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April 4, 1956

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver The Temple Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi Silver:

You were most gracious and kind to us in agreeing to change the date of our Eighth Anniversary Dinner from May 7 to May 13. We did not like to disturb you in Israel but I am sure you understand that we felt that it was most important that this Dinner be held on Sunday, May 13. We now plan to make your visit to Chicago a truly outstanding, productive and memorable event.

I hope that your stay in Israel was most pleasant and that you will come back with renewed strength so that our efforts on behalf of Israel may have the benefit of your leadership and inspiration.

With personal respect and admiration 1 am,

Very cordially yours. mi Diwing

Morris R. DeWoskin

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April 20,1956

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Miss Sophia Levine Secretary to Dr. Abba Hillel Silver E. 105th Street & Ansel Road Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Miss Levine:

As you know, Dr. Silver is scheduled to address a meeting in Chicago, Ill. on May 13th. This will be in the form of an 8th Anniversary Celebration with Mr. Louis Zahn, Trade and Professions Chairman, as Guest of Honor and with Dr. Silver as the principal speaker.

Prior to the Dinner Meeting there will be a Cocktail Reception at 4:00 PM sponsored by the Zionist Organization of Chicago. These functions will be held at the Sherman Hotel.

Our City Manager for this community is Mr. David Zysman, (D.C.I.Suite 501, 69 W. Washington St., Chicago,Ill. Tel:Financial 6-3851). Mr. Zysman has made a reservation for Dr. Silver at the Sherman Hotel.

I will arrange for the necessary transportation for Dr. Silver to and from Chicago and will forward it on to you at a little later date.

With kindest regards, I am

Cordially yours,

Borah Shnaider, Director National Speakers Division

BS/fjs

April 25, 1956

Mr. Borah Shnaider, Director National Speakers Division DevelopmentCorporation for Israel 215 Fourth Avenue New York 3, New York

Dear Mr. Shnaider:

Thank you for your letter of April 20th advising about the Chicago Dinner Meeting.

With regard to Dr. Silver's transportation I would like you to know that a special Sunday morning Service takes place at The Temple on Sunday morning May 20th which will conclude about 12:30 P.M. Since it takes approximately one hour to the airport, arrangements for his departure should not be earlier than 1:30 P.M. (Incidentally, we go on Daylight Savings Time as of April 29th).

Please be good enough to advise me what type of apparel the occasion calls for.

Sincerely,

Miss S. Levine Secretary to Dr. Silver

/sl co: M.Helvarg

P.S. With regard to the transportation, please consider also a little time for Dr. Silver's lunch if it will not be served on the plane.

S.L.

DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION for ISRAEL 215 FOURTH AVENUE NEW YORK 3, N. Y.

MEMORANDUM

Date 4/26/56

To Rabbi Hillel Silver

From Borah Shnaider

Subject Transportation

The following transportation has been arranged for you:

Leave:	Cleveland	May 13	1:50 pm ÉDT	United #723
Arrive:	Chicago (Midway Airport)	May 13	2:10 pm CDT	
Leave:	Chicago "	May 14	9:35 am CDT	United #312
Arrive:	Cleveland	May 14	12:10 pm EDT	

Please reconfirm your reservations with United Airlines in Cleveland and Chicago at least 6 hrs. prior to departure & check departure time.



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CERTIFIED R.R.R. AIR MAIL

April 27,1956

Miss Sophia Levine Sec'y to Dr. Abba Hillel Silver E. 105th St. & Ansel Road Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Miss Levine:

I am enclosing tickets and the transportation schedule for Dr. Silver's trip to and from Chicago, Ill. on May 13th.

Upon arrival in Chicago, Dr. Silver will be met by our City Manager, Mr. Dave Zysman, (D.C.I.69 W. Washington St., Chicago,Ill.Tel:Financial 6-3851;Home Tel:Hyde Park 3-6220), and escorted to the Sherman Hotel, where a reservation has been made.

In my letter to you of April 20 I sent you full particulars regarding the functions.

If there is anything else I can do to be of help, please do not hesitate to call me.

With kindest regards, I am

Cordially yours,

Borah Shnaider, Director National Speakers Division

BS/fjs

P.S. Dress will be informal.

April 30, 1956

Mr. Borah Shnaider, Director National Speakers Division Development Corporation of Israel 215 Fourth Avenue New York 3, New York

Dear Mr. Shnaider:

I wish to acknowledge receipt, this morning, of the tickets and transportation schedule for Dr. Silver's engagement in Chicago, May 13.

I believe that we have all the essential information.

Thank you very much for your kind cooperation.

Sincerely,

Miss Sophia Levine Secretary to Dr. Silver

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May 11, 1956

Mr. Borah Shnaider, Director National Speakers Division Development Corporation for Israel 215 Fourth Avene, New York 3, New York

My dear Mr. Shnaider:

I am returning to you herewith the round trip ticket (Cleveland-Chicago-Cleveland, May 13) which your office procured for Rabbi Silver. At the last moment it was necessary for me to re-write the ticket to cover a change in his itinerary.

The enclosed ticket was properly cancelled here through United Air Lines office and although I could have returned it to them here, for credit to you, I was not sure of how your account is carried and thought it best to return it to you and let you handle it from there.

I appreciate your cooperation in these matters and hope that it does not inconvenience you.

Sincerely,

Miss Sophia Levine Secretary to Dr. Silver

/sl encl.

cc: M.Helvarg

Rd. Trip ticket made up in New York by Un. Air Lines #162-540349 4/25/56 Flite #723 from Cleveland 5/13 1:59 PM. to Chicago returning flite #312 5/14 9:35 A.M. 38.00



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Development Corporation for Israel 69 West Washington Street, Chicago 2 - Financial 6-3851

October 15, 1957

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver The Temple 19810 Shaker Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi Silver:

The Jewish Community of Chicago, on behalf of State of Israel Bonds, will honor this year Mr. Philip M. Klutznick at its "Man of the Year" Banquet, to be held in the Constitution Room and the Grand Ballrooms of the Morrison Hotel on Saturday, November 2 at 6:00 P. M. This has traditionally been the largest banquet of its kind in the country and draws an attendance of approximately 2,500.

I know that you are aware of Mr. Klutznick's great contribution to the nation in his capacity as International President of B'nai B'rith and now as Alternate Member of the United States Delegation to the United Nations.

We are extending to you a cordial invitation to join us on the dais at the "Man of the Year" Banquet. We would very much appreciate your early reply.

With best wishes and sincerest regards I am,

Sincerely yours,

Jacob M. Arvey Honorary Chairman October 23, 1957

Mr. Jacob M. Arvey, Honorary Chairman Greater Chicago Committee State of Israel Bonds 69 West Washington Street Chicago 2, Illinois

My dear Mr. Arvey:

I deeply appreciate your gracious invitation to join you on the dais at the "Man of the Year" Banquet given by the Greater Chicego Committee of the State of Israel Bonds in honor of Mr. Philip M. Klutznick.

I wish I were free to come as I should like to join the host of friends and admirers of Mr. Klutznick in the deserved tribute which will be paid to him. Unfortunately, my commitments here in Cleveland will make it impossible for me to be out of the city on that day.

Please convey to Mr. Klutznick my felicitations. He has served, and is serving, the cause of Israel reborn in a magnificent and extraordinarily effective manner. He has also given of the fine talents of his heart and mind to everything that is constructive on the American Jewish scene. More power to him.

Most cordially yours,

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ABBA HILLEL SILVER

DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION of ISRAEL 215 FOURTH AVENUE

NEW YORK 3, N.Y.

MEMORANDUM

Date Nov. 25, 1957

To Dr. Abba Hillel Silver

From Max Helvarg

Subject Transportation

The following transportation has been arranged for you:

Leave:	Cleveland	Dec. 15	1:55 pm EST	United Airlines #723
Arrive:	Chicago(Midway)	Dec. 15	2:32 pm CST	
Leave:	Chicago(Midway)	Dec. 16	11:25 am CST	Capital Airlines #136
Arrive:	Cleveland	Dec. 16	1:43 pm EST	

The ticket covering the above transportation is attached.

PLEASE BE SURE TO RECONFIRM YOUR RETURN RESERVATION WITH CAPITAL AIRLINES IN CLEVELAND.

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Abba Hillel Silver

Distinguished spokesman for American Jewry, will make a major address at the Chicago Israel Bond Hanukah Salute to Israel on Sunday, December 15, at 8 p.m. in the International Amphitheater. Concert and opera stars Richard Tucker and Elaine Malbin will be featured in the pageant.

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Bond Activities Point Toward Hanukah Salute On Dec. 15



AN OVERFLOW CROWD attended Albany Park Hebrew Congregation Israel Bond Dinner in honor of dynamic leader Herman Bush. Synagogue leaders present included: (standing, l. to r.) Oscar J. Lisco, Vice Chairman for affair; Jules Lopin, Secretary; Mrs. Albert Weinberg, President, Sisterhood; Jack Granat, Associate Chairman; and Louis J. Balas, Vice Chairman. (seated, l. to r.): Louis L. Penner, Associate Chairman; Mrs. Herman Bush, Herman Bush, the honored guest; Rabbi Abraham E. Abramowitz, General Chairman; and Bartley Crum. Mr. Crum, distinguished outhor, attorney, publisher and statesman, was the featured guest speaker



MEMBERS OF Congregation Agudath Achim of South Shore were doubly privileged at their annual Israel Bond Dinner, with the appearance of two distinguished guest speakers—Congressman James Roosevelt and the Honorable Zalman Shragai, Director of Immigration for the Jewish Agency. Congressman Roosevelt and leaders of the Congregation greet Mr. Shragai (I. to r.): Cantor Seymour H. Zisook; Samson Krupnick, Co-Chairman for the Dinner; Rabbi Weingarten of the Jewish Agency; Mr. Shragai, Mr. Roosevelt, Joseph R. Friedman, President of the Congregation, and Co-Chairman for the affair; Rabbi Harold P. Smith; and Morton Blitstein, Vice Chairman for this year's gala Bond function.

Synagogue Leaders To Be Honored Dec. 1 & 8





NATIONAL and local personalities of great prominence will participate in the all-Chicago Testimonial Dinner to honor Major General Julius Klein, Saturday, December 21, at the Morrison Hotel. Pictured at an important planning luncheon are (I to r): Colonel Jacob M. Arvey, Honorary Chairman, Greater Chicago Committee for State of Israel Bonds; Judge Henry L. Burman, General Chairman, General Klein Dinner; General Julius Klein, Judge Harry Hershenson, Co-Chairman for the Testimonial; & Harold L. Rosenberg, General Chairman Greater Chicago Committee for State of Israel Bonds.



ONE OF THE HIGHLIGHTS of Dental Division and Alpha Omega Dinner in tribute to Dr. Maury Massler, was a surprise visit by Congressman James Roosevelt. More than 125 of Chicago's leading dentists attended dinner honoring Dr. Massler and welcoming home Dental Delegation to International Dental Congress, Spencer Irwin, noted editor, made featured address. Pictured at presentation of plaque to Dr. Massler are (standing, l. to r.): Samuel Hopp, member of Dinner Committee; Congressman Roosevelt; Dr. Bernard Spiro, Bond Chairman for Dental Division; and David H. Zysman, City Manager for Bonds. (seated I. to r.): Dr. Isaac Schour, Dinner Chairman; Dr. Maury Massler; and Spencer Irwin.





MELVIN WHITE, President of B'nai Jacob Congregation of West Rogers Park, will be the guest of honor at the Synagogue's annual Bond fete, December 1. Major Speaker will be Col. Nachman Karni, Chief of Intelligence of the Israel Army. ON DECEMBER 8 Congregation Am Echod will pay tribute to Edward I. Wilens, devoted member and leader of the Synagogue for over two decades. Dr. Frank Kingdon, noted journalist and commentator, will speak. OVER 100 LEADERS of Religious Zionists attended a luncheon in tribute to their leader, Honorable Zalman Shragai, former Mayor of Jerusalem, and presently Director of Immigration for Jewish Agency. Seated were: (l. to r.) Rabbi Weingarten of Jewish Agency; David H. Zysman, City Manager, State of Israel Bonds; Samson Krupnick, National Chairman Executive Committee, Religious Zionists; Rabbi Saul Amster, Bond Chairman of Mizrach-Hapoel Hamizrachi; Mrs. Horzl Rosenson, President Religious Zionists of Chicago; Honorable Zalman Shragai; Honorable Itzhak D. Unna, Consul of Israel; and Rabbi Goldman, Executive Director of Religious Zionists of Chicago.

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Conservative Congregations Get Bingo Ban

Eleanor Roosevelt to Receive Decalogue Society Award of Merit

Mr. Solomon Jesmer, President of The Decalogue Society of Lawyers, announced this week that Eleanor Roosevelt will receive the Society's award of merit at the annual dinner of the Society to be held on Saturday evening, February 22, at the Grand Ballroom of the Palmer House.

"We take particular joy in presenting our award this year to Eleanor Roosevelt, the greatest woman of our age," said Mr. Jesmer in announcing the event. "We have never heretofore given our award to a woman. Men of all races and creeds, without regard to political considerations, have heretofore been the recipients."

The Decalogue Society arrangements committee for the award dinner is headed by the Society's first vice-president, Alec E. Weinrob, as chairman, with Meyer Weinberg and Elmer Gertz as cochairmen. The Decalogue Society of Lawyers is one of the larger Bar groups of the country. It's membership consists of lawyers and judges of the Jewish faith.

Yemenite Rabbi Sentenced For Forgery; Gets 18 Months

Tel Aviv, (JTA)—A 42-yearold Yemenite rabbi was sentenced to 18 months' imprisonment following his conviction on charges of having practiced sorcery, promised to sell the crown and throne of Biblical King Solomon and in other fashions obtained money under false pretences.

The rabbi, Ovadia Bareti, was accused of obtaining 10,000 pounds from Medard Barzilai on the promise of obtaining for him the Biblical treasure, the appointment as the Messiah and the appointment of heir to King Solomon. The rabbi is said to have played on Barzilai's credulity with "letters of fire" written on his typewriter.

The letters to Barzilai purported to come from the Archangels Gabriel, Michael and Raphael and from the Almighty. The return address was always in care of Rabbi Bareti. The rabbi appointed his wife, mother of nine children and pregnant with her tenth, "treasurer" for the monies the "Archangels" had instructed Barzilai to deposit.

Convention Approves First 'Standards Of Synagogue Practices' Ever Adopted

KIAMESHA LAKE, N.Y., (JTA) — A ban on bingo and other game. of chance "not solely of a socia[†] nature" for fund-raising purposes by Conservative congregations was approved this week by the biennial convention of the United Synagogue of America.

sponsored jointly by the United

Synagogue, the Jewish Theologi-

cal Seminary and the Rabbinical

Assembly will be a resident cen-

ter for American students who

wish to spend a year studying in

schools and universities of Israel.

The convention presented an award

to Governor Theodore McKeldin of

Maryland in recognition of this

championship "of human rights

tions opposing religious questions

in the 1960 Federal census, com-

pulsory Sunday closing laws and

the placement of religious symbols

The resolution on Sunday obser-

vance laws noted that America

owed its survival and unity to the

"uniquely American concept that

the relationship between man and

God is not and may not be sub-

ject to government control or reg-

ulation." The Sabbath laws "vio-

late this mandate since they com-

pel persons to adhere to a law,

the motivation and operation of

which is basically religious." The

resolution opposed enactment or

extension of such laws and, where

they already exist, asks amend-

ment to exempt persons who ob-

serve a day other than Sunday as

the 1960 census, the United Syna-

gogue resolved that they would be

a violation of the constitutional

guarantees of religious freedom.

It said much of the pressure for in-

As for the religious questions in

their Sabbath.

on publicly owned property.

The delegates approved resolu-

and human opportunities."

The bingo prohibition was incorporated in a new set of "standards for synagogue practice," said to be the first such code to be approved by an American national synagogue organization. The regulations also stipulated that entertainment or music which might tend to conflict with the sanctity of the Sabbath was "improper."

The new standards require that each Conservative congregation must regard every other congregation, whether Conservative, Reform or Orthodox, as equally sacred. Raids by one congregation on members of another also were banned.

The rabbi is to be the congregational authority on all matters of Jewish law and practice, the new code prescribes. Violations will be investigated and penalties prescribed by the executive council of the United Synagogue.

Discussion of the code among delegates was vigorous, particularly concerning the ban on games of chance. Some delegates said congregations could not abruptly halt the playing of bingo, which is popular as a fund-raising device among American congregations generally, Christian and Jewish.

APPROVES WORLD COUNCIL.

The convention announced the formation of a World Council of Synagogues and a pilgrimage to Israel in 1958 to break ground for a seminary center in Jerusalem.

The Seminary Center which is



clusion of the questions came from "religious organizations which consider the information useful for purposes of church planning and recruitment."

IS AGAINST RELIGIOUS SYMBOLS IN PUBLIC BUILDINGS

The resolution opposing religious symbols in public parks or in city halls and other government buildings or premises also declared the practice to be a violation of the principle of church-state separation, since public money is spent for religious symbols. "It is unfair to restrict or exclude the use of such premises by the presence of religious statues or symbols," the resolution says, adding that experience has shown this "invariably divides the community along religious lines and brings with it inter-religious disharmony and acrimony."

The resolution on education asked the establishment of a national network of day schools to be named for the founder of the United Synagogue, the late Dr. Solomon Schechter, and urged all affiliated congregations to establish high school departments in their religious schools.

The convention hailed Israel on its tenth anniversary, stated its conviction that the interests of America and those of Israel are "in all major respects parallel," prayed for peace in the Middle East during the coming year. The organization promised to continue efforts to create a "spiritual bridge" between the United States and Israel and urged its member congregations to support this program.

In another resolution, the Arab economic boycott of Israel was assailed as was the pressure of the Arab states on governments and business firms to halt operations in Israel. The convention also inducted new officers at its closing session. Elected president was Bernath L. Jacobs of Philadelphia, succeeding Charles Rosengarten of Waterbury, Conn.

Agency Spokesman:

Oust Jews From Party For Trying To Leave Poland

TEL AVIV (WNS) — New regulatory measures designed to impede and make more difficult Jewish emigration from Poland were reported here by the correspondent of Maariv, Hebrew daily. Jewish applicants for visas, the report says, are being thrown out of the Communist Party in Poland.



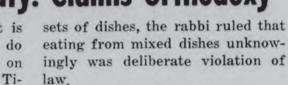
Dore Schary who visited Israel this summer has written "Sentimental Journey", a series of sketches which he will produce for the Annual Weizmann Dinner at the New York Waldorf-Astoria, November 26th. From the Left: Abraham Feinberg, President American Committee for the Weizmann Institute of Science, Dewey D. Stone, Chairman of the Board of Governors of The Institute, and Dore Schary.

Goldmann's Political Views Are His Alone

Jerusalem (ZINS) Dr. Nahum Goldmann, president of the World Zionist Organization, made his recent political statements on his own responsibility and not in behalf of the Jewish Agency, stated a spokesman of the Jewish Agency at a press conference in Jerusalem. This was said in answer to the question whether Dr. Goldmann's recent statements on Israel's foreign policy express the Jewish Agency Executive's political views. The spokesman added that Dr. Goldmann did not present his statements in advance of making them public at Jewish Agency Executive meetings, and that the Executive has never discussed them.

Israeli Maiden Fails In Her Attempt To Evade Military Duty: Claims Orthodoxy

JERUSALEM (WNS) - It is no sin for a young woman to do housework or go to the movies on Saturday, the Chief Rabbi of Tiberias ruled as he testified on behalf of a 19-year-old girl who was charged with seeking to evade military service on the ground of religion. The testimony produced showed that the young lady was a house worker. The rabbi told the court there was nothing wrong about that and that her holding of money on the Sabbath was merely a violation of the "untouchability" of money on the Sabbath and that the real sin rested with the people who operated the movies. Faced with evidence that the young lady was seen eating food in a home which did not maintain separate



Israel Gov't Willing To Sell Its Shares In Private Industries

JERUSALEM, (JTA) — The Government of Israel is willing to sell to foreign investors its own shares in private industry in Israel, Levi Eshkol, Finance Minister, announced this week. The government originally went into business because these industries, in their initial stages, could not round up sufficient private capital. He said that the government had invested \$30,000,000 in chemical and fertilizer enterprises.

Addressing a group of Canadian visitors, Mr. Eshkol stated that private capital might be interested now that such industries, largely basic, were established and operating effectively. The Israel Government, he said, would accept private capital investors as partners or sell government-owned shares outright. Money obtained through such sales would be used for government investment in new enterprise.

Syria OK's Israel's Drainage Work In Demilitarized Zone

JERUSALEM, (JTA)—In an informal six-hour meeting of the Israel-Syrian Mixed Armistice Commission both the Israelis and the Syrians agreed this week that peaceful drainage work would be continued by the Israelis on their own soil between the Israel settlement of Tel Katzir and the Syrian village of Tewfik, southeast of Lake Tiberias.

In contrast to the usual procedure, the MAC session ended not with the customary condemnation votes but with a mildly worded statement by MAC chairman Col. Christian Moe of Norway in which he reported that both sides undertook to settle future disputes peacefully. This is the first time since late 1955 that the two sides sat down around the same table.

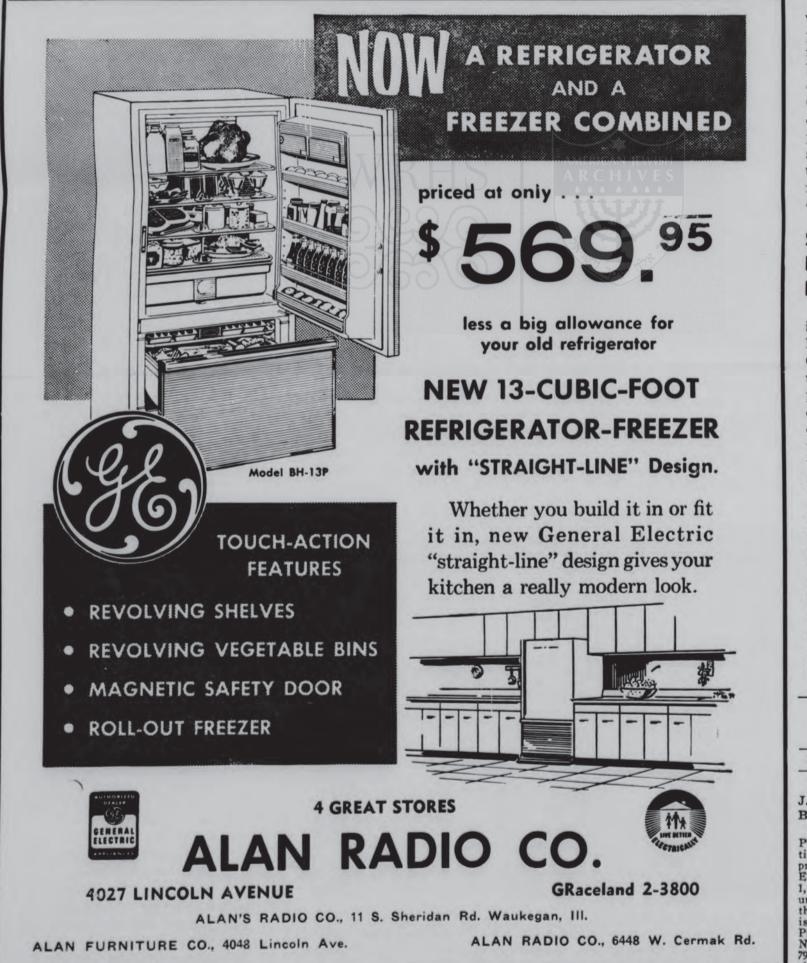


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U.S. Starts Selling Food To Israel; First Shipment Authorized

WASHINGTON, (JTA)—An authorization for immediate shipment to Israel of a transport of American wheat worth \$1,770,000 was issued here by the Department of Agriculture under an agreement signed by Israel Ambassador Abba Eban. The agreement provides for the purchase by Israel of \$35,000,000 worth of American surplus food with payment to be made in Israel currency.

The first transport of wheat will be shipped to Israel before January 31. Other transports of wheat, corn, vegetable oil, butter and dry milk will follow. Under the agreement—which is in accordance with Public Law 480 dealing with distribution abroad of surplus U. S. agricultural commodities—Israel will also purchase cotton, tobacco, cheese and other farm commodities.

Moroccan Report On Emigration Denied By Jewish Agency

JERUSALEM, (JTA)—A Moroccan Government announcement stating that 4,720 Jews have received emigration passports in the period between July and September of this year was branded this week as "without foundation" by a spokesman for the Jewish Agency here.

The spokesman said he did not know how many Jews did receive Moroccan passports during the period, but he stated that "very few have left Morocco."

As proof of the falsity of Morocco's announcement, the spokesman pointed to the fact that 1,230 Jews are still stranded in northern Morocco, unable to leave after they had been caught trying to exit without passports "which they could not obtain."

Israel's Citrus Exports Will Equal Last Year

TEL AVIV. (JTA)-Israel's export of citrus products this year will equal last year's mark of eight million cases, it was indicated here this week on the basis of reports sent back from Europe by a citrus-marketing mission which is touring the Continent taking orders. Britain, which this year again will be Israel's leading customer, will receive its first shipment of 40,000 cases of grapefruit and lemons any day now. The Soviet Union, which unilaterally breached an oil-for-citrus contract last fall after the Sinai operation, has again indicated it will not purchase Israeli citrus fruit. The fruit yield is expected to be somewhat lower in quantity this year, but higher in quality. The result, it is anticipated, will mean as large a quantity of good quality fruit this season as last year.

Khruschev Renews His Charges That U. S. Incites Israel To Attack Syria

LONDON, (JTA)—Soviet Communist Party boss Nikita Khruschev renewed his charges this week that the United States was inciting Israel and Turkey to attack Syria. He told a special session of the Supreme Soviet, held to mark the 40th anniversary of the Bolshevik revolution, that "the Americans are plotting against Syria and inciting Israel and Turkey to provocations."

The Russian dictator renewed his call for a "high level meeting of representatives of capitalist and Socialist countries so as to reach agreement on excluding war as a means of solving political questions." He blamed the West for keeping the world constantly on the edge of war. He pledged the USSR would not use "means of destruction" unless attacked.

Emigration of Jews From Poland Threatens To Close Yiddish Schools

LONDON, (JTA)—So many Jews have emigrated from Poland in the last year that many of the government - sponsored Yiddish schools are in danger of closing due to lack of pupils and disorganization of teaching staffs according to Die Kolkstimme, Yiddish-language daily newspaper published in Warsaw.

An article which discussed the need for electing Jews repatriated from the Soviet Union to offices in Parent-Teacher Organizations, noted that "Some schools have passed through a critical period. these schools would continue to operate this year. In nearly all of the Yiddish schools, the student population has changed in character, while the teaching staffs also underwent vast changes."

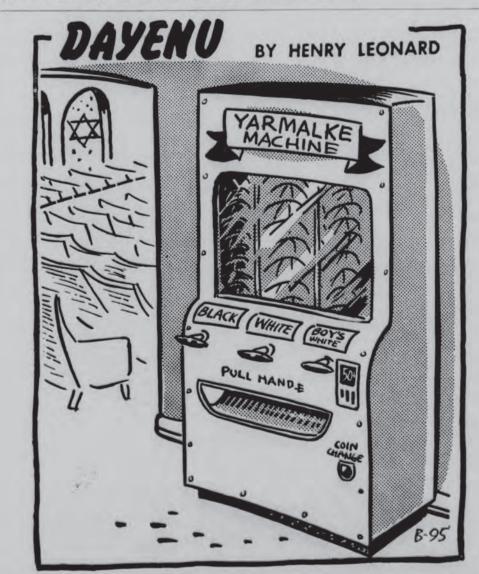
There was a question as to whether

RECOMMEND GUARDS

JERUSALEM (WNS)-Representatives of Israel's security service recommended that armed guards be placed in Knesset, with the status of special police, as means of averting acts of terrorism against parliament. A special committee appointed by the Cabinet to make recommendations on the problem has not vet submitted its findings. There is a good deal of sentiment reported against transforming Knesset into a military atmosphere just because of the recent hand grenade incident which injured five.

Scholar Supports State Aid to Parochial Schools

WASHINGTON (WNS) — The principle of public subsidies for parochial schools is supported by Will Herberg, Jewish author and scholar, in an article in the current issue of the Catholic weekly, "America." Professor Herberg notes however that in view of the fact that public opinion is not yet receptive to that idea it would not be "advisable to press such claims at the present time or in the foreseeable future."



Israel Cabinet May Air Complaints Against Sephardic Chief Rabbi

JERUSALEM (WNS) Achdut Avodah and Mapai members of the government are expected to air complaints against Sephardic Chief Rabbi Isaac Nissim at one of the forthcoming Cabinet meetings, it was indicated here by sources close to those parties.

The complainants, it is said, are critical of utterances and actions by the rabbi which, they claim, constitute interference in non-religious affairs to the economic injury of Israel. Some weeks ago, Rabbi Nissim banned publication of religious books unless the paper manufacturers consent to complete cessation of work on Sabbath. He also threatened withdrawal of a hechsher, certificate of approval, to milk distributors purchasing milk from kibbutzim which have not halted raising of hogs.

Jewish Convert To Catholicism First Monk To Settle In Israel

LONDON, (WNS) — Daniel Roofeisen, a Jewish convert to Catholicism in Poland who rose to the rank of monk last week arrived at Haifa under an immigrant visa for permanent settlement in Israel, thus becoming the first monk to enter the country under a visa, it was reported here by the Jewish Observer, Anglo-Jewish publication.

Roofeisen during the Second World War is reported to have fought the Nazis as a member of the underground during the Hitlerite occupation. Later, he found shelter in a Catholic monastery and in due time became converted to Christianity and made a Carmelite monk. The monk is reported to still be considering himself as a Jew and "fervent Zionist." He is to reside at the Carmelite monastery at Mount Carmel.

Synagogue Bombed On Balfour Anniversary

LONDON (WNS) - A bomb was thrown at a Beirut synagogue on November 2, anniversary of the Balfour Declaration, it was reported here by the Jewish Observer in a story which said a hole had been ripped in the wall of the synagogue. The newspaper also reports that a Greek-Orthodox deputy in the Lebanese parliament had raised the question how many Jews were in the employ of the government and what they were doing. The move was said to have created much anxiety among Jewish leaders in Lebanon, who fear it might presage elimination of all Jews from government jobs.

THE SENTINEL

Yeshiva U. Honors Sen. Kefauver

NEW YORK (WNS) - Senator Estes Kefauver of Tennessee received Yeshiva University's annual Charter Day Award for "outstanding service as a member of our nation's highest legislative body. "The

award was presented by Yeshiva president Dr. Samuel Belkin at a dinner at the Waldorf Astoria celebrating the 12th anniversary of the university.



MEMORIALIZING WAR VICTIMS

Jews And Arabs Meet For A Feast Of **Reconciliation In Border Settlement**

KAFR KASSEM, Israel -(JTA)-Four hundred Jews and Arabs, meeting in a huge army tent in the village where 48 Arabs were killed by Israel border police a year ago, joined in a feast of reconciliation this week.

Families of the killed and wounded Arabs solemnly agreed with mayors and other leaders of surrounding Jewish communities to make a new start toward peaceful relations at the "Sulha." The Israel Government will pay about 400,000 pounds to heirs of the dead and to the wounded.

A military trial continued meanwhile of eleven members of the border police, then under command of the Israel Army, who have been accused in the killing which occurred on the eve of the Sinai campaign. Police Minister Behar Shitreet was one of the Israel Government officials who attended the reconciliation.

At the "Sulha," the Chief Rabbi of nearby Petach Tikvah blessed the gathering and expressed the hope of future cooperation between Jews and Arabs. Arab speakers included the grandson of the local mukhtar, who stood beside him as he spoke. The local teacher of the Arab village, who is the son of its religious leader, said that the grief which had been felt in Kafr Kassem was felt throughout Israel.



Tel Aviv, (JTA)-Zoltan Gregus, Hungarian actor charged with indecent assault against a 12-year-old Israeli girl, was acquitted in Magistrate's Court here on the grounds that there was insufficient evidence on which to base a conviction.

The Hungarian Government, in a series of protests and the expulsion of three Israeli diplomats from Budapest, had charged that the actor was "framed" by the Israeli authorities. The Foreign Ministry declined comment on the Gregus acquittal.

In releasing the defendant, Magistrate M. Ben Tal said that he believed the girl, but that since this was a charge of indecent assault it would require corroborative evidence to support her story. The girl had accused Gregus of rape, but the Israeli prosecutor had taken the case into court on the lesser charge.

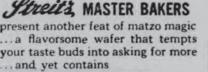
Ancient Tablets With Ten Commandments Discovered In Jordan

Jerusalem, (JTA) - Ancient wooden tablets on which are inscribed the Ten Commandments have been found by Jordanian police searching for smuggled arms from Syria, the Jordanian Arab press reported this week.

It is believed that the tablets once adorned the ark of an ancient synagogue in the Old City of Jerusalem which was destroyed by the Arabs during the fighting in this city in 1948.

Moshe Sharett To Speak At N.Y. Confab Of U.J.A.

NEW YORK (WNS) - Former Prime Minister and Foreign Minister of Israel Moshe Sharett has accepted an invitation to address the annual national conference of the UJA to be held here December 14 and 15, marking the launching of UJA's 20th campaign, it was announced here by William Rosenwald, UJA general chairman.







Expect Increased Bias Against Jews In USSR

WASHINGTON (WNS) - Repression of Jews in the countries behind the iron curtain is expected to mount as a result of Soviet efforts to curry favor with the Arab lands, it was reported here by a geopolitical research firm which is headed by a registered Arab agent.

Scrutinize Teachers

NEW YORK (WNS) - Hebrew teaching methods were sharply scrutinized by several hundred Zionist and Hebrew educators at a conference on the coordination of Hebrew education sponsored by the Zionist Organization of America.

SEEKS JEWISH GIRL

Multi-Million Dollar Search Is On In Israel And Turkey For Heiress

ISTANBUL, (JTA)—A search is underway here for a Jewish girl who may be a very rich girl and who does not know she is one.

A second girl, who could become rich too if she knew the first girl, also is involved in this two-nation mystery. Both are being eagerly sought by people in Israel on the premise that the first girl will inherit \$20,000,000. Girl No. 2 will get a \$30,000 reward for identifying the first girl.

This dollar-rich search is being publicized in the Turkish press through advertisements placed by the interested Israelis and by news stories. Several persons here have received leaflets containing details about the search.

According to the first ads appearing here, the object of the hunt is a girl who was seen in a queue at a Haifa post office on October 1, 1956. This girl was be-

Jewish Emigration From Poland Will Be Adjusted To New Laws

PARIS, (JTA)—Recent difficulties affecting emigration from Poland to Israel have been due to a change in Polish foreign currency regulations and not to any change in the Polish Government's policy of cooperating fully in such emigration, informed sources here asserted this week.

According to these sources, the currency regulation changes affect travel from Poland generally, rather than only to Israel. Emigration to Israel will be coordinated with new Polish administrative regulations in the near future under which emigration will continue in the same numbers as before, these sources said.

Jew In Czechoslovakia Gets Heavy Sentence For Distributing Relief

VIENNA, (JTA)—A Czechoslovak Jew has been sentenced to 30 months' imprisonment by a Czech court on the charge of allegedly distributing money said to be coming as relief from the Joint Distribution Committee, it was reported here this week. The JDC is banned in Czechoslovakia. The Jew is Rudolf Zemanek, member of the Synagogue Council of Hradec Kralove. lieved to know the identity of the first girl who had been left the \$20,000,000 by a wealthy man. The girl at the Haifa post office would receive the \$30,000 reward for identification of the heiress.

Girl No. 2 was supposed to be from Turkey, which is the reason why the search is going on here. The flood of advertising and publicity has so far failed to locate her. New ads are now arriving from Israel, offering a reward of \$5,000 to anyone who knows Girl No. 2.

Neither the identity nor reliability of the Israelis offering the rewards have been indicated so far.

Find Grenade Near Red Embassy In Tel Aviv

TEL AVIV (WNS) — A hand grenade was found near the building of the Soviet Embassy in Ramat Gan by two boys while playing. The boys reported the find to the police.

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Jewish Life In Hungary Intense, Says, W.J.C. Aide

PARIS, (JTA)—Jewish life in Hungary—religious, cultural and social—is intense, Dr. G. M. Riegner, World Jewish Congress aide, reported to a meeting of the European executive of the WJC here this week.

Present at the session were dele-

gates from affiliated groups in Austria, Belgium, Britain, France, Hungary, Italy, the Netherlands, Switzerland, Algeria, Tunisia, Morocco. A special welcome was given community president A. Sos and Chief Rabbi J. Benschofsky of Hungary.

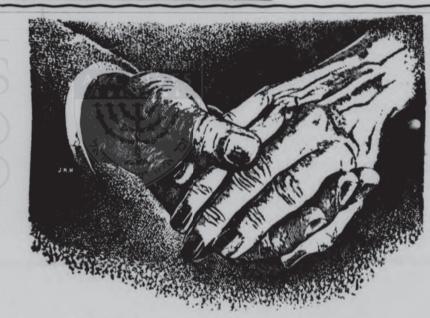


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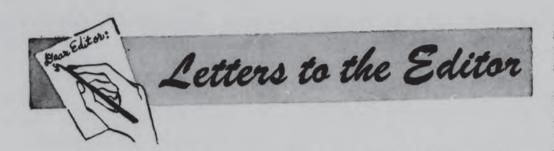
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Commends Civic Groups For Stand Against Christmas Tree At Local School

Sirs:

The six Jewish defense organizations and the Civil Liberties Union deserve commendation for their successful effort in persuading superintendent Willis to ban the erection of a Creche at Lake View High.

I presume that many of your readers saw the Editorial "Lake View Christmas Tree" in one of our Chicago newspapers. I am wondering how many of our people took the trouble to write or protest by phone, against it.

The editorial writer mentioned the fact that anonymous political and religious groups were trying to scare the principal into refraining from erecting a tree.

I called the chief editorial writer to set the record clear and mentioned several of the important groups which undertook to fight for the "Separation of Church and State" and that they had no intention of remaining anonymous. The editor was unaware of this fact

and promised to study the details. I also called Alderman Hoellen and discussed the matter with him. He defended his point of view from a traditional standpoint, until I

clarified several things for him. It so happens that Alderman Hoellen has two Jewish law partners and has fought against discrimination for a long time. However, it seems too bad that many non-Jews find it extremely difficult to understand our view on this matter.

Let us continue to fight on for the things we cherish both through our organizations and as individuals.

Mrs. Alfred Loewenthal

Women's American Ort Convention A Success

Sirs:

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> Respectfully yours, Mrs. Leo Frandzel Publicity Coordinator

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Israelis Discount Moscow Radio Attacks As Sign Of Renewed Offensive

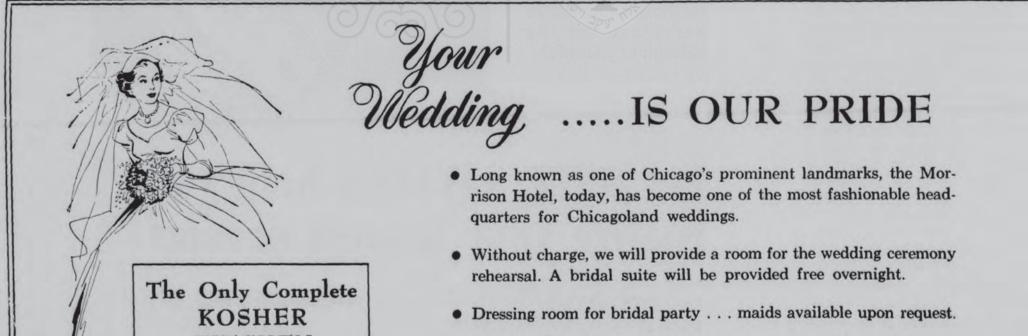
JERUSALEM, (JTA)—Informed sources said here this week that they still hesitated to consider the renewed radio attacks on Turkey from Moscow as indicating a full-scale resumption of the Communist offensive in the Middle East. The view was expressed here that the Kremlin had not yet reached a decision on its policy for the Middle East on the immediate future and there was speculation that a final decision on the Kremlin line would depend in no small measure on the outcome of talks now underway in Moscow between the Soviet rulers and Mao-Tse-Tung, Chinese Communist chief of staff.

The belief was expressed here that the Soviet Union could not embark on a large-scale economic program for the Middle East, such as it has been promising Egypt and Syria, if it has to accede to Mao's demands for vast financial and economic aid to continue China's industrial development.

Israeli Military Bans Four More Reds From Residence In Nazareth

JERUSALEM, (JTA)—Military authorities announced this week that Assan Habib, secretary of the Nazareth Communist Party, and three Communist colleagues, had been banned for one month from entering Nazareth. They were charged with inciting Nazareth's Arab residents to be disloyal to Israel.

The Communist Party responded with distribution of posters protesting the exclusions and claiming that the order raised to 14 the number of Communists banned from Nazareth. The four Party members live in villages near Nazareth.



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EDITORIAL VIEWS OF THE NEWS



Can Israel Adopt 'Neutralism'?

J. I. FISHBEIN

Although the Israeli Knesset, by an overwhelming vote, has rejected the policy of "neutralism" as proposed by Dr. Nahum Goldmann a few weeks ago, (see Nov. 21 issue page 5) the debate it engendered continues to be the most important single question before world Jewry today. For despite the fact that on the surface at least, it is a matter for the Israelis themselves to decide, the Jews of the world are so interbound with Israel's position in world politics, that whatever happens in this area affects us almost as directly as if we ourselves were involved. It is ridiculous, for instance, to assume that an anti-American foreign policy-should it ever develop - would not have serious consequences for American Jewry insofar as our relationships with our own government and people are concerned.

Under normal circumstances, neither the Knesset nor the Jewish press would devote the time and space that is being accorded to discussing this issue. Everyone knows that Israel is wedded body and soul to the West. In addition to all the historical reasons with which we are all so familiar, it is no secret that the $5\frac{1}{2}$ million Jews of America have contributed mightily to the financial security of the Jewish State during these past 91/2 years. Furthermore, notwithstanding the frequent vacillations of our State Department, the truth is that Israel has always been considered a staunch ally of the United States, whose allegiance is beyond question. On the other hand, Soviet Russia has been anything but friendly, especially in recent years since its marriage to Nasser and Syria. In addition, of course, there is the undeniable resentment that has been built up among Jews everywhere as a result of the destruction of Jewish culture in the USSR. Whatever hopes were once stirred in Jewish hearts following the revolution, were dashed to bits by the ruthless Stalin purge of Jewish intellectuals, following the end of World War II.

Therefore, it is understandable that Nahum Goldmann's plea for a re-evaluation of Israel's foreign policy should meet with almost united opposition both in Israel and the Diaspora as well.

him to take this unpopular stand, except what a study of his recent public addresses reveal. In light of these, we deduce the following:

First, we must bear in mind that there are $2\frac{1}{2}$ million Jews in Russia today, many of whom would like to emigrate to Israel, but who are prevented from doing so because of the antagonism that exists between the two states. Obviously, unless this is eliminated, the barriers will never be removed. These Jews will never be able to leave.

Secondly, there is the question of Israel's security itself. Whether we like it or not, the Soviets are becoming an important power in the Middle East, Dr. Goldmann is a realist. He knows that Israel cannot afford the perpetual enmity of such a powerful force that can apply pressure on her through the neighboring Arab states whom she influences. It's alright to bluff and bluster, but no one in their right mind honestly believes that Israel's future is permanently assured, nor that she can resist any combination of enemies. She needs all the friends she can win.

Finally, there is the all important question of the Arab refugees. For example, in the "Jerusalem Newsletter," published by the Mizrachi and Hapoel Hamizrachi organization, (Oct. 2), it is reported that Dr. Goldmann spoke before a closed session of these groups recently and "complained that the Israeli government had persistently refused to adopt a positive, constructive policy toward peace with our Arab neighbors." And then the Mizrachi bulletin asked: "If, as Dr. Goldmann has told the Mizrachi, Israel has never really striven effectively toward a positive peace with the Arabs, how can it now be argued that this policy of striving toward peace with them has failed?" The conclusion reached in the "Jerusalem Newsletter" is: "The fact that fear is at present the only preventive of war is not sufficient reason for preventing us taking positive steps towards peace."

There is now a report circulating that Dr. Goldmann is organizing a conference of Arab and Jewish leaders to establish peace along Israel's borders. He apparently does not feel the cause is hopeless.

Nevertheless, we differ with those of our contemporaries who are ready to tar and feather him without any consideration for what he represents. This is no ordinary man. In addition to being president of both the World Zionist Organization and the World Jewish Congress, and chairman of the American section of the Jewish Agency, he is generally considered to be the number one Jewish statesman of the world. He is the man who practically single handed, negotiated the reparations agreement with Germany, which eventually will net Israel about \$800,000,000. He is widely respected and accepted in most of the foreign chancellories of the free world. He is a keen student of world affairs whose judgment is usually pretty sound. No one can consider him a fool by any means.

Nor can even the most violent anti-sovieteer charge him with being pro-communist. He is a Jewish nationalist in the fullest sense of the term, who expects to move to Israel soon, and live out his remaining years as a citizen of that country. His motives, therefore, cannot be suspect.

We have no inside information as to what has caused

Whether he is right or wrong, only future events will reveal. It may very well be, as his critics say, that he is guilty of naivité and even worse. On the other hand, his stature and position in world Jewish affairs demands that his proposal be given an objective hearing, and be judged solely on its merits. One thing is certain. Even if "neutralism" becomes the established policy of the Israeli government, it will never take on an anti-American attitude. We can rest assured that the people of Israel will never forget the great debt they owe the American people, to whom they are bound by such strong ties of cultural, political and socio-economic acts of friendship. We must have every confidence that like every government responsive to the people's will, this democratic little state will also decide what is best for its own destiny.

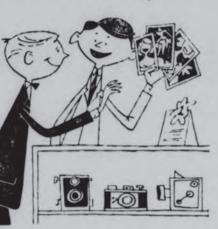
Nothing is going to be gained by substituting vituperation and name-calling for cold logic and reasoning. Nahum Goldmann has earned the right to a fair hearing before the Jewish people of the world. Let's give him the opportunity of presenting his case.

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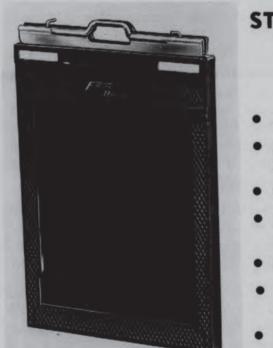


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ROME IMPRESSIONS

For the first time in the history of Rome a sign in Jewish letters is seen in the streets . . . It is the sign "Kosher" which hangs right on one of the walls of the American Embassy. . .

It advertises the first kosher restaurant ever opened in Rome. . . The restaurant itself is somewhere in the city, far from the most beautiful section of Rome where the American Embassy is located . . . However, its owner apparently counted on attracting American Jewish tourists staying in the rich Excelsior Hotel, and in the other fashionable hotels neighboring on the Embassy. . . .

He did not err . . . The "Kosher" sign in Hebrew letters attracts considerable attention . . . It is like displaying such a sign on Park Avenue in New York, right in front of the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel. . . American Jews visiting Rome-and there are plenty of them all year 'round-become curious and find their way to the restaurant where they are served chopped liver, gefilte fish and stuffed kishke . . . Nowhere else in all of Rome can they find these traditional Jewish dishes, so that the little kosher restaurant probably attracts more Jewish tourists than the ancient Jewish ghetto of Rome. . . .

KOSHER RESTAURANT

Strangely enough, the restaurant is not run by an Italian Jewish family but by an East European Jew who was liberated from the Nazi extermination camp at Oswiecim . . . When he reached Rome he decided to remain there and later opened a kosher restaurant . . . There are about 200 other liberated East European Jewish families today in Rome, all engaged in small business . . . They love Rome and they like the Italian people . . . They don't feel the slightest sign of anti-Jewish discrimination . . . They get along very well with the 15,-000 Italian-born Jews in Rome, but they have established their own synagogue, since the religious traditions of Italian Jewry are somewhat strange to them . . . They watch closely developments in Israel, since Israel is only five hours by air from Rome, and they give their children a Hebrew religious education . . . However, they are greatly worried over the possibility that their children may grow up to marry non-Jews, since mixed marriages are widespread in Italy. . . .

OF JEWISH FAMILIES By BORIS SMOLAR Editor, Jewish Telegraphic Agency The Italian-born Jews in Rome are also afraid of extinction

ON THE EMIGRATION

through intermarriage . . . For generations the Jewish community in Rome has striven to combat assimilation . . . However, life in Italy for Jews was so normal-except in the last few years of Mussolini's regime-that the younger generation does not consider intermarriage abnormal . . .

Of all the countries in Europe, France included, Italy is perhaps the only country where the feeling of anti-semitism is absolutely strange to the native population . . . Italians and Jews look alike, their temperaments are similar, their native language is Italian, their children attend the same schools, so intermarriage is a natural development . . .

However, the Jewish community in Rome is doing its best to provide Jewish education for the young, and this includes an all-day Jewish school . . . The school enjoys full government recognition and support and, with the aid of Jewish Claims Conference funds, it is now being extended into a threestory institution . . .

Other specific Jewish needs in Rome are covered from taxes which the local 15,000 Jews pay voluntarily to the Jewish community . . .

In addition to the synagogue established by the East European "newcomers," Rome has two ancient synagogues attended by Italian-born Jews . . . However, the attendance is very meagre . . . Even in the East European synagogue, there is no "minyan" during week-days, and on Saturday one can hardly find there more than 15 Jews praying . . .

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The situation is not much different in the synagogues of Milan. Venice and other cities in Italy where organized Jewish communities function . . .

THE CROSSROADS

Because Rome is now situated on the crossroads between the United States and Israel, one finds many Americans en route to Israel and many Israelis en route to London or New York . . . However, the Jews of Rome do not think of moving either to Israel or to the United States . . . On the contrary, I met a number of Jews in Rome who, during the Mussolini regime, escaped to the United States and were all adjusted to American life . . . No sooner did the Mussolini regime fall than they returned to Rome. (Continued on page 32)

CAPITOL SPOTLIGHT



ISRAELI DELEGATES GET WARM RESPONSE FROM U.S. NON-JEWS

BY MILTON FRIEDMAN (Chief, J.T.A. Washington Bureau)

Washington - American non-Jews have demonstrated a surprising degree of friendship toward Israel and an inclination to invest in Israeli industrial undertakings. This emerged in the course of a nation-wide tour by an eight-man Israeli Industrial Goodwill Mission.

In some cities anti-Zionist elements were badly shaken by the warm response of leading non-Jews to the Israelis. The most exclusive business mens' clubs in Dallas, Texas, is the Petroleum Club. It has no Jewish members; not even Jewish guests, until the Israeli delegation arrived in Dallas.

Then a luncheon honoring the Israelis was tendered at the Petroleum Club by no less a personage than Gerald Mann, former Texas Attorney General who is president of Murmanill, Inc., one of the world's largest holding companies with interests in oil, banking, rails, and other industries. Multi-millionaire Clint Muchison, the oil man, owns part of Murmanill.

DALLAS WELCOMES

It is estimated that guests at the luncheon had total assets of one and one-half billion to two billion dollars. Mr. Mann, who is high on anybody's list of American industrial leaders, termed Israel a democratic ally of the United States. He characterized it as a bulwark of freedom in the Middle East. Present were oil millionaire George C. McGhee who is the former U.S. Assistant Secretary of State for Near Eastern Affairs. Others included the chairman of the board of the world's largest oil equipment company, and the presidents of leading Texas banks and oil companies.

Apprehensive over the arrival of Israelis in Dallas, a nervous statement was made there by a speaker for the American Council for Judaism, the anti-Zionist group. This occurred before the Petroleum Club luncheon took place. The general burden of the ACJ statement had to do with the alleged inacceptability of Jews in Gentile circles because of their identity with Israel. Ironically, the Jews invited to the Petroleum Club function were not insecure anti-Zionists but Dallas Jews friendly to Israel and the Israelis. Dallas, long a stronghold of anti-Zionist elements, was won over by the Israelis. As a result, about 75 distinguished Dallas citizens, of Jewish faith, attended a meeting to hear about investment opportunities in Israel.

Israel had done Dallas Jewry no harm. For the first time in its history, the topflight Petroleum Club had not only been the scene of an affair attended by Jews but actually heard the state of Israel lauded.

A somewhat similar event took place in San Francisco. There, Admiral Chester Nimitz praised Israel at the exclusive Yacht Club. Admiral Nimitz is former Chief of Naval Operations. High-ranking naval officers and others at the function heard of the importance of Israel's industrial development to the free world. Not too long before, Vice President Nixon stressed in an address in the same city the importance of private industrial investment to global security.

In other cities, the Israelis were greeted by mayors, received "keys" to the city. A Canadian coast-tocoast telecast featured them. Everywhere, the Israelis told of money-making possibilities in Israel. In Philadelphia a business man arose at a meeting and told the Israelis that he certainly did not consider investment as a form of charity. He said in three and one-half years he had gotten all his initial investment back and was now reaping profits.

ENTERPRISES IN MIAMI

A business man in Miami said two enterprises in which he invested in Israel proved so financially successful that he is investing in two more hotels there. He thought hotel business in Israel fully as lucrative as in Miami Beach.

Today only about 40 percent of private industrial investment in Israel comes from the United States. The rest originates in Europe and South Africa. Shrewd European and Johannesburg merchants have found Israel a good business proposition. They know that the Israeli Government guarantees convertibility into dollars of up to ten percent annually of the initial investment.

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HAS LEOPOLD PAID DEBT TO SOCIETY? RABBI THINKS SO

By RABBI G. GEORGE FOX

Some thirty-five years ago, a Catholic priest, the chaplain at Joliet, wrote me a letter deploring the fact that the Jews had no regular services in the penitentiary. He accused us of being negligent and unmindful of the fact that the men in the prisons are in need of some kind of spiritual attention. The Union of American Hebrew Congregations had at times sent Rabbi Abraham Cronbach, now emeritus professor at their institution, and the late Rabbi David Rosenbaum to Joliet, but there were never any regular Services there.

Upon my suggestion, the Chicago Rabbinical Association appointed a Chaplaincy Committee and asked me to act as Chairman. This I did. I then went to Springfield and in time, got Gov. Henry Horner to back the proposition, with a certain fee for each session.

REHABILITATION

This activity set me upon a study of criminology and I learned much. I was particularly impressed with the fact that the great Italian Jewish psychiatrist and criminologist Cesare L'mbroso had started a definite trend towards the theory that punishment for crime was not the answer to the increased commission of crime, but that a better result could be attained by a measure of punitive action combined with a greater measure of rehabilitation of the prisoner. This idea has taken hold of most prison officials, so that now among the most enlightened prison personnel, the aim is not so much punishment, as rehabilitation. I am glad to say that the objective of the Illinois Youth Commission is rehabilitation of the youth, rather than punishment-though both of course, are a part of the process of restoring youth to society. This brings me to my immediate point-the case of Nathan Leopold. I had seen him and talked to him while I was still visiting Joliet. He was paying the penalty for a serious crime. After the First World War, Gov. Green appointed a committee to evaluate the services of those prisoners at Joliet who were willing to be "guinea pigs" in the experiments then going on to discover some quick and efficient remedy for malaria in the Pacific. It was a secret committee of eight men, and there was one other coreligionist on it besides myself. We spent some time on the consideration of this matter, and Leopold, who as I recall it, was secretary of the experimental unit, received special attention, because he was one of two men who had committed what the committee called "a heinous" crime. All of us thought that his sentence should be commuted and I felt that he had thus earned a fair-sized commutation — but I was in the minority.

Later Governor Stevenson did reduce his sentence, and now he is to come up for a re-hearing. I can't for the life of me see why mercy should not be shown him. Aside from the fact that he has done an excellent job in the penitentiary, what can there be accomplished by keeping him there longer? It is certainly compulsive that one who violates the law must pay his debt to society. But there comes a time when nothing more can be done nor need be done to square a prisoner with society-and when that time has come, what is the use of torturing the victim? I don't think that anyone will doubt the fact that Leopold has been "rehabilitated." I doubt whether there are many who will say that after these years of incarceration, he has not paid his debt. I don't believe that many, after careful deliberation, will maintain that any good can be derived from keeping him in Statesville any longer.

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tate against his parole, are the emotional "revenge" spirit, the fear that he might commit another heinous crime, and is therefore not "rehabilitated," and the fear of the "mob" or "public" opinion. None of these appeal to my reason. From the point of view of religion, I believe in the Mosaic law that "thou shalt neither take vengence nor bear a grudge against thy neighbor," particularly now that "we have turned to religion." I know how difficult it is to carry this precept out-but after thirty years and more in prison, it should not be too hard for the man outside the prison walls. It is certainly out of good reason to believe that he will ever commit another crime like the one he has committed, which some

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MARKING 10th ANNIVERSARY

Abba Hillel Silver Will Be Speaker At The Israel Bond Hanukah Salute

Plans for the giant Hanukah Salute to Israel which will inaugurate the Chicago celebration of the 10th year of independence of the State of Israel on Sunday, December 15, at 8:00 p.m. at the International Amphitheatre, were an nounced by Harold L. Rosenberg, General Chairman of the Greater Chicago Committee for State of Israel Bonds and Julius Ginsburg, Chairman of the Salute.

The Hanukah Salute, which is expected to attract more than 14,000 persons, will feature a pageant dramatizing the progress of Israel written especially for the occasion by Dore Schary, former head of production at MGM studios in Hollywood. The distinguished Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver will be featured on the program.

PRECEDED BY BIG DAY

The evening will be preceded by a series of preliminary events, climaxed by a one-day house-to-house canvass of the city by more than 2,000 volunteers on Sunday, December 8. The march, for the sale of Israel Bonds, called BIG (Bonds of Israel Bonds, called BIG (Bonds of Israel Government) Day, will be under the direction of Milton Lambert, Grand Marshal, and Mrs. Meyer Gold, Women's Marshal.

The pageant will dramatize the remarkable record of achievement by the State of Israel in the past ten years: A population increased two and a half times, industrial production, increased three times, irrigated area quqadrupled in one decade.

Tickets for the Hanukah Salute are free to purchasers of State of Israel Bonds and location of seats will be determined by the total of Israel Bonds purchased. Tickets and Israel Bonds can be obtained at the Israel Bond Office, Suite 601, 69 W. Washington Street, or by phoning FInancial 6-3851.

Cast Of 'Diary' At Round Table Talk

The entire cast of "The Diary of Anne Frank," currently playing at the Erlanger Theatre, will be guests at a Round Table luncheon in the Covenant Club on Tuesday, December 3, at 12 noon. Joseph Schildkraut, who has the lead in the production as Mr. Frank, will discuss the theme of the story and the entire cast will join in its discussion.

Joining him in the Round Table discussion will be Joan DeMarrais, Nan McFarland, Steve Press, Maria Palmer, Renee Haffner, Abigail Kellogg, Otto Huelett, Lou Gilbert and Gilbert Green.

The party will also include Al Rosen, manager, Walter Neal, production manager, Ben Hammer, stage manager, Walter Strauss, assistant stage manager, and Lois Unger, understudy.

Bernard Epstein is chairman of the Round Table Committee and Herman M. Berman is president of the Club.

SEMINAR ON SUNDAY

Seminar on Sunday at Emanuel Cong. announces the speaker for Sunday Morning, December 1st at 10:45 A.M. will be Rabbi David Polish who will speak on the subject "Do We Need A Guide Of Jewish Practice?"

Herman E. Schaalman is Rabbi and Mr. A. L. Fader is president of the Congregation.

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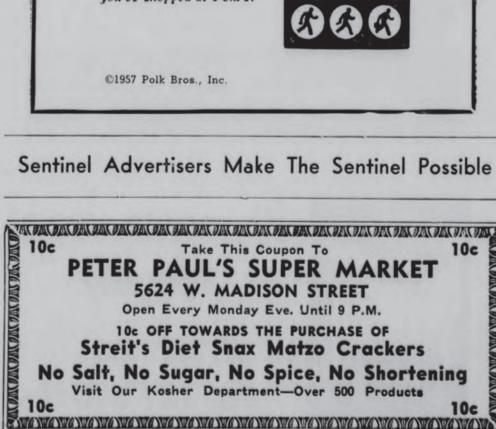
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North Side leaders of the Jewish Welfare Fund of Chicago are shown here with Governor A. B. Chandler, Kentucky, at a recent annual dinner meeting, at which it was reported that \$4 million will be distributed for immigration programs in Israel. From left to right are Frederick W. Straus, retiring president of the Jewish Welfare Fund; Bernard Nath, of Highland Park, newly-elected president of the Welfare Fund; Governor Chandler, guest speaker; Samuel A. Goldsmith, executive vice president of the Jewish Welfare Fund, Chicago, and Max Kopstein, chairman of the annual meeting committee.

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MEMBER ARTISTS PARTICIPATING

Musarts Annual Art Exhibit To Open In Jewish Education Building Sunday

The Musarts' Club of Chicago is once again busy preparing for its 22nd annual art exhibit-tea to be held on Sunday, December 1, from 2 to 5 p.m., at the Fischer Hall Gallery of the Jewish Education building, 72 E. 11th street.

Among the works shown will be watercolors, oils, caseins, ceramics, and sculpture by the following artist members: June Cannon Brown, Lillian Desow-Fishbein, Fannie Fremmel, Irean Gordon, Joan Kerman of Skokie, Janice Lefton, Lucille Leighton, Evelyn Lovitt, Rose Migdal, Charlotte Newfield, Ann Roman, Jane Steiner, and Enid Wolk.

Although it is the only art show produced en masse by the club during the year, the individual artist members of this organization are noted for their active participation in such past civic art events as the Magnificent Mile Contest, the No-Jury Exhibition, (in both exhibits artist members won high honors), the annual Old Town Art Fair, the Oak Street Art Fair, and last summer's Ravinia Park art exhibit.

In charge of the exhibit is Mrs. Harry Fremmel, assisted by Mrs. Sydney Lovitt, Mrs. Louis Brown, and Mrs. Irving Goldstein. Club president is Mrs. Louis Edidin.

Chicago Teacher To Wed At Year's End

The engagement of Miss Baila Pearl Turner to Mr. Philip Aaron Silman of Minneapolis, Minnesota is announced by her mother, Mrs. Peter Turner, 23815 East Groveland Road, Cleveland, Ohio.

Miss Turner is a graduate of Flora Stone Mather College of Western Reserve University, the Beth Midrash L'Morim of the Cleveland Institute of Jewish Studies, and is presently director of the nursery school at B'Nai Zion Synagogue, Chicago. Mr. Silman, the son of the late Rabbi and Mrs. Jacob Eliezer Silman of Chicago and New York, is a graduate of the Rabbi Jacob Joseph School and the Rabbi Isaac Elchanan Yeshivah in New York City. He has recently assumed the position of Executive Director of Congregation Adath Jeshurun in Minneapolis.

Mrs. Irving E. Hollobow of Evanston, Ill., has been appointed Chairman of the Department on the Advancement of Judaism. Mrs. Hollobow, who is First Vice-President of the National Federation, is affiliated with the Sisterhood of Sholom Congregation in Chicago.

Mrs. Perry Segal was named Chairman of the Committee on Programs. Mrs. Segal, who is a member of the NFTS Board of Directors, is affiliated with the Sisterhood of the Sinai Congregation in Chicago.

Robert Libman To Mark Bar Mitzvah Sunday At Sherman Hotel

The Bar Mitzvah of Robert Herman Libman is announced by his parents Dr. and Mrs. Isadore H. Libman of 6500 South Whipple Street.



ROBERT LIBMAN

The event will be celebrated in the Sherman Hotel December 1, 1957, officiated by Rabbi Morecai Schultz.

Robert Herman attends the



The couple is planning to be married in Cleveland on Tuesday, December 31.

Two Local Women Get National Appointments

New York Special—Two women from the Chicago area have been appointed to important project committees for the National Federation of Temple Sisterhoods, it was announced here this week by Mrs. Henry Monsky, President of the organization. High School Department of Lawn Manor Hebrew Congregation and received his Bar Mitzvah at Lawn Manor Hebrew Congregation.

Twin Boys Bar Mitzvah Saturday Morning

Martin and Mitchell Redman, twin sons of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Redman, 6818 North Lakewood Avenue, will be Bar Mitzvah at the Sabbath Morning Services, November 30, at Congregation B'nai Zion.

Aleck Frieds Announce Daughter's Betrothal

Mr. and Mrs. Aleck Fried announce the engagement of their daughter, Gilda, to Mr. Helman Allswang, son of Mr. Elias Allswang and the late Sarah Allswang.

WOMAN OF YEAR

Dr. Abraham A. Neuman Will Be Guest Speaker At Luncheon For Mrs. Cohen

Dr. Abraham A. Neuman, president of Dropsie College of Philadelphia, will be the guest speaker at a luncheon reception to be tendered in honor of Mrs. Max Cohen, wife of one of Chicago's most outstanding Jewish philanthropists, on Tuesday, December 3, 12:15 p.m., in the Morrison Hotel, with Mrs. Meyer Gold and more than 100 more Overseers and Founders of the Rose Cohen College for Women acting as hostesses.

According to Max Bressler, general chairman of the Hebrew Theological College building fund campaign, Mrs. Cohen will be named "Woman of the Year" at a banquet held on December 8 at the Morrison Hotel, at which time the Overseers and Founders of the Rose Cohen College for Women will also receive citations of 'Ayshes Chayil' (Women of Valor) from the college.

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Special Youth Aliyah Dinner To Be Held At Shaare Tikvah

The Special Gifts Youth Aliyah Dinner of North Park Hadassah will be held on Sunday evening, December 8, at Congregation

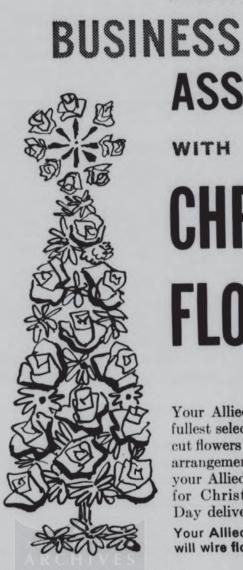


MRS. SOL LEVIN

Shaare Tikvah, 5800 N. Kimball Avenue, at 6 p.m. Mrs. Sol Levin is Chairman of Youth Aliyah. Her Co-Chairmen are Mrs. Jack Hauptman, and Mrs. Esther Usiskin. Mrs. I. B. Cohn is the Minyan Chairman. Dinner Chairman is Mrs. Henry Stiebel of Highland Park.

Mrs. Reuben Gillman is President of the group.





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A PLANNING Meeting held at the Standard Club regarding the "Affair" to honor Mrs. Louis M. Mantynband, Chairman and Founder of the Anniversary Club of the Jewish National Fund, was attended by, left to right: Mr. William J. Robinson, President of JNF, Mrs. J. R. Sensibar (hostess at the Brunch at the Standard Club), Mrs. Irven Richman, Mrs. Norman Kerns (both girls are daughters of Mrs. Mantynband), Dr. Louis Binstock, Mrs. Louis M. Perlman, immediate Past President of the National B'nai B'rith Women and Chairman of Special Events for the Anniversary Club. The "Tribute Tea" will be held at the Morrison Hotel, Wednesday, December 4th., in honor of Mrs. Mantynband.





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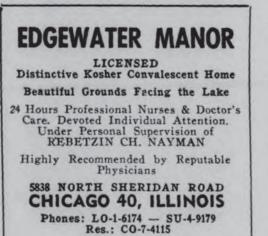


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Week's Community Calendar

Announcements for this column must be in The SENTINEL office, 1702 South Halsted Street, not later than Wednesday, a week and a day preceeding publication. No notice will be printed after the affair is held. We reserve the right to edit all material as we see fit.—The Editors.

SATURDAY NOVEMBER 30, 1957

- 12:30 p.m.—The Temple Menorah Sisterhood, will meet at the home of Mrs. Meyer Block and Mrs. Woodrow Jaffee at 2232 Estes Avenue. Rabbi David Polish, will review the book "A Guide for Reform Jews," of which he is co-author.
- 7:30 p.m.—The Michael Gordon Chapter-North Shore Hias Couples Club, will launch a Thanksgiving Party for members at the Tam O'-Shanter Country Club.
- 8:00 p.m.—The Academy Associates, meets at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Isadore Kwalwasser, 5631 North Kedzie Avenue. Mrs. Shlomo Rapaport will speak on "Letters in Jewish Literature."
- 8:30 p.m.—The Hattie Callner District of Hadassah, Business and Professional Group, will meet at the Beth Jacob-Community Hall, 4928 North Kimball Avenue.
- 8:30 p.m.—The Norwood Park Chapter, will meet at the Pennoyer School.
- Evening:—The Sisterhood and Men's Club of Congregation Rodfei Zedek, at 5200 Hyde Park Boulevard, will have their annual meeting. SUNDAY, DECEMBER 1, 1957
- 12:30 p.m.—The Sisterhood of Congregation Rodfei Sholom-Oir Cholosh, meeting will take place at Warren School, 92nd and Chappel Ave.
- 2:30 p.m.—The Career Group of National Council of Jewish Women, will meet at the Club-rooms of Free Sons of Israel, 2nd Floor, 207 S. Wabash Avenue.
- 3:00 p.m.—The Hias Business Women's Auxiliary, will meet at the Sherman Hotel. Mrs. Irving Ackerman will review a current book.
- 5:00 p.m.—The Bialystocker Ladies Auxiliary, at 4660 North Kedzie avenue, are holding a Pre-Hanukah Dinner.
- 7:00 p.m.—The B'nai Bezalel Sisterhood, will meet in the Community Center 7549 South Phillips Avenue.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 2, 1957

- 12:00 p.m.—The South side Hebrew Congregation Sisterhood, at 7401 Chappel Avenue, will meet in the Samuel Flanders room of the temple. Guest artist will be Sheindel Reznick.
- 12:30 p.m. The Agudas Achim North Shore Sisterhood, will meet in the synagogue 5029 Kenmore. Discussion will be led by Mr. Maurice Klinger, the topic is "Religion in Our Schools."
- 12:30 p.m. The West Rogers Park District of Hadassah, will meet in the Ner Tamid Congregation 2754 West Rosemont, for a "Plant A Tree" meeting, guest speaker will be William Jay Robinson.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 3, 1957

- 12:45 p.m.—The Sheridan Hadassah, will meet in the Loyola Park Field house, Greenleaf at Sheridan, for a "Taste and Tell" Luncheon. WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 4, 1957
- 12:30 p.m.—The Women's Division of Multiple Sclerosis Foundation, will hold a dessert Luncheon at the Sky Room of the Furniture Club. Sadie Stern Merel will entertain.
- 12:30 p.m. The Sisterhood B'nai Israel of Austin, in the Community



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- Center, 5433 W. Jackson Blvd. Members of the sisterhood will present a skit entitled "Hanukah in the Home."
- 1:30 p.m. The Sisterhood of Temple Beth Israel, will meet in the Mendelsohn Memorial Hall of the Temple, 4850 North Bernard St. members of the Sisterhood will present their interpretation of "The Ten Commandments"
- 3:00 p.m.—The Dr. Julian D. Levinson Research Foundation, Women's Division, will meet at the Surf Hotel. Sadie Stern Merel will interpret the "Tunnel of Love."
- 8:30 p.m.—The Retarded Children's Service League, will meet at Holiday Hall, 3801 W. Lawrence Avenue. Members of the League will present a sketch entitled "Husbands in Revolt" written by Mrs. Berger.
 8:30 p.m. The Niles Township Jewish Congregation Sisterhood, 4420 Oakton Street Skokie, are conducting a Hanukah festival.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 5, 1957

- 1:00 p.m.—The Southwest Chapter of Hadassah, Youth Aliyah, Luncheon will be held in the Lawn Manor Hebrew Congregation, 6601 South Kedzie Avenue. Guest speaker will be Mrs. Milton Silverstein, vocalist, Mrs. Walter Kolinek.
- 8:30 p.m.—The Mikro Kodesh Anshe Tiktin Sisterhood, 2832 West Foster Avenue, are planning a Theatre Party. Entertainment will be by Mickey Katz in "Halavah Hilarities."

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Conference of Jewish Women

Winter Audition Of Program Service **Department Will Be Held December 4**

The Covenant Club will be the site for the Winter Public Audition of the Program Service Department of the Conference of Jewish Women's Organizations, on Wednesday, December 4, at 1 p.m. A select group of entertainers will perform, the result of a citywide search for talent. A special feature of the afternoon will be Miss Etta Moten, well known stage, radio and television personality, who was a recent guest at the Washington luncheon for Queen Elizabeth.

Presidents and program chairmen of the two hundred and fifty constituent groups of Conference have been invited to attend the audition by Mrs. Samuel Barliant, of Evanston, program service vice president. Serving on the committee are Mrs. David Wodlinger, past president, who is founder and advisor of this service; Mrs. Benjamin Gasul, vice-chairman; Mrs. J. Leonard Herron, Mrs. Sylvan S. Schloss, Mrs. Isadore H. Braun, of Evanston; Mrs. Hyman Reznick, Mrs. Sidney Levine, Mrs. Bernard Arnold, and Mrs. Walter Goldsmith.

According to Mrs. Julius P. Berke, president of conference, the purpose of program service is to find appealing and appropriate programs for affiliate organizations.

Six Chicagoans Leave For Lodge Convention In N. Y.

Six Chicago women will leave for New York City next week to act as delegates to the 107th Annual Convention of the Grand

Lodge of the United Order of True Sisters which will be held at the Sheraton Astor hotel beginning December 1st, and ending December 4.

The women, representing three lodges - Johanna No. 9, Sarah Greenebaum No. 16 and Lincoln No. 22 - are Mrs. Joseph Rosenbaum, Mrs. J. Henry Aronson, Mrs. Ben E. Schwartz, Mrs. Harold Klawans, Mrs. Herbert Kohn, and Mrs. Eric Wagner.

Women's Division of Technion To Hear Report From Israel

The Student Sponsorship program of the Women's Division of the American Technion Society will be sparked at a meeting on Dec. 5th, 12:30 p.m. at the Jewish Education Building, 72 E. 11th St., was announced by Mrs. Samuel M. Bernstein, president.

Mrs. Alfred S. Alschuler, who recently returned from Israel will give a comprehensive report on her observations of Israel's growth and the progress of the new Technion now under construction on Mount Carmel, Haifa.

The sale of tickets for the Andre Kostelanetz concert on Feb. 22nd at Orchestra Hall will be discussed. Mrs. Walter Goldsmith and Mrs. Samuel Schaeffer are cochairmen of the concert promotion.

Mrs. Harry Katz, membership chairman will report on the membership mobilization program now under way to enlist 100 new members. Mrs. Lewis Alk is program chairman.

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MEMBERS OF THE twenty-first Annual Hanukah Breakfast Central Planning Committee of the Chicago Women's Division, American Jewish Congress review their plans. The Hanukah Breakfast will be held on Monday, December 16, in the Grand Ballroom of the Morrison Hotel and will feature as guest speaker the noted woman jurist, Judge Justine Wise Polier of New York City. Joseph Schildkraut, appearing in the "Diary of Anne Frank" will receive a citation for his contribution to the theater. Left to right are: Mrs. Ben Ecker, Co-chairman, Hanukah Breakfast Committee; Mrs. Sam Rochlin, President, Chicago Women's Division; Mrs. Oscar Hollander, Affiliates Chairman; Mrs. Morris M. Raymer, Social Affairs Chairman; Mrs. Martin A. Narodick, Program Chairman; and Mrs. Samuel Mitlin, Hanukah Breakfast Chairman.

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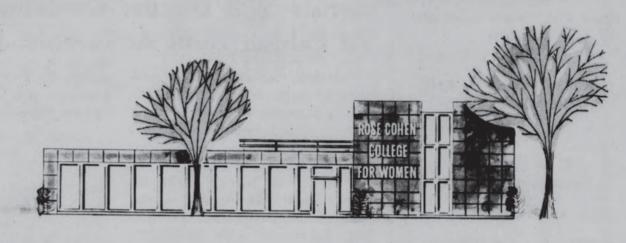
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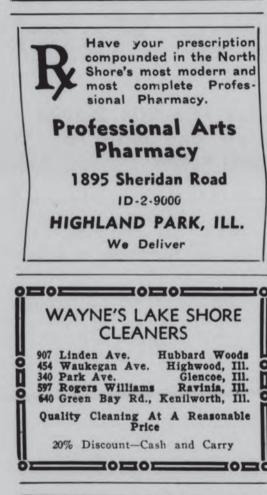
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Artists Will Discuss Contemporary Art At Exhibit Held At Temple Judea

Paintings and sculpture by more than 40 outstanding Chicago artists will be shown at "Spectrum 1957," an art exhibit to be held Dec. 3-20 at Temple Judea, 8610 Niles Center Rd., Skokie.

The exhibit, part of a Jewish Book Month observance in the temple's adult education program, will deal largely with Jewish life and thought.

A forum discussion on contemporary art, with a number of the exhibiting artists taking part, will be the feature of a reception on the opening night. The public is welcome to attend both the forum and the exhibit.

Exhibitors will include Lillian Desow-Fishbein, Victor Perlmutter, Margo Hoff, Joyce Treiman, Maurice and Louise Yochim, Bacia Gordon, Todros Geller, Abbott Pattison and James Axelrod.

The well known painting, "The Wedding," by Mane Katz is being loaned the exhibit from the private collection of Albert Robin, Glencoe.

The forum will offer a rare opportunity for artists and an audience to exchange views and ask questions about works of art.

The "Spectrum" exhibit will become an annual event with a jury, although no awards will be made this year.

Chairman of this year's exhibit committee is Mrs. Robert Bently, of Skokie, assisted by Leo Segedin, Chicago artist. Judith K. Eisenstein, Musician and Composer Speaks Here December 2

Judith K. Eisenstein, former lecturer in Jewish music at the Jewish Theological Seminary, composer and editor of "Song Books for Children," will speak on "The Music of Modern Israel" on December 2, at Niles Township Jewish Congregation, 4420 Oakton St., Skokie.

Mrs. Eisenstein's address is the eighth in a series of ten centered around the theme "Art, Music, the Theater and the Dance in Jewish Life." Rabbi Sidney J. Jacobs serves as moderator of the series.

Earlier the same evening, from 8:15 to 9:05 p.m., courses are given in Bible and in Hebrew language and literature.

Plan Fireside Meeting For B'nai Emunah

On Sunday, December 1, at 8:30 p.m., Congregation B'nai Emunah of Skokie will inaugurate a series of monthly fireside meetings. These sessions, to be held at the homes of Congregation members, will be devoted to an informal discussion of various aspects of Jewish life. The first meeting on December 1 will be held at the home of Rabbi and Mrs. Melvin L. Goldstine, 9606 North Kedvale Avenue, Skokie.



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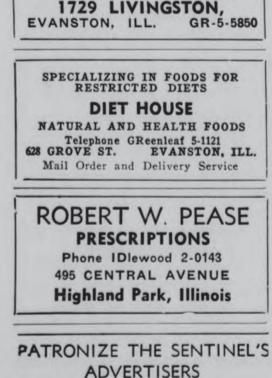
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SAMUEL S. BERGER, Synagogue President (left), affixes his signature on behalf of the Skokie Valley Traditional Synagogue to a Congregational contract with Rabbi Milton Kanter. Mr. Berger, a prominent attorney, once practiced the rabbinate. In one year's time, the Skokie Valley Traditional Synagogue has attracted 350 member families from the original three families who established the traditional form of worship in Skokie. WILMETTE LAUNDERETTE COMPLETE WASHING AND DRYING SERVICE Sure To Please The Housewife Hours 8 A.M. to 5.30 P.M. 1109 CENTRAL AVENUE ALpine 1-9800

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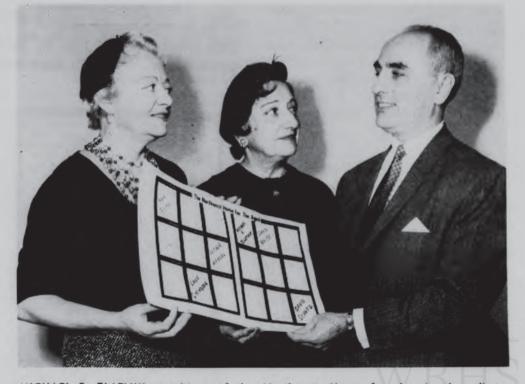
Northwest Home Will Celebrate Its 14th Anniversary At Dinner Sunday

The Northwest Home for the Aged, 2942 W. Palmer St. will observe the 14th anniversary of its founding with a dinner on Sunday, Dec. 1st, 6 p.m. in the Morrison Hotel.

More than 1,000 guests are expected to attend. This will mark the launching of a \$100,000 drive

pletion must proceed with superspeed, Zlatnik urges.

The new addition will accommodate about 40 more residents and the hospital annex will take care of the sick. The Home is an unaffiliated institution, established for the purpose of serving the needs of Orthodox Jewish aged men and

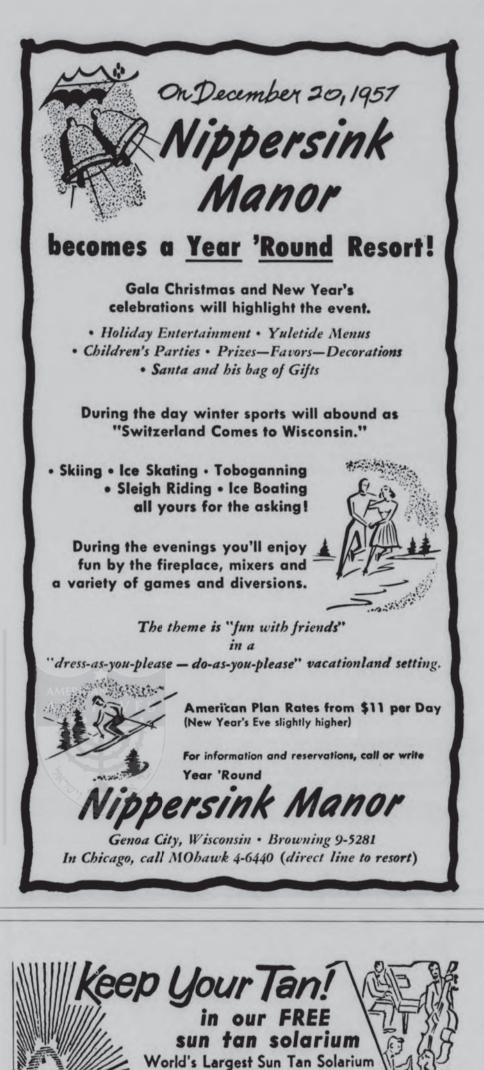


MICHAEL F. ZLATNIK, president of the Northwest Home for the Aged outlines plan for the launching of a sale of 10,000 bricks for the completion and furnishing of the new addition to the Home and hospital annex, now under construction, to Mrs. Louis Steinberg (left) and Mrs. David Schatz, Co-chairmen of the campaign. Drive will be launched at the 14th annual dinner Sunday, Dec. 1, 6 p.m. at the Morrison Hotel. Zlatnik will keynote the dinner with a five point plan for better care and comfort for the aged. Greetings will be heard from Judges; George Quillici, Julius H. Miner, A. L. Marowitz, Harry G. Hershenson, John McSweeney, Joseph A. Pope, Joseph Geary, James K. Chelos and other leading citizens of the community.

to complete and furnish the new addition and hospital annex now under construction adjacent to the Home.

Michael F. Zlatnik, now serving the 11th year as its president will keynote the dinner with a talk on: "Care, Comfort and Security for Aged." Organized in 1943 by a group of sixteen small businessmen, the organization now has ten functioning auxiliaries with a combined membership of over 3,000. The institution houses 65 men and women ranging from 68 to 98 years of age, with a waiting list of more Steinberg, Ann S. Diamond Aux. than 300. Some of the applicants Rabbi David Graubart will give are emergency cases and the com- the invocation.

women. It is operated on a strictly kosher basis, with a synagogue on the premises. Mrs. Louis Steinberg and Mrs. David Schatz are cochairmen, assisted by the presidents of the auxiliaries: Mrs. D. Bishop, S. I. J. Diamond Aux., Mrs. Leon Fox, Etta Marks Aux., Max Roth, Mother Body Aux.; Irving Fishman, Harry Port Aux.; Mrs. Harry Freeman, Rogers Park Aux.; Mrs. Michael Bowman, Siegel Memorial Aux.; Mrs. Louis Becker, We Will Aid Aux.; Mrs. Philip Jaffee, West Side Aux.; Mrs. Louis



Dinner At B'nai Jacob Sunday Will **Honor Its President Melvin White**

Melvin White, President of B'nai Jacob Congregation of West Rogers Park, will be honored at a Testimonial Dinner given by the Congregation on Sunday, December 1, 6:00 p.m., at the Synagogue, 6200 North Artesian.

Announcement of the Dinner was made by Irving Salkin, General Chairman for the Testimonial; and Harold L. Rosenberg, General Chairman Greater Chicago Committee for State of Israel Bonds, under whose auspices the

dinner is being given.

Mr. White has recently returned from a visit to Israel, where he traveled as a guest of the Government with the official 1957 Chicago Bond Delegation. In addition to heading B'nai Jacob, he is President of the Allied Jewish School Board of the Chicago Board of Jewish Education, and secretary of the Chicago Council of the United Synagogue.

Rabbi Joseph A. Gorfinkel is spiritual leader of B'nai Jacob.



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Appear In Concert At The Anshe Emet Forum

Tossy Spivakovsky, noted violinist, will be heard in concert at the Solomon Goldman Auditorium, 4040 North Sheridan Road, on Tuesday, December 3, at 8:15 P.M., under the auspices of the Anshe Emet Forum.

Mr. Spivakovsky's program will include selections from Handel, Paganini, Bloch, Sarasate, Rachmaninoff, and Saint-Saens.

Acclaimed as "one of the greatest violinists of our time," Russian born and Berlin educated, Spivakovsky has made sensational news ever since his American debut in 1943 when he introduced the Bartok Concerto with the New York Philharmonic-Symphony.

Tickets are available at the Synagogue Office at Pine Grove Avenue and Grace Street.

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Junior Hadassah Groups Sponsors Joint Symposium

The South Side Junior Hadassah and the Anne Frank Junior Hadassah of West Rogers Park, are sponsoring a Symposium and group discussion held in the offices of the Hadassah Women's Organization at 8 South Dearborn street. Leading the discussion December 10, will be Dr. Herman Pomrenze of the Zionist Organization of Chicago. His topic will be "Ingathering of the Exile."





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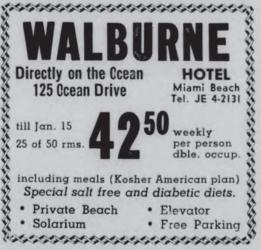
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LEST WE FORGET DAY

Connie Mitchell Heads Floor Show At Hines

The 11th annual "Lest We Forget Day" sponsored by the Greater Chicago B'nai B'rith Council at Hines Hospital on December 2nd, is assured of a complete success with over 10,000 gift items already collected to be wrapped into 1500 packages. The distribution will take place in the auditorium at Hines where a two hour variety show will be held.



CONNIE MITCHELL

Connie Mitchell, WBBM Vocalist, will head the floor show, which will include Charlie Fisk and orchestra from the Boulevard Room of the Conrad Hilton, Lee Charmel, The Three Leggers, The Tune Tattlers, Sonny Mars, and other acts.

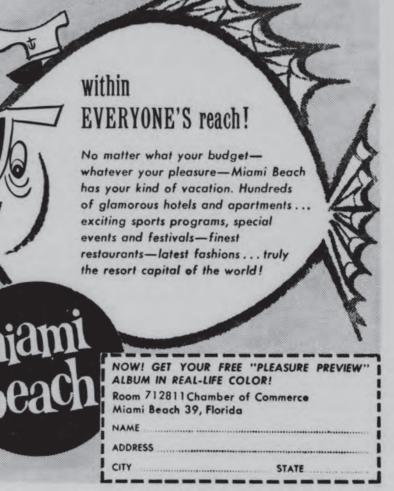
Co-Chairman of the affair are Saul L. Corush and Frederic Kleiman, assisted by Harry Greben who is handling the entertainment portion of the show.

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Young Adults Sponsor Bacia Gordon Art Exhibit

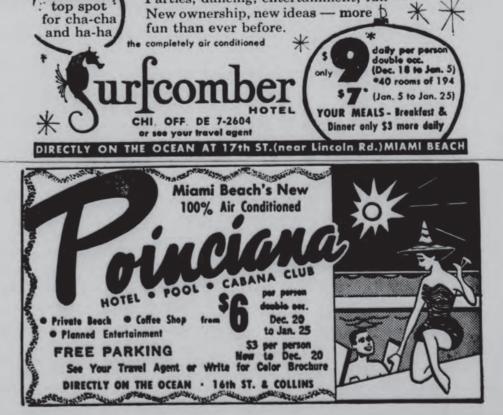
On Wednesday evening, December 4, and Sunday evening, December 8, Mrs. Bacia Gordon, prominent Chicago artist will open her exhibit, "Paintings of Israel," at the Young Adult Headquarters of the Jewish Community Centers, 32 West Randolph St.

Mrs. Gordon's paintings have been exhibited at the Public Library of Chicago, the College of Jewish Studies, Mandel Brothers













Traditional Synagogues of Chicago

Traditional Youth Council Sponsors Fall Conclave At Beth Sholom Dec. 1

Members of youth groups affiliated with the more than 30 synagogues in the Council of Traditional Synagogues of Greater Chicago have been invited to attend the Fall Conclave of the Traditional Youth Council to be held at Congregation Beth Sholom of Rogers Park, 1233 Pratt boulevard, on Sunday, December 1, beginning at 9 a.m. and continuing until 7 p.m., it was announced by Samson Krupnick, president of the synagogue council.

Rabbi William Gold, of the host synagogue, and Rabbi Moses Mescheloff, spiritual leader of Congregation KINS of West Rogers Park, are co-chairmen of the Youth Commission of the Synagogue Council.

The conclave will open with morning services to be followed by a brunch. Seminar round-table discussions of various youth problems, social and Israeli dancing, community singing and a buffet dinner, are among the other activities of the conclave.

Temporary officers of the Youth Council include Ellisa Chamlin, president, from Congregation B'Nai Sholom of Albany Park. Bonnie Mann, secretary, from Lakeview Anshe Sholom Congregation, Allan Goodkind, treasurer, from Congregation Agudath Achim of South Shore; and Harold Weisbach, sergeant-at-arms, from Congregation Anshe Mizrach.

The Henry Horner Lodge **Holds Dinner For Israel**

Henry Horner Lodge of B'nai B'rith will sponsor a dinner for Israel on Wednesday, December

4th, 6:00 p.m. in the Ballroom of the Windermere East Hotel, 1640 E. 56th Street, in conjunction with State of Israel Bonds, according to Max Czerner, Chairman, and Nat H. Rappin, Israel Bond Chairman, Chicago B'nai B'rith Council.

Featured guest speaker for the evening will be Dr. Frank Kingdon, noted radio commentator. journalist and authority on Israel and the Middle East.

South Siders prominent on the Committee for the Dinner include: Sam Fischer, David D. Levy, Eli Nierman, and Philip Y. Schwartz, Vice Chairman. Named as Associate Chairmen are: Albert C. Brody, Archie Glabman, Jack Goldstein, Morris Kaplan, Arthur Lanski, Lawrence Levinson, and Gerson Selk.

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Fellowship

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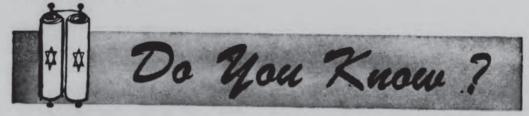
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THE MEMBERS of the Chicago AZA and BBG Councils of the B'nai B'rith Youth Organization celebrated Thanksgiving and Hanukah early this year by staging a gigantic house to house Canned Food Drive for the Drexel Home for the Aged, and collected 35,000 food items. About 1,500 teen-agers turned out in all sections of the city to participate in this worthwhile project. The members of BBYO collected, counted and packed all of the food supplies at three neighborhood collection centers. It is estimated that the total food collections exceeded \$6,000.00.

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WHAT IS THE BASIS FOR MANY POPULAR SUPERSTITIONS?

By RABBI SAMUEL J. FOX J. T. A. Religion Editor

Q: Why do so many people regard the number thirteen as an unlucky number?

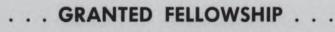
A: This superstition has no basis whatsoever in Jewish tradition. Many good things in Jewish life are in numbers of thirteen, as for example the Thirteen Principles of Faith and the age of thirteen when a boy becomes Bar-Mitzvah. Some ascribe this superstition to the New Testament event of the Last Supper at which there were thirteen disciples present, one being the traitor who brought about death. Others attribute this superstition to Greek mythology where there is a story of the Valha'la banquet. To this banquet twelve of the gods were invited. Loki, the spirit of Strife and Mischief, intruded, making thirteen. Then Balder, the favorite of the gods, was killed.

Q: Is there any basis to the belief that horseshoes are lucky?

A: There is no basis for this belief in Jewish tradition. Some ascribe the origin of this superstition to the legend of St. Dunstan and the Devil. The Saint was noted as a blacksmith. One day the Devil came to him and asked to have his hoof shod. St. Dunstan recognized him and after nailing the Devil to the wall went to work on his hoof so roughly that the Devil roared for mercy. Before releasing him, the Saint exacted a promise from the Devil that he would never enter a place where he saw a horseshoe displayed.

Q: Why is the Holy Ark placed at the East side of the synagogue?

A: The people of the synagogue traditionally face the Holy Ark when praying since it is the holiest place in the synagogue. It is also traditional that the people face the East while praying, since that is the direction of Jerusalem and the rising sun. Thus, the ark was placed in the East so that the people would be facing that way in prayer. It has long ago been said by the rabbis that this custom brings all the people to face in one direction while praying thus giving a spirit of unity amongst all the people of Israel, at least in the sense of looking in the same direction when addressing the Almighty.







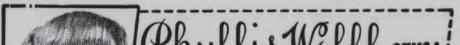




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SAMSON KRUPNICK receives his honorary fellowship from Hebrew Theological College. (Left to right), are Max Bressler, general chairman of the Hebrew Theological College Building Fund; Dr. Oscar Z. Fasman, president of college, making award; Max Cohen, honorary chairman of testimonial; Samson Krupnick receiving honorary fellowship; and Morton Blitstein, dinner chairman, Mr. Krupnick received award for his work as communities chairman of the \$5,000,000 Building Fund campaign for the college campus in Skokie. Award was made at a dinner held recently in the Morrison Hotel.

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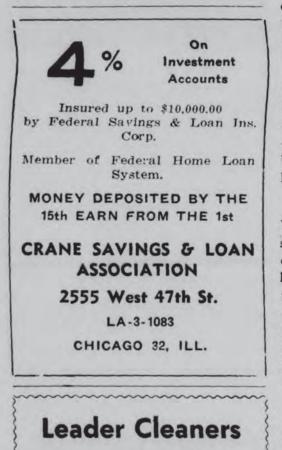
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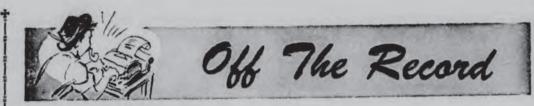
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by BOB GALE

POINTS OF PERSONAL PRIVILEGE

State Rep. Michael F. Zlatnik certainly has the right idea in siphoning much of his activity in behalf of the Northwest Home for the Aged. Their 14th annual dinner on Dec. 1 reminds us efforts for these and simi-



lar institutions are not in vain. Keep it up, Mike PERSONAL TO ABE EISENSTEIN - Thanks for many pleasurable hours to come Fund-raisers, attention! The day of the long speakers' dais is over now that Roosevelt University (Nov. 21) put a platform right smack in the middle of the Grand Ballroom of the Sherman and placed the tables around the platform. The speakers sounded off from this perch, but they had to go round and round to eventually face everyone!

PEOPLE I'M GLAD TO KNOW

Rabbi Ephraim Epstein, 80-odd-year old dean of the Orthodox Rabbinate, who doesn't miss a day that he isn't out for some good cause Luke Spencer, of Metropolitan Builders, whose bid for fame is that he is able to build the kind of house YOU want, instead of what he wants Mrs. Norman Lavin, whose hats are the envy of the social set, and who doubles as an active worker almost everywhere Nathan Schwartz, who is another one of those great Jewish leaders who is spreading himself so thin on all worthy fronts Leonard N. Fisher, chairman of the Shaare Tikvah Forum Series, who snared Nathan Milstein, top violinist, for Dec. 10.

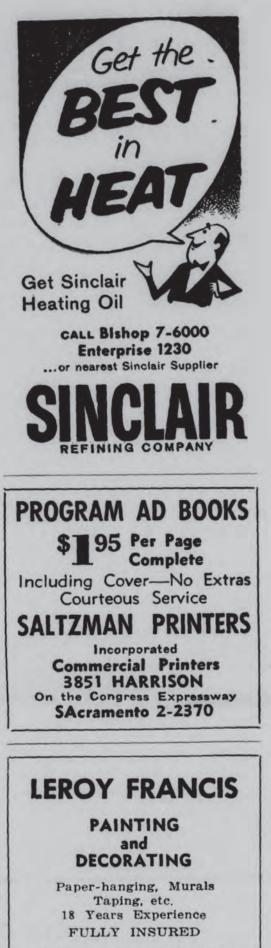
GUARANTEED TO BE OF INTEREST

Louis Weingart, treasurer of the Northwest Jewish Free Burial Society, announces these five Municipal Court Judges on his campaign committee; Joseph Drucker, Norman Eiger, Hyman Feldman, Irving Landesman and David Lefkowitz The Bacia Gordon Art Exhibit, Dec. 4-8 at the JCC, 32 W. Randolph, is being sponsored by the Young Adults group Rabbi Meyer Juzint's new book, "Nechamas Meir," is the first of five to deal on Talmudic subjects Condolences to Hymen Reznick, director of the Halevi Choral Society, on the loss of his father, and Harry Rosenthal on the loss of his mother. Both died in California Mr. and Mrs. Albert Steindler, 5454 South Shore Drive, are spending their 33rd consecutive Thanksgiving Day in the Covenant Club, which puts on a real Thanksgiving Dinner, with ALL the trimmings.

NAMES MAKE NEWS

Al Pomerantz is in charge of the Blood Bank at Temple Menorah.... When the late Rabbi S. Felix Mendelsohn was editor of The SENTINEL some 14 years ago his lead editorial started what is now universally celebrated as Jewish Book Month.-The Jewish Family Bible, edited by Rabbi David Graubart and Rabbi Morris Gutstein, was the center of many observances around town Rabbi Lawrence Charney of Logan Square Congregation tells me that the congregation itself will host the Oneg Shabat after Friday evening services Nov. 29. There's a switch Mrs. Herbert M. Hershey, B'nai Zion Sisterhood president, asks me to plug the group's own cookbook, "Tried and True." Mrs. Ben Gold (BR-4-7298) and Mrs. Marvin Hyman (RO-4-9880) are handling sales. THIS YOU MUST KNOW

Rabbi Leonard Oschry came to Chicago as Midwest director of the Hapoel Hamizrachi after serving the Hebrew Congregation pulpit in South Bend. He was succeeded as director by Rabbi Lipman Rabinowitz,



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who is now bound for the South Bend pulpit, which was recently vacated by Rabbi Irving Goldman, the new Midwest director. My head's spinning! A visit to the open house of the Chicago Jewish Academy convinced me that the spirit of the students has also envoloped the parents. This always makes for high scholarship Mrs. Maurice Levine, of Rodfei Zedek, was recently honored by the Alumni of the College of Jewish Studies for proficiency in scholarship.

A REPORTER SIFTS THE NEWS

Cantor Abraham Mendelsberg of Cong. KINS of West Rogers Park, will be the featured artist at the "Woman Of The Year" dinner Dec. 8 at the Morrison, also honoring Founders and Overseers of the ROSE COHEN COLLEGE for WOMEN as well as Mrs. Max Cohen Jerome H. Stone is a new board member of the Council of Jewish Federations and Welfare Funds, joining I. S. Loewenberg, vice-president, and Harry N. Hart, another director Bernie Meer tells me that his 20-year-old brother-in-law, Sheldon Shkolnik, was piano soloist with the Chicago Symphony Orchestra (Arthur Fiedler conducting) when it performed at the convention of the U.S. Savings and Loan League here last Sunday.... Coming up soon, Dedication Services for the new addition of Cong. Ezras Israel, with Paul Rosenberg and Rabbi Benzion Kaganoff helping the planners.

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The Torah portion for this Sbabbat begins with our father Jacob in flight from his brother Esau.

> Having acquired the blessing of Isaac, Jacob was forced to seek a refuge until his brother's wrath had spent itself. He wandered

he wandered a long on strange paths

until in the evening dusk he found himself in a field with no visible means of shelter for the night. He was tired, perhaps discouraged; as the darkness enveloped him he began to discern the ominous sounds of the night which can frighten the lonely traveler.

THE DREAM

Now we would imagine that under such circumstances Jacob would have been vigilant—spending precious minutes planning to break through the wall around him. Yet, Jacob, instead of maintaining such an alert—went to sleep. In a moment of danger—he chose to slumber.

As he slept he had a dream. Behold there was a ladder—placed near him—reaching into Heaven, and the Angels of the Lord descended and ascended this ladder. The Midrash, in a very beautiful interpretation, commented that in Heaven the angels saw Jacob's likeness—the image of Jacob in whom the Lord delighted. Upon espying the slumbering figure on earth, they mocked him—"Are you he, whose beautiful image we saw engraven above in Heaven?"

This narrative has a timely ring-for it is descriptive of much of Jewish life about us. There are many problems facing the Jew, individually and collectively. Be they the problems of anti-Semitism, prejudice and discrimination in the West, or the problem of physical destruction in the East, the signs are unmistakable. These are days of crisis, which demand an eternal vigil, yet all too often we choose to be lulled to sleep. Although our potential as a people is great, our lethargy prevents us from realizing this greatness. Scripture records that when Jacob awoke the next morning he lifted up his legs to depart. The Midrash commented, "they became light to move," - they literally seemed to move themselves. It was as if Jacob was aroused-with the purpose to keep awake-in order to fashion himself after his own image in Heaven. Such is the challenge before world Jewry at this time.







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LETTER FROM ISRAEL



Jerusalem-We have spent two weeks demonstrating the similarities between the 42 families in our part of the Jerusalem suburb of Bet Mazmil, and the Chicago suburb of Park Forest as it is outlined in William Whytes' book, "The Organization Man." We have seen that both communities are composed of similar economic groups, of transients, of young people, that they are both new developments, that social relationship within them are informal, and that both are highly organized from within. Had we time we might also have seen that both Bet Mazmilniks and Park Foresters are heavily in debt, are members of an educational elite, and probably represent the coming leadership of their respective societies. Having demonstrated all this at length may I now add that most, if not all of these points of similarity seem to me to be superficial ones, and that in one very important respect, that of personal freedom, there is a great difference between the two communities.

SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

I think of poor Estelle. Mr. Whyte says that she gave an afternoon party for the girls in her area of Park Forest and committed the faux pas of using doilies. Since then she has been shut out of social activities. Or the "egghead" who was "caught" reading Plato and who had to steer a careful course thereafter to avoid being thought different. Or the junior executive who comes home every weekend with a briefcase full of work because the corporation expects him to show interest in his work.

There is probably not a doily to be seen in any of our 42 apartments, but if Estelle were to bring them along from Park Forest and introduce them to Bet Mazmil, nothing untoward would happen as a result excepting that quite a few of the girls would have to be told what they are. A good many of our apartments are partially lined with works by Plato. and a good many people have even read them, but no one particularly cares and the probability is that anyone who used such a criteria for accepting or rejecting people would find it difficult to make friends. The person who brings home work from the office is likely to be sent right back there by his wife who can find enough work for him to do in the house without cluttering up the

DOILIES WOULDN'T PLAGUE A GIRL IN OUR COMMUNITY By YEHUDA LEV

Special To The Sentinel

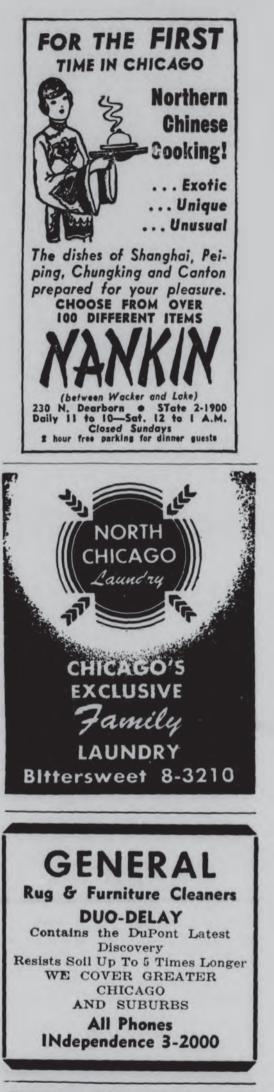
place with his papers, and the organization that insists on its staff taking work home will soon find itself looking for new staff.

It is difficult to escape the conclusion, after reading "The Organization Man" that the families of Park Forest are much less free than those of Bat Mazmil. We are not expected to conform to a social pattern set for us by the "organization." We are free to be introvert or extrovert, to be formal or informal in dress and manner, to choose our friends as we will and to establish our own standards of taste. With one exception, neither the national society nor the local community makes any demands upon the individual as the price of acceptance other than the normal demands of cleanliness and cooperation in national and local affairs.

HEBREW NAMES

This single exception concerns the relation of the individual to the state. There is a deliberate pressure exerted upon everyone to learn Hebrew, to adopt Hebrew names, to give one's children to the youth movements and to aid them in becoming Israelis in thought and outlook in every way possible, and in general to take on the outer markings of an Israeli even when that protective coloration cannot be more than skin deep. Having exacted this bow of homage, the society is quite content to leave the individual alone to do as he pleases.

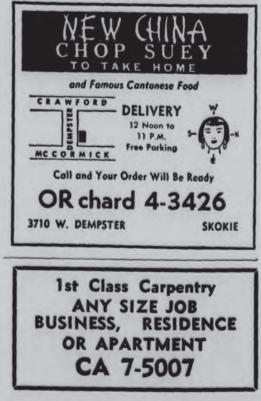
It is quite possible that in twenty years, when the present diversity of backgrounds and outlooks shall have blended into a composite Israeli prototype, we too shall adopt the standards that have been set for Park Forest. Until then however, we can still offer a haven to Estelle and those like her who hold high the flag of rebellion—a doily.

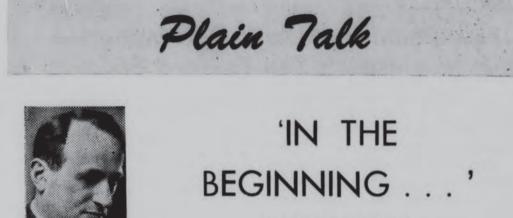


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U.S. Air Force Contracts For Nuclear Studies At Weizmann Institute

TEL AVIV, (JTA)—The Weizmann Institute of Science at Rehovoth and the United States Air Force have signed a contract providing for the Israeli research center to initiate certain studies dealing with the chemical application of nuclear magnetic phenomena, it was announced this week. Seven Israeli scientists, under Dr. Shaul Meiboom of the Department of Applied Mathematics, will be enaged on the project.



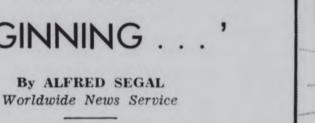


It comes to me out of Denver... a beautiful book with gilded covers. Its title: "In The Beginning." It's the story of a Jewish family that in the 1880's came out of Riga in Latvia and, in particular, it's about one of the family's sons who made a great, good name in Denver.

From having started at selling papers and shining shoes on the streets, he built up in Denver one of the more important printing establishments of the West. A big business success, he was indeed, but what I like best of the story is a paragraph in the foreword of the book: "He was a generous man whose heart and acts were attuned always to the needs of the less fortunate and helpless. This was so because he believed and practiced with firm conviction the philosophy of the prophet Micah who had written that man's mission on the earth was: 'To do justly, to love mercy and to walk humbly with thy God.' " It is the story of the life of one who, all who knew him well addressed as "A.B." ... Abraham Bernard Hirschfeld. I knew him well, even long ago when he, as youth, still lived in our town ... Cincinnati. The golden-covered book is celebrating the 50th year since the Hirschfeld family moved into Denver where their boy Abe started printing calling cards on a handpress down in a basement.

THE HAPPY ENDING

This book is a familiar story to all of us who know Jewish life in America . . . the arrival of our people, almost penniless out of East Europe ... the peddler's pack on father's back ... the small the store-room shul downtown where he helped to enthrone Torah ... the long struggle to make a living ... the dedication toward bringing the children up along the right way to go ... and, finally, to see it all come out to the happy ending: The children have grown up and are going their own good ways and are bringing grandchildren to papa and mama in the old house. Papa and mama like to say: "Yes, it's been a fine success for us after all the struggle in the beginning. Those good children of ours! Those nice grandchildren! That's the main thing."



the 50 years since Denver's monumental A. B. Hirschfeld Press was

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started on a hand press for calling cards down in that basement in Denver by "A.B." himself.

"There were many basic needs that had to be supplied a family of seven children," the Hirschfeld golden book says. "Everyone had to do something to aid the collective security of this large family. Before he was ten years of age "A.B." was hawking newspapers and shining shoes on street corners to supplement the family income.

"Out of his earnings he carefully husbanded precious pennies to achieve a very precious dream. Soon the pennies mounted up and the first piece of equipment was purchased for what perhaps was the beginning of the later-to-be Hirschfeld Press. The pennies purchased a toy ... a set of movable rubber type. With this toy type, and with the dexterity of fingers born to the feel of the work, he printed and sold calling cards to his friends in the neighborhood of the Cincinnati tenement in which the family lived." (He sold one hundred cards for 39c)

NO WALL FOR HIM

In accordance with what the prophet Micah told him "A.B." troubled himself much about the people who worked in his plant, worried even about errand boys in his shop to make sure they were on the right way and to help them. This all had to do with his being Jewish. His Judaism was not within any particular sectarian wall; he belonged to the Reform temple in Denver, to the Conservative congregation and also helped to support the Orthodox schul there. To his way of religious thinking, Reform, Conservatism and Orthodoxy all had to do with what Micah said was the good way of living.

He was an honored citizen of Denver... served as state senator, was a member of the Denver Housing Authority. He died early this year, a few weeks after his golden wedding. His son Edward took over management of Hirschfeld Press. A letter from Edward Hirschfeld accompanies the golden book of the Hirschfelds. He says: "A half century is a long time. In 50 years a world can change many times over, a city can reshape its face almost beyond recognition, a man

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can have the satisfaction of watching his great grandchildren discovering the miracle of a rattle."

Yes, Abraham B. Hirschfeld was thankful for having lived to be a great grandfather...to witness the miracle of a rattle in the hands of his own great grandchild. He counted that as one of the big successes of his having lived, even beyond the importance of his printing business; it was all in happy continuation of the Genesis story of creation that starts with the words "In the beginning."

Jewish life in our town likes to remember the steep hill that most of us, including the Hirschfelds, had to climb on their way up to the heart of the city after they landed as immigrants at our railroad station long ago. It was steep and long. One of our rabbis liked to tell 'em: "The hill you started on was one of many hills that you will have to climb. May you ascend even the highest, toward the stars."



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Reznick-Morris fond father of Lillian Ott, Mary, Julius, Hyman, Dr. Samuel, Sylvia Dordick, Michael and Nathan, grandfather of Rabbi Jacob M. Ott and 7 other grandchildren, great grandfather of 4. Services at Malinow & Simons Mortuary, 818 Venice Blvd., Los Angeles. Interment Los Angeles.



Sermons Of The Week For Friday

Beth Israel Temple, 4850 N. Bernard Street, at 8:30 p.m. Rabbi Ernst M. Lorge will preach on "The Ultimate in Arms."

Beth Israel Anshe Yanova Congregation, 1328-30 Morse Avenue, at 8:30 p.m. Rabbi Bernard D. Perlow will speak on "What are We Thankful For?".

Beth Sholom of Rogers Park Congregation, 1233 West Pratt Boulevard, at 8:30 p.m. Services will be conducted by the A.Z.A. of North Shore B'nai B'rith. Stephen Israelite will be the speaker.

B'nai Emunah Congregation, 9131 Niles Center Road, Skokie, at 8:30 p.m. will pay tribute to the Hadassah organization. Rabbi Melvin L. Goldstine will speak.

B'nai Jacob Congregation of West Rogers Park, 6200 North Artesian Avenue, at 8 p.m. Rabbi Joseph A. Gorfinkel will speak on "What Do You Take for Granted."

B'nai Zion Congregation, 1447 Pratt Boulevard, at 8:30 p.m. Rabbi Henry Fisher will bring the message for the Annual Consecration Services.

Ezras Israel Congregation, 7001 North California Avenue, at 8:30 p.m. Rabbi Benzion C. Kaganoff will speak on "Are These Truths Really Self-Evident?".

The Humboldt Boulevard Temple, 1908 Humboldt Boulevard, at 8:30 p.m. Rabbi Murry J. Peiman will speak on "To Travel Or To Traverse."

Kehilath Israel Congregation, 2349 E. 99th Street, at 8:30 p.m. Rabbi Elliot J. Einhorn's sermon will be "Hebraic Influence On Our Republic."

Congregation K.I.N.S. of West Rogers Park, 2800 West North Shore Avenue, at 8:30 p.m. will observe Jewish War Veteran's Night. Mr. Abe P. Segal will be the guest speaker. Menorah Temple, 2800 Sherwin Avenue, at 8:30 p.m. Rabbi Strauss will speak on "Thanksgiving — Λ Time For Re-Appraisal."

Mizpah Temple, 1615 Morse Avenue, at 8:15 p.m. Rabbi Joseph Buchler will discuss the contents of a recent book "Where Judaism Differs."

Ner Tamid Congregation of Northtown, 2754 West Rosemont, at 8:30 p.m. Rabbi Benjamin H. Birnbaum will speak on "Mind in the Making."

The Niles Township Jewish Congregation, 4420 Oakton Street, Skokie, at 8:30. Rabbi Sidney J. Jacob's topic will be "The Faith of America: Thanksgiving Day."

North Suburban Synagogue Beth El, 1175 Sheridan Road, Highland Park. Rabbi Philip L. Lipis will speak on "The Partition of Palestine—Ten Years Later." Services will begin at 8:30 p.m.

Congregation Shaare Tikvah, 5800 North Kimball Avenue. Dr. Morris A. Gutstein will speak on "Jacob and Essau."

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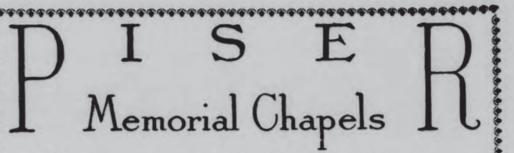
Temple Sholom, 3480 Lake Shore Drive, beginning at 11:00 a.m. Rabbi Philmore Berger will preach on "A Ladder To Heaven."

Bazaar for the Aged

The Park View Home for the Aged is holding their 2nd annual Residents Bazaar, Sunday Aft. December 1st at the home, 1401 North California avenue.

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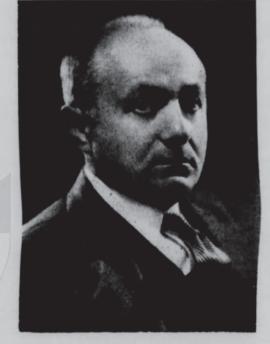
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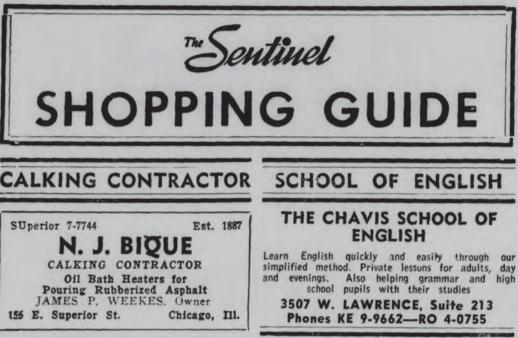
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The same is true of the East European Jewish families who were actually on their way to Israel from Nazi camps in Germany and Austria, but were stranded in Italy . . . Much as they love the Jewish State and devoted as they are to Jewish traditions, they nevertheless do not think of moving from Rome to Israel . . .

Capitol Spotlight

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Members of the mission, representing differing political and economic convictions, were united by sharing the common problem of winning American capital investment. If the spirit of joint cooperation is continued in Israel. benefit will come to Israel internally as well as from without.

Plans call for about \$100,000,000 in private U.S. industrial investment in the next four or five years. Israel wants Americans to make money and will help recommend sound business possibilities. An Israeli Government Investment Center has been opened in New York for this purpose.

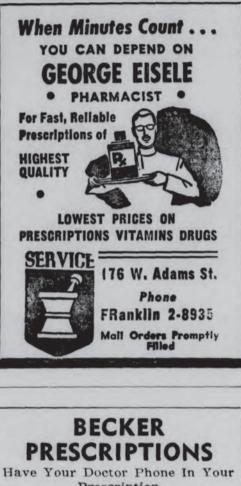
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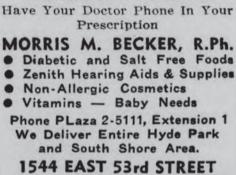
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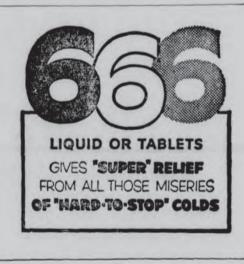
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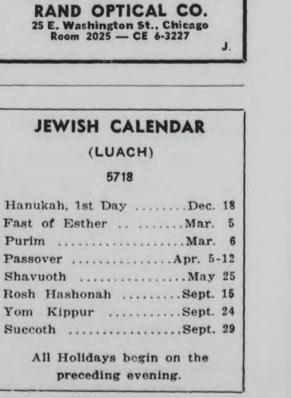
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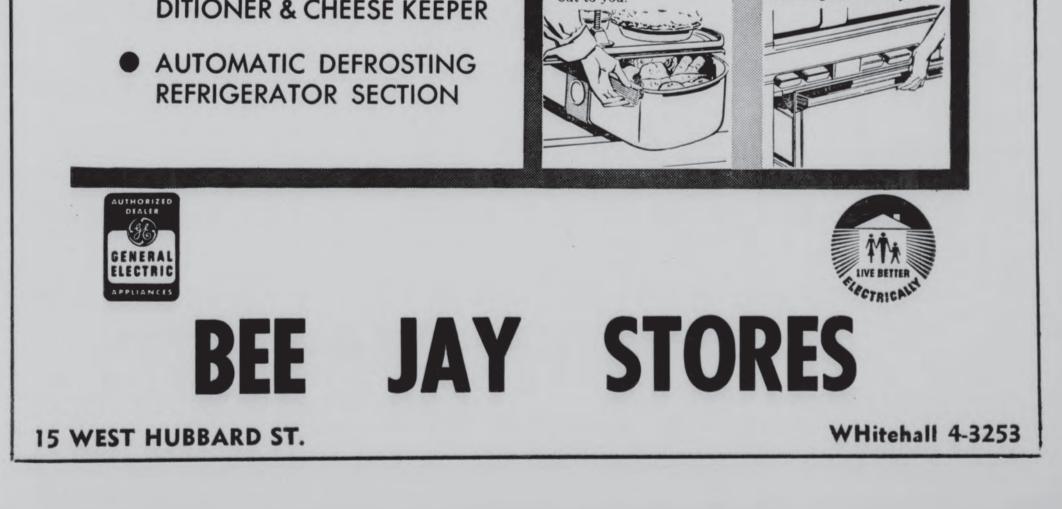
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December 18, 1957

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Dear Rabbi Silver:

I want to drop you a line to tell you how everyone here appreciated your appearance at the Chanukah Salute to Israel Sunday, December 15. Over 13,000 people were thrilled by your remarks, which made the Chanukah Festival so much more meaningful. As a matter of fact, we would never have had that kind of attendance if it were not for your being the principal and only speaker. You helped us immeasurably in obtaining mass Bond sales in Chicago.

I regret exceedingly that because of all the hectic activities that were going on I did not have the pleasure of spending more time with you. There is so much that all of us can learn from you.

Thanking you very much and hoping to have the pleasure of welcoming you again to Chicago I am.

Devotedly yours 20 David H. Zysman CHy Manager

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National Economic Conference For Israel

Hotel Sherman Chicago, Illinois

Friday, September 18 Saturday Eve., September 19 Sunday, September 20, 1959

CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

1. Friday, September 18

 12:30 P.M.

Luncheon Meeting of Board of Governors

2. Saturday, September 19 12:00 Noon Women's Division Sabbath Seudah Luncheon

3. Saturday Evening, September 197:30 P.M.Dinner Session

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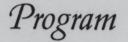
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