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 peace efforts."

The memorandum quoted Sartawi as saying the PLO accepts "the principle of a Jewish State in Palestine" alongside a Palestinian state made up of the West Bank, Gaza, and some pieces of land now held by Egypt and Syria. When asked why the PLO did not make this stand public, Sartawi said that recognition of Israel was the PLO's "trump card" and it would not give it up without getting something in return.

Edelsberg quoted himself as saying "recognition of Israel was not a trump card; it did not even warrant any Israeli concessions." Edelsberg said that the two PLO representatives "made no bones about their purpose to take over Jordan."

The PLO representatives, according to the memorandum, also said that they felt that Israeli doves could not influence their government and that their hope was "the American Jewish community will do it." A suggestion that a public declaration by the PLO would help Israeli doves in their campaign "did not seem to impress the Palestinians," Edelsberg observed.

The memorandum identified the other Washington Jews present as Arthur Waskow, Institute for Policy Studies; Max Ticktin, of Breira; Olya Margolin, National Council of Jewish Women, and David Gorin, American Jewish Congress. Earlier the PLO representatives held a meeting in a private home in New York. One of those present was Dr. George Gruen, who specializes in Middle East affairs for the American Jewish Committee in New York. Gruen said the "ground rules" for the meeting included a ban on disclosure of the names of those attending. He stressed, as had those in Washington, that he attended as an individual and not a representative of his organization.

Meanwhile, on December 1, David M. Blumberg, president of B'nai B'rith, said the organization was not involved "in any way" with the meeting in Washington and would not have agreed to attend the meeting if it had been invited. The AJCongress said that it had reprimanded Gorin for attending the meeting and not leaving when he learned that the PLO representatives were present. The AJCongress said "it deplores any talks by representatives of American Jewish organizations" with the PLO. The National Council of Jewish Women said that the Council employee who attended the meeting "in no way represented the Council's policy," and "we dissociate ourselves completely from her action."

In another development, the Conference of Presidents of Major American Jewish Organizations urged President Ford to prohibit the opening of an office of the PLO in Washington.

JERUSALEM - Nov. 15, 1976. -- Mayor William Briare of Las Vegas visited the Hadassah University Hospital on Mount Scopus, here today.

Mayor Briare is one of 16 mayors in the U.S. Conference of Mayors delegation at present on a study tour in Israel.

Professor Kalman J. Mann, Director-General of the Hadassah Medical Organization, described to the delegation how the Hadassah University Hospital was closed in 1948, after 78 doctors and nurses were killed in an Arab ambush. It remained closed for 19 years, while Hadassah built a new Medical Center at Ein Karem on the Western side of Jerusalem. This was opened in 1961 and has 800 beds.

After the Mount Scopus Hospital was recovered in June, 1967, it was found to be in a state of complete desolation. Hadassah rehabilitated it completely, and has re-opened it as a 300-bed regional hospital serving Jews and Arabs in East Jerusalem. Thus Hadassah is now



MAYOR BILL BRIARE, OF LAS VEGAS, STANDS WITH PROFESSOR KALMAN J. MANN, DIRECTOR-GENERAL OF THE HADASSAH MEDICAL ORGANIZATION, AT THE HADASSAH UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL ON MOUNT SCOPUS, JERUSALEM. BEHIND THEM IS THE SYMBOL OF HADASSAH, COMPRISING THE SHIELD OF DAVID WITH HADASSAH WRITTEN ACROSS IT, A MYRTLE WREATH SYMBOLIZING HADASSAH AND A QUOTATION FROM JEREMIAH - "THE HEALING OF MY PEOPLE." THE FULL TEXT IS (JEREMIAH 8:19, 22): "BEHOLD THE VOICE OF THE CRY OF MY PEOPLE FROM A LAND THAT IS VERY FAR OFF....IS THERE NO BALM IN GILEAD? IS THERE NO PHYSICIAN THERE? WHY THEN IS NOT THE HEALING OF MY PEOPLE ACCOMPLISHED." HADASSAH HAS PIONEERED IN THE PROVISION OF MODERN HEALTH SERVICES IN ISRAEL FOR 64 YEARS, SINCE THE MOVEMENT WAS FOUNDED BY HENRIETTA SZOLD.

running two major hospitals in Jerusalem. Professor Mann told the delegation: "Hadassah has shown the world that no amount of physical damage can extinguish the spirit of the Jewish people and of Israel."

BRONFMAN, SEAGRAM BOSS, WILL STAY IN CANADA

MONTREAL (WNS) -- Strong reactions continue over the election eve statement by Charles Bronfman, president of the Seagram Co., that he might leave Quebec despite his retraction following the election. Bronfman told a group of 400 businessmen prior to the November 15 provincial election in Quebec that if the separatist Parti Quebecois won the election it would "mean the end of the country and the destruction of the Jewish community." Bronfman, a strong supporter of Liberal Party Premier Robert Bourassa, vowed that if the separatists won he would pull Seagram out of Quebec and with it the Montreal Expos baseball team in which he has a 40 percent interest. After the Parti

Quebecois won the election, Bronfman retracted his threat saying it had been made impulsively in the heat of the campaign. There has been a strong negative reaction from radio and television commentators and readers of the French language press several of whom have called for a boycott. Bronfman in his post-election retraction noted his "love" for Canada and his belief that

Quebec should remain part of the country. "To face the specter of separation which could tear our country apart was a prospect so shattering that what I said truly reflected my mood and feelings of the moment."

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