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ANNUAL TERM IS MAXIMUM IN SOY AID GROUP

Shonfeld Resigns As Associate Editor of Hazedek

An amendment providing that no member of any committee may serve more than a year in succession was passed at a meeting of the S. O. Y. Council Monday night.

This will force the resignation of a majority of the Student Aid Committee next term. The Council also ratified Louis Werfel '36, as a member of the Student Aid Committee.

The resignation of Frank Shonfeld '39 from the editorial board of "Hazedek" was accepted after a vote of confidence had been refused him. Shonfeld resigned because he felt that it would be impossible for him to receive the proper cooperation.

Hyman R. Friedman '35, chairman of the mail committee announced that arrangements have been completed with the post office for the installation of an outgoing mail box in the main corridor of Riets Hall.

The recently organized Rabbinical Problems Club whose purpose it is to acquaint the senior students of Yeshiva with the problems of the rabbinate, reported that plans for the acquisition of prominent speakers are being completed.

A committee to aid in the distribution of raffle-books was appointed.

Concert Bureau To Form Savers Club

Will Enable Students To Receive Tickets

A Saver's Bank which will entitle its members, upon the weekly payment of fifteen cents, to tickets at reduced rates to Broadway plays, is being formed by the Concert Bureau, Irving Newman '38, announced.

It is hoped that this scheme, not involving the payment of a large sum at one time, will make theatrical attendance more convenient and practicable for the students.

Newman also declared that tickets to concerts and shows, valued at \$400 have been distributed by the Concert Bureau up to date. The supply for services, however, is still short of the demand which is to be attributed mainly to the lack of facilities, such as an office and bulletin board.

Dr. Aaron Margalith, member of the Social Science departments was the first faculty member to cooperate with the Bureau by contributing concert tickets, he announced.

Major radio networks are being contacted to secure tickets for national broadcasts, Newman stated.

TUITION DUE

Tuition fees are due on December 15. Mrs. Levitan, bursar, announced.

Students presenting themselves at the Bursar's office not later than 24 hours after the said date will be obliged to pay a late fee of one dollar. An additional fee of three dollars will be imposed upon students appearing after the first day.

Nulman To Organize Y.C. Student Glee Club

The newly organized College Glee Club, under the leadership of Rev. Pinchus Yosinofsky, cantor of the 86th St. Jewish Center and well-known composer, will hold its initial meeting late next week, Louis Nulman, '39, organizer of the group, announced.

Nulman expressed the desire that students with vocal abilities cooperate to make the organization successful by joining the club.

He also declared that the Glee Club of past seasons has been a defunct activity due to lack of both talent and spirit. This semester however there is an affluence of talent which, he hoped, would help the aims of the group materialize.

Advisors To Meet Freshmen At Tea

Affair Set For Tuesday Afternoon, Dec. 21

A Freshman Tea to further the freshman class this semester will be held Tuesday December 21 at 3:30 p. m., in the dormitory social hall.

In addition to the freshmen, the recently appointed Student Advisors, Prof. Jekuthiel Ginsberg, Dr. Samuel Belkin, Dr. Solomon Liptzin, Dr. Solomos Rhodes and Prof. J. Shipley will attend. Members of the faculty who come in contact with the frosh have also been invited.

This affair, has as its specific function the participation of the student body and faculty in a social get-together, and is expected to effect a closer relationship between students and instructors.

The success of this experiment will make for sophomore and upper class meetings of a similar nature, Jacob I. Hartstein, registrar, announced.

The Freshmen Advisors and their particular groups will meet in the near future, it was revealed.

Levin, Miller, Appel Urge Co-operation At Student Meeting

Course Questionnaire Is Explained and Distributed

An assembly, at which the importance and functions of the student publications were discussed, was held last Thursday afternoon in the synagogue.

A call for student cooperation with the Masmid by contributing articles to the literary supplement was made by Isadore Miller '38, editor of the publication.

Pointing out that former efforts to publish such a supplement had failed, Miller emphasized the fact that only through student contributions was such a periodical possible. Assistance by the staff in the selection of a topic and in the composition of the article is available at all times, Miller announced.

The assembly was opened by Gerson Appel '38, president of the Student Organization, who emphasized the importance of extra-curricular activities in Yeshiva College, and introduced A. Leo Levin '39, editor of the Commentator.

Tracing briefly the short history of the student journal, Levin pointed out that, despite a disappointing beginning this year, the paper, through the active cooperation of the students, will be able to reach a new high in journalistic and literary efficiency. He emphasized the point that only by continued patronizing of Commentator advertisers and above all by mentioning the paper when making purchases, can the student organ become financially independent. Levin stressed the importance of a permanent and well-functioning news-staff and described the various benefits available to staff members and the rules of promotion.

In addition to his discussion of the annual periodical, Miller, in his capacity as chairman of the curriculum committee, indicated the importance of the questionnaire.

GOV. MURPHY WILL SPEAK HERE ON SAT.

GENERAL CHAIRMAN



RABBI IRVING MILLER

Library Receives Encyclopedia Set

Jr. Psychology Class Presents Books

The "Encyclopedia of Social Sciences" has been added to the library, Isaac Goldberg, librarian, announced.

The psychology class of '39 donated two volumes of "General Psychology" by Klein, "Ape and Child" by Kellogg, "Psychology and Life" by Ruch, and "Approaches to Personality" by Murphy and Jensen.

Dr. Ralph P. Rosenberg, former member of the French department, presented the library with several German volumes.

Ludwig Lewisohn To Appear On Same Platform

Miller Is Chairman

Four Sessions Planned in Convention of Y. C. Friends

Governor Frank Murphy of Michigan and Ludwig Lewisohn, well known Jewish novelist, will address the first session of the two-day nation-wide Yeshiva Convention in the Yeshiva auditorium this Saturday evening. The theme of the speakers is to be "Education in a Democracy".

President Bernard Revel will open the session and will deliver the main address on the topic of "Yeshiva and Yeshiva College".

The second session will be held Sunday morning at the Hotel Astor, and is to be followed by a third session between three and five p.m. with a one-hundred dollar per plate dinner, to close the convention Sunday night.

Among the speakers scheduled to address the Sunday meetings are Senator Alben W. Barkley, majority leader from Kentucky, William Weiss, president of the Union of Orthodox Congregations of America, Leon Gellman, president of the Miz-rachi organization, and Samuel

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T. I. Will Present Yehudis Tonight

Fun Galore Promised For Annual Fete

"Yehudis", a three-act, seven-scene play, based on the story from the apocrypha written in Hebrew, will be the main feature of the Teacher's Institute Chagiga to be held tonight at 8:30 in the dining room.

An original skit, burlesquing the teachers of the Institute, written by Hyman Koenigsberg '41, and directed by Robert Schwartz '40, will also be enacted.

The committee in charge of arranging the entertainment has succeeded in persuading "Doc" Hurwitz, the perennial magician, to perform some of his amazing legerdemain for the amusement of the student body.

The musical end of the program will include, as usual, Samuel Rackoff '40, and his select choir, in addition to instrumental music conducted by Seymour Kutman '40 and other harmonica specialists. Milton Cooper '39, will contribute some cantorial airs as his share in the program.

A light buffet supper will be served during the course of the evening.

Leo Laks is general chairman of the affair.

FORUM WEDNESDAY NIGHT

The second meeting of the International Relations Club, which was originally scheduled for tonight, has been postponed until next Wednesday.

An open forum on the topic "Jewish History—An Evaluation" will be held over until that occasion.

Yeshiva Bright Lights Flicker at Chanuka Party In a Program Redundant with External Talent

A throng of beaming faces lighted upon the Yeshiva Restaurant last Wednesday to celebrate the Festival of the Candles with a program that was redundant with wit, humor (pre-washed) and song.

As usual, the dining-room management was made the butt of most of the cracks, especially those of Yeshiva's airwave reporter, Moshe Werb. However, the piece de resistance was the appearance of Mr. Irving Davidson with his unique store of Yiddish jokes. If it had not been too crowded for anything but rolling eyes at a few of the representatives of the fair sex there, the Yeshivniks would have been rolling in the aisles. Some of the more enterprising students were copying the stories as told with an eye to future sermons. It is said that only the lack of writing paraphernalia prevented Prof. Ugas from having a good column this week.

The night was a red letter night for mimics both of the Yeshiva and the T. I. On the boards was presented a portrayal of Rabbi Rosenberg of the Agudas Harabonim that smelt strongly of Soviet Russia. The Teachers' Institute was represented

in the portrayal of Rabbi S.K.M. and his newly found identical twin by such gifted students as Milton Cooper '39 and Jochanan Mager '38. The former also played Dr. Churgin plus smile, moustache and all in the same skit, the name of which escapes your correspondent, although it might have been "Whispers in the Dark." Incidentally, the college was represented in that bit of buffoonery in the august personality of General J. For the edifications of the un-Ethical members of the audience, he revealed the fact that "you can't crahm Ethics."

Musty vocal chords were taken out of storage for the night for the benefit of music-loving patrons. The musical program began with the lighting of the Chanukah candles. This was followed later by the rendition of several Chanukah hymns by Maestro Rackoff and his Beth Hamedresh Choir, an importation from the T. I. Fred Kolatch '37 and Eugene Michaly '40 closed the vocal gymnastics for the evening in spite of the vociferous demands that Norman B. Abrams, he who is so adept with notes in The Book, comply with a selection, in his own inimitable style.

Hollander, in his capacity of chair-

man, gave his annual lesson in tautology. Rahmin Sion, as a filler-in, repeated some of his weekly attempts at "humorology." And, Rabbi Solomon Reichman taught the boys a few things about "gramology" ("a" pronounced as in "cram"). The latter, however, cut the "gramin" short to turn serious with a Yiddish poem on Yeshiva life.

Of the representatives of the Yeshiva faculty present, Rabbi Paleyoff said grace (applause), Rabbi Burach sermonized (loud applause at close) and Rabbi Weil postponed his speech for the Sabbath (very loud applause). Pappa Belkin was not at the chagiga, for, it is rumored, he had to remain at home and mind his daughter. However, he entered into the spirit of the occasion by sending an order that each student be given a Coca Cola in honor of his baby. Many a fellow, as he appeased a crying thirst with a wonderfully moist "coke", whispered fervently, "Many happy returns of the day".

It was 2 a.m. before the Yeshivniks, faces beaming even more than at first, rushed from the eatery to play, perhaps to lose. Ah, there's the rub.

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IS THERE NO BALM IN GILEAD?

The recent action of the S. O. Y. Council which will make it impossible for a member of the Student Aid Committee to succeed himself after one year of service represents the first honest attempt of that body to meet a problem, the solution of which may be expected to materially improve student conditions.

If it is true that the measure taken may prove to be inadequate, it is also true that they are of a fundamental nature, aiming, as they do, towards the permanent exclusion from Yeshiva life of those factors which have been so detrimental in the past.

We might indeed have hoped that the S. O. Y. Council had embarked upon a policy of progressive action, one which would preclude the necessity of the student body's heating itself to fever pitch in order to force the enactment of legislation of this elementary type. Yet the action of Council in refusing a vote of confidence to one of the editors of "Hazedek", and thus forcing the acceptance of his resignation must arouse grave doubts in the minds of many.

The S. O. Y. has long suffered from the absence of fearless men who would take an active interest in Yeshiva affairs, to the end that improvements might be instituted. An acute need of able and willing leadership has always been a major hindrance, and the results of such a situation are clear. The record of the S. O. Y., when evaluated and compared with its potentialities, is indeed a sterile one.

Crying needs for the most fundamental changes in the department have long gone unheeded by leaders who lacked either the ability to grasp the situation, or the necessary courage to act upon their convictions. Improvements in curriculum, for example, which might well stem the exodus of Yeshiva College graduates to other rabbinical institutions have neither been suggested nor have their possibilities been investigated.

And yet, at a time when the threat of a complete insignificance becoming the lot of the S. O. Y. is not an empty one, the Council sees fit to discourage the work of one whose courage of convictions is matched by his willingness to serve for the benefit of Yeshiva society.

By way of comment we can do no more than point out that only when the S. O. Y. learns that petty, personal politics have no place in its organization can it hope to assume its rightful position as a potent factor in the life of Yeshiva, a position which Yeshiva conditions demand that some student organization assume.

HITLERIZED CURRICULA

The lot of today's persecuted Jew is not a new one. Neither does it differ substantially from one country to another. Only details of technique differentiate between the suffering of the Polish Jew and that of his German brother.

A detail, missing for some time, has finally been supplied by the Polish anti-semites with the announcement of the introduction of Ghetto benches to the Polish Universities. Of greater importance, however, than a discussion of the effect of this added persecution on the Jew may be an analysis of its effect on his persecutors.

That the political aspects of a country does not always display the highest or the finest which that country is capable of producing is a well known fact. That it is possible, especially in times of economic stress, for a demagogue to apply mob psychology for the purpose of inspiring hate and effecting oppression is recognized.

The barren void which today remains as the ruins of what was once Germany's productive educational institutions is at times more fearful than the desolation of German Jewry. The early indications of the entrance into the Polish intellectual system of the devastating disease of class theories and racial supremacy bode ill for the possibility of the survival of humanitarian civilization in that country, and it is for us to clearly recognize now the educational implications of any material extensions of these consuming scourges.

In the light of these facts it is for the collegiate youth of America today to stand in the forefront of the battle against the oppression of minorities, the denial of civil liberties, and the negation of the principles of democracy. The first step that can and must be taken at such a time is the vigorous protest of such occurrences.

Collegiate America must make its voice heard in unconditional denunciation of the appearance of barbarism on the campus, the world over.

COOPERATING FOR PROGRESS

Simultaneously, each in its own way, the student body, the alumni association, and the administration have begun to investigate the necessity and desirability of curriculum changes.

The student body, always alert to the possibilities of improvement, has distributed a detailed questionnaire to all undergraduates, and tabulations of suggestions and opinions will soon begin.

The Alumni Association through its curriculum committee will canvass the graduates for their ideas and suggestions on the question of proper course of study. These will be studied, evaluated, interpreted, and in their light the committee will proceed to a more complete study.

The appointment of a special faculty committee to devote a years time to a thorough examination of courses and credits, of majors and requirements, has also been announced after close to two months of preliminary work.

Of importance at the present time, however, is the method of approach which has been employed in the meeting of the problem. It is very encouraging to note that the question is being studied by all the interested parties with the result that there also promises to be a close cooperation between the various groups, each of which has a definite point of view to present, and a definite contribution to make.

The student body and alumni have always cooperated and worked towards a common goal. The subscribing of the administration to this policy is to be heartily applauded. It is of vital importance, however, that this policy be extended to other problems common to these same groups whose fundamental interest, in the final analysis, is the future of the Yeshiva.

PREVUES AND VIEWS

By ARNOLD MILLER

Two portly getlemen stood up and delivered themselves of some over-ripe decisions on the advisability of government control of crop production at the Town Hall of the air last Thursday evening. Your reviewer squirmed and moaned in his seat to the accompaniment of admiring remarks from the well-dressed gentlemen behind who couldn't refrain from expressing his complete intellectual accord with the pedantic sentiments emanating from the platform.

Mr. O'Brien, a genial farmer with a hearty laugh, from down Alabama way, defending the New Deal attitude, couldn't understand why the government should regulate and protect industrial production through tariffs and be criticized for attempting to do the same for the farmer. Mr. Garnett, publisher of a chain of newspapers, couldn't see why the government should attempt to rob the farmers of that freedom which has enabled them to make this country the greatest on the face of the world. And I couldn't see why I had come.

A little afterthought on the part of the sponsors proved to be the one redeeming feature of the evening. When reminded that the issue was not fairly represented, they had invited a young sharecropper, Howard Kester, to speak for five minutes on the problem of the sharecroppers, or tenant farmers, of the deep South.

Mincing no words, in the period of the few minutes allotted him, Kester delivered a vivid portrayal of the wretched social and economic conditions of a large part of our population, both negro and white, that left quite a gaping hole in the atmosphere of complacency engendered by the previous speakers.

The chance remarks I heard at the close of the program between the speakers and their friends and their admirers proved to me to be more enlightening and indicative of fundamental attitudes than their carefully prepared radio speeches. When Mr. Garnett, in reply to a private question on the tenant farmers of the South, solicitously, with obvious concern, remarked, "Yes, their condition is rather bad," I, for my part, didn't feel much sympathy for Mr. Garnett.

In my conversation with Mr. Kester, I learned that 2 million American families, approximating 4 million individuals, are forced to exist under a standard of living which is more debasing than the ancient feudal system. Peonage is an actual fact. Indebtedness contracted by the tenant farmers is the instrument by which the landowner keeps them in his service. These tenant farmers have faith in the good intentions of the national government but pin their hopes in the newly organized Tenant Farmers Union. Revolution, in Mr. Kester's opinion, is not possible at

MAYBE I'M WRONG

BY GERSON APPEL

It is with unmistakable signs of trepidation that this column undertakes to introduce a problem well worthy of our consideration, but unfortunately, our consideration, but unfortunately,

Recently the Metropolitan newspapers carried reports regarding a student poll upon a topic which elicited results, the implications of which are of a deep-rooted nature. New York University students allegedly representative of "our cynical, iconoclastic youth" were called upon by the N. Y. U. Commerce Bulletin to pass judgement on the validity of the Ten Commandments in our day of "moral and cultural chaos".

Of vital significance is the fact that an alarming number voiced their disapproval, and took exception to one or more of the precepts governing both man's relations to G-d and his obligations in the social set-up. Chiefly among those in the latter class which aroused opposition, were those dealing with the basic concepts of family relationship.

However a majority of the 1500 polled, it was revealed, graciously endorsed the Commandments as cogent rules for the "mad scheme of modern living."

Without discussing the desirability of such polls, the fact remains that the results indicate a presumptuous attitude on the part of those of the supposedly higher intellectual strata, too prevalent to be passed by with impunity.

If, as it is claimed, it was an attempt at an evaluation of morals in the light of present day currents of thought, it is clearly evident that the results cast a very poor reflection on the wholesomeness and efficiency of the so-called modern approach.

Without denying the evident dangers in blind obedience to traditional thought irrespective of objective validity, it must be disclaimed, however, that we are not to differentiate between categories of ethical values. We feel more than ever inclined to be wary of intellectual hurricanes in the guise of progress.

The crux of the problem, consequently, lies in the fact that such an untoward response comes from the exalted intelligentsia of the next generation.

the present time.

The forum opened no new vistas of sight to my urban mentality. In truth it served to becloud the issue with supposedly authoritative utterances. However, this much it did profit me: I came away with the feeling that Bernard Baruch was not being facetious when he classed the Wall Street master-minds in the category of "the bigger they are, the harder they fall." This country stands in need of younger and fresher minds in more responsible positions.

In the Editor's Mail Box

To the Editor of the Commentator:
Dear Editor:

Glancing inadvertently through some recent news dispatches, my eyes flashed across the following few lines: "A 'Candle Light Brigade', 250 strong, marched into the library of the University of California at Los Angeles in protest against the inadequate lighting facilities of the building."

Being a frequenter of our own library I could not help but realize that the library captioned above is not the only one that stands out as a contributor to the wallets of the opticians. In fact, I dare any eyes to endeavor to penetrate the stygian darkness that envelops our library every night. It is rather amusing to note

that practically every entering Yeshivaite carries a pair of double-barreled specs, just in case the one or two bulbs that are now in operation suddenly die of old age or concussion of the filaments.

It wouldn't be a bad idea for the 2000 'strong' of this college to organize a 'Flambeau Legion' to march into the library in protest against this atrocious situation.

It is not for us in the narrow confines of this column to attempt a solution of the problem, were we competent to do so. We but pose it as one which the Jewish leader in conjunction with others in the forefront of social activity will inevitably be called upon to face in the near future

HYMAN CHANOVER '41

Time Out

By W. HERZL FREED

Dreidel and Basketball Don't Mix

"...the Brooklyn College of Pharmacy will be the first test of strength. Yeshiva has yet to beat the apothecaries although past showings were not always discouraging. If Pharmacy is beaten, the Quinhooplets can very well be proud of themselves."

Well, the Quinhooplets are not proud of themselves. Pharmacy, it appears, was not beaten. In fact, the score would lead one to suspect that the boys in blue and white took a minor shellacking last Thursday night.

A certain Professor of English makes a habit of collecting unique excuses and, although he's never shown much enthusiasm for basketball, he'd probably be interested in the one offered for the team's defeat ...and it has nothing to do with size or shape of the court.

The instrument of disaster was a small, harmless looking thing referred to, in the vernacular, as a dreidel, an instrument whose popularity annually reaches its peak during the Chanukah holiday season. Upon being dusted off for the rush, it becomes a passport to the legalization of the Monte Carlo spirit within these otherwise staid walls.

Some people have managed to remain immune to the beckoning wiles of this siren of chance and are probably very fortunate whether they know it or not. As for myself I was one of the fortunate, not because of any moral scruples, but because I always lose.

Wednesday night was one of gaiety and song and mimicry and free soda handed out by a happy father and... well, there's more news about it on the front page. But in a few rooms dimly illuminated by candle fire were exclusive cliques of those who thought they had a little more of the holiday spirit and the itching palm besides.

It may have been your own room in which hushed voices could barely be heard above the spin of the dreidel. You may even have been refused admittance to your own abode. And if you did manage to get inside while the sergeant at arms kept on the lookout you may have discovered a few varsity basketeers

Jerry Gordon became obsessed with the paternal spirit and wondered if he couldn't join in and "maybe you boys don't know you have a game tomorrow night with B.C.P. and you ought to get some sleep." I don't know if he did join in, but I do know the boys didn't go to bed.

The chambermaids made their rounds until about four o'clock in the afternoon when the last of the Yawn Patrol finally climbed out of bed and rushed to class. Two hours later fatigued Quinhooplets were on their beds again trying to catch a little extra sleep before leaving for Brooklyn. It didn't do much good.

On the subway they were still talking about how much they won, lost, broke even. But once on the court they began to count how many baskets the druggists were dropping in while dreidels continued to spin dizzily in their heads.

So the score stands: two defeats, one victory. Count it as part of the breaks. N.Y.U. Dentistry should have been beaten, the trouble being that there were too many substitutions which weakened the team. A victory over Brooklyn College of Pharmacy was not expected but even there the showing was below par. Chanukah comes but once a year and everyone is entitled to his fun, but from now on ... snuff!

B.C. PHARMACY TROUNCES Y.C. VARSITY, 47-26

Capt. Weber Garner 20 Points To Lead Team To Victory

Facing a highly touted Brooklyn College of Pharmacy team which had previously defeated N.Y.U. Schools of Law and Dentistry, Yeshiva College bowed to the odds and was overwhelmed 47-26. Throughout the game, the Blue and White was hampered by the lively backboard, high ceiling, and tall men of the opposing team, all of which made their desperate playing hopeless from the start. Not once during the game did they even earn a tie with the Pharmacists. The outstanding player on the court was Captain Weber of the Brooklynites who alone accounted for twenty of his team's points.

The first quarter found the Quinhooplets trying to find themselves, but after missing a few lay-up shots it was evident that it would take time for them to get accustomed to the lively backboard. When Weber had sunk a goal and two fouls, Yeshiva finally made its first tally on Captain Goldklang's pivot shot. Brooklyn scored 8 more points, interrupted only by Avrech's lone foul. "Mite" Mager's skillful defense playing kept the Pharmacists from scoring more. With one minute to play, Avrech dropped 2 nice shots in succession. The quarter ended with the score at 10-7.

The second period started with some spirited playing on the part of Yeshiva. Goldklang sank a foul and Koslovsky dropped in a beautiful shot from mid-court, but from then on the Pharmacists were never headed. In fact they had so drugged the boys that Avrech made the only other tally for them in that period sinking another one from the center line. This period saw some fine passing on the part of Schultz to Weber who sank two baskets, and a beautiful shot from the Yeshiva foul line by Schultz. The half ended with Brooklyn leading 24-12.

In the second half our basketeers allowed their opponents to score ten points before they scored five on Avrech's foul and a goal apiece by Goldklang and Koslovsky. The period ended with the score 34-17.

The latter part of the game found Yeshiva taking long shots. Led by Mager who scored five points, Yeshiva scored 9 to B.C.P.'s 13 points but it was not enough to stem the tide.

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College Chess Squad To Meet St. Peters

The Yeshiva College Chess Team will oppose St. Peter's College in its initial match of the current semester, December 12, at 8 p. m. in the Dormitory Social Hall.

This year's team consists of last year's stalwarts Lawrence Charney '38, chairman, Benjamin Sincoff, '39, Bernard Sussman '40, in addition to Nathan Pauker '40, and Sidney Mowshowitz '41.

During Christmas week, the Yeshiva Chess Team will compete in an intercollegiate chess tournament with such teams as Columbia University, City College, and Fordham University.

Ping-Pong Games Start Tomorrow

New Hours Arranged For Play Room Use

A ping-pong tournament will be held this Thursday evening at 9 p. m. in the newly renovated playroom, Sholom Novoseller, '40, announced. All applications for these matches must be filed by tonight, he stated.

According to the recent revision of the schedule, the recreation room will be open every night from Monday to Thursday inclusive from 8:30 to 11 P. M. Students who are willing to serve as supervisors of the room during these hours are asked to hand in their names and schedule of available hours to Novoseller.

Students are requested to submit periodicals and papers for which they have no need and which will be appropriate for the play room, he emphasized.

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**GOV. F. MURPHY SPEAKS
AT YESHIVA SAT. NIGHT**

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Goldstein, Grand Master of the Independent Order Brith Abraham. The convention is being held as part of the million dollar jubilee

campaign, now in progress, and will be followed by similar meetings, on a smaller scale, in various other sections of the country. Various national organizations who have been supporters of Yeshiva will be represented.

The convention is also to lay the basis for the nationalization of the

presently localized Board of Directors, it was announced.

Rabbi Irving Miller, a graduate of Yeshiva who is national chairman of the jubilee drive, will be general chairman of the convention.

Members of the student body will be admitted to the first session Saturday evening, it was announced.

**POEL HAMIZRACHI WILL
MEET TOMORROW NIGHT**

An important meeting of the Hapoel Hamizrachi of Yeshiva College will be held tomorrow evening at 8:30 in the Dormitory Social Hall. Aaron Walden '38 will address the

organization on "What Is Hapoel Hamizrachi," and a council report will be submitted.

The agenda for the evening also includes discussion on the Jewish National Fund, the "Horizon," monthly organ of the Hapoel Hamizrachi, and the Keren Torah V'Avodah.

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