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## CONSERVATIVE JEWS DEMAND ISRAELI RECOGNITION, END DISCRIMINATION



### TELLING IT LIKE IT IS

DON TELL

### Is America Blind?

It has happened before and it is more than likely to happen again.

The Jewish people find themselves completely alone in a crisis situation. When Hitler's madmen foamed at the mouth with visions of taking over the world, where was the United States? When the fangs of the Fourth Reich began to slay Jews like ants, where was the United States?

Only when Hitler's penetration became untenable did the U.S. decide to move its forces to engage the enemy. Only when Gen. Eisenhower viewed with horror the tens of thousands of corpses at Auschwitz, Buchenwald, Belsen, Dachau and Mauthausen did this country believe the worst in genocide and human depravity had happened.

It had to take the lives of six million Jews for the world to take notice. Now through bitter suffering, tears, bloodshed and sweat, the Jews cling to their State of Israel, the land of milk and honey into which Moses led his people from the bonds of the Pharaoh of

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KIAMESHA LAKE, N.Y.--The President of the United Synagogue of America, largest congregational body in U.S. Judaism, demanded full Israeli recognition of the religious status of the Conservative Movement to which it belongs and an end to discrimination against its rabbis.

"The State of Israel cannot exist without the strong support of American Jewry, nor do I believe there is much hope for American Jewry without an Israel," Jacob Stein of Great Neck, N.Y., declared in his presidential address at his organization's biennial convention.

"While we recognize the sovereignty of the State of Israel, Israel must recognize that in religious dimensions there is only one sov-

ereignty -- the sovereignty of Judaism, and this calls for the full recognition of the status of American Jews.

"We cannot continue to tolerate non-recognition or to permit our rabbis to be humiliated and forbidden to act as spiritual leaders.

"Our rabbis cannot marry us in Israel, nor can they officiate at a funeral. Conversions by our spiritual leaders are invalid.

Marriage, divorce, conversions and all other matters of a personal nature in Israel are in the hands of the Orthodox Chief Rabbinate, and other branches of Judaism - Conservative and Reform - are not recognized by it and not allowed to practice in these areas.

### TELL TALES

"One Man Plus The Truth  
Constitutes A Majority"

BY JACK TELL



### Jack Anderson's "Honesty"

Most of the readers of this publication know, or surmise, the Las Vegas Israelite is a one man, or one family operation, disseminating news, without fear or favor for the edification of our readers.

As the only English-Jewish newspaper in the state, our primary purpose is to purvey and survey events of interest concerning Jews here and all over the world. As a secondary purpose, of equal importance, we are very much concerned with fighting evil wherever it exists, exposing corruptness in politics and deflating stuffed shirts taking advantage of the public. All this was clearly defined in an editorial that appeared in the first edition some seven years ago.

We are proud, and extremely grateful for the acceptance accorded our efforts from all segments of our community. It is a matter of record there are more paid subscribers to the Israelite among non-Jews, than those of our own faith, and a higher percentage of Gentile advertisers. We are truly a newspaper of general interest as determined by the District Court which granted us the privilege of printing public notices.

Because we are a newspaperman first, who happens to be publishing an English-Jewish newspaper, we could not sit idly by and allow a patent malpractice in our profession, especially by a fellow-publisher, whose apparent only purpose was personal gain. We refer, of course to Hank Greenspun and his Las Vegas Sun which has waged a continual and unwarranted attack against Howard Hughes and the Hughes Tool Co. ownership of \$300,000,000 in Nevada properties. Greenspun commenced his tirade the moment Robert Maheu was fired as chief of operations for the billionaire. The alignment of Greenspun and Maheu was clearly reported in this space showing more than \$10,000,000 of Hughes money acquired by the Sun publisher. This is just the amount publicly acknowledged. We are aware of additional large sums that changed hands which we will disclose when we are released from a promise of confidence.

All the above is a preface to the appearance of syndicated columnist Jack Anderson as a paid speaker at Temple Beth Sholom. Anderson's talk is to be about the news behind the news in Nevada. What has the Anderson appearance to do with Greenspun?

To begin with, the syndicated columnist

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### CASH ON THE EL AL LINE



JOANNY CASH AND FAMILY BOARDING EL AL FLIGHT FOR TRIP TO ISRAEL. THE FAMOUS FOLK SINGER IS MAKING HIS THIRD VISIT TO ISRAEL...THIS TIME TO MAKE A FILM ABOUT THE HOLY LAND.

### CHINA RAPS ISRAEL IN U.N.

UNITED NATIONS (WNS) -- Chiao Kuan-hua, UN Ambassador of the People's Republic

of China, in his maiden speech declared all "states and peoples who love peace and justice" must support the position of the Palestinian and other Arab peoples.

He also denounced "private deals" which bartered away the rights and national existence of the Arabs. Israeli observers believed this to be a reference to, and rejection of, Security Council Resolution 242.

But, what observers believed may be of more importance, was Chiao's failure to deny Israel's right to existance.

In the past, Chinese leaders had denied Israel had any such right.

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