



# JOHANNESBURG DAY BY DAY

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### HEBREW ORDER OF DAVID

Arrangements have been completed for the holding of the Fourth Conference of the Hebrew Order of David, which will take place at the Jewish Guild War Memorial Hall on Sunday, 31st March.

An official welcome will be extended to the visiting delegates by His Worship the Mayor, Mr. W. Fearnhead, and by Mr. S. Raphaely, President of the S.A. Jewish Board of Deputies, and, after a response by the Grand President, Wor. Bro. M. J. Shindler, the Conference will adjourn in order to enable the delegates to witness the ceremony of the laying of the foundation stone of the Dr. Herzl Lodge, No. 1, Home, which is to be performed by Wor. Bro. Dr. C. Spiro, M.A., LL.D., Immediate Past Grand President.

An official luncheon will be tendered by the Grand Lodge and the Conference will resume at 2.30 p.m., when the reports and balance sheet will be submitted, and thereafter will be held the elections of the new Grand Lodge for 1929.

In the evening the delegates will be the guests of the Dr. Herzl Lodge at a banquet to be held at the Selborne Hall, and booking is proceeding apace for this function. It is confidently expected that there will be a very large attendance in honour of the visiting delegates.

The Conference will get to grips with the lengthy agenda on Monday morning, and delegates will be present from every lodge throughout South Africa.

The Installation Meeting of the Sir Rufus Isaacs Lodge, No. 6, Boksburg, was held on Sunday last, when Wor. Bro. M. J. Shindler, Grand President, accompanied by Grand Lodge Officers, visited Boksburg, and installed the following officers:—President, Wor. Bro. B. A. Jacobson; Vice-President, Bro. H. Jenks; Treasurer, Bro. L. Friedman; Secretary, Bro. M. D. Lowenstein; M.C., Bro. J. L. Lowenstein; Inner Guard, Bro. G. M. Jenks; Trustees, Wor. Bro. A. J. Saretzky and Bro. B. Louis; Grand Lodge Delegates, Wor. Bro. B. Levius and Bro. H. N. Massel; Book Examiners, Wor. Bro. B. Levius and Bro. H. N. Massel; Board of Deputies Delegate, Bro. L. Friedman; Marshalls, Bros. B. Louis, J. L. Manshein, J. Goldman and J. Cohen; Instruction Officer, Bro. H. Jenks; Publicity Committee, Wor. Bro. B. A. Jacobson; Bros. J. L. Manshein and H. N. Massel.

The usual toasts were proposed and responded to at the reception which followed the installation.

### THE RADIUM FUND.

The total subscribed to the Radium Fund inaugurated by the

Johannesburg General Hospital now stands at £4,761, and seems almost insignificant with the amount which is required. A sum of £30,000 is needed to equip adequately the Radium Section of the Johannesburg General Hospital, and £10,000 is required almost immediately.

It is therefore a great pity that the appeal of the Johannesburg General Hospital for money to purchase radium has not met with speedier response. It is pleasing, however, to report that the country towns appreciate the national significance of the appeal and a strong committee of ladies has been elected in Pietersburg, who are busy approaching everybody for support towards the Johannesburg Hospital Radium Fund, and their collection lists will close on 8th April.

### LAND OF PROMISE FETE.

The date of this Fete approaches closer, and the month of March is seeing great activity on the part of the convenors of the various stalls.

On Saturday, 30th March, the picture "The Count of Luxemburg" will be shown at the Jewish Guild, having been kindly lent by Kinemas, Limited, and the proceeds will be in aid of the Children's Outfitting Stall and the Bread and Cake Stall.

On Wednesday, 27th March, a great carnival cabaret is being held at the United Party Club, and the proceeds will be in aid of the Fete. Tickets are selling rapidly, and cabaret items will be given by Miss Poppins Salomon and her troupe, whilst Jimmy Clarke and his Symphonators are supplying the music. On Wednesday, 3rd April, the chairman and committee of the United Party Club are holding a bridge drive in aid of the Bachelors' Stall, whilst on Sunday, 7th April, a picnic is to be held at Craighall, by kind permission of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Kruger, in aid of the funds of the American Buffet and Produce Stall.

### JEWISH GUILD.

On Sunday last, 24th March, a symposium was held, when "The Adaptability of the Jew to his Environment" was discussed from the political, social, economic and religious points of view, and there was a very large attendance and an interesting discussion.

On Sunday, 7th April, the newly re-organised Musical Revellers' Section are holding a vaudeville trial turns night, when trials will be given to aspirants for stage honours. As this function is in the nature of a send-off for the Musical Art Section, it is expected there will be a very large audience, and the task of the judges in examining the efforts of intending competitors will not be exactly a sinecure.

Sunday, 21st April, will see the presentation of three one-act plays, under the auspices of the Dramatic Section, the plays selected being "The Sisters' Tragedy," by Richard Hughes; "Green Chartreuse," by Chester D. Heywood; and "Lithuania," by Rupert Brooke, and an excellent night's entertainment is assured.

On Saturday, 20th April, the progressive tennis section hold their annual dance, and tickets are obtainable from the Guild Offices or from members of the Tennis Committee.

On Wednesday, 24th April, a Seder Night will be held at the Jewish Guild, when Rev. W. Woolf will officiate. Tickets are 7s. 6d. each, and early bookings are advisable.

### A JEWISH HOME.

At the last annual meeting of the Jewish Ladies' Communal League emphasis was laid on the need for providing a home in Johannesburg where Jewish girls engaged in business and who have neither parents nor relatives can live.

The suggestion has been most carefully considered, and has been brought to the notice of Lady Oppenheimer, who has accorded her hearty support to the scheme, and shortly the Jewish Ladies' Communal League hope to be able to publish the concrete form which the scheme will take.

### JEWISH GOVERNMENT SCHOOL.

It has often been asserted that Jewish students do not take much interest in sport, but concentrate largely upon their studies, and it is therefore interesting to record that the championship final was played recently between the Twist Street and Jewish Government Schools, the latter school proving overwhelmingly superior and running out winners by eight wickets.

Mr. Jack Perring, on behalf of the Transvaal Cricket Union, in presenting the shield, pointed out that the Jewish Government School had been finalists on five successive occasions, and their performances redounded greatly to the excellent coaching on the part of the masters concerned. He added that a cricket bat would be presented by the Union to L. Cohen as the outstanding player of the match.

### PERSONALIA.

Dr. J. L. Landau, Chief Rabbi of the Federated Synagogues of the Witwatersrand, and Mrs. Landau, left on Thursday last for a six months' holiday in England, and on the Continent, and were seen off by many representatives of the numerous Jewish Societies and of Jewish

Ministry, as well as by many personal friends. Presentations of books were made to Mrs. Landau by the Committee of the Women's Zionist League and the Yeoville Ladies' Synagogue Committee, and a beautiful bouquet was likewise presented to her by a representative of Mr. I. W. Schlesinger.

Mrs. S. Leviton, of 162, Claim Street, has received cable news that her son Martin has passed his final dentistry at Liverpool Dental Hospital, and will shortly be sailing for South Africa.

The engagement is announced of Rebecca, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Boruch Krozovsky, of Palestine, to Solomon Duke, of Bethal, late of Skaudwil, Lietuva.

The engagement is announced between Fanny, third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Sandler, of 59, Crown Street, Jeppe, and Ben Abrahamsohn, second son of Mr. and Mrs. Abrahamsohn, of 37a, Maddison Street, Jeppe.

### BREVITIES.

Shekel Day was held on Sunday last, when the town was covered most effectively by an army of collectors, and whilst complete results are not to hand, it is understood that last year's collection will be surpassed.

On Thursday last, 21st March, a mass meeting was held at the Communal Hall, Krugersdorp, under the auspices of the West Rand Zionist Association, when Mr. Peretz Cornfeld, the Propagandist of the S.A. Zionist Federation, addressed the meeting in Yiddish on "Our Aims in Palestine," and Mr. A. J. Gotsman presided.

On Wednesday, 3rd April, there will be produced at the Jewish Guild by the well-known Yiddisher Vaudeville Artists, Mary Aingorn and Boris Abramoff, the comedy "The Tomboy Girl," and booking is at Polliack's, tickets being 5s. 6d., 3s. 6d., and 2s. 6d.

The annual general meeting of the Wanderers' Club was held on Tuesday, 19th March, when the reports regarding the past year's activities were submitted and reflected the excellent progress made by this institution.

On Sunday, 24th March, there was produced at the Criterion Theatre, Benoni, the "Peasant Boy," the production being under the auspices of the Yiddish Literary Society, and the producer being Mr. H. Hirsch. This was held in aid of the Benoni Branch of the Russian Jews' Colonisation Fund.

On Monday last, 25th March, an adjourned general meeting of the Zionist Revisionist Organisation of South Africa was held, and various committees were elected.

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