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DEPORTATION OF JEWS FROM FRANCE TO GERMANY RESUMED; NEW RAIDS IN PARIS STREETS

LONDON, May 10.(JTA)-- The deportation of Jews from the internment camp at Drancy, near Paris, was resumed last week, with 3,000 of them being sent to Germany for forced labor, it is reported in the London press today.

The report states that camp officials received an order from the Nazi occupation authorities to send several thousand Jewish internees to the Reich. Since there were only 2,500 prisoners in the camp at the moment, the Paris police rounded up an additional 2,000 Jews in the streets, picking up persons at random.

The prisoners were confined in the camp yard under the glare of searchlights, awaiting deportation. Every 15 minutes a new list of those who were to be deported was posted. Huddled together for warmth, the Jews prayed and sang the Marseillaise as they waited to be loaded into freight trains.

As the trains pulled out of the station, the thousands of deportees who had been jammed into cattle cars, continued to sing the Marseillaise. French police, who had been forced to carry out the arrests, are reported to have wept as the trains departed.

PALESTINE WILL NEVER BE A JEWISH STATE, PRIME MINISTER OF IRAQ DECLARES

JERUSALEM, May 10.(JTA)-- Prime Minister Nuri Pasha of Iraq is reported today to have stated in Baghdad that a Jewish State will never be established in Palestine and that nobody thinks of establishing it.

According to a Baghdad dispatch appearing in the Palestine Post, Nuri Pasha also pointed out that immigration to Palestine is now limited and added that "this policy had not changed, and God willing, would not change."

The Iraqi Prime Minister, to whom Palestine Arab nationalists last week addressed a memorandum asking him to secure the support of the United States for the "freezing" of the Jewish population of Palestine as of March, 1944 under the provisions of the British White Paper, made his statement in reply to a question on what he thought would be the post-war status of Palestine. The Palestine Post adds that Nuri Pasha is proceeding shortly from Baghdad to Cairo to discuss the problem of establishing a Pan-Arab Union.

Meanwhile, increased immigration of Jewish refugees from Nazi Europe was demanded here today by leaders of the orthodox Agudas Israel Organization during a visit which they paid to the Chief Secretary of the Palestine Government.

BRITISH PARLIAMENT WILL DISCUSS RESULTS OF BERMUDA CONFERENCE

LONDON, May 10.(JTA)-- The results of the Bermuda Conference on refugee problems will be discussed in the House of Commons within the next few days, it was learned here today. A press conference, arranged by the National Committee for Rescue from Nazi Terror, will be held on May 12. It will be addressed by parliamentarians who are members of the Committee. The Committee is making intense preparations for the forthcoming debate in Commons.

NAZIS IN HOLLAND FORCE JEWS TO SIGN ORDERS OPPRESSING CHRISTIAN POPULATION

LONDON, May 10.(JTA)-- Faced with a situation where the non-Jewish population in Holland continues to demonstrate its sympathy for the Jews on every possible occasion, the Nazi occupation authorities in Amsterdam are now forcing former Jewish government officials to sign orders oppressing the Netherland people, thus trying to provoke anti-Jewish feelings among non-Jews, it was reported here today by the Netherland Government-in-Exile.

These Jewish officials of the former administration, whom the Nazis are unable to replace, are forced to continue in their posts despite a general order that the Jews of Holland be "liquidated" as quickly as possible, the report said. Acting upon this order, the occupation authorities are now taking large numbers of Jews from the concentration camp at Vught and deporting them to unknown destinations.

Approximately 30,000 Amsterdam Jews - a half of the entire Jewish population in the city - had been deported by the Nazis up to last week, while in the provincial towns few Jews, mainly specialists, remain. A staff of German doctors has been assigned to examine every Jew in Holland in order to establish which of the Jews in the country can be used for forced labor. Only a few Jews have been exempted from hard labor, the report says.

The Jews in Holland, wherever they are, are living in constant fear of deportation, the report continues. In the street they expect arrest at any moment. At home they are frightened by every knock at the door. Because of the intensified Gestapo supervision, it has become more and more difficult for a non-Jew to help his Jewish friends.

Dutch Policeman Weeps When Ordered to Arrest a Jewish Family

A large number of Christians with whom Jews deposited valuables prior to their deportation from Holland have been arrested by the Gestapo, the report relates. When a Dutch policeman was ordered recently to arrest a Jewish family, he came to the family and declared with tears in his eyes: "I have been ordered to arrest you. If I do not obey the order, I and my children will suffer. Nevertheless, I will not insist if you refuse to follow me."

A report issued by the German chamber of commerce in occupied Holland reveals that all Jewish clothing enterprises have been taken over by Germans. The report reveals that the same German industrialists who have taken over the Jewish clothing firms sit on the committee which decides which of the Jewish businesses in Holland are to be liquidated and which persons are qualified to become trustees of "Aryanized" Jewish stores.

JEWS ARRESTED AS HUNGARIAN POLICE START ROUND UP OF "SOCIAL PARASITES"

ZURICH, May 10.(JTA)-- Several Budapest Jews were arrested over the week-end as Hungarian police started a series of raids against "social parasites," which were foreshadowed recently in an address by Minister of the Interior Keresztes Fischer, attacking the Jews in Hungary, according to information reaching here today.

At the same time the full text of the Easter message issued by Cardinal Seredi, primate of Hungary, arrived here. In his address, the Cardinal delivered a veiled attack against the anti-Jewish laws introduced in Hungary, declaring that "when we violate the rights of God and man, we may not expect the reward which God has prepared for his faithful servants."

SEN. LUCAS SAYS "ALIEN PALESTINIANS" HAVE NO RIGHT TO CRITICIZE AMERICAN GOVERNMENT

WASHINGTON, May 10.(JTA)-- Following up his last week's denunciation of the Committee for a Jewish Army for calling the Bermuda Conference a "cruel mockery" of Jews in Nazi Europe, Senator Scott Lucas, who represented the United States at the Bermuda parley, today named Peter Bergson, national director of the Committee for a Jewish Army, as one of a group of alien Palestinians who frame full-page newspaper advertisements criticizing the American Government.

Speaking from the Senate floor, Senator Lucas said that he had not known of Bergson's lack of citizenship last week when he attacked the Committee for a Jewish Army for its full-page advertisement in the New York Times. He declared that he particularly resented such criticism by aliens here on "temporary sufferance" and knew that other senators would feel the same way.

Three more senators, whose names appeared among 33 in the advertisement, rose to announce that they had not seen it before it appeared. Four others had made similar statements last Thursday.

Sen. William Langer, North Dakota Republican, who spoke today, said he thought the committee could have been more circumspect in using Senators' names, but pointed out that they were not appended to the text of the advertisement, only to a statement they had all signed calling for action to aid the Jews of Europe. Langer said he would not pass judgment on the work of the Bermuda Conference before its records became available, but expressed doubt whether they would be made public soon enough to be of great use. He reiterated his belief in the necessity for concrete action on the refugee problem, including the facilitation of entry into Palestine and the creation of a Jewish Army.

Senators Burnet R. Maybank, South Carolina Democrat, and James J. Davis, Pennsylvania Republican, expressed their confidence in Lucas and his work at Bermuda, and their ignorance of the advertisement. Davis said he has permitted the use of his name to further the cause of a Jewish Army, but that its use on what he called the committee's "unjust and untimely" advertisement was unauthorized.

Sen. Albert B. Chandler, Kentucky Democrat who previously repudiated the use of his name, told Lucas that some of the harshest criticism of the American Government came from aliens here, and that he would be glad to furnish additional names when the Illinois Senator wanted to pursue the subject further.

Those who last week made clear their lack of connection with the advertisement included Senators Edwin C. Johnson, whose name appears in it as chairman of the Committee for a Jewish Army, E.H. Moore, New Jersey Republican, and Alexander Wiley, Wisconsin Republican. Francis Maloney, Connecticut Democrat, told the Senate he had spoken with Rep. Sol Bloom, New York Democrat who also attended the conference, and heard him praise Lucas' work at Bermuda.

Bergson said he would have no statement to make until he had a chance to read Lucas' speech.

CENSUS OF ALL JEWS IN BULGARIA ORDERED BY COMMISSIONER FOR JEWISH AFFAIRS

ZURICH, May 10.(JTA)-- A census of all Jews in Bulgaria began yesterday under orders of the Commissioner for Jewish Affairs, the official German news agency, D.N.B. reports from Sofia today. The census will be completed by May 16.

AMERICAN JEWISH CONFERENCE SETS RULES FOR REPRESENTATION OF FEDERATIONS

NEW YORK, May 10.(JTA)-- The executive committee for the organization of the American Jewish Conference today announced that in view of the difficulties that have arisen in many election districts in connection with the organization of election committees for the American Jewish Conference, the National Board of Elections has decided that the time for the filing of nominations by district or regional committees shall be extended to June 1, 1943.

Over one hundred Conveners have been appointed throughout the country by the National Board of Elections of the Conference, the announcement said. Their task will be to organize the provisional committees, which, in turn, will organize election committees for each community. Communities which do not have sufficiently large Jewish populations to constitute an election district have been combined into regions, and election committees for these regions will be created, the announcement declared.

The national board of elections of the Conference has informed all conveners and provisional committees that they are to be guided by the following rules in connection with the representation of local federation, philanthropic and welfare organizations: Local federations or welfare funds shall be accorded representation where the number of delegates to the Conference will not exceed five, in which case the local federation or welfare fund will be entitled to one representative at the local election conference. In communities where the number of delegates exceeds five, the federation or welfare fund is entitled to one representative at the election conference for each two sent by the district to the conference.

AMERICAN JEWISH COMMITTEE PUBLISHES STUDY ON JEWISH MIGRATIONS

NEW YORK, May 10.(JTA)-- Planned mass resettlement on an agrarian-industrial basis is the major problem of Jewish post-war reconstruction, in the opinion of Prof. Eugene M. Kulischer, well-known authority on population and migration problems. This is the conclusion at which he arrives in "Jewish Migrations," a work published today by the Research Institute on Peace and Post-War Problems of the American Jewish Committee.

The study on Jewish migrations reviews Jewish migrations in former times and their role in the preservation of the Jewish Community. Max Gottschalk, director of the Institute, points out in the preface, that this volume is a reply to the pessimists who do not believe in a better future for the Jews after this war and that it also demonstrates to what considerable degree "the immigrant is an asset to the country which welcomes him."

JEWISH WELFARE BOARD LEADERS DISCUSS METHODS OF SERVING MEMBERS OF ARMED FORCES

NEW YORK, May 10.(JTA)--Means of increasing service to men and women in the armed forces were explored at a dinner last night when Army and Navy officials assigned to deal with the welfare needs of service men met with a group of service agencies to review what is being done and what can be done to improve that service. The dinner was given by the Greater New York Army and Navy Committee of the Jewish Welfare Board at the Hotel Commodore.

Among the questions discussed were: Whether the larger or medium sized club is preferable for the service men, whether the community is rendering adequate service to men returning to hospitals and at ports of embarkation; also, whether there should be more inter-agency activities sponsored by joint religious groups. Frank L. Weil, president of the J.W.B., Walter Rothschild, chairman of the J.W.B.'s Army and Navy Committee, and Ralph E. Samuel were the principal speakers.