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SELECTIONS FROM A PECULIAR LITERATURE

By J. FUCHS

PRELIMINARY.

Mr. William J. Solomon has intrusted me with a task ever welcome to me—that of acting as a conscientious interpreter between two cultures dividing between them full fifteen years of my studies. Through his enterprise the English-reading public of the Jewish race will be afforded now, for the first time as far as is known to either publisher or translator, a fairly extensive chance to get acquainted with the best sketch work of the best Jargonic writers of recent American fame. The translations planned will comprise a series of thirty sketches, chiefly humorous in their nature, all characteristic of some definite phase or type of Ghetto life, all sufficiently brief to be enjoyed in a casual half-hour of leisure in a country where leisure is scant, and one and all written by the talents of our American immigration. In no case will the English version do violence to the spirit of the Jargonic original, whose very letter will be respected wherever such a tribute will not interfere with weightier considerations.

Why the sketch is the one artistic category most beloved by Eastern Jews, I have explained elsewhere, in THE HEBREW STANDARD of December 8, 1911.

On the soil of the American Ghetto it has thriven even more lustily than in the Old Home, for obvious reasons. There is a better market here for the sketch, and the thousand kaleidoscopic queernesses produced by the intermingling of Jewish and American life-currents furnish the raw material turned into market—supply by some scores of busy pens. That the Jewish world of print—like every other under the sun—is crowded with mediocrities and worse, goes without saying. But those that rise in it above the dead level of mediocrity have turned their flashlights so illuminatingly upon the nooks and corners of a world whose outward unloveliness, like a dark veil, keeps it in effective concealment, that I rejoice in the opportunity of

partially lifting the veil. Such work, let the captious say what they please, is its own reward. "*Si neminem placet, memet ipsum juvat.*"

J. FUCHS.

New York, New Year's Day, 1912.

with a useless dithyramb. The editor having failed to pay attention to the quasi-English title printed on the fly-leaf of each of the volumes, they go down now to posterity as "All Writings of Jacob Gordin," instead of

ness and accuracy in our work we should be angels, and as such of intolerable perfection. Let us rather bring back to remembrance the man we all knew and his essence.

As to the raw facts of his existence, an extract from the "Jewish Encyclopædia" will serve:

"Jacob Gordin (Jakov Mikhailovich), Yiddish playwright and reformer, was born May 1, 1853, in Mirgorod, Government of Poltava. He received a good education and acquired a thorough knowledge of Hebrew. In 1870 he began to contribute articles to various Russian periodicals. . . . In 1880 he wrote . . . a series of short stories of Jewish life. . . . In 1890 he emigrated to New York. In America Gordin entered a new field of literature, becoming a Yiddish playwright. . . . Gordin is a prolific writer, and since his first play, "Siberia," produced in 1891, has composed about sixty Jewish dramas and vaudevilles. While some of these belong to the poorest kind of literature, others have scarcely their equal on the Jewish stage, and may justly be ranked among the higher productions of dramatic art."

It is altogether right and fitting that the tale of his name in the Jewish Encyclopædia should embrace his Russian patronymic. Not only did the man physically favor the Muscovite type, but his mentality likewise was a curious blending of Russian and Jewish strains. According to the foregoing, his American career was antedated by twenty years of newspaper work in the Russian language—feuilletonistic brevities for the most part contributed to high-class provincial dailies under the pseudonym of "Ivan the Biting." He was really a sketch writer and critic, first driven to the theatre by purely financial necessities, like ever so many Jewish sketch writers before and after him. That the stage will not willingly tolerate in its devotees any rival occupations is an old experience. Novelists and other literati, once they turn playwrights, will very



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—Jacob Fuchs—

JAKOV MIKHAILOVICH GORDIN. After his recent death, the sketches, satires and critical essays of Jacob Gordin appeared in a posthu-

biography of the deceased, Mr. Winchevsky, the editor, saw fit, under the emotional stress probably of Gordin's death, to preface his collection

"All the Writings," or, more acceptably, "The Complete Works." But enough of this carping! If to our other virtues we were to add neat-

more trying, in the nature of things, to his friends than to his enemies. Personally, he must have been a fine fellow, with some of the instincts of a thoroughbred in him, for the chiefest of his enemies was that hater of all full-blooded personalities, Mr. Abraham Cahan.

For twenty years he threw into the melting pot of his stagecraft Grillparzer and Shakespeare, Ibsen and Turgenieff, English dramatists and German novelists, and stoked the fire with never weary brains and hands, until something more or less distinctly Jewish came out of the pot. Sometimes the spirit of the original evaporated in the melting, and nothing remained but a purloined title, as in his "Kreuzer-Sonata." Sometimes the mass solidified into a sediment outrageously crude and coarse, as in "Der Wilder Mann." Sometimes the white heat of the melting process yielded a work of strength and grandeur like "The Jewish King Lear." At other times the original would refuse to dissolve and stick out in ragged pieces, as in "Gott, Mensch und Taiwel," and in other cases where the overbold recaster would attempt what was beyond his strength. But, take him all in all, his was certainly a powerful dramatic talent, and if he stole, as his enemies would have it, he stole like Shakespeare, gilding and bejeweling his loot and scattering it with a lavish hand among his own people. If he now and then failed to turn his booty to good account, what of it? How much did Shakespeare succeed in making out of the stories of Titus Andronicus and of Tyrius Appoloni-

us? The most remarkable trait of Gordin as a sketch-writer was the steadfastness of his didactic purpose. Mr. Winchesky in his introduction to Gordin's Writings has properly laid stress upon the fact, that Gordin at his most entertaining was never a mere entertainer, that he was a teacher in Israel from first to last.

He died on the threshold of old age, but he lived long enough to get a taste of that evil time wherein life in the Ghetto is well-nigh impossible for a public character without submission to one of two contending newspaper "gangs." Mr. Gordin, for reasons of his own, considered it the lesser evil to join the *Warheit* coterie—perhaps because Mr. Miller, though disloyal to all his early principles, remained at least loyal to his personal friends. An ugly scandal, based upon charges of plagiarism, ensued, and Gordin's last days on earth were embittered by a mudslinging contest too vile to be thought of without a feeling of shame.

During his latter years and on the day of his solemn interment, the great heart of Jewish masses did better justice to Jacob Gordin than his small-souled detractors. They cherished his memory and forgot his limitations in an outburst of enthusiasm. They felt instinctively what Goethe knew about the struggling and erring:

"Denn er ist ein Mensch gewesen, Und das heisst ein Kämpfer sein!"

His Russian *nom-de plume*, if put under his Jargonic sketches, would be an arrant misnomer. Among his own people he was not "Ivan the Biting"; he was Jainkeff the Smiling, or the Twinkling, rather, who loved fools because of their folly—especially harmless fools, the pompous tyrants of the lodge room, the town-fools of Russian *Kehillas*, the communal busybodies of New York, the quasi-Americanized "Mr. Max Jefferson," all the heroes of the Infinitely Little, that are buzzing around in our Jewish beehives. Their droll exploits, seen by Jacob Gordin, were read to me first, during a spell of sickness, by a girl reader. So fre-

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quent were her outbreaks of hilarity that at last she had to drop the book, exhausted from laughing over its contents. If my translations will impart some of that innocent jollity to readers that were heretofore strangers to its source, I shall not have labored in vain. To do justice, however, to the Gordin of graver moods, I have included in this series a few of his sketches dealing with the "Submerged Tenth"—much more than a Tenth, alas!—of his beloved people and their manifold miseries and tribulations.

FEET OFF!"

By JACOB GORDIN.

The meeting was a very important one, and therefore all the Brothers of the Agudas Bne Poser Sick and Death Benefit Society were in their appointed places, at what time the Brother President thrice banged the table with his gavel, thrice cleared his throat, thrice gave a prodigious snort, and thus spake to the assembly:

"Brethren, beloved of my heart: The order of the day before this same gathering sets forth at start the important issue: Off with all intruding feet! Therefore, consequently, and in the first place, we must debate the issue, to wit, off with all intruding feet!

"It is known to all collectively and to each severally, that fraternal love and humanity are the principles of our Bne Poser Sick and Death Benefit Society; therefore, before everything else, did we buy for our cash several plots of ground wherein to bury our *selige* and *gottselige* brothers. But unfortunately, there exists a Bne Dalphon Sick and Death Benefit Society, which, as a rule, does likewise bury its brothers; and, of course, right next to ours—plot set against plot, like pillow against pillow in a double bedstead. A short time ago there died amongst them a *gottseliger* brother, and what did they do but bury him in exactly such wise that he trespasses with his Bne Dalphon Sick and Death Benefit feet upon our Bne Poser ground—with his feet right into our throat, so to say; therefore—

"Whereas, we are the Agudas Bne Poser Sick and Death Benefit Society and they are no more, excuse me, than the Bne Dalphon Sick and Death Benefit Society; and

Whereas, to trespass with a stranger's feet upon an alien sacred ground is illegal, against the law and against morality; and

"Whereas, the *selige* members of the Bne Dalphon have caused us trouble and a thousand dollars' worth of damages,

"Be it resolved, therefore, to call upon the brothers of the Bne Dalphon Sick and Death Benefit Society to indemnify us in the sum of one thousand dollars; and, if not, then we'll take a prominent lawyer, and off with the *selige* feet! Away with the feet of the Bne Dalphon!"

This brilliant harangue of the President was enthusiastically received by the Bne Posers one and all, and they wound up the meeting with tumultuous outcries: "Away with

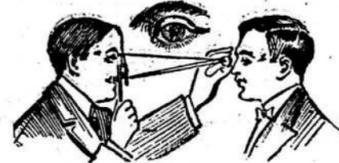
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their intruding feet—away! . . . !"

The second meeting was still more important. The Bne Dalphon Sick and Death Benefit Society had delegated a committee to the Bne Poser Sick and Death Benefit Society. The hall, harboring a beth-hamidrash, a dancing class and a five-cent lodging house, was crammed. The President coughed two keys higher, the Vice-President came to the meeting with combed hair, though it happened in the middle of the week, the Secretary strutted in polished shoes—everything was *jontefdig*.

"Brethren, beloved of my heart," thus began the President, "our beloved brethren of the Bne Dalphon have sent us eleven delegates. Their credentials are regular, therefore I move that the floor be given to the delegates. Seconded? Seconded, and so ordered."

Thereupon, one of the eleven delegates took the floor and began according to the refined diction of the record, thus, to wit, namely, in the manner following:

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seldom free themselves from the lure of the footlights ever after—not sufficiently, at any rate, to maintain their previous record in their erstwhile specialty, both as to quality and productiveness. The one or the other, and often both, are sure to suffer in the long run. Being first a financial makeshift, the stage with the late Gordin became later on the great passion of his life, and finally a "mission" of obsessive force, abiding with him to the day of his death. For alas, poor Yorick of the Ghetto, a "mission" he had, a "Lebensuege," to quote his beloved Ibsen, and this mission consisted in reforming the Jewish stage—incidentally, to emerge a Jewish Ibsen himself from out of this process of reformation. The concept, to be sure, of a "Jewish Ibsen" is barefaced nonsense. Of so plain a fact he was happily unaware to the day of his death—he died in his dream. He did not even suspect that an Ibsen can only spring of free Norwegian soil—can grow only in a peasant republic of a thousand years' standing, with a nominal king at its head, a boundless pride in its national literature and a militant individualism for a national creed. He never perceived that the stagnant air of coffee-house discussion among Jews cannot possibly produce the same effect upon Jewish life that the stormy gusts of Northern emotion strike out of the life of Scandinavian society. The Berserk Ibsen of "The Crown-Pretenders," of "The Pillars of Society," of "Brand" and "Peer Gynt" was to Jacob Gordin an unsolved mystery. What this Jewish emulator saw and understood in his Norwegian idol was only the man who, without knowing it, wrote in "Nora" about the marital infelicities of the Jewish tenements, in "Ghosts" about the stricken offspring of a stricken people and in "An Enemy of the People" about the cliques, mass meetings and trade unions of New York's East Side. That was the Ibsen he understood. Having first reduced his literary ideal to the dimensions of a Norwegian Gordin, he could well persuade himself into the belief of being a Jewish Ibsen. During the last fifteen years of his life he carried the analogy around with him into places of public and private resort, as an everlasting challenge.

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Thereupon the meeting dissolved into chaos. *Shah! Sha! Ordnung!* yelled the members, the delegates wildly gesticulated with their arms, bang! went the President's gavel, and the entire hall resounded once more with the fierce outcry: Feet off! Feet off! *Arunter mit die Pyates!*

III.

The poor widow of the dead man under discussion had a long weeping spell before going to bed. After undressing, she covered herself with a heap of sorry looking rags and sank into a troubled sleep. All of a sudden she heard the door unfasten, and her dead husband entered—haggard, livid, his face drawn in pain.

"Go to thy rest!" she means to cry, but her lips are palsied. The dead man draws nearer and says quietly:

"Frieda, I hear every day the stamping of sacrilegious feet upon my grave. I am insulted; people are at war over my feet reaching out into strange ground. I pray you, Frieda, go tell them that I was a shirt maker, and that throughout my entire life I had no chance to rest my weary legs. During the day I sat cramped and stooping over my machine—at night I was doubled-up by the cold and my cruel sickness now that I am dead, I have at last a chance to stretch my tortured legs."

The poor widow sobbed quietly in her sleep. "*Oioih!*" she moaned—and the clock struck midnight.

WHY CHAIM JANKEL WENT MAD.

By JACOB GORDIN.

Chaim Jankel, the Prodigy—let's hope it won't happen again, but it did happen and may again with others—Chaim Jankel the Prodigy went mad. He has *nebach* lost his senses and lies in his ward, in durance vile. He sings out of tune, looks frenziedly around him in deadly fear, trembles at the sight of his

own shadow, does not recognize his friends and kin gathering around him in tears. . . . He still lives, though dead to the world . . . he went mad . . . and having learned the cause of Chaim Jankel's madness, you will admit, that, God willing, others will go the same road.

Chaim Jankel the Prodigy is not an Irish Goy—he is not a German heathen. He is a plain Jewish member of our East Side *intelligencia*. The evil genius that caused his malady was a bat in his belfry—a bat that flutters through the bellfry of almost every Eastsider. In medicine this animal is known by the name of the Society Gook. The Society Gook squirms and wriggles and compels most everyone to found new societies, to join those already existing, and to think day and night of others that might be established. The trouble consists in this, that the victims of the Society Gook malady imagine the results of their craze to be as follows: They think that it will bring them honor, popularity, a good reputation, a fat practice, a political job, sweetmeats for everyone, and more of the same order.

Our Mr. Chaim Jankel had been a member of the following clubs, organizations, lodges and societies—a list elucidative of the poor victim's principles and dearest convictions, before he went *nebach* mad, and of his pains taken for the good and welfare of humanity:

- Union of Progress and Civilization.
- Chevra Lamdanim Mishnajes Wah-Ehn Jainkef.
- Federation for the Promotion of Science, Art and Literature.
- The Mysterious Society for the Prevention of the Evil Eye and for Spiritualism in General.
- Bicycle and Pinochle Conglomeration, No. 9.
- Symphonic Society for Music and Harmony.
- The Og, King of Bashan, Lodge No. 44.
- Socialist Turnerbund, Local 17.
- Choveve Zion Jerusholaim.
- Friends of Classical Drama.
- Dubner Psalms—Men's Lodge.
- Freethinkers' and Atheists' Club, No. 1.
- Synagogue Auxiliary Society.
- Mozart and Beethoven Choral Society.
- Michael Bakunin Proletarian Federation.
- Smargoner Anshe Gemilath Chasodim.
- Brotherhood of Russian Revolutionists.
- Galician Talmud Thorah * * * and seventy-seven other lodges, unions, clubs, federations and societies not specifically mentioned for lack of space.

Every evening of Mr. Chaim Jankel's was occupied with conferences and meetings. Like one bereft of his senses, he went from hall to hall; everywhere he wished to participate in the debates, everywhere he was both seen and heard. His entire life was a magic circle of amendments, points of order and points of information. * * * Slowly, gradually, the real world disappeared from his vision. Suddenly, in broad daylight, in the middle of the pavement, he saw, not men, but walking points of order, rushing by and gnashing their teeth—points of order dressed like human beings!

Chaim Jankel the Prodigy, is now an inmate of the insane ward. Every moment he trembles in convulsions and cries: "Look, look; a point of information, with a query thirteen feet long—a strange-looking fellow seating himself near the president's chair! And over there—see that point of order, a stout one with a malignant expression—he hurts my brains! . . . And the amendments, like little vermin, are jumping around—they jump into my eyes. Away from me, you points

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SUNDAY MORNING, JANUARY 28, 1912,

at 11.15, promptly, for the purpose of receiving the report of the President and for the transaction of such other business as may properly be brought before the meeting.

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You and each of you are hereby cited and required personally to be and appear before our Surrogate of the County of New York, at the Surrogate's Court of said County, held at the Hall of Records, in the County of New York, on the 5th day of March, 1912, at half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, then and there to attend a judicial settlement of the account of proceedings of HUGO FREUDENTHAL, ALEXANDER, and CHARLES JACOBS, as Executors of the Last Will and Testament of said deceased, 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.

[L. S.] WITNESS, HON. ROBERT LUDLOW FOWLER, a Surrogate of our said County, at the County of New York, the 8th day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

DANIEL J. DOWDNEY, Clerk of the Surrogate's Court.

MANHEIM & MANHEIM, Attorneys for Petitioner, 302 Broadway Manhattan, New York City.

LEVY, DOROTHEA.—The People of the State of New York, by the Grace of God, Free and Independent, to George W. Levy, Percy Stern, Ethel Stern, Mansfield K. Levy, Rachel Celler, David Mansfield Levy, Henriette Levy, Isidor G. Levy and Della Stern, individually and as next of kin of Jacob Levy, and to all persons interested in the estate of Dorothea Levy, late of the County of New York, deceased, as creditors, legatees, next of kin or otherwise, send greeting:

You and each of you are hereby cited and required personally to be and appear before our Surrogate of the County of New York, at the Surrogate's Court of said County, held at the Hall of Records, in the County of New York, on the 27th day of February, 1912, at half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, then and there to attend a judicial settlement of the account of proceedings of David Mansfield Levy, surviving, as executor of the Last Will and Testament of said deceased, 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. John P. Cohalan, a Surrogate of our said County, at the County of New York, the 29th day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eleven.

DANIEL J. DOWDNEY, Clerk of the Surrogate's Court.

J. PHILIP BERG, Attorney for Petitioner, No. 99 Nassau Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

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Dated New York, the 12th day of January, 1912.

AARON DENONN, Executor.

BRUCKHEIMER, CECILIA.—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 Cecilia Bruckheimer, 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 their attorney, Mortimer W. Byers, No. 41 Park Row, in the City of New York, on or before the 8th day of June, next.

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

MORRIS HAHN, LEWIS M. HORNTAL, Executors.

MORTIMER W. BYERS, Attorney for Executors, 41 Park Row, New York City, Manhattan.

JACOBY, HERMAN.—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 Herman Jacoby, late of the County of New York, State of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscribers, at their place of transacting business, No. 220 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 6th day of May, next.

Dated New York, the 24th day of October, 1911.

ADOLPH COHEN, MAX J. JACOBY, Executors.

JULIUS COHEN, Attorney for Executors, 220 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

BRUSSEL, JOSEPH.—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 Brussel, 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 Thomas & Oppenheimer, their attorneys, No. 60 Wall street, in the City of New York, on or before the 30th day of April, 1912.

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.

MOSENTHAL, AUGUSTA A.—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 Augusta A. Mosenthal, 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 Carl Schurz Petrasch, their attorney, No. 141 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on or before the 5th day of July, next.

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

WALTER J. MOSENTHAL, ELIZABETH L. MOSENTHAL, HERMAN O. MOSENTHAL, Executors.

CARL SCHURZ PETRASCH, Attorney for Executors, 141 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

SCHOENFELD, MAX.—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 Max Schoenfeld, late of Rorschach, Switzerland, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscribers, at their 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 10th day of June, 1912.

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

MORRIS SCHOENFELD, DAVID SCHOENFELD, JOHANNA KUHN, ARTHUR K. KUHN and LOUIS LOEB, Executors.

WOLF & KOHN, Attorneys for Executors, 203 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

SCHIFF, MANFRED B.—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 Manfred B. Schiff, 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. 52 William street, in the City of New York, on or before the 20th day of June, next.

Dated, New York, the 16th day of December, 1911.

MORTIMER L. SCHIFF, Administrator.

STEINHARDT & GOLDMAN, Attorneys for Administrator, 111 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

CRYSTAL, BERNARD.—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 Bernard Crystal, 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 Saul J. Dickheiser, No. 99 Nassau Street, in the City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, on or before the 15th day of July, next.

Dated, New York, the 29th day of December, 1911.

SEIDA CRYSTAL, HYMAN S. CRYSTAL, MRS. CRYSTAL, Executors.

SAUL J. DICKHEISER, Attorney for Executors, No. 99 Nassau Street, New York City, Borough of Manhattan.

KLEE, BENJAMIN.—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 Benjamin Klee, 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 offices of Leventritt, Cook & Nathan, their attorneys, No. 111 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 20th day of May, next.

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

WILLIAM B. KLEE, ROSE KLEE, ABRAHAM BERNHARD, Executors.

LEVENTRITT, COOK & NATHAN, Attorneys for Executors, 111 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

MAYER, ALEXANDER J.—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 Alexander J. 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, at the law offices of Kendall & Herzog, No. 27 William Street, in the City of New York, on or before the 29th day of June, next.

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

JULIAN T. MAYER, SIDNEY N. MAYER, MAURICE BRILL, Executors.

KENDALL & HERZOG, Attorneys for Executors, 27 William Street, New York City.

ITEMS OF INTEREST IN THE JEWISH WORLD.

A Hebrew Free Burial Society has been formed in Worcester, Mass.

A Young Men's Hebrew Congregation is being organized at Portland, Ore.

A Hebrew Free Loan Association is being organized in New Bedford, Mass.

Mr. Maurice Sarbinsky has been appointed city electrician for Cleveland, Ohio.

Mr. David Hirsch has been elected a director of the Louisville, Ky., Board of Trade.

Architects are drawing plans for a new building for the Worcester, Mass., Y. M. H. A.

Steps are being taken for the building of a synagogue at South Manchester, England.

The Society for the Promotion of the Science of Judaism in Germany now has 1,278 members.

Mr. Oscar Leonard has been chosen superintendent of the St. Louis, Mo., Jewish Charities.

The Wilna authorities have prohibited the production in the theatre of plays written by Jews.

Representative Hebrews of Brockton, Mass., have organized the Hebrew Merchants' Association.

Last Sunday afternoon the Chelsea Hebrew Institute was formally dedicated at Chelsea, Mass.

The Judaic Union has endowed two beds for its members in the Philadelphia, Pa., Jewish Hospital.

Dr. Chajes, lecturer at the Rabbinical College in Florence, has been appointed Chief Rabbi of Trieste.

A new Jewish hospital is being organized in Yonkers, N. Y. At the first meeting \$4,000 was pledged.

Mr. Raleigh Weintrob has received a call to become staff lecturer in pedagogy at the University of Virginia.

Two thousand one hundred and ninety-nine patients were treated by the Baltimore Hebrew Hospital last year.

Mr. Harry M. Levy, of Cincinnati, Ohio, has been appointed Commissioner of Jurors to fill an unexpired term.

Rabbi Joseph S. Kornfeld has been appointed secretary of the Columbus, Ohio, Public Recreation Committee.

Rabbi A. M. Ashinsky, of Pittsburgh, Pa., is considering a call from the Beth Israel Congregation, of Boston, Mass.

A new synagogue is to be erected on West Smallwood street, Baltimore, Md., for the Moses Montefiore Congregation.

The members of the Montreal, Canada, Y. M. H. A. are engaged in collecting funds with which to build a new home.

Rabbi Benjamin Newmark of the Tipherath Israel Congregation, of Harrisburg, Pa., died from asphyxiation last Wednesday.

At an auction sale of pictures held in New York city last week, Joseph Israel's "Domestic Troubles" brought the highest price—\$13,900.

The Seventh Day Adventists at their annual conference at Brooklyn last week resolved to make a strong campaign for Jewish converts.

State Senator Clarence Wolf has just been re-elected president of the Mercantile Club of Philadelphia, Pa., for the sixteenth consecutive term.

Widespread indignation has been caused by the Russian Minister of Justice introducing a measure restricting the number of Jewish advocates.

The Federated Jewish Charities of Baltimore, Md., announce the gift of \$20,000 from Moses and Rosa Goldberg, to be used as an endowment fund.

Six hundred and seventy-one male and 3,314 female Jews entered the United States through the port of New York during the month of December, 1911.

A mass meeting was held in Kansas City, Mo., last week which will most likely result in the erection of a home for aged Jews and a hospital annex.

Max Schwartz, aged fourteen, has been appointed night telegrapher at Tarrytown, N. Y. He is the youngest telegrapher in the employ of the Western Union.

Arrangements have been completed for the presentation of "Bella Donna" on the American stage. This is the successful drama now running in London, Eng., in which Sir George Alexander appears in a Jewish role.

The Cleveland, Ohio, Federation of Jewish Charities disbursed \$72,189 in 1911.

The Montefiore Home of New York city will increase its capacity to 700 beds when it moves to its new home. This will entail an annual expenditure of \$300,000.

Announcement is made that unless immediate financial assistance is forthcoming, the Jewish People's Institute, of Boston, Mass., will be compelled to close its doors.

Rabbi I. H. Mattuck, late of Far Rockaway, N. Y., was inducted as minister of the London, England, Jewish Liberal Synagogue at a special service held last Saturday.

The Emperor of Germany has bestowed the Order of the Red Eagle on Mr. Emil Moser, of Bradford, England, a younger brother of the Lord Mayor of that city.

An investigation of social conditions among the mill workers of Massachusetts is now in progress under the direction of Max Mitchell, president of the Boston Jewish Charities.

The recently seceded Baltimore section, Council Jewish Women, has decided to be known as the Baltimore Association of Jewish Women. Nine hundred members are already enrolled.

The Nationalist Professors recently held a meeting at St. Petersburg, and decided to oust Jews and Liberals from the universities with the view to the "Russification of Knowledge."

The Jewish representatives of the foreign financiers attending the meeting of the International Bank have been permitted to stay in the Russian capital for a week, notwithstanding of the Nationalist objection.

Governor Dix has appointed Messrs. Adolph S. Ochs and Paul M. Warburg to represent New York State at the eighth annual conference of the National Child Labor Committee now in session at Louisville, Ky.

As a result of a fire at the Greek Catholic Church at Zdunskaya Vola, Russia, crowds assembled accusing the Jews of the crime, and assuming a threatening attitude. The police dispersed the rioters.

Mr. Max Meyerhardt is serving his twenty-eighth consecutive term as Worshipful Master of Cherokee Lodge, No. 166, of Rome, Ga. Brother Meyerhardt is a past Grand Master of Masons for the State of Georgia.

Dr. William Ravine has been appointed to the newly created post of Chief Medical Inspector of the Public Schools of Cincinnati, Ohio. Dr. Ravine is the superintendent of the Jewish Convalescent Home.

The Federation of the Pittsburgh, Pa., Jewish Charities is an established fact, and so far \$65,000 has been pledged for 1912, an amount \$10,000 in excess of all the moneys collected by the combined societies during 1911.

An investigation covering two years has been made by Dr. Theodore B. Sachs, of Chicago, with the result that he finds Jews are as susceptible to tuberculosis in crowded sections as are other people, thereby overturning a popular theory.

The company which has obtained the concession to construct an electric street railway line in Jerusalem contemplates a similar undertaking in Jaffa. Later on the Jaffa line will probably be extended, via Tel Aviv to Saron and the Petach Tikvah colony.

Congressman Sabath of Illinois has introduced a bill into the House of Representatives providing that in no case shall an alien be excluded from admission to the United States, if such exclusion would separate the alien from any members of his or her family.

Last week, Dr. Manuel Leven, of Paris, died in his eighty-first year. He was a Franco-German war veteran, and had received several decorations. In 1871-73 he was a member of the Board of Health of Paris. He was author of many medical works, principally on diseases of the stomach.

A bill has been introduced in the New York State Assembly providing for a commission of seven residents of New York city to be named by the Mayor, for the home assistance of dependent children. The United Hebrew Charities are to have the selection of a member of the commission.

The question is being considered of founding in Palestine a journal in Arabic, which will undertake the defence of Jewish interests and refute the calumnies which are continually being spread by the Arab-Christian press. The paper will be a daily one and will be published either in Jaffa or Jerusalem.

Young Men's Hebrew Association Holds Annual Meeting.

The thirty-eighth annual meeting of the association was held on Sunday last, and the auditorium was well filled by the members.

The meeting marked an epoch in the history of the organization, for the services included the dedication of the new Louis A. Heinsheimer Memorial Building, next door to the present association building in Ninety-second street, and so connected as to form an annex to it; also the dedication of the Ark and the unveiling of the tablet to the late Percival S. Menken, which has been placed at the west end of the swimming pool in the basement of the new building. The memorial building is the gift of Felix M. Warburg, president of the association. It was erected at a cost of \$85,000.

Mr. Warburg read the yearly report of the organization, and the speakers were Justice Greenbaum, President John H. Finley, of the College of the City of New York, and I. E. Goldwasser, the executive director.

The treasurer's reports show a cash balance at the end of the year of \$2,982. During the summer 300 acres were added by purchase to the association vacation camp near Cold Springs. The report shows a yearly attendance in the building of 182,583 persons.

An unexpected feature of the occasion, which created much enthusiasm, was the presentation of a fine oil painting by a young Italian artist, Jos. A. Maturo. The painting was the gift of an anonymous friend, tendered to the president through the superintendent, who read the following letter:

Mr. Wm. Mitchell, Supt., Young Men's Hebrew Association, Ninety-second street and Lexington ave., New York city.

My dear Mr. Mitchell: I have been considering for a long time what I may be able to do for the Young Men's Hebrew Association that would be in keeping with its noble object. I have finally come to the conclusion of presenting something which will fit in well with the dedication of the new building, in memory of a noble man, a lover of co-operation, of peace, a friend of human kind.

I will remember Mr. Felix M. Warburg's allusion to the characteristic trait in Louis A. Heinsheimer, which was appreciation. It was this little remark which determined me to make this gift in appreciation for what the Young Men's Hebrew Association has done for the Jewish young men—and what you and your co-workers have so quietly and so unobtrusively done for the up-building of this great institution.

Only those who have watched this association grow as I have watched it in the past ten years, can judge its value as a bulwark of character. Will you do me the kindness to present this painting to Mr. Warburg, your worthy president, and let it be symbolic of the appreciation which pervades your work—let it be a beacon light to the young men who gaze upon it and teach them that only through law and justice can we finally reach our destination.

I am, Very truly yours, "A FRIEND."

In accepting the gift, Mr. Warburg responded very graciously and expressed his appreciation. The painting will remain in public exhibition and be appropriately hung by the House Committee.

A joint debate on Sunday last between the Harmony Associates, representing the Y. M. H. A., and the Clairmont Club of Harlem, on the subject, "Resolved, That on the Whole Labor Unions are Beneficial," was held on Sunday evening, the 21st inst. and was won by the Harmony Associates, who took the affirmative side. The judges were: Messrs. Ottinger, Furst and Lewis.

Hebrew Infant Asylum Annual Meeting.

The eighteenth annual meeting of the Hebrew Infant Asylum was held at the Asylum, Kingsbridge road and Aqueduct avenue, last Sunday morning and resulted in the unanimous re-election of President Benno Neuberger, who will have as associates: Vice-Presidents, Charles Hirschhorn and Harry R. Kohn. Directors for the term of three years: Simon F. Bleyer, Herman Runkel, Isidore M. Stettenheim, Henry Hart Elias, Henry B. Harris, Harry R. Kohn and Marc H. Mack, Director for term of one year, Charles Fischer.

In the course of the president's report it was shown that the receipts for membership during the past year were \$78,000, from the Young Folks' League \$4,300, and from the Ladies' Sewing Society \$1,000. The Associate Membership Committee rendered valuable aid in reducing the cost of maintenance by obtaining contributions of clothing, merchandise, etc.

Comptroller William A. Prendergast delivered an address and was profuse in his praise of the good work of the institution, and stated that he wished to go on record as being in favor of larger city contributions towards charitable institutions. Ex-Deputy Comptroller N. Taylor Phillips was another speaker, lauding the good work of President Neuberger, who the speaker stated spent more than half of his time at the institution. The meeting closed by passing a vote of thanks to all the allied societies connected with the asylum and to those who as individuals and workers rendered such good services in the year just passed.

Chovevel Ibrith.

The next meeting of the Chovevel Ibrith will be held Saturday evening, January 27, at 8 p. m., in Room 7, Uptown Talmud Torah, 132 East 111th street. Dr. S. N. Boorstein will lecture on "The Respiratory Organs and the Mechanism of Respiration." This constitutes the second lecture in the scientific medical series.

Ohole Shem Society.

Dr. Josef S. Bloch will deliver a lecture before the society on Thursday, February 1, at Lexington Hall, 109 East 116th street. Dr. Bloch's topic will be, "Some Thoughts on the Kol Nidre Prayer" and all interested are cordially invited to be present.

Hebrew Sheltering and Immigrant Aid Society.

The annual meeting of the Hebrew Sheltering and Immigrant Aid Society was held Sunday afternoon in the auditorium of the Educational Alliance, 197 East Broadway, with more than 500 present. Following the report of Judge Leon Sanders, setting forth the work of the organization for the past year, addresses were made by United States Senator Boise Penrose, of Pennsylvania; Jacob H. Schiff, Oscar S. Straus, Abram I. Elkus, and the Rev. Harris Maslansky.

In concluding his report, Judge Sanders took the opportunity of referring to the Russian passport question, which was also discussed by the other speakers. He said: "President Taft, representing the outraged manhood of the American nation, has thrown down the gauntlet to Russia, and by and with the consent and approval of Congress, has served notice upon the Russian Government that the treaty of 1832 will be abrogated because of the failure upon the part of Russia to recognize passports issued to American citizens of Jewish faith. This unfair discrimination was in direct violation of the terms of a solemn treaty, and many of the most honorable citizens of America, because of their religious views, have been subjected to this most humiliating discrimination, thereby being placed in the category of criminals and vagabonds. What effect the action of the American people will have upon the immigrant of the future no one can predict."

Senator Penrose spoke of the lot of the immigrant and his possibilities in this country. "The lot of the immigrant at best is one of hardship," said the Senator. "Driven to this country, in many cases by religious or political persecution, and separated from all the patriotic and sacred associations of his home, it is only natural that disillusion, disappointment, and hardship should often be his lot. But his condition is infinitely better than that of those early pioneers."

"It has been one of our American ideals to extend a welcome to our shores to all the oppressed peoples of Europe and each race has furnished its own elements of civilization and genius to the general result."

"Not the least important element in our population are the Jewish immigrants. Their people, as a whole, are intelligent, industrious, and thrifty, and they are seldom led away by the political fallacies of the passing moment. Public sentiment, in the end, is dominant in America, as was illustrated by the recent agitation regarding the abrogation of our treaty with Russia. It might be that after the treaty had been abrogated and no treaty was in existence that conditions would not be any better, but at least the American Government would no longer be a party to a treaty, and thereby would no longer be in a position of acquiescing to a situation under which discrimination were practiced so utterly foreign to our principles."

"No new treaty should be agreed to by this country which does not place all American Jews, citizens of this republic, on an absolute equality with all other American citizens. The principle of equal protection is an elementary principle of our government."

Oscar S. Straus, Jacob H. Schiff and Abram I. Elkus also spoke.

Dr. Moses Mossinsohn at Cooper Union.

A very large audience assembled in Cooper Union last Monday evening, the occasion being a mass meeting tendered by the Zionist Federation in honor of Dr. Benzion Mossinsohn, who is touring this country in order to raise funds for the Hebrew Gymnasium at Jaffe, Palestine. Dr. Harry Friedenwald presided.

Dr. Mossinsohn, who spoke in Yiddish, declared that the solution of the Jewish problem was in Palestine, and that will be the land of our salvation. He told of the methods of the gymnasium, now five years old, of teaching all subjects in the Hebrew language. This achievement he thought was worthy to be called one of the greatest of the century. It was brought about by the necessity of finding a common tongue for the pupils, who came to the school from all over Europe. The language, he said, was too closely connected with the culture of the people to ignore it. Those who learned it at Jaffa expected to settle down in Palestine and live there, where the language is generally spoken now and understood by even the illiterate. The aim of the school, he said, was to create a national point of view for all learning, similar to that taken by the nations of Europe, each in its own tongue.

The Emanu-El Brotherhood.

Arrangements have been made for an entertainment and grand rally meeting for girls only, to be held in the auditorium of the Hebrew Technical School for Girls, on Sunday afternoon, February 4, at 3 o'clock. The admission is free to all girls over the age of fifteen. The principle feature will be a heart-to-heart talk by Mrs. Abila Morgenroth, to be followed by an interesting programme of literary and musical exercises.

Hebrew Free Loan Association.

Next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock the annual meeting of the Hebrew Free Loan Association will be held at the building 108 Second avenue. This society since its organization has loaned vast sums to the poor without interest and has been the means of setting many a poor man on his feet, enabling him to retain his self-respect and not be forced to accept charity.

The meeting is open to the public and all interested in the good work of the society are cordially invited to be present. A number of gentlemen prominent in Jewish communal affairs will be present.

IN THE SYNAGOGUES.

ADATH ISRAEL (Bronx).—Rabbi Mayer Kopfstein will preach this evening on "Godly Potentialities."

AGUDATH JESHORIM.—Dr. David Davidson preaches Sabbath morning on "Still Groping in Egyptian Darkness."

AHAWATH CHESED SHAAR HAS-HOMAYIM.—Rabbi I. S. Moses preaches Sabbath morning on "An Old Dispute About Divine Worship."

ANSCHE CHESED.—Rabbi Jacob Kohn will lecture this evening at 8 Sabbath morning Rabbi Kohn preaches on "The Weekly Portion of the Law."

ANSHE EMETH.—Mr. Julius J. Price lectures Sunday morning, at 11 a. m., on "Ibn Ezra and the Keichis."

BETH-EL.—Dr. Samuel Schulman preaches Sabbath morning. Sunday morning Dr. Schulman lectures on "The Legacy to America of a Great Judge's Small Estate."

BETH ISRAEL BIKUR CHOLIM.—Rev. Aaron Eisman will preach Sabbath morning on "The Wealth of the Poor."

BETH SHOLOM (Bensonhurst).—Rabbi Jacob Goldstein preaches this evening on "Miracles."

B'NAI JESHURUN.—Rev. Dr. J. L. Magnes preaches Sabbath morning on "The Portion of the Law."

B'NAI SHOLAUM (Brooklyn).—Rabbi Israel Herbert Levinthal will preach this evening on "The Jewish Youth." Sabbath morning on "The Portion of the Law."

BRONX Y. M. H. A.—Rabbi Alex. Basil will be the speaker at services this evening.

EDUCATIONAL ALLIANCE.—Rev. J. D. Spear and Rev. Nathan Abramson will officiate at the children's services Sabbath afternoon.

EMANU-EL.—Dr. Joseph Silverman will preach Sabbath morning on "Judaism and the Peace Movement." Sunday at 11.15, "Individualism as an Antidote to Socialism."

EMANU-EL BROTHERHOOD.—Rabbi Max Reichler will be the speaker at services this evening. At the Sabbath afternoon children's services, Mr. Tobias Roth will speak.

EZ CHAIM.—Rabbi Daniel Loewenthal preaches Sabbath morning on "The Endeavors of Great Men."

HAND IN HAND (Bronx).—Rev. Dr. Isidor Reichert preaches this evening on "Is Happiness Attainable Without Religion?" Sabbath morning "To Be Free Means to Be Religious."

HEBREW EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTE (Brooklyn).—Rev. Aaron Eisman will lecture this evening on "The American Jew."

HEBREW TABERNACLE.—Rabbi Edward Lissman lectures this evening. Sabbath morning Rabbi Lissman preaches on "The Weekly Portion of the Law."

KEHAL ADAS YESHURUN.—Rabbi I. Odal will preach Sabbath morning on "Is Orthodoxy Disintegrating?"

MT. ZION.—Rabbi B. A. Tintner preaches this evening on "The World's Work." Sabbath morning, "A Hardened Heart." There will be a meeting of the Young Men's Club Saturday evening. The Sisterhood meets Monday night.

OHAB ZEDEK.—Rev. Dr. Josef S. Bloch will occupy the pulpit Sabbath morning and will preach on "The Outlook for Judaism." Tuesday evening Rev. Jacob A. Dolgenas will lecture on "The Prophets of Israel."

ORACH CHAIM.—Sabbath morning Rev. Dr. Joseph H. Hertz will preach on "The Weekly Portion of the Law."

PINCUS ELIJAH.—Rabbi Jacob Dolgenas preaches Sabbath morning.

RODEPH SHOLOM.—Rev. Dr. Rudolph Grossman preaches Sabbath morning.

SHAARI ZEDEK OF HARLEM.—Rev. Dr. Adolph Spiegel preaches Sabbath morning on "Life and Liberty."

SONS AND DAUGHTERS OF ISRAEL.—Dr. S. Klein will preach this evening on "Our Duty Toward Judaism."

SINAI CONGREGATION (Bronx).—This evening Mr. Falk Younker will lecture on "Success." Sabbath morning Rabbi Max Reichler will preach on "The Opportunity of To-Day."

TEMPLE ISRAEL OF HARLEM.—Dr. Harris will exchange pulpits with Rev. Dr. Henry Berkowitz, of Philadelphia, Pa., this Sabbath, instead of last week as previously announced.

YOUNG WOMEN'S HEBREW ASSOCIATION.—Mr. Samuel Rabinowitz will be the speaker at services this Friday evening.

Judge Rosinsky at Ohab Zedek.

Hon. Otto A. Rosinsky lectured last Friday evening in Ohab Zedek, in 116th street, on "The Jew's Mission in America." He was greeted by an immense congregation which completely filled the vast edifice. The Judge paid an eloquent tribute to America as the land of liberty and equal opportunities for all, and said, in essence, that the mission of the Jew was to hold fast to American ideals and help to enrich them by the lessons of righteousness and virtue derived from Judaism. The lecture was much appreciated by all the great assemblage.

Gnesen Benevolent Society.

At the annual meeting held last Sunday evening at the Harlem Masonic Temple, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Isidora Goldstein, President; Bernard Aronson, Vice-President; Samuel Aronson, Treasurer; Isaac Peyser, Secretary, and Harry Lesser, Financial Secretary. The new Board of Trustees consists of H. Israel, E. Blair, J. H. Green and L. Jackson. Mr. Harry Kluger was re-elected Chaplain of the society.

The Gnesen society, which is one of the strongest and most active of its kind, will celebrate its fiftieth anniversary in 1914.

ENGAGEMENTS.

AISON-KIRSCHENBAUM.—Dr. and Mrs. H. Kirschenbaum announce the engagement of their daughter Pauline to Dr. Emil T. Aison.

BECKER-EDELSON.—Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Edelson, of 18 East 112th street, announce the betrothal of their daughter Ethel Lillian, to Mr. Isidor Becker, of Denver, Col.

BLUM-ISRAELSON.—Mrs. Nathan Israelson, of 108 West 141st street, announces the engagement of her daughter Carrye, to Mr. Maximilian L. Blum. Reception at the Tuxedo, Fifty-ninth street and Madison avenue, Sunday, January 28, 1912, after 8 o'clock.

BROCK-KOHNFELDER.—Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Kohnfeler, of 200 Seventh avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter Lillian, to Mr. Max Brock. At home Sunday, January 28, 1912, from 3 to 6 p. m.

BUSH-ROSENTHAL.—Mr. Max Rosenthal, of 223 West 112th street, announces the engagement of his daughter Belle, to Joachim F. Bush.

CRONHEIM-BACH.—Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bach, of 23 East 88th street, announce the engagement of their daughter Sadie, to Mr. Louis G. Cronheim. Reception January 28, 1912, at the Hotel Savoy, from 3 to 6. No cards.

LEVY-BROWN.—Mr. and Mrs. M. Brown, of Greenport, N. Y., announce the betrothal of their daughter Rae, to Mr. Jeremiah Levy, of New York. Reception Sunday evening, February 4, 1912, at Bedford mansion, Brooklyn.

LEWINE-PHILLIPS.—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Phillips, of 62 East 82d street, beg to announce the betrothal of their daughter Pearl Sylvia, to Mr. Ralph Victor Lewine.

LIBERMAN-MENDELSON.—Mrs. R. Mendelson, of 86 West 119th street, announces the betrothal of her daughter Etta, to Mr. Meyer Liberman. Reception February 4, 1912, 3 to 6 p. m., at Hotel Savoy. No cards.

MAUTNER-LEVISON.—On Wednesday, January 17, 1912, Miss Dorothy Levison, of 230 West 113th street, to Mr. Max Mautner.

NEWMAN-MAYER.—Mrs. Joseph Mayer, of 1185 Lexington avenue, announces the engagement of her daughter Sztidonia, to Mr. Adolph Newman.

NEWMAN-PERELL.—Mr. and Mrs. S. Perell announce the engagement of their daughter Frances, to Mr. Isidor Newman. At home, 1608 Lexington avenue, Sunday, January 28, 1912, 3 to 6 p. m.

ROTH-LUBIN.—Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lubin, of 30 West 112th street, announce the engagement of their daughter Evelyn, to Mr. Moe L. Roth. Reception Sunday, January 28, 1912, from 3 until 6, Hotel Marseille, Broadway and 103d street.

SCHIEER-LEVY.—Mr. and Mrs. Louis Levy, of 205 West 139th street, announce the betrothal of their daughter Estelle Miriam, to Mr. John Harry Scheier.

SCHOENFELD-WEISBART.—Mr. and Mrs. A. Schoenfeld, of 330 West 115th street, announce the engagement of their daughter Bertha, to Mr. Lou Weisbart. Reception Sunday, January 21, 1912, Carlton Hall, 168 West 127th street, after 8 p. m.

SCHWARTZ-SOMAN.—Mr. and Mrs. A. Soman, of 581 East 170th street, announce the engagement of their daughter Ettie, to Mr. George Schwartz. At home, January 28, 1912, after 7 p. m.

SPERO-COHEN.—Mrs. G. Cohen, of Hartford, Conn., announces the engagement of her daughter Rose, to Mr. Saul C. Spero, of New York.

STERN-SILVERMAN.—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Silverman, of 101 West 115th street, announce the betrothal of their daughter Selma S., to Mr. Joseph Stern.

WALLACH-DINKELSPIEL.—Mr. and Mrs. E. Dinkelspiel announce the engagement of their daughter Rose, to Mr. Frederick Wallach, on Sunday, January 28, 1912. At their home, 326 East 144th street, 3 to 6 p. m. No cards.

WEISS-FROHMANN.—Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Charles Frohmann, of 323 East 87th street, announce the betrothal of their daughter Cora, to Mr. Bernhard Weiss. Reception Sunday, January 28, 1912, at the Manhattan Square Hotel, 50 West 77th street, from 3 until 6. No cards.

WOLFF-ZETOSCH.—Mr. and Mrs. Max Zetosch, of Portland, Ore., announce the engagement of their daughter Jeannette, to Mr. Sam Wolff.

MARRIAGES.

BLUMBERG-LUFT.—Mrs. K. Luft announces the marriage of her daughter Lucy to William L. Blumberg, on January 17, 1912.

GARFINKEL-KASNOWITZ.—On Tuesday, January 16, 1912, at Stuyvesant Casino, Miss Frances Kasnowitz to Mr. Emile Garfinkel by Rev. Dr. Adolph Spiegel.

HEITLER-MARCUS.—On Sunday, January 21, 1912, by Rev. Aaron Eisenman, Miss Betty Marcus to Mr. Sigmund Heitler, at 175 East Seventy-ninth street.

HULNICK-MOSER.—On Sunday, January 21, 1912, at Westminster Hall, Miss Elizabeth Moser to Mr. Michael Hulnick, of Philadelphia, Pa. Rabbi Israel Herbert Levinthal officiated.

HYNES-JACOBY.—On Sunday, Jan-

uary 21, 1912, Miss Josephine Jacoby to Mr. Joseph Hymes, by Rev. Dr. Isidor Reichert.

JAMES-STEINHARDT.—Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Steinhardt, of 150 East Ninety-first street, announce the marriage of their daughter Florence to Mr. Edward M. James, on Sunday, January 21, 1912. Rabbi Aaron Eisenman officiated.

JANOVER-GUMPERT.—On Tuesday, January 16, 1912, by Rev. Dr. Isaac Moses, Rosalyn Gumpert to Daniel W. Janover.

KOVALS-WEISS.—On Sunday, January 21, 1912, Miss Frieda Weiss to Mr. Nathan Kovals. Rev. Dr. Isidor Reichert officiated.

LEVY-MOSS.—Mrs. Annie Moss announces the marriage of her daughter Sadye to Mr. Eli H. Levy, son of Mr. Herman Levy on Wednesday evening, January 24, 1912, at the Tuxedo, Fifty-ninth street and Madison avenue. Rev. Aaron Eisenman officiated.

LIPSCHEWITZ-WEINBERG.—At the Beth Israel Synagogue, Miss Lillian Weinberg to Mr. Max Lipschitz, of Philadelphia. Rev. Aaron Eisenman officiated.

LIPSKI-COHEN.—On Sunday, January 21, 1912, by Rev. Dr. Isidor Reichert, Miss Rose Cohen to Mr. Martin Lipski.

ROSEN-POLANSKY.—On Wednesday, January 24, 1912, at Vienna Hall, 193 East 58th street, Miss Annette Rosen to Morris Polansky by Rev. Dr. D. De Sola Pool.

ROSENSTEIN-FOX.—On Sunday, January 21, 1912, Miss Harriett Rosenstein to Mr. A. Henry Fox, at New Clinton Hall. Rev. Dr. Samuel Greenfield officiated.

SEWARDS-MARK.—Robert L. Sowards and Ella H. Mark, by Rev. Dr. E. Lissman, Thursday, January 13, 1912.

SIEGMAN-ROSENZWEIG.—Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Rosenzweig, of 495 Eighth avenue, Brooklyn, announce the marriage of their daughter Beatrice, to Mr. Arthur Siegman on January 4, 1912, by the Rev. Dr. Alex Lyons.

UDELL-OBENDORFER.—Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Oberndorfer announce the marriage of their daughter: Jewel, to Abraham Udell, by the Rev. Dr. Alex Basil, on January 16, 1912, at the Lexington, 109 East 116th street.

WEISS-WEISS.—Mr. and Mrs. Emil Weiss announce the marriage of their daughter Irene Rita, to Mr. Harold L. Weiss, January 17, 1912, by Rev. Dr. E. Lissman.

DIAMOND WEDDING.

On Sunday, January 14, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Heyman, of 21 West 119th street, celebrated their diamond wedding at the Lexington, 109 East 116th street. A large number of relatives and friends were present and enjoyed the menu prepared by Mr. H. B. Grossman.

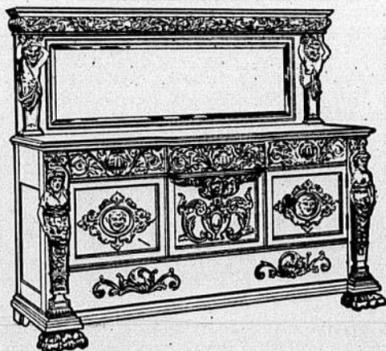
GOLDEN WEDDING.

ABRAHAMS.—Mr. and Mrs. Max Abrahams, of No. 1427 Flatbush avenue, Brooklyn, announce the celebration of their golden wedding on Sunday, January 28, 1912, at 1 P. M., at Lenox Hall, No. 227 Lenox avenue, New York.

SILVER WEDDING.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Lieberman, of 974 St. Nicholas avenue, celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of their marriage at the Lexington, 109 East 116th street. Among those who enjoyed the bounteous repast prepared by Caterer Grossman, were: Mrs. B. Lieberman, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Sanford, Mr. and Mrs. M.

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BIRTHS.

BECKER.—Mr. and Mrs. Arnold W. Becker (nee Rollie Rosenstock), of 485 Central Park West, announce the birth of a daughter on January 14, 1912.

HARTMAN.—Mr. and Mrs. Samuel I. Hartman (nee Laura Levene), of 25 East 99th street, announce the birth of a daughter on January 20, 1912.

NEUMANN.—Mr. and Mrs. Martin Neumann, of 1069 Tiffany street, Bronx, announce the birth of a daughter on January 13, 1912.

PHILLIPS.—Mr. and Mrs. Morris A. Phillips (nee Fischgrund), announce the birth of a son on January 19, 1912.

RUBENSTEIN.—Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rubenstein, of 247 West 111th street, announce the birth of a daughter on January 19, 1912.

BAR MITZVAH.

PHILLIPS.—Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Phillips, 1366 St. Nicholas avenue, announce the Bar Mitzvah of their son Harold, at Temple Beth Israel Bikur Cholim, Seventy-second street and Lexington avenue, Saturday, January 27, 1912. At home Sunday, January 28, 1912.

RETTENBERG.—Mr. and Mrs. Jere. K. Rettenberg announce the Bar Mitzvah of their son Milton J., at Synagogue Anshe Emeth, 144 West 131st street, Saturday, January 27, 1912. At home Sunday, January 28, 1912, after 7, 212 West 140th street. No cards.

RITTMASER.—Mrs. A. Rittmaster, 19 East 95th street, announces the Bar Mitzvah of her son David H., on Saturday, January 27, 1912, at Temple Agudath Jeshorim, 113 East 88th street.

STEINBERG.—Mr. and Mrs. M. Steinberg announce the Bar Mitzvah of their son Victor Joseph, Saturday, January 27, 1912, at Tremont Temple Gates of Mercy, Grand Concourse, near Burpside avenue. At home 2120 Hughes avenue, Saturday, January 28, 1912, from 3 to 6.

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In Testimony Whereof, we have caused the Seal of the Surrogate's Court of the said County of New York to be hereunto affixed. [L. S.] Witness, Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of our said County, at the County of New York, the 20th day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eleven. **DANIEL J. DOWDNEY,** Clerk of the Surrogate's Court. **LOUIS WENDEL JR.,** Attorney for Administrator, 277 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

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Scientific Notes

A very successful meeting was held in Brussels from October 29 to November 4, to discuss the present position of the theories of radiation and of molecular theory in general. Among our coreligionists present were Professors Rubens, Warburg, Einstein and Dr. Goldschmidt (of Brussels), the last of whom acted as one of the three secretaries.

The inception of this "conseil scientifique," was due to Mr. Ernest Solway ff Brussels, who very generously offered to defray the expenses of the conference and the cost of publication of the papers and discussions contributed at the meeting. The members were the guests of Mr. Solway at the Hotel Metropole, and with the exception of one meeting at the Physiological Institute, founded by Mr. Solway, the meetings took place in one of the reception rooms of the hotel. The arrangements of the meeting were under the charge of Dr. Goldschmidt, who was indefatigable in looking after the comfort of the visitors.

Among the papers read was one by Prof. Einstein on "Zum gegenwartigen Stande des Problems der spezifischen Wärme." Prof. Nernst gave an interesting account of the experiments upon the variation of specific heat with temperature down to low temperatures, and of their explanations in terms of the quantum theory proposed by Prof. Einstein.

The interchange of views on many problems of modern physics was a feature of the occasion, and led to a much clearer understanding of the points at issue.

Some of the world famous physicists present were Lorenz, Kamerling Onnes, Nernst, Planck, Mme. Curie, Poincare and Rutherford.

The disease known as "Infantile Paralysis," with the investigation of which Dr. Simon Flexner has had so much to do, has recently been added to the list of notifiable diseases in London by an order under the Public Health Act. This disease is known medically as acute anterior polio-myelitis, and though probably not existing in London at the present time, was epidemic in the Plymouth district this summer.

Dr. Arthur Schuster, F. R. S., has presented to the Eskdale Observatory an instrument, made in St. Petersburg from designs by Prince Boris Galitzin, for the registration of the vertical component of seismic movements. Dr. Schuster had previously presented corresponding instruments for registering the horizontal components, so that all three components are now the subject of continuous registration.

Prof. Jacques Loeb delivered the Carpenter lecture on "The Role of Salts in the Preservation of Life," before the

Academy of Medicine of New York.

In the course of it he said: "Less is known of the role of the salts in the animal body than of the role of the three other main foodstuffs, namely, Carbohydrates, fats and proteins. As far as the latter are concerned, we know at least that through oxidation they are capable of furnishing heat and other forms of energy. The neutral salts, however, are not oxidisable. Yet it seems to be a fact that no animal can live on an ash free diet for any length of time, although no one can say why this should be so. We have a point of attack for the investigation of the role of the salts in the fact that the cells of our body live longest in a liquid which contains the three salts, sodium chloride, potassium chloride, and calcium chloride, in a definite proportion, namely, 100 molecules sodium chloride, 2.2 molecules of potassium chloride and 1.5 molecules of calcium chloride. This proportion is identical with the proportion in which these salts are contained in sea water; but the concentration of the three salts is not the same in both cases. It is about three times as high in sea water as in our blood serum."

Prof. Loeb described a series of experiments which seem to throw some light on the mechanism by which the solutions surrounding living cells influence their duration of life. Their (the salts) role consists in the "tanning" effect which they have upon the surface films of the cells, whereby these films acquire those physical qualities of durability and comparative impermeability, without which the cell cannot exist.

A new Yiddish-English weekly, the Jewish Press, has made its appearance in St. Louis, Mo.

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NEWS FROM ENGLAND.

(Exclusive Correspondence to THE HEBREW STANDARD.)

Death of Mrs. Adler. More English in Synagogue Services. Coming Chief Rabbinate Conference. Interesting Resolutions and Memoranda for Delegates. Board of Deputies to Present Sixtieth Annual Report. Visit of Oberkantor Tkach.

London, January 12, 1912.

The news of the unexpected death of Mrs. Adler, the widow of the late Chief Rabbi, Dr. Hermann Adler, which occurred on January 9, will come as a painful surprise to every member of the Anglo-Jewish community, as well as to the Jewish communities scattered throughout the British dominions across the seas. The power of the late Chief Rabbi extended from the British Isles to Canada and Australia, South Africa, New Zealand, Tasmania, India and Hong Kong, in all of which places his power was unquestioned, supreme, and respected. Mrs. Adler was just as known and just as liked. Of late Mrs. Adler suffered greatly through the untimely death of her youngest son—"a lover of my people," as he once styled himself, and the death of her husband. Her absolute sincerity and her utter dislike of pomp and extravagance made her universally admired by all with whom she came in contact. In private life she was of an exceedingly quiet disposition and, like her husband, her great delight was to have her children around her, and discuss certain topics bearing on communal affairs in which she was particularly interested. She seldom went abroad, devoting almost the whole of her time to the onerous and multifarious duties with which she connected herself.

She was the president of the Beatrice Club for Jewish Working Girls and vice-president of the Union of Jewish Women, as well as of the Sick Room Help Society. She was also vice-president of the Butler Street Club for Working Girls and a member of committees of the Ladies' Associations of the Soho Hospital for Women and the Royal Ophthalmic Hospital Guild. In practically every sphere of life in which it was possible for her to engage she took a leading part with an earnestness and devotion that won for her nothing but praise and universal respect.

Mrs. Adler was the daughter of the late Solomon Joseph, and married the late Chief Rabbi in 1867. She was indisposed for some time past, particularly since the death of her husband last July, but it was not at all expected that she would pass away so soon. A daughter of the late Mrs. Adler, Miss Nettie Adler, is an active member of the London County Council, having been elected in the spring of 1910. She is also a member of the Advisory Committee of the Board of Trade of Juvenile Labor Exchanges and of the Jewish Industrial School for Girls.

A further introduction of English into synagogue services here was proposed at a special meeting of the West London Synagogue on January 7. The council recommended that a number of psalms in the evening service on the festivals be read in English. In the morning service several psalms and the prayer for the congregation and the blessing for the seasons are also to be read in English, the additional service is to be abbreviated, and the portions of the law are to be shortened and appropriate portions from the prophets are to be read in English. At the afternoon service, on the Eighth Day of Solemn Assembly, Psalm cxiv. is to be read in English, whereas Psalm cxxvi. is to be sung in Hebrew. The reading of the prayer for the congregation in English is to apply also to the New Year and Day of Atonement. It was also recommended that on Sabbath New Moon, Sabbath of Chanukah, and intermediate Sabbaths of Festivals, Psalm cxlii. be sung in Hebrew, Psalms cxiv. and cxv. be omitted, and Psalm cxvi. be read in English; that at confirmation and children's Chanukah services Psalms cxiv. and cxvii. be read in English, and that at the evening services for Chanukah from "These Lights" to "Thy Salvation" be read in English.

When this recommendation came to be considered there were motion for an adjournment which were lost. It was clear that there was no inconsiderable body of opinion against the proposition, but the recommendations were passed with the exception of one proposing that the reading of the evening services after the conclusion of the Neilah service should be discontinued.

On January 14 there is to be held the conference on the question of the Chief Rabbinate. A very big and important meeting is expected and one interesting resolution to be moved by Manchester delegates will be to the effect that candidates eligible for the impending election of Chief Rabbi must have Rabbinical diplomas from several leading Continental Rabbinical authorities, be competent to decide the various religious questions, shall have a European university degree, and have acted recently in a high Rabbinical capacity.

A memorandum prepared for the guidance of delegates declares that the weight of the duties appertaining to the office has become far more burdensome than was the case in 1890. The Jewish population has increased, the field for the activities of the Chief Rabbinate has become wider, and its responsibilities greater. There are continually new claims upon the attention of the ecclesiastical representative of the great majority of the Jews of the Empire. The reorganization of the London Beth Din which has taken place under the direction of the United Synagogue, doubtless materially helped the late Chief Rabbi in the performance of his duties, but it is felt in some quarters that the Rev. Dr. Hermann Adler, had, nevertheless, more work put upon him than even he, with all his energy, could properly discharge. The conference will be aware that suggestions have been made with a view of obtaining greater devotion in the labors of the Rabbinate and will probably think it well to consider some of these proposals.

The delegates are informed that the salary and emoluments of the Chief Rabbi, amounting to £10,000 per annum, were in the past provided by subscriptions from contributing synagogues, amounting to £1,350 per annum; by marriage and other fees from non-constituted synagogues, amounting to £650 per annum; by a special donation of £1,250 from Messrs. N. M. Rothschild and sons, and the balance from the general account of the United Synagogue. The Chief Rabbi bore out of his salary the cost of maintaining a secretary, whose remuneration is £1,000 a year. The memorandum goes on to say that the conference will have to consider whether it would be possible to devise a scheme whereby the whole, or, at any rate, the bulk of the Jewish congregations, for whom the services of the Rabbinate are available, could be induced to contribute in proportion to their means towards the expenses of the office.

On February 4 there is to be held the annual meeting of the Board of Deputies, which organization will then present its sixtieth report. One interesting portion of the report in referring to foreign affairs says: "During the past year the Jews in the United States have been sparing no efforts to get their sympathetic Government to take up this vexed international question under which Jews are refused equal rights with other foreigners on entering Russia, and have to declare their religion on applying for a passport. The question depends on the wording of the various treaties of commerce under which Russia has bound itself to give trade facilities to all foreigners. Unfortunately in England the board finds itself handicapped by an old decision of the Foreign Office (based on the advice of the then Law Officers of the Crown), which was to the effect that Russia was not bound by the treaty to give greater facilities to Jews of other nations than her laws, however cruel and arbitrary, gave to Jews born in Russia. If this be the real interpretation of the words, then the treaty is unsuited to the requirements of the age and to the dignity of this country, and the Conjoint Committee, which has again the matter under its immediate consideration, will spare no effort to get this unjust discrimination between British Jews and other British citizens removed."

The approaching visit to this country of the Oberkantor Israel Tkach of Buda-Pesth, already mentioned in these columns, is getting nearer now and is occasioning much interest in Jewish circles. It is said that few cantors on the Continent have acquired such reputation as the famous Chazan for the remarkable quality of his voice which in some quarters it is said even surpasses in excellence that of the famous Chazan Sirota. Herr Tkach will stay for a few days in London prior to his departure for New York, where he intends to remain for some months. During his all too short sojourn here, the Oberkantor will afford Londoners an opportunity of hearing a tenor voice of rare and refreshing beauty, at a number of concerts which are being arranged for charitable purposes. Herr Tkach is now only in his thirty-eighth year and is a native of St. Petersburg, Odessa and Kieff, and later entered the Conservatorium at Vienna, with the intention of engaging as an operatic singer. It was against the desire of his parents, however, and Herr Tkach, in deference to their wishes, placed himself in the hands of a well-known Chazan, with the view later on of taking up a position as cantor in a leading Jewish congregation on the Continent. Since his election at the Temple at Buda-Pesth, Herr Tkach has sung on several occasions at the Buda-Pesth Opera House with enormous success, and even now receives tempting offers to leave the synagogue for the stage. Prior to his appointment at the Buda-Pesth Temple, he was Oberkantor at the Odessa Great Synagogue, and filled a similar post subsequently at Sebastopol. Musical critics are said to comment very favorably on Herr Tkach's sympathetic

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Dated New York, the 10th day of January, 1912.
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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.
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Dated New York, December 8, 1911.
HERESA L. BRUCK, BENDET ISAACS, Executors.
HEYMANN & HERMAN, Attorneys for Executors, No. 35 Nassau Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

FLISSER, ADOLPH.—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 Adolph Flisser, 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 Leon Levy, at No. 53-63 Park Row, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 1st day of August, 1912.
Dated New York January 8, 1912.
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The newest Madison C. Peters in this city is named Walter M. Chandler.

Judge Greenbaum's idea of a national federation of Young Men's Hebrew Associations is worth a trial, surely.

The inaugural sermon of Rabbi Joseph H. Hertz seems to have made "a hit" with quite a number of our distinguished contemporaries, to judge by those who gave space to it.

The publisher of the Boston Jewish Weekly announces that if he cannot secure 10,000 additional readers during the coming year he will be greatly disappointed. If he does secure them we will be greatly surprised.

How many who were present at Whitelaw Reid's dinner to the Duke of Connaught last Monday night knew that, but a few short years ago, Alma Gluck, who charmed them with song, was Riba Fierstein, an East Side stenographer.

The lesson this community might well take to heart from the scenes attending the return to his own diocese of Cardinal Farley is the all-pervading and all-consuming loyalty of every Roman Catholic, prominent or humble.

We are glad to know that Prof. Gotthard Deutsch, of the Hebrew Union College, is slowly but surely recovering from his recent serious indisposition. He is one of the towers of strength of the Judaism of the Middle West. Besides being a scholar and a man of broad and diversified interests, Dr. Deutsch has lovable personal traits. He is a most fascinating conversationalist, an entertaining companion. May he be spared to us and the Jews of the United States for many, many years in health and happiness!

The cable reports that Dr. Max Nordau scouts the thought that Russia will yield to the United States. He is pessimistic even about the future welfare of the Jews in Russia, and inclines to believe that the anti-Semites in this country will make us pay for the work we have accomplished. We are in agreement with Dr. Nordau about Russia and the condition of her Jews, as a result of the abrogation of the treaty of 1832. We readily concede that Russian bureaucrats are far too stubborn and steeped in reactionary thoughts to imbibe the lesson of America's recent action. But we do not think that anti-Semites in this country will succeed in making us suffer because of our success. Not that they would not! But fortunately they cannot! Dr. Nordau has so unnecessarily accustomed himself to see events through glasses colored by anti-Semitism, for the different Zionist congresses, that he is mournfully cast down in this case.

The expected has occurred, and Senator Dillingham, of Vermont, chairman of the Senate Committee on Immigration, has introduced a bill into Congress designed to act as a rigorous check on undesirable aliens arriving at these shores. The bill enhances the executive power to deal with these deportable aliens and increases the penalties for a violation of the law all along the line. Our community is, of course, desirous to co-operate with the government in making this country a haven of refuge only for those who will thoroughly appreciate its advantages and benefits. But, in the past, under officials whose vision is circumscribed and narrow, the Jews, refugees from oppression and persecution for their religion, have been the greatest sufferers under the existing provisions governing the executive power. It is but fair to assume, therefore, that this community will enter its energetic protest against any proposed act which remits immigrants on their landing to such judicial proceedings as smack rather of the court of star chamber than of an American tribunal. And those other public-spirited bodies and organizations, who are dissatisfied with the existing law and its administration, will no doubt be heard on the Dillingham bill when the time for such a hearing draws around. At all events, while the measure proposed by the distinguished statesman from the Green Mountain State has simply been introduced, yet it behooves our protectors and defenders in high places to be eternally vigilant with respect to it.

THE PLOT FOILED

WE are distinctly pleased to be able to inform our readers that the Council of the Jewish Communal Institutions of this city and the *Kehillah* have unanimously decided in favor of the present managers of the Sanitarium for Hebrew Children at Rockaway Park, in the controversy which has recently raged about this institution.

Into the subject matter of that controversy we have no desire to enter. Suffice it to say, the attempt was deliberately made to thwart the efforts of a majority of the present managers, who wished to place the sanitarium on a firm, business basis, believing that by this means the charitable purposes of their institution could be best served. One journal, published in this city, believed that it was assisting the cause of Jewish charity by printing circumstantial reports of internal dissensions, of impaired usefulness on the part of the directors of the sanitarium.

Against this last form of up-to-date journalism we enter our protest. No doubt, every organ of publicity has a certain amount of influence. The readers of the medium in question must have insensibly been impressed with the story published by it. If any of them happened to be supporters of the sanitarium, it was inevitable that their opinions of its value and efficiency must have been changed. With the publication of such reports, in advance of the final determination by a competent tribunal, of the issue raised by the charges made, it is apparent that a great wrong was done an institution which has for many years earned the support and approval of this community by the quality and the uniform excellence of its work.

Newspapers should, it seems to us, be especially punctilious about giving two sides of a story affecting a charitable institution. Had this been done in the present instance, the Sanitarium for Hebrew Children would never have been "on trial" in the court of public opinion; any dissension, any controversy, that existed, would have been privately, properly and competently adjusted, and the public not "regaled" with the circumstantial accounts referred to. As the matter stands, we congratulate the institution and its present managers on the outcome and trust that their work for *Zedokoh* will live long and prosper.

THE NEXT CHIEF RABBI OF ENGLAND

OUR brethren in England are now in the throes of the choice of a new Chief Rabbi, a successor to the late lamented Dr. Hermann Adler. The task of finding a worthy incumbent of that great office is no easy one. There are but few men in the world possessing the rare combination of qualities required in the spiritual chief of the Hebrew congregations of the British Empire. We notice that various names have been suggested, and so we shall take the liberty to state our choice. In our opinion, Rev. Dr. Bernard Drachman, of this city, would be an ideal English Chief Rabbi. He possesses exactly the qualities required to cope successfully with the numerous and complicated problems of the great office. He is a Talmudic and Hebrew scholar of rare excellence, a forceful and eloquent preacher in English, German and Hebrew, an energetic communal worker and organizer, and above all, a sincere, warm-hearted Jew, unswervingly loyal to orthodox Judaism, and free alike from fanaticism and Unjewishness. His numerous books and essays in English, German and Hebrew are valuable contributions to Jewish literature. His demeanor is unvaryingly courteous and dignified, that of a "gentleman of the old school," and just suited for the social and diplomatic sides of the Rabbinate. In stating these things, we are only mentioning well known facts. We know of only one objection to Dr. Drachman. He is an American. But it would be sheer bigotry and unreasoning prejudice on the part of our British brethren to look upon that as an objection in any real sense. We Americans have called any number of English Jewish ministers and given them positions of importance here in America. It would be only the right thing for our British brethren to reciprocate by making one of our most distinguished sons their spiritual head. In selecting Dr. Drachman they would render the cause of Judaism in the British Empire, and, hence, themselves, an estimable and greatly needed service.

Whether the Central Conference of American Rabbis is wise in holding its "annual picnic" in April or July is a matter for its own members to decide. But, if the junket takes place in April, what will become of the institution of singing "The Star-Spangled Banner?" To hear a crowd of rabbis, some of them with voices and some without, telling how they saw the flag of our nation "by the dawn's early light" was worth going a great distance for.

While, of course, it was to be expected that the rabid Russian press of anti-Semitic proclivities should distort the facts surrounding the recent act of abrogation of the treaty of 1832 by this country, not all of journalistic Russia is quite so shortsighted as to think that reasonable and impartial critics can be swayed by vile epithets and villainous attacks on any and all American publicists. Against the ridiculous fulminations of the *Novoye Vremya*, let us set the careful and deliberate editorial views of Prof. Maxime Kovalevsky, Liberal member of the Council of the Empire. In his own weekly journal, the *Zaprosy Zhizni*, he says:

Our ignorant Nationalists, of course, explain in the *Novoye Vremya* that the step taken by the United States is of no significance to us, that it is but the result of an "audacious and bold agitation" of American Jews, and that the resolution of Congress as well as the attitude of President Taft was dictated by "kings of the bourse" from behind his ears. But honest Russian patriots, even among the short-sighted Nationalists, must experience a sense of shame and humiliation when we see the unceremoniousness with which our semi-official publicists treat the great and mighty nations of the civilized world.

"THE MEASURE OF THE HOURS"

הודו הוה לכם רפשי חרשים:

"This month shall be unto you the beginning of months."—(Ex. xii, 2).

THIS text, though apparently simple, has occasioned a number of profound rabbinical comment. The very word "*Lochem*" is, according to our sages, suggestive of the moral authority of man, of the grandeur of his soul. The power of fixing the calendar, of determining the divisions of time, has been delegated to man. And thus the word *Lochem* is suggestive of this eminent human prerogative.

There are two striking midrashic illustrations of this thought. The Heavenly Family asked God: "Master of the Universe! When—on what dates—wilt thou appoint the holy day?" And God answered: "I and You will sanction whatever Israel may decide!" A bold conception this! God willingly surrenders His authority to Israel, promising to abide by Israel's rulings as to the divisions of the year. The other midrash I am alluding to is still more pregnant. The rabbis discuss the question: What shall be the form of prayer on beholding the new moon. Some say: "Blessed be He who renews the months." Others prescribe: Blessed be He who sanctifies the months." Others again would have the formula read: "Blessed be He who sanctifies Israel!" For—add the latter—unless Israel declares the months holy, they can not be sacred in themselves; and since Israel had been sanctified by God, Israel has the power to confer holiness upon anything it chooses to. This means that the source of holiness, which the days (and other mundane things) may have, is the human soul. The authority of man is of a profoundly moral nature. And to the dictates of this moral authority, as exercised by man in the measure of the hours, even God and the Heavenly Court willingly assent.

The conception involved in the above appears bold on the surface; but it is the privilege of the believing soul—the soul that feels itself unutterably near to God—to express its kinship to its source in the most daring terms. Let me elucidate the above thought still further. The measure of the hours has aptly been used by the rabbis as an example of man's mastery of the intellectual, moral and spiritual sphere. For Time, as such knows no divisions. Time as such knows neither years, nor months, nor days, nor yet hours. Time is eternal and hence cannot be broken up into fragments. Time, in this sense, is timeless. But time, as known through its divisions, is a fragment of the human mind. It is a creation of that wonderful workshop in which the brain is the furnace, emotion the fire and reason—the sledgehammer! Man looked forth at the windows of this workshop and saw Timeless Time rush past it at a pace which rendered it unmanageable for human use. He therefore opened the door, took in Eternal Time, passed it through the furnace, softened it in the fire, broke it up into chips with the sledgehammer of his reason, just as he saw fit. Thus did he compel Eternity to receive the finite mould he designed for it. Or one might say, Time is an invisible dial upon which the mysterious clock-hands move on stealthily, directed by the Prime-Mover, unseen by mortal man. Upon this dial Man dared to inscribe his own figures, causing the Hands to mark time as he does, causing even God—as the Midrash says—to count time as he, frail creature of dust, pleases to. Hence, the Measure of the Hours is a fitting instance of the majesty of man, of the grandeur and pre-eminence of his soul in grappling with, and effectually subduing, Infinity so as to make the latter serve his own finite ends. We are under the laws of God, or as the scientists would say, under the laws of the universe. But we also enjoy the privilege of prescribing laws to the universe and of compelling formless eternity to assume the mortal guise placed around it by our intellect. This is the deep spiritual meaning which the rabbis detect in our essentially human faculty of measuring the hours.

If the measure of the hours by our mind illustrates the moral ascendancy of man, deep significance attaches, too, to the method of measurement; and accordingly our rabbis point out that the difference in method used by the Gentile world and the Jewish people, respectively, in their calendars, flows out of the difference in their respective views of life. The former count time by the sun, the latter by the moon. For to us, Jews, the sun—crimson as blood, glorying in its own golden glow, gladdening the earth with increase, showering worldly blessings upon the human race—appears to be the symbol of sheer brute force, of mundane vanity, of crass materialism. For this reason, we Jews feel more attached to the moon, whose subdued rays that envelop the mystery of the mute night in a gossamer-net of exquisite silvery sheen, impress us as the emblem of all that is lofty, sublime and spiritual.

Maeterlinck makes mention somewhere of a sun-dial that bears the quaint inscription, in Latin: *Horas non numero nisi serenas*—I measure but the sun-lit hours! Underlying this inscription is, of course, the pagan idea that man was born to indulge in various pleasures, and that therefore the dark hours, the hours eluded with sorrow, do not count—are profitless. This does not accord with the teachings of Judaism. Judaism, mindful of the intellectual and moral force behind the faculty of measuring time, engraves upon the tablets of the heart the words: I count but the *God-lit* hours! Only the hours lit up by the light of God in the soul count for aught; the dark hours that are clouded with sin, count for naught in the final reckoning!

And, by way of reminder—for man is apt to forget—God Himself has planted in the sky the moon, luminous symbol of spirituality. And in every moon-lit night, when the breezes murmur soft and low, man, if he list, may hear the message from on high: "I measure but the *God-lit* hours!"

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For instance, no one has the right to come into a railway car, which is a public vehicle, and in a loud and boisterous way offend the other occupants by retailing some story to a neighbor or disclosing his domestic troubles to a fellow passenger in a tone of voice which disturbs the quiet, and annoys the other passengers.

Then again in a hotel dining-room, which is the place for all the guests, it is an offense against the proprieties for one guest to entertain his immediate surroundings by boisterous comments and noisy jokes. While these exhibitions may be enjoyed by the immediate surrounding of the offender, there are others who have rights, which should not be infringed upon in public places.

There is a class of people who in a boarding house or hotel take it upon themselves to become the clown and voluntary purveyor of fun, just as there is a class of guests who will enjoy these exhibitions. A man of breeding will not thus intrude himself, because he will understand that there are others who desire the conventional forms, who, if they want a circus, will go to the hippodrome they may select and pay for such styles of amusement, as is agreeable to them.

Of all the offenders in this direction, the boarding house and hotel pest is the worst. It is often difficult, too, for the host to stop these outbreaks, because they find favor with a part, at least, of their guests. But this does not alter the rule that every one ought to conduct himself in such a way as not to offend his neighbor.

A new method for the religious instruction of children has been introduced by the New York section of the Council of Jewish Women. This method is the teaching of Bible stories by means of motion pictures. Three Sunday afternoons have already been devoted to it, and next Sunday closes the series. The stories of Cain and Abel, David and Goliath the Deluge and others have been shown in this way to the delight of the children and their parents. A story told to a child sometimes makes an impression, sometimes does not—but when the story is shown to the child it is bound to leave an impression. Figures only vaguely imagined take a definite form, and the actual motion and action of these figures make their mark upon the child's mind. When a beautiful Esther and a strong and splendid Mordecai appeared upon the scene last Sunday, enthusiasm ran high. We understand that the council anticipates con-

tinuing this work on larger and broader lines. We wish them all success.

The Right Doctrine

The remarks of Senator Boise Penrose, of Pennsylvania, at the annual meeting of the Hebrew Immigrant and Sheltering Aid Society of this city last Sunday strike us as so fundamentally correct, as so eminently proper that it is well for us to give them *verbatim* to our readers. In substance they read as follows:

It has been one of our American ideals to extend a welcome to our shores to all the oppressed peoples of Europe, and each race has furnished its own elements of civilization and genius to the general result.

Not the least important element in our population are the Jewish immigrants. Their people, as a whole, are intelligent, industrious, and thrifty, and they are seldom led away by the political fallacies of the passing moment. Public sentiment, in the end, is dominant in America, as was illustrated by the recent agitation regarding the abrogation of our treaty with Russia. It might be that after the treaty had been abrogated and no treaty was in existence that conditions would not be any better, but at least the American Government would no longer be a party to a treaty, and thereby would no longer be in a position of acquiescing to a situation under which discriminations were practiced so utterly foreign to our principles.

No new treaty should be agreed to by this country which does not place all American Jews, citizens of this Republic, on an absolute equality with all other American citizens. The principle of equal protection is an elementary principle of our government.

This continent, even now with a population of more than 90,000,000, with many great States and populous cities, may be said to be hardly scratched, and the opportunities for the future are wide and limitless. The great works of building and construction all over the country require willing hands to complete them. The immigrant arriving on our shores under the guidance of such organizations as this can find wide opportunities, if his energies be properly directed, for the advancement of his fortune and the upbuilding of our great Republic.

In view of the very important position which Senator Penrose occupies in the Senate of the United States, we attach, and we believe, rightly so, considerable weight to his words. We even venture to believe that his voice will be raised, at the proper season when restrictionist measures are being debated, in defense of that "one of our American ideals" which has always impelled this country "to extend a welcome to our shores to all the oppressed peoples of Europe."

We are free to believe, too, that Senator Penrose is wholly sincere in his tribute to Jewish intelligence, industry and thrift. So frequently has this encomium been lavished upon us that we have come to feel as if it were undeserved, at least in part. But when we recall that our government in its recent abrogation of the treaty of 1832 with Russia, has documented its good opinion of the American Jews by positive action, we believe we can accept without demur the praise that so many good non-Jews of this country have seen fit to bestow upon their Jewish fellow citizens.

Senator Heyburn, of Idaho, is not sure that Samuel Gompers is a citizen of the United States. Whether Mr. Gompers is such or is not such, he is a resident of this country, and as such he has the indubitable right to petition our lawmakers for a redress of grievances. We are glad to find that the vast majority of United States Senators was in very cordial agreement with this democratic and American view of the subject, leaving Senator Heyburn to rejoice in the company of the monopolistic Senator Gallinger, of New Hampshire, and the capitalistic Senator Brandegee, of Connecticut. The three of them formed a unique and rather inglorious minority.

Rabbi Emil G. Hirsch, of Chicago, appears to be very much opposed to capital punishment as a means of exacting the penalty for their misdeeds from criminals. He cites the sages of past ages in support of his contention. When he puts forth such arguments as these Rabbi Hirsch is anything but the radical reformer within Judaism, the elder brother of those who believe they have been provided with the mission to innovate and to renovate the religion of their forefathers.

No man can judge another, because no man knows himself; for we censure others but as they disagree with that humor which we fancy laudable in ourselves, and commend others but for that wherein they seem to quadruple and consent with us.—*Colton.*

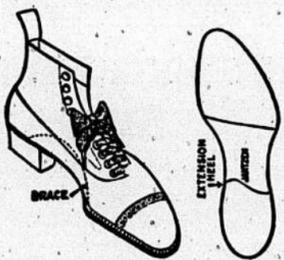
The Right of Quiet Enjoyment

There are a good many people in this world who fail to remember that there are other inhabitants in it besides themselves, and this contingent also seems to forget that no one person or number of persons comport or conduct themselves as they please without regard for the rights of the

other inhabitants of this globe.

Blackstone, in his Commentaries—as do all the other writers—tries to impress upon the student of law—who, in turn, is expected to inculcate upon that part of the community who do not know it—that all rights are relative; this being so, every person is in duty bound to conduct himself

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Dated New York, the 12th day of January, 1912.

NELLY R. EMRICH, Administratrix.
STEINHARDT & GOLDMAN, Attorneys for Administratrix, 111 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York city.

BLUMBERG, MOSES I.—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 I. Blumberg, 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. 372 Manhattan Avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on or before the 8th day of March, next.

Dated New York, the 29th day of August, 1911.

ISIDOR JUFÉ, Executor.
BERNARD L. SHIENTAG, Attorney for Executor, 170 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

HEIDELSHHEIMER, SAMUEL.—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 Samuel Heidelshheimer, 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 Bandler & Haas, No. 42 Broadway, in the City of New York, on or before the 17th day of June, next.

Dated New York, the 4th day of December, 1911.

MARY L. HEIDELSHHEIMER, Executrix.
BANDLER & HAAS, Attorneys for Executrix, 42 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, N. Y.

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 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.
MOOS, PRINCE & NATHAN, Attorneys for Executrix, Office and P. O. Address, 68 William Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

LILIENTHAL, FREDERICK W.—The people of the State of New York, by the Grace of God, Free and Independent, to Henry W. Rachel and to all persons interested in the estate of Frederick W. Lilienthal, late of the County of New York, deceased, as creditors, legatees, next of kin or otherwise. Send Greeting: You and each of you are hereby cited and required personally to be and appear before our Surrogate of the County of New York, at the Surrogate's Court of said county, held at the Hall of Records, in the County of New York, on the 20th day of February, 1912, at half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, then and there to attend a judicial settlement of the account of proceedings of Augusta Lilienthal, as Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of said deceased, 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, at the County [L.S.] of New York, the second day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

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The visions of the past, the day's desire,
And all that beautifies our simple creed
In one eternal, and ethereal fire!
The flame that vivifies the Jewish race,
That consecrates the joys of common life,
Which time's corrosive touch can ne'er efface,
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Our prayer in life and death that God is One.

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Incarnadined with berry blood,
Our stained lips drained the lily's bud.

Bruised roots of wild raspberries, then
We found in a deserted glen—

Where murmured thro', a brook who laughed
Love in our souls, as deep, I quaffed.

The cool snow-water (from his hand)
Which trickled from the mountain-land:

He kissed my un-kissed cheeks as there
I wove dark bay leaves—in his hair.

Of spicy barks, he built a throne
I was his queen—to me alone.

He knelt:—Ah! what felicity
I knew, beneath that wild-wood tree.
* * * * *
Dear God! How soon the dream-hour fled?
The green glades sing—but he is dead.

ADAMS, SAUL.—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 Saul Adams, 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 Berlinicke & Adams, No. 220 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in the city of New York, on or before the 5th day of June next.

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

EDWARD ADAMS, HARRY C. ADAMS, LEOPOLD ADAMS, executors.
BERLINICKE & ADAMS, Attorneys for Executors, No. 220 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York city.

BARSHALL, SOPHIE STINE.—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 Sophie Stine Barshall, 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 Guggenheimer, Untermeyer & Marshall, No. 37 Wall street, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 26th day of July next.

Dated New York, the 4th day of January, 1912.

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MUSIC NOTES.

Josef Hoffman has arranged an interesting programme for his recital at Carnegie Hall to-morrow (Saturday) afternoon. The pianist will give Beethoven's Sonata Op. 110, Rondo a capriccio and Sonata Op. 111; Schumann's Das Ende vom Lied, "Warum," and Sonata F minor (known as the concerto without orchestra), and Chopin's Mazurka A flat major, Valse C sharp minor, Nocturne C minor, Nocturne D flat major and Polonaise A flat major.

The Symphony Society's programme for Sunday afternoon will comprise the Enesco symphony, played as a novelty a year ago by this organization, when it won a good deal of attention; a rhapsody, "The Culpit Fay," by Henry Hadley, and the Beethoven violin concerto, played by the young Russian, Efrem Zimbalist, who has not yet given this work in New York.

At the second subscription concert of the MacDowell Chorus to be given Monday evening, February 12, under the baton of Kurt Schindler, with the New York Philharmonic assisting, there will be presented for the first time in America, excerpts from Debussy's latest choral-symphonic work, "Le Martyre de St. Sebastien." The programme will include several other short selections from modern French composers. Miss Maggie Teyte, the English soprano, and George Harris, Jr., tenor, will be soloists.

Negotiations are being carried on between Loudon Charlton and the Quinlan Musical Agency, whereby Harold Bauer and Efrem Zimbalist will be heard in a series of joint recitals before the season has finished. While sonatas will have a prominent place in each of the programs given, both Bauer and Zimbalist will satisfy their individual admirers by playing in each of the concerts one or more groups of solos. One concert of the series will be given in this city if the managers can come to an agreement.

Katharine Goodson, the English pianist, will give her first New York recital in Carnegie Hall, Tuesday afternoon, January 30. Miss Goodson will play the following program: Sonata in A major, Mozart; Faschingsschwank aus Wien, op. 26, Schumann; Sonata Tragica, op. 45, MacDowell; Romance in A flat, op. 29, No. 3, Hinton; Etude Arabesque, Hinton;

Arabesque in G major, Debussy; Valse Impromptu, Liszt; Berceuse, Chopin; Study in F major, Chopin, and Polonaise in A flat, Chopin.

"The Musicians Library" is again enriched, the latest volume of this superb collection issued by the Oliver Ditson Company of Boston, being "Songs from the Operas for Baritone and Bass." The volume is edited by H. E. Krehbiel, and among the composers whose selections are used are: Handel, Gluck, Cimarose, Mozart, Cherubini, Mehul, Spohr, Weber, Meyerbeer, Halevy, Bellini, Mendelssohn, Verdi, Gounod, Bizet, Ponchielli, Tchaikowsky, Massenet, Boito and Thomas. The arrangement is chronological and the period covered is that from the invention of Italian opera down to the closing decades of the nineteenth century. Each air, is accompanied by a note designed to present it in its historical environment.

The Tollefsen Trio (Carl H. Tollefsen, violinist; Paul Kefer, cellist, and Mme. Schnabel Tollefsen, pianist), will give a concert at Carnegie Lyceum, on Tuesday evening, January 23. They will have the assistance of Mr. Marcus Kellerman, baritone of the Royal Opera of Berlin.

At the Metropolitan Opera House next week "Ariane et Barbe Bleue" will be heard for the first time this season on Wednesday night. Mmes. Farrar and Matzenauer will appear in the leading roles. "Lehngarin" will be repeated on Monday night with Louise Homer as Ortd, Emmy Destinn as Elsa, and Herman Jadowlker in the title role. "Das Rheingold" will be heard on Thursday afternoon, and the ever popular "Cavalleria Rusticana" and "Pagliacci" will have another presentation on Thursday night, Caruso appearing as Canio and Scotti as Tonio. Friday, Tetravzini will be heard in "Lucia," and for the Saturday matinee "Faust" will be given, with Farrar, Jadowlker, Renaud and Rothier.

Before Washington's Birthday the natural color motion pictures of the coronation of King George, and Queen Mary of England will be superseded at the Kinemacolor Theatre on Fortieth Street near Broadway, New York, by another series of pictures in the same wonderful process. These will depict all the glories of the great Coronation Durbar, on which the eyes of the whole world have been centered during the past months. During the remainder of the coronation engagement performances will be given each day at 2.30 and 8.30, the prices ranging up to one dollar in the evening, matinee seats being twenty-five and fifty cents each.

"Around the World" at the Hippodrome is now in the mid-season of its success. The great spectacle offers an opportunity to sightseers to visit almost every country on the face of the globe from a comfortable theatre seat. Sie Hassan Ben Ali's Arabs continue to perform their whirlwind feats of tumbling and add to the Oriental atmosphere of the Desert and Durbar scenes. The Butterfly Ballet with its attendant and realistic forest fire, the splendid sand-storm effect, and the wonderful water finale are a few of the most spectacular features, while not a small portion of the interest is furnished by 200 animals, ranging in size from sheep to elephants, that take part in the gigantic production.

"The Bird of Paradise" was transferred from Daly's to Maxine Elliott's Theatre on Monday night for the beginning of the third week of its New York engagement. The steadily increasing patronage given this unusual play of Hawaii assures its manager, Oliver Morosco, that it will remain for the balance of the season at the Maxine Elliott. It is doubtful if a better cast has been presented in a drama on Broadway this year than Laurette Taylor, Pamela Gaythorne, Ida Waterman, Estar Banks, Guy Bates Post, Lewis S. Stone, Theodore Roberts, W. J. Constantine, Robert Harrison, Clyde Crawford and Van Rensselaer Townsend. The scenic display is magnificent while the Hawaiian music has much charm.

Those who have read John Fox Jr.'s widely read book, "The Trail of the Lonesome Pine," and had their minds flooded with sunshine as they followed June along the lonely trail to the rugged, gaunt, lonesome pine that guarded Lonesome Cove, will follow with equal interest the same trail hewn by Eugene Walter in Klaw & Erlanger's production at the New Amsterdam Theatre, which begins an indefinite engagement Monday evening, January 29. Messrs. Klaw and Erlanger have provided an exceptional cast for this production. It will be headed by Charlotte Walker, who will have as associates W. S. Hart, Berton Churchill, Richard Sterling, George Woodward, Willard Robertson, Cyrus Wood, Lillian Dix and Alice Lindahl.

George White Alumni. The George White Alumni Association, which was founded in honor of Mr. George White, Principal of Public School No. 70, who has been a principal and teacher in the public schools of New York for the last fifty-five years, held its twelfth annual banquet at the Savoy Hotel, on Wednesday evening, January 17. Among the officers of the association are: Mr. Meyer Goodfriend, Vice-President, and Mr. Perry A. Weinberg, Secretary. Among the speakers were: Mr. Meyer Goodfriend and Hon. Abraham Gruber.

Akiba Eger Lodge I. O. S. B. Installation of officers was the feature of the last meeting of Akiba Eger Lodge, No. 37, I. O. S. B., held in their

meeting rooms, Royal Lyceum, 14 West 114th street, on Tuesday evening, January 16. The following newly elected officers were installed: President, Harry Klitzko; vice-president, Abraham Price; secretary, Samuel Rocoby; treasurer, Louis Goldstein; trustees, Tobias Levy, Abraham Goodman and Philip Steinman. The installation ceremonies were in charge of Brother Robert Bloom, chairman of the Endowment Committee, assisted by Brother Bloom, chairman of the Committee on Standing of the Order. After the installation a handsome gift in the shape of a solid silver punch bowl, suitably engraved, was presented to the retiring president, Brother Jacob C. Rosenblum, for his faithful and active services as president of the lodge for the past two years.

After the meeting the members dined and addresses were made by ex-President Tobias Gartner, ex-President Samuel Rocoby, ex-President Louis Goldstein and President-elect Harry Klitzko and the installing officers.

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The twenty-second annual convention of the District Grand Lodge No. 2 of the Independent Order of Free Sons of Israel was held last week at the Hotel Sherman in Chicago. The election and installation of officers was held in the afternoon. A supper and ball followed in the evening. The following officers were elected for 1912: Solomon Cahn, Grand Master; Charles H. Kirschner, Ed. Erman, L. Gross, Deputy Grand Masters; A. Weil, Grand Treasurer; E. Brandt, Grand Secretary, and M. Krueger, Grand Warden.

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The twenty-fifth anniversary and jubilee ball was held under the auspices of the United States Grand Lodge, on Saturday evening, January 20, at the new Grand Central Palace. Fully 5,000 were in attendance, and the affair proved to be a grand success socially and financially. Five thousand dollars is the net profit for the charity fund. A handsome souvenir programme had been issued by the very able and efficient committee, the income for same defraying the expenses of the affair; \$500 was received for hat checks, which will be added to the charity fund. The order can well feel proud of the successful outcome. Brother A. Rosenbaum, chairman of the charity fund, issued a greeting to one and all of the members, headed with a good photograph picture of himself. In the programme appeared most excellent pictures of Grand Master Judge Sanders, the First Deputy Max Schwartz, and Grand Secretary Schoen. Grand Master Sanders, in addition, gave a history of the order, comparing his order with sister organizations, which was very interesting to the entire 170,000 members. The Executive Board, numbering 21 members, were also portrayed, which will prove a pleasant reminder to all. The sixteen members of the Charity Board were shown in a group, each picture showing a live, whole-souled man, a set of men in every way fitted for the purpose to which they have been elected. To Counsel of the Order A. B. Jarowser a full page was devoted. The Arrangement Committee were Adolph Rosenbaum, Joseph Blaustein and Hyman Bloch. The chairman of reception was Tobias Sanders and vice-chairman Max Green. The Floor Committee was headed by Benjamin Ehsenfeld, assisted by Morris Rosenbaum. The floor managers were Joseph I. Brockman, K. Salzman and J. Hutz.

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"The Senator Keeps House" opens at the Grand Opera House, January 29, with William H. Crane as Christopher Larkin, United States Senator from the Northwest. The play offers him good opportunities, and he is at his best when

SUPREME COURT—TRIAL DESIRED IN NEW YORK COUNTY.

ALBANY SAVINGS BANK, Plaintiff, against MORITZ KLEIN REALTY AND CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, MARY SCHWARTZ, GERTRUDE HARTNETT, MAX LIPMAN, MAX GOLD, THE REALTY SYNDICATE, JOHN A. CLARKE, EMMA G. CLARKE, His Wife; MAURICE BLUMENTHAL, "ANNA" BLUMENTHAL, His Wife, the said name "ANNA" being fictitious, the True First or Christian Name of Said Defendant BLUMENTHAL Being Unknown to Plaintiff; MORITZ KLEIN, "BERTHA" KLEIN, His Wife, the said name "BERTHA" being fictitious, the True First or Christian Name of Said Defendant KLEIN Being Unknown to Plaintiff; THERESE STEINDLER, RAFAELE DEGENARO, CATHERINE ADELA MCCOON, as Executrix, and JAMES H. MCCOON, as Executor, etc., of CORNELIUS MCCOON, Deceased; ALBERT KLEIN, ISAAC KATZ, NEW YORK TELEPHONE CO., THIRTY-SECOND STREET HOTEL CO., THE CITY OF NEW YORK, WILLIAM C. WOOD, Individually and as Surviving Partner of MORITZ KLEIN, WILLIAM C. WOOD and WILLIAM H. S. WOOD, Deceased; HARRAL SOAP CO., JAMES S. KIRK & CO., MORITZ SCHNEIDER IGNATZ SCHNEIDER, ABRAHAM FOX, BARNET FRIEDMAN, J. C. BOGGER CO., MORRIS LEVIN, BERNARD LEBOVITZ, doing business as CONCORD SHOE CO., JUDA SCHWALB, NORTHERN BANK OF NEW YORK, HERMAN J. COHEN, AMERICAN HAY CO., MEYER M. STARK, JOSEPH KRAMER, MAX ELLENBOGEN, LOUIS MYCHON, WILLIAM KLEIN, JOHN FITZGERALD, HERMAN BRANDES, HERMAN SOENFELD, DAVID ROBINSON, CHARLES SIEBERT, PHILIP BORAX, JOSEPH WOLSKY, GUSTAVE BEATS, JOSEPH GREENBERG, ISRAEL FINDER, ALBERT HOFFMAN, SAM STONE, JOSEPH HORSTEIN, ABRAHAM FACTOR, "NATHAN" KAVINSKY, said name "NATHAN" being fictitious, Defendant KAVINSKY'S True First or Christian Name Being Unknown to Plaintiff; "ABRAHAM" SHOPP, the name "ABRAHAM" being fictitious, Defendant SHOPP'S First or Christian Name Being Unknown to Plaintiff; JOSEPH GARMARK, MINUP SARINI, Defendants.

To the above-named defendants. You are hereby summoned to answer the complaint in this action, and to serve a copy of your answer on the plaintiff's attorneys within twenty days after the service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service, and, in case of your failure to appear, or answer, judgment will be taken against you by default for the relief demanded in the complaint. Dated, August 15, 1911.

TRACEY, COOPER & TOWNSEND, Plaintiff's Attorneys, Office and postoffice address, 25 North Pearl Street, Albany, N. Y.

To the defendants, Morris Levin, Juda Schwalb and Herman J. Cohen: The foregoing summons is served upon you by publication, pursuant to an order of Hon. L. A. Giegerich, Justice Supreme Court, dated the 11th day of January, 1912, and filed with the complaint in the Office of the Clerk of New York County, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, N. Y. Dated, January 15, 1912.

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BROOKLYN NOTES.

Hebrew Educational Society.
A very large and enthusiastic gathering assembled at the institute last Sunday afternoon to participate in the annual meeting and election of officers. The election resulted in the selection of the following: President, Adolph Feldblum; vice-president, David N. Zeman; treasurer, Millard J. Friedberg; secretary, Martin H. Latner. Directors for three years: Harry E. Lewis, Dr. Alexander Lyons, Frank Pentlarge, Simon F. Rothschild, and Rudolph Seldner; for two years, Aaron W. Levy; for one year, Louis Goldstein and Jacob Michael.

The retiring president, Mr. Harry E. Lewis, submitted his report dealing with the activities of the institution. The total attendance for 1911 aggregated 214,483. The receipts were \$10,644.81. The necessity for a new building is becoming more and more apparent and a campaign has been inaugurated to provide the necessary funds.

Among the events scheduled for the coming week are a Yiddish lecture on "King Lear," to be delivered Saturday night, January 27, by Mr. Joseph Resnick; a concert for Sunday evening, by Leo Arnstein, pianist and Jan H. Kessler, violinist, and the first of a series of interclub debates to be held on Sunday afternoon, between the Addisons and the Little Men's Club. The subject will be "Resolved, That it is not for the Best Interests of the United States to Fortify the Panama Canal."

Sons of Israel Congregation.
There is considerable activity in this congregation. The membership is constantly increasing, the Hebrew and Religious School is largely attended, the Ladies' Educational Society is preparing a large fair to be given during next month for the benefit of the school, and other features are noted. The minister, Rev. Henry S. Morais, lectures on Sabbath evening, preaches on Sabbath morning, and he has introduced a special Sabbath afternoon service, conducted by youths of the congregation, and marked by melodious chanting of the pupils of the school. This new feature has been very successful, each Sabbath introducing another reader. Mr. Morais, besides, is delivering a series of addresses at these services on "Boys and Girls of the Bible."

The class in Bible, which numbers adults of both sexes, meets regularly on Monday evenings under the tuition of Dr. Morais. The book of Genesis is the subject of the present lessons.

Rabbi Jacob Goldstein Re-elected.
Temple Beth Shalom, the Bensonhurst congregation, has re-elected Rev. Jacob Goldstein as its rabbi for an indefinite term, and at a largely increased salary. The trustees whose terms expired and all the officers were unanimously re-elected except Dr. A. P. Zemansky, who declined re-election as vice-president and who is succeeded by Moses H. Brand. David Cowen becoming treasurer in place of the latter. The membership of the board of trustees has been increased to twelve. Joseph Popper, Israel Frankenstein and Solomon Fromm elected as the additional members.

Deaf Mute Congregation for Brooklyn.
Within a short time Brooklyn will have a congregation for Jewish deaf mutes. A committee is now working out a plan by which its organization will be effected. Co-operating with this committee of deaf mutes is Dr. Hatnet A. Elzas, in charge of the Manhattan congregation; Max Reiss, President of Shaari Zadek Temple, Putnam avenue, between Reid and Stuyvesant, and Rabbi Joel Blau, of the latter temple. It is estimated that in this borough there are at least 1,000 Jewish deaf and dumb, who are receiving no religious instruction whatsoever.

Last Sunday afternoon several of the Brooklyn deaf mutes met in the vestry rooms of Shaari Zadek Temple upon the invitation of Max Reiss. Dr. Elzas pointed out the necessity of organizing a congregation. He spoke in the sign language of the work done by the Institution for the Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes at Lexington avenue and Sixty-seventh street, and the only institution in Greater New York which specifically provides for the religious as well as for the secular welfare of Jewish deaf mute children. Dr. Elzas also explained the organization of the congregation for the adult deaf mutes and promised to conduct the Brooklyn congregation.

It is probable that the first service of the congregation of deaf and dumb Jews of Brooklyn will be held in the vestry rooms of Shaari Zadek Temple, Sunday afternoon, January 28.

Temple Shaari Zadek.
On February 18, Dr. J. L. Magnes will be the speaker in the series of popular Sunday evening lectures and will take for his subject, "The Kehillah Movement."

Mt. Sinai Congregation.
Last Sunday morning Magistrate A. H. Gelsmar addressed the children of the religious school. Naval Officer Kracke will be the speaker next Sunday morning.

There will be a benefit performance Sunday at 3 p. m., at Jefferson Hall.

Young Men's Hebrew Association of Borough Park.

At the last meeting of the board of directors of the Y. M. H. A. of Borough Park, a building committee was appointed to take charge of the fund which is being collected in order to erect a building which will be capable of fulfilling

the wants and hopes of this organization, which will endeavor to combine all of the Jewish clubs of South Brooklyn under one building, which will be equipped with every conceivable device for furthering the aims of the allied clubs.

Y. M. H. A.
The auditorium was crowded last Sunday evening by an audience which thoroughly enjoyed the concert given by the association.

Preparations have been completed for the anniversary dinner, to be given Sunday evening, January 28, at 6 o'clock, at the association hall building. Several eminent speakers will deliver addresses.

The Civic Forum.
A financier, of international reputation, will address the Civic Forum, Sunday evening, at 8 o'clock sharp, when Henry Clews will talk on "The Vicissitudes of Wall Street," in the auditorium of the Kaplan School Building, 1731 Pitkin avenue, Brooklyn. Mr. Clews has played an important part in Wall Street for many years, and is one of the oldest members of the New York Stock Exchange. He is also president of the International Peace Society, of which President Taft, ex-President Roosevelt and Andrew Carnegie are the honorary presidents. There is no one in this country who can speak with greater authority on matters pertaining to Wall Street.

The following lectures will be delivered in the month of February: February 4, Prof. Charles Gary Shaw on "Selfhood and Service;" February 11, Prof. Joel Elias Spingarn on "A Great Poet;" February 18, Hon. William A. Prendergast, Comptroller of the City of New York on "Municipal Government and Social Progress;" and February 25, Vahan Cardashian, M. A., on "The Constitutional Ottoman Empire." Discussion and Questions are invited at the close of each lecture. The public is cordially invited.

Madame Alla Nazimova, who comes to the Montauk Theatre, Brooklyn, next week, cast for the first time in a part that shows all sides of her abundant art, has come completely into her own by her fascinating performance of the brilliantly written comedy, "The Marionettes." Neither exotic, erotic nor neurotic, the role of Fernande provides Madame Nazimova a part of general appeal, instead of special appeal. Comedy, pathos and finally mock tragedy, one after another, swiftly enter into the life of this quaint little country mouse, who, loving her husband but not loved by him, comically transforms herself into her idea of a social butterfly. Success, swift sure and abundant comes to Fernande by this ever new-old device for sharpening the appetite of dull husbands. And that is precisely the kind of success that has come to Madame Nazimova as Fernande. In a single night play and player leaped into a popularity so complete that prosperity of the finest sort was realized for the Lyceum Theatre, Manhattan, for many months.

SOCIAL.

The New York Philanthropic League of the Independent Order of True Sisters, will give a musicale on Saturday afternoon, March 2, in the grand ball room of the Waldorf-Astoria, for the benefit of their trade classes. Among the artists to appear are: Mme. Estelle Liebling, soprano; Miss Amy Ray, contralto; Mr. Edwin Cahn, violinist; Mr. James Liebling, cellist; Mrs. William Cowen, pianist; Mrs. Julius Baran in recitations and Mr. Max Liebling at the piano. The officers of the league are: Mrs. Julius Baran, president; Mrs. Emanuel Sanders, first vice-president; Mrs. Samuel Weingart, second vice-president; Mrs. A. J. Fischlowitz, treasurer; Mrs. Joseph Marks, financial secretary and Mrs. Hulda Levison, corresponding secretary.

A charity bridge and whist will be given at the Royal Lyceum, 10 West 114th street on Wednesday afternoon, February 17, 1912, at 2 o'clock. The entire proceeds will be given to the Peoples' Hospital, and there will be valuable prizes awarded to the winners. The affair is under the direction of Mrs. M. Landesman, who will have the assistance of Mrs. L. Kohn, Mrs. M. Lewson and Miss B. Holzman.

A prize public whist will be given at Terrace Garden on Tuesday afternoon, February 6, at 2 o'clock sharp, under the auspices of the Social Congress. The prizes will include a full dinner set of Limoges china, a bronze electrolier, and a cut glass pitcher with silver mountings. A portion of the receipts will be devoted to charity.

A theatrical performance was given at the Broadway Theatre, on Sunday, January 21, 1912, for the benefit of the School Fund, under the auspices of the Allied Societies of Temple Anshe Chesed.

A large and brilliant audience greeted the theatrical stars, who kindly volunteered their services on this occasion. Messrs. Shubert, Lew Fields and Felix Isman, generously donated the theatre. The performance was given under the direction of Mr. Edward Margolles and Mr. Ned Wayburn was stage manager.

Miss Mildred Neuman, of 64 East 122d street, has left for Lakewood, N. J., for a sojourn of three weeks. Miss Neuman will be chaperoned by her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph J. Berkowitz.

Preparations have been entirely completed and the gala event of the season will take place to-morrow (Saturday) night at the Seventy-first Regiment Armory, the occasion being the ball in

aid of the Home of the Daughters of Jacob. President Taft will surely be on hand as will Secretary Nagel. There will be several other features of equal interest.

The allied branches of the Congregation Ez Chaim will hold a whist, pinocle and lotto at the Masonic Temple, 126th street and Lenox avenue, on Saturday evening, February 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert N. Kantrowitz, of 201 West 117th street, celebrated the Bar Mitzvah of their son Joseph Nathan on Sunday evening last at their residence. A large number of relatives and friends were present to extend their congratulations.

The Orach Chaim Sisterhood will tender an informal reception to Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Joseph H. Hertz at the next meeting to be held at the Hotel Brunswick, Madison avenue and Eighty-ninth street, on Thursday, February 1, at 2 p. m.

The Ladies' Aid Society, of the Hebrew Sanitarium at Rockaway Park, will give a professional concert and tea at the Waldorf-Astoria, on January 30, at 2 p. m. Mr. H. von Tilzer will appear in a one-act sketch; Miss Weil will give a dramatic reading with music; Mrs. Charles Riegerman, a soprano solo, and Miss Henriette Silverman, a monologue. The Hungarian Gypsy Band will render selections while refreshments are served. The affair is in charge of Mrs. A. Lederer, chairman, assisted by Mrs. M. Toch, Mrs. Lew Fields, Mrs. I. Boehm, Mrs. A. Guggenheim and Mrs. Paul Hoffman.

Dr. Hertz at Home.
Rabbi and Mrs. J. H. Hertz announce that they will be glad to see their friends at their residence, No. 9 East Ninety-seventh street.

Talmudical Institute of Harlem.
On Saturday evening, January 13, there was a meeting at the Ohab Zedek Synagogue, and after addresses by Messrs. Julius A. Bernstein, V. S. D. Aaronson and Israel Andron, supplemented by an appeal from Rev. Dr. Bernard Drachman, several substantial donations were received for the institution which is soon to be opened at 56 West 114th street.

Jewish Endeavor Society.
A large audience gathered last Sunday to hear Dr. Elias L. Solomon lecture on "Practical Judaism."

To-morrow (Saturday) night there will be a literary evening and sociable at Lenox Hall. In addition to literary exercises there will be a musical entertainment, refreshments and dancing. Intending members are invited to be present.

Daughters of the Covenant Sisterhood.

The Daughters of the Covenant Sisterhood held a "house warming" at their new home, 523 West 173d street, on Wednesday, the 17th inst. Among those who addressed the gathering were Rev. Edward Lissman and Mr. I. S. Lambert. A musical programme was enjoyed by all present.

Joseph and His Brethren.
The New York Section of the Council of Jewish Women, which is now giving a series of Bible stories in motion pictures, will add to the programme "Joseph and His Brethren." This series produced in several scenes is very interesting and most instructive. It will be produced with the other Bible stories in motion pictures at the Republic Theatre, next Sunday at 3 P. M.

Young Women's Hebrew Association.
On Sunday evening, January 28, a morality play, "Everymaiden," will be presented under the direction of Miss Rose Jaine. There will be folk-dances by members of the gymnasium class, and musical numbers by Mrs. Bertha Hirsch and Mr. Alexander Dushkin. The proceeds are to be used toward the new building fund. The associate members of the association and their friends are actively engaged at present in increasing this fund.

Y. M. H. A. of the Bronx.
The annual election and meeting of the directors will take place this Sunday, January 28, at 3 p. m. Dr. I. E. Goldwasser will address the members. The Executive Director, Bernhard D. Saxe, will make a very interesting report on the encouraging progress that was made during the year.

On Sunday afternoons the Halevy Singing Society, under the leadership of Mr. Reichman, will conduct a class in singing. All adults who are interested in artistic singing are invited to join this class.

Young Folks' League Congregation Pincus Elijah.

The Young Folks' League held their first installation of officers at their last meeting. Those who were installed were: Mr. Sidney A. Copstein, president; Miss Sadie Feigenbaum, vice-president; Max A. Herman, treasurer; Samuel M. Klein, recording secretary; Miss Rosalind Sachs, financial secretary, and Mr. J. Simon, sergeant-at-arms.

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Dated, New York, January 25, 1912.
SEBASTIAN BAUM, MORRIS ROSENFIELD, Executors.
ROSE & PUTZEL, Attorneys for Executors, 128 Broadway, Manhattan, New York City.

OPPENHEIM, EDWARD L.—The People of the State of New York, by the grace of God free and independent, to Pannie Oppenheim, Cornelia Johanna Oppenheim and Adeline Guinard, the widow, heirs and next of kin of Edward L. Oppenheim, deceased, send greeting:

Whereas, Laurent Oppenheim, of the City of New York, has lately applied to the Surrogate's Court of said County of New York, to have certain instrument in writing dated April 14, 1902, and two codicils thereto, dated respectively, April 28th, 1908, and January 27th, 1909, relating to both real and personal property, duly proved as the last Will and Testament of Edward L. Oppenheim, 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 11th day of March, 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 (L. S.) affixed. Witness, Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of our said County of New York, at said City, on the 13th day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

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CHILDREN'S PAGE.

The "Ignoramus"

Dear Children:

Our beloved sage, Hillel, of blessed memory, also said, "Do not judge your neighbor until you are in his position."

I will illustrate this maxim by the following story from the holy book called the "Zohar."

"Rabbi Chiya and Rabbi Abba were lodging at a certain inn. At midnight they arose to study the Torah. The innkeeper's daughter stood before them with a lighted candle whilst they learned. Rabbi Abba looked up and, beholding the innkeeper's daughter lighting for them, said, "Scripture tells us 'For the commandment is a lamp, and the law is light,' which signifies that the woman is commanded to kindle the Sabbath lights and not the man, for the reason that she typifies the 'Shechina,' or divine light, and the Torah that her husband learns gives a great light to the Sabbath candles that she kindles, thus they both shine in the light of the Torah and in the light of the Sabbath." Happy, therefore are these women who are worthy to be married to men who can learn the Torah." When the young bride heard this she wept. Meanwhile her father awoke, and seeing her weeping, asked her why she was weeping, but she did not answer, for her heart was very much embittered, which caused her father to weep, too. Said Rabbi Abba to the father: "Her tears tell me that her bridegroom is an ignoramus." "It is true," said the innkeeper, "but the reason I gave her in marriage to him is because I saw him jump from a garret in order to hear the Kaddish recited in the synagogue, and I then and there determined to give him my daughter in marriage, as I judged that one who would jump from a garret to hear Kaddish must surely be well versed in the Torah, and now it seems that he cannot even say grace after meals, and I cannot compel him to learn the Torah, read the 'Shemang' and say grace." Said Rabbi Abba, "I will endeavor to induce him to divorce her, so that she may marry a disciple of the Sages." Rabbi Abba instantly regretted these words, and said, "No, no! It is not necessary that he should divorce her, for perhaps they may both have a son who will be a disciple of the Sages."

Meanwhile the bridegroom awoke and sat down near them. "Rabbi Abba," said he, "look at me and tell me if you think I will have a son who will be a disciple of the Sages?" Rabbi Abba answered, "I see that a great disciple of the Sages will be descended from that young man." Then the bridegroom began to discourse as follows: "Young am I in days," said Elihu, the son of Barachel, to Job and his companions, "therefore I hesitated and feared to show you what I know," for ye are older than I am." "Now Elihu was of a great family and yet he did not wish to speak before his companions, therefore I, also, have humbled myself before the people of this city who are much older than I am and are great disciples of the Sages. I decided not to speak words of the Torah until now, but now that ye are here, it is time for me to unseal my lips and discourse concerning the Torah." He then revealed many secrets of the Torah.

Then he said: "Know ye that I am from Babylon, and a son of Rabbi Safra, but alas! I was not worthy of knowing my father well,

and when I arrived here I saw that the people of the city are very learned. I was therefore afraid to discourse on the Torah, and vowed that for two months I would not say a word of Torah, and to-day the two months have expired and happy is my portion to find you here."

Rabbi Jose then cried, and all the assembled ones kissed the bridegroom's brow.

Said Rabbi Jose! "If I did not come here for any other purpose than to hear these great secrets of the Torah that you have revealed, and which I never heard before, it would have been sufficient."

Then said the bridegroom: "My dear teachers, when I beheld the grief of my father-in-law and the grief of my bride when they thought I was so ignorant that I did not even know how to say grace after meals and read the 'Shemang,' I resolved not to go under the nuptial canopy before I would reveal to you the secret of the grace after meals." Thereupon he revealed to them the great secrets of the grace after meals; they all rejoiced and the father-in-law and the bride arose and kissed him. Then said Rabbi Jose: "This is a union that the blessed God desires," and they blessed the bride with many blessings, and told the father to prepare the house for the wedding. "We will not leave this place until the wedding will be celebrated," said Rabbi Jose. The innkeeper thereupon gathered together all the people of the city and the wedding was celebrated midst great rejoicing and wonderful revelations of the secrets of the Seven Blessings by the bridegroom at the wedding feast.

The people of the city appointed the bridegroom as their rabbi and adviser in the Jewish laws; after the wedding Rabbi Jose, Rabbi Abba and Rabbi Chiya blessed him and went upon their way.

Thus you see, my dear children, that there was a reason for this learned young man to appear as an ignoramus for a certain time, and that he was really misjudged by those who should have loved him best. How important, therefore, is the maxim of Hillel which you should never forget.

"Do not judge your neighbors until you are in his position."

בן אהרן

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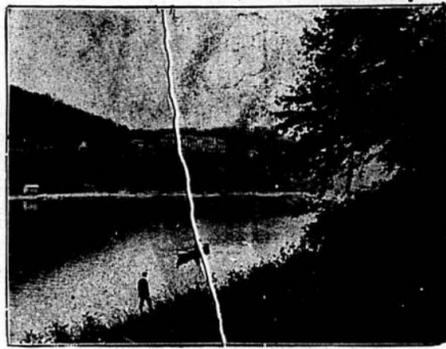
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Dated New York, the 23d day of November, 1911.
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COHN, ABRAHAM.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. John P. Cohalan, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Abraham Cohn, 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 James, Schell and Elkus, No. 170 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 16th day of April next.
Dated New York, the 10th day of October, 1911.
MAMIE E. COHN, ALFRED E. COHN, LEONARD COHN, Executrices.
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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.
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HENRY MEYER, Attorney for Executrices, 302 Broadway, Manhattan, New York City.

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.

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ROSENDAHL, 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.
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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. 11 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.
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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.
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Dated New York, the 8th day of August, 1911.
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Dated New York, the 80th day of October, 1911.
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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. 119 Nassau Street, in the City of New York, on or before the 3d day of May next.
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Dated New York, September 25th, 1911.
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Dated New York, the 11th day of November, 1911.
GUSTAVE LEVY, Administrator.
WEED, HENRY & MEYERS, Attorneys for Administrator, 62 William Street, 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 K. Sellg, also known 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.
KLARA SELIG, Executrix.
SCHWICK & MACHINSKI, Attorneys for Executrix, 64 Wall Street, New York City.

WOARMS, ALBERT L.—In pursuance of an order of the Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Albert L. Woarms, 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 Messrs. Kurzman & Frankheimer, No. 25 Broad Street, in the City of New York, on or before the 19th day of March, 1912.
Dated New York, the 12th day of September, 1911.
CARRIE C. WOARMS, Executrix.
KURZMAN & FRANKENHEIMER, Attorneys for Executrix, 25 Broad Street, Borough of Manhattan, 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.
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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 subscribers at their place of transacting business, at the office of their attorney, Harry M. Goldberger, at No. 309 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on or before the 10th day of April, 1912.
Dated New York, the 20th day of September, 1911.
ROSA GOLDBERGER, Executrix; SIMON GOLDBERGER, Executor.
HARRY M. GOLDBERGER, 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, 342 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, 342 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, N. Y. City.

MEHRINGER, GUSTAVE.—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 Gustave Mehringer, 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 Passkus, Cohen & Gordon, No. 2 Rector Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 20th day of April next.
Dated New York, the 10th day of October, 1911.
HARRY L. COHEN, Executor.
PASSKUS, COHEN & GORDON, Attorneys for Executor, No. 2 Rector Street, Borough of 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.

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 106), 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.
MAX BIELEFELD, Administrator.
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BLOCH, MICHAEL.—The People of the State of New York, by the grace of God free and independent, to Sigmund Bloch, Ida Wiener, Clementine Edelschild, Robert Gutmann, Theres Pinner, Bertha Schwab, Emelle L. Lewis, Clementine Blum, Celestine Greenbaum, Rebecca Liebenthal, Melville S. Levy, Emma Adler, Minnie Feuchtmeyer, Hilda Feuchtmeyer, Frieda Brun, Estelle Bloch, Benjamin L. Bloch, Milton I. Bloch, Francis V. Bloch, Walter J. Bloch, Isidore N. Landauer, Milton I. D. Einstein, and to all persons interested in the estate of Michael Bloch, deceased, late of Wichita, State of Kansas, deceased, as creditors, next of kin or otherwise, send greeting:
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In testimony whereof, we have caused the seal of the Surrogate's Court of the said County of New York to be hereunto affixed, in witness whereof, Hon. John P. Cohalan, a Surrogate of our said county, at the County of New York, the 27th day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eleven.

DANIEL J. DOWDNEY,
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10 Wall Street, New York.

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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.

KAHN, MARCUS S.—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 Marcus S. Kahn, 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. 25 Broad Street, in the City of New York, on or before the 14th day of July, next.
Dated New York, the 14th day of December, 1911.
MAURICE M. KAHN, Administrator.
JOSEPH M. DAVIS, Attorney for Administrator, 25 Broad Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

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 & GUTTERMAN, 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.

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 her 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.
DORA LAZARUS, Administratrix.
GOLDSMITH, ROSENTHAL, MORK & BAUM, Attorneys for Administratrix, 31 Nassau 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 & NEWGASS, Attorneys for Executors, 43 Cedar Street, New York City.

HAYMAN, SIGMUND.—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 Sigmund Hayman, 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. 2 Rector Street, in the City of New York, on or before the 8th day of March, 1912, next.
Dated New York, the 24th day of August, 1911.
MARGARET H. HAYMAN, Administratrix.
HARRY W. NEWBURGER, Attorney for Administratrix, 2 Rector Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

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.
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