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Hartke, Gavin and Humphrey To Address JWV Convention



NATIONAL COMMANDER MEETS WITH HEW'S RICHARDSON. In a meeting with Secretary of HEW, Elliott L. Richardson, National Commander Albert Schlossberg reviewed the many problems of returning Vietnam Veterans including educational programs and narcotics treatment programs in which the VA has become heavily involved.

Program Firms; Workshop Speakers Are Announced

Senator Vance Hartke (Dem.-Ind.), Chairman of the Senate Committee on Veterans Affairs, has been added to the roster of guest speakers for JWV's 76th annual national convention. Senator Hartke, currently serving his third term as a United States Senator, has fought for and won major legislation concerning education, veterans

Thirty Cadets Commissioned Across Nation

NEW YORK—Thirty Jewish cadets will be commissioned as officers at graduation exercises on June 9 at four of the United States service academies, Rabbi Edward T. Sandrow, chairman of the National Jewish Welfare Board (JWB) Commission on Jewish Chaplaincy, announced. The graduates will be presented with inscribed copies of the Bible at special baccalaureate services, as part of the year-round religious program provided at the academies by Jewish chaplains recruited, endorsed and served by the Chaplaincy Commission.



Sen. Vance Hartke

affairs, automobile and rail safety, social security, tax reform, consumer protection and the war against crime. Senator Hartke will address the Convention Session Thursday morning, August 12.

Lt. Gen. James M. Gavin will discuss the implications of Vietnam and the U.S. position in the Middle East at the National Commander's Banquet scheduled for Wednesday evening, August 11, and Senator Hubert Humphrey will be the keynote speaker, opening the session on Wednesday morning. Mr. Humphrey also addressed the 1967 Convention held in Atlantic City, when the then Vice President was principal speaker.

Jewish War Veterans from every part of the United States will be flocking into Minneapolis for this memorable 76th convention.

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The U.S. Military Academy at West Point, N.Y., will commission 11 Jewish cadets as second lieutenants. The U.S. Naval Academy at Annapolis, Md., will commission 10 Jewish cadets as ensigns. The U.S. Air Force Academy at Colorado Springs, Colorado, will graduate six Jewish cadets as second lieutenants, and the U.S. Merchant Marine Academy at Kings Point, N.Y., will commission three Jewish ensigns.

Ministering to the Jewish personnel at the U.S. Military, Naval, Air Force and Merchant Marine Academies, respectively,

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Contest Winners Announced Kraisel Tops Two Categories

At last national headquarters has determined the winners of the 75th diamond jubilee membership contest for all the six groups of Posts. Winners were selected according to the following "group" as of February 28, 1971:

- Group 1—Post under 50 members.
- Group 2—Post with memberships from 50 to 99.
- Group 3—Posts with membership from 100 to 174.
- Group 4—Posts with membership from 175 to 249.
- Group 5—Posts with membership from 250 to 349.
- Group 6—Posts with membership from 350.

The winners of a beautifully crafted wristwatch for being the individual in each group most responsible for retaining 100%

of the 1970 Post members for the year 1971 are: Group 1: Sheldon White, Post #773, New Milford, New Jersey; Group 2: Henry Silkowitz, Post #659, Toms River, New Jersey; Group 3: Irving Gottlieb, Post #783, New York, New York; Group 4: Lt. Col. Morris Kraisel, Post #58, Silver Spring, Maryland; Group 5: Morris Simon, Post #135, Detroit, Michigan; Group 6: Morris Davis, Post #575, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

The winners in the Recruitment category, those individuals who, through their own efforts and initiatives, recruited the most new members (5 minimum) for 1971 are: Group 1: Leonard London, Post #773, New Milford, New Jersey; Group 2: Sheldon Rosenblatt, Post #57, (Continued on Page 5)

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