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Spades Win 29-27 In First Game Of Court Tourney

Interclub Tilt Is Hotly Fought

Holding a lead won early in the game the Club Spades basketball team defeated the court aggregation of the Spartans to the score of 29-27 last Saturday night in the first round of the annual interclub round-robin basketball tournament.

Spartans Spurt

In the last half of the game a fighting Spartan team scored consistently in an effort to overtake the Spades lead, but the closing whistle found the Spades two points in the lead.

Jacobs, Rosenberg Referee

"Jack" Jacobs and Marvin Rosenberg acted as referees and Bill Celiberti scored and timed the game.

Rosenberg, Roffer, Grauser, Mesler, Pillot, Rurode, Leshay, Kashdan, and Geller played for the Spartans, while Spades courtmen included Goldberg, Wiener, Greenberg, Fisher, Jaffee, Winkler, and Mannes.

Part Of Variety Night

The game was part of the first I.S. Variety night, and an enthusiastic audience witnessed the game and danced between the halves. After the game a broom dance and tap dance livened up the proceedings.

To Participate In Annual City-Wide Health Observance

Plans are being made, it was recently announced by "Jack" Jacobs, Director of Physical Activity at the I.S., for an intensive participation in a community-wide health week. Health talks and health demonstrations are among the features outlined.

Tentative Plans Made For Music Classes

Tentative plans are being made to organize classes in the study of music, which will be held free of charge at the I.S., it was recently disclosed by Rabbi Philip Goodman, Executive Director.

If interest is evidenced in the plan, classes in violin, piano, and voice will be organized. Interested members are asked to submit their applications for such work in writing to the office.

Board Of Directors To Meet January 4th

The Board of Directors of the Institutional Synagogue will meet at the Institutional Synagogue Building, 37-43 West 116th Street, on Thursday evening, January 4th, at 8:15 p.m.

All directors are urged to be present and prompt since important matters are on the agenda.

Large Group Attends Annual Theatrical Sponsored By P.A.

"Three Daughters" Seen On December 27

A large and enthusiastic audience witnessed the Yiddish production "Three Daughters" at the Second Avenue Theatre last Wednesday night when the Parent's Association of the Institutional Synagogue sponsored its annual theatre party.

To Meet January Second

The association will hold its next regular meeting on January 2nd at which time further plans for group activity will be discussed.

Extension Makes Plans For Chamisho Oser B'Shevat

The Camp Ta-a-noog extension will celebrate Chamisho Oser B'Shevat on January 28th, when a program will be presented by the four extension groups, and members, friends, and parents will attend to see the work that the boys and girls have been doing.

Four plays, dealing with themes characteristic of the Chamisho Oser B'Shevat season will be presented, and a Maccabiad is planned to be held in the gymnasium.

First Variety Night Gameroom Tourney Finds Matza Winner

In a hard-fought contest in which sixteen young people vied for supremacy in ping-pong, Abe Matza emerged as champion, as the first of a series of Variety Night Gameroom Tournaments took place last Saturday night. Stella Matza took second place, and N. Tucker took third. The tournament was refereed by Mr. Bernie Feinberg.

Preparations Forge Ahead For Gala Lincoln Celebration

Portchester Debate To Be Concerned With Refugee Topic

To Take Place On January 3rd

An undefeated I.S. debating team will take the negative stand on the question "Resolved that Refugees Are Creating An Economic Problem in the United States" when the subject is debated at the Jewish Community Center of Portchester, N. Y. on January 3rd.

Team Has Never Lost

The I.S. team in this traditional debate with Portchester will be Julian Hoffman and Bernard Goldberg. The two debaters have a hard standard to maintain since the I.S. debating team has never been defeated in an outside debate. The Portchester match is one of many years standing, and the outcome is looked forward to with great interest.

Boy Scout Troop 555 To Meet Tuesdays For Crafts Period

Scouts of the I.S. Troop 555 will meet on Tuesday evenings to resume their arts and crafts activities, it was recently announced. The Scouts have shown a special interest in model airplane designing.

"Institutional" Is Read In Panama Canal Zone

The following letter has been received from the Army and Navy Department of the Jewish Welfare Board in the Panama Canal Zone:—

Gentlemen:

This is to acknowledge receipt of your weekly Bulletins published by your Center, for which we are very grateful. Since we have Jewish men in the Service from all parts of the United States here, such reading material is of much interest to them.

... Appreciating your continued cooperation, we are,

Yours very truly,

JEWISH WELFARE BOARD
Rabbi Nathan Witkin,
Field Representative

Max Stavish Heads Committee

With the date of the Lincoln's Day Celebration drawing nearer, plans are taking concrete shape, as dramatic groups, choral bodies, and other participants make ready for the gala program that is to mark the Great Emancipator's birthday.

Max Stavish Is Chairman

Chairman of the Program Committee for the celebration is Max Stavish, for many years a member of the I.S. Board of Directors.

Tickets Are On Sale

Tickets for the celebration, selling at \$.25, are now available and may be obtained at the office.

Pageant In Preparation

One of the main features of the evening's program is to be the presentation of a pageant depicting the role of the Jew during the Civil War period, and stressing Lincoln's contacts with outstanding Jewish Americans of his day.

Costumes And Properties Needed

Costumes and props for this pageant are needed at this time, and members or friends who are in a position to help in this matter are asked to communicate with the office.

Three Classes Meet As Refugee Service

Three classes in Americanization and English for foreigners are now meeting regularly in the I.S. building.

The session for beginners meets on Mondays and Thursdays from eight to ten in the evening. Intermediate students meet on Mondays and Wednesdays from 7:30 to 9:30 in the evening, while advanced pupils meet afternoons from four to six on Mondays and Wednesdays. Application for admission to these classes is taken at the main floor desk.

Forty I. S. Children To Receive Shoes Free Through Relief Fund

Forty I.S. children will meet and proceed to the shoe department of R. H. Macy & Co. on January 4th to be fitted for shoes which are being distributed gratis through the offices of the Children's Relief Fund.

I.S. Cue



Sidney Budnick
... popular young
furniture man
(this is unsolici-
ted) ... has chan-
ged his domicile
... and now re-
sides in the Pel-

ham Bay section of the Bronx ...

Bernard Feinberg ... noted for the
shades of his hats ... has become a radio
bug in a big way ... and secret opera-
tor ninety-nine reports ... that those
packages he so fondly carries are only
parts for that new super receiver he is
building ...

Tuning in on a different wave-length
... we learn that s. l. has met a
petite dark-eyed young lady ... who
likes a man to be tall, blond and have
something tender about him ... yeh
... some legal tender ...

Has Bill Brooks a new feminine in-
centive ... and is this why he is giv-
ing vent to those lovely lyrics and songs.

That charming young lady with the
indescribable personality ... is none
other than Miss Yvette Kohn ... who is
in charge of gymnasium and swimming
activity for girls of the Camp Ta-a-noog
Extension Program ...

We wonder why last year's basketball
champs ... the Spades ... dislike Perth
Amboy ...

Extend congratulations to Bernice
N. ... upon her recent birthday ...
which for some reason she wants kept
quiet ...

Those flashes which proved so startling
at the recent Chanukah Festival ... were
caused by amateur photographer Jack
Lobel shooting a few scenes of the stage
presentation of "Ost-Yude" ... (aside
to glam-aah girl ... stop intriguing ...
don't be bashful ... ask ... the answer
will prove amazing ... if given ...)
and ...

Thus until next week ... we remain
... your weakly correspondent ...
I. S. Q. ...

Book Reviews

TOMMY GALLAGHER'S CRUS-
ADE. By James T. Farrell. Vanguard
Press, New York. 91 pages. \$1.00.

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Did you ever stop to wonder who the
young men were that stood on Forty-
second Street and sold "Social Justice"?
Did you think they were "hired for the
day" or really sincere "idealists" shouting
slogans against the Jews?

Farrell presents a picture of Tommy
Gallagher who is engaged in a crusade
to take vengeance on the Jews. The young
Tommy sells anti-semitic literature
(Christian Justice), pickets a radio sta-
tion that has barred Father Moylan,
and attends party meetings.

The workings of the mind of Tommy
Gallagher are revealed in all its brutality,
dishonesty, and pathos. The intellectual
poverty and spiritual nakedness of Gal-
lagher are exposed.

This short volume is well worth read-
ing for an understanding of a most vex-
ing problem.

A Tribute To Judge Irving Lehman

(Editor's note:—Judge Irving Lehman
will assume the office of Chief Justice
of the Court of Appeals of New York
State as of January 1st, 1940. At this
time we feel it fitting to print the fol-
lowing tribute, delivered by Judge Isaac
Siegel eight years ago.)

Remarks by Judge Isaac Siegel, at
the dinner tendered to Judge Irving
Lehman, by the Metropolitan League
of Jewish Community Associations, on
Sunday evening, December 20th, 1931,
at the Commodore Hotel.

The Metropolitan League of Jewish
Community Associations embraces thirty-
three organizations, who are the beacon
lights in their particular localities in our
City and in Westchester County.

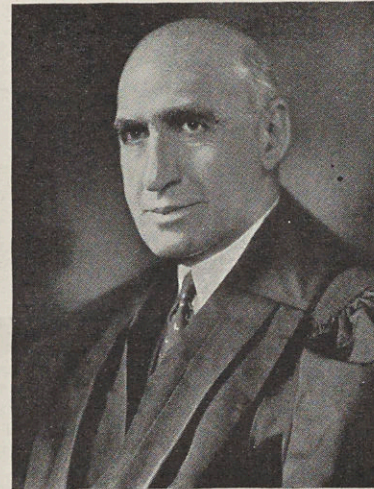
More than 80,000 young men and wo-
men are making use of the facilities of
these organizations practically every day
of the year.

The lay and spiritual leaders in all
these institutions, are stressing, at every
opportunity, the need of spiritual guidance
in order to achieve success, whether it
be in business or profession.

Obligation in Citizenship

Emphasis is placed upon the fact that
with the great privilege and benefits of
American citizenship, there comes the
duty to recognize that there is a recip-
rocal obligation, and that is; to do every-
thing possible to advance the public good.

From these young men and women we
shall see, in the future, the leaders in



Judge Irving Lehman

our civic and communal life, who will put
civic righteousness above personal gain.
They are our best promises for the
preservation of all that is noblest in
American life and Judaism.

"A Real Leader"

In every movement there must be lead-
ers. Tonight we have, as our guest of
honor, one who has indeed typified, I am
happy to say, to all of us, what a real
leader of men should be.

Ability to Make Decisions

He has often impressed us by the abil-
ity to make quick decisions. He has al-

ways been fearless and independent. In
his modest way, he has shown us that
he knows how to stand up and fight for
what he believes to be right. He always
speaks plainly. He knows how to co-
operate with others. He has never feared
danger because he has the courage of his
convictions. He knows how to wrestle
with a problem until he finds its solu-
tion. He never acts precipitately but first
knows his facts. He is loyal and devoted
to the highest ideals for which mankind
stands. Not merely on the Bench of the
highest Court of the largest state in the
Union, but in every walk of life, he
loves to do justice. Every act of his
shows that he loves mercy.

A Model For Jewish Youth

His very life of consistent goodness
for the commonweal, has been one of the
greatest factors in our day in encourag-
ing thousands upon thousands of young
men to endeavor to emulate his deeds. In
every way he has shown that he is a true
follower of the maxim, "Fear not man
but only God."

Tribute To Mrs. Lehman

In referring to his record of constant
service to the cause of humanity, we must
halt for a moment and recognize that
he has indeed been blessed with a help-
mate who has most generously sacrificed
herself for the public good, knowing that
we cannot live alone for ourselves.

In recognition of these fine qualities,
we all join tonight in paying this tribute
of love, appreciation and affection to
Irving Lehman, Jurist, Jew and Man.

What's In A Name?

A column devoted to Jewish personalities who have made outstanding
contributions to the American scene. Can you guess who each of the
following is? The answers will appear next week.



1. He was born
in Poland in 1880
and was educated
in a Yeshivah ...
By the age of
twenty he was
writing books in
Yiddish and He-
brew ... He is a member of the Joint
Distribution Committee and many
other Jewish organizations ... and
he has a best-seller on the market to-
day. Who is he?

* * *

2. His name is illustrious in the thea-
trical field ... He brought the original
Russian Ballet to the U. S. ... He also
introduced the Fokine Ballet ... He
even managed the reintroduction of the
great Duse to American audiences ...
and this past year thousands were amused
by his midget show at the N. Y. World's
Fair. What's his name?

* * *

3. He sets the female hearts a-flut-
tering ... and contributes to the Holly-
wood publication of B'nai Brith ...
Right now he's engaged in a series of
detective agency films, paired with Vir-
ginia Bruce ... And his initials usu-
ally indicate a doctor's profession. Do
you know the name??

Answers To Last Week's Queries

1. The N. Y. Post columnist is Frank-
lin Pierce Adams, better known as F.P.A.
2. The producer is Martin Beck, after
which the Broadway theater is named.
3. Ben Bernie is the "old maestro".
4. The well-known movie scriptwriter
is Clara Beranger.

Bible Readings This Week

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