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ISRAEL ENVOY PRESENTS NOTE TO U.S. ON NAVY'S AIDING ARAB BLOCKADE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26, (JTA) -- Israel Ambassador Avraham Harman today called on G. Lewis Jones, Assistant Secretary of State for Near Eastern Affairs to present a formal note conveying the views of the Israel Government on a practice in the chartering of ships by the U.S. Navy that, in effect, abets the Arab blockade.

Mr. Harman said he discussed with Mr. Jones Israel's concern at a circular issued by the U.S. Navy regarding ship charters with a clause specifying an attitude towards ships unable to fulfill requirements because they had traded with Israel.

Rep. Leonor K. Sullivan, Missouri Democrat, today raised a question on the House floor regarding American policy toward anti-Israel discrimination practiced by the United Arab Republic in the Suez Canal issue.

Rep. Sullivan said President Eisenhower has termed the World Bank, which recently loaned the UAR money to expand Suez Canal facilities, an "instrument of Western policy." She said "this very much raises the question of what Free World policy really is on this question of illegal discrimination in the use of the Suez Canal."

Rep. Glenna Cunningham, Nebraska Republican, urged today on the House floor that the State Department make "a strong protest" to the United Arab Republic and also take action through the United Nations to open the Suez Canal to Israel shipping.

Rep. Cunningham said "the continual denial of the use of the canal to Israeli shipping is contrary to historic agreements and contrary to the policy of the United States. The unilateral action taken by the United Arab Republic in this instance is a clear violation of international agreements..."

EISENHOWER SAYS HE WARNED ISRAEL IN ADVANCE ON SINAI CAMPAIGN

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26, (JTA) -- President Eisenhower today told a press conference that he warned Abba Eban, former Israel Ambassador, in advance, in October 1956, of what the American response would be if Israel took military action.

Commenting on the Sinai-Suez war in connection with recently published reminiscences of the British ex-Premier Anthony Eden, President Eisenhower injected Israeli and Jewish aspects. He said that early in October, just before the Sinai-Suez eruption Mr. Eban called on him. He informed Eban that he hoped Eban's judgment would not be swayed by misinterpretation of what the United States response to Israeli action would be or by ideas of "possible Jewish sympathy" in America to Israeli mobilization and the then-approaching U.S. national election.

Mr. Eisenhower said he made clear to Mr. Eban what the U.S. Government would do if Israel resorted to force. He said he informed Ambassador Eban that if he, Eban, thought of influence of the elections on a White House decision, he had better disabuse his mind of it.

The President said also that he telephoned Eden, then British Prime Minister, and Winston Churchill on the Suez matter before the explosion. He indicated that both he and John Foster Dulles, the late Secretary of State, made known to Israel, Britain and France that if force were used, the United States would stand by its interpretation of the United Nations policy and charter.

He termed his comments "footnotes" to the history of the Suez incident. He disclosed that Secretary Dulles kept careful records of conversations involving the President's stand on Israel and the Suez crisis. He said these documents would be placed in the memorial library at Abilene, Kansas.

President Eisenhower dismissed to some extent a question about implementation of the Morse-Javits amendment to the Mutual Security Act empowering the President to withhold aid from nations that discriminate against Americans on a basis of religion or race.

He told his press conference that he had no specific case of this kind brought before him for a long time. He emphasized that exceptions are written in the law so as to put specific cases before the President and make him decide whether or not certain action is in the best interest of the United States. Replying specifically to a question concerning Saudi Arabian discrimination against American Jews, Mr. Eisenhower indicated he would follow the recommendations of the State Department.

BEN-GURION SAYS ISRAEL IS STILL SUPPLYING WEST GERMANY WITH ARMS

JERUSALEM, Jan. 26. (JTA) -- Prime Minister David Ben-Gurion replied tonight in the Knesset, Israel's Parliament, with an emphatic affirmative to a question from a right-wing Herut deputy as to whether Israel was continuing to supply West Germany with arms. The Prime Minister did not elaborate on his brief reply.

Mr. Ben-Gurion also reiterated today in the Knesset his conviction that there was no national, social or economic need for increasing the present size of Israel's cities other than Jerusalem. He cited the basic policy of the first Israel Government in 1949 advocating the spread and balancing of populations to prevent over-concentration in cities.

That policy, he said, also was based on the belief that there were political as well as security dangers in concentrating the populace in the narrow coastal strip between Haifa and Tel Aviv.

BONN DISCUSSES ESTABLISHMENT OF DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH ISRAEL

BONN, Jan. 26. (JTA) -- Political sources here indicated today a belief that the question of establishment of diplomatic relations with Israel was discussed at a closed session of the policy commission of the West German Parliament last week.

Social Democratic deputies supported the idea after a report was made by Dr. Carlo Schmid, acting president of the Lower House, on his recent visit. A Social Democratic motion for such recognition was not put to a vote.

A total of 414 anti-Semitic incidents have been recorded in the West German Republic and West Berlin since the Christmas Eve desecration of the Cologne Synagogue, the State Police Department reported today.

Most of the incidents occurred in North Rhine Westphalia, where 99 were recorded. Seventy-three were listed in West Berlin, 53 in Lower Saxony, 41 in Bavaria, 40 in Hesse with the remainder in scattered other places. The Bavarian Ministry of the Interior offered a 3,000 mark reward for the apprehension of the persons who tried to set fire to a synagogue on January 13.

A Democratic Action Committee to combat neo-Nazi and anti-Semitic excesses was formed today in Frankfurt. The committee was organized by representatives of local political parties, churches, the judiciary, university officials and industry and trade union leaders.

Initiative in organizing the committee was taken by the German Trade Union district. Paul Pieper, the district chairman, said it was not enough to rely on the actions of state authorities and that "democratic groups must take the initiative into their own hands because the attack on Jews is an attack on all of us." The Frankfurt Police Chief's office reported that a total of 28 incidents had been listed in Frankfurt since January 9.

The West Berlin newspaper "BZ" today reported that East German Communist authorities have arrested 41 members of a pro-Nazi, anti-Semitic movement that infiltrated the Red's youth group. The report said the youths and their 22-year-old "fuehrer," a student, are being held by Communist secret police.

East German police raided a cellar meeting place, confiscating a bust of Adolf Hitler, swastika flags, and Nazi literature. According to the West Berlin report, the youths, residents of East Berlin and its suburbs, had smeared anti-Jewish slogans on walls in their communities.

MANIFESTATIONS OF ANTI-SEMITISM IN GERMANY DEPLORED IN U.S. SENATE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26. (JTA) -- The expression of "regret and embarrassment" by the West German Government are not adequate responses to the manifestations of anti-Semitism that have appeared in West Germany, a member of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee said today in the Senate.

Senator Hubert H. Humphrey, Minnesota Democrat, said eruptions of anti-Semitism in West Germany could no longer be dismissed as isolated and inconsequential. He told the Senate, in a speech on the floor, that "we have been rudely reminded of the fact that anti-Semitism is still a living force by the recent demonstrations in West Germany and in other countries, including our own."

The Senator said that American guilt might not be as great as German guilt, "but we must face it." He stressed that "one desecrated synagogue in America is one too many."

BELGIAN SENATE GETS BILL TO MAKE HATE SLOGANS A PENAL OFFENSE

BRUSSELS, Jan. 26. (JTA) -- Senator Henry Rolin, president of the Socialist group and of the Justice Commission in the Belgian Senate, today sent to the Senate a bill to make the daubing of swastikas and hate-inciting slogans a penal offense. A number of other Senators, including Catholics, Liberals and Socialists, added their sponsorship to the measure which provides penalties for offenders of up to a year in prison.

JEWS IN AUSTRIA CHARGE GOVERNMENT WITH MINIMIZING NAZI ACTIVITIES

VIENNA, Jan. 26. (JTA) -- The Federation of Austrian Jewish Communities charged today in a sharply worded statement that the Government of Austria apparently was continuing a policy of minimizing Nazi activities in Austria.

The statement said that no top official of the Austrian Government found it desirable, as Chancellor Konrad Adenauer of the West German Republic did, to condemn publicly the Nazi smearers and their "wire-pullers."

The Government has done nothing to inform the people about "the growing danger" of Nazi activity and seems unable to find words of solidarity for the surviving victims of Hitler's "murder machinery," the statement said. The Federation added that Austrian Nazis have connections with Nazis in other countries.

Sixteen persons have been arrested for participation in the recent anti-Semitic manifestations in this country. Josef Aflitsch, Austrian Minister of the Interior, announced today. A number of extremist right-wing organizations have been dissolved, he revealed.

Mr. Aflitsch said he would introduce an amendment to the present law regulating private organizations, in view of "the misuse" of privileges by some organizations. Present legislation, he stated, "still offers loopholes" for persons interested in undermining democracy. Although he suspects that the recent anti-Semitic actions may have been directed from a single headquarters, the Interior Minister said, he has no proof of central coordination of these manifestations.

Vienna police announced today the arrest of Gunter Kaemel and Hans Moert on charges of neo-Nazi activities. The two men, in whose apartments police found quantities of Nazi literature, were wearing uniforms of the defunct Hitler Youth when they were arrested. They have been charged with planning to launch a new Nazi youth group.

Sweden to Prosecute Notorious Anti-Semite for Hate Literature

STOCKHOLM, Jan. 26. (JTA) -- The Swedish Ministry of Justice announced today it had decided to prosecute Einar Aaberg, notorious Swedish anti-Semite who for years has mailed vast quantities of anti-Semitic literature from his headquarters here throughout the world.

Aaberg will be tried on charges of violating the law against the distribution of anti-Semitic literature. Ministry sources said that at least five of Aaberg's pamphlets were considered illegal.

The Conference of Swedish Bishops adopted a resolution condemning anti-Semitic demonstrations anywhere in the world. The resolution emphasized "the duty of the church to stress Christianity's age-old debt to the Jewish people, and to fight racial discrimination and terror."

The parliamentary members of the Center Party-Farmers Union last night called for more stress in the schools on education against racialism. Unless "objective education about Nazism is increased," the members of Parliament stated, "supplementary directions must be issued" to increase such education.

So. African Jews Attach No Importance to Swastika-Smearing Incidents

JOHANNESBURG, Jan. 26. (JTA) -- While there is need for "continued vigilance" against the possibility of resurgent anti-Semitism, "there is no ground for attaching too great importance to the incidents that have occurred in this country," Namie Philips, chairman of the South African Jewish Board of Deputies, declared here today.

The police authorities are investigating the incidents, Mr. Philips told the monthly meeting of the Board. "and all matters affecting law and order must be left in their hands." Gustav Saron, secretary of the Board, characterized the recent swastika-smearing incidents as "trivial."

Arthur Suzman, chairman of the Board's public relations committee, reported that public authorities have been notified about the distribution of an anti-Semitic book in this country. The book was written, in part, Mr. Suzman said, by Erik Holm, a South African who was an announcer for the Nazi radio during World War II. Holm is now reportedly employed by the South African Government.

Mexican Minister Assures Jews on Action Against Anti-Semitism

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 26. (JTA) -- Minister of the Interior Gustavo Diaz Ordaz today assured a delegation representing the Mexican Central Jewish Committee that energetic steps were being taken against any anti-Semitic hate peddlers in Mexico. The delegation had called on Mr. Diaz Ordaz, who is Acting President while President Adolfo Lopez Mateos is on a tour of South America, to request government action in the face of Mexico's current swastika epidemic.

Mr. Diaz Ordaz told the members of the delegation that the Mexican Government was fully in sympathy with the country's Jewish community and would never tolerate any form of anti-Semitism which it considers to be against the best traditions of Mexico.

ARIZONA UNIVERSITY EXPELS TWO STUDENTS FOR ANTI-JEWISH ACTION

TUCSON, Ariz., Jan. 26. (JTA) -- Two University of Arizona students, Jack Weidner, 18, and Donald Kopeck, 23, were expelled from the school, fined \$50 and sentenced to five days in jail after they were caught marking up a kosher market here. City police said that the two students left the city at the end of their jail sentences. City officials said they would continue to deal severely with offenders.

In Scottsdale, two small homemade bombs were thrown at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gold but did no damage. Later the Golds received a phone call asking: "How does it feel to be the only Jew in the neighborhood?"

The Tucson Ministerial Association declared that it was gravely concerned about the "recent outbursts of vandalism in our community" which were centered on "acts and symbols which are identified with religious bigotry and intolerance." The statement warned the community to remember "the tragic history of such outbursts should they develop into a hate and revenge crusade."

ROSE HALPRIN URGES STRONGER TIES BETWEEN ISRAEL AND ZIONISTS

JERUSALEM, Jan. 26. (JTA) -- "Better and tighter ties and understanding" between the Israel Government and the Zionist movement are essential for both, Mrs. Rose Halprin, acting chairman of the Jewish Agency executive in New York, declared at a press conference here today.

"The Zionist movement's functions for Israel," Mrs. Halprin stated, "are not yet complete, and the Zionist movement remains the only body and address on which Israel may count, and to which Israel can apply for any service which would be readily dealt with."

Declaring that "relations between Israel and the Zionist movement are not as they should be," Mrs. Halprin said: "Whoever thinks, or claims, that there is another address which Israel can use--the term 'world Jewry' being an abstract--is very mistaken. Though the Zionist movement need not be perpetuated, there is still great work undone, like preparing a large reserve of immigration for Israel from outside Israel. This is being done by educating the Jewish youth, a project now under way."

Speaking of the possibilities of emigration to Israel from Western countries, Mrs. Halprin stated that, as far as America and Britain are concerned, "it is essential first to provide those prospective immigrants with conditions that would enable them to remain in Israel, which is what they desire. The main obstacle is housing, and efforts should be directed toward solution of this problem."

JEWS IN GERMANY LAUNCH 1960 FUND-RAISING CAMPAIGN FOR ISRAEL

COLOGNE, Jan. 26. (JTA) -- The 1960 Jewish Appeal Campaign for Israel was launched today at the new Jewish Community House here by Prof. Hermann Lewin, president of the Keren Hayesod in West Germany.

Others participating in the ceremony were Dr. H.G. Van Dam, secretary-general of the Central Council of the Jews of Germany, Heinz Galiński, West Berlin Jewish leader and Karl Marx, publisher of the Allgemeine Wochenzeitung. F.E. Shinnar, head of the Israel Mission at Cologne, was the principal speaker.

HEBREW UNIVERSITY OPENS BUILDING FOR SOLAR ENERGY RESEARCH

JERUSALEM, Jan. 26. (JTA) -- The Dan Danziger Building for Applied Science, which is scheduled also to become the national headquarters for Israel research in use of solar energy, was opened yesterday at the Hebrew University. The building was made possible by contributions from the estate of the late Dan Danziger of Texas and from the French Friends of the University.

Finance Minister Levi Eshkol, who attended the opening ceremonies on behalf of the Government, expressed himself as particularly interested in solar energy research. He was told that practical solar energy sources would be available "within two years."

ANONYMOUS AMERICAN DONOR GIVES \$1,000,000 FOR STADIUM IN NAZARETH

TEL AVIV, Jan. 26. (JTA) -- An anonymous American donor has given the Nazareth municipality a gift of \$1,000,000 for the construction of a stadium and swimming pool in the town for the use of "Christians, Moslems and Jews." The stadium and the pool will be built in a natural amphitheatre east of the town.

NEW ISRAEL AMBASSADOR TO FRANCE ARRIVES IN PARIS TO TAKE UP DUTIES

PARIS, Jan. 26. (JTA) -- Walter Eytan, Israel's new Ambassador to France, arrived here today to take up his duties. The envoy said he wanted to echo the words of Mrs. Golda Meir, Israel's Foreign Minister, during her recent visit to Paris, that the ties of friendship and mutual respect between Israel and France were stronger than ever. He was met at the airport by a representative of the French Foreign Ministry.