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NICHOLAS KIEHMANN
INTERNAL SECURITY - ISRAEL

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On May 23, 1961, a confidential informant, who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised that Mr. Jack Anderson, a syndicated news columnist who is associated with Drew Pearson, well-known news columnist, had reported that Nicholas Kiehnmann, eldest son of Adolf Kiehnmann, is presently in the United States.

Adolf Kiehnmann is presently being tried in Israel on charges that he was responsible for the deaths of 6,000,000 Jews during the Hitler regime in Germany.

Mr. Anderson brought Nicholas Kiehnmann in the United States and will take him to Israel to see his father if arrangements for the trip can be made. Nicholas Kiehnmann is in possession of all of his father's papers, which Anderson feels may be of interest to the Israeli government.

Anderson wants to see David Ben-Gurion, Prime Minister of Israel, who will be visiting the United States on May 23 to June 1, 1961, to get his approval and thereafter Anderson will take Nicholas Kiehnmann to Israel. Anderson desired that the information concerning the son be kept secret until after publication of a story Anderson expects to write on the meeting of Nicholas with his father.

The informant did not know the location of Nicholas Kiehnmann in the United States.

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