
Rehivath Yeshurun Bulletin

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Juliette Ashner Delights Audience

"Thrilling" is a more appropriate word! For everyone actually felt thrilled after listening to Juliette Ashner at the meeting of the Sisterhood last Monday. Mrs. Ashner gave a very vivid picture of "H. M. PULHAM, ESQ." and "THE SOONG SISTERS", two current best-sellers, leaving nothing more to be desired than an anxiety to read those books as soon as possible. "WATCH ON THE RHINE" was also discussed and everyone was determined to see that very magnificent production. It was a rare treat, indeed, to have been privileged to hear Mrs. Ashner and those who absented themselves from this meeting have justifiable cause for regret.

Mrs. Jacob Rudd, always a charming hostess served a most delicious lunch before starting the meeting. Mrs. S. S. Gordon, as Chairman of the Annual Tea emphasized the importance of co-operation and urged all the Sisterhood members to help her make this affair a success. In answer to her plea, many guests paid for their tickets and others made additional reservations.

Mrs. Lookstein made a stirring appeal in behalf of U.J.A., urging every member to contribute something through the Sisterhood. A very nice response followed.

The next and closing meeting of the season will be held MONDAY, MAY 26th, at the home of Mrs. Harry Fischel, 910 Park Avenue, at 2 o'clock. All members are urged to keep that date open and to arrange to be present.

**DON'T FORGET
SISTERHOOD
ANNUAL SPRING TEA
Bridge :: Mah Jong
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Tuesday, May 27th**

Tickets, including gratuities, are \$2.00 per person. Arrange your own table for Bridge or Mah Jong. Bring your friends. You are assured of a most delightful afternoon. Beautiful door-prizes will be given. Call the office, ATwater 9-5760, or write to Mrs. S. S. Gordon, Chairman, 117 East 85th Street for reservations.

Rabbi Lookstein Out of Town

Last week our Rabbi spent a great deal of his time on trains and planes, having been the guest speaker on behalf of the United Jewish Appeal at Springfield, Ill., and again at Bridgeport, Conn. This week-end, accompanied by Mrs. Lookstein, he will attend the Mizrachi Convention which is being held at Atlantic City and will return to this city on Monday.

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Schedule of Services

FRIDAY	
Mincha Services	6:30 P.M.

SATURDAY	
Morning Services	9:00 A.M.

Weekly Portion: Emor

Leviticus 21:1-24:23

Haftorah: Ezekiel 44:15-31

Mincha Services	7:50 P.M.
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A Discourse in Yiddish Will Follow
Mincha

Daily Services

MORNING	7:15 A.M.
SUNDAY MORNING	8:30 A.M.
EVENING	6:30 P.M.

Yahrzeits for the Week

EDWARD BERNARD ✓
ESTHER KINZLER
DINAH WEISS

A Welcome Home

The congregation and all its affiliates extend a hearty welcome to our President, Mr. Max Etra, and his Mother, who have just returned to the city. Mrs. Etra is convalescing at her home and it is our sincere hope that she will soon be completely recovered and can fully enjoy the new happiness which has come to the Etra Family.

Schedule of Events

Saturday, May 17th—Children's Services, C.J.I.—10:30 A.M.

Tuesday, May 20th—Dinner-Meeting, P.T.A., Steinberg's Restaurant—6:30 P.M.

Wednesday, May 21st — Girl Scout Meeting, Social Hall—3:30 P.M.

Thursday, May 22nd—Boy Scout Meeting, C.J.I.—7:30 P.M.

Monday, May 26th—Sisterhood Meeting, Mrs. Harry Fischel—2 P.M.

Tuesday, May 27th — Annual Tea, Bridge, Mah Jong, Hotel Pierre — 1 P.M.

Congratulations

The congregation Men's Club and Sisterhood are indeed happy to have learned of the arrival of a son to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Etra and extend a hearty Mazel Tov to the proud parents, grand-parents, and all members of both families.

Congratulations are also due Miss Sylvia Schlang, daughter of Mr. Isadore Schlang, whose engagement to Mr. David Lipton has just been announced. The congregation offers hearty good wishes to the young couple and to their respective families.

Items to Remember

1. The Dinner-Meeting of the Parent Teacher Association of the Ramaz Academy, which will be held Tuesday, May 20th, at Steinberg's Restaurant, 2270 Broadway, at 6:30. The dinner, including gratuities will be \$1.00. Make your reservations immediately.

2. Registration is in full swing at the Ramaz Academy. Enroll your child now for the next semester. Tell your friends about the school; invite them to visit the classes any week day.

3. The new Memorial Tablet will be unveiled at the Yiskor services this Shevuoth holiday. Order a plaque for your dear ones. Details are available at the synagogue office.

AMERICA, AVOID EUROPE'S MISTAKE

WARNS SIR NORMAN ANGELL

The war's lesson for America is that the great majority must unite against the evil effects of a malevolent minority, said Sir Norman Angell, former M. P. and Nobel Prize winner, Thursday night when he addressed the members and guests of the Men's Club at their first annual banquet, held in the social hall of the synagogue.

This was a unique affair in the annals of the synagogue. It was the first time a congregation men's club had ever held a banquet; and the first time this type of affair was ever given inside the synagogue. The hall was brilliantly lighted and decorated for the occasion and was packed to capacity by the diners, who partook of a meal fit for a state occasion.

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Lost Rights in Few Months

In his remarks, which held the listeners spellbound for an hour, the great English scholar and writer said that the ancient democracies, which in some cases go back a thousand years, have lost in a few months rights and freedoms for which they must have bled and suffered during unnumbered generations, because they failed to see that the choice before them was to

hang together or be hanged separately. The democracies have suffered not because they were pacifist or corrupt but because they would only fight for themselves. Since they would only fight for themselves they were all at Germany's mercy. America should not make that same mistake, he warned.

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Chairman H. I. Bucher Praised

President Ira F. Weisman presided. Rabbi Lookstein spoke briefly and most effectively. "Prof." William F. Sims, comedian, entertained. A vote of appreciation was tendered Hy Bucher and the president for their splendid work in arranging the affair and producing such an impressive attendance.

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Rosenblum Next Speaker

The June meeting of the Club will be addressed by Jacob J. Rosenblum, Chief of the Homicide Bureau of the District Attorney's office; his topic will be, "Behind the Scenes of Famous Criminal Cases." Mr. Rosenblum is a distinguished member of our own Men's Club.

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