

OCTOBER 27, 1950

st -

t-

.

VOL. XVIII, NO. 7

CHESHVAN 16, 5711

RECORD REGISTRATION IN ADULT INSTITUTE ON ITS WAY

Since the appearance of the brochure giving the details of the subjects to be offered this year, we have received a great many additional enrollments, and ever so many more inquiries are reaching the office daily. Needless to say, we are very pleased at the response we are receiving. But we are still some distance from our goal, namely, that every member of the Congregation, Sisterhood, Men's Club, Parents' Council, Parents' Club - every affiliate of Kehilath Jeshurun — register for at least one of the courses on the curriculum.

We have done our share. We have provided a program of studies that should attract every interest; we have enlisted the services of outstanding teachers; we have kept registration charges down to the absolute minimum (in most cases, free of any charge); we have made the process of registration the very essence of simplicity; and we have even presented our program to you in an attractive little brochure which, we are proud to relate, has elicited most favorable comment.

Now it's up to you. Go through the pages of our booklet, see what is offered, and select the course or courses you would like to attend. Then return the postage-free card on the last page of the brochure and that's all, except, of course, for attendance whenever your class meets.

Help us achieve our goal of "every affiliate a student", and help yourself to a little more knowledge.

RABBI LOOKSTEIN TO ADDRESS NATIONAL PLANNING CONFERENCE

Rabbi Lookstein will deliver one of the major addresses at an important session of the National Planning Conference for Israel and Jewish Rehabilitation, which will take place this week-end in Washington, D. C. The conference was convened by American Jewish leaders as a result of an exploratory meeting with Israel's Prime Minister, David Ben-Gurion, held last month in Jerusalem.

Over twelve hundred delegates are expected to attend this conference, representing every important Jewish organization in America — Zionist and non-Zionist alike. They will converge on our capital city to arrive at conclusions that will affect the state of Israel and Jews in every corner of the globe. Their conclusions will especially concern us in America, constituting, as we do, the largest body of Jews in any single country.

The resolution adopted at the Jerusalem Conference seeks to have a "fully representative, national conference of the Jews of America, at which the conclusions reached may be presented for the understanding and sanction of American Jewry, so that it may go forward in accomplishing the most constructive enterprise in the history of our people."

We are indeed proud that our Rabbi, who will attend the conference as a delegate of the American Jewish Joint Distribution Committee and of the Mizrachi Organization of America, will play such an important role at this momentous gathering.

HAVE YOU ENROLLED IN THE KEHILATH JESHURUN INSTITUTE? Sessions begin this Monday evening

KEHILATH JESHURUN SISTERHOOD

cordially invites its members and friends to an

OPEN MEETING

MONDAY AFTERNOON, NOVEMBER 6th, at 12:30

MRS. AUGUSTA SARETSKY

Consultant of the Jewish Education Committee

will review

"THE GENTLEMAN AND THE JEW" by Maurice Samuels

DESSERT LUNCHEON WILL BE SERVED AT 12:30

SISTERHOOD NEWS

The next Sisterhood Open Meeting, which will take place Monday afternoon, November 6th, at 12:30, in the Social Hall, will have as its guest speaker Mrs. Augusta Saretsky, who will review the recent bestseller "The Gentleman and the Jew" by Maurice Samuel.

Mrs. Saretsky, who is a consultant of the Jewish Education Committee on parent-teacher relationships, is a prominent speaker who has thrilled audiences throughout the country. She is one of the most sought-after consultants on the JEC staff, and is recognized for her keen analyses of books, delivered in a most interesting fashion.

We know you will spend an enjoyable afternoon with us, so plan to attend. Dessert luncheon will be served promptly at 12:30.

HERMAN KATZ RENOMINATED

We extend heartiest congratulations to our esteemed member, Herman Katz, on his nomination for reelection to the State Assembly from the 10th Assembly District. Mr. Katz, who was endorsed by Citizens Union and other liberal organizations, is running on the Democratic and Liberal Party tickets.

We wish Mr. Katz every success in the campaign.

PARENTS' CLUB HOLDS FIRST OPEN MEETING

Last Tuesday evening, over fifty members of the Parents' Club attended the first Open Meeting of the group, which was held in the Social Hall. In addition to a general discussion on problems relating to the Religious School, a film, entitled "The Emotional Needs of Children" was also shown.

With Rabbi Lookstein, Mr. Myer B. Appleman, and the members of the teaching staff present, questions were posed by the parents and answered to everyone's satisfaction. Such varied matters as attendance on legal holidays, the aims of our Religious School, progress of children, home observance of Jewish festivals, and others, were brought up for discussion. Discussion on these issues was not only enlightening, but stimulating and enjoyable.

The second part of the evening was devoted to the showing of an interesting film, and a question-andanswer period based on the ideas the film conveyed. The questions, of course, came from the parents; the answers from Dr. Lilliam Kaplan, a practicing psychiatrist who is also a member of the Parents' Club. Here, again, some valuable pointers on rearing children were picked up by our audience.

(Continued on page 3)

2

MEN'S CLUB NEWS

Hyman I. Bucher, chairman of the Eleventh Annual Dinner Committee, has announced that reservations close to 50% of our maximum capacity have already been received. He is confident that the members of the Men's Club will again cooperate to the extent of making this year's affair another sell-out.

The Dinner, which will take place Tuesday evening, November 28th, will be in the form of a Father-and-Son get-together, with the ten K. J. "Fathers of the Year" as guests of honor. These are the ten men who, since 1941, have been designated as our own Father of the Year — a practice instituted by our Men's Club that has since been emulated by similar groups throughout the country.

Invitations to the affair will soon be in the mails. Don't wait for it! Contact Mr. Bucher, or call the synagogue office and place your reservation now. You know you'll join us; why wait to let us know?

WITHIN OUR FAMILY

New Members -

We extend a hearty welcome to Mr. and Mrs. Samson Eichler whose application for membership was received this week.

Birthdays —

Many happy returns of the day to Mrs. Gedeon Heller, Mrs. Jacob A. Kaplan and to Bendict I. Lubell.

Anniversary -

Greetings to Mr. and Mrs. Adolph J. Elkeles who celebrate their wedding anniversary this week.

Honors -

Our congratulations are extended to Rabbi Lookstein on his appointment to the Sub-committee on Youth Activities of Religious Organizations of the New York State Youth Commission. This appointment is in conjunction with the White House Conference on Children and Youth which will be held in December.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S MINYAN HOLDS FIRST SERVICE

The first service of the Young People's Minyan was held last Sunday morning, with over forty boys and girls in attendance. It was a pleasure to observe the enthusiasm which greeted the renewal of this Sunday morning activity; and it was equally pleasurable to witness these young people conduct a complete morning service by themselves, joining the four cantors who officiated: Morris Amitay, Lothar Frank, George Gruen and Franklin Holzer.

The Minyan this year has as its supervisor Haskel Lookstein, who is assisted most ably by Lawrence Kobrin and Fred Zuckerman. These three young men, who only recently were themselves congregants at the Minyan, are adding just the right touch to make the service as near perfect as possible. Naturally, the larger the congregation, the more beautiful the service. We therefore urge all young people who reside in our vicinity to make it a regular practice to join in the Young People's Minyan every Sunday morning.

May we add that a wholesome and delicious breakfast follows the service, after which an hour is spent in the gymnasium

PARENTS' CLUB MEETS

(Continued from page 2)

Game Night and Carnival to be Held —

Mrs. Benjamin L. Leifert, president of the Club, announced that a Game Night and Carnival would be sponsored by the group on Sunday evening, December 17th. Mrs. J. William Rosenbluth heads the committee in charge. Tickets, priced at a nominal \$1.00 are available to all who care to spend an evening of fun. We urge all our readers to secure tickets for this function and help the Parents' Club in its attempt to augment the extra-curricular program of the Religious School and make of it a richer experience for our children.

Congregation Kehilath Jeshurun 117-25 East 85th Street SAcramento 2-0800

Synagogue Officials

| Joseph H. Lookstein | Rabbi |
|---------------------|--------------------|
| Hyman Gertler | Cantor |
| Joseph E. Adler | Ritual Director |
| Jerome H. Rosenblum | Executive Director |

Officers of the Congregation

| Max J. Etra | President |
|-----------------------|-------------------|
| Saul J. Lance | Vice-President |
| Aaron H. Onish | Treasurer |
| A. Milton Brown | Secretary |
| Ira F. WeismanPreside | ent. Men's Club |
| Mrs. Harry W. Baumgar | |
| | Pres., Sisterhood |

res., Sisterbood

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

| FRIDAY | |
|------------------------------|-------|
| Lighting of Candles | 4:40 |
| Evening | 4:50 |
| SATURDAY | |
| Morning | 9:00 |
| Junior Congregation | 10:00 |
| Weekly Portion: Vayera, Gen- | |
| esis 18:1-22:24 | |
| Haftorah: II Kings 4:1-37 | |
| Evening | 4:40 |
| Conclusion of Sabbath | 5:35 |
| SUNDAY | |
| Morning | 8:30 |
| Young People's Minyan | 9:30 |
| DAILY | |
| Morning | 7:30 |
| Evening | 4:45 |
| | |

YAHRZEITS

| October |
|------------------------|
| 28—ROSE WOLBERG |
| 28—JACOB BUXBAUM |
| 29—GOLDE KRAUSE |
| 29—WILLIAM ETRA |
| 30—JULIUS ZESSMAN |
| 31—LAZAR WOHL |
| 31—MORDECHAI SCHNEIDER |
| November |
| 1—LILLIAN ROTHSTEIN |
| 1—SIMON GROSS |
| 2—ISRAEL J. KAY |
| 2—JENNIE MINTZ |
| 3—JOSEPH BUCHER |
| 3—JACOB KOHN |
| VINON GOOM |

3-MAYER GROSSMAN

BOY SCOUTS ENJOY FIRST OUTING

Both the Boy Scout troop and Cub Pack enjoyed their first outing of the season, which took place Sunday morning, October 22nd. To judge from the reports of those who escorted the groups, the exhilaration of the youngsters reached near-fattigue proportions.

The scouts, under the supervision of Scoutmaster Martin Klein, Mr. and Mrs. D. Harry Kleinfeld and Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin L. Leifert, spent the day at the summer home of Mr. and Mrs. Abraham R. Winer at Northport, Long Island. There they partook of the warm hospitality of Mrs. Winer, and participated in the usual scouting program of steak-roasting, etc.

Some twelve members of the Cub Pack visited the Statue of Liberty and Staten Island, where, under the watchful eye of their Cubmaster, Dr. Ned Wachtel, they too spent the day in pleasant outdoor pursuits.

All in all, we are sure that the boys will long remember their delightful outing. For the information of those young boys who would like to join our troop: membership in the Cub Pack is open for those between the ages of 8 and 11; in the Scout Troop, between 11 and 16. Both groups meet Wednesday evenings at 7:15.

THE K. J. CALENDAR

Monday, Oct. 30, 8:00 p.m. — Opening Session of Adult Institute

- Tuesday, Oct. 31, 8:30 p.m. Meeting of the Ramaz Parents Council — Auditorium
- Wednesday, Nov. 1, 7:15 p.m. Boy Scouts and Cub Pack — Gym
- Monday, Nov. 6, 12:30 p.m. Sisterhood Open Meeting; Mrs. Augusta Saretsky, guest speaker — Social Hall
- Tuesday, Nov. 14, 8:30 p.m. Meeting of Men's Club 11th Annual Dinner Committee — Library
- Tuesday, Nov. 28 Men's Club Eleventh Annual Dinner — Auditorium