

LADIES' GUILD

February, 1952—February, 1953.

Hon. President :
Mrs. J. LEVINSON

Hon. Life Vice-Presidents :
Mrs. A. LAVINE, Mrs. Is. LEVY, Mrs. M. MILLER, Mrs. D. ROBINSON,
Mrs. D. VINEGRAD

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Mrs. Jos. LEVY

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Hull Old Hebrew Congregation Ladies' Guild

ANNUAL REPORT

The Hull Old Hebrew Congregation Ladies' Guild takes pleasure in presenting their Annual Report for the year terminating February, 1952.

It will be observed that the Ladies' Guild have had a very successful year. They gave a Children's Purim Party, organised the Succoth Festivities, assisted at the reception given by the Representative Council to the Provincial Delegates, assisted at the Ex-Servicemen's Annual Reunion Tea, Talmud Torah Chanukah Party and J.P.A. Bazaar. A Jumble Sale and several successful social gatherings were held, culminating with the Annual Dance and Tombola.

The Statement of Accounts show that the Guild has maintained a sound financial position. A surplus of over £150 has been achieved on the year's working.


The Executive and Committee offer congratulations to Mrs. H. M. Bentley and Mrs. J. Levinson on the arrival of their sons, and to Mrs. C. Chappell on the arrival of her daughter. A Golden Wedding gift was made to Mr. and Mrs. A. Lavine, to whom we offer heartiest congratulations.

A gift of a travelling clock was made to Miss Jean Robinson who resigned from the Ladies Guild, for her past services in the capacity of Joint Hon. Secretary.

The Ladies have worked well and successfully together, and it is to be hoped that this coming year will prove as good as the past year. We hope that the time is not too distant when we will be working for the re-opening of the permanent Synagogue.

(Signed) RUBY LEVY,

Hon. Secretary.

Hull Old Hebrew Congregation

OSBORNE STREET

איה כב אלול תשיא דפק

SPECIAL SERVICE

Sunday, 23rd September, 1951, at 11 a.m.

Attended by

The Worshipful, The Sheriff
of the City and County of Kingston upon Hull
Councillor LIONEL ROSEN, L.L.M.

Accompanied by

The Lord Mayor, Ald. R. E. SMITH
Aldermen and Councillors

Officiating Clergy

Rev. J. ISRAELSTAM, B.A., (Hon.) Chaplain H.M. Forces
Rev. J. LEVINSON, Sheriff's Chaplain
Rev. J. FREEDBERG

The Sheriff and his Lady invite those attending the Synagogue to a Reception
at the Guildhall immediately following the termination of the Service

מה טוב

“How goodly are thy tents”

ויהי בנסע הארן

“And it came to pass when the Ark set forward”

Prayer for the King and the Royal Family.

*Prayer for the welfare of the City, its Leaders
and Inhabitants*

יהללו

“Let them praise the name of the Lord”

ובנחה יאמר

“And when it . . . The Ark . . . rested”

Sermon

Psalm 23

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Psalm 127

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*Unveiling of Plaque in memory of the late
Mrs. SOPHIE ROSEN, founder of
The Hull Old Hebrew Congregation Ladies Guild*

אשת חיל

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“A woman of worth”

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Memorial Prayer

עלינו

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“It is our duty to praise the Lord”

אדון עולם

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“He is Lord of the universe”

GOD SAVE THE KING

Congregants are requested to remain in their places until the
Civic Party and Clergy have departed

Hull Old Hebrew Congregation

OSBORNE STREET

Annual Report & Accounts

From 1st January, 1951 to 31st December, 1951

Officers :

President : L. RAPSTONE

Vice-President : A. LAVINE

Hon. Vice-Presidents : Is. LEVY, D. M. ROSEN

Hon. Treasurer : J. ROSEN

Hon. Secretary : L. FINESTEIN

Members of the Council :

A. BAKER, A. BOTT*, H. M. BENTLEY, H. EDELSON, BARNEY FELDMAN, J. W. FINESTEIN, M. HARRIS, L. JACOBS, S. LAVINE, A. LEVITT, N. LIPCHIS, S. LANG, J. LENNARD, NORMAN SHENKER, G. VINEGRAD.

Reader and Secretary for Marriages : Rev. J. LEVINSON.

Trustees : A. LAVINE, L. RAPSTONE.

Representative, Hull Hebrew Board of Guardians : L. JACOBS.

Hull Jewish Representative Council :

H. M. BENTLEY, A. BOTT*, J. W. FINESTEIN.

Board of Shechita :

A. BOTT*, BARNEY FELDMAN, L. RAPSTONE, J. ROSEN.

Hull United Synagogue Council :

J. W. FINESTEIN, A. LAVINE, L. RAPSTONE, J. ROSEN, NORMAN SHENKER.

Hull Hebrew Communal School.

H. M. BENTLEY, J. W. FINESTEIN, M. HARRIS, A. LAVINE, L. RAPSTONE, J. ROSEN.

Board of Deputies : L. RAPSTONE, NORMAN SHENKER.

Hon. Solicitor : Mr. LIONEL ROSEN, LL.M.

Accountant and Auditor : LOUIS KORKLIN, A.S.A.A.

Collector : E. FOOT.

8 Irene Grove, Carrington Street. Telephone 12780.

* Deceased.

Hull Old Hebrew Congregation Ladies' Guild

INCOME and EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT for the Year ended 19th February, 1952

EXPENDITURE		INCOME	
	£ s d		£ s d
Postages, Telegrams, Stationery	9 0 7	Special Functions (Balance)	174 4 2
Affiliation Fee (Representative Council)	1 1 0	Meetings	22 14 0
Parks Department (Floral Decorations)	5 19 4	Subscriptions	5 17 6
Hire of Rooms	2 17 0	Donations	27 17 6
Printing	7 5 2	Unused Cheques	0 5 4
Advertising	2 11 6	Cash in Hand as at February 22nd, 1951	1 1 8
Crockery	10 6 0		
Gratuities	1 12 6		
Plaque	10 15 0		
Sundry Expenses (Film Show, Purim Party, Tables, Chairs, Laundry, etc.)	30 9 6		
Balance of Income over Expenditure	150 2 7		
	£232 0 2		£232 0 2

BALANCE SHEET

	£ s d		£ s d
Bank Balance as at February 22nd, 1951	507 7 1	Bank Balance as at February 19th, 1952	656 4 8
Profit as per Profit and Loss Account	150 2 7	Cash in Hand	1 5 0
	£657 9 8		£657 9 8

LEAH WINROOPE,
Hon. Treasurer.

Number of Attendances of Members of the Council

Maximum Number of Attendances—4

A. Baker	4
A. Bott	3
H. M. Bentley	3
H. Edelson	2
Barney Feldman	4
*J. W. Finestein	3
L. Finestein	4
*M. Harris	4
*L. Jacobs	3
*S. Lang	2
*A. Levitt	4
*A. Lavine	4
*S. Lavine	4
*J. Lennard	4
Is. Levy	1
N. Lipchis	4
L. Rapstone	4
D. M. Rosen	1
J. Rosen	4
*Norman Shenker	4
G. Vinegrad	2

* Signifies retiring Members eligible for re-election.

REPORT OF THE Hull Old Hebrew Congregation 1951

Dear Sir or Madam,

The events of the past year have been overshadowed by the frustrated attempts at amalgamation within the Hull Jewish community. Your Executive and Council made wholehearted and sincere efforts to effect an amalgamation of the Synagogues, but met with the short-sighted policy of individuals who failed to realize the ultimate advantages of our aspirations. Let our earnestness be judged by our willingness to even sink our identity in furthering the cause of communal unity. Only the future generations will assess the folly of the lack of co-operation between the Synagogues of the present day.

It has therefore been necessary as a result of this, to vigorously pursue with our plans for your new Synagogue. We have received approval from the local authorities for its erection on the Anlaby Road site. £10,000 has already been agreed upon with the War Damage Commission, and the amount to be received from the Hull Corporation in respect of further compensation has yet to be determined. We can look to the future with confidence to the support of all our members.

We would like to express our sincerest thanks to the Ladies' Guild who, under the capable leadership of Mrs. H. Bentley, has responded wholeheartedly whenever called upon.

Our thanks must also be extended to Mr. H. Rosen, who performed the onerous duties of Baal Shacheris during the High Festivals with grace and dignity. We shall look forward to the pleasure of his services this coming year. To Mr. and Mrs. H. Wilson for their magnificent gift of fruit and flowers during Succoth, and all members who have assisted the Congregation we offer our deepest appreciation.

To Messrs. A. ^{Shenker} ~~Juggler~~ and K. Edelson who performed the duties of Chosen Torah and Bereshis and all congregants who celebrated Simchas during the year we extend our heartiest congratulations. Our best wishes are also extended to our worthy President, Mr. L. Rapstone, on his re-election to the Chief Rabbinate Council.

It is with the deepest sympathy that we express our condolences to the families of the late Mrs. D. Donn, A. Bott, H. Levy and Is. Bentley. Mr. Is. Bentley was a Past President and the Father of the Congregation.

This year the Congregation were pleased to honour Councillor and Mrs. L. Rosen on their election as Sheriff and Sheriff's Lady. A service was held in our Synagogue on Sheriff's Sunday, 23rd September, attended by the Lord Mayor and members of the Hull Corporation.

The Executive and Council have pleasure in presenting the above Report and the Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1951.

On behalf of the Executive and Council.

(Signed) L. FINESTEIN,
Hon. Secretary.

J. ROSEN, Esq., Hon. Treasurer, in Account with the

Hull Old Hebrew Congregation

Receipts and Payments for the year ended 31st December, 1951

RECEIPTS					PAYMENTS											
		£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d						
669	To Cash in Hand as per last Account				386	12	0	635	By Bank Overdrawn as per last Account	82	2	0				
	Collections :—								Salaries :—							
1186	Members' Contributions	1202	8	7				613	Minister—Rev. J. Levinson	648	0	0				
149	Members' Offerings	140	6	0				217	Caretaker and Collector—Mr. E. Fouts	229	10	0				
27	Strangers' Offerings	45	6	6				— 830				877	10	0		
— 1362					1388	1	1		General Expenditure :—							
5	Other Income :—							93	General Insurance Premiums	99	9	6				
	L. Rapstone, Esq., Board of Deputies	5	5	0				18	Lighting and Heating	38	0	0				
10	N. Shenker, Esq. ditto	10	10	0				35	Printing and Stationery	59	4	8				
6	Wedding Fees	22	1	0				—	Accountancy Expenses	20	0	0				
15	Holiday Seats	—	—	—				34	National Insurance Stamps	36	2	6				
—	Wayleave Rental	3	0	0				4	Bank Charges and Cheques	2	12	0				
26	Superannuation Contribution—Rev. J. Levinson	26	0	0				33	Succoth Expenses	13	16	1				
— 62					63	19	0	1	Organist at Weddings	4	3	0				
340	Hull Board of Shechita				340	0	0	2	Chief Rabbi—Marriage Authorisation Fees	8	8	0				
111	Rents Received—Marfleet Cottages	109	3	0				—	Synagogue Joint Services	2	16	3				
53	Less Rates & Water Rates	39	12	2				9	Postages—Sec. and Collector	6	12	6				
38	Repairs	38	12	3				2	Telephones	25	7	9				
— 91					78	4	5	—	Sheriff's Service—Councillor Lionel Rosen, LL.M.	6	16	6				
— 20					30	18	7	31	Repairs	17	8	4				
144	Hull Hebrew School—Contributions 1951				145	7	8	—	Cycle Allowance—Collector	10	0	0				
10	Legacy				—	—	—	2	Cleaning	5	10	11		356	8	0
5	Synagogue Building Fund				6	6	0	— 264	Grants :—							
—	Cemetery Income :—							50	Joint Palestine Appeal	50	0	0				
123	Members' Weekly Levies	146	0	8				23	Central Council of Religious Education	22	10	0				
81	Special Offerings	55	5	6				21	Board of Deputies of British Jews	21	0	0				
12	Cemetery Collection	—	—	—				—	Rev. J. Levinson—Expense Grant	25	0	0				
60	Burial Charges	176	6	3				1	Save the Children Fund	—	—	—				
7	Stonemasons' Fees	9	9	0				—	Rev. D. Hirsch Memorial Fund—J.N.F.	5	5	0				
—	Reserved Grave	50	0	0				10	Chief Rabbinate Council	8	1	9				
— 283					437	1	5	5	Hull Jewish Representative Council	5	5	0				
								—	Hull Hebrew Board of Guardians	5	0	0				
								2	Council of Christians & Jews	2	2	0				
								—	Joint Palestine Appeal							
								2	Defence Fund	25	0	0				
								11	Hull United Synagogue Council Services—Rev. H. Davies	—	—	—				
								5	Lord Mayor's National Thanksgiving Fund	—	—	—				
								21	Gateshead Yeshiva	—	—	—				
								10	Holiday Services—Mr. D. Moore	—	—	—				
								— 166				169	3	9		
								141	Hull Hebrew School—1950			143	11	4		
								107	Cemetery Expenditure :—							
								159	Maintenance and Upkeep	178	2	6				
								281	Cost of Funerals	212	14	9				
								8	Cemetery Repairs	—	—	—				
								— 555	Rates	5	16	0				
								—	Synagogue Building Fund—Testing Foundations				14	0	0	
								386	Balance made up as follows :—							
								— 82	Cash in Hand (inc. amounts received after date)	376	1	9				
								— 304	Add Cash at Mid'd Bank Ltd	382	15	8				
								—	Less Overdrawn do	—	—	—				
												758	17	5		
£2895					£2798	5	9	£2895				£2798	5	0		

AUDITORS REPORT

We have examined the foregoing Receipts and Payments Account for the year ended 31st December 1951 with the Hon. Treasurer's Cash Book and Vouchers and with the Bank Statements and other information produced to us.

It is understood that a number of members paid their contributions after the 31st December, 1951 but in accordance with a request expressed by them, the contributions thus received have been included in the Income for the year ended 31st December, 1951.

It will be observed that the Income and Expenditure relating to the Cemetery has been included in the foregoing Receipts and Payments Account.

Subject to the foregoing remarks, we have to report that the Receipts and Payments Account for the year ended 31st December, 1951 represents a detailed summary of the Hon. Treasurer's Cash Book according to the entries recorded therein and according to the explanations and further information given to us.

Friary Chambers,
24-28 Whitefriargate, Hull.

LOUIS KORKLIN & CO.,
Incorporated Accountants and Auditors.