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**RABBI SHNEUR KOTLER
BETH MEDRASH GOVOHA
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12 Tishri 5726 / October 8, 1965

Rabbi Herbert Goldstein

229 West 78th Street

New York, New York

Dear Rabbi Goldstein:

I was very pleased and elated, as my sainted father would certainly have been, to hear about the improvement in the m'chitza at your Synagogue.

It is certainly a source of satisfaction and strength to all of us to know, that you are continuing your staunch and courageous dedication to Torah principle and Torah holiness.

May the Alm-ghty grant you good health and strength to continue to serve as a pillar of the orthodox Torah community in this country, and as a loyal, devoted friend to the many great Torah institutions.

With sincere good wishes.

Cordially yours,

Rabbi S. Kotler

CONGREGATIONAL THANKS

Our thanks to the Bendheim Family for defraying the expense of our new mechitza, in loving memory of Siegfried Bendheim. May they be blessed for this mitzvah.

Many thanks to Mr. Stephen Klein who worked untiringly in supervising the erection of the mechitza. And may he be blessed for his dedicated efforts.

HEBREW FOR ADULTS

Our members and readers again will have a wonderful opportunity to study the Hebrew language in our Laymen's Institute. Those interested are urged to mail the coupon below as soon as possible.

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W.S.I.S. JEWISH HERITAGE CULTURAL EVENINGS

**Rabbi Reichel at Opening Session,
Thursday, November 4th, at 8:30 P.M.**

W.S.I.S. PRAYER SCHEDULE

Friday, October 22nd

Light Candles Before5:49

Mincha5:50

Saturday, October 23rd9:00

Sedra: Brayshis

Blessing of New Month

Junior Congregation10:45

Mincha3:40

Reader of Service: Aaron I. Reichel

Reader of Torah: Philip Bendheim

Chassanim Party

Sabbath Terminates6:43

Week of October 24th

Sunday Morning7:15, 8:15, 8:45

Mon. & Thurs.6:45, 7:45, 8:30

Tues. & Wed. (Rosh Chodesh

Cheshvan)6:30, 7:30, 8:10

Mincha Daily5:50

Friday, October 29th

Morning Services6:45, 7:45, 8:15

Light Candles Before5:39

Mincha5:40

Saturday, October 30th9:00

Sedra: Noach

Junior Congregation10:45

Rabbi Pekier's Talmud Class4:15

Mr. Allen's Talmud Class4:15

Mincha5:15

Reader of Service: Mervyn Frankel

Reader of Torah: David Kahn

Seuda Shlishis — Host: Mr. Robert Hofbauer

Sabbath Terminates6:33

TURN CLOCK BACK ONE HOUR

Week of October 31st

Sunday Morning7:15, 8:15, 8:45

Mon. & Thurs.6:45, 7:45, 8:30

Tues., Wed., & Fri.6:45, 7:45, 8:15

Mincha Daily4:40

Friday, November 5th

Light Candles Before4:31

Mincha4:35



Dr. O. Asher Reichel

A varied series of lectures and forums for the cultural and spiritual enrichment of all the members of our community will be conducted by our Rabbi, Dr. O. Asher Reichel, on the first Thursday evening of every month, beginning November. Guest speakers will participate at subsequent lectures.

"Ceremonies and Rituals in the Home" will be the subject of Rabbi Reichel's talk on Thursday, November 4th at 8:30 o'clock.

Our Congregational Family, neighbors and friends are cordially welcome. Refreshments.

ANNUAL CHASSANIM PARTY TO BE HELD THIS SATURDAY

The entire congregation — both men and women — are cordially invited to the annual party given by the Chassanim of Simchas Torah. This year's Chassanim were Messrs. Stephen Klein, Sol Redlich and Jack Verschleiser.

The party will take the form of a festive Seuda Shlishis this Saturday, October 23rd, immediately after the Mincha services. Mincha will begin at 3:40 P.M.

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CELEBRATING THEIR GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY



Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Mann

Heartiest congratulations to our members, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Mann, upon their golden wedding anniversary. We pray they will celebrate many more anniversaries in our midst with health and happiness.

Mr. and Mrs. Mann will tender a Kiddush to the entire Congregation in honor of their simcha at the close of tomorrow morning's service.

FORTHCOMING COMMUNAL EVENTS

Yeshiva University Synagogue Leadership Conference

Sunday Morning, October 31st
(Call LO 8-8400, Ext. 289 for Details)

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Beth Medrash Gavoha of Lakewood Annual Dinner

Monday, Nov. 15th — Hotel Pierre
(Call WA 4-1424 for Reservations)

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Torah Umesorah Annual Dinner

Sunday, Nov. 21st — Hotel Pierre
(Call YU 9-1717 for Reservations)

NEW MIKVAH BUILDING

Until the new Mikvah on West 78th Street is ready, two Mikvahs in Manhattan are recommended:

536 West 187 St. 313 E. Broadway
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MEN'S CLUB NOTES

Dates to record and remember:

Sunday, October 31st at 11:00 A.M. — Brunch for members at which wives and friends are invited. Let Mr. Isaac Koenigsberg, Chairman, or Synagogue office know whether you will be there. The presentation of the cashmere sweater trimmed with mink and the two mink boas will be made. If you haven't turned in your subscriptions please do so NOW.

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Monday, November 1st at 8:30 P.M. — Regular meeting of the Men's Club. Hear the reports of the Committees. Refreshments follow.

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Sunday Evening, November 28th — Choice reserved seats available for the unique motion picture, "The Agony and the Ecstasy." Contact Synagogue office or Mr. Fred Goldstein, Chairman.

S. G.

ELITE CLUB MEETING TUESDAY

The reopening Gala Social of the season of our Elite Club (single people over 29) will be held on Tuesday night, October 26th at 7:45 o'clock.

Those interested in participating in a Symphonic Band to be led by Maestro Joseph Konevsky, are requested to write to the Elite Club for auditions and further details. Instrument required.

COLLEGIATES MONTHLY EVENT

At our last Collegiate Oneg Shabbat it was unanimously resolved to sponsor a Collegiate Oneg Shabbat the first Friday evening of every month.

All our Collegiates are cordially invited to attend our next gathering Friday night, November 5th, at 8:30 o'clock in our Club Room.

YOUNG MEN CONDUCT SABBATH MINCHA SERVICES

The young men of the congregation will resume the leadership of the Shabbath Mincha services as chazanim and readers of the Torah.

Rabbi Reichel will be glad to add the name of any young man who is interested in joining in this important activity to the list of participants.

NEEDED: W.S.I.S. AMBASSADORS

May we call upon our members and friends to let our Rabbis know the names, addresses and telephone numbers of the growing number of newcomers into our neighborhood. It will be our pleasure to make them feel at home in our Synagogue and to invite them to our varied activities.

MR. & MRS. LEAGUE NOTES

Mrs. Millie Bisgeier will be the hostess at a Board meeting on Wednesday evening, October 27th.

SUCCOS AT THE WSIS

For sheer beauty and inspiring hominess, our Succah this year must rate among our finest of past years, for which we extend our Congregational gratitude to our Mr. & Mrs. League Succah Committee under the chairmanship of Mrs. Abraham Cohen and Mrs. Maurice Goodgold and to their dedicated co-workers: Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bisgeier, Mrs. Millie Bisgeier, Mr. and Mrs. Warren R. Goldsmith, Dr. Goodgold, Mrs. Dora Gottfried, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Gribetz, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Gursky, Mrs. Fred Heiser, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Klein, Mrs. O. Asher Reichel, Miriam Reichel, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Rudnick, David Rudnick, Mr. and Mrs. Al Schwartz, Mr. Samuel Schwarzman, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Stein, and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Ten Brink. A special citation to Messrs. Cliff Breeden and Nat Santoro for their special efforts in creating the artistic fruit chandelier in the Succah. Thanks to: our Women's League for supplying the wherewithal for the decorations as well as for the Kiddush wine and refreshments; Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Soffer for the fruit; and to Mr. Sidney Siegel of Lou G. Siegel's for the rolls. Thanks likewise to those who helped usher and serve the hundreds of worshippers for the Kiddush and Hamotzie in the Succah. A special Congregational vote of appreciation to Mrs. Esther Ehrenfeld who took personal charge of the Kiddush service the entire Yom Tov.

REBECCA F. GOLDSTEIN WOMEN'S LEAGUE

EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING TO BE HELD ON OCTOBER 25th

Mesdames Herbert S. Goldstein, Leopold Hirsch, Edward Jacobs and Louis Shlansky cordially invite the members of the Executive Board to be their guests at a LUNCHEON to be followed by a MEETING on **Monday, October 25th at 12:30 P.M.**

There are many important events to be discussed and we need your help to formulate plans for future events. Please make every effort to attend.

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OUR SUCCAH FUND DRIVE MOST SUCCESSFUL

Bertha Koch and her Co-Chairmen, Miriam Morse and Anne Soffer, did a monumental job in their campaign for funds to defray expenses for the Succos Holidays. This is a project in which the Women's League covers the cost of all decorations and food for the Succah. The actual work of decoration is done by the Mr. & Mrs. League. Our thanks to them all.

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Mrs. Max Koch

MEMBERSHIP LUNCHEON TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 15th

All paid-up members and new members are cordially invited to be our GUESTS at a Luncheon with entertainment for the afternoon on Monday, November 15th, at 12 noon. Let's get together for an afternoon of greeting old friends and welcoming new ones.

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DONOR LUNCHEON WILL BE OUTSTANDING AT DELMONICO'S

DATE: MONDAY, DECEMBER 13th

TIME: 12:00 NOON

PLACE: HOTEL DELMONICO (Park Avenue at 59th Street)

We are expecting to see every Women's League member at this function with her friends and relatives. **Chairman Mrs. Fred Goldstein** and her Committee expect your complete cooperation. Don't disappoint them.

L. G.

Happy Birthday to:

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Adler, Mrs. Edward Berkowitz, Mrs. Irving Bellsey, Judith L. Bernstein, Michael Citron, Nicole Cohen, Kenneth Glass, Deborah J. Goldstein, Mrs. Herbert S. Goldstein, Dr. Maurice Goodgold, Anna F. Gross, Laurie Hanover, David Heiser, Louis Heller, Roy Hines, Howard Horowitz, Richard Kahn, Mrs. Harold Kaplan, Ned Kirsh, Mrs. Israel Kestenbaum, Mrs. Jack Levine, Mrs. Joshua Levine, Nathan Mire, Mrs. Arline Padawer, Mrs. Sol Redlich, Alan and Janet Rimberg, Michael H. Sahn, Sanford Solarz, Mrs. Frank L. Taks and Mrs. Michael Wein-garten.

Anniversary Greetings to the:

Jacob Bayers, Jules Citrons, William Foonts, Leon Kantrowitz, Harry Kess-lers, Kalman Kinzlers, Theodore Manns, V.P. Martin Romerovskis and Harry Shalitas.

DAILY KINDERGARTEN

We take pleasure in announcing the formation of a full-fledged ALL-DAY KINDERGARTEN in newly provided facilities of our Annex. A highly competent and experienced teacher will conduct the kindergarten program, which will be open for enrollment for children aged 4 to 6. The kindergarten program will begin at 9:00 in the morning and will end at 3:00 P.M.

If you have a child of kindergarten age, you are cordially invited to register your child at the Synagogue. Should you have friends or acquaintances who have children of kindergarten age, would you pass on to them the news of this new kindergarten, so that their child might also benefit thereby.

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SHEMINI ATZERES YIZKOR APPEAL

A stirring appeal on behalf of Homes for Children in Israel was made preceding the Yizkor Services on Shemini Atzeres. We hope that all our readers will respond to this call and participate in this mitzvah.

Checks should be made payable to "Homes for Children in Israel." The REVIEW will record the names of the donors.

Unveilings

The unveiling of the monument of our late member **Sol Anstendig** will take place on Sunday, October 24th, at 1:30 o'clock at Mt. Hebron Cemetery.

The unveiling for the monument of our late member and Women's League Board member **Anna Dwor-kin** will take place on Sunday, October 24th, at 12:00 noon at Beth David Cemetery.

Condolences

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

Fae Cooper—daughter of Mr. Henry Hauer and sister of our Women's League member, Mrs. Harry Burak.

Edward Koopman — our member.

GETTING PERSONAL

By Sanford Solarz

On Shabbos Chol Hamoad our member, Mr. Gabriel F. Goldstein, again chanted Koheles in his inimitable manner . . . Mazel tov to our members, Mr. and Mrs. (Women's League Hon. Vice-Pres.) Leopold Hirsch, upon the birth of a daughter to their children, Mr. and Mrs. Alan Hirsch . . . Every good wish in their new homes to Mr. and Mrs. Philip Hersh, Mrs. Morris Levine, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Reig and Mr. Samuel Weisberger . . . Our prayers for a speedy recovery for Mrs. Sarah Albert, Mr. Abraham Kuber, Mrs. Norman Liberman, Mrs. Miriam Morse and Mrs. Fanny Vogel . . . Welcome home from abroad to Dr. Stanley Eiss, Mr. and Mrs. Max Erlich and Miss Janice Etzkowitz . . . And from the West Coast welcome to Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Lindenbaum.

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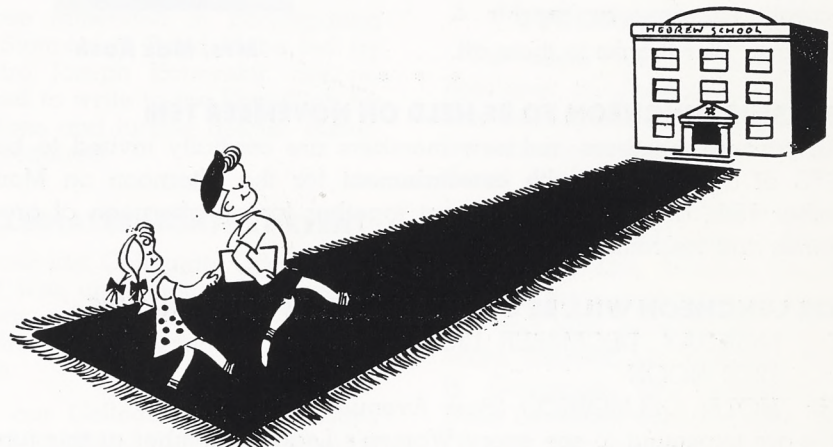
A MESSAGE TO OUR YOUNGER SET 7 to 13

Fun, that's the password for our new Shabbos afternoon groups for the youngsters. Every Saturday at 2:00 o'clock three groups meet in the Synagogue Annex for an afternoon of games, stories, songs and refreshments. The 7-9 year olds are meeting with Roger Linker, a college senior with wide experience in youth work and former leader of our Junior Congregation. Leading the 10 - 13 year old girls is Eva Davidman, a Queens College student who has been active in youth activities in summer camps as well as in our community. I am leading the 10 - 13 year old boys.

The three of us are trying hard in planning enjoyable programs but we need the youngsters to prove that our plans are working. So again we invite all of you to come to our Shabbos afternoon groups and bring your friends.

Cordially,
Jerry Shatzkes
Club Director

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