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### Reminiscences of a Jewish Journalist

By J. FUCHS---IV---"Jewish Bohemians Anno 1898"

**F**OURTEEN years ago the lower East Side was not so enormously overcrowded as now—still, it was already sufficiently congested to make the young Bohemians feel that there is no place like home, which is a happiness, since two such places would have made life unbearable. Of course, we had to sleep *somewhere* and to pay (or more likely to owe) the rent to *somebody*. But as for *living*—we of Bohemia lived in club-houses, in meeting-rooms, in coffee-saloons, in the theaters, in editorial offices—in short, anywhere but at home. Or else, if we felt like making ourselves at home it was usually at somebody else's home—there was a constant debauch of visitings and counter-visitings going on, after the manner of the sociable Jewish poor. Just as there are three men needed for saying grace and ten men for prayer, there were at least half a dozen requisite around a tea-table, to discuss the merits of Libin's latest sketch or Gordin's new play or to abuse the "Abendblatt crowd" according to their deserts. Gregariousness is an essential of Bohemian life.

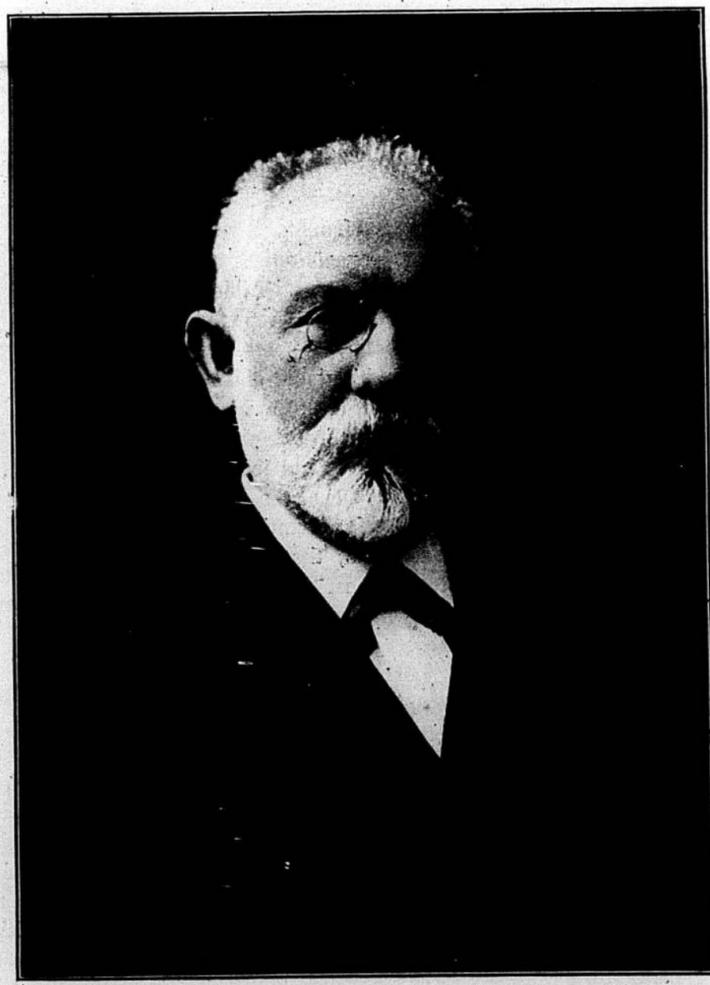
It is perhaps the chief characteristic of Bohemia, that it completely reverses the normal relations between literature and life. The common-sense of the average man causes him to look upon literature and art as a mere mirror of life, wherein he beholds its true lineaments reflected without attaching over-much importance to this counterfeit presentment of its own actualities. Contrariwise, the distorted optics of the Bohemian look upon life itself as a mere raw material, as a thing valuable and important only because of its capability to be painted, mimicked, sung about and written about. If a writer, he has a subconscious feeling, that all the struggles and sufferings of mankind are mere providential grist upon the mills of the printing and publishing trades. It is this inhuman view of half-developed talents, which has given rise

to the silly slogan: Art for Art's sake. Well, most of us were very young and I daresay very foolish then, and if we indulged in a sort of intellectual debauchery, we

means the most sympathetic—quite the contrary. Heaven knows, we young men were conceited and wilful enough, but at least our souls were utterly free from every blemish

was Mr. Abraham Cahan, who, during the early financial struggles of *Our Paper* had business in another quarter of the town. At festive occasions he made an appear-

interest in the Jewish labor-movement—which, to do him justice, must have been very genuine and very ardent at an earlier period of his life—was already extinct, all outward mimeries and semblances to the contrary notwithstanding. An English novelist and magazine-writer was just a-rising, a Phoenix, out of the ashes of his early revolutionary passion. With the enormous influx of immigration after Kishineff, which made valuable properties out of semi-bankrupt Jewish dailies and afforded a basis for the paying of good editorial salaries, there has been a recrudescence of his earliest Jewish-proletarian sentiments. But this is beside the point. At the time whereof this sketch of men and manners runs, Mr. Cahan was about 38 years of age—which means, much older than most of us—and chiefly known to the world outside of Ghetto walls as a special writer on the staff of the *Commercial Advertiser* and a contributor to a number of high-class magazines. As a literary phenomenon, Mr. Cahan presents to those who have followed his career, a most curious case of double personality. Whenever he puts pen to paper to write for the world at large, i.e., for the best-edited Anglo-American magazines and periodicals, he is circumspect and conservative in his statements, careful in argument, choice in diction to the point almost of stylistic dandyism, and usually felicitous in theme and plot. Such are the literary and journalistic qualifications of Mr. Abraham Cahan west, southwest, and northwest of the Bowery—the Cahan-Jekyll so to speak, of high class periodical literature done in English. Upon this Cahan-Jekyll the Cahan-Hyde of East Broadway is the completest travesty imaginable. As soon as he turns his back upon the Gentile world to speak to his own people in plain Yiddish, the author of such exquisite idylls as "A Ghetto Wedding" and "Reb Avrom Leib's Daughter" turns, as if by evil witch-craft, into a plati-



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evened up scores by the manful endurance of our early sufferings. The older, wiser, and more long-headed men among us were by no

of mercenariness, and base concessions to the spirit of money-making were held in generous scorn among the young. Dean of Jewish letters

ance in the Ghetto, to collect the interest, as it were, on his capital of old-time reputation. When I first made his acquaintance, his heart-felt

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telligent strangers, spurred by a not ignoble curiosity, tried to penetrate into its mysteries, unsuccessfully for the most part, for obvious reasons. Even the man who has understood and interpreted us best, Mr. Hutchins Hapgood, did not completely succeed in fathoming our humors. There are racial family secrets as well as social ones and they can't be understood by any but the people to the manner born. This puzzling aspect of our culture brings me right back to "Our Paper," which, in the contradictoriness of its contents, was—and still is—a true picture of the confusion of the average Jewish mind in a state of cultural transition. From the very first number on, "Our Paper" was a compromise between yellow sensationalism and high-flown academic and belletristic aspirations. The first or "news-page, under the control of the ingenuous Mr. Miller, out-heroded Herod in three-inch "scare-heads" and tales of bloody murder "lifted" from the *Join'l* and the *World*. The editorials on the second page, in high and mighty fashion, took our contemporaries to task for their lurid insincerity—the same contemporaries from which we clipped and faithfully copied our own news. To serve, esthetically, both God and the Devil, we run in synchronous installments a *Schundroman* for the *hoi polloi* and a translation from Tolstoi or Hugo for our better-class public. Meritorious articles on popular hygiene, gratuitously contributed by Dr. Caspe and other reputable physicians, appeared on a page facing the sinister advertisements of medical malpractitioners. The scholarly essays of Abraham Wald on economic determinism and kindred topics are peaceably sharing at present the available space on the inside with Mr. Cahan's dissertations on love and courtship for the benefit of sentimental buttonhole-makers and Byronic cloak-pressers, interspersed with letters retailing the experiences of that long-suffering lady, the eternal "Missis with her boarders." Verily, verily, there is only one step, from the Sublime to the Ridiculous and the all-embracing soul of the Ghetto, as expressed in its most popular newspaper, is no stranger to either!

The first born child of Jargon literature in any new Jewish settlement is always the sketch—in London, in New York, in Johannesburg, everywhere, where a new environment creates new situations to be observed and analysed in all their bearings by quick-witted men and women of our common race. Proletarian talents of the Ghetto used to be both quantitatively more numerous and qualitatively stronger than they are now. "Great thoughts come from the heart" said Vauvenargue, and the heart of labor in the New York Ghetto is beating now too faintly for first-rate literary inspirations. Some ten or twelve years ago it happened quite frequently, that some poor garment-worker or other handicraftsman of the congested districts devoted his leisure-time to literary efforts not altogether profitless, albeit somewhat crude. The sketch, for

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very obvious reasons, is the literary category which appeals most strongly to these raw recruits. It enables them, within briefest compass and almost without a plot, to reproduce the verities of their own cramped and handicapped lives, with an audience before them too naive to miss artistic subtleties and too deeply in love with the petty realities of life to discriminate very nicely between photography and painting. The secret of the success of the sketch, as a means of soul-expression, with the reading public of the Ghetto lies simply in this:

What unsophisticated Jews desire above everything else, is to find their own moral and mental physiognomies featured forth in the mirror of the fiction they read. If their wishes are met on that one all-important score, they will willingly put up with lack of proportion and a certain tentative uncertainty of touch very common to most of these attempts at veristic self-portraiture. The strongest proletarian talent of the time I am speaking of was Z. Libin, a poverty-stricken Bronx news-vender, living in miserable housings with a young wife and an ailing child, on an exceedingly scanty income derived partly from the sale of newspapers and partly from his contributions to "Our Paper," which paid him, if I am not mistaken, three dollars for every sketch contributed, a recompense considered exceptionally handsome in those early days. Libin appeared quite frequently on the platform at public entertainments, evincing considerable histrionic ability in the recital of selections from his own writings. His dapper little figure, dark curls, black mustache and loose Bohemian scarf reproduced the conventional externals of romanticism defiant. I understand, that following the example of most of the other Jewish sketch-writers, he has since taken to the stage, with indifferent success.

My personal acquaintance with another Ghetto celebrity of considerably smaller calibre was ushered in in the following whimsical manner: I was sitting one winter-evening in the reading-room of the "Voice of Labor" scanning the papers, when a young man of twenty-five or thereabouts entered the room, seated himself right opposite me and stared at me intently in a scowlingly introspective and altogether Russian manner, for some three or four minutes. The visitor was unmistakably a Bohemian—a rather representable specimen, with a somberly Russian-Jewish face, a wealth of bushy hair and drooping mustachios, the ends of his necktie flying loose in masonic

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signalment of his craft. I was just about to say something sharp in rebuke of his silent staring, when the stranger suddenly spoke up: "You are F., who writes now for "Our Paper," aren't you?" "Yes, I am. What of it?" "Do you care more for art or for the emancipation of the working class?" "For the latter, decidedly." The stranger thereupon smote the table with his palm, as if he had quite decisively made up his mind about me, abruptly rose, turned his back upon me, and without a word of self-introduction, explanation or parting salute, strutted out of the room. In this eccentric manner did I first get acquainted with Leon Kobrin, sketch-writer, playwright and journalist. (Continued on page 11)

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Dated New York, the 10th day of October, 1911.

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LITERARY.

"The Indian Lily and Other Stories," by Hermann Sudermann. B. W. Huebsch, publisher, New York.

It is conceivable that certain sensitive natures may be disturbed by reading "The Indian Lily," by Hermann Sudermann. It is less conceivable that anyone should lay down the book without the feeling of having been in the presence of a great artist and without feeling the force of the almost appalling flashes of insight and the pitiless veracity which distinguish this remarkable work.

For the most part these stories deal with men and women whose pursuit of the ideal has led them along unhealthy and unlovely roads. They don't find the ideal there. Lacking a nice physical balance, or with overstrung nerves, or caught in some eddy of mere chance, these folk have become immoral, when with either less opportunity or less imagination they might have been good or stupid, or both. The end of the game comes. These "autumnal souls," as Sudermann speaks of them, confronted by outraged nature, by broken faiths, by the ghosts of things done and undone, find truth when it is too late to be of service and reality when the senses and the heart can no longer respond.

The story which gives the book its title is an excellent example of Sudermann's perfect mastery of his chosen vehicle of artistic expression. There are no tricks, no concocted mysteries, no distractions. The reader is wholly conscious of the inevitable outcome, and yet it greets him with undiminished, overwhelming power.

"The Indian Lily" is a book for those who love art and who take their life without syrup.

Why Russia Wants to Keep Out the Jews.

There is one comfort for the citizen of Jewish ancestry and religion in the shameful situation as regards the Russian passport question.

The fact that Russia refuses arrogantly to recognize passports which this government issues and arrogates to herself

the right to discriminate against certain American citizens is a blistering disgrace to this government and this country.

The condition of affairs is in reality shameful, and should be more irritating to the non-Jew than to the Jew for this reason:

Russia says to the United States, "I shall keep out of my country a certain number of your citizens if I choose. I shall recognize certain passports and refuse to recognize others that you issue."

When Russia talks in this way to the United States Government an affront is offered to every citizen of this country regardless of his race or religion, for the country as a whole is insulted.

The Jew alone, of all American citizens, is complimented by Russia's act of discrimination against him. For when Russia, a tyrannical nation ruled by a barbarous, autocratic Czar, living under the thumb of superstition, refuses to admit Jews to Russian territory, that is a very great and sincere tribute to the Jews excluded.

Russia does not exclude the Chinese. For the Chinese bring no modern knowledge; none of that violent protest against wrong which has always traveled with the Jewish people.

Russia does not exclude or drive out the weak, the submissive, the dull minded. For those are the human beings upon whom autocracy and czardom thrive.

Russia hates the Jew, persecutes him, drives him out and keeps him out because the Jew is a teacher and a distributor of knowledge. Back of every Jew in Russia, however humble, there stretch long centuries of thought, of reading, of travel.

Every Jew thinks. Every Jew has been taught what is right. Every Jewish child ten years of age knows that no czar should rule over human beings, knows what the word liberty means. And children or men that know and believe in liberty are not wanted in Russia.

The humble moujik lives in his cabin, slaving his life away in the summer time, sleeping his life away half starved and half drunk in the winter time. He knows no other world than Russia, no other will than the Czars, no other truth than the falsehoods that superstition has taught him. He is the man for the Czar. His mind is the thick soil in which bigotry can thrive and collect toll, his bent back is the useful machine to earn taxes for the grand dukes.

Russia drives out the Jews and keeps out the Jews, when she can, because the Jews are the light bearers. They spread knowledge. They talk. They meet a hundred of their fellow beings where the dull peasant meets one. They distribute ideas as they distribute their dares. They are feared, and hated for good reasons. And the fear and the hatred that result in the murder of Jews at home and the fear and the hatred that cause the Russian Government to ignore our United States passports when issued to Jews are alike compliments to the intelligence and the rebellion against tyranny so strong in the Jewish character.—New York American.

Scientific Notes.

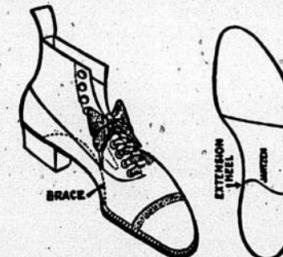
Dr. Radcliffe N. Salaman contributes to the Eugenics Review for October an interesting paper entitled "Heredity and the Jew." Of the ancient race he observes that it is unlikely that any people residing in the center of the great highway of the Old World, as did the Jews and their neighbors, should have at any time maintained a biological purity, as we understand it, in the animal and plant world. Proceeding to discuss certain cases of mixed marriages between Jews and Gentiles, he arrives at the conclusion "that the Jewish facial type, whether it be considered to rest on a gross anatomical basis or whether it be regarded as the reflection in the facial musculature of a peculiar psychical state, is a character which is subject to the Mendelian law of heredity." The obvious criticism is that the materials are too scanty to warrant this conclusion. The paper, however, suggests an interesting field of inquiry which the writer might with advantage study on a wider scale.

Dr. Bernard Frankel, who died on the 11th of last month, was a well-known laryngologist. Dr. Frankel rendered distinguished service as a medical officer in the wars with Denmark, Austria and France. After the Franco-Prussian war he began to teach at the University of Berlin, and in 1887 was given the direction of the newly founded Royal Universitäts poliklinik for diseases of the throat and nose. He enjoyed a European reputation in his own subject of laryngology, both as a practitioner in Berlin and as the author of many scientific works and the inventor of improved methods and instruments. He was one of the most prominent and tireless pioneers of the campaign against tuberculosis, and was chairman of the administrative council of the International Association.

Dr. Simon Flexner has received from the German Government an appointment as honorary member of the Institute for Experimental Therapy at Frankfurt-on-the-Main. B. H.

Klaw and Erlanger will present, under the management of Harrison Grey Fiske, Otis Skinner in an "Arabian Night," "Kismet," by Edward Knoblauch, at the Knickerbocker Theatre the latter part of this month. The play will be given in Washington for a week before the New York opening. "Kismet" is in rehearsal on the New Amsterdam roof. All of the costumes and properties have been received from Tunis, where the dresses were modeled and much of the other paraphernalia purchased in the bazaars. "Kismet" is in a prologue, three acts with nine scenes and an epilogue. It will be full of great scenic effects. Rita Jolivet, who was leading lady for George Alexander in London, will play the role of the beggar's daughter. Violet Romer, who was so successful as a dancer in San Francisco and London, will make her New York debut in the play. Of the London company only Ernest Leeman and George Relph will play in New York. The part of Hajj, the beggar, which Mr. Skinner will assume, is one of the best acting male roles of the modern stage. Mr. Skinner, who is considered by many the cleverest actor of the day, is sure to give a wonderful performance of the part.

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ITEMS OF INTEREST IN THE JEWISH WORLD.

Philadelphia (Pa.) Zionists have re-organized.

The Young Zionists of Worcester, Mass., have opened a free reading room.

A branch of the Hebrew Immigrant and Aid Society has been formed in Chelsea, Mass.

The Hebrew Philanthropic Society of Liverpool, England, recently celebrated its centenary.

A number of Jewish Young Men of Taunton, Mass., have banded together and formed a Y. M. H. A.

Architects have been invited to submit plans for the proposed Jewish hospital in London, England.

Mrs. Eli Hertzberg, of San Antonio, has been elected president of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs.

The United Hebrew Butchers' Association has been incorporated in Newark, N. J., with a capital of \$125,000.

During the past year the Hebrew Free Loan Association of Philadelphia, Pa., loaned \$9,500 to 463 individuals.

The Michveh Israel Association of Philadelphia, Pa., have decided to establish a "Mary M. Cohen Memorial."

A Jewish literary society has been formed by students, past and present, of Manchester (England) University.

The corner-stone for the first orthodox Jewish synagogue to be erected in Mobile, Ala., will be laid on Sunday next.

The Russian Senate has permitted the Governors to annul purchases of property made by Jews outside the Pale.

Over three hundred children have been enrolled in the Odessa Jewish Lads' Brigade recently authorized by the Czar.

Ex-Secretary of State Samuel S. Koenig was a White House caller last Saturday and lunched with President Taft.

The seventh biennial meeting of the National Conference of Jewish Charities will be held in Cleveland, O., June 9-12, 1912.

The Grand Lodge of Masons of New York State attended services in a body at Temple Emanu-El last Sunday morning.

United States Senator Daniel Guggenheim, of Colorado, has announced that he will not be a candidate for re-election in 1913.

The Ladies' Hebrew Benevolent Society of Fort Wayne, Ind., celebrated their golden jubilee last week by giving a banquet.

A burglar last week broke into a synagogue in Williamsburg and carried off a number of talithim and valuable candelabra.

The famous Jewish cemetery at Worms, which has been used as a burial place since the eleventh century, has been closed.

The new quarters of the Brockton (Mass.) Young Men's Hebrew Association will be formally opened on Sunday, December 17.

The Phoenix Club, a leading Jewish social organization of Baltimore, Md., have just celebrated their twenty-fifth anniversary.

Many Jews are taking out citizenship papers in Boston, Mass., and in a single day last week 136 were naturalized in the Federal courts.

The Moscow German Club has resolved to exclude all Jews. The decision is attributed to a demand for such a step made by the police.

The German colony in Mogador, Morocco, has decided to establish there a school of arts and trades for the benefit of Jews and Arabs.

The Kieff Zionists are establishing a colony in Palestine. They already possess 60,000 roubles toward its estimated cost of 250,000 roubles.

The Czar has sent his thanks to the Jewish reservists in Kieff for their loyal message. He has also received an influential Karaite deputation.

M. Edouard Petit, Inspector-General of Public Instruction, has been elected vice-president of the General Council of the French Educational League.

Rabbi L. Wolfsey, of Cleveland, O., was the principal speaker at the memorial services held in Chicago, Ill., last Sunday by the local lodge of Elks.

President Taft has promised to attend the annual ball of the Home for the Daughters of Jacob to be given in New York city on January 27, 1912.

Dr. Howard Osgood, for twenty-five years professor of Hebrew in the Rochester (N. Y.) Theological Seminary, died on November 8, aged eighty-one years.

Henry Stettiner died in Toledo, O., last week. The deceased, who was in his seventy-third year, had at one time been chief of the Volunteer Fire Department.

Dr. Boris D. Bogen, superintendent of the Cincinnati (O.) United Jewish Charities, has been elected a director of the "Child's Protective League" of that city.

While Mohammedan soldiers in Salonica are granted leave on Friday and Christians on Sunday, Jewish soldiers are confined to barracks on their Sabbath.

Roberta Nathan, a young Jewess of Chicago, Ill., has lately made some successful appearances as a coloratura soprano, disclosing a voice of unusual quality.

A mass meeting was held at Beverly, Mass., last Sunday by the Congregation Sons of Abraham for the purpose of raising funds for erecting a synagogue and Talmud Torah.

The Brooklyn Jewish Hospital has received pledges from its directors that they will personally raise \$15,000 of the \$100,000 which it is proposed to raise during the coming year.

Owing to the growing demand and on the recommendation of the librarian the Public Library Commission have decided to add works in Yiddish in the Dayton (O.) Public Library.

Much opposition has arisen in Boston, Mass., over the proposed consolidation of the Leopold Morse Home at Mattapan and the new Home for Destitute Jewish Children at Dorchester.

During the riots in Tunis in connection with the Italian atrocities in Tripoli the Jewish shops in the Bazaar were attacked by the fanatical Moslem mob and much damage was done.

The trustees of the Congregation Keneseth Israel Anshe Sfarad of Philadelphia, Pa., have purchased the plot 80-84 North Marshall street and will erect a synagogue on the property.

Temple Israel of Terre Haute, Ind., was dedicated last Friday night. A week before the Ladies' Society gave a bazaar at which \$1,350 was raised, which was used to furnish the interior.

Recently there died at Ungarisch-Brod, at the age of 97, Herr Philip Singer, who had been for several decades Burgomaster of the town and president of the Jewish community there.

A new political party has been formed in Russia composed mainly of prominent advocates and former Octobrists, and its programme will be devoted mainly to a campaign against the Jews.

Carl Freshl, who was the originator of "guaranteed hosier," died in Milwaukee, Wis., last month at the age of 69. His mills were among the largest in the knitting industry in this country.

Arrangements have been made for holding the next quinquennial convention of the Grand Lodge Independent Order Free Sons of Israel in Rochester, N. Y., during the week of May 19, 1912.

The Central Committee of the Alliance Israelite Universelle has voted 20,000 francs toward the relief of various Jewish communities in the Russian Pale who have been impoverished by recent fires.

At the last meeting of the members of Congregation Beth-El of Buffalo, N. Y., the suggestion to pay off the existing floating debt of \$30,000 was responded to with subscriptions of \$20,000 from those present.

At the last municipal elections held in Pretoria, South Africa, Councillor Meyer Simon, running on an independent ticket, was placed third on a list of twenty-three candidates seeking municipal honors.

Last Tuesday evening the Isaac N. Glauber memorial building of the Hebrew Relief Association of Cleveland, Ohio, was dedicated. The building is the gift of Messrs. Joseph H. and H. H. Glauber.

The municipal authorities at Jerusalem have been formally apprised from Constantinople that a French company has obtained a concession to construct and maintain a street railway system in Jerusalem.

Mayor Gavnor has appointed to the Board of Education of New York city Prof. Morris Loeb, of Columbia University. Prof. Loeb is a son of the founder of the banking house of Kuhn, Loeb & Co., and is the president of the Hebrew Technical Institute for Boys.

Mayor Gavnor has also confirmed the proposed appointment of Joseph Baroness as a member of the board.

With the co-operation of the Jewish millionaire, M. Brodsky, a work house for Jews is about to be erected in Kieff with the object of ameliorating the condition of the growing number of Jewish paupers in the "holy" city.

In honor of his seventieth birthday Dr. S. Wolfenstein, superintendent of the Cleveland (O.) Jewish Orphan Asylum, will be tendered a dinner on Sunday, December 10. Dr. Wolfenstein has been at the head of the institution for the past thirty-three years.

Mrs. Isaac L. Rice, president of the Society for the Suppression of Unnecessary Noises of New York, in the current number of the Forum advocates restricting heavy trucking in the vicinity of public schools during school hours.

After six months of preliminary work the Immigration Committee of Jewish women's Organizations of Chicago, Ill., has been permanently established and will advise immigrants as to vocational and educational opportunities of the city.

M. Elijah Gunzburg, the famous sculptor, has been elected honorary member of the St. Petersburg Academy of Arts, at which the late M. Stolypin recently introduced a percentage norm for Jewish students, to the disgust of the professors.

Dr. Harvey W. Wiley, chief of the Bureau of Chemistry of the United States Department of Agriculture, spoke on "The Public Health; Our Greatest Asset," before the members of the Pittsburgh (Pa.) Section Council of Jewish Women last night.

Owing to several prior engagements of Gov. Dix, the mass meeting to protest against Russia's discrimination in honoring passports, which was to have been held at the Albany (N. Y.) Assembly chamber on Tuesday, December 12, will be held on Monday, December 11.

Representatives of nearly every Jewish organization in Syracuse, N. Y., met last Sunday and organized "The Jewish Council of Men." The objects of the organization are the better representation of the Jews of the city and the civic improvement of the Jewish sections.

The Massachusetts Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals is about to distribute pamphlets in foreign languages in towns where there is a large foreign population. The work will begin with the circulation of a pamphlet in Yiddish among the Jewish residents of Springfield.

Mayor Harrison, of Chicago, Ill., has directed Chief of Police McWeeney to afford more protection to Jewish residents in the vicinity of Twelfth street and Fairfield avenue, where a number of young hoodlums have of late committed many atrocities against Jewish residents.

Herr Oscar Tietz, proprietor of the largest department store in Berlin and of a chain of department stores throughout Germany, was a recent visitor to this city. Mr. Tietz has a son who will remain here for the next six months studying American methods of conducting department stores.

The Arabic journal 'El Gueridan of Cairo has published an appeal to the Jews in Egypt to come to the aid of Turkey morally and materially. The appeal points out the manner in which the Jews have been treated in Spain and Russia, and how hospitably they have been received in Turkey.

The Parliament of Wurtemberg is engaged on the discussion of a bill for regulating the affairs of the Jewish community in that kingdom. Matters affecting salaries of the clergy, State subventions and withdrawals from membership of the communities are among other subjects dealt with in the bill.

A select jury of the British Academy has unanimously voted the British institution scholarship for two years to Mr. Mark Gertler. The New English art club has also honored him by hanging his picture on the line for their forthcoming exhibition. Mr. Gertler is not yet twenty years of age.

The Committee of the Upper House has agreed to the Duma bill granting pensions to Jewish teachers in the Russian State elementary schools for Jews. The funds accumulated for the past sixty years from the contributions levied from the Jewish teachers toward pensions will be utilized for the purpose.

Mr. Philip L. Seman has resigned as executive secretary of the Brooklyn Federation of Jewish Charities, and has accepted a position with the Industrial Removal Office. Mr. Seman's desire to come in closer human contact with men and women needing help was the reason for his making the change to a position offering less financial advantage.

A bust in memory of M. Emile Goguenheim, formerly Mayor of Chaumont, France, in the department of Haute-Marne, has been unveiled in that city. M. Mougeot, Senator, and formerly a Cabinet Minister, the Prefect, the Mayor and the deputies of the department delivered speeches eulogizing the beneficent activities of the late M. Goguenheim.

On November 14 Herr Bernhard Gruenwald, a former departmental chief at the Hungarian Ministry of the Interior, died at Budapest at the age of 82. Even after his retirement he continued certain labors at the Ministry. The Em-

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peror-King conferred on him the Knights Cross of the Francis Joseph Order and subsequently the Order of the Iron Crown.

A Jewish high school for women was lately opened in Leipsic, Germany, with been opened in Leipsic, Germany, with an address by Dr. Henriette Goldschmidt (a lady of 86 years, and widow of a former rabbi of Leipsic), to whom the institution, the first of its kind in Germany, owes its existence. The Chief Burgomaster conveyed the congratulations of the city.

Privy Councillor Georg Arntadt, chairman of the supervisory council of the Bank of Dresden and Consul-General for Italy in that city, recently died in Berlin. At the funeral the Chief Burgomaster of Dresden delivered an address in the course of which he emphasized the valuable services the deceased had rendered to that city, and his conspicuous position in German finance and commerce.

The heroism of a Jew, Captain Frank, in the recent naval battles off the coast of Tripoli is noted with pride by the Jewish community of his native city, Venice. He participated in the battle of Benghazi in spite of the wounds received by him in a previous engagement.

One of the sessions in connection with the one hundredth anniversary celebration of the birth of Wendell Phillips was held in the Jewish synagogue on Smith street, Boston, Mass. This building was formerly the Joy Street African Baptist Church, in which Phillips took refuge when he was driven by a mob from the Tremont Temple Anti-Slavery Society meeting and from which he was rescued secretly from the fury of his enemies.

It is reported that the Russian Government is making preparations for the convocation of another rabbinical conference in St. Petersburg with a view to accomplishing the work of the last gathering, more particularly with regard to the standards of the State examinations for rabbis in Poland and crown rabbis in Russia. It is considered likely that the former will be slightly raised and the latter considerably lowered so as to make the examination more uniform and give the Russian orthodox rabbis an opportunity to occupy the posts of crown rabbis, too.

The hostile attitude toward the Jews displayed by certain newspapers in the Ottoman Empire has received a check, and the Damascus newspaper Muktebis, which recently tried to incite an attack upon the Jews, has been disowned in the most energetic manner by its own readers. The editor of the Armenian newspaper Zaghik, which also made itself notorious by its anti-Jewish outbursts, has been compelled to announce "In the most widely read journals of Constantinople that his paper has been suspended and that he has himself been fined, owing to unseemly attacks upon the Jewish nation and the Hebrew religion. Finally, the editor of the Turkish paper Hikmet, which gravely insulted the Jews in an open letter to the Sultan, has been banished from Constantinople.

Dr. Bloch at Cooper Union.

The Committee of Arrangements for the reception to be given to Dr. Josef S. Bloch, of Vienna, announces that it has engaged Cooper Union Hall for January 4, 1912. Admission will be by ticket only, but there will be no charge for tickets, which may be obtained by applying at the office of the Galician Federation, 19 Avenue A. Besides the reception at Cooper Union arrangements are being made for a banquet to be tendered to Dr. Bloch.

Roumanian Jews Subscribe for Home for Aged.

The first annual banquet of the Federation of Roumanian Jews of America was held on Thanksgiving evening at Stuyvesant Casino, Second avenue and Eighth street, and besides invited guests was attended by delegates representing seventy-five different organizations. Some of the guests were Prof. Solomon Schechter, Rabbis Joseph Silverman and J. L. Magnes, Judge Otto A. Rosalsky, State Commissioner of Prisons Weinstein, Congressman Goldfogle, Joseph Baroness, Bernard Semel and Bernard Turkel.

At the post-prandial exercises, which were in charge of Leo Wolfson, Prof. Schechter, himself a Roumanian Jew, spoke of the duties of the Roumanian Jews toward America, their new "Fatherland," and praised their work in the field of charity. Dr. Magnes spoke on "Jewish Solidarity" and the needs of organized Judaism for the furtherance of its interests, and concluded with a strong appeal for co-operation with the Kehillah.

The principal address of the evening was delivered by Dr. P. A. Siegelstein, the president of the Federation, who began with a history of the Jews in Roumania, their persecution and opposition by the Roumanian government for the past twenty-five years, describing in detail the methods of inquisition pursued by Roumania, reciting the laws adopted to expel them from the small towns and villages, to deprive them of educational facilities, of the riots provoked against them which resulted in pogroms and of the drowning of 1,000 in the Danube, all of which tended to deprive them of every possibility of earning a livelihood and forcing them to emigrate en masse to America.

The speaker then dwelt upon the conditions that confronted these Jews on their arrival here, the difficulties which they encountered and the way in which they overcame them and how they succeeded in obtaining honors both communal and political, and expressed the debt of gratitude which they owed to this land of freedom for having received these poor unfortunates with open arms and giving them every possible opportunity to advance, socially and financially.

Dr. Siegelstein continued by enumerating the various activities of the Federation in this city for the benefit of all Jews without distinction, and concluded with a stirring appeal to those present to lend their aid toward the establishing of a home for aged and infirm which will be opened in March, 1912, in Mount Vernon, N. Y., away from the Ghetto and amid beautiful surroundings, a home with thirty rooms and every possible comfort and convenience for its prospective inmates. The appeal was met with a generous response, over \$2,000 being collected on the spot.

Dr. Mossinsohn Coming Here.

It is announced that Dr. Mossinsohn, the head of the Hebrew Higher School at Jaffa, Palestine, who is now in England, will shortly arrive on these shores and will visit the principal cities of the United States in behalf of his institution.

The Hebrew Higher Grade School at Jaffa, which was founded about five years ago, is of the type of the German gymnasium—that is, it is at once an elementary and a secondary school. It has at present over 300 pupils. The school aims essentially at fitting its pupils for life in Palestine itself. They will leave the school with Hebrew as their natural language of every day, and with a knowledge of Arabic, French and (in some cases) Turkish—the three languages which, apart from Hebrew, are most useful in Palestine. Further, the education, conducted in Hebrew, is both Jewish and modern.

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## ENGAGEMENTS.

**BECK-MARKS.**—Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Marks, of 261 Steuben street, Brooklyn, announce the engagement of their daughter Adelaide M. to Mr. Walter J. Beck, of Brooklyn.

**BOBBE-LILLIENSTERN.**—Miss Henrietta Lillienstern to Mr. Samuel Bobbe. **BURDMAN-DAVIS.**—Mr. and Mrs. Mark Davis, of 667 Knickerbocker avenue, Brooklyn, announce the engagement of their daughter Madeline to Mr. Louis Burdman. Reception Sunday, December 10, 1911, at 4 p. m.

**CHOPAK-KAUFMAN.**—Mr. Felix Kaufman, of 143 West 140th street, announces the engagement of his daughter Rose to Mr. William Chopak. Reception Sunday, December 10, 1911, at Carlton Hall, 108 West 127th street, from 3 to 6.

**COHN-WOLLREICH.**—Mrs. S. Wollreich, of 138 West 113th street, announces the engagement of her daughter Mildred to Mr. Norman Cohn. Reception Sunday afternoon, December 10, from 3 to 6, at Lenox Hall, 227 Lenox avenue.

**FINK-LEWIS.**—Mr. and Mrs. Henry I. Lewis, of No. 45 East 123d street, announce the engagement of their daughter Minnie L. to Mr. Charles P. Fink. Reception Sunday, December 17, 1911, from 3 to 6. No cards.

**GROSSMAN-JACOBS.**—Mr. and Mrs. D. Davidovitz, of 233 West 139th street, announce the engagement of their niece, Fannie Jacobs, to Mr. Louis A. Grossman. Reception Sunday, December 10, from 3 to 6 p. m., at Lenox Hall, 227 Lenox avenue.

**GUMBINNER-TISHMAN.**—Mr. and Mrs. M. Tishman, of 361 St. Nicholas avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter Etta May to Mr. Norman Gumbinner. Reception December 17 at the Leslie, 260 West Eighty-third street, after 8.

**HERMANN-COHEN.**—Mr. Isaac Cohen, of 64 East 11th street, announces the engagement of his daughter Barbara to Mr. Harry Hermann.

**HOFFMAN-ROSENTHAL.**—Mrs. Caroline Hoffman, of 458 Manhattan avenue, announces the engagement of her daughter Louise Belle to Mr. Irving W. Rosenthal.

**HOROWITZ-KOHN.**—Mr. and Mrs. Morris Weiss, of 30 Amsterdam avenue, announce the engagement of their niece, Bessie Kohn, to Mr. Joe Horowitz. At home Sunday, December 17, 1911, from 3 to 6.

**ISAACS-WHITE.**—Mr. and Mrs. R. White announce the engagement of their daughter Bessie to Mr. Archibald Isaacs, of New York.

**JACOBSON-HENNE.**—Mrs. William Henne announces the engagement of her daughter Isabelle to Mr. Harry Jacobson. Reception at Willoughby Mansions, 667 Willoughby avenue, Brooklyn, Sunday, December 17, from 2 to 6.

**LAHNSTEIN-BAUER.**—Mr. and Mrs. Sol Bauer announce the engagement of their daughter Beatrice to Mr. Henry Lahnstein, of New York. At home, 487 Thirteenth street, Brooklyn, from 3 to 6, December 10.

**LAPMAN-FREEMAN.**—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Freeman, of 672 Dawson street, announce the engagement of their daughter Gertrude to Mr. Maurice Lapman.

**LEVI-SPIRO.**—Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Spiro announce the engagement of their daughter Fanny to Mr. Harry Levi.

**LIBERMAN-LYONS.**—Mr. and Mrs. Lep. Lyons, 322 West 100th street, announce the engagement of their daughter Adrienne to Mr. Laurence Martin Liberman. At home Sunday, December 17, from 3 to 6.

**POTOFSKY-BERNSTEIN.**—Mr. and Mrs. H. Bernstein, of 500 Audubon avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter Rebecca to Mr. Samuel Barnett Potofsky.

**PRICE-HAILPERIN.**—Rabbi Samuel Price, of the Congregation Toras Emes, Newark, N. J., announces his engagement to Miss Fanny Hailperin, daughter of the chief rabbi of Newark, which took place on December 3 in the presence of immediate relatives and friends.

**REIZENSTEIN-DREYFUSS.**—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dreyfuss, of No. 504 Fifth street, Brooklyn, N. Y., announce the engagement of their daughter Beulah to Mr. Walter Reizenstein, of Baltimore, Md.

**ROTHSTEIN-KEMPNER.**—Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kempner, of 3021 Third avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter Ruth B. to Mr. David J. Rothstein. Reception Sunday, December 17, 1911, at the Herrstadt, 27 West 115th street, at 8 p. m.

**SIMON-ZELLMAN.**—Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Zelman, of 964 Stebbins avenue, Bronx, announce the engagement of their daughter Celia to Mr. Herman Simon. Reception Sunday, December 14, after 7 p. m., at Rivers' Mansions, 981 Prospect avenue.

**TELLER-STRAUSS.**—Mr. and Mrs. Julius Teller, of 103 West 141st street, announce the engagement of their daughter Jeannette to Mr. Arthur Strauss, of Orange, N. J.

**WEISS-DAVIDSON.**—Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Wallach announce the engagement reception of their sister, Miss Gertrude Davidson, and Mr. I. H. Weiss, on Sunday, December 17, at Hotel Savoy, from 3 to 6 p. m.

**ZILZ-NEULINGER.**—Dr. Charles W. Zilz, of White Plains, and Miss Fanny Neulinger, of New York, are engaged.

## MARRIAGES.

**BRUNSTEIN-JUFE.**—At Carlton Hall, on Thursday, November 30, Sadye E. Jufe to Israel Brunstein, by Rev. Dr. L. Zinsler.

**COPLAND-WEITZ.**—Miss Rose Copland and Mr. Henry Weitz were married on Thursday, November 30, at Willoughby Mansions by Rev. Israel Goldfarb.

**DAVIDSON-PETERFREUND.**—On Sunday, December 3, 1911, by Rev. Dr. Adolph Spiegel, Miss Rebecca Peterfreund to Mr. Harry Davidson.

**ECKSTEIN-BRONSTEIN.**—Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Bronstein, of 935 Longwood avenue, Bronx, announce the marriage of their daughter Ruth to Mr. Hugo G. Eckstein on November 25, 1911, at the Savigny.

**FRANKEL-STEINBERG.**—Miss Sadie Frankel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Frankel, of 808 West End avenue, New York, to Mr. Samuel Steinberg, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Steinberg, of 600 West 136th street, at the Hotel Astor, on Thursday, November 30, by Rev. Sol Baum. The maid of honor was Miss Berta Chamowitz and the bridesmaids the Misses Florence B. Goldberg, Flora Franklin, Edna Metzger, Bessie Rothblatt, Janet Jacobs and Estelle Levy. Mr. Joseph Frankel was the

groom's best man and the ushers were the Messrs. Sol Rodgers, Isaac Frankel, David Feifer, Louis Frankel, Peter Cohen and Samuel Frankel.

Dinner was served in the north ballroom. Dancing followed the dinner, at which Mr. A. Hanover, grandfather of the groom, aged 166 years, danced with the bride. Over three hundred of the immediate friends and relatives were present. The young couple will spend their honeymoon in the South, and on returning will make their residence in West End avenue.

**GOLDBERGER-AARON.**—Mr. and Mrs. A. Aaron announce the marriage of their daughter Irene L. to Mr. Morris F. Goldberger at the Tuxedo. Rev. Aaron Eiseman officiated.

**GOLDMAN-VON BINDZER.**—Miss Rose Von Binzer, of Indianapolis, Ind., to Mr. Joseph Goldman, of New York city, on Tuesday, November 28, 1911.

**KASTEN-COHEN.**—On Thursday, November 30, 1911, Miss Lillian Cohen to Mr. Herman Kasten, by Rev. Dr. Adolph Spiegel.

**KUPFER-ROTH.**—Mr. Max Kupfer and Miss Hannah Roth, both of Brooklyn, on Sunday, November 26, by the Rev. Israel Goldfarb.

**LEVY-KOHUT.**—On Saturday, December 2, 1911, Miss Jenny Levy to Mr. Siegfried Kohut, by Rev. Joseph Segal.

**LEDER-MANVILL.**—On Wednesday, November 29, 1911, Miss Bertha Manvill to Mr. Benjamin Leder, by Rev. Aaron Eiseman.

**LEWIS-ABELS.**—David Lewis to Miss Meta Abels, on Sunday, November 26, 1911, by the Rev. Dr. M. Krauskopf.

**MOSER-ISAACS.**—On Thursday, November 30, 1911, Miss Minnie Isaacs to Mr. Charles F. Moser, Rabbi Israel Herbert Levintal officiated.

**ROSENTHAL-GLASS.**—On Sunday, December 3, 1911, Miss M. Rosenthal to Mr. Charles Glass, of Pittsburgh, Pa., by Rev. Joseph Segal.

**RUBINSTEIN-WESSLER.**—Dr. I. Wessler announces the marriage of his sister Jennie to Mr. Nathan Rubinstein, Wednesday evening, November 22, at Westminster Hall, by Rev. A. Jachis.

**SIMON-HEXELMAN.**—On Sunday, December 4, 1911, Mrs. Natalie Hexelman to Mr. Max Simon. Rabbi Israel Herbert Levintal officiated.

**STETTHEIMER-OPPENHEIMER.**—On Tuesday, November 28, at Delmonico's, by the Rev. Dr. Leopold Winter, Irma Julia Stettheimer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Stettheimer, to Mr. Herbert D. Oppenheimer.

**TOPLITZKY-FRANK.**—On Sunday, December 3, 1911, Miss Rita Toplitzky to Mr. Joseph Frank, by Rev. Joseph Segal.

**TRAVIS-AARONSON.**—On Thursday, November 30, 1911, at Vienna Hall, Miss Esther M. Aaronson to Marion Mitchell Travis, Rabbi M. S. Margolies officiating, the nearest relatives and best friends being present. The young couple left for Bermuda. They will return about December 20 and will then continue their honeymoon on an extended tour through the States.

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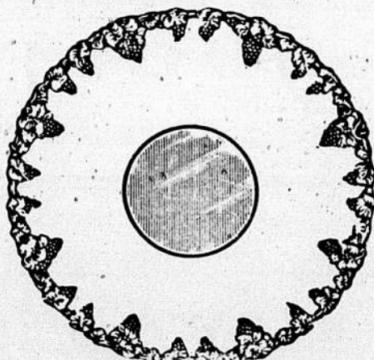
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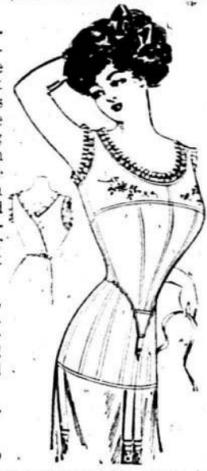
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## Representative Committee to Confer on Chief Rabbi Question—Board of Deputies Criticized and Defended—London Daily Paper Discusses the Question of Yiddish—First London Jewish Magistrate Appointed.

London, Nov. 24, 1911.

The recent meeting of the United Synagogue marks the first definite steps taken in the appointment of a new chief rabbi, Albert Jessel, K. C., the senior vice-president, having moved that the Executive Committee be requested to confer at an early date with representatives of other bodies in the United Kingdom, contributing to the maintenance of the office of chief rabbi, as to the duties and emoluments of such office, and as to the mode of election and all details connected therewith. There is at the present moment no such pressing matter of communal importance as that of the future of the rabbinate, for in the able hands of the late Hermann Adler the post had assumed an importance which had a far-reaching effect upon the whole life of the community. There can be no doubt that before an actual appointment is made a rigorous investigation will take place as to the spiritual needs of the various congregations of Jews throughout the country, for it is felt that expansion of ecclesiastical activity has not kept pace with the growth of the community, and it is to the question as to how this is to be remedied that the conference will first direct its attention, and only then look around for the man who will best be able to fulfill the duties shown to be necessary as a result of the exhaustive inquiry about to take place.

There is no doubt that the discussion which took place at the meeting of the Board of Deputies, held on November 19, should do much to repair harm which has recently been done by the criticism which has been leveled at that board. It would be difficult to overrate the importance of the work carried on by the board during many years past. It has watched over the interests of the community in this country and has used its efforts to ameliorate the lot of Jews wherever persecution took place. During the last eight years its prestige has been considerably enhanced by the efforts of its president, D. L. Alexander, K. C., who retired from active practice as a barrister in order the better to devote himself to the duties which his position as president imposed upon him. The board has been called upon to deal with many and varied subjects, some of them extremely delicate in nature, acquitting itself to its own credit and to the benefit of the community for which it labors. Despite this there have not been wanting those who have disapproved of its action.

Criticism which has been leveled both at the board and its president has taken the form of letters, mostly by anonymous writers in the columns of the Jewish press, and many of these were couched in terms which offended that section of the Jewish community, who are mindful of the services rendered by the board and its president, and who deprecated a campaign tending to lower the dignity of the body. Matters were brought to a head when on November 19 one of the delegates brought forward the following motion: "That the action of the president of this board in relation to the evidence before the divorce commission, the shops bill, the insurance bill, the slaughter of animals bill and the provision of legal aid for alien immigrants has had the effect of seriously diminishing the authority and influence of this board, as the accredited representatives of the Jewish interests in this country." Such a sweeping and condemnatory motion might well have been disregarded by a body of such importance as the Board of Deputies. Nevertheless it was thought that the interests of the community, as well as the board itself, would be best served by a complete and open discussion of the whole matter.

At the meeting on November 19 the president, D. L. Alexander, vacated the chair during the discussion following upon this motion, his place being taken by Leopold de Rothschild, senior vice-president. The debate, if such it can be called, resolved itself into a personal triumph for Mr. Alexander. Speaker after speaker referred in glowing terms to the services rendered by him to his co-religionists in different parts of the world. The mover of the motion of censure sought in vain to prove that his action was in no sense personal to the president, and the motion when finally put succeeded in securing only two votes, the remaining delegates, some sixty in number, voting solidly against it. In an able address H. S. Q. Henriques, one of the vice-presidents, defended the action of the board in regard to all those matters touched upon in the motion above given. The speeches delivered will unquestionably be read with much interest by Jews throughout the country, and there can be little doubt that as a result they will be strengthened in their

admiration of a body which in the past has proved how keenly it feels its responsibility and which will continue in the future, striving to the best of its power to safeguard the interest of Jews in every part of the world.

The fact that the Jewry intends building a permanent home for the Yiddish play in London has served to attract considerable attention within recent times to the future of that most disregarded of jargons—Yiddish. Perhaps no language under the sun has been so much anathematized as the quaint Judæo-German dialect. Science and history, belles lettres, poetry, politics and fiction, all these have from time to time been "done into" Yiddish for the benefit of that great proportion of the Jews of the world to whom it represents the only vehicle of expression. But for all that Yiddish is despised, regarded in step-motherly fashion by many who look upon the grammarless language as vulgar and amorphous.

A writer in the London Daily Standard, a journal which makes a pleasant feature of Jewish news, has been writing recently at length upon Yiddish and his remarks might be interestingly summarized. He points out that some time ago an attempt was made to impart added dignity to the language by the substitution of the Latin for the Hebrew characters universally utilized, but so far the project does not appear to have succeeded.

The extinction of this patois has been foreshadowed by eminent authorities times out of number. To many a Jew, English and foreign, Yiddish is a living, persistent relic of Israel's exile. Its detractors assert with emphasis and never-failing confidence that Yiddish has "had its day"; that the gradual process of anglicization is ousting the dialect from Europe and America, and that Yiddish is destined ere the passing of many years to be relegated to the limbo of dead languages. These prognostications notwithstanding, Yiddish appears to flourish here exceedingly. It has its own influential press; it is spoken by those zealous constables of the "H" division who regulate traffic in the markets of the London Ghetto and is studied on account of the splendid literature of which it represents the master key by a great many non-Jewish enthusiasts. The enormous vitality of the language, coupled with its elasticity and adaptability, seems to indicate that its submersion is not yet probable.

That the dialect conduces to the greater solidarity of foreign Jewry is undeniable. The alien, although he may grasp every opportunity of becoming acquainted with the language of his adopted country, as becomes one who aspires to the honors of citizenship, clings fondly to his Yiddish. The language caused a little dissension in some of the Hebrew schools of the East End in past years. The trouble centered round the question as to what language should be used as the vehicle of instruction. Those of the old-fashioned school vehemently expressed their attachment to Yiddish, while the younger and progressive party declared their intention to stand or fall by English. The heads of Jewry averred that these schools owed a duty to the country and that that duty should find outward expression in the use of English for imparting instruction. Several institutions disregarded the advice tendered, but the cost, the withdrawal of communal support, induced them, after a little heartburning, to swallow their love for Yiddish and to accept the guineas of those who would anglicize the schools as a kind of solatium for their lingual loss.

As has been indicated, in London no efforts have been spared in the teaching of Yiddish to our East End policemen. It is a far from easy tongue for an Englishman to tackle, and it may safely be asserted that no constable will risk the infliction of his stock of phrases upon a foreign hawker in a case where broken English—and a little expressive dumb show will answer the purpose as well. The growth of the Yiddish-speaking community has brought about the appointment in one of the libraries of a Yiddish-speaking assistant, who attends to the needs of those book borrowers with whose necessities in the way of literary provender the English assistant is not conversant. Certain of the railway companies have discovered the utility of the Yiddish poster as an advertising medium, while the Yiddish legend indicating the nearest way to the telephone call office is by now quite familiar.

From a literary point of view the virility of the language is astonishing. A movement was recently initiated with the idea of obtaining the recognition of Yiddish as the Jewish national tongue. So ambitious a project was foredoomed to failure, yet much has been done in the way of obtaining for it a greater measure of recognition from those hitherto unacquainted with its literary treasures. The economic position of Yiddish writers, the recognition (as in the case of Cape Colony) of Yiddish as a European language and the compiling of a standard Yiddish dictionary are matters that are coming to the front in good time.

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In order to insure the insertion of communications in the current issue of THE HEBREW STANDARD they must be in this office not later than Wednesday noon of the week in which they are to appear.

And now Brother Spitz, of the Jewish Voice, reprints a story from our columns and credits it to "Ex." Et tu Brute.

A firm of Cincinnati Matzo bakers advertises that it is "now baking Matzos to supply the early demand." As Pesach is still more than four months away, we presume the enterprising tradesmen of the West are putting their supplies for the early demand in cold storage.

Rabbi William Rosenau, of Baltimore, finds that there is a distinct tendency toward "race suicide" among modern Jewish families here. Why not? In the good old days, before there was "race suicide," Jewish litigants in the divorce courts of this country were conspicuous by their absence.

While The American Israelite is glad to extend its felicitations to The Jewish Chronicle on its seventieth birthday, it cannot forbear to bring out the fact that the bond of sympathy between London and Cincinnati is quite attenuated. We are not surprised, for The Jewish Chronicle stands for Judaism pure and undefiled, while The American Israelite represents "Judaism" a la Cincinnati.

The appointment of Dr. Morris Loeb to be a member of the Board of Education of this city is eminently fitting. Dr. Loeb has had considerable experience as an educator and communal worker, and his philanthropic endeavor has mainly confined itself to the securing of proper technical training for Jewish youth. He is, besides, a man of abundant means and leisure, and can give of his whole heart to the work of educating the children of this important municipality.

Mayor Gaynor's remarks at the dinner of the East Side Club the other evening were particularly appropriate. Many persons, and we regret to have to add that some of our community are among their number, believe that the denizens of our great East Side are deficient in "respectability." Mayor Gaynor knows his New Yorkers, of all sorts and conditions, and his tribute to the respectability and the law-abiding character of our co-religionists in the lower part of this borough was entirely deserved.

The news comes from Paris that a campaign of repression has been begun by the French nationalist press against the foreign Jews—from Russia, Roumania and Galicia—who dwell in such numbers in one of the arrondissements of the city on the Seine. These elements of the Parisian population are, it is almost needless to add, law-abiding and hard-working artisans and yet their integrity and thrift afford them no protection at all against attack. It is not to be anticipated that another systematic onslaught on the French Jews, like that of Dreyfus times, is about to open, but this newest development is distinctly disquieting.

The dinner which Marcus Braun tendered John Hays Hammond is simply and solely to be looked upon as the result of the former's desire to "get even" with the members of the Citizens' Passport Committee. We can well understand why the gentlemen of the committee objected to draw Mr. Braun into the circle of their associates, for the passport question is no problem of "politics." Whether Mr. Schiff was well advised or the reverse in his attack on John Hays Hammond has nothing to do with the case. Mr. Schiff is a loyal Jew and the lay leader of our community in this city. It is therefore in distinctly bad taste for Marcus Braun, the individual, to attempt to minimize the value of Mr. Schiff's utterance by dining and winning Mr. Hammond, who, in this struggle over the passport question, can scarcely be regarded as a friend of our people, not to mention all those American citizens who are affected thereby. Marcus Braun's inordinate desire for notoriety is being abundantly gratified. We trust, however, that its result will be to effectively put a stop to his career of daring. Is it not a pity that whenever Jewry is attacked or on trial from without, there should always arise a member of our own household to demean himself in such wise as to bring the flush of shame to the cheeks of every right-thinking Jew?

MASONIC CHILLUL HA-SHEM.

EMANUEL LODGE, No. 654, F. and A. M., of this city, is an organization whose membership is largely, if not altogether, composed of Masons of our own race and faith. It is fair to assume, therefore, that such a body will not hold its stated communications on Friday evenings—the Jewish Sabbath—and, indeed, we are pleased to add that Emanuel Lodge heretofore has not met on Friday evening.

When, therefore, it does see fit to hold a special communication on the Jewish Sabbath, as it did last week, our surprise and indignation at its action are all the greater. In defense of his conduct the Worshipful Master of Emanuel Lodge stated that, his term of office expiring during this month and his opportunity to present a certificate of honorary membership to Grand Master of Masons Robert Judson Kenworthy being thus circumscribed by time and circumstances, the only occasion that fittingly presented itself was last Friday evening! Of this plea in extenuation one can but say that it bears the earmarks of the ancient saw, "A poor excuse is better than none." For, let it be noted, a candidate who was to receive one of his degrees on the evening in question was filled with sufficient Derech Erets to positively refuse to appear at the lodge!

We know Grand Master Kenworthy, and his warm friendship for the late lamented editor of this journal is one of the things we prize dearly. Knowing Mr. Kenworthy as we do, we feel safe in saying that he would have been the very last among men and Masons to insist upon receiving an honor due to him where that honor could only be conferred at the risk of conflicting with the traditional belief of those from whom it issued.

Why must our brethren-in-faith act every now and then in complete defiance of their traditions and the susceptibilities of those who hold our religion in high veneration? Christian Masons, we feel certain, are never guilty of such faux-pas. What, furthermore, in view of the action of Emanuel Lodge, must Grand Master Kenworthy himself think of the people of Israel and their representatives among the Masonic fraternity?

The Master of Emanuel Lodge is under the duty of presenting an explanation to his lodge, and to Jews in general, for the action he thus has seen fit to take. That he will say: "It shall never occur again," may be presumed. But we think it should never have taken place at all!

THE OLD PLEA.

JUDGE THOMAS C. T. CRAIN, of the Court of General Sessions of this city, speaking at a banquet the other evening, declared that the public schools of New York ought to undertake the religious training of the child. His statement was received with mingled feelings by his auditors, and they expressed in no uncertain terms their disapproval of his utterance.

For Judge Crain's suggestion is quite un-American, one which seeks to tear down the traditional barrier between church and state in this country. His opinion that the public school has the duty of instructing its scholars in the rudiments of religion is altogether out of joint with the spirit of our institutions. His desire that, on the day of school registration, each child should indicate the religious belief of his parent or guardian, and thus fall naturally into one class or another for a definite number of hours of religious training per week, is wholly mischievous. Assuming that our public schools would adopt this practice, we should soon have here the conditions obtaining in Europe. There, in the hour devoted to religious instruction, the non-Jewish children are told, perhaps, that the wicked Jews killed Jesus. In the succeeding period, devoted say to arithmetic, the Jewish children, the descendants of the malefactors, troop into the classroom to join their mates, who recognize in them all that is wicked and all that is bad.

But we credit Judge Crain with absolute sincerity in believing that our children are sorely in need of systematic instruction in religion, and this whether our children are Jewish, Catholic or Protestant. This need can, and should be, supplied by the religious schools of the different denominations, and we believe they are making an intelligent attempt to supply it. In our own community the cry of the hour is, "Provide us with proper religious schools, staffed by competent teachers, attended diligently by all our little ones!" In other denominations the same sentiment is voiced, and the intelligent portion of our citizenship is devoting itself to a study of this problem.

Religious education is as much needed to-day as the teaching of the three R's. We prefer, however, in common with all good Americans, to leave this task where it properly belongs—to the religious schools.

Dr. Cyrus Adler, of Philadelphia, who, besides being the president of the Dropsie College, is one of the most valuable forces in the American Jewish Committee, recently traveled through the West and South and seems to have allowed no opportunity to disseminate a knowledge among men of the aims and purposes of the American Jewish Committee to escape him. We think his efforts to make the work of his organization better known throughout the length and breadth of the land distinctly in line with that democratizing tendency in the American Jewish Committee, to which we recently referred in detail. We are pleased to note, too, that Dr. Adler paid a deserved tribute to the work of Hon. Simon Wolf, on the Board of Delegates. There is little or no doubt, however, that Dr. Adler's estimate of the importance and influence of this board without Mr. Wolf is correct. While to us a Board of Delegates without Mr. Wolf is unthinkable, we are free to believe with Dr. Adler that Mr. Wolf is the whole Board of Delegates.

AFTER THE STORM.

ויבא יעקב שלום:

"And Jacob came to Shalem. . . . (xxxiii:18).

THE Rabbis interpret this text to mean that Jacob arrived at Sholom—i. e., Peace, Harmony, Perfection. This is more than a lightfingered pun. A deep psychological necessity, coupled with a profound dramatic instinct, induced the Rabbis to play upon the name of that Canaanitish city. Appreciating as they did the inner meaning of Jacob's life—how its various stages were disciplinary preparations toward a state of perfection—knowing that Jacob's homecoming was an ideal homecoming, the return of a far-strayed man to the way of upright living, they lacked in the Bible an expression to this effect, something that should plainly label the great change through which Jacob was going, the new act he was destined to perform on the boards of life. Our text, therefore, the Rabbis regarded as the label, the heading, of this act.

There is no abstract idea, no matter how bare it may be of flesh and sinew, but is suggested, nay, actually embodied, in some material shape or color, or in some material condition. That is the reason why we are oft sent to Nature for our sublimest lessons. That is why there are sermons in mountains and brooks. That is why the heavens are a scroll upon which is writ large the full revelation of God. And so even now, if we would fully grasp the motives that impelled the Rabbis to change the reading of the text, the altered meaning it receives through this reading, the bright light it thus sheds upon the life of Jacob—nay, upon every life, especially that of a sufferer—we must go to one of the most inspiring and most soothing scenes of nature. I refer to that wonderful calm that settles upon the face of the earth after a violent storm had wrought havoc with its surpassing beauty. One must go through that calm, experience inwardly that imperceptible quiver of joy which reanimates every leaf and blade, watch the return of confidence to every weather-beaten branch and bough, breathe in the balmy air that is never so sweet as after a storm, in order to understand our text as the Rabbis would have us understand it.

Yes, Jacob's previous life may be likened to nothing so much as to a violent storm that breaks out at the end of a protracted period of dust-laden drought. The storm comes with a purpose: to clear the atmosphere and make the earth fruitful. Even so was Jacob's life. Within him contending passions were seething, maintaining a state of continuous warfare between the higher and the nobler self—between Israel and Jacob. Which of the two natures would win? Which would gain the upper hand? Everything within him was so ill-defined. He had the makings within him of a dreamy idealist and a greedy materialist. Would the outlines of his personality finally become sharply marked toward the one or the other tendency? God would have it that Israel should supplant Jacob; or as the Midrash has it:

ישראל יהיה עסוק ויעקב טפילה

And with this end in view, God brought upon him exile and all the sufferings attendant upon homelessness. But God also measured out the probationary period—the time necessary to purify Jacob's soul from all dross. And so the stern discipline of Jacob's early life was brought to an end in due season. The storm was over, and after the storm—calm. The battle was ended, and after the battle—peace. The discord of the warring elements was silenced, and after the discord—harmony. The havoc wrought by thunder and tempest was repaired, and after the havoc—perfection. *Vayyovo Yaacov Sholom!*

And so that wonderful calm which settles upon the face of the earth after the storm, which is the rebound of Nature to increased sweetness and more perfect harmony, is symbolic of that far sweeter calm and greater perfection that comes into the life of a man who has suffered much, undergoing many a trial and tribulation and crying out oft amidst dire anguish. The lesson taught by that particular scene of nature is, that if we are being made to suffer by the Hand Unseen, we should look first into ourselves to see whether our heart does not require purification in the furnace of sorrow; whether the storm that rages about us does not originate in the first instance in our own soul. And if we find this to be the case, there is nothing left us but to submit to the chastenings of the Eternal Love that holds sway over our lives, and then wait for the passing of the storm, confident that He who sweetens the air by means of deadly hurricane and fatal cyclone, will not fail to distil healing balm into our gaping wounds.

Nay, more, having risen to a true understanding of God's providence, we shall know that the wounds are their own healing, that the storm brings on the calm. And in that one moment of the after-storm calm, we shall indeed find not mere beggarly consolation, but princely compensation for all that had gone before. One must feel that. One must be in sympathy with nature in order to feel most keenly the joyous quiver that runs through it the moment the clouds are cleared away. One must be in perfect accord with God in order to feel that transcendental bliss which fills the soul when after, nay, through, the stress of suffering, it has finally become reconciled with the Source of its Being.

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the place of the former slave-owners. A specious argument this is, indeed, and one, too, that amounts to (?) an argument! Because, assuming this to be the case, the Jews in Russia oppress the *mujiks*, American Jews shall not be permitted to enter the Empire! The plea is ridiculous on its face. As a matter of fact, the masses of the Russian people regard the Jews as far from being their oppressors. If the *mujiks* may be believed, they owe considerable to the Jews residing in their midst. The fiendish priests and bureaucrats are solely responsible for all the anti-Jewish feeling in Russia, and stir up the ignorant dregs of the population to venture upon pogroms and similar forms of butchery and repression.

### Politics Make Strange Bed-Fellows.

Politics make strange bed-fellows. There is nothing so useless as a dead politician; nothing so virile as a live politician, in power. A politician, who is rejected at the polls or fails of reappointment to an office, is worse than a black number. Most of the shouters who proclaimed him during his period of power and his ability to dispense patronage, upon his enforced retirement from public office desert him like rats do a sinking ship, it's a sort of *Le roi est mort, vive le roi* business, or as we would say, the king is dead, long live the king—there's no use for a dead king.

Take some of our officials who wield more or less power, and are possessed of more or less influence which can be exerted in behalf of others; so long as they possess these they are the great moguls, and they are sought after and flattered and made much of. Let them be relegated to private life, and they are not knee-high to a grass-hopper in importance.

Sometimes it comes to pass that some important official seems to be waning in influence and power, and a new star seems to be rising in the political firmament; presto, the whole gang worship the seeming rising power.

Now and then there are those who believe some important politician is going to meet political death, and suddenly the gang, eschew his political haunts and are ready to bury him, presto, he is rehabilitated in power, and they prostrate themselves abjectly before him and in genuflections make back-breaking salaams to him.

Isn't it passing strange that there are so many disinterested citizens who are willing to guzzle and soddan

upon their canvases with Jewish facial features, Mr. Woodfin continues:

But the leading role of the Jew has been in ethics and religion. "Religion," says Carlyle, "is the one fact which creatively determines all the rest." We curse the Jew, and yet praise the God he has revealed to us. We loathe his presence among us, and yet rejoice in the saving grace he has shown to us. Have you ever tried to estimate the value of the Jew in religion? Stage your play without him. He has taught us the unity of God. Our modern system of ethics, our high estimate of woman, our ideas of virtue, and our doctrine of the Fatherhood of God and the brotherhood of man we owe to him. Try to imagine a world into which no Moses has come with the moral law sounding across the centuries the eternal distinction of right and wrong, a world in which David has never tuned the hearts of men to praise their Redeemer, a world in which Isaiah has never given a sweeping vision, a world without the apostles, a world without a Bible, a world without a Christ.

Sermons like the foregoing will do much to contribute to an era of good feeling, so sorely needed, between Jew and Gentile. Let us admit that Christians wish to convert us to their faith: such sermons will help, not to convert us, but rather those of their flock.

Rabbi Leon Harrison, of St. Louis, who flatters himself that he is a "higher" critic of the Bible, says that the rabbis of old took the divine authority of Holy Writ for granted, and that "their position was thoroughly Jewish." He himself does not accept the divine authority of Holy Writ, and therefore his position is not Jewish. His position is not Jewish, he has no right to call himself a rabbi, for he is not a Jewish teacher. *Quandum erratum demonstrandum!*

A writer in *The Sun* attempts to present Russia's side of the passport question, and does so by pointing out that the lowest class of her population, the former serfs, look upon the Jews as their present oppressors, in

### The Hebrew In History.

Not so much because it presents any new views as because it is distinctly refreshing to peruse it in these latter days of prejudice toward the Jews, on the part of their non-Jewish neighbors here and in other lands, do we bring to the attention of our readers a sermon recently preached by the Rev. William M. Woodfin, of the Swarthmore (Pa.) Presbyterian Church. It bore the above title, and two extracts from it may serve to indicate the trend of its arguments and purpose.

In the first of these, Mr. Woodfin truly says:

Though he cannot become an active member of the Y. M. C. A., yet he often heads the subscription for this noble work. It is seldom you find one in prison charged with a grave offense. It is not often you find one a public charge. They have political ambitions, as we have. When a Joseph is elevated to rule the nation, the nation does not suffer from carelessness on his part. Less than a half century after the political disabilities had been removed in England we find Disraeli at the head of the English Government. He got the place and held it by virtue of merit. History affords none more heroic nor patriotic than Gambetta flying out of Paris to summon France to arms, nor of Judah P. Benjamin in his noble effort to finance the Southern Confederacy. The nations which are kind to the Jews are the most prosperous. "I will bless them that bless thee and curse them that curse thee" is being fulfilled in Russia to-day.

After pointing out that Christian painters have never given the Jews the credit of having made the ideals and careers of Jesus, Peter, John and Paul possible, by depicting these men as Jews, by glorifying them

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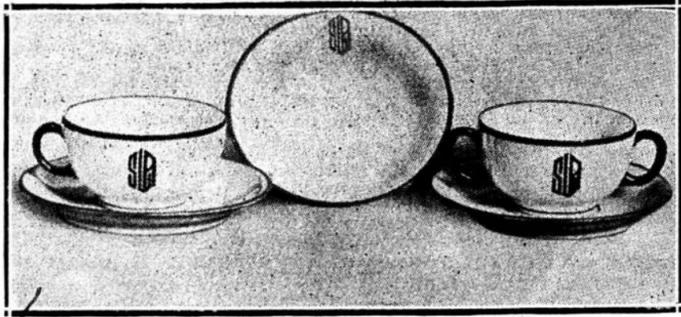
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**HARRIS.**—Mr. and Mrs. M. Harris, of No. 204 West 121st street, will celebrate the twenty-fifth anniversary of their marriage on Sunday evening, December 24, 1911, at Lenox Hall, Lenox avenue, corner 121st street.

### BIRTHS.

**COHEN.**—To Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cohen (nee Jessie Lambert), of the Nassau, Fort Washington avenue and 170th street, a daughter, December 2, 1911.

**FREEMAN.**—Mr. and Mrs. Samuel J. Freeman (nee Fanny J. Stone), of No. 68 East Ninety-fourth street, announce the birth of a son December 2, 1911.

**MICHAELIS.**—To Mr. and Mrs. Albert Michaelis (nee Celia Jacobson), a daughter, December 1.

**SCHWETZER.**—A daughter to Mr. and Mrs. A. Irving Schweitzer (nee Spitzer), of 495 Manhattan avenue, on Sunday, November 26, 1911.

**SPRINGER.**—Mr. and Mrs. Lester L. Springer, of 535 West 163rd street, New York, announce the birth of a son Thanksgiving Day.

**STARK.**—Mr. and Mrs. Herman Stark, of No. 482 Decatur street, Brooklyn, announce the birth of a daughter on December 2, 1911.

**WERNER.**—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Werner, a daughter, Saturday, December 2, at 1340 Wilkins avenue, Bronx.

### BAR MITZVAH.

**ALEXANDER.**—Mr. and Mrs. Morris Alexander, of 692 Madison street, Brooklyn, announce the Bar Mitzvah of their son Abraham at Temple Israel, Bedford and Lafayette avenues, Brooklyn, Saturday, December 9, at home Sunday, December 10, after 8 p. m.

**BREITKOPF.**—Mr. and Mrs. Breitkopf announce the Bar Mitzvah of their son at the Beth Israel Bikur Cholim Synagogue on Sabbath morning, December 9, 1911, at 9:30 o'clock.

**DEICHES.**—Mr. and Mrs. E. Deiches announce the Bar Mitzvah of their son Seymour on Saturday, December 9, 1911, at Temple Rodeph Shalom, Sixty-third street and Lexington avenue.

**GOLDSTEIN.**—Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Goldstein, of 239 West 108th street, announce the Bar Mitzvah of their son Herbert A. at Temple Ahawath Chesed Shaar Hashomayim, Lexington avenue and Fifty-fifth street, Saturday, December 9.

**GROSSMAN.**—Mr. and Mrs. P. Grossman, of No. 1956 Eighty-fifth street, Bensonhurst, Brooklyn, announce the Bar Mitzvah of their son Theodore at the synagogue of the Congregation Sons of Israel, Twenty-second street, near Benson avenue, on Saturday, December 9, at 9 a. m. At home Sunday, December 10, from 3 to 6 p. m.

**MENTZ.**—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mentz, of 418 Grand street, announce the Bar Mitzvah of their son Emanuel on Saturday, December 9, 1911, at Temple Israel of Harlem.

**WALLACH.**—Mr. and Mrs. Jonas Wallach, of 318 East Sixty-seventh street, announce the Bar Mitzvah of their son Alvin at Temple Rodeph Shalom, Sixty-third street and Lexington avenue, on Saturday, December 16, 1911. At home Saturday and Sunday, from 3 to 6 p. m.

**WINKLER.**—Mr. and Mrs. Leopold

Winkler, of 765 East 160th street, Bronx, announce the Bar Mitzvah of their son Saul December 9, 1911, at Prospect Avenue Temple, Prospect avenue, between 165th and 166th streets. At home Sunday evening, December 10.

### IN THE SYNAGOGUES.

**ADATH ISRAEL (Bronx).**—Rev. Mayer Kopfshtein will preach this evening on "Social Service."

**AGUDATH JESHORIM.**—Dr. David Davidson will preach Sabbath morning on "Progressing, Not Racing." A meeting of the Sisterhood will be held on Tuesday, December 12, at 2:30 o'clock.

**AHAWATH CHESED SHAAR HASHOMAYIM.**—Rabbi Isaac S. Moses preaches Sabbath morning on "A Growing Conscience."

**ANSCHER EMETH (West Harlem).**—Mr. Julius J. Price will preach Sabbath morning, Sunday, at 11:30, Samuel M. Cohen, Esq., of Columbia Law School, will lecture on "Israel's Heritage."

**BETH-EL.**—Dr. Samuel Schulman will preach Sabbath morning, Sunday at 11 a. m. Dr. Schulman will preach on "The Progressive and the Conservative Spirit in Judaism."

**BETH ISRAEL BIKUR CHOLIM.**—Rev. Aaron Eisenman will preach Sabbath morning on "The Militant Jew."

**B'NAI SHOLAUM (Brooklyn).**—Rabbi Israel Herbert Levinthal will preach this evening on "A Return to the Soil." Sabbath morning on "The Portion of the Law."

**EMANU-EL BROTHERHOOD.**—Mr. Mervin Meyerowitz will preach this evening on "The Philosophy of Life." Mr. Max Levy will speak at the children's services Sabbath afternoon.

**HAND-IN-HAND (Bronx).**—Rev. Dr. Isidor Reichert will preach this evening on "Is Life Worth Living?" Sabbath morning, "Because I Have Plenty of All."

**KEHILATH ISRAEL (Bronx).**—Rev. Elias L. Solomon will lecture this evening at 8:30 o'clock on "Jewish Religious Codes."

**KEHILATH JESHURUN.**—Rev. J. L. Magnes will preach Sabbath morning.

**MOUNT NEBOH.**—Rev. Dr. M. H. Harris will preach this evening at 8:15 o'clock. Sabbath morning Rabbi Samuel Greenfield will preach.

**MOUNT ZION.**—Rabbi B. A. Tintner preaches Sabbath morning on "Confidence." A meeting of the Young Men's Club will be held Saturday evening at 8 o'clock in the vestry rooms. A musicale will be given Sunday at 3 p. m. by the Junior Society.

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**OHAB ZEDEK.**—Rev. Dr. Bernard Drachman will lecture this evening on "Judaism's Message to the Young." Sabbath morning, "Jewish Citizenship and the Passport Question."

**SHAARI ZEDEK OF HARLEM.**—Rev. Dr. Adolph Spiegel will preach Sabbath morning on "The Spirit of Reconciliation."

### Congregation Mickveh Israel.

An attempt is being made to revive this congregation, and at the services which are held each Sabbath in the synagogue on West 129th street Rev. A. H. Nieto occupies the pulpit, although his connection with the congregation is quite unofficial. On the third night of Chanukah (Sunday) there will be a lecture and the lights will be kindled by the boys attending services.

A Friday night Bible class for adults and a Sabbath afternoon class for children will soon be inaugurated.

### OBITUARY.

**WATERS.**—Mrs. Rose Waters, aged 69, beloved wife of Mr. Henry Waters, died at Atlantic City, N. J., on the 1st inst. after an illness of over six years. Mrs. Waters came to this country fifty years ago and three years later was married. She was active in the affairs of the Congregation Beth Israel Bikur Cholim, of which she had been a member for many years. Funeral services were held on Sunday last, Rev. Joseph Segal officiating. Mrs. Waters is survived by a husband, two sons and three married daughters.

### Leopold Seligman Dead.

A cablegram announces the death on Tuesday of Leopold Seligman in London in his eightieth year.

Leopold, with his brother Isaac, constituted the banking firm of Seligman Bros. in London. There were eight of the brothers, the eldest of whom and the founder of the business, Joseph Seligman, of New York, died in this city in 1880.

Leopold was the seventh brother of the family, the youngest being Isaac, the head of the London house. He and James of New York, who is now in his eighty-eighth year, are the only two surviving brothers.

Leopold lived in California for ten years before the civil war and he established with Jesse and Abraham the Anglo-California Bank, now the Anglo-London and Paris National Bank, one of the largest banks in California. He leaves a widow and seven children. His oldest son, David, is a partner in the London house.

### SOCIAL.

A bazaar in aid of the many activities of the Amelia Relief Society will be held on December 9, 10 and 11 at the Sisterhood Home, 103-105 East 110th street.

In honor of their coming marriage, which takes place in January, Miss Gusie Kleinman and Mr. Mortimer E. Isaacs are being entertained quite extensively by their numerous friends. A whist and dinner was tendered them by Miss Leah R. Isaacs at her residence, No. 2331 Seventh avenue, on Sunday evening, November 26. Miss Isaacs had many novelties planned for her friends and all present seemed to vie with one another in saying that the affair was very prettily arranged. On Thanksgiving afternoon Miss Kleinman was very pleasantly surprised by Miss Estelle Kraus, who gave a linen shower in her honor at Miss Kraus' residence, No. 557 West 124th street.

All the congregational forces are actively at work to make the Chanukah dance to be given by the Congregation Beth Israel Bikur Cholim for the benefit of the Sisterhood fund, one great success The dance will take place at the Hotel Astor ballroom on Saturday evening, December 23, 1911. Mr. Jacob Corday is chairman of the Ball Committee.

The Jewish Women's Relief Association will give its sixth annual ball at the Hotel Majestic on Saturday evening, December 9. The work of this association is too well known to require any but brief mention, and we trust that the charitably inclined will rally to its support. The officers are: Mrs. H. W. Honor, president; Mrs. J. Seydel, first vice-president; Mrs. I. Hoffman, second vice-president; Mrs. W. Tager, third vice-president; Mrs. L. Kamalky, treasurer; Miss R. E. Moseson, financial secretary; Miss A. Rits, recording secretary, and Mrs. E. Moses, corresponding secretary.

**Rodeph Shalom Sisterhood Bazaar Realizes \$2,000.**

Never in the history of the Rodeph Shalom Sisterhood has such a success been achieved and which netted the society over \$3,000 as the bazaar which closed last Monday. The fair was opened by Mr. Benj. Blumenthal, president of the congregation, and by Rev. Dr. Rudolph Grossman, who delivered a prayer. The booths, which were all handsomely decorated and were well patronized, were under the general supervision of the president, Mrs. S. Weinhandler. The babies' booth was attended by Mrs. A. J. Fischowitz and Mrs. S. Keller. The fancy booth was attended by Mrs. A. D. Lind, who was assisted by Miss Clara Strauss, Miss Ella Strauss, Miss A. Lochman, Mrs. Ella Hofheimer, Miss Ella Hirsch, Miss Jeannette Seligman, Miss Tessie Seligman and Miss A. Mayer. The "Yacht Race" was well taken care of by Mrs. J. E. Mandelbaum, Miss Ida Winters and Mr. J. H. Bargebuhr. Other booths were attended by the following: Mrs. G. Sen-

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**Dr. Slousch to Lecture at Beth-El.**  
M. Nahum Slousch, doctoresse lettres, lecturer on Hebrew literature at the Sorbonne, Paris, will deliver a lecture, illustrated with stereopticon views, on the Jews of North Africa, with special reference to those of Tripoli, Tunis and Morocco, and to the Hebraic character of the civilization of ancient Carthage, in the vestry rooms of Temple Beth-El, Fifth avenue and Seventy-sixth street, on Tuesday, December 12, at 8 p. m.

M. Slousch will present some of the results of the discoveries and investigations made by him on his three scientific expeditions to North Africa, undertaken under the auspices of the French Government and of the Academie des Inscriptions et Belles Lettres.

The lecture is in charge of a committee who extend a cordial invitation to all to be present.

### Mt. Neboh Sisterhood.

A grand whist and dance was held under the auspices of this organization Saturday night, December 2. Upwards of four hundred people attended, and the chairlady, Mrs. S. Greenfield, conducted the affair admirably. As a test of the strength of the society it proved that though only a few months old, the organization has a following and is strong numerically and in enthusiasm.

At the meeting held on Monday, December 4, at the Wallace, 448 West 152d street, a new constitution and by-laws were adopted and the following officers elected to serve one year: President, Mrs. S. Greenfield; vice-president, Mrs. Gitter; treasurer, Mrs. L. Wiener; financial secretary, Mrs. E. Beekman; recording secretary, Miss Miriam Vidaver, and as directresses, Mesdames E. R. Cohn, W. H. Stiner, B. G. Frank, A. Hertz, A. Miller, H. B. Kaiser, M. Kalisk, D. E. Goldfarb, J. Mandelbaum, S. M. Zekind.

For the regular monthly whist to be held on the 18th inst., Mrs. J. Meyer and B. F. Isaacs were appointed chairladies.

### Young Men's Hebrew Association.

The third of a series of Friday night talks by Mr. I. E. Goldwasser on "Character" will be given this evening at 8:15 o'clock. While intended primarily for young men the services are open to the general public. Rev. H. L. Martin conducts the religious services, and a children's choir very acceptably sing the responses.

On Sunday evening, December 10, a classic literary entertainment will be held in the auditorium. Mr. John De Persia will render "The Raven," with incidental music; also extracts from

"Hamlet" and "The Rivals." The new dining room has become the scene of a number of banquets in the past few weeks. The most recent was given by the advanced commercial class on Wednesday, November 29. Addresses were delivered by Mr. Israel Andron, the instructor of the class, Superintendent Mitchell and Directors Greenfield, Richter and Levenson.

The banquet by the Excelsior Social and Literary Society, to be held on Saturday evening, December 9, promises to be a very interesting affair.

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Grand Master M. S. Stern, accompanied by Grand Secretary Abraham Hafer and Brother Herman Stiefel, were in Rochester last week completing arrangements for the quinquennial convention. The Seneca and Powers Hotels will no doubt be selected as headquarters. Rooms at the Seneca may be engaged at \$2 and up on the European plan, and those at the Powers \$4.50 per day on the American plan. The exact date of the convention will be arranged at the next special meeting of the Executive Committee, to be held on December 11, 1911.

Seven candidates were initiated at the last meeting of Benjamin Lodge, No. 15, on the 3d inst. Grand Master Solon J. Liebeskind, accompanied by the entire General Committee and Brothers Ralph Levy and Emil Tausig, of the Executive Committee, were present to witness the ceremony. Brother Joseph I. Hartenstein was again elected representative to the Grand Lodge of the United States. The lodge, under the leadership of Brothers Hartenstein and Genzler, is gaining members at every meeting. Six propositions were acted upon and the candidates will be initiated at the next meeting. Addresses were made by the visiting officers.

Members of the order will tender a dinner to Julius Harburger, Sheriff-elect, on February 22, 1912, this being the birthday of the ex-Grand Master. At least 500 will participate in the festivities.

Naphtalia Betty Lodge, No. 9, held a lotto and whist party last week, at which there were over 100 participants. Refreshments were served.

Grand Master Solon J. Liebeskind will officially visit the following lodges during December: Constellation on Sunday, December 10, at 10.30; Abraham on Sunday, December 17, at 8 p. m.; Isaacher on Wednesday, December 20, at 8 p. m.; Standard on Sunday, December 24, at 10.30 a. m.; and Akiba Eger on Wednesday, December 27, at 8 p. m.

Members of the order are under obligations to Brother Frederick Michel for the excellent programme given at the last entertainment at the clubhouse, on which occasion many people were turned away. Mr. Marcus Kellerman, of the Opera House at Berlin, made a great hit, as did Miss Sylvia Fraenck and Mr. Parsons.

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A beautiful banner will be presented to the sister lodge best represented at the ball of J. M. Strier Lodge, No. 174, which will take place on Sunday evening, December 10.

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sitions and initiations are a regular feature at each session, and as to his official position it goes without saying that he is the right man in the right place.

H. Isaac, district deputy for Maryland, informs the grand lodge that the lodges under his jurisdiction are active and doing good work for the cause and the order.

The grand lodge would be pleased to hear of some active work from Centennial Lodge, No. 100.

Queen Esther Lodge, No. 3, held its annual ball on Thanksgiving evening at Tuxedo Hall. The affair was a great success, both socially and financially. Grand Master Samuel Goldstein and staff were present, as were also a great many friends and members. The affair was well attended and all had a joyous time.

Dr. B. Glasgow Lodge, No. 117, under the present administration of the doctor, whose name they bear, are doing good work and propositions and initiations are a regular feature.

Columbus Lodge, No. 40, has added thirty young members to the order during 1911, and is continuing its good work. The members say there will be thirty more before the next annual convention.

Chaye Zipporah Lodge, No. 2, celebrated the twentieth year of its institution with a banquet and ball on December 3, at Beethoven Hall. Solomon Goodman, the president for the past twenty years, presided during the afternoon, and the following grand officers were called on to address the members and many friends present: Ex-Grand Master G. L. Lowenthal, ex-Grand Master I. Grossman, Grand Master S. Goldstein, First Deputy Grand Master A. Wiener, Grand Secretary S. Fodor and ex-presidents of sister lodges and members of the lodge. During the session President Goodman received a valuable gold watch, contributed by the sisters and also a solid sterling silver candelabra by the U. S. Grand Lodge. This was followed by the presentation of silver candelabrae to Sister Willner, the treasurer for the past ten years, and to the sister vice-president a costly and handsome medalion. Secretary S. Keller was the recipient of a gold seal ring. Maimonides Lodge, No. 8, presented a floral piece to Chaye Zipporah Lodge. After the close of lodge exercises all repaired to the festive board, where two pleasant hours were spent in feasting, and where one and all enjoyed themselves. Dancing followed, which was kept up to a late hour.

Benjamin Hoffman Lodge, No. 143, has arranged for a theatre party at the Thalia Theatre, having purchased \$1,000 worth of tickets for February 27. The lodge, headed by its banner bearer, Judge Hoffman, counts over 600 male and female members.

First Poltaver Lodge, No. 107, will hold a mask and civic ball on December 23, at Teutonia Hall.

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J. L. Simon, chairman on law, has no cinch, and with 630 lodges in the order there is continual work for him and his committee. Brother Simon shirks no duty and Grand Master Sanders is well pleased with the chairman and his entire committee. Lodges of the order are promptly served and all extend thanks to the Grand Lodge and the efficient chairman.

Grand Secretary Schoen and his assistants are delighted with the promptness and ability of Brother Adolph Jablonowsky, chairman on appeals. The brother is one of the best versed men on fraternal matters and every decision rendered by him and his committee stands and is always affirmed by the Grand Master, Judge Sanders, and the Executive Board. The order can well feel pleased by the work done by the committee under the guidance of Brother Jablonowsky.

Judge Leon Sanders, accompanied by his staff, paid an official visit to the Ohaw Scholem Lodge, No. 29, on Monday evening, December 4, 1911, at their meeting rooms in Henington Hall, 214 Second street, city. Judge Sanders spoke to the 200 members present and responses were made by ex-President S. Goldfarb, M. Abraham, P. Turner and J. Suseles. After the meeting the members adjourned to Terrace Lyceum, where a banquet was held.

The lodges of District No. 1 are under the special supervision of Brother R. Auer-

bach as district deputy. They are Henry Clay Lodge No. 15, J. Von Neushatz No. 62, Roumanian-American No. 83, Ind. Skoller No. 220 and Osias Horowitz No. 404. Brother Auerbach reports excellent results in gain of membership and he is constantly at work with the lodges.

Chasam-Sophar Lodge, No. 5, reports to the office of the order that at no time in the history of the lodge have the members been as active nor brought in as many proposals for new members than what has been recorded for the year 1911; in fact, the lodge leaves nothing undone that can help perpetuate and numerically increase the brotherhood.

Jaraslower Lodge, No. 21, in the past three months has done its full duty by initiating a number of young people, and says this work will be continued until the next annual convention, to be held at Rochester, N. Y.

Chayim Halberstam Lodge, No. 28, comes to the front as a loyal, true and worthy lodge, with the brethren working like beavers to increase and multiply. No candidate initiated in 1911 has been over the age of 30.

Harlem Lodge, No. 39, during this term has certainly proven to the Grand Lodge what can be done by them. Their increase in membership and financial standing is wonderful, and stands to their credit and also proves, where there is a will the way can be found to aid a lodge and the order.

Ahawath Sholom Lodge, No. 65, falls in line with the active and best working lodges by increasing their numerical strength. The report of Brother Lubelsky, secretary, is quite pleasant information to the Grand Lodge.

Czernowitz-Bukowina Lodge, No. 70, which convenes in the Bronx, in every possible manner proves that they understand their duty and what they owe to the brotherhood. The officers of the lodge fully understand their official obligation and continually remind all members to be active, progressive and push on and forward for the lodge and the order.

Jaeheskel Lodge, No. 84, of Chicago, Ill., reports an excellent increase in membership and general prosperity in lodge matters.

Pride of the West Lodge, No. 106, of St. Louis, Mo., sends to the Grand Lodge good tidings, "30 new members initiated and as many more expected in the next 60 days."

Ahawath Achim Lodge, No. 136, falls into line and reports to the Grand Lodge that they are not only alive, but well and doing their utmost to create a record for 1911. Members are proposed and initiated at every session, and what is more pleasing, this activity will be continued.

Adolph M. White Lodge, No. 168, of Paterson, N. J., is in the swim with successful lodges and they are adding most excellently to their roll of members.

Pride of Massachusetts Lodge, No. 190, through its secretary, Brother M. Schreier informed the Grand Lodge that they receive proposals and have initiations at every lodge session.

Passaic City Lodge, No. 193, of Passaic, N. J., sends in a batch of new doctor's certificates from newly added members and expects to go right on with the work.

Brother M. L. Hollander, of the Grand Lodge, representing Grand Master Sanders, was in Boston, Mass., the 3d inst. on which day he instituted a new lodge with 160 male and female members. This new link is numbered 630 and named Revere Lodge.

J. Blaustein, chairman State of the Order, has in hand a new club to be installed within a few days as Lodge No. 631.

We regret to announce the death of Mrs. Anna Kaplan, daughter of Grand Secretary Jacob Schoen. The funeral took place on Wednesday the 6th inst. Mrs. Kaplan is survived by her husband and one child.

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Grand Secretary G. W. Lelersohn has his time well occupied making out his annual report for twenty-eight States in which the order is licensed to do business. It will take him the best part of the month to complete this task.

Grand Master Dorf will personally institute three new lodges during December. The new recruits for the order are all young people and will add nearly 500 male and female members to the roll of membership.

Good luck still stays with the order. Endowment Secretary Oscar Wiener says the death rate is very favorable and assessments are very small for the lodges.

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Abraham Heller, endowment treasurer, says we have little use for endowment checks, as the members live long, are healthy and are doing most excellent work for the brotherhood.

Since the annual session of the executive officials on November 16, 700 initiations have been reported by subordinate lodges. This is additional work for the Grand Secretary, who has no assistant. All work of the brotherhood is under his personal supervision, and the Grand Secretary knows that all is in proper shape and order.

The order is active in the Russian passport matter, and the members, numbering 70,000, are deeply interested and leave nothing undone that can tend to insure its ultimate success. The leader in this important measure, Grand Master Dorf, is confident that the rights of his constituents will be established.

**Annual Meeting of the Educational Alliance.**

The nineteenth annual meeting of the members of the Educational Alliance was held at the Alliance building, East Broadway and Jefferson street, on Tuesday evening last, and resulted in the reelection of the following officers: Isidor Straus, president; Samuel Greenbaum, first vice-president; Benjamin Tuska, second vice-president; William Salomon, treasurer, and Bernard M. L. Ernst, secretary.

In addition to the annual reports which were read the gathering was addressed by Miss Jane Addams, of Hull House, Chicago, and Mr. Terence V. Powderly, chief of the division of information of the Bureau of Immigration at Washington, D. C.

In the course of his report President Straus said:

"All this splendid humanitarian relief work has been made possible in the last year, as it has for many previous years, by the munificence of our good friend, Henry Phipps, whose gift of \$10,000 a year, for a number of years has enabled us to do what without his generosity would have been compelled to have left entirely undone. Our thanks to this generous benefactor is but a feeble recognition compared with the gratitude which the hundreds of women and children must feel toward one to whom they owe their relief from mental and physical distress and not infrequently moral rescue."

**Richmond, Va.**

Memorial services will be held on December 26 for the dead who perished in the theatre fire almost a century ago and who numbered over seventy. Among them were Joseph Jacobs and his daughter Elizabeth; Zippriah, wife of Mordecai Marks; Charlotte, wife of Solomon Raphael; Judith Judah, a child.  
 Dr. A. S. Isaacs, who is on a short lecture tour, lectured on "Holland and the Art of Josef Israels" before the Jefferson Club December 5.

**Ez Chaim Sisterhood.**

The tenth anniversary of the Ez Chaim Sisterhood will be observed with special services in the Ez Chaim Synagogue, East Ninety-second street, this evening at 8 p. m. There will be a banquet in honor of the event at the Herrstadt on Sunday evening.

**Young Women's Hebrew Association.**

The speaker at the services this evening will be Rev. Max D. Klein, of Philadelphia, formerly in charge of the religious work of the association.

At the close of the services on December 1 Dr. Herbert Friedenwald gave an exceedingly interesting talk on the American passport question.

The children's Hebrew classes are progressing splendidly, and a new class which has been formed will start this week.

Another circle of the Young Judeans, the Daughters of Zion, is now meeting regularly in the association building, with Miss Amy Schechter as director.

**Oriental Splendor.**

Artisans are busily engaged in putting on the finishing touches and completing the magnificent decorations for the new Pekin restaurant, which will soon be opened at the head of Times Square, Broadway and Forty-seventh street, and when this new Oriental palace is finally given over to the public New Yorkers will have still another wonder to talk about. Nothing like it has ever been contemplated in the metropolis before, and to attempt to describe its many gorgeous attractions would be hyperbole.

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The Pekin Restaurant will maintain moderate prices; that is, the lowest price at which pure and wholesome food can be consistently served.  
 The opening date is not very far off and formal announcement of the same will be made in the course of a few days. In the meantime it would be well for New Yorkers to wait for this event, for they certainly will see something that they have never dreamed of before in the way of magnificence of surroundings, beauty of decorations and general Oriental splendor, but withal all this will be only secondary to the food. That will be the first aim of Messrs. Fenton and Klein in throwing open the doors of the Pekin Restaurant to the exacting New York populace; and, remember, it will be a place where you can take your wife or sister without any compunction.

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**BIELEFELD, ALBERT.**—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Albert Bielefeld, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscriber, at his place of transacting business, No. 35 Nassau Street (Room 706), Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 1st day of June next.

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## Jews and Science.

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omy" and "Outlines of Pathology." The "Text-book," which first appeared in 1877, reached its fifth edition in 1902. It well displays the ability of the author: in it we find a singular literary charm blended with observations of far-reaching importance.

Various of his researches, chiefly in the field of pathological anatomy, have appeared in the medical journals.

One of Birch-Hirschfeld's merits lies in the fact that he was always careful to point out the connection of pathological anatomy to clinical medicine. He was wont to emphasize very strongly that the first without the second was of purely theoretical import. And Birch-Hirschfeld was the man to be well able to emphasize the connection, for in him was personified the leading pathological anatomist and the skillful practicing physician.

He was the author of many other works, among which may be mentioned *Defect der Milz bei einen Neugeborenen*, an oft-quoted work; *Untersuchungen der Pyämie*, dealing with putrid infection; *Studien zur Path. der Milz; Angeborene Syphilis bei Kindern; Typhöser Narben des Darmi* (pure histology); *Die Pforten der placentaren Infection des Foetus*, which shows very clearly under what

conditions a transference of pathological microbes takes place from the mother to her offspring.

"Science has for its object the complete interpretation of the universe," said Birch-Hirschfeld. That is the goal which we are forever striving to reach, but it is an ideal one, and we can no more really reach it than reach perfection. "To say that there are fields of thought from which science is excluded, wherein its methods have no application, is merely to say that the rules of methodical observation and the laws of logical thought do not apply to facts, if any, which lie within such fields" (Pearson).

Yes, nothing is beyond its reach, and our only hope of explaining phenomena of which we are at present ignorant lies through its means: we must pass through her territory to get into the land of the unknown. Avoiding her is futile: short-cut methods are barren of results. Hers is a slow, always laborious, often tedious, method of procedure, but there is no other; and the sooner this is realized the less will fallacious ideas take hold of the minds of men.

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## Reminiscences of a Jewish Journalist.

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His devotion to art, as I found out later on, was the *leit-motiv* mainly of numerous attempts to handle in Jargon the themes of Guy de Maupassant with all the daring and little of the talent of his French model.

Such eccentricities of early Ghetto manners, as featured forth in the above, were naturally productive of all kinds of funny incidents and freakish humors. Considerations of space, to my regret, debar me from saying much more on this vastly amusing subject. Two authentic anecdotes must suffice here:

There was a queer convention abroad in those days, both among the public and the "stars" themselves, to label every Jewish star-performer in literature and art with the name of some alleged Gentile counterpart. We had in our midst a reputed "Jewish Ebsen," a "Jewish Thomas Moore," a "Jewish Eleonora Duse," and half a score of other Jews who prided themselves upon being, not what they actually were, but something else and a mere translation into Jewish of some supposed Aryan prototype. Once in a jolly company of writers we were examining the respective claims of these celebrities to their Gentile labels, when up spoke Jankef F., now one of the better-known journalists of the Ghetto:

"I don't know how it comes about, but you fellows seem to be disinclined to give me credit for the decent quality of my work as a special writer on "heart-interest" stories. Why don't you know (this in earnest protest against our lack of appreciation) that I am known among the readers of our paper as the Jewish Ella Wheeler Wilcox?"

Another Bohemian of those days, a speechifying attorney, once held forth to a meeting of Jewish working-women on their rights and wrongs as he saw them. In the fervor of his harangue he identified himself so

completely with his audience, that he changed his sex: "And this," he exclaimed, "is what *we Jewish working-women* must do—"

I regret to say, that at this point he was simply buried under the high-tide of the shouts that went up. And so the Jewish working-women don't know to this day what they must do, unless, in the meantime, they have been informed elsewhere.

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What will add more to the attractiveness of the place than any other single event will be the reopening of the Lakewood Hotel under the management of Mr. Louis Frenkel, who successfully managed the Hotel Kaaterskill, in the Catskill Mountains, the first time that hotel had a Jewish manager, and the same can be said of the Lakewood Hotel.

The Manhattan Hotel, since Charles Hecht first became its owner, has undergone more improvements and enlargements than any hotel here. Every season has found some change that has increased its popularity. The remarkable thing about Mr. Hecht is his capability for such things. This season finds the theatre converted into one of the nicest casinos to be found anywhere. The stage and the auditorium remain as before, but an addition to the building has made it possible to have a row of tables and chairs surrounding the amphitheatre; thus refreshments can be served during hours of entertainment and dining at all times. By removing the theatre seats there is a perfectly appointed ballroom for dances, etc., and it is expected that the Manhattan will have a glorious social season in consequence. Mr. Hecht has not divulged his plans for next year as yet. He is greatly pleased with the appearance of the Manhattan this season, however.

The Blythewood, Mr. Lena Frank's noted hotel, has enjoyed unexampled prosperity since its opening in October. This is certainly an indication of a prosperous season, based upon her policy of taking care of her guests in the best manner known to the science of hotel-keeping.

The Antlers, 419 Lexington Avenue, is for the second season managed by Mr. S. Friedberg, who is also proprietor of the Antlers, Haines Falls, N. Y., one of the successful Catskill Mountains hotels, and which he has conducted for five years. The Antlers has all modern conveniences in a cozy cottage and the cuisine, personally prepared by Mrs. Friedberg, is a feature not to be overlooked.

Mr. J. Woehr, proprietor of Florence-in-the-Pines, has made extensive improvements in that famous hostelry, the most noticeable being the enlargement of the sun parlors which, with the reception rooms, are elegantly furnished. This house grows in popularity each year, and in consequence the proprietor shows commendable enterprise in adding everything possible for the comfort of guests.

The Arlington, 220 Lexington Avenue, a comfortable cottage conveniently located, is in charge of Mr. J. Berkowitz, well known as a hotelkeeper at Rockaway Beach, L. I. Mr. Berkowitz is endeavoring to repeat here his success at the sea shore, and he looks like a winner. The cuisine is Hungarian Kosher and should add to the happiness of his guests.

The Leslie House, 16 Fifth Street, is under the management of L. Karp and A. Wagner. Their guests are always satisfied. Their cuisine is strictly Kosher and the cooking is American-Hungarian, a happy blending of both these celebrated styles.

Visitors here note with pleasure the progress made by J. Fleischmann, who several years conducted the cottage bearing that name. This season he has a full-fledged hotel, known as the Fleischmann House, and is delightfully situated opposite the Laurel House. Mr. and Mrs. Fleischmann are so well known for their hospitality, both at Arverne and at Lakewood, that to say anything particularly commendable is superfluous. They now have the best facilities for pleasing their guests.

Mr. S. Jacobson, proprietor of the Fairmont Hotel, Tannersville, N. Y., the famed Jewish summer hotel of the Catskills, has made his debut in Lakewood by purchasing a palatial residence delightfully and picturesquely situated and now open for the season. It is known as "The Fairmont Lodge," an appropriate name, for while it is in the village proper it is surrounded by a veritable forest, part of the property.

The interior of the building is one of splendor. The most expensive hardwood adorns every room, every one being of extra large size, with windows on all sides.

The rooms are single and en suite, with exquisite baths and toilet rooms, a number of which were equipped by Mr. Jacobson since acquiring the property of one of the wealthiest residents of Lakewood.

Fairmont Lodge is undoubtedly the most elegant residence ever put to hotel purposes in Lakewood, and Mr. Jacobson, as well as observers of the dietary laws who will sojourn there, are to be congratulated upon the addition of Fairmont Lodge to Lakewood's many Jewish establishments.

Hollywood Court has been enlarged and otherwise improved. An annex having ten rooms modernly equipped and furnished, a new veranda, separate card room, smoking room, etc., is Mr. L. Bieber's contribution for the additional comfort of his guests.

Mr. Bieber has always been a progressive host and his strictly Kosher cuisine is a feature that gives great satisfaction to his constantly growing patronage. There is room for them to dance to their heart's content.

The Rose Villa, 501 Monmouth Avenue, has been enlarged and redecorated. The dining room has its seating capacity doubled; there is a sun parlor, electric lights and all modern conveniences. Mrs. J. Prown, the hostess, has been successful here. The table is supplied with strictly Kosher food of the best quality and guests receive personal attention.

Mrs. B. Shapiro has opened a beautiful house at 621 Madison Avenue, corner Seventh Street. Her success at Arverne was so conspicuous that she decided upon a career in Lakewood. In consequence she leased a place that gives every up-to-date accommodation to her guests, who are served sumptuously but strictly Kosher.

The Ellisberg, Seventh Street and Monmouth Avenue, is one of the many beautiful cottages here that give every possible comfort to its guests—those not seeking hotel life. It is named after Mrs. E. Ellisberg, who made a great success in Arverne with her strictly Kosher cuisine that has merited the patronage of the leading orthodox rabbis of America, who, while convening at Arverne, dined at the Ellisberg. In Lakewood the Ellisberg will be conducted on the same lines as at Arverne.

BROOKLYN NOTES.

Congregation Baith Israel Anshe Emes.

Mr. Harry G. Anderson addressed the children of the Junior Congregation on Saturday afternoon last. The Sabbath afternoon services are becoming very popular with the young people and attract large numbers of worshippers. This Saturday afternoon the Rev. Israel Goldfarb will deliver a sermon.

On Sunday morning last Register-elect O'Laughlin addressed the children and the teachers of the Sunday School. His witty and humorous remarks were greatly enjoyed by all present.

The invitation dance given by the teaching staff of the Sunday School on Sunday evening last was very successful in spite of the inclement weather. The proceeds will be used for the decoration of the class rooms.

The annual meeting of the Sisterhood will be held on Wednesday evening in the vestry rooms of the congregation. Election of officers will take place and reports of last year's activities will be read.

Civic Forum.

The Hon. Franklin Pierce, grandson of a former President of the United States and a distinguished member of the New York bar, will address the Civic Forum of the Kaplan School this Sunday evening in the auditorium of the Kaplan School building, 1731 Pitkin Avenue, Brooklyn. The subject will be "The Tariffs of Three Countries."

On the following Sunday the people of Brooklyn will have an opportunity to hear one of the greatest journalists in America, Norman Hapgood, editor-in-chief of Collier's Weekly. Discussion and questions are invited at the close of each lecture. A cordial invitation is extended to the public.

Hebrew Educational Society.

The club leaders of several clubs of the Hebrew Educational Society held a meeting on Sunday morning, December 3, at which they decided to appoint a committee to canvass the district of Brownsville and East New York for the purpose of obtaining funds to be devoted to a new building of the society. Reports were also presented showing that a number of the clubs are arranging to give entertainments for the benefit of the building fund. Considerable enthusiasm is being manifested by the club members in this project.

The following events will take place during the forthcoming week:

Friday evening, December 8, lecture on "The Jews in Roumania," by Leo Wolfson.

Saturday evening, December 9, lecture on "Ethical Values in the Teaching of Bible Stories," by Dr. Henry Neumann, leader of the Brooklyn Ethical Culture Society. On the same evening a Yiddish lecture on "Electricity," by Leo Rosenzweig.

Tuesday evening, December 12, a public concert.

Congregation Shaari Zedek.

The second lecture in the course arranged for alternate Sunday evenings will be delivered this Sunday evening at the synagogue, Putnam Avenue, near Reid Avenue. The speaker will be Dr. Stephen S. Wise, of the Free Synagogue, Manhattan.

Abraham Abraham Memorial Service.

A meeting in memory of Abraham Abraham, under the joint auspices of the Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences, Temple Israel, and the Brooklyn Federation of Jewish Charities, will be

held in the Academy of Music Sunday, December 10, at 3.30 p. m.

Congregation Bnai Sholaim.

Bnai Sholaim Synagogue was crowded last Sunday afternoon with a representative audience who came to listen to a lecture in Yiddish by Rabbi Bernhard J. Levinthal, chief rabbi of Philadelphia. Rabbi Levinthal spoke on "Modern Jewish Education," and the analyzing modern conditions in American Jewish life. He made a strong plea in behalf of the Hebrew school of South Brooklyn, which was recently organized and which now gives excellent Hebrew instruction to more than one hundred boys and girls. Rabbi Israel Herbert Levinthal also delivered an address on the same subject, and as a result of the appeals of the speakers many new members were enrolled.

The next lecture of this series, which has been arranged by Rabbi Levinthal, will be given on Sunday afternoon, January 7, 1912, by Leon Zolotkoff, who will speak on "The Regeneration of the Jews."

The Sisterhood held its annual meeting on Tuesday evening in the vestry rooms. The reports presented by the various officers showed that the Sisterhood is in a flourishing condition, and that it has done much useful work during the past year in connection with the congregation. The following officers were elected for the coming year: Mrs. S. Levin, president; Mrs. N. Jacobs, vice-president; Mrs. A. Rosenzweig, secretary; Mrs. B. Adler, treasurer; Mrs. H. Seidenberg, social chairlady.

An Ideal School.

The Borough of Brooklyn has many attractions that are not heard of so much because of its being part of Greater New York and partly because people in the Manhattan end of it think it is the "whole thing."

For instance, there are the schools in Brooklyn, equal to any in the world, and one that should be of interest to our readers is Moeller's Boarding School, 5203 Fifteenth Avenue, corner Fifty-second Street, Borough Park. It is an ideal home for Jewish boys and girls. The building, of Colonial architecture, has fourteen large sleeping rooms, each containing four windows that supply daylight and fresh air in abundance, much of the latter being swept by ocean breezes. The dining room is 17 by 20 feet, has hardwood panels and Dutch shelving. The cellar has a cement floor and is used as a gymnasium, having all the latest appliances for exercising and all the best in equipment.



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Miss Billie Burke as Colette, in "The Runaway," the best of all Billie Burke roles and comedies, will be the attraction next week at the Montauk Theatre, with matinees on Wednesday and Saturday. "The Runaway" is the comedy in which Miss Burke has scored a notable success at the Lyceum Theatre, Manhattan, this autumn. Michael Morton adapted it into English from a French play entitled "La Gamme," which Pierre Veber and Henri de Gorsse wrote and which Mlle. Lantelme played with success in Paris last season. The story is entertainingly told with plenty of humor, a little pathos and some dramatic situations. Miss Burke plays Colette charmingly and she is splendidly supported by C. Aubrey Smith as the artist. Others in the strong supporting company are George Howell, Henry Miller, Jr., Morton Selton, Edwin Nicander, H. A. Cripps, Jane Evans, Emily Wakeman, Isabel Garrison and Alice Gale.

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Belgium	5
Canada	2
Central America	3
Denmark	1
England	176
France	44
Germany	57
Greece	10
Holland	2
Ireland	11
Mexico	1
Norway	1
Persia	1
Roumania	5
Russia	2,221
Scotland	13
South Africa	10
South America	28
Sweden	13
Switzerland	4
Turkey, Asia	24
Turkey, Europe	46
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# CHILDREN'S PAGE.

## "RABBI."

Dear Children:

Now that you know something of the character of our holy Rabbi, you will be more impressed by his maxims. You know several of them already, and here are the rest: "Balance the loss sustained by the performance of a precept against its recompense." This maxim, my dear children, and the following: "And balance the reward of sin against its loss in your future life," should ever be impressed upon your mind, as my dear father often used to tell me, "the yetzer-harah or evil imagination pays cash, while the 'yetzer-hatov,' or good imagination, promises to pay, 'the commission of a sin gives us immediate enjoyment, whilst for the performance of a commandment we are promised enjoyment in the future life, and because the evil imagination has such a great advantage, especially when the performance of a commandment often entails an apparent loss, it is necessary for us to balance the loss sustained in this world by the performance of a commandment against the recompense that you will obtain therefor in the world to come, and the reward of sin in the immediate enjoyment it affords you in this world against the great loss you will thereby sustain in the world to come, and when you consider how fleeting is the enjoyment of this life, and that one hour's refreshment of spirit in the future world is preferable to the entire life of this, as the rabbis have said, it will be very easy for you to despise the 'cash payment' of the evil imagination and to be perfectly contented with the promises of the good imagination.

"Consider also three things," said Rabbi, "and thou wilt not commit sin. Understand what is above thee—an all-seeing eye and hearing ear, and all thine actions are written in a book." This can be explained as follows: "Consider that there is One who is above thy understanding, and that His eye sees the innermost thoughts of thy heart and that He hears all thy words which thou sayest sinfully, and that all thy evil deeds are written in book before the Holy One, blessed be He, and that although thou art not punished immediately for thy sin, still it is not forgotten, for it is all recorded, and thou wilt surely be punished," or it can be explained in this way: Consider what was before thy time—the all-seeing eye of the Prophet who used to foresee the evil that would come upon thee for thy evil deeds, and warned thee accordingly, and after Prophecy ceased there was the hearing ear, the "Bath Kol," or voice from heaven which apprised Israel of some impending misfortune, and warned them what to do. But now we have no more the seeing eye of the Prophet, nor do we hear any voice from heaven, but all we have left is "and all thine actions are writ-

ten in a book," your entire history and how you should act in life are written in the Holy Scriptures and in the Mishna, Gemarrah or Talmud and the Midrash.

### HER SELF SACRIFICE.

"She's awfully self sacrificing." "How to you make that out?" "Well, she stayed at home from church Sunday to sit up with a sick woman."

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"Yes," said little Elsie, "mamma says she is always glad to let me come to parties at your house."

"It is very nice of your mamma to say that."

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Why is a circle of gold like the sound of a bell? It is a ring.

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Dated New York, the 30th day of October, 1911.

FANNIE SHAPIRO, Executrix.  
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STRASBURGER, MYER.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Myer Strasburger, 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. 68 William Street, in the City of New York, on or before the 19th day of March, next.

Dated New York, the 15th day of September, 1911.

SARAH STRASBURGER, Executrix.  
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STRAUSS, CARL.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Carl Strauss, 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 Eugene Blumenthal, 32 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the first day of January next.

Dated New York, the 21st day of June, 1911.

BERTHOLD HOCHSCHILD, Administrator.  
EUGENE BLUMENTHAL, Attorney for Administrator, 32 Broadway, New York City.

GOLDBERG, JOSEPH.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. John P. Cohalan, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Joseph Goldberg, also known as Julius Goldberg, 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. 11 Nassau Street, in the City of New York, on or before the 3d day of May next.

Dated New York, the 19th day of October, 1911.

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Dated New York, the 12th day of September, 1911.

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Dated New York, the 10th day of October, 1911.

MAMIE E. COHN, ALFRED E. COHN, LEONARD A. COHN, Executors.  
JAMES SCHELL AND ELKUS, Attorneys for Executors, No. 170 Broadway, New York City.

STEINLE, FERDINAND.—In pursuance of an order of the Honorable Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Ferdinand Steinle, 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 attorneys, Rose & Putzel, 128 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on or before the 1st day of February next.

Dated New York, July 28th, 1911.

CHARLES A. STEINLE, Administrator.  
ROSE & PUTZEL, Attorneys for Administrator, 128 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

ALEXANDER, JOSEPH M.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Joseph M. Alexander, 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 Kantrowitz & Esberg, No. 320 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the first day of February next.

Dated New York, July 14th, 1911.

Sarah Alexander, Executrix.  
Kantrowitz & Esberg, Attorneys for Executrix, No. 320 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

GOLDBERG, MOSES.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Moses Goldberg, 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 No. 135 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 1st day of June next.

Dated New York, the 10th day of November, 1911.

SAMUEL GOLDBERG, Administrator.  
SAMUEL GOLDBERG, Attorney at Law, Office and P. O. address, 135 Broadway, Manhattan.

FRIEDENBERG, LOUIS.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. John P. Cohalan, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Louis Friedenber, also known as Louis Friedenber, 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 Henry Meyer, their attorney, No. 302 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on or before the 9th day of May next.

Dated New York, the 1st day of November, 1911.

PAULINE FRIEDENBERG, Executrix;  
CHARLES FRIEDENBERG, Executrix.  
HENRY MEYER, Attorney for Executors, 302 Broadway, Manhattan, New York City.

EINSTEIN, CAROLINE.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Caroline Einstein, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present same with the vouchers thereof, to the subscribers, at their place of transacting business, at the office of Rose & Putzel, 128 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on or before the 20th day of December, 1911.

Dated New York, June 9, 1911.

SOLOMON A. FATMAN, KALMAN HAAS, MORRIS FATMAN, Executors.  
ROSE & PUTZEL, Attorneys for Executors, 128 Broadway, Manhattan, New York City.

KEMPNER, HARRIS.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Harris Kempner, 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 Louis Lande, Esq., his attorney, No. 290 Broadway, in the City of New York, on or before the 23d day of February next.

Dated New York, the 10th day of August, 1911.

MILTON KEMPNER, Administrator.  
LOUIS LANDE, Attorney for Administrator, 290 Broadway, New York City.

SHAPIRO, MAURICE.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Maurice Shapiro, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscriber, at the office of her attorneys, No. 115 Broadway, in the City of New York, on or before the 14th day of February next.

Dated New York, the 2d day of August, 1911.

FANNY SHAPIRO, Executrix.  
HOUSE, GROSSMAN & VORHAUS, Attorneys, 115 Broadway, New York City.

WERTHEIMER, RACHEL.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Rachel Wertheimer, late of the City and 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 attorneys, Rose & Putzel, No. 128 Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on or before the 30th day of April next.

Dated New York, October 6, 1911.

JOSEPH WERTHEIMER, executor.  
ROSE & PUTZEL, Attorneys for Executor, 128 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

ADLER, LEOPOLD.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Leopold Adler, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscriber at his place of transacting business, the office of Dittenhoefer, Gerber & James, at No. 96 Broadway, in the City of New York, on or before the tenth day of April, next.

Dated New York, the 14th day of September, 1911.

ALVIN L. STRASBURGER, Executor.  
DITTENHOEFER, GERBER & JAMES, Attorneys for the Executor, 96 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

HESS, IRVIN B.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Irvin B. Hess, 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 Otto A. Samuels, No. 99 Nassau Street, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 15th day of February next.

Dated New York, the 8th day of August, 1911.

FRED MICHAELS, HERBERT C. HESS, MYRTLE S. HESS, Administrators.  
OTTO A. SAMUELS, Attorney for Administrators, No. 99 Nassau Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

KAFKE, EMANUEL.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Emanuel Kafka, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscriber, at his place of transacting business, No. 38 Park Row, in the City of New York, on or before the 30th day of December, 1911, next.

Dated New York, the 17th day of June, 1911.

ALBERT WINTERNITZ, Executor.  
MYRON SULZBERGER, Attorney for Executor, No. 38 Park Row, New York City.

SIEDENBURG, RATJE.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. John P. Cohalan, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Ratje Siedenber, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscriber at his place of transacting business, the office of Curtis Mallet-Prevost & Colt at No. 30 Broad Street, City of New York, on or before the 31st day of January next.

Dated New York the twentieth day of July, 1911.

REINHARD SIEDENBURG, Administrator, with the will annexed of estate of Ratje Siedenber.

CURTIS MALLET-PREVOST & COLT, Attorneys for Administrator, 30 Broad St., Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

ROSENDALH, EMILIE.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, Notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Emilie Rosendahl, late of the County of New York, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscribers, at their place of transacting business, Room 404, No. 96 Wall Street, in the City of New York, on or before the 17th day of February, next.

Dated New York, the 9th day of August, 1911.

MAX MANDELBAUM, GUSTAVE FRIEDBERGER, Executors.  
L. MANDELBAUM, Attorney for Executors, 90-96 Wall Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

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Dated New York, the 9th day of October, 1911.

IRWIN WILE, OLGA BRUSSEL, Executors.  
THOMAS & OPPENHEIMER, Attorneys for Executors, No. 60 Wall Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

**GREENBAUM, LOUIS.**—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Louis Greenbaum, 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. 152 West 118th Street, in the City of New York, on or before the 1st day of January, 1912, next.

Dated New York, the 14th day of June, 1911.

FANNY GREENBAUM, Executrix.

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Dated New York, the 23d day of November, 1911.

**ROSA DOCTER, SOPHIA DOCTER, BERTHA DRITCKER, Executrices.**  
WOLF & KOHN, Attorneys for Executrices, No. 203 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

**WOLFF, AMELIA.**—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Amelia Wolff, 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 152, No. 55 Liberty Street, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 15th day of April, 1912, next.

Dated New York, the 3d day of October, 1911.

**SAMUEL L. WOLFF, Administrator.**  
EXAMINA L. LEVINSKY & SEIGSBURG, Attorneys for Administrator, 55 Liberty Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, by the Grace of God, free and independent, to Eliza Meyer, Siegmund T. Meyer, Rebecca Mayer, Arthur Jacobs, Minna Rosenberger, Solomon R. Jacobs, Estelle Jacobs, Florence Jacobs, Edwin Jacobs, Alvah Dantziger, Clifford Aaron, Harry Aaron, Jesse Lewisohn, Julia Henry, Walter Lewisohn, Frederick Lewisohn, Oscar Lewisohn, Lillian Lewisohn, Alice Lewisohn, Lenora Henry, Violet Henry, Flora Cory, Isabella Cohn, Mary Stoltz, Bertha Cohn, Julia Cohn, Louis Cohn, Siegmund Flegeistock, Isabella Weinberg, William Flegeistock, Nora Dreyfus, Gertrude Kaufman, Mortimer Kaufman, Edgar Kaufman, Rose Kaufman, Gertrude Weinberger, Ralph Kaufman, Josephine Kaufman, Albert A. Meyer, Theodore A. Meyer, Louis G. Meyer, Irving J. Meyer, Agnes E. Meyer, Oscar I. Meyer and Irene Lewisohn and Alexander Patterson, the widow and executors and heirs and next of kin of Isaac T. Meyer, deceased, send greeting: Whereas, Isaac T. Meyer, of the City of New York, has lately applied to the Surrogate's Court of our County of New York to have a certain instrument in writing, dated August 14th, 1911, relating to both real and personal property, duly proved as the last will and testament of Isaac T. Meyer, 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 27th day of December, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, at half-past ten o'clock, in the forenoon of that day, then and 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 by a next friend, 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. John P. Cohalan, Surrogate of our said County of New York, at [L. S.] said county, the 20th day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eleven.

**DANIEL J. DOWDNEY, Clerk of the Surrogate's Court.**  
**PARKER & AARON, Attorneys for Executors, No. 52 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.**

**BERNSTEIN, BERTHA.**—The People of the State of New York, by the Grace of God Free and Independent. To Rosa Levy, Daniel Schulhaus, Jacob Schulhaus and Yetta Nusbaum, the heirs and next of kin of Bertha Bernstein, deceased, send greeting: Whereas Moses Levy of the City of New York has lately applied to the Surrogate's Court of our County of New York, to have a certain instrument in writing relating to both real and personal property duly proved as the last will and testament of Bertha Bernstein, late of the County of New York, deceased, therefore you and each of you are hereby cited to appear before the Surrogate of our County of New York, at his office in the County of New York, on the 15th day of January, one thousand nine hundred and twelve at half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, then and 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. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of our said County of New York, [L. S.] at said county, the 14th day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eleven.

**DANIEL J. DOWDNEY, Clerk of the Surrogate's Court.**  
**QUACKENBUSH & ADAMS, Attorneys for Pettitioner, No. 25 Broad Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.**

**LEVY, ABRAHAM.**—In pursuance of an order of Hon. John P. Cohalan, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Abraham Levy, 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 Weid, Henry & Meyers, No. 62 William Street, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 1st day of June, 1912, next.

Dated New York, the 11th day of November, 1911.

**GUSTAVE LEVY, Administrator.**  
**WEID, HENRY & MEYERS, Attorneys for Administrator, 62 William Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.**

**OPPENHEIMER, REBECCA.**—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Rebecca Oppenheimer, 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 Meighan & Nearsulmer, No. 38 Park Row, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 20th day of January next.

Dated New York, the 12th day of July, 1911.

**Zacharias H. Oppenheimer, Paul H. Oppenheimer, Louis W. Rice, Executors.**  
**Meighan & Nearsulmer, Attorneys for Executors, No. 38 Park Row, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.**

**SELIG, ISAACK.**—In pursuance of an order of Hon. John P. Cohalan, a Surrogate of the County of New York, made and entered of date October 19th, 1911, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Isaac Selig, also known as Isaac Selig, also as Isaac Selig, 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 Schwick & Machinski, at No. 64 Wall Street, in the City of New York, on or before the 1st day of May next.

Dated New York, the 23d day of October, 1911.

**SCHWICK & MACHINSKI, Attorneys for Executrix, 64 Wall Street, New York City.**

**ADLER, MILTON.**—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Milton Adler, 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. 43 Cedar Street, in the City of New York, on or before the 4th day of March, next.

Dated New York, the 23d day of August, 1911.

**CYRUS ADLER, SAMUEL A. HERZOG, Executors.**  
**NEWMAN & NEVGASS, Attorneys for Executors, 43 Cedar Street, New York City.**

**MAYER, JACOB.**—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Jacob Mayer, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscribers, at their place of transacting business, in the office of Engel Bros., at No. 132 Nassau Street, in the City of New York, on or before the first day of May next.

Dated New York, the 21st day of September, 1911.

**BERNHARD MAYER, JACOB HEYMAN, Executors.**  
**ENGEL BROS., 132 Nassau St.; Simpson, Werner & Cardozo, 111 Broadway, Attorneys for Executors.**

**STEINER, SOLOMON.**—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Solomon Steiner, also known as Solomon Steiner and Salomon Steiner, late of the County of New York, Borough of the Bronx, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscribers, at their place of transacting business, at the office of George Hahn, No. 15 William Street, in the City of New York, on or before the first day of April, next.

Dated New York, the 22nd day of September, 1911.

**ADOLPH STEINER, GABRIEL KUTZ, Executors.**  
**GEORGE HAHN, Attorney for Executors, 15 William Street, Manhattan, New York City.**

**GOLDBERGER, MICHAEL.**—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Michael Goldberger, 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 Harry M. Goldberg, at No. 309 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on or before the 10th day of April, 1912.

Dated New York, the 29th day of September, 1912.

**ROSA GOLDBERGER, Executrix; SIMON GOLDBERGER, Executor.**  
**HARRY M. GOLDBERG, Attorney for Executrix and Executor, No. 309 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.**

**MENDELSON, BERTHA.**—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Bertha Mendelson, also known as Bertha Mendelson, also Bertha Baker, also Bertha Becker or Rosie Berman, 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 Sol. Strauss, No. 302 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 25th day of March, next.

Dated New York, the 19th day of September, 1911.

**WILLIAM BAKER, Administrator.**  
**SOL. STRAUSS, Attorney for Administrator, Office and Post Office Address, 302 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, N. Y. City.**

**FRANK, HENRIETTA.**—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Henrietta Frank, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscribers, at their place of transacting business, to wit, at the office of Kantrowitz & Esberg, No. 320 Broadway, New York City, in the Borough of Manhattan, on or before the fourth day of April, 1912.

Dated New York, September 25th, 1911.

**SAMUEL FRANK and MYER KOCH, Executors.**  
**KANTROWITZ & ESBERG, Attorneys for Executors, No. 320 Broadway, New York City, Borough of Manhattan.**

**VEITH, GUSTAVE F.**—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Gustave F. Veith, 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. 42 Broadway, Manhattan Borough, in the City of New York, on or before the first day of April, 1912, next.

Dated New York, the 25th day of September, 1911.

**EDA VEITH, HENRY F. VEITH, JULIUS S. OPPENHEIMER, Executors.**  
**EINSTEIN, TOWNSEND & GUTERMAN, Attorneys for Executors, 42 Broadway, Manhattan Borough, New York City.**

**WINDMANN, FRIEDRICH.**—In pursuance of an order of Hon. John P. Cohalan, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Friedrich Windmann, also known as Frederick Windmann, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscriber, at his place of transacting business, No. 1511 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, on or before the 15th day of May next.

Dated New York, the 27th day of October, 1911.

**FREDERICK P. HUMMEL, Executor.**  
**GEORGE MEYER, Attorney for Executor, 1511 Third Avenue, Manhattan, New York City.**

**KOFFMAN, ELENOR.**—In pursuance of an order of Hon. John P. Cohalan, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Elenor Koffman, 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 Wolf & Kohn, No. 203 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 6th day of May, 1912.

Dated New York, the 20th day of October, 1911.

**CLARA BLOOMINGDALE, Executrix.**  
**WOLF & KOHN, Attorneys for Executrix, No. 203 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.**

**GOLDBERGER, MATHILDE.**—In pursuance of an order of Hon. John P. Cohalan, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Mathilde Goldberger, 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. 42 Broadway, Manhattan Borough, in the City of New York, on or before the 1st day of May next.

Dated New York, the 11th day of October, 1911.

**MAURICE GOLDBERGER, CARL GOLDBERGER, NORMAN S. GOLDBERGER, MORITZ NEUBERGER, Executors.**  
**EINSTEIN, TOWNSEND & GUTERMAN, Attorneys for Executors, 42 Broadway, Manhattan, New York City.**

**BERNSTEIN, PHILIP.**—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Philip Bernstein, 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 her attorney, Herman S. Ziegel, at No. 160 Broadway, in the City of New York, on or before the 15th day of April, next.

Dated New York, the 20th day of September, 1911.

**JENNIE BERNSTEIN, Administratrix.**  
**HERMAN S. ZIEGEL, Attorney for Administratrix, 160 Broadway, New York City.**

**ADLER, BERTHA.**—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Bertha Adler, 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 No. 135 Broadway, in the City of New York, on or before the 28th day of January next.

Dated New York, the 28th day of June, 1911.

**ALEXANDER HESS, Executor.**  
**LEON FORST, Attorney for Executor, 135 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.**

**LESE, DAVID, ALSO KNOWN AS DAVID LISS.**—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against David Lese, also known as David Liss, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscriber, at his place of transacting business, No. 35 Nassau Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on or before the 2d day of January next.

Dated New York, the 23d day of June, 1911.

**LOUIS LESE, Administrator.**  
**LESE & CONNOLLY, Attorneys for Administrator, 35 Nassau Street, New York City.**

**LAZARUS, MORRIS W.**—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Morris W. Lazarus, 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 Goldsmith, Rosenthal, Mork & Baum, No. 31 Nassau Street, in the City of New York, on or before the 1st day of February next.

Dated New York, the 21st day of July, 1911.

**WILLIAM DORA LAZARUS, Administratrix.**  
**GOLDSMITH, ROSENTHAL, MORK & BAUM, Attorneys for Administratrix, 31 Nassau Street, New York City.**

**ROFFIS, JOSEPH E.**—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Joseph E. Roffis, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at his place of transacting business of the estate, at the office of Simon H. Kugel, on or before the 25th day of January, 1912.

Dated New York, the 11th day of July, 1911.

**Joseph E. Siegel, Administrator.**  
**Simon H. Kugel, Attorney for Administrator, 170 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.**

**OPPENHEIMER, HENRY.**—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Henry Oppenheimer, 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 Meighan & Nearsulmer, No. 38 Park Row, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 20th day of January next.

Dated New York, the 12th day of July, 1911.

**Zacharias H. Oppenheimer, Paul H. Oppenheimer, Louis W. Rice, Executors.**  
**Meighan & Nearsulmer, Attorneys for Executors, No. 38 Park Row, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.**

**STACHELBERG, NEWTON B.**—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Newton B. Stachelberg, 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 William H. Hendrick, 2 Rector Street, New York City, Borough of Manhattan, on or before the 1st day of January, 1912.

Dated New York, the 14th day of June, 1911.

**JOHN HARRIS HENDRICK, Administrator.**  
**WILLIAM J. HENDRICK, Attorney for Administrator, 2 Rector Street, New York City.**

**LICHTENSTEIN, CATHARINE.**—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Catharine Lichtenstein, 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. 132 Nassau Street, in the City of New York, on or before the 9th day of April, next.

Dated New York, the 2d day of October, 1911.

**SEAMAN LICHTENSTEIN, Executor.**  
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