

THE
DRAMA GUILD



60 South River Street,
Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania

. presents
its
2nd
major
production
of
the
1952-53
season

"ROOM SERVICE"

by
John Murray and Allen Boretz

Directed By:
Alfred Groh

MONDAY, FEB. 23

TUESDAY, FEB. 24

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 25

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Curtain
at 8:40



THE CAST

SASHA SMIRNOF _____ FRANK EISENSTEIN

GORDON MILLER _____ JOE SALSBURG

JOSEPH GRIBBLE _____ BERT WEILAND

HARRY BINION _____ DR. ROBERT BERMAN

FAKER ENGLUND _____ JOE REED

CHRISTINE MARLOWE _____ MRS. MORTON ALBERT

LEO DAVIS _____ MORRIS SAVITZ

HILDA MANNEY _____ HARRIET FINKELSTEIN

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SIMON JENKINS _____ EMIL KELLNER

TIMOTHY HOGARTH _____ SEYMOUR MINSKY

DR. GLASS _____ JAY KARNOFSKY

BANK MESSENGER _____ MURRAY POPKY

SENATOR BLAKE _____ LARRY GREENSPON

IN ORDER OF THEIR APPEARANCE



SYNOPSIS OF SCENES

The entire action takes place in
Gordon Miller's Room
in the
White Way Hotel.

ACT 1 - A Friday Afternoon in Spring

ACT 2 - The Following Day

ACT 3 - Five Days Later

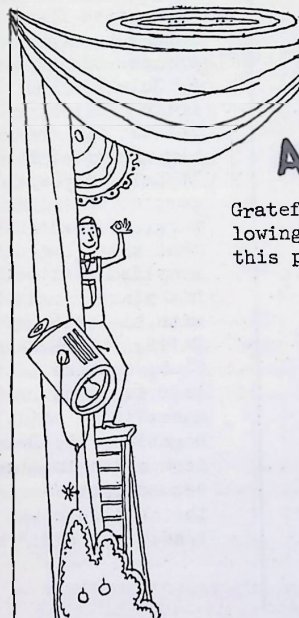
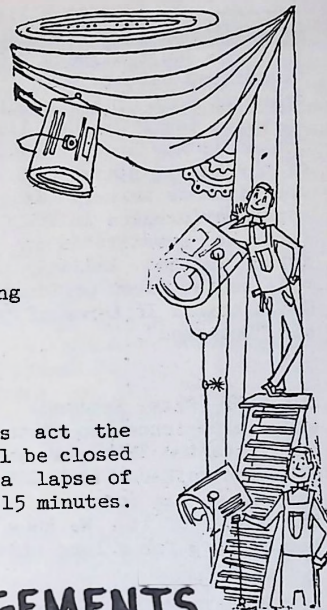
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curtain will be closed
to denote a lapse of
1 hour and 15 minutes.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

Grateful acknowledgement is extended to the following for their assistance and cooperation in this production:

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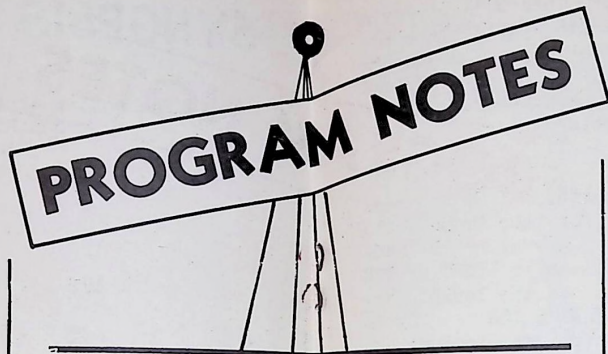


JOE SALSBERG (Gordon Miller) . . There's little we could say about the Jose Ferrer of our town that you don't already know. Joe has had a distinguished career with the Little Theatre, and deserves most of the credit for the high regard in which the Drama Guild of the Jewish Community Center is now held, thanks to his expert staging of the last 3 plays. He is a willing, devoted, and tireless worker. Except for a 1-night emergency performance in *YOU CAN'T TAKE IT WITH YOU*, (when he substituted on 12 hour notice for an actor who had suddenly lost his voice), this will be the first performance for Joe as a Drama Guild actor. In terms of tonight's play, we wish him "Godspeed".

JOE REED (Faker Englund) . . Joe, whose previous stage experience consists only of a small part in a Scranton YMHA play about 20 years ago, and a 2 line walk-on in *LIGHT UP THE SKY*, has taken hold of a big role and has shown himself to be the master of it. We know you'll remember Joe's performance for a long time after tonight.

DR. ROBERT BERMAN (Harry Binion) . . Bob is one of the old-timers who are still active in the Drama Guild. A list of plays in which he has appeared would take up a lot of space. You saw him last in this stage in *LIGHT UP THE SKY*, and at the Irem Temple on the Little Theatre's "Detective Story". Bob manages to find time from his dental practice to devote to things theatrical, for which we are thankful.

MORRIS SAVITZ (Leo Davis) . . "Maishe" is a familiar figure around the Center, and has made one previous appearance from the other side of the footlights, in "Dear Ruth" several years ago. A veteran of World War II and the Korean conflict, Morris has undertaken a big part tonight, and (if rehearsals are any indication) will establish himself as a top-flight comedian.



ALFRED GROH

A deep bow of thanks is due Al Groh from the entire Drama Guild. Three weeks after rehearsals for *ROOM SERVICE* had begun, an unexpected and serious situation developed. Hy Sulkes, the original choice to play Gordon Miller, had to resign from his part because his business took him out of town and prevented him from attending rehearsals. It being impossible to replace such a major part at that late date, Director Joe Salsburg, who had absorbed many of the lines by that time, volunteered to do it himself, provided a director could be found to take his place. Al Groh was a natural choice, with his years of experience with the Drama Guild, the Wilkes College Cue 'n' Curtain Club, and the Little Theatre. When asked to take over the reins he unhesitatingly and unselfishly said "yes". Had his answer been negative, the Drama Guild might not have been able to stage the production you will see tonight. And so, thanks to Al Groh, the challenge was met in typical theatrical tradition, and "the show will go on".

ELLEN ALBERT (Christine Marlowe) . . . A troupier from a family of troupers, Ellen toddled onto her first stage at a tender age, and has been in the spotlight ever since. Her last Drama Guild characterization was that of the candy-making, ballet-dancing daughter in *YOU CAN'T TAKE IT WITH YOU*. She is currently producing the "Hilda Man Hertz Jubilee Gang" show on WBRE-TV every Sunday evening.

BERT WEILAND (Joseph Gribble) . . . Bert is the only member of the cast who might need an introduction, having resided in the valley long enough to get acquainted with only a few people. A Brooklynite, Bert was educated at Woodmere High School, NYU, and Nichols College. He had some histrionic experience in High School, but has not appeared before an audience since. His effort in *ROOM SERVICE* is sure to win him many friends.

BEN MOSES (Gregory Wagner) . . Ben got his start with the Drama Guild as the stage-struck Shriner in *LIGHT UP THE SKY*, and later did the very mad Russian, Boris Kolenkhov, in *YOU CAN'T TAKE IT WITH YOU*. He is fast developing into one of the finer actors in the "Drama Guild Stock Company".

FRANK EISENSTEIN (Sasha Smirnoff) . . Frank was "discovered" by the Drama Guild when they were searching for a man to play the difficult part of "Kurt" in *WATCH ON THE RHINE*. He turned out to be a gift from the Gods, and his characterization (his first on any stage, by the way) is still being talked about. Tonight he will make you laugh as hard as he made you cry in the last play.

HARRIET FINKELSTEIN (Hilda Manney) . . . "Mitzi" as she is called, is at Seminary, and expects to matriculate to Syracuse, her parents Alma Mater. She appeared in "That's the Spirit" at school and had a non-speaking part as a dancer in the Little Theatre's "Happy Birthday" last year. Mitzi is an accomplished singer.

THE DRAMA GUILD



is proud to announce that
it will present for three
nights, beginning Monday,
April 27th, one of the
most famous plays of the
modern theatre:

THE GLASS MENAGERIE

by Tennessee Williams



Hanson Baldwin

Military Editor, New York Times, Pulitzer Prize
winner. Travels to trouble spots throughout the
world, analyzes today's strategy, future out-
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"Where Do We Go From Here?"

Lectures
in the
Center Auditorium
THURSDAY EVENING
FEB. 26 - at 9
Free to Members.

Readings for the four parts in
"The Glass Menagerie" will be held
at the Center on Sunday afternoon,
March 1st, at 2:30 o'clock, and on
the following Monday and Tuesday
nights, at 8 o'clock. Anyone in-
terested in trying out for a part
may borrow a copy of the script to
read beforehand by inquiring at
the Center office. Copies will be
loaned out for 24 hours.

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Fred Harrison _____ President
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BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Lillian Landau
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Selig Shapiro
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Between the acts and
after the show visit
THE CENTER SNACK BAR
on the lower level.

TASTY SANDWICHES
SODAS AND ICE CREAM
COLD DRINKS

- and -a-
good Cup of Coffee





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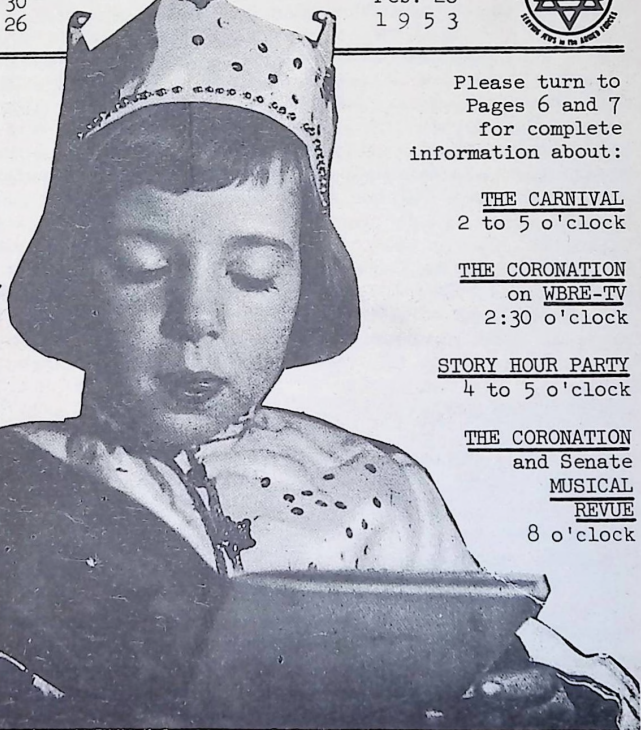
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for complete
information about:

THE CARNIVAL
2 to 5 o'clock

THE CORONATION
on WBRE-TV
2:30 o'clock

STORY HOUR PARTY
4 to 5 o'clock

THE CORONATION
and Senate
MUSICAL
REVUE
8 o'clock

(צלום כרמי)

QUEEN FOR A DAY... for this is Purim, when every boy and girl can be all the things
he has longed to be for the whole year — whether it be king or cowboy.

מלכת אסתר בן-ילדים

(Photo Carmi)

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JUDAEAN CLUB NEWS

In order that members of the Judaeen Clubs will be free to attend the Purim parties sponsored at the various Religious Schools, all Judaeen activities for Sunday, Mar. 1st, have been postponed. Judaeen Purim celebration will be held on Mar. 8th.

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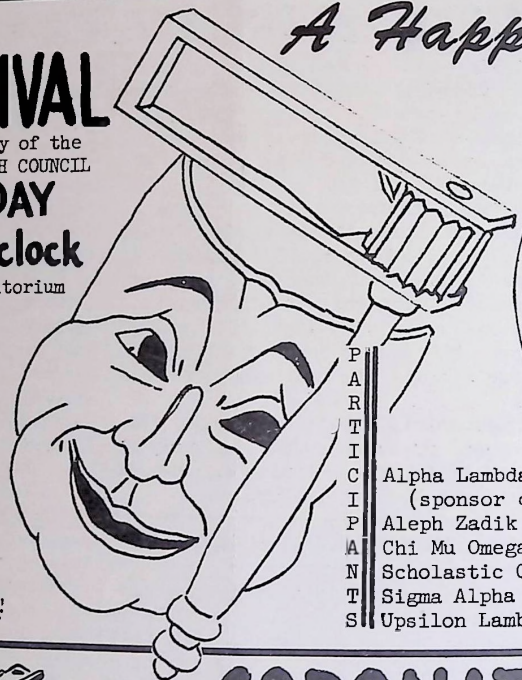
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Adults
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A Happy Purim At The Center



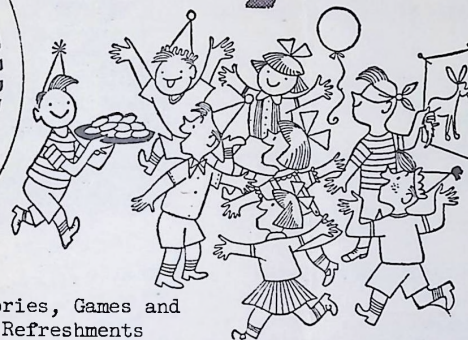
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Alpha Lambda Phi
(sponsor club)
Aleph Zadik Aleph
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Scholastic Club
Sigma Alpha Rho
Upsilon Lambda Phi

Surprise!...

PARTY

For all boys and girls
registered for the
STORY HOUR
direction of
MITZI ROTHBART

SUNDAY
4 to 5 o'clock



Stories, Games and
Refreshments

ATTENDANCE LIMITED TO THOSE ENROLLED IN THE STORY HOUR PROGRAM

CORONATION & MUSICAL REVUE

SUNDAY EVENING - CORONATION MARCH AT 8 o'clock

The Crowning of
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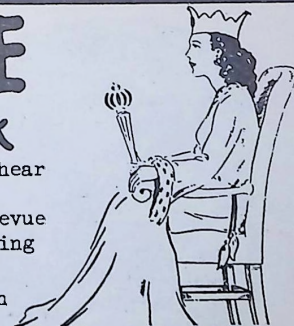


See the Coronation on Television
in the Lobby of the Center
SUNDAY AFTERNOON AT 2:30
WBRE-TV * CHANNEL 28

sponsored by
THE SENATE

For entertainment--see and hear
"ON CHANNEL 60"
a tuneful, funful musical revue
directed by Ellen Pfifferling
on the stage
following the Coronation

Admission to Coronation and Show
60¢ taxes included



THIS SUNDAY AT 6:15 DINNER AND CONCERT

AN OPEN LETTER TO THE JEWISH COMMUNITY:

When Julius Ginsburg rises to address us on Sunday, you will hear one of the greatest Yiddish-English orators of our time. We have heard him, and we know you will treasure the experience.

This will be a glamour-packed evening:

Cocktails at 5:15 . . .

Dinner at 6:15 . . .

the talented Israeli Trio with Sara,

Moshe and Elyakum to entertain . . .

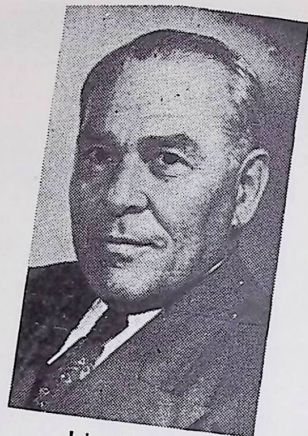
and the climax . . .

JULIUS GINSBURG, fiery, thrilling, dynamic!

Phone your reservation immediately, 3-3495

Total cost: \$1.85 plate, and
"no strings attached".

Nathan I. Kuss, Chairman
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Member of Israel Planning
Commission from Chicago
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lish speaker in America
today.



You are invited to a
Reception
and *Cocktails*

for all dinner guests,
5:15 P. M., at the
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DINNER SERVED AT 6:15

—The Hosts' Committee

FA-SO-DA BOWLING

Shown at the right are the Father and Child straight season winners. of the FA-SO-DA Bowling League for its first official season of play.

The champions in the American Division is the team of Isadore Newsbaum and his son, Jack. (first two photos, top to bottom). Jackie and his father won the title with a record of 22 wins and only 6 losses for 32 points. Their nearest rival was Joe Leventhal and his daughter, Linda, with 26 points.

The race in the National Division was much closer, with the team of Ralph Brandwene and daughter Patsy, (bottom two photos) finally taking the title on 21 wins and 9 losses, for the same 32 point total. However, the runners-up were only one point behind, Eli Wasserstrom and his daughter Judy, and Danny Amdur and his son Neal.

Trophies will be awarded to both winners at a special program to be arranged at the end of the season.



WOMENS VOLLEYBALL

HIGH TEN	PTS
Yetta Iskowitz	540
Flora Weiss	503
Gert Wasserstrom	468
Celia Glass	458
Anita Korol	440
Claire Fiergang	436
Gladys Abrams	429
Esther Cohen	413
Rose Grossman	413
Lillian Fink	411

STANDING	W	L	PCT
Koral	12	8	600
Fink	10	10	500
Siegel	10	10	500
Steinberg	8	12	400

WOMEN'S BOWLING TUESDAY NITE LEAGUE GAMES OF FEB. 17TH

STANDING	W	L	PTS
Grossman	27	9	40
Cohen	26	10	40
Rothstein	20	16	31
Altman	13	23	18
Rabinowitz	12	24	17
Kranson	11	25	17

WOMEN'S BOWLING - WEDNESDAY NIGHT LEAGUE FEBRUARY 18TH GAMES

STANDING	W	L	PTS	HIGH TEN	SCORE
Kranson	24	6	32	Hannah Hafetz	176
Pezzner	20	10	30	Lena Sidelnick	171
Sidelnick	19	11	28	Millie Silberman	169
Yudkowitz	16	14	26	Bessie Goldstein	153
Kornblatt	16	14	25	Vida Pezzner	153
Baer	16	14	23	Dena Lang	145
Zwass	13	17	21	Bessie Rosenbaum	145
Sherman	13	17	17	Ann Sherman	145
Jacobs	11	19	16	Charlotte Lisses	143
				Goldie Schwartzbach	143
				Blanche Pezzner	155
				Thelma Kranson	154
				Edie Danoff	152
				Rhoda Perlman	148
				Pearl Kaufman	136
				Rose Bransdorf	135
				Rose Grossman	132
				Sarah Green	131
				Malka Hafetz	131
				Sophie Cohen	130
				Arlene Rothstein	130

MRS. DAVID BALTIMORE REPRESENTATIVE TO VOLUNTARY SERVICE HOSPITAL COMMITTEE

Mrs. Alfred R. Bachrach, New York, Chairman of the Women's Organizations' Division of the National Jewish Welfare Board, sent word that Mrs. David Baltimore, 1 Dawes Avenue, Kingston,



has been appointed the representative on the JWB Voluntary Service Hospital Advisory Committee at the Wilkes-Barre Veterans Administration Hospital. Mrs. Baltimore will be representative on the hospital advisory board of the 8 national Jewish women's organizations affiliated with JWB's Women's Organizations' Division, through which

they have united for work in veterans' hospitals throughout the country. She will coordinate activities in behalf of hospitalized veterans of local units of Hadassah, National Council of Jewish Women, National Federation of Temple Sisterhoods, National Women's League of the United Synagogue of America, and the Women's Branch of the Union of Orthodox Jewish Congregations of America. Mrs. Baltimore succeeds Mrs. Justin Bergman Jr, who served at the hospital during the past 1½ years.

Mrs. Baltimore has already been officially invited to serve on the hospital committee by the Veterans Administration. She plans an active program of volunteer assistance and recreational activities for the patients, in which all the local branches of the affiliated national womens groups, together with other interested organizations, will participate.

The JWB Women's Organizations' Division, is one of three through which JWB functions as an agency authorized by the government to serve the religious, welfare and morale needs of personnel in the Armed Forces of the United States and the Veterans Administration hospitals.

WOMENS TEAM OF THE WEEK

Anita Koral, Captain; Yetta Iskowitz, Evelyn Fink, Muriel Jacobson, Jean Pezzner and Gladys Abrams.

TEAM WINNERS IN BOWLING

The team champions of the 1953 Bill Lieberman Memorial Bowling Tournament had as its members: Capt Bill Mazess, Irving Schneider, Dr. Aaron Lisses, Sid Marks and Irving Frank.

ULP-ALP DANCE STARTS AT 9 O'CLOCK SATURDAY NITE

The private dance to be held in the Center auditorium on Saturday night, Feb. 28th, under the joint sponsorship of Upsilon Lambda Phi Fraternity and the Alpha Lambda Phi Sorority will start at 9. This schedule was decided by both groups in order to permit the young people to attend the reading of the Megillah in the Synagogue of their own choice.

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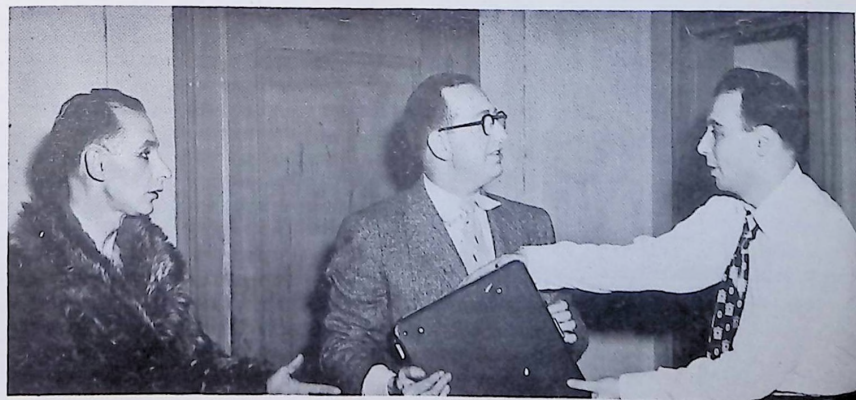
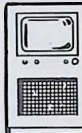
Russo. Play Executive was Lydia Berman; Doris Zonis was Assistant to the Director.

It is evident that the Drama Guild has established itself as an important theatre group in the community. Its score so far is perfect; out of 4 shows, 4 hits, an enviable record. With "The Glass Menagerie" coming in April, it will undoubtedly prove to be as versatile as it is vital. It is deserving of every curtain call it gets!

The Center has been the recipient of a very fine gift that will give the membership much pleasure. Max Roth, a member of the Center's Board, has presented the building with a 21 inch Television set which will be placed in the lobby ready for viewing immediately. Mr. Roth has been moved to make this presentation by his increasing interest in the activities he has observed about the building.

"Everytime I come into the Center", said Mr. Roth in announcing his gift, "I see the wonderful beehive of activities going on all about me. The Center means just what it is called, the center of our Jewish life in the community. I feel it should have every modern convenience to help it fulfill its purpose. Since Television is now available to the Valley, through WBRE, I am happy that I can provide it for the building."

The membership is very grateful to Mr. Roth for his fine gift. We are certain it will be put to extensive and worthwhile use. The schedule for viewing will conform with building hours and the TV schedule from WBRE-TV.



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The production staff headed by Julia Lieberman and including Dr. Max Speizman, Pauline Lustig, Ruth Frank, Samuel Rosenberg, Gertrude Needle, announce that full rehearsals are underway and that this year's cast is better than ever. The next rehearsal is Monday, Mar. 2nd at 9 o'clock.

JUDAEAN CLUB NEWS

In order that members of the Judaeian Clubs will be free to attend the Purim parties sponsored at the various Religious Schools, all Judaeian activities for Sunday, Mar. 1st, have been postponed. Judaeian Purim celebration will be held on Mar. 8th.

February 26, 1953

FA-SO-DA BOWLING

Shown at the right are the Father and Child straight season winners. of the FA-SO-DA Bowling League for its first official season of play.

The champions in the American Division is the team of Isadore Newsbaum and his son, Jack. (first two photos, top to bottom). Jackie and his father won the title with a record of 22 wins and only 6 losses for 32 points. Their nearest rival was Joe Leventhal and his daughter, Linda, with 26 points.

The race in the National Division was much closer, with the team of Ralph Brandwene and daughter Patsy, (bottom two photos) finally taking the title on 21 wins and 9 losses, for the same 32 point total. However, the runners-up were only one point behind, Eli Wasserstrom and his daughter Judy, and Danny Amdur and his son Neal.

Trophies will be awarded to both winners at a special program to be arranged at the end of the season.



WOMENS VOLLEYBALL

HIGH TEN	PTS
Yetta Iskowitx	540
Flora Weiss	503
Gert Wasserstrom	468
Celia Glass	458
Anita Koral	440
Claire Fiergang	436
Gladys Abrams	429
Esther Cohen	413
Rose Grossman	413
Lillian Fink	411

STANDING	W	L	PCT
Koral	12	8	600
Fink	10	10	500
Siegel	10	10	500
Steinberg	8	12	400

WOMEN'S BOWLING TUESDAY NITE LEAGUE GAMES OF FEB. 17TH

STANDING	W	L	PTS
Grossman	27	9	40
Cohen	26	10	40
Rothstein	20	16	31
Altman	13	23	18
Rabinowitz	12	24	17
Kranson	11	25	17

WOMEN'S BOWLING - WEDNESDAY NIGHT LEAGUE FEBRUARY 18TH GAMES

STANDING	W	L	PTS	HIGH TEN	SCORE
Kranson	24	6	32	Hannah Hafetz	176
Pezzner	20	10	30	Lena Sidelnick	171
Sidelnick	19	11	28	Millie Silberman	169
Yudkowitz	16	14	26	Bessie Goldstein	153
Kornblatt	16	14	25	Vida Pezzner	153
Baer	16	14	23	Dena Lang	145
Zwass	13	17	21	Bessie Rosenbaum	145
Sherman	13	17	17	Ann Sherman	145
Jacobs	11	19	16	Charlotte Lisses	143
				Goldie Schwartzbach	143

Blanche Pezzner	155
Thelma Kranson	154
Edie Danoff	152
Rhoda Perlman	148
Pearl Kaufman	136
Rose Bransdorf	135
Rose Grossman	132
Sarah Green	131
Malka Hafetz	131
Sophie Cohen	130
Arlene Rothstein	130

MRS. DAVID BALTIMORE REPRESENTATIVE TO VOLUNTARY SERVICE HOSPITAL COMMITTEE

Mrs. Alfred R. Bachrach, New York, Chairman of the Women's Organizations' Division of the National Jewish Welfare Board, sent word that Mrs. David Baltimore, 1 Dawes Avenue, Kingston,



has been appointed the representative on the JWB Voluntary Service Hospital Advisory Committee at the Wilkes-Barre Veterans Administration Hospital. Mrs. Baltimore will be representative on the hospital advisory board of the 8 national Jewish women's organizations affiliated with JWB's Women's Organizations' Division, through which

they have united for work in veterans' hospitals throughout the country. She will coordinate activities in behalf of hospitalized veterans of local units of Hadassah, National Council of Jewish Women, National Federation of Temple Sisterhoods, National Women's League of the United Synagogue of America, and the Women's Branch of the Union of Orthodox Jewish Congregations of America. Mrs. Baltimore succeeds Mrs. Justin Bergman Jr., who served at the hospital during the past 1½ years.

Mrs. Baltimore has already been officially invited to serve on the hospital committee by the Veterans Administration. She plans an active program of volunteer assistance and recreational activities for the patients, in which all the local branches of the affiliated national womens groups, together with other interested organizations, will participate.

The JWB Women's Organizations' Division, is one of three through which JWB functions as an agency authorized by the government to serve the religious, welfare and morale needs of personnel in the Armed Forces of the United States and the Veterans Administration hospitals.

WOMENS TEAM OF THE WEEK

Anita Koral, Captain; Yetta Iskowitz, Evelyn Fink, Muriel Jacobson, Jean Pezzner and Gladys Abrams.

TEAM WINNERS IN BOWLING

The team champions of the 1953 Bill Lieberman Memorial Bowling Tournament had as its members: Capt Bill Mazess, Irving Schneider, Dr. Aaron Lisses, Sid Marks and Irving Frank.

ULP-ALP DANCE STARTS AT 9 O'CLOCK SATURDAY NITE

The private dance to be held in the Center auditorium on Saturday night, Feb. 28th, under the joint sponsorship of Upsilon Lambda Phi Fraternity and the Alpha Lambda Phi Sorority will start at 9. This schedule was decided by both groups in order to permit the young people to attend the reading of the Megillah in the Synagogue of their own choice.

At The Center

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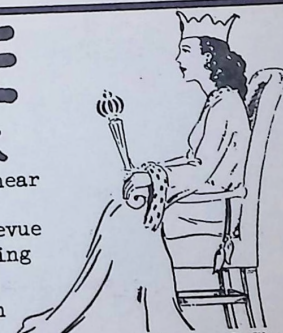
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THE "500" BOWLERS WEEK OF JAN 12 & 25

Al Hafetz	613
Sam Kaufer	613
Oscar Hacker	609
Lou Mayers	608
Bernie Harris	601
Irving Kaufer	595
Aaron Beck	583
Julius Stein	582
Al Adelson	577
George Grossman	575
Dave Bransdorf	568
James Koff	568
Irwin Kleiman	563
Ben Smith	561
Hymie Goldstein	561
Mort Kaufman	560
Bernie Weiss	559
Ed Soodik	552
Yale Bradlyn	550
Bob Kaufer	547
Elwood Fried	546
Saul Kranson	545
Dave Esrov	545
Dave Rosenblatt	543
Al Yudkowitz	541
Donald Fischer	539
Tweedy Cohen	539
Merv Selson	538
Francis Mitchneck	537
Nate Shaiman	536
Lou Gelb	534
Max Kaufer	530
Lou Kranson	526
Sam Pezzner	525
Harry Rothstein	525
Dave Altman	525
Mac Duncan	523
Calvin Pezzner	522
Harold Schonfeld	522
Max Siegel	522

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February 26, 1953

Sincerely Yours

Last Friday I came across a news story, out of New York City, announcing that the Federal Security Agency had requested the Synagogue Council of America "to bring to the attention of the American rabbinate and congregations the 'urgent' problem of growing juvenile delinquency and to work out a program to help reduce such crime". Similar requests had been sent to the National Council of Churches of Christ and the National Catholic Welfare Conference.

I clipped the story, intending to use it in some form at an early date. Its use now comes sooner than I anticipated, as a result of a conversation I had with an out-of-town visitor last Sunday. This visitor came here to see our beautiful and useful Center building. I wish I had the gift of words to relate his reaction to what we had already done in providing modern facilities for our Jewish community. He was thrilled, amazed and most complimentary - and jealous, too. Then he asked me if we had any Jewish juvenile delinquency. My answer was an emphatic "NO". He was surprised at this, saying, "My!, your community is lucky!"

Now in my opinion, "luck" is not the answer to this proud record of ours. What we have done and are doing for our young people is the result of cooperative effort in its truest sense. Teamwork of the highest degree between the Synagogues, the Jewish Welfare Agency, the various Youth Groups, and the Jewish Community Center, as practiced by all our Rabbis, the JWA staff, the Officers of the Youth Groups, and the staff of the Center, is the real reason behind our accomplishments. This kind of teamwork goes on continually, day by day, and always making certain that the young people themselves have a voice at the council table. Here is democracy in action, each and all concerned only with what is good for the community. Think about this for a moment. We know you'll be as proud as we are for the Center's share in the character development of our valley.

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