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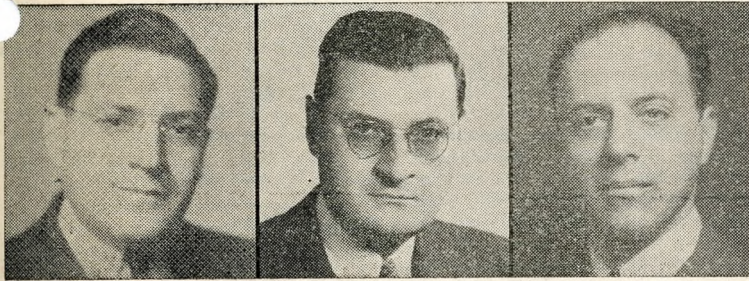
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Portland, Maine

## "Our Program for Servicemen" Theme of USO-JWB Convention

Maine And New Hampshire Army  
And Navy Committees Meet Here  
Sunday For Important Conference



VICTOR  
TAYLOR

BENJAMIN  
RABINOWITZ

HERBERT  
EHRMANN

Mr. Israel Bernstein, Chairman of the State of Maine Committee, will preside at the luncheon conference of representatives of all JWB Army and Navy Committees of Maine and New Hampshire, to be held at the Center on Sunday, November 5th, at 12:00 noon.

In addition to Mr. Benjamin Rabinowitz, Executive Director of the Army and Navy Division of the National Jewish Welfare Board, will be the principal speaker of the meeting, this occasion will bring to Portland four other distinguished guests: Mr. Herbert Ehrmann, Chairman, First Corps Area; Dr. Samuel Kohs, of the Bureau of War Records; Mr. Louis Gitin, of Hospital Services; and Mr. Victor Taylor, USO-JWB Regional Supervisor.

Mr. Rabinowitz was director of the Jewish Community Center Division before entering the Army and Navy Division of the Jewish Welfare Board. At the time we were opening our Center, he was sent by the Jewish Welfare Board as Expert Consultant to set up the building and administration. He will be glad to see the progress that has been made since that time.

Since its organization, Mr. Herbert Ehrmann has been Chairman of the First Service Command Area of the Jewish Welfare Board unit of the USO, which includes the States of Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, and Connecticut. Under his leadership, this Service Command Area has set the standard for high accomplishment in various phases of USO-JWB work.

Dr. Samuel Kohs, Director of the Bureau of War Records, is well known to Portland, often having spent a month with us to conduct the War Records Survey. His many

friends are looking forward to meeting him again.

Mr. Gitin has done outstanding work in military hospitals and has outlined our objectives and areas of service, with particular emphasis on the specialized program and practice which may be undertaken by the communities represented at the conference.

Mr. Taylor comes to the supervision of the USO-JWB work in New England with a wide experience in this field of endeavor. Before this emergency period, he was a professional worker in Syracuse, N. Y., where he was program director of the Municipal Recreation Department.

We welcome him heartily into our midst and we assure him of our continued cooperation.

The luncheon will be catered by the Pioneer Women's Organization.

## LISTEN!

### "PALESTINE SPEAKS"

Station WCSH

Sunday Morning,  
8:15 A. M.

## INSPIRING!

## "WHAT'S ON YOUR MIND??"

Internationally Renowned "Mental Marvel"  
To Be Presented By Center Forum  
Committee On Monday, November 20th

Chester Miller To Offer Amazing Program  
On Subject "Is Telepathy Real?"

In spite of the astounding performances by Dunninger, the noted radio mind reader, there had arisen in many minds the question, "Is Telepathy Real?"

Senior Center members will have a thrilling opportunity to hear and see this question answered on Monday, November 20, at 8:15 P. M., when Chester Miller, internationally renowned "Mental Marvel" presents his amazing program on this subject as the feature of the first of the Center Forum Series.

Mr. Sidney Wernick, chairman, and Mr. David Rubinoff, associate chairman, are in charge of the series.

This presentation should be of great interest to everyone, as the working of the human mind is but little understood, even by this man whose insight and faculties have been developed to a remarkable degree.

His demonstrations include a wide variety of mental tests—of

spectator's powers, as well as his own, as indicated by these titles:

- Numerical Insight
- The Telepathic Artist
- One In A Million
- Group Telepathy
- Transcendental Mathematics
- Long Distance Telepathy
- Magazine Impressions
- Questions and Answers
- Thought Projection

This event is the first of a series of major presentations which will be offered during this season to Center members at no charge. Only members whose dues are fully paid will be admitted.

The Membership Committee urges all members to send their dues in immediately, since the Center depends on membership income to cover the cost of presenting this series this season.

## Center Women's Club Announces 7th Annual Fashion Revue And Dance On Thursday, November 16th

The Center Women's Club is offering members and their husbands an evening packed full of fun and glamour.

The date—Thursday, November 16.

The time—Eight P. M.  
The place—Jewish Community Center.

The occasion—The 7th Annual Fashion Revue, staged by Wm. Filene's Sons Co., under the direction of Mr. Max Fischman.

Here Dame Fashion will present her newest and loveliest creations for the approval of "Madam et Monsieur." Said creations will be displayed to advantage on the beautiful forms of some of our own luscious lovelies, who—no doubt—will be immediately summoned to New York by the John Powers' Model Agency.

Here one may sit, under dimmed lights, sipping a Cuba Libre (quietly filched from the neighbor on the left), listening to the strains of Nate Gold's Orchestra, and gaze upon the Center's fairest decked out in Filene's finest.

If Milady is in favor of a certain little number, and Milord's purse-strings are open sufficiently wide—she is earnestly requested to run,

not walk, to Filene's at daybreak next morning. (Line forms on the right, and DON'T crowd, please!)

Here one may avail himself of soft drinks (for something harder, bring your own!) and "fixin's."

Dancing will follow the Fashion Show, at which time everybody is cordially urged to let down their pompadours and go to town!!

According to reports from that proverbial "little birdie," a few surprises are being prepared that should add to the evening's hilarity.

Working together to make this one of the outstanding events of the season are Mrs. Frank Laben, Fashion Show Chairman, and Mrs. Shepard H. Cutler, Social Chairman. Their committees are comprised of the following: Mrs. Max Fischman, Mrs. Abner Kantor, Mrs. Arnold Goodman, Mrs. Edward D. Sacknoff, Mrs. Joseph Bogg and Mrs. Irving Etcoff.

Floral decorations for this affair will be contributed and arranged by E. J. Harmon Co., Inc.



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## FLOTSAM

by Sam Greenberg

We didn't appear last week, as  
scheduled, since we were caught in  
a monsoon off the coast of Jones-  
port.

Frank Sinatra is an ardent rooter  
for F. D. R., especially after the  
President invited him to the White  
House for a "glosz tay." Sinatra's  
fans reverently refer to him as "the  
voice," but the President also can  
claim glory with his voice. Many of  
his speeches, which seem mediocre  
when read, become sensational  
when he delivers them. It was cer-  
tainly good to hear him last week-  
end, although many people claimed  
to have detected signs of advancing  
age in his voice.

The shortage of funds in the  
Democratic National Committee  
treasury is one of the reasons why  
the President didn't make more  
campaign addresses over the radio.  
PM (our favorite newspaper) helped  
to remedy this by starting a nation-  
wide drive among the citizens to  
put the President on the air. They  
have raised over a hundred thou-  
sand dollars to buy a nice big chunk  
of air time.

Don't miss Humphrey Bogart and  
Lauren Bacall, a newcomer, in "To  
Have and Have Not." It's on the  
same pattern as "Casablanca," only  
it takes place in French Martinique.  
Miss Bacall has a beautiful husky  
voice which she acquired by shout-  
ing in the hills of Hollywood, so,  
if any girl has screen ambitions, let  
her go up to Munjoy Hill and wail  
like a Banshee.

The women of Boston and New  
York, after passing through a cycle  
of contract, mah jong and poker,  
have found a new way to lose their  
Men's shirts. It's the game of  
"Horse Racing," played with cards,  
and almost as fascinating as being  
at the track. Mail in two sticks of  
gum (you keep the wrappers) and  
we'll send a mimeographed copy of  
instructions.

If you like novels crammed with  
action and which are "unlayable  
down," read James Cain's "Sere-

## THE DEAN'S LIST

I. Dean Silverman

It looks as if we may need the  
services of a bodyguard to keep us  
from harm from loyal and irate  
Portland High followers. Following  
Portland's 32-13 defeat of Cheverus  
we were asked what we thought  
now. The answer is still the same;  
the luckiest team that ever won six  
straight, and with possibilities of  
remaining undefeated — until  
Thanksgiving, at least.

Taking the Portland line as a  
whole, you have just that—a hole,  
loosely held together by Maxie Ler-  
man and Art Negrini. We know of  
no other team that depends so  
much on its backfield for offense  
and defense. Only Bangor has been  
unable to score on the Blue. A  
rejuvenated Thornton team comes  
to town this week and we think  
that the Maroon may repeat last  
year's trick of spoiling a perfect  
record. We hope we're wrong.

Deering, meanwhile, earned a last  
period tie against a much bigger  
and heavier Exeter team, 6-6. This  
same Exeter team had previously  
beaten the Harvard "B" team. We  
doubt that Eddie Shapiro will give  
odds against Deering again in a  
hurry. Not without calling us up  
first, we hope.

If Junior came home with his  
tongue hanging out last Sunday,  
just push it back in his face and get  
him a pair of roller skates. It was  
just Yudy Elowitch trying to teach  
your pride and joy how to play  
basketball "Waterville style." The  
biggest crowd since pre-war days  
turned out last Sunday afternoon  
to start the new season off on the  
right foot. Yudy sincerely believes  
that the Center should be able to  
turn out as good basketball players  
as the Boys' Club and the Y, and  
he is doing his best to develop those  
with some talent, and teach those  
less adept at least how to handle  
themselves on the floor. Yours  
truly will be on hand to help Yudy  
out and to pass on what little we  
know about the game. There is no  
reason why the attendance should  
not only keep up, but also increase.  
Everyone will receive attention.  
There is also a possibility that  
teams will be formed on the pat-  
tern of the Sponsor's League of  
other years. There will definitely  
be a Varsity, which can be good  
only as long as it plays together as  
a unit. So beg, borrow, or steal a  
pair of sneakers and show up every  
Tuesday and Thursday evenings  
and Sunday afternoon.

Do your duty to Yudy;

See him in Gym.

It's lousy poetry, but you get the  
idea.

nade" and "The Postman Always  
Rings Twice." For the detective  
story addicts, Raymond Chandler's  
"Farewell, My Lovely," and "The  
Big Sleep" are tops.

Driftwood: The new Center  
Youth Club will really be a "thing  
of beauty." . . . Vice President  
Wallace is stumping for F. D. R.  
through the West and is being  
greeted by chants of "Wallace in  
'48." . . . Orson Welles has given  
up Hollywood to campaign with  
him. . . . Dorothy Thompson, in a  
Boston political address, used a  
well-known Jewish expression to  
describe Governor Dewey. She  
called him a "Chuzpeh." . . . Irate  
fans broke 33 windows in the Port-  
land High School building after Fri-  
day night's game—approximately  
one for each point that Portland  
scored.

So Long 'Til Next Week.

## » Organization News «

### Senior Hadassah To Hear Book Review

The next meeting of Senior  
Hadassah's Book Review Group will  
be held at the home of Mrs. Arthur  
Pink on Chamberlain Avenue on  
Wednesday evening, November 8.

Dr. Elias Caplan will review  
Maurice Samuel's book, "The  
World of Sholom Aleichem."

### B'nai B'rith Hears Stimulating Address By Louis E. Sidman

B'nai B'rith had the pleasure of  
hearing from Mr. Louis E. Sidman,  
Assistant Executive Director of the  
New England Regional Office of  
the Anti-Defamation League.

Mr. Sidman's talk was not only  
interesting and educational, but  
was meant for each and every one  
of us and our fellow Jews.

I will quote in part a few par-  
ticular sentences of importance:

"The problem of Anti-Semitism  
in America is still as serious as it  
was prior to Pearl Harbor. A lack  
of understanding on the part of the  
masses of American people as to  
the basic principle of the American  
Democracy provides the back-  
ground for the growth of devious  
forces. We must bridge the gap  
between our attitude and our ac-  
tion."

When Mr. Sidman concluded his  
speech, questions were asked from  
the floor which enabled a few of us  
as guests to understand more  
clearly what Mr. Sidman was try-  
ing to convey to us. After clarify-  
ing his message, the meeting was  
adjourned.

With the help of the Anti-Defa-  
mation Committee, refreshments  
were served. The following ladies  
were responsible for so doing the  
preparations and serving: Mrs.  
Louis Gordon, Mrs. Ida Chapman,  
Mrs. George Bress, Mrs. Stacey  
Baum, Mrs. Louis Dragin, Mrs.  
Harry Turitz and Mrs. Myer  
Goldberg.

### Poale Zion To Hold Supper Meeting

On Sunday, November 12, 1944,  
at 6:00 P. M., in the Jewish Com-  
munity Center, the Poale Zion Or-  
ganization will meet to listen to an  
out-of-town speaker, who will relate  
the contribution to the progress of  
the building of Palestine and who  
will also discuss life in the danger  
zone of the Balkan countries, with  
special regard to the rescue of key  
figures in the Zionist movement in  
Palestine and other occupied coun-  
tries.

Poale Zion is actively engaged in  
raising funds among its members to  
assist in this emergency rescue  
work, so as to preserve the lives of  
these leaders, who are so desper-  
ately needed in carrying on the  
Zionist work. Poale Zion also fur-  
thers the work of the Histadruth  
and assists UJA in raising funds for  
the upbuilding of Palestine. Recent  
events pertaining to a Jewish home-  
land seem more encouraging. If  
you want to obtain first hand infor-  
mation, come to this meeting and  
become more enlightened.

Nathan Astor is chairman of this  
affair and will be assisted by Ed-  
mund Feldman, William Jacobs and  
Samuel Nelson.

### Council Of Jewish Women To Present O. P. A. Officer On Tuesday Afternoon, Nov. 7

Miss Margaret McSweeney, re-  
gional group services officer of the  
Office of Price Administration, will  
be the guest speaker at the Council  
of Jewish Women's next regular  
meeting to take place Tuesday af-  
ternoon, November 7, at the Cen-  
ter. Miss McSweeney will speak on  
"America's Future Prosperity Is  
Everybody's Problem." The meet-  
ing is scheduled to start promptly  
at 2:15 P. M. Tea will be served by  
Mrs. Edward Sacknoff, chairman,  
and members of the Hospitality  
Committee.

Due to the Portland Jewish Fed-  
eration Board Meeting, which is to  
be held November 9, Council is post-  
poning its Current Events Group,  
which was scheduled to start on  
that date, and the first meeting will  
be held Thursday evening, Novem-  
ber 30, at the home of Mrs. Israel  
Bernstein, 184 Bolton Street. Dat-  
for the Contemporary Jewish A-  
fairs Group and the Adolescent  
Child Study Group will be an-  
nounced later.

As a participating agency in the  
Get-Out-the-Vote Committee, Coun-  
cil wants to remind and urge every-  
one to vote on November 7.

### Pioneer Women To Meet November 7th

An Executive Board meeting of  
the Pioneer Women's Organization  
was held Monday, October 23, at  
the home of Mrs. Philip Geron.

Plans for a supper meeting, to be  
held Tuesday, November 7, were  
discussed. Mrs. Harry Broisman  
was appointed chairman of the sup-  
per and Mrs. Abraham Levine will  
be in charge of the program. Each  
member is requested to bring a  
guest.

Plans for an Oneg Shabbat, to be  
held in the near future, were a-  
discussed.

Mrs. Myer Levitan, president  
presided.

### Alpha Tau Fraternity Holds Holiday Dance

The Alpha Chapter of the Alpha  
Tau Fraternity held an informa-  
dance at the Stroudwater Grange  
Hall, October 28, for members and  
alumni. Games were played and  
each person received a corn-col-  
pipe with "Alpha Tau '44" burned  
on the stems. Refreshments were  
served. Mr. and Mrs. Samuel  
Brynes were chaperons. The com-  
mittee in charge were Irving  
Grunes, chairman, Irving Block,  
Irving Zalcman, Raymond Reef and  
Arnold Brynes.

The 13 couples that atten-  
were: Aronld Brynes and He-  
Bernstein, Irving Grunes and The-  
ma Resnick, Irving Zalcman and  
Muriel Astor, Raymond Reef and  
Selma Cohan, Louis Dansky and  
Shirley Kaplan, Bernard Berenso  
and Jeanette Lerman, Irving Bloc  
and Charlotte Kaatz, Gerald Bo-  
stein and Miss Meltzer, Henry Gi-  
bert and Bunny Cohan, Robert Li-  
man and Dorene Meltzer, Stanle  
Goldberg and Caroline Borofsk  
Arthur Balkan and Anne Berman.

קינדער!

זאנט אייערע

פאטערס—

מישה וויל זיי זייען!





## WITH OUR BOYS IN THE SERVICE



—by EDDIE “אברהם משיק”, SHAPIRO

It was inevitable. I knew it was going to happen sooner or later. This week I'm afraid it's no dice as far as news about your own selves is concerned. And of course you should all know the reason. I have been pleading and hounding for mail and finally this week it has caught up with both you and myself. I shall try to bang out a column and if it's short, DON'T BLAME ME.

That important handball match that took place last Sunday certainly attracted a full house. For those that didn't and couldn't get seats Mr. Dave Novick relayed the point by point description from the bleachers. He did a fairly good job of it. This match brought back memories of about five years ago when George Bress and I. Edward Cohen played for the championship of the Center. The fans were also hanging on the rafters. I shall now endeavor to give you a point by point description of this particular match.

Al Hamm and Harry Kelson won the serve. After bantering around awhile and losing the service the score was 3-0. George Bress and Abe Zimmerman served awhile and before losing the service the score was 8-3. The serves kept going to one another and before long the score was 12-5, Bress and Jimmy leading. Hamm and Kelson did a lot of running, but the strength was with the younger two. The final of this game was 10, George and Zimm capturing. The second game was sort of a repetition of the first. They all played very well. The outcome of this encounter was 21-11. As everyone knows, the match ended very much to my liking. From now on I shall make it my business to definitely stay away from football and tout handball.

The recent match between Myer Goldberg and Banjoeyes “Ozzie” Godfrey was quite a humdinger, too. The laurels went to “Ozzie,” who played a whale of a game. (Myer, incidentally, is a protege of Bress. That's not saying a heck of a lot for Bress, eh.) . . . The door prize that was given away last Sunday at the Zionists' breakfast was really something. First of all, I am glad that I didn't win. Who wants to walk home with a live chicken? Mr. Robert Epstein had the honor.

We see where Yudy Elowitch is starting to do a real bangup job with our kids on that gym floor Sundays and Tuesdays. There is quite a gang that show up for basketball practice and who knows where, could be in the near future, there is a Nat Holman. By the attendance the kids really mean business. (Nice going, Yudy. I have been waiting for years to see one of our boys go places in sports.) . . . The USO Lounge is being prettied up and when it is reopened it will be immaculate. A new floor, new lamps and new furniture. Mildred Schwartz should certainly enjoy her new surroundings and so will the servicemen.

Harry Botwick, chairman of the Men's Club supper last week, supplied movies of top football colleges throughout the year 1942. They were real interesting and some of the plays left us all breathless. There was also a short on top bowlers and many of the boys took plenty of notice. Whether or not it will do them any good, that's another question. . . . The game later resumed play at the club with Gin Rummy, Pinochle and Bridge. . . . Lt. Jack Agger and Icky Abrahamson seen around town. Home on furloughs.

Heard that Sam Shatz, our ex-servicemen's reporter, is going to help out the “Bulletin” staff. (Nice having you, Sam, and do you suppose there would be a chance of taking a week off and you pinch hitting? I don't mean right away, but sometimes, you know.) . . . Now, guys, whatever is printed after this was snuck in by Banjoeyes. I really mean it, we are on the spot this week. I hope it never happens again. You fellas can make it, so you know. (Good luck to you, Banjoeyes, I hope you get a letter from China so that it will help out for space. It's your baby from now on.)

Get writing, you guys!

### Center Women's Club Members Participate In Lively Discussion

All the members of the Center Women's Club who turned out Wednesday at the board meeting to hear Dorothy Wadman give her impressions of “Earth and High Heaven” certainly availed themselves of one of the most stimulating afternoons in a long time. The group participated in a spirited discussion of issues which are of paramount interest and which necessarily brought out many points on either side.

Mrs. Frank A. Laben reported on the fashion show and dance, which will be held Nov. 16, Thursday. Husbands will be invited and an-

other grand evening is being planned. Mrs. Laben also reported on the gym classes and Mrs. Maurice Davis on the hospital visiting committee. Forty women were present. The club wishes to thank the Center Men's Club for the use of their lounge, which greatly added to the enjoyment of the afternoon.

The Center Women's Club was hostess to the inter-faith meeting which was attended by more than 150 presidents of women's organizations in the city of the three faiths. Mrs. Julius Elowitch, president, was the official hostess and much praise was due to Mrs. Ralph Lamport, chairman of the tea arrangements, and to Mrs. Edward J. Berman, hospitality chairman, and their committees for making the affair such a success.

# G. I. GIBLETS

Witches! Skeletons! Ghosts! The Hallowe'en spirit was in full swing at the formal. Wonder if the ghosts were drinking the cider, as it sure disappeared quickly! ??? Little Rita Modes was the hit of the evening with her version of the rhumba! !

Molly Schwartz and Ruth Mack did some high climbing to get the decorations on the wall. The result was well worth the effort! !

Miracles still happen! ! We know of an Army Pvt. who, on his 3-day pass, worked for the Navy's benefit. He worked in a Portland canning factory lugging cases of beans. When his work was done (after he had carried at least 10,000 cases of beans, so it seemed), he found out that the beans were for the Navy's use! !

Molly Finkleman, Quizz-Whiz of the evening! ! That's the title that the boys gave her last Thursday night at Peaks Island. She put all the Bar Mitszva boys to shame during the quiz program which was held after religious services.

Wanted: An upright piano! ! Purpose: For our USO extension at Peaks Island! ! Cpl. and Mrs. Liss have graciously opened their home to us every Thursday evening after services. The boys want a good old-fashioned sing; but, alas, we have no piano— Mrs. Schwartz will take care of all transportation, so just get in touch with her if you have that needed instrument.

The floor has been laid! The walls have been painted! The furniture has arrived! In other words, our Lounge is about to reopen. The snacks at the Canteen bar have been sorely missed by the servicemen!

That's all for now! So long—

## Sunday School Reports Splendid Progress

Splendid progress is reported in every class by Mrs. Benjamin Zolov, chairman of the Center Sunday School.

In the Tikvah class, for which Mrs. Irwin Altman is teacher, the students participated in a study-discussion of the following:

Life from Abraham to Joseph, Life in the southern desert of Palestine, Why they come to Egypt, Life in Egypt, Story of Joseph, Why they wanted to leave Egypt.

Members of this class enrolled to date are: Gloria Fenton, Jeanette Shatz, Marcia Steen, Henry Stewart, Elaine Gaye, Helene Goldbrand, Virginia Posner, Leonard Nelson, June Shapiro, Helen Kramer, Stephen Halpert and Kenneth Waxman.

In the Achvah class, taught by Miss Mildred Kaplan, the feature of last Sunday's session was the dramatization of the story of “David and Goliath.”

In this group are the following: Beryl Kaatz, Joanne Silvers, Marilyn Brynes, Paula Stempler, Lennye Botwick, David Fenton, Brenda Palais, Lawrence Laben, Dorothy Bress, Sandra Rudek, Susan Brilliant, Dorothy Shelling, Sandra Godfrey, David M. Zolov, Ronna Merdek, Edward Goldman, Tamara Siegal, Leonard Fink, Jeanette Stewart, Phyllis Modes, Marilyn Blumenthal, Rhoda Green and Sidney Geller.

In the Shalom group, taught by Mrs. Lillian Aller Jacobsen, the highlight of the morning's lesson was the dramatization of the Sabbath, participated in by all of the children.

In this group are: Linda Elowitch, Beverly Potter, Baila Issokson, Judith Levy, Adele Silverman, Maxine Nathanson, Bonnie Godfrey, Robert Cohen, Fred Stempler, Dvora Fenton, Martin Blumenthal, Barbara Blumenthal, Maxine Shatz, Barbara Yorra, Cynthia Rudek, Donna Linda Zolov, Susan Turitz, Lawrence Lewis, Saul Goldberg, Frank Fleischer, Barbara Troubh and Frances Posner.

## Junior Hi Lites

By Ralph Levi

The Junior-Hi Club got off to a swell start at its first meeting last Sunday afternoon and it really looks as though the kids are just raring to go.

Election of officers will be held this Sunday, the following having been nominated for President: Ralph Levi, Beverly Ross, Jean Mersky, Bernice Boxstein, Philip Nectow, Tobe Smith and Gloria Zalcman. Philip Nectow was nominated Sergeant-at-Arms and Bernard Williams, assistant.

Plans were made to hold a Thanksgiving Dance on November 25 with Jean Mersky as chairman.

Michael Posner was appointed manager of the Junior-Hi boys' basketball team, which will have its classes on Sunday afternoon at 1:30 P. M. The girls' basketball team will have its classes on Wednesday afternoon at 4:00 P. M.

Richard Cutler was appointed temporary chairman for the paper the group plans to publish.

Let's have a swell meeting next week to greet our leader, Mrs. Leah Sapir Rubinoff. The meeting will begin at 4:30 P. M. Sunday.

And by the way, girls and fellows, remember that we must all be members of the Center to enjoy the swell program which “Junior High” is planning this season. So—if your folks aren't already signed up, please have them call the Center on Sunday and enroll. We want 100% membership before next Sunday—so join in and help.

**MAISHE  
WANTS  
TO SEE  
YOU!**



Jewish Federation  
To Hold Important  
Board Meeting

The most important meeting of the year for the Board of Directors of the Jewish Federation will be convened on Thursday evening, November 9th, by President A. S. Levey, who has announced that issues of paramount importance to the entire community will be reviewed at that time. In order to accomplish the purposes for which the meeting will be held, Mr. Levey is urging board members to be present at 7:30 P. M.

Junior Hi Girls Hold  
First Basketball Practice

Shrieks, yells, and plenty of excitement kept the Junior High girls' basketball team busy for a whole hour on Wednesday evening as they met for the first time with their peppy coach, Ruth "Finnegan" Finn.

The team is part of the special activities of the Junior High Club, of which Mrs. Leah Shapiro Rubinoff is advisor. Attending the first class on Wednesday were: Toby Smith, Beverly Ross, Bernice Wesler, Greta Goldblatt, Carol Smith, Joyce Rosenthal, Edith Kroot, Florence Dean, Gloria Zalman, Bernice Boxstein, Judith Venner, Sylvia Borofsky and Ina Golodetz.

The team will practice every Wednesday at 4:00 o'clock.

Young Judea Club  
Growing In Number

Yes, sir, we sure are growing! If you haven't had the opportunity of joining the Young Judea, now is the time to do so. The newly-elected officers will welcome you. Next meeting Sunday, November 5th, at 2:30 P. M. Be there to help choose names for the two groups. An interesting program has been planned. All between the ages of ten and fourteen are urged to join. The names of the officers will be announced in the next "Bulletin."

Gene Kelly To Star On  
"Palestine Speaks" Program

Gene Kelly, the star of "Cover Girl" and "Christmas Holiday," is the featured actor in this week's chapter of "Palestine Speaks," presented under the auspices of the Portland Zionist District of the Zionist Organization of America over Station WCSH at 8:15 this Sunday morning.

Kelly appears as the central figure in the amazing true story of how a refugee ship was sailed to safety by her own crew of homeless wanderers, after the crew had deserted. Supporting Kelly are Ben Grauer, Joanna Roos, and Roger De Koven, who tell how the death-ship Parita was sailed through the Black Sea from Roumania to Palestine.

Mazel Tov!  
Ethel And Mike Sacknoff

We were very glad to hear that Mr. and Mrs. Michael Sacknoff became the parents of a spanking new daughter, Susan Elaine, last Wednesday, October 25, who thus becomes the youngest prospect for membership in the Center Women's Club.

Get Well Soon, Joe!

His many friends join in wishing Joe Silverman a speedy recovery. Joe has been at the Mercy Hospital for the past few weeks, and we hope that he will be up and around to join the gang soon, especially on Monday nights, at the Center Men's Club suppers.

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Norman Brace presents  
Ella Lithgow

in Noel Coward's  
most famous farce comedy  
"Hay Fever"  
Directed by Maurice McRae

NOW PLAYING THIS WEEK!

Ella Lithgow in  
"NIGHT MUST FALL"  
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Ending Saturday, Nov. 4th

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We are happy to announce that the bothersome echo in the auditorium is no longer present!

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Out For Volleyball  
This Sunday Morning, at 10:30 a. m.

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— Now Playing —  
The Thrill Spectacle  
of the Year!  
Walter Wanger presents Alfred  
Hitchcock's production of:  
"FOREIGN  
CORRESPONDENT"  
STARRING  
Joel McCrea — with  
Laraine Day  
Herbert Marshall  
George Sanders  
— Second Major Feature —  
The Thundering Spectacle of  
America's Most Fabulous Days  
"KIT CARSON"  
WITH  
Jon Hall and Lynn Bari

STRAND  
— Now Playing —  
"SECRET COMMAND"  
WITH  
Pat O'Brien - Carole Landis  
— PLUS —  
Joan Davis  
IN  
"Kansas City Kitty"  
— Starts Wednesday —  
Monty Woolley - June Haver  
Dick Haymes  
IN  
"IRISH EYES ARE  
SMILING"  
— PLUS —  
Jeannie Crain  
IN  
"In the Meantime,  
Darling"

EMPIRE  
— Now Playing —  
"CHILD  
BRIDE"  
WITH  
Shirley Mills  
Bob Bollinger  
— PLUS —  
"Ever Since  
Venus"  
WITH  
Ross Hunter  
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"TILL WE MEET  
AGAIN"  
STARRING  
Ray Milland and  
Barbara Britton  
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WITH  
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