

# Denounces Resolution

propaganda and make a firm commitment to support the maintenance of the State of Israel as a free and independent state," the Mayor said.

"Doesn't men everywhere will recognize that this resolution is the direct opposite of the truth — for the fact is that Zionism has represented the humanitarian aspirations of all oppressed people who seek the opportunity to live in dignity and peace," he said.

Rabbi Silver announced that an intensive membership drive will be launched during the month of January to enroll new members into the ZOA. He urged those interested in affiliating to write to Morris D. Kronenfeld, executive director of the ZOA, Connecticut Region, 110 Prospect Street, (06906), or to call 350-1626.



RABBI SAMUEL SILVER (second from left), president of The Zionist Organization of America, Stamford District, in a special ceremony held in the Mayor's office, pins a lapel button on Mayor Louis Clapes (second from right) which bears the inscription: "Zionism is a Badge of Honor." The lapel button bearing this inscription has become part of a nationwide campaign of the Zionist Organization of America to combat the UN resolution equating Zionism with racism. Also shown standing are: Art Seymour Wiseman (left), chairman of the ZOA Stamford District Public Affairs Committee, and Morris D. Kronenfeld, executive director, ZOA Connecticut Region.

Hay Photographers

VI