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PRESIDENT JOHNSON INVITES SHAZAR TO WASHINGTON; WILL TENDER DINNER

WASHINGTON, July 21. (JTA) -- President Zalman Shazar of Israel will be the guest of President Johnson in Washington on August 2, it was officially announced in the White House today.

President Johnson will give a dinner in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Shazar on that date. The Shazars will stay at Blair House during their unofficial visit to the capital. They were invited by the President. Mr. Shazar will arrive in New York on July 28 from South America after completing his visits to Chile, Uruguay and Brazil.

Shazar Completes Three-Day Impressive Visit in Sao Paulo

SAO PAULO, July 21. (JTA) -- President Shazar of Israel completed today a three-day visit here and left on a special plane provided by the Brazilian Air Force for Rio de Janeiro. He was bade farewell by Laudo Natel, Governor of the Sao Paulo state and Air Force officials.

The President and his entourage continued on the final day of the visit here the same whirlwind schedule he has been following since he arrived in Uruguay last month for a South American tour. He made a triumphal tour of the traditional Jewish quarter of Bon Retiro where thousands of Jewish and non-Jewish residents lined the streets.

The Sao Paulo Jewish Federation organized a banquet for the President attended by more than 500 Jewish community leaders. President Shazar replied to welcoming speeches at the banquet both in Yiddish and in Hebrew, giving his impressions of the situation in the South American countries he has visited so far.

He said he was profoundly convinced of the future of the Jews here but he asked that they also include Israel in their plans for that future. A luncheon for Mrs. Shazar was attended by 350 women leaders of local Jewish organizations. Mrs. Shazar said she had also been deeply impressed by the quality of Jewish life she had seen. She urged the community to assure the Jewish future of its youth by a truly Jewish home which "should always be the foremost Jewish duty of the Jewish wife and mother."

The President also met with the board of the Brazil-Israel Chamber of Commerce and Industry. Many leading figures of Sao Paulo commerce and industry attended the meeting. The President was given information indicating that trade between Israel and Brazil could easily be increased on a substantial scale.

He had a private meeting with Sao Paulo Mayor Faria Lima and several city council members. In the evening, more than 2,000 persons met the Presidential couple at a reception arranged by the Jewish Federation of Sao Paulo. The President was presented with a specially coined medal.

1,500 Persons Meet Shazar at Rio Airport with Hebrew Songs

RIO DE JANEIRO, July 21. (JTA) -- President Zalman Shazar arrived here today on a special Brazilian Air Force plane at an airport decorated with Israeli flags where 1,500 people applauded, waved banners and sang "Havenu Sholem Aleichem" as the President and his entourage disembarked.

After receiving military honors, the Israeli visitors were greeted by Francisco Negro de Lima, the Governor, and other leading officials. The greeters included Jewish community leaders and a delegation of children from 11 Rio Jewish schools who presented flowers to the visitors.

At a luncheon, the President replied to a welcoming speech from the Governor. He said that he knew Rio de Janeiro well enough to be able to say that besides being one of the world's most beautiful places, it was also the home of a hard-working people who were the fruit of "fusion and integration of races." He added that Israel, "which is gathering the dispersed and the tribes, knows how to appraise the admirable humanitarian spirit dominating the hearts of your inhabitants."

The entire Brazilian press devoted considerable space to the visit, praising Israeli-Brazilian friendship. Gen. Juraci Magalhaes, the Foreign Minister, said that Mr. Shazar had left a great impression on all Brazilian authorities, particularly by his "brilliant speeches." The local newspapers stressed the fact that Mr. Shazar was the first foreign President to visit Brazil without bringing security personnel.

U.N. SECURITY COUNCIL TO MEET ON SYRIAN COMPLAINT AGAINST ISRAEL

UNITED NATIONS, N. Y., July 21. (JTA) -- The Syrian delegation here today requested a U.N. Security Council meeting on Israel's air attack on Syrian installations last Thursday which was carried out in retaliation for four incursions by Syrian terrorists into Israel within 48 hours during last week, resulting in two Israelis being killed and two wounded from dynamite explosions carried out by the infiltrators from Syria. The meeting will be convened Monday.

Doubt was expressed in United Nations circles as to whether Syria could get the nine votes needed for the adoption by the Security Council of an anti-Israel resolution, however it was considered as possible that a resolution will be adopted calling on Israel and Syria to restrain themselves.

(From Israel it was reported today that Syrian positions fired on an Israeli patrol boat in the Sea of Galilee which is entirely inside Israel territory. The patrol boat returned the fire.)

Syrians Tell U.N. They Want Quiet on the Israel Border

JERUSALEM, July 21. (JTA) -- Gen. Odd Bull, United Nations Truce Supervision Organization Chief of Staff, told an Israeli Foreign Ministry official yesterday that the Syrian Government asserts it is interested in obtaining quiet on the tense Syrian-Israeli border. Prior to his talk with Joseph Tekoah, deputy director general of the Foreign Ministry, Gen. Bull met in Damascus with the Syrian Chief of Staff.

It was reported that Gen. Bull and Mr. Tekoah also discussed the problem of Israeli land cultivation along the Syrian border. Syrians have used such cultivation efforts as a pretext for opening fire on Israelis. Israel indicated that while the area of cultivation was small, it did not intend to halt the work because it did not wish to prejudice the demarcation line or Israel's absolute sovereignty over the territory.

Premier Levi Eshkol told a military graduation exercise today that the recent incursions by Syrians "forced us to prove once again that those who plan to strike at our peace, property and lives will not be given a free hand to do so." The Israel Premier emphasized that there was no force in the world which could prevent a human being from reacting as he thinks fit in the face of blood spilling and murder. "We warn all our enemies that we will be alert for possible sabotage attempts by El Fatah raiders or other elements," he said.

ISRAEL LODGES PROTEST AGAINST LEBANON WITH U.N. ARMISTICE COMMISSION

JERUSALEM, July 21. (JTA) -- Israel lodged a strong protest today with the Israel-Lebanon Mixed Armistice Commission over the discovery early yesterday of six sacks of dynamite near the village of Margaliot.

The dynamite reportedly was brought across the border from Lebanon by four infiltrators. United Nations truce observers, accompanied by Israeli officers, examined tracks left by the four infiltrators which led to the Lebanese border. Chief of Staff Yitzhak Rabin, accompanied by an officer of the Israeli Northern Command, also visited the site.

One of the explosives was found by watchmen under a house in which seven people, including five children, were sleeping. Security forces dismantled all of the explosives. The watchmen had been alerted by the sound of an explosion in the direction of an unused chicken coop and immediately began a search for other explosives.

EGYPTIANS RETURN KIDNAPED JEWISH YOUTH; BRING HIM TO ISRAEL BORDER

JERUSALEM, July 21. (JTA) -- A 17-year-old Israeli tractor driver who was kidnaped last Monday night by Arab infiltrators from the Gaza Strip was returned late last night to the Israeli border by Egyptian officers.

The youth, Erwin Owitz, reported to officials here today that the Egyptians brought him to the demarcation line and told him: "You are free, you can cross now." Israel sent an urgent appeal yesterday to the United Nations secretariat in New York and to the U.N. Emergency Force in the Gaza area to act to obtain the youth's release.

The youth told the officials that he waited until daylight today before crossing the line, saying he feared that an accident might happen if he met an Israeli patrol in the dark. He said he had been kidnaped from his tractor at the village of Ami Oz, near the Gaza Strip border, where he had been spraying vines. He reported that two masked men carrying machineguns stopped him and forced him to go with them to Gaza.

The news of the release of the abducted Israeli youth was received in Israel with utmost interest. No details were reported on whether he was interrogated in Gaza by the Egyptian authorities there after he was brought there by his kidnapers.

ISRAEL TO SEEK CONTRACTS FROM INDUSTRIAL FIRMS IN EUROPE AND U.S.

JERUSALEM, July 21. (JTA) -- A joint committee of the Government, private industry and the Histadrut, Israel's labor federation, to coordinate contacts of Israeli enterprises with industries in Europe and the United States for production of industrial parts here on a subcontract basis, was announced here today.

The committee will maintain contact with foreign firms, examine the ability of Israeli plants to meet their needs and then determine the most suitable connection. The committee also will concentrate all orders and distribute them among Israeli firms. Many large industries abroad were reported suffering from skilled manpower shortages and ready to turn over some orders to subcontractors.

Two Israeli firms were reported today to have sold \$500,000 worth of aluminum pipes and irrigation accessories to two East European countries. They also were competing to obtain contracts with seven European countries, it was reported.

ANTI-DEFAMATION LEAGUE TESTIFIES IN WASHINGTON ON KU KLUX KLAN

WASHINGTON, July 21. (JTA) -- "One thousand instances of racial violence, intimidation and reprisal" between 1955 and 1965 make new Federal legislation against racist criminals mandatory, the Anti-Defamation League of B'nai B'rith today told the House Committee on Un-American Activities.

Testifying at the invitation of the Committee before a hearing on the Ku Klux Klan, Mayer Newfield, a member of the League's National Commission and a prominent attorney from Birmingham, Alabama, declared that existing state laws against murder and violence are "nullified when the state law enforcement machinery fails to function."

"The need to strengthen and expand Federal protection of the basic rights of life, liberty and property of all citizens, has become an urgent necessity," the ADL spokesman said. He added that if the "race warfare being waged by the Klan is not checked, this campaign of violence and intimidation could -- and may already -- pose a direct threat to the Republican form of government in a number of states."

JEWISH MERCHANTS IN CLEVELAND REOPEN STORES LOOTED DURING RIOTS

CLEVELAND, July 21. (JTA) -- Some of the Jewish merchants whose businesses were looted and damaged in the racial rioting during the past few days in the strife-torn Hough area of the city, reopened for business today while National Guard units continued to patrol the streets. Other Jewish shops are still closed.

Jewish communal leaders told the Jewish Telegraphic Agency that the rioting was not particularly directed at Jewish businesses and the demonstrations were anti-white rather than of anti-Semitic nature. The Jewish Community Council today joined with other civic groups in seeking ways to ease the tension in the strife-torn areas of the city.

U.S. SUPPORTS PROPOSAL FOR A U.N. COMMISSIONER FOR HUMAN RIGHTS

GENEVA, July 21. (JTA) -- "Enthusiastic support" of the United States for the proposal to appoint a United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights was assured by Ambassador Arthur Goldberg, head of the U.S. Delegation to the United Nations, at a meeting of the U.N. Economic and Social Council which is now holding its session here.

Dr. Maurice L. Perlzweig, of the World Jewish Congress, appearing at the session as a representative of a non-governmental agency, said that such an appointment would give the United Nations "the machinery to act swiftly, effectively and justly to any serious challenge to human rights." He lauded Costa Rica for sponsoring the High Commissioner proposal. He appealed to members of the Economic and Social Council to give favorable consideration to the proposal.

SENATE BODY TO START PUBLIC HEARINGS ON AMENDMENT FOR SCHOOL PRAYERS

WASHINGTON, July 21. (JTA) -- The Senate Judiciary Subcommittee will hold public hearings beginning August 1 on the constitutional amendment proposed by Sen. Everett Dirksen, Illinois Republican, to allow voluntary participation in prayers in public schools, it was announced here today.

The proposed amendment is co-sponsored by 47 other Senators. The hearings will take place for seven days. The list of persons invited to testify will be released in a few days. The Subcommittee is headed by Birch Bayh, Democrat of Indiana.

JEWISH STUDENTS IN MEXICO FORM FEDERATION; ELECT PRESIDENT

MEXICO CITY, July 21. (JTA) -- A Federation of Jewish Students, representing all the faculties of the University of Mexico here, has been organized under the sponsorship of the Zionist Federation of Mexico. Menashe Schwartzkoff was elected president.

GEN. DAYAN COMPLETES TALKS IN WASHINGTON; FLIES TO SAIGON TOMORROW

WASHINGTON, July 21. (JTA) -- General Moshe Dayan, former chief of staff of Israel and now a member of Israel's Parliament from the Rafi Party, will fly tomorrow to Saigon, after concluding talks with top officials and army officers on the Viet Nam war. Gen. Dayan spent a few days in Washington collecting material for a series of articles which he intends to write after his return to Israel. At a private dinner in his honor, he met Secretary of Defense Robert McNamara.

In an interview today Gen. Dayan said: "In Tel Aviv, there were pickets outside my house carrying placards saying I shouldn't go. The Communists tried to push through a resolution in the Knesset (Parliament) condemning my trip, and the Foreign Minister disclaimed any Government connection with it. Some critics thought that by going to Saigon I would be identifying Israel with the American presence there."

On his Viet Nam mission the Israeli general had this to say: "I have really two main reasons for going. One is a military one and the other is people. I want to see the relationship between the South Vietnamese military and the people. If you are going to provide security for people in a guerrilla war, you must have the confidence of the people in the soldiers. If they trust you, you can achieve something."

ISRAEL MINISTER CRITICIZES U.S. JEWISH COMMUNITY ON EDUCATION

JERUSALEM, July 21. (JTA) -- Zalman Aranne, Israel's Education Minister, criticized the American Jewish community last night for "coming hat in hand to Israel to beg for teachers" for Jewish schools in the United States.

Appearing as an unscheduled speaker at the 40th anniversary convention of the American National Council for Jewish Education, the Education Minister described American Jewry as not only rich materially but also possessor of hundreds of thousands of college-trained Jews. He told the American Jewish educators that the American Jewish community must itself do something for its cultural needs.

He suggested that American Jewry choose its best intellectuals, pay them "proper" salaries, and give them conditions and status which would raise the teaching profession to a level with other professions. "My anger soars when I hear that the great and rich American Jewry is asking Israel to send teachers to the United States," he stated.

COMMITTEE STUDIES PROBLEM OF PERSONAL STATUS OF KARAITES IN ISRAEL

JERUSALEM, July 21. (JTA) -- The first meeting was held here today of the public committee set up by the Government to study the problem of the personal status of the Karaites, a dissident ancient Jewish sect that has survived in Israel and elsewhere after living for centuries apart from the main body of Jewry. While Jewish religious teaching recognizes rabbinic authority, the Karaites follow only the Scriptures.

The public committee was set up after problems arose in connection with possible intermarriage between Jews and Karaites which has been banned by the rabbinic authorities for centuries. In the initial meeting today, the committee, which dealt only with procedural matters, asked Religious Affairs Minister Zorach Warhaftig for information on the Karaite issue.

CHIEF RABBI NISSIM OF ISRAEL LEAVES TURKEY AFTER FOUR-DAY VISIT

ISTANBUL, July 21. (JTA) -- Israel Chief Rabbi Yitzhak Nissim, who made a four-day visit to Turkey, left today for Israel after visiting Jewish institutions and conferring with Turkish Jewish leaders.

He was guest of honor at a reception given by Israel Consul General Carmon which was attended by Jewish community leaders and Turkish personalities. Turkish Chief Rabbi Asseo also gave a dinner honoring Rabbi Nissim. He visited the Orah Faim Jewish Hospital here and visited several synagogues, including the ancient Ahrida Synagogue, the Neve Shalom Synagogue and the Ashkenazi Synagogue.

ISRAEL RENEWS BID TO BRITAIN TO ABOLISH VISAS FOR ISRAELI TOURISTS

JERUSALEM, July 21. (JTA) -- Foreign Ministry officials said today Israel had again applied to Britain for arrangements to allow Israeli tourists to visit Britain without visas. Previous bids have been rejected.

Israel long ago abolished visas for British tourists visiting Israel but formalities for Israelis visiting Britain are particularly cumbersome. Efforts are also underway to obtain abolition of visa requirements for other European countries, particularly Switzerland, France and Italy.