

LETTERS

Dear Jack:

Your March 7 "Tell Tales" was a little confusing because you cleverly mixed a few economic facts with much popular folklore and some outright untruths.

First, the good news. Oil company managers, like all good businessmen (Jewish, Black, Anglo, etc.), believe, support, and promote a market economy that operates on the basis of supply and demand with a minimum of governmental control. That system has provided the greatest number of goods for the greatest number of people.

Now, the bad news. The only oil cartel we know of is the OPEC nations. It will survive as long as demand exceeds supply. So, the best way Americans can help restore a "market economy" to the world oil market is by developing energy sources in the U.S.

Oil companies believe America should proceed with development of energy from solar, geothermal, nuclear, shale and coal sources, as well as our off-shore and Alaskan oil potential. If you were to grade those potential resources by cost of development, speed of development, environmental costs, and usability in our economy, you would find offshore oil development ranks far ahead as the place to put our chips today. If you want to bet on 50 - 100 years from now, solar, nuclear fusion, and the breeder reactor might be interesting speculations. Even when Alaskan oil begins to flow in a few years, it is anticipated there will be shortages of 600,000 barrels per day on the West Coast. That's the source of Las Vegas's oil.

Any time you or your readers want information about the oil industry, or Standard Oil Company of California, we will be pleased to provide it for you.

If you question our actions, please ask us directly what we are doing, and why we are doing it. We eagerly seek your questions, even the tough ones.

Sincerely,

John Rountree, Public Affairs Manager
Standard Oil Company of California
P.O. Box 831
Phoenix, Arizona 85001

(ED. NOTE: In keeping with our policy of not prolonging an issue, we've had our say. Standard Oil has its, we present Mr. Rountree's views. The only comment we add is that we hope we live long enough to see those responsible for erupting the lives of every American for their own selfish benefit, exposed, brought to trial and if convicted, jailed. J.T.)

Dear Jack Tell:

Many thanks for the fine review of "Casino Management" in your February 21st issue.

Sincerely,

Lyle Stuart
(Secaucus, New Jersey)

Dear Mr. Tell,

Your January 24th issue carrying your story of "Granddaughters Three" was a pure gem! Since my husband and I are new grandparents to a delicious little boy, your tale touched us deeply. Isn't it just a magnificent feeling what these wonderful children of our children can do for us!!

We thoroughly enjoyed this marvelous description of your love for your grandchildren. Do hope you continue this habit for the next 100 years.

Cordially,

Jeannette & Abe Schamis
(East Meadow, N. Y.)

P. S. Enclosed is our check for our subscription.

(ED. NOTE: It's letters like this from persons we never met, that makes publishing the ISRAELITE worthwhile. Thank you. J.T.)

Dear Mr. Tell:

On behalf of the National Jewish Hospitality Committee, I want to thank you for the article "Assisting Converts" which was in the October 25th edition.

Thank you too for sending us a copy for our records.

With best wishes. If you have any further questions or thoughts, please let me know.

Cordially,

Stephen S. Jacobs
Executive Director

Dear Editor:

I am confined in the London Correction Institution in London, Ohio, for the crime of vehicular homicide. This state punished me with no less than eighteen (18) months and no more than five (5) years for my crime.

I have no family and what so-called friends that I did know, I have lost contact with them since I've been here. I'm lonesome for some one to write to, to help this time go by. If this is not out of your line of business, I would appreciate it very much if you would publish

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this in your newspaper.

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I'm thanking you in advance for what service you can give me on this matter.

Respectfully yours,

Alvin C. Starks
#138492
P.O. Box 69
London, Ohio 43140

Dear Friend:

Your generous contribution to our recent "Count-down on Cancer" event helped to make it a splendid success.

With much appreciation,
Mrs. Sam Ferer - Chairman
(Hadassah)

Dear Sir:

I do enjoy reading through your paper. Many times I catch something that escaped my attention in reading other Anglo-Jewish papers.

Rabbi Leonard B. Gewertz
(Wilmington, Delaware)

Dear Jack,

Thanks to your help, our dance on Sunday, April 21st, was very successful. We had an attendance that exceeded our expectations, which indicates that your releases were most effective in reaching the audiences we sought.

Please accept this brief note as a most sincere expression of our appreciation for the generous use of your space, time and talents.

Many thanks,
Boris J. Orent
(Publicity Honcho)

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