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NOW IS THE TIME TO PLAN YOUR CHILD'S JEWISH EDUCATION FOR THE COMING SEASON

We urge you to become acquainted with the progressive curriculum in our Talmud Torah which includes in addition to Jewish knowledge, a variety of interesting activities such as student government, leadership in Junior Congregation, athletics, gameroom, choral groups, arts and crafts, and music. Partial and full scholarships are available in our Daily Afternoon Kindergarten, as well as Talmud Torah.

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HIGH HOLY DAY SEATS

We are anxious to give to our friends the first opportunity to secure seats before we offer them to the public after July 31st.

Please let us know now what seats you would like best. We will do the best we can and inform you after August 1st what we can reserve for you. Preference will be given to members. The price of seats will be the same as last year.

As the holidays are early this year, Sept. 12th and 13th, we suggest that you let us know immediately whether you want your New Year Greeting (at a cost of \$2.00) in our "Review" of Sept. 8th.

SESSION IN MAIMONIDES OF INTEREST TO YOUNG PEOPLE

Rabbi Reichel will lead in a popular study of Selections from Maimonides, this Saturday afternoon, June 10th at 4 o'clock, at his home, 135 West 84th Street, for young people of high school and college age.

Maimonides was one of Israel's greatest Jewish philosophers and authorities on the Talmud, and his classic writings are of lasting interest.

YOU CAN BE OF HELP TO SABBATH OBSERVERS

We know a number of young men and women who are desperately in need of employment. If you can use someone please call Rabbi Reichel at the Synagogue at any time.

One young man has three years' education and some experience with motors.

RECEPTION IN HONOR OF OUR DIRECTOR HAROLD KAPLAN

TUESDAY NIGHT, JUNE 20th, AT 9 P.M.



HAROLD KAPLAN

An unusually fine program has been arranged for Tuesday night, June 20, 1950 when we shall honor Mr. Harold Kaplan by presenting him with the W.S.I.S. Souvenir Album, dedicated to him for his outstanding services to the Synagogue and to many worthwhile Jewish causes. The reception in his honor will be followed by a collation. Admission will be by invitation.

Although our Souvenir Album has already gone to press, we have received the printer's consent to insert greetings and ads which reach our office by Tuesday, June 13. This is your final opportunity to do your share.

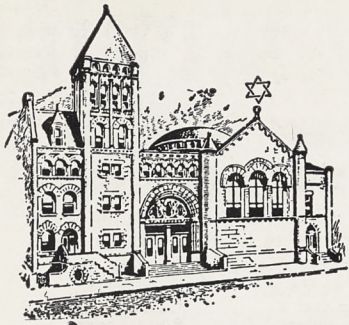
This Week's Daily Bible Readings:

Sat.	June 3—	Samuel I Chapter 26	☐
Sun.	June 4—	"	27 ☐
Mon.	June 5—	"	28 ☐
Tues.	June 6—	"	29 ☐

Wed.	June 7—	"	30 ☐
Thurs.	June 8—	"	31 ☐

End of Samuel I

Our Daily Bible Readings will be resumed in September, please G-d.



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MEMBER CONGREGATION



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GETTING PERSONAL

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Bendheim, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Bercu, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Gertner, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Greenman, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert N. Kahn, Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Levine, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Nager, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Reisman, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Udell, and Cantor and Mrs. Zalmon Yavneh. . . . We sign off now until we meet again, please G-d, in September—until then we say as they do in Israel "L'hitra-ot."

HIGH HOLY DAY YOUTH SERVICES

Jacob Golden and Samuel Ward, co-chairmen of the High Holy Day Youth Services, report that a committee is being formed to organize the Youth Services. All young people of our Synagogue are urged to inform the co-chairmen by phone or letter before the summer, regarding their plans for the holidays.

If you would like to join the Arrangements Committee for the High Holy Day Youth Services, please contact the co-chairmen.



"AS
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395th OF THE 613 BIBLICAL COMMANDMENTS

"Regarding the Obligation on Part of the Israelites to Give the Tithe."

By Rabbi Herbert S. Goldstein
II

The first tithe was given only of (a) that grain used for food for man, (b) that which had owners, in other words, which was not public property, for it is said "of your corn," and not of public property, (c) it had to grow from the earth, (d) it had to be watched or guarded. Certain vegetables, although they were food, were not Biblically included in the first tithe though they were included according to the Rabbis.

According to the Bible only corn, wine, and oil were to be tithed. Under the general heading of corn, there are the five species of grain, namely wheat, barley, kushan, corn and oats. The Rabbis, however, have included all fruits. One could not tithe old produce for new and vice versa, not one species for an-

other, not grain that had to be tithed for grain that had already been tithed and vice versa. Once the food is ready for the tithe, it may not be consumed until tithed, not even the smallest amount. The food is ready for the tithe when it is heaped up and smoothed.

The law pertains to males and females, to Israelites, Levites, and Priests. Although the Priests and the Levites take their own tithes from the Israelites, nevertheless, they also come under the law of "Tevel", namely, that they are not permitted to eat of the produce until it is tithed, for it is written in the Book of Numbers, Chapter 18, verse 28, "thus ye also shall have an offering unto the L-rd of all your tithes, which He receives of the children of Israel." The expression "gam atem", "ye also", indicates that Priests as well as Levites are included. Of course, the Levites and the Priests were permitted to take their own tithes and consume them if they wanted, or they could give them to another Priest. They did not have to give to another, but they had to separate the tithes, as the Israelites did. This law, according to the Bible, prevails only in Israel, and at the time when the majority of Israel dwell there. Rabbinically, however, it is still in existence today. There were ways of getting round the law which of course our Rabbis decry as deceptions, and religious frauds.

TALMUD TORAH HONOR ROLL

(Tribes in Israel)—**Reuven:** Herbert Goldberg, Elliot Wohl; **Shimon:** Michael Friedman, Herman Lakritz, Manfred Schnur, Ira Tumpowsky, and Rhoda Weintraub; **Ephraim:** Jack Cohen, Annette Friedman, Victor Ringel, Joseph Moses, Michael Saretsky, and Astrid Steinmetz; **Bin-yamin:** Beatrice Fruchter, Barbara Hecht, Ben Leichtling, Rita Malagis, Morton Jacobowitz, Joyce Shulster, and Neil Sherman; **Levi:** Marcia Lee Goldberg, David Kahn, Jeffrey Lindenbaum, and Roger Lourie; **Naftoli:** Edward Fleischman, Bernice Goldberg, and Yanck Konstant; **Menasheh:** Ben Grotenstein, and Joel Kaplan.

UNVEILING

On Sunday afternoon, June 11th at 2:30 o'clock, the unveiling of the monument of Eugene Bergman, beloved son of our members, Mr. and Mrs. Saul Bergman, will take place at the Cedar Grove Cemetery, Private Family Plots.

RABBI GOLDSTEIN'S LETTER FROM ISRAEL TO OUR MEMBERS WHO HAVE NOT YET RESPONDED TO THE U. J. A. DRIVE

Dear Member,

I am taking the liberty of contacting you from the Holy City to tell you of the distressing situation, from a first-hand knowledge and visits in Israel, of the tremendous and immediate need for help from the Jews of the United States. Our people are being transported from Romania, Yemen, and especially from Iraq. We can save thousands of lives if only we had the money. Please send me your contribution immediately either to my Study at the Synagogue, 120 W. 76 St., or to me here in Israel, 17 David Street, Boukharian Quarter, Jerusalem, Israel.

With my prayers and good wishes for you and your family from the Holy City of Jerusalem, I am,

Cordially yours,

Herbert S. Goldstein,
Rabbi.

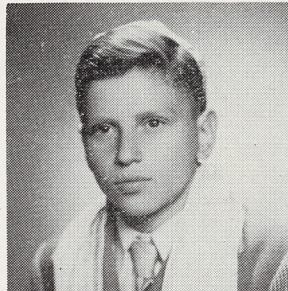
COMING BAR MITZVAHS



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June 10th



Herbert Goldberg
June 24th



Herman Lakritz
July 1st

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WEEKLY PRAYER SCHEDULE

Light Candles Friday Evening up to 8:06

Weekly Portion: Shelach

Third Perek—Sayings of Fathers

(Those who usher in the Sabbath with our Services should light their candles before our Friday Evening Services).

Friday Evening Services 6:30

Saturday Morning Services 9:00

Rosh Chodesh (Tammuz) Benschen

Junior Congregation 10:30

Sabbath Kindergarten 10:30

Oneg Shabbos (Girls) 3:45

Rabbi Hurwitz's Talmud Class 6:55

Mr. Isaac Allen's Talmud Class 6:55

Mincha Service 7:55

Reader of Torah: Joseph Neustadter

Reader of Service: Judah Gottlieb

Followed by Comments on the Perek
by Rabbi Reichel.

The Sabbath Termintes 9:02

Sunday Morning Services 6:45, 8:30, 9:00

Daily Services:

Mornings 6:45, 8:00, 8:30

Thursday and Friday mornings

(Rosh Chodesh) 6:30, 7:50, 8:20

Mincha 8:00

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Additional names on our **Academic Hall of Honor** are: Sondra Lippman (graduating Julia Richman High School and admitted to N.Y.U.), Marilyn Plottel (admitted to Barnard College), George Rosinger (graduating Joan of Arc J.H.S.). . . . Lawrence Kobrin, who is graduating Ramaz High School, was accepted by Harvard, Cornell, and Columbia, among other colleges. As tempting as the out-of-town colleges seemed, he chose Columbia University in order to stay clear of the many religious problems which those who leave home have to encounter. We salute Lawrence for his sincerity and religiously intelligent approach. May more of our young people take note. . . . **Congratulations** to Ralph Kestenbaum, who was awarded a gold medal by the Hillel Foundation in recognition of his services at Trinity College. Ralph also came in first in the Inter-Collegiate mile track race, thereby winning the championship for Trinity College. . . . **Congratulations** to Rev. Chaim Shapiro upon the marriage of his daughter, the renowned Renee Carroll. . . . **Congratulations** to Mr. and Mrs. Raphael Feldhuhn upon the marriage of their son, Lucien, to Jeanette Jodenson. . . . **Congratulations** to Mr. and Mrs. William Ball upon the forthcoming marriage of their daughter Joan to Remo Adler. . . . **Congratulations** to Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Mopper upon the forthcoming marriage of their daughter Ruth to Malvin Lindner. . . . **Congratulations** to Mr. and Mrs. Geza Fischer upon the birth of another granddaughter. . . . **Welcome home** to Bob Kirsh from Oklahoma University. . . . Among those representing the **W.S.I.S. in Israel and Europe** this summer will be Mr. and Mrs. Saul Bergman, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Kaplan, Howard Kaplan, Ralph Kestenbaum, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Meyers, Harvey Shapiro. . . . Our prayers for a **refua shalema** to Mrs. Charles Fiedler, Julius Rosan and to Mrs. Jess Ward. . . . The Chevra Thillim presented the Congregation with a beautiful set of the Talmud, in 21 volumes. **Many, many thanks.** . . . **Happy Birthday** to Mrs. Joseph Anderson, Director Harry Appel, Jacob Bayer, Mrs. Hyman Druker, Sam Ehrman, George A. Gold, Jane Gottlieb, Pamela Gross, Herman Levine, Mrs. Muriel Levine, Dr. Lionel Rebhun, Joseph Schmeidler, Debbie Siegel, Mrs. David Siegler, and Mrs. Lester Udell. . . . **Anniversary Greetings** to Mr. and Mrs. Leo H. Appelbaum, Director and Mrs. Siegfried

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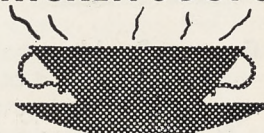
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