#### "Massacres Preferable to Present Situation"

# DECLARATION BY NATHAN LASKI

London, July 21st.

"I SAY in all sincerity that it would be better if there was a massacre of five or ten thousand Jews in Germany so that the Governments of the world would intervene," Mr. Nathan Laski, the leader of Manchester Jewry, said speaking last night in Manchester at a meeting of the Union of Jewish Literary Societies.

This was preferable to half a million Jews being gradually put out by cruelty and starvation.

Governments said that they could not interfere in internal matters of a foreign country, Mr. Laski went on. But England had intervened in the Bulgarian atrocities.

Mr. Laski expressed the hope that when the World Economic Conference had broken up, the Governments should call upon Germany to do justice to the Jews. It had been proposed, said Mr. Laski, that the Jewish Board of Deputies should call a world conference of Jews in London in the near future when Jews from all over the world will combine to help their unfortunate co-religionists in Germany.

"Surely it is time the world spoke out in stronger terms," Mr. Laski said. "Ninety-nine per cent. of our citizens condemn the action of Germany, why then should not the Government openly express the opinion of such a large majority of the people?"

Mr. Laski stressed the importance of Jewish immigration into Palestine as an important step towards solving the German-Jewish problem.

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"Palestine will be the salvation of thousands of German Jews," he said. "Palestine is our only true centre."

# The Berlin Office of J.T.A. Closed Down

#### PROTEST BY FOREIGN CORRESPONDENTS.

Berlin, July 20th

THE Berlin office of the Jewish Telegraphic Agency has been closed down, by order of the police, the furniture has been confiscated and the further appearance of the daily German Bulletin published in Berlin by the J.T. Agency has been prohibited until further notice.

Berlin, July 25th.

THE Jewish Telegraphic Agency was to-day given permission by the authorities to resume its foreign news service from Germany.

The permission was granted through the American Consulate in Berlin, as a result of incessant efforts made by the American Consul here, Mr. Geist.

Efforts are now being continued with a view to obtaining permission for re-opening the Jewish Telegraphic Agency office in Berlin and resuming publication of its Berlin Jewish Daily Bulletin. There is considerable hope that these efforts will be successful.

The Association of Foreign Correspondents in Germany has lodged an official complaint.

#### JEWISH GUILD (Johannesburg).

On Sundays, August 13th and 20th, at 8.15 p.m., the Musical Art Section will present a new edition of their record-breaking production: "Hot Ice," a Musical Farce in four acts, (Concluded in next column.)

(Concluded from previous page.) thoroughfare their place "as Jew and man." They do not wish to establish a new Ghetto, but, while positively affirming their Jewishness, to retain the European cultural heritage, and to create a full

modern Jewish life for the individual and the community. While the growing Jewish life of Eretz Israel will doubtless guide them on this voyage of discovery, their task will nevertheless require the best creative energies of German Jewry.

But just because those creative energies are so rich and manifold, their voyage of discovery will be one which must bring a richer content to their own lives, and inspiration to their fellow-Jews wherever they are situated.

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#### "GET-RICH-QUICK WALLINGFORD."

Complication, trouble and romance are humorously blended in "The Adventures of Get-Rich-Quick Wallingford," to be seen at the Palladium on Monday. William Haines, with the assistance of Jimmy Durante and Ernest Torrence, romps through a series of financial scrapes and comedy situations in his inimitable way, and as a background for their fun-making is a delightful romance in which Leila Hyams plays a prominent role. Excellent work is also done by Guy Kibbee, Hale Hamilton, Robert McWade, Clara Blandick and Walter Walker.

#### JEAN HARLOW AT THE METRO.

Jean Harlow and Chester Morris will be the attraction at the Metro Theatre this week in "Red Headed Woman," an adaptation of Catherine Brush's best seller novel, "Red Headed Woman." In order to play the leading part in this striking film, Miss Harlow was required to change her hair to flaming red. The film presents a vivid character study of a woman who stops at nothing to gain her ends. There is also an excellent supporting programme at the Metro this week.

#### GILBERT AND SULLIVAN OPERA.

To-night "Iolanthe"—that delightful opera of the Gilbert and Sullivan series will be set in a repeat performance at His Majesty's Theatre. At to-morrow's matinee "Box and Cox" and H.M.S. Pinafore will be the attraction.

An outstanding event of the present opera season will be the first performance by the company of "Patience" on Monday evening and "Ruddigore" on Tuesday evening. This should attract large audiences. The popularity of the company is indicated by the fact that crowded houses are evident at every performance.

written and produced by Mr. Sam Reso. When presented last month, this show was played to capacity houses and was extremely well received. Owing to hundreds of requests for further performances, the Jewish Guild Executive have arranged for the new edition to be presented.

Note the dates: August 13th and 20th.

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