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MAURICE SAMUEL TO SPEAK AT THANKSGIVING SERVICES

CANTOR GERTLER AND SILBERMINTZ CHOIR WILL OFFICIATE

The annual Thanksgiving Services of Kehilath Jeshurun, which have enjoyed a most enviable reputation for their impressiveness and for the renowned guest speakers who have addressed them in the past, will be held this year on Thursday, November 25th, at 11:00 a.m. in the Synagogue.

STANDING COMMITTEES AP- POINTED AT BOARD MEETING

At the last meeting of the Board of Trustees, Mr. Max J. Etra, President of the Congregation, announced the appointment of members to Standing Committees. We are happy to list the names below, and we wish the new appointees good luck in their posts:

Membership Committee: Aaron H. Onish, Chairman; Hyman I. Bucher and Elliott W. Siegel.

House Committee: Aaron J. Simon, Chairman; Martin Klein and Dr. Frank Goodman.

Religious School Committee: Abbott Bernard, Chairman; Theodore Brown, Joseph J. Einhorn, Dr. Eli Goldstein, Alexander Kommel, Isidore Grossman, Ira F. Weisman and Louis W. Yohann. Two members of the Sisterhood will also be designated.

Board of Ushers: George Jacobs, Chairman. The names of the members of this Board will be announced shortly.

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The Guest Speaker this year will be Mr. Maurice Samuel, prominent author, publicist and translator, who has taken as his topic "Jewry in the World of Tomorrow." Mr. Samuel, who, for more than twenty-five years has been an outstanding and tireless interpreter and exponent of Jewish values to the world, is an outstanding author whose works have won wide attention and important critical acclaim. His works include "You Gentiles," a study of the specific character of Jewish civilization; "The Great Hatred," a basic expose of the pathological character of anti-Semitism; "Harvest in the Desert," an account of the growth of the Jewish homeland in Palestine; and numerous others. In addition, Mr. Samuel is widely known as the translator of the great Jewish writers, Chaim Nachman Bialik, Shmarya Levin, I. J. Singer, and others.

Our guest speaker has observed and studied Jewish life through extensive travel and sojourn in England, the Continent, Palestine and Africa. For many years he lived in Palestine and has made frequent return visits to that country, his latest

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Rabbi Lookstein will preach this Sabbath at 10:45 A.M. on

"ISAAC and ISHMAEL:

Arab and Jew—Must They Remain Enemies?"

KEHILATH JESHURUN SISTERHOOD

ANNUAL DONOR LUNCHEON

and

FASHION SHOW

Tuesday, December 7th, 12:30 p.m.

Wedgewood Room - Waldorf-Astoria

Gowns

by

Trigere

Furs

by

Maximillian

Jewels

by

Van Cleef & Arpels

Donor Subscription:

Twenty dollars

Guest Subscription:

Fifteen dollars

SISTERHOOD NEWS

Welcome, New Members —

The Sisterhood greets the following new members and wishes them many years of active participation in the group: Mmes. Morris Bien, Salomon Farro, Isidore Grossman, P. Horowitz, Leo Hurwitz, Ralph Hyman, Martin Klein, A. B. Levy, B. Mendel, Leib Merkin and Albert Wald.

Moving Talk by

Mrs. Harry Fischel —

Describing what she personally experienced, saw and felt during her stay in Palestine, Mrs. Harry Fischel enthralled those present at the last Open Meeting of the Sisterhood, which took place last Monday in the Social Hall of the Synagogue. Speaking informally and giving each one the impression that only she was being addressed, Mrs. Fischel spoke of the bombardments, attacks and utter disruption of normal living sustained by the Jewish people in Israel, herself included. It was a spine-chilling account; but heart-warming in its praise of the valor and fortitude of the Jewish forces, fighting so valiantly and heroically for its very existence.

In concluding her remarks, Mrs.

Fischel made particular reference to the assistance which the Jewish community is receiving from countries the world over — Australia, South America, and, of course, the United States. The outlook for the future is bright, she reported, but the road immediately ahead is fraught with danger, heart-ache and even disaster.

So moving was the address and so thrilled was the audience that at the conclusion of Mrs. Fischel's remarks, the guests rose as one and spontaneously sang "Hatikvah." The afternoon will long be remembered.

THANKSGIVING SERVICE

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visit lasting through the summer of 1947. The material of his talk at the Thanksgiving Service, therefore, is drawn from personal knowledge and experience.

The services will be conducted by Rabbi Lookstein, and Cantor Hyman Gertler, with the assistance of a full choir under the direction of Seymour Silbermintz, will officiate. As in past years, the services will offer the inspiration the occasion demands.

You and Your Friends are Invited to Attend the

THIRD FORUM MEETING

sponsored by the

MEN'S CLUB

Tuesday, November 16th at 8:30 p.m.
in the Auditorium of the Synagogue House

Our Guest Speaker will be

Professor NATHAN REICH

Noted economist

who will speak on

"THE ECONOMIC OUTLOOK FOR AMERICAN JEWRY"

Collation

Ladies Invited

MEN'S CLUB NEWS

Dr. Nathan Reich to Speak Tuesday Evening —

This Tuesday evening's Forum Meeting promises to be one of the outstanding meetings of the Men's Club year. Not only has an unusual speaker been invited, but a topic of rare import and consequence will be discussed.

As for the speaker, he is Professor Nathan Reich, a noted economist and lecturer, who is the Chairman of the Department of Economics at Hunter College; a lecturer at Brooklyn College, Columbia University and Howard University in Washington. In addition, he is an editor of the *Encyclopaedia of Social Sciences*, the author of numerous articles and books, and the recipient of several awards for distinguished scholarship and for contributions to the field of political science.

The topic is such that it should require no further elaboration. Does the Jew have a future in the financial and economic spheres in this country? How have discriminatory prac-

tices affected his prospects for employment and self-sustenance? In what way is the economy of the nation interrelated with that of the Jewish population?

A subject as timely, as real, as vital as that should command the attention of every one of our members and friends — including the ladies, who are, of course, cordially invited.

An Auditorium filled to capacity is anticipated Tuesday evening. In keeping with Men's Club practice, a collation will follow the talk.

Welfare Fund —

Many thanks to Mr. Joseph E. Adler for his kind contribution to our Welfare Fund.

CONDOLENCE

We learn with regret of the passing of the brother of our J. J. Lubell, and we extend to the family our heartfelt sympathies. May the Almighty spare them from further sorrow for many years to come.

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SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

FRIDAY

Lighting of Candles..... 4:20
Evening 4:30

SATURDAY

Morning 9:00
Junior Congregation 10:00
Weekly Portion: Lech Lecha,
Genesis 12:1-17:27
Haftorah: Isaiah 40:27-41:16
Evening 4:20
Conclusion of Sabbath..... 5:15

DAILY SERVICES

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

YAHREZEITS

November

14—JACOB ADLER
15—ETHEL SILBERSCHUTZ
15—MARGARET C. BALLIN
15—MARTIN BART
15—ABR. A. PASTELNICK
16—LEON KAMAIKY
17—MOSES EINHORN
18—JACOB POUST
18—MORRIS COOPER
19—ROSE WOLBERG
19—JACOB BUXBAUM

WITHIN OUR FAMILY

New Members —

At the last meeting of the Board of Trustees, the applications of the following new members were accepted: Harry Abramson, Salomon Farro, Herman Greenberg, Edward Griffel, Benjamin W. Gunther, Ralph Hyman, J. William Rosenbluth, Aaron Shusterman and Howard Stoller. Burril Crohn and Edward David Rosen were accepted into Junior Membership.

Birthdays —

Many Happy Returns of the Day to Hyman Cohen, Mrs. Israel Cummings, Ari Iaikovic and Frederick Margareten.

Bar Mitzvah —

We congratulate Mr. and Mrs. Jacques Censor on the Bar Mitzvah of their son, Walter, a student at Ramaz.

Marriage —

Our best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Leon Gronowitz on the occasion of the marriage of their daughter, Doris Evelyn, to Mr. Alfred Siegel.

COMMITTEES APPOINTED

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In making the above appointments, Mr. Etra expressed the appreciation of the congregation to those members who served so diligently and faithfully on last year's committees.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

During the recent alteration in our synagogue, a number of sets of Taleisim and Tfillin were found. These bear no identification, and have been awaiting claim by rightful owners.

If you have a Talis or a pair of Tfillin in our synagogue, we would appreciate your claiming them as soon as possible. If, after a short period of time, these items remain unclaimed, we shall turn them over to some worthy institution.

Your cooperation is earnestly solicited.