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170 STERNISTS WHO BROKE OUT OF JAFFA JAIL TRANSFERRED TO ACRE; 30 STILL AT LARGE

JAFFA, Oct. 10. (JTA)--About 170 Stern Group prisoners who staged a demonstration yesterday, overpowering the guards and taking over control of the prison, surrendered to the military police before dawn this morning. They were loaded into lorries and transferred to Acre prison where the authorities grimly promised that treatment "won't be so lax."

About 30 detainees who walked out of the prison yesterday were still at large today and were the objects of an intensive man-hunt. The authorities predicted a speedy return or recapture of all fugitives.

Meanwhile, the military authorities opened a searching inquiry into the administration of the Jaffa prison to determine responsibility for the conditions enabling the Sternists to stage their demonstration, which the Hebrew press denounced today as a serious blow to the Israeli Government's prestige.

A senior military police official denied today that the Sternists had been in virtual control within the prison for the last fortnight, explaining that they were confined to cells but were permitted free use of the large exercise yard. Asked why the prison guards had not used arms to prevent the break, he replied that the prisoners, after making their escape by leaping over the wall, had mixed with the crowd of women and children outside the prison who had come to visit the Sternists, and it would have been impossible to take action without endangering the lives of these bystanders.

Hebrew Press Urges Government bring Sternists to Trial

The Hebrew press today described the "scandal at Jaffa" as a deliberate Sternist attempt to expose the government to ridicule and demanded a searching investigation into responsibility for conditions permitting it. Haaretz, while urging an investigation, called on the government to act immediately to bring the Sternists to trial and not to prolong their detention without giving them a day in court.

The Sternists were given the full run of the prison for 19 hours while the authorities made preparations for the restoration of order. It was not until 5 o'clock this morning that the authorities acted with an ultimatum to the Sternists, which the prisoners accepted.

An official account of the events at Jaffa prison said that after mustering forces during the night, the Army presented an ultimatum to the Sternists to come out in groups of five, submit to search, and board the buses which were parked outside the prison walls in the pitch dark pre-dawn.

Two Stern Group representatives asked for a meeting with the military commander of the operation, who said: "No bargaining, the ultimatum is final, if you do not come out by 6:15, every force available will be used and every soldier ordered to open fire if any detainee tries to escape." With a few minutes left before the expiration, the representatives announced acceptance of the terms.

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PALESTINE QUESTION MAY COME UP FOR GENERAL DEBATE IN U.N. THIS WEEK; SHERTOK SEE DULLES

PARIS, Oct. 10. (JTA)--The belief that general debate of the Palestine question may begin this week in the United Nations was voiced here today in informed circles. These quarters said that the arrival here a few days ago of acting Palestine mediator Dr. Ralph Bunche was linked to this possibility.

Israeli Foreign Minister Moshe Shertok conferred today with John Foster Dulles, foreign affairs advisor to Presidential candidate Governor Thomas E. Dewey, who is expected to be appointed Secretary of State in the event of a Republican victory in November. The meeting between Shertok and Dulles, which followed an earlier conference between the Israeli Foreign Minister and Dr. Bunche, aroused lively speculation here since it came after Dulles' return from consultations with Dewey in the U.S. and his earlier statement that he had not been consulted by Secretary Marshall before the latter issued his endorsement of the Bernadotte plan.

Meanwhile, the Israeli delegation to the U.N. reported over the week-end that it is "making progress" in informal discussions with various delegations here. The Israeli delegates say that when they are shown a map of Israel most representatives to the U.N. express surprise at the extent of territory which the Jewish state would lose under terms of the Bernadotte proposals.

Aubrey S. Eban, head of the Israeli mission to the U.N., in a letter to the President of the Security Council, charged the U.N. with failure to remedy six "grave violations of the truce on the Arab side" which jeopardized the positions and interests of Israel.

Emphasizing that his statement did not attempt to list all Arab violations, Eban declared that the major violations cited had a "lasting detrimental effect on the position of Israel. In all these cases, the U.N. representatives have not been able to give effect to their rulings which the Arabs systematically disregarded," he charged.

Following are the six major violations:

1. The Jerusalem water supply, which is still not in operation, the blasted Iatron pumping station, unrepared, and the population existing on the most meager water allowance.
2. The road to the Negev, the statement complained of the failure of the Egyptians to observe Gen. Aage Lundstroom's ruling of Aug. 18 providing for the unimpeded use of the crossroads at Karatiyah by both sides for six-hour periods, alternatively.
3. Bir Asluj in the Negev was occupied by the Egyptians Aug. 5 under the eyes of U.N. observers, who persuaded the Israelis not to counter-attack, undertaking to obtain an evacuation which has not occurred to date.
4. At Mishmar Hayarden the Syrians occupied a vital height, violating the line-fixing agreement signed by the Israeli and Arab commanders. The height has still not yet been evacuated and "here again the U.N. representatives were unable to enforce their decisions."
5. The Arab Legion commanders, after signing an undertaking to evacuate positions in n-man's land at Deir Abu Tor and Mt. Zion, did not comply.
6. Mt. Scopus, where, despite a mid-July agreement demilitarizing the Hebrew University and Hadassah Hospital Area, only one convey actually passed through.

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U.N. HEADQUARTERS IN HAIFA WARNS JEWS AND ARABS TO PUT IMMEDIATE END TO NEGEV FIGHTING

TEL AVIV, Oct. 10. (JTA)--U.N. headquarters in Haifa today issued a strongly-worded warning to both Jews and Arabs to halt the fighting on the southern front immediately. The warning termed the large-scale Egyptian attack in the Negev yesterday a "flagrant and grave violation of the truce."

Arab Legion artillery units today shelled Israeli positions west of the Ramallah-Latrun road. No new developments were reported in the Negev today following yesterday's heaviest assault on Jewish settlements in that area since the truce began. Several Jewish colonies were subjected to intensive Egyptian aerial bombing. An Israeli military spokesman, although declining to say whether the Egyptian attack heralded a general offensive, said the Israeli Army is prepared for any eventuality.

Top U.N. truce officials, led by Chief of Staff Gen. W. Riley, arrived here today for urgent consultations with Israeli officials.

Sporadic Shooting Continues in Jerusalem; Southern Sectors Hit

JERUSALEM, Oct. 10. (JTA)--"Enemy activity last night centered mainly around the Deir Abu Tor sector where our forces foiled an attempt by Arab troops to occupy new positions," an Israeli Army communique said today. Sporadic firing from the Arab lines, in various parts of the city, continued during the night and the morning. Jewish suburbs on the southern outskirts of Jerusalem were intermittently shelled by the Arabs yesterday and this morning, with no casualties reported, the communique said.

Rene Neuville, French Consul-General here, today accepted the chairmanship of the Consular Truce Commission, succeeding U.S. Consul-General John J. MacDonald, who is now in the United States.

BRITAIN ADVISES ABDULLAH NOT TO ENTER INTO DIRECT PEACE NEGOTIATIONS WITH ISRAEL

PARIS, Oct. 10. (JTA)--The British Government has advised King Abdullah of Transjordan not to enter into direct peace negotiations with the Israeli Government, it was learned here today.

This advice was given after reports had been received from British representatives at Cairo, Bagdad and particularly Damascus. In the light of these dispatches, the British Government concluded that if Abdullah should begin peace negotiations, he would completely isolate himself from the other Arab states and would also be seriously exposed to the risk of assassination.

BOARD OF DEPUTIES OF BRITISH JEWS ADOPTS RESOLUTION URGING BRITAIN TO RECOGNIZE ISRAEL

LONDON, Oct. 10. (JTA)--The Board of Deputies of British Jews late today adopted a resolution urging the British Government to recognize the state of Israel. The resolution also voiced the hope that Britain would support the admission of Israel to United Nations membership.

In another resolution, the Board joined with the "whole civilized world in a feeling of profound shock and distress at the tragic loss" of the late U.N. Palestine mediator Count Folke Bernadotte. The statement hoped that the government of Israel would apprehend those suspected of "complicity in this dastardly crime" and "would root out the evil of terrorism."