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ISRAEL CABINET REVIEWS ITS FOREIGN POLICY; BRIEFS AMBASSADORS

JERUSALEM, Oct. 22. (JTA) -- The Israel Cabinet met last night with the Israel Ambassadors to Washington, London, Paris and Moscow participating in a full dress review of Israel's foreign policy.

The ambassadors reported on the political climate in the capitals to which they are assigned, and answered specific questions from the ministers on how different governments had reacted to specific developments in relation to Israel. Premier David Ben-Gurion and Foreign Minister Golda Meir briefed the envoys on government policy.

It was learned here today that the Government of Israel has strengthened its permanent delegation at the United Nations by adding to the group a top expert on the armistice agreements with Egypt, Syria, Jordan and Lebanon. The expert, who will advise Abba Eban, Israel's chief delegate, is Arie Elan, for the last three and a half years assistant to the director of the armistice affairs department of the Israel Foreign Ministry.

Meanwhile, the Ministerial Economic Committee decided last night to undertake a survey of the technical and economic problems involved in the construction of a deepwater port in the southern part of Israel. The committee also considered the feasibility of producing salt at Eilat.

Israel "Will Hit Back" if Attacked by Infiltrators, Gen. Dori Says

LONDON, Oct. 22. (JTA) -- If infiltrators attack Israel again "we will hit back," Gen. Yaacov Dori, first Chief of Staff of Israel's Army and its commander during the War of Liberation, declared here today. Gen. Dori, who is now president of the Israel Institute of Technology at Haifa, is currently in Britain to raise 200,000 pounds for a program of graduate education at the Technion of nuclear scientists.

Gen. Dori told a press conference that he was speaking strictly as a private person. The danger of war, he continued, is a permanent concern to the Israelis. Israel is a victim of guerrilla warfare, he stressed.

People outside the country could speak lightly of "border incidents," Gen. Dori noted, but for the Israelis it was a matter of nightly terror by organized and systematically dispatched gangs. Nobody could expect Israel to live under such continual moral and physical strain, he said, and the so called reprisal actions were the only methods of self-defense open to Israel.

This was the only method open to Israel short of peace, he said. He added that it was his belief that the United Nations, supported by the great powers, could bring peace to the area.

Turning to Israel's power needs, he said that the energy which atomic fuel could give Israel was extremely important because Israel's natural resources were limited. He estimated that within ten years Israel would be using power derived from atomic sources.

U.S. ZIONIST LEADER MEETS WITH STATE DEPT. ON ISRAEL'S SECURITY

WASHINGTON, Oct. 22. (JTA) -- Rabbi Philip S. Bernstein, chairman of the American Zionist Committee for Public Affairs, conferred today with William Rountree, Assistant Secretary of State for Near Eastern Affairs, on Israel's security problems. Rabbi Bernstein asked anew for U.S. arms for Israel.

The Zionist leader, it was learned, also inquired into the progress of Israel's request for a \$75,000,000 loan for irrigation purposes.

ISRAEL PARLIAMENT SENDS GOODWILL DELEGATION TO YUGOSLAVIA

TEL AVIV, Oct. 22. (JTA) -- Three members of a good will delegation of Israel's Parliament left today for Yugoslavia. The delegation, which had been invited by the Yugoslav Parliament, includes Minister of Labor Mordecai Namir, Mapai leader Herzl Berger, and General Zionist leader Zalman Suzayev.

HAMMARSKJOLD RECOMMENDS DIRECT U.N. TALKS IN ARAB-ISRAEL DISPUTE

UNITED NATIONS, N. Y., Oct. 22. (JTA) - The United Nations should continue the type of "direct diplomatic approach" to the governments embroiled in the Israel-Arab conflicts, Secretary General Dag Hammarskjold advised the General Assembly today.

Mr. Hammarskjold made his statement as part of his introduction to his annual report to the General Assembly for the year ending June 15, 1956. The report itself was issued several weeks ago, but the introduction which contains overall comments by the Secretary General came out today.

"We should, I believe," declared the Secretary General, "seek a development which would give greater emphasis to the United Nations as an instrument for negotiation of settlements, as distinct from the mere debate of issues. The Charter does not envisage settlements imposed by force. But the obligations of states to settle their disputes by peaceful methods does not mean that principles of justice and international law may be disregarded."

Coming to the Palestine question directly, Mr. Hammarskjold observed that that problem has a position more independent of the general development--but it is not unrelated in certain of its aspects. "Reminding the General Assembly that he had already reported to the Security Council on his mission to the Middle East last Spring, the Secretary General expressed the belief that the mandate given him by the Council 'has improved the chances of developing a policy helpful to the governments and peoples working for peace in the area,' by adding to its public debate of the issues involved a direct diplomatic approach to the governments in the region."

Thus Mr. Hammarskjold was seen here as implying that he feels himself bound to continue his "good offices" as instructed by a Council resolution adopted after his so called "peace mission" last June. Usually the introduction to the Secretary General's annual report to the Assembly includes a sizable chapter devoted to the Middle East. This time there is only one paragraph in the report dealing directly with the Israel-Arab conflict.

In a section dealing with human rights Mr. Hammarskjold took note of the recent adoption by the United Nations of a supplementary convention dealing with the abolition of slavery and referred also to the importance of various studies being carried on by the Subcommission on Protection of Minorities and Against Discrimination.

ISRAEL TO HAVE ATOMIC REACTOR FOR RESEARCH PURPOSES BY 1958

UNITED NATIONS, N. Y., Oct. 22. (JTA) - Israel will have an atomic reactor for research purposes by 1958, it was learned today from Dr. Israel Pelach, an electronic physicist who is conducting studies on behalf of Israel's atomic energy program at the Brookhaven National Laboratory. The laboratory is a giant establishment working on the peaceful uses of atomic energy built by the United States Government in nearby Long Island.

Dr. Pelach discussed Israel's atomic researches at Brookhaven when the laboratory was visited by 100 scientists from various countries attending the conference here drawing up plans for the new International Atomic Energy Agency. In the group was a well known Israeli chemist on the faculty of the Israel Institute of Technology at Haifa, Dr. Ephraim Lahav, who is the new Israel Embassy scientific counsellor. Another Israeli scientist at Brookhaven is Dr. Israel Dostrovsky, known for his work in heavy water and heavy oxygen.

ISRAEL CONTRIBUTED \$337,000 TO U.N. CHILDREN'S FUND ACTIVITIES

UNITED NATIONS, N. Y., Oct. 22. (JTA) -- Israel has contributed \$337,000 in "matching funds" for activities carried on its country by the United Nations Children's Fund, against a total of \$99,000 expended for welfare purposes by UNICEF.

This was reported here today by Mrs. Zena Harman, who arrived here from Israel to attend the annual meeting of the UNICEF executive board. Mrs. Harman is chairman of UNICEF's program committee, which draws up the plans for the organization's work around the world. She made her announcement about UNICEF's work in Israel in the course of an interview for the Israel radio by Saul Carson, JTA correspondent at the UN.

FRANCE IS SOLIDLY ALIGNED WITH ISRAEL, EX-GOVERNOR OF ALGERIA SAYS

PARIS, Oct. 22. (JTA) -- Calling for the development of a more active Middle East policy, Maurice Naevelen, former Governor General of Algeria, declared here today that France is solidly aligned with Israel. Noting the existence of what he termed cracks in the Arab front, the former French official asserted that exploitation of these differences could form the basis for a new French policy.

Meanwhile, it was made known that the Zionist Federation of France will sponsor a meeting here tomorrow night on "Israel, France and the Suez Conflict." Featured speakers at the meeting will include Diomedes Catroux, a former Cabinet minister; Edward Dupreux, a deputy and president of the parliamentary group "France-Israel"; Pierre Dreyfus-Schmidt, a deputy; Leo Hamon, MRP Senator; Jacques Piette, a deputy and secretary of "France-Israel"; and Jacques Soustelle, now a deputy and formerly Governor General of Algeria.

MOSCOW RADIO BROADCASTS ANTI-ISRAEL PROPAGANDA TO ARAB LANDS

LONDON, Oct. 22, (JTA) -- Radio Moscow today continued to broadcast anti-Israel propaganda into the Arab countries. Alleging that the Western "imperialists" have instigated Israel's retaliatory raids against Jordan, the radio said:

"It is obvious to everyone that... behind Israel stand the Western quarters which provide the extreme elements in Israel with dollars and arms and encourage them to undertake various acts of provocation against the peace-loving Arab people."

REFORM JEWS ASK RUSSIA TO ABOLISH ANTI-SEMITISM; SEEK U.S. INTERVENTION

NEW YORK, Oct. 22, (JTA) -- The Union of American Hebrew Congregations, at its four-day meeting here, today adopted a resolution asking the Soviet Union to correct "the cruel mistreatment of its Jewish citizens, including the cultural and religious genocide to which the Jewish group in the Soviet Union has been subjected" by matching with deeds its intensive and obvious bid to world public opinion through their repudiation of Stalin and rehabilitation of some of Stalin's victims.

The resolution asked the State Department to intensify its efforts "to persuade the Soviet Union to abolish the anti-Semitism which made Stalin's regime abhorrent, to extend genuine religious liberty to all its citizens, to withdraw the onerous restrictions which now doom Jewish religious and communal life, and to alter its policies and permit the free right of every citizen to leave his country if he so chooses." It demanded concrete deeds as evidence that the Soviet Union is genuinely moving in the direction of greater freedom and democracy.

In another resolution the UAHG called upon the State Department to end once and for all the diminution and denial of the rights of every American citizen in so many parts of the Arab world; to condemn the recent suggestion that even so would be a Pharaoh as Nasser is the champion of the victims of colonialism. It also called on the State Department to score the stubborn and hypocritical refusal to sell arms to Israel while allowing others to bear this burden.

CANADIAN JEWRY LAUDED BY PREMIER; ADDRESSES CANADIAN JEWISH CONGRESS

MONTREAL, Oct. 22, (JTA) -- Canada's experience with its Jewish citizens has given the government confidence in the Jewish people as a whole, Canadian Prime Minister Louis St. Laurent said here, addressing the 11th national convention of the Canadian Jewish Congress. He lauded Canadian Jewry for its vigilance which he called a major stimulation to Canadian democracy and for its contributions to the social morality of the nation.

Mr. St. Laurent told the meeting that he had received a communication from Israel Premier David Ben Gurion renewing assurances that the jet planes sold by Canada to Israel would be used only for defensive purposes. He lauded Mr. Ben Gurion's statement that Israel was fully prepared to negotiate with the Arab states for a peace settlement.

The Prime Minister recalled Canadian assistance to the establishment of the State of Israel and to its further development and said that the aid had been given "gladly."

Samuel Bronfman, re-elected president of the CJC for the 20th year, held out the example of Canadian Jewry to other communities, including those of the United States. The Canadian community, he said, was united and effective. "We have no anti-Zionist, non-Zionist or Zionist. All are united in the interests of our people in Canada, in Israel and throughout the world," Mr. Bronfman said.

The reason for this unity and effectiveness, the CJC president said, was that "we have never taken a vote or adopted a majority decision over the minority. We always found a way to unanimity on every issue."

Dr. Nahum Goldmann, president of the Jewish Agency, told the Congress at its closing dinner last night that Israel's security was still uncertain. The Jews of the West, he stressed, have to work for Israel's secure future and for the "survival of Jews in the community of Eastern Europe."

Dr. Goldmann attributed the Middle Eastern crisis to the fact that the West had placed the Middle East's problems "in the refrigerator" pending the solution of problems in other troubled areas. He said he did not expect war between Arabs and Israel, and on this he gave credit to nations -- including Canada, which recently announced that permission had been granted for the shipment of twenty-four Sabre jet planes -- that had assisted Israel with arms.

The convention heard a report that 60 percent of the Jewish children of Montreal receive a Jewish education, most of them in all-day schools. A report by the CJC public relations committee criticized Premier Maurice Duplessis of Quebec Province and his Union Nationale party for using in the election campaign a publication of Adrien Arcand, notorious anti-Semite.

U.S. ZIONISTS HONOR LATE JUSTICE BRANDEIS AT CENTENNIAL DINNER

NEW YORK, Oct. 22. (JTA) -- Dr. Emanuel Neumann, recently elected president of the Zionist Organization of America, called tonight for the Presidential candidates to give the American people a clear statement of policy on the Middle East and "unambiguous indications of how they propose to cope with the dangers that may soon be on us" in that region. Dr. Neumann was addressing 1,000 Zionist leaders and key workers in the metropolitan area attending a Brandeis centennial dinner of the ZOA and its metropolitan regions.

Taking note of the current Soviet-Polish crisis, Dr. Neumann warned that there are "disturbing indications that the Jews may become the scapegoats of the internecine Communist struggle." He noted that Soviet Communist leader Nikita Khrushchey was reported to have called Wladislaw Gomulko, newly elevated Polish Communist chief, "an agent of American imperialism and Zionism." At the same time, Dr. Neumann said, it is reported that some Poles in Mr. Gomulka's camp have demanded the elimination of "superfluous Jews from management and the professions."

Benjamin Cohen, former United States representative to the United Nations and a close associate of the late Justice Louis D. Brandeis, paid tribute to the Supreme Court Justice as a "great thinker, a moral force, an exponent of the best principles of American life and of the finest traditions of the people who gave the world the Bible." Mr. Cohen declared that if Justice Brandeis were alive today he would be "irked by the failure of world statesmanship to restore peace in the Middle East."

Other speakers at the dinner were Mayor Robert F. Wagner, Attorney General Jacob K. Javits, opposing candidates for the United States Senate, and Boris Margolin, Hebraist and veteran Zionist. Dr. Neumann announced that \$150,000 raised at the dinner would go to the American Zionist Fund for the maintenance of ZOA House in Tel Aviv and Kfar Silver, both ZOA projects in Israel.

COMBINED CAMPAIGN FOR REFORM JUDAISM SETS \$2,548,000 GOAL

NEW YORK, Oct. 22. (JTA) -- A resolution calling upon Reform Jewish congregations in the United States to give priority in fund-raising to the 1956-57 Combined Campaign for American Reform Judaism "to enable the national institutions of American Reform Judaism to cope with the growing needs stemming from the mass return to religion," was unanimously voted tonight by more than 300 Reform leaders attending a National Leadership Mobilization Dinner at the Hotel Plaza.

The resolution urged Reform congregations to "raise substantially the levels of congregational assessments and individual giving to the Combined Campaign to assure attainment of the minimum of \$2,548,000" needed to resolve the acute shortage of rabbis and religious school personnel and to help new suburban communities establish new congregations.

The Combined Campaign for American Reform Judaism is the national fund-raising arm of the Union of American Hebrew Congregations, parent body of the 536 Reform congregations, and the Hebrew Union College-Jewish Institute of Religion, the oldest and largest Jewish theological college in the United States. A. B. Polinsky, of Duluth, Minn., general chairman of the Combined Campaign, announced that \$400,000 had been raised at the dinner to inaugurate the campaign.

MIZRACHI WOMEN ADOPT \$1,100,000 BUDGET FOR PROJECTS IN ISRAEL

ATLANTIC CITY, Oct. 22. (JTA) -- The 31st annual convention of the Mizrahi Women's Organization of America adopted today a budget of \$1,100,000 for its social service and vocational education projects in Israel. The convention also voted to explore the possibilities of extending vocational training facilities to Beersheba.

Principal speakers at the session today were Dr. Joseph Schwartz, executive head of the Israel Bond Organization, and Moshe Kol, member of the Jewish Agency executive. Both spoke of Israel's need for bolstering its economy and its social welfare structure. Arthur C. Liveran, member of the Israel delegation to the United Nations, spoke to the meeting on Israel's security problems. Mrs. Ebin, president of the Mizrahi Women, outlined a program of political action which included "unremitting pressure for the right of free emigration to Israel" of Jews from the USSR and other Communist states.

DOLINS NAMED DIRECTOR OF U.S. COMMITTEE FOR BAR-ILAN UNIVERSITY

NEW YORK, Oct. 22. (JTA) -- The appointment of Robert Dolins as executive director of the American Committee for Bar-Ilan University in Israel was announced today by Dean Samuel L. Sar, chairman of the Board of Trustees of the university. Mr. Dolins will direct all fund-raising efforts in the United States for the capital development and maintenance budgets of the American-sponsored and American-patterned university. Mr. Dolins was formerly executive director of American Relief for Korea and national director of the Joint Distribution Committee's Supplies for Overseas Survivor's Collection.