

WAR THIS WEEK

Eden Choice for Premier

In a British Gallup poll, Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden is "once more first choice to Mr. Churchill as Premier," the British Radio reports in a broadcast picked up by CBS.

Cold Food Day

To save fuel, Fridays have been designated as "cold food" days for the British Army. Operation of gas, electric or coal stoves in Army cookhouses is prohibited after 8 a. m. each Friday, although wood may be used, if available.

Vichy Reprisal

Reprisals against activities of the French Committee of National Liberation, in connection with the execution of Pierre Pucheu and other collaborationists, have begun in France, with arrest of many friends and relatives of the Algiers group, the Vichy Radio has announced.

Gestapo Secretary Escapes

Nella Kapp, secretary to the Gestapo chief in Turkey and daughter of the German Consul at Sofia, placed herself in the hands of American authorities at Ankara and has now arrived safely in Syria, the Associated Press reports from Ankara.

Sweden Protests

Protests over British restrictions on diplomatic communica-

tions has been made by the Swedish Government and the French Committee of National Liberation. Sweden indicated it realized the situation was only temporary, but did not "consider these measures to comply with international law or diplomatic customs."

Soviet Consulate

The Soviet Government will open a consulate in Palestine shortly, it was announced in Jerusalem. With an eye to the possibility of future trade relations between Palestine and Soviet Russia, the "Soviet Affairs Committee of the Jewish Agency," has just sponsored the publication of a pamphlet on the subject.

Lend-Lease Bases

Prime Minister Churchill has been asked by two Laborite members of Parliament to give assurance that no American proposals for permanent possession of Lend-Lease bases in the Western Hemisphere will be entertained by the British Government. (Such a possibility was recently suggested in Washington.)

Freezing of Workers

A bill to freeze essential male workers between 18 and 45 in their jobs and to force nonessential workers of the same age group into war jobs under threat of military induction has been introduced by Senators Bailey (D) of North Carolina and Brewster (R) of Maine.

Il Duce Dodges Bomb

Benito Mussolini had a narrow escape recently when a bomb was hurled at his automobile while he was driving near Lake Garda in Northern Italy, according to the Swiss newspaper Der Bund. The bomb, it was said, exploded only a few yards from the car.

Nazis Sell Looted Art in Argentina

NEW YORK — Rare art treasures, part of the loot stolen by the Nazis in Europe, are being smuggled on Spanish ships into Latin America and sold to a selected list of collectors and dealers in Buenos Aires, according to a report in PM, New York newspaper, from Ray Josephs, its Montevideo correspondent.

Herman Goering and other high Nazi officials are mentioned as those behind the attempts to establish credits in South America by disposing of the works of the famous masters.

BOOK WINS PRIZE

NEW YORK — Maurice Samuel's book "The World of Sholem Aleichem" has been awarded the \$1,500 Ainsfield Award for the best book on racial relations published during 1943. Second prize went to Roi Ottley's "New World a-Coming," dealing with the Negro problem.

Editorials

Free Refugee Ports

The War Refugee Board disclosed that the idea of establishing what are called "free ports for refugees" is being seriously considered by the Administration.

It is hard to see how there could be any objection to it.

The important thing is that we would have a place in which to put refugees down, and that we would give up our present monstrous notion that if refugees cannot satisfy all immigration requirements there is absolutely nothing to be done except invite them to float in the air somewhere until the war ends.

Sedition Trial

The sedition trial in Washington is degenerating into a three-ring circus, with 22 lawyers cawing about freedom of speech, smearing of their clients and tearing their hair while they shriek about constitutional rights.

In the meantime the defendants predict that the case will never go to a jury, they pass out anti-Semitic literature in the courtroom and applaud statements like Edward J. Smythe's that "this is a trial of the Roosevelt administration, not of the 30 honest patriots who comprise the defendants."

Although Chief Justice Edward Eicher would like to get on with the trial, he is hogtied by the delaying and confusing tactics of the defendants and their representatives.

It is easy to foresee months of endless bickering. To complicate affairs, newspapers and individuals, with axes to grind during this election year, are grabbing, with glee, unproved statements of the defendants to smear their opponents.

We cannot predict what will be the conclusion of the trial. It will take heroic restraint on the part of the Justice and the Prosecutor to prevent the trial from becoming a mockery of justice.

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Miriam Hospital Conducts Poll on Local Facilities

Receives Award



JUDGE PROSKAUER

Conference Good Will Citation Made

NEW YORK — A warning that unless we "educate our youth for democracy" they will be "susceptible to the persuasion of demagogues and thus be easy prey for the un-American and Nazi propaganda that seeks to spread disension among us" was made last week by District Attorney Frank Hogan in presenting a good will citation of the New York Round Table of the National Conference of Christians and Jews to Judge Joseph M. Proskauer, president of the American Jewish Committee. Making the presentation in exercises broadcast over Station WHN, Mr. Hogan paid tribute to Judge Proskauer as "a valiant fighter in the cause of good will" who richly deserved the citation for "distinguished service to the cause of inter-faith amity."

Britain Asked to Intervene In Polish Court-Martial

LONDON — The British Government was urged this week to intervene to secure a review of the sentence of one to three years imprisonment meted out over the week end by a Polish court-martial to about 30 Jewish soldiers who were charged with "deserting" from the Polish Army because of anti-Semitism there and seeking to transfer to the British forces.

A resolution adopted by the

Question Cost And Adequacy

Several Thousand Citizens Quizzed

Public opinion relative to the adequacy and acceptability of hospital service in Providence is being sought by a community relations committee of Miriam Hospital, Samuel Shore, chairman of the committee, announced this week.

Approximately 7,000 representative citizens of the area served by Providence hospitals have received questionnaires designed to ascertain what the public knows and thinks about hospitals here. The test, similar in construction to familiar nation-wide polls on political and economic questions, calls for true or false and multiple choice type answers and provides space for frank suggestions and criticisms.

Survey on Service

"General findings of this survey will be made public," Mr. Shore (Continued on Page 2)

Convention Speaker



Supreme Court Justice Frank Murphy, who heads the speakers for the inter-faith action session of B'nai B'rith's national war service convention at Carnegie Hall, New York, May 8. Other speakers will be Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt and Henry Monksy, president of B'nai B'rith. The convention opens May 6 and continues until May 10.

Christian Front to Stage National Conclave April 30

NEW YORK — A native fascist national conference will be held at the Columbus Club, Brooklyn, N. Y., on April 30, it was revealed here. Leaders of the Christian Front, the defunct America First Committee and of anti-British and anti-Russian organizations in Boston, Cleveland, Chicago and this city are the sponsors. Sen. Burton K. Wheeler (D., Mont.) and Sen. Gerald P. Nye (D., N.D.) both denied reports that they had been invited to address the meeting.

The Columbus Club is in the

Knights of Columbus building. John F. Cassidy, former Christian Front head, acquitted with 14 others of charges that they had conspired to overthrow the United States government, was recently reported to be an employee of the Knights of Columbus in Brooklyn.

The sponsors of the rally, active in Father Coughlin's comeback campaign, have announced the following speakers: William Gallagher, Boston Christian Front leader; former Rep. Martin Sweeney, America First candidate for governor of Ohio, and William Grace, isolationist head of the Citizens U. S. A. Committee of Chicago.

Philadelphia Clergy Back Fight on Bias

NEW YORK — Following the lead of clergymen in Boston and New York, 100 Protestant ministers in Philadelphia have organized a Regional Action Committee to smash anti-Semitism, under the auspices of The Protestant, a monthly magazine, and its Textbook Commission to Eliminate Anti-Semitic Statements in American Textbooks.

Sedition Defendants to Blame B'nai B'rith in Trials

WASHINGTON — Attorneys for key defendants in the nation's biggest wartime sedition trial have begun to lay down an anti-Semitic smokescreen in a desperate effort to upset the government's case.

The strategy planned by at least some of the 30-odd defense attorneys swarming over the scene had been clearly foreshadowed. It was lawyer Ifa Chase Koehne, a stooped, sullen citizen who gave the show away in the first hours of the trial.

Koehne, designated by the court to serve four of the defendants after they took the "pauper's

oath," announced that the defense will show that "the Anti-Defamation League was responsible for bringing this indictment." This is the same fable that has been widely circulated in the pro-Fascist press since the government launched its proceedings against the alleged partners in Adolf Hitler's world-wide Nazi conspiracy against democracy.

The issue was precipitated when defense attorneys protested that representatives of the department of justice had investigated the jury panel to determine whether prospective jurors had Bund or

Christian Mobilizer connections. O. John Rogge, special assistant to Attorney General Biddle in charge of the prosecution, freely admitted that a "routine" inquiry had been made. Judge Edward C. Eicher pointed out that defense counsel had access to the same list for the same purpose and that there was nothing improper about such an inquiry.

But Koehne was distinctly unhappy and unimpressed. He said so.

"This case," he complained, "has a strong background of anti-Semitic matters. The Anti-Defama-

tion League, as the trial will show, was responsible for bringing this indictment. It has a better espionage service than the FBI (Federal Bureau of Investigation) and undoubtedly made an even more intensive investigation of the jurors."

Although Judge Eicher overruled demands for a "judicial inquiry" into the survey of jurors and slapped down pleas to hold Rogge "in contempt," there was strong belief in the courtroom that his was only the opening gun of a major offensive to link Jewish organizations with the prosecution.

Zionist Speaker



LUDWIG LEWISOHN

Members of the Providence Zionist District will have Ludwig Lewisohn, author and lecturer, as their guest speaker this Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock in the Crown Hotel.

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said. "Those participating in this test will be performing a service to themselves and to the communities in which they live. We at Miriam Hospital intend using the results of the questionnaire as a guide in our efforts to better care for and to protect the health and lives of our citizens."

Typical questions include the following:

"Do you think, from what you know or hear, that hospitals in Providence have adequate capacity?"

"Do you think Providence hospitals are efficiently managed?"

"Would you go out of town for hospital service if you needed it now?"

"Do you believe Miriam Hospital should have enlarged capacity?"

"Do you believe any of our community hospitals receive enough money from patients to finance new buildings and equipment?"

"Before reading this questionnaire, were you of the opinion that increase of population in and around Providence could affect your personal safety, so far as hospital protection is concerned?"

"Do you favor keeping hospital care in this community abreast of the most advanced medical practice—even though costs be increased?"

Hospital Fees

Touching upon the delicate subject of hospital fees to patients who can afford to pay for their care, the questionnaire asks, "Are charges by hospitals in Providence too high, fair, reasonable or too low?"

Referring to sources of hospital income, the test seeks to find the extent of public knowledge regarding free and below-cost service given by hospitals. "Since the cost of such treatment," it continues, "must be met in some way, from what source do you think money is obtained, mostly: rates paid by private patients, income from endowment and gifts, grants from the community fund or payments by municipal or state agencies?"

Recipients of the questionnaire are also asked, "If you were a member of a board of a community hospital and knew that a large sum was needed to enlarge its capacity in order to meet the public's increasing needs, from what source would you seek the fund: the federal government, the state, the city or the public?"

Signatures need not be attached to the answers and suggestions, Mr. Shore noted. In this way, hospital officials feel that the response will be uninhibited and frank.

Committee Members

Those serving with Mr. Shore on the hospital's community relations committee include: Archie A. Albert, D.D.S., Nathan A. Bolotow, M.D., Alter Boyman, Charles C. Brown, William B. Cohen, M.D., Irwin S. Forbstein, Max L. Grant, Herman P. Grossman, M.D., Henry Hassenfeld, Samuel Kaplan, Louis I. Kramer, M.D., Henry Levaux, Frank E. McEvoy, M.D., Ira H. Noyes, M.D., Joseph W. Rens, Samuel Rosen, Meyer Saklad, M.D., Maurice Stollerman, Walter I. Sundin, Samuel Temkin and Harry Triedman, M.D.

JWB Publishes Book on
Jewish Participation in War

Authentic facts on Jewish participation in this war, as complete as it is possible to issue at this juncture in the war, are available today in book form. "Fighting for America," an account of Jewish men in the armed forces from Pearl Harbor to the Italian campaign, published this week by the National Jewish Welfare Board.

Answering the "whispered lie and the outspoken statement based on so-called 'facts,' circulated to create schisms among us," the book reveals incontrovertibly that Americans of Jewish faith are not only fully represented in this war but that "thousands have performed great and heroic deeds for American victory."

"Fighting For America" contains a revealing chapter on statistics and surveys, reports on percentages of refugees in service, discusses the distribution of Jews in various branches of the armed services.

The last pages of "Fighting For

America" are devoted to an impressive listing of some 2500 American heroes of Jewish faith, hundreds of whom have been killed in action, others wounded, and others awarded medals and citations for valor under fire "above and beyond the call of duty."

In the section on statistics and surveys, it is revealed that sample community surveys bear out the validity of the statements made by the Adjutant General and the Chief of Chaplains of the United States Army, that "the present strength of the army is a sufficiently large cross section of American life in all its phases, including religious preferences, to warrant the assumption that the religious preferences of soldiers in the army are the same as in civil life. We in this office are very happy that the Jewish youth as well as the youth of other religious groups in our nation, are participating wholeheartedly and extensively in support of our democratic way of life in this critical hour of national defense."

"Fighting For America" offers statistical proof that, in all communities surveyed thus far, the Jewish community has contributed to the armed forces as many sons, in proportion to their numbers in each community, as the general population.

Wins Award for
Cancer Research

NEW YORK — For research relating to cancer, Dr. Alexander Lipschutz, director of the department of experimental medicine of the Chilean National Health Service at Santiago, Chile, has received for the second time the \$2,000 award given by Dr. Charles L. Mayer and administered by the National Academy of Sciences.

General Chairman



MRS. SAMUEL DEUTCH

Beth-Israel Event
To Aid Servicemen

A Mother's Day mah jong and bridge for the benefit of servicemen's activities at Temple Beth-Israel will be held Wednesday afternoon, May 10, at 1:30 o'clock at the Temple, it was announced this week by Mrs. Samuel Deutch, general chairman.

Others on the committee include Mesdames Harry Greenspan, co-chairman; Abe Berman, secretary; Anna Goldenberg, Harry Goldenberg, Irving Arnoff, Jack Rosenblatt, Irving Kovitch, Jack Pritcher, Aaron Cohen and Morris Schussheim.

Youth Calendar

- April 29
Dance sponsored by alumni groups of Temples Beth Israel and Beth El, at Temple Beth El, 8 P. M.
- April 30
Temple Beth Israel alumni meeting, 10 A. M.
Temple Emanuel Jr. Sisterhood Paid Up Members Tea.
Beth El War Activities Group dance, 6 P. M.
- May 1
Board meeting of Temple Beth Israel Daughterhood, 8 P. M.
- May 2
Meeting of Iota Kappa Mu, 8 P. M.
Board meeting of Temple Emanuel Junior Sisterhood, 8 P. M.
- May 3
Meeting of Masada, 203 Strand Bldg., 8 P. M.
Providence Chapter of Senior Judaea, meeting, Temple Emanuel, 8 P. M.
Temple Beth Israel Daughterhood dance, 8 P. M.
- May 4
Board meeting of R. I. Federation of Jewish Youth, 8 P. M.

EDITORIAL CONTEST

WASHINGTON — Prizes of \$500, \$300 and \$100 in war bonds will be awarded to the writers of editorials on Americanism published in the daily press between April 15 and August 15, by the B'nai B'rith Americanism Commission.

Anti-Nazi Paper
For Prison Camps

WASHINGTON — The War Department has lifted its ban on the anti-Nazi publication German-American, recently held by the Provost Marshal General to be unsuitable for distribution in prisoner of war camps in the U. S. A. because its "extreme anti-Nazi views... might be more misunderstood than helpful to German prisoners in this country."

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Holiday Calendar

5704—1944
Shabuot May 28
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*Rosh Hashanah Sept. 18
Yom Kippur Sept. 27

*Holidays begins at sundown day before.

SISTERHOOD MEETING

A mother-daughter meeting will be sponsored by the Sisterhood of Temple Beth-Israel this Monday night at the Temple. A play will be presented by members of the Daughterhood in honor of Mother's Day.

Obituary

MRS. SABINA KESSLER

Funeral services for Mrs. Sabina Kessler, wife of Simon Kessler, of 127 Verdale avenue, were held last Wednesday afternoon from the Max Sugarman Funeral Home. Rabbi William G. Braude officiated and burial was in Temple Beth-El Cemetery, Reservoir avenue.

Born Nov. 11, 1878, in Austria, the daughter of the late Samuel L. and Esther R. Kessler, she came to this country about 45 years ago, and lived here ever since. She was a charter member of the Sisterhood of Temple Beth-El. She was formerly a member of the Council of Jewish Women.

Besides her husband she leaves two sons, S. Louis Kessler of Providence and Sgt. Rudolph Kessler, stationed at Camp Atterbury, Ind., now home on leave; one daughter, Mrs. Hazel K. Roth, and three grandchildren of Providence.

HARRY DAVIS

Funeral services for Harry Davis, 50, of 181 Somerset street, were held last Tuesday afternoon from the Max Sugarman Funeral Home. Rabbi Abraham Chay officiated at the services and burial was in Lincoln Park Cemetery.

Born in Russia, he came to Providence when he was 10 years old. Mr. Davis was a member of the What Cheer Lodge.

His survivors include his wife, Mrs. Eva (Cohen) Davis; three sons, Aaron and Ira of Providence and Cpl. Philip Davis, USA, now stationed in England; five brothers, Hyman, David and Morris, of Trenton, N. J., Benjamin of North Bergen, N. J., and Abraham, of Isehn, N. J.; three sisters, Mrs. Esther Weisman and Mrs. Lillian Bolotin, of Providence, and Mrs. Mary Baskin, of Omaha, Neb.; and one grandson.

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SPRINGTIME IN MANHATTAN

Streets coated with glistening rain while puddles are polka-dotted with raindrops.....Baseball gab invading war dialogues.....The well-sharpened notes of warbling birds giving happiness a sound track.....Islands of defeat scattered around town where sunshine only magnifies its poverty.....A gray-eyed sky clearing the thunder in its throat and displaying its white-fanged lightning.....Playful breezes juggling the ancient weather-vane atop St. Paul's Cathedral.....The shy rustle of balmy winds caressing faces with invisible baby fingers.

The Hudson River cobwebbed with streaks of gleaming sunlight.....Shop windows glowing with Spring finery composing visual poetry of vivid hues.....Sunrise lighting a fiery dawn on the stub of a warm night.....Brisk winds brushing the last few dead leaves from trees as nature weaves its annual green gown around them.....Relaxed humans anchored to park benches allowing contentment to find a home in their spirits..... A soldier strolling with his girl.....Workers eagerly sipping lungs full of anti-septic air before plunging into subway dungeons.....The everlasting beauty of twilight balanced on the fingertips of a departing day.

The Magic Lanterns: "See Here, Private Hargrove" is loaded with familiar comedy gags, but it's got so doggone much good feeling that you skip the stencils. Besides, it's got a pair of likable lads—Robert Walker and Keenan Wynn—as the rookies, and Donna Reed as the lookie....."The Fighting Seabees," means to be a back-slap for that useful arm of the military, but

sometimes the praise gets gibberly. The thing is too Hollywood-flavored to look like war....."The Heavenly Body" does not refer to Hedy Lamarr, who's in it. The title comes from Wm. Powell's monkeying with the stars. Sometimes the going gets funny, but too often you can almost hear Powell's suspenders give from the strain of carrying the frail tale....."Tunisian Victory," action cameras, records some lovely shots of the Rats on the run, than which there is nothing more entertaining.

It's simple to spot a debater on a radio forum who has lost the argument.....He's the first to lose his temper.....Have a nifty innovation: The recordings of Dorothy Parker's witty monologs—by stage stars.....Some critics objected to a fine film, "The Purple Heart," because, they complained, it made us hate Japs.....All right, doctor. I'll go quietly.....Add invitations to murder: Swingsters who mangle the gay "Oklahoma" liets.....The war film, "Tunisian Victory," is the best yet. Keeps you sitting on the edge of your suspense.....Variety reports that Movieburg is losing interest in handleaders "because they lack acting ability"..... Sure took H'wood a long time to find it out.....If the film biz depended on acting ability—Hollywood would have only one actor—Spencer T.

Good to see Fred Allen climbing in the popularity surveys.....He's one radio jester who makes an honest stab at trying something original.....Gamblers about midtown are wagering the war'll be over in Yurrop by July 4th..... Might be a good way to win the bet—by getting into the fracas and helping fight it.....Here's a repeat boost for Ben Hecht's exciting book: "A Guide for the Bedevilled".....Don't miss it—it'll make you a better American..... The jokes that helped kill vaudeville are now making radio writers wealthy and famous.

Elastic fingers of sunlight reaching into shadowy skyscraper canyons.....Children bubbling with happiness—finding thrilling adventures in the fairyland of youth.....Fresh air fiends draped across park lawns getting a kick out of breathing.....Romancers driving out fears of insecurity around them with a personal fortress of blue skies and rainbows.....The cool kindness of Spring mornings that drain the ache from people's souls and inspire them to attack problems of the day like a conquering hero.....Spring busily nursing the trees and flowers that patiently waited for her during the bitter Winter months.....The forest fire of noise that blazes along the Main Stem, destroying the silky calm the season brings..... Lovely stenogs discussing their sweethearts during lunch hour, putting a period at the end of each sentence with a dimple.

The natural snob near the East River: A private park where children aren't allowed.....Skyscraper peaks holding tiny pools of sunshine.....Harlem's elegant boulevard lined with well-manicured dainty trees, but flanked by miserable dwellings.....Pasty-faced Main Stemmers blinking in the afternoon sun as if it was a stranger they wanted to avoid.....Silence flooding the park after midnight when each little hush holds a mystery of its own.....The farm inside a big city—on upper Tenth Ave.

DIAMOND STRIKE
TEL AVIV — A general strike was proclaimed this week in the diamond industry following a referendum taken among the workers. More than 1,600 workers voted to strike while 600 voted against striking.

Sons of Zion Congregation Carnival to Start on May 1

The first bazaar and carnival sponsored by the Sons of Zion Congregation will be held at the Synagogue on Orms street for six nights, May 1 through May 6.

Booths, entertainment and refreshments will feature each night's program, with something different every night, it was revealed by Morris Feinberg, chairman of the carnival committee.

A collection of valuable prizes will be awarded. In addition, \$600 in war bonds will also be given as prizes.

"As this is the first carnival ever sponsored by the Congregation," Mr. Feinberg said this week, "we have spared no efforts in making it a worthwhile event and something to remember. Plan to attend. I'm certain the public will be pleasantly surprised."

Assisting Mr. Feinberg on the carnival committee are Charles Holland and Frank Swartz, co-



CHARLES HOLLAND
Co-Chairman

chairman; John Newman, treasurer; Sigmond Horowitz, chairman of tickets; and Samuel Riddell, secretary.

PFC Lappin Does His Bit to Fight Anti-Semitism

PFC Elmer Lappin, USA, in a letter to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lappin, of 17 Jenkins street, this week revealed the effectiveness of a pamphlet published by the National Conference of Christians and Jews entitled "Story of Scapegoats in History."

The pamphlet was passed on to a Captain Thomas N. Johnston who, after reading it, penned the following note to PFC Lappin:

"Thanks for calling to my attention the 'Story of Scapegoats in History.' It has been my contention for years and will be until proved otherwise—that nations as well as individuals can live together in peace and harmony once they have accepted the 'Golden Rule' as the basic rule. And the best way to establish this rule is through education, starting with little children the world over. This is my conviction and the man doesn't live who can change my mind."

In concluding, the Captain asked if he might have the copy of the pamphlet.

PFC Lappin, stationed at Edgewood Arsenal, Md., where he is attending Chemical Warfare School, plans to distribute many more copies of the pamphlet.

Junior Sisterhood Membership Tea

Officers and members of the board of Temple Emanuel Junior Sisterhood will sponsor a paid-up membership tea this Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the Temple Vestry.

Mrs. Charlotte F. Goldenberg this week announced that the guest soloist for the afternoon will be Mrs. Rose Applebaum who will be accompanied at the piano by Miss Violet Marks.

Miss Carolyn Sydell, membership chairman, will speak briefly. The raffle drawing, under the direction of Miss Muriel Harris, will also be held.

The Misses Hope Abrams and Selma Goldstein will direct a committee of hostesses as well as the committee on arrangements.

ZIONIST CONCLAVE

NEW YORK — A national conference of Zionist leaders, representing more than 300 communities in the United States, will be held at the Statler Hotel, Washington, on May 23 and 24, it was announced this week by Dr. Abba Hillel Silver and Dr. Stephen S. Wise, co-chairmen of the American Zionist Emergency Council.

Charge Ibn Saud Hedging on Deal

Used Oil Project To Kill Resolutions

WASHINGTON — King Ibn Saud, whose oil is reported to have been a deterring factor in the fight for the passage of the Jewish Commonwealth resolution, is reliably reported to be playing the United States off against Britain, according to Henry J. Taylor, Scripps-Howard staff writer.

He reports that the senatorial committee investigating the oil deal has found that after getting \$63,250,000 from U. S. oil companies and under lend-lease arrangements, the Arabian monarch has begun to make advances to Britain.

He notified the American minister that if the oil pipe line operations would be conducted by the U. S. government, he would prefer closer oil relations with Britain although she has no concessions in his country, Mr. Taylor reports.

Ibn Saud has already appointed a British petroleum adviser to guide him, and is about to appoint a British financial adviser.

Kent Lodge B'nai B'rith Induction

Kent Lodge and Auxiliary B'nai B'rith held their installation of officers on last Sunday evening at the synagogue in West Warwick. The membership of this lodge comprises residents from East Greenwich, Apponaug, and Artic. Herman N. Silverman of East Greenwich, organizer of the lodge six years ago and its first president, was again installed as president, and Mrs. William Deitch was installed as president of the Auxiliary.

Joseph M. Finkle, a member of the general committee of the District Grand Lodge acted as installing officer. Other addresses were made by Francis L. Hurwitz, executive director of the New England regional office of the Anti-Defamation League, and Commander Glickman of the Quonset Naval Air Base.

Buy United States War Bonds and Stamps!

Alumni Groups To Stage Cabaret

A cabaret, under the auspices of the Beth-EJ League and the Temple Beth-Israel Alumni Association, will be held tomorrow evening at Temple Beth-El. Tommy Masso and his band will provide the music it was announced by Robert Kotlen and Earl Woolf, co-chairmen of the event.

Eleanor Galkin, Seema Silverman, Marlyn Silverman and Muriel Block are in charge of decorations; Noberta Salk, art committee; Janith Bernstein, publicity; Fredlyn Kovitch, refreshments; Eda Berger, Richard Klein, Donald Jacobs, Barbara Forbstein, Rosalie Adelman, Hella Berger and Gerald Goldstein, general committee members.

HADASSAH MEMBERSHIP
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Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Bosler, of Lenox avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Claire Lois Bosler, to Armand S. Waldman.

Posner—Pritsker

In an attractive spring ceremony, Miss Rena Claire Pritsker, daughter of the late Isadore Pritsker and Mrs. Esther Pritsker, of 490 Angell street, was married last Sunday to Dr. Marvin Posner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Posner, of Troy, N. Y. Rabbi Israel M. Goldman and Rabbi Joel Gefen, of Troy, performed the double ring ceremony.

The bride, given in marriage by her uncle, Joseph B. Kay, of Allentown, Pa., wore a white brocaded satin gown, with a Chantilly lace veil. She carried a white prayer book, adorned with a white orchid.

Mrs. Ralph Semonoff, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. Capt. Leo Weinstein, USA, the bridegroom's uncle, of Minneapolis, was best man.

Chester—Nelson

Miss Evelyn Nelson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Nelson, of 774 Broad street, Central Falls, was married last Sunday afternoon to Capt. Elmer H. Chester, DC, USA, formerly of Providence. Rabbi Aaron Goldin performed the ceremony at the Ohawe Shalom Synagogue in Pawtucket.

The bride wore a blue suit with matching accessories, adorned with an orchid corsage.

Miss Helen Nelson, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. Lt. Herbert R. Nelson, USA, of New York,

was best man.

The newlyweds are on a wedding trip to New York and Atlantic City.

Leaves for Miami

Samuel H. Wintman, of Eme-line street, left last Thursday for an extended vacation trip to Miami Beach, Fla.

Silverman Bar Mitzvah

Alfred Harvey Silverman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Max Silverman of 267 Swan street, was Bar Mitzvah last Saturday at the Congregation Sons of Abraham. A reception in the vestry followed the services.

Announce Birth

Dr. and Mrs. Frank Goldstein, of 873 Smith street, announce the birth of a daughter, Barbara Janet, on April 23 at the Homeopathic Hospital. Mrs. Goldstein is the former Miss Marion Cohen.

Warren—Basse

Miss Gladys Basse, daughter of Mrs. Rae Basse, of New York, was married last Sunday to T/Sgt. Harold Warren, USA, son of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Warren, of 129 Hazard avenue. Rabbi Israel M. Goldman performed the single ring ceremony at the home of the bridegroom's parents.

Miss Basse wore an eggshell dress, with blue hat and veil. Her flowers were orchids.

Miss Ruth Warren, sister of the bridegroom, was maid of honor; and William Warren, seaman 2-c, USNR, twin brother of the bridegroom, was best man.

T/Sgt. Warren is stationed at Camp Davis, N. C.

Golner—Robinson

Miss Dorothy Norma Robinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Julius G. Robinson, of 248 Camp street, was married last Sunday evening to David Golner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Golner, of 33 Phillips street. Dr. Israel M. Goldman, assisted by Cantor Jacob Hohenemser, performed the single ring ceremony at Temple Emanuel which was decorated with white flowers and green fernery.

The bride, given in marriage by her parents, wore a white satin gown, with a tulle skirt and fingertip veil. She carried an old fashioned bouquet of white flowers.

Miss Beatrice Golner, sister of the bridegroom, was maid of honor. Bernie Golner, of Gary, Ind., brother of the bridegroom, was best man. A reception in the vestry followed the ceremony.

The newlyweds, after a trip to Atlantic City and New York, will reside in Buffalo, N. Y.

TO ATTEND CONCERT

STOCKHOLM — Swedish princes Carol and Eugene are to attend a concert arranged by the Jewish National Fund, proceeds of which will go towards the King Gustav Forest in Palestine.



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2 cups sifted flour
3 teaspoons double-acting baking powder
1/2 cup sugar
1/2 teaspoon salt
2 eggs, well beaten
3/4 cup orange juice
1 tablespoon grated orange rind
2 tablespoons melted butter or other shortening
1 cup Grape-Nuts

Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder, sugar and salt, and sift again. Combine eggs, orange juice and rind, and shortening; add to the flour mixture, beating only long enough to combine the flour with the liquid mixture. Add cereal. Bake in greased muffin pans in hot oven 20 to 25 minutes or until done. Makes 12 large muffins.

Hadassah Joins Service Council

NEW YORK — Hadassah, the Women's Zionist Organization of America announced here that it has been elected a member of the American Council of Voluntary Agencies for Foreign Service which cooperates with UNRRA, the United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration.

According to Mrs. Moses P. Epstein, national president, the organization has agreed to train several specialists who will be selected later to serve with UNRRA corps in any field of operations designated by them. Hadassah workers will wear a special emblem in the form of the Star of David, the organization's seal.

Ration Dates To Remember

Meats, Butter, and Oleo—Book No. 4 Red stamps A8, through Q8, now valid and worth 10 points each, regardless of numbers printed on them. Good indefinitely. Red Tokens may be used as change.

Cooking fats and oils now point free.

Canned Goods—Blue stamps A8, through K8, in Book 4, worth 10 points each, now valid; good indefinitely. Blue tokens may be used as change.

Blue stamps L8, M8, N8, P8, and Q8, will become valid May 1; good indefinitely.

Shoes—Stamp No. 18 in No. 1 book and Stamp 1 on "Airplane" sheet of Book 3 now valid for one pair. The No. 18 stamp will expire on April 30. Airplane Stamp No. 2 will become valid on May 1 for one pair of shoes and will remain good indefinitely.

Mrs. D. Carleton Heads Auxiliary

Mrs. D. Carleton was installed as president of the Ladies' Auxiliary of Kletsk Yeshiva at a meeting of the organization held last Monday.

Other officers are Mesdames L. Fishbein, honorary president; B. Copeland, L. Phillips and G. Zaidman, first, second and third vice-presidents, respectively; M. Lecht, secretary; and D. Taber, treasurer.

Plans were discussed for a luncheon to be held at the home of Mrs. Fishbein on May 9. Mrs. I. Hayman was appointed treasurer of the affair.

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An adequate amount of the weed-killing ammonium sulfamate is promised for all farm and home needs this year.

Hadassah Annual Donor Affair Set for Wednesday

Dr. Max Lerner, author, educator and lecturer and an articulate opponent of isolationism as a foreign policy, will be the guest speaker at the annual donor affair of the Providence Chapter of Hadassah to be held Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the Biltmore Hotel.

Mrs. Saul Feinberg, chairman of the donor committee, is being assisted by the following committee: Mesdames Henry Hassenfeld, co-chairman; M. Cowen, secretary; N. Samors, treasurer; M. Robinson, souvenir book; H. Hill, telephone squad; S. Abrams and J. Irving, patronesses; A. Berman, decorations; L. Goldman, publicity; B. Bernhardt, food; H. Sydney, ex-officio; and the following general committee:

Mesdames A. Pilavin, William Rosenthal, William Weinstein, J. Dressler, A. Chaset, M. Mellion, M. Shaset, J. Ernstoff, A. Kaplan, N. Alper, S. Deutch, E. Cowen,

M. Bazar, F. Goldstein, I. Berger, H. Garn, L. Cohen, C. Feldman, A. Miller, A. Blackman, A. Sopkin, M. Tennenbaum, C. Temkin, S. Felder, B. Tabor, I. J. Fain, M. Sheer, R. Franks, I. Press and S. White.

Proceeds of the donor affair will benefit the Rothschild-Hadassah University Hospital on Mt. Scopus, Jerusalem, headquarters for Hadassah's war emergency and civilian health programs in the Holy Land.

The services and research carried by Hadassah and Hebrew University scientists in the Hadassah Medical Center in Palestine, the aid being given to Allied medical corps, the network of public health, child welfare, and other services supported or subsidized by Hadassah are geared not only to meet war needs, but also to prepare the people of Palestine for that period of physical and economic expansion, social progress and democratic living which will characterize the "brave new world" that must emerge after this war.

Union Aid Society Arranges Festival

Final arrangements for the annual strawberry festival, mah jong and bridge to be held Wednesday, May 10, by the Ladies' Hebrew Union Aid Society of Pawtucket and Central Falls, were completed at a committee meeting held this week at the home of Mrs. Louis Horvitz, 45 Marbury avenue, Pawtucket.

A fashion show will be presented through the courtesy of Gladding's, Inc. During the meeting, committee chairmen made their reports.

Following the meeting, refreshments were served by Mrs. Horvitz, assisted by Mrs. Fabricant, who poured.

Hadassah Business Group Meeting

Mrs. Arthur D. Holzman will address members of the Business and Professional Division of Hadassah next Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock in the Biltmore Hotel. Miss Ruth Abrams will preside.

Mrs. Holzman, formerly an active member in the Boston Chapter of Hadassah and now New England Educational chairman, will discuss "Personalities in Zionism." Miss Sarah Baker, program chairman, will introduce the speaker.

Emanuel Sisterhood Postpones Luncheon

Mrs. Abraham Percelay, speaking for the Sisterhood of Temple Emanuel, this week announced that the annual luncheon, originally scheduled for May 1, has been postponed until May 17.

Sisterhood Plans Election, Cake Sale

A slate of officers will be submitted to members of the Sisterhood Sons of Abraham at their meeting next Wednesday at the Synagogue. A Mother's Day program will be presented by a group of children from the Sunday School.

Mrs. Louis Gilbert has been appointed recording secretary in place of Mrs. Silverman who resigned because of ill health.

A cake sale will be sponsored by the Sisterhood on May 17 at Shepherds. Mrs. Gilbert, chairman, is being assisted by Mesdames J. Posner, M. Reiner, P. Stein, S. Kirschenbaum, L. Sudakoff, J. Sclaroff, J. Bernstein, E. Stone, M. Sholovitz, B. Masover, M. Eisenstadt, L. Shulman and A. Chill.

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It Happened This Week

Some weeks ago we wrote that the orthodox groups were about to settle their differences.....In fact, an affair was being planned to celebrate the "peace".....But this week the ante was raised and negotiations were broken off..... There is bitter resentment being created but there is not an agency in the city that can act as mediator.....Some of the men responsible for the impasse will realize, one of these days, that high-handed methods will not be tolerated.....In the meanwhile our old friend, B. Alter, has written another article in which he regrets that Zionism to many has become a charity to which you contribute annually.....Zionism as an ideal has lost ground, he insists.....

Bagels, But No Lux

A Jewish private was put in charge of supervising a prison camp kitchen in North Africa..... One day he started reminiscing about bagel to the prison cooks.....Then last week came the miracle.....When he woke up one morning, the bagel were waiting for him—not as good as back home, but still bagel.....Incidentally, bagel in Providence, have been a war-time casualty for nearly two years.....

Army Items

Cpl. Samuel Bernstein, son of the Louis Bernsteins, has returned to his camp at Miami Beach, Fla., after a 15 day furlough.....He was recently awarded the good conduct medal.....His brother, Pvt. Jack Bernstein, has just been transferred to the Hawaiian Islands.....A third brother, PFC Robert, has graduated radio operator's school at Madison, Wisconsin, and has received orders to report to Avon Park, Fla.....The fourth in the quartet, Cpl. George Bernstein, is still in England..... Capt. Elmer Chester, DC, USA, came home recently after a two years' stay in New Guinea..... Last Sunday he was married to Evelyn Nelson.....

Tragedy

Mitchell Shulkin suffered a severe blow recently when his daughter, living in Boston, died in childbirth.....The child was also lost.....Morris Feinberg has returned from Florida.....Sam Wintman, on the other hand, has arrived, by this time, in the sunny

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Hundreds of thousands of Jewish servicemen and women observed the Passover in the camps and battlefields of the world. These photographs are among the first to arrive at the office of the National Jewish Welfare Board, which supervises all military and naval Jewish religious services and provides religious material.

Saul Abrams Nominated For Presidency of Center

Saul Abrams has been nominated for presidency of the Jewish Community Center, it was announced this week. Election of officers will take place at the 19th annual meeting on Wednesday evening, May 10, at 8:30 o'clock.

Other officers nominated include Bertram L. Bernhardt, first vice-president; Arthur Kaplan, second vice-president; Louis Hurwitz, treasurer; Mrs. Joseph J. Seefor, recording secretary; Maxwell W. Waldman, financial secretary.

Jules P. Goldstein, Max L. Grant, Milton C. Sapinsley and Samuel H. Workman, honorary presidents; Samuel Steiner, honorary vice president; Benjamin N. Kane and Mrs. Isaac Woolf, honorary directors.

Board of directors, term ending 1947: Judge Philip C. Joslin, Irwin E. Kane, Samuel Kaplan, Samuel P. Lazarus, Samuel M. Magid,

Mrs. Ernest Nathan, Al Pilavin, Joseph W. Ress, Samuel Rosen, Paul J. Robin, Mrs. Nathan Samors, Archibald Silverman, John Silverman and Edith Sporer.

The following are also serving on the board of directors: Mrs. Saul Abrams, Major Walter Adler, Mrs. Benjamin L. Bernhardt, Benjamin Brier, George M. Carson, Joseph Cohen, David Dwares, Mrs. Jacob Ernstof, Mrs. David E. Feldman, Saul E. R. Feinberg, Henry Hassenfeld, Dr. Myron Keller, Dr. Louis I. Kramer.

Arthur J. Levy, Dr. A. Budner Lewis, Isador S. Low, Mrs. Isador S. Low, Mrs. Samuel Markoff, David Meyers, Ernest Nathan, Mrs. Abraham Perceley, Judah C. Semonoff, Charles Silverman, Samuel Soforenko, Alvin A. Sopkin, Nathan Temkin, Mrs. Max Winograd.

Sons of Abraham To Have Concert

A mass meeting and concert sponsored by the Congregation Sons of Abraham will be held Sunday, May 7, at the Synagogue, it was announced this week by Louis Trostanoff, chairman of the affair, who explained that the combined affair is being utilized for the raising of funds to remove the mortgage from the Synagogue.

A noted cantor, local and out-of-town speakers, will feature the program.

Mr. Trostanoff is being assisted by Morris Kirshebaum, secretary; I. Lazarus and L. Bedrick, treasurer.

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AFL Criticizes Immigration Ban

NEW YORK — The closing of Palestine to Jewish immigration was severely criticized here by labor leaders addressing the American Federation of Labor forum on post-war problems held at the Hotel Commodore. It was emphasized by principal speakers at the forum that the A. F. of L. expects to see racial discrimination outlawed internationally as one of the major steps toward a better world after the war.

Ask Intervention In Polish Trial

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Meanwhile, the Moscow radio broadcast a sharp attack on the verdict of the Polish military court. The deputy president of the Polish National Committee in Moscow was quoted as declaring that while thousands of Poles in Poland are helping Jews, the reactionary officers still commanding Polish troops abroad are condemning Jewish soldiers.

Refugee Island Struck by Cyclone

LONDON — The small tropical island of Mauritius, in the Indian Ocean, where 1500 Jewish refugees from Hitler's Europe have been interned by the British since 1941, was hit by the edge of a cyclone this week.

There was no mention of the island's people or the internees, who have been living a fever-ridden life.



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Prayer Book Saves Hero's Life at Battle of Cassino

NEW YORK — These are happy days for Pvt. Siegfert Oppenheimer. He is home on furlough with his parents, Max and Henrietta Oppenheimer, of this city, wearing the Order of the Purple Heart. His wounds have almost healed. He is eager to get back into the fight. And he is grateful to his parents for the religious devotion that saved his life.

Pvt. Oppenheimer was hit by a bullet while carrying out a special mission near Cassino. The bullet lodged close to his heart, barely missing its mark. It was deflected by a leather-covered prayer book, given to him by his father when he left for the army, which he carried in the left-hand breast pocket of his uniform.

Pvt. Oppenheimer came to America in 1939 with his parents and sister. Since that time he has nursed a special hatred for the Nazis and a special feeling of devotion to the United States.

Today Pvt. Oppenheimer is completing his convalescence at the



PVT. S. OPPENHEIMER

Tilden General Hospital in New Jersey, having spent several weeks in a hospital in North Africa before coming to this country. He has recovered sufficiently to be able to spend some time with his family.

Argentine Jewish Colonies Face Closing on Tax Fine

MONTEVIDEO, Uruguay — Argentina's famed Jewish agricultural project—the 53-year-old Barón de Hirsch colonies—are threatened with closure as a result of suddenly announced charges of tax evasion and imposition of fines running into millions of pesos. It was learned here by Ray Josephs, PM correspondent.

Measures, which are regarded by many observers here as indicating that the Argentine military regime is still determined to carry on with the Nazi-inspired Jew-baiting program despite the elimination from the Cabinet of certain notorious anti-Semitic personalities have been taken by the military, who intervened with the government of the State of Entre

Ríos, in which many of the colonies are located.

The province has ordered the Jewish Colonization Association, which operates the world renowned resettlement plan, to pay about \$2,500,000 in taxes allegedly due since 1933, plus thousands more in fines. Were the entire amount to be paid, the colonies founded by the late English railroad financier, Baron Maurice de Hirsch, would be forced to close.

British to Advocate Small Jewish State

LONDON — The British Government will shortly publish "a further paper favoring the creation of a Jewish National State, however small," it is predicted in an article in the London Daily Mail.

The article, written by A. Forbes, a Mail political columnist, warns that "uncompromising Zionism may increase anti-Semitism in Britain and in America." The writer advocated the "preservation of part of Palestine, including Jerusalem, as a kind of Vatican City for the Jews."

Temple Men's Club Names Officers

Election Held At Last Meeting

Hyman Cotton was elected president of Temple Emanuel Men's Club at the last meeting of the season held last Thursday night at the Temple. Other officers elected: David Meyers, Alfred H. Joslin and E. Harold Dick, vice-presidents; Louis J. Temkin, treasurer; Irving H. Strasmich, recording secretary; Dr. Myron Keller, acting recording secretary; Alfred J. Goldberg, financial secretary; Carl Friedman, publicity director.

The executive committee consists of Herman J. Aisenberg, George M. Carson, Nat C. Cohen, Abraham L. Jacobs, Daniel Jacobs, Edward Kossove, Ralph S. Krauss, Samuel Rosen, Herbert Tiemann, Martin M. Zucker, Samuel Garr.

The board of governors consists of Irving Abrams, Abraham Adler, Jacob Berkelhammer, Benjamin Bromberg, Jack Cerel, Alex A. Cohen, Dr. Al Kumins, David Dressler, Nathan Eugene, Jacob I. Felder, David Feldman, Dr. David Freedman, Alfred H. Gilstein, Dr. Harry I. Goldman, Adrian Goldstein, Dr. Frank Goldstein, Louis E. Greene, Louis Hurwitz, Samuel Lazarus, William Meyers, Samuel Michaleson, Dr. A. J. Pekow, Samuel Reiss, Theodore Rosenblatt, Edwin Soforenko, Morris Sydel, Jacob Teath, Arthur Winkleman, Morris Young.

'Standing Room Only' Monday at Strand

The dizzy pace set by Paramount's "Standing Room Only" will keep audiences howling from start to finish, if advance reports of the picture are borne out. Starring Fred MacMurray and Paulette Goddard, it bows in Monday at the Strand Theatre.

With no ceiling on laughs, the story concerns the zany antics of the two stars in their parts as butler and cook in the nation's capital. Originally intended as a business trip, the visit turns out differently when Fred and Paulette enter domestic service in Roland Young's household in lieu of spending sleepless nights in the rain.

Director Sidney Lanfield has graced this satire on current life as it goes on in Washington with as fine a cast as has been assembled for any Hollywood comedy.

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Jewish G. I's Rank High As Airmen, Paratroopers

WASHINGTON — American Jews serve in the most dangerous branches of the armed forces, with a negligible percentage holding "desk jobs", despite the high percentage of professional men among them. This was revealed by Representative Curley, Democrat of Massachusetts, on the basis of a survey of 2,895 inductees of Jewish faith in Pennsylvania, twenty-five percent, or more than 700 of whom "are serving in the most dangerous branch of the service, namely the Air Forces".

The others, he said, were divided up in this way: 9.5 per cent in the Medical Corps; 9.4 per cent, Infantry; 7.4 per cent, Field Artillery; 7.3 per cent Quartermaster

Corps; 5.5 per cent, Coast Artillery; 5.4 per cent, Engineers; 4.8 per cent Signal Corps; 3.3 per cent Armored Forces; seven-tenths of one per cent, Army Administration; 1.2 per cent Army Finance, and the remaining 20.5 per cent in other branches including Cavalry, Chemical Warfare, Chaplain Corps, Military Police and Paratroopers.

As previously reported, the Associated Press had been accused by PM of "slanting" the story of the speech by Representative Curley, in which he praised the war record of Jews in the armed forces. In their original story, emphasis was placed on the cost of inserting his speech into the Congressional Record. The above report was released by the A. P. a week after the first one.

Horse Crushes Carriage; Baby Escapes Unhurt

BROOKLYN — "It was like Amy was born again," Mrs. Rose Ullman marveled over her 11-months-old daughter's escape from death when a horse fell on the baby's carriage and crushed it.

Mrs. Ullman had wheeled Amy from their home to her brother's delicatessen store and was talking with relatives there when she saw Mike, a big white livery horse, approaching at a gallop.

Mike, frightened by a trolley car bell had run down the avenue, dragging his junk wagon and its frantic driver, Dimitri Krot, behind him. The horse stumbled on the curb near Amy's carriage, fell against it and crushed it.

While the baby gurgled, Mike lifted his 2,000 pounds from the sidewalk. Bystanders snatched Amy, unharmed, from beneath the horse's body. Mrs. Ullman fainted, six times in all, she said. Nine other women fainted, and so did Krot, the driver.

Name Liberty Ship For H. L. Glucksman

NEW YORK — The Liberty ship, Harry L. Glucksman, slid down the ways this week at the Southeastern Shipbuilding Corporation yards, Savannah, Georgia, in tribute to a man who devoted his life to Jewish ideals and American ideals with appreciation of the place which the Jews should take in the American scene and in the world at large. He was a symbol, for America, of the philosophy of the Jewish Center movement.

Religious Freedom In Treaties Sought

WASHINGTON — The Protestant churches of the United States made a plea to the United States Government this week to use its fullest influence to see that religious freedom for all nations is written into the treaties growing out of the war.

Three spokesmen of the Protestant forces of the country met with Secretary of State Cordell Hull to urge that provisions for religious freedom be incorporated in all postwar agreements to which the United States may be an adherent "looking toward the promotion of world order."

Young Judaea Elects Officers

Leonard Chusmir was elected president of the Senior Chapter of Young Judaea at a meeting held last Wednesday at Temple Beth-Israel.

Other officers elected were Muriel Block, vice-president; Dorothy Kaplan, recording secretary; Milton Zalk, corresponding secretary; and Ira Schreiber, treasurer.

The next meeting of the organization will be held on May 3 at Temple Emanuel.

SISTERHOOD BRIDGE

Members of the Sisterhood Tiferet Israel held a bridge last Wednesday at Temple Beth-El. Mrs. C. Greenberg, chairman, was assisted by Mrs. I. Dubinsky and Mrs. M. Himmelfarb, co-chairmen.

List Activities At Jewish Center

The annual Beach Pond Camp reunion will take place this Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Jewish Community Center.

Service Men's Dance

The C. B. band from Camp Thomas will provide the music at the servicemen's social and dance on Saturday night. Misses Mollie and Ann Berowitz are the chairmen of the program.

Junior Y to Meet

The next meeting of the Junior Y. W. will take place Wednesday. Plans for a spring dance will be discussed.

Final Rehearsal

The clubs, including the Comets, Musketeers, Jr. Y. Campfiregirls, A.Z.A. Cardigans, and Jacs, are having their final rehearsals for the annual club department stunt night to take place on May 7.

Set Date for Sunday School Exercises

Closing day exercises for the Sunday School at Congregation Sons of Abraham will be held Sunday, May 7. It was announced this week by Rabbi Abraham Chail.

A Mother's Day program will be presented by teachers of the school and their pupils. Prizes will also be awarded.

EXPLAINS POSITION

STOCKHOLM — Refusing to accept chairmanship of the Swedish Nazi Party, Sven Hedlin, explorer and apologist extraordinary for the Nazis, explained that while he was "pro-German," he was not anti-Semitic.

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