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### HUNGARY OFFERS TO PERMIT 1,000 JEWS TO LEAVE DAILY IF ALLIED BOMBINGS CEASE

ZURICH, July 14. (A)TA) -- The Hungarian Government, through its controlled press, today notified Archbishop Spellman of New York that the Jews of Hungary will be spared and permitted to leave the country on condition that the Allies cease bombing Hungarian cities.

A two-point offer to this effect is made in the Budapest newspaper Esti Ujsag, organ of the Foreign Ministry. The offer, addressed to Archbishop Spellman in reply to his recent broadcast to Hungary appealing for mercy for the Jews, stipulates:

1. The deportations of Jews from Hungary will definitely cease "as soon as anglo-saxon airmen discontinue the killing of innocent workers, women and children."

2. Speedy diplomatic negotiations would be initiated by the Hungarian Government to send 1,000 Jows daily to any railway station at any designated frontier where they would be delivered to American representatives.

Addressing itself to the Catholic Archbishop, the official government organ says. "The war cannot be won by the bombing of Hungary, whereas the U. S. Congress, the American press, the State Department and the American public can show that they are with you in your effort to save the Jews."

(German newspapers reaching here today carry articles "advising" the people in Rumania not to be under the impression that the presence of Jews in Rumanian towns protects these towns from being bombed by the Allies. Recent raids on Rumania have proven this, the Nazi papers argue. They urge the Rumanians, therefore, to coase treating the Jews with consideration.)

# New Deportations Planned, International Red Cross Reports

The International Red Cross today informed Allied representatives here that 12,700 more Jews have been herded into new ghettos in Hungary for deportation to extermination camps. The new ghettos are located at Galanta, Elsekuguar and Nagysurany

Information reaching here from Hungary reveals that a large number of titled Jews and of Jewish industrial leaders have been interned by the Gestapo in the village of Kistarssa where they are being offered exit visas and a seat on a plane to Lisbon in exchange for assigning their property to Germans. In this way the Germans are securing "legal" control of Jewish industrial enterprises.

The Budapest radio reports that in an effort to save themselves from deportation, Jews throughout Hungary continue to besiege Catholic institutions for baptism. "There were more applications for baptism in the course of last week than during the last fifteen years," the broadcast said.

An Association of Baptised Jews of Hungarian Citizenship was formed in Hungary this week under a government decree, the Hungarian Telegraphic Agency reports. The new

body will function along the same lines as the Association of Hungarian Jews which serves as a liason group between the Jews and the authorities. Converts are forbidden to belong to the latter association.

Hungarian newspapers reaching here today report that a number of Jews were executed publicly in Bereg, Subcarpathia. They were charged with cooperating with partisans who are in contact with the Russian Army at the gates of the Carpathian mountains.

### HULL SAYS 1,000,000 JEWS IN HUNGARY ARE MENACED; U.S. WILL CONTINUE RESCUE EFFORTS

WASHINGTON, July 14. (JTA) -- Estimating that nearly 1,000,000 Jews are threatened with extermination in Hungary, Secretary of State Cordell Hull today stated at his press conference that the U. S. Government "will not slacker its efforts to rescue as many of these unfortunate people as can be saved from persecution and death."

"Reliable reports from Hungary have confirmed the appalling nows of mass illings of Jews by the Nazis and their Hungarian quislings," Secretary Hull said.

"The number of viotims of these fieldish crimes is great. The entire Jewish community in Hungary, which numbered nearly 1,000,000 souls, is threatened with extermination.

"The horror and indignation felt by the American people at these cold-blooded tortures and massacres has been voiced by the President, by the Congress and by hundreds of private organizations throughout the country. It is shared by all the civilized nations of the world.

"This Government will not slacken its efforts to rescue as many of these unfortunate people as can be saved from persecution and death. The puppet Hungarian Government, by its violation of the most elementary human rights and by its service eleption of the worst features of the Mazi 'racial policy' stands condemned before history.

"It may be futile to appeal to the humanity of the instigators or perpetrators of such outrages. Let them know that they cannot escape the inexorable punishment which will be meted out to them when the power of the evil men now in control of Rungary has been broken;"

# 1,250 JEWS ENTER PALESTINE DURING WEEK; 753 CAME DIRECTLY FROM RUMANIA

JERUSAIEM, July 14. (JTA) -- A total of 1,250 Jews entered Falestine this week, including 125 Jews from Yenen and 89 from North Africa who landed today. The total includes 755 Rumanian Jews who reached Palestine this week from the Rumanian port of Constanza by way of Turkeys.

(Twelve-hundred and eight Jewish refugees from Rumania, who recently arrived in Palestine on five steamers, are rapidly being absorbed in the economic and social structure of the country with the aid of funds contributed by American Jews, it was reported today in a cable received by the United Palestine Appeal from Eliezer Kaplan, reasurer of the Jewish Agency for Palestine in Jerusalem.)

## GEN. CHERNIAKHOVSKY, LIBERATOR OF VILNA, MOST DECORATED GENERAL IN RUSSIA

LONDON, July 14s (JTA) -- Gen. Ivan Davidovich Cherniakhovsky, the 36-year-old Warainian Jewish general whose army liberated Vilna yesterday, has received more orders-of-the-day from Marshal Stalin than any other general in Soviet history, it is reported are. He is the youngest officer of his rank in the Red Army.

### JERUSALEM SHAKEN BY BLASTS AS TERRORISTS BOMB POLICE HEADQUARTERS; CONSTABLE KILLED

JERUSALEM, July 14. (JTA) -- Several violent explosions shook the city of Jerusalem at 12,45 a.m. today when bombs placed by Jewish terrorists exploded in the building housing British district police headquarters. The upper floors of the four-story building, which is located in the center of the city were destroyed and several policemen who were billeted there were injured.

One constable was killed during a running gun battle with about ten unidentified men, who, it is believed, planted the bombs. The terrorists were armed with
tormyguns and other weapons, police said. Last night's bombing was the most serious
outbreak of terror here since the police headquarters in Jerusalem, Tel Aviv and Haifa
were blasted simultaneously last March.

### FOLISH UNDERGROUND DOOMS TWO TO DEATH FOR ANTI-JEWISH ACTIVITIES

LONDON, July 14. (JTA) -- An underground court in Warsaw has sentenced two roles to death for anti-jewish crimes, according to the clandestine newspaper Rzeczpospolita Polska received here today.

The two are Janus Zkrystek, 22, a forester from the Grekkow district, who was charged with killing two Jews; and Bolesslaw Szostak, 39, of the Warsaw criminal colice, who was accused of blackmailing Jews on threat of turning them over to the Germans.

Polish circles here today said that as a result of the investigation of antilemitism in the polish armed forces now being made in Scotland by an inquiry commistion appointed by the Polish National Council, it is expected that a number of officers and men accused of anti-Semitic activities will be brought to trial shortly. The findings of the commission, these sources said, will probably not be made public before September.

### Polish Court-Martial of Jew Upheld by British Court in Palestine

JERUSALEM, July 14. (JTA) -- The Jerusalem Chief Justice today dismissed a plea by Folish-Dorn Haim Movik that his conviction by a Folish court-martial on charges of desertion be declared invalid on the grounds that he was not subject to the jurisdiction of the Folish military authorities.

Movik, who received a sentence of six years, claimed that he had volunteered for the Folish forces while in Russia as a refugee, but had been rejected. The Polish authorities, however, alleged that Novik had enlisted in the Folish Army in assa and was evacuated when the units were moved to the Middle East in 1942.

# RUGUAYAN JEWISH ORGANIZATIONS MARK 40TH ANNIVERSARY OF HERZL'S DEATH

MONTEVIDEO, Uruguay, July 14. (JTA) -- The 40th anniversary of the death of Theodor Herzl, father of political zionism, was observed here last night at a meeting arranged by Uruguayan Zionist organizations, with the support of other Jewish groups and the Bruguayan Christian Committee of Friends of Palestine.

Following addresses by representatives of the Jewish Agency, the World Jewish Congress and local Jewish leaders, the 2,000 persons attending the meeting adopted a resolution asking the government of Uruguay to support Jewish claims on Palestine and to join in measures to aid the Jews of occupied Europe.