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JEWS COMMANDERS RECALLED FOR SERVICE IN ITALIAN ARMY AND NAVY; TEACHERS REINSTATE

GENEVA, Aug. 8.(JTA)-- High Jewish officials in Italy who were ousted from their positions as a result of Mussolini's racial laws, are now being recalled to their former posts, especially in the Army and Navy, it was reported here today.

Among those who have received orders to hold themselves in readiness for military duty are the Jewish admiral, Aldo Ascoli and General-Inspector of the Navy Umberto Ogliese. Admiral Ascoli was commander of the Italian naval forces in the Aegean, prior to his dismissal because he was a Jew. Colonel Hugo Madena, chief of staff of the Army Corps at Bologna, who was among the Jewish high military officials removed from their posts by Mussolini, also received instructions this week to report for service at the end of the month. Admiral Paolo Maroni, former commander of the Fourth Naval Division, who was the first Jew to be dismissed from the service by Mussolini, is also expected to be recalled to the fleet.

Several municipalities in Italy have, during the last few days, dismissed fascist teachers from their schools and replaced them with reinstated Jewish teachers. No Jewish professor, however, has been reinstated as yet in any of the Italian universities.

Italian Government officials are continuing to confer with Jewish leaders in Rome on judicial problems in connection with the restoration of "Aryanized" Jewish property to the Jewish owners as well as on problems connected with the restoration of full rights to Italian Jews. In practice, the anti-Jewish laws are no longer enforced. Officially they have not as yet been abrogated, though the Rome radio and the Italian press have reported their abrogation.

NAZI HOUSE GERMAN REFUGEES FROM BERLIN IN LIQUIDATED JEWISH GHETTOS IN POLAND

LONDON, Aug. 8.(JTA)-- The ghettos "liquidated" by the Nazis in Poland are now being used by the German administration there to house large numbers of German civilians who are being evacuated from Berlin and other cities in the Reich where intensified Allied air raids are feared, it was reported here today from Stockholm.

Hundreds of trains continue to bring the German refugees to Warsaw and other Polish cities where they are placed in dwellings left by Jews who were deported from the ghettos. The Nazi authorities are also ejecting Poles from their homes to make room for the arriving Germans.

Polish official circles here today reported that the Nazi authorities in Poland have announced that persons guilty of supplying information on the situation of the Jews in the country will be sent to concentration camps. At the same time German postal clerks were ordered to stamp undelivered letters with the inscription "not known" instead of "the addressee is dead" in cases when these letters come from Jews in neutral countries.

POSSIBILITIES OF JEWISH IMMIGRATION INTO ABYSSINIA DISCUSSED IN LONDON

LONDON, Aug. 8. (JTA)-- The possibilities of Jewish immigration into Abyssinia were discussed here today by the Ethiopian minister in London and a delegation of the orthodox Agudas Israel organization. It is understood that discussions on this subject are also going on in Adis Ababa, and that Emperor Haile Selassie has displayed considerable interest in the problem.

Recently 1,500 refugees from Greece, including a number of Salonika Jews, arrived in Abyssinia where there is a great shortage of doctors, chemists, engineers and technicians. The Falasha Jews in Abyssinia have informed Emperor Selassie that they desire to be of aid to the Jews from Europe and will welcome them in Falasha settlements.

A cable received here today from Palestine states that Haile Selassie has donated two big buildings in the city of Gondar for use as Jewish public schools and that he has also invited more Jews to come to Abyssinia. Several Jews are already serving in responsible positions as state advisers to the Emperor.

AMERICA'S ATTITUDE ON POST-WAR PALESTINE DISCUSSED BY ARAB LEADERS

CAIRO, Aug. 8. (JTA)-- The role that America will play in the Middle East after the war - especially the attitude it will adopt on the question of conflicting Arab-Jewish claims in Palestine - was one of the major points discussed by the premiers of Iraq and Egypt, who have just finished a series of six talks here.

In a joint announcement released here, the two premiers also disclosed that a Pan-Arab Congress will shortly be convened, probably in Cairo, to discuss the possibility of an Arab Federation and also Arab representation at the peace conference.

PALESTINE JEWS SEND DELEGATE TO TURKEY TO ORGANIZE RELIEF FOR OCCUPIED COUNTRIES

JERUSALEM, Aug. 8. (JTA)-- Dr. Joseph Klarman, a representative of the New Zionist Organization in the Central Committee for the Rescue of European Jewry, is leaving for Turkey to organize relief for Jewish communities in Axis-occupied Europe which can be reached from Turkey under present war-time conditions, it was announced here today.

Preparations are being made here for the absorption of 500 Jewish immigrants from Yemen who are expected to arrive within the next few days. Another 1,000 Yemenite immigrants will follow shortly.

Senator James Mead of New York, who is now on a visit in London, is making plans to proceed from there to Palestine, it was learned today.

DE GAULLE WILL RECEIVE JEWISH NOTABLES WHILE IN MOROCCO

LONDON, Aug. 8. (JTA)-- Fighting French headquarters here today disclosed that while in Morocco, Gen. Charles de Gaulle will receive local Jewish notables with whom he will discuss matters of interest to the Jewish community.

JEWISH POSITION IN FRANCE WORSENS; JEWS FLEE TO ITALIAN-OCCUPIED AREAS

NEW YORK, Aug. 8.(JTA)-- Life is daily becoming more difficult for Jews in France, it was reported here today by the American Joint Distribution Committee on the basis of information received from Lisbon. Hostility, previously concentrated upon foreign-born Jews has, since the deportation or imprisonment of most of this group, been transferred to the native Jewish population. As a result of this increased pressure, it has become almost impossible for some 110,000 Jews in formerly unoccupied France to maintain themselves, and their appeals for assistance are flooding relief agencies.

"Reports that Jews in Italian-occupied areas were being better treated than those in areas under Nazi occupation resulted in an extensive Jewish migration to these areas," the J.D.C. statement says. "Being unable to carry baggage or other personal possessions with them, large numbers of these persons have had to turn to Jewish relief organizations for help." Welfare organizations in France associated with the Joint Distribution Committee before the German occupation are continuing to function, principally in the former unoccupied zone. Their work is, however, becoming constantly more difficult, not only because of limitations placed on them by the authorities but because of greatly increased needs.

The Ose Society, a French welfare agency, through with the Joint Distribution Committee had previously carried on its child-care activities in France, now has approximately 6,000 children in its charge. Among these are thousands for whom immigration to the United States and Canada had been arranged. This emigration came to an abrupt halt with the German occupation of France after the Allied landings in North Africa. It is reported that representatives of the Argentine government are endeavoring to arrange for the emigration of 1,000 of these children to the Argentine, and Swiss relief agencies have been for some time negotiating with the French authorities for the transfer of another thousand to Swiss territory for the duration of the war.

A.F. OF L. CONVENTION URGES ALLIED NATIONS TO GIVE IMMEDIATE AID TO JEWS IN EUROPE

BOSTON, Mass., Aug. 9.(JTA)-- A resolution urging the immediate "alleviation of the plight of the Jews of Europe," was adopted here at the annual Massachusetts State Convention of the American Federation of Labor. The resolution, expressing "abhorrence of the Nazi concept of racialism which has resulted in the killing of two million innocent Jews in Europe," urged that the governments of the United Nations adopt a four point program providing that:

1. The United Nations "take prompt and effective measures to rescue the Jews in occupied Europe through transportation to Palestine and other lands where immigration is possible."
2. Immediate action be taken to restore citizenship to the Algerian Jews who, although born as Frenchmen, lost their citizenship when the Nazi-Vichy government revoked the "Cremieux Law."
3. Steps be taken to prepare for the "repatriation of all exiles and deportees" to their native lands when "the day of victory comes."
4. The United Nations "guarantee civil, political and religious rights of Jews and all other minority groups in all the nations of the world."

B'NAI B'RITH SELLS WAR BONDS SUFFICIENT TO BUILD 300 FLYING FORTRESSES

WASHINGTON, D.C., Aug. 8.(JTA)-- B'nai B'rith topped the \$100,000,000 mark in war bond sales on August 1 with a total of \$112,500,000, enough to pay for an armada of more than 300 Flying Fortresses, Henry Monsky, president of B'nai B'rith and chairman of its National War Service Committee, announced here today.