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# ARE REDS EASING EXIT VISAS

### NEAL WINARD BAR MITZVAH

Neal Winard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Winard, 1557 Ottawa, who will become a Bar Mitzvah during services at Temple Beth Shalom, 1600 E. Oakey Blvd. on Saturday morning, April 3, 1971.



NEAL

Rabbi Aaron S. Gold, spiritual leader of the Temple, will officiate and conduct the services, which commence at 9:00 A.M. Cantor Joseph Kohn will chant the liturgy. The parents of the Bar Mitzvah will host the congregation to a Kiddush, which will be held in the Temple's Social Hall immediately after the conclusion of the services.

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### TEL AVIV (WNS)

--Large numbers of Soviet Jewish immigrants continued to arrive in Israel, including a record breaking single contingent of 150 which landed at Lydda Airport. The immigrants reported that the future of continued Jewish immigration would be decided at the 24th Congress of the Communist Party of the Soviet Union which opened on March 31.

Authorities here were divided over the meaning of persistent but unverified reports that Soviet authorities were easing their policy on exit visas. Some believed the reports were a propaganda device aimed to divert world opinion from the plight of Soviet Jews. They said that Georgian Jews who had applied for exit visas were being harassed by authorities and declared their belief that Jewish immigration would cease once the Congress ended.

In Moscow, Soviet authorities staged what newsmen called "a Brussels in reverse." Sixty rabbis, cantors and lay leaders from all over the Soviet Union met in the Great Synagogue to denounce as "slander from abroad" charges that the Soviet Union was anti-Semitic. Outside the synagogue, 40 Jews who had applied for exit visas protested to newsmen that those inside did not speak for Soviet Jewry.

Meanwhile, Monroe Abbey, president of the Canadian Jewish Congress, cabled Soviet Premier Alexsei N. Kosygin requesting that he let Soviet Jews emigrate. In Washington, the Jewish Community Council of Greater Washington reported that it had learned from "reliable sources" that Jews would go on trial in Riga and Leningrad next month after adjournment of the Communist Party Congress.

## TELL TALES

"One Man Plus The Truth  
Constitutes A Majority"

BY JACK TELL



### ORDER REPLACES CHAOS

LAST FRIDAY MORNING THIS COLUMN SPENT 2 HOURS ON EVELYN NEWMAN'S KVOV OPEN LINE RADIO PROGRAM ATTEMPTING TO CONVINCING WELFARE PROTESTORS NOT TO CONTINUE THEIR STRIP DEMONSTRATIONS. THAT EVENING THE DEMONSTRATION WAS CANCELLED. THANK GOD, SANITY IS RETURNING TO LAS VEGAS, DUE MAINLY TO JUDGE FOLEY'S RULING TO REINSTATE WELFARE RECIPIENTS.

## RESUME RUSSIA PURGE TRIALS

The Chairmen of the California Students for Soviet Jews and the Southern California Council for Soviet Jews revealed today that the Soviet Union is preparing to begin anew the purge trials of previously arrested Jews. Zev Yaroslavsky, Chairman of the California Students for Soviet Jews stated that "we had warned in the past that the Soviets were perpetrating a hoax on the human

family with their leaks that many Jews are being permitted to leave." Yaroslavsky reiterated that "the number of Jews leaving the Soviet Union had increased in recent weeks, but nowhere near the figure reported in such papers

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## DISCUSSING 3RD ANNUAL PACESETTERS LUNCHEON



MRS. JOSEPH TEKOAH, WIFE OF ISRAEL'S AMBASSADOR TO THE U.N., AFTER TV AND PRESS INTERVIEW PRIOR TO BEING HONORED AT LAS VEGAS WOMEN'S PACESETTERS LUNCHEON. THE LUNCHEON KICKED OFF THE 1971 ISRAEL EMERGENCY FUND CAMPAIGN WHICH WILL CULMINATE IN COMBINED JEWISH APPEAL DINNER MAY 20 AT CAESARS PALACE. WITH MRS. TEKOAH ARE TEMPLE BETH SHOLOM PRES. MEL EXBER, WHO HAS BEEN NAMED GEN. CHAIRMAN OF THE APPEAL, AND YE EDITOR.

## Passover Feature

IN HONOR OF PASSOVER, WHICH COMMEMORATES THE ANNIVERSARY OF THE LIBERATION OF THE ISRAELITES FROM EGYPTIAN BONDAGE, THE LAS VEGAS ISRAELITE WILL PUBLISH A SERIES OF FEATURES. THIS YEAR THE PASSOVER FESTIVAL IS INAUGURATED AT SUNDOWN ON THE EVENING OF FRIDAY, APRIL 9, AND ENDS AT SUNDOWN APRIL 17.

## MILITARY SEDERS THROUGHOUT WORLD

NEW YORK--The traditional four questions of the Haggadah (Passover story) will be asked at Seders (ritual meals) in Vietnam and at more than 600 other overseas and domestic military installations all over the globe as Jewish servicemen celebrate Passover, the world's oldest Festival of Freedom.

Constituting a widely dispersed Jewish military congregation, these men will partake of kosher holiday foods which have been shipped well in advance as part of the Passover arrangements made by the National Jewish Welfare Board.

Traveling in helicopters, jeeps and armored personnel carriers and dressed in their baggy fatigues, Jewish men from various sectors of Vietnam will come together for Passover observances which will be conducted by Chaplains Edward R. Kraus, Sheldon J. Lewis and Frederick L. Wenger -- the three Jewish chaplains in that embattled area.

This year, Passover begins at sundown Friday, April 9, and continues through sundown on Saturday, April 17.

JWB is the government-accredited agency for religious, morale and welfare services to Jewish men in the U.S. Armed Forces; their dependents and hospitalized Jewish veterans. Its Commission on Jewish Chaplaincy serves and supplies 61 full-time and more than 240 part-time Jewish chaplains.

Chaplain Morton Levine, Jewish chaplain

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### Yahrzeits Tonight at Beth Shalom

Friday, April 2, 1971

Morris Speiser  
Harry Grossman  
Sam Harmell  
Samuel Resnick  
Marvin Agron  
Alvin Oppenheim  
Nathan Pearlman  
Samuel Moses  
Morris Slote  
Bernard Kanarek  
Sam Liebovich  
Ben Pesach Oppenheim  
Louis Hart

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