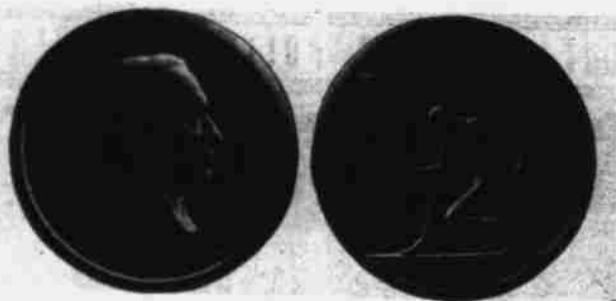


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TELL TALES

"One Man Plus The Truth Constitutes A Majority"

BY JACK TELL



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Let us analyze the character and reputation of the man who is backing Paul Christensen. Hank Greenspun has pulled more stunts in Nevada politics than an aerialist at the circus, without, of course, the risk of physical injury. While he goes to great lengths to show that he is acting for the good of the public, in every instance, practically, there is an ulterior motive behind his persuasion, for his own personal gain.

Greenspun will twist and turn from a previously stated view, to detour and deviate any and all issues, to serve his own selfish purpose. He'll squirm into a direct contradiction to fit an occasion, without the slightest remorse or conscience of how he is making suckers out of his readers. He will back a candidate (or refrain from attacking -- which is the same thing), but always demands his pound of flesh. When the innocent victim, probably an honest man to start with, refuses Greenspun's last straw, then comes the reprisals at the next election.

Greenspun's ravishing quest for power, and the plunder that goes along with it, has made him drunk with the "I Am Boss" complex, far more than was Mayor Hague of Jersey City. A political boss who rises from the ranks, at least pays off with patronage. Not Greenspun. His payoff for an endorsement is a return favor to line his own pocket.

An opportunist on the way up with his belt in the last notch, seeking sustenance, may on occasion be partially condoned. But Greenspun's belly is full, thanks to the coup via Bob Maheu, that netted him more than \$10,000,000 of Howard Hughes' money. Now it's the miser's greed for more and more, coupled with the incidious passion to crush and rule. His corruptness and evil envelope every level of political office from the governor's chair, through the courts, the state legislature and the county and city governments. It stretches overseas to Israel and right into the Federal branch of the United States.

On occasion he bites off more than he can chew, as when he allegedly perverted his dedication as a Jew, to gain citizenship for Meyer Lansky. These exploits have never before been publicly revealed, but the rumors persist.

Why doesn't Greenspun divulge his full complicity in the Clifford Irving hoax? How they were in his office in Las Vegas checking background material when they were supposed to be at a secret meeting with Hughes?

Now for examples that come to mind about Greenspun's complete turnabout to serve his own purposes. Just this past week the Sun published two of the most flagrant abuses he ever committed, of the big lie.

The Review-Journal ran a front page story of Greenspun's shift of opinion on public trust funds. Only a few weeks ago, Greenspun was most adamant in support of Maheu's opposition to the use of the trust funds for a proposed monorail. Last week, Greenspun appeared before the Henderson City Council seeking enactment of the trust fund law, for HIS OWN PRIVATE INTEREST in Henderson real estate. (The full R-J story and an editorial are reprinted in this issue of the ISRAELITE.)

But we have a corking reminder for old timers and a stunning revelation for newcomers of Greenspun's backsliding inversion on a matter which he is presenting to the public with a straight face. He comes on like a saviour on a white horse, with a "Holier Than Thou" appearance to save the individual from the horrors of bugging. But that wasn't always his stand.

A half dozen or so years ago, the F.B.I., under J. Edgar Hoover, caused indictments to be brought against several leading gambling figures in Las Vegas. The evidence had been secured by illegal wire tapping. Grant Sawyer, one of the most astute public servants ever in Nevada, was seeking re-election for Governor. Greenspun was backing Paul Laxalt. Sawyer, faced with the ticklish situation, spoke out against the F.B.I. and the rights of private citizens being violated. It was the first criticism ever leveled at Hoover.

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Jewish Flood Relief

Not all the activities within the Jewish community make headlines. Sometimes they occur quietly, yet they are just as powerful and effective as the headline making stories that abound in the daily and weekly press.

One such development which genuinely deserves widespread recognition is the action by Jewish federations throughout the country in aiding the flood-stricken Wiles-Barre Jewish Community.

The flooding resulting from tropical storm Agnes last summer caused 1300 of the 1600 Jewish families to be evacuated from their damaged or destroyed homes. Most of the 800-900 Jewish businesses were damaged or destroyed.

Federations responded quickly to this tragedy by committing some \$2.25 million to provide critically needed assistance unavailable from government or general resources. This fund was established for a two-year program of rehabilitation. As of May 1, \$1,314,677 has been paid to the Council of Jewish Federations, the administrator of this national assistance program. The C.J.F. receives monthly reports on all phases of flood relief and rehabilitation service and costs, and transmits the funds as required.

The quick response by Jewish federations has already accomplished several things. The Jewish Community Center, synagogues and the schools are being restored. All of the Jewish institutions have resumed activities. The local Jewish Federation, reconstituted after the initial weeks of shock and disruption, took lines of credit of up to \$2 million from local banks to grant small business loans. And Federation counseling services have been expanded.

Perhaps in the near future, the news dealing with Jewish affairs will no longer be about conflicts in the Middle East, the murder of Jews in Arab countries or the oppression of Jews in the Soviet Union, but about the on-going activities of the Jewish people everywhere helping each other.

Hunt for Subversives

BY ROBERT E. SEGAL

To the credit of President Nixon, the Internal Security Division of the Justice Department -- a sad bundle of red, white, and blue flotsam from Joe McCarthy's days -- has finally been phased out. To be sure, we can still find some remnants of this anachronism in the Criminal Division of Attorney General Elliot Richardson's bureau, but with a declining number of witches, whether real or suspected, to hunt, the security unit has been in need of chloroform for some time.

With that agency and the troublesome Subver-

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sive Activities Control board both pretty well discarded, hopes are a bit higher that the House Security Committee, more widely known by its old name, House Un-American Activities Committee, will soon be pushed over the political hill.

Young Americans who were not born or were at best toddlers at mid-century, have little understanding of the needless indignity and fright these engines of government visited on the innocent. Could they know how heartless certain officials in the State Department could be in the 1950's when they withheld passports from distinguished citizens under authority of the Internal Security Act of 1950? The measuring rod was "persons suspected of furthering the Communist cause" when the passports were denied; and when shrivel-natured State Department bureaucrats seize such an ambiguity, they have a field day.

Again, do the bright youths now taking their places in legislatures and municipal government have the imagination to sense what it means to naturalized Americans who have fled European totalitarian regimes now to have the threat of "emergency detention" hanging over those judged capable of engaging in or conspiring with others to engage in acts of espionage for sabotage? This is the fate the Internal Security Act holds out to those who may be transgressors and then again it may not be.

Encouraged by this kind of legislation, some people in power continue to visit disquiet on all of us who cherish the Bill of Rights. A sampling of trends reported in the press brings these examples:

1. According to the New York Police Department manual, accounts of political activities of some 240,000 persons and 12,500 organizations gathered by the Police Department are shared by that body with 11 city agencies, 17 federal agencies, five state agencies, and the intelligence units of local police departments throughout the United States.

2. At Kent state College a few months back, the University Chapter of Vietnam Veterans Against the War finally concluded that one Reinhold Mohr was a planted provocateur. Mohr tried to get the Vietnam Veterans to accept weapons to kill police and to blow up campus buildings. Following his arrest for possession of illegal weapons, he was let go by the Kent State campus police force.

3. The Supreme Court, by a 5-to-4 ruling in Tatum v. Laird, has unfortunately rejected the claim that army surveillance of civilian political activity discourages the exercise of First Amendment Rights.

Watergate bugging, denial of the appeal of John Lennon to remain in America probably because of his political views, and the mischief packed into the new "disclosure-of-information" legislative proposal introduced by Senators Hruska and McClellan are still other examples of activities raising the apprehension of those who are weary of political spy traps and threats against free speech.

But the surprising federal action cited above -- the ditching of the Internal Security Division of the Justice Department -- is a bit of sun from behind the clouds. And a renewed effort to do away with the House Internal security Committee, supported by 13 law school deans and a growing number of Congressmen, adds to this bit of optimism.