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JOINT INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS JUNE 22nd

A gala installation of the newly elected officers of the Congregation, Women's League and Men's Club will be held Monday evening, June 22nd at 8:30 P.M.

A delightful program of entertainment and refreshments has been planned by the installation committee for your pleasure. All members are urged to attend and show your support for the incoming administrations of the various synagogue organizations.

HEBREW SCHOOL NOTES

Our Hebrew School will hold its Closing Assembly and Graduation on Thursday afternoon June 18th at 4 P.M.

We will be privileged to graduate William Groginsky, Robert Kornblum, Mark Lewis, Steven Schroeder and Steven Shatkin from our school. Awards will be presented to the undergraduates and refreshments will be served.

Registration is now in progress for the new term both for Hebrew School and Sunday School. The Sunday School is open to children 5-8 years of age, while those reaching their eighth birthday should be registered in the Hebrew School.

From The President

The past year had its many rewarding moments and I would like to thank the many members who have expressed their feelings to me. But I would like to join with those who have not said anything one way or the other and try to make this next year a more substantively meaningful one.

The crisis of our time, which reaches not only into our synagogue but into our homes, demands that something be done by each of us, and not rely upon what others are doing. Our biggest problem has been our lack of physical capacity to give a recreational outlet to our youth. We have made various unsuccessful attempts to overcome this so-called lack. Somewhere in the span of years behind us, we have lost our youth. We are now no longer a "Young" Israel.

Worse yet, when we read the news, count the heads, and verify the paths of our youth, we must look at strangers! The danger is to us as a community and to each of you who in his or her way have carried forward the torch of our tradition to this point. There may be no torch bearers tomorrow.

As president, I would like to throw open the facilities of our building and

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Sara Kaufman

*Pres. Women's League***A BACKWARD GLANCE***Sidney Robinson*

This year's Laymen's Shabbos lived up to its past reputation as an unqualified success. All the participants performed outstandingly well and revealed that they had taken their assignments with great sincerity. In reply to a compliment characterizing his sermon as "unusually good," Bernard Horowitz agreed with the first part of the statement only. However, the latter half still stands only we might replace it with "excellent." . . . A total of 67 men and women enrolled in our Adult Institute received certificates of accreditation at the closing exercises of the Institute. Rabbi Jacob Bulka, guest speaker, extolled the virtues of the students and the importance of study as part of our religious heritage . . . More and more of our members are telling us of the Israel-made products they are buying. This is good news. We must strive to strengthen Israel's economy if she is to face the future with confidence. Look for the Israel label the next time you shop . . . The Israel Discussion Group, which met on Saturday afternoons, closed a successful season of talks on current events in the Holy Land. It is hoped that the group will continue in

the fall with more of the members taking part in its interesting sessions . . . Summer is a time for reflection as well as vacation. We hope the membership will be thinking of new ideas that will add zest to our activities . . . Summer is also a time when our minyans, both in the morning and evening, fall dangerously low. Please try to attend whenever possible . . . Summer is also a time when you should take care of your reservations for the Holy Days. Please respond immediately when the Synagogue Committee contacts you . . . We wish you a healthy and happy summer and look forward to keeping you posted on our happenings next season. Shalom.

**FROM THE MEN'S CLUB**

Our May meeting was Election meeting and I am happy to report that the following officers were elected for the year 1970-1971: President — Harry Brooks, Vice President—Moe H. Scher, Financial Secretary—Al Messing, Treasurer—Max Spielberger, Recording Secretary—Mack Waldman and Corresponding Secretary—Ellis Rich.

I want to take this opportunity to personally thank last year's officers as well as all the members for cooperating with me in achieving the successful goals for the benefit of the synagogue.

This being my last message before the summer vacation sets in I want to wish all the members and their families a **HEALTHY and ENJOYABLE SUMMER.**

Harry Brooks,
President.



WOMEN'S LEAGUE

Dear Sisters:

As my years of being president reaches the stage of the setting sun, its mellow radiance fills me with a glow of memories that will remain with me forever.

It is two years, yet it doesn't seem so long. Is it because I really enjoyed my stay? The many friends I made, the cooperation of my staff officers which made my terms like a smooth sailing ship, the chairmen and co-chairmen and their helpers who made every undertaking a success, the officers of the Men's Club, the shul officers, the Golden Ringers, Hattie in the office, Rabbi Schwartz with his advice and counsel, you my members by the large attendance at meetings and the confidence you placed in me, to you all I say a heartfelt "Thank You", for making my term a success.

You will have a new slate of officers for the new term and I am confident that you will give them the same cooperation and so keep Women's League on the upward path.

Have a happy and healthy summer and I'll see you all back in the fall.

Sincerely,

Fannie R. Brown



WOMEN'S LEAGUE NEWS

When we last convened in May, we elected our new president, Sara Kaufman and her staff of officers, and they were duly installed by past president, Dorothy Haimowitz. Our best wishes go to Sarah for a happy and successful administration.

Congratulations to our outgoing president, Fannie Brown, on a job well done. No task was too difficult for Fannie and no job was beneath her station. She helped in the kitchen, at the Donor Table, as chairman of L'Maan Hayered when Fanny Eigner was incapacitated and even wrote this column during my absence. What a gal! Her sincerity and true Young Israel spirit won her the affection and admiration of the entire membership.

The Donor Shop will be open during the summer on Tuesday evenings at 8:30 under the capable direction of Gert Miller and Pauline Lehman. Come in to browse and buy, and then stay, at no charge, to play cards or Mah Jongg in our beautiful air conditioned Levin Hall.

The Strawberry Festival on May 26th, so ably run by Bessie Vegotsky, her co-chairman Hattie Haiman and committee, was a grand success. What a delicious luncheon! We thank Bill and Mary Zisselman for their generous donation of the fish and cole slaw. We missed Ruth Lott who was not well enough to be present. Ruth has worked on the Koffee Klotches and luncheons for years and we certainly appreciate it.

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HIGH HOLY DAY RESERVATIONS

Letters are going out to all members and seatholders pertaining to seats for the High Holy Days which begin on September 30th, the Eve of Rosh Hashonah. Return your reservation cards as soon as possible to assure yourself of proper seating. If you are a new resident in our community or have any inquiry pertaining to seating, contact the chairman of the committee directly, Mr. Kalman S. Winkler at TA 8-5027.

From the President (Cont'd)

establish a "Gymnasium of Ideas and Discussion" between young men and women and us, their elders. Let them be our sons and daughters and their friends, or the sons and daughters of our friends. Let them come in whatever dress they choose, with whatever thoughts they have and let us welcome them with respect for their ideas, as they will respect our ideas, and give respect to our religious surrounding with covered heads.

This is not a one or two man job. This is a responsibility for each of us to carry forward. Extend this invitation to your children and I ask them and you to contact me with your ideas toward making the mechanics of this gymnasium work.

I hope your summer will be a happier one because we can look forward to a brighter future.

Nate Berliner

Women's League News (Cont'd)

We hope she will return in the fall in good health to continue her good work.

We extend a hearty welcome to our new members—Anna Cheynovitz, Sylvia Rosen and Anne Spector.

Congratulations to:

Diana and Joseph Cowin, whose son Dr. Arnold Moltz will read research papers on Gynecological Cancer at Dallas, Texas.

Hattie and Phil Haiman, whose son Arnold graduated from New York University Law School.

Sarah and Mark Lipsky, whose son David received his Master's in Business Administration at Pace College. Their daughter Ellen attends Hunter College. Sarah and mark will be touring Europe this summer.

Betty and Mack Waldman, whose son David graduated from high school and will attend Queens College in the fall.

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Sarah and Sid Edelson will take a Canadian trip, Honor and Abe Evans of Florida are visiting their children in New York; Betty and Allan Sommers will travel through England, Scotland and Wales after their son Philip's marriage on July 2nd; Betty and William Werner returned from a trip to Florida; Julia and Simon Zaret returned home from a European vacation.

Maye Shaw, one of our members, is running for District Leader in the Democratic primary June 23rd in the 85th Assembly District. Maye has been a vocal, interested community leader for many years.

I wish all of you a pleasant summer.

Sadye R. Levine,
Your News Reporter

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Women's League news items should be sent to Sadye R. Levine, 1553 Unionport Road

Personal

MAZEL TOV

Our heartiest congratulations to:

Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Brown, whose son Sydney is graduating from City College and who has been accepted by graduate school for his master's degree.

Mr. & Mrs. Benjamin Frohlich, on the marriage of their son Sidney to Leah Magnus.

Mr. & Mrs. Samuel Pausack, on the marriage of their daughter Cynthia to Dennis Berman.

Mrs. Sylvia Silverman, on the birth of her grandson.

Mr. & Mrs. Sam Willner, on the birth of their granddaughter.



GET WELL

Our best wishes for a speedy and full recovery to Mac Bernfeld, Mrs. Cele Kirschenbaum, Mrs. Frances Pausack, Oscar Rubin, Arthur Weiss.

"Refuah Shlemah."



Our deepest sympathy to:

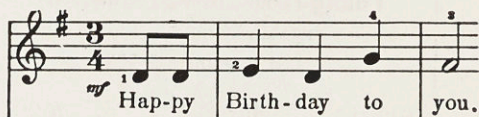
Mr. Bernard Levy, on the loss of his beloved mother Annie Levy.

Mrs. Charles Seligman & Family, on the loss of their beloved husband and father Charles Seligman.

Mrs. Jeanne Weiss, on the loss of her beloved husband Sam Weiss.

May they be comforted amongst the other mourners of Zion and Jerusalem.

Best wishes and felicitations to the following members having birthdays or anniversaries in June:



BIRTHDAYS

(1) Herman Reisman, Moe H. Scher, Richard Lehrer; (2) Robert Smith; (3) Jonathan Klugman, Mildred Anker; (4) Helen Joffe; (5) Roberta Amsel, Robin S. Waldman; (6) Beverly List, Rhoda Moskowitz; (7) Ruth Astor; (8) Arthur Roth; (10) Michael Feller, Helen Ross; (11) Joan Felman, Cheryl Smith, Carey Banarer; (12) Gail Felman; (13) Jack Katz; (14) Sydelle Sobel; (15) Joseph A. Brown; (16) Nathan H. Berliner; (17) Daniel Workman; (18) Max Kaplan; (19) Daniel Gross, Fay Spitz, Gail Weinreb, David Kezner, Irving Michlin; (20) Ira Bernstein, Syd Thau, Bella Spill; (21) Jeanne Sherman, David Katz; (23) Jack Levy; (24) Sidney Greenberg; (25) Mitchel Workman; (30) Sue Weiden, Molly Gewertz.

ANNIVERSARY

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(3) Mr. & Mrs. Arthur Roth; (4) Mr. & Mrs. Harry Brooks; (5) Mr. & Mrs. Joe Kutner, Mr. & Mrs. Myer Barr; (6) Mr. & Mrs. Daniel Workman; (8) Mr. & Mrs. Walter Silverman, Mr. & Mrs. Stuart Gross; (12) Mr. & Mrs. Benjamin Levine, Mr. & Mrs. Morris Shelby; (14) Mr. & Mrs. Herman Reisman; (15) Mr. & Mrs. Ray Russnow, Mr. & Mrs. Fred Kerner; (18) Mr. & Mrs. Hy Cohen; (19) Mr. & Mrs. Eugene Zuckerman; (20) Mr. & Mrs. Morris Rosenberg, Mr. & Mrs. Emanuel Kezner; (23) Mr. & Mrs. Morris Kanter; (24) Mr. & Mrs. Herman Ringelheim, Mr. & Mrs. Jack Slove; (25) Mr. & Mrs. Al Levine, Mr. & Mrs. Mack Waldman, Mr. & Mrs. Melvyn Gross; (27) Mr. & Mrs. Al Hein; (29) Mr. & Mrs. Murray Kalter; (30) Mr. & Mrs. Abraham Gewertz * * * and many happy returns.

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YOUNG ISRAEL CONVENTION

It is still time to make your reservations for the weekend of June 26th for the 58th Annual Convention of the National Council of Young Israel at Pine View Hotel, South Fallsburgh.

For Your Relaxation

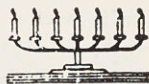
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who is co-chairman of the convention
committee for reservations. It will be
a weekend you will long cherish.



SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

A regular schedule of services
will be maintained during the sum-
mer months:

Daily (Monday through Friday)

Mornings 6:45 A.M. and evenings
8:00 P.M.

Friday evening7:00 P.M.

Saturday morning8:45 A.M.

Sunday morning8:00 A.M.

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