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Increased production of scarce items, rationing, an appeal to the motive of sacrifice, and increased importing were suggested as answers to the problem. But one speaker insisted that without some change in regulations, productivity, or increased imports there was small chance that the appeal will destroy black marketing.

INFUX TO CONTINUE DESPITE FOOD LACK

Jerusalem, World Zionist Organisation, in English to the Diaspora, Oct. 29, 1951, 2130 GMT--H

(Text)

"Jerusalem--Speaking at a meeting in Jerusalem, Mrs. Golda Meyerson, Israel Minister of Labor, said that with help from abroad and continuation of peace, Israel would have an easier life within a few years. A longer period, she added, would be needed to reach economic independence.

"Mapai Party members, said Mrs. Meyerson, in their pre-election speeches, had not promised easy solutions to individual or public problems. But, she added, in terms of authority there was one thing in Israel that would not be lacking, and that was immigration. The question was whether we should have more Jews or more gent, and the Nation had answered that question in the elections, and had chosen immigration."

LABOR SIGNS COST-OF-LIVING WAGE RISE

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"Tel Aviv--A new cost-of-living agreement covering the period from Oct. 16, 1951, through Jan. 15, 1952, has been signed by the Israel Federation of Labor and the Manufacturers' Association. The cost of living increase will be at the rate of 3 pounds and 25 prutah a month, or 61 prutah a day."

BAND OF SUPPORTERS OF HIFTI SEIZED

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(Text)

"Tel Aviv--Seventy-eight Arab infiltrators were detained by Israel's security forces during the last week. According to an Israeli military spokesman who made the announcement, four infiltrators were killed when they resisted arrest. Two more were killed when they ran into a minefield on the Gaza border."

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A small group of terrorists operating in the Transjordan area in the band of mastermind terrorists operating in the Transjordan area. The group, which is believed to be part of a (100 of students) sponsored by Haj Amin al-Husseini, the former Mufti of Jerusalem, was well armed and put up stiff resistance when met by Israel's superior resources. It surrendered only when surrounded. The men are believed to have been recruited by supporters of the Mufti, and were on their way to Transjordan to make a series of acts of terrorism and sabotage to undermine the Transjordan Government's authority."

GLUBB OBTAINS INCREASED LEGION SUBSIDY

Tel Aviv, Israel Armed Forces Radio, in Hebrew to Israel and the Near East, Oct. 29, 1951, 1630 GMT--K

(Text)

"The Transjordan press reports that Britain has expressed its readiness to increase the funds granted to the Arab Legion from 7 to 9 million pounds. This increase was obtained as a result of the negotiations conducted by the British commander of the Arab Legion, Glubb Pasha, who is now in Britain."

BRIEFS

NEW BANK NOTES TO BE ISSUED--Mr. Haffien, one of the directors of the Israel National Bank, announced today that new bank notes were soon to be issued. These would be inscribed "Israel National Bank" rather than as at present "Bank Anglo-Palestina." (Jerusalem, in Hebrew, Oct. 28, 1951, 1730 GMT--L)

ISRAELI STUDENT CENSUS--The Israeli Ministry of Education and Culture announced that a census will be taken of all Israeli students abroad in November and March of each year by Consular officials. (Jerusalem, in English, Oct. 28, 1951, 2130 GMT--H)

MATHANYA INDUSTRIAL CENTER--The third industrial center at Mathanya was inaugurated Oct. 28, when the cornerstone of a new brewery which will employ 200 was laid. Covering 140 dunams, the center will house up to 400 new industrial concerns. (Jerusalem, in English, Oct. 29, 1951, 2130 GMT--H)

MC MAN'S LANE TO BE CLEARED--A joint Israel-Transjordan commission yesterday inspected a road in order to clear away debris and unhealthy spots in the area. Representatives of the two main parties, the Mixed Arbitration Commission, and the Transjordan Government, the Jordanian Government, and the clearing work started. (Jerusalem, in English, Oct. 29, 1951, 2130 GMT--H)

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