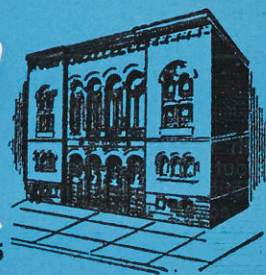


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BON VOYAGE TO RABBI AND MRS. LOOKSTEIN

This Wednesday, June 15th, Rabbi and Mrs. Lookstein are departing for Europe. As we mentioned in the previous Bulletin, Rabbi Lookstein, at the invitation of the Secretary of the Army, will conduct a retreat for chaplains in Europe at Berchtesgaden, Germany. The Rabbi will also visit the Jewish communities in French Morocco at the invitation of the New York Division of the U.J.A. This trip will be brought to a close in Israel where the Rabbi will attend the dedication ceremony of the Bar-Ilan University in Jerusalem.

We would like here to repeat an

offer that Rabbi Lookstein has made. As part of his journey, the Rabbi is prepared to visit or contact sons of members of our Congregation who are stationed in the European theatre. We ask all those with boys in the Armed Forces on the continent to inform the Rabbi.

The Rabbi's assignments are a mark of recognition of his outstanding abilities and accomplishments: They are an honor in which we all share. We extend to Rabbi Lookstein and to his dear wife our very best wishes for a successful trip and a safe return.

OUR SERVICES DURING THE SUMMER

While all major congregational activities and functions are suspended for the summer months, daily and Sabbath services are held according to a year-round uninterrupted schedule. The attendance at services during the past year has increased consistently — a fact of which we are genuinely gratified and proud.

With the coming of the summer months, however, when so many of our worshippers leave the city for seashore or mountain resorts, the attendance naturally decreases. Sabbath services, of course, still attract a goodly number of congregants. The daily services, on the other hand, present a bit of a problem.

The community which our congregation serves is, unfortunately, not heavily populated with Jewish residents. We cannot, therefore, expect a casual passer-by to drop in for services. We must rely upon our regular worshippers to provide our daily morning and evening minyan.

Daily services are held in the Chapel, where cool comfort accompanies a short but dignified service, at 7:30 in the morning and 6:00 in the evening. Services Friday evening are scheduled at 6:15 and Sunday morning at 8:30. On the Sabbath, the services are conducted in the main Synagogue, where we will continue to provide our worshippers with a decorous and spiritually-uplifting service.

We appeal to our readers to help us maintain the fundamental institution of daily services by attending as frequently as possible.

"JEWRY" DUTY

We would like here to extend our thanks and appreciation to Alexander Morganstern and Ludwig Simon who served on "Jewry" duty and attended services this past week.

Our volunteers for the coming week are Herman Katz and Jerome Wallerstein.

The Sisterhood and Men's Club of
CONGREGATION KEHILATH JESHURUN
cordially invites its members and friends
to join in

PARENT'S DAY SABBATH
this Saturday, June 11th

Graduation Exercises of the Afternoon Religious
School will be conducted as part of the service.

Service begins at 9 o'clock

A Buffet Kiddush will be served following the service.

Rabbi Lookstein will preach this Sabbath at 11:00 a.m.
" 'UNEDUCATED' PARENTS OF EDUCATED CHILDREN"
A Sermon for the Commencement Season

LAST BULLETIN OF THE SEASON

With this issue of the Bulletin, we discontinue publication until September. Throughout the year, the Bulletin has served our members and friends as a source of religious and communal information. Within its pages were reflected the diversified activities and achievements of the Congregation and its affiliated organizations.

As the season draws to a close, we take this opportunity to thank our readers for their continued interest and cooperation. They responded readily and generously to the many worthy causes that we espoused. Such drives as the Educational Scholarship Fund, Passover Relief Appeal, the Benevolent Fund, and the many others that Kehilath Jeshurun conducts, were warmly received and wholeheartedly supported by Bulletin readers.

We extend our sincerest wishes for a pleasant and restful summer. May we all return refreshed and invigorated when the new year rolls 'round.

SOMETHING FOR YOU TO CONSIDER

We would like you to consider a matter that is often called "touchy". For various reasons many people shy away from it. And yet it is one of the necessities of life that are best taken care of before tragedy strikes. We are referring, of course, to the arranging for one's cemetery needs.

Why a Family Plot?

—It is in keeping with the Jewish tradition, a tradition that originated with our first Patriarch, Abraham, to provide a common burial ground for one's family. The first purchase of property of which there is a Biblical record is associated with a family plot.

—There is gratification in meeting with one's kin in life; there is consolation to be found at the ancestral resting place where one may visit and perform his devotions in reverence to all who passed on before him.

—The acquisition of a family plot is economically more practical than the purchase of individual graves.

Why on Kehilath Jeshurun Grounds?

—The final resting place is a religious sanctuary. When located on the grounds of an old and established congregation such as Kehilath Jeshurun it will be maintained with dignity and cared for with tenderness.

—Sordid commercialism, unesthetic environment, indelicate practices should never be associated with a Bet Olam, the place of eternal rest. Kehilath Jeshurun with a record of eight decades of spiritual ministration can be relied upon for good taste, propriety and integrity.

LIONEL ETRA AND HARVEY SIMON BAR MITZVAHS

Two sons of our congregational family will be Bar Mitzvah during the coming summer months. Lionel Etra, son of our devoted members, Mr. and Mrs. Max J. Etra, will hold his Bar Mitzvah on July 30 at Camp Massad. Harvey Simon, son of our esteemed member, Dr. Kona Simon, will be Bar Mitzvah in our synagogue on June 25.

On the Principal's list, Lionel is an active student at Ramaz where he is in the 7th grade. Looking into the future, he hopes to enter the profession of law. His spare time is spent reading and collecting coins.

Harvey, a student at our afternoon Religious School, is in the 8th grade at P.S. 6 where he is a member of the Service Squad and Debating Club. In the fall he plans on entering the Bronx High School of Science which he hopes will lead him to a career in medicine. His favorite hobby is photography.

We extend our heartiest Mazel Tov wishes to the Etra and Simon families.

Our New Cemetery —

—A beautiful, completely modern Jewish cemetery, Beth El is only seventeen minutes from the George Washington Bridge and easily accessible by automobile and bus.

—Beth El rolls gently over land that is high and dry; that is uniformly graded to minimize the hazards of inclement weather and that is esthetically landscaped to be pleasing to the eye.

For further information contact our Ritual Director, Mr. Israel D. Rosenberg, at the Synagogue office (SACramento 2-0800)

ACADEMIC NOTES

We take great pleasure in listing the names of our younger folk who are celebrating educational milestones this June. In so doing, we extend to them our heartiest congratulations and our best wishes for success in their future careers:

Linda R. Belkin, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Samuel Belkin, is completing her studies at the Central Yeshiva High School for Girls and will attend the Stern College for Women of Yeshiva University.

Bruce Fischberg, son of Mr. and Mrs. William B. Fischberg, is entering Duke University Medical School.

Joanna Gewertz, receives her B.S. degree from the University of Wisconsin, cum laude, with special honors in Education, Scholarship and Service.

Elliott M. Gross, son of Dr. and Mrs. Samuel Gross, has just been graduated from Columbia University and will enter Bellevue Medical School. Elliott also received the Gold Crown Award for Service.

George Gruen was given his B.A. degree from Columbia University with "Highest Honors and with Distinction in Government." Later this month he will also receive the degree of Bachelor of Hebrew Literature from the Jewish Theological Seminary.

Arlene J. Jacobs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel B. Jacobs, is the recipient of a B.S. degree from N.Y.U. and will enter the field of Retailing.

Ann C. Kirshon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Abraham R. Kirshon, has been graduated from the High School of Music and Arts and will attend N.Y.U. comes September.

Harvey Leifert, son of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin L. Leifert, has completed his studies at the Bronx High School of Science and will enter Columbia University this fall.

Eli Reinhard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Isidor Reinhard, has been graduated from Stanford University, Palo Alto, California.

Charles T. Rosen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Rosen graduates this week from Franklin and Marshall College and then joins his family in attending brother Arthur's Wedding in Paris.

Ruth Shulman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph P. Shulman is graduating from Adelphi College where she is president of the Retailing Club and an Honor Student.

WITHIN OUR FAMILY

Birth —

Congratulations to our devoted members, Dr. and Mrs. Morris Zuckerman, on the birth of a boy, Robert Gene, to their children Lieut. and Mrs. Mathew M. Zuckerman.

Bar Mitzvahs —

Hearty Mazel wishes go to Mr. and Mrs. Abe Cleeman, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Grund and to Dr. and Mrs. Frederick Bridge on the forthcoming Bar Mitzvahs of their sons, James Cleeman, Jacob Grund and Edward Bridge. The three boys are students at Ramaz School and all three Bar Mitzvahs will take place on June 25th.

Engagement —

Our esteemed members, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph P. Shulman, have another Mazel Tov under "Marriage" but this one is for the engagement of their daughter Ruth, to Lawrence S. Rosenblum.

Marriages —

We extend our heartiest Mazel Tov wishes to our devoted trustee, Mr. Samuel Rosen, and to Mrs. Rosen, on the marriage June 26th, of their son Arthur, a member of our Synagogue, to Helen Weiss. This marriage will take place in Paris and the entire Rosen family will sail for France June 15th, on the Queen Elizabeth.

Mazel Tov wishes also go to our devoted members, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob P. Shulman, on the marriage in our Synagogue this coming Sunday of their daughter, Rona, to Joseph Wagman.

Anniversaries —

A happy Wedding Anniversary to Mr. and Mrs. David B. Baum, Mr. and Mrs. Justin J. Bayer, Mr. and Mrs. A. Milton Brown, Pvt. and Mrs. B. Warren Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred S. Casner, Mr. and Mrs. Samson Eichler, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph N. Friedman, Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Jacobs, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Kohn, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel A. Marcus and Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Rosen.

Twenty-Fifth Anniversary —

We extend our best wishes for many more years of happily wedded life together to our esteemed members, Mr. and Mrs. David Joseph, who are celebrating their twenty-fifth anniversary this coming Wednesday.

RELIGIOUS SCHOOL TO HOLD CLOSING EXERCISES JUNE 17th
"Chalk Talk" To Be Special Treat

Our afternoon Religious School will conclude its academic year with closing exercises on Friday, June 17th, at 4 o'clock in the Auditorium of the Synagogue House.

An interesting program has been arranged. Awards will be presented to deserving students and prizes will be given for attendance at Jr. Congregation. The highlight of the assembly will be a "Chalk Talk" which will be presented by Herb Kruckman, creator of the comic strip "Joey" which is featured in the World Over magazine that all our students receive. Refreshments, of course, will be served.

Registration in Progress —

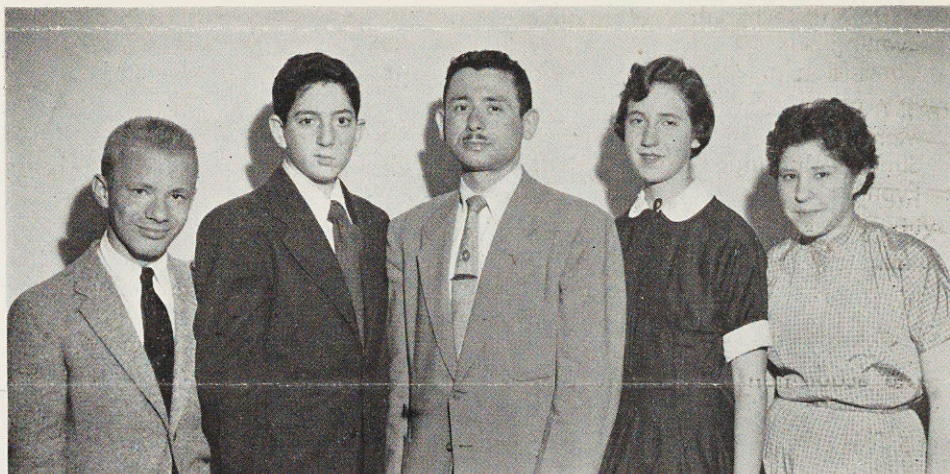
We would again like to announce that registration of children for the new school year is now in progress. Parents of prospective students, as well as of those now attending, are urged to take care of the enrollment of their sons and daughters before they leave for their summer vacations.

The new school year will begin on Monday and Tuesday, September 12 and 13, when classes will meet for full instructions. Our special Primary Class for 6 year olds will again be held on Sunday mornings.

We are interested in making our facilities available to as many children as possible. If any of our readers know of eligible children, please contact Theodore Comet, the principal of the school.

School Staff —

We would like here to thank our school staff for the excellent job they did this year. Miss Yvette Berlowe, Miss Susan Goodside, Mrs. Sara Landes and Mrs. Alice Rothkowitz. We sadly bid a fond farewell to Mrs. Landes who will shortly join her husband on his tour of duty as chaplain in the U. S. Navy and we extend to both of them our very best wishes.



GRADUATING THIS SATURDAY are the members of the Graduating Class shown in the above picture: (l. to r.) Robert Jablon, David Goodman, Rabbi Nathan Dunn, instructor, Judith Gitelson and Frana Mills.

Americans Abroad —

Rabbi Lookstein and the Rosen family will have company in Europe this summer as Mr. and Mrs. A. Milton Brown, Mr. and Mrs. A. Phillip Goldsmith and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Perlberger plan trips to the continent. It looks like the Rabbi will be able to form an overseas branch of K. J. We extend a Bon Voyage to all.

HAPPY DAY FUND

We acknowledge with thanks contributions to our Happy Day Fund from Mrs. Nathan Andrews, Miss Mildred Feinberg, Mrs. Joseph H. Lookstein and Mrs. Frederick Margaretén.

As we sign off for the summer we suggest that Sisterhood members share their joyous occasions with others by making a gift to the Happy Day Fund.

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SCHEDULE OF SERVICES**FRIDAY***

Evening 6:15

SATURDAY

Morning 9:00

Weekly Portion: Behaaloteka,
Numbers 8:1 — 12:16

Haftorah: Zechariah 2:14 — 4:7

Evening 8:15

Conclusion of Sabbath 9:05

DAILY SERVICES

Morning 7:30

Sunday Morning 8:30

Evening 6:00

*Sabbath Candles should be kindled 20 minutes before sunset. Those, however, who conform to our schedule of ushering in the Sabbath at 6:15 should also light candles at that hour.

SUMMER SCHEDULE OF SERVICE**FRIDAY**

Evening 6:15

SATURDAY

Morning 9:00

Evening 15 minutes before sunset

DAILY SERVICES

Morning 7:30

Sunday Morning 8:30

Evening 6:00

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SUMMER CALENDAR

Saturday, June 18 — Rosh Chodesh Prayers; Rosh Chodesh Tammuz will be on Monday and Tuesday, June 20 and 21.

Thursday, July 7—Fast of Tammuz.

Saturday, July 16 — Rosh Chodesh Prayers; Rosh Chodesh Ab will be on Wednesday, July 20.

Thursday, July 28—Tisha B'ab.

Saturday, August 13—Rosh Chodesh Prayers; Rosh Chodesh Elul will be Thursday and Friday, August 18 and 19.

Saturday, September 17 — First Day Rosh Hashanah.

YAHREZITS**JUNE**

11—DAVID S. SILVER
11—BENJAMIN JACOBY
12—AARON KURTZ
15—MAX RAFSKY
15—LOUIS SIEGEL
16—AARON JACOBS
17—BECKY KAHAN

CONDOLENCE

We record with sorrow the passing of our esteemed member, Samuel B. Cooperman, and we extend our heartfelt sympathy to the members of the bereaved family. We pray that the Almighty spare them further sorrow for many years to come.

TEEN-AGERS END YEAR WITH DANCE JUNE 23

On Thursday evening, June 23rd, our Teen-Age Club will bring its first year to a close with a gala June Jump in our Social Hall. A top-notch band has been engaged and a wonderful time is guaranteed. Tickets can be purchased from members of the Club or at the Synagogue Office.

Boatride a Success —

Last Sunday the Teen-Agers had their first Boatride and all who participated had a grand time. The gang went to Indian Point for a day of fun and they certainly got it. When June rolls around next year we can be certain Boatride will again be on the agenda.

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