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Honor Albert at Dinner Of Jewish Sanitarium

Isaac Albert, president of the Brooklyn Jewish Sanitarium and Hospital for Chronic Diseases, was honored last night at a testimonial dinner in the Hotel Waldorf-Astoria, Manhattan, attended by nearly 2,000 persons.

Albert, who has been president of the sanitarium for the past seven years, has been actively engaged in philanthropic and community work for the past 20 years. As an indication of the esteem in which he is held, he was presented with a scroll and a "lamp of knowledge" by his associates at the hospital.

The scroll was presented by Harry Meyerowitz, chairman of the board of directors of the Jewish Sanitarium. Meyerowitz cited Albert's many years of service to the institution, particularly the past seven years he has been president.

The "lamp of knowledge" award was made by Dr. Abraham M. Rabiner, clinical director of the hospital, on behalf of the medical staff. Albert has always been keenly interested in medical research. To this end, a check for \$60,000 was turned over to him for the furtherance of further research

in the hospital laboratories of a number of so-called "incurable" diseases.

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Others who spoke at the dinner, which climaxed the 25th anniversary celebration of the hospital, were Abe Stark, chairman of the dinner committee; Aaron J. Jacoby, chief clerk of Kings County Surrogate's Court; Hyman Barshay, noted attorney; Mrs. Minnie Tulipan, director of the hospital's social service department; Dr. David Kershner, president of the medical board of Beth El Hospital, and George Blumberg, chairman of the hospital's executive board.

Harry Hershfield, famous for his humor, was master of ceremonies. The invocation was given by Rabbi Ralph Silverstein of Madison Jewish Center.

The Jewish Sanitarium and Hospital for Chronic Diseases, one of the largest institutions of its kind in the country, located at Rutland Road and E. 49th St., now cares for more than 600 patients. A fourth building was recently opened and is now being equipped to care for an additional 200 patients. There are extensive research laboratories in the new building.