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### WELCOME HOME RABBI AND MRS. LOOKSTEIN

The congregation and its affiliates are happy to welcome back Rabbi and Mrs. Lookstein upon their return from a mission to Mexico in behalf of the Joint Distribution Committee.

On this trip, the Rabbi visited the principal Jewish communities in that country and was everywhere accorded an enthusiastic reception. He spent ten days in the Capital, Mexico City, which has a population of 15,000 Jews. While there, he helped to launch a campaign for one million pesos (\$250,000) for the J.D.C. His daily round of activities included interviews, press conferences and mass meetings—"seven speeches in four days." He also visited all the Jewish schools in that city and met with the professional and lay-leaders of the community.

Rabbi Lookstein is well known to the Jews of Latin America. Last year, he spent two months in South America and was warmly greeted by the Jews there. He is familiar with their communal life, their religious and cultural institutions, and has a profound understanding of their economic and social problems. The Joint Distribution Committee has recognized this and has, therefore, appointed him chairman of its Latin American Committee.

Our congregation is honored that its Rabbi has been chosen for these worthy missions which bring aid to our suffering brethren in Europe. We eagerly look forward to greeting the Rabbi in our synagogue this Saturday. We know that he will share with us the impressions and the experiences he gained on this trip.

### Enroll Now in Our

### INSTITUTE FOR JEWISH STUDIES

#### New Term Begins February 17

The Kehilath Jeshurun Institute for Jewish Studies which offers a series of evening courses for adults, will begin a new term on Monday, February 17th. Those who were unable to attend during the winter term may enroll now for the new semester.

There are at present six study groups in the Institute. These include: Hebrew for beginners, Intermediate Hebrew, Advanced Hebrew, Advanced Bible, The Prayer Book and Elementary Yiddish. New study groups will be formed in any Jewish subject upon the request of a sufficient number of students.

### RABBI LOOKSTEIN

will preach this Sabbath  
at 10:45 a. m.

on

"Israel's Supreme  
Contribution to Mankind"



## SISTERHOOD NEWS

### February Meeting at Home of Mrs. Samuel A. Marcus

All members of the Sisterhood and their friends are invited to attend an open meeting on Monday afternoon, February 17 at one o'clock at the home of Mrs. Samuel A. Marcus, 1185 Park Avenue, New York.

As previously announced the guest speaker at this meeting will be Mrs. Benjamin Gottesman who was a delegate at the recent Zionist Congress in Basle, Switzerland. Her talk promises to be informative as well as stimulating.

The business part of the meeting will be devoted to reports and to a discussion of the activities planned by our organization for the coming Spring months.

### SOS Reminder

If you have not as yet started on your knitting project for the SOS, we urge you to do so without further delay. Our workshop in Room 104 is open Wednesday and Thursday afternoons from one to four and our chairmen, Mrs. Tena Singer and Mrs. Edgar Trautman will be glad to provide you with the wool and the necessary instructions.

### Happy Day Fund

We gratefully acknowledge the contribution of Dr. Oscar Gruen to our Happy Day Fund. All donations to this Fund should be sent to Mrs. Elliott W. Siegel, 650 West End Avenue, New York.

### "GAN HAYELED" OPENS THIS SUNDAY

The new Gan Hayered—kindergarten class for boys and girls of ages four-and-a-half to six—will meet for the first time this Sunday morning, February 9th at 10 o'clock. Throughout the term this class will meet regularly once a week on Sunday mornings and will be under the direction of Miss Rita Horowitz, a qualified kindergarten teacher. Parents who have not as yet enrolled their youngsters may do so on Sunday morning.

## BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETS ON THURSDAY

A meeting of the Board of Trustees of the congregation will take place Thursday evening, February 13th at 8:30 in the lounge of the Synagogue House. All members of the board are urged to be present.

## IN OUR RELIGIOUS SCHOOL

Last Sunday morning, the children of our Afternoon Religious School conducted a Tu Bi-Shevat assembly in the auditorium. Several clubs participated in the program. The Dancing Club presented two Palestinian numbers; the Young Judea Club staged a playlet entitled "Davey Makes His Mind Up," and the Dramatics Club presented The Eternal Light Radio Program, "My Cousin Avigdor," dealing with present day life in Palestine. Upon the conclusion of the program, honor cards were awarded to the children who excelled in their Hebrew studies during the past term. . . . .

Tu Bi-Shevat, Jewish Arbor Day, was observed on Wednesday, February 5th with appropriate exercises in all the classrooms. The children sang the songs of Eretz Israel and partook of the Hamisha Asar refreshments served to them. . . . .

This Sunday morning, one of the classes will see the Hebrew play, "Solomon the King and Shalmat the Cobbler," at the Master Institute, 103rd Street and Broadway. This play is being presented by the Pargod Theatre of the Hebrew Arts Committee.

## WITHIN OUR FAMILY

Heartly anniversary greetings to Mr. and Mrs. Jacob H. Alpert, Dr. and Mrs. Maximillian W. Goldstein and Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel B. Jacobs. . . . Mazel tov to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lipschutz on the marriage of their son Arthur L. to Miss Bernice Schufer. . . . Happy Birthday greetings to Messrs. David Kahn and Julius Kohn.



We cordially invite you and your friends to attend the

## FORUM MEETING OF THE MEN'S CLUB

Tuesday, February 18th, 1947 at 8:30 p.m.

*in the*

Auditorium of the Synagogue House

*to hear*

**RABBI JOSEPH H. LOOKSTEIN**

*speaking on*

### "JEWS AND JUDAISM IN MEXICO"

Those who remember the Rabbi's addresses last year after his return from South America and Europe know what to expect and will eagerly look forward to his report on Mexico.

A collation will be served.

Ladies will be welcome at this Forum.

### FATHER AND SON BREAKFAST IN HONOR OF THE RABBI

Many members of the congregation and the Men's Club will attend the Father and Son Breakfast this Sunday morning, February 9th in honor of Rabbi Lookstein upon his return from Mexico. In addition to the regular morning service which is held in the chapel at 8:30, there will be a special Father and Son Minyan at 9:30, after which breakfast will be served in the Social Hall.

### MEN'S CLUB EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETS THIS TUESDAY

The regular monthly meeting of the Men's Club Executive Committee will take place this Tuesday, February 11th at 8:30 in the lounge of the Synagogue House. Among the items on the agenda for this meeting are, the February Forum, the Purim Party and the new program of activities. Every member of the Executive Committee is expected to attend.

### RAMAZ ROUNDUP

On Wednesday, February 12th, Lincoln's Birthday, regular classes will be held as usual at Ramaz. The day will be observed with an appropriate assembly at 10 a.m., to which parents are invited. . . .

The constitution of the Ramaz General Organization which was ratified by the G. O. Congress was signed by all G. O. representatives from grades one to eight at a formal ceremony held last week. . . .

Nine pupils have written essays for the Children's Essay Contest, sponsored by the Jewish Education Committee in conjunction with the Annual Children's Assembly that will take place February 23rd. The theme of the contest is "Towards a New Jewish Life." The participants are: Morton Axelrod, Susan Goodside, Ari Icikovic, Robert Kushner, Judith Lewittes, Judith Kaufman, Hershel Nissenson, Tova Ordentlich and Ida Westerman.



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### Synagogue Officials

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### RAMAZ HIGH SCHOOL GENERAL ORGANIZATION

The General Organization of the Ramaz High School came into being with the start of the Spring term under the advisorship of Mrs. Pearl Joseph, a member of the High School faculty. The following officers were elected: President, Rochelle Rosenberg; Vice-President, Evelyn Seelenfreund; Secretary, Sara Ordentlich; Treasurer, Naomi Jacobs. These officers, together with Haskel Lookstein and Jacob Bloom, class representatives, will constitute the Executive Committee of the organization. Plans are under way for a variety of cultural, recreational and social activities.

### SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

#### FRIDAY

Lighting of Candles..... 5:00  
Mincha ..... 5:10

#### SATURDAY

Morning ..... 9:00  
Children's Services ..... 10:00  
Weekly Portion: Yitro, Exodus 18:1  
— 20:23  
Haftorah: Isaiah 6:1—7: 6; 9: 5-6  
Mincha ..... 5:10  
Conclusion of Sabbath..... 5:58

#### DAILY SERVICES

Morning ..... 7:30  
Sunday Morning ..... 8:30  
Evening ..... 5:10

### YAHREZITS

#### February

7—MAX KESSLER  
10—EMMA SCHLINGER  
10—FANNIE SHIENTAG  
10—JOSEF GOTTSCHALK  
11—HANNAH FISCHEL  
12—ABRAHAM GLIKSMAN  
12—TOBY T. GOLDMAN  
12—REBECCA JACOBS  
12—JACOB VOGEL  
12—SIGMOND SPERBER  
13—RABBI AARON HYMAN  
13—JACOB LEVY  
14—DR. JOSEPH WEINSTEIN  
14—MIRIAM GOLDEN  
14—YETTA B. LEVEY

### CONDOLENCES

We extend heartfelt condolences to our member Mrs. Alfred S. Casner upon the passing of her beloved father, Mr. Edward Unterman. May the memory of the deceased be a blessing and may the bereaved family be spared further sorrow for many years to come.

## RIVERSIDE

MEMORIAL CHAPEL

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