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LAS VEGAS HADASSAH HONORS MOLLY PICON SUNDAY

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'FROM THE HEART'
of
Jack Entratter
President
Temple Beth Sholom

The Jewish calendar contains an extra month this year, Adar II, because it is a Jewish leap year.

Holidays are therefore later than usual this year. For example, Passover occurs from Monday evening, April 24 through Tuesday, May 2. Passover is unquestionably one of the most significant and festive holidays in our lives. The Exodus from Egyptian bondage has been the impetus throughout the generations to carry on Israel's constant struggle to become a truly free people, secure in their way of life and enjoying the dignity of all free men. Passover is a holiday which should be observed wholeheartedly, and we should involve the children to the utmost. Many of us celebrate the Passover Seder at home surrounded by our loved ones. Just as many people enjoy celebrating the Seder with family and friends outside of the home and so the public Seder has become more and more popular with each passing year.

This year our Temple will once again celebrate the first Seder night in our social hall on Monday evening, April 24. The public Seder has in recent years become almost a "must" for literally thousands of Jewish people throughout the United States. Our Temple Board is unanimous in its feeling that this service should continue to be offered to our member families as well as to the entire Jewish community. Once again our Rabbi will officiate and conduct the Seder, and our Cantor will lead us in the traditional Passover songs. The Seder each year is very well attended and this year will be no different. We anticipate a sell-out crowd, so when you receive your notification in the mail, be sure to make your reservations promptly.

Let me make one thing clear, this is not a fund raising event. The charges for the Seder night are the exact costs to the Temple. Let no one think that the Temple is "making money" on Seder night. Your Temple Board feels that when fund raising is necessary, we'll find the proper way, but not at a family Seder. And be sure it is just that--a family Seder. This is not just another dinner. This is not just another nice social evening. Sitting with your children and loved ones together, the tables decorated in proper Passover style, will surely give you a spiritually exhilarating feeling. Make your personal plans now to be with us at our Temple Passover Seder on April 24. Your family and group of friends will be seated together at tables shared with some of the finest people in the city of Las Vegas.

MAKING ARRANGEMENTS TO HONOR MOLLY PICON SUNDAY AT HADASSAH THEATRE PARTY AND GOURMET YIDDISHBORD ARE L. TO R. MRS. JOHN QUINN, CHAIRMAN; MARIO MARINO, SANDS CATERING MANAGER; MRS. CARL COHEN, HADASSAH PRES., AND MRS. WILLIAM WEINBERGER, CO-CHAIRMAN.

COMMUNITY PASSOVER SEDER
MONDAY, APR. 24
1st Night Of Passover
6:30 P.M.
Services In Sanctuary At 6 P.M.
Temple Beth Sholom
Reservation Only
Adults $7.50
- Children $3.50
Catering: By Jerry Baum, Nat Hart

CARDINAL BEA URGES RELIGIOUS UNDERSTANDING: AJC AGREES, ORTHODOX RABBIS OBJECT

NEW YORK (WNS) A resolution condemning Jewish participation in ecumenical programs with Christian religious bodies was adopted here at five major Orthodox rabbinic organizations at an extraordinary meeting at Mesivta Tifereth Jerusalem.

Triggering the meeting and the resolution announcement by the Synagogue Council of America that it would participate next May in a Boston conference with Catholic and Protestant leaders. The resolution also criticized the Rabbinical Council of America in support of the Boston conference and "the aquiescence in it by the Union of Orthodox Jewish Congregations of America."

Declaring that such conferences "constituted a breach of historic Judaism and are fraught with peril to

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ROME -- Joint discussion between Christians and Jews on contemporary social issues as well as in areas of religious understanding was urged here by Augustin Cardinal Bea, meeting with a delegation of the AMERICAN JEWISH COMMITTEE.

Such discussions could be valuable, too, the Cardinal asserted, toward resolving differences between the religious faiths on issues such as state aid to education, textbook support and the like.

Cardinal Bea -- who is head of the Secretariat for Christian Unity and responsible for Catholic Church relations with Jews --declared that significant initiatives already had been taken in many lands for implementation of the Declaration on the Jews adopted by the Ecumenical Council in

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TRENT UNBENT

ROME (WNS) An excommunication which was placed on the city of Trent and its environs close to five-hundred years ago has been lifted by the Italian Rabbinical Board, thus bringing to a close one of the darkest chapters in the history of Jews in Italy.

The incident occurred in the year 1475, when a group of twelve Jews in Trent was executed for the alleged ritual slaying of a two-year-old boy by the name of Simon.

In 1965, the Archbishop of Trent, responding to the beneficent climate created by the Vatican Declaration on Jews, issued a proclamation exonerating the Jews of the Simon murder.

CORRECTION

THE CORRECT DATE OF THE COMMUNITY MEETING FOR LAS VEGAS COMBINED JEWISH APPEAL IS MONDAY, APRIL 10, IN THE SOCIAL HALL OF TEMPLE BETH SHOLOM.

THE PROGRAM WILL INCLUDE A PANEL OF EXPERTS, LT. COL. M. LACHMAN OF ISRAEL DEFENSE ARMY; MILTON SENN, PACIFIC SOUTHWEST REGIONAL DIRECTOR OF A.D.L.; JACK PANITZ, COMMUNITY DIRECTOR OF A.J.C., AND DAVID GOLDWATER, MODERATOR. THE SUBJECT WILL BE: "THE STATE OF THE WORLD JEWISH COMMUNITY."

ALSO: STANLEY AND RENA WAXMAN WILL RENDER A LIVE DRAMATIC PRESENTATION OF "ONE HUNDRED CHILDREN."

LAS VEGAS COMBINED JEWISH APPEAL SUPPORTS (1) U.J.A., (2) A.J.C., (3) A.D.L., and (4) TEMPLE BETH SHOLOM.

THERE WILL BE NO SOLICITATION OF FUNDS. ALL ARE WELCOME.

GUIDLINE UNVEILED

WASHINGTON (WNS) A guideline on Catholic - Jewish relations, including a proposal for common prayers with Jews which would "meet the spiritual sensibilities of both parties" was unveiled here by the American Catholic hierarchy.

In New York City, Jewish leaders said the document was "of enormous importance." Joining in those sentiments was Rabbi Marc H. Tanenbaum, director of interreligious affairs of the American Jewish Committee, Rabbi Jacob J. Weinstein, President of the Central Conference of American Rabbis and Dore Schary, president of the Anti-Defamation League of B'nai B'rith.

YAHRZEITS TONIGHT AT BETH SHOLOM

Friday, March 31, 1967
Nathan Feld
Adolph Rosenstok
Jack Rubin
Isaac Satovsky
Simon Sedway
David Burns
Aron Kronberg

Ann Kronberg
Anna Spiegel
Sarah Goldman Norkin

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