

**JEWISH NEWS BRIEFS**

**NEW YORK (WNS)** -- Leaving a group of 20 Jewish defense League members who were staging a sit-in at the Israeli Consulate, Rabbi Meir Kahane, the founder of the JDL, went to Brooklyn Federal Court to turn himself in for a one-year prison term.

**CHARLESTON, S.C. (WNS)** -- The Charleston County Council has been asked by the Jewish community here to deny the Kuwait Investment Co., and its American subsidiaries permission to develop Kiaweh Island, off the South Carolina coast, as long as Kuwait continues its blacklist and boycott of American firms.

**JERUSALEM (WNS)** -- Jewish Agency Executive Chairman, Pinhas Sapir, has denounced a serious lag in the construction of housing units after he and Absorption Minister Shlomo Rosen were told that only 7,000 of the 11,361 housing units which were promised last year were completed.

**WASHINGTON (WNS)** -- Leonard Chapman, head of the U.S. Immigration and Naturalization Service, has promised to increase the number of Department of Justice investigators seeking the 33 Nazis still living in the United States.

**WASHINGTON (WNS)** -- President Anwar Sadat has confirmed for the first time that Egypt has received highly sophisticated MIG-23 jet fighters and other weapons from the Soviet Union and 25 french-built Mirage jets purchased by Saudi Arabia for Egypt.

**TEL AVIV (WNS)** -- Israel should negotiate simultaneously with Egypt and Syria and not Egypt alone, according to former Defense Minister Moshe Dayan.

**WASHINGTON (WNS)** -- Peace in the Middle East depends on an agreement between the United States and the Soviet Union "as to what should or should not be done" in that area, Sen. Stuart Symington (D. Mo.) said on the ABC-TV's "Issues and Answers" program.

**JERUSALEM (WNS)** -- Thirty-five members of the militant Gush Emunim settlers movement were arrested by police when they tried to break into the Prime Minister's Office during the Cabinet discussion of the negotiations with Egypt.

**WASHINGTON, D.C.** -- Judge Paul Ribner, national commander of the Jewish War Veterans, U.S.A., announced the appointment of Meyer M. (Mike) Zucker of Philadelphia, to the National Action Committee, engaged in conducting a thorough investigation into alleged illegal entries into the U.S. of former Nazi war criminals.

**ST. LOUIS** -- Almost 100,000 are expected to attend Israel Expo '75 in St. Louis, May 4 to 11, where the only replica of the Dead Sea Scrolls in America will be on display along with a panorama of life in Israel today.

**NEW YORK** -- A "bill of rights" for nursing home patients that would "strip away the prison-like atmosphere of these institutions" was proposed by the American Jewish Congress.

**HAIFA** -- Professor Paul Selde of the University of Southern California has been named the Alberman Visiting Professor for 1975 at Technion - Israel Institute of Technology.

**CINCINNATI, OHIO** -- Rabbi Alvan Rubin of Temple Israel, St. Louis, has been elected the new president of the Hebrew Union College - Jewish Institute of Religion 1,000 member Alumni Association.

**LOS ANGELES** -- United Synagogue Youth, Far West Region, annual Israel Pilgrimage this summer, a six and one half week program including touring and study, is the largest activity of its kind in the United States. For information on the Israel Pilgrimage for teenagers 15 - 17 years, contact the Conservative Synagogue in your area or the Regional Office at 463-1161.

ISRAELITE ADS PAY

**ISRAELI POLICY LINKED WITH VIETNAM**

**NEW YORK (WNS)** -- Rabbi Israel Miller, chairman of the Conference of Presidents of Major American Jewish Organizations, has suggested that Israel's stand in the negotiations that were conducted by Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger may have been proven correct by the situation in Vietnam.

While charging that the Arab world's refusal to accept Israel's right to exist was responsible for Kissinger's failure, Rabbi Miller said the wisdom of Israel's insistence on tangible peace moves by Egypt before relinquishing territory "is confirmed by what is happening today in Vietnam." He noted that "There too, Secretary Kissinger served as a mediator among the local parties to the conflict," and "there too, pledges of peaceful intentions were offered without the necessary safeguards to make sure the promises would not be broken."

Rabbi Miller said that "Israel has learned the lesson of Vietnam and both the American people and the cause of peace are the gainers." He said "It is clear now that by its refusal to renounce belligerency against Israel, Egypt

and the Arab world are not yet ready to accept Israel's right to exist as a legitimate and permanent political entity in the Middle East."

Rabbi Miller pledged "unity and solidarity with Israel in her struggle for peace and security." He advised that "Now is the time for Israel to stand fast and cool. For Israel's friends in this country, it is a moment to speak out in solidarity with the Jewish State, recognizing that peace cannot be achieved by surrender nor security bought with promises."

Meanwhile the Zionist Organization of America and United Zionists -- Revisionists of America sent telegrams to President Ford urging him to reaffirm American commitment to Israel's security. ZOA president, Dr. Joseph P. Sternstein, urged Ford not to abandon America's "loyal ally" and blamed the Arab intransigence aided by the Kremlin for Egypt's rejection of moderation. Revisionists president Howard Adelson noted "with dismay reports that you (Ford) place responsibility for the failure of the mission of Israel. Egyptian refusal to take steps toward a political solution made failure inevitable."



**NEW YORK - CHANCELLOR GERSON D. COHEN OF THE JEWISH THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY OF AMERICA (LEFT), PRESIDENT EPHRAIM KATZIR OF ISRAEL, AND DR. MENAHEM SCHMELZER, SEMINARY LIBRARIAN (RIGHT), STUDY A MANUSCRIPT DURING PRESIDENT KATZIR'S VISIT TO THE SEMINARY AND ITS LIBRARY.**

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