auditorium. The program will consist of a Candle Drill, a "Walter Windshield" Broadcast, comic recitations and songs, and a Professor Quiz, in which the adults in the audience will participate. The highlight of the evening will be a play entitled "In the Chelemite Cheder."

The program has been written and coached by Mr. I. A. Rubinstein, superintendent of the Adath Jeshurun Hebrew and Sunday Schools. Refreshments will be served after the program. Tickets may be purchased from the superintendent at the synagogue or by phoning Montrose 6411.

The second meeting of the Adath Jeshurun P.T.A. will be held during the latter part of the current month.

Maimonides Institute Carries On European Culture

An event of unusual importance to the cultural life of Pittsburgh and the Nation took place recently, marking the launching of the Maimonides Institute. The assemblage which gathered together to do honor to Rabbi Wolf Leiter, the founder and head of the Institute, was addressed by Dr. Solomon B. Freehof and Professor Abraham S. Halkin, professor of Semitics at Columbia, Jewish Theological Seminary, and Brooklyn College The founding of the Maimonales Institute was praised by both as a noteworthy step in the development of American Centers of Jewish learning and both paid high tribute to Rabbi Leiter as a scholar and as a leader in this field.

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