



Organization Activities



COUNCIL OF JEWISH WOMEN

Drive for Men Members—Council Confident of Success for Increased Membership

Prior to this time the Council of Jewish Women, Pittsburgh Section, has steadily maintained the policy of offering a cordial invitation to the Jewish men of this community to join its organization, but had made no effort to actively secure men members. But this is a time of change—we hear it on all sides.

The Pittsburgh Section, therefore, feeling that it can no longer effectively carry on its great scope of work unaided, had decided to enlist the sympathy and aid of the progressive minded men of Pittsburgh. Council members are eager and anxious, as before, to go forward with their work in philanthropy, and in religious and civic fields. Their only purpose in securing a substantial increase in membership is to enlarge their fund for administrative purposes. Thus they feel sure that the Jewish men of Pittsburgh will feel privileged to join their organization.

The drive for men members has been endorsed by the Federation of Jewish Philanthropies. Mrs. Enoch Rauh, President of the Pittsburgh Section, Council of Jewish Women, has consented to act as chairman. These facts alone seem in themselves to assure success to the campaign about to be launched. But to make sure that every man in the community will have an opportunity to fully convince himself that he should join the Council of Jewish Women, Miss Miriam Schonfield, Director of the Drive for Men Members, is busily organizing and directing captains and their teams.

The lists of these teams will soon be published, together with the dates of the campaign, the evening of the mass meeting, and arguments "Why You Should Join." Watch the Crit-

erion for details. If you desire to show your approval of the work being done by the Council of Jewish Women before you are asked to join, Mrs. Leo Winkler, Forbes Terrace, Treasurer, will accept your check now. Annual membership dues, \$3.00; make all checks payable to the Treasurer.

Important Announcements

A meeting of the Religious Schools Committee, Mrs. Louis Amshel, Chairman, will be held Monday, January 3rd, at Council Headquarters, 207 Fitzsimmons Building. Any member of the committee who will be unable to attend should inform the Secretary, Mrs. H. Friedenberg, 2325 Elbridge Street, Hazel 3100-J.

Girls' Protective Service Committee

Owing to the Finance Committee meeting on Friday, January 7th, the meeting of the Girls' Protective Service Committee, Mrs. M. M. Levy, Chairman, has been postponed until the following Friday, January 14th, 1921. This meeting will last all day. Please change the date on your calendar. A full attendance is requested.

Business and Professional Women's Club

The Business and Professional Women's Club, Miss Esther I. Katten, Chairman, desires to announce that the next meeting of the club will be held January 8th, at 1:00 P. M., in a private dining room at Kaufmann's. Mr. Richard S. Rauh will be the speaker, his subject "The Inefficiency of Women." A full attendance is requested, as an important measure will be voted upon by the club. But aside from business matters, it behooves all members to come to challenge the speaker. There will be an opportunity to do this in the open discussion to follow the lecture.

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fices: Mr. Max Friedman, President; Harry Kalson, Vice President; Israel Raffel, Secretary (Yiddish); David I. Sobel, Secretary (English); William Wimmer, Treasurer.

A Constitutional Committee was then appointed for the purpose of mapping out a plan of organization, consisting of the original committee, who called the meeting, and the newly elected officers, together with Rabbis M. S. Sivitz, A. M. Ashinsky, A. W. Kochin, and were authorized to call in any president of a congregation or member of his committee to assist them.

It was also decided that this said committee shall arrange to receive the Commission of prominent European and Palestinian Rabbis and laymen who are shortly expected in America in the interest of the International Movement known as the AGUDATH ISRAEL, that has been founded for the purpose of spreading traditional Judaism throughout the world."

The meeting was closed with remarks by Mr. Harry Kalson, Rabbis S. B. Friedman, A. M. Ashinsky, M. S. Sivitz, A. W. Kochin, B. A. Lichtenstein, A. H. Kahn, and Attorney M. L. Avner.

NOTICE! HADASSAH MEMBERS

The Hadassah Board meeting scheduled for Monday evening has been changed to Monday afternoon, at the Y. M. H. A., so as not to conflict with another meeting held at the Rittenhouse the same evening.

ZION COMMONWEALTH MEETING

Attorney Maurice L. Avner, member of the National Executive Committee of the Zionist Organization of America, entertained professional and business associates at a Zionist Commonwealth meeting Wednesday night, in his home in Beacon Street, Squirrel Hill. Mr. Abe Goldberg, a fellow member of the National Executive Committee, was guest of honor.

PALESTINIAN EVENING

A "Palestinian Evening," for the entire Jewish community, will be held this Monday night, January 3rd, at 8:00 o'clock, in the ballroom of the Rittenhouse, North Highland Avenue, East End. Mrs. Sol Rosenbloom will preside, and the principal speaker will be Mr. Abraham Goldberg, recently returned from Palestine.

Included on the musical program are the Rev. Abraham Kantor and choir; Samuel Gluck, violinist; Mrs. Sol Metz, pianist; Mrs. Rebecca Hepner, of the Rodeph Shalom Temple, and Carl Bernthalier. Moving pictures of scenes in Palestine will be shown, which are expected to prove really interesting.

A large attendance from all parts of the city is anticipated at the meeting Monday night, and all those who plan to be present are urged to come early so as to insure seating accommodations. An evening of unusual interest in the study of Palestine is promised by the Palestinian committee.

The committee is composed of M. L. Avner, Sol Rosenbloom, Rabbi B. A. Lichtenstein, Rabbi A. H. Kahn, Rabbi Sol H. Metz, Frank Weinstein and Prof. Israel A. Abrams; H. N. Shoop, publicity.

MONTEFIORE AID SOCIETY

The following dance committee of the Montefiore Aid Society is in all readiness to receive the vast audience their annual dances attract.

The date selected for this year's Annual Charity Ball is January 11th, at the William Penn Hotel ballroom.

Music—Rose Askenase, Anna Seegman. Programme—Jeanette Hincus, Anna Price. Door Committee—Mrs. Geo. P. Goldman, Mrs. Jack Hirsh, Elizabeth Kamens. Arrangements—Miss Julia Horovitz, Anna S. Chersky. Tickets—Rose Soupcoff. Publicity—Anna R. Spiegel, Janet Rom. Reception Committee—Gertrude Cooper, Miriam Darb, Sarah Loeb, Gussie Sir Van, Elizabeth Seegman, Esie Lichtenstuhl, Hannah Olbum, Myrtle Benjamin, Dora Barish, Margaret Cohen.

ENOCH RAUH CLUB

The Enoch Rauh Club held its regular meeting at the Hebrew Institute on Dec. 27, 1920. Each member handed in a motto for the Club, and of these mottos, one will be chosen for the Club's standard. Mr. Schmidt, the leader, and Mr. Wedner, a visitor at the meeting, delivered interesting talks to the boys. Mr. Hyman Nebron is the latest addition to the club.

In basketball, the Enoch Rauchs defeated the Five Spiders of Coraopolis, 34 to 12.

THE POTENTIA CLUB

At the last meeting of The Potentia Club, the following officers were elected for the ensuing term: President, Morris Stone; vice president, Ben Zimmerman; Secretary, Henry Goldberg, and treasurer, Max Goldman. The Club will hold a theater stag Saturday, January 1, 1921.

JEWISH HOME FOR THE AGED

On Wednesday evening, December 29th, 1920, the old men and women of the Jewish Home for the Aged celebrated the marriage of Dr. Pauline L. Horovitz to Mr. S. Leo Misrok-Halperin at an elaborate dinner and treat donated in honor of the occasion by Mr. and Mrs. Baer Horovitz. Mr. Horovitz is a member of the Board of Directors of the institution.

The old folks of the "Home" dispatched from the dinner table a telegram of congratulations and their blessings to the newly-wedded couple and also to Mr. and Mrs. Horovitz. A telegram was also sent by the officers and Board of Directors.

The old folks, officers and directors take this means of thanking Mr. and Mrs. Horovitz for their kind donation of dinner and treat, and extend to them sincere congratulations.

NOTED JEWISH SCHOLAR DEAD

New York—Dr. Abraham S. Isaacs, for many years Professor of Semitic languages at the New York University and noted as an author of juvenile books, died at the Barnard Hospital of an abdominal cancer. Dr. Isaacs was born sixty-eight years ago in New York City.

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