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Abbreviations

AACI – Anglo-American Committee of Inquiry on Palestine

DP – Displaced Person

HIAS – Hebrew Immigrant Aid Society

IRO – International Refugee Organization

JAP – Jewish Agency for Palestine

JCRA – Jewish Committee for Relief Abroad

JDC – American Jewish Joint Distribution Committee (the ‘Joint’)

JRC – Jewish Relief Committee

JRU – Jewish Relief Unit

NATO – North Atlantic Treaty Organization

ORT – Organization for Rehabilitation and Training

POW – prisoner of war

RAMC – Royal Army Medical Corps

RASC – Royal Army Service Corps

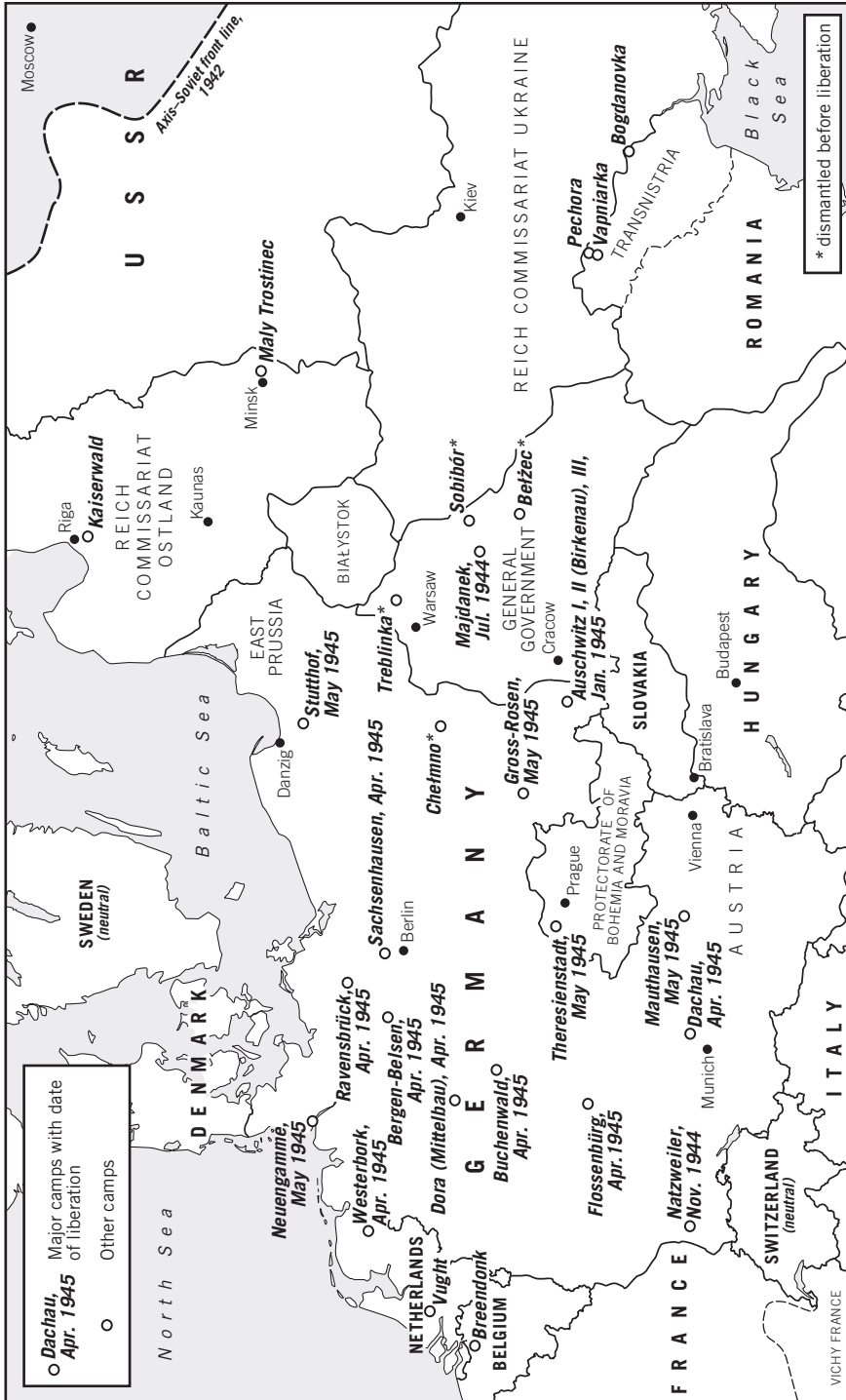
SHAEF – Supreme Headquarters, Allied Expeditionary Force

UNHCR – United Nations High Commission for Refugees

UNRRA – United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration

USFET – United States Forces, European Theater

WJC – World Jewish Congress



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