

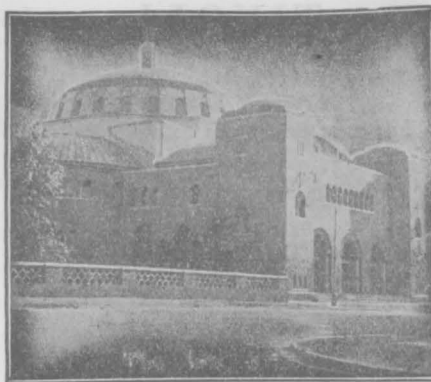


JOHANNESBURG DAY BY DAY

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UNITED HEBREW CONGREGATION.

The Annual Meeting of the United Hebrew Congregation of Johannesburg was held on Sunday, 2nd June, and there was a very good attendance of members. The report and balance sheet were adopted and the grants and subsidies recommended by the Council were authorised. The report reflected that this premier congregation supported many institutions, chief amongst which must be the amount of £780 per annum granted to the United Talmud Torah Schools of Johannesburg, £5 per month to the South African Talmudical College, 100 guineas to the Hebrew University in Jerusalem, and 100 guineas to the University of the Witwatersrand. The report further states that the United Hebrew Congregation have made themselves responsible for the entire cost of the Memorial Tablet, which is to be erected in the South African War Memorial Hall to perpetuate the memories of those Jewish men who made the great sacrifice during the last war, and which it is estimated will cost £446.

The election of the Executive and Committee took place, the results being as follows:—President, Mr. J. Ratzker; Vice-President, Mr. Bernard Patley; Chairman of Council, Mr. H. Teeger; Hon. Treasurer, Mr. M. Reuvid; Senior Warden, Yeoville, Mr. D. A. Bradlow; Junior Warden, S. L. Sive. The Council consists of these representatives and a Committee of five members of the Park Synagogue and three members of the Yeoville Synagogue. The members elected to represent Park Synagogue are Messrs. H. Beemer, C. W. Behrman, I. Broude, G. Frankel and B. Guinsberg, and the Yeoville members are Messrs. R. Michelson, L. Spitz and Arnold Ullmann. The delegates to the S.A. Jewish Board of Deputies are Messrs. I. Broude and D. A. Bradlow, and the delegates to the Federation of Synagogues are Messrs. S. Raphaely, H. Teeger, I. Broude, J. Ratzker and H. Lourie.

"LAND OF PROMISE" FETE.

On Tuesday last the "Land of Promise Fete" was declared open by Lady Oppenheimer, who was supported on the platform by Dr. J. M. Edelstein (Chairman), Mrs. Joe Cohen and Mrs. Bernard Patley (Joint Hon. Organisers), Mr. S. J. Jacobson (Hon. Secretary), and at the City Hall were present many members of the Jewish community. Lady Oppenheimer was presented with a beautiful bouquet by Mrs. Joe Cohen and a porcelain vase (made in Jerusalem) by Mrs. B. Patley, whilst cabled messages of greeting were read from Dr.

C. Weizmann, Mr. Ussishkin, Col. F. H. Kisch, Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Landau and Mr. I. W. Schlesinger, the latter including in his cable a sum of £500 further to the amount of £500 given by Mrs. I. W. Schlesinger to the arts and crafts stall, of which she was the convener.

The hall presented a gay scene with its many coloured lights, painted scenery and dainty stalls, whilst the fancy costumes worn by the greater number of the stall-holders and their assistants lent colour to a very pretty scene. The fete remained open for three days, and doubtless a very handsome sum will reward the efforts of those ladies and gentlemen who had been working almost continuously throughout the last six months.

RADIUM FUND.

On Saturday last the much anticipated students' "raid" took place, but whilst the elements were not in harmony with the attempts of the students, nevertheless a most remarkable success is to be reported, for the students of the University of the Witwatersrand succeeded in collecting the magnificent sum of £1,229 18s. 8d. From early morning until late at night, students, in cap and gown, and fancy dress, swooped upon the city and made the public give to the Radium Fund, and the success of the "raid" is a great tribute to the energy which characterised the students in their work, despite the disadvantages of the heavy rain which fell throughout the day. As a result of the students' efforts, the Johannesburg Hospital Radium Fund now stands at £10,600, and by the time the end of the month is reached the hospital authorities should be able to report that the £10,000 has been passed handsomely. Amongst the latest donations received the following deserve to be mentioned:—

- Guild of Loyal Women, £27 10s.;
- Anonymous, £25; Greenacres' Sports Club, £31 7s.; Wade & Dorman, £10; Central Mining-Rand Mines (Staff and Officers), £54; Children of the Intermediate Schools, Witbank, £16 5s. 6d.; Denver Rock Drill and Machinery Co., £20.

The Mayoress of Johannesburg, Mrs. W. Fearnhead, has circularised 36 Transvaal towns inviting their co-operation, and the farmers of Waterberg have decided to raise an amount of £100, so that with all these efforts being made it should not be difficult for the appeal of the Johannesburg Hospital for £30,000 to be realised shortly.

JEWISH GUILD.

On Sunday last, 9th June, the Repertory Players presented before a packed house a play dealing with Capital Punishment, by Percy

Robinson, entitled "To What Red Hell," and the production was in the capable hands of Miss Muriel Alexander. Booking is proceeding apace for the house dinner to be held on Tuesday, 11th June, in honour of Dr. Reuben and Mr. Joseph Brainin. On Sunday, 23rd June, the Dramatic Section of the Jewish Guild will present three one-act plays, Miss Edith Nathan being the producer, the plays selected being "The Bathroom Door," by Gertrude E. Jennings; "The Man in the Bowler Hat," by A. A. Milne, and "Phillipa Comes Back," by John Gabbot.

Rehearsals are proceeding apace for the show to be presented by the 1929 Musical Revellers, whilst the Executive of the Jewish Guild announce that towards the middle of July they propose to hold a dance in honour of Shura Cherkassky, the boy pianist, who has been playing to packed houses in Johannesburg.

H.O.D.

The concert being organised by the Harmony Club at the Astoria Kinema on Sunday, 23rd June, promises to be a great success for a most varied programme is to be presented. There will be vocal items by the Misses Rae Lipke, Jean Gluckman, Tilly Weinfeld and Violet Hayes, and Messrs. D. Kaplan, L. Lipke and Rev. S. Backon, the latter contributing Yiddish melodies. There will also be violin solos by Miss R. Weisholtz and Mlle. Marcelle de Fareires, whilst the Repertory Players are presenting a well-known scene from "The Merchant of Venice."

On Sunday last, 9th June, the Grand Lodge Officers, consisting of Wor. Bro. Dr. C. Spiro (Acting Grand President), Wor. Bro. L. Faiga (Acting Deputy Grand President), Wor. Bro. J. Distiller (Grand Treasurer), Bro. H. S. Blank (Grand Secretary), Bro. J. Jackson (Grand Master of Ceremonies) and Bro. Dr. B. Wainstein (Acting

Grand Inside Guardian) journey to Parys to consecrate the "Parys-Vredefort Lodge No. 25, H.O.D.," the various ceremonies being carried out amidst deep impressiveness.

The H.O.D. continues to progress, and at the next meeting of the Grand Lodge an application for a Charter will be submitted on behalf of a number of enthusiasts who desire to form a lodge under the name of "Moses Montefiore Lodge No. 26, H.O.D.," with its meeting place in Johannesburg.

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(Signed) L. FEINSTEIN.
8th June, 1929.

Jewish Ladies' Communal League.

(Incorporated).
(JEWISH GIRLS' RESIDENTIAL CLUB).

THE THIRTIETH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING WILL BE HELD ON THURSDAY, 20th JUNE, 1929, AT 3.30 p.m., IN THE JEWISH GUILD WAR MEMORIAL BUILDING, CORNER OF BREE AND VON BRANDIS STREETS, FOR THE PURPOSE OF:—

1. Receiving the Annual Report and Balance Sheet.
2. To Receive the Report of the Committee relative to the Jewish Girls' Residential Club.
3. Election of Executive and Committee.
4. General Business.

SARAH DAVIS-MARKS, Hon. Secretary.

P.O. Box 2697, Johannesburg, 10th June, 1929.

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