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Confirmation service, Bellefaire, Cleveland orphanage, 1937.

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RABBI SILVER

Confirmation Services

Abba Hillel Silver
Rabbi Officiating

Pellefaire, Cleveland, Ohio

Districts No. 2 and 6, I.O.B.B.



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To

Order of Exercises

Organ Prelude

"Hark the Voice of Children" . . . Processional

Welcome . . . The Rabbi

Opening Prayer . . . Beatrice Fenyves

CLASS SITS DOWN

tr. "Come Forth and Bring Your Garlands" . . . Class

The Flower Offering . . . Goldye Glassman

The Reading from the Torah

Prayer Before Taking Out the Scrolls . Alec Ginsberg

Exaltation of the Scrolls . Mannie Green

Blessing and Commandments—In Hebrew Stanley Katz

Commandments and Blessing—In Hebrew Leo Roller

The Ten Commandments—In English . Leon Moritz

Max Roseberg

Reading of the Haftarah . Ted Schwartzberg

Prayer for Our Government . Martin Kaufman

Returning the Scrolls . Sam Balkin

Reponse—*Etz Chayim* . . . Choir

ORGAN PLAYS

The Faith of the Jew

God . . . Don Neuberger

Lorraine Levine

Lillian Grossman

Man . . . Duane Mendelsohn

Israel	Marjorie Scheinman Celia Forman
Brotherhood	Harry Reiter
Loyalty	Rosalyn Kipperman
Rightecusness	Lillian Tarlofsky
Peace	Louis Roth
Hymn—"See, O God"	Class and Choir

See, O God, we children come
At Thy shrine our place to take;
Holy, holy is this day,
Bless us for Thy great name's sake.
Now to Thee our prayers ascend,
To our words in love attend.

Hear, O Father, hear our prayer,
From our hearts it soars to Thee;
Teach us, God, our duty all,
Thee to seek, Thy love to see;
True to be, and good and kind,
Pure in heart and soul and mind.

The Obligation of Jewish Life

The Synagogue	Joe Glazer Dave Rohfeld Arthur Levine
The Home	Esther Fogelson Eva Kessler
The School	Warren Stewart Joe Weintraub
Charity	Kay Bernstein Tena Trop
The Status of the Jew	Nate Heller

Citizenship	Hy Davis Morton Tarlofsky Sam Hendler
The New Palestine	Rose Williams Maxine Helman Helen Spiegler
America	Fannie Zidel
Pledge to Bellefaire	Gertrude Rotenberg
Hymn " <i>Blessed, O Blessed</i> "	Class and Choir

Blessed, O blessed,
Moment most holy,
Leading the lowly
Youth to the Lord.

Sweet are the lessons
Of this hour's story;
Ne'er may its glory
Fade from our minds.

Confirmation

Address to the Children	Rabbi A. H. Silver
Closing Prayer	Leona Slate
Confession of Faith	Class
" <i>Father, See Thy Suppliant Children</i> "	

CLASS SITS DOWN - PLEASE GIVE ORGANIST SIGN

Largo (Handel)	Miss Minnie Schaefer, Organ	SHE WILL GIVE
	Alfred C. Shultz, Violin	CHORD TO RISE

Blessing of the Children	The Rabbi
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EVERYONE RISES FOR BENEDICTION

(After the benediction, the congregation will please be seated until the class leaves the chapel.)

Benediction

EVERYONE IS SEATED - THEN ORGANIST GIVES CLASS A

BELLEFAIRE

FRED LAZARUS, JR.	President
SAMUEL GROSS	Chairman, Local Board
MICHAEL SHARLITT	Superintendent
JACK GIRICK	Assistant Superintendent

CHORD AND
CLASS RISES
LEAVE.