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DR. SAMUEL BELKIN TO BE FETED AT TESTIMONIAL DINNER

Occasion to Highlight Congregation Campaign for Yeshiva University Medical School

As a result of a decision reached at the last meeting of the Board of Trustees, a Testimonial Dinner will be tendered in honor of our esteemed trustee, Dr. Samuel Belkin, president of Yeshiva University. The action of the Board was in the direction of launching a campaign to raise funds from within our congregational family to help Yeshiva in the establishment of a medical school.



Dr. Samuel Belkin

It was a bare six weeks ago that the New York State Board of Regents amended the charter of Yeshiva University, to permit the opening of a medical and dental school. At a meeting of our Board of Trustees, held very shortly after that momentous day in the history of Yeshiva University — indeed, in the history of the American Jewish community—it was decided that Kehilath Jeshurun once again take the lead in supporting the University, even as it has in the past on numerous occasions.

The decision was immediately implemented with the appointment of Mr. Harry W. Baumgarten to head the committee in charge of the drive. To the committee were named some of the outstanding members of the congregation as well as the entire Board of Trustees. A number of organizational meetings were held by the committee, the last of which took the form of a brunch Sunday morning, at which it was passed to honor Dr. Belkin with a Testimonial Dinner in March.

The establishment of a medical school as part of Yeshiva University - the only University in the country under Jewish auspices — is truly a landmark in the history of our people. In every important event at Yeshiva. our synagogue has taken a position of leadership, and has been the first to come forward with support and cooperation. Our campaign for the medical school, which will culminate in the dinner to Dr. Belkin, is another indication of the close relationship that exists between Kehilath Jeshurun and Yeshiva University. It is, too, an example for synagogues throughout the nation to follow.

Rabbi Roth will preach this Sabbath at 10:45 on "THE DIGNITY OF MAN — THE JEWISH VIEW"

AARON H. ONISH TAKES LEAD IN YEAR BOOK DRIVE

A most welcome bit of news was received earlier this week, when Mr. Jules Podell, Chairman of the 1951 Year Book Committee, announced that Mr. Aaron H. Onish has turned in to the Synagogue office a substantial quantity of ads, to place him in the No. 1 position in this year's drive. No new-comer to Year Book work, Mr. Onish, an esteemed trustee of the Congregation and now serving as its Treasurer, has surpassed his total of last year — and that was a considerable amount — and has taken over as the current champion ad-getter.

The total received in ads thus far has, as a result of the efforts of Mr. Onish and several other Year Book workers, has been increasing with every passing day. This is, of course, most encouraging — but we note with alarm two facts: responses are coming in only from our "veteran" ad-getters; and, secondly, a great,

though not insurmountable, distance still separates us from our goal of \$35,000.

The remedy for the first "ailment" will automatically relieve our second problem. EVERYONE should get behind the Year Book activity — irrespective of previous ad-getting experience — if only to the extent of soliciting ONE AD. The result of such an eventuality would be that the Educational Scholarship Fund would receive the \$35,000 (and possibly even more), and enable more and more children to receive the educational advantages we have to offer in our Ramaz and Religious Schools.

Please do not put down this Bulletin without resolving to do your bit for the 1951 Year Book. Do as much as you can; call upon the Synagogue office to help you, if necessary; and help widen our scholarship aid program. Above all, DO IT TODAY!

OPEN SCHOOL WEEK IN RELIGIOUS SCHOOL

Mr. Myer B. Appleman, principal of the afternoon Religious School, has announced that the week beginning Sunday, February 11th, has been designated Open School Week. Notices have been sent to our parents, advising them of the week set, and inviting them to visit their children's classes.

There are many benefits to be derived from taking advantage of such an opportunity. Among them — the chance to see at first hand how your child participates in classroom work; a means of discussing with your child's teacher any problem relating to the progress your child is making; and, of equal importance, showing your youngster that you are interested in his Jewish education. This is in addition to witnessing most directly the methods employed, and the material used, in giving the pupils of

YOU'LL BE INTERESTED TO KNOW

... that registration for the new term of the Kehilath Jeshurun Institute is now in progress. Call the Synagogue office for further information on the Monday evening classes.

. . . that we are arranging for our Sunday Evening Supper Lectures, which will be held February 25, March 4 and 18, and April 1. Watch the Bulletin for details. Reserve the dates and plan to attend as many as possible.

our Religious School the finest possible training.

Mr. Appleman is confident that a large number of parents will visit classes during the week of the 11th. He looks forward to seeing our parents and helping them in any problem they may have with regard to Hebrew education. The hours: from 4 to 6, Monday through Thursday.

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NORMAN THOMAS TO SPEAK AT MEN'S CLUB MEETING

Once again, the Men's Club will bring to its Forum Meeting platform, the well-known public figure and powerful speaker, Norman Thomas, who will speak on "The Choice Before Us." The meeting will take place Tuesday evening, February 20th, at 8:30 o'clock in the Aditorium of the Synagogue House.

Mr. Thomas needs no introduction to Kehilath Jeshurun. At the last Forum Meeting of the 1949 series, Mr. Thomas spoke before a packed auditorium, with an overflow in the balcony. His remarks on American foreign policy, at that time, evoked real and deep interest, and one of the liveliest question - and - answer periods every heard. Immediately after his talk, we were besieged with requests for a "repeat performance."

Here it is. Mr. Thomas has agreed to be our guest speaker at this meeting, and has chosen as his subject a topic that is as intriguing as it will be interesting. Keep the 20th open for us. The ladies as well as the menfolk in K. J. will be most welcome.

Welfare Fund -

We acknowledge with many thanks the generous contribution of Louis W. Yohann to the Welfare Fund.

WITHIN OUR FAMILY

Birthdays -

Many happy returns of the day to Israel Cummings, Mrs. Harry Fischel, Mrs. Joseph N. Friedman, Mrs. Leopold Heffner, Mrs. Maurice N. Jaffe, Julius Kohn and Miss Cecilie Weiss.

Engagement -

Our felicitations are extended to Miss Helen Lesser of the Ramaz teaching staff on her engagement to Rabbi Michell Geller.

Anniversaries -

Greetings to Mr. and Mrs. Max Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Israel Cummings, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Schenker and to Mr. and Mrs. Louis W. Yohann, who celebrate wedding anniversaries this week.

Speedy Recovery -

Best wishes to Mrs. Edgar Trautman for a complete and speedy recovery from a recent operation.

Vacationing —

Among our members who are vacationing in sunnier climes are Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Baumgarten, Mr. and Mrs. Isidore Etra, Mr. and Mrs. Saul J. Lance, Rabbi and Mrs. Joseph H. Lookstein, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron H. Onish, and Mr. and Mrs. Jules Podell.

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SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

FRIDAY

DAILY

Lighting of Candles Evening	
SATURDAY	
Morning Junior Congregation Weekly Portion: Mishpatim, Exodus 21:1-24:18 Haftorah: Jeremiah 34:8-22; 33:25-26	
Rosh Chodesh Prayers: Rosh Chodesh Adar I will be on Tuesday and Wednesday, February 6 and 7 Evening Conclusion of Sabbath	
SUNDAY	0.00

A MODERN RITUALARIUM

Morning 8:30

Young People's Minyan 9:30

Morning 7:30

Evening 5:10

is located in our community at 158 West 97th Street MOnument 3-0300

THE K. J. CALENDAR

Monday evenings at 8:00 — Sessions in the Kehilath Jeshurun Institute — Synagogue House.

Wednesday evenings at 7:15 — Boy Scouts and Cub Pack — Gymnasium.

Tuesday, Feb. 20, 8:30 p.m. — Men's Club Forum Meeting; Norman Thomas, guest speaker — Auditorium.

Bear in Mind -

Sunday evenings, Feb. 25, Mar. 4 and 18, Apr. 1 — Supper Lecture Series

Week of April 2nd — Sisterhood Bazaar.

Monday, Apr. 16—Men's Club Theater Party.

YAHRZEITS

February

- 3—AARON B. JACOBY
- 3—CHARLES BOGDONOFF
- 4—ABRAHAM K. FLESCHNER
- 4—CHARLES LEFF
- 5—HERMAN ELKELES
- 5—ELIAS GOTTFRIED
- 7—YEIDEL WICK
- 9-ENOCH WOLBERG
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