## Sam Belzberg 1963 UJA Chairman

### Histadrut Dinner February 13



MAYOR JOSEPH LEVY

Soprano Mascha Benya will be the featured guests at the annual Histadrut Banquet which takes place on Wednesdy evening, February 13 at 6:30 p.m. at the Beth Shalom Synagogue, J. Rolinger is chairman of the 1963 Histadrut Campaign Allen Cooper will be Dinner chairman.

Mr. Levy was in Cairo, Egypt, 37 years ago. In 1943 he joined the Hechalutz Youth Movement in Egypt and quickly became a top leader.



MASCHA BENYA

young people.

COMMUNITY COUNCIL SETS UP

An historic decision was made at [tre type of program should be at the

JEWISH CENTRE COMMITTEE

In 1947, the movement was driven underground and many arrests followed. When the State of Israel was l proclaimed, Mr. Levy and other Zionists were deported to an exconvict camp in the Sinai Desert where they remained until the end of the War of Independence. He was freed in 1949 and went to France where he spent six months working \ in Jewish immigrant camps in Marseilles and Paris. He settled with his tamily in Israel in 1950. Shortly thereafter, he left for Eilat. He was one of a couple of hundred young men who started building the new town in 1952. He was elected Mayor of Eilat in 1959. At that time it had | a population of less than 5,000. It [ has since doubled Its size and it is Joseph Levy, Mayor of Eilat and expected to have 20,000 inhabitants

Miss Benya was born in Lithuania and received the greater part of her | musical education in Berlin, where she made her debut as an opera and l concert singer, in the United States Miss Benya has established a reputation as an outstanding artist. She thrills her audiences with her colorful programs ranging from classical music to the lusty vitality of olk songs and to witty entertaining numbers for those who cherish | good laughter and fun.

The Dinner will be free to all members and friends of Histadrut. The entire community is invited to att-{

In addition to Mr. Rolingher and Mr. Cooper, the Histadrut Campaign | Committee includes Campaign Co-Chairman Harry Tussfan; Treasurer Saul Dlin; Secretary Sam Mickleson; Publicity - Charles Kolinger and Harry Tussman; Committee Members : Dr. Eli Adler, A. Brumlick Max Bushewsky, S. Caplin, L. Dolgoy, A. A. Epstein, C. Feldman, Mrs. . Dorothy Feldman, S. Frohlich, L. Garfin, Jack Catz, Izzie Ketner, Ben [ Margolus, Burton Margolus, Louis Polson, Richard Rabin, Ralpt Rosenburg, Abe Segal, Abratam Shnitka, l H. Shur, H. Sorokin, Morris Weitz <sup>l</sup> and Eddie Zipperstein.

SAM BELZBERG



MARVIN L. DOWER



CHARLES FREEDMAN

# carried on in the new Talmud Torah addition. These will include club, important program.

the Edmonton Jewish Community helm, there was strong feeling that Council meeting on Wednesday even- | such a program should be the reing, January 23. After considerable sponsibility of the total Jewish comdiscussion, the Community munity. There was strong feeling Council recommended that a expressed that the Jewish Comspecial committee be formed to con-| munity Council, as the representa-| duct the activities which will be live body of the entire Jewish com-

cultural and special interest acti- The final recommendation called vities as well as a program of for the appointment of directors of [ physical education and sports. The the new service by the executive Community Council also agreed that of the Edmonton Jewish Community | the program will serve all age Council. In addition to setting up | groups although it will focus pri- and initiating the program, the marily on youth. It was made clear directors will have the task of rethat adult activities would only be commending a formal structure for programmed when facilities and the service to the Community Counstaff time were not being used for cil within one year of their appointment.

Mort Libin, chairman of the In- | The Community Council agreed terim Youth Planning Board, pre- that the level of program and of sented his group's recommendations leadership should be of the highest special study committee for their to the large meeting. They had ask- order, They enthusiastically support- diligence and hard work in prepar- in the community of comparative claim and ask as an emergency measure ed the Community Council to con- ed the Youth Planning Board's re- ing the recommendations which were costs of relief and administration, in private agencies, Mrs. Margolus sider the formation of a separate commendation for the immediate presented to the January 22 meeting. It was apparent that without a pro- said the agency was carrying out agency. Although there was general recruitment and training of group The president of the Community fessionally staffed agency, the cost the historical and traditional rerecognition that a group of people leaders.

policy and in guiding a Jowish Con- Youth Planning Board and to its pointed without delay.

Council assured the meeting that a to the Jewish Community would sponsibility of "Tzedaka" in its

With the transfer of the state of the state

### Dower, Freedman-Vice-Chairmen

Samuel Belzberg has been appointed chairman of the 1963 United Jewish Appeal Campaign. The announcement was made by Joseph H. Shoctor, Q.C., chairman of the Liaison Committee, which is responsible for the appointment of a campaign chairman. Marvin L. Dower and Charles Freedman have agreed to act in their 1962 positions as vicechairmen of the Campaign.

thus creating the Edmonton United | ton Zionist Council. Jewish Appeal. Together with Jo- | Charles Freedman will serve in Mission which visited England, monton Zionist Council. France and Israel in September, Mr. Belzberg pledged his determi-

year as a vice-chairman of the Ed- | that the 1963 Campaign will add lusmonton Campaign. In June 1962 he tre to that reputation "

Mr. Belzberg is no stranger to was elected president of the Edmon-United Jewish Appeal Campaigns. ton Talmud Torah and in Septem-He was one of those responsible for ber, 1962 he was elected second the merger of the Edmonton Jewish | vice-president of the Edmonton Jew-Community Council Campaign and ish Community Council. He is also a the United Israel Appeal in 1958, member of the Board of the Edmon-

seph II. Shoctor, Q.C., he served as his second campaign as a viceco-chairman of the 1958 and 1959 Ed. | chairman. In 1961, he was chairmonton Campaigns, the most suc- man of the Advance Gift Division cessful in Edmonton's history up to of the United Jewish Appeal. For 1962's record - breaking \$120,500 two years he was president of the drive. Both Mr. and Mrs. Belzberg | Edmonton Talmud Torah and is curwere members of a Special Study | rently a vice-president of the Ed-

1962, to get a first-hand look at the | nation to help the Edmonton Jewish work of the two European Jewish community meet its ever-growing communities, the American Joint obligations to the work of the Distribution Committee and the Keren Hayesod, the United Jewish Keren Hayesod. The story of Mr. Relief Agencies, to Jewish education and Mrs. Belzberg's trip was report- & to work of helping to strengthen ed in this paper following their re- the local Jewish community. He is turn. In early January, Mr. Belz-Leertain that every member of the berg gave a stirring account of his Edmonton Jewish community will experiences in the Study Mission to I do his or her part to help save and over a hundred women who attend | build Jewish lives in 1963. "Edmoned the Women's Community Confer- | ton created an enviable reputation among Canadian communities in Marvin Dower is serving his third 1962" said Mr. Belzberg, "I am sure

## H. LEON JEWISH FAMILY

Herbert Leon, dedicated communal worker, was elected President of the Board of Directors of the Jewish Famity Services at the 8th Annual Meeting held at the Talmud Torah, Jan. 30. Previously, he served as Treasurer of the Board for 7 years and also as Chairman of the Finance Committee. Elected to the 1963 Executive were Mrs. M. Dlin, Vice-President; I. C. Lyons, Treasurer; Dr. B. P. Mass. Honorary Secretary, Mrs. W. Margolus is Immediate Past President.

Mrs. Wolfe Margolus was Chairman of the meeting with an attendance of over 200 persons including ( representatives of government and private agencies in the general community, as well as the Jewish Community-at-large. In her Presidential address, Mrs. Margolus stressed the need for greater Community responsibility in meeting increasing [ demands for the services of the agency, as well as continued interpretation to the public of its functions in helping people who are in trouble. She described developments , In the past year which included the ||appointment of full-time secretarial| staff to increase the efficiency of (office administration, Mrs. Margolus) announced that a Board Manual had been prepared for the purpose of b | helping improve interpretation of | the agency's services to the com-

Commenting on the study made by the Board during 1962, of its finanwho had a deep interest in setting. A vote of thanks was moved to the group of directors would be ap have been ten times greater. In addition to duplication of community



HERB LEON

funds, Jewish citizens would have cial assistance policy as a private been deprived of their right to use agency, Mrs. Margolus said that in public agencies as Edmonton citispite of criticism by some persons zens. Speaking of the use of finan-

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#### Our COMMUNITY NEWS

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Edmonton Jewish Community Council Officers Past President ......Joseph H. Shoctor, QC 1st Vice-President ...Mickey Dlin 2nd Vice-President 3rd Vice-President ...Mrs. Saul Pakes Secretary \_\_\_\_Ben Ostry

#### A TRIBUTE TO HISTADRUT

In the process of creating an independent State, the Jewish people produced a unique organization - Histadrut, ! Israel's Federation of Labour. Three times older than the State of Israel, Histadrut first had the job of building the industry and agriculture of the future Jewish National 1907 by Lord Baden-Powell Homeland. Then it had to create work for the hundreds of thousands of uprooted Jewish families who sought re- day, consists of 60 boys between the J fuge there.

Today the Histadrut is many things to many people, sored by Bhai Bruth Lodges No. 19 union, employer, industrialist, teacher, doctor, banker and of the pack to discoted by Mrs. Louis religious advisor. It has been the organizing force of the Wiseman, assisted by Mr. B. Gold J. national constructive effort in Israel. Through its 800 berg, Mr. A. Zurin, Dr. H. Pascoe clinics and hospitals associated with Kupat Holim; through and Mr. J. Geffen. The Senior group its network of farm produce marketing organizations; its is directed by Mr. H. Warhaft, ass. J transport co-operatives; industrial enterprises, it has al-by Mr. M. Libin, Mr. D. Bliss, and Tuesday ways demonstrated a pioneering sense of initiative and en- Mr. 1. Gelfand. Each of these lead Saturday 9 Evening terprise in all phases of Israel's work. A unique institution, ers has completed a leadership Sunday it continues to explore avenues of development everywhere in Israel.

Histadrut cannot be labelled in the terminology of [7] North America. It was and remains an instrument of selfdetermination for the citizens of Israel. Histadrut serves as a guide for the Afro-Asian countries. Many of them have | 🔻 accepted the assistance of Histadrut in developing their own countries.

Histadrut in Israel and in North America has always] been a people's movement. Its campaign to raise funds for its important work begins this month. We wish the Edmonton Histadrut Organization, its leaders, its canvassers, a successful campaign.

### TALMUD TORAH LAUDED

The following letter was received by the President of the Talmud Torah from Dr. Morton, Berman, Director of English speaking countries for the United Israel Appeal. Dr. Borman visited Edmonton in November.

Mr. Marvin Dower, President, Edmonton Talmud Torah, Edmonton Jewish Community Office, 305 Mercantile Bldg., Edmonton, Canada.

Dear Mr. Dower:

experiences during my mission to Canada on behalf of ents-Mr. N. Witten, Mr. C. Paull, Keren Hayesod—United Jewish Appeal. That experience was my visit to the Edmonton Talmud Torah, where under the middle of the danded Chairman fit is a family of the danded Cha the guidance of the devoted Chairman of its Board, Mr. Hy and Publicity-Dr. B. P. Mass. Baltzan and the very capable and efficient principal, Mr.

Jack Chetner, I was enabled to visit the classes and to observe the children receiving their instruction. I was deeply impressed by the quality of instruction by the abstract of the character, self-discovered by the abstract of the character, self-discovered by the quality of instruction by the abstract of the character, self-discovered by the abstract of the character impressed by the quality of instruction, by the alertness of cipline, fair play, love of the outdoors all Jewish Women's Organizations. the children and by their immediate responsiveness to and good citizenship. The Cub ad- A hushed morning session listened the questions put to them and by the correctness of their vances by passing various tests by to Samuel Belzberg describe his im- heard from Miss Florence Hutner,

I was further deeply impressed by the orderliness both in the classes and in the halls, particularly, during the period in which the whole student body moved through the balls to the magnificent work of rescue of the council of the magnificent work of rescue and rehabilitation which the Jews of Jewish Federations and Welfare of the contributhe halls to the recess outdoors. These children behaved, opportunity to see the Cub prog- of Israel have undertaken. "We Funds, She spoke of the contribuit seemed to me out of an instinctive sense of respect for ramme in action. what the school is doing for them.

The Edmonton Jewish Community and its leadership are entitled to the wholehearted appreciation of all who are interested in the survival of our people on the basis of are interested in the survival of our people on the basis of movement will receive special disa positive program of Jewish education, rooted in the study tinguished awards. Parents of the Hayesod, the citizens of Israel pay every community must meet its of Hebrew and above all in the values of Judaism and Jew- Cubs are invited to attend. Tickets two dollars in taxes. This is money challenges in meeting the needs ish national life. May your continued, dedicated efforts may be obtained from Mr. A. A. I' directed to the support and strengthening of the Talmud Epstein. Torah, as well as of all worthwhile Jewish causes, bear the A Cub Sabbath Sorvice will be conchoicest fruit.

With very best Hanukkah wishes,

MMB/rh

Sincerely yours. Morton M. Berman

#### With The Cubs



MRS. L. WISEMAN

The 18th Edmonton Cub Pack Will Wednesday 20 Afternoon participate in special Scout Week Friday activites to commemorate the found Sunday 'ing of the Boy Scout movement in Tuesday

The pack, which meets each Monages of 8 to 11 inclusive and is spon sored by B'nai Brith Lodges No. | Wednesday 27 Afternoon



HARRRY WARHAFT

Jerusalem, December 19, 1962 training course given by the Alberta [ c' Regional Scouting Headquarters.

> A Parents Group Committee serves as the administrative body and as a liaison with the sponsoring lodges. Serving actively on this committee ist Council, the Edmonton Talmud whose accounts are outstanding. are: Chairman-Mr. A. Epstein; Fin-

nt the Beth Shalom Synagogue. The modern State such as defense and Conference broke into three work-Cub pack invites parents, Scouts, education." There was hardly a dry ships which discussed the areas and Brownles to worship with them. eye in the audience when Mr. Belz- of family service and leisure time

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All Cubs will be in uniform and borg finished his talk. Following lunch, the Conference

Monday Evenings 7:00 p.m. — Cubs and Brownies 9:00 p.m. B.B. Bowling

Monday Afternoons and Wednesday Evenings — Golden Age Club Tuesday Evenings and Sunday Mornings — Curling

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

**FEBRUARY** HISTADRUT MONTH Pioneer Women Dinner 3 Evening 4 Evening Edmonton Zionist Council Meeting Menorah Curling Stag Pioneer Women-Esther Kramer & Chanita 5 Evening Hadassah Evening Chapters dinonton Zionist Counci Wednesday 6 Afternoon Council of Jewish Women B'nai B'rith 732 B'nai B'rith 2062 Home & School Carnival 10 Evening Beth Shalom Sisterhood Executive 12 Afternoon Beth Israel Sisterhood Executive | Wednesday 13 Afternoon | Hadassah Chapters Pioneer Women L'Hava HISTADRUT DINNER Pioneer Women Aviva 15 Evening Celebrity Concert Cubs Parents Night 18 Afternoon Menorah Curling Shareholders Meeting at 19 Afternoon | Tuesday Hadassah Council

Pioneer Women Chanita & Kanot Home & School Mothers Auxiliary 22 Evening Cub Sabbath Service Beth Shalom 24 Evening Beth Israel Sisterhood Bake Sale Council of Jewish Women Executive 26 Afternoon Jewish Family Services Mizrachi Women Pioneer Women Council Council of Jewish Women, Junior Service

> Council of Jewish Women, Evening Group Beth Israel Sisterhood Pioneer Women L'Hava Pioneer Women, Aviva

YOUTH ALIYAH March 1-21

Pioneer Women, Esther Kramer & Chanita 5 Evening Hadassah Evening Chapters Beth Israel Purim Party Hadassah Blitz for Youth Aliyah 10 Morning Talmud Torah Purim Concert

Beth Shalom Purim Ball Mothers Auxiliary Fashion Show. 11 Afternoon Tuesday 12 Evening Wednesday 13

7 Morning l Sunday

Hudson's Bay Auditorium Beth Shalom Sisterhood Executive Beth Israel Sisterhood Executive Hadassah Chapters Pioneer Women L'Hava B'nai B'rith No. 732 B'nai B'rith No. 2062 Pioneer Women Aviva Mizrachi Women, Moe'ss Chitim Youth Aliyah Show

## U.J.A. Cash Collection Campaign

Dave Rabinovitch has been ap- Torah and the Edmonton Jewish tion Committee by the Liaison Committee. The function of the special has one of the best collection recommittee will be to collect all pled- cords on the North American confges outstanding in U.J.A. campaigns | tinent. Campaign shrinkage is less 1 imous in its feeling that a complete Mr. Rabinovitch assured the Liai-, [ clean-up of pledges outstanding | son Committee that he would appoint

pointed chairman of a Cash Collec- Community Council, are faced with a shortage of funds.

The Liaison Committee was unan-than 1%, below the national average. would make for a more successful a group of collectors immediately. 1963 campaign. Even more import- He expressed the hope that they 1 ant, all three partners of the Ed- would be greeted with a cheque or | monton U.J.A., the Edmonton Zion-| cash when they approached those

## I should like to share with you one of my most moving libin, Mr. A. A. Rubin; Special Ev-

which he receives merit badges. | pressions of the Jewish communi- | Director of the Joint National Comclude the heavy taxes which Israe- or education.

should be thankful," he said "that tion which women have made to The Baden-Powell dinner will be the Jews of Israel have been willing Jewish life over the ages. from for immigration, absorption and re- of its people, whether they be in the habilitation only. This does not in- areas of social service, recreation ducted on Friday evening, Feb. 22 lis pay for the other functions of a Following Miss Hutner's talk, the

activities. Every workship recog-(Continuod on Page 4)

By TOBY REICHERT

"Youth Aliyah is not our future. It is our present and if you take care of the present, the future will take care of itself." So saying, Louise Adler, Executive Secretary of Canadian Hadassah, laid the corner stone idea for the Youth Aliyah Campaign 1963.

In the past 28 years, Youth Aliyah has rescued over 120,000 children. These young adults today are in truth the backbone of Israel. Many ' government officials, diplomats and high-ranking army officers are [ graduates of Youth Aliyah program. Indeed, search the background of the people vitally involved in the government of Israel and in a large percentage of cases you will discover that Youth Aliyah was the Agency responsible for their very lives.

In Edmonton, the first three weeks | way". The cast is comprised in March are set aside for Hadas- | Hadassah members, their husbands sah's annual Youth Aliyah Drive. sons, daughters and friends. Programs dealing with this worth-show will serve as a victory celeters. This is followed by a city-wide | children at a cost of \$600 per child.

By MRS. E. BLAKE

A most successful 20th Anniversary Donor Dinner was held by the Hodel Shragge Chapter of Mizrachi vitch; Publicity, Minnie Phillipson; Women in the Beth Israel Auditor- Ticket Chairman, Lil Segal; Ticket

A native of New York, Mrs. Bessin Sabra, Mrs. S. Reichert; Mirlam, Sweethearts," featuring the glamoris a graduate of the Teachers Col- Mrs. J. R. Soifer; Kadima, Mrs. N. lege of the Jewish Theological Se- Finkelstein; Yoffia, Mrs. A. Bercov; minary of America. She is active Sharon, Mrs. W. Margolus, Mrs. in Ottawa's Jewish community as a Newhouse; Eleanor Roosevelt, Mrs member of its Board of Education, B. Leigh-Chairman of the Jewish Centre lib- In November, the world in genera' a visit to our Talmud Torah.

Dinner arrangements. Mrs. Max | memory by naming a Chapter of ' Bornstein, assisted by Mrs. N. Pakes | Hadassah after her.

by Mr. Harry R. Cohen. Louis Ru- rangements. dolph, President of the Edmonton | The following Edmonton members us on grooming and modelling tips. Zionist Council, Mickey Dlin, First have been appoined to the National Looking towards the future, we are B'nai Brith Essay Vice-President of the Edmonton Hadassah-Wizo Committees: Vice-President of the Edmonton Hadassah—Wizo Committees:

Jewish Community Council and Legacies and Bequests, Mrs. S. Junction with A.Z.A. for Saturday, Contest Closes Rabbi Abraham Postone, President Bercov; Nahalal, Mrs. M. Brody; January 26. Many programs, both The B'nai B'rith Essay Contest on AGE. of Mizrachi Men brought greetings State of Israel Bonds, Mrs. S. Belz. rultural and social are being plan. Pioneers of the Edmonton Jewish on behalf of their organizations. berg; United Jewish Appeal, Mrs. ned for the future. Rabbi Fink made the Benediction M. Dlin. and Cantor Michael Naor said All Chapters are busy working on Grace after the meal. A skit, "This plans for the Exposition, 1963. Our Is Your Life Mizrachi" was present- promise—it will be the best yet! ed under the direction of Mrs. B. G. Fink Narration was by Mrs. E. Wershof, Mrs. Bessin was introduced by Dr. E. Wershof, Chairman of the Edmonton Chapter of the Friends of Bar Han University.

Mrs. Bessin was also the guest Mr. Norman Silverman, a past sec- extremely cold weather, a good of honour at a Mizrachi Women's retary of the Cub Pack, will speak luncheon at Beth Israel Auditorium An Oneg Shabbat will follow the ful one for all who attended. The

Tea, for matzos for Israel, will be attendance at the Edmonton Gard- "nashing," and making the guests scholarship cards for \$1. Proceeds held at the home of Mrs. M. Podol- ens will be held on Sunday after- welcome. The combination of these will go towards a scholarship for a sky, 14019-101 Avenue, on March 17. noon, Feb. 24. This event is being things made it a most enjoyable eve- deserving graduate of the Talmud

tess at the last monthly meeting of Norman Witten and Bill Abrams. to in the years to come. the Chapter. A special vote of vener Mrs. M. Bornstein and her Co-Convoner Mrs. N. Pakes and fullest their enpable committee for the out- feloation. standing Dinner which was served YOU ARE A SON BOOSTER... on January 6.

The state of the s



MRS. J. GOLDBERG

while cause are presented at the bration for the culmination of this ter Awards were given out. Edmon- invited to attend this membership come! For instance, did you know February meetings of all eight chap- drive. The goal is the saving of 30 ton was most happy to receive both function.) Blitz Drive on Sunday, March 10. The areas from which children will The high-light this year's Youth be rescued are North and South with last goodbyes being said as the 1960 COUNCIL was the only women's dent was one of only 14 women (in-Aliyah drive will be a Musical Show Africa and Eastern Europe-Hadas- winter Convention for 1962 came to organization in Edmonton asked to cluding Mrs. Franklin Roosevelt) written and directed by Mrs. Dasha sah has always felt privileged to be an end. As those last farewells were Goody and called "Bits of Broad- the official agency for Youth Aliyah said, the understanding of what in Canada and looks forward to a A.Z.A. and B.B.G. really stands for, I' very successful campaign. The Com- was made clear to each and every be mittee is as follows: Chairman, one there — Harmony, Benevolence, Marge Golberg; Scholarship Chair- and Fraternity, the essence of a good the job. "Indians' have now become COUNCIL member who wishes to man, Becky Bloomfield; Secretary, life. Inga Sherman; Treasurer, Eva Mor-| ton; - Co-Treasurer, - Bella - Marco- [ er was Mrs. Hyman Bessin, Past Chairman, Lila Lebane; Follow-up the best Sweetheart dances in Ed- for over a year, she was a delegate KLINE attended nursery school in National President of the Mizrachi Chairman, Mamie Sorokin; Tele- monton A.Z.A. history. It will take to a national convention of Canada's the original TORONTO COUNCIL Women of Canada and Chairman phone Chairman, Seema Leon. Chap- place on March 23 at the Beth Indian-Eskimo Association held in HOUSE. (MRS. CARMEN, that is of the National Administrative Board | ter Chairmen are: Tikva, Mrs. D. | Shalom Synagogue. Theme for this | Edmonton. Sorry, SADIE, wampum | what's called early brainwashing!)

Wolch; Israeli, Mrs. H. Hardin; year's dance will be "Parade of not accepted in lieu of COUNCIL Toronto is now in the process of

rary and as an active member of a was saddened by the death of Elea-Synagogue Sisterhood. She was a nor Roosevelt. Youth Aliyah was able. founder of Ottawa's Jewish Day privileged to have this great woman School and while in Edmonton, paid serve as its World Patron and will I sadly miss her support. Edmonton Mrs. A. Postone was in charge of was the first city to honour her

E. Blake was publicity chairman program on the Freeman Synagogue walked away with the honours by were the only Jewish Women's Or- sources of merchandise, please con-Mizarchi Women's president Mrs. Tour narrated by Mrs. C. Freedman. winning the best chapter award for ganization invited to attend the Ca- don't forget your own closets and S. Slutsky acted as Dinner Chair- Mrs. J. Fox is the program chair- 1969 man. The toasts to the Queen and to man, along with Mrs. M. Podolsky At our previous meeting we were the President of Israel were made as chairman in charge of social ar-pleased to have as our guest speak-

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support and active part-

'SO BE A CUB BOOSTER.

#### B.B.Y.O. By HOWARD PECHET

Thursday, Dec. 27, 1962 marked the start of B.B.Y.O.'s winter convention in Edmonton. B.B.Y.O. boys and girls poured into Edmonton Lethbridge and Medicine Hat, for a

ing team of Bruce Mintz, David Carr, panded Golden Age program we TIONAL COUNCIL, to which YOU David Feldman, and Andy Schwam, know how hard these girls must be also belong involves 17 affiliated showed ability and good sportsman- working—and don't think we and countries and will hold its next triship when they won the curling our senior citizens don't appreciate ennial in Cleveland this June. championship. In basketball, the Ed-lit! Another special hi-lite in our International triennials might be monton team did not make out quite club's activities will be the Golden a bit beyond us, but National Bienas well as the curling team. They Age Purim Ball on March 6—com- nials are literally right around the lost out to the champions, Saskatoon. plete with an orchestra, and an "un-| corner! It will be held this year in Denny Goody won the Oratory con-| usual hat contest". It's FREE and Calgary from May 6-9 and our sectest. Another victory for Edmonton open to all members of COUNCIL. I tion hopes to send more than the eame with the election of Julie Le. | (Because of this Purim Ball, usual delegates with alternates and ' | vine as A.Z.A. Regional Sweetheart. | COUNCIL'S | March | General | Meet- | observers |

The excitement reached its peak ing will be held on Tuesday, March The more I learn about COUNCIL. on Sunday night when the best Chap- 5 at 8:30 p.m. and all branches are the more fascinated with it I beawards — A.Z.A. boys' award, and the B.B.G. girls' award. Later that ed some notable local recognition in U.S.A. we're called N.C.J.W. (Inc.)? night a friendship circle was held, the last few years. In November That our U.S. National Council Presi-

#### A.Z.A.

ous Sweethearts of past years. Candidates for 1963 Sweetheart of A.Z.A. are Gail Baltzan, Dollfie

Galper and Sharon Pekarsky,

sumed its meetings after a wonder- ganizations.

fer Mrs. Phil Shragge. She spoke to Community closes on February 17, 1

#### **LODGE 2062** REPORTS

The vice-presidents of Lodge 2062 honourable mention held their annual party for lodge All essays must be submitted to All essays must be submitted to Continued from Page 2)
together with the Brownies will be active participants in the service.

In the service ary 9, at 9:00 p.m. In spite of the service are open:

| All essays must be active participants of the service are open:

| All essays must be active participants of the service are open: evening consisted mainly of card- Mothers' Auxillary of the Talmud A Father and Son hockey game playing to suit everyone's taste, Torah now has available all-occasion Jewish and Israeli Specialist Mrs. J. Shugarman was the hos- arranged by Messrs. Cecil Paull, ping, and one worth looking forward Torah. Library Fund cards, from \$3

and up, help pay for reference books Your volunteer Cub Pack lead. A short business meeting was held for the Leo Pekarsky memorial li thanks was moved to Dinner Con- erg . who give so generously and before the party got its start, in order brary. A record is kept of cards sent faithfully of their time and effort, to discuss the presentation of a gift out, and the names and events are would be very appreciative of your to Lodge 732 on its 50th anniversary, inscribed in a book.

February being Brotherhood Month | Library Fund cards or Scholarship the lodge meeting on February 13 cards are available from Mrs. J. will follow this important thome. Lutsky, 488-6065 or Mrs. R. Billig, See you all at that meeting.

#### COUNCIL CORNER

By CONNIE YOUNG

February is Valentine month and atric Society—to publicize their refrom Regina, Calgary, Saskatoon, we send special 'hearts and flowers' port on the "Emotional Needs of to three Council women who have Children in Hospital". (We call it really given "above and beyond the ENCH). On the International scene. I convention that was to be one of the call of COUNCIL duty . . ." Our a Canadian, Mrs. Benjamin Robinbest ever held. Four days of work- thanks to MARCIA KLINE, Golden son of Montreal, is President of the shops, seminars, oratory and story- Age Program Chairman, and DORA INTERNATIONAL COUNCIL OF celling contests, sports events, and SIMONS and LIL WOODROW, Co- JEWISH WOMEN. Dr. Reva Gersocial function highlighted the con- chairmen of the Golden Age Re- stein in one of its V-P's and Canafreshment Committee. From read- dians also serve as the Secretary & In the sports events, our own curling about the goings on in the ex. Assistant Treasurer, INTERNA-

that nationally we have about 6,000 Our COUNCIL Section has receiv- members? Did you know that in the send a representative to a commit. who was named by President Kenntee investigating "Conditions of In- edy last year to his President's Comdians and Eskimos in Urban Areas''. mission on the Status of Women? Did SADIE SCHWAM (a new member, you know that the U.S. Head Office is then) kindly consented to take on in New York City and open to any "SADIE'S INDIANS"—to quote her visit? For that matter, did you know family and friends! She is probably that Toronto has had a COUNCIL the only American woman who is an HOUSE—a separate building devotexpert on Canadian Indian and Metis ed to their COUNCIL activities-for problems. After meeting and work- at least 30 years! I can say this posi-Plans are under way for one of ing with her distinguished colleagues tively because our own RUTHE RUTHE KLINE, our President, is HOUSE to accommodate our Na-

| equally enthusiastic about the work | tional Offices as well as Toronto Secbeing done by the Mayor's Safety tion activities. Council, on which she was asked to In our own Section, the response sitin November 1962. This select to our TOWN HALL Economy Shon Tickets will be on sale in the group helped to plan the full year's meeting has been heartening—a new weeks to come, and patronages for safety campaign including instruct committee was formed to contact the Sweetheart booklet will be avail-tion in playschools, training of pa-wholesale and retail outlets for mertrols, wording of street signs, and chandise. These COUNCIL women this year the program has expanded busy phoning now are JENNY into the elementary schools. As is DAVIS, MARIAN WYMAN, GLORIA usually the case, the COUNCIL AARON, TILLIE RABINER, and member who volunteers (or is co. ESTHER BERNSTEIN. For the sec-The Lillian Freeman Chapter No. | erced) to represent us 'gains' as ond year, MARIAN YOUNG, ma 117 of Edmonton B.B.G. has re- much as she 'gives' to these local or- belle-mere, has personally rounded lup every stray second-hand fur coat were in charge of the Dinner. The On January 30th the Golden Age ful winter convention. It was the COUNCIL, as a National organical means subtantial money in our tills program was handled by Mrs. E. Club was entertained by the Israeli first Sabbath Regional Convention to the convention of the convention o Wershof and Mrs. B. G. Fink. Mrs. Chapter. They were treated to a ever held here. Edmonton B.B.G. by the powers that be. In 1960 we sources of merchandise please con-

All Jewish youth of junior and h

The winning essay will be awarded |

la cash prize of \$25. A second prize

nadian Conference on Children. And don't forget your own closets and at the moment, we are acting (at storage cupboards! re their suggestion) as a public rela- Dates to Remember Feb. 6-Gentions extension of the Canadian Pedl- eral Meeting; March meeting will - be an evening meeting on Wednesday, March 20; March 6-G.A. Purjim Ball; and every Wednesday night and Monday afternoon, GOLDEN

#### Applications

senior high school age are legible. are being accepted for the

#### of \$15, will be awarded as well as la Camp B'nai Brith \$5, for those essays which receive \\_\circ\$

Arts and Crafts Specialist

Swimming Specialist Senior Counsellors

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All Bill Meloff, Sociology Dept. University of Alberta,

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#### Jewish Family Services

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highest form. She emphasized that real "Tzedaka" was giving to the individual without revealing the name of the donor, nor did the donor know to whom his help was given. She stressed the right of per- year. sons in trouble to begiven confidential service. "Counselling families in difficulty can save many community dollars in the future," keeping a man in jail; family dis- professionals. keeping a man in jail; family dis-organization through mental illness Community to analysts its manners straight, some for the first time in cost of counselling!"

Other Board activities during 1962 included Foster Home Study Committee; study of the proposed Constitution of the Jewish Community Council; and conclusion of an arrangement with Canadian Jewish Congress for reimbursement for costs of Immigrant Aid, Mrs. Margolus expressed appreciation to the Standing Committee of the Board, supporting organizations and individuals; Press and radio stations and the Board of Directors of the Talmud Torah for the use of the auditorium. She stressed the finan-B'rith Lodge No. 732 and Canadian Jewish Congress in balancing the Board to establish a Family Education Program to strengthen Jewish Family life as a preventive measure and to plan expansion so that the agency's services would be made available to every person in

the Jewish Community. Mrs. D. B. Mintz, Executive Director reported that 296 persons received the help of the agency during 1962. One forty-six requests for aid by persons in difficulty involved 188 adults and 108 children and represented a variety of problems common to a Jewish Family Agency. Because of lack of community resources, requests for foster homes for children; housekeepers or companions for elderly persons; and urgent requests for housekeepers for motherless homes could not be psychiatric consultation and specialized facilities made it possible to meet the many requests for help, she commented. In 1962, 12% of the caseload as compared to 1961 figures of 17% required financial aid Eighty-eight percent of the services given last year were varied and included counselling for troubled persons who came to the agency for help with personal problems. Mrs. Mintz emphasized the increasing requests for services to children and youth which rose from 12% in 1961 to 20% in 1962. In spite of no substantial increase in immigration figures, services to persons in Canada less than 5 years, rose to 20% in comparison to 13% in 1961. Eleven percent of the caseload included services to elderly 20% included employment adjustment, legal aid, restitution and others. The agency acted as an in-Jewish persons requiring special facilities for treatment, for the aged, in the stream of Jewish culture and young adults settling in the community.

Commenting on the broader use and acceptance of Public Agencies by the Jewish Community, Mrs. Mintz stated that an additional budget of \$15,000 would have been necessary to meet the needs of 12% of the cases last year if Pensions and Social Allowances were not available from government sources. \$1,-617.23 was spent on emergency aid to familles pending acceptance on H. Leon, I. C. Lyons, T. H. Miller, public welfare programs; subsidies Mrs. Jack Newhouse, Mrs. W. Marto families and individuals for Kash- golus, Mrs. R. Osten, Mrs. L. Sherruth, High Holiday and Passover man, D. M. Wolochow, M. Dlin, Mrs. | Mrs. L. Sherman.

needs that were not covered by Public Welfare budgets as well as clothing, furnishings and aid to immigrant families on marginal incomes. The agency continued to help | gional Convention of Young Judaea | transients and stranded persons last

Mrs. Mintz emphasized the wider use of the agency during the past Winnipeg, Saskatoon, Regina, Medi-| year with 30% of the requests for vine Hat, Calgary, New Westminassistance coming directly from ster, Bellingham, Seattle, Vancouand she went on to compare the clients or relatives; 21% on referrals ver, Victoria and, of course, Edcosts of counselling with the high participated in the Kinus. cost of family breakdown through Rabbis; 12% from school principals, unemployment; \$7.50 per day for psychiatrists, lawyers and other Content of the sessions was at an

a parent; and exhorbitant costs Community to evaluate its responsiof treatment centres for emotion-bility to children needing care outally disturbed children. "Compare | side of their homes. "Traditionally this with the cost of helping a child and historically Jewish Communiin his own home with the aid of a ties concerned themselves with the Family Agency, with its limited welfare of their children by probudget, and perhaps we will not viding Jewish Education, recreacompare relief budgets with the tional facilities, camping and other programs to instill and preserve Jewish values and the continuation of our rich heritage. What moral responsibility does the Jewish Community have to its troubled chil- Wrong with Western Region Young ldren?'' she asked She urged the Community to recognize the needs of Jewish Children in Edmonton who have emotional disturbances and other difficulties taking responsibility in helping to find community resources to meet their particular needs. She stressed the necessity of strengthening family [ services so that crises could be prevented by reaching as many cial support of the United Community families as possible through Fami-Fund of Greater Edmonton, National ily Education. Mrs. Mintz urged spective Edmonton applicants to Canadian Mental Health Associa-great pride that the Jewish women Council of Jewish Women, B'nai the Community not to become com- Camp Biluim, the leadership instiplacent about the present services tute of Canadian Young Judaea. offered to the aged. She described 1962 budget. She urged the new the need for community concern for the "displaced persons of the '60's'' — the unskilled, the aging worker, and youth. Displacement by automation, enforced retirement before 60 and employment opportunities for youth as well as preparation for retirement were noted as Jewish community responsibilities in the Executive Director's report.

guest speaker, Dr. H. M. Barker, Specialist in Children's and Adolescents' Psychiatry, Dr. Barker J urged the preservation of Jewish to Judaism, "No child operates by ments, ]himself in a vacuum, parents are in  $[-\Lambda]$  panel of the most competent,! volved in his emotional develop-[qualified persons, Miss Hazel Mement," he commented. He described Intyre, former director of Household | the tensions created in the adoles- | Economics at the University of Al-|cent\_through\_parental\_pressure\_dur-|berta; Mrs. J. Giffillan, president of filled. Wide use of public agencies, ing Bar Mitzvah preparation; incon- the Home Economies Association; sistencies in practice of Judaism in Mrs. J. D. Geddes, director of Home the home; pressing the child be-| Services of Northwestern Utilities; yond the ability he has to produce Miss A. Perdu, Home Economist in academic achievement; and pres- with the Alberta Government, and sures to achieve social status. Dr. Mr. Angelo Casagrade, Chef of the Barker commented that "the third | Macdonald Hotel will judge the engeneration" is concerned with status tries. Judging will begin at noon. while the second emphasized economic achievement in order to pro- Tea, a Food Auction and a Fashion the league-leading Schnooks as he vide better opportunities for their Show—"Kitchen Capers—What the bowled a 209. This was the first children. He commented that some best dressed women will wear in the children never forgive parents for [kitchen", "Buying them off materially". He J tural groups. Emotional disturbance doing too much in Clubs and Organizations at the cost of adding Rabbi B. Fink, Rabbi A. Postone, pressure in the home. Dr. Barker M. Stochinsky, Dr. M. Weinlos, E. urged parents to beware of erosion Pechet and J. H. Shoctor, Q.C., ter could be an important strength (in a child's development, Mrs. Ira | Young thanked the guest speaker.

Samuel Belzberg, Mrs. S. Cooperman, John Goldberg, Dr. Ruth Isaacsen, Dr. B. P. Mass, Mrs. M. Swartz, Mrs. Ira Young and E. Cristall, were elected to the Board of terms of office are; Dr. M. Dolgoy, Goldberg,

#### Edmonton Young Judaea

By JEFF DVORKIN

A most successful Western Rewas held in Vancouver over the winter holidays. Chaverim from all-time high. Many regional promany years. An important step was noted in motions passed to have our [ constitution and ideology set down convention came, at least for the Edmonton contingent, when our own Barry Slawsky won the Oratory Contest by speaking on "What's Judaea?" The Debating Contest was won by Wendy Narod and Jeff Goldberg of Vancouver.

on the part of both members and

A Tri-city meeting is planned for [ the near future in Calgary with the three Alberta centres participating.

## Sisterhood Notes

By IDA KLINE

Hi! Ho! Come to the Food Fair! | event in the lower auditorium of the Dr. Herbert Pascoe introduced the Synagogue on Sunday, Feb. 24. A Bake Contest, open to the entire community, is the highlight of the Fair, Call Mrs. Ben (Molly) Shugarvalues through a positive approach man, 488-2977, for entry require-

Other features are a Lunch and

tors. D. M. Wolochow presented the be victorious. nominating report. The Audited [

and Mrs. S. Cooperman assisted by could muster into the clite.



CHILDREN IN THE Edmonton Talmud Torah learn under the dedicated and devoted guidance of their teachers. Guarantee the right of every Jewish child in Edmonton to have a thorough Jewish education by turning your United Jewish Appeal pledge into cash today.

#### at the next national Kinus at the end of this year. We were glad to N.C.J.W. Works To Raise Mental Health affirmed theis needed and, we hope, continued support. Highlight of the Standards In Canadian Pediatric Wards

munity sometime during March dian Pediatric wards.

small Council Evening Study!at the request of the C.M.H.A., Group in Vancouver three|Council committed itself to publici-There are approximately ten pro-|years ago. Unknown to them, the |zing this Pediatric report. It is with tion was carrying on a similar study of Canada affiliated with N.C.J.W. on the same problem. A year later, [will embark on this educational prointerest aroused by NCJW led Cana- | gram-to the benefit of both the dian Pediatric Society to form a parents and the hospitals, and ulti-

The N. C. J. W. has again issue a formal statement. This focused attention on an im-|statement, speels out both the portant phase of Mental Health. The "necessary"—and—"unnecessary" project, on a national level, is now standards to be achieved in pediacalled ENCH" -- "Emotional Needs | tric hospitals. It also includes a list of Children in Hospital' — and of "Desirable" standards which hoseach Council section across Can-| pitals and parents together can ada has been asked by the National work to achieve to create the best Our regular group meetings have Service Committee to consider a emotional and psychological atmosresumed with renewed enthusiasm | Close Up on ENCIP open to the com- | phere for children admitted to Cana-

A year ago, with the approval of The study was started by a the Canadian Pediatric Society and special committee and finally to mately, all Canadian children.

#### 2062 BOWLING NEWS

Well, the holiday lay-off and cold; better as Max Kaplan, with scores weather were not enough to stem of 253 and 226, led the stronger sex. It's Beth Israel Sisterhood's big the enthusiastic return of the B'nai Harry Warhaft bowled games of 221 B'rith Bowlers to the Lucky Strike and 220 to follow Max, while Dennis Lanes on Monday, January 7, at 9:00 | Cowan had scores of 213 and 227. p.m., and it was one of our charm- | Harry Estrin led those who had single ing female keglers, Marilyn Green, games over 200 as he rolled 236, who led the way with a fine effort closely followed by Larry Satanove as she rolled a 274. That's showing with 233. Others who made it were those smug, male bowlers, girls. Ben Ostry with 218 (welcome), who Also bowling a fine game was Esther | fied Arnie "Muscles" Zurin, while had scores of 208 and 218.

> The deflated males were led by a Max Kaplan, who came within a to a finis, there can be no doubt that whisker of saving the male pride as it was a most enojyable and successhe came through with a 271. He was ful one for the participants, and we followed by Dennis Cowan, who had are certain that the second half will scores of 260 and 251. Among the have "bowls" of fun. others who made the elite were Saul Margolis with 240; Harry Warhaft cond half, and above all, remember with 220; Jack Chelsy with 216, and to enjoy yourselves. Jack Newhouse with 214.

And welcome to Noel Jampolsky to | the elite. He led his last place Jefs time in over two years that the

bowling in '63.

while the strong-closing Groaners centred programming. are third with 63 points. According Miss Hutner gave the closing

The male bowlers did not do much ell, served as consultants.

Levine with 243, while Millie Singer | George Levine had a 214; Harold Kline 210; and Albert Liskear 207.

As the first half of bowling comes

Good luck to all teams in the se-

## WOMEN'S

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| Schnooks have been defeated in three | nized the important contribution of Stock your home freezer with the straight games. So extra-special the Jewish Family Services. They urged Jewish parents to watch for food of your choice. Advance orders congrats go to the Jefs, who proved felt that this agency should do more problem areas such as the "over—are being taken now. Call Mrs. H. that there aren't any teams which in making its work known to the organized child", competitiveness Lieberman—488-3053 or Mrs. L. Lie- can be taken lightly in this league. Jewish Community. They suggested and the need to excel. Dr. Barker berman—488-5697. Director - super- Marty Margolese rolled two games that much remains to be done in described Delinquency in Jewish visor of the Food Fair is Mrs. M. of 205 each on that first night of meeting the needs of children who need foster home placement and is a contributing factor in Jewish M. Dlin, M. Dower, Mrs. D. Kline, did not see too many keglers bowl of the aged. Every group strongly datinguished and not naulast broken M. Dlin, M. Dower, Mrs. D. Kline, did not see too many keglers bowl of the aged. Every group strongly datinguished and not naulast broken Many Lowish Compersons; 17% to adults with health, homes and divorced homes as in S. Kovnats, Mrs. H. Singer, Dr. S. over the 200 mark, it did see a tre-urged that the New Jewish Comthe case of other groups. Jewish S. Spaner, Mrs. J. Brody. Continuing mendous tightening up of the stand-munity Centre serve all age groups. parents were cautioned against as Honorary President of the Board ings, as only three points separate While they recognized that emphasis is Jack M. Saslow and Honorary the top three teams. The Rejects, must be placed on the activities Board Members are Harry R. Cohen, with 66 points, are holding a slim of youth, they urged that serious two-point lead over the Schnooks, consideration be given to family-

> were appointed Honorary Members to our statistician, Simma Shore, this summary and evaluation of the loss of Jewish identity since the lat-of the Board in recognition of their is the first time such a close race Conference. Mrs. David Kline was services to the agency since its in- has developed. This should make Conference Chairman Mrs. S. Shtabcorporation. Mrs. S. Spaner, Na. the night of January 21 an extra-sky convened the luncheon with tional Council of Jewish Women special one to watch as these three the assistance of an able commitand H. Bernstein, B'nai B'rith top teams battle it out for the first- tee. Mesdames S. Belzberg H. Kline Lodge No. 732 represent their or- half bowling trophy. Good luck to and R. Schloss acted as Workshop Neaman, Dr. Herbert Pascoe, Fred ganization on the Board of Directal all of them, and may the best team Chairmen, Mesdames I. D. Hendin, M. P. Neaman and Shelby Smordin The ladies were led by Eva Mar- were recorders. Mrs. Mary Morri-Directors. Completing three-year Statement was presented by John cus with 226, who was followed by son Davis, Social Worker with the another new name to this column, Department of Veterans Affairs, Refreshments were served at the Sylvia Spaner with a 219. Goldie Mrs. David B. Mintz, Executive Diconclusion of the meeting under the Estrin with 204, and Millie Singer rector Jewish Family Services and convenerable of Mrs. J. Newhouse with 203, were all the female bowlers Morris Stein, Executive Director Eximonton Jewish Community Coun-