



NOVEMBER 21, 1947

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You and Your Friends are Cordially Invited to Attend  
**THANKSGIVING SERVICES**

Thursday  
 November 27th  
 11:00 A.M.



In the Auditorium  
 of the  
 Synagogue House

**PROF. CLYDE R. MILLER**

of Columbia University

noted educator and analyst of public opinion

will speak on

**"CIVIL RIGHTS — PREACHMENT AND PRACTICE"**

Choir under the direction of Seymour Silbermintz

Rabbi Lookstein will preach this Sabbath at 10:45 a. m. on  
**"WHAT IS A GOOD JEW?"**



## SISTERHOOD NEWS

### Open Meeting a Grand Affair—

The Open Meeting sponsored by the Sisterhood last Monday, was a truly grand occasion. Those who attended were unanimous in their praise of the entire afternoon—from the atmosphere which pervaded, to the guests who participated in the program.

The Guest Speaker, Mrs. Albert L. Wigor, spoke most interestingly on "Palestine Looks to Democracy," and gave her audience an enlightening account of the trends on the modern world scene, and how Palestine fits into the picture. Ruth Kobart, the Guest Artist, who entertained with a program of Palestinian songs, was most warmly received. In all, the afternoon, which was dedicated to Palestine, afforded the members and guests of the Sisterhood a most pleasant and entertaining time.

The hostesses for the afternoon, Mmes. Hyman Abrams, Harry Etra and Alexander Kommel, are to be thanked for their efforts, and congratulated for making this event a most outstanding one.

### Annual Donor Luncheon—

We are happy to report that our Annual Donor Luncheon to be held at the Waldorf-Astoria on December 16th, is receiving the response it deserves. It is heart-warming to note that our members are giving this affair their complete cooperation. Mrs. Jacob Rudd, chairman of the Luncheon committee, announces that reservations are coming in in almost unprecedented fashion. This has necessitated setting the deadline for the acceptance of reservations for December 8th—the date of the next Open meeting.

It would appear that since the announcement that the proceeds of this affair will go to the Neediest Cases project, our membership has really gone all-out to assure the success of

## ARRANGEMENTS FOR ANNUAL CHANUKAH PARTY UNDER WAY

The Annual Chanukah Party, sponsored jointly by the Men's Club and Sisterhood, will be held on Sunday, December 7th. Readers of the Bulletin will recall that notice of the date of this affair was published some weeks ago, for the purpose of giving our members and friends advance notice, so that they might be able to set the date aside. We can now offer assurance that the party will be a highlight of the year; that those who will attend will have the time of their lives.

The joint committee has already met to make definite arrangements. As usual, the entertainment that will be provided; the program that will take place; and the refreshments that will be offered will be in keeping with the Chanukah spirit, and will prove a delight to those present.

Reservations are pouring into the Synagogue office daily. The limitations placed upon us by the alterations now going on in our buildings make it necessary to curtail the number of reservations to be accepted—so we urge you to call in your reservation, SACramento 2-2272.

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the Luncheon. Mrs. Rudd has also disclosed that a Hattie Carnegie Lipstick will be presented as a gift to each of the guests; we comment editorially that our members already have their reward in the knowledge that their cooperation in this affair will aid considerably in helping some who need our help.

### Welcome—

We welcome into our Sisterhood Mrs. Myron Bogdonoff, Mrs. A Milton Brown and Mrs. Hyman Gertler, and extend to them our best wishes for a long and active stay with us.



## MEN'S CLUB NEWS

A novel experiment made by the Men's Club last Tuesday evening, met with great success. That meeting, the third Forum Meeting of the current season, heard a symposium on "A Layman's View of the Prospects of Jews and Judaism in America," expounded by three members of the Club—instead of a guest speaker.

The three participants, Alvin Austin, Saul J. Lance and Jacob Rudd, offered their viewpoints on this important subject from, respectively, the economic, educational and professional angles. Each presented intelligent, well-founded arguments, which not only proved most enlightening, but was indicative of the calibre of Men's Club members.

The speakers were unanimous in their belief that Judaism in America will continue for a long time, even stronger than heretofore. But, each cautioned that Jews dare not expect that eventuality to come about of itself; rather the Jew must be alert and militant—alert to the forces of anti-Semitism now at work in our country; militant in its fight of anti-Semitism and in its fight for the furtherance of the rights of the Jew on equal basis as his Gentile neighbor.

The large audience which attended the Symposium was most receptive and deeply interested in what the speakers had to say. The experiment proved so successful, in fact, that many thought it should be repeated at some future date, with other members of the Club participating in a discussion of some other topic of similar timeliness and impact.

After the meeting, at which Ira F. Weisman presided, Rabbi Lookstein

## WITHIN OUR FAMILY

### Birth—

Our best wishes are extended to Dr. and Mrs. Eric Offenbacher upon the recent birth of a baby daughter.

### Birthdays—

Many Happy Returns of the Day to the following members who celebrate their birthdays this week: Dr. Samuel Gross, Mrs. Ira A. Kaplan and Samuel M. Kaplan.

### Engagement—

We extend our heartiest felicitations to Mr. and Mrs. Murray Beckenstein, upon the betrothal of their daughter, Selma, to Herbert P. Bleustein. To the couple go our best wishes for many happy years together.

### Anniversaries—

To the following who commemorate wedding anniversaries this week, we offer our sincerest wishes for many many more happy occasions together: Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Schimmel, Mr. and Mrs. Isadore Silver, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Weiss and Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Wiener.

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offered his comments, and expressed the feelings of the entire assemblage in complimenting the speakers and in thanking the Men's Club for arranging such an event.

### December 16th meeting—

The next Forum Meeting of the Men's Club will take place Tuesday evening, December 16th. No details of the nature of the meeting were disclosed, but we mention the date now in order to permit our readers to mark it off on their diaries and plan to be with us. As usual, a most enjoyable evening is in store for you.

### Welfare Fund—

The Men's Club Welfare Fund acknowledges with many thanks the generous contribution of Aaron Onish. We take this opportunity of thanking all contributors—past, present and future—for their interest in this humanitarian cause.



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### SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

#### FRIDAY

Lighting of Candles.....4:15  
Mincha.....4:20

#### SATURDAY

Morning.....9:00  
Children's Services.....10:00  
Weekly Portion: Vayeze, Genesis  
28:10-32:3  
Haftorah: Hosea 11:7-12:12  
Mishnah Class.....3:45  
Mincha.....4:15  
Conclusion of Sabbath.....5:10

#### DAILY SERVICES

Morning.....7:30  
Sunday Morning.....8:30  
Evening.....4:20

### RAMAZ NOTES

#### Alumni Society—

The opening meeting of the Ramaz Alumni Society for the current year was held last Saturday night in the Auditorium of the Synagogue House. The gathering was exceptionally well attended, and a huge success from every point of view.

Miss Dora Buchwald, Assistant Supervisor of Ramaz School, was the guest speaker of the evening and she brought home fond memories of the good old school days enjoyed at Ramaz. Palestinian songs and dances, with Miss Iola Schipler of the Ramaz Faculty at the piano; social dancing, and refreshments rounded out the evening.

Among the plans formulated for the coming year are the Basketball Game and Dance to be held February 7th, 1948; a theatre party to be sponsored by the Society to establish a Ramaz High School Scholarship Fund; and individual class reunions.

### YAHREZITS

#### November

22—DR. HERBERT M. KLEIN  
22—SAMUEL PALLEY  
24—JULIUS GOLDSTEIN  
24—DAVID SCHLANG  
25—IGNATZ SCHLINGER  
26—MEYER STEINBERG  
27—HANNA GROSSMAN

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