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TERRORISTS HAVE RE-ENTERED S. LEBANON IN LARGE NUMBERS, ISRAEL CLAIMS

By Yitzhak Shargil

TEL AVIV, June 20 (JTA)--Armed terrorists have penetrated into south Lebanon despite control of the Litani River bridges by units of the United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon (UNIFIL) and have begun harassing the local population in the areas evacuated by Israel in the first two stages of its withdrawal from south Lebanon last month, it was learned today.

Israeli and UNIFIL officials dispute the number of terrorists in the region. The Israelis claim there are now 500 in the area under UN control. General Emmanuel Erskine, commander of UNIFIL, says that no more than 150 have infiltrated his lines. Israel claims terrorists are now located in the Tebnin area, the El Phukhar region and the Arkub district of "Fatah Land," the easternmost sector of south Lebanon. More terrorists, concentrated at Nabatiyeh and Khtzboya, north of the Litani, are preparing to enter south Lebanon, Israeli sources said.

Terrorizing Villagers

According to the sources, the terrorists who have already crossed the Litani are trying to coerce the local population to cooperate with them. A terror campaign has been aimed mainly at the Shi'a Moslem villages. Two terrorists were captured recently by Christian militiamen in Yarin village in the security belt evacuated by Israel last week. But there are no indications that terrorists have entered that area which is controlled by an independent Christian militia. The latter have broken away from the militia commanded by Maj. Saad Haddad and Maj. Sammy Shediak who were recognized provisionally by the authorities in Beirut as representatives of the Lebanese regular army.

Many Shi'a villagers have joined the independent Christian militia which refuses to accept the authority of UNIFIL in the last area evacuated by Israel. It has rejected the agreement reached between Maj. Haddad and Gen. Erskine. But in the past few days UNIFIL units have been permitted to enter the area and to move freely in the Christian enclaves. Norwegian officers of UNIFIL have categorically denied press reports in Oslo that the Norwegian soldiers are under siege by the Christian militia. They said they are supplied daily and have no difficulties. A Norwegian diplomat in Beirut attributed the reports to journalists who were not permitted to enter the area.

No Guarantee Against Attacks

Meanwhile, Gen. Avigdor Ben-Gal, commander of Israeli forces in the north, told representatives of Israeli border settlements today that there was no way to guarantee that they will not again be targets of terrorist attacks. He said Katyusha rockets launched north of the Litani River had the range to hit targets in northern Israel. However, Ben-Gal said, the Israeli operation in south Lebanon created new conditions that make the border settlements more secure than they had been. He said it would be extremely

difficult for the terrorists to launch attacks from the evacuated area, considering the presence of the Christian militia and the thousands of UNIFIL soldiers.

BEGIN URGES MONDALE TO INTERVENE ON BEHALF OF JEWISH DISSIDENTS FACING TRIAL IN USSR

By David Landau

JERUSALEM, June 20 (JTA)--Premier Menachem Begin called on Vice President Walter Mondale today to exert his "maximum efforts" on behalf of leading Jewish dissidents imprisoned or facing trial in the Soviet Union. Begin made his appeal in a cable to Mondale who is due in Israel at the end of the month to participate in celebrations of Israel's 30th anniversary.

Begin's message referred specifically to Vladimir and Maria Slepak, Ida Nudel and Isosif Begun as "victims of Soviet persecution because of their longing to come to Israel." All are awaiting trial on what Begin described as "trumped up charges of hooliganism and parasitism." He also reminded Mondale that "Anatoly Shcharansky is, as you know, in danger of being charged falsely with treason. In such circumstances, extraordinary measures are required. We urge your maximum efforts on their behalf," Begin said.

U.S. CONTINUES LOW KEY REACTION TO ISRAELI CABINET STATEMENT; NEGATIVE ASSESSMENT DENIED

By Joseph Polakoff

WASHINGTON, June 20 (JTA)--Media reports that the Carter Administration is dissatisfied and irritated with the Begin government's latest statements on the West Bank's future were contradicted by a top diplomatic source here today following Israeli-American consultations here and in Israel.

The State Department also appeared to go out of its way to deny the reported negative official American impression following the Begin Cabinet's statement Sunday. In addition, Egyptian President Anwar Sadat also indicated the Israeli response was not "the continued intransigence" that other Egyptian officials had portrayed about the Begin position.

At the State Department, chief spokesman Hodding Carter said "more consultations" are taking place between Americans, Egyptians and Israelis on the Begin government's five-year plan for the West Bank and Gaza Strip and Palestinian Arab participation in a future agreement. Carter said, "We have received further clarification" from the Israelis since the Begin Cabinet's decision Sunday and that the State Department has "never said we did not get anything constructive" from the Israelis. He seemed to narrow high level Israeli-American consultations to Vice President Walter Mondale's visit to Israel June 29, noting he had no information on either Israelis coming to Washington or other American leaders going to Israel before then.

U.S. Response Called 'Useful,' 'Helpful'

Addressing the Central Committee of the Arab Socialist Union in Cairo, Sadat said that the Israeli reply to the two U.S. questions on the West Bank's future is "vague and not positive but it does not cut off all threads" for resumption of Egyptian-Israeli talks. However, he also said "We are not prepared

to surrender one square centimeter of Arab land, not just Egyptian land." Carter declined to comment on those remarks.

Meanwhile, taking note of American media reports that U.S. officials were disappointed with the Begin government's reply which they also were quoted as saying fell short of U.S. expectations, a senior diplomatic source told some correspondents that the U.S. reaction to the "clarifications" by the Begin government about its statement was "useful and helpful." The diplomatic source said the U.S. was now seeking "further clarification" from Egypt in light of the Israeli comments. The Israeli response, the diplomat said, was flexible while Egypt has not provided any specifics on its intentions regarding a settlement with Israel.

United Nations Resolution 242, the basic document for the peace process, was not mentioned in the formal Begin response, the diplomat indicated, because Israel has accepted the resolution in all its parts and no statements about it are now required from Israel. The U.S., however, appears to want Israel to go beyond the tenets of 242 regarding withdrawal from the West Bank, he said. Israel, he added, adhered to all aspects of a peace agreement without modifying 242.

LUBAVITCH SPOKESMAN DENIES HASIDIC YOUTHS ARRESTED FOR ATTACK ON BLACK WERE INVOLVED IN INCIDENT

By Ben Gallob

NEW YORK, June 20 (JTA)—A spokesman for the Lubavitch community in the Crown Heights section of Brooklyn said today the two Hasidic youth arrested in the beating of a Black youth in Crown Heights last Thursday at midnight had not been involved in the incident. Rabbi Elya Gross, director of the Crown Heights Jewish Community Council, in a telephone interview with the Jewish Telegraphic Agency, strongly denied that up to 50 Lubavitcher youth had attacked Victor Rhodes, who has been in a coma with head wounds since police found him.

Rabbi Gross said that news reports that Rhodes had been mistaken by the Hasidic youth for a Black who had beaten one of the Hasidim were untrue. He claimed Rhodes, without provocation, had struck an elderly Hasidic Jew with a stick and that the elderly Jew was felled by the blow. At that point, Rabbi Gross said, 10 Hasidic youth chased Rhodes, caught him and attacked him. Rabbi Gross said "we are saddened by this" and declared it was the first Black-Hasidic incident in a year, "proving we can live peacefully side by side," in the Crown Heights area.

Warns Blacks; Black Threatens Jews

He added, however, that Blacks "know" that if they attack Hasidim, "we will defend ourselves." He said the arrested youths, Louis Brenner, 24, and Jonathan Hackner, 25, were arraigned on charges of attempted murder and assault and released on \$40,000 cash bail. Rabbi Gross said a hearing has been set for June 29. He said the defense will be based on the Lubavitch claim that the two arrested youths had nothing to do with the attack on Rhodes.

Rhodes, 16, was born in Laurelton, but lives with an uncle in Brooklyn. He is in Kings County Hospital. Mayor Edward Koch, who visited the youth, called the beating "vicious," and promised a full investigation. A Black preacher, Rev. Herbert Daughtry, speaking at a Crown Heights community meeting, called over the Rhodes incident,

said "We'll get the Jews and the people in the long black coats," a reference to Hasidic garb.

WEIZMAN UNDER HEAVY FIRE FROM LIKUD By Yitzhak Shargil

TEL AVIV, June 20 (JTA)—Defense Minister Ezer Weizman has come under heavy criticism from Likud for his outspoken remarks during Sunday's Cabinet session where he vigorously opposed the formulation agreed to by a majority of his colleagues in answer to the American questions on the future status of the West Bank and Gaza Strip. Some Likud members are urging Premier Menachem Begin to take Weizman to task for what they regard as his disparaging statements about Begin and Foreign Minister Moshe Dayan. Others are demanding that the Defense Minister resign.

Weizman's views were at sharp variance with those of Begin and Dayan, whose formula, rejecting consideration of the future of the occupied territories until the five years of "self-rule" have run their course, prevailed. Although the Cabinet session was closed, Weizman was widely quoted as having told Begin and Dayan that they "evaded" a reply to the American queries and that they failed to "see the handwriting on the wall." He reportedly accused Begin of appeasing Dayan and Begin's close Herut associate, Minister-Without-Portfolio Haim Landau, who advocated an uncompromising response to the U.S. The Histadrut daily Davar reported that Weizman charged Begin and Dayan with "lying to us for months" and "leading the country to war."

No Denials From Weizman

As of this afternoon there were no statements from Weizman denying the remarks attributed to him. Neither did he deny reports that he planned to take no part in political matters in the future but devote himself to strengthening Israel's armed forces in preparation for a possible future war. Weizman has given no intimation that he planned to resign.

The Defense Minister visited the West Bank today, stopping off at the Gush Emunim settlement, Karnei Shomron where he spoke to the settlers about their needs. He also visited Nablus where he met the Mayor and town councilmen. A ring of security men prevented journalists from approaching Weizman and he volunteered no statements.

FOUR OF 10 REJECTED ALIYA EMISSARIES REINSTATED BY JEWISH AGENCY

By David Landau

JERUSALEM, June 20 (JTA)—A Jewish Agency appeals board has reinstated four out of 10 would-be aliya emissaries who were informed last week that they had been rejected only weeks before their departure on assignments overseas. Six other appeals were turned down by the board, which included Faye Schenk, Eli Eyal and Abraham Katz, all members of the World Zionist Organization Executive.

Rafael Koflowitz, chairman of the Jewish Agency's aliya department, who headed the board, said the rejection of the six appellants "in no way reflects on the capabilities of these men to fulfill other public functions." The announcement last week that a screening panel had rejected 11 out of 22 prospective emissaries raised a furor in the Israeli press. It came after the candidates had gone through months of training and had successfully passed various tests and screening processes. Several of them had quit their jobs and sold their flats in anticipation of going overseas.

JUDGE DELAYS RULING ON NAZI MARCH IN CHICAGO; SKOKIE MARCH NOT CERTAIN

By Ben Gallob

CHICAGO, June 20 (JTA)--A spokesman for the Jewish United Fund said today that a ruling on whether the Nazi National Socialist Party in Chicago required a bond to march in a Chicago neighborhood had been postponed by a federal district judge. "But the ruling was expected late today."

The spokesman said that the American Civil Liberties Union, which applied to federal Judge George Leighton to dismiss a Chicago Park District requirement of a bond for the Nazis to march, had introduced new arguments at the hearing this morning which led the judge to delay his decision. The tiny Nazi Party has said that if it gets permission to march in Marquette Park in a racially-volatile district of Chicago, it would cancel its plans to hold the much publicized march in suburban Skokie, home of 7000 Holocaust survivors next Sunday.

The Public Affairs Committee (PAC) of the Jewish United Fund, an umbrella agency for 34 Chicago Jewish organizations, is coordinating a "massive but peaceful" counter-demonstration in Skokie. Other Jewish organizations, including the Jewish War Veterans and the Jewish Defense League, have indicated plans to send demonstrators to the Skokie event. Whether at this late date, the Jewish organizations, including the PAC could cancel their protest appearances in Skokie, if the Nazis cancel their march, remained uncertain. Gov. James Thompson has promised to send National Guard units to Skokie if the Nazis do march.

N.Y. 'RALLY FOR FREEDOM' PLANNED TO COUNTER PROPOSED NAZI MARCH IN SKOKIE

By Reena Sigman Friedman

NEW YORK, June 20 (JTA)--Leaders of several major New York religious organizations gathered in the offices of the Jewish Community Relations Council (JCRC) today to announce a multi-faceted response to the Nazi march in Skokie, Illinois scheduled for this Sunday. The assembled leaders reaffirmed their determination to counter all manifestations of neo-Nazism.

Malcolm Hoenlein, executive director of the JCRC, stated that the proposed march was "not just a concern of the Jewish community but of all men of conscience." He outlined plans for a city-wide "Rally for Freedom" to be held Sunday, June 25, at 1:30 p.m., on the steps of the old United States Customs House at Bowling Green. The site was chosen for its "special historical and contemporary significance and its proximity to the Statue of Liberty." Expected to take part in the rally are representatives of numerous religious and ethnic groups, including Holocaust survivors' organizations, the New York and New Jersey Council of Churches, the Catholic Interracial Council, the National Conference of Christians and Jews and leaders of the Black, Irish, Greek and other communities.

Threats Condemned

A representative delegation, including leaders of the JCRC's constituent agencies, Christian groups and civic bodies, will go to Skokie to participate in the counter-demonstration itself. "But," Hoenlein said, "many members of the Jewish community will not be able to go to Skokie and we want to afford them, as well as concerned non-Jews, an opportunity to express their solidarity with the people of Skokie and their opposition to Nazism."

Hoenlein expressed his opposition to the violent tactics advocated by the leadership of the Jewish Defense League at a press conference on the Skokie march yesterday. "We believe that the violence that is threatened is counter-productive," Hoenlein said, "and that it would only lower us to the level of the Nazis."

POSTAL EMPLOYEES DENOUNCE NAZI MARCH PLANS

By Lisa Schiffman

NEW YORK, June 20 (JTA)--"We cannot allow the resurgence of neo-Nazism.... We cannot allow the Nazi uniform and swastika to invade our homes again," declared Erna I. Gans, Holocaust survivor from Skokie, Illinois. The first woman president of the Dr. Janusz Korczak Lodge B'nai B'rith, Mrs. Gans was invited to address the Jewish Postal Employees Welfare League of Manhattan and Bronx in a special session here last night.

"One should question, and not blindly follow the letter of the law," she stated, in reference to the recent Supreme Court decision allowing the Nazis to march in Skokie on June 25. "We differ with the interpretation of the First Amendment; no law is absolute," she said, echoing the plan to counter-demonstrate in Skokie as well as in other heavily populated Jewish areas such as Boston and New York.

"While the courts wrestle with the legalities, the American conscience does not allow the legalities to stand in the way," stated Vincent Zimbroto, president of the Mail Carriers of New York. "It is important that we show them in Skokie that those that would march against human dignity will be stopped before they get started," he said.

State Senator Jeremiah Bloom of Brooklyn said "We cannot forget; we must remind each other that we have a right to freedom, a right to peace and a right to live." Rabbi David Kahane, of the Sutton Place Synagogue, where the meeting took place, stated that on June 25 in Skokie, "there must be a counter-demonstration of white and Black, Jew and Christian, young and old to let the world know that this time we will not be caught napping."

JWV URGED BY COMMANDER TO BE PRESENT IN SKOKIE SUNDAY

WASHINGTON, June 20 (JTA)--The Jewish War Veterans of the U.S. were urged today to be present in Skokie, Illinois this Sunday, June 25, "to show the nation and the world that the Jew, true to our heritage and principle, stands in opposition to the Nazi obscenity in the heartland of our beloved nation." National Commander of the JWV, Herman H. Moses, declared in a statement here that the JWV units "reaffirm our opposition to the proposed Nazi demonstration wherever and whenever it may occur." Some doubt has arisen as to whether the Nazis would actually demonstrate against Jewry and democracy in Skokie Sunday.

Moses pointed out the JWV's opposition to past anti-American and anti-Semitic movements in the U.S. Noting that the JWV is the oldest active war veterans' organization in America, Moses said the JWV's inception in 1896 "was due in part to anti-Semitic slurs in the press at that time." (By Joseph Polakoff)

JERUSALEM (JTA)--The sister of former British Premier Sir Harold Wilson planted a tree this week in the peace forest outside Jerusalem. Ms. Marjorie Wilson is the guest of the Jewish National Fund.

BEHIND THE HEADLINES**NAZI ACTIVITY REVIVED IN BRAZIL**

By David Markus

RIO DE JANEIRO, June 20 (JTA)--In the middle of 1942, before Brazil entered World War II to fight against Nazi Germany, the Brazilian security police discovered a Nazi spy ring, headed by a young German immigrant, Alfred Winkelmann. He was found guilty and convicted to two years in prison. A few weeks ago Winkelmann was again in the headlines of the Brazilian press this time as one of the leaders of the revived Nazi movement in Brazil.

On April 22, a reporter of Rio's "Jornal do Brasil" alarmed the police about a meeting of a Nazi group in the Tyll Hotel, in the summer resort of Itatiaia, 100 miles from Rio. Nazi meetings are not forbidden in Brazil. Nevertheless, the police searched the hotel and identified 20 German immigrants who settled here right after the war, and five Germans from overseas. One of the foreigners was Manfred Richard Kurt Roeder, the guest of another attendant of the meeting, Adolf Krall, from Sao Paulo. Roeder fled Germany in November, 1977 after a German court sentenced him to six months in prison for unlawful Nazi activity. He is considered by Hermann Weissing, the Attorney General, to be the head of the German neo-Nazi movement.

Adolf Krall, a wealthy industrialist, arrived in Brazil right after the war. Arrested for carrying a pistol without a permit, he offered to serve as an informer for the political police in Sao Paulo, the DOPS. The head of the DOPS has denied this.

The owner of the Tyll Hotel, Alfred Winkelmann, told the police that he invited his guests "just to have a good time and recall the old times." But a police search of the guests' rooms yielded a vast collection of Nazi propaganda, including a German edition of "Mein Kampf" and "The Protocols of the Elders of Zion", also pamphlets with the picture of Hitler and the slogan "Kauft Nicht Bei Juden." The police believe that the purpose of the meeting was to celebrate Hitler's 89th birthday anniversary. Leaders of the Jewish community believe that the purpose was also to strengthen Nazi activity, especially the anti-Jewish activity, in Brazil, and possibly in other Latin American countries.

Hate Literature Comes From U.S.

Winkelmann told reporters that "it is not forbidden by the Brazilian law to be a Nazi. We do receive the Nazi propaganda from the U.S.A. Everyone can get it. Just write to P.O. Box 55-A, Liverpool, West Virginia, 25257...." Answering questions about his anti-Jewish activity, he said that "the Jews must be punished, because they do not behave correctly. They are spreading the lie about six millions of Jews killed by the Nazis. How was it possible to kill six millions; if there were only three millions of Jews in whole Europe, including Russia, before the war...."

Dr. Benno Milnitsky, president of the Jewish Confederation, the representative body of the Brazilian Jewish community, declared that: "The anti-Semitism revived after Brazil voted for the UN General Assembly resolution against Zionism in November, 1975, and the Nazis and neo-Nazis have found an adequate climate (in Brazil) for their activity. Swastikas appeared again on the walls and Jewish cemeteries were again desecrated, and Nazi propaganda, especially anti-Jewish literature, is infiltrating into Brazil, in the Portuguese

language, via Uruguay and Mexico."

Swastikas on the walls and desecration of Jewish cemeteries were reported mainly from the Brazilian provinces with a large German population. There are over a million Germans living in Brazil. In Blumenau, the second largest city in the southern province of Santa Catarina, founded by German immigrants in the 19th Century, some German owned coffee houses and restaurants refuse to serve clients if they look Jewish. Racial discrimination is punishable in Brazil with up to five years in prison. But the Nazis in Santa Catarina, and possibly in other places, ignore the law and continue to practice Nazism and anti-Semitism.

CCAR URGES AMERICAN RED CROSS ACTION TO END ICRC BAN ON MAGEN DAVID ADOM

NEW YORK, June 20 (JTA)--The Central Conference of American Rabbis has urged the American Red Cross to withhold financial support from the International Committee of the Red Cross (ICRC) as long as it refuses to recognize Israel's Magen David Adom as it does the Red Crescent of the Moslem countries and the Red Lion and Sun of Iran.

In a letter last week to George M. Elsey, president of the American Red Cross, Rabbi Joseph B. Glaser, executive vice-president of the CCAR, the Reform rabbinical movement, acknowledged that "the American Red Cross has taken the proper public position with respect to the politicized position of the International Red Cross not to recognize Magen David Adom." But, he added, "There is more that the American Red Cross could do. I am referring specifically to the substantial financial support given the International Red Cross by the American Red Cross. I know that recommendations along this line have been made and buried."

Resolution Shelved

Rabbi Glaser's reference was to a resolution introduced at the recent American Red Cross convention in Hartford, Conn. by Mark K. Pawers, a member of the board of the Harrisburg, Pa. Red Cross and co-chairman of the area disaster services unit. It stated, in part, that "Whereas the American Red Cross has been continuously at the forefront of the movement for recognition of the Magen David Adom... it be resolved that until Magen David Adom is admitted to its rightful place in the Red Cross family, that the American Red Cross will not support financially any of the activities of the International Committee of the Red Cross and the League of Red Cross Societies. The convention referred the resolution for administrative action pending a full report by December 31.

Glaser wrote: "I think the time has come for the American Red Cross to put its money where its mouth is, thereby refusing to continue to support any further the hypocrisy of an organization which, for purely political reasons, denied the full life-saving and humanitarian services everyone else is entitled to to the Jewish people."

AMSTERDAM (JTA)--The European Commission for Human Rights in Strassbourg has rejected a complaint by convicted Nazi war criminal Joseph Kotsalla that the Dutch government violated the European Convention on Human Rights when it imposed a life sentence on him which he is presently serving. Kotsalla, 68, is one of three German-born war criminals still imprisoned in Holland.