

## Our Neighboring Communities

**Greensburg, Pa.**—At a meeting held at the Unity Club on Tuesday evening, November 17th, the organization of the Greensburg Section, National Council of Jewish Juniors, took place, with 19 members. Election of officers resulted as follows: President, Maola Pross; vice-president, Dorothy Kaufmann; corresponding secretary, Beatrice Quint; recording secretary, Fay Wolinsky; treasurer, Charlotte Shoff; auditor, Dorothy Goldberg; directors: Hilda Shapira, Dorothy Quint, Rose Wolinsky, Pearl Goldberg, Lillian Engel. Mrs. Harry Lauchman was appointed senior advisor.

A social hour followed the business session.

**Homestead, Pa.**—The Hebrew Ladies' Aid Society will hold their annual dance and card party on Wednesday evening, December 9th, at the Elks' Temple. The music will be furnished by Nossokoff's well known orchestra. The committee in charge of arrangements consists of Mrs. B. Mermelstein, chairman; Mrs. Meyer C. Jacobson, vice-chairman; Mrs. Enoch Greenstein, Mrs. Ida Glick, Mrs. H. Sapeer, Mrs. Louis Hadburg, Mrs. Greenberg, Mrs. L. Jackson, Mrs. B. Hadburg, aides.

**McKeesport, Pa.**—The committees in charge of the Thanksgiving dance to be held by the combined clubs of McKeesport, under the auspices of the Temple Sisterhood, Wednesday evening, November 25th, at the Columbian Ball Room, announce everything in readiness to make this affair one of the most elaborate among the Jewish society folk.

From all indications this event will eclipse all previous affairs ever held in the Yough-Mon district, and every arrangement is being made to care for the comfort of the guests. The musical attraction for this event is Tommy Baird and his Melodylane Orchestra, who have arranged a special program of the latest dance hits. Many novelties will be introduced during the course of the evening. The hours of dancing will be from 9:30 to 1:30, with the grand march at 10:30 P. M.

Not being able to reach everyone by the mail, the Sisterhood takes this means of extending an invitation to the Jewish public.

The committees in charge are as follows: Mrs. A. M. Simon, chairman of the ladies' committee of the Sisterhood, with her aides. Tickets—Mrs. S. Greenblat, chairman; Mrs. A. M. Amper, Mrs. Chas. Cohen, Mrs. H. P. Samuels, Mrs. Jos. Krow, Mrs. J. I. Rubenstein and Mrs. Chas. Stein.

Abe J. Rosenbleet and Max Gold are chairmen of the men's committee, with their aides; Sidney Mermelstein, chairman of the invitation and program committee, Fred Gusky and Max Klein; Dr. L. E. Itscoitz, chairman of the hall committee; Adolph Seiter, chairman of the music committee; David Heimlich, chairman of the publicity committee, Robert Fisher and Bernard Levy.

**McKeesport, Pa.**—Much interest is being shown in the meeting to be held in the Temple Assembly Room at 2:00 P. M. Sunday, November 22nd, when Dr. I. Rosenthal will address all the Jewish girls of McKeesport and surrounding towns. Dr. Rosenthal has a very worthwhile message to deliver and all girls who are above 18 years of age are urged to be present. It is hoped that every girl will be on hand and endeavor to bring any friends whom the committee may have unintentionally overlooked.

**Mt. Pleasant, Pa.**—A meeting of the C. J. W. was held last Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. M. Volkin.

All arrangements have been completed for the Fifth Anniversary Celebration which will be held Sunday evening, November 22nd, at 8 o'clock, at the I. O. O. F. Hall. The program for the evening, as arranged by Mrs. Wm. Rakusin, program chairman, will include a "History of the Mt. Pleasant Section, C. J. W.", by Mrs. M. Posner; a violin solo, by Samuel Levinson, accompanied by Florence Levinson; a vocal selection, by Mrs. Frank Cooper; a reading, Rachel Rakusin; a group of songs, by Joe Rega, Jr., and a play in which the Misses Beiss Marchel, Rae Posner, Belle Marchel, Belle Levinson, Mrs. L. J. Fox and Mrs. Wm. Rakusin will take part.

Invitations have been mailed the surrounding sections to attend and a large attendance is expected.

Mrs. Hyman P. Marchel entertained at a benefit bridge party at her home on College Avenue recently for the benefit of the C. J. W. Six tables were in play and prizes were awarded.

You are invited to the  
 Union Thanksgiving Service,  
 Tree of Life Synagogue,  
 Wednesday evening, November  
 25th, 8:15 P. M.

ed Mrs. Wm. Rakusin, of Mt. Pleasant; Mrs. A. I. Daniels, of Connellsville, and Mrs. Lee Goldenson, of Scottsdale.

**New Castle, Pa.**—December 1st is the date set for the Cabaret Card Party to be given by the Junior Hadassah Unit. This unique affair will be held at the Palaise Royale at 8 o'clock. Miss Fay Barnett is the general chairman and her committee will be announced at a later date. Complete plans will be made known as soon as arrangements are completed.

**Monessen, Pa.**—The local Lodge No. 776, I. O. B. B., will open its fall social season with a card party and dance, to be held on Wednesday, December 2nd, at the new Italian Hall. Cards will be played from 8:30 to 10:30 and suitable prizes will be awarded. There will be dancing from 10:30 to 1:00 A. M., with James Flood's Famous Jazz Orchestra furnishing the music. A large attendance from the local and neighboring committees is expected.

The committee in charge, which consists of Leonard Pokempner, Bert Luman, M. Mendelson, Tom Bergstein, Joe Friedland and Sam Stern, is putting forth every effort to make this initial affair a complete success.

**Washington, Pa.**—The X Klub will hold an informal dance at the Century Inn, Scenery Hill, Pa., half way between Washington and Brownsville, on the National Highway, on Thursday evening, November 26th.

A well known orchestra has been secured to play for the evening. No invitations have been mailed, but the Klub extends a general invitation to all of its friends through this medium. The committee in charge is planning to make the affair a huge success and a large crowd is expected.

### Southwestern District of Pennsylvania Jewish Religious Schools Committee

On a recent visit of Miss Schonfield, Field Supervisor, to Barnesboro, Pa., she was pleased to find that the religious school which was organized last year will soon be able to hold its sessions in the very beautiful little Schule, which is being erected by the Jewish families in Barnesboro, Hastings and Spangler. Mr. Harry Yudin, assisted by Mrs. David Karp, will supervise the school.

The first meeting of the Valley Institute, of which Mr. Jerome Lowenstein is chairman, was held Sunday evening, November 15th, in Latrobe. Representatives from Jeannette, Irwin, Connellsville, Latrobe and Scottsdale were there. Mr. Charles Joseph, editor of the "Criterion", was the principal speaker of the evening. Miss Schonfield outlined programs for Channukah.

On Wednesday evening, November 11th, a joint meeting of the Mothers' Club and Men's Organization, of McKees Rocks, held a meeting. Mrs. Carl J. Fechheimer and Mr. S. W. Fishbein were the speakers of the evening.

The Jewish community of Ambridge is to be congratulated for their interest and enthusiasm in their religious work. They have been very fortunate in securing the services of Rabbi Bernstein, formerly of New York, to take care of their religious instruction. Rabbi Bernstein will also supervise their religious school.

Friday, November 13th, Miss Schonfield spoke to and instructed the Jewish children of Punxsutawney, Pa., and also secured and instructed several young women for teachers. In the evening, a very enthusiastic audience, composed of the local C. J. W. and the men's organization, greeted Miss Schonfield in the synagogue, where she gave a very inspiring address. Mr. J. Abelman will be the new superintendent of the Punxsutawney school and Mrs. S. Krouse, assisted by Mrs. P. Neuman, will comprise the Religious School Committee from the Council. Much enthusiasm was aroused when Mr. S. B. Gilblom volunteered to donate all the material to be used in the Religious School.

Members of the Religious School Committee of the Southwestern Dis-

trict will please note that the regular meeting will be held on Monday afternoon, November 23rd, at 2 o'clock, at the Congress of Women's Clubs.

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