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Haganah and Irgun Agree to Fight Together Commission May Create "Shadow State"

JERUSALEM — Haganah, the Jewish Defense Army, and the dissident Irgun Zvai Leumi organization, have reached agreement for military co-operation and plan to sign a pact within two days for complete pooling of resources, they announced this week.

Of the 10,000 Irgun members, informants said 3000 probably would be available to enter Haganah ranks within a few days.

Announcement of the agreement brought rejoicing in Jewish communities throughout Palestine.

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Editorials

It's Our Red Cross

The current Red Cross Campaign, with its goal approximately 20 per cent higher than in 1947, presents a definite and personal challenge to everyone who cares whether essential humanitarian service continues, or must be curtailed right here in our own Rhode Island communities.

Everyone knows that Red Cross service to veterans must be continued, for if it is curtailed or abandoned it would be a frightful indictment of the public's willingness to give the ex-soldier or sailor the kind of a helping hand he needs and a grateful sympathetic nation wants to extend.

Everyone who read the newspapers last year knows how Red Cross served the victims of the great disasters in Texas, Florida and Maine, and with just a little thought will realize why 1947 disaster costs were far above all expected levels and must be paid out of 1948 funds.

And finally everyone can understand what enormous benefits will be given to everyone in need, how many lives will be saved by the new "blood-for-all" program by which the Red Cross expects to provide blood and blood derivatives for everyone at no cost for the product.

These three items account for a very large percentage of the 1948 Red Cross Budget. They tell the story of why Red Cross is asking for 20 per cent more money this year.

It is not an academic problem. It is a real and personal problem which each one of us can only answer adequately by digging down a little deeper and coming up with the extra amount our own Red Cross needs to do a magnificent job in 1948.



REUNION—Mrs. Zlata Fischer, 88, was overwhelmed by family greetings when she arrived at La Guardia Field from Germany. It was the first time she had seen her daughter, Mrs. Rosie Amster, in 50 years and her son, Charles, in 36 years.

LAKE SUCCESS—With the big powers—the U. S. A., USSR, China and France—still at an early and indecisive stage of their consultations on the implementation of partition, the UN Palestine Commission begins exploration of a "by-pass" which could result in creation of a shadow Jewish state by April 1, regardless of big power decision.

On the Commission's agenda is the question of the provisional councils of government which, according to the partition plan, are to be set up by April 1 with powers short of statehood but great enough to prepare for statehood.

Under the actualities as they exist in Palestine, the Arabs will not cooperate in formation of such a provisional council. But the Jewish Agency is not only ready to cooperate, but already has its nominees for such a council prepared for submission.

A Commission decision to recognize the Jewish provisional council would face the big powers and the Security Council with a fait accompli. It could lead to the emergence of the provisional council as a full-fledged Jewish government on May 15, when the British say they are laying down their mandate.

Czech Coup Won't Affect Jews

NEW YORK—The Jewish Morning Journal published a cable from its London correspondent reporting that according to reliable information received in England, Jewish leaders in Czechoslovakia are not disturbed by the changes in the Government in Czechoslovakia. The 40,000 Jews who live now in Czechia and Bohemia belong mostly to the middle and artisan classes who will not be affected by the nationalization of industry and agriculture. The Jewish leaders in Prague also have no apprehensions about political changes.

Australia Bans Bias Literature

The Australian Government has prohibited the importation of anti-Semitic literature published abroad. The action was taken upon the intervention of the Melbourne Jewish Council to fight anti-Semitism which protested to the Government against Nazi pamphlets published in Sweden which were imported into Australia.

Day School Membership Drive Sunday

At a general meeting last Monday, the Providence Hebrew Day School opened a drive for membership which will culminate on this Sunday. Beinish Epstein, Yiddish journalist and publicity director of the United Yeshivos Foundation, was the guest speaker and compared the trend of the Yeshiva movement to the pioneering spirit of the early Americans. "Just as these shores and its

western territories were settled by hardy pioneers, so are the proponents of Day Schools pioneers in a field that is destined to save the Jewish community from ignorance and decadence. The results of the recent war have forced the issue of survival upon America and Palestine—not all the Jewish children of this country can be expected to attend Day Schools but we can no longer

rely upon a background of European scholarship to provide us with Rabbis and teachers—we must provide that scholarship on these shores."

Mr. Epstein was introduced by Rabbi James I. Gordon who spoke briefly about the campaign.

UJA Chairman



HARRY A. SCHWARTZ, who was elected Chairman of the Blackstone Valley United Jewish Appeal for the seventh consecutive year at a meeting of the board of directors of the Blackstone Valley Jewish Community Council held last week.

Report Austin May Quit Over Zion Policy

Robert S. Allen reported on his broadcast last Sunday (WOR-Mutual) that Warren Austin, chief U. S. delegate to the UN "is privately talking about resigning, because of disgust over the Truman Administration's yes-or-no policy on Palestine."

Allen added: "According to close associates, Austin has indicated sharp disapproval of the Administration's failure to take a forthright position on enforcing partition and is fed up with such muddling....."

"Whether he will go so far as to resign his position, remains to be seen. But it is no secret that there is considerable disagreement within the State Dept. itself on the legality of the Administra-

tion's latest stand on partition. Some State Dept. officials point out that if the UN cannot enforce partition, as the Administration claims, then it is equally illegal for the UN to enforce peace in Trieste, as the UN is now doing." Allen also said:

"Apparently through the influence of Loy Henderson, who is violently opposed to partition, the State Dept. is blocking the shipment of legitimate supplies to Palestine. Last week the U. S. Steel Corp. was refused an export license to ship steel plates to Palestine. Such plates are not on the embargo list. They were to be used for bullet-proofing vehicles, buildings, and bridges."

2 Technion Seeks Conn. Members

A campaign to stimulate greater interest in the movement in Connecticut was announced this week by Irving Jay Fain, president of the Southern New England Chapter of the American Technion Society. Fain urged all members of the chapter to submit suggestions for the undertaking, particularly the names of friends, business associates, industrialists, engineers, chemists and others "who might be interested in Technion".

Plans for meetings remaining on the season's schedule were reported in brief by Fain, who said negotiations are under way to bring Professor Sobel, American-born engineer on the faculty of the Technion Institute in Palestine, and Mr. Heyman, chairman of the Technical Committee, before local audiences.

Cinderella Ball Tomorrow Night

The Cinderella Ball, sponsored by the B'nai B'rith Young Women, will be held tomorrow evening at the Edgewood Yacht Club.

The finale of the evening will be the presentation of "Cinderella" who will be showered with the following gifts: a dinner for two at Sullivan's Hickory Room, a spring outfit, including a dress from Lee's Dress Shop, jewelry, other accessories and two tickets to "Carousel".

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Community Calendar

The Jewish Herald is co-operating with the General Jewish Committee and the League of Women's Organizations in the publication of the Community Calendar.

Dates and clearances for men's organizations should be telephoned to the GJC at GAspee 1845; similarly, dates for women's organization meetings should be cleared through Mrs. Joseph W. Strauss, of the League, at GAspee 5218.

March 12—Friday

8 p. m. Narragansett AZA Oneg Shabbat. Sons of Abraham Synagogue.

March 13—Saturday

9 p. m. Roger Williams Chapter B'nai B'rith Young Women Cinderella Ball, Edgewood Yacht Club.

March 14—Sunday

11 a. m. Workman's Circle Branch 14 meeting, 29 Snow street.
8 p. m. Cong. Sons of Jacob meeting.
8:30 p. m. Speaker: Louis Dolivet. Subject "Can UN Bring Peace", Jewish Community Center, 65 Benefit street.

March 15—Monday

2 p. m. Miriam Hospital Ladies Assn. meeting, Sheraton-Biltmore. Guest, Mrs. M. Coken, singer.
8 p. m. Jewish Family and Children's Service, board meeting.
8 p. m. Jewish People's Fraternal Order, Narragansett Hotel.
8 p. m. Roger Williams Chapter, B'nai B'rith Women meeting, Sheraton-Biltmore Hotel.

8 p. m. B'nai B'rith Women meeting, Sheraton-Biltmore.

8:15 p. m. Fineman-Trinkle Post 439, Temple Emanuel, meeting.

March 16—Tuesday

2 p. m. Pioneer Women's Club, board meeting.
2 p. m. Prov. Section NCJW inter-relations group.
7:30 p. m. Allocations Committee, General Jewish Committee, 203 Strand Bldg.
8 p. m. Sackin-Shocket Post 533, meeting, 41 Orms street.

March 17—Wednesday

2 p. m. Home for the Aged Ladies Assn., board meeting.
6:30 p. m. Touro Fraternal Ass'n Testimonial dinner, David C. Adelman, Narragansett Hotel.
7:30 p. m. Gemilath Chesed meeting
8 p. m. Roger Williams Lodge, B'nai B'rith, board meeting, GJC, 203 Strand Bldg.
8 p. m. Sons of Abraham and Sisterhood, combined meeting and music program.

March 18—Thursday

8 p. m. Temple Emanuel Men's Club Community Service Award.

March 19—Friday

1 p. m. Sr. Hadassah meetings for captains and workers, home of Mrs. Erwin Silverman, 32 Grotto avenue.

Haganah and Irgun To Fight Together

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stine. Haganah and Irgun members toasted each other in cafes and men and women of the once rival organizations danced together. Others dined together at celebratory banquets and sang Jewish national songs.

If the agreement sticks, it means that Irgun will stop its war against the British and concentrate on battling the Arabs. Announcement of the pact was taken by Jews as a good omen.

Extend Thanks For Show Support

Mrs. Morris Baruch has extended thanks to the members of her committee for their "co-operation and support" in connection with the recent fashion show sponsored by the Providence Section National Council of Jewish Women. "The overwhelming success of the fifth annual fashion show this year makes the officers of Council and their members feel doubly sure that we can continue this event," Mrs. Baruch said. She added that the Council hopes to set up a second home in Paris for orphaned girls and that proceeds from the fashion show will assist in this undertaking.

PLAN BRIDGE - MAH JONG

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Providence Hebrew Day School will hold their bridge and mah jong this Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock at the school, 151 Waterman street. Tickets may be obtained at the school the night of the bridge. The public is invited. A door prize will be given.

Obituary

LEWIS WEXLER

Funeral services for Lewis Wexler, 67, of 599 Prairie avenue, who died suddenly on March 4, were held last Friday afternoon at the Max Sugarman Funeral Home. Rabbi Abraham Chill officiated and burial was in Lincoln Park Cemetery.

Mr. Wexler, husband of Mrs. Mae (Perlitch) Wexler, owned and operated a fruit store on Broad street for many years before his retirement. In addition to his wife, he is survived by two daughters, Miss Betty Wexler and Mrs. Irving Feldman, both of Providence; three sons, Charles of Providence and Samuel and Jack, both of Leominster, Mass., and seven grandchildren.

HARRY GILBERT

Funeral services for Harry Gilbert, 62, husband of Sadie (Mill-

Returns from Army



PFC ERNEST GLECKMAN

PFC Ernest Gleckman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis D. Gleckman of 45 Mulberry street, who arrives home this week following a year and a half of service with the U. S. Army, one year of which was spent in Japan.

man) Gilbert, were held last Tuesday at the Max Sugarman Funeral Home. Burial was in Lincoln Park Cemetery. Rabbi Morris Schussheim officiated.

Besides his wife, he is survived by one son, George J. Gilbert; two daughters, Mrs. Rosella Lovett and Mrs. Betty Rotman, and four grandchildren, all of Providence.

Mr. Gilbert has been a resident of Providence for 23 years and conducted a tailor shop on Elmwood avenue during that time. He was a member of the Young Progressive Beneficial Association.

MRS. LOUIS MELLION

Funeral services for Mrs. Rose Leah (Levenson) Mellion, wife of Louis Mellion of Clifford street, were held at the Max Sugarman Funeral Home on February 22. Burial was in Lincoln Park Cemetery. Rabbi Aaron Goldin of Ohawe Sholom Synagogue officiated.

Besides her husband she is survived by three sons, Jack, Benjamin and Douglas; one daughter, Mrs. Janice Block, all of Pawtucket; two sisters, Mrs. Fannie Leven of Hartford and Mrs. Sarah Winoker of Providence; three brothers, Abraham Levenson of Providence, Morris Levenson of Boston and Joseph Levenson of Washington, D. C.

MRS. JENNIE ABEDON

Funeral services for Mrs. Jennie Abedon, widow of Harry Abedon, of 207 Morris avenue, were held last Sunday afternoon from Temple Emanuel with Rabbi Israel M. Goldman and Cantor Jacob Hohenemser officiating. Burial was in Lincoln Park Cemetery.

Mrs. Abedon had been a life-long resident of Providence and had been active in several organizations, including the Jewish Home for the Aged, Sisterhood of the Temple Emanu-El, Hadassah, and the Miriam Hospital Association. She is survived by a son, Bernard B. Abedon; two daughters, Mrs. Aaron S. Helford and Mrs. Morton A. Grossman; and four grandchildren, all of Providence.

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MRS. ANNA LIMMER

Funeral services for Mrs. Anna Limmer, widow of Harry Limmer, of Gordon avenue, were held last Sunday afternoon from the Max Sugarman Funeral Home. Rabbi Joshua Werner officiated and burial was in Lincoln Park Cemetery.

Born in Jassey, Romania, she came to this country in 1920 and settled in Providence. She was in her 92nd year at the time of her death and was a member of the Louis Feiner Benevolent Lodge, the Miriam Hospital Association, and the Ladies' Hebrew Free Loan Association.

Survivors are three sons, Morris Limmer of Washington, D. C., Fred Limmer and Henry Limmer, both of Providence; a daughter, Rebecca Limmer; and four grandchildren, all of Providence.

In Memoriam

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MR. AND MRS. HAROLD HOMANOFF leaving on their wedding trip after the marriage ceremonies at Temple Emanuel last Sunday. Mrs. Homanoff is the former Miss Phyllis Markoff.

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"World Understanding" Affairs Week Theme

Leading authorities of national and international fame will address the 11th annual Rhode Island World Affairs Week meetings which begin on this Sunday and continue through Saturday, March 20th. World Affairs Week is a community educational program of free, public meetings, radio broadcasts, library exhibits and educational displays to promote broader public understanding of world problems facing the

United States.

"World Understanding—Stepping Stone to Peace" is the theme of this year's lectures which will deal with as many phases of world events and American Foreign Policy as is possible in one week.

A Junior World Affairs Week is carried on simultaneously in all the public, parochial and private schools in the state.

Stephen G. Cary, who was in charge of the American Friends Service Committee Headquarters in Paris, will open the World Affairs Week meetings this Sunday at 3:30 in the Friends Meetings House, Corner North Main and Meeting streets. His subject will be "Our Moral Debt to the World Today."

Governor John O. Pastore, chairman of the 1948 World Affairs Week, states: "Every person owes it to himself and herself to be informed by personal attendance at these meetings so that all may intelligently interpret conflicting opinions. The world comes to our doors this week..... Let us open those doors to an understanding of our problems and an undertaking to share in their solution."

Additional information concerning World Affairs Week may be had by calling GASpee 8497, World Affairs Council of R. I., 32 Arcade.

DAY SCHOOL MEETING

A regular meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Providence Hebrew Day School was held Wednesday, March 3, at the school. Mrs. Isaiah Segal presided. Mrs. George Strashnick was chairman of the evening of entertainment. Archie Smith showed moving pictures of Palestine and Mrs. Jack Laufer and Mrs. John Fishman were hostesses for the evening.

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B'nai B'rith Women To Elect Officers

A meeting of the Roger Williams Chapter, B'nai B'rith Women will be held Monday evening, at 8:15 o'clock at the Sheraton-Biltmore Hotel. The nominating committee under the chairmanship of Mrs. David Lichtman will present a slate of officers and election will take place.

Reports from the following chairmen will also be presented: quota dinner, Gertrude B. Tarnopol; drawing of car, Mrs. David Meyers; report of recent ADL conference, Mrs. Joseph J. Sefer; and Hillel activities, Mrs. Philip Dorenbaum.

Solomon Rabinowitz, who recently served as Joint Distribution Committee Director in the

Stuttgart Region, American Zone of Germany, will speak.



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On Vacation
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Fox and daughter, Esther, of 102 Pearl street, have left for a four weeks vacation in Miami, Florida, to visit their son, Harold.

Roses Have Daughter
Mr. and Mrs. Samuel D. Rose of 389 Potters avenue announce the birth of their second child, a daughter, Leslie Susan, on March 3. Mrs. Rose is the former Miss Ethel Shenkow.

Bridal Shower
Mrs. Mack Wasserman of 19 Mount avenue entertained at a bridal shower in honor of Miss Beatrice Rashkovsky last Saturday at the Narragansett Hotel. More than 100 guests attended.

Miss Rashkovsky, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rashkovsky of Fall River, is engaged to Gilbert Wasserman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mack Wasserman. The couple will be married on April 18.

Gensers Have Daughter
Mr. and Mrs. Wallace H. Genser of 978 Hope street announce the birth of a daughter, Ronelle Wynn, on February 29. Mrs. Genser is the former Miss Estelle Dessell of Waltham, Mass.

Announce Engagement
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kosofsky of Fall River announce the engagement of their daughter, Harriet, of 180 1/2 Somerset street, Providence, to Ardan Bernard Klar, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Klar of 67 Marion avenue.

Arriving from England
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Backner and their son, Howard, are due to arrive in New York this week from England aboard the SS Queen Elizabeth. They will re-

Mothers' Club Elects Mrs. Finegold

The mothers of the 1948 Confirmation Class at Temple Emanuel have selected Mrs. Samuel Finegold as president. Other officers are: Mrs. Harold Stanzler, vice-president; Mrs. Alex Miller, secretary and Mrs. Max Kesterman, treasurer. Committee chairmen include: caps and gowns, Mrs. Abraham Pobirs; photographs, Mrs. Benjamin Wyzansky; flowers, Mrs. Lester Emers; printing, Mrs. David Steingold; reception, Mrs. Louis Goldstein; telephone squad, Mrs. Harry Gerson; gifts, Mrs. Elliot Olevson; dance, Mrs. Samuel Rosen.

The Mothers' Club, to meet every other Thursday afternoon under the direction of Rabbi Goldman, will conduct a seminar on the theme, "Parents as Teachers of Children".

AZA to Conduct Oneg Shabbat

Narragansett AZA Chapter 697 will sponsor and conduct an Oneg Shabbat tonight at the Congregation Sons of Abraham with the co-operation of B'nai B'rith and Rabbi Abraham Chill. The service is open to B'nai B'rith girls, the Shalshelets and other AZA chapters, their parents and guests.

Jr. Choir Makes Debut Tonight

Rabbi Israel M. Goldman will speak on the subject "From Providence to Baltimore—Why I Accepted a Call to Another Congregation" at Temple Emanuel's services this evening. The Junior Choir, under the direction of Arthur Einstein, will make its first appearance at this service. Its members include Paula Koffler, Barbara Halpern, Nancy Cohen, Barbara Mason, Roberta Abedon, Leslie Blackman, Joel Klein, Alton Curran, Allen Flaxman, Malcolm Singer, Elliot Goldman, Morton Korn, Eugene Goldstein and Alden Blackman.

side in Providence with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Judah Rosen of 62 Taylor street.

Lipsons Have Daughter
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lipson of 25 Taylor street announce the birth of their second daughter, Robin Felice, on February 25. Mrs. Lipson is the former Miss Rose Osterman.

Celebrate 21st Anniversary
Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Factor, of 21 Detroit avenue, celebrated their 21st wedding anniversary last Saturday.

Gross' Have Daughter
Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Gross of Lynbrook, Long Island, announce the birth of their second daughter, Audrey Eileen, on February 25. Mrs. Gross is the former Miss Martha Strelow of this city.

Change of Residence
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Crovitz and their children, Sandra and Herbert, formerly of West avenue, Pawtucket, are now residing in their new home at 130 Wentworth avenue, Edgewood.

JWV Ladies Set Up College Scholarships

Two full tuition scholarships of \$500 each have been established at Brandeis University in Waltham, Mass. by the National Ladies Auxiliary, Jewish War Veterans, and will be awarded to daughters of war veterans. The scholarships will cover the 1948-49 academic year at the institution, scheduled to open this fall.

Brandeis University is the first to be established by Jews and will be an American institution "in every sense of the term". Admission to the student body and the faculty will be based on merit and there will be no reference to race, color or creed.

HEADS COMMITTEE

Announcement was made this week of the appointment of Roland C. Block as chairman of the Nominating Committee of Temple Beth-El's Brotherhood.

The Brotherhood was awarded a banner at the recent Brotherhood convention for exceeding its Chautauqua quota. A silver key was presented to Samuel Kaplan, Chautauqua Committee chairman.

Beth-El School Plans Purim Party

The annual Purim Party of the Temple Beth-El school will be held on Sunday, March 21. Due to the size of the school, Mrs. William I. Matzner and her Sisterhood committee will conduct a party for the older children, grades 6-9 and high school, in the morning, and for the younger children, kindergarten and grades 1-5, in the afternoon.

Games will be played and prizes awarded. Gifts will be presented all children appearing in costume and prizes will be given for the most beautiful, most appropriate, most original and funniest costumes.

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Discusses Palestine

Dear Editor:

Though not a Zionist, but as one who believes in seeing justice done to any minority groups, I have watched with great interest the struggle for Palestine, and in my humble opinion, all the blood shed to enforce the partition of Palestine is of no use. It will never come about, not as long as big oil interests in the U. S. and Great Britain have any say. Oil is king now, and it will never be given up to see justice done to a handful of Jews.

President Truman has made weak promises to the Zionists, promises that have to be made now, this being an election year, but which will never be kept. Even Franklin D. Roosevelt, the great liberal, was guilty of double talk on the Palestine issue, promising to help the Jews get Palestine for their own, and on the other hand telling the Arabs not to worry, he was just kidding.

Let us face the facts. When the Balfour Declaration was made, it was a coal age; they did not realize the wealth that Arabia had to offer them by way of oil. Let us not be so naive as to think all that will be cast aside.

Peace will be made with the Arabs, but I am willing to bet that peace will in no way benefit the Jews. Since the Arabs object to further immigration into Palestine, and would be willing to let the remaining Jews in Palestine live in peace, why not urge the U. S. and Canada to admit the remaining Jews in Europe, and help them adjust themselves?

I have heard friends of mine here say, "We will never give up, but fight to the very end." That is very easy to say—they are not

doing the fighting. Suppose the UN does enforce the partition by sending an army into Palestine to fight the Arabs—you'll see an outbreak of anti-Semitism in the countries that are sending that army that will make Hitler's pogroms a joke.

MRS. SOPHIA G. POTEKIN
Providence, R. I.

Haganah, Separation

Dear Editor:

Dr. Nisson Touroff, noted educator, in his essays advocating a more intensive Jewish education, writes that the language of a people is the very essence of its psyche. At a conference of the Rabbinical Assembly its president, Dr. Israel M. Goldman, said that American Jewry needs an educational "Haganah". Now it should be clear to every sincere and open-minded person that the soul as well as the body can not survive on a starvation diet; and that Haganahs, military or otherwise, are not built and do not function on embargoes. Yet, oddly enough, from these very conservative circles the cry **segregation** is the loudest against any substantial effort of broadening, deepening and intensifying Jewish Education.

In my humble judgement, a private Hebrew school with no "Kromes", quotas and strings attached to it is farther away from **segregation** than any private **exclusive** school that some of our children consider it a privilege to attend. Also, if our language is "the very essence of our psyche", then our children should by all means study their own Bible in their own original language. And if there is a need for an "educational Haganah", as indeed there is, then go all out for it. The obsolete Sunday School, termed by Rabbi Goldman "a snare and a delusion, a fraud and a deception", wouldn't do. Equip and implement Haganah with the very latest and most effective weapons in our possession.

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I. A. SEGAL

Workers Alliance Plans Purim Party

At a meeting of the Jewish National Workers Alliance held last Monday at the Sheraton-Biltmore Hotel, it was announced that the annual Purim celebration will take place on Sunday, March 28. Those on the committee are Abraham Grebstein, Nathan Ostrov, Arthur Korman, Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Lightman and Mr. and Mrs. Max Berman. Arrangements are being completed to contact talent from New York.

Sara Osnas Aleive of Palestine will be guest artist.

Bernard Segal delivered a talk which was followed by a question period.

The committee in charge of inscribing a member of the Alliance in the National Fund Golden Book are: Max Berman, Harry Chaet and Solomon Lightman.

Professor Kapstein In Emanuel Pulpit

On Friday evening, March 19, Professor Israel J. Kapstein, Associate Professor in English at Brown University and a member of Temple Emanuel, will occupy the pulpit and speak on the subject, "Education and the Bible". Aaron Klein will conduct the services and the musical program will be in charge of Cantor Jacob Hohenemser and Arthur Einstein.

CONTEST WINNERS

Amleto D'Andrea Jr. was awarded first prize and Miss Ann Bassow was awarded honorable mention at a contest of piano students held last Saturday at the Music Mansion under the auspices of the Schubert Club. The age groups were 11 to 13. Both pianists are pupils of Arthur Einstein.

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IT HAPPENED THIS WEEK

THE MEN'S CLUB of Temple Emanuel will make its 10th annual service award next Thursday evening at the Temple.

HATS OFF to the Ladies Association of the Jewish Home for the Aged which held its Festival Luncheon on March 3. Mrs. William H. Harris, chairman of the diamond ring drawing at the Festival, has announced that the winner was Leon Wu, an employee of a downtown restaurant.

CONGRATULATIONS to Miss Jeanette Halperin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Max Halperin of 29 Cypress street, who has successfully completed her Preclinical period at the R. I. Hospital School of Nursing. Miss Halperin received her Cap at special capping exercises held last month at the school. She is a Hope High graduate and a member of the Student Nurses Glee Club.

THE WM. G. CUTLER OLYMPIC CLUB announces that its annual Parents Night program, twice postponed during the winter because of guess what, will be held on Sunday evening, March 21 with the entire program originally scheduled.

RABBI WILLIAM G. BRAUDE of Temple Beth-El will be among the guests when Dr. Nelson Glueck, world-famous archaeologist and Biblical scholar, is inaugurated as the fourth president of the Hebrew Union College of Cincinnati this weekend. Dr. Arthur Bradford of the Central Congregational Church will occupy the pulpit tonight in Rabbi Braude's absence.

JWV Ladies Honor National President

The Department of Rhode Island Ladies Auxiliary, JWV, met last Thursday at the Narragansett Hotel in honor of the official visitation of Mrs. Ethyl Novak, national president. Mrs. Novak spoke on "Our Organization". She also installed officers of the Lt. Leonard Bloom Auxiliary 284.

Bethsrael Bowling

By SAUL HODOSH

Our column was among the missing last week and I was indeed surprised to find one person who realized that fact. Of course it required a great deal of effort to find that person but I can now rest assured that someone does read our weekly mutterings.

Brown is still holding its place at the head of the league by some six games, getting a lot of help by a four point forfeit from Syracuse. Yale has become a serious threat as it continues along in second place.

High single this week went to Esmond Lovett with 122 followed by Rubin of Penn with 120. Moe Press and Manny Bromberg turned in good singles at 115.

High three went to I. Krasnoff with 328 as he edged out Esmond Lovett at 324.

Softballers Set Meeting Date

An organization meeting of the proposed Jewish softball league will be held this Wednesday evening at 8:30 o'clock at the Jewish Community Center. The meeting is being planned by Syd Cohen, Herald sports columnist, and is open to all men interested in participating in or sponsoring the league.

Wherever possible, organizations and clubs planning to enter the league should send small delegations to the meeting. Men who are not affiliated with any group may band together for the purpose of sending delegates or may attend individually.

A call is issued to all men desiring to join the league to contact Syd Cohen, PL 1869, and leave their names, addresses and phone numbers. Such registration will facilitate the work of the league in finding enough players for organizations which may not have enough in their own ranks.

Sons of Jacob Plan Annual Banquet

The 51st annual dinner and dance of the Congregation Sons of Jacob will be held at the Sheraton-Biltmore Hotel on Sunday evening, April 4 at 6 o'clock. Entertainment will be presented by Hal Rubin and his orchestra of Boston and Moe Goldberg, radio artist, also of Boston.

Committees include: Arrangements—Louis Sweet, chairman; Max J. Richter, Jack Glantz, Louis Kortick and George Labush, co-chairmen; Joseph Sindle, secretary, and Max J. Richter, treasurer. Entertainment—Irving Schmuger, chairman, Benjamin Cohen, Louis Kortick and George Jaffee; Banquet—Al Goldberg, Leo Goldberg, Philip Gitman, Benjamin Kessler, Jacob Kopit, Benjamin Fox, Sam Weiner, Hyman B. Stone and Eugene Cornfield.

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There is no substitute for the type of education provided by the Day School, a Torah education for our survival and the best in secular education equalling and surpassing the public school program which blends the personality of the child into the ideal future citizen.

Last week this column emphasized the fact that a child attending this type of school does not necessarily enter the professional fields of Jewish life. Yet it goes without saying that our future teachers will best be prepared by having attended a Day School. There is hardly a Rabbi in this country who today is not complaining over the acute shortage of teachers. If your children's welfare and our Jewish eternity mean anything to you, you will lend all your support to the school in this city which is destined to strengthen Jewish life. Enroll yourself as a member of the Providence Hebrew Day School.

Beth-David Men Install Members

A meeting of the Beth David Men's Club was held last night at the Congregation. Installation of the following members took place: Theodore Manheim, Arthur Cohen, Ralph Schwartz, Donald Aaron and Allen Law. A complete 16 millimeter sound movie program was presented.

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Howard Genser, hypnotist, men-

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LOUIS DOLIVET

Mr. Dolivet, consultant-expert to the UN, will give the annual World Affairs Week lecture at the Jewish Community Center this Sunday evening at 8:30 o'clock. His subject will be: "Can the UN Bring Peace?" The program has been arranged by the Center's Sunday Evening Program Committee. Mrs. Isaac Gerber will be chairman of the evening.

Wintman Family Holds Meeting

The regular meeting of the Wintman Family Club was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Boloski, 128 Sumter street, last week. Mrs. Milton Wintman, president, appointed the following committees: Social, Max Fishbein, chairman, Mrs. Max Fishbein and Carl Zimmerman; publicity, Mrs. Carl Zimmerman; sunshine, Mrs. William Boloski.

Plans to hold a banquet in May were announced. The Club presented a gift to Mr. and Mrs. Boloski in honor of their new home. Present at the meeting were Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Fishbein and Mr. and Mrs. Abe Shapiro, honorary members, all of Mattapan, Mass. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Shapiro.

talist and magician who entertained troops in Europe during the war, will be presented at this Mondays meeting of the Fineman-Trinkle Post 439, JWV, at 8:15 o'clock at Temple Emanuel. The Auxillary will combine with the Post for the entertainment

TNT Girls to Learn Poise and Personality

Mrs. Ethel G. Browdy will discuss "Poise, Personality and Voice Modulation" at the next meeting of the T.N.T. Club to be held this Monday evening at 8 o'clock at Temple Beth Israel.

Mrs. Browdy, an authority on this subject, is a graduate of

Elizabeth Packard Lawson School of Drama in Springfield, Mass., and studied at the N. Y. U. Radio and Drama School. She appeared with summer stock companies and on radio shows.

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By BERNARD SEGAL

If you are dissatisfied with many things, as so many of us are these days, what with all the shortages and scarcities of many favorite foods and articles,—if your new car is still on the dealer's waiting list—if your Florida vacation was a little chilly, or if you are among those who never get to see the sunny shores—if

for one reason or another you feel inclined to pity yourself, I have a tonic for you that will make all your real and imaginary troubles shrink into insignificance.

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shall never forget it.

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Finally, there is a happier note. Good tidings wafting in from the wide world, like early spring breezes, across the barbed wires of the concentration camps. The hour of freedom is nigh. The hour has come. You see new faces, friendly faces and you hear friendly words, and you can't believe it. You have to be awakened as from a dream of horrors. You learn slowly to walk erect, to smile, to talk. And your starved body has to learn to take food and to keep it like a new born infant.

You sit and you listen and you wonder at the hidden powers of this body of ours that can survive all this. You wonder at the sources of strength of the spirit of man that stands up under such stress.

Here they are, man and woman, at an age when most people think of retiring and of rest, planning for a future. Starting all over again. Looking hopefully toward the coming years. Scorning the very thought of rest. Eager to do things.

Good Luck, Joseph and Sarah Jacober.

JR. HADASSAH PLANS BALL

The Providence Unit of Junior Hadassah has announced plans for a semi-formal Crystal Ball to be held on May 1 at Churchill House. Music will be furnished by the Rhythm Makers Orchestra. Tickets may be obtained by calling GA 8581 or ST 1167.

Sisterhood Presents Piano to Temple

The regular meeting of the Temple Beth Israel Sisterhood was held Monday evening, March 8, at 8 o'clock, at the Temple. Mrs. Jacob Katz, president, presided. Mrs. Ludwig Regensteiner, vice-president read the opening prayer.

The grand piano purchased by the Sisterhood was presented

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BY A FORTUNATE CIRCUMSTANCE, the recent injury that kept Goalie Harvey Bennett out of several Reds games came just after the team had clinched the Eastern Division Championship. Yet, it may well be that Bennett was hurt at the worst possible time as far as the Reds are concerned.

The brilliant goalie was forced out on the eve of the Reds' last invasion of Cleveland for the regular season. Unless virtual miracles are performed, the Barons will be Western champs and will meet the Reds in the opening round of the playoffs. That is bad.

The last few times the Reds made the playoffs the Barons also opposed them in the first round. Funny thing—if the Reds are first in their division, so are the Barons in theirs. If Providence is third, so is Cleveland. We seem unable to shake them. The bad

part is that the Barons, to date, have succeeded in knocking Providence out of the fight whenever the title has been on the line.

It seems no different this year. Their sensational spurt has carried the Barons to the top and they widely outplayed the locals here a few weeks ago. What to do about that jinx?

It had been hoped that the Reds would fly into Cleveland and put an end to that winning streak—and the jinx—and thereby get themselves set for the playoff series. The injury to Bennett, who was hurt while trying to keep someone else from being injured, put an end to that. The Barons still fly high—and Terry Reardon still must find the way to stop Cleveland.

An isolated ray of hope appears. In that game with Cleveland, the Reds bowed 8-3 with a makeshift goaltender who stopped no less than 50 shots. That would seem to constitute a moral victory for the local forces and could prove to be the mental factor that will enable Providence to win the first round battle. Under the circumstances, the Reds played a remarkable game; what is more, they were not defeated until the final period.

Remember that, Reardonmen, when the firing starts.

ELSEWHERE IN THIS ISSUE will appear the complete story of the softball league developments to date. In the last few weeks more men have called me to offer encouragement and support. A few teams already are lined up and one sponsor has been located. We have even been tendered the services of a paid worker.

These are only the opening guns of the campaign. The time has come to organize—on the American Plan. In addition to all organizations that are being invited to join the league, it would help if all men who are interested would call and register. There is no charge or obligation. Just call me (PL 1869) evenings and leave your name, address and phone number. Our first meeting probably will be held next week and a notice to that effect should appear elsewhere in this issue.

Leibman to Appear At Temple Beth-El

Dr. Joshua Loth Liebman, nationally known Rabbi, will appear at Temple Beth-El on March 24 (Erev Purim) under the auspices of the Elizabeth Stoneman Fain Festival Forum, it was reported early this week.

Mowry Lowe, local radio announcer, will present a reading and Morris Bromberg will chant the Megillah during the program. Purim songs will be led by Mrs. Milton Pliner with Heinrich Schalit at the organ.

R. I. Members Score Truman

Dr. Clemens J. France and Mrs. Harriet Crooker, R. I. members of the Wallace for President Committee, last week scored President Truman's policies on Palestine. They termed Warren Austin's statement to the United Nations as "one of the most hypocritical and devious statements of foreign policy ever expressed. This stand, with the approval of President Truman, only proposes more committees, more consultations, more delays."

"The United States erection of legal barriers to implementation of Palestine's partition was striking at the very foundation of the entire United Nations Peace Organization," they said.

PURIM SEMI-FORMAL

The Senior Judean annual Purim semi-formal will be held on Saturday, March 27, at 8:30 o'clock at the Churchill House. Music will be by Tommy Masso and his Orchestra. Refreshments will be served. Further information may be obtained by calling Mrs. Marks, UNion 7115, or Mrs. Resnick, JACKson 4446.

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**Edward Robinson
On "Eternal Light"**

Edward G. Robinson, distinguished stage and screen star will be featured in "The Island in the Wilderness," by Morton Wishengrad, the second in a series of seven Eternal Light broadcasts to originate from Hollywood. The program will be presented this Sunday, March 14, over station WJAR, (12:30—1:00 P.M. EST).

The Eternal Light, a coast-to-coast radio program under the auspices of the Jewish Theological Seminary of America, and edited by Doctor Moshe Davis, is a public service presentation of the National Broadcasting Company.

"The Island in the Wilderness" is a fable which tells about Eliezer, his wife and his child, who are unable to bear the constant hunger and fears of city life. They set out to make a new start in the forest, where they live in security on whatever the earth has to offer.

**Day School Children
Give to Red Cross**

Children of the Providence Hebrew Day School last Friday initiated a drive for the Red Cross within the school building. Present at the assembly was Harold Anderson of the Red Cross, who showed a movie covering the various fields of activity supervised by this organization. The children responded heartily and a hundred per cent of contributors was reached at the beginning of the week.

The JDC recently sent emergency aid to 10,000 in Palestine yeshivoh facing starvation as a result of Arab attacks, which disrupted aid from other sources.

Production Head



MISS MARJORIE KRAMER
Miss Kramer heads the production cast of "All My Sons", the drama that will be presented by the Center Players, under the auspices of the William G. Cutler Olympic Club, on Sunday and Monday evenings, April 25 and 26, at the Jewish Community Center.

**Hadassah Hears
N. E. President**

Mrs. George Rossyn of Malden, Mass., New England regional president of Senior Hadassah, addressed a group of captains and workers of the forthcoming Donor Affair at a dessert meeting last Friday at the home of Mrs. Leo Bojar, 51 Westford road.

Mrs. Rossyn told of the increased work being done in the medical field by Hadassah and urged the members present to impress upon all Providence women the increasing needs for funds in Palestine.

The following partial list of captains of the Donor Affair of the Hadassah Medical organization, to be held on May 2 at Rhodes-on-the-Pawtuxet, was announced by Mrs. Walter Rutman, co-chairman of the affair:

Mesdames Maurice Hendel, William Bojar, Burton Finberg, Bert Bernhardt, Sarah Felder, Leonard Goldman, Ronald Sopkin, Rose Shaset, Albert Kumins, Samuel Chernov, Harry Albert, Abe Lechtman, Everett Cowen, Joseph Stanzler, Barney Taber, Abe Berman, David Dressler, Al Rosen, Isadore Korn, Simon Gordon, Louis Efros, Ray Makowsky and Alfred Levy.

**Name Purim
"Queens", Gifts**

The names of the first seven queen candidates and a partial list of prizes to be awarded her highness and her court highlighted the week's developments of the 15th annual Queen Esther Purim Ball, sponsored by the Jewish Community Center, to be held at the Sheraton-Biltmore Hotel on Thursday evening, March 25.

Contesting for the honor of being selected Queen Esther at the Ball are the Misses Rosalie Lebow, Jacqueline Kortick, Mary Weisman, Esther Fisher, Dvera Platt, Sylvia Swartz and Edith Altman. Additional entries for Queen Esther are still being ac-

cepted by the Center and Miss Avis Swartz, last year's queen, who is chairman of the queen's committee.

The gifts committee, headed by Paul Litwin, announced that local merchants have contributed the following prizes toward the contest: slippers, shoes, cosmetics, leather goods, record albums, shampoo and wave, candy, scarves, manicure set, sun glasses, coronation photo, compact, handbag, earring and bracelet sets and perfume. More gifts will be announced later.

**Resnicks to Honor
Returned Veterans**

Plans for a banquet to be given in honor of the family's returned war veterans were made at a meeting of the Resnick Family Circle last Monday at the Ladies Union Aid Hall on Orms street. Harold Sweet was appointed toastmaster of the event. Tommy Masso and his orchestra will provide music.

Max Resnick was named chairman of the banquet and Jack Resnick co-chairman. Morris Summer is in charge of arrangements while Mrs. Morris Summer and Mrs. Benjamin Resnick will take care of decorations. Mrs. Jack Resnick is handling publicity.

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