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Israel that they go forward.”

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HAMMERSMITH & WEST KENSINGTON SYNAGOGUE

ANNUAL REPORT

The Honorary Officers and Board of Management beg to submit the Annual Report for the past year.

Income for the past year amounted to £7,632.

Membership stands at 534. We are aiming at a figure of 600. Would members kindly advise the Secretary of any unattached or new residents in the locality?

New Kitchens. Thanks to the splendid efforts of the Menorah Charity Group, a modern spacious New Kitchen has been constructed with up-to-date equipment which will enable catering to be undertaken on a much larger scale.

Communal Hall. Extensive decoration has been undertaken in the Communal Hall. The overall colour scheme has been altered to contrasting pastel shades of grey, blue and rose.

Hebrew and Religion Classes. A classes Roll of 110 with an effective Sunday attendance of 85 pupils is being maintained. The co-operation of all parents is sought in ensuring an improved mid-week attendance in order to raise educational standards. During the year, pupils of our classes have been successful in the subject of Classical Hebrew in the G.C.E. examination, in the School Certificate Examination of Jews' College and the Junior Examination of the London Board.

A new, far-reaching scheme is being evolved of District Religion Classes centred at Hammersmith, to incorporate children from the neighbouring synagogues of Shepherds Bush, Fulham, Putney and Wimbledon. This pioneering educational venture will come into force on May 3rd, 1959.

The Children's Synagogue continues to hold regular and well-attended services on Sabbath and Festivals. A new Ark, a Lectern, curtains, scroll-mantles and binders and Prayer Books have been presented for use in the Children's Synagogue. These appurtenances will be consecrated at a service to be held jointly with the inauguration of the Communal Library during May, 1959.

Communal Library. Preparations by the Library Committee are gathering momentum for the official opening of the Communal Library by Rabbi Dr. I. Epstein (Principal of Jews' College) on Sunday, May 24th, 1959.

A Youth and Discussion Group, conducted by Rev. S. Venitt, continues to meet at intervals at 69 Brook Green.

Popular Lectures. A successful series of lectures was held during the autumn session under the ægis of London University

and Jews' College. The lecturer was Rabbi Dr. H. Rabinowicz, B.A., who gave an absorbing course on "The History of Hassidism."

Chosan Torah and Chosan Bereshith. Mr. F. J. Gertler and Mr. R. L. Curtis were respectively Chosan Torah and Chosan Bereshith, and were most gracious hosts to all the members of the congregation.

Chanukah Service. The traditional Service was conducted by five selected boys assisted by the choral accompaniment of other pupils from the classes. Our thanks are due to the preparatory efforts of Rev. Venitt, Rev. Forscher and Mr. B. H. Busky in training the children so successfully.

J.P.A. Our total effort during 1958 (including the "Kol Nidrei" Appeal) raised a sum approximating to £1,800 for the great cause of Israel. A Reception and Supper in the New Block to launch our current J.P.A. Campaign was scheduled for Sunday, April 12th, 1959, the guest of honour being Mr. Ralph Rurka. The plight of our co-religionists in Roumania renders it vital for all congregants who were unable to attend this function to supplement our proceeds by sending an early and generous contribution. Cheques made payable to J.P.A. may be forwarded to the Synagogue Secretary.

Banquet and Ball. The Annual Synagogue Banquet and Ball which was held at the Criterion (Piccadilly) on Sunday, November 30th, 1958, was a great social success. As a result, the sum of £650 was raised. Our sincere thanks are due to Mr. J. N. Nisner (Functions Committee Chairman) and to all the members of his energetic and enthusiastic committee.

The next Dinner and Ball has been fixed for Sunday, December 13th, 1959, at the Café Royal under the chairmanship of Mr. Leslie Levy.

Benefactors. Our grateful thanks for the following gifts are due to:—

The Ladies' Guild	Decorations and gifts to the Succah during the Succoth Festival.
The Menorah Society	Installation of New Kitchen.
Mr. F. J. Hawkings	Floral Decorations for Shevuoth and Succoth.
Individual Members of the Synagogue	Decorations and gifts to the Succah.
Mr. H. Brandon	Ark for Children's Synagogue.
Mr. D. Ohayon and family	Ark Curtains, Mantles and Binders for Seforim, for Children's Synagogue.

Dr. and Mrs. F. Hodes ... Prayer Books for Children's Synagogue.

Mr. P. H. Rayman ... Clock for Communal Library.

and to all donors of gifts for the new Library and prizes for the pupils of the Classes.

During the year eight marriages were solemnised and thirteen boys celebrated their Barmitzvah. Each boy was presented with a certificate and suitably inscribed Prayer Book to commemorate the occasion.

The Honorary Officers desire to thank the Ministers and the Synagogue Secretary for their untiring efforts throughout the year.
Signed, on behalf of the Board,

L. FREEMAN } Wardens.
J. G. SILVER }
J. BONDT, Financial Representative.

COVENANTS

Members are once more urged to sign Covenants in connection with their contributions. By signing a Deed of Covenant, a Synagogue Member, provided he is paying tax at the full rate on sufficient of his income, can enable the Synagogue to benefit by recovering income tax at the current rate on his contributions.

The Secretary will be pleased to supply a form and give full details of the scheme and members are particularly urged to sign and return regularly the form R.185 which is sent twice yearly as, without this, no claims will be met by the Inland Revenue authorities.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

The ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING
OF THE CONGREGATION

will take place on

TUESDAY, 5th MAY, 1959
at 8 p.m. prompt

Refreshments. **Your Attendance is Earnestly Requested**

HAMMERSMITH SYNAGOGUE HEBREW AND RELIGION CLASSES

The educational standard of our classes has been maintained despite poor mid-week attendance.

We are glad to announce that Rachel Freeman and Leslie Venitt have passed in the subject of Classical Hebrew in the G.C.E. Examination held in July, 1958. Pamela Venitt was successful in the School Certificate Examination of Jews' College, and Vivien Pottesman was deferred in one subject. Irving Grose gained a prize in the Junior Examination of the London Board.

The Festival of Chanukah was celebrated on Sunday, 7th December, 1958, by a Children's Service in the Synagogue. The older pupils of the classes sang the familiar melodies with great spirit. Congratulations are due to Geoffrey Harris, Adrian Asher, Jeremy Grose, Irving Grose and Bernard Rose for their outstanding vocal efforts during the service. A dramatic presentation in the Communal Hall produced by Mrs. Sally Mark, drew a large audience.

The Annual Prize Distribution took place on Sunday, 5th April, 1959. The guest of honour was Alderman Mrs. Ruth Winston, J.P. (Mayor of Southgate). She undertook the dual role of distributing the prizes and addressing most warmly the gathering of pupils and parents. Rev. S. Venitt presented the Superintendent's Report on the year's class activities. Dr. L. Freeman, who presided, outlined the far-reaching scheme which has been envisaged by the London Board to set up comprehensive District Classes, centred at the Hammersmith Synagogue. He stated that a number of educational conferences had been held with delegates from Hammersmith, Shepherd's Bush, Fulham, Putney and Wimbledon congregations. Agreement had been reached to commence this conjoint educational scheme on the first Sunday after Pesach, 3rd May, 1959.

Such amalgamation of educational forces would give us a combined classes Roll in the neighbourhood of 170 children, and would thus create in Hammersmith the largest set of Jewish Religion Classes on the western side of London. Six classes would be set up. This co-ordination of juvenile Religious Education amongst all neighbouring communities in this area would help considerably in grading our pupils more effectively. Our educational results would undoubtedly improve. A joint body known as the "Western Area Education Committee" has been formed with representation from all the interested congregations in order to deal with the many problems which are involved in this project.

It is within our reach to give every child of the community a solid foundation of Judaism, providing every parent is prepared to co-operate wholeheartedly.

HAMMERSMITH SYNAGOGUE CLASSES PARENTS' ASSOCIATION

Once again the P.A. can report a successful year, due to the whole-hearted efforts of the Chairman and Committee.

As in previous years, funds were made available for use as required for mid-week transport, and teas were provided.

The Annual Summer Outing was a great success. The greater part of the day was spent at Little California in England. On the return journey a halt was made at the Staines Synagogue for tea. Their Ladies' Guild were our hostesses, and their warm hospitality completed a most pleasurable and memorable day. Mr. Gold helped greatly by entertaining the children. Thanks are due to all who co-operated, particularly to the Staines community.

Catering arrangements on Chanukah were carried through with the usual quiet efficiency. Likewise at the Prize Distribution held on April 5th.

During the course of the year, Mrs. Issacharoff had to relinquish the Secretaryship, owing to her removal from the district. Mrs. D. H. Velleman has stepped into the breach and is carrying on the office most efficiently.

The P.A. wish to thank other organisations for their donations to the funds, particularly the Synagogue Functions Committee and the Brook Drama Club. A special word of thanks is due to Mrs. Sally Mark for her untiring efforts on behalf of the children, her latest being the provision of materials and the making up of costumes for the Annual Entertainments.

SYNAGOGUE LIBRARY

A catalogue of available books is now being prepared and would-be readers will be able to borrow books on application to Miss R. Longhorn, Honorary Librarian and Secretary, from May 24th onwards.

Many more books are, of course, required to make the library of real value and benefit. Members having books of Jewish interest in Hebrew or English, might like to present a volume or two to our collection. Alternatively, they might wish to follow the example of some members of the community, who have presented commemorative volumes to mark important family events. Whatever the form of presentation, each book will be suitably inscribed. Any form of help in building up our library would be greatly appreciated.

HAMMERSMITH SYNAGOGUE LADIES' GUILD

The work of the Guild has progressed well during the year and attendances were well maintained.

A large number of garments were made and sent to the Jerusalem Baby Home, and special thanks are due in this respect to members of the Friendship Club who helped so willingly in the making of these garments.

A very successful Luncheon and Card Afternoon was held to augment the funds of the Guild and also an Afternoon Tea offered by Mrs. Levy to celebrate her eightieth birthday, as a result of which £10 was sent to the Women's Centenary Appeal Committee of the Jewish Board of Guardians.

Members of the Guild once again helped most successfully with the selling of Flags on Geranium Day for the Blind.

At the request of several members it was decided to hold an evening meeting at the Synagogue Hall on the first Tuesday of each month so as to enable those members who are occupied during the day to take an active part in the work of the Guild.

Donations were made to several institutions, as well as to many necessitous local cases.

Several new members were enrolled during the year, but there is still great need for the support of many more members of the Synagogue to this old Congregational Institution.

The Guild meets every Tuesday at 2.30 p.m. in the Communal Hall of the Synagogue, and all ladies will be heartily welcomed.

Any further details will be gladly given by the Hon. Secretary, Mrs. H. Wynbergen, 73 Finlay Street, S.W.6. Tel.: REN 4564.

WEST LONDON ZIONIST SOCIETY

During the year under review the membership remained static. Several functions were held with considerable success.

The highlight of the year was the Independence Day celebration, marking the tenth anniversary of the State of Israel. The Communal Hall was crowded, toasts were proposed, high-ranking officers of the three services attended, and the Israel Embassy was represented. A group of Israeli dancers provided the entertainment.

At the end of May two members of the Society, Mr. H. N. Benkwich and Mr. E. Aizen, who had recently returned from Israel, gave most interesting and moving accounts of their visits.

On Chanukah, the lights were once again kindled by the Rev. S. Forscher, and entertainment was again provided by Israeli dancers and singers. Miss Beatrice J. Barwell, a London Vice-President of the Zionist Federation, graced the occasion with her presence, and gave an inspiring address, based on the theme of Chanukah.

The last event of the season was a Film Show.

The Society were very pleased to extend a welcome to Rev. I. L. Abrams, the newly appointed Minister of the Shepherds Bush Synagogue. He is now Vice-Chairman.

LECTURES ON "HASSIDISM" & "ETHICS OF JUDAISM"

The autumn course of lectures in 1958, delivered by Rabbi Dr. H. Rabinowicz, B.A., drew an appreciative audience. The lecturer, in his genial presentation of the different facets of that fascinating movement, radiated an aura of Hassidic warmth and charm. He exhibited a masterly knowledge of historical fact and legendary narrative in his chronological survey of Hassidism from its cabalistic antecedents to its emotional, literary and melodic expression in the world of today.

Our policy of holding a special short course of lectures between Pesach and Shevuoth, on the spiritual and religious aspects of Judaism has been more than justified by the popular requests for further similar series.

The world is indebted to the Jewish people for its advocacy of a code of human thought and conduct which has become the universally accepted norm amongst the enlightened members of the human race. It is important for us Jews as pioneers to re-affirm these ethical concepts from an historical standpoint and in the light of current trends.

We are therefore glad to announce a course of lectures to be given during the month of May by outstanding spiritual leaders and cultural exponents of Anglo-Jewry on the subject of "The Ethics of Judaism." A comprehensive survey has been outlined by a division of the theme into four sections—Biblical, Rabbinical, Mediaeval and Modern, to be dealt with in successive weeks.

This unique course is open to all members of the Hammersmith community. Full details will be forwarded personally to them. We welcome all congregants and friends to come and enjoy these addresses and to participate, if desired, in the fruitful discussions.

THE MENORAH CHARITY GROUP

It gives us great pleasure and satisfaction to be able to tell you that since the last edition of "The Brook" our Group has again been most successful in all the ventures we have undertaken.

Our most successful function was a card evening, held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Silver on October 12th, 1958. Our thanks are due to our host and hostess for their gracious generosity. The evening proved a great financial success; we were able to donate part of the proceeds to The Residential School for Jewish Deaf Children Society.

We joined the Synagogue Functions Committee and helped our husbands to organise the Annual Banquet and Ball which took place at The Criterion, last November.

Most of all we are delighted to inform the whole community that we have now been able to realise our ambition of reconstructing the kitchens. As you know these have just been completed and we feel very proud that we have made it possible for these kitchens to be rebuilt, as they were so greatly needed by the members of the community and for catered functions. The existing Menorah Group wish to thank past members of the Menorah Society for making all this possible; for the wonderful support they gave our past efforts to raise the necessary finance for this to be carried out.

We are gratified to learn that it is proposed to erect a commemorative plaque in the new kitchens in appreciation of the work of our group.

A Vienna Dance was held in the newly decorated Communal Hall, on Sunday, 22nd March, the proceeds of which will go towards new curtains so greatly required in the Hall to complete its "New Look."

We have a full programme for the coming year and would welcome old and new friends on these various social occasions.

All enquiries relating to the Group's activities should be addressed to the Hon. Secretary (details on back cover).

SPRING LECTURES, 1959

A Series of Four Lectures on THE ETHICS OF JUDAISM

will be given in the New Classroom Wing as follows:

- Monday, 4th May.—Biblical Period.—Rabbi G. Ellinson.
Monday, 11th May.—Rabbinic Period.—Rabbi Dr. Louis Jacobs, B.A.
Tuesday, 19th May.—Medieval Period.—Mr. Leonard Gerber, LL.B.
Tuesday, 26th May.—Modern Period.—Rabbi David Cooper.

All congregants, their families and friends are most cordially invited.

HAMMERSMITH FRIENDSHIP CLUB

Our Friendship Club is still very popular, as can be gathered by the increased attendance at the meetings on Wednesday afternoons. We recently celebrated our seventh birthday with an afternoon party, which was enjoyed by all.

The year has been an eventful one, as we are now the holders of the Shield given by the Mayoress to the winners of the Quiz organised by the Local Authority.

Our seaside outings have been a huge success and we are looking forward to the first outing of the year and to the summer holidays.

Two or three of our members celebrated their eightieth birthdays and very kindly provided a tea for the members in honour of the occasion.

One celebration was most enjoyable as it took the form of a day by the sea.

Our Chanukah party, at which Rev. Forscher kindled the lights, was very well attended. A silver Menorah was presented to us by Mr. and Mrs. Davis in memory of Mr. Davis's father, who was a member of the Club.

We wish to thank all who have made this year such a happy one for us. So come along, all of you lonely ones, and join us at our Wednesday afternoon meetings.

MARY LEVY.

HAMMERSMITH & DISTRICT BRANCH OF THE NORWOOD CHARITABLE TRUST

The activities of this Branch have continued most successfully during the year and we have been able to send to Norwood Orphanage the sum of £1,250 for the financial year ended 30th September, 1959.

Our Annual Banquet and Ball, held on 1st March, 1959, at the Empire Rooms, W.C.2, was both a social and financial success and over £1,150 was raised.

The needs of the Orphanage are as great as ever, and we would particularly welcome new annual subscribers as well as offers from members of the Community to come and work on our Committee.

"No man stands more erect as when he stoops to help a child."

A.J.E.X. HAMMERSMITH & DISTRICT BRANCH

During the past twelve months the Branch has maintained its strength of over one hundred members and has continued its charitable and social activities under the vigorous chairmanship of Mr. Harry Levy. An excellent summer outing was enjoyed by members' children and accompanying parents including a visit to Bekonscot Model Village, and picnic, games and tea at Rickmansworth.

The Civic Remembrance Parade at Shepherd's Bush and the Annual Remembrance Parade at Whitehall were both well supported by the Branch, the inspecting officer at the latter parade being Lieut.-General Sir Brian Horrocks, who warmly praised the turn-out and impressive march past.

The funds raised by the Branch from its dances and social functions have been put to excellent use, donations being sent to the Star and Garter Home for Disabled Ex-Servicemen, the Patients' Comforts Fund of Queen Mary's Hospital, Roehampton, A.J.E.X. Charitable Trust, Jewish Child's Day, and the Old Folks' Fund of the Mayor of Hammersmith.

Contributions were also made to the cost of the A.J.E.X. outing to Brighton for disabled ex-servicemen and to a Chiswick fund for handicapped children.

The Management Committee's Winter Programme has been most enjoyable and successful. A Criss-Cross Quiz was held among Branch members in November, and another against Willesden Branch recently. The Beigal and Vienna Dance at the Synagogue Hall in December was a well-organised and excellent function which deserved an even larger attendance than came. Hampstead Branch of A.J.E.X. visited us in January for a Hat-Debate, a very pleasant get-together despite the fog.

Our Branch was again invited by the Mayor to assist his Grand Charity Ball on Thursday, 2nd April, at the Hammersmith Town Hall. Dr. Rosen again added to the renown of the Branch as chairman of the Function Committee. Our A.J.E.X. Branch made itself responsible for the Tombola and Raffle, which resulted in a large sum being raised for local charities.

The Branch has continued to play its part in anti-defamation work and defence action at the highest level has resulted from the activities and vigilance of Branch members. The Branch will continue to do all it can in this field for the Jewish Community and invites all our ex-servicemen and women to come forward and assist us as members in this essential work. You are invited to contact our Hon. Secretary.

THE BROOK DRAMA CLUB

The Brook Drama Club, formed in 1955, as a section of the Hammersmith Jewish Literary and Social Society, enjoyed three years of many successes, finally, in 1958, winning the Hammersmith Drama Festival Cup.

With the disbandment of the Literary and Social Society, the Brook Drama Club continued to function as a completely independent body, with its own President, the Rev. Venitt, and other honorary officers.

Since its formation, the Brook Drama Club has performed such successes as:—

"Is Coming Gittel," 1955; "Bluma Next Door," 1956;
"Hay Fever," 1957; "Pygmalion," 1958,

as well as many one-act plays for festivals, one of them being "The Setting Sun," by Frank Carpenter, which won the award mentioned above.

Although it has performed many times in the Communal Hall, the Brook Drama Club's activities extend far beyond this, to such places as hospitals, H.M. Prisons at Wormwood Scrubs and Holloway, the Twentieth Century Theatre for the Dora Class Society and Hammersmith Parents' Association, and the Stepney Jewish Girls' Home.

All the productions to date have been under the direction of their producer, Mrs. Sally Mark.

This year the Club has entered two teams for the Drama Festivals at Willesden and Hammersmith.

The Club meets on Wednesday evenings at 8.30 in the Communal Hall.

Any member of the Community, old or young, interested in the theatre, will be most welcome and may apply for particulars to the Secretary, Mrs. A. D. Berger, 34 Parliament Court, Parliament Hill, N.W.3. Swiss Cottage 2311.

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At the Willesden and Hammersmith Drama Festivals the Brook Drama Club has gained the following awards:

Willesden—the Authors' Award for the one-act play "Bridgehead," written for them by Frank Carpenter.

Hammersmith—The Hammersmith Cup, for the second year in succession.

The high marks gained now take them to the London Divisional Festival by the British Drama League, to be held at the Rudolf Steiner Hall in April.

SYNAGOGUE ITEMS

A register of *Yahrzeits* is kept in the office and a reminder is sent each year. Entries are made on request, and you are therefore advised to inform the Secretary of any you wish to have recorded.

The **Communal Hall** is available for engagements. For terms, please apply to the Secretary of the Synagogue.

Will Secretaries of local organisations please note: Instances have arisen in the past where two or more organisations have arranged committee and other meetings to take place in the Synagogue Hall, or at private residences, on the same date.

A number of people are on several committees. Honorary Secretaries are therefore strongly recommended to advise the Synagogue Secretary of all meeting dates, so that clashing can be avoided if possible.

YOUR OWN ANNUAL AFFAIR!!

HAMMERSMITH & WEST KENSINGTON SYNAGOGUE

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on

SUNDAY, 13th DECEMBER, 1959

Dancing to

TOMMY de ROSA and his ORCHESTRA

PLEASE NOTE THIS DATE

IN YOUR DIARY, NOW!!

ORGANISATIONS

Hammersmith Synagogue Ladies' Guild. Meets every Tuesday in the Communal Hall. Hon. Sec.: Mrs. H. Wynbergen, 73 Finlay Street, S.W.6. Tel.: REN. 4564.

Brook Drama Club. Hon. Sec.: Mrs. A. D. Berger, 34, Parliament Court, Parliament Hill, N.W.3. Tel.: SWI 2311.

Hammersmith Synagogue Parents' Association. Hon. Sec.: Mrs. D. H. Velleman, 125A Earls Court Road, S.W.15. Tel.: FRE 7171.

Hammersmith Friendship Club. Meets every Wednesday in Communal Hall. Hon. Secretary, Mrs. R. Nelman, 25 Lena Gardens, W.6. Tel.: RIV 2127.

The Menorah Charity Group. Hon. Sec.: Mrs. E. Franks, 54, Barons Keep, W.14. Tel.: FUL 1767.

Hammersmith, Shepherds Bush & Chelsea District Defence Committee (under the auspices of Board of Deputies of British Jews). Hon. Sec.: Miss H. Berk, 17 Elgar Court, Blythe Road, W.14. Tel.: SHE 2770.

Hammersmith and West Kensington Branch of the Norwood Charity Trust. Hon. Sec.: Miss J. Lichtblau, 27 Wavendon Avenue, W.4. Tel.: CHI 2207.

Wessex (Youth) Club. Hon. Sec., Senior Section: Miss J. Cristel, 22 Campbell Court, Church Lane, N.W.9.
Hon. Sec., Junior Section: Miss M. Green, 267 Brunswick Road, W.5.

West London Zionist Society. Hon. Sec.: Mr. P. Ferst, 20 Greyhound Road, W.6. Tel.: FUL. 3990.

Jewish Lad's Brigade—Hammersmith Coy. All enquiries to Brigade Secretary, 240a Amhurst Road, N.16. Tel.: CLI 1068.

Association of Jewish Ex-Service Men and Women (Hammersmith and District Branch). Hon. Sec.: Mr. A. S. Bankover, 47 Emlyn Road, W.12. Tel.: SHE 5139.

Hammersmith and West Kensington Synagogue Library. Hon. Sec. and Librarian: Miss R. Longhorn, 24 Linkenholt Mansions, W.6. Tel.: RIV 8577.

TIMES OF SERVICES

WEEKDAYS

Morning 7.30 a.m.
Evening 7.00 p.m. (Sundays excepted.)

SUNDAYS AND PUBLIC HOLIDAYS

8.30 a.m.

SABBATHS AND FESTIVALS

Evening 15 minutes after the commencement of Sabbath.
During Summer Months, 7.0 p.m.
Morning 9.30 a.m.

YOUTH SERVICE

Held every few weeks.

CHILDREN'S SERVICE

Sabbaths 11.15 a.m.

Religion Classes (Supt.: Rev. S. Venitt, B.A.)

Classes meet every—

Sunday 10.00 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.
Tuesday 5.15 p.m. to 6.45 p.m.
Thursday 5.15 p.m. to 6.45 p.m.

Sabbath Afternoon Service.—One hour before termination of Sabbath. This is followed by a Shiur and Evening Service.

The Secretary can be seen on weekdays between 10 a.m. and 1 p.m. or by appointment. (Tel.: RIV. 1405).

The Ministers can be seen by appointment:

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