

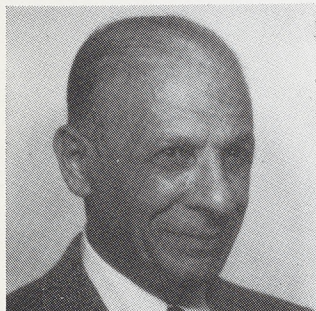
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HAROLD GUTTMAN

GUESTS OF HONOR AT OUR GALA ANNUAL SYNAGOGUE DINNER SUNDAY, DECEMBER 14

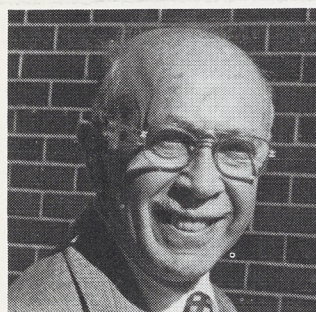
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BENNETT CARTER: Born in Syracuse, he came to the City as a young man. He studied accountancy at City College while he started his business career in Wall Street. He became a member of the New York Mercantile Exchange now known as the National Exchange. His next venture was in commercial photography. He is presently conducting the well known firm Advance Electronics. He is an Advisory Board member, past Men's Club President and one of our *Kohanim*.

LILYAN CARTER: Born on the East Side, she grew up in Flatbush until she became Mrs. Carter and moved into our community. Having studied art, costume illustration, design and music, she attained prominence as a dress designer in the garment industry. Presently she is her husband's top assistant in his firm.

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HAROLD GUTTMAN: Upon arriving in this community fifteen years ago from Brooklyn, he together with his family joined our Synagogue. A graduate of St. John's Law School, he specialized in Admiralty Law until his recent retirement. He is a member of our Advisory Board and a regular worshipper in our Synagogue.

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A. JAMES JACOBS: Hailing from the Borough of Queens, he served as "everything but" president of his Synagogue there. He was an officer of several political clubs of the Democratic Party as well as President of the Palestina Lodge of Free Sons of Israel and of the Sterlingshire Civic Association. He was an Assistant Corporation Counsel in New York City, Sheriff in charge of each of the 5 counties of New York City, and finally Under

Sheriff of the City. Next year he will celebrate his 50th year of admission to the Bar. A Trustee of our Synagogue, he was a recent Simchas Torah Chassan.

MILDRED JACOBS: A native of New York City, she is a patron of the Met and has an abiding interest in the Arts and Museums of our City. Last year she was Guest of Honor at the Annual Luncheon of our Women's League. She is a regular worshipper with Mr. Jacobs at our services.

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NATHAN WERBLUD: A native of Sokolke, Poland, he became a prominent fur merchant in Byalstock, after having studied in the Yeshiva there and in Grodna. He has never forgotten the personal blessing bestowed upon

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RABBI O. ASHER REICHEL Editor

WSIS Prayer Schedule

"TAL UMATAR" AS OF SATURDAY NIGHT DECEMBER 6

Fri., Nov. 14—Candles by	4:21
Minchah	4:30
Sat., Nov. 15—Sedrah: Vayeitzei	
Rabbi Reichel's Sedrah Class	8:30
Morning Services	9:00
Rabbi Reichel's <i>Talmud Succah</i>	
Class (in English)	3:10
Rabbi Pekier's <i>Talmud Avodah Zarah</i>	
Class (in Yiddish)	3:10
Minchah	4:10
Seudah Shlishis	
Sabbath Terminates	5:17
Week of November 16	
Sunday Morning	8:30
Rabbi Pekier's Talmud Class	9:00
Daily Mornings	6:45, 7:50
Minchah—Followed by Exposition	
of Halachos by Rabbi Reichel	4:25
Fri., Nov. 21—Candles by	4:16
Minchah	4:25
Sat., Nov. 22—Sedrah: Vayishlach	
Sedrah Class - 8:30 Services	9:00
Talmud Classes	3:15
Minchah	4:05
Seudah Shlishis	
Sabbath Terminates	5:13
Week of November 23	
Sun. & Thurs. Morns	8:30
Daily Mornings	6:45, 7:50
Minchah	4:20
Fri., November 28	
Kindle Chanukah Lights Before	
Sabbath Candles by	4:13
Minchah	4:20
Sat., Nov. 29 - CHANUKAH I	
Vayeishev	
Sedrah Class - 8:30 Services	9:00
BLESSING OF NEW CHODESH	
Talmud Classes	3:15
Minchah	4:05
Sabbath Terminates	5:10
Week of Nov. 30 - CHANUKAH	
Sunday Morning	8:20
Mon., Tues. & Wed.	6:45, 7:50
Thurs. & Fri. - ROSH	
CHODESH TEVES	6:30, 7:40
Minchah	4:20
Fri., Dec. 5	
Kindle Chanukah Lights Before	
Sabbath Candles By	4:11
Minchah	4:20
Sat., Dec. 6 - Chanukah VIII - Miketz	
Sedrah Class - 8:30 Services	9:00
Talmud Classes	3:15
Minchah	4:00
Sabbath Terminates	5:08
Week of Dec. 7—Minchah	4:20
Sun., Dec. 14—ASARAH BETEVES	

This is a personal request to our congregants and friends to attend the daily Minchah services during the short winter days in order to assure our uninterrupted Minyanim.

MEN'S CLUB NOTES

BREAKFAST MEETING, SUNDAY NOVEMBER 23

Members and prospective members of the Men's Club are urged to attend the monthly Breakfast Meeting on Sunday morning, November 23, at 10:00 o'clock. Following the meeting, all are invited to the Public Lecture (see page 4 for details).

The Men's Club will host the Kiddush on Saturday, November 29, when blessings for the new Chodesh are chanted.

GUESTS OF HONOR

NATHAN WERBLUD

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him by the sainted Chofetz Chaim while in Warsaw. After a short stay in Paris, he and his family escaped the holocaust just days before France was enveloped in the war. In the United States he resumed his business in furs and in allied enterprises. He is a member of our Advisory Board.

RUTH WERBLUD: A regular worshipper with Mr. Werblud in our Synagogue, she is a Board member of our Women's League. Mrs. Werblud is a scion of prominent Chassidic families. She too was born in Sokolke where she knew her husband-to-be from childhood. An active member of Hodassah she also served as President of the Sokolker Aid Society.

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JAY ZIMMERN: Our youngest member ever to be honored, he is also the only Gold Medal recipient who was born and raised in the W.S.I.S. where his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Zimmern, have been loyal members. Jay graduated Manhattan Day School and City College and served as a Paramedic in the U.S. Armed Forces. He is now General Manager in charge of the East Coast operations of one of the largest scrap metal and recycling firms in the country. He was also a recent Simchas Torah Chassan.

TRUDY ZIMMERN: A relative newcomer to our Synagogue Family, thanks to her marriage to Jay. Trudy graduated Brooklyn College and its Graduate School, majoring in Spanish literature; and also studied abroad. She taught in the Public School system in Brooklyn. She has been serving as Co-Chairman of our newly organized Young Couples Club.

FIRST CHANUKAH CANDLE FRIDAY EVE. NOV. 28

Chanukah commemorates one of the major turning points in Jewish history. In the year 168 B.C.E., the Syrian Emperor Antiochus Epiphanus launched a campaign of religious persecution against the Jews. His soldiers desecrated the Holy Temple in Jerusalem. For three years Judah the Maccabee led a valiant army of loyal followers against the mighty Syrian legions. After routing the enemy hordes, they rededicated the Holy Temple and reestablished the traditional worship. This consecration was celebrated for eight days. To this day we kindle Chanukah lamps to celebrate not only the events of the hoary past but also as a symbol of the Almighty's mighty deeds throughout the ages.

The first candle is placed at the extreme right of the Menorah. Each night following, an additional candle is placed to the left of the previous one. However, the order of lighting the candles is from left to right—so that the added candle is kindled first.

On Friday (the candles should be large enough to last over an hour—Sabbath candles are recommended) we light the Chanukah candles before the Sabbath candles; on Saturday night the Chanukah candles are kindled at home after Havdalah is made.

Benedictions Over The Candles

Baruch atah ado... elokainu melech haolom asher kideshanu bemitzvosav vetzivanu lehadlik ner shel Chanukah.

Baruch atah ado... elokainu melech haolam sheassah nisim laavoseinu bayamim haheim bazeman hazeh.

Blessing recited only at the first kindling:

Baruch atah ado... elokainu melech haolam shehecheyanu vekiyemanu vehigianu lazeman hazeh.

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BOARD MEETING ON MONDAY, DECEMBER 1

Mesdames Sylvia Anstendig, Helen Bernath, Jeannette Jacobs and Ida Shlansky cordially invite the members of the *Executive Board* to be their guests at a LUNCHEON to be followed by a MEETING on Monday, December 1st at 12:30 P.M.

MR. & MRS. LEAGUE NEWS

The hosts at the Board meeting on Wednesday, November 19th, will be Mr. and Mrs. Max Schwarz.

One half hour before the meeting, at 8:00 P.M., Rabbi Reichel will lead in a discussion on "gems" in the current Sedrah.

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HOLINESS OF THE SABBATH

In regard to the times listed for lighting the candles and the termination of the Sabbath we should be aware of the Talmudic dictum: "At its entrance, the earlier we can make it the better, but at its exit, the longer we can defer it the better...we add from the profane on to the holy."

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We are delighted to note that new 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. Kindly send us their names, addresses and phone numbers. Rabbi Reichel will be glad to personally welcome them. We are also interested in having the names and addresses of young marrieds in our community.

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GETTING PERSONAL

Felicitations to our Vice President Harry Denberg who will be honored at the Annual Lubavitcher Yeshivoh Dinner on December 7th at the Statler Hilton Hotel; and our member Julius Schreiber upon being guest of honor at the Dinner of the Pressburger Yeshiva Chasam Sofer in Jerusalem.

Among the dedicated workers on our Succah Committee was Joe Klein, whose name was inadvertently omitted in the last issue.

Welcome home from abroad to Sam Ger-shon, Mr. and Mrs. Jean Goldwurm, and Mrs. Esther Wulman.

Mrs. Samuel W. Siegel hosted a Seudah Shlishis in commemoration of her husband's *Yahrzeit*.

Many thanks to Miss Jean Greenspan for her assistance with the *Review* publication.

MAZAL TOV

Marriage

Hannah, daughter of our Trustee and past Vice-President Mr. & Mrs. Martin Romerovski, to Larry, son of Mr. & Mrs. Max Newman.

Birth

David Henry, son of Mr. & Mrs. George J. Hiltzik, grandson of Mr. & Mrs. Abraham A. Hiltzik and Dr. & Mrs. Herman Kaufman, and great-grandson of our member, Morris Zuckbraun.

YOUNG COUPLES CLUB GET-TOGETHER MONDAY EVENING, DEC. 8

Young couples in our congregational family and their friends are cordially invited to attend a social evening on Monday, Dec. 11, at 8:30 P.M. in our Lounge. Warren Moskowitz, an attorney and member of the club, will discuss "Soviet Jewry — Escape, Survival, Redemption."

Our readers are asked to send our Rabbi the names and addresses of young married couples in our community.

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