

JEWISH NEWS BRIEFS

ALBANY, N.Y. (WNS) — Governor Mario Cuomo signed a bill establishing October 5 as Raoul Wallenberg Day. The bill, sponsored by Assemblyman Alan Hevesi (Queens) and Senator Donald Halperin (Brooklyn) passed the Assembly by a vote of 145-0 and the Senate by a vote of 59-0. Hevesi, president of the National Association of Jewish Legislators, said October 5 was chosen as Raoul Wallenberg Day "because it is the day that Congress gave him status as an honorary United States citizen" in 1981.

WASHINGTON (WNS) — A move is going on in Congress to urge the U.S. Postal Service to issue a stamp in 1985 to mark the 850th anniversary of the birth of the Jewish philosopher Moses Maimonides. It was initiated by Reps. Gary Ackerman and Robert Garcia (both D. N.Y.), Benjamin Gilman (R. N.Y.) and Tony Coelho (D. Calif.), all of whom are members of the House Post Office and Civil Service Committee.

WASHINGTON (WNS) — President Reagan has pledged that in all of his Administration's discussions with the Soviet government "we have no higher priority" than human rights for Soviet Jews and others in the USSR. "Those who care about the fate of Soviet Jews know that we are with them today and will be with them tomorrow," the President said in a statement issued here to mark the International Day of Concern for Soviet Jews on March 15.

NEW YORK (WNS) — The Egyptian Movie Syndicate is suing Columbia Pictures on grounds that the television movie "Sadat", shown on independent television stations throughout the U.S. last year, was "damaging and distorting" to Egyptian history, according to reports from Cairo. The film purports to be a biography of the late Egyptian President Anwar Sadat. A lawyer representing the Syndicate was quoted as saying that Columbia Pictures "was a group of Zionists."

KINDLE THE SHABBAT CANDLES

Friday, April 13.....5:54 P.M.
 Friday, April 20.....6:00 P.M.
 Friday, April 27.....6:06 P.M.
 Friday, May 4.....7:12 P.M.



Candle Lighting Times
 Courtesy of
TEMPLE BETH SHOLOM
 1600 E. Oakey Blvd.
 Services:
 Friday Nights — 8 P.M.
 Saturdays and
 Jewish Holidays — 9 A.M.
DAILY MINYON:
 Mondays through Fridays
 7:30 A.M.
 Sundays and Legal Holidays
 9:00 A.M.

New in town?
 Call now and inquire about membership
384-5070

TEL AVIV (WNS) — An Israeli soldier was killed and another wounded in south Lebanon recently. The dead soldier was identified as Ricardo Bauman, 28. A military spokesman said the casualties were inflicted by a 10 kg. explosive charge detonated on a roadside near the Shiite village of Sarafand as an Israeli Army patrol passed by. Sarafand has been the scene of previous attacks on Israeli forces and searches there in the past yielded caches of arms.

JERUSALEM (WNS) — Former Premier Menachem Begin said that he has no intention of resigning from the Knesset at this time. Begin, who has been in seclusion ever since he resigned as Prime Minister last September, has been widely expected to drop out of the Knesset after he failed to appear on March 22 for the crucial vote on the Labor Alignment's early elections bill. Given the 61-58 margin in favor of the bill, Begin's vote would not have affected the outcome.

WASHINGTON (WNS) — B'nai B'rith International has called on the United Nations to examine "the gross violation" of the rights of Soviet Jews to be reunited with their families as prescribed by both the Helsinki accord and the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights and to urge the USSR to permit those Jews to emigrate. The call was made in the form of a letter to UN Assistant Secretary Kurt Herndl at the Center for Human Rights in Geneva from Gerald Kraft, B'nai B'rith president.

NEW YORK (WNS) — A Cairo court dismissed a suit against Columbia Pictures and the six directors, producers and writers of the television movie "Sadat" who were accused of "damaging and distorting" Egyptian history. The film remains banned in Egypt. The court said that "since the distortions and the slanders found in the film took place outside the country, it follows that the crimes were not within the Egyptian court's jurisdiction."

Happy Passover DESERT LEASING



LES SCHWARTZ ART ROZEN
LEASING ALL MAKES AND MODELS OF CARS + TRUCKS.
 Lease from Art and Les for "LESS"
3188 E. FREMONT 457-1080

Happy Passover
Spartan Health Foods Store
 Westland Mall • 4709 West Charleston Blvd.
 Las Vegas, Nevada 89102 • Phone 878-2751

Nevada's Largest Selection
 • Cigars • Lighters • Pipes
 Engraving on Premises
 Happy Passover

 Unique Gifts Open 7 Days
The Boulevard Mall
 Maryland Parkway at Desert Inn

Happy Passover
AMERICAN Tax Accounting
 Larry L. Voight
 1806 South Main
 Las Vegas, Nevada 89101
 (702) 384-9887

Happy Passover
 For complete coverage, call **384-2813**

KAERCHER AGENCY
GENERAL INSURANCE
 725 S. EIGHTH
384-2813

Happy Passover
THE TOP PRINTER
 Jack Eichelman
 919 East Ogden
 Las Vegas, Nevada 89101
 (702) 382-8860



Happy Passover
THE PROFESSIONALS ANSWERING SERVICE
24 HOUR SERVICE
 • WAKE-UP • LICENSE POSTING
 • MAIL • RADIO DISPATCHING
 For Home & Office
 Professional & Medical
STAFFED BY EXPERIENCED OPERATORS
870-7287 870-7288
 4528 W. CHARLESTON • LAS VEGAS

Happy Passover
HUDSONSON
CLEANERS
We're #1
 Somerset Shopping Center • 3119 Kishner Drive • 734-6045
 Open Monday through Saturday, 7 AM to 5:30 PM