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There are many B'nai B'rith projects that no one hears about . . . B'nai B'rith is people, people who are concerned about global problems, national affairs and local conditions. This is what the Canadian Community and Veterans Service program is all about. CCVS and B'nai B'rith contribute to creating a better community, a better nation and a better world.

CCVS programs comprise citizenship education and preparation of new Canadians and also study of government, legislation and the United Nations.

CCVS is also involved in an annual B'nai B'rith Citizenship Citation for meritorious service to an outstanding citizen. A few years

W.K.-Maple Leaf Lodge

A busy schedule is being planned by this very active Lodge for the upcoming months.

On Nov. 27, 8:30 p.m., at the Viscount Gort, a general meeting will be held which will take the form of a group workshop, to be led by Barney Yellon, a family counsellor. All couples are welcome.

The Lodge is also planning its annual bowling party, to be held Dec. 13 at Empress Lanes at 8:45 p.m.

If you would like more information about West Kildonan-Maple Leaf Lodge please phone Robert Freedman, president, at 489-8356.

B.B. CALENDAR

Nov. 25 — Films by West Kildonan Lodge at both Hebrew Sick Gardens and General Monash Gardens.

Nov. 27 — W.K.-Maple Leaf general meeting — Viscount Gort — 8:30 p.m.

Nov. 29 — Manitoba Lodge Chanukah party for members.

Nov. 30 — Chanukah party for children by Manitoba Lodge.

Nov. 30 — W.K. Lodge Chanukah party for Jewish Health and Family Service.

Nov. 30 — Yachad Unit Chanukah Party for children.

Dec. 13 — Annual bowling party for W.K.-Maple Leaf Lodge, to be held at Empress Lanes.

go it was given to John Diefenbaker.

CCVS also co-operates with home and school associations, Boy Scouts, and other youth groups. For example, Garden City Lodge sponsors a local Wolf Cub Pack.

The chairman of the operation is Larry Hurlig, and management committee head is Max Reich.

If interested in getting involved in this project, or in anything else B'nai B'rith is doing, phone Cece at 947-0038 during the day or, better yet, ask a B'nai B'rith member.

B.B.Y.O. BRIEFS

Many people ask what B'nai B'rith Youth Organization is for, about its objectives.

BBYO is something of which everyone should be very proud. It serves over 30,000 teenagers on six continents. Some of the objectives of BBYO throughout the world are:

1. To help young Jews in their development according to individual capacities, so that they may lead satisfying and useful lives in both the Jewish community, and the larger one.
2. BBYO helps members feel at home in the Jewish community, and make contributions of distinctive Jewish values to their country's cultural mosaic. It helps enhance members' knowledge and appreciation of Jewish religion and culture.
3. To afford its members group life experiences which give them an understanding of our democratic heritage.
4. To offer supervised leisure activities in which youth adjusts to life by making friends, exploring and expressing individual interest and developing skills.

If interested in more information about BBYO, please call us at 943-4066.

B.B. History Early In the Century

During the early 1900s B'nai B'rith was very active in helping Jews around the world. In 1909 B'nai B'rith established a Washington office and in 1938 Supreme Lodge established permanent headquarters in the US capital.

In 1912, the organization participated in the Brussels Conference on Balkan relief work. In that same year they opened a home for orphans in Erie, Pennsylvania.

During World War I, B'nai B'rith was involved in helping thousands of Jews come to the United States to start a new life.

Women's Lodges began in 1909 when a group of San Francisco women organized Auxiliary No. 1.

In the year 1913, B'nai B'rith organized the Anti-Defamation League to combat anti-Semitism.

The early 20th Century saw great change in the organization; in the 1920s both B'nai B'rith Youth Organization and the Hillel Foundations were conceived.

Movie Program

A movie night and social for the people of Hebrew Sick Gardens and Monash Manor has been undertaken by the West Kildonan-Maple Leaf Lodge of B'nai B'rith. Chairmen are Hymie Rosenblatt and George Heidinger.

The program take place on the last Tuesday of each month. Refreshments are provided by the Garden City Chapter of B'nai B'rith Women.

The program has been an overwhelming success with over 125 people attending the movies, among which have been shown, That's Entertainment, and An American in Paris.

This month's movie is scheduled for Tuesday, Nov. 25.

Garden City 2240

On Nov. 24, at 8:30 p.m., at the Peretz School, Garden City Lodge will hold its monthly meeting, but with a difference.

This month the meeting is open to both men and women. The guest speaker will be Gary Scherba and the whole community is invited to hear him. For more information call Barry Chochinov at 582-2665.

Another program of the Lodge is a post-Chanukah children's party on Dec. 7, at 2 p.m.

The program includes Rabbi Altman in a display of the holiday and magician Brian Glow. Treats and traditional foods will be served.

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Miller's 'The Price' Is New MTC Play



MILTON SELZER

Len Cariou, artistic director, announces the cast for the second production in the 1975/76 season at Manitoba Theatre Centre, Arthur Miller's *The Price* (Nov. 21-23), directed by Robert Bilheimer with sets and lighting by Raymond Recht and costumes by Taras Korol.

The *Price*, considered by many as Miller's finest play, features Roland Hewgill as Walter, a successful surgeon who tries to win back his brother's friendship. Mr. Hewgill has appeared in many MTC productions, including *Cyrano de Bergerac*. Robert Benson, also in *Cyrano*, plays Victor, the policeman brother who has arranged the meeting to dispose of the father's effects. Angela Wood, a newcomer, is Victor's wife, Esther, and the role of Gregory Solomon, the furniture dealer-philosopher, is taken by Milton Selzer, who appeared in *The Sunshine Boys* last season.

Y Singles Group

The YMHA singles organization will hold a wine & cheese party at the Rosh Pina Synagogue, Saturday, Nov. 22, at 9 p.m. Dance music will be by Jim Carson's "Sound 71".

There will also be a Chanukah party featuring the kindling of the Menorah, games, singing and dancing on Wednesday, Dec. 23, at the YMHA at 8 p.m. Singles are welcome at both events. For further information call Bonnie Griffiths at 947-0601.

the house of the once wealthy family. Dominated by the past, they find it impossible to re-establish their sibling relationship. The elder was successful while the younger stayed to care for his ailing father and remained a police officer.

American playwright Arthur Miller won three drama awards at university. His second play, *All My Sons* received the Drama Critics Award as did *Death of a Salesman*. *The Crucible* and *A View from the Bridge* established Miller as a first-rate craftsman and two later plays, *After the Fall* and *Incident at Vichy*, consolidated his aim, in his own words, to present man "as a creature of society and at the same time as its creator".

Robert Bilheimer, directing at MTC for the first time, was artistic director of the Rochester Shakespeare Festival and recently assumed the position of assistant to the artistic director at MTC.

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B'nai B'rith Women Hold Essay Contest

B'nai B'rith Women, Central Canadian Council, are holding a Brotherhood Contest in the form of an essay on "What Is Brotherhood and What Does It Mean to Me." The contest is open to all public and parochial schools in Metropolitan Winnipeg for grades three to six.

Judging will be by members of the Canadian Council of Christians and Jews and members of the

the four grades will be presented trophies suitably engraved by McDonald's Restaurants. The presentation of awards will be during Brotherhood Week on Sunday, Feb. 22, 1976.

Contest rules:

1. The essay "What Is Brotherhood and What Does It Mean to Me" will be 100 words or less.
2. The essay will be handwritten. Entries will be judged on neatness, theme, use and content, and originality of thought.

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Authors Awards Dinner

The Free Press/Canadian Authors Association Non-fiction Awards Dinner will be held in the Charterhouse Motor Hotel Blue Room, York and Hargrave, Winnipeg, on Dec. 4. Cocktails at 6:30 p.m., dinner at 7:30. Members and their guests wishing to attend, please send notification and payment by Nov. 24, to Joan Saltzberg, 5 Salvia Bay, Winnipeg R2V 2L7. For further information phone her at 339-4825.

Winnipeg's campaign for 500 high-priority scholarships to assist needy Israeli students in attending Amal technical and vocational high schools is attracting widespread support from the Jewish and general communities.

Response was described as "enthusiastic and most gratifying" by Jack Walker and Murray H. Tapper, co-chairmen of the scholarship drive as well as the culminating dinner, to be conducted as a testimonial to Leon Mitchell, Q.C., in recognition of his distinguished record of public service and support for the Amal movement and other Israeli causes.

Both the campaign and dinner, to be held Sunday, Dec. 14, in Rosh Pina Synagogue, are under auspices of Winnipeg Chapter Canadian Friends of Amal.

teenagers who would be forced to drop out of school otherwise. Israel extended free education to Grade 9 last year but was forced to cut back to Grade 8; of 500,000 Israeli children in free primary schools, about 60 per cent will be forced to drop out after Grade 8 because their families cannot afford to send them to secondary schools.

"That's why the Amal scholarships have been accorded such a high priority," said Messrs. Walker and Tapper. "Through the Friends of Amal, communities across Canada can join the program to help equalize educational opportunities and to promote equal advancement for all of Israel's children."

Histadrut, which conceived and conducts the Amal network of schools in Israel, has decided to concentrate on Amal scholarships this year.

Messrs. Walker and Tapper reported that perhaps the most significant developments are the support from members of the judiciary, legal profession, union executives and leaders in municipal affairs and that all sections of the Jewish community are involved in the campaign.

Among those active on the committee are Mr. Justice Joseph F. O'Sullivan, Mr. Justice Scott Wright, Abe Yanofsky, D'Arcy McCaffrey, Dr. Isadore Wolch, Manitoba Mines, Resources and Environmental Management Minister Sidney Green, Mel Meyers, Greg Brodsky, Harold Buchwald, Jack Markson, Mrs. N. Koffman, John Aethim, Ruth Krindler, Wilfred De Graves, Len Stevens, Issy Sokolow, Yakir Freedman, Al Burstein, Don Gales, Miles Robinson, Jack Levit and Shelly Zitzerman.

Scholarship support through the Friends of Amal will provide opportunity for thousands of Israeli

An annual scholarship of \$250 will help maintain a young person in an Amal school for a complete term.

Canadian Friends of Amal have helped establish some 30 schools with an annual enrolment of over 20,000 students, many with scholarships and bursaries provided by the Canadian Friends.

Since inception of the Amal movement, over 200,000 young people have graduated and undertaken productive careers within the mainstream of Israel's society. There is an urgent need to expand facilities to accommodate an annual 4,000 youngsters with no place to go.

Some of the trades taught in the 40 vocational and high schools in the Amal network include electronics, mechanics and printing, dentistry, spinning and weaving, carpentry, hotel administration, factory and plant management and oil and water drilling.

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