

# SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Mr. A. H. Levy, who has been appointed the new Acting Trade Commissioner for South Africa in Kenya Colony, was the recipient of a cordial welcome from the Nairobi Chamber of Commerce.

The engagement is announced of Miss Pauline Elias, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Elias, of Hopetown, to Dr. Percy Samolsky, of Hope-town, son of Mrs. J. R. Samolsky, of Port Elizabeth.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Joffe, of Bel-gravia, announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Janie, to Bennie, eldest son of Mrs. and the late Mr. Max Sakalovsky, of Benoni.

The engagement is announced between Gertie, daughter of Mrs. J. and the late Mr. Chaim Bloch, and Isakoff (Sam), only son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Rubin, both of Johan-nesburg.

The engagement is announced of Mary, daughter of Mrs. Wolson and the late Mr. Wolson, of Pretoria, to Oscar, the son of Mr. P. Galgut and the late Mrs. Galgut of Pretoria.

The many friends of Mr. E. Rendel, of Johannesburg, will regret to learn that he is at present an inmate of the Joubert Park Nursing Home suffering from double pneumonia, and is progress-ing as favourably as can be ex-pected.

Lady Oppenheimer presided on Tuesday morning, at the Carlton Hotel, at a meeting of members of the committee which is organis-ing the ball on September 2nd for the funds of the Johannesburg Jewish Women's Benevolent So-ciety. Mesdames E. Solomon and R. Jochelson are the conveners. The ball, at which Sir Ernest and Lady Oppenheimer will act as host and hostess, promises to be a great success.

Mr. S. Hayden, the resident director in London of Kinemas, Limited, who was to have sailed in the Winchester Castle this week, to return to England, has delayed his departure in order to be pre-sent at the opening of the new Plaza Theatre.

At the recent South African Eisteddfod, held in Capetown, Miss Lilian Gelb, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Gelb, of Stellenbosch, was successful in gaining three gold medals for 'cello, under 20 division, 'cello open and in Class 48 trio. Miss Gelb is a member of the Stel-lenbosch Young Israel Society, and often plays at its social and chari-table functions.

Congratulations are being ex-tended to Mr. and Mrs. Ozer H. Rosenberg, of Harrismith (nee Blanche Asgor), on the birth of a daughter, which happy event took place on the 31st ult.

The engagement is announced of Zena (Baby), youngest daughter of Rev. and Mrs. E. P. Ellis, Nairobi, East Africa (late of Plymouth), to Eric, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shirley, of Parklands, Nairobi.

## BELLING—ABRAHAMS.

The wedding took place in the Syna-gogue, Pretoria, on Sunday afternoon, of Miss Olga Ella Abrahams, youngest daughter of Mr. and the late Mrs. I. Abrahams, to Mr. Harry Belling, only son of Mrs. and the late Mr. H. Belling, of London. Rabbi W. Hirsch officiated and was assisted by Cantor Zwick.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Shulman, of Pretoria, and Mr. and Mrs. M. Smith, of Johan-nesburg, were the unterfuhrers. Messrs. S. Abrahams and L. Abrahams (brothers of the bride) and S. Shulman (cousin of the bridegroom) and Advocate D. Gould were the canopy bearers. Miss Nettie Abrahams (sister of the bride) was the maid of honour. The Misses Yetta and Rose Shulman were the bridesmaids. The duties of best man were carried out by Dr. Louis Milner.

The reception, which was held at the Jewish Memorial Hall, was attended by some 400 guests. Advocate Isaacson proposed the toast of the bride and bridegroom, and Rabbi W. Hirsch that of the unterfuhrers.

Among the many beautiful gifts re-ceived was a cut glass bowl presented to the bride by the members of the Burgher Right School staff.

The marriage of Edith, elder daughter of Mrs. Nathan and the late Paul George Nathan, to Nor-man (Bulwer), younger son of Mrs. Silverman and the late David Sil-verman, will be solemnised at Yeo-ville Synagogue on Sunday, August 16th, at 3 p.m.

Congratulations are being ex-tended to Mr. David B. Lewis, second son of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Lewis, of Stellenbosch, on his suc-cess in gaining his M.D. degree at the Capetown University.

The engagement is announced between Janie, only daughter of Cantor and Mrs. S. Steinberg, of Johannesburg, and Victor, third son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Baker, of Kilburn, London.

Mr. Israel H. Levine, of Jews' College, son of Rev. J. I. Levine, Pietersburg, has passed the B.A. degree at the London University with first-class honours.

## ISADOR EPSTEIN CONCERTS.

Mr. Isador Epstein, the well-known South African pianist, will be giving three subscription concerts at the Grand National Hotel soon, at which he will introduce contemporaneous works. At each concert there will be a trio of one of the old-master works, as well as a modern trio; also new two-piano duos and solos. This will be Mr. Epstein's first concert venture, and it will cer-tainly deserve the generous support of the public.

Madame  
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**"The Life and Works  
of David Frishman"**  
at the  
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