SPORTS



Football in Palestine

Football is a game that is rapidly gaining popularity among our people in Palestine and there are several good teams in various parts of the country. The game played is soccer; rugby has not found its way to any extent there as yet.

The two best known teams in the Yishub are those of Hapoel and Maccabi. Recently these two teams met in a well-played match, which resulted in a win for Hapoel. The play was of excellent standard and the teams were well-balanced, several fine players appearing on each side. The match ended in a victory for Hapoel by two goals to one. The photograph above shows the Hapoel half-back combination, to whom, according to reports, the victory was largely due.

Casuals Cricket Club vs. Shell Company

Batting first against the Shell team at the Old Edwardians Ground at Houghton on Sunday, the 16th inst., the Casuals side put up a score of 258 before being all out. L. H. Penn scored 78 (which included no less than sixteen fours) and Dr. Haden 64. Leary was the most successful of the Shell bowlers securing 6 wickets for 110 runs.

The Shell Company opened their innings very promisingly and with 116 on the board before the fall of the first wicket, things did not look too good for the Casuals. Once the opening partnership was broken, however, things began to move, and the whole side was dismissed for 198 runs. For the Shell Company, Hamilton 72, Duncan 51 and Stevenson 45 not out, batted very well in-

deed. Levine, C. Gluckman, Starfield and Penn shared the wickets. The Casuals won by 60 runs

Casuals Cricket Club vs. Regents Park Cricket Club

The Casuals scored a decisive win in their game against Regents Park on Sunday, the 9th inst. Batting first the Casuals were all out for 164—Shaffer 40, Levine 31 and Gitlin 24 being the chief contributors to this score. Roderick was the best of the Regents Park bowlers and finished up with four wickets for 38 runs. Accurate bowling by Reichman and Gitlin had the Regents Park batsmen in difficulties right from the start and the whole side was dismissed for 73 runs, leaving the Casuals winners by 91 runs.

Atlas Beats Oswald

SATURDAY NIGHT'S FIGHT.

Jim Atlas, the "Continental Tiger," met Hank Oswald, the "Bad Red Demon," at the City Hall, Johannesburg, last Saturday night, and after a hectic contest won the fight by two falls to one. The bout was of the "non-stop" variety, lasting for two hours; there was some good wrestling here and there. One of the high moments of the match occurred in the second session when, fighting up against the ropes, Oswald seized Atlas and neatly entangled him in the ropes so that his neck came between the two upper ropes and his arms through all three. The crowd rocked with laughter when they saw the unfortunate Oswald hanging for a couple of moments like a bundle of washing. washing.

Oswald once more put across some of those little tricks that have not made him particularly popular with a Johannesburg sporting crowd. He ran round the ring and jumped the ropes when danger threatened from Atlas. On one occasion, when Atlas hurled Oswald over the ropes, the "Bad Red Demon" grabbed a chair and tried to get at Atlas with that, but the officials hastily disarmed him.

Oswald secured the first fall with a back Oswald secured the first fall with a back slam and a body press. Atlas equalised some time later by shooting out his legs when Oswald attempted to pounce upon him, knocking him almost breathless. Finally Atlas secured the winning fall with an elbow punch and a body press.

A.B.C. Symphony Concert

The A.B.C. Symphony Orchestra presented one of its best concerts at the Jewish Guild Hall, Johannesburg, on Tuesday evening last. The programme consisted of three ing last. The programme consisted of three brilliant items, Beethoven's famous "Leonore" Overture, Bach's Fourth Brandenburg Concerto and Cesar Franck's Symphony in D Minor.

Despite the undoubted merit of the Symphony, "Leonore" was the plum of the evening. The piece performed was the third, and best, of the Overtures Beethoven composed to his opera "Fidelio." It is among Beethoven's greatest compositions, and it serves as an excellent example of his supremacy over all the composers. The purity and the strength of the music, no less than the clarity and uncomplicated statement of the themes are things of perfect artistry. The dominating impression of a master is stamped on every movement. The orchestra, under the baton of Mr. Jerry Schulman, rendered the composition ably and were warmly applauded. warmly applauded.

The Fourth Brandenburg Concerto, a fine example of Bach's art, was also well performed, the solo playing of Bram Verhoef being a notable feature. The two flutes, played by H. Gardner and J. Dodds Miller, also emerged to advantage.

The orchestra's rendering of Cesar

Franck's Symphony is to be highly commended. One might differ from Mr. Schulman in one or two points of interpretation, but in general he carried out a sound piece of work. The Symphony is one of Cesar Franck's best and, as in practically all this composer's music, requires great care and control in rendition. The orchestra gave it this careful attention and the result was well worth hearing.

Port Elizabeth

FAREWELL TO MR. & MRS. MIZRACHI.

A pleasant evening was spent on the 2nd inst. at the Humewood cafe where many friends and fellow-Zionists assembled to bid farewell to Mr. and Mrs. I. Mizrachi, of Port Elizabeth, who are about to depart for Palestine. Mr. B. Weinronk presided.

A programme of entertainment was provided, which included an interesting set of films of well-known Palestinian scenes taken by Mr. B. Weinronk. Miss D. Freedman recited a poem of Raskin's. Councillor A. Schauder, in making a suitable presentation to Mr. and Mrs. Mizrachi, referred to the good communal and Zionist work done here by the latter during a period of years. Mrs. Mizrachi suitably responded. Messrs. Mizrachi, S. Karstaedt and Infeld also spoke.

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