THE EUCLID AVE. TEMPLE

# BULLETIN

CLEVELAND, OHIO

# New Year's Eve.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 31st

One Hour of Prayer

8:15 P. M. to 9:15 P. M.

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# Rabbi Julius J. Rodel

will speak on

"1944---Points the Way"

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"I will lift up mine eyes unto the mountains: From whence shall my help come? My help cometh from the Lord, Who made heaven and earth."

Psalm 121.

# Sabbath Morning Services

11 A. M. to 12 Noon in the Chapel

Rabbi Julius J. Nodel

will speak on

THE JOSEPH DRAMA---ACT III

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#### CONGRATULATIONS TO:

Congratulations to: Mrs. William Grossman on her 78th birthday

Judge and Mrs. M. Bernon upon their 31st wedding anniversary, December 25.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jacobson upon their 15th wedding anniversary, December 23rd.

### In Memorian

Our heartfelt sympathies are extended to the bereaved families of Herman Sill, Mrs. Helen Faulb, and D. J. Zinner.

## Religious School Note's

There will be no sessions the week-end of New Years-Friday, December 31, Saturday, January 1st and Sunday, January 2nd. Sessions will be resumed the following week-end. Clubs will meet the week of January 3rd.

Mr. Brilliant our Educational Director, was the host to the teachers at the Chanukah Party last Monday evening, December 27th in Alumni Hall.

It was interesting to learn that a number of public schools in Cleveland, Shaker and Cleveland Heights held Candles were Chanukah celebrations. lit, blessings chanted, songs sung and the Chanukah story told. This was done at assemblies and in classrooms and speaks volumes for the fine feeling of good will that the City of Cleveland and its suburbs are developing.

### **FUNDS**

To the Alice Barth Memorial Fund: Lena Kohn in memory of Alice Barth; Mrs. Theresa Rice in memory of Alice Barth; Mr. and Mrs. Myron Rice in memory of Alice Barth.

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To the Braille Fund: Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Ganger in memory of son, Leonard.

## Hostesses at Oneg Shabbat Friday Evening, December 24th

Mrs. James Miller, Chairman Mrs. Harriet Freedman, Co-chairman

Mrs. Arthur W. Haas Mrs. Julius Lamm Mrs. Jacob Paul Mrs. Harry Engelman Mrs. Louis Heisler

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## "Brickner Proposes Time Limit on Overseas Service to Increase Morale."

(From the New York Times, December 16, 1943

By Wireless to The New York Times

New Delhi, India, Dec. 15 - Morale among the troops he has visited is surprisingly good, Rabbi Barnett R. Brickner, administrative chairman of the Committee on Army and Navy Religious Activities of the National Jewish Welfare Board, said at a press conference yesterday "I was struck by the good spirits of the men," he said, "especially in view of the fact that they are leading routine lives at rear bases and do not have the stimulus of combat some of their comrades have. They have their gripes, but none of them are serious."

He said he found a greater portion of service men attending religious services than among civilians at home, and asserted that chaplains are filling roles of increasing importance among military forces.

"The chaplains today do far more than just hold religious services and visit hospitals," he said, and added that "They have become advisers and father confessors of the men. The best service they provide is as consultants. are no longer regarded as fifth wheels. Commanding officers everywhere recognize their importance as part of the military organization, and in many places there is a demand for more chapels."

Rabbi Brickner said that heartening interfaith cooperation was found in many places where Protestant and Catholic chaplains had arranged services for Jewish members of the forces when no Jewish chaplains were available. He said he also found Jewish chaplains addressing Protestant and Catholic gatherings.

He declares that in addressing such gatherings he felt at home.

"We are even giving spiritual lendlease," he declared.

"At bases where the British have no Jewish chaplains, American chaplains are serving British forces," "I also ran across a case of spiritual reverse lend-lease—an instance of a British Jewish chaplain conducting service for Americans."

Rabbi Brickner said that if this interfaith understanding and cooperation were carried over into civilian life after the war, "it would give us an entirely new America."

He said he saw President Roosevelt before he left the United States and said he was giving the service men everywhere a message the President had asked him to convey "He asked me to give them his love and tell them that after the war America is going to be a very prosperous place," the rabbi declared. He added that the President predicted a quick revival of American world trade after the war and post-war recovery "faster" than expected said the President favored periodical bonus payments to demobilized service men after the war.

He said men everywhere overseas were anxious to get home and that they would be better able to bear duty abroad if they knew they were going home after a certain date.

Rabbi Brickner left the United States just a month ago and has visited posts in the Caribbean, South America, Africa, the Middle East and India. pose of his tour is to investigate living conditions and the morale of American forces, particularly those of the Jewish faith, to establish a basis on which he can make recommendations for changes and improvements in arrangements for meeting the spiritual needs of service men abroad. His tour parallels those of clergymen of other faiths.

# Buy Your War Bonds Through Your Temple

4th War Loan Campaign Starts
January 18th

# 513 E.A.T. Boys in Service

#### ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Additional List of people who donated money for cakes to the boys in service: Mrs. Herman Reines, Mrs. J. Anthony, Mrs. E. Weil, Miss Ida Bruml and Mrs. Harry Meisel.

#### AWAKE!

No greater thing could come to our land today than a revival of the spirit of religion—a revival that would sweep through the homes of the nation and stir the hearts of men and women of all faiths to a reassertion of their belief in God and their dedication, to His will for themselves and for their world. I doubt if there is any problem, social, political or economic, that would not melt away before the fires of such a spiritual awakening.

-Franklin D. Roosevelt.

Seest thou a man wise in his own conceit? There is more hope of a fool than of him.

Proverbs, 26:12

### No Revolutions

No political revolutions would be necessary if religion became a vital part of everyday life.

-Eleanor Roosevelt

### THE GOD OF ALL MEN

Jewish lore tells us that when man was created out of the dust, the Creator was careful not to choose the dust from any particular spot on the earth's surfact, lest subsequent generatins, inhabiting that spot, should boast that they were the original children of God. Therefore, the Creator gathered dust from all the corners of the earth, in order that all men might know that they are His children, equal in His sight.

-Goldstein "Toward a Solution."

Woudst thou fashion for thyself a seemly life?

Then do not fret over what is past and gone:

And spite of all thou may'st have left behind.

Live each day as if thy life were just begun."

-J. W. von Goethe

A learned man who is proud, is like a carcass lying in the wayside; the traveler turns his head away in disgust.
—Sayings of the Fathers

Do not criticize your own faults when you find them in other people. Talmud Baba Mezia, 59b