

To Jewry in Poland

We stand in the heat of an unprecedented, unequal fight.

There is no security of life, health or property for the Jewish population, and the right to self-defence does not exist for us.

The economic boycott leads, in the most brutal way, to the declassification and extermination of the Jewish population.

Bullets of terrible hatred are falling on us from all sides. There is no lie so monstrous, so vile that has not been cast upon the Jews of Poland.

As the Jewish parliamentary representation, during the last extraordinary session of the legislative bodies, and in votes, we clearly expressed the thoughts and feelings that the current reality imposes upon every Jew in Poland.

Today, we turn to you, the Jewish people in Poland.

The Przytyk affair [pogrom on 9th March 1936] is a new, severe test for Jewry in Poland. The pain gnaws at me, tugging at me as a heated protest bursts forth.

In this situation, there is but one command for us all – to build a defence rampart to protect against destruction and annihilation. The whole community, united and consolidated, must exert the greatest effort of will, courage and sacrifice.

There are no paths of individual salvation, no separate actions, stuck in ossified methods and patterns in the face of the wave of hatred that is directed at everyone. Who will be missing? Who will stand halfway? Who will, in any way, betray the duties resulting

from a sense of national dignity and the need for collective defence? They will stand alone or will be pilloried by Jewish public opinion.

And anyone who now shows signs of fear, who spreads defects or doubt, will sin gravely against the Jewish community.

Only our faith in the irreplaceable forces of our eternal nation and an unwavering faith in the victory of justice can sustain and lift us.

Wrapped in this faith, we stand in the most difficult conditions in the service of our defence to which we call upon all Jewry.

The Jewish Parliamentary Group: MP Dr. Emil Somerstein, MP Rabbi Izaak Rubinsztajn, Senator Prof. Mojżesz Schorr, MP Dr. Herszel Gotlieb.

Disgrace for the Nazi regime

There will not be a Thaelmann trial

Foreign press has reported that the Nazi government has withdrawn the indictment against well-known leader of the German communists, Ernst Thaelmann. There will, therefore, be no trial for "high treason", which was awaited by the public with great concern.

This does not mean that, after three years in prison, Thaelmann will be free and will no longer be in danger. On the contrary, in Nazi lawlessness, there is no question of human safety. The German government's disgrace, in this case, lies in the fact that they tried, at all costs, to construct an indictment and justify the death penalty.

Thanks to the leftist organisations still operating in the Third Reich, it was possible to obtain a photocopy of the indictment against the leader of the German communists, Ernst Thaelmann, who had been imprisoned, in Berlin, for over three years, and to be able to send this document abroad. German émigré magazines, as well as French and English, are currently publishing the text of this accusation.

Despite all efforts, no serious allegations have been made to convict this "enemy of the German nation".

Only now, we understand that, although the indictment was served on Thaelmann on 17th December

1934, the German court has not yet decided to hold the trial. It has scheduled it six times and has then postponed it six times.

Thaelmann, the son of a Hamburg dockworker, also worked at the port as a warehouseman, constantly educating himself, especially in sociology and economics.

At the age of seventeen, he joined the Socialist Party and soon became one of the workers' syndicates leaders. He violently opposed the imperialist plans of the German Empire.

Despite that, when called to arms, he did not use his pacifism as an ideological excuse from military service. He went to the front and was wounded twice. He was awarded the Iron Cross and the Hanseatic Cross.

After demobilisation, he became a member of the Hamburg Senate and, in 1924, a member of the Reichstag and chairman of the German Communist Party. In 1932, he ran for President of the Weimar Republic. He received five million votes and, after his arrest on 5th March 1933, he was re-elected as an MP in six constituencies.

Thaelmann was arrested a few days after the Reichstag fire on a charge that, despite being absent when the fire broke out, he was involved in it.

However, this fantastic accusation was soon abandoned and, despite all efforts, no serious evidence of any guilt was found.

In prison, he suffered physical and moral torture. Being completely isolated, he could only shout, from a distance, to a visiting delegation from the Saar prison, "They are torturing me!!".

Finally, he was deprived of a defence lawyer. Although being an extreme right-winger, Roetter, his lawyer, protested against the prolonged and unjustified imprisonment of his client.

In March 1935, Roetter was arrested, together with his wife and then in July, he was released. However, he his right to practice law was removed and, from then on, Thaelmann did not even have a public defender.

He also had no witnesses – they were all exiled or removed from the Reich. His personal secretary, Scher, who refused to sign, under torture, a confession statement, was taken to the Potsdam Forest, together with two companions, where all three were murdered.

It is likely that Thaelmann will be transferred from the remand prison to a concentration camp, where he will probably stay indefinitely – "in accordance with the laws".

New secret Nazi organisation

Katowice: A new secret, Nazi organisation has been discovered in the Śląsk Province. The organisation is inside the legal excursion club "Tarnowitzer Wanderklub."

Investigations show that members

A Nazi – nominated senator to face court for insulting the Polish nation

There's this Wiesner. He was dignified by a presidential appointment.

This gentleman was and is the leader of an organisation of young Germans in Poland, who adhere to

of this organisation swore allegiance to Hitler and accepted the principles of today's Third Reich ideology.

When the police began making arrests, it turned out that half of the

Nazi ideology.

And, now, this senator of the Republic of Poland has been indicted for insulting the Polish nation.

members had fled to Germany.

The organisation was headed by "Gruppenführers", Günther Sornik and Jan Sornik.

Further investigations are ongoing.

He committed this in an article in one of the German magazines published in Poland.

We'll see how it goes, Mr. Senator.

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Roosevelt and his opponents

The election campaign for the presidency of the United States has begun in the USA.

The power struggle is between the Democrats and the Republicans.

What is the difference between these parties? This question is difficult to answer.

Republicans are no less democratic than the Democrats and the Democrats are no less republican than the Republicans.

They represent the same social classes and the same trends of political thought, from extreme conservatism to radicalism.

There are differences between them regarding current issues, but this has nothing to do with a programme which, in European terms, neither side has.

Formulas and beautiful slogans in the American melting pot were adopted, with equal success, by all those seeking power.

Today, unlike the Republicans who represent the most ruthless interests of big capital and imperialism, the Democrats represent progressive elements and defend the broad masses and are based, especially in the north, on millions of immigrants.

In the United States, the personal qualities of the banner men of both parties play a huge role. In all likelihood, the election campaign will be extremely brutal and exhaustive.

America is going through a deep internal crisis. It is changing its methods of government, its economic organisation, its established concept of private and public property, its system of wages, standards of living and

civil liberties.

Today, Franklin Roosevelt is standing for election on behalf of the Democrats and the Republicans have nominated the Governor of Kansas, Alfred Landon.

The Republican has been generously provided with millions of dollars, for his electoral campaign, provided by big capital tycoons. They are preparing to retaliate against Roosevelt's violation of their interests.

There is no doubt that he will be again elected President of the United States for another four years. What is his power of attraction?

The broad masses see, in him, a friend, a pioneer of new ideas, boldly standing up to the nobles of capital, the various industrial "kings" of this, still, feudal economic system, with its powerful corporations, which have forced more than one United States president to capitulate to their will.

Roosevelt also must fight the opposition within his own camp, led by Al Smith, who accuses Roosevelt of leading the country to ruin by excessively spending public money and trying to change the United States into a second Soviet Union.

Despite the fact that Roosevelt's gigantic plan has long been shaken to its foundation, and that the Supreme Court, which is controlled by the Republicans, is dealing him blow after blow, not even the bankruptcy of the "brains trust" and the outright rebellion in Roosevelt's own camp have not been able to shake the trust that he has spreading throughout the American population.

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