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THE HUNT

A STORY

By SAMUEL ROTH*

It was a crisp, clear February morning. I was awakened very early by the sound of trumpets in the distance. I lay still only a moment, then sprang from bed and began putting on my clothes hastily. When I entered the kitchen a big log was already blazing in the fireplace. My father, wrapped in his prayer-shawl, was standing near the window. He turned around as I entered, examined me with surprise, and pointed with his prayer-book to my feet. I looked and discovered that I had forgotten to put on my shoes. The cold, earthen ground—which was all the flooring our house had—was already stinging my bare feet. I sprang back to procure my shoes.

When I re-entered the kitchen my father was already folding up his prayer robe. "Why so early?" he asked, looking at me questioningly.

"I could not sleep because of the trumpets," I answered. This was only a part of the truth. I had determined during the last few weeks to follow the landowner's hunt which began that day, but, since I knew that my father would not approve of this, I thought it politic not to mention it. I looked out of the window. The whole earth seemed to be enshrouded in a soft, white mantle of snow on which the cold February sun was looking like a sullen prince. Soon, I knew, there would be a great jingling of bells, a clatter of horses' hoofs, and about twenty shining sleds, pulled by as many magnificent steeds, would flash by and on toward the great forest behind our village. Once every year this happened—always in this season, when the animals of the forest were sleeping their long winter sleep. How disheartened I always felt after they had passed, when of the splendid vision of swift-speeding sleds, panting steeds, and excited hunters there remained only

a cold cloud of snow which the hoofs of the horses raised and left behind! I somehow felt that my place was on one of those sleds, on the foremost of them, and this time I was

"Papa," I said, turning around, "isn't mamma up yet?"

"What a foolish question! Your mamma is already by the puritz."

"What is she doing there?"

want to forget that you're a man now."

This was my father's way of reminding me that was already a Bar Mitzvah. I donned my t'phillan,

that this day was the beginning of the great hunt. When I was through with my morning prayer and was laying the t'phillan back into their bag my mother returned. She layed her basket on the table, and began rubbing her hands. "So early?" she said to me. "Ooooh! It's cold!" She went over to the fireplace, and with the aid of a stick replaced the burning log, which had rolled to a corner.

"And how did you make out?" asked my father.

"Not so bad," she answered. "I sold him ten pounds of cheese and fifteen pounds of butter."

"And did you get money?"

"No."

"What shall we do now," said my father, "I must have the money to go to town."

"Let us wait," suggested my mother.

"No, we cannot wait. To-morrow is market-day. I must have the money to-morrow. Once the hunt is started it will be difficult, nay impossible, to get near him for about a week. And at the end of that time he is liable to forget that he owes us the money. You know how quick these pollocks are to forget when they owe a Jew money."

"My head!" exclaimed my mother in despair.

Then an idea occurred to me. I spoke up: "Mamma, let me go to the puritz. It isn't so far."

My parents looked at each other. "It isn't such a bad idea," said my father.

"No, no, he will catch a cold," my mother objected.

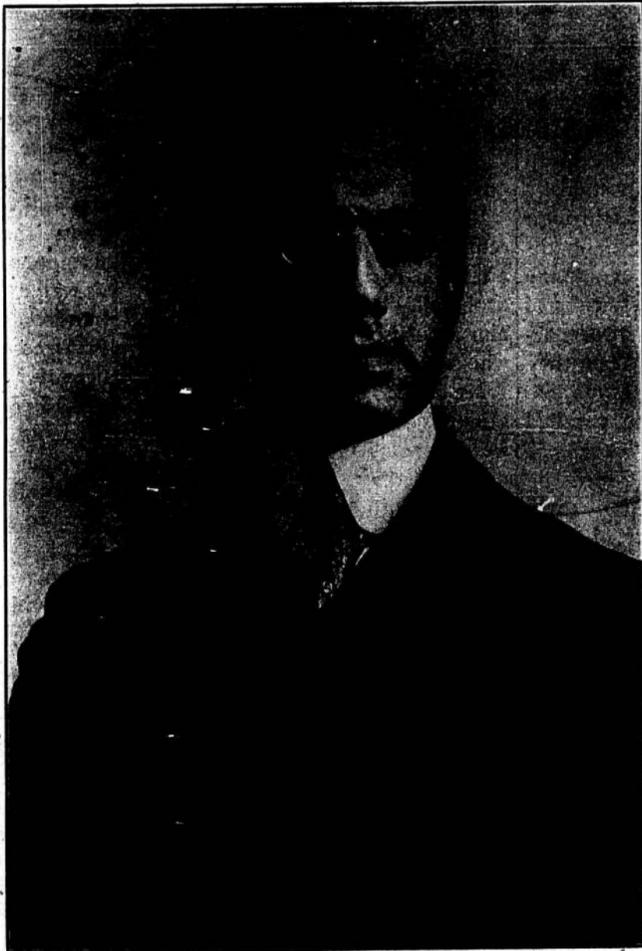
"Let me go, mamma," I insisted. "I will not catch a cold, I promise you."

My mother was very reluctant to let me go, yet there seemed to be no alternative. My father had had a quarrel with the puritz, and they were no longer friends. My mother, on the other hand, could not spare the time, for she had other very important work to do. (She had to collect among the villagers some

resolved not to be left behind. However, nothing would be accomplished by my looking out of the window.

"She went to sell him some butter and cheese. She will soon be back. But you know what you have to do now, don't you? You don't

opened my prayer-book and did my duty like a man. Even between the Psalms, however, I could not dismiss from my consciousness the fact



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flax and eggs which, with other things, my father was to take to the market the next day.) So it remained that I should go to the puritz for the money. I first ate my breakfast. I then put on the thick boots with which my father had presented me last week on the occasion of my becoming a Bar Mitzvah. I had also a pair of warm mittens: My mother wrapped me up very thickly in shawls; if the puritz's estate had been a thousand miles away (instead of what it was, only one mile), I could not have been safeguarded more securely against the cold.

As I hurried along toward the estate of the puritz I felt so overjoyed with my freedom and the prospect of an opportunity of joining the hunt, that I felt like embracing the white snow before me. I soon perceived a white tower in the distance, and I felt that it was about time that I had formulated some plan of

action. I thought and thought and thought, yet no sensible scheme came along. In this state of mind I arrived at the magnificent estate in front of which the sleds were already being prepared for the hunt. "I shall jump on one of them while no one is looking," thought I desperately.

But fortune smiled on me. I was not forced to resort to any desperate means. I met the puritz at the gate, and he seemed to be in good humor. When I told him about the money he nodded and said: "All right. Jump into that sled, I will stop at your house and give the money to your mother." Overjoyed, I obeyed him, and clambered without a word into the sled to which he pointed. I sat down on a box containing ammunition and watched the preparations for the hunt. I was quite happy for the while.

The strong, red-faced Preetzim (landowners) finally seated themselves, each on his sled, and at a word from the puritz of our village, who was in the lead, the whole company went speeding, with the mad jingling of bells and the loud blasts of trumpets, over the snow like magic.

Suddenly, with a shout of triumph, one of the hunters passed our puritz with his sled and took the lead. I saw the puritz of our village grit his teeth as he spurred his horse to a swifter pace. Every one of them did the same. It became a race. As we flashed by our little cottage my heart leaped with joy, for now I was certain that the puritz had forgotten about me and I would at last witness the hunt.

We entered the great, white wood. The mighty trees with their uplifted branches glared snow-white in front of us. We seemed to be invading the heart of some deep silence. Everything, even the sky above us, which was visible through the tree-tops, seemed one Sabbath-whiteness. The whole company paused at a cottage in the center of the wood for the purpose of preparing for the actual work. When they went for the ammunition I was discovered. The puritz then recalled that he was to stop at my house.

"Why didn't you remind me?" he said to me angrily.

I answered that I had tried to do so, but he had been so busy attend-

ing to the horses that my efforts remained unnoticed.

He lifted me out of the sled to the ground and said: "Go in there and wait until night time. I will pass here and take you home."

I knew the cottage. It belonged to the forest warden, Chayyim Bernick, a man of fifty, who had been occupying this place for thirty years. During the summers previous to the last I had visited here with my mother on several occasions when we went out strawberry picking. But recently a great change had come over Chayyim Bernick and his wife, a change due to the fact that their daughter, a twenty-year-old girl named Feige had gone off with one of the hunters, a rich Pole from a distant town. Since then, Bernick's wife ceased to appear in the village, and Chayyim only came to the tavern every Saturday morning to complete the minyan. He prayed silently, in a corner of the room, by himself.

Just as the puritz lifted me out of the sled, the door of the cottage opened and Bernick's wife came out. She scanned every one of the hunters very closely as if she were trying to recognize some particular person, and finally noticed me. "Look who's here!" she exclaimed. "What are you doing here?" I ran up to her and asked her to let me in. She opened the door and we both went inside. At the table, which had been pulled up nearer to the fireplace, Chayyim sat like one in a dream. He was bending over a large Gemorrah which lay open in front of him.

"See whom we have here, Chayyim!" she said, helping me out of my coat.

Chayyim Bernick started and looked up.

"Did he come?" he asked anxiously.

"No, but he may arrive later. You remember how he came last year, after the rest had gone by. In all probability he will not have her with him even if he does come. But see who's here."

He looked at me mournfully and said: "You were just Bar Mitzvah, weren't you, David?"

I nodded.

He continued speaking in an apologetic tone: "Your father asked me to come, but I couldn't. It's distressing for me to attend such ceremonies after what—what has happened to my daughter." Here his eyes filled and he could not speak for a few minutes. "How did you come here?" he asked.

His wife answered for me.

"But how do you come to be with them?" he asked.

"I wanted to see the hunt," I explained. "But now I don't think I shall see it."

Chayyim arose and paced up and down the room for a few minutes. His wife was pouring me out a hot cup of tea. Finally the forest warden reseated himself and said to me: "You should not be disappointed in not witnessing the hunt, David, because in truth you are witnessing another hunt, a much greater and bloodier one than the other."

His wife just then placed before me some tea and bread: "Eat and

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drink, you must be hungry," she said.

"Your bearing is that of a child," continued Chayyim, talking to me, "but since you are a Bar Mitzvah I think you ought to know something about the difficulties of our people. Some day you will grow up and you may want to go out into the world—it will do you no harm to know these things." He paused for a moment. I felt that he was attempting to give expression to some fearful pain which was eating at his heart—that what he was saying was immensely serious. "The hunt to which I am referring," he continued, "is a terrible one. Here, too, Poles are the hunters, but the hunted beasts are we Jews. They don't hunt us in season, but always, by night and by day, in summer as well as in winter. They hunt us everywhere, on the market place, in the shop, in the university, and when they are not satisfied with that—they steal our daughters from us." Again the forest warden's eyes filled with tears, and he could not continue.

There was silence for a moment. Then a jingling of bells was heard, the dull clatter of hoofs against the snow, there was a pause, the door was opened, and in came Feige, the deserter, and with her a tall and handsome man, who had the even features and intense eyes of the dreadful hunters.

As Feige entered her father looked up from his book and her mother advanced to meet her. Feige was quite tall, buxom, and strong. Her delicate face and fine, blue eyes gazed appealingly at you. She was undoubtedly pretty.

"I will now join the hunt," said her companion to her. "I will be back for you." He left the room. Soon the jingling of bells was renewed, and we knew that the hunter was off.

Mrs. Bernick was the first one to recover. Feige had gone up to her and embraced her. "So you have come to see your parents, have you?"

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she said. "What a wonder! It should be a very easy thing indeed to forget your parents!"

"Silence!" commanded Chayyim in a loud voice. "Words are a torture. Action speaks. Let her act according to the bidding of her conscience. Perhaps she has in her the soul of a Pollack!"

The forest warden's word was law with his wife. She said no more, but proceeded to pour out a glass of tea for her daughter.

"No, mamma, I have just eaten," protested Feige.

"What did you eat?" asked Mrs. Bernick.

The deserter reddened and did not answer.

Chayyim had been looking out of the window. He turned around and said:

"Are we not running short of wood, Channe?"

"No, we have enough for today," his wife answered.

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"But to-morrow I go to town," he said. "I shall prepare some now in the shed."

Without further parley he took his axe from beneath the table and went out. After that there was a silence which lasted for about two minutes. Mrs. Bernick sat down at the table and burst into tears.

"Why are you crying, mamma?" asked Feige.

Channe wiped her eyes with a handkerchief. "Have I not enough to weep about?" she asked. "When my own daughter, my only child, goes off with a Pollock, a Sonne Yisroel? But perhaps I could endure even that, were it not for the torture of seeing the sufferings of your father. Your act has made a wreck of him. He has aged terribly during this year. I don't know what will become of him!"

"But—but—why don't he try to understand that I love the man? You and papa are very unreasonable. That is the reason why I was afraid to come here. I was afraid papa might murder me for what I have done."

"But why do you love him!" exclaimed the mother passionately. "Don't you know that he is a Pollock and therefore an enemy of our people? Only leave him—Feige, both I and your father will forgive you. Only leave him! Leave him! Remain here with us!"

"I don't see that I have done such a terrible thing," she said. "Even if he is a Pollock he is not nearly as black as you think him to be. He is good and treats me well. Why should you take it to heart? And I have not come here that you might tell me how wretchedly I acted. I have done what I thought was best under the circumstances. You wanted me to marry the Asher Leib. I didn't like him at all, and when I said so papa went

into a fit of anger. Ashur Leib has very mean ways about him, even if he is a Yeshivanick. He never knows when to wipe his nose. I didn't like him. I met Ponye Stolitiz last winter when you were about to force me into marrying Asher Leib. So when Ponye Stolitiz proposed to me that I run away with him and that he would marry me I consented. He treats me very nicely, indeed. But I heard how very angry you and papa were. So I feared to come to see you here. But now—now something terrible has happened."

There was another silence. Feige hurried her head in her arms and wept. Mrs. Bernick went up to her and asked: "What has happened, my daughter?"

"The child which was born to us has died!" answered Feige, sobbing convulsively.

For some time the sobbing of Feige and the simmering of the kettles was all that could be heard in the room.

It was three hours before Chayyim returned from the woodshed. He looked rather pale and placed his hatchet near the door.

"And now we'll eat dinner," said Mrs. Bernick.

At the table the forest warden continued not to mind the presence of his daughter. Indeed, he acted as though she were not even in existence. "Do you know, Channe," he said, "that as I was hewing the wood out there I was reminded of a story which my father once related to some people in our house. It was concerning a Russian relative of liis whose son turned apostate in order to be able to enter a university. He afterwards became a lawyer of high repute, but in spite of the fact that he had money and a name he was very unfortunate. Three children whom he loved devotedly died within a year, and then his wife deserted him for another man."

Twenty years after his desertion, the apostate repented of his act and begged the forgiveness of his parents."

"And did they forgive him?"
"Of course, they did. It is a Jewish duty to forgive and entreat divine mercy for sinners."

I saw Feige's eyes fill with tears.

Chayyim continued. "We must believe that all happenings are according to His divine will. Those children died in order that the man might be punished for having deserted his people."

"But the children of all apostates do not die," said Channe.

"That is because the death of their children would have no effect upon them. It is because they are thick, very coarse. God does not plead with these people in the same language. To drive them with the same rod of pain which is used against people of delicacy and sensitiveness were like attempting to punish an elephant with a straw. Those who are keenly sensitive to pain the Lord punishes and they return."

Feige suddenly buried her head in her arms and burst into an irrepressible flood of tears.

"What has happened to her?" asked Chayyim anxiously.

For some time Channe did not know what to answer. Finally she said: "Be lenient with her, Chayyim, her child died last week."

There was a hush for a moment, then the forest warden arose and went up to his daughter: "Do not weep, my daughter," he said, hoarsely, "it might have grown up to make more boycotts against us. It is the mercy of God."

No one dared to say a word. His seriousness sent a thrill through us. It is a feeling one has in sensing something very big. He returned to his Gemorah which still lay open on the table, and for a few hours the profoundest silence reigned in the house.

When the sun went down we heard the mad jingling of bells, the dull clatter of hoofs, and a number of sleds went flashing by. I rose and began putting on my coat.

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A Council of Rabbis has been organized by the various rabbis of Cleveland, O. Rabbi Louis Wolsey has been elected president.

Rabbi A. C. Kleinfeld, of Paterson, N. J., has been selected as rabbi of the Congregation Adath Emonoh, of Hoboken, N. J.

The Cleveland (O.) Jewish Charity Federation will get \$9,000 under the will of the late Leopold Neushuler, who died on July 2.

The Ladies' Society of Temple B'nai Shalom of Chicago, Ill., has affiliated with the National Federation of Temple Sisterhoods.

The Tribuna and other Italian newspapers have published strong articles condemning the recent anti-Jewish restrictions in Russia.

A meeting of the United Synagogue was held in London recently and a proposition to confer voting power upon women seatholders was defeated.

A movement has been started among Jewish working men in the East End of London to abolish Sabbath labor.

Isaac Hess, a pioneer packer, died at his home, Chicago, Ill., on July 11, aged 74. Mr. Hess was a brother-in-law and business associate of the late Nelson Morris.

Rev. L. H. Kuppin has resigned as rabbi of Congregation B'nai Shalom of Quincy, Ill. He will go to New York and continue his studies in music, later going abroad.

At Odessa an old regulation has been revived, necessitating a special permit for each Jewish owner of a workshop in the event of his engaging Christian apprentices.

A new organization is the "Jewish National Rheumatic Relief Association," which is to aid poor Jews who are obliged to go to Mt. Clemens, Mich., for treatment.

At St. Petersburg a Jewish lawyer, M. Gidoni, has challenged Prince Kotzubei to a duel for referring to the Jews as timid people. The Prince was afraid to accept the challenge.

The building No. 1275 Hoe avenue, Bronx, has been leased to the Congregation Kahal Adath Jeshurun, who will convert it into a synagogue to be ready for the fall holidays.

The Shaare Zedek Congregation of St. Louis, Mo., who recently purchased a plot 177 by 165 on West End avenue, have awarded contracts for a new synagogue to cost \$75,000.

Commercial Councillor Eisner has been elected president of the Jewish community in Berlin, in succession to Herr Julius Jacoby, who has resigned owing to his advanced age.

The Hampden Club, one of Chicago's most exclusive Jewish organizations, is contemplating the purchase of a site for a new building a few miles north of their present location.

It is hoped to make the Jewish Seaside Home at Ventnor, N. J., national in scope instead of merely for Philadelphia, Pa., as heretofore, and an endowment fund of \$100,000 is being raised.

The Alte Synagogue, the oldest synagogue in Berlin, will shortly complete two hundred years of existence. The bi-centenary will be celebrated by a special service on September 15.

The curator of Wilna, M. Ostroumoff, has been asked to resign because of his antagonism to the Nationalist regime, and opposition to the restriction of the admission of Jewesses into gymnasia.

A plan is on foot to erect a hospital in the southern section of Philadelphia, Pa., in connection with the Jewish Consumptive Institute. The hospital will have 1,000 beds and will cost \$35,000.

Plans have been completed for the new home of the Jacksonville (Fla.) Y. M. H. A. building, which will be erected near the B'nai Israel Synagogue and will have a frontage of sixty feet.

A progressive Young Men's Hebrew Association is that of Dallas, Tex., which, although organized but a short time, has a membership of over 400 and has just moved into handsome new quarters.

Two Jewish ladies in Budapest, Frau Karl von Bachrach and Baroness Joseph von Hatvany-Deutsch, have respectively given 60,000 crowns and 50,000 crowns to an unsectarian hospital in that city.

The gross receipts of the carnival given at Edgemere, L. I., last week, for the Rockaway Sanitarium for Hebrew Children, were \$23,000. The expenses were about \$8,000, netting \$15,000 for the institution.

After a recount of the votes in the recent municipal elections of Rome, it was found that Signor Ernesto Nathan did not have the required number of votes. He will thus not occupy a seat in the Municipal Council.

Mr. Leopold Rothschild, who for the past six years has been the collector of revenue for the Indianapolis (Ind.) Federal Building, has resigned to enter the practice of law in association with ex-Senator Albert J. Beveridge.

Several hundred people were in attendance at the laying of the cornerstone of the new Love of Israel Synagogue last Sunday. The congregation worships in the Kensington section of Philadelphia, Pa., and is strictly orthodox.

The Greek Government at Athens has decided to abolish the office of Chief Rabbi of Salonika, and in future the Jews in that city will be placed under the jurisdiction of the Chief Rabbi of Athens, who will shortly be appointed.

About 120 of the best-known Jewish merchants of Saloniki, suffering terribly from the unworthy treatment by the Greeks, have decided to leave for Sofia. They have instructed their agents there to hire office and dwelling houses.

The Governor of Minsk has ordered one hundred Jewish families at Sinavka to abandon their agricultural work on fields that had been leased by them for the past sixty years, on the plea that Jews may not rent immovable property.

Orders have been issued to the Jewish community of Tzouguyeff (Kharkoff) by the local police, prohibiting them from standing in groups near their houses, and instructing them to remove all seats from the front of their dwellings.

Hon. Jacob A. Cantor has introduced a bill in Congress asking for an appropriation of \$25,000 for the erection in Washington, D. C., of a monument to the memory of the late Commodore Uriah P. Levy, uncle of Congressman Jefferson M. Levy.

A Jewish Salem Relief Committee has been formed of representatives of the American Jewish Committee, the Hebrew Sheltering and Immigrant Aid Society, the Order B'rith Abraham, the Independent Order B'rith Abraham and the Arbeiter Ring.

The will of the late Lazarus Shapiro, who died at Agra, India, May 24, 1906, was filed for ancillary probate at San Francisco, Cal. The principal beneficiaries to the \$50,000 estate are the Jewish Old People's Home and the Jewish Orphan Asylum.

During the Czar's tour in the South of Russia a deputation of Jewish colonists told His Majesty of their strong attachment to the land. Indeed, the progress of the 163,500 Jews engaged in agriculture in the face of all difficulties astonishes all experts.

At Voelgozuboff (Government of Cherson), nine Jews have been sentenced to three months' imprisonment, because they had dared to publish in the Press a statement in which they complained of the armed assault on Jews recently committed by the local police.

The New York City Board of Jewish Ministers is now an incorporated body, the objects of the incorporation, as stated in the moving papers, being to promote good fellowship among the rabbis of New York, discuss academic and practical themes and for communal interests.

The railway line built from Fule (Palestine) and up to the present running as far as Deschenin, is now extended to Schildk Station. Work on this section is proceeding very rapidly, it may be hoped that the whole line will be opened for traffic in the course of this year.

A telegram from Jerusalem states that there is a serious shortage of water there. The supply will scarcely suffice for another month's consumption. Water has, therefore, to be obtained from distant sources, which involves a heavy expense.

Four women, presumably suffragettes, three times attempted to disturb a recent Sabbath service at the Hampstead Synagogue by brawling. The minister, Rev. A. A. Green, ignored them and they were not removed, and at the conclusion of the service, on leaving the building, they were loudly hissed.

The Russian Minister of the Interior has addressed a memorial to the Cabinet drawing its attention to the "evil effect" on the peasants produced by the Jewish agents for agricultural machines, and to the audacity of those agents in acquiring estates. He asked his colleagues to draft a series of restrictions against those agents. He also informed the Cabinet that the Ministry of Commerce raised no objections to his proposal.

Plans have been approved for the new headquarters of the Independent Order Brith Shalom, which are to be erected in Baltimore, Md. Besides the offices of the order there will be suitable lodge rooms.

The Czar has granted to the Jewish community of Wilna the right of establishing a colony for children near Podborodzl, with the privilege of keeping Jewish children there during the summer months.

Incorporation papers for the new orphanage to be maintained by Orthodox Jews of Rochester, N. Y., have been received. A house has been purchased and when necessary alterations are completed it will be opened in September, and will be known as the Jewish Sheltering House.

M. Henry Deutsch de la Meurthe, one of the most generous supporters of aviation, has given to the French Natural Conservatory of Arts and Trades an annual contribution of 5,000 francs with the view to the introduction there of practical and popular instruction in aerial navigation.

The Roumanian anti-Semites have issued proclamations against the petition of the Union of Native Jews in which they ask for full rights of citizenship. The agitators urge Christians to attack the Jews and so prevent the success of the petition and the "consequent capture of the land" by them.

The donations received for the Jewish National Fund from June 27 until July 4, 1914, amount to 1,128 marks. From this amount 4,636 marks are apportioned to Russia, 2,657 marks to Germany, 2,223 marks to Galicia, 2,003 marks to Bulgaria, 337 marks to Argentina, 184 marks to Italy and 84 marks to sundry entries.

Mr. Simon Hays, a retired clothing merchant, died at his home, in New York city, last week. Mr. Hays, who was 84 years old was formerly a resident of Rochester, N. Y., and 35 years ago was elected mayor of that city. He had also served as president of the Common Council and was alderman for three terms.

The annual report of the Jewish Educational and Charitable Association of St. Louis, Mo., shows an expenditure of \$34,367 for the past year. The activities of the institution include relief, social service, legal aid, penny savings banks, Hebrew free school, kindergarten, hospital visitation and free employment bureau.

A Spanish version of Theodor Herzl's novel "Altneuland" has recently been issued. The most excellent translation by Mr. Josef Uziel made a deep impression upon Spanish readers. It has been published on behalf of a society founded by the Cercle Bnei Zion of Soloniki for the publishing of Jewish literature.

A number of Caucasian Jews have petitioned the Russian Government to accord to them the same privileges enjoyed by the Karaites on the ground that they, too, were not "Talmudic" Jews. The petition was rejected, but the Viceroy of the Caucasus abolished the percentage norm in the educational institutions recently introduced for the Caucasian Jews.

The Russian Minister for Foreign Affairs, M. Sazonoff, recently received a deputation of the Jewish community of Vasilsova, which is situated near his estate. He questioned the Jews on their condition, and on hearing that the community was poor and had no funds for the urgently needed repairs of the synagogue, he gave the delegates 500 roubles for the purpose.

The Russian Minister of the Interior (M. Maklakoff) is apparently not satisfied with the constant expulsions of Jews from summer resorts, Finland, Vladivostok (which has suffered heavily thereby), Kieff, and other non-Pale centres, for he has proposed to the Cabinet the cancellation of M. Stolypin's circular, in which certain categories of Jews were granted the right to remain outside the Pale.

The Jewish community at Budapest has among its taxpaying members a Roman Catholic who pays 300 crowns a year. He has no Jewish blood in his veins, but the Executive, misled by his name, imagined him to be a Jew, and accordingly they included him in the list of taxpayers. Herr Waldmann, however, recognizing the philanthropic work of the community, offered a voluntary annual contribution.

The Russian Nationalist organ, the Spiet, has devoted an article to the visit of the English fleet to Russia and to the "mutual troubles" of the two empires. In the opinion of the Russian organ there exists a Jewish problem in England, which is rendered acute by the influence of the Rothschilds and Rufus Isaacs (Lord Reading) on political, social and financial affairs, the Jewish policy being directed by an international Jewish organization.

Dairy-farming in the Jewish colonies of Palestine is satisfactorily improving. The colony Ekron alone produced during the first year after establishment of the dairy-farm 52,000 litres of milk. This year the production will still be increased. In Jerusalem, where from a hygienic point of view it would be important to have much more milk, seventy-two Jewish milk-dealers are now selling about 1,000 Rottel of milk per day (1 Rottel is equal to about 3 litres), whereas only 600 Rottel are daily sold by non-Jewish dealers.

CORRESPONDENCE.

A Zionist Voice from Shanghai.

Editor HEBREW STANDARD:

I desire to express my deep appreciation of the able manner in which you edit your weekly and the courageous way you defend the cause of Israel throughout the world. I sincerely hope that the traditional policy of the STANDARD will be persevered with, as we are more than ever in need of fearless defenders of our cause, and to this end your valuable journal fills a want which can never be underestimated by your readers.

For some time past I noticed a tendency in you to belittle the Zionist movement, as if to say the defiers of the traditional Judaism who see in Zionism a revival of Jewish sentiment and for this reason use all means in their power to smother Nationalism, as if to say, we have not enough opponents to contend with, so that we can afford to lose the sympathy and support of an orthodox paper like the HEBREW STANDARD. It is indeed a pity to see you pooch-pooching Zionism instead of giving it your useful support.

In your issue of May 15, just to hand, I find that you take great pains to dissociate yourself from the views of Mr. Israel Cohen, regarding his forecast concerning the future of Judaism in the Diaspora, and his desire to save her devotees from total shipwreck by presenting Zionism, the grand blossom of Judaism, as the only means of salvation from absolute disruption and annihilation. I have no hesitation in saying that I disagree with you in your antagonism to Mr. Cohen, the secretary of the International Zionist Organization. It is an indisputable fact that Jewry throughout the world to-day is sick, and exhausted from the effect of the exile and nothing short of a Jewish national centre in Palestine will effect any amelioration in the state of Judaism throughout the world. So great a thinker and exponent of Judaism, like the Haham Dr. M. Gaster, of London, does not hesitate in deploring the present situation which is fraught with the gravest peril and danger to us. "And if anything," says the Haham, "Judaism has been the loser by the settlement of Jews in Gentile countries and exposing them to the ever-growing influence of strange customs, strange beliefs, strange habits and strange ways in the world of ethics and politics. All that which has been achieved has been dissemination and preparation for assimilation."

Golden words worthy of a silver setting! And yet in the face of all this you desire to haul down the danger signal which was hoisted by Mr. Cohen and endeavor to belittle his views for the simple reason because he happens to be an ardent Zionist, a type of our ancient Macabee, so that the force of his argument may evaporate and lose its value in the eyes of the anti-Zionists. But facts are facts, and no sophism can change them. It is with deep regret that we Zionists have to admit the present sad condition of Jewry throughout the world, and if there is any doubt about it one has only to read the series of articles contributed by that rabbi anti-Zionist, Dr. J. Krauskopf, to his Reform Church in Philadelphia, bearing on the religious status of Jewry in the Far East, to say nothing of other places, in order to convince you that the conclusions arrived at by Mr. Cohen should not be taken with a grain of salt. Dr. Krauskopf's articles tell a tale of woe regarding the condition of Judaism; they show how we are faring in our world-wide dispersion, how the Sabbath is honored, more in the breach than in the observance, how our Torah is being neglected and a new generation of Torahless Jewry is springing up almost everywhere. To add more fuel to the fire, there comes forward the same writer of the jeremiad (to wit, Dr. Krauskopf), proclaiming himself the Messiah of the Lost Two Tribes of Israel by urging the latter to adopt his new-fangled Judaism based on his own whims and fancies, as the only real panacea for the cure of our religious problems. It is this tendency to denationalize Judaism that is causing us the gravest concern as to the future, and if you, sir, persist in your antagonism to the Zionist movement, we shall part with you with deep sorrow and regret. It would then be a question whether you are any more "declaring among the nations, publishing and setting up a standard," the standard of Orthodox Judaism, the mother of Zionism, in whose breast the Zionist ideal was nursed, nurtured and cherished from time immemorial. Choose for yourself, Mr. Editor, son of the late J. P. Solomon, Zecher, Tsadick, Livrocha, the founder and editor of the HEBREW STANDARD from 1882 to 1909. Think and choose!

Yours sincerely,
N. E. B. EZRA.
Shanghai, China, June 18, 1914.

A Voice from Palestine.

Editor HEBREW STANDARD:

Some time ago three young men with serious faces approached me and declared that there was a matter of grave importance concerning which they were eager to enlist my professional interest. They introduced themselves as the Moledeh Committee, and continued:

The Moledeh is a magazine in Hebrew, published in Palestine for the youth of that land. We have been struck by the extraordinary merits of this periodical, so we have formed a committee the purpose of which is the spreading of it among the Jews of America. We believe that the Moledeh, the contributors to which are the most brilliant writers in Neo-Hebrew literature, will radiate the breath of new life among the Jewish circles of this land. We have absolutely no financial interest in this matter.

They gave me a number of sample copies of the Moledeh, which I have read

at odd intervals. My surprise has been great and boundless. These were genuine things I read, essays which sounded the profoundest depths of Jewish thought, stories that traced with a delightful simplicity the subtle outlines of the Jewish form as various climates and manifold experiences have moulded it, stirring poems which soared to the very heights of the Jewish soul.

The editor of the magazine is the well-beloved poet, Jacob Fichman. He has drawn about himself a list of contributors which no Hebrew periodical can boast: Shalom Aleichem, Mendele Mocher Sphorim, Jacob Cohen, David Frishman, Dr. Klausner, Nahum Sokolow, J. L. Perez, Moses Smolensky, C. N. Blalik and many others. These have already enriched the pages of the Moledeh in the past and promise to do more in the future.

Particularly striking I find are the translations from European literature. It is wonderful how well adapted our ancient language is for expressing alike the easy grace of a sketch of Mark Twain and the ironic wave of the master of short stories, Guy de Maupassant, who seems to be the favorite among the translators. Kanut Hamsen, Anatole France and a host of the most brilliant European favorites are perfectly at home in the pages of this magazine.

The policy of the magazine may be said to be purely Jewish. It is neither Zionist, non-Zionist, Orthodox or Reformed. The policy of the magazine seems to be the reproduction of a healthy, virile and effective Jewish literature. That can only be accomplished in the Hebrew language. That can only be accomplished in the Holy Land. I believe with the Moledeh Committee that this periodical is doing a work from which the Jews of America can reap a great and lasting benefit.

The new generation which has gone through a Talmud Torah and is prepared to face the hard struggle of life will find no greater consolation in the leisure moments which it shall take unto itself than to read what these new geni in the Holy Land are thinking and dreaming. For the sake of these the Moledeh Committee was formed. I regard the work of this committee sacred. May their efforts bear fruit.

SAMUEL ROTH.

[NOTE.—The secretary of the Hebrew Publication Committee, Joseph Baron, lives at 140 Henry street, and may be communicated with in regard to all things concerning the Moledeh, and other Hebrew periodicals published in Palestine and the lands of the Diaspora.]

Jacob H. Hollander.

Jacob H. Hollander, whose picture appears on our first page, is the professor of political economy at Johns Hopkins University. He is a Ph. D. of this institution, and a writer of repute on the subject of his life-work. In economics he follows the views of another Jew, David Ricardo, concerning whom he has written much and well. Professor Hollander has occupied several public positions under the government of the United States. For a time some years ago he was treasurer of Porto Rico, and later he adjusted the financial affairs of the Dominican Republic. In this task he incurred the enmity of Senator Elihu Root over the manner and amount of the compensation made to him for his work. The mystery of the transaction has never been completely dispelled. Professor Hollander, however, stands in the forefront among the American economists, and is an active and influential member of the Baltimore Jewish community.

Rabbi De Sola and His Policy.

In accepting the vice-presidency of the Union of Orthodox Jewish Congregations, Rabbi Meldola De Sola, of Montreal, has addressed the following letter to the secretary:

Hon. Secretary Union of Orthodox Jewish Congregations of America.
My Dear Sir:—I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your esteemed favor informing me of my election as one of the vice-presidents of the Union.

I take pleasure in accepting the appointment not only because of the honor conferred upon me, but also because the recent convention at Arverne set the seal of its approval upon the policy I have always advocated. The delegates at that convention evidently believed that Orthodox Judaism can only be strengthened by a combination of the forces of Orthodoxy, and that fraternization with conservative or semi-reform bodies is subversive of the interests of Orthodoxy.

May this belief ever find consistent expression in the policy of our Union, and so may our organization proceed "from strength to strength."
Believe me to be
Faithfully yours,
MELDOLA DE SOLA.

Montreal, Canada, Tamuz 20, 5674—July 14, 1914.

Jewish National Fund Bureau for America.

The following monies were received by the office of the Jewish National Fund Bureau for America, 142 Henry street, New York city, during the period of June 2-July 3, 1914:

For general donations.....	\$1,077.57
For Co-operative Fund.....	972.00
For Golden Book.....	618.55
For National Fund boxes.....	591.10
For Yeminite Housing Fund.....	518.07
For Dunam Land.....	258.00
For tree donations.....	192.75
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For self-taxation.....	9.00
For National Fund literature.....	2.89
For National Fund telegrams.....	2.20
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ENGAGEMENTS.

ADELSON—JACOBS.—Mr. and Mrs. Henry I. Jacobs, of 141 Cathedral Parkway (now summering at Arverne Court, Arverne, L. I.), announce the engagement of their daughter Gertrude to Mr. Samuel C. Adelson. Notice of reception later.

BLUMENTHAL — ROSENWASSER.—Mr. and Mrs. Leo M. Rosenwasser, 68 Lenox avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter, Tessie, to Tobias Blumenthal.

CUMMINGS—LEVY.—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Levy, of New York city, announce the engagement of their daughter, Leone, to Mr. Irving Comiske Cummings, also of New York. The young couple will be married early in October.

DAVIDSON—WOLFNER.—Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Silberstein announce the betrothal of their sister, Miss Carrie Wolfner, to Mr. Adolph A. Davidson, of Selma, Ala.

FEITLER — GREENWALD.—Mr. and Mrs. H. Greenwald, 301 St. Nicholas avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter, Sophie, to Mr. Richard Feitler, of New York.

FISCHMAN—LEWIN.—Mr. and Mrs. Julius Lewin announce the engagement of their daughter, Hannah, to Mr. Sol. Fischman.

LANDAU—PREVIN.—Rev. and Mrs. Morris Previn, of 614 West 115th street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Bess, to Mr. Saul A. Landau, of Pittsburgh, Pa.

MAYER—KOON.—Mr. Max Koon, of 236 East 82d street, announces the engagement of his daughter, Corrine, to Mr. Abraham H. Mayer, both of New York.

RENTNER—NORMAN.—Mr. and Mrs. L. Norman, of 200 West 11th street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Essie, to Harry Rentner.

ROSENTHAL — STINER.—Mr. and Mrs. David Stiner, of 221 East 69th street, announce the betrothal of their daughter, Esther, to Mr. Dudley C. Rosenthal.

STREBEL—ROSENBAUM.—Mrs. M. Rosenbaum, 511 West 147th street, announces the engagement of her daughter, Ricka, to Mr. Sidney Strebel, of Pittsburgh, Pa.

MARRIAGES.

FISCHER—ADLER.—Mrs. Regina Adler, of 206 East 69th street, announces the marriage of her daughter, Jennie, to Mr. William Fischer, on July 12, 1914. Rev. Dr. Clifton H. Levy officiating.

GESCHWIND—HAHN.—Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. Hahn announce the marriage of their daughter, Irene, to Mr. Gustave Geschwind, by the Rev. Dr. Edward Lissman, at Carlton Hall, July 12, 1914.

LESSER — LOWENTHAL.—Mrs. Elizabeth Lowenthal announces the marriage of her daughter, Selma, to Mr. Arthur Lesser on Wednesday, July 15, at Hotel Cecil.

RODELHEIMER — SCHWARTZ.—July 18, by Rabbi S. A. Anspacher, Mrs. Esther L. Schwartz to Joseph Roedelheimer.

WEISS—KRAMER.—Mr. and Mrs. I. Kramer, of 347 East 50th street, announce the marriage of their daughter, Frances, to Mr. Joseph Weiss, July 16.

BIRTHS.

FELDMAN.—To Mr. and Mrs. John Feldman, of 312 Palmetto street, Brooklyn, N. Y., a daughter, July 11, 1914.

HELLER.—On July 12, 1914, to Mr. and Mrs. Isaac S. Heller, of No. 71 Central Park West, a daughter.

LOWENSTEIN.—Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Lowenstein (nee Cora Levy), of 503 West 11th street, announce the birth of a daughter, July 11.

SIEGEL.—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Siegel announce the arrival of a son, July 18, 1914, 148 West 118th street.

SOCIAL NOTES.

Dr. Abram S. Jacobi is at Lake George, N. Y., for the summer.

Mr. J. H. Relf and family, will spend the summer at Sea Cliff, L. I.

Miss Mildred Guitermann is registered at Deal Inn, Deal Beach, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Wolf are at the La Reine, Bradley Beach, N. J.

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Mrs. Leonard Brønner was a passenger sailing on the Aquitania last Tuesday.

Mr. Albert M. Friedenberg will spend the next two weeks at Saratoga Springs, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Jacoby are registered at the Tack-a-Pou-Sha, Far Rockaway, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Deutsch are stopping at the Hotel Atlantic, Belmar, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Fried and family are at the Pleasant View House, Tannersville, N. Y.

Miss Florence E. Levy is at the Kittingly House, Delaware Water Gap, for the season.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Marcus returned home on the Kronprinzessin Cecilia, last Tuesday.

Mr. M. Oettinger and family, of 23 West Seventy-fifth street, are at West End, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice G. Strauss are among those at the Hotel Raleigh, Atlantic City, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Van Raalte will spend the rest of the season at the Sagamore, Long Lake, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Schloss are enjoying the breezes at the Spring House, Block Island, R. I.

Dr. Henry M. Lelpziger and Miss Pauline Lelpziger are at Camp Quisisana, Centre Lovell, Me.

Mr. H. Sklamberg and family, of 1809 Seventh avenue, are at the Fairmont, Tannersville, N. Y.

Mrs. M. Berman and family, of 110 East Ninety-sixth street, are summering at Fleischman's, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Lash will be at the Catskill Mountain House for the remainder of the season.

Mr. S. Arnstein and family, of 1 West Seventieth street, are at Long Branch, N. J., for the summer.

Mrs. R. J. Samuels and her daughter, Miss Gertrude A. Samuels, are at Hathaway Inn, Deal Beach, N. J.

Mr. Solomon Braverman and sons are registered at the Imperial Hotel, Arverne, L. I., for the season.

Mr. Jacob Kottek and family, of 17 West Seventieth street, are at West End, N. J., for the summer.

Mr. I. H. Goldman and Miss Blanche Goldman are spending the summer at Delaware Water Gap, Pa.

Mrs. S. Hammerstein and daughter, of No. 29 Morningside avenue, are at Highmount, N. Y., for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Solis Ritterband and Miss Gladys Ritterband are at the Hotel Tackanasee, Long Branch, N. J.

Mr. Morris Raunheim, of 51 West Ninetieth street, will spend his vacation at the Laura House, Walker Valley, N. Y.

Mr. A. S. Leopold and Miss Beatrice Leopold are among recent registrations at the Hotel Isleworth, Atlantic City, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacques Hyman, of New Orleans, La., were in the city last week and sailed for Europe on the 15th on the France.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Autor and family, of 201 Smith street, Brooklyn, will spend their summer at the Gramplan Hotel, Highmount, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Greenhut entertained Governor Fielder, of New Jersey, and staff, yesterday at Shadow Lawn, Long Branch, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Max L. Levenson, of 157th street and Riverside drive, have gone to West End, N. J., for the remainder of the summer.

Mr. H. Stoll and family, of 52 Cathedral Parkway, will spend the remainder of the summer at 207 Fourth avenue, Bradley Beach, N. J.

Miss Laura Stein, of this city, will spend the remainder of the summer months at Waco, Texas, as the guest of her sister, Mrs. M. Goodman.

Mrs. H. Lilienthal and daughter, Almee, of No. 110 East Seventy-sixth street, have left for Portland, Me., after which they will visit the Thousand Islands.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Felenstein and family, of No. 70 Lenox avenue, are stopping at the Rosemond Court, Gaston avenue, Arverne, L. I., for the remainder of the season.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Weaver, of No. 380 Riverside Drive, who are stopping at West End, N. J., for the summer, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Anita, to Mr. Leo N. Lissner, of Newark, N. J.

Dr. and Mrs. Nathan Rosewater have returned to their home in Cleveland, O., after spending some time in this city as guests of Mrs. Rosewater's brother, Mr.

Alfred G. Stein, and her aunt, Mrs. Lena Levi. Dr. Rosewater is a well-known practitioner of Cleveland and his wife is president of the local section of the Council of Jewish Women.

Recent New York arrivals at Mayer's Cottage, Stratton avenue, Arverne, L. I., include Messrs. Gus Balsam, George Model, J. Rothbaum, Joe Shapiro, Miss Kitty Maltzman, Miss Katie Ornstein, Mr. and Mrs. Ehrenfeldt, Mr. Ben Moldauer, Mrs. Goldstein, Miss Ida Goldstein, Mrs. Teckolsky, Mrs. Gottlieb and Mrs. Beatrice Rose.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward R. Cohn are entertaining very frequently at their home, Matilda Terrace, West End, N. J. Last week they had as week-end guests Coroner and Mrs. Jacob Shongut, of the Bronx; Mr. and Mrs. David E. Goldfarb, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stiner. For "Horse Show" week they will have as guests Commissioner of Weights and Measures Joseph Hartigan and wife, Deputy Tax Commissioner H. J. Levy, of New York, and Dr. Carl Heller and Miss Olga Heller, of New Rochelle, N. Y.

A pretty wedding was solemnized at the Hotel Cecil, 118th street and St. Nicholas avenue, last Wednesday, the contracting parties being Miss Selma J. Lowenthal, of No. 92 St. Nicholas avenue, and Mr. Arthur Lesser. Rev. Dr. Edward Lissman officiating. The magnificent ballroom of the hotel was beautifully decorated for the occasion and after the ceremony a wedding dinner was enjoyed. Some of those present were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lesser, Mrs. Elizabeth Lowenthal, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Lowenthal, Messrs. George Lesser, Herman Lesser, Julius Lesser and Mr. Silas Ballin.

Much interest has been manifested in the engagement of Miss Grace R. Abrahams, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mark L. Abrahams, of No. 107 East Eightieth street, to Mr. Nat M. Finkelstein, which has just been announced. Miss Abrahams has for several years past been a popular member of the juvenile set of this city and is also well known to the regular visitors of the Rockaways and Long Beach. She is a member of the Board of Directors of the Mount Sinai Hospital Alliance and is affiliated with several other local charitable organizations. Mr. Finkelstein is a graduate of Cornell University and a prominent member of several societies. The reception and wedding will take place in the fall.

An afternoon of bridge, whist, pinocle and lotto will be given by the upper Manhattan branch of the Widowed Mothers' Fund Association, at the Cedarhurst Country Club, Cedarhurst, L. I., on Tuesday, July 28, for the benefit of destitute widows and their dependent children. Splendid prizes have been donated, among them a fine oil painting by a famous artist. Mrs. William Einstein will be the guest of honor and the committee having the affair in charge includes Mrs. Samuel Elkeles, Mrs. Harry Kraft, Mrs. Israel Saul, Mrs. Harold Spielberg, Mrs. J. S. Mittelman, Mrs. Grace Solomon, Mrs. R. S. Ettinger, Mrs. David Goldberger, and Misses Mildred Falkenberg, Marguerite Blum, Madeline Adelson, Lucille Adelson and Lilly Richmond.

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To celebrate the amalgamation appropriate exercises will be held during the week of Shabbas Nachmo. The new congregation has elected the following officers: Nathan Frankel, president; David Harris, vice-president; M. Osmansky, treasurer; Louis Bovansky, recording secretary; William Bernard, corresponding secretary; trustees, H. Phillips, Chas. S. Meyerson, Isaac Haft, S. J. Freeman, Elias Surut, M. Goldberg, S. Geizler, Louis Goldstein, B. Galewsky, Goodman Cohen, Hyman Goldstein, A. Posner.

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The Hunt

(Continued from page 8)

Soon we heard one of the sleds stop in front of the house, there was a step outside and the door was opened. Both Feige and I looked to the door expectantly. The forest warden was still bending over his book, and his wife was seated in the far end of the room, near the fireplace.

The door opened and Feige's husband entered. He stopped at the door, did not take one step into the

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house, but merely said: "Are you coming, Iyuba?"

Feige rose and began putting on her wraps. Her parents stared at her like people who look at a perfectly apparent thing yet do not seem to be able to grasp the sense of it.

"Feige, are you leaving us again?" This came from the mouth of the poor mother, like a cry of pain.

"Please, mamma, I—I must go," she stammered. When she had prepared herself for the journey, Feige stood undecided for a few minutes. She seemed to be hesitating between two courses of action.

Then she heard the voice of her lover. "Come, Iyuba." She just said "good-bye" and went out hastily.

There was a deathly hush after she went out which lasted for about five minutes. Then Chayyim Bernick rose from his Gemorah and, pressing his hands to his forehead, exclaimed: "Give me strength, O Lord of the Universe, to endure this!"

Then the puritz came to take me. Channe kissed me good-bye and made my face wet from her tears.

When I came out I saw that it was a beautiful night. The moon was floating serenely through a dark blue sky. The snow-bound forest looked serious and melancholy beneath the glimmering stars. There were a number of sleds which were full of the carcasses of dead beasts. This hunt, too, was a successful one.

A few moments later we were speeding through the night toward the village. My eyes were dazzled by the hosts of twinkling stars. The cool air cut my upturned face like a knife. But soon we perceived the glimmering lights of the village, and a little later we alighted in front of our cottage. When I came in with the puritz my parents were overjoyed. The puritz

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The funeral of Chayyim Bernick was an occasion of deep mourning for all the people in the village, for the forest-warden had been respected and beloved by all.

His wife eventually became insane and was placed in an asylum in Vienna. Feige, the deserter, one day left her husband, and was never heard of again.

(End.)

The Autonomical Effort of the Hungarian Jews.

A correspondent of the *Zionist Gazette* writes from Budapest: The efforts with a view to obtaining autonomy for the Hungarian Jews have lately led to some remarkable steps.

Dr. Adolf Klein, the creator of this movement, has announced several Jewish general meetings to be held this autumn, and the chairmen of the Budapest Jewish Community have decided to summon all communities of the country to a congress which is to take steps for the protection of the constitutional conditions of the Hungarian Jews.

The community which prepared the Jewish autonomy submitted to Dr. Bela von Jankowich, the Minister of Public Worship and Education, a petition asking him to give his opinion on that question and to prepare a bill which is to instruct the government to put an appeal before the Jews to hold a general congress. At the latter the Jews are to come to an agreement as to the way the autonomy is best carried into effect, as the historical unity of Jews would be strengthened by this autonomy.

The Minister answered that the settlement of this question would also be in the interest of the government. Should the Jews come to an agreement, then the adjustment of this question would raise no further difficulties.

Religion and Creeds.

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Jewish Calendar.

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Fast of Ab,	Saturday, August 1.
*Rosh Chodesh Ellul,	Sunday, August 23.
Rosh Hashanah,	Monday, September 21.
Yom Kippur,	Wednesday, September 30.
First day Succoth,	Monday, October 5.
Shemini Atzereth,	Monday, October 12.
Simhath Torah,	Tuesday, October 13.
*Rosh Chodesh Cheshvan,	Wednesday, October 21.
Rosh Chodesh Kislev,	Thursday, November 19.
First day Chanukah,	Sunday, December 13.
Rosh Chodesh Tebeth,	Friday, December 18.
Fast of Tebeth,	Sunday, December 27.

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NEWS FROM ENGLAND

(Exclusive Correspondence to the HEBREW STANDARD)

The Late Joseph Chamberlain and Dr. Herzl - Educational Reforms in Jewry - Increasing Jewish Culture at Oxford University - Lionel Rothschild on Newspaper Prize Competitions - No Votes for Women in the United Synagogue - Jewish Trade Unionists and the Sabbath - Professor Gotthell on Spanish Conditions.

London, July 10, 1914.

The death of Joseph Chamberlain, one of the great outstanding figures of British politics for the last thirty years and more, has produced sympathetic references from all classes of people in the country, friends and opponents of his policies alike. Jews in Great Britain always found him a good friend in or out of the government. One incident of much interest to Jews in the deceased statesman's career appears hitherto to have escaped his newspaper biographers. It was he who secured an offer from the British Government of the grant of territory for the purposes of a large autonomous settlement for Jews. Towards the end of 1902 the late Dr. Herzl, the leader of the Zionist movement, thought it desirable, if possible, to found a Jewish settlement at the nearest available point to Palestine and fixed upon the El Arish Peninsula on the borders of the Mediterranean, between Egypt and Palestine. This project brought him to Mr. Chamberlain, who was then a member of the Cabinet and Secretary of State for the Colonies, who willingly rendered him the utmost aid in his power. A commission appointed to inquire into the project, however, reported unfavorably. In the meantime, Mr. Chamberlain had been on his famous tour to South Africa, and on his return, hearing of the result of the El Arish Commission, he sent for Dr. Herzl's emissary and suggested that he had seen a territory that would be eminently suitable for founding a Jewish settlement. He named a stretch of country between Nairobi and the top of the Mau Escarpment in East Africa.

Mr. Chamberlain's proposal provoked a prolonged contest and in the end, after a commission had been sent to East Africa, it was rejected by the Zionist Congress with the very warmest expressions of thanks to Mr. Chamberlain and the British Government, and of the deepest regret that the offer could not be accepted. To these resolutions there was no dissentient voice.

By this time Dr. Herzl had passed away and Mr. Zangwill determined to endeavor to carry the rejected scheme to a successful issue. Mr. Chamberlain was, however, no longer a member of the government, and in any case, it would not have been easy to re-engage the government in favor of the project. For one thing, between the time when the offer was suggested by Mr. Chamberlain and when the matter was taken up by Mr. Zangwill, considerable opposition had manifested itself in East Africa, which had grown in prospective importance and value. But Mr. Chamberlain's sympathy was shown by a letter which he addressed to one of Mr. Zangwill's lieutenants, on November 11, 1905. In this letter he said how greatly Dr. Herzl's enthusiasm had impressed him and how he had regretted the adverse decision of the Zionist Congress, expressing also his willingness to assist Mr. Zangwill in every possible way.

A reform which will be welcomed heartily by educationists in Anglo-Jewry has been foreshadowed by recent private conferences between some of the representatives of the very many institutions for the provision of Jewish education to the school children of London. In consequence of regrettable disorganization, in the form of overlapping and consequent "underlapping," Jewish religious education in London has hitherto been a field with many neglected patches. More than once have the virtues of co-operation and organization

been preached. At length steps have been taken in this direction, and there is a prospect in the not-distant future not only of co-operation and co-ordination between the principal bodies on whom the responsibility of the Jewish religious education of the children of London rests, but also of the appointment of an education officer who will, in effect, be the head of the innumerable classes which are to be found throughout the metropolis.

Whether many or few organizations enter at first into the proposed co-operation is immaterial. It is pretty generally agreed that the success of the reform will depend on the personality and qualification of this education officer. If these are satisfactory the few will inevitably become many. On the other hand, if the new man does not appeal to those best qualified to judge him, the many will soon waste away into the few. The new officer must be capable, practical, and, if possible, a trained teacher, but it is just as essential that he shall be, if not absolutely, certainly relatively, a Jewish scholar. He must be qualified to judge whether his teachers are capable of teaching, but he must also know whether they possess the knowledge which they are called upon to impart. Above all, as a Jew, he must teach by the force of silent example. His religious conduct must be above reproach, and by his influence the teachers under his direction must be led to teach Judaism as a living force, not as an abstract philosophy or a species of mythology.

The recent announcement that Herbert Loewe has been elected lecturer in Arabic and Hebrew at Exeter College, Oxford, means far more than that another Jew is to enter the academic circles of Oxford University. During the past generations several M.A.'s of the Jewish race have been residents at Oxford, but so far as influence on the Jewish undergraduates was concerned they might not have been in existence. This is far different from the case at the sister university where for the last thirty years and longer there has always been at least one resident M.A. who has been a center of Jewish influence. Mr. Loewe himself has for many years been a great influence for Judaism, and Oxford's gain in him will know, I have been through a good deal, be a distant loss to Judaism on the Cam. The settlement of Mr. Loewe at Oxford should mean something of the nature of a Jewish renaissance among the wealthy families whose sons will come under his influence there.

The House of Commons has been discussing during the past week the question of prize competitions engineered and organized by certain British weekly and daily papers. A great many people believe that these competitions as run here foster an unhealthy gambling spirit and hence there has been introduced in the House of Commons a bill prohibiting them. Lionel Rothschild took part in the debate and moved an amendment, standing in the name of Mr. Wedgwood, by which it was sought to leave out paragraph A, which provides for the prohibition of such competitions being conducted through any newspaper or periodical, but on a division it was lost by twelve votes to seven.

The question of conferring voting rights upon the lady seatholders of the United Synagogue was discussed at a meeting of the council of that body on July 6, but the mover of the resolution declared that there was no suffragism in his proposal. He said that in England it was found that women were more spiritual and more religious than men and therefore steps should be taken to carry out his suggestion. One objector mentioned that if carried the proposal would add nearly 3,000 votes to the 5,338 present seatholders. This movement towards giving women a bigger share in church government is common to all churches in this country at the present time, and the Church of England itself is just now busily engaged debating the same question. In the end the synagogue debate closed



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Another visitor is now in our midst, Professor Richard Gotthell, of Columbia University, New York. He has recently been over the Spanish Peninsula, and adds some more to our knowledge of conditions in Alphonso's dominions. He declares that there is undoubtedly a disposition on the part of the Spanish Government to encourage a return of Jews to that country. In a recent interview he spoke as follows:

You have already had details in regard to this from Dr. Yahuda, whose presence in Spain is a good thing for Jews since he will be able to exercise considerable influence on our people in Morocco who are under the domination of the Spanish Government. But I doubt very much whether the time is ripe for anything like a large return of Jews to the peninsula. The religious conditions obtaining there are extremely strong, and there can be little doubt that anything like an accession of Jews to the population would mean trouble. I have no data upon which to base my conclusions, but I rely upon the instinctive feeling I have gathered from all parts of Spain. This time, I have not been in Barcelona, but, as you know, I have been through a good deal of the country and I find everywhere the religious feeling most marked. At present there are only a few hundred Jews in the whole of Spain, and yet, even among our people that are there, there is the same feeling in respect to any large migration of Jews that I have expressed. I need scarcely add that the sentiment which animates the King of Spain and his counsellors is entirely above cavil and is dictated both in the interests of the country itself and in deference to the wide tolerant spirit which animates the King and Queen. Yet it is the populace that has to be considered and from what I have seen and heard, I am clearly of opinion that it would be at least premature for any considerable migration of Jews at present to the country.

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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.

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Once in a while *The Jewish Chronicle* publishes quaint and curious information concerning persons and matters Jewish on this side of the Atlantic. Thus, in a recent issue, it headlines the Hon. Oscar S. Straus as United States Senator from New York, quite forgetful of the double contingency of primary and election days before this "fact" is *fait accompli*. And then, as if our contemporary were a follower of spiritualism or occultism, we read that Dr. Sabato Morais, of Toronto, is to address the Jews. He has been dead some fifteen years!

The *Agudas Israel* is now bending all its energies, corporate and individual, towards making the approaching "great assembly" a success. This will be held in Germany in the closing days of next month, and the meeting will consider and devise means for spreading a knowledge of the *Torah* among the Jews all over the earth. The "great assembly" itself will be attended by the followers of traditional Judaism from all the lands of the globe and will deal with subjects of interest to them in an authoritative manner. We shall watch the proceedings with a great deal of interest and keep our readers informed of the work done and the conclusions reached.

The late Dr. Josef Porzer, first vice-burgomaster of Vienna, who passed away recently, was the refuge and the tower of strength to the Christian Socialists of the Austrian capital. This party is the well-known anti-Semitic element with which the notorious name of Lueger is irrevocably associated. It so happened that Porzer, the preserver of the Lueger tradition, was of Jewish birth, and the descendant of a family, one of the prominent members of which in a past generation was the Jewish poet and communal worker, Ludwig August Frankl. No wonder *Die Welt* can say: "What noble, large-hearted and altruistic anti-Semites the destructive Asiatic race (!) produces!"

The language question in the technical school at Haifa, in Palestine, was discussed in a masterly and illuminating manner by Jacob H. Schiff the other day. Mr. Schiff was a non-combatant in the controversy, which fact makes his words all the more incisive, and brings out in bold relief the utterly incomprehensible and mutually-destructive tactics of the participants in the conflict. Dr. Paul Nathan and his adherents fought for the German language, as the official medium of instruction, with the strength and tenacity of Bismarck engaged in a diplomatic encounter *à l'outrance* with the representatives of Napoleon III. Dr. Levin and his cohorts battled for Hebrew as if their very lives depended upon it. Mr. Schiff hopes that the Technicum will ultimately live, that in the end it will subserve the purpose which it was created and was intended for: the deplorable occurrences that have in the end led to its present breakdown, have clearly shown that Palestinian affairs are swayed by what I believe to be a comparatively small group of Jewish Nationalists, who, while continually clamoring for the support and co-operation of international Jewry for Palestinian work of every character, will not hesitate to stoop to employ the most reprehensible means in order to accomplish, forcibly, if needed, their own purposes and designs.

The concluding words, in the extract we cite above, are tantamount to a vote of confidence in the present active Zionist spirits who aspire to leadership of the Jewish world in Palestinian affairs. In his quiet and unobtrusive way Mr. Schiff shows how ineffectual, how inconsequential is their translation into practical utility of those great ideals and theories which inspire Jews with allegiance to them. Procedure of the kind considered by Mr. Schiff in his remarks is what has served to repel many sincere well-wishers of the Zionist cause from any official connection with the movement itself.

THEODOR HERZL, DECEASED TEN YEARS

TEN years have come and gone since Theodor Herzl, the first and greatest leader of the international Zionist movement, passed away at an extremely early age, worn out with the trials and vicissitudes heaped upon him by his position of prominence in the cause. *Die Welt*, the German weekly identified with Zionism, issued a special number of much worth and interest on this occasion, and a complete biography of the great Jew's life by Dr. Adolf Friedemann as well as a brief sketch of his career by Dr. Osias Thon were published by Zionist publishing agencies.

Theodor Herzl was indeed worthy of this resplendent tribute: the Zionists do well to worship him as the great, the outstanding hero of their movement. No man more than, or as much as, he had the personality, the statesmanlike vision, the qualities of heart and mind which are needed to equip the head of the Zionist movement with the necessary requirements for leadership in such a cause. The cause has tremendous potentialities, is invested with much of the poetry and the tragedy of the history of the people of Israel, has attracted so many different sorts of Jews now living in the world, and is freighted with the hopes, the ideals, the possibilities of future usefulness in and of Jewry.

Our preceding words give point to the occasion which forms their staple. Theodor Herzl was a heaven-sent leader to his followers, one man in a million, who was able to accomplish much work because he it was who set about to do this work. None of his immediate successors has possessed his qualities, and in consequence the movement which, with his great name, will be eternally identified, has been groping to find itself, as it were, during the decade that has passed since Eglau.

Until another Herzl will arise within Zionism, until a man, equipped with Herzl's qualities, shall lead our friends the Zionists, Zionism will continue to be what it now is: a half-educational, half-charitable agency for the amelioration of the condition of certain Jews in their present places of habitation. That another leader of Herzl's calibre will be born none who knows the self-rejuvenating power of Israel and the unquenchable and enthusiastic persistency in the pursuit of an ideal which inheres in the Jewish people, may doubt. But when such a man will take up the reins—this is, alas! for Zionism, another matter.

REFORM JUDAISM AND APOSTACY

THE dullness of midsummer is now upon us who live under the fitful *Aurora Borealis*, whether our habitation be on the Eastern or the Western hemisphere; so it is rather difficult for the Jewish journalist to make "copy" weekly with the same enthusiasm and importance as in the depths of winter. For no other reason, apparently than the foregoing was *The Jewish Chronicle* recently led to give valuable space—and "leading"—to an article by Professor Gotthard Deutsch, of Cincinnati, in which that scholar eloquently answers the charge leveled against Reform Judaism by the English chief rabbi that it, and it alone in our day, begets apostasy. Professor Deutsch took the trouble to show that apostates unfortunately have arisen in Jewry during all the centuries since the Exile, and that "American" Judaism, for the gravamen of the chief rabbi's criticism affects the disciples of Isaac M. Wise, has produced but three, two of whom have recanted.

Admiring, as we do, the depth of learning displayed by Professor Deutsch, and, not a whit less, the striking Jewish personality of the chief rabbi, we would ask both of them: What boots it to prove that Reform Judaism leads to apostasy, if this indeed can be proved? An apostate has always been despised by men of every creed, and camp of theological views. He represents the unusual, the abnormal if you will, in the life of the world. He exists among the Episcopalians just as much as among the Jews, and perhaps even more so, and is reprobated by them with the same force and fervor of condemnation as with us. No age, no clime, no condition of Jewish life is sterile soil to him. Alas! that this should be so! Apostates have been with us, are with us, and will be with us until the world shall end, and their origin and psychological production defy analysis.

If the chief rabbi and Professor Deutsch were to devote their talents and energies to a discussion of the indifferentism toward Judaism produced by its "American" variety, which in course of time imports defections and worse by a gradual process of infiltration, their remarks would have practical utility. For, against this insidious disease the Jews of to-day, in love with their traditions, must wage war. Incidentally, Professor Deutsch would be put hard to it for the appropriate rejoinder.

The death of Emanuel Barnett, the well-known *kosher* butcher of London, affectionately known and dubbed as "Uncle Manny" by his friends, customers and neighbors, removes from the world of living men one who was a past master of *kosher* advertising. We say, *kosher advertising*, because Mr. Barnett in his frequent and altogether happy use of various media of publicity, thoroughly understood how to make known to the world that his establishment and the wares purveyed by him thereat were maintained in strict accordance with the Jewish dietary laws. Some of his advertising "copy" was, in a sense, literature, and therefore his name is bound to be held in grateful remembrance by the hosts of those who "skim" the pages of the journals devoted to advertisements, whose attention was at once arrested and held by the offerings of the "*kosher* king." Perhaps the late Mr. Barnett had an advertising manager who produced his effects "on his own hook." At all events, the credit and the financial support for the ideas belong to him who has passed away.

CATTLE OR BATTLE?

האחיכם יכחו למלחמה ואחם תשבו פה:
"Shall your brethren go to war, and shall you sit here?" (Num. xxxii, 6.)

HERE were gay meadows, carpeted with green and embroidered with many colors, in the land of Jazer and the land of Gilead. The Reubenites and Gadites saw the land and "behold, it was a place for cattle." Their hearts leaped for joy as they breathed in the fragrance of the lush grass. Why push any further? They might settle right here, under the blue sky, in the midst of these peaceful surroundings which seemed as if created for them, and live the calm, unruffled life of shepherds. Why press unduly forward? The very breezes, rippling over the spreading fields as though playing a love-song on invisible strings, seemed to invite them to stay. Here there was freedom, and space, and quiet enlargement, for kith and kine, for wife and child, for all they called their own. The entire landscape seemed an open scroll in which they read their destiny. All things—trees and birds and babbling waters—seemed to chime back the song of their soul, whose sweet refrain was, "Bide!"

But out of this fair bucolic dream, woven of sunshine and starlight, woven of the golden strands of ease, they were shaken by the stern voice of their Master, who reminded them that life is not all laughter and leisure, not all serene and unmoved. "Shall your brethren go to war, and shall you sit here?" rang out the well-merited rebuke. While their martial columns rush into the fray, shall you be satisfied to tend your browsing cattle? While they court death in order to open up new horizons for themselves and posterity, shall you be content to let your own narrow horizon hug you into safety?

Some of us, weary of the battle, are perhaps ready to sympathize with the Reubenites and Gadites in moments when our eye too would gladly rest upon a view of soft pastures. But in moments when we are truest to ourselves, we side with the Master. The ideal of life which obviously inspired those herdsmen was a static ideal. They were ready to accept conditions as they found them, rather than create new conditions. God had prepared a table for them, and they were ready to sit down to the feast. Their outlook was limited to the things that were there and then. The bleating of sheep and the lowing of oxen was sweeter music than the beating of drums and the blowing of trumpets. The liquid notes of their shepherd's flute melting away into the far stretches of dreamy nights were more delightful than the shout of furious onsets and the groans of the dying. Their choice lay between the fields for cattle and the fields for battle. They desired cattle, not battle.

What shall we say of them? The number of those who would sit idly by while the battle of life is being waged is ever larger than the number of those who go undismayed to the firing line. Those who lie supine, who, guided by their static ideal, regard the world as ready-made, by far outnumber those whose ideal is dynamic, who look upon the world as yet in the making and, therefore, help make it. There is no doubt that we need the static ideal as well as the dynamic ideal. The flute calls to the human soul no less than the alarm. We need periods of peaceful enjoyment and thoughtful composure. We cannot always be in the midst of the fray. Our garments cannot always be stained with blood. We cannot continually be in the throes of creation, suffering all the heartpangs that follow in the wake of fateful crises. History shows that in the rhythmic movements of life there are protracted lulls between battle and battle, which allow the race to recover its breath, to take stock of its acquisitions. In these lulls we need the Reubenites and Gadites, to tend the cattle and play the flute.

But after all is said in favor of the static ideal, we should not forget that periods of lull, in which the process of creation is suspended, are but preparatory to times of war. The Reubenites and Gadites are but the human bridge flung over the unproductive chasms of history, across which the frontiersmen of civilization march to greater victories. It is this advancing column of ideas and ideals, and of men and women in whom these ideas and ideals are fleshed, to which humanity owes its riches, its conquests. What should we be without this advancing column?

It is true that all ideals are helpful, the static as the dynamic. But while the static ideals are more helpful to the individual than to the race, the dynamic ideals are most helpful to humanity. The individual could not stand too much dynamics. Humanity, on the contrary, would be doomed with too little dynamics. It would suffice that there flare up in each soul a spark of creative energy, be it of the feeblest, so that humanity, this vast storage battery, may be put into the position of collecting these emanations of power into a tremendous motive force. But as things stand thus far, there is but a single column of pioneers that ventures into new territories of thought and achievement, while the large phalanx of Reubenites and Gadites lags behind, chewing the cud together with the cattle.

What if this single advancing column were augmented into an army as vast as humanity itself? How much larger and swifter were our conquests then! Yet, we must be content with that one column of thinkers, workers and creators. And we cannot but marvel at the dynamic power of the human soul that has already accomplished so much with such little numeric assistance. Wherever that column of advancing frontiersmen goes, who carry in their knapsacks the tools of progress and in their hearts the boundless enthusiasm of pioneers, there civilization flourishes; there new clearings are made in the primeval forests; there new foundations are laid for homesteads and holy-of-holies; there new horizons are opened up for mankind's ever-widening vision. JOEL BLAU.

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Rabbi Moses P. Jacobson's sermon before the Central Conference at Detroit this year must have dealt with a subject of the hour, judging from the praise bestowed upon it by an utterly unbiased and therefore competent source—a Protestant of the Michigan city. Rabbi Jacobson took advantage of the day and the occasion, and besought his rabbinical auditors to strive for the maintenance of that divorce between religion and politics which we regard as the peculiar earmark of our American life and institutions, and which has so much to do with Judaism! The rabbi told his colleagues of the "annual picnic" that Jews must be in the van of the fight to repeal the Sunday "blue" laws; that they must seek to secure the abolition of all political chaplaincies; finally, that they must insist upon the equal taxation, without any exemption, of any and all real property belonging to or administered by religious corporations. We think the rabbi was wise in dealing with such problems at the "annual picnic." His sermon, then, had a practical, substantial significance, which might just as much have been the case had he attempted a lengthy disquisition on some more or less abstruse subject, half-comprehended, little-understood, fateful in its consequences, in the domain of Reform Jewish theology. Sermons such as these, and the discussions elicited thereby, will combine to make the "annual picnic" a forum for the serious consideration (?) of practical questions of the day!

We deeply regret to have to record the demise of the Rev. Archibald Ross, for many years one of our valued contributors, whose poetic effusions enhanced the value and interest of this journal through such an extended period. Mr. Ross was a retired Methodist minister, a Gentile in whom there was no guile, and while he had lived for over four-score of years yet he possessed a vigor rarely met with in men many years his junior. Stoutly maintaining the validity of his own Christian creed, he had abundant tolerance and respect for the beliefs of others. In especial his sympathy with and knowledge of Jews and Judaism was broad and deep. Peace to his ashes; honor to his memory!

Rabbi Gustav N. Hausmann has done well to print in a neat pamphlet his excellent sermon on moral courage, preached by him before the Congregation Pincus Elijah, of which he is the spiritual head, and the Educational Alliance. The burden of this interesting contribution to homiletic literature is that "The Jew's passport is moral courage. This quality, more than any other, is necessary to resist the allurements and temptations, the forces and influences, that continually militate

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The Jewish World suggests to an Anglican divine in London that he repeat his words of good will toward the Jews on some occasion when the Queen Mother Alexandra is attending worship at his church and thus within earshot of his words. She will, then, our contemporary opines, pass his words along to the Dowager Empress of Russia, her sister, who in turn will communicate them to her Imperial son, the Czar of All the Russias. Rather an involved method of communication! Yet, readers of recent history will remember that, some decades back, when the Princess of Wales, the same Alexandra, openly remonstrated with her sister against the latter's husband's treatment of his Jewish subjects, the late Alexander III. administered a short and prompt rebuke to her for not minding her own, royal business! We don't think Alexandra will twice subject herself to the same snub.

The Spectator, a London critical weekly, prints an account of the reason why Jews are taboo at certain summer hotels in this country. The cause of the prejudice against them, according to this journal, is that the Jews are unsatisfactory customers from the point of view of commerce. For, if harbored in a particular hotel, the Gentiles refrain from patronizing it and, in course of time, the hostelry takes rank as a "Jewish house," with the inevitable result that eventually Jews of a sort decline to continue to go there "because it is too Jewish!" This does not explain why the prejudice exists, but as an explanation of what happens here and there, it is but too correct!

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The introduction of the traffic squad was a timely innovation for the city, and it may be said with

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L'AIGLON.

Bertha Von Suttner a Friend of Zionism.

Bertha von Suttner, the great originator of the peace movement, who died some days ago, was in deep sympathy with Zionism. She was especially filled with great admiration for the creator of Zionism, Theodor Herzl, and believed that Zionism stands in connection with the great struggles furthering the liberty and deliverance of mankind. Among other things she wrote in the Zionist Central organ, Die Welt, as follows: "The only way leading to liberty and deliverance of mankind and to protect honor and life, which are each one's personal goods—this way is being opened up now by different pioneer groups. One of the bravest among them—for they must work amidst violent attacks—is the group of Zionists. "As deliverance from misery and persecution, from unheard-of insult and as a way for a place of refuge" she greeted "the erection of Zion's realm," and at once took steps toward the opponents of Zionism.

On the way to The Hague Peace Conference in the year 1899 she read reports about the hostile happenings in the Lower Austria Diet, which induced her to aspire in The Hague for the Zionist movement. Notes from her diary upon conversations which the Baroness has had with noted men of the leading nations in The Hague have been published in Die Welt. At that time the Ambassador of the United States at the Berlin court, Mr. Andrew White, advised the Zionists to seek help from the German Emperor, and at one of the Baroness' receptions, at which Theodor Herzl was present, the highly intelligent Frenchman, Leon Bourgeois, expressed himself as follows on Zionism:

"Still more than the Jews themselves the rest of the population is prejudiced through the Jew hatred, repressing culture and especially hindering the realization of the ideals in whose name we are gathered in The Hague. Naturally after a time culture brings about all its tasks—it has unlimited time to do so—but what it deals with that is the acceleration of progress. Therefore welcome all fresh, bold manifestations of energy. From a new joined nation it would be possible to hope for an enrichment of the general culture work and anti-Semitism would lose its principal point of attack against the Jews—namely a ruptured nation. In conclusion, I maintain, one should encourage Zionism."

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Prof Gotthell on Spain.

Prof. Richard Gotthell who has recently been touring in Spain, where he has been conducting some special research work, mainly of a biographical nature was in London last week, where he was interviewed by a representative of the Jewish Chronicle. He visited several centres in the peninsula, in addition to the capital. He has been in Carajina, Murcia, Granada, Cordova, Seville, Toledo, Escorial, Burgos, and St. Sebastian.

"As you know," said the Professor, "most of the great synagogues in Spain were turned into churches at the time of and after the Inquisition, but in Toledo there is this curious fact. There are two buildings which were originally synagogues and were subsequently turned into churches. They have since, however, been dismantled of everything which made them churches, the altar, rebedos, crucifix, and so forth, and they are now preserved as monuments practically in the original form in which they were synagogues."

"There is something of a Jewish renaissance in Spain?"

"Well, yes, there is undoubtedly a disposition on the part of the Spanish Government to encourage a return of Jews to that country. You have already had details in regard to this from Dr. Yahuda whose presence in Spain is a good thing for Jews since he will be able to exercise considerable influence on our people in Morocco who are under the domination of the Spanish Government. But I doubt very much whether the time is ripe for anything like a large return of Jews to the peninsula. The religious conditions obtaining there are extremely strong, and there can be little doubt that anything like an accession of Jews to the population would mean trouble. I have no data upon which to base my conclusions, but I rely upon the instinctive feeling I have gathered from all parts of Spain. This time, I have not been in Barcelona, but, as you know, I have been through a good deal of the country, and I find everywhere the religious feeling most marked."

"At present," continued Professor Gotthell, "there are only a few hundred Jews in the whole of Spain, and yet, even among our people that are there, there is the same feeling in respect to any large migration of Jews that I have expressed. I need scarcely add that the sentiment which animates the King of Spain and his counsellors is entirely above cavil and is dictated both in the interests of the country itself and in deference to the wide tolerant spirit which animates the King and the Queen. Yet it is the populace that has to be considered, and from what I have seen and heard I am clearly of opinion that it would be at least premature for any considerable migration of Jews at present to the country."

"Naturally," proceeded the Professor, "I cannot shake off the sentiment which must be aroused in any Jewish breast by an examination of the Inquisition documents, the greater portion of which are to be found in Madrid and Salamanca. They form a wonderful collection, the minute detail and accuracy of which are remarkable."

"Still there is an eternal affinity between Jews and Spain?"

"That is but natural since so large and so important a portion of Jewish history is bound up with the country. For instance, Mr. Eikan Adler possesses a wonderful collection of reprints of the Inquisition documents, many of which are invaluable from an historical and a genealogical point of view. At this moment Mr. Oscar Straus is pursuing investigations as to the Jewish origin of Christopher Columbus, so that, as you say, Spain and its history must always be an entrancing subject for Jews. And that brings me to say," said Professor Gotthell, "that one of the most striking needs to-day is a volume of Jewish post-Biblical history such as could be given to young students or could be used as an easy reference book. The importance of post-Biblical history can scarcely be overrated. The ignorance of the history of Jews from the closing of the Bible times, to somewhere about the beginning of last century, is appalling. Even fairly well-educated Jews know nothing of what Jews have done for the world and the fine part they have played in medieval times. There is no need for me to enlarge upon this—how Jews brought from the East science and learning which formed the basis of what is now Western civilization or the part they played in the building up of, say, the Spanish Empire, or of Holland, or how it was that so many Jews came to be subjects of the Tsar of Russia. Few are aware of the great part which Jews played in France and in Germany. Take America or some of the British colonies. Little is known of what Jews have done, and of the great figure that they have formed in the general development. Of course we have such works as Graetz', but five volumes of history are a bit too ponderous. Milman's History of the Jews is, for many reasons, hardly helpful. With these exceptions, speaking off-hand, we have no English book deal-

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Kronecker was at one time private assistant to the great physician, L. Traube, and thus possessed a knowledge of medicine quite unusual among mere physiologists. He was one of C. Ludwig's most esteemed pupils and dearest friends, and was at one time his assistant. At Leipzig and elsewhere he became acquainted with almost every physiologist of note, and his linguistic powers, his extensive knowledge of an encyclopedic character, his geniality, kindness and trustworthiness converted every acquaintance he made into a friend.

Like Ludwig, Kronecker published a great deal of his work under the names of his pupils, among whom may be mentioned Dr. Gustav Hamel, father of the aeronaut, whose untimely death the world has recently had to deplore, and Prof. Meltzer, of the Rockefeller Institute. His influence in stimulating others was enormous, and as director of the Marcy Institute in Paris, as professor in Berne and as actual participator in most of the physiological congresses, he put at the service of every one who was willing to work, his knowledge, his time and his energy without stint.

The esteem in which Kronecker was held is shown by the universities of Glasgow, Aberdeen, St. Andrews and Edinburgh having conferred upon him the degree of LL. D. and Cambridge that of D. Sc. The number of distinctions conferred upon him by foreign universities and learned bodies is too great to mention. He served during the campaign of 1866 and the war of 1870 and obtained the decoration of the iron cross.

The first annual congress of the Agudas Yisroel will be held at Frankfort-on-Main, Germany, from August 23 to 31. In addition to the consideration of the constitution the following matters will be discussed: Training of the growing youth in study of, and loyalty to, the Torah; the work of observant Jews in Palestine; and the economic situation of Jewry. Consequent on the summoning of the congress many groups have been formed in almost every country, so that a large attendance is anticipated.

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Lower Broadway is going to lose one of its newsies. Isidore Greenberg, popularly known as "Izzy," who for thirteen years has sold papers at the northeast corner of Broadway and Fulton street, is going to become a 'rah 'rah boy.

He is going to enter Cornell, and of all things in the world what do you suppose he is going to study up there in Ithaca? Scientific agriculture!

Izzy told a N. Y. World reporter who called at his home, No. 1106 Union avenue, Bronx, last evening, that he had been selling newspapers since he was five years old. He is eighteen.

"I kept my wits about me," was the way he put it. "I worked hard, I studied and observed men and events, and now I am going to be graduated from the street corner. It was a good 'prep' school, even if it was a hard one."

"But why scientific agriculture?" Izzy was asked. "Why not the law or medicine?"

"The woods are full of them," said Izzy, "and then you've got to remember that scientific agriculture is the coming thing. I've stood on that corner down there many a long afternoon looking and listening and thinking it all out."

"I've watched the faces of the thousands of men and women who passed me in the crowds, and it struck me that a lot of them were playing a losing game. They were prisoners of the city, serving a life sentence."

"I knew that the day would come when I'd have to quit the game on the corner, and I kept wondering what I'd do. The outdoor life has made me hard as nails. I wanted to find something that would keep me out in God's fresh air—something that I liked and that would be a paying proposition."

"And then it all came on me in a flash. People have forgotten that all the wealth in the world comes out of the ground. They've left the open places of the earth and have crowded into the markets in the cities, and they are stepping on each other and narrowing themselves, mentally and physically, while they grub for pay dirt."

"Pretty soon, some day, they are going to go back home—back to the forests and the farms, and when the back-to-nature movement starts the man who has specialized in scientific agriculture is going to have his day."

"Izzy's" father has been an invalid for years. Izzy is the youngest of five children, and when he was called upon to contribute his mite toward the support of the family, he says, his prospects were not of the brightest.

The young man says that action is "thought with its coat off" and declares he has had his coat off and his sleeves rolled up since he was five years old. He was graduated from Public School No. 10, entered De Witt Clinton High School and has completed the four-year course there in three and a half years. After his day at school he sold papers until 11 o'clock at night, got up at 5 o'clock in the morning and studied his lessons for the coming day.

He hasn't saved any money in the thirteen years he has been a newsie. All he made, he says, went to his mother. His brothers are making good now and he is at liberty to go to college and work his way through.

It was hard work getting Izzy to tell about himself. He said he has done nothing out of the ordinary. Anybody can do the same thing, he declares.

"All you have to do," he said, "is work hard, think right and live clean. Any fellow who has enough energy and directs it intelligently can make anything out of himself that he wants."

Wonderful Club-Swinging Record.

Gunner George Vyner, of whose prowess as an athlete readers of this column are already aware, has just gained another valuable distinction by breaking the world's previous record for club-swinging, established by Tom Burrows some time ago. This gentleman created something of a sensation when for just over eighty hours he occupied himself by continuously swinging a pair of clubs. Remarkable as this feat was, as showing evidence of stamina and endurance, it has just recently been overshadowed by our coreligionist, who for four days and three nights, without a single break, swung clubs, each weighing 3 1/4 pounds. Eye-witnesses were simply astonished at this phenomenal test of endurance, and at the conclusion of his lengthy ordeal Vyner received the hearty congratulations and gained the admiration of his fellow-colleagues in the army stationed at Weymouth. The exhibition took place in the rink at Plymouth, and during the last quarter of an hour Mr. Vyner gave an exhibition of fancy swinging.

Early this year, Gunner Vyner gained the army and navy championship for "long endurance club swinging," and last month created a world's record in sword swinging, having successfully completed thirty-four hours continuous swinging with regulation cavalry swords, forty inches in length. On this occasion he averaged 130 revolutions per minute. Mr. Vyner is twenty-eight years of age, stands 5 feet 9 inches in his socks, and is of fine physique. He is a native of Newcastle-on-Tyne, where he intends to reside after leaving the army five months hence. It is noteworthy that Mr. Vyner took up club swinging as a sport about three and a half years ago.—London Jewish World.

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WHEREAS, Anna W., of the City of New York, has lately applied to the Surrogate's Court of our County of New York, to have a certain instrument in writing, dated August, 1913, relating to both real and personal property, duly proved as the last will and Testament of Bernat Wachsmann, also known as Bernath Wachsmann, Bernhard Wachsmann, Bernard Wachsmann and Bernat Wachsmann, late of the County of New York, deceased, THEREFORE, you and each of you are cited to appear before the Surrogate of our County of New York, at his office in the County of New York, on the 11th day of September, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, at half-past ten o'clock, in the forenoon, of that day, then and there to attend the probate of the said last will and Testament.

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

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused the Seal of the Surrogate's Court, of the said County of New York, to be hereunto affixed.

WITNESS, HON. JOHN P. COHALAN, a Surrogate of our said County of New York, at said County, the second day of July, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

DANIEL J. DOWDNEY, Clerk of the Surrogate's Court.
EPPSTEIN & ROSENBERG, Attorneys for Petitioner, 19 Cedar Street, New York City.

HOFFMAN, 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 Hoffman, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscriber, at his place of transacting business, No. 35 Nassau street, in the City of New York, on or before the 30th day of September next. Dated New York, the 18th day of March, 1914.

MILTON S. HOFFMAN, Administrator.
MAURICE STEINER, Attorney for Administrator, 35 Nassau Street, New York City.

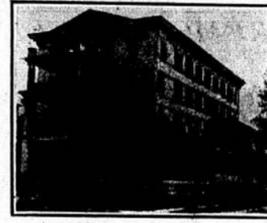
HILKE, KATHERINE E.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Katherine E. Hilke, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscribers at their places of transacting business, at the office of Godfrey Goldmark, No. 32 Liberty street, in the City of New York, on or before the 30th day of November, next. Dated, New York, the 20th day of May, 1914.

NICHOLAS C. HILKE, GODFREY GOLDMARK, Administrators.

FISCHER, ISI—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 Isi Fischer, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscriber, at his place of transacting business, care Jeremiah A. O'Leary, No. 38 Park Row, Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 1st day of December next.

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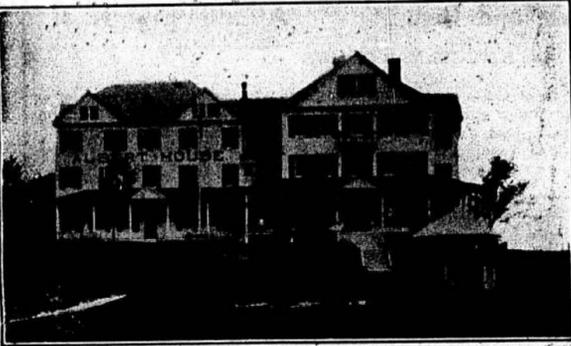
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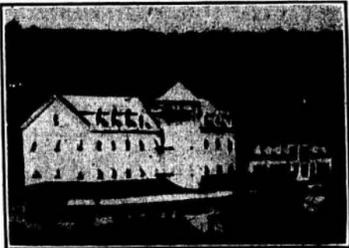
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"The Jewess"

In view of the approaching revival of the "Jewess" at the Metropolitan Opera House next season, the following from the London Jewish World will prove of interest to American Jewish readers:

"In view of the proposed revival of Halevy's 'La Juive' at the Metropolitan Opera House, New York, next winter, Mme. Emmy Destinn, the famous Covent Garden soprano, who is to portray the role of Rachel, is already preparing for the part in a most efficient if not extraordinary manner. Mme. Destinn is so exact in her art, that when studying a new part she will not only learn the words and music, but will also endeavor to become familiar with the historical incidents of the epoch in which that particular event took place. She will even sometimes take the trouble of visiting certain spots where the plot of the music-drama has been laid.

"The other day the soprano communicated with a representative of the Jewish World, inquiring the best method for obtaining local color, in order to help her form her conception of the Jewish martyr, and it was suggested that the prima donna should visit the East End for that purpose. Mme. Destinn at once adopted the suggestion, and a few days ago, in company with Dinah Gilly, the Covent Garden baritone, and Mr. M. Clark, her press representative, was seen to alight from a large yellow 60-horsepower Mercedes car at Middlesex street. The party proceeded to the different stalls, where the singer picked up different items of stage paraphernalia that one cannot find in the greatest local theatrical supply houses.

"After rummaging some time among costumes and ornamental objects, the party, at the request of the soprano, was conveyed to a popular Jewish restaurant in Aldgate, where the distinguished visitors, who were unknown to the proprietor, surprised him by ordering matzos and gefillte fish, though it was not Friday.

"The Bohemian soprano remarked in excellent German to the proprietor that she had never in her life tasted such excellent food. Matzo had a special interest for her, because in 'The Jewess' it plays a prominent part during the first act, where, as is known, the Prince in Eliezer's house on Passover night throws the matzo given him by Rachel on the floor, and in this way she recognizes that he is not a Jew. After taking the recipe of the world famous Jewish dish—gefillte fish—the party proceeded to the Pavillon Theatre, where a box had been reserved. Mme. Destinn was delighted with the acting, and expressed her appreciation of the performers' talent by presenting them with a large bouquet of flowers.

"The diva is planning to have a special performance of 'The Jewess' given for her at the Pavillon, so that she may see a genuine Jewish interpretation of the drama.

"I consider that Rachel is one of the most beautiful characters in Jewish tradition, and one which reminds me very much of Joan of Arc," she remarked. "I always feel most inspired when presenting a noble character like this one, and I hope to excel in the part." Mme. Destinn expressed her gratitude for the assistance our representative had given her in making the visit so interesting.

"Mme. Destinn, who is deservedly regarded as one of the greatest sopranos of our time, is remaining at Covent Garden till the end of July, after which she will return to her country home in Bohemia, where she will rest during the summer. In November she will proceed to the Metropolitan, New York, where she is as much an idol as she is at Covent Garden."

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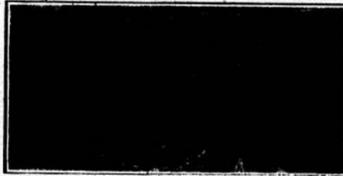
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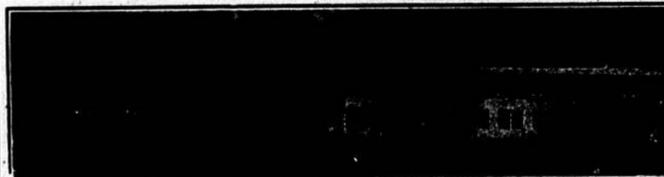
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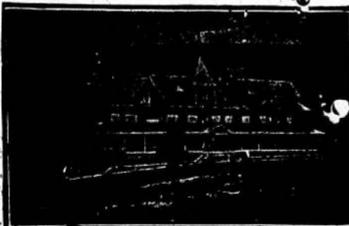
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The Jewish Pale and Its Influence on Trade and Industry.

The new anti-Jewish restrictions devised by the Russian Government raise afresh and in an aggravated form the burning question of the influence of the Nationalist policy on the economic life of the country. I have already had occasion to deal with this question in the Columns of *Darkest Russia*, but a recently published work gives me the opportunity of returning to it in the light of new and highly instructive facts. The author of

this work is Mr. L. Hersh, who is a *privat docent* in the University of Geneva, and the significant title he has given it is *The Wandering Jew of To-day: an Inquiry Into the Emigration of the Jews of Eastern Europe to the United States of North America*.

One of the chapters of Mr. Hersh's book supplies some valuable information regarding the economic position of the Russian Jews in the Pale of Settlement and the economic results of the establishment of that institution. In 1897, according to the official census, the number of Jews in the Russian Empire was 5,215,805, or 4.2 per cent. of the total population. The greater part of them—4,899,327, or 94 per cent.—were concentrated in the Pale of Settlement, where they formed 11.6 per cent. of the general population. Since the Jews are forbidden by law to purchase or cultivate land, they practically cannot engage in agriculture; that is why they participate to but an insignificant extent in the life of the country districts. Among the Jewish inhabitants of the Pale in 1897 there were 1,428,835 who were classed as "active workers"—i.e., who lived by their own labors—and of these only 2.5 per cent. were agriculturists. Of the total agricultural population of the Pale the Jews formed less than 1 per cent.

This almost absolute bar against the

employment of Jews in agriculture is one of the results of the government's anti-Semitic policy, which refuses them the right of residence in the villages. The natural development of economic forces is thus arrested, and the equilibrium between agriculture, commerce and industry destroyed.

"Among the non-Jewish inhabitants of the Pale of Settlement," says Mr. Hersh, "about one-ninth (11.5 per cent.) of the active workers engage in industry; among the Jewish inhabitants the proportion is more than a third (36 per cent.), or three times as great. Commerce accounts for less than 1 per cent. of the non-Jewish and nearly a third (31.5 per cent.) of the Jewish workers; thus the proportion among the latter is nearly twenty times as great as among the rest of the population of the Pale. Hence we find a truly extraordinary phenomenon; while there are only thirteen Jews for every 100 non-Jews in the Pale of Settlement, for every 100 non-Jewish workers engaged in commerce there are 268 Jews coming within the same category."

It should be added that this disproportion is still more marked in certain special branches of commerce and industry. For instance, 45 per cent. of the Jewish commercial workers trade in livestock as well as in grain and other agricultural produce; and here their proportion is about twenty-five times higher than that for the rest of the population. Again, 45.5 per cent. of the Jewish industrial workers are engaged in the clothing industry, which, like the trade in agricultural produce, is overrun with Jews. It is true that, taking the total population of the Pale without distinction of race or religion, we find that not more than 5.5 per cent. of the active workers are engaged in commerce and 4 per cent. in the clothing industry. From the general point of view this is not a high proportion, especially when we compare the situation in France, Germany, and the other European countries, where the corresponding figures are considerably higher. But on this point Mr. Hersh has some very instructive observations to offer. "If the general population of the Pale," he says, "stood on the same level as regards civilization and economic welfare as the population of France and Germany, there would be an actual dearth of traders and clothiers in the Pale, and the Jews would certainly never have to flee the country. But this supposition reminds me of the Polish proverb: 'If my grandmother had a moustache, she would be my grandfather.' If the Pale of Settlement could be compared to France and Germany, it would not be what it is to-day."

Another economist, Mr. Brutzkus, has made a more detailed investigation into the economic situation of the Jews of the Pale. He has taken two governments in the north of this region (Vitebsk and Mohilev) and two neighboring governments (Smolensk and Pskov) in which the natural and economic conditions are very similar, but which are situated outside the Pale. In the two former the Jews form 12 per cent. of the population; in the two latter 0.7 per cent. In Smolensk and Pskov he found that out of every 1,000 inhabitants (without distinction of race) 19 lived by commerce and 10 were engaged in the clothing industry. In the two governments of the Pale the corresponding figures were 53 and 24. In other words, under the same conditions of life, for every 1,000 persons engaged in these two pursuits outside the Pale there were respectively 279 and 240 similarly engaged in the neighboring governments of the Pale.

"The Pale of Settlement," says Mr. Hersh, "is therefore not a sufficiently large market to allow the Jews living there who occupy themselves with the clothing industry and with commerce to earn the necessities of a most modest existence, even if the Christian population of the Pale made no distinction between Jews and Christians in either their purchase or sale transactions; for in the Pale there are many more persons engaged in these pursuits than can make a living at the present time."

Mr. Brutzkus comes to a very similar conclusion:

"In order that the Jewish population should be faced with the same conditions as the industrial and commercial population of the above-mentioned governments situated outside the Pale of Settlement it would be necessary for about 60 per cent. of the Jews to pass to other occupations or to emigrate."

It must be mentioned that those Jewish "merchants" of whom the official statistics speak, and who are the objects of anti-Semitic hatred in Russia and Poland, are for the most part engaged in a trade whose value may be measured by a few roubles' worth of goods, and they have to wage an incredibly severe struggle to keep themselves and their children alive. The reports of the employment bureau of the Society for Providing Poor Jews with Work state that during the past few years the Jews have been leaving in ever-increasing numbers the townlets where they have hitherto been employed as small traders, and have gone to Warsaw in search of work as mere laborers. The average wage of the unskilled laborers in Warsaw is 3½ roubles (about seven shillings) a week. One must be gifted with a lively imagination, observes Mr. Hersh, to figure out the profit which these Jews were able to make in their native townlets in their capacity of "merchants."

The characteristic and stupid campaign of boycotting the Jews has still further aggravated their already abnormal and deplorable situation in Russia. The consequences of the anti-Jewish movement on the economic life of the country will be pointed out in a subsequent article, G. ALIXINSKY, in *Darkest Russia*.

Ahawas Israel Affairs Nearing Settlement.

Under date of July 15, Grand Master, Judge Leonard A. Snitkin, has forwarded a letter to members of the Independent Order Ahawas Israel urging the adoption of a plan which has the sanction of the Insurance Department of the State of New York. The grand master in his letter says:

"A little over two months have passed since the Insurance Department of the State of New York took official action against our Order, and it is fair to assume that the general membership is of the belief that our beloved Order, which weathered many a tempestuous storm, has fondered beyond hope of saving and that its officers had allowed its future to the fates, but not so, my brethren. I was not unmindful of the cry of distress; I saw the pinched lips of poverty, of the grief-stricken orphans, the heart-broken cry of the widow, their eyes swimming in tears; I fully realized that despite my unselfish and untiring efforts to save the Order, the criticisms, if any, would be leveled at me, but I had rather have upon my limbs the manacles of criticism than have upon my heart the chains of private selfishness. I, although dismayed, still had hopes that some means would be found to discharge our obligations to the widows and orphans, and perhaps rehabilitate the Order, and, while such hopes may have been the result of a feverish enthusiasm on my part, it appears now, with inestimable gratitude to the Hon. Frank Hasbrouck, Superintendent of Insurance of the State of New York, that my hopes are no longer visionary, but are to be realized. Through his efforts a recognized financially sound insurance company, permitted to do business in the States of Connecticut, Delaware, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania and Rhode Island, has undertaken to insure our membership, and has further undertaken to pay to the Superintendent of Insurance part of the premiums paid by the members of the Order, for the purpose of creating a fund for the payment of the endowments past due, and I have been reliably informed that if the majority of the membership will assist in this plan, a fund will be created sufficient in amount to pay all of the liabilities, and I respectfully urge a careful reading of the Commissioner's letter."

"I feel it my duty, therefore, to appeal to the patriotism of our membership to those who still have a warm love and affection for our Order, to those who still desire to see this beloved Order rehabilitated, to those who had hoped to realize the twenty-fifth anniversary of its existence, that now is the opportunity time. I urge upon the membership a careful and sincere consideration of this proposition. Remember that the sentiment implied by the question of Cain, when he said 'Am I my brother's keeper?' is strikingly contrasted by the utterance of Abraham, who said unto Lot, 'Let there be no strife, I pray thee, between me and thee, and between my herdsman and thy herdsman, for we are brethren,' and for years thereafter Moses said to his people who were slaves and disagreed, 'Ye are brethren; why do ye wrong one another?' Our mottoes have been 'Truth, Love and Justice.' Now, with the opportunity at hand, let us put into practice our precepts. For, by co-operative actions, we will be enabled to do infinite and material good."

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Several Jews have been given high posts in the French Ministry recently formed by M. Viviani. M. Henri Levy-Ullmann, professor at the faculty of law in Lille, has been appointed principal private secretary to the Minister for Public Works; Professor Albert Milhaud in the same capacity to the Minister of Labor, and M. Bloch private secretary to the Under Secretary of State for the Interior. M. Strauss is sub-chief of a department at the Ministry for War, and Commandant Carence is placed on the private general staff of the Minister for War.

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BROOKLYN NOTES.

Hebrew Educational Society Roof Garden. The roof garden of the Hebrew Educational Society, was formally opened Sunday evening, July 19, with a dance.

Promoting Citizenship. In a report recently published by the Massachusetts Commission of Immigration, the following statement is made: "It was found * * * that there is a considerably larger percentage naturalized among the Russian Jews than among any of the other nationalities with which the commission was especially concerned."

The Hebrew Educational Society of Brooklyn recognizes the value of educating immigrants with this end in view and hopes in its new building at Hopkinson and Sutter avenues to promote this phase of its activities. In co-operation with the Hebrew Sheltering and Immigrant Aid Society it has been holding weekly meetings during the past season on Monday evenings for first papers, with an average attendance of 32.

To raise \$5,000 during the summer is the aim of the officers of the Brooklyn Hebrew Home for the Aged. All members of the institution have been urged to remember the Home while in the mountains or at the sea shore, and to arrange affairs in those places for the benefit of the Home.

A movement will soon be started to erect a Hebrew Educational Institute in Borough Park. It is the opinion of leading Jews of that section that a school for the teaching of Hebrew to the children is needed there.

Jewish Loungevity Due to Observance of Kashrath. "The Jews have been the only people in the entire world who, during the last twenty centuries, required that every animal killed for food should undergo a post-mortem examination," writes Dr. C.

D. Spivak, of Denver, secretary of the Jewish Consumptives' Relief Society, in an article in the New York Medical Journal urging greater liberality among Jews as to permitting autopsies on their dead. These are allowed among the orthodox only when they are "an honor to the dead; when a human life can be saved thereby—for instance, when there is present a sick man who suffers from the same malady from which the deceased died," but never for experimental purposes.

"It is quite incomprehensible why the other nations among whom the Jews dwell, and whose general culture was higher than that of the Jews, have not grasped the hygienic importance of the Jewish method of post-mortem examination of slaughtered animals. It is only a few decades since the civilized world made the discovery of meat inspection and its bearing on the health of the people. And even in our days the custom of meat inspection is practiced in a desultory manner."

Errata. Inadvertently in the advertisement of Lipton's Tea in our last week's issue there appeared a paragraph which read: "Ask your grocer for a 1/4 pound package—it costs but ten cents." This should have read a "sample package." This sample package, which is obtainable for but ten cents, contains tea enough to make 40 glasses of good healthy, nourishing and refreshing tea, and those taking advantage of the Lipton offer will soon become users of that tea to the exclusion of all others.

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Dated, New York, the 13th day of July, 1914. BERNARD LICHTENSTEIN, DAVID OPPENHEIMER, Executors. ISADORE M. LEVY, attorney for executor, 233 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

HYMAN-ROSE.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. John P. Cahalan, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Rose Hyman, 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 Weed, Henry & Meyers, No. 62 William Street, in the City of New York, on or before the 10th day of September next.

Dated, New York, the 25th day of February, 1914. MALVINA MEYERS, LEO HYMAN, Executors. Weed, Henry & Meyers, Attorneys for Executors, 62 William Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

HAAS, LEOPOLD.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the estate of Leopold Haas, 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. Kantrowitz & Esberg, No. 320 Broadway, in the City of New York, on or before the 10th day of October next.

Dated New York, March 25th, 1914. SARAH HAAS, DAVID HAAS, Executors. KANTROWITZ & ESBERG, Attorneys for Executors, No. 320 Broadway, New York City.

MARKS, ROBERT.—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 Robert Marks, 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. 15 William Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on or before the 30th day of November next.

Dated, New York, May 21, 1914. JOSEPH MARKS, GUSSIE LACKS, Executors. KATZ & SOMMERICH, Attorneys for Executors, 15 William Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

EMANUEL, SARA.—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 Sara Emanuel, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscriber, at his place of transacting business, No. 30 Vesey Street, in the City of New York, on or before the 30th day of September next.

Dated New York, the 10th day of March, 1914. MORRIS COOPER, Executor. LEONARD KLABER, Attorney for Executor, 30 Vesey Street, New York.

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SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, COUNTY OF NEW YORK. Euphemias S. Coffin, plaintiff, against Henry Behr, and Sears R. Keino, doing business as the Warde Piano Company, Defendants. Summons, Place of Trial, New York County. To the above named Defendants: YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED to answer the complaint in this action, and to serve a copy of your answer on the Plaintiff's Attorney within twenty days after the service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service, and in case of your failure to appear, or answer, judgment will be taken against you by default for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated New York City, June 23d, 1914. EDMUND COFFIN, Plaintiff's Attorney, Postoffice Address and Office: No. 34 Pine Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City. To the above named defendant, Henry Behr: The foregoing summons is served upon you by publication, pursuant to an order of the Honorable L. A. Giegerich, one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, dated the 7th day of July, 1914, and filed with a copy of the complaint herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York at the County Court House, in the County, City and State of New York, on July 8, 1914, the original complaint having been filed in said office on the 24th day of June, 1914.

Dated New York, July 14, 1914. EDMUND COFFIN, Attorney for Plaintiff, Postoffice Address and Office: No. 34 Pine Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City. To the above named defendant, Henry Behr: The foregoing summons is served upon you by publication, pursuant to an order of the Honorable L. A. Giegerich, one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, dated the 7th day of July, 1914, and filed with a copy of the complaint herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York at the County Court House, in the County, City and State of New York, on July 8, 1914, the original complaint having been filed in said office on the 24th day of June, 1914.

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Dated New York, July 3, 1914. JOSEPH NEW, Secretary. MAURICE B. & DAN'L W. BLUMENTHAL, Attorneys, 35 Nassau Street, New York City.

MICHAELIS, MOSES.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. John P. Cahalan, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Moses Michaelis, 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. 35 Nassau street, in the City of New York, on or before the 2d day of January, 1915.

Dated New York, the 19th day of June, 1914. DAN'L W. BLUMENTHAL, HARRY M. MICHAELIS, BENJAMIN E. WERNER, Executors. MAURICE B. BLUMENTHAL, Attorney for Executors, 35 Nassau Street, Manhattan, New York City.

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CHILDREN'S PAGE

RABBI NEHORAI

Dear Children:

Some time ago I told you about Rabbi Elazar Ben Arach, the best disciple of Rabbi Joachanan Ben Zaccai, who, after having spent considerable time at the popular bathing resort of Deyumses and at Perugaytha, which was celebrated for its fine wines, had so completely forgotten his learning that, upon his return among his fellow-disciples, when he was called upon to read a portion of the Torah, instead of saying the words of the text, "Hachodesh hazeh lachem," he read it "Hacheresh haya libam," the Rabbin prayed for him and his learning was restored to him, and he was called Rabbi Nehorai, meaning light, because he enlightened the eyes of the Sages in Halacha (Jewish jurisprudence). Thenceforth he ever preached the maxim "Emigrate to a place where the Torah is studied and do not fancy that it will follow thee, as thy associates will establish it with thee and rely not upon thy own, sole intelligence."

Rabbi Iddi lived at a great distance from the city where there was the Beth Hamderash, it was so far that it took him three months to get there. Every year he used to start out after Passover and learn there one day and then return home in time to rejoice with his wife at the festival of Succoth, and when some of his associates laughed at him and called him "the Rabbi's disciple of one day" and he took it to heart, Rabbi Joachanan said that this one day's learning, which entailed so much sacrifice on his part, was as much esteemed in the eyes of the Lord as if he had learned the entire year.

This teaches us, dear children, how the emigration itself for the purpose of learning the Torah was esteemed in the eyes of our Sages, and from the time of our first Patriarch Abraham, who was the first wanderer from home and family for the sake of the Torah, whose principles he made known throughout the world, to the time when our ancestors wandered to the wilderness for the sake of receiving the Torah from the Lord, on Mount Sinai, and from that time to the present day the Jew is continually emigrating for the sake of the Torah.

The Talmud tells us that the very experience through which Rabbi Nehorai had passed and which had almost cost him his entire learning, was the cause of the downfall of the new tribes whom the spending of all their time alternately at the baths of Deyumses and in drinking the fine wine at the city of Perugaytha, had made such sensual pursuers after pleasure that they neglected all the duties that Judaism imposed upon them and were at last driven into exile and completely cut off from the rest of the Jewish nation. At this time of the year, dear children, when most of us are seeking the baths of the modern Deyumses and the pleasures of the Perugaythan summer resorts of these times, it would be well

for us to take the lesson of Rabbi Nehorai to heart and fear lest we return so ignorant that even the Rabbin's prayers will not avail us to restore our knowledge of Judaism to us.

Therefore, let us impress this maxim upon our minds: "Emigrate to a place where the Torah is studied, and do not fancy that it will follow thee, as only thy associates (in the Hebrew School) will establish it with thee, and rely not upon thy own sole intelligence."

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Thing Science Can't Explain

How sunlight turns grapes into sugar.

Why the sap of trees is not frozen in winter.

Why it is that many microbes can be boiled and still live.

How a cat can see to catch mosquitoes on a pitch dark night.

By what sense a pigeon finds its way home from a great distance.

How the pain of a cut is carried by the nerves from the finger-tip to the brain.

How seeds sown in the autumn resist the frosts of winter and germinate as soon as spring comes.

How a chicken ten seconds after coming out of its egg knows how to balance itself on its feet, run about and peck food.

How it is that, if the earth is as old as we have every reason to believe, the radium in it has not yet given off all its energy, but seems to be discharging just as much as it ever gave.

Tony came over from the old country and obtained employment in America as a section hand. Some time afterward he went to his foreman and said: "Boss, I like haf vacation."

"Why, Tony, you don't need a vacation," answered the boss.

"Yes, boss, I like haf vacation," repeated Tony.

"What do you want with a vacation? If I give it to you, Tony, you will go over to the old country, blow all your money and then come back broke. You had better stay here."

"I like haf a vacation, boss," stolidly repeated Tony. "I'm going to get married and I'd kinda like to be there."

"Now," said Tommy's mother, "I hope you'll profit by that spanking and not be such a little savage hereafter."

"Boo-hoo!" blubbered Tommy, "I wish I was a little savage. Little savages' mothers don't wear slippers."

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Why is the 12.50 train the hardest to catch?

It is ten to one if you catch it.

Why is the clock the most modest piece of furniture in the house?

It covers itself with its hands and runs itself down.

Why is the United States Government not going to have bayonets any longer in the army?

They are long enough.

What common thing is very uncommon?

Common sense.

Why is a scrupulous temperance man apt to break his pledge?

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In the things that men call "luck";
It takes hard, downright digging
Ere the vein of gold be struck.
Dame Fortune may be fickle,
But none of us can deny
That she loves to lay her treasures
At the feet of the men who try.

I've read the records closely,
I've watched life's battle, too;
They've taught me one good lesson
That I would teach to you:
Fate cannot build a barrier
So rugged or so high
But it can be surmounted
By the men who try and try.

I honor the man of learning,
I honor the genius too;
The strong man, and the brave man—
I honor them all—don't you?
But where in the great procession
Of life they pass me by,
I lift my hat the highest
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Dated, New York, March 26th, 1914. ALFRED F. SELIGSBERG, SIMSON WOLF, ALBERT J. SELIGSBERG, Executors. EDMOND E. WISE, SOL. KOHN, Attorneys for Executors.

SALOMON, SALOMON.-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 Salomon Salomon, 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 Leo Oppenheimer, her attorney, No. 60 Wall Street, in the City of New York, on or before the 15th day of November next. Dated New York, the 27th day of April, 1914.

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ROSENTHAL, HENRY L.-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 L. Rosenthal, 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 Goldfogel, Gohrt & Dorf, No. 271 Broadway, in the City of New York, on or before the 30th day of September next. Dated New York, the 17th day of March, 1914. JULIUS S. ROSENTHAL, Administrator. GOLDFOGEL, COHN & DORF, Attorneys for Administrator, 271 Broadway, New York City.

MOSES, MAX.-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 Max Moses, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscriber, at her place of transacting business, at the office of Johnston & Johnston, No. 256 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the first day of November next. Dated New York, the 20th day of April, 1914. FANNIE MOSES, Executrix. JOHNSTON & JOHNSTON, Attorneys for Executrix, 256 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

TAUSEND, MAX.-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 Max Tausend, 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 Jacob Rieger, his attorney, No. 257 Broadway, in the City of New York, on or before the 31st day of December next. Dated New York, the 18th day of June, 1914. FELIX TAUSEND, Executor. JACOB RIEGER, Attorney for Executor, 257 Broadway, New York City.

LOWENFELD, JOSEPHINE.-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 Josephine Lowenfeld, 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 Aronson & Aronson, 128 Broadway, in the City of New York, on or before the 31st day of December next. Dated New York, the 15th day of June, 1914. ABRAHAM H. WEISBERGER, SAMUEL WEISBERGER, Executors. ARONSON & ARONSON, Attorneys for Executors, 128 Broadway, New York City.

FINKENBERG, ADOLPH.-In pursuance of an order of Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Adolph Finkenberg, 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 Albert L. Phillips, No. 99 Nassau Street, in the City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, on or before the 1st day of January next. EMMA FINKENBERG, Executrix; ISRAEL FINKENBERG, EDWARD FINKENBERG, Executors. ALBERT L. PHILLIPS, Attorney for Executors, 99 Nassau Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

MORGENSTERN, HANS.-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 Hans Morgenstern, 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 Leo Levy, No. 92 Wall Street, in the City of New York, on or before the 4th day of January next. Dated New York, the 1st day of July, 1914. ROSE G. MORGENSTERN, Executrix. LEO LEVY, Attorney for Executrix, 92 Wall Street, New York City.

GRUENING, EMIL.-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 Emil Gruening, 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. & L. S. Isaacs, No. 52 William Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on or before the 20th day of January next. Dated New York, the 10th day of July, 1914. PEBBE GRUENING, ROSE B. GRUENING, ERNEST H. GRUENING, Executors. M. S. & L. S. ISAACS, Attorneys for Executors, 52 William Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

GOLDSCHMIDT, NATHAN.-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 Nathan Goldschmidt, 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 David B. Baum, his Attorney, No. 35 Nassau Street, in the City of New York, on or before the 15th day of January next. Dated, New York, the 1st day of July, 1914. HERMAN GOLDSCHMIDT, Executor. DAVID B. BAUM, Attorney for Executor, 35 Nassau Street, Manhattan, New York City.

FRANK, SARAH.-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 Sarah Frank, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscribers, at their place of transacting business, at the office of Duer, Strong & Whitehead, No. 43 Wall Street, in the City of New York, on or before the 15th day of January next. Dated New York, the 26th day of June, 1914. MILTON L. FRANK, J. EDWARD G. MAYER, EDWARD G. VERT, Executors. DUER, STRONG & WHITEHEAD, Attorneys for Executors, No. 43 Wall Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

WOOLF, COLEMAN.-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 Coleman Woolf, 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 Jacob H. Corn, No. 395 Broadway, in the City of New York, on or before the 21st day of December next. Dated New York, the 8th day of June, 1914. MARY WOOLF, Administratrix. PASKUS, GORDON HYMAN, Attorneys for Administratrix, 2 Rector Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

EINSTEIN, ARTHUR.-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 Arthur Einstein, 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 Jacob H. Corn, No. 395 Broadway, in the City of New York, on or before the 21st day of October next. Dated New York, the 28th day of March, 1914. MANUELA N. EINSTEIN, Administratrix. JACOB H. CORN, 395 Broadway, New York City. Attorney for Administratrix.

LEWINE, SAMUEL, also known as SAM LEWINE.-The People of the State of New York, by the Grace of God free and independent, to MALKA LEWINE, if living, and if she be deceased, to her heirs-at-law, next of kin and descendants if any there be whose names cannot be ascertained, heirs-at-law and next of kin of SAMUEL LEWINE, also known as Sam Lewine, deceased, send greeting: Whereas, LOUIS FRANKLIN LEVY, of the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, has lately applied to the Surrogate's Court of the County of New York, to have a certain instrument in writing relating to both real and personal property, duly proved as the last will and testament of Samuel Lewine, also known as Sam Lewine, late of the County of New York, deceased, and Whereas, a decree was made and entered in the office of the Clerk of said Surrogate's Court, allowing and proving said instrument as a will of both real and personal property on the 17th day of September, 1913, and Whereas, by inadvertence the citation heretofore issued in said proceeding omitted the name of the persons heretofore recited, Now, therefore, you and each of you are cited to appear before the Surrogate of the County of New York, at his office in the County of New York, on the 10th day of August, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, at half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, then and there to attend and show cause why the evidence taken and the proceedings heretofore had to prove the last will and testament of the decedent should not stand and why the decree admitting said will to probate and adjudging same to be a valid will to pass real and personal estate should not be sustained and why said Malka Lewine, if living, and if she be deceased, her heirs-at-law and next of kin, and descendants, if any there be, should not be bound by said decree with the same force and effect as if she and they had been previously cited to attend the original probate thereof. And such of you as are hereby cited, as are under the age of twenty-one years, are required to appear by your guardian, if you have one, or if you have none, to appear and apply for one to be appointed, or in the event of your neglect or failure to do so, a guardian will be appointed by the Surrogate to represent and act for you in the proceeding. In Testimony Whereof, We have caused the seal of the Surrogate's Court of the said County of New York to be hereunto [L. S.] affixed. Witness, Hon. John P. Cohan, a Surrogate of our said County of New York, at said County, the 11th day of June, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen. DANIEL J. DOWDNEY, Clerk of the Surrogate's Court. EISEMAN, LEVY, COHN & LEWINE, Attorneys for Executor, 135 Broadway, New York.

SICHER, DAVID E.-In pursuance of an order of Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against David E. Sicher, 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 Wollman & Wollman, their attorneys, at No. 29 Broad Street, in the City of New York, on or before the tenth day of October, 1914, next. Dated, New York, the 28th day of March, 1914. DUDLEY D. SICHER, SAMUEL A. SICHER, ACHILLES H. KOHN, Executors. WOLLMAN & WOLLMAN, Attorneys for Executors, 29 Broad Street, New York City.

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JACOBS, SOLOMON.-In pursuance of an order of Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Solomon Jacobs, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscribers, at their place of transacting business, at the office of Paul Hellingner, No. 320 Broadway, in the City of New York, on or before the fourteenth day of November next. Dated, New York, the 5th day of May, 1914. FANNIE LEVY, Executrix; MOE LEVY, PAUL HELLINGER, Attorneys for Executors, 320 Broadway, New York City.

LEVY, CAROLINE, Sometimes Known as Kalina Levy.-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 Caroline Levy, sometimes known as Kalina Levy, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscriber, at his place of transacting business, at No. 51 Chambers Street, in the City of New York, on or before the 20th day of October next. Dated, New York, the 13th day of April, 1914. ISAAC POLLACK, Executor. HARVEY J. COHEN, Attorney for Executor, 51 Chambers Street, Borough of Manhattan, N. Y. City.

ASHER, ISIDOR 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 Isidor A. Asher, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscriber, at his place of transacting business, at No. 206 and 208 Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 30th day of October next. Dated New York, the 5th day of March, 1914. ABRAHAM A. ASHER, Administrator. EDWARD J. JACOBS, Attorney for Administrator, Office and Post Office address, 35 Broad Street, New York City.

SONNENSCHNEIN, MAXIMILIAN J.-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 Maximilian J. Sonnenschnein, late of Prague, in the Kingdom of Bohemia, in the Austro-Hungarian Empire, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscriber, at his place of transacting business, at No. 206 and 208 Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 30th day of October next. Dated New York, the 17th day of April, 1914. BENNO LOEWY, Ancillary Administrator with the will annexed. GEO. H. MERKEL, Attorney for Ancillary Administrator, No. 206 Broadway, New York, N. Y.

MITCHELL, CARRIE.-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 Carrie Mitchell, 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 Horwitz & Rosenstein, No. 346 Broadway, in the City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, on or before the seventh day of December, next. Dated, New York, the 28th day of May, 1914. MICHAEL MITCHELL, GABRIEL NACHMAN, Administrators with the Will Annexed. HORWITZ & ROSENSTEIN, 346 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City. Attorneys for Administrator, Michael Mitchell, RETT & KAMINSKY, Attorneys for Administrator, Gabriel Nachman, 309 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

JUNG, 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 Jung, 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. 267 Broadway, in the City of New York, on or before the 24th day of November next. Dated New York, the 23d day of March, 1914. JACOB JUNG, KATHARINA JUNG, Executors. MARCUS MANDELBAUM, Attorney for Executors, 267 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

BERNSTEIN, JENNIE.-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 Jennie Bernstein, 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. 29 Liberty Street, in the City of New York, on or before the first day of September next. Dated, New York, the 11th day of February, 1914. LOUIS BERNSTEIN, RAY BERNSTEIN, Executors. ALLAN A. DEUTSCH, Attorney for Executors, 29 Liberty Street, Manhattan Borough, New York City.

SANFT, MAYER.-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 Mayer Sanft, 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. L. Kalmann, No. 99 Nassau Street, in the City of New York, on or before the 12th day of October next. Dated, New York, the 2d day of April, 1914. JOSEPH SANFT, WOLF SANFT, Administrators. A. L. KALMAN, Attorney for Administrators, 99 Nassau Street, New York City.

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ROTHSCHILD, CAROLINE.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Caroline 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 Louis Suman, No. 53-63 Park Row, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 8th day of October, next.

Dated, New York, the 24th day of March, 1914.

CLOTHILDE COHN, Administratrix de bonis moe.

LOUIS SUMAN, Attorney for Administratrix de bonis moe, No. 53-63 Park Row, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

ULMAR, 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 Ulmar, 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 Bertram Levy, Attorney for Executors, No. 52 Wall Street, in the City of New York, on or before the 23d day of December, next.

Dated New York, the 22d day of May, 1914.

JACOB ULMAR, HENRY ULMAR, and ALFRED ULMAR, Executors.

BERTRAM LEVY, Attorney for Executors, No. 52 Wall Street, New York City.

DOBRINER, SOLOMON.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Solomon Dobriner, 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 Herman Herst, Jr., Esq., No. 220 Broadway, New York City, on or before the 1st day of November, next.

Dated New York, April 16, 1914.

JACOB DOBRINER and MORRIS LEVI, Executors.

HERMAN HERST, JR., Attorney for Executors, 220 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

PICK, ISAAC.—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 Isaac Pick, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscribers, at their place of transacting business, at the office of Kantrowitz & Esberg, No. 320 Broadway, in the City of New York, on or before the 19th day of October, next.

Dated New York, March 25, 1914.

FANNY PICK, MARTIN PICK, SAMSON ROSENFELD, Executors.

KANTROWITZ & ESBERG, Attorneys for Executors, No. 320 Broadway, New York City.

ROSENBERG, BERNARD.—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 Bernard Rosenberg, 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 Samson Friedlander, No. 271 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 10th day of December, next.

Dated New York, the 25th day of May, 1914.

SAMSON FRIEDLANDER, Administrator.

SAMSON, FRIEDLANDER, Attorney for Administrator, 271 Broadway, Manhattan, N. Y. City.

CELNIK, HERSZ.—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 Hersh Celnik, 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 Louis Werner, No. 42 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 15th day of September, next.

Dated, New York, the 3d day of March, 1914.

HARRIS ROSENTHAL, YODEL DAVID EISENSTEIN, Executors.

AARON A. FEINBERG, Attorney for Executors, 350 Broadway, Manhattan, New York City.

HYMAN, GUSTAVE.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Gustave Hyman, 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 Mortimer Hyman, No. 355 Broadway, in the City of New York, on or before the 1st day of December, next.

Dated New York, the 15th day of May, 1914.

MORTIMER HYMAN, SOLOMON A. HYMAN, Executors.

SAMUEL D. LASKY, Attorney for Executors, 170 Broadway, New York.

BOURG, HATTIE V.—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 Hattie V. Bourg, 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 Benno Loewy, their attorney, Nos. 206 and 208 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 23d day of September, next.

Dated New York, this 12th day of March, 1914.

MORRIS, EMMA.—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 Emma Morris, 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 Abr. A. Silberberg, No. 258 Broadway, in the City of New York, on or before the 1st day of October, next.

Dated New York, the 20th day of March, 1914.

SIMON WILHELM, Executor.

ABR. A. SILBERBERG, Attorney for Executor, 258 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, N. Y. City.

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JOSEPH H. PIDGEON, Second Deputy Secretary of State.

HOROWITZ, 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 Horowitz, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscribers, at their place of transacting business, at the office of Saul Bernstein, No. 149 Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on or before the 20th day of September, next.

Dated New York, the 6th day of March, 1914.

SAUL BERNSTEIN, Executor; HANNAH HOROWITZ, Executrix.

SAUL BERNSTEIN, Attorney, No. 149 Broadway, New York City.

MAYER, SELIGMAN.—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 Seligman Mayer, late of Atlantic City, New Jersey, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscriber, at her place of transacting business, at the office of Louis Werner, No. 42 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 21st day of November, next.

Dated New York, the 12th day of May, 1914.

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Dated, New York, the thirtieth day of April, 1914.

MAX S. GRIFENHAGEN, Executor.

RONALD K. BROWN, Attorney for Executor, 320 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York.

LOWENBEIN, MORRIS.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Morris Lowenbein, 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 Benjamin G. Paskus, No. 128 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 7th day of December, next.

Dated New York, the 27th day of May, 1914.

DAVID LOWENBEIN, HELEN LOWENBEIN, WILLIAM R. ROSE, Executors.

BENJAMIN G. PASKUS, Attorney for Executors, No. 128 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

DEITSCH, CHARLES.—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 Charles Deitsch, 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. Wolf & Kohn, their attorneys, No. 203 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 16th day of October, next.

Dated, New York, the 1st day of April, 1914.

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