

In and Around the Peninsula.

Union of Jewish Women.

The "At Home" on Tuesday, 9th December, to the members and Work Parties was one of the most successful ever held. Twenty of the War Work Parties were represented by an attendance of over 250 ladies.

Mrs. F. A. Joubert, wife of the Administrator, who was to have been the guest of honour, was unable to attend owing to a recent bereavement.

The Chairman, Mrs. R. Movsovic, welcomed Miss Lucy Bean, Acting Provincial Commandant of the S.A.W.A.S., who addressed the meeting. She expressed appreciation of the wonderful work and service being done by the Knitting Circles, as well as by the Zionist Hall Canteen.

Mrs. I. Abrahams in a moving speech emphasised the need in these serious times for continued effort and sacrifice by all women, whose function it had ever been to work and serve. It was not the time for any slackening of the war effort. She hoped the occasion would soon come when we might all meet again in peace and in happiness.

Mrs. Blumberg announced the opening of the Zionist Hall Canteen for the next two days, and appealed for continued support in the arduous work, both there and at the Soldiers' Club, where eighty to ninety women are needed each time the Union goes on duty. For this work to run smoothly, it is essential that no one who signed on absented themselves, as even one absence disorganised the entire routine.

During the afternoon, Miss Adelaide Newman gave a very delightful recital, and her brilliant playing was, as usual, most enthusiastically received. Mr. Boris Rome delighted the audience with the delicate and artistic rendering of his songs. Miss Ruth Rome, the talented young pianist, accompanied her father.

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Thursday, 4th December. The bazaar held at Rosecourt by the German Jewish Refugees Work Party, under the patronage of Mr. and Mrs. Sonnenberg, was a great success. An amount of £100 was realised, of which £50 has been sent in to the Bombed Cities Fund.

Sunday, 7th December. Members were on duty at the Soldiers' Club.

Fairhaven Street Market. The knitted goods stall, run by the Spitfires Work Party (convenor Mrs. Weiner), raised the sum of £63. The biscuit stall, run by Mrs. Hirschon, raised the amount of £37.

Wynberg Hebrew School.

A most interesting concert, under the auspices of the Wynberg Hebrew School, took place on Sunday evening, 7th inst., at the Wynberg Communal Hall in aid of the local Hebrew Kindergarten. Many prominent artists participated and contributed towards its great success. Thanks are due to Mrs. B. Klugman for putting in a great deal of effort behind the scenes. The pupils of the Wynberg Hebrew School dramatized

some events in Jewish history with impressive effect.

Mr. Z. A. Lison, Principal of the School, gave his annual report of the School activities to an appreciative audience; he registered general progress, and made an appeal to parents not to neglect the Jewish education of their children.

In thanking the artists, Mr. Lison paid special tribute to Mrs. A. Shifrin and Mrs. D. Levitas, who were responsible for the organization of the function and whose efforts resulted in a very substantial sum being realised for the upkeep of the Wynberg Hebrew Kindergarten.

Muizenberg Zionist Societies.

There was a very large attendance at the last fortnightly Forum which was held at the Talmud Torah Hall, Muizenberg, on the 4th inst.

Mr. B. Philips, President of the Muizenberg Hebrew Congregation, was in the chair.

Mr. B. L. Rubik gave a short talk on "The Life and Works of A. D. Idelsohn." Mr. G. Laden delighted the audience with a humorous reading from M. Nadir. The lecture of the evening was delivered by Mrs. F. Gross on "The Follies of Anti-Semitism," which the audience highly appreciated.

Cape Jewish Orphanage.

On Tuesday afternoon a very pleasant little function was held at the Home when Mrs. W. James, Cape Town's popular Mayoress, accompanied by her Secretary visited the Orphanage and presented each child with a box of chocolates and a gift suitably selected according to individual age.

Mrs. James was welcomed by Mr. Joseph

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Social & Personal.

The marriage will take place at the Worcester Synagogue at 12 noon on Sunday, 14th inst., of Reeve, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Rabinowitz, of Worcester, and Wulf, younger son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Sebba, of Cape Town.

Miss Rabinowitz was until recently the secretary of the Worcester Wizo and is an officer in the Habonim movement. Mr. Sebba has been prominent in local Zionist Youth ranks for several years, particularly as chairman of the Claremont J.Z.S. He is at present Convenor of the Junior Subcommittee of the Cape Zionist Youth Executive.

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The two bursaries of £12 each, offered by the Cape Province Safety First Association for the best essays on "How I would make the world a safer place for children and adults," have been won by Queenie Maisel (Good Hope Seminary High School) and Ralph Sepel (Cape Town High School).

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Kadish, the Life President of the Home, and the Principal and Secretary.

After afternoon tea Mr. Kadish warmly welcomed Mrs. James on behalf of the children and Committee, and at the conclusion of the distribution the children gave cheers for the Mayor and Mayoress.

Mrs. James spoke to the children and hoped they would enjoy their summer holiday at their camp in Muizenberg.

The camp will be open on Monday, the 22nd inst., and the children will stay in Muizenberg for five full weeks.

W.P. PROPAGANDA COUNCIL
IN CONJUNCTION WITH
MUIZENBERG ZIONIST SOCIETIES.

Holiday Functions

at MUIZENBERG

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The Opening Gathering of the Series
will take place on

Tuesday, 16th Dec., 1941 at 8.15 p.m.

at the

TALMUD TORAH HALL, MUIZENBERG.

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PROGRAMME:

Chanukah Licht - - - - -	Cantor Goldwasser.
Talk on "The Bible as Literature" - - -	Rabbi Israel Abrahams, M.A.
Jewish Folk-Songs - - - - -	Miss Diana Lazar.
Talk on "Outline of Jewish History" - - -	Dr. A. Birnbaum.

During the Interval refreshments will be served.

ADMISSION FREE. ALL WELCOME.