

Platforms-Who Benefits?

Some wag once said that the only one who benefits from platforms issued by the major parties at the national - Presidential nominating conventions is the printer who publishes them. That view notwithstanding, the platforms are, at least, a guide to future party policy and, at most, a promise to be fulfilled.

With both the Republican and Democratic Party conventions over, it is worth noting that the platforms of both parties are quite similar in terms of the issue uppermost in the mind of American Jewish voters -- the next Administration's attitude toward Israel in general and

Jerusalem in particular. Both platforms state, give or take a nuance of a shading of phraseology, but not of substance, that Israel's security must be assured and that the U.S. will provide the economic and military aid to that end, that the U.S. will not recognize the Palestine Liberation Organization until the PLO recognizes Israel's right to exist, that the Camp David accords are the basis for peace in the Middle East and that the establishment of a Palestinian state on the West Bank would be harmful to the peace process.

On Jerusalem, both platforms state unequivocally that Jerusalem should remain an undivided city, a city forever undivided. While the GOP platform does not mention moving the U.S. Embassy in Israel from Tel Aviv to Jerusalem, the Democratic Party platform specifies that "the U.S. Embassy should be moved from. Tel Aviv to Jerusalem.

This, however, is the rub. Suffice it to recall that in 1972 GOP Presidential standard bearer Gerald Ford asserted that if elected the U.S. would move its embassy to Jerusalem. And while Jimmy Carter never said so that unequivocally when he was nominated the Democratic standard bearer of 1976, there were hints, intimations and indications that he would do no less. Of course, neither Ford nor Carter ever made that move and there is little liklihood that the next Administration, Democratic or Republican, will do so.

The point that needs stressing is that the Jewish community must learn to view candidates and platform on the basis of what is done, not just what is written or said.

Behind The Scenes At The United Nations By DAVID HOROWITZ

PLO Agents in U.S.

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UNITED NATIONS (WUP) -- Yasir Arafat's henchmen have not only succeeded in penetrating this world organization to the point of. maneuvering themselves into a domineering position here, they have also, with the support of certain Arab and other Embassies, infil-



trated themselves into the body whole of America. And in this they have, moreover, enjoyed the backing of many Arab - Americans who have showed public sympathy for Arafat's sinister aims.

In addition, these PLO 'agents' have found ready support of and cooperation from the many known anti - Semitic groups in the country with whom they have a common objective.

What is most disturbing, in the view of this writer and should also be of deep concern to America, is the fact that all these 'agents' are paid by an organization whose leader has sworn that he would strike against U.S. interests everywhere in the world, especially in the Middle East. In a radio broadcast from Beirut last year Arafat made this threat: "Carter, Begin and Sadat should understand that we will burn everything....The Iranian volcano was the beginning and the Arabs will explode their volcano soon."

Time and again, this 20th - century Haman has branded the United States enemy numberone because of Washington's adamant stand on Israel. Hence he rejoiced when the fanatic Khomeini took over the U.S. Embassy and kidnapped the hostages some period after he had been rewarded with the gift of the Israeli Embassy -- a small prize for having trained Iranians for the revolution. And although a Moslem, he shed no tears when the Soviet Union invaded

That 'agents' of a terror organization, which seek to work against the interests of the U.S. around the world and thus pose a threat to the nation's security, should be given full rein to function freely in every State of the Union and even be granted the privilege of opening official PLO offices in the major cities of the nation, this is something for the FBI to look

Earlier this month militant Moslems, some 600 Iranian, Palestinian and American Arabs, demonstrated before The White House in what appeared as a pro - Khomeini rally but advertised as a pro - Palestinian march. There can be no doubt that the PLO was the key behind the demonstration. In truth, there's no difference between the PLO 'agents' and the yet over. Khomeini elements. Both hate America. Both would like to see the destruction of Israel. Both, therefore, have no place on American soil.

The so - called "Palestine Congress of North America" -- P.O. Box 9621, Washington, D.C. 20016 -- has called for "area conferences" of its constituent bodies to be held across the nation on Sunday, August 31. A recent memorandum sent out by the Congress to all its member groups from its coordinator Jawad F. George announces a number of activities and lists the following participating bodies: "Palestine-American Association for Medical Professionals"; "Palestine Bar Association"; "General Union of Palestinian Students;" "General Union of Palestinian Women," and "Association of Palestinian Merchants.'

There can be no doubt that the majority in these groups either actively support or sympathize with the PLO.

The point your correspondent wishes to make here is that the PLO 'agents' accepted as legitimate 'envoys' by the State Department and in control of much of what goes on here at the UN, pose a real threat to the United States -- no less so than that of the Nazi spies who, during World Wars I and II, were caught in acts of sabotage. Fortunately for America, the FBI ASICAN.

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war to end the Vietnam conflict. Ronnie is wellgroomed and can hold the attention of his audience when he shouts that we have become a welfare state dependent on the federal government for hand-outs. Can Ronnie really change the world or is this just a continuing soap opera like his ancient twenty - mule - team television show?

The American public must make a choice, But what if we are not so crazy about either Can we really get behind Jimmy or Ronnie? Must we choose the lesser of two evils?

The real scary thing is that the next elected President will bring us into George Orwell's 1984. Then we can have a big brother watching over us. How comforting!

at the time managed, thanks to their alertness and skill, to nip in the bud the major sabotage attempts to disrupt our industries engaged in the war effort and the shipping in our coastal cities.

Washington should realize that the PLO-to whom it has given sanctuary -- is an ally of America's major antagonists, the Soviet Union, Khomeini's Iran and Libya. It would be in wisdom, therefore, to keep an eye on the doings of its 'agents' in our midst.

This writer repeats what he has stated on several previous occasions; "Yasir Arafat, a modern mini - Hitler who appears to wield some sort of mystic, satanic influence not only over some of the Arab leaders but also over several Western diplomats and who serves the interests of the Kremlin, ranks among the most dangerous enemies of the United States of America, exploiting the Palestinian issue, especially Jerusalem, as his main weapon."

CHICAGO (WNS) -- A suit has been filed by the Justice Department in U.S. District Court in Chicago to revoke the citizenship of Liudas Kairys, a native of Lithuania accused when he applied for citizenship, of concealing his services for the Nazi SS during World War II. He came to the U.S. as a displaced person in 1949 and became naturalized in 1957. The Justice Department said he joined the SS in 1942 and served as a guard at the Treblinka death

JERUSALEM (WNS) -- More than 3000 Jewish athletes from all over the world have registered so far to participate in the Maccabiah Games to take place in Israel July 6 - 16, 1981, according to Dr. Yisrael Peled, chairman of the World Maccabi. He noted that this is the largest number of participants, and registration is not



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