

Candlelight Procession Recalls Tragedy Of 'Kristallnacht' Outrage Against Jews



NEW YORK -- Israel's UN Ambassador Benjamin Netanyahu lights a memorial candle in Park East Synagogue prior to leading a candlelight march in observance of 49th anniversary of "Kristallnacht" -- "the night of broken glass" -- which saw the destruction of more than 200

synagogues of Germany and Austria. Left, survivor Inge Auerbacher and Rabbi David Blumenfeld, executive director of New York Holocaust Memorial Commission, which is planning to build a Holocaust Memorial Museum in lower Manhattan.

Hadassah Researchers Closer To Developing Insulin Pill

JERUSALEM — A team of researchers at the Hadassah-Hebrew University Medical Center here report they are close to developing a pill that will enable diabetics to get daily doses of insulin by mouth.

Dr. Hanoch Bar-On, head of the Diabetes Research Unit at the Medical Center, said his team currently is experimenting with both a pill and soft gel capsule that would free diabetics from the necessity of daily insulin injections.

The pill's formula -- which combines insulin,

bile salts and a soybean extract -- has been patented in the United States and Europe. An earlier version of the formula, in suppository form, was used successfully by diabetics at the Center.

Dr. Bar-On said the team's research showed that insulin combined with bile salts was readily absorbed through the lining of the intestine and produced a significant drop in blood sugar levels within half an hour.

Resistance among some patients to use of the suppository, however, led the researchers to seek a way to produce the same basic formula in pill form, Dr. Bar-On said. The soybean extract --

'Lights' In Hungary For Chanukah Due To Efforts Of Memorial Foundation For Jewish Culture

NEW YORK, N.Y. — Lights will go on this Chanukah in more ways than one for Jews in Hungary, thanks to the efforts of the Memorial Foundation for Jewish Culture.

The Foundation has produced a Hungarian-language version of Lights, a 22-minute animated video about Chanukah.

The videotape will be shown in all Jewish communities in Hungary during the holiday season. In addition, the Memorial Foundation has received a commitment to have the videotape telecast during Chanukah next year over Hungarian national TV. The videotape is the latest in a series of projects the Memorial Foundation has undertaken to awaken and strengthen Jewish life in Hungary.

Of the three volumes published for Jewish families and their children with the Foundation's assistance in Hungary, two have already been sold out: Shema Yisroel, a book about Jewish customs and rituals, and a volume on Jewish history. The third, a book of Biblical stories, is almost completely gone from the bookstores. Five thousands copies of each of the three books have been purchased in less than four months, an unprecedented event in Hungarian Jewish life.

known as a protease inhibitor -- prevents insulin molecules from being broken down by digestive fluids in the stomach and upper intestinal tract.

Dr. Bar-On said the soft gel capsule would contain the team's formula in liquid form. The capsule would release its contents when it reached the small intestine. The insulin would then be absorbed through the intestinal wall and transported to the liver where it would regulate the sugar level of the blood.

The researchers did not predict how soon insulin in pill or capsule form might be available.

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