

SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Mr. M. Haskel left Johannesburg on Tuesday evening for Capetown and is sailing to-morrow by the s.s. "Carnarvon Castle" for Europe, where he will attend the Zionist Congress at Basle. A number of friends came to see Mr. Haskel off at the Johannesburg station.

The silver wedding of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Barwin, of the Grand Hotel, Queenstown, will be celebrated at the hotel on June 3rd. They were married at Aliwal North, Cape, on June 3rd, 1906, by the Rev. Chaimowitz.

The engagement is announced of Miss Golda Hackner and Mr. Oscar Lurie, both of Durban.

The engagement is announced of Tilly, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Cohen, to Manny, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Broomberg, both of Johannesburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Ochberg are sailing to-morrow from Capetown on the s.s. "Carnarvon Castle" for a few months' stay in Europe. Mr. Ochberg will attend the forthcoming Zionist Congress in Basle and in all probability will do so in his capacity as one of the elected delegates from South Africa.

The engagement is announced of Maggie, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Widman, of Muller Street, Yeoville to Mr. George Rabinowitz, both of Johannesburg.

The engagement is announced between Sabina, elder daughter of Mr. Ch. Rubenstein and the late Mrs. N. Rubenstein, to Philip, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Davis, both of Johannesburg.

The marriage will take place on Sunday, May 31, at 11 a.m., at the Wolmarans Street Synagogue, of Miss Cissy Wolfson to Mr. Aaron Beare. There will be morning tea after the ceremony at the Ambassadors Tearoom.

The engagement is announced between Florrie, the youngest daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. M. Goldstein, and sister of Mrs. D. W. Johnson, to George, the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Baker, both of Johannesburg.

The engagement is announced between Lily, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. Chaitowitz, to David S. Salkow, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Salkow, of Benoni.

In aid of the Rand Jewish Women's Benevolent Society, a ball will take place at the City Hall, Johannesburg, on Saturday, June 13. Bridge will be arranged for non-dancers.

On Sunday, May 24 at 6.30 p.m. at the Yeoville Synagogue, the marriage will take place of Esta, third daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Harris Cutler to Mr. Isidore Kleinot, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Kleinot. There will be no reception.

A Grand Cabaret Ball.

All arrangements are now being completed for the Grand Cabaret Ball to be held on Saturday, the 30th inst., in aid of the North-Eastern Hebrew Congregation (Orange Grove and Norwood). Part of the proceeds will also go to the Star Seaside Fund. The function will be held at the Seborne Hall and Gaby Piemer's Orchestra has been engaged. During the evening exhibition dances will be given by Signor and Madame Canale and their shadows.

The charge of 7s. 6d. for double tickets includes supper. Tables can be reserved by telephoning, Central 3016.

The Annual Shekel Ball.

Zionist workers and their friends are reminded of the Annual Shekel Ball which takes place at the Seborne Hall on Wednesday, May 27. Gaby Piemer's Orchestra has been specially engaged and arrangements are being made for the holding of a most successful function. An enjoyable time is assured to all who will attend.

Tickets are only 7s. 6d. single and 10s. double and can be obtained on application from the hon. secretary, P.O. Box 897, Johannesburg, and will also be sold at the door on the evening of the ball.

DINER-DANSANT AT THE CARLTON.

In Aid of National Fund.

To the Saxonwold branch of the Women's Zionist League must be accorded congratulations for holding the first big function in the series being organised on behalf of the Jewish National Fund in connection with the present Drive.

The diner-dansant held at the Carlton Hotel on Wednesday evening was an outstanding success. Every available seat and table was booked and there was a distinguished gathering of Johannesburg Jewry present. There were many large and small parties and the dresses of the ladies of the smart gathering gave a brilliant colour to the atmosphere. During the evening a group of charming pupils of Madame Ravodna appeared in two numbers, specially arranged for them during her recent visit here by Madame Espinoza. The first number was a toe dance, one which alternated between operatic and jazz movements, and the second was a highly spirited syncopated sailor's hornpipe.

The organisers were Mrs. Maurice Franks, Mrs. H. H. Morris, Mrs. L. Patley, Mrs. J. M. Edelstein, Mrs. I. Ginsberg, and Mrs. Z. Braun, and these ladies are to be highly complimented on the success of a most delightful function. Outside of accomplishing the tremendous task of selling a bumper number of tickets, the work of organising a function on so large a scale in so successful a manner was no easy matter.

There can be no doubt that as a result of this largely attended affair there will be a substantial sum raised by the Saxonwold branch of the Women's Zionist League towards Johannesburg's quota for the Jewish National Fund.

Stroman—Robins-Browne.

The wedding took place in the Wolmarans Street Synagogue on Sunday afternoon of Miss Jewel Robins-Browne, sister of Mr. R. D. Robins-Browne, and Mr. Robert Stroman, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Stroman. Dr. J. L. Landau (Chief Rabbi) officiated and Dr. L. Freed was best man. The canopy was held by Dr. I. Freed, and Messrs. Ivan Schroeder, H. Fox and S. Cohen.

A reception was held at Trematon Place, Parktown, the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Robins-Browne, where the lawn was dotted with small tables, and many guests assembled.