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## 76 SENATORS URGE PRES. FORD TO STAND BEHIND ISRAEL FIRM

### MICHAEL POTTER BAR MITZVAH

Michael Potter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Potter, will be called to the Torah and become a Bar Mitzvah during services at Temple Beth Sholom, on Saturday morning, May 31, 1975.

Rabbi Philip Shnairson, spiritual leader of the Temple, will officiate and conduct the Services which commence at 9:00 A. M. Cantor Joseph Kohn will chant the liturgy.

The parents of the Bar Mitzvah will



MICHAEL

host the congregation to a Kiddush in the Entratter Social Hall immediately after the Services.

### RENEE COHEN BAT MITZVAH

Renee Cohen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Cohen, who will become a Bat Mitzvah during Services at Temple Beth Sholom, on Friday evening, May 30th, 1975.

The parents of the Bat Mitzvah will host



RENEE

the congregation to Oneg Shabbat refreshments in the Entratter Social Hall immediately after the conclusion of the Services.

### ISRAEL APPRECIATES SENATORS SUPPORT

JERUSALEM (WNS) -- The letter by 76 Senators urging President Ford to provide political and military support to Israel was greeted with thanks and appreciation here.

The Foreign Ministry spokesman said the letter was "a clear and unequivocal expression of the deep friendship which the American people and government feel toward Israel and of the

WASHINGTON (WNS) -- A record number of 76 senators from 46 states have sent a letter to President Ford urging him to stand "firmly with Israel" in the best interest of the United States by helping keep Israel militarily strong and economically viable and supporting her search for peace in future negotiations.

Noting that Congress should receive the President's foreign aid requests soon, the Senators wrote Ford that "We trust that your recommendations will be responsive to Israel's urgent military and economic needs." The 51 Democrats and 25 Republicans who signed the letter included most of the Senate leadership, all 10 freshmen senators including Dale Bumpers (D. Ark.) who defeated former Senate Foreign Relations Committee Chairman J. William Fulbright last year.

The signers also included Sen. George McGovern (D. S.D.), who has been praised by the Palestine Liberation Organization as the highest U.S. official to meet with the PLO. They did not include, however, Sen. Charles Percy (R. Ill.) who did not meet with the PLO but had urged Israel to negotiate with it.

The letter pointed out that while the sus -  
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### WIRE FROM WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON -- NEVADA SENS. HOWARD CANNON AND PAUL LAXALT TODAY URGED THE PRESIDENT TO CONTINUE THE NATION'S LONG-STANDING COMMITMENT TO ISRAEL'S SECURITY BY CONTINUING MILITARY SUPPLY SHIPMENTS AND DIPLOMATIC AND ECONOMIC SUPPORT.

IN A MESSAGE TO PRESIDENT FORD, CANNON AND LAXALT JOINED IN STATING: "WE BELIEVE THAT PRESERVING THE PEACE REQUIRES THAT ISRAEL OBTAIN A LEVEL OF MILITARY AND ECONOMIC SUPPORT ADEQUATE TO DETER A RENEWAL OF WAR BY ISRAEL'S NEIGHBORS. WITHHOLDING MILITARY EQUIPMENT FROM ISRAEL WOULD BE DANGEROUS, DISCOURAGING ACCOMMODATION BY ISRAEL'S NEIGHBORS AND ENCOURAGING A RESORT TO FORCE."

CANNON IS A RANKING MEMBER OF THE SENATE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE. THEY URGED THE PRESIDENT TO "MAKE IT CLEAR -- THAT THE UNITED STATES ACTING IN ITS OWN NATIONAL INTERESTS STANDS FIRMLY WITH ISRAEL IN THE SEARCH FOR PEACE IN FUTURE NEGOTIATIONS, AND THAT THIS PREMISE IS THE BASIS OF THE CURRENT REASSESSMENT OF U.S. POLICY IN THE MIDDLE EAST."

"A STRONG ISRAEL CONSTITUTES A MOST RELIABLE BARRIER TO DOMINATION OF THE AREA BY OUTSIDE PARTIES," THE SENATORS SAID.

"GIVEN THE RECENT HEAVY FLOW OF SOVIET WEAPONRY TO ARAB STATES, IT IS IMPERATIVE THAT WE NOT PERMIT THE MILITARY BALANCE TO SHIFT AGAINST ISRAEL." THE LETTER STATED.

A TOTAL OF 76 SENATORS JOINED IN THE MESSAGE.

### TELL TALES

"One Man Plus The Truth  
Constitutes A Majority"

BY JACK TELL



### Vegas Scuttlebutt

We're sorry to tell Harry Reid that if his bid for Mayor of Las Vegas is blown in the June 3 general elections, he can blame it on the "Kiss of Death" by Paul Price during Sunday's TV "debate."

Harry had polled a commanding lead over Bill Briare in the primaries and probably would have coasted to victory -- until the Price tactic of attempting to sway votes -- which never fails to backfire. Paul's declaration of an affidavit indicating a conflict of interest by Briare was as startling, and as ineffective as former Sen. Joe McCarthy waving papers as evidence before rushing offstage. The papers were blank.

When will candidates learn? If they want Paul on their side they should strive for an endorsement, not a rap at the opponent. It does not work in Nevada. Didn't Greenspun's attempt backfire in the Senate Race?

We hope Harry can overcome the handicap of Price because he'd make a good mayor.

Then there's the story of the cab driver who had gambled away his "book," which is the money to be turned in to the company. The frustrated cabbie was thinking up excuses to give his boss when he noticed three men entering a massage parlor. He waited a few minutes then went in and asked for the \$30 - a head delivery fee. The happy cabman walked out with \$90, enough to make himself right with the world for that evening. Who said massage parlors do not do any good for anyone?

The new Marina Hotel on the Strip is a pip. A gal stopped by for one of those free souvenirs which are advertised right here in the ISRAELITE. It turned out to be a delightful item, but that's not all. On her way to the cashier's cage she stopped at one of those 5-nickel slots. Within minutes she hit the three sevens four times, on all three levels and diagonal. It was a bonanza and from now on she swears by the Marina. We're not surprised because Mike Goodman, who runs the gambling there, knows who to keep happy while the men folk are taking their chances at craps and 21.

If you are toying with the idea of settling in Nevada, the best business is to open a bank. While the largest lending institution in the nation has just reduced its interest rate to seven percent, the legislature here considered allowing unlimited interest. WOW!

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### YAHREZITS TONIGHT AT BETH SHOLOM

(Friday, May 30, 1975)

Eliyahu Koulange  
Samuel Liebert  
Samuel Senor  
Louis Kay  
Murray Siegel  
Solomon Rubinstein  
Manuel Schlomovitch  
Leopold Strauss  
Samuel Isaac Osofsky  
Dr. Harry Bernstein  
Eugene Feher  
Samuel Koch  
Herman Blut  
Herbert Saul  
Morris Katzen

Mattie Hepler  
Esther Schaffer  
Lena Alper  
Johanna H. Silverman  
Rose Ferer  
Bertha Enzer  
Bessie Gordon  
Mae Smollin  
Dora Tarnofsky  
Betty Wexler  
Peshe Dunitz  
Bessie Hallner  
Malka Erenberg

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