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You, your family and friends, are cordially invited to attend

Collegiate Sabbath

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 27, IN THE SYNAGOGUE

Morning

Services begin at 9 o'clock

Rabbi Haskel Lookstein will preach at 11:00 A.M.

"OUR COLLEGE YOUTH — AN OFF-CAMPUS LECTURE"

After Services

A Panel discussion

"The Student at College — Problems of Adjustment

Panelists: 1) Marilyn Schneider

- 2) Judith Wallach
- 3) Alfred Kaplan

Moderator: Harvey Leifert

A Buffet Kiddush will follow.

Afternoon

Sabbath Seudah Seminar in honor of Collegiates at 4 o'clock

Mincha Services

Cantor: Franklin Holzer

Reader: Stephan Texon

Discussion:

"A COLLEGIATE LOOKS AT THE WEEKLY PORTION"

Discussants: 1) Menorah Lebowitz

2) Neil Brenner

Light refreshments will be served.

WELCOME

We are happy to list below the young members of our community who are currently attending colleges throughout the country. We salute them through the Bulletin for their intellectual endeavors and look forward to greeting them personally this Saturday at the Collegiate Sabbath celebration.

Herbert Abrams, New York University
Morris J. Amitay, Harvard
Neil Brenner, Columbia
Barry Eichler, Yeshiva College
Woody Einhorn, University of Miami
Ronnie Etra, Yale
Joan Givner, Syracuse
Lynda Anne Goldsmith, Temple
Franklin Holzer, City College
Alfred I. Kaplan, Columbia
Belda Kaufman, Finch
Mrs. Gerald Kaufman, Barnard
Ann Charlotte Kirshon
New York University

Ronald S. Klein, Bard
Elliot Lebowitz, New York University
Menorah Lebowitz, Barnard
Harvey Ira Leifert, Columbia
Brenda Levy, Long Island University
Cecile J. Lichtman, Barnard
Julius Novick, Harvard
Marilyn Schneider, Brandeis
Ruth Schreiber, Finch
Judith Wallach, Syracuse
James B. Winer,

James B. Winer, University of Pennsylvania Mrs. Fredrick Zuckerman, Barnard

WITHIN OUR FAMILY

New Members-

We are happy to welcome to our congregation those new members whose applications were favorably acted upon at our Board of Trustees meeting last week:

Regular Members:

Samuel Morris, Harry Tenenbaum and Nathan Weinberg.
Special Members:

Gertrude Breiner and Mrs. David Kass.

Engagements-

We extend a hearty Mazel Tov to our esteemed Vice President Mr. A. Phillip Goldsmith and to Mrs. Goldsmith upon the engagement of their daughter Ellen to Mr. Philip Harold Radel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Radel. The wedding is planned for the early spring.

A hearty Mazel Tov to our devoted member Dr. Herbert Cooperman upon the engagement of his daughter Janet to Mr. Lewis Lehr son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lehr.

Birthdays-

Many happy returns of the day to Mrs. Myron M. Bogdonoff, Mrs. Frank Goodman, Mrs. Paul Gourary, Mrs. Solomon E. Green, Mrs. Norman H. Halper, Mrs. David Joseph, Mrs. Morton Kamoerman, Mrs. D. Harry Kleinfeld, Mrs. Richard Kolb, and Miss Irene Weiss.

Anniversaries-

Warmest greetings to Dr. and Mrs. Erich Buechler, Mr. and Mrs. Max J. Etra, Mr. and Mrs. Al Feiner, Mr. and Mrs. Gedeon Heller, Mr. and Mrs. Israel Jacobs, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Perlman, Mr. and Mrs. Jack A. Rothenstein and Dr. and Mrs. Judah Zizmor.

Election to Office-

Congratulations to our esteemed President, Mr. Max J. Etra on his election as a Vice President of Beth Israel Hospital. This is but one more deserved honor to come to one who is giving so much of himself to every worthy cause and institution.

Academic Note-

Congratulations to our devoted members Mr. and Mrs. William B. Fischberg on the graduation of their son Bruce from Duke University Medical School and his appointment to the staff of St. Elizabeth Hospital in Washington, D.C.

FATHERS AND SONS OBSERVE A FAST

A fine group of fathers and sons began the vacation period with a special service commemorating the Fast of the Tenth of Tevet. Special prayers were received, the nature of the day was discussed, and a pious mood marked the services.

Leading the prayers as cantors were Mark Wallach, Jonathan Wouk, Ian Schorr, and Charles Trauring. The Torah was read beautifully by Nat Mayer. Many of those present witnessed a weekday fast service for the first time. It was a most worthwhile experience.

We would like to note the names of the participants in our second Chanukah service on December 14th. The cantors were David Lesser, Jonathan Wouk and Jerry Bruss. The Torah was read by Raymond Brenner.

A cordial invitation is extended to all fathers and sons to attend the special vacation minyans this week and next week. The time is 9:30 A.M.

MIZRACHI HATZAIR NOTICE

The Mizrachi Hatzair Senior meeting, originally scheduled for Sunday evening, January 11th, has been postponed due to a conflict of dates. The meeting, which will feature a Book Review of "The Exodus", has been rescheduled for Sunday evening, February 1st. We regret any inconvenience which this change may cause to chapter members.

JUNIOR CONGREGATION

The Junior Congregation minyan continues to grow. This past month David Kahn was elected president and David Popkin vice-president. During Chanukah Martin Rosenberg chanted the Hallel and David Kahn read the Torah. Last Saturday Aaron Holzer and Norman Hellman acted as the cantors.

Your child will enjoy attending this service each week. Send him every Saturday morning at 10:15.

ANCESTORS OF CONTEMPORY JEWRY TO BE DISCUSSED AT THIRD OPEN LECTURE

The third lecture of the Kehilath Jeshurun Adult Institute Open Lecture Series will be delivered by Dr. Irving Agus in the Synagogue Social Hall on Wednesday, January 7th, 1959 at 9:00 P.M.

As part of the general theme "A Historical Portrait of the Jew", this lecture will cover the backgrounds of the Medieval Period. The rise of Christianity, the barbarian invasions of Rome, and the generally bleak nature of the Dark Ages had a deleterious effect upon our ancestors in Italy. Their miraculous survival against overwhelming historical odds made possible the existence of contemporary Jewry.

Our lecturer is eminently qualified to render a penetrating account of this fascinating period in Jewish history. A graduate of New York University, an outstanding scholar of the Talmud, he received his Ph.D. from Dropsie College. An author and editor of several historical works, he is a professor of Jewish History at Yeshiva University specializing in the Medieval Period.

Dr. Agus promises to maintain the high level of scholarship and interest which marked the last Adult Institute Lecture. You will not want to miss his fascinating story. Come with your family and friends for what promises to be an extremely interesting intellectual experience.

Remember the date: Wednesday, January 7th, at 9:00 o'clock.

ADVANCE NOTICE

SABBATH SEUDAH SEMINAR

Saturday, January 3rd, at 4:00 P.M.

Cantor: Dr. Frederick Zuckerman

Reader: William Etra

Discussant: Rabbi Haskel Lookstein

Topic: "A Jewish Leader Is Born"

MEN'S CLUB TO MARK ITS TWENTIETH ANNIVERSARY AT ANNUAL DINNER, JANUARY 15th Rabbi Joseph H. Lookstein, Guest of Honor

You are cordially invited to attend

the

THIRD ADULT INSTITUTE LECTURE

in the Series

"A Historical Portrait of the Jew"

Wednesday evening, January 7th

at 9 o'clock in the Social Hall

DR. IRVING AGUS

Author, Lecturer, and
Professor of Jewish History at Yeshiva University
will speak on

MEDIEVAL JEWRY, PART I
"HOW THE JEWS WE KNOW CAME INTO BEING"

Refreshments will be served

KIDDUSH HOSTS

On Saturday morning, January 3rd the Sabbath Kiddush will be sponsored by our esteemed members Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Rosen.

If any of our members wish to act as Kiddush hosts, they may call the Synagogue Office to reserve a Sabbath.

ADULT INSTITUTE NOTICE

Adult Institute classes will not meet on Wednesday evening December 31st. Regular sessions will resume the following week on Wednesday evening, January 7th, at 8:00 o'clock and will be followed by the Third Adult Institute Lecture. Two decades of continuous service to the Synagogue and the community will be celebrated by the Kehilath Jeshurun Men's Club at its Annual Dinner on Thursday evening, January 15th, 1959. This signal event, unique among Men's Club groups around the nation which are affiliated with orthodox congregations, will climax twenty years of fruitful growth and development of our Men's Club.

In recognition of the devoted efforts of one who was the architect of this group and whose imprint is still noted in all phases of its activity, the Men's Club has selected as its Guest of Honor on this occasion Rabbi Joseph H. Lookstein.

In the course of this score of years the Men's Club initiated the successful Father and Son Minyan, instituted summer camp scholarships for deserving youngsters, raised tens of thousands of dollars for religious educational scholarship aid and participated generously in numerous worthy communal endeavors.

The group has been most fortunate in having men like Ira. F. Weisman, Hyman I. Bucher and Dr. Robert Wallach to guide and direct its affairs during their terms as president.

The Dinner Committee, under the capable chairmanship of Ira F. Weisman, has planned a gala evening filled with reminiscences and good fellowship.

You will not want to miss this never to be forgotten event in the history of the Kehilath Jeshurun Men's Club. You have received invitations in the mail. Please let us know of your inteded participation by communicating with the Synagogue Office.

PLEASE NOTE

The next issue of the Bulletin will appear on Friday, January 9th, 1959. Please retain this issue as it contains information for the forthcoming two week period.

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SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

Friday	Decem	her	26

Morning

Daily Services

Morning

Father-and-Son-Minyan

Lighting of Candles	4:15				
Evening	4:20				
Saturday					
Morning	9:00				
Junior Congregation 10:15 Weekly Portion: Vayehi (Genesis 47:28-50:26) Haftorah: I Kings 2:1-12					
Evening	4:00				
Conclusion of Sabbath	5:10				
Friday, January 2					
Lighting of Candles	4:20				
Evening	4:30				
Saturday					
Morning	9:00				
Junior Congregation	10:15				
Weekly Portion: Shemot					
(Exodus 1:1-6:1					
Haftorah: Isaiah 27:6-28:13; 29:22-23					
Rosh Chodesh Prayers:					
Rosh Chodesh Shevat will be on Saturday, January 10.					
Evening	4:00				
Conclusion of Sabbath	5:15				
Sunday					

YAHRZEITS

December

27-TOBY KAILES 27-RACHEL GOODMAN

28-KATIE ULLMAN

28-MINNA BELKIN

29-LOUIS GIVNER

29-SOPHIE GOODSIDE

29-JOSEPH KOTTLER

29-PHILIP BACHRACH

30-MARTHA HECKSCHER

30-HARRY FISCHEL

31-ANNIE MANDELBAUM

31-CECELIA FELDBERG

January-

1-ESTHER SCHLANG

1-WALTER H. STINER

1-SAMUEL ULLMAN

1-SAMUEL KINGSON

2-WILLIAM GOLDMAN

3-MINNIE SHAPIRO

3-SAM BUCHER

3-MINNIE LIPSCHUTZ

4-JACOB J. LANDAU

4-S. LAWRENCE BRODY

5-JULIA ADLER

5-ALBERT HERSHKOVITZ

5-SARAH KERNER

6-HARRY WESTERMAN

6-DORA PERLMAN

7-FLORA MUENSTERBERGER

7-ISIDORE FISCHMAN

7-DORA RHODES

8-JANE FISCHEL

8-CLARA LEWIS

8-ELIAS I. GORDON

8-LOUIS J. LEBOWITZ

8-AMELIA SIEGEL

8-HAIAH S. FISCHEL

9-WOLF SIGALL

CONDOLENCE

We extend our sincere condolences to our dear member Mrs. Rose Alpert upon the loss of her beloved mother.

We extend our heartfelt sympathy to the members of the bereaved family and pray that the Almighty may spare them further grief for many years to

Evening Entered as second class postage - paid at New York, under the act of August 24, 1912 as amended.

8:30

9:30

7:30

4:30

K - J CALENDAR

Saturday, 3:00 P.M.-Junior Youth Group Meeting

Sunday, 11:00 A.M.-Class in Liturgical Procedures

Monday, January 5th, 12:00 o'clock-Sisterhood Board meeting at the home of Mrs. Hyman Abrams

Wednesday, January 7th, 8:00 P.M.-Talmud Class; Elementary Hebrew; Intermediate Hebrew 9:00 P.M.-Third Adult Institute Lecture in Social Hall-Lecturer: Dr. Irving Agus.

Saturday, January 10th, 8:30-Young Marrieds Group meeting

Thursday, January 15th-Twentieth Annual Men's Club Dinner

JEWRY DUTY

We wish to thank the following "Jewrors" who served during the past week: Albert Amitay and Dr. H. Harold Gelfand.

Volunteers for the coming weeks should contact Mr. Israel D. Rosenberg.

HAPPY DAY FUND

The Sisterhood acknowledges with gratitude a contribution to the Happy Day Fund from Mrs. Elliott W. Siegel. Members are urged to share their joyous occasions by making a gift to the Fund and sending their contributions to Mrs. Robert H. Zessman, 12 East 87 Street, the Fund Chairman.

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