

# IN AND AROUND THE PENINSULA

## Union of Jewish Women.

There was a good attendance of members at a meeting of the Union of Jewish Women held at the Zionist Hall on Tuesday afternoon. In the unavoidable absence of the President, Mrs. B. Nussbaum, the chair was taken by Mrs. H. Stodel.

The main feature of the meeting was an address by Miss G. M. Wilby, a representative of the British Social Hygiene Council, who is at present on a visit to this country. Miss Wilby spoke on "Sex Education," a subject with which she dealt very competently. She urged the necessity for truth in regard to the facts of sex to be told to children immediately they were prompted to ask questions. Sex education, she urged, should also become an accepted feature of the school curriculum, for although it was preferable for parents to educate their children in sexual matters at home, many parents were incapable of doing this properly. It was therefore the duty of the school to take over the work for them.

Mrs. Bashew proposed a vote of thanks to the speaker at the conclusion of the lecture.

## Charity Concert at Opera House.

A concert in aid of the Cape Jewish Board of Guardians is being held in the Opera House this Sunday night. It is being arranged by Mr. Harry Weinreich, who has on several occasions arranged successful functions of this nature, and promises to be a very happy affair.

Messrs. African Consolidated Theatres have generously loaned the Opera House for the occasion and, as in previous cases, the staff of the Astoria, which Mr. Weinreich manages, have volunteered their services as ushers, doorkeepers and programme sellers.

All the artists are honorary and they include Reiniet Wallis, Vera Kirsch, Muriel Kadish, Lionel Berman, Bertie Stern, Felix de Cola, A. Robinson, Harry Stodel, jun., and Harry Nathan, President of the Magic Circle, who will introduce a number of new mysteries of conjuring and sleight of hand.

The orchestra is drawn from the Cape Musicians' Society under the baton of Mr. Michelson.

## J.N.F. Concert at Muizenberg.

There was a good attendance at the concert at the Muizenberg Pavilion last Sunday night under the auspices of the Jewish National Fund Council. The programme was an excellent one and the various items were much appreciated by those present.

The artists were Hilda Schwalbe, a notable Cape Town pianist, Hermann Weigert, Rita Weigert and Margot Corda—recent arrivals from Germany who have already become well-known in Cape Town as artists of no

mean order—Arthur Robinson, a pupil of Signor Coscia's, whose singing won general appreciation, and Mr. A. Jacobson, also a pupil of Signor Coscia's, whose singing was no less popular. Other items were dances by the pupils at the Kirsch School of Dancing, "The Post Box" being particularly charming.

The concert was a great success and it is hoped that the National Fund benefited appreciably.

## Zionist Socialist Picnic.

On Sunday, 11th February, the Zionist Socialist Party held a picnic at Bain's Kloof. There they were joined by *Chaverim* from Paarl and Worcester and an enjoyable time was spent by all, amid the beautiful surroundings. It is hoped to arrange another picnic in the near future.

## A Dance.

On Saturday evening, 24th inst., under the auspices of the C.T. Young Judeans, a dance will be held in the Zionist (Minor) Hall. Admission, 1s. 6d. single.

## Revisionist Association, Cape Town

A very well attended general meeting of the above Association was held in the Zionist Hall on the 1st February, when the General Body passed a resolution accepting the authority of the World Union of Zionist Revisionists (Mr. Jabotinsky).

A new Committee, consisting of the following, were elected: Dr. H. W. Altschul, chairman; Mr. Max Ben-Arie, vice-chairman; Mr. T. H. Snitcher, hon. secretary; Miss S. Lewis, assistant hon. secretary; Messrs. Sandler and Rosenblitt, joint treasurers. Committee members: Messrs. E. Kluk, A. Abrahamson, R. Kotlowitz, P. Rogoff and J. Talberg.

## Aged Home Meeting.

Members of the Executive of the Cape Jewish Aged Home will address a meeting of Paarl Jewry in the Talmud Torah Hall, Paarl, at 8 p.m. on Sunday, 18th inst., in connection with the Building Fund. The Mayor of Cape Town (Councillor L. Gradner) will be one of the speakers.

## Acknowledgment.

The Hon. Treasurer of the Cape Jewish Board of Guardians acknowledges with thanks, the sum of £5 from Mrs. M. Eilenberg on the occasion of her seventy-fifth birthday.

## Observatory and Mowbray Jewish Guild.

A meeting was held on Wednesday evening last at the residence of Mrs. S. Lizerbrum, for the purpose of reorganising the above Guild.

About forty members were present and at the commencement of the meeting the following were elected office-bearers for the coming year:—President, Dr. S. Lizerbrum; Vice-President, Miss P. Jaffe; Hon. Secretary, Mr. R. Jaffe; Hon. Treasurer, Miss Pasvolsky; Additional Member, Mr. N. Glaser.

Mr. Zuckerman, of the Judean Central Council, addressed the meeting. He spoke on the need for young Jewish Guilds. It was his firm conviction that Guilds should have the furtherance of Zionism as their main object. He reviewed the present day situation in Germany, and urged the members that now was the time to co-operate. Mr. Zuckerman concluded by showing how the youth in Palestine were instrumental in keeping alive the traditions of Judaism.

## In Brief.

Heartiest congratulations are extended to Mr. M. Herbstein on his having yesterday celebrated his seventieth birthday. Mr. Herbstein was always a champion of the Zionist cause and was many years ago a President of the Graaff-Reinet Zionist Society.

To celebrate her seventy-fifth birthday, Mrs. M. Eilenberg has donated the sum of £5 to provide a Tea Party for the inmates of the Cape Jewish Aged Home.

The name of Mr. J. Bernstein was inadvertently omitted last week from the list of members elected to the local committee of the Jewish Orphans Relief Campaign formed recently.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Kentridge left this week for Johannesburg. Mr. Kentridge returned to Cape Town yesterday.

Mrs. J. Golding left this week on a holiday to Rhodesia.

A son was born on the 10th February to Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Dirmeik (nee Sonia Kay), of Parow, at the Trafalgar Nursing Home.

The engagement is announced of Leah, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Judes, of Johannesburg, to Barney, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. I. Hirschfield, of Prieska.

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## DEATH.

STEINBERG.—On Tuesday, February 13th, at Boksburg North, Chana, beloved wife of Solomon Steinberg. Deeply mourned by her sorrowing brother, sister-in-law, nieces and nephews, Max, Sarah, Ruth, Bernard, Norman and Bertha, "Davaar," Hof Street, Cape Town.

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