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# "LITTLE BO PEEP"

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She was living with her baby in one of the licensed pest holes of the city, where the rooms are narrow and low, and where the only opening to the boxed enclosure is a so-called "air-shaft" leading to nowhere. And perhaps that is too little; a spider-web work of beams and pillars and rails and engines and cars and ear-splitting creaking and grinding of wheels on rails, all for noise accompaniment, and all permitted and encouraged and allowed by the second queen city of the world, fretful in its concern over the welfare of its inhabitants, lest they slumber too long in their dingy hovels and forget there is work and toil and labor and pain for the morrow. A licensed pest hole it was in truth, where swarms of beings called humans are permitted to exist and breed citizens, all eligible to the Presidency of the United States, whose duty it is to give millions for war but not one cent to prevent it. And yet there is evidence that some two thousand years ago and more a man by the name of Plato lived and had written a book entitled "The Republic."

The "she" was Sadie Bloom; the baby, Yetta; the "he"—but there was no "he," at least not in the hovel. The "he" had tired of "Bloom"ing in a sunless hole, and had expanded to wider fields in garnering other "Bloom"ing flowers; not, however, with the first "Bloom."

But Sadie was not equal to the task. She had loved the "he" Bloom, and in spite of the bitterness in her heart she pined for him; pined for him for the baby's sake. Days passed; weeks and months flew by, but the "he" Bloom returned not. Work became necessary; then labor; then toil; and then—pain. She had been a pretty flower and had capitulated to the first bee that praised her fragrant sweetness. And now! There was no now—it was all then!

Unaccustomed to work, her frail form gave way under the burden of caring for her baby and self. "My

baby!" she ever crooned. It was "my baby" that caused her to recuperate quickly; it was "my baby" that set her again to toil. Her life

"Mamma," lisped the baby, and Sadie snatched the tiny form to her bosom, covering its joyous face with kisses. Tired as she would be upon

"Say it after mamma, baby. Little."  
"It el," she lisped.  
"Bo Peep."

"Her sheep."  
"Her theep."  
"And can't."  
"An' tan't."  
"Tell where."  
"Tell 'ere."  
"To find them."  
"To fine 'em."  
"That's right, baby. My baby!"

And tighter and tighter did she press the bundle of plumpness to her body. Her joy knew no bounds when "my baby" knew the whole poem, and with childish glee and pride, the mother as the audience, would "my baby" stand in the center of the room and recite same over and over again.

The winter came, and, mother-like, ever eager to protect her young, Sadie neglected herself. Hard and meagerly paid work, together with insufficient food, and, more than all else, constant grief and worry, she was unable to resist the entrance of "Sir White Plague." Even he disdained the job and tried to pass her by, but orders were to be obeyed and not questioned.

It began with a cold, leading to an occasional cough, followed by a husky, dull one. In the dispensary she was told it would be best to go to the mountains. She smiled, or rather attempted to. The going was easy, but where were the means to come from? So the ball was started a-rolling, and her pedigree was taken on a spotless white blank. And she would go? Womanlike, accustomed to "because," she was unacquainted to "buts," on which particular occasion it meant there were others before her. Many institutions? Yes, but people will insist on getting ill and overcrowding them. And the sovereign city, what did it say? Why ask foolish questions. This was not a government institution, but one supported by voluntary contributions; voluntary hard-earned pennies and nickels and dimes and clubbed-together quarters and half dollars, while the government gave you the right to vote. If you cannot solve the equation, it is not my fault.

However, Sadie did not have long to wait, but immediately arose the query, "And my baby?" Neighbors



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and joy was in the "my baby." It grew; it tottered; it stumbled; it walked. her return from the burdensome work at night, her only delight was in teaching "my baby" to talk.

"Bo beep,"  
"She lost."  
"Tshe 'ost."

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and friends tried to reason with her to give it to some institution where proper care would be administered, but Sadie shook her head.

"It's my life, and now you would take it from me?"

"But you are yourself ill! What attention can you give it when you need it yourself?"

"I can't leave it go. Either my baby Bo Peep goes with me or I stay with her."

"And if, God forbid, anything should happen to you, what then?"

"I know! I know, and therefore you would deprive me of her the sooner?"

"But what of the child's health?" persisted the neighbor. Sadie had not thought of that. Tears came to her eyes.

"Yes; what of my baby's, my little Bo Peep's health?" she murmured. She shook her head. "She will have to go with me. Yetta must be near me, near enough at least that I can see her when I will." And Sadie had her way, she being taken to a sanitarium while "my baby Bo Peep" was left at a nearby farmhouse.

Surrounded by a large number of people similarly afflicted as herself, combined with their sad and downcast expressions, as well as deprived of the constant companionship of "my baby Bo Peep," such environments were anything but pleasant and helpful to Sadie. And so, in spite of the careful attention bestowed upon her, the good food and long rests, the effect in her case was nil. It was a mental ailment that consumed her more than the physical consumption, and when the defender forsook and went into the camp of

the enemy, there was nothing more to fight, and "Sir White Plague" triumphed. Her stomach refused to retain nourishment; her body became merely an encasement of bones and entrails; cheeks were now drawn and pallid, and every move proved an exertion. Lower and lower did she sink, and soon her existence became a matter of hours.

"Bring me my baby, my little Bo Peep," she begged. The doctor gazed at the stricken form. We live in a world of emotions, and it only depends which string is strung as to how quickly we respond. As a doctor, little as he admittedly knew of life, he would not endanger a life so young; as a being of emotions, who would deliberately snuff out life's candle? He pondered much.

"But you must not kiss it," he cautioned. An inward sob shook her form.

"I won't kiss it," pleaded the young mother. "Just let me see it; just let my baby, my little Bo Peep, sit on the floor before me and play; just let me look at her." And so "my baby Bo Peep" was brought, and strictly forbidden to approach her mother's bed. Childlike, she demurred and questioned why, but being threatened not to be taken to her mother at all unless she promised to obey, she consented. The doctor entered, followed by the nurse carrying Bo Peep in her arms.

"Baby!" ecstatically cried the mother.

"Mamma!" answered the child, throwing herself from the nurse's arms, and before either doctor or nurse could interfere mother and child had embraced and kissed.

"Don't take her away," pleaded the mother, as the child was taken from her grasp. "Let her play on the floor."

"You must not do that again, Bo Peep," gently admonished the physician. The child cried.

"Play, baby," spoke the mother. The child looked at her. What greater joy than be in her mother's embrace? With whom could she play if not with her mother? Bo Peep looked puzzled. Suddenly a smile crept over her sunshiny face. She had it. She would recite; and, curtsying, in a slow, singsong voice began, while all looked on:

"Tel Bo Peep, tshe 'ost her theep  
'An' tan't tell 'ere to fine 'em.  
'Eave 'em alone an' they'll come 'ome  
'Waggin' 'eir tails be'ind 'em."

Bo Peep stopped for breath, slyly looking around at her guardians to see whether her chance for stealing another kiss from her mother was favorable, but her movements were anticipated, and Bo Peep was quickly caught hold of. Doctor and nurse, expecting to hear the mother say something in reproof, turned in her direction, aghast! Her eyes were wide open and stared glassily; the lower jaw hung; the arms lay limp. It was all over. Sadie had gone to help Bo Peep find her sheep.

The mother gone, the cheery disposition of the child, together with her pleasant smile and infectious laugh, as well as her general good nature, made her the pet of the institution, and it was natural that the doctors and nurses decided to con-

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And so she grew, the name of Bo Peep ever clinging to her, and upon graduating from high school Bo Peep decided to give the days of her life in helping to restore to health those who were afflicted, for although sunshine was her right handmaid, misery was a close competitor on the left, the one nearest the heart. All humanity was her friend—it mattered not how ill or what the cause; they were ill and to be helped. She was the joy and life of the sanitarium. The patients loved her, for she brought them comfort, dispelling the engulfing gloom; the nurses liked her for her general good fellowship; and the doctors idolized her, as she it was who made their success possible, and one and all were ever calling for Bo Peep to attend their cases.

(To be continued.)

### Jewish Philanthropy.

Tender indeed is the Jewish care of the sick, the hopeless and the helpless, but underlying this tenderness will always be found the definite intent to make the sick well, the hopeless hopeful and the helpless helpful. Gentle charity is too often a first aid to pauperization. The Jews rarely make this mistake, and that is why the Jewish charities have been so successful and have been taken as models. Their dominant note is self-help, and always do they accompany their purely charitable activities by strenuous effort to uproot the conditions responsible for the symptoms.—Detroit Daily News.

Mr. David Engländer has been made principal of the Central Talmud Torah, of Philadelphia, Pa. Mr. Engländer received part of his education in Philadelphia and later went to Palestine. He was an instructor in Hebrew and Arabic at the school of the Petach Tikwa and for several years acted as Hebrew and Arabic secretary of the colony.

Rabbi Moses J. Gries has just completed his twentieth anniversary as rabbi of the Congregation Tifereth Israel, of Cleveland, O. During his incumbency the congregation has grown from 125 to over 600 and maintains what is probably the largest Jewish Sabbath school in the world.



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The method decided upon is as follows:

An admission charge of \$1 will be made, but every individual purchaser of a ticket will be refunded the price of his admission in merchandise which will be exhibited at the exposition. More than 100 of the leading manufacturers of this country have leased booths for which they do not pay in cash but in the goods they produce. They agree to give away to visitors to the exposition an amount of goods equal in value to the money which they would originally pay for the lease of the space which they will utilize for displaying their wares.

It is intended to distribute in this way among the visitors to the exposition about \$500,000 worth of merchandise, but as it will be a matter of interest to the general public how this can be accomplished, the organizers feel that it would be fair to take their prospective ticket-holders "behind the scenes" and show them the workings on which the industrial exposition is based.

The various articles are not given by the exposition authorities but by the exhibiting manufacturers themselves. Each manufacturer will have a booth from which his products will be given away in exchange for the requisite number of merchandise coupons according to the value of the article selected. In order that the visitor's selection of merchandise can be facilitated and made without confusion, the organizers have adopted the department store idea by dividing the day into one hour intervals. During each hour the products of twenty-one different exhibitors will be available for selection. Each succeeding hour will automatically change the group of exhibitors. This means that during the course of every afternoon and evening, visitors will have the opportunity of selecting merchandise, credit certificates, etc., from nearly one hundred different exhibitors.

The moving spirits of this enterprise are Dr. Alexander Goldman, Angelo Patri, Felix A. Lacks, Charles F. Minor, Dr. Moses Aronson, Angelo Liberi, Dr. Henry Schumer, E. Lewin-Epstein, and Henry L. Slobodin.

**Wisdom of Young Jews Leading Them Into the Regular Army.**

The sad accident to a soldier of the regular army in camp at Katztown on Sunday night called attention to the fact that not only was this young man a man of Jewish birth, but that there were in the battalion many more men of his race.

This battalion of soldiers was no exception to the general run of the soldiery of the United States. In all the companies ambitious young men are found whose native shrewdness has led them into the army. The Jew in the United States Army is not the exception yet he is getting to be the rule.

The reason that it is so is well illustrated in the career of a young man, now a resident of this city. Five years ago he was a Russian emigrant. He had come from a country where his people were down-trodden and kept in as great ignorance and poverty as possible. He came to this country with nothing but ambition. He was ignorant of the language. He did not think it right for people of his race to be congregating in the cities, and so he left the port of embarkation as quickly as he could. He got into an inland town in this State. He got a job where they worked him just as hard as men can be worked. At night he was too tired for study. He saw himself doomed to a life of virtual slavery and benightedness unless he got out of that community and out of that work. He got no sympathy anywhere. He was a foreigner and in addition a Russian Jew.

He came to this city, enlisted and entered the army, and whenever his

company was in barracks he entered some nearby school, having at last plenty of time for study outside of his military duties. In one city he entered a fine business college and fitted himself for a position. He saved his money, for he soon learned that a soldier who has every creature want provided by Uncle Sam down to medical, dental and other special attention, can save practically every penny that he gets in wages, besides making money by frugality on clothing allowances and other perquisites. He was shrewd enough to see that in addition to having lots of time to himself for his self-improvement he could save more money than the average young fellow had over at the end of the month.

At the end of several enlistments, added to in credit by foreign service, he had a substantial sum of money laid aside, had become a fluent speaker of English, had acquired a vocation, in fact, two of them, and was in a position where he could no longer be despised. He was in addition an American citizen, with a better knowledge than the

average American has of what it means to be an American, for he had traveled around the world and visited many nations. He was broad and well-informed.

To-day that young man is in this city, employed to his satisfaction, but looking out all the time for something better and that something better is going to come soon.

He says: "The young man who wants to can make money and acquire an education in the army. However, I noticed that too many of the young American fellows did nothing but wait until they could go on a blowout and too much of their time was spent in cards and other useless pleasures."

This young man does not think that the best years of a man's life are lost if he enters the army. He felt that they made possible his best.

The moral is that young men of American birth and with a longer line of American-born ancestors are allowing young men of foreign birth or of foreign parentage to outstrip them in the achievement of knowledge and the

acquiring of material possessions which will make them more substantial, progressive, powerful and influential citizens. Young American-born men cannot live on their ancestors. The fight is for those of the present and between those of the present. The victors will be those who use their light. Young Americans with all the advantage have no excuse to be lagging. It is up to them to be doing and maintaining at least their standing on a par with those who enter this country from foreign lands.—Allentown (Pa.) Call.

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Israel is par excellence the spiritual people and has always been. No external bond unites it. Only the unity of a common faith and a common purpose, and the inspiring memory of a glorious past give it spiritual cohesion. However immersed in the material Israel may seem, in this materialistic era, Israel remains fundamentally spiritual, with a fund of idealism locked up in his soul-treasures. Let but the right religious note be struck, and sleeping spiritual

energies awake, his soul vibrates with the soul of his ancestors; deep answers unto deep.

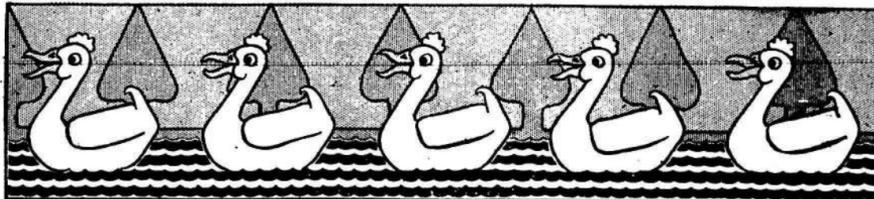
Israel is the priest and prophet of God. There is only one true God and Israel is His priest. There is only one true religion and Israel is its prophet.—Rabbi Frederick Cohn, Omaha, Neb.

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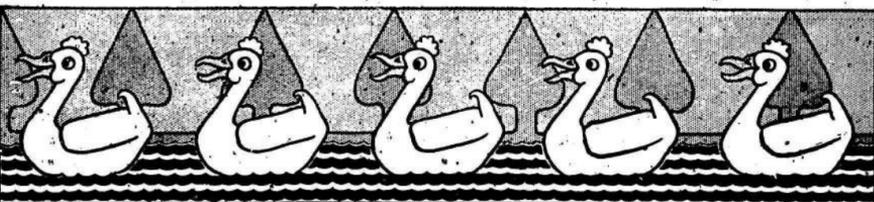
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A new Bnai Berith lodge has been instituted in South Bend, Ind.

Dr. Theodore Ziskin has been appointed Assistant City Physician for Minneapolis, Minn.

The Sons of Israel Congregation of Lawrence, Mass., are raising funds for a new synagogue.

At Warsaw, a large Jewish scholastic bequest is still lying idle owing to Russian official interference.

Dr. Alexander Büchler, chief rabbi of Keszthely (Hungary), has received a call as chief rabbi of Stockholm.

Sixteen thousand Jewish immigrant girls between the ages of fourteen and twenty-nine entered the United States last year.

The Jewish population of Bulgaria numbers about 40,000. The Alliance Israélite Universelle has fifteen schools in the kingdom.

A feature of this year's annual Jewish farmers' convention was the presence of a woman farmer, Mrs. Rose Blaine, of Lumberville, Pa.

Mayor Gaynor has reappointed M. Samuel Stern as a member of the New York City Board of Education for a term of five years.

Dr. Colombo, Chief Rabbi of Leghorn, has been decorated with the Order of the Crown. Dr. Colombo is considered among the most scholarly Rabbis of Italy.

The second annual convention of the Associated Young Men's Hebrew Associations of New England was held at New Bedford, Mass., last Sunday and Monday.

A mass meeting was held in Albany, N. Y., last Sunday night with a view towards ultimately federating the various Jewish charities and institutions of that city.

Rabbi Cesare Eliseo, of Rome, died there very suddenly last month. He was somewhat advanced in years and his amiable disposition had won him general respect.

The famous Russo-Jewish author, M. Yusevitch, was permitted to go to St. Petersburg and Moscow to arrange for the production of one of his plays at the Imperial Theatre.

Recent statistics show that the oldest officer in the French army is a Jew, General Busac, who was born on the 9th of June, 1817, and therefore is in his ninety-sixth year.

To the many industries already introduced into Jerusalem, has been added that of diamond polishing, for the present on a small scale. A factory has been built and the necessary machinery has been installed.

The Cincinnati, O., Jewish Settlement is preparing an exhibit of "The Jews in Many Lands," to be held in January, 1913, during the week of the Conference of the Union of American Hebrew Congregations.

The death is announced in Brussels of Joseph Wieniawski, a noted violinist, born in Poland in 1837. From 1865 to 1869 he was professor at the Moscow Conservatory and wrote a number of standard violin compositions.

The synagogue of the Bikur Cholim congregation, Seattle, Wash., on which work was stopped some two years ago, owing to a shortage of funds, will be completed soon, as the necessary money has been subscribed.

Dr. Friederich E. Friedman, of Berlin, Germany, has announced that he has discovered a cure for tuberculosis in every form and that an inoculation of the remedy confers absolute immunity from the ravages of the white plague.

A project is on foot to remove the Jews' College, quartered in London, England, to either Oxford or Cambridge, to afford the students the opportunity of partaking of university courses in conjunction with their rabbinical studies.

A number of societies have been organized in Boston, Mass., during the past year for the purpose of establishing a Jewish Hospital. These societies have decided that more could be done by co-operation and are now working as a united body.

Her extraordinary resemblance to Leonardo da Vinci's famous painting, "Mona Lisa," so attracted Gordon Stevenson, an artist and one of the fellow passengers of Mathie Kurpinowitz, a beautiful 17-year-old Russian Jewess on the steamship Manitou, that he painted the portrait of the young woman during the voyage from Antwerp which ended at Boston last week. He will call his painting "The Modern Mona Lisa."

Jericho Lodge, I. O. O. B. E., of Pittsburgh, Pa., will celebrate its fiftieth anniversary on the 10th inst.

Rabbi F. K. Hirsch has resigned from the Temple Beth El, Bessemer, Ala., to accept a call to Athens, Ga.

Mr. A. Kloot, B. Sc., has been appointed Science Master in the observatory public school at Cape Town, S. A.

Dr. Jacob Rosenbloom has been appointed assistant professor of bio-chemistry in the University of Pittsburgh.

Architects have been commissioned to prepare plans for a ward building annex to the Philadelphia, Pa., Jewish Hospital.

Governor Dix has appointed Jacob Katz one of the managers of the Manhattan State Hospital for the Insane, at Ward's Island, N. Y.

The Buda-Pesth Committee of the Hungarian Branch of the Ito has now been constituted. The membership reaches a total of 2,170.

Work has been begun on the grounds of the Capital City Country Club, which was recently organized by prominent Jewish residents of Montgomery, Ala.

Dr. Arthur Marmorstein has taken up his duties at Jews' College, London, as lecturer in Talmud, Codes and Bible, in succession to Dr. S. A. Hirsch, appointed Emeritus Professor.

Zachary Bruenn, aged eighty-nine, died at New Orleans, La., last week. Mr. Bruenn came to New Orleans sixty-one years ago and was a pioneer in Jewish communal work.

The Council of the Jewish Community of Smyrna has unanimously elected as its chief rabbi the Rev. Nissim Dapou, formerly rabbi of Bevrout and latterly chief rabbi of Rhodes.

A conference of Jewish youth in Italy is about to take place in Turin. A previous conference, held in Florence last year, was largely attended, and created a great deal of enthusiasm.

There is such a large demand for Jewish books in the New York Public Library that the special Jewish Department will in future be open to the public on Sundays, from 1 to 10 p. m.

The Board of Canvassers have corrected the New York city election returns, which now show that Henry Salant has been elected State Senator for the Nineteenth New York District.

The Samuel Hecht, Jr., and Babette Hecht Memorial Nurses' Home, erected at the Hebrew Hospital, Baltimore, Md., were thrown open to the public last Sunday. In pursuance to the wish of the donor, Mr. Alexander Hecht, there were no formal public exercises.

Mrs. Sarah Bliesenstock died at St. Louis, Mo., on the 24th ult. She was chairman of the Eighth District of the Federation of Women's Clubs in Missouri, and for thirty-five years a member of the Pioneer Club, probably the oldest literary club in Missouri.

Simon Heymann, for sixty years a resident of New York city, was killed in a runaway accident at Daytona, Fla., last Saturday. Mr. Heymann retired from business some years ago, and came to Daytona and was soon after elected a member of the City Council.

The Supreme Court will be asked this month to transfer the moneys raised by the National Committee for the Relief of Sufferers by Russian Massacres and remaining unexpended in the hands of the treasurer, Mr. Jacob H. Schiff, to the American Jewish Committee for administrative purposes.

Chief Rabbi Dr. Marguller, of Florence, as president of the Falasha Committee, has received an intimation from the Italian Government that it has placed a plot of ground at Eritrea at the disposal of the committee for the erection of a school for the Falashas, or Abyssinian Jews.

The plight of the Jewish youth in Russia becomes more acute every day. At Ekaterinoslav, the second gymnasium has been closed to Jews, and at Minsk, a grant is withheld from the School of Commerce because it admits too many Jews, and consequently preparations are made to meet the wishes of the authorities.

Marvin Marx Lowenthal, of Bradford, Pa., a student in the University of Wisconsin, has won the annual prize offered by Julius Rosenwald for the best essay written by an undergraduate student in the university on some topic concerning the literature, history or achievement of the Jewish people. The subject of the essay was "The Jew in the American Revolution."

In the Kleff educational district, a systematic effort has been made to keep the numbers of Jews in the secondary schools even below the percentage norm fixed by the government. "The local authorities being anxious to keep revolutionary propaganda out of the schools." A hundred more Jews were also excluded from the Kleff Commercial Institute.

An example of the value of the credit unions recently established to help Jewish farmers is furnished by Wolf Waltman, of Ellenville, N. Y., who states that he bought a 105-acre farm eight years ago for \$8,700, and through the help furnished by the credit union has been able to improve it so much that recently he declined an offer of \$19,000 for it.

The Arabs in Egypt are beginning to display a friendly attitude towards colonization in Palestine. One of their organs, El Mulad, has paid a high tribute to the Jewish activity in Palestine, and demanded facilities for the entry of Jews into the Holy Land. Attention has also been attracted by the demand of the organ which is in touch with the Egyptian Government, Le Progres, that England should occupy Syria and Palestine.

On an inquiry at the Russian Ministry of Justice concerning the prospects of the Bellis case, a representative of the press has been informed that the question of the guilt of Bellis in connection with the ritual murder in Kiev will be decided in the course of the month of December. It is evident from this announcement that, having served its purpose during the recent Duma elections, the case against Bellis may be dropped by the government authorities.

East Side Guild for Crippled Children. The annual meeting of the above was held on Monday morning, 11.30, in the school, 157 Henry street.

The report of the treasurer was most favorable; and the report of the president, Mrs. Henry Goldman, described the work done for the physical and mental well-being of the children.

Dr. H. Pereira Mendes pleaded for religious instruction in the school and for the full observance of the dietary laws in the luncheons supplied to the children. He read a letter from the Board of Education, stating that they had nothing to do with the school after 3 o'clock; he therefore urged that provision should be made for religious instruction after that hour on Sunday mornings.

He also read a letter from the Rev. Dr. Hegeman, late president of the Guild for Crippled Children, which originally established this school. Dr. Hegeman stated that the Jewishness of the school was guaranteed by the founders, and Dr. Mendes urged upon the ladies to be loyal to the charge confided to them. The ladies will take the matter under consideration.

Conference of Jewish Congregations. A committee of members of the New York Jewish Community (Kehillah), who are affiliated with Orthodox Congregations of this city, have called a conference to be held at the Ohab Zedek (Norfolk Street) Synagogue, on Sunday, December 15, at 10 o'clock, for the purpose of regulating Kashruth and other matters pertaining to Jewish law.

Maccabee Lodge to Celebrate Chanukah. Maccabee Lodge, No. 71, of the I. O. B. E., will hold a Chanukah celebration and informal dance on Wednesday evening, December 11, 1912, at the Y. W. H. A., 101st street and Lexington avenue. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Annual Meeting of Educational Alliance. The annual meeting of the Educational Alliance will be held Saturday evening, December 14, in the Alliance Building, East Broadway and Jefferson street.

Young Men's Hebrew Association. On Sunday afternoon the younger members of the association will hold an election of a Board of Governors. This board consists of a number of older boys, who assist in the direction of activities in the building. This group of members coming in close contact with the boys is aware of their needs and desires. Their suggestions, therefore, receive careful consideration.

On Sunday evening, December 8, the Inter-Club Debating League will hold its first debate in the auditorium. The Excelsior Social and Literary Society will meet the Tennyson Social and Literary Society. The subject is, "Resolved, that We Favor a System of Ship Subsidies in the United States." All are welcome.

Y. M. H. A. of the Bronx. The Y. M. H. A. of the Bronx will debate with the Y. M. H. A. of Manhattan on the subject, "Resolved that we favor the Federal Incorporation and Regulation of all Corporations Engaged in Interstate Commerce." This debate will take place in the auditorium of the Y. M. H. A. of Manhattan, 92d street and Lexington avenue, December 15, 1912.

The Home for Aged and Infirm Hebrews. The annual meeting of the donors, associate donors, patrons, members and subscribers of the Home for Aged and Infirm Hebrews will be held at the Home building, on Sunday, December 8, 1912, at 11 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of receiving the report of the Board of Trustees, and for the election of officers.

Ohab Zedek Sisterhood Welcomes Dr. Drachman.

A Chanukah festival was given by the pupils of the Sisterhood's Talmud Torah on Wednesday evening last in the vestry rooms of the synagogue. There were addresses by Mrs. Moritz Neuman and Mr. Henry Glass, solos by Cantor Joseph Roseblatt and an interesting series of recitations, dialogues, songs, etc., by the children.

A reception was also tendered to Rev. Dr. Bernard Drachman, who had returned that morning from a speaking tour of England. Dr. Drachman was welcomed by Mrs. Moritz Neuman, who said:

On behalf of our Sisterhood I beg to extend to you a cordial welcome. It is unnecessary for me to state how overjoyed we are to see you again in our midst, and I cannot express how much pleasure was afforded to us in reading the unstinted praise accorded you by the English press and public, and the favorable comment you won, while abroad, by your scholarship, your demeanor, and dignified bearing. To us, who know you so well, this was not unexpected, but is a confirmation of the high opinion which we have always entertained for you. Again I beg to welcome you to our midst, and assure you of our continued loyal support to you in all your undertakings.

Dr. Drachman warmly expressed his thanks at the sincerity of the greeting.

An Orthodox Kehillah Organized.

A new Jewish federation was organized on Sunday afternoon at the Eldridge Street Synagogue. There was a very large attendance and much enthusiasm prevailed. Mr. Moses Stoll presided and it was the unanimous sense of the gathering that the present Kehillah did not adequately represent orthodox Judaism in this city, and an organization to promote orthodox Judaism in this city was necessary.

A committee was appointed to report on the observance of the dietary laws at the New York city Jewish institutions.

Council of Jewish Women.

The New York section Council of Jewish Women announce a special meeting, to be held on Sunday evening, December 8, at 8.15, at the Hotel Waldorf-Astoria. The meeting will be devoted to a discussion of "The Incoming Tide," with special reference to immigrant girls. Miss Sadie American will speak on "Our Opportunity for Service," and Miss Mary Antin will read a paper on "The Path of the Immigrant Girl." The public is invited.

Nahum Sokolow Coming.

Herr Nahum Sokolow, the well-known Hebrew writer, member of the Zionist Inner-Actions Committee, who will make a tour of two months in the United States, will positively arrive in New York not later than February 1, according to information received by the Federation of American Zionists this week.

Herr Sokolow will deliver addresses in Hebrew, English, German and Yiddish. He will visit ten of the largest cities in the country, and arrangements are being made for lectures by him in leading universities.

Herr Sokolow's tour is to make Zionist propaganda and it is not his intention to make any efforts to augment any of the Zionist funds.

His tour will be directed by the Federation of American Zionists, 230 Grand street, New York city, to which all communications should be addressed regarding his itinerary.

Straus Memorial Menorahs to Be Dedicated.

The menorahs presented to the Montefiore congregation by the children of the late Isidor and Ida Straus, in memory of their departed parents, will be dedicated on Sunday afternoon, December 8, at 3 p. m., at the synagogue, Hewitt and Macy places, Bronx. Among the speakers will be Comptroller Prendergast, Hon. Edward Lauterbach, Rabbis Joseph Silverman and Alexander Basle, and Mr. Marcus M. Marks. Mr. Morris Amdur, president of the congregation, will dedicate the menorahs.

Albert Lucas Religious Classes.

These classes will hold their fourteenth celebration of Chanukah in the Pike Street Synagogue on Saturday evening. Rev. Dr. Jacob Goldstein will deliver the address. On Wednesday evening a celebration will also be held in the First Rumanian-American Synagogue, in Rivington street, and Rev. Dr. Joseph H. Hertz will speak. On both occasions the Maariv service will be conducted by the pupils. Admission is by ticket only.

The Talmudical Institute of Harlem.

The Ladies' Society of the Talmudical Institute of Harlem beg to announce that they have postponed the celebration of the presentation of the Sefar Torah to the above institution, which was to take place on Sunday, December 8, in consequence of the many celebrations by other institutions that are taking place during that week in which many of the directors are interested.

The date of the celebration will be announced later.

They also take this occasion of enlisting the sympathy and active participation in this noble cause of all the worthy women in Harlem, to whom the idea of training our young in the true Jewish spirit and life is a cherished one, to join their society, which meets every Saturday night, at 8 p. m., in the rooms of the above institution, at 56 West 114th street, New York.

They call upon the Jewish woman to be true to her eternal tradition, that it is she, and she alone, that can, by her initiative in this movement, infuse in the young generation the spirit that will make them nobler, better and more our pride than they have been to us under the old system. Come to our meetings, dear sisters. THE COMMITTEE.

CORRESPONDENCE.

Believe the Sufferers from the War.

Editor HEBREW STANDARD: May I through your columns ask the members and friends of the Union of Orthodox Hebrew Congregations throughout the country to contribute to the fund for the relief of the Jewish sufferers from the war in Turkey? All subscriptions can be sent to Mr. Jacob Hecht, 166 East Ninety-fifth street, treasurer of the Union, or to me as president of the Union, or to Mr. Louis Marshall, 37 Wall street, president of the American Jewish Committee, or to Mr. Joseph Gedalecia, president of the Oriental Federation, 356 Second avenue.

Faithfully yours, H. PEREIRA MENDES, 99 Central Park West.

For a Y. M. H. A. Union.

Editor HEBREW STANDARD: A temporary committee has been formed to prepare plans leading to the co-ordination of Young Men's Hebrew Associations and other organizations doing work of kindred character throughout the United States.

A meeting of this committee (at which were present Judge Julian W. Mack, of Washington; Judge Samuel Greenbaum, of New York; Mr. Louis Marshall, of New York; Mr. Julius Rosenwald, of Chicago; Mr. A. Leo Well, of Pittsburgh; Mr. D. Ellis, of Boston, and I) it was suggested that through publicity in your valued columns it might be possible to locate existing Young Men's Hebrew Associations and similar organizations not listed with us.

Will you therefore have the kindness to give this space in your next issue, in order that all associations doing work like the Young Men's or Young Women's Hebrew Association, the Educational Alliance and the Hebrew Institute, who read this, and who desire information regarding the proposed plan, may send me their names and addresses?

With advance thanks for your courtesy, I am,

Yours very truly,

FELIX M. WARBURG, Secretary, Temporary Committee, Pine and William streets, New York city.

Strengthen the Hands of the Coming Jew in the Orient!

Editor HEBREW STANDARD: I think we must do away with diplomatic evasions and come out with the naked truth. The conscience of the world must be aroused, and a high standard of morals must be kept before the world if a humane solution should be found to the impending Balkan problem.

As I said in my address at the meeting, held in the Hebrew Institute, on Sunday, November 24: "According to the rules of international law, soldiers have a right to fight soldiers, but have no right to attack defenseless inhabitants of the conquered land, their wives and children."

The Balkan allies have violated all modern laws and acted like barbarians. Is it not a shame, that the civilized world stands by and does not protest? Is not a Turkish woman and a Mohammedan child as good a human being as of any other race and creed?

Do the missionary societies expect to impress anybody in the Orient with their saintly preaching if in the name of religion wholesale massacres of non-combatants are going on in the Balkan peninsula without a word of protest on the part of the leading men of the Western nations?

Tell your children what the Greeks have done to our Jewish brethren the moment Salonica fell into their hands.

As regards the Jewish victims of the Balkan war, the Jews of the world must not forget that our 800,000 brethren who live in Turkey are to be considered as the guardians of Palestine. Their strength and power is a guarantee for Palestine coming back under the Jewish banner. Let us maintain the courage of the Turkish Jews, help them financially and morally. It is incumbent upon us in the first line, because they are our brethren and in need. But in this particular case, with the Jews of the Orient, the expression of our solidarity and readiness to help is all the more important in view of the fact that the Oriental Jewry will soon occupy the center of the stage in the development of Jewish history. Upon the shoulders of the Oriental Jew will rest the responsibility of the greatest Jewish activities in the near future. Let the Jew in the Orient know that the friendly, faithful, brotherly eyes of all the Israelites of the world are turned towards him.

Very truly yours,

JOSEPH SEFF.

An Expression of Thanks.

Editor HEBREW STANDARD: Having resigned from the presidency of the Lakewood Talmud Torah, I wish to express through your columns my sincerest gratitude to the very many kind ladies and gentlemen, who, at my instigation, aided this worthy institution so munificently. Particularly am I thankful to Rabbi Margolies, Mr. M. Phillips, Mr. Elias Surut, Mr. Morris Levine, Mr. S. Sokolski, Mr. B. Trotski and Mr. Berlin. I do urge that they continue to vouchsafe the Talmud Torah the same generous solicitude and material beneficence as they did during my incumbency.

Moneys received and disbursed during my administration 1910-1912: 1910-1911—Received \$1,212.75, expenses \$800, balance \$412.75. 1911-1912—Received \$963.89, balance \$412.75, total \$1,376.64; expenses \$1,294.07; now on hand, balance \$82.57.

Thanking you for the publication, I am, Truly yours, MRS. N. JACOBS, Lakewood, N. J., Dec. 2, 1912.

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ENGAGEMENTS.

**BLEECKER-BLOCH.**—Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Bloch, of 117 West 120th street, announce the engagement of their daughter Ruth to Mr. Miles L. Bleecker. At home Sunday, December 8, 1912, from 3 to 6 p. m.

**BODENHEIMER-FRANK.**—Mr. and Mrs. Lester Frank, of 333 Central Park West, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Helen E. Frank, to Mr. De Witt Bodenheimer. At home Sunday, December 8, from 3 to 6.

**BREIDENBACH-OESTREICHER.**—Mr. and Mrs. B. Oestreicher, of 322 East Seventy-ninth street, announce the engagement of their daughter Beckye to Mr. Ludwig Breidenbach. Reception December 8, from 3 to 6, at the Savigny, 229 Lenox avenue.

**EDELSTEIN-LEIDESDORF.**—Mr. and Mrs. Adolf Leidesdorf, 516 West 169th street, announce the engagement of their daughter Florence H. to Mr. E. Alexander Edelstein.

**ENOCH-GROSSHANDLER.**—Mr. and Mrs. David Grosshandler, 1178 Washington avenue, announce the betrothal of their daughter Cecilia to Mr. Walter Enoch.

**GLEICHENHAUS-SCHWERIN.**—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schwerin, of 151 West 140th street, announce the betrothal of their daughter Nellie to Mr. Ralph Gleichenhau. Reception Sunday, December 15, at the Savigny, 2 to 6.

**GOLDSTEIN-SCHWEIZER.**—Mrs. Helene Goldstein, of No. 1878 Seventh avenue, announces the betrothal of her daughter Rae to Walter Edwin Schweizer. Reception at Hotel Marselles, Broadway and 103d street, Sunday, December 15, 3 until 6.

**GOTTLIEB-NEWMAN.**—Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Newman, of 324 East Seventy-ninth street, New York city, beg to announce the engagement of their daughter Hilda to Mr. Joseph W. Gottlieb, of Brooklyn.

**JACOBS-ORNSTEIN.**—Mr. and Mrs. M. Ornstein announce the betrothal of their daughter Augusta to Mr. Jules Jacobs. Reception December 8, at 8 p. m., at Victoria Hall, Lexington avenue and Fifty-fourth street.

**KAPLAN-KORNBERG.**—Mrs. L. R. Kornberg, of 861 Beck street, Bronx, announce the betrothal of their niece, Helen Kornberg, to Mr. Harry Kaplan.

**KEIT-UNGER.**—Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Unger, of Hotel Cecil, 118th street and St. Nicholas avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter Mildred to Mr. Cyrus J. Keit, of Brooklyn. Reception Sunday, December 8, 1912, 3 to 6.

**KLEIN-BERNSTEIN.**—Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Bernstein, of 253 West 112th street, announce the betrothal of their daughter Hattie to Mr. Victor Klein. Reception Sunday, December 15, after 7.

**LANDAY-FOX.**—Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Fox announce the betrothal of their daughter Ida R. to Mr. Max Landay. At home Sunday, December 15, from 3 until 6 o'clock, 45 West Ninety-first street.

**MARGOLIS-BLUMBERG.**—Mr. and Mrs. Max Blumberg, of 18 East 120th street, announce the engagement of their daughter Lillian to Mr. Joseph Margolis. Reception at the Herrstadt, 29 West 115th street, on Sunday, December 8, 1912, from 2.30 to 6 o'clock.

**MARKS-DREYSPOL.**—Mrs. A. A. Dreysspol announces the engagement of her daughter Phoebe to Mr. Harry A. Marks.

**MORRISON-LEVY.**—Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Levy announce the betrothal of their daughter Dora to Mr. Isidore D. Morrison. At home Sunday, December 8, from 3 until 6 o'clock.

**SCHAUCER-SCHWARTZ.**—Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Schwartz, of 701 West 177th street, announce the engagement of their daughter Helen to Michael M. Schauer. Reception Sunday, December 8, at Hotel Savoy, from 3 to 6 p. m. No cards.

**SIMON-DANZIGER.**—Mr. and Mrs. Morris S. Danziger, of 253 Wyckoff avenue, Brooklyn, announce the betrothal of their daughter Stella P. to Mr. Abraham Simon.

**SOBEL-BERLFEIN.**—Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Berlfein, of 143 West 111th street, announce the engagement of their daughter Lina to Mr. Nathan Sobel.

**STARK-WEIL.**—Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Weil announce the engagement of their daughter Irene to Mr. Sig. Stark. Reception at Hotel Marselles, 103d street and Broadway, Sunday, December 8, from 3 to 6.

**STEINBERGER-MOSES.**—Mr. and Mrs. M. Moses, of 64 East Eighty-seventh street, announce the engagement of their daughter Miriam to Mr. Sol Steinberger.

**TENCER-SCHLUSELBERG.**—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tencer, of 60 Second avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter Miriam to Mr. Abraham Schluselberg. Reception at home, Sunday, December 8, 1912, from 4 to 8.

**WEINSTEIN-PASINSKY.**—Mr. and Mrs. H. Pasinsky, of 109 West 118th street, announce the engagement of their daughter Rose to Mr. Edward M. Weinstein. Reception at home, Sunday, December 15, 1912, from 3 to 6.

MARRIAGES.

**BRAUNSTEIN-FRANKEL.**—Henry Braunstein to Miss Louise Frankel, Thursday, November 28, 1912, by the Rev. M. Krauskopf, at his residence.

**BRUDER-KRAMER.**—On Sunday, December 1, 1912, at Harlem Hall, Miss Anna Kramer to Mr. Julius J. Bruder, by Rev. Dr. Adolph Spiegel.

**DAVIDSON-SWELTBAUM.**—On November 20, 1912, Miss Frances Swelbaum to Mr. Joseph Davidson. Rabbi Israel H. Levinthal officiated.

**EDELSTEIN-BECK.**—Mr. and Mrs. Beck, of Hoboken, N. J., announce the marriage of their daughter, Pauline, to Mr. Goodman Edelstein, at Carlton Hall, by Rabbi Aaron Eiseaman.

**FELDER-FRANKEL.**—Sunday, November 24, by Rev. Dr. Daniel Loewenthal, Blanche, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Frankel, to Abraham Felder.

**GREENFIELD-BRECKSTONE.**—On Sunday, December 1, 1912, at the Savigny, Miss Ida Breckstone to Mr. Maurice Greenfield. Rev. Jos. Segal officiated.

**HERMAN-BROIDS.**—On Saturday evening, November 30, 1912, Miss Sue I. Broids to Mr. Joseph W. Herman, by Rabbi Israel H. Levinthal.

**HERSCOVITZ-FLEISCHL.**—On Thursday, November 28, 1912, Miss Renah Herscovitz to Mr. Alfred Fleischl, by Rev. Dr. Isidore Reichert.

**ISAKOWITZ-KRAFT.**—On Thursday, November 28, 1912, Miss Ida H. Isakowitz to Mr. Samuel Kraft, by Rev. D. de Sola Pool.

**LUFT-STORK.**—Sunday, November 24, Jeannette Stork to Nathan Max Luft, by Rabbi Loewenthal, at his home, 125 East 114th street.

**MELITZ-PHILLIPS.**—On Thursday, November 28, 1912, at Liberty Hall, Brooklyn, Miss Toba Phillips to Mr. Harry Melitz, by Rabbi Israel H. Levinthal.

**POLAK-WEINER.**—On Sunday, November 24, by the Rev. Dr. J. D. Spear, Edith Weiner to Abraham Leonard Polak.

**ROSENBERG-HECHT.**—On November 26, 1912, Miss Leah Hecht to Mr. Louis Rosenberg, by Rev. Dr. Adolph Spiegel.

**SCHWERIN-LEWIS.**—On Thursday, November 28, 1912, at the Savigny, Miss Rose Lewis to Mr. Paul Schwerin. Rev. Dr. Adolph Spiegel officiated.

**WEINSTEIN-SHINSKY.**—Mrs. Henry Shinsky announces the marriage of her daughter Sadye to Mr. Louis Weinstein at Vienna Hall, on Sunday evening, November 24, 1912. Rev. Dr. M. M. Kaplan officiated.

**WIENER-KURZMAN.**—Mr. and Mrs. Seymour P. Kurzman announce the marriage of their daughter Rose S. to Mr. Arthur S. Wiener at their residence, No. 13 East Forty-ninth street, on Monday, December 2, 1912, by Rev. Dr. Samuel Schulman.

**WOLF-GOLDSMITH.**—On Wednesday, November 27, by Rev. D. Loewenthal, Bertha, daughter of Mrs. Theresa Goldsmith, to Alexander Wolf.

IN THE SYNAGOGUES.

**ADATH ISRAEL (Bronx).**—Rabbi M. Kopfstern preaches this evening on "The Philosophy of Prayer."

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Davidson preaches Sabbath morning on "Our Modern Hellenists and Their Antipodes." Dr. Davidson will also speak at the children's Sabbath afternoon service.

**AHAWATH CHESED SHAAR HASH-OMAYIM.**—Rabbi I. S. Moses preaches Sabbath morning on "The Victory of Light." The children's Chanukah festival will take place on Sunday morning.

**ANSHE STUCHIN.**—Mr. Julius J. Price will lecture this Sabbath evening at 8.15 on "Nurseries of Crime."

**BETH-EL.**—Rabbi Samuel Schulman preaches Sabbath morning, Sunday, at 11 a. m., there will be special services given for the C. C. N. Y. Menorah Society, and the Maccabean Cadets. Dr. Schulman will lecture on "Constructive Judaism—a Chanukah Message to Youth."

**BETH ISRAEL BIKUR CHOLIM.**—Rabbi Aaron Eiseaman will preach Sabbath morning on "A Chanukah Message."

**BNAI SHOLAUM (Brooklyn).**—Rabbi Israel Herbert Levinthal will preach this evening on "The Message of the Chanukah Lights."

**EMANU-EL.**—Dr. Joseph Silverman preaches Sabbath morning on "The Great Opportunity for a Modern Maccabee."

**EMANU EL (Brooklyn).**—Rabbi Nathan Lublin will preach this evening on "The Struggle Everlasting."

**EMANU-EL BROTHERHOOD.**—There will be special Chanukah services this evening. Rev. Dr. Joseph Silverman will speak. This evening will also commemorate the ninth anniversary of the institution of these services. Mrs. Mortimer M. Menken will be the speaker at the Sabbath afternoon children's services.

**HAND IN HAND (Bronx).**—Th's evening, Rev. Dr. Isidore Reichert lectures on "Not What One Has, but What One Is." Sabbath morning Rabbi Reichert preaches on the weekly portion of the law.

**KEHILLATH ISRAEL.**—Rabbi E. L. Solomon preaches this evening on "The Spirit of the Maccabees."

**MT. ZION.**—Rabbi B. A. Tintner lectures this evening on "Maccabean Valor." Sabbath morning, "Chanukah." On Sunday morning there will be a Chanukah play given by the children of the religious school.

**ORACH CHAIM.**—Rabbi Dr. J. H. Hertz preaches Sabbath morning.

**SHAARI ZEDEK OF HARLEM.**—Rev. Dr. Adolph Spiegel will preach Sabbath morning on "A Maccabean as a Prototype."

**SINAI (Bronx).**—Rabbi Max Reichler preaches this evening on "The Dormant Spark." Sabbath morning, "The Man of Spirit."

**YOUNG MEN'S HEBREW ASSOCIATION.**—Rev. Dr. J. L. Magnes will be the speaker at the service this evening.

**YOUNG MEN'S HEBREW ASSOCIATION (Bronx).**—Mr. I. Freedman, of the Jewish Theological Seminary, will be the speaker at the service this evening.

**YOUNG WOMEN'S HEBREW ASSOCIATION.**—Mr. Aaron Robison speaks at services this evening and also at the children's services Sabbath afternoon.

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## NEWS FROM ENGLAND.

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### Passover Cake Contracts Placed—How the Jewish Poor Are Helped by Their Board of Guardians—Brilliant Rothschild Wedding—Zionism and the War—Position of Jews in Salonika—A Jewish War Hero.

London, Nov. 22, 1912.

Although Passover does not arrive until the end of April, the Conjoint Flour Committee of the United Synagogue have already sent four representatives to Carlisle, in the North of England, there to inspect the arrangements that have been carried out at the mill where the flour for the manufacture of the Passover cakes is prepared. It may be added that there are probably few mill proprietors in a position to carry out the exacting requirements of the United Synagogue necessitating as they do the employment of special machinery and receptacles and the strict supervision of the wheat from the time it arrives at the mill until the flour is ready to be placed in the sacks, which, in their turn, are sealed up by the accredited supervisor.

Among the many interesting regulations observed by the contractors, one is to the effect that the mill stones had to be recut, and another that no work in connection with the contract is to be performed between sundown on Friday and sunset on Saturday. The extent of the milling operations is fairly indicated by the time occupied in fulfilling the contracts. The amount of Passover flour required by the whole of British Jewry is, as can be imagined, enormous, when it is remembered that it must suffice for the eight days of the festival. Before very long the bakeries in London, Leeds and other provincial centers will be in full blast, for supplies of unleavened bread have to be dispatched in good time to those Jewries which are separated from the old home by many thousands of miles. Nor are the rules in the factories any the less stringent than those insisted upon in the flour mill itself. The workman who desires his midday meal of bread and cheese must consume it far away from the factory, where anything in the nature of leaven is rigorously banned.

It is only by the enforcement of such hard and fast rules that the usages of centuries can be faithfully carried out and Jewry assured that the ritual purity of the unleavened cake is quite above reproach.

The imminence of the winter appeal of the president of the Jewish Board of Guardians draws attention to the little-known magnitude of the operations of the relief organization which London Jewry has maintained for over half a century.

The charity of the Jews as a people and as a community has long been pro-

verbial. Since their return to these shores in the seventeenth century, the well-being of their own poor has always claimed their closest attention and there exist to-day hundreds of Jewish charitable organizations that provide dowries for brides of humble station, bread, meat, and coal for indigent families, and pensions for the aged. From birth until death the needs of the poor of the Jewish community have ever been well considered. There may be, and no doubt is, a distinct need for co-ordination, but all these forces are nevertheless helping along the uphill road of life all who are 'debarred by age, illness, or poverty from taking their place in the ranks of the great industrial army.

There is one organization, however, that eclipses them all, an institution that comprises within itself all the forces that make for social betterment and the elimination of the pauper taint. A great red brick building in Wigmore street, Bishopsgate, the Jewish Board of Guardians, is little more than half a century old. Here, in this well-ordered institution within a stone's throw of Bishopsgate, the dispensing of charity has been reduced to something very like an exact science. If the affording of pecuniary assistance were the only reason d'être of the board, its work would still be interesting, but seeing that it provides ample work for fifteen different committees, and that its activities range from the provision of false teeth for the very poor to a pure milk supply for consumptives, from the carrying on of a campaign of hygiene to the often thankless task of apprenticing Jewish boys and girls, it is easy to understand that it represents a real power for good in the community and a boon and a blessing to the East End ratepayers.

Since its establishment, a little over half a century ago, the Jewish Board of Guardians has maintained an attitude not of a dole-giving charity, "but an association which aims at assisting applicants towards moral and industrial self-help." Some idea of the activity of an institution dispensing something like \$150,000 annually in direct relief to the Jewish poor of the metropolis may be gathered from an account of the functions of its committees.

Remarkably interesting, both from a social and a human standpoint, is the work of its loan committee, which came into being as far back as 1859. Of the 50,000 borrowers who availed themselves of its facilities during half a century a by no means small percentage are now in affluent circumstances, their names figuring annually on the board's subscription list. One of the earliest clients of the Loan Committee, once assisted with the small loan of \$25, shows his gratitude by occasionally calling upon the officers of the committee and making the path easier for those who may have fallen in arrears with their repayments. Since the Loan Committee commenced operations the enormous sum of about \$1,350,000 has been advanced without interest, and, according to Mr. Ansell, chairman of the committee, the proportion of bad debts has never been greater than 2 1/2 per cent. The loan clients of the board are recruited from many walks of life, and embrace all classes of workers—bakers and butchers, doctors and jewelers, cabmen and coke dealers.

The ever watchful Sanitary Committee of the board performs a work that is making of East End slumdom a far happier, healthier place than it ever was. Tuberculous cases are isolated, extra living room is secured for families in which such cases occur, and by up-to-date methods the spread of the white scourge is rigorously prevented. Sanatorium treatment at Daneswood is available in special cases.

There is something romantic in the story of the beginnings of the board's Work Committee, which, in the present guise of the Industrial Committee, concerned itself with the solution of labor difficulties long before labor exchanges (by which name are known the offices established all over the country under a recent act of Parliament for enabling working men and working women to find employment) were ever dreamed of. It seems that in 1861 the department received an anonymous gift of ten sewing machines, these being lent to carefully selected borrowers, who were enabled to purchase them by a weekly payment of 50 cents. Three years later those ten machines had multiplied into twenty-four, bringing in their train a spirit of resourcefulness and independence. Today the Industrial Committee concerns itself mainly with the apprenticing of boys and girls to suitable trades. For premiums and tools it has advanced over \$40,000, and its great ambition has always been to place these young Israelites in trades in which there is little fear of overcrowding.

The wedding of Baron Alphonse von Rothschild, son of Baron Albert von Rothschild, of Vienna, and Miss Clarice Adelaide Sepag-Montefiore, only daughter of Edmund Sepag-Montefiore, in London, was solemnized on November 20 at the Central Synagogue, Great Portland street, according to the Orthodox requirements of the Jewish faith. This is not, by any means the first alliance between the great Jewish families of Rothschild and Montefiore. The head of the latter

house was for many years Sir Moses Montefiore, who was knighted by Queen Victoria in the year of her accession and received a baronetcy in 1846, a year before the same honor was conferred on Sir Anthony Rothschild, whose wife was also a Montefiore.

Large crowds assembled outside the synagogue, both at the Great Portland street and Hallam street entrances, and a brisk trade was done by the vendors of unofficial programmes and souvenir paper handkerchiefs, bearing alleged portraits of the bride and bridegroom. The bride and bridegroom and the principal guests arrived, however, at the Hallam street entrance. Inside the synagogue there was a gay assembly of privileged spectators, admittance being limited strictly to ticket-holders. The galleries were hung with festoons of carnations, the almezar or reading desk was adorned with palms and surrounded with garlands of lilies and chrysanthemums. Immediately in front of the reading desk in the wardens' pew, in which until the time for the actual ceremony to begin sat the bridegroom, wearing his tallith or praying shawl, Lord Rothschild being seated on his right, and the "best man" on his left, the other occupants of the pew being Baron Louis de Rothschild and the father of the bride. The pulpit was also adorned with palms, chrysanthemums and lilies. For once the strict rules of synagogue etiquette were broken. Gentlemen mixed with the ladies in the upper or reserved ladies' gallery, and both sexes congregated on the floor of the synagogue. A copy of the "Order of Service," handsomely printed in blue, with the title page in letters of silver, was presented to every invited guest.

The political situation in the Near East is closely watched by the leaders of the Zionist movement. So far there is no ground for any serious uneasiness concerning the movement. The Turkish defeat in Europe does not directly concern Zionism, which aims at acquiring Palestine. The policy of the Zionist organization has hitherto been to form a Jewish settlement in Palestine in accordance with the Constitution of the Ottoman Empire, and to foster the interests of the Turkish Government. It is understood that the same policy will be adhered to unconditionally, whatever territorial losses Turkey may suffer. As long as Palestine is a part of the Ottoman Empire the policy will remain unchanged.

The following semi-official statement is issued at Athens, Greece: "The report that a Jewish publican at Salonika has attempted to poison a number of Evzones is categorically denied. Turkish policy has always endeavored to embroil the Greek and Israelite elements of the population and might have profited at the present moment from raising the cry of anti-Semitism, but Greece, which after France was the first country to put the Jews on an absolutely equal footing with the rest of her population, is not disposed to such a manoeuvre. The Israelites are assured of protection and sympathy from the Greek authorities at Salonika. The patriotism shown during the war by Greek communities in the kingdom, particularly those at Athens and in Corfu and Thessaly, and the telegram they sent to their co-religionists at Salonika, are the best guarantee that the Salonika Jews can have for the future. It should be noted that Venetians in the Ionian Islands and the Turks in Thessaly succeeded in sowing dissensions between the Jews and the Orthodox Christians, but a few years of liberty and equality destroyed that last trace of this hostile feeling. The King of the Hellenes, when he passed through Thessaly recently, stayed at the house of a Jewish notable at Trikkala, and Greece is the only country in the East which has appointed not only Jewish officials but also Jewish magistrates."

An imposing demonstration took place on November 21, at Belgrade, Servia, when practically the whole population of Belgrade turned out to pay the last tribute of respect to a young Jewish merchant, Amar Mosha, who was treacherously slain by Albanians at Ferisovitch. He had served as a reserve officer, and entered Ferisovitch with a detachment of cavalry after the town had surrendered and the inhabitants, mostly Albanians, had promised obedience to Servian authority.

Amar Mosha led his men into the abandoned Turkish barracks where they rested for the night. They were tired after the fatigues of the day, and slept heavily. Suddenly a number of Albanians, taking advantage of the darkness, entered the barracks through the windows and attacked Amar and his men. Taken completely by surprise and outnumbered by the Servians all perished and their bodies were mutilated in the most fiendish manner by the treacherous Albanians.

This dastardly outrage caused widespread indignation and a desire was expressed that special honors should be paid to the brave Jewish hero who shed his blood for the Fatherland. Accordingly, his body was brought from Ferisovitch to Belgrade, where the interment, which took place on November 21, was made the occasion for an impressive display of respect and sympathy. All the ministers were represented in the funeral procession, and the body was escorted to the Jewish cemetery by some of the sturdy peasant reservists who now form the garrison of Belgrade. While the procession was passing through the streets the Jewish Choral Society, instead of the usual hymns, sang patriotic songs, particularly the war hymn specially dear to Servian hearts, "Oh, my trumpeter, from the mighty Drina, let us hear your call." The Jews in Belgrade were deeply moved by the manner in which the Servians honored their hero.

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In order to insure the insertion of communications in the current issue of THE HEBREW STANDARD they must be in this office not later than Wednesday 10 a. m. of the week in which they are to appear.

Rosh Chodesh Tebeth *benschen* this Sabbath.

Chanukah demands that the Jew be first and foremost a Jew!

The present distressing war in the Balkans is not without its uses. For one thing, it gives the American Jewish Committee something to do.

Chanukah in this year since the creation of the world calls upon the Jew to take heart of grace, to be strong in battling for his faith and traditions, and not to fear to stand up for his principles.

If some of our Reform rabbis would have lived in the days of Judah the Maccabee, he would by preference have turned his arms against them rather than against Antiochus, as the greater, the more insidious of two threatening dangers.

The Young Men's Hebrew Association of Fall River, Mass., has the proper notion of what some of its functions are. Its president has appointed a committee to visit the *parnassim* of the local synagogue in order that for the future the use of these edifices for political purposes be discontinued. While we commend the action of the Y. M. H. A. named, we think the condition of affairs which caused such a step to be taken is nothing short of deplorable.

The new year book, for 1912-1913, of the Free Synagogue is replete with interesting information. Particular stress is rightly laid on the work and the activities of the social service department, which is the division of the organization that we are cordially able to support and commend. With the Free Synagogue as a religious institution this journal had and has nothing in common; this fact, however, does not blind us to the very effective manner in which the social service department is carrying on the desires of its leaders.

The most recent dispatch from Washington states that our State Department will literally fulfill the wishes of Congress with respect to the abrogated Russian treaty. We sincerely trust that truth resides in this report, and that the present national authorities will do nothing overtly or covertly to hamper the full and fair settlement of the passport question on the only terms by which it can be adjusted, that is, by conceding absolutely nothing to Russia and by holding that country to a strict respect for the rights and prerogatives of all our citizens.

Those of our brethren-in-faith in Boston who insist that some Jew must be named by the authorities to succeed the Jew who has just resigned as chairman of the school committee, are committing a startling blunder. The chairmanship of the committee does not belong to the Jews of Boston, any more than it is the property of their Catholic fellow-citizens. The best man for the place should be the successor of the Jewish expert who has just resigned. If the successor be a Jew we shall, of course, rejoice. But if the right man for the post happens to be a non-Jew he should be appointed, regardless of all clamor.

The appeal on behalf of the wretched Jews of European Turkey, who, in addition to all the other evils under which they labor, are now struck by the great calamity of the present Balkan war, ought to be carefully and generously heeded by all the Jews of all the other countries of the earth. The misery of our Turkish brethren-in-faith beggars description, and the local communities are manifestly powerless to alleviate their suffering. Since the appeal is signed by the most prominent Turkish religious and social leaders—the chief rabbi, the representative of the *Hilfsverein der Deutschen Juden*, the agent of the *Alliance Israélite Universelle*, and the president of the Grand Lodge of the B'nai B'rith, it should receive that immediate and proper response which the standing of the signatories warrants.

## HAIL TO THE CHIEF!

WE take pleasure in extending the warmest of welcomes home to the Rev. Dr. Bernard Drachman, Rabbi of Ohab Zedek, who was absent on a visit to Anglo-Jewry, and who arrived on Wednesday last with the *Kronprinzessin Cecillie*. We rejoice that his success in England was so signal and striking, especially in view of the fact that this journal was the first to suggest his name for the post of Chief Rabbi.

With the return of Rabbi Drachman, the present contest for the English chief rabbinate has entered upon what may be truthfully called its final phase. *The Jewish Chronicle*, which naturally is most deeply and vitally of all our contemporaries concerned about this matter, has spoken of *Dayan* Dr. Moses Hyamson, of London, in terms that are tantamount to the reverend gentleman's elimination from all consideration. Our contemporary declares it believes "that his selection for the post would be disastrous. We feel that his incumbency of the office of Chief Rabbi would be a hazardous, a dangerous, and an undesirable course which the community should most decidedly avoid." Thus, in this strong, unequivocal language is the election narrowed down to Rabbi Drachman and Hertz, both of whom are, we rejoice to add, American citizens and well known ministers of this city and country.

Of Rabbi Drachman *The Jewish Chronicle* says:

Since that time the learned rabbi has been in and out among his brethren, he has spoken to us on occasions and subjects of varying character, homiletic, religious, rabbinic and secular, he has taken his place at various functions, public and private. And now, if we interpret communal opinion aright, the first impressions the community received of Dr. Drachman seem to have been very amply confirmed. From all quarters we gather that Dr. Drachman has won for himself respect and esteem which are seldom so unstinted and widely accorded to one who is potentially or actually candidate for office among us as has been his case.

While of Rabbi Hertz, of Orach Chaim, the words of *The Chronicle* are equally flattering, as follows:

He has appealed to us as a gentleman who, as Chief Rabbi, would prove himself to be an exceptionally able administrator with a large gift for organization and a boundless fund of energy and driving-power to place at the service of the community. His visit to this country revealed in him rare powers of oratory, consummate intellectuality, and a quite remarkable knowledge of the needs and aspirations of Jewry. The human element in Dr. Hertz, and his wide knowledge of men and affairs in three continents, pointed to a very necessary equipment in one who seeks to undertake the quasi-secular duties which attach to the Rabbinate.

In view of these conditions, and with a full knowledge of the situation at present existing in the chief rabbinate problem, we sincerely trust that Rabbi Drachman's visit to England was not made in vain, that the selection committee of candidates for the vacancy will see fit to add his name to the names of Dr. Hertz and *Dayan* Hyamson, who are now already before the electors for the post.

For it is but fair and proper that the electors of the Chief Rabbi have the full, the adequate, opportunity to choose among three candidates of whom two fulfill in such a high degree the requirements prescribed for the incumbent of this exalted office.

## THE TWO VIEWS

THE subject of Russia's treatment of Jews, who are citizens of another country and who desire to enter the Czar's empire for one reason or another, formed during the past week the staple of two official manifestos. On the one hand, the Right Hon. Sir Edward Grey, Bart., M. P., His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, refused to consider the matter at all, although representations had been made to him by the Conjoint Foreign Committee of the English Jewish Board of Deputies and the Anglo-Jewish Association. On the other we have the wholly satisfactory and quite assuring statement of President Taft in a letter to the Hon. Simon Wolf, of Washington, in which he distinctly says that our government does not expect to change "by any agreement or so-called *modus vivendi* the *status quo* which the abrogation of the treaty (of 1832 with Russia) will leave on the first of January next by ceasing to have effect."

We do not and cannot understand what motives of diplomacy or of statecraft moved Sir Edward Grey, the British Foreign Secretary, to take up so peculiar and un-British an attitude in respect of Anglo-Jewish relations with Russia. England is, of course, Russia's neighbor in India, but Americans have considerable commercial interests in the Russian Empire, and have set justice and adequate protection for all our citizens above what is often contemptuously referred to as "our dollar diplomacy."

Glad are we that Great Britain, and not the United States, is the nation to-day where the dollar is almighty. Admitting, as Sir Edward Grey points out in his answering note, that the British Government dealt with the subject of the Russian passport in 1862 and again in 1881, that is no reason for not making it the subject of official representations in 1912. In the same way the argument could have been advanced by our own statesmen and diplomats last year that the United States had considered the question of Russian passports for practically every year of the past three decades. But for this reason, certainly, Congress could not have refused to abrogate the treaty in 1911.

On the whole, in this matter, as happens so frequently, the action of the United States is more consonant with the principles of twentieth-century liberty than that of King George's cabinet.

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בני יהודה ובני ירושלים מכרחם לבני היונים למען הרחיקם מעל גבולם:

"The children of Judah and the children of Jerusalem have ye sold unto the Grecians, that ye might remove them far from their border." (Joel iv, 6.)

OUR text, though originally not intended for the purpose, may well be applied to the Hellenistic party of old, whose aim was to foist Grecian customs upon the Jewish people, and who did not shrink from playing into the hands of Israel's enemies in their endeavor to "sell the children of Judah and Jerusalem unto the Grecians."

It was not a new thing in the history of the Jews, that some of them should be dazzled by the brilliancy of alien customs and alien cultures. From of old even to this day, we have always shown ourselves easy victims to the allurements of outside influences. "And they mingled among the nations and learned their deeds." This seems to be our national foible. We are flirts fickle and faithless towards our own ideals, but always ready to wink and smirk at strange ideals if any be within sight. We are inveterate oglers.

Judging from the history of all our notorious national flirtations, we may well believe that those early Hellenists were at first drawn merely towards the outside glitter and glamor of Greek civilization. They were not aware that they were radically departing from the faith of their fathers. A little reform here, a little more reform there—can it hurt? That is the way we Jews always start out on the downward grade of reform. Judean life was altogether too stern, too prosaic, too evenly-balanced—why not introduce some features that should enliven it? Why not have, now and again, olympic games, athletic contests, bacchanalia, and so forth? Why not, indeed? There were altogether too many restraints—too many *Don'ts*. Why not let up a bit? Why not lighten the "yoke of the Law?"

This chafing under legal restraints is, of course, a familiar element in all our reform endeavors. And there is the pretext, too, so well known in all such efforts, not to touch the essentials and to change mere externalities. Did not the modern Reform movement begin the same way? Did we not hear the complaints about the thousand and one restrictions of the Law? about the sparing of fundamentals? about *mere* esthetics in music and behavior? And did not this modern Reform, too, end in "removing the borders," in affecting essential principles, until to-day it is the veritable boast of reform that it deals not only with mere form, but with theories and truths, that it has a philosophy of religion and life all its own?

This very same thing seems to have happened in the case of the Hellenists. At first a mere paltering with esthetic trifles, at first a mere pandering to the itch of the senses, their innovations seriously affected the fundamental character of Jewish life. On all sides, signs of utter degeneration became manifest, especially among the young of our race. Duty ceased to be the motive of life; pleasure became its driving force. Lust reigned supreme and licentious conduct the rule of existence. The grandeur and ethical sublimity of the monotheistic faith became obscured in the minds of those who were ashamed to be, and look like Jews. Mount Olymp towered high above Mount Zion, and where songs of praise had been intoned in honor of the God of Israel, there lewd chants were sung full-throatedly by men and women who doffed the garb of moral restraint and reeled like the panting slaves of passion that they became in the shadow of the gay Dionysus-Bacchus.

Thus, in the language of our text, the children of Judah were "far removed from their border." It was against moral restraint against the "fence of the law," against the border that circumscribed the territory within which they might safely and lawfully move and be happy in a quiet fashion, that they murmured. Removing the borders resulted in their far overstepping them. This result has been thus far inevitable in all reform endeavors. The trouble with all our reformers, ancient as well as modern, is that they do not understand that these borders, these fences, these safeguards, which they scorn and revolt from, are absolutely necessary. Remove them and you not only lose a few forms or ceremonies here and there, but you also lose and falsify the essence.

Moreover, the distinction between fence and law, between form and essence, between the border and the territory it incloses is more theoretical than practical. The essence of Judaism is restraint. The essence of Grecian culture in those days was lack of restraint. The Hellenists should have realized that in protesting against the restraints imposed by Judaism, they were protesting against Judaism itself. The border is part of the land it encloses and safeguards. Restraint is wholesome and necessary. Psychologists will tell you that the rational and moral life of man begins with restraint, with inhibition, with energies bent towards one end that excludes all other purposes. Only a child cannot restrain its movements, and therefore is aimless and without the ability to grasp. Duty can only flourish where a selective process allows the curbing of the lower instincts. Commonsense will easily give assent to the thought that restraint is the gateway to the higher life.

The restraints, the discipline, of old-time Jewish life are too well known to need mention. To-day these restraints have been discarded with the most disastrous results among the young of our race. A new Paganism, pleasure-loving, passion-seeking, has taken the place of the stern purity of Jewish morality. The children of Judah are sold to the Grecians—they are far removed from the borders the ancients have set. How long will this condition last? Will the Jewish people yet celebrate the Great Feast of Dedication and Purification? Our eyes turn longingly towards the Chanukah of the latter days, and our hearts call out yearningly: Wanted—Modern Maccabees!

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### HEBREW AND BABYLONIAN LAW.

The Rev. C. H. W. Johns, Litt. D.,  
master of St. Catherine's College,  
Cambridge, in the course of a lecture  
on "The Laws of Israel and Baby-  
lon," before the British Academy,  
said:

"Of late years the 'incomparable  
value' of the laws of Moses has been  
readily submitted to the comparative  
method, especially since the discovery  
of the Code of Hammurabi in 1902.  
An extensive literature has grown up  
around this code, explaining it, illus-  
trating it from contemporary practice  
as well as from other areas of com-  
parative law. For the most part, this  
is extremely sound work. Much has  
also been written on the comparison  
of the laws of Israel and Babylonia;  
but this great difficulty arises from  
the various critical theories of the  
composition of the book of Moses  
and the date of the different docu-  
ments embodied in them. But the  
general consensus of the modern  
scholars afforded a grouping which  
must be respected. The result ap-  
pears to be that in certain features  
the laws of Israel grew ever more  
like those of Babylon. Yet the  
Babylonians themselves did not con-  
quer Judea till very late in Israel's  
history. Accordingly it was sug-  
gested that the growth of likeness to  
Babylonian law was due to assimila-  
tion to the laws of Canaan, which,  
whether derived from Babylon or  
from some common stock, must  
clearly have been closely akin to  
Babylonian law."

The above lecture was one of a  
series on "Biblical Archaeology."  
The first aimed at setting out the ex-  
ternal features of Hammurabi's Code  
and then setting in the state of Baby-  
lonian society at that time. The sec-  
ond lecture discussed the correspond-  
ing feature of Israel's laws, with a  
brief account of the Book of the Coven-  
ant in comparison with the Code  
of Hammurabi, showing that this ear-  
liest Israelite code has striking re-  
semblances to Babylonian law. The

third lecture dealt with the various  
theories of common Semitic sources  
and of the common features due to  
the human genius reaching the same,  
or closely allied, solution of the same  
social problems. Then came one or  
two examples of such close agree-  
ment that, in spite of the disguised  
presentation in the text of the law,  
it would be difficult to avoid the sus-  
picion that the Hebrew law-giver  
was actually aware of the law in  
Babylonia, even if he only knew of it  
from Canaanite sources. The con-  
clusion of the whole matter is that  
pointed out in Hasting's "Bible Dic-  
tionary," that in both lands an invad-  
ing people of Semitic type imposed  
upon the conquered but not exter-  
minated, settled and more civilized  
population some elements of their  
own customs, while assimilating  
such more civilized views as were not  
repugnant to their racial prejudices  
and predilections.

Dr. Isaac A. Hourwich, whose  
reputation as a trained economist is  
established, has just published "Im-  
migration and Labor," a volume in  
which he seeks to show that the con-  
dition of our labor markets has noth-  
ing whatever to do with our problem  
of immigration as such. The restric-  
tionists are continually declaring that  
the new immigration deprives the  
American workingman of his liveli-  
hood, and that, moreover, it is flood-  
ing our country with human beings  
whose standard of living and of de-  
cency is far beneath our own. Dr.  
Hourwich unerringly lays the fallac-  
ies of such arguments bare, and his  
painstaking investigation proves that:

1. Recent immigration has displaced  
none of the native American wage-  
earners or of the earlier immigrants,  
but has only covered the shortage of labor  
resulting from the excess of the demand  
over the domestic supply.
2. Immigration varies inversely with  
unemployment; it has not increased the  
rate of unemployment.
3. The standard of living of the recent  
immigrants is not lower than the stand-  
ard of living of the past generations of  
immigrants engaged in the same occu-  
pations. Recent immigration has not  
lowered the standard of living of Amer-  
icans and older immigrant wage-earners.
4. Recent immigration has not reduced  
the rates of wages, nor has it prevented  
an increase in the rates of wages; it has  
pushed the native and older immigrant  
wage-earners upward on the scale of  
occupations.
5. The hours of labor have been re-  
duced contemporaneously with recent  
immigration.
6. The membership of labor organiza-  
tions has grown apace with recent im-  
migration; the new immigrants have  
contributed their proportionate quota to  
the membership of every labor organiza-  
tion which has not discriminated  
against them, and they have firmly stood  
by their organizations in every contest.

The suggestion of Max Pam, the  
Chicago lawyer, that the Jews of the  
East Side adopt the Roman Catholic  
religion as a means of material sal-  
vation is probably born of a twisted  
mind. Perhaps the Catholic Church  
would be delighted to have such a  
series of *en masse* conversions occur-  
ring. Perhaps the Jews of the East  
Side would be willing to become  
Catholics because of the political or

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other advantages thereby accruing to  
them. Perhaps Mr. Pam's proposal  
will win a knighthood of the order of  
St. Gregory the Great from the Pope  
for him.

Sir Stuart Samuel, the London  
baronet, banker, M. P., and com-  
munal worker, seems to have stirred  
up a hornet's nest for himself. 'Tis  
a pity, for Sir Stuart's firm profited  
but very little by the transaction now  
under investigation. We have no  
doubt that of absolute wrongdoing  
not a trace will be discovered. But  
Englishmen are so literal, so insular.

Mayor Gaynor apparently is either  
a Seventh-Day Baptist or a Seventh-  
Day Adventist, or, perhaps, an ortho-  
dox Jew. A Christian who writes  
as follows: "The Christians do not  
observe the Sabbath day—namely  
the seventh day—established by God  
according to the Fourth Command-  
ment," must be one of the foregoing.  
And he insists that Christians must  
have "no miserable little prejudice  
against the Jews because they stick  
to the Sabbath." But the irony of all  
this is that the Jews do not "stick to  
the Sabbath." They think, or at any  
rate many of them do, that the Chris-  
tians will and must value them  
more highly if they desecrate their  
own Sabbath and keep the day of  
rest of the Gentiles. What an error  
they must commit we behold in the  
opinion of the liberal Christian  
Mayor of our city.

### MEN'S CLOTHES.

The changes in men's clothes  
are not very pronounced, nor  
very radical. Indeed, the styles  
which prevail are verisimilar to  
those which were prevalent many  
years ago.

There is sometimes a shift from  
the tight-fitting trouser to a wide  
one, but this change is generally  
short-lived. The wide, baggy  
trousers do not appeal very  
strongly to good dressers, and are  
rarely donned, even when in  
vogue, save by a few gentlemen of  
absolute leisure.

In coats the most frequent changes  
are noticeable in the style of the  
lapel—either it is cut wide or nar-  
row—the skirt of the coat is some-  
times cut away, more or less. The  
English walking coat, in style, cut  
and length, seems to hold its  
*semper idem* style. It rarely  
changes.

**EIGENMACHT, SIMON.**—In pursuance of an  
order of Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Sur-  
rogate of the County of New York, notice  
is hereby given to all persons having claims  
against Simon Eigenmacht, late of the  
County of New York, deceased, to present  
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scriber, at his place of transacting business  
at the office of Henry Meyer, his attorney,  
No. 302 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan,  
City of New York, on or before the 10th day  
of June next.  
Dated New York, the 3d day of December,  
1912.

**CHARLES EIGENMACHT, Executor.**  
**HENRY MEYER, Attorney for Executor,**  
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**KAHN, HENRIETTA.**—In pursuance of an  
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cial settlement of the account of proceed-  
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But Loeb was not satisfied. The roving ardor of an awakening of physical chemistry was in the air. It carried him to Heidelberg, and then to Leipzig to be with Ostwald.

as Docent in chemistry. . . . When but twenty-eight years of age he was called to the Chair of Chemistry at New York University. . . . It was shortly after this that I met Morris Loeb. He was fired with the zeal of those captain teachers, and his own lighted torch he passed on by students of his who now reflect, in many responsible positions, that spirit of the eighties. . . .

This is a tribute to a noble-hearted Jew, a tribute inspired by feeling and affection, though unfortunately Prof. Baskerville's command of the pen is not of a very effective kind.

Loeb's interest in his co-religionists (especially the young student class) was well shown on one occasion when he asked me whether it was true that anti-semitism ruled at Columbia; and when I was forced to answer in the affirmative, the expression on his face plainly showed how much it pained him.

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KAHN, JACOB.—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 Jacob Kahn, 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 Emanuel Jacobus, No. 132 Nassau street, in the City of New York, on or before the 3d day of February, 1918 next.

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Dated New York, June 6, 1912.

HERMAN MANDELBAUM, Executor.

STROOCK & STROOCK, Attorneys for Executors, 30 Broad Street, New York City.

**STRAUSS, HARRY A.**—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 Harry A. Strauss, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscriber, at his place of transacting business, at the office of Messrs. Eisman, Levy, Corn & Lewine, her attorneys, No. 135 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 8th day of March next.

Dated New York, the 22d day of August, 1912.

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**BLUMENTHAL, ALBERT.**—In pursuance of an order of Honorable John P. Cohalan, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Albert Blumenthal, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscriber, at her place of business, the office of Wiel & Blumenthal, attorneys for the said executrix, No. 149 Broadway, suite 1024, in the city of New York, on or before January 15, next.

Dated, New York, February 16, 1912.

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Dated New York, the 10th day of June, 1912.

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Dated, New York, the 8th day of October 1912.

ISRAEL UNTERBERG, BELLA UNTERBERG, FANNIE LIEPOVITZ, Executors.

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Dated New York, the 9th day of July, 1912.

JULIUS LOEWENTHAL, DAVID LOEWENTHAL, BERNHARD LOEWENTHAL, Executors.

BERNHARD LOEWENTHAL, Attorneys for Executors, 35 Nassau Street, New York City.

**BAMBERGER, LEVI.**—In pursuance of an order of Honorable John P. Cohalan, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Levi Bamberger, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscriber, at her place of transacting business, No. 128 Broadway, in the City of New York, on or before the 1st day of March, 1913 next.

Dated New York, August 14, 1912.

SARAH L. BAMBERGER, Executrix.

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Editor HEBREW STANDARD:  
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It affords your correspondent pleasure and delight to congratulate you upon your bold outspokenness and open censure of Oscar S. Straus and his Jewish indifference, apathy and lukewarmness. Some four years ago, it was but the radical American Israelite that took Mr. Straus to task for violating the Yom Kippur, the most solemn day in the Jewish calendar, and attending to his official duties in the Department of Commerce and Labor, at Washington. The Orthodox press, both English and Yiddish, let the matter pass without much reflection, intimation or reproach, while the Baltimore Jewish Comment exonerated Straus from any blame or culpability.

The fools are not dead yet, and there are some hackneyed Jews who would forgive Mr. Straus his irreligiousness and pardon, the German ostrich its natural cowardice. One of that particular species paraded his stultifications in the HEBREW STANDARD of November 15. He maintains that the correction for wrongdoing should have come from Mr. Straus' family, forgetting, however, as the slanting Zadik does, that all Israel constitutes indeed but one family, the Standard's editor, as a good-standing member of the latter, enjoying the full satisfaction and perfect right to censure the wayward and criticize the silly. Profaning the Kippur holiness, discarding the dietary laws, going to a place where Jews are debarred and responding to the tune of "Onward, Christian Soldier's." Oscar Solomon Straus exposed himself to public censure and Jewish criticism; this sinful quartet and four-fold transgressions can never be overlooked, nor passed unnoticed. There were Jewish statesmen and ministers, Joseph, who feared God; Nehemiah, who pleaded the cause of Jerusalem; and Mordecai, who instituted a three-day's fasting. What has Straus done?

Very truly yours,  
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### Jewish Divorce.

The appointment in England of a Royal Commission on Divorce and Matrimonial Causes has given rise to a series of articles in the London "Times" on the history of divorce, in the first of which (November 8, 1912) some references are made to the Jewish practice.

"From the earliest ages," says the writer, "the Jewish husband could discard his wife at will, while we find that even in the age of Hammurabi the wife had some power of initiative in the matter, and in the fifth century, before our era she could at any rate claim, if she could not declare, a divorce. The Pentateuch introduced the check of the formal written letter of divorce, and the further check that a divorce severed forever the joint married state. The universal use of the settlement, or dot, was a further check. The late husband had to refund it. The position during, or shortly after, the time of Christ among the Jews seems to have been as follows: The school of Shammai limited the grounds on which a husband could obtain a divorce to immorality, while the school of Hillel gave the husband in theory an almost unlimited right. The old penalty for proven adultery on the part of the woman was death; but not later than the year 30 A. D. compulsory divorce was substituted. If the woman's adultery was

proed her interest in her marriage settlement ceased, and she was forbidden to marry her paramour. The advantage to the husband of proving the offense practically constrained him to abandon his right of dismissal and to carry the case before the Beth Din, or Court of Three, and thence to the Supreme Court at Jerusalem. In the year 40 A. D. the necessary formalities of divorce were increased by Gamaliel, who ordained that the Get, or letter of divorce, must be subscribed by witnesses. There was a further check on arbitrary divorce. By custom a man had to preserve his divorced wife from want. The wife could claim a divorce if her husband were a leper and in certain other cases; but not if he were insane, as his consent was necessary. Nor could a husband divorce an insane wife, as she then stood in special need of his help. But nullity could be declared if it were proved that either party was insane before marriage. In certain other cases of disease or infirmity he could, however, divorce her. The only cases of indissolubility among the Jews were where the husband wrongfully accused his wife of ante-nuptial misconduct, and the case mentioned in Deuteronomy (XXII.). The Jews had no knowledge of the Hermas doctrine, elaborated by St. Augustine, of divorce without the right of re-marriage."

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BAR MITZVAH.

BERKOWITZ.—Mr. and Mrs. Max Berkowitz, of 103 Lexington avenue, beg to announce the Bar Mitzvah of their son Winam Morris, who will take place at the synagogue Adereth El, 135 East Twenty-ninth street, on Saturday, December 14. Reception at Victoria Hall, 641 Lexington avenue, Sunday, December 15, 1912.

LIPPMAN.—Mr. and Mrs. Gustave Lippman, of 133 West 129th street, announce the Bar Mitzvah of their son, Walter L., at Temple Israel, of Harlem, Lenox avenue and 120th street, on Saturday, December 7. At home Sunday, December 8, from 3 to 6.

NEWMAN.—Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Newman, of 87 East Ninety-sixth street, announce the Bar Mitzvah of their son Leopold Lenk Newman, at Temple Rodeph Shalom, Lexington avenue and Sixty-third street, Saturday, December 7, 10 o'clock.

ROSE.—Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin H. Rose, of 70 West 180th street, announce the Bar Mitzvah of their son Silas Herbert, on Saturday, December 7, 1912, at Temple Israel, of Harlem, 120th street and Lenox avenue. Reception same evening, Duryea's, 555 West 182d street, after 8.30 p. m.

SCHWARTZ.—Mr. and Mrs. S. Schwartz, 27 West 111th street, announce the Bar Mitzvah of their son Jerome at Temple Mount Zion, 41 West 119th street, Saturday, December 7.

BIRTHS.

MAUTNER.—Mr. and Mrs. Max Mautner (nee Dorothy Levison), 408 West 130th street, announce the birth of a daughter, November 25.

SCHWEITZER.—Mr. and Mrs. I. Schweitzer, of 454 Fort Washington avenue, New York city, announce the birth of a daughter, November 28.

IN MEMORIAM.

HEYMAN.—A monument erected in memory of the late Leo Heyman, for many years sexton of the Congregation Orach Chaim, was unveiled in Union Fields Cemetery last Sunday afternoon. Rabbi Dr. J. H. Hertz officiated.

SOCIAL.

The Junior Sisterhood of Temple Israel of Harlem intends giving a dance in order to raise funds to carry on relief work. The dance is to be held Saturday evening, December 21, 1912, at the Hotel Waldorf-Astoria. The affair is under the auspices of Miss Jeannette van Reatte, chairman; the Misses Beatrice Hollander, Mabel Hays, Doris Gallert, Elsa Dryfoos, Miriam Brann, Ruth Goodfriend, Elizabeth Levy, Ruth Moss, Stella Stein, Rita Goldstein, Helen Misch, Vera Kahn, Clara Butterweiser, Isabel Greenberg, Myrtle Powell, Jeannette Nathan, Ruth Harris. The patronesses are Mrs. William C. Solomon, Mrs. O. Kopel, Mrs. L. Bloch, Mrs. A. Goldsmith, Mrs. M. Heim, Mrs. M. H. Harris, Mrs. J. Mayer, Mrs. J. L. B. Mayer, Mrs. S. Sternberg, Mrs. M. Lipper, Mrs. M. King, Mrs. F. Hirschlow and Mrs. M. B. Laneyger.

Rev. Dr. and Mrs. H. Pereira Mendes received their friends on Sunday last at their residence, No. 106 Central Park West, in honor of the Bar Mitzvah of their son, Abraham Pereira Mendes, which took place the preceding day at the Shearith Israel Synagogue. From early morning until late at night there was a constant stream of callers to offer their congratulations to the confirmant and his happy parents. The visitors consisted not only of members of the congregation but of prominent representatives of New York's Jewry.

A Chanukah festival and ball will be given under the auspices of the Zion Hebrew Institute of the Bronx on Sun-

day evening, December 8, at the McKinley Square Casino, 169th street and Boston Road. The programme will be varied, and will include a playlet produced by the pupils of the institute. The entire proceeds will go towards the maintenance of the school, where over 200 pupils are in daily attendance.

On Thursday, November 28, 1912, Mrs. Theresa Blum, of 72 East 93d street, held a reception at her home in honor of the betrothal of her daughter Florence Ruth to Mr. David Bernstein. Many relatives and friends were present. The reception room was beautifully decorated with white chrysanthemums.

The Rev. Dr. H. G. Enelow, the associate rabbi of Temple Emanu-El, was the guest at a reception given in his honor at Sherry's Sunday afternoon by the members of his congregation. There was singing by the Misses Inez Barbour and Marie Jordan, members of the temple choir, accompanied by Walter C. Gale, organist of Temple Emanu-El.

On Thanksgiving afternoon, a reception was given by Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Furman, at Murray's, No. 228 West Forty-second street, in honor of the engagement of their daughter Dorothy to Mr. Samuel Sokolski. In the evening a dinner was given at their home.

On Sunday evening, December 3, there will be an entertainment and ball given at Terrace Garden, East 58th street, under the auspices of Daughters of Israel of Harlem. The entire proceeds will go towards the maintenance of their home for aged, which is located at No. 32 East 119th street.

Hadassah Chapter Daughters of Zion will have an open meeting on the third night of Chanukah (Saturday, December 3) in the vestry rooms of Temple Anshe Chesed, 114th street and Seventh avenue. There will be a social hour and the meeting will be open to all.

A Chanukah entertainment for the children of the Hebrew religious school of the Congregation Beth Israel Bikur Cholim will be held on Sunday morning at 10.30 in the Synagogue.

The Beth Israel Sisterhood will give a theatre party on Monday evening, December 9th at the Century Theater to increase its funds.

The newly organized Junior League of Congregation Anshe Chesed will hold an inaugural meeting and Chanukah reception in the vestry room of the Temple, at 114th Street and Seventh avenue, on the evening of December 11, 1912.

MUSIC AND DRAMA.

Verdi will again come into his own on Monday at the Metropolitan when "Aida" will be revived, with the incomparable quartette, Destinn, Homer, Caruso and Gilly. Caruso will also appear on Wednesday in "Boheme," having as co-singers Frances Alda, who makes her reappearance, Alten, Amato and Seguroia. "The Magic Flute" with the original cast, will be repeated on Thursday, and for Friday, Wolf-Ferrari's "The Secret of Suzzanne" will have its first production at the hands of the local company, Farrar, Scotti and Bada taking the principal parts. On the same evening "Pagliacci" will be given by Caruso, Amato, Gilly and Borj. "Die Walkure" will have its first performance this season at the Saturday matinee, when Mme. Matzenauer makes her reappearance.

A feature of the Flonzaley Quartet's first subscription concert in Aeolian Hall, Monday evening, December 9, will be Tschalkowsky's string quartet in D major. The composition was written under rather interesting circumstances. At a time when Tschalkowsky was extremely short of funds he decided to act on

Rubinstein's advice and give a concert. To add to the interest of the programme he thought it well to include some new and important work of his own. His following, upon whose paid attendance he could depend, was small, and an expensive orchestra was out of the question. The upshot was he decided to compose a quartet for strings, and the work in D major was the result. Tschalkowsky was engaged upon the composition steadily for a month. The other numbers on the Flonzaley programme of December 9 are the Mozart quartet in D major, No. 7, and the Haydn quartet in G major, opus 76.

Bruno Huhn's "Unfearing," Salter's "Last Night I Heard the Nightingale," Mozart's "An Chloe," and Beethoven's "Andenken" are typical of the songs Donna Easley, a new soprano, will sing at her Aeolian Hall recital Monday afternoon, December 9. A feature will be three songs by Greco, one of them composed for Miss Easley.

Miss Isabel Hauser, pianist, and the Saslavsky String Quartette, will give their first concert this season at the Belasco Theatre next Sunday evening, December 8, at 8.30.

Leo Ornstein will give a piano recital at Aeolian Hall to-morrow (Saturday) night, December 7. Mr. Ornstein has arranged a very interesting programme, including some of his own compositions.

With Nahan Franko and his orchestra to assist, Efram Zimballist will make his second Carnegie Hall appearance Saturday afternoon December 14. The John Powell Concerto, a work which the Russian violinist believes to be a composition of extraordinary merit, will have its first New York hearing. The programme will open with the Beethoven concerto, and close with a group of violin numbers with orchestral accompaniment.

Miss Maggie Teyte will give a song recital in Aeolian Hall on the afternoon of Monday, December 16. The English prima donna will include in her programme several groups of songs by American composers, in addition to many in French. The recital will be somewhat on the order of one arranged by G. Schirmer and given by Miss Teyte with marked success last summer in London.

Gottfried Galston, the Munich pianist, will give the following programme at his second New York recital, which is to take place on Thursday afternoon, December 12, at the new Aeolian Hall:

1. Chaconne (Arranged by Busoni).....Bach
2. Sonata, G minor.....Schumann
3. Melody (Arranged by Sgambati).....Gluck
- Gavotte (Arranged by Brahms).....Gluck
- Intermezzo, Op. 119, E minor.....Brahms
- Intermezzo, Op. 119, C major.....Brahms
- Walse, Op. 39.....Brahms
- Rhapsody, Op. 79, G minor.....Brahms
- Three Preludes.....Chopin
- Nocturne, F sharp major.....Chopin
- Ballade, G minor.....Chopin
5. Arabesques on the walse, "An der schönen blauen Donau".....Strauss-Schulz-Evler

At the concert of the Symphony Society of New York Walter Damrosch, conductor, in Aeolian Hall this (Friday) afternoon, Gottfried Galston will again be heard in Beethoven's "Emperor" concerto. The concert will open with the brilliant overture, "Le Baruffe Chiozzotte," by Leone Sinigaglia, almost the only one of the younger Italian composers who has not written for the stage, and will close with Brahms' Fourth Symphony in E minor. Efram Zimballist is announced as the soloist at the next Sunday concert.

The Oliver Ditson Company has added another number to that sterling collection, "The Musician's Library." The latest volume is one of "Selected Piano Compositions," by Franz Schubert. August Spanuth being the editor. The selection is a varied one, including six "Impromptus," six "Moments Musicaux," several of the waltzes and other little dances, the great C major fantasia, the A minor sonata and several movements from others. These he has fingered, phrased and edited in a scholarly manner that adds to the value of the edition. He has an excellent critical and biographical introduction that is all the more useful in that it does not deal in indiscriminate praise, but is a candid criticism of Schubert's pianoforte writings, fully sympathetic, however, with their musical qualities. There is also a bibliography of books and essays on Schubert, and in form and execution the volume keeps to the high standard already established in the Musician's Library.

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John E. Kellard, the eminent Shakespearean actor, is now in the third week of his engagement in "Hamlet" at the Garden Theatre, where, supported by an excellent company of distinguished players, he has demonstrated that when the plays of Shakespeare are done in an intelligent and painstaking manner they will receive the proper support from the lovers of the standard and classic drama, and that there are many such in this city is demonstrated by the success of his engagement, which promises to create a new record for consecutive performances of this or any other single Shakespearean play. The critics have been unanimous in praising the excellent work of Mr. Kellard and his unusual company. The names of such distinguished players as Theodore Roberts, Charles A. Stevenson, Edward Mackay, Harvey Braban, Theodore Hamilton, Amelia Gardner, Margaret Campbell, Isobel Merson and more than fifty in its entirety, are engaged in his support.

At B. F. Keith's Colonial Theatre next week Miss Grace La Rue will make her vaudeville reappearance in a new musical comedy offering entitled "The Record

Breaker." Curtis Burnley, the society entertainer, will offer a series of character impersonations. This will be Mr. Burnley's first vaudeville appearance. The balance of the bill will include Valerie Moore and Emma Littlefield, Valerie Bergere and company, Wilbur Mack and Nella Walker, Hart's Six Steppers, Emerson and Baldwin, Hawthorne and Burt and the Four Pianos. Sunday concerts as usual.

A thrilling little drama of Northern India is David Belasco's "The Drums of Oude," which will be the principal feature at B. F. Keith's Alhambra Theatre next week. Other important acts on the programme here will include Lee White and George Perry, "Smiling Singers of Smiling Songs"; Raymond and Caverly, "The Wizards of Joy"; Linden Beckwith, "The Mistress of Melody"; Madden and Fitzpatrick in a comedy sketch, "The Wanderer"; Phina and company, songs and dances; Charles Weber, eccentric juggler; the Ballots, gymnasts, and Max's Burlesque Circus. The usual Sunday concerts will be given.

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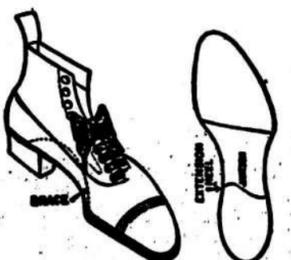
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Ladies' League of People's Temple. The Ladies' League of the People's Temple will give a bazaar for the benefit of the religious school of the Temple on December 17, 18 and 19, afternoon and evening, and on the evening of the 21st. The ultimate purpose of the bazaar will be the enlargement of the Temple. The following ladies will represent the League, Mrs. Ben Cohen and Mrs. D. Weigel, while the religious school will be represented by Mrs. M. Kiler, Mrs. G. Duschness and Mrs. H. Mazur.

Hebrew Educational Society. A Chanukah play will be given on Sunday, December 8, by the Sabbath school of the Hebrew Educational Society, in the afternoon for the pupils of the school, and in the evening for adults. Mr. Charles D. Larkins, principal of the Manual Training High School of Brooklyn, will give a talk in the Vocational Guidance series on Tuesday afternoon, December 10.

Temple Emanu-El. On Wednesday evening, December 4th, Mr. Joseph Barondess will give a public "Reading" from "Sholem Alechem" in the vestry rooms of the congregation under the auspices of the Jewish Literary Circle. There will be a musical programme. All are welcome.

Congregation Bnai Sholom. The annual Chanukah entertainment given by the children of the Bnai Sholom Religious School will take place this Sunday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, at Prospect Hall, Prospect and Fifth avenues. About 3,000 tickets have already been sold, and it is expected that this year's affair will surpass all previous ones. About one hundred children will take part in the performance. There will also be a short address by Rabbi Levinthal, and the cantor, Rev. Emanuel Hollander, will render the blessing of the Chanukah lights.

Bar Mitzvah Reception. A dinner was tendered at Bedford Mansion on Thursday, the 28th ult., by Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Gottlieb, in honor of the Bar Mitzvah of their son Murray. A very enjoyable evening was spent by all present.

For sheer cleverness and ingenuity of plot no comedy written since Sheridan's "School for Scandal" has won such enthusiastic applause from both critics and public as "Man and Superman," in which Robert Loraine and his London company will be seen at the Montauk Theatre for a week, beginning on Monday, under the management of the Liebler Company. During the seven years since Mr. Loraine interrupted his American tour to present the brightest of all George Bernard Shaw comedies in London, he has been recognized by the London critics as the most brilliant of England's young comedians. Mr. Loraine has been especially fortunate in securing the services of such notable actors as Louis Mason, Hylton Allen, William McVay, A. P. Kaye and T. A. Shannon. And with Renee Kelly to play the role of Ann; Ethel Marryatt as Mrs. Whitfield, and Marguerite Unett as Violet, the young lady who rests under the suspicion of being a black sheep—with these artists in his support, Mr. Loraine has an array of talent that has scarcely if ever been equalled in presenting a modern comedy.

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Sebulon Lodge, No. 8, will have a professional entertainment and ball on Sunday evening, December 8, at the Coliseum, 110th street and Fifth avenue. The curtain will rise at 8.30 sharp. A large gathering is expected.

Achi Sholem Lodge, No. 6, celebrated their fortieth anniversary on Sunday, November 24, 1912, at the Lexington, No. 109 East 116th street. Over one hundred members and their ladies participated in the festivities. Among the invited guests were Grand Master M. Samuel Stern, who delivered an address upon "The Order," Sheriff Julius Harburger, who spoke on "Americanism," and Grand Secretary Abraham Hafer, who responded to the toast, "Our Ladies." Handsome souvenirs were given to all present. A report of the lodge was read, showing it to be in excellent condition.

Reuben Lodge, No. 3, was officially visited by first Deputy Grand Master Samuel Sturtz on Sunday, December 1, at the

club house. The deputy was accompanied by Grand Secretary Abraham Hafer, and addressed the members on "The Order." Brother Hafer referred to matters pertaining to the endowment. The lodge expects to have a public installation of its officers, followed by a professional entertainment, some time in January.

On Wednesday evening, February 12, 1913, the order will tender a dinner to Grand Master M. Samuel Stern, at the Broadway Central Hotel. A meeting of the committee, of which Brother Herman Stiefel is chairman, was held at the club house on December 1, and almost every lodge in the district was represented. There is no doubt that this will be the largest attended affair given by the order.

A ritual, composed by Brother A. M. Krakowitz, chairman of the district deputies, was exemplified at the meeting held on Sunday, December 1, in the rooms of Benjamin Lodge, No. 5. The meeting was largely attended and the ritual was generally accepted by those present. Representatives were present from many of the lodges in the district to inspect the work, and it was the consensus that with a little improvement in some stations the work should be accepted and promulgated by the Executive Committee.

Joshua Lodge, No. 21, at its meeting held last week, initiated several candidates and received four propositions. Brothers L. B. Wolf and S. Bakofen are the leading spirits of the lodge, and they are working hard to increase the membership before the year is over.

New York Lodge, No. 44, initiated four at their meeting on November 26, and have several propositions to be acted upon.

Under the able guidance of Brother Morris Fleischman, Levy Lodge, No. 5, is rapidly coming to the front. He has faithfully served two terms as president and the members think it to be the best interests of the lodge if he would serve another one.

Grand Master Henry J. Hyman has decided that he will visit every lodge in the jurisdiction before the expiration of his term of office, and has issued a circular to the lodges to that effect.

On Monday evening, Areyah Lodge, No. 6, was officially visited by Grand Master Henry J. Hyman. Although the weather was stormy, the attendance was large. Addresses were delivered by the visiting officials. Brother Benjamin Blumenthal, a member of the lodge, is one of the most active workers the Free Sons have at the present time. He has proposed numerous candidates, and is about to bring in an entire club into the order.

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The dramatic star, Florence Roberts, supported by a capable cast, will head the bill at B. F. Keith's Bronx Theatre during the coming week. She will present a playlet called "The Woman Intervenes," written by J. Hartley Manners. Sharing headline honors here will be a travesty on the vivid melodrama of the past entitled "More Sinned Against Than Usual." The remainder of the programme will include Gertrude Barnes, Williams, Thompson and Copeland, Those Four Entertainers, Arthur Deagon, Blanche Sloan, the Dolce Sisters and the Alpine Troupe. Concerts will take place on Sunday as usual.

Graham Moffit's "A Scrape of the Pen" is the next attraction at Cohan and Harris' Grand Opera House. "A Scrape of the Pen" is by the author of "Bunty Pulls the Strings," and like its famous sister, is a correct picture of village life in Scotland in the early '70's. There are but two scenes to the play, one the interior of a farm house, and the other at the village cross on New Year's Eve. "A Scrape of the Pen" abounds with comedy, pathos and dramatic incident, and is interpreted by a carefully selected company of Scottish players.

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WEINTRAUB, 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 Weintraub, 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 Max D. Josephson, No. 118 Broadway, in the City of New York, on or before the 18th day of March next. Dated New York, the 5th day of September, 1912. FRED WEINTRAUB, ANNIE KOVNER, Executors. MAX D. JOSEPHSON, Attorney for Executors, 118 Broadway, Manhattan Borough, New York City.

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SALINGER, JULIUS.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. John P. Cohan, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Julius Salinger, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscribers, at his place of transacting business, No. 287 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 24th day of January next. Dated New York, the 10th day of July, 1912. MOSES GOODMAN, Executor. ARTHUR FURBER, Attorney for Executor, 287 Broadway, Manhattan, New York City.

# CHILDREN'S PAGE.

## Borrowing and Not Repaying

Dear Children:

When Rabban Jochanan ben Zak-kai asked his disciples to go forth and see what it is that leads to evil, which a man should shun, they all declared that it was just the opposite of what leads to good to which a man should adhere, thus Rabbi Eliezer, who declared that a good eye leads to good, says now that a bad eye leads to evil, etc. However, Rabbi Simeon, who declared that "a regard to ultimate consequences leads to good," does not say now that "not to have a regard to ultimate consequences leads to evil," but declares that "the habit of borrowing and not repaying leads to evil." He also tells us that "One who borrows from a human being is as one who borrows from the Omnipresent, as we learn from Holy Writ." "The wicked borroweth and repayeth not; but the righteous is beneficent and giveth."

The reason he did not say so, dear children, is because the maxims the others have taught express that action or temperament which is extremely good and the opposite thereof of which is extremely bad; but while it is extremely good to have a regard to ultimate consequences, explains Rabbi Naphtali Herz Wesley, of blessed memory, you cannot say that it is extremely bad not to have a regard to ultimate consequence, because even if he is not gifted with that faculty he can still be free from sin so long as he fears the Eternal One and guards His commandments. However, "borrowing and not repaying" is extremely bad, and is the exact opposite of having a regard to ultimate consequences, because he does not speak here of a poor man who borrowed and has not wherewith to repay, he speaks of the wicked man who borrows with the intention of not repaying, he has no regard to the ultimate consequences of his action, and the result is that he is summoned to court by his creditor, where he denies that he owes the debt, and when he is made to take an oath he commits perjury, he goes from one sin to another, according to the way against which the Almighty warned him, "Ye shall not steal; neither shall ye deny another's property in your hands, nor lie one to another, and ye shall not swear by My name falsely," and acting that way to a human being he is led also to act in the same manner to the Omnipresent, blessed be He, of whom he also borrows and does not repay, for you must know, dear children, that everything we enjoy in this life is not our own, we must pay for everything we enjoy—and yet the Righteous One is very beneficent—He exacts so little from His beneficiaries in return for His favors that we might be led to believe that He gives them to us without expecting anything in return; but this is not so, and this is a great lesson that I wish to impress

upon your young minds, dear children, and I hope you will never forget it. You have all the joy of childhood, you run about, you jump, and you play to your heart's content. The amount of energy you consume is something awful. How can you afford to spend so much of it? But you know, or at least you ought to know, that there is a Righteous One who is beneficent and gives. At night you lay down your tired body and you know you will awake in the morning a new child; the great Creator has taken your tired soul in His keeping during the night and returned it to you in the morning all refreshed and new-born. Does He ask much of you in exchange for all this? Just a mere "thank you," an acknowledgement that He has restored your soul in loving mercy.

This acknowledgement strengthens your soul and equips you with the proper spirit to take up the duties of the day, conscious that you are at least grateful to your Heavenly Father for all He does for you.

However, the one who makes a wrong start in life by looking at everything with a bad eye and is led thereby to keep bad company eventually settles down in life among evil neighbors, with the result that he learns everything that is evil from them, and is not alone treacherous and ungrateful to the human beings that do him a favor. He is led to a still greater evil, which is the possession of that monstrous idea that he is "a self-made man" and that he has no thanks to give to the Arbiter of our Destinies. That is called "borrowing and not repaying."

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ROSA DANKOWITZ, Executrix. CHARLES GOLDSMITH, COHEN, COLE & WEISS, Attorneys for Executrix, No. 45 Wall Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, N. Y.  
OSCAR ENGLANDER, Attorney for Executrix, No. 503 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, N. Y.

LIGHT, MAX 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 Max J. Light, 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. 206 Broadway, in the City of New York, on or before the 25th day of January next.  
Dated New York, the 18th day of July, 1912.  
AUGUSTA SCHLESINGER and JACOB LASKER, Executors.

STRAUSE, GEORGE.—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 George Strause, 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 Herman Herst, Jr., No. 220 Broadway, in the City of New York, on or before the 1st day of March next.  
Dated New York, the 19th day of August, 1912.  
ANNIE STRAUSE, Executrix.

HERMAN HERST, JR., Attorney for Executrix, No. 220 Broadway, New York City.

COHEN, BARNET.—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 Barnet Cohen, 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, Jacob Harris, Esq., No. 261 Broadway, in the City of New York, on or before the 6th day of January next.  
Dated New York, the 28th day of May, 1912.  
FANNIE COHEN, Administratrix.

JACOB HARRIS, Esq., Attorney for Administratrix, 261 Broadway, N. Y. City.

BAMBERGER, IRVING W.—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 Irving W. Bamberger, 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 J. Garfield Moses, No. 52 William Street, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 1st day of May next.  
Dated New York, the 25th day of October, 1912.

MIRIAM J. BAMBERGER, Executrix. J. GARFIELD MOSES, 52 WILLIAM STREET, New York City; GEORGE C. BASCH, 115 Broadway, Attorneys for Executrix.

KAUFMANN, ISAAC.—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 Isaac Kaufmann, 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 attorneys, Alexander, Cohn & Goldheim, No. 51 Chambers Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on or before the 15th day of April next.  
Dated New York City, the 10th day of October, 1912.

GUSSIE FISHER, Executrix. ALEXANDER, COHN & SONDEHEIM, Attorneys for Executrix, No. 51 Chambers Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

SHARSHMITT, 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 Sharsmitt, also known as Bertha Sharsmitt, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscriber, at his place of transacting business, at the office of his attorney, John C. Hoenninger, No. 5 Beckman Street, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 15th day of March, 1913.  
Dated New York, the 6th day of September, 1912.

FRANCIS K. REID, Executor. JOHN C. HOENNINGER, Attorney for Executor, 5 Beckman Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

NETTEL, 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 Nettel, 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, Charles Grossman, No. 149 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 17th day of March next.  
Dated New York, the 9th day of September, 1912.

ROSA NETTEL, Executrix. CHARLES GROSSMAN, Attorney for Executrix, 149 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, N. Y. City.

LAVINE, JOHN C.—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 John C. Lavine, 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 Benno Loewy, her attorney, Nos. 206 and 208 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 28th day of March next.  
Dated New York, the 20th day of September, 1912.

LELIA GORMAN LAVINE, Executrix. BENNO LOEWY, Attorney for Executrix, 206 and 208 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York, N. Y.

ROBITSCHER, FREDERICK.—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 Frederick Robitscher, 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 attorneys, No. 34 Nassau Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 31st day of May, 1912.  
Dated New York, November 18th, 1912.  
ESTHER ROBITSCHER, Executrix. FERDINAND E. M. BULLOWA, Attorney for Executrix, No. 34 Nassau Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

HERZOG, ROSA.—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 Rosa Herzog, 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, Jacob Pawel, No. 271 Broadway, in the City of New York, on or before the 4th day of March next.  
Dated New York, the 23d day of August, 1912.  
ALEXANDER HERZOG, SOLOMON HERZOG, HENRY C. GLASER, Executors. JACOB PAWEL, Attorney for Executors, 271 Broadway, New York City.

OPPENHEIMER, HARRY Z.—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 Harry Z. Oppenheimer, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscribers, at their place of transacting business, at the office of Levy & Frankenthaler, No. 37 Liberty Street, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 3d day of February next.

Dated New York, the 22d day of July, 1912.  
FLORA MAY OPPENHEIMER, HERMAN OPPENHEIMER, JR., Executors. LEVY & FRANKENTHALER, Attorneys for Executors, No. 37 Liberty Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

HARRIS, HENRY B.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Henry B. Harris, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscribers at the office of their attorney, No. 115 Broadway, in the City of New York, on or before the 19th day of December next.  
Dated, New York, the 11th day of June, 1912.

WILLIAM HARRIS, IRENE W. HARRIS Executors. MAX D. STEUER, Attorney for Executors, 115 Broadway, New York City.

FRANKFIELD, EMIL.—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 Emil Frankfield, 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 attorneys, Guggenheimer, Untermyer & Marshall, No. 37 Wall Street, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 27th day of January next.  
Dated New York, the 15th day of July, 1912.  
EDITH H. FRANKFIELD, Administratrix.

BEAR, 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 Bear, 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 Levy & Levy, No. 55 Liberty Street, in the City of New York, on or before the 8th day of March next.  
Dated New York, the 22d day of August, 1912.

NANCY BEAR, Executrix. LEVY & LEVY, Attorneys for Executrix, 55 Liberty Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

PECHTER, 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 Pechter, 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. 320 Broadway, in the City of New York, on or before the 15th day of March next.  
Dated New York, the 3d day of September, 1912.

ANNE PECHTER, Administratrix. H. & J. J. LESSER, Attorneys for Administratrix, 320 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

MACK, JACOB W.—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 Jacob W. Mack, 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 Maurice Levy & Sons, No. 4 Park Row, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 6th day of January next.  
Dated New York, the 1st day of July, 1912.  
NATHAN BIJUR, JENNIE HEYMAN, MAURICE MARKS, Executors.

OPPENHEIMER, THERESE.—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 Therese Oppenheimer, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscribers at their place of transacting business, at the office of her attorneys, Kremer & Strasser, No. 100 Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on or before the 1st day of May next.  
Dated, New York, the 22d day of October, 1912.

JULIUS S. OPPENHEIMER, HENRY S. OPPENHEIMER, EDWIN L. MEYERS, Executors. KREMER & STRASSER, Attorneys for Executors, 100 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

GOLDSTEIN, MORRIS.—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 Morris Goldstein, 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 A. Fred Silverstone, No. 220 Broadway, in the City of New York, on or before the first day of February, 1913 next.  
Dated New York, the twelfth day of July, 1912.

SEIG GOLDSTEIN and SAMUEL GOLDSTEIN, Executors. A. FRED SILVERSTONE, Attorney for Executors, 220 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

DRESCHFELD, CHARLES N.—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 Charles N. Dreschfeld, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscribers, at their place of transacting business, at the office of Samuel D. Shwitzer, No. 300 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 3d day of February next.  
Dated New York, the 22d day of July, 1912.  
MORRIS SCHIFF, BEN STRAUSS, Executors. SAMUEL D. SHWITZER, Attorney for Executors, No. 300 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

LEWENTHAL, MORRIS.—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 Morris Lewenthal, 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 J. Lawrence Friedmann, his attorney, No. 115 Broadway, in the City of New York, on or before the 21st day of January next.  
Dated New York, the fifteenth day of July, 1912.  
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Dated New York, the 18th day of November, 1912.  
EMANUEL JACOBUS, Attorney for Executors, 132 Nassau St., New York.

**ASCHEIM, FANNY.**-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 Fanny Ascheim, 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 Strasbourger, Eschwege & Schallek, No. 74 Broadway in the City of New York, on or before the 20th day of October next.  
Dated New York, the 16th day of March, 1912.  
DAVID ASCHEIM, Administrator.  
STRASBOURGER, ESCHWEGE & SCHALLEK, Attorneys for Administrator, 74 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

**KLINGENSTEIN, TILLIE.**-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 Tillie Klingenstein, 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 M. S. & I. S. Isaacs, No. 52 William Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on or before the 15th day of April next.  
Dated New York, the 30th day of September, 1912.  
LIPPMAN ALTMAYER, Executor.  
M. S. & I. S. ISAACS, Attorneys for Executor, 52 William Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

**HEIDEN, BELLA B.**-Formerly known as BELLA B. HEIDENHEIMER.-In pursuance of an order of Hon. John P. Cohalan, a Surrogate of the County of New York, made on the 12th day of June, 1912, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Bella B. Heiden, formerly known as Bella B. Heidenheimer, 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 Liepmann & Tanzer, No. 32 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on or before the 30th day of December next.  
Dated New York, June 21, 1912.  
ALYNE B. HEIDEN, SIGMUND BENDIT, Executors.  
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Dated, New York, the 15th day of November, 1912.  
PHILIP H. CAMENSON, Executor.  
CHARLES KRAFT, Attorney for Executor, No. 302 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

**KORN, HENRY.**-In pursuance of an order of Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Henry Korn, 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 No. 87 Nassau Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, New York City, on or before the 1st day of June next.  
Dated New York, November 14, 1912.  
FANNIE C. KORN, RAPHAEL C. KORN and WALTER C. KORN, Executors.  
MOSES COWEN, Attorney for Executors, No. 87 Nassau Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

**WERTHEIM, 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 Wertheim, 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, Emanuel Jacobus, No. 132 Nassau Street, in the City of New York, on or before the 1st day of June next.  
Dated New York, the 18th day of November, 1912.  
FERDINAND WERTHEIM, ALFRED WERTHEIM, SARAH SPRINZ, Executors.  
EMANUEL JACOBUS, Attorney for Executors, 132 Nassau St., New York.

**COHEN, BERNED.**-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 Berned Cohen, also known as Berned Cohen, Bernhard Cohen, Barnet Cohen and Bernard Cohen, 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, Arnold Lichtig, Esq., No. 141 Broadway, Manhattan Borough, in the City of New York, on or before the third day of February (1913) next.  
Dated New York, the 23d day of July, 1912.  
MARK ROSENTHAL, Executor; SARAH ROSENTHAL, Executrix.  
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And our people were chosen, with zeal and with might,  
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As true to their God as the patriarchs three,  
Whose faith was a star which was shining so bright  
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Four parts of the world—north, south and west and east—  
See the Israelites keeping the Chanukah feast,  
Who, just like ourselves, are performing the rite  
Of piously kindling each Chanukah light.

The five Hasmonians whose memory dear  
The sons of our people will ever revere,  
With the courage of heroes did fight for the right,  
And God's Temple they cleansed and rekindled the light.

Six days we must labor and do all our work,  
And we unto him who his duty doth shirk!  
Though the battle of life is a hard one to fight,  
With heaven's assistance our task is made light.

When the seventh day comes, by God hallowed and blest,  
We should joyfully welcome the day of sweet rest,  
For our lives are made happy and rendered more bright  
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Dated New York, the 2d day of October, 1912.  
LOUIS FRIEDMAN, Executor.  
MOSS, LAIMBEER, MARCUS & WELLS, Attorneys for Executor, 299 Broadway, New York City.

**BAUMANN, LEOPOLD.**-In pursuance of an order of Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of New York County, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Leopold Baumann, late of New York County, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscriber, at his place of transacting business, at the office of Samuel Greenbaum, at No. 63 Park Row, in the City of New York, on or before the 15th day of April, 1913.  
Dated New York, October 3, 1912.  
ABRAHAM WEIL, Executor.  
SAMUEL GREENBAUM, Attorney for Executor, 63 Park Row, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

**LUSTIG, AMALIE.**-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 Amalie Lustig, 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 attorneys, Messrs. Feiner & Maass, No. 100 Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on or before the 11th day of April, 1913, next.  
Dated New York, September 30, 1912.  
HARRY B. LUSTIG, Executor.  
FEINER & MAASS, Attorneys for Executor, Office and Post Office Address, 100 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

**ROTHSCHILD, MARTIN.**-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 Martin Rothschild, 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, J. Edward Murphy, No. 42 Broadway, in the City of New York, on or before the 14th day of February next.  
Dated New York, the 3d day of August, 1912.  
ELIZABETH B. ROTHSCHILD, Executrix.  
J. EDWARD MURPHY, Attorney for Executrix, 42 Broadway, New York City.

**KRAKAUER, JULIUS.**-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 Julius Krakauer, 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 Joseph Ullman, No. 160 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 28th day of February next.  
Dated New York, the 9th day of August, 1912.  
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In Testimony Whereof, We have caused the seal of the Surrogate 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 of New York, the 4th day of November, 1912.  
(Seal) DANIEL J. DOWDNEY,  
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**ADLER, SIMON.**-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 Simon 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, at the office of Messrs. Fluegelman, their attorneys, No. 299 Broadway, in the City of New York, on or before the 15th day of April next.  
Dated New York, the 23d day of September, 1912.  
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Dated New York, the 25th day of June, 1912.  
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Dated New York, June 25, 1912.  
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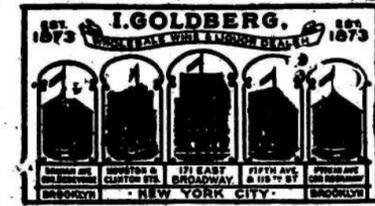
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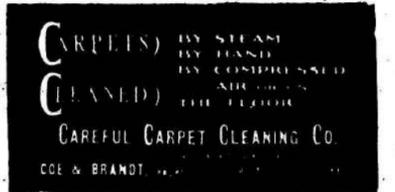
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