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Violence erupted after a series of resolutions were adopted which, in effect "forgave" the World Union of Jewish Students for their past defections from the Linet party line. This was greeted by shouts of 'WUJS Fatah' from Herut and Mizrachi youths and WUJS youth who sought to settle the issue by fisticuffs.

#### MANUFACTURE OF WEAPONS REACHING POINT WHERE EMBARGO CANNOT HARM ISRAEL

TEL AVIV. Jan. 30 (JTA)--Israel is approaching self-sufficiency in the manufacture of weapons to a point where ''no embargo can harm us.'! Yeshayahu Lavi, director general of the Defense Ministry said today in a radio interview. He stated that selfstifficiency would be reached when Israel achieves

the capability of turning out 60 percent of any weapons system at home. He said 90,000 workers are employed by the nation's defense industries.

Lavi disclosed that the volume of Israel's military industries increased by \$70 million last year compared to the previous year, reaching a record total of \$400 million. He said that Israel's military exports reached \$70 million last year and are expected to reach \$100 million next year. "There is a big demand for Israeli arms abroad--more than we can satisfy," Lavi said.

It was learned that Israel's sea-to-sea Gabriel missile is in great demand abroad. Israel Aircraft Industries which manufactures the Gabriel has orders for the weapon amounting to \$28 million. On the other hand, the firm has slowed down the production of civilian aircraft such as the Arava, a short takeoff-and-landing plane and the Commodore executive jet. The reason, according to informed sources, is that it has instructions from the Defense Ministry to divert workers from civilian production to military production for defense needs.

#### EFFORT FOR SOVIET JEWRY TO CONTINUE UNABATED DESPITE EASED EMIGRATION Solidarity Day Set For April 30

PALM BEACH, Fla., Jan. 30 (JTA) -- The head of the American Jewish community's organized effort for Soviet Jewry said today that this activity would continue unabated despite the fact that many more Soviet Jews were currently being permitted to emigrate to Israel than ever before.

Richard Maass, president of the National Conference on Soviet Jewry, and chairman of the American Jewish Committee's Bicentennial Commission, in an address to the Board of Governors of the AJCommittee at a special meeting here, declared that "the current exodus from the Soviet Union would not have come about had we not exerted pressures from outside simultaneously with the activities of Soviet Jews themselves. Were the Soviet authorities to believe that the issue no longer was of great concern to us and world opinion, they might well shut off emigration."

Maass listed four other reasons why the organized effort should not be allowed to end: Continued harassment and intimidation of those who wish to leave; an increased backlog of applications for exit permits, and indications that still more Jews wish to emigrate; internment in Soviet prisons of at least 40 Jews; hazards faced by Jews who care apply for exit permits, including loss of jobs and community ostracism.

Maass also announced that the NCSJ was declaring April 30 to be Russian Jewish Solidarity Day throughout the country. It is being coordinated by the National Jewish Community Relations Advisory Council and will involve Christian and Jewish leaders. Maass added that petitions addressed to President Nixon were now being circulated and would be proublied to him at the White House shortly after April 30. The goal for the petitions is one million signatures.

#### GENERAL ZIONISTS ELECTS NEW BEAD

JERUSALEM, Jan. 30 (JTA)--Ezra Shapiro of Cleveland, now chairman of Keren Hayesod and living in Israel, was elected president of the World Confederation of General Zionists at the concluding session of its world conference. He succeeds Dr. Israel Goldstein and Mrs. Rose Halprin who had been co-chairmen of the Federation

since its formation and were named honorary life presidents. Lord Janner of Great Britain was elected Honorary Vice-President.

The Confederation, to which Hadassah in the US is affiliated, is the second largest group in the World Zionist Organization. All elections were by acclamation. They are for a two-year term. Kalman Sultanik was elected executive vice-president (he was later elected to the Zionist Executive). Elected as vice-presidents were: Mrs. Charlotte Jacobson, Mrs. Faye Schenk, Dr. Harris Levine and Rabbi Isidore Bresalu, all of the US; Michel Topiol and Dr. I. Benvenisti of France; Sidney L. Shipton of Great Britain, Morris Borsuk of South Africa and Nathan Jacobson of Australia.

#### SPECIAL TO JTA

# SECOND AUTOPSY SHOWS JEWISH STUDENT DID NOT DIE OF NATURAL CAUSES Parents Had Insisted Death Was Due To Injuries Inflicted By Fellow Students

PARIS, Jan, 30 (JTA)—A second autopsy performed on Roger Allouche, a 14-year-old Jewish schoolboy who died in Toulouse last week, has confirmed his parents' suspicions that the youngster's death was not due to natural causes, it was learned here today. According to the parents, their son succumbed to injuries inflicted by fellow students at the St. Nicholas School, a Jesuit institution which the boy attended.

A police investigation was opened at the insistence of the parents after an initial autopsy report said the boy died of natural causes. The principal of the school had informed the parents that Roger died after a "fainting spell."

Roger was to have been buried last Friday but the burial was halted on police orders and a second autopsy was performed. The pathologist's report was not made public immediately. According to information from Toulouse, the pathologist told the boy's father unofficially that "your son did not die of natural causes." The pathologist reportedly said he found abrasions and bruises all over Roger's body and that his testicles were broken. Burial services will be held tomorrow.

Jewish sources reported that the elder Allouche became suspicious of his son's death because the boy had a row with his English teacher at the school several weeks ago. The teacher allegedly called him a "dirty Jew" who belonged to "this dirty race." His father suspected that the boy was assaulted by other students because he was Jewish. There was no immediate explanation of why a Jewish boy was enrolled in a Jesuit school.

#### ISRAEL-U.S. AGREEMENT ON NEGOTIATIONS FOR INTERIM CANAL ACCORD DUE SHORTLY

JERUSALEM, Jan. 30 (JTA) -- Political circles said here tonight that an agreement between Israel and the US on negotiations for an interim Suez accord with Egypt is expected within a short time. Foreign Minister Abba Eban, briefing the Cabinet today, said the talks with Washington are nearing a successful conclusion. It was learned that Israel has asked the US to agree to consult with her on any proposal Washington intends to bring before the two parties once hagetiations start.

Premier Golda Meir said in an interview with New York Times correspondent C.L. Sulzberger, published in today's Times, that Israel had made no commitment to the US to resume talks with the Arabs in exchange for the promised delivery of more Phantom jets but that Israel is ready nevertheless to participate in talks conducted by the United Nations special envoy Gunnar V. Jarring, According to the Sulzberger interview, Mrs. Meir said Israel's minimal demands included retention of the Sharm el-Sheikh strongpoint in

southern Sinai and a land bridge linking it with Israel; retention of East Jerusalem and the Golan Heights and a modification of Israel's old border with Jordan.

Mrs. Meir added, however, that once negotiations get underway, the Arabs may bring up any matter they wish. "We have never said that there is anything which the other side cannot put on the table," she told Sulzberger. "If Jordan comes and puts Jerusalem on the table, we won't get up and say, no, now we go home." But Mrs. Meir stressed, "Israel has taken a definite position that Jerusalem will not be divided again and is a part of Israel and is the capital of Israel. She agreed that there could be an arrangement for "Moslem administration of their noly places, but nothing territorial."

### PINCUS RE-ELECTED CHAIRMAN OF WZO EXECUTIVE; HALPERN, ROTHBERG LEAVE

JERUSALEM, Jan. 30 (JTA)--Louis Pincus was re-elected chairman of the World Zionist Organization Executive at the conclusion of the 28th WZCongress. The Confederation of General Zionists gained a third seat on the Executive. The Labor Zionists and Mizrachi also claimed victories in that each gained an additional member on the Executive. New and re-elected members of the current Executive are, in addition to Pincus, the following:

Mordechai Bar-On, Haim Finklestein, Raanan Weitz and Prof. Allen Poliock all Labor; Rabbi Mordechai Kirshblum, Moshe Krone and Rabbi Emanuel Rackman, all Mizrachi; Mrs. Charlotte Jacobson, Ezra Shapiro and Kalman Sultanik, all Confederation; Jacques Torczyner and Aryeh L. Dulzin, both World Union of General Zionists; Yosef Klarman, Herut; Avraham Shenker, Mapam; Andre Narbon, representing the Sephardim; Mrs. Raya Jaglom, WIZO; Rabbi Arthur Hertzberg, representing Conservative Judaism; Rabbi Richard Hirsch, representing Reform Judaism.

Others elected included: Rabbi Israel Miller, president of the American Zionist Federation, and Moshe Rivlin, Director General of the Jewish Agency, newly designated as the one associate member. All the scats but the last were elected. Torozyner replaces the retired Dr. Emanuel Neumann; Rabbi Hirsch replaces Rabbi Dr. Leon Feuer. Also departing from the American Executive are Ben Halpern and Sam Roth-

The Confederation's "gain" is Sultanik's seat. Labor's "gain" is Pollock; Labor had not previously been represented on the American Executive, but Halpern was Labor-inclined. Mizrachi's "gain" is Rabbi Rackman, its first American representative, but he has been serving on the Executive representing American Orthodoxy, not specifically Mizrachi. Pincus was unopposed as chairman. He was voted, in addition, the powers of president, though not the title.

## ARAB-JEWISH RELATIONS, ALLENDE SAYS

SANTIAGO, Jan. 30 (JTA)—The establishment of an Arab League Office in Chile will not cause deterioration of relations between Chile's Arab and Jewish communities, Pres. Salvador Allende Gossens told Rabbi Abraham Herzberg of Mexico City, who is visiting Latin America on a good-will tour as a member of an inter-faith mission. The President also said that complete freedom of religion exists in Chile. During his stay in this city, Rabbi Herzberg had an interview with Chile's Roman Catholic Primate, Silva Cardinal Henriquez, and met with Jewish leaders.

#### AJCOMMITTEE STUDY SHOWS BLACK MUSLIM MOVEMENT IS SOURCE OF ANTI-SEMITIC INFECTION IN THE BLACK COMMUNITY

PALM BEACH, Fla., Jan. 30 (JTA)--The Black Muslim movement, whose publication emits a "constant drumbeat of inflammatory anti-Zionism, anti-Israel and anti-Semitic propaganda," is potentially more menacing to Jews today than when it first came to public attention a decade ago because the Mulsims "are a significant source of anti-Semitic infection in the Black community." This was reported here yesterday by Philip E. Hoffman, president of the American Jewish Committee, whose Board of Governors is holding a special meeting here.

The report, compiled by Milton Ellerin, director of the Committee's Trends Analysis Division, discloses that the Black Muslims have made deer inroads into the Black ghettos in this country. Their publication, Muhammad Speaks, has a sworn paid circulation of 529,930; they have established approximately 50 mosques located in every large American city; their weekly radio broadcasts are carried over 70 radio stations in 60 cities; and consists of a "vast empire" whose physical assets "are valued in excess of \$20 million," the report adds.

The Muslim's newspaper, the analysts point out, indulges in anti-Semitism and persistently displays hostility towards Israel. This has become especially pronounced since the Suez crisis of 1956. "This attitude is readily transferable to American Jews, with whom most of the Muslim newspaper readers are in frequent contact." For in addition to anti-Israel features and distorted news items, Nazi-like stereotypes of Jews frequently appear in the publication.

The report also indicates that there are instances where the Muslims follow the Communist Party line, as, for example, in their castigation of civil rights activist Bayard Rustin after he protested the treatment of Soviet Jews by Communist officials. Finally, the report concludes that "it is uncontroverted that the Nation of Islam, anchored in the ghettos of America, is a significant force in Black America. The autocratic discipline imposed on its members, their unquestioning acceptance of Muslim dogma as enunciated by Elijah Muhammad (the 75-year-old self-proclaimed Messenger of Allah) through the widely-circulated Muhammad Speaks, gives the movement impact far beyond their numbers."

### SOVIET HARASSMENT OF JEWISH PRISONERS CONTINUES

NEW YORK, Jan. 30 (JTA)--The National Conference on Soviet Jewry has learned of a series of incidents in the Potma prison complex in the last few days which indicate that official Soviet harassment of Jewish prisoners continues. Roiza Palatnik is reported to be suffering from a heart condition, After her sister left for Israel, the criminal elements in the prison camp, spurred on by the camp authorities, again started harassing her.

Arkady Shpilberg has been assigned to hard labor although his health has deteriorated as a result of high blood pressure. Leib G. Knokh went on a hunger strike from Dec. 17 to 26 in protest against insults by the camp commander, Corkushev. The 50-year-old mathematician, Lev Korenblit, who was transferred from dirt digging to a sewing shop, developed an eye disease and is almost blind.

Arkady Voloshin, a prisoner, applied to the Supreme Court of the Soviet Union demanding the return of his books (a Jewish encyclopedia, a Hebrew-Russian dictionary and a Jewish prayer book) which were confiscated when he was arrested. He

was informed by the Supreme Court of the Moldavian Republic where his trial was conducted that the Jewish prayer book had been burned since it was "an anti-Soviet document." The other books, he was told, will not be returned to him for the same reason.

#### NIXON PRESENTED WITH 16-VOLUME ENCYCLOPEDIA JUDAICA: WILL BE KEPT PERMANENTLY IN WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30 (JTA)--President Nixon received Friday a specially bound set of the
sixteen-volume Encyclopedia Judaica just completed in Israel and declared that it will be kept
permanently in the White House. The volumes,
bound in leather and embossed in gold, were presented to Nixon by Israeli Ambassador Yitzhak
Rabin in a moving 15-minute meeting in the Oval
Room marked by an atmosphere of warm friendship among the representatives of the two countries.

Presenting the set in the name of Israel's President Zalman Shazar, Rabin handed the first volume to Nixon which bears the following inscription from the Israeli leader: "To a dear friend, his excellency Richard M. Nixon, President of the United States, in appreciation of his friendship to the people of the book whose story and culture are concentrated in these volumes."

Pointing to the Jewish "contributions to a civilization which lives by the doctrine of human liberty, the ethic of man's equality, the ideal of peace, and the principle of democratic government"
Rabin said America and Israel have a common heritage. He lauded the US which, he said, under Nixon's leadership "strives so magnificently to strengthen those whose freedoms are threatened."
Nixon declared he will look at the encyclopedia as a part of American history because the Jewish people have contributed so much to America.

Also attending the presentation were Herbert Stein, chairman of the President's Board of Economic Advisers, Max Fisher of Detroit, president of the Council of Jewish Federations and Welfare Funds, Chaim Herzog, chairman of the board of Keter Publishing Company in Jerusalem, which prepared the encyclopedia, and Jeremiah Caplan, president of Macmillan Co., Inc. of New York, which will distribute the encyclopedia in the US,

Herzeg-who is an Israeli Army Reserve General and a noted military analyst, explained that of the approximately 2,500 scholars who prepared the encyclopedia, about 60 percent are Israelis, 30 percent American Jews and 10 percent from other countries. He also told Nixon that a loan from the US government helped in the \$1,800 million project.

#### UJA OF GREATER NY LAUNCHING CAMPAIGN TO HELP BRING 70,000 IMMIGRANTS TO ISRAEL

NEW YORK, Jan. 30 (JTA)--More than 4,000 women leaders of the New York Jewish community will attend the opening rally of the Women's Division of the United Jewish Appeal of Greater New York on Tussday at the New York Hilton to officially inaugurate an intensive campaign to help meet the costs of bringing 70,000 new immigrants to Israel and of aiding needy Jews in Israel and other lands. Mrs. Solomon Strausberg is rally committee chairman.

#### MEMORIAL SERVICE HELD FOR 126 MARTYRS

BUCHAREST, Jan. 30 (JTA)--A memorial service for 126 Jewish martyrs killed in a pogrom here 31 years ago was held at the Choral Syna-gogue here. There was also a pilgrimage to the martyrs' graves in the local cemetery.



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The protests against the resolutions did not stem from opposition in principle to aliya by Zionist office holders but to making it a condition of holding office. An earlier resolution which the Congress adopted 200-136 applied the same sanctions against any Zionist office holder who failed to give his children a Zionist education preparatory for aliya. Hadassah also opposed that resolution on the grounds that it was unconstitutional to impose sanctions on members of a voluntary body.

The Hadassah walk-out shook the Congress at its stormy final session during which fist fights broke out repeatedly and bitter invectives were hurled between the Mizrachi and Herut delegates on one side and the Mapam and left-wing Zionist youth groups on the other. One point of contention between the two groups was the insistence by Mapam and left-wing Zionists that the rights of Palestinian Arabs be recognized in Congress resolutions and their opposition to Herut demands that more Jewish settlements be established in the occupied Arab territories.

Violence erupted after a series of resolutions were adopted which, in effect "forgave" the World Union of Jewish Students for their past defections from the Linet party line. This was greeted by shouts of 'WUJS Fatah' from Herut and Mizrachi youths and WUJS youth who sought to settle the issue by fisticuffs.

#### MANUFACTURE OF WEAPONS REACHING POINT WHERE EMBARGO CANNOT HARM ISRAEL

TEL AVIV. Jan. 30 (JTA)--Israel is approaching self-sufficiency in the manufacture of weapons to a point where ''no embargo can harm us.'! Yeshayahu Lavi, director general of the Defense Ministry said today in a radio interview. He stated that selfstifficiency would be reached when Israel achieves

the capability of turning out 60 percent of any weapons system at home. He said 90,000 workers are employed by the nation's defense industries.

Lavi disclosed that the volume of Israel's military industries increased by \$70 million last year compared to the previous year, reaching a record total of \$400 million. He said that Israel's military exports reached \$70 million last year and are expected to reach \$100 million next year. "There is a big demand for Israeli arms abroad--more than we can satisfy," Lavi said.

It was learned that Israel's sea-to-sea Gabriel missile is in great demand abroad. Israel Aircraft Industries which manufactures the Gabriel has orders for the weapon amounting to \$28 million. On the other hand, the firm has slowed down the production of civilian aircraft such as the Arava, a short takeoff-and-landing plane and the Commodore executive jet. The reason, according to informed sources, is that it has instructions from the Defense Ministry to divert workers from civilian production to military production for defense needs.

#### EFFORT FOR SOVIET JEWRY TO CONTINUE UNABATED DESPITE EASED EMIGRATION Solidarity Day Set For April 30

PALM BEACH, Fla., Jan. 30 (JTA) -- The head of the American Jewish community's organized effort for Soviet Jewry said today that this activity would continue unabated despite the fact that many more Soviet Jews were currently being permitted to emigrate to Israel than ever before.

Richard Maass, president of the National Conference on Soviet Jewry, and chairman of the American Jewish Committee's Bicentennial Commission, in an address to the Board of Governors of the AJCommittee at a special meeting here, declared that "the current exodus from the Soviet Union would not have come about had we not exerted pressures from outside simultaneously with the activities of Soviet Jews themselves. Were the Soviet authorities to believe that the issue no longer was of great concern to us and world opinion, they might well shut off emigration."

Maass listed four other reasons why the organized effort should not be allowed to end: Continued harassment and intimidation of those who wish to leave; an increased backlog of applications for exit permits, and indications that still more Jews wish to emigrate; internment in Soviet prisons of at least 40 Jews; hazards faced by Jews who care apply for exit permits, including loss of jobs and community ostracism.

Maass also announced that the NCSJ was declaring April 30 to be Russian Jewish Solidarity Day throughout the country. It is being coordinated by the National Jewish Community Relations Advisory Council and will involve Christian and Jewish leaders. Maass added that petitions addressed to President Nixon were now being circulated and would be proublied to him at the White House shortly after April 30. The goal for the petitions is one million signatures.

#### GENERAL ZIONISTS ELECTS NEW BEAD

JERUSALEM, Jan. 30 (JTA)--Ezra Shapiro of Cleveland, now chairman of Keren Hayesod and living in Israel, was elected president of the World Confederation of General Zionists at the concluding session of its world conference. He succeeds Dr. Israel Goldstein and Mrs. Rose Halprin who had been co-chairmen of the Federation

since its formation and were named honorary life presidents. Lord Janner of Great Britain was elected Honorary Vice-President.

The Confederation, to which Hadassah in the US is affiliated, is the second largest group in the World Zionist Organization. All elections were by acclamation. They are for a two-year term. Kalman Sultanik was elected executive vice-president (he was later elected to the Zionist Executive). Elected as vice-presidents were: Mrs. Charlotte Jacobson, Mrs. Faye Schenk, Dr. Harris Levine and Rabbi Isidore Bresalu, all of the US; Michel Topiol and Dr. I. Benvenisti of France; Sidney L. Shipton of Great Britain, Morris Borsuk of South Africa and Nathan Jacobson of Australia.

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# SECOND AUTOPSY SHOWS JEWISH STUDENT DID NOT DIE OF NATURAL CAUSES Parents Had Insisted Death Was Due To Injuries Inflicted By Fellow Students

PARIS, Jan, 30 (JTA)—A second autopsy performed on Roger Allouche, a 14-year-old Jewish schoolboy who died in Toulouse last week, has confirmed his parents' suspicions that the youngster's death was not due to natural causes, it was learned here today. According to the parents, their son succumbed to injuries inflicted by fellow students at the St. Nicholas School, a Jesuit institution which the boy attended.

A police investigation was opened at the insistence of the parents after an initial autopsy report said the boy died of natural causes. The principal of the school had informed the parents that Roger died after a "fainting spell."

Roger was to have been buried last Friday but the burial was halted on police orders and a second autopsy was performed. The pathologist's report was not made public immediately. According to information from Toulouse, the pathologist told the boy's father unofficially that "your son did not die of natural causes." The pathologist reportedly said he found abrasions and bruises all over Roger's body and that his testicles were broken. Burial services will be held tomorrow.

Jewish sources reported that the elder Allouche became suspicious of his son's death because the boy had a row with his English teacher at the school several weeks ago. The teacher allegedly called him a "dirty Jew" who belonged to "this dirty race." His father suspected that the boy was assaulted by other students because he was Jewish. There was no immediate explanation of why a Jewish boy was enrolled in a Jesuit school.

#### ISRAEL-U.S. AGREEMENT ON NEGOTIATIONS FOR INTERIM CANAL ACCORD DUE SHORTLY

JERUSALEM, Jan. 30 (JTA) -- Political circles said here tonight that an agreement between Israel and the US on negotiations for an interim Suez accord with Egypt is expected within a short time. Foreign Minister Abba Eban, briefing the Cabinet today, said the talks with Washington are nearing a successful conclusion. It was learned that Israel has asked the US to agree to consult with her on any proposal Washington intends to bring before the two parties once hagetiations start.

Premier Golda Meir said in an interview with New York Times correspondent C.L. Sulzberger, published in today's Times, that Israel had made no commitment to the US to resume talks with the Arabs in exchange for the promised delivery of more Phantom jets but that Israel is ready nevertheless to participate in talks conducted by the United Nations special envoy Gunnar V. Jarring, According to the Sulzberger interview, Mrs. Meir said Israel's minimal demands included retention of the Sharm el-Sheikh strongpoint in

southern Sinai and a land bridge linking it with Israel; retention of East Jerusalem and the Golan Heights and a modification of Israel's old border with Jordan.

Mrs. Meir added, however, that once negotiations get underway, the Arabs may bring up any matter they wish. "We have never said that there is anything which the other side cannot put on the table," she told Sulzberger. "If Jordan comes and puts Jerusalem on the table, we won't get up and say, no, now we go home." But Mrs. Meir stressed, "Israel has taken a definite position that Jerusalem will not be divided again and is a part of Israel and is the capital of Israel. She agreed that there could be an arrangement for "Moslem administration of their noly places, but nothing territorial."

### PINCUS RE-ELECTED CHAIRMAN OF WZO EXECUTIVE; HALPERN, ROTHBERG LEAVE

JERUSALEM, Jan. 30 (JTA)--Louis Pincus was re-elected chairman of the World Zionist Organization Executive at the conclusion of the 28th WZCongress. The Confederation of General Zionists gained a third seat on the Executive. The Labor Zionists and Mizrachi also claimed victories in that each gained an additional member on the Executive. New and re-elected members of the current Executive are, in addition to Pincus, the following:

Mordechai Bar-On, Haim Finklestein, Raanan Weitz and Prof. Allen Poliock all Labor; Rabbi Mordechai Kirshblum, Moshe Krone and Rabbi Emanuel Rackman, all Mizrachi; Mrs. Charlotte Jacobson, Ezra Shapiro and Kalman Sultanik, all Confederation; Jacques Torczyner and Aryeh L. Dulzin, both World Union of General Zionists; Yosef Klarman, Herut; Avraham Shenker, Mapam; Andre Narbon, representing the Sephardim; Mrs. Raya Jaglom, WIZO; Rabbi Arthur Hertzberg, representing Conservative Judaism; Rabbi Richard Hirsch, representing Reform Judaism.

Others elected included: Rabbi Israel Miller, president of the American Zionist Federation, and Moshe Rivlin, Director General of the Jewish Agency, newly designated as the one associate member. All the scats but the last were elected. Torozyner replaces the retired Dr. Emanuel Neumann; Rabbi Hirsch replaces Rabbi Dr. Leon Feuer. Also departing from the American Executive are Ben Halpern and Sam Roth-

The Confederation's "gain" is Sultanik's seat. Labor's "gain" is Pollock; Labor had not previously been represented on the American Executive, but Halpern was Labor-inclined. Mizrachi's "gain" is Rabbi Rackman, its first American representative, but he has been serving on the Executive representing American Orthodoxy, not specifically Mizrachi. Pincus was unopposed as chairman. He was voted, in addition, the powers of president, though not the title.

## ARAB-JEWISH RELATIONS, ALLENDE SAYS

SANTIAGO, Jan. 30 (JTA)—The establishment of an Arab League Office in Chile will not cause deterioration of relations between Chile's Arab and Jewish communities, Pres. Salvador Allende Gossens told Rabbi Abraham Herzberg of Mexico City, who is visiting Latin America on a good-will tour as a member of an inter-faith mission. The President also said that complete freedom of religion exists in Chile. During his stay in this city, Rabbi Herzberg had an interview with Chile's Roman Catholic Primate, Silva Cardinal Henriquez, and met with Jewish leaders.

#### AJCOMMITTEE S'TUDY SHOWS BLACK MUSLIM MOVEMENT IS SOURCE OF ANTI-SEMITIC INFECTION IN THE BLACK COMMUNITY

PALM BEACH, Fla., Jan. 30 (JTA)--The Black Muslim movement, whose publication emits a "constant drumbeat of inflammatory anti-Zionism, anti-Israel and anti-Semitic propaganda," is potentially more menacing to Jews today than when it first came to public attention a decade ago because the Mulsims "are a significant source of anti-Semitic infection in the Black community." This was reported here yesterday by Philip E. Hoffman, president of the American Jewish Committee, whose Board of Governors is holding a special meeting here.

The report, compiled by Milton Ellerin, director of the Committee's Trends Analysis Division, discloses that the Black Muslims have made deer inroads into the Black ghettos in this country. Their publication, Muhammad Speaks, has a sworn paid circulation of 529,930; they have established approximately 50 mosques located in every large American city; their weekly radio broadcasts are carried over 70 radio stations in 60 cities; and consists of a "vast empire" whose physical assets "are valued in excess of \$20 million," the report adds.

The Muslim's newspaper, the analysts point out, indulges in anti-Semitism and persistently displays hostility towards Israel. This has become especially pronounced since the Suez crisis of 1956. "This attitude is readily transferable to American Jews, with whom most of the Muslim newspaper readers are in frequent contact." For in addition to anti-Israel features and distorted news items, Nazi-like stereotypes of Jews frequently appear in the publication.

The report also indicates that there are instances where the Muslims follow the Communist Party line, as, for example, in their castigation of civil rights activist Bayard Rustin after he protested the treatment of Soviet Jews by Communist officials. Finally, the report concludes that "it is uncontroverted that the Nation of Islam, anchored in the ghettos of America, is a significant force in Black America. The autocratic discipline imposed on its members, their unquestioning acceptance of Muslim dogma as enunciated by Elijah Muhammad (the 75-year-old self-proclaimed Messenger of Allah) through the widely-circulated Muhammad Speaks, gives the movement impact far beyond their numbers."

### SOVIET HARASSMENT OF JEWISH PRISONERS CONTINUES

NEW YORK, Jan. 30 (JTA)--The National Conference on Soviet Jewry has learned of a series of incidents in the Potma prison complex in the last few days which indicate that official Soviet harassment of Jewish prisoners continues. Roiza Palatnik is reported to be suffering from a heart condition. After her sister left for Israel, the criminal elements in the prison camp, spurred on by the camp authorities, again started harassing her.

Arkady Shpilberg has been assigned to hard labor although his health has deteriorated as a result of high blood pressure. Leib G. Knokh went on a hunger strike from Dec. 17 to 26 in protest against insults by the camp commander, Corkushev. The 50-year-old mathematician, Lev Korenblit, who was transferred from dirt digging to a sewing shop, developed an eye disease and is almost blind.

Arkady Voloshin, a prisoner, applied to the Supreme Court of the Soviet Union demanding the return of his books (a Jewish encyclopedia, a Hebrew-Russian dictionary and a Jewish prayer book) which were confiscated when he was arrested. He was informed by the Supreme Court of the Moldavian Republic where his trial was conducted that the Jewish prayer book had been burned since it was "an anti-Soviet document." The other books, he was told, will not be returned to him for the same reason.

#### NIXON PRESENTED WITH 16-VOLUME ENCYCLOPEDIA JUDAICA: WILL BE KEPT PERMANENTLY IN WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30 (JTA)--President Nixon received Friday a specially bound set of the
sixteen-volume Encyclopedia Judaica just completed in Israel and declared that it will be kept
permanently in the White House. The volumes,
bound in leather and embossed in gold, were presented to Nixon by Israeli Ambassador Yitzhak
Rabin in a moving 15-minute meeting in the Oval
Room marked by an atmosphere of warm friendship among the representatives of the two countries.

Presenting the set in the name of Israel's President Zalman Shazar, Rabin handed the first volume to Nixon which bears the following inscription from the Israeli leader: "To a dear friend, his excellency Richard M. Nixon, President of the United States, in appreciation of his friendship to the people of the book whose story and culture are concentrated in these volumes."

Pointing to the Jewish "contributions to a civilization which lives by the doctrine of human liberty, the ethic of man's equality, the ideal of peace, and the principle of democratic government"
Rabin said America and Israel have a common heritage. He lauded the US which, he said, under Nixon's leadership "strives so magnificently to strengthen those whose freedoms are threatened."
Nixon declared he will look at the encyclopedia as a part of American history because the Jewish people have contributed so much to America.

Also attending the presentation were Herbert Stein, chairman of the President's Board of Economic Advisers, Max Fisher of Detroit, president of the Council of Jewish Federations and Welfare Funds, Chaim Herzog, chairman of the board of Keter Publishing Company in Jerusalem, which prepared the encyclopedia, and Jeremiah Caplan, president of Macmillan Co., Inc. of New York, which will distribute the encyclopedia in the US,

Herzeg-who is an Israeli Army Reserve General and a noted military analyst, explained that of the approximately 2,500 scholars who prepared the encyclopedia, about 60 percent are Israelis, 30 percent American Jews and 10 percent from other countries. He also told Nixon that a loan from the US government helped in the \$1,800 million project.

#### UJA OF GREATER NY LAUNCHING CAMPAIGN TO HELP BRING 70,000 IMMIGRANTS TO ISRAEL

NEW YORK, Jan. 30 (JTA)--More than 4,000 women leaders of the New York Jewish community will attend the opening rally of the Women's Division of the United Jewish Appeal of Greater New York on Tuesday at the New York Hilton to officially inaugurate an intensive campaign to help meet the costs of bringing 70,000 new immigrants to Israel and of aiding needy Jews in Israel and other lands. Mrs. Solomon Strausberg is rally committee chairman.

#### MEMORIAL SERVICE HELD FOR 126 MARTYRS

BUCHAREST, Jan. 30 (JTA)--A memorial service for 126 Jewish martyrs killed in a pogrom here 31 years ago was held at the Choral Syna-gogue here. There was also a pilgrimage to the martyrs' graves in the local cemetery.