

**SOCIAL AND PERSONAL**

**CALENDAR:**  
 October 20 (Chesvan 3) Sabbath begins 5.58  
 October 21 (Chesvan 4) Sabbath ends 6.36  
**READING:**  
 Commencing Saturday, October 26,  
 Jeremiah, Chapters 1-8.

**Exhibition of Drawings by Ada Lipshitz**

Original and stimulating exhibition of Crayon drawings by Miss Lipshitz is now being presented at the Transvaal Art Society, 6th Stuttafords' Buildings, Rissik Road, and will remain on view until October 31st. Miss S. Jacobson opened the exhibition.

Ada Lipshitz, who is 23 years of age, is the sister of Lippy Lipshitz, the well-known sculptor, and this is her first exhibition. Her crayon drawings are vivid and colourful, their execution bold in spirit and technique.

Some of the works, such as "The Jitterbugger," "La Conga and the Jazz Player," "The gay abandon of modern youth," "The others (The Refugee, The Inspired, The Prayer, etc.)," reveal a deep and mature insight into human suffering. "Maa on the Coon," "The Potato Peeler" have a naive and charming humour, and attractively combine the grotesque and graceful.

The drawings of Proteas and a picture of a house suggest the artist's talent for realistic construction.

Miss Lipshitz should have a very promising future.

**New Appointment in Polish Consulate**

Mr. Charles de Rozwadowski, who recently arrived from London, has been appointed Vice-Consul to the Polish Consulate, Johannesburg, and will assist Mr. S. Zaleski, the Consul-General, in the discharge of Consular duties.

**Johannesburg Women's Mizrahi Organisation**

Well attended literary afternoon was held under the auspices of the above organisation at the Coronation Hall on Wednesday, October 4. Mr. I. Goss, assistant Director of the S.A. Board of Jewish Education, was the guest speaker, his subject being "Reflections of the Festivals."

Mr. Zlotnik, who presided, gave a review of the Women's Mizrahi activities, and also urged for clothes to be sent to Mrs. Goss in Palestine.

Mr. B. Rabinowitz, of Kensington, proposed a vote of thanks to the speaker.

**Shimchat Beth Hashoevo**

Shimchat Beth Hashoevo arranged by the Aman Hashabbath Organisation, took place on Thursday, October 5, at the Doornfontein Synagogue. Rabbi S. I. Mirkin presided.

Mr. M. Kossowsky, who addressed the meeting, declared that life without Shabbat is unreal. It was like a continuous struggle without an opportunity ever to wake up. Rabbi S. I. Mirkin and Rev. E. Marks spoke.

The enjoyable function then concluded with a vote of thanks to the speakers and a resolution of appreciation from the president and committee of the Doornfontein Synagogue for their assistance and cooperation.

Next week Mrs. M. Levinson, honorary local representative of the S.A. Jewish Orphanage, was forwarded to that institution the sum of £2, being subscriptions collected from members.

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**CONGRATULATIONS!**

Congratulations are being extended to Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Rich on the birth of a daughter, at 3 Garret Road, Parktown West.

The marriage will take place on Sunday, 22nd October, at 10 a.m., at the Park Synagogue, Wolmarans Street, between Captain J. Ralston, only son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Ralston, of Pretoria, and Ray, second daughter of Lieut.-Colonel and Mrs. I. Levinson, of Johannesburg.

The marriage of Maureen, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Donner, of Johannesburg, to Henry, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Jacobson, of Johannesburg, will take place on Sunday, 22nd October, at the Wolmarans Street Synagogue, at 11.30 a.m. No cards.

**FINE RECITALS BY ELLA GOLDSTEIN**

ELLA GOLDSTEIN and the Colosseum Orchestra presented an interesting programme at the concert held at the Colosseum on Sunday night, when Rachmaninoff's second piano concerto and Chopin's Sonata in B minor formed the major works and Glazounov's "Stenka Razin" and Beethoven's "Egmont" were chosen as the overtures.

The highlight of the evening was the Rachmaninoff concerto. Ella Goldstein's performance of this was truly memorable, emphasising, as it did, the rich romanticism of the work and the abundance of its melodies, while yet revealing its highly interesting harmonic structure. In the Chopin Sonata, Ella Goldstein, with her exquisite rendering of the Largo, added yet again to her triumphs, to which the prolonged and excited applause of her enthusiastic audience testified.

**Monday Night's Concert**

TCHAIKOWSKY'S Piano Concerto was given a repeat performance on Monday night at another Orchestral concert conducted by Professor Goldstein. Once again a crowded house expressed its appreciation of Ella Goldstein's renderings of the Russian classics.

The rest of the programme was made up of a number of Russian pieces. These were overtures from Glinka and Borodin and Mussorgorsky's "Pictures From an Exhibition."

It is obvious that Russian music is Ella Goldstein's favourite, and throughout she displays the necessary temperament and vigour which these compositions require.

**Meeting of Private Teachers**

Mr. M. Segal presided over a mass meeting held at the Coronation Hall, Johannesburg, on October 4, under the auspices of the Union of Private Hebrew Teachers.

In opening the meeting, Mr. Segal paid tribute to the work of private teachers, and said that all his own knowledge of Judaism had been derived from a private Hebrew Teacher whom his father had engaged when he first settled in Johannesburg.

Mr. J. S. Judelowitz, president of the Union of Hebrew Teachers, said that the main task of Hebrew tuition was to imbue the rising generation with the legacy of Jewish culture. In South Africa, it had been the private Hebrew teacher who were mainly responsible for continuing the golden chain. The private Hebrew teacher had fostered Hebrew education in this country before the Talmud Torah.

The speaker sharply protested against the insinuations and the uncalculated attacks levelled against the private teachers by "certain directors and Gabboym" who had found in the private teacher a scapegoat for all their own shortcomings. Mr. Judelowitz appealed to Jewish parents to interest their children in Hebrew education and to prove by that means that the standard of culture was no lower in South Africa than among any other Jewish communities.

Rabbi S. Rosenzweig emphasised the important role played by the private Hebrew teacher in local communal life.

Mr. A. Rom, the vice-president of the Union, thanked the chairman, Mr. M. Segal, who was the first Jewish leader in Johannesburg to display his sympathy with the Union of Private Hebrew teachers.

The honorary secretary, Mr. I. Pollack, moved a vote of thanks to the chairman and the speakers of the evening.

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**The Cinema**

Everybody's favourite has a part somewhere in the star-packed musical "Follow the Boys." There are no fewer than 22 song-hits and even a story that winds its way through the mass of variety scenes. Vera Zorina and George Raft lead a grand all-star cast. Showing soon at the Colosseum.

Those who saw "Gaslight" with Diana Wynyard and Anton Walbrook a few years ago will be very eager to see a re-issue of this film, with Charles Boyer and Ingrid Bergman in the main roles. Except for a few changes in the plot, the story remains unchanged. Joseph Cotton as the detective plays a more important role as did the detective in the original "Gaslight." At the Metro.

Ginger Rogers, Fred Astaire, Randolph Scott and Irene Dunn are co-starred in "Roberta," an entertaining comedy which is booked for the Empire. The story takes place in Paris, and although it is mainly a comedy there are moments of thrilling suspense and a good deal of excitement. Don't miss it!

"The Mayor of 44th Street" is one of those films in which saboteurs, crooks and sinister figures that lurk in the night get all mixed up with jitterbugs, night-club singers and musicians. On the one hand the lilting tones and the gay life of night-clubs and on the other hand intrigue and crime. The story has been very well balanced, and a well-chosen cast is headed by George Murphy, Anne Shirley and Rex Downing. See it at the Plaza.

"It Happened Tomorrow" at the 20th Century is another unusual story of Rene Clair reproduced on the screen with vigour and imagination. It is the story of a reporter (Dick Powell) who is able to read tomorrow's news to-day, but although this is every reporter's dream, it doesn't turn out to be quite as simple as it sounds. Linda Darnell is the main female attraction.

**Women's Mizrahi Organisation (Doornfontein)**

A large gathering assembled at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pelkowitz, Doornfontein, on Saturday, October 7, where a very successful Succoth function was held. Mrs. L. Rade presided, and appealed for clothes to be sent to Palestine.

The guest speaker, Mrs. M. Kossowsky, spoke on the subject of "Shabbat and Succoth."

Mr. Leo Alter and Mrs. Miriam Caplan entertained the guests with singing.

A vote of thanks was proposed to the speaker and singers by Mrs. Sokolowsky and to the hostess by Mrs. L. Fisher.

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