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**Let's Not Be Complacent**

The British philosopher Edmund Burke once said that all evil needs to flourish is for good men to do nothing. Three recent examples show that it is time that good men do something.

The most shocking is the report by Nazi hunter Simon Wiesenthal that the notorious "death doctor" of Auschwitz, Josef Mengele, is living the life of a wealthy man in Paraguay, protected by the government and even allowed to travel freely abroad under his various aliases. It is a disgrace to humanity that this mass murderer in the guise of a doctor has not been made to pay for his heinous crimes. Yet the government of Paraguay has refused efforts by West Germany to have him extradited.

The West German government meanwhile is itself refusing to extradite Herbert Kappler, the former Rome gestapo chief who was serving a life sentence for ordering the shooting of 335 Italian Jews and non-Jews during World War II. Kappler, who was confined to a Rome Military Hospital with cancer, escaped from the hospital with the help of his wife and was taken to Germany. The German government says he can not be sent back to Italy.

Added to this is the bizarre news from Germany that three young Hamburg men are producing a two-record album with Hitler as a rock opera star. The album, known as "Der Fuehrer" and aimed at the American and British market sees Hitler as an occult figure. This is another example of the current Hitler revival which is especially dangerous among young people who really do not seem to know much of the history of the Nazi era.

**Behind The Scenes**

**At The United Nations**

By DAVID HOROWITZ  
 A World-Union Press Feature

**No U.S. - Israeli Showdown**

UNITED NATIONS (WUP) -- All this media talk about a possible U.S. - Israel showdown as a consequence of Secretary of State Cyrus Vance's seemingly non-productive meetings with the leaders of the Middle Eastern states is a lot of nonsense.

This writer sees no confrontation in the offing.

Mr. Vance's trip was an exploratory one in order to keep a certain U.S. peace momentum going. Before he left, he knew exactly where Israel stood on the West Bank, the Gaza Strip, the Golan and the other boundaries. He was also fully aware of the Arab positions relative to the Palestinians. When he met with Israel's Prime Minister in Jerusalem, he found that Israel's position had not changed from that which Mr. Begin had put before President Carter during their recent meetings in Washington.

The State Department also knew where Begin stood on the PLO -- a stand not differing in any degree from that of previous Israeli regimes under Golda Meir and Yitzhak Rabin.

In the light of intelligence that has reached the World Union Press here at the UN from Washington, your correspondent sees no validity in the critical views expressed by most news-



JERUSALEM: ISRAEL'S NEW COIN TO COMMEMORATE ITS 29TH ANNIVERSARY. IT WILL HIGHLIGHT THE THEME: BROTHERHOOD IN JERUSALEM, CAPITAL OF ISRAEL. JERUSALEM THE HOLY CITY TO THREE FAITHS: JUDAISM, CHRISTIANITY AND ISLAM.

papers and magazines, especially by Time, which, under the heading "Geneva Recedes, and a U.S. - Israel Showdown Looms," stated that "it is the Palestinian issue that shows most clearly how the Carter Administration is moving more toward Arab than Israeli views, increasing the likelihood of a U.S. - Israeli clash despite the artificial joviality surrounding Begin's recent visit."

First of all, there was nothing "artificial" about the harmonious Carter-Begin meetings. Both men, considering their common spiritual backgrounds, fully understand one another. In their private nocturnal talks, they saw eye to eye on many of the basic issues affecting Israel's sovereign rights in the Land of the Hebrew Prophets. That there were some differences goes without saying, but these, they both agreed, would in no way affect American-Israeli relations nor be a cause of any future rift between the two allies.

Next, it must not be forgotten, Carter has made it crystal clear that so long as the PLO leaders do not revoke their Covenant clauses calling for the demise of the Jewish State, the United States can never accept them as representing the Palestinians in any negotiating process, either here at the UN or in Geneva. And it is doubtful that they will even consider changing their "Mein Kampf" document.

All this Arab much - ado about the possibility of Arafat's acceding to Resolution 242 as is or in a modified form is nothing but an Arab maneuver aimed at gaining U.S. support versus Israel.

But President Carter is a man of principle, and Begin recognized this fact during their meetings. One of Carter's principles was enunciated at a recent press conference at which he stated that any Palestinian entity "will have to be tied in with Jordan, and not be independent."

This is not inconsistent with Israel's own position which precludes the establishment of an independent third Arab state in Samaria and Judea.

This writer still maintains that, deep in his heart, Jimmy Carter is fully aware of what the Arabs are up to in their cunning attempts to undo the Jewish State. If either Sadat or Hussein, Assad or Prince Fahd think they can pressure Carter they have another guess coming. The President has made it clear that Israel must have "defensible borders" and on this pledge he will never retract. Mr. Begin had shown him a map as to the real meaning of "defensible borders" for a secure Israel.

The White House is now looking forward to the next session of the General Assembly opening here on September 20 at which time Carter plans to meet with Foreign Minister Moshe Dayan and his counterparts of the Arab confrontation states in his continuing efforts to bring the disputants together at one peace table. Whether or not he will succeed remains to be seen.

The main stumbling-block that will face the President and his spokesmen here will be the Soviet Union which has been pressuring Syria and other Arab states not to heed American mediation on the issue of a Mideast settlement. There can be no doubt that Moscow was behind Syrian President Assad's refusal to accept the Egyptian proposal that the Israeli and Arab Foreign Ministers negotiate directly face to face in a pre-Geneva session here at the UN.

Whatever may develop, one thing is certain, there will be no U.S. - Israeli showdown.

NEW YORK (WNS) -- The American Jewish Committee, American Jewish Congress and the B'nai B'rith Anti - Defamation League have announced they will keep a close watch on the way American companies respond to Arab boycott demands.

**TELL TALBS**

"One Man Plus The Truth  
 Constitutes A Majority"

BY JACK TELL



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extra quarter for the EXACTA would bring an added \$9,860 for a total of \$10,000.00. On a six spot, where winning two games would pay off a total of \$2,000, the EXACTA (25 cents extra) brings the jackpot up to \$50,000.00.

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Of course, the difficult issue is to catch any number of spots played on any single game. But numbers do repeat, and if you are lucky, who knows?

It could happen, and we wish it happens to you, and you, and especially you.

**Rabbi Abraham Feldman**

By Rabbi Samuel Silver

Tisha b'Av when we mourn the loss of the ancient temple, was made even gloomier this year because on that day farewells were said to one of the most eloquent champions of righteousness, Rabbi Abraham J. Feldman, of Temple Beth Israel, Hartford.

A great orator, Dr. Feldman occupied his pulpit for decades. But his influence radiated far and wide. He was once president of the Central Conference of American Rabbis. He was one of the earliest sympathizers of Reform Judaism and Zionism.

He was a redoubtable ecumenist years ago, and at his death, at the age of 84, he was saluted in journals and newspapers as one of the pioneers in the bettering of relations between Christians and Jews. One of his chief mourners was the Catholic Archbishop of Hartford, with whom he had a close relationship. Prestigious Trinity College, up in Hartford, an Episcopalian stronghold, gave Dr. Feldman an honorary degree long ago.

When Abraham Ribicoff was sworn in as governor of Connecticut (which he now serves as U.S. Senator) he would not go to the inaugural before stopping in at the Silberman Chapel of Beth Israel to receive a special blessing from his rabbi, Dr. Feldman.

At home in Yiddish and Hebrew, Rabbi Feldman founded one of the finest Anglo - Jewish paper in the country, the Connecticut Jewish leader, and wrote for it these many years.

You couldn't get into the temple that Sunday when Dr. Feldman's funeral took place. The throng heard obsequies, prayers and songs, which had been blueprinted by the rabbi himself. He left instructions that a memorial to him take place during the holidays.

Rabbi Feldman was a contemporary of the late Rabbi Abba Silver, whose nephew Dr. Harold Silver, is his successor. He leave behind his beloved Helen and three children. Related to him by marriage are two other rabbis, Murray Blackman and Ralph Macklenburger. A nephew, Julian Feldman, has been longtime administrator of the Washington Hebrew Congregation in our nation's capital. It is a great loss to all of us.

WASHINGTON -- A new energy conservation guide, " . . . So Machar Will Be a Bright Tomorrow" has been published by B'nai B'rith's Commission of Community Volunteer Services. Available to the public for 20¢ per copy, contact B'nai B'rith Division of Programs and Resources, 1640 Rhode Island Ave., NW., Washington, D.C. 20036.