

BREAKSTONE WORLD

The branches and leaves of the noble tree.

Grow like the clan of a common ancestry;

When harmony in their midst abound,

Beauty and splendor among them is found.

Philip P. Bregstone.

Love is
(Strength) (Grew)
Akah (Charity in Hebrew)
Mildim (Scholar in Heb.)
Obedient
Nemen (River that flows thru Ponemun)
Erlahkita (Honesty in Yid.)
DEN STONE,
Childs, Pa.

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FROM OUR TRAVELING COUSINS

October 14, 1934.

Dear Cousins:

We are back home again in the land of the free. Believe me when I say that one cannot truly appreciate the freedom of America until one has traveled abroad.

Our journey led us through England, Norway, Sweden, Finland, Russia, Latvia, Lithuania, Germany and France, however, knowing your deep interest in our cousins abroad, I shall tell you mainly about Russia and Lithuania.

Traveling from Helsingfors, we crossed the Russian border July 24th. There is an immediate change apparent in the people, the land, the very atmosphere. One senses a vague, undefinable feeling of fear and oppression. Our luggage was closely inspected and every package opened, but to Ruby's ingenious packing and the goods being more men we got by with everything.

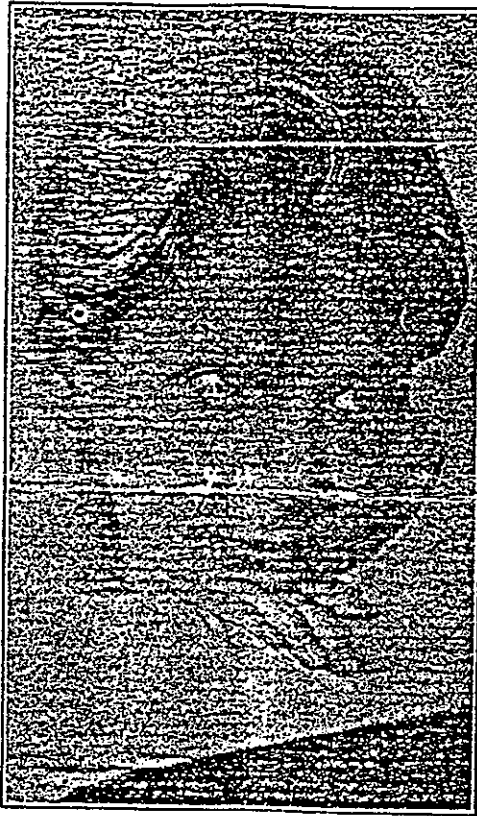
We arrived at Leningrad several hours later and went for a tour of the city. It is in both a destructive and constructive process. Everywhere we see buildings crumbling apart faster than they can be put together. The people seldom smile and for the most part their clothing consists of whatever they have managed to put together. Little boys followed us around in droves, and have learned to say in English, "gimme money." While here we visited Odetskys Saloe, the home of the former Czars of Russia. What magnificence and splendor. It is a breathless sight to go from one room to another and find that each surpasses the other in design and beauty! It is no wonder the Russian peasants rebelled!

We were anxious to leave Leningrad as our aunt and cousins were waiting for us. Mischa and Nadja, Boris' brother and sister, met us at the station. We were the only ones on our train to be met by relatives. To be there Mischa had had to work a whole day and night in order to be able to take off enough time to come for us. He is a surgeon and Nadja a lung specialist. It was the first time they had ever seen their aunt, my mother, or me, and they certainly were appreciative of her long journey to visit them. Ruby they knew well. Mother and I went to the country with Aunt Sonia and Riesa, Nadja's girl, the youngest member of our Russian clan.

Moscow is very interesting. It seethes with life. A subway is being built to relieve traffic congestion and it is being worked on day and night by men and women. The women are occupied in every line of endeavor and there is nothing which they consider beyond their strength to do.

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GEORGE BREAKSTONE



JACOBSONS SAY LONG MAY THE ETHER WAVE

All cousins in New York State can listen to Lester Jacobson, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, and Saturday, at 5:45 P. M.—station WABC, as Robinson Crusoe Jr., and starting Nov. 5, WABC five times a week. Lester will be heard as Chester Gump of the Gump cartoons in the paper. Lester does the March of Time and last Friday took three different characters. In one character he became the boy King Peter. Last week he was called to do 45 minutes in Hollywood, as they preview a picture on the air every week. He was sent to see "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch," and told to do the part of Billy, as Lester's cousin George Breakstone takes the part of Jimmy.

I think it is one of the grandest pictures and George was great in it.

Lester's brother Burton, is breaking in radio as Lester opens the Paul Whitman show every Thursday. Incidentally Burton's 45 minutes in Hollywood is on the same time, so Burton takes the part on the Whitman program while Lester does the other show.

"ON TOP" WITHOUT A PRESS AGENT

Such is the enviable record of eleven year-old George Breakstone, who is breaking all box office records as PUCK for Max Reinhardt at the Auditorium theatre.

This little clever towheaded chap is a star of radio, motion picture and now of the theatre.

In radio, he was the star of "The Lady Next Door," NBC-WEAF network. Star of the "Kremel Dessert Hour," Columbia network. Star of "Bobby Benson Hour," Pacific Coast Columbia network and many others. In 1931, he was chosen Prince of Radio.

He became a star in his first motion picture, turning in a new to be forgotten performance as Nemecek in Columbia's "No Greater Glory." In the six pictures that he has made since, they talk for themselves.

"Midsummer's Night Dream" is his first stage performance, and he is the star. Prof. Reinhardt advertises him as America's Greatest Boy Actor. Quite a distinction for an eleven year old boy.

George is not on contract with any motion picture studio, and whatever praise or publicity he has received from the press, has been on merit and merit alone. Whether it is genius or ability, when he plays a role everyone sits up and takes notice. Can you draw a parallel in pictures and the stage today, from breaking their hearts in "No Greater Glory" to making the public split their sides with laughter as Shakespeare's Puck in "Midsummer's Night Dream"?

Is there an artist living today who can make them cry today, and make them laugh tomorrow? That is why this frail little towheaded boy doesn't need a press agent. He is the goods, and gets the best publicity possible, by achievement; which endears him to the people of our country.

Max Reinhardt advertises him as America's Greatest Boy Actor." Walter Winchell gave him orchids, Sidney Skolsky, Regina Crewes, Ashton Stevens, Mae Tinee, Ruth Waterbury, and many other critics are raving about him; yet this little eleven year old genius, George Breakstone, has never let fame or glory effect his sweet little self.

George has the greatest reason to feel proud, and very proud at that. He holds a record that has never been equaled—a radio star at nine. A full fledged movie star at eleven and now nearing his twelfth birthday portraying the starring role of Puck in Shakespeare's "Midsummer Night Dream" for the great Reinhardt. But does he strut like a peacock and suffer with the proverbial swell head? No, not this wonder boy. No siree!

WEDDINGS

Mr. and Mrs. J. Berkson of Chicago announce the marriage of their daughter Josephine to Julian R. Breakstone of New London, Wis., brother of Saretta and the late Lena and Jack Breakstone.

Cora Abrams of New York, was at the Allerton House, Chicago, demonstrating Modern Music. While in Chicago, she visited Dr. and Mrs. Breakstone.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Silverman of Pittsburgh, Pa., announce the marriage of their daughter, Martha, to Mr. Morris Rosenberg of Pittsburgh. The wedding took place Sept. 2, 1934. Congratulations! They also announce the marriage of their son Saul, to Miss Adeline Miller of New Kensington, Pa. Their wedding took place May 3, '34.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Breakstone of Pittsburgh, announce the marriage of their son Zelig.

The marriage of Betty Gwendolyn Levi-sohn to Seymour Breakstone, son of Mr. and Mrs. Barney Breakstone of Chicago, is announced by Dr. and Mrs. Levisohn, Pine Grove Avenue, Chicago. Miss Levi-sohn is a graduate of the University of Illinois and the National College of Education. Mr. Breakstone is a graduate of Northwestern College of Pharmacy.

NEWS FROM HOLLAND

1460 Macombs Road,
Bronx, N. Y., 11-25-34.

Dear Cousins:

Received a letter from our uncle Etienne Bergstein of Amsterdam, Holland, telling us that his son, Dr. Marcel Henry was called to the University of Rotterdam as professor of law. It is the highest position that can be conferred on a young man of his age as he is only 34 years. From a financial standpoint Marcel was better off in Amsterdam as he was attorney for the largest concerns in the world such as Bunge & Born, Unilever, Imperial Chemical, etc. But of course the honor attached to his position as professor is unsurpassed.

When Marcel was ten years old a friend of the uncle, a Mr. Jules Salmanowitz, who is now residing in New York, asked Marcel what would he like to be when he grew up. Marcel answered without hesitation, "vice-president of the Raat van Staaten." It is the highest position obtainable in Holland as the president of this body of men is the Queen.

Uncle encloses a copy of a letter written by this Mr. Salmanowitz:

"Thank you ever so much for the personal note and I can only tell you that Ralchen (his wife) and myself are very happy with the news of this wonderful promotion of myself. It is the most distinguished appointment and in view of the fact that Marcel is only 34 it is very short of wonderful.

It may still come true that he may yet reach the post of vice-president Van den Raat van Staaten and here's hoping that it will be so.

With best wishes for the continued happiness of your family and all its members in which Ralchen joins me, I am,

Very sincerely yours,

J. S."

HERE AND THERE

Belle H. Gordon spent her Easter vacation in Zayas, Havana.

Miss Eunice Breakstone of Oconto, Wis., met with an automobile accident in January. Since that time she has been confined in the Sheboygan Memorial Hospital. We are happy to know she is back home and feeling quite well again.

Mr. Jerome Breakstone of Chicago ran for Congressman in the April primaries and carried a very nice vote. Better luck next time, Jerome.

Don't forget cousin Frank Barcus of 625 Josephine Street, Detroit, Mich., has some very interesting historical cachets for the nominal charge of ten cents each. You may review the pageant of the past with these historical covers and enjoy the history of the United States as you would enjoy romance with life, action and color.

In the Literary Digest of Nov. 17, 1934, is a half-page write-up of Ham Fisher, cartoonist.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Livingston, formerly of Chicago, are now residing in Rock Island, Illinois.

Mrs. Sam Morrison of Chicago, and Mrs. Q. C. Hyslop, nee Grace Breakstone of Spring Valley, motored to Sheboygan and visited Miss Eunice Breakstone who has been in the hospital, also Mrs. M. Breakstone of Oconto, Wis. and J. R. Breakstone of New London, Wis.

Mrs. M. Breakstone, of Oconto, Wis., is spending the winter in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Jan L. Browning spent some time with Dr. Benj. Breakstone and family, while he appeared at the State-Lake Theatre in Chicago.

Among the house guests at the Dr. Benjamin Breakstone residence were: Mrs. Anna Oppenheimer, Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Breakstone and son Georgie, of the screen and drama fame, of Hollywood, Mrs. Silverman of Pittsburgh, Pa., Gloria Breakstone of Corinth, Miss., Miss Gertrude Breakstone of Pittsburgh, Pa., Mrs. Rose Breakstone and daughter Juliet of New York, Mrs. Josephson of New York and sister Miss Meriam Cohen of Paterson, New Jersey. Also Mrs. Celia Jacobson of New York.

Mr. Samuel H. Morrison has just returned from Springfield, Ill., and was honored with the appointment of Chief Officer of the Secretary of State office. This recognition was due him because of his good work in the Democratic party of Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. Lou Friedman have moved to Grand Rapids, Mich.

Miss Juliet Breakstone of New York is working on her school magazine, "The Violet."

On December 6th, uncle and aunt as well as Marcel and wife are going to Marceille, France, where their daughter Madeleine, is celebrating her copper wedding anniversary.

Madeleine and husband Charles, shortly returned to Marceille, their home, from an extensive trip to Africa.

Your cousin,

Ralph Bregstein.

DEATHS

The cousins regret to announce the death of Mrs. Lottie Heimlich, mother of our cousin (Mrs. Bernie) Betty Breakstone of New York City.

Death of Max Breakstone, dear husband of Lillie, father of Eunice, Idella, Grace Bobby and Irving Breakstone. All cousins join in extending sincere sympathy.

It is with deep sorrow we announce the death of our esteemed honorary vice-president and chairman of the New York Division of the Breakstone family—H. Goodman of Detroit, Mich. Father of San Goodman, Esther Barcus, Pauline Goodman, Louise Goodman and Ann Friedman and dear husband of Hannah.

We regret to announce the death of Mrs. Esther Breakstone of Washington, D. C.

It is with deep sorrow that we announce the death of Mrs. Anna Freidlen, age 47 beloved wife of Herman Friedlen and mother of Marion and Myrtle of Chicago.

Death of Philip P. Bregstone, of Chicago, husband of Anne (nee Rosenberg) father of Mrs. A. Livingston, Mrs. Zukowsky, Milton and Daniel. Age 66. He was assistant probate judge of Cook County, has written several books, the most recent being "Chicago and its Jews." He is survived by his brother Henry and three sisters, Mrs. I. Levenberg of Michigan City, Sarah and Gertrude of Chicago.

BREAKSTONIA VAGABONDIA

Not content with the wowing and winning of one of the drug-store minded sons of Barney Breakstone, Mrs. Betty Breakstone took the youngest and most personable of the three from the frigid wastes of Chicago to the sunny heaven of Miami Beach, Florida, where both are enjoying a much needed rest.

Congratulations to the Alpha Epsilon Phi Sorority and to Miss Gloria Brackstone, the sunny siren of the South, for their pledge of affiliation. This year Gloria transferred from her first love, Ward Belmont at Nashville, to a new location, namely the University of Missouri, where she is active in bowling, tennis, and dramatics.

Mrs. Maurice Rosenberg (Martha Silverman) recently visited Chicago to choose furniture for the new home, into which she will soon move. There are those sinister lips, which allege that she cast a longing eye at baby cribs. What about it, Martha?

Mrs. Lou Miller (Hannah Levy) and her charming, young daughter, Bernice were recently in Florida over Christmas and New Years.

STAFF OF THE PAPER

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FROM THE EDITOR

I wish to take this means of thanking Blanche and Annette Breakstone, who have so graciously assisted me with the publication of this paper.

A WORD OF APPRECIATION TO OUR EDITOR

Mrs. Samuel Morrison

All cousins join in extending a vote of thanks and assure her of our appreciation. We value her sincere interest in taking so active a part to help make the Breakstone World a huge success.

The Breakstone World is a channel which flows into the home of each cousin expressing love and co-operation which keeps our kinship into a closer relationship and better understanding.

Hoping that you will always keep this flame alive and with love to all.—Fannie Breakstone.

NEW ASSISTANT EDITOR

As we go to press, we welcome the advent of a new assistant editor, in the person of Miss Leah Rae Morrison. We trust that her induction in the Breakstone Family and her membership therein will be a mutual boast. She made her debut at the Swedish Covenant Hospital, Jan. 14. Even if the combined talents of Saretta and Sam were perhaps misdirected, the editorial "we" believe that their happiness in Leah Rae will make a good loser of Sam—catch on!

A letter received March 16, 1934, from the Breakstone family in New York:

Dear Cousins:

On behalf of the Breakstone family, we want you to know how happy we all were to receive and read the Breakstone World and how grateful we are to you for all your efforts and hard work you exerted for our benefit.

Hoping to have the pleasure of greeting you soon in New York and with fondest regards from us all, to the rest of the Breakstone family.

Sincerely,

BREAKSTONE FAMILY,

Frieda Breakstone, Cor. Secy.
1691 Nelson Ave., Brx., N. Y.

I take this opportunity to extend to all cousins: Best wishes for a Happy and Prosperous New Year, in which Max joins me.

We sincerely hope that all cousins will attend our reunion in August, 1935—with 100 per cent attendance

With love to all,

Fannie Breakstone

WHY SO MANY BUSINESS TRIPS?

Mr. Harold Nelson, of Detroit, was a visitor in Chicago.

Miss Gloria Brackstone visited Annette—or was it Irving—in Chicago this summer. She also visited Chicago for the Chicago-Missouri game, which she did not attend.

CHICAGO REPORTS

A Breakstone meeting was held at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Benjamin Breakstone, 1309 Lunt Ave. on Tuesday, Oct. 2nd. The family was well represented and Jerome Breakstone opened the first meeting of the season. Thru the efforts of Cousin Ben enough money was raised at this gathering making it possible to publish this edition of the Breakstone World. Plans were discussed for raising money for the Breakstone World. It is our urgent request that each family of the Breakstone clan make his or her contribution, no matter how large or small, so that we may continue with the paper.

Refreshments were served and as usual we all spent a most enjoyable evening.

EUNICE IN VERSE

This poem is dedicated to three unfortunate victims all of which were taken to the hospital suffering with severe injuries due to an automobile accident. The writer of this sketch sustained a fractured skull and after laying in bed for a period of ten weeks, obtained an incentive to write this:

ACCIDENTAL BED PHILOSOPHY

Eunice Breakstone, R. N.

Gazing at four hospital walls
Joyful pastime one recalls;
Crying, laughing its all in pain;
So please take heed of this refrain.
Accidents are pretty bad
When a company of three are sad.
To pass our symptoms to and fro,
Which makes the time grow mighty slow.
We graciously boast of our past escapade,
Each one revealing his mightiness in first aid;

Naturally each one has a stronger tale of woe,

But we are all still here in the same 'ole row.

Lucky we are here to discuss this ordeal
As it's new to the one who never took a speal;

'Member, it's dangerous to ride,
So beware as fate is at your side.
The nurses and doctors are full of zest,
Trying to persuade us that they know best.
Patients are quaint as to knowing their disease,

So believe in good philosophy and your aches will cease.

Calm yourself! Three ceiling gazers in wait

For you may not think you have it very soft.

Think less of yourself and remember this,
There's many in your boat so be thankful in bliss.

My nursing career impels me to write
This absolute truth in repair of our plight.
So I gathered together this bountiful acclaim,

And repeat in the future the science of good aim—Health!

(Written in the Sheboygan Memorial Hospital, March 26, 1934.)

BREAKSTONE AESCULAPIA

Le Roy Breakstone, of Corinth, Miss. finished his medical course in June at University of Tennessee in Memphis. is now practicing in Tennessee and is usually successful.

Judd Breakstone graduated from Chicago Medical School June 3rd, 1911. All cousins extend congratulations and wishes to Judd and to his dear parents Dr. and Mrs. Benjamin Breakstone on this happy occasion. We wish Judd success in the future—Fannie Breakstone

On July 1, 1934, Judd R. Breakstone was appointed member of the internes of Cook County Hospital in Chicago—finest of its kind in the world. This position was earned because Dr. Judd Breakstone wrote ninth place in a competitive examination, written by 250 medical students, graduates of accredited schools the middle west.

Following what promises to become Breakstone tradition, Edgar Breakstone of Pittsburgh, will graduate, with honors from the Chicago Medical School. placed high in the competitive examination for internship in the Cook County Hospital. It is rather early to make definite plans, so Edgar is undecided as to the acceptance of internship there. It's up to you, Irv and Jack!

We understand that Stanley Leavy, of the dapper Nat Leavy of Lynbrook, New York, has brought honor to the family by winning the distinction of being elected Phi Beta Kappa at Yale University. recently returned from a cruise to India, and is preparing to settle down to the serious study of medicine.

COLLEGE STUDENTS

Shirley Fein, daughter of Robert Helen Fein, entered Adelphi College. Mary Fein entered the Agricultural College.

Boris Skutelski, grand nephew of Isaac and Dora Breakstone and nephew of Fannie Josephson of Paterson, New Jersey attending the Washington and Lee University at Washington, D. C. He is studying international law. He recently visited and Mrs. Breakstone at Chicago.

Bobby Breakstone, of Oconto, Wis. attending the University of Wisconsin where he recently gained public notice through superb scholarship and won oratorical contests.

THE BREAKSTONE FOOTBALL ST

After having been balked for two seasons by injuries, Jerry Rodman, son of Mr. Mrs. Jesse Rodman of New Rochelle, New York, has finally attained a varsity position on the New Rochelle High School football team. Jerry is the regular end on the team, a team that rates as one of the best in the high schools of the country.

On Saturday, October 13th, the team from Lane Tech High School of Chicago met the New Rochelle and was defeated by New Rochelle 36-0. This overwhelming victory for Lane Tech, was all the more impressive when one knows that the New Rochelle line outweighed on the average of forty pounds to the man, the Tech team averaging 160 lbs. Jerry, weighing 162 lbs., played against a 246 pounder and never let the opponent get the jump. Jerry not only plays on the football team, but has won letters in baseball, basketball and hockey. The latter team of which he is captain. The Breakstones are born fighters.

Visitors at Home of Dr. and Mrs. Breakstone of Chicago

Sylvia Hepner visited Dr. and Mrs. Breakstone while in Chicago. Mrs. Helen Morgenstern of Wilkes Barre, Mrs. Ben Stone of Childs, Pa., Mrs. Shenker, Mrs. Greenstein, Mrs. Seader, all of New York, Mrs. H. Becker of Detroit.

All cousins extend best wishes to our esteemed cousin and honorary president, Dr. Benj. Breakstone and hope he is enjoying perfect health. The Breakstone family.

Dr. and Mrs. Benj. Breakstone gave a dinner in honor of the marriage of Seymour Breakstone to Miss Betty Levisohn, and Bobby Breakstone to Miss Sylvia Singer, of Detroit, Mich.

Miss Lillian Fisher of Chicago, spent holidays in Detroit, Mich.

REUNION WANDERINGS—OR IS IT WONDERINGS?

As we go to press, we regret that we have not definite news about the 1935 reunion, which, even at this early date, the editors believe will be the greatest ever. We know that the Detroit branch has displayed an avid interest from our personal correspondence, but since no definite or official announcement has been sent to this periodical, we too eagerly await the announcement of the place and time. Let's hear from you, Detroit!

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It was here that we met Naaume Aronson, the second most noted Jewish sculptor in the world. Our race can be very proud of him for he typifies the highest type of manhood.

We left Moscow and set out for Lithuania, the ancestral home of all the Breakstones. For one who has been born in America it is indeed a privilege to be fortunate enough to visit the very spot one's tree took root and began to grow. Slabotke, ten minutes from Kaunas by Droszka, is a very quaint little town. The roads are cobblestone, and the homes for the most part, one-floor structures. It seemed funny to hear so many people speaking Yiddish. Grandmother is a very dear old lady and her mind keen and active. Uncle Isaac looks very much like her.

We visited Panamune and saw Uncle Heim Hersh and his wife Reva, and their family. That night I was very thrilled as we climbed a slight embankment and really stood upon the very ground the home of the first Breakstone was located on. It is at the very edge of the banks of the river Nemen. From here we went to the forests to visit Cherney, Ralph's mother. Her joy at seeing us was indeed a compensation for leaving made the trip.

We are very glad to be back home again and we bring with us cheerful greetings and the blessings of those in the old world to those in the new.

Loving cousins

Minnie Josephson and her two daughters Rubie Edith.

A VISITOR FROM CHICAGO

For about three weeks during the month of August, the New York Breakstones had the pleasure of entertaining a charming young visitor from Chicago, Miss Annette Breakstone, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Benj. Breakstone.

Annette had so many homes while visiting in the big city that it would look like a telephone directory to list them. Off hand though, the homes visited were those of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Breakstone and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jacobson of New York City, and also Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Rodman of New Rochelle, New York. Of course there were many socials held by other members of the family in honor of Annette.

The roaming visitor was so impressed by the highlights and fast life of New York that she seemed lost upon returning to the second city, Chicago. It was indeed a pleasure for the New Yorkers to entertain such a foreign guest.

ENTERPRISING BREAKSTONES

Irving H. Gordon wishes to announce to his cousins that his store is located at 1249 Amsterdam Ave., between 121st and 122nd Sts., New York City, under the name of the Morningside Retail Liquor Store, with a complete stock of the finest imported and domestic wines, champagnes, liquers and whiskies. (To the New York cousins.) When low in SPIRITS just call University 4-1740 and we will be glad to give you prompt delivery. Bring in the New Year with Gordon's liquors.

Cora, Helen and Mildred Abrams have reopened their New York studio of Music and Expression at 588 West End Ave., New York City, telephone Schuyler 6995. Those cousins having children will find it will be of great advantage to each child to receive instructions from the Abram sisters. They have the ability and you will find them very capable. They will bring out the very best that is in your child so that he or she will be able to meet their future obligations of the world with ease and poise.

Mr. M. Breakstone of Washington, D. C., and son Aaron, of Richwood, visited Dr. and Mrs. Breakstone.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Breakstone, formerly of Chicago, are now residing in Kalamazoo, Michigan.

IN MEMORIAM

Sarah Levy—In loving memory of our beloved cousin and esteemed President of the Breakstone Family—passed away Dec. 23, 1932. May her soul rest in peace.

Breakstone Patriarch Celebrate Seventy-First Birthday

Ike Breakstone celebrated his 71st birthday, August 24, 1934. All cousins join extending heartiest congratulations to him many, many more happy birthdays.—The Breakstone Family.

NEW YORK VISITORS

Among those who visited the New York cousins during the summer months were Blanche and Annette Breakstone and their aunt, Mrs. C. H. Asch of Chicago, Ja Breakstone of Pittsburgh, Ernest Schwab of Pittsburgh, Mr. and Mrs. Sol Silverman of Pittsburgh, Harold Schwartz of Pittsburgh and Martha Silverman and her husband.

CHICAGO NEWS

Among the cousins who entertained Mrs. Anna Oppenheim of Wilkes Barre and Mrs. Silverman of Pittsburgh, were: Irving and Mrs. Breakstone, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bregstone, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Fisher, Mrs. Meyer Fisher, and Mrs. H. Friedle.

Samuel H. Morrison was installed president of the Jewish Men's Club of Riverwood at a public meeting, attended by 50 people, among them dignitaries of the City of Chicago. Rabbi Felix Mendelsohn of Temple Beth Israel was the installing officer and principal speaker. Sam is rapidly gaining popularity in politics and we hope, therefore, soon to be represented in Congress.

Irving Breakstone, attorney of Chicago has returned from a trip to Florida.

Among our talented youngsters in the dancing class are Miss Alice Fisher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nate Fisher, and Miss Elaine Bregstone, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bregstone—both of Chicago.

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To know George is to love him. He is the most modest boy in Hollywood. If you get him to talk about any picture he has made, all you get from him is—what swell fellow the director is, and what wonderful performers there are in the cast—but nary a word about himself. At school it's the same thing. His schoolmates never know what picture he has made till it is released. You can't get him to talk about himself. If you want to get him to mention short wave radio, or dogs, science or inventions, or practical jokes and you've made a friend.

George's success was not handed to him on a platter. He has worked very hard and while climbing the ladder of fame, met many snobs and swellheads, and that is one thing that he cannot stand; so suppose this had some influence on him. Yes, it is very hard when you are in the public eye, thousands of fan letters, the sands of people telling you how good you are, to keep your balance; but you mustn't have to worry about George Breakstone for he's a real trouper.

He was picked out as the best juvenile screen artists and will soon appear in "Successful Failures" and "Life Returns."

During his stay in Chicago, Georgie and his parents enjoyed the hospitality of the home of Dr. and Mrs. Breakstone.