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PREFACE

In the biographical sketch of Jacob Henry Schiff which the late Doctor Adler contributed to Volume 23 of this series, he said that "mankind is enriched by the story of great personalities, and future generations are stimulated to high deeds by the knowledge of the acts of those who have gone before." These reasons for preservation of the record of the lives of great men apply with unusual force to the life of Doctor Cyrus Adler who died during the past year, leaving Israel, the world over, as well as the general community, bereft of a great leader and humanitarian. The loss will be felt with especial sorrow by the Jewish community of the United States, to the service of which he contributed so effectively throughout his life. It has, therefore, been deemed not only appropriate but also imperative that a considerable part of the present volume of the series which he founded forty-two years ago be given over to a full and comprehensive account of his life, his achievements, and his services.

Readers of the YEAR BOOK are fortunate in having such an account from the pen of Doctor Abraham A. Neuman who, as a member of the faculty of Dropsie College, as a fellow-townsmen, and as rabbi of the congregation of which Doctor Adler was a member, was privileged to come to know Doctor Adler personally and intimately, perhaps more closely than any other of his many disciples. The editor wishes to extend his heartfelt thanks to Doctor Neuman for contributing a very vivid and interesting story which, because of the shortness of the time available, required intensive and concentrated effort during the summer months.

The Jewish community of the United States lost during the past year several other distinguished members, each of whom made a worthy contribution to the development of Jewish life and, through their services to the community at large, reflected honor upon the Jewish name. Abraham H. Friedland was a hard working and self-sacrificing pioneer in the field of Jewish education through which he blazed many new and valuable trails; Alexander Harkavy, himself an immigrant, had a sensitive understanding of the perplexities and hardships experienced by immigrants by reason of language difficulties; in the face of great personal trials, he devoted his life to the education of his fellow-immigrants, and contributed to the development of Yiddish as a language; Harold Hirsch and Isador Sobel were active and energetic

workers in the Jewish community and, at the same time, were recognized leaders in all important civic activities in the places of their residence. The lives and careers of these men are briefly but adequately described by co-workers who knew them closely and intimately. The editor extends his grateful appreciation to Doctor Emanuel Gamoran, Mr. Bernard G. Richards, and Rabbis David Marx and Max C. Currick for contributing the excellent biographical sketches of these four distinguished men.

In addition, there are presented in this volume two special articles. Doctor David Philipson, dean of the American Reform rabbinate, who presided at the meetings at which the Central Conference of American Rabbis was organized, presents a history of that organization, which celebrated its Fiftieth Anniversary in 1939. Doctor Philipson's article is not merely a chronicle of the activities of the Conference, but is also, in a way, a history of the development of Reform Judaism in the United States. Doctor H. S. Linfield, the Director of the recently established Statistical Bureau of the Synagogue Council of America, presents a condensed final report of the results of a study of Jewish congregations and the Jewish population of the United States, made by him as the special agent of the United States Bureau of the Census, under the supervision of a committee of experts, appointed by the American Jewish Committee which financed the investigation. The statistics presented by Dr. Linfield will be found highly interesting and valuable by all persons working in the field of the sociology of American Jews. The editor extends to Doctors Philipson and Linfield his sincere thanks for their valuable contributions to the present volume.

At a time when a great human cataclysm is convulsing the world and is vitally affecting the lives of fully two-thirds of the Jewish people, a contemporary description of events of interest to Jews is extremely difficult, especially in view of the many obstacles to obtaining reliable information. The Review of the Year presented in this volume is based upon a careful and judicious selection of such information as was available, and is believed to be a fairly accurate account. It is the work of Messrs. Nathan A. Pelcovits, Theodor H. Gaster, and Moses Moskowitz, of the research staff of the Library of Jewish Information of the American Jewish Committee; Mr. Nathan C. Belth, Director of the Department of Public Information of the Joint Distribution Committee, contributed sections of the article on subjects of which he has expert knowledge. The editor thanks these writers for their able production. It is believed that, although the task has been a difficult one, the writers of the Review have measurably succeeded in giving at least a partial

idea of the indescribable tragedy which has befallen so large a section of our people,— a tragedy which is, alas, part of the disaster from which the entire world is suffering and will continue to suffer for many years to come.

There have been no important changes in the directories and lists, which have been carefully revised to bring them up-to-date. The pressure for space required for the special articles has made it necessary to omit from the present volume the directory of Federations and Welfare Funds published in the preceding issue.

The section on statistics of Jews has been painstakingly corrected on the basis of the latest authorities. In view of the changes which are taking place so rapidly in the map of Europe it was deemed advisable to present, in the regular tables, the population figures as they stood before these changes took place. We present, however, a special section dealing with the changes in distribution of the Jewish population of Europe, resulting from emigration and the transfer of territories during the past seven years. This section was prepared by Mr. Moses Moskowitz, to whom the editor extends his thanks for his valuable contribution.

To Miss Rose A. Herzog, who again compiled the directories, lists and the appendices to the Review of the Year and assisted with proof-reading, and to Mrs. Rose G. Stein, who again revised the article on statistics of Jews and cooperated in other ways, the editor extends the expression of his profound gratitude. He wishes also to acknowledge the valuable assistance of Mr. Morris Fine, head of the research staff of the Library of Jewish Information, who performed many valuable services in connection with the preparation of the manuscript and seeing it through the press. Mr. Maurice Jacobs, Executive Director of the Jewish Publication Society of America, again, as in past years, considerably lightened the task of the editor, who gratefully appreciates his invaluable cooperation.

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	Tabernacles	Sept. 28 Th	Oct. 17 Th	Oct. 6 M
	Eighth Day of the Feast	Oct. 5 Th	Oct. 24 Th	Oct. 13 M
Heshvan 1 Kislev 1 25	Rejoicing of the Law	Oct. 6 F	Oct. 25 F	Oct. 14 T
	New Moon	*Oct. 14 Sa	*Nov. 2 Sa	*Oct. 22 W
Tebet 1 10	New Moon	*Nov. 13 M	Dec. 1 S	*Nov. 21 F
	Hanukkah	Dec. 7 Th	Dec. 25 W	Dec. 15 M
Shebat 1 Adar 1 Adar Shenai 1 13 14	New Moon	*Dec. 13 W	*Dec. 31 T	*Dec. 21 S
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Nisan 1 15	New Moon	1940 Jan. 11 Th	Jan. 29 W	Jan. 19 M
	Passover	*Feb. 10 Sa	*Feb. 28 F	*Feb. 18 W
Iyar 1 18	New Moon	*Mar. 11 M	Mar. 12 W	Mar. 2 M
	Thirty-third Day of 'Omer	*Mar. 23 Sa Mar. 24 S	Mar. 13 Th	Mar. 3 T
Sivan 1 6	New Moon	Apr. 9 T	Mar. 29 Sa	Mar. 19 Th
	Feast of Weeks	Apr. 23 T	Apr. 12 Sa	Apr. 2 Th
Tammus 1 17	New Moon	*May 9 Th	*Apr. 28 M	*Apr. 18 Sa
	Fast of Tammus	May 26 S	May 15 Th	May 5 T
Ab 1 9	New Moon	June 7 F	May 27 T	May 17 S
	Fast of Ab	June 12 W	June 1 S	May 22 F
Elul 1	New Moon	*July 7 S	*June 26 Th	*June 16 T
		July 23 T	†July 12 Sa	July 2 Th
Elul 1	New Moon	Aug. 5 M	July 25 F	July 15 W
		Aug. 13 T	†Aug. 2 Sa	July 23 Th
Elul 1	New Moon	*Sept. 4 W	*Aug. 24 S	*Aug. 14 F

*Second day of New Moon.

†Fast observed on following Sunday.

** Fast observed on previous Thursday.

ABRIDGED CALENDARS FOR 5703-5705

Jewish Month and Date	Festivals, etc.	זחנ תש"ג—5703 1942-1943	הכז תש"ד—5704 1943-1944	בשה תש"ה—5705 1944-1945	
Tishri	1	New Year	Sept. 12 Sa	Sept. 30 Th	Sept. 18 M
	3	Fast of Gedaliah	Sept. 14 M	†Oct. 2 Sa	Sept. 20 W
	10	Day of Atonement	Sept. 21 M	Oct. 9 Sa	Sept. 27 W
	15	Tabernacles	Sept. 26 Sa	Oct. 14 Th	Oct. 2 M
	22	Eighth Day of the Feast	Oct. 3 Sa	Oct. 21 Th	Oct. 9 M
Heshvan	23	Rejoicing of the Law	Oct. 4 S	Oct. 22 F	Oct. 10 T
	1	New Moon	*Oct. 12 M	Oct. 30 Sa	*Oct. 18 W
Kislev	1	New Moon	Nov. 10 T	Nov. 28 S	*Nov. 17 F
	25	Hanukkah	Dec. 4 F	Dec. 22 W	Dec. 11 M
Tebet	1	New Moon	Dec. 9 W	*Dec. 28 T 1944	*Dec. 17 S Dec. 26 T
	10	Fast of Tebet	Dec. 18 F 1943	Jan. 6 Th 1945	
Shebat	1	New Moon	Jan. 7 Th	Jan. 26 W	Jan. 15 M
Adar	1	New Moon	*Feb. 6 Sa	*Feb. 25 F	*Feb. 14 W
Adar Sheni	1	New Moon	*Mar. 8 M
	13	Fast of Esther	**Mar. 20 Sa	Mar. 9 W	Feb. 26 M
	14	Purim	Mar. 21 S	Mar. 10 Th	Feb. 27 T
Nisan	1	New Moon	Apr. 6 T	Mar. 25 Sa	Mar. 15 Th
	15	Passover	Apr. 20 T	Apr. 8 Sa	Mar. 29 Th
Iyar	1	New Moon	*May 6 Th	*Apr. 24 M	*Apr. 14 Sa
	18	Thirty-third Day of 'Omer	May 23 S	May 11 Th	May 1 T
Sivan	1	New Moon	June 4 F	May 23 T	May 13 S
	6	Feast of Weeks	June 9 W	May 28 S	May 18 F
Tammuz	1	New Moon	*July 4 S	*June 22 Th	*June 12 T
	17	Fast of Tammuz	July 20 T	†July 8 Sa	June 28 Th
Ab	1	New Moon	Aug. 2 M	July 21 F	July 11 W
	9	Fast of Ab	Aug. 10 T	†July 29 Sa	July 19 Th
Elul	1	New Moon	*Sept. 1 W	*Aug. 20 S	*Aug. 10 F

*Second day of New Moon.

†Fast observed on following Sunday.

**Fast observed on previous Thursday

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is called 701 (הש"א) according to the short system (לפ"ק). It is a regular Common Year of 12 months, 51 Sabbaths, 354 days, beginning on Thursday, the fifth day of the week, and having the first day of Passover on Saturday, the seventh day of the week; therefore, its sign is (הכז), i. e. ה for fifth, כ for regular (כסדרה) and ז for the seventh. It is the first year of the 301st lunar cycle of 19 years, and the seventeenth year of the 204th solar cycle of 28 years, since Creation.

Civil Month	Day of the Week	Jewish Month	SABBATHS, FESTIVALS, FASTS	PENTATEUCHAL PORTIONS פרשיות	PROPHETICAL PORTIONS הפטרות
Oct. 3	Th	Tishri 1	New Year א' דראש השנה	{Gen. 21 Num. 29: 1-6	I Sam. 1: 1-2: 10 Jer. 31: 2-20
4	F	2	New Year ב' דראש השנה	{Gen. 22 Num. 29: 1-6	Hos. 14: 2-10, Joel 2: 15-17, 27;
5	S	3	האינו, שבת שובה	Deut. 32	{Seph. Hos. 14: 2-10, Micah 7: 18-20
6	S	4	צום גדליה (נדרחה)	Ex. 32: 11-14; 34: 1-10	{Is. 55: 6-56: 8 Seph. none
7	M	5	Fast of Gedaliah		
8	T	6			
9	W	7			
10	Th	8			
11	F	9	יום כפור	{Lev. 16 Num. 29: 7-11	{Is. 57: 14-58: 14 Afternoon: Jonah
12	S	10	Day of Atonement	{Afternoon: Lev. 18	{Seph. add Micah 7: 18-20
13	S	11			
14	M	12			
15	T	13			
16	W	14			
17	Th	15	Tabernacles א' דסכות	{Lev. 22: 26-23: 44 Num. 29: 12-16	Zech. 14
18	F	16	Tabernacles ב' דסכות	{Lev. 22: 26-23: 44 Num. 29: 12-16	I Kings 8: 2-21
19	S	17		{Ex. 33: 12-34: 26 Num. 29: 17-25	Ezek. 38: 18-39: 16
20	S	18		{Num. 29: 20-28 Seph. 29: 20-25	
21	M	19	חול המועד	{Num. 29: 23-31 Seph. 29: 23-28	
22	T	20		{Num. 29: 26-34 Seph. 29: 26-31	
23	W	21	הושענא רבא שמיני עצרת	{Num. 29: 26-34 Seph. 29: 26-34	I Kings 8: 54-66, or—9: 1
24	Th	22	Eighth Day of the Feast	{Deut. 15: 19-16: 17 Num. 29: 35-30: 1	{Josh. 1 Seph. 1: 1-9
25	F	23	שמחת תורה Rejoicing of the Law	{Deut. 33: 1-34: 12 Gen. 1: 1-2: 3	{Is. 42: 5-43: 10 Seph. 42: 5-21; 61: 10;
26	S	24	בראשית, [מב' הח']	{Num. 29: 35-30: 1 Gen. 1: 1-6: 8	62: 5
27	S	25			
28	M	26			
29	T	27			
30	W	28			
31	Th	29			
Nov. 1	F	30	New Moon א' דראש חרש	Num. 28: 1-15	

*The Book of Ecclesiastes is read.

Civil Month	Day of the Week	Jewish Month	SABBATHS, FESTIVALS, FASTS	PENTATEUCHAL PORTIONS פרשיות	PROPHETICAL PORTIONS הפטרות
Nov. 2	S	Heshv. 1	נח, ב' דראש חודש New Moon	{ Gen. 6: 9-11: 32 Num. 28: 9-15	Is. 66
3	S	2			
4	M	3			
5	T	4			
6	W	5			
7	Th	6			
8	F	7			
9	S	8	לך לך	Gen. 12: 1-17: 27	Is. 40: 27-41: 16
10	S	9			
11	M	10			
12	T	11			
13	W	12			
14	Th	13			
15	F	14			
16	S	15	וירא	Gen. 18: 1-22: 24	{II Kings 4: 1-37 Seph. 4: 1-23
17	S	16			
18	M	17			
19	T	18			
20	W	19			
21	Th	20			
22	F	21			
23	S	22	חיי שרה	Gen. 23: 1-25: 18	I Kings 1: 1-31
24	S	23			
25	M	24			
26	T	25			
27	W	26			
28	Th	27	יום כפור קטן (מוקדם)		
29	F	28			
30	S	29	תולדת, ומב' הח'ז	Gen. 25: 19-28: 9	I Sam. 20: 18-42

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Dec.		Kislev			
1	S	1	New Moon ראש חודש	Num. 28: 1-15	
2	M	2			
3	T	3			
4	W	4			
5	Th	5			
6	F	6			{ Hos. 12: 13-14: 10; or 11: 7-12: 12; or 11: 7-14: 10
7	S	7	ויצא	Gen. 28: 10-32: 3	{ Seph 11: 7-12: 12
8	S	8			
9	M	9			
10	T	10			
11	W	11			
12	Th	12			
13	F	13			{ Hos. 12:13-14: 10; or 11: 7-12: 12; or Obad. 1: 1-21;
14	S	14	וישלח	Gen. 32: 4-36: 43	{ Seph. Obad. 1: 1-21
15	S	15			
16	M	16			
17	T	17			
18	W	18			
19	Th	19			
20	F	20			
21	S	21	וישב	Gen. 37: 1-40: 23	Amos 2: 6-3: 8
22	S	22			
23	M	23			
24	T	24			
25	W	25	{ Hanukkah, חנוכה { Feast of Dedication	{ Num 7: 1-17 { Seph. 6: 22-7: 17 { Num. 7: 18-29 { Seph. 7: 18-23 { Num. 7: 24-35 { Seph. 7: 24-29	
26	Th	26			
27	F	27			
28	S	28	מקץ, (סב' הח')	{ Gen. 41: 1-44:17 { Num. 7: 30-35	Zech. 2: 14-4: 7
29	S	29		{ Num. 7: 36-47 { Seph. 7: 36-41	
30	M	30	New Moon 'א דראש חודש	Num. 28: 1-15; 7: 42-47	

Civil Month	Day of the Week	Jewish Month	SABBATHS, FESTIVALS, FASTS	PENTATEUCHAL PORTIONS פרשיות	PROPHETICAL PORTIONS הפטרות
Dec. 31	T	Tebet 1	ב' דראש חרש New Moon	Num. 28: 1-15; 7: 48-53	
Jan. 1941	W	2	{ Last Day of Hanukkah	Num. 7: 54-8: 4	
1	Th	3			
2	F	4			
3	S	5			
4	S	6			
5	M	7			
6	T	8			
7	W	9			
8	Th	10	{ צום עשרה בטבת Fast of Tebet	Ex. 32: 11-14; 34: 1-10	{ Is. 55: 6-56: 8 { Seph. none
9	F	11			
10	S	12	ויחי	Gen. 47: 28-50: 26	I Kings 2: 1-12
11	S	13			
12	M	14			
13	T	15			
14	W	16			
15	Th	17			
16	F	18			{ Is. 27: 6-28: 13; 29: 22, 23 { Seph. Jer. 1: 1-2: 3
17	S	19	שמות	Ex. 1: 1-6: 1	
18	S	20			
19	M	21			
20	T	22			
21	W	23			
22	Th	24			
23	F	25			
24	S	26	וארא [מב' הח']	Ex. 6: 2-9: 35	Ezek. 28: 25-29: 21
25	S	27			
26	M	28			
27	T	29	יום כפור קטן		

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Civil Month	Day of the Week	Jewish Month	SABBATHS, FESTIVAL, FASTS	PENTATEUCHAL PORTIONS פרשיות	PROPHETICAL PORTIONS הפטרות
Jan. 29	W	Shebat 1	New Moon ראש חדש	Num. 28: 1-15	
30	Th	2			
31	F	3			
Feb. 1	S	4	בא	Ex. 10: 1-13: 16	Jer. 46: 13-28
2	S	5			
3	M	6			
4	T	7			
5	W	8			
6	Th	9			
7	F	10			
8	S	11	בשלת, שבח שירה	Ex. 13: 17-17: 16	{Judges 4: 4-5: 31 {Seph. 5: 1-31
9	S	12			
10	M	13			
11	T	14			
12	W	15	{ ר"ה לאילנות {New Year for Trees		
13	Th	16			
14	F	17			
15	S	18	יתרו	Ex. 18: 1-20: 26	{Is. 6: 1-7: 6; 9: 5, 6 {Seph. 6: 1-13
16	S	19			
17	M	20			
18	T	21			
19	W	22			
20	Th	23			
21	F	24			
22	S	25	משפטים, (מב' הח') פ' שקלים	Ex. 21: 1-24: 18; 30: 11-16	{II Kings 12: 1-17 {Seph. 11: 17-12: 17
23	S	26			
24	M	27			
25	T	28			
26	W	29	יום כפור קטן		
27	Th	30	א' דראש חדש New Moon	Num. 28: 1-15	

Civil Month	Day of the Week	Jewish Month	SABBATHS, FESTIVALS, FASTS	PENTATEUCHAL PORTIONS פרשיות	PROPHETICAL PORTIONS הפטרות
Feb. 28	F	Adar 1	ב' דר' חדש	Num. 28: 1-15	
Mar. 1	S	2	תרומה	Ex 25: 1-27; 19	I Kings 5: 26-6: 13
2	S	3			
3	M	4			
4	T	5			
5	W	6			
6	Th	7			
7	F	8			
8	S	9	חצוה, פ' זכור	{Ex. 27: 20-30: 10 Deut. 25: 17-19	{I Sam. 15:2-34 Seph. 15: 1-34
9	S	10			
10	M	11			
11	T	12			
12	W	13	צום אסתר Fast of Esther	Ex. 32: 11-14; 34: 1-10	{Is. 55: 6-56: 8 Seph. none
13	Th	14	פורים Purim, Feast of Esther	Ex. 17: 8-16	
14	F	15	ששן פורים Shushan Purim		
15	S	16	כי תשא	Ex. 30: 11-34: 35	{I Kings 18: 1 (or 20)- 39 Seph. 18: 20-39
16	S	17			
17	M	18			
18	T	19			
19	W	20			
20	Th	21			
21	F	22			
22	S	23	ויקהל, פקודי, (מב' הח') פ' פרה	{Ex. 35: 1-40: 38 Num. 19	{Ezek. 36: 16-38 Seph. 36: 16-36
23	S	24			
24	M	25			
25	T	26			
26	W	27			
27	Th	28	יום כפור קטן ומוקדם		
28	F	29			

Civil Month	Day of the Week	Jewish Month	SABBATHS, FESTIVALS, FASTS	PENTATEUCHAL PORTIONS פרשיות	PROPHETICAL PORTIONS הפטרות
Mar. 29	S	Nisan 1	ויקרא, ראש חודש פ' החדש	Lev. 1: 1-5: 26 Ex. 12: 1-20	Ezek. 45: 16-46: 18 Seph. 45: 18-46: 15
30	S	2			
31	M	3			
Apr. 1	T	4			
2	W	5			
3	Th	6			
4	F	7			
5	S	8	צו, שבת הגורל	Lev. 6: 1-8: 36	{Mal. 3: 4-24; or II Kings 7: 3-20 Seph. Mal. 3: 4-24
6	S	9			
7	M	10			
8	T	11			
9	W	12			
10	Th	13			
11	F	14	העניית בכורים {Fast of the First-Born		
12	S	15	Passover א' דפסח	{Ex. 12: 21-51 Num. 28: 16-25	{Josh. 3: 5-7; 5:2-27 Seph. 5: 2-6: 2
13	S	16	Passover ב' דפסח	{Lev. 22: 26-23: 44 Num. 28: 16-25 Ex. 13: 1-16 Num. 28: 19-25 Ex. 22: 24-23: 19 Num. 28: 19-25 Ex. 34: 1-26 Num. 28: 19-25 Num. 9: 1-14 Num. 28: 19-25	II Kings 23: 1 (or 4)-9: 21-25
14	M	17			
15	T	18			
16	W	19	חול המועד		
17	Th	20			
18	F	21	Passover ו' דפסח	{Ex. 13: 17-15: 26 Num. 28: 19-25	II Sam. 22
19	S	22	Passover* ח' דפסח	{Deut. 15: 19-16: 17 Num. 28: 19-25	Ia. 10: 32-12: 6
20	S	23	אסרו חג		
21	M	24			
22	T	25			
23	W	26			
24	Th	27			
25	F	28			
26	S	29	שמיני, (מב' הח')	Lev. 9: 1-11: 47	
27	S	30	א' דר' חודש	Num. 28: 1-15	I Sam. 20: 18-42

*The Song of Songs is read.

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Apr. 28	M	Iyar 1	New Moon ב' דר' חדש	Num. 28: 1-15	
29	T	2			
30	W	3			
May 1	Th	4			
2	F	5			
3	S	6	חזריע, מצרע	Lev. 12: 1-15: 23	II Kings 7: 3-20
4	S	7			
5	M	8			
6	T	9			
7	W	10			
8	Th	11			
9	F	12			{ Amos 9: 7-15; or Ezek. 22: 1-19 (or 16); <i>Seph.</i> Ezek. 20: 2 (or 1)- 20
10	S	13	אחרי מות, קדשים	Lev. 16: 1-20: 27	
11	S	14	פסח שני		
12	M	15			
13	T	16			
14	W	17			
15	Th	18	ל"ג בעמר { 33d Day of 'Omer		
16	F	19			
17	S	20	אמר	Lev. 21: 1-24: 23	Ezek. 44: 15-31
18	S	21			
19	M	22			
20	T	23			
21	W	24			
22	Th	25			
23	F	26			
24	S	27	בהר, בחקתי, ומב' הח'	Lev. 25: 1-27: 34	Jer. 16: 19-17: 14
25	S	28			
26	M	29	יום כפור קטן		

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May		Sivan			
27	T	1	New Moon ראש חודש	Num. 28: 1-15	
28	W	2			
29	Th	3			
30	F	4			
31	S	5	במדבר	Num. 1: 1-4: 20	Hos. 2: 1-22
June					
1	S	6	א' דשבועות Feast of Weeks*	{Ex. 19: 1-20: 23 {Num. 28: 26-31	Ezek. 1: 1-28; 3: 12
2	M	7	ב' דשבועות Feast of Weeks	{Deut. 14: 22-16: 17 {Num. 28: 26-31	{Hab. 3: 1-19 {Seph. 2: 20-3: 19
3	T	8	אסרו חג		
4	W	9			
5	Th	10			
6	F	11			
7	S	12	נשא	Num. 4: 21-7: 89	Judges 13: 2-25
8	S	13			
9	M	14			
10	T	15			
11	W	16			
12	Th	17			
13	F	18			
14	S	19	בהעלתך	Num. 8: 1-12: 16	Zech. 2: 14-4: 7
15	S	20			
16	M	21			
17	T	22			
18	W	23			
19	Th	24			
20	F	25			
21	S	26	שלח לך, (ומב' הח')	Num. 13: 1-15: 41	Josh. 2
22	S	27			
23	M	28			
24	T	29	יום כפור קטן א' דראש חודש	Num. 28: 1-15	
25	W	30	New Moon		

*The Book of Ruth is read.

Civil Month	Day of the Week	Jewish Month	SABBATHS, FESTIVALS, FASTS	PENTATEUCHAL PORTIONS פרשיות	PROPHETICAL PORTIONS הפטרות
June 26	Th	Tam. 1	New Moon ב' דר' חדש	Num. 28: 1-15	
27	F	2			
28	S	3	קרח	Num. 16: 1-18: 32	I Sam. 11: 14-12: 22
29	S	4			
30	M	5			
July 1	T	6			
2	W	7			
3	Th	8			
4	F	9			
5	S	10	חקת	Num. 19: 1-22: 1	Micah 5: 6-6: 8
6	S	11			
7	M	12			
8	T	13			
9	W	14			
10	Th	15			
11	F	16			
12	S	17	בלק	Num. 22: 2-25: 9	
13	S	18	צום שבועה עשר בתמוז [נרחה] Fast of Tammuz	Ex. 32: 11-14; 34: 1-10	{Is. 55: 6-56: 8 {Seph. none
14	M	19			
15	T	20			
16	W	21			
17	Th	22			
18	F	23			
19	S	24	פינחס, (מב' הח')	Num. 25: 10-30: 1	Jer. 1: 1-2: 3
20	S	25			
21	M	26			
22	T	27			
23	W	28			
24	Th	29	יום כפור קטן		

Civil Month	Day of the Week	Jewish Month	SABBATHS, FESTIVALS, FASTS	PENTATEUCHAL PORTIONS פרשיות	PROPHETICAL PORTIONS הפטרות
July 25	F	Ab 1	New Moon ראש חודש	Num. 28: 1-15	
26	S	2	מטות, מסעי	Num. 30: 2-36; 13	Jer. 2: 4-28; 8: 4 Seph. 2: 4-28; 4: 12
27	S	3			
28	M	4			
29	T	5			
30	W	6			
31	Th	7			
Aug. 1	F	8			
2	S	9	דברים, שבת חזון	Deut. 1: 1-3; 22	Is. 1: 1-27
3	S	10	צום תשעה באב ונרחוק {Fast of Ab*}	{Deut. 4: 25-40 Afternoon: Ex. 32: 11-14; 34: 1-10	{Morning: Jer. 8: 13-9: 23 Afternoon: Is. 55: 6-56: 8 Seph. Hos. 14: 2-10; Micah 7: 18-20
4	M	11			
5	T	12			
6	W	13			
7	Th	14			
8	F	15			
9	S	16	ואתחנן, שבת נחמו	Deut. 3: 23-7: 11	Is. 40: 1-26
10	S	17			
11	M	18			
12	T	19			
13	W	20			
14	Th	21			
15	F	22			
16	S	23	עקב, (מב' הח')	Deut. 7: 12-11: 25	Is. 49: 14-51: 3
17	S	24			
18	M	25			
19	T	26			
20	W	27			
21	Th	28	יום כפור קטן ומוקדם		
22	F	29			
23	S	30	ראה, א' דראש חודש New Moon	Deut. 11: 26-16: 17 Num. 28: 9-15	Is. 66

*The Book of Lamentations is read.

Civil Month	Day of the Week	Jewish Month	SABBATHS, FESTIVALS, FASTS	PENTATEUCHAL PORTIONS פרשיות	PROPHETICAL PORTIONS הפטרות
Aug. 24	S	1	ב' דראש חדש New Moon*	Num. 28: 1-15	
25	M	2			
26	T	3			
27	W	4			
28	Th	5			
29	F	6			
30	S	7	שפטים	Deut. 16: 18-21: 9	Is. 51: 12-52: 12
31	S	8			
Sept. 1	M	9			
2	T	10			
3	W	11			
4	Th	12			
5	F	13			
6	S	14	כי תצא	Deut. 21: 10-25: 19	Is. 54: 1-10
7	S	15			
8	M	16			
9	T	17			
10	W	18			
11	Th	19			
12	F	20			
13	S	21	כי תבא	Deut. 26: 1-29: 8	Is. 60
14	S	22	משכמים לסליחות {Selihot*}		
15	M	23			
16	T	24			
17	W	25			
18	Th	26			
19	F	27			
20	S	28	נצבים	Deut. 29: 9-30: 20	Is. 61: 10-63: 9
21	S	29	ערב ר"ה		

*The Sephardim say Selihot during the whole month of Elul.

ABRIDGED CALENDAR FOR 5702

				1941
Tishri	1	New Year	Sept. 22	M
	3	Fast of Gedaliah	Sept. 24	W
	10	Day of Atonement	Oct. 1	W
	15	Tabernacles	Oct. 6	M
	22	Eighth Day of the Feast	Oct. 13	M
	23	Rejoicing of the Law	Oct. 14	T
Heshvan	1	New Moon	*Oct. 22	W
Kislev	1	New Moon	*Nov. 21	F
	25	Hanukkah	Dec. 15	M
Tebet	1	New Moon	*Dec. 21	S
	10	Fast of Tebet	Dec. 30	T
				1942
Shebat	1	New Moon	Jan. 19	M
Adar	1	New Moon	*Feb. 18	W
Adar Sheni	1	New Moon	
	13	Fast of Esther	Mar. 2	M
	14	Purim	Mar. 3	T
Nisan	1	New Moon	Mar. 19	Th
	15	Passover	Apr. 2	Th
Iyar	1	New Moon	*Apr. 18	Sa
	18	Thirty-third Day of 'Omer	May 5	T
Sivan	1	New Moon	May 17	S
	6	Feast of Weeks	May 22	F
Tammuz	1	New Moon	*June 16	T
	17	Fast of Tammuz	July 2	Th
Ab	1	New Moon	July 15	W
	9	Fast of Ab	July 23	Th
Elul	1	New Moon	*Aug. 14	F

* Second day of New Moon.

† Fast observed on following Sunday.

TIME OF SUNRISE AND SUNSET IN SIX NORTHERN LATITUDES*

Day of Month	Lat. 44° North (For Maine, Nova Scotia, Northern New York, Michi- gan Wisconsin, Minnesota, North and South Dakota, Montana, Washington, Northern Oregon, Northern Idaho)				Lat. 42° North (For Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Vermont, Cen- tral New York, Southern Michigan, Wisconsin, North- ern Iowa, Wyoming, South- ern Idaho, Southern Oregon)				Lat. 40° North (For Southern New York, Connecticut, Rhode Island, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Northern Ohio, Indiana, Il- linois, Southern Iowa, Ne- braska, Northern Colorado, Utah, Nevada, California)			
	Portland, Me.				Boston, Mass.				New York City Chicago, Ill.			
	Dawn Begins	Sunrise	Sunset	Twilight Ends	Dawn Begins	Sunrise	Sunset	Twilight Ends	Dawn Begins	Sunrise	Sunset	Twilight Ends
Jan. 1	5.52	7.37	4.31	6.16	5.48	7.30	4.38	6.20	5.46	7.25	4.43	6.22
10	5.51	7.36	4.40	6.25	5.48	7.29	4.46	6.28	5.46	7.25	4.51	6.29
20	5.47	7.30	4.53	6.35	5.48	7.24	4.58	6.36	5.45	7.19	5.03	6.38
Feb. 1	5.39	7.19	5.09	6.49	5.38	7.14	5.14	6.50	5.37	7.10	5.18	6.51
10	5.29	7.07	5.22	7.01	5.29	7.04	5.26	6.59	5.29	7.01	5.29	7.00
20	5.15	6.52	5.36	7.12	5.17	6.50	5.38	7.12	5.17	6.48	5.40	7.12
Mch. 1	5.01	6.37	5.48	7.24	5.02	6.35	5.50	7.23	5.03	6.35	5.51	7.22
10	4.43	6.21	6.00	7.37	4.48	6.21	6.01	7.34	4.49	6.21	6.01	7.32
20	4.26	6.03	6.12	7.49	4.30	6.03	6.12	7.46	4.33	6.04	6.11	7.44
Apl. 1	4.00	5.40	6.27	8.07	4.08	5.43	6.26	8.01	4.12	5.45	6.24	7.56
10	3.41	5.24	6.39	8.21	3.49	5.27	6.35	8.13	3.54	5.28	6.33	8.08
20	3.19	5.07	6.51	8.39	3.29	5.11	6.45	8.28	3.36	5.13	6.43	8.21
May 1	2.52	4.49	7.05	9.01	3.07	4.54	6.59	8.47	3.16	4.59	6.55	8.32
10	2.36	4.37	7.15	9.14	2.53	4.44	7.08	9.02	3.02	4.50	7.04	8.45
20	2.16	4.26	7.26	9.37	2.35	4.36	7.18	9.18	2.46	4.39	7.14	9.00
June 1	1.55	4.17	7.38	10.00	2.17	4.25	7.29	9.37	2.32	4.31	7.24	9.23
10	1.47	4.14	7.44	10.12	2.11	4.22	7.35	9.47	2.27	4.28	7.29	9.32
20	1.44	4.14	7.49	10.18	2.08	4.23	7.39	9.53	2.25	4.29	7.34	9.36
July 1	1.55	4.18	7.49	10.10	2.12	4.26	7.40	9.54	2.28	4.31	7.35	9.37
10	2.12	4.24	7.46	9.58	2.23	4.32	7.38	9.44	2.38	4.37	7.33	9.31
20	2.27	4.32	7.39	9.44	2.37	4.40	7.32	9.35	2.50	4.44	7.27	9.21
Aug. 1	2.46	4.46	7.26	9.25	2.55	4.52	7.20	9.17	3.06	4.56	7.16	9.06
10	3.06	4.57	7.14	9.03	3.12	5.01	7.09	8.59	3.19	5.05	7.06	8.50
20	3.23	5.07	6.58	8.41	3.27	5.11	6.55	8.39	3.34	5.15	6.53	8.33
Sept. 1	3.40	5.22	6.37	8.20	3.44	5.24	6.36	8.16	3.50	5.27	6.33	8.10
10	3.55	5.33	6.20	7.59	3.55	5.34	6.21	7.59	4.00	5.36	6.19	7.54
20	4.07	5.45	6.01	7.39	4.07	5.44	6.04	7.38	4.12	5.45	6.02	7.36
Oct. 1	4.22	5.58	5.41	7.16	4.23	5.56	5.43	7.17	4.25	5.56	5.43	7.16
10	4.35	6.09	5.25	6.59	4.33	6.06	5.29	7.00	4.35	6.05	5.31	6.58
20	4.45	6.22	5.07	6.43	4.44	6.18	5.13	6.45	4.45	6.15	5.16	6.43
Nov. 1	5.00	6.38	4.49	6.28	4.58	6.33	4.55	6.30	4.57	6.29	4.59	6.31
10	5.10	6.51	4.38	6.18	5.07	6.44	4.44	6.21	5.09	6.40	4.49	6.21
20	5.20	7.04	4.28	6.12	5.18	6.57	4.35	6.14	5.17	6.53	4.39	6.15
Dec. 1	5.32	7.17	4.21	6.07	5.29	7.10	4.29	6.09	5.27	7.05	4.34	6.11
10	5.39	7.27	4.20	6.08	5.37	7.19	4.28	6.08	5.35	7.14	4.33	6.11
20	5.45	7.34	4.23	6.09	5.43	7.26	4.30	6.11	5.41	7.20	4.36	6.14

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Day of Month	Lat. 38°-36° North (For District of Columbia, Delaware, Maryland, Virginia, West Virginia, Southern Ohio, Southern Indiana, Southern Illinois, Northern Missouri, Kansas, Central Colorado, Central Utah, Central Nebraska, Central California)				Lat. 34°-32° North (For South Carolina, North Georgia, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana, Texas, Southern New Mexico, Arizona, California)				Lat. 30°-28° North (For Florida, Southern Georgia, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana, Texas)			
	Dawn Begins	Sunrise	Sunset	Twilight Ends	Dawn Begins	Sunrise	Sunset	Twilight Ends	Dawn Begins	Sunrise	Sunset	Twilight Ends
Jan. 1	5.43	7.19	4.49	6.25	5.35	7.03	5.05	6.33	5.30	6.57	5.11	6.38
10	5.45	7.19	4.57	6.31	5.37	7.03	5.13	6.39	5.33	6.58	5.18	6.42
20	5.43	7.14	5.08	6.39	5.37	7.01	5.20	6.47	5.32	6.56	5.25	6.51
Feb. 1	5.36	7.06	5.22	6.52	5.31	6.56	5.32	6.57	5.29	6.51	5.37	6.56
10	5.27	6.57	5.31	7.02	5.25	6.48	5.41	7.04	5.22	6.43	5.45	7.05
20	5.16	6.46	5.42	7.11	5.16	6.38	5.50	7.11	5.15	6.35	5.52	7.12
Mar. 1	5.04	6.33	5.52	7.21	5.07	6.28	5.57	7.19	5.07	6.26	5.59	7.19
10	4.50	6.20	6.01	7.31	4.55	6.19	6.04	7.26	4.56	6.16	6.05	7.25
20	4.35	6.05	6.11	7.41	4.41	6.05	6.11	7.35	4.43	6.05	6.12	7.33
Apl. 1	4.15	5.46	6.22	7.53	4.25	5.49	6.20	7.43	4.29	5.50	6.19	7.39
10	3.58	5.31	6.30	8.05	4.13	5.37	6.26	7.50	4.18	5.39	6.24	7.45
20	3.40	5.17	6.40	8.16	3.57	5.25	6.33	8.00	4.04	5.29	6.30	7.54
May 1	3.22	5.02	6.52	8.32	3.43	5.13	6.41	8.11	3.51	5.17	6.37	8.02
10	3.08	4.53	7.00	8.45	3.32	5.05	6.48	8.20	3.41	5.11	6.44	8.13
20	2.54	4.44	7.09	9.00	3.22	4.59	6.54	8.31	3.33	5.05	6.50	8.22
June 1	2.41	4.36	7.18	9.13	3.13	4.53	7.01	8.41	3.24	5.00	6.55	8.31
10	2.36	4.34	7.23	9.21	3.11	4.52	7.05	8.47	3.22	4.59	6.59	8.37
20	2.35	4.34	7.28	9.26	3.10	4.52	7.10	8.52	3.22	4.59	7.04	8.40
July 1	2.39	4.37	7.19	9.27	3.13	4.55	7.11	8.53	3.25	5.01	7.05	8.41
10	2.47	4.43	7.27	9.22	3.19	5.00	7.10	8.51	3.30	5.05	7.03	8.38
20	2.58	4.51	7.21	9.12	3.27	5.05	7.07	8.45	3.38	5.11	7.00	8.33
Aug. 1	3.14	5.00	7.12	8.58	3.39	5.13	6.58	8.33	3.48	5.19	6.53	8.24
10	3.26	5.08	7.02	8.44	3.47	5.19	6.49	8.22	3.56	5.24	6.45	8.13
20	3.40	5.18	6.49	8.28	3.57	5.26	6.39	8.08	4.04	5.29	6.36	8.00
Sept. 1	3.54	5.29	6.31	8.06	4.08	5.35	6.25	7.52	4.14	5.37	6.23	7.46
10	4.01	5.37	6.18	7.51	4.15	5.40	6.14	7.39	4.19	5.42	6.12	7.35
20	4.16	5.45	6.02	7.32	4.23	5.47	6.01	7.23	4.27	5.47	6.01	7.22
Oct. 1	4.27	5.56	5.43	7.13	4.32	5.54	5.45	7.08	4.34	5.53	5.46	7.06
10	4.36	6.04	5.31	6.58	4.37	6.00	5.35	6.57	4.39	5.59	5.36	6.55
20	4.46	6.14	5.16	6.45	4.45	6.07	5.23	6.45	4.44	6.06	5.25	6.46
Nov. 1	4.57	6.29	5.01	6.31	4.54	6.16	5.11	6.34	4.53	6.14	5.14	6.35
10	5.05	6.40	4.52	6.23	5.01	6.25	5.03	6.27	5.00	6.21	5.08	6.30
20	5.14	6.53	4.44	6.18	5.09	6.35	4.57	6.23	5.06	6.29	5.01	6.26
Dec. 1	5.25	6.59	4.40	6.13	5.17	6.44	4.55	6.21	5.13	6.38	5.00	6.25
10	5.33	7.08	4.38	6.14	5.23	6.51	4.55	6.24	5.21	6.46	5.01	6.27
20	5.38	7.14	4.40	6.17	5.29	6.57	4.58	6.28	5.26	6.52	5.04	6.29

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