

GOV. SMITH TO SPEAK AT CORNERSTONE LAYING OF JEWISH SANITARIUM

Gov. Alfred E. Smith is expected to be one of the principal speakers at the laying of the cornerstone for the Jewish Sanitarium for Incurables to be constructed at Rutland road and East 49th street, Brooklyn.

The Governor has already designated his intention to attend the ceremonies which will be held on June 26th at 2 p. m. Only important official business may keep the chief executive of the state away.

The laying of the cornerstone will set in full swing the raising of \$250,000, the cost of construction for the hospital. More than 3,000 active Jewish folks of Brooklyn have joined hands in an effort to raise the necessary money.

The new institution, the first of its kind in the borough, will accommodate 250 incurables. The building will be of the most modern type, and it will have every convenience necessary to aid and comfort the unfortunates.

The well-known philanthropist, Max Blumberg; Supreme Court Justice Mitchell May, President of the Brooklyn Federation of Jewish Charities; Justice Edward Lazansky; City Court Judge Alexander H. Geismar, and Federal Judge Grover M. Moscowitz, are some of the leading men behind the Sanitarium project.

Mayor James Walker and several senators are also expected to attend.

Max Blumberg, chairman of the building committee, declared that the great number of paralyzed and crippled Jewish incurables makes such a sanitarium imperative.

"These unfortunates are suffering every moment of the day because of the lack of such a home as we plan to construct," said Mr. Blumberg. "For the sake of our self-respect, we Brooklynites must answer this crying need."

The headquarters of the committee in charge of raising funds for the Sanitarium, is located at 7 Graham avenue, Brooklyn.

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