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Mrs. Leon Watters



As head of the World's largest Jewish woman's organization Mrs. Leon L. Watters, president of National Federation of Temple Sisterhoods, describes her goal as the achievement of an intelligent, alive and effective American Jewish womanhood.

Stated for 12th Term



Nominated for his 12th term (tantamount to election) Max L. Grant will be re-elected president of the Miriam Hospital Sunday afternoon when the Corporation will gather for its annual meeting.

Deplore Attitude



General Erich Von Ludendorff, German War leader, and noted for his hatred of Jews, Catholics and Free Masons, recently deplored the attitude of other nations towards Hitler's policy regarding these groups.

"War Goes On"



The latest book from the pen of the noted Jewish author, Sholem Asch, is "The War Goes On" a graphic description of Germany during the post-war period, especially those years of inflation.

## SOVIETS DOUBLE JEWISH QUOTA TO BIROBIDJAN

New York (WNS)—An increase from 1,000 families to 2,000 families and 500 individuals of the quota of Polish Jews to be admitted to Birobidjan during 1937 has been made by the Soviet Government, Lord Dudley Marley, vice speaker of the British House of Lords, declared in an address at a farewell dinner in his honor by the American Committee for the Settlement of Jews in Birobidjan. Lord Marley, who is honorary president of the Committee, said that he had been informed while in the U. S. S. R. some months ago that the Soviet authorities would also admit a certain number of refugees from Eastern Europe and Germany to Russia proper.

## IRELAND VOTES BAN ON SHECHITA

Dublin (WNS)—Unless President Eamon de Valera exercises his prerogative and vetoes the action of the Dublin municipal council, the Jews of Ireland will be obliged to abandon shechita as the result of an anti-shechita bill which passed the council by a vote of 4 to 2.

Jewish leaders here, headed by Chief Rabbi Isaac Herzog, who was recently elected Chief Ashkenazic Rabbi of Palestine, are taking steps to prevent the measure from reaching final approval. The advocates of the ban on shechita denounced Jews as Communists, blamed them for the civil war in Spain and accused them of seeking to acquire control of Ireland.

The minority members of the council took sharp issue with these allegations and defended the Jewish community.

## JEWISH REFUGEE MISSING IN SOUTH

Corinth, Miss. (WNS)—Larry Glass, 25-year-old German Jewish refugee and grand-nephew of Herman Lissner, millionaire New York clothing manufacturer, is the subject of an intensive search by police and G-men following his mysterious disappearance from his home here on the night of December 13th.

Associated with his uncle's pants factory here for about a year, Glass is believed to be the victim of foul play. It is reported that his life had been threatened before he left, by members of a secret organization. Glass has been in the United States for 22 months.

## Annual Meeting and Luncheon on Jan. 26

The annual meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Jewish Orphanage of R. I., will be held on January 26 at the Orphanage. Following the custom established in previous years, a luncheon will be held at 1 o'clock. A large attendance is expected.

Mrs. P. Jerome Woolf, re-elected president, urges the members to make 1937 a banner year in membership and activity. It is the goal of Mrs. Woolf to enroll 1,000 members in the Ladies' Auxiliary.

## PALESTINE SURPLUS

Jerusalem (WNS-Palcor Agency)—The financial statement issued by the Palestine Government for the period ending October, 1936, shows a surplus of \$31,250,000. This is only \$70,000 less than the surplus shown in April before the disorders which lasted six months started.

## Mahoney Ousts All Pro-Nazi Officials

New York (WNS)—A clean sweep of all A. A. U. officials who supported American participation in the Berlin Olympic Games was made by Judge Jeremiah T. Mahoney, new president of the Amateur Athletic Union and leader of the fight against participation in appointing the chairman of the 1937 national A. A. U. committees.

Not only did Judge Mahoney oust all the pro-Nazi leaders but he replaced them with those who had been most militant in the fight against sending an American team to Berlin.

Charlotte Epstein, former coach of the American Women's Olympic swimming team, who resigned from the American Olympic Committee as a protest against that body's pro-Nazi stand, was named chairman of Women's swimming.

Aaron Frank of Portland, Oregon, whose resolution at the 1935 A. A. U. convention to make American participation dependent on the report of a commission of inquiry, was named chairman of the finance committee.

## LADIES' AUXILIARY ELECTS OFFICERS

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Jewish Orphanage of Rhode Island held election of officers on December 22. Mrs. P. Jerome Woolf was re-elected as president, and Mrs. Helen Bernhardt was elected vice president. Other officers for 1937 are: Mrs. Isaac Rose, treasurer; Mrs. Max Kestelman, financial secretary; Mrs. Harry Gtmy, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Milton Pliner, recording secretary; Mrs. David Gilman, auditor.

The following have been elected to serve as directors for 1937: Mesdames Daniel Dong, Sidney Rabinowitz, Charles Brown, M. Barry, A. Rumpier, Lyon Marcus, S. Rothschild, Bernard Goldowsky, Walter I. Sundlun, Adolph Gorman, H. Charren, Jack Fain and S. Saltzman.

The following chairmen have been appointed for 1937: Mrs. A. Gorman, printing; Mrs. S. Rabinowitz, program; Mrs. H. Charren, hospitality, and Mrs. Barry, membership.

## Hospital to Re-Elect Max Grant As Pres.

Max L. Grant will be re-elected president of the Miriam Hospital for his twelfth term Sunday afternoon at the annual meeting of the Corporation which will be held in the new Annex at 2.30 o'clock. Governor Robert E. Quinn will deliver the main address of the afternoon.

Following the reading of annual reports, officers and trustees for the ensuing year will be elected. In addition to Mr. Grant, the nominating committee will offer the following slate of officers: Alter Boyman, Henry Hassenfeld and Mrs. Joseph Smith, vice presidents; Samuel Temkin, secretary; Harry R. Rosen, treasurer; and Harry S. Beck, financial secretary.

Trustees for 1937: Mrs. Charles C. Brown, Arthur I. Darman, Mrs. Maurice L. Felder, Mrs. Louis M. Grant, Mrs. David Kahanovsky, Mrs. Samuel Priest, Samuel Soforenko, Mrs. Louis Smira, Mrs. Isaac Woolf, Samuel Kaplan, Mrs. Isak Forbstein.

Trustees whose terms do not expire are, 1937: Charles Brown, Charles Brown, Henry Burt, James Goldman, J. Jerome Hahn, Harry Loeb Jacobs, Philip C. Joslin, Benjamin N. Kane, Max Levy, Samuel M. Magid, Herman N. Silverman.

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## 2 Killed, 4 Injured As Plane Crashes

Jerusalem (WNS-Palcor Agency)—Two employees of the Iraq Petroleum Company were killed and four others were slightly injured when the plane in which they were travelling to Haifa from Bagdad crashed near the Jewish settlement of Afuler when it was forced down by a heavy gale.

Those killed were Nahum Popper, a Jewish engineer, aged 50, and a British engineer. The four passengers were also officials connected with the Iraq Petroleum Company.

## ARRANGE ANNUAL DONOR LUNCHEON

A complimentary bridge was given by the Ladies' Association of the Jewish Home for Aged last Wednesday afternoon at the Home. Mrs. Samuel Michaelson was chairman, assisted by a large committee.

Mrs. I. S. Low, president of the Association, has announced the following officers for the Fifth Annual Donor's Luncheon, which is to be held in March: Mrs. Charles Brown, honorary chairman; Mrs. Charles Alexander, chairman; Mrs. David Dwares, co-chairman; Mrs. Samuel Michaelson, treasurer; Mrs. Jennie Goldsmith, financial secretary; Mrs. Archie Alberts, secretary; Mrs. Irving Fain, bank custodian; and Mrs. Samuel Deutsch, chairman of hospitality.

## Italy Engages Jewish Artists For Radio

ROME (WNS)—Notwithstanding the anti-Semitic propaganda of a large section of the Italian press, the official government radio bureau has engaged a considerable number of Jewish artists for its winter programs. Among them are Bruno Walter, Fritz Reiner, Hans Weisbuch and Isak Dobrowen, all of whom are taboo in Germany.

## JEW INVESTED 30 MILLIONS IN PALESTINE IN 1936

Jerusalem (WNS-Palcor Agency)—Jewish investments in Palestine during the year 1936 totalled \$30,000,000, exclusive of investments in land and commerce, and the year 1937 opens with a Jewish population here of 410,000 it is revealed in a review of 1936 published by H. Frumkin, statistician of the Jewish Federation of Labor, summarizing Jewish gains and losses in the Holy Land during the past year.

"Jewish economy in 1936 which was a year unparalleled in its trials demonstrated the remarkable strength and resistance of the Jewish community despite the onslaughts of enemies."

In an economic review of the country's status, Mr. Frumkin declares that "at the end of the year the labor situation was good. There was insufficient labor in the colonies while urban unemployment was only 3,500."

"The more than \$30,000,000 invested by Jews during the past year was divided as follows: \$17,500,000 in buildings, \$7,000,000 in agriculture—of which \$2,500,000 represented expenditures of the Palestine foundation fund, central bureau for the settlement of German Jews, Nir Ltd. and the Emica, which disposed of the funds of the 1929 emergency fund—and \$6,000,000 in industry."

## Rabbi Schussheim to Lead Seminary Discussion

The Jewish Theological Seminary, which is celebrating its fiftieth anniversary, will hold a conference in New York on Sunday, January 17, at which time various personalities of national standing will present a program of cultural and practical subjects of interest to American Jewish life.

In this program Rabbi Schussheim will participate by leading a discussion. Following this conference the Rabbi will make a brief tour on behalf of the Jewish Theological Seminary.

## CHRISTIANS HONOR HARTFORD RABBI

Hartford, Conn. (WNS)—"This is our answer to the pagan anti-Semitism which is burning so cruelly in some parts of the world," said Dr. John Milton Phillips of the First Church of Hartford in presenting to Congregation Beth Israel a stained glass window from the Christians of Hartford as a gift in honor of the completion of ten years of service in Hartford by Rabbi Abraham J. Feldman, spiritual leader of the congregation.

The list of contributors to the fund which made the window possible was headed by Governor Wilbur Cross and included people of every religious denomination as well as many churches which contributed as organizations.

## Study Group to Discuss Aldous Huxley Book

This Saturday afternoon, Aldous Huxley's outstanding book "Eyeless in Gaza" will form the basis of the discussion and review by Rabbi Schussheim at the regular meeting of the Study Group of the Sisterhood to be held at the Temple Beth Israel at half past two. The book will be discussed as the attitude toward life of the sophisticated element of the modern community.

A contrast will be drawn between the various attitudes towards life characteristic of the groups composing a modern society. Following the discussion a social hour will take place at which Mrs. Benjamin N. Kane will be hostess.

Mrs. Samuel Michaelson



An ardent supporter of the Zionist cause, Mrs. Samuel Michaelson, vice chairman of the advisory committee, is a prominent worker in this year's United Palestine Appeal campaign. Mrs. Michaelson is also state chairman for the Jewish National Fund.

Dance Chairman



MRS. SAUL ABRAMS

COSTUME DANCE ARRANGED BY REPERTORY PLAYERS

A theatrical costume dance, under the chairmanship of Mrs. Saul Abrams, at Froebel Hall, 80 Brown street, Monday, will be the first social affair held by the Repertory Players.

Mrs. Abrams has arranged a grand time for the Players and their guests. Included in her program are Eddie Quinton and his orchestra, who are furnishing the music for the dance and Grand March, after which prizes will be awarded for the most original and funniest costumes.

Many of the Players will offer their own interpretations of the characters they are representing by the costumes they are wearing, and Daniel Jacobs, in charge of this part of the program, will present a prize for the best skit enacted.

Tickets for this gala "get-together" for the Players are in charge of Mrs. Jack Fain.

Mrs. Walter Strauss and Miss Zelda Fisher are the costume consultants.

Others assisting Mrs. Abrams are: Dr. and Mrs. James Kras-

PIONEERS TO HEAR TALK ON SPAIN

Dr. Eric Stone, chairman of the Providence division of the North American Committee to aid Spanish democracy, will be guest speaker at the Women Pioneer's meeting, Monday afternoon at Arcadia Hall, 109 Washington street. Dr. Stone will discuss present conditions in Spain. He will be introduced by Mrs. Clara Loitman-Smith.

Mrs. Harry Beck, president, will preside. The program for the afternoon was arranged by Mrs. P. M. Phillips, cultural chairman.

On Friday night there will be a cultural meeting at the home of Mrs. Benjamin Rakatansky.

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Dr. Minkin Institute Lecturer at Emanuel

Dr. Jacob S. Minkin will be the lecturer at the Institute of Jewish Studies this Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Mrs. Banice Feinberg will preside.

Dr. Minkin will lecture on the subject "The Romance of Hassidism." Dr. Minkin had published by McMillan a volume on this subject last year, and it has become a best seller.

AWARDED MANY DEGREES

Born in Poland, a son of the type of life he describes in "The Romance of Hassidism," Dr. Minkin's interests have been deepened, widened and universalized in the universities of Europe and America. Columbia University has awarded him the degrees of B. A. and M. A., and the Jewish Theological Seminary conferred upon him the degree of Rabbi and later,

Doctor of Hebrew Literature on the basis of his present book.

Although "The Romance of Hassidism" is Dr. Minkin's first book, he is a well-known figure to the Jewish reading public of America, having contributed a great many critical, historical, philosophical and literary essays to various periodicals.

A syndicated feature article, "News of the Jewish World," and "What the Jews of the World Are Doing Today," written by Dr. Minkin, appeared weekly for more than ten years in many of the principal newspapers in the country.

DONORS ATTEND J. C. R. S. MUSICALE

More than two hundred paid-up donors attended the complimentary tea and musicale given Monday afternoon in Touro Hall by the Rhode Island Ladies' Auxiliary, Jewish Consumptives Relief Society.

Bjarne Erickson, well-known Norwegian tenor, radio and concert artist gave several selections followed by little Dorothy Botvin who presented a group of song and dance selections. Motion pictures of the Sanatorium in Denver, Colorado, completed the afternoon's entertainment.

Two raffle prizes were awarded consisting of a hand-made afghan to Joseph O'Connor and a basket of liquor to Mrs. William D. Strong.

Loyal Family Circle Holds Installation Sun.

The Loyal Family Circle, Inc., of Rhode Island held installation of officers last Sunday at the home of Mrs. S. Podersky, Middle street, Pawtucket.

Officers installed were Harry Nozick, president; John Newman, vice president; Mildred Newman, secretary, and Bernard Horovitz, treasurer. Benjamin Newman of Guilford, Connecticut, was the installing officer.

NEW YEAR'S PARTY

A party was held New Year's eve at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Weisman on Cathedral avenue by the Misses Barbara Bochner, Irma Cohen, Deana Robinson, Lillian Robinson, Selma Tanger and Shirley Weisman. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

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GOV. ROBERT E. QUINN

At the annual meeting of the Miriam Hospital Corporation Sunday afternoon, Gov. Robert E. Quinn and Rabbi Israel M. Goldman will be principal speakers. Election officers and the reading of reports will be other business transacted.

"See America First" At Hadassah Dinner

The Providence Unit of Junior Hadassah will run a paid-up membership dinner on January 11 at 6.30 o'clock in Zinn's Banquet Hall. Dinner and bridge will be included, and novelty entertainment, "See America First."

Reservations should be made prior to January 8 with Beateure Uloff, Hopkins 6587, or Freda Ernstof, Hopkins 6292. The only ticket needed is a membership card.

Rabbinical College Holds Installation of Officers

A meeting of the Rabbinical College of Kletsk was held last week at the home of Rabbi Werner on Mulbury street. Rabbi Werner gave a talk on the work of the association.

Mrs. A. Weiner installed the following officers: Mrs. David Werner, honorary president; Mrs. Louis Fishbein, president; Mrs. G. Zeldman, vice president; Mrs. F. Leach, second vice president; Mrs. E. Hayman, third vice president; Mrs. Matthew Fishbein, recording secretary; Miss Leach, financial secretary and Mrs. I. Kasper, treasurer. Trustees are Mrs. E. Newman and Mrs. B. Gordon.

Miss Ruth Werner entertained with several vocal selections. Refreshments were served after the meeting.

LECTURE

by

B. Z. Goldberg

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## BEER REVENUE FOR R. I. NEARLY HALF MILLION IN 1936

Beer has contributed \$411,148 in taxes to Rhode Island during 1936, according to an estimate issued today by Emil Schierholz, General Manager of Narragansett Brewing Co. which is an increase of 13 per cent over 1935.

In reviewing tax returns from the sale of beer throughout the nation Mr. Schierholz pointed out that beer had paid well over one billion dollars in taxes to federal, state and municipal treasuries during the first eight months of 1936 for which actual figures are available.

**Money Proportioned**  
"Much of this money," stated Mr. Schierholz "went into old age pensions, unemployment relief, child welfare, bond retirement and law enforcement. Unemployment was relieved 10 per cent by the legalization of beer. In 1932 there were thirteen million unemployed people in this country—ten million more than the normal unemployment figure.

"Upon beer's legalization in 1933, approximately 10 per cent of those unemployed were given work in the breweries, distribution, retail sale and allied trades of the brewing industry.

**Farmers Benefit**  
"In the first twenty-nine months of beer's legalization, over seven billion pounds of crops have been purchased from the farmers for which they have been paid approximately \$266,425,175. More than 100,000 farmers are now supplying their grain and hops to the brewing industry.

## Map Plans for J. N. F. Project

From left to right are seen Maurice Levin, business leader and philanthropist, Dr. Israel Goldstein, president of the Jewish National Fund of America, Dr. Stephen S. Wise, president of the Zionist Organization of America and Pierre Van Paassen, foreign correspondent, as they appeared at a session of the National Advisory Council, in the Hotel Astor, where plans for the anniversary observance and the launching of the Huleh Redemption work as an anniversary project were decided upon.



During the fiscal year of 1936, the brewing and distilling industries will have consumed 9.6 per cent of the entire wheat, corn, barley and rice crops sold in both the domestic and foreign markets during three average years of the prohibition period.

"Real estate in many sections has benefited by the brewing industry. New retail construction and complete modernization of taverns, hotels, restaurants and clubs cost approximately \$427,640,000, of this amount \$223,698,000 was paid in wages to 148,693 laborers.

"It is almost impossible to list the number of allied industries that have benefited by beer's return but a few on which figures are available are: Power Plant Equipment \$46,000,000 (1932-36); Elevators and Conveying Equipment, \$32,000,000; Beer cases and cartons, \$6,210,000; Advertising, Exclusive of Radio and Publications, \$16,700,000.

## PROV. SYMPHONY CONCERT TUESDAY

The second concert of the Providence Symphony Orchestra's sixth season will be held next Tuesday night at 8:30 o'clock in the Metropolitan Theatre, with Dr. Wassili Leps conducting. Miss Emma Beldan, dramatic soprano, will be the concert soloist. The program is as follows:

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Emma Beldan, Dramatic Soprano  
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## HOODLUMS IGNITE OLD MAN'S BEARD

Warsaw (WNS)—Polish anti-Semites who made 1936 a year of terror and misery for Jews bade farewell to the year with a new series of outrages in many towns and cities.

In Vilna a seven-year-old boy, Benjamin Levine, was stabbed and seriously injured. In Lemberg anti-Semitic students ran riot in the Jewish quarter. In Ostrolenko an 80-year-old Jew narrowly escaped being burned alive when a gang of anti-Semites set fire to his beard.

Stalls of Jewish merchants in Ostrolenko, Buszenita, Polniezcey and Varbi were destroyed and pickets posted in front of Jewish shops. In the latter town a number of Jewish storekeepers were injured.

## Z. E. Pi Convention Opens Sun. at Biltmore

The Zeta Epsilon Pi fraternity will open its annual convention Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Biltmore Hotel. An inaugural formal dinner-dance for the newly elected officers will close the convention on Wednesday January 13.

Approximately thirty-five delegates will represent the most recently inducted Gamma Chapter of Boston. A large representation of the Chi and Delta chapters of Providence are expected.

Arrangements are being completed by the following members of the Grand Council. Joseph Golditch, supreme chancellor, Mildred Greenberg, supreme recorder, and David Salk, supreme exchequer.

## Strike Ends Attempt to Oust Jewish Tenants

New York (WNS)—A rent strike organized by non-Jewish tenants of the apartment house at 3029 Cruger Avenue, Bronx, forced the landlady to end her attempt to get rid of her Jewish tenants. By a series of organized annoyances such as stiff increases in rent, calling Jewish children names and refusing to make repairs, the owner made it clear that no Jews were wanted. A protest by the Tenants Protective League drew from the owner the admission that she wanted no Jews. When she refused to change her mind the rent strike was begun and the landlady capitulated.

## Poet Commends American Speech

Speaking before a large audience at the Jewish Community Center, last Sunday night, Louis Untermyer, famed poet and writer, praised the American development of the English language, saying that the English spoken in England is a dead language, as compared with the more pungent and powerful American language. He opined that even some of the American slang is poetic.

He predicted that in time the American language will move further away in content and meaning from Great Britain's English. Readings of two of his poems marked the conclusion of his lecture. He was introduced by Samuel H. Workman.

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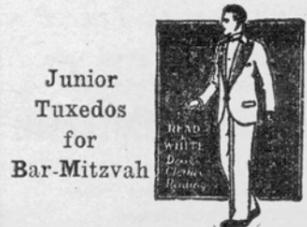
The Hague (WNS)—Alarmed by the widespread rumors that the marriage on January 7th of Crown Princess Juliana to Prince Bernhard of Lippe-Biesterfeld, Germany, will be a step toward the future Nazification of Holland and the enthronement of the Princess, when she becomes Queen, as the first woman dictator, an official government spokesman issued a statement here categorically denying that Juliana has any Nazi sympathies or that her fiance is a Hitlerite spy.

The statement emphasized that Juliana is guided by the democratic ideals of her mother, Queen Wilhemina, who is known to be an implacable foe of Nazism, and that the Prince pledged himself not to meddle in political affairs.

Ever since the engagement was announced liberal circles here have been fearful of what the marriage of the Crown Princess to a German prince would portend.

Before he left for Holland, Prince Bernhard had a private audience with Hitler.

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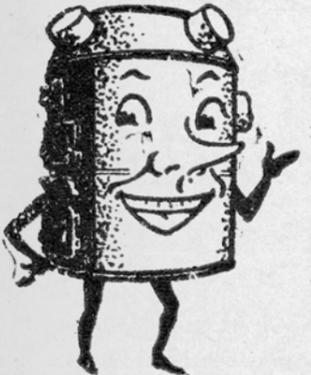
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## JEWISH CALENDAR FOR 1936-1937

January 27, Wednesday  
Chamisho Oso B'Shebat (Shebat, 15, 5697)  
February 25, Thursday . . . Purim (Adar, 14, 5697)  
March 27, Saturday  
Passover, first day (Nisan, 15, 5697)

## The Parting of Ways

The primary function of newspapers is to communicate to the human race what its members do, feel and think.

Anglo-Jewish journalism, therefore, demands of its practitioners that it record all occurrences to members of its race.

Here in Rhode Island, the Jewish population is approximately 30,000—almost a city in itself. Each individual, moreover, is concerned with the happenings within the Jewish community and also to those affecting him as a citizen.

He has a right to demand that all such news be reported unprejudiced and with accuracy. He feels that it is the duty of his paper, weekly or daily, to comment and to interpret this news to the best interests of the public.

Until now Anglo-Jewish journalism has been content to represent a "bulletin board" and to publish only innocuous items. But with the wide acceptance of Anglo-Jewish publications by the Jewish reading public, it becomes the responsibility of Anglo-Jewish journals to accept the duties they have ignored.

For some time the Herald has been aware that the old era of Anglo-Jewish journalism cannot satisfy its readers. But now with its new facilities and equipment the Herald eagerly assumes its communal duties.

## Mistaken Policy

The European political pot is again on the verge of boiling over.

While Germany's domestic economic crisis nears the danger-point England and France are moving heaven and earth to prevent the Nazis from embarking on a mad adventure in a last desperate effort to save themselves from their own folly.

England is offering the Reich a tempting barter agreement and France is prepared to return some of Germany's colonies on condition that Hitler withdraw from Spain and become a party to an ironclad security agreement.

To us this smacks of international bribery. For four years Hitler has been creating international incidents and bringing Europe to the brink of war as part of his scheme of winning major diplomatic concessions. And it has worked.

Now he's trying it again. England and France are apparently not ready for war with Germany and are prepared to ward off war by meeting Hitler half-way.

But recent experience has shown that Hitler wants no half-way measures. It's all or nothing with him.

Unless Hitler and his clique have changed their policy it seems unlikely that the bait held out to him will be taken.

The people who are constantly lamenting that there is no longer a chance in this country for young men and women to reach the top are usually found, upon examination, to be people who have never tried to get to the top.—Detroit Free Press.

The strongest army conquers the world, but the lowest price still gets its business.—Helena Independent.

Trains that will travel 250 miles an hour are predicted, but the reckless driver probably will be able to reach the grade crossings in time to get hit.—Indianapolis News.

All the World's a Stage—All the People Merely Players—SHAKESPEARE



## Social and Personal

Miss Dorothy Irene Summer, daughter of Mr. Joseph Summer of this city, was married to Nathan G. Samdperil, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Samdperil of Morris avenue, last Tuesday afternoon at 1.30 o'clock. The wedding was held at the home of the bride's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Frank, of Glen road.

The bride wore a gray afternoon dress with dubonnet accessories, and carried an old fashioned bouquet. Rabbi David Werner and Rabbi Israel M. Goldman officiated at the ceremonies. Mrs. Philip Taber sang "O Promise Me" accompanied by Miss Florence Glantz. The room was decorated with palms and white flowers. A reception followed the services.

After a wedding trip through New York, Washington and Atlantic City, Mr. and Mrs. Samdperil will live in the Cypress Apartments.

The marriage of Miss Eva Pullman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Pullman of Fourth street, to Harry Feldstein, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Feldstein of Home avenue, took place last Friday at the home of the bride's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Temkin, on Wayland avenue. Rabbi Israel M. Goldman and Cantor Bettman officiated at the services. Approximately forty-five guests were present. After a wedding trip through New York, and Washington, the couple will take up residence on Home avenue.

Mrs. D. Gershowitz of 19 Richter street entertained the New Deal Bridge Club last Tuesday evening at her home. At the guest table were Mrs. I. Mandell, Mrs. E. Kalus and Mrs. B. Mandell.

Mrs. G. Snyder was first prize winner. Second prize was won by Mrs. F. Koffman. Mrs. I. Mandell was winner at the guest table. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

At the regular Board of Directors meeting of the R. I. Chiropody Society, Dr. Maurice Mellion, member of the R. I. State Board of Chiropody, was added to serve for the ensuing year.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jacobson announce the birth of a son, Marvin Gerald on December 26, 1936. Mrs. Jacobson was formerly Miss Etta Seltzer of Pawtucket.

Announcement has been made of the engagement of Samuel Kornstein, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kornstein of this city, to Miss Ceil Litzak of New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney B. Rubin of Colonial road are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, Sandra Joyce, on December 13 at the Homeopathic Hospital.

Mrs. Samuel Sax of 239 Orms street entertained at a supper and bridge last Sunday evening at her home. Included among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Berg, Mr. and Mrs. A. Feldman, Mr. and Mrs. J. Topal, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Mike, and Mr. and Mrs. Max Primack. Guests from Pawtucket were Mr. and Mrs. H. Schaffer and Mr. and Mrs. B. Schuster. Prizes were won by the Mesdames Mike, Feldman and Schaffer.

Miss Claire Ernstof, who recently attended the National Convention of Junior Hadassah in Washington, D. C., was a guest at a house party given by Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Guss of that city. Mrs. Guss is the former Rose Klein of Providence.

Announcement was made recently of the engagement of Miss Frances Goldstein, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Goldstein of Hawthorne street, to Frank Darman of Woonsocket.

The marriage of Miss Jeanne Bercovitz, daughter of Mr. Adolf Bercovitz of this city, to Sidney J. Eisenberg also of this city, son of Mrs. Anna Eisenberg of Wilkes-Barre, Pa., was held on December 24. Mr. and Mrs. Eisenberg are now on a cruise to the West Indies.

Mrs. Morris Freedman is now in Montgomery, Alabama, visiting her son Rabbi Samuel Freedman. Following her three week visit there she will leave for Hot Springs, Arkansas, where she will spend the remainder of the winter.

## Through the Eyes OF ARCHIE SMITH

### IDEA FOR A DIET

Someone with the good intentions of putting in to effect the Lampport Plan to alleviate the distress of the "hardest pressed minority group in the world today" through encouraging purchases by American Jews of the products of Polish Jewish manufacture sure pulled a boner when they turned to the dictionary for aid in labeling . . . The product sent for the American Jewish market was kosher goose fat. The label reads "GOOSE LARD" . . . but then again, maybe it wasn't a boner after all.

### NEEDED: A NEW KOLNDRE

"The sanctity of the Sabbath," says an announcement from Temple Emanu-El, "at leastening circumstances, no economic pressure, no thirst for amusement, can be offered as an alibi for its desecration. The Sabbath is integral with the Jewish soul. It is the center of gravity of the week, and the very essence of Jewish life. Were we to know, that we are beating our head against a stone wall, Temple Emanu-El would yet be dedicated to the sanctity of the Sabbath Eve." . . . The rabbi must be worried about eve's dropping . . .

And from Miami comes a report that the Synagogue was crowded to the sidewalk on Friday night. "After the services," writes our friend, "the men gathered around and discussed the real estate situation and made dates for Saturday to look over lots for winter bungalows." . . . Fresh from a friend in Boston—a copy of his play "Temple Olav Hasholm." . . .

### IN SUMMER CLIMES

The Willie Weinsteins are sunning themselves in Florida. Fan Robinson is looking southward. During the off season, Lee Brooker entertains her sales force with impersonations—and they're not so bad . . . Gilbert Gould and Bob Silverman send greetings from Webster where they run a shoe store, and the Hells boys whom many remember for their outstanding basketball contributions to Brown are taking care of the natives' legal and medical needs in the same town.

Nana and Harry Greenspan are on their way to Bermuda. The Syd Aizensbergs, she the former Jean Berkowitz, are honeymooning in the West Indies. The Carl Freedmans are back in town after a few months in the nutmeg state. Mac Gutman leaving for home sweet home and Omaha . . . Bill Fain in town for a short vacation from the Beth Israel Hospital. Rosalind Mushlin in town from the Big City to see the New Year in. Esther Kulden in from Boston and looking scintillating . . . Al Rosen and Lilly Korb sailing as Mr. and Mrs. on the 27th . . . William Rubin, manager of the Albee has his guests this week members of the Home for Aged to hear Herbert Ertel, famed New York cantor . . .

Sid Perlman, former localite and now a nationally known humorist, is living in New York . . . Max Klein "sits in" Sunday afternoons . . . Familiar sight at the bank mornings: Henry Goldblatt with his mammoth rope . . . Judging from the long and loud applause she received at the fiftieth anniversary meeting of the Ladies' Union Aid the other afternoon, Archie Finkle's wife, Selma, sure has what the people want when it comes to singing . . . and we note she's going into teaching voice and piano . . .

### NEW YEAR NIGHTCAPS

To cover the New Year celebration of the young folks at the Wayland Manor we engaged an assistant—you guess the sex—who writes: "As we danced through the crowd I noticed a galaxy of delightful ladies. There were the Bill Goldsteins—Sophie's three teared gown made her one of the smartest dressed young matrons . . . The Arthur Goldsteins enjoying the frivolity . . . Hal Stanzler . . . Laura Winograd demure in a spring print. Champagne flowed freely at the table around which sat Aaron Roitman, Howard Pressel, Evelyn Hornstein, whose black chiffon gown and the Archie style, Ada Cohen, Ben Premack and the Archie Finkles. (Columnist's note: We visited that table and saw no champagne—if you boys held out on me . . .)

I managed to shake hands with medicos Sam Pritsker, Sam Pressman, Ellie Saklad, Jay Fishbein and the Grovers. Spoke with Esther Bass (she'll be a localite before the summer is very old) whose white gown brought out her brunette charm. Arthur Newman and his petite wife were with the Morris Pritskers. Gert Rosenhirsh's white gown suggested the south land. Lillian Greenberg all tied up in streamers . . .

### MELTING POT SPOTTED

Madeline Marks the Murray Halperts, Norma Gouse, Lenny Goldman, Sam Strong and Milt Scribner. Toots Norman with a sweet young thing, Archie Shasset, Stutz Winograd, Nate Perlman, the Mac Goldens . . . Leo Bernstein, Ed Bornside . . . Eunice Goldsmith, Mickey Goldsmith, Doc and Mrs. Kramer, the Sam Workmans, Bud Lewis, Sadie Taber, Sandy Weiner, Irving Fain with Macie Fine, Itzie Korn without a trace of that unfortunate accident . . . We'll recognize you at the Repertory Theatre Party in spite of your disguise . . .

### PAGE FRIENDSHIP BUREAU

At the Miriam Hospital Banquet we noted Sam Temkin presenting Major Hoffman with a silver plate inscribed with his record, William Cohen, Ezra Sharp, Nate Bolotov, Superintendent of Nurses, Helen Golden, Mrs. Joe Smith, Harry Broadman. Eske Winsberg went religious at the turn of the New Year. We spotted him at services where we also noticed George Basok and the Myron Kellers . . . Contemporary Phineas Byron wants to know: Can't Wally Simpson please dig up a girl friend in Baltimore who could make Hitler abdicate . . .

The Sam Dubitsky's entertaining aunt Grant with cousins Abbie and Lou Huddish. The Mathew Paytons with Mother Payton and brother Billy. The Kenneth Logowitz's, the Si Normans, Bernie Payton in from New York and with an attractive young lady from out of the States. Sister Ruthie with a young man about to catch a train back to college. According to Photoplay Magazine, George Jessel has had an offer from Hitler—three weeks' personal appearance in Germany, with all funeral expenses paid . . .



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**HARRY LEACH**

Harry Leach will be honored at a dinner party this Sunday night at the Narragansett Hotel. Mr. Leach, a prominent local business man and resident of Rhode Island for over thirty years, is being feted by his friends on his 50th birthday. There will be over 350 people in attendance, including many guests from out of town. The dinner will be catered by Zinn.

**TEL AVIV GIVES TOSCANINI OVATION**

Tel Aviv (WNS-Palcor Agency) — "Palestine has made an unforgettable impression upon me," Arturo Toscanini, famed Italian conductor, declared at a Habima performance here which he witnessed and where the audience gave him a stormy ovation. Previously he had been enthusiastically greeted by workers in the new Tel Aviv port, which he visited.

Together with Bronislaw Huberman, the violinist and founder of the Palestine Symphony Orchestra, which Signor Toscanini is conducting now, the Italian conductor also called upon Sir Arthur Wauchope in Jerusalem.

3,000 Jewish colonists and other workers were guests at the final rehearsal of the new orchestra, which was converted into a great popular concert with free admission as a result of a decision taken by Mr. Huberman and Signor Toscanini. The members of the orchestra, mostly refugees from Germany, went through the rehearsal in a spirit as enthusiastic as that of the audience.

Announcing that over 7,000 members have already been enrolled for the orchestra season, a proportion unparalleled anywhere else. Mr. Huberman declared that "Toscanini is delighted with the orchestra which has been formed here."

**Jewish Immigrants Banned By Paraguay**

ASCUNCION, Paraguay (WNS) — An order expelling from Ascuncion, the capital of Paraguay, all Jewish immigrants who arrived within the last two years, has been stayed until after January 1. The decree gave the immigrants the alternative of being deported or going into the provinces as agricultural laborers. Underlying this decree, which was followed by another prohibiting the entry of all Jews to Paraguay, is the bitter feeling of the present Fascist regime against former President Eusebio Ayala, who is of Jewish origin, and the government's complaint that Jewish immigrants who arrive as agricultural workers remain in Ascuncion as merchants and traders.

**Kadimah Choral to Present Musicales**

For its first musical event of the season, the Kadimah Choral Society will present a musicale on Monday evening, January 18. Mrs. Joseph Webber, president, announced today.

While arrangements are not complete, the committee in charge of the affair are planning on having a noted soloist to feature the program.

The Chorus proper has been rehearsing for several months and will sing at the musicale. Further details will be announced in next week's Herald.

**UNEMPLOYED HIT AS NAZIS CLOSE JEWISH BUREAU**

Berlin (WNS)—The plight of unemployed Jews in Germany reached a new crisis with the coming of the new year when the Nazi decree ordering the dissolution of all Jewish unemployment bureaus throughout Germany went into effect.

The decree makes it necessary for jobless Jews to apply to the unemployment bureaus of the official Nazi Labor Front which rarely if ever gives work to Jews.

The new year is also expected to bring a serious housing shortage for Jews because Nazi landlords are refusing to rent rooms or apartments to non-Aryans. The situation is further aggravated by the steady decline in the number of Jewish landlords.

To deal with this matter the Berlin Jewish community has issued a circular letter to all Jewish landlords requesting them to inform the community officials whenever they have vacancies in any of their properties.

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**MAJ. CHARLES HOFFMAN**

Expecting to be toastmaster for the annual banquet for nurses given annually by the management of Miriam Hospital, Major Charles Hoffman, superintendent of the institution, last Saturday night, found himself in the unanticipated role of guest of honor. Major Hoffman was feted for his ten years affiliation with the Hospital.

**Arrest Mufti's Kin For Attack of Jewess**

Jerusalem (WNS-Palcor Agency)—A Jewess into whom six rounds of ammunition had been fired and who was left for dead at midnight on the Jerusalem-Jericho Highway crawled into a roadside police post and told a story of attempted rape which led to the arrest of Shimshi Husseini, a Jerusalem municipality employe and brother-in-law of the Grand Mufti of Jerusalem.

Husseini reported to the police in Jerusalem that he and a companion had been held up by bandits as they were motoring to Jericho.

The bandits were said to have inquired the nationality of the girl and when told by Husseini that she was a Christian and his wife refused to believe him and shot the girl because they believed her a Jewess since she wore no veil.

The victim told an entirely different story. She is Rina Schwiki, a Syrian Jewess, who had been invited to go driving with Husseini, an old friend. On the way he attempted to attack her and when she resisted he fired six shots into her.

Believing the girl to be dead, Husseini returned to the city and reported the alleged attack by bandits.

**LEVIN HEADS JNF NATIONAL COUNCIL**

New York —(WNS) Maurice Levin, president of Hearn's Dept. Store and largest single contributor to Palestine funds in 1936, has been named chairman of a newly organized national advisory council of the Jewish National Fund which will hold its first meeting in New York on December 27th.

**Personals**

Master Gerald Jacobs of Verdale avenue, entertained 12 of his friends at a New Year's eve party last Thursday night. Those present include Phil H. Brown of Boston, Samuel Chester of New York, Arthur Mosovitz, Stanley Teath, Shirley Shore, Beverly Gerstenblatt, Esther Flaxman, Melvin Wasserman, Donald Jacobs, Jerry Hodash, Claire Cohen, Charlotte Sadler and Shirley Cohen. Games were played and refreshments were served.

Irving H. Strasmich, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Strasmich, of 117 Cole avenue, who is studying at Yale, spent the Christmas holidays with his parents.

Miss Irene Mittleman has been appointed chairman of the annual Junior Hadassah bridge which will be held on February 9 at the Biltmore Hotel.

**Jr. Auxiliary Group Organized At Biltmore**

The Rhode Island Junior Auxiliary of the Jewish Consumptive Relief Society was organized last Tuesday evening at the Biltmore Hotel. Mrs. Zelig Gordon, senior president, explained the nature of the work being done throughout the various chapters of the society for the Sanitarium at Denver, Colorado. The following officers were elected and installed by Mrs. Gordon: Frances Lipson, president; Emily Cipkin, vice-president; Diane Chorney, secretary, and Lillian Goldstein, treasurer.

The Juniors are opening their program with a membership drive. Prospective members are cordially invited to attend the next meeting which will be held at the Biltmore Hotel on February 10. Call or write to Frances Lipson, 202 Lippitt street, Plantations 8317.

**Half Day Closing is Allowed Tripoli Jews**

Roma (WNS)—Following the intervention of a Jewish delegation and the receipt of cabled protests from Jews in Italy, Governor Italo Balbo of Tripoli, Italy's North African colony, has agreed to permit Jewish merchants to keep their stores closed half a day on Saturday, according to reports received here from Tripoli.

This concession is a compromise between Balbo's insistence that Jews keep open all day and the refusal of Jewish Sabbath-observers to violate the Sabbath. Under the new regulations the Jews must open their shops after midday prayers.

Eighty-four per cent of American Jews live in cities of more than 100,000 population.

**League Calendar**

- Friday, Jan. 8  
Council Board Meeting, afternoon.
- Monday, Jan. 11  
Women Pioneers, afternoon.  
Miriam Hospital Board Meeting, afternoon.
- Tuesday, Jan. 12  
Hadassah Linen Shower, afternoon.
- Wednesday, Jan. 13  
Montefiore Annual Complimentary Bridge and installation of officers.  
Council Peace Group, afternoon.
- Thursday, Jan. 14  
Ladies' Auxiliary, Jewish War Veterans' Installation, evening.  
Temple Beth Israel Board Meeting, afternoon.
- Friday, Jan. 15  
Council Dramatic Group, afternoon.

**ON HONOR ROLL**

New York (WNS)—United States Supreme Court Justices Benjamin N. Cardozo and Louis D. Brandeis head the 1936 honor roll of The Nation. They were

cited for "maintaining in a crucial year and against heavy odds the best traditions of the court." Fritz Lang, German-Jewish refugee film director, was also cited for his direction of the picture "Fury," an indictment of lynching.



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**FIRST NATIONAL STORES**

# Nazis Halt Emigration Of Male Jews

## NEW ORDER WILL PROBABLY LEAD TO MOBILIZATION

Berlin (WNS)—The Nazi noose around the neck of German Jewry was given another pull when the government forbade all German males between the age of 18 and 45 to leave the German borders without written permission from the military officials of their districts, thus cutting off at one swoop virtually all Jewish emigration from the Reich.

Rumors that this sensational and unprecedented action was preliminary to a general civil mobilization order could not be confirmed but it was learned in well-informed quarters that such an order was an immediate possibility.

It was also reported that when and if such mobilization takes place the Nazis will arrest a large number of important Jews and hold them as hostages. Their property, it is said, will be confiscated.

The ban on male emigration is likely to be followed by another decree ordering all young Jews into a special Jewish labor corps for emergency war service.

Ten German army authorities are known to be opposed to the continued emigration of young and able-bodied Jews.

Although they are not admitted to the Reichswehr, they can be employed in various menial tasks, such as ditch-digging and the construction of latrines.

### Campaign Chairman



ARCHIBALD SILVERMAN

### U. P. A. Workers Plan Supper Meeting

The First General Workers of the United Palestine Appeal will hold a supper meeting Saturday evening at 7 o'clock in Zinn's Banquet Hall, 133 Mathewson street. More than 150 people are expected to attend.

### SAYS BRITAIN HAS ULTERIOR MOTIVE IN THE NEAR EAST

Declaring that the League of Nations mandate was intended to provide a Jewish national home in Palestine, U. S. Senator Royal S. Copeland of New York, told an audience of 1000 R. I. Jews last Sunday night that it was up to the British High Commissioner to effect an understanding among the Arabs and Jews.

Great Britain has failed to make Palestine a safe abode for the Jewish race "because it doesn't serve her purpose" in the Near East, he said. He further stated that "It is the clear duty of the American Government to impress on Britain that we view with displeasure her administration of her mandate over Palestine."

#### Studied Conditions

Senator Copeland, who last summer studied conditions in Palestine, was the principal speaker at an organization meeting of the 1937 United Palestine Appeal Campaign, held in the Biltmore Hotel. The R. I. Campaign opens next Saturday with \$18,000 as its goal.

Others who spoke at the dinner and meeting included Mr. and Mrs. Archibald Silverman, Judge Philip C. Joslin, Dr. Ilie Berger, Max Winograd and Rabbi Morris Schussheim.

Mrs. Silverman was presented with a bouquet of flowers. She sailed last Tuesday for Palestine.

#### Elect Officers

Officers of the United Palestine Appeal Campaign, nominated by a committee headed by James Goldman and ratified unanimously, are:

General chairman, Archibald Silverman; vice chairman and initial gifts chairman, Max Winograd; vice chairmen, Mrs. Ida C. Falk of Woonsocket, Samuel Cokin of Pawtucket, and Robert M. Damm of Newport; treasurer, Samuel P. Lazarus; campaign director, Dr. Ilie Berger; chairman of public relations, Rabbi Israel M. Goldman; executive and publicity, chairman, Alter Boyman; secretary, Henry Burt; associate secretary, Mrs. Morris Shoham.

#### Executive Group

Alter Boyman, chairman; Mrs.

### Beth-Israel Sisterhood Greets New Members

The annual membership luncheon of the Sisterhood of Temple Beth Israel took place at Zinn's Banquet Hall last Monday afternoon. A brief meeting was presided over by Mrs. Isadore Singer, the president, and Mrs. Barney Kenner, membership chairman, reported the Sisterhood as having one hundred and fifty members. She welcomed as new members to the Sisterhood: Mrs. Saul Abrams, Mrs. Samuel Butler, Mrs. Henry Hassenfeld, Mrs. Irving Kovitch, Mrs. Samuel Salk and Mrs. Thomas Sonis.

Musical selections were rendered on the piano by Mrs. Bella Goldenberg Halpert and an address on "Horizons for Jewish Women" was given by Dr. Clara Loitman-Smith. Rabbi Schussheim concluded the afternoon with an address on "Individual Responsibilities and Individual Opportunities Within Jewish Life."

At the conclusion of the meeting a committee was delegated to represent the Sisterhood as the team for the Sisterhood in the United Palestine Appeal. Mrs. Samuel H. Erstof is the chairman of the team.



#### BEGINNING FRIDAY

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In her debut film, "I Dream Too Much," Lily Pons played a leap frog in a public park, fed fish to a trained seal and sang while riding on a merry-go-round.

In her present song-and-laugh musical comedy, "That Girl From Paris," co-starring Gene Raymond and Jack Gene Raymond Oakie, now at the Albee, her experiences surpass even these in oddity.

Departing from the reserve of an opera diva, (1) la Pons helps Gene Raymond change an automobile tire; (2) is suspended from Jack Oakie's belt out a tenth story window and is hauled right back through that window like a bag of salt; (3) dances through an entire afternoon with four partners, Raymond, Oakie, Mischa Auer and Frank Jenks, each of the dancers introducing his own particular variety of "hot-cha" steps, while she trudges with her tiny feet in a size 1-2 shoe!

"Mysterious Crossing" with James Dunn is the second feature.

### "One in a Million"

With Sonja Henie, Queen of the Silvery Skates, executing dazzling dances on crystal ice and romancing with Don Ameche, Adolphe Menjou pulling another hilarious performance out of his gag-bag, Jean Hersholt more lovable than ever, Ned Sparks deadpanning his way to new laugh highs, the Ritz Brothers running amusingly amok, Arline Judge cute, captivating and comical, Borrah Minevitch and his gang playing hot rhythms on their har-



Gene Raymond

monicas, and Dixie Dunbar, Leah Ray and Shirley Deane contributing beauty and hi-de-ho, "One In A Million," the Twentieth Century-Fox spectacular musical smash comes today to the Majestic Theatre.

Set in a brilliant new world of delirious new thrills, "One In A Million" tells a story of love burning as sun on snow, sprinkled with fun, roaring as on open fire, with songs you'll remember as the year's big hits.

### "Smart Blonde"

"Smart Blonde," a mystery-comedy-drama from the Warner Bros. studio, which has its first local showing today at the Fay Theatre, will, it is promised, put on view for public approval a brand-new character — Torchy Blane, girl newspaper reporter.

The vivacious Glenda Farrell portrays Torchy, and with the aid of Barton MacLane as a police detective, solves a murder mystery which confronts her at the very beginning of the picture.

"Smart Blonde" is the first of a series of comedy-dramas in which the dashing Torchy Blane will be the central figure, portrayed, of course, by Miss Farrell. A fast moving vaudeville show and news complete the bill.

### HOSPITAL GROUP LUNCHEON JAN. 18

Plans for the annual luncheon meeting of the Miriam Hospital Association are rapidly nearing completion. The event is scheduled for Monday afternoon, January 18, at Zinn's Banquet Hall on Mathewson street.

Mrs. Oscar Klemer, general chairman, is being assisted by Mrs. Joseph Smith, ex-officio, Mrs. Max Temkin, treasurer; and Mrs. John L. Myers, reservations.

The general committee consists of Mesdames Joseph Shukovsky, David Goldman, Louis Lovett, Leo Cohen, Jacob Ernstof, Bernard Goodman, Irving J. Glantz, Jacob Leibo, Emanuel Gluckman, Samuel Ernstof, David Kahnovsky, Maurice Felder, Samuel Soforenko, Nathan Hilfer, Samuel Markoff, Joseph Webber, Benjamin I. Sass, William Cohen, Samuel Silverstein, Charles C. Brown, Morris Berry, Nathan Bolotow, Samuel Newburger, Alter Boyman, Morris Melion, Isaac Woolf, Samuel Rigelhaupt, Jacob Horowitz, Samuel Morien, John Brownstein, Samuel I. Kennison, Rose Smira, Harry Weiner.

Jewish school buildings in the United States represent an investment of approximately \$20,000,000.

### Beth-El Sisterhood to Sponsor Cake Sale

A meeting of the Sisterhood of Temple Beth-El was held last Monday in the Temple. After the reading of the Sisterhood Prayer by Mrs. Samuel Coitz, Rabbi William G. Braude opened the meeting with a brief talk on current events.

The speaker for the afternoon was Dr. Israel Kapstein of Brown University, whose subject was "What is College Worth?" Hostesses were Mrs. Moses Mickler, assisted by the Mesdames A. Lincoln Abel, Samuel Dubitsky, E. Gardner Jacobs, Samuel Kaplan, Theodore Loebenberg, Allan Markoff, Samuel Markoff, Philip V. Marcus, Samuel Newburger, Joel J. Pincus, Daniel Snyder.

The Sisterhood will sponsor a cake sale, to be held in the Outlet on January 13.

berg, Max J. Rosenhirsch, Mrs. David Saltzman, George Samdperil, Joseph Schlossberg, Mrs. Morris Schussheim, Mrs. Morris Sheer, Morris W. Shoham, David Shore, Simon Silverman, Mrs. Isadore Singer, Dr. Joseph Smith, Maurice Stollerman, Barney Stone, Mrs. Charles Strasmich, Mrs. Joseph W. Strauss, Samuel Strong, Abe Swerling, Charles Temkin, Mrs. Nathan Temkin, Herbert Tieman, Alex Weiner, Rabbi David Werner, Rabbi Joshua Werner and Arthur Winkleman.

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## GIFTS POUR IN FOR HADASSAH LINEN SHOWER

Many generous contributions have already been received in response to the appeal issued on behalf of Hadassah's Linen Shower, which takes place Tuesday, in the vestry of Temple Beth-El.

The group heading the project is ambitiously attempting to make this year's undertaking the most successful in local Hadassah's records. All proceeds (linen or cash) will be forwarded to the Palestine Supplies' Bureau, which owing to the 1936 riots in the Holy Land, faces an urgent need of replenishing its stock of linen, particularly sheets of all sizes. An invitation to attend the affair has been extended to all Jewish women's organizations in the City.

Mrs. Barney Taber is chairman, and will be assisted as follows: Mrs. Samuel Michaelson, co-chairman; Mrs. Rose Markensohn, education; Mrs. Leo Cohen, hospitality; Mrs. Leo Rosen, telephone squad; Mrs. Banice Feinberg, program.

The program will feature a review by Mrs. Morris L. Cowen of the much discussed book "The Brothers Ashkenazi" by I. J. Singer and Mrs. Esther Pritsker will discuss "Current Events." A social hour will close the event.

Hadassah's program of major activities in Palestine, including her medical and preventive health work, the Rothschild University-Hospital, and the Youth Aliyah project makes it imperative for the various Chapters to use all available methods of assisting the national office.

Attention is directed to the members' free lecture which is being given this (Friday) afternoon, at two o'clock, in the Biltmore Hotel. Rabbi Morris Schussheim of Temple Beth-Israel is the lecturer for the series titled "Currents in Jewish Life." This Friday he will speak on "Poetry and Mysticism." Each lecture is given independently of the rest of the series, thus sustaining the interest in the individual topics, for those who cannot attend regularly.

## FRIEDMAN LODGE SCHEDULES SOCIAL

Arrangements for a men's social were discussed at a meeting Monday night of Henry Friedman Lodge. The event will be held Monday in the vestry of the synagogue, High and Jackson streets.

Members of lodges in Taunton, Providence, Newport and Woonsocket have been invited, together with members of the Men's Club of the Ahavat Shalom Synagogue, the A. Z. A., which is sponsored by B'nai B'rith and other local organizations.

The program will include boxing and wrestling bouts, singing and dancing specialties and refreshments.

A feature of this program will be an address by Joseph Goldberg of Worcester who is a member of the general committee of the Grand Lodge, and who recently returned from a trip to Palestine.

It will be an open meeting. The committee comprises Samuel Zarchen, chairman; Jack Goldenberg, Maurice Markoff, I. Rosenberg, Dr. Harold H. Hillman, Eli Levine, William R. Goldberg, Jack Schaffer and Nate Chennack.

## Beth-Israel Arranges First Kiddush Service

The end of the holiday period and the resumption of regular activity will be the occasion for the first Friday night Kiddush of the year to be given at Temple Beth Israel following the regular Sabbath evening service this evening.

Rabbi Schussheim will commence a series of lecture sermons on outstanding Jewish personalities by discussing Moses at this Friday night service. As usual, Cantor Schlossberg will read the liturgy.

Following the service the Kiddush will be served in the vestry room with Mrs. Samuel H. Ernstof in charge.

The Junior Congregation service will take place Saturday morning at 10.30 o'clock. Preceding the service the boys of the confirmation class will meet with the Rabbi at 10 o'clock for informal discussions of personal interest.

## A New Florida Vogue



Coincident with the opening of the season in Florida, pretty Miss Shirley Stynchcomb appeared on the beach at Miami in her new beach suit made of real silver tarpon scales.

## Ladies' Union Aid Marks 50th Birthday

The Ladies Hebrew Union Aid Association celebrated their 50th anniversary last Tuesday with a gala event at the Narragansett Hotel. Approximately 400 women attended. The tables were decorated with greenery and yellow flowers. Each woman received a souvenir gold-covered program and a gold pencil with the organization's inscription.

At the head table were seated the oldest surviving members of the organization, Mrs. H. Silverman, Mrs. J. Sugarman and Mrs. S. Silverstein, each being the recipient of a corsage. Also seated at the head table were the Mesdames E. Rosen, H. Swartz, J. Horovitz, C. Adelberg, I. Weiss, E. Granff, I. Baratz, I. Dickers, L. Pomiansky, I. Woolf, L. Feiner, C. Lipis, Wm. Rabinowitz, Louis Lovett, Morris Mellion, A. I. Schechter, Edward Finberg and Rabbi I. M. Goldman. They represented the honorary officers, present officers, chairmen of the luncheon, guest speakers and the installing officer.

### Varied Program

The luncheon opened with a head table. The invocation was given by Mrs. H. Swartz. After the luncheon Mrs. E. Granoff greeted the guests. Mrs. I. Weiss, toastmaster, then introduced Rev. Meyer Smith, who chanted a prayer for departed members. Reports were given by Mrs. E. Rosen and Mrs. I. Weiss. Alter Boyman extended greetings, as did Rabbi I. M. Goldman. Mrs. A. I. Schechter gave an interesting talk. Several musical selections were rendered by Mrs. Archie Finkle, accompanied by Mrs. Henry

## Odessa Ass'n. Elects Sam'l. Berg, President

Samuel Berg, of 233 Orms St., was elected president of the First Odessa Independent Beneficial Association last Sunday evening at their headquarters, 285 Smith street.

Other officers elected were Leo Goldberg, vice-president; Israel Halpern, treasurer; Sam Sherman, financial secretary; Meyer Rosenfield, recording secretary; Jacob Chernov, inside guard.

A social hour followed, at which time refreshments were served. Music was furnished by the Pearlman brothers.

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## OFFER \$200,000 IN REWARD FOR 71 MURDERERS

Jerusalem (WNS-Palcor Agency)—New police inducements announced today brought to a total of \$200,000 the amount of rewards offered by the Palestine Government for information leading to the conviction of the murderers of 71 Jews, Englishmen and Arabs who met their death during the recent disorders.

The police today posted an offer of \$2,500 for the conviction of each of the slayers whose victims died during the period from July 5th to October 31st, 1936, making the total \$177,500. Prize money previously posted for the apprehension of the criminals shot the total up to the unprecedentedly high figure of \$200,000.

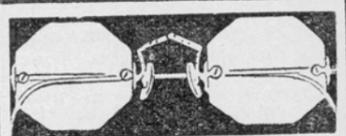
## Ladies' Union League Sponsors Charity Bridge

A charity bridge sponsored by the Ladies' Union League for Consumptives will be given on Monday evening at 7.30 o'clock at Weinstein's restaurant. Cards are thirty-five cents each.

## Bridge to Be Sponsored By Pawt. Sisterhood

A committee meeting of the Sisterhood of the Ahavath Shalom Synagogue of Pawtucket was held last week at the home of Mrs. Samuel Cokin, Glenwood avenue, Pawtucket. Plans were discussed for the bridge to be given on January 14 in the vestry of the Synagogue on High street.

A door prize will be donated by Mrs. Samuel Brown, and prizes for each table will be given by Mrs. Martin Curran. The committee in charge is as follows: Mrs. Samuel Cokin, chairman; Mrs. Israel Luber, co-chairmen; the Mesdames Martin Curran, Harry Goldberg, Isaac Cokin, Jacob Rosen, Samuel Rigelhaupt, Jacob Schinagel, Samuel Brown, Louis Hanlder, Abraham Barnett, Irving Hak, Harry Katz, John Marks, Abraham Goodman and Jacob Percelay.



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## ACCUSE REFUGEES OF COLLUSION IN BREAKING BOYCOTT

New York (WNS)—A racket involving a violation of the anti-Nazi boycott by German-Jewish refugees in the United States is exposed by the Joint Boycott Council in a warning to Jewish manufacturers.

The Council points that refugees appeal to Jewish manufacturers to help them sell certain German goods which they (the refugees) managed to get out of Germany. The manufacturers fall for this story and thus contribute to the breaking of the boycott.

Actually many of these refugees are the American sales agents for German firms and are imposing on Jewish manufacturers.

The Council reveals that some of these refugees return to Germany regularly to replenish their supply of goods.

It is also said that scores of these refugees are dealing in German leather goods and have taken offices on Gold street, New York's leather center.

## Montifiore Annual Bridge Wednesday

The Montifiore Ladies' Hebrew Benevolent Association will hold its Annual Compilimentary bridge and cake sale on Wednesday in Temple Beth-El at 2 o'clock. All members are invited.

Mrs. Rose Koppe is chairman and the members of the executive board will act as hostesses.

The executive board of the Montifiore Ladies' Hebrew Benevolent Association will meet at the home of the president, Mrs. Edward M. Finberg, on Monday afternoon.

## Spain is Giving Hitler a Lesson, Says Paassen

By PIERRE VAN PAASSEN  
In the following dispatch, Pierre Van Paassen, noted European correspondent and commentator on news, discusses the present set-up in Spain. Mr. Van Paassen has recently returned from war-torn Spain where he reported his observations for a number of newspapers in this country.

What is taking place today in Spain is of vital significance to the whole world. For the first time Fascism is not having a walk-over. The Spaniards are giving the French and the Germans and the Austrians an object lesson how Fascism must be combated.

For the first time bourgeois liberals have understood that they must stand together with the working-class organizations if the road to the marauders of humanity is to be barred.

**Bloc Disintegrating**  
The Fascist bloc Italy-Germany is disintegrating, falling to pieces. Duce Mussolini, no more than France or England, can afford to see Germany installed on the Mediterranean and on the Pyrenees. Italy's supreme task in Europe is to prevent Germany from gaining the supremacy in Central Europe. This is also the supreme objective of French diplomacy.

This common basis of interests is drawing Mussolini out of the temporary arrangement of collaboration with the Reich. Germany will have to look elsewhere for allies. For the moment Hitler faces isolation.

**False Propaganda**  
Certain newspapers in the United States which yesterday branded Mr. Roosevelt a Communist are going to be further discredited in the public eye for their false and misleading interpretation of the background of Spanish events. For whoever says that it is a fight between Fascism and Communism in that country simply does not know what he is talking about.

When General Queipo de Llano, the rebel-broadcaster at Seville, states that Spain, having saved Europe three times—once from the domination of the Moors, the second time from the Jews, the third time from the poison of Protestantism—now makes a supreme effort to break down the stranglehold of Marxism, he is deliberately lying in so far as the position of the Marxists is concerned in Spain. The com-



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munists are the smallest group in the Frente Popular.

**Democracy Will Win**  
Democracy is going to be victorious in Spain. Madrid not only becomes the Tomb of Fascism in Spain, but the superb heroism of the Spanish people in defending their capital against the hordes of professional killers of the Tercio will come to be looked upon in the near future as the turning point in Europe's drift towards the abyss.

For the first time the world has seen how Fascism must be combated. It is now realized that compromise and the principle of give and take when it comes to Fascism are disastrous to the democracies.

The lesson of Spain will not be wasted on the liberals and workers of France, Belgium, Holland, and Britain. The slogan of the Spanish Frente Popular: No Pasaran! becomes the rallying cry of all forward-looking men and women the world over.

## Recitation Contest For Ahanath Sholom Pupils

The first annual poem recitation contest of the Ahavath Sholom Hebrew school will be held on Sunday at 10.30 o'clock in the assembly hall of the school. First, second and third prizes will be awarded to the best reciters.

The students and their recitations are as follows: Melvin Shneider, "The Mezzuzah"; Ruth Katzman, "Ruth and Naomi"; Samuel Berman, "The Lord is My Shepherd"; Sessile Shaulson, Maierke Der Feyler"; Samuel Shwartz, "Onward"; Harriet Fishbein, "Esther Today"; Martha Shaulson, "Die Per"; Max Bloom, "The First Declaration of Independence"; Philip Shacter, "Stars"; Arthur Gluck, "Song for Succoth"; Seymour Gerstenblatt, "Hapamen M'tsaltel."

Samuel Levinson, Max Charren and Irving Priest will be the judges.

## OBITUARY

**MRS. ANNIE FREEDMAN**  
Mrs. Annie Freedman, 62, wife of Joel Freedman of 392 Public street, this city, and mother of Dr. David Freedman of the Rhode Island Hospital staff, died this week at her home, following a long illness.

Born in Russia, Mrs. Freedman lived in England before coming to this country in 1906. Besides her husband and Dr. Freedman, she is survived by five other sons, Daniel, Michael and Hyman of Providence; Morris of Boston, and Joseph of New York city; and four daughters, Mrs. Rebecca Bates, Mrs. Fannie Greco, Dora and Anna, all of this city.

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## FOUR ORPHANAGE YOUTHS WILL BE BAR MITZVAHED

The Jewish Orphanage of Rhode Island will present four boys for Bar Mitzvah Saturday morning, January 9, at Temple Emanu-El. A very impressive program of exercises will take place and a large attendance is expected.

Walter I. Sundlun, president of The Jewish Orphanage and the governing Board of Directors have extended an invitation to the Jewish community to attend the Bar Mitzvah program.

The Bar Mitzvah exercises have been carefully planned by Maurice Stollerman, superintendent of the Jewish Orphanage and Rabbi Israel M. Goldman of Temple Emanu-El. The boys have received their Hebrew instruction from Morris Shoham, visiting Hebrew instructor at the Orphanage. The children also attend Sunday religious school at Temple Emanu-El.

Immediately following the Bar Mitzvah program a reception will be tendered by the Sisterhood of Temple Emanu-El. Mrs. Alexander Winer is chairman of the reception committee who together with the Ladies Auxiliary of the Jewish Orphanage of which Mrs. P. Jerome Wolf, is president, have completed details for the reception.

## CHICAGO BANS FILM

Chicago (WNS)—"I Was a Captive in a Nazi Prison," the Isabel Steele picture based on her experiences in a German prison, has been barred in Chicago on the ground that "it would excite ill-feeling in the German colony."

## Emanuel Women Hold Unusual Calendar Tea

The Sisterhood of Temple Emanuel held its January meeting last Monday night in the reception hall of the Temple, with Mrs. Charles Strasmich presiding. After a brief business session, a unique program in the form of a Calendar Tea was presented. Tables were decorated with symbols, depicting the various Jewish holidays in each month of the year. Foods seasonable to each month were served at the various tables.

Vocal selections were rendered by Cantor Bettman at the New Year Service and Chanukar Service. Benjamin Premack rendered a violin solo, Kol Nidre, at the Yom Kippur table. Mrs. A. Percelay sang "O Promise Me" at the June Bride Table. A trio composed of Mrs. I. Edelstein, Mrs. B. Robinson and Miss Muriel Austin, sang Purim songs. Mrs. Bella Goldenberg Halpert was accompanist.

Mrs. George Triedman was program chairman, assisted by the Mesdames Arthur Kaplan, Louis Fain, Harry Charren, Bance Feinberg, Morris Cowan, Mac Forman, Carl Hyman, Jack Fain, A. Percelay and Harry Fine.

## Decree Death For All Wearers of Mogen David

Barcelona (WNS)—Any one found wearing the Mogen David or in possession of any object on which it is engraved will be shot on sight, General Franco, commander of the Spanish Fascist rebels, has announced, according to a report in El Obrero, official organ of the Spanish Socialist Party. The Socialist paper says that Franco described the Mogen David as the emblem of international Communism.

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