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EDITORIAL.

Here shall the Press the Jewish rights maintain,  
 Unaw'd by influence, and unbribed by gain;  
 Here patriot Truth her glorious precepts draw,  
 Pledged to Religion, Liberty and Law.

Calendar for Week ending  
 Thursday, September 19th, 1918.

Day of Week	Hebrew Date	Civil Date	Sedra.	Haptohab.
		Sept.		
Fri.	Tishri 7	13		
Sat.	8	14	Deut.	
Sun.	9	15	xxxii.	
Mon.	10	16	1.	
Tues.	11	17		
Wed.	12	18		
Thurs.	13	19		

Shabbos & Yomtov commence at 5.30 p.m.  
 Monday next is the Day of Atonement.

The "Chronicle" Cake.

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*Gradually but perceptibly those who take an interest in the musical development of the Witwatersrand are beginning to realise that this most glorious of all the arts does not begin and end with a few successes gained by precocious children at local Eisteddfods, and the lecture given on Wednesday evening last commences an endeavour to educate the public in the literature of music. As the organ of the community which is perhaps—up to a certain point—the most musical of the local population, we have pleasure in showing our appreciation of this progressive spirit which is seeking to widen local interest in musical matters and do so by awarding this*

*week's cake to  
 THE JOHANNESBURG  
 MUSICAL SOCIETY  
 and inscribing it  
 "PROGRESS."*

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NOTES.

"YOM KIPPUR."

It is a time-honoured custom of Judaism to make *Yom Kippur* a season of reconciliation, not only between man and God, as would seem to be its original purpose from the Bible, but also between man and his fellow-man. Moses told the people in the wilderness that they were on this day to be ceremoniously pure before God; and the common-sense of Judaism has inferred from this as a natural corollary the necessity of purifying the heart of all feelings of enmity, hatred, ill will and rancour against a fellow creature. The man who honestly intends on *Yom Kippur* to ask forgiveness for his sins from God, can hardly abstain from first asking forgiveness from any human being whom he is afraid he may have wronged, and who may legitimately have a grievance against him, and, conversely, holding out the hand of friendship and reconciliation to any against whom he himself may be justifiably aggrieved. Every Jew should on *Yom Kippur* (and if not at other times at least on *Yom Kippur*) be at peace with all the world; and if he has not honestly done his best to secure this, he cannot be said to have prepared himself adequately for the ordeal of the day, or to enter on it in the proper spirit. And those who do not take this preliminary step have only themselves to blame if at the end of the fast they find themselves unimproved and unedified by their moral exercise, out of humour with themselves and the rest of the world, and rather regretting the sensual enjoyments they have missed than rejoicing in the spiritual gains they have acquired.

PEACE AND GOODWILL  
 NEEDED.

We have taken the liberty of indulging in these reflections which trespass a little on the domain of the pulpit, because in Johannesburg they are applicable not only to individuals who may be left to the exhortations

of their ministers, but also to sections of the community, which are hardly accessible, except through the medium of the Press. Just as a ball when dropped from a travelling point, as for instance, the top of a ship's mast acquires a double motion, and is directed not only downwards by the force of gravity, but at the same time forwards by the force of the ship's progress; so an individual is impelled to action not only by his own inward feelings and ideas, but also

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