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Dayan Warns Egypt Of Retaliation For Further Suez Cease-Fire Violations

JERUSALEM, Oct. 29 (JTA)--Defense Minister Gen. Moshe Dayan warned Egypt in the Knesset (Parliament) today that it could expect massive Israeli strikes if it continued to violate the cease-fire along the Suez Canal. Gen. Dayan said that even though Egypt may be growing stronger militarily, it is still vulnerable and Israel is getting proportionately stronger.

The Defense Minister appeared in the Knesset on behalf of the Government to reply to two agenda motions presented by Haim Landau of Gahal (Herut-Liberal alignment) and Shmuel Tamir of the Free Center faction. Both demanded stronger measures against demonstrations on the West Bank and "sharp, effective reaction" to the Egyptian artillery attack across the Suez Canal last Saturday. Mr. Tamir charged that the Government was at fault in the West Bank unrest because it allegedly "let it be known that most of the West Bank would be returned to Jordan." He and Mr. Landau urged large scale Israeli settlement of the occupied areas and Mr. Tamir demanded that Israel declare the present cease-fire lines to be its permanent boundaries.

Gen. Dayan said that reports of unrest on the West Bank had been exaggerated. He said the instigators were a few fanatics and the majority of the West Bank population and their leaders want no part of them. He also said no aggression across the cease-fire lines and no demonstrations in the occupied territories could force the Government into agreements under conditions it is not prepared to accept. The two motions were passed on for discussion by the Knesset foreign affairs and security committee.

Gen. Dayan also informed the Knesset that housing for 100 Jewish settlers in Hebron was being built inside the military government compound in that West Bank town. He said the buildings would be temporary at first and would be leased to the Jewish settlers by the Housing Ministry. The settlers, all Orthodox Jews, went to Hebron last Passover and refused to leave. They were originally quartered at a hotel but were ordered to move into the government compound several months ago.

Students In Gaza Schools Return To Classes As Demonstrations Are Forestalled

TEL AVIV, Oct. 29 (JTA)--Students at a girls' high school in Gaza returned to their classes peacefully today as the presence of Israeli troops stymied their attempt to organize anti-Israel demonstrations. Demonstrations were forestalled in a similar manner in other Gaza schools. The night curfew was shortened by five hours and is now in effect only from 10 p.m. to 5 a.m.

The curfew was lifted in Tubbas village on the West Bank yesterday following a meeting of Gen. Dayan with the chairman of the village council. The Arab reportedly expressed regret over the anti-Israel demonstrations by village school girls and promised to prevent their recurrence.

Gen. Dayan yesterday told village notables in the West Bank town of Tulkarm that any West Bank Arab who is dissatisfied with life under the Israeli occupation regime is free to sell his property and leave for other Arab countries. He said that the Israeli regime was democratic but said "no one is obliged to live under it."

Galili Cautious On Possible Arab Agreement To Meet With Israelis

JERUSALEM, Oct. 29 (JTA)--Israel Galili, Minister of Information, warned yesterday that an agreement by any Arab state to meet with Israeli representatives might be nothing more than a tactical maneuver and no indication that it really wants peace. Mr. Galili told reserve officers that until now there had been no sign that any Arab state was ready to negotiate and all have refused to meet Israeli representatives directly. Consequently there was no cause to change Israel's policy, adopted last November, to hold the occupied territories until cease-fire lines are exchanged for formal peace treaties, he said.

Rabin Returning To Washington, Israelis Hope Phantoms Talk Will Resume This Week

WASHINGTON, Oct. 29 (JTA)--Israel Ambassador Yitzhak Rabin will return to Washington tonight and is expected to resume negotiations with the State Department on the sale of Phantom jets, according to Israeli sources.

The sources said Gen. Rabin, who has been consulting in Israel for the last few days, will be joined here by Israeli experts who may join in the talks. Israelis hope that a meeting will be held before the end of this week.

Izvestia, Pravda Attack United States Decision On Negotiating Phantom Jets For Israel

UNITED NATIONS, Oct. 29 (JTA)--The two leading Soviet newspapers, Izvestia and Pravda have attacked the United States decision to negotiate with Israel the sale of supersonic F-4 Phantom jets. Leonid Koryavin, in an article in Izvestia, the Soviet Government organ, wrote, "The decision of the United States to supply Israel with offensive weapons - and the supersonic Phantom fighter-

bomber is precisely this kind of weapon — is evaluated by political observers in the Middle East as one step which, if cleared of its verbal husks, spells only one thing, namely encouragement for Israel to launch fresh aggression."

Writing in Pravda, Communist Party organ, Igor Belyayev said, "There are odd coincidences which are truly most striking. For instance, the U.S. had hardly expressed its readiness to supply Israel with F-4 fighter-bombers, when the situation in the Middle East became still more aggravated. Volleys of Israeli artillery constantly thunder in the Suez Canal area and on the River Jordan, aircraft are sent into action, and the bellicose Israeli generals speak ever more frequently about a new round of the Sinai war."

Both articles were reprinted in full in the "Review of the Soviet Press," a bulletin issued here by the Soviet Mission to the United Nations.

2 Orchard Workers Killed, 3 Soldiers Injured When Vehicles Strike Mines

TEL AVIV, Oct. 29, (JTA)--Two fruit orchard workers of Kibbutz Menara, near the Lebanese border, died yesterday of injuries suffered when their tractor struck a mine. Both were family men. Their funerals will be held today. Three Israeli soldiers were injured in separate mining incidents today, a military spokesman reported. Two were hurt when their half-track hit a mine in the southern Golan Heights. The other was injured when a half-track was mined on a road near the Jordanian border south of the Dead Sea.

Israel made it clear to Lebanese authorities today that its forces would not stand by idly in face of continued minings and sabotage by terrorists based on Lebanese territory. The death toll from such activities in recent days was two Israeli civilians and two soldiers.

Lebanon Complains To Security Council That Israelis Shell Village, Wounding 2

UNITED NATIONS, Oct. 29 (JTA)--Lebanon complained to the Security Council yesterday that Israeli armed forces shelled the Lebanese village on Almajdyiah last Sunday, wounding two Lebanese soldiers, damaging three houses and killing livestock. The Lebanese representative, Ambassador Edouard Ghorra, said in a letter that about 100 mortar shells were fired by Israeli forces based at Alabasyiah, a village in occupied Syrian territory. "This act of aggression was unprovoked and has no justification whatsoever," Mr. Ghorra said. "It is but another act in the series of aggressive acts perpetrated by Israel against Lebanon, thus endangering peace and increasing tension in the area."

A report from Lt. Gen. Odd Bull, chief of the United Nations Truce Supervision Organization (UNTSO) in the Middle East, has confirmed a Lebanese complaint that the village of Almajdyiah was shelled from Israeli territory during the night of Oct. 26-27. The report said that an on-the-scene investigation by UN observers and the testimony of witnesses showed that about 120 mortar shells were fired in about 40 salvos.

Israel Refrains From Demolishing Houses In East Jerusalem Owned By Terrorists

JERUSALEM, Oct. 29 (JTA)--Israeli authorities, apparently accepting a suggestion made some time ago by Mayor Teddy Kollek, have refrained from demolishing four houses in East Jerusalem which belong to members of terrorist organizations. Instead, the buildings were requisitioned and sealed off by police after the owners were allowed to remove their belongings.

Israeli policy since the June, 1967 war, has been to blow up buildings belonging to or used by terrorists. This policy has been followed on the West Bank and the Gaza Strip. In East Jerusalem, the military blew up a house owned by Kammam Nammr, a sabotage unit leader. But Mr. Kollek said at the time that houses in East Jerusalem should be exempted from destruction because the city is now part of Israel.

Knesset Extends Period Of Military Service From 30 Months To 3 Years

JERUSALEM, Oct. 29 (JTA)--The Knesset foreign affairs and security committee decided today to extend the period of military service for all male conscripts from 30 months to three years. The new order affects soldiers who were to have been released next year after 30 months' service.

3 Parliamentary Factions Decline To Participate In Goodwill Visit To Germany

JERUSALEM, Oct. 29 (JTA)--Three political factions in the Knesset (Parliament) announced today that as a matter of principle they would not participate in a Knesset delegation which will pay a goodwill visit to West Germany at the invitation of the West German Parliament. The Knesset Presidium approved the visit yesterday. The dissenting parties are the Herut wing of Gahal (Herut-Liberal alignment), the left-wing labor party Mapam, and the former Achdut Avodah, now part of the Israel Labor Party.

Walter Hesselbach, prominent Frankfurt banker, became the first German to receive an honorary fellowship from the Hebrew University. The honor was conferred by university president Avraham Harman at a dinner yesterday attended by West Germany's Ambassador Karl Herman Knoke, Judge Haim Cohn of the Israel Supreme Court and others. Mr. Hesselbach is president of the German Friends of the Hebrew University.

Braude Tells Of New Pressures On ORT; Modernization Programs Are Voted

MONTREAL, Oct. 29 (JTA)--The director general of the World ORT Union said here yesterday that inflationary pressures coinciding with a rapid expansion of educational and vocational training costs and a recent increase in Jewish refugees have placed new and unprecedented burdens on ORT, the Organization for Rehabilitation Through Training. Max Braude spoke at the closing session of the World ORT Union meeting here.

More than 500 delegates from 27 countries voted to modernize many ORT programs and to launch new ones in such key areas of ORT work as Israel, France, Iran, North Africa and Latin America. The changes were the result of detailed reviews and reports on all phases of ORT service to almost 50,000 students a year in a network of 650 trade and technical centers and adult and teacher training projects.

Dr. William Haber, president of the central board of the World ORT Union, described the innovations as "a massive and wholesale response to the altered dimensions of Jewish life since the Six-Day War and the urgency of regrouping the services ORT renders to make them consonant with the revolutionary demands of a revolutionary age."

The conference ratified proposals for Israel presented by Gen. Chaim Herzog, ORT Israel president, calling for the creation in Tel Aviv of a teacher training institute and the establishment in East Jerusalem of an ORT technical college for the training of engineers as "essential to production of the type of skilled professionals vital to Israel's economic growth."

Mr. Braude said in his report that 10 years ago ORT spent about \$4 million on its entire world-wide program, that the program has more than doubled in size and tripled in cost, and that ORT will probably need \$20 million by 1970 to maintain it. Mr. Braude said that inflation, which has steadily devalued world currencies, costs ORT three quarters of a million dollars a year "just to stand still, to say nothing of the costs of expansion."

Mr. Braude stressed the need for expansion in at least four areas. He said the ORT program in Vienna must be enlarged to meet the needs of Jewish refugees fleeing Poland and Czechoslovakia; in Italy, there is a problem of providing for Jewish refugees from Libya and other countries; establishment of new schools and classes in France is urgent in view of the influx of tens of thousands of Jews from North Africa; and the entire program in North Africa must be re-evaluated owing to the large scale emigration of Jews. Mr. Braude said that ORT's programs in Israel, the organization's largest, have grown by 25 percent in the past three years. Nineteen new schools and departments are expected to be opened in 1969, he said. These include the expansion of existing facilities in seven cities and towns and the construction of the new engineering school in Jerusalem which will cost \$8 million. Mr. Braude reported that in the past three years more than 80,000 pupils have passed through ORT vocational training schools and classes.

Former SS Sergeant Sentenced To Life For Role In Murdering 10,000 Jews

BONN, Oct. 29 (JTA)--A 51-year-old former SS staff sergeant who took sleeping pills in attempted suicide Sunday, was sentenced to life imprisonment today by a court in Hagen. The defendant, Heinz Jentsch, was convicted for his part in the mass murders of some 10,000 Jews in an Austrian concentration camp during 1941-42. The Jews were killed in ice-water "death baths." Jentsch, now a Berlin building contractor, collapsed when the sentence was read. His co-defendants, former staff sergeants Helmut Kluge, 48, of Flensburg and Alfons Gross, 52, received sentences of eight and six years respectively. The court said it was being lenient in the case of Kluge because he was under 21 when he assisted Jentsch in murdering Jews.

A war criminal who served the Gestapo during the Nazi occupation of Lithuania and took part in the murder of many Jews was sentenced to death in Plunge, it was reported in London. The defendant was Vincas Balteus who had lived in West Germany under an assumed name. He was arrested when he returned to Lithuania. A survivor, Israel Faktor, was one of the prosecution witnesses.

European Communities Commission Recommends Association Agreement With Israel

BRUSSELS, Oct. 29 (JTA)--The European Communities Commission has recommended an association agreement with Israel calling for the mutual abolition of tariffs on all industrial exports. The recommendation has been sent to the Council of Ministers of the European Common Market. But the negotiation of such an arrangement, which would require a political decision by the Council, does not seem likely in the near future owing to differences among the members.

The report of the Commission favored a total preferential system involving either a free trade area or a full customs union between Israel and the Common Mark states. It rejected proposals for a non-preferential agreement or a partial preferential system based on a 25 percent tariff reduction as insufficient to boost Israel's exports and encourage industrial investments. On the other hand, it was pointed out here, Israel might find it difficult to reduce its generally high tariffs in line with those of the six Common Market nations under a full preferential arrangement. At the moment The Netherlands is blocking progress in ECC contacts with Algeria in reprisal for French obstruction on the Israel issue.

Shutdown Of BBC's Short-Wave Hebrew Program Rapped By Anglo-Jewish Association

LONDON, Oct. 29 (JTA)--The Foreign Office's shutdown of the British Broadcasting Corporation's short wave Hebrew program came under fire here today from the president of the Anglo-Jewish Association. Harold S. Montefiore said that while France was broadcasting a daily quarter-hour Yiddish program on three wavelengths, the Foreign Office brought to an end the only Hebrew broadcasts outside Israel. Viscount Samuel was elected a member of the council of the association.

Jewish Leaders Plan 'Phone-A-Thon' For Humphrey-Muskie Ticket

NEW YORK, Oct. 29 (JTA)--A group of nationally known Jewish personalities made an appeal today to Jewish leaders in every community in the country to participate in a "chain reaction" campaign to ensure the election of Hubert H. Humphrey on Nov. 5 as President of the United States. The National Coordinating Committee for Humphrey-Muskie sent nearly 50,000 letters out today urging the recipients to participate in a "national phone-a-thon" by telephoning five friends and asking each of them to phone five friends for the Humphrey-Muskie ticket.

In newspaper advertisements this week, the committee, which is headed by Joseph H. Kanter of Cincinnati and Miami as chairman, and Dr. Dewey D. Stone of Brockton, Mass., as associate chairman, said it believed in Vice-President Humphrey because of his devotion to civil rights, his fight against bigotry and discrimination, his 23 years of fighting for social reforms, his work for world peace, his pledge to stop the bombing in Vietnam and his stand on Israel. The committee declared that Mr. Humphrey "has demonstrated his support for Israel at all the crucial stages of its creation, survival and development these past 20 years, and has been outspoken against Soviet anti-Semitism. We know that his commitment is heartfelt and not an election year posture."

Members of the committee include Louis Broido, David Dubinsky, Abe Feinberg, Mrs. Rose L. Halprin, Rabbi Abraham J. Heschel, Mrs. Charlotte Jacobson, Henry N. Rapaport, Prof. Seymour Seigel, and Dore Schary, all of New York; Jacob Blaustein, Baltimore; Wilbur J. Cohen, Secretary of Health, Education and Welfare; Irving J. Fain, Providence; Jacob Feldman, Dallas; Philip M. Klutznick, Chicago; Robert R. Nathan, Washington; Dr. Joachim Prinz, Newark; Sen. Abe Ribicoff, Hartford; Howard J. Samuels, Administrator, Small Business Administration; Joseph D. Shane, Los Angeles; Dr. Abram Sachar, Boston; Benjamin Swig, San Francisco; Carmine Warschaw, Los Angeles; Lewis Weinstein, Boston; and Dr. Jerome Wiesner, Cambridge, Mass.

(Three English-Jewish newspapers have advised the Jewish Telegraphic Agency that they have endorsed the Humphrey-Muskie ticket. They are the American Jewish World of Minneapolis, The Jewish News of Detroit and the Southern Israelite of Atlanta.)

Humphrey To Meet With Presidents Of Major Jewish Organizations

NEW YORK, Oct. 29 (JTA)--Democratic Presidential candidate Hubert H. Humphrey has accepted an invitation to be a guest Wednesday at a meeting here of the Council of Presidents of Major American Jewish Organizations. The group is made up of 22 major national Jewish organizations. Rabbi Herschel Schacter, organization chairman, extended the invitation. He said "the meeting will provide an opportunity to review Mr. Humphrey's position on questions of major importance to the U.S. Jewish community and to exchange information and views." Former Vice President Richard M. Nixon, the Republican candidate, addressed the group last week.

SCA Warns Anti-Semitism In New York School Dispute Has National Implications

NEW YORK, Oct. 29 (JTA)--The Synagogue Council of America charged today that "irresponsible and reckless individuals" had exploited the tensions of the New York City school dispute and warned there was a danger that disputes in America's major cities might "deteriorate into black-white and Negro-Jewish confrontations."

In a policy statement endorsed by the national synagogue and rabbinic agencies of Conservative, Orthodox and Reform Judaism, the SCA said exploitation of the school dispute issues to fan anti-Semitic and racial animosities was "poisoning the atmosphere of public discussion and striking at the roots of our existence as a community." The statement asserted that the school controversy, in which public schools have been closed 24 out of 35 days since the fall term began, resulted from the clash of "legitimate interests. To dismiss the legitimate goals of the Teachers Union as motivated by anti-Negro racism is as false and immoral as to distort the legitimate interests of the Ocean Hill-Brownsville local board as anti-white racism or anti-Semitism," the SCA said.

Rabbi Henry Siegman, SCA executive vice-president, said that the school dispute had assumed "implications" of national concern, adding that there were "genuine conflicts of interest that must be recognized for what they are before we can deal with them intelligently. Nothing would be more tragic than to have disputes that are bound to arise in New York and other major cities deteriorate into black-white and Negro-Jewish confrontations." Deploing injection of anti-Semitic elements into the school conflict, the SCA urged responsible leaders in all segments of the community to condemn such tactics and to dissociate themselves from them.

B'rith Abraham Protests Black Anti-Semitism In School Controversy

NEW YORK, Oct. 29 (JTA)--B'rith Abraham, a national Jewish fraternal order, protested today what it called "the anti-Semitic remarks by black agitators who use the schools and colleges as their forum for dissemination of hate." The protest was contained in a letter to Mayor John V. Lindsay deploring "the increased evidence of racism and anti-Semitism promoted by extremists and purveyors of hate, both black and white, over the school decentralization program." The letter was signed by Louis G. Baurer, Grand Master, Joseph R. Apfel, chairman of the Jewish rights committee, and Aaron Gold, Grand Secretary of B'rith Abraham. It said that the organization favored decentralization of the school system but it "should not be used as a means of displacing teachers of ability and tenure who are white and Jewish." The letter called on the mayor, the Board of Education and the teachers union to honor prior agreements so that New York City's schools may be reopened.