

Urgency of the Keren Hayesod", which was well received. Mark Rab-inovitz, Esq., is chairman of the drive, which is scheduled to open February 15th.

The Pittsburgh office, through Dr. Lichtenstein, Chairman, announces that money has come in during the last few days from regional cities, including Johnstown, Pa.

NEW COMMUNITY CENTER

The initial meeting of a group of parents was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Weil, 401 Winton Street, Eighteenth Ward, under the direction of Miss Miriam Schonfield, who organized this group into an organization which will be known as the Hill Top Jewish Community Club.

After a talk by Miss Schonfield, the new organization elected Mrs. H. E. Weil, President; Mr. Edgar Haas, Vice-President; Mrs. Edgar Haas, Secretary; and Mrs. H. H. Eckstein, Treasurer.

The purpose of this club is to bring together the Jewish families of Beltz-hoover, Allentown, Mt. Washington, Mt. Oliver, Knoxville and Carrick. Weil's Hall, Climax and Haberman Avenues, has been chosen as a Center for the club's activities.

A Religious School was organized on Sunday, January 25th, when 38 children were enrolled. All parents of the Hill Top are requested to have their children, ranging from the age of 4 to 17, present on Sunday morning, no later than 9:45. Mr. Cabot, instructor of public speaking at the Allegheny High School, is in charge of the Religious School, ably assisted by Mr. Edgar Haas, who was assistant to Dr. Rudolph I. Coffee, of the Tree of Life Sunday School, for nine years.

The members feel that it is a matter of only a short time until they will have a Cheder for the children.

Membership is open to all Jewish residents in the Hill Top district.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. Davidson, 400 Warrington Avenue, Tuesday evening, February 10th, at 8 o'clock.

BETH SHALOM'S DINNER DANCE

There was much to be commended and much to be appreciated in the congregation's third annual dinner dance, held at the Rittenhouse, on Tuesday evening, January 27th. This was an unforgettable occasion, immensely enjoyed by the large gathering, adding new laurels to Beth Shalom's successful ventures.

Delightful musical numbers were rendered by Maggio's Orchestra, and vocal soli by Miss Gertrude Grossman, accompanied by Miss Ruth Pearlman. Mr. Jacob Aronson scored a decided hit with his juggling stunts. Other specialties were songs by Harvey Leonard and Peter A. Higgins, which were well received.

Mr. M. L. Avner, President of the congregation, presided as toastmaster, and the speakers were Rabbi Goodman A. Rose, Rabbi Benjamin Lichter and Mrs. A. H. Vixman.

Considerable praise is due Mr. Max Pearlman, who gave so willingly of his time and effort that the affair might be so successful; also the chairmen and their committees are to be commended for their untiring efforts.

JEWISH ART EXHIBITION ARTISTIC SENSATION IN ITALY

Rome, January 24 (J. T. A.)—The art exhibition of the Polish Jewish sculptor, Prof. Glicenstein, which opened several days ago at the State Museum here, has turned out to be an artistic sensation in Italy. Ilmondo, the greatest living Italian sculptor, declares the new wood sculptures of Glicenstein as revelations in art and comparable only to Michael Angelo.