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EICHMANN REPORTED TO HAVE BURIED GOLD TREASURE IN AUSTRIAN ALPS

LONDON, Aug. 21. (JTA) -- A fortune in gold, looted from Nazi victims and estimated to be worth at least \$280,000,000, is believed to have been buried in the Austrian Alps by Nazi leaders including Adolf Eichmann, the war criminal who directed the extermination of 6,000,000 Jews in Europe, it was reported here today by the Bonn correspondent of the Sunday Times.

Local residents of the Styrian mountain village where Eichmann sought refuge after the war, are wondering, according to the correspondent, if the Nazi war criminal now awaiting trial in Israel, will at last disclose the secret of the Blau Alm (Mountain Pasture) where witnesses say he buried the treasure. The hoard, they believe is partly the proceeds of ransom which Eichmann exacted from thousands of his Jewish victims.

The correspondent also reported that a number of highly incriminating documents which are still lying at the bottom of Lake Toplitz in the same area, include the names of prominent persons who gave assistance to Eichmann and other Nazis in Hitler's "Final Solution" plan for liquidating the Jews.

The writer asserted that "there is already talk of the Jews making their own official search, with or without the aid of the Austrian Government, in order to get to the bottom of the reports about the hidden treasure and the documents."

HAMMARSKJOLD REPORTED REJECTING ISRAELI MILITARY UNITS FOR CONGO

PARIS, Aug. 21. (JTA) -- Israel had offered to contribute military units to the United Nations force in the Congo, but U.N. Secretary General Dag Hammarskjold rejected the offer so as not to irk the Arabs, the newspaper "L'Express" reported here today.

At the same time it was reported here today from Cairo that an airlift of more than 500 Egyptian paratroopers to the Congo began last night. They are to become a part of the United Nations forces there.

Mr. Hammarskjold, the Paris newspaper declared, yielded to the insistence of United Arab Republic President Gamal Abdel Nasser and finally accepted 500 U.A.R. soldiers "because he feared that, otherwise, Col. Nasser might undertake separate action outside the United Nations framework." The newspaper points out that Nasser is now attempting to organize a separate "African Army" jointly with Ghana.

ALGERIAN LEADERS CALL UPON JEWS TO JOIN IN FIGHT FOR INDEPENDENCE

PARIS, Aug. 21. (JTA) -- Jews in Algeria are urged by leaders of the National Liberation Front to participate actively in gaining independence for Algeria, according to reports reaching here today. They are called upon not to leave either for Israel or for France, but to remain where they are and cooperate with their Moslem neighbors "so as to enjoy equal rights after independence."

In a pamphlet issued by the F.L.N., Jews are reminded that many Spanish Jews found asylum in Algeria during the Spanish Inquisition and afterwards at the time of the Vichy Government in Nazi-held France. The pamphlet emphasizes that many Algerian Jews fought together with Algerian Moslems, and calls on all other Algerian Jews to do the same.

SYRIAN DELEGATION GOES TO MOSCOW; SEEKS AID FOR 20 PROJECTS

LONDON, Aug. 21. (JTA) -- A Syrian delegation headed by United Arab Republic Vice President Nureddin Kahala, left for Moscow this week-end to sign contracts for some 20 development projects involving the expenditure of more than \$300,000,000, it was reported here today.

The projects, which will be carried out under the terms of the 1957 Syrian-Soviet Economic Cooperation Agreement, are designed to double the Syrian national income within 10 years. The most important project is the construction of a huge dam on the Euphrates River in northern Syria, which would provide water for the irrigation of 1,500,000 acres of land. The contracts will reinforce the position of the Soviet Union in the United Arab Republic.

JEWISH AGENCY ANNOUNCES STAND ON ALLOCATIONS TO CONSTRUCTIVE FUNDS

NEW YORK, Aug. 21. (JTA) -- The Jewish Agency, Inc. today reported that in accordance with a decision by its Board of Directors, a subcommittee of the Board, under the chairmanship of Joseph Meyerhoff, met to consider certain aspects of the Agency's decision to discontinue all allocations to the various Constructive Funds.

It was unanimously agreed by the committee that no change would be recommended in the previous decision of the Agency to discontinue allocations to the Constructive Funds of the various political parties. However, the committee addressed itself to the question of the effect the Agency's decision might have on the various beneficiaries of the respective Constructive Funds and particularly on the services rendered by such institutions and agencies to new immigrants for their absorption and integration:

The committee, after a preliminary examination of the audited reports of the Constructive Funds, found that certain of their activities belonged in the same categories of philanthropic activities as those generally contemplated for support by the Jewish Agency for Israel, Inc. The committee also found that certain of the beneficiaries of the Constructive Funds were already receiving basic allocations from the Jewish Agency, but that the interruption of the flow of supplementary funds to them could impose unnecessary hardships on such new immigrants.

The following recommendations were unanimously agreed upon for submission to the Board of Directors for their action:

1) That the Board suggest to the executive of the Jewish Agency in Jerusalem that it consider the inclusion in its budget for 1961-62 such appropriations for agricultural settlements, educational institutions and other programs concerned with the absorption and integration of new immigrants, previously supported by the Constructive Funds, as fall into similar line-by-line categories in the Jewish Agency's programmatic budget.

2) When the budget proposals of the executive of the Jewish Agency come before the Board of Directors of the Jewish Agency for Israel, Inc., the latter, after receiving relevant reports and evaluations from Dr. Isador Lubin, its representative now in Israel, make final decisions on the inclusion of such items in the allocations of funds to be made.

CEYLON'S NEW PREMIER INDICATES INTENTION TO ALTER POLICY ON ISRAEL

LONDON, Aug. 21. (JTA) -- Ceylon's new Premier, Mrs. Sirimavo Bandaranaike, has issued a statement indicating her Government intends to alter its friendly policy toward Israel, to appease the Arab League states. Ceylon and Israel have had the friendliest of relations for years. Two years ago, Ceylon bought two warships from Israel. Mrs. Bandaranaike's statement, issued at her capital, Colombo, reads:

"The Government has had under review the accreditation of our Ambassador in Rome to Israel, and the circumstances under which this decision was taken by the caretaker government of Mr. Wijayananda Dahanayake. My Government feels that the accreditation was carried through without adequate regard to the special difficulties of the situation in the Middle East or proper consideration of the possible effects the action would have on our relations with the Arab governments.

"My Government recalls that, when the question of sending a diplomatic representative to Israel came up during the lifetime of the late Prime Minister (S. W. Bandaranaike, husband of the present Premier), he decided to refrain from doing so in recognition of the complexities of the situation in the Middle East.

"It is the view of my Government that the action of the caretaker government of Mr. Dahanayake reversed these basic policies. My Government now proposes to take certain urgent remedial measures with a view to strengthening and fostering our relations with the Arab countries."

PRESIDENT OF CONGO REPUBLIC ARRIVES IN ISRAEL; MET BY BEN-GURION

JERUSALEM, Aug. 21. (JTA) -- President Abbe Fulbert Youlou of the Congo Republic (formerly the French Congo) arrived here tonight for a one-week state visit. He is the first head of state to visit Israel while in office. President Youlou was met at the airport by Prime Minister David Ben-Gurion and top Government officials.

Tomorrow, President Youlou will call on Israeli President Izhak Ben-Zvi and Premier Ben-Gurion and will be guest of honor at President Ben-Zvi's residence in the evening. The visiting head of the African state will preside over Tuesday's session of the International Conference on the Role of Science in the Development of New States at Rehovot.

President Youlou's schedule also includes tours of agricultural projects accompanied by Agriculture Minister Moshe Dayan, visits to Army installations, a reception by Foreign Minister Golda Meir, which will be attended by members of the diplomatic corps, a dinner in his honor by Premier Ben-Gurion which will be attended by delegates to the Rehovot conference, and a tour of the Negev.

SENATE BODY TO DISCUSS RESTITUTION CLAIMS OF NATURALIZED CITIZENS

WASHINGTON, Aug. 21. (JTA) -- The Senate Judiciary Committee may take up tomorrow an amendment to the Trading With the Enemy Act authorizing the U. S. Government to pursue restitution claims for American naturalized citizens as is the practice in other Western countries. At present, the Government does not pursue claims of naturalized citizens. Practically all Nazi victims in this country are naturalized citizens.

The amendment was introduced by Senator Kenneth Keating of New York. He also introduced another amendment which provides for a bulk settlement of \$500,000 for existing claims of survivors of Nazi persecution. The House of Representatives has already acted on this amendment.

The sum of \$500,000 was agreed upon between the Jewish Restitution Successor Organization and the Office of Alien Property of the Department of Justice as a "reasonable settlement." The Budget Bureau, however, suggested that the \$500,000 sum should be cut in half. Although this suggestion was rejected by the House as wholly unjustified, a Senate Judiciary Subcommittee reported out the bill "without recommendation."

The bill is scheduled for consideration tomorrow by the full Senate Judiciary Committee, and there is hope that the Senate will approve the measure with the entire \$500,000 as voted by the house.

GERMANS SEE FILMS OF NAZI ATROCITIES IN WARSAW GHETTO; ARE SHOCKED

BONN, Aug. 21. (JTA) -- Authentic documentary films of Nazi atrocities against Jews in the Warsaw ghetto are now being shown in Germany to the public for the first time since the fall of the Nazi regime, making a deep impression on thousands of Germans.

The films were taken by Nazi authorities in the Warsaw ghetto in 1942 for the enlightenment of Nazi officials, however, they were suppressed because it was feared that they might provoke pity for Jews even among Nazis. They are now incorporated in a two-hour documentary anti-Hitler picture which carries the title "Mein Kampf" and is attracting large audiences in West German theatres.

The producer of "Mein Kampf" is an expatriate of Berlin named Erwin Leiser. His film is a strictly commercial enterprise made with no subsidy from the West German Government. He assembled his material from cinema libraries in the archives of various countries. The film depicting the Nazi atrocities in the Warsaw ghetto -- and the misery under which the Jews lived there -- was discovered by the producer, who is now a Swedish citizen, in an East Berlin library.

ANTI-SEMITIC RIOT BREAKS OUT IN ARGENTINE SCHOOL; JEWISH YOUTH WOUNDED

BUENOS AIRES, Aug. 21. (JTA) -- The Argentine Jewish representative organization DAIA charged today that the federal and local authorities had consistently ignored the organization's warnings about conditions in the Sarmiento National High School here which culminated this week-end in the grave wounding of a 15-year-old Jewish high-school student in an attack by a nationalist, anti-Semitic student gang.

The attack came after a ceremony honoring Gen. San Martin, the Argentine national hero, at the high school. A gang of nationalist students, supported by youths from the Buenos Aires Catholic University, waylaid some Jewish students in the street. The assailants shouted "Long Live Eichmann!"

Several of the Jewish students were mauled. One, Manuel Trilnik, was shot and seriously wounded. Police arrested six of the Jewish students who carried staves to defend themselves, and later arrested two of the assailants in connection with the shooting.

The DAIA said it had notified Minister of the Interior Alfredo Vitolo and Admiral Niceto de la Vega, the chief of police, last Tuesday that the Jewish students had received threats and asked the authorities to take preventive action. The DAIA charged that the school authorities likewise had ignored the situation and had taken no action.

The organization said that in recent weeks it had repeatedly informed the Minister of the Interior and the chief of police of a dangerous situation developing at the Sarmiento school where, it said, the Tacuara nationalist group had systematically organized vandalism and harassment of the Jewish students.

The Jewish community organization charged that the school authorities had maintained a complete, hands-off attitude. Parents of the students who had been subjected to attack complained, in fact, that the Minister of Education, Luis Mackay, had intervened to protect one of the nationalist students.

N. Y. MAYOR TO ADD REGISTRATION TIME FOR JEWISH RELIGIOUS VOTERS

NEW YORK, Aug. 21. (JTA) -- New York City voters will have two additional days to register for the forthcoming elections in order to accomodate observant Jews who cannot register on the dates fixed by the State Legislature because of religious holidays and the Sabbath which coincide with these dates.

This was announced here yesterday by Mayor Robert F. Wagner, who reaffirmed his intention of providing additional registration time after Governor Nelson a. Rockefeller turned down the Mayor's request to call a special session of the Legislature to change the registration dates.

The dates set by the Legislature were the evenings of October 12 and 13, which coincide with Shmini Atzeret and Simhat Torah, Friday evening, October 14 and all day Saturday, October 15. The Mayor had sought the change in dates by the State Legislature, which would have avoided the \$400,000 cost of the two additional days. The City Board of Elections has the authority to increase the number of local registration days, but any added days must precede the last day fixed by the Legislature.

Referring to the additional cost for renting registration rooms and paying election inspectors, Mayor Wagner said it was "worth it to give the people the opportunity to register." He said the additional dates probably would be October 10 and 11, but that this was not certain.

Governor Rockefeller's decision to reject the request for the special session of the Legislature was contained in a telegram to the Mayor which declared that "any sudden and belated shifting of these long-established dates would serve only to create confusion in the minds of the public and a possible consequent failure of some citizens to qualify to vote."

B'NAI B'RITH TO AWARD ITS 'PRESIDENT'S MEDAL' TO ABRAHAM FEINBERG

NEW YORK, Aug. 21. (JTA) -- The B'nai B'rith President's Medal will be awarded this year to Abraham Feinberg, president of the Israel Bond Organization, it was announced here last night. The award, which is given "for distinguished and enduring contributions of a humanitarian nature," will be presented to Mr. Feinberg at the 117th annual meeting of B'nai Brith here on November 27.

Former Harry S. Truman, himself a previous recipient of the award, will be the principal speaker at the presentation banquet. Mr. Feinberg, who is chairman of the board of the Kayser-Roth Corporation, is also chairman of the board of trustees of Brandeis University and head of the American Committee for the Weizmann Institute of Science.

SIR LEWIS B. NAMIER, BRITISH HISTORIAN, DEAD; WAS WITH JEWISH AGENCY

LONDON, Aug. 21. (JTA) -- Sir Lewis Bernstein Namier, 73, noted British historian died today. Dr. Namier served as political secretary for the Jewish Agency from 1929 to 1931.

Dr. Namier was born in Warsaw and became a naturalized British citizen. During World War I he served in the British army and subsequently served in the political intelligence division in the Foreign Office. From 1931-1953 he was Professor of Modern History at Manchester University. He was the author of a number of books, one of which included essays on Jewish problems.

DR. JACOBY, WORLD JEWISH CONGRESS REPRESENTATIVE AT U. N., DEAD

NEW YORK, Aug. 21. (JTA) -- Funeral services were held here today for Dr. Gerhard Jacoby, a permanent representative of the World Jewish Congress at the United Nations, who died last Friday after a short illness. He was 69 years old.

Dr. Jacoby, who attended the Universities of Berlin and Wuerzburg was admitted to the Court of Appeals in Berlin as a lawyer in 1921. He left Germany in 1936 and went to Palestine, where he stayed until 1939. He then came to the United States.

In New York he became a research associate of the Institute of Jewish Affairs of the World Jewish Congress. In 1950, he went on a two-year mission to Germany for the World Jewish Congress; while there he was instrumental in helping the Jews in Germany to reorganize themselves.

Upon his return to the United States he became a member of the Department of International Affairs of the World Jewish Congress and was appointed one of its permanent representatives at the United Nations.