GENEROUS GIFT TO HEBREW UNIVERSITY

Noah Kowarsky Scholarship Fund

The children of the late Mr. Noah Kowarsky, of Johannesburg, have decided to perpetuate the memory of their father by the establishment of a Noah Kowarsky Scholarship Fund of £500. This is in addition to a bequest which the late Mr. Kowarsky left to the Hebrew University.

Mr. Kowarsky, who was a well-known Hebrew scholar, was at all times keenly interested in the work of the Hebrew University. By their generous gift, his children are unquestionably acting in the spirit of their late father.

FORMER JEWISH MUSICAL SOCIETY REVIVED

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The A. Z. Idelsohn Choral Group, which a few years ago did so much for the spread of good music in Johannesburg, has come to light again. This time it is to be known as the A. Z. Idelsohn Choral Society. The society is named after the late Professor A. Z. Idelsohn, the worldrenowned writer on Jewish music and author of the "Thesaurus of Hebrew Oriental Melodies," and numerous works in Hebrew, German and English. During its first period of existence (1933-1938) the society appeared many times on concert platforms both in Johannesburg and on the Reef.

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The reconstructed "A. Z. Idelsohn Choral Society" has amongst its members some of the best Jewish talents in the city and is under the directorship and guidance of its original founder, Mr. Jerry Idelsohn. The following gentlemen are on the administrative committee of the society: Messrs. J. Daleski, J. Glasser, J. E. Mannie, D. Mierowsky, and Dr. B. Morrison.

The society is likewise helped by a committee chosen from amongst the members of the choir, consisting of Mrs. O. Gass, Messrs. A. Goldsmith, D. Kaplan, M. Tabatznik, and Miss B. Marks, honorary secretary.

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NEWS OF RELATIVES IN RUSSIA

Cable Received by S. A. Jewish Board of Deputies

The S.A. Jewish Board of Deputies has been informed by cable that persons desiring news of their relatives in Russia should communicate with Mr. Samuel A. Chabrutsky, Chairman of the Mos-Jewish Community, Tashkent, U.S.S.R.

HACHNOSETH KALAH SOCIETY Sixth Annual Meeting Held

Mrs. P. Friedman presided at the sixth annual meeting of the above society at the Jewish Guild on the 19th inst.

Rabbi A. M. Gervis delivered address and paid tribute to the noble work which the society has carried out. Upon Rabbi Gervis' proposal, Mrs. Friedman was elected Hon. Life President as a mark of appreciation for her devotion to the work in hand.

The report and balance sheet for the year was duly adopted and the election of officers resulted as follows: Chairlady, Mrs. P. Friedman; Vice-Chairlady, Mrs. B. Barnett; Act. Vice-Chair, Mrs. J. Rappaport; Treasurer, Mrs. L. Lessem; Secretary, Mrs. B. Kaplan. Owing to pressure of work the previous secretary, Mrs. Aronsohn, was unable to accept the post this year. post this year.

The following were elected members of the Committee: Mesdames Aronsohn, Abramson, Behr, Cohen, Feldman, Fishman, Frame, Gervis, Glass, Jacobson, Kossowsky, Light, Nathan, Sadowsky and Wolfowitz.

SALISBURY HEBREW CONGREGATION

The annual Wizo meeting was held at the Guild Hall on Tuesday, 19th inst., and was well attended. After the various reports had been read, the following ladies were elected as office-bearers: Mrs. W. W. Feigenbaum, president; Mrs. M. Gelfand, chairman; Mrs. G. Meyers, vice-chairman; Mrs. N. Krikler, treasurer; Mrs. G. H. Kahan, hon. secretary, and a strong and energetic committee consisting of Mesdames L. Sanua, I. Isaacs, L. Joelson, V. Benatar, L. Harris, and C. Wernick.

In view of the forthcoming Keren Hayesod Campaign, a special pro-gramme of work was arranged.

JEWISH LADIES' BENEVOLENT SOCIETY

It was stated at the 20th annual general meeting of the City Jewish Ladies' Benevolent Society, held at the Coronation Hall last week, that the sum of £1,300 had been collected during the year for the alleviation of distress.

Mrs. K. Stein, who resigned from the position of chairman, was appointed president of the organisation in recognition of the valuable service she had given the society for the last 18 years. Mrs. L. Kussman was elected chairman for 1942, Mrs. R. Shapiro and Mrs. E. Aberman vice-chairmen, Mrs. S. Greenberg treasurer, and Miss S. Shapiro and Mr. R. Lewenthal secretaries.

Vrede

The S.A. Jewish Orphanage has received from Mrs. S. Wolman, the hon. sec. of the Jewish Ladies' Guild, the sum of £2 2s., being proceeds of a "tea" held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. S. Levy.

Annual Meeting of the Ort-Oze to be Held next Wednesday

THE annual general meeting of members of the South African ORT-OZE will be held at the Langham Hotel, Johannesburg, at 8 p.m., on Wednesday, 3rd June, 1942.

The report which will be submitted on that occasion makes interesting reading and shows that in spite of handicaps imposed upon activities by war conditions, the work of the South African ORT-OZE proceeded apace, adapting itself to the changed requirements.

The chief aim of the organisation has been to further occupational redistribution of the Jewish community in South Africa through the medium of vocational guidance. Over a hundred boys and a few girls were assisted to find skilled work, and about 50 more consulted the Bureau for advice only. advice only.

In the course of its work the staff of the Vocational Guidance Bureau interviewed 393 engineering firms and other employers of skilled labour in Johannesburg and throughout the Reef. The Bureau is maintained financially entirely by the South African ORT-OZE, but is managed by a separate committee which is under African ORT-OZE, but is managed by a separate committee which is under the joint auspices of the ORT-OZE and the S.A. Jewish Board of Deputies. Branch offices operate in Cape Town and in Durban, whilst there are also committees in Bloemfontein and at Port Elizabeth.

Land Settlement Scheme.

"In accordance with a mandate received at the last annual general meeting of members," the report states, "the Executive explored the possibilities of a likely movement to-

wards agriculture amongst the Jewish population and took the initiative in planning ahead for any eventualities that might arise at the end of the war." A number of experienced farmers were consulted and various aspects of land settlement were discussed both in record to collection aspects of land settlement were discussed both in regard to collective and to individual farming, with particular reference to the possible assistance that might have to be given to returned soldiers.

The outgoing Council is placing before the annual general meeting the recommendation that a Land Settlement Advisory Bureau be set up for the purpose of accumulating information and of assisting Jews who might desire to settle on the land

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The report adds that a campaign which was due to have been held in South Africa during the period under review, had to be postponed owing to prevailing conditions. Nevertheless, a substantial effort was made to assist ORT-OZE trades schools, hostels and nurseries in Great Britain, and to protect the interests of Jewish reconstruction all over the world through ORT-OZE establishments. ments.

Many suggestions made by the South African ORT-OZE through the Council for Refugee Settlement to the Governor of Mauritius for the productive occupation of the refugees on that island, were accepted, and as a result, the authorities established workshops for metal workers, carpenters, builders and tailors, and also placed at the disposal of the detainees 56 acres of land for agricultural work.

