The resolution, however, said the council would continue efforts to maintain contact with Germany as "the best means of supporting the Prime Minister in his policy of appeasement." More than 80 prominent Britons, including peers, members of Parliament, leaders of the Church and all walks of life, signed a letter published by The Times today "to record a solemn protest before the conscience of civilization against the persecution of the German Jews."

#### CUBA TO ADMIT PERSECUTED JEWS

HAVANA, Nov. 2. (JTA) -- President Federico Laredo Bru today signed a decree instructing Cuban consulates to extend visas to persecuted European Jews "in accordance with Cuba's immigration laws. The State Department explained that the Republic will accept only Jews who are "physically and financially sound and can contribute to the economic development of Cuba."

#### JEW KILLED IN CONTINUING PALESTINE DISORDERS

JERUSALEM, Nov. 22. (JTA) -- Arab terrorists today shot and killed Leon Hatshishi, 45-year-old Turkish Jew, in a Haifa street. An Arab attack was launched on a Jewish children's colony in Tel Aviv, but the marauders were routed before they could do damage. Near the northern frontier several were wounded when a land mine exploded under an armored police car.

AMMAN, TRANSJORDAN, Nov. 22. (JTA) -- In response to the British Government's request that Transjordan's delegate to the London conference on Palestine be an important official, Emir Abdullah tonight named Premier Tawfik Pasha Abul Huda to represent this country. London had previously refused to accept ex-Premier Ibrahim Pasha Hachem as the Transjordan delegate.

#### FRANKLIN FORGERY EXPOSED IN "CONTEMPORARY JEWISH RECORD"

NEW YORK, Nov. 22. (JTA) -- A complete expose of the "Benjamin Franklin Prophecy" forgery, which quotes Franklin as having warned against immigration of Jews, appears in the second issue of the Contemporary Jewish Record, bi-monthly review of events of Jewish interest, published by the American Jewish Committee. The forgery, which became a last-minute issue at the end of the New York State gubernatorial campaign, is exploded by many scholars and experts, including Charles A. Beard, Henry Butler Allen, J. Henry Smythe, Jr., and Alfred Rigling, whose comments appear in the magazine. The text of the forgery also is published. The comments and text will later be reprinted in pamphlet form. The magazine also contains a special eight-page supplement on the German situation.

THE JTA NEWS WILL NOT APPEAR THURSDAY, NOV. 24, THANKSGIVING DAY.