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### RESERVATIONS FOR OUR CHANUKAH PARTY

Invitations to our annual Chanukah Party which will be held Sunday night, December 22nd have already been sent to the members of the Congregation, Sisterhood and the Men's Club, and reservations are coming in daily.

This year the Chanukah celebration will be a real congregational family party in the fullest sense. The arrangement committee headed by Mr. Louis Singer reports that in addition to the delicious buffet supper that will be served, there will be an excellent program of music, entertainment and movies.

Because of our limited facilities, we ask you to send in your reservations at once. The charge per cover is \$2.50.

### THE RUDD BAR MITZVAH

The congregation and its affiliates extend heartiest congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Rudd on the Bar Mitzvah of their son, Eric (Ricky) which will be celebrated in our synagogue this Saturday.

The Rudds have been among the most active members of the congregation throughout their affiliation with us. Mr. Rudd is a member of the Board of Trustees and Mrs. Rudd is a former president and leading spirit of the

### THIS SATURDAY'S SERMON

The Zionist Congress opens in Basle this week. This will be the first Congress since 1939. The problems that will come before the delegates this year may determine the fate and future of our people at least for the lifetime of many of us. The terror in Palestine is growing. The desperation of close to 200,000 Jews in the Displaced 'Persons' Camps of Europe is acute. Shall and will a partitioned Jewish state be set up in Palestine? —is the question that is agitating the minds of all thinking Jews. All of these matters will be brought before the Zionist Congress.

Rabbi Lookstein, who was elected as a delegate but relinquished his place to an alternate because of his occupation with the Diamond Jubilee Year, has been and is very close to all of the problems enumerated above. He has chosen as his topic for this Saturday's sermon, "From Basle to Basle—Fifty Years of Zionist History." The subject should interest all of us and the Rabbi's discussion of it is bound to be informative, enlightening and inspiring. Be sure to be in the synagogue this Saturday in order not to miss this all-important sermon.

Sisterhood. Our blessings and good wishes to them and to the entire family.

**RABBI LOOKSTEIN WILL SPEAK THIS SABBATH at 10:45 A. M.**

on

**"FROM BASLE TO BASLE — FIFTY YEARS OF ZIONIST HISTORY"**



## THE DIAMOND JUBILEE DONOR LUNCHEON of the

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MRS. JACOB H. ALPERT  
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Mrs. Samuel A. Marcus, 1185 Park Avenue, New York, N. Y.

#### SISTERHOOD OPEN MEETING

**MONDAY, DECEMBER 9TH**

#### Rabbi Lookstein To Review "East River"

As previously announced, the next meeting of the Sisterhood will take place Monday, December 9th at 1:00 P.M. at the home of Mrs. Edward Bernard and Mrs. Max Singer, 1070 Park Avenue. At this meeting final arrangements will be made for the Jubilee Donor Luncheon on December 16th at the Waldorf. It is, therefore, of utmost importance that each member attend and bring with her all luncheon reservations.

Rabbi Lookstein as guest speaker will discuss Scholem Asch's latest best seller, "East River." This is a real treat you should not miss. Please come early. A dessert luncheon will be served promptly at 1:00 o'clock.

#### Happy Day Fund

Last week, generous contributions to the Happy Day Fund were received from Mrs. Alfred Kahn, Mrs. Joseph H. Lookstein and from Mrs. Louis W. Yohann in honor of her granddaughter Patricia. Our hearty thanks to them for a noble deed.

#### ADS FOR OUR YEARBOOK

The work on our Jubilee Yearbook is now in full swing. We are pleased to report that the number of ad getters is increasing daily and that a substantial number of ads and greetings has already been received. The Yearbook Committee headed by Messrs. Marcus, Lustbader, and Siegel, is confident that before long every member of the congregation, the Sisterhood, and the Men's Club will become an active ad getter.

The quota this year is \$25,000. With a little effort on the part of every one of our members, this can be easily achieved. We count on your help. Our office will, of course, be glad to assist you in every way. Do not hesitate to call on us. All our efforts at the present time are directed toward making this Jubilee Yearbook an outstanding success, and with your help it will be a success.

#### Father and Son Minyan and Breakfast

Sponsored by the Men's Club  
Sunday Mornings

Services begin at 9:15  
Breakfast is served at 10:00

**Come and Bring Your Son**



## MEN'S CLUB NEWS

### Executive Meeting December 10th

The regular monthly meeting of the Men's Club Executive Committee will be held next Tuesday evening, December 10th at 8:30 in the Synagogue House. Among the activities to be discussed at this meeting will be the Chanukah Party, the Father and Son Minyan and Breakfast, and the Annual Smoker. Every member of the Board is urged to be present.

### Welcome New Members

We welcome into the fellowship of our group Dr. Myron Bogdonoff and Mr. Aaron H. Onish, and extend to them our best wishes.

## WITHIN OUR FAMILY

Heartly anniversary greetings to Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Lewis, Jr. . . . Good wishes to Mrs. Frederick Margareten and Mrs. Ray Berwick who are observing their birthdays this week. . . . We are very happy to welcome back into our midst Mr. Julius Cohen who returned from Europe and Mr. Isidore Schlang who returned from California.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. George Haims on the Bar Mitzvah of their son, Jerome, who is a pupil of our Religious School.

## RELIGIOUS SCHOOL

### PARENTS COUNCIL MEETS

#### Dr. Moshe Hoffman, Guest Speaker

A meeting of the Religious School Parents Council will take place next Monday evening December 9th, at 8:30 in the auditorium of the Synagogue House. The guest speaker will be Dr. Moshe Hoffman, Psychologist and Assistant Principal of the Bialik School in Tel Aviv, Palestine, who is now visiting the United States. He will discuss the education of the new generation in Palestine as well as some of the newer approaches in child training. His talk promises to be very interesting and illuminating.

The teachers will, of course, be there and parents will have an opportunity to confer with them before and after the meeting.

## IMPRESSIVE THANKSGIVING SERVICE

"Most inspiring and enlightening"—these are the two adjectives that can best describe the Thanksgiving Service held in our synagogue, Thursday morning, November 28th. A very large congregation of men and women, many of whom came from all parts of the city filled the main synagogue and eagerly participated in the holiday services that were conducted by Rabbi Lookstein. The musical part of the service was rendered by Cantor Hyman Gertler and choir.

The guest speaker was the outstanding scholar and humanitarian, James McDonald, who delivered an eloquent address on the subject, "Palestine, A World Problem."

Mr. McDonald who was High Commissioner for Refugees during the war and a member of the recent Anglo-American Committee of Inquiry on Palestine, shared with the audience his experiences and observations in Europe and in Palestine. He vividly depicted the tragic plight of the Jewish survivors in war-torn countries, and spoke with enthusiasm and admiration of the stupendous achievements of the Yishuv in Palestine. He spared no words in condemning the British policy towards Palestine—a policy that is based on "high promises and merely empty fulfillments."

The beautiful Thanksgiving Service and the stirring address by Mr. McDonald left a lasting impression on all.

## THANKS TO THE ROSENS

Our esteemed members, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Rosen have donated to the congregation an R.C.A. 16 m.m. projector, sound equipment and screen in honor of the Bar Mitzvah of their son, Charles, which was recently celebrated in our synagogue.

We are very grateful to them for this splendid gift and assure them that the equipment will be used in accordance with their wishes to enhance the educational and recreational activities of the congregation.



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### SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

#### FRIDAY

Lighting of Candles..... 4:10  
Mincha ..... 4:15

#### SATURDAY

Morning ..... 9:00  
Children's Services ..... 10:00  
Weekly Portion: Vayishlach,  
Genesis 32:4-36:43  
Haftorah: Obadiah 1:1-16  
Mincha ..... 4:15  
Conclusion of Sabbath.... 5:05

#### DAILY SERVICES

Morning ..... 7:30  
Sunday Morning ..... 8:30  
Evening ..... 4:15

### Yahrzeits

#### December

9—CELIA PERLOW  
10—SAMUEL KURKE  
11—M. JESSE HENRY  
12—HANNAH BERNHARDT  
12—ALEXANDER LANDAU  
13—BELLE WEISMAN

### USEFUL INSTITUTION FOUNDED

We are very happy to learn of the founding of the Montrose Home on Kings Ferry Road, Montrose, N. Y. The institution will accommodate elderly people and chronic neurological cases as well as those who are in need of rest and relaxation. What is of special interest is that it will operate as a kosher institution. We congratulate Dr. Edgar Trautman who will be the attending neurologist of the home and who is its founder. As a devoted worshiper and friend of the congregation, we wish him and Mrs. Trautman success in the operation of the institution.

### KAY JAYS DANCE DECEMBER 14TH

The Kay Jay Youth League, an organization of young men and women (ages 18-25) has planned a very interesting and enjoyable program of activities for the current year.

Its first social function will be a basketball game followed by a dance to be held on Saturday night, December 14th in the gymnasium of the Synagogue House.

In order to cooperate with the congregation in its present S.O.S. drive for overseas relief, the club decided to make the price of admission a can of food or an article of clothing. The Kay Jays invite all young people of the congregation to attend this function. Here is a wonderful opportunity to spend a most delightful evening as well as to contribute to a life-saving cause.

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