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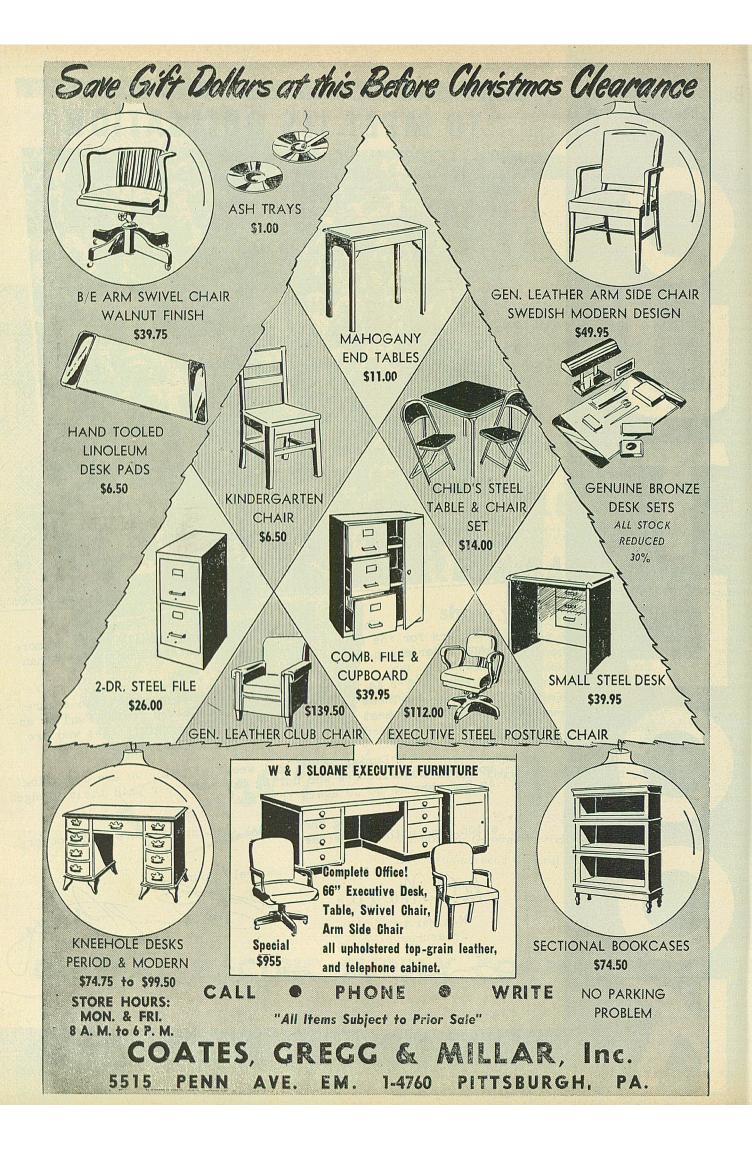
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### **Between You and Me** By BORIS SMOLAR J.T.A. Editor

A MERICAN DEVELOPMENTS: Another big American loanexceeding the \$100,000,000 loan of March, 1949-is in store for Israel . . . This, independent of whether Israel will receive from the United States any aid under President Truman's Point Four program . . . Heartiest congratulations to Dr. Joseph J. Schwartz on his taking over the director-ship of the United Jewish Appeal . . . The heavy task which he is now undertaking must be made as easy as possible for him by all elements of American Jewry among whom he has become so popular for his excellent record in the J.D.C. . . Experts predict that the U.J.A. income in 1951 may substantially supersede the results of this year's drive, since taxes will be increased in 1951 . . . And it is taken for granted that in a year of increased taxes, the U.J.A. will get larger contributions, in view of the fact that these contributions can be de-ducted from tax returns . . . The American section of the Jewish Agency is now forming a committee to bring about coordination between the U.J.A. and the forthcoming campaign for the sale of Israel bonds which will be directed by Henry Montor . . . And the Council of Jewish Federations and Welfare Funds is similarly interested in seeing to it that these two drives do not "compete" with each other . . . The Jewish Agency in-tends also to call a conference of interested groups for the purpose of setting up machinery to mobilize American technicians and experts needed in Israel.

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JEWISH MYTHS: The second volume of the Standard Dictionary of Folklore, Mythology and Leg-end, published by Funk & Wag-nalls, made its appearance this week . . . And we find in it quite a number of interesting chapters concerning Hebrew myths The chapter is written by no better authority than Theodore H. Gaster, who also is the author of a chapter there on Semitic folk-lore . . . He presents novel ideas about the origin of Biblical folktales, such as the serpent in Eden, Balaam's ass, the ravens which fed Elijah, Jonah and the whale, Lot's wife, the parting of the Red Sea, the rescue of Lot from Sodom, the destruction of Korah . . . Most of this material, he claims, was derived by Biblical writers from the popular lore of Canaan and the adjacent lands, and was by no means their own primary inven-tion . . . In general he asserts that a great deal of what passes today for Jewish folklore really represents direct borrowing from the Gentile peoples among whom the Jews happened to have been dispersed.

## .. During The Week"

by JOE HARRISON FRIED

MERICA: The Accuser Recants: Big, warm crocodile-like tears A A edged their way down the face of a man whose whole heart, soul and effort these past five years have gone into a never-ceasing fight to discredit the Jewish People. Conde McGinley's violently anti-Semitic hate rag, bearing the grossly mis-leading title "Common Sense" had outgrown its cramped hole and expanded into a chain of three offices, thanks to the generous tear-shedder. The war criminal and arch foe of the Jews, Haj Amin El Hussini, the ex-"Grand Mufti" of Jerusalem, was a happier man firm with the belief that he could count upon at least one "Jew's" backing when the chips were down

And before the week was to end, that Jew, Benjamin H. Freedman, whose most sympathetic and kindly description, outside of the orchids tossed by the hate boys and the Arab League, has been "a confused man" and "an international meddler," was up to his neck in a smear campaign which Washington veteran observers called among the dirtiest they had witnessed in a decade.

This time little energetic Mrs. Anna M. Rosenberg was on the receiving end of the Freedman-inspired campaign-for a time, that is.

It didn't take too long for the two-fisted sincere little woman to clear the decks—and her name, too, of slanderous charges of "Com-munism." When the noise and shouting had given way to hushed whispers in Washington's select corridors, word made the rounds that Mrs. Rosenberg's "accusers" were in for some rough times. Perjury charges were in the offing for those who had attempted to smear Mrs. R. reporters learned.

Ben Freedman, who admittedly sent a cable to an agent of the Arab League in which he promised "fullest cooperation" to Hitler's buddy, the infamous "Grand Mufti," rushed to assure one and all that he had nothing personal against Mrs. R. He was her "friend," Freed-man claimed; he was "anxious" to clear Anna Rosenberg's good name. He would in fact divert some of his thousands of dollars-10 of them to be more precise-to help "discover" the "real" Mrs. Rosenberg mentioned on a number of occasions in reports of the Un-American Activities Committee as a Communist sympathizer.

was all "broken up" about the affair, the anything-but-broke He was all "broken up about the analy, the chydrogen broken up about the analy, the chydrogen broken up about the analy the set of the right thing." Days before the storm broke and in whispered conversations with certain congressmen, reportedly including the anti-Jewish Rankin and the vicious hate-spreader Gerald L. K. Smith, Freedman had allegedly pursued a completely different line; a line which wound-up behind the closed doors of the Senate Armed Services Committee which probed the charges of "Red affiliations" against the Assistant Secretary of Defense.

When the hearings ended, the senators said the charges were factless; a complete washout. Mrs. Rosenberg, the findings disclosed, was as clean of the Red charges as a Puritan's kitchen is of dust.

But before the words had made print the hate-sheets had managed From coast to coast they screamed of Anna's to squeeze in a few licks. (please turn to page 27)

## Rahhi Goodman A. Rose

ast Sunday our Jewish community suffered a tremendous loss in the death of Rabbi Goodman A. Rose. He was a magnificent spiritual leader and a sincere Hebrew scholar. His death was indeed a shock to all of us and our sympathies, as deep as they are, are far exceeded by the sudden vacuum which his death has created in our midst.

leader in this city's spiritual life for the past 26 years, all of them fruitful ones for the Beth Shalom Congregation, he exhibited a unique humanitarianism and devotion to his work. It is fitting, too, that Rabbi Rose was a native of Philadelphia, traditionally known as the city of Brother-ly Love; for he best exemplified that ideal in many of our lives.

The contributions which he made will not soon be forgotten; he established in his congregation a rare enthusiasm for the Hebraic values we have been so prone to discard. His tradition will be maintained infinitely in the hearts of his con-gregants and in the enterprises of his "Bar Mitzvah Boys." By JANE LEVINE STERN **Outlook Executive Editor** 

Just a Word

A t the risk of sounding like a A broken record, we offer this week an old story with a new "twist." It seems that two old



favorites have recently collab-orated and come up with an unpopular example of our favorite entertainment: a literary milestone in most of our lives, Charles Dickens' "Oliv-Twist" was very recently

Jane L. Stern

produced as a film offering by the master screenman, J. Arthur Rank. On the surface this would ap-

pear a classic collaboration and additionally a boon to the Hol-lywood wearied medium. But, as it must so frequently, anti-Sem-itism rears its ugly head; in this case the result of Dickens own shortcoming in characterizationfor the novel clearly draws a more vicious and Victorian "Shylock."

Not having seen the movie ourselves, we can only rely on those distant critics and review boards who claim that the film is not at all conducive to goodwill or bro-therhood. We do admit to a morbid curiosity! The film has already seen some rather rough treatment, when it appeared in both England and Berlin. During its latter show-ings, in 1949, "Oliver Twist" generated some lively and widespread rioting. But that's a mighty tender spot to exhibit any sabres or similar weapons to that very tired remnant of non-aryanism.

Nevertheless, the film's releasing agency, Eagle-Lion Classics, scheduled a January 19 exhibition in this country. Already the Breen Department, consistently upheld in reviews by the Eric Johnson office, has denied its approval to the film; New York State board of censors recently approved the showings in that state. To date, the only specific showing booked, with a Texas movie house chain, has been cancelled.

This, incidentally, is one of the rare occasions when we will differ in decision with the American Civil Liberties Union, whose Council of Freedom from Censorship has assailed these disapprovals of the film. We are a little biased on the subject, but by any measure of values we fail to see the loss born on such a denial. If "Oliver" was capable of inciting riots, as already indicated, we hardly feel safe in exposing some of our weaker numbers to him. And the back of our palms to Mr. Rank, also, who is a big boy now and really should have known better.





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A facsimile of the violently anti-Semitic "Williams Intelligence Summary" which smeared Mrs. Anna M. Rosenberg as a link in the Red network and part of a world-wide "Jewish conspiracy." The same hate-sheet terms Gen. George Marshall "doddering." (American Jewish Press)

### **Details of Smear Campaign** Against Anna Rosenberg By JOE HARRISON FRIED

series of new startling details in the well-organized anti-Semitic A hate campaign to smear Mrs. Anna M. Rosenberg as a "Com-munist sympathizer" and thus wreck her career as Assistant Defense Secretary of the United States were unfolded to the American Jewish Press this week as anti-Zionist propagandist and hate-sheet financier Benjamin H. Freedman revealed his plans to sue radio commentator mitted ex-Communist and later

Fulton Lewis, Jr., a major radio station, and Lewis' sponsors for a million dollars.

Eccentric Freedman, elaborating on his secret testimony last week before the Senate Armed Services Committee probing the alleged charges against Mrs. Rosenberg, told the American Jewish Press that two agents, Donald Surin, whom he said represented Senator Joe McCarthy, and Edward K. Nellor, a prober for radio com-mentator Lewis, flouted a set of four photographs of Mrs. Rosenberg and attempted to have him identify them as the 'Mrs. Rosenberg' who allegedly attended meetings of a Communist-front organization.

Freedman said he refused to identify the pictures "because I couldn't." Later in the conversation in Freedman's apartment, the self-styled "ex-communicated Jew" and financier for the hate-sheet "Common Sense," charged that Nellor leaned over and commented, "this Rosenberg business is an-other Hiss case."

"Then he went on to tell me what he would do about it," a shaky-voiced Freedman told the American Jewish Press.

The pair had gained entrance to Freedman's swank Central Park apartment, the grand Mufti-sympathizer claimed, by giving the impression that they were investi-gators from the Armed Forces Committee. In the course of in-troduction, Freedman said, he was handed a letter by the pair. "Who's it from?" Freedman said

he asked. "It's a letter of introduction

from Gerald L. K. Smith," came the alleged reply. Freedman claimed he never read

the letter. He refused to answer questions, too, and referred the probers to Ralph de Sola, an adkey witness in the smear campaign

against Mrs. Rosenberg. But Freedman, claiming that he was sufficiently convinced that the pair were authorized investigators for the Armed Services Committee charged with probing the charges against Mrs. Rosenberg, that he jotted down a note to de Sola reading "These two men are Armed Service Committee investigators. You can talk to them.

While Nellor and Surin allegedly waited in another room, Freedman was giving the brushoff to two FBI agents, Fagan and Shores, sifting for the truth in the drummed-up case against FDR's

former right-hand woman. "I don't want to talk with you," Freedman told the FBI agents. "I'll discuss this with the proper authorities. Now goodbye."

The 'proper authorities' turned out to be Nellor and Surin, though later both men denied Freedman's charges.

The following evening Fulton Lewis, Jr. took to the air to tell of new alleged charges of "Communist affiliation by Mrs. Rosen-berg and referred to Freedman as a violent anti-Semite."

Because Lewis made that reference to the man who spent a for-tune smearing the Zionist movement and backing a hate-sheet that wages an all-out campaign to smear prominent American Jews, (please turn to page 31)

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## **Capital Spotlight**

By MILTON FRIEDMAN

W ASHINGTON—High government officials are confident that, if World War III breaks out, Israel will become involved on the side of the United States. This is indicated by the most reliable barometer of international relations in the world today. The barometer

is the export licensing of munitions. Israel is now permitted to choose – from a large selection of arms in Is the American and British arsenals. The only catch is that Israel lacks the money with which to buy. The Chinese Communist inter-

vention in Korea widened the gap between East and West. Israel's policy of "non-identification" seems at an end. The angry resignation of a number of Israel diplomats stationed behind the Iron Curtain was symptomatic of the growing cordiality between the U.S. and Israel. The very day these resignations were reported here, Israel Foreign Minister Moshe Sharett was a guest at a luncheon served in his honor by Under-Secretary of State James E. Webb at the old Forrestal mansion.

Luncheon guests also included Major General James H. Burns, chief of international affairs of the Department of Defense; French Ambassador Henri Bonnet; Franks; Durward V. Sandifer, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for United Nations Affairs; Williard L. Thorpe, Assistant Sec-retary of State for Economic Af-fairs; George C. McGhee, Assist-ant Secretary of State for Near Eastern Affairs, and other digni-taries. Why did the British and French Ambassadors, an important Defense Department General, the Under-Secretary of State of the U.S., and an imposing group of American officials take time out to cater to Sharett when official Washington was frantic with war preparations? Why would they take two hours from their efforts to halt the Red Chinese avalanche to drink mushroom soup with the Israel Foreign Minister? Was it because they fear further Red ag-gression in other parts of the world and want Israel as an ally?

Ironically, a number of those who participated in the luncheon also participated in attempts to prevent the state of Israel from being established. Times have changed. Those who turned their backs on Sharett when he was with the Jewish Agency now urged the Foreign Minister to have a second helping of roast lamb.

Sharett's government today has much in common with the British which once threw him into jail for advocating independence. Both Britain and Israel are applicants for U.S. economic aid. The British and Israelis have labor govern-ments, austerity programs, veered to the right in current elections.

Israel, like Britain, has close ties with the American people. Israel and Britain are afraid

that MacArthur's aggressiveness might bring about an all-out war before the democracies are prepared. Israel, like Britain, suf-fered greatly from warfare during the past decade and fears the effects of another world war almost as much as Communism itself is feared. Both countries seek some sort of modus vivendi with Communism, if possible, so that the atomic destruction of civilization may be averted. They know that Soviet bombers are nearer to Britain and Israel than to the U.S.

Britain, like Israel, recognized the Communist authorities at Peking as the actual government of China. They both regard Chiang Kai Shek's Nationalists as unreliable to the cause of democracy. (Israel officials recall that Chiang Kai Shek went out of his way to instruct his delegate to the United Nations to oppose the Jews of Palestine and to fight against Israel's entry to the U.N.) Israel has expressed its moral

indignation at Communist aggression in Korea. Medical supplies were sent from Israel to the U.N. forces.

The U.S. and Britain are beginning to reap the fruits of their long appeasement policy toward the recalcitrant Arab world. As Anglo-American military units suffered a tragic defeat in Korea, the Arabs took advantage of the situation to demand that British troops leave the strategic Suez Canal Zone. Arab leaders indicated they would "consider realities" and at-tempt to reach an understanding with Russia to rid the Near East of "western imperialism."

Allied fortunes were low and casualty lists high when Secretary-General Azzam Pasha of the Arab League openly insulted the State Department in an address before the National Press Club. It was a speaking engagement which the State Department helped to bring about. Assistant Secretary Mc-Ghee sat in the audience as an honored guest to hear himself de-nounced as a "meddler."

On the other hand, Israel loomed as the only democracy in the Near East-the only country the U.S. could really trust.

Israel is awaiting a much-needed loan from the U.S. It is safe to predict that extension of such a loan will occur at a time when the State Department is thoroughly satisfied with Israel's views on the world picture. That time may not be far off. It is also important, however, that the State Depart-ment consider Tel Aviv's deep con-cern over how Israel's overt actions might jeopardize the mil-lions of Jews in Communist countries.

**Eternal Light's Bible Tale** On Dec. 24, the Eternal Light, (12:30-1 p.m., KDKA) will fea-ture "David and Jonathan," writ-ten by Irve Tunick.

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### Israel Speaks Up

For a number of months now, we've had the very vague hint that Israel was shortly to come of age among the family of nations. We weren't quite certain how this was to materialize, but we had faith; nor did we feel it would take place with a single incident. But this has been the very case. For last week, Israel Foreign Minister Moshe Sharett outlined before the United Nations Political Committee what that nation considers a practical formula for a peaceful settlement in the Far East crisis.

Practicality aside, we consider his statement a brilliant addition to the diplomatic literature of our era. For he not only uttered a popular demand for a cease fire, but issued a complete program for permanent peace in Korea. Calling for a settlement that would be accomplished in stages, Sharett listed the following points:

1. An immediate cease-fire; 2. Reaffirmation of the goal of a unified and independent Korea; 3. Holding of free elections; 4. Constitution of a Korean commission with the participation of all directly-concerned parties; 5. Progressive withdrawal of all non-Korean forces within six months; 6. Rehabilitation of the territory under the aegis of the United Nations; 7. A general pledge of non-intervention.

Noting that most of these objectives have appeared in both majority and minority resolutions on Korea previously, Mr. Sharett said that it appeared a formula for which unanimous support of the Assembly could reasonably be expected. He added that such an implementation of a cease-fire arrangement "would undoubtedly create a favorable atmosphere for the peaceful settlement" of all outstanding questions affecting the relations of the Communist Chinese government with the United Nations.

Above, we questioned the practicality of this formula, not because it is in any wise outrageous; it merely implies the reality which to date does not exist —that of the need for more than one party to agree. If certain parties are not amenable to the initial point, that of a cease-fire, then little of this blueprint can be realized.

Simultaneous with this plan, Mr. Sharett revealed that his delegation had employed numerous efforts, primarily through discussions with other delegations, to arrive at a Korean settlement. His most important revelation, however, was that Israel, although regarding the crossing of the 38th parallel as legitimate and vital by U.N. forces, had urged in all its conversations with leading U.N. delegations that "fighting and military advance should be confined to the indispensable minimum and that there should be a readiness to forego pressing the advantage to the utmost limit, so as not to invite, or even to appear to be inviting, the intensification or widening of the conflagration."

It is appropriate too that Israel should have spoken up at this point, since she represented the nation that had been a party to the world organization's first and most notable cease-fire arrangement. Sharett revealed that he had been present at the informal gathering hosted by Secretary-General Trygve Lie, at which he had met with the Peiping emissary, Wu Hsiu-chun, in an effort to explore the possibility of resolving the crisis. Though that particular gathering ended inconclusively, it directly led to subsequent meetings with other delegates and eventually to this peace formula.

We feel that most of this action definitely raises Israel to a mature position in the U.N. and among the nations of the world. We are proud that Israel spoke up at this point. We note this effort by Moshe Sharett as the beginning of a diplomatic status which will rank Israel for many years with the enterprising, peace-seeking family of the world.

#### This Survey Shows— Recently the Anti-Defamation League

Recently the Anti-Defamation League of B'nai B'rith, in conjunction with Professor Mozell Hill, head of the department of sociology of Atlanta University, undertook a survey to ascertain certain opinions in regard to Negro feelings in the South.

The survey sought to focus on certain aspects of Civil Rights to which the South agrees and to determine the status of Negroes there in respect to these rights. This was facilitated by questioning 1,000 Negro students at the Atlanta University summer school. The group questioned represented a geographical cross-section of the South; 70% of those questioned had attained professional status while 30% were students on the college level.

We shall attempt to summarize the points cited in the survey. But initially, we should like to indicate our approval of such an undertaking. If any group among us is to strengthen and enhance those values which we classify as Civil-Rights, we feel that the Anti-Defamation League will be the group, or at least in the forefront of such an effort. The following are the chief points which ADL cites:

Negroes rarely expect to get equal treatment from white policemen, feeling that in disputes between the two races, white policemen will be prejudiced.

Where Negroes have been appointed to the police force, 72% of those questioned reported definite improvement in police standards. Courts were rated higher than police forces, with a little less than one-half questioned anticipating fair treatment therein.

There is a consistent decline in adverse sentiment toward the Ku Klux Klan, most Negroes feeling that public disrepute of the group has led it to ineffectiveness.

Four out of five of those questioned declared they are registered voters, with variations due to location. They also felt that most registration officials were quite friendly.

The most important factor cited, which is relevant to the Negro's obtaining a feeling of safety and security, appears to be the degree of accommodation which Negroes make to the segregation pattern. More than one-third testified to personal feelings of insecurity resulting in distrust and fear of most white persons; most questioned indicated fairly acceptable living standards.

While such a survey is of little aid per se, we feel that it is an attempt toward positive education—until now a tragic vacuum among us.

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## U.J.A. National Conference Sets \$203,000,000 Budget

A TLANTIC CITY, (JTA)—Underlining the urgent need for large sums of money to meet the resettlement and rehabilitation needs of Jews in Israel and elsewhere the national annual conference of the United Jewish Appeal set a minimum budget of \$203,684,577 for its component agencies. At the same time, the 800 delegates from all

parts of the country unanimously drafted Edward M. M. Warburg to succeed Henry Morgenthau, Jr., as general chairman of the 1951 drive.

A resolution stressing the "now or never" urgency of the immi-gration situation of large numbers of Jews in Europe, North Africa and the Middle East called for an all-out effort to raise unprecedented sums and to speed the delivery of cash to the U.J.A. A tree-point program for speeding up the delivery of cash was approved: 1. All contributors were asked to make advance payments on their campaign pledges for 1951. 2. Lodrive committees were urged to borrow from local banks in an-ticipation of the results of the 1951 drive. 3. An intensive yearround collection effort organized on the same basis as a regular fund-raising drive was also suggested.

In another resolution the conference urged communities to launch their 1951 campaigns at the earliest possible date. This is vital, the resolution said, "because the agencies of the U.J.A. are engaged in a program of migration and rehabilitation aid in Israel and elsewhere which in the present world emergency must be enlarged to rescue and resettle maximum numbers of Jews while they still can be reached and saved."

Other resolutions praised the "memorable record of accomplishment" of Mr. Morgenthau, who it is reported will head the forthcoming four-point Israel fundraising program in this country, and the "insight, tenacity and sclfless devotion" of Henry Montor, who resigned after 11 years as director of the U.J.A., to administer the new Israel financial



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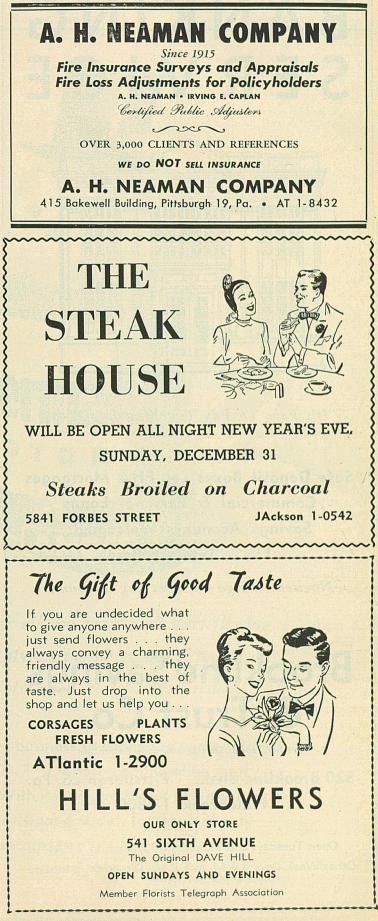
program. A silver plaque was presented at a luncheon session to Mr. Morgenthau in honor of his four years of service as the general chairman. Rabbi Jonah B. Wise, presenting the plaque, lauded the former Secretary of the Treasury as "a great American and humanitarian, who served his nation in times of crisis with tremendous distinction."

Speaking at an earlier session, Mr. Morgenthau stressed the key importance of Israel as an ally of the democratic forces. He declared: "I fervently believe that the reconstruction of Israel and its consolidation economically and militarily as a strong arm of democracy and as an ally of the United States in our common objective of human freedom and world peace represents a major obligation of American Jewry. In these days of anxiety and crisis for the democratic world, Israel must be strengthened to preserve the Jewish people and to help preserve all the values and all the ideals which are so dear to mankind."

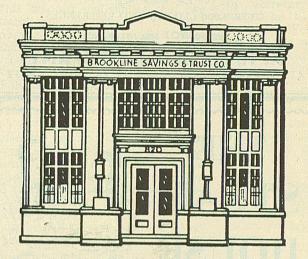
At the same session Moshe Sharett, Israel Foreign Minister, told the delegates that "Israel would do everything in its power to save Jews for freedom so long as fear, misery and homelessness remain their lot in other parts of the world." The Foreign Minister declared that Israel's immigration and resettlement programs must be dictated "by the dire need of the Jewish masses which stream into the country. And stream into Israel they will so long as they will continue to be driven by misery and by fear, so long as they will continue to be drawn to Israel by the promise, the hope of a life of freedom, dignity and productivity."

Describing Israel's efforts to achieve production to facilitate the country's ability to absorb the hundreds of thousands of newcomers pouring into the Jewish state, Mr. Sharett said: "Israel is crying out for technical knowhow. It is crying out above all for capital to be invested in produc-tion, to provide immediate employment to people, to reduce our dollar shortage, to increase our exports, to reduce our imports by manufacturing things on the spot for the local market. That is the crying need. It is a challenge, it is a constructive challenge. Let us hope it will be answered in in-creasing measure." Describing the past achieve-

Describing the past achievements as well as the 1951 needs of the Joint Distribution Committee, of which he was director-general until he accepted the post of executive vice-chairman of the 1951 U. J. A., Dr. Joseph J. Schwartz estimated that a minimum of 400,000 Jews in Europe, Moslem lands and Israel would require assistance from the J. D. C. next year. In addition, he said, the J. D. C. would have to assist about 25,000 persons in DP camps. Mizrachi Board Meets Dec. 27 The regular monthly meeting of the board of directors of the Pittsburgh District Mizrachi Organization will be held this Wednesday, December 27, 8:15 p.m., in the Mizrachi headquarters, 5751 Bartlett St.



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JUDAISM IN A KOREAN FOXHOLE—Chaplain Garson Goodman, one of four Jewich chaplains on active duty in Korea who are served by the National Jewish Welfare Board's Division of Religious Activities, prepares for a religious service at the entrance to a Korean foxhole. Attached to the 1st Marine Division, Chaplain Goodman and Chaplain Milton Rosen extended spiritual comfort to GIs on their arrival at Hamhung and Hungnam following the bitter retreat from the North. Two other Jewish chaplains, also served by JWB, Chaplains Oscar Lifshutz and Joseph Messing, are on duty at Seoul and Pusan, respectively.

## Jewish Chaplain Comforts Weary GIs On Escape Route

N EW YORK—Battle weary American GIs who fought their way out of a Chinese trap in a 13-day running battle with the enemy, bitter cold and ice and snow-clogged roads, found some measure of comfort in the presence of the only rabbi in the U. S. Marine Corps, Chaplain Garson Goodman, who maintained constant contact with American units during the retreat

to Hungnam and Hamhung. According to a report from Pfc. Sam A. Jaffe, Marine Corps Combat correspondent, just received by the National Jewish Welfare Board's Division of Religious Activities, Chaplain Garson Goodman maintained contact with Marine units stretched over 70 miles from the 10th Corps headquarters in Hamhung, holding religious services and extending spiritual comfort to Marine outfits all along the way, Half-frozen GIs who reached Hungnam and Hamhung after nearly a fortnight's heroic march under almost constant fire were heartened by the presence of Chaplain Goodman and Chaplain Milton Rosen of the Army.

Chaplain Goodman, who participated in the Inchon invasion and the liberation of Seoul before moving north of the 38th Parallel with United Nations troops, wrote many letters to parents whose sons were killed in action. Correspondent Jaffe reports that Goodman had countless letters to answer "from parents who asked the Chaplain to find out why their son wasn't writing home, or to find out how their son was getting along."

son was getting along." "When Chaplain Goodman wasn't in the lines or writing letters, one could find him in the First Marine Division Hospital, seeing to the wants of the wounded and sick, or organizing some religious ceremony." Only recently, the Marine Corps correspondent said, C h a p l a i n Goodman was among a group of Army and Navy chaplains who were guest speakers at a special afternoon service attended by several hundred Korean men and women, representing Hamhung's eight churches, "who gave their thanks and prayers to God and the United Nations."

Chaplain Goodman, a native of Cleveland, entered the Navy as a chaplain in May, 1949, after serving a congregation at Harlan, Ky. His wife, Ruth, is a school teacher in Chicago.



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#### First Lady of Zionism To Speak at Local JNF Dinner Meeting

Mrs. Archibald Silverman, who because of a life devoted to the reestablishment of the Jewish State in Israel is often described as the first lady in Zionism, will be the guest of friends and workers of the Jewish National Fund at a dinner meeting on Thursday, December 28, at the William Penn Hotel. Judge Henry Ellenbogen, President of the Pittsburgh J.N.F. Council, and Max Engelberg, Chairman of the Golden Jubilee committee, in a call issued to the community to participate, said, "Those who have been steadfast and loyal in their devotion to the People's fund throughout the years have cause to celebrate its achieve-

ments. Our generation, which is so highly privileged to see with its own eyes the fulfillment of the age-long dream of the Jewish State, has reason to rejoice with the fact that the Jewish National Fund has succeeded in returning the Land without a People to the People, which but yesterday was without a Land."

#### Institute Classes Recess

All classes at the Hebrew Institute will be closed during the annual midwinter vacation which began at the close of classes this Thursday, December 21 and which will continue until Tuesday, January 2, when classes resume. Sunday Bible and History classes will not meet December 24 or 31.



Mrs. Archibald Silverman ... to be honored ...

This get-together will be the kick-off for the Golden Jubilee celebration of the Jewish National Fund which will take place on Sunday, January 28, 1951. Mrs. Silverman will be welcomed by scores of workers, of both the men's and women's divisions of the Jubilee committee of which Max Engelberg is chairman. Representatives of many organizations, synagogues and Zionist groups will also attend this meeting.

A special Reception Committee headed by Robert Amper, well known communal worker, has been formed to insure that Mrs. Silverman's message which follows a lengthy visit she has just made in Israel reaches the largest number of interested friends of the Jewish National Fund.

For more than forty years of the fifty that the J.N.F. has been in existence Mrs. Silverman has crusaded throughout the world for the cause of Zion, carrying her fervent and eloquent message to the remotest corners of the globe, and has participated in the highest council of the World Zionist movement.

In the afternoon of December 28, she will be the guest of the Jewish Women of Pittsburgh at a special tea, also at the William Penn Hotel, sponsored by the Women's division, of which Mrs. Alfred M. Karlin is chairman. Hadassah, Pioneer Women and Mizrachi Women will act as hostesses and numerous women's organizations will be present to welcome the guest of honor.

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# "Underground To Freedom"

### By JOE HARRISON FRIED

#### (Second in a series of Three articles)

M<sup>rs.</sup> B. is a short, stocky little woman blessed with ten talented fingers and two healthy children. As a child in Europe, Mrs. B. yearned for a career tickling the keyboard of a grand concert piano . . . thrilling large audiences with her ten flying fingers. Her dream never quite came true. Instead she, like many Jewish

newcomers to America, went to work in New York City's teeming garment center in order to obtain the necessities of life. Her talented fingers have operated a sewing machine this past score of years.

Then there is Mr. Z., a fine old man known to the kids around the block as just plain "Zada." For years he operated a neighborhood grocery store and watched the young ones grow up, marry and rear children. Relying heavily upon the effectiveness of his trusted cane, the 87-year-old Zada edges his way through crowded streets of the Lower East Side three times daily for services at the synagogue.

Mrs. B., Mr. Z., and others like Mrs. B., Mr. Z., and others like appearance from the more than seven million human beings who cram the subways and pack the automats in the world's largest community. And therein lies their great worth to the Jewish underground operating inside the Iron Curtain countries and which to date has facilitated the rescue of more than 1,000 Jews which the Soviet Union-dominated regimes have refused to allow to migrate to a safe haven in Israel.

Both Mrs. B. and Mr. Z. serve at this very moment as links in the vital communication chain established by "Mr. Aleph" and the Jewish Labor Committee to rescue active Jews trapped behind the Iron Curtain. Through Mrs. B. and Mr. Z., agents of the Jewish underground in Poland and Romania are able to scribble coded messages —seemingly innocent to the censor, but packed full of vital data once deciphered—to "Mr. Aleph" in the United States.

To address the letters directly to "Mr. Aleph" at his American headquarters would mean certain death for Jewish agents inside the Iron Curtain. Instead they address the letters and post cards to Mrs. B. and Mr. Z. who in turn rush the data to "Mr. Aleph" upon. arrival in the United States. One such letter arrived this

One such letter arrived this week. It read in part: "Thirtytwo members of the 'mishpacha' (family) attending the wedding ... Chaim wants to know if Belka thanked you for the gifts ... "

#### Careful Scrutiny

Three weeks before a member of the U. B. Polish secret police or a Communist censor carefully scrutinized this same letter before allowing the words to leave Poland's prison-like borders for the free outside world. He checked to make certain there would be no leak; that "untruths" about treatment of Jews in Poland would not be spread to the "capitalistic" world. Apparently, he found nothing wrong.

The same communist commissar would hardly spend a pleasant evening were he aware that through his fingers, in that very note, in-formation that 32 more Jews, confined to slow deaths behind the Iron Curtain as Stalin's prisoners, have escaped to a friendlier European nation, then to Israel. A sleeping pill would fail to ease the troubled thoughts of what waited in store for him were he aware that "Chaim's" concern over Belka's acknowledgment of a "gift" was really an inquiry as to whether Belka had as yet informed "Mr. Aleph" that he received \$150 from the underground agent with which to help wedge his way through the tightly-guarded Polish border!

Jewish agents behind the Iron Curtain rely heavily upon the integrity of the mail "drops" in the United States. A phony by Communist agents could mean not only that of the underground apparatus, but the abrupt disappearance of the gents inside of what one escapee termed Stalin's "gahenem" (hell). Owing his agents the greatest loyalty and trust, balding little "Mr. Aleph," the Jewish Underground's mastermind, refuses to allow anyone but himself to select and probe the backgrounds of prospective mail "drops" in the United States. Mr. Z., for instance, was observed for months before "Mr. Aleph" discreetly broached the possibility of his serving in this rescue network. Even then, mail "drops" are on a probation basis, carefully observed and double-checked by agents here.

#### Strict Rules

M<sup>rs.</sup> B. and Mr. Z. and the others have two strict standing rules as members of the Jewish underground against Communism. To break either might be fatal to the entire project. First, mail "drops" must main-

First, mail "drops" must maintain strict silence as to the operation. Mrs. B.'s children, for instance, know less about their mother's hobby than you! To discuss such matters, "Mr. Aleph" has told his contacts here, would be very dangerous to the successful completion of the project.

pletion of the project. Secondly, the "drops" must never reply to any of the five to six letters they receive from Europe each week. One such reply could upset the whole apparatus. Here is why: Underground agents are only valuable, "Mr. Aleph" pointed out, so long as they are free from the grasp of the U.B. state police. Once a tag has been placed upon them inside the Iron Curtain their value is at an abrupt end.



Border patrols, such as those shown in action above, carefully check the credentials of Jews seeking escape from the dungeonlike bleakness of the Soviet-dominated countries in Europe. The anti-Communist Jewish underground has assisted more than 1,000 such Jews to escape Poland and other Soviet-controlled states in the past year. (American\_Jewish Press)

To protect themselves against any possible slip-ups in reporting to the chief, the Jewish agents use aliases in making out the reports sent in care of Mrs. B., Mr. Z. and the others. Should a "drop" unthinkingly reply to "Chaim" or "Moshe" in care of the fake return address inscribed in the corner of the letter, the reply would undoubtedly end up in the hands of the U.B. which would immediately launch a search for the Jewish agent and intensify vigilance of mail leaving Europe for points in the United States.

The mail drop system is but one of a series of links maintained throughout Europe and the United States by agents of the Jewish underground for rescue operations.

Most vital factor in the Underground operation are the agents themselves. Who are they? What are their backgrounds?

Interestingly enough, anti-Communist Jewish agents inside Europe differ little in outward appearances from their counterparts in the United States. To the average observer they are basically another version of the hard-working Mrs. B. or the innocent, elderly Mr. Z. They hold down positions of responsibility in the European community . . . one is a blacksmith . . . another a tailor . . the third is a school teacher.

But it is their extra-curricular activities which baffle the U.B. police and thrill thousands of trapped Jews. Maintaining regular positions during the working day, agents spend nights rounding up credentials with which to speed the trapped Jews to safety across the border; meet shadowy characters who take big risks for even bigger sums of dollar bills; contact Polish financial magnates interested in any deal that will save their accumulative wealth from the grasp of the Polish commis-sars. Dollars borrowed from the financiers and later re-deposited in safe havens abroad in their names, are essential if illegal papers and other sorely-needed ma-terials of escape are to be obtained by the Jewish agents.

#### Hardy Agents

T he agents have one thing in their favor. They are hard, trained underground men whom experience has taught to trust absolutely no one. There are few non-Jews in the rescue operations, although a select number of gentile agents, who distinguished themselves in the underground war against the Nazis during World War II, are sometimes called in for specific missions.

With extremely few exceptions, the Jewish agents work full daytime as simple laborers in a slave state. This is important insurance to their continued existence. Vigi-

lant secret Polish police maintain a constant eye for unemployed persons. How an individual can continue in a ravaged Poland without obvious means of support is sufficient to result in the police extending an "invitation" for a "confidential" talk at the village precinct headquarters. To avert such "invitations;" the

Jewish agents are busily employed, some of them in positions of considerable importance.

But with the first shades of nightfall, "Chaim" and "Moshe" and others are off to the "the-atre" or to see a "sick relative." The "theatre" is more often than not a damp basement headquarters where plans are mapped for smuggling more Jews to safety. The "sick relative" turns out to be a courier with orders from a higher echelon!

(What is the future of the Jewish Underground behind the Iron Curtain countries, and how long will it continue in operation? Are similar attempts underway to save the isolated Jews of the Soviet Union? Why are "active" Jews barred release by the Communist regimes? Read the third and final installment of "UNDERGROUND TO FREEDOM," an American TO FREEDOM," an American Jewish Press series, next week in the Outlook.)

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#### **Braddock Community Center** Plans New Year's Dance

Plans for the annual New Year's Eve Dinner Dance given by the Braddock Jewish Community Center at their hall on Fifth St., Braddock are progressing.

In addition to Sam Litman, Al Ohringer and Al Silberman as cochairmen, the following committee chairmen has been named: Tickets, Mrs. Charlotte Pollock and Mrs. Irma Grossberger; decora-tions, Mrs. Milton Podolsky; orchestra, Max Lefkowitz; refreshments and dinner, Mrs. Helen Pollock and Mrs. Esther Hochhauser; publicity, Sidney M. Schwartz; reservations, Mrs. Florence Podolsky

Mr. Lefkowitz has secured a very fine orchestra and Mrs. Pollock and Mrs. Hochhauser are preparing a strictly kosher turkey dinner, with all the trimmings.

As the capacity of the hall is limited, reservations should be made immediately with Mrs. Podolsky by calling BRandywine 1-2499.

#### Mizrachi Melava Malka Jan. 6

The forthcoming Mizrachi Melava Malka, the third of this sea-son, will be held Saturday evening, January 6, in the social hall of the Torath Chaim Congregation, 728 N. Negley Ave. An out-of-towner to

be announced later will be the guest speaker. There will also be Zemiros and the traditional Seudah.

These Melava Malkas, sponsored by the Pittsburgh District Mizrachi Organization, are held in succession in the various orthodox syn-agogues of the city. --

#### **Brandeis Chairman To Guest Speak Here**

George Alpert, chairman of the Board of Trustees of Brandeis University, who gave such a stirring address here in behalf of Brandeis a few months ago, will again visit Pittsburgh as guest speaker at a stag dinner, Sunday, January 7, in the William Penn Hotel. The dinner has been arranged by Leonard H. Krieger for the purpose of completing organization of the sponsoring committee which he heads.

Mr. Alpert is a Boston attorney with an extensive record of service in Jewish affairs throughout the country. He has been a prominent figure in the United Jewish Appeal since its inception, and has offered untiring service to Brandeis University since it was founded in 1948.

The development of Brandeis University provides one of the most dramatic stories in the history of American Jewry. Being the first Jewish sponsored non-sectarian university, it marks the fulfill-ment of an obligation long felt by the Jewish people to contribute to the educational pattern of this country. Protestants have established more than 600 major institutions; Catholics have sponsored some 200. "Although individual Jews have made generous gifts to existing centers of learning," says Mr. Alpert, "Brandeis is the first non-sectarian university which is the corporate responsibility of the Jewish community.'

Pittsburgh is one of several macommunities throughout the country supporting Brandeis.

#### Y Varsity Basketball Team Hits Winning Stride

After a slow start the Y Varsity Basketball Team coached by Moe Beker has finally hit a stride winning its last two games over strong competition. Fans were treated to a thriller last Sunday when the Y aggregation won an exciting duel from the Carrick Leisters 47 to 43.

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#### Arrival of Israel **Musicians** Expected

Members of the Israel Philharmonic Orchestra, who will appear in Pittsburgh at the Syria Mosque on Wednesday evening, January 31 with Dr. Serge Koussevitsky conducting, are expected to arrive in New York at the end of this month.

The Israel Orchestra, which will play in Pittsburgh under the auspices of the United Jewish Fund, will be feted in New York prior to their sweeping tour of 55 concerts in 40 major American cities.

Interest in the Pittsburgh ap-pearance of the Orchestra is run-ning high and the requests for tickets have been termed "spec-tacular" by Joseph W. Feldman, Chairman of the Orchestra Com-mittee of the United Jewish-Fund.

Mr. Feldman pointed out this week that tickets in some price categories are completely sold out, and that it will be necessary for persons who request area locations, such as second balcony or first balcony, to be willing to accept whatever is available at the price. The Fund has been mailing out tickets as quickly as requests have come in, in order to insure choice seat locations to those who made their reservations first.

During the past week members of the communities within a 50mile radius of Pittsburgh added their requests to the clamor for tickets.

Without any public advertisements of tickets, the United Jew-ish Fund reports that more than 2,000 seats have been ordered for this extraordinary musical event.

Tickets can be ordered by mail from the United Jewish Fund, Sheraton Hotel. No telephone reservations can be accepted. Ticket prices range from \$1.30, \$1.95, \$2.60, \$3.90, \$5.20, \$6.50, \$7.80 and \$13.

Each order must be accompanied by a check or money order.

## Alien Registration

Calls for Reports The Jewish Family and Chil-dren's Service would like to call attention to the fact that under recently adopted amendment to the Alien Registration Act, all aliens are required to report their residence to the government each year between January 1 and 10. This report is required not only of recent immigrants, but of all persons born abroad who are not fully naturalized citizens, no matter how long they may be living in the United States. The report is to be filed on a card, known as Form I-53, which can be ob-tained at the Pittsburgh office of the Immigration and Naturaliza the Immigration and Naturaliza-tion Service (Room 707, New Post Office Building) or at any U.S. Post Office.

In addition to the above, all immigrants who entered the United States under the Displaced Persons Act must file a report twice yearly to the Displaced Persons Commission. The current report is due before January 1 and the form can be obtained at the Pittsburgh office of the Immigration Naturalization Service. and

Persons who have questions about either of these reports may secure help at the Jewish Family and Children's Service, 15 Fernando St., GRant 1-2033.

#### Special Program at the Y For Children During Holidays

An elaborate holiday vacation program has been arranged for the younger members of the Y beginning Tuesday, December 26, and continuing through the rest of the week. All departments of the Y will collaborate to provide entertainment and a series of activities designed for fun and enjoyment.

The festivities will start on

Tuesday at 2 p.m. with a movie program featuring a wide variety of cartoons. Wednesday will be games day with all sorts of interesting competitive games throughout the building. On Thursday the children will be taken on a trip to the Meadow Gold Dairy and on

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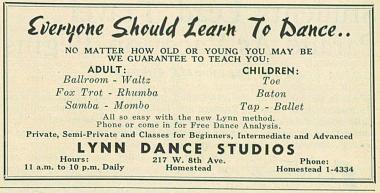
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Friday there will be a big carnival with all sorts of interesting at-tractions. All midget and junior members of the Y are invited to attend these activities. Children who cannot come without their parents are invited to bring them along.



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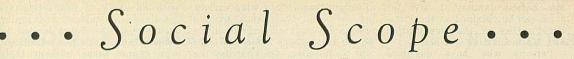
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## Students Lead Travel Parade As Vacation Begins

#### By HELEN HALF FINGOLD

This is the season of the year when just about everybody has some reason to be happy. Parents are joyous at having their children home from school; children are delighted to discard temporarily their booky ways in favor of gayer pursuits; business men are happy (in general, that is!) for obvious mercantile reasons.



date as possible.

Halpern, Barbara Goldblum, Jane Kahn of Carnegie, Pa., Gloria Prince, Sandy Shanblatt, Rita Rubenstein, Anita Keller, Dorothy Aronson, Rallee Kamens.

George Caplan of Purdue will visit his parents on Inverness Street.

And from the University of Chiago Martin Light and Ivan Finkelpearl will come home.

Students at the Wharton School of the University of Pennsylvania who are welcoming the holiday break and will come home are Earl Bell, Joel Silverman, and Bert Levinson.

From Yale will come Carl Krieger, Robert Cooper, Philip Heymann, Richard Crone, Jerry Kaufman, Sandy Goldstein and Sam Aronson. Also Martin Hamburger

In fact, just about the only people we can think of this year who possibly are out of seasonal sorts are the night club owners, caught in a tight little web of Sunday holi-day and Pennsylvania Law. We are sure, however, that this small inconvenience will fail to shatter completely the spirit of the moment. After all, it only happens every seven years!

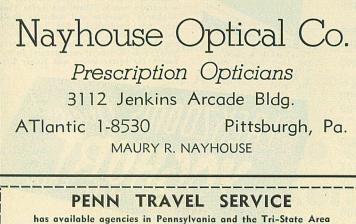
Heading the travel parade, as indicated above, are the young men and women home from college. We wish we had some magic power to name them all, and we try our best, but other names will probably filter in as the days go by and we will keep as up to

Meantime, we do have some names now. From the University of Michigan homeward bound are Ethel Fine, Estelle Olitsky, Doreen

> who is in the Law School at Yale. Allen Lefkowitz, Alan Frank, and Arthur Herbst will be home from Harvard. Stanley Ostrow, Peter Aaron, Harvard Law students, will also be home.

> Penn State will send home a large contingent including Mark Kimmelman, Mark Loevner, Rita Rubinoff, Harvey Light, Marian Gottfried, Skippy Lenchner, Lois Rosenberg, Marilyn Stewart, Da-Rosenberg, Marilyn Stewart, Da-vid Kleinberg, Herbert Arnold. Other students who are at the Ogontz Center are Phyllis Frank-el, Dorothy Levy, Lois Galtz, Lois Wolken, Claire Friedberg, and Beverly Caplan. Wolleclay cirks home are Courd

> Wellesley girls home are Caryl Amshel, Sue Davis, Sally Hey-mann, Marilyn Sugarman, Bonnie



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Solomon. And Barbara Bloch, a Pembroke freshman, is also home, as is Stephanie Frank, a Centenary Junior College student.

Suzanne Silberstein and Susan Frankenstein, Goucher students, are back, too. Barbara Rom, a Northwestern University freshman, is home.

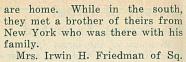
Norma Sue Glinn is home from Smith; Joseph Friedman is home from Allegheny College. Naomi Ellenbogen is home from Bryn Mawr.

Instead of coming home from Yale, Bennett Markel, a student there, has gone to Miami Beach where he is joining his brother, Myron, and his parents, the Jacob Markels of Fair Oaks Street, for the holidays. \*

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Levine of Shady Avenue are spending some time at Miami Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Buchman of Beacon Street are also in Miami Beach.

After a trip to famous Miami Beach, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Wurtenberg of Denniston Ave.



Hill is visiting her daughter in Mansfield, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rosenberg of S. Negley Ave. spent a few days this week in Harrisburg. Just back from Florida are Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Marcus of the Wendover Anartments

Wendover Apartments. This weekend Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sadler of Bartlett Street will have as their guests, their son, Harry, of New York City, and daughter, Rosa, of Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Kauf-mann of S. Bellefield Avenue are visiting their children, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Lehn of New Brunswick, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy H. Huttner of Darlington Road are in Miami Beach.

A family sun trip is being en-joyed by Mr. and Mrs. Meyer Berger and children of Fair Oaks They are in Florida over the St. holidays.

And Mr. and Mrs. David Janavitz of Wightman St. are in Flor-ida where their son, "Toby," will join them. Their sister, Miss Amelia Igel of New York, formerly of Pittsburgh, will also spend some time with the Janavitzes.



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### Local Woman to Study in N. Y.

Mrs. Isaac Davis of Ferree Street is leaving Saturday of this week for New York where she will continue her piano studies with Karl Ulrich Schnabel with whom she has previously studied in Europe. \* \*

Dr. and Mrs. Alfred Rosenbloom and son Alfred III of Chicago expect to spend the holidays with their mother and grandmother, Mr. Alfred Rosenbloom of Beacon Street.

Morris Victor Rosenbloom of Washington, D. C. will also be home for the weekend to join in the family reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Silverman of Beacon Street are having houseguests this weekend\_from Petersburg, Virginia and Wash-ington, D. C.

Moving day comes in the middle of the winter for some folks we know, like the Arthur Nelkins and their children who on December 26 will move to their new home at 4383 Coleridge Street.

Mrs. Herbert Powdermaker of Beacon Street has left for Jacksonville, Florida to be with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Powdermaker of Jacksonville.

Other local folks enjoying the coldest winter in a long time are Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kornhauser of the Wendover Apartments who are in Florida.

Mrs. Herman Arnold of Forbes Street has been spending this month at Miami Beach.

And Mrs. Harry L. Baer of the Dithridge Apts. and her mother, Mrs. Max Mervis, have left to spend the winter in Florida.

Also on her way to Miami Beach very soon will be Mrs. Irene Weiss of the Morrowfield Apts.

Mrs. Lewis M. Alpern of Sq. Hill Avenue has just returned from a visit to Boston where she visited her children, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gutman.

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Cleveland was Mr. Kenneth Rawson. Mrs. Sol Bennett of Beacon

Street will spend the holidays in Buffalo, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Lipka of Monitor Street will have as their guests their daughter, Mrs. Clyde Nordheimer of N. J. and her children.

Back from New York are Mr. and Mrs. Harry Levy of Fifth Ave.

#### Brides Honored at Many Recent Parties

Before her marriage last Sunday to Lt. Leo Pomerantz, Shirlee Slone was honored at a number of pre-nuptial parties. Her great-aunt, Judge Esther Untermann, gave a luncheon at the Hotel Schenley; Misses Annabelle Slome and Ruth Weinstein gave a shower at Miss Slome's home; Sherilee Alexander and Corinne Nathan entertained with a dinner at the Arlington; Mrs. B. Hantman, also a great aunt, of Buffalo, gave a luncheon at Stouffers; and four aunts of the bride, Mesdames I. Lichter, S. Lichter, W. Lichter, and M. Seder, gave a luncheon at the Ruskin.

Mrs. Bruce Gilbert and Mrs. David Bregman, cousins of the bride, entertained at a luncheon at Horne's.

A brunch held by Dr. and Mrs. M. Kenner of Beechwood Blvd. was another affair for the bride, as was a luncheon at the Cork & Bottle with Mrs. Bertha Fischler

of Phillips Ave. as the hostess. Mrs. A. Lichter, the bride's grandmother, gave a dinner in her home on Murray Avenue.

Another bride feted recently was Lilyan Sobel whose marriage to Isadore I. Krouse took place last Sunday. Mrs. Isadore Jacobs of Bryant Street, an aunt, and Mrs. Jack Weiner, a cousin, were joint hostesses at a shower held in Mrs. Jacob's home; Phyllis Rosen, Anne Rosen, Gertrude Katz, and Libbie Herer enter-

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tained at a luncheon in the King Edward; and Mrs. Blanche Friedman and Mrs. Hannah Friedman entertained in their home in Mc-Keesport at a luncheon.

#### Long Distance Traveling Noted

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Hart of Santa Cruz, California are in Pittsburgh to spend some time with their children.

And to the West went Mrs. Al-len Berkman and children of Al-bermarle Street. They will visit Mrs. Berkman's parents in Dallas, Texas. 40

Mrs. Harry Mervis of Webster Hall has left for Baltimore where she will meet her son, Jerry, a student at the Wharton School in Philadelphia.

Mrs. Herbert Grossman and daughter, Elaine, of the Schenley Apts. are vacationing in Florida.

Miss Madeleine Half of Muskegon, Michigan will fly in this Saturday to spend a week with her mother, Mrs. Leo L. Half of Beacon Street.

It will be holiday, indeed, for Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rubenstein and their daughter, who are spend-

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#### Luncheon to Honor Chapter President

The Mothers' Club of Gamma Sigma Chapter, Pi Lambda Phi Fraternity of the University of Pittsburgh will hold a luncheon, to honor their president, Mrs. S. W. Jubelirer, on Friday, January 5, 1951 at 12:30 p.m. in the Hunt Room of the Hotel Webster Hall. The luncheon had originally been scheduled for December 8, but was postponed.

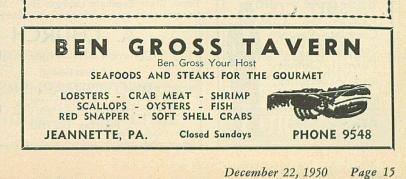
The program for the afternoon is under the chairmanship of Mrs. Abe Litman, and Mrs. L. H. Smith is chairman of the affair. She will be assisted by Mrs. Lou Goldberg, who will accept reservations at HAzel 1-1269.

#### Nautical Notes Of Interest

Miss Rita Frankel of Beacon Street is home after spending six months abroad. Included in her

Most of the furniture you will find nowhere else. There are beautiful curved front sofas and deep chairs with down - filled cushions and covered with exquisite fabrics. There are tables of all sizes and shapes, lacquered, leathertopped end and lamp tables with Chinese influence, cocktail tables that house the fixings. There is right and left fur-

niture, beds, chairs and tables. A sweet little revolving chair is red velvet with gold fringe. A wee Chinese decorated piano opens to disclose it's a bar. All glass is the breakfront, silverleafed and handpainted. There are Italian card table sets, marble-topped Victorian double dressers, French wing chairs, lacquered nests of tables, lovely lamps with shades designed for the bases, furniture treasures galore.



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trip was a stay of several weeks in Israel. She landed in New York December 22.

Mr. and Mrs. Lou Mervis of Bakerstown have left for a 47day cruise to South America.

Miss Ina Mae Mandell, a senior student nurse at Montefiore Hospital, has returned from a three weeks' vacation in Miami Beach. Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Landay of Hobart Street have just returned from a visit to Miami Beach. While there, they attended the very successful opening of the Rex Dale-Marty Allen comedy team at a Florida Hotel. Marty Allen (his professional name) is Morty Alpern of Forward Ave. Another home from schoolar is

Another home from schooler is Edwin I. Shrager, a student at Franklin & Marshall, who is spending the holidays with his parents, the William Shragers of Murrayhill Avenue.

#### Engagements BAER-GLUCK

Announcement has been made of the engagement of Susan Jo Baer, daughter of Charles H. Baer of Frankstown Estates and Mrs. Thomas C. Donnelly of College Avenue, to Martin Richard Gluck, son of Mr. and Mrs. James J. Gluck of Wightman Street.

Miss Baer was graduated from Lasell Junior College in Auburndale, Mass., and is now a senior at the University of Pittsburgh. Mr. Gluck received his bachelor's and master of science degrees from the same school where he is now working toward a doctor of philosophy degree in psychology.

#### BOKSENBAUM-MARKOWITZ

The engagement of Ruth Boksenbaum, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Boksenbaum of Melvin Street, to Morton L. Markowitz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Markowitz of Eldridge Street, has been announced.

The bride-elect is a graduate of the University of Pittsburgh. Her fiance is also a Pitt graduate and is now attending the Duquesne University Law School.

#### FIBUS-HEYMAN

At a family dinner, the wedding date chosen by Frances Fibus and Alfred A. Heyman was announced. The couple, whose engagement was announced by the bride-elect's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Fibus of Youngstown, Ohio, plan to be married February 11 at the Anshe Emeth Temple in Youngstown. The bride-elect, now living in

The bride-elect, now living in Pittsburgh, was graduated from Texas State Teachers College. Her

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fiance, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry M. Heyman of Youngstown, is an alumnus of Miami University and served as a captain in the Air Force during the last war.

#### KALMINE-PARADIES

Mr. and Mrs. Harry M. Kalmine of Central Park West, New York City, and Rye, N. Y., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Joan Adrienne, to Daniel Morton Paradies, son of Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Paradies of Atlanta, Ga. Mr. Kalmine and his family formerly resided in Pittsburgh where they were members of the Pittsburgh Variety Club and Concordia Club.

Miss Kalmine was graduated from the Calhoun School and Centenary Junior College. Her fiance attended the University of Virginia and was in the United States Army Air Force for four years.

The wedding will take place in the Plaza Hotel in New York City on February 10.

#### LIPSICK-LIPSKY

Mr. and Mrs. William Lipsick of Miami Beach, Florida announce the engagement of their daughter, Ruth B., to Mr. Julius Lipsky, son of Mrs. Mary Friedman of Butler. A mid-winter wedding is planned.

#### MEYER-KOVACS

Mr. and Mrs. Z. Edwin Meyer of Park Avenue, New York, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Patricia Ann, to Fred Lee Kovacs, son of Mrs. Charles Kovacs of Hobart Street, and the late Mr. Kovacs.

Miss Meyer is a senior at Pennsylvania College for Women. Her fiance, an alumnus of the University of Pittsburgh, served with the Army M e d i c al Administrative Corps. He is now employed as President of the A. A. H. Venetian Blind Mfg. Corp. of Youngstown. A February wedding is planned.

#### ROSENBERG-LEVY

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Rosenberg of Phillips Avenue announce the engagement of their daughter, Phyllis June, to Howard A. Levy, son of Mrs. Pearl Beck Levy of S. Fairmount Street.

Mr. Levy is a graduate of Carnegie Institute of Technology where he was a member of Beta Sigma Rho Fraternity.

The wedding date has been set for March 25.

#### WEISS-BENJAMIN

Mr. and Mrs. Louis H. Weiss of Darlington Road announce the engagement of their daughter, Joan Rochelle, to Daniel B. Benjamin,





so of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Benjamin of Guarino Road.

The bride-elect attends the University of Pittsburgh where she is a pledge of Alpha Epsilon Phi. Her fiance, a member of Pi Lambda Phi, will be graduated from Pitt in June.

## Marriages

GASCHE-LEVINSON

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gasche of Erie, Pa. announce the engage-ment and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Marilyn ("Lynn"), to James Charles Levinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Levinson of Aylesboro Ave. A cocktail party at the home of the groom's parents was held to honor

the couple recently. The marriage will take place Saturday evening, December 23, at Temple Anshe Hesed in Erie with Rabbi Randall Falk officiating. The bride will be attended by Miss Ruth Jordan of Mt. Lebanon and Burton Levinson will be his brother's best man.

The young couple will honeymoon in Florida. Pittsburghers who will attend

the wedding include Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Levinson, parents of the groom, and their daughter, Lois, Mrs. James Levinson, grandmoth-or of the groom Mr and Mrg Do er of the groom, Mr. and Mrs. David Marcus, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Burstein, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel S. Solof, Mrs. Eve Elman, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Levinson, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Levinson, Mr. and Mrs. Abe Levinson, Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Levinson, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Siegel, Mr. and Mrs. Morry Podol-sky, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bader, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Schwarz.

GOLDMAN-ROSENBERG

Mrs. William Simon of Pitts-burgh and Samuel Goldman of

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Florida have announced the marriage on November 19 of their daughter, Maxine Goldman, to Nicholas L. Rosenberg, Jr., son of Dr. and Mrs. N. L. Rosenberg of Pittsburgh.

HAMOVITZ-PITLER

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hamovitz of Beechwood Blvd. announce the marriage of their daughter, Ruth, to Melvin Pitler, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Pitler of Lawn Street. The wedding took place November 28 at the Shaare Torah Synagogue with Rabbi Bernard Poupko officiating at the candle-light ceremony. A reception followed.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of white Chantilly lace. She carried a Bible with orchid marker. Mrs. Norman Gordon, sister of the bride, was matron of honor and Miss Beverly Dugan was maid of honor. Mrs. Marshall Pitler and Mrs. Ray Goldstein were brides-maids. Sharon Hamovitz was flower girl and Arnold J. Samuels, ring bearer.

Marshall Pitler was his brother's best man and ushers were Howard Brower, Neil Hamovitz (twin brother of the bride), and Ray Goldstein.

Mr. and Mrs. Pitler are now at home at 817 Highview Street.

#### JASPER-FLEISCHER

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel H. Jasper of Clyde Street announce the marriage of their daughter, Henrietta, to Malcolm L. Fleischer, son of Mr. Samuel Fleischer of Brooklyn, and the late Mrs. Fleischer. The wedding took place on De-cember 17 in the Chapel of the Rodef Shalom Temple. A family luncheon followed the ceremony. Given in marriage by her bro-ther William J. Jasper (a Lt. j.g. in the Navy), the bride wore a street length gown of cinnamon colored lace. Her lace cap was trimmed with circular tulle. She carried a Bible with orchid mark-Miss Aileen Kaufman was maid of honor and Mr. Gilbert Fleischer, brother of the groom, was best man.

The couple will make their home in Brooklyn following a wed-

ding trip to Hollywood, Florida. Out of town guests included: Mrs. Annie Featherman and Mrs. George Nathenson of Elmira, N. Y.; Mrs. Samuel Engelman and Mr. and Mrs. Simon Smink of New York City; Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Poss, Mr. Howard Poss, and Mr.

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and Mrs. Henry Tannen, all of Brooklyn; Mr. and Mrs. Sol Fletcher of Long Island; Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Patz and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Samuelson of Baltimore; Mr. and Mrs. George Levenson of Wheeling, W. Va.

#### LEVINE-ROSENHECK

Mr. and Mrs. Hyman B. Levine of Los Angeles, California, for-merly of Pittsburgh, announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Marcia Ann, to Sgt. Herbert B. Rosenheck, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kalisher of Los Angeles.

Miss Levine is a graduate of Taylor Allderrice High School and now attends Los Angeles City College. Sgt. Rosenheck was a student at Southwestern University before entering the service. December 25th wedding is planned.

#### MANDELL-EINZIG

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Mandell of Wightman Street have announced marriage of their daughter, the Lilian, to Leo Einzig, son of Mrs. Hilda Einzig of Youngstown, Ohio. The ceremony took place in Cleveland on November 14. The couple is residing in Youngstown.

#### RAVICK-KREIMER

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ravick of Beechwood Blvd. announce the marriage of their daughter, Irene-Ruth, to Hillard Kreimer, son of Mr. Charles Kreimer and the late Fannie Kreimer. The wedding took place December 3 at the William Penn Hotel.

The bride was given in mar-riage by her father. Mrs. Bernard Ravick served as the bride's only attendant. Milton Kreimer was his brother's best man.

After an eastern honeymoon, the couple will reside at 5700 Fifth Avenue.

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Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Savage of Douglas Street announce the marriage of their daughter, Dol-ores M., to Mr. William Simon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Simon of Delevan Street. The ceremony took place December 17 in the Spotlight Room of the Carousel with Rabbi Benjamin Lich-ter officiating. A reception in the Carousel followed.

The bride had for her maid of honor Miss Carol Aliskovitz, who is a sorority sister. Jerome Simon was his brother's best man. The bride is a Senior at the

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University of Pittsburgh where she is a member of Alpha Epsilon Phi and the groom attended the same school and also Long Beach City College.

Following a trip to Miami Beach, Mr. and Mrs. Simon will be at home at 5911 Douglas St.

#### SLONE-POMERANTZ

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Slone of Shady Avenue announce the marriage of their daughter, Shirlee Debra, to Lt. Leo M. Pomerantz, son of Mrs. Esther Pomerantz of Greensburg. The wedding took place in the Chapel of the B'nai Israel Synagogue on Saturday eve-ning, December 16 at 7:30 with Rabbi Benjamin Lichter, great uncle of the bride, officiating. A reception in the social hall followed.

The bride given in marriage by her father wore a cocktail length gown of white nylon with an off the shoulder neckline. The skirt was accordion pleated. She wore a nylon cap with finger tip veil, and carried a Bible with a white

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Judge Esther K. Untermann of Newark, N. J., great aunt of the bride, was matron of honor. She wore a cocktail length gown of blue with brocaded bodice and nylon net over silk skirt. She wore a matching hat and carried a Bible with yellow orchids.

The best man was Mr. Norman Pomerantz, brother of the groom.

The bride's mother wore an afternoon dress of gold crepe while the groom's mother wore grey crepe.

Following a trip through Ohio, the young couple will reside in Dayton, Ohio where Lt. Pomerantz is stationed at Wright Field.

Out of town guests came from New York City, Lakewood, N. J., and Los Angeles.

#### SOBEL-KROUSE

Mrs. Rose Sobel of Hays Street has announced the marriage of her daughter, Lilyan, to Isadore I. Krouse, son of Mrs. Ida Krouse of New Bethlehem, Pa. The marriage took place December 17 at the Poale Zedeck Synagogue with Rabbi Joseph Shapiro performing the ceremony. A reception followed.

The bride was given in marriage by her uncle, A. H. Swartz. She wore a gown of ivory chantilly lace and a fingertip veil held by a matching hat. She carried a white Bible with an orchid marker.

Harriet Sobel served as her sister's maid of honor, wearing champagne lace and satin. The bridesmaids, Helen Punsky, Phyllis Rosen, and Gertrude Katz, wore turquoise gowns.

Herman Krouse acted as best man and Harry Punsky, Dr. Harry Brahm and Joseph Schwartz ushered. Sandra Weiner and Richard Berkowitz served as the junior attendants.

Following a trip to Miami and Cuba, Mr. and Mrs. Krouse will make their home in New Bethlehem.

#### YARCHEVER-HYMAN

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Arlyne Sybil, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Yarchever, to Sidney Robert Hyman, son of Mrs. B. Hyman of Lilac Street. The afternoon ceremony took place December 17 in the B'nai Emunoh Synagogue with Rabbi Joseph Shapiro officiating.

The bride's sister, Fayann, was maid of honor, and Mrs. J. G. Mallinger was matron of honor. Louis Hyman served as his brother's best man.

The groom received his Bachelor's Degree from the University of Pittsburgh last June and is currently working towards his Master's Degree in Clinical Psychology. Following a trip to New York,

the couple will reside in the Saybrook Apartments in Oakland.

Among the out of town guests were Mrs. J. H. Filner and sons of Roslyn Heights, Long Island, and also Mr. Gilbert Yarchever of Silver Springs, Md.

#### ZASLOFF-METZGER

Mrs. Pearl Zasloff of Northumberland Street announces the marriage of her daughter, Minnie, to Ruben Metzger of Murray Avenue. The wedding took place on December 17 at the home of the bride's mother. Rabbi Miller of Beechview officiated in the presence of family and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Metzger are at home at 730 Montclair Street.

#### Births

#### BLEIBERG

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bleiberg of Washington, D. C., announce the birth of a daughter, Cheryl. Mrs. Bleiberg is the former Doris Fetters of McKeesport.

#### HIRSCH

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Lee Hirsch of Wilkins Avenue announce the birth of a son, Steven Wayne, born on December 13. Mrs. Hirsch is the former Doris June Kalmenson.

#### KLEIN

Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Klein of S. Millvale Avenue announce the birth of a son, Alan Harvey, on December 11. Mrs. Klein is the former Claire Horwitz.

#### ROSENTHAL

Mr. and Mrs. Meyer Rosenthal of Ward Street announe the birth of a daughter, Barbara Cecelia, born December 9 at Magee Hospital. Mrs. Rosenthal is the former Jean Feldman.

#### WIENER

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Wiener of Beacon Street announce the birth of Gary Ralph's sister, Jill Rosalind, on December 14 at West Penn Hospital. Mrs. Wiener is the former Bernice Adele Arnold.

### Bar Mitzvahs

Louis Goldstein, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Goldstein, of Fifth Ave., will be Bar Mitzvah at the Temple Sinai on Dec. 30.

#### KAUFMAN

Ralph Eugene Kaufman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Kaufman of Bishop St., will be Bar Mitzvah at the B'nai Israel Synagogue on Dec. 30.

#### LAPIDUS

Jerome Lapidus, son of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Lapidus of Joe Hammer Sq., will be Bar Mitzvah at the Young Peoples Synagogue of the Hebrew Institute on Dec. 23. *LESHER* 

Gerald Lesher, son of Mr. and Mrs. Abe Lesher, will be Bar Mitzvah at Temple Sinai, Dec. 23. OBER

Larry Elliott Ober, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Ober of Bryant St., will be Bar Mitzvah at the B'nai Israel Synagogue on Dec. 23. WITTLIN

Charles E. Wittlin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward E. Wittlin of Woodland Dr., Mt. Lebanon, will be Bar Mitzvah at the Beth El Synagogue, Beechview, on Dec. 23.

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#### West Virginia Probes **Anti-Semites Activities**

NEW YORK-(AJP)-A fullscale probe was reported underway in West Virginia this week into the activities of a wealthy retired contractor who masked violent anti-Jewish attacks under the guise of an "anti-Communist league."

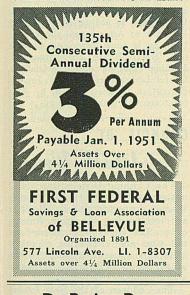
The anti-Semite, Forrest C. Sammons, was charged by a New York City newspaper this week with circulating vicious anti-Jewish ar-ticles which he attempted to represent as "anti-communist."

"But it was so blantly anti-Se-mitic," the newspaper comment-ed, "and contained such vicious attacks on prominent Americans that we communicated with postal authorities here and began our own inquiry."

Postal authorities in New York City relayed the information concerning the West Virginia Anti-Communist League to Charleston where postal officials recommended prosecution of Sammons and his League for fraudulent use of

the United States mails. U. S. Attorney A. Garnett Thompson's office in Charleston announced that he would proceed to Sammons' Huntington headquarters to push the probe.

Sammons' "league," according to information available in Hunt-



ington, is a one-man organization. Sammons, a retired building contractor, constructed several government projects and dams. A meeting reportedly held at his home recently in honor of Jew-hating Gerald L. K. Smith was a flop with few of the invited neigh-hore attanding

bors attending. In one of his pamphlets, Sam-mons fantastically charges that Bernard Baruch, America's elder statesman, Senator Herbert H. Lehman, former Secretary of the Treasury Henry Morgenthau, Jr., and U. S. Supreme Court Justice Felix Frankfurter were "the real war criminals.'

#### Vivien Richman Will Give New Folk Series at Y

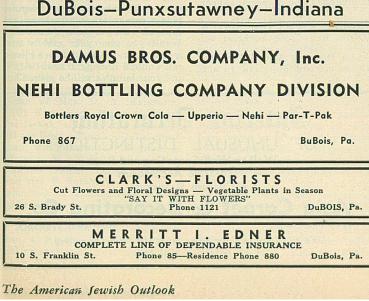
Vivien Richman, chanteuse and folk singer de-luxe, who twangs a guitar and dances in accompaniment to her own songs, will give another series of folk music lec-tures at the Y beginning Monday evening, January 8. A previous series last season proved so popular that another is being given by request.

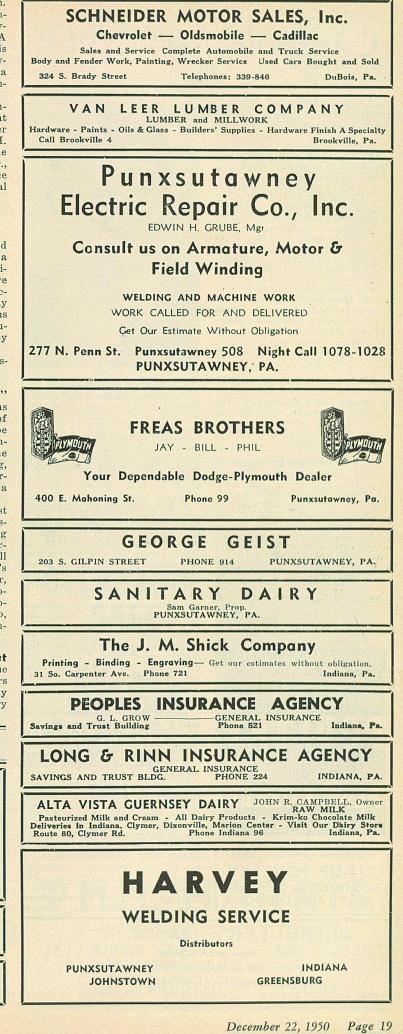
Everyone is invited to the sessions.

Symphony To Offer "Messiah" Handel's "Messiah," which has been called "the most famous of all sacred choral music," will be performed by the Pittsburgh Symphony Orchestra for the first time in its history on Friday evening, December 22, and Sunday after-noon, December 24, at Syria Mosque.

One of Pittsburgh's foremost choral organizations, the Mendels-sohn Choir, and four outstanding soloists, will participate in the per formance of the work, which will be conducted by the Orchestra's distinguished Musical Adviser, Vladimir Bakaleinikoff. The soloists include Frances Yeend, so-prano, Frances Bible, contralto, Joseph Laderoute, tenor, and Donald Gramm, baritone.

Institute PTA Board To Meet The board of directors of the Hebrew Institute Parent-Teachers Association will meet Thursday evening, December 28 in the library of the Institute.





Outlook for Clubs

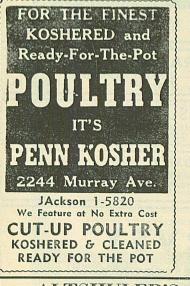
ADATH JESHURUN SISTER-HOOD — board meeting: synagogue auditorium, Dec. 26, 8:30 p.m.

p.m. AMERICAN LADIES RELIEF SOCIETY (formerly Romanian Ladies Aid Society)—chicken dinner: Adath Jeshurun Congregation, Margaretta and N. St. Clair Sts., Jan. 14, 6:30 p.m. Proceeds go for charitable work. Mrs. H. Z. Davidson is president. Reservations may be made with Mrs. Harry Harris, EMerson 1-1851, chairman and toastmistress. Co-chairmen are Mesdames David Berger and I. Nord. Arrangements committee includes Mesdames M. Cohen, R. Greenberg and L. Nieman. Hostesses are Mesdames M. Siegel and S. Saltzberg. Donation chairmen are Mesdames B. Fisher, D. Supovitz, A. Leiberman, L. Leiberman, S. Hoffman, H. Stern, R. Pariser and Simon.

AMERICAN LEGION AUXIL-IARY, Unit No. 577—Monţe Carlo: Shaare Torah Synagogue, Jan. 21. Proceeds to be used for rehabilitation of wounded vets at various state hospitals. Miss Anne Diamond is chairman.

BETHEL SISTERHOOD meeting: auditorium, Dec. 26, evening. Mrs. Max Miller, chairman, and Mrs. Lou Hoffman, co-chairman, will have bake sale table of homemade cakes, pies, candies and jellies. Annual membership party: auditorium, Jan. 8, evening, for paid-up members and new members. Mrs. Ben Linton, chairman, Mrs. Dan Yamshon in charge of social committee.

BETH SHALOM MEN'S CLUB announcement: President David I. Helfer, announces that due to the death of Rabbi Goodman A.





Mrs. H. Z. Davidson . . American Ladiës Relief Society president urges reservations . . .

Rose, the annual New Year's Eve party, scheduled for Dec. 31, has been cancelled, as have all other Men's Club social events until further notice.

**B'NAI ISRAEL SISTERHOOD** —donor luncheon: Schenley Hotel Ballroom, Jan. 9. **Partial payment tea:** home of Mrs. Harry Schmidt, 5398 Stanton Ave., Dec. 28, at which guests will pay reservations for donor, to Mrs. Harry Erenbaum or Mrs. Henry Rubenstein, partial payment chairmen. Mrs. Theodore Abrams, chairman of partial payment teas, has planned a musical program, to include entertainers from KDKA and Mrs. A. H. Rosenberg will speak on "What Donor Means to Me." Immediate reservations for donor are urged with Mmes. George Friedman, Bernard Scheinholtz, I. L. Giffen.

HABONIM — Chapter will be host to Los Angeles, Canadian and Chicago delegates to Habonim national convention, held in Baltimore, Md. Dec. 26 to 30. A reception in honor of delegates will be held at the Labor Zionist Center, 5808 Forbes St. Distinguished speakers at convention will include Maurice Samuels, noted author; Hayim Greenberg, Jewish Agency Executive; A vr a h am Harman, counselor at Israel Embassy, and Dr. O. Goss, economic adviser to Israel. The following have been elected to rebresent Pittsburgh H ab on im at convention: Ben Frank, delegate; Morris Goldhammer, alternate, and Marvin Horowitz and Eva Reinkraut, observ-

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HAPOEL HAMIZRACHI meeting: Chofetz Chaim hall, Dec. 24, 8:30 p.m. Rabbi Louis Nullman of McKeesport will be guest speaker; Albert Bloom will review current events.

JEWISH HOME FOR BABIES AND CHILDREN — annual lineningathering party: Jan. 30, with Mrs. Samuel Allan Jubelirer as chairman. All those who wish to have parties in their homes, contact Mrs. Jubelirer, HAzel 1-6053.

MIZRACHI WOMEN'S OR-GANIZATION, Chapter Beth paid-up-membership party: home of Mrs. Jerome Edlis, 1416 N. Euclid Ave., Jan. 4, 12:30 p.m. Dessert, bridge; call Mrs. Edlis, EMerson 1-0488 for reservation.

ODD FELLOWS, MONTEFI-ORE LODGE—New Year's Eve dance: Penn-Shady Hotel, Dec. 31, evening. Committee und er leadership of Sidney Seltzer and William Sachritz has made complete arrangements for serving midnight steak dinner, favors, noise makers and incidentals.

PYTHIAN SERVICE ORDER election of officers: Harold B. Kellmer, president; Frank G. Terry, vice-president; Harry Alter, secretary-treasurer; D o n a l d D. Mangone, chaplain; Howard Mc-Adams, inductor, and Samuel Eisenberg, guard. Committee chairmen appointed are Harry Alter, membership; Donald Mangone, ways and means, and Frank Terry, ritual and laws. Next meeting: Jan. 3.

RODEF SHALOM JUNIOR CONGREGATION — New Year's Eve party: Hotel Sheraton ballroom, Dec. 31, evening. Edwin S. Lebau is chairman. Party limited to members and to 200 couples. Program includes Bob Arlen and his orchestra and a special supper.

**RODEF SHALOM SISTER-HOOD**—Red Cross workers: volunteer workers are needed for the Cancer Dressing Workshop, a new project meeting Mondays, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

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Rabbi Maimon To Visit Here Rabbi Judah L. Maimon, Minister for Religious Affairs in the Government of Israel, will be the guest of the Pittsburgh Jewish Community on Sunday, February 25. A gala reception is being prepared for the outstanding guest.

### B'nai B'rith Men

Abe Shefferman will be the speaker of Pittsburgh Council of B'nai B'rith at the first meeting called by the Josiah Cohen Lodge in the 1951 program to be held on Wednesday evening, January 3, in the East Room, Roosevelt Hotel, Pittsburgh. Mr. Shefferman is an outstanding personality who has had a long and intimate connection with the projects of B'nai B'rith and will bring a vivid and informative story when he develops his subject, B'nai B'rith and Human Rights.

By profession, Mr. Shefferman is an attorney and, presently, is the legal adviser of the Supreme Lodge, B'nai B'rith in the course of which position he has come to know many members of the government on Capitol Hill in Washington.

Jewish Education is an activity in which Mr. Shefferman devotes a considerable portion of his time. In addition to acting as Executive Director of Adas Israel Congregation, he is consultant and adviser on "B'nai B'rith Institutes for Judaism" and serves as the District Grand Lodge Chairman of Jewish Education in District No. 5. The program will start at 9 p.m.

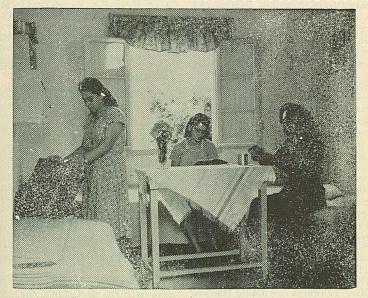
### COUNCIL OF Jewish Women

The Clothing Distribution Committee of Council for Jewish Women desperately needs all types of clothing for the New Americans. The items most needed at this time are: snowsuits, all other children's apparel, infants' to six years, men's suits and overcoats, and all housewares articles.

The children of the New Americans will never own a tricycle, kiddie car or other wheel toy except through your generosity. Won't you give your child's outgrown toy to these children? Please call Council Lounge, HAzel 1-6118, and your bundles will be picked up.



## Pioneer Women



SETTLING DOWN at a home for immigrant women, established in Israel by Pioneer Women.

Pittsburgh Council: is directing attention to Donor Rally, Jan. 3, 8:30 p.m., Hebrew Institute auditorium. The rally will feature a review "Twenty-Five Years of Hat Fashions in Israel," supervised by Mrs. Meyer Goss, and written by Mrs. Albert Smolover.

Through the Rally and the Jan. 29 Donor Luncheon, which it precedes, Pittsburgh Pioneer Women members will be lending their support to the organization's **Design for Israel**, a new two-million dollar building plan. This gigantic project, to extend over a four-year period, will create for thousands of children, youth and women in Israel 45 new buildings, which will be used for the agricultural and industrial training and for the general education of these Israelis.

Mrs. Samuel Fishman, Council president, stresses the fact that this year's \$100 contributors to the new training center will become the original founder-builders, whose names will be inscribed in the cornerstone of the agricultural school, and on plaques to be permanently enshrined within the buildings. Pittsburgh contributors will have the opportunity, according to Mrs. Fishman, of making pledges, which may be paid over a period extending until June, 1951.

Chapter I: partial payment rally, dessert luncheon, Dec. 27, 1 p.m., home of Mrs. D. A. Krikstone, 1101 King Ave. A movie, Design for Israel, will be shown, and Mrs. Meyer Goss, council cultural chairman, will review the 25 years of Pioneer W o m e n's work. Miss Pauline Cooper, donor chairman, and Mrs. P. Rothbart, co-chairman, who will be handling reservations, have asked all captains to invite prospective donors.

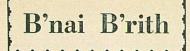
Ain Karem Chapter: card party, Jan. 4, 1 p.m., May-Stern's, under chairmanship of Mrs. David Lobliner. Mrs. Saul Bond, donor chairman, has announced that she is being assisted by the following captains: Mmes. Isadore Ash, P. H. Grodner, Sam Marks, David Lobliner, Samuel Spokane.

**DVorah Chapter:** Donor plans, under the direction of Mrs. Ben Horne, working with the following captains: Mmes. Hyman Berson, Morris Calig, Nat DeBroff, S. Faigen, Joseph Glickman, George Kalb, Sam Kalb, Samuel E. Latterman, Max Meyers, Ben Myers, Myer Racusin, Mark Serbin, Jack Smith.

Golda Myerson Chapter: open board meeting, partial payment tea, Dec. 26, 1 p.m., home of Mrs. H. L. Torin, 2554 Beechwood Blvd. Mrs. Simon Klein, donor chairman, and Mrs. Moris Kaplan, co-chairman, are being assisted by the following project chairmen: Mmes. Sam Abrams, Harry Kaufman, Jacob Lapidus, Ben Samuels, Jess Schwartz, Meyer Specter, Jesse Simon, Hyman Tarmy.

Kinnereth Chapter: project chairmen, assisting donor chairman, Mrs. Sherman Cohen, and reservations chairman, Mrs. Paul Katz: Mmes. Ben Braun, Richard Blattner, Lawrence Cohen, Richard Felman, Warren Kardon, Lawrence Lifschen, Morris Lubetsky, Morris Scoratow, Norman Sandler, Nathan Schwartz, Herbert J. Seigal, George Seewald, Gerald Verk.

Ness Ziona Chapter: paid-up membership party, Dec. 27, 8:30 p.m., home of Mrs. Jerome Stone, 5734 Bartlett St. Prospective members have been invited. Mrs. Saul Steinfeld, chairman of the party, has invited Miss Helen Goldstein to present vocal selections, and Mrs. P. H. Grodner will welcome new members. Mrs. Steinfeld's committee includes Mmes. Sidney Bertenthal, Jerome Cohen, Melvin Harris, Herman Solow, Miss Ruth Steinfeld.



The B'nai B'rith Women's Council will meet Dec. 28, 8:30 p.m., Auxiliary Room of the "Y." All delegates are urged to attend. Ner Tomid

Ner Tomid: Annual Holiday Party, May Stern's, East Liberty, Dec. 27, 1 p.m. Prize packages for the children and refreshments. Chairman, Mrs. Robert Abelson; reservation chairman, Mrs. Kitty Gusky, HAzel 1-7243.

#### The 3,000 Year Old Secret Of Youth Explained

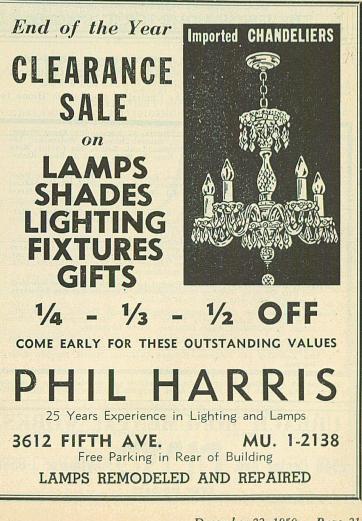
Adam, they say, was born hungry. But Adam also was born with a hunger to live long. As a result the quest for life goes on. Man marshals his arts and his sciences, his test tubes and his reports, his X-rays and his vitamins —and struggles anew to solve not only the riddle of life but the riddle of long life.

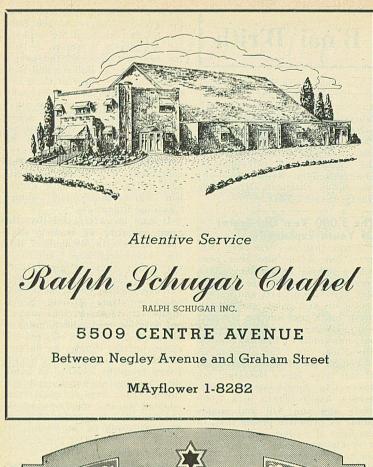
Yet, as so often happens, the answer is on Man's Doorstep; the answer to longer-lasting youth, beauty, health. Track back 3,000 years and you will find simple habits of primitive people that, in the light of modern nutrition, are a revelation. Take for instance, the fermented foods derived from milk.

Bacteriologists tell that germs of disease cannot flourish where an abundance of helpful baccili is present. This, in substance, was the great discovery of the famous Russian Biologist Metchnikoff. He was greatly impressed by both the age and vigor of the people who lived in the Balkans and Russian Caucasus. Many of them live to be 100. Their average life span is longer than that of any other peoples on earth. "What," asked Metchnikoff, "do these people eat?" Their everyday dish he learned was a special fermented cultured milk preparation. This contained a vast amount of lactic acid and a kind of lactic organism which Metchnikoff named "Bacillus Bulgaricus."

It may be safely said that the great majority of leading clinicians agree with Metchnikoff that the micro-organisms inhabiting our bodies have set going there a poison factory which shortens our existence by secreting poisons which penetrate all our tissues, injure our most precious organs, our arteries, brain, liver, kidneys. Metchnikoff's findings inspired scientists in this country to develop Lackzoom's Original Y og h u r t. Every scientific advance of handling, testing, sanitation and culturing has been studied and adopted in the development of Lackzoom's Original Yoghurt. Now delivered to your home by the milkmen of all of Pittsburgh's leading dairy companies.

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the Aged by the Old Folks.

- Sunday, December 24: Alter Feldman, Hyman H. Abramovitz, Frank Fisher, Joseph Kornblum, Barnet Turets, Samuel Belle, Rae Weisenthal, Ida Ray Levenson, Harry M. Friedlander, Louis Seible, Ida Lavine, Rosa Wiesenthal, Emilie H. Benedict, Isaac L. Weil, Louis A. Behr, Rachel Steare Ray Le Wiesen Streng.
- Monday, December 25: William Lavine, Rose Lillian Schwartz, Clara Feld-stein, Samuel Harrison, William Rosenberg, Fern Betty Harris, Samuel Wilkoff, Carrie Schwartz, Harold I. Wolk, Chaie Dobre Levison, Israel Rosinsky, Dr. Alexander Lowy.
- Tuesday, December 26: Jacob Cohen, Bessie Marcus, Minnie Gorback, Mar-tin Kovacs, Ida Levine, Elka Shapera, Chaye (Clara) Bierman, Simon Kalstone, Dorothy Levin.
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  Wednesday, December 27: Ethel Schulberg, Dr. Morris J. Galb, Fannie Wintner, Ruth Moss, Henry Lewis, Yenta Leiber, Ben L. Moses, Aaron D. Reiner, Bernard Teplitz, Morris Joseph, Karl Davis, Meyer Lazear, Benjamin M. Markowitz, Charles Lipsitz, Rose Steinman Morris, Celia Rattner, Ethel Citron, Sadie King Arnovitz.
- Thursday, December 28: Charles Wasbutzky, Joseph Carner, Mollie Sed-ler, Etta Crawley, Rudolph Hanau, Marcus Wagman, Rebecca Schwartz, Isadore L. Horewitz, Lena Stein Golden.
- Friday, December 29: Sheina Bella Goldstein, Joseph Frankel, Rose Rubin-stein, Charles Zeiger, Harry Meyer, Yetta F. Weinberger, Rae Cohen Frank, Rose Krause, Annie Genstein, Harry Leventon.
- Saturday, December 30: Harry Chaitkin, Ella Ruth Levy, Benjamin Gold-berg, Louis Robinson, Abraham Sidransky, Sanford Sivitz, Fannie Thel-ma Beerman, Sol Feldman, Herman Goldberg, Morris Barrish, Celia Berman.

Information regarding arrangements for Kaddish and Jahrzeits may be secured by writing the Jewish Home for the Aged, Brown's Place, or calling JA. 1-5900.



## **Missing Persons Being**

Sought by City Bureau MRS. ROSE FELD, nee "AU-SUBEL," and his sister, both orig-inally from Rosvadov, Poland, and now residing in Pittsburgh, are being sought by their nephew, HILEL SEIDEL, who is in Israel. Hilel is the son of Mrs. Deborah Seidel-Langerman, uce "Ausubel." SHEFEL LELLAN and wife, ESTHER LELLAN, nee "BIE-LAK" (with two children), who

came to Pittsburgh about a year ago from Pultusk, Poland, are being sought by Esther's mother, "SARA BIELAK," who is now in Israel. Mrs. Bielak is 75 years old. MRS. ANNA ROJT, age 24, huswho all arrived in the United States during the past year and were destined to Pennsylvania (probably Pittsburgh), are being sought by MRS. FREUNDLICH SCHWARTZ, who is also a recent arrival and is living in Baltimore. The Rojt family is originally from Poland and were together with Mrs. Schwartz in Camp Bergen Belsen, Germany. Mrs. Schwartz is married to Szulim Schwartz and she is the daughter of Moses and Sara Freundlich.

MR. USER, RUTMAN of Pittsburgh is being sought by his niece, MRS. RACHEL KELEM, who is now in Israel. Rachel is the daugh-ter of User's brother, "Masha Rut-man." User Rutman is originally from Slobodza, Poland and came User is married to Roza; he left from the U.S. with two children, "Masha and Chaim" and later a son and daughter were born in America. User is the son of Meyer and Chaya Rutman.

For further information, call the Jewish Family and Children's Serv-ice, GRant 1-2033.

#### National Womens-League Meeting on Jan. 3

The National Womens-League of the United Synagogue (Western Pennsylvania Branch) will hold a meeting on Wednesday, January 3, 1951, at the B'nei January 3, 1951 at the B'nai Israel Synagogue, at 1:15 p.m.

Mrs. Sam Wesoky, the President of the Branch will give her report.

## Øbituaries

AUERBACH-Sadie Auerbach, AUERBACH—Sadie Auerbach, 79, of Meadville, Pa., formerly of Pittsburgh, died on December 18. She is survived by one son, Leon Auerbach, and one granddaughter. Services were held at the Ralph Schugar Chapel, 5509 Centre Ave., and interment was in the West View Cemetery.

View Cemetery. **BLINDMAN (Linder)** — Decky Blindman (Linder) died on De-cember 15. She is survived by her husband, Morris Blindman of Long Beach, Cal.; two daughters, Mrs. Rose Cohen of St. Petersburg, and Sylvia Linder of Pittsburgh; two brothers, Ben and Abe Shenk-er, both of Pittsburgh; two sisters, Mrs. Rose Colen of St. Petersburg, Fla. and Mrs. Rachel Mogolevsky of New York, and one grandchild. Services were held at the Burton L. Hirsch Funeral Home, 2704 Murray Ave. (opposite the Mor-rowfield Apts.), and interment was in the Workman's Circle CAPLAN—Jacob H. Canlan of

CAPLAN-Jacob H. Caplan of 6349 Monitor St. died on Decem-ber 21. He is survived by his wife, Ethel Gold Caplan, and one bro-ther, Isadore Caplan of Keyport, N. J. Services will be held at the Paluk Schurger Chopel 5500 Car Ralph Schugar Chapel, 5509 Cen-tre Ave. at 1 p.m. Sunday, De-cember 24, and interment will be held at the Beth Shalom Cemetery.

tery. **EDELSTEIN**—Esther Julia Ed-elstein of 4008 Murray Ave. died on December 15. She is survived by her husband, Samuel Wolfe Edelstein; three daughters, Mrs. Jack H. Orinstein of Pittsburgh, Mrs. Edward H. Stern of Mones-sen, Pa. and Mrs. Enoch Bailey of Johnstown, Pa.; two sons, Ben Ed-elstein of Pittsburgh, and George Edelstein of St. Petersburg, Fla.; one brother, Joseph A. Miller of Pittsburgh; three sisters, Mrs. J. M. Kammons and Mrs. Dorothy Hoffman of Pittsburgh and Mrs. Ida Breman of Leechburg, Pa.; seven grandchildren, and three great grandchildren. Services were held at the Ralph Schugar Chapel, 5509 Centre Ave., and interment was in the Gates of Wisdom Ceme-tery. tery.

ERENSTEIN—Hanna Erenstein of 1229 Victoria Ave., New Ken-sington, Pa. died on December 16. She is survived by her husband,

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Max Erenstein; three daughters, Ida Erenstein of New Kensington, Mrs. Maurice Cauff and Mrs. Rich-ard Broad, both of Leetsdale, Pa., and three sons, Samuel Erenstein of Pittsbur<sup>m</sup> Harold Erenstein of Ambridge, Pa. and Bernard Eren-stein of Leetsdale, Pa. Services were held from her late residence, and interment was in the B'nai Israel Chapel. Donations may be made to the Heart Fund.

**ROBBINS** — John B. Robbins, 68, of 6501 Beacon St. died on December 17. He is survived by his wife, Fannie Robbins; one daughter, Mrs. Bernard Green-berg; one brother, Benjamin Rob-bins of New York, and two sisters, Mrs. Sarah Rubinstein and Mrs. Fannie F r an k el of Pittsburgh. Services were held at the Ralph Schugar Chapel, 5509 Centre Ave., and interment was in the Beth Shalom Cemetery.

**ROSE** — Rabbi Goodman A. Rose, beloved husband of the late Alta G. Rose, of 5847 Beacon St. died on December 17. He is sur-vived by two sons, Pace B. Rose of Washington, D. C. and Ernest D. Rose of Los Angeles, Cal.; one brother, Eli J. Rose of Pittsburgh, and one sister, Mrs. I. Edward Tapper of Camden, N. J. Services were held at the Ralph Schugar Chapel, 5509 Centre Ave., and in-terment was in the Beth Shalom Cemetery. – Rabbi Goodman A. ROSE

SACHS—Sylvia Sachs of 5851 Morrowfield Ave. died on Decem-ber 20. She is survived by her husband, Ralph Sachs; one son, Melvin Sachs; one brother, Albert Mitnick of Philadelphia; four sis-ters, Mrs. B. Levin, Mrs. Anne Haberman, Mrs. Joseph Cherry and Phyllis Mitnick of Philadel-phia, and one grandchild. Services were held at the Ralph Schugar Chapel, 5509 Centre Ave., and in-terment was in the Beth Shalom Cemetery. Cemeterv.

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#### MUSTIN

The family of the late Dorothy Sachs Mustin takes this opportuni-ty of thanking their relatives and friends for the kind expressions of sympathy extended them in their recent bereavement.

#### Penn Will Watch the Birdie

It's not one but THREE Red Skeltons in M-G-M's "Watch the Birdie," hilarious new picture now at Loew's Penn Theatre. In the new comedy Red is seen as Rusty, the hero; Pop, his zany father; and Grandpop, who has a way with the ladies!

Skelton also has two luscious leading ladies in the laugh-loaded film in the persons of Arlene Dahl and Ann Miller.

## Brilliant Young Cantor To Sing at Yeshiva Concert Twenty-five-year-old Cantor

Moshe Blau has been engaged by the Yeshiva Achei Tmimim All-Day School and the Nechama Minsky Division For Girls to sing at their annual concert sponsored by the

Ladies Auxiliary. A native of Czechoslovakia, the youthful tenor came to the United States in 1946 with his parents. While abroad he studied at the State Conservatory of Voice Culture in Prague.

Presently, Cantor Blau is a student of Joshua Weisser, noted voice instructor of operatic singers. One of Weisser's former pupils was Richard Tucker, noted Metropolitan Opera tenor. The Yeshiva Concert will be held

this year on Sunday evening, Jan-uary 14, 7 p.m., at the YMHA au-

ditorium, Bellefield Ave. Mrs. P. Weiss, Chairman of the Concert Committee, and Mrs. A. Simon, Co-chairman, urge the public to obtain tickets as soon as possible. Information may be had by calling HAzel 1-7465.

#### **Gilbert and Sullivan at Nixon**

The Gilbert and Sullivan tradition of good singing, clear diction and precision timing as carried out by The D'Oyly Carte Opera Com-pany of London, the original producers of these operas, means keen enjoyment in the droll satire of Gilbert's lyrics and Sullivan's sedately rollicking tunes, perfectly and smoothly performed. The D'Oyly Carte Opera Com-pany is making its first tour of this

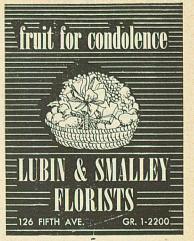
country in ten years and begin-ning, Monday, December 25, here the company will appear at the New Nixon Theatre, in the reperoperas. During the week they will present "The Mikado" Monday; Tuesday evening, a double bill of "Cox and Box" and "The Pirates of Penance" on Wednesday mati-nee and evening, "Patience" Thursday evening and "The Con-doliers" Saturday afternoon and evening.

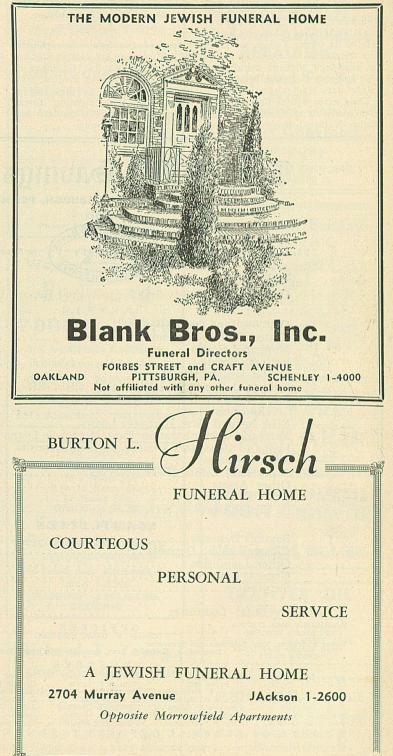
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#### Hadassah Building New Medical Center At Request of Israel

Once again, Hadassah is making medical history by its decision to build a new medical center in Jerusalem, declared Mrs. Charles J. Rosenbloom, Chairman of the new Medical Center project. Hadassah's health work and preventive medical services have always been important, but never as vital as today. Along with the freedom that Israel has won, it still has to gain for many of its people: freedom from sickness.

The continuous masses of newcomers to Israel bring with them new and increased health problems. Hadassah has valiantly striven to meet the growing needs and still maintain the high standards it has established since the beginning of its work. Today, however, it is impossible to meet the growing challenge without working at once towards the establishment of an adequate Medical Center. The Center will be built on land

The Center will be built on land made available to Hadassah by the Jewish National Fund at the re-



Mrs. Charles Rosenbloom . . . project chairman . . .

quest of the Israel Government. It will replace six ramshackle and inadequate hospital buildings in which the Hadassah medical staff were compelled to take refuge when the Arab fighting forced them down from the modern hospital atop Mt. Scopus. The greatest pre-war population of Jerusalem was 90,000 Jews. Today there are 120,000 Jews in Jerusalem, and the city is planning to absorb a total of 250,000 inhabitants. Mrs. Rosenbloom pointed out that it is imperative to provide more efficient and adequate care for the sick, but equally necessary to alleviate the fantastic overcrowding which has impaired the morale of the Hadassah medical nursing staff to a critical point. Even under the greatly congested situation which now prevails at the Hadassah hospitals, 35% of the patients are Israelis outside of Jerusalem seeking cure in Hadassah's specialized departments.

The new Medical Center will serve as a teaching base for the students of the Hadassah Medical School, and will provide urgently needed facilities for Hadassah's research-minded medical staff which does the bulk of the medical research in Israel.

Mrs. Harold E. Silverblatt, Chairman of Hadassah Builders' Donor, states that this year's Donor giving must be **plus giving** to

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#### Testimonial Program To Honor Y Director

In commemoration of his twentyfive years as executive director of the YM&WHA of Pittsburgh, the community will honor Herman Passamaneck at a Silver Jubilee Testamonial dinner on Sunday evening, January 14, at 6:30 p.m. in the ballroom of the Hotel Schenley. The affair will be one of the highlights of the "Y's" fortieth anniversary celebration.

Mr. Passamaneck came to Pittsburgh as executive director of the Y when the present building was dedicated in 1925, and has been instrumental in making the Y the outstanding institution it is today. Two close friends of "Passy's," Rabbi Philip D. Bookstaber of Harrisburg, Pa., and Jacob L. Lorie of Kansas City, Mo., both of whom exerted great influence on his early career in the Jewish Center Movement will be among the guest speakers. Samuel S. Gershovitz, Executive Director of the Jewish Welfare Board, will represent the parent organization at the dinner.

Leon Falk, Jr., Vice-President of the "Y" and local community leader, will be toastmaster of a program that will include many of the officers of the "Y" with whom "Passy" served during his quarter of a century at the "Y". To add to the festivities dinner music will be played by Maurice Spitalny and his orchestra. Plans have been completed by the officers and members of the board of directors of the "Y" to make this the outstanding affair in the history of the "Y" and the community is asked to set aside January 14, so that as large a crowd as possible may be on hand to honor Mr. Passamanek that evening.

Dr. Friesen Gives New Series

The Isaac Seder Educational Center announces another series of six lectures by Dr. Arnold Friesen on how sick and healthy emotions operate in every situation every day in everyone's life. The new series has been given the title "Major Events in Human Experience: How Emotional Sickness and Health Color Our Lives." The series will begin on Tuesday evening, January 2, and will take place in the Morris Kaufmann Auditorium of the Y on Bellefield Avenue.

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One of the most unique characters in sports today is Ben Kerner, affable, young owner of the Tri-Cities Blackhawks in the National Basketball Association. Don't look for Tri-Cities in your geopraphy books—you just won't find such a spot. Actually, three cities, Moline, Ill., Rock Island, Ill., and Davenport, Ia., form a juncture known as

the Tri-Cities, and are so represented in basketball's major league. Kerner hails from B u f f a l o, where he is in the printing and advertising business, and is in partnership with Leo Ferris, who happens to be the principal stockholder of the Syracuse Nationals in the NBA. Originally, these two boys started their basketball promotions in their home city, Buffalo, where they installed a team in the National League. After losing about \$35,000 in eight weeks, these two young master minds of the "hardwood" flew out to the Tri-Cities, and moved their franchise there, arranging to play their games in an Armory. Their start was a rocky one, and

Their start was a rocky one, and it wasn't until close to the end of their first season that the boys began to get a break. Attendance picked up, and the city was won over to big-time basketball. Kerner has a terrific flair for promotion and thinks a day is lost if he doesn't break a story or pull a trick that gains the Blackhawks or himself a measure of notoriety. After pulling several stunts which stimulated the audience and which began to give the club a regular attendance, Kerner bought out Ferris' interest, and Ferris in turn bought into the Syracuse team. Both men are still business part-

Both men are still business partners in Buffalo, but are rivals of the wildest sort in basketball. As a matter of fact, they revel when they can put off a deal or trade which might be a loss to either one. Although such cities as Boston, Philadelphia and Washington are in the League, little Tri-Cities manages to draw more patrons to their games than any of these and

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At the beginning of this season, Kerner had what was as good a basketball aggregation as was ever brought together. He had height, speed, and shooting skill. As a matter of fact, in pre-season ratings, his team was the one club accorded more than a good chance of defeating the Minneapolis Lakers as League Champions.

However, Ben did not reckon with Uncle Sam, who has just about wrecked his club for the time being. His big boy, Jack Nichols, 6 ft. 7 in. tall, was called into the Marine Reserves the first two weeks of play, and of late, Gene Vance has been called in by the Army, and John Logan will leave shortly. Overnight, his strong array has dwindled.

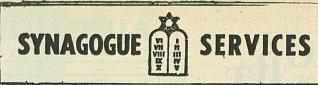
Despite the setbacks, Kerner continues to smile and laugh. A funny individual by nature, he says with a shrug of his shoulders, "everybody 6 ft. 7 in. or over is turned down, but my guy, Nichols, manages to convince the Marines to take him." Before a recent game with his arch rival, Syracuse, on the NATS court, Ben sent a wire to the Syracuse officials asking them to reserve a room in the Syracuse Coliseum where he could sit and receive the homage of Leo Ferris and associates after Tri-Cities licked the Syracuse team.

Syracuse won the game, and as a matter of fact, Tri-Cities has yet to defeat the NATS on the latter's home court. But, Kerner's smoking up of the game, including the sending of several wires to the Syracuse owners and Syracuse papers, resulted in a very large crowd who came out to watch the so-called "screwball" owner on the visiting team.









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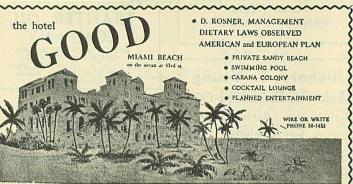
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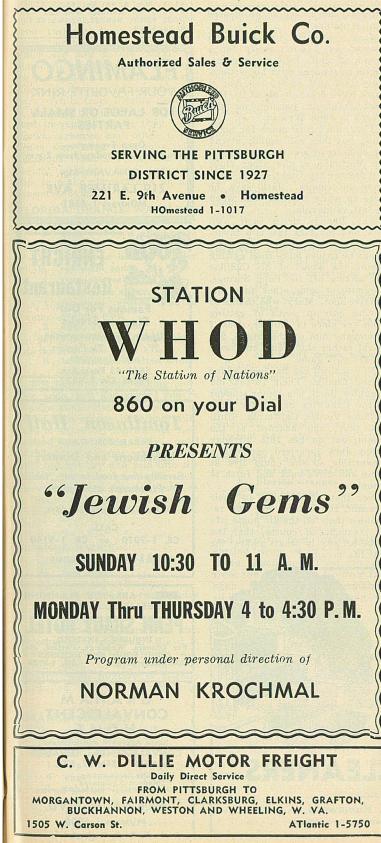
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#### **During The Week** (concluded from page 3)

connections with the non-existant "world-wide Jewish conspiracy." For all this, big-hearted Ben was sorry—very sorry. And the Mufti's pal was concerned lest Mrs. R's future be impaired. Her name must be cleaned, said Freed-man, who apparently failed to take the Senate Committee's unan-imously adopted decision upholding Mrs. Rosenberg as a serious step in that direction.

Mrs. R., by the week's end, showed not the slightest desire of availing herself of Freedman's "kind offer" to divert some of his thousands—many of them going to McGinley's hate sheet—in order that her name be "cleared." No Comment: Reporters grouped around the elder solon as he walked from his bench in the huge and stately Washington courtroom. When he had shed his robe and edged his way to-ward an exit, the newspapermen were ready and armed with a host



of queries. Each in turn asked a question and though the queries differed in presentation the content was basically the same.

Was Supreme Court Justice Felix Frankfurter, advisor to a host of governmental leaders and a sage of the highest tribunal in all the land, considering resign-ing? If so, they inquired, would he resume a private law practice?

A smiling, patient but firm Felix Frankfurter, brunt of scores of verbal attacks through the years from the lunatic extreme Right Wing anti-Jewish fringe, waited until each of the scribes had voiced his question.

Then he replied with a piece of data well known to the veteran scribes assigned to pound the tough Washington "beat." Frank-furter did not "talk with the press" or "give interviews" in such matters. It was against his policy these many years. He was nice about it, but that was that.

Washington, humming with rumors these past weeks, paused for a breather, then started right back humming again.

Brains at the American Jewish Congress plunked their twin dimes at the newsstand counters last Friday and with millions of Americans throughout the nation thumbed through the bulky na-tional magazine to learn in text and illustrations what had transpired in a weary world during recent days past. But the AJCers had only to probe a few pages from the slick magazine's picture cover to find what they sought.

"Life" had gone to town on the AJC conducted tribunal in which one erstwhile concentration camp inmate had charged that another prisoner of the Nazis had slain his brother. The tribunal's decision released three weeks ago found the accused innocent.

But that hardly put a damper on the "Life" yarn. Stretching an interesting 8,000 words, it related in detail the events of the affair: from its unusual beginnings on a crowded Gotham street, when the accuser first spied the accused, to

AJC chieftains had given the text a "once-over" prior to its re-lease. The original 89-page manuscript met with their approval, though it hardly matched the crisp, gripping and well-edited account which appeared in the magazine. Primary in the minds of most officials in holding the tribunal was to squelch any "sensa-tional" treatment of the yarn at the hands of the newspapers and magazines. With this in mind, AJCers eyed the "Life" manu-script objectively. "Sensational-ism"? Never!

When the magazine hit the newsstands there were red faces at AJC. No one would say that the yarn was "unfavorable." Nor would anyone of importance venture the opinion that the carefully read-over text was "sensational." What the AJCers had appar-ently failed to take into account

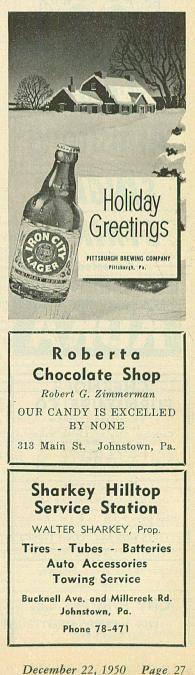
in their understandable quest to

keep "sensationalism" in the background was that the nation's leading magazine also carried pictures.

And here even the most conservative among the conservative was forced to admit, lest one suggest a visit to an eye specialist be very much in order, that the huge full-page photograph of the ac-cused screaming "He Killed My Brother!" and other such portraits of the proceedings were "slightly sensational."

#### Mizrachi Committee Chairmen Appointed by Local Group

At the first meeting of the new Administration of the Pittsburgh District Mizrachi Organization, the following committee chairmen were appointed: Max Herrup, Education and Expansion Fund; Abe Dunn, AMEIC; J. D. Golding, Esq., Special Assignments; Joel D. Co-hen and Morris Herer, Membership; Harry Mysels, Social Activities; and Simon Shapiro, Chalukas. Hashas. Rabbi Joshua S. Weiss, the District president, will person-ally continue to hold the chairmanship of the J.N.F. committee.



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HOLLYWOOD—The home life of Jack Benny is familiar to just about every American radio listener. When the Waukegan Wit made his television debut recently, viewers got further information about the Benny domicile, for the show included a scene in the comic's abode.

Through Jack's consistent practice of using his home as a setting for his comedy, his audiences feel that they know every nook and cranny of the house. Their letters indicate that they believe that Rochester (Eddie Anderson) is Benny's real-life servant, and that Benny actually has a creaking safe in his cellar.

The facts are, of course, that far from being a household employee, Rochester is himself an employer of servants And there is no basement safe, or any of the other hilarious nonsense by which Jack has delighted a couple of generations of fans.

The home life of Jack and Mary Benny is just about what you would expect of two persons of wealth, talent, culture and intelligence. They live in an early American type house in the heart of Beverly Hills, though the interior decoration is an attractive and comfortable modern.

Probably the only real way in which their life differs from that of other persons in similar circumstances is in the names and fame of their close friends. Their most frequent guests are Dr. and Mrs. Joel Pressman (Claudette Colbert), Mr. and Mrs. Danny Kaye, George and Gracie Burns, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Vidor (Doris Warner), and Mr. and Mrs. William Goetz (Edith Mayer).

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They don't care much for night clubs, but they will usually attend the opening of a new act at Ciro's, the Mocambo or the other clubs that feature top-flight shows. They dress informally. Jack says he gave up white ties and tails when he left vaudeville. The Bennys drive their own

The Bennys drive their own cars, and for Jack this is a favorite relaxation. There are few things he enjoys more than getting behind the wheel of his Cadillac and setting off for Palm Springs, Yosemite or some other quiet, attractive spot. Mary, who thinks of driving only in terms of getting from one place to another, doesn't accompany him on the jaunts. She would rather stay home and work on her golf game.

on her golf game. Now a third car has been added to the family. Their 16-year-old daughter, Joan, is a senior student at the Chadwick School for Girls in Palos Verdes, California. Until this year, she boarded at the school, but on her 16th birthday Pappy Jack surprised her with a convertible so she could live at home and drive back and forth to school.

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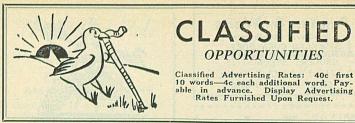
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#### Details of Smear Campaign Against Anna Rosenberg

(concluded from page 4) Freedman said he would institute a suit this week against Lewis, Radio Station WJZ, and the Harris Upham Co., Lewis' radio sponsor, for a million dollars. Lewis had smeared him, charged. Freedman and ruined his 'reputation.'

In the course of an interview, Freedman disclosed the beginnings of a smear campaign against Mrs. Anna Rosenberg which a number of senators contended might wind up with indictments of perjury against several (at least one) of the witnesses who swore that Anna Rosenberg was a Red worker.

The hate drive, which was soon picked up by a chain of anti-Semitic papers throughout the nation, had its humble beginnings in Freedman's anything-but-humble modern apartment in New York City.

City. It was during the course of discussion with a "prominent attorney," the evening of December 2, Freedman disclosed, that he first mentioned the 'coincidence' that a 'Mrs. Anna Rosenberg' had been named in findings of the Un-American Activities Committee as being affiliated with Communistfront movements. (F.B.I. agents later testified that there were scores of Anna Rosenbergs residing in New York City.)

Freedman's prominent attorney friend listened attentively, the pro-Mufti financier said, "Then he said," commented Freedman, "I think I know someone who knows her." Then the 'prominent attorney,' Freedman said, contacted Ralph de Sola. (de Sola's testimony of having 'seen' Anna Rosenberg at Communist-front meetings was later repudiated and contradicted by other 'prosecution' witnesses.)

An American Jewish Press reporter asked Freedman whether the 'prominent attorney' who sparked the Rosenberg smear could be Mr. Richardson, himself a defender of the Mufti's doings and spokesman for Freedman's anti-Zionist rantings on numerous past occasions.

"As a matter of fact," Freedman recalled, "it was Richardson." Freedman said he later went to Washington where he spoke with a member of Congress about the Rosenberg matter. While strolling through Washington, and quite 'accidentally,' Freedman charged, who should approach him but Gerald L. K. Smith, the notorious anti-Semite.

"I just bumped into him," Freedman claimed in denying that he had checked with Smith or Representative John Rankin, another anti-Jew, before spreading the data about Mrs. Rosenberg's Communist ties.

"What's new in the Rosenberg case," Freedman said Smith asked of him.

Freedman said he gave Smith the cold shoulder. "Why don't you go and ask the Armed Services Committee, if you're so interested," Freedman claimed he replied to Smith.

Several times during this interview with the American Jewish Press, the Mufti's admirer repeated, "I tell you all of this is 'Moshe emess' (Moses' truth)."

Freedman wound up by admitting that his dollars helped support the hate-sheet 'C o mm on Sense,' but that he never considered it 'anti-Semitic' though it constantly 'warns' against a ''world-wide Jewish Zionist Communist conspiracy."

"It's against the Communists, isn't it?" asked an aroused Freedman. Receiving no reply, he added "I'm for any group or paper that fights those Communists!"

Neighbors of Freedman's showed no surprise at his latest involvement in the Rosenberg smear campaign.

"He's an eccentric character," one woman remarked.

"Is that guy in trouble again!" said another.

"Don't talk to me about Ben Freedman," said a third.

An American Jewish Press reporter who contacted the building superintendent at Freedman's New York City apartment house after learning that the anti-Zionist's phone wasn't listed, was told upon identification of the reporter's credentials, "He doesn't like you people very much, but I'll tell him you called."

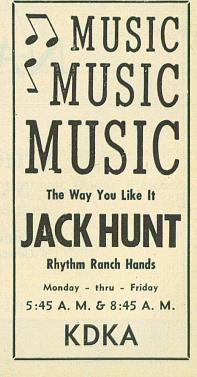
Later the same superintendent said he was only 'joking' about the remark. But it was a grim joke.

#### Hillel Academy Juniors Invite Guests To Attend Services

The Junior Congregation of the Hillel Academy of Pittsburgh invites children residing in Squirrel Hill to attend its services. The Junior Congregation has conducted services successfully since the beginning of this semester in September. The purpose of the Junior Congregation is to prepare the children in conducting services and to lend expression to their talents in this direction. The services in the past have been conducted completely by students of Hillel Academy under the direction of their teachers. The services are held every Saturday morning from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. at the Poale Zedeck Synagogue and Shaare Torah Synagogue alternately. This Saturday, December 23, the

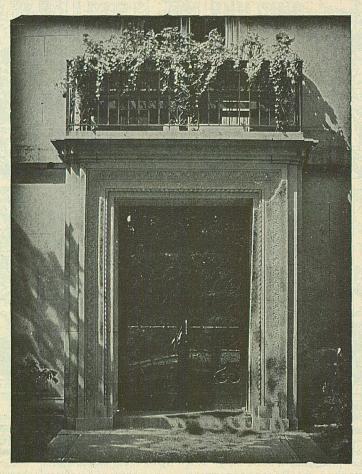
This Saturday, December 23, the services will take place at the Shaare Torah Synagogue. As always, refreshments will be served after the services. During the last few months the

During the last few months the Junior Congregation has made tremendous progress in this. Hillel Academy cordially invites parents of the locality to attend these services with their children. The new term at Hillel Academy begins February 1. Registration for Nursery, Kindergarten, Pre-school, and Grade classes up to and including the fourth grade, is accepted now. For further information, call MUseum 1-8274-75.



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