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Trip to Israel

By Dr. Samuel Silver

A thousand people told me about their overseas trips but none of them prepared me for the trouble I would have making telephone calls.

In the first place, I never know what coin to use. And after I was told I still didn't know what to do because I never understood the money.

Futhermore, telephone sounds were different in England, France, Israel, Italy and Greece, so I was never sure whether I was getting a dial tone or a busy signal.

If you are going abroad, make sure you get the phone numbers of people you want to call in advance. Hotels rarely put phone books in their rooms and you have to get the hotel operator to make the call for you. Nor could I find a classified directory anywhere, so when I wanted to call my lawyer-friend I couldn't find him because I wasn't sure of my spelling.

The demand for telephones in Israel outruns the supply, so many of your friends there may not have phones. One old man begged the Postmaster-General of Israel, in charge of phones, for an instrument so he could get calls from his children on his 80th birthday. On his birthday, lo, a phone was installed. He got his mazal toy calls. But the next day the phone was taken out and he was told he'd have to wait his turn.

The new Israeli Postmaster General, by the way is the first Yemenite to be in the cabinet; Mr. Yeshayahu. He created a senation on taking office by phoning a number of Israells at random and asking them how they liked their telephone service. Some were too awed at taling personally to a cabinet minister to be able to respond. Others told him off -- but good.

There are two telephone books in Israel, one in Hebrew

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and the other in English. There may even by another one in Arabic. But it's tricky to look up your relative in the Israeli phone book. If you know your kinsman by, say, the name of Berkowitz, you may find it under Berkowicz, Berkovitz, Bercovici or any other of the possible variations. So, get the phone numbers before you make the trip-- and you'll save yourself precious hours.

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