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DAMASCUS, Syria, April 13— Israel and Syria have signed a cease-fire agreement, an official announcement said tonight.

Permanent truce negotiations have been resumed between the Israelis and Syrians in the Mishmar-Hayarden area, on the Syrian-Israeli border. Both delegations lunched with Brig. Gen. William E. Riley, United Nations Palestine Chief of Staff, and Henri Vigier, personal representative of Acting Mediator Dr. Ralph J. Bunche.

Both sides were expected to present their draft proposals for an armistice at the next sitting of the delegates.

An Israeli spokesman said the talks would be delayed by the Passover and Easter holidays and would continue April 21.