# New Scholarships Plan Is Set Forth

# Ruling Calls for Deadline by June 1; Registrar Reveals Club Hour Plan

The Offices of the Bursar and the Registrar have issued new rulings, effective immediately, pertaining to scholarships and registration.

The University Committee on Scholarships has announced, through the Office of the Bursar, that the deadline for filing all Applications for Financial Assistance is Friday, May 1. Applications will be accepted for a period of 30 days after May 1 with the payment

of a \$5.00 late fee. No Applications for Financial Assistance for the academic year 1953-54 will be accepted after June 1.

The new measures, which are being instituted with the approval of Dr. Belkin, are being introduced "because of Yeshiva's limited scholarship budget," Mr. Ellenberg said. "The Committee will, of course, screen every application very carefully, and award scholarships to needy students of high scholastic achievement only," he added.

Mr. Ellenberg said the Committee will begin reviewing applications after May 1.

#### Earlier Registration

Mr. Morris Silverman, Registrar of the College, has announced that registration for all upper classmen will be started earlier than usual this semester, with preliminary registration scheduled for May 5-11.

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# Y.U. Assembly Marks Israeli Independence

A special student assembly was held yeserday, Tuesday, April 21, in Lamport Auditrium, to mark Israel's fifth anniversary.

The assembly, sponsored by the International Relations Society and Student Council, had as its guest speaker Dr. Abraham Harman, Israeli Consul in New York City. Dr. Harman's address will be discussed in the next issue of THE COMMENTATOR.

A discussion of the impressions of Israel of a number of the Yeshiva University exchange students was the theme of an IRS panel discussion held in Riets Hall, Monday, March 23.

Stanley Wagner '53, Marty Lindenbaum '53, Benjamin Seruya '54, Yehuda Berenson '54, Sheldon Goldstein '52, and Naftali Kahn '52, were the members of the panel.



Dr. Abraham Harman

# Figures Show Poli. Sci. Has Most Majors

Of 500 students registered in the college for the Spring, 1953 term, figures released by Mr. Morris Silverman, college registrar, show that, as in the past, a plurality of students at Yeshiva major in the Social Sciences, 43.6%. The Natural Sciences, which have steadily increased in popularity in recent years, claim 38.8% of the student body. Jewish Studies, though the smallest of the four divisions, has shown the greatest increase within recent years. At present, 6.8% of the students major in this field, compared with 1.6% in 1950. Language has remained fairly stable, having an enrollment of 10.8%.

#### Political Science on Top

Of the fourteen majors offered at the College, Political Science has replaced Mathematics as the most popular subject, being named by 84 students as their field of study. This is followed by Psychology and Chemistry, having enrollments of 59 and 52 students, respectively. Mathematics follows with a register of 46 students. The increase in Political Science represents a jump from 10% in 1952 to 17% this year. Chemistry also has shown a steady gain, having had 5.2% of the student body enrolled in 1950, and now claiming 10.5%.

Languages rank lowest on the scale. Classical languages have 5 major students; French has 4; and German has no majors.

## Wrestler Speaks At T. I. Assembly

Raphael Halpern, wrestling champion of Israel, was the guest speaker at a special Teachers Institute assembly, Monday, April 20, Israel Independence Day.

Mr. Halpern, who is currently touring the United States with great success, discussed the progress of the State of Israel since its inception five years ago.

Singing and a choral reading based on Ezekiel's "Vision of the Dry Bones" were conducted by Kadish Goldberg and David Kenner, respectively.

# Seniors Elect JackAdelman Valedictorian

Jack Adelman was elected valedictorian of the graduating class of 1953 in a special senior class election held Thursday, April 16. He defeated Aaron Lichtenstein and Emanuel Forman, the second and third ranking members of the class in scholastic standing.

The closed-ballot election was the first of its kind, replacing the former practice of faculty choice of the valedictorian.

Mr. Adelman, who is being graduated with a 3.95 scholastic average, is a resident of Teaneck, New Jersey. He was born in Winnipeg, Canada, December 27, 1933. He entered Yeshiva College in 1949 and graduated the Teachers Institute in 1952.

Mr. Adelman, a political science major, besides emerging at the head of his class, has been active in extra-curricular activities. At present Editor-in-Chief of Masmid, he has also served as Managing Editor of THE COMMENTATOR; Associate Editor of Le Flambeau, undergraduate French annual; Vice-President of the International Relations Society; and President of the Economics Society.

His other activities include Varsity Debating and membership in Pi Delta Phi, the French Honor Society.

# Newest 'Talpiot' Includes Articles By Israeli Rabbis

Articles by Israel's Chief Rabbis Herzog and Uziel are included with twenty-seven other articles, book reviews and lectures in the latest issue of "Talpioth," Yeshiva University's halachic journal.

The issue, volume 6, combining numbers I and II, is dedicated to Rabbi Shlomo Poliachek, commemorating his twenty-fifth "yahrzeit." Rabbi Poliachek, a noted Talmudic scholar who served as a Rosh HaYeshiva at R.I.E.T.S. is given a pen portrait in "Talpioth."

This quarter's issue contains pieces on inheritance laws by the Chief Rabbis, an article on rabbinic jurisdiction by Judge Simcha Assaf of the Israeli Supreme Court.

Seven members of the Y.U. faculties are represented in "Talpioth." Dr. Moses Ventura contributed an article on the philosophy of Judaism. The philosophy of Krochmal is discussed by Dr. Gershon Churgin. Dr. Irving Agus and Rabbi Asher Siev discuss the government of the Jewish communities of the Middle Ages and the work of Rabbi Moses Isserles, respectively. The Yeshivot of Eastern Europe are the subject of an article by Dr. Mark Wishnitzer and Rabbis Karp and Volk contributed articles on Talmudical topics.

# Dr. Belkin Will Be Feted for Decade of Work at Y. U.

The tenth anniversary of the installation of Dr. Samuel Belkin as President of Yeshiva University will be celebrated with a testimonial dinner in his honor Sanday evening, May 24, announced Max J. Etra, Chairman of the affair.

The Dr. Samuel Belkin Tenth Anniversary Scholarship Fund has been established with the purpose of raising \$500,000 to provide wider educational opportunities for more Y.U. students.

In connection with this drive, the Forest Hills, Kew Gardens and Kew Gardens Hills Friends of Yeshiva University sponsored a breakfast at Henry's Restaurant in Forest Hills, Sunday, April 19. Dr. Bernard Lander, of the Hunter College Sociology Department, was chairman of the breakfast, and Dr. Henry I. Fineberg, Medical Superintendent, Queens General Hospital Center, was guest speaker.

An extensive drive is now being conducted among alumni and friends of Yeshiva for funds for the scholarship endowment.

# File Applications For S. C. Awards

Applications for Student Council 'Awards are now available in the main Co-op Store, announced David Mostofsky '53, President of the Senior Class and Chairman of the Awards Committee.

One hundred college credits is the minimum requirement for applicants for these awards which are in the form of gold, silver, and bronze keys. These are granted to those who have served on various S.C. committees and organizations.

Deadline for filling these applications is Friday, April 24.

# **Blood Drive a Success**

The tentative schedule for

classes for the Fall semester has

been posted in the college office.

Mr. Silverman said that all sug-

gested changes should be made

in writing and submitted to him

with a petition of at least six

signatures. The final schedule

Mr. Silverman also announced

that starting in September a club

period will meet every Thursday

from 2:30 to 3:30 p.m. All classes

will be given an extra hour at

the end of the term to make up

for the time lost by the club

Under the new plan, the classes

of Rabbis Gorelik, Borenstein

and Steinberg will have forty

minutes deducted from their

lunch period to allow them to

meet their classes formally for

will be posted on May 4.

period.

two hours.



GIVING OR TAKING? Yechiel Grunbaum '55 is shown giving blood at the Temporary Red Cross center established in Riets Hall. The Red Cross nurse is Marie Mackey. Looking on are Sheldon Kornbluth '55 and Bernard Pshoter '53.

# 192 'Cooperative' Students Donate Blood to Red Cross

A Red Cross Bloodmobile unit visited Yeshiva University Monday, March 23, and netted 192 pints of blood at the Yeshiva "Blood Drive Center" in Riets Hall. The drive, a project of the Student Activities Committee, "exceeded all expectations," declared Sheldon Kornbluth, chairman of the drive.

The Red Cross staff in attendance, comprising one doctor and fifteen nurses, spoke of the Y.U. students as "the finest and most cooperative bunch of fellows we have come across," as Yeshiva turned up one of the top donation percentages among the colleges in the city.

During the three-week recruiting period, 220 students were given appointments, the schedules of which were posted throughout the school building. However, 11 students requested last minute cancellations and twenty-three were absent. To make up for this loss, 43 additional donors presented themselves. Thirty-seven volunteers were rejected for reasons of health.

Of the 192 pints collected, half were shipped to our armed forces in Korea, and an equal amount was credited to the Y.U. Blood Bank to be used by Yeshiva students or their families in case of emergency. To date, two pints of blood have already been distributed under this plan. Any faculty member, student or their relatives may draw from the bank with permission of the chairman.

The Blood Drive Committee consisted of Bernard Pshoter '53, co-chairman, Otto Newman '53, Sam Roth '56, and Isaac Sherman '55. Donors will be mailed cards by the Red Cross indicating their blood type and list of donations.

# Editorials

#### A Salute to Israel

Five years have passed since the proclamation of Jewish statehood in Tel-Aviv on a tense Friday afternoon in May of 1948. Since that time, Israel has been on the verge of financial disaster and has gone from one political crisis to another. Yet, it has managed to achieve recognition in the council of nations and withstand the onslaughts of hostile neighbors.

There are those who have succumbed too readily to the notion that the new state is the embodiment of Jewish redemption, and with it we have a panacea to all that ails the Jew in the diaspora. Others have expressed the view that there is nothing in the state which marks it as Jewish, and hence we ought to disclaim it entirely. Those less extreme in their views and more hopeful, have envisioned grandiose plans for the renewal of a "Sanhedrin," or have looked forward to the ideal of "a state like other states." We cannot see our way clear to adopt a position at either extreme.

As Yeshiva students, we are bound to see the events of the past half-decade with thankfulness and misgivings. For us, the survival of Israel, with great territorial, economic, political and cultural hardships, will not be effected by human ingenuity alone. The Divine in history was seldom more apparent. The hackneyed expressions of "two-thousand-year-old-dreams-fulfilled" are not made less true by their repeated use.

We must remember that the creation of a sovereign Jewish political unit is not for us the sum total of prophetic promise. We shall continue to await the day when "Torah shall come forth from Zion," and will continue to regret extremism on both sides which hinders the coming of that day.

#### Health Insurance No Luxury

Over the last few years the sports program at Yeshiva has been steadily expanding, and the growth of teams in each field of athletics has been on the upgrade. It is unfortunate, however, that to-date no provision has ever been made for a health insurance plan.

We are happy to learn, however, that people do learn from experience — at least, somewhat. The Y.U.A.A., it seems, has *discussed* the matter of getting Dr. Belkin's approval for an insurance plan.

#### The "Situation" Still Exists

IRWIN WITTY \_\_\_

MARTIN GREENHUT ....

HERBERT PANITCH

ARTHUR JACOBOVITZ

After having been told sometime in October or November that "the boys ought to complain," The Commentator took it upon itself to spearhead the drive for improvements in Harry and Morris' Luncheonette and Stern's Cafeteria. For a while there was a stir, and the latter proprietor was very cooperative in a great many respects in granting student requests and rectifying many ills.

The former, however, seems to have taken an attitude of "the public be damned," and hardly a single suggestion for improvement, made at a meeting held in February, has been introduced. Would the Student-Faculty Relations Committee care to investigate further?

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# Golda Myerson, Israel's Labor Minister, Reveals Political Background, U. N. Duties

(Editor's Note: In honor of the fifth anniversary of the establishment of the State of Israel, News Editor Al Hoffer interviewed Mrs. Golda Myerson, Israel's Minister of Labor now in the United States, representing Israel at the United Nations Assembly and working on behalf of the Israel Bond Drive.)

#### By Al Hoffer

Diplomatically reticent, Mrs. Golda Myerson, Israel's Minister of Labor, and temporary head of the Israel delegation at the United Nations, has a certain shrewd sober efficiency. Her firm handshake, her brisk walk, her calm deliberate conversation, and even the simple tan suit and blue blouse she wore, helped give this single impression.

There is little wonder, then, that Mrs. Myerson, considered "the First Lady of Israel," has been given tough assignments ever since she came to the country thirty-two years ago. She first settled in Kibbutz Merchavia, which, she revealed, "was no part of Hashomer Hatzair, at that time." She was soon called to work for the Histadrut and, eventually, to head the political department of the Jewish Agency.

#### Meets Cyprus Prisoners

After the Jewish State was declared, the immigrants detained by the British in camps on Cyprus, had priority rights for resettlement in Israel. However, there were other more recent applications from Jews in Moslem and Communist countries who had to be evacuated as quickly as

possible. The Israel government wanted to request of the warravaged internees, many of them ill and aged, that they waive their rights to make room for other refugees who needed immediate relief. Golda Myerson was sent to present this request and the Cyprus detainees agreed to wait.

No less precarious but far more perilous was Mrs. Myerson's secret trip across the Israel-Jordan border on May 10, 1948. Disguised as an Arab woman, she was met on the Jordan side by the King's emissaries, who took her to Amman for a pre-arranged meeting with the late King Abdullah. This was a "peace" conference which is supposed to have failed because, as Abdullah said, Mrs. Myerson was "too proud." She refused his offer of peace at the price of Jordan's annexation of Israel's territory and the withdrawal of the plans for a Jewish State.

As Minister of Labor, Mrs. Myerson deals not only with labor problems per se, but also with settling and providing for immigrants. The Ministry of Labor has established vocational guidance and technical training centers throughout Israel. These functions in conjunction with Israel's educational system to rehabilitate the new arrivals and making them useful citizens.

In the U.N., Israel's foremost woman leader, who was the first Israeli Ambassador to Russia, has been concerned with rejecting the anti-Jewish Soviet propaganda and defending Israel. The Israel delegation was to as-

possible. The Israel government sume a more offensive position, wanted to request of the war-ravaged internees, many of them ill and aged, that they waive Jews.

#### At Present at U.N.

The hope that this new shift will be permanent has prompted Israel to halt, its U.N. offensive against the Soviet bloc. At the General Assembly's Political and Security Committee, Mrs. Myerson declared that the condemnation of the original Soviet accusations "has now been endorsed in even stronger terms by the government of the U.S.S.R. and by leading articles in Soviet newspapers."

Mrs. Myerson is fluent in English as well as in Hebrew, for though she was born in the Ukraine, she came to the United States when she was eight years old. She lived in Milwaukee, went to school there, and later taught school.

We asked Mrs. Myerson how extensive her Jewish education was. She explained that it was not. How was she inspired to go to Israel, then? Was there a "Dreyfus Case" in her life that helped her decide?

- It was just that after the first World War and a lot of thinking, I decided that Zionism was the only way for the Jews. I guess, it was actually that I came from a Jewish home.
- But there are millions of Jews from Jewish homes who are not so inspired.
- Well, I came from a really Jewish home.

Would that there were many more such Jewish homes.

# Letters to the Editor

To the Editor:

The Office of the Registrar has been trying to do a just and fair job on the assignment of students to sections in multiple-section courses. Students who do not seem to understand this intention have voiced strenuous complaints when we have required them to change sections. We hope that by writing this letter we can inform the student body of our policy on this matter.

Mainly, this concerns registration for the Fall semester, which occurs in early May. More particularly, it involves upper freshmen, sophomores, and juniors who ordinarily are still taking basic or required courses. Now, we have decided to operate on a "File first—choice first" basis. Each program is numbered when handed in to the secretary, and each is then taken in order. Obviously there will come a moment when certain sections will reach their maxima. These will be

#### Silver Jubilee

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This year marks the end of the 25th year of instruction at Yeshiva. We have come a long way since the plans were first proposed for "The Yeshiva College

THE COMMENTATOR is dedicating its next issue to the Silver Jubilee of Yeshiva College. We ask faculty members, alumni, subscribers, and students to send us their greetings in honor of the occasion.

closed, and students' programs which thereafter call for these closed classes are reassigned by the Office. This is where complaining begins.

Then we begin to fill "choice" sections—those which occur earlier in the day. But these, too, will eventually be filled.

We are forced to reserve these earlier hours for students who are not dorm residents. . . . We believe that a little thought and consideration on the part of latesession students will bring them to our way of thinking.

OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR

To the Editor:

I would like to take advantage of this opportunity to offer my congratulations to the faculty, students, employees whoparticipated in the recent Y.U. Blood Drive. It was an endeavor that succeeded beyond expectations due to the enthusiastic spirit shown by those who enlisted and those who recruited.

A special mention must be made of Bernard Pshoter '53, who, as my co-chairman, worked by my side throughout the drive.

SHELDON E. KORNBLUTH, '55

# From the Files

April, 1938: The climax of the Debating Society's activities will occur when Yeshiva encounters C.C.N.Y. Commerce and N.Y.U. Washington Square in two radio debates over station WNYC. In the first debate, to be broadcast April 11, 4-4:30 p.m., Yeshiva will uphold the affirmative of the topic, "Resolved: that the National Labor Board be empowered to enforce the arbitration of all industrial disputes."

April, 1938: Dr. Samuel Belkin, Instructor in Greek, Dr. Nathan Klotz, Instructor in Bible, Dr. Arnold Lowan, Instructor in Physics, and Dr. Aaron Margalith, Instructor in Political Science, were promoted to the rank of assistant professor, Professor Moses L. Isaacs announced. These are the first promotions Professor Isaacs has made since his appointment as Assistant to the President.

April, 1941: Appearing for the first time in any institution of learning in America, Dr. Isaac Herzog, Chief Rabbi of Palestine, was welcomed to the Yeshiva at a reception tendered him by the faculty and senior students of the school. The noted scholar could not suppress tears of joy as he stood outside for a moment gazing at the imposing facade of the building.

On The Sidelines ——

## Editor Lauds High School League Officers; Praises Team Managers

By Seymour Essrog \_

The thrill of playing in Madison Square Garden, a thrill that comes once in a lifetime, came to the ballplayers of the Talmudical Academies of Manhattan and Brooklyn on the eve of March 25. On that night these two-teams met on the Garden floor for a game that decided the championship of the Jewish High School League.

Although Manhattan won, the result of the game will remain only secondary in the memories of both the ballplayers and spectators. It was the first time in the history of that famed "citadel of sports" that any Jewish team competed there in any athletic contest. This game also marked the first time that a negro referee, Dolly King, ever officiated a basketball game in the Garden. Although credit for arranging the game in the Garden goes to numerous other people, nevertheless, a group of students, attending Yeshiva College are directly responsible for the success of the League during the season just concluded.

Without receiving any financial remuneration, this group of young men undertook a job that had its share of headaches, worries



and other troubles that come with a task like this. Nevertheless, they weathered the many storms and finished the season in a blaze of glory. Yet, even this, their final game, did not come easy. The group of over 1,000 students from Yeshiva High Schools throughout Greater New York attending the game stand in testimony to the remarkable job that was done by this group in the sale of tickets during the short period of two days.

The Jewish High School League is fortunate in having

Zev Hymowitz, Irv Forman, Bernie Hoenig and Vel Hulkower, who serve in the posts of president, vice-president, secretary and treast urer, to direct its activities.

The Annual Sports Dinner of the Yeshiva University Athletic Association serves as an opportune moment for the college to say "thank you" to all the athletes and managers of the different squads who have done a marvelous job representing Yeshiva University. No doubt many readers are familiar with the activities of the athletes of the various teams. But, invariably, there are people working quietly behind the scenes who insure the success of these teams. These students are the team managers. Fellows like "Peachy" Grunbaum and Saul Greenfield of the basketball varsity, Robert Hammer and David Levey of the fencing team, Aaron Borow of the tennis team, Leon Wildes of the soccer squad, David Zweibel of the newly-formed track and field team, Joe Polansky of the wrestling team and Bernie "Doc" Pshoter, trainer for all these teams, really deserve the letters they are going to receive at the Dinner. 

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## Y.U. Racquetmen Yeshiva Fencers, '53 Blanked by Army As Season Opens

Yeshiva University's Tennis Team opened the 1953 season by losing to Army, 9-0. The match was held Wednesday, April 16, at West Point.

The tennis team, starting the second year of intercollegiate competition, has scheduled nine more matches concluding May 18, with Rider College at Trenton, New Jersey.

The netmen are once again being coached by the famous tennis pro, Eli Epstein, who tutored last year's inexperienced squad to

#### Tennis, Anyone?

April: '		
Friday, 17	Iona	Home
Tuesday, 21	Pace	Home
Friday, 24	Queens	Away
Wednesday, 29	Webb	Away
May: Friday, 1	St. John	Home
Tuesday, 12	Fr'lgh-D'kson	Home
Wednesday, 13	Columbia	Away
Friday, 15	Maritime	Home
Monday, 18	Rider	Away

a 5-4 record against competitors, such as Army, Brooklyn College, New York State Maritime, St. Johns and Rider. Mr. Epstein is a tennis instructor at the Grossinger's Country Club.

During this year's schedule Yeshiva will play five of its matches at the Riverview Tennis Courts in the Bronx, Yeshiva's home courts. The Epstein men will once again be facing such top competition as Columbia, St. John's and Iona.

Tennis Coach Eli Epstein, assisted by last year's captain, Stanley Siegel, is depending on a new group of freshmen, since four of last year's varsity are not returning to action. Besides veterans Dave Lifshutz, Josh Taragin, Gene Horn, Mary Gootkin and Al Gewirtz, much will be expected from up-and-coming prospects Sam Silverstein, Leon Esterowitz, Sam April, and Stan Rosenberg.



FENCING TEAM: Shown in group picture in gymnasium are mem-Bottom Row: M. Greenhut, M. Berger, M. Korn, H. Rosenberg, S. Ingber, S. Greenfield, M. Zundell. Middle Row: M. Schwartzstein, A. Dobin, H. Spear, N. Tokayer, M. Federbush, L. Gottlieb. Back Row: N. Toporovsky, D. Moses, H. Zigelman, L. Chamiedes, N. Heeht, F. Klein, B. Liberman, O. Schonthal, D. Mostofsky, M. Teichman, A. Tauber

# Yeshiva Fencers Terminate Year With Excellent Record

If we are to believe statistics, this season was the most successful in Yeshiva's four-year fencing history. The Duelists posted a 5-1 record for an .833 percentage, as Coach Arthur Tauber's charges boasted victories over Brooklyn, St. Peter's, Fordham, Paterson State Teachers, and Cooper Union colleges. Their sole loss was a 14-13 upset to City College.

The fencing season was highlighted by several close and exciting

#### Individual Fencing

		Fe	il	
		Won	Lost	Pet.
W.	Millen	7	11	.388
H.	Spear	11	7	.622
H.	Panitch	0	4	.000
S.	Greenfield	4	4	.500
S.	Feder	1	2 7	.333
		Sal	ber	
		Won	Lost	Pct.
N.	Toporovsky	12	5	.701
H.	Rosenberg	13	4	.764
N.	Tokayer	8	. 7	.583
E.	Tokayer	2	1	.666
M.	Greenbut	0	1	.000
J.	Mogilner	0	1	.000
		Ep	ee	
		Won	Lost	Pct.
D.	Mostofsky	10	7	.588
N.	Hecht	9	9	.500
F.	Klein	6	7	.462
B.	Liberman	3	1	.750
L.	Chamiedes	0	1	.000
J.	Mogilner	0	1	.000

matches. Only the Paterson win came easy. In the other matches the Swordsmen came from behind in the closing stages of the contests and, in all but one encounter, overcame their opponents. Three of Yeshiva's wins came in the final bout of the match.

For the second successive year the saber team compiled the leading percentage with a scintillating .648, via thirty-five wins and nineteen losses. The epeemen showed a marked improvement over last season and gained a .518 percentage with 28 victories and 26 defeats. The foilers, however, suffered a losing season, coming out on the short end of a 25-29 record.

# High School League Closes Season As Uptown Nips B'klyn for Crown

One of the most successful seasons in Jewish High School hoop competition came to a close Wednesday, March 25, as Manhattan Talmudical Academy edged out the Brooklyn Talmudical five, 52-46, at Madison Square Garden for the Jewish 'High School League Championship.

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"The Hucksters" May 6-7 Wed.-Thurs. "The Blue Lamp" and

"Hidden Room"

#### Top Sabermen

Seven of the nine starting men were able to amass records of .500 or better. Leading the team in individual victories was saberman Herbert Rosenberg who copped 13 wins against 4 setbacks. Runnerup in this department was Norman Toporovsky with a 12-5 record. In addition Rosenberg won Yeshiva's first fencing award by placing third in the Amateur Fencing League of America meet. Norman Tokayer rounded out the saber squad with an 8-7 record.

Howard Spear led the foil regulars with a .662 mark.

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# Commentator Gives Awards

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THE COMMENTATOR sports awards, sponsored by the Yeshiva University Women's Organization, will be presented to the most valuable players of the Basketball, Fencing, Tennis, and Soccer teams. The selection of each recipient will be decided by a board of COMMENTATOR sports writers.

Over one hundred athletes, coaches, students and alumni are expected to be present at the dinner.

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# Six New Pledgees

The Yeshiva University Chapter of the Pi Delta Phi, French Honorary Society, held its third initiation of new members in the Dormitory Social Hall, Monday, March 16.

The six new members who were initiated at the ceremonies are: Aaron Borow '55, Abraham Bruckenstein '55, Jacob Etner '55, Irwin Haut '55, Philip Rudnick '53 and Leo Taubes '55.

#### Pi Delts Initiate Young Israel Director To Address Philo Club

Rabbi Samson Rafael Weiss, Executive Director of the National Council of Young Israel, will discuss "Maharal: The Unity of God," at the first meeting of the Jewish Philosophy and Ethics Club to be held Wednesday, April 29, 1953, in Riets Hall, at 7:30 p.m. salarda "mga. mmel ya...

The club plans to inaugurate a complete series of lectures on topics dealing with personalities in the field of Jewish Philosophy,

## M. Schnall Talks To Eranos Group

The "Roman Forum" was discussed by Martin Schnall at a meeting of Eranos held Monday, March 23. His falk was followed by the showing of slides on the ancient Roman Forum and modern Roman buildings.

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