

Center to Open In One Month; Plan Ceremony

The Center Committee is planning a dedication opening about the end of May at which it will give the community a chance to enjoy the facilities of the Center.

The immediate problem of the committee is the purchase and installation of the furnishings for the completed building, according to Mr. Matalon, Treasurer. Money has already been appropriated for these purchases.

Observed Building

The organized tour of the Center last Sunday enabled the adult members of the community to observe the entire building and proposed activities in it. These include classrooms for the Yeshivah, bowling alleys, halls for weddings and catered affairs, social rooms, a snack bar and a roof garden for summer dancing.

On the West 13th Street side of the building a play area will be enclosed for the children. There will also be handball courts for the adults.

Adeana Dance

The Adeana Jr. League is presenting a Spring Frolic Dance to be held on April 28th at the Yeshivah of Bensonhurst, 79th Street between 21st and 20th Avenues.

Tickets are currently being sold in advance at the price of \$1.50. However, admission at the door will cost \$1.75—so it pays to be smart and buy your ticket now!

Shaare Zion To Build A Synagogue And Hall

By ED LABATON

A decision to go ahead with the building of a synagogue was made by the members of the Shaare Zion Congregation at their last general meeting, Saturday, March 31.

A report, which indicated that the building plans had been drawn up, was made prior to the decision.

Thus far about one-third of the \$350,000 to \$400,000 needed has been collected. The remaining amount has been assessed and remains to be collected.

The combined synagogue, social hall and talmud torah will be built at the site of the present synagogue, Ocean Parkway at Kings Highway. It will be 110 feet by 150 feet.

Will Seat 650

Plans call for a seating capacity of 500 men and 150 women in the main synagogue. The social hall will be used for services during the High Holidays as well as for weddings, bar mitzvahs and other social functions. Eight classrooms will also be included in the building.

Isaac Mizrachi, President of the congregation, indicated that wrecking of the present structure is tentatively planned for the early summer.

Center Is Ours

In commenting on possible competition with the Community Center, Mr. Mizrachi stated that "We feel that the Center is ours and we will work with it. Through the experiences of the Center Committee we think that we can make a great saving. Many members, he continued, 'feel that the planned synagogue is too big; however, at the present rate of growth, our community will need another synagogue in 10 years.'"

Survey Finds Men Prefer College Girls As Spouses

By SARAH ESSES

We were quite pleasantly surprised recently, to find our rather optimistic opinion confirmed when our survey showed that four out of six boys said they would like to have a wife who went to college.

We asked six eligible males who represented a fair cross-section of our community the following question: "Do you think that a college education helps to make a girl a better wife?"

Eddie Mamiye: Yes—It gives a girl a more cultural outlook and

diverse interests which enable her to keep her husband interested in her. . . .

Nissim Saadia: Yes — Higher education teaches the women how to hold her husband's interest for life. Her morale and confidence is stronger. . . .

Dave Haddad: No—Being that I myself did not go to college, I'd rather not have a girl who did. I want to be smarter than my wife, I don't know whether a college education necessarily means she will be smarter, but I'd rather she didn't go. . . .

Albert Rahmey: No—It tends to put a girl on a high horse and she gets "too big for her britches"—Gives her too many ideas. . . .

Hank Shalom: Yes—I do not hold it to be a prerequisite, but it is desirable. It should serve to elevate the couple and make them seek the finer things in life and strive for a high cultural level. . . .

Eli Sutton: Yes—Education is a good thing for anybody, be it a girl or a boy. It certainly doesn't do any harm. . . .

But not one of those asked gave the most important reason why a college education is bene-

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Dedicate Ahi Ezer Synagogue; Rabbi Alkali Honored Speaker

At the Dedication Ceremonies held last Sunday, April 1, the guest speaker, Rabbi Doctor Alkali, Chief Rabbi of the Jewish Central Committee of America, spoke on the importance of the Synagogue and urged all the Youth to take it seriously.

Rabbi Murad Maslaton, Rabbi of the Ahi-Ezer Congregation was presented with a "Telson." He and his wife in turn presented the recently built Temple with a new Torah.

Chief Rabbi Doctor Jacob S. Kassin, then chanted a Prayer and blessed the Temple and the Congregation.

Also present were Rabbi Levy, a new member of the Ahi-Ezer, and Rabbi Kurt Klapholtz, of Shaare Zion Synagogue, Rabbi Abraham J. Hecht, spiritual leader of the B'nei Magen David Congregation, emphasized the fact that too many people vie

with each other for material things instead of spiritual needs and do not teach the younger generation the value of the Torah.

Rabbis Matlub Abadi and Elie Husney followed with a blessing and prayer for the continued success of the new Center.

The audience was then thanked by Mr. David Bibi for the interest they have shown towards the new Center and for their attendance at the dedication ceremonies.

The ceremonies were closed with a song written by Rabbi Maslaton and sung by the Junior Ahi Ezer Glee Club, to the tune of "America." — M.H.

Almanac

Date	Lighting Of Candles
Apr. 20	6:15 (First Day of Pesach)
27	6:25
May 4	7:30 (Erev Rosh Hodesh)
11	7:40 (Israel Ind. Day)
18	7:45

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A PASSOVER MESSAGE

Nissan 5711.

Fourth Year of Israel

"And he became a nation there," From this we learn that the Israelites were distinguishable there.

(T. D. Eliahu Rabba XVII)

One of Israel's great merits for their liberty from Egyptian bondage was that they retained their ancestral customs and uniqueness. They did not change their names, their faith, or their language during the many years that they dwelt there. The Israelites were always a nation apart.

Each year when the Jew celebrates his Holiday of Freedom, his ancestral customs and uniqueness should be observed simultaneously. Moreover, throughout his life, by his Torah-religion, character, and spiritual-accomplishments he must be distinct and distinguishable as a true Israel and loyal Jew.

Let us all treasure and retain these worthy traits and noble characteristics, as our ancestors did in Egypt, so that we too will be merited with another final-redemption in the near future. Amen!

Before concluding, I wish to extend my blessings and wishes to all the members and friends of our Syrian Community everywhere. May the Almighty G-d shower upon you a happy and glorious Passover, and may He bestow upon you a festive season filled with joy and happiness.

AMEN

DR. JACOB S. KASSIN

Chief Rabbi

Israel Undying

From A Treasury of Jewish Folklore

By NATHAN AUSUBEL

Moses was grazing his flock deep in the wilderness and far from the habitation of men. Once, when he came to Mount Horab, he saw a thorn bush. It looked ugly and forbidding. It was stunted and its branches were full of briars. As he gazed upon it Moses mused bitterly: "To this thorn bush in the wilderness, O my people of Israel, can you be likened! You are as lowly and all who see you shun you!"

And as he stood thus lost in sorrowful thought about the suffering of his people, suddenly he saw that the bush was enveloped in flame. Startled, Moses cried out: "To this thorn bush have I compared my people Israel, when alas—out of it must spring forth a flame to consume it! O my Lord G-d, must my people perish?"

And when Moses saw how the thorn bush burned and yet was not consumed his sorrow vanished and he was filled with exceeding joy. Then he heard the Voice saying: "Even as the thorn bush is not consumed by the flame, so will the Jewish people endure. All the fires of hate that will be kindled against it will be put out, and no evil and misfortune will be able to destroy it!"

The Synagogue

By BLANCHE LEVEY

I listen to the music of man and his prayer,
The aesthetic chant of G-dly chorus—
It rang aloud as if its momentous strength could
lift the message into the heavens—
And the face of the congregation,
Were humbled and yet tempestuous with emotions.

The song of the Synagogue, the haven of the humbled,
A resting place for the restless,
A day of timelessness into eternity,
The mortal in his search for immortality.

What Would You Do If...

By BELLA SUFFEH

You said "tfuddulee" to someone on the street and she actually came in...?

Your wedding was set for 4:30 and everybody came on time...?

You served coffee to company and they didn't take the hint and go home...?

You walked into Tony and John and Artie took you right away...?

You played sick one day and met your boss in the department store...?

You sent out invitations for an affair and you didn't forget to invite somebody...?

The Center was really finished by May...?

You went out with a fellow three times and nobody heard about it...?

You made a party and only those who were invited came...?

You found out who wrote this column...?

FOR YOUR MEMOIRS

By M. M. HELALIE

More than 10,000 Israelis protested in mass demonstration the re-arming of Western Germany. A resolution was introduced in the Kenneset condemning the Brussels decision to rearm Western Germany. Israeli Premier David Ben-Gurion succeeded in pigeon-holing the resolution—WHY?

The mass demonstration was one of the largest ever held in the protest for re-arming nazi-Germany. They all had pledged that they would never be found on the same side with the nazi murderers of their brothers and sisters. Israel Ben-Yehuda, Keness deputy, told the demonstrators, that the government of Israel should immediately express its condemnation of the rearming of Western Germany. Yaacov Rifkin, another Kenesset deputy, emphasized that thousands of thousands of the demonstrators had lost relatives during the nazi-terror.

Leads To Catastrophe

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver, of Cleveland, who is a former president of the Zionist Organization of America, said "It is as clear as day that the re-arming of nazi-Germany is totally unnecessary and is only leading the world to catastrophe."

Professor Frederick W. Schuman, of the Congregation B'nai Zion in Chicago, says and I quote, "Either we negotiate our differences through diplomacy (peace) or we go to war. In the latter event, our scientists tell us, there is an excellent chance that every living thing on the face of the earth, will die. Yet our statesmen have rejected the other alternative. Therefore, we face certain destruction. Is this anything but insanity?" What do you think good reader?

With Deep Apprehension

The noted Israeli Hebrew poet Abraham Sholonsky, in the Paris Yiddish newspaper quotes, "Any Jew, no matter who he may be but who is at all concerned about the future of his people, must view the various attempts to re-arm Germany with the deepest apprehension. To the whole world, but especially to the Jews, such an act would be tantamount to opening the cages in a zoo and letting the wild animals go free to stalk and kill. Those of us who survived the threat of that ferocious wild animal, nazism, must wholeheartedly join in the protest movement of progressive humanity against the legalization of neo-nazism." unquote.

The Jewish Telegraphic Agency reported that more than 20,000 government workers went on a two hour strike and all out mobilization for all peace loving and independence seeking people in the world.

Jewish people in America would do well to emulate their Israeli brothers. Only mass protest can stop the shameless betrayal of democracy—the promises made during the anti-nazi war.

Proverbia

What you are is more important than what you've got.

B. S. Forbes

The best way to make your dreams come true is to wake up.

J. M. Power

Do not stop at doing necessary kindnesses; the unnecessary ones are of far greater importance.

Unknown

Cutie Incidents

By ARLENE SULTAN

After ten years of married life Sadie Macintosh received a beautiful six carat diamond ring. Along with that Sadie came down with what is commonly known as ringitis disease. The most welcome disease among women. It affects the women so, that it causes them to wave their hands all over their faces. Then one day it happened, while Sadie was in the midst of flaunting her hands to show her newly acquired possessions she cut her nose. This not only caused her much pain as she had to have a few stitches but it cured her ringitis disease.

Are diamonds a girl's best friend?

Phi Alpha Delta Sponsors Party At Orphans Home

By GLORIA ESSES

The Phi Alpha Delta group has again this holiday season given a party at the "Kallman Home" on Ridge Boulevard. This is the second party that these girls have made for orphaned children. The age group, that was entertained, ranged from four to ten years.

The girls planned a scavenger hunt recently where they had to get the autograph of the band-leader at the "Roadside" on a raw egg. They also had to bring back butteech and cans of mihshee and beans which they got from neighbors.

Survey Finds Men Prefer College Girls As Spouses

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facial to a girl in married life and that is, she is better equipped to tackle the problems and chores of everyday life. A college girl would have more knowledge of Home Economics (correct diet, etc.), her social entertaining would be on a higher plane; she would be well-versed in child psychology, an important factor in the modern up-

companions. Of course, college is just a starting point which should be developed throughout life, but at least it gives one a knowledge of the more gracious and finer things in life. Looking at it from this point of view, it might even be better, in a marriage, if it was the wife rather than the husband (since the way of life depends on the woman) who had the college education.

Might Be "Snooty"

Some boys might feel that if a girl is given the advantage of a higher education, she becomes "snooty" and hard to please and subsequently wouldn't give them a tumble, but if a girl's mind is more developed, she may be able to see the potential things in a man that are worthwhile developing and she'd have the knowledge to undertake the job of bringing out the best that the man is capable of.

As a whole, we found that the outlook of the community on the question of education is gradually broadening to keep in tempo with the times. Unless the men want to keep the level of their women low and in subjection through ignorance, what harm can education do? So girls, think of the advantages you gain, and formulate your plans accordingly!



bringing of children and general planning of everyday life would be more intelligent.

Most men do not realize that it wouldn't be such a bad thing if women were enlightened as to world affairs and had cultural interests, then wives could be real

For Your Information

By ALFRED I. SUTTON

I Remember When

- ... only three families went to Bradley Beach for the summer of 1933.
- ... fifteen years ago families vacationed at Atlantic City, Rock-away and Wildwood by the Sea.
- ... I went on my first date with Evelyn Cohen—now Mrs. Jimmie Sasson.
- ... Joe Semah climbed the school yard fence and got stuck on top.
- ... we bought all-wool suits for \$12.00 from Subway Clothes and Gordon's.
- ... Natalie Sitt (now Mrs. Joe Shalom) was the Tom-Boy of 67th St.
- ... men were compelled to wear two-piece bathing suits. (Today even the girls are doing away with it as much as possible.)
- ... only the tough gang played "Ring-O-Leevee-O."
- ... we bought a penny piece of "UMMERDEEN" from "Aboo Yin Tob" and made it last a whole day in Hebrew classes.
- ... we took our basic-training with home-made wooden guns shooting paper squares.
- ... the boys bought "loosies" for a penny a piece.
- ... we ate pickle sandwiches on hard-seeded rolls.
- ... old roller skates, orange boxes and a long board made better scooters than most kids can buy today.
- ... we used to gamble with "HIMOSS" playing the treacherous game of monopoly.
- ... Ike Grazi & Ralph Kboudi owned a jalopy that ran wonderful—down hill.
- ... Sam Chabbott, Teddy Tawil and Joe Zalta played "IMEE'S" in the gutter for hours.
- ... Abe Cohen loved steaming hot sweet potatoes available at the corner push-cart for a penny.
- ... Bella Cohen (now Mrs. Mike Nehmad) played "Three Feet to Germany."
- ... Amy wore pig-tails and drove the boys crazy.
- ... Earl Fallack played the pin-ball machine at Sawyers'.
- ... we went to the "Dumps" with "Mihshee" sandwiches and an assortment of fruits.
- ... Izzy Dweck did his homework diligently and all the boys copied it.
- ... Jack Mizrahi was known as "The General."
- ... Abe Abadi's yellow convertible made such a hit six years ago.
- ... Miss Loonie, music teacher at Seth Low, got so excited scolding Joe Hollywood her wig fell off!
- ... the hangout was Mrs. Appel's and "The Ol'Man's" candy stores on 67th St. and 20th Avenue.
- ... Joe Cohen (Ibn Sarah) could make the gang laugh for hours.
- ... most of Miami Beach was swamp-land. (After a trip to Hialeah, J.B. says they should've left it that way.)
- ... after a hurricane, Ralph, Max, Hardy, Itch and I went to Lincoln Road in a row boat.
- ... last, but not least, I remember when there wasn't a single club in the community!

THE MEMBERS OF

CLUB TWENTY-SIX

wish to extend their best wishes to the
community for a Happy Passover

THIS AND THAT

By IDA KNOW

Nobody Asked Us To Copy Jimmy Cannon, But:

The Haber twins have now developed into triplets, with the coming of Claudie. . . . The popularity of Dubrow's for a late Saturday snack is beginning to wane in favor of Cooky's, and lately of Carl's. . . . Boys all agog over Ga-Ga.

The S.Y.'s are really pleasure-travel-conscious lately. We've got Frieda Safdeye and Paulette Beyda in California (probably back by the time this goes to press)—Jack Beda and Elias Manopola back in Colombia after a happy and hectic visit—and all the guys and dolls commuting back and forth from Florida are hardly recognizable after that Miami sun got through with them.

Raymond Dweck back from China—boys better watch their girls—girls better watch. . . . Mac Tawil singing, "Wedding bells are breaking up that old crowd of mine." . . . Two gals by the name of Sally have two guys by the name of Joe wondering. . . . "Dapper" climbing to even greater heights—(are we too subtle?) . . . Now that Abe Hedaya is home, Ash and Eddie can start operating again. . . . Sol's friends up to their old tricks again—seems they short-sheeted and soaked him, on his Engagement night, no less! . . . Hi Haddad returned the \$10.00 he won from the Club Garnets raffle. Watch out for these girls.

SUCCESS DEPT.: The Amateur nights held every few Wednesday nights at the Socials are really packing them in. Highlight of them all was a couple of weeks ago—the place was blacked out, except for a dim light on the stage spotlighting Joe Laniado as the "Hunchback of Notre Dame," complete with makeup, torn clothes, and hump on the back. He did a dramatization from the play and not a sound could be heard—in fact quite a few people were affected by the act, it was done with such sincerity and emotion. Winchell would give him orchids—M.G.M. would call it colossal! overwhelming!—The "News" would give it ***½*, but we at the C.B. call him the greatest find since . . . (you fill it in here, we don't know what the greatest find is, yet.)

SPORTS DEPT.: "Deacon" one of the ping-pong champs at the C.C.O.B. . . . Lou Franco pitching curves—on the field on Sundays, of course. . . . Abner, Alfred, Sonny, Inc., pooling around the pool table—(that was punny, don't you think?)

LET'S GET SERIOUS FOR A PARAGRAPH DEPT.: For you who say that this paper is dry, how about writing something, anything—and sending it in to us—we'll cut it, add to it, or leave the article as is and print it—as you wish. And if you're by-line conscious, we'll put your name to it in big red letters, or else leave it anonymous—as you prefer! If you would like to join the staff get in touch with any of the members. Believe-us you'll have a pretty grand time at our weekly meetings—there's a lot of horseplay, music, and refreshments, and sometimes we even get something accomplished. Some of the boys from the Country Club have approached us and asked if they could help to stimulate interest in this paper. So come out from in front of that Television set all you wits, and let's hear from you (on paper preferably).

DRAMA DEPT.: There was a bit of excitement in ye olde Sweetbox the other day (no, the other month, by the time this gets out), when a monstrous creature out of the Baskervilles followed some innocent young S.Y. kid into the back of the store. In spite of the terrifying size of the brute, all those there maintained their composure—somewhat humored by boss Irving's command—"Get that horse outta here!" (We also understand that some of the occupants were hurt by that remark.)—Stick by your phones, boys, 'cause some young 8th termers are gonna call you up! Lafayette's prom is on June 2nd and the bashful girls keep putting off asking you till the last possible moment—Give 'em some encouragement, willya?

Now that you've gotten to the bottom of this column, how about reading some of the others—you might find them "Conversation Pieces."

Common Sense

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