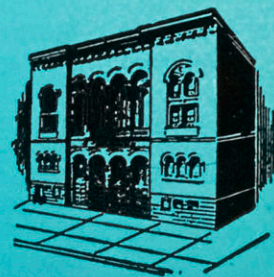


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MAX J. ETRA ELECTED TO TWENTY-FIRST TERM AS CONGREGATION PRESIDENT; A. PHILLIP GOLDSMITH, VICE-PRESIDENT; SAMUEL A. MARCUS, TREASURER; JOSEPH ROTH, SECRETARY.

Thirty-four New Members Inducted

The Auditorium of the Synagogue House was filled to capacity on Monday evening, May 11th, for the eighty-seventh Annual Meeting of the Congregation. Mr. Max J. Etra was enthusiastically elected as President for his twenty-first term. He carried his entire slate with him, resulting in the unanimous re-election of Mr. A. Phillip Goldsmith as Vice-President, Mr. Samuel A. Marcus as Treasurer and Mr. Joseph Roth as Secretary.

Thirty-four new members previously approved by the Board of Trustees were formally elected to membership in the Congregation. In an impressive ceremony they were presented by Mr. Harry Etra, who introduced them on behalf of the Membership Committee.

Anniversarians Cited

Mr. Isadore Schlang, a member of the Congregation for half a century, was honored on the occasion of his

fiftieth anniversary. He was presented by Mr. Harry Bachrach who several years ago was similarly honored as a fiftieth anniversarian. Mr. Bachrach spoke very movingly about the history of the Congregation as he remembered it. In response, Mr. Isadore Schlang spoke very impressively about his experiences at Kehilath Jeshurun and what his affiliation with the Congregation meant to him and to his family.

Mr. Elliott W. Siegel, who observed his twentieth anniversary as a member of the Congregation, was presented by Mr. Joseph Roth. Mr. Siegel was accompanied to the platform by his lovely wife, and their son Lewis D. Siegel looked on with pride as the President presented the formal citation to them.

Presidential Report

The President then read his Annual Report in which he spoke of the past achievements of the Congregation and of the plans for the future. He said in part:

"Our Congregation has become not big but great. Our hope is to make it not bigger but greater. Our concern should always be to retain the family character of the Congregation and its quality as an intimate religious fellowship."

Retiring Trustees Honored

Mr. Alexander Kommel and Mr. Louis W. Yohann, both of whom served on the Board of Trustees for fifteen years, were honored on the occasion of their retirement from the Board. Each of these devoted and faithful servants of the Congregation received a beautiful silver Kiddush goblet, appropriately inscribed.

Trustees Elected

Mr. Hyman I. Bucher and Mr. Eugene Hollander were elected for three-year terms to the Board of Trustees of the Congregation. Other trustees re-elected were: Dr. Samuel Belkin; Harry Etra; Alexander Gross; Isaac E. Okun and Ira F. Weisman.

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Over a century of Synagogue affiliation is represented as 50th Anniversarian Harry Bachrach (right) greets Isadore Schlang on attaining his 50th year of membership.



Elliott W. Siegel accepts a scroll on the occasion of his twentieth anniversary of synagogue affiliation from Max J. Etra, as Mrs. Siegel and Joseph Roth look on.

Rabbi Joseph H. Lookstein will preach this Sabbath at 11:00 A.M.
"THE WORLD CAN USE A SABBATICAL YEAR"

ANNUAL MEETING

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Tribute to the Departed

Brief eulogies were delivered by Rabbi Joseph H. Lookstein for Abraham L. Marcus, Rose Schlang and Sam Witkin, members of the Congregation who passed away during the course of the year. Reverend Samuel Vigoda, our Visiting Cantor, chanted the traditional memorial prayer for the departed, while the membership stood in reverent silence.

Adult Institute Ceremony

A new feature introduced at this meeting was the awarding of Certificates of Achievement to the forty-two students who attended regularly the courses of the Adult Institute. They were presented by Mr. Martin Markson, Chairman of the Adult Education Committee. Their names appear elsewhere in this bulletin.

Ramaz Membership Meeting

The Ramaz Membership Corporation held a brief meeting which was presided over by Mr. A. Phillip Goldsmith, Chairman of the Board of Trustees of Ramaz School. The following Ramaz trustees were re-elected: Harry W. Baumgarten; A. Milton Brown; Max J. Etra; George Jacobs; Hermann Merkin; Isaac E. Okun; Romie Shapiro and Nathan Warshaw.

Rabbi Haskel Lookstein pronounced the invocation. The young Assistant Rabbi attended the meeting in the company of his fiancée, Miss Audrey Katz, who was warmly received by the membership.

Rabbi Joseph H. Lookstein concluded the meeting with his closing remarks, which have become one of the delightful and welcome features of the meeting.

After the meeting was adjourned, the membership assembled in the Social Hall at an elaborate Buffet Reception. The spirit of sociability was heart-warming. Those who were there for the first time realized what our veteran members knew for a long time—Kehilath Jeshurun is, indeed, a happy family.



A group of new members are shown listening to words of welcome, following their formal induction as members of Kehilath Jeshurun.

NEWLY ELECTED CONGREGATION TRUSTEES

Hyman I. Bucher



Eugene Hollander

WITHIN OUR FAMILY**Birthdays —**

Many happy returns of the day to Justin J. Bayer, Max J. Etra, Mrs. Caroline Goldstein, Hon. George Postel, Abris Silberman, Herman Wouk and Mrs. Albert A. Zuch.

Anniversaries —

Warmest greetings to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bachrach, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Coan and Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Karlin.

ACTIVITIES REPORT AVAILABLE

Copies of the Report on Activities of Congregation Kehilath Jeshurun — 1959 which were distributed at the Annual Meeting are available upon request. If you desire a copy please contact the Synagogue Office.

CERTIFICATES OF ACHIEVEMENT AWARDED TO ADULT INSTITUTE STUDENTS

Forty-two students received Certificates of Achievement at the Annual Meeting of the Congregation. These students attended regularly throughout the year at least one course of the Adult Institute curriculum. Some of the students attended several courses. The Certificates of Achievement are awarded by the Yeshiva University Department of Adult Education, with which the Kehilath Jeshurun Institute is affiliated.

Those who received the Certificates are: Victor Binstock; Meyer W. Blumberg; Mrs. Eva Breindel; Sidney Burnett; Mrs. Ida Conrad; Mrs. Larry Dratler; Max J. Etra; Dr. Theodore Fink; Joseph N. Friedman; William Heyman; Abraham I. Holzer; Mrs. Elia Kanarek; Mrs. Gerald Kaufman; Gerald Kaufman; Mrs. Irving Kobrin; Irving Kobrin; Lawrence Kobrin; Mrs. Richard Kolb; Edward Lebowitz; William Lebowitz; Samuel Lerner; Miss Shari Lookstein; Bernard Moosnick; Mrs. Max Novod; Max Novod; Mrs. Eric Oppenheimer; z Mrs. Elsa Oster; Bernard Podell; Mrs. Arthur Rosen; Isadore Schlang; Abraham Seidenberg; Jacob P. Shulman; Mrs. Aaron Silver; Aaron J. Simon; Dr. Miriam Trachman; Dr. Sadie Trachman; Marco Wachter; Mrs. Jack Wieder; Mrs. Joy Yager; Mrs. Evelyn Zar; Mrs. Frederick Zuckerman and Dr. Frederick Zuckerman.

BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE

Publication Date June 1st

We wish to remind our readers that the Book of Remembrance is now in the process of preparation. Many of our readers have already sent in the names of those people whom they wish to be memorialized at Yizkor services throughout the year.

You have received the necessary forms in the mail. If you have not yet returned the completed forms to the synagogue, please do so without delay. No name is recorded merely on the basis of a previous listing. It is necessary that authorization be given before a name is included.

Invariably there are some who fail to notify us of their wishes in time. Sometimes there is disappointment when the name of a departed dear one does not appear. Please, therefore, notify us immediately of your wishes. We must have all the information by June 1st, on which day the Book will go to press.

KEHILATH JESHURUN MEN'S CLUB

cordially invites you and your friends to attend its

Concluding Meeting

This Tuesday evening, May 26th

in the Auditorium

DR. LOUIS LINN

Distinguished psychiatrist, lecturer
and author, will discuss

"PSYCHIATRY AND THE RELIGIOUS EXPERIENCE"

Ladies invited

Collation following the meeting



More than thirty of the Adult Institute students who received certificates for the successful completion of various courses during the year at the synagogue.

**KEHILATH JESHURUN
SISTERHOOD**

Presents

"ASK ANY GIRL"

A New Motion Picture

Starring

**DAVID NIVEN and
SHIRLEY McLAINE**

at the

RADIO CITY MUSIC HALL

This Monday evening, May 25th

Limited number of tickets
still available

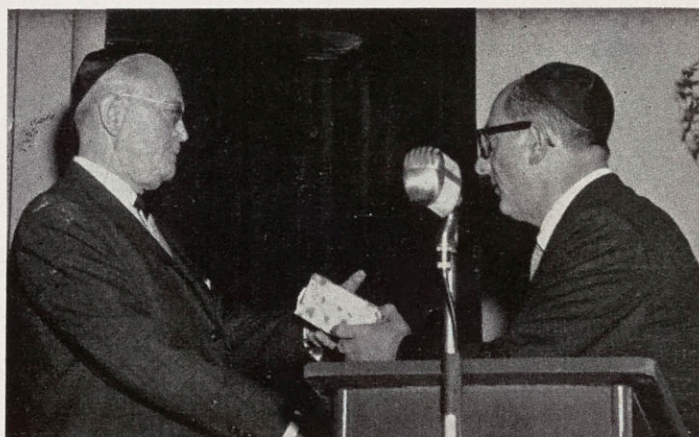
For reservations call SA 2-0800



A partial view of the membership after the 87th Annual Meeting enjoying the reception and buffet in the Social Hall.



Alexander Kommel, retiring trustee, accepts a kiddush goblet from Max J. Etra as a token of appreciation for a job well done.



Completing a successful tour of duty as a trustee Louis W. Yohann receives a kiddush goblet from Max J. Etra.

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SCHEDULE OF SERVICES**FRIDAY***

Evening 6:15

SATURDAY

Morning 9:00
Junior Congregation 10:15
Weekly Portion: BEHAR
(LEVITICUS 25:1-26:2)
Haftorah: JEREMIAH 32:6-27
Evening 8:00
Conclusion of Sabbath 8:45

DAILY SERVICES

Morning 7:30
Sunday morning 8:30
Evening 6:15

*Sabbath Candles are kindled twenty minutes before sunset. Those, however, who conform to our schedule of ushering in the Sabbath at 6:15 P.M. should also light candles at that hour.

AN EIGHT-GRAVE FAMILY PLOT

On the congregation's grounds at
BETH EL CEMETERY
Is available at a nominal cost

Further information may be had by contacting our Ritual Director, Israel D. Rosenberg, at the Synagogue Office (SA 2-0800).

BASKET BALL GROUP CONCLUDES

Now that the warm weather is upon us, a young man's fancy turns from basketball to baseball. Not having facilities for a baseball diamond, we are forced reluctantly to surrender our teen age hoopsters to the lure of the ball fields in Central Park.

Our thanks to Al Kaplan for supervising this group. We hope to resume activity in the Fall.

JEWRY DUTY

We wish to thank the following "Jewrors" who served during the past week: Nico DeGraaff and Nathan Weinberg.

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

YOUR COOPERATION, PLEASE

Recipients of our weekly Bulletin — and members of the Congregation, in particular — are urged to inform the office of any change of address or telephone number, home or business. The necessity for keeping the Synagogue Office files accurate and up-to-date is obvious. Your cooperation in this matter will be appreciated.

A MODERN RITUALARIUM

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

Yahrzeits**May**

23—ROSALIE LEVY
23—JEANETTE GIVNER
23—SONIA SCHUCHMAN
23—JENNIE ROEDER
23—MAX PIERMONT
24—ISAAC D. POPKIN
25—MARCUS ROTHENSTEIN
26—GOLDIE BAUM
27—MINNIE POFCHER
27—JACOB OKUN
27—HERSH HEFFNER
27—MINA KLEIN
27—ROSE RUBIN
28—HARRIS GREEN
29—EDWARD BERNARD
29—MARY ROSENBLUM
29—ETHEL METZGER
29—JOSEPH M. WEISS

K-J CALENDAR

Saturday, 7:00 P.M.—Sabbath Class — "Ethics of the Fathers"

Monday Evening — Sisterhood Theatre Party

Tuesday, 8:30 P.M. — Final Men's Club Meeting in the Auditorium

Wednesday, 8:00 P.M. — Summer Talmud Class in the Library

Sunday, May 31st, 8:30 P.M. — Young Marrieds Group meeting at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Frederick Zuckerman

NEW BUTCHER UNDER SUPERVISION

For the information of residents of Yorkville we are happy to announce that the butcher shop at 1200 Madison Ave., now owned by Bernard Scheiner, is under the supervision of the Park East Kashruth Board.

We again list below the neighborhood butcher shops that continue to be under the supervision of the Board.

Max Backer — 202 E. 87th St. — AT-water 9-7234.

L. Berger — 1224 Lexington Ave. — TR 7-9888.

Eugene Czeisler — 1520 York Ave — RHinelander 4-5918.

Fishman and Falkowitz — 1229 Madison Ave. — Susquehanna 7-3545.

E. Klein — 1260 Madison Ave. — TR. 6-5638.

Iser Salzman — 1279 Second Ave. — RHinelander 4-9823.

Eli Vizel — 1547 First Ave. — REgent 4-2280.

RIVERSIDE

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Funeral Directors

76th ST. AND AMSTERDAM AVENUE
ENDICOTT 2-6600

CHARLES ROSENTHAL, Director