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## By the Way

Tidbits and News of Jewish Personalities  
By DAVID SCHWARTZ

### Board of Miracles Working Then

About five years ago, when neither Phil Slomovitz nor I had as much as one gray hair, and life seemed like one great song, we both worked—that is, Slomovitz and myself, for the Zionist Organization of America.

I don't know whether Slomovitz recalls it. I am not sure that he was present at the time, but one afternoon, several of us were gathered around the nearest thing to a fireplace we had, and were talking of Palestine and its projects.

The head of the department was among those present, and I said to him: "How is it that Moses led the Jews into Palestine without drumming around for funds from the Jews of Ethiopia, and the Jews of Carthage and the Jews of Phoenicia?"

And the head of the department responded: "Well, they had a Board of Miracles working then, but the Board has adjourned."

And I responded that I thought that just the contrary was true—that the Jews of today were trying to work the miracles, but that Moses went at it, in a plan, common sense sort of way.

### Loaves and Fishes

Moses, I said, solved the problem of immigration in the plain, ordinary way that it has been solved immemorially, and he solved the problem of economics in a similar fashion. About all that he made the Israelites bring along with them was their cattle. That gave them milk—which is almost all that is necessary for food. It gave them also meat, and the cattle even helped to fertilize the land. Moses, I said, didn't establish any universities. Nor did he go in for heavy expenditures for education. He gave them certain rules of hygiene, but he didn't go in for a costly nursing system.

But we Jews of today, I continued, we are trying to work miracles. We are trying to repeat the miracle of the New Testament—to feed thousands with a couple of loaves and fishes. We are trying to take the little money that we have and spread it out on a bunch of secondary things instead of concentrating on settling Jews in the land.

Of course, what I was saying was not new—though at the time I was not aware of it. For Justice Brandeis was contending for a considerably similar idea—the idea of building up the country economically, and letting the country itself take care of the secondary things. But Brandeis was rejected at the time, with the results that are apparent today.

### "In Ole Virginny"

You remember the story in American history about the first attempt of the settlers of Virginia to establish a university when Virginia was just a rude colony.

Perhaps I remembered the story so well, for the fact that it was the first time that I had read the word "damn" in a text-book.

For those who don't remember the story, let me say, that some of the settlers came to the attorney general of the Virginia colony with an application for the establishment of a university there.

The applicants said that the university would provide for the souls of the Virginians.

And the attorney general was rude. He said: "Damn their souls. Let them raise tobacco."

I was shocked and you were shocked when we read the story, but who knows but that the attorney general was right?

### The Burden of Debt

I am saying all of this, because it is an open secret that the principal

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## JOSEF ROSENBLATT WILL GIVE CONCERT HERE ON WEDNESDAY

Appearance of World-Famed Cantor, In Infantry Hall, to be Exclusive in New England

Providence Jewry will have the distinct pleasure of hearing the renowned Cantor, Josef Rosenblatt, in concert on Wednesday evening, Feb. 10, at Infantry Hall. This is the only city in New Eng-



CANTOR JOSEF ROSENBLATT

land, in which Cantor Rosenblatt will appear on his triumphant trans-continental tour. This is the Golden Jubilee year that he has delighted audiences of two continents with his exceptionally beautiful voice. Critics of the entire nation have acclaimed him an artist of unusual ability.

Results to date from the sale of tickets throughout Rhode Island, Fall River, Taunton and New Bedford indicate that Cantor Rosenblatt's concert of fine music eagerly anticipated by the Jewish communities of these cities. His program will include the most popular compositions in his repertoire of Hebrew, Yiddish, German, French, Italian, Spanish and German selections.

Up to the present, the Cantor has been dividing his time between the Synagogues, concert appearances and philanthropic undertakings. In 1923, Rosenblatt appeared for a number of engagements in Europe. He drew a record audience of 5000 people at his farewell concert in London. In 1928 he gave 35 concert recitals in the leading cities of Europe and in 1929 he toured South America.

## JEWES IN SHANGHAI AREA NOT AFFECTED BY SINO-JAP CONFLICT

Jews in Foreign Settlements Active in Volunteer Corps; Jew Is Chinese Brigadier General

Shanghai, Feb. 5—(JTA)—Jews living in the war area have not been affected by the Sino-Japanese conflict, it was learned here Tuesday.

Many Jews, living in the American, English and French Settlements, are actively participating in the volunteer corps.

Resident in Shanghai are approximately 5000 Jews, the majority of them natives of Baghdad and India, engaged in business.

A Jew, it is learned here, is one of the leading figures in the Chinese Army. He is Brigadier General Morris Abraham Cohen. "Cohen Moisha," as he is known, has been closely identified with the fortunes of the Sun family for the past decade.

Of unknown origin—some accounts give his birthplace as London—he speaks English with a marked American accent and is thoroughly familiar with New York, Chicago and Winnipeg. Sun Yat-sen brought him to China ten years ago, where he remained as a body guard to the Sun family.

He was known as a crack pistol shot, and rumor had it that he had allegedly left Canada, where he was

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## HEINS WINGENFELD TO CONDUCT JEWISH COOKING SCHOOL

Internationally Known Jewish Dietitian at Jewish Food Show and Household Exhibit, March 1-2-3

The Providence Jewish Food Show and Household Exhibit, which will be held at Infantry Hall on March 1-2-3, will feature some of the most interesting demonstrations ever shown in Rhode Island.

Heins Wingenfeld, internationally known dietitian and chef, will direct the Kasher Cooking School every afternoon and he will prepare American dishes using only food products which comply with the Jewish Dietary Laws. This cooking school will be held in a most modern kitchen using the latest kitchen equipment and accessories. It is the first time that the Jewish women of Providence have been afforded an opportunity to witness a demonstration of this nature.

Leading manufacturers of food-stuffs have engaged space in the exhibit to demonstrate their products and their preparation in the Jewish home.

Educational talking pictures will be shown each evening and one of the features of the evening sessions will be a fashion review, showing the latest styles and fashions in women's wear and displayed on beautiful professional models.

The committee of one hundred women of the Sisterhood of Temple Emanu-El in association with The Jewish Herald are sparing no efforts to make this educational and entertaining three-day exposition one of the finest ever held in Rhode Island, one that will be of great interest to every Jewish man, woman and child. The largest and best known food manufacturers in the country are lending every aid and co-operation as well as dealers in home accessories.

The Sisterhood of Temple Emanu-El has appointed a large and capable committee to advertise this affair in every Jewish home in Rhode Island.

## JUDGE STERN CALLS FOR REORGANIZATION OF SYNAGOGUE WORK

Asks Assumption of Responsibility for Communal Activities; Plan Approved by Union Board

Newark, Feb. 5—(JTA)—A plan calling for a radical re-organization of Synagogue activities, in order to give Synagogue members and organizations a direct share in and responsibility for communal undertakings, proposed by Judge Horace Stern of Philadelphia, was adopted in principle here last Sunday at the semi-annual meeting of the Executive Board of the Union of American Hebrew Congregations.

The project was referred to the Central Conference of American Rabbis, for consideration with the request that it make its recommendations as to the advisability of carrying out Judge Stern's plan in its essential features, and the feasibility of enlisting the support of the Reform Congregations affiliated with the Union.

If carried out the plan would, in effect, create organizations for the purpose of co-operation with all major Jewish institutions.

Declaring that there is no "basic or comprehensive system whatever in our communal organization," and that many undertakings suffer because of this, duplication of effort, and the carrying of responsibility by only a few individuals in each community, Judge Stern called for the Synagogue to become the rallying force in the integration of Jewish life in America. His plan, he stated, may apply equally to Reform and Conservative Synagogues.

The project calls for the organization of the membership of each congregation into two groups, one for the men and the other for the women. Each organization, according to his proposal, is to function for the sole purpose of active Jewish communal work, and as representing the contribution of that Synagogue to the community.

To Parallel Communal Undertakings Each men's and women's organiza-

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## The Crisis Brings Dawn Of New Era For Jews

By OSCAR WASSERMAN

In these hard times that we are experiencing there has come also for us Jews a new period. Almost 150 years ago, after the French Revolu-

tion of 1789 there began an epoch for us Jews, which has now come to an end.

We Jews emerged from the Ghetto, full of hope, full of faith, henceforth to be freed from all miseries and oppression. This was an egregious error and remains so, because we expected help, progress, development from others which we should expect only from ourselves. What is happening today is a consequence of this cardinal error. Preserving our individuality and preserving our loyalty to Judaism we desired to penetrate the life of the nations among whom we lived and spread among them. This was impossible.

For centuries in the Ghetto we were allotted to but few callings and forcibly harnessed in them, so that when freed we were unable to obtain another vocational orientation, because emancipation was only an external act, since the Jew was despised and remained so. "Toleration" was a promising sign for us of what would be brought to us. Toleration! We were glad and contented when we were tolerated and we said to ourselves that time was working in our favor. Time will enlighten the others; it will improve them through their culture, their ethics, and then people will say that we, too, are human beings with perfectly justified equal rights. We have always expected others to step forward and improve our conditions and we ourselves did little or nothing in this direction.

We cannot today, as formerly, centuries ago, take Jews and Judaism as synonymous terms. Today they are quite distinct. And we must admit that for a large part of us, life has become completely denuded of its Jewish content. How may we find a way out? Those Jews who have abjured their Judaism gradually deserted us. German Judaism was always strengthened by East European Jews; but now also this has ceased.

Now it is a question of finding something that may be maintained in support of Judaism, new ideals, new thoughts. We lack every central authority, every means of cohesion which might make it possible to bring about a regeneration of the Jewish content in our life and to supply a remedy against the great division in order to make a way for the Jews in establishing an improvement of the relationship to our environment generally prevalent. And there is but one possibility for the Jews to join closely in one unity and that is Palestine. This unity can come about in no other way save through a thought about Palestine, the thought of restoration by us, not in the sense of a passive Messianism, which quietly awaits salvation, but in the sense of a unified and co-operative endeavor on the part of all Jews. It is clear that this is the right thought.

The Palestine idea of Zionism has made it possible to inspire and rouse for Judaism and Jewish thought many individuals formerly alien and lost to them. We have another proof. We are in the position of Jews colonizing a country. In but a few years there has arisen in Palestine an agriculture which may yet be greatly improved, but which indicates, that the Jew who studies in the Yeshiva, the Jew of Lodz who dealt in clothing, can become a farmer, that through his zeal and enthusiasm to bring about much good in a calling which was utterly strange to him.

In a few years we have established in Palestine, a city which today contains 46,000 inhabitants; Tel Aviv, a city in which only Jews reside, a city wherein all are Jews, from mayor and judge to policeman, night watchman and street cleaner. This city is as well managed as any city elsewhere; though it has debts, they have been virtually paid. I saw this city four years ago, where it suffered a crisis, somewhat similar to ours. Shops and factories then came to a standstill and there was much unemployment. I was then skeptical as to how such a city could be helped without a hinterland, without a harbor, without a sea-shore, supported on orange orchards in the vicinity. But the city was helped, not because the government

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## JACOB DE HAAS TO SPEAK ON HERZL AT EMANU-EL, FEB. 13

Noted Lecturer and Friend of Great Zionist to Address Institute of Jewish Studies

Jacob De Haas, veteran Zionist leader, author and lecturer, will speak next Saturday afternoon, Feb. 13, at



JACOB DE HAAS

Temple Emanu-El, on the "Life of Theodor Herzl."

Mr. De Haas comes to this city under the auspices of the Institute of Jewish Studies of Temple Emanu-El. His address will be the ninth lecture in a series of the ten greatest Jews in History. The lecture will begin promptly at 2 o'clock. Rabbi Goldman will preside. Admission is free to members of the Institute and a small charge will be made to all others. Admission cards must be obtained before the lecture.

Mr. De Haas is the outstanding biographer of the great Theodor Herzl and is the greatest authority on his life. Mr. De Haas was closely associated with Herzl in the earliest days of Zionism and remained with him until the time of his death.

## CALL TO JEWISH YOUTH TO ORGANIZE FOR SELF-DEFENSE

Paris, Feb. 5—(JTA)—Declaring that it cannot be possible that Jews are no longer able to rise to the heroism of their historic forefathers, Sholom Schwartzbard, avenger of the Jewish pogrom victims in the Ukraine, recently issued a stirring appeal to Jewish youth throughout the world to organize for self-defense.

In his appeal, Schwartzbard stated: "There is but one radical method left for us to take. We must answer the enemy with his own weapons. We will not be aggressors. We are the last to attack, but we must also be the last to yield."

## PRICELESS COLLECTION OF ROSENWALD PRINTS ON VIEW

Chicago, Feb. 5—(JTA)—A priceless collection of prints covering a period of 600 years, the property of Lessing Rosenwald, oldest son of the late Julius Rosenwald, is being shown at the Lakeside Press Galleries in Chicago.

It is said by art critics that the quality of the collection is such that even big public art museums would be unable to duplicate it despite their tremendous resources.

The exhibition reveals the Rosenwald collection to be particularly rich in "primitives." The oldest item is of greater interest as a curio than an art. It is "The Hand With the Mirror of Salvation."

# TEMPLE EMANU-EL

## SABBATH SERVICES

On next Friday evening, Feb. 12th, Rabbi Goldman will speak on the timely subject, "An Undelivered Speech at the Geneva Disarmament Conference." Services will be held at sun-down in the Chapel. Sabbath morning services will take place at 9 in the main Synagogue and the Junior Congregation Services at 10:30.

## WASHINGTON BI-CENTENNIAL SERVICE

On Friday evening, Feb. 19th, the congregation will hold a special George Washington Bi-Centennial Service. This is being held as part of the city and nation-wide observances of George Washington's 200th birthday. Participating in this service will be the Jewish War Veterans of the United States, who will attend in a body and in uniform and ten Jewish Boy and Girl Scout troops of the entire city. A special program is being arranged for that evening and further details will be announced later.

## RADIO BROADCAST

At the invitation of the Rhode Island Universalist Convention, Rabbi Goldman will broadcast a morning devotional service over WEAN on Monday morning, Feb. 8th, from 7:45 to 8. He will be assisted by Cantor Bettman, who will render appropriate selections, accompanied by Mr. Arthur Einstein.

## THE RABBI IN THE COMMUNITY

Rabbi Goldman will deliver an address on "Educational Problems" at the New England Conference of the

United Synagogue, to be held next Sunday, Feb. 7th, at Temple Mishkan Tifillah, Boston.

The Rabbi also addressed the annual meeting of the Chesed Shel Emes and the Americanization meeting of the B'rith Shalom Lodges.

He is shortly to be the guest-speaker at the annual banquet of the Knights of Pythias.

## TEMPLE CHORAL SOCIETY

A new group is being organized in the Temple, to be known as the Temple Choral Society. The first meeting of this group will be held on Tuesday evening, Feb. 9th, at the Temple at 8 o'clock sharp. Mrs. Israel Edelstein is chairman of this society and Arthur Einstein, choirmaster of the Temple, will be the leader. All who are interested in good music are eligible and are most cordially invited to attend the first meeting. Further information may be procured from Mrs. Israel Edelstein.

## DAUGHTERHOOD TO GIVE DANCE

On Saturday night, Feb. 27th, the Daughterhood of Temple Emanu-El will hold its first dance of the year. Extensive plans are being made by the committee, which consists of Evelyn Gertz, chairman; Evelyn Synder and Naomi White. The Brown Hill-toppers will furnish the music.

## FLORAL OFFERING

The floral offering for this Sabbath is the gift of Mrs. Samuel Blazar in memory of her dear departed father, Julius M. Levin, and is also the gift of Berrick and Dolores White, children of Samuel White, in memory of their grandfather, Morris Teath.

# TEMPLE BETH-ISRAEL

## SERVICES

The regular Sabbath service takes place Friday evening at 8:15. Cantor Joseph Schlossberg and full choir chant the services. This week Joshua Bell will occupy the pulpit. Saturday morning services start at 9:15.

## RELIGIOUS SCHOOL

The Religious School meets Sundays at 10 a. m.

## MAZEL TOV

Sincere congratulations and best wishes are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Agronick on the arrival of a son.

## TENTH ANNIVERSARY

The tenth anniversary committee, with Louis J. Bachman, as chairman, held a very important meeting last Sunday, at which plans for the banquet in conjunction with the tenth anniversary of the founding of the Temple, were discussed.

Sunday, March 6th, was the date decided upon. The banquet will be held in the Temple and promises to be one of the most outstanding affairs ever given by this institution since its founding.

## BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETS

A meeting of the Board of Trustees was held on Monday evening, Feb. 1st. The Chairman of the House Committee Jacob Licht, reported on the progress of remodeling the downstairs auditorium, where new school rooms will be added in order to relieve the congested situation of the Religious School. The stage will be enlarged and scientific lighting will be installed. Every school room will be light and airy and well heated.

The project is being financed by the Sisterhood.

The Chairman of the Tenth Anniversary Committee, Louis J. Bachman, reported on plans for the celebration event.

## SISTERHOOD MEETS

A regular meeting of the Sisterhood of Temple Beth-Israel was held on Monday evening, Feb. 1, in the Temple parlors. Mrs. Leo Weiner presided.

Reports were rendered by the various chairmen, Mrs. S. Ernstof, Social; Mrs. S. Deutsch, Membership, and Mrs. J. Bell, Bible Class. Mrs. A. White had a very gratifying report of the annual bridge.

It was voted to give a donation of \$5 to the United Synagogue Appeal and \$5 to the Joint Distribution Campaign.

Plans are already under way for the election of officers in April and Mrs. Leo Bojar, Chairman of the Nominating Committee, was chosen. Mrs. J. Licht, Mrs. Jacob Ernstof, Mrs. Harry Jagolnizer and Mrs. J. Keller will assist her.

Mrs. J. Licht has chosen not to divulge the nature of the affair which she is heading Feb. 22. Definite information will be announced later.

Hostesses for the evening were Mrs. Arno Wrzlawsky and Mrs. Carl Jagolnizer.

## CAKE SALE TO BE HELD AT THE OUTLET TUESDAY

Mrs. S. Sherman, assisted by an able committee, have completed arrangements for the cake sale to be held in The Outlet Company, Tuesday, on the third floor, where homemade cakes of all kinds, pies, cookies, preserves, etc., will be for sale. Anyone wishing to contribute to the sale call, Mrs. S. Sherman, Broad 7047.

Directors elected are: Dr. Samuel Starr, Myer M. Cooper, Lester Se-lonek, Max Tarnapol, Nathan Tem-kin, Dr. Israel Mandell, Joseph M. Finkle, Charles Silverman, Walter I. Sundlun, Arthur J. Levy, Dr. Banice Feinberg, Howard Presel, Dr. Ezra Sharp, Louis Chase, David Geffner, Alfred L. Morse, Benjamin Agronick, Joseph Rees, Samuel H. Workman and Herman S. Galkin.

Addresses were delivered by Mr. Workman and Executive Director Jacob I. Cohen, who explained the aims and purposes of the Center and its tremendous growth during the past five years. Following the business meeting entertainment was presented by Muriel Austin, accompanied by Beatrice Gross, Evelyn Siegal and Harry Seegal; songs and dance, Charlotte Sherer; songs and dance and a one-act play, "The Pot Boiler," by the following cast: Bob Mushnick, Leo Cohen, Arthur Fleisig, Minna Udisky, Ethel Schwartz, Al Gurwitz and Harry Seegal.

Refreshments were served under the supervision of Morris R. Sydel.

## EDUCATIONAL CONFERENCE

Providence has been honored by being chosen as the city for the first annual Educational Conference sponsored by the New England Association of Jewish Center Executives in co-operation with the Associated Y's of New England. The conference will bring to Providence persons engaged in club work, religious teaching, physical, musical, vocational and dramatic work in various Y's and Centers throughout New England.

Tentative plans include a conference dance, Saturday evening, April 9th; sectional meetings, Sunday morning, April 10th; a luncheon at 1 o'clock, the same day and sessions in the afternoon and evening. The conference will be held at the Narragansett Hotel. Executive Director Jacob I. Cohen is chairman.

## HEALTH EXHIBITION TO BE HELD IN JERUSALEM

New York, Feb. 5—(JTA)—A health and physical culture exhibition will be held at the Nathan and Lina Straus Health Centre at Jerusalem in connection with the Maccabee Jewish games next spring. A section of the exhibition will be given over to gymnastics, physical training and physical culture by Jews.

The twenty-six national organizations affiliated with the World Maccabee Union will simultaneously hold a special exhibit. An invitation has been issued to the Y. M.-Y. W. H. A. throughout the United States to participate in the exhibition.

# TEMPLE BETH-EL

## SERVICES

Samuel M. Gup's sermon topic for next Friday, Feb. 12, will be "The Immortal Glory of America." This subject is chosen in recognition of the birthday of Abraham Lincoln, the great American Unionist, Liberator and Humanitarian.

## SABBATH SCHOOL

On Sunday morning, the assembly will be conducted by the children of the Second Year High School, Miss Ethel M. Fish, teacher. The program will center about the life and work of Abraham Lincoln. The children who will read the service are Dorothy Kahn, Max Meller, Helen Fox, Joel Gunther, Mendos Hercov; cello solos, Helen Gerber; sermons, Ruth Tenenbaum and Earl Fleisig; closing prayer, Bertha Brill.

The teachers of the Sabbath School held their regular monthly session on last Friday night, following the services. They discussed, with the Rabbi, the work of the school for the ensuing term and the celebration of Purim. Special stress was laid on the vitalization of the Sabbath Eve Service in the home through the co-operation of the children.

Reports will be issued to the children on Sunday morning.

## DAVID LEFKOWITZ

Seldom has a more notable and impressive sermon been delivered from the pulpit than that which the Congregation heard on last Friday night

by the visiting Rabbi, David Lefkowitz, of Dallas, Texas. In the treatment of his subject, "The Two Challenges to Israel," he had in mind the words of Judge Louis Brandeis, "That the people of Israel still have within themselves the quality of prophecy," and the article published by Harper's last November, from the pen of Prof. William Ortin, Smith College, to the effect that "Judaism is the only religion capable of meaning to civilization today." In the elaboration of his thesis, Dr. Lefkowitz indicated that the Synagogue is the primary factor in the continued existence of the Jew, "Congregational loyalty, therefore," he averred, "is more needful in these times than ever before."

## NEWLY APPOINTED TEMPLE COMMITTEE

The newly appointed committee at the Temple consists of the Sabbath School Committee, Albert A. Cohn, chairman; Louis R. Golden, Gustave E. Koppe, Dr. Benjamin Rouslin, Mrs. Milton Fuld, Mr. Samuel Wolfe and Mrs. J. George Nathanson.

The following committee has recently been appointed further to vitalize this memorable year in the history of the nation, the Bi-Centennial of George Washington's Birthday: Walter I. Sundlun, chairman; Colonel Benjamin Levin, Jacob Edelstein, Maurice L. Fox, Jean Jacques, Albert Kleinberger, Leo Logan, Isadore S. Low, Harry Rosen, Abraham Kestelman.

Rabbi Samuel M. Gup has been elected a member of the corporation of Butler Hospital. He has also been made a member of the State Chapter of the National Old Ironsides Patriotic Association.

The next meeting of the Book of the Month Club will be held Sunday evening, Feb. 7.

On next Wednesday, Feb. 10, Rabbi Gup will address the Men's Club at their Noon-Day Luncheon on the subject, "The Leading Current Jewish Events of the Past Month."

## Dramatic Baritone to Appear in Concert at F. R. Temple Beth-El

Leon Kairoff, the dramatic baritone that will appear in a concert in Fall River at Temple Beth-El on Tuesday evening, Feb. 23, on the Community Forum series, arranged by the Y. M. and Y. W. H. A., was given great praise by Eddie Cantor at a testimonial dinner recently tendered to Dr. Jacob Glass at the Park Central Hotel in New York, at which both entertained.

"I was never so agreeably surprised and awed at your performance, I see a new star above the horizon," said Cantor.

# CENTER BROADCASTS

## RABBI LEVI TO SPEAK

The fourth star in the Jewish Center all star course will be Rabbi Harry Levi of Temple Israel, Boston, who will speak at the Jewish Community Center, Sunday evening, Feb. 14th. The coming of Rabbi Levi has been expected for many months because his reputation as a speaker preceded him.

## CHELSEA TO PLAY

Chelsea "Y" will stage a basketball battle with the Jewish Center team Saturday evening, Feb. 6th. The Providence boys are in excellent shape after the Worcester game last week, when they won from that strong aggregation. A keen battle is expected this coming Saturday. As usual, dancing will follow the game.

## GIRLS' BASKETBALL

The J. C. C. girls' basketball team has been extremely active, having played thus far for the Girls' City Club and the Nickerson House. On Saturday evening, Feb. 20th, the girls will again make their appearance on the J. C. C. court to play the Y. W. C. A. of Providence. Games have also been arranged with the Hartford Young Women's Hebrew Association to be played at home, Saturday evening, March 5th, and in Hartford, Saturday evening, March 19th.

## J. C. C. PLAYERS ENTERTAIN

Last Tuesday evening, the J. C. C. Players entertained members and friends. Specialty numbers were given by Evelyn Siegal and Harry Siegal, a playlet, entitled "Finders Keepers," was given by the following cast: Miriam Bell, Arthur Fleisig and Rebecca R. Goldstein. Mrs. Starr, coach, is now making preparations to present a musical comedy with the assistance of Madame and Professor Russakof. The first tryouts for the comedy will be held Tuesday evening, Feb. 9th, and all those who are interested are requested to come.

## J. Y. M. A. TO MEET

The next meeting of the Jewish Young Men's Association will be held next Sunday afternoon, Feb. 7th. An interesting program has been arranged with Mr. Walter Adler as the principal speaker. Entertainment, boxing and other numbers will be on the program. Al Gurwitz is chairman of the committee.

## LEAP YEAR DANCE

Miss Ann Chackmaster, chairman, is busily engaged in preparing for the Leap Year Dance to be held under the Y. W. auspices, Tuesday evening, Feb. 23rd, in Froebel Hall. Miss Chackmaster assures that this event will be one of the finest of the season.

## LIBRARY FUND BENEFITS

The Y. W. bridge held Wednesday evening, Jan. 27th, was successful and brought a substantial sum to the Jewish Center Library Fund. Miss Mollie Bercovitz was chairman.

## SAPINSLEY ELECTED

Milton C. Sapinsley was elected President of the Jewish Center Men's Association at the organization meeting held last Thursday evening, Jan. 28th, at the Center. Other officers elected were:

Vice President, Morris R. Sydel; Secretary, Saul E. Faber, and Treasurer, David Isserlis. The Board of

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**NUR MATCH FACTORY MAY CLOSE AS DUTY DOUBLED**

Haifa, Feb. 5—(JTA)—The Nur Match Factory at Acre is faced with the immediate prospects of closing down, as a result of the new ordinance concerning the duty on matches manufactured and sold in Palestine, it is disclosed recently.

The manufacturers state that the duty has been virtually doubled under the new regulations.

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**LECTURES OF HEBREW POET BARRED; STAY IS LIMITED**

Jassy, Feb. 5—(JTA)—Nathan Bistrizky, Hebrew poet of Jerusalem, on a tour of Roumania in the interests of the Jewish National Fund, was recently prohibited from delivering any further lectures on the subject of "Moscow and Jerusalem," and his stay in the country was limited to twelve days by order of the authorities.

A lecture, which Mr. Bistrizky was delivering on "Moscow and Jerusalem," was interrupted by the political police, who ordered him to present himself to the authorities in Bucharest within 24 hours.

Due to the intervention of the Bucharest Zionist Organization, the planned measures against him were rescinded, but the stay in the country was cut short.

**ZIONISTS SERIOUSLY INJURED IN COMMUNIST ATTACK**

Warsaw, Feb. 5—(JTA)—Several Zionist youths received serious stab wounds when Communists in the village of Laskarzew, near Warsaw, demolished the Zionist library and attacked its inmates.

The proprietor of the structure housing the library was also attacked for renting his premises to Zionists. Several arrests were made by the local authorities.

**Jewish Centers to Observe George Washington Bi-Centennial**

A circular letter has been addressed to hundreds of organizations, Y. M. and Y. W. H. A.'s, Jewish Community Centers and Jewish cultural organizations of various types, by the National Jewish Welfare Board, with which these organizations are affiliated, referring to the observance of the birthday of George Washington. This year's celebrations will be of unusual significance by virtue of the fact that they will mark the two hundredth anniversary of Washington's birth.

Religious services will be held in Jewish Centers on the Friday evening and Sabbath morning preceding Washington's birthday on Monday, Feb. 22nd, and will be devoted to a discussion of the life of Washington with special emphasis upon his relations to the American Jews of the Revolutionary period.

The board has also recommended that the Jewish Centers carry out the request of the United States George Washington Bi-Centennial Commission that all civic holidays observed between Feb. 22nd and Nov. 24th (Thanksgiving Day) be correlated with the bi-centennial of Washington's birth.

A bulletin, which will be helpful in the carrying out of programs in observance of Washington's birth has been made available by the board. It includes references to biographies and stories of Washington, quotations relating to Washington and his writings, suitable subjects for addresses, essays, discussions and debates and titles of playlets, tableaux, dances, motion pictures and stereopticon slides.

**The Younger Generation**

By NINA KAYE

There was a party at the Frank's. Light and music streamed from the casement windows, open to the late summer evening. Cars were parked in a semi-circle on the broad driveway and stretched in neat rows down the street.

Inside, couples in the close embrace permitted to the music of Hal Halliday's orchestra, moved across the glistening floor like marionettes on wires. There was a grim seriousness about their movements, hardly a smile and not a laugh split the dead earnestness of their dancing.

Women, who fondly believed they didn't look a day over thirty, danced with men whose golf had not kept their waistlines down. Men, whose dignity dominated a directors' meeting, stepped stiffly, heads bobbing, looking exactly like pigeons.

Celia Frank, slim and lovely, her black hair drawn tightly back from her oval, olive face, paused a moment in the doorway, a frown between her fine dark eyes. Then, before she could be noticed, she tiptoed quickly toward the stairs and raced up as she heard the music stop and the soft smother of voices and clapping.

In her room, she stood for a moment staring idly into the mirror. "I should have come home to dinner, instead of staying talking so long with Gene. Maybe I'd have had a chance to speak to mother."

But she turned impatiently away. Surely there were guests for dinner. And before that, mother would have been too busy getting ready, with all the last minute plans for such a big party.

Celia raised her arms above her head and flung herself across the bed. There was so much to think about, such bold, brave, young thoughts.

Much, much later, Celia heard the house settle down to silence. Mother would be in her room now. Would she be too tired to talk?

Celia hurried down the hall. Mrs. Frank sat before her dressing table, patting a fresh coat of cold cream and powder into her face.

"Oh, mother, I waited up for you. I wanted to tell you—"

Lovely and statuesque, one could see that the mother had been just such a girl as Celia.

"Aren't you out, darling?" she asked impatiently. "I thought when you didn't come to dinner—but don't keep me now. We're going out, now that the whole crowd is gone. Both your father and I feel a drive would do us good. We might stop at Johnny's Tavern. I never can go to sleep right after a party."

Eager hands dropped to her sides. Celia's throat caught in disappointment. "But, mother, I wanted to talk. I never see you any more. Felicia won't let me in your room in the morning, and you're never home for lunch."

Mrs. Frank rose hastily, gathered her gold cloth wrap over her handsome shoulders and passed her arm around her daughter's waist as they left the room. "Just wait, darling," she cajoled, "next year you'll be 'out.' Then you'll be going every place with mother. Luncheons and bridges and teas. I'm planning the most wonderful parties for you!"

In her own grey and orchid room, Celia went into the taffeta pillow. "Next year! Next year!"

Celia found Gene in the laboratory he had rigged up back of his father's three-car garage. He wore a faded green smock and his face and hands were far from clean.

Swinging into the shed with a brief "Hello," Celia hung her pert hat behind the door, donned a smock as faded and dirtier than Gene's and came toward the work table with reverence in her eyes. She squinted through the microscope, carefully examined the cultures in the glass trays before she spoke. "What did they say?" she asked.

Gene shrugged. "They got in late. They'd been to a party. Your house, I think. I tried to talk to dad at breakfast, but he snapped and barked and drank gallons of black coffee. You have any luck?"

Celia shook her head. "Mother made a date with me. For next year!"

"Next year!" She nodded, tears gathering in the corners of her eyes. "Nowadays, parents haven't time for anything serious. They're always so busy with their everlasting parties and tearing around from one place to another 'that's just exactly like the last one.'"

Catching her to him, gently, tenderly, Gene smoothed her hair. "Well, anyway, we've got our work. And then, when we're through college and are married, we'll go on with our experiments. No running around to wild parties like mother and da. No wonder dad's such a grouch in the morning. I can't see how he gets any work done, with so little sleep."

Celia sobbed against his shoulder. "But we've got to tell them. Mother's got to know soon, if I'm going to college this fall."

Gene thrust her away. "Does she? Does she care what you do? Does she care about anything but herself? Only after you become one of her social graces will she care about you. I'm the only one who cares about you, darling. We'll get married now. Then you won't have to get her permission to go to college. And we can go right on with our experiments, working together, all our lives!"

Quickly out of the faded smocks, out into the sunshine and Celia's smart, grey roadster. Across the state line and 18 was of legal age.

There was one table less at bridge at Mrs. Mortimer Schwartzberger's that night. The Franks and the Baums had not come.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank sat in their deserted drawing room. A crumpled, yellow piece of paper was passed back and forth between them. They stared at it and at each other and had nothing to say.

Presently the door bell rang and the butler showed in Mr. and Mrs. Baum. Mrs. Baum held a whisp of handkerchief to her trembling lips and she, too, clutched a crumpled, yellow piece of paper. Mr. Baum maintained his portly dignity.

The four of them re-read the telegrams, stared at each other and shook their heads.

It was Mr. Baum who finally voiced the sentiments of the assembled four. "Well, they're married. There's nothing we can do about it. Gene's got enough money—from his grandmother—so see them through. Going abroad to study, did you read that? I tell you, I don't know what it's coming to, this younger generation!"

**MIZRACHI LEADER KILLED IN MOTOR CAR COLLISION**

Jerusalem, Feb. 5—(JTA)—Chaim Engel, a Mizrahi leader, was killed recently in a motor car collision near B'nai Brak.

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## Jewish Calendar

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ROSH CHODESH VE ADAR	WEDNESDAY, MARCH 9
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ROSH CHODESH NISSAN	THURSDAY, APRIL 7
1ST DAY PESSACH	THURSDAY, APRIL 21
7TH DAY PESSACH	THURSDAY, APRIL 27
ROSH CHODESH IYAR	SATURDAY, MAY 7
LAG B'OMER	TUESDAY, MAY 24
ROSH CHODESH SIVAN	SUNDAY, JUNE 5
1ST DAY SHABUOTH	FRIDAY, JUNE 10
ROSH CHODESH TAMMUZ	TUESDAY, JULY 5
FAST OF TAMMUZ	THURSDAY, JULY 21
ROSH CHODESH AB	WEDNESDAY, AUG. 3
FAST OF AB	THURSDAY, AUG. 11
ROSH CHODESH ELLUL	FRIDAY, SEPT. 2
ROSH HASHONAH	SATURDAY, OCT. 1
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1ST DAY SUCCOTH	SATURDAY, OCT. 15
7TH DAY SUCCOTH	SATURDAY, OCT. 22
YOM KIPPUR	SUNDAY, OCT. 23
1ST DAY TORAH	MONDAY, OCT. 31
ROSH CHODESH CHESHVAN	WEDNESDAY, NOV. 30
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FIRST DAY CHANUKAH	THURSDAY, DEC. 29
ROSH CHODESH TEBETH	THURSDAY, DEC. 29

### THE OLD ORDER

The recent utterances of Helen Gould Shepard, favorite daughter of Jay Gould, crystalize in a measure some of the popular misconceptions of our present day. Everywhere about us we hear many and varied statements regarding man's attempt to make laws unto himself for his own individual happiness, without regard to God. More generally known as Atheism or Agnosticism, this contemporary groping of the intelligent man or woman to discover a real rather than a traditional faith has been attacked from every side by those who have been content to accept without thought the traditions of their ancestors.

Helen Gould Shepard is perhaps sincere in her political and Sunday School speeches; but her wholesale campaigns against Bolshevism and Communism and Atheism seem to be conducted more on principle than by a vigorous inquiry of her mind. Such an attitude in the present day and age is a certain assurance of ineffectiveness. Because we are earnest in our hope that the faith and traditions of Israel shall continue unto the last generation, we also wish to impress the popular conservative with the importance of the liberal attitude of religion.

The harm of such organizations as the League for Industrial Democracy and the American Association for the Advancement of Atheism is negligible. All kinds of ideas should be aired and tossed about. If they are made of good stuff, they will endure; the flimsy of falsehood soon perishes in its own tatters. Indeed, one group was intelligently given the hospitality of the Union Theological Seminary for its meetings. Such an attitude is helpful, as is the effort of New York's modernist clergyman who has been taking theological students to visit Anarchists, Communists, I. W. W.'s, Socialists and union labor leaders, in order to acquaint them with an aspect of life and thought which is foreign to them.

The old order of things made only one course of life seem possible. But that should have perished in the doubt and dismay of a decrepit Victorianism. The new and progressive religious attitude is constructive, not when it accepts traditions blindly, but when it tears down and builds anew, straighter, fresher and stronger, to endure itself until a younger and a more enlightened race of man shall be born to tear it down. Our ancestors, if they are in the kingdom of eternal light, will not be outraged if what was the word of God to them seems to have lost its significance for us. We must find God in our own generation for ourselves, if he is to be a real and living God, and not a shadow. Judaism will live more righteously insofar as it is willing to draw strength from the present as well as from the past, and with a new and fresh beauty.

### By the Way

Tidbits and News of  
 Jewish Personalities  
 By DAVID SCHWARTZ

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 trouble facing the Zionists now is the weight of the debt incurred by the provision for the educational system, and other secondary purposes in the past.

Instead of buying more land, and getting more settlers in there, we went off trying to match Harvard and Princeton—and establishing a complex school system, lest perchance some of the younger Palestinians might be able to conjugate the Greek verb, and send nurses to teach them how to use the tooth brush. I am not against the use of tooth brushes, but I might point out that for at least 100 years after the establishment of the thirteen original colonies in America, there wasn't a solitary tooth brush in one of them.

### Martha and Mrs. Bloom

Asked where she went last summer, Mrs. Sol Bloom, wife of Congressman Sol Bloom, who is chairman of the George Washington Bi-Centennial celebration, replied: That she had remained in Washington.

"We didn't go anywhere. I figured out that if Martha Washington could stick it out here with General Washington, I could stick it out here with Sol."

So, Mrs. Bloom is quoted by the Washington correspondent of the New York World-Telegram.

We hate to correct a lady, but Mrs. Bloom should read more of the literature that the committee which her husband heads is publishing. She will find, if she does, that Martha Washington never stuck it out with George in Washington, that the capital of the country when George Washington was President, was New York.

### Blundering Governments

Speaking of Zionist blunders, we may perhaps find dubious consolation in the similar blundering of general non-Jewish statesmanship. The thought comes to me with particular force, after reading a little booklet on the present depression by Laurence A. Steinhardt, a partner of the firm of Guggenheim, Untermyer, of which the late Louis Marshall was a member.

Consider, for instance, the following paragraph from the aforesaid booklet: "At a time when it was generally known that Europe, South America and the Orient were having great difficulty in paying their national and commercial debts to the United States, and when the total of these debts vastly exceeded the total gold supply of the world, and when the United States had already had in effect the highest tariff in the world, the President of the United States, who had promised a business administration and to do away with poverty and unemployment, called the Congress of the United States into special session for the sole and express purpose of increasing the tariff."

Think over one of these sentences again: Trying to get as payment of debts more gold than there is in the world. Who tried to do this? Why, our own greatest statesmen.

### Her Jewish-Indian Majesty

Norman Hapgood, at a luncheon given recently by the Jewish Telegraphic Agency to Sir Norman Angell, remarked that when he had approached Mr. Morgenthau about Zionism, Morgenthau replied: "What's the matter with New York?"

And I suppose Nancy Anne Miller would probably say:

"What is the matter with India?" It appears, from advice received from my private sleuths, that Nancy or the Maharane of Indore is a little Hebrew maid. Her grandfather, Schaefer, so I am told, was formerly active in Joint Distribution work.

We had a Queen in Roumania for a while, and now we have a Maharane. If we could only prove Pocohontas was Jewish! And it does sound, doesn't it, a little like Rivkeh?

### Mrs. Davie and the Rebbe

New York is flooded with Chasidische Rebbes, who dabble in kabalistic arts of necromancy and fortune telling.

There are, of course, some plain frauds among them, but there are others, who are quite sincere in their practice.

There is one in particular, whom I am thinking of, who will take no money for his mystic pursuits, or rather to be more accurate, refuses to take any for himself and devotes it to the upkeep of a certain European "Yeshivah."

He has a patronage among some

### Farewell Message of Mrs. Milton Fuld as She Relinquished Gavel to Mrs. Benjamin N. Kane, New President of Jewish Orphanage Auxiliary

To the Officers and Members of the Auxiliary of the Jewish Orphanage.

Time is a sort of river of passing events and strong as its current, no sooner is a thing brought to sight than it is swept by and another takes its place. Three years have passed which seems but yesterday that I was installed as your President. I have had the honor of representing you on the Board of the Orphanage proper which I have enjoyed very much; also served and represented you on the Admittance and House Committees; investigated nearly all cases with the committee of all applicants and in several cases taken children to the doctor to be examined before admittance.

We have held meetings every January, March, May and October and this last year, one in December, all being well attended. The outstanding meeting of this year being the get-together on May 26.

Our activities during the past three years have been Family Welfare, Mothers' Aid, Children's Entertainments through the Auxiliary and individual. We have remembered the children on birthdays and graduations, Bar-Mitzvahs, Confirmations and holidays.

In accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Directors, the Auxiliary has made it a special object to look after those children who have left the Home, particularly in the case of girls, both in regard to finding them suitable places to live and to advise and consult them.

During the summers, the Auxiliary saw to it that the younger girls had the opportunity of a two weeks' stay each year at the Council Camp. Each year we have paid \$5 tuition for one of the boys at the Rhode Island School of Design, for two years gave

\$25, and this past year \$50 towards the educational fund for another young man who is attending Rhode Island State College. We have also help to secure Mrs. Charles Bojar for a leader for the Girls' Scout Troop. We took an active part in all the Community Chest Drives.

Through the kindness of Mrs. Leo Weiner, on behalf of the Confirmation Class of 1930-31 of Temple Beth-Israel, six trees have been planted on the lawn.

The Auxiliary, at its meeting in May, presented the Home with a piano in memory of Daniel Donig, who was the children's friend. Now my task as your President is nearly ended. I relinquish this office grateful and proud and happy in the thought of having served so worthy a cause.

My regime, however, has brought its sorrows as well as its joys. With deep reverence, we recall all those who have answered the call of the Grim Reaper. Let us pause in their memory. Our sympathy goes out to their dear ones. May God grant them strength and faith and may they find consolation in the hope that "Every cloud has a silver lining."

To my officers and members who have so faithfully supported me, I am truly grateful. To you, my successor, I am about to surrender the gavel. I am grateful to feel that it is passing into the hands of one who will lead the organization to greater heights of achievements.

I have tried my best to fulfill my office to the best of my ability; if I have succeeded, I am happy, if I have failed you, I am sorry. Again to all my officers and members, many, many thanks.

Respectfully submitted,  
 MRS. MILTON FULD.

### The Crisis Brings the Dawn of a New Era for the Jews

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helped it or because help came from without, but because then 38,000 Jews daily sought a way out of their misery through self-help. And they emerged successfully. The city is today without any unemployment and not a single industry collapsed and it is our hope that it will not have to suffer under the present world crisis more than is necessary.

It is important to remember that he who is interested in Palestine and actually takes a part in what is happening there, co-operates with the spirit demonstrated there and supports the work there, such an individual will realize that he receives more from Palestine than what he can give it. He sees there a land in the making, a land with Jewish settlements, a land where Jews can live and work, not as among us in the Diaspora, where Jews after all are but tolerated, but a land where they are naturally and unapologetically Jews and as such can follow their respective callings. What is taking place in Palestine and will yet take place there may be regarded as an extraordinary phenomenon.

The Arab problem, which is of a very serious nature, could not yet be solved. This is so, not because the feeling of the Arabs militates so vio-

lently against us, but again because we await salvation from without, from the British government, from the League of Nations and not from ourselves. This is due to the fact that we ourselves are not sufficiently active. The Arab does not scorn the Jew, but he fears him; he believes the Jew means to drive him out of the land. But since we do not desire this and could not do and also should not because of moral reasons, then it could not be difficult, if honorably desired, to find a way to an understanding. Fanaticism will quickly vanish. Attempts to bring about a boycott will miss their point. It is manifest that hostilities are always but occasional. The Arabs attacks are dreaded more in Berlin, London and New York than in Palestine proper.

We should not imagine that the Palestine settlement is a simple matter. It is a difficult country and it needs a great enthusiasm and a great readiness for sacrifice, in order to settle it in such a manner, that we may be able to demonstrate to ourselves and to the world what Jews can do, not as merchants and shopkeepers, but as creators in the primary and pioneer elements of the building of a natural and normal economic life. We can perform in Palestine a historic work. We can here create a new future for Judaism and that is why every Jew, regardless of his religious outlook and political affiliations, must share in this work. This is not a passing matter of a day's concern. When the Jews went out of Egypt, it took them 40 years to enter Palestine. Even then it might have been achieved in less time, but it is reported that the Jews who had lived in Egypt and were steeped in Egyptian culture — which was not an inferior culture, to be sure, but a different one—these Jews could not build up a new land of their own; only the following generation was designated for this task. Respect is thus especially due the Jew of Lodz who is today cultivating the soil. He has attained good results. But only his son who will have grown up on the soil, who knows the secrets of the soil and climate, will achieve that which must be achieved. The Hebrew University at Jerusalem may attract the most professors from all the world, but it will have a real significance only when it has Jewish students who have sprung from the soil, who have experienced the life of Palestine from the very day of their birth.

We are good Germans and would remain so. But our German nationality and affiliations by no means suffer if, out of the purest motives and reasons, such as origin and past, work for a Jewish future, a future that will mould for us Judaism anew, a future which will derive contents from a Jewish way of life and which for a second time attains a state when great things will come out of Zion for the benefit of mankind. Jewish toil and achievements in Palestine are to serve not only us, not only the Jews of the world, but all the world.

of the most elite non-Jews as well as Jews. I am told that during the last Presidential campaign, he was visited by Mrs. John W. Davis, the wife of the Democratic nominee for President.

"Will my husband be elected President?" she asked him at the time.

"No," he replied, "but he will, if he runs again."

But the trouble is now—how can he get nominated?

### Quotes

Samuel Hofferstein, poet and movie writer: "We writers for the motion pictures, here we work our fingers to the bone, take abuse from our lords and masters, and what do we get out of it? A fortune."

Dr. Abraham A. Brill: "Valentines are symbols. They are often startling avowals of desire and frustration."

### This and That

Arthur Goodman's "If Booth Had Missed," which won a national university prize, will have a Broadway staging in February. Goodman at one time was publicity exploiter of the Haym Salomon monument.

Louis P. Rucker, chairman of the Finance Committee of the Zionist Organization, combines stock-broking and farming, and is a success at both.

Felix Frankfurter is said to be one of the most intimate advisers of Secretary of State Stimson.

Walter Winchell, Jewish boy columnist, and Kobler, Jewish boy publisher of the Mirror, on which Winchell works, don't get along so hot, but Winchell should worry.

# Happenings of Interest in the Women's World

ORGAN OF THE LEAGUE OF JEWISH WOMEN'S ORGANIZATIONS

All news for this page MUST be in this office by Tuesday  
PAULINE CHORNEY, Women's News Editor

## Home for Aged Honors Memory of Mrs. Shein and Mrs. M. Feinberg

The memory of two of the most active charitable workers in the city, Mrs. Ida Zelda Feinberg and Mrs. Regina Shein, who passed away within the past three months, was honored at a most impressive memorial service held by the Jewish Home for the Aged on Wednesday afternoon in the parlors of the Narragansett Hotel. Mrs. Jennie Goldsmith presided.

Mrs. Milton Fuld, who opened the services, is to be congratulated on the finesse with which she arranged this event, so beautiful in its dignity and impressiveness which the memories of these two beloved women deserve. Mrs. Isaac Woolf delivered a eulogy for Mrs. Feinberg, mentioning her activities in the various organizations, and Mrs. Susie Pollack gave an eulogy for Mrs. Shein, former President and Honorary President of the Home for the Aged.

White carnations were placed in the two vacant chairs set for the departed women.

An excellent program of music was rendered by a trio comprised of Miss Rose Millman, pianist; Max Millman, violinist, and Alex Burgess, cellist. The closing prayer was read by Mrs. Morris Sheer.

## What Cheer Temple of Pythian Sisters, No. 14 Holds Installation

What Cheer Temple, No. 14, Pythian Sisters, held their installation of officers with Mrs. Catherine Coken, assisted by Grand Senior Mrs. Gertrude Weitz and Grand Manager Mrs. Margaret Carlton, inducting the following into office:

Most Excellent Chief, Miss Flora Golditch; Excellent Senior, Mrs. Annie Gluck; Excellent Junior, Mrs. Annie Webber; Manager, Mrs. Lillian I. Adelberg; Mistress of Records and Correspondence, Mrs. Prudence Waldman; Mistress of Finance, Mrs. Sarah Zawatsky; Protector of Temple, Miss Bessie Cohen; Guard of Outer Temple, Mrs. Edith Phillips; Publicity Chairman, Mrs. Ethel Bornstein; Chairman of Social Committee, Mrs. Bornstein, assisted by Mrs. Eleanor Thomas, Mrs. Ida Goldberg, Mrs. Edith Phillips, Miss Bessie Cohen and Miss Bertha Cohen; Chairman of Sunshine Committee, Mrs. Catherine Coken, assisted by Mrs. Gluck, Mrs. Zawatsky and Mrs. Jennie Golditch.

On Monday, Feb. 8, a "Penny Social" will be held at the club rooms, 266 Weybosset street.

## Mrs. Ada F. York Speaks at Regular Meeting of Local Junior Hadassah

A most inspiring talk was given by Mrs. Ada F. York, well-known Boston Attorney, at the regular meeting of the Providence Chapter of Hadassah, held Monday evening, at the Providence Biltmore Hotel. Mrs. York's topic was "Why Hadassah," stressing the necessity for Hadassah work in Palestine as a place of refuge. She also mentioned the part women are playing in everyday life and in the business world, stating amongst other things, that where years ago there were but six or seven openings for women, approximately one hundred important positions are occupied by women today.

Following the business meeting, a group of readings were given by Miss Bernice Gershman, which was very well received.

Announcement was made that the date of the New England Regional Conference to be held at the Narragansett Hotel in Providence, has been changed to March 12 and 13. Miss Elizabeth Davis is general chairman; Miss Beatrice Goldowsky, ex-officio, and Miss Nettie Bander, publicity.

## Committee Reports Presented at Ladies' Union Aid Meeting

Reports of several committees were rendered at a meeting of the Ladies' Union Aid Association at a regular meeting held Tuesday afternoon, at the Home for the Aged on Orms street. In the absence of the President, who is ill, Mrs. Abraham White, the first Vice President, presided.

Mrs. J. Horowitz was appointed chairman of the Matzoth Drive, held each year to provide Passover food for the needy. Mrs. Herman Swartz is the co-chairman and Mrs. Charles Adelberg is in charge of the publicity.

A report was given of a most successful cake sale held recently with Mrs. R. Goldstein as chairman. Mrs. A. White expressed her appreciation in behalf of the members of the fine work done by Mrs. Goldstein and the following committee:

Mrs. J. Horowitz, associate chairman; Mrs. Charles Adelberg, Mrs. Louis Seitman, Mrs. Benjamin Williams, Mrs. Rubin, Mrs. J. Bilsky, Mrs. Beresofsky, Miss Sheffers, Mrs. Joseph Berg, Mrs. Samuel Mike, Mrs. Schultz, Mrs. Rosenberg, Mrs. Israel Dickens, Mrs. Zitserman, Mrs. Blazer, Mrs. Wexler, Mrs. Bloom, Mrs. A. White, Mrs. Morris Mellion, Mrs. Green, Mrs. Samuel Deutsch, Mrs. Greenberg, Mrs. Kleiner, Mrs. Fried and Mrs. Lovett.

## Regular Meeting Is Held by Sisterhood of Temple Beth-El

The Sisterhood of Temple Beth-El held a regular meeting on Monday afternoon, Feb. 1, at the Temple, with the President, Mrs. J. George Nathanson, presiding.

The meeting was opened with a prayer by Mrs. Therese Wachenheimer for the success of the Geneva Arms Conference, which began Feb. 2nd.

As his study lecture course, Rabbi Samuel M. Gup gave a most interesting talk on "Washington and the Jew," in recognition of the 200th birthday of George Washington, which occurs this month.

Mrs. Frank L. Rosenfield of Sumner, North Carolina, presented the Temple with a beautiful pair of silver candlesticks in memory of Mrs. Esther Rosenberg.

Mrs. Herman Rubin was presented with a silver compote in appreciation of her work as musical director of the musical comedy recently given by the Sisterhood.

Mrs. Morris Gershman read several selections from "Modern American Poetry" and an anthology of verse by Louis Untermeyer.

Mrs. Milton Fuld, chairman of hospitality, assisted by the committee, served tea. The table was most attractively decorated in red, white and blue.

## COMMISSIONER WAUCHOPE NAMES TAX COMMISSION

Jerusalem, Feb. 5 — (JTA) — The High Commissioner has appointed a commissioner to consider proposals made to the government for the substitution of a new form of tax for the existing Werko and Commuted Tithe.

The commission is composed of Mr. French, director of development, as chairman, and Mr. Abramson, Mr. Crosbie and Mr. Andrews.

## TO HOLD CONFERENCE OF NATIONAL MIZRACHI FEB. 7TH

New York, Feb. 5 — (JTA) — A national conference of the Mizrahi Palestine Fund will be held in New York on Feb. 7th, at the Hotel Pennsylvania, it was announced recently by Rabbi Taron Teitelbaum, its chairman.

## Regular Meeting of Hadassah to be Held at Biltmore, Tuesday

A general meeting of the Providence Chapter of Hadassah will be held on Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 9, two o'clock, at the Providence Biltmore Hotel.

Mrs. Samuel Michaelson, President, will give a report on the mid-winter conference of the New England Regional, of Hadassah Chapters, which was held in Boston recently, at the Hotel Kenmore.

Pearl Franklin of Chicago, Vice President of National Hadassah, was the guest speaker. Her talk was based on her trip to Palestine, from where she has just returned. Local Hadassah women, who accompanied Mrs. Michaelson, were Mrs. Alex Kleinberger, Mrs. Maurice Robinson and Mrs. Leo Cohen.

A report will also be read by Mrs. Cohen, on the membership drive, which is now in progress and of which she and Mrs. Robinson are the chairmen.

## Council of Jewish Women Announces Group Meetings

Providence Section, National Council of Jewish Women, announce the following interesting group meetings:

Literary Group monthly meeting is scheduled for Monday, Feb. 8, at 2:15 o'clock, in the Plantations Studio. Mrs. Arthur Kaplan will review the "Last Days of Shylock" by Ludwig Lewisohn.

For the Parent Education Study Group, Mrs. Philip H. Mitchell will hold her monthly lesson Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 9, in the Plantations Committee Room.

The Round Table of the International Relations Group met Friday, Feb. 5, at 2:30 o'clock, at the home of its Chairman, Mrs. Samuel Wachenheimer, 395 Lloyd avenue. There was a roll-call on international current events, followed by Mrs. Louis I. Kramer's discussion of the address given recently by Sir Norman Angell, before the Rhode Island Branch of the Foreign Policy Association. There was a discussion on the World Court by Mrs. Milton Simon.

## Women Pioneers' Club Plan Cake Sale to be Held Feb. 16—Outlet Co.

Final plans for the cake sale to be given by the Women's Pioneers' Club on Tuesday, Feb. 16, at the Outlet Company, were made at a regular meeting of the organization on Monday evening, Feb. 1, held at Zinn's Banquet Hall. In the absence of the President, Mrs. Harry Beck, the first Vice President, Mrs. Louis Smira, presided.

Mrs. Samuel Schprecher is chairman of the cake sale with Mrs. Arthur Einstein as co-chairman. An able committee is assisting.

## President of War Vets Auxiliary Announces New 1932 Appointments

Mrs. Max A. Cohen, newly elected President of the Ladies' Auxiliary, Jewish War Veterans of the United States, Rhode Island Post, No. 23, announces the following committee appointments for 1932:

Entertainment, Mrs. Aaron Cohen, chairman, and Mrs. Carl Jagoliner, co-chairman; Membership, Mrs. Harry Kastal; Visitation and Relief, Mrs. Irving D. Paster; House, Mrs. Herman Davis, and Publicity, Mrs. John J. Rouslin.

Announcement has been made that the Rhode Island Post and the Ladies' Auxiliary have been given the use of the old Niagara street school and will henceforth be used as their headquarters and home. Mr. Herman Davis, general house chairman, and Mrs. Davis are making extensive plans for the renovation and furnishing of the rooms. All meetings will be held there, the first one of the Auxiliary to take place on Thursday evening, Feb. 11, at 8 o'clock.

The annual luncheon and bridge will be held on Washington's Birthday, Monday afternoon, Feb. 22, one o'clock, at the Port Arthur Restaurant. The Ladies' Auxiliary will also hold a leap year dance on Monday, Feb. 29, with the members of the Rhode Island Post as their guests.

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## Charity Bridge for Pawt. Jr. Hadassah Held by Mrs. Martin Curran

Mrs. Martin Curran of 70 Marbury avenue, Pawtucket, gave a charity bridge at her home on Monday evening, Feb. 1, the proceeds of which will be used for the work of the Pawtucket and Central Falls Chapter of Junior Hadassah.

Six tables of bridge were in play, prizes being presented to the following:

Mrs. Samuel Zarchen, Mrs. Charles Tesler, Miss Gertrude Katz, Mrs. Joseph Chernack, Miss Gertrude Friedman and Mrs. Norman L. Feinberg.

Mrs. Curran was assisted while serving by the Misses Marie and Ethel Zarchen.

## Morris Feinberg Is Elected President of Prov. Yeshiva Assn.

Mr. Morris Feinberg was elected President of the Providence Yeshiva Association, to succeed his wife, the late Mrs. Ida Z. Feinberg, at a meeting held on Monday evening at the Home for the Aged.

Rabbi O. W. Werner was the main speaker of the evening, stressing in his talk the fine work of the Providence Yeshiva and urging them to continue.

A committee was selected to draw up a set of resolutions to be presented to the family of the late Mrs. Feinberg.

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## LEAGUE CALENDAR

COMING EVENTS OF THE LEAGUE OF JEWISH WOMEN'S ORGANIZATIONS

Monday, Feb. 8—  
Ladies' Hebrew Free Loan meeting.  
Tuesday, Feb. 9—  
Providence Chapter of Hadassah meeting.  
Wednesday, Feb. 10—  
Montifore meeting.  
Thursday, Feb. 11—  
Ladies' Auxiliary, Jewish War Veterans' meeting.

Monday, Feb. 22—  
Temple Beth-Israel Patriots' Night. Annual Luncheon and Bridge of Ladies' Auxiliary, Jewish War Veterans, 1 p. m.  
Thursday, Feb. 25—  
Ladies' Hebrew Free Loan Board meeting.  
Monday, Feb. 29—  
Leap Year Dance, Ladies' Auxiliary, Jewish War Veterans and Rhode Island Post.

# Happenings of Interest in the Women's World

ORGAN OF THE LEAGUE OF JEWISH WOMEN'S ORGANIZATIONS

All news for this page MUST be in this office by Tuesday  
PAULINE CHORNEY, Women's News Editor

## Plans Being Made for Miriam Hospital Assn. Annual Meeting, Feb. 15

Plans are being made for the annual meeting and installation of officers of the Miriam Hospital Association to be held on Monday afternoon, Feb. 15, at the Women's Republican Club.

Mrs. Isaac Woolf, chairman of the nominating committee will be the installing official. The group of hostesses for the afternoon and further details will be announced in next week's issue of The Jewish Herald.

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## Independent Jewish Mothers' Alliance Officers Installed

The following officers were installed at a meeting of the Independent Jewish Mothers' Alliance held last Wednesday.

President, Mrs. Harry Weiner; Vice Presidents, Mrs. Louis M. Kortick, Mrs. Louis Fishbein, Mrs. Getzel Zaidman; Financial Secretary, Mrs. Edward Kagan; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Philip Blazar; Treasurer, Mrs. Samuel Tress; Sunshine Chairman, Mrs. William Bromberg; Publicity Chairman, Mrs. Edward Kagan. Mrs. T. M. Phillips was the installing official.

A detailed financial report for the year 1931 was given by Mrs. Tress. A social hour followed and refreshments were served by a committee of hostesses.

## Mr.-Mrs. Ira Robinson Entertain in Honor of Son's Bar-Mitzvah

More than one hundred friends and relatives, including several out of town guests, were present at a Bar-Mitzvah reception given in honor of Albert Robinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Robinson, of 48 Pembroke avenue, on Sunday evening, Jan. 31, at Zinn's Banquet Hall.

Speakers were the Confirmitant, his Hebrew instructor, William Fishbein, two grandfathers, Max Hassen and Samuel Robinson; Jacob Cohen, Herman Epstein, Jacob A. Robinson and Max Udina of East Providence.

Among the out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Max Hassen and daughter of New York, Mrs. B. Snyder of Albany, Mrs. Bessie Cohen and daughter and several other relatives from Boston.

State Senator Isaac Moses was the toastmaster.

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## PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

Mrs. Samuel Steiner and Mrs. Arthur Gardner left Wednesday on a Mediterranean trip and to Paris on the S. S. Empress of Australia.

About two hundred couples attended the annual formal ball of the Providence Chapter of Junior Hadassah, Wednesday evening, Feb. 3, in the Crystal Ballroom of the Narragansett Hotel.

Miss Nathalie Samdperil, chairman, and her most able committee are to be commended on the fine work which made this affair the social and financial success it was.

The patrons and patronesses were Dr. and Mrs. Ilie Berger, Mrs. Selma Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Goldowsky, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Michaelson, Mr. and Mrs. George Samdperil and Mr. and Mrs. Charles.

Miss Myrtle Lucknsiansky of 81 Rand street, Central Falls, entertained several friends at bridge at her home on Thursday evening.

Two tables were in play and prizes were presented to the high scorers.

Miss A. Irene Finklestein of Medway street left Wednesday morning on a motor trip to Miami Beach, Florida and Havana, Cuba.

Miss Finklestein was accompanied by Mrs. Harry Zitserman, Mrs. Leo Cummings and Miss Mae Klemer.

The fifth annual Mothers' and Daughters' Night of the Intermediate Miriam Hospital Association will be held on Monday evening, Feb. 8, at Temple Beth-El.

Mrs. Frank Goldman is chairman and her committee consists of Miss Rose Schoenberg, Miss Muriel Beviner, Miss Josephine Horowitz, Miss Charlotte Sonion and Miss Mildred Marks. A group of recitations will be given by Miss Beatrice Goldman.

An invitation is extended to all members, prospective members and their mothers.

Mrs. Julius M. Levin of Carrington avenue, announces the engagement of her granddaughter, Miss Evelyn Kubler, to Mr. Louis Strasnick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Strasnick of Lippitt street.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Torgan of 51 Sackett street, have changed their residence to 53 Higgins avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mittleman of Orms street announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Anne Dorothy Mittleman, to Ben Brookner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mendel Brookner, of this city.

A supper and bridge was given at the home of Miss Ethyle K. Shukovsky of Fourth street, on Thursday evening. Decorations of rose and green were used for the table.

Three tables of bridge were in play and prizes were won by the Misses Evelyn Levine, Florence Holland and Lillian Chusmir.

Miss Rose Weinbaum was in charge of the dance given Tuesday evening by the Chi Beta Rho Sorority at Froebel Hall.

Those assisting were the Misses Freda Rotenberg, Esther Sandler, Madeline Bromberg, Shirley Nulman, Marion Cohen, Anna Cohen and Irene Walker.

Mrs. Herman David and Mrs. Morris David of Fall River, were in charge of the successful bridge held at Temple Beth-El, Monday evening.

On Feb. 8, Mrs. Maury Olinick and Mrs. Myer Markell will serve as hostesses for members of the Fall River Sisterhood.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Charles of Early street entertained several friends on last Thursday in honor of the first birthday of their daughter, Eleanor Martha. The house was attractively decorated.

At the regular meeting of the "Reiut Girls," held at the home of Miss Sally Hayman, Jewett street, plans were made for a frolic to be given Sunday evening, March 13, at the High Street Synagogue, Pawtucket. Miss Dora Weisinger is in charge of arrangements, assisted by Miss Sally Gordon and Miss Estelle M. Weiss.

Bridge was played and prizes won by Miss Yvette Rutman and Miss Fannie Lando. The next meeting will be held at the home of Miss Fannie Lando, Lippitt street.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Blackman announce the birth of a daughter, Joyce Enid, on Jan. 23.

Mrs. Blackman was formerly Miss Rose Cipkin Leve of Central Falls.

Miss Ida Gollis will lead the officers of the Fall River Chapter of Junior Hadassah, who will comprise the committee for the annual formal dance, Tuesday evening, Feb. 9, at the Eagle Restaurant.

Assisting will be the Misses Ann Abrash, Ida Leviten, Hattie Kane, Beatrice Shapiro and Rose Bernstein.

A formal supper dance will be held at the Providence Biltmore, Wednesday evening, Feb. 17, by "The Vagabonds." The chairman of the committee, Miss Theresa R. Matzner, will be assisted by Miss Anne Kritz and Miss Rose Linder.

A formal Leap Year Dance will be given by the Glory of Zion on Monday evening, Feb. 29, at Froebel Hall. The committee in charge comprises the following:

Miss Ruth Davis, chairman; Miss Eva Pullman and Miss Esta Blumenthal. Music will be furnished by Bernie Seigal and his orchestra and a most entertaining program is being arranged.

At a regular meeting of the Kett Club held last Wednesday evening, the following officers were elected:

Miss Rose Schoenberg, President; Miss Charlotte Sonion, Secretary, and Miss Gladys Levine, Treasurer. Miss Mildred Marks was chosen chairman of the formal dance to be held in March, and Miss Lillian Schoenberg was appointed publicity chairman.

A bridge was held for the members and friends at the Jewish Community Center, where the club meets now. Miss Ruth Marcus was presented as a new member and Mrs. Harry Lubovskiy was reinstated.

Alpha Alpha Chapter of the Phi Delta Sorority held a formal supper dance in Pierre's, the Wayland Manor, on last Tuesday evening. Only forty couples attended.

The four new members who were initiated into the club are Miss Helen Stern, Miss Ethel Korb, Miss Esther Ackerman and Miss Sylvia Weinstein.

The committee in charge of the affair was Miss Rose Dubinsky, chairman; Miss Lillian Korb, Miss Martha Goldman and Miss Evelyn Korb, ex-officio. Music was furnished by Al Rosen.

Miss Eva E. Shepard was surprised at a birthday party given in her honor at the home of Mrs. Mollye (Fink) Perlow on Thursday evening.

Two tables of bridge were in play and prizes were awarded to Miss Ida Linder and Miss Eva E. Shepard.

The color scheme was carried out in yellow, with cut flowers as the table centerpiece flanked by yellow tapers.

Mrs. Perlow was assisted in serving by Miss Bertha S. Taber.

Those present were the Misses Ann M. Cohen, Shirley Fisher, Helene Gordon, Irene Koirth, Ida Linder, Marilyn J. Perlow, Sylvia White of Providence, Miss Theresa Horvitz of Pawtucket and Mrs. Helen (Fisher) Rubin of Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Shukovsky of Fourth street entertained on Sunday afternoon, Jan. 31st, in honor of the third birthday of their son, Gerald. Fourteen little guests attended. Games were played, refreshments were served and favors were distributed. Specialty dances were given by Rose Salk and Elaine Seigal.

In the evening, Mr. and Mrs. Shukovsky gave a dinner and bridge in honor of the occasion. Prizes were won by Miss Eva Cohen, Mrs. Irving Seigal and Mrs. Benjamin Salk.

During the evening, vocal selections were rendered by Miss Cohen and Miss Ethyle Shukovsky.

On Monday evening, Feb. 29, the Sham Tov Club of the Fall River Y. M. and Y. W. H. A. will hold a Leap Year Dance at the Masonic Temple Hall. Earl Shean's Radio Broadcasting Orchestra will furnish the music. A novelty entertainment will be supplied by the "Singing Trio."

The Sham Tov Girls' Club is a senior organization affiliated with the Y. W. H. A. The entire proceeds of the dance will be applied to the Y. W. treasury for the maintenance of the activities carried on at the Fall River Jewish Community Center, 456 South

## Ladies' Hebrew Free Loan Meeting to be Held Monday—2 P. M.

Mrs. Harry Shatkin, President of the Ladies' Hebrew Free Loan Association, announces that an early meeting will be held at Zinn's Banquet Hall on Monday afternoon, Feb. 8, promptly at 2 o'clock.

The speakers, Mrs. Stein and Mrs. Goldstein, will address the members at that time.

All members are requested to attend whether a card was received or not.

The hostesses of the afternoon will be Mrs. Jacob Ponce and Mrs. Jack Pritcher.

## Hebrew Ladies' Aid of Pawt.-Central Falls to Hold Bridge Tuesday

Plans for a bridge to be held Tuesday, Feb. 9, by the Ladies' Hebrew Aid Society of Pawtucket and Central Falls, were made at a regular meeting of the organization on Tuesday evening. The affair will take place in the Vestry of the Synagogue, Pawtucket.

Grand Rabbi Joseph Horowitz, Dean of the Talmudic Academy of Jerusalem, was the guest speaker of the evening. He was introduced by Rabbi O. W. Werner of Providence and Rabbi Schisgal of Pawtucket. The subject of his talk was "Home Life and Education in Palestine."

Refreshments were served under the direction of the hostess for the evening, Mrs. L. Jenkin.

## Sisterhood of Temple Emanu-El Meets; Food Show Plans Discussed

A regular meeting of the Sisterhood of Temple Emanu-El was held in the Vestry on Monday evening, Feb. 1. Mrs. Nat C. Cohen presided.

Following the routine business reports, Mrs. Cohen introduced Mr. Joseph M. Finkle, editor of The Jewish Herald, who spoke on the Providence Jewish Food Show and Household Exhibit to be held on March 1, 2 and 3 at Infantry Hall. Mr. Finkle stressed the benefits which the Temple would derive and also urged the members to do everything possible to help make this event a success. He also mentioned the fact that Mr. Heins Wingensfeld of New York, an internationally known chef, would be in charge of a cooking school the three afternoons of the Show and would demonstrate recipes for the most modern and tasteful dishes, using only ingredients which comply with the Dietary Laws.

Mrs. Cohen reported that the baby grand piano, which the Sisterhood has purchased to present to the Temple, would arrive in the Vestry in the near future. Announcement was made of a choral society, which is being formed under the personal direction of Professor Arthur Einstein. This group will probably consist of forty voices, male and female from the Temple only. The first meeting will be held on Tuesday, Feb. 9, in the Vestry, at which time it is hoped to begin a program which will be perfected for the annual musical festival in the spring. Mrs. Israel Edelstein is chairman of the committee.

Mrs. Harry Fine, program chairman, then presented Mrs. Joseph Adelson, who gave a most lucid and enlightening review on the book, "Job," by Joseph Roth. Mrs. Fine also gave a review on "Christians Only" by Heywood Brown and George Britt.

Rabbi Goldman then addressed the members, commenting on the success of the Institute of Jewish Studies. He also urged the members to co-operate in the Jewish Food Show.

Mrs. Samuel Blazer, chairman of the Institute of Jewish Studies announced that Mrs. Samuel Starr will give an illustrated lecture and reading on the "Life of Heinrich Heine," Saturday afternoon, Feb. 6. Those who have heard Mrs. Starr are looking forward to hearing her again, and they, who have not had the pleasure, have a delightful afternoon's entertainment in store. On Feb. 13, Mr. Jacob DeHaas will be the guest speaker.

A social hour followed the meeting with Mrs. Michael Tieman as hostess.

Main street. The Sham Tov President is Miss Lena Poll. Active members on the dance committee include Betty Sandler, Annette Dubitsky, Sally Silk, Evelyn Ostroff, Lena Poll, Sue Kaplan and Lillian Sandler.

### Jewish Family Welfare Society Executive Board Appointed

At the bi-monthly meeting of the Board of Directors of the Jewish Family Welfare Society, held last Thursday evening in the Francis W. Carpenter Memorial Building, the following Executive Board was appointed by the President, Arthur J. Levy:

Alter Boyman, Mrs. Moses Einstein, Mrs. Louis Goldenberg and Dr. Joseph Smith. Mr. Levy also is a member.

The Board of Directors elected the following committees:

Medical Advisory Committee, Drs. Joseph B. Webber (chairman), Maurice Adelman, Nathan A. Bolotow, Stanley S. Freedman, Isaac Gerber, Max B. Gomberg, Louis I. Kramer, Harold Libby, Harold Rogell, Joseph Smith and Eske H. Windsberg.

Legal Advisory Committee, Walter Adler (chairman), Sol S. Bromson, Isadore S. Horenstein, Philip C. Joslin, Isador Korn, Arthur J. Levy, LeRoy G. Pilling, Joseph W. Ress, Maurice Robinson, John J. Rosenfeld, Joseph Smith and Samuel H. Workman.

Case Committee, Miss Florence Burke, Mrs. Moses Einstein, Mrs. Helen Corson, Mrs. Jennie Goldsmith, Mrs. Harry Wachenheimer, Miss Winifred Fitzpatrick, Jacob I. Cohen, Nat Cohen, Rabbi Israel M. Goldman, Harry A. Hoffman, Isadore S. Horenstein, Dr. Louis I. Kramer, Arthur J. Levy, Jacob S. Temkin and Dr. Joseph B. Webber.

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About 65 members, representing the 17 organizations of the League of Jewish Women's Clubs, attended the annual luncheon held last Monday in the parlors of the Narragansett Hotel. The table was arranged in horseshoe fashion and decorated with fern sprays and roses.

Mrs. Morris Sheer gave the invocation, which was followed with an address of welcome by the Chairman of Arrangements, Mrs. Milton Fuld. Benjamin Premack gave a group of violin selections which were very well received.

Immediately after the luncheon, the general meeting and installation of officers were held.

Mrs. Warren Haskell, President of the Federation of Women's Clubs of Rhode Island, was the guest speaker of the afternoon. The following newly elected officers were installed:

Mrs. Edward Finberg, President; Mrs. Samuel Wachenheimer, First Vice President; Mrs. Benjamin N. Kane, Second Vice President; Mrs. Jack Davis, Recording Secretary; Mrs. Alex Kleinberger, Corresponding Secretary, and Mrs. Morris Beeber, Treasurer.

### ITALY CUTS FREIGHT AND PASSENGER RATES FOR FAIR

Rome, Feb. 5—(JTA)—The Italian government recently announced a large reduction in freight and passenger rates for the Levant Fair to be held in Tel Aviv in April.

The rate will be reduced 50% on freight shipped to the fair, while passenger rates will undergo a cut of 30%.

Reporting this decision, the Agencia de Roma, semi-official Italian news agency, point out that it is necessary to promote trade relations between Italy and the Near East and that Palestine offers excellent export markets for Italy.

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### Hillel Foundations Make Book In Braille for Jewish Blind



A group of girls at the B'nai B'rith Hillel Foundation at the University of Illinois Making Braille Books for the Jewish Blind in Institutions.

Cincinnati, O.—Several of the eight B'nai B'rith Hillel Foundations have special groups which manufacture books in Braille for the Jewish blind in institutions. This is part of the social work and philanthropic activities which the Hillel Foundations carry on in addition to their Jewish cultural aims.

The accompanying picture shows one of the units in the Braille Class at the Illinois Hillel Foundation. These girls worked an entire semester under the direction of Philip Pofcher, a Jewish student, who was blind for

four years and who recovered his sight recently.

The girls transcribe into Braille little tales of Jewish interest, poems, stories, current news of the world, and so on, and create a monthly magazine, which is bound and sent to the Jewish children in the State Institution for the Blind at Jacksonville, Ill. There are 18 Jewish children there, and the material they receive from the Hillel Foundation is the only material of Jewish content and interest which comes to them.

The Illinois Hillel Foundation Braille unit is under the supervision of the American Red Cross.

### Young Judaea Clubs

#### CHEVTZI-BAH JUDEANS

A meeting of the Chevtzi-Bah Judaeans was held Feb. 2, at Temple Beth-Israel. A report of the happenings on the boat for the imaginary trip to Palestine was given by Miss Roslyn Keller.

Miss Lillian Gordon read an interesting resume on the Jews in Paris.

A debate will be given Feb. 29, before the Men's Club of Temple Beth-Israel. On the affirmative side are: Sally Kasper, Etta Shatkin and Etta Bazarsky, members of the Chevtzi-Bah, and the negative consists of William Wunsch, Arthur Hoffman and Frank Licht, members of the Senior Judaeans. The prize is a silver loving cup.

#### World Zionist Head Attacked on Charge of Inspiring Bill Against Anti-Semitic Papers

Montreal, Feb. 5—(JTA)—Aroused by the bill introduced in the Provincial Legislature by the Jewish Deputies, Bercovitch and Cohen, to curb anti-Semitic publications, "Le Miroir," devotes its current issue to level libelous accusations against the Jews and against Deputy Bercovitch.

Nahum Sokolow, whom it terms, "King of Israel," came to Montreal, the paper says, in order to induce the Jewish Deputies to sponsor a bill against the anti-Semitic publications. Many falsifications of the Talmud were made in order to prove that "the Jewish religions allows the robbing and murder of Christians," "Le Miroir" asserts.

#### Uproot 2500 Young Trees In Keren Kayemeth Wood

Haifa, Feb. 5—(JTA)—Twenty-five hundred young trees were uprooted recently in the Keren Kayemeth wood, near Nahalal, by unknown prowlers.

The poles, which were to be used as a fence surrounding the wood, were also taken.

Several Bedouins were arrested by the authorities but later released.

#### LORD READING RECOVERED

Luxor, Feb. 5—(JTA)—Lord Reading was sufficiently recovered from his recent disquieting illness to take a stroll through the Luxor Garden. This was his first appearance in the public streets since his illness.

Messages of felicitation upon his recovery were sent to him by the Egyptian Premier and the District Governor.

### JUDGE STERN CALLS FOR REORGANIZATION OF SYNAGOGUE WORK

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tion is to be divided into eight groups, parallel to eight different communal undertakings, which Judge Stern has grouped as follows: (1) Local charitable work; (2) National charitable organizations; (3) National educational institutions; (4) National institutions engaged in religious training; (5) Foreign relief work; (6) Palestine endeavor; (7) The protection of Jewish rights-at home and abroad; (8) The problem of local education.

"The special groups," Judge Stern declared, "would be required to specialize in their respective subjects. They would have meetings and discussions, invite to address and inform those most qualified in such subjects; they would also do such clinical work as the nature of the subject made possible. In turn they would instruct the public generally in behalf of the causes in which they would thus be interested; they would labor for such causes by arousing public interest therein."

### JEW IN SHANGHAI AREA NOT AFFECTED BY SINO-JAP CONFLICT

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brought up, because his marksmanship was too accurate. When Dr. Sun died, Cohen attached himself to his son, Sun Fo; sometimes to Mrs. Sun; sometimes to Mrs. Sun's brother, T. V. Soong, Chiang Kai-Shek's Minister of Finance and right hand man. A year ago he was made a Brigadier General.

### WAUCHOPE FETTERED BY ENGLISH AND EGYPTIAN LEADERS

Cairo, Feb. 5—(JTA)—Sir Arthur Grenfell Wauchope, Palestine High Commissioner, was entertained recently at a banquet arranged in his honor by Egyptian and English political leaders.

Sir Arthur was also received by the King of Egypt with whom he discussed a number of Palestine problems. Sir Arthur will return to Jerusalem, via aeroplane.

### Geneva Jewish Women Urge Disarmament

Geneva, Feb. 5—(JTA)—In connection with the Disarmament Conference, the League of Jewish Women, associated with the Women's World Movement for Peace, arranged a number of meetings at which the most vital problems of peace and war were discussed.

The first of these meetings were held here several days ago under the chairmanship of Madame Le Dache, President of the League. Among those who addressed the meeting were Prof. E. Milhand, Madame D'Acis and the League's Secretary, Dr. R. Obermann.

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## R. I. Workingmen's Beneficial Association News

### MEETING TO BE HELD SUNDAY

The next meeting of the R. I. Workingmen's Beneficial Association will be held on Sunday morning, Feb. 7, 10:30 o'clock, at Eagles' Auditorium.

The guest speaker will be Thomas Cooney, a prominent attorney and known throughout the community for his oratorical ability. Although Mr. Cooney's subject has not as yet been announced, it is assured that it will be one of great interest to the gathering.

An added feature of the meeting will be the prize drawing of a beautiful 26-piece silver service, which will be given away free to the holder of the lucky number. In the past few meetings this newly added feature, which was introduced by Chairman Sydney J. Hoffman, has created a great deal of enthusiasm. Previous winners of the attendance prizes are Alter Boyman and Louis M. Hayman.

### DINNER-DANCE AND CABARET TO BE HELD MARCH 3

One of the greatest social events since the 25th Jubilee in 1929, will be

held on Thursday evening, March 3d, at Rhodes Dining Pavilion, at which time the Social Committee, under the Chairmanship of Abe Swerling, has planned a dinner-dance and cabaret.

Entertainment of the highest degree has been obtained and will include RKO artists, singers, dancers, comedians and also a well-known Yiddish entertainer. Dance music between courses will be supplied by Earl Howard's Admirals.

The committee assisting the chairman, includes Harry Nozick, Samuel Kaufman, Samuel Shanbrun, Sydney J. Hoffman and Aaron A. Bilgor.

### J. A. C.

The Junior Activities Committee has announced the change of their meeting date from Wednesday to Tuesday.

The boys are at the present time busily engaged with preparation for the debate which will be presented at the Feb. 21st meeting. The subject will be, "Resolved, That the Hoover Administration Has Been a Success."

### Sigma Pi Fellowship

#### SEMI-FORMAL DANCE TO BE HELD MARCH 31

The Sigma Pi Fellowship Club will hold its annual semi-formal dance on Thursday evening, March 31, in the Crystal Ballroom of the Narragansett Hotel.

Several sub-committees have been chosen under a general chairman and plans are being formulated to make this event an outstanding success.

Applications for tickets may be made by communicating with the organization, at 112 Mathewson street. Further details with regard to the orchestra, etc., will be announced in a later issue of The Jewish Herald.

### SPORTS

The entire membership attended a wrestling and swimming meet at the Y. M. C. A. on Tuesday evening. Joseph Troup took the honors in wrestling and Dan Hecker won in swimming.

### Michael Tieman Given Dinner In Honor of Fiftieth Birthday

Mr. Michael Tieman of 381 Cole avenue was tendered a dinner at the Narragansett Hotel on Monday evening in honor of his fiftieth birthday by prominent business men, lawyers, state officials and a group representing the Providence Lodge of Elks.

Former Assistant United States Attorney Joseph E. Fitzpatrick, toastmaster, presented Mr. Tieman a gift of furniture. He was also presented an album containing the autographs of those attending the dinner by Frank Murphy.

Mr. Tieman's activities in connection with Providence Lodge of Elks, of which he has been a member for years and his interest in civic affairs were praised by the speakers. Among those who spoke were Mr. Fitzpatrick, Judge John R. Higgins of Woonsocket, Representative Harry Sandager, Thomas Moore, Exalted Ruler of Providence Lodge of Elks; Joseph Messing of Newport, Samuel Rosen and others.

William Hall, Past Exalted Ruler of Providence Lodge of Elks, was master of ceremonies and sang a group of songs during and after the dinner.

Besides the speakers, guests included Thomas E. Boyle, Nat C. Cohen, Robert Jones, Charles O'Donnell, Martin Toohey, John Keane, James Kelley, E. J. Mahon, Herbert Tieman, son of the guest of honor; Frank Murphy, Esteemed Leading Knight of Providence Lodge of Elks; John Nott, James Ross, Stanley Casella, Samuel Rosen, Ira McKenzie, Joseph Meyers, J. T. Goldsmith, Edward Corbett, Russell Armstrong, Antonio Rotelli and others.

Robert Condon, James Kelley, chairman, Nat Cohen, Charles O'Donnell and Samuel Rosen were in charge of arrangements for the dinner.

### 8000 PALESTINE REQUESTS FOR UNITED STATES VISAS

Jerusalem, Feb. 5—(JTA)—The American Consulate in Palestine has received 8000 applications for visas to the United States in the past several months, it was learned here recently.

Not more than one per cent. of the applications in recent months were granted, the Consulate stated.

### GOEBBELS FINED 500 MARKS

Berlin, Feb. 5—(JTA)—Paul Goebbels, Hitler's chief lieutenant, was recently fined 500 marks, for declining to give evidence in the trial of Count Helldorf, for participation in the anti-Jewish excesses.

## O. H. C. NEWS

### EXECUTIVE BOARD PLANS BUSY SEASON

At a special meeting of the Executive Board plans for future activities for the next six months were discussed. The main topic under discussion was the eleventh annual dance to be held the last night of Passover.

The board consists of Joseph Wurafic, Chairman; Sam Kagan, Social Director; Morris Waldman, Membership Director; Myron Keller, Educational Director; Edmund Wexler, Athletic Director; Sam Shindler, House Director.

### SMOKER PLANNED

On Tuesday, Feb. 23, the O. H. C. will hold its first smoker of the year. The Executive Board with Sam Kagan as Social Director, are planning to hold four or five events to fill an evening's entertainment.

Admission will be free to members and their friends. Refreshments and smokes will be furnished to all.

### DANCE PLANS PROGRESSING

At a meeting held recently it was decided to continue the souvenir program which is distributed at the annual dance. This is the 11th annual event and will be held this year as usual at the newly renovated Arcadia Ballroom on Thursday, April 28, the last night of Passover.

### HOUSEWARMING PARTY

The board also decided to have either a housewarming party or a bridge party some time in March. It is hoped that by that time the new club rooms at 37 Weybosset street will be furnished for the event. Sam Shindler as House Director is putting the place into better shape each week.

### BUILDING INVESTMENT IN TEL AVIV INCREASES \$400,000

Tel Aviv, Feb. 5—(JTA)—The sum of \$1,200,000, an increase of \$400,000 over the previous year, was the investment in building in Tel Aviv in 1931, it was announced here recently.

The last four months of the year, corresponding with the fluctuation in sterling, was the boom period, and of the 65,000 square metres of new buildings for the year, half was constructed between September and the end of December.

The Jewish National Fund was instrumental in the building of hundreds of houses in Tel Aviv, by advancing the price of the plots to the prospective house owners in the workers', teachers' and other quarters. Various mortgage banks and associations assisted the prospective builders of limited means.

### DELAY DEBT PAYMENT TO ENABLE BANK TO RE-OPEN

Bucharest, Feb. 5—(JTA)—The Bucharest Tribunal recently confirmed the settlement of the debts of the bank of Marmarosh-Blank, enabling the institution to re-open.

In accordance with the terms of settlement the payment of the bank's debts is to be postponed for three years.

### CEMETERIES DESECRATED

Berlin, Feb. 5—(JTA)—Three new cemetery desecrations in various sections of the country were reported recently. In only one instance were the vandals responsible detected.

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4.75-19	6.65	6.65	12.90
5.25-21	8.57	8.57	16.70
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4.50-20	4.78	4.78	9.26
4.50-21	4.85	4.85	9.40
4.75-19	5.68	5.68	11.14
4.75-20	5.75	5.75	11.26
5.00-19	5.99	5.99	11.66
5.00-20	6.10	6.10	11.90
5.00-21	6.30	6.30	12.40
5.25-21	7.37	7.37	14.52



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Size	Firestone Anchor Type Super Heavy Duty Cash Price Each	*Special Brand Mail Order Price Each	Firestone Anchor Type Super Heavy Duty Cash Price Per Pair
4.50-20	\$8.55	\$8.70	\$16.70
4.50-21	8.75	8.85	16.96
4.75-19	9.70	9.75	18.90
5.25-21	12.95	13.05	25.30
5.50-19	13.35	13.35	25.90
6.00-19	14.90	14.95	29.00
6.00-20	15.20	15.35	29.50
6.50-19	16.65	16.65	32.30

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# NEWS OF INTEREST TO MEN

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## Judaicans to Debate at Temple Beth-Israel Men's Club Meeting

At the meeting of the Men's Club of Temple Beth-Israel, to be held at the Temple on Monday evening, Feb. 29th, the Senior Judaicans will debate with the Chev'tzi-Bah Judaicans on the subject:

"Resolved, That the Principle of Governmental Ownership of Land be Applied in the Proposed Jewish State."

The affirmative side will be taken by the team representing the Chev'tzi-Bah Judaicans, consisting of Sally Kasper, Etta Shatkin and Etta Bazarisky. The debaters for the Senior Judaicans are Arthur O. Hoffman, President; Frank Licht and William Wunsch.

Max and Harry R. Rosen of the Franklin Auto Supply Company are generously offering a silver cup to the winning team, and the participants whose ages range from 16 to 20, are now rehearsing for the event.

This debate will be open to the public without charge, and is being sponsored by the Intellectual Committee of the Men's Club, which comprises Charles M. Hoffman, Chairman; Dr. Ilie Berger, Joshua Bell, Sydney J. Hoffman and Robert Bernstein.

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## Walter I. Sundlun Is Installed as President of Jewish Orphanage

Mr. Walter I. Sundlun was installed President of the Jewish Orphanage of Rhode Island for the fourth term, at the annual meeting held Sunday, Jan. 31, at the Home.

Other officers installed were as follows:

First Vice President, Philip C. Joslin; Second Vice President, Benjamin W. Grossman; Financial Secretary, Myer Millman; Recording Secretary, Samuel I. Mamis; Treasurer, Milton Sulzberger; Honorary Vice Presidents, Colonel Joseph Samuels, Maurice J. Karpeles, Hon. J. Jerome Hahn; Board of Directors (for three years), C. Joseph Fox, Jules P. Goldstein, Samuel Magid, Adolf Meller, Isaac Rose, Alfred Spear, Archibald Silverman, Isaac Woolf.

For the unexpired term of the late Daniel Donig, Dr. Ilie Berger.

Mrs. Joseph Webber, accompanied by Miss Marion Grossman, rendered a group of vocal selections. These were followed by the President's annual message and reports of committee chairmen. The girls of the Orphanage entertained with songs, recitations and dancing and the boys with "tumbling."

Professor Harold Bucklin of the Department of Sociology and Public Welfare of Brown University, was the guest speaker of the afternoon, his subject being, "Recent Developments in Child Welfare."



## SPORTING WORLD

NEWS WRITTEN FOR THE JEWISH HERALD BY GEORGE JOEL



### Stein Loses to Champion Without Being Thrown

Sammie Stein, premier Jewish wrestler, had a chance to become the wrestling champion of the world when he stepped into the ring with Jim Londos in New York last week, but his hopes to gain the crown were literally and figuratively dashed to earth, when the big Jewish boy hurled himself at Londos, missed, and flew right through the ring landing on his head on the concrete floor of the arena. Stein was out like a light and it took some medical attention to bring him back to consciousness.

Until this point was reached the match was a thrilling and breath-taking affair, fought before 17,000 people. (Where is that depression?) For more than 31 minutes the two athletes grappled over the ring. Stein escaped from a headlock and launched a flying tackle at Londos, staggering the champion. Again Stein flew through the air at Londos, who was backed up against the ropes, but the Greek side-stepped and Stein sailed through the ropes, landing on his head. The crowd, which had been screaming with excitement, became silent as attendants carried Stein to his dressing room. An examination showed that the Jewish boy had suffered nothing more than a slight concussion, but as he was unable to return to the ring, the bout was awarded to Londos.

Stein, who gained fame as a professional football player, has been making great strides in his wrestling career. He has displaced Herb Freeman as the leading Jewish wrestler and has become one of the top notchers grapplers. Against Londos the young man, he is only 25, put up a surprisingly good fight, and had he not thrown himself from the ring, might have bested his older and more experienced adversary.

### Levinsky Likes Music—It Makes Him Fighting Mad

King Levinsky, the Jewish heavyweight, likes music, but not for its soothing qualities. After listening to the selections played over the radio in his dressing room, he tears out into the ring ready to murder his sparring partners. To make sure that he will have his inspiration with him at all times, the King carries a portable radio set around. I am told that crooners are particularly baiting to Levinsky and I suggested that it would be easier to carry around a crooner instead of a radio, then when he got sore, he could at least strangle the crooner and everybody would be happier.

Speaking of music, somebody asked Levinsky if he liked to hear "the birdies sing." "I never heard them," said Levinsky, "but I saw them winging their way through the air the night I fought Ace Hudkins, that tough baby had me on the floor three times." King was just telling the boys, in his quaint way, that he had never been knocked out. True enough, but the ex-Chicago fish peddler has had some close calls. As a matter of fact he claims he is able to fight better after he has been knocked down a few times. He insists it makes him fight harder.

I've written a number of pieces about Levinsky because I think he is the one Jewish heavyweight of the times who has any chance to get anywhere and I think you should know more about him.

Some fighters are reckless spenders. Maxie Rosenbloom is the shining example of that type of coin flinger. Others are tighter than a snare drum on a cold day. Levinsky is a combination of both with a leaning toward the Scotch side. The boys say that Levinsky walked out of a card game because the stakes—a penny a point—were too high. Asked what he did with his money Levinsky said: "I buy automobiles, lots of them." "Don't you save any of it?" he was queried. "Oh, only about 90 per cent." He meant it, too!

Levinsky is a bad gymnasium fighter. While training he looks awkward and slow, but in the ring he's a different boy—in the ring a punch means cash.

**Singer Getting Ready for Olympics**  
Ira Singer, N. Y. U. sprint star and holder of the 1931 indoor 100-yard championship, is making preparations to represent the United States in the coming Olympic games. The one Jewish sprinter in the country conceded to have a chance to make the team is getting ready in the only successful manner—that is, by winning

aces. The other night at the Newark A. C. track meet, Ira broke Siegal's winning streak by showing that young man a pair of heels in the century. A fast field entered and Ira's win indicates that he is ready for a big time competition.

### Maccabee Notes

The Maccabee Association of America will hold its first annual convention in New York City on Sunday, Feb. 21st—the announcement sent to me, did not state in what particular hall this meeting would take place.

On Saturday evening, Feb. 20th, at the 102nd Engineers Regiment Armory, 168th street and Broadway, New York City, the final tryouts for those who hope to make the U. S. Olympic team, which will participate at Tel Aviv in March will be held. Don't miss it as many stars will perform.

Organizations wishing to participate in Maccabee movements are requested to write the headquarters of the organization at 799 Broadway, New York City, for further information. Delegates are invited to attend the convention.

### Chatterings

Sammy Stein, the wrestler, according to Jack Curley, the wrestling promoter, is a lineal descendant of Don Isaac Abarbanell who helped finance the voyage of Christopher Columbus to these shores years ago.

Judge Emil Fuchs, president of the Boston National League baseball club, is the best bridge player, auction or contract, in the big league circles.

The C. C. N. Y. fencing team, which hasn't lost an intercollegiate match in two years, is composed entirely of Jewish boys.

Jack Grossman, the Rutgers all around athlete, quit college even before signing a baseball contract. He left to play professional basketball with the Y. M. H. A. team in the Elizabeth City League. He will play a forward.

## Providence Fraternal Association

A large attendance of members attended the Providence Fraternal Association meeting, held at the ledge rooms.

Charles Silverman, President, outlined his plans for the coming administration and appointed the following to act as chairman of the various committees for the year of 1932.

Social, Alfred Finklestein; Publicity, Ben Agronick; Cemetery, I. Fieriel; Delinquent, Barney Kessler; Relief, Lyon A. Marcus; Membership, Max Levin; By-Laws, Edward Goldberger; Investigation, David Isserlis; Finance, Harry Bloomberg.

Simon Licker, chairman of the anniversary committee, gave a report on the dinner and dance which will be held at the Rhodes Banquet Pavilion on Monday evening, March 7. He urged all members to make early reservations, stating also that the banquet will be for members only. Samuel Goldberg was initiated into the organization.

It is interesting to note of the activities that some of the members take in other organizations. On Friday evening of Feb. 5, at the Ahavath Shalom Synagogue, Max Levin, our prelate, addressed the congregation. Also Benjamin Freedman has been elected as Vice President of the congregation of that Synagogue.

It is our sincere regret to learn of the death of Charles Miller, a member of our organization.

### 60% OF WARSAW BUDGET FOR RELIGIOUS NEEDS

Warsaw, Feb. 5—(JTA)—Refusing to grant any subsidies to Zionist undertakings, as has been the custom, the Warsaw Kehillah Executive, controlled by the Agudath Israel, recently adopted a budget of 5,186,600 zlotys, 60% of which is assigned to religious undertakings.

Included under religious undertakings is the building of a new Mikvah, Jewish ritual bath, and the appointment of 25 new district Rabbis in Warsaw.

## Ben Robinson, Public Accountant, Moves to 322 Industrial Trust

Contrary to rumors that Mr. Ben I. Robinson, certified public accountant, has discontinued his office in this city, he wishes to announce that his office is now in room 322, New Industrial Trust Building.

In order to better serve his increasing clientele, Mr. Robinson has opened an office in the United Shoe Machinery Building, 140 Federal street, Boston. His main office will be in Providence, and Mr. Robinson will devote most of his time to his local clientele.

## Over 400 Attend Mass Meeting; Protest Immigration Bill

Over four hundred people attended the Americanization and mass meeting held under the auspices of the B'rith Shalom Lodges of Providence on Sunday, Jan. 31, at 59 Chestnut street.

R. I. State Deputy Grand Master S. L. Tatz, after a brief talk, introduced Philip V. Marcus, as chairman, representing the I. C. B. A. of Rhode Island.

Rabbi Israel M. Goldman of Temple Emanu-El was the first speaker, mentioning in his address, the Alien Registration Bill now pending in Congress, and urged the people to protest against the passing of the bill. Charles L. Silverman, President of the Providence Fraternal Association, spoke on the same subject.

Sigmund A. Kanengieser, Grand Master of the B'rith Shalom of Newark, N. J., said that the proponents of the bill were merely trying to "put something over" on the people, inasmuch as it is impossible to tell an American from an alien simply by watching him go by.

Adolph Rosenbloom, Assistant Grand Secretary of the B'rith Shalom of Philadelphia, made a forceful appeal, for all to protest the bill. At the conclusion of the talk a resolution was adopted, which is to be sent to the Rhode Island Representatives in Congress.

Before the meeting was adjourned Hatkvah was sung by Miss Orliansky and the audience.

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**The Book Case**

Comments on Jewish Authors and Their Books

By FRIEDA R. BIENSTOCK

**"Finch's Fortune"**

I don't know why all the fuss has been made about "Finch's Fortune" by Mazo de la Roche. (Little Brown, \$2.50). Maybe I was handicapped because I had not read the two preceding volumes. But the dust-cover blurb distinctly says that one can read this volume as a complete story in itself. Well, I did, and I don't give it much. It's well written, to be sure, but to my mind it's rather pointless and all over the place. It rambles, becomes fearfully boring in spots, and to me is so obvious an example of the dullness of the lives of "these Englishmen!"

The whole volume appeared to me to be pretentious above all reason and without any reason for being. My disappointment in what was recommended to me as a "marvelous book" has probably led me to be over-critical of a novel hardly worth the evincing of so much spleen. So rather than go further and display more disappointment I'll just say that the book is concerned with a Canadian family whose fortune skipped a generation in being bequeathed by the grandmother. It was left—you guessed it—to Finch and the domestic repercussions due to this and other just as unimportant matters are what make up this story. You can read it if you like family with much emphasis!

**"Honeyflow"**

"Honeyflow," by Ben Ames Williams (Dutton, \$2.50), is on the other hand a novel worth reading—the story of the life of an opera star from the time of her childhood through her Indian Summer when she tries to make up for the love-life she has lost and fails to hold her love because of her intensity. One may fall out of sympathy with the heroine now and again.

She is depicted as the soul of egotism—one who sacrifices all and anyone in order to realize her ambition. On the other hand the author has depicted the final scenes with such sympathy and such restraint that one cannot help sensing the tragedy the hopelessness of the success which lacked happiness and peace.

"Goodbye Summer" by Fanny Heaslip Lea, is an intensely moving story of the vainly beautiful mother whose eighteen year old daughter falls madly in love with a perfectly eligible young man whom the mother tries to discourage by fair means or foul, pretending to herself and others that her only thought is for her daughter but actually being fearful of losing her own youth and power over men. She is the "love-cheat" personified in fiction and is less successful than most of them are in actual life! The substance of the story is frothy in the extreme.

The author's handling of her rather inane plot can be characterized as nothing less than superb. It will hold your interest even while you are mentally skeptical of the importance of it all! (Dodd, Mead, \$2).

**"Pavement Lady"**

"Pavement Lady," by Marguerite Brener, (Macaulay, \$2), is one of those novels it is hard to say anything about. It's so trashy it's not worth a review, and yet it's supposed to be literature! All about a street-walker who never really should have been a street walker, but whose destiny was against her . . . you know the pathos of the plot! Doesn't even read true enough to be made into a movie!

**"Introduction in the Talmud and Midrash"**

"Introduction in the Talmud and Midrash" by Hermann L. Strack (Jewish Publication Society), is the English translation of the late Prof. Strack's work and was prepared, we are informed, according to the instructions of the author as conveyed by his widow, from the copy of the fifth German edition revised by the author and marked: "Manuscript ready for the printer. For the English translation." (See Translator's Preface).

Contrary to the usual procedure no credit line is allowed the translator

who, admittedly has performed a difficult task more than ably. The text of Prof. Strack's work has lost nothing in its translation despite the difficulties inherent in the reinterpretation of such a technical book. Of the merits of the author's original work we can say nothing. We do not feel competent to judge the work of a scholar whose life, presumably was spent in research on just the subject to which he dedicated the book. It is readable, however, even for the layman who is not familiar with the controversial aspects of this volume and is informative to the point of arousing one's curiosity to explore the subject further. Prof. Strack's disproving of the accusation of a supposed secret Talmud with whose contents the Jews would allow no other people to become acquainted is intensely interesting, especially since agitators against Jews still continue to use this argument as a means of inciting prejudice against the Jewish people.

**Notes About Authors**

"Let the Day Perish," by S. K. Padover, of Detroit, is a novel scheduled for publication by Cape and Smith on March 21. The novel, we are informed, is based on the experiences of Mr. Padover in the European war zone (1914-1920), and is said to contain a remarkable description of the actual happenings during that period of conflict.

The author was born in Galicia, Austria, in 1905,—which makes him very young even at the present date,—and spent most of the war years in a particularly hard-hit section of Eastern Europe. He is a student of history, having done graduate work in that subject at Yale University and received his master's degree from that institution in 1930. His Bachelor of Arts degree was awarded by the College of the City of Detroit in 1928. At present Mr. Padover is a Research Fellow at the University of Chicago. Last fall he did research work in the Vienna archives. His experiences include the teaching of history at the State Teachers' College, Athens, West Virginia, in 1930, following his graduation from Yale.

Hollywood, by the way, is packed to the brim with promising (and fulfilling) talents of our racial extraction. Among those recently in the Hollywood environs are included: Ben Hecht, Marion Spitzer, Samuel Ornit, Lester Cohen, Arthur Kober, Dorothy Parker, Vina Delmar and any number of others.

Wonder what Hollywood thinks of our Jewish talent anyhow!

The Sid Silvermans of Variety are gazing fondly these days at their less than week old son who already tips the scales at about 10 pounds . . . and the Kandels,—he's the author of Rabbi Burns tells me that their recently born heiress is simply stunning to look at.

They say the Brinig volume, "This Man Is My Brother" (Farrar and Rhinehart), and all about the Jews in Montana, I believe, bids fare to become a best-seller almost immediately, much to the author's surprise!

Walter Winchell, Broadway columnist, is being stepped on plenty by the people about town who run columns in other papers or have a kick coming. Claim he is slinging too much unproven dirt. Maybe so. Then again he's evidently giving his public what it wants as there's no denying his drawing powers as columnist and radio "O-Keh"-er. The way we look at it we feel that people mentioned by Winchell are usually so dead set on space grabbing that they don't distinguish between insults and pattings on the backs.

Konrad Bercovici, author of "Against the Sky," is one of those most artistic looking authors ever to brighten the horizon of the literary sky. And he really knows some marvelous gypsy songs.

Joel Sayre off the Herald-Tribune, whether permanent or temporary not known. He's writing a book to be published in the spring.

They're saying now that Anthony Abbott is really Alexander Woolcott,—and that Gene Fowler's "The Great Mouthpiece" (life story of Fallon), is in the best-selling class still.

"Bachelor's Wife" rumored authored by a popular young author under a pseudonym.

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**Fifty Years of Palestine Work Celebrated**



The 50th anniversary of the beginning of Jewish colonization work in Palestine through the efforts of the Chovevei Zion and the 30th anniversary of the establishment of the Jewish National Fund were celebrated at a great banquet held in New York City last week.

The above shows a group of Zionist leaders who attended the Jubilee

Celebration. From right to left: Joel Entin, representing the Zionist Socialist Labor Party, Poale Zion; Louis Lipsky, Abraham Goldberg, Isaac Al-len, Nasi Order Sons of Zion; Mrs. Reah Ruttenger; Hon. Nelson Ruttenger, Deputy Police Commissioner and President of the Jewish National Fund, who presided; Dr. Colina Sokolow; Nahum Sokolow, President of the World Zionist Organization, who

was the principal speaker and guest of honor; Rev. Z. H. Masliansky; Rabbi Meyer Berlin, International President of Mizrahi, Orthodox Zionist Organization; Mr. Gedaliah Bublick, President of the American Mizrahi; Rabbi Wolf Gold, outstanding member of the Orthodox Rabbinate in the United States, and Dr. Akiba Ettinger, Land Director of the Jewish National Fund, Jerusalem.

**Noted Boston Attorney  
to Address Open Forum  
Sunday—Swedish Hall**

Mr. Joseph Bearak, a prominent Boston attorney, will be the speaker Sunday evening at 8 o'clock, at the Providence Open Forum, to be held at Swedish Hall, 59 Chestnut street. Mr. Bearak's subject will be "The Cure for Unemployment."

The Open Forum is being given under the auspices of the District Committee of the Workmen's Circle and the Providence Branch of the Jewish Socialist Verband.

There will also be a musical program in which the following will participate: Mme. Regina Rusakoff, well-known soprano, and Miss Eva Tanenbaum, pianist.

Admission is free and the public is invited.

**TEL AVIV MAYOR EXPRESSES  
GRATITUDE FOR STADIUM FUNDS**

New York, Feb. 5—(JTA)—Mayor Dizengoff of Tel Aviv, recently sent cabled thanks to Dr. Alexander Rosenfeld, Vice President of the World Maccabee Union, for the funds remitted for the erection of a stadium in Tel Aviv to house the Jewish Olympic games in the spring.

Praise for the efforts inaugurated here for the Stadium Fund were also extended in cabled greetings received from the President of the World Maccabee Association, Dr. Heinrich Liliwer of Berlin.

**Joint Distribution  
Campaign to Close  
Here In a Few Days**

The next few days will see the close of the local Joint Distribution Committee Campaign, the agency for the relief and rehabilitation of destitute European Jewry, Henry Hassenfeld, Chairman, has urged all workers to complete their prospects list as rapidly as possible and turn in their final results to the local headquarters, Room 208, O'Gorman Building, at 93 Eddy street.

The campaign opened on Jan. 25th, and since that time fifty workers have solicited most of Rhode Island Jewry.

Any one who has not been visited is asked to mail his contribution to Milton Sulzberger, campaign treasurer, 85 Westminster street.

The officers of the campaign are: Henry Hassenfeld, Chairman; Adolph Meller, Vice Chairman; Harry R. Rosen, Vice Chairman; Milton Sulzberger, Treasurer, and Dr. Joseph Smith, Secretary.

**BILL PASSED; KOSHER MEAT  
SALE SUNDAY UNPERMITTED**

Baltimore, Feb. 5—(JTA)—With a clause permitting the sale of Kosher meat on Sunday not included, the ordinance liberalizing Baltimore's ancient Sunday Blue Laws, passed the City Council recently without a negative vote.

If signed by Mayor Jackson, the

measure will be submitted to the voters of the city at the primary election on May 2nd.

A move by Jewish City Councilmen to allow the purchase of Kosher meat failed when the City Solicitor ruled that a suggested amendment, relating to Kosher meat, would be illegal.

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