

Jüdische Telegraphen-Agentur (JTA), Paris (Fond 674)
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Descriptive summary

Title: Jüdische Telegraphen-Agentur (JTA), Paris (Fond 674)
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Languages: French
German
Yiddish
English

Scope and content of collection

The bulk of the collection constitutes copies of international bulletins published in Berlin, London, Prague, Paris, Palestine and Switzerland. It includes articles, accounts, reports, correspondence, and newspaper clippings on the situation of the Jewish population of various countries, on the activities of Zionist and other Jewish organizations, and on holding of Zionist congress. Contains a review of activities of the Zionist organization Haavara that transferred Jewish money from Germany to Palestine; reports of the Committee of Jewish Delegations, Bucharest, about the legal situation of Jews in Rumania; Yiddish, Hebrew, French, and German press clippings about Zionism and antisemitism; memoranda from the Palestine Association of Polish Jews to the League of Nations; correspondence of the Jewish Central Informational Bureau, Amsterdam, about the situation of Jews in various countries; an appeal from the Jewish communities of Romania regarding antisemitism; reviews of persecution in various countries; a report for a trip

through Germany, Czechoslovakia, and Austria, from July to August 1938; and samples of JTA daily information bulletins in English, French, and German.

Administrative Information

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Related materials:

- Fishman, D. E., Kupovetsky, M., Kuzelenkov, V. (ed.), *Nazi-Looted Jewish Archives in Moscow. A guide to Jewish Historical and Cultural Collections in the Russian State Military Archive*. Scranton, 2010
- <http://www.sonderarchiv.de/fondverzeichnis.htm> [accessed 14 September 2018]
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System of arrangement

Fond 674 (1918-1940). Opis 1, delo 1-197 delo. Selected records arranged in three series: 1. Reviews of activities of the Zionist Organization "Haavara" (1933-1935), various articles on Zionism, and the World Jewish Congress (1934-1938); 2. Correspondence, articles, press reviews on persecution of Jews, antisemitism, and emigration in Europe; 3. Bulletins of the Jewish Telegraphic Agency (JTA), 1936-1940.

Note; Microfilm reels:# 105-106, 187-188

Indexing terms

Jewish Telegraphic Agency.
World Jewish Congress.
World War, 1939-1945--Atrocities--Europe.

Jews--Persecution--Europe--History--20th century.
Zionism and communism--Europe--20th century.
Antisemitism--History--20th century.
Jewish organizations--Europe--History--20th century.
Emigration and immigrat
Germany--Emigration and immigration--History--1933-1945.
Europe--Emigration and immigration--History--20th century.
Germany--Politics and government--1933-1945.
Palestine--Emigration and immigration--20th century.
Clippings (Books, newspapers, etc.)
Correspondence.
Reports.
Bulletins.

CONTAINER LIST

Reel 105

Fond 674, opis 1

- 24 A review of the activities of the Zionist Organization "Haavara." This organization conducted remittance of capital of the German Jews from Germany to Palestine. Special report from 19th Zionist Campaign Lucerne, Switzerland. 1933-1935 110 pages. Folder begins at image 477

Report from Lucerne Zionist Congress about the transfer of Jewish property and money from Germany to Palestine via Haavara, including the use made of such transfers through 1935 (material also in Yiddish and Hebrew). 1933-1935.

- 26 Reports of the Committee of Jewish Delegations in Bucharest about the legal conditions of the Jews in Rumania. 22 November 1934 - April 1936 44 pp. Folder begins at image 2033

Various press and other articles about Zionism, including materials from foreign sources. Facsimile of SS organ "Schwarze Korps" with article "Whither the Jews?," and other anti-Jewish items from German press; an article about "Jud Süß" (film); one from Nazi Party organization "Völkischer Beobachter" about the World Congress for the solution of the Jewish Question; interview with Romanian State minister; press clip about New York, the "capital of Jewry;" and press items in Hebrew. 1934-1938.

Reel 106

- 26 (Continued.) Folder begins at image 6

- Press clippings in English, French, German, and Hebrew about the Jewish problem, revisionism, and Zionist revisionism. no date.
- 28 The display of anti-Zionistic feelings in Antwerp (Belgium). Article by Zvir. 23 November 1934. 2 pages. Folder begins at image 123
- Article on anti-Semitic incidents (in French). 1934.
- 35 Memorandum of the Palestine Association about the Jews in Poland, offered for the consideration of the League of Nations. no date. A Decision of the League of Nations Council about the organization of international help to emigrants from Germany. 23 January 1936 - 28 June 1937. 24 pages. Folder begins at image 129
- English text of Resolution about International Assistance for Refugees, by League of Nations Council (January 1936). French article on situation of Jews in Eastern Europe. German article on Romanian laws pertaining to attainment and loss of citizenship. 1934.
- 40 Correspondence of the Jewish Central Informational Bureau in Amsterdam about the Jews in Germany, Switzerland, Poland, and Estonia. February - June 1936. 74 pages. Folder begins at image 156
- More French items on anti-Semitism and on conditions of Jews in Europe. Report about lecture mainly on conditions for Jews in Germany, at a Zionist organization meeting. Report about situation of Jews in Greece, Poland, Lithuania, and Romania. 1934.
- 43 An Appeal of the Jewish Communities of Romania calling the population to struggle against anti-Semitism. March 1936. 2 pages. Folder begins at image 243
- 66 Anti-fascist essays of George Landely about the persecution of the Jews in Germany. 1936. 17 pages. Folder begins at image 248
- Facsimile of Brussels publication text "Les Erreurs Hitlériennes." 1936.
- 109 Reviews of the Jewish press about the pursuit of the Jews in Germany and Austria. April 25 - June 14, 1938. 125 pages. Folder begins at image 262
- Survey of the persecution of Jews in Germany, Austria, Hungary, Romania, Yugoslavia, Czechoslovakia, Poland, Italy. Dutch laws regarding emigrants. Anti-Jewish measures in annexed Austria. 1938.
- 109a See contents of folder 109. 1938. Folder begins at image 390
- Impression from a trip through Germany, Czechoslovakia, and Austria, July-August 1938.
- 124 Daily Information Bulletin "JTA," edited in London. April 1-29, 1940. 77 pages. Folder begins at image 411
- News bulletins from the Jewish Telegraph Agency (JTA), in English and French. 1940.

- 130 Daily Information Bulletines. Published in Paris, June 2-6, 1940. [In this fond, this is the latest date published in Paris.] 49 pages. Folder begins at image 501

News bulletins from the Jewish Telegraph Agency (JTA), in English and French. 1940.

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- 10 Sample bulletins (in German), Prague, September 1-30, 1936. 186 pages. Folder begins at image 513

Jewish Telegraph Agency (JTA) news items, published in German in Prague. 1936.

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- 34 Pamphlet: "The Association for Spreading Professional Education among Jews in Little Poland." Folder begins at image 2172

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- 34 (Continued) Folder begins at image 6

Report: "La Situation des Juifs en Grèce" (copy of material in delo 53)

- 53 Report: "La Situation des Juifs en Grèce." Folder begins at image 15.

Copy of this report also appears in delo 53.

- 112 "Juristischer Informationsdienst" of the Jewish Agency for Palestine, 6 October 1938. Folder begins at image 23

- 114 "Bulletin Quotidien d'Information", issues from April 1939. Folder begins at image 58