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# CHURCHILL IS ASKED TO ARRANGE DEBATE IN PARLIAMENT ON PALESTINE TERRORISM

LONDON, Nov. 12. (JTA) -- Frime Minister Churchill will be asked in the House of Commons on Thursday if he will afford the members "an early opportunity to discuss the terrorist outrages in-and-emanating-from Falestine, and the measures to be taken for dealing with the situation," it was announced here today.

The question will be put to Churchill by Lord Winterton. He will also ask that the British Government take action, under the existing Emergency Fowers Act, against Abraham Abrahams, leader of the New Ziohist Organization in London, for "untrue statements made by him which may do damage to Falestine in its disturbed conditions" In his statements made at a public meeting in London, Abrahams charged the Falestine Government with having an anti-Jewish bias and members of the Palestine police force with being former members of the anti-Semitic British Union of Fascists.

A demand that solution of the Falestine problem be postponed indefinitely, is voiced today in the Economist, influential British newspaper. The postponement is urged "because at present Zionists may capitalize on the humanitarian instincts of the world." The paper adds that "a solution of the Falestine problem now would be interpreted as a surrender to violence, affording a fatal example for Falestinians of non-Jewish communities."

### U. S. Government Pressure for Solution of Palestine Problem Is Cited

The Economist says that Great Britain is now exposed to two types of pressure from outside. One, the paper seys, is coming from the United States Bovernment "which invariably responds to Zionist influence," and the other comes from Egypt where leaders of Arab countries are determined to protect the interests of the Falestine Arabs.

The paper reveals that Lord Moyne, the assassinated British Resident Minister for the Middle East, had prepared a proposal suggesting the inclusion of Falestine in a federation within a Great Syria. It emphasizes that the establishment of Falestine as a Jewish Commonwealth would be "incompatible with one of the freedoms for which the wer was wageds" The article also oppose the partitioning of Falestine into separate Jewish and Arab states arguing that "this involves a welter of corridors enclaved within a land the size of Waless"

# There can Be No Neutrality in Battle against Terrorists, Says Shertok

JERUSAIEM, Nov. 12. (JTA) -- There can be no neutrality in the battle against the Jewish terrorists in Falestine, Moshe Shertok, chief of the political department of the Jewish Agency, said today, addressing a mass-meeting here.

Appealing to the entire Jewish community "to rise like one man and stamp out the evil," Shertok said that whoever does not do everything required of him will be actively assisting the terrorists. He urged cooperation with the authorities and independent measures. The present outbreaks, he continued, are the greatest danger that has ever confronted zionisms

# TERRORIST AND ANTI-TERRORIST GROUPS FLOOD JERUSALEM WITH POSTERS

J.M.A. NEWS

JERUSALEM, Nov. 12. (JTA) -- Posters issued by those advocating terror and those opposing it appeared this morning on walls, telephone poles and street lamps throughout Jerusalem. A casual observer would get the impression that a hotly fought election contest was in progress.

Conspicuous among the posters were those signed by the Irgun Zvai Leumi, the principal terrorist group, and the Neemanei Hamoledeth ("True to Our Motherland"), an organization composed of members of the Palestine Federation of Labor, which is pledged to combat the terrorists.

The posters issued by the Irgun and by the Sternists - the other chief terrorist groups warn the Jewish population against delivering "fighters" to the police authorities. "Whom are we fighting for?" one poster asks. "For whom are we risking our lives and shedding our blood, if not for you; if not to protect your position and to achieve national independence in our homeland?"

The posters of the anti-terrorist Neemanei Hanoledeth call upon every Jew to combat the terror. They emphasize that murder and salotage are fassist methods. "We are fighting against the White Paper, but not against British policemen," the poster reads. "We are fighting against the regime, but not against individuals."

### Jowish Agency Asked to Arm Youths to Combat Terrorism, Goldmann Reports

NEW YORK, Nov. 12. (JTA) -- The Jewish Agency for Falestine has asked the British Government for permission to arm "a few hundred" Jewish youths in Falestine as a more effective method of halting Jewish terrorism there than leaving it to the British police, Dr. Mahum Goldmann, member of the agency's executive committee, reported here at a press conference. Dr. Goldmann returned recently from a visit in Falestine.

Dr. Goldmann said he was hopeful of a change in Great Britain's policy in Palestine and had confidence in Frime Minister Churchill, whom he called "a devoted and sincere friend of Zionisma"

# JEWISH GROUPS IN RUMANIA SPLIT; ZIONISTS REFUSE TO RECOGNIZE NEW JEWISH COUNCIL

BUCHAREST. Nov. 10. (JTA) -- Organized Jewry in Rumania today split into two camps when the Rumanian Government, acting on the advice of Dr. William Filderman, prominent Jewish leader, appointed a "General Jewish Council" to act as a central political representative body for all the Jews of the country.

The Zionist Organization and the Jewish Party announced that they would not participate in the Council and do not consider the newly created body representative of the Jews of Rumania. In advising the government to create the Council, Dr. Filder and stipulated that it was to be composed only of members of the Jewish groups which are collaborating with the present regime.

In addition to the Council, which is to provide political representation for the Jews, there is also in existence the Federation of Jewish Communities which is devoted to relief work and to educational tasks. The Federation is composed of 29 members, from seven Jewish groups. Each group has been given equal representation, four members, with the Chief Rabbi Dr. Shafran making the twenty-ninth member. The seven groups represented in the Federation are: The Zionist Organization, the Jewish Farty, Dr. Filderman's party, the Communist Party, the Social Democratic Farty, the Mational liberal Perty and the National Peasant Party.

# 2,700,000 JEWS EXECUTED BY GERMANS IN TREMBLINKA CAMP, ESCAPED FOLISH JEW REPORTS

MOSCOW, Nov. 12. (JTA) -- A report describing the annihilation of Jews in the "German extermination camp" of Tremblinka in Poland estimates that 2,764,000 Jewish men, women and children were killed in this camp alone. The report is published in the Moscow Polish-language newspaper "Nowe Widnokregi."

Written by Samuel Rajzman, a Polish Jew, who succeeded in escaping from Tremblinka, the report says that among the executed Jews were 1,500,000 from Poland, 1,000,000 from Russian territory which was occupied by the Germans; 120,000 from Germany; 100,000 from Czechoelovakia; 30,000 from Austria and 14,000 from Bulgaria.

### French Traitor Testifies in Paris Court on Torture of Jews in Oswiecim Camp

PARIS. Nov. 12. (JTA) -- An inside view of the dread German concentration camps at Oswiecim, Poland, was given in open court here during the week-end by a young Frenchman named Verniers who is on trial as a traitor.

Verniers had been employed by the Gestapo and last February, he testified, he was sent to Oswiecim in the guise of a deportee to uncover sabotage there. After denouncing 60 persons he became known and, his value ended, was returned to Paris.

The Jewish concentration camp, Verniers testified, was the worst by far of the six camps at Oswiecian. The most brutal of the SS guards were stationed there. For the slightest illness prisoners were sent to gas chambers to be killed. In April, Verniers said, executions reached a total of 2,700 men and women daily, and even the German command found this to be excessive and ordered a reduction because the executions were causing a labor shortage.

Verniers disclosed that the 25,000 Jews at the camp were dressed, winter and summer alike, in blue gowns resembling bathing suits. Their heads were shaved and all identification removed except for a number branded on their chests. Frisoners in the other camps labored 16 hours daily in synthetic butter and jam factories but most of the Jews, including women, were assigned to heavy labor on roads, railway construction and as porters, he said. Young women who retained their liveliness were placed in camp houses of prostitution and the hardest workers in all camps were rewarded with tickets to these houses, Verniers revealed.

### MONUMENT TO JEWISH HOSTAGES MURDERED BY GERMANS ERECTED IN ROME

ROME, Nov. 12. (JTA) -- A monument to the 66 Jews among the 350 Romans murdered by the Germans in the Ardestine Caves, near here, was erected today at the site of the massacre. The memorial, in the form of a Star of David, was placed alongside a cross commemorating the non-Jewish victims.

The 330 men and boys were taken from the Regina Coeli prison to a place outside the caves, shot and their bodies flung into the caves, in reprisal for the killing of ten members of the Elite Guard. A motor caravan arranged by the Italian Government brought relatives of the murdered men to the ceremonies, which were conducted by American and British chaplains.

In a broadcast from here today, on a program sponsored jointly by the National Broadcasting Corporation and the Jewish Theological Seminary of New York, Capt. Jacob Hochman, a U. S. Army chaplain, appealed to the Jewish seminaries and religous organizations in America to help rebuild the Hebrew Library of Rome which was sacked by the Nazis.

# HIAS-ICA RESUMES OFERATIONS IN ITALY; WILL SEND JEWISH REFUGEES FROM ITALY TO PALESTINE

NEW YORK, Nov. 12. (JTA) - The Hias office here today announced that the Intergovernmental Committee for Refugees has made arrangements for the Hias-Ica to resume its activities in liberated Italy and that as a result, preparations are being made by the organization to facilitate the immediate emigration of 200 Jewish refugees from Italy to Falestine. The announcement was made by Max Gottschalk, Hias-Ica president.

### HIORITY IN PALESTINE IMMIGRATION WILL BE GIVEN TO JEWISH ORPHANS, JOSEPH SAYS

NEW YORK, Nov. 12. (JTA) -- Priority in immigration of Jewish victims of Nazism in Europe will have to be given to tens of thousands of orphaned Jewish children who are stranded and helpless in the countries liberated by the Allied armies, Bernard Joseph, legal adviser to the Jewish Agency for Palestine, declared at a press conference here. Mr. Joseph just arrived in this country from Falestine.

"The Jews of Falestine," Mr. Joseph reported, "were gratified by the recent pronouncement of Fresident Roosevelt, pledging his support for the program of establishing Falestine as a Jewish Commonwealth. They trust that in the just peace which the principal Allied Fowers have repeatedly declared their determination to ensure when the war is won, justice will also at long last be done to the Jewish people."

## CENTENARY CELEBRATION OF TEMPLE EMANU-EL OFFNED BY JUDGE IRVING LEHMAN

NEW YORK, Nov. 12. (JTA) -- Chief Judge Irving Lehman of the State of New York Court of Appeals, today delivered the first address in the Centenary Series of Guest Preachers and Lecturers at Temple Emanu-El. He spoke on "Moral Foundations of Law," Judge Lehman's, address was preceded by a brief religious service. To mark the One Fundredth Anniversary of Congregation Emanu-El, a sub-cormittee for the celebration, headed by George Z. Medalic, has arranged for a series of sixteen Sunday morning lecturers under the general title "The Moral and Spiritual Foundations for the World of Tomprow."

### RACIAL BIAS MUST BE COMBATTED IN CHILDHOOD, TEACHERS TOLD

NEW YORK, Nov. 12. (JTA) -- The fight on racial bias must begin in childhood, and it is the responsibility of teachers to inculcate democratic principles in their students, 1,000 teachers attending the annual conference of the New Jersey Education Association were told yesterday at the conference's final session.

Teachers were urged to present constructive points of view on these issues;

1. The meaning of prejudice and the damage it does. 2. The mischief of color as the
basis for discrimination and judgment. 3. The identity of the blood of all people.

4. The equality of races. 5. Respect for all human personality and the infinite
significance of every human soul. 6. The universal inter-play of heredity and environment.

# DR. STEIHEN S. WISE TO RECEIVE BRITH SHOLEM NATIONAL AWARD

FHIADELPHIA, Nov. 12. (JTA) -- The 1944 Brith Sholem Award will be bestowed upon Dr. Stephen S. Wise, it was announced today by the Brith Sholem National Activities Committee. The annual award is conferred upon persons who have distinguished themselves in the service of America and humane endeavers.

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