Yeshiva Student Body Prefers
Stevenson 16-1, Survey Shows

United States Senator Herbert H. Lehman (Dem.-N.Y.) has been named to receive Yeshiva University's annual Morris Morgenstern Award, to be presented at the Annual Charter Day Celebration Sunday, November 5, at the Hotel Astor.

Frosh Welcome
At Kabalat Panim
The annual S. O. Y. Kabalat Panim to welcome freshmen to Yeshiva was held Tuesday, October 23, in Rieta Hall.

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Cantor Interests in joining the Workshop may do so by filling out the application form which is obtainable in the College office. Former students must reenroll with Dr. Adler in the office of the Department of Music.

The Workshop is open to stu- dents of the College, the Yeshiva, the Teachers Institute, and the Graduate School.

Senior Class
The Freshman-Senior Smoker will be held tonight at 8:30 p.m. in Rieta Hall.

The program includes: Morris Wolosky '53, magician; Lacy Burack '53, master of ceremonies; and musical selec- tions rendered by the Y. U. Band, led by Bob Rothman '53.

Dave Mostofsky '53, presi- dent of the Senior Class, is chairman of the program committee.

NAME CHEMIST
Asst. Director
Dr. Abraham White, former chairman of the Department of Physiological Chemistry of the University of California Medical Center in Los Angeles, had been named Associate Director of the new College of Medicine spon- sored by Yeshiva, it was announced by Dr. Samuel Belkin, President of the University. Dr. White will also serve as Chair- man of the Medical School's De- partment of Biochemistry.

A recognized authority in the field of biochemistry, Dr. White was for fifteen years a member of the faculty of Yale University. He served from 1943 to 1948 as Associate Professor of Physiological Chemistry—at Columbia University. Among his researches were of physiologists and Surgeons and Vice- President and Director of Re- search of Chemical Specialties Co., Inc. The latter firm is the American associate of Syntex, Inc., of Mexico, the world's larg- est producer of steroid hormones.

A graduate of the University of Denver, Dr. White also holds a Master of Arts degree from that institution and a Doctor of Philosophy degree from the Uni- versity of Michigan. He was awarded the Eli Lilly Prize in biochemical research in 1924. In its last year received the Distinguished Alumni Award conferred by the University of Denver.

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Congratulation to Mrs. and Mr. N. M. Goodman, who were recipients of the Samuel and Mrs. Ben- nion Morgenstern Award.

Dr. L. J. E. T. S. has been appointed by the Yeshiva faculty as adviser to the Society.

The next meeting of the year, held Thursday, September 26, was attended by twenty-five candi- dates for varsity and accommodation- ary positions. Plans for the cur- rent year were discussed and various methods of advertisement were introduced for the upcoming season.

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The Commentator

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Alas, We Told You So

The statistics released by the registrar's office show that student enrollment at Yeshiva College is at the highest point in its history, we believe, in a sign of progress (in one direction at least) and a due cause for elation. But hidden among these same statistics was the fact that forty students (other than graduating seniors) left the College last June. Amounting to, as it does, over eight per cent of the entire student body, there is good reason to ask why such an exodus occurred.

Admittedly, in some cases there may have been certain reasons peculiar to the individuals concerned. However, we suspect that the major cause was the increased tuition rates which went into effect this semester. Although we recognized the need for added income when the new rates were announced last April, we vigorously protested the blanket application of the new schedule of fees because it imposed an "undue hardship" on those students who were forced to attend Yeshiva post-graduation. We argued that their tuition would be the same throughout their four years of college.

At that time, THE COMMENTATOR recommended that the ruling should apply to newcomers and that students then in college, receive a partial reduction at the tuition rate in effect when they enrolled. We predicted that unless this concession was granted many students would be forced to leave school. We hoped that our prediction would not materialize, but apparently (as the statistics now show) we had predicted too optimistically. Of course, it is fruitless to cry over spilled milk but perhaps this will serve as a sobering lesson for the future. Perhaps the administration will realize that the ruthlessness in instituting a fee increase of this magnitude is not always the proper course for an educational institution to follow—especially if that institution happens to be a Yeshiva.

The House of Jacob

The problem of the education of Jewish girls, the "House of Jacob," neglected throughout the greater part of Jewish history, is immeasurably more pressing in the twentieth century than in former times. Today, when the mystical, racial concept is beginning to lose its luster, the necessity for the American Jewish home, the problem is of crucial significance.

That the administration has seen fit to recognize the problem and has begun the implementation of a solution is indeed gratifying. The opening of a girl's branch of the Teachers Institute as announced at the opening of this semester comes as a pronouncement that Yeshiva is still in the process of waking up to its role. It must play in shaping the American Jewish community.

Y. C. Students Pick Stevenson

(Continued from page 1) Ineligible because they did not register.

Foreign students voted almost unanimously for Stevenson, with only one Eisenhower vote in 18 ballots cast.

In the Senatorial race, Dr. George Counts, Liberal Party candidate, received the largest plurality, 34.2 per cent of the total vote. Senator Irving Ives, the Republican incumbent, polled 28.8 per cent, Brooklyn Borough President John Cashmore, Democratic candidate, received 17.7 per cent of the vote, and Corliss LaMont, American Labor Party candidate, received 2.5 per cent.

However, 61.4 per cent of the students thought that Ives was the victor in the New York election. Fourteen per cent thought that Cashmore would win, and 26 per cent felt that LaMont would carry the election. Seventeen and seven tenths per cent of the body had no opinion on the outcome of the State Campaign.

The polling for the presidential election was 32.4 per cent in favor of Democratic candidate, 49.5 per cent Republican, and 18 per cent for all other parties.

Stewardship: Is the Fundamental Theme Of Candidate's Major Campaign Speeches

By Robert Hamber

A collection of the major speeches by Adlai E. Stevenson from July through September has recently been published. It included are a foreword by John Steinbeck and a short biography of the candidate. Steinbeck's work, while interesting as a personal statement, offers us no new insight into these documents. The biography of Stevenson, however, is a complete objective outline of the governor's life, has been labeled a candid personal pamphlet that hardly conforms to the honest ideals of the speeches. It does become valuable, however, when quoting from the book in relation to Stevenson's talks. One finds in them the same philosophy that is present in even his most casual utterances. The consistency is amazing.

The appeal of these speeches lies in the person of the speaker, but rather in the words themselves. For this reason they are perhaps even better to read than to hear. (To read them in the papers, let me say that the large clear type of this book is vastly superior to eye-straining newprint.) Those who compare Stevenson's speeches to those of Franklin D. Roosevelt, will find that while Roosevelt's were good, they relied for their success on the patriotic effect of his voice, and that that voice was forever remembered long after the words themselves were forgotten. Not so with Stevenson. The voice he has not been fraught with pathos and wild cheering, but rather a call to calm thinking and contemplation.

While most of Stevenson's basic ideas have already been dissected by the commentators, one remains that underlines his entire philosophy and that appears in almost every speech. That is the two-fold idea of the inestimable power and responsibility of America to the world. This idea is primarily a religious one and finds its basis in the Biblical verse, "The earth is the Lord's and the fulness thereof." This theory, as practicable in the real world as it is called the idea of Stewardship. We have our possessions as a bond of gratitude for the care, and its power, rather than being not to be considered a matter of personal pride, for the more we do for God and our fellow man from us. This theory, usually meant for individuals, has been transferred to America and we have been appointed stewards over them, charged with their care. We are not to consider them a source of pride, for the more we do for God and our fellow man, the more we are enriched.

Stevenson has truly challenged America to think, to consider its place in the world. To win or lose, his words will have a profound effect on political philosophy for decades to come.
Y. U. A. A., Yeshiva High School Loop Meet and Organize for Coming Year

Headed by Rabbi Abraham Avrech, the Yeshiva University Athletic Association held its inaugural meeting of the season in the Dormitory Social Hall, Wednesday, October 15. Organizational charts were set up, and a complete expanding schedule of events was finalized.

An invitation to the Metropolitan A. A. U. was presented before the Association and it was decided that Yeshiva would join the Association, opening the organization for the coming year. A request was submitted to Dr. Leonard L. Klein, President of the Yeshiva University, to give the green light to the project.

Fencers Schedule Top-Ranking Foes

The Yeshiva University Fencing Team released its tentative schedule for the 1953-1954 season. The Pelicans will face new teams; Columbia, the defending N. C. C. A. Champions of the track, high jump and CIBI College, 1952-1953 C. A. A. and N. C. C. A. title holders.

In an effort to attract opponents for matches with Fordham, Stevens College, Patterson, West Point and Syracuse were being completed.

In the first official match of the season, the Pelicans will attempt to avenges last year's 18-6 defeat at the hands of Fordham. West Point, the only blunder in their otherwise flawless season, filling out the rest of the schedule. Yeshiva will encounter St. Peter's College, Adelphi, Pace, whom they defeated in the past campaign.

Mr. Wettstein Directs Y. U. Track Enthusiasts

Can track enthusiasts recall the first practice of the infant Yeshiva Track and Field Team, October 14, in the Yeshiva gym. Hershel Wettstein, manager of the track, announces that the squad hopes to enter into inter-college competition within the span of a month.

The team will be composed of both students interested in track and field to contact Mr. Wettstein. Practices will be held on Thursdays from eight to nine p.m. in the Y. U. gym.

The actual meeting of the A. A. U. was held for the purpose of setting up to facilitate the expanding sports program at Y. U.

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A. A. U. consists of the Y. U. A. A. and six member schools, it was decided that the League will be divided into two separate divisions of schools each.

The standing committee will continue the two champions, with the direction of Fred Klein. The first game of the season, scheduled for Oct. 21, will be forfeited by the Fresh- men, who fielded but two players at game time.

Sports Shorts

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Program Posted For Intramurals

A schedule of the inflatable intramurals has been posted on the college bulletin-board by Sol Greenfield, athletic manager. The college intramurals, in which each class will compete in three contests, will be managed by Dave Steinman and Morty Rubin. Those wishing to compete should notify their respective class athletic directors.

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Freshies Vote For Officers

Herbert Schreiber '56, and Joseph Kaplan '56, were elected President and Vice-president, respectively, of the Freshman class in the elections held Monday, October 30.

Mr. Schreiber polled 19 votes on the final ballot to defeat Herbert Gross '56, who was second with 15 votes.

Mr. Kaplan was elected with 30 votes while his opponent, Harold Neustadter '56, registered 14 votes.

The tally of the first ballot in the presidential election showed 14 votes for Schreiber, and 13 for Gross. On the first ballot for vice-president, Kaplan received 14 votes and Neustadter 12.

Mr. Schreiber, a resident of the Bronx, was previously President of the Student Council of Talmudical Academy. Mr. Kaplan, who resides in New Jersey, also attended the Talmudical Academy High School.

Council Exchange Sold Forty Texts

A total of $90 has been realized by the Book Exchange since the beginning of this semester, announced Marshall Korn, Vice-president of the Student Council. The Exchange sold a total of forty textbooks.

The Exchange, a service of the Student Council, facilitates the buying and selling of used books at the beginning of each college term. A fee of five cents per book is charged to defray handling expenses.

The Book Exchange will close Thursday, October 30, disclosed Avinoam Walles '54, chairman.

Talent Search

A search for talent to participate in the program for the Dean's Reception will be conducted Thursday, October 30, in R Nietz Hall III, will be under the supervision of Professor Abraham B. Hurwitz, Director of Student Activities, in cooperation with the Student Council.

Agency Sponsors Hakkel Ceremony

Twelve hundred children from metropolitan Jewish Day schools celebrated the ancient biblical ritual "Hakkel," for the first time in the United States, at an assembly held Tuesday, October 7, in Lamport Auditorium. The assembly was sponsored by the Department for Torah Culture and Education of the Jewish Agency for Palestine.

Participants in the "Hakkel" program included Rabbi Zevi Twory, Director of the Department of Torah Culture and Education and Professor Samuel K. Mirsky of Yeshiva University.

Students To Give Eranos Lectures

A new program whereby graduates and undergraduates of Yeshiva College instead of guest speakers will lecture to the Eranos Society has been instituted, announced Aaron Lichtenstein '53, President of the Society. Mr. Lichtenstein said that meetings will be held on alternate Mondays at 6:30 p.m. Moritz Nar­rowe '53 addressed the Society on "The Jews in Alexandria," Monday evening, October 27.

Jack Goldman '53, President of the Gamma Rho Sigma Classical Society announced plans for the coming semester will be formulated next week at a meeting of the Society.

We Mourn

The COMMENTATOR joins the faculty and students of Yeshiva University in mourning the untimely loss of a member of the R.H.C.T.S. faculty.

NOSE, THROAT, and Accessory Organs not Adversely Affected by Smoking Chesterfields

A responsible consulting organization has reported the results of a continuing study by a competent medical specialist and his staff on the effects of smoking Chesterfield cigarettes.

A group of people from various walks of life was organized to smoke only Chesterfields. For six months this group of men and women smoked their normal amount of Chesterfields—10 to 40 a day. 45% of the group have smoked Chesterfields continually from one to thirty years for an average of 10 years each.

At the beginning and at the end of the six-months period each smoker was given a thorough examination, including X-ray pictures, by the medical specialist and his assistants. The examination covered the sinuses as well as the nose, ears and throat.

The medical specialist, after a thorough examination of every member of the group, stated: "It is my opinion that the ears, nose, throat and accessory organs of all participating subjects examined by me were not adversely affected in the six-months period by smoking the cigarettes provided."

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