

19 WITNESSES AGAINST EICHMANN

JERUSALEM, (UPI): The following 19 persons will be called as witnesses for the prosecution in the trial of Adolph Eichmann:

Adolph Engelstein: 58-year-old Czech engineer, first met Eichmann in a special secret labour camp inside Germany, unknown even to most Germans. Previously he had been incarcerated in the Theresienstadt concentration camp.

Dr. Benno Kohn: Last chairman of German Zionist Organisation, met Eichmann three times—at a Zionist meeting in Berlin in 1936, later, when the defendant was a top-ranking Nazi, and last year, in an Israeli prison.

Dr. Ernst Abeles: Austrian veteran of World War I, he met Eichmann while serving on the Bratislava, Slovakia, Judenrat in 1941. As an agricultural expert, he was permitted by the Nazis to remain at liberty for long periods.

Dr. Bedrik Steiner: 56-year-old Slovakian statistician was forced to work in the Siemens Electronic Works outside Berlin during the war. After liberation by the U.S. Army, he returned to his native land to collect information on the destruction of Slovakian Jewry.

Dr. Martin Paldi: Hungarian born, his wife and two children were murdered by the Nazis. He still has a postcard he was forced to send to his sister from the death camp at Auschwitz telling her not to worry.

Dr. Hugo Kratky: Was in the first shipment of Czech Jews to Poland to a destination from which few returned. The German officer in charge of the shipment of 1,000 Jewish men was Adolph Eichmann.

Hansi Brand: Wife of Joel Brand who remained behind in Budapest as hostage while her husband went to Istanbul to deliver Eichmann's proposal to exchanging trucks for Jewish lives.

Joel Brand: Hungarian born, German educated former

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Adolph Engelstein: Hungarian born, German educated former Budapest Jewish leader has written two books about his meetings with Eichmann.

Phillip Freidiger: Met Eichmann while serving on the Judenrat. Helped thousands of Polish and Czech Jews hide out in Budapest. When his name was mentioned to Eichmann in prison, the ex-Nazi immediately remembered him.

Leon Kappon: Salonika-born, spent the war at forced labour 20 hours a day before being sent to the camps of Birkenau, Auschwitz, and Mathausen. The sole survivor of a family of 40.

Max Burger: 60-year-old, Slovakian insurance agent was in the same shipment which took Kratky to Poland in 1939. Eichmann promised the members of the group self-government in a Jewish territory. Spent the war in the camps at Theresienstadt.

Auschwitz and Buchenwald.

Dr. Arye Z. Breslauer: As a member of the committee trying to save Hungarian Jewry, had personal knowledge of Eichmann's activities.

Moshe Agami: Met Eichmann in Vienna in 1938 where he went from Palestine to organise Zionist agricultural training camps. Identified Eichmann in prison.

Esther Luria: Imprisoned by the Nazis when she went to visit her family in Lithuania in 1939. Spent three years in the Kovno Ghetto painting the inmates and later brought her work to Israel. Wrote a book on the war years.

Walter A. Lindenstrauss:—Director of the Jewish Agency Palestine Office in Berlin. In 1939, Eichmann told a delegation of which he was a member that they were too

member that they were too slow in getting the Jews out of Germany.

Abraham Aviel: After looking on at the murder of his 5 brothers and sisters, he joined the partisans at the age of 15. An eye witness to numerous mass executions, he has written a 140-page book on his experiences.

Yehuda Bakan: Czech-born 31-year-old Jerusalem artist and teacher was forced at the age of 13 to strip the victims of the Nazi gas chambers at Auschwitz of their gold teeth. First began painting in the Theresienstadt concentration camp.

Dr. Paul D. Merz: 65-year-old Czech active in organising the emigration of Czech Jews to Palestine in 1939 and later, treasurer of the Jewish underground army—Hagana—in Palestine until 1948. Brother, wife and two children murdered by the Nazis. Expected to give surprising testimony at the trial.

Abner Loess: Israel German-born police officer who had been interrogating Eichmann daily since the ex-Nazi's arrival. Left Berlin for Palestine in 1938 at the age of 22 and never saw his parents again afterwards.