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PARTY REPUDIATES ANTI-SEMITISM

JOHANNESBURG, Nov. 19 (JTA) -- The governing National Party has repudiated anti-Semitic canards expressed by one of its members against a Jewish leader of the opposition United Party during a recent bi-election meeting in Piet Retief, a country town. The local National Party leader apologized on the spot for his colleague's behavior and the outburst was condemned later by the National Party newspaper, Die Vaderland,

The meeting, organized by the United Party, was being addressed by Harry Schwartz, the party's Transvaal leader, when a National Party member interrupted to ask Schwartz if he was a Jew and rejected Christ. Schwartz replied that he was a Jew and subscribed to the Jewish religion. His heckler then called out, "If South Africa lands in a war your sort will be in Israel," Schwartz retorted angrily, "If another war comes you and your sort will again find an excuse not to fight for your country. I am a Jew and a better South African than you are. Your leaders will reject you." At that point the local National Party leader arose to apologize. He said the views expressed by the heckler were not those of his party.

Commenting on the incident, Die Vaderland said it deplored the anti-Semitic interjection and hoped that "this sort of racialism" will not occur again. The paper added, "It will be a bad day for South Africa if our politics sinks to the level where people will be attacked at political meetings because of their origin or faith,"

STUDY SHOWS BLACK STUDENTS LESS ANTI-SEMITIC THAN WHITE STUDENTS

NEW YORK, Nov. 19 (JTA) -- A study of teenagers in three integrated East Coast school districts reveals a high incidence of anti-Jewish prejudice -- but with black youngsters less anti-Semitic than their white counterparts. The study, made public yesterday by the Anti-Defamation League of B'nai B'rith, further reveals little or no effort on the part of the schools themselves to improve intergroup relations and attitudes.

The findings were presented at the ADL's 59th annual meeting here. Seymour Graubard, the ADL's national chairman, said the study will be published next year as the seventh book in an ADL series on various aspects of anti-Semitism and other prejudice, conducted for the agency by the Survey Research Center at the University of California.

Dr. Charles Y. Glock, who directed the research team and is coordinator of the series, gave as a principal finding that "anti-Semitism among adolescents is linked with parental and academic deprivation." The education and income of the parents, the academic performance of the student, and whether or not he expects to go to college, were used as measures of deprivation. It was found that "parental deprivation leads to academic deprivation, which then leads to prejudice." The "more deprived youngster was always the more anti-Semitic -- except for Blacks," Dr. Glock said.

He called it "perplexing" that although the Black teenagers were on the average more deprived than the white, they were less prejudiced against Jews. "It would appear," he said, "that acks tend to be prejudiced against whites and do not make the distinction of whether the white is Jewish or Christian." He added that there was "considerable anti-Black feeling among both the Jewish and non-Jewish white adolescents, although slightly less among the Jewish youngsters." There was nothing in the school curriculum in the districts tested which attempted to deal with prejudice head on, to teach young people cognitively what prejudice is and how it comes about.

Conditions Which Generate Anti-Semitism

The study concentrates on the conditions which generate anti-Semitism and prejudice in adolescents. It was conducted among 4600 eighth, tenth and twelfth graders in three school districts. Each of the communities has a student population which is about 20 percent Black. The first has a 50 percent Jewish student body; the second, a 23 percent, and the third has few Jews.

Dr. Glock said that despite previous studies of adults which showed the incidence of anti-Semitism less among those in contact with Jews, "this study revealed more anti-Jewish feeling among adolescents ir the two districts with Jewish students than in the community where there were virtually none."

He said that a substantial majority in all three communities—between 75 percent and 83 percent-viewed Jewish teenagers as being intelligent, ambitious and successful. These positive traits, however, were given negative connotations by some 60 percent of the students in the two towns with significant Jewish student bodies, who said their Jewish classmates were concetted, selfish and bossy.

Dr. Glock pointed out that where non-Jewish successful students were disliked, they were assessed as individuals and not by their religions. Declaring that while "academic success tends to breed conceit simply because the school puts such high value on this kind of achievement." Dr. Glock said that the anti-Semitic youngsters saw conceit as "an inherent Jewish trait." On the other hand, he continued, "the more privileged students, themselves successful, recognized that it was not."

SAPIR REPORTS PROGRESS ON ALL ECONOMIC, SOCIAL FRONTS IN ISRAEL

JERUSALEM, Nov. 19 (JTA)--Finance Minister Pinhas Sapir painted a picture of progress on all economic fronts in Israel in his annual economic report to the Cabinet today and promised greater achievements in housing, education and welfare, israel has "nothing to be ashamed o?" in the social and economic spheres, Sapir said. But he warned against increasing inflationary pressures.

During his three-and-a-half hour presentation, Sapir expressed confidence that the housing shortage for newly married couples would be ended by 1975. He said IL 150 million and \$150 million have been contributed toward health, education and welfare projects by private sources which he did not identify; 5500 hospital beds are being built in new hospitals and extensions of existing hospitals; and that in four years a 10th grade education will be made free and compulsory. At present, compulsory education ends in the ninth grade,

Sapir reported 108 strikes this year, 32 fewer than during the corresponding period of last year. He said the strikes caused the loss of 162,000 work days against 165,000 work days lost in the corresponding period last year, and that the number of strikes in the public sector dropped from 80 last year to 50 this year.

Other points made by Sapir were that IL 3 billion has been invested in building and that larsel's trade deficit will be \$100 million. According to the World Bank, Israel's economy ranks 18th of 122 countries with populations of over one million, and ranks 48th among nation's generally. It compares favorably with the economy of Egypt which has 10 times israel's pop-

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RIBICOFF SAYS CONGRESS SUPPORTS
POLICY TO ENSURE ISRAEL'S SECURITY

TEL AVIV, Nov. 19 (3TA)--Sen. Abraham Ribicoff (D. Conn.) said here today that both Houses of the U.S. Congress backed a policy that ensures Israel's independence and security and will see 'o' it that Israel gets all she needs for her survival. The Democratic law-maker who arrived here with his wife on a private visit, told newsmen at the airport that he did not think the U.S. should attempt to solve the Middle East conflict because "the natter rests with Israel, the Egyptians and the Russians." He said, however, that there was in America a will to find a solution. Ribicoff, one of the two Jews in the U.S. Senate, denied that he had vice-presidential ambitions for 1976.

ARAB SUMMIT MEETING FAILS TO RESOLVE DIFFERENCES OVER PLANS TO CONFRONT ISRAEL; JORDAN, PALESTINIANS IN DISPUTE

WASHINGTON, Nov. 19 (JTA)—A four-day meeting of Arab foreign and defense ministers in Kuwait ended yesterday apparently without resolving the differences among them over plans for a confrontation with Israel. The meeting was attended by the ministers of 12 Arab League member states and representatives of the Palestine Liberation Organization.

The continuing dispute between Jordan and the Palestinians appeared to be the major cause of the stalemate. Mahmoud Riad, Secretary General of the Arab League and a former Foreign Minister of Egypt, said after the gathering that "the dispute between Jordan and the Palestinians is continuing even more fiercely than before, Our mediation efforts to resolve this dispute have failed."

A move for a new summit meeting of Arab heads of state, backed by Egypt, Syria, Lebanon and Kuwait apparently got nowhere. Riad made no reference to it at a press conference. But he said the Arab chiefs of staff would continue their talks in Cairo on military aspects of the Middle East situation to be followed by a meeting of the Arab Defense Council in Jan.

An Army spokesman announced today in Jerusalem that a network of terrorists belonging to the Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine was discovered in Oct. by security forces in the Gaza Strip. Twenty terrorists were arrested in the Muzzi, Dir el Ballah, Nuseirat and Khan Yunis refugee camps. The suspects were found to be in possession of arms and sabotage equipment and a large quantity of PFLP leaflets. Security forces attributed terrorist acts to this network near Kefar Darom and at the Nuseirat refugee camp.

Officials in London reported that a letter bomb was discovered Friday at Westminister Palace, the home of the British Parliament, addressed to Maurice Edelman, a Jewish Member of Parliament. The letter bomb, posted in India, was rendered harmless by security forces. Special security measures had been put into effect after a letter bomb had been detected on a previous occasion. Edelman is the former president of the Anglo-Jewish Association and presently chairman of the Association's Foreign Affairs Committee.

Two Israeli Army vehicles were damaged Friday by mines in the Golan Heights. There were no casualties. There was a brief exchange of fire across the Israeli-Syrian line.

MILLS: NIXON MUST BE WATCHED TO MAKE SURE HE DOESN'T ABANDON ISRAEL

NEW YORK, Nov. 19 (JTA)--Rep. Wilbur Mills (D. Ark.) cautioned Jewish leaders here to keep a close watch on President Nixon to make sure he desen't abandon support for Israel in order to improve his working relationships with the Soviet Union. Mills, who is chairman of the powerful House Ways and Means Committee, addressed a luncheon Friday of the B'nai B'rith Anti-Defamation League attended by the 200 national commissioners who make up the ADL's Board of Governors.

"Fallure by the President to recognize the importance of Israel in the Middle East could be disactous to the future of that great democracy." he said. He asserted Nixon must recognize that it was not a matter of which nation was more importantisared or the USSR--but simply that "we must maintain our support of Israel." Mills said the "American people will not countenance such a move by President Nixon and I am calling on the President now to make his position clear."

Asked what specifically prompted him to raise a warning of a possible Presidential reversal of policy toward Israel, Mills repiled, "I am a little susplicious because of the background of Mr. Nixon." He added that "Nixon should be watched over the concessions that have been made and those which will be reached in the future between Washington and Moscow."

BIKEL URGES JANE FONDA TO BY-PASS PALESTINIAN FILM FESTIVAL IN IRAQ

NEW YORK, Nov. 19 (JTA).—Theodore Bikel urged actress and peace activist Jane Fonda not to attend a Palestinian film festival in Baghdad, because her presence "would most certainly be construed as endorsement of such obscendities as the Munich massacre." "Variety" reported this week that Ms. Fonda had been invited to the "First World Festival on Palestine Films and Programs" scheduled for March, and that many of the films to be shown were "strongly anti-Israel,"

Bikel, first vice-president of Actors Equity, cochairman of the national Governing Council of the American Jewish Congress and active in the peace movement, sent Ms. Fonda a wire yesterday asserting that the film festival slogan, "Liberation of Palestine is the Pillar for World Peace," was a euphemism that "ill disguises terror, arson, sabotage and murder of Jews. Your participation would most certainly be construed as endorsement of such obscenities as the Munich massacre." Bikel said in his telegram. "In the name of Jews whose credentials in the peace movement should command your attention, I earnestly beg you not to give support to the murderers of our people." He signed the wire as co-chairman of the Congress' Governing Council.

DAYAN: ISRAEL WELCOMES PROSPECTS OF MASS ALIYA FROM THE USSR

CHICAGO, Nov. 19 (JTA).—Gen. Moshe Dayan, Israel's Defense Minister, said here Thursday night that Israel welcomed any prospect that the Soviet Union would allow all Jews who wished to emigrate to Israel to do so and could absorb them all. He made the statement in reply to a question at an Israel Bond dinner here at which he was honored as Israel Bond Man of the Year.

Dayan said, in response to another question, that if Israel remained strong, the prospects of renewal of hostilities in the Mideast were slight and that he foresaw no real likelihood of renewed warfare, He also said that he felt the Israel-Jordan ceasefire agreement was durable because it was as much to Jordan's benefit as to Israel's, and that ultimately it could lead to a more formal settlement.

In his address, the Defense Minister said Israel had three main problems; keeping its defenses strong, resettlement in the new territories, and taking in Soviet immigrants and absorbing them. Massive support, including Israel Bond incoine, from world Jewry, is vital to meeting those problems, he said.

Israel Bond Organization officials announced that \$6.44 million in Bonds were sold in connection with the dinner, bringing to \$18 million total Israel Bond sales for 1972 in the Chicago area. The officials said they expected 1972 sales to top the \$21.8 million results in 1971.

DR. NEUMANN CASTIGATES UN FOR HOSTILITY TOWARD JEWISH STATE Describes UN's Reversal Since 1947

NEW YORK, Nov. 19 (JTA)--Dr. Emanuel Neumann, who was one of the American Zionist leaders present at the United Nations 25 years ago when it adopted the historic partition resolution sanctioning the establishment of a Jewish State in Palestine, accused the UN last night of unfriendliness toward the nation it helped create.

Addressing more than 800 persons at a commemorative assembly sponsored by the Herzl Institute and the American Zionist Federation to mark the 25th anniversary of the partition resolution adopted on Nov. 29, 1947, Dr. Neumann deplored "The change that has developed in the past quarter century in the UN that has made the original friendly sponsor of the Jewish State the unfair antagonist of Israel."

But he paid tribute to Nov. 29, 1947 as the Un's "finest hour." He said "We hail today not the organization called the United Nations nor its present structure and the composition of its membership. We hail the spirit of '47."

Dr. Neumann attributed the change that he said has taken place in the UN's attlude toward lareal to the fact that the world organization "has become crowided with the new nations of Africa and this new world is burning with hostility against colonialism and imperialism and had cockedly unfriendly to israel." He said that another factor was that "the Soviet Union which played an important affirmative role in voting for the establishment of a Jewish State, has for reasons of its own changed its position."

Israel Under Increasing Pressure

Rabbi Israel Miller, president of the AZF, cautioned friends of Israel that attempts may be made shortly once again to pressure Israel into accepting terms for an interim settlement with Egypt which could be harmful to Israel's security interests as well as to the possibilities for a just, long-range settlement." According to Rabbi Miller, "iff such attempts are made, and they could be made even by some leaders of the American government, they must be resisted with the full force that an alert public can mobilize."

Rabbi Miller noted that last night's commemoration also marked the 55th anniversary of the Balfour Declaration which, along with the UN's partition resolution was a "vital underpinning" for the establishment of the State of Israel, and a diplomatic break-through of gigantic proportions."



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She said she hoped to obtain approval for such a congress by Dec. 10, the 24th anniversary of the UN Human Rights Charter. "Then we hope that by Dec. 10, 1973, the 25th anniversary, the congress would have taken place and the world well along the road to peace." she said. SMOG attained international prominence when it made the first disclosure of the plight of the dissident Soviet writers Andre Siniavsky and

Yuri Daniel who were arrested in Feb. 1966 for allegedly having written anti-Soviet material. LEADER OF SOUTH AFRICA'S NATIONAL

PARTY REPUDIATES ANTI-SEMITISM

JOHANNESBURG, Nov. 19 (JTA) -- The governing National Party has repudiated anti-Semitic canards expressed by one of its members against a Jewish leader of the opposition United Party during a recent bi-election meeting in Piet Retief, a country town. The local National Party leader apologized on the spot for his colleague's behavior and the outburst was condemned later by the National Party newspaper, Die Vaderland,

The meeting, organized by the United Party, was being addressed by Harry Schwartz, the party's Transvaal leader, when a National Party member interrupted to ask Schwartz if he was a Jew and rejected Christ. Schwartz replied that he was a Jew and subscribed to the Jewish religion. His heckler then called out, "If South Africa lands in a war your sort will be in Israel," Schwartz retorted angrily, "If another war comes you and your sort will again find an excuse not to fight for your country. I am a Jew and a better South African than you are. Your leaders will reject you." At that point the local National Party leader arose to apologize. He said the views expressed by the heckler were not those of his party.

Commenting on the incident, Die Vaderland said it deplored the anti-Semitic interjection and hoped that "this sort of racialism" will not occur again. The paper added, "It will be a bad day for South Africa if our politics sinks to the level where people will be attacked at political meetings because of their origin or faith,"

STUDY SHOWS BLACK STUDENTS LESS ANTI-SEMITIC THAN WHITE STUDENTS

NEW YORK, Nov. 19 (JTA) -- A study of teenagers in three integrated East Coast school districts reveals a high incidence of anti-Jewish prejudice -- but with black youngsters less anti-Semitic than their white counterparts. The study, made public yesterday by the Anti-Defamation League of B'nai B'rith, further reveals little or no effort on the part of the schools themselves to improve intergroup relations and attitudes.

The findings were presented at the ADL's 59th annual meeting here. Seymour Graubard, the ADL's national chairman, said the study will be published next year as the seventh book in an ADL series on various aspects of anti-Semitism and other prejudice, conducted for the agency by the Survey Research Center at the University of California.

Dr. Charles Y. Glock, who directed the research team and is coordinator of the series, gave as a principal finding that "anti-Semitism among adolescents is linked with parental and academic deprivation." The education and income of the parents, the academic performance of the student, and whether or not he expects to go to college, were used as measures of deprivation. It was found that "parental deprivation leads to academic deprivation, which then leads to prejudice." The "more deprived youngster was always the more anti-Semitic -- except for Blacks," Dr. Glock said.

He called it "perplexing" that although the Black teenagers were on the average more deprived than the white, they were less prejudiced against Jews. "It would appear," he said, "that acks tend to be prejudiced against whites and do not make the distinction of whether the white is Jewish or Christian." He added that there was "considerable anti-Black feeling among both the Jewish and non-Jewish white adolescents, although slightly less among the Jewish youngsters." There was nothing in the school curriculum in the districts tested which attempted to deal with prejudice head on, to teach young people cognitively what prejudice is and how it comes about.

Conditions Which Generate Anti-Semitism

The study concentrates on the conditions which generate anti-Semitism and prejudice in adolescents. It was conducted among 4600 eighth, tenth and twelfth graders in three school districts. Each of the communities has a student population which is about 20 percent Black. The first has a 50 percent Jewish student body; the second, a 23 percent, and the third has few Jews.

Dr. Glock said that despite previous studies of adults which showed the incidence of anti-Semitism less among those in contact with Jews, "this study revealed more anti-Jewish feeling among adolescents ir the two districts with Jewish students than in the community where there were virtually none."

He said that a substantial majority in all three communities—between 75 percent and 83 percent-viewed Jewish teenagers as being intelligent, ambitious and successful. These positive traits, however, were given negative connotations by some 60 percent of the students in the two towns with significant Jewish student bodies, who said their Jewish classmates were concetted, selfish and bossy.

Dr. Glock pointed out that where non-Jewish successful students were disliked, they were assessed as individuals and not by their religions. Declaring that while "academic success tends to breed conceit simply because the school puts such high value on this kind of achievement." Dr. Glock said that the anti-Semitic youngsters saw conceit as "an inherent Jewish trait." On the other hand, he continued, "the more privileged students, themselves successful, recognized that it was not."

SAPIR REPORTS PROGRESS ON ALL ECONOMIC, SOCIAL FRONTS IN ISRAEL

JERUSALEM, Nov. 19 (JTA)--Finance Minister Pinhas Sapir painted a picture of progress on all economic fronts in Israel in his annual economic report to the Cabinet today and promised greater achievements in housing, education and welfare, israel has "nothing to be ashamed o?" in the social and economic spheres, Sapir said. But he warned against increasing inflationary pressures.

During his three-and-a-half hour presentation, Sapir expressed confidence that the housing shortage for newly married couples would be ended by 1975. He said IL 150 million and \$150 million have been contributed toward health, education and welfare projects by private sources which he did not identify; 5500 hospital beds are being built in new hospitals and extensions of existing hospitals; and that in four years a 10th grade education will be made free and compulsory. At present, compulsory education ends in the ninth grade,

Sapir reported 108 strikes this year, 32 fewer than during the corresponding period of last year. He said the strikes caused the loss of 162,000 work days against 165,000 work days lost in the corresponding period last year, and that the number of strikes in the public sector dropped from 80 last year to 50 this year.

Other points made by Sapir were that IL 3 billion has been invested in building and that larsel's trade deficit will be \$100 million. According to the World Bank, Israel's economy ranks 18th of 122 countries with populations of over one million, and ranks 48th among nation's generally. It compares favorably with the economy of Egypt which has 10 times israel's pop-

ulation.

RIBICOFF SAYS CONGRESS SUPPORTS
POLICY TO ENSURE ISRAEL'S SECURITY

TEL AVIV, Nov. 19 (3TA)--Sen. Abraham Ribicoff (D. Conn.) said here today that both Houses of the U.S. Congress backed a policy that ensures Israel's independence and security and will see 'o' it that Israel gets all she needs for her survival. The Democratic law-maker who arrived here with his wife on a private visit, told newsmen at the airport that he did not think the U.S. should attempt to solve the Middle East conflict because "the natter rests with Israel, the Egyptians and the Russians." He said, however, that there was in America a will to find a solution. Ribicoff, one of the two Jews in the U.S. Senate, denied that he had vice-presidential ambitions for 1976.

ARAB SUMMIT MEETING FAILS TO RESOLVE DIFFERENCES OVER PLANS TO CONFRONT ISRAEL; JORDAN, PALESTINIANS IN DISPUTE

WASHINGTON, Nov. 19 (JTA)—A four-day meeting of Arab foreign and defense ministers in Kuwait ended yesterday apparently without resolving the differences among them over plans for a confrontation with Israel. The meeting was attended by the ministers of 12 Arab League member states and representatives of the Palestine Liberation Organization.

The continuing dispute between Jordan and the Palestinians appeared to be the major cause of the stalemate. Mahmoud Riad, Secretary General of the Arab League and a former Foreign Minister of Egypt, said after the gathering that "the dispute between Jordan and the Palestinians is continuing even more fiercely than before, Our mediation efforts to resolve this dispute have failed."

A move for a new summit meeting of Arab heads of state, backed by Egypt, Syria, Lebanon and Kuwait apparently got nowhere. Riad made no reference to it at a press conference. But he said the Arab chiefs of staff would continue their talks in Cairo on military aspects of the Middle East situation to be followed by a meeting of the Arab Defense Council in Jan.

An Army spokesman announced today in Jerusalem that a network of terrorists belonging to the Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine was discovered in Oct. by security forces in the Gaza Strip. Twenty terrorists were arrested in the Muzzi, Dir el Ballah, Nuseirat and Khan Yunis refugee camps. The suspects were found to be in possession of arms and sabotage equipment and a large quantity of PFLP leaflets. Security forces attributed terrorist acts to this network near Kefar Darom and at the Nuseirat refugee camp.

Officials in London reported that a letter bomb was discovered Friday at Westminister Palace, the home of the British Parliament, addressed to Maurice Edelman, a Jewish Member of Parliament. The letter bomb, posted in India, was rendered harmless by security forces. Special security measures had been put into effect after a letter bomb had been detected on a previous occasion. Edelman is the former president of the Anglo-Jewish Association and presently chairman of the Association's Foreign Affairs Committee.

Two Israeli Army vehicles were damaged Friday by mines in the Golan Heights. There were no casualties. There was a brief exchange of fire across the Israeli-Syrian line.

MILLS: NIXON MUST BE WATCHED TO MAKE SURE HE DOESN'T ABANDON ISRAEL

NEW YORK, Nov. 19 (JTA)--Rep. Wilbur Mills (D. Ark.) cautioned Jewish leaders here to keep a close watch on President Nixon to make sure he desen't abandon support for Israel in order to improve his working relationships with the Soviet Union. Mills, who is chairman of the powerful House Ways and Means Committee, addressed a luncheon Friday of the B'nai B'rith Anti-Defamation League attended by the 200 national commissioners who make up the ADL's Board of Governors.

"Fallure by the President to recognize the importance of Israel in the Middle East could be disactous to the future of that great democracy." he said. He asserted Nixon must recognize that it was not a matter of which nation was more importantisared or the USSR--but simply that "we must maintain our support of Israel." Mills said the "American people will not countenance such a move by President Nixon and I am calling on the President now to make his position clear."

Asked what specifically prompted him to raise a warning of a possible Presidential reversal of policy toward Israel, Mills repiled, "I am a little susplicious because of the background of Mr. Nixon." He added that "Nixon should be watched over the concessions that have been made and those which will be reached in the future between Washington and Moscow."

BIKEL URGES JANE FONDA TO BY-PASS PALESTINIAN FILM FESTIVAL IN IRAQ

NEW YORK, Nov. 19 (JTA).—Theodore Bikel urged actress and peace activist Jane Fonda not to attend a Palestinian film festival in Baghdad, because her presence "would most certainly be construed as endorsement of such obscendities as the Munich massacre." "Variety" reported this week that Ms. Fonda had been invited to the "First World Festival on Palestine Films and Programs" scheduled for March, and that many of the films to be shown were "strongly anti-Israel,"

Bikel, first vice-president of Actors Equity, cochairman of the national Governing Council of the American Jewish Congress and active in the peace movement, sent Ms. Fonda a wire yesterday asserting that the film festival slogan, "Liberation of Palestine is the Pillar for World Peace," was a euphemism that "ill disguises terror, arson, sabotage and murder of Jews. Your participation would most certainly be construed as endorsement of such obscenities as the Munich massacre." Bikel said in his telegram. "In the name of Jews whose credentials in the peace movement should command your attention, I earnestly beg you not to give support to the murderers of our people." He signed the wire as co-chairman of the Congress' Governing Council.

DAYAN: ISRAEL WELCOMES PROSPECTS OF MASS ALIYA FROM THE USSR

CHICAGO, Nov. 19 (JTA).—Gen. Moshe Dayan, Israel's Defense Minister, said here Thursday night that Israel welcomed any prospect that the Soviet Union would allow all Jews who wished to emigrate to Israel to do so and could absorb them all. He made the statement in reply to a question at an Israel Bond dinner here at which he was honored as Israel Bond Man of the Year.

Dayan said, in response to another question, that if Israel remained strong, the prospects of renewal of hostilities in the Mideast were slight and that he foresaw no real likelihood of renewed warfare, He also said that he felt the Israel-Jordan ceasefire agreement was durable because it was as much to Jordan's benefit as to Israel's, and that ultimately it could lead to a more formal settlement.

In his address, the Defense Minister said Israel had three main problems; keeping its defenses strong, resettlement in the new territories, and taking in Soviet immigrants and absorbing them. Massive support, including Israel Bond incoine, from world Jewry, is vital to meeting those problems, he said.

Israel Bond Organization officials announced that \$6.44 million in Bonds were sold in connection with the dinner, bringing to \$18 million total Israel Bond sales for 1972 in the Chicago area. The officials said they expected 1972 sales to top the \$21.8 million results in 1971.

DR. NEUMANN CASTIGATES UN FOR HOSTILITY TOWARD JEWISH STATE Describes UN's Reversal Since 1947

NEW YORK, Nov. 19 (JTA)--Dr. Emanuel Neumann, who was one of the American Zionist leaders present at the United Nations 25 years ago when it adopted the historic partition resolution sanctioning the establishment of a Jewish State in Palestine, accused the UN last night of unfriendliness toward the nation it helped create.

Addressing more than 800 persons at a commemorative assembly sponsored by the Herzl Institute and the American Zionist Federation to mark the 25th anniversary of the partition resolution adopted on Nov. 29, 1947, Dr. Neumann deplored "The change that has developed in the past quarter century in the UN that has made the original friendly sponsor of the Jewish State the unfair antagonist of Israel."

But he paid tribute to Nov. 29, 1947 as the Un's "finest hour." He said "We hail today not the organization called the United Nations nor its present structure and the composition of its membership. We hail the spirit of '47."

Dr. Neumann attributed the change that he said has taken place in the UN's attlude toward lareal to the fact that the world organization "has become crowided with the new nations of Africa and this new world is burning with hostility against colonialism and imperialism and had cockedly unfriendly to israel." He said that another factor was that "the Soviet Union which played an important affirmative role in voting for the establishment of a Jewish State, has for reasons of its own changed its position."

Israel Under Increasing Pressure

Rabbi Israel Miller, president of the AZF, cautioned friends of Israel that attempts may be made shortly once again to pressure Israel into accepting terms for an interim settlement with Egypt which could be harmful to Israel's security interests as well as to the possibilities for a just, long-range settlement." According to Rabbi Miller, "iff such attempts are made, and they could be made even by some leaders of the American government, they must be resisted with the full force that an alert public can mobilize."

Rabbi Miller noted that last night's commemoration also marked the 55th anniversary of the Balfour Declaration which, along with the UN's partition resolution was a "vital underpinning" for the establishment of the State of Israel, and a diplomatic break-through of gigantic proportions."