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SISTERHOOD NEEDIEST CASES PROJECT WELL UNDER WAY

In the first issue of the Bulletin of the current season, there appeared a casual write-up of a new project that is being undertaken by the Sisterhood—a project that would enable us to “point with pride at our Sisterhood, and share in the glory that will be theirs.” Little did we know at that time of how prophetic were those words: even today—when this new undertaking, the Neediest Cases project, is only at the beginning of its life—we can indeed be proud of, and glory in, the Sisterhood.

The first step which foreboded success for the venture was the composition of the committee in charge. Under the chairmanship of Mrs. Seppy I. Silberman, the Neediest Cases Committee consists of a number of the most active members of the organization, in addition to the officers of the Sisterhood. The second step which made manifest the genuine interest of the group in this project, was the decision to allocate the net proceeds of the Annual Donor Luncheon toward the proper execution of the project.

A number of cases, such as those which follow, have come to the atten-

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MEN'S CLUB ANNUAL SMOKER THIS TUESDAY EVENING

That eagerly-anticipated affair, the Annual Smoker, sponsored by the Men's Club, is coming off this Tuesday evening, January 20th, in the Auditorium of the Synagogue House.

Open to men only, this is the one occasion on the Men's Club calendar of events where guests are given the opportunity to become care-free, in an atmosphere of fraternal conviviality. Fun is the keynote of the evening; smiles are the order of the day.

A glance at past smokers reveals that these affairs have always been well-attended and greatly-enjoyed. Indeed, this is the one affair of the Men's Club year that is assured of success almost before any preparations are made. Just announce the date; the boys will be there.

This year, the guest performer will be one who is well known to us all. The original Dr. Sims, with his smooth line of quasi-serious patter replete with jabs at the social and economic scene—all in his inimitable manner of delivery—will be present to keep our guests in the proverbial stitches throughout the evening. To complete the program, we offer whatever you

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Rabbi Lookstein will preach this Sabbath at 10:45 a. m. on

“Stubbornness is Not Always a Liability”

SISTERHOOD NEWS

Neediest Cases—

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tion of the Committee, and prompt responses have been given those which deserved consideration. Typical of the cases in which assistance has been rendered, is that of the widowed Rebetzin whose leg was amputated, who cared for her family of five children the oldest a girl of 18. They were known to Home Relief, but supplementary assistance was required — particularly such items as bed linens and blankets. Through the cooperation of two Synagogue members, the committee purchased at cost one dozen sheets, one dozen pillow-cases and three wool blankets, all of which were forwarded to this needy family.

In some cases, financial aid is rendered, such as in the instance of a veteran who has been hospitalized since his discharge from the service, two years ago. Unfortunately, because of a technicality in the law, he is not eligible for pension or compensation, although he is afflicted with a disease which may keep him disabled for the rest of his life, insofar as full-time employment is concerned. The family receives aid from the Department of Welfare, but the amount they receive is too meagre to buy even the bare necessities. The Neediest Cases Committee forwarded a substantial amount for the purchase of some warm articles of clothing.

Such are the cases, all within our own community, which come before the committee for consideration. In every instance the committee ascertains the validity and deservedness, and gives prompt attention. Certainly, this phase of charitable endeavor is deserving of every possible assistance and cooperation on the part of the membership. Mrs. Alexander Kommel, president of the Sisterhood, expresses the hope of the group that all members will lend a helping hand in making the Neediest Cases project as successful as it can possibly be.

Luncheon Report Given at Executive Board Meeting—

The Executive Board of the Sisterhood at its meeting this past Monday, heard a report on the Annual Luncheon, rendered by Mrs. Jacob Rudd, Chairman of the Luncheon Committee, which was most gratifying in all its aspects. From the esthetic, social and financial standpoints, Mrs. Rudd reported, the Luncheon surpassed all previous affairs of similar nature, and met with singular success. So enthused was the Board with the results of the Luncheon, that plans were discussed for next year's Luncheon.

Reminder—

Open Meeting on Monday, January 19th at 1:00 p.m., at the home of Mrs. Nathan B. Kogan, 1185 Park Avenue. An interesting program, including a Palestinian film, has been arranged. Coffee and cake will be served promptly at 1:00.

WITHIN OUR FAMILY

Birth—

A hearty Mazel Tov to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lipschutz upon the birth of a grandson, Joel Frederick. May the new arrival bring only joyous occasions to the family.

Birthdays—

We extend our heartiest birthday greetings to the following members who celebrate their birthdays this week: Mrs. S. Lawrence Brody, Mrs. Jacob Pofcher and Abraham Topkis.

Marriage—

We take this means of expressing our heartiest congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Rothstein on the occasion of the marriage of their son, Joshua, to the lovely Miss Adrienne Shampian. To the newly-weds go our best wishes for a long and happy life together.

Speedy Recovery—

We wish Isadore Schlang a Refuah Shlemah from the broken ankle he sustained recently. We look forward to having Mr. Schlang back with us in his active work for our congregation.

Men's Club Annual Smoker

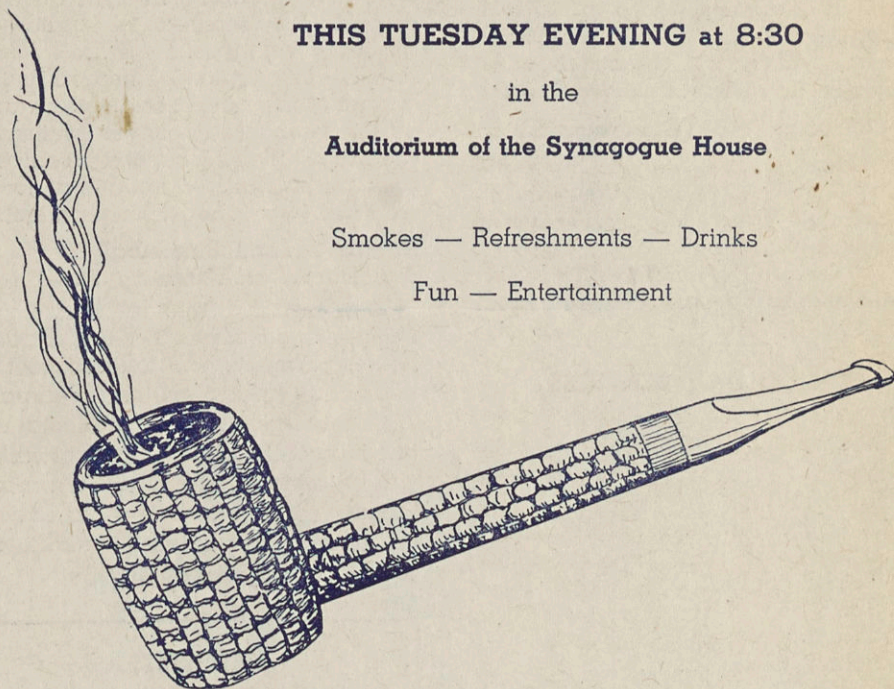
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Smokes — Refreshments — Drinks

Fun — Entertainment



COME WITH YOUR MEN FRIENDS

MEN'S CLUB ANNUAL SMOKER

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want. Cards, all the smokes you can inhale, all the food you can digest, all the fun and laughs you can tolerate—all will be with us Tuesday evening for your enjoyment and entertainment.

We take it for granted that you'll be there, and that you will bring some of your men friends with you. You can promise them a good time, too—a most pleasant evening of camaraderie with the boys. There is, of course, no admission charge. We look forward to seeing you Tuesday evening. The time is 8:30.

RAMAZ NOTES

During the course of the school year, Ramaz pupils make regular contributions to worthy religious and philanthropic endeavors through their Social Service. Such agencies as the Jewish National Fund, Red Cross and the like receive the income of a two- or three-week drive. Commencing January 16th, Social Service contributions will be forwarded to the March of Dimes campaign now underway throughout the country.

Joel Flatow wins

Good Speech Contest—

The annual Good Speech Contest, held Wednesday, December 22nd,

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SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

FRIDAY

Lighting of Candles..... 4:35
Mincha 4:45

SATURDAY

Morning 9:00
Children's Services 10:00
Weekly portion: Bo, Exodus 10:1-13:16

Haftorah: Jeremiah 46:13-28
Mishnah Class 3:45
Mincha 4:40
Conclusion of Sabbath 5:30

DAILY SERVICES

Morning 7:30
Sunday Morning 8:30
Evening 4:45

RAMAZ NOTES

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was an excellent indication of the calibre of our pupils' speaking ability, and of the spirit in which school contests are received. Joel Flatow of grade 6, who spoke on "If I Were President of Ramaz," emerged as the winner of the contest and was awarded the Theodore Roosevelt Memorial Medal. Students, Faculty members and Judges alike agreed that Joel's rendition was almost letter-perfect.

Ramaz Alumni Basketball and Dance on February 7th—

The Annual Basketball game and Dance sponsored by the Ramaz Alumni Society, will take place this year on Saturday evening, February 7th. Members will receive official notification of the affair, details of which will be announced shortly. We make mention of the date now, to enable all interested parties to make arrangements to be present.

YAHREZITS

January

18—BESSIE WALLACH
19—ABRAHAM BACHRACH
21—MAX PHILLIPS

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