

DPA SERIES: THE NAZI HOLOCAUST - SERIES II — Between 1933 and 1939, more than 400 anti-Jewish laws were passed by the Nazis. Step by step, the position of German Jews was made increasingly untenable. Jews were deprived of citizenship, legal and civil rights. They could not attend German schools, and were forced out of all professions. They were prohibited from owning or buying property. Their businesses were forced into bankruptcy. It was illegal for them to marry Aryans. Jews could not attend concerts, sports events, or go to the theatres. They were not permitted to own or operate a car. Jews were excluded from the economy and a social barrier was erected between them and the rest of the German population. In the above photo aid, a Jewish youth is being forced to mark the entrance of his home (or of a Jewish shop) with the word "jude." Vienna, Austria. 1938.

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