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JAPANESE PAPER DEMANDS ANTI-JEWISH MEASURES

✓ ZURICH, Nov. 15. (JTA) -- Official German dispatches today quoted the Japanese newspaper Kokumin Shinbun as advocating anti-Jewish measures in Japan and the expulsion of many Jews for espionage.

It is recalled that in September Japanese patriotic societies formed a Federation to Campaign Against Christian Organizations, which passed a resolution branding Christianity as "a device of Jewish origin which is encroaching on the Japanese spirit and must be eliminated."

GERMANS STRESS NO JEWS ACCOMPANIED MOLOTOV

STOCKHOLM, Nov. 15. (JTA) -- Commenting on Soviet Premier Vyacheslav Molotov's visit to Berlin, the newspaper Dagens Nyheter pointed out today that he was not accompanied by any Jewish collaborators. "The Germans emphasized this fact with satisfaction," the newspaper said.

MANY JEWS BARRED FROM VOTE IN EAST GALICIA

✓ STOCKHOLM, Nov. 15. (JTA) -- Pravda, organ of the Communist Party in Soviet Russia, reports that large numbers of Jewish voters were not entered in the electoral lists for election of local soviets in Eastern Galicia because of the anti-Semitic attitude of minor local officials. The paper referred particularly to the Drohobycz constituency.

ANTI-JEWISH LAWS IN MOROCCO SPUR EMIGRATION

✓ GENEVA, Nov. 15. (JTA) -- The Nazi-controlled Radio Paris reported today that large numbers of Jews had emigrated from French Morocco to Tangier following introduction of anti-Jewish legislation in Morocco.

EX-POLISH PREMIER IN PALESTINE

TEL AVIV, Nov. 15. (JTA) -- Former Polish Premier Felicjan Skladkowski, who arrived here from Rumania with four former ministers of his cabinet, today praised Jewish achievements in Palestine at a press conference. He said he was surprised to find Tel Aviv such a modern city.

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RUTENBERG HITS U.S. YIDDISH PRESS FOR CRITICISM OF UNITY PLAN

JERUSALEM, Nov. 15. (JTA) -- Pinchas Rutenberg today replied to criticism of his unity plan voiced by the American Yiddish press.

"We are here on the edge of an abyss, trying to liberate ourselves from ruinous, talkative, petty differences and fights and to unite forces and adapt our life to the emergency," Rutenberg stated to JTA. "The Jewish press in America cannot afford, in the present circumstances, to interfere with ignorant, futile, irresponsible discussions in our life. Our disaster would be American Jewry's disaster. It is the duty of the press to learn the facts, understand and help. Otherwise, do not interfere. The situation is grave."

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Ussishkin Urges Intensified Land-Buying

JERUSALEM, Nov. 15. (JTA) -- Menachem M. Ussishkin, president of the Jewish National Fund, declared at a press conference today that the J.N.F. must multiply its efforts in order to create "a real basis on which post-war Jewry will be able to depend." Experience has shown that private land acquisition is not sufficient and national land-buying is necessary, he said.

The Jews still possess the means and the present situation in Palestine still provides possibilities for considerable land acquisition, he said.

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Zionist Organ Stresses U.S. Jews' Duty

LONDON, Nov. 15. (JTA) -- The Zionist Review, organ of the British Zionist Federation, declared editorially today that the American Jews had a part to play in formulation of Jewish needs at the ultimate peace conference, building of the Jewish national home and rehabilitation of broken European Jewry.

The Jewish army scheme offers the American Jews signal opportunities of combining defense of the homeland with defense of vital democratic interests and would provide an additional link between Britain and the American people, the editorial said.

250,000 JEWS FED DAILY IN POLAND BY J.D.C.

NEW YORK, Nov. 15. (JTA) -- The daily feeding of 250,000 needy Jews in Poland was reported today by Joseph C. Hyman, executive vice-chairman of the Joint Distribution Committee, on the basis of a cabled report from Cracow. A total of 650 soup kitchens and feeding stations in 346 localities throughout the Government-General area of Poland are serving one meal daily to a quarter million Jewish victims of war and persecution.

Supervised by officials of the J.D.C.'s branches in Warsaw and Cracow, the relief program includes the care of 50,000 destitute Jewish children in institutions and private families. Under the control of Toz, central Jewish medical organization of Poland, which receives its funds from the J.D.C., 200 health stations, hospitals, clinics and sanatoria serve the medical needs of Polish Jews. The number of those presently being assisted represents a reduction from the peaks set earlier in the year. Until May, 1940, the J.D.C. was daily assisting up to 400,000 Polish Jewish war victims, adults and children. Lack of funds necessitated contraction of this program to its present level.

Over 11,500,000 zlotys were expended in cash by the Warsaw and Cracow offices of the J.D.C. from the beginning of 1940 up to Oct. 1. At the average rate of exchange which the J.D.C. obtains in clearing its remittances to Poland, this represents over \$1,150,000. The J.D.C. does not send dollars into Poland, Hyman explained, but employs a financial clearance arrangement whereby zlotys are made available inside the country against dollar appropriations which are held in the United States.

Hyman stressed the enormous needs in German-occupied Poland now that winter has set in. He pointed out that not only were there heavy requirements for relief work in the Government-General area, but emergency measures were needed for suffering Jews in 40 localities in Eastern and Upper Silesia, 60 in Warthegau, and in the Posen and Litzmannstadt areas.

Hoover Renews Plea for Sending of Food

POUGHKEEPSIE, N.Y., Nov. 15. (JTA) -- Declaring that "typhus already rages in Warsaw" as result of starvation and that the people of Belgium are already on a ration of seven ounces of bread a day, Herbert Hoover, in an address at Vassar college, broadcast by CBS, urged that American opinion not remain indifferent to the sufferings of the population in Nazi-occupied territories.

Hoover estimated there were three million Jews among the 37 million persons in Europe in need of American food relief. He addressed himself to educational and religious leaders of the United States, asking support of his campaign for shipment of food from America for feeding of the starving populations in the occupied territories of Central Poland, Norway, Holland, Belgium and Finland.

HIAS-ICA LAUDED FOR AID TO REFUGEES

NEW YORK, Nov. 15. (JTA) -- The importance of HIAS-ICA work in Europe was emphasized at a meeting last night in the Piccadilly Hotel arranged by a group of prominent refugees from Europe who succeeded in reaching the United States recently with the aid of the HIAS-ICA office in Lisbon.

The principal speaker at the gathering, which was called for the purpose of expressing thanks to the HIAS-ICA for making it possible for many writers and political refugees to reach the United States, was Dr. Friedrich Adler, a leader of the Second International. Dr. Adler related how the HIAS-ICA office in Lisbon was instrumental in saving him from being deported from Portugal back to France, where he was in danger of falling into the hands of the Gestapo. He praised the activities of Eli Dijour, the general secretary of the HIAS-ICA. Other speakers, including the historian A. Cherkower, and the painter Mame Katz, spoke in the same vein.

Dijour reported that the HIAS-ICA had so far succeeded in helping thousands to emigrate from Europe to overseas lands, but many thousands more were still seeking a way to emigrate. The duty of American Jews, he said, is to contribute to the funds of the HIAS, one of the principal organizations associated with the HIAS-ICA.

Abraham Herman, president of HIAS, and Dr. John L. Bernstein, director, urged newly-arrived Jewish leaders of political and cultural life in Europe to join in the activities of the HIAS in America.

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EINSTEIN HEADS GROUP TO AID HEBREW UNIVERSITY

NEW YORK, Nov. 15. (JTA) -- Prof. Albert Einstein will serve as Chairman of the National Council of the American Friends of the Hebrew University, which is now being organized, it was announced today. The council will consist of leaders throughout the country who will sponsor the Hebrew University in their respective communities. The executive committee of the council includes Dr. A.S.W. Rosenbach, Roger W. Straus, Edward M.M. Warburg and Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver.

The 16th academic year of the Hebrew University opened this week with an enrollment of 1,200 students, highest in its 15-year history. There are 10 Arab students registered, compared with three last year. The Department of Agriculture is for the first time accepting students for its complete five-year course in theoretical and practical farming. Recent additions to the faculty and enlargement of various academic departments have rounded out the scientific and cultural facilities of the University and will make possible a broader program of study.

ROSENHEIM'S 70TH BIRTHDAY MARKED

LONDON, Nov. 15. (JTA) -- A special issue of the Jewish Weekly has been published in honor of the 70th birthday today of Jacob Rosenheim, president of the Agudath Israel. The issue contains messages from Chief Rabbi Joseph Hertz, Dr. Chaim Weizmann, Prof. Selig Brodetsky, Neville Laski and Dr. Ignacy Schwartzbart.

POLISH-LANGUAGE JEWISH PAPER STARTED HERE

NEW YORK, Nov. 15. (JTA) -- The first issue of Nasza Tribuna, a Polish-language Jewish bi-weekly publication, has appeared. The publication, edited jointly by J. Apenszlak, former editor of the Warsaw Nasz Przegląd, and Dr. Arjeh Tartakower, Jewish sociologist, is devoted to problems of Polish Jews in United States and to Jewish interests in occupied Poland.

RECALL OF GERMAN ENVOYS URGED BY ANTI-NAZI LEAGUE

NEW YORK, Nov. 15. (JTA) -- Recall of all German diplomatic and consular officials in the United States was urged upon the State Department today by the Non-Sectarian Anti-Nazi League. In a telegram to Secretary of State Cordell Hull, the league declared extra-diplomatic and extra-consular activities of German representatives here had become a matter of common knowledge.

HEBREW, ESPERANTO BANNED IN LETTERS BETWEEN HOLLAND, BELGIUM

ZURICH, Nov. 15. (JTA) -- The use of Hebrew and Esperanto has been banned in correspondence between Holland and Belgium, according to the Nazi-controlled Deutsche Zeitung fuer Niederland. The use of all other languages will be permitted, the newspaper added.