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# **Bulawayo Activities**

New Cantor for Bulawayo,—Mr. M. Kamionsky has been appointed First Reader of the Bulawayo Hebrew Congregation as from the 1st of June. He succeeds Mr. A. Weinberg, who has now retired after 28 years of service in the Bulawayo Synagorye

Cantor Kamionsky arrived in South Cantor Kamionsky arrived in Solution.

Africa some eight years ago, and for several years occupied the post of Cantor of the Griqualand West Hebrew Congregation, Kimberley. Last year he received a call to Rhodesia from the Salisbury Hebrew Congregation. The induction of the new Cantion. The induction of the new tor took place on the first da Shevuoth and after the service Shevioth and after the service a reception was held in the Guild Hall in his honour. Speeches of welcome were delivered by Mr. P. Landau, President of the Congregation, Mrs. Rabinowitz, and Rev. M. I. Cohen.

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National Fund Evening.—The local W.I.Z.O. made a departure from its usual custom of holding afternoon functions and arranged its June function for the evening of Wednesday, the 8th. The meeting was devoted to an elucidation of the work of the National Fund. Speeches on various aspects of National Fund activity were delivered by Mesdames M. I. Cohen, D. A. Blumberg; the Misses H. Radowsky and A. Aberman, and Messrs. B. Baron, J. Cohen, S. Pines, and C. Landau. Mrs. Jack Cohen was in the chair and Rev. M. I. Cohen proposed a vote of thanks to the speakers. During the evening Mrs. I. Isaacson rendered a number of pianoforte solos which received hearty applause.

Literary Circle.—There was an unusually large attendance at the Guild Hall on the 16th ult., when the Circle arranged a debate with members of the local Magistrate's Court. The subject chosen was "That the Criminal is a Product of His Environment." The Magistrate's Court was represented by Messrs. W. C. Robertson, A. D. Lloyd and F. Willmore. Messrs. N. Jacobson, A. Sariff and B. Baron spoke on behalf of the Literary Circle against the motion. Literary Circle.—There was an

Literary Circle against the motion.

The discussion was of a high standard, and several members of the audience participated in the debate. The motion was won by the Magistrate's Court. Miss R. Rabinowitz, President of the Circle who welcomed the visitors, asked Dr. W. Cunningham to take the chair.

A Lecture.—On Wednesday, June 1, Dr. Phil Baron gave an interesting talk to members of the Circle on his experiences in post-graduate work overseas. Miss R. Rabinowitz was in the chair, and Rev. M. I. Cohen proposed a vote of thanks to the speaker.

# Zionist Youth Activities

S.A. Youth Council.-The S.A. Youth Council.—The pre-liminary arrangements for the Youth Keren Hayesod Campaign have al-ready borne fruit and the Campaign on Johannesburg and the Reef is now in full swing.

The official delegation will attend a special Youth Reception in Johannesburg on Saturday, July 9th, at which the local Youth Campaign will be inaugurated. From the contributions already received the total figure is likely to be an appreciable sum.

The Council has also made arrange ments for Campaigns to be conducted in various other centres and is co-operating actively with its local re-

The further progress of the Campaign will be reported next week.

# PIETERSBURG AND DISTRICT

# Meeting of Women Zionists

THE second quarterly general meeting of the Pietersburg and District Women's Zionist League was held on 23rd May at the residence of Mrs. B. Palte, who presided over a good attendance Mrs. B. Palte, w good attendance.

In her opening remarks, Mrs. Palte pointed out that these quarterly meetings were held to stimulate interest and to keep all members in touch with the activities of the Society.

It was reported that the Purim Carnival had realised £24 and J.N.F. Box collections about £20—not all the district boxes having been cleared as yet. Several new boxes have been placed. Eighteen new members have joined the League since November.

The Chairwoman reported that she had visited the Zoekmakaar, Duivels-kloof and Tzaneen members and found them very keen, and they all promised to work for the J.N.F. The members in Zoekmakaar are already busy raising funds. The members in Duivelskloof and Tzaneen had asked for cultural material, with which they are being supplied.

The formation of a cultural group was discussed, and decided upon, and arrangements for its first meeting were made.

The date for the annual Ball was fixed for 7th September, and the Chair once again made an appeal on behalf of the Sefer Hayeled.

Cultural Group.—On 9th June, the cultural group held its first meeting at Mrs. Palte's residence, when Miss S. Levy read a paper on Shmarya Levin, and Mrs. Joseph Hirschmann and Mrs. Palte read papers on Nahum Sokolow. It was decided that the group should meet on the third Wednesday of every month.

Keren Hayesod.—The League in conjunction with the Pietersburg and Zoutpansberg Zionist Society is busy making preparations for the forthcoming Keren Hayesod Campaign.

# Mr. Englesberg in Springbok

A LARGE gathering attended a meeting addressed by Mr. N. Englesberg at the Synagogue Hall, Springbok, on Sunday evening, 13th June. One member of the audience had travelled forty-eight miles in order to be present at the meeting.

Mrs. I. Gordon, chairlady of the Namaqualand Womens' Zionist Society, presided and introduced the speaker. Mr. Englesberg gave a most illuminating survey of present-day Palestine and modern Zionism. most illuminating survey of present-day Palestine and modern Zionism. The address was enthusiastically re-ceived and made a deep impression on audience.

Mr. D. Gelb, President of the Hebrew Congregation, expressed the appreciation of the community to Mr. Englesberg and thanked him heartily for the visit.

Mr. Englesberg was due to proceed to Port Nolloth on the following day, but owing to a breakdown of the car, he was unable to complete the jour-

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# Durban Activitie

# Keren Hayesod Campaign

Representatives of Durban Representatives of Durban bodies met and extended a war come to Rev. M. L. Perlzwei Mrs. Rosa Ginzberg on their a in South Africa on Sunday, 19th These two members of the Keren yesod delegation proceeded to Ji nesburg on the following day to the S.A. Campaign. Preliminar rangements for the local cam have been started and a strong mittee will be appointed this we

#### Council of Natal Jewry

A general meeting of the C was held at the Jewish Club evening of the 7th June. Mr. shal presided over a large and sentative audience. The Chairm sentative audience. The Chairmal livered a report on the work of Council during the past two more which dealt fully with several in ant matters. Further reports read by Advocate Henochsberg Myerowitz (Polish Jewry Campa Mr. A. Levy (Meshullochim), and Ogus (Youth Activities). General cussion on these reports foll Resolutions to be moved at the vincial Executive Meeting of Board of Deputies at Johanne were read and discussed. Before meeting adjourned, the Chair meeting adjourned, the Chartily congratulated Mr. A. berg on his success in the recen

#### Durban Zionist Youth.

An important Zionist Youth at which were present Messa Segal and D. Dunsky (member the S.A. Zionist Youth Council former being the Durban Repretive on the Council), took place the 17th to the 19th June. Of evening of Friday 17th, a large ering met at the residence of M. Mrs. Moss-Morris, where an Shabbat was held. Mr. D. Dunsl livered an interesting armchain on "Eretz Israel and Jewish Y. narrating several incidents of hit to Palestine in 1937. A most able evening was spent, the sing Hebrew songs being a feature of the sevening was being a feature of the second sevening was being a feature of the second sevening was being a feature of the second sevening was spent, the sing Hebrew songs being a feature of the second sevening was placed to the second second second sevening was spent, the sing Hebrew songs being a feature of the second sec An important Zionist Youth Hebrew songs being a feature function.

Stirring addresses were livered by Messrs. Segal and I at a Youth mass meeting held o day, the 19th June. Mr. Ogus prand Mr. W. Cranko welcome guests on behalf of the Club. As interesting discussion during guests on behalf of the Club. A interesting discussion, during several questions were put, Goldberg proposed a vote of to the speakers.

Discussion on important que and Youth problems, includin forthcoming Youth Keren Ha Campaign, took place both in an of committee, between Messrs. D and Segal and the local Youth le throughout the week-end, an Rally served to strengthen the branch of the Movement.

# Durban Jewish Club.

On the evening of June 6, the matic section put on Son Maugham's interesting play Circle," produced by L. Fobb. play—a difficult one for any an society to undertake—demand great deal from those who took and they may be congratulated smooth rendering of a fairly suful production. Outstanding a the cast were Miss A. Levy and E. Seligman.

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