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100,000 CZECH JEWS RECEIVE ORDER TO BE READY FOR DEPORTATION TO POLAND

LONDON, Nov. 2. (JTA)-- Czechoslovak government circles here today received information that 100,000 Jews in the Czech Protectorate have received orders to be ready for deportation to Nazi-held Poland.

The order provides that the deportees should prepare 14 pounds of luggage and leave the rest of their belongings behind. Their dwellings must be left in complete order, the order says.

More than 10,000 Jews have already been deported from Prague and other cities during the last fortnight, the report discloses. They were sent to the huge Jewish ghetto which the Nazis have established in Bialystock, Poland, and to the Pinsk swamps on the former Polish-Russian frontier which has now become Nazi-occupied territory. Many children have been separated from their parents and wives from their husbands as a result of the merciless deportation.

FEAR SWEEPS JEWS IN NAZI LANDS AS PRESS VOWS VENGEANCE FOR ROOSEVELT SPEECH

LISBON, Nov. 2. (JTA)-- It was reported today that Nazi authorities will soon institute severe anti-Jewish measures in retaliation for President Roosevelt's Navy Day speech. The speech, which was broadcast in the German press reaching here today. As a result a wave of fear is sweeping over the Jews in Germany and in the occupied countries, according to information reaching here today through the most reliable channels.

The German press reached a new peak of virulence in commenting on the President's speech. It charged President Roosevelt was "a lying Jew who is following a Jewish policy." Several articles recalled Rumanian Premier Antonescu's recent statement that Jews have forfeited their right to humane treatment. Indications were that the Nazi authorities were attempting to blame the Jews for America's anti-Nazi policy and to encourage the population to work out their resentment on the Jews. It is significant that some papers charged emigres from Germany gave President Roosevelt the Nazi map of South America which he referred to in his address.

During the last seventy-two hours the refugee organizations here have been inundated with frantic pleas for assistance in leaving Axis territory. It is disclosed here that the Nazi official in charge of the deportation of Vienna Jews this past week, warned of another "November 20." November 20, 1938 was the day on which the Nazis launched a wide-scale pogrom on Jews in the Reich in alleged retaliation for the murder of Ernst Von Rath, German diplomat in Paris, by Herschl Grynspan.

Appeals are streaming in here from Jews in Nazi territory who have apparently been warned that unless they emigrate by a set date they will be deported to Poland. Confirmation of this is seen in the fact that mass deportations of Jews from various parts of German territory to Poland are continuing. Acute alarm is also felt by

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refugees in France, Spain and Portugal as a result of the latest international developments. The sinking of the Rubeen James has given rise to fears that America's entry into the war would cut them off from all means of escape and cause them to fall once more into Nazi hands. Refugee organizations are doing their utmost to speed the departure of those able to leave. Today almost 400 refugees, mainly from Germany and Austria, sailed from Barcelona on the Isle de Teneriffe for Central and South America, after the Joint Distribution Committee had succeeded in overcoming last minute technical difficulties.

Nearly 300 German Refugees Stranded in Barcelona

Another group of nearly 300 refugees from Germany, however, who were admitted to Spain to secure renewal of their expired United States visas, are stranded there because of the insistence of the United States consul that they submit positive proof that they have left no close relatives in Axis-controlled territory. This requirement is part of the new immigration regulations introduced by the United States State Department on July 1, 1941. Since it is manifestly impossible to secure the so-called "family books" which the consulate is demanding, only twenty-seven visas have been issued to the group in the six weeks that they have been here, although they had been previously examined and passed by the consul who issued the original visa and had had their applications approved by Washington.

The experience of the refugees in Barcelona and in other cities indicates that if the State Department is sincere in its assertion that the new regulations are not intended to cut down immigration, it is necessary that clear-cut instructions to this effect be issued to the various consuls in cities where refugee traffic is heavy. At present the consulates seem to be working on the definite theory that the United States Government wants to restrict immigration.

A well known refugee worker here, discussing the situation with the Jewish Telegraphic Agency correspondent, warned that "the time is now ripe for another Naveimar." He pointed out that all the ingredients for a similar tragedy exist in the present situation.

SYRIA SETS PRECEDENT FOR QUIET TERMINATION OF PALESTINE MANDATE. DIPLOMATS BELIEVE

LONDON, Nov. 2. (JTA)-- The recognition by Britain of Syrian independence without the approval of the Mandates Commission of the League of Nations which holds the mandates for Syria and Palestine, may have far reaching results for Palestine since it sets a precedent of ending the mandate without even consulting the League.

This was pointed out here today by neutral diplomats commenting on the situation in the Near East. Normally the termination of the mandate regime, they said, would require a decision of the Mandates Commission and of the Council of the League of Nations. Both bodies, however, do not function at present, and the decision of the Allies with regard to Syria marks their determination not to allow considerations of formal procedure to interfere with the necessities dictated by political realism.

"It is not even certain that the present members of the Mandates Commission of the League of Nations will be notified of Syria's new position," one of the diplomats stated. He added that even if some meeting was convened, it is most doubtful whether the neutral members of the Council of the League of Nations would participate in it, since the majority of them consider the League no longer functioning. "Those states continue their membership in the League only because they hope that a day may come when the League is revived and turned into a powerful instrument for the security of all nations," the diplomat declared.

JEWS ORDERED TO LEAVE LUBLIN; NAZI PRESS REPORTS LACK OF FOOD IN GHETTOS

STOCKHOLM, Nov. 2. (JTA)-- The entire Jewish population of Lublin has been ordered to move outside of the city limits under the pretext that "Lublin has now become a German city," it is reported in Nazi newspapers reaching here today from Berlin.

The same newspapers report that the municipal administrations in cities where there are Jewish ghettos now find it difficult to supply the populations in the ghettos with food. The shortage of food for the Jews is explained in the Nazi press as due to the fact that bread and other foodstuffs must now be sent in larger quantities to the German soldiers fighting on the Soviet front.

PARIS PRESS ATTACKS PLAN PERMITTING JEWS TO SETTLE ON LAND IN UNOCCUPIED FRANCE

ZURICH, Nov. 2. (JTA)-- The Nazi-controlled press in Paris today suddenly started a campaign against the Commissariat for Jewish Affairs in Vichy for allowing the Jews in unoccupied France to settle on land providing that they use no hired agricultural labor. "French soil must be reclaimed by Aryans only," is the cry which the Paris press raises.

Approximately 1,000 of the 16,000 foreign Jews interned in the unoccupied part of France have died in the course of the last fifteen months, it was established. The high mortality rate is accounted for partially by the large proportion of aged and infirm people among the internees, but for the most part is a result of the primitive conditions existing in the camps.

LUXEMBURG REFUGEES, NOT ADMITTED TO SPAIN, ARE SENT BY NAZIS TO BIARRITZ

LISBON, Nov. 2. (JTA)-- The Nazi occupational authorities in France have returned from the Spanish frontier all the 130 Jews from Luxemburg who were not admitted into Spain where they were to receive their immigration visas to the United States from the American consulate, it was reported here today.

The group, which was held in trains in the French-Spanish frontier station, Hendaye, was transported by the occupational authorities to Biarritz, France. A representative of the American Joint Distribution Committee at the Spanish frontier station was assured by the German commander that the group will be delivered from Biarritz to the Spanish frontier as soon as the Spanish authorities are willing to admit them.

JEWISH ARTISANS IN HUNGARIAN-OCCUPIED CITY MUST WAIT 80 YEARS FOR LABOR PERMITS

BUDAPEST, Nov. 2. (JTA)-- It will take 80 years before the Jewish artisans in the Hungarian-occupied city of Sathmar receive working licenses without which they are not permitted to be employed under the "Jewish Laws" existing in Hungary, the German-language press here points out. Half of the Jewish population in Sathmar are artisans.

NAZIS PLAN "JEWISH STATES" IN RUSSIA AS PART OF "BALKANIZATION" PLAN

LONDON, Nov. 2. (JTA)-- Possible creation of two "Jewish States" in Russia as part of the Nazi plan for "Balkanization" of the Soviet Union by creating Jewish, Czech, Pole, Slovak, Lithuanian, Slovene and other states, was reported today in Allied circles here.

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