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## New Committees Take Over Plans For Next Year

Committees for 1953-54 were announced today by Max Kominsky, council president. In announcing his committees for the year Mr. Kominsky stated, "the success of our Council depends upon the willingness of individuals to assume the responsibility of committee work. I am pleased that so many persons have accepted assignments on our functioning committees."

Committees already appointed and planning next year's program include:

Program Committee—Mrs. Lawrence Cutler, chairman.

Children's Activities — Martin Schneider, chairman; Mrs. Joseph Emple, Mrs. Gerald Rudman, Mrs. Harry Stern, Mrs. Samuel Stern, Norman Rothschild, Isadore Solomon.

Youth Activities—Mrs. George Silver, chairman; Simon Nissenbaum, Mrs. Gordon Striar, Mrs. Edward Allen, Mrs. Avraham Freedman, Mrs. Max Lacritz.

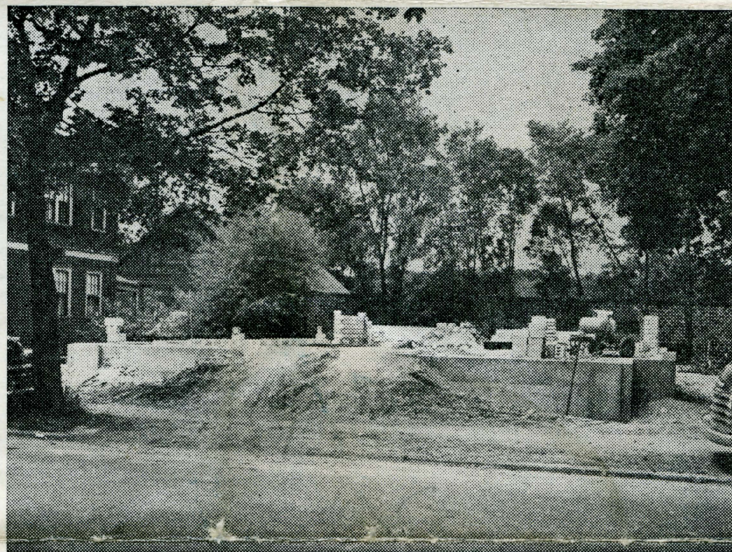
Adult Activities—Samuel Rudman, Albert Friedman, Dr. Joseph Lezberg, Dan Rosen, Julius Gass, Edward Gross, Gerald Rudman, Mrs. David Rapaport.

Finance Committee—Dr. Howard Kominsky, chairman; Joseph Emple, David Rudman, Milford Cohen, Dr. Joseph G. Ornstein, Edward Allen, Max Lacritz.

Coordinating Committee — Dr. Howard Kominsky, chairman; Mrs. Myer Minsky, Dr. David Shapira, Mrs. Julius Stone, Dan Rosen, Mrs. Milton Lincoln, Mrs. Maurice Shindler, Simon Nissenbaum, Mrs. Charles Robinson, Mrs. Philip Striar, Mrs. Howard Kominsky.

Public Relations—Edward Allen, chairman.

## Concrete Poured For Chapel Foundation, Plans Call For Completion Of Chapel By September



Personnel Committee—Mrs. Lawrence Cutler.

House Committee—Shirley Berger, chairman; Mrs. Maxwell Rapaport, co-chairman.

Nursery School—Mrs. Joseph Ornstein, chairman, Mrs. Arthur Lieberman, Mr. and Mrs. David Rudman, Mrs. Max Gass, Mrs. Stanley Connors.

Day Camp Committee — Neil Glazier, chairman; Mrs. Alfred Todtman, Mrs. Max Gass, Mrs. Shirley Berger, Nathan Sucher, David Miller, Harold Cowan.

## Youngsters Await Opening Of Camp Sasone On Monday

Oh boy! Camp opens next Monday—is the call of our youngsters as they eagerly await another season at Camp Sasone.

With the roll call at 10:00 o'clock on Monday, June 29th, more than thirty children will begin their six weeks of fun and "learning by doing."

Our Day Camp Committee, under the chairmanship of Neil Glazier, has held several meetings to discuss the camp program for the season. Every effort will be extended to provide our youngsters with ample opportunities to develop their skills and learn to work and play with other children. Mr. Glazier stated, "emphasis at Camp Sasone will be on the child and his needs."

Counselors this year will be Miss Thelma Stevens, graduate of Ohio State University, Mrs. Lynn Clark, graduate of the University of Maine; Sewall Chason and Harvey Leavitt, juniors at the University of Maine; as counselors, Miss Jessie Levy, arts and crafts teacher; Mrs. Morris Bloom, camp cook, and Mrs. Milton Lin-

## Congratulations To Our Graduates, 1953

Congratulations and best wishes to the following graduates of 1953.

Constance Schiro, Estelle Gotlib, Ida Joy Rosen, Rachel Nachum, Sandra Lacritz, Howard Silver, Kadimah Freedman, Robert Levine, Stephen Podolsky, David Price, Sheldon Hartstone, Gerald Less, of Bangor High School.

Leon Segal, Philip Gotlib, of University of Maine.

Paul Emple, Cheshire Academy.  
Paul Rudman, Exeter Academy.  
Peter Harpel, Hebron Academy.

## IMPORTANT NOTICE!

It is planned to publish, in this coming New Year's Bulletin, a personal greeting from all those whose names were listed in last year's New Year's Bulletin.

Should anyone wish his name omitted from or added to the 1953 personal greeting list, please phone the Center Office before July 15th.

The personal greeting charge will be the same as last year—\$2.00 per family.

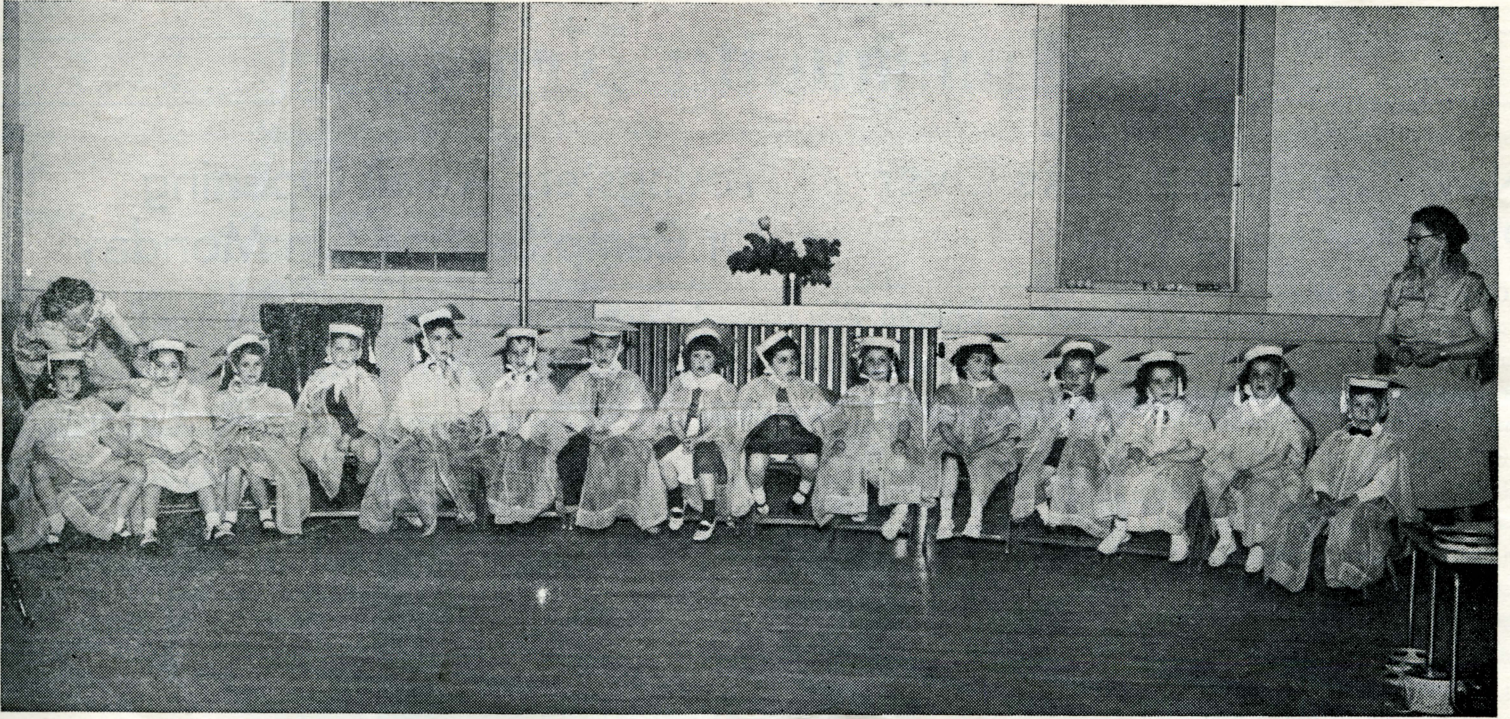
## CENTER THEATRE GUILD PLAN NEXT SEASON'S ACTIVITIES

Mrs. Howard Kominsky was elected president of the Center Theatre Guild at a meeting held recently.

Mrs. Kominsky announced today that the Guild will present two plays next season. November 4 and 5 have been set as the dates for their first performance and a production will be staged in May for the Center Sisterhood.

In discussing plans for next season, Mrs. Kominsky said, "The Guild will welcome all persons interested in any phase of drama workshop and I hope that our membership will increase so that more persons will be able to actively participate in our work."

Regular meetings of the Guild will be held on the third Thursday of the month.



This picture of our Nursery School "graduating class" was taken at the closing exercises of the school held on Friday, May 29. The new term will start on September 15. Registration may be made at the Center office.

## J. W. B. GREETED BY PRESIDENT EISENHOWER JEWISH HOLIDAY CALENDAR FOR 1953-54

WASHINGTON, D. C.—President Dwight D. Eisenhower this week hailed the Jewish Community Center and YM-YWHA as "an asset of rare worth to the life and developing civilization of our America." The occasion for the President's praise is the Centennial Celebration of the Jewish Community Center and YM-YWHA as an American institution. The celebration will open in the fall and will end in the spring of 1954.

In a message to Frank L. Weil, of New York, honorary president of the National Jewish Welfare Board (JWB) and chairman of the Centennial Committee, President Eisenhower said:

"I am happy to learn that the Jewish Community Center is preparing to celebrate the one hundredth anniversary of its establishment. The century of significant human service the Jewish Community Center has rendered makes it an asset of rare worth to the life and developing civilization of our America.

"It is good to know that there are close to three hundred and fifty of these Jewish Community Centers—and YMHAs, as they are also known—functioning so effectively in hundreds of our communities throughout the land. I should also like to recognize once again the work of the National Jewish Welfare Board, for it is this organization which is the national association of Centers and Ys. The Jewish Welfare Board has for many years given direction and guidance, skilled and heartening aid to these Centers.

"The Jewish Community Center has infused the ordinary lives of an uncounted number of people—ranging in age from the pre-school child to the senior citizen—with purpose, cheer, creative self-awareness, and lively meaning. For this dedicated work, the Jewish Community Centers and YMHAs of America deserve the gratitude of millions.

"I take profound pleasure in expressing my appreciation of this institution on this memorable occasion.

Sincerely,

/s/ Dwight D. Eisenhower"

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ROSH HASHONAH begins *Wednesday evening, September 9* and ends *Friday evening, September 11.*

YOM KIPPUR begins *Friday evening, September 18* and ends *Saturday evening, September 19.*

SUCCOTH begins *Wednesday evening, September 23* and ends *Friday evening, September 25.*

SHMINI ATZERETH and SIMCHOTH TORAH begins *Wednesday evening, September 30* and ends *Friday evening, October 2nd.*

CHANUKAH begins *Tuesday evening December 1* and ends *Wednesday evening, December 9.*

PURIM begins *Thursday evening, March 18* and ends *Friday evening, March 19.*

FIRST DAYS OF PESACH begins *Saturday evening, April 17* and ends *Monday evening, April 19.*

LATTER DAYS OF PESACH begins *Friday evening, April 23* and ends *Sunday evening, April 25.*

SHEVUOTH begins *Sunday evening, June 6* and ends *Tuesday evening, June 8.*

### CONGRATULATIONS

#### BAR MITZVAH

To Mr. and Mrs. Edward Allen upon the recent Bar Mitzvah of their son **Max**.

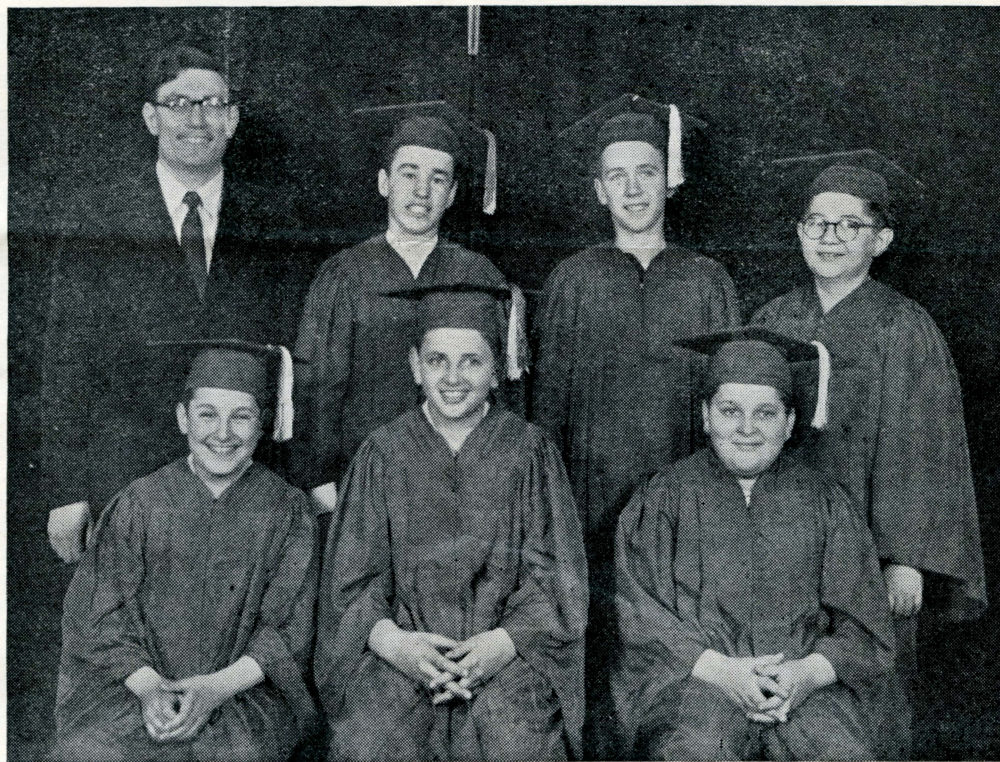
Mr. and Mrs. Louis Gotlieb upon the recent Bar Mitzvah of their son **Jerome**.

#### BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Schwartz upon the recent birth of a daughter.

The Jewish Community Council, its officers and Board of Directors deeply mourn the passing of Harry Broder. To his family we extend the sympathy of our community.

# HEBREW SCHOOL GRADUATES SIX STUDENTS



Seated, left to right: Michael Striar, Jerome Gotlieb, Maxwell Miller.  
 Standing: Rabbi David Gorlin, Gerald Rolnick, William Cohen, Max Allen.

## Hebrew School Holds Closing Exercises

Capped and gowned the six young men pictured above walked down the aisle to receive their Hebrew School diplomas. Signifying their completion of six years of study, diplomas were presented to them by Dr. James Siegal, at exercises held at the Center on Thursday evening, June 11th.

Class day exercises were conducted by the five lower grades and certificates were presented to the children for Junior Congregation attendance, scholarship standing and school attendance.

Receiving certificates were:

### HONOR CERTIFICATES

Grade I—Stephen Brickel, Marvin Glazier, Arthur Gordon, Alan

Lincoln, Stanley Michelson, Gail Segal and Joseph Siegal.

Grade II—Barry Hartstone, Gail Kaprow, David Levine and Barbara Rolnick.

Grade III — Stephen Alpert, Michael Goodman, Charlotte Gopan, Paula Rolsky, Toby Slep, Mameve Stern, Sheila Striar, and Arnold Weiss.

Grade V—Byron Dresner, Gary Slep and Marshall Stern.

### JUNIOR CONGREGATION SERVICES

Grade I—Joel Alpert, Peggy Emple, Henry Goodstein, Arthur Gordon, Alan Lincoln, Stanley Michelson.

Grade II — Francine Alpert, Barbara Rolnick, Howard Stern.

Grade III—Richard Allen, Stephen Alpert, Nathan Day, Char-

lotte Gopan, Michael Goodman, Paula Rolsky, Irwin Singer, Toby Slep, Sheila Striar, Arnold Weiss, Susan Braveman.

Grade IV—Bruce Alpert, Morton Sclair.

Grade V—Byron Dresner, Barry Lieberman, Gary Slep and Marshall Stern.

### CLASS ATTENDANCE

Grade I—Joel Alpert, Norman Braveman, Stephen Brickel, Marvin Glazier, Henry Goodstein, Arthur Gordon, Alan Lincoln, Stanley Michelson, Mark Robinson, Gail Segal, Joseph Siegal.

Grade II—Francine Alpert, Stephen Gotlieb, Ronald Grossman, Gail Kaprow, David Levine, Barbara Rolnick, Howard Stern.

Grade III—Richard Allen, Na-

than Day, Joel Gopan, Joel Sazin, Irwin Singer.

Grade IV—Bruce Alpert, Robert Rosen, Morton Sclair, Harry Tabenken.

Grade V—Barry Lieberman.

## Rabbi And Mrs. Gorlin To Leave Bangor

Rabbi and Mrs. David Gorlin have announced that they are leaving our Hebrew School faculty to accept another position. Rabbi and Mrs. Gorlin have endeared themselves to the children of our school and to the children and youth with whom they have been associated with in their Center work.

We all wish them success and happiness in their new position.

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### Jewish News From Here And There

With the Finaly children still apparently in Spain, the Grand Rabbi of France, Jacob Kaplan, this week unleashed a blast at the Catholic authorities of France for their failure to honor a three-month old agreement providing for the return of the children. The pact also set forth the conditions under which the children would be brought up until they were old enough to choose their own religion.

Cardinal Gerlier of Lyons, Catholic Primate of France, entered a "formal protest" against the Grand Rabbi's questioning of the good faith of the Catholic hierarchy in France and said that when it was possible to make public all the facts in the case it would be seen that the Catholic authorities had made serious efforts to keep the agreement.

A meeting of leaders of the United Jewish Appeal and the

Israel Bond Drive in the United States will take place in Jerusalem in the near future to prepare for representative Jewish gatherings in the Fall, it was announced in Israel by Finance Minister Levi Eshkol. He said that the Israel Government is determined to continue the sale of bonds in the hope that "Jewry will respond fully" to the campaign. However, he added that "the shape and conditions of the bond campaign will be mutually decided upon."

A drive for \$500,000 for the building of an international memorial to the six million Jews martyred in Europe by the Nazis has been launched by a special committee in the U. S. The memorial will be located in Paris on a site donated by that city's government. The committee launching the U. S. drive includes such leaders as Sen. Herbert Lehman, Dr. Nahum Goldmann, Jacob Blaustein, Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver and Edward M. M. Warburg.

Concluding a five-day visit to the Jewish State, Adlai Stevenson this week suggested that a meeting of the Israeli and Arab Premiers would make an important contribution to peace and stability in the Middle East. At the same time, he admitted that during his visits to various Arab states he had found little indication of a willingness on the part of the Arabs to participate in such a meeting.

During his visit, Mr. Stevenson literally travelled the length and breadth of the country—from Galilee to Eilath from Jerusalem to Tel Aviv. He met with President Ben Zvi, Premier Ben Gurion and Foreign Minister Sharett; he talked with government leaders, educators, immigrants and workers. Afterwards, he said that he had learned the problems and achievements of the Israeli people and would interpret them to his people.

At the UN it was announced that Major Gen. Vagn Bennike of Denmark has been appointed chief of staff of the United Nations truce supervision organization in Palestine to succeed Lt. Gen. William E. Riley, who resigned effective May 15. The 65-year-old veteran of Denmark's engineering and telegraphic corps and of the underground, will proceed to Jerusalem to take up his new duties on June 17.

Negotiations between world Jewish organizations and the Austrian

Government over Jewish claims for damages suffered during the Nazi regime will open here officially on June 22. A spokesman for Chancellor Julius Raab stated that he hopes to come to a speedy settlement with the Jewish organizations provided they consider Austria's economic status and do not present "exaggerated claims."

The Israel Cabinet crisis ended this week after nine days with the four General Zionist Ministers returning to their former posts after the Mapai had decided to compromise on the red flag-labor anthem issue. The agreement was that the Minister of Education would issue instructions barring the use of all flags and anthems except the national flag and anthems in the state schools and that the entire education bill would be submitted to Parliament shortly.

The compromise came after the Mapai central executive, reversing itself on the flag-anthem issue, decided to submit the question for discussion in the party branches throughout the country and then later to a meeting of the 400-member central council.

The draft bill to indemnify individual victims of Nazism, to which the West German Government gave its preliminary endorsement more than a week ago, has been transmitted officially to the Bundesrat, the Upper House of the Bonn Parliament. The measure now has at least seven major hurdles to get over in less than the four weeks which remain before Parliament adjourns on July 3. It is doubtful whether the Parliament will ever reassemble before its official dissolution later in the year.

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