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Miller 1962 U.J.A. Chairman

Liaison Committee Appoints Tevie H. Miller To Head Campaign In May

George Levine, Chairman of the Liaison Committee, announced that Tevie H. Miller has been appointed to the posi- Three Ways To Pay tion of General Chairman of the 1962 United Jewish Appeal Campaign. The Campaign will be conducted during May, Gymnasium Pledge 1962. "We are extremely pleased that Tevie has accepted our call to serve as chairman of Edmonton's most important of the Talmud Torah Gymnasium Jewish fund raising campaign," said Mr. Levine.

"Tevie served with distinction as I a co-chairman of the 1961 campaign, which reversed a downward trend in Edmonton's fund raising picture." Mickey Dlin, 1961 U.J.A. Chairman, Wolfe Margolus, 1960 Chairman, and Sam Belzberg and Joseph H. Shoctor, Q.C., Co-Chairmen of the 1958 and 1959 Campaigns all pledged their support to Mr. Miller.

Although young, Tevie Miller has a long record of service to his community. In 1960 and 1961, Mr. Miller was Chairman of the Professional Division of the Edmonton United Community Fund. In 1959, he served as Co-Chairman of the Legal Division of the United Jewish Appeal. He is a past president of the North West Canadian Council of B'nai B'rith and of Edmonton Lodge ...o. 732. At present, he is a member of the Board of Governors of the District No. 6 Grand Lodge of B'nai B'rith. He is a past President of the University of Alberta Alumni Asociation and of the Edmonton Bar Association. Mrs. Tevie Mr. Levine also announced that H. Miller is serving her second the Liaison Committee has urged To Be Presented term as President of the Edmonton the formation of a Women's Divi-

JEWISH FAMILY SERVICES

TO HOLD ANNUAL MEETING

A Press Conference on Adoptions, members have an intimate knowl-



TEVIE H. MILLER 1962 UJA General Chairman

Section of the National Council of slon of the United Jewish Appeal.

Hy S. Baltzan, General Chairman Building Fund has announced that payments for the Campaign may be made over a 5-year period.

paign.

monton will find it possible to make appointed treasurer. David Halpern a contribution to the Gymnasium will as as financial chairman & Bory Campaign. The building will be for Margolus as secretary. Jack Chetner the building".

Jewish Women. The Millers have Bar Mitzvah Scroll three children.

Wolfe Margolus, 1960 Edmonton United Jewish Appeal Chairman and Western Chairman for the Israel Bar Mitzvah Scroll Project has announced that the Bar Mitzvah scrolls will be presented to the Mayor of Jerusalem in March, 1962. These scrols, a separate one for each community, will bear the names of those children in whose honour \$13 has scheduled for Tuesday, January 30, Welfare, Government of Alberta; ject which will benefit children. come a subject of growing public ney-General's Dept., Government of dren of Israel on behalf of the chilconcern and are of vital interest to Alberta; and Mrs. Louis Sherman, dren of Western Canada.

the Jewish Community. There is a a former Youth Aliyah worker. The This project was born in Edmonlong waiting list of Jewish couples in panel will be interviewed by Dr. ton, on October 16, 1960. Locally it the files of Social Agencies across Max Dolgoy, well-known physician, is being handled by the Jewish Com-Canada, anxiously awaiting their and Mrs. Monte Neaman, a profes- munity Council through the United turn to adopt a child. Would inter-sional social worker. There will be Jewish Appeal. All funds received faith adoptions help solve this prob- an opportunity for audience partici- up to now have been deposited in David Halpern as accountant. pation in this timely and exciting trust in a special account of the Dr. Sidney S. Spaner, psychiatrist, topic. Mrs. David Kline, Program United Israel Appeal, Mr. Margolus announced that the scrolls are presently being prepared and that there is still sufficient time for people to inscribe the names of their children. The cutoff date will be February I, 1962.

U.S. Grant To Hebrew University For Grass Research

The United States department of agriculture has made a grant of tivity will begin sometime in Janu-11.148,000 to Dr. Doy Koller of the ary. Mr. Silverman expressed con-Hebrew University's Botany Depart- fidence that the entire community ment, for a five-year study of the would support this vital project. development of perennial pasture grasses.

In view of the importance of perennial pasture grasses to the agricultural economy of regions where in- Three hundred and fifty people, nity for their marvelous response photoperiod, thermo-period, humi- largest Negev Dinners in Edmon- bute to the support given to him by dity, light intensity, etc., on the be-havior of the plants during the different stages of development, and

Talmud Torah Building Campaign Organized

Norman H. Silverman, President, There will be three ways of pay. of the Edmonton Talmud Torah has i ing for the Campaign. The contri- announced that Hy S. Baltzan, vetbutor may sign bank notes over a eran Talmud Torah and community 5-year period or give post dated leader, has been appointed General time. The third method is to pay by Chairman of the Talmud Torah Gymtransferring State of Israel Bonds nasium Building Campaign, Serving to the Talmud Gymnasium Cam- with Mr. Baltzan will be Ben Ostry as Campaign Chairman, and Mar-"We hope," said Mr Baltzan, vin L. Dower as Campaign Co-"that every Jewish family in Ed. | Chairman. Ben Leibovitz has been the use of every Jewish child in Margolus as secretary, ack Chetner our community. The Talmud Torah and Morris Stein will serve as Camwill provide an excellent physical paign Co-ordinators. In addition to education program during regular the officers a Steering Committee school hours. The Youth Planning has been appointed to help direct Board is already beginning to con- the activities of the campaign as sider ways and means of develop- well as handle the actual building ing a fine recreational program in project. Members of the Steering Committee Include Al Davis, Mickey | Dlin, Saul Dlin, Abe Estrin, Harry L. Fefferman, Charles Freedman,

Joe Katzin, George Levine, Earl Lyons, Wolfe Margolus, Tevie II. Miller, David Rabinovitch, Louis Rudolph and Fred Swartz Mr. Baltzan also announced the

appointment of a Detail Planning Committee, which will deal with matters such as equipment for the new facility. Members of this committee are Jack Brezer, Danny Cristall, Dave Kushner, Morris Lyons, Jack Newhouse, Cecil Paull, Mitch Pechet, Sol Schwartz Chuck Silver, Norman Witten and Michael Zolf.

In announcing the appointment of will highlight the 6th Annual Meet- edge of this field. They are William ish Appeal. The money will be used the committees, Mr. Silverman also ing of the Jewish Family Services, MacFarland, Superintendent of Child by the City of Jerusalem for a pro- paid tribute to those men who work-In ed to build the original new Talmud gogue. Inter-faith adoptions have be. Samuel A. Friedman of the Attor- essence, it will be a gift to the chil. Torah building and the wing. In | 1951, Dr. Max Dolgoy was president | of the Talmud Torah, the late Harry L. Baltzan was chairman. Hy Baltzan was General Chairman and Ben [Ostry, Campaign Chairman, Charles Margolus served as treasurer, Irving C. Lyons as financial secretary, Irvine Gurevitch as secretary and]

> The 1956 Campaign Committee included Irvine Gurevitch as President, Hy S. Baltzan as General | Chairman, Ben Ostry as Campaign | Chairman, the late John D. Dower. MBE, as treasurer, Sam Panar, fill nancial secretary, Ernie L. Cristall, secretary and DavidHalpern, audi-

The building of the gymnasium completes a 10 year master plan.

Mr. Baltzan has announced that \$20,000 has already been pledged to the campaign. Official campaign ac-



JOSEPH H. SHOCTOR, Q.C. announces Community Council's endorsation of Gymnasium Campaign



NORMAN II. SHLVERMAN, Q.C. Talmud Torah President



HY S. BALTZAN Building Fund General Chairman

Women's Institute Slated For Jan. 24

Joseph II. Shoctor, President of the Edmonton Jewish Community Council, has announced that the 1962 Women's Institute will take place on January 24, 1962. Mrs. S. Slutsky, President of Mizrachi Women, has been named as chairman of this annual event.

will be chairman of a panel whose

lem?

At press time, details of the Institute had not yet been worked out. The theme of the Institute will be an exchange of objectives and programs of Edmonton's eight Jewish women's organizations. The Planning Committee is made up of Mrs. M. Dlin, President of the Edmonton Hadassah Council; Mrs. S. Dlin, President of the Talmud Torah Mother's Auxiliary; Mrs. D. Kline, Chairman of the 1961 UJA Women's Committee; Mrs. II. Kline, representing the Edmonton Section of the National Council of Jowish Women; Mrs. D. Feldman, President of the Ploncer Women's Council; Mrs. H. dent of Beth Israel Sisterhood and



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mrs. s. slutsky

Resenthal, President of Beth Shalom Mrs. M. M. Kaplan, President of the in the transition frome one stage to Jewish National Fund, Mr. Din Controller Philip G. Givens of To-Sisterhood; Mrs. M. Weinles, Presi- newly organized B'nai B'rith Women. the next.

Large Audience Attends Negev Dinner

tensive cultivation is impracticable, jammed the Beth Shalom Audito- and their contribution to the work the study will be carried out on rlum to honour Saul Dlin at the 1961 of the Jewish National Fund. He perennial grass species found grow- Negev Dinner, on December 10, sald that he had always felt it was ing in the Negev, and in arid and 1961. Louis Rudolph, President of an obligation to work for the bettersemi-arid regions of the U.S. Dr. the Edmonton Zionist Council, com- ment of the Jewish community both Kollor will investigate the effects of mented that this was one of the here and in Israel. He also paid tri-

> In accepting a scroll from the and by his wife and family. thanked the entire Jewish commu-

the leaders of the Jowish community

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PUBLISHED by Edmonton Jewish Community, on behalf of United | An Edmonton Bar Mitzvah boy Jewish Appeal, United Israel Appeal, United Jewish Relief Agencies created a precedent and asked his Wednesday 3 Afternoon National Council of Jewish Women

Edmonton Jewish Community Council Officers Joseph H. Shoctor, Q.C. st Vice-President Hy S. Baltzan 3rd Vice-President Mrs. Aaron Kalensky Norman Witten Morris A. Stein, M.S.W.

EDITORIAL

Leaders in business and industry know that an enter- which he received his Hebrew and . prise must move forward or fall back. There is no such elementary secular education. In ac- Wednesday 17 Evening thing as standing still. The same is true of communities family and relatives contributed and their institutions.

Saturday 20

Tuesday

The Edmonton Jewish Community Council's decision in appreciation for their work and Tuesday to establish a Study Committee which would examine our effort on behalf of Howard and community's central community structure was bold and the Jewish youngsters of Edmonton. imaginative. It is true that we have made much progress In making this gift, Howard and his in this community since the establishment of the Jewish [family expressed the hope that this | Wednesday 24 Community Council some eight years ago and the agree- | would be but the first of many such | ment to form a Combined Jewish Appeal in 1958. How-bequests made to Edmonton's Jewever, as Community Council President Joseph H. Shoctor ish school. A representative of the Tuesday pointed out in his report to the 1961 annual meeting, we Talmud Torah, in presenting the wednesday 31 Evening must re-examine the relationship between the fund raisers [traditional kiddish cup at Howard's] and the community. It is vital that planning for the Bar Mitzvah, expressed the Institufuture development of our community must be done in a bon's deep appreciation for this responsible and proper manner. Somewhere in our structure, there must be a place for the average member of the Pechet family. community to be heard.

The Community Council's Study Committee has had officer of the Mothers' Auxiliary of one meeting, in which to examine what exists and to begin the Talmud Torah and Mr. Pechet wednesday drawing guide lines for the future. To assist them in their is a past member of the Board. Howwork, they have invited one of the most competent experts | ard's uncle, Charles Freedman, is J on the North American continent, Miss Florence Hutner. | immediate past president of the Tal- | Saturday 10 Evening Celebrity Concert Every step of this planning process shows thoughtful, mud Torah. Howard's teachers were responsible community leadership. Every member of this very proud of the manner in which community should watch this development with interest he chanted the Haftorah and conductand should be ready to participate in the final draft of a ed himself during the services markformula for a better Jewish community. ing his Bar Mitzvah

Our COMMUNITY NEWS A Bar-Mitzvah

'| family and relatives that their gift | not be given to him, but to his alma | mater. He wanted to mark his as- | Tuesday cension to manhood by making a contribution to Jewish education in the hope that this would serve as an Wednesday 10 Afternoon Hadassah - Israeli inspiration for those who follow him. Howard Pechet, son of Mr. and Thursday Mrs. Eugene Pechet, requested that his Bar Mitzvah gift go to the Ed- Sunday monton Talmud Torah, the school in Tuesday

Mrs. E. Pechet has, for many Monday



HOWARD PECHET and his Mother, Mrs. E. Pechet, are shown presenting a cheque to Norman H. Silverman, President of the Edmonton Talmud Torah on the occasion of Howard's Bar Mitzvah.



MARVIN L. DOWER Bullding Fund Co-Chairman



"UNCLE" BEN LEBOVITZ Building Fund Treasurer



DAVE HALPERN

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Hadassah - Aliyah - Sabra Pioneer Women - Chanita - Kramer Pioneer Women - Aviva Golden Age Club - Hostesses Pioneer Women 9 Afternoon – Beth Shalom Sisterhood Exec. Hadassah - Kadima Beth Israel Sisterhood Exec. Golden Age Club B.B. No. 732 - No. 2062 Celebrity Concert

JANUARY, 1962

Mizrachi Women Donor Dinner 16 Evening Home and School Pioneer Women Chanita - Kanot Pioneer Women - Aviva Edmonton Jewish Community Council Meeting Golden Age Club Tu B'Shvat 23 Afternoon Council of Jewish Women Exec. Jewish Family Services Board Meeting Mizrachi Women Pioneer Women - Council

Council of Jewish Women - Evening Group WOMEN'S INSTITUTE Edmonton Zionist Council Meeting Golden Age Club Jewish Family Services Meeting Pioneer Women Aviva EXODUS OF THE HADASSAIL TOUR TO

Pioneer Women Dinner Dance 5 Evening Mizrachi Men Meeting Hadassah - Aliyah - Sabra 6 Evening Pioneer Women - Chanita - Kramer 7 Afternoon Council of Jewish Women - Gen. Meeting Evening Pioneer Women - Aviva Golden Age Club

Canadian CJFWF Director To Visit

FEBRUARY, 1962

Joseph H. Shoctor, President of ae Edmonton Jewish Community Council has announced that Miss Florence Hutner, Toronto, Field Diacctor of the Joint National Commattee on Community Services of the Canadian Jewish Congress and the Canadian Committee of the Council of Federations and Welfare Funds will visit Edmonton during the week of January 15. Miss Hutner's visit is in connection with the study on | community organization which is ! presently being made by a special committee of the Edmonton Jewish Community Council,

Mr. Shoctor advised this paper that in accordance with a resolution! passed at the 1961 annual meeting of the Community Council, he has appointed a study committee made up of Mrs. David Kline, Wolfe Margolus, Norman H. Silverman and Fred Swartz. Because of the vital importance of this committee, Mr. Shoc- Florence Hulner is highly qualitor is serving as its chairman. The fied to serve as consultant in this f purpose of the study committee is vital project. She has been, since to examine Edmonton's present cen- 1941, Executive Vice-President of 1 tral community organization and to the United Jewish Welfare Fund of suggest modifications which may be Toronto. In this position, she has necessary to strengthen the central been responsible not only for a

Miss Hutner will meet with the almost three million dollars annu-1 study committee, the Edmonton Jew- ally, but also has as her responsish Community Council, the Liaison bility guiding the planning for a Committee, the Board of the Talmud complete program of social health Torah and the Board of the Jewish and welfare in Toronto's Jewish . | Family Services. On the basis of community. Her experience is not her discussions with these and other confined to large cities. Prior to lorganizations, Miss Hutner will pre- her appointment in her present popare a set of recommendations for sition, she served as Executive Dithe Study Committee's considera- rector of the Council of Jewish Or-I tion. Mr. Shoctor said that the com- ganizations and the United Jewish munity will be brought into the dis- | Welfare Fund of Hamilton, Ontario. cussions before any final plan is Miss Hutner is a professionally recommended and adopted.



BEN OSTRY Fund Financial Chairman Bullding Fund Campaigu Chairman



FLORENCE HUTNER

| community campaign which raises



BORY MARGOLUS Bullding Fund Secretary

"Bei Unz Zeit Ihr Schoen"

by FRAN LIBIN and GLADYS SHULER

December, 1961, may have been ticularly these senior citizens. Every one of the coldest months in Ed- member's birthday or wedding an- Jewish principles was requested at monton's recent history, but one niversary is celebrated. The cake is the December meeting of Alberta would have found only warmth and provided by the family and the Club Lodge B. B. No. 2062. One way in gaiety on Wednesday evenings at gives a gift. Mother's Day is a real which the members can learn more the Beth Shalom Synagogue. The highlight, featuring a program pre- about our heritage and religion it casual observer would have seen up sented by the grandchildren of the was pointed out, is by attending the to 125 senior citizens having a won- members. The Golden Agers even Adult Education classes every Wed-

of the members why they came out saying, "We look forward to Golden " Age every week, particularly in the

to be told about Golden Age. One life in our community. spoken Yiddish for almost 25 years was established in 1954, as part of and D. Bliss. before joining the Club. Another one a national project of the National [, has developed a hobby making toys Council of Jewish Women. The prowhich he sells to the Golden Agers gram is conceded to be one of the evening, January 10. for their grandchildren. Still ano- finest projects yet devised for our ther member has a wonderful time senior citizens and has received the during the art classes, the most fun commendation of health and welhe has had in his eighty years of fare agencies across Canada, Every living. The Golden Age Club is probolder member of Edmonton's Jew-venor, Mrs. Clara Badeker, wishes be added to be affected as the control of the Aviva Chapter, under the cap-living to the Aviva Chapter, under the cap-living November, which is the control of the cap-living to the control of the cap-living to the cap-liv own group and by visitors.

If you got down to the Beth Sha- mgs All one must do is call the Harry Margolis and M. Weitz. lom at 8:00 o'clock on a Wednesday chairman, Mrs. M. Libin, at 433-0212. The Mizrachi Women wish to reevening, you would hear a most in- Mrs. Libin is looking for more vol- mind the community that their anteresting and delightful song. Every- unteer helpers from among Council nual Donor Dinner takes place on body sings "By unz zeit ihr schoen," members or anyone else who wishes Sunday evening, January 14, at 6 00 Edmonton Golden Age's theme song, to help. If you are interested in help p.m. in the auditorium of Beth Is-It was written a few years ago by ing out at the Golden Age Club and rael Synagogue. A delicious dinner taking off on a flight over the North Mrs. S. Reichert, Mr. and Mrs. 1.

in the bitter cold, they answered by program is a rich mixture of almost three vice-presidents Brothers Sam an interest in us." The Golden Age ton's Planetarium at Coronation tended the sincerest thanks of the Club is sponsored by the Edmonton Section of the National Council of Jewish Women. The young women meeting is taken over by the Pioneer Women. This year, for the first neer Women. This year, for the first neer Women. This year, for the first neer Women would need to be a proposed a proposed to be a proposed to

Winnipeg in 1917.

everything. They play Bingo and Cohen, Sam Mickelson and Lou Kay.

Over 150 Judaeans from Glace Bay to Vancouver gath-

ered in Edmonton for the 25th National Convention of Ca-

young people present that there were report to the gathering.

ful as human beings. The Chalutziut | social success.

Tuesday morning, Dec. 26, with a lits program.

alumnus of Canadian Young Judaea. Judaean centre which shows the most 🗋

B'Nai B'Rith No. 2062

A re-dedication to Judaism and derful time at the Golden Age Club. have their own 26-voice choir, which nesday evening at the Talmud Tor-When your reporters asked some performs at all holiday observances, ah. All this took place at a general The Edmonton Golden Age Club's meeting which was hosted by the

get to Wednesday night meetings by It is difficult to describe the a Cub Rally at the Beth Shalom Sy nual Israeli Dinner and Dance to be tend. a very simple, yet effective me- warmth and enthusiasm as old nagogue. Cub Mistress Mrs. Louis held on Sunday, February 4, 1962, The funds raised by the annual thod. Every Golden Ager who re- warmen and changes as one Wiseman was formally inducted and in the Beth Israel Auditorium, Mrs. Israeli Dinner and Dance are used quests it is picked up by car and Age Club. It makes the job of the a formal farewell was given to Cub J. Grabow is dinner convenor and to help finance the social welfare taken to the meeting and home Council volunteers a pleasure and a Master I. Yaffe. Taking part in the she will be assisted by Mesdames program of Pioneer Women in Isprivilege. The Club fills a very im- ceremonies were B. B. Lodge Pre- C. Koliger and L. Wedro. The other rael. Eight hundred institutions, in-There are many wonderful stories portant part of the senior citizen's sidents, Saul Estrin and Henry Bern-members of the committee are Mes-cluding day nurseries, training member confided that he had not The Edmonton Golden Age Club T. H. Aaron, M. Libin, B. Goldberg Nelson, M. Shapiro, S. Silver, J. are assisted. They help people to be-

2662 will be held on Wednesday tremely happy that Mrs. L. Super- The Pioneer Women wish to ex-

Mizrachi Women

ably the only place left in Edmonton ish community is invited to partici- to thank everyone who helped make | P where people regularly hear read- pate. It is easy to become a mem- the Mizrachi Bazaar a success I ings in Yiddish from among their ber and just as easy to arrange Prizes were won by Mesdames E 1 transportation to and from meet-Cristall, L. Goldsmith, W. Laskin, L

some members of Council and Golden in doing yourself a favor, please call Mrs. Libin at your earliest conveni
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Mrs. School and their outstanding musical program for Wizo Convention in Israel, This is Mr. and Mrs. S. Smordin, Mr. and the guests. You may make your the first Canadian Hadassah Con- Mrs. M. Sorokin, Mrs. W. Goldberg 150 Attend Judaean National Parley reservation for the Mizrachi Wo-men's Donor Dinner by telephoning there the Conventioneers will go to planned for all delegates on their reservation for the Mizrachi Wo- vention to be held in Israel. The and Mrs. F. Swartz.

BBYO

nadian Young Judaea. This was the first national convention held in the West since the movement was founded in BBYO'ers convened at another suc- ladies of Hadassah will participate rack. Delegates from Western Cancessful convention in Regina during in the opening sessions of the Con- ada will have a bonus, a barbecue An inspiring event throughout, the heart of the Jewish highlight came at the closing ban-Agency's Youth and Chalutziut De-highlight came at the closing ban-Agency's Youth and Chalutziut De-highlight came at the closing ban-Agency's Youth and Chalutziut De-highlight came at the closing ban-Agency's Youth and Chalutziut De-highlight came at the closing ban-Agency's Youth and Chalutziut De-highlight came at the closing ban-highlight came at the closing ban-Agency's Youth and Chalutziut De-highlight came at the closing ban-highlight came at the clo quet on Thursday evening, Dec. 28, Dartment of Canada and Gershon when the delegates heard David Golan, western regional Shaliach to Newman, QC, of Toronto, honorary Canadian Young Judaea. Ernest many activities geared to the mani. Mr. and Mrs. M. Bogoch, Mr. and of Israel. vice-president of the Zionist Or-Abbit, newly appointed National fold program of BBYO.

ganization of Canada. He told the Young Judaea director, presented a Culturally AZA and BBG members became enthused with the elomany good and active Jewish youth. The convention, which had 115 quence of speakers during the story l movements in Canada and in the delegates from outside of Edmonton, Through the numerous songs for dis ever, he said, was something special. Incetings and fun. On Wednesday trict or regional conventions the Young Judaea is Judaism plus Israel, evening, Dec. 27, the entire Jewish high-spirited group were greatly inplus Hebrew culture. In defining the community was invited to the Ora- spired. Athletically there was the role of the young Zionist in the 60's, tory and Debate Tournament. Harvey excitement of basketball and curl he said he was concerned with the Hamburg, of St. John, N.B., won the ing competitions. Ping-pong too, addsurvival of Judaism, whereas in his oratory contest while Edmonton's ed to spectator interest. Chess and time. Zionists were concerned with Milton Bogoch and Jeff Dvorkin were checkers were among the many acthe physical survival of Jews. the winners in the debate. Among tivities on the packed agenda. The Hebrew culture, he said, was essent the items discussed in the business Twirp Dance and Windtup Banquet tial to a flourishing Judaism. Only a sessions were ideology, national lead-and Ball were highlights of the four-

knowledge of Hebrew could assure ership, program and publications. | day program, communication between Jews, an There were workshops on administra- Edmonton BBYO'ers express their awareness and strengthening of Jew-tion, dance, song, J.N.F. and the appreciation to the Regina parents ish ideas and ideals. Aliyah, he said, one-year work study mission in who opened their homes for billets and to the Regina chapters for their to make great sacrifice and who had night, Kumsitzim and Biluim re- warm hospitality. already proven themselves success- unions helped make for a wonderful

Next month in "OUR COMMU-" ... NITY NEWS" the results and other of the soil, he went on to say, has Edmonton Young Judaea was prebeen replaced by the Chalutziut of sented with the Theodor Herzl Lodge conclave highlights will be reportthe mind. Mr. Newman is an Trophy, awarded annually to the en

The convention opened officially on increase in growth and quality of Elliot Phillipson were over-all chairmen. They were most capably as key-note address by Wolfe Margolus, The committee in charge of the sisted by co-chairman Judy Kline. a national vice-president of the Zion-| convention extended its thanks to the | Because of examinations and the ist Organization of Canada. In his Edmonton Jewish community for its national convention no group meetmessage. Mr. Margohus asked the warm hospitality and for its willing- ings were held in December. These delegates to define Young Judaea's ness to open homes for the 115 out- resumed Immediately after the goal as a movement in the light of of-towners. Special thanks were ex-school holidays. Edmonton Young present day developments in Israel, tended to Mrs. M. Dlin, president of Judaea also sponsored the Friday the Zionist movement and the world. the Edmonton Hadassah Council and evening service and Oneg Shabbat The opening session also heard from members of Hadassah for their help at the Beth Israel Synagogue on Milton Winston, of Montreal, chair- and support. Every member of the Dec. 8. Songs and dances were preman of Young Judaca for the Zionist Va'ad worked towards the success sented by the Va'ad and L.I.T. Organization of Canada, Shmuel of the convention. Alan Pakes and group.



they play cards. They listen to the The Liaison Committee of Lodges Planning Pioneer Women's Annual Israeli Dinner Dance Welsh choir, pianists, violinists, and No. 732 and No. 2062 submitted its are, (left to right), Mr. J. Grabow, Pioneer Women's time we get out," and, "We just couldn't let these young ladies down. It's so wonderful to have them take couldn't let have them take. It's so wonderful to have them take couldn't let have them take. It's so wonderful to have them take couldn't let have not budget for approval. Copies will be made out to the membership with the next meeting notices.

No. 732 and No. 2062 submitted its are, (left to right), Mr. J. Grabow, Pioneer Women's Council President Mrs. C. Feldman, Mrs. L. Superstein the next meeting notices.

PIONEER WOMEN

1 No. 2062 Lodge brethren attended va, are all working towards the and ber of the community is urged to atstein, together with Brothers, Dr. dames D. Fried, M. Koplowicz, H schools and rehabilitation centers Panar, J. Woodrow and M. Zalmano- come_self-sufficient_and_productive The next meeting of Lodge No. witz The Pioneer Women are ex- citizens of Israel.

stein, who has for many years been tend a sincere thanks to the entire (the mainstay of this project, has ac-| community for the support given to , cepted the postion of Financial Chair- | their Bazaar, which was held at the fman. Decorations will be handled by Hudson's Bay Co. Auditorium in

| highlight of the affair will be a spe- 1962, the Pioneer Women will play cial program in observance of Pre-hostess to the Golden Age Club at | mier David Ben-Gurion's 75th birth| the Beth Shalom Auditorium. The day and Chanita Chapter's 20th an program will include a skit organniversary The Pioneer Women's ized by Mrs. O. Landa,

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there, the Conventioneers will go to planned for all delegates on their Naples, for a few days of sight-see- arrival in Haifa. In addition to reling Then they will board a ship to gular business sessions, there will Haifa. During the 3½ days of their be an opportunity to see all major Alberta and Saskatchewan cruise in the Mediterranean, the Canadian Hadassah projects in Is-

> Mrs. N. Finkelstein, Mr. and Mrs. I. Lebane, Mr. and Mrs. E. Lyons, b

Edmonton Hadassah is extremely (Continued on Page 4)

STILL TIME . . . Till January 31st!

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UNITED JEWISH APPEAL

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Fourteen Present Middle East Peace Resolution At UN

at the United Nations during the 16th and lead the Public Relations Sessession of the special political committee in December, 1961. During the debate on an Arab refugee probcountries proposed at the United Nations that Israel and the Arabs hold a peace conference. The proposal was made in a resolution cir- a letter from Maimie S. Simpson, against anti-Israel allegations voiced culated in the United Nations As-| former Dean of Women at the Uni-| by Arab delegates in long speeches sembly special political committee versity of Alberta. Mrs. Bogoch had at the Assembly, was reported to be that debated the welfare of more arranged hospitality for Miss Simp-satisfied with the results of the Asthan one million Arab refugees. It is son on a recent trip to Israel. Ex- sembly's decision, although s he especially significant that African cerpts from the letter follow: nations were among those sponsoring the motion.

Agency for Palestine Refugees in in our trip. the Near East-Central African Re- In Jerusalem, Dr. Ann Hyman, Togo, Upper Volta and Uruguay:

JOINT DRAFT RESOLUTION

The General Assembly,

Taking note of the Annual Report of the Director of the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East $(\Lambda/4861)$.

Recognizing that the establishment of peaceful relations between the Arab States and Israel would do much to facilitate a solution of the problem of the Arab refugees,

Recalling that, under the Charter. it is the fundamental duty of all States Members of the United Naternational disputes by peaceful means,

Confirming the resolutions of the General Assembly and the Security Council calling upon Israel and the Arab States to settle the questions in dispute between them as soon as possible and by common agreement, so that peaceful relations may be established between them,

Considering that such peaceful relations would promote the well-being of all the peoples concerned and would make an important contribution to peace and security in the Middle East and in the whole world,

Renews its appeal to the Governments concerned to undertake direct negotiations-with the assistance of the Conciliation Commission Attends Negev Dinner for Palestine, if they so desire-with a view to finding a solution, acceptable to all the parties concerned, ronto was the guest speaker. He Overseas Rehabilitation and Refugee for all the questions in dispute be-said that 14 years ago, no one would Appeal reported here that European of the Arab refugees."

Jewish Family Services To Hold Annual Meeting

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Chairman, is in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Wolfe Margolus, President of the Board of Directors, urges wide attendance at this important meeting that will be informed of the year's activities and will be asked to pass an Extraordinary Resolution regarding a change in by-laws. Mr. D. M. Wolochow, Nominating Chairman, will present the committee's report for election of Board Members who will serve a three-year term. The financial and other reports will be presented by officers of the Agency's Board.

The Jewish Family Services was organized in 1955 through the efforts of B'nai B'rith Lodge No. 732 and Edmonton Section, National Council of Jewish Women. It is Negev Dinner Chairman. largely supported through an annual allocation from the United Community Fund of Greater Edmonton and serves the entire Jewish Community of Edmonton. As a multi-functional agency, individuals in any age group as well as families on all economic levels are offered counselling service and other kinds of assistance with a variety of problems. Appoint | to finalize arrangements for this ments may be made at 305 Morean- | meeting that is open to the entire | tile Building or by telephoning Jewish Community. Mrs. Henry Sing-GA 4-6346.

have been working for several weeks | meeting.

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proud of Mrs. I. C. Lyons who will A most important event took place act as Public Relations Co-ordinator sion on board ship to Israel.

lem, 14 African and Latin American delegates to the National Convention ed Nations General Assembly where a most pleasant journey.

Mrs. M. Bogoch recently received

"Before our wonderful gypsy wanderings turn towards home I should tion urging the Arab governments The text of the resolution follows: like you to know how very much "Report of the Director of the we appreciated all you did to make United Nations Relief and Works our visit in Israel a very highlight Arab refugee issue is considered a

public, Chile, Congo (Brazzaville), President of the University Women's Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala, Club had us to tea in her lovely Haiti, Ivory Coast, Liberia, Mada-| home. She invited also Dr. Hannah gascar, Netherlands, Sierra Leona, Gelber and Mrs. Ella Brande. Mr. Hyman joined us and the afternoon went much too quickly. Dr. Gelber's husband kindly made arrangements for us to see over the University and its wonderful campus. We were very much impressed.

> At Tel Aviv, Mrs. Ella Gold-Ariel, though extremely busy the weekend we arrived, took time, not only to be most gracious to us, but to make arrangements for Mrs. Victoria Valera to show us all the interesting work of the Hadassah in Tel Aviv refugees but also for their possible and District. This was a day to re-| member always.

tions to endeavour to settle all in- in writing to Mrs. Joseph Adler on 1962 its work on the "identification | our behalf we should never had all and evaluation of Arab refugee imthese marvellous opportunities in movable properties in Palestine." Israel. We loved the country, and the cities; we were most impressed advocating direct Arab-Israel peace with the forward look of everyone; of the building that is going on, and of the organizations that are doing at the Assembly, it was considered so much, especially for those who need to be rehabilitated.

May the good work of your outstanding women's group continue for years to come. Thank you again for fluenced by the Arabs. In fact deleyour part in making Israel so won-

> Affectionately, "Maimie S. Simpson"

Large Audience

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have dared think that Israel would be a thriving, productive nation in 1961. He described the sense of wonder and pride which he had when he visited Israel for the third time in 1960. The accomplishments of Israeli scientists are praised throughout the free world. The magnificent development of Israel's industry has helped strengthen and establish the economy. The Jewish National Fund, he said, had been one of the prime factors in developing Israel's agrlculture and in rehabilitating both the soil and the people of the Jewish to nearly 40,000 even before the State. Israel, he said, is still in need of enormous help, in order to assist the absorption of the many thousands of new immigrants and to put the agriculural settlements on a sound basis. He also paid tribute to] Mr. Dlin, "Saul Dlin is known across Canada as a quiet, modest, hardworking and dedicated man. On behalf of the Jewish National Fund and [of the Zionist Organization of Canada, I have been asked to say, thank you Saul for a job well done."

Charles Freedman was the 1961

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er is in charge of refreshments to A number of special committees be served at the conclusion of the

Golda Meir Satisfied With UN Stand On Refugees

NEW YORK (JTA) — Mrs. Golda | Meir, Israel's Foreign Minister, left | | the United States for Israel after spending several weeks here as head | Edmonton Hadassah wishes all of the Israeli delegation to the Unitthe Arab refugee problem came up | for discussion.

> Mrs. Meir, who led in the fight would have preferred to see the Assembly adopt the 16-nation resoluand Israel to start direct peace talks.

The UN Assembly's stand on the defeat for the Arabs inasmuch as their two amendments to the proposed American resolution were rejected by the Assembly. The Arab | amendments requested the establishment by the United Nations of "protection" for Arab refugee property | in Israel and the expansion of the |membership of the Palestine Conciliation Commission which is now composed of representatives of the United States, France and Turkey.

The resolution which was adopted by the Assembly without the Arab amendments—proposed by the United States delegation—requested the Palestine Concilation Commission to "intensify" its efforts not only for [repatriation or compensation of the resettlement or reintegration in the [Arab countries. It also urged the Had it not been for your kindness PCC to complete by September 1,

> Although the 16-nation resolution aegotiations failed to receive the necessary two-thirds majority votes a great achievement, inasmuch as eight African states sponsored this resolution. This made it clear that [not all the states in Africa are ingates of the African states openly accused some of the Arab countries of still practicing slavery.

Jewish Communities In Europe Seek Aid Cope With Refugees

LONDON (JTA) — The Combined Jewish communities were "facing almost impossible problems in attempting to cope with a new flood of 'refugees.''

The organization said that the refugees had created "immense problems, both immediate and long-term, for the Jewish organizations to which they have turned for assistance."

A flood of refugees is concentrated in Marseilles, CORRA reported, declaring that "the city's Jewish population rose from 8,000 in the 1950's Jewish refugees started to swell its numbers." The organization stressed the refugees "need emergency aid, | cash, food, medicines and housing."

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