

Terrorism In Brooklyn

Of the many pictures taken during the Holocaust, there is one that is really shocking. In the picture three bearded, elderly Jews and three burly, steel-helmeted Nazi troopers were shown.

Two of the Germans, armed with machine pistols, stood menacingly over the bearded men while the third soldier used shears to cut the beard from one of their victims.

The look on the face of the man as his beard was cut away says more about terror, degradation and bigotry than a dozen pictures of living skeletons at Bergen-Belsen or Dachau.

Last month in Brooklyn's Williamsburg neighborhood another Jewish man, a Hassidic Rabbi, Pinchus Korf, had his beard shorn.

This cutting was not done by Nazis, but rather by other Jews belonging to the Satmar sect. These men were enraged because Korf had come from Crown Heights to instruct a young Williamsburg man in the teachings of the Lubavitch Hassidic movement.

In another related incident, a Lubavitch Rabbi, Mendel Vechter, who once taught in a Satmar school, was abducted on his way to the synagogue by four masked Satmar. They placed him in a blue van where they tore his clothing off and beat him with wooden clubs. They cut

his beard and slashed his throat. He was found by police after he was dumped on the street. They took him to Maimonides Hospital where he remained for about a week. Police reported that he suffered a fractured ankle and many cuts and bruises.

The men who beat the Rabbi were not Nazis, but what they did was the work of Fascists, men so frightened of ideas different from their own that they must use terror and violence instead of debate and persuasion.

As a result of these horrifying acts the committee of Lubavitch Rabbis proclaimed a Rabbinical injunction against using any food products bearing Kosher certifications from the central Rabbinical Congress of the U.S. and Canada, since they are members of the Satmar sect.

Lubavitch has led a successful movement that has brought thousands of Jews back to the faith of their grandfathers. "We teach anyone who asks for instruction from us," said Lubavitch spokesman Rabbi Yehudah Krinsky.

It is up to the leadership of the Satmar movement to stop these acts of violence, said a Lubavitch Rabbi. Many Rabbinical organizations condemned the acts and called for a day of prayer which was held on Sunday, July 10.

-Y.G.

Program Planning

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all vitally needed and must make their decisions in light of what those decisions will mean for the preservation of Judaism.

Harry Lerner noted that each pledge to the Foundation has been acknowledged with a letter asking the donors about their areas of interest in community life.

"These responses have been carefully gathered and added to the names of individuals collected by Abe Luski through Track II, and the names submitted by par-

ticipating institutions and community organizations," says Lerner. "In the coming months we will involve these interested people in the planning process Dr. Tobin has urged upon us.

"If there are those reading this article who want to participate in this exciting process of planning for the future of Judaism in Charlotte, they only need to call or write the Foundation office (366-0366) and we will be delighted to include them."

BBYO

Ruth M. Cantor, Assistant International Director of Field Services of the B'nai B'rith Youth Organization, announced the appointment of Ms. Marilyn Seidenberg to the position of Regional Director for Eastern Region BBYO.

Ms. Seidenberg will take the responsibility for the direction and supervision of the BBYO program in Virginia and North Carolina. The Eastern Region office is located in Richmond, Virginia.

A native of Dallas, Texas, Ms. Seidenberg completed her Bachelor of Business Administration degree at North Texas University. Her graduate studies in Social Work was at the University of Houston. She comes from many years of experience in BBYO, first as a chapter advisor, and later as the program administrator for the District No.7 BBYO Leadership Training Conference. Before becoming full-time staff for BBYO in 1979, she served as the administrative assistant for fiscal matters at the International BBYO Summer Leadership Programs at Camp B'nai B'rith in Starlight, Pennsylvania. Ms. Seidenberg has served as leadership instructor at Camp B'nai B'rith and at-

tended the 1982 B'nai B'rith Staff Training Seminar in Israel. She most recently has served as Texoma Region BBYO Assistant Regional Director. She held that position in Houston from 1979 until moving to Richmond in June.

Ms. Seidenberg's responsibilities will include developing a comprehensive program for the direction of volunteer advisors, assisting members to plan, execute and evaluate sound chapter programming, and inter-chapter activities, stimulate development of programs to strengthen and enhance Jewish identity, provide service to all the local BBYO Board of Directors, interpret policy, develop membership recruitment and retention programs, represent BBYO with other agencies in the serviced communities, and take part in international events as a staff member. All of these responsibilities will be in conjunction with the BBYO program in Virginia and North Carolina which is included in Eastern Region of the B'nai B'rith Youth Organization.

The Eastern Region office is located at 5403 Monument Avenue. Ms. Seidenberg can be reached at 804-282-4174.

Meichels



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Summer Delights

Eggplant-Spaghetti
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As we tend to look for variety in our daily fare, I am sure you will find that this eggplant-spaghetti dish offers somewhat of a tasty change from the ordinary. Serve it with cold tomato juice as an appetizer and accompanied by a cucumber salad with hot garlic bread.

1/4 to 1/3 cup corn oil
1 lb. eggplant, cut into 1/2-inch cubes
1 chopped green pepper
1/2 cup chopped green onion
1 clove garlic, crushed
1 lb. stewed tomatoes
1 8-oz. can tomato paste
1/2 cup dry red wine
1 tsp. oregano
1 tsp. sugar
1 lb. thin spaghetti
grated mozzarella cheese

Heat oil in a large pan. Brown all the vegetables in oil for about 10-15 minutes. Stir in stewed tomatoes, tomato paste, wine and spices. Cover and simmer, stirring often, for about 40 minutes. Serve over hot drained spaghetti. Sprinkle cheese on top. Serves 6.

Tomato-Cucumber Soup
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A cold tomato-cucumber soup is a refreshing appetizer on a summer evening.

1 lb. tomatoes, skinned
1 cucumber, peeled and diced
1 small green pepper, finely chopped
1 small onion, chopped
lemon juice
1/2 clove garlic, chopped
salt, pepper
1 tblsp. salad oil
ice water

Puree vegetables and garlic in blender. Put in a large bowl; beat in salt, pepper to taste. Mix in oil and add enough water for a flowing consistency. Add lemon juice to taste.

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