

## Beth El Donor Luncheon

Temple Beth El Sisterhood's annual donor luncheon will be held on Saturday, May 12, 1979, at 11:15 a.m. at the Pineville Dinner Theatre. This year it will be held as a "mother-daughter" and "father-son" function. The cost of a donor which will include both the play "Funny Girl" and the luncheon is \$15. Prices for guests are in two categories: \$10 for ages 15-64 and \$8 for the fourteen year olds and younger and the sixty-five and older group. There are a limited number of tickets available. These may be obtained by mailing your check made out to "Temple Beth El Sisterhood" to the Temple office. For further information call 366-1948.

## B'nai B'rith Lecture Series



Dr. A.J. Rudin

On April 8th, Rabbi A. James Rudin, who is experienced in the Jewish response to evangelical religious and cult groups, will speak on "The Challenge of the New Religious Cults". The lecture will begin at 8:30 p.m. at the JCC. Please note that the time has been changed so that those attending the Hewbrew Academy's Model Seder will be able to attend this important lecture. There is no admission charge for this lecture.

(Dr. Rudin was originally scheduled to speak on Feb. 18th, but weather conditions at that time caused the lecture to be cancelled.)

## Jewish, Christian Groups Press Germans On Statute

A delegation of 19 American Jewish leaders and representatives of the Catholic Church, the National Council of Churches, and civil rights groups has asked West Germany's Ambassador to the U.S. to urge extension of his country's Statute of Limitations on the prosecution of Nazi war criminals as a moral obligation and a warning to neo-Nazis all over the world. The statute is due to expire the end of this year.

The meeting of the delegation, under the auspices of the National Jewish Community Relations Advisory Council, and the Conference of Presidents of Major American Jewish Organizations, was held with Berndt Von Staden in the West Germany Embassy in Washington, D.C.

Declaring that "the mere passage of time is not enough to wipe the slate clean for those war criminals still not brought to justice," Theodore Mann, Chairman of the NJCRAC, asked that the Statute be extended not only "in memory of the 11 million innocent people murdered, including the 6 million Jews, but also in the name of current and future generations of Germans who will at least be able to say that their country did all it could do to atone for the tragic years of the Hitler regime."

He also requested that the West German Ministry of Justice accelerate its efforts to investigation, apprehension and trial of war criminals, many of which, he said, have dragged on for years.

Included in the delegation were three survivors of the Nazi years — Ernest W. Michel, Ex-

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The recollection that it was the Hebrew language in which the Prophets expressed their high ideals, in which generations of our fathers breathed forth their suffering and joys, makes this language a holy one for us. L. Ginzberg.

ecutive vice president of the United Jewish Appeal of Greater New York, who was imprisoned in Auschwitz and Buchenwald; John Fox, vice president of the Philadelphia Jewish Community Relations Council, who survived Buchenwald and Dachau, and Abraham H. Foxman, associate director of the Anti-Defamation League of B'nai B'rith, who was saved from the Nazis in Poland by a Catholic nursemaid who claimed he was her baby after his parents were interned.

Mann told the Ambassador that the manifestations of neo-Nazism in West Germany and elsewhere "make it all the more imperative to extend the Statute lest these forces be encouraged to try again." He noted the numbers of West Germans who, contrary to claims that they wish to forget the Nazi years, viewed the Holocaust television series which was broadcast in West Germany last month.

"Many of them," he said, "were young people who learned for the first time the nature and enormity of the Nazi crimes and asked why they had not been told about them in their schools."

The delegation asked that "the door not be closed on the possibility of bringing to justice those guilty of crimes against humanity." The members urged that West Germany join other democratic countries, including the U.S., which have no Statute of limitations on murder.

I AM a Jew because in every age when the cry of despair is heard, the Jew hopes. Fleg.

## THIS 'N THAT

Members of Mickey Abram Chapter AZA will observe the second Passover Seder at the home of their advisor, Alan Hirsch. Each member will bring a traditional dish and conduct part of the ritual of the Seder.

Congratulations to Hugo Rosenberger who was the winner of the Hebrew Academy's Tax Break Raffle.

Howard Maniloff is now the Piedmont Optional Middle School's assistant principal. Maniloff, 35, took over the post March 14. He has been coordinator of the open program at West Charlotte High School.

Before joining the school system in 1973, Maniloff was a reporter of The Charlotte Observer. He is also a guest columnist for The Charlotte News.

On Sunday, April 8, WSOC-TV, channel 9 will air a one-half hour program during which they will highlight four programs from the JCC. The Wednesday Alive class, the Chai group, children's gymnastics classes and children's crafts classes will be featured. Check your local listing for the time.

The Ned Wallace family were hosts to Ranit Zexer and Raphy Strugo, two Israeli high school students, for ten days last month. The students visited Charlotte as part of a two month tour through the United States sponsored by the Israel government.

## Blasts Averted

JERUSALEM — What would have been the largest bomb explosion that Jerusalem had ever experienced was averted only one-half hour before the time was set to go off near a theatre exit at the time the show would be over. Another shocking angle was that of the four members of the gang who were apprehended, one was a Jew, known to the police as a drug peddler. He has been used to transport into Israel the high-grade explosive known as RDX and Symtex, detonators and fuses and even three Russian Katyusha missiles.

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## The Around About

The Younger Jewish Singles have their own monthly newsletter. Its purpose is to help the club become a social force in the Charlotte community. The first few issues will report club news, goals and upcoming events. Later, it is planned to expand coverage to include creative writings, viewpoints and classifieds. In other words, The Around About will keep the members informed. The editors are Jay Fielding and Blair Schiffman.

The Younger Charlotte Jewish Singles have elected an executive board. The election party was attended by approximately sixty men and women interested in becoming a part of the club. Everyone had an opportunity to express their views on what the club's purpose should be and to vote for officers. The officers are:

Co-Presidents:  
Nancy Yudell (535-3018)

## JCC Offers CPR Training

The Jewish Community Center will offer a basic life support course in cardiopulmonary resuscitation. This course, known as CPR, will teach participants how to maintain life in persons whose hearts and lungs have stopped functioning because of a heart attack, shock, drowning, or other cause. It will also teach the participants how and when to aid a choking victim (known as "cafe coronary"). With the approach of summer exertion, such as swimming, tennis and jogging, it is essential to have these life saving skills in case the need (to save a life) ever arises. Each participant will receive a Red Cross CPR certificate at the completion of the course. Attendance at all four sessions is required.

This course will be held from 7-10 P.M. on April 26, May 3, May 10 and May 17. The fee is \$12.00/member and \$18.00/non-member (tax deductible). The leader is Eddie Leighton, a certified Red Cross instructor. Call the JCC (366-0357) today to reserve your place.

Larry Segal (375 4132)  
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Lani Levine (366-0354)  
Jan Shore (365-0256)

The executive board has been meeting bimonthly to establish club goals and to plan future programs. Anyone interested in working on a committee may contact one of the officers in the area of interest. Help is most welcome and necessary for a successful club. Annual dues are \$12 and pays for monthly newsletters and discounts to social activities. The club will be getting involved in community activities, as well as having their own monthly socials and brunches.

Last month a lox and bagel brunch and a hamentaschen party were held. Another lox and bagel brunch on Sunday, April 8th at 11 a.m. will be held at the JCC.

## UJA Anniversary

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raising. It means personally giving money and personally asking for money, not merely paying lip service. Those who are workers in the campaign do not give speeches or say pretty words but they walk into offices and homes and they work to increase giving. It is that work that gives them the power to speak up and speak out for the direction in which your Federation is to move. Just as in every other organization, if you want to be a part of that process, then you have to be willing to work.

Not only do we of the Charlotte Jewish Federation appeal to you for a more generous contribution this year, but we ask for your participation. We genuinely want you to become involved and become a part of the action of this wonderfully generous Charlotte Jewish Community.

(Ed. note: Reprint of speech given by Harry Lerner, Pres. of Federation, at UJA Sabbath, Temple Israel)

## KKK

A coalition of seven civil rights, religious and political groups called on city, county and school leaders on March 20 to oppose efforts by the Ku Klux Klan to recruit new members in our community.

Statements of opposition were made by Carrie Graves of the Charlotte Equal Rights Council as well as from the Charlotte Chapter of the NAACP, the Charlotte Black Political Caucus, The People United for Justice, the local chapter of the NCCJ, the Jewish Federation and the Greater Bethel AME Zion Church at a press conference at the Main Library that morning.

At the conference Marvin Bienstock warned that local community leaders must take a strong public stand in opposi-

tion to Klan activities. "It would be very, very wrong for us to feel complacent," he said, calling on religious leaders throughout the Charlotte area to denounce the KKK.

Though David Duke, the KKK Grand Wizard (of Louisiana), claimed that the Klan has changed its ways and no longer endorses violence, Dr. R.B. Phifer of the People United for Justice said, "Their message is the same — hatred — and so are their tactics of intimidation and violence."

The coalition emphasized that it would like city, county and community leaders to join them in speaking out against the Klan and also said it is gathering petitions signed by average citizens to emphasize their message.

## PIANO

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The JCC is in desperate need of a PIANO. If you have one or know someone who has one to donate, please call the JCC (366-0357) today. We would appreciate your help!



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