

Worcester Farewell to Mr. and Mrs. Wolf Heller.

About 200 guests attended the farewell reception given to Mr. and Mrs. Wolf Heller at the Zionist Hall on Sunday evening, 28th November. Mr. and Mrs. Heller are making their new home in Cape Town.

Speeches were delivered by Rabbi M. Smith; Mr. M. Rabinowitz, Chairman of the Congregation; Messrs. I. J. Sennett and J. Rabinowitz, Honorary Life Presidents; Mrs. Sonia Heller on behalf of the W.I.Z.O.; Dr. Sagor on behalf of the Zionist Society; Mrs. Kossew on behalf of the Union of Jewish Women, who also made the presentation of a Silver Tea Service, suitably inscribed, on behalf of the community.

All the speakers made reference to the invaluable service rendered to both the Jewish and non-Jewish community by Mr. and Mrs. Heller.

Although Mr. Heller's commercial activities carried him to all parts of the globe, his first consideration on returning to Worcester from a trip overseas was to enquire what had transpired in the community during his absence, and to attend to any matters which merited his attention.

Mrs. Heller, by her unstinted devotion to causes both Jewish and non-Jewish, and the sincerity of her attitude to her undertakings, had won the esteem and admiration of the entire community.

Mr. and Mrs. Heller's departure from Worcester will leave a void in the community which will be difficult to fill.

In replying to the speeches, both Mr. and Mrs. Heller assured the large gathering that they would still associate themselves with the interests of the Worcester community and look forward to being of assistance whenever they are called upon to do so.

After refreshments had been served, the guests proceeded to dance, until the reception concluded with the singing of Hatikvah.

Forthcoming Events.

Ponevez Society.—A Concert in aid of the surviving Landsleit from Ponevez will be held at the Muizenberg Pavilion on Thursday, 16th December, at 8.15 p.m. The following will participate: Lilli Anderson, The Cantabile Trio directed by Walter Swanson, Freda Fernandez Stage School of Dancing, Geo. Laden, Walter Morgan, Cantor Rudy. Also a one act play in Yiddish, "Die Agenten," by Sholem Aleichem, produced by Mr. B. Padowich. Booking: Muizenberg Pavilion.

Bnoth Zion Association.—A Palestinian Film Evening will be held by the Gardens branch at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Friedman, Pearl View, 31, Virginia Ave., on Monday evening, 13th December, at 8 p.m. sharp. Mr. B. Padowich will speak in Yiddish on "A Review of the First Year of Israel." Mrs. I. Abrahams and Mrs. R. Kahn will represent the Israeli United Appeal (Women's Section). All welcome.

שבת

Sabbath (9th Kislev) commences on 10th December at 7.28 p.m. and ends on 11th December at 8.14 p.m. Portion of Law: Vayetzeh, Genesis, chps. 28-32. Haftorah: Vayivrach Yaakov, Hosea, chp. 12.

Habonim (S.A.) W.P.

1948 SHOMRIM KINNUS.

This week-end shomrim of the Habonim movement will round off their activities for the last year. On Saturday evening in the Zionist Hall there will be a dance festival. On Sunday morning at 9.30 a.m. sharp in the Zionist Hall there will be a discussion on the report of various chavurot. Besides this shomrim will suggest improvements for the coming year in the whole shichvah, both educational and social. In the afternoon there will be an outing to the country returning again in the early evening to continue discussion on the role of S.A. Jewish Youth.

MACHANEH.

The Hashtilim machanot at Cecilia's Plantation have been a terrific success and this week-end another group of children will be camping out in the open. It is no camp for just play only, for great stress is being laid in training the shilim both in character and in looking after themselves.

The advance guard for Nahoon National Machaneh will be leaving on Sunday night at 9 p.m. for East London. During the coming week many more chaverim will be leaving, including quite a few sailing by steamboat on the 18th. Campers are advised to prepare their equipment as suggested in the circulars.

PUBLICATIONS.

Recently the movement in the W.P. have published an Arts and Crafts Handbook for madrichim. It contains guides to almost all kinds of handwork that could be employed in educating youth groups. Its contents range from canework to ropework, having chapters on all branches of practical work. This has proved most successful for all age groups.

They are now publishing a song book for the movement which again is very serviceable. All the songs are in Ivrit only and arranged in different groups like Shabat, Haganah, Moledet, Avodah, etc. It is hoped that this will be of use not only for singing but also for introducing Ivrit.

THE HABONIM MISRAD.

The Habonim Misrad (office) will be open during the holidays and advantage could be taken of this fact. All should visit the Misrad when in town to see how the movement is getting on, see all the latest materials, read the magazines and make use of the library, at Room 23, 6, Barrack St. Cape Town.

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Sylvia Regan's "Morning Star."

David Barnett is producing Sylvia Regan's American play "Morning Star" at the Hofmeyr Theatre from 21st December to 1st January. This play ran on Broadway with Molly Picon in the lead.

It has practically an all-Jewish cast and promises to be one of the theatrical highlights of the year.

The same play won the British Drama Festival when produced by a Jewish Theatrical body in the U.K.

Ella Oppenheimer, Maurice Sacks, John Simon, Teressa Trapler and Avra Weinreich and Ronald Horwitz are amongst the very large cast.

The play ranges from 1910 to the present day.

David Barnett was on the West End stage and has only been in this country for 15 months.

Booking is now open at Darters.

S.A. Ort-Oze Diary.

The S.A. Ort-Oze has just issued a Pocket Diary for 1949. An abridged Jewish calendar and a list of Public Holidays precedes some special Ort-Oze features. This in turn is followed by a general calendar and the diary proper.

All the Jewish Festivals, Yomim Noraim and Public Holidays are indicated as they occur right through the year. The last section contains pages allotted to telephone numbers and notes. A copy of the first Ort-Oze Diary was sent to Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt and her acknowledgement of this is published here. A calendar for 1950 appears at the end.

This diary should prove very useful and is obtainable at the offices of the S.A. Ort-Oze, 17, London and Lancashire House, St. George's Street, Cape Town.

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