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A REMINDER ABOUT THE CONGREGATIONAL SEDER

Last week the synagogue office mailed to the members of the congregation and its affiliates a notice about the proposed Congregational Seder, to be held April 1st and 2nd in the Social Hall. Enclosed with that notice was a response card, on which members were asked to indicate their interest in participating in either or both of the Sedorim.

Your reply **must be received by February 15th** if we are to determine whether to continue with arrangements, or to forego conducting the Sedorim due to lack of response.

Phone the office or mail the card **today!**

THEATRE PARTY SHOW GETS GOOD PHILADELPHIA NOTICES

"Now I Lay Me Down to Sleep", the show for which the Men's Club and Sisterhood are sponsoring a Theatre Party on Thursday, March 9th, received some excellent reviews when it opened in Philadelphia last week. The performances of the stars, Frederic March and Florence Eldridge, were especially cited for their excellence.

The adaptation of Ludwig Bemelmans novel of the same name, tells of an enormously wealthy Ecuadorian general and his fantastic menage fleeing France because of the war and crossing the sea on a converted freighter to find refuge in his native land, only to be outdone by an earthquake. The formidable scenic task, the difficult job of sound effects and the arduous labor of extracting fine characterizations to fit this Bemelmans comedy, have all been done —

to quote the Philadelphia Evening Bulletin — "wonderfully well." A "creditable composite has been whipped into shape by the director, Hume Cronyn."

The Philadelphia Inquirer feels we will be impressed by the swaggering performance of Frederic March and the equally penetrating performance of Florence Eldridge. Elaine Ryan, who is responsible for the adaptation, is given credit for following Mr. Bemelmans with "extraordinary skill and ingenuity."

Tickets are priced at from \$8.00 to \$15.00 each, and are being distributed on a first-come-first-served basis. The difference between a good seat and a better one may lie in a single hour, so don't delay. Call today and let us know how many tickets to this assured success you will want.

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

**"A MODERN SAINT—
Tribute to the Rabbi of Lubavitch"**

MRS. JULIETTE T. ASCHNER

noted book-reviewer and analyst
will be our Guest Speaker at the

SISTERHOOD OPEN MEETING

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 20th, at 1:00 o'clock

in the Social Hall

Bring a Package for the Bazaar with You!

SISTERHOOD NEWS**We Have a Date —**

Jot February 20th down on your calendars. The time: 1:00 o'clock; the place: the Social Hall. The event — the next Open Meeting of the Sisterhood, at which Mrs. Juliette T. Aschner will be with us to give us her keen analysis of some best-selling books and popular Broadway productions.

We needn't urge you to attend. Those of our readers who heard Mrs. Aschner last season, or the season before that, will unquestionably be with us this time. Those who missed hearing Mrs. Aschner, know now that they missed a stimulating analysis, to say nothing of a most enjoyable presentation.

A Good Suggestion —

One of our good friends, who prefers to remain anonymous, suggested that the Open Meeting of February 20th is a good time for our members to bring in their packages for the Sisterhood Bazaar, which will take place early in May.

We second that suggestion, and endorse it most whole-heartedly. We think — to go one step further — that our members ought to consider a package as their "price of admission". Although you are most welcome to attend, package or no package, it appears to us that it would serve several important purposes if you were to come down to the Meeting with a bundle of saleable merchandise, and leave it with us.

Don't you agree?

WITHIN OUR FAMILY**Births —**

Heartiest Mazel Tov wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Margareten on the birth of a baby girl this week. To the proud grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Margareten we extend our very best wishes.

Similar greetings to Mr. and Mrs. Louis I. Kaplan on the birth of a boy, and to Mr. Meyer Blumberg who became the grandfather of a baby girl earlier this week.

Birthdays —

Happy birthday wishes to David Kahn and Mrs. I. Jerome Riker.

Anniversaries —

Greetings to Dr. and Mrs. Maximilian W. Goldstein and to Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel B. Jacobs on their wedding anniversaries this week.

Honors —

We congratulate Joseph N. Friedman on his recent appointment as Assistant Corporation Counsel of New York City.

Speedy Recovery —

To little Robert Farro, son of Mr. and Mrs. Salomon Farro, go our sincerest hopes for a speedy and complete recovery.

Vacationing —

Mrs. Rose Alpert, we learn, is now enjoying a cruise in southern waters.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Adler now on their way to Europe for a brief stay.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Kommel left Thursday for a trip to Central America.

THE KEHILATH JESHURUN MEN'S CLUB*takes pleasure in presenting***RABBI EMANUEL RACKMAN AND ELEAZAR LIPSKY***in a New Symposium on***"RELIGION IN THE STATE OF ISRAEL"****TUESDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 21st, at 8:30***in the Auditorium***Ladies Cordially Invited****Collation****MEN'S CLUB NEWS****Forum Meeting to
Feature Symposium —**

The next Forum Meeting, which will take place on Tuesday, February 21st, will take the form of a symposium on the subject "Religion in the State of Israel", and will have two outstanding speakers participating.

Speaking for the religionist's viewpoint will be Rabbi Emanuel Rackman, now serving a large congregation in Far Rockaway and lecturer in Political and Social Philosophy at Yeshiva University. Rabbi Rackman, who is also the author of numerous scholarly articles, earned the name of "a Chaplain's Chaplain" when he was selected to lecture to several thousand chaplains-in-training during the war years. A member of the Executive Committee of Mizrachi, he has gained a host of admirers throughout the country for his stimulating presentation of the nature of Judaism.

Mr. Eleazar Lipsky, a former New York assistant district attorney, will speak on the secularist's view of the subject. A member of the Administrative Committee of the Zionist organization, Mr. Lipsky has lectured and written extensively on the political and legal position of the Jewish people on the world scene. He is a former editor of "The New Palestine" and has been heard on national radio networks speaking on subjects related on Israel.

**UNUSUAL PURIM PARTY
PLANNED FOR MARCH 5**

A Purim Party unlike those sponsored in recent years, is being planned by a joint committee of the Men's Club and Sisterhood.

As yet, no details have been announced, other than that a most unusual and different type of affair is in the offing.

While our Purim and Chanukah parties have been well-attended and completely-enjoyed, the committee thought it would arrange something a bit more novel and less formal — an indication that an affair of even more entertaining character, in keeping with the spirit of the festival, will result.

Further details will be announced shortly. We recommend, however, that you set Sunday evening, March 5th, aside and plan to be with us.

An interesting and thought-provoking discussion awaits us that evening. We look forward to having a large audience of our members and friends — and the ladies are again cordially invited — at the Forum Meeting, Tuesday evening, February 21st, in the auditorium. A collation will follow.

Welfare Fund —

Many thanks to Frederick Margarten, Elliott W. Siegel, Aaron J. Simon and Louis J. Singer, for their generous contributions to the Welfare Fund.

Synagogue Officials

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SCHEDULE OF SERVICES**FRIDAY**

Lighting of Candles 5:05
 Evening 5:15

SATURDAY

Morning 9:00
 Junior Congregation 10:00
 Weekly Portion: Yisro, Exodus
 18:1-20:23
 Haftorah: Isaiah 6:1-7:6; 9:5-6
 Rosh Chodesh Prayers: Rosh
 Chodesh Adar will be on
 Friday, February 17
 Evening 5:00
 Seudah Shlishith will fol-
 low the Mincha service
 Conclusion of Sabbath 6:00

SUNDAY

Morning 8:30
 Young People's Minyan 9:30

DAILY

Morning 7:30
 Evening 5:20

Yahrzeits**February**

11—ISAAC LIBERMAN
 11—MIRIAM GOLDEN
 11—YETTA B. LEVEY
 11—BENJAMIN BROWN
 11—JOSEPH WEINSTEIN
 14—AARON B. JACOBY
 14—CHARLES BOGDONOFF
 14—CHARLES I. LEFF
 15—HYMAN ALPERT
 15—ABRAHAM FLECHNER
 16—HERMAN ELKELES
 16—ELIAS GOTTFRIED
 17—HERMAN KAHN

THE K. J. CALENDAR

Wednesday, February 15, 8:00 p.m.
 — Theatre Party Committee
 Meeting — Library

Monday, February 20, 1:00 p.m. —
 Sisterhood Open Meeting; Mrs.
 Juliette T. Aschner, guest speak-
 er — Social Hall

Tuesday, February 21, 8:30 p.m. —
 Men's Club Forum Meeting;
 symposium on "Religion in the
 State of Israel" — Auditorium

Sunday, March 5 — Purim Party —
 Social Hall.

Thursday, March 9, 8:40 p.m. —
 Theatre Party, "Now I Lay Me
 Down to Sleep" — Broadhurst
 Theatre

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