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SUNDAY, DECEMBER 23rd, 10:30 A. M.

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will speak on

"FATHER COUGHLIN'S PLAN

AND HIS NATIONAL UNION FOR SOCIAL JUSTICE"

Friday Evening Twilight Service 5:30 to 6:00

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TEMPLE FLASHES

Elected to office of the Temple at the last meeting of the Board of Trustees were I. N. Loeser, president; I. F. Freiberger, vice president; Myron A. Cohen, second vice president; I. N. Stone, honorary vice president; Frederick Frankel, Secretary and Adolph Keller, Treasurer. This is the fifth term for President Loeser Bernard Goodman was the soloist at the Service last Sunday. He played a slow movement of Lalo's "Symphony Espagnole". . . Many inquires about the new Chanukah menorah brings this information: The Chanukah menorah was used for the first time this year. It is the gift of the Confirmation Class of 1933. It was conceived and designed by Architect Sigmund Braverman and executed by the Rose Iron Works. lt may be seen in the library Apologies to Mr. David Schlesinger whose name was omitted from the list of those elected to the Board of Trustees at the annual meeting The Library Fund again issues a call for aid. The fund is dangerously low. Never before have the publishing houses so generously issued books on Jewish subjects in English. To function effectively our Library must be up to date. Contributions should be sent to the Temple office. Shelves and books may be donated in memory of some dear one or on the occasion of some happy event.

WELCOME HOME TO OUT-OF-TOWN STUDENTS

Rabbi and Mrs. Brickner will be hosts to out-of-town college students, children of our members, who are at home for the winter vacation, Friday, December 28th at 2:30 P. M., in the Temple parlor.

The Sisterhood Student Welfare Committee which is arranging this welcome home wishes to extend the invitation to those whose names may not be on file and to whom consequently no formal invitations were sent.

The Temple office will be pleased to receive the names and address of outof-town students who do not receive this bulletin regularly.

NEW GROUP FEATURED BY SISTERHOOD

At the New Corner Table Ruth Mielziner Moss has introduced a new and unique feature into the Sisterhood Sewing. At this table Mrs. Moss supervises the making, redecorating and refurbishing of oil paintings, lamps, trays, furniture, mirrors and such accessories as cookie cannisters, bottles, etc.

Working with Mrs. Moss are at present: Mrs. M. Blahd, Mrs. I. Greene, Mrs, Alfred Reinberg and Mrs. Maurice Spitalny.

Mrs. Charles Korach calls for volunteers to join this new group.

FUNDS

The Sisterhood gratefully acknowledges receipt of the following donations:

To The Altar Fund: From Mrs. Victor Fishel in memory of her father, Charles Bruml.

To The Scholarship Fund: From Mrs. Louis Schwartz in memory of her father, S. A. Feder.

EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 21st

11:00 A. M. Sisterhood Cultural Course. "New Treatments for Children's Diseases." Dr. J. W. Epstein.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 28th

11:00 A. M. Sisterhood Cultural Course. "Vitamins and Their Functions." Dr. Henry Goldblatt.

2:30 P. M. Out-of-town College Students Tea.

MEN'S CLUB OFFICERS AND TRUSTEES

Officers: Oscar H. Steiner, President; Harry L. Wolpaw, Vice-President; David Copland, Secretary and David Schlesinger, Treasurer.

Trustees: Irwin Freiberger, Leo Seidenfeld, Jack Grodin, David Bamberger, Irwin Greene, Maurice Bernstein, Howard Hirsch, Al Walder, Dr. Harry Lefkowitz, Elmer Babin, Wm. S. Cohen, Marvin J. Laronge, Sam Deutsch, Wm. B. Estrin, George E. Frankel, Adolph Salsburg, Sam Siegel, Dr. M. Krall, Irving S. Rose, Nathan Brilliant, Jack H. Rosenthal, Otto Zinner and Rabbi B. R. Brickner and all past presidents of the Men's Club.

ROUND TABLE ADJOURNS UNTIL JANUARY 7th

The Men's Club announces a vacation for the Round Table which will resume sessions on Monday, January 7th and will continue thereafter every other Monday.

The Round Table meets at the Russet Cafeteria in the Union Trust Building at noon, with Rabbi Brickner leading the discussion.

THE POLICE DEPARTMENT REQUESTS

No double parking on 82nd street on Sunday mornings.

No parking on west side of 82nd street.

The police department warns that

Parking privileges have been generously given by the Sears Roebuck Company in its parking space for Sunday morning only. This space is not available on Tuesday evenings.

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To the Library Fund: From Etta Straus in memory of her brother, Feist Straus; Dr. and Mrs. S. E. Rosen in memory of Milton Joseph Rosen; Mrs. Sam Brockman in memory of her mother, Mrs. Devora Beyer; Ida Mendelson in memory of her mother, Jennie Mendelson.

To The Prayer Book Fund: From Mrs. H. L. Frensdorf in memory of her father, Solomon Firth; Mrs. Morris N. Halle in memory of J. L. Haas; Theresa and Judith Lamm in memory of their grandmother, Mrs. Yetta Sussman.

FACING JEWISH LIFE TODAY

(Excerpts from address by Prof. Mordecai M. Kaplan, author of "Judaism as a Civilization.")

"The purpose of youth and adult education should be to learn what's wrong with the world and what's to be done to set it right. As Jews we have to know what's wrong with Jewish life and how we can help to set it right. We were never in such a predicament as we are in today.

"We are caught between the devil of Fascism and the deep sea of Marxism. The Fascists want to destroy the Jews and the Marxists want to destroy Judaism. Taking the cue from the Fascists, our rich Jewish assimilators decry all Jewish cultural and social activity as unpatriotic. Taking the cue from the Marxists our proletarian Jewish associations condemn Jewish religion 'as an obstacle to a classless society.

"We must therefore achieve a formula for Jewish living that will give us the courage to combat the selfish and bigoted nationalism preached by Gentile and Jewish Fascists and the materialism and hopeless class division preached by Gentile and Jewish Marxists.

"We must also develop a program of Jewish communal life which will look toward a cooperative pationalism and an economic system based on service instead of profit. Only thus can we provide our Jewish youth with a sense of purpose in being Jews and convince them of Judaism's power to elicit the best that is in them."

Five months after the outbreak of the Great War, H. G. Wells wrote as follows:

"The thought of war will sit like a giant over all human affairs for the next two decades. It will say to all of us: 'Set your houses in order.' If you squabble among yourselves, waste time, litigate, muddle, snatch profits and shirk obligations, I will certainly come again. I have taken all your young men between eighteen and fifty and killed and maimed such as I please, millions of them. I have wasted your substance, contemptuously.

"Now you have multitudes of male children between the ages of nine and nineteen running about among vou. delightful and beloved boys. And behind them some millions of delightful babies . . . But go on muddling, each for himself and his parish and his family and none for all the world; go on in the old way; stick to your rights, stick to your claims, each one of you; make no concessions and no sacrifices; obstruct. waste, squabble-and presently I will come again and take all that fresh harvest of life and those millions of sweet children and dear little boys and youths, and I will squeeze it into a red jam between my hands and mix it with the mud of the trenches and feast on it before your eyes, even more damnably than I have done with your grown-up and young men."

AVUKAH CONVENES NEXT WEEK

The National Avukah Convention comes to Cleveland next week, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, December 24th, 25th and 26th, at the Cleveland Hotel.

Rabbi Milton Steinberg of New York, James Waterman Wise of New York and Rabbi Sam Bloomenfield of Chicago are featured on the program.

Rabbi Brickner will participate in a symposium with A. H. Friedland and Rabbi Bloomenfield,

Do not confine your children to your own learning, for they were born in another time.

IN MEMORIAM

Our heartfelt sympathy is extended to the bereaved families of

Mathilde Lindner Hyman Bernstein Rebecca Moses