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High Level Anti-Semitism

It shook up men of good - will everywhere, but there it was, the ugly words of anti-Semitism mouthed no less by the top military officer of the United States of America: General George A. Brown, chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff. Even the wording was reminiscent of Hitler's days:
 The Jews "own, you know, the banks in this country, the newspapers," said the General. And it is only 30 years after the Holocaust.
 The General's remarks sent shivers down the spines of Jews especially, many of whom have been lulled into the false belief that anti-Semitism is dead.
 Fortunately, the inner fiber of the nation, the U.S., is strong, and so Christians, black and white; Professors, workers, Congressmen, Jewish organizational leaders, men and women from all walks of life, challenged Brown and all he represents.
 Men are responsible for their actions and their words! It is incomprehensible that a man who commands the military might of this, the most powerful nation of the world, can harbor or express such vicious anti-Semitic views.
 As Senator Proxmire said: "Brown Must Go!"

Meeting Human Needs

By Robert E. Segal

"The President told a group of mayors, businessmen, and labor leaders recently that he gave unqualified approval to a \$11 billion, six-year (mass transit) bill."
 And thus did we learn a few weeks ago via the news ticker that a bit of sun was pushing hard to make its way through the clouds. For if President Ford can pull himself up to top executive height and lead his political colleagues to understand that this nation must either solve the "people moving problem" in our urban jungles or face metropolitan panic, we may be registering an essential gain.
 Mass Transit is not a challenge in isolation. But the crisis attending the issue is symptomatic of the mountainous heap of neglected needs crying for legislative and financial attention.
 Before Richard Nixon came along, we seemed on our way toward meeting vast human necessities by allocating an appropriate share of our tax money to social services, education, and health. Dwight Eisenhower was wise enough and compassionate enough to realize that his immediate predecessors in the White House had tolled against harsh odds and often successfully to assure more food for the hungry, improved housing for the slum dwellers, and a better

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COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY'S FAMED ALMA MATER STATUE HOLDS AN ISRAEL FLAG AS THE STUDENT STRUGGLE FOR SOVIET JEWRY GREETS NEWLY-FREED PRISONER OF CONSCIENCE SYLVIA ZALMANSON.

answer to health needs. Jack Kennedy, who understood the meaning of Appalachia, threw his prestige into the battle against poverty. Lyndon Johnson, who never forgot the Depression suffering he witnessed as a young Texas congressman, advanced with vigor the campaign for social legislation to which Franklin Roosevelt, Harry Truman, Dwight Eisenhower, and Jack Kennedy had given their endorsement and support.
 But when President Nixon, in January, 1973, urged his countrymen to think long and hard on what they could do for themselves and to hold up on asking what the government would do for them, he began to do astounding harm to millions. No one could quarrel with his reminder that we have to hack it by ourselves most of the time but it is the people who send their tax money to the national capitol; and from that well stacked central granary the people must have government service.
 Joseph Kraft, one of the most prescient journalists of our day, put it well late in 1972 when he wrote: "High-minded senators report that he (the President) treats humanitarian proposals as though they were cynical, self-serving port-barrell operations." If this judgment strikes the reader as unduly harsh, let him look anew at this headline, appearing five months after Kraft spoke as he did: "Nixon Says Crisis in Cities Is Over; Cities Dip In Crime."
 And if this proves unconvincing, go for a mournful tour of this collection of developments: in recent years, the war against poverty has sputtered and nearly died through the strangulation of the Office of Economic Opportunity, day care services have been severely underfunded, housing for middle income people has become well nigh prohibitive in cost and for low income folks almost an impossible goal; medical research has been shifted to the back burner; funds for libraries have been starved by the federal government, and grants to cities and states for such essentials as recycling and disposal plants have been rare.
 Hard years these have been indeed for the jobless, the mentally ill, the miserably housed. Among the few Americans who have little reason to complain are the munition makers; and others who draw their ample livelihood from the 80 and more billions heaped upon the altar of military security in a time of detente.
 Come, then, shall we not grasp at the straw President Ford has held out to us --- the promise that he will stand firm in his support of a substantial appropriation for mass transit?

TELL TALES
 "One Man Plus The Truth
 Constitutes A Majority"
 BY JACK TELL

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Greenspun's self-serving role with you and the turnabout when the flow of your money to him stopped. You do not need him to arrange deals for you that benefit him. His irresponsibility as a newspaperman has been fully exposed after he publicly confessed he had erred and sinned. The power he wielded for selfish purposes has depleted, as the recent elections indicated.

Mr. Hughes, your enormous contributions to our welfare have earned for you our everlasting gratitude. Your funding of our Medical School at \$200,000 a year, and financial backing of our Community College, will benefit generations to come. Your beautifying of the El Rancho property on the Las Vegas Strip is capturing the admiration of locals and tourists, and announcement of extensive new buildings at the Desert Inn, while keeping current hotel and casino in full operation, has the whole town buzzing.

It may come as a surprise to most Nevadans that many hundreds of thousands of acres of land you own throughout the state have been converted into farms and are being tilled and cattle-ranched for useful purpose. While we are at it, may we tell our readers about the new Boy Scout camp you are building?

Yes, Mr. Hughes, the people of Nevada know very well you have provided far and above, more than your share to bring prosperity and maintain workable, living standards in our state. But we are compelled to call upon you again.

Inflation, the general recession and growing unemployment that is sweeping the nation is catching up with Nevada. The only deterrent we can think of, is your presence, right here, in Las Vegas. The time is ripe for your re-entry.

Please come back, Mr. Hughes.

Respectfully,

Jack Tell

Sapir

By Rabbi Samuel Silver

I finally got a close-up look at Pinchas Sapir.
 What a remarkable man.
 Portly and bald, speaking a good English, he embodies the good sense and astuteness of the Israeli at his best.
 Throughout the entire history of resurrected Israel, Sapir was the discerning man of finance. Israel has had some fine leaders, but Sapir is among the brainiest.
 He could have had the premiership of Israel had he wanted it. He may not be glamorous, but he is smart. Even after turning down the first spot in the government, he is still much involved in strengthening the economic life of his nation, even though he does not have a portfolio.
 Sapir made new headlines recently by getting married to an alert and brilliant widow. Bridegroom and bride have been travelling through the United States, aiding the cause of Israel Bonds, etc.
 In his talks Mr. Sapir has been stressing aliya. He is pleading for American Jews to settle in Israel. The Jewish nation heeds the expertise, the ingenuity, the initiative of the American Jews.
 It was a thrill to see Mr. Sapir, a real sight-seeing attraction. It was interesting to hear him make out the case for aliya. But I think Israel made a mistake in sending him forth to talk aliya.
 Israel needs Sapir back at home to grapple with her economic problems; she has the highest rate of inflation in the world, and taxes her people more steeply than any other country. The Alexander Hamilton of Israel ought to tend to his knitting!
 When our hopes for the rebuilding of a humane society are all but pulverized, why not take a little comfort from an unexpected promise?