

Dates To Remember:
Father-And-Son Breakfast — Nov. 24
Friendship Night — Nov. 25

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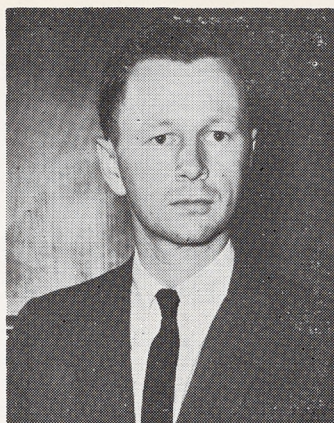
OPERA BENEFIT A TREMENDOUS PROJECT

**3600 SEATS MUST BE SOLD —
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EVERY MEMBER AND FRIEND**

The Opera Committee consisting of Directors, Herman H. Cohen, Jacob Kaplan, and Joseph Settel, declared that only by the participation of every member, worshipper, and friend of the Synagogue can we dispose of all opera tickets. This should not be too difficult since the opera, "La Tosca" by Puccini is one of the most popular of the Metropolitan Repertoire. As we go to press we are informed that the Metropolitan Management has already assigned a distinguished cast, particulars of which will be published in the following issues of the Review.

The Date of the Opera is Sunday, January 19, 1958. The prices range from \$2.50 to \$25. per ticket. We look forward to seeing everyone of you readers at the opera.

Acting Deputy Police Commissioner Alexander Aldrich, Guest Speaker At Men's Club — Sponsored Father & Son Breakfast This Sunday Morning



**Alexander Aldrich,
Acting Deputy Comm.
in Charge of Youth Program**

All male members of our congregation are cordially invited to bring

FRIENDSHIP NIGHT THIS MONDAY NOVEMBER 25th, IN OUR SYNAGOGUE



**Lt. Commander Israel Slutzky,
Guest Speaker**

An opportunity for all our congregants **to get acquainted with one another** is the aim of our Friendship Night, our Synagogue's first joint get-together for this season. New faces and old faces will be encouraged to meet and greet one another in the warm, relaxed, congenial W.S.I.S. manner.



**Mr. Joseph Friedman,
Guest Artist**

Our guest speaker that evening will be Lt. Commander Slutzky, who will bring us most interesting information concerning "Inside Russia", which will be accompanied by pictures he took on his recent visit there.

Our own talented Mr. Joseph Friedman, will give us a musical treat. Our excellent chairmen, Miss Ruth Davis and Mrs. William Foont for the Women's League and Mr. Frank Taks, for the Men's Club have provided food for the mind, food for the heart and food for the stomach.

Come with your family and friends and meet our family and friends in the Synagogue Social Hall on Monday evening, November 25th at 8:15 P.M.

REMINDER

The annual dinner of the Manhattan Day School will be held this Sunday evening, November 24th, at the Hotel Roosevelt.

We hope to see you at this function, in behalf of a most important neighborhood project.

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YOU CAN'T BEAT US



SO WHY NOT JOIN US

Attention All Young People 18-24!

This is the **Voice of the Newly Organized Senior League** coming to you from **Station W. S. I. S.** If you will raise your eyes to the picture above you will see some familiar faces and some new faces. At our meeting of November 10, we elected our officers who are as follows: President — Helen Kalisch; Vice-President — Paul Foont; Recording Secretary — Marlene Wurman; Corresponding Secretary — Ellen Schwartz; and Treasurer — Mike Friedman. We are planning many interesting activities some of which will be outdoor and of athletic nature as well as social splashes with other collegiate groups. On Sunday evening, November 24th at 8:00

THE PRAYER BOOK

COMMENTS BY RABBI HERBERT S. GOLDSTEIN

RETURNING THE TORAH TO THE ARK

(Continued)

CLEAN HANDS

Does things ethically.

PURE HEART

It does not lead to deceit, falsehood, etc.

HATH NOT SWORN DECEITFULLY (or UNNECESSARILY) —

like swearing for something apparent. Has no insincere representations. He guards his mouth from speaking evil or false-hood

"HE SHALL CARRY A BLESSING FROM THE LORD"

He shall have all the power to bless and

RIGHTEOUSNESS

He shall have the power to carry out righteousness.

JACOB

children of Jacob who sought G-d through the 12 Tribes.

"LIFT UP . . . AND BE YE LIFTED THAT THE KING OF GLORY MAY ENTER

The hoary gates of the old fortress are represented as unwilling to receive the Ark; or, as too low for the entrance of the Ark, "which is called by the Name, even the Name of the Lord of hosts" (II Sam. 6,2). Now that the procession has reached the barred gates of the citadel, a voice summons them to open.

The reason the gates should be opened is because the King of Glory, namely the Schechina, will rest thereon. The call is repeated twice for emphasis.

"THE LORD STRONG, MIGHTY IN BATTLE"

Before the Temple was built, the Ark, including the Scrolls of the Torah, was used in war. We are now again in a similar situation.

THE KING OF GLORY

When the Temple was built, G-d's Presence enters the Holy Temple.

- 1) G-d's strength — today G-d must still lead us in war
- 2) G-d's Presence.

"AND WHEN IT RESTED"

In addition to the explanation given before in connection with the taking out of the Torah, this is a reference to Israel's enemies. We pray that G-d may give "rest" to Israel from its enemies.

o'clock, we are going to be hosts at a social evening to the members of the Spanish-Portuguese Synagogue.

Fun in store for all. Refreshments will be served. Come and bring your friends and your friends' friends.

For further information please contact Annette Wurman — evenings at UN 4-0366.

MR. & MRS. LEAGUE NOTES

Our Thursday morning Cultural Koffee Klatch will not meet on Thanksgiving Day. Our "better halves" are invited to join us on Thursday morning, December 5th, at 10:00 o'clock for another session in Jewish History.

Save Saturday night, December 14th for our Chanuka Las Vegas night.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY



Gustave Roth

The entire congregation joins in a blessing of Mazel Tov and Good Health, "ad meah v'esrim shanah." to 120 years, with the help of G-d, to our devoted and loyal Director, Mr. Gustave Roth, upon the occasion of his 96th birthday on November 28th.

Women's League Activities

GLAMOROUS FASHION SHOW AND WELL-KNOWN ACCORDIONIST TO HIGHLIGHT ANNUAL LUNCHEON ON DECEMBER 9th



Mrs. Joseph Klein
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Our Chairman of Subscription Books, Mrs. Joseph Klein and our Co-Chairman Mrs. Lester Udell are working diligently for the success of our **Annual Luncheon** to be held on **December 9th** at the **Croyden Hotel**, 11 East 85th Street.

They are happy to report that reservations and monies are coming in each day. However, they would like to remind you, each member of the Women's League, to feel responsible for at least one reservation for our gala Luncheon. Our Chairmen feel sure that this afternoon will be one for dining on delicious food, enjoying delightful entertainment, winning beautiful prizes and renewing old and making new friendships.

A subscription or ticket is **\$15 per person** which you may raise by selling 15 chances to win a **Portable Television Set** which will be given away at the Luncheon.

Ask for some subscription books for your friends and relatives. Make your own reservations immediately if you have not already done so. Help your Committee make our December 9th Luncheon our biggest and most enjoyable one to date. Time is getting short. Call Mrs. Joseph Klein at the Synagogue, TR 7-8281, and she will be glad to send you as many books as you may desire and make your reservations.

WOMEN'S LEAGUE MEMBERSHIP MONTH CONCLUDED WITH LUNCHEON

*Hotel Riverside Plaza, Nov. 25
at 12 o'clock*

This event will climax the month of activity by our Women's League members in their effort to attain their goal of **"every woman worshipper a Women's League member."**

Mrs. Irving Balmuth and Mrs. Edward Jacobs, the indefatigable and hard-working Co-Chairmen of this function urge every woman in our congregation to come to our Membership Luncheon and to join our ranks.

There will be **no admission charge except 1957-58 paid-up membership dues.**

If you are not already a member of our Women's League, this is a most desirable time to become one. **Send in your check of \$5.00** made payable to Women's League, W.S.I.S. and an invitation for the Membership Luncheon at the Riverside Plaza Hotel, on Monday, November 25th, will be waiting for you at the door.

This delightful Luncheon is just one of the many treats and privileges to which your Women's League Membership entitles you. Don't delay — join at once!

You can pay at the door, but please call the synagogue immediately, TR 7-8281, to notify us that you are coming so that adequate arrangements can be made for you.

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W.S.I.S. PRAYER SCHEDULE

Light Candles Friday Evening up to4:13

Weekly Portion — Toldos

Genesis 25:19-27:9 I Samuel 20:18-42

Friday Evening Service4:25

Saturday Morning Service9:00

Special Prayers for the New Month

Youth Congregation10:00

Junior Congregation10:30

Sabbath Kindergarten10:30

Oneg Shabbos (Boys & Girls)3:00

Rabbi Reichel's Talmud Class2:45

Rabbi Pekier's Talmud Class2:45

Mincha3:45

Reader of Torah: Seymour Ukeles

Reader of Service: Murray Yavneh

The Sabbath Terminates5:04

Daily Services

Sunday Morning —

Rosh Chodesh7:00, 7:45, 8:30

Father and Son Service9:30

Daily Mornings6:45, 7:45, 8:30

Mincha4:25

Followed by the Explanation of the

Shulchan Aruch by Rabbi Goldstein

Father-And-Son Breakfast

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The Guest Speaker will be Acting Deputy Police Commissioner, Alexander Aldrich, who is the Secretary of the N.Y. City Police Department, and in charge of the Youth Program. He will tell us what the Police Department is doing to prevent juvenile delinquency and what the parents, schools, and religious organizations can do to aid in the general program of preventing Juvenile Delinquency.

Mr. H. William Hirsch is in charge of the arrangements for this event.

GETTING PERSONALby **Sanford Solarz**

Our Congregational citation of merit to Mr. Alexander Rauchman for the outstanding example he has set for all our members and friends in selling in one day 47 of the 50 tickets allotted to him for our annual benefit performance of the opera "Tosca" to be performed at the Metropolitan Opera House next January. And if that were not enough, he requested and got 33 more tickets for sale . . . We also award our Congregational citation of merit to Judge Aaron E. Klein, son of Mr. and Mrs. Simon Klein, upon his election as City Court Judge in Kingston, N. Y. . . . The worshippers at our first daily Minyan are grateful to Mr. Abe Glaser for his donation to them of "spirit" treat . . . Welcome from California to Mr. and Mrs. Ben Meyers . . . The host of our weekly Sabbath afternoon Seudah Shlishis tomorrow afternoon will be our member, Mr. R. Mousaieff of Jerusalem . . . Congratulations to Mr. Gabriel Feigenbaum upon his chairmanship of the recent Testimonial Dinner in honor of the National Presidents of Orthodox Rabbinic and Lay Organizations on behalf of Israel Bonds . . . Our prayers for a speedy recovery to Mrs. Miriam Morse and Mrs. Sam Davis . . . Those who attended the Men's Club Installation Dinner on the 11th of November are still talking about the fine turnout, good fellowship, and grand manner in which it was carried out.

Birthday Greetings:**Nov.**

- 22—Director Sol Bellsey
Mrs. Mortimer Greer
Rabbi Jason Jacobowitz
Ben Kass
- 23—Jay Samuel Goodgold
Rabbi Philip Flatow
- 25—Joseph Shulster
Mrs. Gittle Silverman
Patricia Soll
- 28—Director Joseph Buchsbaum

Anniversary Greetings:

- 20—Mr. & Mrs. Mannie Alt (30th)
- 24—Mr. & Mrs. Maurice Kalker
- 26—Mr. & Mrs. Dave Gertz
- 27—Rabbi & Mrs. Jason Jacobowitz

Young Adults League Meeting,**Tuesday, November 26,****8:15 P.M.**

Gertz Bros., N.Y.C.

LAYMEN'S INSTITUTE NOTES**Last Call to Join Hebrew Courses**

All our readers who wish to read and to converse in Hebrew have another grand opportunity to join a Beginners Course in Hebrew on Monday evenings, at 8:00 o'clock.

A similar course is also offered on Monday afternoons at 3:30 o'clock for mothers of our Hebrew School pupils and all women of the Congregation.

Classes are already in session.

For further information call the Synagogue office.

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We sorrowfully announce the sudden passing of our loyal and devoted Director, **Isaac Goldman**. We extend our deepest sympathy to his beloved wife, Decy, his sons Morris and Alfred J., his brothers, William P., Morris, Emanuel, Abe, and the rest of the family.

Our heartfelt sympathy to our member Mr. Isak Haselkorn upon the passing of his wife **Yetta Haselkorn**; and to our member Mr. Joseph Klein upon the passing of his father **Ignatz Klein**; and to Mr. Louis Israel upon the passing of his sister **Lena Lavender**; and to the family of our late Women's League member **Henrietta Sandler**.

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