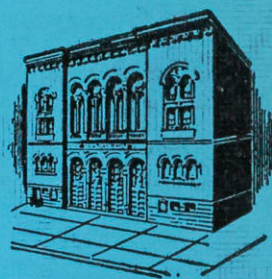


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ATTENTION: BOARD OF TRUSTEES

We would like to call to the attention of all trustees that the next meeting of the Synagogue Board will take place this Thursday evening, March 22nd, at 8:30 o'clock in the Social Hall.

There are many important items on the Agenda and all trustees are urged to make every effort to attend.

JEWRY DUTY

We would like to thank those of our members who served on "Jewry Duty" and attended services this past week. They are Abbott Bernard and Eugene Hollander.

Our volunteers for the coming week are Joseph Perlman and J. William Rosenbluth.

YEAR BOOK RECEIVES OVER \$6000 AS INITIAL EFFORT OF CHAIRMAN JULES PODELL

List of Ad-Getters Grows

LAST CHANCE FOR SEDER RESERVATIONS

As we have notified our members, Kehilath Jeshurun is again holding Passover Sedorim on Monday evening, March 26th, and Tuesday evening, March 27th.

Reservations for these Sedorim must be made by this coming Monday, March 19th. We ask that those who plan to attend contact the Synagogue Office without delay.

We pride ourselves on the beauty and dignity of our Sedorim which come as a result of much planning and preparation. We must, therefore, know well in advance the number of members who plan to attend.

A bulky envelope was received at the Synagogue Office this week, addressed to the "Educational Scholarship Fund, in care of the 1956 Year Book." It contained ads totaling over \$6,000 and represented the "first installment" to result from the magnificent efforts of our esteemed member and devoted worker, Jules Podell. The ads were from some of the many friends and well-wishers of Mr. Podell who are cooperating with him to make the 1956 Year Book campaign, of which Mr. Podell is the chairman, a success.

We would like to congratulate Mr. Podell for his excellent results this year and we know he will continue his unusual efforts to receive the support of his many friends.

Additional Ad-Getters —

Mr. Podell's response was not the only good news on the Year Book front this week. We are happy to report that the Educational Scholarship Fund received a strong shot in the arm with the addition of many members to the ranks of Year Book supporters.

Aside from those mentioned previously, the roster of ad-getters has been enlarged with the names of: Hyman Abrams, Jack Buvitt, Meyer W. Blumberg, Jerry Coan, Mrs. E. Cooperman, Israel Cummings, Alfred M. Erlich, William B. Fischberg, Lillian H. Goodman, Alexander Gross, Isidore Grossman, M. Ginsburg, Leopold Heffner, Eugene Hollander, Mrs. Irma Jacoby, Mrs. Rose Kanarek, William Lebowitz, Aaron H. Onish, Mrs. H. L. Rosenthal, Nathan Salzman, Jacob P. Shulman, Elliott W. Siegal, Aaron J. Simon, Louis Stokar and Ira F. Weisman.

We would especially like at this time to commend those who have brought

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This Sunday, March 18th, in the Social Hall

RABBI JOSEPH H. LOOKSTEIN

will discuss

"THE RELIGIOUS EXISTENTIALISM OF KIERKEGAARD, FRANZ ROSENZWEIG AND MARTIN BUBER"

in the second of the

SUNDAY SUPPER LECTURE SERIES

sponsored by the Men's Club

on the theme of

"MAN IN SEARCH OF GOD: THREE MODERN PHILOSOPHIES OF JUDAISM"

Supper will be served at 6:30 P.M. — Lecture will follow

Rabbi Lookstein will preach this Sabbath at 11:00 a.m.

"PRE-PASSOVER REFLECTIONS AND PASSOVER INSTRUCTIONS"

SISTERHOOD SPONSORS VISIT TO THE UNITED NATIONS

Trip to include Council Meeting, Lunch and Guided Tour

Mrs. Hyman Abrams, president, announced that our Sisterhood will sponsor a visit to the United Nations as its next major monthly activity. This visit will take place on Monday morning, April 23rd, and is part of a policy of having one outside trip during the calendar year.

The visit will include a chance to see the Council in action as well as a tour of the buildings.

Mrs. Samuel Gross has been appointed chairman of this affair. Invitations have been sent to all of our members and the attached Reply Cards must be returned to Mrs. Gross by Friday, April 13th. This invitation is open not only to Sisterhood members but to friends as well.

On the morning of April 23rd the group will meet in front of the Synagogue at 9:30 A.M. for Bus Transportation to the U. N. Once there they will sit in at the Council Session which begins at 10:00 o'clock. Afterwards the women will have lunch and then be taken on a guided tour. The cost of all these activities is nominal indeed. We feel that all should take advantage of seeing the United Nations in action.

HAPPY DAY FUND

We acknowledge with thanks contributions to our Happy Day Fund from Mrs. Samuel B. Cooperman and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Perlberger.

Members are urged to share their joyous occasions with others by making a gift to the Happy Day Fund. Contributions may be sent to our Happy Day Fund Chairman, Mrs. Samuel Gross, 311 East 72nd Street.

WITHIN OUR FAMILY

Birth —

Mazel Tov and best wishes go to our esteemed Trustee, Norman Jaspan, and to Mrs. Jaspan, on the birth of their daughter.

Birthdays —

Many happy returns of the day to Mrs. Jerry Coan, Mrs. Leon Gronowitz, Mrs. Rose Etra, Mrs. Benjamin Jacoby, Leigh Robbins, Jack A. Rothenstein, Dr. Ned Wachtel and Reuben Westerman.

Engagement —

We are very happy to extend our hearty mazel tov to our esteemed trustee, Dr. Samuel Belkin and to Mrs. Belkin on the engagement of their daughter, Linda, to Ralph Schuchalter of Baltimore, Maryland. Linda, a graduate of our Ramaz School, attends the Stern College for women. Mr. Schuchalter is a graduate of the Yeshiva University and is studying at N.Y.U. Law School.

Marriage —

Our heartiest mazel tov wishes also go to our devoted trustee, Oscar Perlberger and to Mrs. Perlberger, on the marriage of their son, Jack, to the former Ashella Marcus of Israel.

Anniversary —

Warmest greetings to Mr. and Mrs. Isaac E. Okun.

PREPARING FOR PASSOVER

There are several important matters that should be borne in mind during the Passover season.

"Kosher for Passover" —

A label bearing the inscription, "Kosher for Passover" is not necessarily a guarantee that the article so labeled is permissible for Passover use. Unfortunately, there are the unscrupulous who take advantage, and the credulous who fall prey. Whatever food article, therefore, that is purchased for Passover and which requires endorsement should indicate that it has the approval of a recognized rabbi or rabbinic organization. Last week, to help our members with their Passover purchases, we enclosed with our bulletin a list of "Kosher for Passover" items published by the Union of Orthodox Jewish Congregations.

Search for Chometz —

On the evening before the eve of Passover (this year, Sunday evening, March 25th), every Jewish home should be inspected to make sure that all "chometz" has been removed. Like every religious practice, there is a ceremony connected with this inspection. It is well to observe that ceremony, not alone because it is a religious requirement, but because it affords an opportunity to impress the children of every household.

Sale of Chometz —

The important ritual of "m'chiras chometz" the sale of chometz, must be attended to by Sunday, March 25th. Rabbi Lookstein will be available for this purpose during the pre-Passover week beginning Monday, March 19th. For those who cannot come in person, we provide a form, in this bulletin, which must be properly filled out, signed and returned to the Rabbi no later than Sunday, March 25th.

Disposal of Chometz —

No chometz may be eaten after 9:45 A.M. on Monday, March 26th. All chometz should be completely disposed of by 10:30 Monday morning.

Service for the First-born —

It is obligatory upon every first-born who cannot observe the fast on Monday, March 26th, to attend the special service on that day and to participate, at its conclusion, in the light collation that is served. The services for the first-born (Siyum Bechorim) will be held in the Chapel on Monday, March 26th, as part of the regular morning service which will begin at 7:30.

I, _____, hereby authorize Rabbi Joseph H. Lookstein to dispose of all Chometz that may be in my possession wherever it may be: at home, place of business or elsewhere in accordance with the requirements and provisions of the Jewish law.

Name _____

Address _____

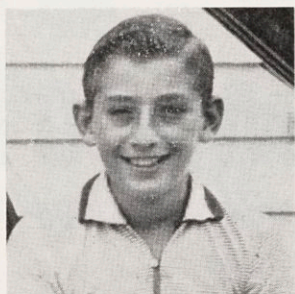
YOUNG MARRIEDS TO DISCUSS "THE JEW AND JIM CROW"

This coming Saturday evening, March 17th, the Young Marrieds Group of our congregation will hold its next meeting which will be devoted to the topic "The Jew and Jim Crow." Discussion emphasis will be placed on the position of the Jews as regards segregation and integration—a subject very much in the news today.

This next meeting will be held in the home of Martin and Hadassah Markson, 315 East 68th Street. We urge all our Young Marrieds to attend.

Discrimination in any form is a topic of deep personal interest to every Jew. An informative presentation on this subject will be heard at the meeting with plenty of time allotted for group discussion. A social hour will follow this cultural program.

PETER POLITZER BAR MITZVAH



We extend our heartiest mazel tov wishes to Dr. and Mrs. Allan Politzer on the Bar Mitzvah of their son, Peter.

A student of our afternoon Religious School, Peter is in the 5th Year Class. For his secular education he attends the Bronx High School of Science where he is a Freshman. His favorite subjects are science and math, and he sees himself carving out a career as either an architect or an engineer. Peter's favorite hobbies are photography, stamp collecting and tropical fish.

Peter's Bar Mitzvah will take place this Saturday in our Synagogue.

HOSTS AT KIDDUSH

This Saturday morning Dr. and Mrs. Allan Politzer will sponsor the Kiddush in honor of the occasion of the Bar Mitzvah of their son, Peter.

RABBI SOL ROTH ELECTED TO PULPIT OF ATLANTIC BEACH JEWISH CENTER

Just as we were about to go to press we received the news that Rabbi Sol Roth, Assistant Rabbi of our Congregation has been elected Rabbi of the Atlantic Beach Jewish Center. Although this means the end of his association with us, we are very happy that Rabbi Roth has received a call to such a prominent and outstanding Synagogue.

Due to the fact that his new congregation is without a spiritual leader Rabbi Roth will assume his duties this Saturday. As a result, of course, his Passover class will be canceled. However, he will retain contact with the Teen Age group which he has been leading so successfully.

The Atlantic Beach Jewish Center was founded originally as a resort

congregation, but with the growth and stabilization of the community it has become an important year-round institution. The Congregation is well established and possesses a beautiful building. Some of our prominent members are among the leaders of the congregation.

Because of the speed with which Rabbi Roth is taking up his duties and the intervention of the holidays, we cannot bid him a formal farewell at this time. However, we will have an opportunity to do so at a later date.

In the meantime, the congregation wishes him a happy and successful ministry, one that will be mutually satisfying and that will give him an opportunity to use his many talents on behalf of an important Community.

YEAR BOOK

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in over \$200 in ads. These are: Israel Cummings, Al Feiner, Samuel Frank, Samuel Goldberg, Eugene Hollander, Richard Kolb, Oscar Perlberger, Aaron J. Simon and Louis W. Yohann.

The "secret formula" that explains the success of our Year Book workers is very simple and one which can be tried with practically no effort at all. It consists merely of contacting people you know — asking them to help deserving youngsters. Give them an idea of what our educational institutions are trying to accomplish . . . then they'll fall in line with you. The only thing that has to be done, actual-

ly, is to make the contact: by letter, by phone, or (most preferable) in person. The rest will follow as a matter of course: authorization will be given for placing an ad in the Year Book and the Educational Scholarship Fund will have that much more with which to render assistance.

At this time, we would like to remind our readers of the motion that was passed at our last Board meeting in which it was recommended that each trustee assume a moral responsibility to garner a minimum of \$100.00 in ads and each member a minimum of \$25.00.

We cordially invite all members and friends
to attend our

"WORKSHOP ON THE HOLIDAY OF PASSOVER"

Sponsored by the Parents of our afternoon Religious School

this Monday evening, March 19th

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Our Guest Speaker will be

RABBI JOSEPH H. LOOKSTEIN

Many new Passover ideas will be discussed at this meeting

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SCHEDULE OF SERVICES**FRIDAY**

Lighting of Candles 5:45
Evening 5:50

SATURDAY

Morning 9:00
Junior Congregation 10:15
Weekly Portion: Vayikra,
Leviticus 1:1-5:26
Haftorah: Isaiah 43:21-44:23
Evening 5:50
Conclusion of Sabbath 6:40

SUNDAY

Morning 8:30
Father-and-Son Minyan 9:30

DAILY SERVICES

Morning 7:30
Evening 6:00

YAHREZITS**March**

17—PEPPI SILBERMAN
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17—DAVID THALENBERG
19—LOUIS ROSENBLUTH
20—JULIUS SCHULTZ
21—MORRIS BORNSTEIN
21—FANNY ABRAMSON
21—FANNIE KAISER
21—DAVID KASS
22—LOUIS FRIED
23—MINNIE HERMAN

CONDOLENCE

We record with sorrow the passing of Lizette Schmuckler, beloved mother of our esteemed member, Mrs. Jacob L. Rothstein, and we extend our heartfelt sympathies to the members of the bereaved family. May the almighty spare them further grief for many years to come.

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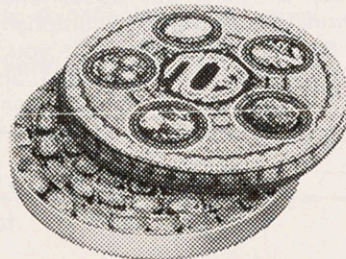
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