

YOUR
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RABBI MAURICE DAVIS

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January 7, 1953

SABBATH EVE SERVICE

FRIDAY

JAN. 9

8:00 P.M.

“UNCONSUMED”

A STORY OF THINGS
THAT DO NOT
DIE.

CANDLE BLESSING

MRS. HERSCHEL WEIL

YAH R Z E I T

MAURICE B. LOEVENHART



FROM WHERE I SIT

by

Rabbi Maurice Davis

AREN'T WE WONDERFUL!

Have you heard the news? Why, it's in all the papers!..... In the year 1952..... for the first time in our recorded history..... we, the people of the United States..... failed to lynch a fellow citizen..... Aren't we wonderful!.....

Let's see now..... It was 176 years ago that we boasted of our belief that all men were created equal.. With certain unalienable rights..... like life.....

And it was about 87 years ago that we spelled it out..... so that all men could read it plainly.....

I wonder how many people have been murdered..... while we have tried..... to catch up with our forefathers?.....

At any rate..... we have arrived..... so many heart-broken years later..... either by chance or through direction, at our first lynchless year..

Before we smile in pride..... And call for kudos..... We had better remember that we are horribly late.....

It will be a far more wonderful year..... when the absence of lynching will go unnoticed..... because a free people will have taken that much for granted.....

RETRACTION

We are sorry to announce that the winter series of lectures, announced in our last BULLETIN have had to be postponed. We shall announce the revised date in the near future.

WITH THE RABBI

On January 7, Rabbi Davis participated in a panel discussion on Religion and Psychology at Berea College Berea, Kentucky.

PRESIDENTS CORNER

(This week's message comes from the President of the Brotherhood.)

I want to sincerely thank everyone for their very generous support of the 1952 Chanukah Carnival. Financially the Carnival was a huge success and I believe a good time was had by all.

At a recent Directors meeting of the Brotherhood, Al Fogel resigned as Vice President. We were all very sorry to see Al leave Lexington, but are also happy for him that he will be closer to his family and especially his new granddaughter. Al will be missed by all but not forgotten! The Directors wisely chose a capable man in Sanford Lowenthal to fill the vacated Vice Presidency.

I am sure that the Brotherhood will continue to grow as it has in the past.

Stan Scher

LADIES ONLY

Please make a note of the date. **WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 14!**

Our next Sisterhood luncheon meeting promises to be the highlight of the year. William Sharlin, from the Hebrew Union College, outstanding musicologist, has planned a program for us in honor of Jewish Music Month.

He will speak, and he will sing, and he will open your ears to the rich and beautiful heritage which is ours. Don't fail to come!

ARE YOU BASHFUL?

We know that many of you can sing. We know that many of you like to sing. If you are waiting for personal invitations, you'll not get any. It's up to you to call us at the Temple, and tell us that you would like to be in our choir.

Don't sit around and wait to be coaxed. Call 2-4606 NOW!

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FRIDAY

JAN. 16

8:00 P.M.

'T' R U E

I D E N T ' T ' Y



CANDLE BLESSING — MRS. BARNEY MILLER

RECEPTION

Immediately after services there will be a reception. Hostesses are Mrs. L. K. Frankel, Mrs. Ben Roos, and Mrs. Eugene Straus.

Y A H R Z E I T

Jenny Gold Jacob Gordon

Morgan Frumberg Miller

FROM WHERE I SIT
by
Rabbi Maurice Davis

A SNOW BALL FIGHT

As I recall.... it all began in this way.... The bell rang..... signifying the end of Sunday School.... The little darlings put on their hats and coats.... and ran out toward the waiting arms of their loving parents...

But the arms of their loving parents were laden down with snow balls... And they let their progeny have it.... The kids stopped in their tracks..... and prepared to do battle.....

About that time.... I came out to see what all the noise was about..... and.... WHAM.... I was initiated.....

Now..... I suppose that I ought to frown on such irreverence as a snow ball fight in the front of the Temple.. but.... instead.... I was thrilled.... Here were whole families frolicking together..... The fathers forgot to act like fathers..... and began to act like pals.....

There was happiness in the eyes of the youngsters.... as they participated in the laughter and the fun.... with their parents.....

Once again I thought of my unwritten slogan..... the goal for this congregation.....
TEMPLE ADATH ISRAEL-FAMILY STYLE!

NOTICE

In order that our Temple records can be kept up to date we ask you to fill out the enclosed card and return it to the Temple at your earliest convenience. You may mail it in, or hand it to the Rabbi on Friday night or Sunday morning.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Dr. and Mrs. Sherman Miller on the birth of their daughter, Faith, who was born on January 7, 1953.

PRESIDENTS' CORNER

(This week's message comes from David Davis, President of NFTY.)

Members of the NFTY group wish to thank all the members of the congregation who made their youth service and program last January 2 such an enjoyable one. It was our first service of the year and we all were very happy over the outcome.

Our next meeting will be held this coming Monday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Davis. Plans will be discussed for a Purim Carnival, which will be our next coming social event. Keep your eyes on NFTY!

J. B. FAULCONER

On January 21, 6:45 P.M. the Temple Brotherhood monthly dinner meeting will feature Mr. J. B. Faulconer, who will conduct a sports quiz for all Brotherhood members. Here is a chance for all you men to participate in your mid-winter exams. Don't play hooky, we guarantee you won't flunk.

SAVE THE DATE!

It's not too early to put aside Saturday, February 28. On that night our Sisterhood will sponsor its annual Purim Dance. According to advance reports, that evening will be one of the high-lights of the year. Mark it on your calendar NOW!

CONTRIBUTION

The Congregation wishes to thank: Mrs. Marion House for her contribution to the Rabbi's Fund in memory of Mrs. Jennie Cohen.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Boyarsky for their contribution in honor of the birth of their son.

CONDOLENCE

The Congregation extends its sympathies to Mrs. Fernand Weil on the death of her mother, Mrs. Marie Salmon.

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SABBATH SERVICE

FRIDAY JANUARY 23 8:00 P.M.

RUSSIA

AND

THE

JEWSS

CANDLE BLESSING - MRS. EUGENE STRAUS

JANUARY						
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FROM WHERE I SIT
by
Rabbi Maurice Davis

ARRIVING AND LEAVING

January 20, 1953..... 9:30 A.M.

In a few minutes my secretary
and I will stop work.....
We'll turn on a borrowed radio and
listen to the nation changing hands....

It is a strange sound.....
this sound of a regime coming to an
end..... and of a new party
grasping the steering wheel of America.

There will be bands playing, and
the sound of merriment will reach our
ears..... There will be huge
thronges of people shouting.....
But drowning out the din of those who
delight in circuses..... will be
the prayers of 170 million of us.....

Upon him who is taking office,
even as we once did for him who is
leaving..... and him who died in
office..... we place our fervent....
unspoken..... heartfelt hopes.....

GOD BLESS YOU MR. PRESIDENT.

SUNDAY SCHOOL NEWS

Grade Seven, having returned from
its first field trip to various churches
in Lexington, reported to the Sunday
School Assembly the results of their
project. Each member of the class
chose one aspect of their trip to the
Episcopal Church and explained to the
rest of the Sunday School the impres-
sions that were received. The Assem-
bly then asked the members of Grade
Seven a series of questions and a very
spirited discussion took place.

We eagerly await the result of
their next trip which will be to the
Roman Catholic Church.

P L E A S E ! ! !

Please fill out and send in to the
Temple the information cards which you
received with last week's BULLETIN.
It is imperative that we have these in
our files. Our Temple can function
best if the members cooperate in sup-
plying us with the necessary information.
If you have lost your information card,
please call the Temple Secretary, 2-4606.

BOILING SPRINGS COUNTRY CLUB

Boiling Springs will be the scene
of our annual Purim dance sponsored by
the Temple Sisterhood. On February 28
the entire Congregation (we hope) will
be present at a truly gala affair.

Aside from the beautiful decora-
tions, aside from the excellent food,
aside from the delightful play, aside
from an evening of dancing and enter-
tainment, you will be supporting the
wonderful projects of our Temple
Sisterhood.

AN EVENING YOU CAN'T AFFORD TO MISS!

AN ENLIGHTENED MEMBERSHIP

In order to keep our membership
completely informed concerning the
policies of Adath Israel, we have
prepared copies of our By-Laws and
enclosed them in this week's BULLETIN.
Read them when you have a chance.
File them away safely. Refer to them
often.

CONTRIBUTION

The Congregation gratefully ac-
cepts a contribution to the Rabbi's
Fund in memory of Mrs. Marie Salmon.
The contributors were Mr. and Mrs.
James Frankel.

DATES TO REMEMBER

Did you notice the two calendar
months in the front page? The dates
circled signified two Brotherhood
programs, a Hillel supper, the Sister-
hood Purim Dance, Sabbath Services
and Religious School. Can you match
the events with the dates?

MYSTERY DATE

Here is a date so shrouded in
mystery that we dare not tell you
what will take place. All that we
are allowed to say is that on this
date one of the most important events
in the life of our Temple will be pre-
sented. If you are at all concerned
with the larger issues that face, have
faced, and will face Temple Adath
Israel, then you will do well to set
aside FEBRUARY 8.

Lexington, Kentucky
January 12, 1953

Congregation Adath Israel
124 North Ashland
Lexington, Kentucky

Open Letter to the Congregation:

Boy Scout Troop 22, sponsored by Adath Israel and with its headquarters at the Temple, has made remarkable progress and achieved top honors in this region during a growth process of the last two years.

Most amazing in the Troop's success, however, is the fact that such has been accomplished with the complete disinterest of the Congregation, with a total lack of encouragement by the parents, and with absolute indifference on the part of the members of the Troop Committee. With the exception of the Congregational President's hard work, the support, both actual and moral, given by the Temple and its committee to Troop 22, to its fine Scoutmaster, and to the Boy Scout movement in general has been auspicious by its absence.

Here is an opportunity for youths to grow strong and straight and honest, and here also is an opportunity for Jews to help themselves (without cost) in their efforts against racial and religious discrimination; yet here you let all this sift through your fingers because you refuse to lend a helping hand.

The time has come, however, that this Troop can no longer progress or even survive without the positive and sincere cooperation of its committee and the Congregation. If the committee members - I will not embarrass them by naming them here - do not intend to work willingly (and as a favor to no one) from now on, please send your resignations to me immediately, so I will not have to apologize for you any longer. If the parents of scouts and the parents of prospective scouts do not intend to encourage their children and also the Scoutmaster and to help the troop in various small ways, please advise me, so that the welcome mat need not be kept out for them at all Scout meetings. If the members of the Congregation do not intend to visit the Troop occasionally on its Thursday night meetings, then let them ever remain ignorant of the juveniles who are not delinquent.

I am not asking for your help. I'm telling you that unless you give it, you have lost a tremendous opportunity to insure your children's happiness, present and future. The seeds you sow

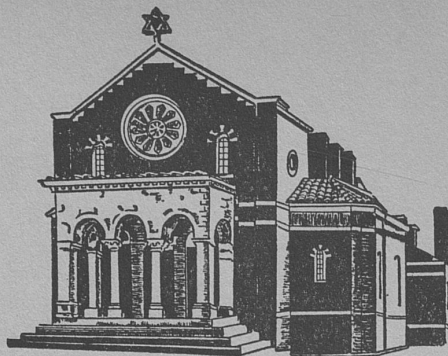
Sincerely,

Al Strauss

Al Strauss
Chairman, Troop Committee

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FRIDAY FEBRUARY 6 8:00 P.M.

“RENEWING THE
CONTRACT”

CANDLE BLESSING—MRS. DAVID PARITZ

Y A H R Z E I T

Ben Snyder

Bena Wasserman

R E C E P T I O N

Immediately after services there will
be a reception. Hostesses are:

Mrs. Irving Kanner Mrs. I. Gail
Mrs. Ernst Rosensweig

FROM WHERE I SIT

by

Rabbi Maurice Davis

BLUE GRASS DAY!!

Blue Grass Day in Lexington..... and the streets were filled with shoppers.... They had come from the city.. the villages.... the farms.... in search of bargains.....

I felt uncomfortable in such a setting.... My meager purchases of three ties and two shirts seemed conspicuous.... as if their new owner had not the skill to find the real bargains of the day.....

I hurried back to the Temple..... It is fine to search for bargains in the market place.... but the trouble is that this 'bargain-hunting' spreads and sometimes tries to invade religion.....

What is a bargain?..... It is paying less than we should for an object.... In religion..... when this occurs..... it is no cause for rejoicing.....

In religion we are taught to pay for as much as we should.... Anything less than that is not a bargain..... It is unfair.....

Never mind what your neighbor pays for the same object..... In religion the price you pay depends upon your ability.... and what is in your heart.

FROM WHERE I SIT..... it is time to stop looking at price tags..... In search of bargains..... and time to start looking at the quality of the merchandise.....

After all..... It is not Blue Grass Day at Adath Israel.....

CONDOLENCE

The Congregation records with sorrow the death of Mrs. Walter T. Frank who passed away last week in Columbus, Ohio. Mrs. Frank was a member of this community for many years and is related to Mrs. Jacob Speyer and Mrs. Joseph Marks of our Congregation.

PLEASE!!

If you receive an information card in this issue of the BULLETIN, it means that we have not received such information from you. Please fill out the card and return it to us.

SISTERHOOD SAGA

DOODLING

First you buy your ticket

10 or 25

Then you put the date away

Wait for it to arrive.

And while you're waiting for it

You sneak a little look

And learn the story of Purim

From Sonny's history book.

And then the night is on us

It's our most important date

The early part of evening

February 28.

To the "Club" you go now

To dance and drink and eat,

Enjoy the play and the people

And really have a treat.

You've eaten, drunk, and been merry

You've helped the Sisterhood

You have a very perfect right

To relax and feel good.

Sunday the dance is over

And in bed you want to stay

Well, don't worry about the kiddies

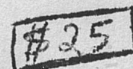
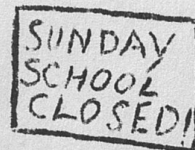
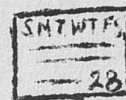
There's no Sunday School today!

What more can you ask of us, Mister?

What more can we do for you?

Now go out and buy a ticket

And be a Donor too!!!



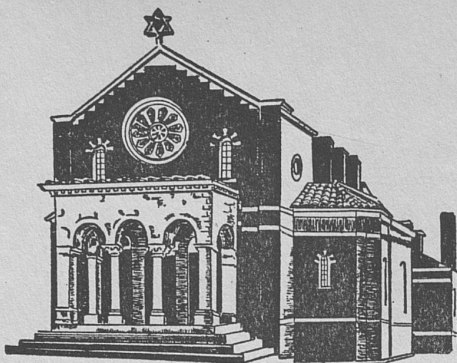
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FRIDAY FEBRUARY 13 8:00 P.M.



A. LINCOLN

CANDLE BLESSING

Mrs. Louis Rosenberg



YAHRTZEIT

Henry Loevenhart
Goldie Strauss Harry B. Miller
Sam Herman

FROM WHERE I SIT
by
Rabbi Maurice Davis

Once in a very long time.....
there is a man..... A man who feels
the pulse of America..... A man who
says to America, "This is your sick-
ness..... and this is your cure."

Once in a very long time.....
there is a man..... who deeply loves
America..... and, loving it, says,
"America cannot exist half-slave and
half-free."

Once in a very long time.....
there is a man..... who understands
America..... and men.....
He says, "As I would not be a slave
..... so I cannot be a master!"

February 12..... Once upon a
time..... there was a man.....

CONDOLENCE

The Congregation extends its
heartfelt sympathy to Dr. Sherman
Miller and Mr. Ben H. Miller on the
death of their aunt, Mrs. Hermine
Gordon of Saint Joseph, Missouri.

We record with sorrow the death
of Israel Rosenberg and offer our
sympathies to his son, Mr. Elliott
Rosenberg and to his family.

WITH THE RABBI

During the month of February
the Rabbi has addressed or will ad-
dress the following groups:

- Feb. 8 - Unitarian Church
- Feb. 9 - University School
- Feb. 11 - Ky. Wesleyan College
Owensboro, Ky.
- Feb. 12 - Lexington Rotary
- Feb. 16 - Sertoma Club
- Feb. 16 - Lexington Women's Club

NOTICE

Purim is not only for the parents.
Sunday, March 1 at 2:00 P.M. the
Sunday School will have its own gala
Purim party. The children are in-
structed to come in costume. Each
class will present a program (includ-
ing the faculty) and NFTY will be in
charge of the whole shebang.

P.S. No Sunday School on the
morning of March 1.

PRESIDENTS' CORNER

(This week's column comes from
Stan Scher, President of Brotherhood.)

Within the next six weeks there
will be two financial responsibilities
to be met by almost every family of
our Congregation. These are the
United States Income Tax and the
Sisterhood Purim Dance. I feel sure
that you all will do "everything ex-
pected" of you in reference to the
first, and hope that your full support
is also given to the latter.

Seriously I hope that the Sister-
hood will get the same generous support
by the Congregation as always.

Speaking of support, I would also
like to have it for our next Brother-
hood meeting, Wednesday, February 18.
There will be a dinner meeting at 7:00
P.M. Our speaker will be Dr. Ken
Chapman, Superintendant at Narco.
Let's all be there!

BROTHERHOOD PARTY

The Temple Youth Group has in-
vited several youth groups to join
with them in an "Indoor Picnic" on
Sunday, February 22 in the Temple
Vestry. The games and the program
will all be attuned to the concept of
brotherhood.

IF

If you haven't yet purchased
your tickets for the SISTERHOOD PURIM
DANCE----do so now!

If you haven't become a donor
----Why don't you break down and be one?

If you haven't saved the evening
of February 28----you had better remedy
that situation immediately.

If you are looking for a wonder-
ful evening----take care of the above
items NOW!!!!

GUEST SPEAKER

On February 18 the Temple Brother-
hood will have as its guest speaker,
Dr. Kenneth Chapman, Medical Officer
in Charge at the United States Public
Health Service Hospital.

Dr. Chapman will discuss the
problems that confront his institution
in the attempt to cure addiction.

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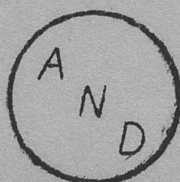
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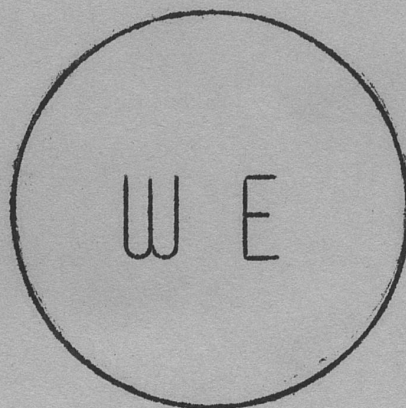
CANDLE
BLESSING

Mrs. Hugo Bloomfield



Yahrzeit

Goldie Strauss



B A B Y B L E S S I N G

Faith Sara Miller, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Sherman Miller will be blessed during the service. Immediately following the service Dr. and Mrs. Miller will tender a reception in her honor.

FROM WHERE I SIT
by
Rabbi Maurice Davis

WHAT! NO PARADE!

This year, the National Conference of Christians and Jews is twenty-five years old.....

During that twenty-five years..... the world has seen a great many things.

It has seen the anti-semitism of Germany spill over into a world..... subsequently bathed in blood.....

It has seen bombings of synagogues in Florida.... as our home-grown bigots came into the fore.....

It has seen the Soviet Union learn the trick of anti-semitism.... and add her own peculiar twist to it.....

And through it all..... this group of men and women have tried to instill the thoughts of Brotherhood into the hearts of countless millions.

It has met... and worked.... and planned.....

It has acted wisely... and without enough fan-fare.... in a job for the whole world.....

It needs more help than we can give it.... but it should demand at least that much.....

It's not enough to approach a bigot and say, "Gently, sir. It's Brotherhood Week.".....

We have to help those who are working all year through..... and working for you.....
Yes..... Y O U.....

SUNDAY SCHOOL NEWS

A two week debate is drawing to a close. Each Sunday, at Assembly, the Sunday School students have an open meeting. A few weeks ago the Charity Committee presented its report as to the dispersement of the moneys collected. A heated discussion arose when a suggestion was made from the floor that part of the money be used for the Temple itself. Last Sunday, with Susan Munich leading the fight for this motion, and Dennis Moel rallying the opposition, the problem was clearly stated. Next Sunday, the final vote will decide this motion.

PRESIDENTS' CORNER

(This week's message comes from David Davis, President of NFTY.)

Celebrating "Brotherhood Week" with three other churches at an "Indoor Picnic" will be NFTY's next project of the year.

The picnic will be held this coming Sunday in the Temple Vestry. Attending the affair will be the youth groups of Christ Church, Maxwell St. Presbyterian, Christ the King, and the A.Z.A.

The affair will be strictly on the social side with plenty of fun for all. The menu will consist of hot dogs and all the trimmings that are found at a picnic.

On March 1, from 2:00 P.M. to 4:00 P.M. NFTY will sponsor a Purim Carnival for the Sunday School students. Be sure your children are there to share in the fun. No Sunday School that day!

HAMAN TALKS BACK

Mrs. Hugo Bloomfield, Director of the musical comedy, HAMAN TALKS BACK, reports that the play is near completion. She states that the production which will be a part of the evening entertainment at the Sisterhood Purim Party, Feb. 28 will be a huge success. Don't miss it!!!!

BOILING SPRINGS

The Boiling Springs Country Club will be the scene of the Sisterhood Purim Dance Saturday, Feb. 28. From where we sit it plans to be a knockout affair. The decorations, the play, the food, the music all add up to a delightful evening.

In addition you will know that you are supporting the Temple Sisterhood and the Sunday School program by attending. Tickets are \$10.00 and \$25.00.

BE A SPORT - - - - BE A DONOR

CONGRATULATIONS

Our heartiest congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Simon E. Levy on the birth of their son, David Arthur Levy, born February 9, 1953.

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SABBATH SERVICE

FRIDAY FEBRUARY 27 8:00 P.M.

WHO IS
ESTHER?

YAHRTZEIT

FANNY FOGEL — LEONARD WEIL

CANDLE BLESSING

MRS. MAURICE DAVIS

FROM WHERE I SIT

by

Rabbi Maurice Davis

(By request, the following column on Brotherhood is being repeated.)

POSTMORTEM ON BROTHERHOOD

By the grace of God we have passed safely through another Brotherhood Week. For seven days there was a frenzy of activity, and an ecstasy of fumbling while we paid official homage to an official holiday.

We met in large unwieldy groups to lay flowers on the grave of brotherhood as if it were the Unknown Soldier on Armistice Day. We paid solemn tribute to brotherhood, and read lengthy eulogies, as if it were over something that has passed away. And when it was over, we looked at our watches and said to ourselves, "Now, where were we....?"

Now I grant that it is an interesting game that we play, but I have an idea that we could vastly improve upon it. First of all, we abolish Brotherhood Week and bring back brotherhood. Secondly, since we must have our circus along with our bread, we establish Hatred Week. Now that would be something to contemplate.....

We'd have a huge meeting, and we would get ourselves some outstanding authority on the subject; perhaps Sen. McCarthy, or Pegler, or Gerald L. K. Smith. We would sit politely through the speech and quietly yawn behind our napkins.....

And when it was finished we would walk out into the clean fresh air, look at our watches, and say to ourselves, "Now, where were we.....?"

Everything would be the opposite of today. Brotherhood would be a vibrant part of our lives, and hatred only an official occasion. We would place flowers on the grave of hatred and piously murmur, "May it rest in peace."

Now, whom could we get to be Chairman.....?

BOARD MEETING

MONDAY, MARCH 2

7:30 P.M.

TEMPLE VESTRY

The twin events whereby our Temple shall celebrate the festival of Purim are the following.

1. Saturday, February 28 at the Boiling Springs Country Club, 9:00 P.M. This will be the way in which the adult members of our Congregation will enjoy themselves, and at the same time be supporting the Sisterhood in its needed campaign to raise money for themselves and for the Temple. There will be food, dancing, comradeship, and a satirical skit entitled HAMAN TALKS BACK. We feel that no member of our Congregation can afford to miss an evening as pleasing and as important as this one. If you haven't purchased your tickets yet, please see Mrs. I. A. Paritz immediately.

2. Sunday, March 1, Temple Adath Israel, 2:00 P.M.: This is the way in which our youngsters will celebrate Purim. There will be skits by each class. The children will come in costume. The NFTY group will lead them in games. Homontaschen will be served. This affair will last from 2:00 until 4:00 on Sunday afternoon, and all children and teachers are expected to be present. Parents are cordially invited.

CONGRATULATIONS

The Congregation extends its congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. George Gordon on the birth of their daughter, Lynn Win, born February 8, 1953.

SUCCESS

After several weeks of heated discussion the Sunday School students have decided by an overwhelming vote that no money raised through the charity collections shall go to the Temple, but instead, shall go to those people and those institutions who are in need. We congratulate the students on the understanding of the meaning of charity.

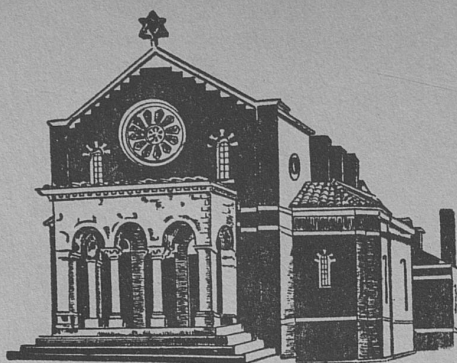
CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Ades on the Bar Mitzvah of their son, Michael, which will take place at the Ohava Zion Synagogue Friday, Feb. 27 at 8:00 P.M. Immediately after the services, there will be a reception in Michael's honor, given by the parents Mr. and Mrs. Louis Ades and the Grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. David Ades.

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SABBATH EVE SERVICE

FRIDAY

MARCH 6

8:00 P.M.

THE CASE HISTORY
OF FLORIDA

RABBI DAVIS WILL DISCUSS HIS EVALUATION OF
THE ACTS OF VIOLENCE WHICH BEGAN IN
FLORIDA A YEAR AND A HALF AGO.



RECEPTION

THERE WILL BE A RECEPTION FOLLOWING
THE SERVICES. MRS. BEN COHEN, MRS.
I. ZAPOLSKY, MRS. SAM MILNER AND
MRS. MOSES FRIED WILL BE HOSTESSES.

CANDLE
BLESSING

MRS. SANFORD LOWENTHAL

FROM WHERE I SIT
by
Rabbi Maurice Davis

You're sitting around with friends.. and one of them makes a remark about the Temple that is destructive in nature..... and petty in character..... But you haven't the time to enter into a learned rebuttal on the matter.....

Has that ever happened to you? Have you wanted to point out that the Temple is ours..... and one person being spiteful..... affects you?.....

If you have ever witnessed this phenomenon..... then I have the answer. It is the title of a song from GUYS AND DOLLS.....

Just turn to your friend and say (or.... if you are not the rabbi... sing) "Sit down, you're rocking the boat!"

You know..... we really are in the same boat..... and each of us has a right to see that our vessel is not swamped by waves of vindictiveness..... and pettiness.....

Maybe we will live to see the day when all mankind will realize that it travels in one boat. And from one end of the earth to the other, we will hear neighbor warn neighbor, "Sit down, you're rocking the boat!"

Let's make that our favorite squelch line..... Use it wisely..... Use it well.....

Out of the mouths of Guys and Dolls can come forth pearls of wisdom..... Incidentally..... Are YOU rocking the boat?.....

WITH THE RABBI

On March 4 and 5, Rabbi Davis will address Berea College on a series of subjects. The title of his convocation address will be THE RELIGION OF A MODERN JEW.

GOOD WORK!

We wish to congratulate the NFTY group for two excellent affairs in February. Under the presidency of David Davis, the group conducted a Brotherhood Indoor Picnic with members of church groups as their guests.

Last Sunday, they arranged and conducted the Purim Party for the entire Sunday School which was considered a huge success.

PRESIDENTS' CORNER

(This week's message comes from Vivian Weil, President of Sisterhood.)

Let me take this opportunity to again thank each one of you who so generously supported the annual Sisterhood Purim affair. Without your co-operation the evening could not have been such a success - - both financially and socially.

Our next big project is the Inter-faith meeting to be held at the Temple on Wednesday, March 18th. The chairman, Marion Davis and her committee, are doing a tremendous job with the invitations, speaker, and tea for the afternoon. This affair is city-wide and we are expecting guests from all churches. There will be no business luncheon meeting preceding the Inter-faith program, but the entire membership of the Sisterhood is cordially invited to be our guests for the afternoon.

Remember the date! Wednesday, March 18th at 2:30 P.M.

FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE

The Temple office is preparing a booklet with the names, addresses and telephone numbers of all Temple members. If you have sent in your information card, then the information concerning you will be up to date.

If you have neglected to send in your card, we will be forced to use information which may be no longer correct. It would be wise to contact the Temple Secretary in order to make sure that all information in this pamphlet will be accurate.

CONGRATULATIONS

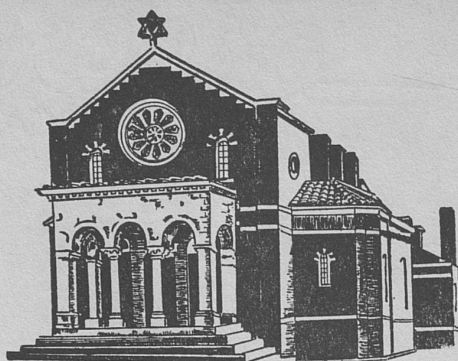
The Congregation extends its congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Ruttenberg on the birth of their twins, Michael Saul and Barbara Ann. The children were born February 21, 1953.

DON'T FORGET

MARCH 18

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FRIDAY

MARCH 13

8:00 P.M.

"PEACE" IS A DIRTY WORD

A STORY OF CHANGING VALUES
IN A TOPSY-TURVY WORLD.

CANDLE BLESSING—MRS. SIDNEY GALL

YAHREZEIT

MORRIS BAKER
JOSEPH BING
SOPHIE BLOOMFIELD
JACK DAVIS
MOSES MOSES

LOUIS M. EPSTEIN
LILLIAN FRUMBERG
BERNARD KIRSCHBAUM
MATHILDA WEIL

FROM WHERE HE SITS

(This week Rabbi Davis relinquishes his column that an anonymous letter to the Editor might take its place.)

"WE HAVE TO EAT... OR DO WE?"

From a Kentucky newspaper, Thursday, March 5th, 1952.... "The alumni's criticism.... stems from the fact that..... is a private school, supported to a large extent by private endowment funds. These funds are obtained from successful people. And successful people are sometimes allergic to radical types having too much to do with a school.

A thing like that, sort of jerks the rug out from under you when it comes to raising funds."

Raising funds, "we have to eat".... principle be sacrificed, academic freedom swapped for funds.... It couldn't happen here in our Temple or could it?

Is the customer always right? Is one's own sense of right or wrong overcome by hunger? "I have to eat." If that's how we have to eat, we will retch into wretchedness. If that be true, we had better step on the bathroom scales. Maybe we should eat less and stand on principle more.

"Sit down, you're rocking the boat!" We have to eat, don't we? If some of us don't stop eating so much, we will sink the boat of our own weight. Sometimes the boat needs rocking when we stand up to see where we are going.

Jews every day in Europe and Israel expose their very lives for a principle. "We have to eat." Maybe we are getting too fat. Better a little fasting, maybe less weight, more strength, more sinew in our synagogue, more courage in our right and wrong complexes, less appeasement in our Temple Adath Israel in the beautiful city of Lexington in our glorious United States in this year, 1953.

MARCH 18

LADIES: Don't forget the magnificent Interfaith afternoon that is planned for you and your friends beginning at 2:30 at the Temple.

GENTLEMEN: The Brotherhood monthly meeting, with wonderful food and an interesting program will take place at 6:45 P.M. at the Temple.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN: Put aside Wednesday, March 18 as Temple day and Temple night!

PRESIDENTS' CORNER

(This week's column comes from Stan Scher, President of Brotherhood.)

The Temple Brotherhood has recently received a commendation for its helpful efforts in actively sponsoring the Jewish Chautauqua Society. To those not familiar with this movement, it is an organization which spreads educational information about the Jew by sending qualified lecturers to American colleges, universities and summer church camps. Hundreds of thousands of non-Jewish students and teachers are reached in this way, attempting to lessen anti-Semitism by education. We are rightfully proud to have an active hand in this movement.

Remember Wednesday, March 18 at 6:45 P.M. will be the next Brotherhood meeting. We would like to see some new faces in addition to all of our regular members. Please make every effort to attend.

PASSOVER SEDAR

Our Temple Sedar will take place on Monday, March 30 at 6:00 P.M. with Mrs. David Bolotin as Chairman.

Traditionally this has been one of the high-lights of congregational activities. We sincerely hope that every member of the congregation who does not plan to have a Sedar in their home will join us at the Temple.

Enclosed in this Bulletin you will find a postcard which will serve as your reservation for that night. PLEASE don't delay in returning your postcard to us. We must make our plans early.

GRATEFULLY.....

The Congregation wishes to acknowledge with thanks the following contributions to the Rabbi's Fund.

1. From Mrs. Morris Baker, in memory of Mrs. Marie Salmon.
2. From Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Ruttenberg in honor of the birth of their children, Barbara Ann and Michael Saul.
3. From Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Fogel in memory of Helene Fogel.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. John Auerback on the birth of their son, born March 10, 1953.

ADATH ISRAEL TEMPLE SISTERHOOD INTER FAITH PROGRAM

DATE: March 18 1953

PLACE: Adath Israel Temple
124 North Ashland

TIME: 2:30 P.M.

-PROGRAM-

DR. A. HERBERT HASLAM

Dr. Haslam, former minister Tioga Church, Philadelphia, was for eight years minister of the Ashland Avenue Baptist Church in Toledo, Ohio. He received his D.D. at Buckner University. Dr. Haslam was Chairman of the Department of Race Relations of the Toledo Council of Churches and a member of the Mayor's Committee on Race Relations.

Six years ago he came to Fellowship House in Philadelphia, a nationally known center in racial and religious understanding. He has been especially concerned with the development of the religious Fellowship of Fellowship House, which brings together Christians and Jews, colored and white, in a fellowship of religious people.

Dr. Haslam has created within the religious Fellowship Sunday night forums, pilgrimages to varying places of worship, a growing group of ministers and rabbis who meet monthly to share ideas.

Dr. Haslam is the Administrator of Fellowship House.

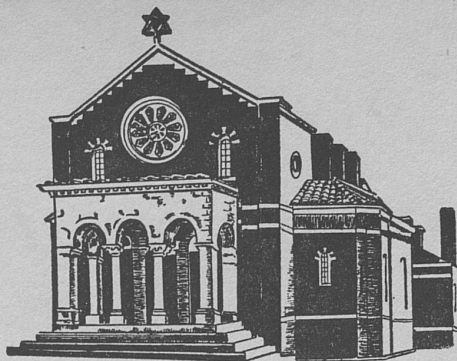
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publicity*

Mrs. Maurice Davis
Interfaith chairman

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FRIDAY

MARCH 20

8:00 P.M.

CHAUTAUQUA AND YOU



The role, and the goal of the
Jewish Chautauqua Society



CANDLE BLESSING

Mrs. Myron Fields

RECEPTION

Mrs. Harold Fine
Mrs. Irving Stern

YAHIRZET

Rose N. Bloomfield
Harry Klein
William Moses

DIED THIS WEEK
Clara Nicholson
Max Saretsky
Robert Strauss

FROM WHERE I
SIT....

by
Rabbi Maurice
Davis



KUDOS

Received a letter the other day... praising our TEMPLE BULLETIN.... To date we are in receipt of over thirty such letters... but this one is special. It comes from a former boss....

His name is Cyril Slesnick..... director of the Jewish Community Center of Cincinnati.. When I was a student at H.U.C. I used to spend most of time with him.....

Dear Maurie,

I was certainly very much impressed with your POST MORTEM ON BROTHERHOOD. I showed it to a number of people.... and they considered it one of the finest brief documents on the subject they had ever read.

I don't know what this proves.. But one thing it does prove is that we read your BULLETIN, which I find very interesting... especially when your Scout Chairman goes on a tear...

Sincerely,
Cy

Dear Cy,

Your letter proves all that we desire from our BULLETIN;.... namely that it is being read....

We make no claim for deathless prose.... or for literary excellence. We only want people to read it... and to learn the news of our Temple.

It was good of you to write..... I only hope that our members read the BULLETIN as avidly as our friends. We want our BULLETIN to have that measure of warmth and informality that will make it a family paper.

Marion and Jay join me in sending our love to you, Rose, and the family.

Maurie

PASSOVER

The response to our Annual Temple Seder has been extremely gratifying. The only way to make certain that there will be room for you and your family is to send in your reservation card EARLY.

If it has been mislaid, call or write to Mrs. David Bolotin.

CONDOLENCES

The congregation records with sorrow three deaths that have occurred recently.

Mrs. Clara Nicholson

Mr. Max Saretsky

Mr. Robert Strauss

To their sorrowing families we express our heartfelt sympathy.

GRATEFULLY

The congregation acknowledges with thanks the following contributions:

From Mrs. Jack Davis, to the RABBI'S FUND... in memory of Jack Davis.

From Mrs. Rebecca Berman and Mrs. Geneva Berman Eisner, to the Max Berman Library Fund.. in memory of Max Berman.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Thursday March 19, at 8:00 p.m., Dr. Ralph Bunche will speak at Memorial Hall, U.K.

The congregation is urged to attend, and to hear this great American.

SUNDAY SCHOOL RAMBLINGS

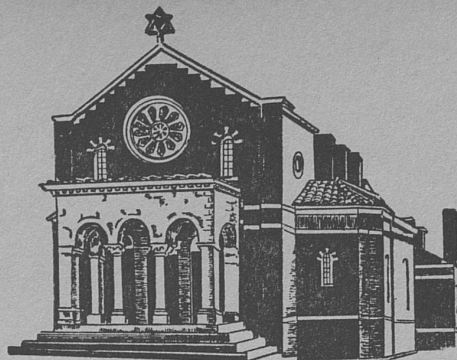
Grade 6 reports that it is preparing a frieze that will depict Passover.....

Hebrew 3 tells us that the class is memorizing the FOUR QUESTIONS for Passover.....

Grade 8 informs us that Walter Weil submitted an excellent essay (1,000 words) on Judaism. Rumor hath it that Dick Munich will soon submit an even larger one. (1,500 words).....

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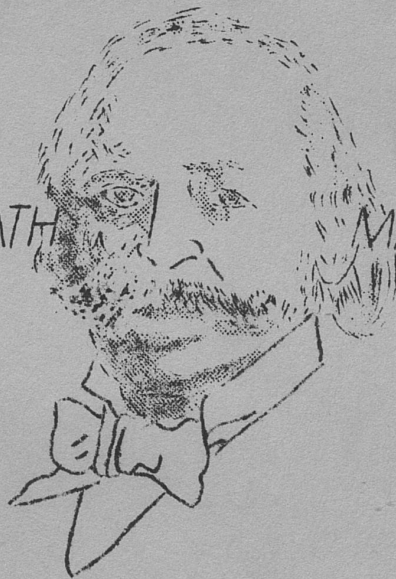
THE FORMED REFORM

I.M. WISE

FRIDAY

MEMORIAL SABBATH

MARCH 27 8:00 P.M.



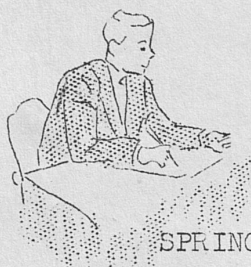
We Honor the birth of him who
founded American Reform Judaism

CANDLE BLESSING

Mrs. David Weil

YAHRTZEIT

Jacob Abraham



FROM WHERE
I SIT.....

by
Rabbi Maurice
Davis

SPRING CLEANING

Of all the seasons in the year.. spring is the only one with magic in it..... I just returned from a Chautauqua engagement..... the weather was beautiful.. the top down on my car.. the wind streaming through my hair... and my heart was singing... because it was spring again.....

And we are just about ready for our spring holiday.. Passover. What is Passover?... It is the spring fever of the Jews... when all the world is bright and clean ... warm with sunlight.. and with promises for tomorrow.....

What is Passover?... It is spring cleaning for the Jews..... I can recall my grandmother getting ready for Pesach.... an ecstasy of action!... Dishes to change... the search for leaven.. new foods.. to replace the old foods of winter... an urgency.... an excitement... It was spring cleaning in honor of Passover....

Today.... when most of us do not change dishes... do not search out the leaven... the excitement is lost.... I wish we could recapture some of it!.....

We could... if we spent some time preparing OURSELVES for Passover... searching out the leaven in our hearts... getting rid of the coldness.. the pettiness..... the bickering... those signs of winter months.....

Get ready for Passover! Have a spring cleaning..... More important than the dishes that are used... are the people that use them..... The wine.. the matzo.. the food... you can order from the store..... but your PERSONAL SPRING CLEANING must be done by YOU!

Passover is nearly here..... are you ready?.....

NOTICE

Attention Board Members!! This month's Board Meeting will be held Wednesday, April 1, instead of Monday April 6.

PASSOVER SEDER

There is still time to get your last minute reservations in, for the Temple Seder, which will take place Monday, March 30, at 6:00 pm.

Co-chairmen Mrs. David Bolotin, and Mrs. Lawrence Goodman are most anxious to prepare for the proper number of people.

Please contact them, or Mrs. L.K. Frankel immediately.

SMALL FRY SEDER

There will be a special seder ceremony for the members of the Sunday School, this Sunday, March 29, at 10:30 a.m.

First period class will begin at the regular time of 9:30, but there will be no second period class. Instead there will be our Sunday School Seder. Don't forget!

CONTRIBUTIONS

The congregation gratefully accepts the following gifts to the RABBI'S FUND:

From Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Weil in memory of Robert Strauss.

From Mrs. B. Cohen, Mrs. M. Fried, and Mrs. I. Zapolsky.

WITH THE RABBI

On Tuesday, March 24, Rabbi Davis addressed Kentucky State College in Frankfort, on the subject, YOUTH IN A TROUBLED WORLD.

ANNUAL MEETING

The date for the Annual Congregational Dinner Meeting has been set for Sunday, May 10.

Please save that date! All members having suggestions for the meeting, or Constitutional changes, must report to the President or Secretary by Wednesday April 1, 1953.....

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WHY 'THEY' TRY

In the light of recent happenings in Lexington
Rabbi Davis will discuss the strange phenomenon
of WHY THEY TRY to convert us.

FRIDAY
APRIL 10
8:00

CANDLE BLESSING

Mrs. Barney Miller

YAHRTZEIT

Rae G. Levy

DIED THIS WEEK

Herman Chasen

FROM WHERE I SIT.....



by
Rabbi
Maurice
Davis.....

SHADOW OF A DOUBT

Strange it is.. to sit on the sidelines and wonder what takes place within the Russian World..

It twists.. and it turns..... and in response we also turn.... and twist.....

When those doctors were arrested last year... allegedly for causing the death of several top Soviet officials... we cried with one voice... that it was not true.....

We bemoaned the fact that such a miscarriage of justice might take place.... The world hoped that these doctors might someday be freed.... but how could that ever be?.....

No one dared suggest that the Government of Russia might reverse itself.... say that it had been wrong.... completely exonerate the victims..... No one would dare to make so naive a suggestion.....

And then like a bolt of lightning... that very thing occurs..... The Soviet Union apologizes to the world.... admits these doctors were falsely accused... confesses that there was injustice in Russia.....

But are we happy? No! Devious are the ways of the Russian mind, we say.... There must be a trap... a trick... somewhere.. hidden.....

There well may be a trap..... a trick.... there certainly is a shadow of a doubt.... but the fact remains that we had our wishes come true... and now we are unhappy about it.....

A poet once said:
The gods are not too obdurate.
They have a grim, sardonic way
Of granting men who supplicate,
The things they asked for.....
yesterday!

APRIL 15

DAY..

The Temple Sisterhood plans a book review by Mrs. Miller to highlight their monthly luncheon meeting. This will take place Wednesday at noon. Mrs. Edith Weil is the chairman.
and..

NIGHT..

The Temple Brotherhood's meeting that night will feature a talk by Tom Underwood, Editor of the HERALD, and former U.S. Senator. The dinner meeting will begin at 6:45 p.m.

CONDOLENCES

The Congregation offers its deepest sympathies to Mrs. Irving Kanarek, and Mrs. Herman Chasen on the death of Mr. Chasen. Our condolences go also to Dr. Lloyd Mayer on the death of his mother.

CONGRATULATIONS

A hearty congratulation to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Frankel Jr. on the birth of their son Joseph N. Frankel III.

HAPPY TIMES

The Temple NFTY group announces it spring carnival!! It will take place Sunday May 3, at the Temple, both indoors and outdoors.

Excellent food, great booths, fine prizes... yours for the asking. Save the date, May 3... for LAG B'OMER HAPPY TIMES!!

BULLY FOR BALLOTS

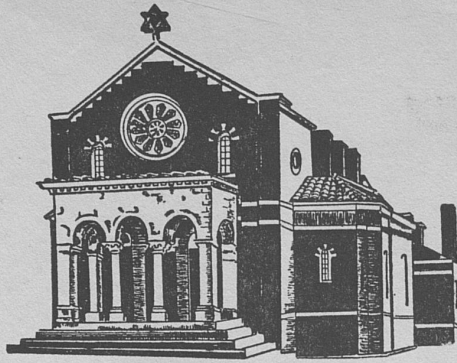
The ballots for our Temple Board election have been coming in rapidly. They MUST be in by Friday, April 10.

After services, the ballots will be opened and counted. You are all welcome to be present.

Only....
VOTE!! DON'T DEFAULT!! VOTE!!
.....(vote).....

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—GUEST SPEAKER— April 15, 1953

DR. R. B. MONTGOMERY

During the absence of Rabbi Davis, Dr. R. B. Montgomery, President of the College of the Bible will be our guest speaker. The congregation is urged to attend.

FRIDAY, APRIL 17, 8:00 P.M.

CANDLE BLESSING —

Mrs. I. A. Paritz

—YAHIRZEIT—

Henry J. Roben
Lawrence Solomon

—RECEPTION—

Immediately after services, there will be a reception in the vestry, in honor of Dr. Montgomery. Mrs. Emanuel Meyers will be in charge of the reception, with Mrs. I. H. Stern assisting.

FROM WHERE I SIT.....



by.....

Rabbi
Maurice
Davis.....

SOLILOQUY WITH ME

So.. it's only a meeting in New York.. Why get excited?..... Yes.... that's all it is.....

Only all the Reform Congregations in America.. meeting for the welfare of all the people...

What is the Union?... Nothing much... a house in New York... a suite of offices... secretaries... clerks... janitors... rabbis... executives... the leaders of Judaism..... That's all.....

What does the Union do?... Oh.. this and that.. Sponsors the National Federation of Temple Sisterhoods.. of Temple Brotherhoods.. of Temple Youth.. The Jewish Chautauqua Society..... Publishes most of our text books, Sunday School curricula.. Produces our ceremonials.. advises congregations on building plans.. organizational structures.. and.. oh yes.. supplies our rabbis.... a few odd jobs... Nothing much..

Couldn't they spend a lot less money? Certainly! All they have to do is knock out some activities.. like the youth program.. or Chautauqua... wreck much of what has been accomplished.. and save a dollar here.. a dollar there... it adds up....

In a few years we would really save money.... Of course there would be no Union by then.

Well... who needs it in the first place? We don't. We could get along very nicely without it. We could close up shop... for without the Union that is what we would be forced to do.....

But isn't it a waste of money? Sure is.... All we have to do is commit suicide.... That would really save money.....

Well... have a nice trip..... I certainly will... For you.... and for me..... So long..... partner.....

CONGRATULATIONS

The Elections Committee, under the excellent leadership of Dr. Samuel Younger reports the outcome of our Board elections as follows (alphabetically)

David Bolotin
Dr. Irving Kanner
Dr. Sanford Lowenthal
David Weil
Herschel Weil

We offer to these our heartiest congratulations, and sincerely hope that they will use their best endeavors for the welfare of the Temple.

FAMILY DAY.. MAY 3

Put an * next to May 3, for that is the day that NFTY will present its LAG B'OMER HAPPY TIMES. It will be an afternoon and evening of games, booths, and delicious food.

Here is a chance to spend a day with your family, enjoy yourself tremendously, and help our youngsters in their youth programming.... You can't afford to miss that date. May 3.

REMEMBER THE *

CALENDAR FOR MAY

TAKE A DEEP BREATH!!

- May 1..... Temple Services.
- May 3..... NFTY's LAG B'OMER HAPPY TIMES (above)
- May 8..... Sisterhood Sabbath Service.
- May 10..... Congregational Dinner Meeting.
- May 15..... Temple Services.
- May 17..... Last day of Sunday School.
- May 17..... Last Hillel Meeting.
- May 19..... CONFIRMATION.
- May 20..... Brotherhood Meeting.
- May 22..... Temple Services.
- May 24..... Sunday School Picnic.
- May 27..... Sisterhood Meeting.
- May 29..... Last late evening Service. Bar Mitzvah of Steven Davis

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WHY SHOULD I?

FRIDAY, APRIL 24, 1953 8:00 P.M.

— BABY BLESSING —

During the service, there will be a Baby Blessing ceremony for David Arthur Levy, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Simon Levy.

CANDLE BLESSING

Mrs. Ben Goldfarb

YAHARZEIT

Flora Bloom
Regina Landsburg

— RECEPTION —

Immediately after services there will be a reception by Mr. and Mrs. Simon Levy, in honor of the Baby Blessing for their child.

●●●● MARK THE DATE ●●●●

In the absence of Rabbi Davis, we use our second page to remind the members of the congregation of all the dates that must be saved in the month of May, the last month of our Temple activities. Please save this sheet of paper, or transcribe these dates into your calendar.

CALENDAR FOR MAY

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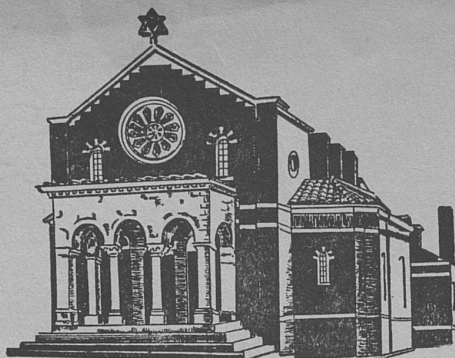
CONGRATULATIONS

The Congregation wishes to congratulate Mr. and Mrs. Luther Pushell of Somerset Ky. on the marriage of their daughter Sharon to Mr. Elliot Kleban of Kansas City, Mo.



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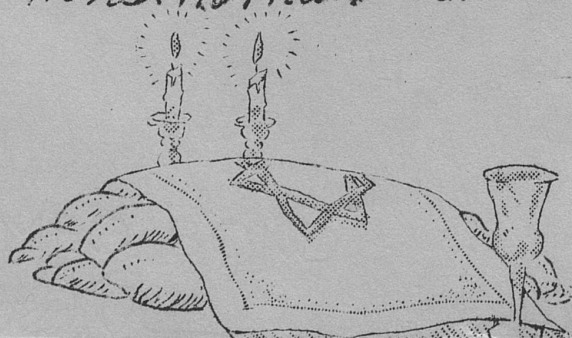
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THE MAH JONGG SET

A story of a will, a bequest, and a hope.

FRIDAY MAY 1, 1953
8:00 P.M.

Candle Blessing
Mrs. Norman Wides



FROM WHERE Rabbi
I SIT... by Maurice
 Davis

FACES... FACES... FACES...

They came from every corner of the land.. those faces. From north and south.. east and west. I watched them.. the faces.

This was the Union of American Hebrew Congregations... and the faces belonged to those who belonged.....

They seemed so strange... so different. They were dark.. and light; young.. and old; handsome.. and not so handsome.. From their lips came the babble of Babel.. in many accents.....

The faces seemed as masks.. for behind the faces were strong opinions.. for and against Hebrew for and against rituals; for and against the NCRAC.....

Behind the mask the eyes looked out.. I wondered how different can you be.. and still work together... I wondered.. and I watched the faces.....

The faces tensed as the convention began... The faces were bored as the meetings droned on.. The faces concentrated at the great speeches... The faces laughed at the light touch.. and at the Youth Pageant the faces wept... in unison....

Then each face began to see.. that the face next to him laughed and wept... when he laughed and wept.. Could they be so different.. and still react the same... in unison?.....

The faces blended together. The Babel became a symphony.... The babble.. a kind of harmony..

No longer foreign.. no longer strangers.. They were working together for a noble task.. dwelling together for a great cause... They and them whom they represented.....

I remembered a song that the youth always sings... and now the adults were learning... and living its meaning.....

"Behold how good, and how pleasant it is.. for brethren to dwell together..... in unity."

CRUCIAL!!!

MAKE NO OTHER PLANS FOR SUNDAY
MAY 10, 1953!

Our Annual Congregational Dinner-Meeting is expecting YOU. The dinner will be served at 6:00 p.m. PROMPTLY. Please fill out the enclosed postcard NOW. The cost is \$2.25 per plate. An excellent meal, and an extremely fine meeting is prepared for you. DON'T MISS IT.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

We are extremely sorry to announce that the Tag B'omer carnival, planned for May, has had to be cancelled.

SAVE THE EIGHTH

Please remember that Friday May 8, will be our Sisterhood Sabbath. We look forward to a moving, and deeply religious service.

CONFIRMATION

Our Confirmation Service will take place Tuesday May 19, at 7:30 p.m. Children from the First Grade upward will participate in the Processional. The girls are asked to wear white or pastel dresses. The boys are asked to have ties and jackets.

TWO HADASSAH NOTICES

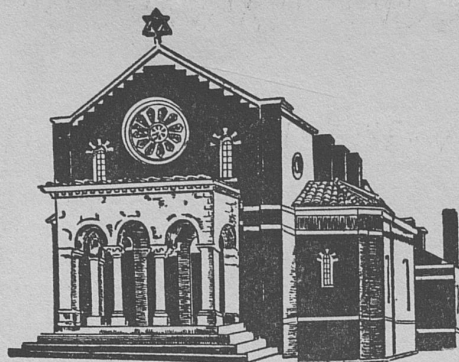
The Lexington Hadassah announces a luncheon for Wed. May 6, at 12:30, in the Temple Vestry. The program will feature a play, "The Wedding of Hadassah and Zion", directed by Mark Hallech. Members are asked to bring linen for the Linen Shower.

The Frankfort Hadassah invites you to a Benefit Cocktail Dance at the home of Mrs. Elliot Marcus, 106 Tanglewood Drive, in Frankfort. The dance (\$2.50 per person) will take place May 23, at 9:00p.m., and will feature an orchestra, refreshments, and a floor show.

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SISTERHOOD SABZATH

FRIDAY MAY 8 1953

SERMON BY

Mrs. James Strauss and Mrs. Stanley Scher

"LOOKING BACKWARD AND FORWARD"

PARTICIPANTS IN THE SERVICE

Mrs. David Bolotin
Mrs. L. K. Frankel
Mrs. Moses Freed
Miss Judy Goldfarb

Miss Delores Levy
Mrs. Ed Wides
Miss Agatha Weil
Mrs. David Weil

YAHZRZEIT

Emma Roos Hammel
Amelia H. Marks

RECEPTION

Immediately after services there will be a reception in the Vestry. The hostesses for this reception are:

Mrs. Sanford Lowenthal Sheryl Joyce Lowenthal

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CONGREGATIONAL DINNER-MEETING

SET FOR MAY 10. IMPORTANT CONSTITUTIONAL CHANGES AHEAD!

(A.I. MAY 6) According to latest reports the Adath Israel Annual Dinner-Meeting promises to be a crucial evening in the lives of the members of that Congregation.

Mrs. Herschel Weil, Chairman of the dinner, announces that the meal will be served promptly at 6:00 p.m. Her statement has made observers here feel that some members may not be served if they follow the old tradition of arriving late.

Mr. Maurice Hymson, retiring president, remarked that the meeting may be as hot as the meal.

In addition to reports by the various presidents, certain Constitutional changes are planned.

There will also be the election of incoming officers, selection of a budget etc. President Hymson will deliver his "STATE OF THE TEMPLE" message, and Rabbi Davis will speak on, "I LOOK TO TOMORROW".

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LOCAL B'NAI B'RITH

Lexington Lodge #289 announces a Scholarship Dance to be held Saturday, May 16, at 9:00 p.m. at the Maxwell Street Center. The admission is \$2.50 per person.

The next B'nai B'rith meeting will take place Wed. May 13, at 8:00 p.m. at the Center.

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CONDOLENCES

The Congregation notes with sorrow the death of Mrs. Sarah A. Miller, and offers its sympathies to Mr. Barney Miller, her son.

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GRATEFULLY

The Congregation wishes to thank Mr. and Mrs. Wolkin for their gift to the RABBI'S FUND.

CONFIRMATION SERVICES TO BEGIN AT 7:30 P.M. TUESDAY, MAY 19.

(A.I. MAY 6) Plans are now completed for the Confirmation Service. It will begin promptly at 7:30. All Sunday School children from the First Grade upward are to be present no later than 7:15. Those arriving later will not be in the processional.

There will be a reception after services in honor of the Confirmants.

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BROTHERHOOD, SISTERHOOD PLAN CLOSING AFFAIRS.

(A.I. MAY 6) The Temple Brotherhood will have its closing meeting Wed. May 20, at 6:45 p.m. It will begin with a dinner, and will feature the installation of officers.

The Sisterhood will call a halt to its formal year with a luncheon meeting Wed. May 27. The program will be announced.

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UNION CONVENTION WELL REPRESENTED BY ADATH ISRAEL.

Mr. Maurice Hymson, and Rabbi Davis represented the Temple, and Mrs. David Weil and Mrs. Hugo Bloomfield represented the Sisterhood at the recent Biennial in New York.

Mrs. Bloomfield was elected to the Board of the National Federation of Temples Sisterhoods.

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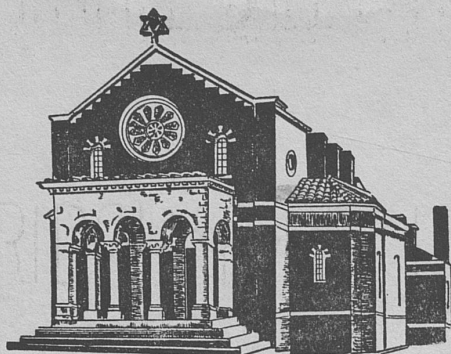
WITH THE RABBI.

Rabbi Davis gave a series of lectures at Caney Jr. College, Pippapass, Ky.

He also led a group of U.K. students to Kentucky State College, where they attacked the infamous DAY LAW, and discrimination at the University of Kentucky.

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CAN REFORM LIVE?

Many people like to say that Reform Judaism needs constant transfusion from those educated in traditional Judaism. Rabbi Davis will discuss this vital question of how "Can Reform Live".

FRIDAY, MAY 15 1953

CANDLE BLESSING

Mrs. Ben Roos

YAHREZEIT

Cecelia Molly Kaufman
Pauline Lipnick



FROM WHERE
I SIT.....

by
Rabbi
Maurice
Davis

THE MORNING AFTER

Let's agree on one thing....
It was the meeting to end all
meetings!

Heartfelt congratulations:

To Janice Weil whose wonderful meal found the shortest path to our hearts;

To Iz and Helen Paritz who made our Temple Vestry a thing of beauty;

To Presidents Vivien Weil, Stan Scher, and David Davis, whose reports testified to the fine work they and their organizations have performed;

To Evelyn Hymson for her splendid work with the Sunday School;

To the retiring officers, Maurice Hymson, Ben Goldfarb, Iz Paritz, and Harold Baker for the tremendous job they did;

To the incoming officers, Ben Goldfarb, Iz Paritz, Irv Kanner, and Jim Frankel, for the work that lies ahead;

To all who labored to make last night the climax of a great year;

But most of all.....

To Maurice Hymson for his super-human feat. But one day removed from the hospital, he stood (and why not?) for a great length of time to paint the picture of our Temple's past, and to urge it into the future. He proved to all of us that his love was equal to his leadership.

It was SOME meeting!

GRATEFULLY

We wish to thank Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Weil for their donation to the Rabbi's Fund, in memory of Mrs. Sara Austin Miller, the mother of Mr. Barney Miller.

CONFIRMATION

At 7:30 P.M., Tuesday, May 19, we shall celebrate Shovuos by having our Confirmation Service. The following students will be confirmed:

Stuart Goldfarb
Barbara Hymson
Barbara Levy
Charlotte Miller
Robert Miller
Gail Wides

Please plan to attend promptly so that the beauty of the processional may not be marred by your tardy entrance.

SUNDAY SCHOOL NEWS

All students from the First Grade through the Eighth Grade are to bring flowers for the Confirmation Processional. A small bouquet of garden flowers is desired.

The students are to meet at the Temple no later than 7:15 p.m. Tuesday, May 19, for this Confirmation Service.

May 17 will be the last day of Sunday School.

May 24 will be the date of the Sunday School picnic. We will meet at the Temple at 9:30 A.M., and from there proceed to the picnic area.

LADIES..... AND GENTLEMEN

The last Brotherhood affair will be on Wednesday May 20, at 6:45 P.M., while the last Sisterhood affair will take place on Wednesday noon, May 27. SAVE THOSE DATES!!!

CONGRATULATIONS

Heartiest congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. James Frankel, Mrs. L.K. Frankel, and Mrs. Slaughter, on the birth of their granddaughter, great granddaughter, and great great granddaughter, Miss Lynne Brodsky who was born to Dr. and Mrs. William Brodsky May 9, in Louisville.

REMEMBER CONFIRMATION MAY 19.

A MESSAGE FROM FORMER PRESIDENT MAURICE HYMSON

After our Congregational Meeting, I could not keep from sending this last note to my many friends and members of Adath Israel.

So warm was the response to my remarks, and so genuine the congratulations, that my efforts for this Temple, little as they might be, were well compensated by the unanimous vote for progress.

I believe that discussion and debate are healthy; and once the problem has been resolved, I believe that our Congregation is mature enough to act and go forward in sound democratic manner.

Again let me thank all of you for giving me this highest honor of our community, the Presidency of Adath Israel. May we resolve to keep our Jewish Community on the high plane that we have in the past, so that our respect, and our position in Lexington will never waver.

My congratulations to the incoming officers. We pledge them our support, that together we shall grow from strength to strength.

Sincerely,
Maurice Hymson

CONGRATULATIONS

Heartiest congratulations to Irv and Ev Levy on the birth of their child David Ray, born on May 11, 1953.

ELECTED

We are proud to announce that Minna Bloomfield has been elected to the Board of the National Federation of Temple Sisterhoods.

"AND A LITTLE CHILD SHALL LEAD THEM"

Below are excerpts taken from two examination papers in Dr. Schwartz' Eighth Grade of our Sunday School. TO BE A GOOD REFORM JEW.....

"To be a good Reform Jew, one should believe, and practice his religion..... A good Jew believes in One God. He is charitable in as many ways as possible.... knows and obeys the Ten Commandments..... should know something about the history of Reform Judaism.. and will realize what a wonderful religion it is..... It is not easy to be a Reform Jew."

Walter Weil

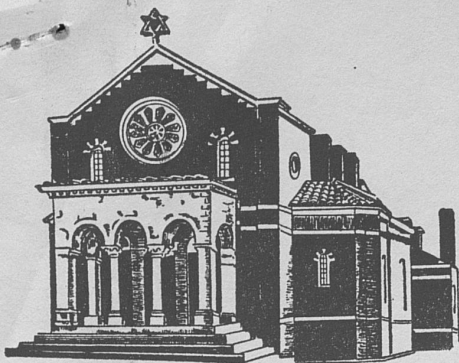
"To be a good Reform Jew, one should celebrate the holidays, not only in Temple, but in the home.... attend services as regularly as possible, but should not make his religion a cloak to be used only in Temple, and then dropped.... a good citizen in his country, his community, and his Temple, obeying the laws, and doing the things that he should. To quote from our prayers, 'It hath been told thee, O man, what is good, and what the Lord doth require of thee; only to do justly, and to love mercy, and to walk humbly with thy God'."

Linda Kanner

BOOKS BOOKS BOOKS BOOKS

The year is drawing to a close. We would greatly appreciate it if you would return all the books that you have borrowed during the year.

Whether the books have been borrowed from the Temple Library, or from the Rabbi's personal library, we would like them brought back by Sunday, May 17, 1953. Book Return Week is HERE!



"Separate Not Thyself From The Congregation"
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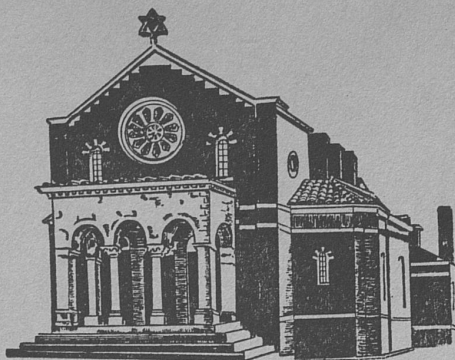
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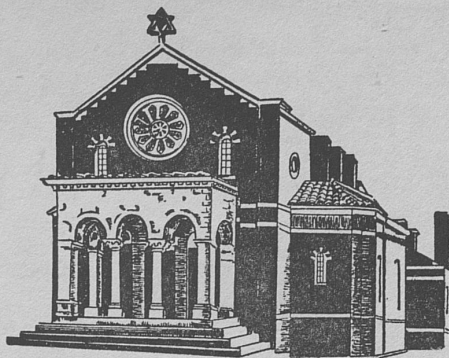
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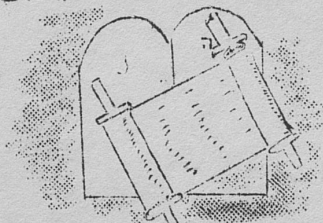
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SABBATH SERVICE

THE MEMORY OF MAN

At this service the Bar Mitzvah
of Stephen Davis will be observed.

FRIDAY MAY 29 1953



CANDLE BLESSING

Mrs. Sam Davis

YAHREZEIT

Mary Levy
Caroline Solomon
J. Ben Romer
Rose Ostrow
Aaron Hymson

RECEPTION

Immediately after service, there will be a reception tendered
by Mr. & Mrs. Sam Davis in honor of the Bar Mitzvah of their
son.

SISTERHOOD

The Sisterhood brought its activities to a close Wednesday, May 27 at the Phoenix Hotel. Mrs. David Weil described her reactions to the NFTS Convention, and outlined new plans for the coming year.

The following officers were elected:

President	Mrs. David Weil
1st. V.P.	Mrs. Matt Barrett
2nd. V.P.	Mrs. Harold Baker
3rd. V.P.	Mrs. I.A. Paritz
Rec. Sec.	Mrs. Sam Davis
Cor. Sec.	Mrs. I.H. Stern Jr.
Treasurer	Mrs. Milton Baer
Parliamentarian	Mrs. M. Weil

The following were elected as chairmen of standing committees:

Uniongrams	Mrs. David Bolotin
Sunday School	Mrs. David Paritz
ByLaws	Mrs. S. Miller
Ceremonials	Mrs. Al Strauss
Ways/Means	Mrs. Matt Barrett

GRADUATIONS

We are happy to offer our heartiest congratulations to the following boys and girls on their graduation from High School:

Leslie Aberson	Stanley Levy
Connie Goldberg	Jack Miller
	Sidney Steinberg

The following students this year graduate from college:

Henry Abraham	Malcolm Cole
Jerry Bass	Gene DuBow
Sandy Bederman	Ivan Goldfarb
Julie Blumenthal	Sue Neuman
Barbara Cohen	Judy Sonnabend
Elaine Cohen	Gloria Travis
	Kitty Zuckerman

BELATEDLY

With deep apologies at having missed a 'simcha', we wish to congratulate Mr. and Mrs. Wolf Rosenberg on their son's marriage.

Stan and Doris Rosenberg have moved to Lexington, where we look forward to welcoming them into the Jewish community. A hearty if belated 'mazel tov'.

BROTHERHOOD

The final meeting was a huge success, with over forty members in attendance. Retiring president, Stan Scher, summed up the accomplishments of the year.

Mr. I.A. Paritz, Vice President of the Temple, installed the newly elected officers of the Brotherhood:

President	Dr. Sanford Lowenthal
Vice Pres.	Robert Mickler
Secretary	Ernst Rosenzweig
Treasurer	Sam Davis

We wish to offer these men our heartiest congratulations, and wish them a year of fine leadership, and success.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

We take great pleasure in announcing that Mr. and Mrs. Ben Cohen of Paris invite the Jewish Community to the wedding of their daughter Elaine, to Mr. Harold Brown.

The wedding ceremony will take place at the Temple on Sunday, June 14, at 4:00 P.M.

SABBATH SERVICES

With this BULLETIN, we announce the close of the late evening Sabbath Services. Beginning on June 5, services will be held at 7:30 p.m., with members of the Congregation reading the service.

Post-cards, announcing each Yahrzeit, will be mailed weekly.

NFTY ELECTIONS

The last meeting of the year for our Temple Youth Group will take place Saturday, May 30, at 7:30 P.M. Elections will be held and plans formulated for the coming year.

BOOKS BOOKS BOOKS

Time is fleeing! Several of you have neglected to return books that you have borrowed from the Library, and from the Rabbi. PLEASE!

FROM WHERE I SIT

Smile! Relax! This is the last column I have to write this year... and the last one that you have to read!... NOTICE-- When you have finished this BULLETIN place it down gently..... That's all there..... until next fall.....

Because this is the end.. there are a few things I would like to say to you... Relax and read it.... I dare you.....

First of all there have been some changes made. Our Friday Evening Service has several... reading from the Torah... members reciting the blessings over it... receptions in the Vestry after services. There is no longer a mad dash to the door when services are ended... Friday night has become Temple night... and that is why our attendance has tripled.

We changed the format of the children's service for the High Holy Days.. and the service for Confirmation.... We have weekday Hebrew classes... and this week we shall have the first Bar Mitzvah in the history of Adath Israel.....

Now.. ask yourself this question... Have these changes occasioned the great hullabaloo with which we were threatened? Has the air been filled with accusations and counter-accusations? Of course not. We have discussed these matters.... We have argued about them... but where was the acrimony and the bitterness? There just wasn't any... nor was there any need for it.....

Oh, I suppose there are still a few people who see DARK CONSPIRACIES in every difference of opinion... who speak of SYNDICATES controlling the election (even though 99 out of 160 members of the Congregation mailed in ballots this year.. for a new record in democracy).... who think that every disagreement is diabolically conceived.....

This is just plain silly. What we have here is a Temple of 160 families... faced with the same goals... and the same problems... and differing ways of solving those problems... and reaching those goals.....

But we will never see those problems solved... we will never realize those goals... until we clear our minds of fuzzy thinking.... and wipe the cobwebs of suspicion from our eyes.....

This Temple has a number of ancient feuds in which I am not at all interested..... because they are out-of-date.... because they no longer make sense.... because they are a waste of time.....

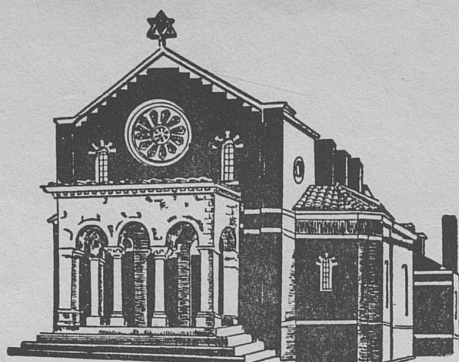
I think they are on the downgrade.... I think most of the foolishness is over..... I think we are beginning to function as a team.... as a family....

This is the growth of Adath Israel that pleases me..... even with its growing pains..... So..... Relax! Smile! We are all on the same side.... and our side is winning.... It has been a good year.....

Have a nice summer... enjoy my vacation... and wait till you see next year.....

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EVE OF ROSH HA-SHONO
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CHILDREN'S SERVICE

SEPT. 9 27
SEPT. 10 28
SEPT. 10-28

8:00 P.M.
10:00 A.M.
1:30 P.M.

SHABBOS SHUVO

SEPT. 11-Oct. 1

8:00 P.M.

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MAY GLADNESS REIGN

AND JOY INCREASE

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

We are extremely happy to welcome a group of new members into the fellowship of our Congregation. We sincerely hope that the coming year will afford all of us the opportunity to make new friends, and to unite in friendship.

Mr. and Mrs. Randy Altman
Dr. and Mrs. Maurice Davis
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Goldenberg
Mr. and Mrs. Mark Halleck
Mr. Hyman Hymson
Mr. and Mrs. Sol Levy
Mr. and Mrs. I.A. Miller
Mr. and Mrs. Sol Mocerf
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stern

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Mrs. Herschel Weil, Principal of our Religious School announces that opening day will be Sunday, September 13, at 9:30 A.M.

It will combine registration with the first day session. All parents are urged to send or bring the registration fee that morning.

SEASON'S OPENER

The Lexington Chapter of B'nai B'rith with Dr. Sherman Miller as President, will begin the year with a dinner to be held at the Lafayette Hotel, Sunday September 6, at 6:30.

Mr. Lawrence Williams, President of the District Grand Lodge, will be the speaker of the evening.

All members of B'nai B'rith their wives and friends, are urged to attend this meeting, and to give testimony to the fact that they believe in the good work that our B'nai B'rith has been doing and is capable of doing in the future.

B'nai B'rith belongs to the ENTIRE Jewish Community. Do YOU belong to it?

CORRECTION:

PLEASE CHANGE ALL SEPTEMBER 20 DATES TO SEPTEMBER 19 ON COVER PAGE.

SISTERHOOD STARTS

Mrs. David Weil, President of our Temple Sisterhood, announces with pleasure, the opening meeting of the year.

It will be a luncheon meeting at the Temple, 12:30 P.M. on September 30. The program will consist of a reading of THE FOUR POSTER, by Lucille Little and Frank Johnston of the Studio Players.

We hope that all members, prospective members, and friends will attend this affair.

OPEN HOUSE

Rabbi and Mrs. Maurice Davis (Marion and Maurie) are happy to invite the Congregation to their home, on the afternoon of Rosh Ha-Shono.

They will be "at home" from 2:30 P.M. to 5:30 P.M., and they sincerely hope that every member of the Congregation will be able to drop in on them.

TEEN AGE TOPICS

Our National Leadership Training Institute, sponsored by NTTY, was attended this year by David Davis, Connie Goldberg, and Jonas Weil. Each of them spent twelve days at Oconomowoc, Wisconsin, and returned, thrilled with the beauty and the greatness of the Institutes.

Over the week-end of August 27, our Temple Youth Group was represented at a Regional Conclave near Indianapolis. This was OVFTY (Translation-Ohio Valley Federation of Temple Youth). David Davis, Stuart Goldfarb, Barbara Hymson, Barbara Levy, and "Joe" Weil attended.

COOL COOL RABBI

We thought you'd like to know that during this past heat wave, your rabbi has not been sweltering. His office is pleasantly cool.

The reason is a beautiful air-conditioning unit which was donated to the Congregation by Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Abraham. Many, many thanks.

TEMPLE ADATH ISRAEL

September 2, 1953

Dear Member:

At the last regular meeting of the Board of Directors of Temple Adath Israel, I was asked to bring certain matters to your attention. I take this opportunity to do so.

Our High Holy Day Services will follow the schedule that appears in this week's Bulletin. Please save that Bulletin as a reminder.

It was further discussed at our meeting that this year we establish the policy of NOT holding or reserving sets for these services. In the interest of fairness, those arriving first will be seated first. If a family is waiting for someone to park the car, we suggest that the family wait outside so that they might all enter together.

We sincerely hope that this will cause no inconvenience, and we hope also that all our members will arrive early enough before the time of service.

It is with great pleasure that we announce the results of our Dues increase project. At this date there are only eleven families that have not as yet accepted their increase. Out of a congregation of one hundred and sixty families, this is an enviable record. We only hope that the remaining eleven will help us make a record of one hundred percent co-operation.

We come to the start of a new season, and on behalf of your Temple Board, your Rabbi joins me in wishing a very happy New Year to you.

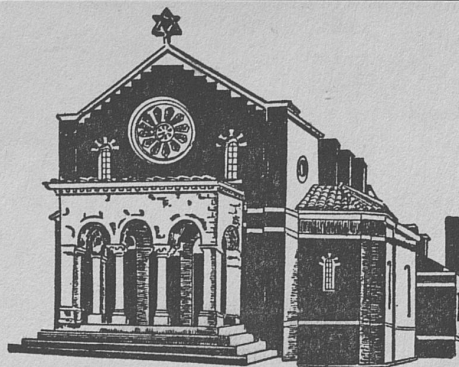
Very Sincerely Yours,

Irving Kanner

Dr. Irving Kanner
Secretary

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FRIDAY

SEPT. 18

8 P.M.

"PEACE IS NOT DEAD"

יּוֹם כִּיּוּר

SATURDAY

SEPT. 19

10 A.M.

"WHAT IMMORTALITY
MEANS TO ME"

TEMPLE BEAUTIFYERS

Our thanks go to Norman and Ed Wides for the beautiful iron railing which serves so decorative and useful a purpose in front of our Temple.

The lovely gift of the new Torah, and pulpit decoration came from the estate of the late Bob Strauss, who had thus desired to help beautify our Temple.

GRATEFULLY.....

The Temple wishes to thank Dr. and Mrs. Charles Schwartz for their donation to the RABBI'S FUND, in memory of Maurice Savasky.

NFTY BEGINS

The first meeting of our Temple Youth Group took place Sunday, Sept. 13, at the home of President David Davis. Plans were made for the coming events, which include Religious Services, cultural programs, and THE PROJECT!

FESTIVAL CALENDAR

Kol Nidre Service
Friday, Sept. 18, at 8:00 P.M.
Yom Kippur Service
Saturday, Sept. 19, at 10:00 A.M.
Children's Service
Saturday, Sept. 19, at 1:30 P.M.
Afternoon Service
Saturday, Sept. 19, at 2:30 P.M.
Memorial and Concluding
Saturday, Sept. 19, at 4:00 P.M.
Succos Service
Wednesday, Sept. 23, at 8:00 P.M.
Consecration Service
Wednesday, Sept. 30, at 7:00 P.M.

YOUTH SYMPHONY

We wish to remind the Congregation that the Central Kentucky Youth Symphony Orchestra is a movement of which we all should be proud. It greatly enriches the cultural life of our community, and certainly deserves your moral, and financial support. .

STRONG REQUEST

This request is made to ALL JEWISH ORGANIZATION IN LEXINGTON! Please clear all dates for your events throughout the year, with Mrs. Herschel Weil, Chairman of the Presidents' Council. Phone: 2-2084

SISTERHOOD SNAP SHOTS

Our Sisterhood has been active throughout the summer, even though their first meeting is yet to be held.

In August, under the chairmanship of Mrs. Ben Shraberg, a dinner party in the Temple Gardens was held, in honor of our new members. It was a tremendous success.

The Brownie Group is organizing, and plans for their first meeting have already been made.

Mrs. I. Jay Miller, and Mrs. Marvin Meyers have made arrangements for our annual RUMMAGE SALE, to be held in October.

The opening meeting of Sisterhood will take place on September 30, at 12:30. The program will be a reading of "THE FOUR POSTER".

ALL RECORDS BROKEN

The Sunday School reports that a new high in registration took place last Sunday. Ninety children have already registered, and Mrs. Herschel Weil, Principal, announced that there are still a few yet to register.

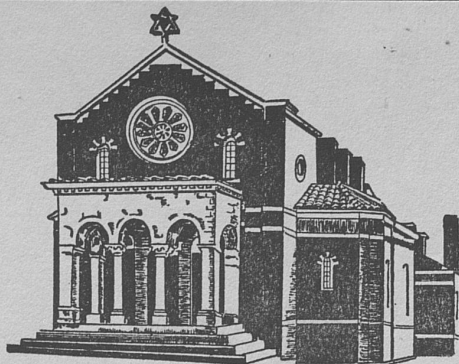
She predicts that we shall enroll between 95 and 100 students during the coming weeks.

COUNCIL STARTS

The first meeting of the Council of Jewish Women will be held in our Temple, Wednesday, Sept. 23, at 12:30. It will be a luncheon meeting. Mrs. Charles Schwartz announces that plans for the entire year will be presented at that time.

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THE HOUSE
WE LIVE IN

CANDLE BLESSING: MRS. IRVING KANNER

FRIDAY

8 P.M.

SEPT. 25

SABBATH

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SERMON:

SERVICES

NO THANKS

THE HOUSE
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CANDLE BLESSING:

MRS. BEN

ROOS



FRIDAY

8 P.M.

SEPT.

FROM
WHERE
I
SIT

By Rabbi Maurice Davis

There are so many people that I would like to thank.....So many people who worked long and hard to help make our High Holy Day Services a thing of beauty.....

The women who blessed the candles. the men who occupied the pulpit...the ushers who helped maintain the decorum of the service...the choir that sang so beautifully.....the President of the Congregation....the Chairman of the Religious Committee who helped plan the format of the service.....

To name them all would take up the entire Bulletin...to name just some of them would be horribly unfair....so....

From all of us...to all of you.... heartfelt thanks..again.....

It is good to see a congregation united in prayer.....

It is good to see a congregation joined in common purpose.....

My only wish is that..... during the coming year...we may continue to work together...pray together..... because.....

If our hearts are united...and our hands are united....we can do anythingbut fail.

SCHEDULE!

Wed. Sept. 23	8:00 P.M.
SUCCOS SERVICE	
Friday Sept. 25	8:00 P.M.
SABBATH SERVICE	
Wednesday Sept. 30	7:00 P.M.
CONSECRATION SERVICE	
Friday October 2	8:00 P.M.
SABBATH SERVICE	

SISTERHOOD

Ladies! Don't forget the opening Sisterhood Luncheon-Meeting. It will take place at the Temple, Wednesday September 30, at 12:30 P.M. Please make every effort to attend.

CONSECRATION

On Wednesday, Sept. 30, at 7 P.M. we shall have our annual Consecration Service. During that service, each of the members of the Nursery Class will be brought to the pulpit, for the Rabbi's blessing.

We MUST have all of the children of that class..and all of the children of the Sunday School in the Vestry by 6:45 P.M.

PARENTS! Do us all a favor, and get them here on time. The service itself will be brief, and we do want to start on time.

After the service, there will be a reception for the youngsters, in honor of the Nursery Class.

SUNDAY SCHOOL NEWS

Registration, this last Sunday reached NINETY-FIVE. This is ten more than our previous high record, and indications are that we still might reach the hundred mark this year.

The First Grade is building a beautiful Succah in its room.

The Second Grade, by stringing popcorn and cherries oats is helping to decorate the Temple Succah.

The Third Grade is making individual Succos to take home.

Hebrew classes began last Sunday, and the reaction of the youngsters was wonderful.

The Confirmation Class has tentatively chosen subjects for their theses. These will be voted on in a few days.

Imagine! NINETY-FIVE STUDENTS!!

WEEKDAY CLASSES

The Rabbi announces that, starting in October, there will be week-day classes in Hebrew for all who want them. We have been besieged with request..... from the boys and girls. They shall have their wish.

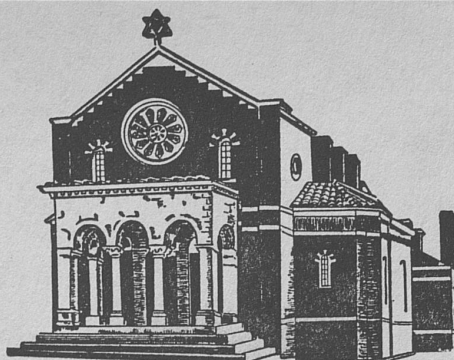
WOW!!

Beginning with our next BULLETIN, we shall be happy to present a BRAND NEW idea. We shall have a comic strip, which will depict the life of an imaginary member of our Congregation. Hang on. This is tremendous!!!

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CONSECRATION

Our service for the close of Succos will be
the Consecration of all the children
who this year, have entered our
Nursery School

WEDNESDAY

7 PM

SEPT. 30

CANDLE BLESSING

MRS. AL STRAUS

A RECEPTION



WILL FOLLOW

A WORLD IS BORN
FRI. 8 P.M. OCT. 2

CANDLE BLESSING

MRS. S. LOWENTHAL

YACHRZEET

Millie Bloomfield

Bessie D. Miller

Hanna Silver

Phil Straus

Lewis Vollstein

CONSECRATION

We are happy to announce that the following children will be Consecrated at our Concluding Service for Succos, Wednesday September 30, at 7:30 P.M.

Jay David Bolotin
Jay Robert Davis
Robert E. Davis
Martha Claire Fields
Deborah Krall
Frederick Levy
Michael Mayer
Roy Paul Meyers
Julie Mickler
Sharon Faye Mocerf
Ralph Rabin
Jay David Rosenberg
Emily Shraberg
William W. Strauss

CONDOLENCES

The Congregation expresses its sympathy to Mrs. Warren Rosenthal on the sudden death of her brother-in-law, Oscar Glaser Jr.

CONTRIBUTIONS

We are pleased to record the following contributions to the RABBI'S FUND:

From Mr. and Mrs. Sam Milner for the rapid recovery of Gloria Baker Siegel.

From Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wolkin, in appreciation for our HIGH HOLY DAY SERVICES.

From Mrs. Yetta Kravetz in memory of her daughters, Celia Kravetz and Gertrude Kravetz Fox.

For the MAX BERMAN LIBRARY FUND:

From Mrs. Rebecca Perman and daughter, in memory of Max Berman.

ADVERTISEMENT

Our FLOWER FUND is now extinct. The beauty that flowers provide for our Sabbath Services will be gone, unless further donations are forthcoming immediately. Please mail all contributions to Mrs. Ben Cohen, Paris, Kentucky.

SISTERHOOD

The opening Board Meeting of our Sisterhood was held in the home of the President, Mrs. David Weil, Monday September 28.

The first general meeting of the year will take place Wednesday, September 30, at 12:30 P.M. at the Temple.

The program will consist of a reading of "THE FOUR POSTER", by Mrs. Paul Little, and Frank Johnston of the Studio Players.

BROTHERHOOD

Brotherhood held its first Board Meeting at the Temple, Tuesday, Sept. 29, at 7:30 P.M. with President Sanford Lowenthal presiding. Plans were made for the opening meeting which will take place October 14.

NOTE TO ALL MEMBERS

In this week's Bulletin you will find a post card addressed to the Temple. The purpose of that card is to ascertain whether you would like to say the Blessing over the Torah, at some service throughout the year. Please fill out the card, and return it to us promptly, so that we might have a file of those whom we might thus honor in the future.

NOTE TO ALL NON MEMBERS

You, also, received a post card. Our mailing list has grown considerably during the past year. We are happy to send Bulletins to all who desire them, but we must make certain that you want the Bulletin.

Please fill out the card, and return to us immediately, so that we might revise our mailing lists.

HILLEL OPENS SEASON

The first meeting of Hillel was held at the Temple, Sunday, Sept. 27. A Succos Service was followed by a business meeting, and an evening of PAPER BAG CHARADES.

The dinner was prepared by Mrs. Ben Levy, and Mrs. Martin Greenfield.

FROM WHERE I SIT by RABBI MAURICE DAVIS

This is probably the only BULLETIN in existence where the editorial comments, and the comic strip appears on the same page.....This is probably the only BULLETIN in existence that has editorial comments, and a comic strip anywhere at all.....

And yet.....we feel that this column, and THE ADVENTURES OF HOMER WUNK might have something in common. We both are going to talk about the Congregation. We both are aiming at a kind of Temple life that will someday be as warm, and as friendly, and as co-operative as we want it to be.

I imagine that Homer will wander in and out of Temple affairs, and it may be that he will have something to say about them. We are not quite sure what Homer will do from time to time. All that we know is that he is a member of our Temple...an active member. And we hope that he will be interested in its welfare.....

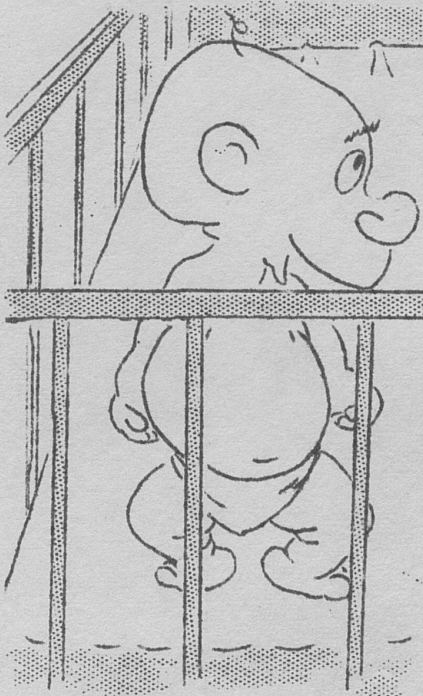
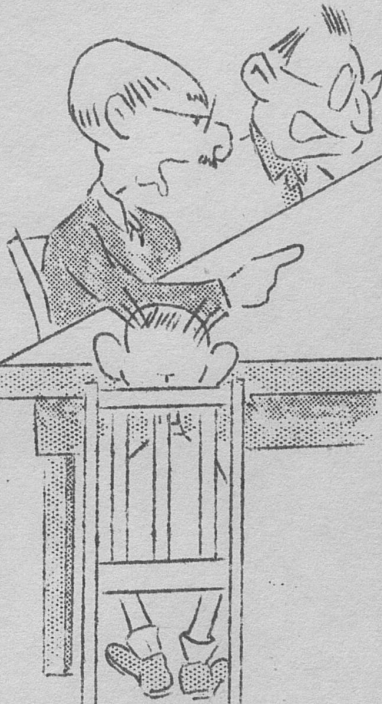
Narvin N. Nudnik, the author of Homer, has promised to record faithfully all of Homer's hopes, his dreams, his aspirations.....

From where I sit, I think I will enjoy his traipsings. Who knows? We may even get to like him???

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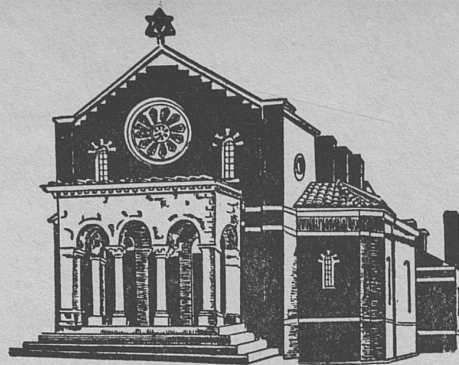
HOMER WUNK

by
NARVIN
N.
NUDNIK

		
Having been born at an early age, Homer joined our Congregation.	At the age of 6, he was elected to the Bd. of Dir. (Syndicate?)	From which he rose to membership at Boiling Springs.

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THE TOWER THAT FAILED

FRIDAY

OCTOBER 9

8 P M



Reception immediately following
the service.



Hostesses: Mrs. Maurice Davis, Mrs.
Charles Schwartz, Mrs. Ernst Rosenzweig,
Mrs. Ben Shraberg and Mrs. David Ades.



Gertrude G. Fox Sadie Kanarek
Lena Moses Max Munich
Morris Rodman Jean Romer
Govriel Rosenthal

FROM

WHERE

I

SIT

by

Rabbi Maurice Davis

We just received some very wonderful news.....

As you know... our Lexington Community Chest is about to begin...There is nothing new about that...There is nothing new about a community working together for the betterment of the entire community.....

But there is something new about this one....You see....tonight there will be a kick-off dinner for all the team captains.

And that's the news....For tonight that dinner will be for ALL the team captains...regardless of the color of the skin.

Perhaps you did not know...but until this year, the community has welcome the aid of the Negro members..The Negroes were solicited..the Negroes were asked to solicity..but they were never allowed to eat with the other workers.....

Tonight...that will be changed..... Tonight....the citizens of our community who talk so well of democracy will put it into action.....

I don't know if our drive this year will raise more money than last year. I don't know if it will reach its quota

But I do know that it will be the most successful one that we have ever had...and it may be that Lexington will reach its quota of our democracy..... thanks to people like Herschel Weil who put up a wonderful fight for this kind of democracy...the only real kind there is.....

A HELPING HAND

Now, let's get out there, and support the COMMUNITY CHEST with a renewed vigor. This is OUR community. This is OUR responsibility. This is OUR challenge.

GIFT

Many thanks to Mrs. S.K. Frankel for her gift of books to our Temple Library.

TYKES' PEEK

The 8th Grade debate, RESOLVED: THAT OUR PEOPLE ARE HAPPIER TODAY, THAN TWO HUNDRED YEARS AGO: ended in a tie. The affirmative side was defended by Bob Kanarek, Bob Miller, and Nancy Shraberg. The Negative side was handled by Mike Ades, Steve Davis and June Michalove. The class also elected Mike Ades as President, and Steve Davis as Treasurer.

The Sunday School Religious Committee has the following members: Susan Munich Reese Michalove, Billy Shraberg, and Nancy Shraberg.

The Sunday School Program Committee is composed of Steve Davis, Bob Kanarek, Linda Kanner, Debbie Milner, David Weil.

LITTLE SCHOLARS

Once again we are happy to announce our week-day Hebrew classes.. Hebrew 'A' has the following members: Janet Cohen, Joe Miller, Ronnie Rosenberg, Judy Schwartz and David Weil.

Hebrew 'B' is composed of Dolores Levy, Freda Miller, Susan Munich, and Agatha Weil.

Registration is still open for all those who wish to enroll.

HAPPY DAYS

The Congregation extends its heartest congratulations to Jane and Kenny Hart on the arrival of Andrew Russell Hart. Best wishes go also to Dr. and Mrs. Joseph Liebman on the birth of their daughter, Sarah Joan.

GRATEFULLY

The Congregation wishes to thank Mr. and Mrs. Ben Roos for their donation to the RABBI'S FUND, in memory of Mr. and Mrs. August E. Hammel.

LADIES

This week, the Sisterhood would like to feature the story of their **CANCER SURGICAL DRESSING UNIT**. This committee, with Mrs. Barney Miller as chairman is one of the most dependable groups that we have. The committee consists of Mesdames:

L.K. Frankel	James Frankel
Milton Baer	Charles Stern
Irvin Stern Jr.	William Michalove
David Ades	Hillard Aberson
Loura Wittgentstein	Jonas Weil

Mrs. Weil is the real veteran of the group.

During the summer, this group met weekly. Their main project was to put cotton into gauze for bandages, preparing them into packages of twenty-five and fifty, labelling them, and mailing them. Their minor project was to keep up with the news of the community, to enjoy themselves, and to realize that they were, and are performing a wonderful service.

and

GENTLEMEN

At the last Board meeting of the Brotherhood, the following chairmen were announced:

Harry Miller - Membership	Hyman Shraberg - Finance
Mark Halleck - Chanukah Carnival	Irving Stern Jr. - Hospitality
Warren Rosenthal - Food	Harold Baker - Chautauqua
Ernst Rosenzweig - Publicity	

WHAT'S NU?

First Brotherhood Meeting will be held Oct. 14, 1953 at 7:30 in the Temply Vestry. A delicious steak dinner with all the trimmings, will be served. The speaker of the evening will be MR. DAVID ADES.

FLASH: To all good people of Lexington: At last it has happened! Dr. Irving Kanner shot a 44 on Sunday at Boiling Springs. Cangrats!!

GOOD LUCK: to Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Bloomfield on their new enterprise!!

BIG SENSATION: Sam Davis broke 100 last Thursday..at bowling. Many happy returns, and what about Gin Rummy??

Ed Kessler hit the newspapers, even if it was only in a paid ad. He looked good in the picture. Best of luck to Ed, and congrats on his wife's birthday!

MYSTERIOUS NEWS: Through the grape vine, we have learned that former member Sid Sholl opened a "ready to wear" business in Charlotte, North Carolina. Lots of Luck!!!

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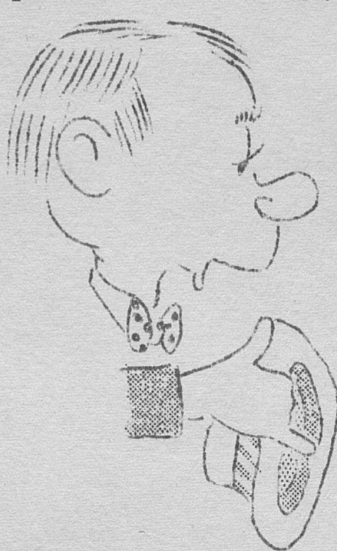
HOMER WUNK

BY MARVIN
N.
NUDNIK

A NOTE FROM MARVIN NUDNIK:

Dear Reader,

So many people have asked us about the family of HOMER, that we would like to introduce them to you. Incidentally, they had planned to have more children... until they



heard of the Temple Dues increase.....

Introducing HYACINTH, the very flower of womanhood. Extremely active in all civic and Congregational affairs, her finger is on the pulse of the Sisterhood, and her nose is in every one's business. She has a strong sense of duty, and would get off her death-bed for a luncheon or a Mah Jong game with the 'girls'. Homer takes her on all his trips. We think, perhaps, it is because she is just too ugly to kiss good-by.



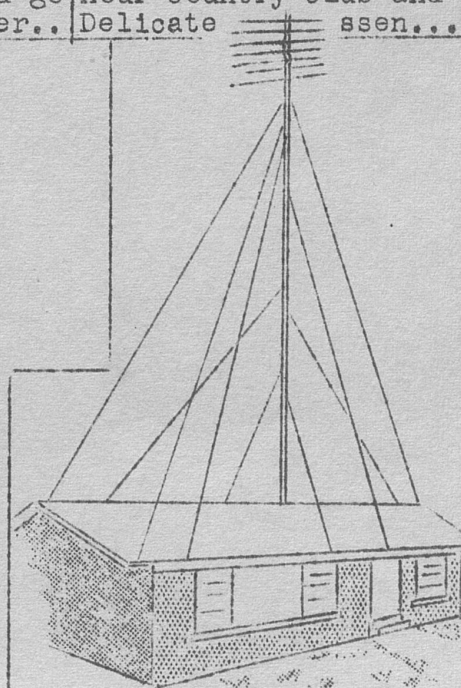
Here is their delightful son, JULIAN FLYNN. 9 yrs. old, interested in basketball fixes and Kinsey, top gin player, outstanding prospect for the BROTHE R HOOD BOARD...



MILDEW is a child of charm and beauty (also a child of HOMER and HYACINTH) Wherever she goes, people stop to stare, and go raving mad over her..



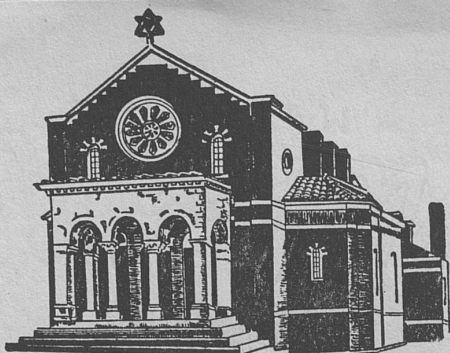
This is their ranch home on PRINCE WAY DRIVE. Two bathrooms and picture window overlooking Shmidle Hour Country Club and Delicate ssen...



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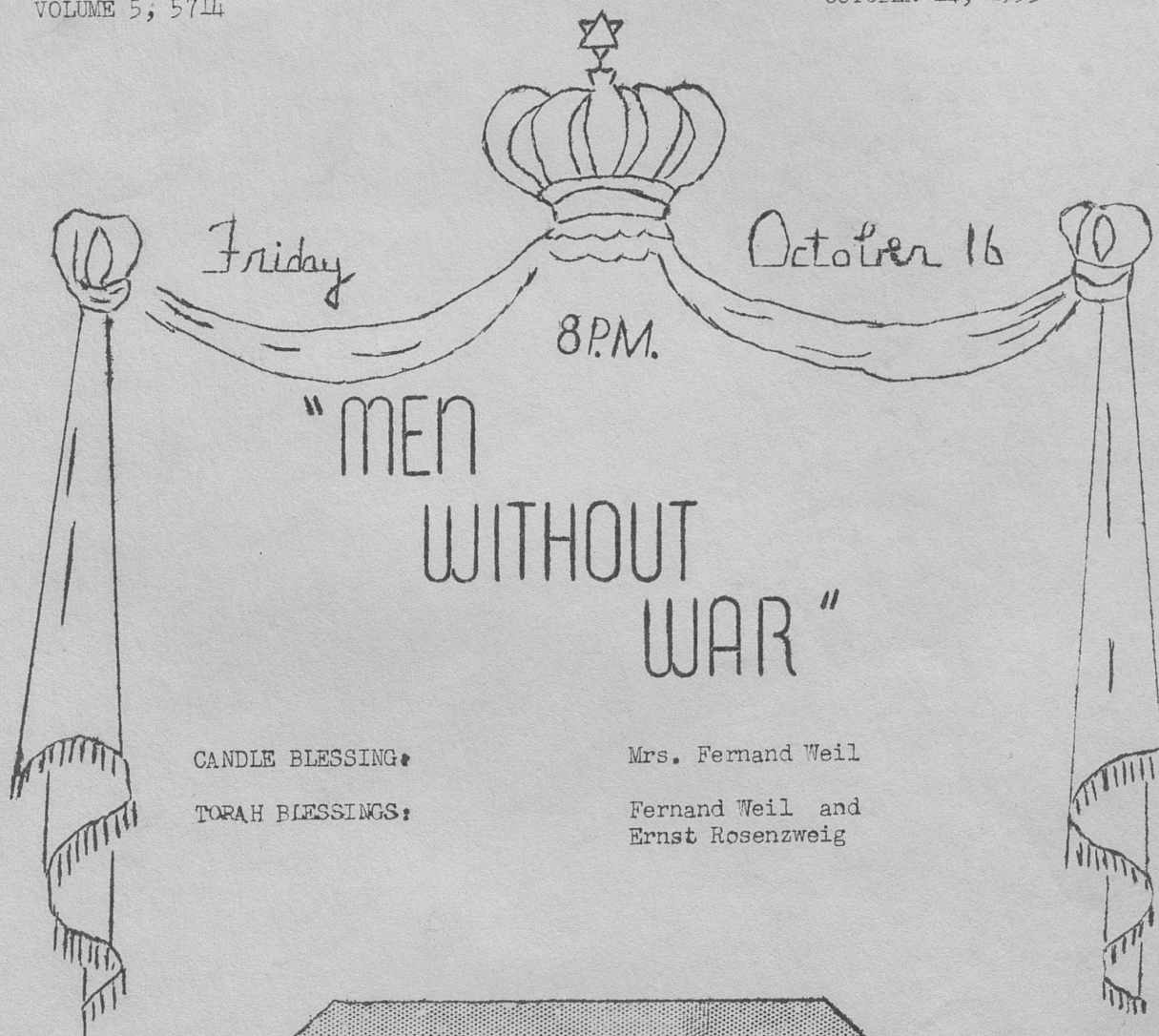


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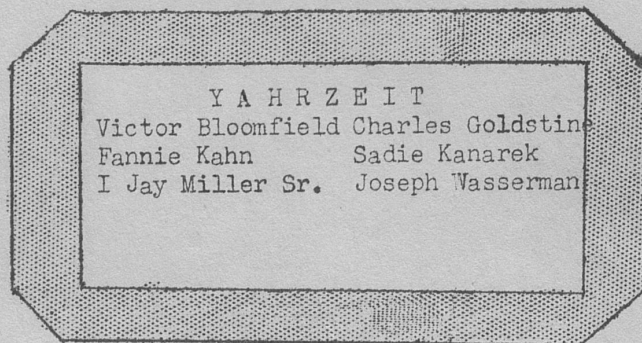


CANDLE BLESSING:

Mrs. Fernand Weil

TORAH BLESSINGS:

Fernand Weil and
Ernst Rosenzweig



Y A H R Z E I T

Victor Bloomfield Charles Goldstine
Fannie Kahn Sadie Kanarek
I Jay Miller Sr. Joseph Wasserman

FROM

WHERE

I

SIT

by

Rabbi Maurice Davis



It is bad enough that almost everything we learn...we have to learn the hard way...It is ten times worse that...even then...we fail to learn.....

How many times has it been brought home to us that life is frail...short..uncertain? How many times has it been shown to us...that in such an uncertainty there is no time for pettiness?..... We just do not have the time to waste on littleness....It is a luxury we cannot afford.

There are so many tragedies that are not of our making...that it seems to me to be a gross injustice...and a vast stupidity to create our own little man made tragedies...

Don't we have enough to contend with? Is there not enough tears and heart-aches? FROM WHERE I SIT, it would seem that we should begin to live our lives with an extra portion of love and friendship...for that is the one product that we can create...and that is the one product that there is always a shortage of.....

OUR ENTIRE CONGREGATION mourns the passing of Gloria Baker Siegel, and extends to Mrs. Morris Baker, Mrs. Maurice Hymson, and to Harold Baker, its profound sympathy.

IN ANSWER TO THE REQUEST of several members of our Congregation, we announce the establishment of the GLORIA BAKER SIEGEL FUND.

This FUND will be used in a manner to be decided upon by the Rabbi and the family of Gloria Baker Siegel, who passed away Thursday, October 8, 1953.

THE BROWNIES HELD THEIR FIRST meeting on October 6, in the Temple Vestry.

OUR TEMPLE SISTERHOOD wishes to remind all members of the Congregation that the festival of Chanukah will occur on Tuesday, December 1. Because it is so early this year, there is a very real chance that members will be without the necessary decorations, candles, wrapping paper, etc. Therefore, please call Mrs. Irvin Levy, 2-8965, at your very earliest convenience. She will be happy to take your order.

OUR SISTERHOOD WILL hold its annual rummage sale from October 17 through October 23. Headquarters will be at the corner of Todd and Georgetown Sts. Mrs. I. J. Miller, and Mrs. Marvin Meyers are Co-Chairmen. They ask that rummage be brought to the above address on Friday, October 16.

THE TEMPLE BROTHERHOOD WILL hold its opening meeting on Wednesday October 14, at 6:30 P.M. in the Temple Vestry. Mr. David Ades will be the guest speaker.

THE COUNCIL OF JEWISH WOMEN announces that its next meeting will take place in the Temple Vestry on Wednesday October 14 at 12:30 P.M. Mrs. James Frankel, program chairman, has arranged for Dr. Charles Diehl, and Miss Ellen Drake to discuss a SPEECH AND HEARING PROGRAM in Kentucky.

THE COUNCIL DANCE WILL take place October 22, at the Phoenix Ballroom. Reservations can be obtained by calling Mrs. Louis Rosenberg, 2-8592, or Mrs. William Michalove, 3-4295.

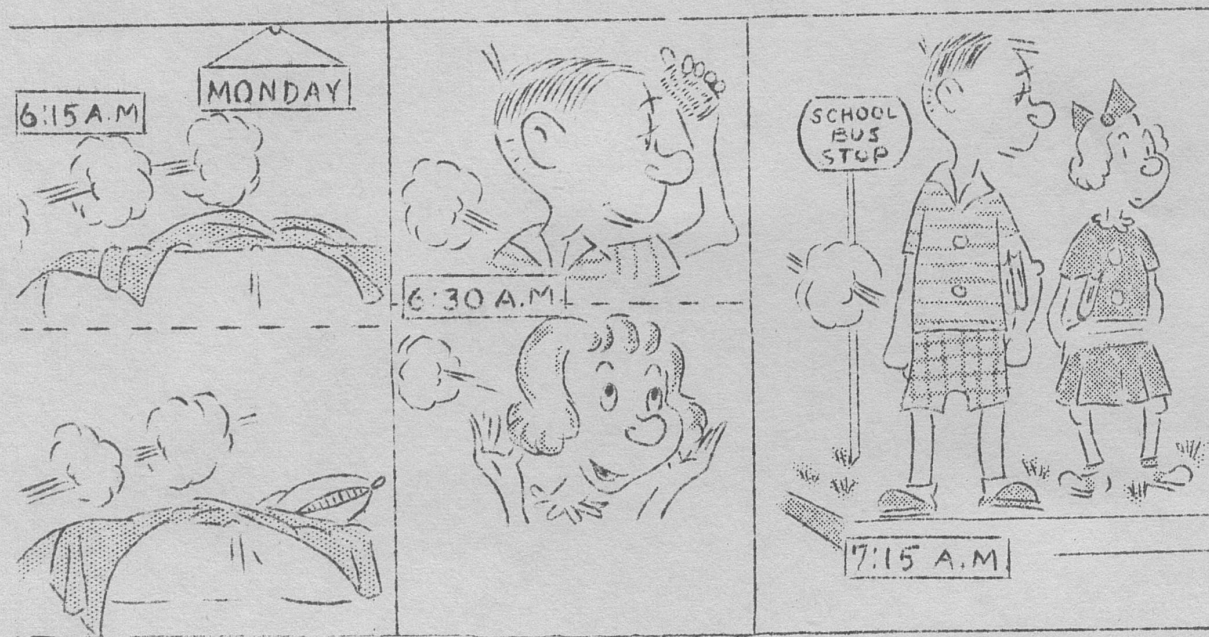
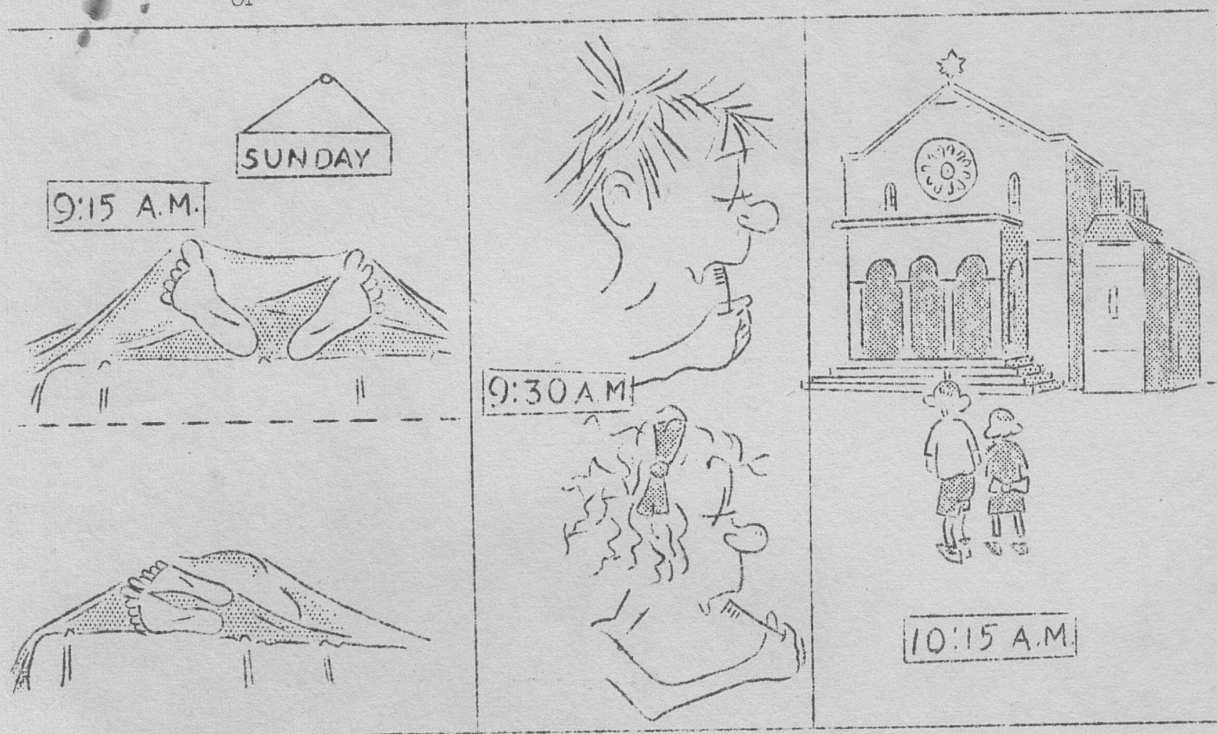
OUR TEMPLE YOUTH GROUP is busy on several fronts. They are hard at work on the annual project...still a dark secret. They are also in the midst of preparing for the Youth Service. Saturday, October 10, they were guest of the Maxwell St. Presbyterian Church at a Square Dance.

WE GRATEFULLY ACCEPT the kind donation to the RABBI'S FUND from Mr. and Mrs. N. Rattner of Royal Oak, Michigan. The Rattners, parents to Mrs. Sam Milner of Paris, were our guests for the High Holy Days.

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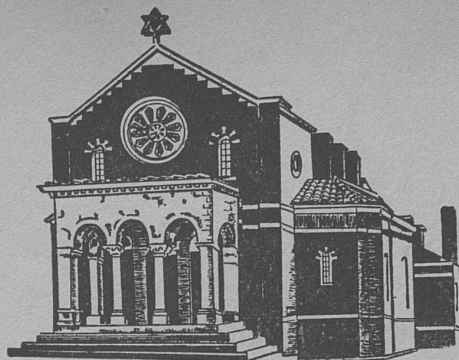
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RABBI MAURICE DAVIS

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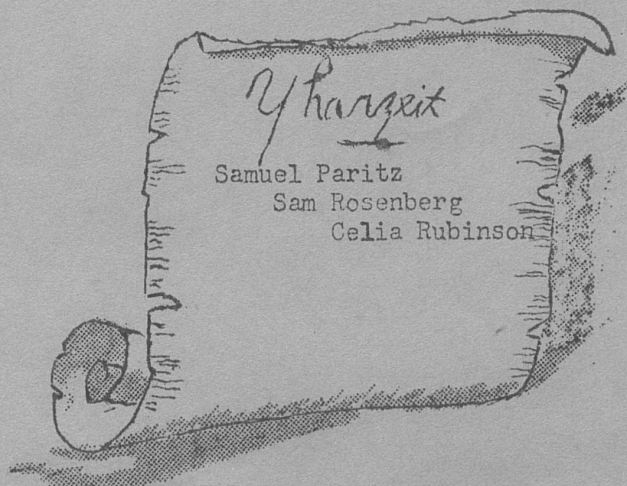
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Mrs. David Bolotin

TORAH BLESSINGS BY:

Hugo Bloomfield and Harold Jacobson

RECEPTION: MRS. SAM DAVIS ASSISTED BY
Mrs. Leo Michaels and Mrs. Ed. Wides



FROM
WHERE
I
SIT

by
Rabbi Maurice Davis

Well...the Community is going to have a dinner...The Community is going to meet together at the Phoenix Hotel on October 28, at 6:30.

The Community is going to have a speaker...A noted news analyst, and lecturer, Mr. Ralph J. Kaplan is presently on the faculty of the New York University.....

In 1943 he founded the Universal College of Tel Aviv, and in 1948 he was placed in charge of Adult Education for Israel Army.....

I understand that he is a topnotch speaker...and all of us know why he will be here...to tell the story of U.J.A....

The story changes from year to year, because the conditions of our fellow-Jews change from year to year; because the conditions of the world change from year to year.....

Now... 'from where I sit'...it would seem that the only way to know that story...is to hear it....The only way to get the facts...is to listen to someone who knows the facts.

I suppose there will be a few who will abstain..for one of several reasons.

It is always easy to find reasons for staying home...for closing our ears (or our hearts) to something we'd rather not hear.....

But it is also easy to get an answer...if you really want an answer. It is also easy to learn the facts..... if you really want to know the facts....

And...speaking of facts..here is one for you to think about..... The Jewish Community is sponsoring that dinner....The Jewish Community is sponsoring that speaker...Are YOU a part of that Community? Or are you apart from it?.....

OUR THANKS GO TO Mrs. Elliot Rosenberg, and Mrs. Sol J. Levy for preparing a wonderful meal for Hillel at its last meeting.

THE TEMPLE SISTERHOOD plans its next meeting for October 28, 1953. It will take place at the Temple at 12:30 P.M.

Mrs. Moses Fried, Program Chairman, will introduce the speaker. The Rev. Ralph Thompson, of the Flemingsberg Christian Church. He will speak on, "Religious Education In The Schools."

HEARTIEST CONGRATULATIONS to Mr. & Mrs. Jack J. Cohan of Paris on the recent marriage of their son, Leonard to Miss Sylvia Rose Gordon of Cincinnati, on Sunday, October 11, 1953.

OUR TEMPLE YOUTH GROUP, at its last meeting, chose the date of December 18 for its Annual Youth Service. The group is preparing both the service, and the program that will follow.

WE RECORD WITH THANKS, donations to the GLORIA BAKER SIEGEL FUND from the following:

Mr and Mrs. Jacob Baer
Rabbi and Mrs. Sidney Ballon
Mr. and Mrs. Lester Bloom
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Marks
Mrs. John Mickler
Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Miller

A FEW WEEKS AGO, Rabbi Davis was appointed to a nine-man commission for the State of Kentucky, which will deal exclusively with the problem of segregation in Kentucky schools. The Commission is under the auspices of the Southern Regional Council.

Monday, October 12, Rabbi Davis spoke to the combined youth groups of Temple B'rith Sholom, and Adath Israel of Louisville.

Wednesday, October 21, he will address the Indiana State Sisterhood Convention in Hammond, Indiana.

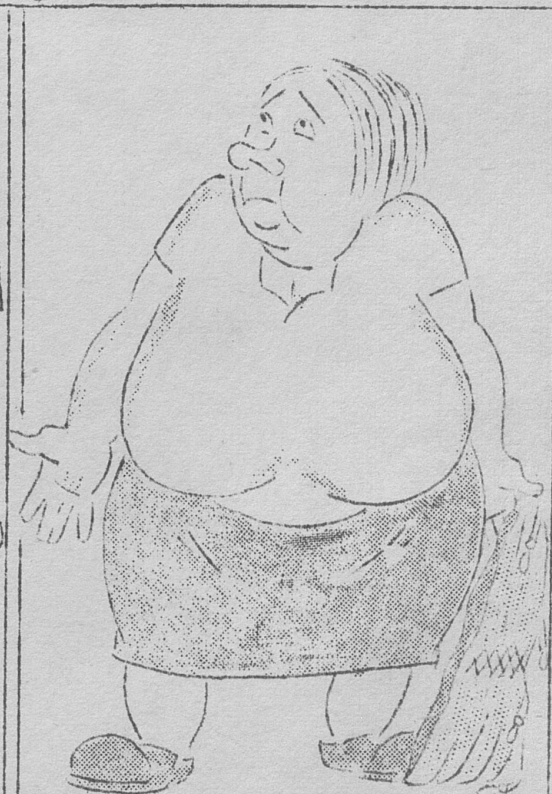
Sunday, November 1, he will be the speaker at the Installation Banquet of the B'nai B'rith Asher Lodge No. 227 in Central City, Kentucky.

CALL MRS. IRVIN LEVY FOR your Chanukah decorations NOW!!! 2-8965

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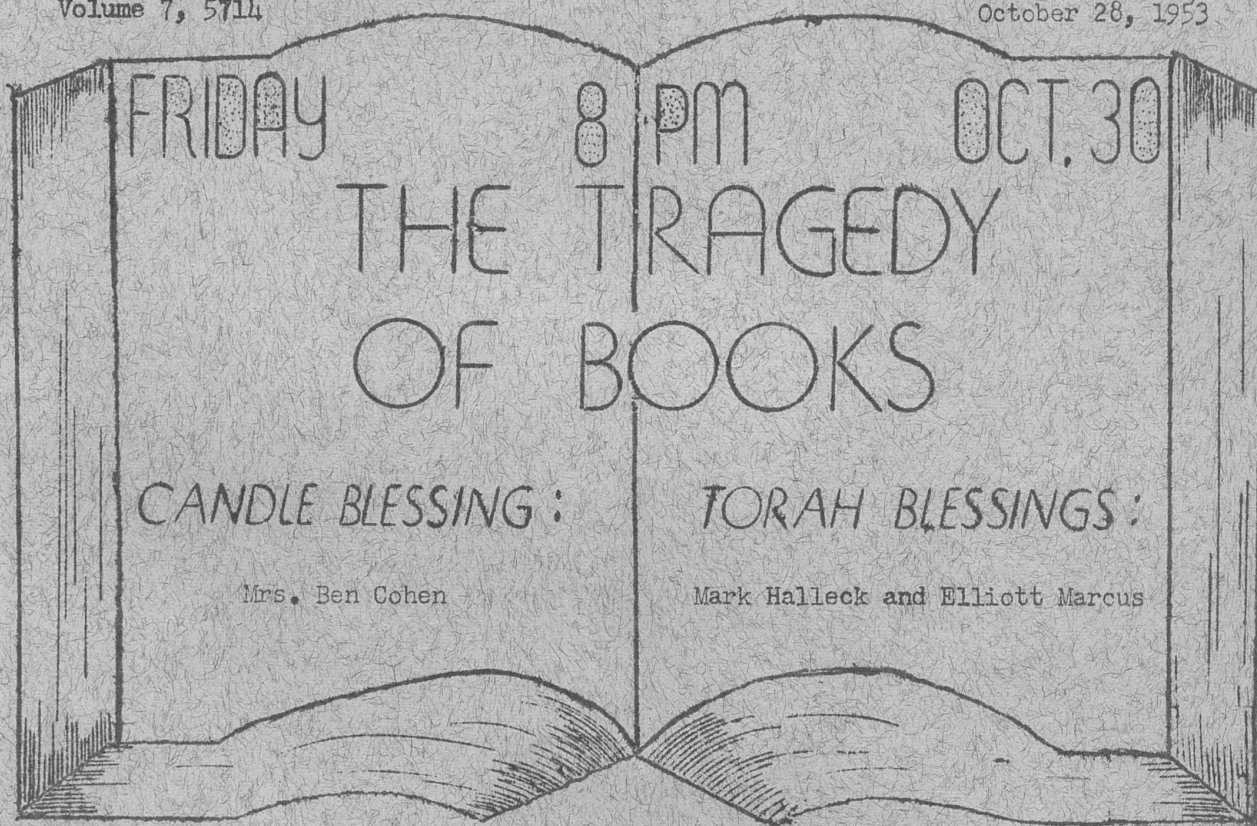
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YAHREZEIT

Hanna Heyman Baer
Max Kanarek
Ida Doblin Paritz

Albert Bing
David Moel
Esther Hymson-Simons

FROM
WHERE
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SIT

by
Rabbi Maurice Davis



It's not that we forgot..It is just that we were cramped for time and space in last week's BULLETIN...and so we decided to pay our respects to the U.N.

It's birthday was last Saturday..... and we feel very guilty about the whole matter.....

Because of the dream of some very great men, nations now sit together in the same room..even as they occupy the same earth.....under the same sky.....

Because of a yearning that would not be denied...they meet together and search for ways to reach each other....

They meet..and try to create for all mankind...a rainbow in the heavens.. that will carry a promise that man

makes to man.....

Their problems stagger the imagination ...their responsibilities make us gasp and on their twitching shoulders..rest all the tomorrows that lie ahead of us.

Here is one of man's nobler dreams.. Here is a project that touches you..... and me...and all humanity...and we did not have time to mention it.....

No wonder I feel guilty.....

The world is divided into two camps today....Those that hate the U.N...and those that love it.....

They who hate it...are extremely vocal They never forget to vilify and to castigate.....

We who yearn for it..whose hearts beat for it...we are quiet. We forget to honor it...we forget to defend it.....

If anything happens to it...If this dream of ours comes smashing down upon our heads...it will only be partially the fault of those who killed it...The shame and the blame must be shared also by those of us who did not keep it alive.

JEWISH BOOK MONTH is from October 30 to November 30. Plan to read at least one Jewish book this month.

THE NEXT BOARD OF DIRECTORS meeting will be held Monday November 2 at 7:30 P.M. It is open to all Temple members.

OUR TEMPLE SISTENHOOD gave a party for the children at Cardinal Hill. It took place on October 17. Mrs. Arnold Fields was chairman, with Mrs. Ernst Rosenzweig as co-chairman.. Mrs. David Bolotin, and Mrs. Maurice Davis were in charge of favors and ice cream. The children played BINGO, and asked for Bo-Bo. Bo-Bo will be present at the next party.

WE RECORD WITH THANKS, the following donations to the GLORIA BAKER SIEGEL FUND:

Mr. and Mrs. David Ades
Mr. and Mrs. Barney Miller
Mr. and Mrs. Sam Milner
Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rosenberg
Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Shraberg
Mrs. Dorothy Singer
Mrs. Jonas Weil
Mrs. Maury Weil
Mr. and Mrs. Sander Zwick

THE RABBI'S FUND has received donations from Mrs. Maury Weil, in memory of Mrs. Marie Salmon, and Mrs. Sallye Slaughter.

THE SECOND MEETING of our P.T.A. will take place Tuesday, November 10, at 7:30 P.M. Parents will attend the same classes that their children attend for a 20 minute session. A general discussion will follow.

The Sunday School class that has the best record of parent attendance will receive a prize.

This is for fathers as well as mothers. Please make every effort to attend. Mrs. Eugene Strauss, chairman of P.T.A. will be in charge.

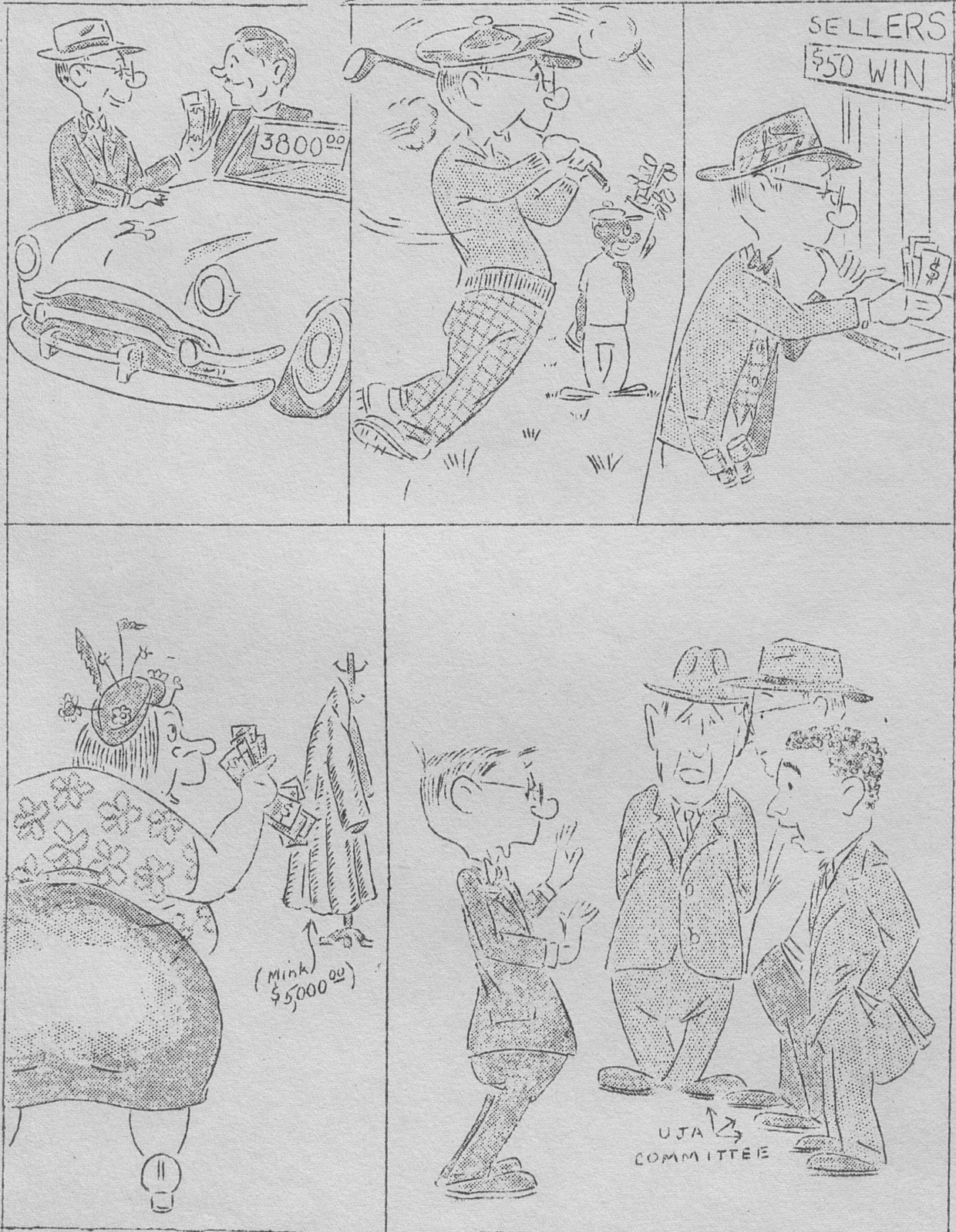
WORLD COMMUNITY IN GATHERING Service will be held at Victory Christian Church, Friday November 6 at 11 A.M. Sheets, pillow cases, etc. are to be brought, and/or contributions. A percentage of that brought in will be sent to Israel. Luncheon reservations are to be made to Mrs. Maurice Davis no later than November 3.

HEARTIEST CONGRATULATIONS to Mr. and Mrs. Lester Bloom, on the birth of their grandson, Lloyd Feder Bloom, October 16, 1953. Lloyd is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Bloom of Louisville.

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Thanks to Mrs. Narvin Nudnik for the idea of today's sketch. eds.

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FRIDAY
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8:00 P.M.

THE MASQUERADE

The service and reception will be
in honor of our new members.

CANDLE BLESSING

Mrs. Robert Mickler

TORAH BLESSINGS

Sol Mocerf—Norman Wides

YAHREZEIT

Louis Hechtman
Joseph Wesserman
Jessie I. Miller
William Wennecher

RECEPTION

Mrs. Maurice Davis

Mrs. David Ades, Mrs. Charles Schwartz, Mrs. Ben Shraberg

FROM
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by
Rabbi Maurice Davis.

A MATTER OF TIME

Never mind the titles.....
there are about fifteen people
who work hard....every Sunday
morning to bring to your children
an awareness of Judaism.....
And...two or three times a year
they want to talk to you about
it.....We think it is important...
We think your children are im-
portant....Do you?.... PROVE IT!
Come to our PTA session Tuesday,
November 10, at 7:30 P.M. It is
only a matter of time.....

A MATTER OF MONEY

I am told that our UJA Drive
is to be without pressure this
year.....Well...if we can't
put pressure on you.....perhaps
you can put pressure on yourselves.
Every time that I give to charity,
I give thanks that I am able to
be the one that gives...rather
than the one that has to receive.
Do you agree? PROVE IT?....Give
thanks....by giving your donation
to the UJA. It is only a matter
of money.....

A MATTER OF HEART

A and B equal C....When you
want to prove something...you have
to prove it with DEEDS...Certainly
we love our children.....then
let's spend a little time on
their behalf next Tuesday.....
Certainly we have compassion for
our people....then let's support
our UJA.....With time.....
and money.....we can prove that
our hearts are thankful for what
we have.....

A MATTER OF THANKS

We are thankful that we have
our children....that they are re-
ceiving education....Let's give
thanks...by giving time.....
We are thankful for our se-
curity....Let's give thanks.....
by giving a portion of our worldly
goods....No price is too great
for that.....

WE RECORD WITH THANKS, the following
donations to the GLORIA BAKER SIEGEL
FUND:

Miss Gertrude Abraham
Mr. and Mrs. I.J. Abraham
Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Barrett
Rabbi and Mrs. Maurice Davis
Mrs. Henry A. Levy
Mr. and Mrs. Elliot Marcus
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mickler
Rabbi Jack Stern Jr.
Mr. and Mrs. Fernand Weil

HEARTIEST CONGRATULATIONS to Mr.
and Mrs. Dolph Wile on the occasion of
their Golden Anniversary, November 4.
May continued health and happiness be
their lot.

DOUBLE HEADER COMING soon, when
both the Brotherhood and the Sister-
hood will meet on the same day. At
noon it will be the Sisterhood. In
the evening it will be the Brotherhood.
Both will take place on Wednesday,
November 18. Keep the day. Keep
the date.

RABBI DAVIS SPOKE to the Asher
Lodge of B'nai B'rith, in Central City,
Sunday, November 1. It was the oc-
casion of the installation of officers
for that lodge.

WHEN CHANUKAH ARRIVES, will you be
ready? Will you have your gifts, your
decorations, and your preparations
finished? You will if you will call.
Mrs. Irvin Levy 2-8965, and place your
order NOW!

HAVE YOU MET OUR NEW members yet?
Friday evening you will have the
opportunity to greet them into the
fellowship of Adath Israel. The
reception after services will be
in their honor.

Mr. and Mrs. Randy Altman
Dr. and Mrs. Maurice Davis
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Goldenberg
Mr. and Mrs. Mark Halleck
Mr. Hyman Hymson
Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Krinsky
Mr. and Mrs. S.J. Levy
Mr. and Mrs. I.A. Miller
Mr. and Mrs. Sol Mocerf
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stern
Mr. James W. Strauss Jr.

THE CONGREGATION EXTENDS its deepest
sympathies to Mrs. Ed Meyers on the
death of her brother, Mr. Herman Gordon,
of Louisville, Ky.

The
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of

HOMER WUNK

by
Harvin
N. Nudnik

Come on in to
Temple, Homer dear.
We're on time for
a change. . .

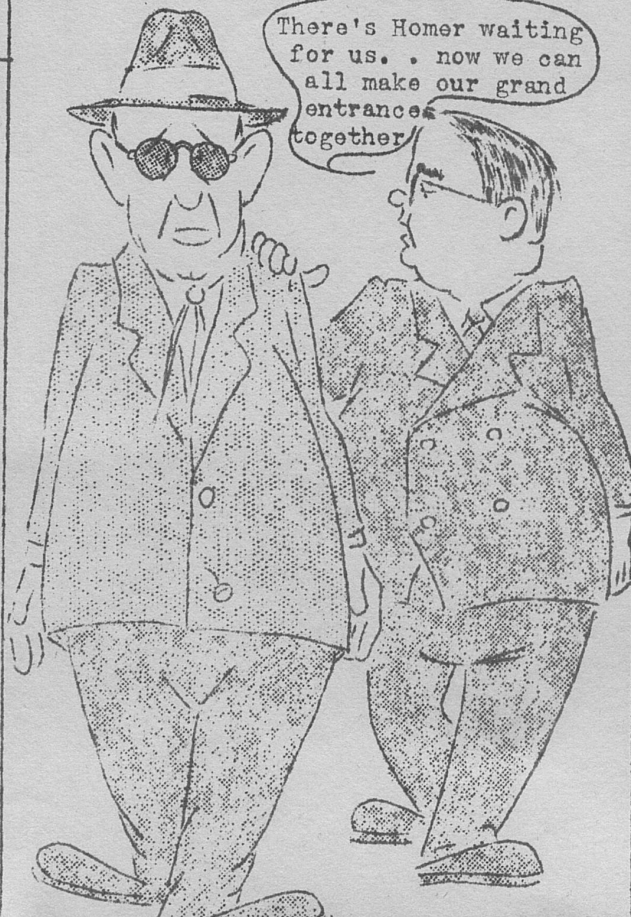
You go on in,
Hyacinth doll.
I'll be there in
a little while



Ah. . . 8:30,
and here
come the
Board
members



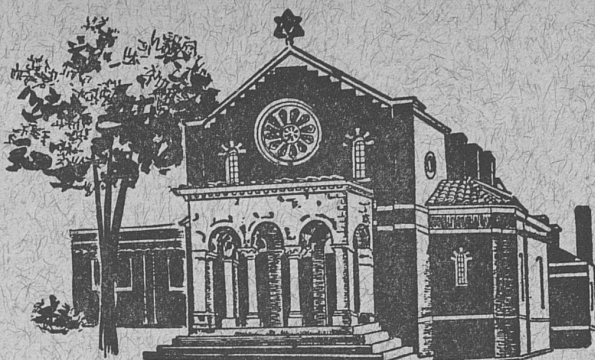
There's Homer waiting
for us. . now we can
all make our grand
entrances
together



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FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 1953
8:00 P.M.

RELIGION AND SUPERSTITION

A Sermon Prompted By The Fact That This Week's
Service Falls On Friday The Thirteenth

CANDLE BLESSING

Mrs. I. A. Paritz

YAHRTZEIT

David Feld
Celia Goldsmith
Max Kanarek
Leo J. Marks
Bernard Newburger
Lucille Weil Rosenthal



FROM
WHERE
I
SIT
by
Rabbi
Maurice Davis

The other day I was called by a member of the American Legion..... He asked me to deliver the invocation at the Armistice Day Observance which will take place in Lexington.... as well as all over the land....

I accepted.... but the more I thought of it.... the more it bothered me.....

There will be a parade of soldiers... a blaring of bands.. and a sounding of guns.... and.. my informant assured me... the speaker of the day will be a military genius.....

I think it will be difficult to pray in such a setting.. It is hard to pray for peace.... when guns are sounding..... It is hard to bow the head in prayer.. when soldiers pass in review....

I'll do the best I can.... and yet... I wish that we could have... someday... an Armistice Observance in another way..... and in another place.....

I would like to see.. not soldiers, but people... I would like to hear.. not guns, but prayers.... I would like to listen to.... not military geniuses, but men of peace.....

It might not help matters at all.... The world might continue in its strife.. and in its hatred.... But.... somehow.... 'from where I sit' it would seem to me... to be a bit more fitting... a bit more appropriate.....

Do YOU have your
Chanukah decorations yet??????
Call Mrs. I Levy 2-8965

WE ACCEPT WITH THANKS, the following donations to the GLORIA BAKER SIEGEL FUND:

Mrs. S. Diamond
Dr. and Mrs. Sherman Miller
Mr. and Mrs. Ed Munich
Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Rose
Dr. and Mrs. Charles Schwartz
Mr. and Mrs. I.H. Stern Sr.
Mr. and Mrs. C.J. Travis

WE WISH TO THANK Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Meyers for their donation to the RABBI'S FUND, which enabled us to purchase some much needed chairs for our Sunday School. The gift was made in memory of Ida Helft Goldstein, and Abraham Meyers.

THE TEMPLE BROTHERHOOD is happy to announce that Nov. 18 will be the date of the annual FATHER-SON BANQUET. Excellent food, and entertainment has been planned. IF YOU DON'T HAVE A SON, BORROW ONE, but come to this pleasant evening.

THE TEMPLE SISTERHOOD plans for November 18, a meeting, dedicated to JEWISH BOOK MONTH. After lunch, there will be readings from Jewish literature; from the Bible to today. by.....

Mrs. Sydney Gall
Mrs. Herbert Fogel
Mrs. I.J. Miller
Mrs. Matthew Barrett
Mrs. L.K. Frankel

The chairmen for this program are Mrs. Harold Baker, and Mrs. Stanley Scher.

On behalf of Hillel, we wish to thank Mrs. I.H. Stern Sr. and Mrs. William Michalove for the excellent meal they prepared for Hillel, Sunday, November 8.

A NEW CLASS has been added to our Sunday School, with Mr. Norman Wides as teacher. It is a High School Class, formed at the request of last year's Confirmation class. Mazel tov!!

NFTY SAYS to our Temple:

SAVE DECEMBER 18!!

THE BUILDERS ARE COMING.

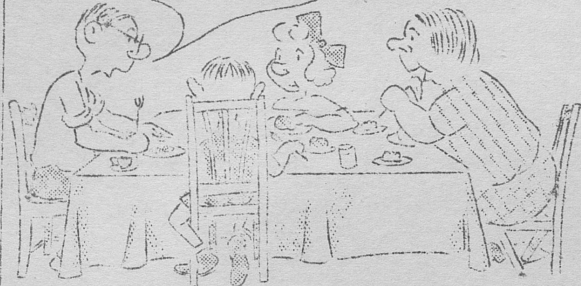
Since this is
Jewish Book Month,
let's each of us spend
tonight reading a
Jewish Book

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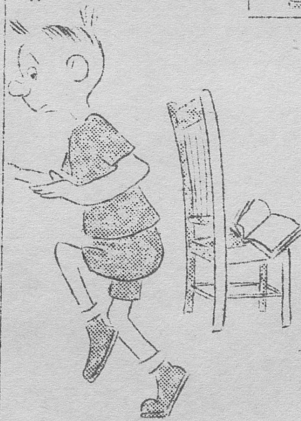
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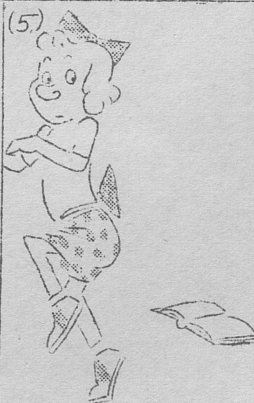
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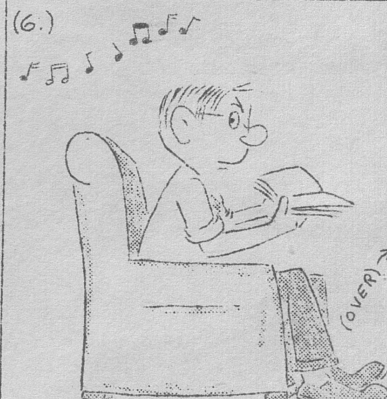
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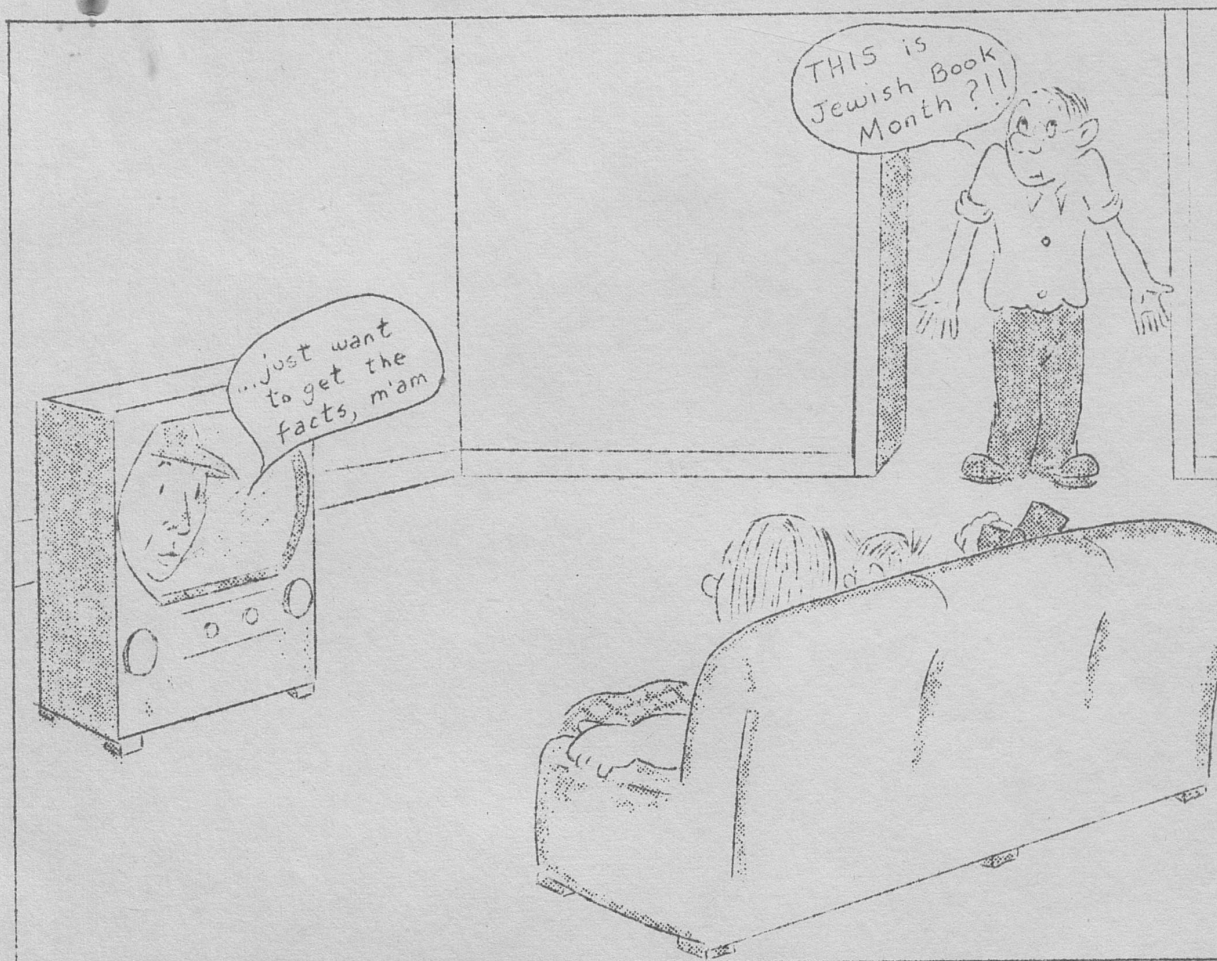


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Dear reader:

Just in case you happen to agree with Homer, may we remind you that the Jewish Publication Society has just announced a sale on Jewish Books, which can easily be ordered by the Temple, if you should want them. Among those listed are:

Holidays

HANUKKAH: THE FLAME OF LIGHTS
SABBATH: THE DAY OF DELIGHT
THE PURIM ANTHOLOGY

These anthologies are filled with stories, essays, games, and information.

Novels and Short Stories

THE TESTAMENT OF A LOST SON, by S. Morgenstern
DREAMERS OF THE GHETTO, by Israel Zangwill
THE RABBI OF BACHERACH, by Heinrich Heine
YOUNG HEARTS, by David Maletz

JUVENILE BOOKS

THE ALPH-BET BOOK, by D. Pessin..... age level 6-10
PLAYMATES IN EGYPT, by E.E. Levinger..... age level 8-10
DAVID THE GIANT KILLER, by E. Solis-Cohen.. age level 8-10
THE NIGHTINGALE'S SONG, by Dorothy Alofsin. age level 13-15
THE FIRE EATER, by Henry Berkowitz..... age level 13-15

Sincerely, Narvin

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THANKSGIVING SERVICE
FRIDAY 8 P.M. NOV. 27

THE GREAT DIVORCE

GUEST SPEAKER: REV. T.B. COWAN

Immediately following the service a reception will be held
in the Temple Vestry. Hostess: Mrs. Louis Ades assisted
by: Mrs. David Ades, and Mrs. Maurice Davis.

Candle Blessing by: Mrs. I.J. Miller

YAHREZEIT

Hilda Aberson Baum
Leon K. Frankel

Sarah Jacobs Lowenthal
Samuel T. Marcus

FROM
WHERE
I
SIT
by
Rabbi

Maurice Davis

STRICTLY PERSONAL

No great message today..only a personal story..feel free to sign off now.

By the time you read this, I shall have gone to Memphis and returned..not to Lexington...but to Providence, R.I.

The tiniest state in the union, and yet it holds more for me than I can ever hope to describe.....

So many things to do in Providence. There's a new nephew that I want to greet and to welcome him into our clan...There are sisters and brothers, nephews and one (1) niece, I want to see again. A mother to whom to wish 'Happy Birthday'.

There's a rabbi I want to thank again for inspiring a ten year old kid, and helping him to find his walk in life....

There's a pulpit from which I want to preach again..and a Congregation to greet again.....

And there's one thing more...There's a congregation in Lexington I want to talk about...I want to tell my family.. and my friends about YOU.....

I want to tell them how our Temple attendance has increased even over last year...which was a record in itself..... How we now average 75 people....I want to tell them about our PTA..about our Sunday School with 104 students.

There is no doubt about it..I will probably bore them to tears, but I don't care.....

I won't be with you for Thanksgiving that belongs to somebody else...but I will be with you for Chanukah..... Till then.....

THE CONGREGATION IS PLEASED TO
accept the following donations to the
GLORIA BAKER SIEGEL FUND, from:

Mr. & Mrs. Herbert L. Fogel
Mr. & Mrs. Morris Levy
Mr. & Mrs. Cyril Slesnick

A DONATION WAS ALSO MADE TO OUR ALTER
FLOWER FUND, in memory of Gloria
Baker Siegel, by Mr. & Mrs. Herbert
L. Fogel.

THE ANNUAL JOINT MEETING OF JEWISH
Women's Groups will take place at the
Ohava Zion Synagogue on Wednesday,
December 2, at 12:30 P.M. The meet-
ing will be conducted by the four
presidents, Mrs. Julian Bloomfield,
Mrs. Charles Schwartz, Mrs. Hyman
Shraberg, and Mrs. David Weil.

There will be a special Chanukah
Candle Lighting Ceremony. There will
also be a panel discussion on the
Ground Observers Corps, led by Lt.
Prebel of the Lexington Filter Center.
An open discussion will follow.

THERE WILL BE NO SUNDAY SCHOOL ON
the morning of December 6. On that
day the Temple Brotherhood will spon-
sor its annual Chanukah Carnival.
The day will be set aside for parents
and children, with games, and food,
and enjoyment for all. Reserve that
date: Sunday afternoon, December 6.
Plan to stay for dinner.

CHANUKAH CANDLES MAY BE PURCHASED
this Sunday morning at the Temple.
Ask your children to pick them up when
they come to school. The price is
fifty cents a box.

DURING THE PERIOD OF HIS TRIP, from
November 29, to December 2, Rabbi
Maurice Davis will be at the following
places:

Kentucky-Tennessee Association of
the Union of American Hebrew Con-
gregations.

Temple Israel, Memphis, Tennessee

Temple Beth-El, Providence, R.I.

Temple Beth-El, Great Neck, N.Y.

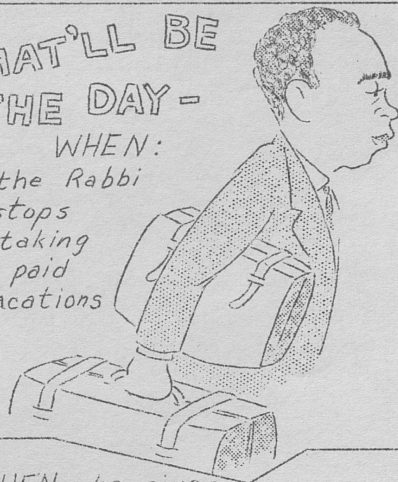
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Since I am absolutely **UNCENSORED** this week (because the Rabbi is out of town), I'd like to get in a few licks of my own... we'll call this

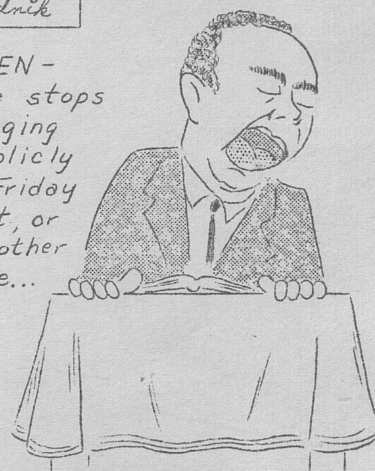


THAT'LL BE THE DAY -

WHEN: the Rabbi stops taking paid vacations



WHEN - he stops singing publicly on Friday night, or any other time...



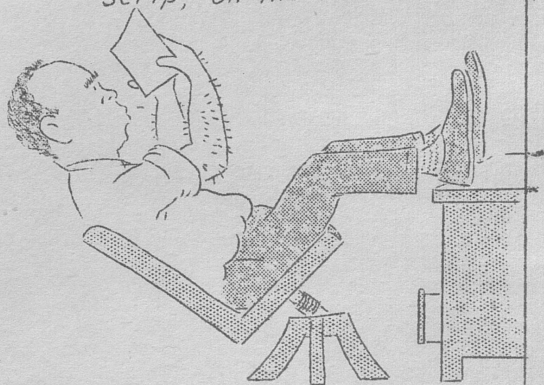
WHEN - he schedules Services so they will not interfere with basketball games or concert series....



WHEN - he gives approval to celebrate Xmas as well as Chanukah..



WHEN - he sees this strip, on his return....



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FRIDAY

8 P.M.

NOV. 20

THE WRESTLING MATCH

YAHREIT

David Feld
Morris B. Reinstein
Miriam S. Spector

CANDLE BLESSING BY TORAH BLESSINGS BY

Mrs. Irving Stern Jr.

Irving Kanarek and I. A. Paritz



FROM
WHERE
I
SIT
by
RABBI
MAURICE DAVIS

STRANGE THINGS ARE HAPPENING!!!

Sit back...and relax... There. That's better....I have a pleasant story to tell you.....

For years we have been trying to have a PTA group at the Temple..but you know how those things are...You never can get anyone to attend a PTA Meeting...If we attracted fifteen...that was par for the course...If we attracted twenty-five, it was a huge success.....

Last Tuesday night we tried again... Only this time it worked. Seventy-eight people were there...They represented 47 out of the 61 families who have children in our school.....

Only fourteen families were not represented.....

The meeting was excellent....The parents not only met the teachers, but sat through a period of classroom instruction learned something of our curriculum, of our hopes, our weaknesses, and our strength.....

And only fourteen were missing from our meeting.....

Credit goes to many people...to Barbara Strauss, PTA Chairman, and her room mothers....to Janice Weil, Sunday School Principal, and her teachers...to all the children of our school...and to all the parents....except the fourteen...

Our PTA is now an accredited member of our Temple family....It will function...it will grow...and it will prosper.

We will meet twice more before the year is over....We will tackle many of the problems that beset us...We will become a team...and a good team.....

I told you that this was a pleasant story...In fact there were 47 reasons why it was a pleasant meeting...In fact it just missed being a perfect meeting.. It missed to be exact...by fourteen.....

But wait until next time.....

THE BROTHERHOOD FATHER AND SON

Banquet promises to be one of the most enjoyable affairs of the year. You owe it to your son to attend November 18, at 6:45 in the Temple Vestry. If you don't have a son, then borrow one. Father vs. son Quiz, sport movies, and excellent food.

THE TEMPLE SISTERHOOD LUNCHEON in honor of Jewish Book Month, will feature a wonderful program of readings from great literature. Wednesday, November 18, at 12:30 P.M. in the Temple Vestry.

EACH MONDAY NIGHT ON STATION WLAP you will be able to hear, THE JEFFERSONIAN HERITAGE. This is a half hour radio drama, featuring Claude Rains. The Anti-Defamation League, in co-operation with local B'nai B'irth #289 makes this program possible. Tune in at 7:30 P.M.

THE TEMPLE GRATEFULLY ACCEPTS a donation to the GLORIA BAKER SIEGEL FUND from: Mr. Hyman Hymson and Mr. and Mrs. Sol Mocerf

WE REJOICE TO ANNOUNCE THE arrival of Myer David Fine, son of Dr. and Mrs. Harold Fine. A hearty mazel tov from the entire Congregation.

DURING THE PAST SEVERAL DAYS Rabbi Maurice Davis has been called upon to deliver the invocation for the Kentucky Nursing Homes Association, and the city-wide observance of Armistice Day. On Monday, November 16 he addressed the Sertoma Club of Lexington.

GRADE TWO WINS PRIZE FOR PTA ATTENDANCE

The record of parental attendance at PTA was as follows.

Nursery	-12 present..1 absent..92%
Kind	- 8 present..2 absent..80%
Grade 1	-13 present..2 absent..87%
Grade 2	- 5 present..0 absent..100%
Grade 3	- 5 present..0 absent..72%
Grade 4	- 7 present..3 absent..70%
Grade 5	- 9 present..1 absent..90%
Grade 7	- 8 present..6 absent..57%
Grade 8	- 6 present..1 absent..86%
Grade 9	- 5 present..2 absent..72%
H. Sch.	- 2 present..1 absent..67%

The
ADVENTURES
of

HOMER WUNK

by Narvin No
Nudnik

...Now Julian, I
want you to
behave like a
little gentleman at
the Brotherhood
Father and
Son dinner
tonight...

AND
THEN

David honey,
please don't
do that

No, Ricky, this is
Not the bathroom

C'mon Steve, out
th' horseplay

Louis-
use a
handkerchief

Alan-
stop
fidgeting

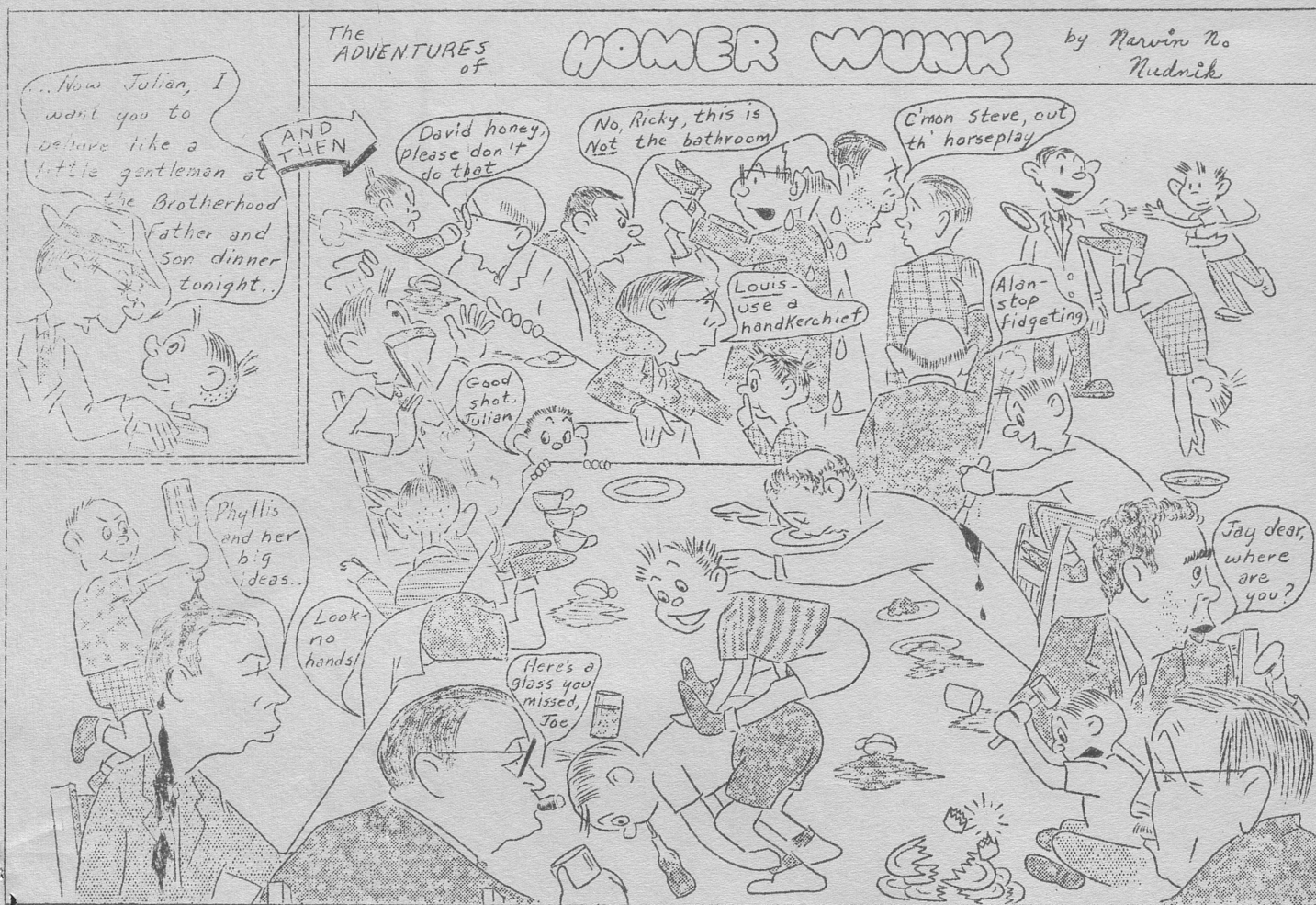
Good
shot,
Julian

Phyllis
and her
big
ideas...

Look-
no
hands!

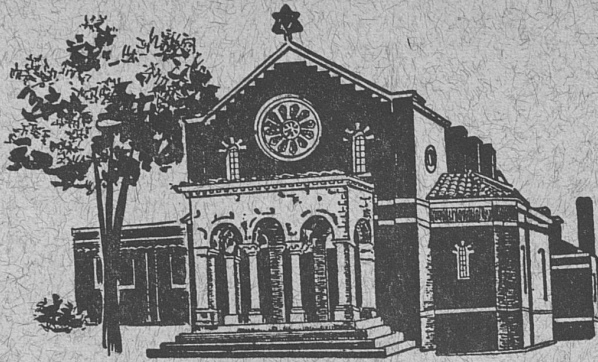
Here's a
glass you
missed,
Joe

Jay dear,
where
are
you?



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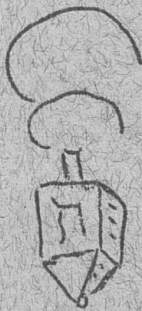
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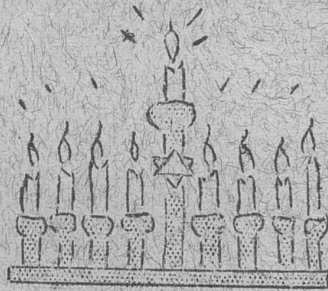
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The story of Chanukah as seen by reform Judism

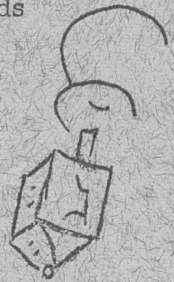
Reception immediately following service
Hostesses: Mrs. Herschel Weil and Mrs. Arnold Fields
Assisted by: Mrs. Elliot Marcus and Mrs. Ed. Munich



Happy



Hanukkah



CANDLE BLESSING

Mrs. Barney Miller

TORAH BLESSINGS

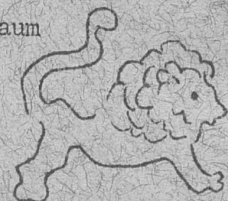
Stanley Rose & Dr. S.M. Younger

YAHNZEIT

Philip Aberson
Jacob Gold

Esther Heller Kirschbaum
Leah Meyers

Simon Weil



FROM WHERE I SIT

During the absence of Rabbi Davis, his column, "From Where I Sit", will not appear.

NO SUNDAY SCHOOL

There will be no Sunday School, Sunday December 6. This date has been set aside for the Brotherhood's Chanukah Carnival.

ANNUAL JOINT MEETING OF JEWISH WOMEN

There will be a joint meeting of the Woman's Groups, Wednesday, December 2, at 12:30 P.M. at the Ohava Zion Synagogue.

There will be a special Chanukah Candle Lighting Ceremony, and a discussion by Lt. Prebel of the Lexington Filter Center on the Ground Observers Corps.

CHANUKAH BEGINS ON THE EVENING OF DECEMBER 1

PLEASE NOTE!!!

Please send your checks for your Stock Certificates, NOW, to Stanley Rose or Hyman Shraberg.

SCHEDULE OF CHANUKAH HOUSE PARTIES

Kindergarten-	Mrs. Al Strauss	Wednesday Dec. 2	2:30 P.M.
Nursery	Mrs. Sam Davis	Friday Dec. 4	3 to 5
1st Grade	Mrs. George Gordon	Thursday Dec. 3	2:30 P.M.
2nd Grade	Mrs. Abe Wikler	Thursday Dec. 3	6 to 8
3rd Grade	Mrs. Wm. Lowenthal	Thursday Dec. 3	3 to 5:30
4th Grade	Mrs. Robert Cohen	Friday Dec. 4	3 to 5
5th Grade	Mrs. Ernst Rosenzweig	Wednesday Dec. 2	5 P.M.
7th Grade	Mrs. David Weil	Saturday Dec. 5	6:30 P.M.
8th & 9th Grade	Mrs. Irving Kanner	Thursday Dec. 3	6 P.M.
High School	Mrs. Maurice Hymson	Time and Date to be announced.	

COME ONE-COME ALL

BRING THE KIDDIES
TO

TEMPLE ADATH ISRAEL'S BROTHERHOOD
CHANUKAH CARNIVAL

THERE WILL BE

FUN

FOOD

GAMES

ENJOYMENT

FOR ALL

ON

SUNDAY DECEMBER 6 at 4 O'CLOCK

SEE YOU THEN!!!!



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HAPPY CHANUKAH!!
TO ALL

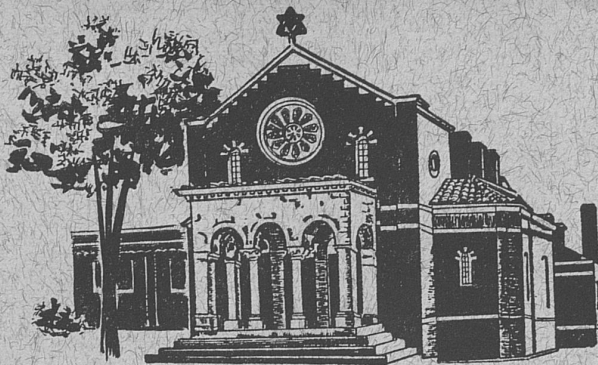
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from
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Julian Flynn,
Hyacintho, and
Homer

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BEHOLD

THE

DREAMER

FRIDAY

8 PM

DECEMBER 11

CANDLE BLESSING

TORAH BLESSINGS

Mrs. Harold Fine

Dr. Charles Schwartz, Hyman Shraberg

YAH RZEIT

Jennie Lovenhart

Hyman Pushin



FROM
WHERE
I
SIT
by
Rabbi

Maurice Davis

Funny thing...how you connect things together..Like...Chanukah and house-cleaning.....

The most thrilling part of Chanukah to me...has always been the story of how the soldiers...after the battle..returned to clean out the Temple.

Chanukah means Rededication and..I suppose...that is one way of rededicating oneself to the ideals for which a Temple stands.....

FROM WHERE I SIT...the noblest way to celebrate Chanukah is to clean out the little Temple which lives in each of us. That's what I meant by house-cleaning.....And there is a great deal for us to do.....

There are some soiled ideas that should be sent to the laundry....Some dirty ideals that have to be washed 'again...to make them sparkle..as once they did.....

There are some hopes and dreams that have been gathering dust for a year now.

There are some noble plans that have gone rusty and disused.....

And then, there is all the debris of pettiness..and jealousy...and suspicion....that have to be swept up.....and thrown in the ash can.....

Chanukah and house-cleaning. Maybe the connection is not so fantastic after all.....

If each candle dispels the darkness ...then...each polished up ideal will gleam with the candles' rays.....

Let's clean up the mess.....and take some pride in our Temple, The House We Live In.....

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE WEILS At the recent Bi-Annual convention in Memphis, Mr. Herschel Weil was nominated to the National Board of the Union. Mrs. Herschel Weil was elected to the Regional Board of the Sisterhood.

THE TEMPLE SISTERHOOD HAS AN IMPORTANT announcement for all members. The January meeting has been changed from the third Wednesday to THE SECOND WEDNESDAY, January 13, 1954!!!!

Mrs. James Frankel, and Mrs. Milton Baer are in the process of making smocks for the volunteer workers at Eastern State Hospital. Mr. Matthew Barrett is having the material cut, and sewing will begin shortly. Any Sisterhood member interested in this project should call Mrs. Baer or Mrs. Frankel.

THE CONGREGATION WISHES TO CONGRATULATE Dr. and Mrs. Arthur Herman on the birth of their second child, Larry Michael. Dr. Herman is with the Air Force at MacDill Air Force Base, Tampa, Florida.

WE WISH TO OFFER OUR BELATED CONDOLENCES to Mrs. Milton Baer, on the death of her mother, Mrs. Sara Weil Cole. Mrs. Cole passed away November 21 at the age of 93.

OUR TEMPLE BROTHERHOOD DESERVES A hearty congratulations for the fine Chanukah Carnival it sponsored last Sunday. Both parents and children thoroughly enjoyed themselves. A special handshake goes to Mark Halleck Chairman of the day.

MAY WE REMIND ALL PARENTS, WHOSE children purchased Chanukah candles, that the price per box is thirty-five cents. If the youngsters did not bring the money remind them to do so this Sunday.

DAVID DAVIS, PRESIDENT OF THE TEMPLE youth group, announces that the YOUTH SERVICE, originally scheduled for Dec. 18, has been postponed to Jan. 15, 1954.

RABBI AND MRS. DAVIS WISH TO THANK all their friends for the lovely Chanukah gifts which were given to them... and to Jay Robert. More than the gifts was the thoughtfulness, and the friendship that they signified.

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BREAKING THROUGH THE BARRIER

FRIDAY

8 PM

DECEMBER 18

BABY BLESSING

Myer David Fine, son of Dr. and Mrs. Harold Fine will be blessed during the service. Immediately following the service Dr. and Mrs. Fine will tender a reception in his honor.

CANDLE BLESSING

Mrs. Herschel Weil

TORAH BLESSINGS

I.A. Paritz and Dr. Saul Rubin



HAVE YOU HEARD ?

THE TEMPLE SISTERHOOD WISHES TO REMIND
its members that the next meeting will
take place on the SECOND WEDNESDAY in
January. The date is January 13, 1954.

MRS. DAVID PARITZ, AND MRS. I.A. PARITZ
prepared the dinner for the Hillel stud-
ents, Sunday, December 13. Many thanks!

OUR HEARTIEST CONGRATULATIONS GO TO
newly-weds, Mr. & Mrs. Sidney W. Bing
on the occasion of their marriage. The
ceremony took place Sunday, December 13
in the home of Mr. & Mrs. David Weil.
Mrs. Sidney Bing was Elizabeth Ruth
Tick of Toronto, Canada.

THE CONGREGATION RECORDS WITH THANKS A
a donation to the GLORIA BAKER SIEGEL
FUND, by Mr. & Mrs. Kenneth Hart.

WE GRATEFULLY RECORD A DONATION TO THE
RABBI'S FUND, by Mr. & Mrs. Sidney Bing
in honor of their marriage.

AFTER A LIVELY VOTING SESSION IN OUR
Sunday School Assembly, the following
students were elected to the Charity
Committee which will present to the stud-
ent body recommendations for the dis-
bursement of money collected each Sun-
day morning.

4th Grade.....	David Weil
5th Grade.....	Ben Kaufman
7th Grade.....	Susan Munich
8th Grade.....	Steve Davis
Confirmation...	Marjorie Wikler
High School....	Bob Miller

THE NETY GROUP OF ADATH ISRAEL IS DEEP
in rehearsals for the pageant which they
will present to the congregation immedi-
ately after services, January 15. The
group will first conduct the services
in the Temple proper.

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A RABBI LOOKS AT CHRISTMAS

FRIDAY

8PM

DEC. 25

CANDLE BLESSING

Mrs. L.K. Frankel

TORAH BLESSINGS

Ed. Wides and David Bolotin

YAHRTZEIT

Helen S. Fogel

Alice Friedenn

Louis Michalove

Gus Millner

Anna Romer

David Shráberg

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AFTER THE BALL IS OVER

A few sobering notes
on the year that lies ahead

FRI

8PM

JAN 1

CANDLE BLESSING:

TORAH BLESSINGS:

Mrs. Maurice Hymson

Maurice Hymson and S.J. Levy

Yahrzeit

Harry Fogel	Celia Kahn
Jacob Gordon	Benjamin Kaufman

FROM WHERE I SIT
BY RABBI MAURICE DAVIS

Tear down that funny looking old
calendar of 1953.....Hang up that new
funny-looking calendar of 1954.....And
let's start all over again.....

Pour libations down the throat.....
and toast the unknown year that is yet to
be....in over whelming confidence that
it will be better than the year that was.

Wish every man and his brother a
'happy' New Year....and be content.....
until someone asks the meaning of the
happiness we wish them.....

Make a list of fancy resolutions on
plain paper...in pencil...easily erased..
lost...forgotten...and relax, because
the future is almost upon us. And the
future is what we want...at least in com-
parison to the past.....

And...maybe...in the quiet...and the
stillness...and the darkness of the night
....let's wonder where we are going.....
and why....and when.....

What is a New Year? What is tomorrow?
And where do we fit into the general
scheme of things?.....

I wonder if we...together...can yet
find the answer to all the questions that
swell up in our hearts? I wonder.....
and I hope.....and I Pray.....
.....
The Congregation gratefully accepts a
donation to the RABB'S FUND by Mrs. Jonas
Weil. The donation is in memory of Jonas
Weil.

.....
"OVER HERE HOMER"

On Friday evening, January 8, Rabbi Davis
will deliver a brief lecture on Reform
Judaism, entitled, "HOW DID IT ALL BEGIN"

Immediately after the services, there
will be a general discussion on this
theme. We urge all of you to attend. Re-
freshments will follow the discussion.

N*F*T*Y N*E*W*S

Dear Parents:

Yes you heard correctly! Your child
told you the truth! Starting Sunday,
January 10, our Temple Youth Group will
open its

NIFTY NASCHERIE!

We will serve breakfast at the Temple
from 9:00 to 9:20 every Sunday morn-
ing. We will serve Orange Juice,
sweet rolls (or do-nuts) and milk.

Our purpose is to help allow the stud-
ents to have a few minutes of socializ-
ing before the classes begin.

Our prices are extremely low:

Orange Juice.....5¢
Do-Nuts.....5¢
Milk.....6¢

Any profit that we might make will be
donated to charity. This is just one
more way in which NIFTY serves YOU!

SISTERHOOD NOTES

Remember the change in dates. Our next
Sisterhood meeting will take place Wed-
nesday, January 13. Dr. P.L. Guthrie,
principal of Dunbar High School will
speak on: "Implications and Possibil-
ities Attendant the Supreme Court's
Action with Regard to the Cases Invol-
ving Segregation In the Public Schools".
Miss Phylis Jones will give a solo.

BROTHERHOOD NOTES

The next Brotherhood meeting will be
held Wednesday, January 20. It will be
a dinner meeting, with Chief E.C. Hale
of the Lexington Police Force. 6:45
in the Temple Vestry.

PLEASE NOTE

There will be NO Sunday School, on Sun-
day, January 3.

T.V. PROGRAM

On Sunday, January 3, at 7:30 A.M.,
Rabbi Davis will appear on the Radio-
Television program, "CHURCH BY THE SIDE
OF THE ROAD". This program is carried by
Station WLW, and WLW-T.V.

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