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**Renowned Sociologist  
Appears on "Y" Series**

Considered one of the best informed authorities in the sociological field, Mary van Kleeck, director of Industrial Studies for the Russell Sage Foundation since August, 1919, will have the distinction of being the only woman lecturer to appear in the current series arranged by the Y. M. and W. H. A. Lectures Committee. That Mary van Kleeck merits this distinction is an undisputable fact. She speaks on Tuesday evening, February 23, in the auditorium on "Backgrounds of Industrial Relations in the Coal Industry."

Society improvement has been the basis for the life-work of Miss van Kleeck. She received her A.B. degree from Smith College in 1904, dedicating herself from then on to social work. As the head of the Investigation of Women in Industry Committee from 1905 to 1909, Miss van Kleeck started the economic and political world with facts and figures concerning women in shops, mills, and factories which she later compiled in her book, "Women in Industry."

One of her former duties was the associate directorship of the International Relations Institute of The Hague. She was president of the Second International Conference of Social Work which was held at Frankfurt-on-Main.

She is one of the four women na-

**Conference Calendar of Events, Week of February 14**

Calendar Chairman, Mrs. George Wasser, Montrose 6S39

- SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 14**  
Montefiore Aid Society, 2:15 p. m., "Y."  
Junior Jewish Home for Babies and Children Board, 2 p. m., "Y."  
House of Shelter, 2:15 p. m., House.
- MONDAY, FEBRUARY 15**  
Junior Hadassah Board, 8:15 p. m., "Y."  
Women's Auxiliary B'nai B'rith Board, 2:15 p. m., "Y."  
Tree of Life Sisterhood Board, 2 p. m., Synagogue.
- TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 16**  
Hadassah, 2:15 p. m., "Y."  
Poale Zedeck Juniors, 8:15 p. m., Synagogue.
- WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 17**  
Poale Zedeck Sisterhood, 2:30 p. m., Synagogue.  
Adath Jeshurun Sisterhood Board, 8:30 p. m., Synagogue.  
Current Problems Class of Council, 2 p. m., "Y."
- THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 18**  
Jewish Children's Aid Society, 8:15 p. m., "Y."  
Rodef Shalom Sisterhood, 2:15 p. m., Synagogue.  
Women's Auxiliary B'nai B'rith Purim Linen In-gathering and Card Party, 2:30 p. m., Hotel Schenley.  
Junior Council Fashion Show, 8 p. m., "Y."
- FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 19**  
Council of Jewish Women Home Economic Class, 2 p. m., "Y."

tionally known for her tirade against the injustice of child exploitation and served on a committee appointed by President Roosevelt to correct this evil.

**Clairtonian Joy Club Formed**

A new social and bridge club has been formed in Clairton with the following women in office: Mrs. Joseph Recht, president; Mrs. Max Spodek, vice-president; Mrs. Ben Chotimer, secretary and Mrs. Abe Chotimer, treasurer.

**Ittamar Ben Avi Public  
Reception at "Y," Monday**

On Monday evening, February 16, Pittsburgh Jewry will have the opportunity to meet and hear Ittamar Ben Avi, one of the foremost Hebrew publishers in the world, at a public reception tendered to him by the Jew-



Freda Lazier

ish National Fund Council of Pittsburgh.

A native of Palestine, Ittamar Ben Avi received his early education in the Holy Land and later at the Universities in Paris and Berlin, and in Paris he was for many years editor of leading papers in Hebrew and in English. Today he is one of the outstanding personalities in the rebuilding of the Jewish National Homeland in Palestine.

On the day preceding the public reception, Ittamar Ben Avi will be the

guest speaker at a dinner arranged in his honor at the "Y," Sunday evening at 6:00.

The musical program for that dinner will be offered by Miss Freda Lazier, accompanied by Miss Mildred Weinstein.

The committee in charge of the arrangements for the dinner and reception include the following: Dr. S. Mallin, chairman; Walter Burke, H. M. Caplan, B. Clair, Charles Levine, Dr. M. B. Lichtenstein, S. Osheroff, Mrs. Frank Rubenstein, Mrs. H. M. Snitzer, Miss Miriam Stone, I. A. Swiss and S. Werlinsky.

The Mass Meeting will be held at the "Y" Auditorium, Monday evening, at 8:15 o'clock.

**Daughters of Jacob  
Announce Purim Plans**

The initial distribution of charity boxes was made at a special meeting of the Daughters of Jacob Auxiliary of the Pittsburgh Hebrew School held Sunday evening, February 7, at the Irene Kaufmann Settlement House.

The charity boxes are being placed in the homes of the members of the Auxiliary and others who wish to cooperate in the plan to raise funds for the Talmud Torah, founded by the late Rabbi M. S. Sivitz. Mrs. L. Siegal, president of the Auxiliary, announced a Purim tea party for the benefit of the Talmud Torah will be held Sunday evening, February 23, at the Gates of Wisdom Synagogue, Townsend Street.

**Zionist Youth Seminar**

The first lecture in the series on Palestine will be given Tuesday evening, February 16, at the "Y," at 8:30, by Mrs. David Turets on the "Geography of Palestine."

**B'nai B'rith Juniors Meeting  
Sunday**

The regular meeting of the Junior B'nai B'rith will be held Sunday, February 14, at 2:00 o'clock, at the "Y."

**Poale Zedeck Men's Club  
Holds Purim Masquerade  
Dance**

The Men's Club of Poale Zedeck will hold a Purim Masquerade Dance and Frolic at the newly decorated Synagogue Auditorium, Shady and Phillips Avenues, on Purim Eve, Wednesday, February 24. The arrangements committee, Dr. Louis E. Robbins, chairman; Jacob Spier and Joseph Weisberg assisting, is planning an appropriate program.

The admission will be 75 cents per person or \$1.25 per couple.

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**Resolution**  
Adopted by the Board of Directors of Congregation B'nai Israel at a Regular Meeting Held on the 2nd day of February, 1937

It is with deep regret that we record the death of JOSEPH H. LICHTER, the father of our beloved Rabbi, who was one of the oldest members of Congregation B'nai Israel.

We feel his loss keenly because with his passing there seems to have been cut off from the life of this Congregation a certain phase of Jewish life which in the light of our existence in the United States is historic. Mr. Lichter was definitely such a patriarchal type of Jew of whom unfortunately we have so few today. He was a man of profound Hebrew learning, steadfast in his faith, and devoted to his family, his Synagogue and the community.

To his son, our beloved Rabbi, and to the other members of the bereaved family, we extend our most heartfelt sympathies in their loss.

Congregation B'nai Israel, Pgh., Pa.  
Charles Friedberg, President  
Reuben Caplan, Secretary.