

Social News

ENGAGEMENTS.

Sparks—Haas.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Sparks, of Heron Hill, announce the engagement of their daughter, Sophie, to Mr. Louis Haas, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Haas, of Atlantic avenue. No date has been set for the wedding.

Edelstein—Perelstine.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Edelstein announce the engagement of their daughter, Charlotte Harriet, to Mr. Morris S. Perelstine, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Perelstine, of this city.

Gottlieb—Berman.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Gottlieb, of Turtle Creek, announce the engagement of their daughter, Stella, to Mr. Sam Berman, son of Mrs. B. W. Berman, of this city. After returning from an Eastern honeymoon trip, Mr. and Mrs. Berman will make their home in Detroit, Mich.

WEDDINGS.

Stein—Wertheim.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Stein, of Denver, Colo. (formerly of this city) announce the marriage of their daughter, Birdie, to Mr. Erwin Wertheim, which took place on Sunday, February 6th.

Kleinman—Rosenfield.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Kleinman announce the marriage of their daughter, Minnie, to Mr. Benjamin Rosenfield, of this city, which took place on Sunday last at the home of the bride's parents, Rabbi A. Ashinsky officiating. Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. S. Goldberg and Mr. Harry Cooper, from Chicago, Ill.

Cohen—Harr.

The marriage of Miss Ella Cohen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. Cohen, of New Castle, and Mr. Joseph Harr, of Youngstown, Ohio, was solemnized on Sunday, February 6th, at the home of the bride's parents, Rev. A. Moss officiating. The bride wore a gown of white crepe de chine and taffeta and carried a shower bouquet of white roses. The only attendants were Miss Ethel Cohen as maid of honor, and Mr. Aaron Harr, a brother of the groom, who acted as best man. Covers were laid for 50. Out-of-town guests included Mr. and Mrs. Harr, Mr. and Mrs. J. Bunshaft, Mr. Sam Bunshaft, Mr. Aaron Harr, and Miss E. Ephriam, of Youngstown; Mr. and Mrs. L. Swartz, and Mr. and Mrs. S. Gerber, of Cleveland; Mr. and Mrs. P. Miller, of New Kensington, and Mr. and Mrs. B. Cohen, of Hites, Pa.

Goldstoft—Lebowitz.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Goldstoft, of 824 Locust street, announce the marriage of their daughter, Minnie R. Goldstoft, to Mr. Jack Lebowitz, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Lebowitz, of McKees Rocks.

TREE OF LIFE SEWING CIRCLE.

The following ladies attended the sewing at the Tree of Life Assembly rooms: Mesdames Kaufman, Steinberg, S. Davis, Rothenberg, Fargotstein, Lasday, D. Makrauer, Loevner, Joseph, Simon, A. Goldstein, M. Goldstein, A. Lewis, Steinsapir, A. Lippard, G. Sapper, M. Fischer. Thanks are tendered Mrs. D. Makrauer for two pairs scissors; Mrs. M. Steinberg for donation of \$2.00 in honor of her son's 11th birthday.

COUNCIL OF JEWISH WOMEN.

The Philadelphia Section of the Council of Jewish Women held its annual President's Day last month, at which the honor guests were Mrs. Nathaniel Harris, the present President, Mrs. Han-

nah Solomon and Mrs. Caesar Misch, past Presidents of the National Council of Jewish Women. The celebration began with an address of welcome by the President of the Philadelphia Section, and during the charmingly appointed luncheon which followed, Mrs. Harris, Mrs. Solomon and Mrs. Misch spoke. A large reception and a most delightful musicale followed in the afternoon. In the evening Mrs. Wolfe entertained the honor guests with a box party at the opera, "The Magic Flute."

From Philadelphia, Mrs. Harris and Mrs. Solomon proceeded to Washington, D. C., where the local Council of Jewish Women were celebrating their twentieth anniversary with a brilliant reception and entertainment.

There was also being held in Washington at this time a meeting of the National Council of Women, which Council is composed of members selected from all the large national women's organizations. The Council of Jewish Women were asked to take charge of one of the evening meetings and to prepare a program on Immigration. A very creditable program was arranged by Mrs. Kahn, the President of the Washington Section of the Council of Jewish Women; Mrs. Nathaniel Harris presided at the meeting, and the speakers were Commissioner-General Caminetti, Dr. Kate Waller Barrett, Lady Aberdine, of Ireland, Miss Elsa Alsborg, Mrs. Andrews and Mrs. Hannah Solomon. The following were elected officers of the National Council of Women: Mrs. Philip N. Moore, President; Mrs. John Hayes Hammond, First Vice President; Mrs. Joseph Mumford, Second Vice President, and Mrs. Nathaniel E. Harris, Third Vice President, and Dr. Kate Waller Barrett, Treasurer. These officers were elected by acclamation, and it was certainly quite a distinction for the Council of Jewish Women to be recognized in this way.

From Washington, Mrs. Harris and Mrs. Solomon were invited to attend a special meeting and luncheon of the Board of the Baltimore Council of Jewish Women, and while in that city they were the guests of Judge and Mrs. Moses.

RELIGIOUS SCHOOLS, PITTSBURGH SECTION.

The third Teachers Institute meeting of the season, representative of the eighteen schools under the auspices of the Council, held a wonderfully inspiring and educative session last Sunday evening with a large number of superintendents and teachers in attendance.

Miss Miriam Schonfield, of this city, the first speaker of the evening, gave a superb model lesson in teaching, using the Life of Moses with illustrations, in addition she gave suggestions how to inspire the pupil. She was followed by Miss Florence Lehman who spoke on how to interest the child. She also reported as chairman of the Program Committee for the union exercises to be held at the end of the season.

Recent religious schools organized are one in McDonald, Pa., and one in the Penn avenue district of this city.

THE FEDERATION OF JEWISH PHILANTHROPIES OF PITTSBURGH.

The Federation has recently received the following contributions to the Endowment Fund: Rosalia Rauh Bequest, \$1,000.00; Estate of Julius Adler, \$1,000.00; Rebecca Treelisky Bequest, \$50.00.

Gifts to the Flower Fund have been received as follows: In memory of Mrs. S. Meth, from her sons, L. H. and M. Meth, and from Mr. and Mrs. Jacob

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RODEPH SHALOM SISTERHOOD SEWING CIRCLE.

The following ladies attended the sewing last week: Mrs. B. Landau, Mrs. R. Stein, Mrs. W. Lasday, Mrs. T. Kornhauser, Mrs. A. L. Cramer, Mrs. R. Lewin, Mrs. S. Strassburger, Mrs. M. Sampliner, Mrs. S. Silverman, Mrs. A. Block, Mrs. A. Jacobs, Mrs. M. Marks, Mrs. B. Friedman, Mrs. H. Sidenburg, Mrs. J. Jonas, Mrs. M. Bear, Mrs. C. Goldsmith, Mrs. L. Kingbacher, Mrs. A. L. Katz, Mrs. M. Wolf, Mrs. S. Cerf, Mrs. W. Kann, Mrs.

H. Vogel, Mrs. S. Bachman, Mrs. M. Oppenheimer, Mrs. Jennie Stein, Mrs. R. Danziger, Mrs. J. Siesel, Mrs. W. Kornhauser, Mrs. R. Eisner, Mrs. L. J. Goldsmith, Mrs. O. Hommel, Mrs. J. Pichel, Mrs. H. Kirschberg, Mrs. H. Hirsch, Mrs. Josiah Cohn, Mrs. J. Affelder, Mrs. C. E. Friedman, Mrs. P. Florishman, Mrs. J. Eiseman, Mrs. M. Kann, Mrs. M. Bonn, Mrs. A. B. Kaufman, Miss Birdie Hyman. Donations were received from Mrs. Falk, Mrs. J. Eiseman.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The second Neighborhood meeting of the North Side series will be held Wednesday evening, February 16, 1916, at the Beth Israel Synagogue, 801 East St., N. S., at 8:30 o'clock. The program will be as follows:
Chairman Mr. Barnett Sedler
Chazzanic Number Rev. Jos. Alpert
Life of Dr. Theodore Herzl
..... Dr. H. M. Snitzer