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Report on
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NEW YORK!

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SHABBAT PARSHAT
D'VARIM

Lets talk things over...

The ninth of Av is a fast day and is similar in many ways to Yom Kippur.

Tisha B'Av marks the day when five major tragedies befell the Jews:

1) It was decreed that the Jews who left Mitzrayim would not enter Eretz Yisrael, and were to die instead in the desert, because of the evil talk spoken by the spies.

2) The first Bais HaMikdosh was destroyed by Nevuchadnetzer during the days of King Tzidkiyohu in the year 3338.

3) The second Bais HaMikdosh was destroyed by Titus during the days of Rabbi Yochanan ben Zakkai in the year 3828.

4) The city of Betar was captured by the Romans in the year 3880 after Bar Kochba led a revolt against them. Thousands of Jews died at that uprising.

5) The wicked general of the Roman army Turnusrufus had a plow drawn over the soil of Yerusholayim and the mountain where the Bais HaMikdosh once stood.

The fast of Tisha B'Av begins before sunset of the night before and continues for 25+ hours - until the stars appear on the ninth of Av.

On Tisha B'Av, (just as on Yom Kippur), one is forbidden to do the following:

1) No eating or drinking is permitted.

2) Washing oneself on Tisha B'Av is forbidden. When washing in the morning of Tisha B'Av, one must be careful not to wash past the knuckles. The same applies for washing hands after leaving the lavatory. One may wash the dirt from his hands. It is permitted to wash an infant if necessary.

3) Leather shoes may not be worn. Even if the shoes only have leather soles, or are covered with leather, they are prohibited.

4) It is forbidden to smear oneself with oil, lotions, cosmetics, etc. It is forbidden to brush one's teeth the morning of Tisha B'Av.

As additional signs of mourning, we must refrain from the following:

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1) No learning is done except Sefer 'Iyov,' Hilchot Tisha B'Av, Kinot, and the Gemarot dealing with 'Churban HaBayit.'

2) One does not greet people on Tisha B'Av. Even the mere saying of "Good morning," is forbidden. However, if one who is ignorant of this law greets you, you may answer him softly.

3) We sit on the ground or on a low stool, similar to a person sitting Shivah.

4) One should refrain from doing any work until noon.

Tefilot of Tisha B'Av and the laws of Tisha B'Av which occurs on Sunday:

One is permitted to eat meat and drink wine on the Shabbat.

No Seudah HaMafseket is eaten. One may eat at Seudah Shlishit anything he wishes.

Tzidkotcho is not said at Mincha. Maariv:

We do not remove our shoes until after Barchu is said. The Chazzan, however, removes his shoes before saying V'Hu Rachum.

VaYehi No'am is not said after the Shemona Esrei. Neither is V'yiten Lecha said.

Havdolah is not said until after the fast, and then we omit the Brocho on spices. However, we do say the Brocho on fire upon looking at the candle-light.

Women who do not daven Maariv, (and therefore did not say 'Atah Chonantah'), may not do any work after Shabbat until saying "HaMavdil Beyn Kodesh L'chol."

Upon conclusion of the fast on Sunday night, Havdalah is recited.

The Parochet (covering) of the Aron HaKodesh (ark) is removed and only one light is lit in front of the Chazzan.

After the Shemona Esrei the Chazzan says Kaddish with "Titkabel."

Then, everyone sits down on the ground (or in anything lower than three Tefachim) and one person reads Aychah while the rest listen.

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At the beginning of each Perek of Aychah, the reader raises his voice. SHACHARIT:

Tallit and Tefillin are not worn during Shacharit.

The Brocho of "She'asa li kol tzorki" is omitted when saying the Brachot in the morning.

The Chazzan says Aneinu after the Brocho of Re'ay Na in the Shemona Esrei, and omits the Birchot Kohanim.

Tachanun is not said on Tisha B'Av.

After Shemona Esrei, a Sefer Torah is removed from the Aron HaKodesh and three persons are called to the Torah. The one who receives the third Aliyah also says the Haftorah. Only those who are fasting should be called to the Torah.

The portion read is from Parshat V'Etchanan (Perek 4 Psukim 25-40).

The Haftorah read is from Yirmiyahu (Perek 8 Posuk 13, Perek 9 Posuk 23).

After Kriyat HaTorah (reading of the Torah) we sit down on the ground and say Kinot until noontime. In many congregations, Aychah is said again after Kinot.

Afterwards Ashrei and Uvah L'Tzion are said, (in Uvah L'Tzion the Posuk of 'Va'Ani Zot Briti' is left out), followed by Aleinu.

We do not say the Yom and Ein K'Elokeinu at Shacharit.

KINOT:

The Kinot is a book of many poems and compositions. It was written by different authors - Talmidei Chachomim - who lamented and moaned over the destruction of the Bait HaMikdosh. In Kinot the hope and prayer is expressed that in the near future, we will once again merit to go up to the Bait HaMikdosh and serve Hashem there.

May it be the will of Hashem, that this be very, very soon, Amein Kein Yehi Ratzon.

MINCHA:

Tallit and Tefillin are put on with their proper Brachot.

The Shema is said, followed by the Yom and Ein K'Elokeinu.

The Torah is read and three people are called to the Torah. The portion read is from Parshat Ki Tisah, (Perek 32 Psukim 11-14, Perek 34 Psukim 1-10).

The third person called to the Torah also reads the Haftorah from Yeshaya, Perek 55 Posuk 6 - Perek 56 Posuk 8.

In the Shemona Esrei we add Nacheim to the Brocho of 'V'LiYerushalayim' after the words, "U'vnei Otah B'Karov B'yameinu Binyan Olam," and we end the Brocho with "Baruch Atah Hashem Menachem Tzion Uvoneh Yerushalayim."

Those who are fasting at Mincha also add Aneinu by the Brocho of Shema Koleinu right before 'Ki Atah Shomer Tefilat Kol Peh.'

If one forgets to say Nacheim, he should say it by 'V'Al Kulam' without ending the Brocho (of Menachem Tzion).

If one forgets to say Aneinu and he has already pronounced Hashem's name at the end of the Brocho of Shema Koleinu, he does not have to say the Shemona Esrei again.

In the Shemona Esrei of Mincha, the Chazzan says the Birchot Kohanim which is ordinarily not said at Mincha.

MAARIV:

After the stars come out, Maariv is recited. It is customary to bless the moon after Maariv of Tisha B'Av.

Because the burning of the Bait HaMikdosh continued into the tenth day of Av, the laws pertaining to the Nine Days are also in effect on the tenth of Av until mid-day. (No meat is eaten, no haircuts, etc. See last week's issue for other details).

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Puzzle: WELL MATCHED COUPLES

Here at Morasha, couples tend to meet at the canteen or the Pargod, but at least three maidens in the Torah found their future husbands through meetings at the well. Who were they?

(adapted from World Over, 12/22/67)

answers below

(1) Rivkah (met Eliezer the servant)
(2) Rachel (met Yaakov)
(3) Tziporah (met Moshe)

ARTS AND LEISURE

An Exclusive Report on
MORASHA'S ELEVENTH ANNUAL SHIRIAH
 by Bunk G-18

Last week Morasha held its annual Sing, with some unusual results this year. Legend has it that for the past five years, the victories of Shiriah followed a pattern of boy - girl - boy - girl. This year, therefore, the girls expected to win. Unfortunately, however, things did not work out as planned.

In the end, neither team won. The judges declared a tie, even though a point difference did exist. Some people felt that one point made very little difference and the tie was justified. Others felt that since one team actually did win, the judges should have announced which team it was.

As a day or two passed, most everyone agreed that it made little difference which had received one more point than the other. The main thing that everyone agreed was that this year's Shiriah was atruly great one. The judges were Roz Grossman, Mrs. Lamm, Aaron Dobin, Aviva Halpert, and our guest, Vel Pasternack. Seated at a long table at the center of the gym, the judges listened attentively as each team nervously presented their Hebrew Song (Shir Ivri), Alma Mater (Himnon), and this year's new entry, a Zmirah. The performance of two numbers from the Yom Kippur War by LTP was great as well. There was a bit of comic relief when Groucho (Barry Solomon) and Harpo (Avi Katz) led a chorus of "Boil the cabbage down" to harmonize with "Tzur Mishelo." A visitor noted that the Zmirah was perfect for eating stuffed cabbage on a Friday night...

Hoarse and tired, Happy and relieved, everyone on campus is anxiously looking forward to next year's Shiriah. Now that the rotating winner theory has been shattered, next summer's winner truly remains to be seen.

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 Sincere apologies to the very talented Steve Mandelbaum, the originator of the KITCHEN CONCERT SERIES whose name we inadvertantly omitted in last week's Arts and Leisure column.

A Thrilling Account of
SHTILIM TRIP DAY by Randi Cohen G-5

On July 16th, the Shtilim boys and girls boarded the buses at 9:30 A.M. to go to the Corning Glass Factory in Corning, New York. The first thing we saw was a movie on their factory, and the different ways to make and shape glass. We also a man melt some glass under a fire and shape it into a pig. We then went to their gift shop and bought from their many different displays of souvenirs.

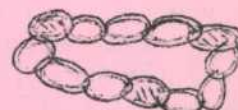
We boarded the buses again and rode to a beautiful park. There we had Kibud and played ball, and at the playground. Then, after that long tiring day, we returned at 8:00 to camp. All the Shtilim agreed that it was a very special trip day indeed.

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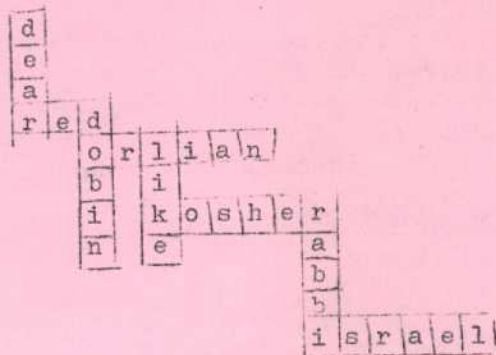
ANSWERS TO LAST WEEK'S PUZZLES

The Great Bracelet Mystery

To make the bracelet without cutting more than three links, simply open all three links of one piece, then use those three links to join the other three links into a circle, like this:



Crossword Puzzle



* * * * * CONTEST PUZZLE * * * * *
 ANSWER

As of Wednesday afternoon, no correct answers had been received by the editor. Therefore, no one will be awarded the grand prize, which was a three week tour of Outer Mongolia (for one). What a pity.

The next number was 59 which is the next stop on the D train, which is what the sequence was all about.

JOKES



Moshe: Mother, will you do my homework for me?

Mother: No, Moshe, it wouldn't be right.

Moshe: Well, at least you could try!

Dena: Since I came to Morasha I haven't slept for days.

Sara: Aren't you very tired?

Dena: No, I sleep at night.

The Thing by Sarabeth Lewis

(Read only in the dark and say very, very slowly)

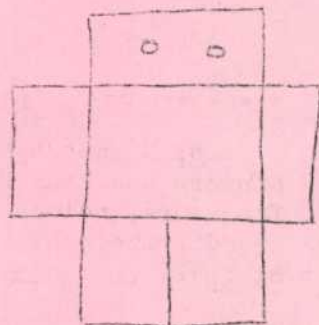
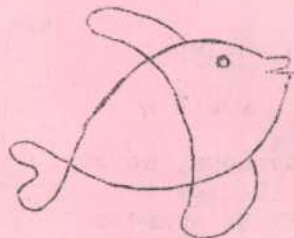
In a dark dark room there is a dark dark chair and on the dark dark chair there was a dark dark coat and in the dark dark coat there is a dark dark pocket and in the dark dark pocket there was a dark dark wallet and in the dark dark wallet there was a JELLY BEAN!

THE FISH AND THE ROBOT

Get a pencil and a sheet of blank paper, then see if you can draw the fish in one continuous line without taking the pencil off the paper, without going over any part of the line twice, and without crossing over any part of the line.

After you've learned how to draw the fish, see if you can draw the robot in the same way.

The eyes of the fish and the robot are not part of either puzzle.



Answers in next week's issue....

*****CONTEST PUZZLE*****

Here we go again folks, (no moans or groans, please), with another super-duper Morasha Shalhevet puzzle. The reply to last week's contest was so overwhelming that 9,675,946 editors took four days to sort through the answers. Let me warn you, beforehand, that this week's puzzle has no gimmick or trick - what you see is what you get!

Submit your answer to Nomi Zomick by Wednesday, July 31st. The first correct answerer (?) will be mentioned in next week's issue.

THE DIME AND PENNY SWITCHEROO

Put 2 dimes and 2 pennies in the spaces that contain their pictures. The object is to make the pennies and dimes change places in exactly 8 moves. You are allowed two kinds of moves:

- 1) You can slide any coin into an empty space next to it.
- 2) You can jump any coin over the coin next to it, like a jump in checkers, provided you land on an empty space.

The puzzle isn't as easy as it looks. Time yourself to see how long it takes you to switch the coins in eight moves. If you solve it in five minutes you're a genius. Ten minutes is excellent. Twenty minutes is about average.

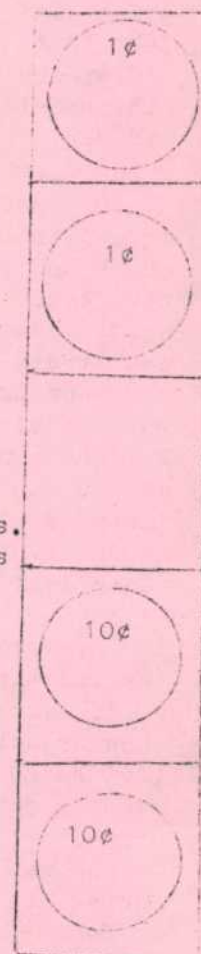
Remember, only eight moves are allowed. If you do it in more moves, you have not solved the puzzle.

Submit your answer with the eight moves listed in order to Nomi Zomick. GOOD LUCK!!

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We usually think of pranks on Purim, but in Kurdistan, pranks were played on Tisha B'Av. As worshippers prayed, children sewed their clothes together or fastened their cloaks to mats on the ground.

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A Fabulous new feature by Madeline Kochen:

JEWISH NEWS AROUND THE WORLD

The Israeli Cabinet once again rejected a resolution that Israel should negotiate with those Palistinian elements that recognize Israel. This decision endorsed Premier Yitzchak Rabin's policy of not negotiating with terrorist groups. The question of how Israel would react to the participation of a Palistinian delegation in the Geneva talks was not discussed at this meeting.

Hillel Seidel, a member of the Knesset, has urged the creation of a reserve army in the diaspora, to aid Israel in case of a new war. Seidel said that if Israel is seriously prepared for war, this might deter another Arab attack.

Shimon Peres, the Israeli defense minister, said that Israel must be ready for a military thrust from Syria at the end of the year, and must at the same time be prepared to negotiate with Egypt in the South.

The Nixon administration has recently issued rules to discourage the U.S. firms from selling law enforcement devices to Russia which could be used by Soviet secret police against Jews.

Merot, the ancient Jewish city which flourished in the first century C.E., has been uncovered near Safed. This city had been mentioned by Josephus in his "Jewish Wars."

In a resolution at the end of their three day congress, in West Berlin, the International Union of Resistance Fighters and Deportees, charged that a number of court cases involving important Nazis charged with mass murder, have been very often terminated, interrupted, or allowed to drag on endlessly.

Late Friday night, an Israeli army raiding party blew up three Lebanese houses in the Lebanese village of Bustan. The act, which was not a retaliation but a warning, was carried

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out because these houses were known to have sheltered terrorists. There were no casualties to the Israeli party.

After a meeting between Secretary of State Henry Kissinger and Senator Henry Jackson, progress was reported toward working out a formula to speed Jewish emigration from Russia, linked to the trade reform act.

(This news report was adapted in part from the JTA Daily News Bulletin.)

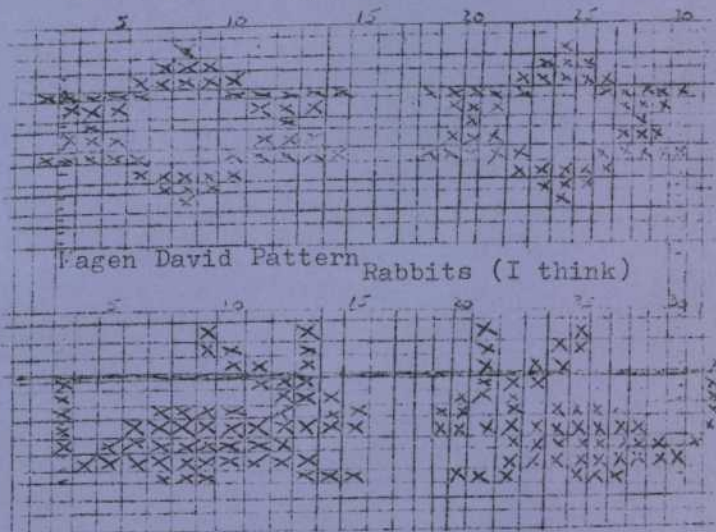
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DON'T NEEDLE ME

Many people on campus have been seen recently carrying balls of colored thread in baggies. Squinting at little scraps of graph paper, they push a pointy silver stick in and out of little holes. Day after day, during Sheurim, even after lights out by the refuse the bathroom bulb, Morasha's own Madame DeFarge's keep on going. What could this strange activity be? Perhaps a secret defense plan - I've heard some talk of DMC. Is that a new missile?

If it is a new defense system, we applaud it. After all, "Am I my brother's Kippah?" Would you believe my boyfriend's Kippah?

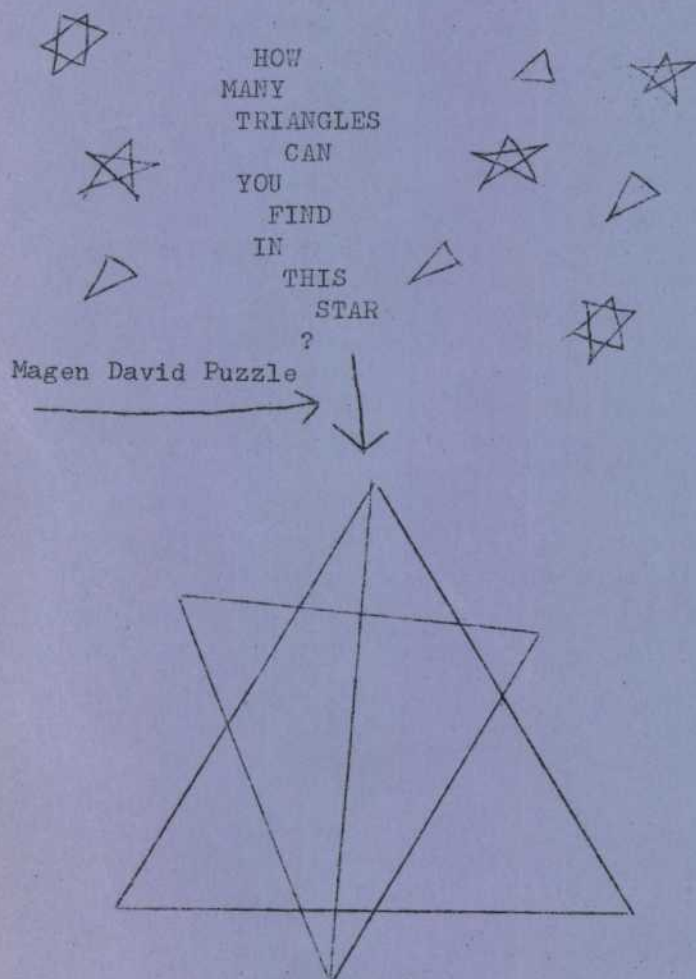
The staff of Shalhevet would like to share some 'Dugmot,' patterns for Kippot, for those of you who enjoy designing and crocheting Kippot. If you have a nice 'Dugmah', please share it with us. Enjoy!



For better diagrams of these Dugmot, see
THE JEWISH CATALOG, pages 49-50.

NEW PUZZLE!!!!

? מלון 1
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 ? מלון 3
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 מלון 7
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 מלון 18
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 מלון 20



ANSWER IN NEXT WEEK'S ISSUE

SNEAKY ARITHMETIC

+ $\frac{1}{4}$ * - % # $\frac{1}{2}$

These are easy number problems, but if you try to answer them too quickly, you'll probably make mistakes.

- How much is 1 times 2 times 3 times 4 times 5 times 6 times 7 times 8 times 9 times 0?
- Divide 20 by $\frac{1}{2}$ and add 3. What is the result?
- How much does a brick weigh if it weighs 5 pounds plus half its own weight?
- A farmer had 17 sheep. All but nine died. How many were left?
- How much is twice one half of 987,654,321?

ANSWERS

- If you noticed that zero at the end, then you knew at once that the answer was zero, because zero times anything is zero.
43. One half goes into 20 forty times, not ten.
- 10 pounds. Two halves make a whole, so if the brick's total weight is the sum of five pounds and half the total weight, the other half must also be 5.
- If all but 9 died, then of course 9 were left.
- Twice one half of any number is that same number. so the answer is 987,654,321.

IF THAT WASN'T ENOUGH FOR YOU, HERE IS JUST ONE MORE PROBLEM:

Farmer Brown came to town with some watermelons. He sold half of them plus half a melon, and found that he had one whole melon left. How many melons did he take to town?

ANSWER IN NEXT WEEK'S ISSUE

LTP → NEWS & VIEWS

A SHOCKING EXPERIENCE

by our news editor, M. Kochen

On Monday, July 22nd, LTP visited a nearby camp called B'nai Brith. Unlike Camp Morasha, B'nai Brith is not a religious camp, and this made the trip a very interesting one.

Upon our arrival, we proceeded to break up into groups for lunch. The B'nai Brith kids were all very friendly, and we were all soon well acquainted. After touring their magnificent bunks, we played volleyball and baseball.

We all then went into the auditorium and heard four presentations. Two of the speakers were from B'nai Brith, and the other two very articulate speakers were from Camp Morasha: Mini Schaffer and Arthur Applebaum. Each speaker was given a small amount of time to convey his views concerning the topic, "Judaism - Where It's At Today." This session spurred much excitement and served to make the discussion afterwards very interesting.

Many different ideas were debated, including the question of what constitutes a good Jew, did G-d write the Torah, is there a G-d, and must a Jew believe in G-d to be a good Jew.

The Morasha kids reacted to the encounter in a variety of ways. Some campers had never realized that Jews such as these existed, and were disturbed by their positions. Some were stimulated to question their own positions, and others felt stronger in their commitment, having to explain their positions to others. Others felt that these kids had not received sufficient exposure to Judaism, and felt that it was their duty to provide them with what had been lacking in their lives, and invited them for a Shabbat. For the most part, this was a new experience, but one that was considered worthwhile for the Morasha campers, coming from sheltered Yeshiva backgrounds.

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The Morasha kids were forced to realize through this encounter, that there are other types of Jewish kids with totally different beliefs and ideas. The B'nai Brith people were provided the opportunity of meeting religious people personally, instead of just hearing about them. We hope that this served to destroy illusions and stereotypes held by both sides.

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How did other LTP kids feel about the encounter with B'nai Brith? In an attempt to find out, investigative reporter Beth Zweibon traveled to the Machon-Mechina bunk to talk to the people who had been there. Promising complete anonymity, she was able to get these quotes:

"I'm very glad I went. I learned about myself and other people. It was a good experience."

"I thought it was good. I learned that we live in a very secluded atmosphere."

"We should have had more time. It was very worthwhile."

"We were put in situations which we weren't put in before, and we were able to express ourselves as religious Jews."

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CREDITS DUE FOR THIS ISSUE:

Chagaynu, Eliezer Wenger, Editor

Perplexing Puzzles and Tantalizing Teasers by Martin Gardner

The Jewish Catalog

Sports

MORASHA vs. ISLAND LAKE

BY BOB GITTLEMAN

On Monday, July 21st, the Morasha staff team swang into action again, this time against Island Lake. Sparked by some fine shooting by Bruce Wenig and Stu Poloner Morasha led at half time 40-38. Then the team got sleeping sickness and didn't score for the first six minutes of the third quarter. Meanwhile, Island Lake racked up 14 straight points until Morasha scored. Down by 12, Morasha finally woke up and cut the lead down to 7, with a score of 56-49 by the end of the third quarter. Led by Stuie and Jerry Jozsef the team finally caught up and knotted the score at 63, with 1½ minutes remaining. Each team traded baskets before Island Lake went ahead by the count of 71-69 with 14 seconds remaining. Morasha took the ball out but lost it, and were forced to foul. Diamond made the two free throws to clinch the game for Island Lake. It was a good game, but a tough loss.

MORASHA	PF	FT	FM	FG	TP
Poloner	2	13	13	7	27
Wenig	5	1	0	6	12
Taubenfeld	2	0	0	2	4
Jozsef	3	6	3	7	17
Merlis	3	2	1	2	5
Halpert	0	0	0	0	0
H. Lempel	1	0	0	1	2
A. Lempel	0	0	0	0	0
Genuth	0	0	0	0	0
Pianko	2	2	2	0	2
Behar	0	0	0	0	0
Engel	0	0	0	0	0
Blass	0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS	18	24	19	25	69

ISLAND LAKE	PF	FT	FM	FG	TP
A Diamond	4	2	6	14	3
J Diamond	4	2	3	8	4
N Beldock	2	1	7	15	3
Sommers	2	2	0	2	4
Silvermap	4	3	9	21	3
Owens	3	0	1	2	1
Tony	0	0	1	2	1
Adopas	0	0	0	0	0
Zeif	0	0	0	0	2
Solomon	1	1	4	9	1
TOTALS	20	11	31	73	22

RESULTS OF WAYNE COUNTY LEAGUES

BOYS LTP

BASKETBALL:	Morasha	60
	Weequahic	57

BASKETBALL:	Morasha	53
	Seneca	41

BASKETBALL:	Morasha	40
	Keeyumah	45

GIRLS LTP

BASKETBALL:	Morasha	49
	Keeyumah	37

BASEBALL:	Morasha	4
	Weequahic	1

COMING EVENTS:

MONDAY NIGHT: Keeyumah Invitational Tournament for Alufim and Mechina Boys.

TUESDAY: Inter-camp games against B'nai Brith (Nitzanim Division).

THURSDAY: Inter-camp games against B'nai Brith.

The following scores are from the MORASHA vs. KEEYUMAH game played by the LTP girls:

	PF	FT	FM	FG	TP
Mirian N.	1	1	0	3	6
Michelle	1	5	2	4	10
Sheri	2	1	0	6	12
Amy K.	2	0	0	3	6
Rena H.	0	0	0	1	2
Barbara T	0	1	0	2	4
Judy F	0	3	1	1	3
Rocky	0	0	0	0	0
Orah S	0	0	0	0	0
Tzippy B	1	0	0	0	0
Rena Z.	3	0	0	1	2
Randy C	1	1	0	2	4
TOTALS	11	12	3	23	49

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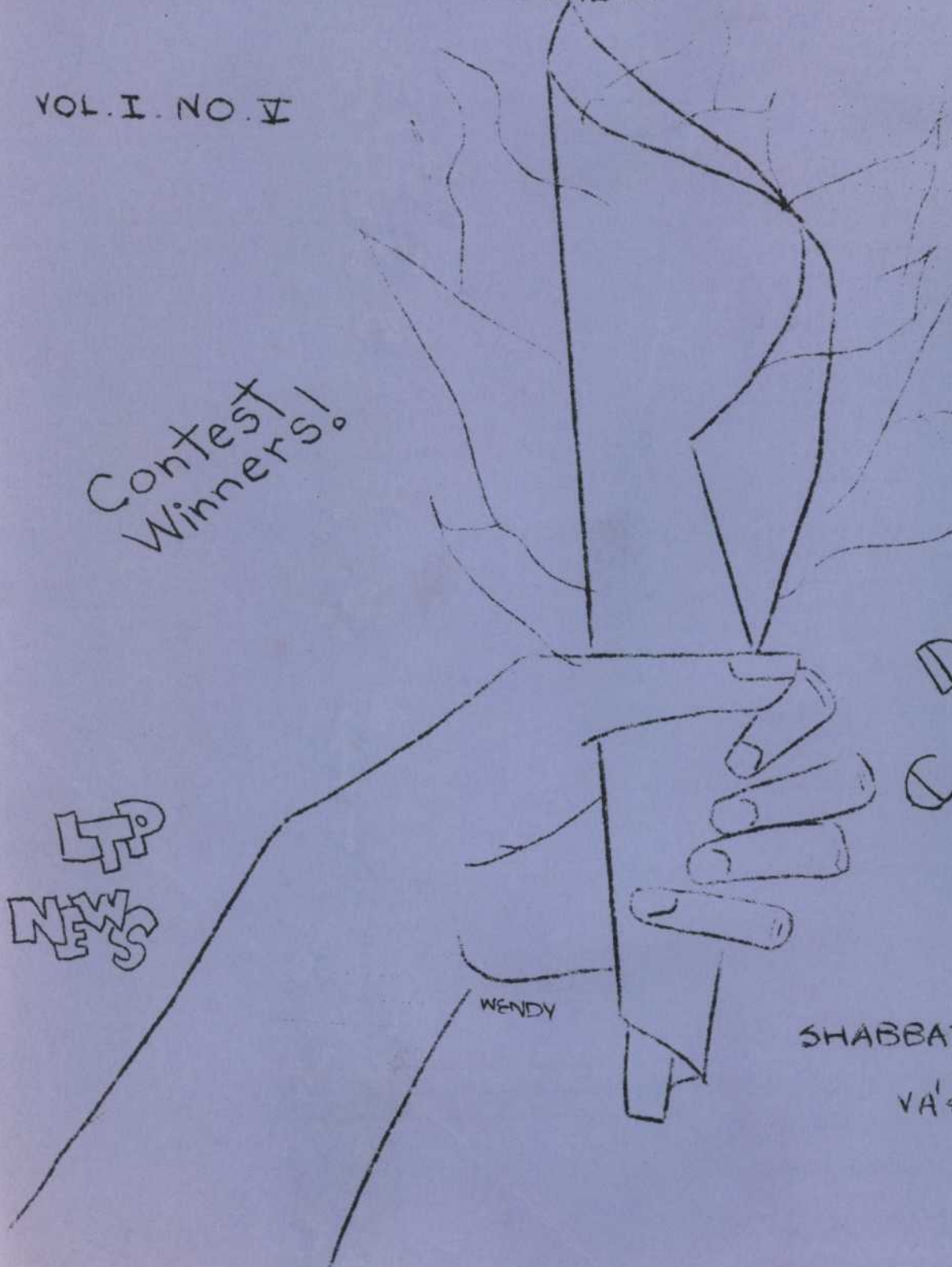


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THIS WEEK'S PARSHA: *הנה כי יתברך*

This Shabbat is special in many respects. The Haftorah, (which lends its name to the day - Nachamu), encourages the prophets to comfort all those who have suffered the tragedies of Tisha B'Av, and the Sedra itself contains two of the most famous sections of the Torah: The "Ten Commandments" and the first paragraph of the "Shma."

But another section of Va'ethannan also deserves our attention. At the beginning of "Shma," Moshe Rabbeinu urges us to observe and study the Torah (see Rashi on Pasuk 6). But Moshe knew very well what many people object: "how can you spend all your time doing Mitzvot and learning? It's abnormal - people will think you're unusual, strange, queer!

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A Weekly Publication of Camp Morasha

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NOTE: The staff of Shalhevet would like to thank all those who contribute to the newspaper anonymously. Their help is invaluable in countless ways.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

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This week's Parsha continued from col. 1

To this Moshe responds that the Torah represents your wisdom and intellect to the nations of the world, who will say, "This great nation is truly scholarly and brilliant." The world respects Morasha for what our name represents - the Torah, and our continued commitment to studying it.

CUTE SAYINGS

This is not really a new column; we just thought that this story was worth printing, and we think you'll agree...

Rabbi Siff (of the Kolliel) and his family were returning to Machon campus after eating supper. It was already getting dark outside, but as they passed the fields, Rabbi Siff noticed four deer standing in the grass. Slowing down the car a bit so that little Reuven could see them, he heard Reuven(age 5), ask, "Mommy, are those deer eating second shift in the field?"

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CREDITS DUE

Sources used this week include:

Jewish Information Quiz Book
Word Games and Puzzles by Rockowitz
The World's Greatest Puzzles by Meyer

Lets talk things over

Following Tisha B'Av we look for Divrei Nechama as we see in this week's Haftarah. We also look forward to the completion of the Galut. In order to bring about a Geulah Shleimah we must each one of us, work towards that end.

The following story is from the Gemara - Masechet Sanhedrin:98a

Rabbi Yehoshua ben Levi met the prophet Eliyahu standing at the entrance of Rabbi Shimon bar Yochai's cave. He asked Eliyahu, "When is the Mashiach coming?"

Eliyahu replied, "Go and ask him yourself."

"Where shall I find him?"

"Before the gate of Rome."

"By what sign shall I know him?"

"He is sitting among the poor people covered with wounds. The others unbind all their wounds at once, and then bind them up again. But he unbinds one wound at a time, and binds it up again, straightway. He tells himself, 'Perhaps I shall be needed to appear as the Mashiach - and I must not take time and be late!'"

So Rabbi Yehoshua went and found, and said, "Peace be with you, my master and teacher!"

The Mashiach responded, "Peace be with you, ben Levi!"

Then he asked him, "When are you coming, master?"

The Mashiach answered, "Today!"

Thereupon he returned to Eliyahu and said to him, "He has deceived me, he has indeed deceived me! He told me, 'Today I am coming!' and he has not come."

But Eliyahu said to him, "This is what he told you: 'Today - if you only listen to His voice.'"

The story merely points out the need for us to create the environment necessary for Meshichiyut. If we have learned the lessons of two thousand Tisha B'Av's and do T'shuvah then we will quicken the coming of the Mashiach.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

The following editorial was received in letter form by our staff, however, it is presented here as an editorial. We hope that you agree, as we do, with what the author has to say.

One of the main reasons for coming to camp is to breathe fresh clean unpolluted air. For those who live in the city, it is an opportunity to clean some of the soot out of their lungs. Studies have shown that city dwellers have black lungs and country folk have pink tissue.

Why then must we be subjected to cloudy, smoky polluted air caused by endless smoking? There is no place in the camp which is sacred. Cigarettes are smoked in the dining room, in the office, and even surreptitiously in the gym, (which is strictly forbidden by the fire code.)

This is an open and honest appeal to the smokers (pipe and cigarette) of Camp Morasha to spare their lungs and ours. Let's keep the air in Morasha free and clean for all.

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INFORMATION, PLEASE:

IMPORTANT
ZIONISTS

Below you'll find a short quiz that is interesting and fun to do. Basically, it might be classified as Jewish Trivia. Only it's not trivial in the least - maybe you'll be surprised at how much (or how little!) you know. The answers can be found in next week's issue.

1. Ahad Ha-am (1856-1927) was one of the great Jewish essayists and philosophers of the past century. He was born in the Ukraine, but spent most of his life in Odessa where he settled in 1886. His influence on many of the early Zionists was considerable. Ahad Ha-am was his pen name. His real name was

- a. Asher Ginsberg
- b. Louis Ginsberg
- c. Jekuthiel Ginsberg

2. Chaim Weizmann was born in 1874 in Russia and died in Israel in
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JOKES!

I'LL DO IT FOR MY COUNTRY

Pam Scheinman, G-8

There were four men on an airplane, an Englishman, an Irishman, an Arab, and an Israeli. They were flying for about an hour when the stewardess came out and said, "The plane is too heavy. One of you will have to jump out."

The Englishman said, "I'll do it for my country," and with that he jumped out of the plane.

An hour later the stewardess came out and said, "The plane is still too heavy, one of you will have to jump out."

So the Irishman got up and said, "I'll do it for my country," and with that he jumped off the plane.

Another hour passed and the stewardess came out and said, "The plane is still much too heavy. One of you will have to jump out."

The Israeli stood up and said, "I'll do it for my country." With that he pushed the Arab out of the plane.

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There was an Arab and a Jew, and they both had a dog. One was a big dog, (that was the Arab's) and the other was a small dog (and that was the Jew's). The dogs had a war and the little dog won. The Arab asked the Jew, "What kind of a dog is that?"

The Jew answered, "Well, to tell you the truth it was an alligator before it had its nose fixed."

RIDDLES JUST FOR FUN!

1. What bus do you rest on?
by Yitzi Oratz, Day Camp
2. What's grey and lights up?
by Nancy Silverman, G-12
3. What happens when you put ink into a pen?
by Sharon Brickman, G-12
4. What does a worm do in a cornfield?

1. Sha-bus
2. An electric Elephant
3. The ples get blue!
4. It goes in one ear and out the other

ANSWERS TO RIDDLES:

WORD SEARCH!

Directions: Find fifteen fruits in this puzzle. They can be up, down backwards, or forwards. They can also be repeated.

A	R	Y	R	R	E	H	C	F	H	L	A	O	Z
P	W	A	T	E	R	M	E	L	O	N	P	R	G
P	T	R	S	E	M	I	L	E	N	O	R	A	H
L	E	M	O	N	G	R	A	P	E	S	I	N	W
E	Q	P	E	A	C	H	B	N	Y	U	C	G	Y
G	M	U	L	P	R	A	E	P	D	M	O	E	Z
R	B	A	N	A	N	A	L	O	E	I	T	P	S
E	P	O	L	E	T	N	A	C	W	L	B	O	R
N	R	E	K	C	P	L	U	M	U	T	S	Z	E
O	F	H	E	N	I	R	A	T	C	E	N	P	O

Fruits to be found:

APPLE	PLUM
CHERRY	LIME
APRICOT	HONEYDEW
BANANA	LEMON
PEAR	NECTARINE
PEACH	GRAPES
ORANGE	CANTELOPE
WATERMELON	

Contributed by Judy Silverman
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TONGUE TWISTERS

Tongue twisters have been favorites for many generations. Who hasn't slipped up on this one?

1. She sells sea shells on the sea shore, and the shells she sells are sea shore shells.

Of course, the idea is to say it as quickly as possible. Try twisting your tongue through these tongue twisters:

2. Round and round the rugged rock the ragged rascal ran.

3. Said Simple Sally Susan to smiling Simon Samuel Simpson, "Shall simple Sally Susan and smiling Simon Samuel Simpson go sailing seaward on Smiling Simon Samuel Simpson's small sailboat?"

"Sure, sweetheart," said Smiling Simon Samuel Simpson to Simple Sally Susan. So sitting side

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POETRY

SPOOKS

Amy Gordon, G-11

Spooks are white, black, and green.
Sometimes they are never seen.
Some look creepy, some look nice,
But are they like sugar and spice?
No. They're mean.
But they're clean!
Big and little, all alike
And I know one - his name is Mike!

'62

Rikki Lloyd, G -10

Where were you in '62?
Up and around, or in bed with the flu?
Remember the saddle shoes,
Bobby socks, and me?
The place - Coney Island, the time was 3.
At the 'hop' we danced to rock,
Movin' and groovin' at all hours on the
clock.
Then we went to see a high rated movie,
Not watching it, just being real groovy!
Look at us now, feeding three more,
Soon we will be on number four!
Just thinking back in a dusty daze,
Weren't those the good ol' days?

ME, MYSELF & I

Karen Hirschhorn G-13

There are three people all in one,
That never get anything done.
They like nature all around,
And collecting stones from the ground.
But most of all they like to sigh,
Just little old me, myself, and I.

IF THE MESSIAH CAME

Sharon Brickman G-12

If the Messiah came to Morasha, there
would be joy and happiness throughout the
camp. Everyone would be very happy. And
if the Messiah saw that we lived in peace
and respected Hashem a real lot, he would
take us to our land, Yisrael.

Let's just hope it comes true.

CREEPY CRAWLERS

Elaine Friedman, G-7

Salamanders are polka-dotted. The
older they get, the darker their skin
becomes. They turn from a light orange
to a dark ugly color.

Keeping your eye on them is hard
because they move around a lot. They're
stupid most of the time; when they come
to the edge of something they just keep
going and fall off.

When it's raining they come around.
They can be found near mossy rocks.
It's not difficult to catch one - just
pick him up. But you'd better watch
out - he may walk right off your hand.
They're not very strong so don't keep
them very long. Catching them can be
fun. Next time it rains go look for
some.

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PUZZLE

AN UNUSUAL PARAGRAPH

Can you find out what is unusual
about this paragraph? It looks so ordi-
nary that you might think nothing is
wrong with it. In fact, nothing is
wrong, but it is unusual. Why? Look
at it; study it; think about it and
you may find out. No doubt, if you
work at it, it will dawn on you. Who
knows? Good Luck!

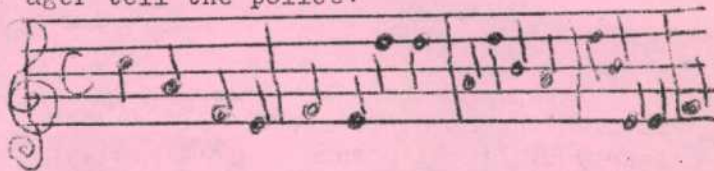
(Answer in next week's issue.)

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PUZZLE

THE CASE OF THE POISONED FATHER

A teenager found his father suffering
from food poisoning. Since he had
laryngitis, he played the following
musical message for the police which
contained the information they needed
to make an arrest. What did the teen-
ager tell the police?



Contest puzzle

THE BASEBALL

Here is a description of what happened to a baseball in one of the World Series Games. It was written at a News Reel Preview, only the projector operator put the film in backwards by mistake and wound it up instead of unreeling it.

There's nothing wrong with the language of the reporter, except that the reverse time sequence is rather jumbled as a result of having to write such a story.

Can you put the sentences in the proper order to describe the film as he saw it - BACKWARDS?

The word "It" in each sentence refers to the baseball.

- It curved toward the pitcher
No. _____
- It bounded high into the air
No. _____
- It dodged back into the fielder's glove
No. _____
- It rose from a hole in the ground
No. _____
- It became moist with saliva
No. _____
- It flattened out anticipating an impact
No. _____
- It hit a stone in front of the fielder
No. _____
- It rolled slowly along the ground
No. _____
- It spit in the pitcher's mouth
No. _____
- It struck the bat a terrific blow
No. _____
- It unwound the pitcher's arm
No. _____
- It described a long parabolic curve
No. _____
- It landed in the pitcher's hand
No. _____
- It bounced higher and higher
No. _____

The puzzle is a bit trickier than it might seem at first, but if you take your time I'm sure you can get it. First correct answer submitted will be printed with winner's name in next week's issue. GOOD LUCK!!!

ANSWERS TO LAST WEEK'S PUZZLES

Magen David Puzzle: There are 16 triangles in the star.



The fish and the robot:



Farmer Brown's Watermelons: Farmer Brown originally had 3 watermelons. He sold half of them ($1\frac{1}{2}$) plus $\frac{1}{2}$ a melon, which is the same as saying that he sold two whole melons, leaving him with one whole melon as stated.

CONTEST PUZZLE RESULTS

The winner of last week's contest puzzle is Bob Kantowitz, who is a counselor of B-1. Special mention goes to Danny Behar and Mrs. G. Grossman for their entries.

THE DIME AND PENNY SWITCHEROO

- Slide the penny.
- Jump the penny with the dime.
- Slide the dime.
- Jump the dime with the penny.
- Jump the other dime with the penny.
- Slide the dime.
- Jump the penny with the dime.
- Slide the penny just jumped.

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Day Camp News Continued from page 7

Shauli: "Because when cars are on the street you have to wait and go in the house."

Laiby: "When you want to do something on your birthday, and you didn't tell your friend when your birthday was, he can ask you, 'Why wasn't I told?'"

Lisa: "Cause then if cars come you have to cross."

Reuven: "Cause there are a lot of cars coming on the road and they can hit you on the forehead."

Etan: "If someone doesn't tell you that tomorrow is your birthday then you can't have it."

For those of you who still don't understand what "Why wasn't I informed?" means don't worry. . . . we thought we knew what it meant . . . until we read this article! Thanks, kids!

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LTP news & views

A MEANINGFUL DAY

Jay Framson, Mechina

Tisha B'Av is a time of reflection for every Jew. And where is there a better place for reflection than in a Jewish community such as Morasha? Machon-Mechina, for instance, had a chance to participate in the proceedings.

After the reading of 'Aycha' many of us went down to the library. Some of us sat on the floor, reading and quietly contemplating the loss of a Beit HaMikdash.

Heshey Billet, a Kollel staff member, got together with a group of us. We all sat in a circle on the floor. Man's Search For Meaning is a book about a young psychiatrist's experience in a Nazi concentration camp. Passing the book around, each of us read a page or two aloud. As we each took our turn reading, we came to feel the unity of the Jewish people - both of the past and of the present.

The next day, Rabbi Oratz led us in reading Kinot. Before we started, he gave us a short discourse on the meaning of Tisha B'Av to all Jews throughout the ages. Then, some of us took turns leading the Kinot. Before each Kinah, Rabbi Oratz gave a short synopsis of the content of the particular Kinah.

An ideal setting combined with a program giving all an opportunity to participate served to make it a meaningful day for all of us. And now that Tisha B'Av is over, we can look all the more heartfully to the time when our Beit HaMikdash will be rebuilt.

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MINI PUZZLE

Larry had it first; Paul had it last; boys never have it; girls always have it. What is it?

ANSWER IN NEXT WEEK'S ISSUE. . . .

DAY CAMP NEWS

WHY WASN'T I INFORMED

Day camp director, Freda Richtman, decided to ask the day camp children what, "Why wasn't I informed?" means. The responses were varied and interesting, and most of all, they were honest and funny. It turned into a heated discussion as the kids debated what the phrase means.

Tzipora: "What does informed mean?"

Shauli: "When we say something."

Dov: "Like if you're in trouble and someone is going to help."

Ariella: "If you didn't have told your mother you're going to your friend."

Shulamith: "If you're mother says you can't go, you can't go."

Miriam C.: "If you ask a teacher if you can go home and you didn't listen and you go home."

Miriam R.: "If someone else told you to do something and you didn't do it."

Dov: "If you do something and you don't tell the counselor, then she'll ask you, 'Why wasn't I told?'"

Yitzchak M.: "Because they're curious."

Lisa: "Because if you want to cross you have to go on the side."

Yechiel: "No comment at this time."

Rivka C.: "Because we can't cross the street alone because a car might hit us."

Miriam: "Because if you cross the street with a lot of cars you can get hurt."

Chunie: "Because when cars go in the street you go on the side."

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SPORTS NEWS continued from back page

10 minute mark of the 2nd half, when Allen and Herbie Lempel sparked the second half rally which enabled Morasha to gain a nine point lead. Behind the outstanding defensive work of Allen and Herbie, Morasha was able to maintain this lead and build on it. Stuie Poloner was high scorer with 24 points. The major highlight of this game was the final appearance of Bruce Wenig. Bruce leaves for Israel on Monday, and we wish him the best of luck.

<u>MORASHA</u>	FT	FM	FG	PF	TP
Wenig	0	0	7	3	14
Poloner	7	4	10	2	24
Joszeif	2	1	6	1	13
Taubenfeld	0	0	2	1	4
Merlis	0	0	1	0	2
H Lempel	0	0	0	2	0
A Lempel	0	0	4	1	8
Pianko	0	0	0	0	0
Engel	1	0	0	0	0
Behar	0	0	1	0	2
Genuth	0	0	1	0	2
Halpert	0	0	1	0	2
Blass	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	10	5	33	10	71

<u>RALEIGH</u>	FT	FM	FG	PF	TP
Insel	0	0	7	0	14
Hoenig	10	8	6	1	21
Bergman	2	1	3	3	7
Stern	0	0	2	1	4
Klein	0	0	0	1	0
Statmawer	0	0	0	2	0
Merkin	0	0	0	0	0
Lipstien	4	1	1	1	2
Gelfand	0	0	0	0	0
Cooper	0	0	0	0	0
Pruzansky	0	0	0	0	0
Shore	0	0	0	0	0
Joseph	0	0	0	0	0
Faber	0	0	2	2	4
TOTAL	16	10	21	11	52

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The Tisha B'Av set committee would like to thank the following for their assistance: Beth, Cheri, Rivka, Vic, Jay, Mike, Tommy, and David Sondhein.

Abe & Rebecca
P. S.
Head Committee positions are open for next year. Apply before July 1975.

Information Please, continued from p. 3

1952. In 1948 he was elected the first President of the State of Israel. Although much of his life was devoted to Zionism, by profession he was a

- a. physician
- b. lawyer
- c. chemist

3. An Israeli soldier, who served as the Chief of Staff of the Israeli Army from 1949-1952, became a Professor of Archaeology at the Hebrew University in 1959, where he published books on the Dead Sea Scrolls. His name is

- a. Yigal Yadin
- b. Yalkut Shimon
- c. Julian Morgenstern

4. Golda Meir was born in Russia in 1898, but moved to the United States as a child. In 1921, she settled in Palestine. In 1948, she was sent to Russia as the first Israeli minister. Her original name was

- a. Golda Meyers
- b. Golda Meyerson
- c. Golda Meyerowitz

5. An Israeli diplomat who was born in Capetown, South Africa, in 1915, has served as a member of the Jewish Agency delegation to the United Nations in 1947. He also represented Israel at the U.N. from 1948-1959, and was Israeli ambassador to the U.S. from 1950 to 1959. In 1960, he became the minister of education and culture in Israel. His name is

- a. Chaim Weizmann
- b. Emanuel Neumann
- c. Abba Eban

6. This Jewish leader of Russian birth (1880-1940) insisted, as far back as 1918 that Jewish self-defense units be established in Palestine. He was the leader of the militant Revisionist Zionist Organization. He was a prolific writer, having written poetry and novels. His name is

- a. Theodore Herzl
- b. Moses Hess
- c. Vladimir Jabotinsky

Answers next week - Good Luck!

JEWS NEWS AROUND THE WORLD

Madeline Kochen, Reporter

Secretary of State Henry Kissinger met with leaders of major Jewish organizations, and told them he understands their concern for Russian Jews that want to go to Israel, and promised to pursue aid for them. Some other matters discussed included continued American military and economic support for Israel, the overall Middle-East situation, and the fate of Soviet Jewry.

Premier Yitzchak Rabin stated that Jewish settlements in the Jordan valley will continue under Israeli control, no matter what settlements are made with Jordan.

Defense Minister Shimon Peres says that Israel is ready to have a "dialogue with Jordan" to discuss the future of the West Bank, so that people can live there and develop a national life of their own. It is not Israel, but the Palestinian Liberation Army which threatens Jordan. Israel will not negotiate with terrorists.

Yitzchak Rabin says that the U.S.S.R. is conducting a major effort to strengthen Syria.

Israel recently donated medical supplies and blood plasma for victims of the Cyprus war.

The recent visit of ministers from three Arab oil-producing countries to Peru shows to what extent Arab economic and political clout is increasing in Latin America. A visit such as this two years ago would have been "exotic and folkloric," a leading Peruvian journalist said.

A German-Israeli research project will be carried on in Israel. Plant protection agents and cultivation methods will be tested.

Kenneth Keating, the U.S. Ambassador to Israel, has presented eleven new immigrants from Russia with grants which will enable them to continue their studies in Israel.

NEWS AROUND THE WORLD

Madeline Kochen, Reporter

No progress has been made in bringing about a peace between Greece and Turkey despite continued efforts of the Soviet Union.

The Turks would not sign a peace treaty in Geneva unless a real security was established for Ethnic Turks in Cyprus.

Greece may ask the United States to help by putting pressure on Turkey to agree to a peace settlement.

Democratic members of the House Judiciary committee held a meeting to revise the wording of the second article of impeachment, saying that President Nixon had abused his constitutional authority.

Senator Byrd of West Virginia said chances are increasing for the removal of the President from office. This, though, has not has not held the President back, and he has kept up with his work.

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Tongue Twisters continued from p. 4

by side, sailing seaward, Simple Sally Susan and Smiling Simon Samuel Simpson went sailing. southward in Smiling Simon Samuel Simpson's small sailboat singing silly sweet songs.

4. Peter Piper picked a peck of pick led peppers: a peck of pickled peppers Peter Piper picked. If Peter Piper picked a peck of pickled peppers, where's the peck of pickled peppers Peter Piper picked?

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Sports

MORASHA vs. WEEQUAHIC B. Gittleman

Stu Poloner did it again as he hit a jump shot at the buzzer in the first overtime, to lift the Morasha staff team over Weequahic by the score of 88 to 86. It was a thrilling ball game with a packed house taking in the action; even Mr. Reich was there cheering the team on. The game through the first three periods of regulation time looked as if Morasha would win in a runaway. At one time they were ahead by 19 points. Weequahic cut the lead to 10 at the end of the 3rd quarter, 64-54. Led by Lanyrack and Moejko Weequahic rallied and tied the score at 72-72. The teams traded baskets and foul shots and with 8 seconds left Morasha had the ball and called a time out. Stuie got the ball with 2 seconds but missed the jumper. Time ran out and at the end of regulation time the score was tied at 79-79.

In overtime Weequahic raced to a five point lead, 85-80, before Stu hit, making it 85-82. Bruce Wenig then stole the ball and made the lay up, making it 85-84. Then Weequahic threw the ball away, giving Morasha the ball with 20 seconds left. Stuie got the ball and was fouled, and he made the two shots, giving Morasha the lead 86-85. Then Evans was fouled and he made one of two shots, tying the score at 86 with three seconds left. Coach Halpert put himself in the game, passed it to Stuie who made a jumper at the buzzer to give the win to Morasha.

Zoesh helped Stuie with the point production by scoring 19. Mitch Merlis and Jerry Jozsef also played a fine game, rebounding and scoring.

9th Annual Keeyumah Invitational Tournament: MORASHA vs. WAYNE

In the ninth annual Keeyumah Invitational tournament the Mochina-Alufin team took on the 15 year olds at Camp Wayne. Morasha lost by the score of 54-40. Frank Cunskey scored 10 points in the first half and Morasha led 28-25. In the third quarter, however, Morasha only scored three points, and at the end of the quarter Morasha trailed, 38-31. The fourth quarter was rough as Weequahic pulled ahead. Morasha was led by Frank Cunskey with 14 points, Sheldon Eskowitz with 7 and Neil Weissman with 6. Rich Kowens of Wayne led all scorers with 21 points.

Baseball:

MORASHA vs. SENECA LAKE

Last Friday afternoon the Machon-Mechina baseball team creamed Seneca Lake by the score of 13-1. It was a tie game until the home fourth. In that inning, Morasha led by two 2 run singles by Stu Chesner and Robbie Rothenberg, opened up the game as they scored eight runs. Morasha went on to score one more in the fifth and three in the sixth. The winning pitcher was Stu Chesner who is now 2-0. Morasha had a very good day in the field making only one error. This error allowed the only Seneca Lake runner to cross the plate. With the win, Morasha moved into a tie for second place in the Wayne County League with a 2-2 record. Chena-wanda is in first with a record of 2-0. Morasha has two games remaining in their quest to catch Chena-wanda.

Another Great Morasha Victory:

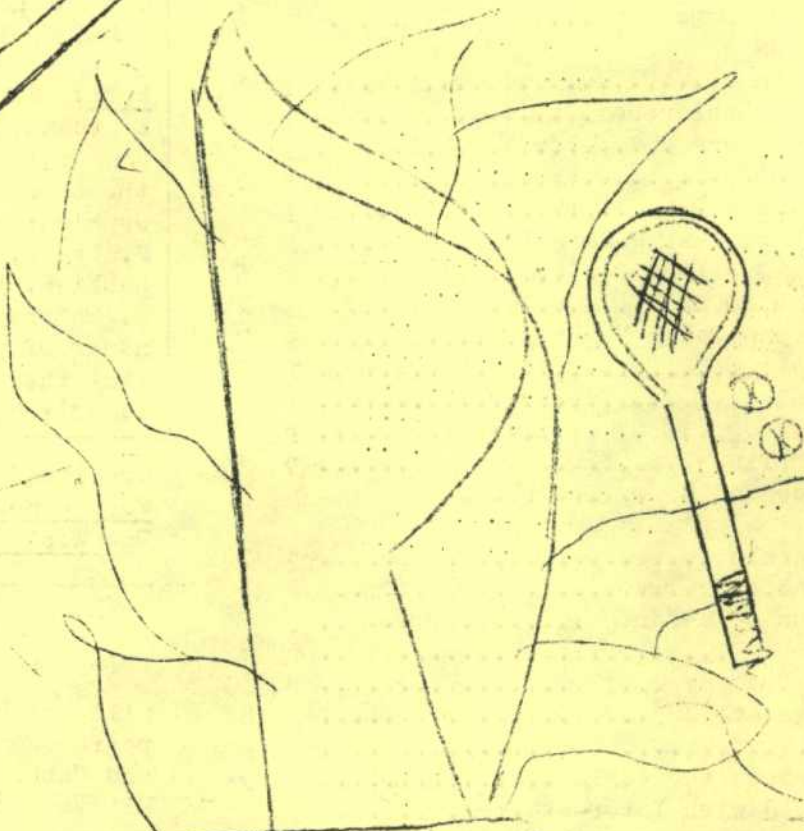
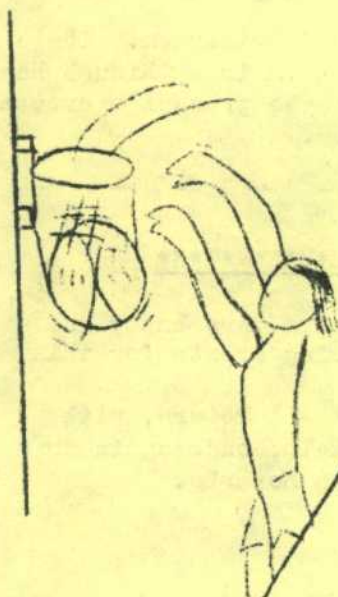
MORASHA vs. RALEIGH

Morasha staff team gained their fifth victory in six games by defeating Raleigh 71-52 on Tuesday, July 30th. The game was close throughout until the

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THIS WEEK'S PARSHA: פ' צויר משה

The 33 (Rav Naftali Zvi Yehudah Berlin) comments in many places throughout Sefer D'varin, that one of the reasons that D'varin is called 'Mishneh Torah' is because the verses have double meanings (e.g. 10:26, 18:13, 19:14.). In Parshat Shoftim the Torah tells us

וְהָיָה כָּל אֲשֶׁר יַעֲשֶׂה הָאָדָם לַיהוָה יֵשֶׁה וְהָיָה הָאָדָם כָּל אֲשֶׁר יַעֲשֶׂה לַיהוָה יֵשֶׁה
 You shall be complete with Hashem. On the one hand, this is a command. Whatever a Jew does in relation to Hashem must be done with total commitment. Nothing less than total effort is acceptable. On the other hand, one finds the interpretation of the Sifre which understands this verse to be a promise. If a Jew is a completely dedicated Jew then Hashem will be with him. A Jew can be confident that his devotion to the Torah

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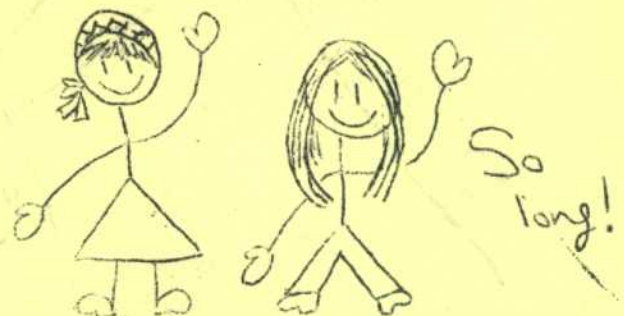
THIS WEEK'S PARSHA, continued

will not be overlooked by Hashem. The performance of a Mitzva is a Kidush Hashem and Hashem desires to be present wherever Mitzvot are performed.

*U*P*C*O*M*I*N*G* *E*V*E*N*T*S*

We wish everyone a very happy and healthy year. Upcoming events for this year include:

June, 1975 - We will all return, with G-d's help, once again to Machaneh Morasha.



Lets talk things over...

I am happy to see that this year, the first time in many years, that we are issuing a publication at the close of camp.

We had on the whole a happy season and accomplished much. But we also went through a great deal together and at times adversity brings people together more than happy times. However, I do not want to dwell on three or four days, other than to express my gratitude to those members of the staff, and campers who so selflessly gave of themselves to aid those who needed their help. It made me proud to be associated with such a fine group of young people.

But my pride in Morasha goes deeper and farther than this one incident. It goes back over our eleven camping seasons and the thousands of campers that we have served.

Success is not to be measured merely by numbers. True we have grown large but what is more important is what we accomplished with those campers who had spent summers here, the ties that bind our 'old grads' to us. How can anyone ever forget our chadar ochel on Shabbat Nachamu, 3'8er. The beauty and spontaneity of the singing initiated by the campers themselves. Our moving Tisha B'av observances, our Shira and our Tefilla. The indellible impression that we leave on the hearts and minds of all our people, but especially those who rely on us for the Jewish 'spark' which may be lacking in their communities.

Yes, we are a 'Torah Ruach' camp with two Kollelim and a winning basketball team, with sailboats and water skis, and where nightly staff activities include lectures, sheurin and chevrutot.

We have reached out to include Israel in our Morasha experience by establishing Geshet Morasha which has just successfully completed its third year, at a time when tourism to Israel was particularly difficult.

I don't know if I can put my finger on it, but I am sure that the dedication of the staff has a great deal to do with it, and I wish to express my appreciation to them for this.

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THE RELIGIOUS AND CULTURAL
ASPECTS OF MACHANEH MORASHA

by Alan Willner, Dink B-4

As a Jewish cultural camp, Morasha encourages a love of Hashem and his mitzvot along with teaching us the laws and customs of a religious Jew.

When we wake up on an average weekday, we are given five minutes to wake up and say 'Modeh Ani.' Then we go outside to raise the American and Israeli flags. We are then given time to get dressed with a pair of tzitzit and to say the opening brachot of Tefilat Shacharit. Then we go to the Boys' Shul to daven the rest of Tefilat Shacharit. Those boys who are of age put on the wonderful and beautiful article of Tefillin. It is worn as a symbol of the closeness of Dinei Yisrael to Hashem. After davening we go to eat and we bench afterwards. During the day we have a period called Sheurin. We have different Rabbeim during the week to teach us either the laws and customs of Dinei Yisrael, the history of Dinei Yisrael, or the people and the land of Eretz Yisrael.

In the afternoon we daven Tefilat Mincha and at night we daven Tefilat Maariv. At night before we go to sleep, we say Shema Yisrael and HaMapil so that Hashem will keep us safe during the night. This is a regular day in Morasha.

Now we will briefly discuss the peaceful day of Shabbat in Morasha. We start Shabbat Friday night an hour before the stars come out. The ruach and spirit of our camp is at such a high level on Shabbat, we sing and dance at suppertime. If I were to tell you all the things that happen on Shabbat in Machaneh Morasha, there wouldn't be enough room in this newspaper. All I can tell you is that it is the most wonderful day in which we give Hashem thanks and praise.

I wish as a closing remark to congratulate Morasha on its contribution to the religious and cultural part of the Jewish people. Shalom!

To all the campers and staff - I am sure that you are leaving Morasha this year with fond and happy memories, enriched spiritually and emotionally. May your association with the ideals, values and goals of Morasha continue to guide you all the days of your life. Have a good winter. *בנינו חורף טוב*
Hope to see most of you back next summer -

Zvi Kuch

Every camp has its special events, but no other camp planned an activity like that which Morasha had: "The Sickness." It wasn't easy, but we managed to get almost everyone involved - staff, counselors, campers, even the little day camp kids! Everything went smoothly, and the entire program was over before we knew it . . . but not too quickly for anyone!

תודה

ב"בית הבראה" של מורשה
המורל מאז, מאז גבוהה
בן רופא ארפואה
יש מעט זמן לבדיחה.

ה' שלח לנו רפואה שלמה
על בן נאמר לו תופה.
תופה רבה ארופאיה ואחיות
בשנה הבאה, במחנה מורשה
להתראות!

י. מונח



Moe
Rasha

TRAVELING REPORTER

QUESTION: "what have you learned this summer that you will remember all year long?"

"How much love there is in this camp."
Outside maintenance staff

"We learned how to help each other, and of things we are capable of doing that we never dreamt we could do."
Staff member

"I learned how to share my toys, and how to be a nice friend."
Lisa, Day camper

"I learned how to be a leader."
LTP Member

"To remain cool at all times. Just be cool."
Staff member.

מר בסר מר בסר
אויזה תכנית סדרת,
אזתנו על הרצפה השכבת -
באלי יותר מענין לא מצאתי?!

בכא' אה, ערה לבית הקדשה
במחנה התנועה מה רבה,
כלם רצים הנה שמה -
ביד אחת מצדן ביד שניה מטה
אנו מקימים במורשה "בית הבראה"!

הקד'ה אזתנו נסה
במחנה פנדה "מאפה"
הבחנה מאז קלה
אולם זכינו עננים "מאמעה"!

ב"בית הבראה" של מורשה
כל אחד עובד במסירות נאמה,
רצים אהושים אנצרכים עצרה,
אחריק נ' אכבוד לבית המלכה.

"GOINGS ON"

BUNKNITE AT G - 14

by Leora Adler & Karen Rich, Nitzanim

It was right after supper and we were heading for the bunk with excitement. As soon as we changed we started pouring the food on the beds and started munching it all up!

We all picked partners and started eating and dancing together. All of a sudden the lights went out and the counselor said, "Everybody in their own beds!" Not listening, as usual; we had a great big pillow fight, clobbering each other in all different places.

All of a sudden the O.D. came in and we had to stop. That was the end of our great bunk night!

TRIP DAY EXPLORERS

by Howard Jachter, Shtilim

On Wednesday the Shtilim banim and banot went to explore the city of Liberty. We started out early to go to the city. (Heaven knows what counselors do there on their days off!). We stopped outside the town to have lunch, and when we finished, we started into Liberty.

First, the girls went to Sullivan's and the boys went to Liberty Lanes for bowling. Then the boys finished bowling and we went to Sullivan's.

The items at Sullivan's were super. There was a sale on baseballs for seventy seven cents. We watched a Bugs Bunny cartoon and part of "F Troop." But the best had yet to come.

On the way home from Liberty, the boys had cookies to eat and the girls had pizza!

MY COUNSELORS

by Nina Tannenbaum, Nitzanim

My counselors are Susan Grossman and Beth Dauber. They are very nice, but I shall tell you a very sad story that happened to Beth.

One day we were going on a trip, roller skating, and suddenly a girl slipped and hit her head. Beth had to carry the girl, and she slipped and sprained her ankle. She had crutches and could stay with the bunk. Then it got worse - Beth

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got a cast!! Now she had to go home.

Now since you heard something sad I will tell you something happy - Susan is fine!!!

I love my counselors. They are very nice.

CAMPFIRE

by Hadasa Hiesiger, G - 12

When we had the campfire, we told jokes, we sang some songs, and we heard ghost stories. It was fun. Afterwards we got a snack.

BUNK SURVEY: B - 4

Compiled and edited by Larry Roitman

QUESTION: "How did you like camp this summer?"

MAIER BECKER: "Camp was okay, but a) since there was only a limited amount of supplies in the canteen it was very hard to buy Ice Box cookies in the first month of camp when a boy by the name of Moshe Benovitz always managed to finish off the whole supply.

b) What I just wrote about wasn't half as bad as the other things I could've written about but didn't because of my rotten (Oh no - there they are, looking straight at me!) I mean great counselors! Nevertheless, camp really wasn't all that bad."

LENNY BESSLER: "I think camp was great; it was really fantastic except for the usual minor mishaps that are part of camp life. I admit that there were times when things really got fouled up - but the good times by far outweighed the bad times."

LARRY BRUCH: "Camp was deliciously good because the activities were good and the food was delicious!"

DANNY FEIT: "Camp was okay, but my bunk wasn't! It's just that when everybody would come into the bunk all sweated up from activities, they'd stroll nonchalantly onto my bed and read comics!"

KENNY HIRSCHHORN: "Camp was pretty good this summer. The kids in my bunk were okay except for eight of them! What I wrote about the counselors was censored! Olympics and colorwar were a lot of fun, but the most fun was during the lollypop fights we had at night!"

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ANSWERS TO LAST WEEK'S PUZZLES

LETTER RIDDLES:

1. Because a bee (B) always comes after it.
2. Because it makes MA MAD.
3. Because it is the capitol of England.
4. Because it is the center of light.
5. Because you can't make a loud noise without it.
6. Because it is in the middle of water.
7. Because it always comes before you (U).
8. Because it makes PA PAY.
9. Because it has to be crossed.
10. It can make HER HEAR.

JUWS IN SPORTS:

1. a) Charles "Buddy" Meyer
2. b) Nat Holman
3. c) Slapsie Maxie

THE TEA PARTY:

Hostess Wood
 Fat Woman Cook
 Frail Woman Kelly
 Deaf Woman Jones
 Talkative Stokes
 Hates Cook Adams

MINI PUZZLE:

Teralbay is scrambled for BETRAYAL.

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BUNK SURVEY, continued

MICHAEL JOSEPH: "Camp was pretty good this summer. There were things that didn't seem too good at first but which later turned out to be very good. A good example is clean-up. Clean-up, we learned, was good in the sense that it kept the bunk clean and gave the cleaners exercise. The way it accomplished this I will now explain.

The dustpanner could only do his job by constantly getting up and down. That's excellent for the leg muscles. The sweeper, however, must make use of his arms, especially when he sweeps under the beds. This, then, obviously builds up the arm muscles.

The preceding synopsis explains why our bunk always sought to win the 'nikayon' plaque every week. We did not seek any pride for ourselves but we did seek strong

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WHOOPEE SPELLING BEE

Some of the words in the list below are not spelled correctly. After each of the misspelled words write the same word correctly spelled. Score 2 points for each correct answer. Total possible: 50.

1. Kimona
2. Rarify
3. Accomodate
4. Irreparable
5. Milennial
6. Resusitate
7. Sacophigus
8. Apoplexy
9. Oculist
10. Seggregate
11. Parallel
12. Ecstasy
13. Pirpendicular
14. Fricassee
15. Preceed
16. Forest
17. Garrulous
18. Kaleidascope
19. Eleemosinery
20. Occurred
21. Intollarent
22. Asassin
23. Cenetary
24. Irassible
25. Odorforous

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muscles. Now you know our secret!"

DAVID MARK: "This year camp was so unique that the only way I can really express my innermost feelings about my experiences is by writing that camp was *#*&*%*%*?!"

ALAN WILNER: "Camp had just the right 'zing' to it, but I only wish boys' campus were closer to girls' campus!"

MARK WOLKENFELD: "This summer I really liked camp a lot. The best part of it was the sports. I just loved playing volleyball! The baseball fields were tremendously large, especially the Nitzanin field! However, there were two major problems. First of all, there weren't enough volleyball periods! Secondly, there were much too many of those basketball periods!"

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ANSWERS TO WHOOPEE SPELLING BEE
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POETRY & PROSE

A DARK AND RAINY NIGHT

by Bonnie Berger

It was a very dark and rainy night.
I wish the rain would have been out of sight.
It came pounding down on the house.
I couldn't even hear the mouse,
As it crawled up next to me on the couch.
I felt something warm and soft in my pouch.
I got so scared I wanted to yell.
I ran so fast I almost fell.
The mouse jumped out of my pocket,
As my hand touched the electric socket.
The next thing I knew,
All the lights in the house blew.
It was very dark and eerie,
And my eyes were very bleary.
I started to shake and scream.
Then my mother shook me,
And I realized it was only a dream

MYSTERY

by Michele Gordon, G-12

A mystery can be a sound.
Mysteries are all around.
Think of all the mystery solvers:
Nancy Drew, The Hardy Boys,
The Bobbsey Twins, and many more.
All leading to a mysterious door.
And where the door leads no one knows,
And where the door leads, no one goes.
Only heaven knows where it goes.
Some people say,
To this very day,
My ancestor went through that door,
But the room had no floor,
So he fell into a bottomless pit.
That can't be true. Do you know why?
You see! That is a mystery, too.
Maybe someday there will be a mystery for you!

CARNIVAL

by Shani Jaffe, G-13

We had a carnival with two divisions in it. All the booths were very nice. One example of a booth was our bunk's. We had two big bowls filled with water and a cup on top of the water. You had to throw little rocks into the cup from a certain distance.

Carnival, continued

Another booth had bottles of three different colors. There was a pole, and at the end of it was a string with a ring. You had to get the foil ring around the bottle.

Winning tickets were redeemed with prizes. You could also get a soda or a hot dog. It was a lot of fun.

SWIMMING

by Sara Munk and Estie Knobel

Swimming is a lot of fun,
For everyone.
Deep or shallow is fun,
For every daughter and son.
Everybody is sad,
When Rivka says, "Go out," but it's too bad.
And then she says, "Go home,
And leave me alone."

CAMPFIRE

by Lisa Kolb and Rebecca Wacholder

In our sight,
We see fire light,
Singing a song,
As the fire stays long.
Telling a lot of jokes,
While drinking a lot of cokes.
Watch the fire rise,
As we close our eyes.
Goodbye campfire
As you get out of sight.

JUST YOU AND ME

by Michele Gordon

Just you and me,
Can climb a tree.
Just you and me.
We'll go to Mississippi,
Just you and me.
Then we'll go into space,
Quite ahead of the human race.
Then we'll go to Venus,
The planet of love,
Far above the earth.
Then we'll grow as tall as the sky,
Just you and I.

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MINI PUZZLE:

What does no man want to have, yet
no man want to lose?

Answer on back page



FUN TIME

PARENT: Did you go on your usual overnight this summer?

AVI: No, we just left the bunk door open, removed the screens and got the same effect.

ELLY (on the telephone): Zonick: Zonick!
No, not C: ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ
WXY . . Z!!!!

CHAIM: The camp laundry sends back my shirts with different buttons sewn on them.

MENACHEM: You don't know when you're lucky. It sends back my buttons with different shirts sewn on them!

LEAH: Don't bother me. I'm writing to my little sister.

GILA: But why are you writing so slowly?

LEAH: She can't read very fast!

Why did the elephant eat a mothball?

What happens when it rains nickels, dimes, and pennies?

There's some change in the weather.

ANAGRAMS A LA CARTE

Pity the camper who went into the diningroom and was given a mixed-up waiter! Here's what the waiter said:

"You can start your meal with a THROB. Then you have a choice between plain TEAM or a delicious WEST. You can finish your meal with LUMPS or a delicious CHEAP.

The camper just scratched his head with bewilderment. Can you help him out? Just figure out what food each of the jumbled words represent.

THROB _____ LUMPS _____
TEAM _____ CHEAP _____
WEST _____

answers on back page . .

SNEAKY ARITHMETIC: A harmonica cost a dollar more than a pencil. Together they cost \$1.10. How much did each cost?

Answer on back page . . .

חודש נא

א. כמה ימים?

הבנות יצאו עטיוס.
רצו הימים שהסתבר בשורה.
הסתברו בוגות בוגות ונלאר לא
אחר. הסתברו לשלם בשורה
ולא נלאר לא אחר. הסתברו
ארבעה ארבעה, חמישה חמישה,
שש שש - ובכל פעם נלאר
לא אחר בודד. כמה ימים
היו בקבוצה?

ב. המסכה

המסכה היו בסך-הכל שלום
אורחים, גברים, נשים וילדים.
חלקו בין האורחים בסך-הכל
שלום תפוחים, כל איש קבל
שני תפוחים, כל אשה תפוח
אחד, וכל שני ילדים חלקו
תפוח אחד. כמה אנשים
נשים וילדים היו במסכה?

Answers on back page . . .

* CIRCUS TRAGEDY *

The circus ringmaster was found dead. In his tent was found the following note: Theodore's Father, Herman, didn't write.

The clue contained in the note enabled the police to arrest the guilty person. Who was he?

Answer on back page

SOMETHING TO DO

How many words can you make out of the word

VITALITY ?

Try it and see. We were able to get lots!

NEWS AROUND THE WORLD

Madeline Kochen, Reporter

As Turkish forces began heavy ground and air attacks they seem headed for control of much of northern Cyprus.

In reaction to the breakdown of the Geneva talks and the new fighting in Cyprus Greece withdrew her troops from the North Atlantic Treaty Organization. This action was an attempt to arouse world attention to Turkey's action. The move pleased many people in Greece, where anti-American feeling is rising.

After failing to persuade Turkey not to renew hostilities on Cyprus, America called for a ceasefire and a resumption of negotiation.

During the first six months of 1974, immigration to Israel fell 35%, apparently as a result of economic dislocation and political uncertainty caused by the Yom Kippur war. Unlike the '67 war whose victory boosted immigration, the recent inconclusive conflict discouraged many would-be immigrants.

A near disaster befell a camp in Pennsylvania. For a period of four days many people were suffering Shilshul and various other symptoms. Fortunately, the camp is now back to normal, so to speak.

The tape recordings made by former President Nixon of his conversations with his former aides were returned to him. This decision was based on an opinion by Mr. Nixon's defense lawyers who said the tapes were Mr. Nixon's personal property.

A transition team is busy considering changes in the White House way of doing things to fit the style of President Ford. An aide said that the theme would be "decentralization," to return authority to Government agencies which they lost to the White House under President Nixon.

The draft report on impeachment by the House Judiciary Committee says that for more than two years President Nixon engaged in "deliberate, repeated and continued deception of the American people." It is expected to go to the

House on Monday, but Peter Rodino, the Committee chairman, says that it is expected to lie dormant as a record of events leading up to Mr. Nixon's resignation.

JEWISH NEWS AROUND THE WORLD

Premier Yitzchak Rabin said this weekend that it was still too early to decide whether Israel would hold talks first with Egypt or with Jordan as the next step in the peace settlements. Rabin feels that it would be preferable to have Egypt as a leader in any serious advance to settlements but there can be changes, depending on Jordanian peace proposals to Israel.

Israel flatly rejected Syrian attempts to tie them in with the crash of a United Nations plane which resulted in the death of nine Canadian members of the UN emergency force. The Syrians had contended that Israeli Air Force jets had penetrated Syrian air space at the time the UN plane went down, which was hit by Syrian missiles fired at invading Israeli aircraft.

President Ford pledged that his administration will follow up diplomatic efforts in the Middle East "with the same vigor" as the previous administration. He told Sadat that he hopes that U.S.-Egyptian relations will develop further in the cause of peace.

A general mobilization practice will be held shortly and will involve reserve soldiers from all military units and all areas of the country.

There was a report that Russia has warned Yasser Arafat, the head of the Palestine Liberation Organization, of an imminent Israeli attack on the Arabs. The Russian envoy urged him to speed up "the creation of a Palestine state."

Valery and Galina demonstrated outside of the Soviet Embassy on behalf of their "very old and dear friend," Dr. Victor Polsky, the Jewish Soviet scientist and activist. He faces persecution in Moscow on trumped-up charges of reckless driving.

On August 14th 1974, a Shabbat passed Morasha by. The next day Morasha served with kid gloves.

Israel premier Rabin said that Israel "is ready to negotiate and surrender territories to achieve a true peace with the Arab states." He ruled out, though, retreating back to the pre-six-day-war borders.

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All news covered is dated 8/18/74.

ANSWERS TO THIS WEEK'S PUZZLES

WHOOPEE SPELLING BEE:

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|-------------------|------------------|
| 1. Kimono | 14. (correct) |
| 2. Rarefy | 15. Precede |
| 3. Accommodate | 16. (correct) |
| 4. (correct) | 17. (correct) |
| 5. Millennial | 18. Kaleidoscope |
| 6. Resuscitate | 19. Eleemosynary |
| 7. Sarcophagus | 20. (correct) |
| 8. (correct) | 21. Intolerant |
| 9. (correct) | 22. Assassin |
| 10. Segregate | 24. Irascible |
| 11. (correct) | 25. Odoriferous |
| 12. Ecstasy | |
| 13. Perpendicular | 23. (correct) |

CIRCUS TRAGEDY:

Each of the words of the note contains a word which helps make up the message:
"The fat man did it."

ANAGRAMS A LA CARTE:

THROB - Broth	LUMPS - Plums
TEAM - Meat	CHEAP - Peach
WEST - Stew	

SNEAKY ARITHMETIC:

The harmonica cost \$1.05, the pencil cost 5¢. Perhaps you thought the harmonica cost \$1.60 and the pencil cost 10¢, but then the harmonica would cost 90¢ more than the pencil. To cost a dollar more, the harmonica must cost \$1.05 and the pencil 5¢, because \$1.05 minus 5¢ is \$1.00.

MINI PUZZLE:

("What does no man want to . . .")
Answer: A bald head!

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See you next year!



P.S. If you did not have a chance to submit your articles for the journal before the end of camp, send them in to the camp office as soon as possible and we will do our best to include them in the journal.