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# Kehilath Jeshurun Bulletin

## 117 East 85th Street - New York City

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Friday, December 26th, 1941

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### War Time Services to be Recorded

The synagogue would like to keep on record the names of those people who are giving their services for the defense of our country. Therefore, a request is being issued to members and seatholders of the congregation and to members of all affiliates, to send such names to the office. We would like to know who is in the armed forces, who in the naval or air. Also those who are assisting in Home Defense activities. This "Roll of Honor" will be a permanent record which may prove of great value some day.

### Rabbi to Broadcast Over WJZ

Beginning Saturday evening, January 3rd, and for every successive Saturday evening during the month of January, at 7:30 o'clock, Rabbi Lookstein will be heard over station WJZ as part of a program called "The Message of Israel." We suggest that our congregants and friends tune in for this program. In view of current events, the Rabbi will undoubtedly have a very timely message for all of us.

### Talmud Class Postponed

Due to the absence of the Rabbi from the city, there will be no Talmud class this Saturday afternoon or Monday evening. The class will resume sessions Saturday, January 3rd and will continue every Monday and Saturday thereafter.

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### Rabbi and Mrs. Lookstein Vacationing

Rabbi and Mrs. Lookstein and their family have gone to Atlantic City where the Rabbi will take a much-warranted and greatly needed rest. We earnestly trust he will return to us completely refreshed and with renewed strength in order to carry on his vast program of activity.

### First Aid Course

The second First Aid Course being sponsored by our Sisterhood will start Wednesday evening, January 7th, at 8:30 o'clock, in the social hall of the Synagogue and will continue every Wednesday thereafter for a period of twelve weeks. The course is being given by Dr. Ann Casper, who has very graciously offered her services for the second time this season. Registration must be made through the office of the synagogue and, since a limited number is accepted, we urge those interested to enroll at once.

### Sewing and Knitting Group Organized

One of the many projects undertaken by our Sisterhood in its efforts in behalf of war relief, is the establishment of a sewing and knitting group, which will have its opening session Monday, January 12th, in the social hall. All those women eager to assist are requested to attend on that date and on every succeeding Monday. This group will meet from 10 A.M. until 4 P.M.

## Synagogue Officials

|                            |        |
|----------------------------|--------|
| Joseph H. Lookstein .....  | Rabbi  |
| Robert R. Fingerioth ..... | Cantor |
| Joseph E. Adler .....      | Sexton |

## Officers of the Congregation

|                           |                |
|---------------------------|----------------|
| Max J. Etra .....         | President      |
| Dr. Henry A. Rafsky ..... | Vice-President |
| Saul J. Lance .....       | Treasurer      |
| Abraham R. Winer .....    | Secretary      |
| Jacob H. Alpert .....     | Comptroller    |

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## Schedule of Services

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| FRIDAY                     |           |
| Lighting of Candles .....  | 4:20 P.M. |
| Mincha Services .....      | 4:20 P.M. |
| SATURDAY                   |           |
| Morning Services .....     | 9:00 A.M. |
| Weekly Portion: Vayigash   |           |
| Genesis 44:18-47:28        |           |
| Haftarah: Ezekiel 37:15-28 |           |
| Mincha Services .....      | 4:05 P.M. |

## Daily Services

|                      |           |
|----------------------|-----------|
| MORNING .....        | 7:15 A.M. |
| SUNDAY MORNING ..... | 8:30 A.M. |
| EVENING .....        | 4:20 P.M. |

## Yahrzeits For the Week

SAMUEL ABELOFF  
JACOB E. FISCHEL  
HARRIS MAYER  
JOEL RESNICK  
MORDECHAI ROSENBERG  
ALEXANDER SCHLANG  
MENUHA DOMBER  
PAULINE WOLFSON LURIE

## Congratulations

The congregation extends belated but none the less sincere congratulations to Mrs. Regina Margareten upon her birthday and wishes her many more years of health and happiness . . . Congratulations also to our Cantor and Mrs. Fingerioth who celebrated their first wedding anniversary this week.

## SISTERHOOD NEWS

### Mrs. Lookstein Honored By A. W. V. S.

Shortly after Mrs. Lookstein became affiliated with the American Women's Voluntary Services, her unusual organizational ability was recognized. As a result of her precision, her eagerness to help and her earnestness, she has been asked to be the Assistant to the Chairman of Public Relations. We who have watched Mrs. Lookstein work, in her unobtrusive yet effective manner, know what an asset she will be to this organization. Congratulations and good luck!

### Air Raid Precaution Course

Registration for this course, which will start Tuesday afternoon, December 30th, from 2:30 to 4:30 o'clock, must be made through the office of the American Women's Voluntary Services, at 981 Madison Avenue. Sessions will be held every Tuesday and Thursday for a period of three and a half weeks, in the social hall of our synagogue.

### One Appeal Answered

Just about two minutes after reading the bulletin with its appeal for sewing machines, Mrs. Rae Oppenheim called to offer her machine. Soon after Mrs. Jacob Alpert volunteered the use of hers. We are extremely grateful to these ladies for their kindness and generosity, and we trust there will be others who will follow their example.

### Sisterhood Package Party

Just another reminder of the next meeting of the Sisterhood to be held Monday, January 5th, at the home of Mrs. Alfred Kahn, 19 East 88th Street. Remember the package which will be your admission!

### Mrs. Givner Appointed Chairman

Mrs. Isadore Givner has been appointed Chairman of the Defense Committee which will soon arrange individual committees who will be responsible for the varied activities of the Sisterhood in their defense work.

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## **MEN'S CLUB SMOKER & ENTERTAINMENT**

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### **Combs Addresses Men's Club Chanukah Forum**

#### **Weisman Presents \$200 Gift**

The first Men's Club forum meeting since the United States has entered the war was held on Tuesday, Dec. 16th, in the social hall, when the Club held its Chanukah gathering. George Hamilton Combs, noted radio commentator, held the audience spell-bound with an inspired address that was one of the high-lights in the Men's Club series that began three years ago. Rabbi Lookstein paved the way with a brilliant discourse on the historic victory of right over the forces of evil.

Ira F. Weisman, president of the Men's Club, presented Rabbi Lookstein with a gift of \$200 from the Club to the Ramaz Academy as the Men's Club scholarship for a worthy student. Mr. Joseph E. Adler ably substituted for Cantor Fingeroth in leading the singing of the national anthem and officiating in the traditional service of the Chanukah candles. A typical Chanukah buffet was served by the hospitality committee.

The next Men's Club affair will be held on the evening of Tuesday, January 13th, when the annual smoker will be held in the social hall of the synagogue.

### **Our Benevolent Fund**

Below is a list of those who contributed to our Benevolent Fund in response to the Chanukah candles:

Herman Goldman, A. J. Simon, William Bachrach, Saul J. Lance, Louis Etra, Harry Bachrach, S. B. Cooperman, Dr. I. Givner, L. D. Livingston, Ralph Kravette, Dr. E. Endreny, Mrs. C. Garfiel, Mrs. J. Freedman, Rabbi Joseph H. Lookstein, T. Silberman, David Miller, David Schwartz, Abraham Weiner, S. I. Silberman, Miss Frances Bernhardt, Joseph Silberschutz, David B. Baum, Mrs. Elliott Siegel, B. Lichtman, Alex Garfein, Isidore Schlang, Sam Rubinsky, Mrs. M. Bernard, Mrs. R. Abrahams, A. Morgenstern, Mrs. Basewitz, Alfred Kahn, Harry Fischel.

Have you forgotten to send in your contribution? If so, please do so at once.

### **Park East Youth Group**

Over one hundred people attended the Chanukah celebration of the Park East Youth Group and participated in the program of dancing and entertainment. The program started with the lighting of the Chanukah candles by Cantor Robert R. Fingeroth.

The next meeting will be held Tuesday evening, January 6th. All young folks are invited to attend.

### **Y. C. W. O. to Give Theatre Party**

The Yeshiva College Women's Organization is running its Annual Theatre Party on Saturday night, January 10th. The play is Eddie Cantor's current hit, "Banjo Eyes." Tickets for this performance may be procured from the office of the organization, 1440 Broadway.

### **Schedule of Events**

Tuesday, Dec. 30th — Opening Session  
A. R. P. Course, Social Hall, 2:30 P.M.

Wednesday, Dec. 31st — Girl Scout Meeting, Social Hall, 3:30 P.M.

Monday, Jan. 5th — Sisterhood Meeting, Mrs. Alfred Kahn, 1:00 P.M.

Tuesday, Jan. 6th — Park East Youth Group Meeting, Social Hall, 8:30 P.M.

Wednesday, Jan. 7th — Opening Session First Aid Course, Social Hall, 8:30 P.M.

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