## Aiding Israel's Economy

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JERUSALEM (AJPA) -- A combination of JERUSALEM (AJPA) -- A combination of far-sightedness, business acumen and a realistic approach to Israel's needs on the part of one of America's great Jewish leaders will have far reaching effects on Israel's future economy. Englewood's Dr., Sidney Edelstein, whose name is linked with the high ranking executive lists of the United Jewish Appeal, Israel Bonds, YMHA, the Joint Distribution Committee and the American Friends of the Hebrew University has

YMHA, the Joint Distribution Committee and the American Friends of the Hebrew University, has together with his wife, Mildred, sowed the seeds for a revolutionary trend in Israel's labor force.

Cognisant of the scope of Israel's commercial productivity if more women entered the labor force, the Edelsteins have donated the first four of 94 projected day care centers to be set up all over the country under the aegis of the Israel Education Fund of the UJA.

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At present, there are slightly more than one hundred thousand working mothers in Israel, the bulk of whom have children who are either at kindergarten age or older. The 94 day care centers will cater for children in the prekindergarten age group, taking in babies from the age of six months.



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This will free some six thousand mothers from being house-bound in the initial stages of the nation-wide day care center program.

In addition to supplementing their own family incomes, these mothers will contribute to the national economy.

An improvement in their financial conditions will be an encouraging factor in family planning in that many more young couples will now be able to afford to have additional children.

## TECHNION AWARDS HARVEY PRIZES

HAIFA -- An eminent American nuclear physicist and a distinguished Swedish immunologist and a distinguished Swedish immuno-logist have been chosen the 1975 recipients of the Harvey Prizes. This was announced by the Chairman of the Israel Committee for the Harvey Prize Mayor-General (Res.) Amos Horey, President of the Technion - Israel Institute of technology.

The winner of the Harvey Prize in Science and Technology is Edward Teller of the Law-rence Livermore Laboratory of the University

The recipient of the Harvey Prize in Human

HAPPY NEW YEAR PAGE-TWENTY-FIVE Health is Dr. George Klein, Professor of Tumor Biology and Head of the Institute for Tumor Biology at the Karolinska Institute Medical School in Stockholm.

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Each prize bears a cash award of \$35,000.

Professor Teller is receiving the award for his dedicated work toward the utilization of fission and fusion energy for peaceful purposes. His citation reads: "He is a scientist-statesman who is convinced that man cannot abstain from knowledge, nor need he be trapped in a faustian bargain. He therefore strives to ensure a future where nuclear energy shall become a blessing for all mankind."

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Dr. Klein is being awarded the prize "in recognition of his contribution to human health through his discoveries in cancer immunology. His citation reads: "With others he has sought to stimulate the immunological resources of to stimulate the immunological resources of the human body to fight and reject cancer. He has increased our fundamental understanding of cancer and he is now searching for means directly applicable to the defeat of this dread-ful disease. His work has been a true synthesis of scientific and moral endeavor."





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