

TARDY WAR REPORT HELD AID TO FAITH

Rabbi Schachtel Asserts Pearl Harbor Delay Should Raise Trust in Government

JEWISH KILLINGS DECRIED

Goldsteins Discuss Nazi Plan —Hasty Marriages Do Not Last, Rosenblum Declares

Declaring that the final report on Pearl Harbor proved the wisdom of withholding full information at the time of the disaster, Rabbi Hyman J. Schachtel in West End Synagogue, 160 West Eighty-second Street, said yesterday that our faith in our government and war leaders consequently should be strengthened.

Other topics of sermons by rabbis here yesterday included the Nazi murders of Jews, the importance of chaplains to military morale and war marriages.

"We shall always remember Pearl Harbor," Rabbi Schachtel said, "not alone for the Japs' infamy but also for the God-given power of our government and people to triumph over disaster and to fight on to victory."

Rabbi D. A. Jessurun Cardozo in the Spanish and Portuguese Synagogue, Seventieth Street and Central Park West, said remembrance of Pearl Harbor "should urge us on to even better and more courageous actions, for actions are needed to eradicate the fateful results and to undo what has been caused by our enemies."

Rabbi Israel Goldstein in Temple B'nai Jeshurun, Eighty-eighth Street, near Broadway, declared:

"Authenticated reports point to 2,000,000 Jews who have already been slain by all manner of satanic barbarism, and plans for the total extermination of all Jews upon whom the Nazis can lay their hands. The slaughter of a third of the Jewish population in Hitler's domain and the threatened slaughter of all is a holocaust without parallel."

"Secretary of State Hull's report on the devious ways employed by the Nazis to bring death upon the Jews," Rabbi Herbert S. Goldstein said in West Side Institutional Synagogue, 122 West Seventy-sixth Street, "should arouse the conscience of mankind. Christians and Jews everywhere should vow unto themselves that with victory there must come once and for all justice to the Jew."

Rabbi B. A. Tintner, who recently returned from active duty as chaplain in the Army, said, as guest preacher in Central Synagogue, Fifty-fifth Street and Lexington Avenue, that chaplains had "greatly enhanced" the morale of enlisted men.

Rabbi William F. Rosenblum in Temple Israel, 210 West Ninety-first Street, deplored hasty war marriages.

"Too many marriages that are brought on by the excitement and speed of our war age," he said, "peter out the moment the man has gone off to battle."

He added, however, he was not against any marriage arranged after the man and woman had taken time to study the problem.

Rabbi Jacob Katz in Montefiore Synagogue, Macy and Hewitt Places, the Bronx, declared that Generalissimo Francisco Franco's assertion that the world was to be either Fascist or Communist overlooked "a medium way of life—democracy."