From the Desk of Rabbi Gold



WHY I DON'T ATTEND FRI. EVENING SERVICES

The article shown below, could well apply to many of us, and I put it before you as a simple statement of facts, which might or might not apply as the case may be.

It is well worth pursuing, and after consideration could be remembered for future references.:-

January 1 -- The hangover period following New Year's festivities is no time for Temple attendance.

January 8 -- Had company at home. I never thought of inviting the guests to our services, which they would undoubtedly have enjoyed.

Januart 15 -- A guest speaker replaced the Rabbi. It was not proper to show up for the first time when the Rabbi is away.

February 5 -- Really made up my mind to go, but it was too cold. Will go next week if the weather is warmer.

February 12 -- It was warmer, but the streets were slushy. Anyway, there will be a small audience. Instead went downtown and saw a

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February 26 -- It was bitter cold. Even the Rabbi should have stayed home.

March 13 -- Friday the 13th is not a lucky time to begin attending services. Besides, the weather is too nice and mild to be indoors. Took a refreshing walk.

March 26 -- Had a dinner engagement. (of all nights -why pick Friday night for social engagements?) Guess we'll put it off for next week. (Next week never comes.)

Would you be proud of such a diary?

Would you want your children to know that you use such alibis to dodge your religious obligations?

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AT B'NAI BRITH FETE



Senator and Mrs. Mahlon Brown, left, and Cantor and Mrs. Joseph Kohn.



Mr. and Mrs. Max Goot, seated, with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Agron.



Seated, Louise Leppo, left, and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Goldfarb. Standing, Ruth Speiser and Henry Krongberg.



Mr. and Mrs. Abe Schwartz, seated, with Sophie Katzman left and Belah Sperling.



Eileen Brookman with Judge Roger Foley, left and John Foley.

"I DECLARE" by Claire Dase



The Gary Hepler Bar Mitzvah was one of the warmest and "Hamish" affairs there has been in a long time. Despite the fact that Gary had been very sick for a couple of days prior to the occasion, and the knowledge that everyone was walking around with their fingers crossed, he came through like a trouper, and did his family real proud. The theme of blue white and gold was carried out in the hall, and the buffet and sweet table was a pleasant sight for all to see. Sam and Irene Dvorak did a beautiful job as always, and are entitled to a hearty "Job Well Done." To the Heplers and family, many more occasions of simchas to you all.

This week sees again simchas and nachus for the Osheroff family when Jeff will take his place on the Bemah and recite his Haftorah. You should have many years of only joy.

So glad to see Jeanne, wife of our own Harry Levy, back into the swing again. Always a gracious and warm personality, it is with relief we greet her at the different affairs she attends.

Welcomed the Rabbi back to his pulpit last week, and as always he rejuvinated the congregation with his sermon. Appreciated his "Space" comparisons.

Again, there is a wonderful plan for the youngsters during the summer, at Temple Beth Sholom, Rita Deanin Abbey, will be teaching courses of art to children five through eleven. Times Thursdays 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. Her credentials are numerous. She will be on the teaching staff of Nevada Southern University this fall. Her husband is an outstanding and well known fiction writer, and her uncle is Dr. Dinen from the University of Judaism in Los Angeles. For information call 384-5070.



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