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EICHMANN TRIAL SET IN ISRAEL FOR MARCH 6; GERMAN LAWYER INFORMED

JERUSALEM, Nov. 17. (JTA) -- Adolf Eichmann, charged with crimes against the Jewish people and with crimes against humanity, will go on trial here next March 6, it was officially announced here today.

Bureau VI of the Ministry of Police, which was set up especially to conduct the formal investigations in connection with the prosecution of Eichmann, today handed over to the Attorney General a sheaf of reports on the Eichmann case. The reports were compiled here on the basis of documentary evidence dug up in Washington archives dealing with the Nazi regime, and in European countries. Some of the material in the dossier had come from Eichmann himself, obtained from him during his questioning in Israel.

The Ministry of Justice today officially notified Eichmann's attorney, Robert Servatius, of Cologne, informing him of the date, time and place of trial.

PALESTINIAN ARABS PRESENT THEIR VIEWS TO U. N. ON THE REFUGEE ISSUE

UNITED NATIONS, N. Y., Nov. 17. (JTA) -- The Arabs of Palestine will have to fight "for the liberation of their country" from Israel rule, unless the UN "intervenes" to bring the Arab refugees back to their "homeland" in present Israel, a representative of the former Grand Mufti of Jerusalem told the United Nations here today.

The threat was made in the name of a so-called "Palestinian Arab Delegation" by Emile Ghory, spokesman for the ex-Grand Mufti, who addressed the General Assembly's Special Political Committee, which was continuing the annual debate on the Arab refugee problem, begun last Monday.

Ghory was allowed to speak before the committee after a protracted argument in which six Western Powers backed Israel's insistence that, if he were to talk at all, he should be considered only an "individual" spokesman and not a representative of any organized group.

The argument was opened after the committee chairman, Carlet Auguste, of Haiti, read a letter signed by 10 Arab delegations who had requested the seating of a four-man so-called "Palestinian Arab delegation." The representatives of the United States, Britain, France, Australia, New Zealand and The Netherlands discussed the letter, saying they had no objection to hearing from the group, provided they were considered as "individuals."

Israel Delegate Disparages Appearance of Palestine "Delegation"

Michael S. Comay, chairman of the Israel delegation, told the committee that Israel feels listening to the group, even as individuals, was a waste of the committee's time. In past years, he pointed out, the committee always listened to Dr. Izzat Tannous, who had called himself the representative of the Arab refugees. Now, said Mr. Comay, "three more individuals" wish to speak, and "they are no more than individuals."

Lebanon, Iraq and Saudi Arabia backed the request for the seating of the entire four-man "delegation." The United Arab Republic and Jordan did not speak up for the so-called "delegation," although both countries had signed the original Arab letter on this issue. Finally, Ghory was allowed to talk.

Ghory spoke for nearly two hours, and was constantly interrupted by the chairman, Mr. Auguste insisting that he stick to the subject of the Arab refugees and not roam all over the horizon of general Israel-Arab disputes. He, however, continued with his set talk, in the course of which he reiterated all the old Arab accusations of "Zionist aggression" and "Zionist crimes" against the "Arab nation."

At the end of his talk, he finally did come to the refugee problem, but insisted that the only solution of the question is full return of all the refugees to Israeli territory. Then he voiced his threat that, failing such a UN order for "repatriation," the Arabs of Palestine "will have no choice but to follow the honorable course for the liberation of their country."

The committee adjourned until tomorrow afternoon. It was considered likely that one more spokesman for the so-called "delegation," probably Dr. Tannous, will be heard before the refugee debate is concluded.

U. S. TOLD OF JEWISH CONCERN OVER GIVING NASSER A SEAT IN SECURITY COUNCIL

NEW YORK, Nov. 17. (JTA) -- Rabbi Philip S. Bernstein, chairman of the American Israel Public Affairs Committee, today expressed "deep concern" over the prospective election of the United Arab Republic to membership in the United Nations Security Council.

In a letter to Secretary of State Christian A. Herter, Rabbi Bernstein declared that "those who violate the peace should not be entrusted with its preservation." He pointed out that the United Arab Republic has not respected Security Council decisions and has violated the principles of the UN Charter. He cited these instances:

1. The UAR maintains that it is in a state of war against Israel.
2. The UAR violates the 1951 Security Council decision calling on Egypt to end its Suez Canal blockade.
3. It disturbs Middle East peace, using its political and propaganda facilities against Jordan, Iraq, Tunisia and other neighboring governments.

He also referred to the UAR's recent refusal to negotiate a settlement with Israel. "As a consequence, the energies and resources of the region are dissipated in the acquisition of armaments; the homelessness of the Palestine Arab refugees is cruelly prolonged, and the UN itself is compelled to expend large sums of money for the care of the refugees and the cost of an Emergency Force," Rabbi Bernstein said.

Israel and its friends are boycotted, and American businessmen are subjected to economic harassment as victims of the UAR policy of boycott and belligerence, the chairman of the AIPAC emphasized. He told Mr. Herter that the American Israel Public Affairs Committee is aware that Security Council membership is distributed on a regional basis and that it is customary for the United States to vote for the candidate supported by other members of the region.

"However, this rule is not an inflexible one and should certainly yield before the larger consideration of faithful adherence to the UN Charter," he pointed out. Recalling that the UAR has twice before served on the Security Council, he said: "We are not satisfied that its return to membership in that body will invest it with deeper respect for the Charter of the United Nations. And we are not convinced that the other nations in the region regard the United Arab Republic as an authentic spokesman."

BEIGIN ARRIVES IN U. S.; FORESEES STRONGER AMERICAN-ISRAEL RELATIONS

NEW YORK, Nov. 17. (JTA) -- The hope that the free world would not permit such an aggressive country as the United Arab Republic to occupy a seat on the United Nations Security Council, was expressed here at a press conference today by Menahem Beigin, member of the Knesset, Israel's parliament, and leader of the Herut party. Mr. Beigin, who arrived here yesterday for a visit to this country, was met at the airport by hundreds of friends and admirers.

Lauding the spirit of the recent American elections, the Herut leader said that all Israelis "without exception" were convinced that the friendly relations between Israel and the United States would continue to grow stronger in the future. Mr. Beigin will address a large meeting at Carnegie Hall here Sunday evening.

DR. GOLDMANN STRESSES NEED FOR JEWISH EDUCATION; HONORED IN LONDON

LONDON, Nov. 17. (JTA) -- "As a people we knew how to survive in bad times, but we have not yet learned to survive in good times," Dr. Nahum Goldmann declared here last night, addressing a dinner of the British Zionist Federation, given in his honor.

The challenge that faces the Jewish people now is how to remain Jewish, the world Zionist leader said. In the olden days, he declared, this issue did not arise. There had been other dangers and tribulations but the Jewishness of the next generation was always taken for granted and assured. This challenge could only be met by an educational effort all over the Diaspora.

Dr. Goldmann noted that the Jewish schools of the British Zionist Federation were an example to other Jewish communities in the Anglo-Saxon countries, particularly where Jewish schools are not yet taken for granted. There was no reason, the Zionist leader said, why Jewish children should not learn Hebrew as well as the language of their own country. Without Hebrew, all talk about the partnership of Israel and the Diaspora becomes meaningless," he declared.

IRAQ ASKS INDONESIA NOT TO ADMIT ISRAEL TO ASIAN OLYMPIC GAMES

LONDON, Nov. 17. (JTA) -- The Embassy of Iraq at Djakarta, Indonesia, has asked the Indonesian Government to prevent Israel from participating in the Asian Olympic Games to be held in Djakarta in 1962, it was learned here today. The Iraqis said Israeli participation would be "an offense to followers of Islam."

SOVIET PRESS CHARGED WITH CONTINUING ANTI-JEWISH INCITEMENT

PARIS, Nov. 17. (JTA) -- Experts on Soviet affairs here today charged that the Soviet press is continuing its "petty but dangerous" anti-Jewish campaign and singled out the Komsomolskaya Pravda, Moscow daily newspaper which is especially influential among Soviet youth, as carrying articles of inciting anti-Jewish character.

The issue of Komsomolskaya Pravda of September 16 was cited as an example. An article in this issue denounces "crooks" who "pretend to be sick" and take up place in Black Sea rest homes and sanatoriums. The article listed the names of such "crooks" to emphasize that the majority of them are Jews.

That Communists in France are becoming worried lest officially-condoned Soviet anti-Semitism may lose friends for the Soviet Union was seen here today in the fact that Maurice Thorez, leading French Communist, issued a statement saying that he would "devote particular attention to the Jewish problem" when he attends the Communist world congress in Moscow.

M. Thorez issued the statement just before departing for the Moscow congress, following a meeting with Andre Blumel, former president of the Zionist Federation of France. M. Blumel visited Russia recently to probe the situation of the Jews there. He is president of France-USSR, an organization devoted to developing greater friendship between this country and the Soviet Union.

NAZIS IN SEVERAL GERMAN CITIES SENTENCED FOR MASS-MURDER OF JEWS

FEANKFURT, Nov. 17. (JTA) -- Two members of the Tilsit Commandos were convicted in Ulm for a second time of mass murders of Jews in Lithuania during 1941. Werner Schmidhammer, 52, was sentenced to three years' imprisonment for the murder of 313 Jews and Tarnas Likys, 60, was sentenced to five years in prison for the murder of 193 victims.

The court ruled that both were fully aware that they were shooting innocent civilians and rejected their claim that the executions were carried out as a military measure. Similar sentences had been imposed on SS leaders in the Tilsit Einsatz Commando trial of August, 1958 when ten SS men were convicted of murder. The Supreme Court ordered a retrial of Schmidhammer and Lukys to determine the exact number of victims.

In Karlsruhe, the West German Federal Supreme Court rejected today an appeal by Wilhelm Schubert, a former guard at the Sachsenhausen concentration camp, who was sentenced by a Bonn court earlier this year to life imprisonment for killing 46 Jewish prisoners. A co-defendant, Gustav Sorge, also sentenced to life imprisonment, had waived his right of appeal.

Rudolf Batz, former commander of the Gestapo, Security Service and Security Police of the Arnberg district, has been arrested, it was announced today by the Dortmund prosecution office. The former Gestapo chief, who has been living under the name of Rolf Kohl, was charged with the murder of 230 political and Jewish prisoners and forced laborers in Dortmund at the end of the war.

The former commandant of the Gusen concentration camp was charged today with responsibility for the murder of 300 prisoners in the camp during the Second World War. The Public Prosecutor's Office said that the accused, Karl Chmielewski, now 57, had ordered prisoners unfit for work to be sprayed with cold water in the wintertime, until they froze or drowned. In the summer, prisoners who could not work were drowned in an open-air swimming pool.

BRITISH CENSORS INSIST ON CUTS IN DOCUMENTARY FILM ON WARSAW GHETTO

LONDON, Nov. 17. (JTA) -- Plato Films, Ltd, has been informed by the British Board of Film Censors that a permit will not be granted for the showing of the company's 20-minute documentary, "The Warsaw Ghetto" unless all scenes showing the bodies of the victims have been removed from the film. It was reported here today.

In denying the permit for the film, which was made by the Nazis themselves, the Board said it had no "desire to lessen the impact of this film to whitewash or condone in any way what was done by the Nazis. We are aware that even this film shows only a part of the story and that there were other things done that were even more horrifying."

ANTI-SEMITIC DEMONSTRATORS IN LONDON TO FACE TRIAL ON MONDAY

LONDON, Nov. 17. (JTA) -- The four men arrested last week for an anti-Semitic demonstration against Sir Bernard Waley-Cohen, London's new Lord Mayor, were remanded in 10 pounds bail each for trial next Monday, when they were arraigned in court here today on charges of "insulting behavior."

The men were members of a group of British Fascists flaunting banners and shouting slogans proclaiming "We don't want a Jewish Lord Mayor." They also threw firecrackers which burst behind the horses pulling the Lord Mayor's ceremonial, gilded coach as he was on his way to take his oath of office.

THREE-DAY NATIONAL CONFERENCE OF U. J. A. YOUNG LEADERS OPENS TODAY

NEW YORK, Nov. 17, (JTA) -- The United Jewish Appeal will begin a unique program to develop potential new leadership from among the 25-40 year age group of local community leaders at a three-day National Young Leadership Conference which opens tomorrow at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel here.

Some 225 specially invited young Jewish community and philanthropic leaders from throughout the country will participate in the three-day seminar type conference. Each was asked to participate because he had made his mark to a significant degree as a leader in his home community. The conference will signalize the launching of a long-term program to solidify and augment the degree of national UJA leadership participation from among the younger group.

The program has received widely heralded support from the national leadership of the United Jewish Appeal and from leaders of local Jewish community federations and welfare funds which allocate major portions of the money they raise to the United Jewish Appeal. "The conference is the result of a long-cherished desire among national and community leaders to broaden and deepen the knowledge and understanding of worldwide UJA needs and projects among our younger community leaders and to prepare them for future national leadership," declared Morris W. Berinstein, UJA general chairman.

"Speakers at the Conference will offer a well-rounded series of presentations and discussions of UJA's major responsibilities throughout the world," Mr. Berinstein said. "They will brief the young leaders on the urgent problems facing the 390,000 people in Israel to whom UJA aid is of the utmost importance, and they will also present a detailed picture of the work done outside Israel for more than 200,000 men, women and children by the Joint Distribution Committee, the UJA agency operating in Europe, the Moslem lands and other areas throughout the world."

Among Israeli authorities who will lead discussions on various facets of the immigrant absorption problem will be Ambassador Avraham Harman, Israel's envoy to the United States; Michael Comay, Ambassador to the United Nations; Binyamin Eliav, Consul-General in New York and Brigadier General Meir Amit, former head of the Central command of Israel's Defense Force. Participating in the discussions at the conference will also be Edward M. M. Warburg, William Rosenwald, Dewey D. Stone, Philip M. Klutznick, Herbert A. Friedman, Moses A. Leavitt and other UJA leaders,

JEWISH CONGRESS OPPOSES STATE AID TO RELIGIOUS HIGHER EDUCATION SCHOOLS

NEW YORK, Nov. 17, (JTA) -- The American Jewish Congress today expressed opposition to recommendations on higher education in New York state that would give state aid to sectarian colleges. In a communication to Governor Rockefeller, the AJC said that such aid would constitute a violation of separation of church and state.

"We oppose the use of public funds to support religious institutions, whether they be controlled by the Catholic Church, by Protestant denominations or by Jewish rabbinical bodies," the AJC protest to the Governor stated.

HEBREW UNIVERSITY STARTS NEW BIBLE PROJECT; BASED ON DEAD SEA SCROLLS

JERUSALEM, Nov. 17, (JTA) -- The Hebrew University has embarked on a massive Bible project which will take several decades to complete, it was announced here today by Dr. Binyamin Mazar, president of the university.

The project is the compilation of a new comprehensive scientific edition of the Bible based on the Dead Sea scrolls, the Samaritan Pentateuch, the recently recovered Masoretic Ben-Asher manuscript of the Bible, biblical texts found in the Talmud and Mishna as well as fragments scattered throughout the world in universities and libraries.

Experts are already working on the Book of Isaiah, the first to be published and which is expected to be completed by 1965. Among the sponsors of the project are the Edmond de Rothschild Fund, Charles Rosenbloom of Pittsburgh, the Litauer Foundation and the Israel Ministry of Education and Culture.

THREE VETERAN ISRAELI ACTORS RECEIVE MEXICAN GOLD MEDAL AWARDS

TEL AVIV, Nov. 17, (JTA) -- Three veteran Israeli actors--Hannah Rovina, Aharon Meskin and Yehoshua Bertonov--were today awarded gold medals by the National Association of Mexican Artists. The awards, which marked the end of a week-long Mexican film festival here, were presented by Rodolfo Landa, head of the Mexican Artists Federation, in the presence of the Mexican Ambassador, Jorge S. D. Segura.

GUATEMALA SENDS DELEGATE TO ZIONIST CONGRESS FOR FIRST TIME IN HISTORY

GUATEMALA CITY, Nov. 17, (JTA) -- Roberto Stein, president of the Guatemalan Zionist Organization, has been named this country's delegate to the 25th Zionist Congress to be held in Jerusalem next month. This will be the first time that Guatemala will be represented at a Zionist Congress. Mr. Stein will represent all local Zionist organizations.