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SHARETT ASSAILS "APPEASEMENT" OF GERMANY IN MAJOR ADDRESS TO U.N. GENERAL ASSEMBLY

FIDUSHING MEADOW, Sept. 27. (JTA) -- Israel Foreign Minister Moshe Sharett today bitterly attacked "appeasement" of Germany as "sowing the seeds of new aggression and horror" in his opening address to the U.N. General Assembly today. Declaring that the "evil spirit of Nazism still dominates German mentality," Mr. Sharett said: "The people of Israel and Jews throughout the world view with consternation and distress the progressive readmission of Germany to the family of nations."

With Germany's "revolting record intact, her guilt unexpiated and her heart unchanged," Mr. Sharett said the new appeasement "outrages the sacred memory of countless martyrs, betrays the sacrifices sustained in the overthrow of Nazism and sows the seed of new aggression and horror. The danger is now imminent," he added, "that the only real beneficiary of the present world crisis will be the very country which by brutal violence provoked the last war."

"Having exterminated the bulk of European Jewry and reduced its surviving remnants in Germany itself to an insignificant number," Mr. Sharett said in his address, which reformed to both East and West Germany, "the Nazis now vent their rage on the dead by desecration of cemeteries and destruction of tombstones." Such things, he said, pointed up the "unreformed and unrepenting wickedness of the new apostles of the resurgent Nazi doctrine."

Israel Foreign Minister Brands Aggressive Warfare as "Scourge"

Declaring that "peace and survival have become synonymous," Mr. Sharett appealed to the 59 U.N. delegates for "self-restraint and mutual tolerance" among nations and pledged his own nation to "scrupulous non-interference in the internal life of others." He branded aggressive war "the scourge to be outlawed," but stressed that "swift reaction to aggression" was not enough. Calling for constructive endeavors as the "radical remedy," he told the delegates of Israel's "ambitious phase of reconstruction and rehabilitation," and declared: "What is being achieved in the field of development in the narrow confines of Israel could certainly be repeated on a vast scale by an international pooling of efforts wherever multitudes of people crave for better health, education and creative activity."

He said that in Israel, "where masses of Jews driven by misery and fear, drawn by the promise of freedom and dignity, are entering and settling down, large numbers of them are uplifted in the process from the depths of destitution and backwardness to greater productivity and civilized ways of life. If our neighbors would heed the call of the Security Council and make peace with us," he added, "our constructive endeavors could have merged with theirs for the benefit of the entire Middle East."

Mr. Sharett also gave full Israel support to the Soviet Union's call for a Big Five peace pact; asked that "serious study" be accorded the United States proposal for strengthening the General Assembly; appealed for the seating of Communist China in the world organization; and urged support for the Soviet suggestion that all eligible candidates be admitted to the United Nations.

U.N. CONCILIATION COMMISSION REPORTS FAILURE OF MISSION; HOLDS ARABS RESPONSIBLE

FLUSHING MEADOW, Sept. 27. (JTA) -- The U.N. Palestine Conciliation Commission has failed to achieve any concrete results from its two-year effort to resolve outstanding problems between the Arab states and Israel and bring peace to Palestine. The effort broke down over Arab refusal to negotiate directly with Israel and to enter into general peace discussions with all problems considered equally.

The concession of failure and its major cause is revealed in full for the first time in a 70-page "progress" report prepared by the Commission for submission to the present session of the U.N. General Assembly.

The report, the eighth submitted by the Commission since its creation in December, 1948, covers the entire history of its continuous meetings with the Arab and Israel governments in Switzerland and the Middle East. These are the highlights of the recital:

1. As of now, the situation is wholly stalemated.

2. The Commission adopted the two basic proposals advanced by Israel, namely, that the peace talks be conducted primarily through direct Arab-Israel negotiations and that no prior conditions prejudice these negotiations. In a series of notes to the Arab governments during the course of this year, the Commission pressed these proposals but met complete Arab rejection of them. The Arab states insisted on discussion only through the Commission and held to the view that until Israel accepted the principle of the return and compensation of all refugees no peace negotiations could be carried on.

On this question, Israel's position was that it would be willing to give priority, but not exclusivity, to the refugee problem, and it also expressed its willingness to share in specific measures to settle the problem, including the immediate acceptance of 100,000 refugees. However, it maintained that the refugee issue was an integral part of an overall peace settlement.

3. On the territorial question, Israel based itself on the existing situation and stated its desire to negotiate over the Gaza strip and certain northern areas, holding that the proper territorial settlement should encompass the Egyptian and Lebanese borders that existed under the British Mandate. The Arabs took the view that there should be a reversion to the partition borders, including Israel's cession of the Negev and Eastern Galilee.

4. The Commission's compromise proposal on a modus vivendi for negotiations--the setting up of mixed committees to deal with specific issues, a system patterned on the U.N. mixed armistice commissions in Palestine--was turned down by the Arab governments.

In releasing the report, the Commission disclosed that it would issue a supplementary report appraising the present situation in Palestine, and will meet in New York on October 2 for that purpose.

5. The report declares that despite Arab insistence on separating the refugee issue, the Commission formed the impression that the Arab governments were inclining to the view that the return of the refugees could not fully solve the problem and that consequently settlement of a considerable number of the refugees in the Arab countries must also be contemplated.

GOVERNMENT OF THAILAND EXTENDS DE JURE RECOGNITION TO ISRAEL; IS 50TH NATION TO ACT

TEL AVIV, Sept. 27. (JTA) -- Thailand today informed Israel it has extended *de jure* recognition. Thailand is the 50th nation to give full recognition to Israel.

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BRADLEY, CHAIRMAN OF JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF, DOUBTS U.S. CAN SEND ARMS TO MIDDLE EAST

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27. (JTA) -- General of the Army Omar N. Bradley, chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, said today that it is questionable whether the U.S. could make additional defense commitments to Turkey and the Middle East. He added that, in view of the urgent demands of Western Europe, there was a question whether at this time the U.S. could make additional commitments that far east.

BRITISH GOVERNMENT REPORTED LIFTING BAN ON SHIPMENT OF ARMS TO ARAB STATES

LONDON, Sept. 27. (JTA) -- The suspension of arms deliveries by Britain to Egypt, Jordan and Iraq has been lifted, according to Arab sources here. It was also reported today that the suspension of negotiations between Israel and Britain for arms has been ended.

The Arab report asserts that although the ban has been lifted on most weapons, jet aircraft, radar equipment and heavy tanks will not be exported. Egypt, which has ordered such equipment, is reported protesting violently against the breach of contract involved.

The British Foreign Office is considering further steps following receipt of an Egyptian reply to a joint British-American-Norwegian protest against the Egyptian Government's establishment of a blacklist of vessels carrying cargoes destined for Israel, a Foreign Office spokesman said yesterday. The spokesman stated that the Egyptian Government had not answered the main British contentions.

3,000 JEWS REMAIN IN YEMEN; JEWISH AGENCY TO AID THOSE WHO LEAVE FOR ISRAEL

TEL AVIV, Sept. 27. (JTA) -- Although the Joint Distribution Committee's "Operation Magic Carpet" ended here Sunday night with the arrival of the last 177 of some 15,000 Yemenite Jews who entered Israel in the last two years, a small staff provided by the Jewish Agency will continue to operate a small camp in Aden for any of the Jews still in Yemen who want to come to the Jewish state.

It is estimated that there are still some 3,000 Jews in that small Arab kingdom. Any Jews who make their way out of Yemen will be kept and cared for at the Hashed Camp in Aden until there is a party sufficiently large to warrant their being flown out.

10,000 More Iraqi Jews Renounce Citizenship to Go to Israel

LONDON, Sept. 27. (JTA) -- Another 10,000 Iraqi Jews have renounced their citizenship in order to qualify for migration to Israel, a report received here from Bagdad today said. The dispatch added that preparations have been made for this group to leave Iraq by the end of next month.

AUTUMN MANEUVERS TO TEST ARMY STRUCTURE, ISRAEL MILITARY CHIEF YADIN SAYS

TEL AVIV, Sept. 27. (JTA) -- The entire structure of the Israel Army will be tested in the forthcoming autumn maneuvers, Army Chief of Staff Yigal Yadin announced here during a nation-wide radio broadcast inaugurating a new broadcasting station. Brig. Yadin indicated that foreign diplomats and military attaches of all legations here will be invited to observe the operation.

Premier David Ben Gurion, who was another featured speaker of the inauguration program, stressed the cultural benefits derived from the army by the immigrants from all parts of the world who meet in its ranks.

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I.R.O. VESSEL WITH JEWISH REFUGEES FROM CHINA ARRIVES AT HONOLULU EN ROUTE TO NAPLES

GENEVA, Sept. 27. (JTA) -- The International Refugee Organization vessel Anna Salen, with 727 Israel-bound Jews aboard is today due at Honolulu, its second port of call en route to Naples, I.R.O. headquarters here announced.

The entire passenger list of some 1,300 persons are refugees evacuated from various parts of China. Two hundred and forty of the Jewish passengers are aged or ill and require constant medical attention. The vessel will travel to European waters via the Panama Canal. It is estimated that another 1,000 Jewish refugees remain in Shanghai.

YEHUDI MENUHIN, AT BERLIN CONCERT, EXPLAINS WHY HE CONTINUES TO PERFORM IN GERMANY

BERLIN, Sept. 27. (JTA) -- Yehudi Menuhin, world-renowned violinist, said in a prepared statement during the intermission of his concert here last night, that "irrespective of creed" he shared with Germans the music of Bach and other German masters.

The statement was designed to explain why Mr. Menuhin, who is Jewish, was giving his tenth concert in this country since the end of World War II. The statement pointed out that Mr. Menuhin first came to Germany at the end of the war to play for concentration camp survivors and then continued to return to play for all.

The violinist also read the text of a letter he had received from a former Hitler Youth leader who said that he had changed his mind about Nazi anti-Semitic race theories after hearing Mr. Menuhin perform on the radio.

Mr. Menuhin told his audience: "Should I be invited to Germany, as indeed I already have been, by your own people, I could only accept in the assurance that every member of my race is as welcome among you as I am. This, you must understand, is essential for my return, for should there be a recrudescence of Nazism--and indeed of late there have been signs--and should you, the students and younger generation, make no attempt to fight it within your own scope, then indeed my way is barred in Germany."

CONTROVERSY IN BRITISH CITY OVER KOSHER SLAUGHTER ENDS; JEWISH INSTRUMENT ACCEPTABLE

LONDON, Sept. 27. (JTA) -- An eight-month controversy over kosher ritual slaughtering of cattle in the city of Sheffield ended this week when the city corporation accepted the "Weinberg casting pen" for use in ritual slaughtering.

The Jews of Sheffield have not had any locally-processed kosher meat since January 1 when the "Weinberg casting pen" became standard for all of Britain. At that time the city corporation refused to permit the use of the Weinberg instrument.

ANDERS, ANTI-SEMITIC POLISH LEADER, IN WASHINGTON CONFERRING WITH U.S. OFFICIALS

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27. (JTA) -- Gen. Wladyslaw Anders, Polish anti-Semitic leader, has arrived in Washington and is conferring with American officials. He said on arrival that he is here to "renew old acquaintances among my American comrades-in-arms from the European battlegrounds of World War II."

Following objection by Jewish organizations to Anders' clearance, the Washington Times-Herald said today of the General that "Communists and their fellow travelers call him a 'fascist bandit.'" The paper headlined him as a "Polish hero and foe of Reds."

JEWISH GROUPS URGE TRUMAN TO REVOKE PERMISSION GIVEN ANDERS TO VISIT UNITED STATES

NEW YORK, Sept. 27. (JTA) -- The American Federation for Polish Jews, acting in behalf of a number of Jewish organizations, has called on President Truman to deny an audience to the former commander of the Polish Second Corps, General Wladyslaw Anders. It has also asked that the President act to revoke permission granted to General Anders to come to the United States.

Organizations endorsing this action include: Federation of Ukrainian Jews; Federation of White Russian Jews; Riga-Latvian Relief; Borisover Relief Society; Progressive Workmen's Circle Committee.

In the letter to the President, the Federation called General Anders "an arch enemy of the Jewish people" and "a moving spirit behind anti-Jewish activities in Europe and the Near East." The letter cited a long record of criminal activities perpetrated by Anders' army composed in part of 30,000 former Wehrmacht men, officered by unregenerate Nazis, some of them former chiefs of extermination camps. The record includes:

1. Discrimination against and persecution of Jews in his army as well as of civilian evacuees in the Polish camps in the Near East and Italy.

2. Excesses by his troops in Palestine, including the murder of peaceful Jewish settlers in Rehovoth in September, 1946. These troops, evacuated from Jewish Palestine, later served as mercenaries in the feudal Arab armies which invaded Israel in May, 1948.

3. Numberless murders and pogroms of Jews in Poland, including the Kielce pogrom in 1946, which were directly attributed to Anders' headquarters in Britain.

Denouncing General Anders' visit as not only "an affront to all American Jews," but as "an attempt to extend anti-Semitic activities to American soil," the American Federation for Polish Jews concluded by requesting President Truman to deny Anders' request for an audience and to use his influence to cancel the General's visit as "undesirable and unwelcome."

MINISTER DEFENDS WEST COAST RADIO STATION OWNER ACCUSED OF ANTI-SEMITIC BIAS

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 27. (JTA) -- Congressional Minister James W. Fifiield said today that Radio Station KMPC here is "fair and impartial towards racial and religious groups." The Federal Communications Commission has accused the station of slanting news in an anti-Semitic fashion.

Replying to a comment by a correspondent at a press conference that G.A. Richards, owner of KMPC and other stations, said that "all Jews are Communists," Rev. Fifiield declared: "I don't think he (Richards) means it. He is explosive." Rev. Fifiield has been labelled anti-Semitic because of the nature of his own radio broadcasts, carried on another station.

NUMBER AND SIZE OF ANTI-SEMITIC MEETINGS IN BRITAIN INCREASING. JEWISH GROUP HEARS

LONDON, Sept. 27. (JTA) -- The number and size of anti-Semitic open air meetings in the London area are increasing, it was reported here today at a meeting of the North London branch of the Association of Jewish Ex-Servicemen and Women.

NEW BOOK ON PRESIDENT TRUMAN THROWS LIGHT ON U.S. POLICY SHIFTS ON PALESTINE ISSUE

NEW YORK, Sept. 27. (JTA) -- A new book on President Truman published today and considered a "semi-authorized biography" throws new light on the U.S. Government's shifts in Palestine policy prior to the establishment of Israel. The book, "The March of Independence," by Jonathan Daniels, puts the onus for the Palestine policy shifts on subordinate officials in the State Department. The volume notes, for example, that suspension of the U.N. partition plan was proposed on March 19, 1948, when the then Secretary of State, George C. Marshall, was in California and Undersecretary Robert A. Lovett was in Florida.

Mr. Daniels says that President Truman was steadfast in his resolve to see Israel established and implies that the President was "imposed upon" by those who were "manipulating" policy in the State Department. The author says that Dr. Chaim Weizmann--who was in Washington during this period--had full faith in Mr. Truman but believed that the President "did not know on Thursday what was going to happen on Friday."

Discussing the issue of recognition of Israel, the book says that Clark M. Clifford, then the President's special counsel, argued at a conference called to discuss the issue for immediate recognition of the new state. Gen. Marshall retorted that "this was no matter to be decided on a political basis." Mr. Truman, for the moment, accepted. Gen. Marshall's advice and recognition of Israel was put off.

However, later that day, Undersecretary Lovett--who had been asked by Gen. Marshall to state the case against immediate recognition of Israel--contacted Mr. Clifford and told him about his uneasiness over the decision to put off recognition. Mr. Lovett said the issue would be reviewed. The next day, the book notes, Mr. Truman announced U.S. recognition of Israel.

HENRY MORGENTHAU SAILS FOR TEN-DAY VISIT TO ISRAEL TODAY; WILL CONFER WITH BEN GURION

NEW YORK, Sept. 27. (JTA) -- Henry Morgenthau Jr., general chairman of the United Jewish Appeal, will sail for Israel tomorrow to discuss the economic and financial needs of Israel with Premier David Ben Gurion and other members of the Israel Government.

During his ten-day visit to Israel, he will also be inducted officially as chairman of the Board of Governors of the Hebrew University in Jerusalem, a post which was once held by Dr. Chaim Weizmann, President of Israel. Mr. Morgenthau plans to visit various parts of the country, particularly the areas where new immigrants are being settled and new agricultural and industrial communities are being established with the aid of the U.J.A.

LEADERS OF ARGENTINE UNITED JEWISH APPEAL ARE DISSATISFIED WITH CAMPAIGN'S RESULTS

BUENOS AIRES, Sept. 27. (JTA) -- Leaders of the Argentine United Jewish Appeal are expressing dissatisfaction with the progress of the fund-raising campaign under way for Israel and overseas needs.

Simon Mirelman, president of the campaign, reports that 50 percent of the potential contributors in greater Buenos Aires have not yet made any contribution this year. Gedalia Zakiff, director of the campaign, reveals that so far only 70 percent of the amount raised in 1949 has been received. Jose Lutzky, secretary of the drive, says that Jews in small cities and towns throughout Argentina are contributing much more proportionately than Jews in this city.

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