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ISRAEL DELEGATE AT U.N. REITERATES WARNING AGAINST INTERNATIONALIZATION OF JERUSALEM

LAKE SUCCESS, Dec. 6. (JTA) -- Any attempt on the part of the United Nations to impose internationalization on the people of Jerusalem would bring the "record of the General Assembly in Jerusalem to a fantastic pitch of negation," Aubrey Eban, permanent Israel delegate to the U.N., told the Special Political Committee today.

Confining himself to the Australian resolution voted upon favorably by a subcommittee last week, Mr. Eban declared that the people of Jerusalem "do not exist to be adapted at will to the interest or dogma of the outside world," and he asked: "Whence do the distinguished advocates of this resolution derive the moral right to play fast and loose with thousands of human beings in this way?"

He called the plan for establishing Jerusalem as a corpus separatum under U.N. Trusteeship Council control "a program for replacing the pride and freedom of Jerusalem today by anarchy and discontent, endangering both its religious and its secular peace." He pointed out that many countries representing important sections of Catholic, Protestant, Jewish and Moslem opinion opposed the Australian resolution, and he quoted documents to show that significant sectors of Christian opinion would be content solely with protection of the Holy Places which, he recalled, Israel has "freely offered to the world."

Declaring that the subcommittee had done nothing but vote on one proposal before the Committee rather than seek a meeting of ideas, Mr. Eban said: "We are forced to come back to the central issue (of implementation) with all persistence and tenacity." He repeated the many obstacles in the way of implementing the scheme of internationalization that he and Israel Foreign Minister Moshe Sharett have insistently detailed to the delegates since the start of debate on the subject.

Mr. Eban called the Committee's attention to the other proposals before it, most of which, he said, "show a far more constructive and responsible desire to achieve the religious objectives of the United Nations and testify to a growing skepticism with regard to the principle of internationalization." He said that the Israel delegation would comment on those before votes on them are taken.

The Australian resolution is considered to have simple majority support in the Committee, but not a two-thirds majority necessary for adoption in the Assembly. It is not felt, however, that the compromise resolution submitted by the Netherlands and Sweden has at this stage won anything like a two-thirds majority either.

Cuban Amendment Seeks to Soften Australian Resolution; Poland, Australia Object

The pronounced trend for a workable compromise to solve the Jerusalem issue was advanced today by the introduction of a Cuban amendment to the Australian resolution, eliminating from it the concept of a corpus separatum and an authority under the Trusteeship Council, in favor of a General Assembly statute which would limit international control to supervision and protection of the Holy Places. Observers noted that the basic elements of the Cuban amendment were lifted bodily from the Netherlands and Swedish resolution which was introduced yesterday.

Chile came out today in favor of the Netherlands-Swedish resolution, while Colombia supported the Australian resolution, showing wide divergence in the views

of the Latin American bloc. At the same time, Bolivia withdrew its resolution in favor of the Dutch-Swedish proposal because of close similarity between them. Poland, Australia and Lebanon challenged the Cuban amendment as actually a new resolution and the chairman ruled in their favor, thus avoiding a test vote on the sentiment of the Committee over basic conflicting views, as between a complete internationalized city or U.N. supervision over the Holy Places alone.

Transjordan Willing to Sign Pact with U.N. on Access to Holy Places

Transjordan declared itself willing to sign an agreement with the U.N. to guarantee freedom of worship and access to the Holy Places, adding, however, that this or any form of internationalization would serve no purpose since the Holy Places were safe and secure under the rule of his government.

Egypt argued that it was a "dangerous mistake" to consider only the Holy Places as requiring internationalization. All of Jerusalem is a holy city, the Egyptian delegate said. Great Britain, on the other hand, questioned the wisdom of a "perfectionist resolution that would be added to the limbo of disregarded Assembly resolutions of the past."

The U.N. Secretary-General received today a message from the Palestine Arab Higher Committee asserting that the problems of the Arab refugees and the future of Jerusalem were integral to the main issue of the full independence of Palestine and that any "piecemeal" General Assembly decision not emanating from the wishes of the Palestine Arabs "must be wholly disregarded."

JEWISH AGENCY REJECTS DEMILITARIZATION OF JERUSALEM; SEES THREAT OF ARAB INVASION

JERUSALEM, Dec. 6. (JTA) -- Any proposal to demilitarize Jerusalem is as unacceptable as the United Nations internationalization project, the Jewish Agency declared today.

"Surrounded from three sides by the Arab Legion," the Agency said, "citizens of the new city will never agree to remain without military protection, because the moment the city is demilitarized, the Arabs may move in."

Mayor Daniel Amster of Jewish Jerusalem made a similar statement, adding: "We will not repeat the bitter experience of 1948. We also do not want to start fighting again, as we would be forced to do if the Arabs should occupy the demilitarized city."

CAFES AND RESTAURANTS IN ISRAEL STAGE 24-HOUR STRIKE; RAIL TRAFFIC AT STANDSTILL

TEL AVIV, Dec. 6. (JTA) -- All cafes and restaurants staged a 24-hour strike today throughout the country, in protest against the introduction by the Ministry of Supplies of meat coupons for meals served in public places.

The Ministry said the strike was not justified and would not influence its action, which was designed to assure larger meat rations for the public, beginning next month.

All rail traffic in Israel was at a standstill today in a demand for improved working conditions and higher wages for skilled and unskilled men.

DELEGATION OF BRITISH OIL MEN ARRIVES IN ISRAEL; CONFERS WITH GOVERNMENT EXPERTS

TEL AVIV, Dec. 6. (JTA) -- A five-man delegation of British oil company representatives today arrived here. They immediately conferred with an Israeli Government delegation, headed by David Mcrowitz, director-general of the Treasury, on various oil problems.

ISRAEL'S FOREIGN POLICY DEFINED BY SHARETT; SPEARS OF RELATIONS TO FOREIGN POWERS

LAKE SUCCESS, Dec. 6. (JTA) -- The Israel foreign policy can best be described as "non-identification," as distinct from neutrality, Foreign Ministry Moshe Sharett told press representatives here.

Neutrality is an inappropriate designation, he said, because although Israel refuses to become entangled in the self-interest of any foreign power or group of states it has positive notions about war which could mean the annihilation of the Jewish people and about democracy which Israel is developing to the fullest extent.

He noted a special situation in Israel in the close ties of world Jewry. Although presently there is constant contact with American Jews and a flow of capital from the west to Israel, the country is anxious to reach a similar contact with Soviet Jewry, now made impossible by the Soviet authorities for their own reasons, which he said he did not presume to judge.

Throughout his analysis Mr. Sharett emphasized that Israel would refrain from identifying itself with either side in the cold war and would reject association with any imperialist schemes.

ISRAEL SENDS REPRESENTATIVES TO VATICAN TO ARRANGE PILGRIMAGES TO HOLY PLACES

TEL AVIV, Dec. 6. (JTA) -- Israel's Interministerial Committee for the Holy Year Christian Pilgrims will send delegates to Rome in a few days for a conference with Vatican authorities on final arrangements, it was reported here today.

Just before Christmas, when pilgrims are expected to begin arriving for a tour of the Holy Places, officials of the Immigration Ministry and the Customs and Treasury departments will leave for European ports. They will join groups of pilgrims leaving for Palestine and will complete on board ship the necessary formalities for a visit to Israel, thus avoiding delays on landing at this country's ports.

The Israel Government will leave no stone unturned in facilitating travel in Israel of Christian pilgrims in the Vatican's Holy Year of 1950, it was stated today following a meeting held by the Interministerial Committee.

BRITISH BANK OFFERS LOAN TO JEWISH AGENCY; INSURANCE COMPANIES MAY INVEST IN ISRAEL

LONDON, Dec. 6. (JTA) -- A large British banking institution has proffered a considerable loan to the Jewish Agency for development purposes, it was reported today. It was also reported that the Israel Government has notified insurance companies that they may now invest in Israel enterprises, both government and private.

Meir Grossman, member of the Jewish Agency executive, left here today for Brussels on the first lap of a tour of Western European countries in the interest of promoting investment in Israel. He emphasized that his current visit to Britain is not an official Israel government mission, but is aimed at contacting private industrial and commercial circles to interest them in investing in the Jewish state. He added that he planned to meet Jewish and non-Jewish financial circles.

ZIONIST ACTIONS COMMITTEE WILL MEET IN JERUSALEM NEXT APRIL. JEWISH AGENCY ANNOUNCES

JERUSALEM, Dec. 6. (JTA) -- The Jewish Agency here announced today that the Zionist Actions Committee will meet in Jerusalem in April, 1950.

GERMAN STATES IN U.S. ZONE MAKE FIRST INDEMNIFICATION PAYMENTS UNDER CLAIMS LAW

MUNICH, Dec. 6. (JTA) -- The first claims for indemnification under the General Claims Law have already been made in the three German states in the United States zone of occupation. A small number of claims have been paid, up to a total of 3,000 marks, but only to persons who claimed more than twice that amount and who have been residing in Germany continuously since Jan. 1, 1947.

In this city, the Bavarian Restitution Office has finally published the new regulations covering claims for damages to health, bodily injury and death, and damages caused by arrest by the Nazis. The regulations make no distinction between Germans and non-Germans, as long as the victims suffered at the hands of the Nazis. Persons who emigrated from Germany before May 9, 1945 because of religious, racial or political persecution are also eligible for indemnification. DP's who suffered at the hands of the Germans and who resided in one of the three states after their liberation are eligible, even if they emigrated after May 9, 1945.

Persons now living outside of Germany are entitled to indemnification, if they qualify in all other respects, but no claims will be sent out of the country. Instead, special accounts will be opened by the various provincial restitution offices for persons who cannot at this time transfer such funds abroad.

However, all claims either by persons in or outside of Germany, must be filed by March 31, 1950. Applications from abroad may be filed by registered mail or by a duly empowered representative in Germany. All applications must include an affidavit that the applicant was living in Germany on or before Jan. 1, 1947.

POLISH GOVERNMENT EXPLAINS RELATIONS BETWEEN JEWISH COMMUNITY AND ITSELF

WARSAW, Dec. 6. (JTA) -- The Polish Government today issued a statement explaining the relations between itself and the Jewish community.

The statement, in the form of a communique from the Ministry for Public Administration, revealed that the government is permitting Polish Jews who wish, to depart for Israel. The statement declared that the government has arranged to facilitate the departure of such Jews by speeding up the granting of exit visas and by arranging for their transportation under the aegis of the government travel agency.

Asserting that it is obvious that those who leave are primarily linked ideologically with the Zionist movement and that they had a great deal of influence in the Zionist movement and institutions in this country, the communique emphasized that their departure will result in the stopping of Zionist activities and the liquidation of such organizations.

A majority of the Jewish people of Poland, the statement continued, appreciating the full equality of rights which they enjoy in Poland, have no intention of leaving and for that reason the TOZ, Jewish Historical Institute and Jewish Society for Culture, as well as the "Religious Association of the Mosaic Faith in Poland"--formerly the Jewish Religious Congregation--will continue to exist in Poland.

Explaining the situation in relation to the Joint Distribution Committee, the statement said that because the Jews had suffered so greatly during the war this government had agreed to permit the J.D.C.'s special operations in Poland immediately after the war. However, since Poland has integrated the Jewish people within the general population in the economic rehabilitation and physical reconstruction of the country, the services of the J.D.C. are no longer required and that organization was so informed in October, the communique concluded.

SOUTH AFRICAN JEWS MEET 500 JEWISH REF'S FROM SHANGHAI WHEN SHIP DOCKS AT CAPE TOWN

CAPE TOWN, So. Africa, Dec. 6. (JTA) -- Throngs filled the piers when the Woodster Victory docked here briefly and held a reception for a thousand persons emigrating from China. Five hundred of the passengers are Jewish and 420 of them are bound for Israel.

Israel Consul Y. Gulan extended greetings to the emigrants on behalf of their new country. He said later that he found it a most moving occasion, with many of the passengers in tears out of gratitude for the cordiality of the reception accorded them by Capetown's Jewish community. Gifts for their comfort during the rest of the voyage were presented to the travelers.

Among the Jews were many from Shanghai, Harbin and Tientsin. There were also Iraqi Jews who had gone to Shanghai in recent years, as well as others from Turkey who had been in Manila. The passengers who had come from Communist China said that the new Peking regime showed friendliness toward them and treated them well. It was, however, no longer possible to continue their businesses, hence they had decided to leave, they said.

The ship had a stormy voyage during which two elderly passengers died. Passage was arranged by the International Refugee Organization. The vessel is expected to arrive in Naples Dec. 19, when the Israel-bound emigrants will be transhipped for Haifa.

JEWISH COMMUNITY OF BOMBAY THEROES OPEN DOORS OF ITS INSTITUTIONS TO ALL INHABITANTS

CALCUTTA, Dec. 6. (JTA) -- The Jewish community of Bombay has thrown open the doors of all its institutions, such as the Judean Club and various sports organizations, to all members of the Indian public, Maurice Paphet, vice-president of the Bombay Zionist Association, declared today in an address to the Calcutta Judean Club.

The speaker said that the move manifested the "sincere intention" of the Bombay Jews to eliminate racial segregation, and he pleaded with local Jewish community leaders to do similarly. He declared that Jews should behave "as Indians of the Jewish faith." This, he said, did not mean that Jews should assimilate or merge their identity with the Indian people, but that politically they should recognize that they are citizens obeying the constitution of a free India, and at the same time preserving the principles of their Jewish faith.

EXISTENCE OF ANCIENT JEWISH COMMUNITY IN TURKEY DISCLOSED; WAS ISOLATED FOR CENTURIES

ISTANBUL, Dec. 6. (JTA) -- The existence of a Jewish community in the town of Van, in easternmost Turkey, since before the destruction of the Holy Temple in Jerusalem was revealed here this week in a report appearing in the Jewish newspaper, Turkiyenin Sesi.

Numbering 25 families and approximately 250 persons, the small group of Jews has been out of touch with the rest of the Jewish community in this country for many centuries. These Jews speak Aramaic, use Hebrew letters in their correspondence and observe all traditional Jewish practices.

The town has a synagogue which boasts a valuable library of ancient books, manuscripts and scrolls. Although no Jew from Van has as yet immigrated to Israel, national feeling is reported to be strong in the community.

FRENCH SENATOR URGES EXTENSION OF MARSHALL PLAN AID TO CRT GROUPS IN ISRAEL

PARIS, Dec. 6. (JTA) -- A call for the extension of Marshall Plan aid to the CRT was made here by the French Senator, Salomon Grumbach, presiding at a luncheon of the CRT Parliamentary Committee which was also attended by Barry Bingham, chief of the E.C.A. mission in France and Rep. Jacob J. Javits, of New York.

Sen. Grumbach pointed out that the CRT's program to train skilled workers has met with the approval of the French Ministry of Labor. Rep. Javits said that "in CRT we see the full expression of self-help and mutual cooperation." He emphasized that "by the efforts of the World CRT Union, the persecuted and underprivileged have been given a passport to freedom and usefulness."

Dr. David Liovitch, chairman of the executive committee of the World CRT Union, announced that an international gathering of the parliamentary committees of the organization, of which U.S. Sen. Brian McMahon is the head, will be held in Paris next summer. Also attending the luncheon were Pierre Segalle, French Minister of Labor, and a number of other French statesmen.

JEWISH CHAPLAINS HOLD TWO-DAY CONFERENCE; DISCUSS THEIR WORK IN MILITARY POSTS

NEW YORK, Dec. 6. (JTA)-- A two-day conference of 57 Jewish chaplains from 119 veterans hospitals and military posts in the northeastern area of the United States concluded here today. The conference, at which various aspects of the work of Jewish chaplains were discussed, was held in the headquarters of the National Jewish Welfare Board.

E.N. GRUESKIN NAMED NATIONAL CHAIRMAN OF REGIONS FOR 1950 UNITED JEWISH APPEAL

NEW YORK, Dec. 6. (JTA) -- E.N. Grueskin of Sioux City, Iowa, outstanding communal leader, who has been president of the Sioux City Jewish Federation for nine years, will serve as national chairman for regions of the 1950 United Jewish Appeal, it was announced today by Henry Morgenthau, Jr., U.J.A. general chairman.

COURT DISMISSES CASE OF JEW CHARGED WITH ILLEGAL SHIPMENT OF AIRCRAFT TO ISRAEL

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 6. (JTA) -- A.N. Schwimmer, one of the seven defendants facing charges of conspiracy to violate the Neutrality and Exports Acts in the shipment of aircraft to Israel without a license, was dismissed here this week.

AMERICAN-MADE HEEREN TYPEWRITERS WILL BE ASSEMBLED IN ISRAEL, JEWISH AGENCY REPORTS

NEW YORK, Dec. 6. (JTA) -- A group of Chilean businessmen have secured rights to represent the Royal Typewriter Co. in Israel, it was announced here today by Benno Weiser, director of the Latin American Department of the Jewish Agency. The Hebrew typewriters will be assembled in Israel. The same group is also negotiating for the representation in Israel of a sewing machine concern.

URUGUAY JEWS MARK U.N. PALESTINE PARTITION DECISION; JERUSALEM TERMED ISRAEL CAPITAL

MONTVIDEO, Dec. 6. (JTA) -- The second anniversary of the United Nations Palestine partition decision of Nov. 29, 1947, was celebrated here under the slogan, "Jerusalem--Capital of the State of Israel." The celebration took place under the auspices of the Zionist Central Council and the United Israel Campaign. Dr. Chaim Weizmann's 75th birthday was marked here at a meeting arranged by the Uruguay Committee for the Weizmann Institute of Science.