

Noted Lecturer Adds to Book Fair's Success

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I would imagine that most of us are quite bored by now with the visitors who come to Las Vegas with a rather patronizing attitude toward us. They arrive with preconceived notions about the lack of sophistication of the local citizenry. Some of the guest lecturers, in particular, come equipped with two or three different speeches; - and usually present the "safe" or "happy" speech.

When I read the advance publicity attending the recent appearance at Temple Beth Shalom of Beulah Spigelgass Roth, author and lecturer who had lived and worked abroad for many years, I thought of Mel Brooks' 2000-year old man who had known the "great and near great". I expected to spend a pleasant evening hearing Mrs. Roth describe her encounters with some very famous people.

What a surprise, then, to find not only an intelligent and charming woman, but a woman with a viewpoint and the courage to present it. Mrs. Roth also had two speeches prepared but had decided to "tear up" the "safe" speech. She then proceeded to discuss with sympathy and understanding the problems of today's young people in a rapidly changing world; - their openness, their rebellion; - but also

Don't forget Saturday night's date at the Convention Center when Ray Charles Concert appears. This once-a-year treat is the best anywhere. If you haven't gotten your tickets yet, they can be purchased at the box office. See you there!

Don't forget the remainder of Dr. Henry Fisher's inspiring lectures, tonight, Fri., Dec. 16, the Sermon during Services and Sunday at 11 a.m. at the Temple.



BEULAH ROTH, SECOND FROM LEFT, WORLD TRAVELER AND LECTURER, WAS OUTSTANDING GUEST SPEAKER AT TEMPLE BETH SHOLOM'S THIRD ANNUAL BOOK FAIR. SURPRISE GUEST WAS LEONARD LOUIS LEVINSON, CENTER, NOTED AUTHOR, WHO WAS THE GUEST SPEAKER AT THE FIRST BOOK FAIR. COMMITTEE MEMBERS, WHO ARRANGED THE VERY SUCCESSFUL EVENT, ARE MRS. PRESTON FEINBERG, LEFT, CHAIRMAN, MRS. MAURY STEVENS, SECOND FROM RIGHT, CO-CHAIRMAN, AND MRS. HARRY WALLERSTEIN, WHOSE ASSOCIATION WITH AN EVENT IS ASSURANCE OF SUCCESS. MISS ROTH AND LEVINSON ARE SISTER AND BROTHER. ALSO ATTENDING WAS THEIR MOTHER, MRS. REBECCA SPEIGELGASS, 83, WHO IS ACTIVELY ENGAGED AS AN HONORARY MEMBER IN THE HOME FOR THE AGED IN L.A.

decried rebellion merely for the sake of rebellion. Mrs. Roth, herself a rebel in her youth, still today applies herself not only to worthwhile but also to unpopular causes. Whether or not we want to be, we are all involved and concerned with our youth and the audience responded enthusiastically to what she had to say.

Mrs. Roth also spoke of the people she had met while living in Europe with her late husband, Sanford Roth, a

A general meeting for election of officers for 1967 for the Jewish Young Adults of Las Vegas will be held this Sunday, Dec. 18, at 8 p.m. in the Danny Kolod Youth House at Temple Beth Shalom. Be there with your ideas and suggestions for activities in the coming year. For further information contact Judy Bennett at 385-1679.

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Happy birthday to Herman Kishner, and our best wishes for many more ahead. If Ripley's "Believe It Or Not" column were to hunt for the unusual, he need only visit the Kishner household.... their poodle Sanka, actually nurses their tiny Siamese kitten and even carries it by the scruff of the neck just like its mother would. Could it be that their dog is a latent cat???

Lynn and Paul Jacobson who now live in L.A., just had a baby girl. Their growing family now boasts of six children.

Those who would like to send a note of hello and get well to Mildred Fullman, can write to 951 N. Stanley Ave., L.A. 90046.

Will Schwartz ailing again. Hope your medics can get to the root of it soon so you can be your gay self again.

Those who weren't at the Temple last Sunday morning missed a Chanukah play which was truly a "production". In the short rehearsal span of less than three weeks, a wonderful group of Hebrew School kids acquitted themselves superbly. Rita Abby, who teaches art at the university, did the sets so ably, and Sisterhood served a lotke lunch enjoyed by all.

Jane Leonard is off to Austin for the holidays and Ruth Rabin is in Manhattan to celebrate her daughter Sandi Lewis' birthday, pregnancy, and the new year as well.

When the phone rings and it's Paris, France, calling, and this happens several times a month, and the guy files in to have dinner at an elegant and intimate dining



SALES MANAGER—Bill Haden Lincoln Mercury has appointed Leslie Schwartz as Lincoln-Continental sales manager. Schwartz has been associated with auto sales in Las Vegas for 15 years.

room here, it's gotta mean something, no? Ask Lita Zimmerman about Clyde Newton, Texas oilman and she's bound to glow!

Murry Posin's nasal surgery is over, and now he can breathe again, he says. Haven't seen him myself, but heard he looks great.

If your list of New Year's resolutions has one item on it, like how you're going to lose weight, and you know from the past that this was the first resolution that went by the wayside, don't despair. This year you can do it! Weight Watchers will open classes here in January and show you how you can be slim and stay that way with no pills, no mechanical devices and no gimmicks. Call 737-4639 for more information.

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