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EISENHOWER URGED TO ACT AGAINST EGYPT'S MASS DEPORTATION OF JEWS

NEW YORK, Nov. 27. (JTA) -- President Eisenhower was asked today by American Jewish leaders from 27 states to intervene with Egypt against the mass deportation of Jews from that country and the confiscation of their property. The President was also asked to instruct the American delegation at the United Nations to bring to the attention of the UN the fact that thousands of Jews in Egypt have been served with deportation orders, or hurled into internment camps.

The appeal to the President was issued by the two-day conference convened by presidents of 17 major national Jewish organizations which concluded tonight at the Hotel Delmonico. The conference discussed problems concerning American-Israel relations in connection with the Middle East crisis. The text of the appeal reads:

"Less than eleven years ago you were a shocked witness to the consequences of racist persecution by the Nazi regime and of man's inhumanity to man. Your words and conduct at that time bespoke the outraged conscience of the American people and its determination to prevent the repetition of such unspeakable crimes.

"In recent days, Mr. President, we have been made aware of the Egyptian Government's conduct which, if unchecked, may lead to a repetition of the Hitler era. Thousands of men, women and children, whose only alleged crime is that they are of the Jewish faith, have been served notices of deportation or hurled into internment camps and divested of their possessions.

"We respectfully urge, Mr. President, that you communicate, through our Ambassador in Egypt, our country's shock at the Egyptian Government's conduct, that you instruct our delegation to the United Nations to present these facts before all relevant agencies of the world organization, and that you lend the full weight of your authority to a stern and immediate warning to the Egyptian rulers that our country, our people, and the civilized world generally will not countenance this inhumanity."

Israel Seeks to Bring Egypt's Deportations Before U. N. Assembly

JERUSALEM, Nov. 27. (JTA) -- The Israel Government today instructed its delegation at the United Nations to demand inclusion on the General Assembly agenda of an item about the Egyptian expulsion of Jews.

The Israel request for General Assembly discussion will point out that the expulsion of the Jews and confiscation of their property is "unprecedented in civilized countries" and that it is an action which penalizes "innocent people." The Israel Government has contacted a number of neutral states and asked them to assist the deportees.

Six major Israel political parties asked the Israel Government today to take urgent action in behalf of the Egyptian Jews. The Cabinet will hold an extraordinary meeting tomorrow to discuss this situation, after which Premier David Ben Gurion will state the government's position in the Knesset.

The Jewish Agency today initiated action to alleviate the plight of the Egyptian Jews arriving in Europe. The first groups have arrived in several countries without possessions and with little preparation for leaving homes in which they have spent their entire lives.

Cabinet of Egypt Resigns in Protest Against Expulsions

LORE, Nov. 27. (JTA) -- Chief Minister Nasser of Egypt has resigned, presumably in protest against the Egyptian Government's expulsion of Jews from Egypt. A. L. Easternman, political director of the World Jewish Congress, declared at a press conference here today.

Mr. Easternman said that reports from Egypt add up to the fact that Nasser's government contemplates, and is in considerable measure executing, a plan to eliminate Jews from Egyptian life--a Jewry which has always proved itself loyal, law-abiding and peaceful.

Immediately affected by the expulsion order, he revealed, are 25,000 of the country's 50,000 Jews. This group consists of 14,000 stateless Jews, 6,000 Jews of British and French nationality and 5,000 Jews of Egyptian nationality. The Egyptian Government has

placed the impossible burden on these people of proving that they are "not in sympathy with Israel and Zionism" if they wish to escape deportation, Mr. Easternman said.

The British Government, meanwhile, charged that the Egyptian expulsions violate the Geneva convention of 1949 protecting non-combatants. France yesterday voiced similar charges in reference to the banishment of Egyptian Jews.

Nasser Holding One Member of Each Jewish Family as Hostage

The entire London press devoted considerable space today to reports from Egypt of action against the Jews. A dispatch from Port Said said that Nasser is holding hundreds of Jewish men, women and children--one member of every Jewish family in Port Said--as hostages. They were dragged from their beds in a night of terror and, driven off in trucks, the report said. The arrests were made November 1, before the Anglo-French landings at Port Said.

Another dispatch from that city revealed that Jews have begun fleeing from Port Said, in each case leaving their family hostages behind. Yesterday Jewish refugees, granted stateless status by France, were taken aboard the French hospital ship "La Marseilles" bound for southern France. Jews made up 160 of the 180-odd refugees on the ship. Those who remain of Port Said's 300 Jewish families fear that the British and French may pull out before they can flee.

Another report, from a correspondent who just returned from Egypt, revealed that Egypt is taking over all Jewish property. "Many large Jewish businesses have already opened under Egyptian management. The largest department store in Cairo, owned by Circurel, father-in-law of Pierre Mendes-France, former Premier of France has been seized, the reporter said.

Patients in the Jewish Hospital of Cairo have been turned out and the Egyptian military have taken over the establishment. After Egyptian Air Force headquarters was wrecked by British bombing, the correspondent wrote, Air Force staff was moved into the Metropolitan Hotel and all Jews living within 20 yards were given two hours to quit their homes or be fined six pounds for every hour they remained thereafter.

JEWISH LEADERS ASK U.S. TO LAY BASIS FOR DIRECT ARAB-ISRAEL TALKS

NEW YORK, Nov. 27. (JTA) -- The two-day conference of Jewish leaders from various parts of the country convened by presidents of 17 national Jewish organizations here concluded today with the adoption of resolutions calling upon the United States Government to lay the basis for direct Arab-Israel negotiations.

The American Jewish leaders urged the United States to evaluate the source, extent and imminence of the danger that confronts the free world in the Middle East. "The United States must resume the role as leader of the coalition of free peoples, determined not to permit the further advance of Soviet power in that strategic area," a resolution stressed.

The conference took note that the United States Government has taken the lead in the United Nations with the introduction of its resolution on Palestine, on November 3, the objective of which is "establishing conditions of permanent peace and stability" in the area. "It is essential for this purpose that the United Nations in its efforts to achieve permanent peace and stability in the Middle East lay the basis for direct negotiations between the parties involved," the conference resolution stated. "Real lasting peace can never be achieved by imposition, but only through such direct negotiations which must include a just and human solution of the Arab refugee problem," it emphasized.

Noting that the U.S. Government had introduced a resolution on the settlement of the Suez question in the United Nations in which the demand is made that "there should be free and open transit through the canal without discrimination, overt or covert, this covers both political and technical aspects," the conference said: "The introduction of these resolutions by the United States is only a first step. Our government should not permit them to be forgotten but must press the U.N. General Assembly to discuss and act upon them."

Another resolution stated that "peace will not be attained and the high purposes of the United Nations will be defeated if its international force is allowed to be used by Col. Nasser to effect a return to the intolerable conditions which brought about the current conflict." The resolution emphasized that "to serve the cause of peace, the United Nations must take effective measures to prevent Nasser's resumption of belligerency on land and blockade by sea."

The conference also pointed out that the Communist power has grown because of the disunity of the free world. "The Western allies must quickly close ranks in recognition of the common danger and in determination upon effective measures to meet that danger. We call for the restoration of the great fraternity of freedom," a resolution adopted by the conference declared.

Israel Ambassador Abba Eban addressed the parley, reviewing the events which led up to Israel's action in the Sinai Peninsula and subsequent developments at the U.N.

INFLUX OF JEWS FROM HUNGARY GROWS IN AUSTRIA; 2,500 RECEIVE AID

VIENNA, Nov. 27. (JTA) -- The influx of Hungarian Jewish refugees has surpassed the worst expectations of Austrian and world Jewish communal representatives here. As of today, there are some 2,500 Hungarian Jews, including 250 children, registered with Jewish agencies in this country.

The Vienna community is caring for 2,000 of them, with most of them put up in Vienna hotels and in three institutions near Vienna. Wilhelm Klein, director of the community, said that thus far it has been able to feed all newcomers. Another 500 refugees are sheltered by the Joint Distribution Committee in Linz and Salzburg. They are quartered chiefly in private homes.

The majority of the refugees hesitate to emigrate farther than Austria, hoping that a turn in the political situation will enable them to return to their homes.

JEWS IN CANADA ASK GOVERNMENT TO ADMIT MAXIMUM JEWS FROM HUNGARY

MONTREAL, Nov. 27. (JTA) -- The Canadian Jewish Congress has informed the Canadian Government that it is prepared to sponsor any Hungarian Jewish refugees whom Ottawa will allow to enter this country as immigrants. The CJC also informed the government that it had the permission of the Jewish Immigration Aid Society to offer its shelter and adjustment services for the refugees.

The Congress has been in communication with C. E. Smith, director of the Immigration Branch of the Canadian Department of Citizenship and Immigration, to press for the admission of Hungarian Jews. On the basis of information from the United Hias Service, whose representatives in Austria are in contact with the refugees, the Congress told Mr. Smith that 50 of the Jews have asked for Canadian entry permits and some others are expected to apply. The Congress is also discussing the possibility of obtaining transportation costs for the refugees.

Meanwhile, references to the immigration of Jews from North Africa to Canada on radio newscasts and on a national television program indicate that Canada is prepared to admit 500 French speaking Jewish families from Tunisia and Morocco. Negotiations are in progress between the Canadian Jewish Congress and Canadian authorities for the entry of Jews from North Africa. At the same time, the CJC and United Hias have been discussing arrangements attendant upon the immigration of these Jews.

STATE DEPT. EVASIVE ON ARAB DISCRIMINATION AGAINST AMERICAN JEWS

WASHINGTON, Nov. 27. (JTA) -- The Anti-Defamation League of B'nai B'rith today made public a State Department reply to the ADL protest against continuing Arab discrimination against American visa applicants of Jewish faith.

In a message to Philip Klutznick, president of B'nai B'rith, William Rountree, Assistant Secretary of State for Near Eastern Affairs, said the department was glad to "have the benefit" of his views. "However," Mr. Rountree added, "we believe our efforts should be focused on a removal of the basic causes for the continuance of friction between Israel and its Arab neighbors. The resolutions introduced by the United States into the United Nations General Assembly on November 3 are examples of the type of action which may assist in this respect."

Commenting on Mr. Rountree's reply, Mr. Klutznick said: "A permanent settlement of the issues in the Middle East is devoutly to be hoped for, and there are none who pray for it more than we do, but we cannot accept the principle that the recognition of the privileges of American citizenship should be deferred until such a settlement."

Henry Edward Schultz was unanimously re-elected national chairman of the Anti-Defamation League of B'nai B'rith at the 43rd annual meeting of the organization held here. Mr. Schultz has held the League chairmanship since 1950.

U.S.-MATERIAL ON NAZI RACIST PROPAGANDA REPORTED "MISSING"

WASHINGTON, Nov. 27. (JTA) -- A half million volumes of Nazi propaganda arranged in 150 sets have "disappeared" in the destruction of Nazi literature by Allied forces after the war, it was revealed here by Verner W. Clapp, president of the Council on Library Resources.

When Nazi propaganda was destroyed, it was decided to save 100,000 titles of racist and militaristic propaganda for the future writing of the history of Nazism. This material is now "missing," Mr. Clapp, a former Assistant Librarian of Congress, disclosed. He advertised for an historian to write this chapter of the Nazi story in the hopes that such a scholar would unearth the volumes.

JEWISH WOMAN APPOINTED JUDGE IN ENGLAND; FIRST WOMAN JUDGE IN COUNTRY

LONDON, Nov. 27. (JTA) -- Rose Heilbron, 42, famous counsel and active member of a number of women's organizations, was today appointed the first woman judge in English legal history. She was born and educated in Britain.

U.S. JEWISH GROUPS REQUEST OUSTER OF STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL

NEW YORK, Nov. 27. (JTA) -- Protesting the "warped and bigoted" anti-Semitic speech delivered recently by Edwin Wright, a high official in the State Department, the American Jewish Congress yesterday appealed to the Department "publicly to repudiate his statements." The AJC also called for "the removal of Mr. Wright from any position of influence or authority within the State Department."

A similar demand was made last week by the Agudath Israel of America in letters addressed to President Eisenhower and to Secretary of State John Foster Dulles.

In a letter to Herbert Hoover, Jr., Acting Secretary of State, Judge Justine Wise Polier, chairman of the American Jewish Congress' executive committee, deplored the "incredible" anti-Jewish remarks made by Mr. Wright, Assistant Dean of the Foreign Service Institute of the State Department, in a speech delivered at the National Presbyterian Church in Washington on November 1.

The U.S. Department of State, Judge Polier's letter to Mr. Hoover said, "is under an obligation to rectify the wrong that has been done and not only to disclaim and disassociate itself from Mr. Wright's remarks, but publicly to repudiate his statements in a manner that will make it unmistakable that they have no place in American public life and play no role in the determination of American policy. This should be followed by the removal of Mr. Wright from any position of influence or authority within the State Department."

The Agudath Israel letter stated: "It is unthinkable that a government official should permit himself to so callously malign the millions of American citizens of the Orthodox Jewish faith, who have made their productive contribution to every phase of American life. The glorious service to the weal of mankind rendered by American citizens who observe the traditional Jewish religion, and their loyalty to our beloved country, is a matter of public record. Their religious faith has often been the source of inspiration that enables these American Jews to develop their manifold contributions for the betterment of society."

1,500 GUESTS PAY \$250 PER PLATE AT DINNER FOR WEIZMANN INSTITUTE

NEW YORK, Nov. 27. (JTA) -- The "firm belief" that Israel seeks an enduring peace for itself and the neighboring Arab countries was expressed here tonight by Dr. R. A. Mackay, Canadian Ambassador to the United Nations, addressing a dinner of the American Committee for the Weizmann Institute of Science at the Waldorf Astoria. The event was attended by 1,500 guests, each of whom paid \$250 per plate. The proceeds will go towards the construction of a Physics Institute at the Weizmann Institute where nuclear induction laboratories will be housed.

"I am well aware that we still stand in the shadow of momentous events--yet I firmly believe that the country, which gave birth to the great Jewish and Christian ideal of peace among men, seeks only an enduring peace for itself, its neighbors and all mankind," Dr. Mackay said. (Israel Ambassador Abba Eban was also one of the guest speakers at the dinner, but at the time the Bulletin went to press, he had not yet delivered his speech.)

Senator Herbert H. Lehman, speaking at the dinner, charged the Eisenhower Administration with having failed to heed the many warnings from the Middle East. "The Middle East time bomb has been ticking away for a long time," he said, "while we have idly sat by and permitted the tensions to grow more and more acute. The leading nations of the free world must, however, recognize that peace in the Middle East will come only through direct negotiations between Israel and its neighbors. It cannot be imposed by an outside power, no matter how valid its interest or how good its intentions."

Mrs. Chaim Weizmann, widow of Israel's first President and a medical scientist in her own right, refuted accusations that Israel is an aggressor and appealed for "constructive guidance and effective help from America in Israel's quest for peace." A close collaborator of her late husband, Mrs. Weizmann challenged any nation to have acted differently under the circumstances facing Israel, and said that "Israel wishes nothing more than peace for everybody." The dinner, which marked the 82nd anniversary of the birth of Dr. Weizmann, also observed the 80th birthday of Louis Lipsky, dean of American Zionists. Dewey D. Stone, chairman of the Board of Governors of the Weizmann Institute, also addressed the gathering.

CHANUKAH STARTS TONIGHT; 60,000 JEWS IN U.S. ARMED FORCES TO GET GIFTS

NEW YORK, Nov. 27. (JTA) -- More than 60,000 Chanukah gifts, shipped a month ago by the National Jewish Welfare Board, will be distributed by Jewish chaplains at Chanukah services for Jews in the U.S. armed forces which will start tomorrow evening with the lighting of the first candle. The services will be held at remote overseas posts in Asia, Africa and Europe.

Supplementing the shipment of personal and recreational gifts shipped to 34 overseas Jewish chaplains are the large quantities of candles, menorahs, Chanukah greeting cards and other sundry items sent by JWB as part of "Operation Chanukah." These went to military personnel in Japan, Korea, Hawaii, the Philippines, Guam, Alaska, Labrador, Newfoundland, Germany, France, Italy, North Africa, the Caribbean and the U.S.