

Social and Personal

The marriage of Miss Eva Nochimovitz, of Oudtshoorn, to Mr. Louis Imber, son of Mrs. and the late Mr. W. Imber, will be solemnised at the Oudtshoorn Synagogue on Sunday, the 25th inst., at 5.30 p.m. A reception will subsequently be held at Luntz's Hall.

The marriage of Molly, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Festenstein, of Bethal, to Isaac, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Silove, of Johannesburg, will be solemnised at the Wolmarans Street Synagogue on Sunday, February 8th, at 7.30 p.m. A reception will subsequently be held at "The Stephanie."

The engagement is announced between Bessie Rose Rom (Rogalsky), Hebrew Teacher, of Oudtshoorn, and eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Saul Rogalsky, of Sudargi, Lithuania, and Aaron Kaddish Coblentz, Minister of the Standerton Hebrew Congregation, and eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. K. Coblentz, of Johannesburg.

Mr. Leslie Lawrence, second son of Rev. and Mrs. Z. Lawrence, has passed the B.A. examination with double honours at the Grey University College, Bloemfontein.

Congratulations are being extended to Miss Jeanette Sieradzki, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gustav Sieradzki, on passing her final examinations for the degree of Bachelor of Commerce at the Witwatersrand University.

The engagement is announced between Rae, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. Moross, 11 Rhodes Avenue, Parktown West, formerly of Burghersdorp, Cape, and Harry, younger son of Mrs. and the late Mr. I. Wolfson, of Johannesburg, formerly of Durban.

The marriage of Becke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Nochimovitz, to Max, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Krol, will take place on January 28th, at the Queen Street Synagogue, Oudtshoorn.

Congratulations are being extended to Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Levy, of Haifa, on the birth of a daughter.

The engagement is announced of Julia, younger daughter of Mrs. and the late Mr. Harry Janks, of Sutton Crescent, Durban, to Harry X. Rajak, of Pretoria, second son of Mr. and the late Mrs. B. Rajak, of Johannesburg.

Master Arthur Raymond Houthakker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Houthakker, will read a portion of the Law on Saturday, January 24th, at the Wolmarans Street Synagogue. There will be an "At Home" on Sunday from 4—6 p.m. at Amstel, Princess Place, Parktown.

Mr. Moses Kottler, the South African sculptor now in London, has lately completed a bust of the Hon. Srinivasa Sastri, the Indian statesman. It is a highly successful portrait study.

ASTORIA KINEMA.

Frederick Lonsdale, famed for his inimitable witticisms, has given to the screen something entirely novel in the way of high comedy dialogue. "On Approval," which is to be shown at the Astoria Kinema to-morrow at 3, 7 and 9, is one of Lonsdale's greatest stage successes, which ran in London for many months, has been transferred to the screen without losing any of its point vivacity. It is a sophisticated comedy, the theme being the taking of prospective husbands on approval for a month. This quaint experiment is carried out in a most amusing manner, and the cast, which includes Yvonne Arnaud, Tom Walls, Winifred Shotter and Mary Brough, is positively brilliant in the portrayal of their respective parts. A particularly noteworthy feature of the production is the delightful English-speaking voices of the entire cast.

SERMON BY THE REV. A. A. GREEN.

The Rev. A. A. Green, of London, will preach in the Park Synagogue, Wolmarans Street, to-night, the 23rd inst. The service begins at 6 o'clock.

TYFIELD—COHEN.

The marriage of Miss Thelma Tyfield, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Tyfield, of Muizenberg, and Dr. Morris J. Cohen, President of the Johannesburg Jewish Guild and son of Mrs. G. Cohen and the late Mr. B. Cohen, was solemnised on the 14th inst., at the Muizenberg Synagogue. The Rev. A. P. Bender, assisted by the Rev. M. Franks of Muizenberg, conducted the ceremony.

Dr. I. Gordon, of Mafeking, performed the duties of best man, and the groomsmen were Mr. Julius Tyfield, Dr. I. Waynick, Dr. S. Berman and Mr. Richard Myers. The bridesmaids were the Misses Elma Lazar, Marion Tyfield and Peggy Boam, while little Arona Cohen acted as flower girl.

A reception was subsequently held at the Grand Hotel, Muizenberg, where a large number of guests assembled. The only toast was proposed by the Rev. A. P. Bender, and responded to by the bridegroom.

MISS ANNA CLIVE'S CONCERT.

On Sunday next, the 25th inst., Miss Anna Clive, the well-known South African singer who has distinguished herself in London, will give her Johannesburg concert at the City Hall. This gifted singer will give excerpts from "The Vagabond King," in which she made a great success at the Drury Lane Theatre in London. An ensemble drawn from the Parkerson Operatic Society will render the choruses from that opera, and there will be other important assisting artists.

JEWISH GUILD.

The debate which was to have been held on the 18th inst., will take place on Sunday, 25th January, at 8.30 p.m. The subject is "That we are witnessing the Decline and Fall of the British Empire." Adv. W. Pollak will take the affirmative; Adv. E. P. Bradlow will oppose, and Adv. W. W. Kantor will take the Chair. The subject is very debatable and should draw a large audience to the Guild.

UNITED HEBREW SCHOOL.

Drive for Funds.

The campaign inaugurated to raise £3,000 to assist the United Hebrew Schools of Johannesburg to be freed of all debt and liability, is progressing favourably and to date the following donations are reported:—Previously acknowledged, £255 10s.; Katz & Lourie, Ltd., £21; Lewis & Marks, Ltd., 20; H. Abrahams, £10 10s.; A. Sprinz, £10 10s.; Premier Milling Co., Ltd., £10; £5 5s. each, Barnetts, Ltd., Binder Gering Co., Ellis & Co., Fresh Meat Supply Co., Ltd., Jacobson & Sons C. H. Leon. Total, £358 15s.

JOHANNESBURG HEBREW COLLEGE.

A grand concert in aid of the above institution will be held in the City Hall on Sunday, February 1st. The cast includes Chief Cantor S. Steinberg, of the Berea Synagogue, who will conduct a specially selected choir; Mr. Joel Meyerson, the famous tenor, who will appear in operatic songs, and Mr. John Connell, the City Organist, will also contribute to the programme. The Johannesburg Jewish Symphony Orchestra—Hazamir, under the baton of Mr. H. Ichilchick, will play classical selections, and it is hoped that local Jewry will patronise this concert which promises to be a great success.

A NEW LONDON REPERTORY CO.

A theatrical event of considerable importance will be inaugurated at His Majesty's Theatre on Monday, February 2nd, when the New London Repertory Company will give its first performance in South Africa. This company of fine players will appear in "On the Spot," by Edgar Wallace. The play is one of Wallace's greatest successes and should thrill Johannesburg audiences.

The personnel of the company represents the cream of talent in English theatreland. The names, which are new to South Africa, include more than one artist of international reputation.