

## \$25,000 Pledged During Dinner for Jewish Sanitarium

**Brooklyn Center, Gathering Aids New Building on Rutland Road.**

More than \$25,000 were raised at the second annual dinner of the Jewish Sanitarium for Incurables held at the Brooklyn Jewish Center, 667 Eastern parkway, last night.

This was collected through the fifty dollars per plate received from more than 500 guests present and will be contributed to the construction of sanitarium's new building at Rutland road and East Ninety-eighth street.

The speaker for the evening was the Rev. Dr. Louis D. Gross, rabbi of the Union Temple. Presiding Justice Edward Lazansky who was also listed as one of the speakers arrived too late to make his address. He gave the organization his best wishes, however, for success in their enterprise.

Calling the Jewish Sanitarium for Incurables "a magnificent testimonial to the faith and beneficence of Brooklyn Jews," Dr. Gross lauded its organizers and spoke of the present need for such an institution.

"This proposed sanitarium has come at a most opportune moment," he said. "Two hundred helpless patients in the chronic ward of Kings County Hospital had to be taken out because of the fire hazard when there was no other place provided for them. This projected home for incurables, whose doors will soon be opened, will be a great boon to the people of Brooklyn."

The new sanitarium, a four-story building now under construction, is expected to be completed in June. It will house 300 beds and will contain modern scientific equipment for the treatment of paralyzed, hopelessly invalided and diseased patients.

Musical entertainment was provided last evening by Giuseppe Interrante, a baritone from the San Carlo Opera Company; Mme. Cornelia Zuccari, Albert Terrafi and M. Ichon.

The dinner committee consisted of Max Blumberg, chairman; Jacob H. Cohen, Bernard Lebovitz, M. E. Lubin, Jacob Ponemone, Mrs. I. Pollack, Jacob Rosen, Sol Kramer, Abraham Goldsmith, Mrs. I. B. Krinsky, Mrs. Samuel Rubel.

The sanitarium officers are Max Blumberg, president; Bernard Lebovitz, M. E. Lubin, Mrs. H. Elowsky and Mrs. Charles Rosenthal, vice-presidents; Jacob H. Cohen, executive secretary; Dr. A. Posner, treasurer, Mrs. Ethel Nagel, recording secretary.