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RABBI.

What teachest thou, Rabbi,
That man shall do and live?"

Grudge none; bring thou unsparingly
Thy choicest wine, and give;

Thy counsel is unplain;—
How give if wine be not?

Sell all thy goods, 'til knowledge stain
The edges of the Pot.

Then when the pot is filled—
What doth thy counsel say?

Empty it 'til the last be spilled;
Grudge lest one drop should stay.

Oh, Rabbi, answer me—
Poor, were I as before!—

What Jar except it emptied be,
Think you, is filled with more?

—Laura Spencer Portor in the Atlantic.

(For the Hebrew Standard)

עת לעשות לה' הפרו תורתך

"It is time to act for the Lord; they have
made void Thy law."

Jewish Ministers?

BY THE REV. MELDOLA DE SOLA.

IX.

Another radical who claims the designation of Jewish minister, and who is recognized as one, is Dr. I. S. Moses, of New York, the successor of Drs. Kohut and Huebsch.

That Dr. Moses voted for the abolition of Milath Gerim is not surprising in view of the heresies which illumine his record. In an article entitled "The Genesis of Religion," he asserts that "we believe in no mysterious, supernatural agency, an outward revelation, as is the technical term."

In one of his discourses Dr. Moses states: "According to that theory (the orthodox belief), God chose Israel from all the nations, redeemed them from slavery, revealed himself to them on Sinai, gave them a land overflowing with milk and honey, on condition that they would keep his law."

According to Dr. Moses, then, sacred truths that form the very foundation of our faith are merely "theories."

If the premises be simply theories, then the conclusions are theories, and Judaism is nothing more than a theory. Dr. Moses' claim to the designation of Jewish minister is likewise a theory, and a very weak one at that.

Dr. Moses asserts: "It is natural to assume that Moses did not write anything, for even the Ten Commandments are the outgrowth of a higher state of civilization than existed then."

Reformers like Dr. Moses have a great deal to say against the Bible upon the assumption that modern research has proved it to be unreliable. But if Dr. Moses would take the trouble to read some well known modern works, he would discover

Divine inspiration. But then Dr. Moses believes in "no mysterious, supernatural agency, an outward revelation, as is the technical term." To Dr. Moses the perfection of the creation does not reveal the perfection of the Creator. He wishes to credit the excellence of the Ten Commandments to humanity, not to their Divine Author; and the only way in which he can do this is to assert that they are "the outgrowth of a higher state of civilization than existed then"!

Again Dr. Moses: "The Canaan-

Aaron asserts that the more frequently the sublime and the holy, the beautiful and the true ideas which are comprehended under the name of God are worshipped, the better will it be for Israel and humanity.

According to Dr. Aaron, then, God is simply a word denoting ideas worthy of worship. And this monstrous statement is made by a man who is recognized as a Jewish minister!

It is unnecessary to multiply proofs of the un-Jewish standpoint of men who entertain such views. With

Speaking of the events which led to the Exodus, he observes: "Who can tell without corroborative evidence, how much of that wonderful tale is absolutely true? Folk-lore has wrapped the facts in its deftly woven, pleasant looking tunic." And then he proceeds to attribute other wonders of the Bible to the vagaries of folk-lore.

It would be interesting to learn how far Dr. Voorsanger thinks the vagaries of folk-lore have wrapped the Bible in a "definitely woven, pleasant looking tunic." If the "tale" of the Exodus be unreliable, the "tale" of the revelation at Sinai must be unreliable. And if the "tale" of that revelation be unreliable, why should we believe that God spake the words of the Decalogue as the "tale" asserts? Why believe that the Decalogue was a direct revelation by the Almighty?

Dr. M. H. Harris, of New York, observes: "We have learned to read the Bible in a new way. We are beginning to enter into the spirit of the ancient writers. We find that they did not write history first, then drawing morals from it; they wrote morals first, and myth as well as fact was then brought into service to illustrate and vivify the moral." In other words, the moralists of the Bible invented historical statements, or, to speak more plainly, manufactured falsehoods, to teach morality!

This is truly a marvelous discovery, one worthy of the colossal intellect of some of the enemies of the Bible who pose as Jewish ministers. Need I comment upon the far-reaching effect of Dr. Harris' discovery?

Then Dr. Harris tells us: "The Bible is an old book, containing some conclusions which we have outgrown." It seems to me that it is not merely some of the conclusions of the Bible that Dr. Harris has outgrown, but also that true Judaism which reveres the Bible as God's infallible Book!



Brooklyn Jewish Hospital--As it Will be When Completed.

that it is most unnatural "to assume Sayce, a pretty good authority, proves to us that "it would have been little that Moses did not write anything," short of a miracle had he not been a scribe." Was Dr. Moses speculating upon the Rip-Van-Winkleism of his hearers?

According to Dr. Moses the Ten Commandments are the outgrowth of a high state of civilization. They were not proclaimed by the Eternal at Sinai. And yet Dr. Moses is recognized as a Jewish minister!

It has never occurred to Dr. Moses that the infinite superiority of the Decalogue to the civilization of the time of the Exodus, and to other codes promulgated centuries later, is one of the conclusive proofs of its

ites were cultured, but immoral, and consequently worshipped gods of immorality; while, on the other hand, the Israelites, though uncultured, were more moral. Hence their God was a moral God."

In other words, Dr. Moses maintains that the God of Israel is simply an idea, an abstraction—an idea evolved from the brains of the children of Israel. And yet, I repeat, Dr. Moses is recognized as a Jewish minister!

Dr. Israel Aaron, of Buffalo, is another worshipper of that article in the Declaration of Principles of the Pittsburg Conference which declares that "Judaism presents the highest conception of the God-idea." In a communication to the press Dr.

the other Reform ministers whom I propose to notice, I shall merely cite one or two utterances to illustrate their heretical standpoint.

In an article on "The Old Testament," Dr. Leon Harrison refers to the Bible as "a master work of man." He speaks of "the so-called Books of Moses." He denies the infallibility of the Bible, and characterizes it as "a museum of religious ideas." He maintains that much of the Bible is legendary, mythical and unauthentic.

Comment upon this "Jewish minister" is hardly necessary. Dr. J. Voorsanger, of San Francisco, declares: "I do not believe either in the Messiah of Joseph or of David."

(For the Hebrew Standard)

BROOKLYN JEWISH HOSPITAL.

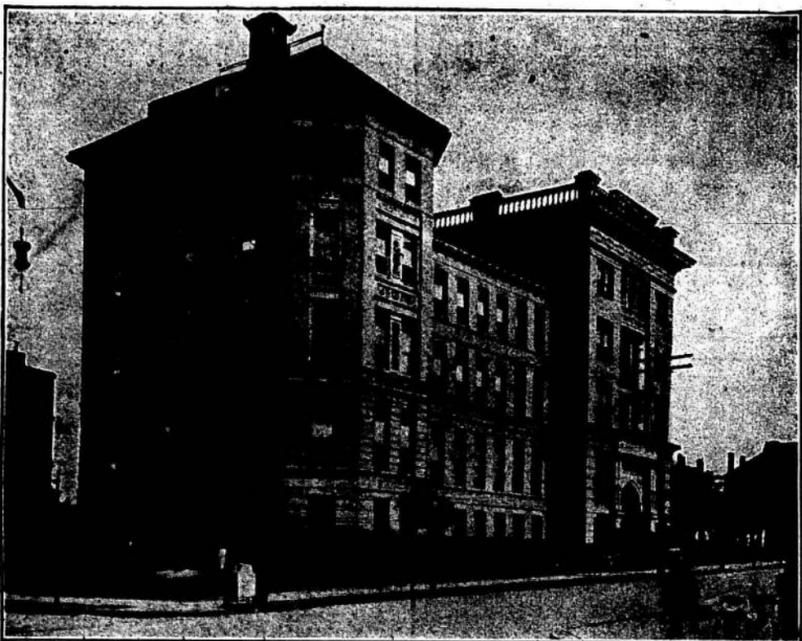
Its Origin, Growth and Needs.

BY NATHAN S. JONAS, Secretary.

THE Jewish Hospital, Brooklyn, New York, was incorporated November 9, 1901. Up to shortly before this time and for about six years a small but earnest number of Jews residing for the greater part in the crowded Sixteenth Ward of Brooklyn, had organized the Brooklyn Hebrew Hospital Society, the officers of which in 1901 were Robert Strahl, president; Morris Kotlowitz, treasurer; B. Moseson, secretary. Miss Mollie Marks was the leading spirit in the movement, assisted by a Young People's Auxiliary called the Young Friends' League. A Dispensary was being operated at No. 70 Johnson Avenue, and a fund had been accumulated of about \$2,300. The members were paying twenty-five cents each, monthly. The members were more or less discouraged because of lack of sym-

tribute \$25,000 if a similar sum was raised before December 1, 1904. This condition was met after a struggle, and among others, Mr. Jacob H. Schiff, Mr. Felix M. Warburg and Mr. Isidor Straus of Manhattan, contributed liberally. The membership in December, 1903, numbered about 1500, paying about \$11,000 annually. It was agreed that it would be inadvisable to build and reconstruct by raising a mortgage and the directors decided to go slowly and carefully.

An architect, Mr. George L. Morse, was engaged and plans prepared (about finished when this article is being written), and which calls for an expenditure to complete the building free and clear, of probably \$140,000. Of this amount \$90,000 is actually on hand in cash, February 1, 1905, and \$10,000 in pledges. The furnishing



THE PRESENT BUILDING.

thy on the part of the wealthier and more influential Jews.

When the new Society was organized the old Society turned over its assets and the management of the Dispensary to the Corporation. In April, 1902, Mr. A. Abraham offered to contribute \$10,000 if \$90,000 were raised within one year. This was accomplished after hard work, and included the proceeds of a Fair which netted about \$31,000. At this time the membership numbered about eleven hundred, contributing about \$5,000 a year in annual dues.

The Women's Auxiliary of the Jewish Hospital was organized and has contributed materially to the success of the movement.

In October, 1903, the Memorial Hospital Association of Brooklyn, became involved in financial difficulties and their property was sold under foreclosure, consisting of land 257 feet on Classon Avenue, 132 feet on Prospect Place, and 75 feet on St. Mark's Avenue, and a building constructed for hospital purposes but not properly adapted for our needs, it having been intended for a private instead of a charity hospital, as required for our purpose.

This property was purchased at public sale by the Jewish Hospital for \$96,000, all cash, one part of the building being only partially constructed. Mr. A. Abraham who had been prevailed upon to take the presidency of the Institution, now offered to con-

and equipping will cost about \$30,000, or a total of about \$70,000 more cash will be needed, and it has been decided to hold a second Grand Charity Fair in the Hospital building when completed, probably in November or December, 1905, to raise whatever balance may be needed in order to open the doors for patients without a dollar of debt owing by the Society.

The maintenance of the Hospital will be a great problem without paying interest on mortgages, and the lack of proper hospital accommodations in Brooklyn now, already indicate that the Hospital will be taxed to its full capacity shortly after opening.

Many poor Jewish families are now moving to Brooklyn from Manhattan, and the Jewish population of Brooklyn is now estimated at about 150,000, mainly people in very moderate circumstances.

The raising of \$200,000 in three years for the establishment of the Jewish Hospital is a step in advance for Brooklyn, and is full encouragement for the future.

The present membership numbers over 2300 paying about \$16,500 in annual dues.

There are four auxiliary societies, as follows: Women's Auxiliary, Young Friends' League, Aid Society and Brownsville People's Auxiliary.

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From the Four Corners of the Earth

At a meeting held in Lorain, O., on February 5, it was definitely decided to erect a synagogue. At present the local Jews have to go to Cleveland to worship.

Mr. Babette Braham, who died recently in St. Louis, Mo., made the following bequest to Jewish charities: \$50 to the Jewish Orphan Asylum of Cleveland, O.; \$500 to the Free Sons of Israel Cemetery of Chicago; \$500 to the Jewish Old Folks' Home of Chicago. After the various legacies are paid out the residue of the estate goes to David G. Braham.

At the tenth annual convention of the Progressive Order of the West, held recently, the delegates of the twenty-nine lodges of the society voted to establish a school for Hebrew children in St. Louis, where the Hebrew and English languages will be taught. One hundred dollars was appropriated from the funds of the society as a nucleus for the school fund, and members of the Supreme Lodge will endeavor to raise the additional sum necessary by subscription.

The following Grand officers were elected; Grand president, B. Franke; first deputy grand president, Robert Yatter; second deputy grand president, N. Kauffman, of Kansas City; third deputy grand president, Max Long, of Chicago; grand secretary, Gus Cytron; and grand treasurer, H. Albert.

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By LOUIS MARSHALL.

(Continued).

He took his degree, but failed to receive the appointment. The congregation had received information that Zunz was not an Adonis and that he did not observe all of the ancient ceremonies. Other candidates had appeared on the scene, who had friends in the congregation, and at last, after two years of weary waiting, the choice fell, as is usual in such cases, upon the least worthy; and yet Rieser, apropos of the subject of trial sermons had dared to say, that ordinarily the congregations to whom they are delivered are scarcely capable of forming a judgment; that they decide upon miserable trivialities, accidental circumstances, caprice, momentary hallucinations, blind confidence, and receive with enthusiasm, and trumpet abroad a masterpiece, intolerable emptiness.

How different our times, when conditions do not exist, and when a Zunz, should he appear, would be recognized at once!

Other congregations considered Zunz (that is the proper phrase). Among them, New York, in 1833; but one experience like that through which he was then passing seem to him enough. Happy Zunz! Fortunate Judaism!

In the interval of this almost tragic episode, Zunz taught, wrote and studied with the greatest equanimity. His only regret was, that he was unable so undertake a journey to Paris and Oxford, to study manuscripts which existed nowhere else. He sighed for a Jewish capitalist, who would furnish the necessary funds.

"Were I a horse, a prima donna or an unprincipled hypocrite"—said he. But he was compelled to labor, and to wait.

But fortune seemed to smile on him at last. A religious society had been formed at Prague, with the imposing title *Der Verein zur Verbesserung des Israelitischen Kultus*, and a preacher was sought. Again warm friends induced Zunz to become a candidate, and once more an extended correspondence followed. A contract was entered into, containing elaborate provisions; one of which was that Dr. Zunz had the right of terminating the

contract by giving notice either in January or July of any year.

He departed from his beloved Berlin, which had been so unkind to him, with a heavy heart, and reached his new field of endeavor in September 1835. He was soon disillusionized, if any illusion survived his correspondence. The conditions in the congregation, the provincialism of the social and public life, were so abhorrent to his ideals, that, after he had been at Prague fifty days, he tendered his resignation, and returned to Berlin as soon as his contract permitted.

The man who was recognized as one of the three great scholars of Europe, the greatest Jewish thinker since Spinoza, the friend of Heine, who was admired for his talents by Humboldt, was then compelled to support his family by visiting a wealthy and crochety old man several times a week, as a companion, at an annual salary of about \$150. He wrote for encyclopedias; conducted a translation of the Bible; and reaped great glory, but no compensation, from the congregation, by writing a learned essay on the "Names of Jews," for the purpose of reducing to an absurdity a decree of the Prussian cabinet, prohibiting Jews from taking Christian names.

But in spite of all his external misery, he remained cheerful and happy, for he lived in a world of thought and ideals; filled with love for his people, and sympathy and admiration for their past; and above all, thrilled in every fibre with the spirit of true religion.

It was not until 1840, that this struggle for existence ended. The Berlin community at length began to recognize his worth, and when it established its teacher's seminary, he was placed at its head, where he remained until 1856, retiring on a pension.

The narrative of his life may prop-

erly be interrupted, in order that we may form some conception of the nature and extent of the literary activity and the mental power of this remarkable man; accomplished under the unfavorable conditions thus inadequately portrayed.

His important works which have been enumerated, covered the field of Hebrew liturgy, poetry and literature, of the middle ages—a period of nearly fifteen centuries. They involved a close study of the history of the congregation scattered from the Orient to the Irish Sea. The existence of a great literature, emanating from a people that was the sport of wind and wave, the victim of hatred and prejudice, an exile wherever it sojournd, was scarcely to be surmised. Here and there, a prayer couched in elegiac form, moved those who understood it to tears, but even scholars seemed unaware of the hidden treasures which were buried in oblivion. With the eye of genius, and the intuition of a poet, Zunz divined, not only the existence, but the superlative value of that which had been wrought in secret, and of a nation's tears that had been crystallized song.

Out of chaos, he brought forth order. He made a part of himself, every book that became accessible to him. He corresponded with learned men, with respect to such as were beyond his reach. He pored over manuscripts. He confined himself to no age or period, to no state or country. Spain, France, Italy, Germany, Cyprus, Byzantium, Russia; came within his mental ken, and a great multitude of unknown and forgotten writers, touched by his magic wand, revived, and spoke once more to those that lent a sympathetic ear. He assigned them all to the periods to which they belonged. He classified them. He evolved their theories of literary form, and style, and read out of them the exalted thoughts to which faith, and hope, and trust in God, gave utterance.

Not content with mere discovery which would denote to students the

presence of the golden sands of poetry, he brought forth to the world, in a form that all might understand, the precious heritage of a religious people. He translated into verse of classic beauty, in artistic form, replete with feeling and with the exaltation of true devoutness, hundreds of poems of master minds, which, but for him, would have never more been heard.

He not only possessed the exact knowledge of the scholar, the patience required of him who engages in scientific research, but he was likewise endowed with the rare skill of clothing his work in such a garb, as to make in interesting; nay, fascinating, to the ordinary reader.

It is not everybody who can popularize philology and grammar, exegesis and bibliography, annals, ceremonial ritual, ethics, morals and homely philosophy, numismatics and typography. But he had the power of impressing the human note upon these otherwise dry subjects, and of clothing them with life, and causing the warm blood of sympathy to pulse through them.

Do you wish a specimen of his literary style? Listen to these majestic words from the *Synagogale Poesie*:

"Wenn es eine Stufenleiter von Leiden giebt, so hat Israel die hochste Staffel erstiegen; wenn die Dauer der Schmerzen und die Geduld, mit welcher sie ertragen werden, adeln, so nehmen es die Juden mit den Hochgeborenen aller Laender auf; wenn eine Literatur reich genannt wird, die wenige klassische Trauerspiele besitzt, welcher Platz gebuehrt dann einer Tragodie, die anderhalb Jahrtausende waehrt, gedichtet und dargestellt von den Helden selber?"

George Eliot deemed these words worthy of transcription in Daniel Deronda. But mark the difference between the original text, and the translation of one who was herself a genius:

"If there are ranks in suffering, Israel takes precedence of all the nations; if the duration of sorrows and the patience with which they are born ennoble, the Jews are among

the aristocracy of every land; if a literature is called rich in the possession of a few classic tragedies, what shall we say to a national tragedy lasting for fifteen hundred years, in which the poets and the actors were also the heroes?"

These impressed words are the keynote of much of the work wrought by Zunz, and picture the mental attitude with which he approached the self-imposed task, of enabling these poets, actors and heroes, to live again.

The ground upon which he stood, was to him holy. He listened to the voices of the past with piety. To him, they sounded the motif of Israel's one long cry for God. One would search in vain, through all the writings of this marvelous man, for one ignoble and unworthy thought.

All of his literary achievements were constructive, and not destructive. He resurrected from an untimely grave, thoughts and ideas, and artistic imagery, that oppression and intolerance had sought to immolate. His was not the function of intellectual vandalism. What though the settings of the gems which he discerned were archaic, or their lustre dimmed by contiguity with dust and ashes? His was the task to make them once more effulgent, to delight the mind, and to elevate the soul of the beholder.

(To be concluded.)

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THE NEEDS OF HARLEM JEWRY.

Enthusiastic Meeting

Under the auspices of the Independent Order B'nai B'rith and the Young People's League of Temple Israel, Harlem, an enthusiastic meeting was held on Monday in Temple Israel for the purpose of discussing the growing communal needs of Harlem Jewry.

Mr. P. Cowen, president of Washington Irving Lodge, I. O. B. B., opened the meeting with a few appropriate remarks in which he pointed out the absolute necessity of uniting for communal work.

Address by Daniel P. Hays.

Mr. Daniel P. Hays, the president of Temple Israel, who assumed the chair, delivered an address on the "Needs of Harlem Jewry." He said:

If there is one principle which Judaism teaches more than any other, it is that all men are brothers and are created in the image of one Father. This belief imposes upon us not only the obligation of caring for our fellowbeings in sickness and assisting them when in distress, but makes us to a large extent responsible for their intellectual, moral and social welfare.

The individual who seeks only his own material advantage or to gratify the pleasures of taste and appetite, is not fulfilling his full duty in life, no matter how pure a life he may lead or how fully he may perform his obligations to his own immediate family. While this fraternal responsibility rests upon all mankind, it would seem as though the Jew was charged with a greater share of it than his fellowman of other races and religions.

For generations he has been persecuted and denied the privilege of liberty and fraternity. Thank God that the light of His love has so far reached mankind that there are only a few corners of the earth which are still shrouded in darkness. From these remote corners many of our brethren have escaped, and the result is that to this land of liberty they have flocked in large numbers. Here in the city of New York, where opportunity presents itself at every hand, we find an enormous population of Jews, who have in the countries from which they came been treated little better, if as well, as dumb animals.

Conditions in this city have so changed and the population of these refugees has so increased that the field has outgrown the Alliance and the demand has arisen for new and additional forces to join in this fraternal work. Physical changes in the neighborhood in which they formerly lived and a betterment of their material condition, has driven large numbers into this part of the city. Investigations recently undertaken by this congregation have revealed the fact that an enormous population of this class of our co-religionists is now living on the East Side of Harlem. I am asked to speak upon the subject of their "needs."

So far as their physical welfare is concerned, I am satisfied that we are doing nearly the full measure of our duty. But their moral, ethical and religious needs are many, and demand our most careful consideration and immediate help. We may divide the children of these people into two classes—one, who receive at the hands of their parents, the old-fashioned Orthodox Jewish education at home, and those who receive practically none.

Rabbi Harris' Speech.

The Rev. Dr. M. H. Harris followed with an outline of the work already accomplished, notably by the Harlem Educational Union. He said:

In most physical ailments it is harder to diagnose the disease; in moral to furnish the remedy. For delinquents do not seek to be cured; they have to be sought and even then will resent treatment.

The masses with whom we have to deal are certainly not delinquents, yet many evils, both physical and moral, arise from the mere fact of their being masses.

The Jews have always regarded themselves as wholly responsible for the needs of their community. But New York Jewry has been adding to its numbers faster than it could assimilate them. There are more Jews in Harlem than in the whole of London—yet London is alarmed at its vast "alien immigration." They are not a poverty-stricken class on this upper East Side. Our Sisterhoods, aided by the United Hebrew Charities, manage to meet the needs of relief. But we were forcibly reminded about a year ago that "not on bread alone doth man live."

Although Temple Israel of Harlem had been supporting, in addition to its congregational school, a mission school of 250, we were informed that there were in Harlem perhaps 20,000 Jewish children more or less religiously neglected.

The knowledge came through the public schools. The Harlem streets were training toughs. The girls were receiving no training in faith and duty that were needed to resist the temptations of a great city.

We summoned the presidents and ministers of all the Harlem congregations. Most of these ministered to the needs of adults—in a fashion, but overlooked the children, particularly the girls. At the same time, we called a mass meeting of the parents and tried to open their eyes to the dangers besetting their children.

A temporary organization was formed and four mission schools were started. To this was added later a Boys' Brigade, both to lure them from the streets and to teach them discipline and honor. But we soon came to realize that the numbers to be reached were so many and the social and uplifting activities to be set in motion so varied, that it would be necessary to call into play the co-operation of our brethren at large, at least those living above 86th street, to come forward and bear their share of this great burden. For the sake of our civic and our religious responsibilities that burden dare not be shirked. It is up to you! What are you going to do about it?

Resolutions.

On the motion of Dr. Ludwig B. Bernstein, superintendent of the Hebrew Sheltering Guardian Asylum, the following resolutions, adopted at a conference of B'nai B'rith Lodges, were unanimously agreed to.

"The General Committee of District No. 1 at a meeting held Saturday evening, Feb. 11, having received from representatives of several lodges that had held a conference upon the matter, a report of the religious and social conditions of the Jewish community of Harlem, has

"Resolved, That it recognizes the need in this community of energetic service, of unselfish and philanthropic effort; and that it recommends to local lodges the advisability of co-operation in uplifting work as a legitimate part of the functions of the I. O. B. B.

"Resolved, That it is the sense of this gathering that there be appointed by the chairman two committees of five each to report at a future meeting of the Jewish people of Harlem, each committee to have the power to add to its number. That one of these committees shall carefully inquire into the character, the number, and the social and economic condition of the Jewish people living in such sections of Harlem as they believe should form the field of communal effort, the character of work that, in their judgment, will be most helpful in the interests of good citizenship and of our common faith, and the likely responsiveness of the people to such work. That the second committee shall make a careful canvass of the various Jewish activities existent above 75th street, religious, social, benevolent and educational; ascertain to what extent they can be depended upon to co-operate in the work of the community; and what accommodations there are at the disposal of the various organizations referred to that could be utilized in a proposed scheme of work which they shall outline. That these committees shall report hereafter a plan of work together with an estimate of the cost of conducting the same, and the method they propose for meeting the expenses thereof."

Oration by Hon. Simon Wolf.

The last speaker was the Hon. Simon Wolf, of Washington, D. C., president of the Executive Committee of the I. O. B. B., who debated upon "The Duty of the Individual to the Community." After paying a tribute to the memory of Lincoln, Mr. Wolf spoke of the work accomplished by the B'nai B'rith in the past and of the possibilities for the organization in the future. He dwelt upon the necessity of helping the Jewish immigrants to this country and of the necessity of the members of the B'nai B'rith taking part in general communal work. As regards the movement begun in Harlem, he promised financial aid.

The benediction was pronounced by the Rev. Dr. J. Mandel. Between the various addresses 25 girls of the Hebrew Sheltering Guardian Asylum sang. Mme. Pfaff, of the Temple choir, rendered a solo; Mr. P. Gordoyn played a violin solo, Mr. Frank E. Ward was the organist. All those interested in the work are requested to communicate with Mr. M. Beckhardt, the secretary, 119 East 118th street.

Dr. E. G. Hirsch on "The Jewish Religion."

On Saturday morning last at the Temple Ahawath Chesed Shaar Hashomayim the Rev. Dr. E. G. Hirsch, of Chicago, delivered a sermon. There was present a large congregation which listened attentively to the address. As an orator Rabbi Hirsch has no equal in the Jewish pulpit in this country, and for Jewish scholarship he stands like Gulliver among his Lilliputian reform colleagues. If all those present came to the Temple with the expectation of listening to a diatribe against Orthodoxy or a fulsome eulogy on reform, they were disappointed, for, with the exception of one or two unpremeditated lapsi linguæ, the sermon might have been delivered by an Orthodox rabbi, who received his smeecha from Rabbi Ridwas and his ultra Orthodox colleague.

At the outset Dr. Hirsch gave expression to the gratification he felt in occupying the pulpit from which Rabbis Huebsch and Kohut held forth. He denied that they of the West were all iconoclasts. Indeed, he thought there was more iconoclasm in New York than West of Chicago. Whether the ozone of New York city has the tendency to develop the germs of conservatism which lie deep at the root of Jewish learning wherever it is found we do not know, but it is certain that the distinguished visitor from the Windy City generally preaches more conservative sermons when he is away from home than he does at Temple Sinai. It may be that in his old age Dr. Hirsch may become a Baal T'shubah. We hope so, for

"While the lamp holds out to burn,

The vilest sinner may return."

Taking for his text the Sedra of the week, dealing with the construction of the Temple in the wilderness, Dr. Hirsch said that there was no mystery in Judaism; that the Jewish religion had nothing to conceal, but that everything was distinctly plain. He sneered at the Rabbis who "out of the fullness of their ignorance" preached against Talmudism. He said that the Jewish religion never concerned itself with the future life, with immortality. The Jews never troubled themselves about "a rapid transit to heaven or a subway arrangement to the other place." In the past they never heard sermons preached about the existence of God and the immortality of the soul, and such topics. The Jewish religion concerned itself with the present state. The very things used in the making up of the tabernacle, the temple, the candelabra, the cherubim typified husband and wife, and domestic life. Speak of ceremonies Dr. Hirsch said that no synod or rabbinical conference had ever declared against the laying of Tefillin, etc. Like the Tent of Convocation in the wilderness was movable so the ceremonies could be rearranged in conformity with modern requirements. Continuing, the speaker said when Moses was receiving the tablets from God the Talmud recorded and angels protested with the Almighty for giving His laws to mere man.

God said to Moses defend yourself. And in reply Moses said to the angels, What need have you of the commandment, I am the Lord, the God? Do you need to be told not to worship idols? Are you to be commanded not to break the Sabbath day? Must you honor your parents? Is it necessary that you should be commanded not to bear false witness against your neighbors? Not to covet what your neighbors possess. Not to break the marital vow? And the angels answered no, and Moses took the law to the people. The Jewish religion was a religion for the people and by the people. There was no mystery, there was nothing strange in the people's religion.

Hebrew Choral Society.

There is a movement on foot to establish a choral society for ancient Hebrew melodies. The members will meet once a fortnight (time and place to be decided according to their wishes) in order to practice their traditional beautiful songs of the past. The melodies have been harmonized for four voices and will be taught free of charge by a teacher highly recommended by Mr. Frank Damrosch. Ladies and gentlemen desiring to join are requested to send their names and addresses to MRS. MATHILDE S. SCHECHTER, 620 West 115th street.

CONGREGATION B'NAI ISRAEL

Dedication of New Brooklyn Synagogue.

Despite the inclement weather on Sunday last, a large congregation assembled in the new synagogue of Congregation B'nai Israel, 52d street and Third avenue, Brooklyn, to witness its dedication. The congregation was organized several years ago and is composed of two small congregations, the United Brethren and Emanuel. Owing to the indefatigable labor of the officers, particularly of Mr. Max Kurzrok, the vice-president, the present structure—formerly a Reformed Church—was transferred to a handsome Jewish place of worship.

Preceded by four little girls dressed in white, one of whom, Carrie Greenberg, carried a gold key on a cushion, the procession wended its way into the synagogue, to the beautiful singing of Rev. A. Minkowsky, the reader of the Henry Street Synagogue, and his excellent choir. After an opening prayer by the Rev. Dr. J. Schulman, of the 79th Street

lyn, and Mr. Harry R. Meyer. The last speaker was Congressman H. M. Goldfogle, who spoke of the liberal principles of Judaism, and of the advantages the Jew enjoyed in this particular loving country. It was necessary, however, that the American Jew and especially the Jewish youth, should know what Judaism stood for and be impregnated with thoroughly Jewish spirit.

The service concluded with the singing of Adon Olan, and "My Country 'Tis of Thee," and a closing prayer by Rev. Joseph Segal.

Subsequently the members and the guests were entertained at a banquet in the school rooms attached to the synagogue and an excellent entertainment under the direction of Mr. E. E. Falke, chairman of the Entertainment Committee.

It is especially noteworthy that the ladies of the congregation evince a deep



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Synagogue, Brooklyn, Mr. Max Warschauer, chairman of the Building Committee, presented the golden key to Mr. Bernard Greenberg, the president of the congregation. The former delivered an interesting address on the history of the congregation and the latter replied in a few proper words. The perpetual lamp was lit by Mr. Epstein and a prayer was recited by the Rev. Joseph Segal, after which the scrolls of the law were deposited in the ark.

The first speaker was the Rev. Dr. J. Magnes, of Temple Israel, who brought the best wishes from a sister congregation. In eloquent terms he dwelt upon the purposes of a synagogue, the nationality of the Jew and the necessity of preserving the Jewish faith in its entirety. He was followed by the Rev. Dr. A. Lyons, of the State Street Temple, who delivered the dedication sermon. Dr. Lyons spoke of the need of religion and especially of the Jewish religion, for the Jewish people. In scathing terms he referred to the Ethical Culturists, who he said, were Jews too cowardly to proclaim their Judaism. As Jews it was their duty to be steadfast to their faith, proclaim it, and if necessary to propagate it.

Addresses were also made by the Hon. Ed. D. Kaufman, county clerk of Brook-

lyn, and Mr. Harry R. Meyer. The last speaker was Congressman H. M. Goldfogle, who spoke of the liberal principles of Judaism, and of the advantages the Jew enjoyed in this particular loving country. It was necessary, however, that the American Jew and especially the Jewish youth, should know what Judaism stood for and be impregnated with thoroughly Jewish spirit.

The younger element is also not forgotten. Religious classes are conducted under the direction of Mr. Joseph Basch and the honorary teachers are: The Misses Korinck, Malkawsky, Nomberg and Mr. E. E. Falke.

The officers of the United Sisters are: Mrs. B. Falke, president; Mrs. A. Latimer, vice-president; Joseph Basch, treasurer; and Mr. E. E. Falke, secretary.

The affairs of the Young Folks' League are managed by I. I. Gans, president; Miss M. Korinck, vice-president; Miss L. Greenberg, financial secretary; Miss I. Frank, recording secretary; H. Falke, treasurer; E. E. Falke, advisory to the board officers.

The officers of the congregation are: Bernard Greenberg, president; Max Kurzrok, vice-president; Jos. Fasch, treasurer; Ephraim E. Falke, Ph. G., recording secretary; Herbert E. Falke, financial secretary. Trustees: B. Greenberg, Max Warschauer, Joseph Weinberg, Dayve B. DeWaltoff, M. D., Ephraim E. Falke, Ph.G., Charles Meschel, Simon Frank, Max Kurzrok, Joseph Basch, Joseph Dreyfuss, S. Lisanick, Herbert F. Falke.

The Building Committee consisted of Max Warschauer, chairman; B. Greenberg, Morris A. Liebert, Harry Gans, Harry Korinck, Asher Dann, Louis J. Seleznick, Max Kurzrok, William Miller, Julius Herberg, Charles Meschel, Morris Kaplan, Isaac Frank, Charles Joseph.

Y. M. H. A.

On Sunday evening, Feb. 12, a joint debate and entertainment was given by the E. C. Stone Literary Society and the Lincoln Douglas Debating Society. The subject of debate was: "Resolved, that the time has come when the policy of protection can be abandoned by the United States." The judges, Rev. Dr. B. Drachman and Mr. Chas. G. F. Wahle, awarded the decision to the Lincoln Douglas debaters, who upheld the negative side.

The services for children held in the building every Saturday afternoon are being well attended, and are open to all children 10 years of age and above. On last Saturday afternoon Mr. Mitchell addressed the children. A fencing circle has recently been organized, instruction being given by an expert master of this fine art. The boys hope to gain in dexterity and general development as a result of this exercise. An entertainment consisting of superb moving pictures and good professional talent will be given for the benefit of the Vacation Camp on Sunday evening, Feb. 19. Tickets 25 cents, members 15 cents. The same may now be obtained at the office.

Congregation Zichron Ephraim.

There will be a fair in aid of the Hebrew Free School of this congregation in the vestry rooms of the synagogue, East 67th street, between Third and Lexington avenues, on the evenings of the 21st, 22d, 23d and 25th inst., and in the afternoon of Washington's Birthday. The fair will be in charge of the Sisterhood of the Congregation and every effort will be made to make it interesting. The booths will be well stocked with fine goods, and in charge of charming young ladies. There will also be vocal and instrumental music and many other features. The afternoon of the 22d will be devoted to the little tots. As the receipts will be devoted to the maintenance of the Free School, which give religious and moral training to two hundred and fifty children, it is expected that the Jewish patronage will patronize this worthy cause. Donations may be forwarded to Mrs. J. J. Dukas, president of the Sisterhood, at the Synagogue.

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A Serious Condition.

The Eastern Medical Society of the city of New York held a meeting at Clinton Hall on Friday last for the discussion of "the prevalence of crimes against young girls and the duties of the medical profession in relation thereto."

Miss Julia Richman, district superintendent of the Department of Education, gave a shocking account of experiences she had had in her work among the children and the conditions which at present exist.

"The cadet system," she said, "is still in force in the east side districts, although it is not on the increase. The publicity the press and social organizations have given the subject has prevented it from spreading, but the general belief that the disgraceful system is crushed has no foundation in fact. The cadet system is no worse, but it is quite as bad as it ever was. At least my experience leads me to think so.

"I was scarcely three weeks in my official capacity in the east side school before I saw that the smallest of my duties was pedagogy and instruction of the young. I found that little boys were being made into pickpockets and petty thieves, and that little girls, mere babies, were being ruined. It may seem incredible to you, it would have seemed so to me, had I not seen the horrifying condition with my own eyes.

"I remember one case particularly—that of Sarah Rusak, a little girl seven years and one month old. She was taken from the school one afternoon by a little girl eleven years old and turned over to a wretch—a man whose identity our most vigorous efforts could not disclose. Other girls even younger have been most hideously and foully used and after a few weeks returned to their mothers. This may seem incredible, but it is true. Now the question is, What can we do? Well, what you doctors can do is this:

"Warn the parents. Ignorance on the part of fathers and mothers is one of the chief causes. Have them tell their little girls, no matter how young, that to accept candy from strange men or to go away with any one who offers them money or toys may mean death. The mother will believe a doctor when she wouldn't believe a woman teacher or inspector.

B'nai Jeshurun Junior Sisterhood.

A subscription dance will be given by the members of the Junior Sisterhood of the Madison Avenue Synagogue on Saturday evening, Feb. 23, 1905, at the Leslie, Eighty-third street and Broadway.

Among the young ladies taking part in the work of this affair are the Misses Sophie Liebowitz, Blanche Sobel, Miriam Mayer, Bertha Lowenstein, Mildred Levinson, Etta J. Federman, Rose Meltsner, Miriam Raphael, Victoria Moss, Fannie Levinsky, Irma Rosenberg, Hattie Altman, Anna Jacobs and Adele Baron.

Young Women's Hebrew Association.

The social club will hold an informal dance at Westminster Hall on Saturday evening, Feb. 18. The affair is given for their friends. The Bible class will hold its second social of the season on Sunday evening, Feb. 19. An interesting programme is being arranged. The monthly social for members only, in the form of a valentine party, will take place Sunday evening, Feb. 26. The games usually connected with this holiday will be played and prizes given. A speed class for stenographers is being organized. Any member of the association is eligible to join this class.

Meltzky Sphath Eber.

A lecture under the auspices of this society will be held on Wednesday, Feb. 22, 1905, at 8 p. m., at the Assembly Hall of the Educational Alliance, corner East Broadway and Jefferson street, by the celebrated Hebrew educator, Dr. S. Benderly, of Baltimore, on "Modern Hebrew Education."

Degel Zion Society.

A literary meeting will take place on Thursday, Feb. 23, 1905, at 8 o'clock p. m., at Progress Assembly Rooms, 28-30 Avenue A. Rev. A. Abelson will lecture on the "Hebrew Literature." A discussion will follow.

Students' Zionist League.

An open meeting will be held on Saturday evening, Feb. 18, at 8 o'clock, in the exhibition room of the Educational Alliance. Dr. D. Blaustein will deliver an address on "The Persecution of the Russian and Roumanian Jews."

Temple Israel Branch.

Temple Israel Branch, which is situated at 311-313 East 116th street, celebrated the second anniversary of its morning services on Saturdays, last week. Services are held every Friday evening and Saturday morning. All are welcome.

New Era Club Installation.

The first annual installation of officers of the New Era Club took place last Thursday evening at the pretty little club house, 276 East Broadway. The chairmen of standing committees and the minor officers were installed by Dr. A. L. Wolbarst, the president, who in turn was installed by the Hon. A. S. Solomons, one of the founders of the club. The exercises were opened with an appropriate benediction by the Rev. Aaron Eiseman, and were closed by the entire audience rising and singing "America" and the "Star Spangled Banner."

An interesting feature of the exercises was the presentation of a handsome silver loving cup by the members of the club to Dr. Wolbarst, who has just entered on his fifth term as president.

The presentation address was made by Mr. Israel Hecker, the chairman of the Executive Committee of the club, who was followed by Mr. Israel Ellis on behalf of the Board of Directors. Dr. Wolbarst was agreeably surprised by the gift and responded in a few feeling remarks. In the future, it is expected, the installation exercises will assume a more public character.

Mr. F. Younkers will be the speaker this Friday evening. Elaborate preparations are being made for the celebration of Washington's Birthday.

Spanish and Portuguese Synagogue.

Rev. H. Abramowitz, minister of the German congregation of Montreal, Canada, preached by invitation in this Synagogue on Sabbath last. He took for his text, "Thou shalt also make a table * * * and thou shalt overlay it with pure gold, and shall make thereto a crown of gold round about. * * * Ex. 25, 23 and 24. Mr. Abramowitz delivered a very eloquent sermon in a style unfortunately too rare, and both the matter and the intensely Jewish spirit that pervaded the lecture made a favorable impression upon the congregation. That the observance of Judaism would lead to life crowned with a consciousness of a duty performed both to God and man was the thought that inspired the preacher. Mr. Abramowitz is a young man of very

great promise, and when we have said that this one opportunity that we have had to listen to him fills us with hope that we shall often hear him again.

Jewish Endeavor Society.

The annual ball and entertainment of this society took place on Saturday evening last at the Tuxedo, and although the arrangement committee had made every preparation for a large attendance many had to be turned away for lack of room.

The entertainment, a new feature, was quite successful. The pupils of Josephy Horodas, the Misses Friedman and McCoy, played well and did full justice to their master. Mr. Isidor Irving Meyer of the "Three Entertainers," performed the very difficult act of "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde." Miss Lillian Marcus assisted in the entertainment with her playing and was encored again and again.

The society begs to announce that its lecture for the fortnight will be held Sunday evening, Feb. 19, at 8.30 p. m., at the Educational Alliance, Room 42, Rev. Dr. Bernard Drachman speaking on "The Sabbath, Practical and Ethical."

The Bible and Hebrew classes held every Saturday evening at the Educational Alliance, Room 22, by Messrs. Abraham M. Herschman and Jacob A. Dolgenas, and are still open to all who wish to attend.

The report of the schools at present is quite satisfactory. Those downtown are progressing and the new one at Harlem at 1586 Lexington avenue is reported by its principal, Miss I. M. Stern, as being very promising. The teachers are Mr. Pincus Diamondstein, Mr. Max Birnkrant, Miss Seiderman and Miss I. M. Stern.

Home of Daughters of Jacob.

Several thousand dollars were added to the treasury of this institution, and the inclemency of the weather had no ill effect upon the attendance which numbered several thousand at the ball on Sunday evening at the Grand Central Palace. The costumes of the ladies were exceptionally rich, and the talent of the entertainment was provided by a Mr. George J. Krauss of the Dewey Theatre. Every number was well received and much applauded. The Home of the Daughters of Jacob is eighteen years in existence and is at present located at No. 40 Gouverneur St. The object of the society is to provide for old Jewish men and women, that have passed their sixtieth year to the end of their days. The proceeds of the affair will be used for the building fund. Part of this fund, which was, however, three years given, has already been used for the purchase of the new building. This new edifice is located at 302-303 East Broadway, and will be dedicated on March 5.

Attereth Zion.

This (Friday) evening Dr. Ezekiel Leavitt will deliver a lecture on "Our Duties" at the rooms of the society, 234 Madison street.

The President's Visit.

President Roosevelt came to New York on Monday and Tuesday, when he was the guest of the Republican Club, of which our well known communal worker, Mr. Louis Stern, is president, and of the Hungarian Republican Club on the lower East Side. These two organizations entertained him to banquets and President Roosevelt was enthusiastically received, especially in the Jewish quarter in which the last mentioned club is situated. It is the first visit a President of the United States ever paid to the great East Side of this city. Among those present at the Republican Club dinner were Mr. Louis Stern, who presided, Oscar S. Strauss, Jacob H. Schiff, Edward Lauterbach, Senator Elsbach, Mortimer L. Schiff, and the Rev. Dr. J. Silverman. At the Hungarian dinner, which took place in the famous Cafe Liberty, better known as Little Hungary, special immigration officer Marcus Brown occupied the chair and among our co-religionists who attended the function were: Jacob A. cantor. Attorney-General Mayer, Louis Stern, Abraham Gruber, Abraham Levy, Senator Martin Saxe. Practically the large majority of the club are members of the Jewish faith.

At the Hungarian Republican Club dinner President Roosevelt made the following reference to the East Side:

"I have endeavored, when I have been brought in contact with the East Side in the course of any work in which I have been engaged, so to handle myself that the East Side might be a little better for it. I do not know whether I succeeded or not, but I do know that I have always been the better myself for contact with the East Side."



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Hebrew Technical School for Girls.

On Lincoln's Birthday, Feb. 13, the Hebrew Technical School for Girls at 267 Henry street, an institution which has been in existence for the last twenty years, opened its doors to the public. The exhibition was, however, mainly for the benefit of the parents and friends of the students of the school. Over 200 guests were present. The school held its sessions regularly and the finished work that had been accomplished was on exhibition.

There are two courses in this school, a manual course, consisting of machine and hand sewing, fine hand embroidery, designing, and drawing, water color work, and a home course in millinery and dressmaking. The commercial course consists of bookkeeping, stenography and typewriting, penmanship, English, literature and commercial law.

The pupils in both courses are fitted and capable at the end of the school year to earn their own living and a good living for young beginners. The graduates of the commercial department usually start with a salary of five dollars per week and some of them earn at the end of three or four years \$20 to \$25 per week.

The manual department fits the students to become fine skilled artisans. A number of them are employed by the school itself, which has a very successful order department. Some of the work exhibited was wonderfully fine. It caused a great deal of surprise and gave great pleasure to the many visitors who came to admire and found good cause for their admiration. Exquisite hand embroidered lingerie waists valued as high as \$25 apiece were shown; silk skirts of exquisite workmanship and infants' gar-

ments. A large number of orders was given by the enthusiastic visitors and the order department will have to hustle to turn out the many new orders received.

The school, which was started twenty years ago by Mrs. Minnie D. Louis, began as a little Sabbath school on East Broadway. It is to-day under the able and masterly supervision of its new president a great factor in the upward trend of the community. It has its recognized place and will be missed from the neighborhood where it has been so long established, when it moves to its new, large and commodious quarters on 15th street and Second avenue; but there is no doubt that the pupils will follow it eagerly wherever it establishes itself.

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Spread over us Thy tent of peace!
Show us the path to tread,
That we may rightly live our lives,
By Thy good counsel led.

For Thy Name's sake, O save us now;
Shield us from every foe.
Remove from us sickness and sword,
Famine and scourge and woe.

Take from before us and behind
The enemy, Beneath Thy wing
O shelter us! Our Guardian Thou!
Our Saviour! Gracious King!

Our going out and coming in
Guard Thou in life and peace
For evermore! We bless Thee, Lord!
Thy mercies never cease!

The Father of his Country.

MY DEAR CHILDREN:-

On Wednesday next, the 22nd of February, the anniversary of the birth day of the first president of the United States occurs, and it is but right, that although George Washington is not among the living of to-day, we should still celebrate the event for the debt of gratitude which, the citizens of this country owe him, can never be repaid.

Although there have been great men since the days of Washington, still America practically owes its present greatness to the foresight and careful planning of George Washington. He laid the foundations upon which others have builded. A country has to be built like a house. First the foundation is laid and then you go on building the walls placing the roof and doing all the work needed to complete the structure. The durability and strength of the house depend upon the foundations, and when bad material and careless workmanship are employed in the ground work the house must necessarily fall. Our beloved country would never be what it is did not George Washington and those who were with him lay such a strong and secure foundation for a country which gives shelter to immigrants fleeing from persecution and oppression, providing opportunities that can be had nowhere else.

As you grow older and study the history of this country, you will learn what Washington's achievements really were, and how necessary it is to continue in the spirit he strove to implant. George Washington had faith, was religious, his trust in God was great, he was noble, modest and in short, he possessed all the qualities which go to the make-up of a leader of the people.

It is said that Washington never told a lie. That may be true or not, but one thing is certain he never deceived any one. He would not willingly have told an untruth, and he would scorn to benefit by misleading others. In the calendar you will see the 22nd of February marked in red, because it is a red letter day. It is a day set apart not merely for the honoring of a man who is worthy of our respect and admiration, but is a day on which we can reflect on what one man may be able to accomplish provided he has courage and faith and commands the confidence of his people.

A Dream With a Moral.

A rich lady dreamed that she went to heaven and there saw a mansion being built. "Whom is that for?" she asked of the guide.
"For your gardner."
"But he lives in the tiniest cottage on earth, but barely room for his family. He might live better if he did not give away so much to the miserably poor folks."
Farther on she saw a tiny cottage being built. "And whom is that for?" she asked.
"That is for you?"
"But I have lived in a mansion on earth. I would not know how to live in a cottage."
The words she heard in reply were full of meaning. "The Master Builder is doing His best with the material that is being sent up"
Then she awoke, resolving to lay up treasures in heaven.

"Do You Suppose?"

"Do you suppose," said Sammie as his little cousin laid away her largest, rosiest apple for a sick girl, "that God cares about such little things as we do? He is too busy taking care of the big folks to notice us much."
Minnie shook her head and pointed to mamma, who had just lifted the baby from the crib. "Do you think," said Minnie, "that mamma is so busy with the big folks that she forgets the baby? She thinks of the baby first, 'cause he's the littlest. Surely God knows how to love as well as mother."

Did you ever put paper boots on your cat? This is what Dick's playmates did to him. I was one of them, and it was great fun even for Dick himself. His feet were tied up in smooth paper, and then he was set down on the floor. Then a spool tied to a string was put before him. Dick loved to play with spools and was quick to catch them. He liked to play ball with them or make believe they were mice to be tossed or worried. But when Dick tried to catch the spool with his paper boots on it was a funny sight. His legs went wherever they chose. They did not care what he wanted at all. Each foot went skating by itself and left poor Dick flat on the floor. He kicked rolled over and over and was the most puzzled cat you ever saw. He looked at the lively spool, winked at it. He thought that it was the queerest spool he had ever seen and that his feet were the queerest things he had ever owned.

Conundrums.

What is that the more we cut it th longer it becomes? A ditch.

What is the pain we make light of? A window pane.

When is a boat like a heap of snow? When it is adrift.

Who can speak all languages? Echo.

Why is gooseberry pie like counterfeit money? Because it is not currant.

When a public speaker has had the misfortune to lose one of his hands, what appellation would express his condition? Offhand speaker.

What is the difference between a man looking upstairs and one going upstairs? One stares up steps and the other steps up stairs.

How to make gloves last twice as long. Only wear one at a time.

On what did Noah live when he was in the ark? On water.

What key is the hardest to turn? Donkey.

If a pig built himself a house, how would he set about it? Tie a knot in his tail and call it a pig's tie (pig-sty).

What ship has two mates and no captain? Court ship.

Why are tears like potatoes? Because they spring from the eyes.

What dust is most blinding to the eyes? Gold dust.

The boy came into the house weeping, and his mother was naturally solicitous. "What's the matter, Willie?" she asked. "The boy across the way hit me," he replied. "Oh, well, I wouldn't cry for that," she returned. "Show that you can be a little man." "I ain't crying for that," he retorted. "Then what are you crying for?" "He ran into the house before I could get at him."

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"Let dogs delight
To bark and bite,
It is their nature to."

As a boy I once heard these words sung in a Sabbath school. The pretty, lilting tune has always dwelt in my memory. The other night I heard it again, and, of all places—at the Opera. Signor Caruso sang it, and, of course, not to the words of the good Dr. Watt's hymn, for the melody is taken from the "Ballo in Maschera," on the principal doubtless, as Mr. Beecher expressed it, that there is no reason why the devil should have a monopoly of all the good tunes! What the Italian text signified I have not the least idea, for the libretto of the "Ballo" is the acme of absurdity. And yet, with the sumptuous Eames, the radiant Caruso, the organ-like Homer and the, in his way, perfect Plancon (not forgetting the genuinely versatile Scotti) the old opera may still be heard with delight. After all Verdi was a genius, and there is more melody in one act of this work, which is not to be reckoned among his greatest achievements, than in all the operas of the neo-Italians put together.

After disseminating a knowledge of their noble art in various parts of the country, the Kneisels returned to town last week and gave what seemed to me to be one of their most interesting concerts of this season. The sextette for piano, usual strings and double bass by Felix Weingartner, heard for the first time, promptly won the plaudits of the critical Kneisellianer, and the composer, who played the piano part very well indeed, had to bow his acknowledgments at the end of each movement. The thematic material of the work is attractively melodious, and the construction follows classical lines with approved mastery. The use of the double bass gives a firm foundation to the structure, because the instrument employed thus, perhaps for the first time, is used with eminent discretion. With the exception of the final movement, which is rather diffuse, the working out of the themes is never over-elaborate. The other numbers of the concert were a quartet by Brahms (in A minor, op. 51), familiarity with which does not deepen one's admiration, and two movements from that quartette of Debussy, introduced here two seasons ago. The latter are notable for melodic charm and the most skilful workmanship. I hope Mr. Kneisel will soon afford us another opportunity to hear in its entirety this opus of the talented Frenchman.

Musical comedies are hardly ever written about in this column, but an exception should be made to the "Duchess of Dantzig," which is still crowding Daly's Theatre at every performance. A clever comedy illustrated by real music is one way of describing it, though the composer's work often possesses sufficient merit to warrant one's placing it in the category of real light opera. Anyway, it is far and away the most artistic entertainment of the kind offered on Broadway for years. JACQUES MAYER.

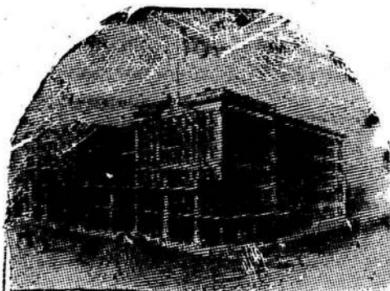
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city as distilled water of spring water which is neither one nor the other. In some cases the substitute is enormous, but nevertheless, the seller knows that the market would disapprove if the truth were known. Those who buy drinking water as a measure of protection to health should give the preference to those waters as to which they can procure definite knowledge. It is unintelligent to substitute faith for knowledge in this matter. It would seem, too, to be the duty of physicians to give the preference both in private practice and in the hospitals to drinking water and beverages, such as vichy and seltzer, which are used medicinally, to those which they know, rather than to those which they believe to be pure. Even the good reputation of dealers is a poor substitute for this knowledge. It is not our purpose to pose as alarmists in this matter. Probably most of the water sold under misrepresentations is not affirmatively harmful. Some are certainly dangerous. The consumer cannot distinguish. The only safe course is to use water, if such a water can be found, the history of which is known to the purchaser. The Puritan distilled water prepared by the Puritan Water Co., 1218 Broadway, New York, is such a water. It is absolutely pure.

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Mr. Louis Stern's introduction of President Roosevelt as toastmaster upon the occasion at the Lincoln dinner, is said to have been a masterly specimen of post-prandial eloquence and received well-merited applause.

The ladies of the Congregation Zichron Ephraim (67th Street) will hold a Fair next week in the vestry-rooms of the Synagogue, in aid of the Free School connected with the Congregation. The affair is for a praiseworthy object and we hope that it will be liberally supported.

Rabbi Schreiber, of Chicago, sees in the resolution of the Jewish Women, of New York: "To stay at home on Friday night," an insidious attempt to undermine Reform. For reasons that are obvious it has been suggested that a partnership be formed between Schreiber and Rabbi M. P. Jacobson for the study of alienation.

That we are living in an עולם הפוך, a "world turned upside down," is evident not alone from the fact that Rabbis do not know Hebrew but Christians are reviving its study; but, we learn that the London police will be required to study Yiddish. Just think of an Irish cop saying to Moshay Slappak, "Havaddy, bist du Shikkur, gay a heim zu dein Yiddiny." And yet they tell us that Yiddish is not a language.

An ounce of prevention is better than a pound of cure. The Technical Institute for Boys and the Technical School for Girls transform boys and girls into self-supporting and respectable men and women, and make it possible for those who might otherwise become a drag upon the community, to grow up as good citizens. New York Jews must assist the directors of these institutions to continue and extend their sphere of usefulness.

The Purity of Jewish Life.

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Judaism can be compared to the Perpetual Lamp. It will continue so long as the faith is preserved pure and unadulterated. The introduction of foreign matter into the religion of our fathers must necessarily diminish its power and dim its brilliance.

It was always the aim of the Jew to maintain his character unsoiled. Jewish charity was inviolate, Jewish probity was unswayed, the faith of the Jew could not be surpassed. To-day with the Jewish people, surrounded by unwholesome influences and by teachers who, instead of preaching and teaching and practicing the Judaism which has been conserved throughout all the ages, are introducing strange doctrines and usages, and endeavoring to recast Judaism in the mould of Episcopalianism, there must be special need of caring for the purity of the faith that our precious inheritance be handed down to the latest generation untarnished and unalloyed.

The whole superstructure of Judaism will be shattered unless the high standard is maintained. Jews as a people must suffer by a lower conception of the duties and responsibilities of man to God and man to man. The Eternal Lamp of Judaism is a beacon light making the path of life safe to travel and showing how to avoid and when necessary to overcome the obstacles in the way. The future of the Jew and his faith depends upon the purity of Judaism and of the Jewish who practice its tenets.

Jewish Ministers.

THE Rev. Meldola de Sola's articles upon Jewish Ministers, now appearing in our columns, have called forth a rather curious editorial in the Jewish Dispatch.

We quote the introduction verbatim:

"Readers of the Jewish press stand surprised and even amazed at the fearless manner and able style of depicting the reform wing of the Jewish body in a series of articles still in progress by Rabbi Dr. Meldola De Sola, and whose contents show abundance of evidence that they are the results of much forethought and deliberation.

"The writer having had the honor and pleasure of forming the acquaintance some years ago of that intrepid and fearless gentleman, rabbi and scholar, is neither amazed nor surprised at his daring advance to strike the very head of that portion of the Jewish body, nor do we question his ability. If a youngster dared strike at the much superior in physical strength, the Philistine champion Goliath, who assumed the arrogance to defy Israel, why could not the man and rabbi, Meldola De Sola, advance and attack Drs. Kohler and Hirsch, men whom he may equal and even excel in truth of convictions, when in his mind and judgment they have come to defy and even pollute the religion of which he

is one of the guardians and trustees? But we do desire to question the advisability of it—if he should because he could."

The Jewish Dispatch then proceeds to "take exception to the provoking criticism of Dr. De Sola upon the reform portion of the Jewish body, whose co-operation and support are absolutely necessary for our material welfare." The material condition of three quarters of the Jews everywhere is most pitiful, observes our contemporary, and Rabbis in Israel who set out to seek God not as a means of saving Israel but to satisfy their own greed for greatness and glory, are condemned.

That Meldola De Sola is exposing the un-Jewishness of Reform for the purpose of "satisfying his greed for greatness and glory," is an insinuation that is utterly contemptible. The fearless championship of Orthodox Judaism which has distinguished his career is the best refutation of this cowardly. At the same time we can readily understand that his trenchant criticism is proving excessively "provoking" to "the reform portion of the Jewish body."

But what has the material condition of our distressed co-religionists to do with the merits or demerits of Reform?

According to the Jewish Dispatch, orthodox ministers should strike their colors because reform dollars and cents are necessary to the material welfare of Israel. The Torah may be repudiated, the Almighty's commandments may be legislated away, the hallowed institutions of Judaism may be treated with absolute contempt, and orthodox ministers must not dare to denounce the men guilty of these outrages because their pecuniary assistance is useful.

Was there ever a more preposterous argument?

That the material condition of many of our co-religionists cries for improvement, is admitted. But that improvement must be worked out on Jewish lines. If it can only be effected by the closing of our eyes and mouths to the de-Judaizing process of Reform, then there is no difference in principle between the assistance of Reformers and that of the soul-saving missionaries.

"If there be no Jews, there can be no Judaism," admits the Jewish Dispatch. Well, the object of the De Sola articles is to drive this truth home. If the teachings of Kohler, Hirsch, Krauskopf and the rest of the fraternity, were universally accepted by our people, there would soon be neither Jews nor Judaism.

But fortunately there are still millions in Israel who believe that the Bible is divinely inspired and that all the commandments of the Torah are binding, the Kohlers and Hirschs to the contrary, notwithstanding.

An Awakening.

IT is a gratifying sign that Jewry in upper Harlem has awakened to the needs of the local community, and particularly is the I. O. B. B. to be congratulated upon the decision to take a more active part in the education and moral training of Jewish youth.

For the past year, owing to the energy of Temple Israel Harlem, good work has been done in the direction of giving religious and moral instruction to the thousands of Jewish

children living in Harlem who receive no religious instruction whatever. The magnitude of the problem is so great and the area to be covered so large, extending from 75th to 129th Street, that no one organization can possibly do the work. There is no need to create a new society to deal with the question. There are in Harlem already a sufficient number of Jewish bodi-s who, if united, can do everything that is needed and can prevent the lowering of the Jewish standard.

The enthusiastic meeting held on Monday at Temple Israel, must not be allowed to end in words only. Speeches are very well, but, if those who were present were sincere in their applause of the speakers, they must rally round the organization and give them that support which alone can save the community from a lasting shame.

Mortgage Tax.

THERE is some talk of endeavoring to pass a tax on mortgages, which shall be annually levied, to the extent of four or five mills. This is a mistake; no such bill will pass the Legislature as the usual opposition will be strongly arrayed against such an act, and if framed by the legislature the Governor will not dare to sign it.

A recording tax on Mortgages would be far better and more likely to become a law. It is the most simple method of taxation and will create the least hardship. The mortgage should be taxed when it is originally recorded, and end there. This will produce a large revenue, and will be conducive to the influx of much money which is withheld from this species of investments because of the high rate of personal tax.

A Busy Week.

THE week has been a very busy one in communal circles. Saturday night, a meeting for the Sabbath observance; Sunday, the dedication of a new synagogue in Brooklyn, the convention of the Free Sons of Israel, and the ball of the home of the Daughters of Jacob; Monday, the meeting at Temple Israel, Harlem, to discuss the needs of the Jewish section in that portion of the city. Tuesday, a conference downtown in furtherance of the object of the Jewish Consumptives' Relief Society. Wednesday, a service in memory of the never-to-be-forgotten Leo N. Levi. And yet people say that we do nothing. The community is ever forging ahead and there are always a sufficient number of men ready to assume the responsibilities and burdens which this the greatest Jewish community in the world entails.

A Commendable Society.

THE new Choral Society for Ancient Hebrew Melodies is to be commended. In the days of our youth we were accustomed to take part in the service in the synagogue, we sang some of the prayers with a zeal and the going to "shool" became a pleasure indeed. Now people go to the Temple listen to the funereal, lugubrious, monotonous droning of the Cantors and they sit in their pews like dummies. The preacher is paid to sermonize, the Chazan receives a salary to pray, and the paid Christian choir chants, and the congregation paying the piper demands the florid operatic music it cares for.

THE MIRROR.

IT is an undisputed fact, that the consistent Israelite always commands a greater meed of respect, than he who seeks to curry favor by concealing his Jewishness or in showing his contempt for his ancestral faith in flauntingly disregarding its time-honored observances in his weak attempt to pose as an advanced thinker.

It is amusing to notice how the inordinate vanity of these snobbish weaklings is tickled, when some one remarks: "I wouldn't have taken you for a Jew" or "You look like an American" or "You are different than the other fellows, you're a white Jew" or "You're a fellow after my own heart, you can eat pork like a good Christian." But they would not be so well pleased, and they would smile on the wrong side of their mouths, if they but knew the true sentiment, of their flatterers who are meanwhile laughing in their sleeves at them.

You can always take it for granted that the sensible, honest man no matter with what church he is connected, always regards with respect the sincere convictions of his fellow-citizen—for, after all, religious professions are generally the results of birth, education, domestic training or environment—and as a natural sequence he despises and holds in sincere contempt the one who by his acts belittles and holds in disrespect the teachings of his own faith.

What am I driving at? I am penning an introductory, pertinent preface to a passing reflection in the Mirror, to which I think the attention of those members of the Masonic fraternity, who are at least self-respecting Israelites should be directed, and which in my opinion tends to bring Jewish Masons—for the derelictions of one casts obloquy on all—into disrepute with the general Craft.

The fact that National Lodge, No. 209, F. and A. M. of this city, holds its stated communications on the Jewish Sabbath, is a disgrace to Judaism and a wilful insult to every Jewish Mason who is not lost to every sense of religious shame.

Of course, how the individual Israelite spends his Sabbaths is a matter between himself and his conscience; but when a Masonic Lodge whose officers—all but the Organist and Tyler—are Israelites, of whose 18 Past Masters since 1869, only five have been Christians and of whose 500 members over 400 do not deny that they are Jews, it seems to me, that not alone are they disrupting their several domestic religious ties, but are setting a pernicious example to others and lowering their co-religionists in the estimation of their Christian brethren. The Jewish community has therefore a right to demand an explanation at their hands for this uncalled-for flagrant desecration of a day hallowed by Jews throughout the world from time immemorial.

It has always been a matter of surprise to me, that the intelligent brethren of National Lodge should not ere this, of their own free will and accord, have "rolled away this reproach from Israel" without being required thus publicly to be brought to a realization of their indecent disgraceful conduct.

Of course, I will be told that theirs is a Masonic and not a Jewish Lodge—and that the Institution, as de froni requiring a recognition of a Supreme Being, is indifferent to the religious

beliefs of its votaries. But that is merely begging the question, because its roster shows that ninety per cent of its members are of the Jewish faith, so much so, that I make bold to assert, that if some one during the work would suddenly cry out *Ashray yoshevay vaysacho*, the entire Lodge would immediately respond *ode yehallelucha selah*.

The *Yiddische Ponim* so strongly predominates within its precincts (I don't say this in a derogatory manner, for Wor. Bro. Benno Loewy is a handsome man, and Wor. Bro. Jacobus has always been the cynosure of feminine attraction), the charities of the Lodge have been so characteristically Jewish in the liberality of their dispensations, the social, fraternal spirit is so largely developed as to stamp National Lodge at once as eminently and distinctively "Jewish."

Peretz Slavovski may become Peter Sullivan; Yitzchock Lowenstein may change his patronymic to Irving Livingston, and Mordchy Moses may pose as Mordaunt Merton. They may all join the Church either by sprinkling or immersion but they will, nevertheless, always be styled "our Jewish brothers," and so National Lodge, while a good, sterling body of bright Masons and no different than any other Lodge in the jurisdiction in respect to its Masonic work and its obligations to the fraternity, yet will always be known from Dan to Beersheba as a *Jewish Lodge*.

Mt. Nebo, True Craftsman's, Centennial, Empire City, Adelphi and some twenty other Lodges in the Metropolitan District, are known as *Jewish Lodges*. I know they are not ashamed of that designation, particularly when the fact is well recognized "in about the the several apartments of the Temple," that Jewish Masonic Lodges in their charities, their provision for the widow and orphan, their sociability and their readiness to contribute to every good cause, are exemplars of the best that Masonry teaches and inculcates.

National Lodge enjoys the unenviable reputation of being the only Jewish lodge of any order in the world, which publicly and wilfully desecrates the Jewish Sabbath.

The Grand Lodge prohibits any Masonic work being done "on the first day of the week commonly called Sunday," (the Constitution formerly read "on the Sabbath commonly called Sunday," but through the persistent efforts of my Chief, it was changed to its present form.)

Masons professing Christianity in this jurisdiction have the good sense to respect their Sabbath, and although Masonry is not in any sense a religious Institution, it is proper to pay a due regard to the sentiments of the majority; but it appears that the members of National Lodge are either ashamed of their religion, indifferent to its behests, disregarding of the religious sentiment of a half million of Jews in this city, or wilfully or causelessly stultify themselves in this regard.

I expect W. Bro. Benno Loewy, the erudite Master of the Lodge, who is an earnest worker in the quarries, a 33d degree Mason, by the way (the 33d being like the curl to a pig's tail, more for ornament than use), a brilliant orator, a jovial gentleman and a bright intelligent lawyer, to hold up his hands deprecatingly and say that the unfortunate situation is beyond his control and he is powerless to change it, because "we cannot obtain the lodge-

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room in the Masonic Temple for any other night than Friday."

This is the weakest, lamest excuse of all. There is no Masonic edict, law or regulation known to the fraternity, which requires any Jewish Mason to sacrifice his religious convictions for the mere convenience of holding a stated communication in the building at the corner of 23rd Street and Sixth Avenue, as if it were the sole, sacred, sanctified Temple where alone Masonic rites can be performed.

To my surprise, no effort has ever been made by any member of the Lodge to rectify this evil or to remove this stench from the nostrils of their co-religionists, nor to restore them to the good graces of their friends.

When the Day of Atonement however falls on Friday night the Lodge holds no communication, and I cannot see why the oft-repeated Divine injunction to "remember the Sabbath day and sanctify it," is not of the same binding force as the other, but I suppose as Shakespeare says, "Tis conscience makes cowards of us all."

I would suggest to the Jewish Past Masters of National Lodge, that they should not go into the smoking-room during the rendition of the Middle Chamber work, but with their eyes fixed upon "that hieroglyphic light which none but Craftsmen see," they should attentively listen to the Senior Deacon in eloquent tones when he recites "In six days God created the heavens and the earth and rested on the seventh. The seventh day, therefore, our ancient Jewish brethren consecrated as a day of rest, thereby enjoying frequent opportunities of contemplating the works of creation and adoring their Divine Creator," and ask themselves the question, in what respect masonically, religiously, or morally do they consider themselves superior to our "ancient Jewish brethren?"

What is to be done? Let Wor. Bro. Benno Loewy at the next communication of the Lodge, read this screed in his usual mellifluous tones to the brethren—he need not be afraid of his re-election,—and tell them in plain language (which he alone knows how to use) that the time has arrived when they should stand upright and erect as men, as Jews, as Masons in due and ancient form before the world.

He can rest assured that every Christian member of the Lodge will cheerfully vote to change the night of meeting, especially when told that Masonic work on the Jewish Sabbath conflicts with the religious consciousness of every self-respecting Israelite.

I had a similar spat some time since with William McKinley Lodge of this city upon this very subject, and when I called their attention to this unusual

departure from the well-trodden path some of the wise brethren of that Lodge said "it was none of my business," another remarked, "The HEBREW STANDARD is always poking its nose into other people's affairs," and another, "The writer with that funny name (meaning me) should simply attend to his own affairs." "We can get no other night." "I consider the Lodge my synagogue" (he never goes to school but once a year). "We are living in an age of economics," etc. When wisdom and good sense subsequently reasserted their sway, William McKinley Lodge changed its night of meeting, and I doff my chapeau to them with most profound respect and deep fraternal regard.

Will Ephraim still be bound to his idols? Will National Lodge turn from its evil ways and repent, or will it still continue to be a hissing, a byword and reproach among Jewish men and Masons and more than all, an ugly repulsive fly in the ointment of

ASPAKLARYA

The Man in the Observatory.

LXIII.

MR. JOSEPH PULITZER it is well known has expressed the intention of creating a school of journalism, wherein those who wish to devote themselves to the profession of journalism can receive a proper training. Unquestionably such an institution would accomplish much for an industry which has made wonderful progress during recent years, and no man is better fitted to give impulse to such an undertaking than Mr. Pulitzer. In truth, he has created a new school of journalism years ago. After taking hold of the *World*, which gained wide prominence by reason of its having long been edited by Manton Marble, but which subsequently dwindled down in circulation to almost nothing, Mr. Pulitzer revolutionized the methods of the American Press and created a School of Journalism which has brought vigor, life, energy and enterprise into that sphere, and by his wonderful success in the conduct of his paper awakened the Rip Van Winkles of the New York daily press and made them hustle. He invoked novel ideas. He announced the increased circulation of the *World* by the discharge of cannons in the principal cities of the country and aroused the attention of the people everywhere by what the other newspapers called sensational methods, which, however, brought wonderful success to his paper and riches to his pockets. Mr. Pulitzer spared no expense in illustrations, and it will be remembered when the pictures appeared in profusion, that it was the custom of the *New York Herald* to call its neighbor the

World "our illustrated fake contemporary."

How different to day! No journal in America is more lavishly illustrated than the *Herald*. Every other newspaper followed, so that to-day those staid and conservative papers, such as the *Times* and the *Tribune*, are replete with pictorial illustrations.

Indeed, Mr. Pulitzer created a new school in journalism in pushing the *World*. He attacked Municipal abuses, State and National corruptions on a scale theretofore unknown, and was successful in bringing about many reforms. He was lavish in the expense of moneys to further his methods, and he led the way in increasing the expenses of running a newspaper to a degree which was theretofore unknown. He was alert, and the other papers had to follow. He introduced all kinds of schemes which were sneered at by his competitors, but they were compelled to adopt similar ones. He has indeed revolutionized the methods of newsgathering and newspaper making, and he has reaped a rich reward.

The *World* is not the only enterprise in which Pulitzer is engaged, in all of which he has been successful, but the *World* has been his greatest success. He is a remarkable man, and notwithstanding the infirmity of his eyesight, he is the active manager of his great enterprise.

Having earned a goodly share of wealth, he has been liberal in his charities, and has been instrumental in bringing much happiness to others by reason of the scholarships which he has established and the contributions he has made to worthy charities.

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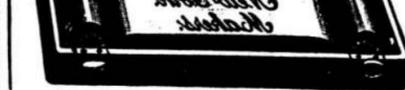
Jewish Ministers?

Editor, HEBREW STANDARD.

In a series of articles in your valuable paper Rev. Meldola de Sola has shown that Rabbis Hirsch, Krauskopf, Silverman, J. Leonard Levy, L. Grossman and Rudolph Grossman are not teachers of Judaism. Dr. L. Grossman is quoted as having said: "I am a teacher of religion not of Judaism." Dr. Rudolf Grossman says in one of his lectures: "It requires but a superficial glance to convince the reader that the bible teems with errors, fables and miracles etc. Relates as facts that which the reason cannot grasp and the intellect must reject." The definition of a prophet by one of the learned Ministers is as follows: "A dreamer in an introspective state of mind, very impractical, an idealist." With due respect to the above learned Ministers, it requires but a superficial glance to convince the reader that the above ministers did not study the comments of the Talmud on the Bible. It is therefore, not surprising, that to them "The Bible teems with errors," just as any philosophy would be teeming with errors in a language, foreign to the reader. No man has a right to criti-

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cize the Bible unless he has studied it in its original Hebrew language with the comments and explanations given to it by the Talmud. And I know whereof I am talking. I have studied *anatomy, chemistry, physiology, natural sciences, medicine, etc* and after due deliberation I am convinced and am ready to explain to any one desirous to know, that the *Mosaic law* holds good to the present day according to the latest philosophy and modern sciences, but I must also qualify my statement by impressing on the reader that when I say the *Mosaic law* according to rabbinical teachings, I do not mean customs and superstitions which have crept in through the ages and are foreign to the law of Moses. To make my statements clear, so that some of my reformed friends may not take me for a fanatic, I say, that a religion that cannot stand the test of science is not a religion but merely a superstition. And the religion of the reformed school no matter how liberal it is, is a superstition pure and simple because reformers do not understand the Bible, and therefore it is a religion without reason. Dr. Grossman observes "It requires but a superficial glance to convince the reader that the Bible teems with errors". I agree with him, in as much, that, when you merely read the Bible, like you read a novel, it has no meaning. The Bible has to be studied, not merely read, to be able to comprehend its meaning. This is equally true about philosophy in general it must be studied not merely read. The greatest injustice done to the *Hebrew Bible* was, by having it translated in most languages literally without explanations. Therefore, the critics who have no right to criticize make fun of it and the ignorant make superstition out of it.

We find the same idea in the Talmud which says, that the day when the seventy great Rabbis have translated the Bible into the Greek language, there was an earthquake in Palestine over an area of four-hundred miles.

גורחות ארץ ישראל ה' פרח
על ת' פרח
The meaning of it is, it was the greatest misfortune to Judaism, as an earthquake had passed over it.

In conclusion I will say I am not trying to find fault with the reformed Ministers, rather am I pleased with many superstitions beliefs that crept in among the Orthodox customs which are hurtful to the true religion, and which has brought discredit to our noble and beautiful religion. In this enlightened age, where, reason should govern the action of every man and especially the spiritual leaders of our nation the words of our sages should be heeded

חכמים הוזהרו בדבריהם
Dr. L. W. ZWISLOCK.

Where are the seventy thousand children who are going breakfastless to school every morning? It seems that Robert Hunter will have to hunt with a lantern to discover them. They certainly did not make their appearance when the Salvation Army opened its free restaurants.

Max Nordau on Uganda.

An interview which Mr. Israel Cohen has had with Dr. Max Nordau reported in the London *Daily Chronicle*. After referring, with emotion, to his grief at the death of Dr. Herzl—"a man who gave up his life and his fortune to the cause, leaving his wife and children unprovided for"—Dr. Nordau complains of the poor response to the National Tribute, which has not yet reached \$20,000. Dealing with the East African scheme, Dr. Nordau states that if the report of the Commission, which will be considered at the next Congress, be favorable, "then the British offer must be accepted." He adds:

"The procedure to be followed seems to me quite clear. A charter must be obtained from the British Government in the name of the Jewish Colonial Trust. This is to be our agent in the matter. The charter we shall then offer to Jewish financiers and other Jews of standing, for them to carry out, either with our individual cooperation or without it. If they refuse, then theirs will be the responsibility if the the present affliction of the Jews, keen as it is, becomes yet more terrible.

"We could procure the charter, but we have neither men or money to sacrifice for the East Africa project, It is not Zionism. To this extent it is indeed a Zionist success, that, for the first time in history that a first-rate Power, looking about for some representative organization of the Jews to treat with, approached the Zionist body. There are any number of boards and committees, the Anglo-Jewish Association, the Jewish Colonization Association, and what not; but none of them was considered by the Government as representing the Jews collectively. It was to the Zionists that the British Government made its offer, and we have reason to be proud of it.

"As I have already said, we have no men or money to sacrifice to the scheme. All our energies must be devoted to the main object of Zionism.

"The Jews of England should carry out the East African project. It was from their Government that the offer came, and the elementary consideration of gratitude points to them as the most suitable instruments. I believe that the English have good organizing power, and they could make the new Colony a success. The main objection raised against the proposal by non-Zionists has been based on the fact that the project was spoken of as 'an autonomous Jewish settlement.'

"Well, I never thought the use of that expression necessary; but my friend Herzl, who was already ill at the time, insisted upon it, and underlined it. But what does the expression really mean, and is there any need for it? If the Colony consists of a Jewish population, surely they will be permitted to shape their own laws, as is the case in every English colony. And this is all the word 'autonomous' means. It is not only superfluous, but, considering the opposition it has aroused, it is inopportune."



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M. Henri Gradis, President of the Jewish Consistory of Bordeaux, France has died suddenly in Paris.

Announcement is made of the engagement of Baron Edouard de Rothschild, only son and heir of Baron Alphonse de Rothschild, of Paris, to Mlle Geamaine Halphen, daughter of M. Emile Halphen, a sugar refiner.

Sol Fox, Sigmund Rheinstrom and Louis J. Goldman have been appointed by Samuel Woolner, of Peoria, Ill., President of the Union of American Hebrew Congregations, as a committee to have in charge the selection of a site and plans for new Hebrew Union College buildings, Cincinnati, Ohio.

They have authority to expend about \$100,000 for the site and buildings, the latter to consist of three halls, one for lecture rooms, another for dormitories and the third for library purposes. It is intended to secure a lot of two or three acres, preferably in the vicinity of the Cincinnati University. It is stated that the committee has a number of options.

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- *Rosh Chodesh Ve-Adar. Wednesday, March 8.
- Purim..... Wednesday, March 22.
- Rosh Chodesh Nissan.... Thursday, April 6.
- 1st day Pessach..... Thursday, April 20.
- 7th day Pessach..... Wednesday, April 26.
- *Rosh Chodesh Iyar..... Saturday, May 6.
- Lag b'Omer..... Tuesday, May 23.
- Rosh Chodesh Sivan.... Sunday, June 4.
- 1st day Shabuoth..... Friday, June 9.
- *Rosh Chodesh Tammuz. Tuesday, July 4.
- Fest of Tammus..... Thursday, July 20.
- *Rosh Chodesh Ab..... Wednesday, Aug. 2.
- Fest of Ab..... Thursday, Aug. 10.
- Rosh Chodesh Elul..... Friday, Sept. 1.

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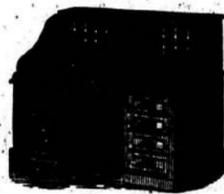
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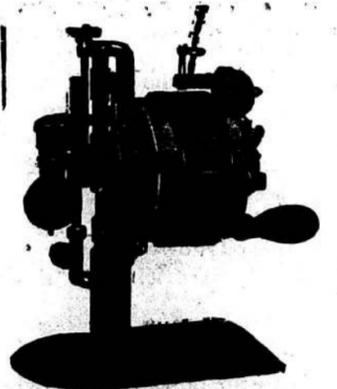
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THE VISITING CARD.

A True Story.

Adapted from the German of Lion Wolf by LAURENCE BERYL.

SARAH was the only and blonde-locked daughter of Loeb Itzig of Schoenlanke and his wife Bluemle, the daughter of the Chief *Shammes* of Pinne near Neustadt.

When the father counted fourteen years he was a "merchant of pants," and on his marriage he became the proprietor of a "second hand and new clothing establishment." When the Muehlendamm district in Berlin was levelled to the ground, Loeb Itzig was already a wealthy man and a partner with his brother-in-law in a manufacturing concern in Stettin. At the age of fifteen Sarah entered a boarding school in Hannover, and where she was educated in general matters and was taught to play the piano. Notwithstanding these accomplishments, she never failed to recite her afternoon and evening prayers.

On returning home from school her father gave her twenty-five thousand dollars and the Berlin banker Levy Lewinsohn as a husband.

The honeymoon was spent on the Riviera, and on their return the young couple found prepared for them well-furnished apartments together with a real *kosher* cook, Veilchen Pinkuss, who had been engaged by Sarah's careful mother.

Levy Lewinsohn laughed when, for the first time since his childhood, he partook of a strictly kosher meal, and he sententiously remarked that it would do. And things did turn out alright. Sarah became acquainted with ladies of the Commercial Councilors and the plays of Ibsen. The *Mincha* prayer was no longer recited because Sarah did not know which way to turn Eastward, but her *cuisine* was strictly Jewish; she evinced every anxiety that ham should be carved with a meat knife, and that lobster *sa'ad* be prepared in the milk dishes, the kosher cook, however, returned to her native city. Lewinsohn, too, strictly adhered to the religion of his fathers. On Yom Kippur he never went to the Stock Exchange, but instead of his regular visit to the House of Mammon, he attended, on that day, the House of God, between the hours of 11 A. M. and half-past twelve P. M., for which privilege he paid 15 dollars. No one was permitted to eat a meal in house on Yom Kippur, and he and his Sarah broke their fast by a dinner at three o'clock.

Lewinsohn was ready to spend money on every luxury except that of baptism, which Sarah desired so earnestly, because her best friend Madame Commercial Councilor Levy had been converted, and she longed for Christian society. Lewinsohn was obstinate. "Why waste water," he was accustomed to say, "we shall remain the same fish, even if we are specially dipped into water."

Lewinsohn became one of the founders of a mining company, a three-fold millionaire and—Commercial Councilor. What affected him was the news, which reached him after a hearty portion of lobster mayonnaise, that the shares of his company had suddenly fallen below par and he—sank into his grave.

Sarah and the shares recovered, the first was the only twenty eight year old heiress of about a million, the latter were still rising. At the expiration of a year, Sarah laid aside her widow's veil, adorned herself in diamonds and held inspection among the officers of the infantry and caval-

ry regiments. Soon she found an eligible *parti* in the person of Georg von Dalfenberg whose notes of hand were more numerous than valuable.

Von Dalfenberg willingly took the millions but very unwillingly Sarah. The millions were pretty heavily cut down and Sarah was unostentatiously baptised. After another wedding-trip on this occasion nearly as far as to the North Pole, Sarah and her acquisitions made their entrance into Bromberg where her gallant husband's regiment was stationed. On her visiting card beneath a seven-pronged-crown was blazoned forth in all its glory: "Christine von Dalfenberg nee Isyg."

A day after their home-coming, the officer had to leave for the manoeuvres. As Christine did not care to wait until his return for introductions to the ladies of his comrades, her husband gave her the minutest instructions as to her toilette, etc. He himself announced her visits to all of his married comrades.

The next day a liveried foot-man mounted the seat behind, Christine dressed exquisitely, entered the carriage and joyfully they rode through the city. Christine, wrapt in thoughts, wondered how the Madame General von Z., the Countess von G., and the other ladies would admire her and her diamonds, but the first day did not bring her any social triumphs. The six highest ladies of the garrison could not receive her, Christine was certainly surprised, but she did not dream of any evil. The same thing happened on all the other six days and cowed Christine von Dalfenberg returned home from her thirty-two visits.

On returning home, the valiant officer found his wife bathed in tears. He knitted his brow, when his wife told him that all the officers' wives, without exception suffered from colds on the day she called, as the insult also was intended for him.

"How many visits did you make?" he asked.

"Altogether thirty-two," Christine sobbed.

"Who handed in the cards?" "William was the reply."

William was called and in reply to the query to when he had handed the cards, responded, "I gave the cards to the maids of the ladies."

"Where are the rest of the cards?" "Down-stairs."

"Bring them," was the peremptory command. William brought the cards, there being eighteen left out of the packet of fifty. The officer roared like a lion when he glanced at them.

For there was printed on the cards, which Sarah had received from her husband only a year and a half previously: "Sarah Lewinsohn nee Itzig." The mistake of the visiting cards was soon the public talk of the whole regiment and Von Dalfenberg was compelled to have himself to another regiment.

The ruins of a buried Semitic city have been found on the line of the Hedscha-Mecca Railway in Arabia. Two beautiful buildings of hewn stone have been unearthed. They are of gigantic proportions and covered with cuneiform inscriptions. A rock hewn cave, believed to be the tomb of Aaron has also been discovered.

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As a general rule woman becomes efficient in business in proportion as she can lay aside the peculiarities and prerogatives of her sex and become to all intents and purposes masculine. This is not said in mitigation of the obvious truth that indiscriminate contact with men in employment tends to unsex woman or in ignorance of the other fact that in many pursuits the feminine equipment fits its possessor for a finer type of service than most men can reach. But, whenever an employee's relationship to the work becomes complicated with the question of her sex, then there are friction, waste and an impairment of availability.

The moment that the business of an office or store has to be conducted on the plan of a *soiree* there is an end to plain speech and quick work. It is not enough that a woman can do the same work as a man; she must be amenable without friction to the same rules, discipline and direct method as a man. Otherwise she stands in her own light; otherwise she will find herself purchasing gallantry and palaver at the cost of better pay.—Portland Oregonian.

KITCHEN HELPS.

Bedticking, not too heavy, makes excellent dish towels, as it has no lint. Wash thoroughly before hemming.

Half a lemon placed in the water in which dish towels and kitchen cloths are soaked is said to sweeten them wonderfully.

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Conveniently near the range in the kitchen should be placed the sink and the dresser, not too far from the table and range. You have then the principal articles so placed that the labor will be much lightened.

Borax is a useful thing to have in a kitchen. Add a little to the water when boiling out enameled saucepans, and it will help to cleanse them. If added to the water dishcloths are washed in, it will help to keep them a nice color.

System In Housekeeping.

One of the first things for the woman struggling for system to do is to try to get the work of her house in perspective. This is not easy. It is a truism that women are lacking in a sense of proportion, and it is not a simple matter for one of them to get herself mentally far enough from her work to decide the relative importance of each item. But she must do it if she is to develop her system of work in the right way. She should mentally range her duties in order and divide them into what must be done and what may be done if circumstances permit. The first list will be long enough, but the second will exceed it. The chief trouble with housekeepers is that they get the items of the two lists mingled and confused.—Harper's Bazar.

Ancient Peacocks.

In Athens 400 years before Christ a pair of peacocks was valued at 1,000 drachma, or about \$150.

The Boar's Head.

In the days of the commonwealth Christmas was threatened with extinction. Parliament failed to put down Christmas, but the boar's head never recovered its old supremacy at the table.

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Jersey City, N. J. The first annual ball of the Hebrew Free School and Free Loan Associations was held at Elks' Hall on Feb. 8.

Why Suffer? We call attention to the advertisement of the Carpatate Salve in another column. There never was a salve or ointment put upon the market to equal it.

Dr. Dewey Reprimanded. In reply to the petition presented by Mrs. Jacob H. Schiff, Louis Marshall and others calling for the removal of State Librarian Dewey on account of the latter's connection with the Lake Placid Co., which excludes Jews from its hotel and club...

Brooklyn Hebrew Orphan Asylum. Rev. Raphael Benjamin, M. A., of Keap Street Temple, addressed the children in the Mincha service last Sabbath. His subject was "Kindness to Animals." He illustrated the subject with several pretty anecdotes.

Anti-Jewish Riot in Gomel. A press dispatch from Berlin, Germany, dated Feb. 13, says: "Prominent Jews here have received news of an anti-Semite riot at Gomel, Russia. A thousand drunken peasants attacked 300 Jews, flogging and maltreating them."

Gomel is in the province of Mohileff, and only a few miles from Kishineff. It claims 70,000 inhabitants. Immediately after the Kishineff riots the anti-Semite excitement spread to Gomel. On September 11, 1903, the homes of 345 Jewish workmen were plundered by the mob.

Instead of the rioters being punished, all were dismissed with compliments on their bravery. As the crowning outrage a number of Jewish families that had lost members in the fight were seized on the charge of inciting trouble and cast into prison. They will probably be sent to Siberia.

WITH THE PREACHERS.

TEMPLE ISRAEL BRANCH, 311-313 East 116th street.—This (Friday) evening address by Rev. F. Starr.

Y. M. H. A.—This (Friday) evening Rev. Marvin Nathan.

CONGREGATION EMMANUEL OF HARLEM.—Saturday morning, Rev. Dr. L. A. Alexander on "Intellect and Feeling—Two Essentials for Divine Service."

EMANUEL BROTHERHOOD.—This (Friday) evening, Rev. G. Lipkind will preach on "Law and Lawlessness." Services for children every Saturday afternoon.

TEMPLE EZ CHAIM.—This (Friday) evening Rev. Dr. A. Spiegel on "Abraham Lincoln." Saturday morning, Dr. Spiegel on "The Soul is Light."

TEMPLE BETH-EL, Jersey City.—This (Friday) evening, Rev. A. Abelson, on "Abraham Lincoln, the Genius of American Democracy."

SHAARI ZEDEK SYNAGOGUE, Brooklyn.—This (Friday) evening, Rabbi G. Taubenhau, on "Washington."

TEMPLE ISRAEL, Harlem.—This (Friday) evening, Rev. Dr. M. H. Harris, on "What Lincoln and Washington Mean to the Jew." Saturday morning, Dr. Harris, on "Ceremonies and Principles."

BETH ISRAEL, BIKUR CHOLIM.—Saturday, Rabbi A. Eisenman, on "The Jewish Conception of Holiness."

Y. W. H. A.—This (Friday) evening address by Mr. M. Baron.

TEMPLE ANSHEH CHESED.—This (Friday) evening, Rev. Dr. Jacob Goldstein. Sabbath, at 9.30 a. m., Rev. Dr. I. Mandel. Children's service at 3 p. m. Address by Mr. Joshua Kantrowitz.

EAST 86TH STREET TEMPLE.—Saturday morning, Rev. Dr. D. Davidson, on "The Old Homestead."

JEWISH THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY.—Saturday morning the speaker will be Mr. Nathan Lublinsky. Services begin at 9.30 o'clock, and are free to the public.

INTERESTING ITEMS.

On Saturday afternoon Mr. Lewis B. Michaelson will begin the second of a series of six lectures on "Principles of Judaism," at the Religious and Sewing School, 120 Columbia street.

Washington Lodge, No. 19, I. O. B. B., held a memorial service for the late Leo M. Levi, president of the order, on Wednesday evening in the B'nai B'rith Hall, 723 Lexington avenue.

The Young Men's Social Club gave an enjoyable afternoon dance on Sunday, Feb. 5, at the Palm Garden. The affair was socially, as well as financially, a success. The club will give another dance on March 23, at Cafe Logeling.

On Friday evening last Rabbi G. Taubenhau delivered an interesting address on "Lincoln" at the Shaari Zedek Synagogue, Brooklyn. The Brooklyn Eagle commented favorably upon the sermon.

BAR MITZVAH.

The celebration of the bar mitzvah of Master Abraham Kaufman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Kaufman, of 355 East 49th street, took place last Sabbath, Feb. 11, in the synagogue of the Congregation Breth Hamedrash Achdosh Talmud Torah, 894 First avenue, corner 50th street. It was quite an exceptional and very impressive occasion.

Rev. A. Weinstein, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Harris, Orange, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. S. Cytron, Hoboken; Mr. and Mrs. Louis Cytron, Mr. and Mrs. David Stern and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Schonfeld, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rosenswawe, Mr. and Mrs. A. Manheimer, Mr. and Mrs. M. Kaufman; Mr. and Mrs. J. Kaufman, Mr. E. Kaufman, Mr. and Mrs. H. Franken, Flatbush; Mrs. F. Franken, Flatbush; Mrs. S. Morrisson, Orange, N. J.; Miss Jeanette Kaufman, Counselor M. Harris, Orange, N. J.; Miss Sadie Samuels, California; Mr. H. B. Harris, Orange, N. J.; Miss T. Harris, Orange, N. J.; Miss M. Harris, Orange, N. J.; Miss Jeanette Cytron, Hoboken; Miss Ruth Manheimer, the Misses Loewel, the Misses Rosenswawe, Mr. Herbert Franken, Flatbush; Miss Lena Klein, Mr. H. Kaufman, Miss Sarah Kaufman, Counselor J. Klein.

Mr. and Mrs. Sol. L. Kaye announce the bar mitzvah of their son, Master Jerome D., which will take place this Sabbath, Feb. 18, at the Congregation Adath Israel, of West Harlem, No. 135 West 125th street, at 10 a. m. Reception at their residence, 2067 Seventh avenue on Saturday and Sunday afternoons from 3 to 6. No cards.

Congregation Beth Hamedrash Achdosh Talmud Torah, 894 First avenue, expresses the heartiest congratulation to the bar mitzvah lad, Master Abraham Kaufman, and to the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kaufman. May they live in the greatest happiness to bring up their son and their other children to be good, faithful Jews and good American citizens and a credit to them. M. Freeman, president; Rev. A. Weinstein, secretary.

ENGAGEMENTS.

ALTMAN—BARIN.—Mr. and Mrs. M. Barin, of 204 West 121st street, announce the betrothal of their daughter Elsie to Mr. David Altman. At home Sunday, Feb. 19, from three to six; no cards.

FINKELSTEIN—LEVY.—Mr. David Levy begs to announce the engagement of his daughter Ida to Mr. David Finkelstein, Feb. 11, 1905.

GOLDSTEIN—HALPORN.—Mrs. E. Halporn begs to announce the engagement of her daughter Ida to Mr. Sam E. Goldstein. At home Sunday, Feb. 19, 1905, at 307 East 51st street.

SKLAAR—LEVY.—Mr. and Mrs. W. Levy, of 32 West 112th street, beg to announce the engagement of their daughter Belle to Mr. William Sklaar. At home Sunday, the 19th, after six p. m.

SOLOMON—GOLDBERG.—Mrs. Louis T. Goldberg, of 110 Lenox avenue, announces the engagement of her daughter Julia to Mr. Emanuel Solomon. Reception at home Feb. 19, from three to six p. m. No cards.

VELLEMAN—STERN.—Mr. and Mrs. Louis Stern announce the engagement of their daughter Bertha to Mr. Joshua Velleman. At home, 361 West 120th street, Sunday, Feb. 19, three to six p. m. No cards.

ZIMMERMAN—LANDAU.—Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Landau, of 166 East 80th street, announce the engagement of their daughter Gertrude to Mr. Benjamin Zimmerman. At home Sunday, Feb. 19, 1905, from three to six. No cards.

Independent Order Free Sons of Israel. 39th Convention of District Grand Lodge No. 1.

The thirty-ninth annual convention of District Grand Lodge No. 1, of the Independent Order Free Sons of Israel, was held on Sunday and Monday last at the Terrace Garden, Fifty-ninth street. There was a large attendance of delegates and the proceedings were very animated, testifying to the interest which the members of the order evince in the affairs of the organization.

Brother Emil Tausig, grand master of the district, occupied the chair, and he was supported by the various grand officers. After the roll call and the various preliminary matters had been attended to, the grand master read his annual message, which contained a review of the Jewish affairs due in the past year, spoke of the progress of the order and contained a number of important recommendations. He stated, in the course of his message that during the year the funds of the lodges showed an increase of \$18,942.78 over that of last year, and the order was still going ahead. Speaking of the defalcations, Brother Tausig said that everything had been settled and that the order had in no way suffered.

The report of the General Committee of the District Grand Lodge showed the progress of the order, and it is interesting to know that while the organization cares for its own members the general communal charities are not neglected, and \$600 has been voted to a number of Jewish institutions in the city and elsewhere.

Brother Mort. J. Lichtenberg, president of the district deputies, presented an interesting report in which he dwelt upon the necessity of closer union between the various lodges and the necessity of bringing within an order the younger elements of the Jewish community. The grand secretary's report in regard to the finances of the Grand Lodge are very satisfactory. Altogether the order has 120 male lodges and six female lodges, and the total membership of 9,047.

The grand master's message and the various other reports were received with much satisfaction and were fully discussed. The only recommendation contained in the message which was adopted by the convention dwelt with the funds of the lodges, which hereafter will be deposited in the names of the respective lodges, and all checks drawn must bear the signature of two officers of the lodge. The sessions were conducted in a business-like manner, and the delegates showed every desire to deal thoroughly with all the matters presented for their consideration.

MARRIAGES

RAPPAPORT—WISSOFF.—Mr. Joseph Rappaport, a prominent New Yorker, was married to Miss Katharine Wissoff on Feb. 12, at the American Star Hall, Brooklyn. Despite the inclement weather the event was not wholly devoid of features. One feature was the presentation of a silver candelabra by the Brownsville Lodge. The floor manager was Israel Gordon, assisted by Matthews, Worth and Abram Blum.

BAEHR—LESSING.—On Sunday, Feb. 12, at 319 East 124th street, Mr. Emil Baehr and Miss Caroline Lessing were married by Rabbi Samuel Greenfield, of Mt. Zion Congregation.

KLEIN—KRUGER.—On Sunday, Feb. 5, 1905, Miss H. Klein to Mr. Martin Kruger, by Rev. Joseph Segal.

SCHULMAN—SANDBERG.—Sunday, Feb. 5, 1905, Miss Mary Schulman to Mr. Morris Sandberg. Rev. J. Segal officiated.

LANDAU—ARKIN.—Sunday, Feb. 5, 1905, Miss Jennie Landau to Mr. Michael Arkin, at the Sabign, 125th street and Fifth avenue, by Rev. Joseph Segal.

DUBIN—ABELMAN.—On Tuesday, Feb. 14, at Liederkranz Hall, Brooklyn, Miss Lillie Abelman and Mr. Philip Dubin, both of Brooklyn, were married by Rabbi Samuel Greenfield of Manhattan.

GARFUNKEL—WEISER.—On Sunday, Feb. 5, 1905, by Rev. J. Segal, Miss Ethel Garfunkel to Mr. Max I. Weiser.

SZAMETH—BRODAMN.—On Wednesday, Feb. 15, 1905, Miss Nettie Szameth was married to Dr. H. Brodman at Madison Hall. Rev. Joseph Segal performed the ceremony.

MICHELSON—LOWENSTEIN.—Aaron Michelson and Sophie Lowenstein, on Wednesday, Feb. 8, at the residence of Rev. S. Destillator, 152 E. 116th street.

KAHN—FIRST.—Frank Kahn and Jennie First, on Sunday, Feb. 12, at the bride's residence, 234 E. 160th street, by Rev. S. Destillator.

FREEDBERG—LAURIE.—Louis Freedberg and Jennie Laurie, at the residence of the bride's sister, 124 E. 118th street, on Monday, Feb. 13, 1905, by Rev. S. Destillator, of Cong. Beth-Tefilah.

The following officers were elected: Emil Tausig, grand master; Isaac Baer, first deputy grand master; Eugene D. Klein, second deputy grand master; M. H. Mintz, third deputy grand master; Abraham Hafer, grand secretary; Adolph E. Karelsen, grand treasurer; Meier Goldberg, grand warden; Abraham Sanders, grand tyler. General Committee: Mort. J. Lichtenberg, chairman Board of District Deputies; Daniel Krause, chairman Committee on Finance; Samuel Spitz, chairman Committee on Appeals; Solon J. Libeskind, chairman Committee on Laws; Louis Hess, chairman Committee on State of the District.

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OBITUARY.

FORDONSKY.—The funeral of Mrs. Rosa Fordonsky took place Tuesday Feb. 7, from her late residence, 350 Bowery. Interment in Washington Cemetery. Rev. Jos. Segal officiated.

BLOCK.—On Sunday, Feb. 12, after a short illness, Mrs. Daniel Block, aged 73. Funeral took place from her residence, 823 East 144th street. The Rev. S. E. Destillator officiated.

COHEN.—Mr. Jacob Cohen, who died suddenly on Saturday morning, Feb. 11, was buried Monday, Feb. 13, from his residence, 11 W. 137th street, being a thirty-second degree Mason and of high standing in several societies. His sudden death came as a great shock to his friends, many of whom attended his funeral. Rev. S. Destillator officiated.

GOLDBERG.—The sudden death of Mr. Jacob Goldberg, of 1429 Madison avenue, brought sorrow to many hearts. The deceased was 43 years of age. The funeral took place Friday, Feb. 10, Rabbi Samuel Greenfield conducting the services.

PERSONALS.

A kaffee klatsch given by Miss Lillian Rubin Wednesday, Feb. 8, to a party of friends, was a notable event of the past week in the Yorkville section of the city. Gathered at her home, 146 East Eighty-first street, were some of the popular members of the younger society. The afternoon was passed in a very pleasant manner. Those present were Miss Flossie Rosenthal, niece of Judge Joseph, Miss Bessie Levy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Moe Levy; Miss Cecilia Frances Nachtigall, the Misses Sadie Cohen, Stella Cohen, Cella Kauter (Chicago), Annette Levy, Becky Harris, Anna Crystal, Alma Ball and Harriet Baron. The engagement of Miss Agusta Jeretsky to Mr. Aaron Goodman was celebrated on Sunday by a reception. The young couple were the recipients of many handsome and valuable gifts.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. A. Cohen, Mr. and Mrs. S. Cohen, Mrs. Ralph Jacobs, Mr. Louis Edmonds and fiancée and Miss Sophia Goodman.

After an extensive tour of the South Mr. and Mrs. A. Blumberg have returned to their New York residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Weinhandler celebrated their silver wedding on Sunday, Feb. 12, and received the congratulations of their numerous friends and relatives. Despite the very unfavorable weather the happy couple were kept busy entertaining the callers, who kept coming during the whole of the afternoon, all of them expressing the hope of being present at a golden anniversary. Congratulatory telegrams were received from many who were unable to come, as well as from the charitable societies with which Mr. Weinhandler is connected.

IN THE THEATRES.

The attraction at the New York Theatre next Monday evening will be Wright Lorimer in his magnificent production of "The Shepherd King," playing under the direction of William A. Brady. This piece was originally presented at the Knickerbocker Theatre last Spring, where the prices charged ranged from 50 cents to \$2. In this instance Klaw & Erlanger will continue their policy of big things at popular prices at the New York, and will present Mr. Lorimer and his company at a scale ranging from 25 cents to \$1 for the best seat in the theatre. Mr. Lorimer will again appear as David. His supporting cast is practically unchanged, and among the principals still remain Charles Kent, Carl Eckstrom, Ethelbert Hales, May Buckley, Nелlette Reed and Margaret Hayward.

Wm. Maussey will play the bell boy and Maud Campbell the same vivacious little tough girl in "Busy Izzy" at the West End next week.

That clever German dialect comedian and singer, Mr. Al H. Wilson, whom manager Henry Rosenberg will present at his popular Metropolitan Theatre in a grand production of "The Watch on the Rhine," week commencing Feb. 20, including a special matinee on Washington's Birthday, is a great lover of children, and Bessie, the little tot who enacts the child's part in this play, is his especial favorite.

Washington's Birthday week will be signalized by the first production at Mr. Proctor's One Hundred and Twenty-fifth Street Theatre of Edwin Milton Royle's extremely funny three-act farce comedy, "My Wife's Husbands." This was the rattling farce which made such a substantial laughing hit at the Madison Square Theatre last season, and which was used on tour for a while by Mr. Nat C. Goodwin.

The unusual spectacle of a miniature musical comedy in vaudeville as an added attraction to a remarkably good bill is the novelty that F. F. Proctor has provided for the patrons of his pretty theatre in Twenty-third Street next week. The new act, now in its second week, is entitled "The Babes at the Inn," and was written by Theodore Sheldon. H. T. McConnell, who staged "The Wood Nymphs," which made such a hit at this house, is the producing manager of this little piece, and he introduces two clever comedians in Wood and Adams, with their support of six pretty girls. Important features are the Obersteiner Tyrolean Troupe, Carlotta, Watson, Hutchings and Edwards, Waterbury Brothers and Tenny, Don and Thompson, the Four Pajama Boys, Charles M. Ernest, Rae and Benedetto, Morton and Diamond, De Laska, Pero and Wilson, Hoyt and Burke and Harris and Hunt.

The vehicle of the stock company at Proctor's Fifth Avenue Theatre next week will be Lawrence Marston's dramatization of Bertha Runkel's charming historical romance, "The Helmet of Navarre." The vaudeville offerings for that week will be unusually noteworthy, and will include the Empire Comedy Four, Adaline Francis, Cook and Sylvia, Madell and Corby, John and Carrie Mack, McKissick and Chadney, Willie Gardner, Wood and Berry, the motion pictures, and many others. The Sunday concert, with a special array of high-class talent, will be given continuously from 2 until 11.

Of all the old Lyceum Theatre successes in the days of the greatest triumphs of the famous stock company there no drama ever achieved more brilliant recognition of the play-going public than "The Charity Ball." This splendid play has been selected for production at Mr. Proctor's Fifty-eighth Street Theatre next week. In addition to this interesting revival the policy of interesting vaudeville between the acts will be continued.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, AS REQUIRED BY THE Greater New York Charter, that the books called "The Annual Record of the Assessed Valuation of Real and Personal Estate of the Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx, Brooklyn, Queens and Richmond, comprising The City of New York" will be open for examination and correction on the second Monday of January, and will remain open until the

FIRST DAY OF APRIL, 1905. During the time that the books are open to public inspection, application may be made by any person or corporation claiming to be aggrieved by the assessed valuation of real or personal estate to have the same corrected.

In the Borough of Manhattan, at the main office of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, No. 280 Broadway.

In the Borough of The Bronx, at the office of the Department, Municipal Building, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.

In the Borough of Brooklyn, at the office of the Department, Municipal Building.

In the Borough of Queens, at the office of the Department, Hackett Building, Jackson avenue and Fifth street, Long Island City.

In the Borough of Richmond, at the office of the Department, Masonic Building, Stapleton.

Corporations in all the Boroughs must make application only at the main office in the Borough of Manhattan.

Applications in relation to the assessed valuation of personal estate must be made by the person assessed, at the office of the Department in the Borough where such person resides, and in the case of a non-resident carrying on business in the City of New York, at the office of the Department in the County where such place of business is located; between the hours of 10 A. M. and 3 P. M., except on Saturday, when all applications must be made between 10 A. M. and 12 noon.

FRANK A. O'DONNELL, President.

JAMES B. BOUCK, SAMUEL STRASBOURGER, EDWARD F. TODD, RAYMOND N. MULLER, Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, by the grace of God free and independent, to Abraham M. Jacobs, Cecelia Emmerlich, Josephine Jacobs, Samuel K. Jacobs, Bertha Jacobs, Jennie Jacobs, Carl A. Jacobs, E. Lewis Jacobs, Regina Bender, Julius Bonnem, Gustav Bonnem, Emma Rothschild, Hulda Bonnem, Amelia Engel, Abraham S. Jacobs, George Jacobs, Julia Brown, Joseph Jacobs, Bertha Jacobs, Tillie Jacobs, Abraham Jacobs, Adele Levy, Hannah Deutelbaum, Julia Samter, Moses Kurz, Max Kurz, Adolph Kurz, Solomon Kurz, Rudolph Kurz, the heirs and next of kin of Babetta Kaufman, late of the County of New York, deceased, send greeting:

Whereas, Joseph Fox, of the City of New York, has lately applied to the Surrogate's Court of our County of New York, to have certain instruments in writing, relating to both real and personal property, duly proved as the last will and testament of Babetta Kaufman, late of the County of New York, deceased, Therefore you and each of you are cited to appear before the Surrogate of our County of New York, at his office in the County of New York, on the 24th day of March, one thousand nine hundred and five, at half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, there to attend the probate of the said last will and testament.

And such of you as are hereby cited as are under the age of twenty-one years, are required to appear by your guardian, if you have one, or if you have none, to appear and apply for one to be appointed, or in the event of your neglect or failure to do so, a guardian will be appointed by the Surrogate to represent and act for you in the proceeding.

In testimony whereof, we have caused the seal of the Surrogate's Court of the said County of New York to be hereunto affixed. Witness, HON. FRANK T. FITZGERALD, a Surrogate of our said County of New York, at said County, the 7th day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and five.

JAMES A. DONNELLY, Clerk of the Surrogate's Court.

FLEISCHMAN & FOX, Attorneys for Petitioner, 346 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF HON. ABNER C. THOMAS, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Ludwig Muller, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at her place of transacting business at the office of David Friedmann, No. 509 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 22d day of August next. Dated New York, the 6th day of February, 1905. MAGDALENA MULLER, Executrix. DAVID FRIDMANN, Attorney for Executrix, Mutual Reserve Building, No. 309 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

LOEWER, VALENTINE.—IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF HON. FRANK T. FITZGERALD, a Surrogate of the County of New York, dated February 1st, 1905. Notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Valentine Loewer, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscriber, at their place of transacting business at the office of Paskus & Cohen, No. 35 Nassau Street, in the City of New York, on or before the 15th day of August next. Dated New York, the 7th day of February, 1905. JACOB LOEWER, GEORGE LOEWER, Administrators.

PASKUS & COHEN, Attorneys for Administrators, 35 Nassau Street, New York City.

SALOMON, GUSTAV.—IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF HON. FRANK T. FITZGERALD, a surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Gustav Salomon, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscribers, at their place of transacting business, at the office of Estein, Townsend & Guiterman, 32 Nassau Street, in the City of New York, on or before the 16th day of August next. Dated New York, the 2d day of February, 1905. EIRSTEIN, TOWNSEND & GUITERMAN, Attorneys for Executors, 32 Nassau Street, Manhattan, New York City. BENJAMIN F. EIRSTEIN, SOLOMON G. SALOMON, Executors; PAULINE SALOMON, Executrix.

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF HON. FRANK T. FITZGERALD, Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Bertha Segall, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscriber at his place of transacting business at the office of Edward Hermann, No. 38 Park Row, Borough of Manhattan in the City of New York, on or before the tenth day of September, 1905. Dated New York, February 1, 1905. JACOB A. JACOBS, Executor. EDWARD HERRMANN, Attorney for Executor, 38 Park Row, New York, N. Y.

character of our race; of inculcating the purest principles of philanthropy, honor and patriotism; of supporting science and art; alleviating the wants of the poor and needy; visiting and attending the sick, coming to the rescue of victims of persecution; providing for, protecting and assisting the widow and orphan on the broadest principles of humanity.

POPPER, JOSEPH.—IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF HON. FRANK T. FITZGERALD, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Joseph Popper, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscriber, at her place of transacting business, at the office of John J. Freschi, No. 61-63 Park Row, in the City of New York, on or before the first day of August next. Dated New York, the 21st day of January, 1905. FANNY POPPER, Administratrix. JOHN J. FRESCHI, Attorney for Administratrix, 53-63 Park Row, Manhattan, New York City. GARDNER, MOSES.—IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF HON. FRANK T. FITZGERALD, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Solomon Rothfeld, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof, to the subscribers at their place of transacting business, at the office of Ferdinand Kurzman, No. 25 Broad Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, on or before the 25th day of July, 1905. Dated New York, January 20, 1905. JOHN FRANKENHEIMER, HYMAN SONN, JULIUS OPPENHEIMER, Executors. FERDINAND KURZMAN, Attorney for Executors, 25 Broad Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

BLUM, MORRIS.—IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF HON. FRANK T. FITZGERALD, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Morris Blum, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscribers at their place of transacting business, at the office of Elbridge G. Duvall, No. 271 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 1st day of August next. Dated New York, the 17th day of January, 1905. GEORGE M. BAKER, Attorney for Executors, 271 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. Elbridge G. Duvall, Fanny Blum, Jacob Blum, Executors.

GANS, LOUIS.—IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF HON. ABNER C. THOMAS, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Louis Gans, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof, to the subscribers at their place of transacting business, viz.: the office of Ferdinand Kurzman, No. 25 Broad Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, on or before the 10th day of July, 1905. Dated New York, January 6th, 1905. JOHN FRANKENHEIMER, EDWARD A. MERDIAN, Executors. FERDINAND KURZMAN, Attorney for Executors, 25 Broad Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

LIEBMANN-FANNY.—IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF HON. ABNER C. THOMAS, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Fanny Liebmann, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscribers at their place of transacting business, Rooms 917-920, in No. 140 Nassau Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the twenty-sixth day of June next. Dated New York the twenty-first day of December, 1904. JOSEPH LIEBMANN, HENRY LIEBMAN, LILLY GUTMAN, Executors. SAMUEL HOFF, Attorney for Executors, 140 Nassau Street, New York, N. Y.

SCHLOSS, LEVI A.—IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF HON. ABNER C. THOMAS, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Levi A. Schloss, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscriber at his place of transacting business at the office of Christian G. Moritz, No. 231 Broadway, in the City of New York, on or before the 1st day of July next. Dated New York, the 21st day of December, 1904. MAX LOEWENSTEIN, Executor. CHRISTIAN G. MORITZ, Attorney for Executor, 231 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

REIS, MICHAEL.—IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF HON. ABNER C. THOMAS, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Michael Reis, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscriber, at his place of transacting business to wit, the office of Myron H. Oppenheim, No. 185 Front Street, in the City of New York, on or before the 20th day of December, 1904. MYRON H. OPPENHEIM, Attorney for Executor, No. 125 Front Street, New York City, N. Y. RUDOLPH M. HAAN, Executor.

RECKENDORFER, BABBETTE.—IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF HON. ABNER C. THOMAS, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Babbette Reckendorfer, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscribers, at their place of transacting business, at the office of Samuel E. Guggenheimer, No. 30 Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan in the City of New York, on or before the 3d day of July next. Dated New York, the 17th day of December, 1904. LOUIS J. RECKENDORFER, SAMUEL J. RECKENDORFER, DAISY STRAUSS, Executors. SAMUEL E. GUGGENHEIMER, Attorney for Executors, No. 30 Broad Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

der of Hon. Abner C. Thomas, a Surrogate of the County of New York, dated October 20, 1904, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Moses Gardner, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscribers at their place of transacting business, at the office of Kantrowitz & Esberg, No. 320 Broadway, in the City of New York, on or before the 30th day of June, 1905, next. Dated New York, 18th day of December, 1904. BERNARD EPSTEIN AND SARAH GARDNER, Executors. Kantrowitz & Esberg, Attorneys for Executors.

GIESCHEN, HENRY.—IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF HON. FRANK T. FITZGERALD, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Henry Gieschen, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscribers at their place of transacting business, Room 25, Fifth Floor, No. 120 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 16th day of June next. Dated New York, the 30th day of November, 1904. ALBERT W. GIESCHEN, ALBRECHT J. BODE, Executors. MILLER, MILLER & STORM, Attorneys for Executors, 120 Broadway, New York City.

SHANDALL, HARRY J.—IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF HON. FRANK T. FITZGERALD, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Harry J. Shandall, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscriber, at her place of transacting business, at the office of Abr. A. Silberberg, No. 309 Broadway, in the City of New York, on or before the 7th day of June next. Dated New York, the 22d day of November, 1904. BERTHA SHANDALL, Administratrix. ABR. A. SILBERBERG, Attorney for Administratrix, 309 Broadway, New York City.

CAHN-LEOPOLD.—IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF HON. ABNER C. THOMAS, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Leopold Cahn, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscribers, at their place of transacting business, at the office of William L. Cahn, No. 25 Pine Street, in the City of New York, on or before the 20th day of May next. Dated New York, the 11th day of November, 1904. CLARA CAHN, ARTHUR L. CAHN, WM. L. CAHN, Executors. HAROLD NATHAN, Attorney for Executors, No. 27 William St., New York City.

ROSENHEIM, ISIDOR.—IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF HON. ABNER C. THOMAS, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Isidor Rosenheim, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscribers at his place of transacting business, the office of Harry K. Kohn, No. 25 Pine Street, in the City of New York, on or before the 25th day of May next. Dated New York, the 4th day of November, 1904. MAX ROSENHEIM, Administrator. HARRY R. KOHN, Attorney for Administrator, 25 Pine St., New York City, Manhattan.

LEVY, ISABELLA.—IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF HON. ABNER C. THOMAS, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Isabella Levy, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscribers at their place of transacting business, at the office of Joseph L. Green, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 16th day of May next. Dated New York, the 2d day of November, 1904. JAMES H. LEHMAIER, JOHN TROUNSTINE, JOHN M. SCHLESINGER, Executors. JOSEPH I. GREEN, Attorney for Executors, 280 Broadway, Manhattan, New York City.

PLUMLEIN, ABRAHAM.—IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF HON. ABNER C. THOMAS, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Abraham Plumlein, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscriber at her place of transacting business, No. 128 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 6th day of May next. Dated New York, the 31st day of October, 1904. EMMA BLUMLEIN, Executrix. ROSE & PUTZEL, Attorneys for Executrix, 128 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

LINDHEIM, CLARA.—IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF HON. ABNER C. THOMAS, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Clara Lindheim, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof, to the subscriber at his place of transacting business, at the office of Frankenstein, Kurzman & Frankenstein, No. 25 Broad Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on or before the 24th day of April, 1905. Dated New York, October 21st, 1904. MARION B. KOHLMAN, Executor. KURZMAN & FRANKENHEIMER, Attorneys for Executor, 25 Broad Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

COHEN, ROSA.—IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF HON. ABNER C. THOMAS, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Rosa Cohen, sometimes called Rosie Cohen, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscriber at his place of transacting business, Room 234, No. 280 Broadway, Manhattan Borough, in the City of New York, on or before the first day of May next. Dated New York, the twenty-first day of October, 1904. ABRAHAM L. COHEN, Executor. SAMUEL J. COHEN, Attorney for Executor, Stewart Building, 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

JACOBS, JAMES.—IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF HON. ABNER C. THOMAS, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against James Jacobs, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscribers at their place of transacting business, at the office of Kantrowitz & Esberg, No. 320 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 2d day of May, 1905, next. Dated New York, the 18th day of October, 1904. GUSSE GEIZLER, EMMA GEIZLER, Executors. KANTROWITZ & ESBERG, Attorneys for Executors, 320 Broadway, Manhattan Borough, New York City.

LOWENFELS, JACOB.—IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF HON. ABNER C. THOMAS, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Jacob Lowenfels, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscribers, at their place of transacting business, at the office of Kantrowitz & Esberg, No. 320 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 2d day of May, 1905 next. Dated New York, the 18th day of October, 1904. BERNARD LOWENFELS, BERTHA SCHWARTZ, Executors. KANTROWITZ & ESBERG, Attorneys for Executors, 320 Broadway, Manhattan Borough, New York City.

FEIGENBAUM, BESSIE.—IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF HON. ABNER C. THOMAS, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Bessie Feigenbaum, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscriber, at her place of transacting business, the office of Abraham I. Gordon, No. 320 Broadway, in the City of New York, on or before the first day of May next. Dated New York, the 12th day of October, 1904. LOUISE SCHEINDLER, Administratrix. ABRAHAM I. GORDON, Attorney for Administratrix, 320 Broadway, New York.

STICH, RACHEL.—IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF HON. FRANK T. FITZGERALD, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Rachel Stich, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscriber, at his place of transacting business at the office of Kantrowitz and Esberg, No. 320 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 28th day of April, 1905, next. Dated New York, the 12th day of October, 1904. JOHN STICH, Executor. KANTROWITZ AND ESBERG, Attorneys for Executor, 320 Broadway, New York City, Manhattan Borough.

RADLE, FREDERICA.—IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF HON. ABNER C. THOMAS, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Frederica Radle, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscriber at his place of transacting business at the offices of Westworth, Lowenstein and Stern, No. 350 Broadway, in the City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, on or before the 21st day of April next. Dated New York, the 8th day of October, 1904. EUGENE J. RADLE, Administrator. WESTWORTH, LOWENSTEIN & STERN, Attorneys for Administrator, 350 Broadway, New York City, Manhattan.

MARKERT, CHRISTIAN.—IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF HON. FRANK T. FITZGERALD, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Christian Markert, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscriber, at his place of transacting business at the office of Moss & Feiner, No. 85 Nassau Street, Borough of Manhattan, the City of New York, on or before the tenth day of April next. Dated New York, the fourth day of October, 1904. MOSS & FEINER, SAMUEL WEILL, Attorneys for Executor, Executor, 35 Nassau Street (Manhattan) City of New York.

KREIELSHEIMER, AARON.—IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF HON. FRANK T. FITZGERALD, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Aaron Kreielsheimer, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscribers at our place of transacting business, No. 257 Broadway, in the City of New York, on or before the 10th day of April next. Dated New York, the 1st day of October, 1904. ADELHEID KREIELSHEIMER, MAX A. KREIELSHEIMER, FANNIE KLEIN, Executors. STRALEY & HASBROUCK, Attorneys for Executors, 257 Broadway, Manhattan, New York City.

LUDER BRUNJES, ALSO CALLED LUDER BRUNGES.—IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF HON. FRANK T. FITZGERALD, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Luder Brunjes, also called Luder Brunges, late of Legumstol, Germany, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof, to the subscriber at his place of transacting business, No. 35 Nassau Street, in the City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, on or before April 1, 1905. Dated New York, the 23d day of September, 1904. RICHARD M. BRUNO, Ancillary Executor.

KARL POKATZKY, ALSO CALLED CARL POKATZKY.—IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF HON. FRANK T. FITZGERALD, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Karl Pokatzky, also called Carl Pokatzky, late of Crossen, Germany, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof, to the subscriber at his place of transacting business, No. 35 Nassau Street, in the City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, on or before April 1, 1905. Dated New York, the 22d day of September, 1904. RICHARD M. BRUNO, Ancillary Executor.

LYON, RACHEL.—IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF HON. FRANK T. FITZGERALD, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Rachel Lyon, late of the County of New York, Baltimore, Maryland, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscribers, at their place of transacting business, care Bandler & Haas, No. 320 Broadway, in the City of New York, on or before the 28th day of March next. Dated New York, the 13th day of September, 1904. JULIUS M. LYON, ERNEST WEINMAN, Executors. BANDLER & HAAS, Attys. for Executors, 320 Broadway, N. Y. Cit.

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF HON. FRANK T. FITZGERALD, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Rosal Silberstein, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscriber at his place of transacting business, at the office of his attorney, Joseph Rosenzweig, 99 Nassau Street, in the City of New York (Manhattan), on or before the 4th day of March next. Dated New York, the 29th day of August, 1904. ISAAC J. SILBERSTEIN, Administrator. JOSEPH ROSENZWEIG, Attorney for Administrator, 99 Nassau Street, Manhattan, N. Y. City.

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF HON. FRANK T. FITZGERALD, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Max Stiner, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscriber, at her place of transacting business, at the office of Johnston & Johnston, Nos. 8 and 10 Centre Street, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 22nd day of March next. Dated New York, the 29th day of August, 1904. CAROLINE STINER, Executrix. JOHNSTON & JOHNSTON, Attorneys for Executrix, 8 and 10 Centre Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF HON. FRANK T. FITZGERALD, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Israel (also known as Irving) Kraft, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscribers, at their place of transacting business, No. 57 Nassau Street, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 17th day of March next. Dated New York, the thirtieth day of August, 1904. CHARLES O. MAAS, HARRY KRAFT, Executors. WM. VICTOR GOLDBERG, Attorney for Executors, 57 Nassau Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

Wm. Victor Goldberg, Attorney for Executors, 57 Nassau Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

DAMES AND DAUGHTERS.

Miss Elizabeth Julia Emery of Cincinnati has presented another dormitory to the Tuskegee institution. This is the third one she has presented.

Adele Grout, countess of Essex, famed as a London beauty, but for years a delicate woman because of nerves shattered by society's demands, has become a vegetarian enthusiast.

It is said that if Miss Helen Miller Gould were to comply with all the requests for money which she receives it would take her about two years to dispose of her fortune of \$15,000,000.

Mme. Le Bargy, who is regarded in Paris as the natural successor of Mme. Sarah Bernhardt, has been on the stage only three years. She looks more English than French and speaks English fluently.

Miss Julia Marlowe's library is the admiration of all friends. Her hobby is rare bindings, and in order that she might know whereof she spoke and bought she took time to learn the book-binding trade.

Countess Helene von Schweinitz recently passed a most satisfactory examination in dental surgery. Germany has many titled practicing lawyers and physicians, but the countess is the first titled dentist.

Elizabeth Duse, the seventeen-year-old daughter of Eleonora Duse, the Italian actress, has entered an English college devoted to the study of farming and horticulture. The mother is pleased that the daughter has no stage aspirations.

Mrs. Matilda Capin recently celebrated the one hundredth anniversary of her birth at the home which she has occupied in Stroughton, Mass., for the last seventy years. Children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren assisted in the festivities.

GLEANINGS.

Spain has 1,027 iron mines, 461 coal and 21 lead and silver mines.

There are sixty-four shops in Berlin in which nothing but horseflesh is sold.

The newspapers of Vienna report the arrival of the first Chinese boy ever born in that city. He is the son of the Chinese ambassador.

Sweden has the oldest vessel in Europe, perhaps in the world, in the schooner Emmanuel, built in 1749. She was first a privateer and is now in the timber trade.

Society women in the town of Haparanda, in Sweden, have decided to relieve men of the necessity of doffing their hats to women in the streets as long as the cold weather lasts.

The enforced Sunday rest which has been introduced into Spain is causing much dissatisfaction in all commercial and industrial centers. It is considered likely that the cortes will repeal the law.

The cantonal school board of Ticino, in Switzerland, complains in a circular to parents that, owing to children being allowed at home to partake too freely of the strong native liquor, boys and girls often go to school in a hopelessly intoxicated condition.

SIRENS AND SONS.

M. D. Elwell of Evanston, Ill., is considered one of the greatest handwriting experts in the country.

William Cornell Greene is not only the "copper king" of Mexico, but owns several million acres of land in that country and in Arizona as well.

Senator Hale now has the banner record of all senators ever elected from Maine in having been chosen for five full terms of six years each.

Joseph S. Frelinghuysen, personal aid to Governor Stokes of New Jersey, is a cousin of the late Secretary of State and United States Senator Frelinghuysen.

London Truth says that in Sir Edward Edgar England "now for the first time in centuries possesses at least one composer of international repute." What about Sir Arthur Sullivan?

W. B. Smith of Washington has made rare additions to his collections of books relating to the greatest of Scottish poets, Robert Burns. His collection of Burnsiana is now beyond all question the finest of its kind in the world.

Albert M. Bradshaw, recently reappointed postmaster of Lakewood, N. J., has probably the richest bondsmen of any postmaster in the country. George W. Gould heads the list of sureties

and another millionaire on the list is Samuel S. Beard.

Dr. Nicholas J. Eisenheimer, a leading Cincinnati musician, has started a movement to honor Theodore Thomas' memory by placing his statue in the Hall of Fame. He says, "Unless Theodore Thomas is given a place in the Hall of Fame no other musician will be represented there."

Starr J. Murphy and R. A. Franks attend to the charitable and other benefactions of John D. Rockefeller and Andrew Carnegie. The begging letter is the bane of their lives, many hundreds of such missives being received immediately after either of the millionaires named has had his name connected with a gift.

SPORTING NOTES.

Bob Fitzsimmons is matched to fight "Philadelphia Jack" O'Brien.

Winter auto races are becoming as important as those of summer.

Judge Rees of Memphis, Tenn., says Captain S. S. Brown is not interested financially with Edward Corrigan in turf ventures.

George Lawler, a heavyweight boxer of Milwaukee, has been offered a job as sparring partner for Champion Jim Jeffries.

Pinkey Evans has given up the idea of meeting Jem Bowker and now wants a bout with Hughey McGovern or Frankie Neil.

Edward Corrigan made application for fifty stalls for running horses at Nashville, but could not be accommodated on account of want of room.

Jack Herman, the manager of the Fort Erie Boxing club, announces his intention of having a big boxing club in Buffalo if boxing becomes legal in New York state.

Willie Lewis, the New York lightweight, who recently knocked out Martin Canole, has received several offers to don the mitts, but has decided to force Jimmy Britt to meet him.

PEN, CHISEL AND BRUSH.

Jose Echegaray, the celebrated Spanish writer, has published more than twenty dramas.

Max Klinger, the sculptor, who created such a sensation with his Beethoven statue, is at work on a Brahms statue intended for the new music hall on the Holstein platz, Hamburg.

John Mackintosh, LL. D., the leading authority on Scottish history, wrote his "History of Civilization in Scotland" on the counter of his tiny stationery store in the early morning before customers came.

Johannes A. Oertel, who produced the famous painting "Rock of Ages," though eighty-two years old, still plies his brush at his home, twenty miles from Washington, in a little Virginia village, Vienna. It was in 1867 that "The Rock of Ages" was painted in the studio of the artist at Westerly, R. I.

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We, grown old.

Only yesterday I quaffed
Life's enkindling wine;
Only yesterday I laughed
Youth's light laugh divine.
It was Love who played the host,
Brimmed the cup of gold,
Ah, but we remember most,
We, grown old.

Only yesterday my eyes
Held youth's marvelings;
Nay, it is not time that flies—
Love alone has wings.
Time plods slow in very truth;
Love—what man may hold?
Ah, we know who flched our youth,
We, grown old:
—Theodosia Garrison in Harper's.

"Show Me."
Do you know Mr. Tell-you-how? He is the man who eyes Your patient efforts to succeed with sneers he can't disguise. No matter what your work may be—perhaps it's driving nails Or keeping books or selling goods or maybe splitting rails— But Mr. Tell-you-how will come and venture to suggest Another way for you to work, and then you should request: "Show me!"

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The Book of Wars.
When the book of the wars of men is done And the story is truly penned From the yellowing page of the tale begun To the chapter that holds the end, When the trumpets of peace the world around Have blent in a chorus grand And the battleflag shall no more be found As a shadow above the land, Will we keep the book of the wars of men In a high and honored place That our children's sons may be thrilled again With the stories their eyes may trace? Will we cherish the book in faithful pride That men of a future age May acquaint themselves with the ones who died That the volume might have a page? Will the book of the wars of men tell truth? Will it mingle the songs and cheers With the sacrifice of the beardless youth And the dew of a mother's tears? Will it blazon in gold the noble deed That won a forgotten fame? Will it tell of the gripe of a ceaseless greed That has wrought for a nation's shame? Oh, the book of the wars of men! It waits Till the wakening of the world, Till the banners that tell of scorn and hate In the glory of peace are furled! Will we keep it to tell of the rolling drum And the peals that the fifers know, Or to speak to the men of the days to come Of the way that they must not go? —Chicago Tribune.

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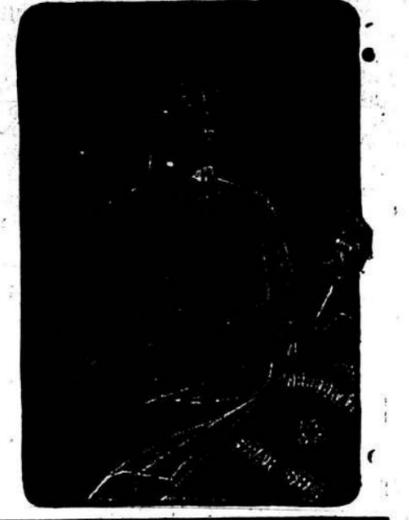
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