## MESSAGES STRESS SOVIET JEWS

NEW YORK (WNS) -- Joint Distribution Com-Passover messages by national Jewish leaders and organizations this year were devoted to the themes of the new exodus of Jews from the So- other countries. We will viet Union and the demand of those Jews who remain in the USSR their own life style, culture and religion.

Paul Zuckerman general chairman of the United Jewish Appeal, described the new exo-dus as "tenuous" but a

Jewish people are actu-The opening of the gates fulfilling the promise of of the Soviet Union, bar- freedom for all men." red for so many years

exodus of 2,000 years Edward eneral chairman of the

to Jews seeking to leave

for Israel, provides an

obvious parallel with the

mittee noted that the JDC "will continue to aid these and other needy Jews in Israel, in North Aftica, Europeand provide for their health and welfare needs, their vocational and educato live as Jews with tional needs, and above all we will continue to help them live as Jews."

Max M. Fisher, president of the Council of Jewish Federations and Welfare Funds, ob-served "At Passover we and precious recall the long march Sam Rothberg, gen- who could be satisfied by eral chairman of the nothing less than Bond Organi- liberty. The act of recall at this season reaffirms our generations ally living through a insistence on Jewish Passover of the present, continuity and a society

> Philip E. Hoffman, president of the American Jewish Committee, pledged that "we cannot and will not forget" the 40 Jewish prisoners who Ginsburg, languish in severe regime labor camps in the



GLENN NEELY, (SEATED) GENERAL MAN-AGER OF THE SILVER SLIPPER GAMBLING HALL AND SALOON ANNOUNCED THE SIGN-ING OF A NEW PACT BETWEEN THE HUGHES TOOL COMPANY AND ASHTON-KOCHMANN PRODUCTIONS, THE LONG TERM CONTRACT ASSURES THAT BARRY ASHTON'S "WON-DERFUL WORLD OF BURLESQUE" NOW IN ITS 5TH SUCCESSFUL YEAR IN THE SLIPPER'S THEATRE, GAIETY WILL CONTINUE THROUGH 1973.

'expressing the age-old world today. longing of the Jew, expressed in the Hag-gadah, 'Next Year in Israelite Ads Pay Jerusalem'".

Friedman, Harold president of the United Hias Service, said that 'at Passover our hearts and minds turn to our brethren in distant lands who still live in conditions of fear and degredation.

Meyer Pesin, president of the Jewish National Fund of America stated "The Jewish National Fund has earned and needs the continued

Soviet Union. These and increased support of people are in jail for world Jewry...in the recommitting no crime but storation of Israel to its were there merely for challenging place in the authorities they were ganization.

## P.O. Matzoh Ball-up

By TRUDE B. FELDMAN

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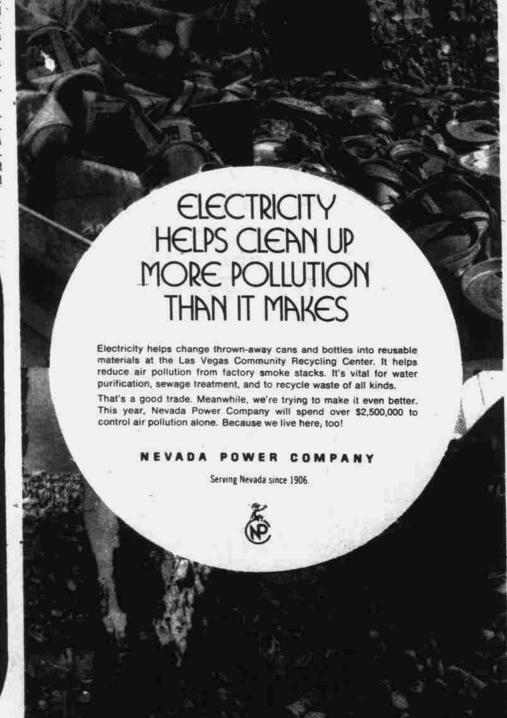
sending the unleavened tize" the treatment of explain-

The main post office Jews in Russia. Some in our nation's capital packages are addresis the "hiding" place of sed: "A Jewish citimany an 'Afikoman' -- zen -- c/o Soviet Emin the form of 1500 bassy, Washington, D. C."

Lou Eberhart, about 2000 pounds -- has spokesman for the post been accumulating at the office, explained that post office here because the mailman tries each the Russian Embassy day to deliver the packages of Matzoh and the accept it and returning Russian Embassy conto the "sender." stantly rejects them. The Post office He added that the majority of the packages 'senders' are, because bear no return address; the packages of Matzoh and since the Russians were addressed to the refuse to sign the form Russian Embassy by permitting postal aunumerous "militant" thorities to discard Jews from around the them, they are being returned to the The post office does office and are being kept know one sender -- the in a storage room there. Newark, New Jersey He said most of the Chapter of The Jewish boxes are the size of Defense League admit- a shoe box and appear ted that they organized to be individually-sent the "stunt," and told rather than by an or-

The Russian Embread to the Soviet bassy's press spokes-Embassy to "drama- man elected not to







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