

## IN AND AROUND THE PENINSULA.

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Messrs. R. Back, E. Charlafl, F. S. Robinson, R. Rosenberg, Dr. V. Resnekov, Mesdames N. Cope and I. Yudelman.

During the evening Miss Rachel Rabinowitz rendered two piano solos which were warmly appreciated.

### Northern Districts Zionist Guild.

On the 27th June Mrs. Antebi addressed a gathering at the residence of Mrs. B. Berold, Parow. She gave a very illuminating and inspiring address dealing with life in Palestine. A few questions were asked to which Mrs. Antebi adequately replied. After tea Dr. M. Reznek moved a hearty vote of thanks to the speaker.

### Union of Jewish Women.

The Union of Jewish Women has decided to start a depot for second-hand clothing at their offices, 148 St. George's Street, Cape Town. This clothing is to be distributed amongst the needy in Cape Town and gifts of clothing may be left at the U.J.W. offices, 148 St. George's Street.

There is also an urgent appeal for magazines for military hospitals, and books of a good standard for the Sixth Division. These can also be sent to the office.

### Observatory-Mowbray Hebrew Congregation.

The Congregation records with deep regret the death of one of its oldest members, Mr. Ben Chapman, who rendered loyal service.

### Somerset West Tanach Study Circle.

A meeting was held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. M. Ginsberg on 4th July. Rabbi A. R. Abrahamson gave a very interesting and instructive lecture on "God Works in His Mysterious Way" (Isaiah, chapter 19, 1). A lively discussion followed to which Rabbi Abrahamson replied. A vote of thanks was proposed by Mr. W. Miller to Rabbi Abrahamson and to Mr. and Mrs. M. Ginsberg for their kind hospitality. The next meeting will be held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. G. Kruss.

## Pnina Saltzman.

Pnina Saltzman, the brilliant Palestinian pianist, will give a concert, together with the Cape Town Municipal Orchestra, at the City Hall, Cape Town, on Wednesday, July 19th, at 7.45 p.m. in aid of the Palestine Symphony Orchestra. She will perform the Schumann A minor and the Beethoven C minor concertos.

The brilliant triumph of Pnina Saltzman at her recent concerts in Cape Town has shown that the Palestine school of music trains not only virtuosi but also highly cultured musicians for whom the technical hurdles serve only one purpose, namely, to reveal the composer's artistic idea. Many Cape Town musicians, particularly pianists, were very interested in the school that had created such a musician.

Pnina Saltzman's success is explained by the conditions under which young musicians work in Palestine, that is, the great solicitude shown them. Others believe that the high level of musical culture in Palestine is connected with the tremendous interest in the Palestine Symphony Orchestra and art generally displayed by the population at large. Tel-Aviv is one of the most musical cities in the world. The love and interest in music is great and sincere.

## Revisionist Charges against Youth Aliyah Disproved.

### MEETING IN BENONI.

At a meeting in Benoni on Monday night Mr. Joshua Leibner and Mr. A. Abrahamson, acting Secretary of the S.A. Zionist Federation, effectively disproved the charges previously made in Benoni by Mr. A. Abrahams, the N.Z.O. emissary, that Youth Aliyah work was at a standstill. Mr. Abrahamson cited a cable from Miss Henrietta Szold stating that between February, 1934, and September, 1939, Youth Aliyah had received in its care 4,886 children from Germany, Austria, Czechoslovakia and Poland. Since September, 1939, 6,400 children had arrived from twenty-eight countries. Four hundred more arrived in the last quarter, including 119 from Transdnistria and 64 from Italy. Three thousand four hundred children were at present undergoing training in 51 settlements and 30 institutions.

A cable was received from Mr. Ben Zvi, Chairman of the Vaad Leumi, stating: "I confirm that the reports being spread in South Africa that there is no Youth Aliyah are utterly baseless. Groups of children are being rescued in various ways and brought to Palestine where the Youth Aliyah continues to maintain and educate them."

Mr. Abrahamson submitted Youth Aliyah accounts showing that the total revenue to the end of 1943 was £1,269,505 and the total expenditure £1,230,069.

Mr. Leibner described his personal observations of Youth Aliyah children in Palestine. They had 32 at Ain Hashofet and there were groups in 50 other settlements.

The meeting highly appreciated the facts and figures given which entirely disproved the Revisionist charges.

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THE NEW TERM OF THE ABOVE SCHOOL COMMENCES ON

**Monday, 17th July, 1944**

Parents who intend registering their children must do so immediately.

The Secretary will be in attendance at the Head Office, Hope Street, Cape Town, from 9 a.m. to 12 noon and from 2 to 5 p.m. daily.

Parents who cannot call personally are kindly requested to **Phone 2-1648.**

## Forthcoming Events.

### Commemoration of 40th Anniversary of Death of Herzl.

A meeting to commemorate the 40th anniversary of the death of Dr. Theodor Herzl will be held at the Zionist Hall on Thursday, July 13th, at 8 p.m., under the auspices of the Combined Zionist Societies of Cape Town. The speakers will be distinguished visitors from Eretz Israel, Mrs. Yehudah and Mr. Joshua Leibner. Adv. Alexander, K.C., M.P., will preside. All welcome.

### Herzl-Bialik Commemoration Meetings.

A Herzl-Bialik Memorial Meeting will take place on Tuesday, July 11th, at 8 p.m., in the Communal Hall, Piers Road, Wynberg. Mrs. F. Gross and Mr. S. M. Levin will address the meeting. Cantor M. Katzin will intone the Hazkora.

At the request of the Western Province Zionist Council, other Herzl-Bialik commemoration evenings have been arranged as follows:—

Monday, July 10th—Claremont; speakers, I. M. Hurwitz and Mr. S. H. Rechtman.

Tuesday, July 11th—Stellenbosch; speakers, Miss H. Wolozinsky and Mr. E. Charlafl.

In addition meetings will be held in the following week at Woodstock, Muizenberg and other centres.

### S.A. Jewish Board of Deputies (Cape Committee).

A meeting of Deputies of affiliated bodies of the Cape Committee of the S.A. Jewish Board of Deputies will take place in the Board Room of the Board's offices, 413/418 Security Buildings, Exchange Place, Cape Town, at 10 a.m. on Sunday, 16th July.

### Union of Jewish Women.

The speaker at the next monthly meeting, to be held on Tuesday, 11th July, at the Zionist Hall at 2.45 p.m., will be Mr. B. A. Levitas, F.S.M. F.I.O. (Lond.), F.O.A. (S.A.), who will lecture "Trade Unionism." There will be reports on the opening of the creche and on the S.A. Jewish Board of Deputies, and it is hoped there will be full attendance of members and friends.

### Jewish Cultural Society.

Mr. I. Charlash will deliver a lecture in Yiddish at the Zionist Hall on Monday, 10th July, at 7.30 p.m. on "The Allies, the War and —?" On Wednesday, 12th July, at 7.30 p.m. sharp, he will lecture on Sholem Asch's book "The Romance of Jesus Christ."

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### Day School

THE ABOVE SCHOOL RE-OPENS FOR THE NEW TERM ON

**Monday, 17th July, 1944**

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