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ITALY ARRESTS ALL JEWISH MEN IN TRIPOLI AS ALLIED FORCES ADVANCE INTO LIBYA

CAIRO, Nov. 6. (JTA)-- With the Axis armies routed and fleeing across the sands of western Egypt in a desperate attempt to escape annihilation by the Allied forces, the Rome Radio today announced that "as a matter of precaution" all Jewish men in Tripoli, between 17 and 42 years of age, are being hurried from the Libyan city to a concentration camp in the desert.

In making this announcement, the Rome radio charged the approximately 15,000 Jews of Tripoli with "pro-British sentiments." Jewish women and children in Tripoli will be placed under a special curfew beginning today, prohibiting them to leave their homes between six o'clock in the evening and dawn.

The Rome announcement is taken here to indicate that military authorities in Italy are afraid that the British armed forces in Egypt will continue their victorious offensive far into Libya. An Italian broadcast in Arabic today continued to warn the Arabs that they will be "enslaved by the British and the Jews" if they do not come to the aid of the Axis at the present "crucial" moment.

British Military Authorities Praise Jewish Participation in Desert Battle

The British military authorities in Egypt today praised a Jewish technical military unit which is reported to have done "prompt and excellent work" in the forward fighting zone. The unit consists of experienced Jewish telephone and telegraph linesmen from Palestine attached to the Royal Signal Corps.

In emphasizing the good work of the Jewish unit, the British military authorities stated that "the Jewish officers and men have carried out exemplarily a most difficult task."

The Axis radio stations today repeatedly broadcast in Arabic a "manifesto" from the ex-Mufti of Jerusalem urging the "Arab and Islamic peoples to heroically resist the Allied nations." In his call, the ex-Mufti, who is now working as an Axis agent, says that President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Churchill have approved the Zionist demand for the establishment of a Jewish state in Palestine.

Repeating his old line of propaganda that there is a "Jewish danger for Arab countries and for the holy places of Islam," the ex-Mufti emphasized in his "manifesto" that "every Arab must contribute to the strengthening of the solidarity between the Arab people and the Axis powers." He pointed to the fact that the Jews are now celebrating the twenty-fifth anniversary of the Balfour Declaration which, he said, was "England's betrayal of the Arab cause."

The Vichy radio in a broadcast in Arabic addressed to Arab-speaking peoples last night admitted that the "British are winning in Egypt." The Berlin radio in a broadcast tried to convince the Arabs that the retreat of the Axis armies on the Egyptian front is "a mere military maneuver."

UNDERGROUND ACTIVITIES IN CROATIA DIRECTED FROM JEWISH CEMETERY, NAZIS CLAIM

ZURICH, Nov. 6.(JTA)-- A report that the chief of police in the town of Carazdin, Croatia, has discovered a secret Jewish organization directing anti-Nazi activities from the premises of the Jewish cemetery there is published in the Deutsche Zeitung, a daily newspaper issued by the Nazis in Zagreb, reaching here today.

The Nazi report says that the Croatian police, when raiding the cemetery, discovered that a clandestine newspaper was being printed there carrying news of the United Nations, picked up from British broadcasts. Hundreds of copies of the latest issue of the illegal publication were seized by the police, the report claims.

The Nazi newspaper also carries an interview with the chief of police of Carazdin charging the Jews in the Nazi-puppet state with maintaining contact with the Yugoslavian guerillas. "While traveling as traders, the Jews actually act as spies for the guerillas, keeping them informed of the movements of Axis troops and the location of military supply depots," the police chief alleged.

LIVES OF MILLIONS OF JEWS DEPEND ON A RUSSIAN VICTORY, CHIEF RABBI HERTZ SAYS

LONDON, Nov. 6.(JTA)-- "The lives of millions of our brethren depend on a Russian victory," declared Chief Rabbi Joseph Hertz last night, addressing a meeting to launch the United Jewish Appeal for Aid to Russia. He called upon the Jews in all countries to contribute to the fullest extent towards the defeat in Russia of "the exterminators of the Jewish people." The "fifth freedom" required by the Jews of Europe - the right to live - can only be secured by a victory of the Russian forces, Rabbi Hertz said.

"Although the revolution's first years did not fulfill our high hopes, and amazed its Western sympathizers by its bitter anti-religious crusade, its harrying of Zionists as counter-revolutionaries and its liquidation of the religious life of the Jewish masses, the Soviet Union was the first state to outlaw anti-Semitism, and gradually religious intolerance there has diminished," the Chief Rabbi declared. He urged Jews to postpone their complaints concerning the Soviet attitude towards Zionism and Judaism until after victory has been won. Other speakers at the meeting included the Bishop of Chelmsford, who presided; the noted journalist, Beverly Nichols; and Mrs. Rebecca Zieff.

POLISH GOVERNMENT WILL REPLY TO CHARGES OF DISCRIMINATION AGAINST JEWS IN ARMY

LONDON, Nov. 6.(JTA)-- Polish Government circles today declared that the allegations made by Wanda Wasilewska, editor of a Polish Communist newspaper in Russia, that Jews are being discharged from the Polish Army in Russia in order to prevent their joining the transports of Polish troops proceeding to the Middle East, will be answered by the Government next week.

The Government reply will be given at the forthcoming session of the Polish National Council where the question will be raised by Dr. Ignacy Schwarzbart, one of the two Jewish deputies in that body, a spokesman for the Polish Government stated.

JAPAN ORDERS JEWS IN SHANGHAI TO DISPLAY SPECIAL MARKER ON THEIR AUTOMOBILES

LONDON, Nov. 6.(JTA)-- Japanese authorities in Shanghai have ordered all Jewish owners of automobiles to display a special marker on front of their vehicles to indicate that they belong to Jews, the Berlin radio reported today.

SULZBERGER OPPOSES JEWISH ARMY PROJECT; OUTLINES PLAN FOR POST-WAR PALESTINE

BALTIMORE, Nov. 8.(JTA)-- Jews and non-Jews in America were urged here last night by Arthur Hays Sulzberger, president and publisher of the New York Times, to discontinue their efforts for the formation of a Jewish Army in Palestine. He also suggested that the Jewish problem in Palestine should be solved after the war not by the creation of a separate Jewish State there but by amalgamating several Arab countries into one great State "so that the Arabs would welcome its might and never have cause to fear that the Jews who move there would upset the numerical balance of power."

Back from a visit to Britain, Mr. Sulzberger made these suggestions in the course of an address delivered here before the Brotherhood of the Madison Avenue Temple. He declared that the Zionist efforts were helping "to create problems in the Moslem world which merely add to the difficulties of the United Nations" and warned Zionist extremists that their insistence upon the formation of a Jewish national army would, if continued, result not only in embarrassment to the United Nations, but could also be "distorted by the Axis in the Arab world."

"Presumably the British government has decided," Mr. Sulzberger said, "that, all other things considered, it will not help win the war to meet the demand for a separate Jewish army. Furthermore, the United States government has evidently not felt it either wise or expedient to intervene with the British government in this matter. It seems to me, therefore, that since those decisions have been made--and I think made with a conviction that will not be changed--at least during this war -- it serves no useful purpose to continue, at this time, a campaign which not only embarrasses the United Nations, but can be distorted by the Axis in the Arab world. I wish I had the ability to set that problem straight and teach my fellow-Americans who are not Jews that it would be wise to examine all the facts in that complicated situation before lending their names to the extreme Zionist cause, or the demand for a Jewish army."

Jews Want the Right to Call Any Place Their Home, He Says

Pointing out that the Zionist aims do not represent the desires of all Jews, Mr. Sulzberger declared: "If I, as a Jew, can help to impress the world that what Jews want far more than a home of their own is the right to call any place their home, that in finding new homes justice must be done those who already dwell where the newcomer would live -- then I believe I shall have been faithful to the tradition of justice which is my heritage as an American of Jewish faith."

"I would not have you think that I am unaware of the need for refuge for many peoples, including Jews, after this war is over," he continued. "I know, too, that many Jews will seek the Holy Land. But let us keep it a Holy Land. Let us make sure that we do not transform it merely into another nation, jealous of its own national rights, heedless of those who for the past two thousand years have lived within its borders."

"It would seem to me that this could be done if, when the time comes, there is created a great State out of several of the countries in that section of the world. I would make it sufficiently large so that the Arabs would welcome its might and never have cause to fear that the Jews who move there would upset the numerical balance of power. And into this enlarged State I would welcome all who wish to come, and the Arabs would join in such a welcome secure in the knowledge that they would not be outnumbered. Such a plan would provide the refuge we all

seek to establish. It would, however, deny Jewish statehood; but, in a world already plagued by too many nations, is that not right?

"Out of my own observations in Palestine, and, more importantly, out of the reports I have had from those who lived many years in the country, I am convinced that the Jew and Arab can live side by side in peace and work out a common destiny in a commonwealth. If there is antagonism now it is largely the crop sowed by the extremists and the professional agitators on the two sides," Mr. Sulzberger stated.

RABBI WISE ARRIVES IN MEXICO FOR DISCUSSIONS WITH HIGH OFFICIALS ON JEWISH PROBLEMS

MEXICO CITY, Nov. 6.(JTA)-- Rabbi Stephen S. Wise, president of the American Jewish Congress, arrived here today for a ten-day series of conferences with Mexican Jewish leaders and high government officials on matters of Jewish interest. He will also make arrangements for the inter-American Jewish conference which is scheduled for Mexico City in the Spring. Dr. Wise will be received by President Manuel Avila Camacho.

To local Jewish leaders who greeted him upon his arrival, Dr. Wise expressed the hope that "with the cooperation of our Jewish friends of the Jewish community of Mexico, though its number be limited, we may enlarge the measure of help which is needed by the long suffering Jewish communities in European lands." The question of post-war emigration of Jews to Latin-American countries will also be one of the subjects upon which he will confer during his stay here, Dr. Wise said.

Discussing the possibility of such emigration, the American Jewish Congress head said that "it may be that the Latin-American countries are destined to resume the role of the Latin countries, Spain and Portugal, in other centuries, which vied with each other in hospitality and comradeship with their Jewish inhabitants and in return received deep and enriching material and spiritual benefits from these Jewish members of their communities."

NEW CONGRESS WILL HAVE SEVEN JEWISH REPRESENTATIVES, FINAL RETURNS INDICATE

WASHINGTON, Nov. 6.(JTA)-- Two Jewish incumbents in the House of Representatives were defeated and a Jewish newcomer was elected, final returns from the Congressional elections throughout the nation indicated today. Since six Jewish representatives were re-elected this will bring the total number of Jews in the 78th Congress to seven. There are no Jews in the Senate.

Daniel Ellison, Republican, defeated Joseph M. Wyatt in Baltimore's fourth district, to become the first G.O.P. representative in the Maryland delegation since 1901, and the third Jew ever to represent that state in Congress. Leon Sacks, Pennsylvania Democrat, lost to his Republican opponent after six years of service, as did Hermann Paul Kopplemann, Democrat of Connecticut, who had served only one term.

Samuel Arthur Weiss, Glassport, Pa., Democrat, was re-elected by an increased majority in a normally Republican district. Sol Bloom, chairman of the Foreign Affairs Committee, was returned by New York City's 19th district and Samuel Dickstein, who heads the Immigration and Naturalization Committee, overwhelmed his opponent in the 12th. Also re-elected were Adolph J. Sabath of Chicago, chairman of the Rules Committee and Dean of the House, who will begin his 19th term, and Democrats Emanuel Celler and Arthur G. Klein of New York City.