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## 28 Will Receive Degrees At Outdoor Commencement; Dinner Is Set For June 18

### U.S. Commissioner Of Education To Speak

Members of the second graduating class of Stern College will receive their degrees, together with graduates from nine other schools of Yeshiva University, on Thursday afternoon, June 18, at 3 p.m.

The twenty-eight Stern College seniors will be among 300 participants in the first outdoor commencement to be held on the Danciger Campus of the Main Center.

At special senior class elections last Wednesday, Evelyn Weiss was elected valedictorian of the class of 1959. A former editor of *The Observer*, she will speak at the senior dinner following graduation. Runners up were Hannah Kalter and Dorothy Gewirtz.

Dr. Samuel Belkin, president of the college and divisions of the university who have fulfilled the required studies leading to degrees on the bachelor's, master's, and doctor's level.

#### Commencement Speaker

In addition, honorary degrees will be presented to: Lawrence Derthick, United States Commissioner for Education, who will deliver the commencement address;

Benjamin Gottesman, philanthropist and benefactor of Yeshiva University;

Rabbi Moses Poleyoff, a Rosh Yeshiva of Yeshiva University who has served there for 40 years;

Moshe Shapiro, former Israel Minister of Religion and Social Welfare and former Hapoel Hamizrachi representative of the Knesset.

#### 10 Tickets Per Graduate

Because graduation exercises are to be held outdoors, more tickets will be available to each senior than in former years. Each  
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### WE'RE ACCREDITED!

The May, 1959 Middle States Letter, published by the Middle States Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools, announced the reaffirmation of accreditation of Yeshiva University. This is the result of the evaluation last November.

Since a university receives accreditation only when all of its schools are approved, Stern College is officially accredited by the association.



Evelyn Weiss

### Weiss Wins Math Award

Evelyn Weiss is the recipient of this year's tuition scholarship to Yeshiva University's Graduate School of Mathematical Sciences, announced Dr. Abe Gelbart, director.

The scholarship, which has been approved by Dr. Samuel Belkin, president of Yeshiva University, will be available annually to a worthy Stern College graduate who has been accepted to the Graduate School of Mathematical Sciences.

Fees other than tuition will not be included in the scholarship which will be renewable on the basis of the scholastic achievement of the student during her tenure at the graduate school.

"I am very happy with this arrangement and look forward to future applications of good quality from Stern College," said Dr. Gelbart.

Evelyn Weiss who majored in math, is a native of Pittsburgh.

### Class Elections Held Last Week

Results of class elections held last week were as follows:

#### Class of 1960

President—Bobbie Rosen  
Vice President—Gita Feiner  
Secretary—Ruchama Fuchs  
Treasurer—Rachel Heiland

#### Class of 1961

President—Joann Bloomberg  
Vice President—Helen Pfanzter  
Secretary—Phyllis H. Katz  
Treasurer—Esther Rivkin

#### Class of 1962

President—Rosalie Bayer  
Vice President—Sherill Reisman  
Secretary—Dena Shapiro  
Treasurer—Leah Frankel

### E. Weiss Named Valedictorian Of Class

The Senior Dinner honoring the 1959 graduating class will take place graduation evening, Thursday, June 18, Rachel Apher, class president, said last week.

Some 180 seniors and guests are expected to be present at the dinner in the Pink Room of the Hotel Bolivar, 230 Central Park West. A pre-dinner reception will be held at the hotel at 6:30 p.m.

#### Five Guests Each

The cost will be \$8.00 a plate. Each of the twenty-eight graduates will be able to invite up to five guests, Martelle Urivetsky, dinner committee chairman, said.

The valedictory address will be given by the class valedictorian, Evelyn Weiss.

#### Senior Awards

The program for the dinner will include the following:

Presentation of scholastic awards to seniors by Dr. Dan Vogel, acting dean of Stern College;

Presentation of Student Council service keys to active seniors, by incoming Student Council President Paula Fogel;

Presentation of the senior class gift to the school by class president Rachel Apher.

Working on plans for the dinner with Martelle are: Ginger Prager, Becky Handel, Roberta Daina, and Sandra Levy.

## Student Council Elections



Discussing Student Council business are, left to right: Judy Lefkovitz, Gail Resnick, Paula Fogel and Rivka Adelman.

## Fogel Heads Council, Lefkovitz Named Veep

BY RITA MARKOVITZ

Paula Fogel was elected Student Council President for 1959-60 in elections held May 14 at Stern College. Other officers elected were Judy Lefkovitz, vice-president; Rivka Adelman, secretary; and Gail Resnick, treasurer.

Paula, a New York resident, has previously served as presi-

dent of her freshman and sophomore classes. During her terms, theatre and skating parties were begun and the first class function with a Yeshiva College class was held. Paula also has served as co-chairman of the Honor Committee and Freshman Week, and a member of the Student-Administration committee. She is also on the Dean's List for scholastic achievement.

### Advanced Study Program Planned

An advanced reading and laboratory program is under consideration by the Committee on Curriculum and the faculty, Dr. Dan Vogel, acting dean, said this week.

The program will be designed to foster individual achievement of the student in a particular field. Details have not yet been worked out, he said. It is hoped, however, that it will be approved in June and will begin next September.

The courses will involve individual projects and credit will be given to participants. More about this program will be made known when it becomes official.

#### Lefkovitz Elected Veep

Judy Lefkovitz, a psychology major, is from Cleveland, Ohio. She has served as co-chairman of the sophomore class carnival and entertainment committee for the dorm social. She also participated in the Purim play and composed part of the lyrics.

A resident of Denver, Rivka Adelman is an elementary education major. This year as president of her freshman class, she began active campaigns for class elections. Rivka was also a member of the Purim play cast and door chairman for the Purim Chagiga. In addition, she is a typist for *The Observer*.

Gail Resnick, from West Hartford, Conn., is majoring in elementary education. Gail attained Dean's List honors for scholastic achievement in her freshman year. This year she served as secretary of the sophomore class, chairman of the Charity Drive, and co-chairman of the dormitory social. She is also a member of the co-op staff.

#### President's Proposals

Paula's proposals for next year include:

\*A social function at the beginning of the school year to stimulate greater enthusiasm of the student body in Student Council. At this activity all students could get acquainted with each other and with the duties of the Student Council, she said.

\*A column in each issue of *The Observer* devoted to Student Council news and ideas.

\*The formation of a school orchestra and an informal club to learn the latest Israeli songs.

\*The establishment of an office of social co-ordinator to coordinate all school social activities.

\*The establishment of an office of cultural co-ordinator to coordinate lectures on both secular and religious topics.

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## New Book by Rabbi Schacter Compares Versions of Mishna

Rabbi Dr. Melech Schacter's first published work, *Comparison of the Babylonian and Jerusalem Versions of the Mishna*, has recently been released for distribution.

In his book, Rabbi Schacter points out the various conflicts which exist between the Jerusalem and Babylonian versions of the Mishna and suggests reasons for the differences.

Written in Hebrew, except for an English introduction, the book is published by the Masad Rav Cook Publishing Company of Israel.

Rabbi Schacter teaches Prophets and Foundations of Judaism at Stern College. He is also a faculty member of the Semicha program of Yeshiva University. In addition, he teaches Jewish Social Philosophy at the Y.U. Graduate School of Social Work.

### Art Club Exhibits Work for 1959

The Art Club exhibited some of its best art work last Wednesday. They were placed in the library showcase and on bulletin boards throughout the building.

The work chosen consisted of enamelled copper jewelry, water color paintings and linoleum block prints.

Mrs. Simeon Gutterman, advisor of the club, helped the club members select the work to be exhibited.

GOOD LUCK ON FINALS

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## The Second Step

Last spring Stern College published its first attempt at a printed newspaper. All last year we learned, devised and revised and at the end of the year published our great accomplishment. It was one sheet and could only be circulated among the students. There were no pictures or ads. It was, as its name suggested, "The First Step."

Now the second step has been completed. *The Observer* has been published regularly and has a circulation of over 900. The paper is partly self-supporting and on the average receives 50 column inches of ads per issue.

The structure of the staff has been formulated and responsibility is being divided among the members.

The credit for these accomplishments belongs to many persons.

To Effie Fink and the Student Council we would like to extend appreciation for both their moral and financial support. It takes more than sweat to produce a paper. Without the Student Council's financial backing there never would have been a paper.

Thanks also to Rabbi Howard Levine, who accepted the unpopular and difficult job of being faculty advisor. We are grateful for his understanding way of making corrections.

We would also like to thank Dr. Vogel, Mrs. Isaacs and the faculty for their encouragement, constructive criticism and tolerant view of our mistakes.

To Mr. Burton Holmes, our advisor from the Columbia Graduate School of Journalism, goes our sincerest appreciation. He not only instructed and pushed us through our first year, but also taught us such vital newspaper philosophy as "Don't get into a sweat" and "You've got to go with what you've got."

And of course without the enthusiasm of our fellow classmates publication would have been unnecessary.

The newspaper has been established and now we leave it in capable hands.

We hope that in the future the positions of the paper will be as hotly contested as any office in the school. We feel that no other organ of school life can promote greater unity in the student body. The paper is the voice of the student body, it is the record of the history of the school, it reveals our ambitions and dreams.

*The Observer* will watch Stern in the coming years. It will not merely be an Observer, but rather an integral part of student life.

### Wanted

An original design for a Stern College felt emblem suitable for blazers and sweaters.

Please submit suggestions to Paula Fogel, student council president-elect.

### Thank You

The math students who requested a non-credit analytical geometry course wish to express their gratitude to Professor Henry Lisman for unselfishly volunteering his time and effort in teaching this course during the past semester.



## Letter to the Editor

To the Editor,  
**The Observer:**

Here in Stern College on Yom Haatzmaut we were fortunate to have a very interesting speaker tell us about Israel. For approximately 35 minutes the student body was aware of this important day. However, the rest of the day, before the speaker and after, was as solemn as the rest of the school week.

Where were the girls who lived in Israel or had visited there? Where were the many girls who plan to go to Israel within the next few months? And finally, where were all the girls who "pray for Zion" in their Tefilot and Birchot Hamazon? Certainly, among these girls should have been found some spirit as was found in non-Jewish institutions, if not more!

Queens College and Brooklyn College were filled with the spirit of Independence Day, singing and dancing in honor of this 11th anniversary of the state. And yet, here at a Jewish school, not one group Hora was seen, nor was there any community singing worth mentioning, except for one or two very small groups

trying in vain to raise some spirits.

It is not sufficient to have things in the mind or the heart. They must be expressed as well. Every Jewish Holiday should have some positive and active expression to it to mean something.

Sama Chaimovitz

### Student Council

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\*The establishment of the office of co-ordinator of extra activities responsible for holding programs for charitable institutions during Chanukah and Purim.

## Council President Surveys This Year's Achievements

By Effie Fink

Four wonderful years, full of hard work, pleasant times and lasting memories... That is the way I will remember my stay at Stern College. More than anything though, I am gratified that I was able to serve my school in an elective office, that of President of Student Council. With the growth of the student enroll-

ment in the past. To the editors and the entire staff we owe a vote of thanks.

This year marked the first organized lecture series under the sponsorship of the Forum Committee. Those girls who attended can endorse the fact that their horizons and areas of interest were broadened by their support of this group.

Another innovation, under the auspices of the Chagim Committee, saw several Shabbos and Yom Tov parties brought into being, where the cafeteria was appropriately decorated, and refreshments served with an atmosphere of song and dance prevailing.

This year was also a milestone for Student Council because of the formation of the Administration-Student Committee, formed for the purpose of working out any questions or difficulties which the student body had. Many situations were discussed and suitable solutions reached in a mutually satisfactory method.

Now the task remains to next year's Student Council to go on from here. This is only the start of what a student government can do. It is my fervent hope that they will advance "Me Chayil L'Chayil" and do their part to bring honor and glory to the name of Stern College.

It is within the power of this school to bring about a significant change on the Jewish scene in America, that of an educated group of women, the future leaders and teachers of the next generations; And Student Council can do its part to achieve this goal.

### Mazel Tov

Upon their engagements:  
 Rachel Apher to Morton Morgenstern.

Rosalie Baumrind to Yechezkal Eis.

Effie Fink to Bernie Mayerfeld.

Rosa Lee Jacobson to Rabbi Joseph Shapiro.

Kay Korb to Rabbi Aaron Skaisit.

Gail Markowitz to Jerry Quint.

Ruth Mathews to Alexander Katz.

Ginger Praeger to Sheldon Solcol.

Frances Radin to Rabbi Milton Kroopnick.

Miriam Resnikoff to Gershon Metzger.

To Dr. Menachem Brayer on the birth of a son.

To Mr. Havazelet on the birth of a daughter.

To Mrs. Schachter (sociology instructor) on the birth of a daughter.



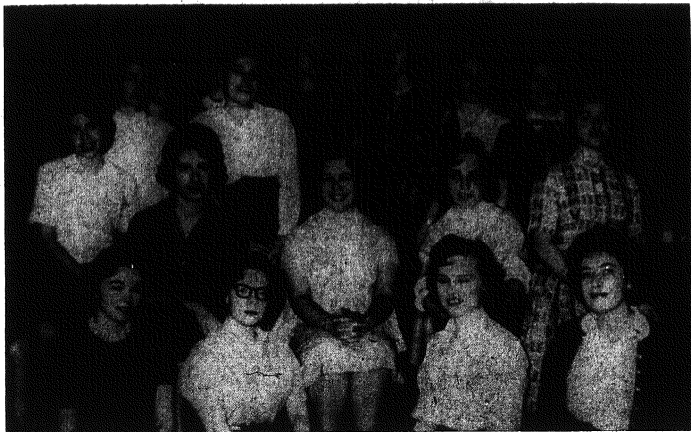
Effie Fink

ment, it was more difficult to insure the efficient running of a student government. The program of classes became more involved, leaving many girls with less time for extra-curricular activities.

Looking back on this past year though, it is evident that many girls found time to give themselves unselfishly.

We were privileged this year to see our newspaper get off to a flying start with a printed issue, something which had only been a fond hope and dream in

# Class of 1959



Seated, left to right: Frances Waldenberg, Ginger Prager, Elayne Morris, Hannah Kalter. Second row: Roberta Daina, Dorothy Gewirtz, Martelle Urivetsky, Rhoda Glyn, Susan Davis. Standing: Mae Kanarek, Rebecca Handel, Ina Pekarsky, Hannah Edelman, Joyce Cohen, Esther Vitsick, Marga Weinberg, Sylvia Bluming, Iolet Shapiro, Effie Fink, Chaya Marcus. Absent from picture: Rachel Apher, Rena Genauer, Rosa Lee Jacobson, Ethel Kagan, Sally Langner, Sandra Levy, Selma Rothschild, Evelyn Weiss.

## 28 Seniors Plan To Teach, Study And Marry

Stern College '59 graduates and their future plans are:

**RACHEL APHER**, 19 Kinney Drive, Worcester, Mass., will be married to Morton Morganstern on August 23. Next year she will live in Boston where she will teach at her M.H.L. at Hebrew Teachers' College. Rachel will also teach Talmud Torah in Newton, Mass.

**SYLVIA BLUMING**, 2205 E. 21st Street, Brooklyn, will teach high school English. She will study at Brooklyn College for an M.A. in English literature. In addition, she will continue with her youth group work.

**BERNICE JOYCE COHEN**, 2065 Grand Avenue, Bronx, will teach in the New York City public school system.

**ROBERTA DAINA**, 134 Sumner Loop, Fort Dix, N. J., will study for a Master's Degree in Education and teach elementary school in Fort Dix.

**SUSAN BOGNER DAVIS**, 180 Linden Boulevard, Brooklyn, will teach in a Yeshiva.

**HANNAH EDELMAN**, 455 E. 93rd Street, Brooklyn, will be working in a biology laboratory or hospital in Los Angeles.

**EFFIE FINK**, Norma, N. J., will marry Bernie Mayerfeld in August. She will teach public school in Vineland, N. J.

**RENA GENAUER**, 388 Beach 12th Street, Far Rockaway, N.Y. will be teaching kindergarten.

**DOROTHY GEWIRTZ**, 946 Lincoln Boulevard, Bridgeport, Conn. will marry Julius Berman. She will receive an M.A. in secondary education and teach Talmud Torah in Fort Lee, N. J.

**RHODA GLYN**, 2048 E. Fairmount Avenue, Baltimore, will teach elementary school in New York.

**REBECCA HANDEL**, 1170 Walton Avenue, Bronx 52, N. Y., will do laboratory research in the field of biology. She hopes to eventually settle in Israel.

**ROSA LEE JACOBSON**, N. Y., will marry Rabbi Joseph Schapiro on June 22. While

working on an M.A. in education or history, she will teach public school in New York.

**ETHEL KAGAN**, Chicago, Ill., will teach public school in New York.

**HANNAH KALTER**, 505 Crown Street, Brooklyn, will teach Hebrew and attend a graduate school of psychology.

**MAE KANAREK**, 2023 Seagirt Boulevard, Far Rockaway, N. Y., will marry Shlomo Botnick on June 29. Next year she will live in Toronto, Canada.

**SALLY LANGER**, 670 Bedford Avenue, Brooklyn, will marry Marvin Borgan on September 20. She will teach in P.S. 2.

**SANDY LEVY**, 1515 West Avenue, Miami Beach, Fla. will be a teacher.

**CHAYA MARCUS**, 9014 155th Street, Jamaica, N. Y., will be caring for her family.

**ELAYNE MORRIS**, 6309 Bartlett Street, Pittsburgh 17, Penn., will teach in New York and attend Teacher's Institute for Women.

**INA PEKARSKY**, Rockford,

Ill. will marry Herbert Prager on September 6.

**GINGER PRAGER**, 24 Oak Street, New Britain, Conn. will marry Sheldon Socol in December. She will work in the field of biology in New York.

**SELMA ROTHSCILD**, 280 Riverside Drive, N. Y. will be at home.

**IOLET SHAPIRO**, 4062 North 51st Boulevard, Milwaukee, Wis. will work in the field of publications in New York.

**MARTELLE URIVETSKY**, 2440 Amsterdam Avenue, N. Y. will continue with school.

**ESTHER VITSICK**, 3107 Labyrinth Road, Baltimore, will be teaching in New York.

**FRANCES WALDENBERG**, 5552 Netherland Avenue, Riverdale, N. Y., will teach Talmud Torah and attend T.I. to complete requirements for her B.R.E.

**MARGA WEINBERG**, 257 Valentine Lane, Yonkers, N. Y. will do social work.

**EVELYN WEISS**, 2220 Shady Avenue, Pittsburgh 17, Penn. will attend the Yeshiva University Graduate School of Mathematics.

## Lag B'Omer Recalls Heritage Of Rabbis Akiva, Bar Yochai

BY NAOMI WILAMOWSKY

Lag B'Omer reminds us of two shining lights in Jewish History—the great Rabbi Akiva and his outstanding disciple, Rabbi Shimon Bar Yochai. While in Galut, the celebration of Lag B'Omer commemorates the cessation of the plague among the 24,000 students of Rabbi Akiva, in Israel the celebration is devoted mainly to the sainted memory of Rabbi Shimon Bar Yochai, whose Yahrzeit falls on that day.

The graves of Rabbi Shimon Bar Yochai and his son, Rabbi Eliezer, are located in the town of Meron, near Safed. Rabbi Shimon Bar Yochai lived in the second century C.E. and because of Roman persecutions, had been forced to flee with his son. They lived in a cave for thirteen years during which time he composed the "Zohar."

### Cabalistic Secrets

According to tradition, Rabbi Shimon Bar Yochai revealed his cabalistic secrets to his students before he died on Lag B'Omer. Thousands of old men, young Israelis and little children from all parts of Israel, make an annual pilgrimage to Meron to celebrate the *Hellula D'Rabon Shimon Bar Yochai*. The ceremony itself originated with Sephardic Jews from Syria, Egypt, Morocco, Persia and other countries. Today, however, Ashkenazic Jews participate also.

### Torch Lit

On Lag B'Omer night, a *Hadlakah*, or large torch, is lit on a very high pole near the holy

grave. On the tip of the pole is a copper basin into which olive oil is poured and certain articles of clothing such as hats, veils, and kerchiefs are placed. The honor of pouring the oil and kindling the fire with a wax candle is auctioned off to the highest bidder. The flame rises very high and can be seen in the dark from the surrounding hills.

The people, meanwhile, sing songs enthusiastically, one of the most popular being "*Bar Yochai Ashrecha*." They wave their kerchiefs and dance with much spirit. One leading person in the center calls out "*Kol Zeh Mipneh Hazaddik*." (All this in honor of the Saint).

### Women Hear Stories

The women sit in the corner of the courtyard surrounding the *Bet Midrash* of the grave, which is a separate structure, and listen attentively to stories about Rabbi Shimon Bar Yochai, told by the oldest among them.

The ceremony of the *Chalakah* also takes place at this time. Little boys are given their first haircuts, leaving them their first *Peyot*.

Thus Lag B'Omer has a twofold significance. It reminds us of Rabbi Akiva, the great teacher of the Torah, known as the "*Moishe Rabeinu of the Oral Law*," and it commemorates Rabbi Shimon Bar Yochai, the founder of the "secret wisdom," known as "*Chochmat Hanistar*," or, the "*Zohar*."

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# Confidence in His Students Is Hallmark of Dr. Vogel

BY DVORAH WILAMOWSKY

Dr. Dan Vogel is a man who believes in making his students "think" and "thrive."

"In my own teaching of literature," he said, "I have no fear of thrusting the student into 'deep water,' because, I have confidence that if required to swim, she will swim."

Dr. Vogel, the first teacher of the first group on the first hour of the first day that Stern College opened, continues to have complete faith in his students' ability.

"My teaching is dictated by a feeling of confidence in my students," declared Dr. Vogel, whose field is English Literature.

"I have two strong beliefs—'First, that students work best under pressure because of the same psychology that is behind the saying — to get something done, give it to a busy person to do."

"Second, never underestimate the capacity of a student."

Dr. Vogel came to Stern College in September, 1955, acting as registrar until October, 1958, when he became acting dean. He believes that any administrative success he may have had stems in part from the fact that he is a teacher, and stresses the necessity of teaching experience for all administrators who work in the academic area of a college.

### Still Enjoys Teaching

It is Dr. Vogel's sincere hope that his administrative duties will never completely supplant teaching. His students know him as an extremely dedicated teacher. "I love especially to teach freshmen," he said, "and am careful each year to take on a freshman class, and every other year a sophomore class. I feel freshman and sophomore courses to be a challenge, especially in my field. They are unlike the elective courses, which are easier to teach because the teacher assumes interest on the part of the students."

Born in Brooklyn, Dr. Vogel spent much of his boyhood in Jersey City, attending public school and Talmud Torah there. He is a graduate of Brooklyn College, and received his M.A. from Rutgers University. In 1950, he earned his Ph.D. at New York University, writing his thesis on Herman Melville's poetry. He is a member of the Modern Language Association of America and the Melville Society, and has published several articles on Melville.

Active also in the Jewish community, Dr. Vogel has served in various capacities as organizer, president and educational chairman at several branches of Young Israel in Brooklyn.

As a graduate teaching assist-



DR. VOGEL

ant at Rutgers and later as a full-time instructor of English at Yeshiva College and at Stern. Dr. Vogel has had an opportunity to push his ideas on education into practice, and his ten years' experience have served to confirm and strengthen his hypotheses.

### Receptiveness Encouraging

The factor which most encourages a teacher, receptiveness on the part of the students, is in Dr. Vogel's opinion present to an unusual degree at Stern College.

"I actually feel that the girls who come here come to learn," he said, "don't consider Stern simply as an extension of their required education."

"I rather think the students of Stern College are a dedicated group, because of the tremendous

academic pressures they are subjected to, yet they come each day healthy, wise and possibly a little wealthier."

Dr. Vogel has always found a tremendous satisfaction in teaching at Stern.

"Inasmuch as I am not religiously trained," he explained, "this is my method of contributing to the American Jewish community." Stern College, he feels, is bound to have a terrific impact on American Jewry.

### Integration Successful

His classroom experience leads Dr. Vogel to believe that Stern College has proved the theory of the integration of Jewish and general students.

"Transfers are constantly being made back and forth," he said, "and it is my earnest belief and hope that the student comes out a more dedicated Jewess because she is able to make these transfers."

"The expression 'melting pot,' however, does not represent an accurate description of this integration:

"Training here is not a 'melting pot,' because a 'melting pot' assumes that something has been melted down. I think of it rather as a mosaic. All shades of thinking go into making up an integral work of art."

Dean Vogel plays the part of the cement which binds the parts of the mosaic securely together.

# R. Fieberman is President; Lobl Veep, of Dorm Council

Ruth Fieberman was elected president of the Dormitory Council last May 29.

Also elected to serve on the council for the coming academic year of 1959-60 were: Vera Lobl, Vice-President; Sabina Muller, Secretary; and Rita Markovitz, Treasurer.

Ruth, a native of Bridgeport, Connecticut, will be a Senior next year. She has served the Dormitory Council as Treasurer in 1957-8, and as Secretary in 1958-9.

"In the future I hope to see the Dormitory Council have more direct contact with Student Council and the Dean of Students and give girls offer suggestions at meetings," said Ruth.

Ruth said she also would like to see a room set aside for girls who want to study after their courses have gone to bed. She would also like private plans for those who are willing to pay the extra money, and a stove, sandwich and coffee machine installed in the dormitory.

Vera Lobl, a Junior, is from Danville, Virginia. She is a former Co-editor of *The Observer*.

Sabina, a sophomore, is from Montreal, Canada. She came to

Stern after spending her first year at McGill University in Canada.

Rita Markovitz, also a sophomore, is from McKeesport, Pennsylvania. She is at present Co-editor of *The Observer*.

The voting by preferential ballot took place in each Floor Chairman's room.

# Graduation . . .

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graduate will receive up to ten tickets for family and friends.

In the event of rain, however, only two of these tickets will be good for admission to the Samuel Lamport Auditorium of Yeshiva College. These two tickets will enable the holders to sit in reserved seats whether inside or outside; the other eight tickets are for general admission outside.

Mrs. Elizabeth Isaacs, dean of women, will again serve as Marshal for Stern College and Teacher's Institute for Women in the graduation procession. Faculty members will participate in the procession.

Fifteen Stern College juniors will serve as usherettes at the commencement exercises.

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Educ. 72  
Heb. 24  
28  
6  
1:30 to 3:30  
Hist. 2  
Fine Arts 21  
Chem. 12

TUESDAY, JUNE 2  
10:00 to 12:00

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1:30 to 3:30  
Music 21 B

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 3  
10:00 to 12:00

Bib. Lit. 2; 6; 12; 22;  
26; 30; 34  
Educ. 13  
Eng. 12  
Math 2; 14  
Psych. 10; 38

THURSDAY, JUNE 4  
10:00 to 12:00

Heb. 33  
Jew. Hist. 2; 4; 10;  
12; 14;  
22; 26; 30  
R.S. 2  
1:30 to 2:30  
Fine Arts 1  
Music 1

FRIDAY, JUNE 5  
10:00 to 12:00

Chem. 14  
Educ. 26  
Eng. 4; 26  
Math. 38  
(10:00-11:00)  
Hyg. 1  
1:30 to 3:30  
R. S. 12; 4; 12;  
14; 22; 26;  
30; 32

MONDAY, JUNE 8  
10:00 to 12:00

Bio. 2; 24  
Educ. 12  
Hist. 26  
Philo. 12  
Physics 2  
Psych. 13  
Soc. 14  
1:30 to 3:30  
Heb. 02; 2; 4; 8;  
10; 12; 14;  
16; 18; 22;  
26; 30; 32

TUESDAY, JUNE 9  
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Chem. 2  
Eng. 30  
Human. 45  
Math 12  
Poli. Sci. 1  
Soc. 1

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