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SHEVUOS NOTES

On Saturday evening, June 5th, we usher in the Festival of Shevuos, the Feast of Weeks. This Holiday is of great significance in the Jewish calendar, for on this day we received the Torah on Mt. Sinai. It is therefore known as "Zman Matan Torasenu," the season of receiving our Torah.

To commemorate this divine event we decorate our Synagogue with leaves and flowers reminiscent of the greenery atop Mt. Sinai.

Another hallowed tradition is the "Mishmar," the all night vigil in the Synagogue and reciting "Tikun Shevuos," selections from the Bible and Mishna and other sacred writings. Our readers are cordially invited to join us in the Synagogue beginning at 10:30 on Saturday night. The morning service for those who are awake the whole night is held at daybreak.

It is a tradition to eat dairy foods on this festival. One reason given is that the Torah has been likened to "milk and honey."

During the morning services of the first day we read the Ten Commandments and chant the Akdamos, a beautiful poem in Aramaic, in adoration of the L-rd and the Torah, and describing a future of bliss and peace for the righteous.

On the Second Day, the idyllic story of Ruth is read. This is to commemorate the Yahrzeit of King David who was descended from Ruth.



Enroll your children (ages 4 to 14) in our modern Hebrew School for the new term in September. Inquiries welcome. Visit or call TR 7-8281.

All youngsters are welcome



Mayor Wagner receiving invitation to attend our Dinner tendered to Rabbi Herbert S. Goldstein on the occasion of his 50th year in the Rabbinate and his 75th birthday, at the Hotel Pierre, Tuesday, June 15th at 6:00 P.M. (l. to r.) Dinner Chairman Isaiah O. Zucker, Mrs. Herbert S. Goldstein, Mayor Wagner and Rabbi Goldstein.

RESERVE YOUR SEATS BEFORE SUMMER VACATION

The High Holy Days of the Jewish year begin Sunday eve, September 26th. We urge our readers and congregants most strongly to make their seat reservations for Rosh Hashonah and Yom Kippur BEFORE they leave the city for their summer vacations. Reservations may be made by a call to our office, TR 7-8281. If you wish your regular seat or a better one, please make sure you contact the office before August 1st. There is room for you in our Main Synagogue, at the auxiliary services in our air-conditioned Ballroom or in the air-conditioned Manhattan Towers Hotel (76th Street and Broadway). Even if you plan to attend only part of the time, you should have a seat in your own name.

Every worshipper at our services receives a holiday prayer book with an English translation. If you are not able to read Hebrew fluently you may follow the services in English. Thus you participate in the genuine, historical order of our hallowed prayers. You will have the satisfaction of being part of the W.S.I.S. in deed as well as thought.

Faithfully yours,
RABBI HERBERT S. GOLDSTEIN
RABBI O. ASHER REICHEL

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SHALOM WELCOME!

We are delighted that many families are moving into our neighborhood. Should you know of newcomers, please invite them to our Services and to our activities listed in the **Review**. Also kindly send their names, addresses and phone numbers to our office.

CONGRATULATIONS AND
BEST WISHES TO
ALL OUR GRADUATES

From Colleges:

Melvin J. Stern, son-in-law of Mr. & Mrs. Irwin Polk - M.D., Albert Einstein Medical College, Y.U.; Robert, son of Dr. & Mrs. Arnold Beller - B.A., Brandeis (to Purdue); William, son of Mr. & Mrs. Max J. Etra - (to N. Y. Medical College); Rachel, daughter of Dr. & Mrs. Ernest Freeman - B.A., Barnard; Joel Goldman, grandson of Trustee and Mrs. Edward Jacobs - LL.B., Syracuse U. Law School; George, son of Mr. & Mrs. Deszo Goldner - B.A., Columbia (to Princeton for M.A.); Ellen Greenfield, granddaughter of Mr. & Mrs. Harry Cohen - B.S., Tufts, and Bouvee School of Phys. Ed.; Mrs. Minette Horowitz, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Isidore Stoll - M.A., Rutgers; Sandra, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Edwin Jarmuth - M.A., N.Y.U.; Ronald, son of Mr. & Mrs. Edwin Jarmuth - B.A., Harpur; Julius, son of Dr. & Mrs. Samuel Nirenstein - B.A., Yale (to Harvard Law School); Samuel, son of Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Sage - A.B., Cornell (to U. of Minn. Also Assistantship in Chemistry); Susan, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Bruno Wanderer - B.A., Syracuse U.

From High Schools:

William, son of Mr. & Mrs. Norman Aghassi - Brooklyn Tech (to Brooklyn Polytech); Alan, son of Mr. & Mrs. Jules Cohen - Franklin (to Syracuse U.); Richard, son of Mr. & Mrs. Max J. Etra - Ramaz (to Brooklyn Polytech); Colin, son of Dr. & Mrs. Monroe Gaines - Stuyvesant (to Tulane U.); Rachel, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Warren Goldsmith - Calhoun (to U. of Wisconsin); Seth Michael, son of Mr. & Mrs. Simeon H. F. Goldstein - Bronx Science and Merit Finalist (to CCNY); David, son of Trustee & Mrs. Freddy Heiser - Stuyvesant (to U. of Penna.); David, son of Mr. & Mrs. Fred Kahn - Ramaz (to YU); David, son of Mr. & Mrs. Herbert Rudnick - Charles Evans Hughes; Joel, son of Mr. & Mrs. Martin Wachs - Stuyvesant (to CCNY).

Men's Club**MEETING TUESDAY, JUNE 8th**

The closing meeting of the season of our Men's Club will be held on Tuesday evening, June 8th at 8:30 o'clock in the Gold Room. We would like to see a fine attendance.

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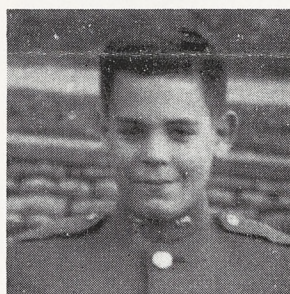
DOUBLE-HEADER BASEBALL PARTY, JUNE 13th

There are some tickets still available for the Mets-Dodgers double-header for June 13th. Just call our Synagogue office — TR 7-8281.

HEBREW SCHOOL NOTES

Classes will meet regularly through Sunday, June 13th. Our closing exercises will be held on Monday, June 14th, from 7:00 to 8:00 P.M. (on time please).

Our pupils are expected at Junior Congregation on Shevuos, at 10:45 A.M.

BAR MITZVAH**Gregory Woods**

Congratulations to Mr. Lester Woods upon the Bar Mitzvah of his son, Gregory, which will be celebrated in our Synagogue on Saturday, June 26th. Congratulations also to the grandparents, Mrs. Fannie Woods and Mr. & Mrs. Jack Shapiro.

From Elementary:

Debbie, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Nash Aussenberg - Manhattan Day School (to YUHS); Aviva, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Charles H. Bendheim - MDS (to YUHS); Bernice, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Max Brooks - MDS (to YUHS); Charna, daughter of Mrs. Minette Horowitz - MDS (to YUHS); Michael, son of Mr. & Mrs. Ludwig Jesselson - MDS (to YUHS); Helen, daughter of Rabbi & Mrs. Moishe C. Pekier - Beth Jacob (to Esther Schoenfeld HS); Miriam, daughter of Rabbi & Mrs. O. Asher Reichel - MDS (to Rabbi Samson Raphael Hirsch HS); Cathy, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Harry Romer - MDS (to Yeshiva Univ. HS); Lucienne, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Albert Reinhard - MDS (to YUHS); Michael, son of Mrs. Barbara F. Teitelbaum - PS 87 (to JHS 44); Barbara, daughter of Rabbi & Mrs. Bernard Twersky - MDS (to YUHS).

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NOTE: The names of the graduates which will reach us after we go to press will be listed in the first issue of the **REVIEW** in September. Thus we welcome the names of additional graduates in our Congregational Family.

Happy Birthday to:

Mrs. Joseph Anderson, Harry Appel, Jacob Bayer, Sam Ehrman, Mrs. Jerome J. Goldstein, Jonathan D. Goldstein, Mrs. Mac Goldstein, Jane C. Gottlieb, Francine Gross, Jacob Gross, Pamela Gross, Evan A. L. Harris, Mrs. George H. Heller, Jonathan Herlands, Michael S. Kantrowitz, Dr. Maurice and Seth Krauss, Max Lazarus, Herman Levine, Mrs. Muriel Levine, Henry Link, Daniel Mars, Julie Pash, Mrs. Bernice Rimler, Mrs. M. Daniel Rotto, Judith D. Rudnick, Mrs. Alfred Schwartz, Harvey Z. Shapiro, Stephen B. Smith, Jonathan Spanbock, Phillip Stein, Peggy Ten Brink, Diane Udell, Mrs. Lester Udell, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Weisenfeld and Linda Wolf.

Happy Anniversary to the:

Leo Appelbaums, Benjamin Axels, Lawrence Axelrods, Justin Bayers, Samuel K. Beiers, Bernard Bercus, Melvin Bergmans, Frank Bisingers, Dr. Gerald Blankforts, Joseph Buchsbaums, Jules S. Cohens, Alexander Dimants, Hyman Felds, Fred H. Gellers, Philip Gertners, George A. Golds, Dr. Herschel Golds, Warren R. Goldsmiths, Rabbi Herbert S. Goldsteins, Mac Goldsteins, Jess E. Gross, James Herlands, Herbert Hirschs, Jerome Kamermans, Herman Kaminskys, Max Kochs, Bernard Langsams, Joshua Levines, Marvin R. Livingstons, Milo Mandels, Joseph Moses, Philip Nagers, Rabbi O. Asher Reichels, Murray Rosenbergs, A. Rossetts, Edgar L. Rybakoffs, Dr. Martin Sages, Herbert Tumpowskys, Bernard Udells, Richard Udells, Harry Weisenfelds, David Wheys, Ira Wollens and Cantor Zalmon Yavnehs.

ELITE CLUB NOTES

Thanks to Miss Mary Ulanovsky for her interesting talk at our last Social.

Condolences

We sorrowfully record the passing of the following of our Congregational Family and extend our sympathy to their dear ones:

Tillie Lerner — sister of our Women's League member, Mrs. Harry Schetzen.

Gittel Silverman — our member and Women's League Board member, mother of our member, Mrs. Walter Rosenberg.

CORRECTION

In the Condolences of the last issue there was a typographical error. It should have read that the late **Lester Samuels** was a son of our member, Mrs. Bessie Samuels.

W.S.I.S. PRAYER SCHEDULE**Friday, June 4th**

*Light Candles Before8:04
 *Mincha6:40

Saturday, June 5th

Morning Service9:00
 Sedra: Bamidbar
 Junior Congregation10:45
 Rabbi Pekier's Talmud Class7:15
 Mr. Isaac Allen's Talmud Class7:15
 Mincha — PEREK VI8:15

LIGHT FESTIVAL

CANDLES AFTER9:06
 Tikun Shevuos10:30

Sunday, June 6th — Shevuos I

Morning Service9:00
 Junior Congregation10:45
 Mincha8:10
 Light Festival Candles

Monday, June 7th — Shevuos II

Morning Service — Yizkor8:30
 Junior Congregation10:45
 Rabbi Pekier's Talmud Class7:20
 Mr. Allen's Talmud Class7:20
 Mincha8:20
 Festival Terminates9:07

Week of June 8th

Tues., Wed. & Fri.6:45, 7:45, 8:15
 Thursday Morning6:45, 7:45, 8:30
 Mincha Daily8:15
 Weds. — Rabbi Pekier's Class7:15

* Those who usher in the Sabbath with the Congregation at an early hour should recite the "Shma" paragraphs (and Omer 49) at night.

Summer Schedule of Services

Friday Mincha6:40

Saturday Morning9:00

Saturday Mincha — One Hour

Before Sabbath Terminates

Daily Morning Services6:45, 7:50

Sunday & Legal Days7:15, 8:30

Daily Mincha — About 10 Minutes

Before Sunset

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Services on Special Dates

Sat., June 19 — Mincha6:30

Siyum of Rabbi Pekier's Class

Wed. & Thurs., June 30 & July 1

Rosh Chodesh Tamuz

Morning Services6:30, 7:40

Sun., July 18 — Fast of 17 Tamuz

Morning Services & Slichos 7:00, 8:15

Mincha (Vayechal)8:00

Fri., July 30 — Rosh Chodesh Av

Morning Services6:30, 7:40

Sat., Aug. 7 — 9th of Av9:00

Mincha6:00, 8:00

Maariv (Aichaw)8:45

Sun., Aug. 8 — Fast of Tisha B'Av

Morning Services (Kineos) 6:45, 8:30

Mincha (Veyechal)7:30

Sat., Aug. 28 — Rosh Chodesh Elul

Sun., Aug. 29 — Rosh Chodesh Elul

Morning Services7:00, 8:15

Sat. Night, Sept. 18 — 1st Selichos

Mon., Sept. 27 — Rosh Hashanah I

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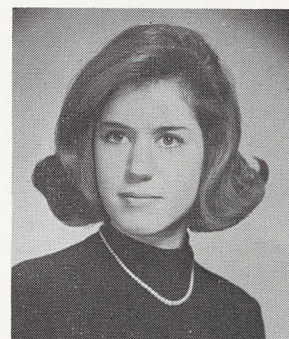
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Mazel tov to our members, Mr. & Mrs. (Mr. & Mrs. League Treasurer) Eugene Ten Brink upon the engagement of their daughter, Lois Ruth, to Alan J., son of Mr. & Mrs. Paul Benet, of Forest Hills.

The bride-to-be is a Biology Major at CCNY. She has been an active member in our youth activities.

The groom-to-be is a graduate of the Baruch School of Business CCNY and is head of an insurance concern.

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FRIDAY-SATURDAY	Light Candles Before	Sabbath Terminates	SEDRA	PEREK
June 11-12	8:09	9:10	Naso	I
June 18-19	8:12	9:14	Behaalosechaw	II
June 25-26	8:14	9:15	Shelach	III
July 2-3	8:13	9:14	Korach	IV
July 9-10	8:11	9:13	Chukas	V
July 16-17	8:08	9:08	Balak	VI
July 23-24	8:03	9:01	Pinchas	I
July 30-31	7:57	8:54	Matos-Maseay	II
Aug. 6-7	7:49	8:45	Devarim	—
Aug. 13-14	7:40	8:34	Vaeschanan	III
Aug. 20-21	7:30	8:23	Ekev	IV
Aug. 27-28	7:20	8:12	Reay	V
Sept. 3-4	7:09	8:01	Shofetim	VI
Sept. 10-11	6:57	7:49	Kee Setze	I-II

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 THE NEW YEAR**

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By Sanford Solarz

The beautiful floral decorations for Shevuos in our Synagogue are the growth of the dedicated work of our Women's League . . . Citations of Merit to our Senior Rabbi Herbert S. Goldstein who was invited to read from the Scriptures at the annual I Am An American Day celebration in Central Park; and to Trustee Henry L. Kraushar who will be guest of honor at the Mizrahi-Religious Zionists' Annual Dinner at the Waldorf-Astoria on Wednesday, June 23rd . . . Mr. Gabriel F. Goldstein will again chant the Book of Ruth at our Shevuos services . . . Mazel Tov to: our members, Mr. & Mrs. (Women's League Board member) Harry Cohen, upon the forthcoming marriage of their granddaughter, Ellen Mae, daughter of their children, Mr. & Mrs. Samuel Greenfield, to Roger, son of Mr. & Mrs. William Rosenberg; to our members, Dr. & Mrs. Ernest Freeman, upon the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Rachel, to Mark, son of Mr. & Mrs. Frederick Steiner; to Rabbi & Mrs. Herbert S. Goldstein, the grandparents, and to our members, Mr. & Mrs. Simeon H. F. Goldstein, the parents, upon the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Deborah Jane, to Marvin, son of Mr. & Mrs. Ben Pollack; to our members, Mr. & Mrs. (Women's League Fin. Secy.) Harry C. Soffer, upon the forthcoming marriage of their granddaughter, Susan N. Rockstein, to Robert A. Rauchman; to our Women's League member, Mrs. Lena Reichel upon the birth of Eta Joy to her children, Mr. & Mrs. Hyam I. Reichel . . . Our prayers for a speedy recovery for Mrs. Jess Ward . . . All our good wishes to Dr. Bernard Gottlieb in his new office on the West Side . . . Welcome home from Israel to Mr. & Mrs. Daniel Gribetz and from points west to Mr. Herbert Tumpowsky . . . Best wishes to our members and friends for a happy and spiritually rewarding summertime.

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I can't go let others go instead.
Who is there who to himself can say
That June 15th is just another day.
Who is there with a heart so bare
Who can turn his back on The Day at Hotel Pierre.*

Since there are always some who for reasons best known to themselves wait until the last moment to make up their minds, perhaps we may be able to remove any doubt as to why they can't afford to be conspicuous by their absence. What greater, what more beautiful way to say "thank you" to our Rabbi than by your presence — to shake his hand and congratulate him upon reaching this great milestone.

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TALMUD CLASS SIYUM

Our congregants are invited to the Siyum of Rabbi Pekier's Talmud Class on Saturday, June 19th, at 6:30 p.m. Mr. Abraham Kuber is Chairman.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren L. Schnur have donated twenty volumes of the class' new Tractate Yevamos, in memory of Meyer L. Pargament.

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