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RABBI JOSEPH H. LOOKSTEIN ELECTED CHANCELLOR OF BAR-ILAN UNIVERSITY

Rabbi Joseph H. Lookstein, after serving for eight years as Acting President of Bar-Ilan University in Israel, was elected Chancellor of the University. The announcement was made by Minister Moshe Shapiro, Minister of the Interior in the State of Israel.

The Rabbi was greeted in his new capacity at a Charter Day Dinner, held recently at the Waldorf-Astoria, at which Vice President Humphrey received the first honorary degree awarded by the University. The Rabbi conferred the degree on the Vice President at an appropriate academic ceremony.

Rabbi Lookstein informed the gathering that a President, who will remain in residence at Bar-Ilan, has been elected. He is Professor Max Jammer, a world-renowned physicist and a member of the faculty of the University.

Bar-Ilan now has a student body of close to three thousand and a faculty of over four hundred. It is situated on a spacious and beautiful campus in Ramat-Gan, near Tel Aviv. About fifteen academic buildings are already on the campus, and several new buildings are in the process of construction.

In answer to a number of inquiries, the Rabbi explained that, contrary to newspaper reports, his intention is to pursue the functions of his new office without any change in his rabbinic duties at Kehilath Jeshurun and the Ramaz School.

The Rabbi heartily thanks the members of the Kehilath Jeshurun family who were kind enough to write to him and to congratulate him on his new post. He received countless messages from the members of the Congregation and from parents at Ramaz School.



THE VICE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES, HUBERT H. HUMPHREY
BEING PRESENTED WITH AN HONORARY DEGREE
BY RABBI JOSEPH H. LOOKSTEIN

The Kehilath Jeshurun Men's Club

cordially invites its members and friends to attend

the Twenty-Eighth Annual Dinner

which will be held on

Tuesday Evening, January 10th

in the

Assembly Hall of the Synagogue House

Cocktails at 6:15

Subscription — \$10.00

Rabbi Joseph H. Lookstein will preach this Saturday at 11:00 A.M.

"THE BEST OF MOSES"



THE WEEKLY PORTION

SHEMOTH

"Building for Leadership"

We are all familiar with the story of the birth of Moses which appears in this week's portion from the Torah. The child was brought up by his mother as the agent of the daughter of Pharaoh. We read in the Bible "And the child matured and she brought him to the daughter of Pharaoh and became her son . . . And it came to pass in those days that Moses matured and he went out among his brothers and he saw their travails."

Our sages remark that the child matured first in the home of his mother and then again in the home of Pharaoh's daughter. This would indicate that his early development was supervised by his mother. It comes, therefore, as no surprise that upon his complete maturity he went out among his brothers and "he saw their travails".

It would appear that the training which he received in his mother's home rendered him capable of feeling the anguish of the Children of Israel. It is by no means natural for a child to be sympathetic to the problems of others. This is an acquired characteristic. It must be learned by the child and it must, therefore, be taught by parents.

The ideal method for teaching such concern is for the parents themselves to show concern for others. This method was epitomized by Moses' mother who was, as we read in this week's portion, the mid-wife for the Jewish People at that time. It was she who saved countless children from being cast into the sea by the officers of Pharaoh.

Parents can learn from the example of Moses' mother. If in their discussions at home they evince concern for the welfare of the Jewish people, their children will catch their concern from them. If they support the United Jewish Appeal, the Federation of Jewish Philanthropies, and other philanthropic organizations which help our fellow Jews, their children will develop a sense of the importance of charity and rendering help to those in need.

"And the woman took the child and she nursed him." From all that we know of Moses we must assume that he was nursed not only on the milk which sustains life but the milk of human kindness which makes life worthwhile.

H. L.

WITHIN OUR FAMILY

WEEK OF DECEMBER 31st

Birthdays—

Many happy returns of the day to Mrs. Myron M. Bogdonoff, Mrs. Pauline Einstein, Mrs. Nathan Goldsmith, Jacob A. Klein, Mrs. D. Harry Kleinfeld, Mrs. Richard Kolb, Mrs. Benjamin Mandelker, Samuel Morris, Mrs. Henry M. Rem, Mrs. Irwin Shapiro, Ralph Spencer, Mrs. Herbert Steinman, and Mrs. Wolf Zukerman.

Anniversaries—

Warmest greetings to Mr. and Mrs. Max J. Etra, Mr. and Mrs. Al Feiner, Mr. and Mrs. Manfred M. Magnus, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Neustadter, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack A. Rothenstein.

Wedding—

Our heartiest wishes of mazel tov to Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Podell upon the marriage of their son, Joel, to the former Marilyn Mogul of Long Island. Joel, who grew up in our Synagogue and was graduated from Ramaz, will now reside in Nassau County with his bride.

Member in the News—

We congratulate our devoted member, Joseph N. Friedman, upon his election as President of the East Side Mid-Manhattan Mizrahi Chapter.

We note with pride the recent address which Mr. Friedman delivered at Congregation Bnai Yehuda, a neighboring synagogue. Mr. Friedman, who is a charter member of the National Jewish Commission on Law and Public Affairs, spoke on the topic "Justice in America — Milestone on the Road to Sinai."

Get Well—

We wish a speedy recovery to our devoted member William Heyman,

who was recently taken ill. Mr. Heyman, who is a regular attendant at the daily morning and afternoon services, is missed by his colleagues.

We look forward to his return to our midst.

Communal Service—

We record with pride the presentation of the ninth annual Israel Cummings' Awards to honor rabbis and social workers under the auspices of the Commission on Synagogue Relations of Federation.

The awards were recently presented to three outstanding leaders in rabbinic and Jewish social work. Mrs. Israel Cummings presented the awards in behalf of her husband and the Commission on Synagogue Relations.

Condolences—

We extend our heartfelt condolences to our devoted member, Sidney Flatow, upon the passing of his beloved sister, Ida Landau.

We pray that the family will be spared further sorrow for many years to come.

WEEK OF JANUARY 7th

Birthdays—

Many happy returns of the day to Herbert N. Abrams, Mrs. Harry W. Baumgarten, Mrs. Albert H. Colin, Mrs. Frank Goodman, Mrs. Charles B. Jacobs, Mrs. David Joseph, Mrs. Morton Kamerman, Mrs. Irwin B. Robins, Frank Roth, and Mrs. Emanuel M. Simon.

Anniversaries—

Warmest greetings to Mr. and Mrs. Victor Binstock, Dr. and Mrs. Samuel W. Bloom, Mr. and Mrs. Israel Jacobs, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Perlman, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Scheinberg, and Dr. and Mrs. Judah Zizmor.

The Ramaz Parents Council

cordially invites you to spend

An Evening With Isaac Bashevis Singer

Wednesday, January 11, 1967, 8:30 o'clock

Synagogue House Assembly Hall

125 East 85th Street

TEENAGE TORAH READERS

During the past several months, a number of teenage boys of our congregational family have rendered service to the religious program of the congregation. The young men have served as Torah readers at the Junior Congregation services and at the Saturday afternoon regular service.

This "Teenage Torah Readers Corps", serves as a stimulant to the children of the Junior Congregation to aim for greater heights in Torah reading proficiency and in general religious observance. In addition, their participation at the adult minyan adds much to the character of that service.

We commend the instructor of the teenage Torah readers, our Ritual Director, Mr. Israel D. Rosenberg, for his efforts. We congratulate the young men for their exemplary cooperation and accomplishments.

We list below the names of the readers:

- Marvin Binstock
- Samuel Blumenthal
- Larry Breindel
- Marvin Davenport
- Steven Davenport
- Samuel Friedman
- Aaron Holzer
- Aaron Hostyk
- David Hostyk
- Michael Jaspan
- Richard Kahn
- Alan Kalischer
- Robert Kurzweil
- Philip Lerner
- Steven Lorch
- Emanuel Nack
- Roger Oppenheimer
- Abram Orwasher
- Gerard Rem
- Richard Rem
- Abraham Rosenberg
- Martin Rosenberg
- Steven Schacter
- Benjamin Skydell
- Alvin Smilow
- Lewis Trencher

OF COMMUNITY INTEREST

(We are happy to print below a statement which we received from Hon. Samuel H. Hofstadter, Justice of the Supreme Court of the State of New York. The timeliness and significance of this statement are evident from the text itself. Ed.)

"THE SPIRIT OF FREEDOM"

"December 15 marked the 175th anniversary of the adoption of the Bill of Rights (the first Ten Amendments) of the United States Constitution. Magna Carta and other charters of freedom were concessions from a sovereign ruler to a subject people. But our Constitution — opening with "We the people" — was a grant of power from a sovereign people to a government as its agent, with specific limitations particularized in a Bill of Rights. As Jefferson wrote to Madison (who drafted it): "A Bill of Rights is what the people are entitled to against every government." Indeed, historians agree that the Constitution might not have been ratified had the States not been assured that it would be supplemented by a Bill of Rights.

Originally, the Bill of Rights was operative only against the Federal Government; but the 14th Amendment rendered many of its canons applicable to the States. Supreme Court decisions insisting on the inviolability of individual privilege vindicate the Bill of Rights as an instrument of democracy in actual being — "a government of laws and not of men." It is a living demonstration that only through the rule of law are liberties meaningful and lasting — those sought by disorder and violence breed lawlessness, destroying the very foundation upon which freedom must rest."

Please Note

The next issue of the Bulletin will appear on January 13, 1967. Please retain this issue for the information that it contains.

THE JEWRY BOX

Served During WEEK OF DEC. 18th	Will Serve During WEEK OF JAN. 1st	Will Serve During WEEK OF JAN. 8th
Armin Faerber	James Clark	Dr. Samuel Bloom
Nathan Goldsmith	Herman D. Gimbel	David Hefter
Sidney Schwartzenfeld	Dr. Samuel Gross	Gedeon Heller

Thank you for your cooperation in helping to maintain the Daily Minyan.

— REMINDER —

The Next Meeting of the K. J. Sisterhood
will be held on
MONDAY, JANUARY 23rd,
AT 12:30 O'CLOCK

in the Assembly Hall of
the Synagogue House

— Program —

A dialogue
between Rabbi Haskel Lookstein
and Sam Levenson

on

"EVERYTHING BUT MONEY"

A non-fiction work by
Sam Levenson

ADULT INSTITUTE NOTICE

Our Wednesday evening classes will be in recess until the beginning of the Spring semester on Wednesday, February 1st. On that evening we will also hear a lecture by Dr. Irving Greenberg on the sources in Jewish tradition which touch upon the problem of war in the modern age.

The Monday morning classes for women, the Monday evening Talmud class and the Tuesday morning class in Hebrew will all resume their regular sessions beginning with Tuesday, January 3rd and Monday, January 9th.

FATHER AND SON MINYAN NOTICE

There will be no Father and Son Minyan Service on Sunday, January 1st.

We wish to thank the following who served as cantors at the last two services of the Minyan: Alan Friedman, Samuel Friedman, David Popkin, Nicky Gura, Leslie Helprin, Steven Schacter and Robert Spira.

**SISTERHOOD
KIDDUSH HOSTESSES**

Saturday, December 31st

- Mrs. Nathan Andrews
- Mrs. Mildred Feinberg
- Mrs. Benjamin Kaufman
- Mrs. Saul J. Linzer
- Mrs. Seppy I. Silberman

Saturday, January 7th

- Mrs. Joseph N. Friedman
- Mrs. Harry Freundlich
- Mrs. Israel D. Rosenberg
- Mrs. Meyer Texon

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Joseph Glatt Exec. Director
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Abraham R. Kirshon Pres. Men's Club

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES**FRIDAY, DECEMBER 30th**

Lighting of Candles 4:20
Evening 4:30

SATURDAY

Morning 9:00
Junior Congregation 10:15
Pre-School Service
Dining Hall 11:00

**Weekly Portion: Shemot
Exodus 1:1 - 6:1****Haftorah: Isaiah 27:6 - 28:13, 29:22-23**

Evening 4:20
Conclusion of Sabbath 5:10

WEEKDAY SERVICES

Morning 7:30
Sunday Morning 8:30
Monday Morning 8:30
Evening 4:30

FRIDAY, JANUARY 6th

Lighting of Candles 4:25
Evening 4:30

SATURDAY


Morning 9:00
Junior Congregation 10:15
Pre-School Service
Dining Hall 11:00

**Weekly Portion: Vaera
Exodus 6:2 - 9:35****Haftorah: Ezekiel 28:25 - 29:21****ROSH CHODESH PRAYERS**

Rosh Chodesh Shevat will be on
Thursday, January 12th.
Evening 4:30
Conclusion of Sabbath 5:15

WEEKDAY SERVICES

Morning 7:30
Sunday Morning 8:30
Father and Son Minyan 9:30
Evening 4:40

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Yahrzeits**December**

31—LOUIS GIVNER
31—SOPHIE GOODSIDE
31—JOSEPH KOTTLER
31—PHILIP BACHRACH
31—MAXWELL A. HECKLER
31—SAMSON GORDON

January

1—MARTHA HECKSCHER
1—HARRY FISCHEL
1—SOL SEIDNER
1—ALEXANDER HERBST
1—ETHEL R. MEYERS
2—ANNIE MANDELBAUM
2—CECELIA FELDBERG
2—MOLLIE GOLDBERG
3—ESTHER SCHLANG
3—WALTER H. STINER
3—SAMUEL KINGSON
3—HARRY GOLDSTEIN
3—JEANNE R. RUBIN
3—SARAH SEIDENBERG
3—SARAH EARL
4—WILLIAM GOLDMAN
4—TOIBA SONENBERG
4—ISAAC SILVERMAN
5—MINNIE SHAPIRO
5—SAM BUCHER
5—MINNIE LIPSCHUTZ
5—IDA ZUCKERMAN
5—SARAH GIMBEL
6—JACOB LANDAU
6—S. LAWRENCE BRODY
6—ABRAHAM POUST

6—YETTA WEINBAUM
6—MUSIA MENDELOWITZ
7—JULIA ADLER
7—ALBERT HERSHKOVITZ
7—SARAH KERNER
7—BERNARD RASHBAUM
7—BESSIE SNYDER
7—WILLIAM KLEIN
8—HARRY WESTERMAN
8—DORA PERLMAN
8—LOUIS GOLDENHEIM
9—FLORA MUENSTERBERGER
9—ISIDOR FISCHMAN
9—DORA RHODES
9—JUDAH LOW
10—JANE FISCHEL
10—CLARA LEWIS
10—ELIAS I. GORDON
10—LOUIS J. LEBOWITZ
10—AMELIA SIEGEL
10—MAXWELL KLEIN
11—WOLF SIGALL
12—HANNAH FOLKMAN
12—FANNIE ZESSMAN
12—HENRIETTA HIRSCH
12—LOUIS HEYMAN
12—FREDERIK SAX
12—NATHAN LIPMAN
13—MORRIS H. GELFAND
13—RACHEL GOLDENRITT
13—ETTEL KLEIN
13—HENRY RAPHAEL GOLD
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