

### JDC Honors Goldman



NEW YORK — Ralph Goldman, Executive Vice President of the American Jewish Joint Distribution Committee from 1976 to 1985, and a career Jewish Civil Servant for nearly four decades is shown above helping David Ben Gurion into his coat during the Israel Prime Minister's first visit to the United States in 1951. Goldman, who served as BG's aide during the 1951 tour, was feted at a dinner held in his honor by JDC. He has been named a Knight of the Legion of Honor by the French Government.

### Israel Approves First Arab Bank In West Bank

JERUSALEM (WNS) — A series of economic liberalization measures in the West Bank will be capped by the establishment of the first Arab bank in the territory, the head of the civil administration, Col. Freddie

### 33 Congressmen Complain To Meese On Arrests Of Rabbis

WASHINGTON (WNS) — Thirty-three Congressmen have signed a letter addressed to Attorney General Edwin Meese III asking him why the U.S. Attorney for the District of Columbia is prosecuting 24 rabbis and one Lutheran minister who were arrested last month for protesting in front of the Soviet Embassy.

The letter, which was sent on the stationery of the House Judiciary Committee, was signed by the entire committee with the exception of three members. The 25 men and women were arrested on May 1 and accused of violating a law which prohibits protesting within 500 feet of an embassy.

The rabbis, who were protesting to dramatize

Zachs, told reporters.

He said the government and the Bank of Israel recently gave final approval to the project initiated by a prominent Nablus businessman, Zafer Al-Masri. It is aimed at improving the quality of life in the administered territories. Until now, only Israeli banks were allowed to operate, with the exception of a minor bank, Falastin, in the Gaza Strip.

Zachs said the only remaining obstacle is posed by the Jordanian authorities. Amman objects to Israel's insistence that the bank must operate under the supervision of the Bank of Israel, the country's central bank.

Zachs predicted that once the Arab bank opens in Nablus, West Bank residents will deposit millions of Dinars they have been hoarding in their homes.

the, plight of Soviet Jewry, were using the same technique which has proved so successful in the anti-apartheid protests at the South African Embassy. The U.S. attorney has decided not to prosecute the South African protesters.

The letter said, "these members of the clergy were protesting the difficult plight and discriminatory treatment of Jews in the Soviet Union. Like the more than 2,000 people who have demonstrated in front of the South African Embassy, the 24 rabbis and one Lutheran minister's demonstration was peaceful and did not disrupt the conduct of business at the Embassy."

The letter asks Meese, "Why has the government decided to prosecute these members of the clergy when it has dropped the charges against all of those who have done the same thing at the South African Embassy?" The office of the Attorney General refused comment.

The Rabbinical Assembly also sent a telegram to Meese protesting what the rabbinical group charged was the denial of "basic rights" by the police to a group of 21 rabbis arrested outside the Soviet Embassy.

According to the RA, the organization of Conservative rabbis, the 21 rabbis arrested were incarcerated for six hours and were not allowed to meet with their lawyers for five hours. "They were also denied the right to make telephone calls, have food or water, (and) decent bathroom facilities," the RA said in the telegram.

### New Meeting Place For Temple Emanu-El

New meeting place for Temple Emanu-El Friday night services beginning Friday, June 28 and thereafter, will be the Community Room of the First Western Savings & Loan, Rainbow & Flamingo (Spring Valley Area). Services begin at 8 P.M. and a social hour follows services. Gary Golbart, Cantor, conducts services: Paul Merchasin, president. We welcome the Jewish community to come and share an evening of spiritual friendship. For more information about Temple Emanu-El call 876-5307 or 363-1418.

### Future Women Rabbis Gather For Seminar

NEW YORK — Thirty women rabbinical students from three Jewish seminaries met recently to discuss some of the challenges and concerns they face.

The conference, held at The Jewish Theological Seminary of America, was attended by women from Hebrew Union College, which trains rabbis for the Reform Movement, The Reconstructionist Rabbinical College in Philadelphia, and The Jewish Theological Seminary, which trains Conservative rabbis.

According to Lori Forman, Jewish Theological Seminary rabbinical student and co-coordinator of the seminar, this is the first time that female students from all three seminaries have gathered to discuss their choice of entering the rabbinate. "Women see the importance of building bonds between each other and our movements. We are working to strengthen these bonds," Ms. Forman said.

A topic of concern was assuming the leadership role. Many women see functioning in their future rabbinical positions as resource people rather than experts in all fields. The women also discussed the issue of removing gender-specific references to God in prayers and prayer books.

Another women's rabbinical conference is planned for this fall. Anyone interested in more information should call Lori Forman at 678-8000.

### German Official Rejects Jewish Demand To Ban SS Conclave

BONN (WNS) — Heinz Galinski, chairman of the Jewish community in West Berlin, is engaged in an angry public controversy with Friedrich Zimmermann, Interior Minister of the West German government, over the annual reunion meetings of veterans of SS divisions allowed in the Federal Republic although Nazi activities are banned by law.

The reunions, held in remote resort villages,

attract worldwide attention to the detriment of West Germany's image and are often the scene of protest demonstrations by anti-Nazi groups. Galinsky recently wrote to Zimmermann asking for legal action to ban the SS meetings.

Zimmerman, rejecting that demand, contended, in his reply to Galinski, that the SS veterans behaved properly and in no way pose a danger to the democratic system.

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