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### Director Jacob Kaplan, Synagogue U.J.A. Chairman Announces Committee Co-Chairmen

DINNER TO HONOR DIRECTOR PHILIP FRANKEL TO BE HELD IN SYNAGOGUE BALLROOM ON THURSDAY NIGHT, MAY 12th



Jacob Kaplan



Herman H. Cohen



Abraham M. Druckman



Adolph Meirowitz



You still have time to place an ad or greeting to our President Lester Udell in the Journal which will be printed in June.

Herman H. Cohen Jacob Kinzler Co-Chairmen, Album Committee



Joseph L. Rosenberg



Joseph Settel



Isiah O. Zucker

# MEN'S CLUB ELECTIONS TO BE HELD MONDAY NIGHT

A regular meeting of the Men's Club will be held on Monday, May 2nd in the Gold Room. The following slate of officers have been nominated for the coming year: President, Dr. Frank E. Fink; 1st Vice-President, Fred Goldstein; 2nd Vice-President, Isidor Lauer; Recording Secretary, Jacob Goldberg; Treasurer, Henry Kaufman; Sergeant at Arms, Alexander Kirsh.

It is very important that the entire membership be present at this significant event.

Leon Herman President Director Jacob Kaplan, this year's Synagogue U.J.A. Campaign Chairman, announces that Directors Herman H. Cohen, Abraham M. Druckman, Adolph Meirowitz, Joseph L. Rosenberg, Joseph Settel, and Isaiah O. Zucker have been appointed as co-chairmen of this year's Synagogue U.J.A. Campaign which will be launched on Thursday, May 12th at a Dinner given in honor of Philip Frankel at our Synagogue.

The Committee calls upon every one of our readers to cooperate with them in making this year's campaign a great success. The cause is worthy and the need is great. We all know what the U.J.A. stands for. So let us all try to better our efforts this year.



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### W.S.I.S. PRAYER SCHEDULE

Light Candles Friday Evening Before ...7:29 Weekly Portion: Sazriah-Metzorah Leviticus: 12:1-15:33 Friday Evening Service ......6:30 Count OMER 18 Saturday Morning Service ......9:00 Junior Congregation ......10:40 Oneg Shabbos (Boys and Girls from 7 to 11 years) Rabbi Pekier's Talmud Class ......6:00 Mr. Isaac Allen's Talmud Class ......6:00 Mincha ... Reader of Torah: Andrew A. Hausman The Sabbath Terminates ......8:20 Daily Services Sunday Morning ......7:15, 8:15, 8:45 Monday and Thursday Mornings ......6:45, 7:45, 8:30 Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday Mornings .....6:45, 7:45, 8:15 Followed by the Explanation of the Shulchan Aruch by Rabbi Goldstein

### CONDOLENCES

Our heartfelt sympathy to the family of our late Aaron Bernstein; to Mrs. Gertrude Adelson, upon the passing of her husband, Samuel C. Adelson; to our member, Mrs. Esther Rogoff, upon the passing of her brother, Julius Sacks in Israel; to our member, Mr. Irving Karpf, upon the loss of his brother, Adolph, and to the family of the late Harris L. Selig.

### GOING TO ISRAEL?

The famed Kibbutz Chafetz Chaim in Israel, has opened their own hotel for tourists. This hotel has been recognized by the Israeli Tourist Office and the Department of Health.

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### THE PRAYER BOOK

COMMENTS BY RABBI HERBERT S. GOLDSTEIN The Marriage Service (Continued)

"BLESSED ART THOU, O L-RD, WHO MAKEST ZION JOYFUL THROUGH HER CHILDREN." When we are joyful we must never forget Zion and Jerusalem. Thus, at the close of the Marriage Service, we break the glass because, at the height of our greatest joys, we may never forget the ruins of Jerusalem. As the Psalmist put it, "If I forget thee, O Jerusalem, at the height of my great joy, may my right hand forget her cunning." Psalm 137: Verse 5.

O MAKE THESE LOVED COMPANIONS GREATLY TO REJOICE." That they may be contented like Adam and Eve, who had no reason to be envious or discontented or unhappy.

"BLESSED ART THOU, O L-RD, WHO MAKEST BRIDE AND BRIDEGROOM TO REJOICE." We pray that the marriage should not be a one-way street, but that both the Bride and Bridegroom should be happy.

"BLESSED ART THOU, O L-RD, WHO MAKEST THE BRIDEGROOM TO REJOICE WITH THE BRIDE." Meaning not merely with the Bride, but with the virtues of the Bride, that she may serve him, as the Bible puts it, that she may become, "A help mate opposite him," opposite not in tendency, but as a mirror, to mirror before him, faith, ambition, courage, and all the nobler strivings in life. In other words, may the Bride and Groom both complement and supplement each other.

### Women's League Activities MRS. GEORGE L. LIVINGSTON TO BE HOSTESS TO EXECUTIVE BOARD

The Executive Board of the Women's League is cordially invited by Mrs. George L. Livingston to a Luncheon and Executive Board Meeting at her home 146 Central Park West on Monday, May 2nd at 12:30 P.M. We are very grateful to our hostess for her gracious hospitality. Please notify her if you cannot attend.



Mrs. George L. Livingston

### LAST CALL FOR RESERVATIONS FOR SPRING LUNCHEON, MAY 9th

It is no secret that every member of the Women's League has the highest regard and love for our President, Mrs. Fred Goldstein. The only way to show her your devotion and affection is by greeting her personally at the Luncheon to be given in her honor on Monday, May 9th at 12 Noon in our Synagogue Grand Ballroom.

The Committee has planned a delightful afternoon of delicious food, door prizes, gifts, surprises and card games. As the date of this event is drawing near, have you made your reservations, pledged your hostess donation, brought your Treasure Chest Gift? Mrs. Emanuel Goodman, "our devoted Kate," is awaiting your gifts for wrapping and arranging. Don't disappoint her!

# PASSOVER RELIEF FUND COLLECTION A GREAT SUCCESS



We wish to publicly thank Bertha Koch, Chairman of our Passover Fund Drive for her efficiency, diligence and promptness in carrying out this project. Its financial success, greater than last year, is due only to her efforts. Our thanks also to all who helped her in this most worthy cause

Chairman Mrs. Max Koch

### Dinner To President Lester Udell A Huge Success!

A most thrilling tribute was paid to our President Lester Udell by many members and friends at the Hotel Pierre last Saturday night. It was an evening that will long be remembered by all who were present. Words cannot adequately describe the "Nachas" that Lester and his dear wife Evelyn so evidently enjoyed by the fine gathering of the many who are near and dear to

The dinner was a momentous event from the singing of the Hatikvah until the saying of grace after the meals.

A very inspiring invocation was eloquently delivered by our Associate Rabbi O. Asher Reichel.

Richard Weinstein a grandson of our guest of honor, entertained a most appreciative audience with songs and with his guitar. The guests joined lustily in the singing. Clifford Weinstein, the handsome brother of the guitar prodigy, delivered a brief but touching address, and then presented his grandfather with a gift from the eleven grandchildren "Kayn Yirbu.'

Mr. Leon Fink, President of the Western Travelers Club spoke eloquently on behalf of the Club of which Lester is a member and presented him with a gift.

Rabbi Goldstein delivered an address and spoke most feelingly on behalf of the Congregation, and then presented Mr. Udell with his portrait. The portrait was painted by

Mr. Geza Fisher, one of our congregants.

Mr. Udell then addressed the guests. First he expressed his thanks to Mr. Isaiah O. Zucker, Chairman of the Dinner Committee and to all his co-workers.

The President spoke with great emotion and gratitude. He certainly delivered a very fine Spiritual Mes-

We at the Synagogue are blessed that for the past twenty-three years we have had a leader who has given of his time, his means and all his efforts not only the Synagogue but also to innumerable worthy institutions and individuals, both here and abroad.

Let us hope and pray that the Almighty will keep him and his family in good health for scores of years to come.

We want to pay special tribute to Isaiah O. Zucker, the Chairman of the Dinner Committee who worked with great zeal, and gave unstintingly of his time, and of his persuasive powers. He showered praise to all those who helped make the Dinner a veritable tribute to Mr. Udell, and a glory to the W.S.I.S. He praised Mr. Jacob Kaplan, his Co-Chairman, Mr. Albert H. Colin, Chairman of the Building Committee and to Mr. Joseph L. Rosenberg, and to Mr. William Foont and Frank Taks, as well as to Mr. Herman H. Cohen, Chairman of the Souvenir Album Committee, and Mr. Frank Frohman and Mr. Jacob Kinzler, Co-Chairmen. RABBI MOISHE C. PEKIER, Sexton

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He also thanked Rabbi Reichel and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Moed for the very fine co-operation of the Mr. and Mrs. League and to Mrs. Fred Goldstein, President of the Women's League, and to Mr. Leon Herman, President of the Men's Club.

He also paid special thanks to Mr. Morris Jablow and Mr. Harold Kaplan.

#### RABBI GOLDSTEN'S CLASS

Rabbi Goldstein will conduct his Prayer Book Class at 7:45 (one hour preceding the meeting of the Men's

## THIS IS A TIME TO SAVE LIVES AND BUILD WORLDS

There is a Rabbinic saying to the effect that he who saves one life in Israel is as one who has built an entire universe This, then, is indeed a time to save lives and build worlds. Not since 1936 have Jewish lives been so threatened.

Hardly a day passes without a hostile incident directed against Israel's people. In Egypt, a poisonous Nasserism degenerates completely to become a latter-day Nazism. In the Araboriented countries of North Africa, Jews now face increasing hostility.

In the comparable threat of the 1930's, some were saved, but most were lost. In those years, there was no Israel to take them in and no means to get them out.

But, today there is an Israel, ready to welcome every Jew in need of haven. Today, there are the life-saving agencies of the United Jewish Appeal ready to rescue tens of thousands from lands of fear, terror, totalitarianism and death -

### IF YOU DO YOUR PART — NOW!

The West Side Institutional Synagogue will launch its 1959 campaign on behalf of the UJA on Thursday, May 12 at 6:00 P.M. at the Synagogue Ballroom, with a dinner for our Director Philip Frankel.

You have received an invitation. Did you respond?

At our UJA dinner on May 12 both men and women will be welcome. No one will be forced to pledge more than he can afford to give. Please remember that we are counting on you. Kindly telephone or write now so that we can make the proper reservations for you.

Chairman Jacob Kaplan

# GETTING PERSONAL

By Sanford Solarz

Our Congregational Sedorim were inspiring and tasty as always in years past. The traditional "Four Questions" were posed on the first night by Linda Wolf and on the second night by Miriam Reichel and the answers were inspirationally given . . . The chanting of the "Sheer Hasheerim" at our Chol Hamoed Sabbath services by Mr. Gabriel F. Goldstein, son of our beloved Rabbi and Mrs. Herbert S. Goldstein, was as beautifully done as previous renditions at our services during the Passover season, the following young persons in from their out of town colleges: Herschel Gold, Marshall Greenberg, Susan Gross, Jay Kobrin and Joseph Weisenfeld . . . Our welcome mat is spread out for Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Tilem from their recent trip to Hawaii, for our Director George Gersony upon his return from South Africa, where he was fortunate to miss by one day the bloody rioting; and for Mrs. Anna Dworkin, and her son, Mr. Ben Dworkin, Director and Mrs. Jacob Goodman, Director and Mrs. Carl Grossberg, Director and Mrs. Joseph Shapiro, from points South . . . Happy to report that Mrs. Morris Levine, Mrs. Frances Bayer and Dr. Monroe Gaines are off the sick list and that Al Kirsh is on the road to recovery Thank G-d . . . The host of our weekly Sabbath afternoon Seudah Shlishis tomorrow will be Mr. Harry Hausman . . . Mazel tov and all best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Freeman (our Women's League Treasurer) and Mrs. Frieda Strauber, upon the birth of a son to their children Mr. and Mrs. Murray Strauber . . . We would like to congratulate Herschel Gold upon the fine work he is doing for Kashruth for the student body at Yale . . . A special thanks to the women who came and helped get out the letters for collecting Sifrei Torah for the many settlements in Israel which are now in need of them . . . (George Klein, son of our members, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Klein, made a remarkable record, attending Yeshivah Chofetz Chaim during the day, N.Y.U. School of Commerce at night, and receiving both the degree in 31/2 years, and the School of Commerce Phi Beta Kappa (Betta Gama Sigma), and the Founders Day Award) . . . Our prayerful best wishes for a speedy recovery to Mrs.

# The Big Day For Our Young People Is Here!!

THIS SUNDAY, MAY 1st, at 9:15 A.M.

OUR FATHER-SON-DAUGHTER SERVICE AND BREAKFAST WILL BE SPONSORED BY OUR MEN'S CLUB

THE 1959 WORLD SERIES FILM WILL BE SHOWN AT OUR BREAKFAST

Members of our Mr. and Mrs. League and P.T.A. will be the hostesses.

COME ONE, COME ALL FOR A GRAND TIME

Leon Herman, President of Men's Club H. William Hirsch Chairman

Joseph (Lenore) Friedman . . . Rabbi Herbert S. Goldstein, accompanied by Mr. Abraham M. Druckman, was a guest at the Luncheon the Mayor gave in honor of President De Gaulle. Judge Edelstein was also present.

### Birthday Greetings

April

27-Henry Bratt

30—Dr. Emanuel Buchalter Mrs. Daniel Gribetz Mrs. Maurice Kalker

#### May

2—Evelyn Goldstein

3—Director Jess E. Gross Mrs. Charles Fiedler

4—Mrs. George L. Livingston Sol Redlich

### **Anniversary Greetings**

1—Mr. & Mrs. Sol Konstant 4—Mr. & Mrs. Edward Weinstein

### **HEBREW SCHOOL NOTES**

A series of interest extra-curricular events are being sponsored by our Hebrew School during the coming weeks.

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The regular classes will meet that morning following the film, until 1 P.M. All pupils are expected to attend classes that morning. The Kindergarten and Mrs. Plessner's class will meet at the regular time.

On Lag B'Omer, Sunday, May 15, our children will join our neighboring Talmud Torahs at a special outing. Parents are requested to approve the special forms that their children will bring home.

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