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## RABIN PROPOSES EARLY GENEVA TALKS

GENEVA (WNS) --remier Yitzhak Ra-Premier bin has called for an return to the Geneva conference for a Middle East peace settlement modeled on the European security held in conference Helsinki in the summer of 1975.

made his remarks in a speech to the 13th conference of the Socialist In-ternational at which he was elected one the International's of 15 vice - presidents. The Israeli leader's 15 address to delegates, representing some 50 Socialist or Social Democratic Democratic parties throughout the world, was viewed as Is-rael's reply to the current Arab peace Arab peace offensive, recent state-Egyptian especially ments by President Anwar Sadat.

Rabin Israel said territorial aujus. territorial aujus. territorial aujus. was ready to discuss existing lines as final, de-facto realities," he he

## YAHRZEITS TONIGHT AT BETH SHOLOM

(Friday, Dec. 10, 1976) Sholo Singer Rev. Moses Seligman Dina Starker Gus Greenbaum Bess Greenbaum Abe Louis Padratzik Jacob Silverman Max Adelson Leon Botengoff Max Grapel Hannah Gopin Issie Golberg Dora Wexler Hyman Thomas Kamin Fanny Licker Jacob Lubeck Joe Rosenberg Mollie Sincoff annie Diener Herman Bock Esther Dvorak

said. But he stressa Mided that east peace ference "must connot attempt the impossithrough a futile illusion that history can be put back." can be put back." He said that only the heads of the sovereign governments in the and the two region two super-United States and the Soviet should at-Union, tend the conference.

Rabin told newsmen that Israel's policy toward Lebanon is one of non-intervention while safeguard-ing Israel's security. Israel "will not tolerate the presence of Syrian forces in south Lebanon nor will it allow this will it allow this area to be used for terrorist purposes as it was in the past," he said. "The best solution is for Lebanese independent force to be stationed" in that region, the Premier said.

During the confer-ence, Rabin met with President Leopold Senghor of Senagal, the first time an Israeli Premier had met with the chief of state of a Black African nation since the Yom Kippur War of 1973. The meeting was describ-ed as "friendly and frank,"

Rabin also met with Austrian Chancellor Bruno Kreisky, Premier Mario Suarez of Portugal, Felipe Gonzales, head of the Spanish Socialist Par-ty and West German Helmut Chancellor Schmidt and former Chancellor Willy
Brandt, Suarez assured Rabin that he
was determined to normalize relations with Israel.

WASHINGTON (WNS) -- A memorandum was made public November 30 on a meeting November 15 here between two representatives of the Palestine Liberation Organization and five Washington

The 1500 - word memorandum was prepared the day after the meeting by Herman Edelsberg, recently retired director of the B'nai B'rith International Council and now a consultant to it who was at the meeting. Copies are under-stood to have been sent to the State Department, the Israeli Embassy, the American Jewish Com-mittee and top officials of B'nai B'rith. The meeting was arranged by B. Tartt Bell, director of the International Affairs Seminars of the American Friends Service Committee at whose office - residence the meeting was held. Edels-berg's memorandum said that Dr. Issa Sartawi, was the leader of the two - member PLO dele-gation. The other man was Sabri Jiryis who has since been expelled from the United States. According to Edelsberg's paper, "Bell

had told us the PLO representatives were in Washington to explore the advisability of opening an office, but Sartawi said vaguely at the end of the conversation that they already had an office -- representative? -- in Washington, and in other cities, as well as the office in New York." Sartawi said he and Jiryis had come to the U.S. to "seek support for the PLO's present

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One Man Plus The Truth Constitutes A Majority"

BY JACK TELL



Bit of Nostalgia

We read everything in sight but our all-time perennial favorite is William Porter, more popularly known as O. Henry,

Between O. Henry anecdotes, which we de-vour over and over again, there were phases where we were captured by Hellinger, Runyan,

Gallico, and now its Bishop.

Jim Bishop has been our man of the hour for the past ten years. We relish everything he writes because he's a real pro. But its ecstasy for us when Jim unearths a newspaperman story of our own time. Like his column the other day about Jerry Wald.

Bishop was right when he said: "I wouldn't say his prose was inferior, but there were newspapermen who said that Jerry couldn't write home for money."

Jerry was the first columnist who wrote about radio in a short - lived but notorious gazette, The N. Y. Graphic. His column was a lulu. He had expose items about the biggest and the best and some of his utterings were authentic.

Then, according to Bishop, Jerry ripped into Walter Winchell, who phoned Jerry's editor and the next day Jerry was on his way to Hollywood.

Bishop did not dwell on the Winchell angle. Jim went on to the punch - line, that Wald be-came the biggest producer in Movie-Town. There's a prologue to Bishop's story concerning Winchell, who we knew intimately for a period of about ten years. Five nights a week we rode with Walter during the wee hours

chasing police calls.
Winchell was a kind and compassionate man. He had the greatest regard for newspapermen, far more than theatrical stars or sports biggies. But Walter despised an ingrate.

It happened about the time Jerry Wald started writing his column, "The Walds Have Ears." Jerry, who some say was the inspiration for "What Makes Sammy Run," stopped at

nothing for a good story, true or otherwise.

Time after time Jerry got into hot water with a hot item about a hot star. They brewed, they steamed, they did everything they could to get Jerry fired. All to no avail. The editors get Jerry fired. All to no avail. The editors just cautioned Wald to be more careful about the facts. Jerry promised but continued to write peppy, saucy stories about big names.

Then Jerry tagged an oldie on to Rudy Vallee. The crooner, a big name at the time, was in-

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