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## Reading Of Megilla Starts Purim Holiday Wednesday

Purim services will start on Wednesday evening with the reading of the Megilla at the temples and synagogues throughout the state, with special holiday programs being presented in many.

### CONGREGATIONS SONS OF ZION AND ANSHE KOVNO

At Congregations Sons of Zion and Anshe Kovno morning services for the Fast of Esther will be held at 6 o'clock. Afternoon services will start at 5:30 o'clock and the reading of the Megilla will immediately follow Maariv services at 6 p.m.

Services on Thursday will start at 5:45 a.m. followed by the reading of the Book of Esther at 6:30 a.m.

Breakfast and Purim pastries will be served immediately after the services. Mincha services on Thursday will start at 5:20 p.m.

### CONGREGATION MISHKON TFILOH

The festivities of Purim will begin at Congregation Mishkon Tfiloh at 7 p.m. on Wednesday, March 13. Rabbi Abraham Klein will read the Megilla. Members of the Sisterhood will serve hamatashen after the services.

The Megilla will be re-read at Thursday morning services which will start at 6:30 o'clock.

### CONGREGATION OHAWA SHOLAM

The reading of the Megilla Congregation Ohawa Sholam will take place at 7 p.m. on

Wednesday. Following this the Sisterhood of the synagogue will present a play entitled "The Hippy Purim," directed by Mrs. Chaim Raizman.

Members of the cast are Mesdames Elliot Brown, Leonard Komros, Harold Kerzner, Herman Geller and Abraham M. Mal.

The children of the synagogue will present a program pertaining to the holiday, under the direction of Rabbi Chaim Raizman.

Refreshments will be served by members of the Sisterhood under the leadership of Mrs. Raymond Marks, president.

### CONGREGATION SHAARE ZEDEK- SONS OF ABRAHAM

To usher in the Purim Festival at Congregation Shaare Zedek-Sons of Abraham, the Megilla will be read on Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. The Sisterhood will be hostesses to the children of the congregation at a collation to be held in the vestry immediately following.

The Book of Esther will be re-read on Thursday morning at 7 o'clock.

Children of the religious school will present summaries of the chapters of the Book of Esther. Participants will be Lori Agid, Susan Barcohana, David Blitz, Heidi Brown, David Goldstein, Barbara Jacobs, Jill Leven, David Myerson, Beth Orson, Diane Orson, Deborah

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## Harry Golden Ceases Publication Of Paper

NEW YORK, N.Y., — Harry Golden, founder and publisher of the Carolina Israelite, announced that the 26-year-old newspaper, nationally known for its wide-ranging and sometimes mordant comment on the American scene, is to cease publication. Unexpired subscriptions are being transferred to "The Nation."

Golden, author of best selling books including "Only in America," "Two Cents Plain," and "Enjoy, Enjoy," will write a weekly column to appear in "The Nation" under his by-line.

In announcing this move, Golden explained that the "Carolina Israelite" has had to be financed in recent years from his personal income as author and lecturer. "Therefore," he said, "I have decided on a merger with the world-famous political journal, 'The Nation.'"

## Council For Judaism Pamphlet Brings Denial From Agencies

NEW YORK, N.Y. — The American Jewish community must "do considerably more than it has done to date for the American Negro," according to a pamphlet issued recently by the American Council for Judaism, Inc.

The council, an anti-Zionist organization with a membership of 20,000, estimated that in an average year American Jews send \$200-million to Israel.

"It is doubtful whether the organized (Jewish) community spends more than \$1-million — or less than half of 1 per cent of its outflow to Israel — each year on cooperating with the various civil rights movements," the pamphlet said.

The publication suggested that Jewish organizations ought to channel a major part of their considerable funds into domestic antipoverty programs.

The booklet, entitled "Israel as a Factor in Jewish-Gentile Relations," was written for the American Council for Judaism by a staff member, Michael Selzer, who was born in India and educated in England. He lived in Israel for some time and has been in the United States since 1966. Repeating criticisms of Israel voiced in his recent book, "The Aryanzation of the Jewish State," Mr. Selzer's pamphlet calls Israelis "the Prussians of the Middle East."

The booklet describes Israel as "a country rent by ethnic and racial prejudices" and suggests to Jewish liberals here that "the same compassion which they say they feel for the Negro tragedy in the United States should be directed toward alleviating the prejudice and discrimination from which Oriental Jews and Arabs suffer in Israel."

Bertram H. Gold, executive director of the American Jewish Committee, declared, "Mr. Selzer's booklet comes as no surprise; it is the kind of polemic we have come to expect from the American Council for Judaism."

Some prominent Jewish business and community leaders repudiated earlier connections with the council last July after its executive vice president, Rabbi Elmer Berger, had characterized American Jewish support for Israel during the Middle East

## Bishops' Conference Issues Statement On Presentation Of Passion Plays

(The following Statement on Passion Plays was issued from the office of the Secretariat for Catholic-Jewish Relations of the National Conference of Catholic Bishops, on February 28, 1968. It was signed for the Executive Committee by the following members who were present at the meeting at Seton Hall University on the aforementioned date, in consultation with the Board of Consultants of the Secretariat:

Rt. Rev. Msgr. George G. Higgins

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Rev. Edward H. Flannery

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Rev. John B. Sheerin, C.S.P.

Rev. Bernard J. Law, ex officio.)

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### PRESS RELEASE

February 28, 1968

Lent, more than any other liturgical season, draws the attention of Christians to the sufferings of Christ. In this holy season the Church calls its faithful to relive these sufferings, especially in its Holy Week Liturgy. In many places it is customary to supplement the Liturgy by pious practices, among which have been passion plays. Though not as popular as in the past, these pious representations of Christ's

passion are still produced in a few places. Their primary purpose is to stimulate religious fervor, but, when they are carelessly written or produced, they may become a source of anti-Semitic reactions. Need we say that such reactions are foreign and injurious to true Christian piety and to the intent of the Sacred Scriptures as well as offensive to our Jewish brothers? In the past, simplistic and erroneous interpretations of the sacred writings have occasioned the accusation that the Jewish people of all time bear unique responsibility for the death of Jesus. History is witness to the injustices and hatred experienced by them because they have been considered guilty of Christ's death and thus an accursed people. What we say here, it may be added, is equally applicable to sermons and teachings on the passion of Christ.

In its Statement on the Jews, the II Vatican Council has dealt with this problem and urged that "ALL see to it that nothing is taught in catechetical work or in preaching the Word of God that does not conform to the truth of the Gospel and the spirit of Christ." The Council, further, has reminded us that "what happened in His (Christ's) passion cannot be charged against all the Jews, without distinction, then alive, or against the Jews of today." The Council Fathers make St. Paul's assurance their own: "Now as before God holds Jews most dear for the sake of their fathers." In consequence, the Statement continues, "the Jews should not be presented as rejected or accursed by God, as if this followed from the Holy Scriptures." "The Church," it concludes, "has always held, and holds now, that Christ underwent His passion and death freely because of the sins of men and out of infinite love. . . ."

Fidelity to these principles is expected of all members of the Church. A particular responsibility, however, rests upon writers and producers of passion plays, preachers, catechists and educators, because it is easy to portray Jews, even inadvertently, in such a way as to misrepresent or exaggerate their role in the Passion.

In depicting the Passion, it is possible, for example: 1) to

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## Egyptain Air Force Commander Sentenced To 15 Years In Prison

CAIRO — The commander of the Egyptian air force during the June war with Israel was pronounced guilty by a military tribunal today and sentenced to 15 years in prison on charges arising from the air force's poor performance and swift destruction by Israel.

In addition to the former commander, Air Marshal Mohammed Sidky Mahmoud, one of his principal assistants, Air Vice Marshal Ismail Labib, was sentenced to 10 years' imprisonment by the five-man court, which pronounced the sentences in a bare courtroom in Cairo's central barracks compound.

The exact charges against the two officers, both of whom were obliged to retire after the war, were not made public, but usually reliable Egyptian informants said they involved negligence in the performance of duty. The Egyptian air force was virtually obliterated in a surprise Israeli air strike at the beginning of the war June 5.

The effect of the sentences was to underscore the contention, widely expressed within the Government, that responsibility for the defeat rested largely with a few military commanders rather than with President Gamal Abdel Nasser or with the rank and file of the armed forces.

The question of where this responsibility lay remains tentative and is of great political importance. Though crowds staged demonstrations of support

for President Nasser after the cease-fire, austerity measures have since then provoked widespread grumbling, particularly among the middle classes.

But a general belief that negligence and incompetence in high military quarters underlay the war's disastrous outcome has tended to shield President Nasser and his Government from popular ill will.

The military trial that ended today was unconnected with the trial of 54 alleged plotters against the Nasser regime now before a special revolutionary tribunal headed by Vice President Hussein Shafel.

After the military court pronounced the sentences today, the two convicted officers turned and embraced two co-defendants who were acquitted, Air Marshal Gamal Afifi, chief of Staff of the air force during the war, and Air Vice Marshal Hamed al-Dogheidy, former commander of the air force's eastern sector. The two also went into retirement after the war.

The four defendants wore civilian clothes throughout the trial, which began last November and was held largely in secret. Similar trials are expected to be held now that from all reports, President Nasser has quashed dissidence within the armed forces that followed the defeat.

After his acquittal, Marshal al-Dogheidy expressed confidence that Egyptian forces would ultimately "achieve victory and eliminate aggression."

## American Jewish Congress Welcomes Bishops' Statement On-Passion Plays

NEW YORK, March 4 - The American Jewish Congress today welcomed as "deeply encouraging" a statement by the nation's Catholic Bishops warning against Passion Plays that depict Jews as the killers of Christ.

Rabbi Arthur J. Lelyveld of Cleveland, O., president of the Congress, and Rabbi Joachim Prinz, immediate past president, said the Catholic churchmen's declaration was a "significant contribution toward that final reconciliation between Christian and Jew that will come not in the elimination of differences but in the fullness of mutual respect."

The Catholic Bishops called on "writers and producers of Passion Plays, preachers, catechists and educators" not to portray Jews in a way that would become "a source of anti-Semitic reactions" which are "foreign and injurious to . . . the intent of the Sacred Scriptures as well as offensive to our Jewish brothers."

The statement on this page was signed by six members of the executive committee of the Secretariat for Catholic-Jewish Relations of the National Conference of Catholic Bishops

which has its headquarters at Seton Hall University in South Orange, N.J.

The statement, considered the strongest ever issued by the Roman Catholic hierarchy in this country on Catholic-Jewish relations, noted that Passion Plays could become anti-Semitic when carelessly produced.

The American Jewish Congress statement cited protests by the organization last year against the "intensely anti-Semitic" Passion Play in Oberammergau, Germany, and a Union City, N.J. production.

The Congress protest resulted in a statement by church officials in West Germany that the Oberammergau spectacle would be revised. The Bayarian play, presented once every 10 years, is to be performed again in 1970. Leaders of the American Jewish Congress has also received assurances from Archbishop Thomas Boland of Newark, head of the archdiocese which embraces the Union City parish, that the Passion Play to be presented later this month by the Holy Family Roman Catholic Church in Union City will be purged of its references to Jews as Christ-killers.

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**TO BE SOLOIST:** Andrij Dobriansky, bass-baritone, will be the soloist with the Rhode Island Philharmonic Orchestra in their program of music from the operas of Richard Wagner. The concert will be held on Saturday, March 16, at 8:30 p.m., at the Veterans Memorial Auditorium.

Mr. Dobriansky is a former member of the Metropolitan Opera National Company and has toured in several operas performing in over 70 cities in the United States, Canada and Mexico.

**JNF Raises Money  
To Plant Grove  
For Mrs. Ben-Gurion**

The Rhode Island Council of the Jewish National Fund, on the death of Paula Ben-Gurion, wife of former premier of Israel David Ben-Gurion, started a campaign to raise money so that a grove of trees in Mrs. Ben-Gurion's memory could be planted in Israel.

The JNF's goal of \$2500 was reached in one week, and a letter was written to Mr. Ben-Gurion, in which Ernest Nathan, chairman, wrote "As a matter of fact, the members of the Council have contributed over \$2500.00 to plant a grove of trees in the Kennedy Memorial Forest, a plaque to be attached at the Kennedy Memorial indicating, in perpetuity, our deep feeling for your sorrow."

Mr. Nathan added his hope that the drive might go considerably over the top.

**50 ISRAEL SETTLERS  
MELBOURNE** — Fifty Australian members of Betar, the Zionist Revisionist youth organization, settled in Israel during the past six months, it was reported here.

He is survived by three sons, Dr. Irving A. Beck of Providence, Maurice P. Beck of East Lansing, Mich., and Dr. Aaron T. Beck of Winewood, Pa.; three brothers, Milton and Benjamin Beck, both of New York City, and Ira Beck of North Palm Beach, Fla., and 10 grandchildren.

LOUIS ROTHBERG

Funeral services for Louis Rothberg, 88, of 99 Hillside Avenue, who died March 2, were held Sunday at the Max Sugarman Memorial Chapel. Burial was in Lincoln Park Cemetery.

He was born in Russia, a son of the late Pesach and Molly (Levi) Rothberg, and had lived in Providence for 70 years. He was a self-employed junk dealer until his retirement in 1953. He was a member and a former Board member of Congregation Shaare Zedek and the Hebrew Free Loan Association.

He is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Fannie Schwartz of New Bedford, Mass., and Mrs. Philip Gabrilowitz of Providence.

MRS. JACOB SCHNEIDER

Funeral services for Mrs. Mollie (Sonnabend) Schneider, 92, of 95 Mount Avenue, who died Tuesday after a six-week illness, were held Thursday at the Max Sugarman Memorial Chapel. Burial was in West Roxbury, Mass.

The widow of Jacob Schneider, she was born in Austria, a daughter of the late Max and Ethel (Faust) Sonnabend. She had resided in Providence since 1956 and had lived in Boston prior to that.

She was a member of many Jewish organizations in the Greater Boston area.

She is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Harold Kahn of Providence, Mrs. Leo Kabatznick of Brookline, Mass., and Mrs. Herman J. Aisenberg of Providence; six grandchildren, 16 great-grandchildren, and a great-great-grandchild.

MANUEL BROMBERG

Funeral services for Manuel Bromberg, 55, of 33 Baldwin Orchard Drive, Cranston, who died unexpectedly at Kennedy International Airport, N.Y. on Monday, were held Wednesday. Burial was in Lincoln Park Cemetery.

The husband of Adele (Glassman) Bromberg, he was born in Providence, a son of the late Max and Zlata (Fishman) Bromberg. He had lived in Providence all his life until moving to Cranston two years ago.

Mr. Bromberg was the purchasing director for Benny's Home and Auto Stores for many years. He was a member of Temple Emanu-El and its Men's Club, Redwood Lodge No. 35 AF&AM, the AAMA Quarter Century Group.

Besides his wife, survivors are two daughters, Mrs. Ronald Kingsbury of Newton, Mass., and Miss Paula Bromberg of New York City; a brother, Harry Bromberg of Providence, and three grandchildren.

**Card of Thanks**

The family of the late MORRIS THALL wish to thank their friends and relatives for the many kind expressions of sympathy during their recent bereavement.

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**Obituaries**

SOLOMON KORN

Funeral services for Solomon Korn, 71, of 940 Namquid Drive, Warwick, who died Sunday after a 12-week illness, were held Tuesday at the Max Sugarman Memorial Chapel. Burial was in Lincoln Park Cemetery.

The husband of Evelyn (Sholes) Zucker-Korn, he was born in Austria on June 10, 1896, son of the late David and Clara (Reich) Korn. He had lived in Providence most of his life, moving to Warwick three years ago.

Mr. Korn was a partner of David Korn & Sons and Safe-Way Electric Motor Company of Westfield Street, Providence, until his retirement four years ago.

He was a graduate of Bryant and Stratton Business College. He was a member of Temple Emanu-El and the Providence Hebrew Day School.

Survivors, besides his wife, include two sons, Dr. David Korn of Bethesda, Md., and Dr. Morton Korn of San Antonio, Texas; two brothers, Lewis Korn and Isador Korn, both of Providence; a sister, Mrs. Harry Darer of New York City, and six grandchildren.

MRS. BENJAMIN JENSKY

Funeral services for Mrs. Rebecca (Kaufman) Jensky, 82, of Albany, N.Y., a former Providence resident, who died Feb. 28 in Albany, were held Sunday at the Max Sugarman Memorial Chapel. Burial was in Lincoln Park Cemetery.

The widow of Benjamin Jensky, she was born in Russia, a daughter of the late Lipa and Tillie Kaufman. She had lived in Providence for 50 years prior to moving to Albany a year ago. She was a member of the Touro Association and Temple Emanu-El of Providence.

Survivors include two sons, Bernard Jensky of Albany, and Sheldon J. Jensky of Baltimore, Md.; a sister, Mrs. Ada Swartz of Jamaica, Long Island, N.Y.; eight grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

MORRIS THALL

Funeral services for Morris Thall, 74, of 85 Gallatin Street, proprietor of the Oxford Tailor Shop on Broad Street until taken ill four years ago, who died Feb. 28, were held March 1 at the Max Sugarman Memorial Chapel. Burial was in Everett Cemetery, Everett, Mass.

The husband of Mamie (Factor) Katzman-Thall, he was born in Russia. He had been a Providence resident for the past 11 years, and previously had lived for more than 50 years in Allston, Mass.

Surviving besides his wife are a son, Alan Thall of Bloomfield, Conn.; two daughters, Mrs. Stanley Rimmer of Wellesley,

Mass., and Miss Marcia Thall of Massachusetts; a step-daughter, Mrs. William Matzner of Providence; a step-son, Albert Katzman of Portsmouth, and six grandchildren.

MRS. HERMAN HASENFELD

Funeral services for Mrs. Pessel (Lauer) Hassenfeld, 85, of 83 Gallatin Street, who died Monday, were held the same afternoon at the Max Sugarman Memorial Chapel. Burial was in Lincoln Park Cemetery.

The widow of Herman Hassenfeld, she was born in Austria, a daughter of the late Israel and Ruth Lauer. She had lived in Providence for 48 years.

Mrs. Hassenfeld was a member of Congregation Shaare Zedek-Sons of Abraham, Mizrahi Women, the Jewish Home for the Aged, the Providence Hebrew Day School, the South Providence Ladies' Aid, the Miriam Hospital Ladies' Association and Hadassah.

Survivors include a son, David Hassenfeld of Pawtucket; four daughters, Mrs. Hyman Blasbalg, Mrs. Morris Gold, Mrs. Charles Oelbaum and Mrs. Jacob Reich, all of Providence; 17 grandchildren and 30 great-grandchildren.

HARRY S. BECK

Funeral services for Harry S. Beck, 84, owner of the former H. Beck and Company printing firm on North Main Street from 1905 until he retired in 1963, who died March 1, were held Sunday at the Max Sugarman Memorial Chapel. Burial was in Lincoln Park Cemetery.

Mr. Beck, a Providence resident for about 65 years, formerly lived at 41 Sessions Street. He was the husband of the late Mrs. Elizabeth (Temkin) Beck.

A printer, he had just completed 60 years as a member of the International Typographical Union. He was a life trustee of Miriam Hospital, and a member of Temple Emanu-El. He was born in Russia, a son of the late Simon and Etta Beck.

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**LAUNCH ISRAEL BOND SALE:** Major Shulamit Legum of the Women's Army of Israel spoke at the Israel Bond Women's Division brunch held to launch the 1968 Israel Bond campaign. Shown above, from left to right, are Mrs. Max Leach, chairman; Mrs. Arthur Einstein, co-chairman; Major Legum, Mrs. Seymour Block, telephone co-chairman; Mrs. Semon Weintraub, Chen chairman; Mrs. Kenneth Resnick, telephone chairman, and Mrs. Saul Seigle, sponsor chairman. Not present when the photograph was taken were Mrs. Sidney Dressler, fashion show chairman, and Mrs. Eugene Wachtenheim, hostess chairman.

## BARNEY GLAZER

### In Hollywood



King's Inn, Freeport, returning later to their respective homes in New York.

Merna is married to Emmanuel Pine, restaurateur and music publisher. They have no children. Claire is separated and has a married daughter.

There are four Barry sisters. As Claire says, "Two sing and two kvell." The non-singing sisters are Cell Weidman and Julie Glassberg, also of New York.

When not working, Merna and Claire socialize almost every night. In their younger days, they used to dress alike, starting when Merna was 7 and Claire 9, and when their late beloved mother first introduced them on The Children's Hour in New York.

Now, they dress alike only while performing.

**RECEIVES SCOUTING AWARD**  
NEW YORK — Alden G. Barber of Basking Ridge, new chief scout executive of the Boy Scouts of America, has been awarded the Shofar Award by the Jewish Committee on Scouting in Chicago for his recognition of the importance of religious training. He worked with the Chicago committee promoting scouting in synagogues and centers.

Thousands of devoted fans who have been listening to the singing Barry Sisters for many years can't understand why Hollywood hasn't discovered them. Personally, I discovered Claire and Merna Barry many years ago when I first heard them sing, "A Brivele Der Mameh."

My beloved late mother used to sing that to me when I was a child in her arms. The Barry Sisters provided the thrilling recall.

I cherish my recordings of the noted vocalists' Yiddish and Hebrew melodies, including: Sh'lom Bayeet, A Chasseneh, In Meina Oigen Bistie Shain, A Kint Ohn a Haimle, Noo Zug Mir Shoin Ven, A Choollem, Shloimele Malkele, Ich Chob Dich Zifeel Lieb, Git Mir Ob Mazeltov, Papirossen, Hava Nagila, Tumbalik, Ain Kik Auf Dir and Zug Es Mir Noch Amuhl.

The Barrys also sing standard and popular tunes. In this field they need not take a backward step to anyone. With that in mind, the Flamingo Hotel in Las Vegas called them in recently to replace Florence Henderson for one week.

Although Merna and Claire sing a popular repertoire, they realize that each audience contains a certain number of Jewish patrons. When these fans stop them during the day and ask, "Where are all those wonderful Jewish songs?" the girls reply, "They're still with us but where can we sing them other than at a limited number of Jewish events?"

With that in mind at the Flamingo, they managed to sneak a Yiddish song into the middle of their Bosa Nova medley. Without prior announcement or missing a beat, they interjected "I Love You Much Too Much" in Yiddish so skillfully that only Jewish patrons realized, much to their delight, what had happened. Others actually thought that the song was Spanish and part of the Latin grouping.

Jewish members at each Flamingo performance invariably requested something from the Barrys' best-selling ABC album, "Fiddler on the Roof." The girls are the only ones who recorded all of the songs from "Fiddler" both in Hebrew and Yiddish.

Another part of the sisters' Flamingo program included tunes from their all-Spanish album, "Something Spanish." A junket of residents from Mexico City and other towns in old Mexico, visiting Las Vegas at the time, heard about the Barry Sisters' engagement and flocked to the Flamingo nightly to hear their favorite recording stars. What surprised them; they thought from the album that the girls

were Spanish, so perfect was their diction (learned phonetically.)

Merna and Claire have sung practically everywhere - in Russia where Ed Sullivan introduced them as Shostre (Sisters) Barry; in Israel where they amazed skeptical reviewers by doing a full two-hour concert all by themselves; in Australia and Africa where they sang the language like natives (also learned phonetically.)

Following their Flamingo engagement, the Barry Sisters briefly visited Hollywood where their agent did his best to wake up sleeping producers by shouting the girls' talents from the rooftops. The results remain to be seen.

From here, the girls flew to the Bahamas, where they made their first appearance at the



## Time To Spare

By GERALD ANDREWS - Retirement Adviser

### Some Pointers on Starting a Club

The number of America's senior citizens is growing all the time, and so is the number of clubs to which they belong. I could easily reel off a list of clubs as long as your arm, with tables of rules and regulations that apply to the members in each case.

But suppose you want to start a brand new club? Exactly how do you go about it?

That's an important question when you consider how many older people can't find the answer to loneliness in the clubs that already exist. They may live too far away from the ones they know about. Or the nearest group activities may not be what they're looking for. And many simply prefer intimate meetings with friends and neighbors instead of finding themselves lost amid large convocations of strangers.

That's why so many new clubs are being started all the time. It's also the reason for the how-to-do-it guides in books and articles on retirement problems.

Most of the advice they give comes down to hard common sense - a commodity not always prominent in would-be club founders.

If you have the idea in mind, the first thing is to find out how many people the idea might appeal to, and what kind of a club they want. A bridge club is one thing; a bird watcher's club is something else; and a weekly musicale differs from both.

So, decide on the type of club before you do anything else. After that, choose a meeting place to suit the convenience of the members. This will often be decided by the size of the membership, but in any case it should be located where they can get to it without too much of a transportation problem.

A director is usually advisable except for the smaller clubs. It helps to have some one responsible for posting the schedule, dealing with officials if the meeting place is a school or a church, and letting everyone know when the meetings are called off because of the weather.

Financing the project requires a definite answer because even refreshments cost money, not to mention a piano or billiard table.

As you can see, starting a club has its problems. But don't let them scare you off. Too many clubs have succeeded for that.

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## ORGANIZATION NEWS

### PURIM CELEBRATION

Slides of the "Six-Day War" will be shown by Yeshayahu Tadmor at the Annual Purim Celebration sponsored by the Farband Labor Zionist Order of Providence on Thursday, March 14, at Temple Beth Israel, starting at 7:30 p.m.

Entertainment will be supplied by the "Great Z's" Purim refreshments will be served.

Harry Finklestein, Albert Sokolow and Arthur Korman are in charge of arrangements.

### SEN. SLATER TO SPEAK

Senator Eleanor F. Slater of Warwick will speak on "Women Can Be More Effective In Politics," at the meeting of the Cranston Hadassah Study Group on Monday, March 11, at 1 p.m. in the Temple Beth Torah Library.

Mrs. H. Kantor is chairman of the day, and will present the speaker. Further information may be obtained by calling 461-4612.

### CHILDREN'S SHOW

Bozo, the Clown, of WHDH-TV, will be the major attraction of the Fourth Annual Children's Show, sponsored by hope Chapter 735, B'nai B'rith Women. The show will be held at Hope High School on Sunday, March 17, at 2 p.m.

The show is held for the benefit of deprived children, but all children are invited to attend.

Further information on how an underprivileged child may be helped, may be obtained by calling 941-4317 in Providence, 434-3756 in East Providence, 467-5895 in Cranston, and 463-7865 or 739-2782 in Warwick.

Chairman of the committee in charge of the show are Mrs. John F. Cicilline, Mrs. Robert Cannava and Mrs. Harry Saltzman.

### EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING

The Pawtucket-Central Falls Chapter of Senior Hadassah will hold an executive board meeting on Wednesday, March 13, at 8 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Harris Ginsberg of 26 Vista Drive, East Providence.

### FOURTH SESSION

The fourth session in the Dialogue series sponsored by Temple Sinai and several churches in Cranston will be held on Sunday, March 10, at 8 p.m. at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Joseph Donahue of 18 Lawnacre Drive, Cranston. "State Aid to Private Education" will be discussed.

### SPECIAL SERVICES

Special Sabbath services will be held in memory of Selig Weinstein on Friday, March 8, at 8:15 p.m. at Temple Beth Am.

An Oneg Shabbat will follow the services.

### KICKOFF LUNCHEON

The Sisterhood of Temple Emanu-El will hold a Kickoff Luncheon to prepare for their Annual Donor Luncheon and Installation in May. The Kickoff Luncheon will be held on Monday, March 11, at 12:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Max Alperin of 400 Blackstone Boulevard.

Mrs. Mervin Bolusky, president, has announced the appointment of Mrs. Howard Weiner and Mrs. Harold Jagolinzer as chairmen of the Donor Luncheon. Mrs. Gerald Harlam will serve as co-chairman.

### CHILDREN'S SPECIAL

The Great Houston, television puppeteer, magician, contortionist and ventriloquist, will present a one-hour show for the Children's Special sponsored by the Touro Fraternal Association as a Purim Party show. The show will be held on Sunday, March 17, at 2 p.m. at Touro Hall.

The children will be supervised by members of the social committee during the show. Parents will be offered coffee and pastry in the Touro lounge.

### DRAMA DISCUSSIONS

Five drama discussion groups a "Pot Luck Series," will be held by the Providence Chapter, Brandeis University National Women's Committee during the months of March and April, on Tuesdays at 10 a.m. at the Temple Emanu-El library.

"All My Sons" by Arthur Miller will be discussed on March 12; "The Time of Your Life" by William Saroyan on March 19; "Awake and Sing" by Clifford Odets on March 26; "The Chalk Garden" by Enid Bagnold on April 2, and "The Knack" by Ann Jellicoe on April 9.

Mrs. Irving A. Wiener is chairman of the group, and Mrs. Lawrence Goldberg is co-chairman. Mrs. Goldberg will be discussion leader on March 12. Other discussion leaders will be announced later.

### BECOMES PRESIDENT

Max Greenberg, vice-president of Congregation Anshe Kovno, was named president of the Congregation this past Sunday in place of Paul Levin, who died recently. Nomination and election of a vice-president will be held on Sunday, March 24.

Mr. Greenberg is also president of Congregation Lenas Hazedek, the Chevra Kadisha and the Hebrew Sheltering Society.

### PURIM DANCE

A Purim Dance will be held on Sunday, March 10, from 4 to 8 p.m. at the Boston Club at 54 Broadway, Boston, Mass., sponsored by the United Chapter, Business & Professional ORT. Proceeds will be used to benefit ORT schools.

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## Investigation Shows Oliver DeLancey To Be First American Jewish General

NEW YORK, N.Y. — Considering the rather spectacular military prowess Jews — in Israel at any rate — have been displaying recently, one cannot be blamed for wondering who the first American Jewish general was. Undoubtedly, says Professor Jacob R. Marcus, Director of the American Jewish Archives, Oliver DeLancey was the first. Professor Marcus also points out that General DeLancey was not much of an American and even less of a Jew! Born in colonial New York, Oliver was the son of a Christian patrician of the same name and Phyllis DeLancey, a girl of Orthodox Jewish upbringing. His mother's Jewish origin notwithstanding, young DeLancey was reared as an Anglican, and when he finally became a general, it was in the British, not the American army. Still, General DeLancey was a native American, and, according to rabbinic law, of course, he was, as the son of a Jewish mother, unquestionably a Jew.

The General's father, Oliver, Sr., belonged to one of the richest and most aristocratic families in colonial New York. He secretly courted Phyllis Franks, the daughter of colonial America's greatest Jewish merchant, Jacob Franks, a fully observant Orthodox Jew. The young couple had been secretly married for six months before Phyllis's parents learned of the match. Bitterly opposed to intermarriage, Jacob and Abigail Franks, Phyllis's father and mother, were heartbroken. Abigail wrote to a son in England: "I shall never have that serenity nor peace within, I have so happily had hitherto. . . I wish it was in my power to leave this part of the world; I would come away in the first man-of-war that went to London." Finally, however, the Frankses reconciled themselves to the marriage, and their Christian son-in-law ultimately became a partner or agent in the huge commissary enterprises they and their English relatives managed in the American

colonies. The Anglo-American Franks clan and its Christian associates were the British army's chief supply officers in America during the third quarter of the 1700's. When the home in which Oliver, Sr. and Phyllis lived was sold to an innkeeper, it became known as Fraunces tavern, "The Queen's Head," and it was there that Washington made his famous farewell address in 1783 to the officers of the Revolution.

Oliver, Jr., the first "American Jewish" general, was born in 1749. That same year, probably while his mother was still carrying him, Oliver, Sr., and some of his cronies got drunk, blackened their faces, and broke into the home of a Dutch Jewish immigrant who had an attractive wife. Oliver threatened to rape the woman, but her indignant husband could persuade no lawyer to take the case, since Oliver's brother James was the chief justice of the colony. Obviously Oliver, Sr., had a penchant for Jewish women.

Young Oliver entered the British army and rose to the very top. For a time he was a Deputy Quartermaster General, and he held other important economic posts as well. In his later years, he was accused of misappropriating army funds amounting to many thousands of pounds, but was exonerated of any intent to defraud. He received the coveted promotion to a full generalship in 1812, ten years before his death in Scotland. There is no evidence that General DeLancey, although he was certainly in touch with his mother's brothers, who were among the great Jewish merchants of the British empire, ever manifested the slightest interest in Jews or Judaism. Ironically enough, one hundred and fifty years later DeLancey Street on New York's Lower East Side, named for him, would become a focus of the settlement of immigrant Jews in the New World.



AT NEW ORLEANS MARDI GRAS: Dr. and Mrs. Joseph Miller of East Greenwich were guests of King Moslem XXX of the Krewe of Moslem, a Masonic group, at the recent Mardi Gras in New Orleans, La., the annual holiday festival, which includes several weeks of balls and parades.

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## Condemn As 'Black Nazism' Article By J.F. Hatchett

NEW YORK — The American Jewish Congress, Catholic Interracial Council and Protestant Council of the City of New York joined today in a statement condemning as "black Nazism" an article published in the African-American Teachers Association Forum charging "anti-black Jews" and "black Anglo-Saxons" with "educational perfidy."

The tri-faith statement described the article by John F. Hatchett, a former substitute teacher at P.S. 68 in Harlem, as "a naked appeal to racial and religious hatred."

In his articles, Mr. Hatchett said Negro children were "educationally castrated" and "mentally poisoned" by "Jews who dominate and control the educational bureaucracy of the New York public school system and their power-starved imitators, the black Anglo-Saxons."

Spokesmen for the three religious groups voiced confidence that Mr. Hatchett's views would be rejected "by the overwhelming majority of the black community of our city."

They also joined in a pledge "that this obscene article will not swerve us from the path we have chosen in consonance with the spiritual imperatives of our religious heritage: the pursuit of full equality in a free society for all Americans."

The statement was signed by Murray A. Gordon, chairman of the executive committee of the American Jewish Congress New York Metropolitan Council; Dorothy Jones, consultant to the Office on Church and Race of the Protestant Council of the City of New York; and Arthur A. Wright, executive director of the Catholic Interracial Council.

The three signers were sharply critical of the article's "violent language and irrational tone, its wild charges and perversions of fact."

"In its attempt to divide black from white and Christian from Jews," the statement declared, "Mr. Hatchett's article is an attack on the very forces in the community that have joined hands to raise the quality of public education and advance the cause of racial justice in our city."

The joint statement by the three religious groups continued: "Through his article, Mr.

Hatchett has joined the same hate front that the Imperial Wizard of the Ku Klux Klan and the Fuehrer of the American Nazi Party have monopolized until now. He may rightfully claim only one success: he has 'integrated' the hate movement in America."

Mr. Hatchett was dismissed Tuesday from his post as a substitute teacher in P.S. 68 for having taken his class to a memorial service for Malcolm X at Intermediate School 201.

His article, which appeared in the November-December issue of the African-American Teachers Association Forum, was entitled, "The Phenomenon of the Anti-Black Jews and the Black Anglo-Saxon: A Study in Educational Perfidy."

Mr. Hatchett's article began as follows:

"We are witnessing today in New York City a phenomenon that spells death for the minds and souls of our black children. It is the systematic coming of age of the Jews who dominate and control the educational bureaucracy of the New York public school system and their power-starved imitators, the black Anglo-Saxons. It is the avowed thesis of this paper that this coalition or collusion or whatever one chooses to call it is one of the fundamental reasons why our black children are being educationally castrated, individually and socially devastated to the extent that they are incapable of participating in and carrying through to a reasonable conclusion any meaningful educational experience."

"In short, our children are being mentally poisoned by a group of educators who are actively and persistently bringing a certain self fulfilling prophecy to its logical conclusion."

The article by Mr. Hatchett concluded:

"Arise you black teachers and cast off the chains of fear and frustration. The fight will be bloody and long, but we will win. Black power to you all."

The American Jewish Congress-Catholic Interracial Council-Protestant Council statement said Mr. Hatchett's article was "a piece of black racism" and charged its author with "reviling the things we hold dear."

## Society This Week

### GLECKMANS HAVE CHILD

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gleckman of 163 Mary Coburn Road, Springfield, Mass., announce the birth of their third child, Wade Harrison, on Jan. 29. Mrs. Gleckman is the former Sheila Glassman.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Louis Gleckman of Providence. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Henry Glassman of Stamford, Conn.

Maternal great-grandparents are Mrs. Louis Greenberg of Sharon, Mass., and Mrs. Mary Glassman of Providence and Miami Beach, Fla.

### FIRST DAUGHTER BORN

Mr. and Mrs. Richard H. Cohen of 62 Wildwood Drive, Garden Hills, Cranston, announce the birth of their second child and first daughter, Miriam Janice, on Feb. 27. Mrs. Cohen is the former Paula S. Shore.

Maternal grandmother is Mrs. Rose Shore of Hope Street. Paternal grandfather is Jack Cohen of Park Avenue, Cranston.

Maternal great-grandmother is Mrs. David L. Shore of Hallendale, Fla., and paternal great-grandmother is Mrs. Louis R. Silverman of Tenth Street.

### FIRST SON BORN

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Halsband of 19 Harding Avenue, Cranston, announce the birth of their first child and son, Joshua Bennett, on Feb. 21.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. George Halsband of 24 Ledge Road, East Greenwich. Maternal grandmother is Mrs. Jacob Broomfield of 17 Harding Avenue, Cranston.

Great-grandparents are Mrs. Gussie Rubin of Providence, and Mrs. Harry Broomfield, also of Providence.

### ANNOUNCE BIRTH OF SON

Mr. and Mrs. Barry Shaw of Manchester, Conn., announce the birth of their first child and son, Howard Mark, on Feb. 21.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Morris Winkleman of Cranston. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Shaw of Providence.

Great-grandmother is Mrs. Anna Seltzer of Providence.

### ON DEAN'S LIST

Melvin K. Spiegelman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Izak Spiegelman of 101 Douglas Avenue, has been named to the Dean's List at Brown University it was announced last week by Gordon R. Dewart, acting dean.

Mr. Spiegelman, a graduate of Classical High School, is a member of the class of 1970, and is a candidate for a bachelor of science degree in engineering.

### TO BECOME BAS MITZVAH

Six girls will become Bas Mitzvah at Temple Beth El on Saturday, March 16, at 9:45 a.m.

Participating in the morning service will be Anne Martha Cohn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Newton Cohn; Anne M. Diamond, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Diamond; Anita Sue Flamer, daughter of Mrs. and Mrs. Howard Flamer; Marjorie A. Markoff, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Markoff; Amy Ellen Sibulkin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sherwin Sibulkin, and Pamela Sue Tesler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Tesler.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend the service and the reception, which will follow.

### AT CONNECTICUT COLLEGE

Harriet L. Herman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerome M. Herman of 200 Calaman Road, Cranston, has been named to the Dean's List at Connecticut College for Women for the first semester of the academic year 1967-68.

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**ENGAGED:** Mr. and Mrs. Herman Weinstein of Tome Street, Cranston, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Wendy Felice (Florence) Weinstein, to Harvey A. Leib, son of Mr. and Mrs. Saul Leib of Wayland Avenue.

Miss Weinstein is a graduate of Cranston High School East and attended Johnson and Wales Junior College of Business.

Mr. Leib is a graduate of Hope High School and attended Roger Williams College. He is president of Lafayette Radio in Worcester, Mass.

An Aug. 11 wedding at Temple Beth Torah is planned.

D.A. Gunning Photo

## Defeat Resolution To Dissolve WZO

AMSTERDAM — A resolution demanding the liquidation of the World Zionist Organization (WZO), adopted at a meeting of the World Union of Jewish Students in Milan, was overwhelmingly defeated by the same body at a meeting here.

The issue, however, was hotly debated, and several speakers called for radical changes in the structure of the Zionist Organization.

## Establish Chair Of Judaic Studies

PARIS — A chair of Judaeo-Arabic studies has been established at the School of Oriental Language here because of the large number of North African Jews, some 100,000 who now live in France.

The language of Moroccan, Algerian and Tunisian Jews will be included in the new syllabus of studies. A chair of Yiddish now exists at the school and a chair of Ladino, language of many Sephardic Jews, is being contemplated.

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## For And About Teenagers



**THE WEEK'S LETTER:** "My problem is with my parents. They are so strict on me! I am fourteen and in the ninth grade. My parents won't let me get phone calls from boys until I am fifteen. Everytime a boy asks me for my phone number, I don't know what to tell them. Boys can't come to my home until I am sixteen. They won't even let me go to a dance. I've tried to get my mother to trust me, but she won't. I don't know what to do. So will you please give me your assistance."

**OUR REPLY:** All we can give you is what we consider good advice. It's very simple. Consider yourself lucky. Your parents have told you that you will be able to get phone calls from boys when you are fifteen. They have

told you that boys may call on you when you are sixteen. There are many girls who are sixteen whose parents still don't allow them to have phone calls. This is not to say that this writer agrees that a girl should not at least be allowed phone calls at fifteen; the truth is that some girls have this problem. Play the game the way your parents suggest. Be patient. Simply tell the boys that your parents don't allow you to take phone calls from boys — yet. You may not think so, but giving them this word won't hurt your popularity a single bit.

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If you have a teenage problem you want to discuss or an observation to make, address your letter to FOR AND ABOUT TEENAGERS, COMMUNITY AND SUBURBAN PRESS SERVICE, FRANKFORT, KY.

**NAMED DIRECTOR**  
CHICAGO — Rev. Clyde H. Miller Jr. of the United Church of Christ was named last week deputy director of Project Equality, a nation-wide, inter-religious effort to put the "purchasing power of churches

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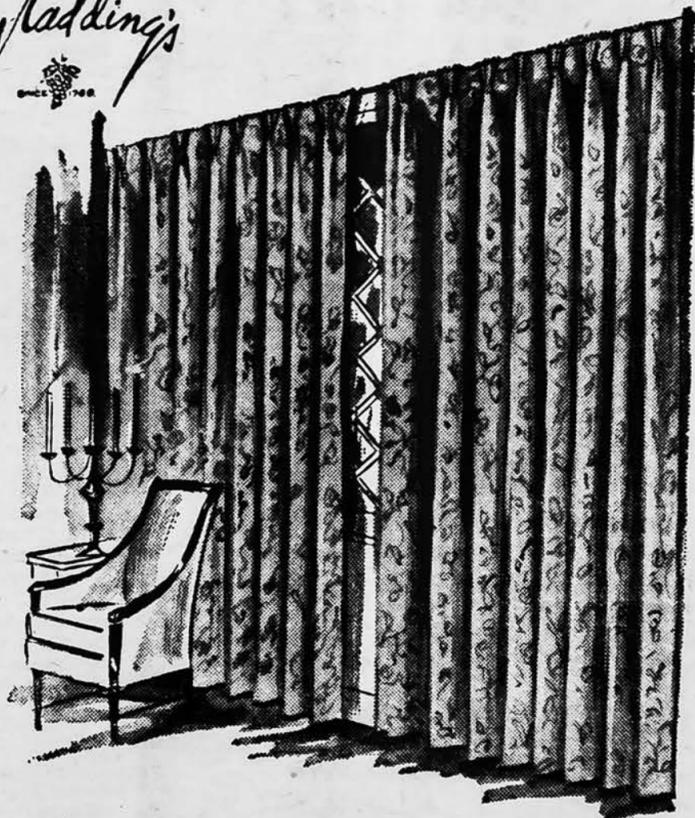
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## The Third Reich

It has been 23 years since the end of World War II, and 15 more since Hitler started his rise to power in Germany. There are young men and women who have already finished college, have married, are parents, have settled on what they want for the future, who were not even born until the tragedy of those years was over.

Even to those unfortunate enough to have had to live through the horrors of the German concentration camps, a little of the ghastliness must have faded by now (how else could these people have survived and managed to make normal, decent lives for themselves?) But to many of the new generation of young men and women—regardless of the fact that some few don't seem to want to grow up, the vast majority are sober, thinking adults—there is very little reality to those days. Many of the younger generation are rather doubtful that it was really as bad as the older people say it was—they are probably exaggerating to make it sound more awful.

Part of the blame for this, however, we think lies in the fact that the complete story is not properly taught to the children when they start the study of history in school. Certainly, it may not be necessary to show them some of the pictures of the concentration camp victims, or the Warsaw Ghetto residents during the Nazi occupation, or the skeletons in the opened graves at Auschwitz, but the facts of Hitler's method of governing, and the reasons, or lack of reasons, for what he did should be pointed out. Whether it is true in all cases we are not in a position to say, but some students have said that since the study of World War II comes near the end of the term, it is passed over very quickly, and about all the student is left with is the fact that there was a Second World War, which, of course, followed the First World War. (An older generation can remember, very clearly, World War I being sloughed off in just the same way.)

It is necessary for the present and future generations to know what happened; to know how a man such as Hitler could come to power; to try to understand why the people listened to him and thought of him as a savior; to know why so many ordinary, non-sadistic people could ignore the fact that millions of human beings were being killed; to try to understand why so many could be trained to kill these people without balking, or refusing, but taking as much pleasure in it as an exterminator does in getting rid of the rats in a food establishment.

If they understand, or at least try to understand, they will be in a position to recognize the symptoms of the same disease, whether it be in their own country or in another. They will be able to ignore the straw men set up by such as Hitler, and to see the reality of that man's desire for power. With understanding and knowledge, people such as Hitler can be deactivated before they have a chance to become truly harmful.

The presentation of the first part of Shirer's documentary "The Rise and Fall of the Third Reich" brought back quite graphically the days of Hitler's rise to power. If the other two parts are as true to the times, it would serve as a good means of teaching schoolchildren some of the history which they are missing now. There is one major advantage to television: a picture is always much more impressive than words in a book, particularly to a child.

## COMMUNITY CALENDAR

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### SUNDAY, MARCH 10, 1968

8:45 a.m.—Ohave Shalom Synagogue, Breakfast  
9:15 a.m.—Ohave Shalom Synagogue, Bible Class  
7:00 p.m.—Cong. Mishkan Tfiloh, Talmud Class

### SUNDAY, MARCH 10, 1968

8:00 p.m.—Sisterhood Temple Emanu-El, Purim Meeting

### MONDAY, MARCH 11, 1968

10:30 a.m.—Women's Ass'n. Miriam Hospital, Board Meeting  
8:00 p.m.—Lad. Aux. Riback-Winston #406 JWVA, Regular Meeting  
8:00 p.m.—Lad. Aux. Lt. Leonard Bloom #284 JWVA, Board Meeting  
8:00 p.m.—Temple Emanu-El, Board Meeting  
8:00 p.m.—What Cheer Lodge #24 Knights of Pythias, Regular Meeting

### TUESDAY, MARCH 12, 1968

10:00 a.m.—Brandeis Univ. Nat'l. Women's Committee, Study Group  
1:00 p.m.—Sisterhood Temple Beth David, Regular Meeting  
1:30 p.m.—Pioneer Women of Providence, Board Meeting  
6:30 p.m.—Ladies Aux. Dept. of R.I., Dinner  
6:30 p.m.—Israel Bonds, Men's Division, Dinner

### WEDNESDAY, MARCH 13, 1968

1:00 p.m.—Prov. Section Nat'l. Council Jewish Women, Regular Meeting  
8:00 p.m.—Pawt. Central Falls Senior Hadassah, Board Meeting  
8:00 p.m.—Sisterhood Temple Beth Shalom, Board Meeting  
8:00 p.m.—Cranston-Warwick B'nai B'rith Women, Regular Meeting  
8:00 p.m.—Providence Hebrew Day School, Ladies' Assoc., Regular Meeting  
8:00 p.m.—Touro Fraternal Ass'n., Regular Meeting

### THURSDAY, MARCH 14, 1968

8:15 p.m.—Temple Beth Am, Board Meeting

### SATURDAY, MARCH 16, 1968

3:00 p.m.—Cong. Mishkan Tfiloh, Talmud Class

## FROM FRIDAY TO FRIDAY

### The Older I Get . . .



By Beryl Segal

The older I get the more I value the moral and ethical teachings in our holidays and in our customs.

A holiday is, of course, a day of rejoicing, a day of family reunion, a day of rest. But a holiday is also a day of thinking about our neighbors, our friends, our people.

The coming two holidays both exemplify what I mean.

Passover is coming soon. Passover with all its warmth, its ceremonies, its being different from all the other days of the year. No need to tell you what the Seder means to every child. The child who has not been to a Seder on the night of Passover is robbed of a wonderful Jewish experience, an experience that may be with him wherever he goes and whatever he becomes in the years to come. The Matzoh, the wine, the Hagaddah, the songs, the set table, the Cup of Elijah, all these are magic ingredients of childhood memories.

But Passover would not be the holiday it is were it not for the ethical elements it contains.

A Jew cannot go to sit at a table filled with food, when somewhere a Jewish family is without Matzoh and wine and all the other things that make a Seder.

Before buying anything for his own Seder a Jew provides for the poor in his city.

Every Jew contributes to a fund called Moes Chitim. Every Jew either contributes or takes from that fund. That was the rule from times immemorial.

The term Moes Chitim has been misunderstood and misinterpreted and the words themselves have been misspelled.

The correct way to write this term is Maot Hittim. That is the way it is written in Israel, where the Sephardic manner of Hebrew speech is accepted. We also say, and write, Moes Chitim or Mo-os Chitim.

Whichever way you pronounce and write these words, they mean "Money for Wheat." The custom goes back to the days of the Talmud.

In the towns and villages of Eastern Europe the Rabbi and a committee of respected members of the community would go around with a list of names and each Jew would either give or take from

Moes Chitim. This money would be used for buying Matzoh and wine and other necessities for Passover. In the old days that money was used for buying wheat suitable for Matzohs. That goes back to the time when every one bought wheat, ground it, and baked his own Matzoh. He was given Money for Wheat, Moes Chitim. Everyone had to have Matzoh for Passover. What was left over could be used for other necessities. No one knew where the money came from, and no one was left out of Moes Chitim.

In our town Moes Chitim is collected by the Jewish Family and Children's Service. When their envelope comes to your house, do not throw it away. Give as much as you can. There is no limit and no coercion. By giving to Moes Chitim we continue the golden thread that stretches through the centuries.

The Joint Distribution Committee, the National Jewish Organization that has helped so many thousands during the war and after, is extending this help to our brothers and sisters overseas.

The JDC is collecting Moes Chitim now to send money to the Jews in Africa, in the Arab countries, and in Romania.

## YOUR MONEY'S WORTH

By Sylvia Porter



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You should have no trouble getting together the total amount of charitable contributions you paid by check or made in cash for which you received receipts. But say you made charitable gifts to churches, schools, museums, etc., in the form of property, such as used clothing or furniture, paintings, art objects. You are entitled to take a charitable deduction for these contributions, too. Your problem, though, is how to get the fair

market value of the property at the time you contributed it, because this is the dollar figure which you can take as your charitable deduction.

A 1967 court decision gave contributors such as you an assist in getting a higher property valuation and a correspondingly bigger contribution deduction. The Treasury said that when you contributed used clothing, furniture, etc., you could value them only at the price a dealer in used clothing or furniture would pay - a view cutting the amount of your contribution far below what you could take if you valued the used property at the price a retail customer would pay.

A '67 circuit court case held that you can value your second hand property contribution at the price a retail buyer would pay; you are not stuck with the dealer's lower price to you. But if you plan to follow the court's view on your '67 return, recognize you may have to fight the Treasury.

As you go through your checks to determine your charitable deductions, don't automatically assume that every check made out to a charitable organization is deductible in full. Last year, the Treasury issued a sharp warning that a payment to a charitable organization is not a deductible contribution to the extent you get something of value in return - even if the organization labels the entire contribution a "donation." Thus, be more careful with such contributions this year. The Treasury may get rough with individuals who deliberately deduct payments to a charity which aren't real contributions.

Here are some "donations" which the Treasury points out are not real contributions:

## You pay a charity \$15 for a theatre ticket which has a box office price of \$10. Your deduction is \$5 - not \$15.

## You make out a check to a charity for a ticket labeled "\$5.50 donation" which admits you to a luncheon-entertainment. No part of the payment is deductible. You merely bought a lunch ticket.

## You get a brochure from a charity listing articles which can (Continued on page 14)



## HARRY GOLDEN

### On Walking

One of our better humorists remarked that whenever he went out for a walk, all the motorists who passed him gave him suspicious looks as though he were some kind of shabby tramp or at least a subversive.

The general attitude of the society for the man out for a walk is one of amazement. I myself took a stroll one Saturday afternoon not long ago and noticed that the grass grows riot between the cracks of the sidewalk when, and indeed if, there is a sidewalk along the way.

In any suburban town, the crucial issue at the moment is not the construction of bomb shelters but of sidewalks. Builders knew people didn't take walks so they didn't put in sidewalks but now with the population explosion because people stay home all the time, a lot of the kids have to walk to school, threading their way between the cars.

The sidewalk skill that beat the jungle to build the city is gone. Sidewalks cost more than the whole public school system. The late President Kennedy, who thought he was helping, only compounded the difficulty, by

suggesting that the kids walking to school is a way of aiding the cause of American physical fitness.

In fact, in one little suburb I could mention there rages a major political issue over whether to abandon the Memorial Day parade and put the \$200 the parade annually costs into some sort of sidewalk-kitty.

However, since the Memorial Day parade is the one chance all the Brownies, Boy Scouts, Campfire Girls and Little Leaguers get to walk, the town is hung upon the horns of a dilemma or better yet they are trying to walk between a Scylla and a Charybdis. The American Legion does not hold this proposal in any favor either.

The people who walk are those who live in cities armed with buses, taxis and subways. They walk from office to office because it is the fastest method of locomotion. For the rest of us there is no place to walk to. Most of our movies are drive-in movies these days. Purpose has gone out of walking.

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# BRIDGE

By Robert E. Starr



Today's hand proved to be a bugaboo to every Declarer but one, and yet the problem was a simple one, whether or not to play for that same old two - two split. Obviously, there is more involved for in many cases the difference of a trick is extremely important but in today's hand it meant either making an overtrick or going down in a slam that actually is "cold", whether the suit broke or not.

North  
 ♠ 5 4 3  
 ♥ 10 9 4  
 ♦ 6 5 4  
 ♣ K Q J 10

West  
 ♠ Q J 10 9  
 ♥ 5  
 ♦ K J 9  
 ♣ 9 7 4 3 2

East  
 ♠ 8 7 6  
 ♥ J 3 2  
 ♦ Q 10 8 3  
 ♣ 8 6 5

South  
 ♠ A K 2  
 ♥ A K Q 8 7 6  
 ♦ A 7 2  
 ♣ A

Mrs. Edythe Glasser and Theodore Loebenberg were North and South, no-one vulnerable, South dealer. The bidding:

S	W	N	E
2C	P	2D	P
2H	P	4H	P
6H	P	P	P

The bidding was quite accurate, South's opening bid being the artificial forcing bid in the "Weak" Two Bid system. North didn't quite have enough for a positive response so her Two Diamond bid was also artificial showing nothing. South now showed his suit, Hearts, which was forcing on North and now it was North's turn. Here is where most of the players sitting North went wrong. Today's North looked at her hand and saw that she had the nearest thing possible to a

positive response plus very adequate Heart support for her partner's obviously long suit. The best way to show this was by jumping directly to game.

When South heard this he felt he had enough extra to make six, even seven was not improbable but he settled for six, going directly there without bothering to ask for Aces, he had them all. He certainly wasn't worried about losing the first trick. The fact that he arrived at six at all tempered his future play and should have done the same to all of the Declarers but it didn't.

Every Declarer played the hand in Hearts, either six or four and each received the same lead, the Spade Queen; a Diamond lead would have set the hand but no West would lead it with the solid four card honor sequence in Spades. So after the opening lead all Declarers started equally.

The other South's carelessly assumed the Trumps would break and that all they had to do was draw them, play the Club Ace, go over to the Heart 10 and make six Heart tricks, four Clubs, two Spades and the Diamond Ace for all thirteen tricks. They were sadly disillusioned when the Trumps did not break and the Jack didn't fall. They could not now get to the Dummy to cash the other three good Clubs and they went down.

Our Declarer saw that he was in an excellent contract that not all of the players would reach and that careful play could insure it. He won the first trick and played the Trump Ace just in case the Jack might fall. When it didn't he decided he was not going to hope the suit would break evenly. He next played his Club Ace merely to get it out of the way and now

came the key play: he led a LOW Heart to the Dummy, being extremely gratified when West showed out. He now was positive his care had paid off for watch what happened next.

After recovering from the shock of winning a trick with his Jack and still believing the Declarer was out of his mind, East returned a Spade only to find that this South was in sound mind indeed and that he had a fine reason for his give-up play in Hearts. Declarer won the second Spade and now played another low Trump to Dummy's 9. He could now discard all his losers on those vital Clubs. He had given up a Heart trick to gain three Clubs in return. A rare bargain.

Moral: When in a fine contract that not too many will reach or especially in rubber bridge, when a contract can be insured against any eventuality, insure it, the price is very cheap in the long run.

## Israeli Delegate Enlivens Meeting

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y. — Dr. Shabtai Rosenne, representing Israel in the Human Rights Commission of the United Nations, enlivened the proceedings recently with an unanticipated comment.

The Russian delegate complained to the Commission that the Egyptian delegation had not consulted his delegation before submitting a resolution on the Commission agenda.

Dr. Rosenne intervened to inform the Commission gravely that the Egyptians had not consulted the Israelis either.

FREE MEMBERSHIP NEW BRUNSWICK, N.J. — The YM-YWHA of New Brunswick has decided to abolish a nominal membership fee for college students who are Hillel members and plans to offer them such membership without charge this year.

FOREIGN SEAMEN  
 HAIFA — More than 33% of Israel's 4,200 merchant seamen are foreigners. There are 383 Chinese, 194 Spaniards, 138 Portuguese, 113 Dutch, 87 Yugoslavs and about 600 men of other nationalities working on Israeli ships according to the Associated Press.

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**RESOLUTION**

MELBOURNE — A resolution condemning a recent outbreak of Nazi activities in Melbourne, involving a terror campaign against Jews, was adopted at the annual conference of the Victorian branch of the Australian Labor Party. The conference urged police to take stronger measures to halt and outlaw such activities which, the resolution said, included the use of explosives and threatening letters and telephone calls.



**WINS PRIZE:** Among the Science Fair winners from the Charles H. Russell School in Broomall, Pa., was Sam Leffler, who won a first prize in chemistry. Sam is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Leffler of Upper Darby, Pa., and the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Sternbach of 37 Trask Street.



**Hello Again!**  
Sports News By Warren Walden

NEW GARDEN - Ah, the drama of a heavyweight championship boxing bout! Especially when it is scheduled for a brand new arena like the new Madison Square garden. The week started with a big ring show scheduled in that magnificent auditorium atop the Pennsylvania Railroad Station. The eyes of the sports world were focussed on that particular spot and business men were prepared for the rush that accompanies a major sports event. It emphasized the need for a modern facility in Rhode Island and it reminded that the two Lou Pteris, the immortal one and the present one, have been doing a good job for us Rhode Islanders. Sports events mean people and people mean business.

Almeida, who is, without a doubt, the leading boxing promoter in the Nation, is planning a new Garden in the City of Warwick. In fact, he has had engineers looking over the site behind his Fireside Inn on Warwick Avenue during the past week. Mr. Almeida would like to build an open air arena, covered with a huge umbrella type roof, in which he would present boxing shows next summer. "With the elimination of rental expense I'll be able to pay more for the shows," theorized Mr. Almeida while enthusiastically discussing the new garden. Last Summer a benefit show was presented on the site in an improvised setting. From that show came the idea for the new Garden.

NOW HEAR THIS - Manny

NOT THE FIRST TIME - If successful with his plans, the first show will not be the first open-air presentation by the reliable Almeida. He has promoted out of doors in Pierce Stadium in East Providence and a long time ago held boxing shows at Crescent Park. (Did you think I'd forgotten, Manny?) And, for your information, open air boxing has been successfully promoted at old Kinsley Park, at the old Cycledrome on North Main Street, in McCoy Stadium and also at Cranston Stadium. So, there's nothing new under the moon. When I was a boy and there was another Madison Square Garden, I always wondered why it was called "Garden." That name, thought I, indicated a spot of beauty where one whom I loved was surrounded with the fragrance of her favorite flowers. Madison Square Garden never looked like a garden to me. Now Mr. Almeida can have something new under the moon in an arena that is called a Garden. And he can help in beautifying the City of Warwick. He plans landscaping his "Garden" with flowers that will actually make it what the name signifies.

GOOD EXCUSES - Although he planned an "All-Irish" night for Monday, March 18th, at R. I. Auditorium, when this went to press Almeida had decided to cancel that show. Pat Stapleton, champion of Ireland, will not be back from the Emerald Isle in time. Almeida also wanted Jack Dempsey as a referee but has been unable to definitely get a commitment from the "Manassa Mauler." He expects to have Dempsey for a later show. "I could get a couple of good fighters but they wouldn't mean anything as an attraction here," Almeida said. "Also, if I ever drew a cold night, the attendance would suffer so I'm going to wait."

WHERE ELSE? - And for Stapleton, who calls himself "Irish Pat," where else is there a better place for observing St. Patrick's Day than in the land where Shamrocks grow?

SPEAKING OF SHAMROCKS - The famed Grossingers in New York State is advertising a St. Patrick's Day week-end with Shamrocks in the ad. . . . And the "Incomparable Lee Ann" is featuring a special St. Patrick's Sing-A-Long in her presentation at Loew's Theatre on week-ends during March. . . . Congrats to Dick Sauber who has been recognized as a most versatile football player at Moses Brown. . . . And Joe-B Bidderman, who plays such a stellar hockey game for Pilgrim High, has been thinking, dreaming and playing hockey since he wasn't much bigger than one of the pads a goalie wears and now he'd qualify for any basketball team as well as hockey. . . . Be good and let who will be clever - and - CARRY ON!

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**ORGANIZATION NEWS**

**GENTLEMAN'S NIGHT**

A Gentleman's Night has been planned by the Ladies' Aid and Sisterhood of Congregation Ohave Sholom to be held on Sunday, March 17, at the synagogue. Mrs. Abraham M. Mal is chairman of the affair, and Mrs. Samuel Brown is co-chairman.

Mel Simons of Boston, Mass., will present entertainment. Refreshments will be served by Mrs. Samuel Trachtenberg, hostess chairman, and her committee.

**SHALOM CHAPTER TO MEET**

The Shalom Chapter of Pioneer Women in the Cranston-Warwick area will hold its monthly meeting on Tuesday, March 12, at the Roger Williams Savings Bank at Hoxsie Four Corners. Mrs. Harold Organic, a member of the Dvora Dayan Pioneer Women, will lead a discussion on "Life in Israel." A coffee hour will follow.

**SANDHAM TO SPEAK**

Thomas Sandham, associate commissioner for vocational and technical education, will speak on vocational education in Rhode Island at the Eat-Talk-Listen supper program to be held on Tuesday, March 12, from 5:30 to 7 p.m. at the Providence building of the YWCA of Greater Rhode Island.

The program is open to both men and women.

**MANNEQUINS GUILD**

The Rhode Island Mannequins Guild will sponsor a social hour at the R.I. Yankee Motor Inn on Sunday, March 10, from 2 to 4 p.m. Miss Marilyn Cocozza, Miss Rhode Island 1967, will be the guest speaker. The public is invited to attend.

Committee members are Donna Del Santo, president; Shirley Winslow, vice-president; Carol O'Connor, secretary; Barbara Sunderland and Rosemond Fisher, membership board, and Eileen Rainha, publicity chairman.

**PLAN ANNUAL DINNER**

The Annual Dinner of the R.I. State Department Ladies' Auxillary of the Jewish War Veterans will be held on Tuesday, March 12, at 6:30 p.m. at the Eileen Darling Restaurant. Members of the Gerald M. Clamson Auxillary will be hostesses for the evening.

Miss Nettie Simon is chairman, Miss Rose Sock is co-chairman, and Miss Dorothy Goldberg is gift chairman. Mrs. Harold Lappin and Mrs. James Hochman are reservations chairman. Representatives from each Auxillary in the state will be present.

**TO VISIT BARRINGTON**

Approximately 40 teen-agers, members of the Junior Youth Group of Temple Emanuel of Great Neck, N.Y., will visit Barrington as guests of teenagers of the Barrington Jewish Center, on March 8, 9 and 10. Guests will be housed in the homes of members of the local Jewish community.

An original service will be held on Friday, March 8, at 8:30 p.m., followed by refreshments, singing and a dance. The group will visit Touro Synagogue in Newport and other historic sites on Saturday, returning to the Barrington Congregational Church for movies and discussion. A trip to the Interlude Coffee House and a splash party at the Barrington YMCA are planned for Saturday night.

A tour of Brown University will be held on Sunday morning followed by a panel discussion with Brown and Pembroke students.

Further information may be obtained by calling Rabbi Weiss at 831-4171.

**CONTRIBUTIONS INCREASE**

PARIS — Contributions of French Jewry to Israel during 1967 totalled \$12 million, roughly 20 times as much as in previous years, Baron Elie de Rothschild, the French Jewish communal leader, reported Monday. Among the 94,000 who contributed to the record total were non-Jews totaling 7% of the givers.

**CALL IT SHEKEL**

JERUSALEM - A member of the Knesset, Zalman Abramov, introduced a resolution which, if adopted, will change the name of the Israel pound to "shekel." Explaining his theory, Mr. Abramov declared that the concept of "pound" derives from a Latin expression, whereas the term "shekel" denotes an ancient Judaic coin. He added that the change of name will cause no confusion in Israel's financial activity. The Knesset is expected to consider Mr. Abramov's bill

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**EXPLAINS EQUIPMENT:** Dr. Jacob Dyckman, pathologist and director of laboratories at The Miriam Hospital, explains some testing equipment to two laboratory assistant trainees from Rhode Island Junior College, Miss Barbara Oakes of Warwick, left, and Miss Frances Cannarozzi of Middletown.

## First Two Laboratory Assistant Trainees Enter Miriam Hospital For New Program

Two laboratory assistant trainees from Rhode Island Junior College are going to school at The Miriam Hospital in Providence.

Miss Barbara Oakes, 19, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Oakes, of 95 Tampa Avenue, Warwick, and Miss Frances Cannarozzi, 20, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cannarozzi, of 288 Green End Avenue, Middletown, are among 11 students in the junior college's first class of future laboratory assistants.

Miss Oakes, a graduate of Warwick Veterans Memorial High School, entered the junior college last September. Miss Cannarozzi, a graduate of St. Catherine's Academy in Newport, attended the state junior college for two years before deciding on a career as a laboratory assistant.

At The Miriam, the young women are under the guidance of Dr. Jacob Dyckman, pathologist and director of laboratories, for a 35-week period that began last month. Their first 17-week semester of the one-year program was spent in the college classroom.

As part of their in-hospital training, Miss Oakes and Miss Cannarozzi have been making the rounds of the various sections of The Miriam's modern new

laboratories. They are mostly observing the work being done by the laboratory staff in the blood bank, clinical chemistry, urinalysis, bacteriology, serology and hematology.

The Miriam has an even greater interest in the junior college program to train laboratory assistants. The instructor and coordinator at the junior college is Mrs. Lila Morgan of Providence, who was a medical technologist at the hospital until she assumed her new position when the program began last September.

When Miss Oakes and Miss Cannarozzi complete the course given by Mrs. Morgan, they will take board examinations leading to the title of Certified Laboratory Assistant.

### Society

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ON DEAN'S LIST

Mrs. Lillian G. Weisberg, a senior at Emerson College in Boston was one of 80 students recently named to the Dean's List. Mrs. Weisberg is majoring in English and is a member of the Gold Key Society.

She is the widow of Mark Weisberg and resides at 96 East Manning Street.

#### STUDENTS FOR SEDER

Families who wish to invite college students to be their Seder guests may call Hillel House at 421-7159 to specify the type of Seder ritual which is followed in their home, Orthodox, Conservative or Reform.

#### NAMED TO DEAN'S LIST

Murray Gereboff, son of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice L. Gereboff of 128 Modena Avenue, has been named to the Dean's List at Brown University, it was announced last week by Gordon R. Dewart, acting dean.

Mr. Gereboff, who was graduated from Hope High School, is a member of the class of 1968, and is a candidate for a Bachelor of Arts degree in Political Science.

#### TO BECOME BAS MITZVAH

Eleanor Halperin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Halperin, and Donna Silverman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Irving Silverman, will become Bas Mitzvah at Temple Sinai on Saturday morning at 11:15 o'clock.

#### MOVE TO CALIFORNIA

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen A. Kohn of Des Plaines, Ill., have moved to 461 Chesley Avenue, Mountain View, Calif. Mrs. Kohn is the former Susan E. Broomfield of Providence.

## Form Committee To Oppose Tuition Grant Bill 1462

The Committee to Oppose the Tuition Grant Bill met March 4 and will work for the defeat of Bill 1462 now before The Finance Committee of the House.

Milton Paisner was elected chairman of the group. Other officers elected at the same time are Mrs. Anita Baker, vice-chairman; Mrs. H. L. Smith, recording secretary; Mrs. Anne Thurber, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Robert Finkelstein, treasurer. Elected to the executive committee were Rev. MacKinnon White, John William Lenz, Mrs. John Rollins, Allan Shine, Mrs. Alexander Towle, Donald Henshaw and Mrs. Charles Potter.

The chairman announced that an office had been secured in the Phoenix Bank Building at 18 Exchange Place and that it would be manned by volunteers. He also announced the availability of speakers from the Committee.

Mr. Paisner said, in part, "We hope that other groups or individuals will continue to feel free to join us in the effort to enlist citizen support in fighting this proposed legislation which could undermine the foundations of public education in our state by opening the way for diversion of needed public funds, while at the same time encumbering the non-public school system with state supervision."

#### FOURTH CHILD BORN

Mr. and Mrs. Leon S. Golden of Negansett Avenue, Warwick, announce the birth of their fourth child and second son, Eric Charles, on Feb. 11. Mrs. Golden is the former Dorothy Blalvise.

Maternal grandmother is Mrs. Alice Blalvise of Providence. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Golden of Cranston.

#### CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Abrams of 110 Julia Street, Cranston, celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary at a party held on Saturday, Feb. 24 at their home.

The party was given by Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Winkler, and Mr. and Mrs. David Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Abrams have one daughter, Mrs. Williams, and a granddaughter, Jocelyn Williams.

#### GASOLINE PRICES

TEL AVIV—Gasoline prices have been reduced to the level preceding the outbreak of the Arab-Israel war last June. The price rose substantially the first week in June, when Egyptian forces seized the heights of Sharm-El-Sheikh and blocked the passage of oil tankers to the Israeli port of Ellat. With fuel shipment restored to its pre-war volume, transportation costs have dropped and the government has cut the price of gasoline.

#### THE LOWEST FORM

LONDON — The Board of Deputies of British Jews issued a statement denouncing the desecration of tombstones at Manchester Jewish Cemetery. It called the vandalism the "lowest form of conduct to which people can descend."

## Indian Synagogue To Celebrate

NEW DELHI — One of the oldest active synagogues in the world, that of Cochin in the Indian state of Kerala, will mark its 400th anniversary Dec. 15-19, it was announced by S.S. Koder, chairman of the Cochin synagogue quatercentennial committee.

The committee has asked the Prime Minister of India, Mrs. Indira Gandhi, to inaugurate the festivities which historical scholars, art experts and archaeologists from America, Europe and India will attend.

The committee is also inviting Jewish tourists from all over the

world. The celebration will also mark the 1,900th year since Jews settled in Kerala. The synagogue there is the oldest in the British Commonwealth.



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**DIRECT FLIGHTS**  
**BONN** — The West German airline, Lufthansa, will inaugurate direct flights between West Germany and Israel two or three times a week, informed circles said Monday. El Al Israel Airlines now flies four times a week to Munich and Frankfurt from Israel and is reportedly seeking permission to land in West Germany for passenger pickup during its scheduled flights between Israel and New York.

**CANAL FORCES GROW**  
**TEL AVIV** - Egypt is building up what is "virtually an international army" along the 107-mile Suez Canal, said an Army spokesman for Israel. He estimated that there are now 50,000 soldiers along Egypt's western shore of the canal, many of them wearing foreign uniforms which are obviously not Egyptian. They are from Kuwait, Algeria and the Sudan, and are equipped with large numbers of tanks and artillery pieces, he declared.



**ENGAGED:** Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Lesley Nan Jaffa of New York City, daughter of Mrs. Jean Jaffa of Miller Avenue and Donald Jaffa of Hope Street, to Robert Alan Haberman of New York City, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Herman A. Haberman.

Miss Jaffa was graduated from Bryant College and attended the New York Institute of Finance. She is currently employed with Goldman, Sachs & Co. in New York City.

Mr. Haberman received his Bachelor of Science degree from New York University and his Master of Arts degree from Columbia University. He now has a graphic design studio.

A May 25 wedding is planned.

## Israel Removes Designation Of 'Enemy Territory' From Land Occupied During Six-Day War

**JERUSALEM** — Israel has removed the designation "enemy territory" from the areas occupied by her forces last June during the war with the Arabs.

An order for the move was signed this week by Moshe Haim Shapiro, the Interior Minister. He also designated Allenby Bridge, the Jordan River crossing point at Jericho, an official exit and entry point.

Ministry officials said the moves were essentially legal measures intended to formalize situations that had existed since the war. They disavowed any political intention in the move and denied that the status of the occupied areas had changed.

Premier Levi Eshkol, meanwhile, rejected the suggestion that Israel had retreated from her stated position about negotiations with the Arabs in proposing talks under United Nations auspices.

The Premier, on a tour of the Sinai area, recalled that Israel had proposed to Dr. Gunnar V. Jarring, the United Nations peace envoy, that he should summon the parties to one place with the aim of enabling a direct exchange of views.

The Interior Ministry order gives the Allenby Bridge, which

has been a crossing point for tens of thousands in both directions, the same status as Haifa, Ashdod, Eilat, Lydda Airport and more recently, Kalandia, the former Jordanian airport north of Jerusalem.

When the Israeli authorities annexed the former Arab sector, they removed the Mandelbaum gate. The traffic across the Allenby Bridge has far exceeded that through the gate, essentially because Israel and Jordan are both interested in maintaining the traffic.

Jordan wants to keep in contact with her lost west-bank territory while Israel seeks to encourage west-bank farmers and businessmen to support themselves in their old markets.

Ministry officials did not produce the texts of the new orders but they confirmed that the reference to the west bank had been changed to Samaria and Judea, the Biblical references popular in Israel for the northern and southern sectors of the same area.

Officials were vague about the new phrase for the occupied areas in the ministry order. One of them said: "administered" area had replaced "enemy territory." Another said it was "occupied territory."

Teams of customs officers have been stationed at the Allenby Bridge for many months, ever since the Israeli authorities began to encourage west-bank Arabs to travel to Jordan on round-trip passes.

Until now, this function has been handled by the army. Now civilian officials will take over and will be authorized to stamp passports and transit permits of travelers leaving and entering.

It will also mean that holders of valid American passports will be permitted to leave without any additional permission. Whether Jordanian officials on the east bank will permit their entry remains questionable, however.

The bridge will thus take on all the aspects of the Mandelbaum Gate, which, after the 1948 war, became a temporary crossing point between the two sectors of divided Jerusalem. It was, in fact, the only transit point between Israel and her Arab neighbors.

Some Israeli Government officials were not happy about the timing of the Interior Ministry's order. They felt that it would tend to confirm Arab suspicions that Israel was nibbling away at the land she says is up for negotiation at a time when peace talks may be near.

The fact that the new orders applied more specifically to Jordanian territory, which is more heavily populated than the Sinai Desert, the Golan heights or Sinai strip, also distressed some officials who feel that Jordan is in the weakest negotiating position.

Authoritative sources here have stated that Israel would be willing to open talks with the Arabs on the Rhodes formula, under which armistice agreements were reached in both direct and indirect talks on the Island of Rhodes after the 1948 Arab-Israeli war.

### HISTORIC NOTE

**CHICAGO** - Evidence of the existence of wealthy land-holding Jews in Normandy, northern France, in the 11th Century C.E., has been discovered by a University of Chicago scholar.

Prof. Norman Golb, whose specialty is Medieval Jewish history and culture, was doing research on the First Crusade when he discovered an error in a 1920 edition of a group of Hebrew manuscripts.

The correct name in the manuscript, according to Golb, is Rodom, the medieval Hebrew and Arabic word for Rouen, a city in northern France.

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## Kosher Poultry Processors Disagree Over Opinions On Dietary Law

**WASHINGTON** — Kosher poultry processors disagreed over rabbinical opinion on Hebrew dietary law and "New York dressed poultry."

At stake is a provision of the Federal Poultry Inspection Act. This so-called religious provision permits some poultry processed under Jewish dietary law to be shipped without Federal inspection.

On one side are processors of kosher poultry eviscerated and sold under both Federal and rabbinic supervision. On the other side are producers who send whole birds to market where consumers who wish kosher poultry may see them eviscerated. That poultry is called "city dressed" or "New York dressed."

At stake also is the competitive position of the kosher processors. Producers of kosher eviscerated poultry contend that they are put at a financial disadvantage. Their costs are higher, they say, because of Federal and rabbinical supervision, which eliminates diseased poultry and guarantees a wholesome product.

The disagreement over Kosher poultry came as a House Agriculture subcommittee continued its hearings into tightening of the Federal poultry inspection law to make certain that all poultry meets Federal standards.

Bills before the subcommittee are aimed at reaching plants that sell wholly within states and thus

**INSTITUTE PLANNED**  
**NEW YORK** — Plans have been announced for a \$5 million Institute of Higher Jewish Studies under Orthodox auspices to be located in central Queens, the first such academic institution for Queens and Long Island Jews. The base for the proposed Institute is the Yeshiva High School of Queens in Jamaica. Rabbi Simcha Tettelbaum, dean, said plans call for an Institute to be comprised of three elements, a Hebrew teachers college, an adjunct college and an adult center, plus the high school.

**CITRUS RECORD**  
**ROTTERDAM** — The largest shipment of Israeli citrus fruit ever to reach Holland — some 10.5 million pounds of oranges, grapefruit and lemons — has been unloaded, according to Abraham Gissin, representative of the Israel citrus marketing board for the Benelux countries.

are not subject to Federal inspection. These plants produce 13 per cent of the country's poultry supply. The remaining 87 percent comes from plants that ship across state lines and are subject to Federal inspection.

Lee Katz, an official of the Empire Kosher Poultry Company of Mifflintown, Pa., testified that the religious provision should be repealed.

Supported by the testimony of two rabbis, he said that "there is nothing in Mosaic Law that says kosher poultry should not be eviscerated."

"In fact," he said, "the responsible rabbinical groups throughout the United States would much rather that poultry be eviscerated under Federal and rabbinical inspection at the plant level."

"New York dressed" poultry, he said, is defeathered but not "eviscerated, not ready to cook, not inspected for wholesomeness by qualified inspectors."

"This poultry contains all the inedibles," he said. "When poultry is shipped uneviscerated, no post mortem of the entrails is possible. If it is not inspected by Federal inspectors, no condemnation is possible."

The Federal exemption, he said, was "obtained on the mistaken premise" that the Jewish housewife could eviscerate her own chicken, that she was capable of detecting disease and that she had immediately available an ordained rabbi to whom she could bring the viscera and carcass to determine whether the poultry was wholesome and therefore kosher.

Herbert Ferster, a New York lawyer representing poultry producers of Sullivan County, N.Y. who ship "New York Dressed" poultry, contended that rabbis differed on religious dietary law.

"I urge the committee not to get into dietary laws and conflicting opinions of rabbis," he said.

He said that there was no difference in the price of kosher eviscerated and uneviscerated poultry.

Mr. Ferster also told the subcommittee that the extension of Federal inspection to currently exempted poultry would mean duplication of service.

He said that New York State and New York City inspection, sanitary and health laws, "in combination," were equal to Federal inspection and that consumers were assured of a wholesome product.

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## The Lyons Den

by Leonard Lyons



Fannie Hurst's remarkable romance with N.Y. finally ended with her death here. She and her husband once boarded a ship for Europe. They had a farewell party in their cabin, and after the "All shore" was sounded and their friends had gone, they decided they really didn't want to leave N.Y. They had their bags taken off, and went home.

Her husband's death interrupted a novel she was writing. When she finished it she said: "I hope the seam doesn't show. . . I am bankrupt to have lost him, rich to have known him."

When her first book was published she rushed to the bookstore, but the salesman said he had no copies. "In two weeks," he promised. Two weeks later she was back, but still there were no copies. Fannie asked if there were any inquiries for the book. "Yes," said the salesman. "A lady was in here two weeks ago, asking for it."

Her schedule usually resulted in one novel every two years. Once, after finishing a novel, she boarded a cruise ship with a friend to whom she said during the voyage: "I have terrible news for you. I am with-book again." She cut short the trip to start the novel.

Her dog once bit the lawyer who'd just brought Lord and Lady Duveen to her home. Fannie rushed to her bedroom for iodine and bandages - then noticed Lady Duveen's new sable coat. She couldn't resist putting down the iodine and bandage and trying on the coat. And once, at a party, Madame Chiang Kai-Shek's perfume intrigued her.

Fannie went to the closet and moved her coat next to Madame Chiang's to capture the scent as a sample to submit when she went to buy some.

She had abiding faith in the honesty of people. During a collection for the Salvation Army at the Met, she took some money from her purse and made a contribution. Then she discovered her purse was missing. The next morning the Met notified her that her purse had been turned in. The keys and identity cards were intact, but \$140 in cash was gone.

Fannie Hurst's faith in people's honesty was unshaken: "I'm sure the finder gave the money to the Salvation Army."

Barbra Streisand will give a free concert in London's Battersea Park, similar to her Central Park concert last summer. . . Col. Oscar Reile, who headed the Nazis' intelligence operations in Occupied France, is in the U.S. now ready to publish his story. . . "Bound for Glory," by the late folksinger Woody Guthrie, will be filmed by Harold Hecht for United Artists. . . Robert Hooks will play a role in the next production of his Negro Ensemble Co. The troupe's artistic director, playwright Douglas Turner Ward, also will play a role.

Am. Vanderbilt and Curtis B. Kellar held their wedding reception Friday (March 1) aboard the Leonardo da Vinci. The bride's sole superstition is about owls. At her insistence their wedding cake will be adorned with an owl, instead of bride-and-groom.

Kirk Douglas will fly to Europe for the American Olympic Committee, then he'll tour Africa in behalf of the USIA. . . Reuben Lazarus' illness at Mount Sinai Hospital will prevent him from attending his 55th consecutive Legislative Correspondents Assn. dinner in Albany. . . Jacques Brel wrote a ballad for Jane Morgan to introduce at her Felt Forum show this weekend. . . June White is replacing Irene Pappas in "Iphigenia in Aulis" next month.

When Joe Nunan was collector

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of Internal Revenue, he attended a party where the host asked the guests to stand up. Then the host said: "Will all of you sit down now-except those who can honestly say that every income tax statement they filed was 100 per cent accurate". . . Every person in the room sat down.

After Benny Goodman's Philharmonic Hall concert March 17 he'll receive an honorary degree from the Illinois Institute of Technology. . . Arthur Kennedy, of Arthur Miller's "The Price," owns real estate in Nova Scotia, Florida, New York and California. He says: "Wherever I go I tell people I'm interested in real estate. People are nice. They show me around, and I buy". . . Dorothy Lamour's tour in "Hello, Dolly!" will play 112 cities in eight months.

My wife is at the Hambletonian Spa in Goshen. Another lady there said she'd seen our family on Ed Murrow's "Person to Person" show, in 1955: "And Mrs. Lyons, you look exactly the same today". . . "As long as you're lying," my wife replied, "Couldn't you say 'younger'?"

Arthur Schlesinger says that the only movies he sees in planes somehow have George Hamilton as the star. . . While Arnold Wesker's "The Four Seasons" is produced off-Broadway here, the playwright will be in Cuba directing the Havana production. . . Peter Arno once was asked why, in his cartoons, he never drew women who are sexy. "But the women in my cartoons are sexy," Arno replied, "To the men in my cartoons."

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## ORGANIZATION NEWS

### PROGRAM FOR BOYS

A ten-session program for boys in grades 4 to 6 in the Art of Self-Defense will start at the Jewish Community Center on Sunday, March 10, at 3 p.m.

The program will be directed by Bob Harootunian and Mike Dziob, who now direct the Center's Health Studio program. Center Accident Insurance is required for the program. Further information may be obtained by calling the Center office at 861-2674.

### TO AID CENTER DRIVE

For the next two Sundays, two community organizations will aid in the campaign. The Touro Fraternal Association, under the direction of co-chairmen Robert Halpert and Ben Poulten will meet at the Center on Sunday, March 10 at 10 a.m. for breakfast, and after a briefing will go out on the drive.

The Jewish War Veterans will collect for the campaign on Sunday, March 17. They will be under the direction of David Penn, department commander of the JWV, Department of Rhode Island.

### TO HOLD OPEN HOUSE

The Looking Glass Theatre will hold Open House on Sunday, March 10, from 2:30 to 4 p.m. at the Casino in Roger Williams Park.

Paint, clay, collage and costumes will be provided in different areas of the Casino. Folk singers will lead group singing.

Further information may be obtained by calling 781-1567.

### PURIM CARNIVAL

The Center's Annual Purim Carnival will be held at the Jewish Community Center on Sunday, March 10, from 2 to 4 p.m. The Children's Activities Committee will conduct the carnival which is open to elementary school children, their families and friends.



**ENGAGED:** Mrs. Benjamin Cohen of Alexandria, Va., announces the engagement of her daughter, Elaine Rona, to Samuel L. Aron, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Aron of Providence. Miss Cohen is also the daughter of the late Benjamin Cohen. A May 19 wedding is planned.

## Hold Differing Views On Israel's Relations With Common Market

BRUSSELS — Widely differing views on Israel's future relations with the Six Nation European Common Market were disclosed last week in a second report by the Market's working party on the question of Israel's relations with the European Economic Community.

The report was made to the six EEC representatives who were preparing the agenda for a meeting of the Council of Ministers. The Council is the policy-making body of Euromart.

Holland and West Germany proposed an agreement to grant free entry to Israeli products to the Common Market. France opposed that idea and suggested only an acceleration of tariff concessions, granted in the Kennedy round, on items of particular interest to Israel.

There will be a variety of carnival booths, and kosher refreshments will be served at a special "Cafe Shushan," set aside for adults.

### SPONSOR POSTER CONTEST

The Jewish Youth Council of the Jewish Community Center will sponsor a poster contest as part of its celebration of National Jewish Youth Month, from March 15 through April 15. The poster theme will have to do with the plight of the Jew's in today's Russia. Posters will be judged on the basis of attractiveness, message, composition and creativity.

"An Award of Recognition" will be given to the senior high school club which wins the contest, and the winning poster will be displayed in the Center lobby for the month.

Judges for the contest are Bennett Greenberg, chairman, Masada AZA; Michael Ferdman, Little Rhody AZA; Ellen Horovitz, Alpha Lambda Sorority; Diane Kaminsky, Young Judaea, and Claudia Summer, Dodeem BBG. Judges by invitation are Ross Grable, Spartans; Norman Tobin, Sigma Gamma Fraternity; Brian Kenner, Narragansett AZA, and Carole Young, Judy Ann Leven BBG, Michael Paynor is a committee member.

### RHODE ISLAND CLUB

The Rhode Island Club of Greater Miami will hold its regular monthly meeting on Sunday, March 10, at 7 p.m. at the Washington Federal auditorium, 1234 Washington Avenue.

A Purim Party will be held following a short business meeting. Holiday refreshments will be served.

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## Israeli Leaders Feel Indirect Bargaining With Cairo Has Been Virtually Exhausted

JERUSALEM — Israeli leaders believe that indirect bargaining with Cairo over procedural matters leading to possible peace talks has been virtually exhausted according to a New York Times' article.

The feeling in diplomatic circles is that the substantive matter — the peace talks themselves — must come next and that they cannot be conducted through the special United Nations intermediary, Dr. Gunnar V. Jarring.

The Israelis note that they have accepted the Security Council resolution of Nov. 22, which was to serve as a basis for talks, that they have agreed to negotiate through the United Nations envoy, that they have stated that the cease-fire lines are negotiable and that they have presented an agenda for the talks.

The key to the deadlock that is now hardening around Dr. Jarring's efforts, the Israelis say, is the question of secure and recognized boundaries. This cannot be handled indirectly, they insist.

The officials indicate that the Egyptians now seem somewhat less eager than they were two or three weeks ago to abandon the Jarring efforts and take the matter to the Security Council.

If they do, the officials say, Israel will open her files to show what she has offered in the way of establishing peace talks. Informed sources here say they sense a feeling that Dr. Jarring himself is eager to find a more practical means of negotiating than the constant shuttling from capital to capital.

The envoy, who is Sweden's Ambassador to Moscow, has had to make two and three trips to find agreement even on the wording of a sentence, according to the sources. If this is the case on procedural matters, they say, it would become vastly more complicated on substantive matters.

The view has been expressed in Jerusalem that the envoy might have done better to invite Israel and the United Arab Republic to send representatives to Nicosia, where he makes his headquarters, to conduct the bargaining. Some observers

believe he may yet attempt to do so.

The Israelis believe that part of Cairo's reluctance to agree to some formula for peace talks, even through a United Nations envoy, is based on the decisions of the Khartoum conference, where Arab leaders agreed not to negotiate with Israel. If anyone is able to find a means of bypassing that agreement, the Israelis believe, it is President Gamal Abdel Nasser.

Jordan seems willing to get to the substantive points, diplomatic sources say, but the leaders in Amman apparently are too weak to step ahead of President Nasser. Reports that the regime in Amman is swaying under the divisive impact of King Hussein's declaration last week of its intention to curb Jordanian-based terrorists seem to the Israelis to underline the point.

The sources here said that the agendas proposed to Cairo and Amman list topics to be discussed but do not offer terms. The subject of borders, is included, for example, but not the proposed borders. The agenda for talks with Cairo includes the question of the Suez canal and that for Amman refers to the status of the holy places in Jerusalem, refugees and Jordanian access to Mediterranean ports.

Israeli leaders accept the view that the Nov. 22 resolution calls for their withdrawal from the present ceasefire lines. They assert that it calls for a number of other points that have to be considered simultaneously.

One of these is the right to live in peace and within secure and recognized boundaries. The Israelis say that they cannot withdraw until the boundaries are fixed, and that the lines cannot be fixed until peace talks take place.

One Israeli leader remarked that by refusing to accept even triangular negotiations, which entails the presence of a United Nations envoy, the Arabs had retreated behind the 1949 situation, when the armistice lines were fixed by such negotiations.

He said that Israel had informed Dr. Jarring that the permanent borders were subject

to negotiation.

Another Israeli said: "You wouldn't buy a secondhand car through an intermediary. Why settle borders that way?"

### ACHES AND PAINS

TEL AVIV — If Israelis rarely think of their country as Asiatic, they were reminded of their geographical location last week when health authorities announced that the current outbreak of Asian variety flu reached epidemic proportions. The incidence of cases was mounting daily, but the disease, in most instances, was mild.

## Accuses Israeli Press Of Doing Utmost To Destroy Image Of WZO

TEL AVIV — The Israeli press was accused by Dr. Nahum Goldmann here last week of "doing its utmost to destroy the image of the World Zionist Organization." Dr. Goldmann, who is president of the WZO, addressed an assemblage of Jewish journalist from Israel and 13 foreign countries at a dinner marking the close of the World Conference of Jewish Journalists.

In making his charge against the Israeli press, the Zionist leader referred specifically to demands that the Zionist Organization relinquish to the Israel Government the tasks of immigration and immigrant absorption. These functions are now handled by the Jewish Agency, executive arm of the WZO, which Dr. Goldmann pointed out, is a voluntary organization in contrast to the Israel Government which is a sovereign political body. Dr. Goldmann also assailed other critics of the Jewish Agency and the WZO.

Both of these organizations largely represent Diaspora Jewry, and Dr. Goldmann noted, it was in the area of future relations between Israel and Jews abroad that he felt the greatest anxiety. "One cannot come to Diaspora Jewry and say only, 'give,'" Dr. Goldmann said. "Diaspora Jewry must have a say

## Israel's Minister Of Labor Asks For 'Aliyah' From West

NEW YORK — Declaring that Israel's basic priority need is the settlement of more Jews in the country, Gen. Yigal Allon, Israel's Minister of Labor, pleaded recently for "aliyah" (immigration) from American and other Western countries.

The visiting Israel Cabinet member, hero of Israel's 1948 War of Liberation speaking to a Brooklyn Jewish group, said "Israel's basic need has been, even before the Six-Day War, and since then even more so, the crying need for the settlement of Jews in Israel from all over the world."

"The number of potential

immigrants from the countries of oppression — Europe, Africa and Asia — has all but dried up. There are only two possible sources for Israel's immediate needs: The large reservoir of Jews in countries behind the Iron Curtain and the affluent countries of the West.

"As the possibility of immigration from behind the Iron Curtain is now closed, and we have no idea of when it will be opened, the one remaining source for immigration now are the Western countries."

Allon, visiting the United States on behalf of the United Jewish Appeal, said, "Western Jewry has a vast reservoir of highly talented and academically trained skilled workers who can make a most valuable contribution to the development of Israel as a modern, scientific society and state."

Admitting that the standard of living that Israel can offer to potential immigrants "is, on the whole lower than that prevailing on the American continent," Allon said that "great progress has already been made and the Israel standard of living is now close to that of the Western countries."

He said that there are compensations for new immigrants to Israel, that in Israel there is "a standard of cultural, social and educational facilities, comparable to that which is generally available in the U.S."

Allon said, "The Israel Government is making every possible effort to make immigration to Israel attractive to Jews from the affluent Western countries. The main factor for successful integration into life in Israel is suitable employment."

"To this end, the Government and the Jewish Agency have set up a number of modern fully-equipped reception centers for new immigrants and their families where the newcomers can spend six months learning the Hebrew language, with their room and board fully covered. During this time employment opportunities can be finalized."

Allon said that a number of specific economic incentives are now being offered to newcomers. Legislation is now before the Knesset (Parliament) providing for:

**Income Tax:** Newcomers will be given tax exemptions on their monthly income for the first year, two-thirds exemption for the second year, and one-third exemption for the third year.

**Home and personal property exemptions:** For the first five years, new immigrants will pay only one-third of the Government property tax on homes and business or professional properties. They will also be exempt from municipal property tax.

**Business investments:** For those interested in investing in businesses in Israel, whether large investors or middle class businessmen, Israel has formulated "a very attractive set of incentives that should make for successful and profitable business ventures that will further provide new job opportunities."

**Housing:** New housing on a rental basis will be provided for new immigrants. The newcomers will have an option to purchase after three years. "Previously, rental housing was almost impossible to get in Israel," Allon said.

**Job security:** Special protection for the new immigrant in their jobs, in the face of the "last in, first out" principle that is basic employment practice in Israel, will be cushioned by automatically giving the newcomers credit for two extra years of service during their first three years of employment.

**Schooling:** Immigrant children will receive free high school and college tuition for the first three years.

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## Director Of Jerusalem YM-YWHA Describes Enrollment Of 'First Lady'

By Dr. M. Bernard Resnikoff (Dr. Resnikoff, an American social worker and educator, is the executive director of the Jerusalem YM-YWHA)

As soon as she came into the office, sitting stiffly at my desk, two things struck me, her hands and her eyes. Her hands were worn and rough. They were, I thought, the hands of a 60 year-old peasant woman but, as I was to learn, she was only 38. You knew at once that she had had a hard life and her hands prepared me for her unfolding story.

The other thing was her eyes. As blue as the Jerusalem skies, they were bright, intelligent, knowing, even merry. They were the eyes of a woman who had known hardships but kept a perspective; who had faced and braved the necessities of life. Someone once said this was the true definition of character.

When she came into the brand new building of the Jerusalem YM & YWHA, she asked for me by name, even though we have a membership secretary (the first such post in the country) who provides the information she was seeking. But she is the friend of my Iraqi maid and, following the custom of the land, she felt, innocently and without guile, that this could be the beginning of protektzia.

We settled back and I asked her what she knew about the Y and how she thought I could help her. She spoke easily, freely but just a bit deferentially. (She was, I thought, a little intimidated by the size and appointments of the office - but that's good.)

Her name, she said, was Bruria Siman Tov, and she and her husband, Rachamim and their family were brought here from Morocco in 1952. There are six children, 4 boys and 2 girls, Zecharia, age 20, Nissim, age 18, Simcha, age 16, Mazal, age 13, and the two little ones, Menasha and Obadiah, aged respectively 10 and 8. The entire family of eight live in an unheated, 2 1/2 room apartment within walking distance of the Y. Her husband has no marketable skill although he can quote whole passages from the Bible by heart and did some teaching at one time. Right now, he has a part-time job with the office of the Chief Rabbinate, issuing phylacteries at the Western Wall to those requesting them. Ends are not really met by the housework she does three times weekly.

She had two specific reasons for coming. She had heard from her friend that the Y would be operating a branch of the municipal library and she wanted to know if her children could come to the Y to do their homework every day. There is no room at home to do homework properly and education is so very important. Besides, the Y would be warm and the Jerusalem dampness penetrates layers of sweaters. Also the library is well lighted and there would be reference books and daily newspapers. I assured her this would be entirely possible and that we were even planning to have trained teachers assist children with their homework. Those merry eyes began to dance.

The other reason was her son Nissim. He is really a good boy but he has fallen in with a band of pushtakim (the closest English equivalent is "hoods") and she is worried about him. He dropped out of high school to help support the family but could not find work. She supposed this was because he wasn't trained for anything and unemployment is so high. Could we do something for him? At the very least, she would feel better to know her son is spending his free time in such a fine building, under the care of good teachers and leaders.

I invited Moshe, our membership secretary, to join us at this point, and got him to describe the group vocational guidance program we were planning. He went on to describe our athletic activities, so dear to the heart of Moroccan young men - boxing, wrestling, weight-lifting, swimming, basketball, maybe even fencing. Those eyes sparkled. She

thought it was such a fine idea to have one place where all her children could go; right now, there are separate institutions for separate activities. That's so, Moshe acknowledged, and he quickly pointed out that there were activities for her as well. At first, she was deprecating and couldn't grasp at all that we were ready to serve her. But when Moshe began describing the activities planned for adults, her eyes grew bigger and she became more and more animated. What excited her the most, in this order, were: group lessons in operating a sewing machine; swimming instruction while a group leader organizes games for the little ones; and an evening class in reading Hebrew. Oh, if she could only read!

When Moshe began carefully to explain the membership organization of the Y and what dues she would have to pay, catastrophe struck. Pay? Pay? You mean I have to pay? You don't have to pay for school, nor for Kupat Cholim, nor for Tipat Chalav. Why, her little Menasha goes to a municipal neighborhood center and he doesn't have to pay there. Why do you have to pay here?

Fortunately, Moshe had been well prepared and he patiently explained how the Jerusalem Y was created and built by many individual Jews and Jewish Community Centers all over North America under the leadership of the World Federation of YMHAs and Jewish Community Centers, of which the National Jewish Welfare Board is the American member. Maybe they haven't raised all the money needed but we are confident they will. But to operate the building is our job and membership dues is part of the way we do it, especially because we are not part of the government, nor of the municipality, nor of Histadrut, nor of the Jewish Agency.

We are on our own and the members themselves must not only support the building but even help decide what takes place through committee participation (this last was completely over her head). Now if she couldn't afford to pay all the dues, then this could be worked out and Moshe explained how reductions are offered in the same way as high school fees are set according to means, as was surely done for Nissim while he was in high school. We could also arrange for monthly payments, if that would help. With those dazzling eyes, now darting, now staring, you could see her calculating both her capacity to meet this cost as well as her capacity to wrangle a greater reduction (perfectly respectable in this Near East country) but she quickly learned that this new institution does things differently.

After a tour of the building - the lounges, the meeting rooms, the gym, the cafeteria, the workshops, the exercise rooms, the pool and all - she made up her mind. You could see it in the angle of her body. She asked Moshe to fill out the application form for her but she wanted him to know that she could sign her name.

Mrs. Siman Tov was the first female adult to sign up in the new Jerusalem Y since enrollment began.

The First Lady, you might say.

### TO ASSESS WAR CLAIMS

JERUSALEM — The Cabinet has appointed a special ministerial committee to study the claims of various religious groups in Israel for repairs to damages suffered by church buildings in the Six-Day War. Although no official sum was given, it was learned that the claims amount to \$1 million. The committee will submit recommendations as to whether aid should be given, and in what form. The Cabinet was told that only a few isolated claims had been received from Moslem religious authorities for damages to mosques, and that these have been dealt with by the Ministry for Religious Affairs.

## Calls Treatment Of Jews Shocking

LONDON — Sir Barnett Janner, chairman of the foreign affairs committee of the Board of Deputies of British Jews, told a meeting of the board here that he had confirmation that "Nazi-like methods" were being used against Egyptian Jews imprisoned since last June's war and against their families and other Jews remaining in Egypt.

Sir Barnett said it was "shocking" that such harsh treatment was accorded Egyptian Jews, many of whose families have lived in that country for generations. But it is not surprising, he added, in view of the evidence that Nazi war criminals resident in Egypt have "played a significant role in Egyptian propaganda."

### PRIZE AUTHORS

MEXICO CITY - Leib Feinberg and Kaïda Molodowsky of New York, Yiddish poets, and Tzvi Swat and J. D. Rubín of Israel, Hebrew writers, were awarded here the annual Gregorio Kessel Awards for literature for 1967. Mr. Swat and Mr. Feinberg each received the full \$500 prize that goes with the award. The two other recipients, Miss Molodowsky and Mr. Rubín, got \$250 each, sharing one of the full prizes.

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DIVES IN SUB  
HAIFA — Prime Minister Levi Eshkol spent 40 minutes under the sea last week. He made a short cruise aboard the submarine Leviathan during the

course of a visit to Israeli naval installations. The Leviathan, a British-built sub, is a sister ship of the Dakar which disappeared at sea last month with 69 men aboard.



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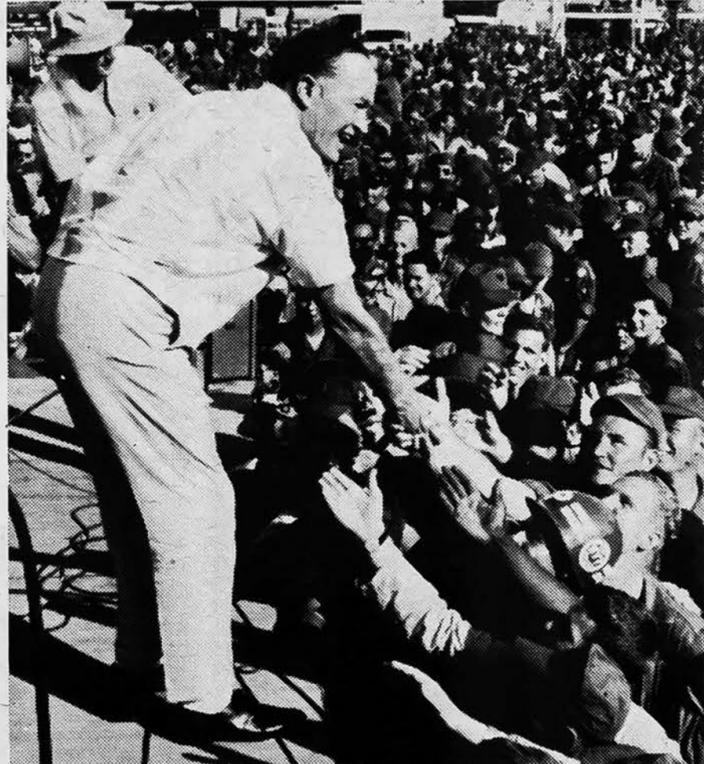
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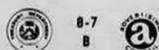
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# Your Money's Worth

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be obtained by mailing in "donations." These aren't donations; they are purchases.

The Treasury also points out that the fact that you don't use a theatre, luncheon, etc. ticket but instead give it away to an employe or friend or relative doesn't permit you to deduct the full amount as a contribution. Even though you meant to make a donation and never intended to use the ticket, you still can deduct only the amount paid in excess of its value. So in the future, if you are asked to buy a ticket to a charitable event which you don't intend to use, it may be wise tax strategy to refuse the ticket and just make a straight donation. Or if you wish, donate to another charity the ticket you buy.

A popular method raising money for a charity is through the sale of raffle tickets. And most of us who buy do so with the prime purpose of making a charitable contribution and with the understanding that our chances of winning are remote.

But regardless of your motive, if you take the raffle tickets, you cannot get a charitable deduction for the money you paid. In 1967, court decisions agreed with this Treasury view.

Keep this in mind when listing your charitable deductions for 1967 and in 1968, consider making outright contributions of money instead of buying raffle tickets.

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## CASUALTIES

New Tax Court decisions are broadening the tax deductions you can claim for casualty losses well beyond the usual damage caused by flood, fire, storm, theft, etc.

Damage resulting from common, household-type mishaps also can produce a deductible loss to the extent the damage exceeds \$100, the Tax court believes. This is contrary to the Treasury's efforts to bar casualty loss deductions for the ordinary, everyday household accident. If you suffered over \$100 of damages in a household-type accident and are willing to fight, if necessary, for the deduction of the over-\$100 portion, you will find a favorably inclined Tax Court.

In 1966, the Tax Court upheld a \$1,000 casualty loss for a housewife whose husband had accidentally dropped her diamond ring into a garbage disposal while helping with the dishes. In 1967, the same court allowed a \$1,200 casualty loss when a car door was accidentally slammed on a wife's finger with the resulting loss of her ring.

In discussing the door-slammng accident, the court said a loss doesn't have to be "cataclysmic" to be a deductible casualty. Minor losses can be deductible too. The court even suggested that Johnny's tearing out of the knee of his new suit on the way to church could theoretically be a deductible casualty loss to the extent it topped \$100.

So recheck your records and

memory. Don't look only for losses caused by thefts, freezing, rain, flood, etc. to your property, but also for any accidental loss exceeding \$100 in everyday household accidents.

There is one type of ordinary household damage for which both the courts and the Treasury bar a casualty loss, though — that caused by carpet beetles, moths, termites, Dutch Elm diseases. The reasoning is that this type of damage isn't sudden enough to be an accident and is instead the result of a progressive deterioration of property. If you have these losses, your chances of getting a deduction are scant.

If you have had any substantial casualty losses, be sure to get an independent appraisal of the value of the property before and after the casualty. If you don't take this precaution, your loss deduction may be questioned in a later year when it is difficult to get a timely and accurate appraisal. An added incentive for getting an appraisal: the cost is fully deductible.

You cannot get a casualty loss deduction for a temporary drop in property value that is caused by temporary buyer resistance as a result of a casualty. For instance, a landslide near the Pulver house did not physically harm the house — but it did cut its value because potential buyers were afraid of further landslides. This drop in value could not be deducted as a "real" loss, said the Tax Court, because there was no actual physical damage to the Pulver house, only a mere fluctuation in value. In earlier cases, the court also ruled out a loss deduction for a temporary drop in value — even in instances where the property actually was damaged.

The only loss that can be claimed, according to the court, is the "real", long-term drop in value caused by the casualty.

One final caution about casualty losses: if you are unfortunate enough to suffer property damage between Jan. 1 and April 15 of this year inclusive — as a result of a natural disaster — you may be able to deduct this loss on your 1967 return instead of waiting to deduct it in the ordinary way on your 1968 return. (You won't file your 1968 return until the spring of 1969, remember.)

To qualify for this special treatment — which will give you immediate help through an immediate tax deduction — the damage must result from a flood, hurricane, etc., officially declared by the President to be a major disaster. (Distributed 1968, Publishers-Hall Syndicate) (All Rights Reserved)

## ORGANIZATION NEWS

### PIONEER WOMEN

Pioneer Women will hold their board meeting on Tuesday, March 12, at 1 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Maurice Schwartz of 45 Sackett Street.

### APPOINTS DELEGATES

Commander Morton Hamer of the Reback-Winsten Post of Pawtucket, JWV, appointed delegates to participate with him in the Jewish Community Center Drive on Sunday, March 17. They are David Schwartz, Kurt Reiner, Aaron Feinman, Aaron Mittleman, Joseph Elowitz and Monroe Abowitz.

### REPORT MEETING

Roger Williams Chapter, B'nai B'rith Women, will hold its final report meeting on the Annual Quota Dinner on Tuesday, March 12, at the home of Mrs. Benton Odessa of 27 Dryden Avenue, Pawtucket. Reports will be given from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. and brunch will be served.

### TO HOLD DINNER

The Emerson College Alumni Club of Rhode Island will hold a dinner-reception in honor of its recently installed president and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Chapin, on Sunday, March 24, at the Golden Lantern in Warwick. Attending the affair, which will start at 5 p.m., will be Eugene Teixiera, director of development, and Robert Gatti, director of alumni relations, both of Boston.

Chairman of the dinner-reception is Mrs. Bruce Selya of Lincoln. Co-chairman is Mrs. Benjamin Furman of Warwick.

### ANNUAL PURIM PARTY

The showing of two new films on Israel will be the highlight of the Annual Purim Party of the Providence District Committee of the Workmen's Circle to be held on Sunday, March 17, at 8 p.m. at the Jewish Community Center. The films are "The Six-Day War," and "New Frontiers."

Julius Bernstein, regional director of the Jewish Labor Committee, will give a brief talk, and holiday refreshments will be served. Jacob B. Rothenberg is chairman of the arrangements committee. Serving on the committee are Robert Fine, William Korman, Jacob Pavlow, Fred Gallup, Hyman Sugerman, Louis L. Rottenberg, Louis

Jenkins and Mrs. Rebecca Fine and Mrs. Miriam Leib.

### TO HOLD MEETING

The Business and Professional Group of Hadassah will hold its Purim meeting on Sunday, March 10 at 2:30 p.m. at the Sheraton-Biltmore Hotel. A Purim program will be presented. Miss Ida Garr will preside.

### R.I. SELFHELP

Dr. Paul Meumann will present a personalized picture report of his own, "The Golden West," at the Purim Party of Rhode Island Selfhelp on Sunday, March 10, at 8 p.m. at Congregation Mishkon Tfiloh. Refreshments will be served.

## CROSSWORD PUZZLE

LAST WEEKS  
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### ACROSS

1. Ecclesiastical surplice
6. Goad
10. Egg-shaped
11. Cavity
12. French novelist
13. Dwarf
14. Voided escutcheon
15. Subtle emanations
16. Music note
17. Close noisily
19. Newspaperman
22. Chokes
26. Undershot waterwheel
27. Reigning beauty
28. Allowance for waste
29. Incoherent uproar
30. Work hard
32. Chinese river
33. Men of learning
36. Final
38. Across
39. Chinese laborer
41. Solitary
42. Musical instrument
43. Was in debt
44. Fat

### DOWN

1. Hall
2. Elliptical

3. Melody
4. Muscular twitch
5. Beverage
6. What Rand's Atlas did
7. Teem
8. Fore-arm bone
9. Soaks flax
12. Instigate
15. Indefinite article
17. Large snake
18. Land measure
20. Anger
21. Giggled
23. Entire
24. Glazed, nearly transparent paper
25. Brew
27. Bengal quince
29. Twice: prefix
31. Mouth
33. Aria
34. Affirm

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35. Dancer Kelly
36. Theater seat
37. Exclamation
39. Cry of a dove
40. Sphere

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## Biophysicist Points To Need For 'Man-Made Evolution'

WASHINGTON, D.C. — Warning that Israel may not "always be strong enough to defend itself against the overwhelming numbers of men and material poised along its borders," Myer Feldman, former advisor to Presidents Johnson and Kennedy, called for a policy of American involvement in the Middle East which would include arming the Israelis to prove the futility of Russian armament of the Arabs.

He emphasized that "we cannot be spectators at the war games being played along the Nile and the Jordan," and underscored that American policy should not "use the Middle East as a pawn in the power game in Asia."

He predicted "peace will come to the troubled area" of the Middle East if the United States refuses "to be blackmailed by threats of commercial retaliation" and refuses to be swayed by "political opportunism," of seeking "an accommodation to Arab pressure," in order "to obtain Arab support at the United Nations."

Mr. Feldman, former counsel to President Lyndon B. Johnson and former deputy special counsel to President John F. Kennedy, was a principal speaker, on Nov. 19, together with Dr. Aharon Katchalsky-Katzir, head of Polymer Research at the Weizmann Institute of Science, at the annual dinner of the Washington Committee for the institute.

That total extermination of Israel was the aim of the Arabs in the war, "broadcast by Arab radio day and night and beamed to Israel in the Hebrew language," was confirmed by Dr. Katchalsky-Katzir, newly arrived from Rehovoth, Israel. Dr. Katchalsky-Katzir is the President of the International Union of Pure and Applied Biophysics and President of the Israel Academy of Science and Humanities.

It was also disclosed that the campus of internationally renowned Weizmann Institute of Science at Rehovoth, Israel, whose 16 departments are devoted to research solely for peaceful purposes, to advance human welfare, was a principal target for destruction by the Arabs.

Both Dr. Katchalsky-Katzir and Mr. Feldman underscored the role of science as a catalyst for development of Israel, the Middle East region and new States generally.

Dr. Katchalsky-Katzir called for "a man-made evolution," with science as its base, as "the ethical imperative of our time." He called for a "concentrated effort of scientists, humanists and teachers to pave the way for world scientific," com-

patible with "a universal ethical set of values," and "without cultural destruction." He expressed the belief that, properly oriented, "all unselected human groups can master the scientific method" under "proper conditions" and "correct educational methods."

Of 120 nations comprising the United Nations, he said, only about 30 are producers of science and technology; 90 nations live on the bounty of others. One billion dollars have been expended by U.N. authorities, "with meagre and discouraging results," in an attempt to raise living standards. Today 800 million people enjoy a decent living standard, but 2,000 million "suffer hopelessly from emaciation and disease or outright starvation."

Mr. Feldman asked for unwavering United States support for direct negotiations for Arab-Israeli peace, underlining that:

"By cultural and political ties, by solemn promise, by pure self-interest the Middle East requires American involvement. This has been recognized by the commitments of at least four Presidents, at least 20 times in private and in public. We cannot be spectators at the war games being played along the Nile and the Jordan.

"If we stand firm behind our commitments — if we do not waver in our support of the right of parties to a conflict to negotiate between themselves — if we prove the futility of Russian armament of Arabs by arming the Israelis; if we press forward on regional economic projects such as desalination; if we refuse to be blackmailed by threats of commercial retaliation — I am confident peace will come to that troubled area.

"It will certainly not be within the next six months. It may not be within the next year. But firmness and resolution in the face of pressure from Arab States and their friends will be rewarded in the end."

Pessimistic about the world outlook and impending "new crises of great magnitude," he suggested "patience with fortitude," the first test of which is in the Middle East.

The internationally famed Israeli scientist called for an expansion of the uses of science to conquer the physical desert and human desert in Israel, and to put to use the knowledge thus gained for the benefit of its neighbors and other underdeveloped States.

Foreseeing a very hard struggle ahead for Israel, despite "all the dramatic and miraculous events," Dr. Katchalsky-Katzir said, "Israel needs science very

badly for every aspect of its life."

He talked about the need to populate the desert, to establish conditions enabling man to survive there and the urgency of desalinating water.

"The man-made desert," he said, "has been fully reclaimed. We have converted it into beautiful arable land, a base for industry and for agriculture."

The problem is "the old classical desert. We want to pump water from the Jordan River, in spite of the political problems. But, if you pump water from parts of the Jordan you must desalinate."

Current desalination methods are costly. At the Weizmann Institute Dr. Katchalsky-Katzir's Department is seeking to perfect a method of desalination based on the way plants and bacteria do it.

Research is also going on at the Institute on temperatures at which man can survive in the desert; new methods of mining copper and other minerals, Dr. Katchalsky-Katzir said.

The injection of scientific concepts into education is a paramount need for Israel, he said, if it is to be able to absorb an immigrant population from 102 countries speaking 70 languages, some 55 per cent of whom come from desert countries, underdeveloped countries.

"They come from rather primitive backgrounds. Their percentage increases. We have to absorb them. Slowly we realize that making them an integral part of a highly developed self-sustaining and self-supporting country requires that we should inject scientific concepts into education. This is a primary requirement to change the minds of the primitives; to make them part of us. And this may be applied to and amplified for our neighbors."

## Egypt Increases Production Of Oil In Gulf Of Suez

LONDON — Egypt, with the aid of the Standard Oil Co. of Indiana, is increasing her production of oil in the Gulf of Suez at a rate that will yield 50,000 barrels a day more than is required for internal consumption by next Fall, the Daily Telegraph reported last week.

The Telegraph also reported that Israel too now has sufficient oil to meet her domestic needs as a result of her intense exploitation of the captured El Bilalim oil fields in the Sinai.

"A tanker leaves El Bilalim (on the Gulf of Suez) every four days for Eilat and this is doubtless one of many reasons why (Israel) does not want to give up the otherwise barren peninsula," according to the Telegraph.

The paper referred to the El Morgan oil field in which, it said, Standard of Indiana has invested over \$60 million since the field was discovered in February, 1965.

"The Americans work in partnership with the Egyptian General Oil Corp. and oil produced is shared between them. The American company, however, pays a 50% tax on their net profits to the Egyptian Government," the Telegraph reported.

The paper noted that Egypt was able to maintain oil production at the rate of 7,000 tons a day even during last June's War, and the average production from the El Morgan field is now more than double that at 15,500 tons per day.

"It is assumed that oil production will continue to increase throughout the year until by next Fall it will be 200,000 barrels a day," the Telegraph said.

The New York Times, quoting diplomatic sources, reported from Cairo Sunday that Egypt's expanding oil production is strengthening President Nasser's hand in the Middle East deadlock and will offset the economic cost of Israel's seizure of the Sinai Peninsula, estimated at \$50 million in oil production per year.

Helping Egypt's economic comeback are repairs to Suez refineries that were shelled and destroyed by Israel in reprisal

## Announce Cast For Play Of Trinity Square Company

Rehearsals are now underway for the Trinity Square Repertory Company production of Henrik Ibsen's "An Enemy of the People", adapted by Arthur Miller. Opening Thursday, March 21, at the Rhode Island School of Design Theatre, "An Enemy of the People" will be directed by Trinity's artistic director Adrian Hall, with sets designed by Eugene Lee, lighting by Roger Morgan, and costumes by John Lehmyer. The drama, the fifth production of the current season of Rhode Island's resident professional theatre, will run through April 13.

The cast, composed of members of the Trinity Square Resident Acting Company, includes William Cain as Dr. Stockman; Robert J. Colonna as Aslaksen; Ronald C. Frazier as Billing; James Gallery as Peter

Stockman; Ed Hall as Hoystad; Barbara Orson as Catherine Stockman, and Anthony Palmer as Captain Horster. Returning to the Trinity Acting Company for this production is Donald Somers, last seen as the Archbishop of Rheims in "Saint Joan", who will play Morten Kull. Also returning is Stephen Knox, seen during the 1966-67 season in "Ah, Wilderness!" and "The Grass Harp", who will portray Ejlif Stockman. New to the Company is Andra Akers (offstage, Mrs. Ronald Frazier), who will be seen as Petra Stockman.

The drama by the noted Norwegian playwright will be the third and final production this season to be presented to 40,000 Rhode Island senior high school students under Project Discovery. Performances for the students will begin March 19.

## Bishops' Statement On Passion Plays

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conceal the fact that Jesus is a Jew and that His friends as well as His enemies in the drama are Jews; 2) to create the impression that most Jews of Jesus' day willed His death, failing to show that the secrecy surrounding much of Jesus' trial was motivated by the large following He had in Jerusalem; 3) to change the "crowd" before the governor's palace into a screaming "mob," as representing all Jerusalem, and indeed all Israel; 4) to depict Pilate, whom historiography has shown to have been a ruthless

tyrant, as an innocent and kindly bystander; 5) to highlight those texts of the gospel narrative that are amenable to misinterpretation by uninformed audiences, such as "His blood be upon us and upon our children" (Matt 27, 25).

It is also possible, in the characterizations, type-casting and costuming of passion plays to have the Jewish enemies of Jesus appear and behave in a manner that would seem to cast an aspersion on the Jewish people. A sample of this device may be seen in certain plays which strive by means of caricature to display Jesus' enemies as unattractive figures and His followers as handsome and appealing types.

Passion plays, and sermons and teachings on the Passion, involve more than a question of Catholic-Jewish relations. Indeed, they involve the very concept of an authentic Catholic spirituality. Christian pastors and educators are bound to preach and teach Christ crucified, but in so doing must never divert the eyes of the faithful from the love and victory of Christ to the deeds of men, be they Jews or Gentile. Rather must they try to increase in the hearts of their audiences a greater love of God and of men, reminding them that those who played a part in the Passion drama were, in the Christian view, representatives of all of us.

## Renew Demonstrations Against Autopsies

JERUSALEM — Ultra-Orthodox groups renewed their demonstrations against autopsies at a rally recently attended by more than 4,000 persons. At the same time, posters appeared in Jerusalem streets accusing doctors of selling human limbs for profit. The Orthodox protests had been suspended during the Six-Day War.

The Orthodox groups are demanding revision of the present law which permits physicians to order autopsies without prior consent of the deceased or his family in cases where there are overwhelming medical or scientific reasons for autopsy or the suspicion of foul play.

The law requires that three physicians concur in the need for autopsy. The Orthodox contend that autopsies should not be permitted under any circumstances without written consent from the patient prior to death or from his family after death.

The Israel Physicians Association has asked Prime Minister Levi Eshkol to take steps to protect the medical profession and the reputations of doctors from "a smear campaign by certain fanatic elements."

**DESALINATION DELAYED**  
JERUSALEM — An atomic-powered sea water desalination and electric generating plant to be built in Israel and the United States will not be ready until 1975, but will have an electric output of 300 megawatts, 50 per cent greater than originally planned, James Ramey, member of the U.S. Atomic Energy Commission, said recently.

## Denies Msgr. Roncalli Issued False Certificates

ROME — An American author's statement that Msgr. Angelo Roncalli, who later became Pope John XXIII, issued thousands of false baptismal certificates to enable Jews to escape from the nazis during World War II was denied recently in a newspaper report which said that he used other means for that purpose.

The denial was made by Luciano Bresclani who served in the secretarial office of Roncalli when the latter was Papal Delegate in Sofia, Bulgaria, and later in Istanbul, between 1930 and 1944. Bresclani said, however, that the future Pope had instructed him to issue "laissez passer" documents to Jews in the Balkan countries on the basis of which they could receive transit visas to Palestine from the Turkish Government.

The assertion that Roncalli sent false baptismal certificates "by the thousands" to the Papal Nuncio in Budapest for the distribution to Jews was made by Arthur D. Morse in his book, "While Six Million Died," just published in the United States. Bresclani, who provided Morse with information for his book, said that "Monsignore Roncalli was too dedicated to truth to say

even one lie or to resort to subterfuge."

Bresclani told of one episode in which Roncalli's personal intervention saved the lives of some 20 Jews who had succeeded in escaping to Bulgaria in 1944. Their extradition was demanded by the Germans. Roncalli in a personal letter to King Boris of Bulgaria asked that the ruler refuse. The King cooperated and helped the Jews obtain Turkish transit visas. Bresclani insisted that he never mentioned baptismal certificates to Morse.

**AUSTRALIAN NAZI PARTIES**  
SYDNEY — Two Nazi parties, which style themselves National Socialists, are operating in Australia, one in Sydney and the other in Canberra, the capital, it was reported by the New South Wales Jewish Board of Deputies. The two parties are separate organizations. The one in Sydney is led by Arthur Smith. Its counterpart in Canberra, headed by E. Cathron of the Australian National University, calls itself the National Socialist Party of Australia. It is reported to have four members.

Send a Herald each week to your son in the service.

## Purim Services Start Wednesday

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Robinson, Lynn Shuster and Sherry Silverman.

The Megilla will be read again at the service on Purim morning at 6:30 o'clock in the chapel.

**TEMPLE BETH DAVID**  
The Megilla Reading at Temple Beth David will take place at 6 p.m. on Wednesday and will be followed by a Purim Party for the children of the Hebrew school.

Purim morning services will be held on Thursday morning at 6:45 o'clock.

**TEMPLE BETH EL**  
At Temple Beth El a Gala Purim Night will be held on Wednesday with the Megilla service scheduled for 7 p.m. The evening will include also a costume parade, and operetta and holiday refreshments.

The Temple Brotherhood will give gifts to children who participate in the costume parade, and there will be prizes for the most imaginative costumes.

**TEMPLE BETH ISRAEL**  
The reading of the Megilla at Temple Beth Israel will take place on Wednesday at 7 p.m. and the Purim service on Thursday morning will start at 7 o'clock.

**TEMPLE EMANU-EL**  
Purim services will be held at Temple Emanu-El at 7 p.m. on Wednesday in the main synagogue. Cantor Joseph S. Lourie will read the Megilla.

**BROTHER SENTENCED**  
**TEL AVIV** — A military court imposed a four-year prison sentence on a West Bank Arab who was found guilty of harboring an El Fatah terrorist, who was his brother, and of having firearms on his premises. The

brother had taken part in attacks on Israeli security forces and was killed in one of the encounters. The court refused to accept the defendant's claim that he was unaware of his brother's terrorist activities because of the firearms found.

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## Organize Taxpayers' Action Committee To Oppose State Personal Income Tax

Mr. Francis Bushell of 14 Montcalm Road, Warwick, has announced the organization of The Rhode Island Taxpayers' Action Committee to oppose the Personal Income Tax in Rhode Island. The first meeting of the organizing group was held on Feb. 19, by a number of citizens who felt that the proposed increase of \$38 million in the state budget was not only far beyond reason but was unnecessary and required taxes far beyond the value of the benefits expected. Among those present at the first meeting were Fred Fleury of Coventry, John Walker of Wickford, John Perrino and George Schofield of Cranston, Agnes McMahon, Wilfred Hagerty, George Ingram, Russell Johnson of Warwick; Donald Dreier, Norman Johnson of Barrington, Edward Donilon, Clement Williamson, Olof Anderson, Arthur Milot and Bob DiPippo of Providence. Also present from Providence were Charles Eden and Chris Littlefield, William Munson of East Greenwich and Jack Moody of Warren, Rhode Island.

The purpose of the Committee is to have state expenditures for next year limited to the expected income from present taxes and to prevent any increase in taxes or imposition of any new taxes.

A regional and local committee organization is now being formed so that there will be active committees in every representative district and senatorial district in the state. The purpose of these committees will be to provide information in regard to state expenditures, to present data in respect to various taxes and to encourage the signing of petitions by local

citizens in opposition to the income tax and in favor of holding the expenditure line.

Financing of the Committee will be by voluntary contributions and it is hoped that the average taxpayer will be willing to contribute from \$1 to \$5 each for membership which includes subscription to the committee's newspaper. Whether or not the newspaper continues beyond its first issue will be dependent on the number of subscriptions obtained.

An active program of regional and local seminars for participation by the average worker and citizen will be organized and the first of these will be held at Rhodes-on-the-Pawtuxet on March 13. State senators and representatives will be invited to attend.

This Committee includes many of the workers who assisted in the fight against the Income Tax proposed by Governor Notte in 1962 which was called "The Committee for a More Prosperous Rhode Island". It is hoped that many of the 23,000 taxpayers who signed the petitions six years ago will become workers in the committee's activities.

The Committee is concerned with the absence of complete and unbiased presentation of opinions and data relative to the amount of spending in the State and the desirability of various types of taxes. The Taxpayers News will present factual data from such sources as publicly released information by the State, the studies of the Rhode Island Public Expenditure Council and opinions from knowledgeable citizens within the State.

## Herald Recipes

### ORANGE-PINEAPPLE-SHERBERT MOLD

3 qt. mold  
 4 pkg. Orange Gelatin, small  
 1 can crushed Pineapple, small, drained  
 Juice from Pineapple  
 3 cans Mandarin Oranges, drained - reserve juice  
 1 qt Orange Sherbert

In saucepan, add enough water to juices to make 3 cups liquid; bring to a boil, remove from heat and dissolve gelatin. Add 3 cups cold water and sherbert; mix well until sherbert is thoroughly blended. Refrigerate until slightly set. Fold in fruits. Pour into mold and refrigerate until set. Decorate as desired.

Mrs. Newell Smith

### RASPBERRY GELATIN MOLD

4 qt Mold, greased  
 2 pkg Orange Gelatin  
 1 pkg Lemon Gelatin  
 2 c boiling Water  
 1 pt Orange Sherbert  
 2 cans crushed Pineapple, med. size - drain  
 Juice from Pineapple  
 1 pkg frozen Raspberries, thawed - drain  
 Juice from Raspberries

Dissolve gelatin in boiling water. Add sherbert and stir until dissolved. Combine fruit juices with enough water to make 2 cups of liquid. Add this to the gelatin mixture. (This liquid does not require boiling water). Refrigerate until almost jelled. Remove from refrigerator and whip with rotary beater until very well blended.

Line bottom of mold with crushed pineapple and raspberries - spoon the gelatin mixture over the fruit and replace in refrigerator until set. Unmold.

Mrs. Edmund Korb

### CRANBERRY-ORANGE SALAD MOLD

3 qt Mold, greased  
 First Layer  
 2 T unflavored Gelatin  
 1/4 c cold Water  
 1 lb can Whole Cranberry Sauce  
 2 T Lemon Juice  
 1/4 t Allspice

1/8 t Mace or Nutmeg  
 1 c Ginger Ale  
 1 c Orange or Mandarin Orange sections

Soften gelatin in cold water using a large bowl. Set this container into bowl of hot water until gelatin dissolves. Add balance of ingredients, stirring well. Pour into mold and chill.

Second Layer  
 1 T Gelatin  
 2 T cold Water  
 1 c Orange Juice  
 1-3 oz pkg Cream Cheese  
 1/2 t Ginger  
 1/2 c Heavy Cream  
 1/2 c Sour Cream  
 1/2 c coarsely chopped Pecans

Soften gelatin in cold water using a large bowl. Set container into bowl of hot water to dissolve. Slowly stir orange juice into cream cheese-then add the giner and stir into the gelatin. Whip the heavy cream and sour cream until thick. Fold into the gelatin mixture with nuts. Pour over the first layer that has set. Refrigerate.

Mrs. Hyman Goldstein

### CHICK PEA SALAD

1 can Chick Peas, drained  
 1 t Onion, heaping, finely sliced  
 Mayonnaise to moisten  
 1/8 t Salt  
 2 shakes Pepper  
 few shakes Curry Powder (optional)

Stir all ingredients together gently. Refrigerate and serve on lettuce cups.

Mrs. Max Kestenman

### MUSHROOM-CELERY-SALAD

Serves 4  
 1/2 lb Mushrooms  
 2/3 c Celery, thinly sliced  
 2 T chopped Scallions  
 2 T Green Pepper, diced  
 Lettuce  
 1/3 c French Dressing

Wash and dry mushrooms. (If mushrooms are dark in color, peel before using). Slice thin; mix with celery, scallion, pepper and dressing, tossing lightly. Serve on lettuce.

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 4 Eggs, beaten  
 4 T Cocoa  
 Dash Salt  
 1 c Flour, all purpose  
 2 c Sugar  
 2 t Baking Powder  
 2 t Vanilla  
 1 c chopped Nuts  
 1 can tart Cherries, 16 oz, drained

Mix all ingredients, except nuts and cherries, until well blended. Fold in nuts. Pour batter into pan and press cherries into place as topping on cake. Bake. When cake is done, cherries will sink to bottom.

Sift confectioners sugar over cake or frost with favorite icing.

Mrs. Irwin Sydney

### SYBIL'S FRUIT-FILLED CAKE

9x13 pan, ungreased  
 350 oven  
 45 min.

1/2 c Shortening  
 1 c Sugar  
 2 Eggs  
 1 t Vanilla  
 2 c Flour, all purpose  
 1 t Baking Powder  
 1/2 t Salt  
 1 can of any Fruit Pie Filling

Cream shortening and sugar. Add remaining ingredients except pie filling and mix until smooth, (makes a thick dough).

Divide dough in half. Pat half into pan. Spread filling over dough. With moist hands flatten small pieces of remaining dough and place on top of filling in patches. Bake.

Serve warm or cold.

Mrs. Hyman Goldstein

**30,000 EXPECTED**  
**JERUSALEM** — Thirty thousand immigrants are expected by Israel this year, Dr. Israel Goldstein, head of Keren Hayesod, the Israel Foundation Fund, told a United Israel Appeal group from Argentina here.

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# 'GRASS ROOTS' ORGANIZES TO OPPOSE R.I. INCOME TAX

## State Budget Up 21.7%

On February 9 the Governor submitted a \$219 million budget to the general assembly—more than double the size of the 1962 budget and calling for an increase of \$38 million or 21.7 percent over current year expenditures.

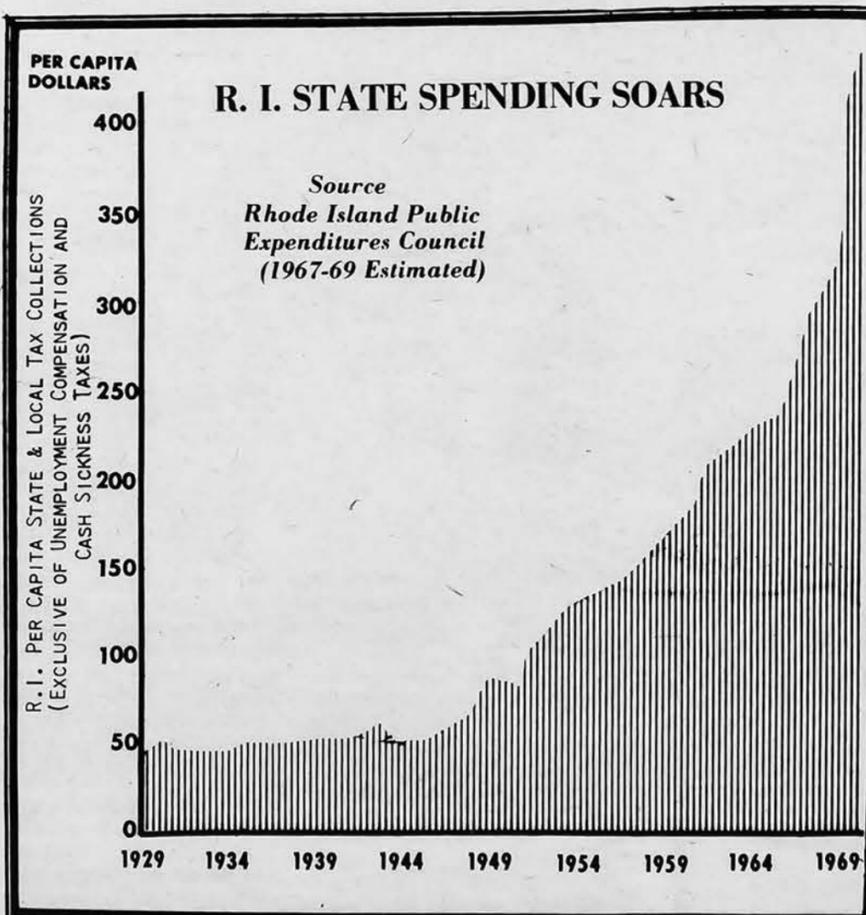
To finance the largest budget in state history the Governor proposed sweeping changes in the tax structure including the imposition of a State Personal Income Tax.

Reasons given for the increase were state needs in the areas of education, public assistance, medical assistance, curative services and public works.

Tax changes recommended included:

- a personal income tax to raise \$60 million
- a 2 cent increase in the cigarette tax to raise \$2.6 million
- a reduction of 1 cent in the sales tax from 5 percent to 4 percent and exemptions for heating fuels, children's clothing, trade-in allowances on autos, electricity, gas and water — saving \$23 million
- repeal of unincorporated business tax

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## 30,000 Members Sought

Francis C. Bushell, chairman of the newly organized R. I. Taxpayers Committee announced a drive to obtain 30,000 members from all corners of the state.

The Committee is opposed to any increase in State spending beyond the expected revenue from existing taxes and is opposed to the proposed personal income tax.

"We do not think the average taxpayer is willing to take a cut in his weekly pay check," said Mr. Bushell. He pointed out that the proposed budget requires \$38,000,000 increase in resources amounting to a 21 percent increase over last year.

The membership drive is already underway. Committee chairmen have been named in most of the state's Senatorial and Representative districts. The chairmen are arranging committees of local citizens whose purpose is two-fold: to educate the grass roots voter to better understand the tax plans proposed by the Governor and to mobilize the participation of voters in a program to convince the Governor and legislators that the

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Special Note: We the editors, confess we are rank amateurs in the newspaper business; between all of us there is not a single day of newspaper experience. So, if we appear somewhat unprofessional and a little less than perfect, we ask your patience and indulgence.

However, we promise that:

1. Our facts will be thoroughly checked for accuracy and source before printing and sources will be stated.
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## EDITORIAL

### When...

—WHEN big government assumes the almighty wisdom to tell us, the taxpayers, it must have huge increases in taxes.

—WHEN big government, big business, and big labor tell us, the taxpayers, we don't know how to spend our own money — but they do

—WHEN, in our community, the only big newspaper, the Providence Journal, floods its editorial and news columns with propaganda year after year for higher spending and higher taxes

—WHEN there are no means available for the little man, who has to finance these programs, to be heard

It is time we, the average taxpayers, organize to protect our paychecks from the rapacious appetites of the big pressure groups.

And have a newspaper which will present our views so that the endless drain on our pocketbooks is halted.

### THIS THEN IS OUR PURPOSE

## Has the Governor had bad advice?

A 21.7 percent increase in state spending in one year, as proposed by Governor Chafee, amounts to 38 million more dollars from R. I. Taxpayers. That's an increase of \$38 per year per man, woman and child.

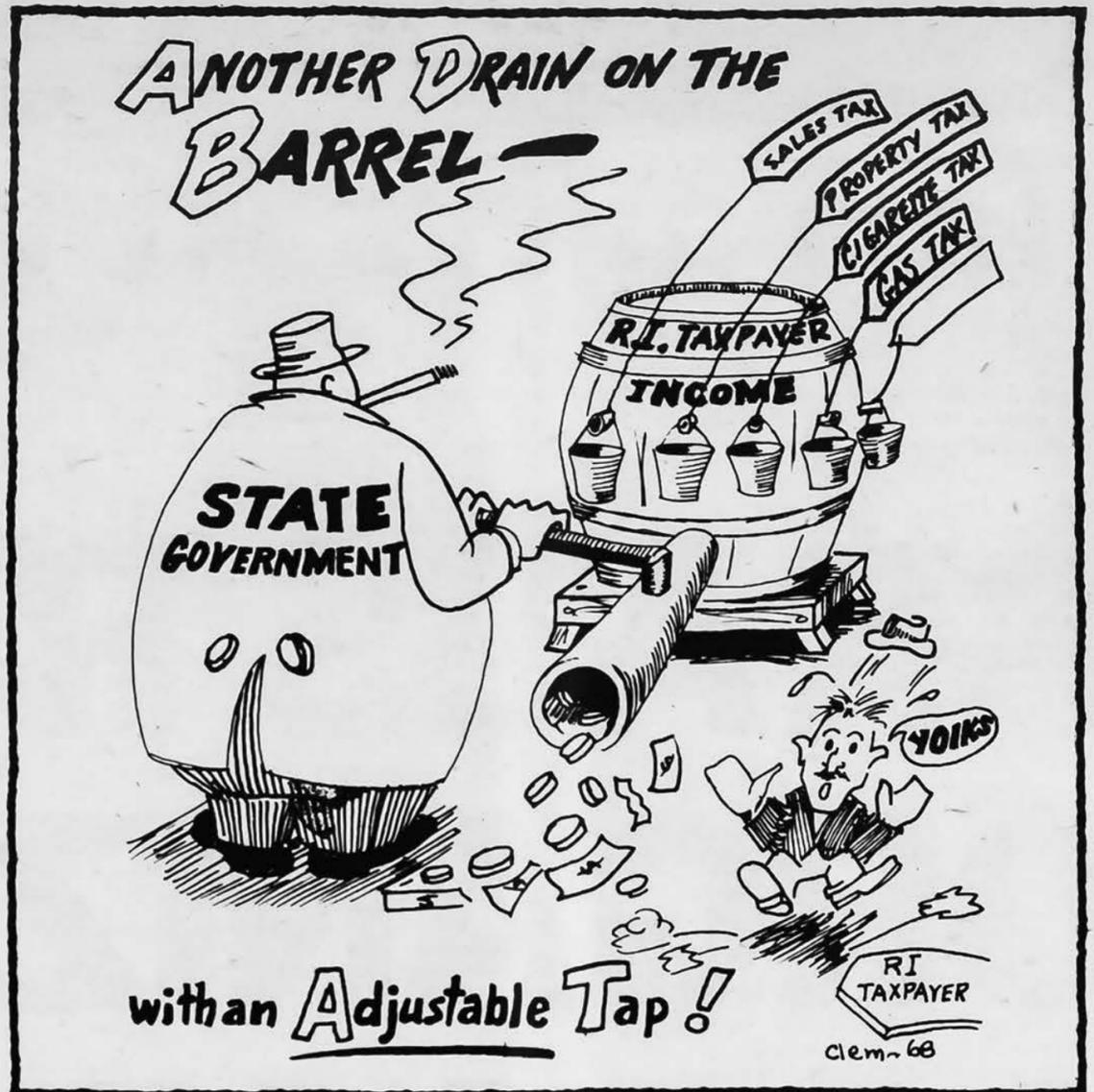
The Governor enjoys strong popularity and many citizens, perhaps a majority, think he's been a good Governor. But, who has advised him to increase the tax burden so drastically? What pressure groups have convinced him to sandbag his taxpayers?

We think he has received bad advice and has had no information on the great groundswell of resistance to such lavish state spending among the average taxpayers.

We urge the Governor to listen carefully to the voice of the people, to recognize the extent of the opposition, and like any reasonable public servant, tell his staff to come up with an austerity budget and live within the state's expected income.

This is good advice. We sincerely hope he will follow it.

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## Letters To The Editor

Dear Mr. Williamson:

Your statements on the proposed Rhode Island state income tax in tonight's Bulletin were heartening. My wife and I join you in your opposition to the tax and to the increased budget. We believe that all levels of government have become tax-happy and spend-happy to the detriment of the American nation, and that an overwhelming number of spending programs are unnecessary, undesirable, and unconstitutional. We also feel that the graduated income tax is the most odious of all taxes in that its purpose has not only been to raise a revenue but to level society, and that its effect will be to destroy personal incentives.

Please let us know how we can help you with your anti-tax campaign in the coming months. Our home phone is 245-6650.

Very truly yours,

Clarke E. Ryder  
Barrington

Dear Mr. Williamson:

I and hundreds of people I know are wholeheartedly against a state income tax.

We are with you and we question the need for 30 million dollars of new spending recommended by the Governor.

We agree with you that the Journal is giving the people a snow job — dialogue my neck tie.

Please continue your battle against this State Income Tax—It definitely "Ought to be submitted to a popular vote."

If I sign this I'll lose my job.

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Dear Mr. Williamson:

Your views on the proposed state income tax expressed in the Providence paper were refreshingly to the point. We, too, oppose this tax. The state would be given a new source of revenue without restrictions to spend as it chooses. When you cut through all the enticements (eliminating sales taxes on children's clothing, etc.) you find the same possibilities for unrestrained and irresponsible spending as presented by the federal plan.

Manipulators of United States policy have been able to involve us in numerous wars this past half century because the 1913 income tax amendment gave them an unlimited source of revenue and the universal draft gave them an unlimited source of manpower.

Federal income taxes, both regular and through Social Security, are constantly increasing without even paying the cost of uninhibited spending programs; there is no evidence that state income taxes would perform differently.

And who will pay this progressive tax? Not the wealthy—they have monies tied up in tax-exempt foundations and securities and they can afford the lawyers who will help them keep it that way. Not those who are encouraged to stay on welfare and keep their incomes too low to tax. Only the middle class—the "bourgeois"—the backbone of America, will be readily available for such milking.

Bureau of Labor Statistics show that the pace of general costs of living—food, housing, clothing—has nearly doubled in the last five years as compared with the previous five years. There is a direct relationship of this inflation to our government's loose fiscal policies and the printing of

Federal Reserve Notes which have no intrinsic value nor silver nor gold backing. If government deficit spending continues, the rising cost of living will increase its pace from its present destructive trot to an inevitable chaotic gallop.

Magnify these circumstances with a state income tax, and the day will be hastened when the Marxian-endorsed progressive income tax will accomplish just what it was meant to do—ruin our country.

Keep up the good work!

Sincerely yours,  
Anne D. and Albert S. Anderson  
Barrington

Dear Sir:

Six years ago it was said that a state income tax was a necessity. And that without it we would be in dire financial trouble. The following year we had a two million dollar surplus.

I believe that today the answer is not a state income tax, but a return to the fundamentals of sound Economic Government.

The burden that uncontrolled government and runaway economy is placing upon the people is becoming intolerable.

Where does the government get its money? From the vacations we could never take, the movies we never saw, the restaurant dinners we never ate, the clothes we never bought and the savings we haven't got. One of our basic freedoms is freedom from excessive taxation, and this is one which we have been and are losing rapidly.

I hope that the people of Rhode Island will awaken to this danger and write to their representatives at once.

Sincerely yours,  
Frederick O. Fleury  
Coventry

**Letters**

# Welfare Gravy Train In R. I. says Attorney

Dear Mr. Williamson:

I have read with interest the comments made about you in the Evening Bulletin of Tuesday, February 13th, with regard to the possibility of an income tax being enacted in this state.

I heartily agree that this matter should be put to a popular vote and feel that a great many people share this view.

My purpose in writing to you is to let you know that you have support. I hope a great many people also advise you of their support and that something tangible will come of this.

I should like to say that I am also sending a copy of this letter to my representative in the General Assembly, but at the moment my town seems not to have representation. However, I shall write to the representative from Burrillville who has expressed some interest in something other than an income tax for the state.

Very truly yours,  
Edna M. Sisson  
191 Pine Road  
Chepachet, R. I.  
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Gentlemen:

I wish to register through you my opposition to any State personal income tax for the State of Rhode Island, as I feel this income tax would be detrimental to the citizens of our state and would certainly impose a tremendous burden on low-income families, as well as middle and higher income families or individuals.

We are told through the press over the past few years how prosperous Rhode Island is, the tremendous growth it has shown over the past six to eight years, and I fail to understand any reason why our state government should budget monies in excess of revenue. I feel sincerely that state government can and must live within its sources of revenue especially when one considers that these sources are much greater than eight to nine years ago.

Very truly yours,  
Olof V. Anderson

Mr. Leonard A. Kamaras, well-known Providence attorney and for eight years (1952-1960) special legal counsel for the Dept. of Social Welfare writes as follows:

A project that is long overdue for investigation by the Rhode Island General Assembly was opened for hearing to the general public before the Committee on Social Welfare before the Massachusetts legislature recently in a drive against welfare chiselers, and a moratorium on Medicaid until its costs and effects on Massachusetts can be measured.

### Judges Against Chiselers

This was urged before that body by Suffolk Probate Judge Robert G. Wilson Jr. and Municipal Court Judge Elias Shamon, who alleged that the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and the City of Boston were on the verge of bankruptcy as a result of the open and flagrant abuse of welfare programs and Medicaid. It was recommended as a means of stopping the widespread abuse and loss of millions of taxpayers' money, that a closer check on welfare recipients be maintained by the Department of Social Welfare.

### Recommends Periodic Eligibility Audits

The jurists recommended passage of a bill, filed by Judge Wilson, making it mandatory that regular, periodic investigations be conducted to determine the true eligibility of welfare recipients.

### New Bedford Mayor Calls For Medicaid Halt

The theme of seemingly inevitable bankruptcy was sounded on another welfare matter—Medicaid—by Mayor Edward F. Harrington of New Bedford. Mayor Harrington called for a halt in the Medicaid program until a complete study could be made of its effects on the state.

"Nobody knows what Medicaid is costing the Commonwealth and no one knows what it will cost. It could bankrupt Massachusetts or force severe tax increases in the near future," Mayor Harrington asserted.

### Undeserving On Gravy Train, Says Judge

In urging that the Welfare Reorganization Act passed by the 1967 legislature be tightened up to require periodic investigations of those receiving public aid, Judge Wilson maintained:

"There just isn't enough money to go around if everybody's on the gravy train, including the undeserving. The present law is excellent but there is a hole in it."

Judge Wilson stated that he had ADC recipient mothers come to him privately and disclose they hadn't seen a social worker for a year. "They don't check them at all. I think cases should be checked every 60 days to reaffirm their eligibility. This state is going bankrupt; we're shoveling money out as though it grows on trees."

Judge Wilson further went on to inform the committee that he sees three or four women in his court each week, who in

his estimation are not eligible for the ADC benefits they are receiving, and he said further that after women go on ADC, in many instances their husbands get jobs and earn anywhere from \$100 to \$125 a week.

### Affidavits Urged By Judge Shamon

Judge Shamon, in backing his fellow jurist's theory, told the committee:

"You owe it to the citizens of the City of Boston to do something to prevent chiselers and undeserving persons from getting this money."

Judge Shamon stated that the least the City of Boston was entitled to was new affidavits from each recipient stating their continued need, "rather than affidavits that are 10 or 15 years old."

Judge Shamon stated that many people, rather than sign a false and perjured affidavit would drop out of the program. "If they had to file affidavits under penalty of perjury every 30 or 60 days, 25 per cent of them would leave the sinking ship, and Boston is a sinking ship," Shamon declared.

### Medicaid Law Unsound

Mayor Harrington of New Bedford, speaking for his bill to call a halt in Medicaid, asserted that both California and New York have found they were unable to cope with it, as presently conceived. He said he filed his bill originally because he feared his city would go broke if made to pay Medicaid costs—but said he was pushing it now as a concerned resident of the state, since these costs are being taken over by the Commonwealth.

"Many people are receiving Medicaid who are working and earning adequate and more-than-adequate incomes. They are capable of paying their own medical costs."

The concerns of Judges Wilson and Shamon and Mayor Harrington of New Bedford should be the same concern of every Rhode Island resident and taxpayer.

### R.I. Welfare Department Subject To Same Ills

This writer, in the past, had many years of practical knowledge of the workings of the Welfare Department having served as special legal counsel for the Department of Social Welfare from 1952-1960. My concern then was clearly made known to the Director of Social Welfare many times, but as is the custom and practice of the Welfare Department, any concern that would result in a diminution of their budget is neatly pigeonholed and nothing is ever done.

Now, however, with an oncoming income tax by the state government and a surtax by the federal government, where fellow citizens, will there be an end? The first place to begin a tightening of the belt is with the outrageous practices of the Department of Social Welfare.

(This letter appeared in the Providence Journal February 20, 1968.)



### R.I. Taxpayers Action Committee

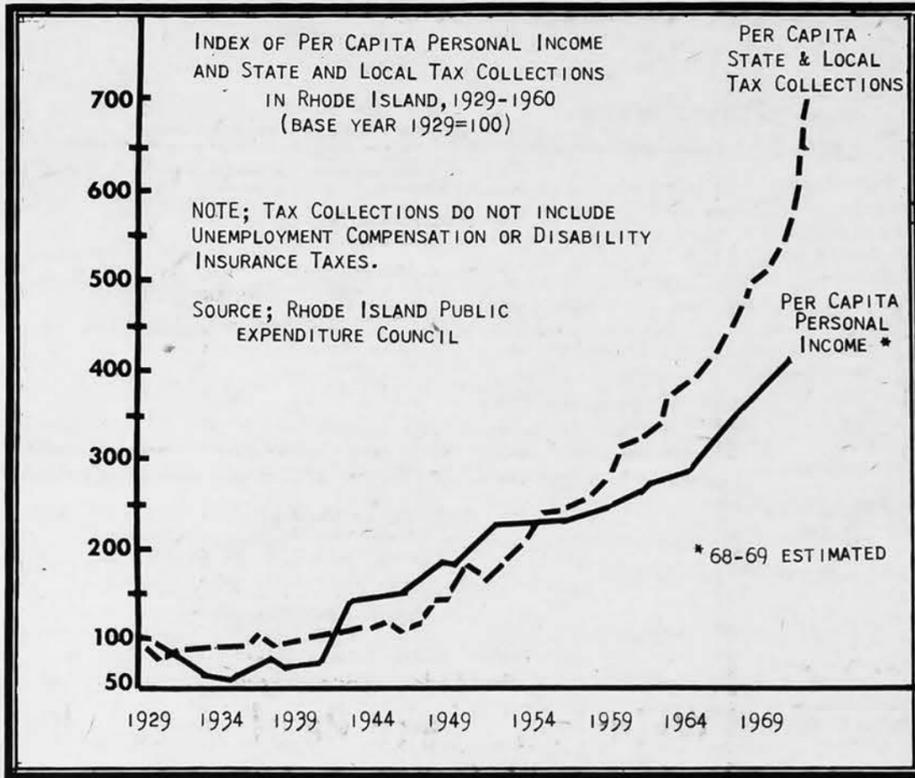
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Clement Williamson, Providence (standing); Charles Eden, Providence; Olof Anderson, Providence; Fred Fleury, Cumberland; Russell Johnson, Warwick. In second row (left to center): John Moody, Warren; Harold Dana, Barrington and John Walker, Wickford.

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# The Personal Income Tax is Inevitable -

## The State Needs The Money



# Taxes To Outstrip Individual Income

The total taxes we pay to our local town or city and those we pay to the state of R. I. are growing faster than our incomes.

The chart above shows the widening spread between taxes and personal income. If tax increases are not halted we will have little left in our pay checks after paying taxes.

The chart uses the year 1929 as the base year within an arbitrary value of 100. Notice how the Per Capita Personal Income Curve between 1929 and 1954 increased about two and one half times (250 on the chart). Tax collections increased at the same rate—meaning that taxes took the same percentage of our income in 1954 as in 1929.

Now observe what has happened since 1954. Per Capita State and Local Tax Collections took off like a rocket and in

ten years, from 1954 to 1964, they almost doubled again to 400. But the taxpayer had to dig deeper—his income increased only 50 percent (to 300).

The alarming condition which weary taxpayers should realize is the runaway trend of per capita taxes from 1964 to 1969, as proposed by the governor's budget. Notice total local and state taxes are estimated to reach 700 or seven times our tax burden of 1929 and almost double the level of 1964.

It is apparent that the taxpayer is now left way behind. His personal income is estimated to increase only 40 percent in the 1964-1969 period (to 425).

With taxes up 200 percent and income up 40 percent, the answer is clear. Taxpayers need a breather to catch up. They must tell their legislators this message.

There isn't a family in Rhode Island, or a town, or a city in the state itself that doesn't need money.

In a family we have many needs that we can't satisfy because of a lack of income. New clothes, a boat, the house painted, a new refrigerator—or even a new pair of shoes for Jimmy. We can't have them because we cannot increase our income fast enough. For most R.I. families our increase in pay this year over last year was less than 6 percent and we postponed these needs to the future.

The State says it needs better education, more welfare, more highways, and many other laudable desires. Because it says it needs them doesn't mean that if we don't get them the State government will collapse, the administration of justice will cease, the highways won't be maintained, the schools and colleges will close.

The State means that IT THINKS the taxpayers want these improvements and are willing to fork over more of their hard-earned wages to get them. The leaders of all pressure groups, teachers, businessmen, big labor organization, wild-life lovers, fishermen, skiers, and the hundreds of others—including political organizations of both parties—try to convince the taxpayers that their need is an absolute necessity. In most cases it is not.

Just seven years ago at this time, we the taxpayers, heard exactly the same argument saying the State needed more money, \$15,000,000 to be exact, and a budget of \$115,000,000. Headlines in the newspapers hastily called fiscal study commissions, and every pressure group in our community predicted dire distress if these needs were not met. What happened?

The taxpayers revolted and said those are luxuries, not needs. The income tax was defeated. The state went on a so-called austerity budget of \$98,000,000 and for six years our state has never known such an increase in jobs and prosperity for its citizens.

So let us separate need from luxuries and understand that there are great pressures by many groups—most with the best of intentions—to fix in our minds that the needs are necessities.

Think of this when you have told Jimmy tonight he can't have that new bicycle now even though he needs it.

It is perfectly true, and all of us know it too well, that inflation is increasing the cost of living and the costs of running our State government. This amounts to about 4 percent per year currently. The State will require more money next year on account of inflation. That is, if you believe State's workers are operating at maximum efficiency, which we don't.

Nevertheless, because of inflation, the State's revenue from existing taxes will inflate also. Therefore we can properly assume that if the State will live within its expected income from existing taxes next year, all present state-supported programs could be maintained without any cuts.

But consider the size of the new budget—21.7 percent or \$38,000,000 above this year's. Isn't this completely out of line with the 5 percent expected increase in the population and a 5.5 percent increase in average manufacturing wage rates?

This \$38,000,000 covers luxuries not necessities. We ask you, Does the State really need the money? From you?

# Income Tax Rates From 2 To 10%

Middle income bracket taxpayers and single taxpayers will provide most of the total revenue under the income tax plan.

Rates range from 2 percent of taxable income of \$1,000 per year to 10 percent of taxable income over \$50,000.

To figure your taxable income, deduct from your total income for the year the allowances for dependents and allowable deductions such as interest on borrowed money, medical costs etc.

According to the Providence Evening Bulletin, Friday, February 9, 1968, a

married couple with two children with a total income of \$7,000 would pay \$97 income tax and save an estimated \$36 from a reduced sales tax making a net tax increase of \$61.

A similar family with an income of \$10,000 would pay a state income tax of \$191, save \$45 on the sales tax, making a net tax increase of \$146.

Single persons pay at higher rates. With a total income of \$7,000, he or she pays a state income tax of \$188, saves \$30 on the sales tax, making a net tax increase of \$158.

# How Much Would You Have To Pay?

Rhode Island taxpayers can figure from the following schedule the approximate income tax they would pay the state on 1969 income if the General Assembly approves the tax program offered today by Governor Chafee.

"Adjusted gross income" is total income

for most taxpayers. It is income after adjustments for business expenses. Taxpayers who gain an advantage on their federal income tax by itemizing their deductions could figure to recover some of their payments to the state through a federal deduction allowed for the state tax.

Adjusted Gross Income Levels	Single Person				Married Couple				Married Couple—1 Child			
	Annual State Income Tax (1)	Savings State Taxes (2)	Net Impact	Possible Savings Federal Tax (3)	Annual State Income Tax (1)	Savings State Taxes (2)	Net Impact	Possible Savings Federal Tax (3)	Annual State Income Tax (1)	Savings State Taxes (2)	Net Impact	Possible Savings Federal Tax (3)
\$ 3,000	53	16	37	10	30	16	14	5	18	19	—	3
5,000	116	24	92	22	79	24	55	13	61	27	34	10
7,000	188	30	158	41	139	30	109	26	118	33	85	22
10,000	298	39	259	83	233	39	194	44	212	44	168	40
12,500	399	46	353	128	322	46	276	71	298	51	247	66
15,000	505	53	452	182	412	53	359	106	388	58	330	85
20,000	737	65	672	310	596	65	531	157	569	71	498	146
	Married Couple 2 Children				Married Couple 3 Children				Married Couple 4 Children			
3,000	6	22	—	1	—	23	—	—	—	23	—	—
5,000	43	30	13	7	30	32	—	5	18	32	—	3
7,000	97	36	61	16	79	39	40	13	61	39	22	10
10,000	191	45	146	36	170	51	119	32	149	52	97	28
12,500	274	53	221	60	250	60	190	55	228	61	167	43
15,000	364	60	304	80	340	66	274	75	316	69	247	70
20,000	544	80	464	136	520	80	440	130	496	85	411	124

Reported from Feb. 9, Providence Bulletin

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1. Deduction taken at 10 per cent level and exemptions at \$600 each.
2. Reduction in sales tax from 5 per cent to 4 per cent and exemptions in sales tax equivalent to another 1/2 per cent of the sales tax.
3. This saving available to all taxpayers now claiming more than 10 per cent deductions on federal income tax return.

# Cliches of the BIG Spenders

## 1. The State needs more revenue.

Families, towns, cities and the State say they NEED more revenue. They mean we would like to HAVE more revenue. There is a difference between a necessity and a luxury.

## 2. All governments are spending more — the trend is inevitable

We heard the same story in 1961. Rhode Islanders proved it was not inevitable and the State lived within its income from existing taxes.

## 3. How can expenditures for education be cut?

We don't recommend cutting existing levels. We say continue present spending levels but cut huge increases.

## 4. The Personal Income Tax is the only realistic source of additional funds.

False. Hold spending levels down and force greater efficiency by the State. Tax-sharing with Federal government within three years can provide additional funds.

## 5. The Sales Tax is always regressive — it soaks the poor.

False. When food, fuel and other necessities are exempt it becomes a proportional tax. The poor benefit because new jobs are more easily created in the absence of an income tax.

## 6. The Income Tax will be voted — you can't beat City Hall.

R.I. citizens defeated the proposed personal income tax in 1961.

## 7. How can Welfare costs be met without an income tax?

First, reduce chiseling by prosecuting offenders. Second, add state welfare workers to screen and audit applicants. Third, eliminate incentive payments which encourage broken homes.

## 8. Expanding state services require additional revenue.

Are the expanding services absolutely necessary? What is wrong with the present level of services offered by the State?

## 9. The Income Tax is more broadly based than is a Sales Tax.

False. All citizens pay a sales tax; not all pay income taxes.

## 10. Present R.I. taxes are "hodge-podge" and a "mish-mash" system.

No worse than other states. The present taxes at least are in use, are accepted and we have never had greater prosperity in R. I.

## 11. The Personal Income Tax is fair because the wealthy pay more.

Not necessarily. Tax-exempt securities and loopholes allow the wealthy to escape. The brunt of the tax burden is paid by those in the \$6,000 — \$15,000 a year income range.

## 12. Mandatory increases in expenditures are built in. The governor's hands are tied. It is mandatory we have higher taxes.

Mandatory increases result from laws passed by the legislature and signed by the governor. Laws can be repealed — the legislature simply votes Repeal. Remember prohibition. The citizens repealed this mandatory law because they did not want to put up with it.

**Mandatory is a scare word to squelch a taxpayer's rebellion.**

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# Tax Seminar Scheduled at Rhodes, March 13

ALL TAXPAYERS WELCOME

Hundreds of Rhode Islanders enrolled in the recently reactivated Rhode Island Taxpayers Action Committee will attend a seminar on March 13th at Rhodes State Room at 60 Rhodes Place, Cranston.

Programmed along the lines of the "Business Climate" seminars used and made nationally famous by the Weekapaug Group members, this meeting will be conducted with both educational and organizational goals in mind.

Scheduled to start at 7:00 p.m. with recognized authorities providing background data on the state's income and expenditure problems, the seminar will feature round table discussions with all present contributing their thoughts on the subject.

Representatives of each group will later summarize the conclusions and recommendations of his table associates.

All taxpayers are invited to join RITAC and attend this seminar on Wednesday, March 13th. The enthusiasm of workers to date in the recently launched campaign to defeat passage of the proposed state income tax indicates that seminar attendance will be high.

Arrangements and programming of the seminar are being planned by a committee composed of Russell Johnson and George Ingram of Warwick, Howard H. Dana of Barrington, and John Perrino of Cranston.

Admission will be by tickets. They can be purchased from any member of the R. I. Taxpayers Action Committee, or at the door. \$1 each person.



## Planning Tax Seminar

COMMITTEE PLANNING ARRANGEMENTS for the March 13 Tax Seminar at Rhodes: (standing)— Russell Johnson, Warwick; (left to right)—Howard Dana, Barrington, George Ingram, Warwick and John Perrino, Cranston.

# Income Tax Means Pay Cuts for Most

Most workers in Rhode Island businesses, factories and government offices face pay cuts under the income tax plan. The tax will be withheld from paychecks beginning January 1, 1969 just as is the federal income tax withheld. See Page 4 to determine your pay cut.

The state proposes to hire a staff of 35 specialists to administer the tax and they would exercise surveillance of your returns. These new state employees will require additional state funds in the amount of \$250,000. Most taxpayers not only don't want pay cuts but they foresee the possible creation of political workers up to their ears in politics and with extraordinary powers to pry into their private affairs. The implications are staggering.

At this time of the year most taxpayers are deep in the problem of filling out the complex federal income tax forms. They will hardly appreciate performing the same task next year and every year thereafter if the Rhode Island Income Tax Bill becomes law.

To avoid a pay cut and the time-consuming chore of filling out another set of complex forms, taxpayers will have to make known their wishes at once, to their senator and representative. We urge you to write to the Governor, your Senator,

your Representative, and fill out the petition on the back page of this newspaper and get others to do so too. In this way, the forgotten taxpayer joins with hundreds of thousands of others to make his voice heard at last.

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# The Wrong Tax at the Wrong Time

The proposed personal income tax is not desirable now. It is the wrong tax at the wrong time.

On November 17, 1966 the Providence Evening Bulletin reported that at the National Conference of State Legislative Leaders held in Washington November 17, Representative Melvin Laird of Wisconsin, proposed that tax sharing of federal income tax revenues with the states is necessary to prevent continued centralization of government.

Mr. Laird contended that state and local governments have been unable to meet such major problems as crime, education, pollution, and poverty primarily because of a lack of tax revenues to support local programs. State and local governments lack tax revenues, he said, because the federal government has "usurped most of the tax sources within the state."

Under the revenue-sharing proposal, a percentage of federal income taxes

collected within each state would be returned to the state government for support of state programs without detail federal government restrictions or regulations.

Legislative leaders of the Rhode Island Democrats and Republicans in the State House attended, including Representative John J. Wrenn, Democratic speaker of the House, Representative Joseph A. Bevilacqua, House Majority Leader, and Senator C. George D. DeStefano, Republican Minority Leader of the State Senate.

Senator DeStefano said that the proposal for federal revenue sharing should encourage the state to delay imposition of any new taxes until the prospects for revenue sharing become clear. He said "we're going to have it some day." Mr. Wrenn and Mr. Bevilacqua said the Laird proposal needed clarification. They noted that Governor Chafee has also endorsed a federal revenue sharing proposal. But they accuse the governor of using his support of that proposal as a screen to avoid facing the immediate problem of financing state government operations.

It is now two years later and it is not likely that revenue sharing can be instituted this year or next—certainly not until there is a truce in the Vietnam War. However, within the next several years it appears likely that this \$26 billion drain on federal funds would be reduced.

According to the Rhode Island Public Accounting Council's Bulletin No. 32, February 12, 1968, Rhode Island taxpayers will pay an estimated 893.3 million dollars as their share of the 186.1 billion dollar federal budget sent to the Congress February 12 by the President.

According to the National Industrial Conference Board "Weekly Desk Sheet of Business Trends" January 23, 1967, "some analysts (Ed. of the Joint Economic Committee—Federal) however, have suggested that the states be given more latitude in controlling their finances, either by no-strings-attached tax sharing plan, as proposed by Walter Heller, former Chairman of the Council of Economic Advisors (Ed. under President Kennedy), or by a tax credit plan, such as offered by the Advisory Commission on Inter-Governmental Relations."

"Under the Heller plan, the federal government would distribute 1 to 2 percent of its income tax base to the states on a per capita basis."

## 31.6 Per Cent Of Nation's Output Goes For Taxes

According to the Tax Foundation of New York, an amount equal to 31.6 percent of the value of the nation's net output of goods and services will come from taxes levied to support local, state and federal activities in 1968.

This is the largest percentage in the nation's history, and exceeds any year including World War II and the Korean Conflict years.

Americans will therefore work 2 hours and 26 minutes of each 8 hour day to pay 1968 taxes.

The dramatic rise in taxes in recent years has not come from the federal government but from state and local administrations whose percentages have grown from 5.9 percent in 1948 to more than 9 percent in 1961.

What this means is that 31.7 percent of our distribution will be taken for spending and redistribution by government rather than by corporations and individuals.

These taxes include sales, Social Security and assume a 10 percent federal income tax surtax.

Tax payers, through their congressmen, have already begun to show their disapproval. It is likely that this taxpayer's mood may result in forced reduction in federal domestic programs and a movement to defeat the surtax.

If we select 2 percent as a reasonable percentage for the federal government to distribute to the states, we find that we could expect to return to the State of Rhode Island 2 percent of 893.3 million dollars or roughly 17 million dollars per year.

We maintain that to institute a personal income tax in Rhode Island this year—and this is a permanent new tax subject to easy increase by the Legislature—in view of the possibility of legislating 17 million dollars of our federal income tax to be returned to Rhode Island—is neither prudent or wise.

It is the wrong tax at the wrong time.

## Income Tax Labeled an Open Faucet

Mr. Francis C. Bushell, Chairman of the Rhode Island Taxpayers' Action Committee, in a telephone interview February 25, stated that the proposed Rhode Island Income Tax is "like a faucet which can be opened up by legislators to produce even higher taxes in the future." He explained that the income tax is more easily increased than the sales tax because politicians can erroneously sell it as a "soak the rich" tax.

He further stated that "the income tax is not fair because the working man has less incentive to get ahead. It punishes achievement, reduces incentive and loads the average working person with penalties for his work, he maintained. Mr. Bushell further stated that he believed that most workers in Rhode Island share his view.

## State asks for 21.7%

Has your income increased 21.7 percent? Most of us have to be content with a 4 to 5 percent annual increase. It seems totally unreasonable for the state to expect to make taxpayers take wage cuts to finance such a large increase in state expenditures.

The state budgeted expenditure for this year are 180 million dollars. The proposed budget calls for \$218,415 million—a \$38 million increase or 21.7 percent.

In the same period the population of Rhode Island will have increased from 900,000 to an estimated 945,000 or 5 percent.

Average manufacturing wage rates increased from \$2.35 per hour for January 1967 to \$2.48 per hour for January 1968 or 5.5 percent.

Ask your Governor, your Senator and your Representative this question, Why should state taxes be increased 21.7 percent when we, who earn the money for the taxes, can expect no more than a 5.5 percent wage increase.



**Francis C. Bushell - Chairman**

Francis C. Bushell (center) of Warwick was elected Chairman of the R. I. Taxpayers' Action Committee at an organization meeting held on February 19, 1968. Seated with Mr. Bushell (from left to right) are: George Schofield of Cranston, Agnes McMahan, Warwick; George Ingram, Warwick and Donald Dreier, Barrington.

## RITAC Points Out Income Tax Evils

1. It is a new tax which can be readily expanded from its present proposed levels to as high as politicians think they can go and still be re-elected. The federal income tax started out at 2 percent with the same solemn assurance that it should go no higher. As you know, rates were increased to the range of 15 to 90 percent.

2. The income tax will be withheld from your paycheck. This means that you do not have discretionary use of a certain amount of sales tax you do have a certain amount of discretion in the use of your money.

3. The progressive income tax penalizes a person who works long hours or who is most successful. Penalties against success slow down the building of job opportunities.

4. The personal income tax in Rhode Island would require 35 special agents. This would cost the state \$250,000 a year and the citizen a great deal of his privacy. It is possible that it would be most difficult to preserve the confidential nature of personal incomes.

5. The tax, as proposed, will have a tendency to drive out of Rhode Island and discourage the ingress, of the most capable and productive among us—those on whom we depend for more and better jobs.

6. Opens a new source for revenue—which can be INCREASED at the will of any legislature—thereby eliminating the need for thrift by our public servants and removing the need for a forced reappraisal of our spending program.

7. It places Rhode Island in a highly unfavorable competitive position with our

neighboring state of Connecticut whose governor, faced with the same problems as Rhode Island, rejected the Personal Income Tax.

8. An income tax draws on the residents of Rhode Island only whereas other taxes such as gasoline, beer and sales extracts revenues from our visitors and from mobile members of our population

9. The graduated personal income tax, because it withdraws income at the source, and the money never gets into the hands of the taxpayer, legally prevents discretionary use of this money by the individual. Contrary to this is the Sales Tax which allows the individual the discretion of paying or not paying by choosing to buy taxed items or not to buy.

A person, therefore, can adjust to his financial problems under a sales tax but cannot under a personal income tax.

10. The proposed income tax is discriminatory because it penalizes success, stifles initiative and discourages enterprise by that segment of our population who individually and collectively contribute most to the welfare of Rhode Island, that is, the income bracket between \$6000 and \$15,000 per year.

11. It penalizes progressive Rhode Island businessmen by creating an artificial and arbitrary salary gradient between them and their Connecticut competitors where the skilled workers, engineers, salesmen, production managers and administrators can be lured by their difference in net income because of the absence of an income tax in Connecticut.

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# State of R.I. Expenditures showing last years "Actual", 67-68 "Estimated" and 68-69 increases in Governor's proposal

(IN THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)

Department	Actual 1966-67	Estimated 1967-68	Recommended 1968-69	Increase 1969 Over 1968
Executive	5,968.4	6,398.4	6,617.7	219.3
State	600.4	554.4	630.6	76.2
Attorney General	502.2	528.7	574.2	45.5
Treasury	361.8	408.9	214.0	( 194.9)
Administration	5,618.4	6,267.8	6,814.5	546.7
Social Welfare	54,262.7	65,192.0	66,541.9	1,349.9
Public Works	19,166.0	21,055.9	29,544.5	8,488.6
Business Regulation	647.8	774.1	798.5	24.4
Education	36,505.4	42,753.5	52,903.4	10,149.9
Labor	859.2	922.3	947.6	25.3
Natural Resources	2,957.6	3,821.5	3,952.5	31.0
Health	3,108.4	4,992.4	9,629.5	4,637.1
State Libraries	455.8	959.8	828.6	( 131.2)
General Assembly	710.7	855.7	665.5	( 190.2)
Judiciary	2,513.5	3,103.9	3,219.0	115.4
State Colleges	17,954.9	19,806.5	22,723.3	2,916.8
Other Commissions & Agencies	1,945.7	1,595.7	2,157.4	561.7
Employee Benefits	585.6	1,215.5	1,036.9	( 178.6)
General	6,082.3	6,349.5	8,716.3	2,366.8
Debt Service	680.3			
Special	59.2	156.1		( 156.2)
Total	\$161,545.9	\$187,712.6	\$218,415.8	\$30,703.5
Less: Unexpended Appropriations (Est.)		1,500.0		
		\$186,212.6		

SOURCE: Proposed 1968-69 State Budget (A5)

Rhode Island Public Expenditure Council

## State Budget

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—repeal of local taxes on intangible personal property, manufacturing machinery and equipment inventories

—earlier payment of taxes by corporations, banks, utilities and insurance companies

—a 10 percent surtax on the incomes of corporations and banks to raise \$865,000

Cities and towns would be reimbursed by the state for more than \$10 million in revenue lost by repeal of local intangible and manufacturing taxes.

The proposed income tax would be effective January 1, 1969 for only half of the state fiscal year 1968-68.

Mr. Chafee said "the program directly faces up to the responsibilities first, to provide our people and our state with a sound economic foundation upon which to further extend the advances of recent years; second, to render the services being required of the state within the constraints of fiscal prudence; and third, to propose forthrightly a revenue program—a tax program—to pay for what is being provided on an equitable basis."

"It may be a truism that the demands upon state government appear to recognize no bounds or limitations, and this is apparently the case for each level of government. There is no consolation in the

existence of the truism. Nor does it result thereupon that the disposition of demands may be made on some routine basis of concessions and disregards.

"The magnitude of required services, the ever-increasing complexity of government affairs and fast-changing relationships in the roles and functions of the different levels of government in our federal system—and more particularly in the state-local area—all combine to present a challenge. . . to our willingness and our ability to provide for progress in the general well-being of our people without damaging the root sources of that well-being. This is what is at heart in shaping a fiscal program for government."

## Power Play!

Is there a power play between the Republicans and the Democrats to quietly and quickly pass the income tax into law? The dead silence from both sides of the House and Senate make us uneasy.

Seems to us that by this time, three weeks after the budget was submitted, we should expect some loud noises from both sides of the aisle.

Well, it's our pocketbook they have their hands in. It's about time both parties were told we don't allow it.

We will need your voices, your signed petitions, your letter writing to make such an uproar, they don't dare to make a power play.

Let's start today.

The Editor

## 30,000 Members

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average taxpayer is opposed to change in the tax program at this time.

An Advisory Committee held its first meeting Monday, February 19, and first assignments were made. Among those present and accepting assignments were: Olof Anderson of Warwick; Clement W. Williamson, Providence—Finance; George Ingram and Russell Johnson of Warwick; Howard Dana, Barrington, and John Perrino of Cranston—Speeches and Seminars; Arthur Milot, Providence, John Moody, Warren and Donald Drier, Barrington—Industry Support; Dave Brackett, Cumberland, George Schofield, Cranston, Ivory Littlefield and Clement Williamson, Providence—R. I. Taxpayers News; Agnes McMahon and William Haggerty of Warwick; Robert DiPippo and Charles Eden of Providence, William Munson of East Greenwich, John Walker, Wickford, Norman Johnson of Barrington and Fred Fleury, Coventry—Regional Organization; Francis Bushell, Warwick and Edward Donilon of Providence—Capitol Hill.

Mr. Bushell requested that all persons interested and willing to help or join this committee contact the nearest member of this committee.

Committee members have already launched a statewide drive to obtain signatures on petitions to the Governor and the Legislature requesting rejection of the proposed income tax and to limit state expenditures to expected revenues. More than 2,000 signatures have already been obtained, Mr. Bushell said, that the petition will be delivered to the Governor and to state legislators.

The first issue of the R. I. Taxpayers News, according to Mr. Williamson, the

editor, will be delivered to 241,000 homes and will be available for committee members.

Activities of the Committee will be conducted by volunteers and expenses for printing will be met by donations from interested organizations and from \$1 subscriptions to the News.

Mr. Bushell was the Chairman of the Committee for A More Prosperous Rhode Island which successfully rallied taxpayer support in 1961 to defeat the proposed personal income tax at that time. Many of the thousands of volunteer workers of that committee are participating in the current drive.

Mr. Bushell stated that the Business Climate Seminars so successfully employed several years ago will again be used this year. He said the first Seminar will be held at Rhodes in Cranston on March 13, and he expects over 500 participants. Mr. George Ingram is responsible for organizing this event and the public is invited.

Mr. Bushell said he expects such sessions to be conducted in each community throughout the state so that all taxpayers can educate themselves on the proposed tax program of the state and learn how they can help the committee.

**Without your \$1.00 vote  
of confidence, now , we  
cannot print our second  
issue March 20.**

# News from Around Rhode Island

## Bristol County - Barrington

"I'm not buying it this year" is the typical response of Bristol County residents interviewed by this reporter when asked about the State Income Tax Proposal. Other responses included, "Where will it all end?" and "I suppose it's inevitable, and more on the way." Although the R. I. Taxpayers' Action Committee is not yet a week old, at this writing, more than 300 perceptive Bristol County taxpayers have expressed their opposition to the state income tax in this manner.

At a meeting on Thursday evening, February 22, at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Albert Anderson in Barrington, the aims and plans of the recently formed committee were explained. Following a question and answer period, all in attendance expressed enthusiastic support of the committee and its goals. Further meetings are planned for the coming weeks.

Anyone in Bristol County interested in helping to "hold the line" on taxes should contact Norman E. Johnson, 2 Carlton Street, Barrington, Rhode Island (246-0625).

Mr. O. Reid LeClaire, 4 Constitution Street, Bristol, has agreed to serve as a co-chairman in Bristol County.

## Providence

Mrs. Angela Pusateri, 21 Stadden St. will act as Committee representative in the Eleventh Senatorial District.

Mrs. Florence Sarian, 60 Broadway will act as Committee representative in the Eighth Senatorial District.

## Westerly

Leo Sullivan, 17 Narragansett Avenue, Westerly, Rhode Island, Leo has been appointed Chairman for Westerly by Fred Fleury of Cumberland and has scheduled meetings at his home on Monday evening, March 4, and Thursday evening, March 7, 1968.

He plans to appoint task leaders for each district with each leader to obtain ten workers to conduct a door to door canvas of their neighborhood to obtain petition signatures starting March 7, 1968.

Petitions will also be distributed to business establishment throughout Westerly.

## Coventry

Albert Beaulieu, 25 Gervais Avenue, Coventry, Rhode Island, will act as Chairman of Coventry.

## West Greenwich

Salvatore Marsocci, 205 Andrews Avenue, West Warwick, Rhode Island, has accepted chairmanship of West Greenwich.

## Warwick

On Thursday, February 29, 1968, Agnes McMahon, a committee member held a coffee hour at her home, 4 Edison Street, Warwick to inform her neighbors and friends of the planned activities of the Rhode Island Taxpayers' Action Committee and enlist their support. Mrs. McMahon has been active in the Hoxise section of Warwick and has enlisted the aid of a number of people who are presently carrying on an active campaign to defeat the Income Tax Proposal. If you are interested in being active in this campaign, Mrs. McMahon can be reached during business hours at 781-4700, extension 210.

The following persons have accepted the responsibility for co-chairman in their communities:

## North Kingstown

Mrs. Charles Neubert, 20 Congdon Avenue, North Kingstown 02852.



## Signing Anti-Income Tax Petition

SHOPWORKERS in a Warwick factory shown signing Anti-Income Tax Petitions—(from left to right): Jenney Wsolowski, Warwick; Mary McCaughey, Providence; Micky Carpenter, Warwick; Elsie Simms, Cranston; Jean Tibbits, Warwick; Doris Derouin, War-

wick; Mary Neri, Cranston; Betty Daigle, Cranston; Anita Campbell, North Kingstown; Ann Kennedy, Warwick; Bob Lindeman, Warwick and Al Tamao, Warwick.

Mrs. Harriet Powell, Gilbert Stuart Road, Saunderstown 02874.

Miss Jan Barksdale, Box 257, Saunders-town 02874.

Mrs. Raymond Matteson, 424 Tower Hill Road, North Kingstown 02852.

Mr. Melville G. Davey Jr., 25 King Street, North Kingstown 02852.

Mrs. Linda Davey, 25 King Street, North Kingstown 02852.

Mrs. T. S. Peterson, 51 Pilgrim Drive, North Kingstown 02852.

John Walker, 3 W. Main Street, North Kingstown 02852.

## Narragansett

Miss Elizabeth Pratt, 49 Kingstown Road, Narragansett 02882.

Stuart A. McPhee, Pettaquamscutt Lake Drive, Narragansett 02874.

## Exeter

Charles L. Franklin, Ten Rod Corners, Exeter 02822.

George A. Barber, RRI, Exeter 02822.

## Hopkinton

Howard Holberton, Jr., Collins Road, Alton.

## Richmond

Capt. Marcus L. Whitford, USNRET, Box 100, Wyoming.

## South Kingstown

William W. Bell, 1 Patton Avenue, Wakefield.

Edmund McWilliams, Box 88, Kingston, 02881.

## Legislator Poll Is Planned

Mr. Charles Eden and Mr. Robert DiPippio announced today that the Regional Committee of the Rhode Island Taxpayer's Action Committee plan a poll of State Senators and Representatives within the next few weeks.

The poll will be conducted by 150 Committee members who will individually call on their respective Senators and Representatives.

Final framing of questions has not been completed although they said questions in respect to holding the tax line, and the desirability of the income tax will be included.

The Regional Committee is in process of recruiting the 150 Committee Pollsters.

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Governor of the State of Rhode Island  
State House  
Providence, Rhode Island

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I believe the State Government should live within its present sources of revenue.

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