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## ESHKOL WANTS AMERICAN-SOVIET LIMITATION OF FLOW OF ARMS TO MIDDLE EAST

CHICAGO, June 10. (JTA) -- Prime Minister Levi Eshkol today told a Chicago press conference that Israel hopes the United States can reach an agreement with the Soviet Union to limit the flow of conventional arms into the Near East so that the funds can be used for peaceful development.

In speaking of the Egyptian threat to Israel, and Israel's deterrent capacity, Eshkol said the U.S. Government was not too eager to help Israel acquire ground-to-ground missiles. But he expressed general confidence in deepening American friendship.

He expressed hope that West Germany will adopt an effective law to remove German rocket scientists from Egypt and that implementation will be efficient. He said a law had been proposed but that its implementation would have to be observed. On another subject, the Premier expressed hope the new Premier of India would normalize relations between India and Israel.

The Prime Minister indicated there were signs that President Nasser of Egypt had become more aggressive toward Israel since the visit by Soviet Premier Khrushchev to Egypt. He said that "whether it is the influence of Premier Khrushchev you can never tell, but, of course, if Khrushchev promised to open his arsenal in the service of Egypt, this may influence them."

The Premier stressed that President Nasser "is always the first to introduce more sophisticated weapons." He said this "demands from us to be on guard." He enumerated late model Soviet equipment acquired by Egypt.

In response to questions on nuclear developments in Israel, he said that Israel hoped to use nuclear power for such peaceful uses as industry, agriculture and science, including medicine. He said "we hope to become a big medical center because we believe that peace will come." He said it might take five or ten years but that this was the philosophy of his Government."

### Honored by Chicago Mayor; Awarded Degree by Roosevelt University

Prime Minister Eshkol reached the climax of his American tour today by being made an honorary citizen of Chicago. He was also awarded an honorary degree by Roosevelt University, and otherwise received a rousing reception from Jewish and non-Jewish elements in Chicago.

Mayor Richard J. Daley of Chicago awarded a Medallion of honorary citizenship to the Premier at a session of the Chicago City Council, honoring him. The Mayor was joined by a number of aldermen and other civic leaders in remarks of tribute to Israel. Crowds outside the City Hall sang Hebrew songs and offered a rousing ovation.

At a luncheon tendered in honor of the Prime Minister by Jewish community organizations, Mr. Eshkol lauded Israel's ties with Chicago. He was introduced by Col. Jacob Arvey, civic leader, and Philip M. Klutznick, former Ambassador to the United Nations. The Premier praised the pro-Israel roles of both Col. Arvey and Mr. Klutznick and also lauded Chicago Jewry in general.

Roosevelt University conferred the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws on the Prime Minister in recognition of his achievements. Addressing the university audience, the Prime Minister called for an era of international peaceful development, emphasizing the need to avert war and to exploit scientific and economic opportunities involving a massive educational program and the constructive use of knowledge and capital.

The Prime Minister met with representatives of Jewish community organizations at the Palmer House where a luncheon was given in his honor. He said he was impressed by the dynamism and pioneering spirit of Chicago and of the vigor of Chicago Jewry.

He met informally at the Drake Hotel with former West German Defense Minister Franz Josef Strauss when the latter paid a courtesy call on the Prime Minister.

## ISRAEL PARLIAMENT VOTES TO LIMIT TERM OF PRESIDENT TO TEN YEARS

JERUSALEM, June 10. (JTA) -- Israel's Parliament voted today to limit Presidents to two successive five-year terms. Previously there had been no limitations and the late Izhak Ben-Zvi had been elected to three terms. The only party voting in opposition was the Mapai.

#### WEST BERLIN PROSECUTOR TO SEEK INFORMATION ON NAZIS IN EAST BERLIN

WEST BERLIN, June 10. (JTA) -- Hans Guenther, Chief Public Prosecutor of West Berlin, said today that he was sending two members of his staff to East Berlin for information to aid in a forthcoming major trial of members of the SS Chief Security Office of the Nazi period.

He said his representatives also would discuss the results of interrogations in East Germany which could be helpful in the trial. He added that all investigations for the trial would be done by Berlin court authorities. Other Nazi crimes will continue to be investigated by the special office in Ludwigsburg.

All of the suspects will have to be committed for trial by May 8, 1965, under the West German statutes of limitations, he noted. The prosecutor, who took office early in 1961, began his investigation into the activities of the Gestapo about 18 months ago. The principal charge in the trial will be the deportations of German Jews, he said. The number of personnel in the Gestapo headquarters was 7,000, plus 75,000 in branches throughout Hitler's Reich, he said, adding that the exact number of prospective defendants in the forthcoming trial was not yet known.

#### EX-NAZI TELLS HOW HE GUARDED GOLD AND JEWELS TAKEN FROM JEWS

FRANKFURT, June 10. (JTA) -- A former SS captain testified yesterday in the war crimes trial of two former aides of Adolf Eichmann in Hungary that he had been assigned to guard a fortune in gold and jewels taken from Hungarian Jews by the Nazis.

The witness, Karl Grabau, also said he did not know of the mass extermination program in which some 430,000 Hungarian Jews were murdered. He testified at the trial of former SS Officers Herman Krumei and Otto Hunsche. They are charged with having exacted huge amounts of ransom from Jews hoping to escape deportation to the Auschwitz death camp. They also are charged with mass deportations of the doomed Jews.

The witness, who is now an accountant in Hamburg, who had been a member of the SS supply staff in occupied Budapest, said he thought that the gold and jewels were "paid" in connection with "the emigration" of Hungarian Jews.

#### JEWISH LEADERS BACK PENSION FOR NAZI WHO SOUGHT TO SAVE JEWS

DUSSELDORF, June 10. (JTA) -- A campaign for a pension for the widow and three children of Kurt Gerstein, who joined the Nazi party to fight it from within, was pushed here today by Rolf Hochhut, author of "The Deputy," aided by clergymen, Jewish leaders and groups of Nazi victims.

Gerstein, who was a Nazi party member until 1936 and an active anti-Nazi thereafter, died in 1945 in a Paris prison under unknown circumstances. He had a major role in informing the world of Nazi atrocities against Jews in Auschwitz and other Nazi death camps in occupied Poland. He conveyed the information to Baron Von Otter of the Swedish Embassy in Berlin.

Gerstein is one of the principal characters in the Hochhut play in which he is recorded as trying to inform the Papal Nuncio in Berlin about the Auschwitz horrors but denied an audience because he was in uniform. Mrs. Gerstein's petition for a pension was rejected several years ago.

#### NEW YORK JEWISH STUDENTS HOLD HUNGER DEMONSTRATION NEAR SOVIET MISSION

NEW YORK, June 10. (JTA) -- The second day of a hunger fast by New York City college students took place today near the Soviet Mission here as a protest against Soviet anti-Semitism. Three students fasted at the site yesterday and were replaced by three other students today. The "relay" fast protest will continue for three days more.

Meanwhile, it was reported from Moscow that the Soviet Union's KGB, the Soviet Security branch, had ousted the three-man governing body of Moscow's Central Synagogue, naming as replacements three men listed only as Fishlovich, Michalovich and Olitsky. The KGB's functions include counter-espionage, spy recruiting and functions like those of the FBI in the United States.

It was also reported that a Moscow court rejected the appeal of Arkady Grinberg, 67, for commutation of a death sentence imposed last March on charges of being mastermind of a 21-member fraud ring.

#### IMPOSITION OF CAPITAL GAINS TAX IN ISRAEL LEAVES NO EFFECT

JERUSALEM, June 10. (JTA) -- The imposition of Israel's first capital gains tax on securities profits had no marked effect on the stock market here today.

Some selling pressures caused dips in the prices of investment and real estate stocks but most financial and industrial stocks remained unchanged and a few increased slightly in price. The tax, imposed yesterday, requires payment of a 20 per cent levy on profits in sales of stocks within one year of purchase.

## BRITISH CATHOLICS RETURN TO THE COUNCIL OF CHRISTIANS AND JEWS

LONDON, June 10. (JTA) -- British Catholics are returning to the Council of Christians and Jews after a ten-year absence, Dr. John Heenan, Archbishop of Westminster and Roman Catholic Primate of England, announced last night.

Speaking at the annual dinner of the "Bridge," an organization concerned with social service and youth guidance which operates in Britain and Israel, the Archbishop told the large and representative gathering of Jewish and non-Jewish leaders, that he had sent a letter to the Council stating: "If invited, I would join the Council as one of the joint president." The Vatican has been informed about this letter, he said.

"This is an occasion when I would like to echo the recent statement of his Holiness, the Pope, to a delegation of the American Jewish Committee," the Archbishop continued. He then quoted Pope Paul's statement to the delegation that "no civilized nation can any longer tolerate discrimination against a religious community or a racial group." The Archbishop also quoted the Pope as saying to the delegation "we feel very close to you." He said "I echo this wholeheartedly and joyfully."

He told the dinner audience that he also would sponsor a "bridge" scholarship for a British youth to visit Israel. He said his only condition would be that it was given to a Jewish boy or girl.

## SYNAGOGUE COUNCIL LAUDS U.S. CHURCHES FOR CONDEMNING ANTI-SEMITISM

NEW YORK, June 10; (JTA) -- The Synagogue Council of America lauded tonight the resolution adopted last week of the National Council of Churches, representing 40,000,000 American Protestants, which condemned anti-Semitism, and hailed "the climate of understanding and goodwill" between Jews and Protestants manifested in the resolution.

The stand was taken in one of a series of resolutions approved at the 38th annual meeting of the SCA, the coordinating agency of Conservative, Orthodox and Reform rabbinical and congregational organizations. Rabbi Uri Miller of Baltimore, was re-elected president.

In another resolution the SCA praised the efforts of the American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals "for helping to bring about a solution to the problem of preparing and hoisting animals for ritual slaughter." The resolution called the work of the ASPCA in developing "without royalty or profit to itself" devices to eliminate shackling and hoisting "an unprecedented contribution."

Another resolution described the Lord's Prayer as "a uniquely Christian prayer" and warned Jews against reciting it. The resolution said that "requiring students in public schools to recite this prayer is an infringement on freedom of religion and conscience." In a related resolution, the organization urged the defeat of the amendment offered by Rep. Frank Becker, New York Republican, to permit prayers and other religious observances in the public schools. Amendment of the Constitution for that purpose, the resolution asserted, "would open the way to religious tension, a misuse of public institutions and irreverence."

### Renews Appeal to World on Soviet Restrictions for Jews

The SCA renewed its "appeal to the conscience of mankind to help eliminate the religious, cultural and spiritual restrictions which Soviet Jewry now faces." The resolution pledged that "our concern for our brothers in the Soviet Union will not diminish and our desire to build spiritual bridges with our co-religionists in Russia will remain paramount on our agenda."

In another resolution, the SCA noted that some of its constituents had "expressed concern regarding policies of many community centers and Y's affiliated with the National Jewish Welfare Board" which "indicated at times a lack of regard for the sensitivities of Jewish religious communities in the United States." The resolution asked establishment of "an advisory agency to the Jewish Center Division" of the JWB on matters "affecting religion in Synagogue-Center relationships."

The SCA also criticized the practice of some national Jewish communal agencies "which arrange unfitting business and communal meetings as well as luncheons and dinners on Friday evening and on the Sabbath day." It called "inappropriate" the practice of calling such meetings "Oneg Shabat" when "used as a cover" for what "is in effect a business meeting."

## CATHOLIC COLLEGE TO NAME \$700,000 BUILDING FOR JEWISH BENEFACTOR

CLEVELAND, June 10. (JTA) -- Officials of the Ursuline College for Women, a Catholic institution, have announced that the \$700,000 science building on the new campus of the college will be named for a Jewish benefactor of the Ursuline Nuns and the college.

The benefactor was Nathan L. Dauby, former president and chairman of the May Company, who died last May at the age of 90. The Rev. Mother Marie, president of the college, said that the science hall was named for the late Jewish businessman because his "faith and hope and love gave us a new horizon for the future."

## FIELD MARSHALL MONTGOMERY ENDORSES BRITISH-ISRAELI EXCHANGE PROGRAM

LONDON, June 10. (JTA) -- A total of 100 young scholars are now studying each year on an exchange basis in Britain and Israel through scholarships provided by the "Bridge" organization, the annual dinner of the social service and youth guidance agency was told last night.

The figures were given by Col. Henriques, president of the organization, to a large and representative dinner audience of Jewish and non-Jewish leaders. Col. Henriques, a frequent visitor to Israel, added that those going from Britain to Israel on "Bridge" scholarships would find that "there is complete equality of people in Israel" a fundamental principle of Israeli Society. He said the British visitors would find that the kibbutzim "are totally classless and that the Israelis have an answer to some of the problems baffling us all."

Field Marshall Montgomery, one of the guests, was given a standing ovation when he endorsed the organization's exchange program and said he would sponsor one Bridge scholarship for a British boy. Asserting that he knew Israel very well, the Field Marshall recalled that he had "fought there with the Jews against the Arabs and with the Arabs against the Jews in an attempt to preserve peace in the country." He added that he took "great pride" in the fact that "the Jewish Brigade fought in World War II under my command."

Arthur Lourie, the Israel Ambassador to Britain, said that under the exchange program, young people went annually from Britain to Israel to give service and see the country and acquire new experiences while young Israelis were coming to Britain for the same objectives. He pointed out that the experiences were of "immense importance" to the young people involved and to Britain and Israel. He expressed "delight" that Montgomery was one of the supporters of the program.

## J. T. A. OPENS NEW RADIOPRINTER CIRCUITS TO LATIN AMERICAN LANDS

NEW YORK, June 10. (JTA) -- The Jewish Telegraphic Agency has completed mechanization of its worldwide transmission service with the opening of new radioprinter circuits to Latin America, Eleazar Lipsky, JTA president, announced today.

The new radioprinter circuits replace the old system of transmission in Morse code employed by JTA for many years in the delivery of news to Buenos Aires, Sao Paulo, Brazil and Lima, Peru. News copy is moved on the new circuits at the rate of 66 words per minute. Reception in the three cities is on automatic receivers pretuned to the JTA frequencies.

JTA now transmits by radioprinter from New York to London, Tel Aviv, Johannesburg, Buenos Aires, Sao Paulo and Lima, and from London to New York and Tel Aviv.

## JEWISH PUBLICATION SOCIETY MARKS 75TH ANNIVERSARY; SATINSKY RE-ELECTED

PHILADELPHIA, June 10. (JTA) -- The Jewish Publication Society marked its 75th anniversary with a day-long program of events which included a dinner at which the JPS honored former State Supreme Court Justice Horace Stern on completion of 50 years as an officer and trustee.

Sol Satinsky was elected to a fifth term as president of the JPS. The program included a ribbon-cutting ceremony to mark the official opening of the JPS renovated headquarters building attended by 200 persons. The ribbon was cut by Mr. Satinsky and Dr. Solomon Grayzel, editor of the JPS. Judge Nochem Winnet, president of the Federation of Jewish Agencies, paid tribute to Judge Stern at the dinner which was attended by 350 persons.

## DETAILS OF TRANSFER OF JABOTINSKY'S REMAINS TO ISRAEL ANNOUNCED

TEL AVIV, June 10. (JTA) -- Details concerning the reinterment in Israel of Zev Jabotinsky's remains were disclosed here today by Joseph Klarman, leader of the Zionist-Revisionist Party. He said that exhumation and transfer on July 6 of the remains to the John F. Kennedy Airport will be supervised by Israel Posnansky who 24 years ago made the arrangements for the Zionist leader's funeral in New York.

Uniformed Jewish legion veterans, Army and Navy Chaplains and prominent members of the Jewish community will escort the remains in a lengthy procession from the cemetery to the airport. Among those participating will be Israel's Ambassador to the United States Avraham Harman and Philip Klutznick, chairman of the Public Committee formed for the Jabotinsky reinterment. New York police will halt traffic along the procession's route.

At Orly Airport in Paris a special ceremony will be held with the participation of Israel Ambassador Walter Eytan and the prominent French-Jewish military leader General Koenig who are serving as chairmen of the French reinterment committee. The remains of Zev Jabotinsky and his wife will arrive at Lydd Airport near Tel Aviv on the evening of July 7.