

In and Around the Peninsula.

Conversazione.

The Conversazione in the Zionist Hall on Tuesday last was well attended. Adv. Morris Alexander was the speaker of the evening. He chose as his subject "Coalition in Zionism." Before calling on Mr. Alexander, Dr. Kark (in the chair) expressed on behalf of the gathering the heartiest congratulations on the occasion of Rev. Bender's seventieth birthday. He also welcomed Rev. Rosenberg, of Port Elizabeth—a South African who had trained for the Rabbinical profession in London.

Mr. Alexander began his address by defining the word coalition. He pointed out that though the world looked upon Jewry as united this was far from being the case. I speak, said Mr. Alexander, as one who has been in close touch with all Jewish movements. Though we are all bound together as brothers in pursuit of a great national ideal—to recreate our national home, because of difference of detail we are divided. We have a great number of parties in the Zionist Movement.

Mr. Alexander then described the different parties in the movement.

The time has come for us to impress upon the people, said Mr. Alexander, that the things that unite us are much greater than those that separate us. The national cause is greater than the differences in parties. We should take a lesson from South African politics.

Surely in view of the tragedy in Germany to-day, said Mr. Alexander, we should be able to forget our differences. We should go to Congress as a united body, with one common bond—Eretz Israel. We should have a combined Cabinet. We should speak with one powerful united voice. If we do not unite we are simply playing into the hands of our enemies—if we do unite—be it for a short time—this period will be crowned with great prosperity. As Booker Washington said, let us be as separate as the fingers but united as the hand.

A lively discussion followed in which Messrs. J. Gitlin, M. Helman, G. Telem, Dr. Mibashan, Messrs. Katlowitz, Sandler, Clouts, Rubik and Achron took part. Mr. Alexander replied to questions.

Mr. I. Friedman, in the earlier part of the evening, gave a piano solo.

Mr. Kottler read the news.

Cape Town Young Judeans.

On Saturday evening, 15th April, a most successful Pesach entertainment was held in the Zionist Hall. There was not too large an audience present, but those who were there spent an enjoyable evening.

The programme consisted chiefly of a "Living Newspaper," during which papers and articles in connection with Pesach were read by various members of the Society.

Mr. S. M. Levin read out two very interesting articles, one on the Blood Libel and the other an appreciation of Moses by Ahad Ha-am.

During the course of the evening, Mr. H. Zuckerman delivered an inspiring address on the significance of Pesach, drawing extremely clear parallels between the position of our forefathers in Egypt and the sad lot of our brethren in Germany to-day.

An excellent evening's entertainment was brought to a fitting close by the singing of Hebrew songs. This is the first time the Society has embarked upon such a venture, but it nevertheless proved very successful.

The Hora was also danced with much gusto and enthusiasm, and the meeting was afterwards closed with the singing of the Hatikvah.

A Mass Meeting.

Under the auspices of the Zionist Socialist Party (Poale Zion-Zeirei Zion) a mass meeting in connection with the forthcoming Zionist Congress will be held in the Zionist Hall on Sunday, 23rd April, 1933, at 8.15 p.m. All are welcome.

"At Home."

The Woodstock and Salt River Junior Zionist Society held its annual "At Home" on Thursday, 6th April, at the Talmud Torah Hall, Woodstock, which was beautifully decorated for the purpose.

In the course of his opening address the chairman, Mr. Yutar, lamented the apathy displayed by the seniors in that area and solicited their support for the Society's activities. He justified the Society's attitude with regard to social meetings and intimated

that it would continue to cater for that side, because on that foundation cultural success had been achieved.

Mr. M. Kapelus, the next speaker, exhorted seniors and juniors to show a united front, and impressed upon them the significance of the Zionist ideal in which lay our only salvation.

Miss L. Kudowitsky related some humorous anecdotes from her experience on the Committee. There was also a programme of various items which was greatly enjoyed.

An outstanding feature of the evening's procedure was the presentation of prizes to members actively connected with the Society. The "Percy Yutar" floating trophy was presented to Mr. Morris Lazarow. This beautiful cup will be awarded annually to the most deserving member of the Society. Tokens of appreciation were awarded also to Miss S. Basker of the Committee, Miss L. Levy of the general body, and Mr. Morris Belikoff producer of last year's concert. The current month's prizes in the Literary Competition were awarded in order of merit to Mr. N. Kapelus, Mr. D. Meyerowitz and Miss H. Shroch respectively.

The singing of Hatikvah concluded another very successful meeting of the Woodstock and Salt River Junior Zionists.

Hebrew Classes.

The Judean Central Council of the Cape Province have pleasure in announcing that they have established permanent Hebrew classes open to all members of its affiliated societies, and by special application, to members of Senior Zionist Societies. Membership of a society is essential.

The classes are held on Monday and Thursday nights at the Talmud Torah, Cape Town, from 8 to 9 p.m. The language is taught as a living language—elementary and advanced, in the hands of competent teachers who have been specially engaged.

The fee for Young Israelites is 5s. per month.

Applications are invited from all members of Young Israel and Senior Zionists. Intending applicants can be enrolled any Monday or Thursday night at the hall. Will



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