

KEHILATH JESHURUN BULLETIN

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ANNUAL PURIM PARTY

The friendliest synagogue gathering of the year is the Annual Purim Party. It is sponsored by the Men's Club and Sisterhood and will be held in the Social Hall, on Sunday evening at 6 P.M., March 12. It is a time when we meet in happy remembrance of an historic Jewish triumph and gather with our loved ones to celebrate. There will be a buffet supper and an exceptional array of stage and radio talent. Each year sees the Social Hall crowded to capacity and as we are limited in that respect, reservations should be made immediately. The admission charge is \$2.50 per person. All proceeds go to charity.

COOPER BAR MITZVAH

Lawrence Elihu Cooper, son of Mr. and Mrs. Max Cooper will become bar mitzvah in our synagogue this Sabbath. The bar mitzvah is a nephew of our associate trustee, Mr. Maxwell Shapiro.

ANNIVERSARIANS

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Cohen who observed their wedding anniversary last week. We wish them many more amidst health and and happiness.

LISA SERGIO TO ADDRESS RAMAZ PARENTS

The well-known radio commentator, Lisa Sergio, will address the Ramaz Parents Council on Tuesday, Feb. 29, at 8:30 P.M. in the Social Hall of the synagogue. Lisa Sergio is one of the best informed women of our generation and her interpretations of world events are deep and comprehensive. Ramaz parents and their friends will be welcome.

ADULT EDUCATION PROGRAM PLANNED

A program of Jewish studies for adults will be inaugurated next season according to a decision of the Board of Trustees. An outline of the program was presented to the Board by Rabbi Lookstein. The Board declared its intention to make the necessary financial appropriations for the program and the Sisterhood and Men's Club of the congregation will take the lead in putting the program into effect.

A SPEEDY RECOVERY

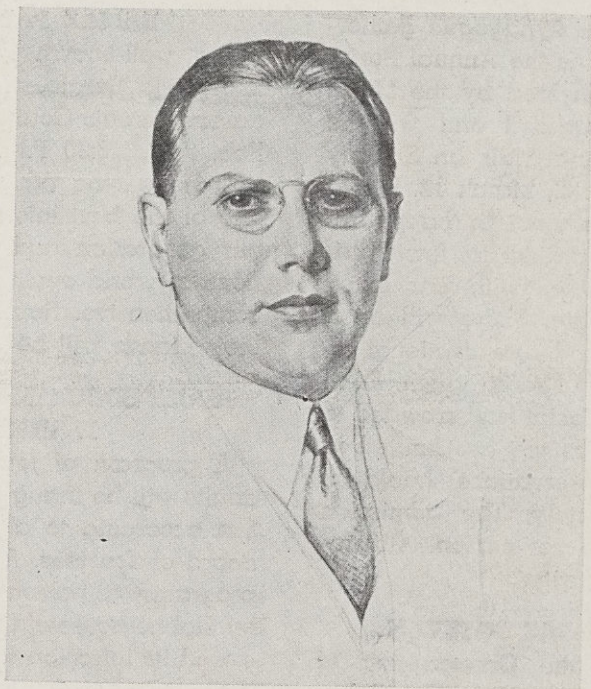
We extend our heartiest wishes to Mr. Samuel Baum who is lying ill at his home. We pray that he may speedily be restored to health and be back in our midst.

RABBI LOOKSTEIN WILL SPEAK THIS SATURDAY MORNING AT 10:30

on
THE FINE ART OF GIVING

The SISTERHOOD cordially invites all men and women of the Congregation to attend its regular monthly meeting, Monday, February 28th, at 8:15 P.M., in the Social Hall

to hear



HON. DEAN ALFANGE

Speak on

"HOW TO COMBAT RACE PREJUDICE"

Hon. Dean Alfange is a prominent member of the New York Bar and Bar of the Supreme Court of the United States. He is the former candidate for the Governor of the State of New York. In recent years he has been in the forefront of the battle for better race relations. His fight against anti-Semitism has won the admiration of Jews and Christians alike. Mr. Alfange is a real champion of Democracy, a great humanitarian and a great liberal spirit.

MEN'S CLUB NEWS

OUR FEBRUARY METTING

A last minute substitution, due to illness, proved no handicap to our Feb. Forum meeting. We found an unexpected surprise in Philip Cummings, author, traveler, student and lecturer. His subject was "The Unfinished Business of the Mediterranean," and for one solid hour he analyzed and explained the reason for many of the political moves and economic conditions, in war as well as in peace, of practically all the nations touching this inland sea. More than fifteen years of his life were spent in this area of the globe. He proved an ardent friend of Palestine and Zionism and knows the problem intimately, having traveled through that unhappy land many times and for long visits. We certainly have a better grasp of some of the problems of that turbulent part of the world because of his intelligent and informative talk.

Our Rabbi spoke of the audience he and his group had in Washington with Secretary Hull, on the abrogation of the White Paper and the establishment of a Palestine Commonwealth. We are sorry to report he gave us no great hope in either direction. However, we can all do one thing and that is write to our Congressman and Senators.

After the meeting we all gathered around the festive board to enjoy Sam Bucher's fetching frankfurters. Needless to say we once again had a capacity audience.

On March 21, our next meeting date, Leo Lania; the only Jew ever to receive an invitation from Hitler, will be the principal speaker. His subject will be "The European Underground."

BENEVOLENT FUND

To Leigh Robbins we give thanks for his generous donation to our Men's Club Benevolent Fund. This is not the first time this gentleman has contributed. He has recognized, as have so many others, the splendid and realistic work the Fund is doing. Individually, we can do relatively little while as a group there are no limits to our capacity to aid the weary, the sick and the needy.

THE MESSAGE OF A PURIM BOX

Quite a few donations have come in for Purim Boxes. We learn through welfare work such as this how many friends we have and how generous is the Jewish heart. These boxes contain needed articles which are not distributed by the armed forces. The cost per unit (\$1.00) is small, but how large the Purim Box looms when it is given to a Jewish boy in a camp far, far from home. It serves as a reminder to him that we have not forgotten nor will we slacken in our efforts to provide for his well being.

THE MAGIC OF RUMMAGE

We make our rummage do the work of Alladin's Lamp, for we turn every piece of material into "benevolent gold."

Chairman L. Brody and Co-chairman I.B. Jacobs report a fairly steady flow of packages but not yet in sufficient numbers if we are to make the effort worthwhile. The Annual Rummage Sale held in cooperation with the Sisterhood, starts the week of March 27 and everyone of us has time to gather rummage. If you can't send it, phone the synagogue, AT. 9-5760 or AT. 9-0820 and we will be pleased to call, but please give us a few days time.

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SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

FRIDAY

Lighting of Candles 6:20 P.M.
Mincha Services 6:20 P.M.

SATURDAY

Morning 9:00 A.M.
Weekly Portion: Terumah
Exodus 25:1-27:19
Hatforah: I Kings 5:26-6:13
Mincha Services 6:10 P.M.
Discourse in English will follow
Mincha Services

Daily Services

Morning 7:30 A.M.
Sunday morning 8:30 A.M.
Evening 6:30 P.M.

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