

Social and Personal

Rabbi Hirsch, Minister of the Pretoria Hebrew Congregation, and Mrs. Hirsch, who have been on a two months' holiday overseas, to visit their son who is at school in London, have returned to Pretoria.

The engagement is announced of Mr. Solly Turtle-dove, of Palestine (late of Capetown), to Miss Betty Levy, sister of Rabbi E. M. Levy, of Durban. The marriage is to take place in England some time towards the end of this month.

On the occasion of his marriage at Kroonstad on the 11th June, Dr. Charles Hurwitz of Kroonstad donated an amount of £20 for the purpose of inscribing the names of his parents, Mr. Louis Koppel Hurwitz and Mrs. Rachel Hurwitz, in the Golden Book of the Jewish National Fund.

The engagement is announced of Hylda, youngest daughter of Councillor and Mrs. Sol Jacobs, of Randfontein, to Clements H. Friedman, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Friedman, of Human Street, Krugersdorp.

Mr. Victor Gordon (brother of Mrs. S. Gesundheit of Capetown) has been appointed Manager of the Bremersdorp (Swaziland) Branch of the Standard Bank of S.A., Ltd.

The engagement is announced of Mary, daughter of Mr. and the late Mrs. R. Morris, and Isaac (Ike), son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Lederman, both of Johannesburg.

At the Boksburg Town Hall at 7.30 p.m. on Sunday evening, August 31, the marriage will take place of Miss Tilly Blumberg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Blumberg, to Mr. Gabriel Gogosky.

The engagement is announced between Anne, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. I. Schwartz, of 36 Grafton Road, Yeoville, and Henry, second son of Mr. and Mrs. B. Lakofski, of 24 Van der Merwe Street, Hill-brow.

Rev. S. Backon, Cantor of the Benoni Hebrew Congregation, has returned from his overseas trip and resumed his duties. During his stay in Europe, Rev. Backon visited England, Germany, Hungary and Roumania. In London he conducted services in the New Synagogue in Stamford Hill, where he formerly occupied the position of second reader. In Berlin he officiated at the Old *Shool* and also in another important synagogue.

Master Percy Bennett, third eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Bennett, will read a portion of the Law in the Worcester Synagogue on Saturday morning, 6th September. A reception will be held in the Zionst Hall on Sunday afternoon at 3 p.m. and a dance at 8 p.m., to which all relatives and friends are cordially invited.

The engagement is announced of Polly, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. Galgut to Barnet, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. Yawitch, both of Johannesburg.

David Taylor, the young Johannesburg violin prodigy, is still winning new honours in London. At the recent prize distribution by the Duke of Connaught, Taylor was awarded the Alfred Gibson Memorial prize, bestowed upon the most distinguished violin student of the year at the Royal Academy of Music.

MR. MORRIS DE SAXE.

Deep sympathy with Mr. Advocate Morris de Saxe in his illness is being felt and expressed by his many friends, coupled with the hope that he will soon recover his normal health and be able to resume his valued communal work.

Students' Jewish Association UNIVERSITY OF THE WITWATERSRAND

Will be holding their

ANNUAL DANCE

at the

H.O.D. HALL,

On Saturday, September 20th, 1930.

Edgar Adler's
Personal 5.

Tickets 10/6,
Secretary, S.J.A.,
University.

Mr. A. T. Shrock, B.A., who has just completed his studies at Jews' College, London, is at present on a visit to Palestine prior to his return to South Africa, where he intends remaining over the High Festivals. During his stay in Palestine, Mr. Shrock intends doing some research work at the Hebrew University in connection with the thesis for the doctor of philosophy degree, upon which he is at present engaged.

The many friends of Miss Gertrude Rubenstein of Theunissen are congratulating her on the success she has achieved in obtaining the U.L.M. degree. Miss Rubenstein was for the past three years a student at the Grahamstown Training College.

Mr. Leonard Klatzow, M.Sc., the Free State Rhodes Scholar for 1930, sailed last Saturday in the "Watussi" for England. He will study at Lincoln College, Oxford. Mr. Klatzow, who is 23 years of age, was educated at the Grey College School, where he passed the matriculation examination in the first class in 1923, subsequently taking B.Sc. and M.Sc. degrees at the Grey University College in the first class in 1926 and 1927 respectively. Mr. Klatzow will be absent for three years in order to take his doctor's degree in physics.

LEVENTHAL—MAZE.

At the Orthodox Synagogue at Port Elizabeth the wedding of Miss Bella Leventhal, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Leventhal, to Mr. Joseph Maze was celebrated. The unterfuhrers were Mr. and Mrs. M. Leventhal and Mr. and Mrs. Eliason, while the canopy was held by Messrs. S. Leventhal, J. Kahn, A. Eliason and L. Solomons. Mr. Louis Eliason carried out the duties of best man, and Messrs. Jimmy Glosser and Maurice Leventhal acted as groomsmen.

After the ceremony a reception was held at the residence of the bride's parents.

GERING—BEHRMANN.

The wedding took place on Sunday at the Berea Synagogue of Evelyn, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Behrmann, to Mr. Bernard, fourth son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Gering.

The service was fully choral, and conducted by Rev. Steinberg and his choir, and the synagogue had been beautifully decorated for the occasion. The ceremony was performed by Dr. J. L. Landau (Chief Rabbi).

The unterfuhrers were Mr. and Mrs. A. Behrmann and Mr. and Mrs. S. Gering; and Messrs. C. G. and L. B. Behrmann (brothers of the bride) and I. Cartoon and M. Lessem were the canopy bearers. Mr. Dave Gering was the best man.

A reception, attended by about 200 friends, was held at "The Stephanie," where the health of the bride and bridegroom was proposed by Dr. J. L. Landau, and that of the parents by Mr. H. Manaschewitz.

Among the wedding presents received were a silver coffee service (to the bridegroom) from the S.A. Zionist Federation, and a silver Kiddush cup from the Berea Synagogue (to the bride) in recognition of the services rendered by her parents.

SIMONS—RITCH.

On Sunday evening at the Yeoville Synagogue, Johannesburg, the wedding took place of Miss Beryl Louise Ritch, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. Ritch, and Mr. Nathaniel Simons, eldest son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Simons (London). The unterfuhrers were Mr. and Mrs. Josephson (Bloemfontein) and Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Ritch.

Messrs. L. Muller, L. Keet, J. Brittan and B. Nathan were the canopy-bearers, and Mr. M. Pencharz (Bloemfontein) was the best man. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. N. Lopato.