

IN AND AROUND THE PENINSULA

Bnoth Zion Association.

The Executive and Committee are holding an "At Home" in honour of Zionist visitors to the Peninsula at Clovelly Country Club, Fish Hoek, on Thursday, 7th January, at 3.15 p.m. Those desirous of attending should communicate with the Hon. Secretary, 34, Plein Street, Cape Town. Phone 2-6501.

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Mrs. K. Gluckman was the guest of the Central Branch Committees of the Bnoth Zion Association at a very pleasant luncheon on Thursday, the 17th December.

Mrs. R. Movsovic, President of the Bnoth Zion Association, paid tribute to the work Mrs. Gluckman had done in the National cause and to her fine personal qualities.

In an interesting and stimulating speech, Mrs. Gluckman described the three great experiments that were being carried out in Eretz Israel; the Zionist ideal, the trial of new sociological forms, and the practical achievement of the ideology of the feminist policy. She showed how life in the Kvutza and Moshav left the woman free to take a prominent place in the councils of the community, and the manner in which women appreciated the full scope of their responsibilities.

Contrasting the feelings of Jews in countries where anti-Semitism was prevalent, with the Jews of Palestine, Mrs. Gluckman stressed the fact that in the National Homeland, was growing up a youth who was free from an invidious race consciousness.

Mrs. Gluckman gave a graphic description of her experiences at the commencement of the recent riots in Eretz Israel, and of the splendid solidarity and courage of the Yishuv, and the determination that nothing should be allowed to hinder the progress of the upbuilding of the National Home.

Miss M. Oblovitz expressed the thanks of those present to Mrs. Gluckman.

Among the visitors present were Mrs. Leftwich, of Johannesburg, Mrs. D. Cohen, of Kimberley, and Mrs. A. Rubin, of Durban.

Concert in aid of J.N.F.

A concert in aid of the J.N.F. was held at Muizenberg Pavilion on Sunday night.

The programme was an outstanding and original one. An instrumental trio consisting of Mr. G. Pulvermacher (piano), Mr. F. Levy (violin) and Mr. H. Levy (cello) rendered two very interesting symposia of Jewish and Hebrew melodies arranged by Mr. Pulvermacher. Miss Hannah Oblovitz recited "The Feast of Lights," and Dr. S. Lubeck sang two appropriate song groups.

A series of Chanukah Tableaux, arranged by Dr. H. W. Altschul, aroused great admiration. Each tableaux was perfect in conception and execution, and taken as a whole they recaptured adequately the spirit of Chanukah.

Great credit is due to Dr. Altschul, who was responsible for organising the concert.

Beth Hamedrash Hachodosh.

A special general meeting was held at the Beth Hamedrash Hachodosh, Constitution Street, on Sunday, the 20th December, 1936.

at 3.30 p.m., for the purpose of building a new Beth Hamedrash at the corner of Buitenkant and Justice Streets and Rugley Road.

The following gentlemen were elected to the Building Committee: Messrs. J. Bernstein, E. Mankowitz, D. Kalwerisky, J. Pasvolsky, B. Suchet, M. Aronson, S. H. Friedland, Councillor A. Z. Berman, J. Hoberman, solicitor; Rabbi M. Ch. Mirvish and the Executive, namely, Messrs. H. Sandler, K. Saacks and H. Winnett as ex officio members.

Paarl Hebrew School.

The Chanukah concert and annual prize distribution of the Paarl Hebrew School took place on Sunday night, 13th December, in the Talmud Torah Hall.

The entire programme, consisting of sketches, tableaux, songs and recitations was rendered in Hebrew by the pupils of the school. The most impressive and outstanding items were "Leor Haner," "Hamena-gnim," "Hachalutzim," "Hechassid."

After the concert, the prize distribution took place. The Chairman of the Talmud Torah, Mr. B. Volks, spoke on the activities of the school and reported on the gratifying progress thereof.

Rev. H. Strelitz spoke on Chanukah and the young generation.

Before distributing prizes to the deserving pupils, Dr. C. Resnekov, Chairman of the Board of Jewish Education, spoke on the importance of bringing up our youth in the spirit of true Judaism and on the duty of the Jewish mother in this direction. He appealed to the mothers to take a keener and more serious interest in the Jewish education of their children, for with them lay the responsibility of safeguarding our Jewishness. As regards the evening's concert, Dr. Resnekov was impressed by the very fine performance of the children and especially by the spirit in which the various items were rendered.

Mr. M. Melamed, the Principal of the School, thanked the speakers for the kind remarks concerning the work of the school. He said that the good progress shown by the school was due to the cordial and friendly co-operation of three factors: the pupils, the teachers, and the parents.

The very enjoyable evening concluded with the singing of Hatikvah.

After the function, the Cape Town guests, the Committee of the School and the teachers were entertained at the residence of Mr. B. Volks.

Zionist-Revisionist Association.

A Chanukah social was held on Sunday night 13th inst., in the Zionist Hall. Mr. T. H. Snitcher was in the chair.

Dr. F. Gross delivered a lecture on "The Present Political Situation." After dealing with the international situation he touched on Palestine, stressing its strategic importance to the Mandatory Power.

Mr. R. Kotlowitz gave an address on "Political Zionism To-day and To-morrow."

Songs were rendered by Messrs. L. Lipschitz and Handelson, accompanied by Mr. Sher.

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Social and Personal.

Mr. Eugene Tucker, who recently obtained his B.Sc. Degree in Medicine at the University of Cape Town, has been elected the S.A.C.S. Rhodes Scholar for 1937. Mr. Tucker has had a brilliant scholastic and sporting career at school and university, and has shown to a high degree all the qualifications necessary for a Rhodes Scholar.

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The marriage of Sima, eldest daughter of Mr. E. Lurie, of Stellenbosch, to Morris, son of Mrs. S. Lurie, 30, Wares Road, Mill Park, Port Elizabeth, will take place at the Western Road Synagogue, Port Elizabeth, on Sunday, 3rd January, 1937, at 10.30 a.m.

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Mr. Justice L. Greenberg and Mrs. Greenberg arrived from Johannesburg during the week-end.

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Mr. J. Alexander, Secretary of the S.A. Zionist Federation, is spending a few weeks holiday in the Cape.

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Mr. B. Padowich arrived in Cape Town on Sunday, and will proceed to Namaqualand and South-West Africa in the course of his Keren Hayesod tour, in the middle of January.

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Rev. and Mrs. Rosenberg, of Durban (formerly of Pretoria) are spending a holiday with their daughter, Mrs. Woolf, at Sea Point.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gershter, of Bulawayo, are spending a holiday at the Cape.

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Mr. and Mrs. Philip Herbstein are being congratulated on the birth of a son.

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Miss M. Kluk, M.A., of the staff of the Sea Point Talmud Torah, left on Wednesday on a visit to Johannesburg.

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The marriage of Nettie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Jacobson, of "Pinewood," Forest Road, Cape Town, to William, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. Agranat, of Oudtshoorn, will take place at the Roeland Street Synagogue, Cape Town, on Wednesday, 30th December, 1936, at 7.30 p.m.

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The engagement has been announced and the marriage will shortly take place between Julia, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Schneider, and Lazer, younger son of Mr. M. and the late Mrs. Rabinowitz, both of Paarl.

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Cape Jewish Ministers' Association.

The Annual Conference will be held at the Talmud Torah Hall, Hope Street, Cape Town, on Sunday, 3rd January, 1937, at 2.30 p.m.

All ministers are requested to attend.

Cape Tel-Hai Fund Council.

During Chanukah week the local Tel-Hai Fund Council organised an intensive drive in aid of the Tel-Hai Fund.

The response given by Cape Town Jewry to the appeal issued by the Council was very gratifying and a substantial sum was realised.

The Council desires to thank sincerely all the donors and canvassers who helped to make this year's Chanukah Drive the success it turned out to be.

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