

Busy, Bright Lady Speaks To Sisterhood At Congregation Ner Tamid

Jane Schwartz will be the guest speaker at the Congregation Ner Tamid Sisterhood meeting that will be held February 10th, Wednesday evening at 7:30 p.m. in the Social Hall.

As the President of the Western Federation of Temple Sisterhoods, which encompasses ten states, Jane has a background in leadership, education and commitment to serving Jewish and humanitarian causes. This dynamic grandmother raised three sons, graduated from the University of California at Berkley and was very active at Temple Emanu-El in San Jose. She was President of the Sisterhood and served on the District board as Interfaith Chairperson, Budget

and Finance Chair, Area Director, Treasurer, a number of Vice Presidents and now as President.

On the national level, Jane has served a four year term as Vice-Chairperson for the Budget and Finance Committee and then as chair of that committee. Her favorite committee she served on, nationally, was the Communications Task Force.

Miami Home Asks For Jewish Thrift Shop By Any Other Name

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla. (JTA) — When is a Jewish thrift shop not "The Jewish Thrift Shop?"

A U.S. District Court in Fort Lauderdale may have to decide that

very question, following a suit filed by the Miami Jewish Home and Hospital for the Aged against a competing thrift shop operator.

The Palm Beach Jewish World reports that the Miami home is trying to stop the owner of Thrift Shops of West Broward Inc. from using the name "The Jewish Thrift Shop" for its shop in Hallandale.

The West Broward Organization opened that shop in 1986 at the former site of the Miami home's thrift shop, which moved less than two miles away. The organization operates a second shop in West Palm Beach called "The Jewish Thrift Shop."

The Miami home alleges that the West Broward organization is making people believe that "The Jewish Thrift Shop" is still operated by the Miami home, which calls its own thrift shop "Douglas Gardens Thrift Shops," "Miami Jewish Home and Hospital for the Aged Thrift Shops" and "Jewish Home Thrift Shop" in its advertising.

The home is seeking a permanent injunction against the organization and

This meeting will concern all women and will feature the fine movie "WE ARE THE WOMEN." "Dynamite" was the reaction of Mary Fox, President, Cong. Ner Tamid Sisterhood, who saw this movie at the "75th Annual National Federation of Temple Sisterhoods" convention that was held recently in Chicago, Illinois.

We in Las Vegas are especially proud and pleased to welcome Jane Schwartz to our community and look forward to her motivating talk, the super movie, and a special evening of meeting other women who are interested in enriching their lives through community work.

This evening meeting was especially planned for the women who have other commitments in the daytime. Members and non-members are encouraged to attend this meeting.

Mark your calendar now, WEDNESDAY, 7:30 P.M., FEBRUARY 10th, Congregation Ner Tamid, Jane Schwartz, for "WE ARE THE WOMEN."

David K. Barnhart, dictionary editor for Lexic House Publishers and former president of the International Linguistic Association, will present the first University Forum Series lecture of the new year. His presentation, titled "Editor on the Loose: View from the Dictionary Pit," is set for Feb. 9, 7:30 p.m., in John S. Wright Hall, Room 116.

In addition to the free public lecture, Barnhart will discuss the philosophy of language studies and the use of various dictionaries with Las Vegas librarians on Feb. 8 at 3:30 p.m. in the Clark County Flamingo Library auditorium.

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punitive damages for trade-name violations. It is also seeking damages in the amount of \$140,000, the amount the home claims it lost because of confusion surrounding the use of the "Jewish" name.

The president of a Conservative congregation linked to the Hallandale shop denies the Miami home's allegations. Andrew Medvin of Temple Beth Ahm in Cooper City blames the home's dipping revenues on its voluntary decision to move out of the thrift shop location that the

West Broward organization now occupies.

The complaint also alleges the West Broward organization has falsely implied that donations to its thrift shop are fully tax deductible.

According to a certified public accountant contacted by the Jewish World, that allegation could be made about a number of thrift shops -- and could cause the Internal Revenue Service to take a closer look at how all thrift shops are run.

The case is expected to go to trial sometime in February.

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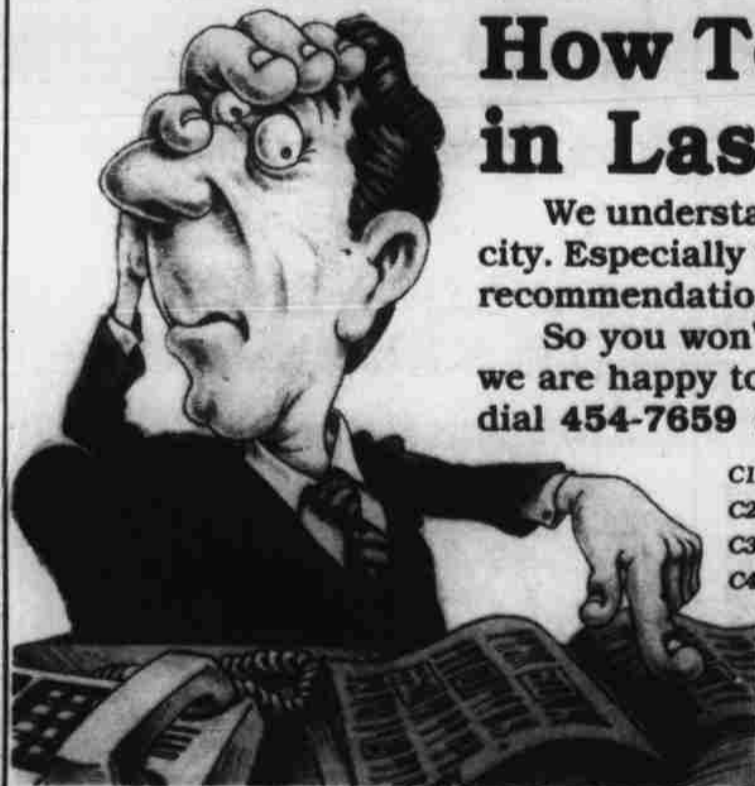
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