



Illegal newspapers appeared irregularly and were rarely precisely dated in those days. The image above shows the newspaper's front page. Take a look at the excerpt under the image on the right.

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Dansk Presse (Danish Press), Dec. 1943

"THE JEWS WERE LURED INTO A TRAP WITH THE HELP OF BREAD!

The fighting in the ghetto, of which the rest of the world has so far heard only weak rumors, was experienced at the closest distance by the young people*, one of whom was even in the middle of the ghetto. He recounts how he – just as many other Poles – used to smuggle food to the starving Jews on a regular basis. Once he had to stay hidden in the ghetto for three days, as it was sealed off during the first so-called liquidation. That was on September 2, 1942. Posters were set up that all Jews who volunteered for work would be given bread and marmalade. At that time, thousands of the approximately 500,000 Jews in the Warsaw ghetto had died from starvation. People fell over from hunger in streets and alleys and died like flies.

In spite of warnings many volunteered for this 'work'. But what they expected was death and nothing else."

**Young refugees from Poland who have arrived in Sweden*



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