THE EUCLID AVE. TEMPLE

BULLETIN CLEVELAND, OHIO

FRIDAY EVENING SERVICE JANUARY 12th, AT 8:15 P. M.

RABBI BRICKNER

will speak on

YOUR WAR-TIME FEARS AND WORRIES —HOW TO OVERCOME THEM

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Recital of Sacred Music at 8:00 P. M.

Doors open at 7:45 P. M.

PARENT-TEACHERS' RECEPTION

Sunday, January 14, 3 to 5 P. M.

Here is your opportunity to visit with the teacher of your child. There will be no program and no speeches. Teachers will receive the parents in their rooms.

Rabbi Brickner, James H. Miller, Judge Bernon, Mr. Brilliant and Mrs. Braverman will be in the receiving line to greet you.

Refreshments will be served by Mrs. Louis Cort, and the members of her Sisterhood Religious School Committee.

If your child cannot be left at home alone, and will prevent your coming, bring him along. He will be entertained in the Auditorium while you are attending the reception.

Sabbath Morning Services in the Chapel 11 A. M. to 12 NOON

Rabbi Brickner will preach.

Weekly Torah Portion-"Vaera" Exodus 6.2-9.35 Haftorah Ezekiel 28.25-29.21

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RELIGIOUS SCHOOL

Report cards were mailed to the parents of all children in grades 4 to 9. Parents are asked to examine the reports very carefully and to sign them promptly so that they may be returned at the coming session.

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Forget the Weather!

Here is something new and different!

A DRAMATIC READING of a MUSICAL COMEDY

by the Sisterhood Dramatic Reading Group with musical accompaniment

Tuesday, January 16, 2 P.M.

Alumni Hall

A tea will follow

Participating:

Mesdames: David Dietz, Harriet Freedman, J. D. Gage, Willard Livingston, Louis Rose, Sigmund Braverman, William Shapiro, Sidney Zipkin, Rudy Miller, Jerome Blonder, Mark Mirsky, and Bernard Krohn. Mrs. Sidney Moss will accompany.

Mrs. Harry Wolpaw, Chairman

SEMINAR FOR MINISTERS

Our congregation will conduct its annual Ministers' Seminar on Judaism, Wednesday, January 24th. This is the eighth annual session. Last years' Seminar was not held due to Rabbi Brickner's tour of the battlefronts.

At the morning session Dr. Nahum Goldman will speak on the "Jewish World Scene." Immediately after lunch Rabbi Brickner will discuss "Has the G. I. Found Religion." At the afternoon session Dr. Henry A. Atkinson will address the Seminar on "Palestine—A Solution to the Jewish Problem."

The Ministers will be the guests of our temple at luncheon.

This Seminar on Judaism is held in cooperation with the Cleveland Church, Federation and the Ministerial Association of Greater Cleveland. Each year about 300 Cleveland ministers attend in order to obtain a better understanding of Judaism and Jewry.

The Ministers' Seminar is made possible by the Chapel Education Fund.

IN MEMORIAM

Our heartfelt sympathy is extended to the bereaved family of Nathan Zweig.

The Post War Problems Discussion Series GET YOUR TICKETS NOW. FOR THE SERIES—\$1.20 (include

AND YOU COMPLAIN

Read this series of letters from a boy in a tank division. Then go out to buy some more bonds and give some more blood.

November 13, 1944 "Somewhere not in France" Dear Folks:

I do not know how much time I will have to complete this letter and at the same time have it make sense, but here goes. I have really done some traveling since I was at Normandy, believe me. It has been rough and rugged, more than can be told, but we took it well and now we can take the best they have to give us, and we will hit back harder.

I have seen "Metz" and other "scenic" places. I have seen shells burst not more than a few yards from me, I have slept in foxholes, some with water in them and fixed up in a "luxurious manner," lined with straw and roofed with ammunition boxes, mud and straw. We use ammunition boxes for everything imaginable. I have seen the Germans run out of towns that I never heard of, as easily as if we were facing poorly trained troops.

We have gone without shaving or washing for days and really have looked a sight, but the first chance we get to fix ourselves up, we are like a bunch of animals gazing at the hot water as though we never saw the like of it before.

I better say au revoir and I am always thinking of you. Don't worry, I can take good care of myself. All my love. Sonny.

November 14, 1944 "Somewhere in the ETO"

Dear Folks:

Guess what? Today it is snowing. Just a flurry but nevertheless it is snow. I cannot tell much of what I've been doing but I know you can well understand. It's rough here, but so are we! We are all here (where?) but it won't be long until we are all in Berlin. Gen. Patton said we will celebrate Christmas in Berlin. I'll send you a Christmas Greetings from "Unter Der Linden." It's just a matter of days now and that myth meaning "German Invincibility" will be shattered.

Of course the above statements are purely mine, and those of an inexperienced person, but wait and see.

It would surely give you a laugh if you could hear our conversations concerning home, etc. Here we are eating C & K rations and we talk of steak, French fries, etc. I guess you just can't beat the Americans for a sense of humor and courage. I guess that is why they are so tough to beat. They just make the most of the situations they are thrown into.

How are things back home? I wish I would be there with you but I guess we will have to wait, possibly a long time, for that wonderful day. We all debate what we want to do first, right after we get home, eat, talk, etc. It is a problem, but I have it solved. It's been months since I have slept on anything but the ground or in a foxhole, so I guess I'll sleep maybe for two or three days, just lying there listening to the radio. Then let come what may. Let us hope that day will come soon. I'd better close now, something has just come up. So long for now.

All my love,

Sonny

November 15, 1944 "Somewhere."

Dear Folks:

Remember where I was at this time last year? Now look at what one year meant. Let's hope the cycle will repeat next year and I'll be back there again. I can't tell you how much we all want to be back home, but it's of course just fond hope that can't be realized for some time. We all hear rumors of the Germans cracking from the interior, but they are pure rumors. The German defeat will have to come through armor, steel and guts, and we've got all it takes of the above, and all the necessary courage besides.

We're still green, but we are slowly losing that newness that comes with inexperience, and we are getting just as rough and tough and calloused as any outfit yet to meet the enemy. We're confident but still think it won't come at once. Patton says we'll all be in Berlin by Christmas time. I'm a poor one to disagree with him, but nevertheless I do.

They're dug in with concrete, stone

evenings opens Wednesday, January 24th 1 tax.) SINGLE ADMISSION—50c (including Federal tax) and steel and the important areas are mined and blocked, and what's more, they are waiting for us. Anything we do now won't be a surprise to them. It is also winter, a thing which held back the Germans in the conquest of Russia.

I'm sorry if I don't sound too optimistic, perhaps even bordering on the side of pessimism, but I've seen a bit now, more than I had before.

Better say so long. Sorry for being so serious, just one of those days. All my love.

Sonny.

December 3, 1944 Up at the Front

Dear Folks:

I am writing this letter in the tanks' at night. We have the trouble lamp on and four of us are writing by it. That's about the only chance we get now and even then we must interrupt the writing to fire.

I cannot say where we are now but it has been our goal for some time. The 10th is still doing a swell job and is making a proud name for itself. Our Infantry is raking in the prisoners yet and only yesterday I saw two small G.I.'s M-1 was near as large as whose they, bringing in about thirty prisoners. They are looking for some place to bring them. It is really pitiful to gaze at the representatives I have seen so far of the super-race. They are a motley crew. Sometimes some are large. Some of them never dreamed of shaving, others graying at the beards. Most of them would have trouble making good 4-F's. These must be what Adolph has left after the Russian and African campaigns and our Invasion of Europe. They do not look like much but they are sly and deadly.

We know those American boys lying on the roadside are not alive. They are still and their arms and legs are frozen in horrible contortions. The Hun did it and it is up to us to beat him to his very knees and kill him if we get the chance. It is kill or be killed and it is going to take the best they've got to hold us now. We are on the way, watch us move farther and farther inside his very walls.

I am sorry if I sound too morbid but that's the way I feel tonight. Excuse me. Hope you are both in excellent health and spirits. Will write at every opportunity.

All my love,

Sonny.

REFUGEE IMMIGRANTS URGED TO TAKE PART IN NATIONAL STUDY

Refugee immigrants residing in this community who entered the United States during the past decade are urged to cooperate with a nation-wide study project regarding their adjustment to American life by filling out questionaires available at the offices of the Jewish Family Service Association.

The study is being conducted by the Committee for the Study of Recent Immigration from Europe under the joint sponsorship of the following five national refugee-aid agencies: American Committee for Christian Refugees, American Friends Service Committee, Catholic Committee for Refugees, National Refugee Service, and the United States Committee for the Care of European Children.

The aims of the Committee are twofold: 1) to determine the degree of economic and social adjustment recent immigrants have made in the United States; 2) to learn what contributions the newcomers may have made to the economic and cultural life of the country.

The success of the study project depends largely on the cooperation extended by the recent immigrants themselves. The questionaires to be filled out need not be signed and all replies will be kept anonymous. The Jewish Family Service Association has available a number of questionaires for those who have not yet received them and urges all newcomers in the country to apply for these as soon as posible.

JEWISH G. I.'S RELINQUISH CHRISTMAS PASSES

Jewish men and women in the armed forces at military and naval establishments throughout the United States and overseas relinquished passes and furloughs over the holidays, and volunteered for extra duty so that Christian soldiers were able to celebrate Christmas.

MOVIE ON CHAPLAINS WHO SACRIFICED SELF

A motion picture to be called "Four Men of God," inspired by four U. S. Army chaplains, two Protestants, one Catholic and one Jew, who gave their lives to rescue men from a sinking troopship, will be put into production immediately by Jack Horner, it is reported from Hollywood.