

## - Committee meeting -

A committee meeting was held in the Synagogue on the 14<sup>th</sup> Feb.

Present were:-

Mr C. H. Robinson in the chair,  
Messrs. F. Buchheim & Gylinsky  
& M. Kurland

Decided to write to the board of education informing them that we are sending them a cheque for £3-3-0 together with the £4-4-0 donated by our members to your board.

This will be our contribution for 1934 as for their account of £12-2-0 of 1932 & 1933.

We cannot acknowledge the account as we have not been members for those years as written to them on several occasions, owing to the depression and bad times.

Decided to pay the account of the Jewish Board of Deputies for 1932 & 1933. Decide to pay the following accounts:-

Diarrisional Council 4/1.

Lights water & Sanitation £6-16-0

Decided to pay Mr Gylinsky for board & lodging for the between hoops Roller - 30/-

Decided to pay Mr. Ross £1/10/0 for balance of the hoops up to the end of Oct. & also to pay him £1/8/0 monthly for keeping the books since November.

Decided to hold the general meeting on Sunday the 25<sup>th</sup> Feb.

Annual General Meeting 25<sup>th</sup> Feb 1934

The annual General meeting of the M.C.C. was held at the Synagogue on Sunday the 25<sup>th</sup> Feb. present were  
Chairman: Mr Robinson, W. Kowen, M. Kurland, F. Buchheim  
J. Rabbin, S. Werbeloff, S. Lenhoff, A. Minich, A. Chosod.  
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The resumed meeting took place on Monday the 26<sup>th</sup> Feb at 8 p.m.  
Present were: Mr Robinson (chairman) W. Kowen, M. Kurland, A. Minich,  
S. Selinsky, S. Lenhoff, Ph. Morris, S.H. Jacobsen, R. Galgut,  
L. Gromer, A. Chosod, J. Rabbin, J. Berdony, F. Buchheim,  
S. Werbeloff, B. Berson, J. Kowen.  
The secretary read the minutes of previous annual Gen meeting.

The president read the Balance sheet, which was passed for inspection. The chairman expressed satisfaction of the financial statement which shows a profit for the year. Mr Ph. Morris in moving the adoption of Balance sheet, referred to the Congregation's objections suggested a compromise or otherwise to be written off. Seconded by R. Galgut. The chairman expressed his thanks to the Finance committee which presented the Congregation an amount of over £90.--

Election of Office Bearers

President: R. Galgut proposed: Mr Ch. Robinson, seconded by Mr Selinsky  
Treasurer: J. Berdony " " W. Kowen " " L. Gromer  
Secretary: A. Minich " " F. Buchheim " " W. Kowen  
also to act as committee member.

Committee

Candidates: J. Kowen proposed by Mr J. Berdony seconded by R. Galgut  
S. Werbeloff " " R. Galgut " " W. Kowen  
J. Rabbin " " J. Berdony " " A. Minich  
M. Kurland " " Robinson " " R. Galgut  
A. Minich " " Robinson " " J. Berdony  
S. Selinsky " " R. Galgut " " A. Minich  
J. Berdony " " A. Minich " " S. Selinsky  
a vote was taken and the following elected:  
Messrs M. Kurland, S. Werbeloff, A. Minich.

Reengagement Rev. Sholman

R. Galgut proposed, that Rev. Sholman be reengaged for a indefinite period with 3 months notice. Seconded by S. Werbeloff. Mr J. Kowen moved, that Rev. Sholman be engaged for 12 months subject to 3 months notice. Mr Kowen withdrew.

Bonus Miss J. Shulman

Unanimous agreed on a bonus of £3-3- to be given to Miss Shulman for work done up to 26<sup>th</sup> Feb 1934.

## Re Hebrew Teacher.

The chairman explained the unsatisfactory state of the childrens Hebrew classes and said that Rev. Helman is doing his best, but he can not manage and therefore it is up to the members to engage a Hebrew teacher.

Messrs. Kurland, Gilinsky, A. Nurik, & Brumel also spoke on the subject.

Mr. Robinson proposed to take round a list among the members to ascertain how much they will be prepared to contribute towards the engagement of such a teacher and meanwhile the committee will write the Board of Education for a teacher or a salary of about £12-10 monthly.

Mr. Kurland proposed to call a parents meeting to discuss raising money for ~~any~~ engagement of an independent Hebrew teacher. A. Nurik seconded.

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for Sec.

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21/1/34

Annual General Meeting held at the local Synagogue on the 30<sup>th</sup> Sept. 1934  
The following members of the Wington Hebrew Congregation were present:  
S. Gilinsky, A. Chesed, Ruyter, M. Kover, A. Nurik, Buchheim, Kurland, Robinson, W. Kover, A. Brenner, J. Kover, Bordenitz, Rakain.

Previous meeting

The secretary read the minutes of the General meeting held at the Synagogue on 28<sup>th</sup> February 1934.

Report on accounts

The chairman handed round for inspection the Balance sheet of the Congregation which was audited by Mr. Harris and said, The position of the congregation, it gives me great pleasure to say, is financially sound, and I move the adoption of the Income and Expenditure and Balance Sheet.

Query by Mr. M. Kover.

Mr. Kover asked for an explanation of the item in the Balance Sheet as an asset, Lape Jewish Aged Home £3-13-6. Upon the secretary making a satisfactory explanation of the query, Mr. Kover moved that the £3-13-6 be charged to Expenditure and the Balance sheet be then adopted.

Amendment to accounts

£3-13-6 debited to the Lape Jewish Aged Home charged to Expenditure account.

Adoption of Accounts

Mr. Blumberg seconded Mr. M. Kover and the Income, Expenditure Account and Balance Sheet was adopted.

Vote of Thanks to Dance Committee

A special vote of thanks, by all present, was passed to the Dance Committee for their contribution of £102.--

Expected Decrease in Revenue

The President mentioned, that in future a smaller amount must be anticipated as revenue from the dance, as it is the intention not to ask wholesale merchants to purchase dance tickets.

Payment of subscription

The president asked some members to be more punctual in their payments on account of the decrease on revenue from dance tickets.

Election of Office Bearer

The election of office bearers was then commenced. Owing to certain misunderstandings by the chairman committee and members the election of office bearers was discontinued.

Movement of Adjournment. Mr. J. Kover seconded by Mr. Blumberg moved the adjournment of the meeting for a fortnight, which brought the meeting to close. The chairman expressed his hopes for a better attendance at the next meeting.

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Adjourned General Meeting being held on the 20th November 1924. The meeting held at the Synagogue on the 30th September 1924 and adjourned is now continued.

Previous MeetingPresent:

Mr. Ch. Robinson in the chair and following members were present: W. Kover (vice-president), Karland, S. Werkloff, L. Gruner, Appel, Berdunsky, Glinson, J. Kover, J. Levinsohn, S. Krenhoff, A. Krenhoff, B. Berson, Graver, M. Kover, Blumberg, A. Chered, M. L. Minick, Rabin, Hirschfeld, H. Goldberg, Solly Werkloff, A. Galgut, S. Jacobstein, P. Maritz, J. Minsky.

Reengagement of Resolutions

The chairman proposed to deal with Res. Helman's reengagement or otherwise before the election of new office-bearers and quoted in support certain rules guiding his action and overruled Mr. J. Kover's objection to elect new office bearers first, who shall then deal with all congregational matters.

Complaints lodged

The vice president Mr. W. Kover pointed out that our Res. Helman is very negligent in his duties all round especially as far as dances in the Synagogue and to children's morning prayers at school are concerned. During the period of his sclusion (sajon ausgewarben a Stetel pauzeim.)

Extra expenditure during  
Rev. Helman's absence

Mr Gibney approved of same and pointed out  
to the extra expenditure we are committing ourselves  
which the congregation can ill afford.

The secretary A. Bennett proposed that all voting  
be carried out by ballot only, was carried.

Reengagement of Rev.  
Helman

D. Warbelloff proposed, that the reengagement of Rev.  
Helman at a monthly salary of £22.11.7  
(twenty two pounds ten shillings) on same conditions as  
last year, namely indefinite period with three  
months notice, was accorded by A. Calcut and was  
carried plus one pound monthly towards the insurance policy.

Application for leave by  
Rev. Helman

Rev. Helman applied for 3 weeks leave and our chairman  
assured us that Rev. Musgrave of Footman's hope will  
fill his post at a monthly salary of £8.10.0 plus  
his railway fare the meeting granted Rev. Helman the  
leave on full pay.

All payments to Rev. Musgrave as well as the extra  
£12.19.9 during Rev. Helman's recent absence to be  
borne by the congregation's expenditure account  
carried unanimously.

Election of Officers - 1899

President

The chairman gave several reasons for his resignation  
and called for nomination of president.

Mr Robinson proposed by A. Calcut and seconded by J. Haines  
J. Haines : M. H. H. : B. H. H.  
After several appeals including D. Warbelloff, D. Foster, and J. Haines  
withdrew, Mr Robinson accepted the above post and declared  
as unanimously elected chairman.

Mr Robinson thanked the meeting for the words of praise  
and appreciation accorded to him for work done in the  
past and the meeting to do likewise in future.

Vice-President

Mr Haines proposed by D. Warbelloff seconded by W. H. H.  
D. Warbelloff : A. Robinson : H. H. H.

Mr H. H. H. refused to stand on election because the  
president Mr A. Robinson nominated an opponent, which  
Mr H. H. H. regarded as an insult and therefore D. Warbelloff  
is declared as vice president unanimously elected.

A vote of thanks was moved by the secretary A. W. H. H.  
for services rendered during his term of office and especially  
for collecting the subscriptions, without ever offering an  
account for (handing) being unable to do so.

Secretary

A. Bennett secretary unanimously re-elected with a vote  
of thanks for services rendered, which was moved by A. Calcut

Treasurer

Mr. J. Rosen as Treasurer proposed by A. Gelgat and seconded by M. h. Minick unanimously elected.

Committee Members

The following unanimously elected Messrs. L. Gromet, B. Hirschfeld, M. h. Minick and J. Rabbin.

Motion of Thanks by A. Gelgat An unopposed motion of thanks to the outgoing committee by A. Gelgat, brought the meeting to close.

*L. Gromet  
for Sec.* *Ch. Robinson*  
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Next committee meeting (of the newly elected) election

held at our synagogue on the 29th November 1934

Ch. Robinson in the chair. S. Wertheff, M. h. Minick, J. Rosen, J. Rabbin, L. Gromet, & B. Hirschfeld.

Welcome by chairman

The chairman extended a hearty welcome to his newly elected committee and expressed the hope, that all work in future will be of a friendly nature and shall at any time our opinions differ in any way, we shall discuss such differences fully and then it must result to full advantage of our congregation.

Engagement of Mr. Sackel

Decided to write to the Board of Education Johannesburg and insist on a reply within 10 days, otherwise we shall advertise ourselves for such a candidate, who if possible must be a single man with their full recommendation, willing to start at a monthly salary of £15-- Self choice shall also be a recommendation.

Chijder Committee

Messrs. Robinson, Minick were proposed by J. Rosen to represent the congregation on the chijder committee and seconded by L. Gromet.

M. h. Minick also undertook to visit parents and approach them of better financial support towards chijder funds.

Collection of outlandings. Messrs M. & M. have undertaken to collect the outlandings for the congregation at the beginning of December as per list supplied by them, this bringing the meeting to a close.

*Ch R Robinson*  
3/2/35

Second-committee meeting held at our Synagogue on the 28th Dec 1934.

Present.

Ch. Robinson in the chair, S. Weckeloff, J. Kover, I. Rabin, B. Stenfeld and A. Brenner. Minutes of previous meeting read and confirmed.

Re Helman's letter

Decided to send a reply paid wire to Rev. Kaplan Philadelphia for his application and offer him the post on one month trial ending him the date at which he can start chiding.

Schaly application of baby bread 0.50

This application was read and kept over for reply pending results of Kaplan's communication.

Friday night's services

The chairman undertook to interview Rev. Helman and appoint a certain time for Friday night's services and also approach Rev. Helman, when not having a minyan, he should then take the children and make them down under his supervision.

*Ch R Robinson*

Special allowance to

Rev. Helman of \$100--

According to the General meeting held on the 28th December 1934 his monthly salary was fixed @ \$22.10 - plus \$15-- towards insurance. The committee unanimously agreed on \$22.10 - till the end of Month 1934, which explains the allowance.

Collection of outlandings

Messrs. Rabin and Stenfeld are going have undertaken to collect same, as per list supplied by the Secretary.

Reversal of Subscriptions

and additional members

Messrs. Rabin & Kover undertook to revise the subscription list, propose new members, report on it and are likely to approach a few bachelor residents to subscribe monthly.

Advances to Rev. Helman

Messrs. Rabin & Kover were given the full right by the committee to advance Rev. Helman on his salary, whenever they think necessary.

Amendment to cheque

signatures

Official notice to the local Standard Bank has been given by the secretary, that the signature of Rev. Brenner from date will be replaced by J. Kover's signature for all authorized payments on behalf of the local Hebrew Congregation. The secretary expressed the hope, that Mr. Kover as a capable treasurer will manage to keep all balances on their right sides. This brought the meeting to a close.

*Ch R Robinson*

Third - committee meeting held at the Synagogue on the 11<sup>th</sup> Feb, 1918.

Present

Robinson in the chair, Utkeloff, Rabin, Kowa, Hainfeld, Gomb.  
The minutes of previous meeting read and confirmed.

Reply of Rev. Kaplan and  
re his engagement

His letter of the 4<sup>th</sup> inst. replying to our wire of even date was read by the president, in which he definitely declines our proposition of coming on one month trial, giving several reasons for it and also states his inability to start before the 1<sup>st</sup> of April.

The matter was then fully discussed on by all members present and unanimously agreed on the following:  
That a letter be written to him to-day (11<sup>th</sup> Feb) asking for his testimonials and references, which shall be considered by us and should they be acceptable we will wire him his appointment as our Hebrew teacher at a monthly salary of £15.- (fifteen pounds) naturally arise pending results and starting from the 1<sup>st</sup> of April.

The chairman expressing his wish for the committee to meet on receipt of a reply to the above letter, brought the meeting to a close.

C.H. Robinson

S. H. Gomb.  
11/2/18

Fourth - committee meeting held at the Synagogue on the 14<sup>th</sup> Feb, 1918.

Present

Robinson (in the chair) M. S. Naid, J. Kowa, B. Hainfeld and Utkeloff (acting secretary).

Letter to Rev. Kaplan dated 14<sup>th</sup> Feb, 1918

This letter was read and after some discussion it was agreed, that the salary asked for £22.- monthly is far above our means. Mr. Kaplan be advised accordingly and the testimonials and references be passed on to him.

Notice to the Bd. of  
Education re above

It was decided, that a letter be written to the Board of Education, telling them that we are prepared to consider an application from a lady teacher at a salary of about £12.- per month or Gentleman teacher up to £14.- per month. If they have no suitable applicant they should advertise in the Zionist Record for our account, as our congregation is very anxious to have a teacher services.

C.H. Robinson

S. H. Gomb.  
14/2/18



Fifth - Committee meeting held at the synagogue on the 10th March 1915

Present: Robinson in the chair, S. Werbeloff, J. Rosen, B. Hirschfeld, L. Brenner.  
The minutes of previous meeting read and confirmed.

Mr. Alexander Lewin's visit

A letter from the S.A. Board of Jewish Education was read by the Secretary, in which they advised us of Mr. Lewin's visit, who is coming round in the interests of Jewish Hebrew Education in general and the S.A. Board of Education requested us to arrange a social for Wednesday night the 13th inst.

Write to S.A. Board of Education

It was decided to arrange the social for Thursday night the 14th at the Gordonia Hotel and write to the Board for approval. We also asked them to advise Mr. Lewin accordingly.

Meeting Mr. Lewin at the station

Messrs Robinson & Werbeloff undertook to meet Mr. Lewin at the station on Wednesday night from his South West Road.

Collection of Outstanding

Mr. Werbeloff undertook to collect the outstanding as per list supplied by the Secretary. This brought the meeting to a close.

C. H. Robinson  
13/3/15

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Sixth - committee meeting held at Synagogue on Sunday the 17th March after the examination of the cheider children by Mr. Lewin in presence of Rev. Helman and a few committee members.

Present

Robinson in the chair, Alexander Lewin, S. Werbeloff, Robinson, J. Rosen, A. Munk & Hirschfeld representing M. H. Munk, L. Brenner and of behalf of the cheider committee Messrs Robinson & M. H. Munk.

Cheider Report by Mr. Lewin

Mr. Lewin explained the regrettable state of our childrens Hebrew Education, who numbered about 70 and to his idea they are all pupils of Sub. A. except 3 Barmitz wach boys. A due report will be sent to us by the Board of Education. He fully explained the value of Jewish Hebrew Education and in response to our numerous appeals to the Board, he promised to interest himself personally to secure for our children a very good Hebrew teacher, with the least possible delay.

Re Affiliation dues & membership

The chairman asked Mr. Lewin not to look for members to the Band as the congregation are paying the affiliation dues in full and this is also a donation by the very same members.

Complaint lodged by J. Rosen

Mr. J. Rosen complained to Mr. Lewin of the negligible way in which the Board of Education has treated us in the past and Mr. Lewin assured all present, that such things will not repeat themselves. A vote of thanks to Mr. Lewin from all present brought the meeting to a close.

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Seventh committee meeting held at the Synagogue on Sunday,  
the 24<sup>th</sup> March 1935.

Present:

Ch. Robinson, in the Chair, Mr. Minick, Rabbi, J. Kover, & Brown.

Special General meeting

The chairman noted his intention of calling a special General meeting of all members and parents to come to a definite decision regarding our Rev. Helman and the engagement of a Hebrew teacher and hear his views of how to meet the expenditure

Proposal of Mr. Minick

seconded by Rabbi.

Mr. Minick proposed to reengage Rev. Helman for one year at a monthly salary of £10-- out of which £1-- per month be deducted for payment towards his assurance policy.

Should Rev. Helman not agree, then the congregation will pay the full premiums, and the policy be ceded to the U.H. Congregation.

Rev. Helman may leave us at any time subject to only one month's notice. Seconded by Mr. Rabbi.

Recommendation to the Special Gen. meeting

It was agreed to call the Spec. Gen. meeting for Sunday the 31<sup>st</sup> March 1935, and Mr. Minick's proposal be brought in as a recommendation.

The following Agenda: Reengagement Rev. Helman, by Hebrews, Election of new Council

Monthly collections

Messrs. Minick, Kover and others to collect the outstanding.

Stabling accommodation for the ladies at the Synagogue to be discussed at the next committee meeting. *C. Robinson*

*C. Robinson*

Annual General meeting<sup>2nd</sup> held on Sunday, the 24<sup>th</sup> November 1935 at the Synagogue with the following <sup>in the</sup> members present:  
Ch. Robinson chairman, Vice chairman S. Werbeloff, J. Kover, Messrs. L. Pyrenet, Mr. Minick, J. Rabbi, B. Birdfield

Members.

Messrs. U. Minick, M. Kurland, J. Kover, S. Werbeloff, H. Goldberg, S. Pitinsky, J. Kover, W. Kover, Ringo, Blumberg, B. Jacobsen, Sally Werbeloff, Skaffbraud, B. Person, & Jacobsen, Robert Minick, M. Kover, & A. Mased

Presidential Report.

The chairman handed round the balance sheet for inspection, which was audited by Mr. Kover and congratulated on the sound financial state of affairs, the deficiency however is due to cheques only, whose expenditure is £25-- against revenue of £17-- per month and I ask you parents to increase your subscription towards cheques and if you want Hebrew Education for your children you have to pay for it.

The chairman then congratulated the active members of the committee for good work done.

Mr. Kover inquired for collection list for cheques subscriptions, which was fully explained by the chairman.

The adoption of the Balance was moved by Mr. Kurland and seconded by Mr. U. Minick.

Collection of office bearers.

The chairman called for nominations

Mr. Kurland proposed the whole committee to return in blood, to which  
Mr. A. Munit objected: Nominations for chairman

Mr. Robinson proposed by Mr. Kurland seconded by Mr. Sam Werbeloff  
Joe Kover M. H. Munit Hoffbrand

Mr. Robinson declined to stand the election and therefore  
declared Mr. Joe Kover as our newly elected chairman of the  
Upright Hebr. Congregation, whom he then called to the chair.

Mr. Kover then handed the meeting for the honour bestowed upon  
him and promised to carry out his duties as chairman to  
the best of his ability and to the satisfaction of the members.

#### Nomination for Vice chairman

Sam Werbeloff nominated by Rabbin seconded by Herschfield.  
W. Kover A. Munit Gilensky  
S. Gilensky Ch. Brown Ch. Robinson  
M. H. Munit M. Kover Bersor.

Messrs Werbeloff & M. H. Munit did not accept and withdrew with  
permission of their proposer & seconders.

A vote was taken by ballot and Mr. Robinson proposed that  
Messrs Kurland & Sam Werbeloff should count the voting papers.

The result being 14 votes for W. Kover & 6 for Mr. Gilensky  
The chairman declared Mr. W. Kover as our newly elected  
Vice chairman.

Treasurer. M. H. Munit proposed by Ch. Brown seconded by Sam Werbeloff  
and declared by the chairman as unanimously elected: Treasurer  
Secretary Ch. Brown proposed by Sam Werbeloff seconded by A. Munit unanimously elected

Committee. Hoffbrand proposed by Ch. Brown seconded by Leonid  
Brown Rangel Sam Werbeloff.  
A. Munit J. Kover Ch. Brown  
R. Ringer M. Kover S. Rabbin.

The chairman declared the above gentlemen as <sup>unanimously</sup> elected  
election of Synod committee.

Mr. Robinson drew the attention of the <sup>synod</sup> committee to members who  
have reduced their subscriptions.

The following were elected as the Synod committee.

Kurland proposed by M. Kover seconded by Sam Werbeloff  
M. Kover A. Munit S. Gilensky

Mr. Robinson & Mr. M. H. Munit and the aforementioned  
plus 2 members from the Congregation committee were declared  
by the chairman as unanimously elected.

Mr. Robinson then asked the Annual General Meeting to ~~approve~~ adopt the principal  
of building a communal hall, which has been in his mind for a long time  
and he now feels the the Congregation can do so and newly elected committee  
to go into details of cost etc. and same should be built on those grounds.  
Seconded by M. Kover and the principal unanimously accepted.

The chairman promised his support to the above, which brought the meeting  
to a close.

J. Kover  
27/11/76.

First committee meeting of the newly elected office bearers after General Meeting held at our local Synagogue on Sunday the 24th November 1935 at 9.30 a.m. with the following members present: Mr. J. Rosen, chairman, W. Rosen, vice-chairman and Messrs. A. Munich, M. H. Munich, Ringel, M. Hoffbrand & L. Gromer.

#### Chairman welcoming his Committee.

A very warm welcome was expressed by the chairman to his committee, whom he also thanked for their undertaking to work with him, which he very much appreciates and gave his assurance to do his utmost for the good of our congregation, relying fully on the support of his committee and secretary, who shall continue his work as in the past.

#### Response by the Secretary.

The secretary thanked the chairman for his kind remarks and expressed his willingness to improve on his work in future, as the congregation's responsibilities are very much increasing especially since our children enjoy the privilege of Hebrew Education, who's upkeep can only be maintained by careful administration & regular collection of revenue on due dates, for which we are all responsible, and we therefore must spare no effort to carry out our duties to the fullest, as this year's work of ours will be subjected to severe criticism.

#### Comment by Vice-Chairman.

The vice-chairman expressed upon all present the necessity of every committee member carrying out his obligations fully and obeying to all rules and resolutions passed in future at our meetings.

#### Appointment of Officers Committee

The chairman pointed out, that owing to the Secretary's absence, our meeting is a bit delayed and therefore the above appointment takes place only to-day. After certain discussions Messrs. A. Munich & L. Gromer were unanimously elected to represent the congregation on the above committee.

#### Regular monthly meetings.

It has been agreed on having same at our local Synagogue on every second Sunday of the month at 9.30 a.m. to which all members will attend without notification. Urgent meetings however shall be called for at any time for which the secretary will give due notice to all members.

#### Collections of Contributions.

The monthly appointments for collectors to be left entirely to the chairman & Secretary and the collectors shall carry same out personally with the utmost punctuality at the beginning of every month, as the welfare of our children's Hebrew Education and our entire success depends fully on carrying out this rule.

Second Committee meeting held at our local Synagogue on Sunday the 28<sup>th</sup> October 1936 at 10 a.m. with Mr. J. Kohn in the chair and all members present.

Minutes of previous meeting read and duly confirmed.

The chairman submitted a plan of the proposed communal hall for inspection and after the members discussing the best way of reaching the financial means, some was left over for the next meeting.

#### Reengagement of Shabbos Hecker.

Unanimously agreed to reengage Mr. Kaplan as our Shabbos Hecker for a period of six months as from the 1<sup>st</sup> January 1936 at a monthly salary of £25-10- plus £2-10- monthly from the 1<sup>st</sup> of April 1936 meeting then his salary fee. After expiration of the above mentioned 6 months, the engagement is subject to 3 months notice either side.

The appointment of collectors, then concluded the meeting.

Kohn  
Chairman

Kohn  
Chairman  
9/2/36

Special committee meeting held on Sunday the 26<sup>th</sup> June 1936 at 11 a.m. at our Synagogue with the following present:

J. Kohn in the chair, W. Kohn, A. Morris, Ringo & L. Rosenst.

Reason for calling this very special meeting.

The chairman expressed his highest regret for the above and having again to face a great disappointment and dissatisfaction of our congregation members, which was caused by our Rev. Helman in not allowing our children to participate in last Friday night's school services.

After thorough discussion by all members present, Mr. A. Morris proposed seconded by Mr. Ringo that the chairman and secretary be instructed to post a Registered letter, and submit the following resolution to his notice.

Resolution.

Agreed and passed, that Rev. Helman be advised, that our children are to participate in our school services and interference from him will not under any circumstances be tolerated. His being the sole wish of our congregation, shall have to be adhered to and no repetition of last Friday night's occurrence will again be tolerated.

No application to the contrary for any reason what-so-ever, shall have the Committee's consideration."

Letter from the Board of Deputies, dated 25<sup>th</sup> June 1936 was read by the chairman, requesting all Jewish bodies not to advertise about any social or private affairs in any news papers. The chairman impressed same very much upon the secretary, who undertook to convey such message to the local Jewish youth organization, but mentioned, that to his opinion the Jewish Record and the Morning are excluded, in which the J. O. G. shall continue to advertise their activities which no doubt are beneficial to Jews.

Kohn  
Chairman  
17/7/36

Special General Meeting of members was held on the <sup>1st</sup> in our Synagogue with the following.

Members present :-

Re-engagement of Rev. Helman, proposed by Mr. Puchheimer recorded by Mr. A. Marx that Rev. Helman be re-engaged for a year at a monthly salary of £19. x the premium on the insurance policy. This re-engagement to be subject to three months notice by both parties unanimously carried.

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Annual General Meeting held in the Pils Hall on the 29<sup>th</sup> October 1927

Extract re Election of Trustees.

Proposed by Mr McKown & seconded by M. S. Dunkelhoff  
Messrs. C. H. Johnson & A. Nuriel should be elected  
Trustees.

Mr. Johnson proposed Mckenland & C. Brown, seconded  
by M. S. Miller.

Mr. Dunkelhoff proposed Mr. Brunde & A. Nuriel  
seconded by Mr. McKown. Mr. Brunde withdrew.

Voting

- A. Nuriel 6
- C. H. Johnson 7
- C. Brown 2
- Mckenland 11

Messrs. C. H. Johnson & Mckenland were duly  
elected Trustees of the congregation.

Committee meeting held at the Synagogue on Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> Nov 1926  
with the following present: Mrs. J. Rosen in the chair, & Messrs. M. H. Kohn, H. Hoffmann,  
Ringer & C. Brown.

Unanimously agreed, as proposed by Mr. H. Kohn, seconded by Ringer to engage  
Mr. Kohn for £10.-- as local secretary for the high festivals.

Additional benches for the Yom-Tovim

The chairman tendered to approach prospective installments and  
get some on loan for the purpose. It was decided to have the Syn-  
agogue grounds cleaned and Messrs. Nuriel Bros will give that long  
free of charge to remove the refuse.

Mr. A. Nuriel donated a Yale-lock for the school, which Mrs. H. Rosen  
will fix at the main entrance door.

The chairman, Mr. J. Rosen donated a carpet for the ket-anomat and  
the congregation are to buy an additional room floor paving.  
He also agreed to ordering yom-tovim candles, for which he will write  
himself.

The Secretary was instructed to send out invitations to the Patriarchs  
for Yom-Tovim in the following: Messrs. Rose, Ritz, and others, and others.

It was decided to have a social to welcome out Rev. Wolf at the  
Apington Hotel on Sunday night the 15<sup>th</sup> September, which concluded the  
meeting.

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First meeting of the Education Committee held on Sunday the 21<sup>st</sup> Nov 1935 at 10 a.m. at the Residence of Mrs M. L. Nunez with the following members present: Mrs M. L. Nunez, Messrs A. Nunez, M. Rowen, L. Grenuet and our teacher, Mr S. Kaplan.

#### Election of chairman and secretary.

It was unanimously agreed on the appointments of Mrs. M. Rowen as chairman, L. Grenuet as secretary, after which they took up their posts and proceeded with the agenda of the day.

#### Resignation of Mrs. F. Robinson.

The secretary read a letter signed by Mrs Robinson dated 11<sup>th</sup> Nov 1935, wherein she notified her resignation from the above committee, as she does not wish to belong to same. The resignation was accepted and the secretary was authorised to approach Mrs A. Blum to fill the above vacancy for the same period of office, as all the other members.

*Chydes concert.* The chairman undertook to interview our local Magistrate for special permissions to have same on Sunday the 8<sup>th</sup> at the Bioscope hall and also have the tickets which are priced @ 2/- for adults, free of amusement tax. It was also unanimously agreed on sharing the net proceeds 50% for the congregation funds and 50% for opening a library class room fund for purchase of Hebrew books only.

#### Signing of Reports.

The subject was fully discussed on and the chairman's suggestion was left for the following meeting to be definitely decided upon, which is to be held on Sunday the 1<sup>st</sup> December 1935, at 10 a.m. at Mrs M. L. Nunez's residence.

Mrs Nunez's invitation to the committee for tea, which was very much appreciated by all, brought the meeting to a close.

Miriam Rowen  
1. 12. 35.

Second meeting of our Educational Committee held at the residence of Mrs M. L. Nunez <sup>at 10 a.m. with Mrs M. Rowen in the chair</sup> on Sunday the 1<sup>st</sup> December 1935, with the following members present: Mesdames: M. L. Nunez, L. Blum, Messrs A. Nunez, L. Grenuet & our teacher Mr S. Kaplan.

The Secretary read the minutes of the first committee meeting, which were fully approved of by all present and duly signed by our chairman. Magistrate's permission and minute book.

The chairman reported obtained permission for having our concert at the Bioscope hall on Sunday night the 8<sup>th</sup> December, also the agreement from amusement tax on tickets sold, which the secretary undertook to print and obtain permission from the Const. Com. to use their public stamp, as well as their minute book to utilise for recording the minutes of our meetings.

#### Rate of future committee meetings

Such are to be held at our class room on every second Monday night.



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of each and every month, to which effect no notice will be given.  
 Special meetings may be called, for which the Secretary will duly notify all members.

Signing of reports for the year.

It was suggested for the chairman to do same, but after discussion and pointing out several persons it was unanimously agreed for the Secretary to do so and fully report to the committee on the results.

Prizes to children for highest marks scored.

After exchanging opinions on the above subject, it was agreed on prizes to be given to the children at the reopening of our school on Monday the 27<sup>th</sup> January 1936 at 2.30. The names of the winners shall be announced at the closing on the 15<sup>th</sup> inst. Mr. H. Caplan shall select suitable books on Hebrew topics for the prizes and submit their cost to the committee for approval, after which same shall be ordered on our Congregation Account.

Maurice N. Breen  
 11.12.35.

Third meeting of the Education committee held on Wednesday the 11<sup>th</sup> December at 6 p.m. at our class room with the following members present:

Chairman Mr. Rosen. Mesdames M. H. Gunch, St. Blum, Mr. Hurland, St. Blum.

Report by the chairman on the results of the concert held at the B'nai on Sunday night the 8<sup>th</sup> inst. brought a net amount of £5.9. of which 50% went to the credit of our congregation and the balance of £2.14.6 is at our disposal.

Mr. Hurland proposed to buy Hebrew books and especially one good Hebrew dictionary for use in the class room. Seconded by Mr. Gunch. Mr. Hurland also expressed his opinion, that reports in future should be printed in Hebrew and posted on V to parents.

Reengagement of Mr. Caplan.

Mr. Hurland referred to his proposition at the last General Meeting of the U.H. Cong., where it was carried to reengage him and increase his salary to £25. monthly, should the congregation find the means for same, and the following recommendation to be extended to the congregation was carried unanimously: We recommend him as giving full satisfaction to our committee and we are highly satisfied with his work and this report is given on behalf of parents opinions to us.

Maurice N. Breen  
 26.1.36