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W.S.I.S. Prayer Schedule

Friday, May 16—Yom Yerushalayim
Morning Services6:45, 7:50
*Light Candles Before7:49
*Minchah6:40
Omer Friday Night: 44

Saturday, May 179:00
Sedrah: Bamidbar
Blessing of New Chodesh
Rabbi Reichel's Talmud Berachos
Class (in English)6:55
Rabbi Pekier's Talmud Yevamos
Class (in Yiddish)6:55
Minchah — PEREK VI7:55
Reader of Service: Robert Levine
Reader of Torah: Michael Widlanski
Sabbath Terminates8:48

Week of May 18
Sunday Morning —
Rosh Chodesh Sivan7:15, 8:15
Mon. thru Thursday6:45, 7:50
Minchah Daily — Followed by
Exposition of Halachos by
Rabbi Reichel8:00
Wednesdays — Rabbi Pekier's
Talmud Pesachim Class7:00
Thurs., May 22 — Erev Yom Tov
Eruv Tavshilin
Light Festival Candles7:54
Minchah8:05
Tikun Shevuos10:15

Fri., May 23 — Shevuos I
Morning Services4:25, 9:00
Junior Congregation10:45
*Kindle Sabbath and
Festival Candles Before7:55
*Minchah7:00

Sat., May 24 — Shevuos II
Morning Services8:45
Yizkor
Junior Congregation10:45
Talmud Classes7:05
Minchah8:05
Reader of Service: Johanan Levine
Sabbath and Yom Tov Terminates 8:56

Week of May 25
Sunday Morning7:30, 8:30
Mon. through Thursday6:45, 7:50
Minchah Daily8:05

Fri., May 30 — Memorial Day
Morning Services7:30, 8:30
*Light Candles Before8:01
*Minchah6:40

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

SCHOLARLY WORK BY RABBI REICHEL BEING PUBLISHED

In early June, Rabbi Reichel's book, *Isaac Halevy (1847-1914): Spokesman and Historian of Jewish Tradition*, will be off the press. This work depicts the role of one of the foremost creative personalities in Orthodox Jewish history in modern times.

All our readers are invited to attend our services on Saturday morning, June 14, when this literary milestone of the Rabbi will be celebrated. Prominent personalities will grace this occasion.

SALUTE TO ISRAEL PARADE

The annual Salute to Israel Parade will take place on Sunday, June 1, on Fifth Avenue from 57th Street to 86th Street. It will start at 11:00 A.M. The pupils of our Hebrew School have been invited to attend the parade.

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Public Schools are required to excuse our pupils on Shevuos, Friday, May 23. Rabbi Reichel will be glad to provide any necessary excuse notes.

Saturday, May 31
Sedrah: Naso
Teen-Age Circle3:00
Talmud Classes7:10
Minchah — Perek I8:10
Cantor: Steven Tiefenbrunn
Reader of Torah: Hillel M. Reichel
Sabbath Terminates9:02

Week of June 1
Sunday Morning7:30, 8:30
Daily Mornings6:45, 7:50
Minchah Daily8:10

Friday, June 6
*Light Sabbath Candles Before8:05
*Minchah6:40

Saturday, June 79:00
Sedrah: Beha'alo'secha
Talmud Classes7:15
Minchah — Perek II8:15
Reader of Service: David Kahn
Reader of Torah: Aaron I. Reichel
Sabbath Terminates9:07

Week of June 8
Sunday Morning7:30, 8:30
Daily Mornings6:45, 7:50
Minchah8:15

Friday, June 13
*Light Sabbath Candles Before8:10
*Minchah6:40

SHEVUOS NOTES



On Thursday evening, May 22nd, the fiftieth day following the second day of Passover, 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. Our Women's League will again provide the floral decorations for our Shevuos services — a guarantee that our beautiful Sanctuary will be made even more beautiful.

Another hallowed tradition is the "Mishmar," the all night vigil in the Synagogue and reciting "Tikun Shevuos," selections from the Bible and Mishnah and other sacred writings. Our readers are cordially invited to join us in the Synagogue beginning at 10:15 on Thursday night. (Refreshments will be served.) The morning service for those who are awake the whole night is held at daybreak, 4:25 o'clock.

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 from the Torah the Ten Commandments and chant the Akdamos, a beautiful poem in Aramaic, in adoration of the Almighty and the Torah.

On the second day, the idyllic story of the Book of Ruth is read. This is to commemorate the yahrzeit of King David who was descended from Ruth. Mr. Gabriel F. Goldstein will again chant the Book of Ruth at the morning service.

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RABBI O. ASHER REICHELEditor

Rabbi and Mrs. Herbert S. Goldstein take this means of thanking the members and worshippers of our Congregation who turned out at the UJA Brunch in their honor in such goodly numbers and liberal contributions, which made us feel both great and grateful.

CONDOLENCES

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

Gitla Abenstein — mother of Mrs. David Brook.

Hinda Aussenberg — mother of Mr. Nash Aussenberg.

Max Gottlieb — brother of our member, Mr. Hyman Gottlieb.

Max Lazarus — our member, past Director and Men's Club President, father of Mr. Lester Lazarus.

Martha Mann — sister of our Trustee and Men's Club member, Mr. Harold Kaplan.

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Julia Prostack — in Haifa, sister of our Women's League member, Mrs. Max Gottfried.

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Norman Stein — son of our members, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Stein.

Gustav Stern — our member, husband of Mrs. Irene Stern, father of Steven, Mrs. James Herlands and Roy.

YIZKOR SERVICES

On the last day of Shevuos, Saturday, May 24, Memorial Services will be recited. The following may be filled out and delivered to the Synagogue office by May 20.

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Tickets are available for our annual baseball benefit — a doubleheader, Yankees vs. Chicago White Sox. For choice tickets write to our Men's Club or call the office, TR 7-7652. Mr. Murray Rosenberg is chairman of this event on Sunday, June 8.

WSIS BAZAAR NOTES

The success of our annual Bazaar is the result of the devoted labors of our Men's Club and Mr. & Mrs. League, the co-sponsors, as well as all our generous donors. Bouquets to the Co-Chairmen of the Bazaar Committee, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Gursky, and Fred Heiser, and to the following who helped in so many ways: Mrs. Hilda Balicer, Bruno Bayer, Mr. & Mrs. Gerard Benjamin, Mrs. Howard Bisgeier, Mrs. Mildred Bisgeier, Mr. & Mrs. Leon Bitner, Esther Blumberg, Natalie Chock, Mr. & Mrs. Harry Cohen, Murray Cumsky, Mr. & Mrs. Alexander Dimant, Mrs. Esther Ehrenfeld, Mrs. Joseph Ellner, Benjamin Etzkowitz, Mr. & Mrs. Alfred Florsheim, Jacob Frankel, Dr. & Mrs. Monroe Gaines, Aaron Gelb, Mr. & Mrs. Fred

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BOARD MEETING TO BE HELD ON MONDAY, MAY 26

Mesdames Ben Z. Cohen, Lillian Ettlinger, Samuel Gursky and Joseph Klein cordially invite the members of the Executive Board to be their guests at a LUNCHEON to be followed by a MEETING on Monday, May 26th at 12:30 P.M. (4th floor).

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MRS. LOUIS SHLANSKY TO BE HOSTESS AT OPEN MEETING JUNE 2

You and your friends are cordially invited to be the guests of Mrs. Ida Shlansky at a LUNCHEON preceding the OPEN MEETING on MONDAY, JUNE 2nd, at 12:30 P.M., at our Synagogue, in celebration of the 50th Anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Shlansky.

Program: Installation of Officers.

Eruv Tavshilin

Thursday, May 22

It is not permissible to cook, bake or prepare food on one day of Yom Tov for the next day. The "Eruv Tavshilin" set aside prior to the Festival, enables one to cook on Friday Yom Tov for the Sabbath. Thus, the "Eruv Tavshilin" should be performed on Erev Shevuos.

Challah or bread and some cooked food, such as fish or an egg are placed on a plate. The head of the house lifts the plate and recites the following: "Boruch ataw a-do --- elo-kenu me-lech ha-olam asher kid-sha-nu b'mitz-vo-sav v'tzi-va-nu al mitzvas e-ruv ... By virtue of this Eruv, be it permitted to us to bake, cook, keep food warm, light the candles, and do all that is necessary on the Festival for the Sabbath." On Saturday afternoon the food thus prepared may be eaten.

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CALLING ALL GRADUATES

We would like to have a near perfect list of all our graduates, (elementary, high school and college) for this season's closing issue of the Review which will appear the second Friday in June. In order to make this possible, we must have in our office before May 27th the names of the graduates, the schools (list degree, if any), future academic plans and any special honors.

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Mr. and Mrs. Louis Shlansky

Heartiest congratulations to our members, Mr. and Mrs. (Women's League Hon. Vice-Pres.) Louis Shlansky, upon their Golden Wedding Anniversary. May the Almighty bless them with many more happy anniversaries in our midst.

TEENAGERS MEETING

Boys and girls over thirteen are invited to a Sabbath Afternoon Gathering, May 31st, at 3 P.M. on the fourth floor.

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By Sanford Solarz

Our Synagogue will be vicariously honored at the Annual Dinner of the Union of Orthodox Jewish Congregations which will be held this Sunday, May 18, at the Americana. Mr. Martin Romerovski, our Trustee and past president will receive the Presidents Award and Hon. Albert Wald, our member, will receive the Special Leadership Award. Likewise are we proud to note the Dinner in honor of Mr. Emil Glucker, our member, given by the U.J.A. Paper and Pulp Industries on May 14, at the Regency Hotel.

Congratulations and best wishes to our members, Mr. and Mrs. Max Hecht, upon the forthcoming *marriage* of their granddaughter, Renée Cheryl, daughter of their children, Rabbi and Mrs. Michael Scholar, to Tevya, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rephael Chaim Mindick; to our members, Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Polk, upon the forthcoming *marriage* of their daughter, Ruth Sheila, to Alan Steven, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Jacobs; to our members, Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Bendheim, upon the *engagement* of their daughter, Debra, to Barry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Isaiah Eisenberg of Bayonne, N.J.; and to our members, Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Alpert, upon the *birth* of Joseph Mendel to their children, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Katz.

Nachas fun Kinder: Gregory, son of Prof. and Mrs. Josef Alexander, has just been admitted to the Graduate School of Education of Harvard University for his Master's Degree in Guidance Counseling; Robert, son of Trustee and Mrs. Bernhard Spira, has been elected Co-President of the Jewish Culture Foundation of New York University Bronx Campus (Robert's name was inadvertently omitted from the last Review as a Youth Sabbath Torah reader).

Our prayers for a speedy recovery for Miss Ruth Davis, Mrs. Louis Herbst, Trustee Max Klein, and Levy Wechsler.

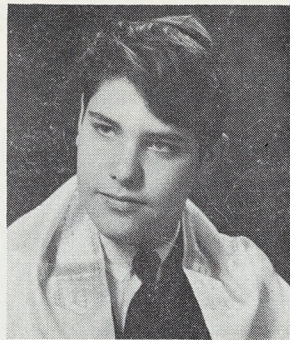
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All good wishes in their new homes to the Justin Bayers, Saul Bergmans and Hyman Schwartzs.

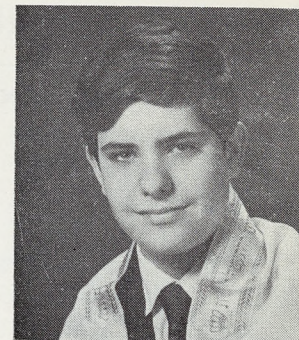
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Heartiest congratulations to our members, Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Widlanski, upon the Bar Mitzvah celebrations of their sons, Philip Rubin and Theodore Solomon, on Saturday morning, May 31st. The B'nay Mitzvah, students at Ramaz, will chant the entire service and read the Torah.

Mr. and Mrs. Widlanski will tender a Kiddush to the entire Congregation following the services.

MAY 16-31

Happy Birthday to:

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Happy Anniversary to the:

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