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ISRAELI LEADERS URGE RABIN TO NEGOTIATE WITH ANY PALESTINIANS

BRIAN M. BLOCK BAR MITZVAH

Brian Mark Block, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ardwin Block, will be called to the Torah and become a Bar Mitzvah during Services at Temple Beth Shalom, Saturday morning, January 10, 1976.



BRIAN

Rabbi Philip Shairson, 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 host the congrega-

tion to a Kiddush in the Entranter Social Hall immediately after the Services.

JERUSALEM (WNS) -- Premier Yitzhak Rabin has told his Cabinet ministers to either stop publicly criticizing government policy or resign.

The statement made at a Cabinet meeting, which was revealed in the press, was seen as primarily addressed to Foreign Minister Yigal Allon who has recently criticized the government's Palestinian policy. Allon seems to be leaning toward the proposal by former Communications Minister Aharon Yariv and Health Minister Victor Shemtov of Mapam that Israel should talk to any Palestinian group that recognizes the Jewish State and desists from terror.

Rabin firmly opposes this formula, although privately he has said that he could envision a Palestinian state on the West Bank under modern Palestinian leadership.

Meanwhile, Prof. Yehoshafat Harkabi, one of the leading "hawks" in the Israeli academic community, has urged Israel to negotiate with any Palestinian group, including the Palestine Liberation Organization, that renounces terrorism and accepts the existence of Israel. Harkabi, an authority on international relations, a former chief of army intelligence and until recently an advisor to Defense Minister Shimon Peres, in a telephone radio interview from the United States, questioned the official Israeli view that the establishment of a West Bank Palestinian state would threaten Israel and advance Soviet penetration in the Middle East. He said if Israel offered to negotiate with the PLO the PLO would be faced with the choice

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"One Man Plus The Truth
Constitutes A Majority"

BY JACK TELL



PROUD ZIONIST

Jan. 12-Decision Day

The next most important date for Israeli news is Monday, Jan. 12, when the Security Council of the United Nations meets to debate on the Middle East.

This is the session for which the Soviet-Arab majority voted to invite the Palestine Liberation Organization to attend and take part.

Israeli Premier Yitzhak Rabin has stated over and over again Israel would not attend. To do so, Rabin contended right up to press time, would give credence to terrorists who murdered innocent civilians, including women and children.

President Ford and Secretary Kissinger, along with a host of other Israel-well-wishers, have been urging Israel to show up and at least have a say in presenting the Israeli side of the issue.

While a majority of the Israeli Parliament, the Knesset, supports Rabin, there are factions that disagree, ranging from moderates who seek some compromising qualifications, to extremists demanding recognition of the PLO.

Now comes an editorial from our weekly news service Seven Arts Feature Syndicate, stating Israel SHOULD ATTEND the Security Council Debate. Here is the editorial:

The American Jewish community shares the Israeli outrage that a terrorist group like the Palestine Liberation Organization has been invited to attend the meeting of the Security Council. Nevertheless Premier Yitzhak Rabin's government should seriously reconsider Israel's decision not to attend the upcoming Security Council debate on the Middle East.

Anger at the decision of a majority of the Council members should not blind Israel to the need to strongly declare its position in the Middle East dispute as well as to defend itself from the calumnies expected to pour forth from the Arab spokesmen.

Since the U.S. is strongly against moving the diplomatic efforts to find peace in the Middle East to the U.N., Israel can rely on the United States to veto any attempt to decide the Middle East dispute by the Security Council. But as Rabin himself recently pointed out, Israel does not have the U.S. in its pocket. The U.S. may take steps which are in the interest of its own policy in the Mideast and/or of detente with the Soviet Union but are not necessarily in the interest of Israel.

One such issue is the possibility that the U.S. will go along with a proposal to change

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FORD RAPS ISRAEL FOR NEWS LEAKAGE

WASHINGTON (WNS) -- Israel was strongly rebuked by President Ford for what he described as "leakage" of information concerning

diplomatic exchanges between the United States and Israel.

The State Department issued a statement by Ford in which he said "we strongly deplore this constant leakage of most confidential information." Ford's statement came after the Israeli newspaper, Maariv, reported that Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger had sent Israel a message in which he criticized the government's decision to establish four new settlements on the Golan Heights. The newspaper said that American Ambassador Malcolm Toon had tried to deliver the message to Premier Yitzhak Rabin who refused to accept it.

Last June Ford rebuked Israel for leaks after The New York Times published maps of the Sinai peninsula showing the final troop positions that had been agreed between Israel and Egypt.



IN RECOGNITION OF HIS OUTSPOKEN AND COURAGEOUS STAND AT THE UNITED NATIONS, U. S. AMBASSADOR DANIEL PATRICK MOYNIHAN HAS BEEN SELECTED AS THE RECIPIENT OF THE 1975 ANNUAL AWARD MEDAL OF THE JUDAIC HERITAGE SOCIETY, SUITE 4011, 866 U.N. PLAZA, NEW YORK CITY, 10017.

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