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**WRITE AND BOOK EARLY**

### Modern Hebrew School in Parktown

As readers will observe from an announcement which appears elsewhere in this issue, many parents in Parktown, Forest Town and the surrounding districts are making a strong endeavour to establish a modern Hebrew school in this district where full tuition in Hebrew will be available to students.

The well-known pedagogue, Dr. A. Birnbaum, has agreed to take charge of the school, which will be opened at the beginning of March if a sufficient measure of support is received. The proposed new school will make a special feature of training students for J.C. and Matriculation Hebrew.

### "UNDER TWO FLAGS" AT THE COLOSSEUM.

The present attraction at the Colosseum Theatre is the film version of Ouida's great classic of the Foreign Legion—"Under Two Flags." The film is a notable one with a cast of almost 10,000. Ronald Colman plays a part reminiscent of the one he played in "Beau Geste." Claudette Colbert is "Cigarette." Charles Manning, conducting the Colosseum Symphony Orchestra, is an added attraction to a good supporting programme.

## DEATH OF MR. SOLOMON HARRIS

### An Ex-Mayor of Bloemfontein

THE death occurred on Monday of Mr. Solomon Harris, an ex-Mayor of Bloemfontein and a prominent personality in the civic life of the Free State capital.

The eldest son of a family of five, Mr. Harris was born in Dublin in 1880. He came to South Africa as a lad of 17 and, after a few years' apprenticeship in the drapery trade, founded with his brother the well-known firm of Messrs Harris Bros., in Bloemfontein.

During the 40 years that Mr. Harris lived in Bloemfontein he took a prominent part in many public activities. A man of vigorous initiative, he devoted himself to serving the common weal. He held the chairmanship of the National Hospital Board on several occasions, and also served as President of the Free State Municipal Association.

He is survived by two brothers and two sisters.

## EDUCATION BOARD PRESIDENT RESIGNS



### Sterling Work of Mr. Maurice Franks

PRESIDENT until now of S.A. Board of Jewish Education, Mr. Maurice Franks found himself reluctantly compelled to relinquish his post owing to extreme pressure of work.

Mr. Franks has guided the destinies of the Board for the last three years with wisdom and distinction. Much of his time and energy throughout the period was devoted to the various educational problems with which the institution is continually confronted. Under his leadership, successful progress was made and a number of and successful innovations were introduced. It can certainly be said that the strides made in Jewish education in this country are to a small measure due to the initiative and sincerity with which Mr. Franks performed his duties.

It was with regret that the Board was compelled to accept his resignation. Mr. I. J. Hersch was elected acting president in Mr. Franks's place. Adv. V. Rosenstein was appointed acting vice-president, and Mr. M. Porter the hon. secretary.

### Fine Premyslav Concert

IT was indeed a great pleasure to hear a master of the violin, in the person of Leopold Premyslav, play Mendelssohn's beautiful violin concerto in E Minor, at the Colosseum last Sunday night.

Premyslav is a great player, who combines a brilliant command of technique with superb interpretation of the emotional qualities in the music he plays. This was particularly evident in his rendering of "Kol Nidre," an old melody of his people. One is struck in his performance of that beautiful piece of music the deepest feeling of his soul.

He rendered "Ave Maria" equally well, and showed his art to effect in other items, including the beautiful "Miramar" by Sarasate.

As for his playing in the Mendelssohn Concerto, that would need considerably more space than here to be able to pen an adequate appreciation. Suffice it to say that in this difficult composition he displayed to the full his masterful musicianship, bringing out in particular the full beauty of the Andante movement.

The Colosseum Orchestra showed to effect in an attractive programme which included Offenbach's overture "Orpheus in the Underworld," Mendelssohn's "Le Prophete" and Wagner's "Oberon." Mr. Manning gave particularly interesting interpretations of all these items, and was particularly at home in a delightful Irish piece, "Molly on the Shore."

### A "THINK OF OTHERS" FUND

#### The Fine Work of Pupils of the Jewish Government School

HOW the pupils of the Jewish Government School in Johannesburg do what they can to assist a number of worthy institutions in the City, many of them non-Jewish, is told by the Principal, Mr. I. H. Harris, in a letter recently circulated among old pupils.

The students of the school have for a number of years maintained a "Think of Others" Fund whose proceeds are devoted to helping folk less fortunately situated. The students have willingly sacrificed many of their personal pleasures in order to organise small functions to add to the proceeds of this admirable fund. The fund has in the past made its contributions to such worthy causes as the Star Seaside Fund, The Hope Home, Children's Day, the Hospital, the B.E.S.L., the Athlone School for the Blind, the Deaf and Dumb School, and many Jewish institutions such as the Keren Hayesod, National Fund, Jewish Orphanage, etc.

In scholarship the School's reports testify to a standard among the highest, and as far as the influence for good of the school is concerned, one has but to point to the large number of ex-scholars who are usefully serving various communities in different parts of the world.

In the realm of sport, the School's reputation has been notable indeed. The Jewish Government School is one of the premier Rugby schools in Johannesburg, and its appearance in the annual cricket finals at the Wanderers has been almost an annual event.

The Headmaster's letter goes on to refer to the necessity of establishing a sound school fund for the purpose of developing the school's library, of purchasing and installing a radio, a film projector, and an epidiascope as well as other apparatus. The reason for the absence of such a fund is that the scholars have concentrated all their small contributions in swelling the "Think of Others" Fund. Mr. Harris asks old scholars of the Jewish Government School to help their Alma Mater in this respect, and there can be little doubt that those who owe their education to that institution and who to-day have happy memories of the fine training they received there, will not be backward in showing some small measure of their gratitude now.