In 1940 the Channel Islands fell under German occupation. The Nazis soon turned their attention towards identifying and discriminating against the few Island residents who they 'deemed to be Jews'.

In the following year the Germans began a massive fortification building program and amongst the workers transported to the Islands were over one thousand Jewish forced workers.

These stories remained largely untold until the recent uncovering of many key files and documents.

This substantially revised second edition incorporates the most recently discovered records.

Frederick Cohen is President of the Jersey Jewish Congregation and a trustee of the Jersey Heritage Trust





Published by
Jersey Heritage Trust

in association with the
Institute of Contemporary History and Wiener Library