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Debbie Koppel as Fannie Brice and Jim Norman as Nickie Arnstein seem to be enjoying their "horseless carriage" ride.

## Debbie Koppel To Play Lead In Funny Girl With EP Players

By CELIA ZUCKERBERG

Although Debbie Koppel at one time was a theater major she has decided she would rather teach speech and so at the University of Rhode she changed her major and received her bachelor of arts degree in speech education.

Miss Koppel, who is now looking for a teacher's position (she would prefer Pawtucket West or Tolman in Pawtucket), has had a great deal of experience in the theater, starting at an early age. At present, she has been rehearsing in the lead role of Fanny Brice in *Funny Girl*.

The East Providence Community Players will present play on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, May 3, 4 and 5 in the East Providence High School auditorium at 2000 Pawtucket Avenue. Rehearsals began in February and the cast includes some 50 singers, dancers, actors, etc. Miss Koppel finds the play a great deal of fun and says the people in it are "fantastic."

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Koppel of Pawtucket, Debbie started singing as a child — because she enjoyed it. She worked for nine years with Dorothy Winn, a well-known local singer, and later worked with Cantor Ivan E. Perlman of Temple Emanu-El for two years.

At the age of 14 she served an apprenticeship with Betsy Argo of the Orleans Theater in Orleans, Massachusetts, who has also taught drama and speech at local schools. At about this time, she appeared in the Trinity Square Repertory Company of "The Grass Harp." Also, at the time she worked with Miss Winn she made several television appearances and appeared in hospitals

and orphanages. She was an actress in training at the age of 17 at the Gateway Playhouse on Long Island where she appeared in *Gipsy*, *Most Happy Fella*, and *The Sound of Music*.

She has appeared with the Pawtucket Community Players in *Sweet Charity* and *Bye Bye Birdie* in which she was the lead.

A very attractive young lady, (Continued on page 14)

## Visitors Warned By Guerrillas

KUWAIT — A Palestine guerrilla group warned here that any foreign tourists visiting Israel would be classed as enemies, except while at three specific holy places.

The warning came from the Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine — General Command, whose commandos carried out this month's raid on the Israeli town of Qiryat Shemona.

The warning statement was carried on the front page of the weekly Kuwait newspaper, *Al-Watan*.

The statement said in part: "We warn foreign tourists and others who intend visiting the occupied land that we shall treat them like enemies."

"Following this warning, the Popular Front General Command will accept no responsibility for the lives of anyone on the territory of occupied Palestine apart from Arabs.

"Exceptions will be made only for those intending to visit the holy places in Jerusalem, Bethlehem and Nazareth, and only while they are there."

## Sephardic Chief Rabbi Arrives In The US

NEW YORK — More than a hundred Sephardic Jews greeted Rabbi Ovadia Yossef, Israel's Sephardic chief rabbi, as he arrived in New York on his first visit to the United States.

The chief rabbi is expected to meet with representatives of the 60,000 Sephardic Jews — Jews with a Spanish heritage — who live in New York as well as with Vice President Ford and Secretary General Waldheim of the United Nations. The chief rabbi will be here eight days.

Rabbi Yossef was greeted at John F. Kennedy International Airport with a Sephardic song of welcome and many rushed toward him to kiss his hands. Sol Wahba brought his eight-month-old daughter, Stephanie, to see the chief rabbi who was dressed in his official black and silver robe and blue turban.

"He is a very holy man," said Mr. Wahba. "Even the young who do not understand, can catch some of the spirit of his holiness."

### Hearings Resume

WASHINGTON — The Senate Finance Committee, after hearing the Administration's views for four days on the House-approved Foreign Trade Act which embodies measures regarding Soviet emigration, will hear public witnesses for three weeks. Most of them are understood to be representatives of commerce and industry.



TO BE SPEAKER: Elliot S. Schwartz, executive director of the Bureau of Jewish Education of Rhode Island, will be one of the speakers at a Conference of Educators of all the movements in Jewish educational life, including leaders of the Conservative, Orthodox and Reform groups.

The convention, which will be held at Grossingers Hotel in New York from Sunday, April 28, through Wednesday, May 1, is sponsored by the Educators Assembly of the United Synagogue, the National Association of Temple Educators and the National Council of Jewish Education.

Mr. Schwartz will deliver a paper describing the ethnic heritage studies program which the Bureau has sponsored in Rhode Island. He has also been asked to develop a policy statement on high school education for the United Synagogue Commission on Jewish Education, and will present a paper on this subject at a one-day conference in New York on Thursday, May 16.

## UN Adopts Resolution Of Condemnation Towards Israeli Acts

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y., — The Security Council adopted a resolution that condemned Israel for what it called "violation of Lebanon's territorial integrity" and also decried "all acts of violence" but did not mention the recent guerilla attack on the Israeli village of Qiryat Shemona.

Thirteen nations including the United States voted in favor of the resolution and none were opposed. China abstained, and Iraq did not participate in the vote.

The resolution had been offered

by the Council's President, Talib el-Shibib of Iraq.

An amendment proposed by the United States, which would have inserted a mention of Qiryat Shemona, where 18 persons were killed earlier this month in an Arab guerilla raid, was defeated in a vote of 7 against and 6 for, with 2 abstentions.

The Council has been meeting at the request of Lebanon, which protested Israeli raids against six Lebanese villages earlier this month in reprisal for Qiryat Shemona. Israel said the Arab guerillas who attacked the village had come from Lebanon.

Minutes before the vote on the resolution, Israel's representative, Yosef Tekoah, walked out of the Council debate. He had been invited to join the debate. Israel is not now a member of the Council.

Mr. Tekoah said that he would not witness a further miscarriage of justice, and he called the draft resolution "another example of the bias and inequity which prevail in Security Council debate on the Middle East."

The text said that the Council was "deeply disturbed at the continuing acts of violence" and "gravely concerned that such acts might endanger efforts now taking place to bring about a just and lasting peace in the Middle East."

The operative passages of the text are the following: "The Security Council

"Condemns Israel's violation of Lebanon's territorial integrity and sovereignty and calls once more on the Government of Israel to refrain from further military actions and threats against Lebanon;

"Condemn all acts of violence, especially those which result in the tragic loss of innocent civilian life, and urges all concerned to refrain from any further acts of violence;

"Calls on all governments concerned to respect their obligations under the Charter of the United Nations and international law;

"Calls on Israel forthwith to release and return to Lebanon the abducted Lebanese civilians;

"Calls upon all parties to refrain from any action which might endanger negotiations aimed at achieving a just and lasting peace in the Middle East."



TO BE HONORED: Malcolm C. Bromberg will be honored with presentation of the Amudim Award by the Providence Hebrew Day School on Sunday, April 28. Rabbi Eli A. Bohnen of Temple Emanu-El will make the presentation.

According to the Day School announcement, "For more than a decade (he) has worked tirelessly on behalf of Torah and Judaism. As the school's Personnel Chairman, he was instrumental in upgrading the faculty and administrative staff." He has also served as vice president and general chairman for the kindergarten expansion program.

Mr. Bromberg, in 1968, was one of four people who helped to establish the New England Academy of Torah. He has also served on the Bureau of Jewish Education and the Jewish Federation of Rhode Island.

Chairman of the dinner is Dr. Richard C. Kumins and cochairman is Robert Starr. General chairman is Arthur S. Robbins.

## Journalist Accuses Dutch Of Nazi Collaborations

AMSTERDAM — A book by a Dutch television journalist accusing the Dutch radio networks of collaboration with the Nazis during the occupation (1944-45) is causing a sensation throughout The Netherlands. The book, by Dick Verkijk, is not due to go on sale until the end of this month, but excerpts have appeared in several dailies and weeklies in the last few weeks.

Verkijk, who was a child during the occupation, did several years' research on the 750-page study of the networks' attitude during the occupation. In the book, he shows most networks and their employees, including many well-known names still in the business today, willingly collaborated with the Germans. Apparently the post-war de-Nazification of the broadcasting business was limited to the removal of only the most blatant Nazi sympathizers.

Verkijk's book received a sharp attack from a former Dutch resistance leader and government

official, 70-year-old Dr. Jaap Burger, who criticized the book for being "based on abstract research by a man who during the occupation was too young to bear any responsibility." Dr. Burger headed the post-war de-Nazification program in The Netherlands and was Labor Minister in several post-war Cabinets.

### CALLS FOR COALITION

WASHINGTON — A group of Reform Jewish leaders, citing a vacuum of leadership they said was caused by Watergate, called for a renewal of the nineteen sixties civil rights coalition to press for solutions to America's domestic social needs. Albert Vorstan, director of the Union of American Hebrew congregations' social action program, said such a coalition would act as a "social conscience" force aimed at bringing about "effective and badly needed" social and economic programs.

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**Obituaries**

**ANDREW MILLER**

Funeral services for Andrew Miller, 23, a Warwick resident until recently, who drowned Monday when his light plane crashed into Adams Pond in Boothbay Harbor, Maine, were held Thursday at the Sugarman Memorial Chapel. Burial was in Lincoln Park Cemetery.

Mr. Miller, a student pilot, and his instructor Harold Hamre, 22, survived the crash, but Mr. Miller was unable to make it to shore.

A civilian employee at the Brunswick, Maine, Naval Air Station, Mr. Miller was the son of Saul and Estelle (Silk) Miller of 71 Estelle Boulevard, Warwick.

A graduate of Pilgrim High School, he served in the Air Force from 1969 to 1972, specializing in communications electronic systems.

In addition to his parents, he is survived by his maternal grandmother, Minnie Silk of Warwick; two brothers, Joel Miller of Cranston and Lawrence Miller, who is in the Air Force; and a sister, Ellen Duchesneau.

**MRS. JOSEPH WALLACE**

Funeral services for Rose Wallace who died on April 17 were held April 21 at the Sugarman Memorial Chapel. Burial was in Lincoln Park Cemetery.

Mrs. Wallace, 68, of 35 Briarbrook Drive, Seekonk, Massachusetts, was the widow of Joseph Wallace. She was born in Providence, a daughter of the late Louis and Annie Delerson.

She had been a secretary for Frank F. Swartz Insurance Company until she retired ten years ago. She was a member of the Providence Chapter of Hadassah.

She is survived by two nieces and four nephews.

**MRS. JACK LEVITT**

Funeral services for Agnes Lev-

itt, of 30 Country Lane, Warwick, who died April 20 were held Monday at the Sugarman Memorial Chapel. Burial was in Lincoln Park Cemetery.

The wife of Jack Levitt, she was born in Pawtucket, a daughter of the late Thomas and Ann (Brooks) Parkinson. She had been a resident of Warwick for 25 years.

Besides her husband, she is survived by two sons, Warren Sullivan of Cumberland and Hubert Keenan of Sudbury, Massachusetts; two sisters, Margaret Brine and Annie Walker, both of Pawtucket, and ten grandchildren.

**CHARLES RAND**

Funeral services for Charles Rand, 70, of North Attleboro, who died April 24, were held Thursday at the Sugarman Memorial Chapel. Burial was in Lincoln Park Cemetery.

Born in Bridgeport, Connecticut, he was a son of the late Herman and Tillie (Zuckerberg) Rand.

Mr. Rand was a lawyer and had been with the Division of Taxation of the State of Rhode Island for 23 years until his retirement three years ago. He moved to NORTH AT-

tleboro, one and one-half year ago.

He was graduated from Brown University in 1925 and from the Harvard Law School in 1928. He had been a State Representative from 1943 to 1946.

He is survived by a brother, Norman Rand of North Attleboro, and a sister, Helen Rosen of Providence.

**DR. DAVID FREEDMAN**

Funeral services for Dr. David Freedman, 65, of 116 Fosdyke Street, who died Wednesday, after an illness of about a year, were to be held Friday at Temple Emanuel. Burial was to be in Lincoln Park Cemetery.

The husband of Claire (Reizen) Freedman, he was born in Providence on August 6, 1908. A former chief of surgery and president

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**PLAN TRIBUTE:** A committee meeting to make plans for the Herbert Lehman Israel Award Dinner in honor of Joseph W. Ress was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Grossman, dinner chairmen. The dinner will be held on Sunday, May 5, at Temple Emanu-El. Seated, left to right, are Mrs. Grossman; Mrs. Manfred Weil, Mrs. Robert A. Riesman, Mrs. Max Alperin and Mrs. Karl Foss. Standing, left to right, are Mr. Weil, Mrs. Joseph Thaler, Mrs. David Horvitz, Mr. Thaler, Mr. Horvitz, Mr. Riesman, Arthur S. Robbins, Mr. Alperin, Stanley Blacher, Mr. Grossman.

## Ambassador Rivlin To Speak At Dinner Honoring Mr. Ress

Ambassador David Rivlin, a member of Israel's diplomatic corps, will be the guest speaker at the Herbert Lehman Israel Award Dinner in honor of Joseph W. Ress. Committee chairmen and the committee of hosts for the dinner have also been chosen it has been announced by Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Riesman and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Grossman. At the dinner, which will be held in cooperation with the State of Israel Bonds on Sunday, May 5, at Temple Emanu-El, Mr. Ress will receive the national Herbert Lehman Israel Award "for his outstanding service to Israel and to the Jewish and general community in the tradition of the late Senator Lehman."

Ambassador Rivlin served as political advisor to Foreign Minister Abba Eban and also as a director of a Bureau of the Ministry. A sixth generation Sabra, he had formerly served as the official spokesman of the Foreign Ministry and director of its press department.

Committee chairmen include Mr. and Mrs. Max Alperin, hosts; Mr. and Mrs. Manfred Weil and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Nathan, reservations; Mr. and Mrs. Karl Foss, decorations; Mr. and Mrs. David Horvitz, program, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur S. Robbins, arrangements.

The committee of hosts includes Mr. and Mrs. Melvin G. Alperin, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Baram, Mr. and Mrs. Bertram L. Bernhardt, Dr. and Mrs. Joslin Berry, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley P. Blacher, Rabbi and Mrs. Eli A. Bohnen, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Brier, Mr. and Mrs. Bertram M. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Chase, Professor and Mrs. Benjamin Chinitz, Mrs. Philip Dorenbaum, Mr. and Mrs. Milton M. Dubinsky, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Dwares.

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## Weight Watchers To Meet At Church

For the convenience of area residents, beginning Thursday, May 2, Weight Watchers' Thursday evening class at the Outlet Company in Providence, will move to the Beneficent Congregational Church at 300 Weybosset Street.

Meetings will continue to be held at 7 p.m. with Glenda Labush of Pawtucket as lecturer.

This year marks the 10th anniversary of Weight Watchers in Rhode Island. Presently, 53 meetings are held weekly in 29 locations throughout the state, and to date, more than 50,000 persons have shed over one million pounds.

Other Providence classes are held at 159 Elmgrove Avenue, Monday and Thursday evenings at 8 p.m. and Wednesday morning at 10 a.m., and at the Biltmore Hotel on Mondays at 5 p.m.

## Obituaries

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of the medical staff at The Miriam Hospital, and a member of the clinical faculty of the Brown University Medical School, his Providence office was at 425 Angell Street.

A Fellow of the American College of Surgeons, and a diplomate of the American Board of Abdominal Surgery, he was a past president of the Providence Medical Society and the Providence Surgical Society.

Dr. Freedman was a 1926 graduate of Classical High School. He was a Francis Wayland Scholar at Brown University and a Phi Beta Kappa graduate with the class of 1930. In his senior year at Classical and Brown, he was captain of the baseball teams.

After graduating from Harvard Medical School in 1934, he interned at Rhode Island Hospital. His surgical residency was at Truesdale Hospital in Fall River, Massachusetts.

Except for Army Medical Corps duty as a major in the European Theater from 1942 to 1945, Dr. Freedman had conducted a private practice in Providence since 1939. He had served on the staffs of Rhode Island and Providence Lying-In Hospitals. His professional affiliations included the International College of Surgeons and the Rhode Island Medical Society and its House of Delegates.

He also was a member of Temple Emanu-El, Roosevelt Lodge, F&AM, the Harvard Club of Rhode Island, the Brown Club of Providence, the Jewish War Veterans and Ledgemont Country Club. He was a board member of

both the Hattie Ide Chaffee Home and the Rhode Island Cancer Society. He was a son of the late Joel and Annie (Schneider) Freedman.

In addition to his wife, he leaves two sons, Dr. Steven Freedman of Cambridge, Massachusetts, and Robert Freedman of Belmont, Massachusetts; a daughter, Carol Lieberman of Wayland, Massachusetts; four brothers, Michael Freedman of Providence, Joseph Freedman of Detroit, Michigan, Daniel Freedman of Newport and Hyman Freedman of Warwick; four sisters, Fannie Greco, Rebecca Bates and Miss Dora Freedman, all of Warwick, and Anna Laprey of Providence, and two grandchildren.

### SAMUEL SCHWARTZ

Funeral services for Samuel Schwartz, 82, of 144 Colonial Road, who died April 21 after a three-day illness, were held Monday at the Sugarman Memorial Chapel. Burial was in Lincoln Park Cemetery.

The husband of Rebecca (Rosenberg) Schwartz, he was born in Romania, a son of the late Abraham and Hattie Schwartz. He had lived in Providence for more than 60 years.

Mr. Schwartz was a self-employed tailor in Providence until his retirement several years ago.

He was a member of Congregation Shaare Zedek-Sons of Abraham, the Rhode Island Jewish Fraternal Association, Temple Beth Shalom, the Jewish Home for the Aged and the South Providence Hebrew Free Loan Associ-

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In commemoration of the 26th Anniversary of the Independence of the State of Israel, New York Lace Store, located on Lonsdale Avenue in Pawtucket, will sponsor a special sale of Israeli products in an event called "Fashion Israel" that will take place on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, April 25, 26 and 27.

Joseph Bloom, New York Lace Store's manager, said that the idea for the promotion was sparked by a questionnaire from the JCRC Israel Products Committee. The idea caught on immediately and within a few days, Milton Scribner, merchandise manager of the store for many years, and himself a life-long Zionist who lived in Israel during the 1930s, went to New York and purchased a broad range of current spring and summer merchandise to be sold at popular prices. Items to be included in the sale will range from men's neckties to raincoats, and from ladies' swim suits to leather jackets. It will also include misses and women's pantsuits, dresses and sportswear; suits, dresses, jumpsuits and clothing for infants and toddlers; men's pants, shirts, sweaters, vests and underwear. In addition, the most famous line of Israeli fragrances and high fashion jewelry will be featured.

With the help of the JCRC Israel Products Committee, Mr. Bloom said that New York Lace management hopes to make the sale a major event which will offer a choice of man products to meet everyone's budget. He continued, "We are trying to bring the atmosphere of Israel into the store and to make it a real Israeli happening. We want to expose fashion conscious Rhode Islanders to the exceptionally high quality products that Israel exports. We hope that 'Fashion Israel' at New York Lace can create this awareness."

**RABBI CRITICIZED**

**JERUSALEM** — Rabbi Alexander Schindler president of the Union of American Hebrew Congregations, lashed out here at certain American Jews who have tried to restrain him and others from criticizing Israel's political policies as not being flexible enough and from "decrying this government's manifest incapacity to cope with the yawning social gap which tears this society's fabric." Speaking at the Central Conference of American Rabbi Convention, Rabbi Schindler asserted that "dissent should not be equated with disloyalty" and declared "Why should I not be able to say what the Israelis themselves are free to say in their own land."

**ORGANIZATION NEWS**

**ELECT OFFICERS**

Frank F. Swartz was elected president of Congregation Sons of Zion at a meeting held April 21.

Other officers who were elected are Jack Platkin, vice president; Abraham Zeltzer, treasurer; Robert M. Cohen, financial secretary; Robert R. Berlinsky, recording secretary; Robert M. Cohen, cemetery chairman, Bennett M. Formal, chairman of the board of directors.

**ONEG SHABBAT**

The next Rosh Hodesh Oneg Shabbat will be held at Temple Sinai on Saturday, April 27, under the sponsorship of the Temple Sinai Brotherhood in observance of the beginning of the Hebrew month of Iyar.

The special program will be in observance of Israel Independence Day. Members of the choir will present a medley of Israeli songs and there will be a special display of Israeli products and other items of interest pertaining to Israel.

**DESSERT BRIDGE**

The third annual dessert bridge and fashion show of the Woodward Elementary School PTA will be held at the school on Tuesday, April 30, at 7:30 P.M.

The public is invited to attend. Island Model Agency will be commentator and coordinator of the show. Fashions for children, teens and adults, both male and female, will be provided by Fain's Department Store. Fashions will be shown by PTA members and professional models.

The proceeds of the affair will be used for periodicals for the school.

**PLAN DINNER**

The Cranston Warwick Chapter, B'nai B'rith Women, will hold their annual paid-up membership dinner and installation of officers on Wednesday, May 1, at 6:30 p.m. at the Garden City Hall in Cranston.

The slate of officers includes Mrs. Louis Shectman, president; Mrs. David Brandt, Mrs. Ben Sachs and Mrs. Charles Zimble, vice presidents; Mrs. Hyman Levin, treasurer; Mrs. Melvin Shanfield, financial secretary; Mrs. David Torman, corresponding secretary, and Mrs. Sidney Marcus, counselor.

**THE BOSTON SHOW**

The Boston Show, largest event for stamp collectors to be held in New England, will open on Friday, May 3, at The Parker House in Boston, Massachusetts. In addition to the 50 stamp dealers and five postal administrations to be present, a full schedule of programs and meetings is planned. Show hours are 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. on Friday and Saturday, May 3 and 4, and 12 noon to 6 p.m. on Sunday, May 5.

**CLUB AU COURANT**

Club Au Courant will hold a dance for singles between 21 and 35, "Spring Stroll Down Memory Lane," on Sunday, May 5, starting at 8 p.m. at Temple Shalom, 175 Temple Street, West Newton, Massachusetts. The Castletons will entertain.

**LIFE MEMBERS**

The Ladies' Association of the Jewish Home for the Aged will honor those women who have become life members of the organization during the past year. The annual life membership meeting will be held on Wednesday, May 1, at 1 p.m. at the Home.

A musical program will be presented by Cantor Ivan E. Perlman of Temple Emanu-El. Mrs. Gerson Parmet will be the accompanist. Miss Nancy Chaset is program chairman.

**BROWNBROKERS**

The current season's Brownbrokers production at Brown University's Faunce House Theatre will

be Woody Allen's *Play It Again, Sam*, to be presented from May 3 to 5 and May 9 to 12, at 8 p.m.

Directed by Dan Dickinson, 1975, and with the cast, technicians, costumer, etc., all Brown students, the production will be given as Brownbrokers annual participation in the regular theater season at the university.

Reservations may be made by calling 863-2838 and tickets are available at the theater box office.

**IALOGUE GROUP**

Participants in the next meeting of the Cranston Dialogue Group on Sunday, April 28, will be Nancy Johnson, director of Retired Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP) and Ann Hill, director of Help the Elderly (HEP). The discussion on "The Aged," will be held at the Immaculate Conception Church at 700 Oaklawn Avenue at 8 p.m. The subject is in keeping with this year's theme, "Respect for Life."

There will also be a discussion of a recent article on Euthanasia. At 7 p.m., one hour prior to the meeting, there will be a presentation of the beliefs of the Catholic community in the sanctuary of the church.

**ALUMNAE DAY**

The Beth Israel Hospital Nurses Alumnae Association of Boston, Massachusetts, and its North Shore Chapter will hold its sixth annual alumnae day on Saturday, May 11, at the Hotel Sonesta in Cambridge, Massachusetts.

Following registration and a coffee hour at 9 a.m. the morning session will be devoted to business and election of officers.

The guest speaker at the luncheon will be Miss Mary Ann Garrigan, professor of nursing at Boston University School of Nursing and curator of the nursing archives at the Mugar Memorial Library.

Serving with cochairmen Karen Tollins and Carol Cole are Sandy Robbins, Selma Cutter, Sheila Bogan, Beryl Chapman, Esther Gordon and Shirley Caviar.

**NAMED TO OFFICE**

Dr. Ben W. Feather, executive director of Butler Hospital, was elected president of the Rhode Island District Branch of the American Psychiatric Association at the organization's annual dinner meeting held on April 15 at the University Club of Providence.

Other officers elected were Dr. Max Faintych, vice president, and Dr. D. Robert Fowler as secretary-treasurer. Counselors elected were Dr. Nicolas Nunez, Dr. Jacques Mioni, and Dr. Wilma Rosen.

**ART SHOW**

"Give a Painting for Mother's Day" is the theme of the Third Annual All Rhode Island Art Show sponsored by the East Greenwich Art Club, to be held at the Warwick Mall on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, May 10, 11 and 12. Approximately 100 Rhode Island artists will be participating in the show and sale, displaying oil paintings, water colors, acrylics, photographs, sculpture and crafts.

Paintings will be on exhibit Friday and Saturday from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m., and on Sunday from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Ware of 237 West Shore Road, Warwick, are cochairmen of the show.

**EGYPT VIOLATES ACCORD**

**JERUSALEM** — The United Nations finally confirmed Israel's charge that Egypt violated the disengagement accord by introducing additional artillery pieces into the limited forces zone east of the Suez Canal. A crisis over the matter appears, however, to have been averted as reports from Cairo said the Egyptians were prepared to remove the artillery.

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# BRIDGE



By Robert E. Starr

Hands like today's seem to come up all the time. Not exactly but the same idea, utilizing Dummy's Trumps before drawing them and not depending on a suit breaking evenly. True, sometimes they do but one should not bank on it when they can take out insurance. We certainly have shown enough of these hands in this column so that every reader ought to be able to recognize this situation. The reason might just be that not enough read the column.

be made right off the top whereas several dealers went down in Spades. Had they used the technique they should have they would have made their Spade contract and gotten a really good score. Too many went down because they failed to look ahead enough. This is what those Declarers did: They won West's lead of the Club King and immediately drew Trumps. This was their undoing for when they subsequently took the Club finesse and it lost they found that they also had to lose three Heart tricks when that suit failed to break evenly. True, they were victims of slightly bad breaks for the Club finesse might have worked and the Spades and Hearts could have split but they could have made sure without it costing them anything to try.

After winning that first Club they should immediately try the Hearts for that was the suit most vulnerable. Again we say that a suit will break at any time during a hand so they have nothing to lose playing the Heart Ace and then another Heart. Defenders can do anything but when Declarer gets in he leads a third Heart. If the suit splits he is home as that makes his fourth one good and he can then draw Trumps but if they don't as is the case, he has high Trumps in Dummy to take care of that fourth one and the opponent out of Hearts will be unable to overruff that Dummy.

Now Trumps can be extracted and the Club finesse even taken at any time if Clubs had not been led by the Defenders prior to this. As you can see, the opponents are helpless and nothing is lost. Even one round of Trumps can turn out badly for when the opponents get in with their Hearts they can also lead Trumps and possibly get the Dummy out of them before that vital Heart ruff can be obtained.

Moral: Think of every eventuality before drawing Trumps. So many hands come up where drawing them too soon can be extremely costly.

North  
 ♠ Q 10 6  
 ♥ 8 5 3  
 ♦ A Q 7  
 ♣ A 8 6 4

West  
 ♠ 7  
 ♥ K 10 9 6  
 ♦ 10 6 3 2  
 ♣ K Q 10 7

East  
 ♠ 9 4 2  
 ♥ Q J  
 ♦ K J 8 5  
 ♣ J 9 5 2

South  
 ♠ A K J 8 5 3  
 ♥ A 7 4 2  
 ♦ 9 4  
 ♣ 3

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Horowitz were North and South, all vulnerable, East Dealer with this bidding:

E	S	W	N
P	1♣	P	2NT
P	3♥	P	3♣
P	4♠	End	

Every pair ended in the same game contract in Spades, most Norths responding Two No Trump, a couple, because they had three Spades to go with their partner's five card Major, decided to bid two Clubs. Nothing was going to make a difference for they were going to end in Spades anyhow. Usually one rebids a six card Major before bidding a four card suit but when North responded Two No Trump, South was in control so a bid of Hearts now was simply to check back to see if along with North's balanced hand of known strength, he had four Hearts. When North went back to Spades that was that.

Even though Spades is the proper contract, three No Trump can

## Four US Jews Meet 200 Israeli Shihim

NEW YORK — Ambassador David Rivlin, Consul General in New York, invited a panel of four representative American-Jewish spokesmen to meet with 200 Israeli shihim (emissaries) on the thorny problem of aliyah from the United States. The ensuing dialogue generated a heated discussion and debate.

The panel was composed of an Orthodox authority in the person of Rabbi Emanuel Rackman; Commentary magazine's editor Norman Podhoretz; Rabbi Wolfe Kelman, one of the heads of Conservative Judaism in America; and Rabbi Balfour Brickner, a highly-respected scholar and spokesman for Reform Judaism.

Rabbi Kelman asserted that American Jews will not emigrate to Israel because of "aliya centers" or the efforts at recruitment by more and more shihim from Israel. They will settle in Israel, said Kelman, on a purely voluntary basis, and there is no need for emissaries to persuade them to do so. Both Podhoretz and Brickner endorsed Kelman's statement. Rabbi Brickner, in turn, added that he could not fully appreciate Israel's complaint that more American

Jews are not settling in the Jewish state.

"What are you saying?" Rabbi Brickner asked rhetorically. "You say that more Jews are needed in Israel. Well and good. I understand it. But I must tell you that we also hope to retain a vital Jewish community here in America."

## ORGANIZATION NEWS

**AT BETH TORAH**  
 Temple Beth Torah will observe Israel Independence Day during the course of Friday evening services on April 26 beginning at 8:15 o'clock. Professor Richard Hellman of the University of Rhode Island will speak on "Israel: The Next 10 Years."

Dr. Hellman is professor of economics as well as director of the Research Center in Business and Economics at the university. Much of his career has been spent in the service of the United States government in economic planning and research in the Departments of Commerce, Small Business Administration, the Federal Power Commission, and with the "Washington Economist."

Services will be conducted by Rabbi Saul Leeman and Cantor Jack Smith.

**TO HOLD BRIDGE**  
 The annual Dessert Bridge of the Sisterhood of Congregation



**NAMED CHAIRMAN:** Melvin G. Alperin of Providence has been named institutional sales chairman of the Rhode Island Committee, State of Israel Bonds, and will direct the program to involve communal institutions in the economic development of Israel through the purchase of Israel Bonds, it has been announced by Stanley P. Blacher, chairman of the committee.

## Brandeis Women To Install Officers

The spring meeting and installation of officers of the Providence Chapter of Brandeis University National Women's Committee will be held on Friday, May 3, at the Ledgemont Country Club in Seekonk, Massachusetts. Luncheon will be served at 11:45 a.m. and the meeting will follow at 1:15 p.m.

Rabbi Leslie Y. Gutterman of Temple Beth El will be the installing officer, and Mrs. Solomon Stern, president of the National Women's Committee, will be guest speaker.

To be installed for 1974-1975 will be Mrs. Burton I. Samors, president; Mrs. Joseph Zwetckhenbaum, Mrs. Julian Savage and Mrs. Herbert Abedon, vice presidents; Mrs. Lawrence Zelkind, recording secretary; Mrs. Wesley Alpert, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Herbert Rosen, assistant corresponding secretary; Mrs. Edwin Wells, assistant corresponding secretary; Mrs. Monroe Caslowitz, financial secretary; Mrs. S. Samuel Kestenman and Mrs. David Golden, assistant financial secretaries; Mrs. Alton Brody, treasurer, and Mrs. Harry Schlossberg, assistant treasurer.

Mrs. Jerrold Salmanson is chairman of the day and will be assisted by the spring meeting committee which includes Mrs. Zwetckhenbaum, program; Mrs. Henry Levin and Mrs. Sheldon Summer, decoration; Mrs. Frederick Weingeroff, hospitality; Mrs. Arthur Rosen, reservations and Mrs. Yusef Barcohana, transportation. Mrs. Barcohana may be reached at 831-1554.

Mishkon Tfiloh will be held on Wednesday, May 1, at 7 p.m. in the synagogue social hall. Mrs. Joseph Bernstein is chairman and Mrs. Bobbie Connis is ticket chairman.

**TO HOLD DANCE**  
 The Adult Singles sponsored by the Jewish Community Center of Greater Framingham, Massachusetts, will hold a dance on Sunday, May 5, from 8 to 12 p.m. at Temple Beth Shalom on Pamela Road in Framingham. Live music and refreshments will be provided. The dance is for singles from 25 and up.

Further information may be obtained by calling 617 879-3079 or 617 877-0636.

**PLAYS HOST**  
**REHOVOT** — Israel's Weizmann Institute of Science is now playing host to an Egyptian-trained visiting scientist, Dr. Claude Cohen, who earned his B.Sc. degree at the American University of Cairo in 1966.

**25th DAY OF SHOOTING**  
**TEL AVIV** — An Israel soldier was fatally wounded as shooting incidents on the Syrian fronts continued for the 25th consecutive day. Israeli authorities have been consulting with the United States about seriously deteriorating situation in which artillery and tank duels go on daily. There was some concern here that Syria might launch an offensive and be

joined by Egypt. But Defense Minister Moshe Dayan on returning from Washington said he did not think the present fighting on the Golan Heights would escalate into a major war. He said he hoped disengagement negotiations with Syria would start after a Syrian representative visits Washington to discuss Damascus' position with U.S. Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger.

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**JEW CHARGED**  
 NEW YORK — Azur Zalta, one of two Syrian Jews accused by Syrian authorities of the murders of four Jewish women, was the brother-in-law of one of the victims, Eva Saad.

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**EYE ON FUTURE**  
TEL AVIV — An Israeli shipping concern has been contacted by interests in Lebanon looking to the future with a keen eye for business. According to a news report in Davar, the Lebanese proposed that, following the conclusion of peace between Israel and the Arab states, they would like to represent the Israeli firm as their agents in Lebanon for shipping and tourism.

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**NAMED PRESIDENT:** Albert I. Gordon, president of Clifford Metal Sales Company of Providence was elected president of the Copper and Brass Warehouse Association at its annual meeting in San Diego, California. Mr. Gordon is the first New Englander to head this national trade association.

Headquartered in Philadelphia, the Copper and Brass Warehouse Association is a national organization of industrial firms who stock, sell and process copper metal.

Mr. Gordon, who has been active with CABWA since its inception in 1951, is also president of the Summit Steel Company in Worcester, Massachusetts. Clifford Metal is one of the largest independent metal mill products warehouses in this area and was organized by Mr. Gordon in 1938.

A participant in community and industry affairs, Mr. Gordon is the Rhode Island chairman of the Society of Fellows, sponsored by the Anti-Defamation League of B'nai B'rith. In addition, he is vice president and former campaign chairman of the Jewish Federation of Rhode Island; former president of Roger Williams Lodge, B'nai B'rith; former member of the national board of Temple Brotherhoods, and former member of the board of trustees of Temple Beth El. Mr. Gordon is also on the board of directors of The Miriam Hospital and the Bristol Brass Corporation of Bristol, Connecticut.

**Hello Again!**  
News of the Sports World by Warren Walden  
**LEE ANN INGRAM**  
Pinch-Hitting

**ALSO PLAYED TENNIS:** King Henry VIII introduced tennis in England, playing the game on a court with a wooden floor. It's still in use and the gentleman explaining it, joshed a bit when he remarked, "I'd like to try playing on boards, 'wooden you?'" While speeding through the countryside passing parks and playsites, an American can't help noticing the absence of baseball diamonds. There just aren't any and it makes one realize how much the worn spots in the turf mean. Soccer Pitches? Oh yes. They are everywhere.

England and Portugal seeking talent but, how about taking a look at South America where there is a mixture of races in Brazil, Argentina and Uruguay with Paraguay, Bolivia and Chile having more Soccer football players per capita than any European country. In Rio de Janeiro, along seven beaches, there are miles and miles of Soccer Football Pitches laid out in the sands with goal posts permanently cemented in and floodlit. The youngsters make good use of them. That's how keen they are for the game.

**FOR SHAME, VANDALS!** In at least one park in the London environs, deer and antelope graze peacefully without fear of molestation as they mingle with those who frequent the area for relaxation. So recall what has happened to some of our four-footed friends in Roger Williams Park.

**BIGGER THAN PIERCE FIELD:** The new Oceaneers Soccer Club will use Pierce Field in East Providence as a home Pitch. They'll be very well satisfied if they fill it. But, what about Maracana Stadium in Rio? It can hold 200,000 spectators will all but 30,000 seated.

**OCEANEERS. ATTENTION!** There is no other sports which commands such as following as Soccer Football. It is played all over the world, from the northernmost parts of Russia to the southernmost tips of the Argentine. Also in South Africa, Australia and New Zealand. Names of players such as Bobby Charlton, Pele, Franz Beckenbauer and Jairinho are as well known outside of the USA as Nixon and Mao.

**GOOD IDEA:** Aztec Stadium in Mexico City is fitted with ramps used by motor car fans who drive to their private boxes and watch the game while in their vehicles. Convenient, eh. The Mexicans rarely if ever play in the rain. If it does rain, the 100,000 seats in Aztec Stadium dry out in minutes.

**MYSTERY:** The Oceaneers and other league teams will this season attempt to solve the mystery concerning why Soccer hasn't been a major development in the United States. Former Wales Forward, Phil Woosman has been in the "States" for a number of years inspiring the growth of Soccer. He is firmly convinced that the United States football foundations must be laid at school level. He seems to be correct. More and more schools are taking to Soccer. It is predicted that although the United States started 100 years later than most, it will not take another 100 years for the game to "catch up" or get on a level with the competition in other countries. In fact, there is a tentative bid for staging the 1986 World Cup Finals in the USA.

**EDWARD DIDN'T LIKE IT:** King Edward III banned football in 1365. Well, maybe he did like the game but his soldiers were spending so much time playing football that their archery fell below standard. Edward saw his armies developing one form of marksmanship at the expense of another.

**LOOK HERE, OCEANEERS!** Oceaneers scouts have been in

**INDOOR SOCCER:** The Oceaneers will play the Connecticut Wildcats in the Providence Civic Center on April 29. There will be squads of 14 men but only six will see action at a time. Back in the 1880s, Soccer teams sometimes used 20 men on a side and sometimes 15.

**ONLY PRAISE:** The compliments should fly toward the remarkable RI Reds. Bill Castro predicts a championship for them after the series with Hershey. That should jam-pack the Civic Center. Advice — don't wait until the last minute for tickets. The Reds are red hot and afire! CARRY ON!

**Israeli Passover Not Marred By Tense Situation On Golan**

**JERUSALEM** — The tense political situation and the continuing war of attrition on the Syrian front had no discernable effect on Passover holiday celebrations in most of Israel. An estimated 40,000 tourists arrived in the country for the holidays. Most hotels were packed for the first time since the Yom Kippur War and Israelis by the thousands took off for the mountains and seashore although the weather was cloudy and chilly for this time of the year. Extra police were assigned to the main highways but the expected traffic jams did not develop, due mainly to the high price of gasoline.

fewer campers than in past years along the shores of the Sea of Galilee (Lake Kinneret). Thousands of Israelis and tourists visited East Jerusalem to watch Palm Sunday celebrations. Thousands of Christian Arabs and pilgrims from abroad retraced Jesus' triumphal entry into Jerusalem five days before his crucifixion. They carried palm fronds and chanted hymns as the procession wound its way over a route extending from the east slope of the Mt. of Olives, through the Garden of Gethsemane, to St. Stephens Gate. Church dignitaries, priests, nuns and school children took part in the march which was led by Christian Arab girl and boy scouts. Hundreds of Greek and Cypriot pilgrims arrived in the Old City to attend Greek Orthodox Church Easter rites.

The security situation was felt in the north, where all visitors were barred from the Golan Heights except for the relatives of settlers, who needed special passes to get by the military checkpoints. Hotels in Safad, a mountain resort town in Upper Galilee, were less than full but those in Tiberias had their full quota of guests who could look across the Sea of Galilee to Mt. Hermon and see the Golan Heights. But there were

More than 80 Jewish immigrants from the Soviet Union landed at Ben Gurion Airport to spend their first Passover in Israel. They were given special food parcels for the holiday. Most of them participated in public seders.

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**Israel Receives US Weapons**

**WASHINGTON** — Israel has been receiving a "continuous flow" of weapons from the United States during the fighting on the Golan Heights, Jerry Friedheim, a Defense Department spokesman, said. He gave that answer in response to a newsman's question on whether the United States has been shipping arms to Israel in the last few weeks but refused to indicate the nature of the weapons.

Friedheim did say that Israelis had indicated they wanted Shrike air-to-ground missiles to knock out anti-aircraft sites. He also said that while there have been steady arms shipments to Israel since the end of the Yom Kippur War, deliveries had not been increased since the Syrians began their daily shooting along the Israeli-Syrian cease-fire line a month ago.

Meanwhile, it was reported from Riyadh that the United States has agreed to re-equip and to start training Saudi Arabia's fastest growing military force, its National Guard. The National Guard is comprised of 50,000 Bedouin troops, who are garrisoned in Saudi Arabia's main cities, while the 40,000-man regular army is stationed away from the population centers. Among other duties, National Guard units are stationed at the country's major oil-producing centers. Saudi Arabian officials reportedly are concerned about the threat of Palestinian strikes against American oil installations.

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## Society This Week

### BAR MITZVAH

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### ENGAGED

Mr. and Mrs. Alton L. Rippy of Orland, California, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Susan Fay Rippy, of Sacramento, California, to Ira Henry Rosenberg of Washington, D.C., son of Mrs. Nathan Rosenberg of Cranston, formerly of East Greenwich, and the late Mr. Rosenberg.

Miss Rippy attended Paradise High School in California, and was graduated from California State University in 1972.

Mr. Rosenberg attended East Greenwich High School and was graduated from the University of Rhode Island in 1972. He is presently doing graduate work at George Washington University in Washington.

A May 26 wedding is planned.

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### SON BORN

Mr. and Mrs. David Gesualdi of 24 Irene Street in Warwick announce the birth of their second child and son, Eric Damon, on March 25.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Russell Golden of Warrington Street. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Gesualdi of Park Forest Road, Cranston.

Irene Golden of Providence is the great-grandmother.

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### ANNOUNCE MARRIAGE

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Torman of Potomac, Maryland, formerly of Cranston, announce the marriage of their son, Dr. Howard A. Torman, to Joanne E. Burg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elroy J. Burg of Wahpeton, North Dakota.

Mrs. Torman is a graduate of the University of Minnesota where she received her BS degree. She also attended the University of Alabama and was graduated with a degree of surgeon's assistant. She is presently a neurosurgeon's assistant at the Milton S. Hershey Medical Center in Hershey, Pennsylvania.

Dr. Torman is a resident in cardiothoracic surgery at the Milton S. Hershey Medical Center of Pennsylvania State University.

As of July, Dr. and Mrs. Torman will reside in San Francisco, California, where Dr. Torman will continue his residency at the Stanford University Medical Center.

### ENGAGED

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Berman of 393 Cole Avenue announce the engagement of their daughter, Marcia Sue, to Hymie Keller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Izsak Keller of 3564 Severn Road, Cleveland Heights, Ohio.

Miss Berman attended Stern College for Women and is presently a junior at Brooklyn College.

Mr. Keller is a graduate of Yeshiva University and is presently affiliated with Pollack and Keller Construction Company in Cleveland.

A June 9 wedding is planned. The couple will make their home in Cleveland, Ohio.

### CORRECTION

Due to a typographical error the second paragraph in the engagement notice of Betty Dale Seigle to Mark Elias which was published in last week's Herald is incorrect.

It should have read: Miss Seigle is the granddaughter of Samuel Rosen of Providence and Miami Beach, Florida, and the late Mrs. Rosen.

The Herald regrets the error.



OUR YOUNGER SET: Jilian Beth Dreyfuss, six months old, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Dreyfuss of Namquid Drive in Warwick.

Paternal grandparents are Dr. and Mrs. Jack B. Dreyfuss of Weetamoe Drive, Warwick. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hanzel of Salem Harbour, Andalusia, Pennsylvania.



OUR YOUNGER SET: Adam Scott Glickman, two years old, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Glickman of Framingham, Massachusetts.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Leo Ben Schretter of Warwick. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jack Glickman of Revere, Massachusetts.

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## Rabbi Yossof Stands Firm On Issue, Who Is Jew?

New York — Rabbi Ovadia Yossof, Israel's Sephardic chief rabbi, appealed to spiritual leaders of Conservative and Reform Judaism to recognize the immutable character of the Halacha (religious laws) concerning the conversion process in Judaism.

The Chief Rabbi, the spiritual head of Sephardic Jews the world over, held a news conference at the Regency Hotel and dwelt on the controversial issue of "who is a Jew" that has evoked sharp controversy among religious leaders here.

Stressing that the laws of conversion, as formulated in the Torah and also codified by rabbinic sages, Rabbi Yossof said that "the holy heritage cannot be compromised." He said that "we are willing and ready to talk to leaders of Conservative and Reform Judaism, but not to compromise."

Rabbi Yossof, on his first trip to the United States, for an 8-day

visit sponsored by the American Sephardi Federation and the United Jewish Appeal of Greater New York, said that a committee in Israel would meet there soon with spiritual leaders of other branches of Judaism on the nettling question.

The scholarly Talmudic rabbi was the guest of honor at a dinner at the Americana Hotel given by the American Sephardi Federation and the Appeal. During his visit, Rabbi Yossof will be honored at several functions by New York's Sephardic community.

Last month, Dr. Yossef Burg, Israel's Minister of Interior, directed officials to refuse to register as Jews immigrants who were converted abroad unless their conversions were in accordance with the Orthodox interpretation of the law. Conservative and Reform rabbi frequently have objected to what they held was Orthodoxy' domination over religious questions in Israel.

## Kurds, Jews Work Together In Iraq

UNITED NATIONS — Two representatives of the Kurdistan Democratic Party in Iraq, headed by Mustafa Barzani, who came to UN headquarters to present Secretary General Kurt Waldheim with a memorandum on the Kurds, met with two Jewish leaders in New York. The two Kurds — one identified as Chalak Jewanroyee, a teacher presently living in the U.S., and the other, a dentist, who declined to be identified by name — said they are seeking through their meeting with the Jewish leaders to bring "the plight of the Kurds in Iraq to the attention of the public of this country."

The two said that any attempt

to draw the attention of the UN Commission on Human Rights to the oppression of the Kurds in Iraq has been automatically "blocked by the Arab states and their friends from the African bloc." According to the two, the Jewish community in America and the State of Israel which is "a friend of the U.S." can help the Kurds to bring their case to world public opinion and the United Nations.

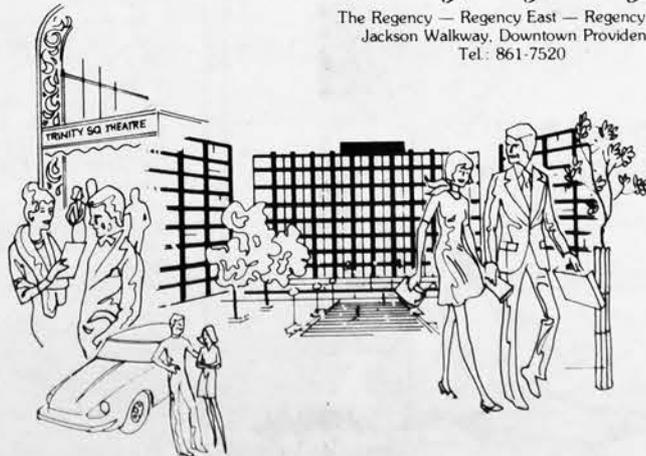
"The Jews in Iraq received a lot of help from the Kurds," the two contended, pointing out that Iraqi Jews were assisted in leaving Iraq. According to the two Kurd representatives, Israel and the Kurds have a lot in common.

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**SHERLOCK HOLMES** (Timothy Crowe) and **Alice Faulkner** (Mina Manente) are about to outwit the villains, in Trinity Square's production of the William Gillette play, first presented in 1899.

**Sherlock Holmes Lives Again  
 In Trinity Square Recreation**

A violin hangs on the wall, and the heroin syringe is handy. On a center-stage lounge reclines the great Sherlock Holmes. As the curtain rises (literally, for a change), Dr. Watson walks into the consulting room, and once again the hunt is on.

The vehicle for Trinity Square Repertory's recreation of the de-

tective is William Gillette's *Sherlock Holmes*, first produced in 1899 and offered now in an adaptation by Dennis Rosa, the director. It is a skillful pastiche of Conan Doyle materials, with an incognito king, a damsel in distress, and an archvillain. Familiar tag lines keep popping out all evening. When Holmes and Watson are on-stage, the humor is gentle, the personifications irresistible.

Doyle described many flamboyant characters, among them a royal personage who requires the return of a compromising photograph; that role is delightfully played by Damkoehler, whose maneuverings with a red-lined cloak gave an air of stiff propriety to his characterization. A wily villainess enlivens the next scene with posturings and dramatic changes (played by Orson), and Moriarty (played by Kavanaugh), Holmes' worthy opponent, bobbles and lisps his way through the final scenes.

Director Rosa opted for an acting style that is sweeping, florid and extravagant, in the style of Gillette's turn-of-the-century play. This kind of parody can be very funny, and on opening night most of the audience loved it. But one of its disadvantages is that instead of building to ever bigger explosions of mirth such parody can suddenly become flat, or remind one too vividly of canned applause television fare.

Moriarty, for example, is played almost as a humorous hunchback of Notre Dame, moving spastically, with horror-film makeup and wild hair, able only with difficulty to pronounce the hated name of Holmes. But the cumulative impression of "this ought to be a sure laugh" effects is not necessarily laughter. Rosa has masked some of his good intentions by a lack of subtlety, which might have increased the humor, and by a slowed pace in scenes that perhaps need faster timing. One of the production's bonuses is young Billy, head of the Baker Street Irregulars, who is played by Ted Orson.

Set, costumes, and properties furnish the proper background for the evocation of a firm, orderly world, bounded only by the proprieties of the times and the keen brain of the master detective. Crowe's Holmes and Martin's Watson are so good that in retrospect it's hard to believe the notes that read, "dull blocking, exposition and playing" — in retrospect, it was much, much better than that.

LOIS ATWOOD

The set design is by Robert D. Soule; lighting, Roger Morgan; costumes, Betsey Potter; properties, Sandra Nathanson and cast members are:

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|----------------------|--------------------|
| Sherlock Holmes      | Timothy Crowe      |
| Dr. Watson           | George Martin      |
| Billy                | Ted Orson          |
| Wilhelm von Ormstein | William Damkoehler |
| Madge Larrabee       | Barbara Orson      |
| Sid Prince           | Richard Jenkins    |
| Alice Faulkner       | Mina Manente       |
| Professor Moriarty   | Richard Kavanaugh  |
| Foreman              | James Pickering    |
| Alf Bassick          | Bruce McGill       |
| Craig                | Ralph Glickman     |
| MacTague             | Richard Blackburn  |

**Soviet Jewish Prof.  
 Granted Exit Visa**

**MOSCOW** — A 63-year-old Jewish chemistry professor, who went on a two-week hunger strike in February to protest the Soviet Government's refusal to let him emigrate, has been given permission to go to Israel, friends of his family said.

David Azbel, who spent 16 years in prison camps during the Stalin era, learned that he, his wife, Rachel, and his son, Vladimir, would be granted exit visas.

New efforts by the State Department and Columbia University to obtain an exit permit for Vitaly A. Rubin, dissident Soviet scholar, were disclosed.

**Obituaries**

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ation. Besides his wife, he is survived by two sons, Dr. Abraham Schwartz and Morris Schwartz, both of Providence; two daughters, Blanche Revkin of Pawtucket, and Roslyn Applebaum of Providence; a brother, Julius Schwartz, and a sister, Esther Rosenberg, both of Providence; nine grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

**SAMUEL LEE**

Funeral services for Samuel Lee, 77, former owner of The Chamberlain Company of Rhode Island and Massachusetts, an aluminum products firm, who died Sunday, were held Tuesday at Temple Sinai. Burial was in Sinai Memorial Park.

The husband of Geraldine (Miller) Lee, he had lived at 76 Hilltop Drive, Cranston. He was born in Austria, came to this country as a child and lived in Bridgeport, Connecticut, and later in Mount Vernon, New York. He moved to Cranston 26 years ago. He was an Army veteran of World War I. He retired in 1972.

He was a member of Temple Sinai, the Masada Lodge of Masons in Mount Vernon; Doric Lodge of Masons in Cranston; the West Warwick Lodge of Elks and the Providence Central Lions Club. He was charter president of the Providence Plantations Lions Club.

Besides his wife, he leaves a brother, Maxwell Lee of Florida, and two sisters, Sadie Grosshandler of Florida and Mrs. Theo Lesner of Scotch Plains, New Jersey.

**HYMAN GLASSHOFFER**

Funeral services for Hyman Glasshoffer of 127 Franklin Street, Cranston, an upholsterer for American Upholstering Company of Providence for more than 40 years, who died Monday after an illness of a month, were held Wednesday at the Sugarman Memorial Chapel. Burial was in Lincoln Park Cemetery.

The husband of Lillian (Shatz) Glasshoffer, he was a native of Austria. He had lived in Provi-

dence most of his life having moved to Cranston in 1971. He was the son of the late Leon and Bessie Glasshoffer.

Mr. Glasshoffer was a member of Congregation Shaare Zedek-Sons of Abraham and the South Providence Hebrew Free Loan Association.

Besides his wife, he is survived by two sons, Leon F. Glasshoffer of Silver Spring, Maryland, and Marshall H. Glasshoffer of Providence.

**MRS. PAUL ROOD**

Funeral services for Gertrude (Wilson) Rood, 73, of 22 Shady Lane, East Providence, who died Tuesday, were held the following day at the Sugarman Memorial Chapel. Burial was in Lincoln Park Cemetery.

The wife of Paul Rood, she was born in New York on January 1, 1901, a daughter of the late Charles and Ida Wilson. She had been an East Providence resident for 12 years.

Besides her husband, she is survived by two daughters, Frances R. Bergman and Shirley R. Handwerker, both of Providence; a brother, Abe Wilson of New York City; four grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

**GUS NEWMAN**

Funeral services for Gus Newman, 63, of Miami, Florida, formerly of Providence, who died on April 3, were held on April 5 in Florida.

When living in Providence, he worked in the Ace Spa on Richmond Street. He left for Florida 17 years ago.

The husband of Bobbe Newman, he was born in New York, a son of the late Charles and Sarah Newman.

Besides his wife, he is survived by his stepfather and stepmother, Mr. and Mrs. J. Steinberg of Florida; two daughters, Francine and Bonnie Newman, both of Florida; three brothers, Edward Newman, of Kauneonga Lake, New York, Percy Newman of Providence and Lou Newman of Wayne, Michigan.

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The \$49,000 which would be realized from these sales should be invested in good-quality bonds and preferred issues. Under current market conditions, a return of 8.5% should be obtainable, with well-assured capital protection. This, in addition to the balance of your holdings, would produce a monthly income of \$650 or a 7.7% yield.

Q: What is meant by dual or multiple listing of a stock? G.S.

A: In addition to the country's two largest stock exchanges — the New York Stock Exchange and American Stock Exchange — there is the National Exchange and the unlisted NASDAQ or OTC market. Moreover, the regional exchanges across the country provide effective trading facilities for the stocks of local corporations. Regional exchanges also list shares of many companies which trade on the Big Board and Amex exchanges. Two examples of multiple listing are: American Telephone (NYSE), which is also listed on five regional exchanges, coast-to-coast; and Shell Oil (NYSE), also quoted on six local U.S. exchanges plus two Canadian boards. Dual listing takes some of the load off the major exchanges, plus allowing an investor in the eastern part of the country to gain a trading advantage from the later closing hour of a western exchange.

**AID TO SOVIET JEWS**

WASHINGTON — The State Department signed a contract providing \$30.5-million to aid Soviet Jews migrating to Israel.

The contract was signed with the United Israel Appeal, an American voluntary agency. The funds are to be used in Israel for emigrant centers, housing, a medical-training facility and for grants to individual migrants.

Assistance to emigrants through the United Israel Appeal now totals \$74.5-million.



**TO CHAIR COMMITTEE:** Philip J. Macktez of Woonsocket has been named chairman of the nominating committee of the Jewish Federation of Rhode Island, it has been announced by Max Alperin, president. The committee will present a slate of officers and directors at the annual meeting which will be held on June 6.

Mr. Macktez, who had been the campaign chairman for the Jewish Federation of Woonsocket, is an officer of Louis Macktez, Inc., a textile company.

Active in community affairs, Mr. Macktez has been an area vice president of the JFRI for Woonsocket for five years; a former president of Woonsocket Lodge, B'nai B'rith; and the recipient in Woonsocket of the B'nai B'rith Man of the Year Award in 1962. He is also a member of the board of the Jewish Home for the Aged, the Jewish Family & Children's Service and Camp Jori.

Serving with Mr. Macktez on the nominating committee are Irwin Chase, Martin I. Dittelman, Sidney Dressler, Albert I. Gordon, Howard I. Lipsey, Richard S. Mittleman, Joseph W. Ressler, Albert Sampedril and Jacob N. Temkin, all from the board.

Representing the Women's Division on the committee are Mrs. Jacob Stone and Mrs. Manfred Weil. Members from the areas are Benjamin M. Falk, Robert A. Glashow, Edward Goldberg, Dr. Jan C. Prager, Samuel Shlevin and Harold I. Tregar.

Community-at-large members are Dr. Alden H. Blackman, Milton M. Dubinsky and Jerome R. Sapolsky.

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**ISRAELI FASHION SHOW:** Principals at the 1974 Israel Bond Fashion Show held at the Ledgemont Country Club in Seekonk, Massachusetts, included, seated left to right, Mrs. Harvey M. Kirstein of Swampscott, Massachusetts, chairman of the North Shore Committee, State of Israel Bonds, guest speaker; Tehila Sela, former Miss Israel and special guest, and Mrs. Haskell Frank, who offered the invocation. Standing, left to right, are Mrs. Donald Dwares and Mrs. Melvin S. Frank, cochairmen of the fashion show; Mrs. David Horvitz, chairman of the Women's Division of the Rhode Island Committee, State of Israel Bonds; and Ray Ahmuty of the Peerless Company, who was in charge of decorations.



**BONDS FOR ISRAEL:** Murry M. Halpert, second left, president of Temple Beth El, presents a check to Stanley P. Blacher, chairman of the Rhode Island Committee, State of Israel Bonds, for the congregation's purchase of Israel Bonds. Looking on are Stanley Grossman, left, honorary life trustee of Temple Beth El, and Mrs. Newton B. Cohn, temple vice president.

## Katzir Asks Rabin To Form Government

TEL AVIV. — Yitzhak Rabin, Israel's former Ambassador to the United States and commander of Israeli forces in the 1967 war, was officially designated by President Ephraim Katzir to try to form a new coalition Cabinet.

But the consensus here was that Mr. Rabin would probably not be able to put together a government capable of gaining a parliamentary vote of confidence and that new elections would have to be called before the end of the year.

The announcement of a Premier-designate to succeed Premier Golda Meir, who resigned on April 11, was made by the President in Jerusalem. He acted on the recommendation of the ruling Labor party after conferring for two hours with a delegation representing the alignment of the Labor, Mapam and affiliated labor parties.

### New Coalition Sought

The delegation, headed by Aaron Yadin, secretary general of the Labor party, and Moshe Baram, the parliamentary whip for the alignment, told President Katzir that Mr. Rabin intended to try to reorganize the coalition with the National Religious party and the Independent Liberals that gave Mrs. Meir's Government a parliamentary majority on March 10. Mrs. Meir resigned because of dissension within the Labor party over ministerial responsibility for shortcomings in military preparedness before the Arab-Israel war last October.

The Labor alignment cannot form a government without coalition partners because it controls only 54 of the 120 seats in Parliament.

The President told Mr. Rabin to call him after Israel's independence day holiday. He will then be given an initial period of 21 days in which to organize a government.

### Party Criticized by Rabbis

Mr. Rabin said that if he did not succeed within that period, he would not request an extension.

Party leaders said that the new government should continue the program of Mrs. Meir's coalition, but the National Religious party served notice that this was unacceptable.

The party, which represents the religious Establishment has been chided by Orthodox rabbis here and abroad for having entered the outgoing government without obtaining assurances of legislation providing that converts shall be officially recognized as Jews only if they have been converted in accordance with Orthodox ritual. The rabbinic rebuke has caused defections from the party.

Some Religious party leaders said they would recommend postponing a solution to that problem if the new coalition includes the right-wing Likud bloc, which has been in the opposition. Inclusion of Likud in the new government is opposed by an overwhelming majority in the Labor alignment.

A coalition of the Labor alignment and the Independent Liberals, who have four seats in Parliament, would not be able to muster a majority.

In accordance with the law, Mrs. Meir's outgoing Government remains in office until a new one is inducted. If a new Government under Mr. Rabin is approved and falls after only one hour, it would serve as a caretaker administration until a general election is held.

### POPE AND NAZIS

NEW YORK — Pope Pius XII knew of the plight of the Jews under Nazism but did not denounce it publicly because he knew "he was not going to be listened to" and feared that he would "lose his influence and power," according to Dr. John S. Conway, a historian at the University of British Columbia, Vancouver. Speaking at the National Conference of Christians and Jews 1974 Conference of the Church Struggle and the Holocaust, Dr. Conway said that the Pope had to remain silent because a public protest might have exacerbated the situation and would have resulted in "far worse consequences". He noted that "no one will claim that enough was done to save the Jews" but at the same time it cannot be said that "nothing had been done" since some Christian individuals and organizations made efforts despite the risks they faced.

# A Tradition Reborn

(Continued from page 4)  
day school in the country in 1969. It now has a student body of 84 in kindergarten through fourth grade; within two years it will expand through sixth grade.

Asked why Reform Jews, whose youngsters might otherwise be candidates for private schools, choose to send them to a fulltime Jewish school, Laura Gold, Parents' Educational Guild president, explained: "Because it's a family school. It provides a family other than our own."

Rodeph Sholom administrators have been astonished by the numerous requests of parents for such activities as volley ball nights, square dances and pot luck suppers.

The family unit is also grafting new branches onto the trunk of the synagogue.

The nine-month-old Parenthood of Congregation Beth Emeth, a Reform congregation of 1,100 families in Albany is one example. The group, comprised of 25 families, mainly parents in their mid-20's to early 40's, celebrate all holidays together and hold special dinners, and experimental services.

"I began to find that there was little to satisfy what I remember as the home-centered Judaism of my youth. We started this group to provide families with the opportunity to do Jewish things together," said Professor Melvin D. Urofsky, who teaches history at the State University of New York at Albany. Professor Urofsky and his wife serve as co-chairmen of the group.

Like many of its counterparts, Parenthood is now planning a weekend retreat of prayer, discussion and study next month at a camp in Great Barrington, Mass.

In contrast to the retreats normally held at camp sites or in hotels, the members of the Chaverim of the Leo Baeck Temple in Los Angeles retreat in the synagogue itself. (The group is one of many havurot, or minicongregations that have sprung up across the country as a reaction against religious depersonalization. Some havurot exist within a congregation; others are independent.)

For 24 hours, the Chaverim participants live together, cook together, and compose and

conduct their own services and seminars. At night, they stretch out in sleeping bags on the floors, in the pews, on the pulpit.

When the Leo Baeck Chaverim was founded three years ago, its members shied away from intense commitment.

"At first, we simply decided to attend services together," said Mrs. Mark Levy. "But what has happened is that, almost to a family, everyone has made a deep commitment that has also made us very close to one another. We regard each other with very special feeling. We celebrate all important events together — when someone moves into a new house, we arrive with special food and a mezuzah for the door."

### Tree Festival

Out of that commitment has also come some ceremonial innovations. For Tu b'Shevat, the festival of trees, the group planted trees in the Santa Monica Mountains, an area hard hit by forest fires. Last week the group held a Passover picnic at a nearby ranch.

To Rabbi Leonard Beerman, senior rabbi of the temple, such activities reflect a change in the interaction between worshiper and institution, with the congregant no longer content just to listen.

"People realize that being observant is not something someone else can do for them; it's something they themselves energize. There is a strong desire to achieve authenticity in living and not just belong to a temple out of noblesse oblige," he said.

According to Rabbi Haskel M. Bernat of Chicago, director of the Commission on Worship of the U.A.H.C. and the Central Conference of American Rabbis, family involvement will alter the synagogue of the future. He foresees not only liturgical, but architectural change "to remove the pews."

"They're an antifamily, isolating experience," he said. "People will worship in small circles where they can sense and touch one another."

For the moment, he continued, "there is a recognition by the synagogue that it is not necessarily the single instrument of Jewish continuity but that, in fact, it always had a partner, the family. While the synagogue can be the instructor of Jewish values, the home is the promulgator."

## Your Money's Worth

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before, do at least some homework before you buy your seeds or make decisions on what and how much to put where. A classic in the field is "Step by Step to Organic Vegetable Growing" by Samuel Ogden (Rodale, \$6.95). Among inexpensive Department of Agriculture booklets are: "Growing Tomatoes in the Home Garden" (25c). For more details, write for the free spring edition of the Consumer Information Index, Consumer Information, Pueblo, Colorado 21009.

● Check what free tips you can get from your local Agricultural Extension Service. As an illustration, New York's Dutchess County Cooperative Extension Service has developed a 18' x 15' garden plan in which a \$3.10 investment in seeds can be translated into \$100 worth of groceries. Also see what other garden "packages" are offered by the big mail order, seed catalogues, etc. One kit includes 10 types of vegetable seeds plus all other necessities, planting instructions and recipes for \$5.95.

● Be sure you have adequate space and sunlight for the kind of vegetables you want. Summer squash, melons, corn, potatoes

may need twice as much space and sunlight as you have available.

● Reap and relish the dollars and cents savings from your home garden, whatever its size and contents. But above all, expect your biggest harvest to be the delight of "growing your own thing."

### SOVIET INVOLVEMENT

WASHINGTON — The Soviet Union appears to have adopted a tougher attitude toward a settlement of the Middle East conflict, insists on a greater Soviet involvement in Mideast activities aimed at a peace accord, and is determined to pursue trade relations with the U.S. regardless of the sentiment of Congress to link trade with the easing of Soviet emigration policies. This is how political analysts here sized up the Soviet position after studying a communique by the White House dealing with Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger's talks with Soviet leaders in Moscow. U.S. government officials, however, maintained a discreet silence on the communique, taking their cue from Kissinger who said he would not discuss his talks with Soviet leaders until he reported to President Nixon.

# \$10 Billion Lost Since Suez Canal Closing

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y. — The closing of the Suez Canal has cost the world more than \$10-billion in higher shipping charges, trade reductions and other losses, and has brought hardship to a string of ports running from Trieste southeast to Aden.

Details on the effects of the canal shutdown were set out in a 45-page report compiled by the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development, printed in Geneva and distributed here after some months' delay.

Work on opening the canal, closed since the outbreak of the 1967 Middle East war, has begun and Cairo predicts that it could be back in use within a year.

The cost of reconstructing the canal area and its war-ravaged towns is expected to be more than \$6-billion.

## \$1.7-Billion Loss Rate

"The total of the increased shipping costs, trade losses or transfers and other economic consequences (of the canal's closure) which have been quantified" is estimated at \$7-billion for the period from mid-1967 to 1971, the report said, and it observed that "these economic dislocations" continue at an annual rate of \$1.7-billion.

Longer hauls by detoured ocean liners cost \$250-million a year, the report found, and similar longer hauls by bulk carriers cost \$125-million.

In addition, the loss or transfer of Southeast Asian exports that would have passed through the canal has been running at \$175-

million a year, the report concluded. Similar dislocations of exports from East African nations have been costing \$125-million a year.

No figure was computed for the revenue lost by ports where shipping declined after the canal was closed, but the report said "on the whole the principal losers in consequence of the shift in vessels' calls have been developing countries in the Red Sea area and Egypt, while the main benefits accrued to South Africa and to a lesser extent Kenya and the Canary Islands of Spain."

Among the principal losers, the report said, was the port of Aden, in Southern Yemen, where there was an 80 per cent drop in the number of calls by vessels in the first two years after the canal's closure. The business of fueling and servicing visiting vessels there dwindled by 90 per cent from \$60-million in 1966 to \$6-million in 1968.

Similarly, the number of vessels calling at Djibouti on the Gulf of Aden in the Territory of Afars and Issas, dwindled by more than 50 per cent after the canal was shut, the report said. At Port Sudan, in the Sudan, vessels calls fell 38 per cent between 1966 and 1968.

Shipyards and ports in Greece also lost business, the report found. The Italian port of Trieste suffered a 32.5 per cent reduction of traffic with the Middle East, the Red Sea and the Persian Gulf, and an even sharper decline in traffic with Asia.

# Friendship, Peace, Cooperation Seen For Egypt, The West

CAIRO — The American helicopter carrier Iwo Jima anchored six miles off Port Said, at the northern end of the Suez Canal — a sign of the growing association between Egypt and the Western world.

Twelve helicopters from the carrier started to sweep the canal for acoustic and magnetic mines. The operation is being carried out by the United States in cooperation with British minesweepers and the Egyptian armed forces and without the Soviet Union, which has been supplying Egypt with all her arms for 18 years.

On the political front Chancellor Willy Brandt of West Germany wound up three days of talks with President Anwar el-Sadat in a blaze of newfound amity.

At a news conference the Chancellor spoke of "the wave of friendship and affection that had engulfed him and his delegation since his arrival. He paid tribute to President Sadat's "realistic policy" in the Middle East.

## West German Aid Seen

And he declared that a moving visit to "the dead city of Suez on the dead canal" this morning had stirred his determination that West Germany contribute to the reconstruction of the area.

He spoke of "a new quality" and a "new chapter" in West German-Egyptian relations. An Egyptian official noted afterward that the significance of the Chancellor's warmth could be gauged only if one remembered that the two countries resumed relations less than two years ago after a break of seven years.

Two of Cairo's three government-controlled newspapers gave first place on their front pages to excerpts from an interview with President Sadat that appeared in The New York Times.

The Cairo papers focused on a statement by Mr. Sadat that he would like to buy American arms and that the United States as well

as other nations might possibly be granted naval facilities in Egyptian ports that had been reserved for the Soviet Navy for many years.

Egyptian editors and other sources noted with gratification a statement by Secretary of Defense James R. Schlesinger saying that any Egyptian request for American arms should be carefully studied and would correct an "anomaly" that started in 1955 with Cairo's exclusive reliance on Soviet arms.

Mr. Schlesinger and the State Department have said that no request for arms purchases has been received from Cairo.

Egyptian editors interpreted Mr. Schlesinger's statement as evidence of serious possibility of some American arms deliveries to Egypt in the not-too-distant future.

During the next two months American army experts will train Egyptian officers in the use of American military equipment for detecting and detonating land mines on the banks of the Suez Canal.

Asked what would be done with the equipment once the demining was completed, an American officer said "American experts would then inspect the equipment to see whether it was worthwhile to ship it back to the states. If not it would be left to the host country," the officer said.

There is thus a strong possibility that by the end of the summer the Egyptian army will possess one kind of limited American military equipment. "Things are changing quickly, aren't they?" an Egyptian editor said.

## WANT CONCLAVE

JERUSALEM — The Executive Board of the World Zionist Organization decided unanimously that the Assembly of the World Jewish Congress should be held in Jerusalem. The Zionist Executive voted to appeal to all Jewish organizations and federations represented in the WJCongress to ensure that the Assembly will be held here.

# The Lyons Den



By Leonard Lyons

NEW YORK: Author Irving Wallace, whose new book is *The Fan Club*, recently met John Dean, who told him that when Watergate is over, and he has "Paid his price," he wouldn't want to return to the legal profession. "After you've been a lawyer for the President of the United States," said Dean, "you can't adjust to hanging up a shingle and waiting for clients." Dean added that writing always attracted him more than law, and he'd pursue it — if his first book were successful.

Lyricist Sammy Cahn — whose *Words and Music* revue opened at the Golden theater the other night — naturally believes the words of a song are more important than the melody. Cahn, who has written Broadway shows, film scores, and countless hit songs, including "Love and Marriage" and "Three Coins in the Fountain," told a friend, early in his career, he worked well into the night in his hotel room. Finally, the man next door banged on the door shouting: "Stop that damnmusic."

"He didn't," Cahn pointed out "say 'Stop the lyrics.'"

Howard Stein, the rock concert producer who gave up acting six years ago, will return to the stage as piano soloist with Renaissance, the English group, May 17 at the Academy of Music. "My dream of being an actor and a producer will finally come true," he said. "That night the marquee will read: *Howard Stein Presents Howard Stein*." ... Liza Minnelli will introduce and narrate a segment of MGM's musical documentary, *Thai's Entertainment*. The actress made her screen debut in MGM's 1949 musical *In the Good Old Summertime*, starring her mother, Judy Garland.

"I played a year-old baby," said Miss Minnelli. "I started my career being typecast."

Hayward Hale Brown, the CBS sports commentator who wears wildly colored sports jackets, portrays a judge in Barbra Streisand's new movie *For Pete's Sake*. At the costume department, Brown surveyed the black robes, then asked the wardrobe mistress: "Do you have anything with black and red checks and a plaid lining?" ... Designer Bill Blass dined at Nickels, and observed that Oscar winners Jack Lemmon and Glenda Jackson portrayed a dress manufacturer and a dress designer in their respective roles. "Times have changed," said Blass. "Hollywood is going Seventh Avenue, instead of the other way around."

Ruth Ford dined at the Pen & Pencil, and said she has signed to star in *The Charlatan* by Derek Wolcott, which Mel Shapiro starts directing in Los Angeles May 23, with Cleavon Little — star of *Blazing Saddles* — Paula Kelly and Louis Gossett ... Hank Greenberg, the Hall of Fame baseball player and former home run slugger was at the Girafe where he was asked to compare his home runs with those of Henry Aaron, who passed Babe Ruth's career total last week.

"The difference between our homers," said Greenberg, who hit 331, "as of now is about 485."

Russ Tamblyn, who starred in the *Tom Thumb* movie, was told it will be shown on the MGM Family Theater presentation. Tamblyn, who played the 5½-inch boy in the 1958 film, wondered what took so long to bring it to TV. "At that rate, I'd grown only half an inch a year." ... Carol Channing, star of *Lorelei* talked of the team her show will field in the Broadway Show League. "I'm not much of a baseball fan," she said. "I had my first lesson in the game last week — throwing out

the first ball to open the season."

Jack Gilford, who was nominated for an Academy Award but lost to John Houseman as the Best Supporting Actor, dined at Maude's and explained how it felt to lose. "Something like fighting George Foreman," he said. "It's a relief when it's over — but hard to smile when you've just been floored." ... Walter Cronkite saw *Don't Bother Me, I Can't Cope* and saw one of his young viewers in the audience. The child looked at him, then asked his mother: "Is he alive or on tape?"

Drummer Buddy Rich, a black belt karate expert, who recently fought off several muggers, will perform with actor and former pro football player Fred Williamson at the Oriental World of Self-Defense at Madison Square Garden in June ... Tuesday Weld

saw a documentary about sex queens of the early days of Hollywood. "I'm sorry I'm not old enough to have been included," she said, "but thank goodness I AM old enough to be let into the theater."

ELECTED NEW YORK — Jacqueline Levine of West Orange, was elected vice-chairman of the American Jewish Congress' national Governing Council, its policy-setting body, at the organization's biennial convention.

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Debbie Koppel

## Debbie Koppel To Play Lead In Funny Girl With EP Players

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Debbie is most enthusiastic about the part of Fannie Brice in which she will be appearing. "I love it," she says and says that the people in the leading and supporting roles are "really, really good."

Although she seems dedicated to the teaching of speech and drama which she feels is something that is necessary of children to learn, with her background, she will undoubtedly be appearing in a great many local theater.

Jim Norman, director of library services for East Providence,

plays opposite Debbie as Nicky Arnstein. Steve Kirby is Eddie and Maureen Doran is Mrs. Brice, other leads in the play. Tom Lewis, who founded the Players in 1971 is the director, and Karen Hupp, who was assistant musical director at the Theatre-by-the-Sea this past summer, is musical director.

Judy Mello, owner and teacher at Miss Judy's School of Dancing in East Providence, is the choreographer and according to Debbie did a very good job.

## Peace Will Come Says Mrs. Meir;

TEL AVIV. — "I really and truly believe the time will come when our neighbors will live with us in peace," Premier Golda Meir said on Israeli television.

"I doubt if I will be around to see it, but I am sure it will come."

The 75-year-old leader, who resigned April 11, made it clear in an interview in her Jerusalem home that she would transfer her mantle cheerfully. The generation of leaders that will succeed to power, she said, will certainly be better and more efficient.

She said she had no plans for her retirement and did not want any. She is looking forward to getting up in the morning knowing she has a long day ahead of her to do anything she wants.

She wants to cook for her children and grandchildren, she said, adding:

### Heads Caretaker Cabinet

"Of one thing I am certain: I will not yearn to be in the Cabinet or the Knesset."

Mrs. Meir is serving as head of a caretaker Government while the Premier designate, 52-year-old Gen. Yitzhak Rabin, former Ambassador to Washington and commander of Israeli's forces in the 1967 war, is trying to put together a Cabinet capable of winning a vote of confidence in the Knesset, or Parliament.

The Premier said she wished to correct an impression that she and a coterie of ministers had decided on policy at meetings in her kitchen and that the full Cabinet had been a rubber stamp. Pointing out that she had indeed consulted certain people, she declared "not one decision on security or any other matter was made anywhere else than with the Cabinet."

Mrs. Meir acknowledged that her resignation, only one month after the installation of her

coalition cabinet, had been partly in response to public pressures for a change in the leadership because of shortcomings in the preparations for the middle east war of last October.

### Praise for Protest Motives

She praised the veterans who organized the protest movements that contributed to her downfall, describing them as sincere and dedicated people who wanted to improve life in Israel. But she was critical of their methods.

Mrs. Meir said she had spent several hours with her critics. "They are excellent boys," she said. "I told them there are three kinds of people I find it hard to argue with even when they say things that are incorrect — the unemployed, bereaved parents and widows and the fighting men."

But she criticized the round-the-clock pickets by the protest movements outside Labor party headquarters here. The pickets have demanded early national elections, reforms to democratize the political parties and the ouster of officials they regard as responsible for inadequate preparations for the recent war.

The Premier said the pickets had no right to apply pressure on the party from the outside. She urged them to fight for their principles inside the party, she went on, but they refused.

Nevertheless, she said the development was encouraging. "There are thousands of citizens who have begun to take an interest in what is happening in the country, in society and in political life and who want a change," Mrs. Meir said. "Of course they mean well, but I do not think this is the way."

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## Only In America



By  
Harry  
Golden

### Hunt for a Killer

Fever; The Hunt for a New Killer Virus," by John G. Fuller (Reader's Digest Press \$8.95) is probably as exciting a book for these times as Arrowsmith by Sinclair Lewis was for its time.

Fuller's book is about the discovery of the Lassa virus, named because it made its first appearance in Lassa, in Nigeria, Africa. The virus virtually consumed its victims with a fever often as high as 107 degrees and so ulcerated their throats that they not only couldn't drink, they couldn't swallow.

It first appeared for scientific inspection in the veins of a white nurse in a lonely mission hospital, claimed her life, the life of another nurse and doctor and was so virulent it claimed victims among the virologists at Yale.

To expose a cut or a bruised membrane to the virus was to sign a death warrant.

What the doctors realized as soon as they spotted it was that this virus could put the whole world under sentence. For in these days of jet travel, it was perfectly possible for the virus to have felled a Hausa farmer in Lassa as well as a doctor in Stockholm, a pilot in London and world traveler in New York. And the virus wasn't even warmed up.

What saved the world was that one of the victims, a nurse, survived the disease though she was to be convalescent for almost a year. But her blood provided the antibodies for a serum. That serum saved the life of another scientist whose blood also provided serum. These two victims were, of course, subsequently immune and could work among the victims in Africa.

But what the doctors had to find was the "index" case, the victim who first contracted the disease. Find her and it was possible to find out how she contracted the disease.

The fact that Fuller could write about the disease indicated of course that the doctors were successful. It took tireless detective work and patient ingenuity before they located the index victim, a woman who had spread the disease while at the hospital for postnatal care and they found the carrier, a breed of African rat. The spore was spread in the dust with which these rats had impregnated their urine.

The virus could have taken us out like bubonic plague took out the Middle Ages but for modern technological facilities and expertise, and certainly old-fashioned courage and values. The next time the doctor doesn't make a house call, think about the doctors commuting from New Haven to the wilds of Africa armed with syringes and microscopes.

Of course John Fuller, who writes with a clean, energetic prose aids no little in the cause. He has supreme skill in making clear what I gather are rather complicated medical processes. That he understands people and dramatic structure is evident.

### HEADSTONES OVERTURNED

PARAMUS, N.J. — About 150 headstones overturned by vandals several weeks ago in the Cedar Park and adjoining Beth El cemeteries are still on the ground, according to Simon Zinn of the Bronx, N.Y.



**TO PRESENT LECTURE:** Professor Lawrence H. Fuchs of Brandeis University will present the second annual Arthur J. Levy Memorial Lecture at the Jewish Community Center on Thursday, May 2, at 8 p.m. He will speak on "Marriage and Divorce in the Jewish Family in America."

Professor Fuchs, chairman of the Department of American Studies at Brandeis, is the Meyer and W. Walter Jaffe Professor of American Civilization and Politics. A member of the Brandeis faculty since 1951, he has served as dean of faculty, chairman of the department of politics and as a faculty member of the Brandeis board of trustees. He is the author of a number of books in the field of ethnicity and religion in American life.

The lecture which is sponsored by the Jewish Family and Children's Service, is open to the public. Ralph P. Semonoff is chairman of the program.

## Yomkippurnicks Say Old Regime False

TEL AVIV — Israel's anti-Establishment forces, composed of highly diverse elements, have coalesced into a popular, grassroots front called the "Yom Kippur Movement." Leading the new alliance of protest are Capt. Motti Ashkenazy, spokesman of the common soldier; Professor Amnon Rubinstein, voice of the dissident academic and intellectual community; and Saadia Marchiana of the "Black Panthers."

The "Yomkippurnicks" are a loose coalition of religious and free thinkers, right-wingers and left-wingers, capitalists and workers, academicians and plain folk, and ranking army officers and ordinary soldiers, all finding common cause in vocal and demonstrative opposition. They are against Golda Meir, against Moshe Dayan, against the regime, against the old leadership which is utterly discredited in their eyes as consisting of false prophets.

As of now, the "Yomkippurnicks" offer no positive platform of their own, having failed to espouse any basic reforms in government. They lack a leader capable of crystallizing and articulating a set of demands that would constitute a program of action for the country. Nevertheless, the movement continues to gain strength and is reported to have made inroads even among members of the ruling Labor Party itself.

## Lebanese Leaders Consider Guerrilla Attacks Cautiously

BEIRUT, Lebanon. — The suicide attack by three Palestinian extremists on the Israeli settlement of Qiryat Shemona, in which 18 persons were killed, has plunged the Lebanese Parliament into a long debate.

Israel's threat to raze the villages of southern Lebanon, following reprisal raids on some, is taken seriously by political leaders here, but they are not willing to risk a civil war by attempting to suppress guerrilla groups.

There has been criticism of the killing of Israeli civilians by the raiders. Kemal Jumblatt, a left-wing politician known for his support of the guerrilla movement, called the attack "unrepresentative of the Palestinians."

But the major criticism in Parliament has been aimed at the failure of the Lebanese armed forces to protect the six southern villages where Israeli troops blew up 20 homes, killed two women and kidnapped 13 men.

### The Army's Role

Defense Minister Nasri Nallouf said that while he was not opposed to Palestinian guerrilla action within Israel, Lebanon should not be used to stage attacks because the small Lebanese Army "cannot defend both itself, and the commando."

Significantly, however, there has been no clamor for the Lebanese security forces to clamp down on the Palestinian guerrilla groups, for whom Lebanon is a major base.

Premier Takiyeddin Solh has supported the guerrilla version that the raiders at Qiryat Shemona were operating from within Israel, disguised as Israeli soldiers.

Whether this is true or not, the small guerrilla organization that took credit for the attack is based in Lebanon, maintains an information center there and is free to recruit and train armed personnel.

This group, known as the Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine-General Command, is led by Ahmed Jibreel, a former Syrian Army captain, born in Haifa, who believes in unlimited guerrilla violence.

In an interview with Al Hawadess, a leading weekly magazine, he claimed that his organization blew up the Israeli airliner over Switzerland in which 22 Israelis died in 1969, and assassinated Col. Yosef Alon, an Israeli military attache in Washington last July.

Captain Jibreel, a demolition expert in the Syrian Army until he turned guerrilla leader in 1969, is trying to prevent any Middle East peace settlement, according to his organization's spokesman.

### Guerrilla Groups Split

The General Command, a group of about 400, is not under the control of the Palestinian Liberation Organization, which claims to speak for the Palestinian guerrillas. Captain Jibreel opposes Yasir Arafat, the chairman of that group, and other moderates in the guerrilla movement who show a readiness to accept a peace settlement in the Middle East.

Despite these differences, the Palestine Liberation Organization and other groups applauded the attack on Qiryat Shemona, and it is considered certain in Lebanon that any move by Lebanese security forces against the Guerrilla Command would precipitate a crisis with all the guerrilla and their supporters here.

Lebanon still has bitter memories of the last showdown with the Palestinian guerrillas last May. Lebanese security forces fought a bloody but inconclusive battle with a force of several thousand heavily armed men entrenched in the five large Palestinian refugee camps in and around this capital.

When Lebanese planes began to bomb the camps, Syria intervened, sending large armed groups into Lebanon and blocking Lebanese trade. Left-wing groups and militant Moslem factions within Lebanon also took up arms alongside the Palestinian guerrillas.

With foreign trade, banking and tourism at a standstill and crops rotting, the Government negotiated a peace settlement.

# Nixon Asks For \$900 Million Aid For The Middle East

WASHINGTON, — President Nixon asked Congress to authorize a total of \$5.18-billion in foreign economic and military aid for the fiscal year beginning July 1.

Included is a request for a \$900-million package for the Middle East — \$350-million for Israel, \$250-million for Egypt, \$207.5-million for Jordan and a \$100-million contingency fund, part of which seems intended for Syria.

In a special message to Congress, Mr. Nixon said that the \$5.18-billion total that he was asking was "the minimum which the United States can prudently afford to invest if we are to maintain the present degree of international equilibrium and advance our efforts to construct a durable peace with prosperity."

### 'A Pretty Tidy Sum'

Representative George Mahen, Democrat of Texas and chairman of the House Appropriations Committee, called the requested total "a pretty tidy sum" but said he would support the program.

Senator Robert P. Griffin, Republican of Michigan, assistant minority leader, termed the package "justified and desirable."

Other Congressional leaders tended to focus their remarks on the Middle East package.

Senator Henry M. Jackson, Democrat of Washington, said he supported the idea, but wanted to have "all the details" and wanted to investigate whether any secret commitments had been made to Egypt.

The total compares with the \$4.7-billion in economic and military aid provided by Congress for the current fiscal year, which ends June 30. But \$2.2-billion of this was emergency military aid to

Israel. Congressional leaders met with Mr. Nixon this morning and were briefed on the new aid request by Secretary of State Kissinger. Gerald L. Warren, the White House spokesman, said there had been "a positive reaction." But when asked about the measure's fate in Congress, he said that the Administration was making "no predictions."

The aid package for the Middle East was described by one top State Department official as "in part, a balancing act between Israel and the Arab states." Another called attention to that part of the summary of the aid proposal that said the United States "must also be in a position to assist Arab leaders of nations who have the political courage to move away from armed confrontation and to take the first difficult steps toward negotiating a peaceful settlement with their Israeli neighbors."

In his budget presentation in February, President Nixon had spoken of a proposed aid program for the fiscal year beginning in July that would total more than \$4-billion. But since then he has added requests for \$960-million more.

### Funds for Low-Interest Aid

Of the new \$5.18-billion total, \$1.92-billion would be for military aid and \$3.6-billion for economic assistance. The economic aid figure includes a request for a contribution of \$1.5-billion to the International Development Association, and adjunct of the International Bank for Construction and Development that provides long-term, low-interest development loans to developing nations. Such a request

was rejected by the House last year. It was approved by the Senate Foreign Relations Committee.

Foreign aid bills have run into increasing difficulty in Congress in recent years and have been subjected to substantial cuts. Similar hard scrutiny is expected to be given the new request.

Speaking of the proposed aid package for the Middle East, a top State Department official said the \$250-million requested for economic support for Egypt was meant to be large enough "to convince Cairo of our good will but not so dramatically large that it would frighten Moscow."

### Aid Included to Clear Canal

Included would be \$20-million to help clear the Suez Canal, which has been blocked since the Middle East war of 1967. Other items are \$80-million to help buy U.S. farm and industrial goods and \$150-million for the reconstruction of cities along the canal.

If approved by Congress, this would be the first authorized aid to Egypt since relations were broken in 1967.

Commenting on the proposed \$100-million contingency fund and its possible use to aid Syria, one official said that if Israeli-Syrian disengagement could be achieved in the Golan Heights area, "this money could be used to resettle refugees, clear away minefields and the like."

The State Department spokesman, John King, said of the prospect of aid for Syria, "I could not exclude it." At the White House, Mr. Warren called it conceivable.

The proposed total of \$350-million for Israel would consist of credit sales and budget support.

Speaking of the \$2.2-billion provided to Israel during the current fiscal year, Mr. Warren said that President Nixon had made "an initial determination" that Israel should repay \$1.2-billion and should receive \$1-billion free.

In his aid message to Congress, President Nixon also requested \$939.5-million for reconstruction in Indochina. Of this, \$750-million would be for South Vietnam, \$110-million for Cambodia, \$55.5-million for Laos, and the balance for administrative and regional costs.

This item does not include \$1.6-billion in arms aid to South Vietnam, which is in the defense budget, or \$390-million for Cambodia and \$90-million for Laos, which are in the military part of the new aid bill.

### No Funds for North Vietnam

Mr. Warren said that there would be no economic aid to North Vietnam until Hanoi honored the Vietnam peace agreement of 1973. During those negotiations, Washington pledged aid to Hanoi, subsequently asked Congress for such aid, but Congress rejected this request.

India was not mentioned in the President's message, but Mr. Warren said that the Administration wanted to resume economic aid to India. American aid to India stopped after the 1971 Indian-Pakistani war. Consultations are in progress.

While Mr. Nixon requested a total of \$3.26-billion in economic aid for the next fiscal year, \$1.43-billion of this has already been authorized, since Congress authorizes economic assistance two years at a time.

### NAMED TO HELP

WASHINGTON — Perry Shertz of Wilkes-Barre, Pa., who saw his community reduced to rubble by Hurricane Agnes, has been named by B'nai B'rith to head the organization's disaster relief committee that spring out of the 1972 storm's devastation.

# Terrorists Incidents Plague Jerusalem And Middle East

TEL AVIV — A hand grenade exploded in a group of Arabs on a street corner in a suburb of Tel Aviv, injuring 12 Arabs and one Jew.

The grenade was thrown at 6:30 A.M. at a traffic island used as a labor market for workers from Israeli-occupied Jordan. The Arabs had been waiting for buses that pick up workers each morning, mainly for construction jobs.

A police source said that it was not clear whether the explosion was part of an Arab guerrilla campaign to deter Arabs from working for the Israelis or whether it was by Jews seeking revenge for the slaying of 18 Israelis in Qiryat Shemona, a town near the Lebanese border.

A police announcement said that the grenade was of the type used by the Israeli armed forces.

### 160 Are Detained

Scores of Arabs who scattered after the explosion were chased and caught by Israelis, who turned them over to the police. The police held 160 people but released some of them after their identities were checked.

In Jerusalem a plot to explode a booby-trapped taxi cab in a busy business street was discovered in time and foiled.

According to the police, guerrillas strangled an Israeli taxi driver, placed his body in the trunk of his cab and strapped it to a time bomb of about 18 ounces of explosives, a tank of cooking gas and a can of gasoline. They parked the car in Ben Yehuda Street.

The cab was spotted by the drivers' wife, who had gone looking for him. The police towed the cab away, and experts dismantled the bomb.

### Reinforcements Move In

The police moved reinforcements into Jerusalem, deploying them mainly between the Arab and Jewish sectors.

A newspaper report said that the police dissuaded Israeli taxi drivers from going into the Arab sector to avenge the killing.

The authorities have reinstated security precautions that were used after the 1967 war but were later relaxed. They include identity checks and searches at roadblocks and public buildings. School administrations have been

asked to organize parents and teachers to guard school buildings.

The Minister of Police, Shlomo Hillel, said that he was confident that the police with the cooperation of the public would apprehend those responsible for the latest attack. He said that he was concerned, however, about the effect of the situation on relations between Jews and minority communities in Israel.

### Warnings at U.N.

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y. — As the Security Council's discussions of recent Middle East bloodshed went into their fourth day without adoption of a resolution, delegates from several countries warned today that rising tensions could hamstring peace efforts in the area, and Austria's representative urged the Council to affirm Lebanon's territorial integrity and decry "violence in any form."

The Council reconvened this afternoon after a day and a half of private consultations about what action to take. It convened at Lebanon's request after Israeli raids against six Lebanese villages last week. The raids were reprisals for the killing of 18 persons in the Israeli border village of Qiryat Shemona by Arab guerrillas, who Israel said had come from Lebanon.

Peru's deputy representative, Ricardo Walter Stubbs, said that the Israeli attack was "futile and inexplicable" and hampered efforts for a peaceful settlement in the Middle East.

Israel's chief delegate, Yosef Tekoah, denounced "Arab terrorist organizations" and asked the Council: "Is it a secret that their headquarters are in Beirut — a secret that their agents travel freely from Beirut into all parts of the world?"

Much of the debate was a restatement of established positions over old grievances. Iraq's delegate, Tabib el-Shibib, recalled the demolition of Jerusalem's King David Hotel by Zionists before Israel's creation.

# Israel Dependent States Editor

NEW YORK — Commentary magazine's editor Norman Podhoretz, addressing a recent conference of shlichim and diplomats at the Israeli Consulate here, asserted that the Yom Kippur War and its aftermath have demonstrated that Israel is not an independent state, capable of managing its own fate and destiny.

"Israel," said Podhoretz, "is dependent on the favor of the United States and of American Jewry. The State of Israel," he continued, "is really nothing more than just another Jewish community in crisis needing our

help." Commenting on Israel's foreign policy, Podhoretz asked what can we do here when we do not know what Israel wants. There is no clearly defined Israeli policy, Podhoretz contended. "Can we be expected to exert pressure on Washington against returning the Golan Heights to Syria, when we are unsure about Israel's own intentions?" the author queried.

On the subject of mass aliyah Podhoretz maintained that it could only result from a strong wave of anti-Semitism or some other catastrophe. Under conditions of normalcy, said the editor, there will be no large-scale movement of American Jews to Israel.

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**Policy Paper Claims**

# US, USSR Should Not Intrude In Geneva Talk On Mid-East

BOSTON — United States policy in the Middle East is based on an illusory detente with the Soviet Union, an important policy evaluation committee of Boston's Jewish community has charged.

The group charged that U.S. political investment in detente requires a quick resolution of the Arab-Israeli conflict to avoid further Soviet-American confrontation. "All other policy considerations, including the matter of Israel's security and the pursuit of a true and lasting peace in the Middle East, have been devalued to protect the investment in detente," the policy paper

claims.

Openly critical of Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger's diplomatic moves, the policy paper accused Kissinger of making an understanding with President Sadat of Egypt to secure an Israeli withdrawal from occupied territory without direct substantive negotiations between the belligerents, without true peace or recognition by the Arab states of Israel's sovereign rights.

"Dr. Kissinger's diplomacy, combined with the effectiveness of the oil weapon and the Arabs' own temporary and limited success during the war, far from reconciling the Arabs to Israel's existence, has strengthened their belief in Israel's ultimate destruction..." the policy paper contended.

"The Secretary of State's diplomatic style is one of ambiguities, secret understandings and closed summits — capable in his hands of achieving some spectacular short-term results. But it is not a diplomacy which builds genuine public understanding of the issues — without which a democracy like America cannot exercise the power at its

command, nor conduct an effective long-term foreign policy," the paper declared.

The paper presented a grim outlook for the Geneva negotiations, claiming, "The present outlook allows little optimism for the Geneva negotiations, if they do in fact take place. While Israel wants a secure and permanent settlement with her neighbors, the Arab states regard the Geneva proceedings primarily as the political continuation of the October War. Russia is completely committed to backing all Arab demands."

The policy paper noted that for the Geneva talks to serve the cause of peace the USSR "must abandon (its) deliberate policy of maintaining and promoting Mideast tensions; neither the U.S. nor the Soviet Union should intrude, either as advocates or adversaries into the peacemaking process; the U.S. and the Soviet Union should jointly reaffirm, in an open, public declaration, their agreement that neither will commit any combat forces or nuclear weapons into the Middle East."

# Pope Paul Changes View On Internationalization

ROME — Pope Paul VI has dropped demands for internationalization of Jerusalem and believes that the United Nations should work out a new formula for the status of the city, according to a leading Catholic churchman in the Middle East.

The churchman is the Most Rev. Maximos V. Hakim, Greek-Melchite Patriarch of Antioch, who resides in Beirut, Lebanon. The Patriarch, whose Greek-Catholic community recognizes the papacy, discussed Jerusalem and the Holy Land with Pope Paul at the Vatican on March 21.

In an article for *Avvenire* of Milan, a church newspaper, and *Le Figaro* of Paris, Patriarch Maximos summed up the Pope's views on the issues he had discussed with him.

"The Holy Father no longer speaks of the internationalization of Jerusalem," the Patriarch wrote, adding that internationalization was "decided upon by the United Nations in November, 1947, together with the creation of two states — an Arab one and a Jewish one — in Palestine."

"It is up to the United Nations, Paul VI thinks, to find another solution replacing the 1947 plan, which remains legally valid because it has never been revoked," he said.

**Expects To Be Consulted**

"The thinking of the Vatican, in this respect, is in accordance with the Arab thesis and the Israeli thesis. The two parties to the dispute both reject internationalization."

The Patriarch recalled Pope Paul's recent statement that the Vatican expects to be consulted when the problems of Jerusalem and the holy places are discussed at the Geneva peace conference between Israel and the Arab countries. The Patriarch added that the Vatican appeared to have won international acceptance for

its right to be consulted.

The Patriarch continued: "The Holy Father recalled together with us, in moving terms, the plight of the inhabitants of Jerusalem, Christians and Moslems, who must be able to remain there in freedom and dignity, or to return to their land if they have been driven out."

"We have heard that Paul VI would prefer to leave it to the interested parties to decide on how they are to be represented; between King Hussein of Jordan and the Arab Palestinians, the Vatican prefers to remain neutral," he said.

The Patriarch's article was the most authoritative clarification of Vatican policy on Jerusalem to appear recently.

During the last few months, Pope Paul has made several statements on the issue, but they were variously interpreted. His latest statement on the subject, on April 10, in an amended version issued by the Vatican, called for "an appropriate statute with international guarantees for the holy city of Jerusalem and a convenient judicial guardianship for the holy places."

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JERUSALEM — Three young adults and one minor were convicted of arson after confessing in a Jerusalem district court that they had set fire to two Christian religious institutions here on the night of February 11. Two other persons, one of them aged 42, are awaiting trial in connection with suspected arson at another Christian institution the same night. According to the confessions, the two women set fire to the Baptist Center in downtown Jerusalem while the two men and a third person not yet indicted put torch to the Swedish Theological Institution. The defendants claimed that the institutions were centers for missionary activities.

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