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106 EAST 41st STREET, NEW YORK 17, N. Y.ANGLO-AMERICAN INQUIRY COMMITTEE WRITES UNANIMOUS REPORT; COMPROMISE INDICATED

LAUSANNE, April 21, (JTA) -- Judge Joseph C. Hutcheson and Sir John Single-
ton, British and American co-chairmen of the Anglo-American Committee of Inquiry on
Palestine, are en route by air to their respective governments bearing a compromise,
and unanimous, report, it was learned here today.

The committee completed its deliberations yesterday, well within the 120-
day period allotted it. Despite all the rumors which have circulated in recent weeks,
and despite the frequently acrimonious debate which occurred while the recommendations
were being drafted, no minority report was written.

From today on, the fate of Palestine rests in the hands of the two govern-
ments and the Anglo-American inquiry committee no longer exists, its members scatter-
ing to their homes in England or the United States. It is assumed that the State De-
partment and the Foreign Office will contact each other for the purpose of arranging
simultaneous release of the report in Washington and London.

It is not known yet if the report will be released immediately, or whether
the two governments will first consult as to the decisions to be taken on the basis
of the report, and release it only when they are ready to announce these decisions.
It is understood that when the committee visited Foreign Minister Bevin during its
hearings in London, he intimated that whatever they recommended would be acted upon.

In the 104 days that elapsed between Jan. 7, when it opened hearings in
Washington, and yesterday, the committee, in part or in whole, visited London, Paris,
Vienna, Berlin, Stuttgart, Munich, Nuremberg, Frankfurt, Prague, Warsaw, Cairo, Jerusa-
lem, Beirut, Damascus, Baghdad and Riyadh, studying the problems of the Jews of Europe
both in and out of displaced persons camps and in the Middle East, and the problems
of Palestine.

YUGOSLAV JEWS ARRESTED AT TRIESTE EN ROUTE TO ITALY; LA SPEZIA REFUGEES VOTE DELAY

ROME, April 21. (JTA) -- Four hundred Jewish refugees en route from Yugo-
slavia to Italy, apparently in the hope of eventually emigrating to Palestine, were
detained at Trieste, it was reported here today. The refugees were taken to a camp
at Bologna which is under the jurisdiction of the Allied Control Commission.

Meanwhile, the 1,040 passengers aboard the "Fede" at La Spezia have decided
to postpone their departure for Palestine until April 26. Their decision was taken
following receipt of a cable from Harold Laski, chairman of the British Labor Party,
stating that the British Government would announce its decision within a week. Laski
said that he had met with Foreign Secretary Bevin, and the latter "showed great in-
terest" in the case.

The cable arrived as the leaders of the would-be immigrants received word
that another Italian vessel, the "Fenice," would join the "Fede" in case the British

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ated to the trip on the grounds that the first vessel was overcrowded. It was to the assembled Jews as they gathered on the dock to commemorate the third anniversary of the Warsaw ghetto battle.

"We are impatient to leave -- and we will leave," one leader stated, "but we rely on Prof. Laski's good-will and sympathy for our cause, and that is the reason we decided to wait another week. At the same time, we are preparing to sail if a favorable decision is not reached by the British by next Friday, or if that decision seems that we consider negative."

He explained that a negative decision would include one splitting the group into two -- one to leave now and the second next month, a move which has been reported as the probable British solution. The spokesman emphasized the refugees' determination to resist any British attempt to hinder the voyage by the exercise of force, adding that "the tragic consequences of any such attempt would be on the heads of the British."

Leader Hints Refugees Might Blow Up Ship If Detained

He hinted that the immigrants might even go so far as to blow up the ship and themselves, explaining that "our lives don't matter. What only matters is our desire -- immediate immigration to Palestine for all Jews left alive in Europe who want to go."

There is definite evidence that the group is planning an early departure. Water tanks are being refilled while scores of men and women, clad in shorts and shirts, are disinfecting all parts of the ship. There are no police -- either British or Italian -- around the dock area and, so far as this correspondent can tell, there is no British force in town sufficiently strong to restrain the vessel from departing.

The police originally stationed on the deck of the ship departed after Prof. Laski obtained from the refugees their pledge not to try to escape. Two members of the British Field Security Service -- one a sergeant and the other in civilian clothes -- are spending most of their time sun-bathing or in the lobby of La Spezia's only major hotel, bemoaning the fate which ordered them here to keep watch on developments, such as the arrival and departure of American correspondents. The sergeant hinted darkly that "measures might be taken" if the ship attempted to leave. Told that the leaders intended to notify the press and the authorities when they were ready to sail, he said, "You mean when they think they're ready."

TRANSJORDAN RAILROAD WORKERS WALK OUT ON HEELS OF ABDULLAH'S CALL FOR STRIKE END

JERUSALEM, April 21. (JTA) -- On the heels of Emir Abdullah's call yesterday for Arab workers in Palestine to withdraw from the strike of 50,000 government employees, Transjordan railway employees walked out today in sympathy with the Palestinian strikers. The ruler of Transjordan made his appeal at a reception tendered him in the city of Hebron.

The postal workers' walkout, which precipitated the country-wide strike wave, entered its twelfth day, while the sympathy strike of railroad, utility, telephone, telegraph and other civil service workers is now in its sixth day.

It is understood that emergency measures to deal with the disruption of services resulting from the strikes were discussed yesterday at a meeting of the Palestine Government's executive council. Discussions between Government officials and strike leaders are continuing, but neither side would make any comment, although the Government is believed ready to make some wage concessions.

17,000 RUMANIAN JEWS REPATRIATED FROM USSR; WERE DEPORTED BY FASCIST REGIME

BUCHAREST, April 19. (JTA) -- A total of 17,000 Rumanian Jews have passed through Czernowitz en route home from the Soviet Ukraine, to which they were deported by the former Fascist government, it was reported today.

GERMAN, HUNGARIAN JEWS IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA CANNOT OBTAIN RELIEF PARCELS FROM ABROAD

PRAGUE, April 21. (JTA) -- Czechoslovakian Jews who registered as of German or Hungarian nationality in the 1930 census cannot obtain relief parcels from Jewish relief organizations abroad, it was learned here today.

The Ministry of the Exchequer has refused to permit relief parcels to be delivered to the Jewish community councils free of customs charges unless the Supreme Council of the Federation of Jewish Community Councils signs a statement promising to distribute the packages only to Jews who registered as of Czechoslovak, Slavic, or other Allied nationality in 1930. The Supreme Council refused to sign such a statement. Jewish leaders expect that treasury department officials will take a more favorable view of the situation and will reverse the decision.

ARAB MAYOR OF HEBRON SUBMITS PETITION TO TRANSJORDAN RULER ASKING "ANSCHLUSS"

JERUSALEM, April 21. (JTA) -- The Arab mayor of Hebron has forwarded to Emir Abdullah, ruler of Transjordan, a petition, which is said to contain the signatures of 5,000 citizens of the city, demanding political union with Transjordan, it was reported here today.

The Palestine Arab Higher Committee is meeting here today to take a stand on the Government's granting permission to the 1,040 Jewish refugees, now detained at La Spezia, Italy, to enter Palestine. Tel Aviv Jews have already prepared 100 layettes for the expectant mothers aboard the "Fede," at La Spezia.

It was announced today that the Sephardic Jews and the Zionist Revisionists, who have hitherto refused to participate in the Jewish National Council, have decided to join. Their decision is a result of a rapprochement arrived at during the hunger strike, in which Sephardic and Revisionist leaders joined.

SOVIET GOVERNMENT GRANTS 2,000,000 RUBLES FOR NEW JEWISH THEATER IN BIR-BIDJAN

MOSCOW, April 21. (JTA) -- A Government grant of 2,000,000 rubles for the construction of a new theater in Biro-Bidjan was announced here today. The building which will house the Kaganovich State Theater is planned as an expansion measure for the expected increase in population in the Jewish autonomous region.

At the same time, it was reported that a department of history of the Jewish theater has been established at the State Jewish Theatrical School in Moscow. The department, which was named for Solomon Mikhoels, chairman of the Jewish Anti-Fascist Committee of the U.S.S.R., plans to publish a number of works describing the major phases of the development of the Jewish stage.

WISE AGENCY REPRESENTATIVE ARRIVES IN BERLIN TO HELP JEWISH COMMUNITY, DP'S

BERLIN, April 21. (JTA) -- Chaim Chanowitz, a representative of the Jewish agency, arrived here today to set up an office to work in conjunction with UNRRA and other relief organizations aiding displaced Jews and the local Jewish community. The chief function of the office will be the organization of educational programs for DP's.

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CONFISCATED JEWISH PROPERTY NOW IN NEUTRAL COUNTRIES TO BE RETURNED TO OWNERS OR HEIRS

NEW YORK, April 21. (JTA) -- Property seized from Jews in Europe after 1933 and now located in neutral countries will be restored to their owners, or their heirs, if they can be found, or will be made available for Jewish rehabilitation and resettlement, it was announced today by the American Jewish Conference on the basis of correspondence with the State Department.

The State Department notified the American Jewish Conference that it has taken under advisement the proposal advanced by the Conference that heirless Jewish property should be made available for Jewish rehabilitation and resettlement.

The sum of \$25,000,000, allocated under the Paris Reparation Agreement for the rehabilitation and resettlement of non-repatriable victims of German action, constitutes a first and prior charge on the proceeds of German external assets, the American Jewish Conference has been assured in the communication received from the State Department.

J. Kenneth Galbraith, director of the Office of Economic Security Policy of the State Department, discussing the statement and recommendations on reparations submitted to the Secretary of State by the Conference, declared that the State Department "has reason to believe" that this is also the view of France and the United Kingdom. The three governments will therefore support this position in future international negotiations, both with the neutral countries involved and in the Inter-Allied Reparation Agency.

As for the non-monetary gold found by Allied forces in Germany, which is to be made available to the Intergovernmental Committee on Refugees over and above the \$5,000,000 referred to, it is contemplated that the gold would be melted down, sold for foreign exchange, and the proceeds turned over to the Committee.

The American Jewish Conference is now preparing memoranda for submission to the "Big Four" meeting of Foreign Ministers scheduled for London on April 25th and the subsequent peace conference to be held in Paris in May. Since the treaties in question will affect considerable numbers of Jews now living in Rumania, Hungary, and Bulgaria, efforts will be made to have appropriate safeguard clauses inserted in the various treaties.

Joint consultations between representatives of the American Jewish Conference, the Board of Deputies of British Jews and the World Jewish Congress are scheduled to take place in London during the month of May. Among the points to be discussed at the consultations is the extension and expansion of the tripartite agreement to include representative Jewish organizations from other countries.

NON-JEWS OF DALLAS RAISE \$70,000 FOR UNITED JEWISH APPEAL CAMPAIGN

NEW YORK, April 21. (JTA) -- The non-Jews of Dallas, Texas, contributed \$70,000 in one week to the United Jewish Appeal campaign for \$100,000,000, the U.J.A. announced today.

The non-Jewish drive was conceived by a Catholic rector, a Methodist minister, and a Baptist layman and was sparked by two of the city's leading newspapers, the Times-Herald and the News. The newspapers pointed out in editorials that the Jews of Dallas had taken part in every community charity drive, and that now they needed the aid of all Christians as well as Jews. With the \$70,000 contributed by Christians, the U.J.A. campaign in Dallas passed the \$750,000 mark, nearly twice the quota of \$400,000 set for the city.

CORNERSTONE LAID FOR FIRST SYNAGOGUE IN BOLIVIAN CITY; GOVT. OFFICIALS ATTEND CEREMONY

LA PAZ, Bolivia, April 21. (JTA) -- The cornerstone of the first synagogue in the city of Cochabamba, in the province of Cochabamba in central Bolivia, was laid at a ceremony attended by Government officials and leaders of the recently organized Jewish community there. Isaac Antaki, local business man and philanthropist, acted as chairman.

COMMANDER JOSHUA L. GOLDBERG, FIRST JEWISH CHAPLAIN TO JOIN NAVY, RECEIVES COMMENDATION

NEW YORK, April 21. (JTA) -- An official commendation has been awarded Commander Joshua L. Goldberg, Liaison Officer for the Chaplain's Division of the Bureau of Naval Personnel, by Secretary of the Navy James Forrestal, it was announced here today. The citation reads as follows:

"For outstanding performance of duty as Assistant District Chaplain in the Third Naval District, New York, New York, from January 21, 1942, to December 12, 1945. As the first Jewish chaplain to volunteer his services to the United States Navy at the beginning of World War II, Commander Goldberg established a high standard of religious ministry and by his unusual abilities, complete devotion to duty and his faithfulness to the traditions of the Navy, contributed to the good will and cooperative fellowship among those who provided religious ministry to service personnel.

"In his additional capacity as Liaison Officer for the Chaplain's Division of the Bureau of Naval Personnel, he acted as consultant and advisor on all matters pertaining to the work and service of the Jewish Chaplains and instituted several religious programs recognized for their effectiveness and recommended for all Naval Districts. His readiness to be of aid to all chaplains throughout the Navy, coupled with his efficient procurement and distribution of religious supplies to all groups, contributed directly to the morale and the spiritual welfare of naval personnel and were in keeping with the highest traditions of the United States Naval Service."

AMERICAN JEWISH CONGRESS TO HOLD EMERGENCY CONFERENCE ON AID TO JEWS OVERSEAS

NEW YORK, April 21. (JTA) -- An emergency conference to map plans for immediate aid to surviving Jews in Europe and Shanghai will be held here by the American Jewish Congress on April 28th, it was announced today.

In a message to the conference, Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt described the plight of the refugee and displaced Jews whom she had seen on her recent trip to Europe and said: "The American people have been extremely generous and deeply concerned, but until these people are reestablished with some sense of security, we can leave no source of help untapped."

PALESTINE JEWISH LEADER COMING TO U.S. TO START DRIVE FOR JERUSALEM YMHA BUILDING

JERUSALEM, April 21. (JTA) -- Zalman White, local Jewish leader, has departed for the United States to inaugurate a fund drive for the construction of a building for the Jerusalem Young Men's Hebrew Association. Half the sum needed for the edifice has already been subscribed by Jerusalem Jews.