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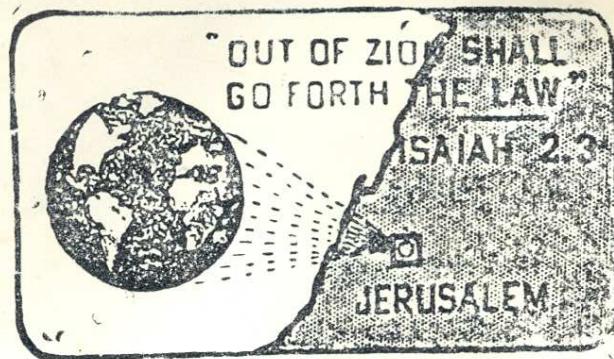
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## THE CALLED, THE CHOSEN, THE FAITHFUL

By The Editor

It is said of those who escaped the perils of the last days, and who stand redeemed and saved before Elohim, that "they are the called, the chosen and faithful". — Rev. 17:14.

We are living in the calling time. The time when universally the great invitation call is going forth throughout the entire world. While distress and perplexities are causing men's hearts to fail them for fear, the people are admonished by the Savior that when these things begin to come to pass, they are to lift up their heads and be glad.

"Lift up your head, despondent pilgrim,  
Give to the wind your needless fears,  
He who has said redemption neareth,  
Has promised to reign one thousand years".

We are called to the highest calling on earth. It is to a seat with Yahshua (Jesus), and with the redeemed of earth, and to reign in kingly or priestly authority for one thousand years. See Rev. 20th Chapter, also Rev. 5:9.

"Let us be glad and rejoice, and give honour to him: for the marriage of the lamb is come, and his wife (the church) hath made herself ready. And to her was granted that she should be arrayed in fine linen, clean and white: for the fine linen is the righteousness of saints. And he said unto me: Write, Blessed are they which are called unto the marriage supper of the Lamb". — Rev. 19:7-9.

The great message of the hour is a call: "COME OUT OF HER, MY PEOPLE, that ye be not partakers of her sins, and that ye receive not of her plagues". — Rev. 18:4.

This message of calling people out of Babylon

is spoken of also in Rev. 14:9, 10, for it is the same voice speaking from heaven, following the one that heralds the message of the fall of Babylon. In the latter place it is a special warning against worshipping the beast, with the decree that those who do so, will drink of the wine of the wrath of God (the seven last plagues, Rev. 15, 1, 7).

Babylon consists of the mother church, and her daughters. — See Rev. 17: 4, 5.

It is the church that once ruled the world with the so-called Protestant churches that have branches off from her, who have fallen. They have become abiding places for every foul spirit and cages of every unclean and hateful bird. — Rev. 18: 2, 3.

This is why the message calling the honest of heart out of Babylon is timely, and constitutes the great message of the times.

The churches of christendom are not what they once were. It has only been a few years since prayer meetings were well attended in the church, and when people would ride for miles to attend an old fashioned house to house prayer meeting in the country districts, but now pleasure and feasting have taken the place of prayer and fastings.

In order to get an attendance at the city churches, the world has been invited into the church. You will find the poolroom, the billiard table, the card decks, and even the dancing halls in the basement of popular churches. No wonder the call to "COME OUT OF HER, MY PEOPLE" is a timely message.

In order to attract people to prayer meetings,

doughnuts are served, while coffee and sandwiches are served at other places. An oyster supper is given at another and so on. We are truly living at the time of feasting which Christ said would mark the closing period of this age, and the honest of heart, the real true Christians, are disgusted with the present state and practice in the modern churches. Therefore, the message is in order to "COME OUT OF HER, MY PEOPLE". Many are responding as the invitation call to the marriage supper of the Lamb goes forth. They are coming out of Babylon, and preparing to escape the seven last plagues.

In many city churches, if a poorly dressed man enters and seats himself, he will be invited to leave, and directed to services held for such as his class. If our Messiah would enter barefoot, and in the common clothing worn in his time and place, he would be refused entrance, or invited to leave.

I am informed by a leading evangelist whose business it has been to go from place to place and carry on revival meetings, that in most all city churches there is tolerated all kind of vice and sin by people who have money with which to pay the pastor and help defray the church expenses. This man said that when he went into a new place, he was requested by the local pastor not to say anything against bootlegging because so and so makes his living that way, and times were hard, and they must have his support. Also not to say anything against the dance because another person, a good supporter of the church, runs a public dance; and not to condemn the poker game because another person is much interested in it, and he is a good member; not to mention the card game, or the theatre, for similar reasons.

This particular man was himself so disgusted with present vice in the church, against which he was not free to speak, that he has resigned his work and entered another profession.

Babylon has truly become the habitation of devils, the hold of every foul spirit, and the cage, of every unclean and hateful bird, as the Bible said it would be in the closing time. — Rev. 18:2.

The very cream of modern churches, men and women, who are praying to God for light and understanding, have awakened to prevailing sins in the church, and are seeking for a people who stand whole-heartedly for the truth and for His righteousness. It is this class who are responding to the call "COME OUT OF HER, MY PEOPLE". — Rev. 18:4.

### The Chosen

God is choosing such as have a contrite heart, and who yield to His pleading voice, following the "Lamb whithersoever he goeth". God says: "They shall walk with me in white, for they are worthy". It is only by the power of the Almighty through the blessed Holy Spirit that men and women will escape from the corruption of the age, and the pollution from contact with worldly people.

The Lord gave warning by saying: "Beware of the leaven of the Pharisees". So it is today:

worldly company will affect anyone unless he prays, and thus becomes magnetized with a resistant power, and filled with divine virtue, that instead of being leavened by the worldly conversation, aspirations and desires of worldly people, he will have power with them and bring them back to God. The Lord is only choosing such to walk with Him in white.

It is only those who have a missionary zeal, and who by following the footsteps of the Master and a life of prayer, are able to overcome this present wicked world, and labor to save others.

The Saviour says: "Many are called, but few are chosen". As the message of calling people from the confusion of Babylon goes forth, it will only be the portion of those responding to the call, who pray for the Holy Spirit, and who receive it, that will be saved. The fruits of the Spirit are "love, joy, peace", etc.

The love referred to means divine love. Everyone possesses natural human love, but the love that comes as a fruit of the Holy Spirit is the love our Heavenly Father manifested when "He gave His only begotten Son" to save the lost and wayward men and women. It is that love that actuated Jesus when He gave His life and shed His blood to save the lost.

Let each reader examine his own heart, and decide if he possesses divine love, which prompts him to give that which is dearest and worth the most to him, in order to save the lost, and call the perishing ones out of Babylon, so they will escape the perils of the closing time, and the seven last plagues which are soon to fall.

### The Faithful

The Lord says the redeemed and delivered ones from earth are the Called, the Chosen, and the Faithful. Faithfulness means much, and Jesus says if we are faithful in that which is least we are faithful also in much, and that it is required of a steward to be faithful. We have been intrusted with certain talents. To one is given more than to another, but if we dig in the earth as it were, and hide the Lord's money, we are counted as a slothful servant. I fear that many are devoting the Lord's money to furnish bread to supply the physical needs of friends or loved ones, and are thus burying the Lord's money.

The portion of our lives that He requires, and which is plainly set forth in both the Old and New Testaments, is the tithe. He is testing men and women today as to their faithfulness. The tithe, "the first fruits", is expressly to go for the spiritual welfare, and not for the temporal needs of humanity. The difference is so vastly great between the physical and the spiritual, that no comparison can in reality be made. The physical is only for a few years, while the spiritual is for all eternity. It reaches throughout the countless ages and cycles of time. Christendom must be faithful if they are to be among the chosen and escape the seven last plagues and be received into the kingdom of God.

It is not necessary to produce any argument relative to the duty of every Christian in giving

themselves to save the lost. Neither is it in order to produce the many Scriptures setting for the Biblical teaching in both the Old and New Testaments on tithe paying. They are many, and it is a moral duty so firmly set forth that the Almighty called those who wilfully neglected or refused to pay the tithe, robbers, and brought great curses upon the land for this sin.

Let not one Christian be deceived by thinking himself a Christian unless he possesses that divine love for saving the lost, that will prompt them to sacrifice in administering to their eternal needs. Even if times are hard and incomes cut down, the Heavenly Father is expecting faithfulness on the part of every one of His children. He promises to so bless the remaining portion that the giver of the tithe will be more than repaid temporally. This must not be the motive in being a faithful steward of the Lord. His great love will so incarnate our very beings that it will be a joy to sacrifice, and give ourselves freely to carry the bread of life to earth's perishing millions. Then we will be blessed a hundred fold in this life, and be among the number of the Called, the Chosen, and the Faithful, when our short race here is finished. — Editor.

## PRAYER SHAWLS COVER THE KHAKI AS JERUSALEMITES GO TO WAR

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In the crowded Sephardi Synagogue in Jerusalem's Ramat Eshkol, a young man rose from his seat when his name was shouted from the doorway by an army courier. But his father, who was sitting next to him, held him in an embrace and refused to let him go. The synagogue's rabbi told the weeping father that his son could not stay. "His place is not here today", said the rabbi. The father released his son and the rabbi placed his hand on the young man's head to bless him.

Throughout Jerusalem, men wearing prayer shawls and skullcaps could be seen driving cars or thumbing lifts to mobilization points sometimes with knapsacks over their shoulders. Some had time to stop by their homes to break their fast which began at sundown Friday.

In a synagogue in Bayit Vegan, a rabbi interrupted services in the afternoon to tell all men in the congregation that it was permissible to break their fast if they were called up and to use motor vehicles to reach their gathering points.

In Beit Hakerem, a synagogue sexton called for silence in order to read out a list of names handed him by a courier. One of the names was that of his own son.

"A war has begun", said a rabbi in Katamon. "Let us pray for our soldiers, may God give them courage and protect them".

The first hint of unusual activity came before 1 a.m. when many Jerusalemites were awakened by the sound of planes overhead. Worshippers who had gone to the Western Wall at dawn

were startled by a Phantom flying low overhead.

The streets of Jerusalem, normally deserted of vehicles on Yom Kippur, began to see traffic build up through the morning. With growing frequency, military vehicles braked to a halt in residential neighbourhoods and couriers stepped out to scan house numbers. In many instances, they were directed by neighbours to the local synagogue. Many of those called up drove their wives and children to relatives before heading, for their units.

The reaction to the mobilization was a mixture of anxiety and puzzlement. The general public had had no hint of war but the fact the mobilization was being carried out on Yom Kippur indicated that something serious was afoot. "The Arabs must have started shooting", said a man on Six Day War Street. "We never would start anything on Yom Kippur".

Since Israel Radio does not broadcast on Yom Kippur, the country was in a total news blackout without the population knowing whether war was imminent or had actually started.

The growing uncertainty was punctuated shortly after 2 p.m. with the wail of a siren which suddenly made the situation real and, for many people, frightening.

The siren caused many people to turn on their radios, even in religious neighbourhoods. They found that Israel Radio had indeed begun broadcasting almost simultaneously with the siren blast.

At the Western Wall, the sound of sirens sent hundreds of the worshippers in search of shelter. Many crowded into the hall beneath ancient Wilson's Arch. Others found shelter in the Jewish Quarter.

By sunset, several hundred had returned to the Wall, including the students from the Yeshivat Hakotel, who danced their way down from the Jewish Quarter arm in arm.

The approaches to the Wall were guarded by heavy security forces. As the shofar blasts signalled the end of the holiday died away, the yeshiva students and other worshippers broke into a hora. A police loudspeaker boomed across the plaza, halting the dancers in their tracks. "Please disperse immediately to your homes", an officer said, "Happy New Year and good health to you and your families".

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# THE CAMP-MEETING AT JERUSALEM

In preparation for the annual camp-meeting at Jerusalem convening during the Feast of Tabernacle period, leading members of the Jerusalem church came together for the arrangement of different duties necessary for the comfort of many whom we expected to arrive. David Ohion, Elder Schlenker and Andy Dugger were placed on the lodging committees, to find and arrange many rooms for the expected ones from far and near. Sister Fern Fauth, Sister Harry Schlenker, Geraldine Dugger and Effie Dugger were assigned the work of cooking, purchasing and preparing food.

It was decided by the board members that it would not be best to send out a letter to all the readers of "The Reporter", and to those who had finished the Bible Correspondence course in Israel, inviting them to the meeting with a promise of rooms to care for them, for fear that a thousand or more might come and it would be impossible to provide shelter and food accommodations. Therefore we placed large advertisements in two leading papers of Israel, simply announcing the feast of Tabernacles meeting, with the place and time for each meeting. These notices went out in ample time, for the meeting that was to commence on Wednesday evening, the beginning of the 15th of Ethanim, October 11th.

We had letters from ministers and others who planned to come from the United States, England, Germany, Holland, as well as other places who were coming. Our youngest daughter Mary and her husband Sammy Fauth and their four children were also coming with Elder and Sister Heuer from Washington, U.S.A.

We had a letter from Nazareth from Elder Hawkins that eleven planned to come from there. We had word from a number from Tel Aviv, Beersheba, and Haifa who planned to be here. Elder Leslie Marsh from England arrived before the war started, and he delivered a number of rousing timely sermons.

Sabbath day October 6th, just four days before the camp-meeting was to begin, we were all assembled as usual at the house of prayer. It was a double Sabbath day, a special Holy day in Israel, when most everybody in the whole nation were fasting. More than 800 synagogues in Jerusalem, as well as thousands all over this little nation were packed with zealously praying men and women and young people. We had just concluded our meeting at the church a few minutes past 2 p.m. when the siren began to blow, which was an alarm of war. It was a shock to all of us, and to the entire nation.

Soon the news was spread through the radio, that the Egyptians were crossing the canal where they had quickly spread many bridges, and were attacking Israel with low tanks and army of 250,000 and the Syrians were attacking Israel on the north with more than a thousand tanks and tens of thousands of soldiers.

Praise and thanks to the Almighty "the Holy One of Israel", everything remained quiet in

Jerusalem, no planes were attacking and no bombs dropping, or no missiles of any kind, and it has remained so, up to this writing at the close of the seventh day of the war, during which Israel has held the supremacy of the air, and none of her cities bombed, and her enemies practically overcome.

Other Arab nations, however, are threatening to enter the war.

This has been a sore disappointment to all of us here, as well as to those planning to come to attend the camp-meeting, none of whom have been able to come, since the war began, excepting one Brother from Germany. The Lord had laid it upon his heart to come, Brother Dieter Heimke of West Germany. He miraculously obtained a seat in an overcrowded plane, filled with young Jews who had voluntarily offered their service to Israel in the war. He has been with us all through the meeting encouraging us with his presence, his testimony and otherwise.

We are having the smallest attendance we have ever had, at our camp-meetings as many have been called to the war who otherwise would have been here, and others are having to fill vital vacancies caused by those called into the war, in order to keep important public places open.

Meetings have been conducted every day as usual, but instead of the meetings at night, the city ordered them to be held in the late afternoon, to avoid lights, in keeping with the general black-out for fear of a possible night air attack from neighboring Arab nations threatening to join the war. Radio warnings were sent out that anyone who did not shut off their lights, or paint the headlights on their car if driven at night would be prosecuted.

The camp-meeting commenced on Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock with Elder Harry Schlenker leading the singing, and Shelan Schlenker, and Priscilla Fauth at the two pianos, and Sister Harry Schlenker with an accordion.

After many songs, and a season of prayer in which a number joined with audible prayers one following the other, as well as many silent prayers, the ministers present gave short sermonets, including Elder Leslie Marsh, Elder Harry Schlenker, and the Editor, also some testimonies.

On Thursday forenoon, and afternoon meetings were held, and lunch was served under the big booth prepared according to Leviticus 23:40. Also on Friday we met at the church at the usual time, and Elder Marsh delivered the sermon in the morning, and different ones gave sermonets, or testimonies in the afternoon meeting. On Sabbath, Elder Harry Schlenker delivered a timely sermon in the forenoon, on the need of prayer, and the receiving of the power of the Holy Spirit from Heaven, to give us victory over our own bodies, to keep us in the way of the holy Commandments, admonishing those who were not hungering and thirsting for righteousness, to pray earnestly for the

Father to give them this hunger, before it was to late, etc.

His sermon was followed by an altar call to which several responded, and then the whole audience knelt down at their seats, and prayed for more of the Holy Spirit in their lives. The afternoon meeting was devoted to singing, and praying, following by a short sermonett by the Editor, then the singing of choruses, with the benediction by Andy Dugger.

Shabbath was another clear sunny day and warmer than usual at this season. Sabbath school was opened by Elder Gordon Fauth with a number of good spiritual songs as usual, followed by the prayer service. Many prayer requests were presented and several offered audible prayers one following the other, while the entire congregation were on their knees joining in silent prayer.

This was followed by each one rising and repeating a verse of scripture by memory. Then the scripture was read as given in the Sabbath Lesson Quarterly, Elder Fauth reading one verse and congregation the next etc. Then the children and young people led by their teachers, Sister Fern Fauth and Sister Harry Schlenker went to their rooms for the lesson period, and Brother Adolph Fauth taught the Bible class. The Bible study period was followed by songs and prayer, and then Elder Marsh from England delivered the sermon.

The meeting on Sunday was conducted as usual with Shelan Schlenker and Pricilla Fauth at the pianos and Sister Schlenker with the accordion furnished the music. Elder Donald Liedmann delivered the sermon on world conditions and Bible Prophecy. In the afternoon sermonetts were given by different ones and testimonies.

Monday following the general song service and prayer, the children's orchestra delivered a number of spiritual songs with guitars and other instruments. There were ten children, however, absent owing to the war, and the orchestra was small with only eight taking part.

This was followed by a short sermon by the Editor on the soon returning of our beloved Messiah, and some of the signs showing His returning to the earth was very near at hand.

Tuesday Elder Schlenker led the singing with the usual ones furnishing the music. The forenoon and afternoon meeting were devoted to prayer, testimonies, singing choruses, and short sermonetts by the ministers.

Wednesday forenoon meeting was the same as on Tuesday, only in the afternoon a group of tourists led by Elder Walter Fessele from Germany surprised us by all coming into the meeting. We were all made to rejoice, and Elder Fessele gave a short talk followed by several, wonderfully spirit filled testimonies. The Holy Spirit was as usual felt and all were made to rejoice. The meeting closed by singing choruses, and the benediction by Brother Fessele.

Then on Thursday the closing meeting of the eight days feast of Tabernacles was a joyful day. We are commanded to rejoice during

this period, and eating under the booth, especially at night when we had to use candles, owing to the blackout, we were made to think of the inconvenience of the Children of Israel in the wilderness. This is the purpose of the eight days feast, lest people in their human weakness forget the wonderful miracles performed for the church at that time. They were the Father's children, whom he fed forty years with the manna from heaven. — Exodus 16th chapter.

This period of eight days eating under the booths described in Leviticus 23rd chapter, not only brings to our minds how wonderfully the Creator cared for his church, his chosen people, but it proves also that the commandments existed long before they were written on tables of stone at Sinai. This was before they had reached Sinai, and when they broke the Sabbath by going out to gather manna, it says they broke the commandments. — Exodus 16: 25 to 28.

Hence the Sabbath was one of the commandments in the law before Sinai, and this was the law kept by Abraham. — Genesis 26: 5.

He was chosen of heaven because he was found keeping all of these commandments given by our unchangeable Creator.

The raining of the manna, and other miracles were themes of sermonetts and testimonies during the eight days eating under the booth. It was also mentioned by the Editor how the heavenly Father had again rained manna here in Israel in abundance, sold in the candy stores.

A timely sermon was given in the forenoon of the last day of the meeting by Elder Gordon Fauth, and in the afternoon by Elder Walter Fessele, followed by a short sermon by the Editor. Then the group of tourists sang a number of very timely and appropriate songs, and also with their testimonies and that of others added much to the meeting.

Elder Harry Schlenker gave an altar call, and asked those who needed prayer to come forward. Quite a number came forward, to be anointed, and the ministers after anointing them with oil, laid their hands on them with prayers. Then the whole congregation knelt down and prayed for more of the Holy Spirit to come upon them, for wisdom and direction from above to protect and guide them, and make them more profitable servants during the coming year.

Benediction was by Elder Fessele.

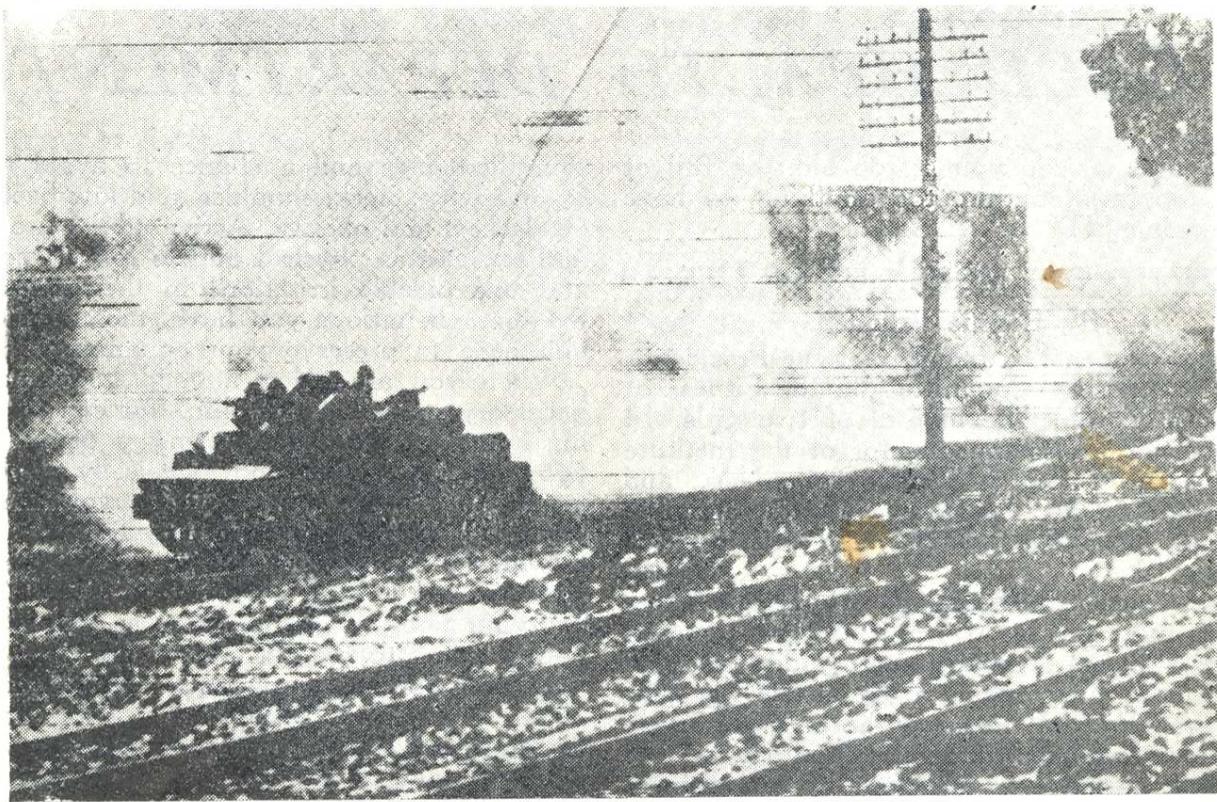
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### 15,000 MEN, 500 TANKS OVER CANAL

WASHINGTON (Reuter). — Intelligence reports reaching the Pentagon yesterday said that an Israeli force of 500 tanks and 15,000 men is holding nearly 1,300 sq. kms. of Egyptian land.

Informed sources said that rough casualty estimates showed that the combined Arab forces have lost between 15,000 and 16,000 dead and wounded and that Israeli casualties are 3,500 to 4,000.

Arab aircraft losses are estimated at 450 planes and Israeli's at 125, the sources said. The Arabs are said to have lost 2,000 tanks and the Israelis 900 tanks and armoured vehicles.

### GABON, SIERRA LEONE BREAK RELATIONS

ALGIERS (Reuter). — The West African states of Gabon and Sierra Leone announced last night they were breaking off relations with Israel. The two countries are the 23rd and 24th in Africa to break ties with Israel.

### U.S. DISAPPOINTED WITH EUROPE'S RELUCTANCE TO COOPERATE

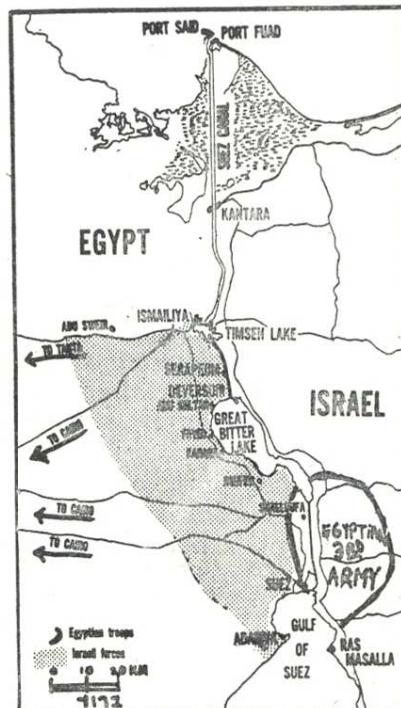
Secretary of State Henry Kissinger said yesterday the U.S. was disappointed with Europe's reluctance to cooperate in a united effort to bring peace to the Middle East.

"What concerns us is that for two weeks while the United States had to make significant decisions, the Europeans acted as though the (North Atlantic) Alliance didn't exist."

From "The Jerusalem Post"

It was reported that Egypt had twelve bridges across the canal at the beginning of the war, over which around 100 thousand men and 500 tanks crossed. About 20 thousand soldiers of the Third Egyptian Army are now surrounded by the Israel army preventing them from returning.

This map shows the extent of land of the Egyptian side occupied by Israel when the cease-fire began. — Editor



Map and pictures from "The Jerusalem Post"

# GOOD HEALTH DEPARTMENT

YOU are not too young, too old, too full of aches, too fat, too thin, too anything, to have fun keeping FIT!

## HOW TO GET MORE OUT OF LIFE!

By Bonnie Prudden

Bonnie Pruden is a member of the President's Citizens Advisory Committee on the Fitness of American Youth. The mother of two girls, 14 and 18, she is also the director of the Institute of Physical Fitness in White Plain, N.Y., and the author of two books on physical activity: "Is Your Child Really Fit?" and "Basic Exercise No. 1".

Take a look at the members of a certain American family draped in front of the television set on a typical evening. Their bodies sag and often bulge. They nibble away at T.V. snacks. They are tired and tense — the certain harvest of a superstimulated, underexercised day.

During the day Dad had gone by car, train or bus to the office, taken an elevator, sat at a desk, and walked a few steps to lunch, where he ate too much — or too little. In the evening after a day of tension and pressure he wearily retraced his sedentary homeward path.

Mom got Dad off to the office, the kids to the school bus, "did" the house, was on the phone for the PTA, jitneyed the kids to Brownies and the piano lesson.

The kids sat in the school-bus, family car, classroom and lunch-room. At gym they had ten minutes of "on-sweat" activity.

Of course this is an exaggeration, but I suggest that you make a survey of the actual physical activity in a day in your family's life. You will find that while its members go to a great many places, they ride to most all of them and while they are engaged in a great many activities, very few are physical.

To have energy left at the end of a day you must generate, not dissipate it. A body that doesn't move deteriorates. This is true whether you are — 10, 20, or 60 years old.

In a child, inactivity results in lack of proper physical development and often he becomes fearful, fat and weak. More important, he misses the natural pleasures of childhood. Few youngsters today know the joy of walking a couple of miles on an early morning, or the fun of wading through torrential gutters. The product of overprotective parents, today's children are panic-stricken if they get hurt, and sweat is something they avoid assiduously.

For the adolescent, a body betraying a lack of active exercise can be tragic. A good figure is a must for girls. A boy's standing with his friend's often depends on his physical skills, his place on the team.

For the adult, a good body, which is an active body, means vitality and the ability to enjoy life. It means having the strength to meet ten-

sion-filled days and a chance to avoid the ills of inactivity: neck, shoulder, and low back pain, headaches, and obesity. Active adults use sports and exercise as physical outlets for the constant and unavoidable irritations in their lives. And the more irritations you have, the more outlets you need to preserve your equanimity.

When you are older, a good body may not necessarily mean a longer life, but can mean living longer on your own terms — being strong, good-looking, active and physically dependent on no one. What you are at 20, you can be at 40 or 50. At 60 you need only to take it a bit slower. At 70, if you are free from aches and pains, you can have a wonderful time. At any age your body can be as good as you make it.

All it takes to keep fit is determination, a little time and knowing how and what to do. The secret is simple: substitute activity for inactivity as much as you can in the course of a normal day and take a few minutes each day to do some exercises.

Give up trying to make life less physical, and make it more physical. Call up your friends and invite them to meet you for a walk after dinner. If you always take the elevator, start walking the last flight. Every few weeks add one more floor that you walk. If you're a commuter, walk to the station. Don't drive the children everywhere; make them walk. If you're a housewife, get the women in the next block to come over for an exercise session each morning. Better yet, establish a regular morning exercise time for your family.

Make up your mind that you and your family are going to get more out of life by being in good physical shape and you'll get the results that you want; a better-looking body, a better-functioning body, but most of all, more energy to enable you to get more out of life.

## RAW FOOD PURIFIES YOUR BLOOD

Dr. Stewart L. Vance, publisher of the book "Nature Healer":

I had a woman call me from New York this week, that purchased a copy of the "Nature Healer" and talked a full hour. She has cancer. Wanted to know if I knew of a health place she could go to here in California.

I told her that she did not have to come out here. Just follow the book, and she could expect rapid results, as she is only 37 years old. She wanted to put off starting until after Christmas. I told her to start that minute. After Xmas it may be too late. I also told her that a personal friend, a M.D., Dr. Ford told me 26 years ago, to close my office, go home and read the paper, I had six months to live.

A few years later he had a coronary, had been on some medical diet, but was slipping. He told me he could not find anything in me-

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# Extracts From Readers Letters

## INDIANA. —

Dear Bro. and Sister in the Lord,

I praise our Lord for the work in Israel. Since I have been sending part of my tithe to Israel my money doesn't run out before the month is out. I live on S.S. and what work I can do at 72 years old.

Mrs. H.

Dear Bro. Dugger,

Shalom. Greetings to you and your loved ones and all your faithful workers.

I always look forward every month for "The Mount Zion Reporter" for that is the place where Yahshua is going to reign over the house of Jacob on the throne of David. — Luke 1: 32-33.

It is possible that we may live to see His coming and be ready for "unto them that look for Him shall He appear the second time without sin unto salvation". — Heb. 9: 28.

Contrary to the rapture theory, before the tribulation (Matt. 24: 21-22), and except those days should be shortened, there should no flesh be saved, but for the elects sake, those days shall be shortened.

According to the rapture teaching, there are no elect here, to go through the tribulation.

Why are the days being shortened? For the elects sake.

Noah made ready for his day of destruction. Noah and his family were not raptured, but went through the flood safely, because he was warned of God to prepare an ark to the saving of his house. Likewise for these last days only those who are walking in the light (Rev. 12: 17).

Praise His Name.

I just could go on giving more scriptures on this and may do so some other time.

Sincerely yours,  
Elder Frank Machado

## CALIFORNIA. —

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Dugger,

My friend Pastor (formerly Rabbi) Mike Esser tells me that he called on you while taking a tour group through Jerusalem early this summer. I have shared many "Mount Zion Reporters" with him.

Surely the angels of the Lord are watching over all of you who are serving Him so faithfully.

Yes, He is a God of miracles.

God bless and keep you in Him,  
T.E.

## AFRICA. —

Dear Brother,

I very much appreciate "The Mount Zion Reporter" that you have been sending to me. It has helped me and many other people. Also, to know more about Yahshua's dealings with Israel, and we have been helped to unfold many

a prophecy.

Thank you so much. Please keep on with this good work.

Sincerely yours,  
J. O. Ogunkolo

## CANADA. —

Dear Brother Dugger,

It is with interest that we read "The Reporter" and the letters that come informing us of the great work of Evangelism that is being carried on in Jerusalem. We are praying that God will continue to bless His work there.

Neh. 2:18: "Let us rise up and build, so they strengthened their hands for this good work".

"Except the Lord build the house they labor in vain that build it".

"When the enemy comes in like a flood, lift up the Standard (the Word of God)".

Our Lord died, He arose, He ascended, He is coming again. Praise His Holy Name.

May the Lord be with you to lead and bless,  
In His Name,  
Elder Moses H. Roth

My dear friend in Christ Jesus,

I first wish to thank you for the free copies of "Mount Zion" magazine. You will never know how much they have meant to me.

And today as I was feeling a little blue, I got the nicest letter from you. And the cards of Salt Rock "Lot's wife" and mustard seed.

When you need the love of a christian friend, Jesus never lets you down. For as I said I was blue today, I have been praying for help and it came in the mail. You gave me just what I needed.

I don't have many friends here. They go and do things I can't approve of. I do not go to church because the people there are always fighting over this or that. So I read the Bible and now your literature.

Thank you and God bless you.

B. McNeil

## NIGERIA. —

Dear brother in Christ,

Greetings to you all. I have read a tract from a friend and it advises me that I should observe Sabbath as a day of rest. I have also gone through the Bible while reading this tract and found that it was realy true.

I found myself shamed of teaching others to keep the first day of the week holy instead of Sabbath. I am a Pastor in the world Church Mission.

I have six congregations. Our day of rest is the first day of the week "Sunday". I am ready to preach Sabbath now to my congregations and give up these churches to the Church of God in Jerusalem to observe the Sabbath doctrine if I will be backed by your mission on good books

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# Memorial Service for The Editor's Sister Ora F. Carpenter

Elder Wm. E. Baker, officiating  
October 20, 1973, 2:00 p.m.

ORA FRANCES CARPENTER

"Have thine own way Lord", by Frances Clifton  
"Beyond the Sunset", by Samuel Maynor

ORA FRANCES CARPENTER

... was born to Elder and Mrs. A. F. Dugger  
on February 5, 1878, near Stanberry, Missouri.

She passed away October 4, 1973, at the age  
of 95 years, 8 months, and 29 days. She moved  
with her parents at an early age to Bassett, Ne-  
braska where she grew to womanhood.

Some of the fondest memories as a young  
girl were the trips she made with team and buggy  
with her father in his ministry of "The Church  
of God", 7th day.

She lived to see many of the prophecies he  
preached come to pass. She taught in the rural  
schools of Rock County, Nebraska. To further  
her education she attended the State Normal  
College at Wayne, Nebraska.

After graduating from this school, she accepted  
a position to teach in the College at Wayne.

She was an early pioneer and took a home-  
stead in the Lake George area, south of Bassett,  
as she continued her teaching career of 13 years  
in the town of Stuart.

On May 25, 1910, she was united in marriage  
to Paul Revere Carpenter and to this union 2  
sons and 4 daughters were born.

She moved with her family to a small farm  
west of Bassett where they lived for 10 years  
until her husband was elected to the office of  
County Superintendent of Schools, a position he  
held until his death in January of 1934, at the  
age of 47 years.

Never complaining of the hardships of this  
life, she again found herself the breadwinner  
of her family. She moved her family to Wayne,  
Nebraska, and once more entered the College to  
qualify herself to fill the office of County Su-  
perintendent, an office she held until moving  
to California in 1942. Here she maintained a  
home in Burbank, California, with her son An-  
drew. She opened this home to many people  
during the World War II years. Two of these  
people continued to show their love and respect  
for her by letters and visits until the present  
time.

In 1946 she moved with her son Andrew to  
Baldwin Park, where she lived at the time of  
her death.

She was preceeded in death by her husband,  
Paul, and a daughter, Grace in 1960.

Her survivors include 5 children, 21 grand-  
children, and 11 great-grandchildren:

Andrew Paul Carpenter, West Covina, Cali-  
fornia — 5 children;

Charles Herbert Carpenter, Northridge, Cali-  
fornia — 4 children;

Arminda Belle Merrill, Sweet Home, Oregon  
— 3 children and 2 grandchildren;

Clara Marie Morgan, Baldwin Park, Califor-  
nia — 4 children and 5 grandchildren;

Frances May Hutton, Baldwin Park, Califor-  
nia — 5 children and 5 grandchildren;  
and brothers Alexander F. Dugger, Denver,  
Colorado;

Elder Andrew N. Dugger, Jerusalem' Israel.

She was a kind and loving mother and a friend  
to all who knew her. She will be greatly missed  
from the family circle.

She was a lifelong member of the Church of  
God, 7th day. She was active in church work  
up until her health failed the last few month.  
She was busy with correspondence, mailing  
tracts and doing extensive reading. She always  
carried a tract or church paper in her purse,  
never missing an opportunity to witness for  
her Savior.

She had a tremendous love for people which  
she expressed until the end.

God blessed her family by giving them the  
opportunity to care for her during these last  
few years. It was her desire and the desire of  
her children to be kept in her own home as long  
as possible.

Even though she did not possess much of this  
world's goods, she died rich in spiritual values.

She was taken to Bassett, Nebraska, where  
she was laid to rest by the side of her husband,  
Paul, and her daughter, Grace, where they are  
waiting the first resurrection.

One of her favorite Bible verses, Pro. 21:21,  
will stand as a witness on her marker:

"He that followeth after righteousness and  
mercy, findeth life, righteousness and honor".

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## IN TRIBUTE

Her grandson, Larry Carpenter was unable  
to come but would like to quote a few lines  
from a letter he wrote his parents:

"She certainly left us with fond memories. She  
has always been a tower of strength to us all  
in the family, kind of a model for all of us.  
She will never be forgotten. We needn't be sad.  
When someone like Mom is allowed to live  
such a full life, we need only thank God for  
the blessed life she did live and for allowing  
us to know her".

Her oldest granddaughter, Sandra Nickel, ex-  
pressed her grandmother in another way:

"She was one of those very special people.  
She was outstanding and we all loved her".

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The family would like to express their grati-  
tude at this time to Dennis Hutton for the days,  
weeks, and months that he so patiently and lov-  
ingly attended his grandmother.

We can all share her favorite poem that she  
had her granddaughter, Elizabeth, type so she  
could hand out to people that came to visit her:  
This poem also appeared in "The Mount Zion  
Reporter", printed at Jerusalem, Israel, edited by  
her brother Elder A. N. Dugger, a few years ago,  
at her request:

If radio's slim fingers  
can pluck a melody,  
From night and toss it over  
a continent or a sea.  
If the petaled white notes  
of a violin,  
Are blown across a mountain  
or a city's din.  
If songs like crimson roses,  
are called from the thin blue air,  
Why should mortals wonder,  
if our Heavenly Father hears prayer?  
Author Unknown  
Entered into rest October 4, 1973.  
Graveside services at Bassett Memorial Park,  
Bassett, Nebraska.  
Officiating Elder Albert Keating.

### GOOD HEALTH

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dical records that would back my method. I said disregard medical records, you know my case. Reluctantly he agreed to start the next week. I told him to start now, next week may be too late.

Sure enough, two days later, he had an attack in Robinson's Department store Parking Building. Told an attendant that he needed a doctor's help, he got it as they had a Doc. in the building, but it was too late.

Sincerely yours,

Stuart L. Vance 90028,  
2121 Canyon Drive

### GOLDA AT SUEZ CANAL

Prime Minister Golda Meir said yesterday that Israel did not have a surplus of friends in the world, with the U.S. being its sole supplier of vital equipment since 1970, especially since shortly after the outbreak of the present war, Israel had had no choice but to accede to America's wishes to accept the cease-fire and to facilitate the passage of supplies to the encircled Egyptian Third Army Corps.

Mrs. Meir said this during a tour of Sinai and the Israeli frontlines here, accompanied by Defence Minister Moshe Dayan, Minister Yisrael Galili, and Chief of Staff David Elazar.

She said the decision had gone against Israel's grain, but it had been altogether clear that the U.S. would not take special delight in receiving a negative reply from us, so the Cabinet sat up all night and decided what it had. "What had been asked of us was unjust, but that's the situation", Mrs. Meir said.

She said — with a slight touch of sarcasm in her voice — that Israel's war experience has always been that when things are not going well for us, no one is stirred to propose a cease-fire: only when things are going badly for our enemies everybody is suddenly aroused.

### "SOVIET THREATENED TO DESTROY ISRAEL"

NEW YORK (Reuter). — The Soviet Union



threatened the "destruction of the State of Israel" by Russian troops unless Israel stopped violating the Middle East cease-fire last week, "Time" magazine said yesterday.

"Time" said the threat was contained in a secret note sent to President Nixon by Soviet Communist Party Chief Leonid Brezhnev.

The contents of the note have not been revealed by the White House but Senator Henry Jackson (D. Wash.) earlier describes its contents as "brutal".

"Instead of beginning in the usual diplomatic salutation 'Dear Mr. President', it started out with a harsher 'Mr. Nixon,'" "Time" said.

(From "The Jerusalem Post")

Remarks. — Read Ezekiel 38th chapter for the end of Russia.

### SYRIA'S ASSAD: MOSCOW PROMISED ISRAEL PULLBACK

Syrian President Hafez Assad said last night Egyptian President Anwar Sadat assured him that the Soviet Union had given Cairo "guarantees" of an Israeli withdrawal to the June 4, 1967 frontiers.

### DELIVERANCE

The last verse in the last chapter of the Book of Judges says: "In those days there was no king in Israel, EVERY MAN DID THAT WHICH WAS RIGHT IN HIS OWN EYES". Looking back through the Book of Judges one will see that these were also the days in which "THE CHILDREN OF ISRAEL DID EVIL IN THE SIGHT OF THE LORD". And the Lord "DELIVERED THEM INTO THE HANDS OF THEIR ENEMIES. But when they CRIED UNTO THE LORD" the Lord sent them judges and deliverers.

We also need deliverance. Although we have a King, our Lord and King Yahshua, the King of kings and Lord of lords we have all "turned to our own way" and done that which was right in our own eyes. We must cry unto the Lord. As it is written "for whosoever shall call upon the name of the Lord shall be saved, for in Mount Zion and in Jerusalem shall be deliverance and in Israel the Remnants whom the Lord shall call".

# LIFE IN ISRAEL

By EFFIE DUGGER

Shalom!

We extend greetings of peace to you and to all of our friends who are concerned about what is happening in the Middle East. We are thankful for your prayers, and for the sustaining hand of the Father above, who is also concerned about His land, and His people.

Many things have happened since we wrote the last letter. Yom Kippur (Day of Atonement) came on Sabbath this year. It is supposed to be the most sacred day of the year in Israel, on which they fast (afflict their souls). We always fast too, and pray for Israel. We believe that some day soon they will look on him whom they pierced and "mourn for him as one mourneth for his only son". — Zechariah 12:10.

"Every family apart and their wives apart".

We walked to meeting that day. There was not one car on the street. The Arab buses from the Old City were not running either. The Arabs in Israel respect this the most holy day in Israel.

About the time the meeting was dismissed, we heard the siren blowing, and some people told us there was a war started in Sinai and Syria. It was a time of distress and mourning in Israel to have to send their young sons to fight an unexpected war, and perhaps to give their lives to save Israel. Golda Meir said: "Israel is fighting for her existence", which was true.

Ever since that day two and a half weeks ago there has not been a cloud in the sky. It seems the Almighty is waiting to see how the nations are going to treat Israel, as Israel goes from victory to victory over her enemies.

My husband told me it was time to write my piece for the December paper. Two scriptures have been ringing in my ears, two scriptures that my husband has been bringing before the attention of different congregations where he has preached over the years.

Ezekiel 36: 9 to 11, speaking of the mountains of Israel: "For behold I am for you and I will turn unto you and you shall be tilled and sown. And I will multiply upon you men and beast, and they shall increase and bring fruit, and I will settle you after your old estates, and will do better unto you than at your beginning, and ye shall know that I am the Lord".

Also Micah 7: 15, 16: "According to the days of thy coming out of the land of Egypt will I show unto him marvelous things. The nations shall see and be confounded at all their might. They shall lay their hand upon their mouth, their ears shall be deaf".

We should all rejoice that the Almighty is leading His people, and is restoring them in their rightful place, even in Jerusalem, but some of their enemies still insist that they should go back to their borders they had before the 1967 war. They may try to implement the 242 Resolution as they interpret it without any agreement of peace.

Some think that the cease-fire will lead to more war. We think that Ezekiel 38th chapter is approaching. The Almighty is leading.

On October 24th "The Post" reported that the first cease fire had not been kept. Later news said that a new cease-fire had been put in force with the U.N. as a guard. We will see if all will co-operate. Terrorists in Lebanon have been sending over shells and rockets against civilian targets. One of our grand-sons was visiting a boy friend in Nazareth. He said they had to stay in bomb shelters quite a lot of the time, but here in Jerusalem there was nothing like that going on, and now that the cease-fire is in effect there is no need to black out our windows even.

Brother and Sister Heuer and our daughter and family were not able to come as we expected, and we received no mail for about two weeks until the cease fire came. We surely enjoyed the Feast of Tabernacles, although many who expected to come could not be here owing to the war. The city officials requested that no night meetings be held and that instead they should meet about 4 o'clock to be over before time for lights to go on.

October 28th. Planes and mail from the U.S. are coming again, and we hope that Elder and Sister Heuer and our daughter Mary and family will come.

October 29th. The 2nd cease fire is still holding but Israel is still protesting about not receiving the names or whereabouts of the prisoners held by the enemy. Also Israel insists that the U.N. force stationed here should all be from countries who still hold diplomatic relations with Israel.

Let us pray that all hindrances to a just and lasting peace may be removed according to the Almighty's will.

Shalom!

## EXTRACTS FROM READERS LETTERS (Continued From Page 9)

and tracts that will direct me fully to teach and bring Sabbath to the hearing of my nation.

I need books and tracts for our studies in the mission about Sabbath. May God open the way for our salvation. Kindly pray for me while I am waiting for your favourable reply and directory books and tracts.

I. U. Ohpoks

Note. — Many tracts are being sent to this man free, and many more will be sent with our books. — Editor.

## SAMPLE COPIES

We will mail a free sample copy of the Reporter to anyone whose name is sent to us

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# Questions And Answers

**QUESTION. —**

Are there many Christian Missions in Israel, and do they accomplish results in converting the Jews?

**ANSWER. —**

There are many missionaries here from various church organizations, but most of them keep the days of the sun, handed down through Babylon from the sunworshippers, and I am sorry to say also that most of them take sides with Rome, that Jerusalem should be an international city controlled by the U.N., and not the capital of Israel. They are out of harmony with the Jewish religion that is in harmony with that of Moses, Abraham, Isaac and Jacob, and clearly taught in the Holy Scriptures, viz., the 7th Day Sabbath, the Law, the Kingdom, the Law of the clean and unclean and the holidays of Israel.

How can such a religion, so adverse to that of the Jews have winning power among them? The Jews are an intelligent race, and want to know the why and wherefore of things especially on religion. There are only a few groups teaching the true Christianity here as it was nearly 2,000 years ago, before being changed and clothed with the Babylonian garments from Babylon through Rome.

**QUESTION. —**

What is your message to Israel on Christianity and conversion from Judaism, and is it effective in Israel

**ANSWER. —**

We are not trying to convert Jews from the Jewish faith to present day Christianity, with all of its false Babylonish teaching from Rome. The Jews understand and believe more Bible truth than the so-called Christians. Our message is what the apostle Peter preached on that wonderful Pentecost when 3,000 Jews accepted the truth that their Messiah had come, and had been crucified, and resurrected, according to the scriptures. That He is now our great high Priest in Heaven making intercession for sinners before the Father. — Hebrews 5:14 to 16; also the 6th and 7th chapter.

That He is soon to return as King of the Jews for which purpose He was born, and that His Kingdom of peace and righteousness will cover the earth. — Rev. 11:15; Isaiah 24:23; Psalms 2 and also 11; Rev. 12:5 and also 1 Cor. 15:22 to 28 etc.

We are not finding fault with the Jewish religion and trying to subtracts from it but only making one addition as this Apostle taught on the day of Pentecost. This does not make any Jew a Christian, such as the word "Christian" today means and includes, but it does make them better Jews, just as the prophet Ezekiel preannounced for this time. — Ezekiel 36:24 to 27.

It is estimated that there are at least 100 thou-

sand of these Messianic Jews now, in Israel.

**QUESTION. —**

It seems to me that the Saviour who is soon to return, and reckon with his stewards, who we are, that He was speaking to all believers when he said: Deny ourselves, and take up our cross and follow Him. How can everyone deny himself and enter into the work He was in?

We are not all gifted to teach or to preach.

**ANSWER. —**

The Heavenly Father has provided a way for everyone to enter into the very same work. He says:

"Lay not up for yourselves treasures upon the earth where thieves break through and steal!"

"But lay up for yourselves treasures in Heaven where neither moth nor rust do corrupt, and where thieves do not break through nor steal". — Matthew 6:19-20.

READERS having a surplus with which the Father has blessed them should invest it wisely, for winning souls, and thus store it in Heaven. When you send tithes or offerings to Jerusalem it is used in a heavenly place where the beloved Master spent His life, and among His own race: "the Chosen People".

The Bible is very plain and emphatic about the paying of tithes. It is the divine plan of Heaven for everyone to have a part in the work of the Father here on earth in saving men and women. Note: Leviticus:

The Levites, one of the 12 tribes of Israel, did not receive any inheritance when Canaan was divided, but their portion was the tithe of all the other tribes, because they were the Ministers. — Numbers 18:21.

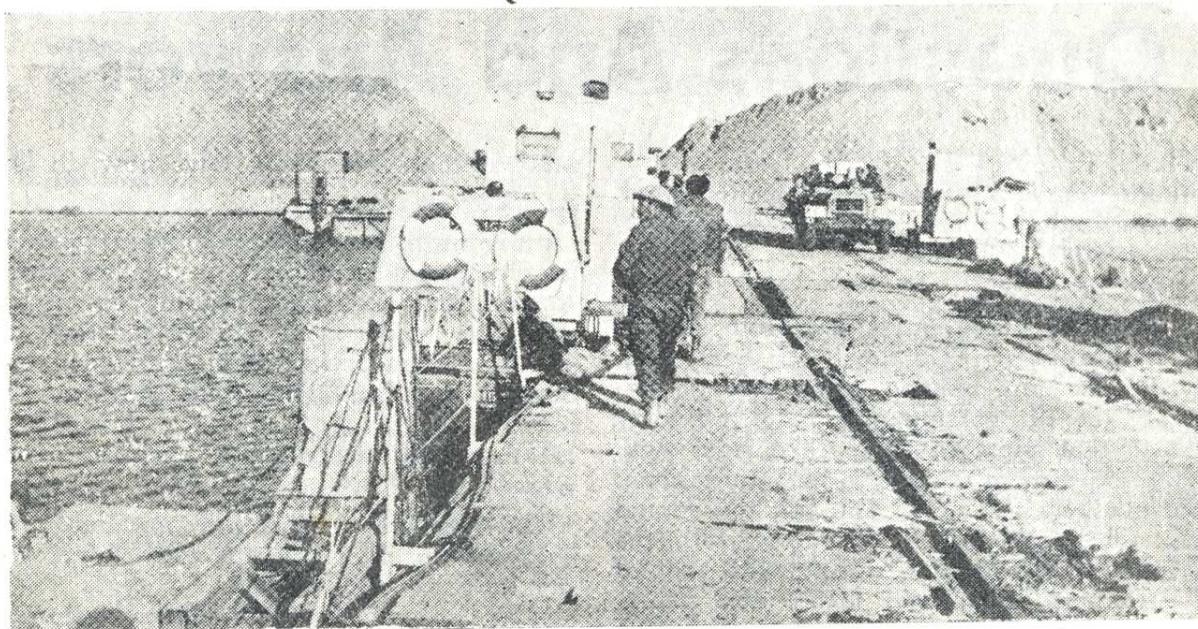
Paul speaks of this, and says: "Even so" or in the same way hath the Lord ordained that they which preach the Gospel shall live of the Gospel". — 1 Cor. 9:13 and 14.

This positively brings the paying of tithes over into this Gospel dispensation, when its needs are great to carry the message to ALL NATIONS. Then our beloved Master said not to leave tithe paying undone. — Matt. 23:23.

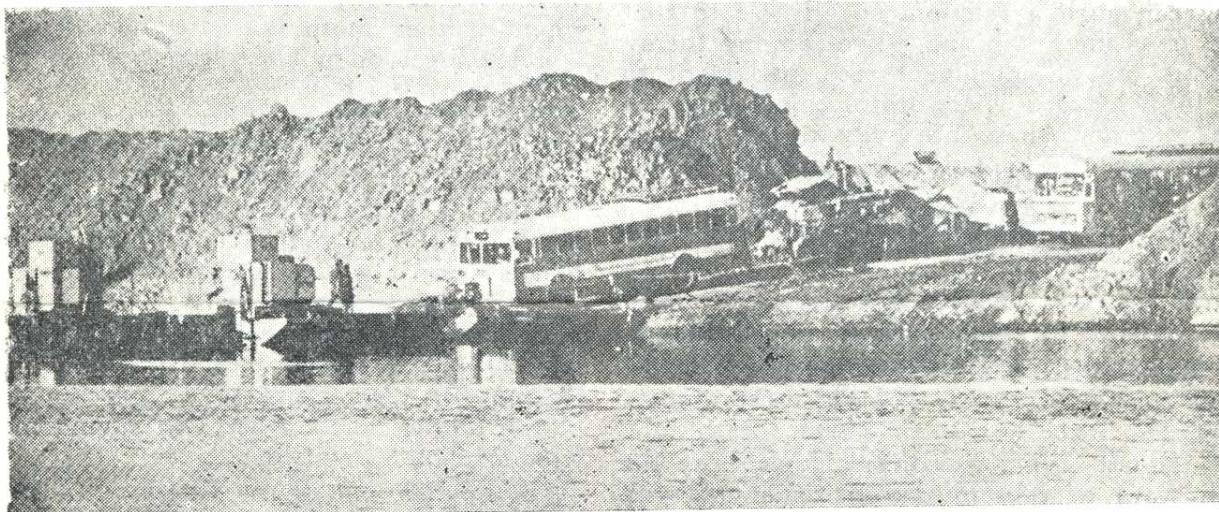
The tithe represents a portion of your life, because it is part of your time spent in earning worldly substance. A part of the sweat of your brow by which the Father told Adam to earn his bread. One tenth of your net earnings, is Holy unto the Lord. — Malachi 5:8-11.

## DO NOT LET ME DIE

Please do not let this paper die, but pass it on to a friend. If you have no relative or friend who you think would give it a welcome, then place a stamp on it and mail it back home. We have many calls for back numbers. — Thanks.



One of the three Israeli bridges across the Suez Canal



**EGYPT EXPRESS** — Egged Bus Co. has extended its services to Egypt: here its buses are seen crossing Israel army bridge at the Suez Canal to drive over to the African side of the waterway.

#### **EGYPT ASKED FOR TRUCE, HERZOG SAYS**

It can be assumed that Egypt, facing an imminent military disaster, asked Soviet Premier Kosygin to bring about a cease-fire — the military commentator, Aluf (res.) Haim Herzog, said in his evening broadcast yesterday.

He noted that the most interesting aspect of the past week's developments was the almost unprecedented urgency with which the Russians acted. "The Kremlin correctly assessed the military situation and what was likely to happen if it were allowed to deteriorate", he said.

Mr. Kosygin rushed to Cairo on October 15, two days after the massive Egyptian offensive along the eastern bank of the Canal had been broken, and held five meetings with President Sadat. That was the same day that Israeli bridge-head was established on the western bank, the commentator pointed out.

From Israel's point of view, Aluf Herzog said,

continuation of the fighting would have resulted in more territorial gains for Israel, "but at the cost of more of our sons' lives". In any case, the war had now been taken out of its local context.

"With both the U.S. and the Soviet Union now agreed on a common line of action, the combatants are left with little room for manoeuvring", he concluded.

#### **VULNERABLE**

Despite all the talk about electronic counter-measures against the Sam missiles, the officer believed that tanks had proven themselves the most effective anti-missile weapon. The missile batteries are vulnerable and a couple of tank shells hitting either the missiles themselves or their radar and control systems could put the whole battery out of action. As for their crews — for the most part — they just ran away and Israeli troops found the missile sites deserted.

From "The Jerusalem Post"

# NEWS DIRECT FROM ISRAEL

## HOLLAND SUGGESTS "INTERNATIONAL UMBRELLA" FOR JEWISH EMIGRANTS

THE HAGUE. — Holland is in contact with other European countries about the possibility of creating an "international umbrella" for the protection of Jewish emigrants from the Soviet Union, according to Dutch Prime Minister Joop den Uyl.

"Our view is that emigration must and can continue", den Uyl said. "And we are weighing various possibilities but I cannot tell you what they are."

(Reuter, AP).

## 300 IMMIGRANTS ARRIVED FROM THE SOVIET UNION

About 300 immigrants from the Soviet Union arrived at Lod on the eve of Yom Kippur, bringing the number of arrival since Austria said it would close the castle to 1,000, a record for a week.

## 3,000 BUSES CARRY 1.5 MILLION

TEL AVIV. — Egged has planned to run more than 3,000 buses on Wednesday and on Saturday night, last week, to cope with about 1.5 million travellers expected on the Rosh Hashana holiday. The company's entire fleet was on the roads, a spokesman said.

Internal urban bus transportation stopped between 4 and 4.30 p.m. Buses started running again on Saturday night at about 6.10 p.m.

El Al placed a number of planes at the Agency's disposal for the operation including a Jumbo Jet which arrived with 350 immigrants. Normally, about 100 immigrants arrive from Vienna daily.

Many thousand visitors were caught in the war and could not leave. Jerusalem was crowded, but everything moved normally, only most buses were carrying soldiers to the front.

## MORE IMMIGRANTS CAME BY TRAIN LAST WEEK

A Jewish Agency official said in Jerusalem last night that Soviet immigrants continued to arrive in Austria by train and that they had been sent to Shoenau in the usual way.

"Whatever the Austrian Government has decided", he said, "they have not yet put it into practice". A plane with 150 Soviet immigrants from the Shoenau camp was due at Lod at 5 a.m. last week. None of the immigrants on the hijacked train were on the plane.

The astonishment of top Jewish Agency officials at the Austrian decision was due largely to the long history of assistance by the Viennese authorities to Jewish immigration to Israel. Hundreds of thousands of immigrants from Eastern Europe have passed through various transit camps in Austria during the last two decades.

The Shoenau camp, leased almost a decade ago, became the main transit camp for the large-

scale Soviet emigration which began two and a half years ago. In all, about 100,000 immigrants have passed through Shoenau, including almost all of the 70,000 Soviet immigrants.

## MIXED MARRIAGE AMONG SOVIET JEWS

NEW YORK. (INA). — Mixed marriages among Soviet Jews rose to over 31 per cent in the period 1966 to 1972. This was revealed last week in a study commissioned by the National Federation of Jewish Welfare Boards.

The study also found that 9.2 per cent of all married American Jews are married to non-Jews.

## TOGO BREAK WITH ISRAEL

The West African state of Togo has broken its diplomatic ties with Israel — the seventh African state to do so since February 1972. The Foreign Ministry in Jerusalem announced the break last Friday with "regret and bitter dismay".

"It is strange", the Ministry spokesman observed, "that a sovereign state which has maintained bilateral relations with Israel in which no problems have arisen, should have submitted to outside pressures in this manner".

## EGYPT-SOVIET BID TO IMPROVE TIES

CAIRO (UPI). — President Sadat met with Soviet Ambassador Vladimir Vinogradov last week to discuss steps to restore Soviet-Egyptian relations to their "former cordial state" political sources said.

Viongradov called on Sadat — by previous arrangement — at the residence at Borg el Arab, near Alexandria, where the Egyptian President has been staying all week.

The meeting followed an exchange of lengthy letters between Sadat and Soviet Communist Party leader Leonid Brezhnev. The first news of these letters appeared in the Cairo newspaper "Al Ahram" last weekend.

## SHEPHERDS LIVED ON THE GOLAN 5,000 YEARS AGO

The first reliable evidence that the Golan was inhabited by shepherds and farmers some 5,000 years ago has been turned up in an excavation carried out north of Ramat Hamagshimim, the Government Antiquities Department reported yesterday.

Below the tumble of fallen stones was found a rectangular house complex dated by a rich variety of finds to the second half of the fourth millennium BCE.

The site is along the route of a new road that is being constructed through an upland plateau dotted with stone-heaps.

Dr. Claire Epstein, of Ginossar, headed the dig which was carried out last month on behalf of the Antiquities Department, with the help of the army and with the financial assistance of

the Government Public Works Department.

### Large Courtyard

The well-built walls of the house, some 70 cms. in width, were found standing to a height of a metre. Two rooms — both in all probability originally roofed, perhaps with skins and branches — give on to a large open courtyard.

On low shelves and on the floor were found pottery fragments of large bins and storage jars used for liquids and grain, as well as basalt bowls, mortars and pestles and agricultural tools.

### MOSCOW DENOUNCES PEKING

Almost on the eve of the summit meeting of 74 non-aligned nations, due to open in Algeria on September 5, the Soviet Union has stepped up its verbal and written attacks on China, culminating in a vicious denunciation of China's leaders. They were accused, among other things, of seeking to dominate Asia with their nuclear might.

In recent months there has been an exchange of bitter accusations and much recrimination between Peking and Moscow. The two nations are more highly suspicious of each other than ever following the separate approachment of both with the United States.

In both capitals there are elements who have not acquiesced in the more friendly ties with Washington, and who fear that the only advantage in the present circumstances will be for the U.S.

### MART EXPERIMENT WITH NEW UNIFIED EUROPEAN CURRENCY — EURCO

BRUSSELS (AP). — Common Market authorities have set their seal of approval on the "Eurco", an experiment in a unified European currency devised by the European Investment Bank and the Rothschild Bank in London.

Rothschild is issuing a loan of 30 million Eurcos for the bank. The Investment Bank involved in the currency is a Common Market body.

### FINED FOR INCREASING WASHING MACHINE PRICE

TEL AVIV. — A local appliance store and its manager were fined a total of IL18,000 in the Magistrate's Court here for selling washing machines at a price higher than the fixed one.

Central Salon of 32 Rehov Ben Yehuda sold 10 machines for IL2,500 instead of the fixed price of IL2,250.

The shop was fined IL15,000 and the manager, Tuvia Nadav, IL3,000. The charges were brought by the Ministry of Commerce and Industry.

### CITRUS EXPORT SEASON BEGINS

HAIFA. — The citrus season began here on Friday when the British freighter m.s. Mendip Prince sailed for Britain with 25,000 cases of grapefruit.

The start of the season was advanced to a date earlier than usual as part of the Citrus Marketing Board's efforts to spread exports over as long a period as possible.

The early ripening grapefruit from the Jordan Valley were tested for sugar and juice content and found to be "excellent".

Export shipments will continue this week and five more shipments totalling 250,000 cases of grapefruit are due to be sent from Haifa port. The Board's plans call for a total export of 51 to 52 million cases this year, eight million more than last year, when frosts caused heavy damage to orchards.

### "BIGGEST SOVIET NUCLEAR TEST IN SEVEN YEARS"

UPPSALA, Sweden. — The seismological institute here yesterday registered what it described as the biggest underground nuclear blast from the Novaya Zemlaya area of the Soviet Union in seven years.

The explosion, at 7 a.m., registered 7.1 on the Richter Scale, which is equivalent to several megatons, the institute said.

An official said this was the largest blast ever recorded from the Soviet nuclear test region since observations were first taken from here in 1966.

Military sources said the tests are believed to be connected with the development of multiple nuclear warheads and warheads for anti-ballistic missiles.

The so called "doomsday bombs", tested in the Arctic area in the 1960s, measured up to 50 megatons and more. They were exploded in the atmosphere, sending radioactive waste across Northern Europe and into Asia. These tests were abandoned in connection with the test ban agreement, banning all atmospheric tests.

### JEWISH SETTLEMENT HISTORY ON SHOW

TEL AVIV. — The story of 100 years of Jewish village settlement in Israel will be shown at the Exhibition Grounds here next week. According to the organizers, over IL10m. has been put into the exhibition which will portray settlement from the time of the Billuim, through the Second Aliya up to the present day. Among the most important exhibits will be water development, the kibbutz and the moshav. Half a million visitors are expected during the three weeks that the exhibition will remain open.

The official opening by the Prime Minister and Agriculture Minister Haim Gvati will be next Wednesday.

### ANTI-ISRAEL DRIVE IN E. GERMANY

TEL AVIV. — Following its recent past signed with the Arab terrorists, East Germany has unleashed a violent hate campaign against Israel.

The pact signed with Yasser Arafat provides for "full military political and other forms of assistance in its fight against Israel".

The East German Government then even went one step further by publicly declaring the solidarity of its people in the "joint battle".

### SYRIAN REFINERY DESTROYED

HOMS. — Israeli aircraft destroyed a major power station and put a still-blazing oil refinery

out of action for years to come during raids on this central Syrian town, officials said here yesterday.

I saw a great pillar of black smoke and flames rising from the wrecked oil refinery more than 24 hours after the last Israeli bombing attack on Wednesday.

Experts said 80 per cent of the £20 m. refinery was destroyed and it would not be in operation again for several years. Annual production at the refinery was estimated at one million tons.

The power station produced a fifth of Syria's electricity supplies. The director of the plant said at least 30 of his 450 workers were killed and about 100 injured.

Rescuers were unable to approach the inferno of flames and explosions that the oil refinery had become. (Reuter).

### TERRORIST FIRES BAZOOKA SHELL NEAR HADERA

A bazooka shell exploded harmlessly in a field outside the settlement of Tsur Natan near Hadera, on Sunday night.

Security forces searched the area and discovered that the bazooka had been fired electronically from a rock in the general direction of the settlement.

### JERUSALEM TREES WILL SURROUND HER

Some 250,000 trees are to be planted in and around Jerusalem each year, according to the Jewish National Fund. A total of 12,000 dunams are to be planted around the new housing developments to the north, east and south. These will eventually link with the Jerusalem Forest to the west of the city to form an almost continuous green belt.

Since the war, 1,100 dunams have been planted. The pace is to be speeded up so that 1,000 dunams are planted each year.

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### WOUNDED SOLDIERS INTERVIEWED

The first wounded back from the fronts described yesterday how they broke their Yom Kippur fast by eating battle rations as they moved forward into combat.

Three young soldiers interviewed at Hadassah Hospital all said they and most of their comrades had fasted at least until the enemy attack began Saturday at 2 p.m. Some front-line soldiers continued to fast until sundown when Yom Kippur was over despite an announcement by the Military Rabbinate that the obligation to fast was waived with the outbreak of fighting.

Soldiers who fought on the Suez spoke of night-time Egyptian ambushes and stiff fighting. A 20-year-old second-lieutenant told how his tank was hit by bazooka fire and set on fire about five kilometres west of the canal as he led two other tanks towards the front line about midnight Saturday.

"The tank was disabled but I put the fire out. The Egyptians fired a flare and I saw the enemy soldiers. There were many. I'd say a company. They were lying in a line in front of low sand dunes".

The tank's cannon was still working and the lieutenant opened fire on the Egyptians from about 300 yards. When the second tank in line came up behind him, he changed tanks with its commander and ordered the driver to charge directly at the enemy commandos with the third tank providing covering fire. As he reached the

Egyptian line, his tank was hit simultaneously by four bazooka shells and the lieutenant, who was standing exposed in the turret, fell wounded into the tank. He yelled at the driver to turn left so as to run along the length of the enemy line. "Crush them", he shouted. "Crush them".

The lieutenant, who has been wounded in the hand and right shoulder, realized that his injuries were not grave and climbed back into the turret. He saw Egyptians running away as close as three meters away and opened fire with his Uzi. When the Egyptians attempted to reorganize he opened fire with the tank's canon and scored hits. He was shortly afterwards evacuated to a rear aid station.

Another ambush, this one staged by the Egyptians from their own bank of the canal, was described by a 22-year-old gunner. His unit began moving towards the canal from a rear position Saturday afternoon. Although ordered at 3 p.m. to break his fast, the red-headed gunner, a sergeant, did not eat until 4 p.m. when a heavy Egyptian barrage made it seem a sensible thing to do. "Rosh Hashana and Yom Kippur are holidays I respect".

His ammunition loader, he said, did not get to eat before he was wounded midnight Saturday since he had wanted to wait until sundown before breaking his fast and by that time he was in combat and too busy to eat. "He was almost dehydrated", he said.

The sergeant was in the lead tank as the unit approached the canal at 10 p.m. About a kilometre from the waterline, it was suddenly struck

by a tank-to-tank rocket dubbed the Shmil. It was fired by an Egyptian tank perched atop one of the lofty ramps built by the Egyptians on their side of the canal.

In the ensuing battle, however, the sergeant's new tank was hit by three rocket. He escaped from the burning vehicle whose ammunition began exploding.

"We were told before Yom Kippur started that we could expect something big. They explained to us it was a political problem and we would just wait for the attack. But I didn't expect it to come on Yom Kippur itself."

### 16TH AFRICAN STATE BREAKS ISRAEL TIE

BANGUI (Reuter). — The Central African Republic has decided to break off diplomatic relations with Israel, President Jean-Bedel Bokassa said in a radio broadcast yesterday.

### "SATELLITES AID ARABS"

NEW YORK (Reuter). — The magazine "Aviation Week", reported here that Russian reconnaissance satellites over Midde East battle areas are helping the Soviet Union advise Egyptian and Syrian military commanders on tactics against Israel.

The magazine said one of these satellites was taken out of orbit on October 10, ahead of schedule and replaced by a second whose orbit provides good coverage of the combat zone.

The magazine predicted that the U.S., "caught without an effective big bird up at the time the war erupted", would hastily launch a satellite.

The Defence Department refused to comment on the report.

### TANK LIEUTENANT ESCAPES BY PLAYING POSSUM FOR 25 HOURS

A young Israeli tank lieutenant, surrounded by Egyptian soldiers who thought he was dead, played possum for 25 hours and then crawled to his lines under cover of darkness.

The lieutenant, who got back fighting with his unit, said the Egyptians stripped him of a gold chain hanging around his neck, took his identity disks and emptied his pockets. Finally an Egyptian soldier, unnerved by the "corpse's" blackbearded face, covered it with a sack.

"When the Egyptians launched their big counter-offensive in the central sector of the Canal last Sunday, we were ordered to break through the enemy troops who were dug in", the lieutenant said.

"We moved in a column along the road. The first tank was hit by a missile. A kilometre farther, a missile hit the rear of my turret. I was flung 10 metres from my tank and lost consciousness.

"When I came to, I found myself lying in a trench occupied by dozens of Egyptians. I saw their yellow helmets and their faces. They were firing missiles at our tanks. I closed my eyes again so they wouldn't notice I was alive. A few hours later an Egyptian soldier covered me with a dirty sack. It seems my

sooty face unnerved him".

The officer went on to say that towards evening the Egyptians finally picked him up and heaved him out of the trench. "I didn't dare move a muscle. I knew that if they found out I was still alive they would shoot me. I thought of my parents... of my friends in the army. I was parched with thirst..."

"As soon as it got dark I started to crawl. The Egyptians didn't notice. I was sorry I didn't have any grenades on me. I crawled over to one of our disabled tanks. I found a jerrycan of water and drank some. I ate some battle rations I found inside the tank. Then I must have fallen asleep. Awaking at dawn, I saw some of our soldiers about 700 metres away. I waved to them. One of them came up to me.

"'What's your name', I asked him. 'Michael', he said. 'You're Michael the Archangel', I told him."

### FOOD EXPORTS GOING TO EUROPE BY AIR

TEL AVIV. — With refrigerated ships cutting their calls at Israel ports, all of the country's exports of produce are being sent to European markets by El Al, according to Moshe Shavit, General Manager of Agrexco.

The exports include eggplant, avocados, carp, goose liver, day-old chickens and flowers.

### LEMON SHIPMENTS LEAVE FROM ASHDOD

ASHDOD. — The first citrus consignment — 30,000 crates of lemons — left here for Europe at the end of last week. The director of the port, Yitzhak Gazit, said that while the port management has not yet received a forecast of citrus expected to move through Ashdod in the immediate future, any large-scale export of fruit is bound to cause serious problems.

Meanwhile, eight ships arrived at the port on Friday, and 21 stevedore crews are busy loading and off-loading their cargoes according to a scale of priorities determined by a special committee. Mr. Gazit praised the spirit of the port workers who are making efforts to keep the port operating around the clock. He also thanked those importers who have removed their consignments from the congested port warehouses. The warehouses are still very crowded, he said, urging importers who have not yet removed their goods to do so as soon as possible.

"The Jerusalem Post"

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 If I do not remember thee, let my tongue cleave to the roof of my mouth, if I prefer not JERUSALEM above my chief joy."

Psalms 137: 5-6,



### CEASE-FIRE IS "RESULT OF ISRAEL MILITARY GAINS"

PARIS. — The newspaper "Le Figaro" said yesterday that the Middle East cease-fire was the immediate and direct consequence of the military gains of the Israelis.

"The Israeli successes were so considerable that a military catastrophe was being anticipated for the Arabs. A cease-fire was necessary to save Egypt from disaster. Mr. Kissinger's trip to Moscow was therefore made in response to an anxious call from the Kremlin," the paper said.

### JEWS ABROAD: ISRAEL IS GIVING MORE THAN WE ARE

In the little more than two weeks since the war broke out, \$610 m. was contributed by world Jewry towards the Israeli cause — \$410 m. as donations to the United Jewish Appeal, and \$200 m. through the purchase of Israel Bonds, according to Aryeh Dulzin, Acting Chairman of the Jewish Agency.

"The clamour to help often brought tears to our eyes. People refused our thanks, saying 'Israel gives more than we are giving'. Again and again we heard. 'This is a war of survival not just for you, but for the whole Jewish people'.

"You wouldn't believe the scenes we saw. A lawyer handed over \$300,000, by selling assets that he owned. He told the meeting: 'When I was a boy, I asked my father what he had done to prevent the Holocaust. I never got an answer. I don't want to be without an answer when my children ask me the same question'."

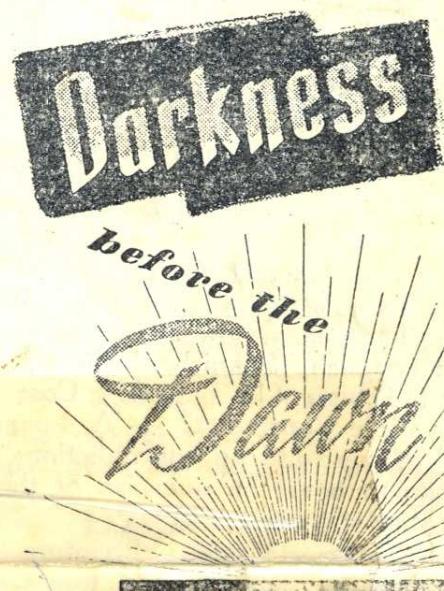
### DEFENCE MINISTRY OFFERS HELP TO FAMILIES OF FALLEN

TEL AVIV. — Within 48 hours after receiving official notice — generally much sooner — every family that has lost a soldier on active duty is visited by a representative of the Defence Ministry's Rehabilitation Department. In reporting this yesterday, Mr. Arye Fink, Director of the Department, said there are 70 teams throughout the country carrying out this task.

### 150,000 LETTERS EVERY DAY FROM SOLDIERS TO THEIR FAMILIES

The postal service is handling more than 150,

000 letters every day from soldiers to their families, and they get first priority, as if they were telegrams.



### JERUSALEM OR ROME

There are multitudes-multitudes in the valley of decision today as the prophet Joel pre-announced (Joel 3:14), when the day of the Lord is near. We must help the people to make their decision for Jerusalem and not Rome.

The devil truly has come down in great power for he knows his time is short (Rev. 12:12), and the world is being turned into a Sodom and Gomorrah, as the beast power returns. The third Angel's Message (Rev. 14:9) against worshipping this rising beast, worshipping him, and receiving his mark must be given, and we are glad you are thus having a part with us in this far-reaching work of warning the world, and turning many to righteousness. — Daniel 12:1 to 3.

The work here in Israel is truly encouraging. It is filled with good people, but they are hungry for light and truth, and love the Bible.

We are sending out thousands of free tracts here and over the world, and need more volunteer willing workers to take them from house to house. We must deny ourselves in this great and far reaching work of turning people to righteousness (Daniel 12: 1 to 3). Then receive the wonderful reward of shining forth as the stars forever, and ever, as Gabriel promises us there!