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## BEHIND-THE-SCENES TALKS ON JORDAN-ISRAEL ISSUE INTENSIFIED AT U.N.

UNITED NATIONS, N. Y., Nov. 22. (JTA) -- Behind-the-scenes negotiations on the text of a resolution to be adopted by the United Nations Security Council on Jordan's complaint against Israel's raid on November 13 continued today. To bring these negotiations to an acceptable conclusion, the Security Council postponed its session today until tomorrow afternoon.

Some members of the Security Council are insisting on a sharply-worded resolution against Israel, while others suggest that the resolution should be "balanced" to take into account the causes that provoked Israel to make its raid into Jordanian territory from where Arab saboteurs infiltrate into Israel.

Meanwhile major American Jewish organizations continued today to voice demands that the Security Council take into consideration the Arab terrorist activities against Israel instead of adopting a one-sided condemnation of the Israeli reprisal raid. The organizations included the Conference of Presidents of Major Jewish Organizations, which represents 20 national Jewish agencies and two rabbinical organizations -- the Rabbinical Council of America and the Rabbinical Alliance of America.

## Jewish Groups Warn Security Council Against One-Sided Resolution

The Conference of Presidents of Major American Jewish Organizations warned today that any "one-sided condemnation" of Israel by the U.N. Security Council would "encourage the Arab aggressors to continue their campaign of terror" in the Middle East. At a news conference, Dr. Joachim Prinz, of Newark, chairman of the Presidents' Conference, called today for "direct negotiations among the parties that alone can bring about a permanent peace" between Israel and the Arab states.

"The refusal of the United Nations to act on Israel's appeal for an end to ever-mounting terrorist incursions from Arab lands and the failure of the Security Council to deter Arab aggression," Dr. Prinz said, "have served to encourage more sabotage, more terror, more murder. It is against this background that Israel's expedition into Jordan must be seen -- an expedition whose purpose was neither retaliation nor reprisal but rather a warning that Jordan must assume responsibility, as must any sovereign state, for the terrorists that have found shelter on her soil and for the attacks launched from her territory."

In his statement, Dr. Prinz voiced "deep concern at the prospect that the Security Council may adopt a statement on the Middle East that condemns the victim of aggression rather than the perpetrator of it; that rewards provocation and punishes restraint; and that fails to confront the root cause of Arab-Israel tension." He said: "There can be no double standard in the United Nations. Only when the international community examines the situation in its true and total perspective; only when the Security Council recognizes who is the aggressor and who the victim of aggression, can peace and justice return to the troubled Middle East."

## ISRAEL TO PROTECT TRAINS ON RAILWAY LINE NEAR JORDANIAN BORDER

JERUSALEM, Nov. 22. (JTA) -- Israeli officials said today that sections of the Tel Aviv to Jerusalem railway line near the Jordanian border will be sealed off by a high barbed wire fence in a program to devise barriers against Arab guerrilla infiltrators.

The new security fence will first be erected near the Batir village, the site of the most recent guerrilla attack on the railway. On that occasion a train was partly derailed when it hit explosives planted on the tracks. The fence will be built on both sides of the line in vulnerable areas. Other precautionary measures also will be taken.

At the same time Israeli Railways announced cancellation of evening trains to and from Jerusalem, affecting four runs -- Jerusalem-Tel Aviv, Jerusalem-Haifa, Haifa-Jerusalem and Tel Aviv-Jerusalem. No explanation was given for the cancellations but it was assumed security was the reason. Some observers expressed fear the cancellations might encourage more sabotage by the Arabs who might consider the cancellations proof of the effectiveness of such guerrilla attacks.

Another "delicate" border point with Jordan is now fenced in and lighted. It is near Romema, a section of new Jerusalem where explosives planted last month by infiltrators caused considerable damage to a number of buildings but no casualties.

STATE DEPARTMENT PROCESSING SHIPMENT OF JET BOMBERS TO ISRAEL

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22. (JTA) -- The United States is continuing to process pending arms sales to Israel, including the preparations for shipment of light jet bombers previously contracted, State Department sources said today.

These sources said that additional arms were being provided to Jordan. They pointed out that this transaction was not entirely new, but that Jordanian requests were "under study" in line with the existing programs of helping Jordan meet its defense requirements.

Meanwhile, officials said efforts are being made to persuade both Israelis and Arabs to solve disputes through the machinery of the United Nations instead of using force. U.S. official sources denied reports that Washington had deferred arms sales to Israel in connection with the recent Israeli action against Jordan.

(Information was received in Washington today from Moscow that a top-level Egyptian military and political delegation has arrived in the Soviet capital for "military and political" negotiations linked with the recent Arab-Israeli clashes. The delegation is headed by Field Marshal Abdel Hakim Amer, Egyptian First Vice-President and Commander-in-Chief of the Armed Forces. Two previous visits to Moscow by Amer were followed by heavy shipments of modern arms to Egypt. It is anticipated that Russia will supply Egypt with ultramodern weapons of types not yet in the Egyptian arsenal.)

Secretary of State Dean Rusk conferred yesterday with Israel Ambassador Avraham Harman for an exchange of views on the situation in the Middle East. The meeting took place at the initiative of Secretary Rusk. It is understood that an exchange of views covered the recent events in the area and the issue pending at the United Nations. Also participating were Minister Ephraim Evron of the Israeli Embassy and Roger Davies, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State.

GERMAN EMBASSY IN ISRAEL PICKETED IN PROTEST OVER ELECTION RESULTS

TEL AVIV, Nov. 22. (JTA) -- Students of Tel Aviv University picketed the West German Embassy here today in protest against the electoral gains of West Germany's extremist National Democratic Party in the Bavarian election Sunday. They carried banners with such slogans as "Remember 1933," and "We Came Looking for Another Germany," and "The Neo-Nazis Got Seven Percent -- Hitler Started With Even Less."

Strong police forces were rushed to the Embassy building to prevent students from entering. After the police were told that the students intended only "quiet picketing," they were allowed to stand opposite the Embassy building. Embassy staff members were seen taking films of the young pickets.

Police also were called last night to Kiryat Bialik near Faifa, to disperse groups of youths protesting against West Germany and the "resurgence of neo-Nazism" there. The protesting pickets gathered at the local Council hall where a councillor was reporting on a recent visit to West Berlin. The councillor said a West Berlin borough had suggested arrangements for a "sister-city" relationship with Kiryat Bialik and that he had been given 10,000 marks (\$400) for promotion of the idea here. The councillor was criticized for acting in the matter by his fellow councillors.

U.S. Jewish Groups Urge Bonn to Check Revival of Nazi Ideology

NEW YORK, Nov. 22. (JTA) -- Jewish organizations today issued statements here expressing fears over the rising strength of the National Democratic Party in Germany, which is considered a neo-Nazi group, as shown in last Sunday's elections in Bavaria and two weeks earlier in the state elections in Hesse.

A statement issued by Morris B. Abram, president of the American Jewish Committee, urged the Bonn Government "to redouble its efforts to maintain a vigilant alert in which the growth of the National Democratic Party and all other extreme-rightist elements are carefully observed, using the schools, the churches, the mass media and the courts as a grand coalition to counteract these growing signs of a Nazi revival."

Dr. Joachim Prinz, speaking for the Conference of Presidents of Major American Jewish Organizations, called upon the German people and the German Government to reject these ultra-nationalistic trends before they acquire substantial power. "For the sake of the German people as well as for the security of this planet, every means must be employed in Germany to insure that there shall be no revival of Nazi ideology, no return to Nazi fanaticism, no restoration of Nazi political power," he said in his statement.

Adenauer Strongly Supports Kiesinger for Post of Chancellor

BONN, Nov. 22. (JTA) -- Responding to criticism by American Jewish groups of the selection of ex-Nazi Kurt Georg Kiesinger as Chancellor-candidate, former Chancellor Konrad Adenauer today strongly supported Kiesinger.

In a cablegram to national commander Malcolm Tarlov of the Jewish War Veterans of the U.S.A., Adenauer lauded the Christian Democratic Party's controversial candidate. He added that his opinion was "shared by authoritative representatives of Jews living in West Germany."

ACHIEVEMENTS OF C.J.F.W.F. ASSEMBLY FOR COMMUNITIES OUTLINED

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 22. (JTA) -- The achievements of the General Assembly of the Council of Jewish Federations and Welfare Funds, which met here for five days, were outlined by Philip Bernstein, CJFWF executive director, in a summary which emphasized that the session marked "another turning point" for the federations throughout the country.

"We ventured beyond the immediate to the long range," Mr. Bernstein said. "We began to add the vision of a decade to the usual perspective of a single year; we began to explore not only where we are pushed to go by the force of events, but where we seek to go. We began to think seriously about aspirations and goals and basic purpose.

"We did this in several dimension: in what we must do within the Jewish community, by Jewish agencies, to overcome the pathologies -- the problems that trouble us. We examined this in terms of the needs locally in our communities, nationally and overseas. We examined it in terms of what we would help accomplish as part of the larger society, through non-sectarian organizations and through Government. And beyond our pathologies we examined what we would do to build an enlightened and vigorous Jewish community that will enrich the lives of its members. We recognized that:

"1. Short-range planning must be guided by long-range goals.

"2. Annual budget reviews should be sharpened through guidelines developed in five to ten-year financial plans.

"3. Traditional Federation boundaries of responsibilities may have to be redefined to reflect new concerns.

"4. Increased government funds provide new opportunities to meet unmet needs of the past, emerging needs of the future, and to explore new areas where voluntary agencies can make special contributions. But we must be selective in accepting government funds so that as Jewish agencies we do not attenuate special Jewish purposes.

"5. The people using our services are likely to change. They will be people with more complex needs, more resources to purchase services, more sophisticated ideas as to what services they believe will be helpful, with more opportunities to select what they want among sectarian and non-sectarian resources."

Discussions on Israel Stressed Need of Intensified Aid

The discussions on needs in Israel, Mr. Bernstein pointed out, dealt with unemployment and poverty there -- the inadequacy of the public assistance and work relief payments, and the need for programs in depth that will rehabilitate people and bring them to self-support through vocational training, better welfare services and other measures.

"In the discussions dealing with building Jewish life constructively here at home, we were able to move from the previous level of general challenges to the consideration of specific recommendations presented by our Council's National Committee on Federation Planning for Jewish Education, established as a result of the Assembly's action a year ago," Mr. Bernstein stated. "The Committee report dealt with the responsibilities which communities as a whole should carry in this field, and with the most appropriate and effective use of communal funds for these purposes."

The Committee submitted 28 specific proposals to obtain quality teachers, administrators and specialists, and eight related recommendations on post-elementary education. "The Committee will follow up in helping communities to consider and act on the recommendations most closely fitting their own needs, and will address itself to other elements of Federation responsibility in this field," the CJFWF executive director emphasized. He added that the key is that progress will not come from exhortation alone, but must come from concrete, well-defined programs.

Involvement of Next Generation in Jewish Responsibility

A number of the Assembly discussions dealt with the involvement of the next generation in Jewish responsibility. The emphasis was on opportunities for genuine participation by young people in communal services at all levels, in line with their individual qualifications -- on the boards of Federations and their agencies, on committees, as volunteers in year-round services, in fund raising and in other ways.

"Running through all of the discussions was the urgent need for priority attention to overcome the critical staff shortages of Jewish agencies across the country," Mr. Bernstein noted. "This problem will require most urgent action by Federation boards, committees and foremost lay leadership to attract the highest quality of young men and women to Jewish communal service. This applies to welfare, health, education and the rabbinate.

"It will demand leadership to obtain personnel specifically for Jewish federations and welfare funds and for the other Jewish services; and beyond that, to help obtain the Federal legislation which is indispensable for augmenting the university facilities, faculties, and field training to enlarge the entire pool of communal workers, of which the Jewish personnel are a part," Mr. Bernstein stressed.

LONDON JEWISH PRODUCER OF 'PASSION PLAY' REFUSES TO QUIT

LONDON, Nov. 22. (JTA) -- A Jewish producer, who said he would go ahead with plans to stage an adaptation of the Oberammergau Passion Play in Britain despite sharp Jewish criticism, asserted yesterday that "as a Jew," his participation would "insure" that the performance would not contain "anything to offend Jews." The adaptation will open in Manchester on February 28.

Following a statement from the Board of Deputies of British Jews which urged Jews to have nothing to do with the planned presentation, two of the three Jewish impresarios associated with the British production plans -- Brian Epstein, manager of the Beatles, and Vic Lewis -- withdrew completely from the project. Mr. Epstein's company, NEMS Enterprises, was to have acted as agent for the play in Britain and in the United States.

Philip Solomon, the producer and director of Dunedin Theatrical Enterprises, said he was distressed by the Board of Deputies statement but that he had no intention of dropping the project. The adapted version, for which Dunedin has British, Irish and American rights, will be performed also in Dublin and Glasgow. Solomon said he "quite understood" the decision of Epstein and Lewis to cease to act as agents but added he had found substitute agents.

Mr. Solomon explained that "as a Jew, I feel that by retaining my interests in the production, I can insure that it does not contain anything likely to offend Jews." The original version, staged every ten years by the villagers of Oberammergau, has been widely criticized as anti-Semitic in its portrayal of the trial and crucifixion of Jesus.

LEADING AUSTRALIAN COMMUNIST CRITICAL ON MOSCOW'S STAND ON JEWS

MELBOURNE, Nov. 22. (JTA) -- Rex Mortimer, a leading Australian Communist Party member, declared here that there had been an inadequate response by the Soviet Government to appeals from many Communist parties and other sources for a review of the problem of Soviet treatment of Russian Jewry.

Mr. Mortimer, who is not a Jew and who has spoken out before on the issue, made his critical statements in an interview with Isi Leibler, a member of the Executive Council of Australian Jews. Mortimer is a former editor of the Guardian, the official organ of the Australian Communist Party.

He said there was continued circulation of anti-Semitic publications in the Soviet Union and he cited the failure of Soviet officials to prosecute writers and distributors of such material. He said there were as yet no indications that the Soviet authorities had recognized their responsibility to launch a campaign against anti-Semitism in the Soviet Union, as has been suggested by the Communist parties of the United States, Britain and Australia.

He added that recent instances of an easing in some of the disabilities afflicting Soviet Jews did not deal with their basic inequalities. He said he also regretted the hostile attitude of the Soviet Government toward Israel.

JEW IN KIEV INTERROGATED ON STATEMENT PUBLISHED IN DETROIT

DETROIT, Nov. 22. (JTA) -- An appeal for justice for Soviet Jewry, written by a Jew in Kiev who gave it to a Detroit social worker visiting Kiev and which was published in the Jewish News of Detroit in 1964, has been reprinted in a Soviet newspaper as the basis for a Soviet denunciation of Zionism, the Jewish News reported this week.

The Detroit Jewish weekly, in reporting on the development, said it was withholding the name of the social worker, just as it did in printing the Kiev Jew's statement on October 23, 1964. The reproduction of the Detroit Jewish News article appeared in Radianska Ukraina, a Kiev daily newspaper, which, in calling the matter to the attention of its readers, indicated that the social worker had been trailed throughout her visit, that the Kiev Jew had been identified and hinted that he and his wife not only were interrogated but may also have suffered some form of persecution.

The Kiev letter, in the form of an appeal to Soviet authorities to eradicate anti-Semitism, allow Jews to have normal cultural and religious expression, and to emigrate to Israel if they so wished, was the Kiev writer's way of seeking to inform the Western world of the conditions suffered by Soviet Jewry, the Jewish weekly noted.

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