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## WORLD CONGRESS ELECTIONS MAY 26

### R. I. Entitled to Elect Six Delegates

Election of a representative delegation for the World Jewish Congress to be held in Washington, June 13 and 14, will take place Tuesday, May 26, at which time Max Brauer, former mayor of Altona, Germany, famous creator of model municipal government, and now an exile from Nazi Germany with a price on his head, will speak before the representatives of Rhode Island Jewry.

Dr. Stephen Wise, president of the American Jewish Congress, in a stirring open letter to the Jews of America stated that at no time in our history have so many heavy clouds lowered upon the House of Israel. Once more, he continues, it becomes necessary for the ancient race to rally in defense of their hard-won rights; to rebuild their ruined positions; and through united effort to endeavor to recover the ground that has been lost in a large part of the civilized world.

"It therefore becomes imperatively necessary," says Dr. Wise, "for the Jewish people with dignity, vigor and determination to present their demands for the recognition of their inalienable rights, their claim for justice and equality, to the enlightened public of the world; to unite in defense of their rights and to endeavor, through co-operative efforts, to readjust and reconstruct Jewish life within the economic structures of the nations of which they are a part.

"In order that a representation may once more be established with authority and with the backing of the whole Jewish people, various important Jewish and organizations including the American Jewish Congress, has decided that the time has come for the summoning of the World Jewish Congress.

### World's First Two Hebrew Announcers Are Women

Jerusalem (WNS-Palcor Agency)—When Jerusalem came on the air for the first time on March 20th, and many people wept to hear the melodious accents of the Hebrew language emerging into the ether, two Jewesses made their first appearance as radio announcers.

They are the first Hebrew radio heralds known in history, Henda Feigenbaum, a Jerusalem-born girl of about 28, is the daughter of Dr. Aryeh Feigenbaum, the ophthalmologist of the Hadassah Hospital here.

Her colleague is Mrs. Leah Weitz-Cohen, wife of a Jerusalem lawyer and daughter of the late Dr. Weitz, for over fifty years until his death a leading physician in Jerusalem. Both were picked after grueling examinations in pronunciation of Hebrew. No male candidates passed these tests.

## Sophie Udin Will Speak Before Women Pioneers

After months of work, final plans have been completed for the Women Pioneer's annual dinner which will be given Sunday evening in the crystal ball room of the Narragansett Hotel. Sophie Udin, national secretary of the organization, will be guest speaker. Mavin Brodin, tenor, and former member of the Chicago Opera Company, will sing several songs. He will be accompanied at the piano by Prof. Arthur Einstein. Each attending member may be accompanied by a male escort.

Havera Udin, although American born, has been active in Palestinian affairs for many years. She was one of the founders of the Women Pioneer's and is now a member of the National Executive Council.

The importance of the Women Pioneers cannot be over-stressed. Present European conditions have created a condition wherein thousands of Jewish refugees are clamoring for entrance into Palestine. And one cannot be oblivious of the fact that these refugees, fleeing from persecution, are

### Asks Unified Action



DR. STEPHEN WISE

## SILVERMAN NAMES LOCAL CHAIRMEN

### Rabbi Gutstein Reports on Jewish Day

Archibald Silverman, general chairman of the local committee in charge of arranging for the National Zionist Convention, to be held in Providence July 5, 6 and 7, today announced the following chairmen who are to direct various phases of the convention: Entertainment, Mrs. Samuel Michaelson; information, Frank Licht; finance, Henry Hassenfeld; historical lyrics, Morris Sholam; concert, Max L. Grant; membership, Hillel Hassenfeld; publicity, Maurice Handel; reception, Judge Philip C. Joslin; Jewish Day, Max Winograd; decorations, Isaac Feinstein; transportation, James Goldman; executive, Dr. Ilie Berger, and representatives of the New Palestine for the local (Continued on Page Five)

### Nazis Admit Olympics Used for Propaganda

Berlin (WNS)—Coincident that there is no longer any danger of losing the Olympic games or that any major country will officially boycott them, the Nazis have now openly admitted that the Olympics have been harnessed to the Nazi propaganda machine.

The current number of Reich Sport Journal, official organ of the Olympics, announces that hereafter it will publish material in English and French, as well as in German, in order "thus to please our readers abroad and also to win new friends." Articles in the Reich Sport Journal openly advocate Nazi ideals and proclaim the union of sports and Nazi ideology.

## 150 New Members Join Home For Aged

As the Home for Aged membership campaign enters the last lap, 150 new members have been obtained, Arthur H. Feiner, general chairman announced today. Grouped near the top, in total newcomers signed up, are James Goldman, Samuel Soforenko, Herman Swartz and Mrs. Samuel Deutch. Persons wishing to become members need only telephone the Home for Aged and a worker will gladly call with the necessary blanks.

Mrs. Alter Boyman, as chairman, will be assisted by Mrs. Henry Handler, co-chairman; Mrs. Ruse Smira, treasurer; Mrs. Morris Beeber, secretary; Mrs. Henry Burt, arrangements; Mrs. Arthur Einstein, musical program.

# Arabs Defy Warnings; British Troops Leave For Palestine

## BLACKMAIL PLOTS BY NAZIS EXPOSED

### Racket System Becomes Major Industry

Berlin (WNS)—An extensive system of blackmail against Jews has developed throughout Germany as a result of the Nuremberg laws which make it a criminal offense, punishable by imprisonment, for Jews to have sex relations with Aryan women.

Petty Nazi officials have developed a major racket by extorting large sums of money from Jews under the threat of denouncing them to the authorities as "trassenchander." Two trials growing out of this racket have just ended in Erfurt and Essen.

In the former city the Nazi assistant of a Jewish physician obtained thousands of marks from his employer by threatening to expose him on the false charge of having relations with Christian girls.

The plot was exposed when the doctor's Christian nurse informed the police and the Nazi was sentenced to four years imprisonment. In the Essen case a Nazi got six months in jail for a similar offense. The Nazi press, however, suppressed reports of both trials.

### Bazaar Leader



MRS. ISADORE SINGER

### Beth-Israel Bazaar Planned for Next Week

At a luncheon meeting of the Temple Beth-Israel bazaar committee last Monday afternoon, Dr. Ilie Berger, general chairman, outlined the progress that had been made and announced the list of gifts that will be raffled. The annual bazaar will be held next week, beginning Monday, continuing through Thursday and concluding on Saturday night.

Among the prizes to be distributed is a Crosley refrigerator, Bulova wrist (Continued on Page Five)

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### League Speaker



DR. MARK H. JORESS

Dr. Mark H. Joreess, of Boston, will be guest speaker at the fifth annual luncheon and entertainment given by the Ladies' Union League for Consumptives Sunday evening May 24. Dr. Joreess is a graduate of Tufts Medical School and was for five years resident physician of the Rutland State Sanatorium. He has made the study of tuberculosis a specialty for the last ten years.

### William Rosenwald is Divorced at Reno

Reno (WNS)—The marriage of William Rosenwald, youngest son of the late Julius Rosenwald and leader in the work of the Joint Distribution Committee, and the former Renée Scharf, daughter of a Vienna portrait painter, came to an end here when Mrs. Rosenwald was granted a divorce on the ground of cruelty. The divorce was granted after a hearing behind closed doors.

### Screen Actresses Named Among 10 Most Intelligent

New York (WNS)—Two Jewish screen stars and a third who is married to a Jew were named among the ten most intelligent movie actresses by Lorenz Prize, famous Hollywood dance director. Included among the ten most intelligent screen actresses are Merle Oberon and Norma Shearer, and Claudette Colbert.

## English Comedy To Close Repertory Players' Season

The final production of the third season, "Mr. Pim Passes By," is rapidly rounding into shape after many weeks of intensive rehearsing. This romantic English comedy is a fitting vehicle to close the most successful season of The Repertory Players. It will be presented for one performance only at the Barker Playhouse, 400 Benefit street, Monday evening at 8:15 o'clock.

The production committee, composed of Harriet Levy, chairman, Marion Brooks, Mrs. L. Justin Kiddish, Bert L. Bernhardt, Arthur Kaplan and William E. Smith have selected three outstanding bits for presentation this past season.

The first play "Goodbye Again" was a comedy that featured Arthur Kaplan in the part made famous by Osquod Perkins on Broadway. Evelyn Siegal was cast as the combination secretary-mistress and gave one of her most convincing performances. The next production, "Success Story" a drama dealing with a Jewish clerk that uses people as stepping stones for his advancement was cleverly portrayed by Jerry Bronstein in the role

### Arabs Incite Acts of Civil Disobedience, Says High Commissioner

London (WNS-Palcor Agency)—Owing to fears of further disorders in Palestine, British troops have left Egypt for Palestine, it was reported here today. The reinforcements were flown by air from the Cairo aerodrome last night.

Defiance by the Arabs of an ultimatum by the High Commissioner Wauchope to halt the general strike in Palestine is believed to be responsible for the military anxiety. Yesterday the Arab National Council voted not merely to extend the general strike but to refuse to pay taxes after May 15th unless the government complies with the complete Arab demands, which include stoppage of Jewish immigration and a ban on land sales.

The normal garrison of Palestine consists of 1,970 men of all ranks with two battalions of infantry including 1,760 men. The normal British garrison in Egypt is 9,876 men of all ranks, but this number has been greatly increased recently owing to the African situation.

The Arab leaders have defied a warning issued by High Commissioner Wauchope on May 5 and have announced that they had decided to initiate a campaign of civil disobedience, in addition to continuing the general strike.

At the same time, the Grand Mufti of Jerusalem told the High Commissioner that the battle of the Arabs was not directed against Jewish immigration and land purchases but was designed to bring about the complete independence of the Arabs.

The Arab leaders were received by Sir Arthur at Government House. His reception of them was noticeably cold. He started by warning them of the consequences of the difficult position which had been created by their acts. He demanded that they definitely abandon their measures called for civil disobedience and for a strike among Arab Government officials.

### Samuel Finegold Elected Head of Men's Club

Samuel Finegold was elected president of Temple Beth-Israel Men's Club, it was announced last Monday evening at a meeting of the organization. Other officers chosen were Coleman Zimmerman, vice-president; Maurice Herdel, treasurer; and Marshall Marcus, secretary.

Before the assembled guests, gathered for the annual supper, Dr. Carl Jagolinzer, retiring president, was presented with a smoking set.

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### CONTRACT BRIDGE

Samuel R. Finegold  
SIGN OFF BIDS

We suppose that you have often heard one of the players in a partnership wearily complain after the bidding has reached too high a stage. "But, partner, I was trying to sign off all along." And the invariable answer is "Well how am I supposed to know. I assumed that each successive rebid was an indication of further strength."

All of which goes to prove that the PASS is the most eloquent bid in bridge and is often the most ideal "rescue." And, by the way, the Pass is the only rescue bid we believe in. However, some hands containing length without strength may save heavy penalties by "rescuing" an opening no trump bid or a subsequent rebid of two no trump. Bids made on such hands are labelled "sign-offs" and this is how (1) to bid them and, what is more important, how (2) to recognize them.

A player signs-off when he wishes to warn his partner that his hand contains only one Honor Trick or even less and is not suitable for play at no trump, but only in the suit he mentions in his last bid. This bid will usually occur at the level of three.

#### RECOGNIZE A SIGN-OFF

1. When the responding hand takes out his partner's opening suit or No Trump bid with any suit of two, and subsequently, after partner bids two No Trump responds with three of the same suit.

Example:  
South North  
1H or 1NT 2D  
2NT 3D

Three diamonds here is not an indication of strength but weakness and warns partner his hand is not suited for no trump play. South must now pass or bid three No Trump solely at his own risk. Or take this one

South North  
1D 1S  
1NT 2S  
2NT 3S

North is trying to sign off at three spades.

2. A player also signs off when, having given his partner a single raise at his first opportunity, merely shows a preference for the same suit when partner has bid a second suit and forces him to choose.

Example:  
South North  
1H 2C  
3C or 2NT 3H

North is not showing additional values but is indicating that his hand is good for play at hearts only. Holding less than 4 1/2 HT South should now pass.

There is only one situation when the OPENING bidder signs off, by bidding up gradually one step at a time in the same suit. This shows a minimum hand in Honor Tricks and a six card suit too weak to be established at No Trump.

Example:  
South North  
1H 2C  
2H 2NT  
3H sign off.

If South had anything above a minimum he should have bid either 3 NT or 4 hearts.

Sign-off bids should not be started on less than six trumps headed by the

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### ARAB MAYOR'S HOME BOMBED

#### Mayor Accused of "Treason" by Fellow Arabs

Haifa (WNS-Palor Agency)—Extensive damage was done last night to the home of Mayor Hassan Shukry, Arab Chief Executive of Haifa, when a bomb was hurled by unapprehended criminals believed to be Arabs who have accused the Mayor of "treason" for not joining in the Arab general strike.

At the meeting of the Haifa strike committee held last night the Mayor was strongly criticized for refusing to share in the present demonstration against British policy and Jewish immigration.

No one was hurt in the explosion, as the Mayor and his family were out of their home at the time. The District Commissioner of Haifa and members of the Municipal Council today congratulated Mayor Shukry on his miraculous escape from death.

### The Next Zionist Pres.

An Interesting Straw Vote

Our straw ballot on the next president of the Zionist Organization of America is in full swing. The readers of THE JEWISH HERALD are evincing genuine interest in the question of who is to be the next official leader of American Zionism, and every mail brings us numerous marked ballots. The interest in this balloting is nationwide, with Zionists all over the country

expressing their preferences for the next Zionist president.

If you have not yet indicated your choice for the next Zionist president please do so as soon as possible, using the ballot printed below. Only one name should be marked on your ballot, but if your choice is a Zionist leader not mentioned here you may write in his name on the last line.

### THE ZIONIST BALLOT

(Check only one name)

- Rabbi Barnett M. Brickner.....Cleveland.
- M. Maldwin Fertig.....New York
- Dr. Harry Friedenwald.....Baltimore.
- Dr. Israel Goldstein.....New York
- Rabbi James G. Heller.....Cincinnati.
- Rabbi Edward L. Israel.....Baltimore.
- Rabbi Morris S. Lazarov.....Baltimore.
- Judge William M. Lewis.....Philadelphia.
- Louis Lipsky.....New York.
- Judge Julian W. Mack.....New York.
- Dr. Samuel Margoshes.....New York.
- Louis P. Rucker.....New York.
- Erza Shapiro.....Cleveland.
- Rabbi Abba H. Silver.....Cleveland.
- Elihu D. Stone.....Boston.
- Nathan Straus.....New York.
- Rabbi Stephen S. Wise.....New York.

(Use this line to write in any name not listed.)

### Sisterhood Pres.



MRS. CHARLES STRASMICH

Mrs. Charles Strasmich was installed as president of Temple Emanu-El Sisterhood last Monday afternoon. In addition to those listed as members of the executive board, Mrs. Strasmich announced the name of Mrs. M. Tarnopol. Mrs. Samuel Young was in charge of publicity for the affair.

#### Fannie Kulak Wins Free Trip to Hollywood

A trip to Hollywood where she will be entertained for three weeks by the Fox Film studios is the pleasant future of Miss Fannie Kulak of Pawtucket who was announced the winner of the ticket selling contest for the Pawtucket Boys' Club Circus. Miss Kulak competed with 18 other girls for the prize. Miss Kulak is employed at the Colonial Processing Company Pawtucket.

### RELIGIOUS FRAUD ON JEWS REVEALED

#### Miracle Working Rabbi Promises Cures

New York (WNS)—Accused of defrauding a number of gullible Jewish families out of large sums of money on the promise to have a miracle working rabbi cure their crippled and diseased children through mysterious prayers, Mary Berd, 36 years old, is under arrest here on a charge of grand larceny perpetrated by one of her victims.

Miss Berd refused to discuss the charges against her except to say that the rabbi involved is Rabbi Zeida Schmelmer, who came here from Roumania in February, 1925. Records found in Miss Berd's Riverside Drive apartment showed that she had obtained thousands of dollars from poor Jews who believed in the rabbi's healing power.

#### Mrs. H. Goulston Appointed Camp Pembroke Director

Camp Pembroke, the Camp for Jewish Girls, announces the appointment of Mrs. Herbert J. Goulston as director for the new camp, recently purchased by the Pembroke Jewish Youth Camps, Inc.

Mrs. Goulston is a graduate of Boston Teacher's College and Boston University from which she secured her A. B. degree. She has been a teacher in the Boston and Brookline public schools and supervisor of playgrounds.

"Captain Goulston," as she is called by her girls, conducts one of the most successful Girl Scout groups in Brookline and has been most instrumental in cementing a fine feeling of friendship between the Jews and non-Jews in the community. She is one of the best-loved teachers at the religious school of Temple (Gabei) Shalom.

The Pembroke Jewish Youth Camps, Inc., a non-profit corporation, organized for the purpose of providing opportunities for summer recreation and education for Jewish youth.

Camp Pembroke is 25 miles from Boston on the shores of Lake Okauchow in the outskirts of the quaint village of Pembroke. It assures complete privacy, extending as it does over an area of 70 acres—partly rolling fields, partly woodland, and partly level playing fields. Modern new buildings with running water, ample lavatory facilities and showers are being erected. They will nestle in a semi-circle on the lake shore. Facilities for tennis, field sports, water sports, arts and crafts, dramatics, dancing, horseback riding, and hobbies will be provided. There will be an infirmary, a resident doctor and a registered nurse.

Camp Pembroke aims to be one of the outstanding camps for Jewish girls between the ages of 7 and 16 with respect to management, location and facilities.

Applications for registration are now available and may be procured at the camp office, 185 Devonshire Street, Boston, Room 521, from Mrs. Herbert J. Goulston, 6 Shailer Street, Brookline, or from the Jewish Herald, Providence, R. I.

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### NEWS AND VIEWS

By Maurice W. Hendel

We wonder now how others view the crime situation in America. Not so very long ago, we were considered the land of the free (criminals) and the home of the brave (only if they held guns in their hands). Envy eyes in this country called our attention to the excellent methods employed by the various justice departments of European countries. Today, we no longer need take counsel with our own consciences concerning the status of crime and its attributes.

Our own individual opinion has been centered upon the idea that each locality (or state) should deal with its own crime problems. But that has been tempered by the realization that the situation has grown in magnitude, necessitating a strong and virile attack by a centralized force sufficiently organized and under efficient leadership. Hoover, and his agents in the Department of Justice, deserve the commendation and praise of a gratified American populace for carrying this realization into effect.

The "G-Men," so-called, have caught us a lesson, not only that, "where there is a will, there is a way," but a still greater one; every man captured by this department within the past two weeks, has been taken without a shot being fired by either captive or capturer. The efficiency of their operations has now become the object of our neighbors' attention.

The way has been paved for a cleaner, safer and healthier existence here, in what was once a gangster's paradise, by a centralized police force being spurred on to follow the pace set by the Federal Bureau.

We can continue to say this is the land of the free and the home of the brave.

Why cannot the R. I. Council of the American Jewish Congress assume the responsibility of arranging a calendar for the local Jewish organizations?

### Jewish Historian Hadassah Luncheon Speaker Thursday

Israel Kazis, Jewish historian and lecturer, of Cambridge, Mass., will be the speaker at the annual donors dinner to be held by the Junior Hadassah Thursday, May 21, at 6:30 p. m., at the Crown Hotel. Mr. Kazis is widely known as a lecturer on the traditions and history of the Jewish people.

Entertainment will be furnished by the Cassis Trio, composed of Mary Bicho, violin; Rita Bicho, piano and Florence Whitney, cello.

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### Unveiling Notice

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Tidbits From Everywhere

By PHINEAS J. BIRON

**IT'S TRUE**

In view of the disclosures of Detective Parker's role in the Wendel kidnapping, H. L. Mencken's letter to Major Frank Pease, dated December, 1935, sounds kind of silly... Mencken writes: "I share your confidence in Parker, the New Jersey detective, and I can't imagine how any sensible person can give serious credit to the testimony of Condon and Lindbergh."... Alfred M. Cohen, B'nai B'rith proxy, is preparing for a trip to the Pacific Coast, and believe it or not, the 75-year-old leader has more vitality than any of his younger adjutants... Whether on the road or in his office, he actually reads every manuscript that comes to the B'nai B'rith Magazine.

If you walk into the new and sumptuous courtroom in Washington you will notice that not only as we had it the other week did Brandeis insist on retaining his old chair but all the justices with the exception of Chief Justice Hughes kept their old worn-out fauteuils... A lady advertised in the New York Times that she's going to Germany, Italy and Palestine and is ready to execute commissions... The lady must be a saleswoman of gas-masks.

Isaac Donald Levine's articles in the Hearst papers, supposed to reveal a nefarious conspiracy of the Communist Party in connection with the recent riots in Palestine, are not only a flop, but have become the laughing stock of the New York Jewish reading public... The articles repeat editorials which appeared in the Yiddish newspapers and now the saying along the Rialto is "read Don Levine in the Day and the Morning Journal under the pseudonym of Dr. Margoshes and Jacob Fishman"

**NOT IN PRINT**

We had given our word not to mention the fact that the American Hebrew had ceased publication but how all there must be subscribers who missed the paper... However, a tip to those who still hope for the reorganization of the American Hebrew: stop the salesmen who still go around selling subscriptions... "Yiddish", a new monthly magazine which will print English translations of Yiddish literature, is to make its bow sometime this month... George Bernhard, former editor-in-chief of the Berlin Vossische Zeitung and one of the most eminent economists of our time, will address the Washington conference of the American Jewish Congress on June 13th and 14th.

**PRE-CONVENTION**

The National League of Protestant Republicans, Inc. has been organized in Jersey City... Friends of Governor Herbert H. Lehman are frankly admitting that they are worried over the possibility that Al Smith may not campaign for Lehman this fall... Smith, a bitter foe of Roosevelt, could hardly speak for Lehman and oppose Roosevelt at the same time... As we predicted, the Chicago Democratic machine has made its peace with Governor Horner and will support him in the coming campaign... Some people wonder why Bernard M. Baruch is spending so much time lately at the White House... We can tell you authoritatively that Baruch has no am-

bitions for any office and is merely being consulted on economic matters because of his knowledge of industrial conditions.

**WORDS**

M. Maldwin Fertig, president of the Metropolitan Association of Jewish Community Centers, made a big hit at the annual convention of the Jewish Welfare Board... Joining with the presidents of the other regional Center associations in approving a plan for expanding the JWB's program, Fertig expressed himself with such clarity, vigor and terseness that he put the others to shame... He took less time to say something worthwhile than the author of the plan did in presenting it... Avukah and Masada seem to be carrying on a private little war of their own... The Hebrew National Orphan Home is going in for a \$50,000 legal sweepstakes scheme... The American Jewish Congress has moved its offices to West 57th Street.

**DID YOU KNOW THAT?**

Illegal immigrants from Latvia are leaving for Biro Bidjan at the rate of 75 a month with the knowledge of both the Soviet and Latvian governments... Florence Townsend, head of the Hebrew department at Evander Childs High School in New York, is a Catholic... Mayor Meyer Ellenstein of Newark intends to adopt Nellie Granger, air hostess, who saved Mrs. Ellenstein's life in the recent plane crash... Miss Granger is an orphan... William Paley, head of the Columbia Broadcasting System, has just taken out a \$2,000,000 insurance policy... Rabbi Solomon Goldman and Rabbi David Granzel, both of Chicago, are direct descendants, through their mothers, of the two most famous Jewish codists, David Halevi and Shabatai Cohen, who wrote the glossaries of Taz and Shach, respectively, on the Shulchan Aruch of Joseph Caro... Clark Gable once used the name Goldberg to escape a horde of autograph hunters... A certain Jack Chatham of Jersey City is starting an anti-Eddie Cantor campaign.

**OUTDIONING THE DIONNES**  
Dr. Jacob R. Marcus of the Hebrew Union College has unearthed a most interesting item in the Hebrew journal Hamagaz, English edition, 1889... It's about a year-old American Jewish woman in Navarro County (presumably Texas) who, in November, 1888, gave birth to six children, four boys and two girls... Both mother and children were reported as doing well... The sextuplets were the woman's first children (her name is not given, but she is identified as a native of Bavaria)... And the point which struck the Hebrew editor most forcibly was that, in the excitement of getting half a dozen babies instead of the single one expected, the family forgot to keep track of which was which, so that the traditional Pidyan Ha-Ben ceremony had to be omitted because no one could tell which of the boys was the oldest.

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Greensboro, N. C. (WNS)—Sydney J. Stern has been elected president of the Greensboro Bar Association.

Richmond, Va. (WNS)—Lee A. Whitlock has been elected to the board of adherents to fill the unexpired term of the late Marx Gunst.

**Convention Speaker**



DR. SAMUEL MOREIN

Dr. Samuel Morein as one of the invited speakers at the annual convention of the American Medical Association which was held in Kansas City, Mo., this last week, discussed "Hernia of the Stomach through the Diaphragm."

Dr. Morein is the first Jewish physician from this state to present a clinical contribution before the National organization of the medical profession.

He is spending next week with Professor Rudolf Schwidler of the University of Chicago. Dr. Rudolf Schwidler is the inventor of an instrument for visualizing the stomach.

**Rabbi Ziskind Guest Preacher at Emanu-El**

Rabbi Bernard H. Ziskind of New Bedford will be guest preacher at the annual graduation service at Temple Emanu-El this (Friday) evening.

This service will also mark the eleventh anniversary sabbath of the ministry of Rabbi Goldman in Temple Emanu-El. Freed Weiser will distribute the graduation diplomas.

The Temple Emanu-El Choir, under the direction of Arthur Einstein, will render a program of religious music, assisted by Cantor Harry Bettman.

A reception will be held after the services.

**NAZIS SAVED JEWS SAYS MRS. POOL**

**Hadasah Speaker Describes Youth Aliyah**

"Hitler saved the Jews from assimilation," declared Mrs. De Sola Pool in an address before members of Senior Hadasah at their fourth annual dinner's luncheon held last Wednesday afternoon at the Biltmore Hotel.

"The youth of Palestine today," Mrs. Pool went on to say, "is Hitler's gift. We might have been the last Jew baptized if Hitler had not saved us by bringing out our consciousness and knowledge of being a Jew."

Mrs. Saul Abrams greeted the assembled guests then turned the program over to Mrs. Frank Markensoln who acted as toastmaster. Mrs. Alfred A. Eain spoke briefly, expressing her pleasure that the members had fulfilled their goal for 1936.

Following the address by Mrs. De Sola Pool, Mrs. Martin Silverstrom presented a pageant and playlet, "Hadasah Marches On." The program closed with the singing of Jewish songs.

**Mrs. Pomiansky Awarded Loving Cup by Association**

More than 250 patronesses attended the Loyalty luncheon of the Ladies' Hebrew Free Loan Association held last week at which time Mrs. Louis Pomiansky was presented with a loving cup by the president, Mrs. Jacob Licht, in recognition for her work on the luncheon committee.

Mrs. J. Adler gave the invocation. Mrs. D. Saltzman acted as toastmistress. Mrs. Harry Shatkin, honorary president, introduced the younger element of the organization. Mrs. C. McCarthy, Miss Eunice Wolf and Mr. Miami provided the entertainment.

**Madame Lupescu Cause of Anti-Semitic Disorders**

Bucharest (WNS)—Carrying out their threat to strike unless the government released anti-Semitic students now in prison, 2,000 students at the University of Bucharest staged a huge demonstration in the heart of the capital which was turned into an anti-Semitic riot.

Large detachments of mounted police were required to disperse the students who had been assaulting Jews, uttering threats of violence against the government barring professors from the university ground. Scores of the students were clubbed by the police and 40 of them were arrested.

The students previously arrested informed their comrades of the adoption of a manifesto that said "Rumanian students are prepared to die for their fatherland and to free the country from corruption and degeneration and wipe out these tools of Jews and Free Masons."

Zizi Cantacuzino, one of the most militant leaders of the Iron Guard, warned the police chief of Bucharest that "we will not tolerate any longer that Lupescu and her cantrilla direct the nation's policies." This warning coincided with the arrest of nine Iron Guardists accused of plotting to kill Lupescu.

The government's attempt to curb anti-Semitic agitation by clapping its two most violent advocates into jail came to naught when a jury at Galatz acquitted Cornelia Zelea Codreanu and Jon Stonescu, ranking leaders of the Iron Guard, on charges of assaulting police officials. This was the fourth time Codreanu was acquitted on the same charge.

Winnipeg (WNS)—The new home of the Winnipeg Y. M. H. A. was officially dedicated by Maitland Steinkopf in memory of his late father, Max Steinkopf, in whose honor the building was presented.

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## IT IS TIME

"Guard your women folk against pollution by Jews and blacks. . . Bolshevism is a modern term for Judaism and Soviet another name for Jew-control. . . The Jews are stealing everything, even your name." These slogans are not quoted from placards in Germany but from posters exhibited in stores and on the streets of London in this year 1936.

Sir Oswald Mosley's blackshirts may have died a political death yet it cannot be denied that the anti-Semitic movement is riding the crest of intense activity.

The blackshirts have learned their lesson.

No longer do they sign their propaganda. No longer do they shoot off all their ammunition at public meetings. Supervised apparently by leaders of German Nazi movement, British Jew-baiters have developed a technique which is creating a disagreeable, even if not yet dangerous, situation for the Jews in England.

English Nazis—as absurd as this appellation may sound—are actively engaged in pursuing a policy of anti-Jewish boycott and a campaign of insult against such persons as Lord Melchett, the Rothschilds, Jacob Epstein, the sculptor, and J. Lyons of the Lyons teashops.

The situation is serious because there is an undeniable pro-Nazi trend in the British foreign policy today.

A recent poll by a London newspaper showed that there was a two to one preference for Hitler Germany as against democratic France. English Jew-baiters are waving the flag of British patriotism while continuing their outrageous anti-Semitic activities.

This is not an alarmist point of view. Letters from England and visitors will confirm that anti-Semitism has never been so rampant in England as today. Unfortunately, British Jewish leadership is committing the same error that the German Jewish leaders were guilty of in the 1920s. They ignore and minimize the Fascist anti-Semitic trend.

### Eddie Cantor Heads U. P. A. Amusement Division

New York (WNS)—Hailing the work of the United Palestine Appeal as "one of the most important causes that the Jews of this country have called on to support," Eddie Cantor launched the campaign of the amusement division of the U. P. A. at a luncheon at which he was guest of honor. After warning against the spread of anti-Semitism in this country and asserting that only by providing opportunities for the rehabilitation and settlement of persecuted Jews could American Jews give an effective answer to Nazism, the famous comedian announced his acceptance of the co-chairmanship of the amusement division. Nathan Burkan and Louis Nizer will be his co-chairmen.

### Hospital Association Final Meeting on Monday

Miriam Hospital Association will hold its final meeting of the current season on Monday afternoon at the Biltmore Hotel with Mrs. Joseph Smith, president, presiding. A fine musical program has been arranged for the occasion. Mrs. Harry Applebaum, guest soloist, will present a varied program. Mrs. Applebaum will be accompanied by Mrs. Allen Markoff at the piano.

### Italian Jew Named Field Marshal by King

Rome (WNS)—General Rodolfo Graziani, commander of Italy's southern army in Ethiopia and one of the two outstanding figures of Il Duce's triumphant conquest of Ethiopia, became the first Jewish field marshal in Italian history when he was given that title by King Victor Emanuel.

### Anti-Nazi Boycott Hurt Lakehurst Merchants

Lakehurst, N. J. (WNS)—Lakehurst's merchants were stuck with several thousand dollars worth of food and perishable novelties as the result of quiet but effective boycott of anti-Nazis against the German zeppelin, Hindenburg. During its brief stay here the German airliner failed to attract the expected crowd because anti-Nazis were not interested in seeing anything that bore the swastika. A tacit admission that this was the cause of the comparatively small crowds was made by Mayor Harold J. Fucile. State police and marines guarding the dirigible searched every visitor in order to prevent the distribution of anti-Nazi literature. The only overt manifestation of anti-Nazi sentiment was the appearance of a red balloon over the Hindenburg's hangar. The plane had a trailer which read "Fight Fascism. Free Thaelmann".

Members of the crew of the Hindenburg told interviewers that Dr. Hugo Eckener is in the bad graces of the Nazi regime because he refused to name the giant ship after Adolf Hitler.

### Greece Stirred by Quake Predictions

Salonica (WNS)—Greek scientists are manifesting a keen interest in the experiments of Chafin Sengra, Jewish prophet, who has attained considerable fame by his uncanny predictions of earthquakes and political events. The Greek government is said to be interested in a device that Sengra has developed for giving adequate warning of forthcoming earthquake, indicating where and when earth tremors can be expected.

### At the "Nieuwe Sluis" Colony, Wieringen Holland



On land recently reclaimed from the sea by the Dutch Government, the Joint Distribution Committee supports this center which trains German young men and women refugees in occupations most suitable for the countries to which they will emigrate. The scene above shows Jewish youths training for construction work transporting bricks for buildings which they will erect for themselves and their fellow refugees. \$3,500,000 is being by the J. D. C. to carry on this and numerous other projects in behalf of Jews overseas in 1936.

### Consumptive Relief Unit Holds Successful Bridge

One of the most successful supper-brides, due to the indefatigable work of four women, Mrs. Morris Ratush, Mrs. Zelig Gordon, Mrs. Joseph Kaminsky and Mrs. William Amber, took place last Tuesday evening in the vestry of Temple Beth-Israel for the benefit of the Rhode Island Auxiliary, Jewish Consumptives Relief Society. More than 225 guests were present. Five young ladies in attractive caps and aprons served as waitresses.

Rabbi Abraham I. Schechter addressed the guests and expressed thanks for their co-operation. Attractive prizes were presented at each table and door prizes were won by Mrs. Charles Blackman, Mrs. Irving Nager and Mrs. Bud Weiser.

The Auxiliary will sponsor a cake sale on Wednesday, May 27, at the Outlet Company. A luncheon and meeting open to members and their guests will close the Auxiliary's season on Monday, June 8. Mrs. Mark Harris, president of the New York Auxiliary, boasting a membership of two thousand women, will be the guest speaker.

### Young Judea Convention Set for New Orleans

The twenty-eighth annual Convention of Young Judea will be held at the St. Charles Hotel in New Orleans, July 2 to 5. It was announced today at the National office of Young Judea, 111 Fifth avenue, New York City.

This Convention promises to be the most significant convention of the national Jewish youth organization in many years, coming as it does when the Young Judea movement has reached a new peak in club growth.

### Ladies' Union Aid Assn. Plan Annual Bridge

Mrs. J. Horvitz and Mrs. J. Kopf have been appointed chairman and co-chairman, respectively, of the Ladies' Union Aid Association annual bridge which is to be held Tuesday afternoon, June 2, at Touro Hall. It was announced following a meeting of the organization last Tuesday.

Letters of appreciation were read at the meeting which were received from state institutions thanking the society for its distribution of matzos and fruit during Passover.

### Columbia Students Assail Butler for Nazi Stand

New York (WNS)—Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, President of Columbia University, gave the silent treatment to a bitter attack on him by the Columbia Spectator, undergraduate paper, which accused him of being responsible for permitting "Columbia University to pay homage to Hitler." Recalling that some weeks ago Dr. Butler had told a student delegation that he favored a united front of all American universities against accepting an invitation to participate in the 55th anniversary of Heineberg University, the Spectator asserted that Prof. E. J. Remy of Columbia has already sailed for Germany to represent Columbia at Heidelberg.

The paper charged that Dr. Butler is trying to bury the issue by remaining silent until the close of the college semester.

## Personals

### GREENBERG-STRICT

Mr. and Mrs. Tobias Strict announce the marriage of their daughter, Sarah Helen, to Max Greenberg, son of Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Greenberg. Rabbi Morris Schussheim performed the ceremony.

The bride wore white satin and carried bridal roses and lilies-of-the-valley. Mrs. Morris Shoham, was the matron of honor. Mrs. Shoham was attired in peach crepe and carried pink roses. Miss Anna Glynn was flower girl.

Meyer Greenberg, the groom's brother, was best-man. Master Melvin Greenberg was the ring-bearer. After a wedding trip to Canada, Atlantic City and New York, Mr. and Mrs. Max Greenberg will reside at 36 Harriet street.

Mrs. Harry Singer and Mrs. Jacob Licht were hostesses for a shower given in honor of Janet Shauborn at the Narragansett Hotel on last Wednesday. Relatives and friends from Boston, Malden and Dorchester, Mass. and Pawtucket and Providence, attended. Luncheon was served in the ballroom. The tables were decorated in spring-flower fashion.

After luncheon, bridge was played in the parlors. The following ladies were the prize winners: A. Boyman, S. Butler, B. Burstein, D. Baratz, S. Deutch, J. Govin, J. Goldman, J. Green, B. Lazarus, K. Lazarus, R. Levine, H. Shatkin, J. Shlugale, Shlifer and A. Troickman.

Samuel Bernard Forman, son of Mrs. Jack Forman, of Baker street, will be Bar Mitzvah tomorrow (Saturday) morning at Temple Beth-El. Friends and relatives of the family are invited to attend open house on Saturday afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sandler, of Anthony avenue, Pawtucket, announce the engagement of their daughter, Janice, to Robert Ralph Hyman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hyman, of Providence.

Selma Blazar celebrated her eighth birthday at her grandmother's home, 36 Duncan avenue, last Thursday. All of Selma's little friends were present at the party. Games were played and refreshments were served. Selma is the daughter of Si and the late Sarah Blazar.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Spiegel, of Mead Court, announce the birth of a daughter, Mima, on May 7. Mrs. Spiegel is the former Miss Rose Brenner of New Bedford.

### Montefiore Board Honors Mrs. Edward Finberg

A board meeting of the Montefiore Ladies' Hebrew Benevolent Association was held last Monday afternoon, at Top Hill Inn, Seekonk, Mass. Those present were: Meadames S. Colitz, J. Ernstof, J. Field, E. Finberg, R. Freig, J. Foster, A. Gordon, H. Gony, G. Kopp, J. Kuzin, J. Pincus, G. Silverman, A. Zalkind. Before the business of the afternoon, luncheon was served and the board presented Mrs. Finberg with a courage and service plates in honor of her 25th anniversary which occurs this month.

## BOOK NOTES

Esther Levine

"Beyond Sing the Woods," by Trygve Gulbranssen; translated by Naomi Wolford. (Putnam.)  
From the opening description of Torger Bjornald's hand to hand struggle with a dun-colored bear to the final scene of peace and beauty in a room made charming and comfortable by the fire on the hearth, this book casts its spell over the reader.

"Beyond Sing the Woods" has much of the quality of an old fairy tale. A large house set deep in the woods, a proud and handsome people descended from some old Norse chieftain, almost miraculous feats of bravery and strength and over all an atmosphere of superstition and strangeness. It is difficult to realize that the story takes place in the nineteenth century.

Mr. Gulbranssen writes with true simplicity—the kind which penetrates to the core of the people and lays them bare to a searching analysis; yet so much understanding and tolerance is there that the plant remains unharmed. There is a broad sweep to his style—a sweep as great and as stirring as the woods themselves.

"Beyond Sing the Woods" has much the same quality as Knut Hamsun's "Growth of the Soil." Its people are as direct as the elements themselves. Briefly, the story is of golden-haired Dag of Bjornald and his fortunes. Revenge and spite against the people of the woods and lays them bare to a searching analysis; yet so much understanding and tolerance is there that the plant remains unharmed. There is a broad sweep to his style—a sweep as great and as stirring as the woods themselves.

Dag's concentration brought him wealth but it also brought him sorrow. He had to fight his primitive inheritance toward immediate vengeance and take his place in a larger scheme.

It was not easy for Dag to lay aside his heritage of bloodshed. However, his wife, Therese, and her sister Dorothea, the daughters of a wealthy merchant, brought their city ways to Bjornald. Their influence, especially that of the saintly Dorothea, did much to bring about the change in Dag to a more sympathetic tolerance of his fellow men.

The book is unusual in its sincerity and lack of posing. It has power and beauty of style. Some of the descriptions are unforgetable—the wild sleigh ride to church by torch light, Dag of Bjornald serving notice upon the townspeople that he rode behind no one, Old Ane's prophetic vision of the greatness which was to come to Bjornald, the dinner at which Old Dag proved how far along the road of humanity he had traveled, he had learned indeed that:

"A man who is clever—and has—knowledge of men enough to grow rich, to husband his riches and increase them—that man should use those same qualities in disposing of it; . . . for the same qualities needed to collect money are the ones needed to distribute it wisely . . ."

### Fascists Boo Parade of Vienna Anti-Semites

Vienna (WNS)—The strange spectacle of militant Fascists jeering and booing a parade of anti-Semites headed by Chancellor Kurt Schuschnigg afforded Vienna a clear idea as to the internal differences among the various factions in the present government.

This unusual situation developed when Prince Ernst von Starbunberg's Fascist Heimwehr stood on the curbs and shouted uncomplimentary remarks as thousands of members of the Catholic Workers Society and its armed guard, the Freischuetzen held a demonstration in the heart of Vienna.

The followers of Starbunberg, who is vice-chancellor, saved their choicest epithets for that section of the parade headed by Chancellor Schuschnigg. When the latter appeared, the Heimwehr men cried out "Down with Schuschnigg," "Up on Schuschnigg" and "we want Starbunberg." The real significance of this demonstration lies in the fact that the Catholic Workers Society and its leader, Leopold Kunschak, have been responsible for the recent wave of anti-Jewish agitation.

### DAUGHTERS OF JUDEA

"The Daughters of Judea" of Temple Emanu-El held a picnic at Lincoln Woods last Saturday under the direction of its leader, Miss Rosalie Mosen. Louise Feldman and Gertrude Brezinsky were of Jewish youth Schuschnigg. Those who are in the recent committee were Aune Resnick, Ruth Barry, and Adele Feldman. Shirley Swartz, Claire Abrams, and Judy Weis served on the program committee. Shirley Swartz was the winner of the treasure hunt.

# Around the Town

With Leonard Harris

## HOME FOR AGED DRIVE

With 150 new members reported thus far by Arthur H. Reiner, drive chairman for the Home for Aged, I may, with some assurance state that the 1936 campaign will close a success. For a good many years the Home has conducted its membership campaign and on each occasion it has received sympathetic response. It naturally follows, therefore, that the income yearly from membership should increase; that is, of course, assuming that the members clear their annual promised dues.

But yearly I hear the cry that a strong membership is necessary if the Home is to find security. During the past few days I have gleaned, through sundry questioning, that the membership list has a natural division line—active and inactive; or those who do or don't pay their dues. What is needed, it seems to me, more paid-up members and not promissory ones. By assenting to membership, each individual must realize that he shoulders a share of the responsibility and that his dues, however small, help to maintain the institution. Living on a promissory basis is not the way. The Home needs your membership; live up to the trust it places in you.

## Odds and Ends

Strolling through the town these days surely is a lark. Ed Fay passed by sporting a new Kelly grin on his face. At the Biltmore brother and sister act was put on by the Gorfine-Bogin ensemble. . . . And from the Franklin Auto Supply I learned that Harry and Hatty Rosen are on the road on a business-trip. . . . I'm glad to hear that Phil Mackles is recovering after that rather disastrous holiday at Fenway Park. . . . Phil, an ardent Red Sox fan, was inadvertently crowned with a foul ball, and he necessitated a siren ride to St. Elizabeth Hospital. . . . Latest reports say he is much better. . . . Mrs. Brenner was quite upset and vowed in the future Phil was to attend meat-ball games only. . . .

## Long Shots

Esther Falk has been doing right good by herself at the races. . . . Mrs. Joe Marcus, the other afternoon, won a long shot and won, while I, scary-cat played the favorite and lost. . . . George Treidman looked pretty happy in back of his cigar at the clubhouse. . . . And Mrs. Nathan Kaufman was so occupied with trying to deduce the winner of the next race that she nodded hello instead of greeting me in her usual cheery manner. . . . Shepley Gray confided that its much easier to pick a good used car than to pick a sure winner at a horse track. . . .

## Dots and Dashes

Over at the Hillsgrove I spotted Sadye Zarem, attractively dressed in beige, and Marlene Rich, pert in gray and red. . . . I hear that Samu-el Lazarus has an eye-opener in store for his many friends when he opens his new uptown enterprise. . . . It is rumored that attorney Lew Rosenstein is planning to cross the "big pond" for a summer stay in Europe. . . . Many a man's heart has skipped a beat or two this past week when Emmy Weiner's stunning girl friend from Albany passed their way. . . .

## Orchids to You

At the Hadasah donor's luncheon last Wednesday afternoon my quick glance over the hall caught Mrs. John Gleason greeting the guests, considering an orchid corsage. . . . Charming Mrs. Saul Abrams looking crisp and summy in black and white topped with gardenias. . . . Mrs. Charles Brown (Naragansett Hotel) a study in blue, bordered with platinum. . . . Nancy Starr receiving congratulations about the nite before. . . . Blood Mrs. Galkin looking like

# FANNY BRICE ILL; FOLLIES SUSPENDED

Comedienne Will Return in 3 Weeks

New York (WNS)—Performances of the "Ziegfeld Follies" have been suspended for three or four weeks because of the illness of Fannie Brice, star of the show.

This unprecedented step was taken after Miss Brice's physician informed Lee Shubert, producer, that the comedienne could not return to the stage for at least three weeks.

Rather than continue the show with understudies, the suspension was decided upon. Miss Brice is suffering from aggravated form of arthritis.

## Students Strike to Force Release of Anti-Semites

Bucharest (WNS)—Roumania faces a general strike of students and white-collar workers sympathetic to and affiliated with the various anti-Semitic organizations. Beginning at the University of Bucharest as a spontaneous protest against the arrest of a number of students who had participated in anti-Semitic disturbances after the recent anti-Semitic student congress, the walkout is rapidly spreading to the universities and high schools in Jassy, Kishinev and Czernowitz.

Student leaders have served notice on the government that they will not return to their classes until those arrested are freed. The arrest of Zelea Codreanu, leader of the anti-Semitic Iron Guard, may win for the students the support of other groups.

## Beth-Israel Bazaar

(Continued from Page One) watch, vacuum cleaner, silver service set, Philco console radio, studio couch, and an English lounge chair. Free awards will be made on the closing night of the carnival.

Benjamin Kane is acting as co-chairman, while Morris Chasimir and Herman Goldberg, honorary presidents, have charge of ticket distribution. Samuel Baker is treasurer; Mrs. Isadore Singer and Mrs. Sadler are co-chairmen of the women's division. Harry Hogman, secretary, and Tody Max, feature chairman, declared that a number of vaudeville acts will be presented each evening of the bazaar.

Mrs. Arthur Galkin will have charge of the Russian Tea Room, an innovation in bazaar entertainment. Waitressed in typical Russian costumes will serve tea from Russian samovars. Mrs. Herman Galkin, member of the committee, has supervised the making of all costumes. Others on the committee are Mrs. Morris Narva, Mrs. Jacob Kenner, Mrs. Barney Kenner and Mrs. Joseph Fowler.

# Weekly Calendar

**FRIDAY, MAY 15**  
Council Dramatic Group, afternoon.  
**MONDAY, MAY 18**  
Miriam Hospital, afternoon.  
**TUESDAY, MAY 19**  
S. P. Hebrew Institute, afternoon.  
Council of Jewish Women, afternoon.  
Independent Jewish Mother's Alliance, afternoon.  
**WEDNESDAY, MAY 20**  
Ahavath Shalom, Talmond Torah, evening.  
Ladies' Hebrew Free Loan, afternoon.  
Temple Beth-Israel Board Meeting, evening.  
**THURSDAY, MAY 21**  
Home for Aged Board Meeting, afternoon.

## Mother's Day Observed at Home for Aged

Mother's Day was observed at the Jewish Home for the Aged last Sunday afternoon, when a reception was tendered the women guests of the institution. Each lady was presented with a carnation and a gift.

Tea and cake were then served to the solarium of the Home. Mrs. S. Silverstein poured and was assisted by Mrs. D. Kabanovsk, Mrs. J. Schwartz, Mrs. B. Novograd, and Mrs. R. Pearlstein.

Lag B'Omer was also observed last Sunday, with the traditional dishes and a treat given the old folks by the ladies' committee.

## Nazis Threaten Death of Jews After Olympics

Paris (WNS)—Nazi storm troopers in Berlin are singing a new song the words of which contain a threat to murder the Jews once the Olympic Games are over, according to a report in the Neue Tagebuch of Paris. According to the Neue Tagebuch the words of the song go like this: "Once the Oly belongs to the past, we'll kill the Jews pretty darn fast."

## Chairmen Named

(Continued from Page One) district, Jacob Leichter and Walter Rutman.

Rabbi Gutstein, of Newport, informed Dr. Berger this week that preparations for the celebration of Jewish Day are progressing rapidly. He assured Dr. Berger that the convention delegates would depart from Newport inspired by what the Rhode Island Jew had accomplished.

# COUNCIL ANNUAL MEETING TUESDAY

Elections, Reports, to Feature Luncheon Gathering

Plans have been completed for the annual luncheon meeting of the Providence Section, National Council of Jewish Women to be held Tuesday at 12:30 o'clock at the Lafayette House, Foxboro, Mass. Mrs. Isaac Gerber, former Council of Jewish Women's president and member of the Public Welfare Commission, is chairman of the day.

Election for the ensuing year and annual reports of officers and committee chairmen will feature the business meeting at 2:15 o'clock presided over by Mrs. Jack Davis, president.

The slate presented at the organization's April meeting by Mrs. Louis E. Wolfson, nominating committee chairman, includes: Mrs. Jack Davis, president; Mrs. Pierre Bronshtweig, first vice-president; Mrs. Edward Deutch, second vice-president; Mrs. Samuel Blacher, third vice-president; Mrs. Aaron Cohen, treasurer; Mrs. Leo Cohen, corresponding secretary; Mrs. A. George Blocher, recording secretary; Mrs. Joseph Rees, financial secretary; Mrs. William Hyman, clerk; Mrs. Samuel Markoff, auditor. Directors, Mesdames David C. Adelman, Isaac Gerber, J. George Nathanson, Philip Marcus, Hillel Hassenfeld, Milton Simon. Mrs. Davis will serve for the fourth consecutive year.

These directors remain in office: Mesdames Milton Fuld, Joseph Garner, Max Siegel, David Pollock, Edwin Slocum, Samuel Wachenheimer.

Council members will be transported by automobile to the Lafayette House in cars leaving the corner of Hope street and Hillside avenue, at 12 o'clock noon on Tuesday.

## Sigmund Freud Marks 80th Birthday Quietly

Vienna (WNS)—Broken in health and in virtual retirement, Dr. Sigmund Freud, father of psychoanalysis and one of the greatest scientific figures of our time, passed his 80th birthday quietly in his home here.

While his friends and admirers from all parts of the world flooded him with congratulatory messages and began an organized campaign to win the Nobel Prize in medicine for him, Dr. Freud refused to grant interviews or to discuss his work except to say that it is finished.

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# YOUTH NIGHT SET FOR BETH-ISRAEL

## College Students Will Participate in Services

Temple Beth-Israel will welcome the Jewish youth of the community at its annual youth night and religious service to be conducted tonight (Friday) at the Temple at 8:15 o'clock. The services are under the direction of Rabbi Morris Schussheim with the assistance of Cantor Joseph Schlossberg and the regular Temple choir.

The service will be read by Herbert Hutton, Brown '38, and Miss Phyllis Littman, Pembroke '38. Addresses will be delivered by Miss Norma Gause, R. I. College of Education; Nathan Ragin, graduate student of Brown University; and Harold Tregar, R. I. School of Design. The addresses will be devoted to a consideration of a constructive program of Jewish living.

Following the service an open forum will be conducted in the vestry room under the direction of Frank Licht, Brown '38. The Sisterhood of the Congregation will be hosts to the young people and will tender a reception to them.

The concluding Late Friday Night Service of the season will take place next Friday night and will be dedicated to the Men's Club of the Temple whose members will conduct the service.

## "August Weekend" Film Attraction at Fays Theatre

Week-end parties are notoriously famous for the changes that they can bring to the lives of the invited guests. Love affairs are begun. Love affairs are ended. Wives fall for bachelors. Married men fall for gay young things.

Week-end parties spell excitement! Faith Baldwin has written a story called "August Week-end," and, in it, this brilliant writer relates the week-end events that materially alter the lives of nine people. Adapted by Paul Perez, screen versioned by Chesterfield Motion Pictures Corporation, this new Baldwin film featuring Valerie Hobson, G. P. Huntley, Jr., Paul Harvey, and Betty Compton, is coming to Fays Theatre today. "August Week-end" first appeared as a Cosmopolitan Magazine serial and later was published in book form. Charles Lamont directed this new Baldwin comedy drama.

This new Baldwin story has many intriguing angles and a set of love affairs that will put every film fan on the alert to keep track of. It goes along at a fast pace and mixes drama and comedy with delightful results. You'll like the picture, and you'll like the cast that has been assembled to play it for you.

## Judges Named for Center Play Writers Contest

At a meeting of the executive board of the Community Center last Friday, judges were named for the Center Players play writing contest. Those chosen are Prof. Thomas Crosby, Jr. of Brown University; Reverend Urban Nigle, of Providence College; and Garrett D. Byrnes, dramatic critic.

The play writing contest committee consists of Mrs. Saul Abrams, Miss Sarah Baker, Isadore Korn and L. Justin Haddish.

## In Ziegfeld Film



William Powell and Luise Rainer, two of the many stars in "The Great Ziegfeld," which opens today at the Carleton Theatre. The picture tells the story of Florenz Ziegfeld, the man who glorified the American girl.

## Women's Hebrew Group to Install Officers

The Young Women's Hebrew Association will hold its Annual Banquet and installation of officers at Zion's Ramonet Hall on Monday evening.

Miss Helen Sapsowitz, chairman for the banquet, is assisted by the following committee: Misses Edith Abrahams, Ruth Abrahams, Pauline Moskoff, Mina Lifsky, Bea Gurwitz, Evelyn Pansy, Ida Rubenstein, Hanna Scollard, Leah Wolf, Elsie Strassmich, Matilda Matzner, Rose Goldsmith, Freda Simon, Mary Simon, Edith Wexler, Ida Snell and Esther Briet.

Miss Gertrude B. Tarnagol will be installing officer and Mrs. Joseph J. Sefer will act as toastmaster. Mrs. Harold B. Tanner, Joseph Lorenzo and Mrs. Applebaum will participate on the entertainment program.

## Hebrew Free Loan Dance on May 28

Alexander Zalkind, chairman of the Hebrew Free Loan Association annual dance, today announced that the dance will be held Thursday evening, May 28, at Rhodes-on-the-Pawtuxet. Assisting Mr. Zalkind are Jack Stallman, treasurer; Joseph Engel, secretary; Louis Hachman, Barney Pickar, Max Potter, William Rabinowitz and Frank Kaplan.

For That Late Snack Visit the Liberty Diner

Park and Reservoir Avenues



Beginning Friday

On the Stage: "TRUCKIN PARADE REVUE"

On the Screen: "August Week-end" WITH VALERIE HOBSON, G. B. HUNTLEY, JR.

## RKO VICTORY

STARTS SATURDAY A TON OF THRILLS!

"SUICIDE SQUAD" WITH NORMAN FOSTER

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"MYSTERY OF SCOTLAND YARD"



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DANCING & ENTERTAINMENT in the Beautiful GARDEN RESTAURANT

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## Home for Aged Ladies' Unit Plans Bridge

A committee meeting was held last Tuesday afternoon at the Jewish Home for the Aged by the Ladies' Association to discuss preliminary plans for the complimentary bridge and linen shower, which is scheduled for Wednesday, June 3. Mrs. Samuel Ganzer was appointed chairman, and Mrs. Samuel Soforeuko, co-chairman. Mrs. Joseph Dressler will act as treasurer. Full particulars will follow in a later issue of the Jewish Herald.

## France Makes Preparations to Withdraw from Olympics

Paris (WNS)—A tacit admission that France will withdraw from the Berlin Olympic Games after the new left wing government takes power in June was seen in the failure of the Council of Ministers to take any final action on the matter at its last meeting.

The Council agreed to table the question until the first meeting of the new cabinet. It is an open secret that the new left wing government is prepared to reject any proposal for a government appropriation to finance the French Olympic team.

In anticipation of an official announcement that France is withdrawing from the Olympics, General Pronboix is reported to have sailed for the United States to inform American sportsmen why France intends to boycott the Berlin games.

## "Show Boat" Star



IRENE DUNNE

Termed the grandest show afloat, "Show Boat," with Irene Dunne and featuring such artists as Charles Winninger, Helen Morgan, Paul Robeson and a cast of more than a hundred, opens at the Majestic today for a week's run.

The curtain opens on romance and drama, on music that echoes back to the show boat on the old Mississippi, when Captain Andy Hawk's show boat, with whistles blowing and flags flying, is welcomed by an enthusiastic shore crowd.

## Thrilling Films Open Tomorrow at Victory

"Suicide Squad," the rousing fire department melodrama crammed with thrills and "Mystery of Scotland Yard," in which the thrilling secret of dragging helpless souls back from their graves is revealed are the two feature pictures which open next Saturday at the RKO Victory Theatre for a full week's run.

Norman Foster is featured with Joyce Compton in "Suicide Squad," a rousing action picture in which a young rookie in the fire department rises to the heights of heroism.

"The Mystery of Scotland Yard" tells the weird story of how a scientist cooperates with a gang in collecting insurance policies by making his subjects appear dead even to the extent of being buried, only to drag them back from the grave later.

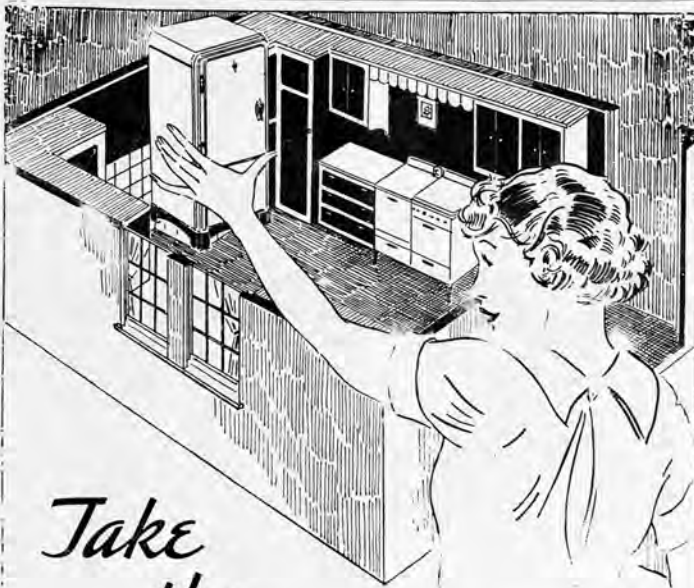


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## "SHOW BOAT"

with

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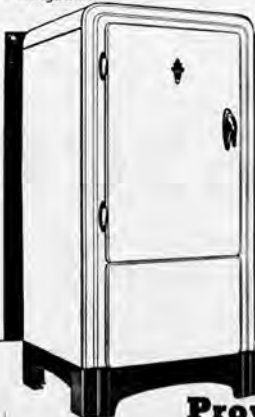
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