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REICH RENEWS EXPULSION OF POLISH JEWS; MAY FORCE 17,000 TO LEAVE IN MONTH

WARSAW, June 4. (JTA) -- A drive has been launched to expel approximately 17,000 Jews of Polish nationality from Germany within the next month, the Jewish Refugee Committee here learned today.

(The first group of 4,000 reached Polish territory Saturday morning from the German town of Kassel, according to the Warsaw correspondent of the London Daily Telegraph. They were driven across the frontier after having been given only 24 hours' notice to leave.)

Jewish members of Parliament intervened with the Government over the expulsions and at the same time took up the question of gradual admission into Poland of the 4,000 Jews expelled from Germany last October who are still interned at the Polish border station of Zbomszyn.

The Refugee Committee was in despair over the new expulsions because of the complete exhaustion of its funds, making it impossible to meet immediate needs. Most of those affected were said to be Jews of Polish origin whose passports did not bear the special stamps confirming Polish nationality.

NEGOTIATIONS FOR ADMISSION OF REFUGEES GO ON AS ST. LOUIS WAITS OUTSIDE CUBAN WATERS

HAVANA, June 4. (JTA) -- The Hamburg-American Liner St. Louis, with its cargo of 907 Jewish refugees dreading return to the Reich, lay outside the twelve-mile limit today while negotiations proceeded for possible admission to Cuba or to the Dominican Republic.

A committee of Cuban Cabinet members and other prominent persons planned to lay before President Federico Laredo Bru and Army Chief Fulgencio Batista today a plan whereby the refugees could return to Havana, from where the ship sailed Friday under President Bru's order to leave or be towed out of the harbor by a gunboat.

An offer of the Dominican Government to admit the refugees if a landing fee of \$500 each was given had been made by Nestor Pou, Dominican consul, to Luis Clasing, agent of the German line, and to Lawrence Berenson, representative of the National Coordinating Committee for Refugees in New York. Later, he said the Government would consider a lump sum payment.

(In New York, Prof. Joseph P. Chamberlain stated, on behalf of the Coordinating Committee and the American Jewish Joint Distribution Committee, that constant contact was being maintained with Mr. Berenson and Miss Cecilia Razovsky, "and there is still a possibility

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that a solution may be found before the St. Louis leaves American waters." The Coordinating Committee was advising relatives of passengers here to prepare \$500 bonds in case landing in Cuba was arranged.)

Meanwhile, the Jewish Center here received a radioed appeal from 104 refugees aboard the French liner Flandres, who were barred from Mexico after not being permitted to land in Cuba last weekend, to try to arrange their entry when the ship stops at Havana en route back to Germany. The appeal said: "Save us. Mexico will not let us land. They are sending us back to Germany via Cuba. The lives of women and children are in danger. Do not let us perish."

(A Veracruz dispatch said these refugees had been granted authorization by the United States Government to stay on its territory until arrangements can be made for them to go to some Latin-American country. The authorization was said to have been arranged by a United States Jewish aid committee.)

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Refugee Ship Turns Back to Reich

CHERBOURG, France, June 4. (JTA) -- The German liner Orinoco, turned back from its course to Cuba by radioed instructions from Berlin, was scheduled to arrive tonight in Hamburg with more than 200 German Jews aboard -- the first large group of refugees to be returned to the Reich. Many of the refugees attempted to jump overboard in Cherbourg waters when the ship began turning back.

It was understood that the German authorities would not immediately intern the returned Jews, as has been the Nazi policy, but would demand their re-emigration as soon as possible under the threat of imprisoning them in concentration camps. The passengers radioed a collective appeal home for intervention with any country to admit them, emphasizing that they had "burned all our bridges behind us." Having liquidated all their belongings before sailing, the Jews faced the prospect of landing in Hamburg without any resources or anywhere to go.

The sudden wireless instructions to the captain of the Orinoco, sent a few days after the ship had sailed from Hamburg, were believed to be a result of the action of the Cuban Government in refusing to permit the landing of more than 900 refugees from the German liner St. Louis. Like most of the Jews on the St. Louis, the Orinoco passengers carried Cuban visas.

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Albania Orders Refugees to Leave

PARIS, June 4. (JTA) -- The Italian administration of Albania has ordered all Jewish refugees to leave by June 17, Jewish relief organizations here were advised today. The refugees, numbering about 100, are concentrated mostly in Tirana and Durazzo. They had enjoyed complete freedom under King Zog. They now face deportation to the Reich.

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Brazil Curbs Immigration

RIO DE JANEIRO, June 4. (JTA) -- Immigration applications received since last December will be rejected, it was announced today.

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MONTEVIDEO, Uruguay, June 4. (JTA) -- Word was received here today that six of the 21 refugees aboard the German liner Cap Norte were permitted to land at Buenos Aires on Friday and the rest were forced to return to Europe. The 21 were refused permission to disembark at Montevideo on May 23 when Paraguay, their destination, cancelled their entry permits.

JEWISH, ARAB DELEGATIONS CONVERGE ON GENEVA FOR MANDATES COMMISSION SESSION

GENEVA, June 4. (JTA) -- Many Jewish and Arab delegations are expected to come here for the opening Thursday of the session of the League of Nations Mandates Commission, which will examine Britain's new Palestine policy.

An Arab delegation headed by Jamal el Hussein, cousin of the exiled ex-Mufti of Jerusalem, has already arrived. The Jewish Agency for Palestine has permanent representation here. The New Zionist Organization is expected to send a delegation.

After the first session, meetings of the Mandates Commission will be closed to the public. The Palestine problem will probably be discussed next week following opening of the meetings and examination of this problem is expected to take four to five days.

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Goldmann Sees Commission Rejecting British Policy

PARIS, June 4. (JTA) -- Belief that the Mandates Commission next week will reject Britain's Palestine policy was expressed today by Dr. Nahum Goldmann, Zionist representative at Geneva, addressing the annual conference of the French Zionist Federation. The meeting closed tonight with the delegates from 20 cities adopting resolutions in protest against the British policy.

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Press Move for Unity Committee in Palestine

JERUSALEM, June 4. (JTA) -- A nation-wide Jewish conference was called today to press for formation of a united emergency committee to wage the campaign against Britain's Palestine plan. Those issuing the call for the meeting were David Yellin, Prof. Joseph Klausner, Daniel Auster and Samuel Ussishkin, son of Menachem M. Ussishkin. Joshua Suprassky, in a statement on behalf of Group B of Palestine General Zionists, and General Zionist newspapers stressed the need for such a committee.

Meanwhile, terrorism continued. A field fire destroyed a wide area of Arab and Jewish farm lands in the neighborhood of Rosh Pina and a school near Ayelet Haschachar before it was brought under control by Jewish settlers mobilized in the vicinity. A Jew was injured in Arab sniping in Hadar Hacarmel near Haifa.

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Protests on British Plan Continue

HELSINGFORS, Finland, June 4. (JTA) -- Foreign Minister J.E. Erkko, receiving a Jewish delegation which called to protest against Britain's Palestine policy, has promised sympathetic consideration of the problem by the Cabinet, declaring that Finland has always regarded with sympathy the Jewish aspirations in Palestine. At the same time, a protest memorandum was submitted to the British minister here by the Central Council of Jewish Communities.

LONDON, June 4. (JTA) -- The British Agudath Israel has informed the Colonial Office of its inability to accept Britain's Palestine policy because it would "terminate the millennial association of the Jewish people with the Jewish homeland.

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SAO PAULO, Brazil, June 4. (JTA) -- Jewish leaders today proclaimed a \$5,000 fund-raising campaign for the Zionist cause as an answer to Britain's Palestine policy and sent a delegation to the British Ambassador to present a memorandum protesting against the British plan.

JEWISH STUDENTS PROCLAIM MOURNING IN POLAND OVER LWOW MURDER

WARSAW, June 4. (JTA) -- Jewish students' organizations today proclaimed six days of mourning throughout Poland for Marcus Landesberger, Jewish student who was slain by anti-Semites at Lwow Polytechnic Institute several days ago. Meanwhile, a conference of professors of the Institute applied to the prosecutor of the Lwow Appeals Court, asking him to take measures for security of human life at the institute.

Prof. Kotarbinski, noted philosopher, attacked anti-Semitic terrorism in universities in a lecture at Warsaw University. He expressed the hope that the murderers of David Landesberger would soon be discovered and punished. Unless "the unsavory acts" end, Prof. Kotarbinski said, he will follow the action of Prof. Michalowicz, who announced that he was resigning his professorship after the Summer holiday unless the system of "ghetto benches" was not abolished.

Deputy Emil Sommerstein questioned Premier Skladkowski in the Sejm (chamber of deputies) on the murder. He criticized the report of the official Polish Telegraphic Agency which said that Landesberger was wounded in a fight among students. The deputy pointed out that the institute's Senate had confirmed that it was a murderous attack on a single person. Sommerstein was later received by the Premier to discuss the case.

Meanwhile, the Jewish Parliamentary Club received a petition from Jewish inhabitants of the township of Osiek asking it to intervene with the authorities regarding continual terrorism, picketing of Jewish shops, beating of Jews in the streets, smashing of windows, demolition of cemetery tombstones and desecration of graves.

CONTINUED TERRORISM REPORTED IN BOHEMIA-MORAVIA

LONDON, June 4. (JTA) -- Continued terrorism was reported today in former Czechoslovakia. Nazis set fire to and destroyed the Cafe Opera in Maerisch-Ostrau, one of the two remaining cafes where Jews were allowed entry. In Prague, special police guards were posted before Jewish quarters to prevent anti-Jewish excesses when Fascist demonstrators tried to organize anti-Semitic disorders.

The Municipality of Pardubitz has decided to convert a Jewish cemetery founded in 1642 into a park.

SIR PHILIP SASSOON DEAD IN LONDON AT 50

LONDON, June 4. (JTA) -- Sir Philip Sassoon, since 1937 First Commissioner of Public Works and former Undersecretary for Air, died yesterday at his residence. His death, at the age of 50, followed a two months' illness.

Sir Philip's father was the second Baronet Sassoon and his mother was the daughter of Baron Gustave de Rothschild. Sir Philip, known as one of the richest members of the House of Commons, was an heir to the family fortune founded by his great-grandfather, David Sassoon, merchant and banker, who was born in Baghdad and emigrated to Bombay.

MRS. HOSTER, ENGLISH WOMEN'S LEADER, DEAD

LONDON, June 4. (JTA) -- Mrs. Constance Hoster, a leader in women's work, died yesterday at the age of 74. She was a pioneer in the training of women for secretarial and other positions and was one of the first women to be elected to the London Chamber of Commerce. She was the daughter of Dr. Marcus Kalisch, distinguished Talmudic scholar.

300 SCHOLARSHIPS FOR REFUGEES CREATED AT AMERICAN COLLEGES

NEW YORK, June 4. (JTA) -- During the academic year now ending, 200 colleges have created some 300 scholarships, worth over \$200,000, for refugee students, it was announced today by Catherine Deeny, executive secretary of the Intercollegiate Committee to Aid Student Refugees. This will enable the most outstanding students of Central Europe, whose studies have been interrupted and whose lives have been endangered because of the policies of the Nazi government, to continue their studies in American colleges.

Of the scholarships that have been secured through the cooperation of administrations, faculties and student bodies, 112 have already been filled by the International Student Service. Of these, more than 80 have been used this year and the remainder will be used next year. Of the students placed by International Student Service, about 55 per cent are Jewish and 45 per cent are Gentile. The participating colleges are located in 39 states and the District of Columbia.

The first issue of "Common Cause," a four-page bulletin, to be published five times a year by the American Committee for Christian German Refugees has appeared. It contains information relative to the German refugee problem and events in Nazi Germany with their repercussions on world affairs. The editors are Dr. Ernst Wilhelm Meyer, executive secretary of the Committee's new Department of Education, and Dr. Henry Smith Leiper, foreign secretary of the Federal Council of Churches.

COURT MARTIAL OF MOSELEY FOR INSUBORDINATION SOUGHT

WASHINGTON, June 4. (JTA) -- Representative John M. Coffee (Dem., Wash.) has asked President Roosevelt and Secretary of War Harry H. Woodring for a court martial of Major-General George Van Horn Moseley, retired, on the ground of "insubordination."

Mr. Coffee said General Moseley deserved to be court martialed because of references to President Roosevelt before the Dies committee. He charged the retired officer with being guilty of making "subversive" statements and with conduct "unbecoming an officer." The army had official observers at the hearings at which Moseley testified.

TOLERANCE DEMONSTRATIONS PLANNED ON FOURTH OF JULY

NEW YORK, June 4. (JTA) -- The Council Against Intolerance in America today announced plans for a nation-wide Independence Day Ceremony which will be a "stirring national re-dedication to American ideals of tolerance and freedom as set forth in our Declaration of Independence." The ceremony will be centered about an "American Declaration of Tolerance and Equality" initiated by George Gordon Battle, Senator W. Warren Barbour and William Allen White, co-chairman of the Council. The Declaration is to be read and adopted at thousands of community patriotic celebrations throughout the country on the Fourth of July.

Enscribed on an illuminated scroll, the document has been submitted to the Governors of each of the 48 States for signature and approval. It will be presented to Congress after the Independence Day Ceremonies.