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THIS SABBATH DEDICATED TO FEDERATION

For the past few years, we at Kehilath Jeshurun have established the practice of devoting one Sabbath a year to the Federation of Jewish Philanthropies of Greater New York.

In so doing, our congregation joins with many of the leading synagogues in New York City, which have established the same practice.

We will observe "Federation Sabbath" this Saturday. Rabbi Joseph H. Lookstein will have occasion during the course of the service to explain the manifold services that Federation offers, and the unparalleled humanitarian work that it performs. Our congregation is of course intimately associated with this work. Many of our members

are directors of Federation and officers in its family of one hundred and sixteen institutions.

This Saturday also coincides with Rosh Chodesh, the beginning of the month of Shevat. Special prayers will be recited in commemoration of the day. All of our worshippers will certainly want to be in attendance.

We look forward to the participation of all our congregants in this special Sabbath with its twofold significance; the celebration of the beginning of a new month and the demonstration of our support for Federation. We urge all to be at the synagogue this Saturday.

Full House at Men's Club Annual Dinner

The members and friends of the Men's Club filled the social hall of the synagogue almost to overflowing at the club's Twenty First Annual Dinner. All present had a wonderful time.

The outstanding feature of the evening was the honoring of the charter members of the Men's Club. Each charter member was presented with a special book — "The Sabbath" by Dayan Dr. I. Grunfeld — as a token of the Men's Club's esteem and regard for him.

Contributions to Ramaz and Park East School

Elgin Shulsky, president of the club, presented the Ramaz and Park East Religious Schools with generous checks for their respective scholarship funds.

Rabbi Haskel Lookstein conducted a modified quiz program, entitled "21", in which he asked the charter members to recall their early years in the Men's Club. This bit of reminiscing was enjoyed by all.

Lou Norman, the humorist, was completely in keeping with the mood of friendship which prevailed. In a fantastic display of memory he greeted over one hundred guests by name. He had met them for the first time that evening.

Rabbi Joseph H. Lookstein closed this Twenty First Annual Dinner with the briefest talk of his Men's Club career. The entire evening, as you might imagine, was full of wonderful surprises. Needless to say it was enjoyed by all.

ONE THOUSAND ATTEND RAMAZ DINNER DANCE

The Annual Dinner Dance of the Ramaz School took place in the Grand Ballroom of the Waldorf Astoria on Sunday evening, January 24th. Almost a thousand friends of Ramaz — 987 to be exact — attended this gala affair, the entire proceeds of which go to the Ramaz Scholarship Fund.

The Ramaz Scholarship Fund enables more than half the students in the school to attend the institution. At the present time, over fifty six per cent of the student body receive some form of scholarship aid. When one considers that the school enrollment is close to six hundred, one realizes the large number of children who are helped by the proceeds from the Annual Dinner.

But the Ramaz Dinner Dance is more than a fund-raising venture. It is a gathering of men and women who are devoted to the type of education which Ramaz School offers, and who are convinced of the importance of this education for the future of the American Jewish community.

At the Dinner, Rabbi Joseph H. Lookstein, principal of the school, stressed the importance of this type of education as a constant source of religious fortitude for the American Jewish youth. The Rabbi asserted that the pride in one's heritage and tradition, which Ramaz instills in the students, is especially vital when feelings of racial and religious prejudice run high.

Our congregation has much reason for pride in this institution which it founded. We can be proud of the school itself and its policies. We can applaud the wonderful scholastic achievements of its students. We can take heart in the contributions which its graduates have made in the American Jewish community. Finally, we can be grateful to all the devoted friends of Ramaz who make the education within its halls available to all deserving students, many of whom would otherwise be deprived of its benefits.

Rabbi Joseph H. Lookstein will preach this Sabbath at 11:00 A.M.

**"MOSES VERSUS PHARAOH AND
THE UNITED NATIONS VERSUS NASSER"**

Youth Activities

TEENS SKATING PARTY THIS SATURDAY NIGHT

All teenagers in our community (girls 13-16; boys 14-17) are invited to participate in a special ice skating party to be held this Saturday night January 30th.

The group will meet at 7:45 in front of the synagogue and proceed from there to Wollman Memorial Rink.

We are very anxious to foster the growth of this teenage group. It has begun in fine style. All the teenagers whose names we possess have been contacted. Others who may not have been reached are cordially invited to attend this skating party.

Parents especially are urged to encourage their children to attend. Remember the details:

Date: Saturday Night, January 30
Place: Synagogue - then Wollman Rink
Time: 7:45 P.M.

YOUNG ADULTS LEAGUE TO HOLD COCKTAIL PARTY

Mr. A. Phillip Goldsmith, Vice President of the synagogue, and Mrs. Goldsmith have graciously opened their home for a Cocktail Party for the newly organized Young Adults League of the congregation. The party will take place on Sunday, February 7th from 4 until 7 o'clock.

Invitations have been sent to all young people, ages 18-28, whose names were brought to our attention. All who received invitations are urged to please respond immediately so that adequate preparations may be made by our hosts.

If any of our readers know of a young man or woman who would like to attend this affair, please notify the synagogue office. We will be happy to send him an invitation.

(Youth Activities continued on P. 4)

FATHER AND SON MINYAN

Twelfth Service

January 31, 9:30 A.M.

Cantors:

Jordan Wouk
Bruce Dratler
Jonathan Wouk
Martin Jelenko

Sponsor: Aaron H. Onish

WITHIN OUR FAMILY

Birthdays —

Many happy returns of the day to Martin E. de Graaff, Nico de Graaff, David Gordon, Mrs. Leopold Heffner, Mrs. Maurice N. Jaffe, Mrs. Emory Klein, Mrs. David W. Petegorsky, Isidore Silver, Dr. Robert Wallach, and Miss Cecilie Weiss

Anniversaries —

Warmest greetings to Mr. and Mrs. Alex Cohen, Mr. and Mrs. Israel Cummings, Mr. and Mrs. Solomon E. Green, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Schenker, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Schoenfeld and Mr. and Mrs. Louis W. Yohann.

Member in the News

Our esteemed member Norman Jaspán, a leading Management Consultant appeared on a half hour television show last week and discussed "Dollar Morality."

CONDOLENCES

We record with sorrow the passing of our esteemed member, Abraham Poust and extend sincere condolences to our devoted member Jacob Poust upon the loss of his father.

We extend sincere condolences to our devoted member, David Joseph upon the loss of his beloved sister, and to our dear member Mrs. Robert H. Zessman upon the loss of her beloved mother.

We convey our heartfelt sympathy to the members of the bereaved families and pray that the Almighty may spare them further grief for many years to come.

MEN'S CLUB TO HAVE SUNDAY MORNING MEETING FEBRUARY 14th

For the first time in its twenty one year history, the Men's Club will hold a Sunday morning meeting. This special meeting will be combined with the Father and Son Minyan on Sunday February 14th.

The occasion promises to be a most interesting one. The program will begin with the regular Father and Son Minyan service at 9:30. After the service the men and the boys will have a community breakfast. Following the breakfast, the boys will go to the gymnasium and the men will have a regular forum meeting at which Mr. Victor Geller, director of Community Organization at Yeshiva University will address the Club.

Mr. Geller, one of the first officials in the Community Service Division at Yeshiva, is a former director of the Union of Orthodox Jewish Congregations of America. He was also a national officer in Young Israel. An extremely astute student of community organization in America, Mr. Geller will present an analysis of American Jewry which all will want to hear and from which all will derive important information and understanding.

This meeting, for men only, is one which no man should miss. Members and friends of the Men's Club are urged to reserve the date and to attend this wonderful event.

MEN'S CLUB CHARTER MEMBERS AT THE 21st ANNUAL DINNER



LEFT TO RIGHT, SEATED: Albert Wald, Frederick Margareten, Max J. Etra, Rabbi Joseph H. Lookstein, Isadore Schlang and Joseph E. Adler. STANDING: Jacob Rudd, Harry Etra, Abraham R. Kirshon, George Jacobs, Dr. Arthur A. Klatzkin, Ira F. Weisman, Alvin Austin, Louis W. Yohann, William B. Fischberg and Abraham Wiener.

Kehilath Jeshurun Adult Institute Mid Year Report

The Adult Institute of Congregation Kehilath Jeshurun has reached the half way mark in its academic year. The Fall Term was concluded during the past week and the Spring Term begins this Saturday. New students are eligible and encouraged to enroll for the new term.

For the benefit of our readers who may not be aware of the progress made by the Institute this year, we present the following progress report.

Enrollment of 165

At present there are one hundred and sixteen students in the various departments of the Institute. Inasmuch as a number of students take two or more courses, the actual enrollment in the classes of the Institute stands at one hundred and sixty five.

These figures represent an increase of well over one hundred percent from last year. The numbers represent students who attend the classes with some regularity.

Included in the figures are twenty two men and women who have attended each of the three lectures presented by Dr. Irving Agus to date and who are therefore in a position to receive credit for this series if they attend the final two lectures on February 10th and March 9th.

Also included in the figures are thirty eight members of the two groups in our Am HaSefer ("People of the Book") Program. Each of these people is reading four books of Jewish interest and meeting in a discussion group to analyze the books individually.

79 To Receive Credit

Finally, in the regular weekly courses, there is an active enrollment of one hundred and five students. Of these, sixty seven have been sufficiently regular in their attendance to receive credit for their work. Inasmuch as twelve of these students are receiving credit for more than one course, the actual number of credit certificates to be issued will be seventy-nine.

We list below the names of the students who are entitled to credit for their work during the Fall Term.

CLASS IN THE COMMANDMENTS OF JUDAISM

Instructor: Rabbi Haskel Lookstein
Saturdays - 50 Minutes before Mincha
Morris Aronowitz
Jerry Bruss

Sidney Burnett
Max J. Etra
Dr. Theodore R. Fink
David Hefter
Mrs. Joseph Hostyk
Mrs. Emma Kaplan
Samuel Lerner
Mrs. Haskel Lookstein
Norman C. Ryp
Isadore Schlang
Abraham Seidenberg
Norman Shutman
Miss Miriam Trachman
Dr. Sadie E. Trachman

WOMEN'S CLASS IN PRAYER

Instructor: Rabbi Haskel Lookstein
Mondays 11:00 — 12:00 Noon

Mrs. Hyman Abrams
Mrs. Nathan Flax
Mrs. Sam Garfinkle
Mrs. Samuel Gross
Mrs. Fred Kahn
Mrs. Richard Kolb
Mrs. Jack Kurzweil
Mrs. William Lebowitz
Mrs. Joseph H. Lookstein
Mrs. Bernard Podell
Mrs. Isadore Schlang
Mrs. Elliott W. Siegel
Mrs. Meyer Texon
Mrs. Bertha Witkin

TALMUD CLASS

Instructor: Rabbi Haskel Lookstein
Wednesday 8:00 — 9:00 P.M.

Joseph N. Friedman
Mrs. Joseph Hostyk
Lawrence A. Kobbin
Edward Lebowitz
Mrs. Haskel Lookstein
Dr. Louis I. Posner
William Rubinfeld
Abraham Seidenberg
Miss Miriam Trachman
Dr. Sadie E. Trachman

RAPID HEBREW

Instructor: Mrs. Charles Cohen
Wednesday 8:00 — 9:00 P.M.

Mrs. Eugene Alpert
Mrs. Mortimer Blumenthal
Mrs. Sam Garfinkel
Mrs. David Gordon
Mrs. Albert L. Jacobs
Mrs. Betty Kaminer
Mrs. William Lebowitz
William Lebowitz
Mrs. Ira Nadler
Mrs. Samuel Ratner
Mrs. Arthur Rosen
Frank Roth

GERSHMAN AND SAGE HONORED

We are proud to announce that two esteemed members of our congregation were recently honored by organizations in the Greater New York Jewish community.

Joseph S. Gershman, an associate trustee of the congregation, was the guest of honor at the Annual Dinner of the Yeshiva Torah Vodaath. Over one thousand people were present at this affair to honor Mr. Gershman.

Dr. Maurice Sage was the guest of honor at a special dinner held in behalf of the Israel Bond Organization. As a result of Dr. Sage's efforts, a substantial sum was raised in bonds for the State of Israel.

We congratulate Mr. Gershman, Dr. Sage, and their families on these signal honors and wish them many more years of active service in the community at large.

Mrs. Isadore Schlang
Mrs. Samuel Shapiro
Norman A. Shutman
Mrs. Bertha Witkin
Miss Lillian Zucker

BASIC HEBREW II

Instructor: Mr. Joseph Fuchs
Wednesday 8:00 — 9:00 P.M.

Otto J. Helprin
Mrs. Fred Kahn
Abraham R. Kirshon
Max E. Levine
Mrs. Max Novad
Mrs. Eric Oppenheimer
Jonathan Pincus
Mrs. Bernard Podell

INTERMEDIATE HEBREW I

Instructor: Mrs. A. Rothkowitz
Wednesday 8:00 — 9:00 P.M.

Mrs. Leo Breindel
Mrs. Elsie Dratler
Herbert Goldstein
William Heyman
Mrs. Sylvia Schorr
Jacob P. Shulman
Mrs. Evelyn Zar

COLLEGIATE CLASS

Instructor: Rabbi Haskel Lookstein
Thursday 7:00 — 9:30 P.M.

Bernard Kabak
Albert Kleinhaus
Charles Kleinhaus
Edward Lukashok
Michael Mukasey
Melvin Newman
Stanley Sperber

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Elgin Shulsky	Pres., Men's Club
Mrs. Meyer Texon	Pres., Sisterhood

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES**FRIDAY**

Lighting of Candles 4:50
Evening 5:00

SATURDAY — Shabbat Rosh Chodesh

Morning 9:00
Junior Congregation 10:15
Weekly Portion: Vaera, Exodus
6.2 — 9.35, Numbers 28.9-15
Haftarah: Isaiah 66.1-24
Evening 5:00
Conclusion of Sabbath 5:40

SUNDAY

Morning 8:30
Father-and-Son Minyan 9:30

DAILY SERVICES

Morning 7:30
Evening 5:00

KIDDUSH HOST

Our sincerest thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Schlang for sponsoring the kiddush during this past Sabbath.

The kiddush, this Sabbath, will be sponsored by Mr. and Mrs. A. Milton Brown, on the occasion of the recovery of their son Benjy, from an accident he suffered some time ago.

K. J. JUNIORS

Twenty seven children, ages nine through twelve, were present at last week's meeting of the K. J. Juniors. All enjoyed the stories, songs, and games which were designed to promote the Sabbath joy.

There are many special plans for this group during the coming weeks. A special Sunday afternoon treat will be announced shortly. All children in this age group will certainly want to be part of the club.

One small request; please do not send children under the age of nine to the meetings. It is most important to try to maintain homogeneity in this age group. Please cooperate with this request.

The next meeting of the group will be held this Saturday afternoon at 3:30.

YAHREZITS**January**

30 — HANNAH FOLKMAN
30 — ROBERT H. ZEISSMAN
30 — HENRIETTA HIRSCH
30 — FREDERIK SAX
31 — JENNIE SIEGEL
31 — MORRIS H. GELFAND

February

1 — EVA HOFSTADTER
1 — BERTHA GORDON
1 — HEYMAN COHEN
1 — SARAH ROSENBERG
1 — ROSE HORWITZ
2 — YETTA ARBEIT
2 — HARRY B. KOCH
3 — JOSEPH FEINBERG
3 — IDA E. BECKER
3 — KRAINA BROZ
3 — CHAYA ZLOTE AMITAY
3 — REGINA MARGARETEN
5 — BESSIE WALLACH
5 — EDWARD UNTERMAN
5 — FLOYD KATSKE
5 — SAMUEL KLEPPNER

K. J. CALENDAR**SATURDAY — 3:30 P.M.**

K. J. Juniors

4:10 P.M.

Sabbath Afternoon Class
Commandments of Judaism

7:45 P.M.

Teen Age Skating Party
(to assemble at synagogue)

TUESDAY — 7:00 P.M.

Cub Scout Meeting
Gymnasium

WEDNESDAY — 8:00 P.M.

Talmud Class
Rapid Hebrew Class
Basic Hebrew II
Intermediate Hebrew I

THURSDAY — 8:30 P.M.

Meeting of
Board of Trustees

SUNDAY — FEBRUARY 7th

Young Adults League
Cocktail Party

SUNDAY — FEBRUARY 14th — 9:30 A.M.

Men's Club Meeting

WEDNESDAY — MARCH 30th

Sisterhood Donor Luncheon
Savoy Plaza

THE JEWRY BOX**LAST WEEK**

LEON GRONOWITZ
HARRY HEYMAN
SAMUEL ROSEN

THIS WEEK

EUGENE ALPERT
MILTON HERMAN
GEORGE JACOBS

Thank you for your cooperation in helping to maintain the Daily Minyan.

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