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SUNDAY, MAY 6th, 10:30 A. M.

HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION EXERCISES

RABBI BRICKNER

will summarize the symposium

"THREE WHO ARE SIXTY"

A presentation of the lives of Stephen S. Wise, Chaim Nachman Bialik and Chaim Weizmann, who celebrated their 60th birthday this past year. Participating in the symposium are Dorothy Messing, Beverly Salzman, Jane Jacobson and Herbert Weinberg.

Friday Evening Twilight Service—5:30 to 6:00

Sabbath Morning Service—11:00 to 12:00

SISTERHOOD 26th ANNUAL MEETING

Tuesday, May 8th, at 2:30 P. M.

DR. JACOB C. MEYER

one of the keenest minds at Western Reserve University

will speak on

"Woman's Responsibility in The New Deal"

Report of the President and Nominating Committees

Reception and Tea after the meeting

Dr. Julian Morgenstern,

Hebrew Union College,

Cincinnati, Ohio.

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COMING EVENTS

- May 6—High School Graduation.
- May 6—Alumni Annual Meeting.
- May 8—Sisterhood Annual Meeting.
- May 13—Closing of Religious School.
- May 13—Class Night.
- May 20—Confirmation.
- May 23—Men's Club Picnic.
- May 29—Sisterhood Sewing Luncheon.
- June 21—Congregational Picnic.

DISCOVERY

Oh, I have come to know by journeying
far,
How happiness is found in simple things:
The Sabbath stillness of late afternoon;
A cottage silver-thatched beneath the
moon;
A supper table blessed by evening grace;
Sweet benediction of the rain against
my face;
Across the painted desert of the sky,
One lone bird's flight;
A garden where white lilies shine at
night.
I often wonder who has set my task
Of learning where true joy is found at
last;
Perhaps it's God.

E. R. Stalnaker.

FOR MOTHER'S DAY

nothing more acceptable than

A UNIONGRAM

Available in the Temple Office

HEBREW DEPARTMENT

GRADUATION MAY 13th

The first graduation exercises of our
Special Hebrew Department will take
place on Sunday morning, May 13th.

Ours is the first and thus far the only
Reform Religious School in the country
to hold such exercises marking the com-
pletion of six years of Hebrew studies,
three days a week. Not only do these
children converse in modern living He-
brew, but they have studied selections
from the Bible and have even published
a Hebrew magazine. It is an achieve-
ment of which we can well be proud.

These exercises will be combined with
the closing exercises of the Religious
School. The graduates will read the ser-
vice and one of them will deliver the
valedictory in Hebrew. Some of the most
beautiful of the modern Hebrew folk
songs will be sung by the entire Hebrew
Department consisting of about 125
children.

DR. MAGNES TO BROADCAST

Dr. Judah L. Magnes, Chancellor of
the Hebrew University in Jerusalem is
scheduled to broadcast an address over
the N.B.C. blue network on Tuesday,
May 15th at 10:30 P. M. This will be
in connection with the reception to be
held on that evening in New York and
will be the only function at which Dr.
Magnes will appear during his brief
stay in this country.

Dr. Magnes will not be able to tour
the country, and it will therefore be the
only opportunity for most of his friends
and admirers to hear what he has to say
about the developments of the Hebrew
University during the last few years.
The University though only nine years
old has already made remarkable pro-
gress.

IN MEMORIAM

Our heartfelt sympathy is extended to
the bereaved families of

Milton Livingston
Adolph Deutsch
Bertha Beekman
Helene Newman

**A LETTER RECEIVED IN JANUARY
BY A MEMBER OF THE TEMPLE
FROM A FRIEND WHO WAS IN
BERLIN AT THAT TIME**

"The best thing that could have happened to me was my stay in Berlin for three days. As nothing else could, it has helped me to understand and take Russia at its full worth. The strain and intenseness of Germany just bore down on my very soul. I saw a meeting of well over three hundred thousand Nazi in the Lustgarten. Outside of propaganda there wasn't an animated soul in the crowd and I did try to mix. Leastwise that was the feeling my group received—a suppressed, brutal tenseness which if it ever lets go will take the roof with it. There is no question about military preparation in Germany. Every man and child is being prepared in a military way. For what, God knows. I made it a point to see as many influential Jews as I could. I saw three in all. One very influential, one (even now in full charge of a very large business), I spoke to one in my hotel and visited the home of the third—a once rich Jew—met his wife and beautiful little daughter. Their story is all the same—Please tighten the boycott. It may do us some little harm but without it or a lessening of it—and we will not be here at all. I wish this message can in some way get to Untermyer. You have no idea how much impressed I am at their crying plea. Their next hope is that somehow the boycott can be made a trading argument so that they would be allowed to leave Germany and take their goods with them. It sure is a serious situation and is worthy of our best effort."

"THE TRAGEDY OF THE JEW"

"The Jew has been a bringer of blessings to the world, yet is he accursed. The Jew has been a light of the nations, yet is he doomed to darkness. The Jew has not yet dared to be himself. The Jew has a genius for at-homeness, yet always and everywhere is regarded and treated as if he were an alien. The Jew is a victim in every generation, yet is he victor through the ages."

—Dr. Wise.

JEWS AND GREEKS

"The Greeks were not all artists, but the Greek nation was alone capable of producing a Phidias or Praxiteles. The same was the case with Judaism. It is certain that not all Jews were prophets: nevertheless Israel is the people of Revelation. It must have had a native endowment that could produce, that could rear, such men. Nor does Judaism claim to be the work of single individuals; it does not speak of the God Moses, nor of the God of the Prophets, but of the God of Israel. The fact that the greatest Prophet left his work unfinished contains a profound truth. 'No man knoweth of his sepulchre unto this day.' Thereon our ancient Teachers remark: 'His grave should not serve as a place of pilgrimage whither men go to do honour to one man, and thus raise him above the level of man.'"

—A. Geiger, 1865.

(FROM "THE MASMID")

Unhappy? Wherefore? Who shall demonstrate

That the wide world is each man's heritage?

Let him rejoice, perhaps, even for the corner

God granted him that he might stand therein.

The Mighty Torah, the immortal light,
Has always sought dark corners for itself.

—Chaim Nachman Bailik.

AN AFFIRMATIVE COMMAND

We have been challenged by the world. Fifty-one nations have given their approval to the Balfour Declaration. Zionists or non-Zionists, orthodox or reform, all of you will be called to account. And now take the Mandate, read it, and compare it with the other edicts which have been issued by the nations to the Jews. All edicts about the Jews are forever saying what the Jews shall not do. Here is a document formulated in the twentieth century and sanctioned by the whole of the civilized world, which says what the Jews shall do.

—Dr. Chaim Weizmann.

HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION

The High School Department will hold its graduation exercises Sunday morning, May 6th, at 10:30 A. M. in the Temple.

The program will open with the regular Sunday morning service which will be read by Elaine Amster, Eleanor Amster, Jane Beckerman, Rosemary Finkelstein, Edwin Lewis and Emma Lieder.

Of special interest is the participation in the program of Newton Friedman and Alan Green who will be ordained as Rabbis at the Hebrew Union College in June. They are both confirmants of our Temple and have also completed the High School course.

The Fanny Copland Memorial Fund Prize, established last year will be awarded to those having achieved the highest scholastic average in the Senior year. Harold Farber, president of the High School department will give a word of welcome.

Following are the names of the graduates: Robert Lee Adelstein, Elaine Joyce Amster, Eleanor J. Amster, Sanford D. Atlas, Virginia Clara Bayer, Jane Beckerman, Harold Irwin Farber, Rosemary Marcia Finklestein, Ernest Berger Gelfand, Sydel Eleanor Gluckman, Emanuel Grossman, Stanford H. Hirsch, Jane Corinne Jacobson, Richard H. Kichler, Louise Jeanne Krohngold, Edwin Norman Lewis, Emanuel M. Licht, Sylvia Helen Licker, Emma Lieder, Judith Marx, Dorothy L. Messing, Lawrence Herbert Miller, Beverly Janet Salzman, Leonard Brody Schwartz, Cyril Siegel, Dorothy Leah Stern, Florence Trau, Jane Audrey Thalman, Herbert M. Weinberg, Gladys Miriam Williams.

The condition required for the admission of the first Jewish immigrants into New York was that they take care of their own poor and they have lived up to these conditions from that time until the present day.

The B'nai B'rith organized in New York City in 1843 which is ninety years old is the oldest Jewish order in America.

TEMPLE FLASHES

The closing meeting of teachers, club leaders and staff last Sunday evening was not only a business meeting but an immensely successful social evening. The Sisterhood committee deserves a vote of thanks for the fine supper that was served Mr. Sol Abramov is returning to Palestine. He came to this city five years ago to study law and is now going back to practice. He taught in our High School Department during most of that time and has left a profound impression upon the children and teachers. We wish him good luck. Shalom Phyllis Deutsch was the narrator in the Club Day Pageant last Saturday morning. Her name was inadvertently omitted from the bulletin last week Little Georgie, age about 5 or 6, asked his mother one day: "Is this Mother Nature you all talk about God's wife?"

"BRAIN TRUSTER" TO SPEAK

The Consumers League of Ohio is sponsoring a lecture by Dr. Rexford G. Tugwell, Assistant Secretary of Agriculture on Friday evening, May 11th, at 8:15 o'clock at the Euclid Avenue Baptist Church. The subject of the lecture is "The Agricultural Adjustment Administration and Economic Planning."

General admission to the lecture is fifty cents and seats in the reserved section sell at \$1.00. Tickets may be purchased at the Consumers League Office or at Halle Brothers Store.

ALUMNI ANNUAL MEETING

Sunday, May 6th, 3 P. M.

REPORTS
ELECTIONS