THE EUCLID AVE. TEMPLE

BULLETIN

CLEVELAND, OHIO

FRIDAY EVENING SERVICE

FEBRUARY 7th, at 8:00 P. M.



DR. JOSEPH REMENYI

will speak on

"Man's Wrestle With FEAR, FATE, AND FAITH"

The moral and social issues of the day illuminated by Cleveland College's brilliant Professor of Comparative Literature

Assisted with the Torah last week: Emery Klineman and Bernard Kaufman

SABBATH MORNING SERVICE

In the Chapel from 11 A. M. to 12:00 Noon

Rabbi Samuel M. Silver will officiate and preach.

Weekly Torah Reading: "Yitro"-Exodus 18.1-20.23 Rattorah: Isaiah 6.1-7.; 9.5-6

FEBRUARY CALENDAR

- Sun. Feb. 9th—Jr. Alumni Inter-Faith Meeting wih Young People of Nine Neighboring Churches, 2:30 P. M.—Alumni Hall.
- Fri. Feb. 14th—Men's Club Service and third annual "Songs of Israel," 8:00 P. M. Service, conduced by members of Men's Club, will introduuce new musical staff.
- Sat. Feb. 15th—Mother-Daughter Day. Religious Service, Luncheon, and Play sponsored by Sisterhood.
- Sun. Feb. 16th-Father-Son Luncheon at 12:30 P. M. at the Hotel Carter. Speaker, Bill Veeck.
- Fri. Feb. 21st—National Brotherhood Week Service with Rev. Robert S. Newell and Rabbi Samuel M. Silver, 8:00 P. M.
- Sun. Feb. 23rd-Sr. Alumni Tea Dance, 3:00 P. M.-Alumni Hall.
- Thurs, Feb. 27th—Sr. Alumni presents Theodore Andrica and his latest film, "Ribbons and Ruins." Entire congregation invited. 8:15 P. M.—Auditorium.
- Fri. Feb. 28th—Religious Service, 8:00 P. M.—Rabbi Samuel Wohl, Cincinnati, guest speaker.

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A Memo for Each Member of the Family

√TO DAD: Don't forget ticket for Men's Club Father-Son Luncheon, Sunday, February 16, at Hotel Carter. Martin N. Goulder and Samuel A. Moss, cochairmen, promise you a delightful afternoon. Bill Veeck is main speaker.

√TO MOTHER: Don't prepare lunch for Saturday, February 15th. That's the day you and daughter are spending together at the Temple. Service at 11 A. M. when Mrs. Alex Sill, Sisterhood chairman of the day, and daughter, Susan, deliver sermonettes. Lunch at 12:30 in Alumni Hall. At 2:30, a presentation of 'Brides Through the Ages", written and directed by Mrs. Max Kalish, with a cast of 40.

VTO TEEN-AGERS: The Junior Alumni is host to young people of nearby churches this Sunday, February 9th at 2:30 P. M. You are invited to this inter-faith meeting. Nathan Brilliant will guide Round Table discussion. Dessert luncheon will follow.

√TO ALL SONS: Religious School will adjourn a little earlier Sunday, February 16 to give you and Dad time to go to Hotel Carter for the Father-Son Luncheon. Have you written that original song yet? Three cash prizes will be awarded to the best ones. At the luncheon you'll receive a valuable souvenir. Also entertainment and many door prizes (sports items).

√TO SENIOR ALUMNI MEMBERS: Season's first Tea Dance, Sunday, February 23rd at 3:00 P. M. in Alumni Hall. Following Thursday night, February 27th, 8:15 P. M., Alumni is host to entire congregation at showing of Theodore Andrica's film in the Auditorium.

∀TO YOUNG WIVES AND PROS-PECTIVE BRIDES: A special sewing group is being started for you at the Sisterhood's Tuesday Sewing Group. No special talent required. Come up to Alumni Hall on Tuesday and join the others. Lunch is served. Organizers of this group are: Mmes. James Miller, Jr., William Behrens, Arthur Roth, and Melvin Berg.

√TO PARENTS OF CONFIRMA-TION CLASS: The initial meeting of parents Sunday, January 26, with Rabbi Silver and Mrs. Braverman was most stimulating. Please note that the date of the next meeting had to be moved to Sunday, March 2nd, 2:30 P. M. Wasn't that a wonderful reception prepared by Mrs. Nathan Marcus and her Mothers' Committee? You will soon receive in the mail a written summary of first meeting.

√ TO DAUGHTERS: You'll love the original songs by Mrs. Harry Rosewater to be sung at the Mother-Daughter Luncheon, Saturday, February 16. Mrs. Rosewater, originator of the Mother-Daughter idea, will lead them personally.

√TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE FAMILY WHO LOVE MUSIC: The service, Friday, February 14 will be devoted to Jewish Music by the Festival Chorus and will introduce our new musical staff, Reuben Caplin, Paul Allen Beymer and Pauline R. Cole. The service will be read in its entirety by members of the Men's Club.

DR. JOSEPH REMENYI

Dr. Remenyi, who occupies the pulpit this Friday night, is the well-known Professor of Comparative Literature at Cleveland College of Western Reserve University. A charming personality and an extraordinary keen wit combine to make this erudite professor and author a most compelling speaker.

Rabbi Samuel M. Silver will officiate

at the service.

WGAR

Invites you to listen in to the

HOUR OF WORSHIP

every Sunday, 9:00 A. M.

On Sunday, February 9th hear

RABBI SAMUEL M. SILVER with Euclid Avenue Temple

Quartette and members of the Junior Alumuni

GERMANS SPIRITUALLY UNBEATEN, SAYS BRICKNER

By Delbert Clark

Berlin, Jan. 25—Jews in displaced persons camps are so acutely aware of anti-Semitism that if occupation troops were withdrawn tomorrow they would leave the camps and scatter, Rabbi Barnett R. Brickner of Ohio said today.

Rabbi Brickner, who visited the camps in Germany for purposes of the United Palestine Appeal is firmly convinced that the Germans are unbeaten spiritually despite the destruction of their country and that the old instincts that built up Hitler are strong as ever.

"Our people have made great error in not understanding the kind of people they have to deal with," he said, "they are trying to reform Germans with softness and the Germans take this as a sign of weakness on our part. I have no desire to see Germany crushed nor to see brutality practiced but there is such a thing as consistently correct severity which we have not practiced."

Sees Anti-Semitism Rising

"One result, is a strong anti-Semitism, which never died and now is coning again to the surface as the Germans become convinced we do not mean business and will soon be leaving."

Eyewitness evidence to support Rabbi Brickner's thesis is abundant on all sides. Perhaps the best evidence is found in the increasingly frequent and serious discussions of the problem in some segments of the German press.

Germans, while professing the greatest adoration for the principles of democracy, continually let slip anti-Semitic remarks and refer to Jews with an inevitable air of contempt. The butler who works by the day describes with an ineffable scorn the lack of taste of a woman he once served, and adds automatically, "Of course, she was a Jew."

In Weilheim, near Munich, where a colony of Hungarian Jews, veterans of Oswiecim and Dachau, are neighbors of Admiral Nicholas Horty who deported them, anti-Semitism is furtive but unconcealed. There are about 700 displaced Jews living in the middle of this old Bavarian town of about 10,000 population. In a movie theatre or in a train, Germans ostentatiously rise and sit remote from the Jews, making derogatory remarks about them.

The difference between the anti-Semitism now and under Adolf Hitler is that then it was approved and encour-

aged whereas now it cannot be expressed in kicks and blows but only in words.

Press Fights Movement

As for the press campaign against what is called "the new anti-Semitism" here are a few examples:

Recently there was prepared a German version of the American play "Family Portrait," based on the home life of the Holy Family. It has had bad reviews but the women's magazine called Sie has conducted an extraordinary campaign on its behalf, including a suspiciously large number of letters to the editor.

Among these was one that said "a family portrait in my opinion satisfies a Jew as well as an anti-Semite." Commenting on this letter the magazine Weltbuehne said:

"Humanity seems to be divided into two groups—Jews and anti-Semites. Who is not one must be the other. If Herr Kalmar (who wrote the letter) doesn't belong to either, he still seems to think the anti-Semites are a very portant majority and therefore thinks the American play is important: it cheers up the anti-Semites. God knows they need a little pleasure in these very difficult times, when they can dedicate themselves only in secret to their favorite theme—'the Jew must perish miserably.'"

A recent article in the Tagesspeigel, Berlin newspaper, commented on the current rush to find a Jewish grandmother and to prove one is not anti-Semitic and added:

"But if one thinks everyone has by now recognized the road, the wrong one, that led to the mass killings, and that everyone hates that road and is ashamed of it, then one is very mistaken. Usually what has happened is quietly forgotten and it is no wonder if the people speak again today about a new wave of anti-Semitism."—New York Times, Sunday, January 26, 1947.

WANTED: RED CROSS WORKERS

Additional workers to help prepare surgical supplies are urgently needed by the Red Cross, which is expanding its activities in Cleveland.

A new Red Cross group has been organized at the Euclid Avenue Temple and now meets every Wednesday morning. Red Cross workers also meet at the same temple each Tuesday morning.

Your help is needed and will be greatly appreciated.

AN AUSTRALIAN DESCRIBES A VISIT TO AMERICA

Mr. Hans Vidor, of Sydney, Australia, came to the U.S. to the World Congress of YMHA's and Community Centers in New York. Upon his return, he related his impressions of America in a talk.

Following are extracts from a report on Mr. Vidor's talk, as recorded by the

Sydney YMHA's News:
"Mr. Vidor lightly touched upon certain phases of life in the United States, as it is lived at the moment, an ex-ample of which could be illustrated by the fact that he achieved a major miracle by residing in one hotel in New York for a period of 7 weeks. The limit of time imposed on any guest in a hotel is 5 days.

"Landing at San Francisco with Mrs. Vidor, he could not help noting the amazement with which Mrs. Vidor, who was experiencing her first overseas trip, viewed the tempo of life in a large American city. Americans appear to have a penchant for circumventing Governmental regulations and City Ordinances. Seattle is a dry city, there are no liquor bars-so the good citizens of Seattle established private clubs which are permitted to sell liquor to their members. One aspect of Australian life that he considered in advance of America was the acknowledged principle of the alienation of the fore-shores and beaches. The American suffers because beach frontages right down to the water can be purchased by private individuals who fence off their lots depriving the public of access to the water frontage.

"Reviewing Jewish life in the United States, Mr. Vidor found no essential alterations since his last visit in 1914. There still appeared to be no unity of Jewish representation. The Jews in the United States have many diverse and clashing loyalties, and no individual voice is sufficiently strong to make itself heard as speaking for Jewry as a whole. The speaker is of the opinion that the system prevailing in Australia, where one organization speaks for the whole of Jewry, is in advance of the

American system.

"The victory of the Republicans over the Democrats in the recent election was due to a swing over of not more than 700,000 votes in a total voting strength of 70 million, or 1 per cent. The programme of the two opposing parties is virtually the same, and Labour gives its support to either party

in ratio to the reciprocity it receives. Mr. Vidor was of the opinion that had Roosevelt lived, the Republicans would not now have been in power."

DRIVE FOR MATZOS AND OTHER PASSOVER SUPPLIES LAUNCHED BY U.J.A. IN NEW YORK

New York, Jan. 19, (JTA)-A special drive to raise funds to provide matzohs and other Passover necessities for 1,-000,000 needy Jews in Europe was proclaimed today at the initial meeting of the Council of Organizations of the United Jewish Appeal of Greater New York. Nearly 1,000 delegates, representing 50,000 members of benevolent and fraternal organizations in this area, attended.

The delegates heard Chief Rabbi Alexander Shafran of Rumania, who arrived here several days ago, describe how during the war many Rumanian Jews ate only fruit and nuts during the Passover period because matzohs and other Passover supplies were not available, while others hoarded the pitiful amount of flour they were able to purchase and used it to bake matzohs in caves and cellars. Other speakers included Dr. Leon Bernstein, general secretary of the Jewish Refugee Organization in Italy, Dr. Frederick Georoeg, president of the Jewish Refugee Committee in Hungary, and Chaplain Abraham Klausner, who worked with the Jewish DP's in Germany.

"VACATION FROM TOLERANCE" This Sunday, February 9th, at 1:45 P. M. over Station WGAR, the radio series "Inside Story" will feature a program entitled, "Vacation from Tolerance." A family answers an ad for a summer cottage and projects a series of "restricted" situations that pose a delicate problem of intergroup adjustment.

IN MEMORIAM

Our heartfelt sympathy is extended to Dr. Moses I. Marks upon the loss of his father, Samuel Marks; to Mrs. William Zucker upon the loss of her mother, Mary R. Goldstein.

CONGRATULATIONS

To Mr. and Mrs. Morris Jaffee on the betrothal of their son, Ensign Ronald M. Jaffee to Janet Kantor.

To Mr. and Mrs. Fred Grossman on the marriage of their daughter Miriam to Richard Ronis.