

SOCIAL and PERSONAL

The engagement is announced of Sara, youngest daughter of Mrs. and the late Mr. A. M. Osrin, of Fairview, and Dr. Nathan Solomon, of Heilbron, O.F.S., second son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Solomon, of Benoni.

Congratulations are being extended to Dr. and Mrs. J. Greenstein of Lichtenburg on the birth of a son on the 15th inst.

The engagement is announced of Lucy, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Saldsman, of Troyeville, to Solly, eldest son of Mrs. Y. Cohen and the late Joseph (Joe) Cohen, of Berea.

The marriage of Zelda, sister of Mrs. M. Strul, Albemarle Street, to Solomon Sher will take place on Sunday, 22nd, at the Jeppe Synagogue, at 7 p.m. sharp.

The engagement is announced between Lily, only daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. A. Sloat, of Johannesburg, and Sam, eldest son of Mr. and the late Mrs. M. Friedman, of Bethal.

Congratulations are being extended to Mr. and Mrs. A. Ginsberg (nee Lily Hodes) of Valley Road, Parktown, on the birth of a daughter on the 10th inst.

The engagement is announced of Helen, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Barwin, of Queenstown, Cape Province, to Joe Rogoff, of South Kensington, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Rogoff, of Ophirton.

The marriage of Bessie Hill, of Mossel Bay, to Nathan Epstein, of Bethlehem, will take place at the Coronation Hall, Mossel Bay, on Sunday, 29th October, at 10 a.m. No cards. Congratulations, Church Street, Mossel Bay.

The engagement is announced between Dorothy (Dolly), third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Paul, of Kimberley, and Louis, second son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Kapelus, of Springs and Benoni.

The engagement is announced between Ida, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Davidoff, and Max, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Leve. Both of Johannesburg.

AN UNIQUE ENTERTAINMENT.

Under the auspices of the Hillbrow Branch of the Johannesburg Women's Zionist League, an unique entertainment will take place on the 22nd inst., at 8.30 p.m., at the Ginsberg Hall, Gordon Terrace. During the evening Russian, Jewish and gypsy songs will be sung and all manner of fun will be provided for the enjoyment of the guests. Admission to the function is only 2s. 6d., which includes refreshments.

MASTER DAVID SKOLNICK.

David, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Skolnick of Kenhardt, read a portion of the Law at the Claremont synagogue on the first day of Succoth. Mr. R. Newstead, president of the Claremont Hebrew Congregation, later presided at the Brocha. The toast of the Barmitzvah was proposed by Rabbi A. R. Abrahamson, and was supported by Captain Freedman. The health of the Barmitzvah's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Skolnick of Rondebosch was proposed by Mr. R. Newstead, and was supported by Mr. H. Gorfinkel. The Barmitzvah suitably responded in Hebrew and English.

A Simchat Torah Dance.

On Thursday evening, the 12th inst., a highly successful dinner-dance was held under the auspices of the Sisterhood at the Langham Hotel in celebration of Simchat Torah. Mrs. Emanuel Jacobson presided over a gathering of about 90 guests. In a well-chosen address she welcomed the guests and thanked them for their attendance. She pointed out that the occasion was unique in the annals of Jewry in Johannesburg.

Rabbi M. C. Weiler then explained the significance of Simchat Torah, and expressed his pleasure at the progress which the Johannesburg Jewish Reform Congregation had made since its inception some six weeks ago. Mr. Bernard Jackson proposed the toasts of the Sisterhood and "The King."

The guests then entered into the spirit of the evening, which was devoted to dancing until midnight to the strains of the Alec. Benjamin Orchestra.

During the course of the evening a presentation of a baton, suitably inscribed, was made on behalf of the Johannesburg Jewish Reform Congregation to Mr. J. Idelson, honorary musical director, in appreciation of his services.

LEGACIES FOR CHARITY.

Three Jewish charitable institutions benefited under the will of Mr. Hermann Toblansky, of Doris Street, Berea, who died in Johannesburg on October 5th.

He left £100 to the Jewish Helping Hand and Burial Society, £100 to the Jewish Orphanage, Arcadia, Parktown, and £100 to the Jewish Old-Aged Home.

The will was proved at £13,267 2s. 6d.

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Bernstein—Treisman.

A pretty wedding was solemnised on Sunday last at the Wolmarans Street synagogue, when Miss Esther Treisman, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Max Treisman, of Amersfoort, was married to Dr. Bertram Theodor Bernstein, second son of Mrs. and the late Mr. J. Bernstein, of Johannesburg. Dr. J. L. Landau officiated at the ceremony, assisted by Cantor Inspektor.

The bride, who was given away by her father, was attended by three bridesmaids, Miss Beatrice Treisman (sister of the bride), Miss Lilian Treisman (cousin of the bride), and Miss Rena Abelheim (cousin of the bridegroom), while the flower girls were Miss Anna Treisman (sister of the bride) and Shirley Frank (cousin of the bride). Master Arnold Frank (cousin of the bride) was the page boy. Mr. Mike Kuper ably carried out the duties of best man, and the groomsmen were Advocate B. L. Bernstein, Harold Bernstein, Alec Treisman and Bertie Beiles.

A large gathering of relatives and friends, including Mrs. M. Frank, grandmother of the bride (formerly of Durban), later assembled at the Jewish Guild to congratulate the newly married couple.

Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Bernstein left for Europe from Durban on the Llandoverly Castle.

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