

George Zionist Society.

The Annual General Meeting of the above Society was held at the Masonic Hall on Sunday, 15th March, at which a very representative gathering was present. The retiring Chairman, Mr. H. A. Comay, in his report of the activities of the Society, delivered an interesting and inspiring address. He reviewed the situation of Jewry in the world, pointing out that the only solution was our homeland in Palestine.

The following office-bearers were elected for the ensuing year: Chairman, Mr. H. A. Comay; Vice-Chairman, Mr. S. Miller; Treasurer, Mrs. S. Miller; Secretary, Mr. I. Kottler; Committee, Mesdames B. Davis, J. Sher, H. Mann, J. Losinsky, E. Toker; Wizo Representative, Mrs. H. A. Comay. Mrs. E. Toker was elected as correspondent to Zionist papers.

A Committee consisting of Messrs. H. A. Comay, S. Bloch, S. Miller and A. Röss were elected to inaugurate the forthcoming Keren Hayesod Campaign.

Oudtshoorn Literary Society

A very enjoyable meeting took place on Wednesday, March 18th, over which Mr. R. Rollnick presided.

Articles by W. M. Thackeray, Thomas De Quincey, Lin Yutang and G. K. Chesterton were read by Lieut. S. Miller, Mr. R. Rollnick and Mrs. M. Wolozinsky.

Mr. M. Wolozinsky, M.A., commented on some ideas raised in the essays in connection with the Septuagint and its influence on the various versions of the Bible.

Worcester Ladies' Zionist League.

After a long interval due to the holidays, the fortnightly sewing circle of the above society was held at the residence of Mrs. Sonia Heller on 17th inst. There was a record attendance. The Chairlady explained that it would be advisable to adopt the new pattern for socks, i.e., the purl heel, as it was found to be more comfortable for the soldiers to wear. A pair which had been knitted by Mrs. S. Bloch was exhibited, and it was decided to adopt that pattern for future use.

Cut garments were handed out to members for sewing, to be ready for next month's dispatch.

Some baby wool was raffled and tea was served, which brought in the sum of £1 18s. 6d.

A Lecture on Peretz Smolenskin.

The Cape Town Branch of the Brith Ivrit Olamith is arranging a lecture on the Hebrew writer and thinker, Peretz Smolenskin on the occasion of the centenary of his birth. The lecture will take place on Monday evening, 6th April, at 8.15 p.m. in the Zionist Hall (Minor Hall). The speaker will be Mr. B. L. Rubik.

Paarl Lemaan Zion Society.

The first Conversazione of the season was held on Tuesday evening, 17th March, at the Talmud Torah Hall, with Mr. A. J. Volks in the chair.

There were three short addresses. Mr. M. Movsowitz spoke on "Jewish Culture in the Light of Zionism," Miss R. Blumberg spoke on the "Histadruth," and Rev. I. Gulis on "Passover Customs and Ceremonies."

A piano solo was rendered by Miss Ida Shoolman, and Miss Sylvia Factor rendered two songs which were accompanied by Miss Edna Saacks.

After the speakers had delivered their addresses, a discussion followed, in which the following participated: Messrs. J. Levinsohn, J. J. Geffen, B. Volks, M. Rivkin and Mrs. Heyman. Refreshments were served and the speakers replied.

Conversazione at Worcester

A Conversazione was held at the Worcester Zionist Hall on Sunday, the 22nd March, under the auspices of the Bnei Ubenoth Zion.

A symposium on the Bible and its significance was presented by Miss H. Sacks, Mrs. N. Sagor, Mr. L. Volks and Mr. L. Goodman.

Mr. L. Goodman gave an interesting review of the significance of the Bible on thought and action throughout the ages. He was ably supported by Miss H. Sacks, who illustrated the poetic excellence of the Bible, and Mrs. Sagor, who rendered some songs which had as their theme biblical inspiration. Mr. L. Volks delivered an interesting address on the Bible and Art.

Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Heller were the host and hostess.

Mr. J. Rabinowitz thanked the speakers and the host and hostess for the entertaining evening.

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Silver Wedding Celebration at Robertson.

A reception was held at the Zionist Hall, Robertson, on Sunday, the 22nd inst., by the members of the Robertson Hebrew Congregation in honour of Mr. and Mrs. M. Blumberg, the President of the Congregation, on the occasion of their Silver Wedding.

Speeches were delivered by Rev. S. Josefowitz, who presided, Mr. J. B. Goldberg, the Vice-President of the Congregation, who presented Mr. and Mrs. Blumberg with a silver kiddush cup on behalf of the Congregation, Mr. M. Sandler of Bredasdorp and Mr. L. Blumberg of Buffelsjags River. Mr. Blumberg very ably replied.

Rev. Josefowitz, as Chairman of the Robertson Zionist Association, presented Mrs. Blumberg with a pair of silver serviette rings on behalf of the Association. Mrs. Blumberg very ably and suitably replied.

Musical items, which were greatly appreciated, were rendered by Mrs. N. Sagor, of Worcester, and Misses E. Millin, R. Abramowitz and J. Goldberg.

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Rabbi I. ABRAHAMAS

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The General Public and particularly relatives of soldiers on active service will be cordially welcomed.