

BOOKS FOR ISRAEL

Bookseller's Complaint

To the Editor of THE JEWISH CHRONICLE
Sir.—May I say how much I agree with your correspondent, Mr. Porde...

Whether the formation of a book-supply house run as a business proposition, as Mr. Porde suggests, is the solution...

91 Southampton Row, W.C.1.
Timely Reminder

Sir.—Your leading article dealing with the scarcity of English reading material in Israel was a timely reminder...

14 Netherhall Gardens,
Corner Nutley Terrace, N.W.3.
The South Essex Orphan Aid Society held its first dinner and ball recently at the Porchester Hall; £1,050 was raised.

THE PERSISTENT QUESTIONER

Liberal Judaism and "Noachism"

To the Editor of THE JEWISH CHRONICLE
Sir.—In my article in the "Persistent Questioner" series...

One of these I labelled "nationalism," meaning thereby that attitude which envisages and approves the permanent confinement of Judaism within a limited national or racial framework...

"Noachism" certainly has a positive side, and from an historical point of view Rabbi Petuchowski is probably right in stressing it...

and that the "Noachian minimum" is all that is required of them. That this view has not always been characteristic of Judaism...

Liberal Jews believe that Judaism has a positive mission in the world, far exceeding the limits of the Noachian conception. I cannot here discuss its practical implementation...

I congratulate Diamond on his lucid explanation of his allocation of seats, it being the fairest and most equitable method that I know of.

Newcastle upon Tyne.
North Heaton,
Newcastle upon Tyne.

AJEX REMEMBRANCE PARADE

Wearly Travellers

To the Editor of THE JEWISH CHRONICLE
Sir.—In reply to your correspondent, Mr. J. J. Cohen, I should like him to examine the matter from the Provincial point of view...

Added to all this, may I inform Mr. Cohen that the cost per member is £2.15.11d for a special one-day fare...

Newcastle upon Tyne.
North Heaton,
Newcastle upon Tyne.

Proper Reunion Urged
Sir.—Year after year the old controversy of the ex-Service men and women's parade has been thrust upon us...

42 Beccoad Avenue,
London, S.W.16.

YESHIVA AND UNIVERSITY

A "Hybrid" Institution

To the Editor of THE JEWISH CHRONICLE
Sir.—Professor Yoffey gives an interesting account in his article...

There may well be a need for another yeshiva in Israel to supply well-trained rabbis and to produce scholarly laymen...

Such an institution to be a university dominated by a religious belief, then the notion of a Yeshiva-University is neither new nor peculiarly Jewish...

King's College, London, was founded by the Anglican interest as a sort of Yeshiva-University for the education of its influence of the pagan University College...

I gather from my reading that the most ambitious of the Yeshiva-University type students appear to be attending courses in Marxism-Leninism...

Department of Physiology,
Middlesex Hospital Medical School,
W.1.

HOME FOR INCURABLES

To the Editor of THE JEWISH CHRONICLE
Sir.—While sympathising with your correspondent's recent remarks regarding the Jewish Home for Incurables...

Chairman, Ajex, Willsons Branch,
205 Fordwych Road, N.W.2.

KEREN HATORAH GRANTS

At a recent meeting of the Keren Hatorah Committee, grants were made to religious and educational institutions in London, Leeds, Gateshead, Israel, and Funchal...

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INTERMARRIAGE PROBLEM

Marriage Bureau Needed

To the Editor of THE JEWISH CHRONICLE
Sir.—I have read for the past few weeks the letters on intermarriage problems which have been very interesting...

There are plenty of clubs for those aged 18 to 25 years, but what about those over 25 years of age? There are plenty of them who feel out of place when they visit clubs...

51 Reynolds House, E.2.

Club's Facilities

Sir.—It is with much amazement that I read the letters printed in your issue of November 20 concerning intermarriage...

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RIGHT IS MIGHT

Professor Roth on the Moral Issue

To the Editor of THE JEWISH CHRONICLE
Sir.—Problems of morals are notoriously complicated, and I have no wish to add to the difficulties raised by what is now called the Qibya incident...

Such a Jew (and there must be many of them) who fear death in vain for even the half-hearted approval of the Qibya incident...

3 Merton Street,
Newnham, Cambridge.

GENERAL ZIONISTS IN BRITAIN

Attempt at Split Denied

To the Editor of THE JEWISH CHRONICLE
Sir.—I made it quite clear and explicit that all my activity is confined within the English Zionist Federation...

Chairman, South of the Thames Jewish Society,
60 Salford Road, S.W.2.

The real tragedy is, of course, for the Israelis. And it does not lie in the political deterioration of their borders...

Dr. Fox charges me with endeavouring to interrupt the prevailing harmony in the E.Z.F. I can see his point and that of the officials who vested interest in that way they would like to continue...

Joseph Rivlin,
The Cumberland Hotel,
Marble Arch, W.1.

ACCOMMODATION FOR FOREIGN STUDENTS

To the Editor of THE JEWISH CHRONICLE
Sir.—During the past months the Inter-University Jewish Federation has been the recipient of numerous letters from overseas students...

It has therefore been decided to compile a full list of such families, so as to ensure that the best accommodation will be available when it is required...

Foreign Secretary, I.U.J.F.
202 Hale Lane,
Edgware, Middlesex.

DEPUTIES & GERMAN REARMAMENT

Paris Example

To the Editor of THE JEWISH CHRONICLE
Sir.—As the moves of the reference back of paragraph III of the last report of the Foreign Affairs Committee of the Board of Deputies...

I quite agree with Mr. Tibber (who wrote last week) that the President's statement gave the impression (I hope wrongly) that he and the committee have accepted the principle of German rearmament...

Stone House, Stone Grove,
Edgware, Middlesex.

REPORTED SUICIDE OF GERMAN AUTHOR

Rumours Denied

To the Editor of THE JEWISH CHRONICLE
Sir.—A few weeks ago you reported the death of the East German writer Friedrich Wolf and mentioned that rumours reaching West Berlin attributed his death to suicide as the result of his alleged connection with the Slansky circle...

The obituary notice in NEWS DEUTSCHLAND leading East German paper on October 6 reported his death in honoured terms. Messages of sympathy and appreciation were sent to his widow from the Socialist Unity Party and the German Democratic Republic...

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POINTS FROM LETTERS

BROADCAST OF TALMUD SHIUR

The Department for Torah Education and Culture of the Jewish Agency would be most grateful to listeners to Rabbi Jacob Herzog's Talmud Shiur in English (Kol Zion LaMela) which is held every Saturday night for their comments on the reception and suitability of time. Or in fact, any suggestions that may help to improve the Shiur. Comments should be addressed to me...

R. HINTON THOMAS,
The University,
Edmund Street, Birmingham, 3.

HACKNEY BOYS' CLUB

I wish to notify the Jewish community of the Hackney district and immediate vicinity that the Hackney Boys' Under-15s Club is now functioning at the premises of the Hackney Associated Clubs, 4 Martello Street, E.8. New entrants are most welcome on Mondays and Thursdays, 6 to 7.30 p.m. They may participate in a varied programme.—I. REBACK, Hon. Leader, Hackney Boys' Junior Club.

It has been the practice at this theatre over the years to hang gifts on any one else to hang gifts on the Xmas tree in our foyer. These gifts are sent to the staff of the Hackney Hospital. Anyone placing a gift on the tree may add their name and address. To bring happiness to children should be universal.

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