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MIXED U.N. ARMISTICE COMMISSION UPHOLDS ISRAEL IN EXPULSION OF ARAB INFILTRERS

TEL AVIV, Sept. 28. (JTA) -- Israeli action against Bedouin tribesmen, whose alleged expulsion from the El Auja area into Egyptian territory is the subject of a complaint by Egypt now pending before the U.N. Security Council, was supported here today by the findings of the Egyptian-Israeli Mixed Armistice Commission.

The commission, meeting yesterday at El Auja under the chairmanship of Col. P. Boissavy, French member of the U.N. truce mission, placed on record the fact that the expelled Bedouins were members of the Azazmeh tribe and had infiltrated into Israel territory from Sinai, which is Egyptian. Supporting evidence was collected from the Bedouins themselves by U.N. observers.

Col. Boissavy ratified these findings as well as Israeli claims that the tribesmen were not in Israel when the Egyptian-Israeli armistice was concluded and that the tribesmen did not possess the Israel identification cards issued then to all tribesmen residing on Israel territory. The U.N. observers also established the fact that the seat of the Azazmeh tribe was in Kusseima, in the Egyptian part of the Sinai peninsula, where the tribesmen regularly bought their supplies.

ISRAEL MEMORANDUM EXPLAINS OBJECTIONS TO U.N. RECOGNITION OF ARAB LEAGUE

FLUSHING MEADOW, Sept. 28. (JTA) -- The Israel delegation today circulated a memorandum to all delegations at the United Nations explaining why the Jewish state considers the Syrian proposal for U.N. recognition of the Arab League as a regional body under the U.N. Charter should be rejected. The issue is due to be debated next week in the General Assembly's legal committee. The memorandum, it is understood, contains the following points:

1. The area covered by the states of the Arab League does not constitute a "region" in any sense recognized by the U.N. Moreover, it is impossible to conceive of a "regional arrangement" which is not accessible to all member states in the area defined. The Arab League is conceived on the principle of exclusive racial and cultural identity, which does not accord with the basic ideas of the Charter. The memorandum notes that in the Middle East region, Turkey, Iran, Afghanistan, Greece, and Ethiopia are excluded from the League, as well as Israel.

2. There is no "regional arrangement" even on a racial basis. The pact of the Arab League was drawn up before the U.N. Charter and contains no reference to acceptance by the League of Charter obligations.

3. The League, in embarking on military intervention in 1948, violated the U.N. Charter and is still doing so in setting its face against peace negotiations today, as confirmed in the report of the U.N. Palestine Conciliation Commission.

The memorandum also charges that the League endeavors to subvert the political status of countries outside the League; has refused to cooperate with the Security Council in respect to Korea; employs procedures contrary to those approved by the United Nations, such as secret deliberations, the failure to keep records of meetings,

and the failure to publish resolutions; as a matter of courtesy, it would be improper for the U.N. to invite the Arab League as a permanent observer here, since the League does not invite representatives of the U.N. to its sessions.

In the general debate at today's Assembly session, the Foreign Ministers of two Arab states--Mohamed Bey Saleh-el Dein of Egypt and Philippe Takla of Lebanon--made similar references to the plight of the Palestine Arab refugees, asserting that they must be repatriated as a matter of U.N. justice. Referring to the Korean situation, both attempted to draw a parallel between U.N. action there and its "lack of action" in a military sense in Palestine.

Late yesterday, French Foreign Minister Robert Schuman, addressing the Assembly, declared that "one of the greatest evils in the world today is racial discrimination and many countries therefore forbid it by law." He asserted that "it is amazing that at this juncture any member of the United Nations should embark upon it as a deliberate policy, sanctioned and enforced by the law. Such a policy will ultimately lead to inter-continental race-conflicts and is therefore a menace to the peace of the world."

THIRD WORLD MACCABIAH OPENS IN ISRAEL; ATHLETES FROM 17 COUNTRIES WILL COMPETE

TEL AVIV, Sept. 28. (JTA) -- The largest crowd of people ever to gather in one stadium in the history of modern Israel yesterday afternoon attended the solemn, ceremonious opening of the Third World Maccabiah at Ramath Gan, Tel Aviv suburb.

Some 40,000 spectators cheered as the teams of 17 nations marched past the reviewing stand in a stadium completed barely an hour before the official opening of the Jewish "Olympic" games at 3:30 P.M. local time. The delegations which paraded in the arena were preceded by the national flags of: Argentina, Austria, Australia, Belgium, Canada, Denmark, Eire, Finland, Great Britain, India, Israel, Libya, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey, Union of South Africa, and United States.

After the games were officially opened by Israel's Acting President, Joseph Sprinzak, the stadium was turned over to the Maccabi World Union and the sports organization's flag was run up the flag mast. The delegations stood at attention while a youthful Maccabi girl recited a poem in honor of the men and women who died in Israel's war of liberation.

A torch which had been lighted at dawn yesterday at Modiin, site of the beginning of the Maccabi revolt against the Graeco-Syrians over 2,500 years ago, and had been carried by a relay of runners across the country to the stadium was placed on the reviewing platform where it will burn throughout the games. Then, 500 pigeons were released and an Army battery fired 12 salvos in honor of the Twelve Tribes of Israel.

An American team of 43 is participating in the games, including Olympic champions Henry Wittenberg and Frank Spellman. More than 7,500 pounds of foodstuffs for their use has been shipped to Israel by the Zionist Organization of America, which is also presenting the main trophy of the games in the name of its president, Benjamin F. Browdy.

BLAUSTEIN VISITS TRUMAN SECOND TIME IN WEEK; REPORTS ON CONDITIONS IN ISRAEL

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28. (JTA) -- Jacob Blaustein, president of the American Jewish Committee, reported to President Truman today on conditions in Israel. Mr. Blaustein last called on the President on Friday.

The A.J.C. head said after he left the White House that he was not free to give details of the matters that were discussed. Mr. Blaustein stated, however, that he could say that the conversation dealt with various economic, social and political situations and among other things the relationship of Israel to the United States.

SECOND SOUTH AMERICAN ZIONIST CONFERENCE OPENS; SEVEN COUNTRIES ARE REPRESENTED

BUENOS AIRES, Sept. 28. (JTA) -- The second South American Zionist Conference, attended by delegates from seven countries on this continent, opened here last night with a large number of guests and delegates in attendance.

Eliahu Dobkin, Jewish Agency leader, addressing the opening session, called for unity within the Zionist movement and voiced the belief that Zionists "must exploit the pro-Israel feelings by organizing masses in the Zionist organization." Mr. Dobkin also said that Chalutzit and Hebrew education are urgent tasks facing the Zionist movement today.

Israel Minister to Argentina Yaacov Tsur advocated a "partnership between Israel and the organized Jewish people." Jose Lutzky, secretary of the United Israel Drive, warned the delegates that "without a strong Zionist movement, the United Israel Drive campaigns cannot be successful." Mateo Goldstein, president of the Argentine Zionist Council, said the conference must "eliminate the overlapping of Zionist functions on this continent."

At a press conference before the meeting, Mr. Dobkin revealed that the forthcoming World Zionist Congress will be attended by 440 delegates, representing 1,875,000 persons who purchased Shkolim. Israel's delegation will number 175, he reported, the United States and Canada will have 134 votes, Europe will have 45 and Latin America 36.

AMERICAN FEDERATION OF CENTRAL EUROPE JEWS PROTESTS NEW U.S. POLICY IN GERMANY

NEW YORK, Sept. 28. (JTA) -- The American Federation of Jews from Central Europe today telegraphed Secretary of State Dean Acheson that it is "deeply concerned" over reports that the "Allies intend to withdraw from the field of German legislation in restitution matters." The message urged "in behalf of many thousands of claimants under existing restitution laws, that control with regard to restitution be retained by the occupation powers."

The wire, which was also sent to U.S. High Commissioner for Germany John J. McCloy, stressed that otherwise the rights of the claimants "will be impaired under German jurisdiction." The message said its "plea refers to restitution legislation as well as to implementation of the existing laws, and particularly to continuation of the Court of Restitution Appeals."

PROMINENT CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY IN WASHINGTON INVITES GEN. ANDERS TO SPEAK NEXT MONTH

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28. (JTA) -- Gen. Wladyslaw Anders, Polish anti-Semitic leader, has been invited to speak at Georgetown University, a Catholic institution, on October 13. Georgetown is best known for its foreign service school, which trains American diplomats. The school works in close cooperation with the State Department.

NUMBER OF JEWS ARE AMONG 71 PERSONS KILLED IN NORTH AFRICA FOLLOWING TORNADO

PARIS, Sept. 28. (JTA) -- A number of Jews were killed this week in the town of Sefrou, Tunisia, which was wrecked by a tornado, it was reported here today. The total number of dead was given as 71, but the specific number of Jews was not listed.

GERMAN ARRESTED FOR DESECRATING JEWISH CEMETERY IN SOVIET SECTOR OF BERLIN

FRANKFURT, Sept. 28. (JTA) -- A 29-year-old gardener was arrested by East German police today, charged with participating in numerous acts of desecration committed recently at the Weissensee Jewish cemetery, in the Soviet sector of Berlin. The gardener, Walter Grimm, was apprehended when he tried to sell metal stolen from Jewish monuments.

The public prosecutor here has charged Josef Hirtreiter, a former guard at the Treblinka extermination camp in Poland, with murder and crimes against humanity. Hirtreiter is accused of having taken part in the murder of an unspecified number of Jews in the Nazi camp.

A German court has acquitted Friedrich Wagner, a merchant of Wetzlar, who had been charged with slander for stating that Albert Wagner, member of the Hesse Provincial Cabinet, had once sold Nazi literature. The court decided that the defendant was able to prove his allegations.

FRENCH COMMISSIONER IN GERMANY INSTRUCTED TO REPRIEVE CONDEMNED WAR CRIMINALS

PARIS, Sept. 28. (JTA) -- The French Government has instructed the French High Commissioner for Germany to reprieve all Nazi war criminals presently under sentence of death in the French zone, it was reported here. Twelve Nazis are believed to be awaiting execution at present.

COMMANDANT OF NOTORIOUS OSWIECIM CONCENTRATION CAMP IS SENTENCED TO DEATH BY POLAND

WARSAW, Sept. 28. (JTA) -- Stefan Wierzbica, wartime commandant of the notorious Oswiecim concentration camp, which was located in southern Poland, has been sentenced to death by the Polish Supreme Court, it was announced here.

MEMORIAL HONORING JEWISH VICTIMS OF NAZISM IS DEDICATED IN SWITZERLAND

BASLE, Switzerland, Sept. 28. (JTA) -- Representatives of Jewish communal, Zionist and progressive non-Jewish organizations today attended the dedication here of a memorial to Jewish victims of Nazism.

YIDDISH LANGUAGE PLACED ON ADULT EDUCATION CURRICULUM IN LONDON FOR FIRST TIME

LONDON, Sept. 28. (JTA) -- For the first time in the history of the London County Council school system, Yiddish language will figure this year in the curriculum of the adult education program. Evening classes in the Yiddish language and literature will commence next month. The lectures will be given in Yiddish by Michael Zolborberg, a Yiddish journalist and educator.

N.Y. FEDERATION OF JEWISH PHILANTHROPIES SETS 1950 CAMPAIGN GOAL AT \$20,000,000

NEW YORK, Sept. 28. (JTA) -- The Federation of Jewish Philanthropies of New York has set its 1950 campaign goal at \$20,000,000, the largest fund it has ever sought for the operations of its 116 affiliated health and social service agencies, Ralph E. Samuel, Federation president, announced today at a press conference. The campaign will open officially on October 9.

Mr. Samuel said the campaign aims not only at continuing existing services which are provided to more than 480,000 New Yorkers annually, but also to begin to serve more persons by enabling the Federation's institutions to make fuller use of their present services, "In agency after agency, there are waiting lists," he said, characterizing the 1950 Federation effort as "a campaign against waiting lists."

ISRAEL EXHIBITION OF VARIETY OF PRODUCTS OPENS IN URUGUAY; WILL BE SHOWN IN ARGENTINA

MONTVIDEO, Sept. 28. (JTA) -- An Israel economic exhibition charting the development of the Jewish state was opened here by Yaacov Tsur, Israel Minister to Uruguay, Argentina and Chile. The exhibition--which was organized by the Jewish Agency and includes examples of Israel manufacturers, art work, maps and charts--will be presented at Buenos Aires at a later date.

JEWISH BOOK MONTH TO MARK ANNIVERSARIES OF FAMOUS JEWISH AUTHORS AND PHILOSOPHERS

NEW YORK, Sept. 28. (JTA) -- The centennial anniversary of the birth of Oscar S. Straus--the first Jew to serve in a President's Cabinet--and the 50th anniversary of the death of Isaac M. Wise, founder of Reform Judaism in America, will be marked by the Jewish Book Council of America during Jewish Book Month, November 3 - December 3, it was announced today. The Council is sponsored by the National Jewish Welfare Board.

The anniversaries of other noted Jewish authors, poets, scholars and philosophers will also be commemorated during Jewish Book Month. These include the 900th anniversary of the birth of Bachya Ibn Pakuda, author of the Hebrew classic "Duties of the Heart," and the 25th anniversary of the death of Israel Zangwill.

MORGENTHAU SAILS FOR ISRAEL; CALLS FOR INCREASED AMERICAN AID TO JEWISH STATE

NEW YORK, Sept. 28. (JTA) -- On his departure for Israel today, Henry Morgenthau, Jr., general chairman of the United Jewish Appeal, called for increased American aid for the "only democracy in the Middle East." In the present world crisis, he said, "we must strengthen the democratic forces throughout the world." Israel represents "a very strong and devoted friend of freedom," he added.

Mr. Morgenthau is on his way to Israel to confer with Premier Ben Gurion and other members of the government regarding the economic and financial needs of the country. He will also visit new settlements and housing developments established to absorb the large numbers of immigrants that are being brought into Israel with the aid of the U.J.A.

FIRST NON-JEWISH FAMILY FROM CANADA RECEIVES PERMISSION TO SETTLE IN ISRAEL

WINNIPEG, Sept. 28. (JTA) -- The first non-Jew from Canada has been given permission to settle in Israel together with his wife and 11 children. He is Thomas Erenyk, a Seventh Day Adventist, who has been farming in Saskatchewan.

Mr. Erenyk recently visited Israel to conclude arrangements for his family's transfer there. He says he was encouraged to take the move by Jewish farmers and merchants in the area in which he lives who told him they would eventually join him in the Jewish state.

DR. WAKSMAN, DISCOVERER OF STREPTOMYCIN, RECEIVES UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO AWARD

NEW BRUNSWICK, N.J., Sept. 28. (JTA) -- The 1950 Charles Mickle Fellowship of the University of Toronto's medical faculty has been awarded to Dr. Selman Waksman, discoverer of streptomycin, it was announced here. Dr. Waksman, who is associated with Rutgers University here, is the 30th winner of the award, which is accompanied by an \$800 cash grant. Dr. Waksman said he will use the money to further his research work in microbiology.

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