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1. The Past—Sept., 1944 through June, 1945  
 Forty-five new members joined the Sisterhood during this period. Mrs. Philip Resnick, who was in charge of the package party last year, deserves a great deal of credit for making it the wonderful success it was.  
 We founded the Shaarey Tphiloh Sisterhood Scholarship Award to be given annually to the outstanding boy and girl at the Portland Hebrew School. Our purpose in giving this award is to keep the children interested in Judaism, and to coordinate the Hebrew School with the synagogue. The first to be presented these awards were Stuart Cope and Sara Rose Berenson.  
 Also, we had some lovely luncheons, and our "Paid-Up Membership" supper was an outstanding event thanks to the grand cooperation Mrs. Lamper and Mrs. Goldberg received from their committee. This last statement, in itself, shows why we had such a good year. Our members do take an interest in the Sisterhood; they give wholeheartedly of their

time and energy. Cooperation is our greatest asset.

2. The Present.  
 Every woman likes a lovely home—she takes pride in it—she wants to show it to her family and her friends. That is the way we, the Sisterhood, feel about our synagogue. We want it to be the neatest, the most presentable, the nicest. It is our goal!  
 Under our very capable House Committee Chairman, Mrs. Samuel Cinamon, we have begun to fulfill this goal. The Ladies' Room and the Ladies' Rest Room are both being re-decorated, and the Ladies' Rest Room is also being refurnished. But, this is only the beginning. We have great plans, which, with God's help and yours, we hope to carry out!

3. The Future.  
 First of all, I wish to announce the committee chairmen for the coming year:  
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 Mrs. Lydia Minkin  
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 Mrs. Irving Rothstein  
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 Miss Theresa Goodman  
 Mrs. Abraham Berenson  
 This coming year promises to be an outstanding one for the Sisterhood because we know we have the backing and good will of all.  
 Our aim is for greater membership, and under the leadership of Mrs. Resnick and Mrs. Minkin, we are assured that this year will see the largest membership ever.  
 In closing, may you all have a very happy New Year—one made even happier now that the war has ended, and our loved ones will soon be coming home.

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