

A HAPPY CHANUKAH TO ALL

KEHILATH JESHURUN BULLETIN

117 East 85th Street

New York City

December 4th, 1942

Kislev 25, 5703

ANNOUNCEMENT EXTRAORDINARY

Louis J. Singer, our Chairman of the Theatre Party, has concluded negotiations with the **Theatre Guild** for their new production, "**The Russian People**."

Luther Adler and Leon Ames head a long list of stars with Clifford Odets directing.

The date — TUES. JAN 12th, 1943

The place — "GUILD THEATRE"

This is really the show of the year. Those who haven't already made reservations or received tickets, get in touch with the office at once. We will take care of any request for additional tickets in the order of their receipt. We have only a few tickets left.

Happy Birthday

The first night of Chanukah was the occasion for increased rejoicing in the Lookstein household for on that night both the Rabbi and Mrs. Lookstein celebrated their birthdays. The congregation, Sisterhood and Men's Club extend to them hearty congratulations and best wishes for many years of continued happiness.

Chanukah Candles and the Benevolent Fund

Chanukah candles have been sent to members and seat holders of the congregation. It is the custom of the Synagogue to allocate all monies received in response to these candles to the Benevolent Fund. We solicit your contribution and ask that you respond as generously as possible.

RABBI LOOKSTEIN WILL PREACH THIS SABBATH AT 10:30 A.M.

on

"CANDLE OF REMEMBRANCE OR FLAME OF HOPE"

A Chanukah Sermon

Synagogue Officials

Joseph H. Lookstein Rabbi
Robert R. Fingerioth Cantor
Joseph E. Adler Ritual Director

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Schedule of Services

FRIDAY

Lighting of Candles 5:10 P.M.
Mincha Services 5:15 P.M.

SATURDAY—Shabbos Chanukah

Morning Services 9:00 A.M.

Weekly Portion: VAYESHEB

Genesis 37:1-40:23

Numbers 7:18-23

Haftorah Zekariah 2:14-4:7

Rosh Chodesh prayers will be
recited

Rosh Chodesh Tebeth will be
Wednesday, Dec. 9th

Mincha Services 5:00 P.M.

A Discourse in Yiddish
will follow Mincha

Daily Services

Morning 7:30 A.M.

Sunday Morning 8:30 A.M.

Evening 5:15 P.M.

Yahrzeits for the Week

S. HERBERT GOLDEN

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RACHEL GOLDMAN

AMELIA LEVY

To The Hearts Of My Congregants An Appeal From Rabbi Lookstein

Beloved Congregants:

This Sabbath is nearest to the anniversary of Pearl Harbor. It has been officially declared by President Roosevelt as a day to be appropriately observed. This Sabbath too, ushers in a month that is fraught with the greatest impending catastrophe for our people. Hundreds of thousands have already been slain. Even in death they found no peace, for the tyrant ordered their bodies to be exhumed and profaned.

Millions more are doomed to a similar fate. Our glorious festival of Chanukah is converted into a period of mourning and grief. The blood of our brethren is calling to us.

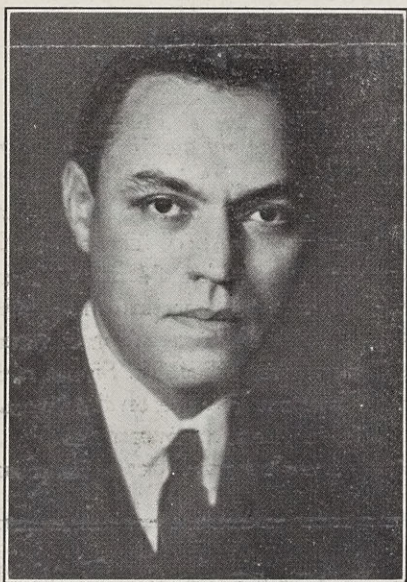
How shall we respond? We have recourse to only one thing, and that is to prayer and supplication. We must rend the heavens with our prayers. We must plead for mercy—mercy for the living and for the dead. To do otherwise is to be indifferent to the blood of martyrs and heroes shed in our behalf.

I beg of you to come to synagogue this Sabbath. Your Jewish heart and your American pride should compel you to meet with your fellow Jews and fellow Americans this Sabbath. Let us recite the Rosh Chodesh prayers together. They should have more meaning for us today than ever before.

This appeal is not from me to you, but from my heart to your heart. I am confident that you will not let it go unheeded.

RABBI JOSEPH H. LOOKSTEIN

THE MEN'S CLUB
in conjunction with
THE SISTERHOOD
cordially invites you and your friends, both men and women
to attend its **CHANUKAH** meeting and forum
TUESDAY DECEMBER 8th at 8:30 P.M.
in the Social Hall to hear
RABBI J. X. COHEN
speak on
"JEWISH LIFE IN SOUTH AMERICA"



Trustees To Meet Dec. 7th

A regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Synagogue will be held in the library Monday evening, Dec. 7th at 8:30.

It is hoped that every Trustee will let nothing interfere with his attendance that night.

Welcome to Our Synagogue

The congregation extends a warm welcome to Mr. Herman Elkon and Mr. Max Scheidt, both of whom have recently joined the Kehilath Jeshurun family. We sincerely hope they will find comfort and joy in their association with us.

Wherever economic discrimination against the Jew manifests itself, there you will find Rabbi J. X. Cohen combating the evil, and with phenomenal success. Come and hear a thought-provoking illustrated lecture on a subject of deep concern to us all. Cantor Fingerth will kindle the Chanukah lights. And, don't forget the Chanukah goodies with the Sisterhood acting as hostesses.

Men's Club Murmurings

Twice within the month Isidore Schlang became a Grandfather. That should be a record of some kind. Good luck to you and all the celebrants. . . We don't want to be pestiferous, but boys, the ADS please!!! WE know you will see this thing through to a successful conclusion, but remember Ira Weisman's blood pressure. Send in those ADS at once.

Young Folks Auxiliary News

Rita Singer, Chairman

The next meeting of the Auxiliary will be held at Nathalie Lookstein's home, December 5th, at 8 P.M. Our future social plans and functions are in the making and will be voted upon.

Those of you who attended the last meeting and partook of the food and refreshments (oh, what appetites!) I know will attend. We still would like new faces.

See you in the next issue.

SISTERHOOD CHATTER

It certainly looks like a busy social season for Sisterhood. So ladies mark your Diaries:

Dec. 8th: Joint Chanukah Meeting with the Men's Club, at 8:30 P.M., in the Social Hall. Under our able Committee of Mesdames Adler, Alpert, Margareten and Sacks, Sisterhood will act as hostesses. Chanukah Latkes and goodies have been promised (no rationing there). So come and enjoy the party.

Dec. 9th: Mrs. Samuel Rosen, whose graciousness as a hostess is so well known to us is giving a TEA for K. J. Sisterhood at her home, 1185 Park Avenue, at 2:30, for the benefit of Federation. Eleanor Rosen is very modest about her countless philanthropies but here is a charity in which every Jewish woman should join and feel it a willing duty to contribute to. The TEA is gratis but contributions of \$1.00 and up will be expected. Sisterhood members are ex-

pected to answer this worthy cause in their usual generous way. Be glad you are able to be a contributor!

Dec. 14th: is Jewish Day at the sale for the Blind, 608 Fifth Ave. Give thanks for your sight by buying something that day.

Jan. 7th: Dr. Ann Casper will commence a course in Advanced First Aid. The class will meet in the Library, from 10:30 to 12:30 on Thursday mornings.

Jan. 12th Kehilath Jeshurun Theatre Party. Reserve Your Tickets.

We missed our President, Rose Rudd, at the lovely meeting last Monday. We hope she is fully recuperated now. . . Our Happy Day Fund was the recipient of some grand donations: from Mrs. Bernard Fischman in honor of her daughter (she wants her to be a member in good standing); Mrs. Elliott W. Siegel and Mrs. Abraham Wiener on the joyous occasion of their anniversaries.

May there be many more Simchas.

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