

Zionist Youth Activities.

EXECUTIVE.

Town and Country Rally.—The Executive wishes to draw the attention of all societies, to the fact that a town and country rally will be held at Stellenbosch from Saturday, August 3rd, to Monday, August 5th. Details will be circularised at an early date.

Leaders' Training Courses.—Intensified training courses for leaders, will be held during August. As entries close soon, those anxious to participate should communicate with the office without delay.

CAPE TOWN YOUNG MIZRACHI.

To celebrate the Nine Hundredth Centenary of the birth of that illustrious commentator Rashi, an Oneg Shabbat was held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Wilk. Dr. S. Kahn, himself a thorough student of the commentaries of Rashi, delivered an address on his life and works. His address was marked by a very intimate knowledge of the subject which ably equipped the speaker to deal with this topic.

The excellent crowd which was present enjoyed Hebrew songs. The Haphtorah was read in Hebrew and English and commented upon by Mr. L. Sandler. Miss Freda Rabinowitz delivered a very interesting News Service. A vote of thanks was proposed by Mr. I. Sudat.

Talmud Simplified.—The fascination of Talmudical lore is happily gaining a firmer grip on Zionist youth. As the study proceeds it becomes more engrossing. We are greatly indebted to Rabbi Dr. Kirzner for the time he is devoting to the Circle and would encourage all Jewish youth to take advantage of the unique facilities offered for deepening their knowledge of Jewish culture.

The next meeting will take place as usual at the Roeland Street Synagogue at 3.15 p.m.

C.T. HANOAR HAMIZRACHI.

A social was held on Saturday night, June 29th. This was the first social the Society has held, and because of its great success, many more of such functions will be held.

* There were a few dance items which were rendered very well by Belle Voloshen and Rae Kantor. Jack Isaacson excelled in his impersonations, which aroused hearty applause from the large audience. Another popular item was that of Harold Levitan and Solly Kessler who harmonized many well-known songs. Millie Glassman was yet another artist who sang two songs extremely well.

After the various items, dancing followed and the social concluded with the singing of Hatikvah.

GREEN & SEA POINT JEWISH GUILD

The above Society was greatly privileged on Monday evening, June 24th, when Rabbi Israel Abrahams was the guest speaker at

a meeting held at the club rooms. His subject was "Youth to-day and to-morrow." The Rabbi ably analysed the war issues emerging from recent developments, drawing a comparison between the reasons given by Marshal Petain for the surrender of France and the ability of Jewry to withstand disintegrating forces. His thought-provoking survey was very impressive and was greatly appreciated by all present.

After tea had been served, members of the audience put questions to which Rabbi Abrahams competently replied. A vote of thanks was proposed by Miss H. Sladen.

MAITLAND JUNIOR ZIONIST SOCIETY.

A Camp Fire Evening was held at the Communal Hall on Sunday, June 30th. This lively meeting started off with some community singing in Hebrew, English and Afrikaans. This was followed by a play, "The Proselyte," produced by Miss Saacks. Mr. J. Hanson of the Cape Executive then spoke on Present-day Jewish Affairs. A hot-dog feed rounded off a pleasant evening.

SEA POINT Z.Y.S.

There was a good attendance of members at a meeting held at the Zionist Hall on Sunday evening, June 30th, when an inter-debate took place with the C.T. Herzlia. The subject was "That S.A. Young Jewry has done its duty to its people." Miss H. Keyser and Mr. S. M. Levin moved on behalf of the visitors, while Messrs. D. Meyerowitz and M. Katovsky opposed for the hosts. When put to the vote, the motion was declared lost.

Mr. D. Lazarow ably conducted the proceedings from the chair.

ZIONIST ASSOCIATION OF STUDENTS—CAPE.

After a year of gradual but definite achievement the Zionist Association of Students held its General Elections on Thursday night, June 27th, at Rosecourt, Cape Town.

The meeting was well attended despite the fact that many of the members had returned already to their homes and the atmosphere was a most congenial and pleasant one for there was not a student present who had not written off the so-called June Tests.

After a News-Service and a delightful violin solo by Miss Rosenberg the Z.A.S. prepared itself for the summing-up. This record of the work of the year was presented by the chairman, Mr. V. Resnekov. Tribute was paid to the energy of Mr. S. M. Levin which was directly the cause of the formation of the Z.A.S. some fourteen months back and also to the work of two of the committee members—Miss Lulu Lurie and Mr. Claude Reitstein—who, due to various circumstances, had not been in a position to carry on their good work in the Association. There had been a regular series of meetings during the past twelve months, a successful Study Circle had been launched under the direction of Miss Ziona Cohen, and £50 had been contributed to the Keren Hayesod.

Mr. S. M. Levin, Chairman of the Cape Zionist Youth Executive, then addressed

the meeting. He pointed out that students, having more leisure than others, should take advantage of this and reflect upon their position in order to be able to do their best for the community in whose midst they were living. They should realise the need for a guiding philosophy in a changing world—a need more than adequately filled by Zionism. He wished the Association every success.

After thanking Mr. L. Mendelsohn and Miss R. Sive for helping the Committee with their services as vice-chairman and secretary respectively and expressing regret at the necessity that they felt for retiring, the elections were held and resulted as follows: Chairman, Mr. A. Walt; Vice-chairman, Mr. V. Resnekov; Secretary, Miss Leila Arens; Treasurer, Miss Pauline A. Hackner; additional members, Miss Ziona Cohen, Mr. Raymond Rabinowitz, Mr. Claude Reitstein.

The incoming Chairman, Mr. Alex Walt, in a witty little speech told the members that with the help of his strong committee he hoped to pull his weight. Those members and others who know Mr. Walt and his physique will appreciate the significance of that last remark.

The meeting concluded with the showing of a film dealing with maritime progress in Palestine. The future of the Zionist Association of Students will be watched with interest. It rests with the Committee to make it a success.

Union of Jewish Women.

The next meeting will take place at the Zionist Hall on Tuesday, July 9, at 3 p.m. Rabbi E. W. Kirzner will speak on "Eishes Chail—the Woman of Worth." All welcome.

THE LATE PROF. RABBI S. KLEIN.

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took tours twice a year to make their research of more value. As a result of their research his scholars wrote theses and articles which showed how successful they had been in their work. His success was due to his personal contact with his students, and every month he arranged gatherings at his home where he and his students discussed their individual work.

In addition to his work at the University he interested himself in all the scientific societies, and took an active part in every branch of Jewish life in the country. He delivered public lectures at different places on behalf of the University. He also lectured on behalf of the "Society for Research in the History of Eretz-Israel," being chairman of the society during the last few years of his life.

Prof. Klein encouraged his pupils to undertake research. Both in his daily contacts and his spiritual work he showed the same energy. He was very sensitive when he heard anything detrimental to the Jewish nation, and remained to the end a defender of everything Jewish. His students and the whole country mourn his loss and revere his memory.