

JEWISH NEWS BRIEFS

LOS ANGELES -- A New Year's Eve kosher champagne Dinner Party at the Miller auditorium of Temple Israel of Hollywood, with dancing to the music of Rubin Berci and his orchestra, is being sponsored by the Congress of American Jews from Poland jointly with the Zionist Organization of America, Southern Pacific Region.

PHILADELPHIA -- Dr. Abraham I. Katsh, President of Dropsie University, calling for the "reinvigorating of the Judeo-Christian tradition to undo a tragic wrong," expressed the hope that Christians will see Israel as a major factor in the continuity of the ethical tradition of Judaism.

NEW YORK -- The American Jewish Congress asked U. N. General Assembly President Stanislaw Trepczynski -- Poland's representative to the U. N. -- to intercede with Polish authorities for an exit permit for Leib-Domb Trepper, the ailing World War II allied intelligence agent who seeks reunion with his family in Israel.

NEW YORK -- The Israel Festival of Music, Dance and Drama, which annually brings internationally known performers to Israel will offer an expanded program in honor of Israel's 25th Anniversary. The festival will be held from July 16 to August 25, 1973.

NEW YORK -- Leon Dulzin, Treasurer of the Jewish Agency, told a gathering of the American Jewish leadership that "larger numbers of Jews are coming to Israel, but we haven't reached our goal of providing full and adequate absorption services for them."

JERUSALEM -- The Early Childhood field school of The David Yellin Hebrew Teachers College in Jerusalem has begun classes for the third year with nearly 150 children in an educationally integrated program consisting of a nursery, kindergarten, first and second grades.

WASHINGTON, D. C. -- Norman D. Tilles, national Commander of the Jewish War Veterans scored Japan Air Lines for the "morally reprehensible act of knuckling under to the Arab boycott."

MOSCOW (UPI) -- Sen. Hubert H. Humphrey, D-Minn., said today the Soviet exit fee policy for emigrants is a "serious problem" that could affect improving Soviet-American trade relations.

LONDON (WNS) -- Raiza Palatnik of Odessa was released after serving a two-year prison sentence for "keeping and distributing materials slanderous to the State."

PHILADELPHIA (WNS) -- The Jewish Community Relations Council has appealed to the U. S. Civil Service Commission's Board of Appeals to overturn a ruling by the Secretary of the Navy that three Jewish Navy Aviation Supply Office employees here were not victims of discrimination and are therefore entitled to promotion to the next available vacancies.

NEW YORK (WNS) -- The first publication in five years in the Soviet Union of works by Osip Mandelstam, the late Jewish poet ostracized during the Stalin area, is seen by observers here as further evidence that writers and poets victimized by Stalin will no longer be purged from Soviet periodicals, and that the literary rehabilitation of Mandelstam and the late poet Anna Akhmatova makes a return to Stalinism less likely than ever.

MILWAUKEE, WISC. (WNS) -- A neo-Nazi group, the National Socialist White People's Party, has recently surfaced here and racist fliers adorned with swastikas and filled with incendiary terms such as kike, nigger and Black pigs, have been placed in mailboxes, stuck under windshield wipers and slipped under doors.

NEW YORK (WNS) -- Syrian Jewish Community Rabbis and political and human rights leaders demanded at a rally here that Syria free seven Jews imprisoned for trying to flee from Syria, that discriminatory restrictions on the 4500 Jews remaining in Syria be removed and that Syrian Jews wishing to emigrate be allowed to do so.

JERUSALEM (WNS) -- An International Air Transport Association official has threatened "legal sanctions and proceedings" against Israel to force revocation of its travel tax. The threat may be aimed at limiting El Al's landing rights in the U.S., an El Al spokesman said.

KIAMESHA LAKE, N.Y. (WNS) -- The oil lobby is using the specter of an energy crisis in the U.S. as part of a pro-Arab, anti-Israel campaign, Jacob Stein, chairman of the Conference of Presidents of Major American Jewish Organizations has warned.

LONDON (WNS) -- A foreign office spokesman said there was no shopping list of military hardware to Egypt, but sources said Britain was prepared to sell Egypt amphibious light tanks, armed personnel carriers, fighter aircraft, radar systems and anti-tank guns.

TORONTO (WNS) -- Max Fisher of Detroit extolled the "new unity" which has developed between Israelis, North American Jews, and the other Jewish communities around the world, and said it was this unity which forced the Soviet rulers to let Jews emigrate and which made it possible to bring a million and a half immigrants to Israel from some of the darkest corners of the world.

NEW YORK -- Chaim Ganel was appointed Executive Director of the American Zionist Youth Foundation, Inc., it was announced by Dr. Arnulf M. Pins, Chairman of the Board of Trustees.

TORONTO (WNS) -- Israel's military position and its position in international affairs are the best it has ever had, Israel's Ambassador to the U.S. told 1800 delegates at the Council of Jewish Federations and Welfare Funds 41st General Assembly.

WASHINGTON (WNS) -- The American Friends of Tel Aviv University will seek to raise \$2 million in the United States toward the construction of the Olympian Memorial Center for Physical Education at the University to honor the 11 Israeli Olympic athletes slain Sept. 5 by Arab terrorists in Munich.

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May 16th: AT&T \$9,300.00
SILVER \$23,105,000

May 17th: GULF OIL \$5,600,000
SILVER \$30,079,500

May 18th: FANNY MAE .. \$11,800,000
SILVER \$29,698,600

May 19th: FANNY MAE .. \$5,500,000
SILVER \$20,000,100

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