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BRITISH JEWS DEMONSTRATE BEFORE ATTLEE'S RESIDENCE DEMANDING OPENING OF PALESTINE

LONDON, Oct. 14. (JTA) -- A large crowd of Jews demonstrated tonight before 10 Downing St., Prime Minister Attlee's official residence, demanding the opening of Palestine to Jewish immigration. The demonstrators marched to Downing Street after holding a meeting on the Palestine question.

Meanwhile, it was reported today that the Cabinet is now discussing a proposal to hold a round-table conference in London on Palestine with the participation of Jews and Arabs, and observers of other nations.

The Manchester Guardian, in a lengthy editorial yesterday, said that if England wishes American help, it must take into consideration American wishes with regard to Palestine. The paper stressed the disadvantages of referring the Palestine problem to the United Nations Council, which does not exist as yet, and said that the partitioning of Palestine still seems the best solution.

Declaring that the British Government can no longer continue a policy the total results of which have been American criticism, Arab suspicion and Jewish rebellion, the editorial concluded: "Britain should not forget that it promised a national home to the Jews. We may not like our child, but we cannot now disown it, or abandon it at the doors of the United Nations."

In an address at Golcar, Yorkshire, today, Fenner Brockway, secretary of the left-wing Independent Labor Party, advocated an "alliance" between the Jewish Agency and the Arab League to secure the industrial and agricultural development of the entire Middle East. He urged Jews and Arabs to join in demanding the immediate independence of Palestine and establishment of a bi-national state.

UNDERGROUND JEWISH RADIO WARNS COLONISTS WILL DEFEY ULTIMATUM TO SURRENDER ATHLIT FUGITIVES

JERUSALEM, Oct. 14. (JTA) -- Replying to a police ultimatum that the colonists of Jagur and Beth Oren surrender the organizers of the raid on the Athlit internment camp, who are believed to be hiding there, as well as all escaped internees, or face collective punishment, the secret "Voice of Israel" station today declared that no one will be turned over to the police and any collective punishment will be resisted.

In the event that the Palestine Government imposes fines upon the settlements and the latter refuse to pay, the authorities may seize the colonists' land and property and sell them at public auction. What action the settlers will take if the Government moves to take over their land remains to be seen, but today's broadcast seems to indicate that violence would result.

A conference today of the presidents, premiers and foreign ministers of Syria and Lebanon issued a communique in Damascus declaring that they will act jointly with other Arab states to "combat Zionist infiltration." The meeting is regarded as a preliminary to the Arab League conference, which is scheduled to open in Cairo at the end of this month.

ANTI-JEWISH TERROR STILL CONTINUES IN POLAND; JEWS KILLED IN SEVERAL TOWNS

WARSAW, Oct. 14. (JTA) — Although the Government is taking energetic measures to combat anti-Jewish terrorists, a summary of anti-Jewish outbreaks which took place during the last month, which was published here today, reveals that attacks on Jews continue and that in a number of towns Jews are still being murdered by organized bands.

The report discloses that Jews were killed in the course of the last few weeks in the towns of Czenstochowa, Gniwosnow, Opatow and Starachowice. All these attacks were of an organized character. In some places the Jews were warned to leave town. In others, the bandits wore uniforms of militiamen. Some of the assailants were captured, the report says.

It was announced here today that in Lodz there are at present 19,872 Jews registered with the local Jewish committee. In the city of Rajchenberg - formerly known as Opola - in Silesia, a total of 5,400 Jews registered with the local committee. In Cracow there are 4,552 Jews registered, in Sosnowiec 3,002; in Katowice 2,152; in Czenstochowa 2,462; in Lublin 2,342; in Przemysl 1,231; in Bendzin 1,501 in Radom 959; in Bydgoszcz 872; in Oswiecim 790; in Chelm 572; in Piotrkow 372; in Tarnow 370; in Kielce 360; in Kielce 243; in Ostrowiec 187; in Tomaszow 149.

Also registered with local Jewish communities are 183 Jews in Lukow, 171 in Kloczawek, 162 in Debrowa-Gornicza, 167 in Gleiwic, 142 in Radomsk, 146 in Pabianice, 142 in Dziarszyce, 147 in Sanok, 157 in Zawierce, 122 in Chirziw, 99 in Szydlowice, 88 in Starzysko, 82 in Myslowiece, 70 in Wiolun, 67 in Krynsk, 63 in Sandomiers, 61 in Jedzejow, 61 in Chmielnik, 61 in Ozorkow, 50 in Kutno, 145 in Turek and 43 in Skiernewice.

There are also 43 Jews in Bialobrzeg, 45 in Chrzanow, 38 in Olkusz, 37 in Lawez, 27 in Sieradz, 33 in Rawa-Mazowiecka, 30 in Konin, 28 in Myszkowice, 23 in Zehre, 24 in Radziejow, 24 in Jedlin, 21 in Janow-Podlaski, 18 in Klodawa, 15 in Brzesce-Kujawski, 13 in Izbica-Kujawska, 10 in Opoczno, 9 in Kowal, 7 in Apt, 3 in Klazawa and 2 in Dabrowice.

ANTICIPATE INDICTMENT OF NAZI WAR CRIMINALS WILL CONTAIN SECTION ON ANTI-JEWISH CRIMES

LONDON, Oct. 14. (JTA) — Jewish circles here anticipate that the 24,000-word indictment of the chiefs of the Nazi hierarchy, which is to be made public in Berlin tomorrow at the first public session of the four-power War Crimes Tribunal, will contain an indictment of Germany for organizing massacres of Jews throughout Europe.

Tomorrow's session will be held in the huge Assizes courtroom in the Reich capital, and will adjourn immediately after receiving the indictment. The trial will resume in Nuremberg next month. The defendants, all of whom are in custody, at Nuremberg, or dead, with the exception of Martin Bormann, Hess' successor as Hitler's deputy, will not be present in court tomorrow.

The Moscow radio, in an English-language broadcast today, sharply attacks the British defense counsel in the Lueneburg trial for its attitude and statements deriding the victims of fascism. The tactics of the defense, the broadcast says, go so far beyond the framework of professional duty as to seem to be dictated by a desire to turn the trial into an ordinary criminal trial. What is astonishing, it continued, is the defense's persistent efforts to refute at all costs the irrefutable evidence of the terrible crimes of the accused.

WORLD TRADE UNION FEDERATION ASKS IMMIGRATION INTO PALESTINE, JEWISH-ARAB AMITY

PARIS, Oct. 14. (JTA) -- Support for Jewish immigration into Palestine has been approved by the World Trade Union Federation's executive bureau and a letter expressing this view is to be sent to the British Government, it was reported here today.

The executive is also considering nomination of delegates to investigate the situation in Palestine and Vicente Lombardo Toledano, Latin American representative, was mentioned as probable chairman of the investigation.

The executive further agreed that the federation should do its utmost in helping to remove antagonisms between Jewish and Arab workers and trade unions in Palestine and to help them reach mutual understanding and cooperation. These resolutions reaffirm the position taken by the World Trade Union Conference in London last February.

JEWS IN BERGEN-BELSEN CAMP TREATED BADLY, BRITISH CORRESPONDENT REPORTS

LONDON, Oct. 14. (JTA) -- Displaced Jews in the Bergen-Belsen camp, in the British zone in Germany, have been forbidden to display slogans calling for the opening of Palestine to Jews, a correspondent of the Sunday Observer reports, disclosing that such a sign was torn down from the offices of the camp's Jewish committee.

He confirms that the Yiddish newspaper issued by the D.P.'s has been banned, and must circulate underground, and that a hunger strike was called last Sunday to protest a reduction in rations. There are no Jews on the camp committee to deal with specific Jewish problems, the correspondent reveals.

REPATRIATION OF GERMAN AND AUSTRIAN REFUGEES FROM ENGLAND IS ASKED BY LONDON GROUP

LONDON, Oct. 14. (JTA) -- The repatriation of German and Austrian refugees now in England is asked in a petition which a delegation from the Hamstead district is submitting tomorrow to the House of Commons.

The petition, which bears 300 signatures, suggests that pending repatriation arrangements, the refugees should be housed in camps hitherto occupied by the army and by war prisoners, as well as in requisitioned hotels. It emphasizes that the request for the repatriation of the refugees is "neither political, nor anti-Semitic."

The first action against anti-Jewish propagandists in Hyde Park was taken yesterday by a judge who banned scap-box speakers who delivered anti-Jewish speeches from entering the park for a year.

1,000 REPATRIATES FROM TRANSNISTRIA SAILING FOR PALESTINE THIS WEEK

BUCHAREST, Oct. 14. (JTA) -- About 1,000 Jews, mostly deportees repatriated from Transnistria, will sail from Constanza on Oct. 20 for Haifa aboard the S.S. Transylvania, the Bucharest radio said today.

A statement issued here by the Central Committee of Rumanian Democratic Jews denies the allegations contained in an Italian broadcast which charged that the Jews in Rumania were being mistreated. "Rumanian Jews enjoy full equality under the government of Premier Groza," the broadcast said. It charged that the reports on which the Italian broadcast was based originated with "elements of Jews who cooperated with Antonescu."

NY DAILY NEWS VAGUE ON ANTI-SEMITIC SLUR; SAYS COLUMNISTS ENJOY LEEWAY

NEW YORK, Oct. 14. (JTA) -- The New York Daily News, which was severely criticized by Jewish organizations for an anti-Jewish article by its Washington columnist, John O'Donnell, who alleged that Jews conspired to secure the dismissal of Gen. Patton, yesterday published an editorial stating its own position on the subject of anti-Semitism. The editorial, however, failed to repudiate O'Donnell's allegations.

Emphasizing that "columnists are given wide leeway in expressing their own views" and that only the editorial column expresses the views of the paper, the News says: "The News is neither anti-Semitic nor pro-Semitic; neither anti-Catholic nor pro-Catholic; neither anti-Protestant nor pro-Protestant. One of the foundation stones of this country is freedom of religion - that each American should be allowed to worship God in the way he believes best."

The paper emphasizes that it is "still pro-American, still for America first, as we have always been." It says it supported the America First Committee "because we thought they had the best answer to the question of how best to protect the United States."

"The argument was ended, though not decided, at Pearl Harbor, Dec. 7, 1941," the editorial continues. "The America First Committee disbanded, and the name was taken over by Gerald L. K. Smith, since which time it has taken on a sinister connotation. For backing the original America First outfit, we never apologized and don't expect to."

IDEA OF "CHOSEN PEOPLE" NOT JUSTIFIABLE NOW, DR. MORDECAI KAPLAN TELLS CONFERENCE

NEW YORK, Oct. 14. (JTA) -- "The idea of the Chosen People was justifiable religious doctrine in ancient Judaism," but "today it is not merely untenable, but also detrimental to a normal adjustment of the Jew to his environment," Dr. Mordecai M. Kaplan, declared today at the annual conference of the Jewish Reconstructionist Foundation, Inc., held at the Hotel McAlpin.

"That idea is warranted, to be sure, in the realm of opinion as an assertion of Judaism's contribution to the religion of mankind in the past," Dr. Kaplan continued. "But it is not as such an opinion that it is included in the traditional Prayer Book. There it is in the realm of dogma and is meant to affirm that the Jewish people has been chosen to occupy forever the central place in the divine scheme of salvation. As such it neither is nor can be any longer accepted by modern-minded Jews."

Dr. Kaplan stated that it is an illusion, however, to believe that Jews have only one type of religion. "The fact is that they have had at least three dominant types," he said. "Recently the Reform movement added a fourth and now Reconstructionism is adding a fifth type." To prevent the different types of religion from being divisive, Jews must find their common denominator in their tradition and in a united effort to establish a Jewish national home in Palestine for those who want to or must go there, he declared.

DR. SACHER WILL DIRECT JEWISH YOUTH ACTIVITIES OF B'NAI B'RITH COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, Oct. 14. (JTA) -- Dr. Abram L. Sachar, since 1932 national director of B'nai B'rith Hillel Foundations, has assumed the additional responsibility of planning, implementing and directing an over-all B'nai B'rith youth program under the B'nai B'rith Youth Commission, it was announced here by Henry Monsky, president of B'nai B'rith and chairman of its youth commission.

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