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"THE LEGACY OF 1947"—RABBI S. M. SILVER

"THE OUTLOOK FOR 1948"—RABBI B. R. BRICKNER



A Happy New Year to All

Sabbath Morning Services in the Chapel 11 to 12 Noon

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NEXT MEN'S CLUB EVENT WILL NOT BE ALL RITE

The January event of the Men's Club is the annual Men's Club Service. Members of the club will conduct the Friday night service on JANUARY 16th. An Oneg Shabbat will follow.

The message will be given jointly by our Rabbis, who will speak on "If I Were a Layman." Come and bring your friends.

CONGRATULATIONS

To Mr. and Mrs. A. Resler on their 45th wedding anniversary on December 28.

To Mrs. Hattie Dettelbach on her 70th birthday on January 7th.

To Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Schwartz on the marriage of their daughter, Arlene Frances, to Martin Lindsay.

To Dr. and Mrs. Herman Bassett on the engagement of their daughter, Florence, J. to Richard Siegel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel H. Siegel.

To Mrs. Sylvia DeYoung on the marriage of her daughter, Marilyn to Garson Hertzberg.

To Mr. and Mrs. Jack Marks on the marriage of their son, Merle, to Patricia Slensky.

To Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cole on the marriage of their daughter, Pauline R. to Irvin Bushman.

To Mr. Isadore Kastin on the Bar Mitzvah of his son, Abba.

To Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Lesser on birth of a daughter, Laurie Ann.

To Mr. and Mrs. Julius Lamm on the birth of a granddaughter, Patricia Lamm.

To Annette Matyas and Joan Goldhammer on their election to the National Honor Society.

SEE HERE, MR. AND MRS. PARENT

You have a date. One of the pleasantest dates of the year. It's our annual PARENT - TEACHERS' RECEPTION AND TEA, on SUNDAY, JANUARY 18th, from 3 to 5 P. M.

This is your chance to meet the teachers of our school, our staff, and the members of the Board's Religious School Committee. Both Rabbis will be on hand. Our Sisterhood will provide tasty refreshments.

And if you have little ones at home, bring them along. Park them in the Auditorium where they will receive a lollipop and be shown a special movie program.

Reserve the date, please!

FUNDS

The following contributions have been received during the past week:

ALTAR FUND: Mr. and Mrs. Alfred M. Emerling in memory of Martin Katz; Mr. and Mrs. A. Brudno in honor of first birthday of grandson, Allan Lawrence; Mrs. S. J. Friedman, Mrs. Max Miller, and Mrs. Mildred Selleck in memory of Jacob H. Weidenthal; Mrs. Yolan Davidson in memory of her daughter, Rosalind's birthday; Mrs. Minnie Mahrer in memory of her husband, Adolph Mahrer; Mrs. I. J. Kabb in memory of Myron Rice; Mrs. Morris N. Halle in memory of Myron Rice.

AMY RICE-MEMORIAL FUND: Mrs. I. W. Koch, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bloch, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Weil, Mr. Joel Rice and Family, Mrs. Hilda Laronge, Mrs. M. Blazar and Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Shapiro in memory of Myron Rice; Mr. and Mrs. James H. Miller in honor of Jack E. Rosenthal's parents' 55th wedding anniversary.

RABBI BRICKNER PRIZE FUND: Mrs. D. W. Sampliner in honor of her 85th birthday.

GUREN SCHOLARSHIP FUND: Mr. and Mrs. Sam Miller in memory of Myron Rice; Mrs. S. B. Guren and son Jack in memory of Samuel B. Guren.

LIBRARY FUND: Miriam J. Bondy Bookshelf Mr. and Mrs. Herman Friedlander, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bondy in honor of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Anthony's 45th wedding anniversary; Sharon Alice Klein in memory of her grandfather, Henry Klein; Dr. and Mrs. Harold Greenbaum in memory of Lillian Labowitch; Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Heiber in memory of Sophie Loveman; Jacob and Ethel Wolpaw Bookshelf—Marc J. Wolpaw in memory of his parents.

NORMAN ROMAN LIBRARY FUND: Herman S. Goldsmith in memory of Aaron Skall, Myron Rice, and Louise Goldschmidt; Mr. and Mrs. Ben Weiss and Marjorie in memory of Shari Dworkin.

PRAYERBOOK FUND: Mr. and Mrs. Bert Friedman in memory of Max Wallach; Mrs. Irving Arnold in memory of her son, Marc Ross.

YAHREZEIT FUND: Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Brainard in memory of Bertha Kahn; Mrs. Henry Klein in memory of Henry Klein; Miss Anna Wiener in memory of Yetta Wiener; Sam Mandelker in memory of Anna Seltzer; Mrs. R. H. Miller and children in memory of Morris M. Miller.

LADIES: SAVE TUESDAY, JANUARY 13, 2:00 P.

BILLY ROSE WRITES CHAIM WEIZMANN

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Dr. Chaim Weizmann,
c/o The Jewish Agency for Palestine
16 East 66th Street
New York City

Dear Dr. Weizmann:

Sunday before last, I heard Drew Pearson predict over the radio that you would be the first President of the Jewish Republic in Palestine.

Well, I hope so. I can't think of a better man for the job.

When the new nation sets up shop, it's going to need money. Turning a desert into a breadbasket figures to cost plenty of money. I hope Palestine doesn't try to put the bite on Uncle Sam for all of this money. This is one republic I'd like to see go into business without resorting to global pan-handling.

Where will you get your money then? Well, I have a simple notion I'd like to try out on you. Why doesn't Palestine go out and get its money like U. S. Steel and A. T. & T. Why doesn't it get organized to sell \$500,000,000 worth of 3 per cent bonds, redeemable in 1968?

Who'll buy these bonds? Well, to begin with, the people who contributed over \$200,000,000 in the past couple of years to United Jewish Appeal. It figures that if they dropped that kind of money into a tin cup, they'll do even better when you offer them paper which is a first claim on the present and future assets of New Judea. In addition, there are the men and women of all faiths who will always gamble a little something on a guy who's in there punching. And who knows? Maybe even some of the banking houses will decide that this brave little nation is a better risk than Chile or Peru.

I understand Great Britain has been siphoning off about \$80,000,000 a year in taxes from Palestine. Well, after August, you will be collecting that \$80,000,000. Three per cent interest on half a million dollars' worth of bonds comes to \$15,000,000 a year. You should be able to pay that comfortably—and, as your industries expand, put aside the necessary sums for the eventual repayment of principal.

Incidentally, paying that 3 per cent on the button each year will create more good will for Judea than all the ideological mumbo-jumbo in the world. Little Finland is a case in point. If George Gallup were to take a poll, I think it would show that this tiny nation has as many friends over here as France or

England. Why? Because it met its obligations when everyone else was reneging.

Would I buy some Palestine bonds? Yes, I think so. A bond is a loan, and a loan is only as good as the character of the guy you're lending your money to. And I like what I know about the character of the people who are going to run up that new blue-and-white flag.

First, I like their courage. As someone said, it isn't 1947 in Palestine—it's 1776. For two thousand years, a homeless people have been dreaming a dream. They figure to break themselves in half to make that dream come true.

Second, over 50 per cent of the 600,000 Jews in Palestine are under 24 years of age—and were born there. I recently talked to Samuel Cherr, vice-president of the Young and Rubicam Advertising Agency. This practical businessman had just returned from Palestine, and he was full of facts and figures. "Make no mistake about it," he told me. "Palestine is a going concern. Given half a chance, it's a cinch to wind up in the black."

For hours I listened to stories of heroism which had me bug-eyed. Mr. Cherr told me that one afternoon he stood on the terrace of his hotel which overlooked Haifa harbor. A few hundred yards apart, British gunboats were patrolling the waters. Low-flying planes were crisscrossing the skies. Despite this round-the-clock vigilance, 15,000 refugees had funneled in through Haifa. "How do they beat the blockade?" he asked a member of Haganah.

"Simple," said his friends. "The refugee ships hide out in the Mediterranean and wait for a storm. When the winds are so fierce that the British planes are afraid to take off, and the waves so high that the warships tie up in port, the illegal immigrants make for the beaches in small boats. Of course, some drown, but many get through."

Another reason I'll buy some Palestine bonds, is because I think these pioneers have the grey matter to match their guts. Along these lines, the story that tickles me most is the one concerning Mrs. Feitelbaum's Rod and Gun Club.

Mrs. Feitelbaum, proprietor of a general store in one of the desert colonies, was tipped off that some unfriendly Arabs were planning to attack and massacre everyone on the morning of a Jewish holiday. The colonists

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Editor, The Bulletin:

Dear Sir:

A new resource to aid patients' recovery is now available to physicians and hospitals of Greater Cleveland. This is the Cleveland Jewish Convalescent Hospital, member agency of the Jewish Welfare Federation, where patients not ill enough to warrant their continuing to occupy much-needed beds at the general hospital and yet not sufficiently recovered to return to their homes and normal pursuits, receive convalescent care.

Located at 18704 Harvard Road amid a stretch of 16 acres, the Hospital admits patients of either sex, 18 years of age or over. Medical, surgical, orthopedic and gynecological cases are among the types cared for. Persons with mental disorders, tubercular and other patients with infections and communicable diseases are not admitted. Admissions are made directly upon the recommendation of a Greater Cleveland hospital or of a physician on the active or courtesy staff of such hospitals.

Day and night nursing service is provided, with a panel of physicians of Mt. Sinai Hospital on call at all times. Private physicians may care for their own patients. For X-ray and involved laboratory procedures, the patient is referred to the mother hospital. Stays are limited, on an average to three weeks, but longer periods may be arranged for upon recommendation of the attending physician.

Our institution is a member of the Cleveland Hospital Service Association. Fees are scaled up to \$7.50 a day, and are waived for patients unable to pay.

We hope that the medical profession will make increasing use of our facilities, thereby enabling our Hospital to develop its potentialities for growth and to play a larger role in helping to meet the health needs of the Greater Cleveland population.

Sincerely yours,

(Miss) Florence V. Benjamin, R. N.
Director, Cleveland Jewish Convalescent Hospital.

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had so many guns — the English wouldn't permit it.

Mrs. Feitelbaum sat down and wrote a note to the British general in charge of the area. She informed him that some of the sports-minded colonists had organized a club—Mrs. Feitelbaum's Rod and Gun Club. She told him the club had plenty of fishing tackle, but was short of rifles and ammunition.

Would the general give his approval?

When the desert version of Colonel Blimp got this application, it hit him right in the old school tie. He opined the colonists must be a jolly fine lot—sporting blood and all that, don't cher know? He immediately okayed the application for guns.

When the Arabs attacked on the dawn of Rosh Hashonah morning, Mrs. Feitenbaum and the Gun Club members were waiting for them on the roof of their small synagogue. I understand the members let their sporting blood boil over a bit, and the remaining Arabs in that part of the Negev have decided not to mess with Mrs. Feitelbaum's colony any more.

Out in California, a gent by the name of Giannini runs the biggest bank in the World. I understand he built up his Bank of America by often ignoring conventional collateral and lending his money to people who shaped up as sincere, smart and industrious.

On the basis of these qualities, Mr. Weizmann, I think Palestine ought to be able to write up a pretty good prospectus for a \$500,000,000 bond issue.

And I think a lot of investors will believe you when you tell them that folks who weren't frightened by concentration camps, immigration quotas and Arab tribesmen aren't going to be frightened by 3 per cent.

Sincerely,

Billy Rose

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HERE'S A NEW WORD FOR THE NEW YEAR

The word is: ADULTICULTURE.

It's our way of describing the courses for adults and young adults being offered by the Adult Education Committee.

Here is the "Adulticulture" schedule for January. Enroll in these courses now and start the new year with a new lease on your educational life. All sessions take place at the temple.

MONDAY, JANUARY 5th—REGISTRATION and Opening Classes for Hebrew, Principles of Judaism, and Modern Jewish Literature.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 7th, 8:15 P. M.—Monthly meeting of Parents of Confirmation Class.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 14th—First meeting of Couples' Club with Rabbi Brickner, followed by social hour.

Our New Year Suggestion: JOIN THE DEPARTMENT OF ADULTICULTURE.