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JEWISH PLIGHT IN POLAND, LITHUANIA REPORTED TRAGIC

LONDON.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press.) "The Jewish situation in Poland and Lithuania is so tragic that thousands are starving and tens of thousands are clamoring for permission to join their relatives in the United States," says a report just received by the London bureau of the Zionist Organization from its special commissioner, Israel Cohen.

At Lemberg, Mr. Cohen says, he made an inspection of the districts damaged during the pogroms and spoke with numerous victims as well as with Jewish representatives and with Colonel Wade of the British mission to Poland.

"There is abundant circumstantial evidence proving," his report continues, "that the pogrom was organized by the local military authorities who supplied machine-guns, hand grenades, automobiles and motor lorries. There are sworn protocols of 500 cases in which officer patrols took part and 2000 cases in which ordinary soldiers took part.

"The Polish military command at Lemberg is making desperate efforts to obtain evidence of Jewish attacks on Polish soldiers as a justification for the pogrom. Members of the Jewish militia previously released for lack of any real charge were rearrested and are still imprisoned by the order of the military commander, despite the decision of the examining judge that they should be liberated."

Damage done to personal property during the pogrom is estimated at 100,000,000 crowns. This does not include, however, the loss sustained by the destruction of synagogues. The Jewish Relief committee in Lemberg had expended, up to the time of Mr. Cohen's report, 1,300,000 crowns on feeding, clothing and lodging 5000 families.

"After my return from Lemberg," Mr. Cohen narrates, "I visited Cawecim where a few days ago a band of rowdies attacked the Jews during worship in several houses of prayer. They broke the windows, tore up the books and also committed considerable damage in the Jewish cemetery, overturning and smashing tombstones. The Jews at Cawecim pay 65,000 crowns monthly for the upkeep of the militia."

MAKES RAPID HEADWAY

Add This Fact to Your Store of Knowledge. Kidney disease often advances so rapidly that many a person is firmly in its grasp before aware of its progress. Prompt attention should be given the slightest symptom of kidney disorder. If there is a dull pain in the back, headaches, dizzy spells or a tired, worn-out feeling, or if the kidney secretions are offensive, irregular and attended by pain, procure a good kidney remedy at once.

Your townspeople recommend Doan's Kidney Pills. Read the statement of this Medford citizen. D. R. Andrus, 510 South Fir St., says: "I was bothered considerably by my kidneys and bladder. I had trouble in retaining the kidney secretions and I also had a dull ache across my kidneys. I got quick relief from Doan's Kidney Pills. My kidneys acted more regularly and I didn't have that trouble in my back. This has convinced me that Doan's Kidney Pills are a medicine of merit and are worth recommending to others."

ABOLISHING INHERITANCE

THE new Bavarian republic is reported to have adopted a measure prohibiting the right of inheritance. All governments are working towards the same end, though very gradually and slowly, through inheritance taxes, which as a result of the heavy taxation caused by the war, are bound to be rapidly increased.

Inheritance laws are a survival of feudalism and originally designed to perpetuate power and privileges, secured by conquest or feudal possession. Thru them humanity has been kept divided into classes and castes, which were effectively designed to make for inequality and slavery, to establish and eternize the rule of the many over the few.

Each nation, in the development of its civilization, has adopted its own inheritance code, resulting in more or less injustice. For example, England by its law of primogeniture, whereby the title to property descended only in the eldest son, has perpetuated its landed aristocracy a thousand years. In America the more equitable Latin law, giving succession of estates to all legitimate children prevails.

It is self evident that in the broadest view the law of inheritance generally works for social injustice, for human injury rather than human welfare, that it handicaps not only the disinherited, but its beneficiaries. It is unnatural and contrary to nature, for man is the only creature on the face of the earth that seeks not only to provide for offspring after they have attained maturity, but for unborn generations.

All that a man earns or accumulates during his life time, he is justly entitled to. Morally, however, his title ends with his death—yet he has the legal right to stretch his dead hand from the grave to control the destinies of the living.

It is the duty of every parent to send forth children well equipped for the struggle of life. It is no part of their duty to provide for them in this struggle or shield them from playing their part in the world. When it is done, it stunts their development as well as blocks the development of others, through closing the door of opportunity. What better inheritance can be bequeathed by a parent than a well informed mind and healthy body?

No person is made better or happier by receiving unearned wealth. All too frequently the reverse is true. With the incentive for effort lacking, the effort itself is not forthcoming and energy, endeavor and ability atrophy and degeneration ensues. We have only to glimpse those worthless scions of society—the petted darlings of inherited wealth, to see the harm done to the beneficiaries of the system.

The injury to human society is visible on every hand—not so much in America, where the settlement and development of an undeveloped empire is still incomplete, but is very noticeable in those European countries where society has, under the system, solidified into stratas of inequality and where the door of opportunity has been locked and sealed to the masses. Even in our own country, society has begun its inevitable crystallization—a process impossible of escaping where the wealth and resources becomes locked up in the possession of the few to be handed down from generation to generation and withheld from the multitude.

Abolition of inheritance will not solve all of our problems but it will go a long way towards remedying existing conditions and is one of the inevitable steps that some day and some time must be taken by humanity as it climbs its painful and tortuous way up the winding spiral of progress towards social justice.

No Invasion of Sovereignty

(By Ex-President W. H. Taft.)

The president and senate are to ratify this covenant, if it be ratified by virtue of their constitutional powers to make treaties. This power, as the supreme court has held, enables them to bind the United States to a contract with another nation on any subject matter, usually the subject matter of treaties between nations, subject to the limitation that the treaty may not change the form of government of the United States, and may not part with any territory belonging to a state of the United States, without the consent of the state.

The making of war, of embargoes, of armament and of arbitration are frequent subject matter of treaties. The president and senate may not however, confer on any body constituted by a league of nations the power and function to do anything for the United States which is vested by the federal constitution in congress, the treaty making power or any other branch of the United States government. It therefore follows that whenever the treaty making power binds the United States to do anything, it must be done by the branch of that government vested by the constitution with that function.

A treaty may bind the United States to make or not make war in any specific contingency; it may bind the United States to levy a boycott; to limit its armament to a fixed amount; it may bind the United States to submit a difference or a class of differences to arbitration; but the only way in which the United States can perform the agreement is for congress to fulfill the promise to declare and make war; for congress to perform the obligation to levy a boycott; for congress to fix or reduce armament in accord with the contract, and for the president and senate, as the treaty making power, to formulate the issues to be arbitrated and agree with the opposing nation of the character of the court.

When the treaty provides that the obligation arises upon a breach of a covenant and does not make the question of the breach conclusively determinable by any body or tribunal, then it is for congress itself to decide in good faith whether or not the breach of the covenant upon which the obligation arises has in fact occurred,

and finding that, it has to perform the obligation.

These plain limitations upon the federal treaty making power are known to the nations of this conference, and any treaty of the United States is to be construed in the light of them. Following those necessary rules of construction, the provisions of the covenant entirely and easily conform to the constitution of the United States. They lose altogether that threatening and dangerous character and effect which Senator Knox and other critics would attach to them.

ANTIOCH ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. J. Vincent were in town Tuesday.

L. M. Sweet drove to town Wednesday and brought back his daughter, Mrs. Alma Simmons and baby for a few days visit.

Bert Chapman is working at the Modoc orchard this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Abbott are up from California on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Abbott of the Chaparral district.

Mrs. Theo. Glass and her sister, Mrs. Caldwell, were trading in Medford Saturday.

Miss Zella Taylor who has been staying in the mountains visiting with friends for some time, returned home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Briscoe were out to Beagle Saturday and Mrs. Briscoe stayed with her mother who is still quite sick.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Chapman visited at Medford Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Shook and Mr. and Mrs. Will Abbott were visiting W. C. Chapman's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jones of Antioch drove to town this week to trade.

Mr. DeFord, Vern Conley and Clayton Threlger were doing business in Medford Saturday.

Ruby Strathern visited Friday and Saturday with Gladys Rodgers of Beagle.

Mrs. John Rodgers and her daughter, Mrs. Brown of Beagle, drove to town Monday.

The Screen

"POLLYANNA" COMING TO PAGE THEATER MONDAY, MARCH 24



KLAW & ERLANGER AND GEORGE C. TYLER

The Season's Notable Success "POLLYANNA" THE GLAD PLAY.

Hundreds of thousands have read Eleanor H. Porter joyously optimistic glad stories, now blended into a buoyantly joyous comedy by Catherine Chisholm Cushing, an expert and popular dramatist, author of successful plays for May Irwin, Henrietta Crossman, and Billie Burke. "Pollyanna" is a lovely young girl who humanizes all sorts of gloomy, despondent persons by sheer force of magnetic personality, quaint embarrasment, and its appeal is equally strong to the young and mature. Comedy, sentiment, romance and a thrill of the dramatic are blended in "Pollyanna." Klaw & Erlanger and George C. Tyler present the company that will play it in this city. Viola Harper is the glad girl. Other favorites in the distinguished cast are George Alisop, Herbert Fortier, Blanche Douglas, Winifred Hanley, Master Billy Blaisdell, Frederick Carlton and Jack Morton.

LIBERTY TODAY, TOMORROW



VIVIAN MARTIN in "Mirandy Smiles"

Vivian Martin certainly shows her versatility in "Mirandy Smiles," in her latest Paramount picture, in which she will be seen at the Liberty theater today. She appears as a quaint, high spirited little scrub girl who works in the opera house of a middle western town.

GENERAL BLAKELY TO COMMAND ARTILLERY

SEATTLE, March 19.—Brigadier General George Blakely arrived here today to assume command of the North Pacific coast artillery district, succeeding Colonel Wm. C. Rafferty. General Blakely has just returned from France where he went in command of the 38th artillery brigade.

CATARRHAL DEAFNESS MAY BE OVERCOME

If you have Catarrhal Deafness or are even just a little hard of hearing or have head noises go to your druggist and get 1 ounce of Parment (double strength), and add to it 1/2 pint of hot water and a little granulated sugar. Take 1 tablespoonful four times a day. This will often bring quick relief from the distressing head noises. Clogged nostrils should open, breathing become easy and the mucus stop, dropping into the throat. It is easy to prepare, costs little and is pleasant to take. Anyone losing hearing or who has Catarrhal Deafness or head noises should give this prescription a trial.

JOHN A. PERL Undertaker Phone M. 47 and 47-32 Automobile Hearse Service Daily Assistant 32 SOUTH BARTLETT Auto Ambulance Service. Coronor

BELLANS FOR INDIGESTION advertisement with image of a pill bottle.

BELLANS FOR INDIGESTION advertisement with image of a child.

KLEIN The Tailor advertisement with address 128 E. Main, Upstairs.

SEAPLANE TO FLY ACROSS ATLANTIC BEFORE SUMMER

WASHINGTON, March 19.—Lieutenant Commander Bellinger has been ordered from Norfolk to Washington for work in connection with preparation of plans for the trans-Atlantic flight to be undertaken by a big navy seaplane some time in the spring. It was said today at the navy department that no orders had been issued for the flight itself and that in all probability the plane would not start across the Atlantic until sometime in May. The pilot has not been selected. Tentative plans for the flight provide for placing destroyers every few hundred miles along the route. The route of the flight will probably be from some point on the North Atlantic coast via the Azores to France or Great Britain. The seaplane will be equipped with wireless and by means of a relay it will be able to maintain constant communication with shore.

COLDS INTERFERE WITH BUSINESS

Dr. King's New Discovery relieves them and keep you going on the job

Fifty continuous years of almost unflinching checking and relieving coughs, colds and kindred ailments is the proud achievement of Dr. King's New Discovery. Grandparents, fathers, mothers, the kiddies—all have used and are using it as the safest, surest, most pleasant-to-take remedy they know of. Sold by all druggists, 60c and \$1.20.

Keep Bowels On Schedule

Late, retarded functioning throws the whole day's duties out of gear. Keep the system cleaned, the appetite lively, the stomach staunch with Dr. King's New Life Pills. Mild and tonic in action. Sold everywhere, 25c.

Prescription Chemicals

The reputation of the Druggist—the satisfaction of the Physician—and the welfare of the patient require that chemicals used in dispensing should conform to the highest standards for purity. We use SQUIBB'S.

MEDFORD PHARMACY advertisement with address and phone number.

LIBERTY TAXI advertisement with address and phone number.

Vulcanizing

All our work strictly guaranteed to be first class. 15 N. Fir St., Medford Phone 434-7

MEDFORD VULCANIZING WORKS

MORSE'S SEEDS advertisement with image of a pumpkin pie and text describing the seeds.

MEDFORD PRINTING COMPANY advertisement with address and phone number.



Avoid Trouble at Teething Time by giving baby

MRS. WINSLOW'S SYRUP

The Infant's and Children's Regulator. By causing the stomach to digest food as it should, keeping the bowels open and by giving baby less food, the first teeth never cause trouble. Contains no harmful ingredients—formula on every bottle. Use it and note how easy and comfortable baby is when teeth come. At all druggists.



Accounts from the Country

THE wide serviceability of the First National Bank is evidenced by its clientele of diversified farm patronage. Orchardists, stock raisers and general farmers find our service equally well adaptable.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK advertisement with address and capital information.

WESTON'S Camera Shop

the Only Exclusive Commercial Photographer in Southern Oregon. Negatives made any time or place by appointment.

Phone 147-J. We'll do the rest. J. B. PALMER Medford. 908 East Main Street.

STAR BRAND Typewriter Ribbons advertisement with image of a ribbon.

give clear, permanent copies. Will not smudge, dry out, or fill the type. Buy typewriting supplies of

MEDFORD PRINTING COMPANY advertisement with address and phone number.