## THE EUCLID AVE. TEMPLE

# BULLETIN

CLEVELAND. OHIO

FRIDAY EVENING SERVICE

MAY 1st, AT 8 O'CLOCK

Guest speaker

## DR. SOLOMON B. FREEHOF

Rabbi of the Rodef Shalom Temple, Pittsburgh, Pa.,

will speak on

# "THE AMERICAN CHARACTER AND WORLD DESTINY"

Rabbi Freehof is an eminent writer and lecturer and one of the leading voices in the American Rabbinate. Chairman of the Liturgy Committee of the Central Conference of American Rabbis, and Professor of Rabbinics and Liturgy at the Hebrew Union College from 1915 to 1923, during the first World War he served as a Chaplain with the United States Army in France.

Rabbi Brickner will introduce the speaker.

An organ recital will precede the service at 7:45 P. M.

In place of the regular service, we will have

## A MUSICAL WORSHIP

A Musical Psalm and Prayer Service arranged and directed by

## **ERWIN JOSPE**

In which our full Choir with soloists will participate.

Some of the most beautiful sacred compositions in all musical literature will be part of the musical ritual.

Sabbath morning services are held in the chapel from 11 to 12 noon.
Rabbi Rosenbaum will preach.

#### SISTERHOOD

An unsually large audience estimated at around 800 women were present at the Annual Meeting of the Sisterhood last Tuesday. Among them were a large number of non-Jewish women who came from various churches in the community. The meeting, which was very remarkable in character, had as its main feature a panel discussion on, "The World We Want to Live In," and was dedicated to Inter-Faith Understanding.

During the business section of the meeting The Sisterhood membership unanimously accepted the slate presented by the Nominating Committee as follows:

For President: Mrs. J. C. Newman, elected for a two-year term last year to continue in office during the coming year.

For a term of one year: Mesdames Frank Weisberg, 1st Vice President; Bernard Kane, 2nd Vice President; Arthur W. Haas, Recording Secretary; I. G. Shapiro, Corresponding Secretary; Ronald Brown, Financial Secretary; Sam Urdang, Treasurer; David Geller, Auditor.

Members of the Board elected for a three year term: Mesdames David Benjamin, Abraham Gitson, Charles Jacobs, Julius Kahn, Simon Lewis, Willard Livingstone, James H. Miller, Leonard Peskin and Alex Sill.

An Amendment to raise the Sisterhood dues to \$3.00 annually was formally accepted by the membership.

#### CRADLE ROLL

The name of Sandra Joy Jappe has been added to the Cradle Roll.

### REWARD IF RETURNED

Several months ago we read where a clever mid-western clergyman had put a lost-and-found ad in the local paper to get his congregation to come to church.

It worked very well—and just goes to prove that we have the right slant in asking you to "Take Time for Temple!" For . . .

If you have Lost touch with Jewish ideals . . .

If you have Found need for spiritual calm . . .

Then a Reward awaits you in your Temple,

When you Return for regular services. "TAKE TIME FOR TEMPLE."

-Exchange.

#### CONGRATULATIONS TO:

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Buxbaum on the birth of a granddaughter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Buxbaum.

Mrs. Rose Greenbaum on her 81st

birthday.

Mrs. H. B. Spiegle on her 77th birthday.

#### TIS THE HUMAN TOUCH

'Tis the human touch, in the world that counts,

The touch of your hand and mine; Which means far more to the fainting heart.

Than shelter, and bread, and wine.

For shelter is gone, when the night is o'er.

And bread lasts only a day;
But the touch of the hand, and the sound
of the voice,
Sing on in the soul always.

#### FUNDS

To the Altar Fund: Charlotte and Elmer Kaufman in memory of mother, Tillie Kaufman. Clarence I. Goldsmith in memory of Charles and Yetta Schwarz....Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Weil, Mr. and Mrs. Vic Fishel, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Lorber and Miss Ida Bruml in memory of Joseph Frisch of Los Angeles.

To the Library Fund: Mrs. B. E. Kaufman and Mrs. William Morris in memory of mother, Rosa Stern....Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Hofman in memory of brother, Max J. Zinner.

To the Prayerbook Fund: Mrs. Harry Engelman in memory of mother, Sarah Hammer. Geraldine M. Zwee in memory of mother, Anna Spitz Zwee. E. J. Schwartz in memory of Arthur H. Lichtig. Mrs. Maurice Gardner in memory of mother, Pauline Adelson. Mrs. E. Simon in memory of father, Jacob White.

To the Yahrzeit Fund: Mrs. I. Friedman in memory of husband, Isidore Friedman. Mrs. William Morris, Mrs. B. E. Kaufman in memory of Adolph Sampliner.

To the Braille Fund: Mrs. Harry Klein in memory of Sara Glick.

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# FIFTEENTH ANNUAL CLUB DEPARTMENT

## Activities Rally Luncheon

SATURDAY, MAY 2nd, NOON ALUMNI HALL

Awards for Achievement and attendance will be distributed

All children who are members of a club now, and all children who wish to join a club next year are invited to attend.

Luncheon Tickets 30c

#### FROM THE TALMUD—

Few are they that see their own faults.

Man sees the mote in his neighbor's eye, but knows not of the beam in his own.

Attend no auctions if thou hast no money.

Thy friend, and thy friend's friend has a friend. Be discreet. If thou tellest thy secret to three persons, ten know of it.

The ass complains of the cold, even in July.

First learn and then teach.

A myrtle, even in the desert, remains a myrtle.

The rose grows among thorns.

The soldiers fight, and the kings are heroes.

When the ox is down, many are the butchers.

Two pieces of coin in one bag make more noise than a hundred.

He who mixes with unclean things becomes unclean himself.

He whose associates are pure becomes more holy with each day.

When wine enters the head, the secret flies out.

Unhappy is he who mistakes the branch for the tree, the shadow for the substance.

Life is but a loan; death is the creditor who will one day claim it.

The best preacher is the heart; the best teacher is time; the best book is the world; the best friend is God.

From the Bulletin of Temple Beth-El Detroit.

### ON THE AVOIDANCE OF OSTENTA-TION IN WAR TIME

The Chicago Rabbinical Association issued the following letter to the Jewish community of that city. It seems to us to be fitting and proper for Jews everywhere. We quote:

"The members of the Chicago Rabbinical Association, in keeping with the traditional practice of Rabbinic authority in times of emergency, address themselves to the officers and members of all Jewish organizations in this city with the admonition that they:

"Observe the utmost simplicity in the arrangement of all public affairs, dinners, celebrations, anniversaries, etc., sponsored by them:

"Encourage their membership to avoid ostentation and all forms of conspicuous consumption in their personal lives:

"Strongly urge that each and every Jew consider himself enlisted for the duration; that they support to the utmost Civilian Defense, Red Cross, U.S. O. and all similar agencies, and cheerfully fulfill the Government's request for payment of taxes, conservation of materials necessary for defense, and all-out exertion in labor and industry.

"We are confident that every Jew will appreciate the unseemliness of wasteful living while millions of our youth are being called upon to make great sacrifices, and will realize that simplicity in living standards will free vast productive energies for the prosecution of the war against the enemies of all civilized humanity.

"Our forefathers lived through many agonizing crises of world history, and have handed on to us an unshakable faith in the peace, girded with justice, that shall come "after many days." Let us, by the example of our personal lives, share this heritage of confidence with our allies. It may be our best contribution to victory."

# MEN'S CLUB ANNUAL MEETING

Wednesday, May 20th Dinner Meeting

### SCIENTIST DERIDES NAZI RACIAL "MYTH"

The Nazi-accented theory that interbreeding of different races results in inferior offspring was described as "a myth" recently by Dr. M. P. Ashley-Montague, a Philadelph anthropologist, who said that half-castes, taken as a whole, were for the most part superior biologically to their parents.

Addressing the American Association of Physical Anthropologists at Harvard, Dr. Ashley-Montague declared that the Nazis had merely given "vicious enthronement as a political doctrine" to a widely held but erroneous belief that crossing of different racial groups results in defects and eventually in sterility.

"An examination of the evidence shows," he said, "that contemporary beliefs relating to the harmfulness of human hybridization are quite erroneous, and constitute part of the great mythology of 'race.'

"The truth is that ethnic (racial) mixture, far from causing impurities, produces a purifying effect in that many defective traits of the parents are eliminated in the offspring as a result of crossing and the group as a whole becomes purified."

Declaring that one of the reasons for Hitler's persecution of the Jews was his contention that the German stock might be tainted by intermarriage with Jews, Dr. Ashley-Montague, asserted:

"As for the Nazi assault on Jews in this respect, it should be pointed out that the Jews are not a single race, but a number of races, and that they exhibit in perhaps pre-eminent degree the biologically good effects of race mixture.

"Thus, in a marriage between German and Jew, the German would get by far the better of the bargain."

-From the New York Times.

#### JEWISH ODDITIES

The courage and the determination, the perseverance and pluck in the face of great odds, which characterized Theodore Roosevelt, and made of him a symbol of the America we love, was attributed by him after the Spanish-American War to the members of his regiment. The "Rough Riders" was one of the most courageous military aggregations ever to exercise its energy and initiative in the service of the United States.

In commenting on the intrepid action of his men, Theodore Roosevelt made special mention of the Jewish members of his regiment. These numbered seven, all of whom distinguished themselves by courageous action. One of this number was made a lieutenant by his leader.

In a letter to Jacob Schiff on the occasion of the 250th anniversary of the settling of the Jews in America, Theodore Roosevelt wrote: "I am glad to be able to say . . . that while the Jews of the United States . . . have remained loval to their faith and their race traditions, they have become indissolubly incorporated in the great army of American citizenship, prepared to make all sacrifice for the country, either in war or in peace, and striving for the perpetuation of good government and for the maintenance of the principles embodied in our constitution."- From The Institutional, New York.

## Story of the Week

"I thank God for my sons," said an elderly man. "My first-born is a doctor. The second is a lawyer, the third is a chemist, the fourth an artist and the fifth a writer."

"And what do you do?" he was asked.
"I," said the man, "have a dry-goods store, not a very big one, but I manage to support them all."—From The Book of Jewish Humor" by Rufus Learsi.

"BUY U. S. WAR BONDS AND SAVE THE WORLD FROM BONDAGE."