

Yahrzeits
Kaddish will be recited for the following departed loved ones whose names are inscribed for perpetual tribute on the Memorial Tablets of our Congregation:

March 6, 1970

Vera S. Wertheimer
David Block
J. Herman C. Hart
Baer Sonin
Rabbi Frederick Cohn
Hyman Ferer
Helen Bolker
Abraham Somberg
Edward Levinson
Tillie Cohen

March 13, 1970

Blanche R. Altman
Reuben Kulakofsky
Clarence L. Bergman
Joseph Danbaum
Mollie Cohen
Laura Goetz
Frank Kropman
Maurice D. Micklin
Abraham Bolker
Leo Fox
Herman Steinberg

Temple Members in the News—

Jerold Dann, recently elected First Vice President of the Omaha Restaurant Association.

Edward D. Brodkey, recently elected President of the Omaha Bankers Association.

Mark Trustin, named one of three principal nominees for appointment to the United States Air Force Academy.

Mrs. Millard Rosenberg named a co-chairman of the Pacesetters Division 1970 Jewish Philanthropies Women's Division Campaign.

Mrs. Arthur Novak named a co-chairman of the Young Women's Division 1970 Jewish Philanthropies Campaign.

Leroy A. Katz elected President of Central Western Market Association.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

Rabbi's Discretionary Fund
IN MEMORY OF:
Israel Bakesff, a gift by John Sutin.
Veta Cohen, a gift by Evelyn, Bruce and Steven Hoberman.
Eva Cohn, a gift by Dr. and Mrs. Maynard Greenberg, Dr. and Mrs. Maurice Pepper.
Jean Winstock Einstein, Yahrzeit, a gift by Richard K. Einstein.
Mrs. Jay M. Malashock, a gift by Mr. and Mrs. Albert B. Newman.
Nathan Rivkin, a gift by Mr. and Mrs. Martin J. Lehr, Dr. and Mrs. Maurice Pepper.

Educational Fund
IN MEMORY OF:
Veta Cohen, a gift by Mr. Morton Ehrenreich, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Lehr.
Eva Cohn, a gift by Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Aronson, Mr. and Mrs. A. Frank, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Hess, Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Landow.
Rosalie Dannis, a gift by Mrs. Samuel E. Gilinsky.
Nathan Epstein, a gift by Mrs. Samuel E. Gilinsky.
Mrs. Jay M. Malashock, a gift by Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Taxman.
Nathan Rivkin, a gift by Mr. and Mrs. Herman Goldstein.

Art Beautification Fund
IN MEMORY OF:
Eva Cohn, a gift by Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Stern.
Mrs. Jay M. Malashock, a gift by Mr. and Mrs. Richard Goldman, Mr. and Mrs. Marlon Somberg, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Stern.
Lena Rosinsky, a gift by Mr. and Mrs. Norman Lincoln and girls.

Heritage-Museum Fund
IN MEMORY OF:
Mrs. Jay M. Malashock, a gift by Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Harris.

SISTERHOOD MEETING
FEATURES McMORRIS

Temple Israel Sisterhood March 10th meeting will feature Robert McMorris. His topic will be, "The Frustrated Generation". Mr. McMorris has been with the Omaha World-Herald for 18 years and has written his column for the last six years.

Mrs. Julius Newman will be luncheon chairman. There will be no board meeting. Sitter service will be available.

Make your reservations with the Temple office.

NFTY Fund
IN MEMORY OF:
Veta Cohen, a gift by Mr. and Mrs. Morey Landman, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Malkin.

Library Fund
IN MEMORY OF:
Melvin Burns, a gift by Mr. and Mrs. Morton Hiller.
Veta Cohen, a gift by Dr. and Mrs. Earl Wigodsky.
Eva Cohn, a gift by Mr. and Mrs. O. H. (Cris) Christensen, Mrs. Esther Klein Jacobs, Dr. and Mrs. Earl Wigodsky.
Mrs. Jay M. Malashock, a gift by Mr. and Mrs. Morton Hiller.
Nathan Rivkin, a gift by Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Burkenroad, Mr. and Mrs. Jack W. Marer.
Morris and Fanny Sophir, Yahrzeit, a gift by Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sophir.

Garber Memorial Fund
IN MEMORY OF:
Veta Cohen, a gift by Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Aronson.
Eva Cohn, a gift by Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Taren.
Norton Garon, a gift by Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Taxman.
Mrs. Jay M. Malashock, a gift by Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Taren.
Pearl Rosen, a gift by Mrs. Joe Rosen.

Charles Rosenstock Memorial Fund
IN MEMORY OF:
Joseph Jacobs, a gift by Mrs. Samuel E. Gilinsky and Family.
Mrs. Jay M. Malashock, a gift by Mr. and Mrs. Warner Frohman.
Sarah Zemurray, Yahrzeit, a gift by Mrs. Samuel E. Gilinsky and Family.
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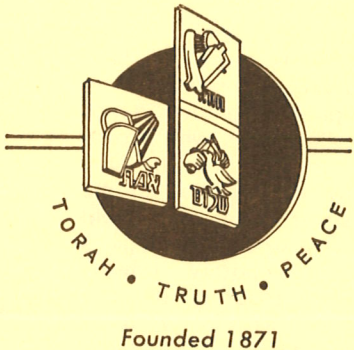
A FEMALE STUDENT RABBI
Every other week a young lady leaves the Cincinnati campus of Hebrew Union College-Jewish Institute of Religion, flies to Atlanta and from Atlanta to New Orleans, where she takes a car and drives to Hattiesburg, Mississippi. There the young lady, Miss Sally Priesand, conducts services at Congregation B'nai Israel. Miss Priesand is a rabbinical student and serving a congregation on weekends is part of her practical training.

"A rabbi," Miss Priesand says, "is a scholar, a teacher, a preacher, counselor and comforter and a preserver of Judaism." She sees no reason why as a woman she should be less able to serve in any of these capacities than a man. A third-year student now, Sally Priesand looks forward to the time when she will complete her studies and enter the rabbinate.

GIFTS OF INSCRIBED PRAYER BOOKS
In memory of Henry Feldman, by Mr. and Mrs. Albert B. Newman.
In memory of Harry Kubby, by Mr. and Mrs. Sherman C. Sperling and Kathy.
In memory of Harry Kubby, Yahrzeit, by Mrs. Harry Kubby.
In memory of Harry Kubby, by Mr. and Mrs. Albert B. Newman.
In memory of Ruth Gross Malashock, by Mr. and Mrs. Leo Eisenstatt.
In memory of Ruth Gross Malashock, by Mr. Gordon Gross.
In memory of Ruth Gross Malashock, by Mr. and Mrs. Joe Levinsky.
In memory of Ruth Gross Malashock, by Mr. and Mrs. Gerald S. Gross.

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IT SEEMS TO ME . . .
During Rabbi Brooks' absence from the country, we have as guest writer for his "IT SEEMS TO ME" column, Mr. Morris Hoffman. As you know, Mr. Hoffman is Educational Director of our religious school. His thoughts and observations are timely, provocative and worthy of careful reading.

CONFESSIONS OF AN EDUCATOR
Secretly I've always admired and believed in the philosophy of Samuel Johnson when he stated:

We talked of education of children and what was best to teach them first. "Sir," said he, "There is no matter what you teach them first, any more than what leg you shall put into your breeches first. Sir, you may stand disputing which best to put in first, but in the meantime your backside is bare. Sir, while you are considering which of two things you should teach your child first, another boy has learnt 'em both!"

S. Johnson
Today, while this statement may bring forth a smile, it would at the same time be unpopular in pedagogical circles where such
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SIDNEY H. BROOKS, M.H.L.
Rabbi
Manfred F. Kuttner,
Cantor

Friday, March 6
8:15 p.m. SABBATH EVENING SERVICES
Guest Speaker: MR. MORRIS HOFFMAN
Director of Education
Temple Israel Religious School
"HOW IMPORTANT IS THE RELIGIOUS EDUCATION AT TEMPLE ISRAEL?"
Cantor Manfred F. Kuttner and Mr. Harold P. Farber will officiate
Sabbath Coffee Hour

Saturday, March 7
11:00 a.m. SABBATH MORNING SERVICES
Bar Mitzvah
of
Stanley Wasserkrug,
son of
Mr. William Wasserkrug

Friday, March 13
8:15 p.m. SABBATH EVENING SERVICES
Guest Speaker: MR. HAROLD ADLER
Regional Director Anti-Defamation League
"HOW CHRISTIAN MINISTERS VIEW THE STATE OF ISRAEL"
Cantor Manfred F. Kuttner and Mr. Maurice Gilmore will officiate
Sabbath Coffee Hour

Saturday, March 14
11:00 a.m. SABBATH MORNING SERVICES

IT SEEMS TO ME . . .

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terms as "child centered", "school centered", "book centered", have become guiding philosophies. Who am I to dispute the outpourings of these so called sages who would formulize our education and have us teach by the "method of the month" system? Logically, it would then follow that Jewish religious education is smoothly flowing along. The outpouring of new textbooks, audio visuals, programmed learning, is fantastic and yet it seems all these innovations are packed in a box of 19th century vintage. I am not a mathematician, but I've done some careful researching and have come up with this statistical tidbit: We annually spend over \$60,000,000 on Jewish educations and not even 1% of that amount goes for research — that is, measuring and evaluating. We may well end up computerizing education and render our school system obsolete, but be that as it may, we cannot overlook the relationship between the teacher and the child. A value centered appraisal, such as we try to use at Temple Israel, does not depend primarily on textbooks, but upon the care of teaching itself. It is the teacher who weaves the magic spell in the classroom, taking mundane facts and weaving a veritable cloth of relevancy. However, arriving at this is not an easy task. We at Temple Israel are not content with present methods. We plead guilty to being called "Obstinate Enthusiasts". The months and years ahead will most assuredly find us "rocking the boat", seeking ways to develop desirable attitudes, appreciations, beliefs and commitments. There will be headaches and heartaches, but there will also be complete involvement.

M.H.

Honored at Sabbath Services

February 13, 1970

Candle Blessing Mrs. Herbert Kotzen
Kiddush Herbert Kotzen
Torah Blessing Don Greenberg
Torah Blessing . . . Elmer Greenberg

February 20, 1970

Candle Blessing . . Mrs. Alan Simon
Kiddush Alan Simon
Torah Blessing Lester Simon
Torah Blessing . . . L. H. Greenhouse

NURSERY SCHOOL

The Temple Israel Nursery announces it is now taking registrations for September, 1971.

Members have preference on these registrations until April 15.

As always, our Nursery is staffed by our excellent teachers, Peggy Cohen and Phyllis Rosinsky.

We will have a 3 day and 5 day 4-year-old group, as well as a 2 day 3-year-old group.

Please call:

Judy Goldstein (3-year-old group) 393-5687.

Roey Meyers (4-year-old group) 393-0425.

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There are openings in the 3-year-old Nursery School for the second semester of 1969-70. Call Judy Goldstein — 393-5687.

Hebrew Class Awards

The following students received individual special awards for earning 10 merits during Hebrew Class Sessions:

Paul Greenberg — Daled I
Sam Rosinsky — Daled I
Cantor Manfred F. Kuttner is the Hebrew Class instructor.

NOMINEES FOR SISTERHOOD OFFICERS — 1970-71

President Mrs. David E. Beber
Executive Vice-President Mrs. Martin Lehr
Ways and Means Vice-President Mrs. Joseph Stern
Membership Vice-President Mrs. Jack B. Cohen
Sisterhood Services Mrs. Philip Fox
Recording Secretary Mrs. Avrum Greenberg
Corresponding Secretary Mrs. Stanley Slosburg
Treasurer Mrs. Michael Solzman
Dues Secretary Mrs. Donald Sturm
Parliamentarian Mrs. Stanley Perlmeter

Nominating Committee: Mrs. Lazar Kaplan
Mrs. Lloyd Friedman
Mrs. Michael Solzma
Mrs. Norman Lincoln
Mrs. Louis Lipp

Congratulations on the Birth of—

Rebecca Gail Norton, to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond G. Norton. Grandparents are Dr. and Mrs. Harold L. Stern and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Norton of Abilene, Texas. Great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Herman Friedlander and Mrs. Charles Stern.

Congratulations on the Engagement of—

Miss Linda Sue Priesman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Justin S. Priesman, to Sgt. Michael Lynn Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm C. Smith, of Council Bluffs, Iowa.

Miss Judith A. Earp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James W. Earp, to Mr. Gerald B. Simons, son of Dr. and Mrs. Milton Simons.

Congratulations on the Wedding of—

Mrs. Darlynn Walker and Mr. Thomas H. Fellman, whose wedding took place February 19 at Temple Israel with Rabbi Sidney H. Brooks and Rabbi Myer S. Kripke officiating.

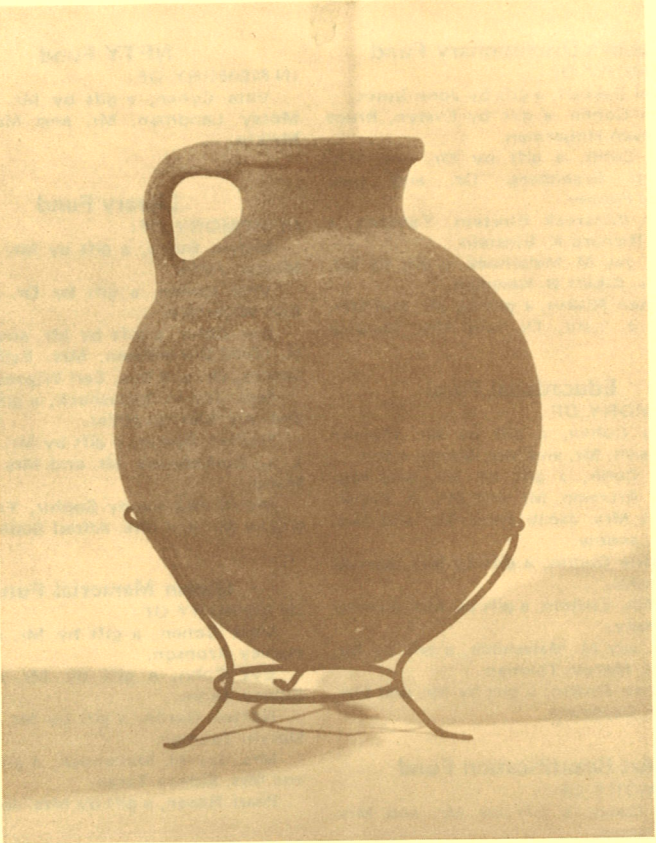
Mrs. Walker is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Meyerson, and Mr. Fellman, the son of Dr. Leon Fellman.

Miss Felice Ann Stern and Mr. Jeffrey Michael Stern, whose wedding took place February 22 in Birmingham, Alabama. Miss Stern is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Max Stern, of Birmingham, and Mr. Stern the son of Dr. and Mrs. Harold Stern.

CALENDAR

MARCH

- 4- 6 Nursery School — 4-yr. 9:00 a.m.
- 4 Coffee with the Rabbi CANCELLED
- 4-11 Hebrew Classes—Gimmel (3) 4:00 and 5:00 p.m.
- 5 Nursery School — 3-yr. 9:30 a.m.
- 5-12 Hebrew Classes — Beth (2) 4:00 and 5:00 p.m.
- 6 Sabbath Evening Services 8:15 p.m.
- 7 Religious School 9:00 a.m.
- Sabbath Morning Services 11:00 a.m.
- 8 Religious School 10:00 a.m.
- 9-11-13 Nursery School — 4-yr. 9:00 a.m.
- 9-16 Hebrew Classes — Daled (4) 4:00 and 5:00 p.m.
- 10-12 Nursery School — 3-yr. 9:30 a.m.
- 10 Sisterhood Luncheon 1:00 p.m.
- (No Board Meeting)
- 10-17 Hebrew Classes — Aleph (1) 4:00 and 5:00 p.m.
- 10 Confirmation Class at Countryside Community Church 4:30 p.m.
- 11 Coffee with the Rabbi CANCELLED
- 13 Sabbath Evening Services 8:15 p.m.
- 14 Religious School 9:00 a.m.
- Sabbath Morning Services 11:00 a.m.



RARE ITEMS IN TEMPLE ISRAEL'S MUSEUM — XIV

Our Museum displays several rare items of our distant past. In the last hundred years, archeology has filled in the map of the ancient world. This EARTHEN PITCHER excavated near Jericho and believed to be from 1500 B.C.E. is a gift of the firm of Joshua Simon, Tel Aviv to Cantor Kuttner.

Temple Israel Youth Group

presents

The Purim Carnival

SUNDAY

MARCH 22, 1970

2:00 - 5:00

Food Games Prizes
10 Tickets — \$1.00

PULPIT FLOWERS

February 6

In memory of Goldye Feder, by Mr. and Mrs. Leo Eisenstatt.

February 13

In honor of the Bas Mitzvah of Kim Kotzen, by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Kotzen.

In memory of Harry Greene, by Mrs. Harry Greene and Family.

Gifts in Honor of

80th birthday of C. J. Bracker, a gift to the Educational Fund, by Mr. and Mrs. Burt Robinson.

50th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Greenberg, a gift to the Art Beautification Fund, by Mr. and Mrs. Norman Lincoln and girls.

IN A GREAT TRADITION

When Isaac Mayer Wise founded Hebrew Union College and while he was its president, he never tired of reminding American Jews that Reform Judaism would have no future without a flourishing seminary of its own, staffed by eminent professors. His son-in-law, the great pioneering newspaper publisher Adolph S. Ochs, was mindful of this admonition. In 1925 he accepted the chairmanship of the committee for the raising of a five-million-dollar endowment fund for the College and headed the list of contributors with a gift of \$500,000. A chair in Jewish History at the Cincinnati School bears his name. And now, Ochs' daughter, Mrs. Arthur Hays Sulzberger, the granddaughter of the founder of the College, has established, with a fund of at least half-a-million dollars, a chair in Biblical literature in memory of her mother, Effie Wise Ochs, and also in honor of President Glueck's forthcoming seventieth birthday.

Truly, the seeds of a great tradition have borne memorable fruit.

Gifts for the Speedy Recovery of

Jack Alberts, a gift to the Rabbi's Discretionary Fund, by Mrs. Celia F. Cassman.

Mrs. Isadore Abramson, a gift to the Art Beautification Fund, by Mr. and Mrs. Jack B. Cohen, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Stern; a gift to the Library Fund by Mrs. S. H. Katelman; a gift to the Heritage-Museum Fund, by Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Taren; a gift to the Educational Fund, by Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Taxman.

Mrs. Walter Greenberg, a gift to the Educational Fund, by Dr. and Mrs. Melvin Tatelman.

N. Julian Rips, a gift to the NFTY Fund, by Mr. and Mrs. Jack W. Marer.

Edward Shapiro, a gift to the Art Beautification Fund by Mr. and Mrs. Joseph F. Stern.

Mrs. Anne Steinberg, a gift to the Educational Fund, by Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Taxman.

Mr. Laurence Tauken, a gift to the Rabbi's Discretionary Fund, by Dr. and Mrs. Maynard Greenberg.