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WELCOME HOME, ONE AND ALL

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NEW FEATURES INCORPORATED

As a welcome-home gift, the Editors are proud to present the "New Review."

The Review is your child, born of steadfastness as Jews and of your loyalty to the West Side Institutional Synagogue. Like any other child, it is growing. Its increase, with this issue, to an eight-page weekly is as yet the most spectacular manifestation of growth, although signs of unmistakable vitality abound in the files of past issues.

There are new features, and experiments in making The Review more attractive. But it is still the same friendly, intimate paper--YOUR paper. All the Editors ask is that you continue to reward their efforts with your interest.

CLUB BOARD ESTABLISHES JUNIOR HOUSE MEMBERSHIP

Though all formal club activity stopped during the summer months, the Club Governing Board kept right on functioning through its steering committee to discover ways and means for bigger and better Junior, Intermediate, and Senior club programs at the W. S. I. S. during the coming year.

It was decided that a Junior House Membership should be created. This will give everyone the privilege of joining of our clubs and participating in all social and recreational activities at the W. S. I. S.

Special guest cards will be issued to all those desiring to familiarize themselves with our social and recreational activities before deciding to become a member.

Members of the Steering Committee are Seymour Sedwitz, Chairman; Norman Civic, Buddy Friedman, Gabby Goldstein, Buddy Udell and Rabbi Emanuel L. Lifschitz.

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SEAT RESERVATIONS

Seats for holiday services in our beautiful Synagogue are going fast, but there are still choice locations left at all prices. Our office is open night and day to take care of all who come in. But we'd suggest that you make it immediately, in order to avoid disappointment. Come and worship with us in our beautiful Synagogue.

NEW YEARS GREETINGS

Our next issue, a special Rosh Hashonah Review, will be in your homes on next Wednesday morning, Erev Rosh Hashonah. In a section devoted to New Years greetings, many of our directors and members are including their personal messages to friends and relatives. Wouldn't you like to do the same? Phone your message to us today or come into the office. There we have several forms, and if none of them appeals to you, you may frame your own message. The cost is \$2.00.

HOLD STUDENT RALLY AT BEACON THEATRE

On next Sunday morning, September 10th, at 9:30, the boys and girls of the Talmud Torah will attend a Student Rally at the Beacon Theatre, Broadway at 74th Street.

A fine program, including movies and refreshments, has been arranged.

Each student may invite any number of his or her friends to be present.

TALMUD TORAH OPENS MONDAY AND TUESDAY

Talmud Torah classes will start this Monday afternoon, September 11th, for the Monday - Wednesday division, and on Tuesday afternoon, September 12th, for the Tuesday - Thursday division. Sessions will be held on all school days between the holidays.

The faculty consists of fine graduate Hebrew Teachers under the supervision of Rabbi Emanuel L. Lifschitz. Methods of instruction include all modern educational techniques.

The Talmud Torah accentuates character growth and the importance of our youth's participation in creative Jewish living. This year a rich program of Hebraic Arts and Crafts has been planned.

Registration for new students of the Talmud Torah starts next Monday afternoon, Sept. 1. Parents of children of school age are requested to enroll them IMMEDIATELY.

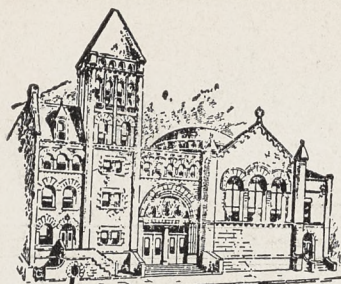
Classes are held for boys and girls between the ages of six and sixteen.

IMPROVEMENTS PLANNED IN CLUB AND GAME ROOMS

Due to the encouraging growth of our club activities during the last year, the Club Governing Board has determined to aim for a new high during the coming season.

With the generous co-operation of the Congregation, new ping-pong tables will be erected in the Game Room and facilities for chess and checkers will be provided. The Game Room will be supervised and will be open every night except Fridays and Holidays to all members of the Club Council. The club rooms will be improved with cozy furnishings, radios and magazine shelves.

So spread the word about town. Tell your friends about the W. S. I. S. club activities and watch these columns for further announcements concerning club reconventions.



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WELCOME HOME

In these momentous days, when the world seems topsy-turvy, it is with a feeling of solemnity that we greet our readers after the summer holidays. We trust you have returned thoroughly refreshed, ready to share your burden of obligations, for they will be many.

We are living in critical times and Herculean efforts on our part will be required to enable us to survive. The enemies of all the American freedoms — life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness — lurk in every nook and corner. These enemies must be fought till they are exterminated, as it is evident that there is no room here for both their dogmas and the ones enunciated in our Constitution.

We welcome you home and bespeak your willing cooperation in the cause of humanity.

WE ARE GROWING

This issue inaugurates an experiment in growth, to maintain which we need lots of help. We have doubled the size of the paper, increased our staff and inaugurated several new features. We are trying to make the paper more readable, informative and, physically more attractive.

We are ambitious to become the mouthpiece of Orthodox Jewry in our community. This is a worthy but

large ambition. To succeed, we need a transfusion of advertising.

"Ads" are our life blood. They furnish the means of keeping this paper in circulation so that, if you are as enthusiastic a supporter as you are a reader, please help us get "ads." You do not have to do any soliciting whatsoever. We'll attend to that. Just give us the name of the prospect and we'll go in your place. Please do not overlook the fact that an "ad" in this paper is not "charity." While it serves a good cause, it also appears in a very attractive and effective advertising medium, as this paper is read, we estimate, by over 6,000 persons a week.

THE MERGER

Hitler and his gang rode into power, financially geared by big business (including a number of prominent Jews) as the champion who was going to save the world from Communism.

Stalin, et al, sought favor in Democratic countries, with the help of persons of liberal or radical tendencies (including a number of not so prominent Jews), as the hero dedicated to the destruction of Fascism.

The world, particularly the Democratic world, began to split up into two camps. If you showed the slightest tendency to be conservative, to look before you leaped, to practice, or advocate the practice of thrift, economy, or order, you were immediately dubbed a Fascist. If your system had absorbed a bit of the milk of human kindness, and you had a kind word for collective bargaining, old age pensions, and so on, you were denounced as a Communist.

Democracy was rapidly becoming an anachronism. Its voice was lost in the wilderness.

But, truth will out as will murder.

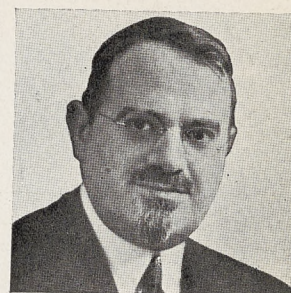
The real nature of Stalin and Hitler was savage. Their governments are characterized by terror, brutality, inefficiency and cunning stupidity.

Hence, what is more natural than a combination of the two international gangsters. Now each waits his turn to ambush the other and take over the entire racket.

The idea, to frighten the world, was too clever. To quote Schiller, the great German dramatist: "The idea was clever, deucedly clever; in fact, if it weren't so confoundedly clever, one might think it confoundedly stupid."

The merger has opened the eyes of the world and discredited the host of petty Hitlers and Stalins, the Coughlins and Browders, and the rest of the messy ilk.

"AS
R'CHASH
SEES
IT"



SLICHOS

By RABBI HERBERT S. GOLDSTEIN

Every year an opportunity is thrust upon the real Jew to take stock of his spiritual self. At least four days before Rosh Hashonah, we have what is known as the period of Slichos, of "forgiveness", during which we offer special prayers for forgiveness.

King David in that inimitable psalm 130, from which we read every Monday and Thursday mornings, said: "If thou, Lord, shouldst mark (our) iniquities, O Lord, who can then stand (before Thee). But there is forgiveness with Thee." Our Rabbis, in the Midrash on this Psalm, beautifully point out that the sinner cannot stand before God. What really happens is this. Each and every one of us during these penitential days undergoes reflection, resolution, and repentance. Therefore, a new being transformed from the old sinner now appears before God. What a wonderful spiritual comfort this is. Those of us who have been contrite and who change our ways for the better certainly feel this re-birth every year during these "Yomin Noraw-eem," "these awesome days".

I plead with you, one and all, attend the Slichos service. I fully remember as a child the transcendental and reverent feeling that pervaded my whole being as I would walk with my departed father of blessed memory, in the deep dark of the night to Synagogue for the Slichos service. The thoughts that flew through my mind then come back to me every year as I go to the Slichos service. The consciousness of personal sin strikes terror within as the service begins, and the hopefulness for forgiveness brings cheer as the service closes. This is the way we Jews ring out the old year. It is not with noise making, lascivious and more sin. It is not in riotous Belial-like (without God) manner, but rather with the voice of prayer, sober reflection, and good deed.

Our Brethren The World Over

Jewish News From Near and Far, Supplied by the Jewish Telegraphic Agency.

THE WAR AND THE JEWS

The International conflagration has wrought many changes in the life of Europe, and it has had its effect on the position of Jews. Germany's attitude toward the Jews has required overhauling; Poland has welcomed the whole-hearted support of her 3,500,000 Jews; European countries have found new uses for refugees.

There were signs that the Nazi administration was laying less emphasis on anti-Semitism. According to reports, "ghetto benches" in Berlin parks were eliminated; ration cards were issued to Jews as well as to Germans; some Jews of military age were prevented from emigrating; and the German Embassy in London advised German Jews to return to the Reich.

The future attitude of the Reich toward Jews was in the balance. The dominant Nazi faction favored using Jews in national services, and opposed anti-Jewish violence as injuring German prestige abroad and as a dangerous precedent for general disturbances. The other faction favored pogroms to divert the explosive feelings of the population.

No popular feeling against the Jews was noticed in Berlin, but the population was in the grip of an almost hysterical war-fever atmosphere which, it was feared, might take the form of anti-Jewish brutality for lack of another outlet. A newspaperman in Berlin heard an important foreign official say: "Physical force against foreign as well as German and stateless Jews is an imminent possibility. . . Foreign Jews may be beaten, jailed, and cut off from all contacts with the outside world."

In Poland:

Across the violated border, in Poland, Jews were joining with a will in the Republic's defense. The young volunteered for Army and Red Cross service. Older ones were digging air-raid trenches. Many devout Jews were working on the Sabbath, and Jewish shopkeepers kept open on Saturday to enable the population to lay in emergency rations. The Rabbinate proclaimed prayers for peace and for the strengthening of the Polish Army. The Jewish press was unanimous in urging all neces-

HER CROSS

By BRESSLER



sary sacrifices in Poland's defense.

Even abroad, Poland found support from the Jews. The Federation of Polish Jews in America wired Ambassador Count Potocki that many American Jews would "be ready to give not only their financial and moral support but also their lives." The Ambassador replied, expressing gratitude and stating that he was conveying the telegram to Warsaw "so that the Polish nation can see that the Polish Jews in America stand united in support of the just cause."

In France:

The French Government, which had prepared in advance for this contingency, began registration of refugees and other aliens for military service, placing them subject to the same mobilization orders as Frenchmen. Jews were enthusiastic in rallying to the side of their new homeland.

It is safe to say that the number of volunteering non-French Jews—including refugees and citizens of Bal-

kan States--has run into several thousands.

In England:

England did not immediately announce a decision on her attitude toward refugees' service in national defense. Thousands had volunteered for duty and newspapers urged the authorities to enlist them. While the Government was considering its position, refugees were recruited to fill sandbags for defense against air raids.

Palestine Policy:

"Great Britain and the East," unofficial mouthpiece of the Colonial Office, voiced the British Government's gratitude to the Zionists for sinking differences over Palestine policy and pledging support to Britain in the international crisis. (At the recent World Zionist Congress, President Chaim Weizmann declared that the Jews stand behind Britain.)

Referring to Jewish offers of assistance in Palestine, an editorial said: "If it be said that nothing less

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HISTORY REPEATS ITSELF



By Rabbi Emanuel L. Lifschitz

World Jewish opinion has recently concerned itself with the sad plight of our brethren in Italy. Once more the ghost of anti-semitism has raised its ugly head in the form of crude discrimination against the Jew. Once more a government finds itself in a difficult impasse and so to alleviate it's people's tension diverts public opinion away from the real ills and focuses public attention on an imaginary enemy of the best interests of the people, — the Jew. A myth of racial superiority is concocted. In the pure Italian blood there flows the best elements of character and virtue. The Jew, being essentially an oriental people in mind and psyche, is branded the most undesirable type of dweller, of whom the people must rid themselves in order to fulfill their spiritual destiny. And mark you, by whom is this myth created? By an upstart, an opportunist, a ruthless demagogue, one who preys upon the fears of a hungry, tax-burdened population.

By the wicked heel of such a one are the Jews ground down, after living, sharing in, and contributing to the well-being of the land for more than 2,000 years. Turn to the ancient Jewish burial places in Naples and Sardinia, as well as Rome. Read the inscriptions on the tombstones and you will learn the story of the Jews' enterprise and service to the land of their adoption, recorded in Latin and Greek. The fact that on haloed ground the prevailing secular tongue was used bears witness to the complete integration of the Jew with local environment and gives evidence to the degree to which our people were rooted in the language and the mores of the country. Turn to the Naples city records, now stored away in museums, and read the story of Jewish heroes who, with death defying courage, defended the city. Alas, over-night our people's life, prestige, social standing and wealth are jeopardized because the country needs a scapegoat for an unbalanced economy and an unfulfilled political ambition. Let us learn this lesson. "History Repeats Itself."

THE WAR AND THE JEWS

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was expected, it will be understood that this comment is intended as the highest compliment to the Jewish race." The editorial stands in sharp distinction to the same paper's attitude toward the Jews in recent months, when it was strongly critical of the Jews' refusal to accept Britain's new Palestine policy.

Britain's Palestine policy underwent a change, perhaps temporary, but nevertheless striking. Where she had formerly patrolled Palestine waters to prevent illegal entry, she now permitted 225 refugees, former soldiers in the Czech Army, to enter in order to bolster her defenses. The White Paper was pushed into the background as the British Government opened negotiations with the Jewish Agency for creation of a new Jewish Legion.

Palestine was making all preparations for possible war. Banks were closed for three days, then restricted in making payments. A test blackout was held in Haifa. Jewish ghaffirs (supernumeraries) were standing by for orders to fill the gap created by movement of British troops to Egypt. Last March Zionist leaders had told Britain at the London conference that she would need the Jews in Palestine if a war crisis came; now Britain was finding it out.

DIES REPORT HITS U. S. FASCIST GROUPS

WASHINGTON, (JTA) --American Nazi, Fascist, and anti-Semitic organizations are engaged in a form of racketeering as well as in subversive activities, the Dies Committee found in a preliminary report of its investigations. The primary aims of the Nazi-Fascist organizations, the committee said, are: (1) a radical change in the American form of Government, and (2) collection of dues from misguided citizens.

The first part of this report dealing with the inroads of Nazism on the United States was released after the committee finished hearing about the wierd career of William Dudley Pelley, whose presses spew forth tons of anti-Semitic literature.

The testimony revealed widespread cooperation between half a hundred of the Nazi-Fascist groups.

Dies denounced Pelley as "undoubtedly an agent for Nazi Germany." Evidence showing that Pelley carried on an extensive correspondence with the agency of the German Propaganda Ministry at Hamburg was introduced by an investigator.

PANORAMA

By A. A. Roback

(A JTA Feature)

The transformation of attitudes

The Soviet-Nazi pact affords us an interesting experiment in social psychology. How expediency changes the whole aspect of things! This sequel is one of the most eloquent commentaries on the rottenness of our whole international political system. Once the pact became a **fait accompli**, the minions of both Hitler and Stalin began to change their tune, at least the words of the tune. Suddenly Fritz Kuhn and his gang became aware of the fact that it was not communism as such that was repugnant to the decent world but international communism. It is like voicing one's feeling of hatred not against the bear, but against the cubs that roam around. Earl Browder, on the other hand, has just as unexpectedly seen a great light, namely that the non-aggression and trade treaty will serve to strengthen the world peace and encourage Poland in her stand against Hitler. The ancient Rabbinical doctor who invented the phrase "M'taer Sheretz b'kan ta-amim" (i.e. making a reptile 'kosher' by advancing 150 reasons) could certainly not have chosen a better example than the Browder-Kuhn legitimatization process.

One result of the new pact, we fervently hope, will not be an anti-Jewish infection in the Kremlin. The personal influence which has brought on the anti-Semitic tide in Italy will not be wielded in the case of the Soviet-Nazi agreement, yet I have no doubt that Hitler's venom and his unique arrogance will go so far as to burrow through unofficial channels into the Soviet government circles, so as to put the Jews at a disadvantage.

The world's a dance

We may have long since accepted the conclusion that the "World's a Stage," but for our statesmen (umshtains gezogt) the world seems to be a dance, with a constant change of partners. How else can it be, when there is not a grain of sincerity in all the pacts and treaties? Whether they are for ten, twenty, or thirty years, they are only scraps of paper. An ordinary person of any decency, if he is rebuffed in his overtures,

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THE NECESSITY OF AFFILIATION

By Morris Jablow

"In Unity There Is Strength" is a truism universally accepted, and it does not require any argument or discussion to support it.

Yet strange as it may seem, our Jewish people do not follow the very practical advice contained in the old maxim. Though we are in the minority and are very much in need of united effort and solidarity, we do not present a united front on any question.

Many of us are "joiners." We readily become members of all kinds of fraternal or social organizations and movements, but comparatively few of us are affiliated with distinctively Jewish organizations.

Ask the average Jew why he does not join a Jewish organization and you will receive a variety of reasons. "Their leaders do not command my complete confidence." "Their beliefs are different from mine." "Their methods are distasteful to me." "They are too aggressive and seek publicity too eagerly." "They are too timid and lack fighting spirit." All of these reasons may be justified in particular cases, but today it is necessary that we sacrifice our own ideas on non-essentials in order to attain the advantage of unity.

The vicious attacks coming from all sides and levelled against the Jew are directed from central and well-united sources. Jews must be equally well-united in order to meet the vicious attacks.

If each one of us will become a member of a Jewish organization, we will thereby not only help the development of our people into a cohesive mass, but we will materially improve our chances of selecting competent, capable representatives of a higher caliber.

In these critical times, it is imperative that we appreciate our grave danger now. We should not procrastinate. We must become united. We must affiliate at once with Jewish organizations.

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Sunday Morning Service 8:00, 8:30

Daily Services:

Mornings 6:30, 7:30
Mincha 7:00
Followed by the study of the Mishnah

Slichos Services

on Saturday night, 1 O'clock

SLICHOS SERVICES

On tomorrow night, Saturday, September 9, at one o'clock, Slichos services will be held in the Synagogue. All are invited to attend, non-seat holders as well as seat holders.

W. S. I. S. DAY SCHOOL EXTENDS PROGRAM

The W. S. I. S. Day School is now entering its second successful year. The Day School offers to boys and girls both English and Hebrew elementary education. Classes are conducted in the morning and early afternoon hours and are limited to ten students. Children who attend the Day School may therefore enjoy their afternoons for outdoor play.

The school started last Fall with a Kindergarten and first grade, and is now expanding its program to include second and third grade classes. Instruction is being given in co-operation with the State Board of Education.

Because of the present tendency to overcrowding in the Public Schools, progressive minded parents will take advantage of this splendid opportunity to afford their children an individualized education in both English and Hebrew subjects.

GIVE US YOUR HELP

Dear Members and Readers:

We are doing our best to find employment for the many refugees from European persecution who are calling upon us in their hour of need. Won't you help us bring new gladness into their lives?

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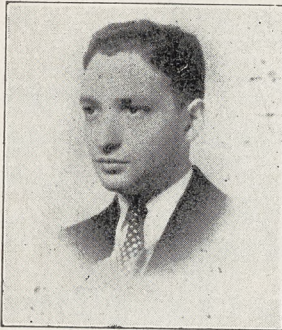
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NEW ASSOCIATE EDITOR



GORDON TIGER

This will serve to introduce Gordon Tiger, who from now on is going to devote a lot of energy and the background of a good education to making The Review an activity of our Synagogue of which we can be even prouder than in the past.

Mr. Tiger hails from this country's great Middle West. Out there he went to High School in St. Louis, the city of his birth, and then took undergraduate education at the University of Chicago. Last June, he completed the post-graduate course in Journalism at Columbia University.

But this is only a formal introduction; you will be seeing a lot more of him, for he plans to spy into all your activities, so that the Review may become in a true sense your mouthpiece. Club members beware! Mr. Tiger is going to attend some of your meetings, perhaps even make speeches, but, more important, he is going to make friends of you all. He is avid for suggestions, eager for help and co-operation, and anxious to make the West Side Institutional Review the pride of orthodox Jewry.

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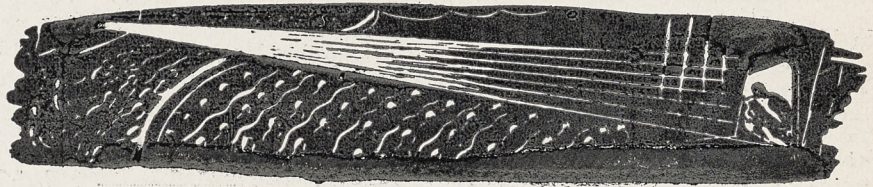
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BEACON, B'way at 75th (TR 4-9132)—Today through Mon.: "Frontier Marshal," Randolph Scott; also "I Stole a Million," George Raft, Claire Trevor. . . Tues. and Wed.: "Boy's Reformatory," Frankie Darro; also "Man Who Dared," Charles Grapewin, Jane Bryan.

CARLTON, B'way at 99th (AC 4-8676)—Today through Sun.: "Each Dawn I Die," Cagney, Raft; also "News is made at Night," Preston Foster, Lynn Bari. . . Mon. through Wed.: "Captain Fury," Brian Aherne, Victor McLaglen; also "Good Girls Go to Paris," Joan Blondell, Melvyn Douglas.

COLONIAL, B'way at 62nd (CO 5-0485)—Today through Mon.: "In Name Only," Carole Lombard, Cary Grant; also "Charlie Chan at Treasure Island," Sidney Toler. . . Tues. and Wed.: "They Asked for It," Michael Whalen, Joy Hodges; also "Mickey, the Kid," Bruce Cabot.

81st STREET, B'way at 81st (TR 7-6160)—Today through Mon.: "Stanley and Livingstone," Spencer Tracy, Richard Greene; also "Stop, Look and Love," Jean Rogers, Robert Kellard. . . Tues. and Wed.: "Way Down South," Bobby Breen; also "Code of the Secret Service," Ronald Reagan.

83rd STREET, B'way at 83rd (TR 7-3190)—Today through Wed.: "They Shall Have Music," Jascha Heifetz, Joel McCrea, Andrea Leeds; also "Our Leading Citizen," Bob Burns.

EDISON, B'way at 103rd (AC 2-1800)—Today: "Three Smart Girls Grow Up," Deanna Durbin; also "The Rage of Paris," Danielle Darrieux. . . Sat. through Mon.: "Only Angels Have Wings," Cary Grant, Jean Arthur; also "Susannah of the Mounties," Shirley Temple.

LINCOLN SQUARE, B'way at 65th (TR 7-8692)—Today through Mon.: "The Man in the Iron Mask," Louis Hayward, Joan Bennett; also "On Borrowed Time," Lionel Barrymore. . . Tues. and Wed.: "The Gracie Allen Murder Case," Gracie Allen, Warren William; also "S O S Tidal Wave," Ralph Byrd.

MIDTOWN, B'way at 99th (AC 4-2220)—Revivals. Today through Mon.: "True Confession," Carole Lombard; also "Cavalcade," Diana Wynyard, Clive Brook. . . Tues. and Wed.: "Firefly," Jeanette MacDonald; also "Bringing Up Baby."

NEMO, B'way at 110th (AC 2-9406)—Today through Mon.: "Stanley and Livingstone," Spencer Tracy, Richard Greene; also "Stop, Look and Love," Jean Rogers, Robert Kellard. . . Tues. and Wed.: "Way Down South," Bobby Breen, Sally Blane; also "Code of the Secret Service," Ronald Reagan.

NEWSREEL, B'way at 72nd (CH 4-7300)—The latest in news and selected short features.

OLYMPIA, B'way at 107th (AC 2-1019)—Today through Mon.: "They Shall Have Music," Jascha Heifetz, Andrea Leeds, Joel McCrea; also "Our Leading Citizen," Bob Burns. . . Tues. and Wed.: "Miracles for Sale," Robert Young, Florence Rice; also "Missing Daughter," Richard Arlen, Rochelle Hudson.

PARK WEST, 99th at Columbus (AC 2-7326)—Today and Sat.: "Man of Conquest," Richard Dix; also "The Girl from Mexico," Lupe Velez. . . Sun. through Tues.: "Bachelor Mother," Ginger Rogers; also "Five Came Back," Chester Morris.

RIVERSIDE, B'way at 96th (RI 9-9861)—Today through Mon.: "Stanley and Livingstone," Spencer Tracy, Richard Greene; also "Stop, Look and Love," Jean Rogers, Robert Kellard. . . Tues. and Wed.: "Way Down South," Bobby Breen, Sally Blane; also "Code of the Secret Service," Ronald Reagan.

RIVIERA, B'way at 97th (RI 9-8193)—All week: "Andy Hardy Gets Spring Fever," Mickey Rooney; also "King of the Turf," Adolphe Menjou, Dolores Costello.

SCHUYLER, Columbus at 85th (EN 2-0696)—Today: "Indianapolis Speedway," Ann Sheridan, Pat O'Brien; also "Hell's Kitchen," Dead End Kids. . . Sat. through Tues.: "Invitation to Happiness," Irene Dunne, Fred MacMurray; also "Blind Alley," Chester Morris.

77th STREET, B'way at 77th (TR 4-9382)—All week: "Man About Town," Jack Benny, Dorothy Lamour; also "Maizie," Ann Sothern, Robert Young.

STODDARD, B'way at 90th (SC 4-9257)—Today through Mon.: "The Man in the Iron Mask," Louis Hayward, Joan Bennett; also "On Borrowed Time," Lionel Barrymore. . . Tues. and Wed.: "The Gracie Allen Murder Case," Gracie Allen, Warren William; also "S O S Tidal Wave," Ralph Byrd.

SYMPHONY, B'way at 95th (RI 9-9749)—Today through Mon.: "Frontier Marshal," Randolph Scott; also "I Stole a Million," George Raft, Claire Trevor. . . Tues. and Wed.: "Boy's Reformatory," Frankie Darro; also "Man Who Dared," Charles Grapewin, Jane Bryan.

THALIA, 95th at B'way (AC 2-3370)—Revivals. Today and Sat.: "The Shiek," Rudolph Valentino; also "Club des Femmes," Danielle Darrieux. . . Sun. through Tues.: "Make Way for Tomorrow," Beulah Bondi, Victor Moore; also "Generals Without Buttons."

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VACATION NOTES FROM LONG BEACH

This past summer, the spirit of the peninsula in great force. From the W. S. I. S. pervaded the Long Beach stately meals of Hotel Winkler, where you just do not diet, to the rare atmosphere of Atlantic Beach, our brethren were out in full strength. The Andersons entertained with a vengeance. Charming Dorothy became the dictator of the 400. Joe kept declaring his independence but never showed any. Of course, they had Doc and Joe Settel, the Pargaments, and the Franks, Rabbi and Mrs. Lifschitz, and Morris and Jennie Jablow as guests beside the natives like the Landownes, the Editor and wife, and so on and so on. The two Sams and Mrs. Sams, Siegel and Beier, cheered up the surroundings. Sam Beier especially knew the password to Mr. Winkler's wine cellar. Sam Davis' favorite refrain was "Come up and see me sometime." The Landowne Castle was a popular meeting place and oasis. When the crowd wanted to go to the suburbs, they walked to the home of the Editor, who spent half the summer growing flowers and the other half running away from them. Among the prominent worshippers at the local Shule were Mr. and Mrs. Max Moskowitz, Mr. and Mrs. David L. Messing, Mr. and Mrs. Ike Holoshutz, Mr. and Mrs. Isadore Lauer, and Mr. and Mrs. Michael Salit. At the upper strata Atlantic Beach Club floated Max Sanders and the Mrs., Dr. and Mrs. Henry Rafsky, and Mr. and Mrs. William L. Bassier. Our gang loyally suffered the Ninth Annual Dinner of the Temple Israel Talmud-Torah, in

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will not make common cause with an outlaw. Soviet Russia and Germany, however, although sworn enemies, *ab initio*, run into each other's arms in fond embrace, at the first opportunity. And now there is talk of Great Britain turning to Japan for its dancing partner.

Khad-Gadia

In this "House-that-Hitler-built" affair, we come upon the old Khad-Gadia sequence. It was not such a nursery fairy story, after all. The international political game in recent years reminds us once more of the coming of the Angel of Death who slew the slaughterer that killed the ox that---struck the dog which bit the cat that ate the kid, etc. It would be interesting from a psychological angle, to ascertain the feelings of the Czechs, who when hard pressed by Hitler, were served warning by the Poles and the Hungarians to cede large tracts of territory, otherwise they would be attacked. The great surprise to me is that at least the lesser states do not learn their lesson and still indulge in the "dog-eat-dog" policy.

the persons of the Beiers, the Andersons, the Siegels, the Landownes, and the Moe Shermans. Mrs. Siegel and Mrs. Landowne discovered a close kinship--both Galitz. Three of our girls had breakfast in bed--the same bed at the same time--Mesdames Anderson, Siegel, and Rose Kommel. That was the day their husbands went without breakfast. Mr. and Mrs. Mose Goodman were always around with a glad hand and willing contribution. The Editor won a big money prize at the Atlantic Beach Club Bingo and donated it back. Broke again. . .

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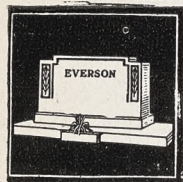
If it's a question of writing up, week by week, the grand bunch of young men and women who are to direct our Synagogue affairs in the future, we couldn't pick anybody better than the ubiquitous Danny Weiss.

We all know Danny and his boundless vitality. A born big brother to the youngsters, he is scout-master of our own scout troop, and can be seen on most festive occasions sporting his sea scout uniform. (In fact, the Editor has put on weight during the summer because Danny wasn't around to keep him saluting.)

A busy man these days, Danny just returned from a month's trip to the Pacific coast in time to celebrate his 24th birthday last Wednesday. A recent graduate of St. John's University, where he majored in French, he is now attending Teacher's College at Columbia University.

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GETTING PERSONAL

Nobody who has looked at our first page can doubt that we are happy to welcome back every one of our directors, members, and friends. Open season on gossip really hasn't started yet, since the folks are still rolling in.

The best news for our first issue again concerns our beloved Rabbi, Herbert S. Goldstein. At a meeting of the Rabbinical Council of America, held this summer at Andron's Mountain House, Rabbi Goldstein was elected Honorary President of that organization, which he formerly served as President. Heartiest congratulations, dear Rabbi.

The Rabbi spent most of this summer at his Hunter, New York home. Among his visitors from time to time were Max Sanders, Joe Settel, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Max Frank and their charming daughters, Harriet and Vera; Mr. and Mrs. Siegfried Bendheim, Mr. Jack Spiro, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Wartels, Rabbi and Mrs. Emanuel L. Lifschitz, and last, but by no means least, Mrs. Annie R. Morris.

Congratulations to the following: Mr. Morris Steinberg, and Mrs. Steinberg, on their wedding anniversary; Mr. and Mrs. Moses Langer, on their wedding anniversary.

The Gross family, whose son, Nathan, was married Sunday to Miss Shirley Margareten, treated the congregation to a Kiddish last Saturday on the occasion of the Aufruf, held here at the Synagogue.

When you come in and see how beautifully decorated is our Rabbi's new office, you will join us in thanking Mrs. S. Bendheim and Mrs. David H. Ullman, who were responsible for all the fixing-up.

We hope that Mr. Elias Jacoby, President of the Men's Club, is completely recovered from his recent illness by this time.

Best wishes to the Editor, who has most cravenly beat a retreat to never-fever land in Canada, closely pursued by a few grains of malevolent pollen.

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Heartiest congratulations to the young couple.

Fishman-Polkowitz



Mrs. Morton L. Polkowitz

We extend love and best wishes to the former Miss Sara Fishman, who was married last Sunday to Mr. Morton L. Polkowitz, of Perth Amboy, New Jersey.

Miss Fishman, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Meyer H. Fishman of 115 Central Park West, is a graduate of Syracuse University. Her new husband graduated from George Washington University and then took a degree from the Law School of the same institution.

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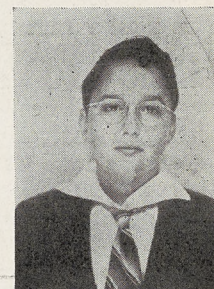
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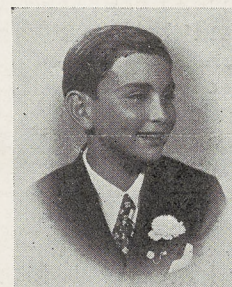
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BAR MITZVAHS

Elias Siegel



Arnold Turtz



Tomorrow, Shabbath, will mark the occasion of the Bar Mitzvah of these two fine youngsters.

Elias is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Segal, of 260 West End Avenue. Arnold's parents are Dr. and Mrs. Charles A. Turtz, who live at 65 Central Park West.

Mazel Tov to both boys and to their proud parents.

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