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BUILDING FUND COMMITTEE TO BEGIN EFFORTS SOON



Saul Linzer

Our building program — which began officially last week when the contract with the architect was signed — will be given added impetus in the next few weeks as the Building Fund Committee begins its task. The Committee is under the co-chairmanship of Directors Saul

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UJA DINNER ON TUESDAY, MAY 7

TO HONOR DIRECTOR JACOB GOODMAN

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synagogue and its supporters

AN IMPORTANT INVITATION

The Buddy Friedman Post of Jewish War Veterans has received an important invitation which it would like to call to the attention of our readers.

The Jewish War Veterans have announced arrangements to have Salk vaccine polio shots given to all who wish them on Wednesday evening, April 10 from 7 P.M. to 10:30 P.M. at the Hotel Diplomat, 108 West 43rd Street. The charge will only be a nominal \$1.00 per shot.



Jacob Goodman

The entire congregation is both urged and invited to attend a testimonial dinner sponsored by our synagogue on behalf of the United Jewish Appeal which will take place on Tuesday evening, May 7. The dinner, is in honor of our Director Jacob Goodman, and will take place at the Hotel Esplanade.

This announcement was made this week by the Chairman of the UJA activities in our synagogue, our Director Jacob Kaplan and the Co-Chairman of this year's UJA effort, Directors Herman H. Cohen and Joseph Settel. In announcing the dinner, the chairmen stressed the urgency of this year's United Jewish Appeal campaign. They also added the fact that it was most fitting that we honor Mr. Goodman while working for the UJA since he has always been among the leaders in the efforts for this important life-saving work.

The associate Chairmen of this important event is a committee of well over 70 of our most prominent members and friends. Their names will appear in the next issue of our Review. We trust that all the members and friends of our congregation will — when contacted by the UJA committee — indicate their willingness and eagerness to help by attending this dinner on May 7.

Men's Club Sabbath This Saturday

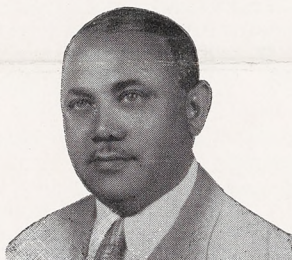
CLUB MEMBERS TO OFFICIATE AT ENTIRE SERVICE



Harry Ward

One of the more interesting events of our synagogue calendar will take place this Sabbath, when the members of our Men's Club assume the various officiating roles at our Synagogue Services.

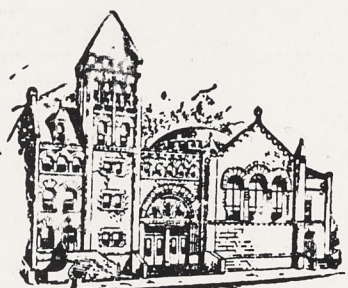
The participants are as follows: Friday evening chazan: Jacob Goldberg; p'sukay d'zimra: Hyman Gottlieb; Shacharis: Aladar Bernath; Reader of Torah: Maurice Kaiker; Preacher: Leon Herman; Mussaf:



Leon Herman

Irving Silver. The arrangements for the event are under the supervision of Chairman Harry Ward and Co-Chairman William Foont.

We should indeed be proud that the laity of our congregation includes such men who are easily able to assume all the functions in the Synagogue service. A kiddush sponsored by the Men's Club will follow the services.



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Building Plans

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Linzer and Benjamin Glazer, with Director Jess Gross serving as Treasurer.

Announcing the Committee's program, Mr. Linzer said: "An important announcement will appear in the Review in the next week or two regarding the raising of funds for the building program. Soon thereafter, the committee will begin reaching our members and friends. We trust that we will receive the whole-hearted co-operation of all."

We can only echo Mr. Linzer's hopes and look forward to the active participation of everyone in this important synagogue and community project.

WAR VETERANS TO MEET

A regular meeting of the Jewish War Veterans will take place on Wednesday evening, April 10, at 8:30 P.M.

PUBLIC KASHERING OF VESSELS FOR PASSOVER HOLIDAY

will take place
Sunday, April 14
10 A.M. to 2 P.M.

THE PRAYER BOOK

COMMENTS BY RABBI HERBERT S. GOLDSTEIN

Awveenu Mahlkaynu Prayers

"OUR FATHER"

It is as if we were saying "Our Father," as we would petition our father on earth, in a loving and endearing way. We declare, O G-d, if we are your children, then you are "A-vee-nu" "Our Father"; if we are your servants, then you are "mal-

key-nu" "Our King." For those who as a rule observe the commandments, we are as children to our Heavenly Father. "He is a son of G-d" and approaches his Heavenly Father in a spirit of child-like trust.

"OUR KING"

Here we understand that G-d is not only our Father, but also our Sovereign ruler. Whilst He is our loving Father, He is at the same time, our Ruler, our Governor, who not only proclaims the Law, but has the power to enforce the Law. Those of us who as a rule do not observe, then we are like servants to a ruler,

not as close as children to a father. Our Sages say, "When the Israelites carry out the will of G-d, they are called "children." When they fail to carry out G-d's will, they are called "servants." Happy are the people of Israel who are called "children of G-d."

"DEAL WITH FOR THE SAKE OF THY NAME"

The implication here, is repeated throughout Scripture, and Jewish literature namely, "Not for our sake, O Lord, not for our sake, but unto THY NAME give Glory." It would be a "chilul Hashem", a profanation of G-d's name, if we were brought law.

"NULLIFY ALL EVIL DECREES AGAINST US"

"WE HAVE NO KING BUT THEE"

Even though we have sinned, we realize that we have broken the Law of G-d, our King, and now we ask for forgiveness.

Passover Preparations Should Be Made Now

The approach of Passover makes it important that preparations for the holiday be made now. We therefore urge all those who are interested in attending our Seder services at the Hotel Esplanade on Monday, April 15, or Tuesday, April 16, contact the Synagogue Office at once.

The Seder services will be conducted by our Rabbis Herbert S. Goldstein and O. Asher Reichel, as-

sisted by our Cantor Zalmon Yavneh. We are sure that all who attend will find the services a blend of the traditional beauty and dignity with intelligibility to modern participants.

The sale of chometz must be completed by the morning of Monday, April 15. The coupon reprinted below must be in the hands of our Rabbis before that time.

I, (we) hereby authorize Rabbi Goldstein to dispose of all Chametz that may be in my possession, with the requirements of Jewish Law.

Signature

Address

W.S.I.S. PRAYER SCHEDULE**Friday, Nisan 4**

Light candles before6:04
Evening service6:15

Saturday, Nisan 5

Mezora, Leviticus 14:1-15:33

Haftarah: II Kings 7:3-20

Morning service9:00
Youth congregation10:00
Chazanim: Seymour Klein, Stanley Klein

Junior congregation10:30
Participants: Kenneth Cohen, Francine Gross, Adam Kertes

Sabbath kindergarten10:30
Oneg Shabbos (Boys 9 to 12) 3:30
Rabbi Pekier's Talmud Class 4:40
Mr. Allen's Talmud Class4:40
Mincha5:40
Reader of Torah: Joseph Neustadter
Reader of Service: Stanley Kaplan
The Sabbath terminates6:55

Sunday, Nisan 6

Morning services7:15, 8:15, 9:00

Daily Services

Morning services6:45, 7:45, 8:30
Mincha6:15
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CONDOLENCE

We extend our heartfelt sympathy to Mrs. Joseph Settel on the loss of her dear mother, Mrs. Berthe Portuguese Kessler.

THIS TIME THEY DON'T HAVE TO DIE

You're hearing it — the word you hoped you wouldn't hear again — "Refugees."

The news headlines are back too — telling again how people must run for their lives — because they're Jews. The Hitler days are supposed to be gone. But are they? In Egypt, 50,000 people are being driven out — because they are Jews.

More than 11,000 Jewish refugees, terrorized and stripped penniless, have been forced from Egypt in a few short months.

But Egypt isn't all. There are 17,000 new Jewish refugees who recently fled Hungary, and other lands of Communist terror. Thousands are in Austria still sitting on their suitcases waiting for the chance to begin life over again. Have you been reading about still other refugees running from countries where anti-semitism has flared up anew? Well, those reports are true, too.

Yes, 1957 will be a refugee year — with more

than 100,000 Jewish men, women and children facing disaster and death, taking to the roads, crowding into camps, searching for safety and freedom.

The same old, terrible business? — No! There is this difference! This time we can save them! We can save them if we act quickly enough and give enough. We can get them to free lands — including Israel. For this time, there is an Israel, a place where Jewish refugees are wanted and welcome.

So give today. Give your increased gift to the regular United Jewish Appeal. Then, to save more lives, to rescue the new refugees, give a great "Over and Above" gift to the \$100,000,000 UJA Emergency Rescue Fund. Above all, participate in our congregation's effort on behalf of the United Jewish Appeal by attending our UJA dinner in honor of Jacob Goodman on Tuesday, May 7, 1957 at the Hotel Esplanade.

Jacob Kaplan
Chairman

GETTING PERSONAL

by Sanford Solarz

Not only for Congregational reasons but also because of our personal affection for our man of the year, Moses J. Berlin, we are hopeful that all our members and friends will give the testimonial that is due to him at the forthcoming big event . . . Our welcome mat is spread out for their return from Florida to Director and Mrs. Siegfried Bendheim, and Director and Mrs. Jacob Silverstein, and to Mr. Philip Amin and from Arizona to Mr. and Mrs. Gabriel Neustadter . . . Happy to have received greetings from Frank Frohman from Florida . . . Our Congregational citation of merit to Joseph J. Weisenfeld, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Weisenfeld, upon winning a New York State Scholarship . . . The host of our weekly Sabbath Afternoon Seuda Shlishis tomorrow will be Mr. Solomon Rosenfield . . . Mazel Tov and all best wishes to our members Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Klein upon the engagement of their son George to Miss Judy Rothenberg, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Mark S. Rothenberg; and to Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Trotzky upon the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Marie, to Jules Rosen.

Birthday Greetings**April**

- 5—Mrs. Noah Kobrin
Michele Siegel
- 6—Michael Graham Goldstein
Director Moses Langer
- 7—Robert Bryan Greenfield
Director Joseph Shapiro
Clifford Weinstein
- 8—Louis H. Markowitz
Mrs. O. Asher Reichel
Barbara Shalita
Mrs. Edward Ukeles
- 9—Eliot Martin Glazer
Director Frank L. Taks
- 11—Tobias Gross

Anniversary Greetings**April**

- 6—Director & Mrs. Abraham M. Druchman
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- 7—Mr. & Mrs. Daniel Gribetz
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