

SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. I. Miller of Bothaville, O.F.S., have received cable news that their son Abe has passed his M.I.C.S., L.R.C.P., at Guy's Hospital, London. Dr. Abe Miller intends staying on in London for six months before returning to South Africa.

The marriage of Esther, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. Fisher, of Riviera, Johannesburg, and Louis, son of Mrs. R. Silver, of London, will be solemnised at the Wolmarans Street Synagogue on Sunday, the 24th inst., at 7.30 p.m. A reception will afterwards be held at the City Hall.

Congratulations are being extended to Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Saretzky, the well-known Zionist workers on the Reef, upon being chosen Mayor and Mayoress of Boksburg for the ensuing year.

The engagement is announced of Ray, youngest daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Rubenstein of Durban, to William, eldest son of Mr. and the late Mrs. I. Lentin of Port Elizabeth.

Jewish Women's Benevolent Society.

Entertainment at Jewish Guild.

Excellent work of a philanthropic character has been carried out for years by the Jewish Women's Benevolent Society. This organisation helps distressed families and in view of the present difficult times, is greatly in need of funds in order to continue its work. For this purpose, an entertainment is being held at the Jewish Guild on Saturday evening 7th inst. On this occasion, pupils of Miss Elsie Salomon and Miss Poppins Salomon will give performances in dramatic art and dancing. Judging will be done by Mr. Hedley Chilvers, the well-known literary and musical critic.

The function promises to be of a most interesting and attractive nature and it is hoped that members of the Jewish community will support the entertainment and in this may help to augment the funds of this most worthy society.

Twenty-Fifth Anniversary of S.A. Jewish Orphanage.

1,200 Guests at City Hall.

To celebrate the 25th anniversary of the founding of the S.A. Jewish Orphanage in Johannesburg, a Jubilee Ball was held at the City Hall on Wednesday evening which attracted twelve hundred guests.

Souvenir booklets with a brief history of the work of the Orphanage from its inception were distributed on the flower-decked tables placed in the ballroom. The function proved highly successful, there being a representative gathering present from every section of the Jewish community from Johannesburg and on the Rand.

The Committee responsible for the success of the evening was composed of the following: Mrs. W. Sacks (chairwoman), Mesdames L. K. Jacobs, A. Atkins, M. Mendelsohn, S. Raphaely, L. Jochstadter, H. Light, B. Kaumheimer, S. Cohen, B. Moss Morris, A. Nathan, A. M. Lazarus, B. Meyerowitz, A. S. Joffe, B. Mendelsohn, H. C. Isaacs, Miss Ullman, and Mrs E. Brasch (hon. secretary). The committee was assisted by the members of the executive committee of the Orphanage—Messrs. B. Kaumheimer, B. Mendelsohn, H. C. Isaacs, and B. Moss Morris; and the joint hon. secretary of the ball committee was Mr. Alec Henochsberg.

Mrs. A. Atkins was in charge of the novelty stall, and the Misses E. Kaumheimer, R. Brasch, J. Levy, B. Raphaely and Lazarus sold flowers. A novelty dance, with prizes, was another popular feature of the evening, and, by kind permission of African Theatres, Ltd., cabaret turns, which were greatly appreciated, were given by Lauri and Tom Devine, the Tiller Girls, and the Daly Sisters.

Edgar Adeler's Orchestra, under the direction of Mr. J. Jacobs played for dancing and continued until a late hour. In all, the Jubilee Ball of the Orphanage can be voted as a huge social and financial success.

The marriage of Miss Rhona Heyman to Mr. Julius Leftin, will take place on Sunday, the 8th inst., at the Wolmarans Street Synagogue at 2.30 p.m.

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