
THE EUCLID AVE. TEMPLE

BULLETIN

CLEVELAND, OHIO

FRIDAY EVENING, MAY 21, 8 P. M.

Concluding Late Friday Evening Service
and
Graduation Exercises
of the
High School and Special Hebrew Departments

RABBI BRICKNER WILL OFFICIATE

Distribution of Diplomas and Awards: Eugene M. Klein, Mrs. Sigmund Braverman

GRADUATES

HIGH SCHOOL DEPT.

Daniel Bosis
Cyvia Cort
Daniel Cort
Emilie J. Freedman*
Ruth L. Friedlander
Joan Goldhamer*
Alan Goodman
Joanne Gomberg*
Helen Green
Alan Gutman*
Howard Harris

Irene Hirsh*
Lois E. Jacobson
Marilyn E. Kalish*
Carol J. Marcus*
Annette Matyas*
Allane M. Pocrass*
Beverly Schechtman
Phyllis E. Shapiro
Stanley E. Stein*
Yetta Trachtman
Marilyn L. Winograd
Maxine C. Wolfson

SPECIAL HEBREW DEPT.

Ruth Adelstein
Dorothy B. Caplin
Simon Cohen
Barbara Cort*
Barton Cowan
Richard J. Dobrin
Gary D. Friedman
Elaine Harris
Donald K. Herman
Sheldon D. Kamen
Larry London
Marcia B. Lubeck*
Elton D. Marcus
Gary S. Shaber
Margaret Turkel

**Participating in Service*

AN ONEG SHABBAT AND RECEPTION FOR GRADUATES AND THEIR
PARENTS WILL FOLLOW IN ALUMNI HALL.
THE ENTIRE CONGREGATION IS INVITED.

A Pageant, "Three Singers in Israel," by Lillian Sugarman, will be presented
by Hebrew Department Graduates . . . Finalists in Machol Contest will speak.

Assisted with the Torah Last Week: David Gold and Leo Seidenfeld

Sabbath Morning Services in the Chapel 11 to 12 Noon

Weekly Torah Portion: EMOR, Leviticus 21:1-24:23; Haftorah: Ezekiel 44:15-31

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Memo to Men's Club Members
Annual Meeting
and Dinner

THURSDAY, MAY 20, 6:30 P. M.

ALUMNI HALL

And Don't Forget

THE PICNIC AND DINNER

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 9th

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Sports Events and Contests, 2 P.M.

Dinner, 6 P. M.

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OIL BRINGS KING IBN SAUD

\$3,500,000 A MONTH

By LEIGH WHITE

Manama, Bahrein—Abdul Aziz Ibn Abdurahman el Feisal es Saud, king of Saudi Arabia, is now receiving more than \$3,500,000 a month from the Arabian American Oil Co.

His royalty, based on the value of gold, was recently increased from 22 to 31 cents a barrel after long negotiations. His income will continue to increase in direct proportion to Aramco's production of oil.

By 1951, if all goes well, Aramco's production will level off at about 900,000 barrels a day, at which point the king's annual income will exceed \$100,000,000 annually.

Abdul Aziz was recently encouraged to draw up the first annual budget in Saudi Arabia's history.

According to the estimates of his American financial advisers, his government's revenue during the current Mohammedan year of 1367 will total \$62,000,000—more than 10 times its former revenue, which was largely derived from the annual pilgrimage to Mecca.

Most of it will be oil royalties which during 1367 will total \$42,000,000. Customs duties, \$7,500,000, pilgrimage taxes, \$5,400,000 and other sources will make up the remainder.

Out of the \$72,000,000 the king will pay himself a salary of \$4,800,000, that leaves \$67,200,000, to be spent on the army, public works, agriculture, education and other items.

Largest of the king's public works projects is the new 250-mile railroad connecting the inland capital of Riyadh with the port of Damman on the Persian gulf.

The railroad is being built by International Bechtel, Inc., a San Francisco engineering firm. On completion, it will cost \$35,000,000.

IBI is also deepening the Red seaport of Jidda, tearing down the city's mud walls and replacing them with a tree-lined circular boulevard; electrifying Riyadh, and paving streets in Riyadh, Jidda and other principal towns.

It is obvious from a glance at his budget, however, that Abdul Aziz is spending far too much on himself and his army and far too little on agriculture, education and public health.

At the rate Aramco is producing oil, the country's known reserves will be exhausted within another 20 or 30 years.

Abdul Aziz and his heirs will probably receive a total of between \$1,000,000,000 and \$1,500,000,000 in royalties.

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LAST BULLETIN OF SEASON - A HAPPY

1948 CONFIRMATION CLASS

Confirmation Exercises, Sun., June 13, 9:30 a.m.
CONFIRMAND PARENT

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| Bassett, Barbara Helen | Dr. Maurice |
| Berland, Doris | Archie |
| Berns, Sheldon | Myron |
| Blum, Arthur Eliot | Martin E. |
| Brown, Larry | Samuel |
| Burk, Beverly Ellen | Harold L. |
| Cohen, Simon Lee | William |
| Cort, Barbara | Lawrence A. |
| Cort, Howard Lee | Abe |
| Devine, Barbara Ileen | Mrs. Carlyne |
| Dobrin, Richard Jay | Joseph |
| Dolinsk, Sue | Mannie |
| Dunn, Arthur | Jacob |
| Efros, Carol | Maurice |
| Feingold, Glenda | Jack |
| Fox, Sharon Joyce | Raymond N. |
| Freedlander, Jeanne | Dr. Samuel O. |
| Goge, Ruth | Arthur |
| Goldberg, Bob N. | Isadore |
| Golden, Jance Mae | Dr. Martin S. |
| Goldstein, Marcia Ellen | Jack |
| Greene, Alan H. | Henry S. |
| Greenbaum, James | Dr. Harold |
| Halper, Donald Kay | D. Leonard |
| Herman, Donald K. | Isaac |
| Kamen, Norman J. | Morris |
| Katz, Elton B. | Herbert |
| Katzel, Sally Irene | Dr. William |
| Kess, Gerald | Donald |
| Kirtz, Kenneth H. | Edward |
| Klein, Lois Irene | Edward S. |
| Kopf, Edna Lucille | Sanford |
| Kumin, Ruth | Dr. Harry |
| Kutler, Frema Ann | Dr. William |
| Lecht, Audrey | Sam |
| Lehman, Betty Ann | H. J. |
| Lehman, Mary Ann | H. J. |
| Lesser, Barbara | Max |
| Levitt, Barbara | Nat |
| Levitt, Dianne M. | Dr. Harry |
| Lewis, Peter | Joseph |
| London, Larry | Albert |
| Lurie, Allan | Louis C. |
| Makman, Maynard H. | Dr. Saul |
| Pickett, Tanya A. | Irving L. |
| Raab, Phyllis Y. | Dr. Julius |
| Reisner, Marilyn | Max |
| Roberts, Geraldine J. | Harry |
| Rosenfeld, Robert Thomas | William H. |
| Roskoph, Donald M. | Leon |
| Rubenstein, Ronald Martin | Abe S. |
| Ruskin, Lonnie J. | John L. |
| Salzman, Edwin J. | Aaron M. |
| Schultz, Arlyn | Nathan |
| Schwartz, Neil | William K. |
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| Sheinbart, Carole | Samuel |
| Siegel, Howard S. | Dr. Samuel |
| Smith, Ronda | Samuel |
| Wachs, Allan M. | Ralph Hirsch |
| Wallach, Claire Louise | Adolph |
| Waxman, Joanne | Harry |
| Wheatman, Sandra | Bernard |
| Wolfson, Ronald | Abe |
| Yoelson, Carol Ann | Joseph |
| Zipser, Sally | Bernard |

MACHOL SPEAKING CONTEST

Ilene Hirsh, Marilyn Kalish and Carol Marcus were selected as finalists in the Machol Speaking Contest in the preliminaries held at a recent High School assembly. The finalists will give their talks at the Graduation Exercises Friday, May 21st. Our thanks to the judges: Judge Lewis Drucker, Milton Landy, Joseph Persky.

In a democracy such as ours no government can be far ahead of the prevailing climate of public opinion. There is an absolute necessity for public leadership on the part of responsible citizens in preparing that climate so that statesmen may be assured of public support for progressive policies. . . . If we Americans, who have the opportunity for leadership, accept our responsibilities in the creation of a world in which men may live in peace and security, we need not fear the judgment of posterity.
—Sumner Welles.

Attention: Stags and Drags!

*The Euclid Avenue Temple
Alumni Association*

Announces

*The Annual Meeting
and Dance*

SUNDAY, MAY 23, 8:30 P. M.

Business Meeting in the Chapel
Dancing in Alumni Hall

with

JOE BALDI AND HIS
ELDORADO ORCHESTRA

Members: 75c.

Non-Members: \$1.25

The Alumni Association is
sponsoring the dancing at the
Annual Temple Picnic,

MONDAY EVENING, JUNE 28,
at Euclid Beach Park.

See you there!

UMMER TO ALL - FIRST ROSH HASHONAH

WITH OUR RABBIS

Last Sunday, Rabbi Brickner addressed the students of Wellesley College in Massachusetts, and was in attendance at the Atlantic City national convention of the Jewish Education Association of which he is one of the founders. Mrs. Sigmund Braverman also attended the convention.

Rabbi Silver delivered the benediction at graduation exercises of the Mt. Sinai Nursing School and this weekend is guest speaker at the 25th Anniversary Service of the Pontiac, Michigan Reform temple, which is led by Rabbi Milton Rosenbaum.

YOUR CALENDAR

Since this is the final bulletin of the season, we herewith present the calendar of coming events for future reference: Alumni Association Annual Meeting and Dance, Sunday, May 23, 8:30 P.M. Couples' Club, May 26, 8:30 P.M. Religious School Memorial Day Vacation, Sunday, May 30. Religious School Final Session and Closing Rally, Saturday, June 5, 9:30 A. M. Men's Club Picnic, Wednesday, June 9, Richmond Country Club. Confirmation Class Night, Friday, June 11, 5:30 P. M. Temple Picnic, Monday, June 28, Euclid Beach Park.

COUPLES' CLUB TO DISCUSS
PALESTINE

At the next meeting of the Couples' Club, Wednesday, May 26, 8:30 p. m. in Alumni Hall, Rabbi Brickner will lead the discussion on "American Jewry and Jewish Palestine." The meeting will be followed by a social hour and refreshments.

TO DEDICATE MEMORIAL PLAQUE
AT MAYFIELD CEMETARY

A plaque honoring those who have fallen in the service of our country will be dedicated at a Memorial Day service to take place Sunday, May 30, 2 p. m., at Mayfield Cemetery, it was announced this week by the Memorial Day Association of Cleveland. Mr. David Skall is in charge of the program. Participating in the rites will be the Mayor of Cleveland Heights; John Price, head of the Memorial Day Association; Rabbi Julius Nodel and Samuel M. Silver, ex-chaplains; and representatives of Cleveland Heights posts of the Jewish War Veterans and the American Legion.

The Public is invited to attend.

CONGRATULATIONS

To Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mayers on their 30th wedding anniversary, May 19.

To Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Taussig on the marriage of their son, Howard K. to Helen Kaufman of Detroit, Michigan.

To Alex Weiss on the occasion of his 77th birthday.

To Mr. and Mrs. Julius Lamm on the engagement of their son, Irving, to Peppi Bromberger of Los Angeles.

To Mr. and Mrs. Mark E. Mirsky on the arrival of a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Harold Frensdorf on the marriage of their son, Stuart, to Corinne Mandel.

To Mr. and Mrs. Maury A. Eston on the Bar Mitzvah of their son, Richard.

To Mrs. Harriet Freedman on the engagement of her daughter, Dolores, to Herbert Browarsky of Mansfield, Ohio.

To Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Urdang on the engagement of their daughter Zelda to Stanley Berke.

BEETHOVEN PIANO

In a public museum in Vienna is exhibited the piano used by the great Prussian composer, Ludwig von Beethoven (1770-1827). An American girl tourist walked casually toward it, and seating herself on the stool, ran off a careless air. Then turning to the attendant, she asked whether there had not been great pianists to inspect the instrument. The attendant informed the young lady that a short time before, Ignace Paderewski had made a pilgrimage to the shrine.

"Paderewski?" inquired the girl. "And surely, he must have played something beautiful on the old instrument."

"On the contrary," replied the attendant, "Mr. Paderewski did not feel worthy of touching it."

TRUE FRIENDSHIP

True friendship is ever fine and beautiful, but it is not accomplished with handshaking. There must be an exchange of something rich and sweet, something that will enliven the heart with happiness. There must be some service, no matter how small, that will endure.

Kowing many people does not necessarily determine many friends. True friendship is not based upon how many people we can call by their first names, but upon what we have done, willingly, for each other. Maybe in a lapse of a week or a month we meet many people, and then meet them years later and recognize their faces and not know their hearts. Then that is not friendship but mere acquaintance, for there can be no real friendship where the heart is not involved.—Beverly Coleman.

SERVICE, SUNDAY, OCTOBER 3, 8 P. M.

HAIL, O ISRAEL

(The electrifying announcement of the rebirth of the Jewish State and of its recognition by the United States Government brought forth expressions of joy throughout the country and the world. The American press almost unanimously greeted the new government and its president, Chaim Weizmann, with enthusiastic approval. Herewith are two typical editorial reactions, the first from the New York Herald Tribune, and the second from the New York Daily Mirror.—Ed.)

THE REDEMPTION OF ISRAEL

Every one whose mind and spirit were nourished on the great names and the great deeds of the Hebrew scriptures must sense the high drama of the call that went out from Tel Aviv yesterday; the summons to the "struggle for the fulfillment of the dream of generations—the redemption of Israel." The story of Israel is woven into the fabric of our civilization; the tragedy of the age-old dispersion of Israel looms large in the history of many peoples; the terror visited upon Israel in bondage is a terror which this generation has known all too intimately. And now that story has come to a climax with the proclamation of the Republic of Israel in the "birthplace of the Jewish people." The climax has its own tragedy, its own hint of terror, in the war clouds that hang so heavily over Palestine and the hand-wringing impotence of the powers that might have averted them. But for the devoted band who have declared their nationhood in Tel Aviv it is a climax of dedicated courage which cannot fail to win the respect of the world.

The Jews of Palestine have built a state. The chancelleries of the world may deplore, the gentlemen at Lake Success may debate, the Arab League may fulminate, but the impelling power of "the dream of generations" has created a government, inspired an army, and made a desert bloom. These achievements cannot be ignored or brushed aside. They can neither be rationalized out of existence to suit some academic policy nor warped to fit into some "ideal" solution of the Palestine problem. They exist, as the result of unflinching labor and unflinching courage, of the desperation of some who have known Hitler's tortures and the aspiration of many who have sought an ancient goal. The star which was imposed upon the Jew as a badge of shame is on the flag of Israel today, and the deep, powerful emotions mobilized around that symbol are now the most significant forces in Palestine.

In recognizing Israel, President Truman has recognized an inescapable fact. However, oddly his act may fit into the

curious pattern of American diplomacy in the Near East, this step was the only one which was consonant with American traditions and with the realities of the case. Since the United Nations, largely as the result of the insistence of the United States, has not asserted paramount authority over Palestine, this country is free to deal with Israel on its own terms; since, officially and unofficially, over the last thirty years, the United States had done much to make a Jewish state possible, it could not disavow its own work. And the declaration of Israel's independence must evoke a sympathetic response from a nation conscious of the shared spiritual heritage from which that declaration was drawn. Mr. Truman has given formal expression to the welcome Americans extend to Israel, the dream made real.

ISRAEL IN BEING

The world has a reborn state, proclaimed Israel. The word might have been Judea or Zion.

But Israel is the happy choice. It is the link with the glorious past, the "golden time" of Saul and David and Solomon, 1030 B. C. to 900 B. C.

Bene Israel, these people are, the Sons of Israel, and the word Israel means "God Strives" or "rules."

There has been no Israel as a state, a territory, a sovereign land, since 37 years before the birth of Jesus Christ.

The Jewish state then went out of existence in blood and war.

It is perhaps historically fitting, even as it is a human tragedy, that this state lives again only through blood and war.

If the nations who promised, through the old League of Nations, a sovereign Israel had been wiser, the land might have been delineated as a state in joy and happiness, to which it has every moral and historical right.

But that was not so.

The Israel of today, the new Israel, exists because of a passionate patriotism that could not be extinguished by 2,000 years of disappointments and miseries and the wanderings of a dispersed people who yet held their unity.

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JEWES AND THE SEA

The youngest Jewish adventure in Palestine is the sea. Jews as a seafaring people may seem fantastic to those who know the Jews in Europe and America. Forty years ago the idea of Jews becoming tillers of the soil also seemed fantastic. But it happened. Six years ago there was not a single Jewish sailor on the seas of Palestine although the main sea trade and transport were Jewish. On May 15, 1936, the High Commissioner of Palestine personally telephoned the Jewish Agency to tell us that he recognized the justice of our claim that, since the Mufti had closed the Port of Jaffa, we should be allowed to unload in Tel-Aviv. And, literally, almost overnight the beginning of a Jewish Port was established. Thousands of Jews became sea workers in Haifa and Tel-Aviv. And Jewish boats manned by Jewish captains and sailors traversed the seven seas.

It was a Hebrew-speaking tribe who gave to the world maritime trade and navigation: the people of Tyre and Sidon perished and disappeared. But the descendants of the Jews, who fought the Romans, are very much alive. Many of them are back in Palestine and more are to come. They went back to the soil. They are going back to the sea. There is no reason why Palestine merchandise and passenger traffic to Palestine should not be carried in Jewish ships. Palestine is a small country. But the two seas of Palestine, the Mediterranean and the Red Sea, are big, and Jewish sailors and fishermen will add the large seas to Palestine and the Jewish people will take part among the maritime nations of the world.

—By David Ben Gurion, in the "News," published by American Fund for Palestinian Institutions.

BY THE WAY

It is not wealth, nor ancestry, but honorable conduct and a noble disposition that make men great.—Ovid.

The measure of a man's real character is what he would do if he knew he would never be found out.

—Thomas Babington Macaulay

He gives not best who gives most, but he gives most who gives best.

—Arthur Warwick.

No man is greater than his thoughts.

It's human to try to be great, but it's great to try to be human.

Never take away a cherished thought if you cannot replace it by a better one.

—Longfellow.

ISRAEL IN BEING

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It exists in spite of promises that were broken or only half-heartedly maintained.

It exists because the Israelites loved their homeland more than life and have willingly shed their blood for it.

There may be more blood to shed. The times are dark for the brave new state.

But Israel has been accomplished. That fact is bigger than the contentions of statesmen or the arguments of the United Nations.

Israel lives. The state is in being.

And Rebecca's Song again is pertinent to the occasion:

"When Israel, of the Lord below'd

Out of the land of bondage came,

Her fathers' God before her mov'd

An awful guide, in smoke and flame."

CONDOLENCES

Our heartfelt sympathy is extended to the bereaved families of Clara Wall Feder, Amelia Grossman, Jacob Leibovitz, Mrs. Paul Richman, Jacob Machol, and Dr. David A. Budin.

VESPER SERVICES BEGIN MAY 28

With the termination of late Friday night services, the summer schedule of religious services begins next Friday. During the summer vesper services are held every Friday from 5:30 to 6 p. m., Sabbath morning services from 11 a. m. to noon.

OIL BRINGS KING IBN SAUD

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Their problem—indeed, their duty—is to find some way of converting this sum of money into a form of wealth that will be of lasting benefit to their 4,500,000 subjects.

The obvious answer is to drill more wells to provide the water necessary to reclaim agricultural acreage from the desert.

The king's American agricultural mission, however, is no longer as optimistic as it used to be about the possibility of discovering sufficient water.

There is, thus, considerable danger that Saudi Arabia's vast oil production will fail to raise its people's standard of living more than temporarily.

Many of our representatives in this area believe it is the duty of the United States government, as well as of Aramco and Abdul Aziz himself, to see that this danger is somehow overcome.

—From Chicago Daily News