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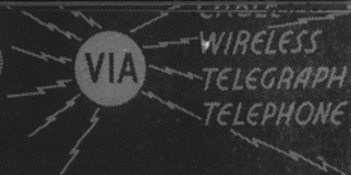
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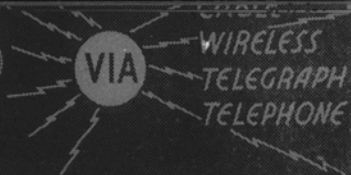
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RUMANIA FORCES JEWISH STORES TO REMAIN OPEN SATURDAYS

BUCHAREST, Aug. 6. (JTA) -- Although the Government has not yet completed its new code of anti-Semitic legislation various restrictions on the life of the Jewish population continue to be published at frequent intervals.

The latest anti-Semitic measure was a decree today by the Ministry of the Interior forbidding Jewish shopkeepers to close their stores on Saturday. From now on orthodox Jews will be unable to observe the Sabbath except by returning to the old practice of employing Christians to operate their stores for them on Saturday.

Another recent restriction is the prohibition of the kosher slaughtering of meat on the grounds that Jewish butchery is "unsanitary."

Meanwhile, the removal of Jews from public offices and professions continues. Today it was officially announced that 175 Jewish doctors have been discharged from State medical services. Commenting on the removal of Jewish doctors, the Bucharester Tageblatt, official organ of the German minority, pointed out that many German doctors have been appointed to positions previously held by Jews.

HUNGARY WIDENS SEIZURE OF JEWISH LANDS

ZURICH, Aug. 6. (JTA) -- The Hungarian Government today decreed expropriation of a large portion of the land still under Jewish ownership, German wireless reports said.

This action was in line with the Hungarian peasant resettlement program aimed at expropriation of 500,000 acres of Jewish-owned land in Hungary. Earlier this year about 125,000 acres of this land were taken over under this plan.

ANTI-JEWISH RIOTS REPORTED RENEWED IN NICE

ZURICH, Aug. 6. (ONA) -- The German wireless reported today that anti-Jewish riots were renewed in Nice, unoccupied France, over the weekend. The report said shops were damaged and crowds shouted: "Down with Jews and Freemasons."

25,000 MOURN AT JABOTINSKY RITES; WORK STOPPAGE IN PALESTINE

NEW YORK, Aug. 6. (JTA) -- With more than 25,000 persons crowding nearby streets, services were held today for Vladimir Jabotinsky, who died Saturday night at the age of 59, in the Gramercy Park Funeral Chapel, attended by some 750 Zionists of all factions, other Jewish leaders, public officials and non-Jewish admirers of the Zionist-Revisionist leader.

After a procession described by police as "one of the largest in the East Side's history" and "the largest with a military background," Jabotinsky was buried in a three-ton concrete-bronze vault in the Max Nordau Circle of the New Montefiore Cemetery, Farmingdale, L.I., pending removal after the war to Palestine--from which he had been in exile for 20 years.

The simple orthodox service in the chapel was conducted by Rabbi Morris N. Rose of Temple Sinai, Brooklyn, and there were no eulogies, following the precedent set by Theodor Herzl's funeral in 1904. While the rites were in progress, large crowds mourned on Second Avenue. Some had been there all night.

After the services a procession wended slowly up Second Avenue to Fourteenth Street and down to East Houston Street, where about 1,000 persons boarded buses and private automobiles to proceed to the cemetery. Yiddish theaters and Jewish institutions along the route were draped with black. As the procession passed the chapel a second time, it halted briefly while the Cantors' Association sang "El Mole Rachamim." The ceremony concluded with the singing of "Hatikvah," in which thousands of bystanders joined the cantors. From the chapel, the procession was led by Max Greenberg, who lost a leg while fighting by Jabotinsky's side with the Jewish Legion in Palestine.

In the procession were delegations from the Brith Trumpeldor, American Friends of Jewish Palestine, Jewish War Veterans of the United States, American Palestine Jewish Legion, Young Israel and other Jewish organizations. Many had tears in their eyes as the mass slowly moved down Second Avenue.

Borough Police Inspector John di Martino, who commanded a large police contingent, averted a possible accident when he diverted to another street an emergency truck speeding to a fire.

At the cemetery, the mourners were joined by scores of youths from the Betar Camp at Hunter, N.Y., where Jabotinsky died.

Among those who attended the chapel service were representatives of the British, Czechoslovak and Polish Governments, Stanley Lowe, representing Mayor LaGuardia; Ben Howe, chairman of the City Fusion Party, and James G. McDonald, chairman of the President's Advisory Committee on Refugees.

Revisionist leaders present included Prof. Benjamin Akzin, Eliahu Ben-Horin and Captain Jeremiah Halpern. Others who attended were Edmund I. Kaufmann, president of the Zionist Organization of America; Dr. Hirsch J. Gordon, commander of the American Palestine Jewish Legion; Sol Masch, State Commander of the Jewish War Veterans; Maurice Schwartz, the actor; John Gunther, the author; Willard G. Stanton, secretary of the American Friends of a Jewish Palestine, and Col. J.H. Patterson, commander of the 1918 Palestine Jewish Legion.

The Yiddish press joined today in paying tribute to Jabotinsky. The Jewish Morning Journal said that "just as he represented the best in the Jewish people, so his death symbolized the tragedy of our time." The Day said: "With Jabotinsky's death there is removed from us a glorious personality in Jewish life, a wonderful and romantic figure, a clean man and a great idealist." The Jewish Daily Forward called him "one of the most colorful personalities in a colorful, stormy Jewish generation."

Mourning in Palestine

JERUSALEM, Aug. 6. (JTA) -- Palestine's 500,000 Jews observed a complete work stoppage today in mourning over Vladimir Jabotinsky, Zionist leader, whose funeral was held in New York this afternoon. Shops and places of entertainment were closed. Synagogues were crowded with mourners. Processions were held in Tel Aviv and Haifa. Memorial meetings were held in Jewish colonies.

Public buildings flew black flags during the funeral. Newspapers featured lengthy dispatches from New York about Jabotinsky. Dr. L. Altman, Zionist-Revisionist leader, gave a long appreciation of Jabotinsky over the Palestine Broadcasting Service station.

A crowded memorial meeting was held at the Jewish Agency hall, with Jewish leaders eulogizing Jabotinsky. Moshe Shertok, head of the Agency's political department, read a copy of the condolence cable sent to Jabotinsky's widow in London. The meeting concluded with the singing of "Hatikvah."

District Commissioners Edward Keith-Roach of Jerusalem and James H.H. Pollock of Haifa sent condolences on Jabotinsky's death. The acting Polish Consul General also sent a message.

CHICAGO RADIO STATION BARS NAZI GROUP FOR 'CONTROVERSIAL' BROADCASTS

CHICAGO, Aug. 6. (JTA) -- The German-American National Alliance of Chicago, whose regular broadcasts over Station WHIP will cease this week by order of the station owners, has used threatening language in its broadcasts in an effort to induce citizens to join the organization, also known as the Einheitsfront (United Front), it was recalled today.

The station owners yesterday notified Paul A.F. Warnholz, director of the Einheitsfront, that the station would not broadcast the "German Hour" sponsored by the organization because its present tenor "is of such controversial nature as to make it unacceptable to many leading Americans."

In the broadcasts last week the organization issued an urgent summons to all members and listeners to attend Sunday's mass meeting at Soldiers Field during which Col. Charles Lindbergh advocated American cooperation with Germany if she wins the war.

The Einheitsfront has boldly admitted its separatist aims and its Reich-oriented platform. Its broadcasts have defended the "oppressed" German-American minority and warned listeners to join the alliance now so that when the "oppressed minority" is in control of the nation they may not be considered enemies.

In his regular radio talk on July 9, Dr. W.H. Silge, optometrist, of 4001 Lincoln Ave., a director of the organization, said:

"I have made it clear time and again how urgent it is for every (U.S.) citizen of German descent to join the Einheitsfront, thus furthering cooperation among America's Germandom...Our protection depends on closest unity among ourselves. Those who join our Einheitsfront in good time may discard all fear. Apprehension of the future impends only for those who stubbornly remain on the side lines. Nothing can stop this great movement of ours any longer. However, it can be accelerated still further if every citizen of German descent will join our Einheitsfront without delay."

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The flier also is attacked in cartoons in the New York press today. Rollin Kirby of the New York Post depicts the Colonel flying through the air astride an airplane whose fuselage is an umbrella carrying the inscription "Appeasement." The cartoon is entitled "En Route to Berchtesgaden." Charles Martin of the PM Staff shows Lindbergh attaching a tag marked "Aryan" to an apparatus labelled "Lindbergh Mechanical Heart."

JOHNSON, AT BROADCASTERS' PARLEY, WARNS AGAINST RACE HATRED

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 6. (JTA) -- A warning against efforts to spread racial and other discord in this country was sounded by Louis Johnson, former Assistant Secretary of War, in an address today before the annual convention of the National Association of Broadcasters.

Johnson said: "Today, alas, non-American doctrines that cowered in the darkness of the past and dared not face the bright sun of the future, have raised their ugly heads. They do not ask, is this man a useful citizen: They are not concerned whether he walks humbly with his God or not...They pit native-born against foreign-born. They breed misunderstanding between capital and labor...they sow seeds of hate among sects and creeds."

STREICHER RUMORED DEAD; NAZIS DENY REPORT

NEW YORK, Aug. 6. (JTA) -- Julius Streicher, Governor of Franconia and Germany's No. 1 Jew-baiter, is enjoying the best of health on his farm near Nuremberg, according to a statement by German authorities quoted in an Associated Press dispatch from Berlin today.

The statement was in reply to a Reuters (British news agency) report in which a well-informed German source claimed Streicher was dead.

NEW BOOK ON JEWS PUBLISHED BY PORTUGAL SCHOLAR

LISBON, July 26. (JTA-By Airmail) -- Essays on past and present Jewish problems are contained in the newly-published book "Grandeur and Misery of Israel" by Dr. Augusto d'Esaguy, Portuguese Jewish scholar and honorary secretary of the Portuguese Refugee Committee. The book contains penetrating chapters on the fate of Jews in Germany and Poland and also deals at length with the cultural activities of the Jewish people.