

with our choir for some time, and deserves the patronage of all music lovers as well as those who have heard him sing. He goes to study in New York, and this concert is to assist him in financing his studies. Come and encourage this young man, who has delayed his trip East in order to sing for us for the Holydays.

Mrs. Ida Lansky, 65, a resident of Fort Worth for the past twenty-five

years, died Monday at a local hospital. She was born in Russia, but came to the United States and to Fort Worth twenty-five years ago. Her home was at 1009 Twombly street. She is survived by two sons, Harry of Fort Worth, Sam of Dallas, and by two daughters, Mmes. L. Cohen and J. Bronstein, both of Fort Worth. Funeral services were held Tuesday morning from Undertaker Robertson's chapel.

There was no trial. Soldiers came back from the Kommandatur and they were taken to the market-place. They murdered about sixty. Each was placed against the wall. It was extremely dark, and soldiers came with a motor bearing a searchlight. An officer came and looked into everyone's face, and some were removed, including the women. The remainder were then informed that their last moment had come, and they could say their prayers. They then, with the lead of the teacher, uttered in a loud voice their last prayers for the dying. (I may mention that these so-called Bolsheviks, who profess a negation of religion, uttered their last prayers in such a loud voice that they could be heard right across the market-place.) The officer then commanded the soldiers to shoot. The figures against the wall fell, after which the soldiers came and shot those who moved on the ground. The remainder, who had been put on one side, were then taken to prison at 10 o'clock. There had been no trial and no word whatever said to them previous to the shooting. Nothing to eat was given. They said that the man Glauberman had been shot, but not at the wall. I have arrived at the conclusion that the shot heard by those in the club was one fired at random by a soldier outside to give color to the charge that the soldiers had been fired upon, and unfortunately it killed Glauberman, who was hiding in a shed underneath the stairs leading up to the club. I was shown the hold made by the bullet. No arms were found in the possession of these alleged Bolsheviks.

**"Forgive Thy Servants."**

Next morning an under-officer came and took their names, and said: "We will show you what has become of your friends." Nineteen of them were taken to the cemetery by a gendarme and some soldiers. They were shown a freshly filled-in grave. They were given shovels and told to re-open the grave. This done, they were placed together in a row. Soldiers arrived and were placed in front of them with rifles levelled at them. The gendarms said to the soldiers: "Are you ready?" One of the prisoners, an elderly teacher, then prayed in a loud voice as follows: "O Lord, forgive Thy servants. Thou are powerful to save even now." The words were no sooner out of his mouth than an elderly gendarme came to the gendarme in command and whispered something to him. He ordered the prisoners to fill up the grave again, and they were taken to the prison and eventually Gittelman was sent home. Two of those shot were teachers, colleagues of his for twenty years. It appears that Miss Rabinovitch, who gave evidence later, had intervened on their behalf.

Aaron Rubin, an elderly manager of a match factory, deposed that he was present at the co-operative meeting. He stated that the soldiers in the large room searched the people and beat them. One man had 11,500 roubles in his possession, which was stolen from him. He shouted that he had been robbed of this amount. A soldier then went downstairs, and shortly came back and said: "Who has shot?" Rubin generally confirmed the previous witness's evidence. He was one of those taken from the wall and taken to the cemetery. In the cemetery the soldiers loaded their rifles and said their last moment had come. After they had returned to the prison, a gendarme interviewed them and endeavored to

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get a confession from them. Each one was taken separately in a separate room, stripped and beaten with straps and ramrods. They were then all put together in one room, half dead from flogging. This included six women. They were told to put on their clothes and return to their cells. On Tuesday a genadms came and said that if there were an inquiry they must say that they had not been beaten. On Wednesday he was released by doctor's orders.

**"Their Last Words."**

A young lady who desired her name not to be published, aged about 25, deposed that she went to the Peoples' House to inquire as to whether she was to participate in the American money. Soldiers came in and began to eat food they found in a cupboard. They were seeking young Jews for forced labor. An elderly officer came and said they were all to go into the large room. They searched the people, and the first man searched had over 10,000 roubles. In her opinion all that followed was to cover the robbery. She confirmed the statement that they were all taken outside the Kommandatur. She confirmed the interview with Dr. Bakraba, but added that Dr. Bakraba himself beat a girl named Eisenberg. No question was put to them. They remained in the street. They expected they would be brought into the Kommandatur but they were not, and remained in the street. A passerby named Krasalstchik, who was walking on the pavement with a Miss Polak, was taken by the soldiers and included with the prisoners, and eventually shot. They were then all taken to the market-place and put against the wall of the church. All

**NEWS FROM DALLAS**

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Rosenbaum and children, Daniel and Dorothy Mae, have returned from Eastern resorts.

Misses Amelia Dysterbach and Regina Cohn arrived in the city Friday after a two weeks' vacation spent in Bunker Hill and Chicago.

Miss Bessie Goldstein has returned from New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Wadel and daughter, Miss Helen Wadel of Tyler spent several days in the city en route home from California. Miss Wadel will attend Sophia Newcomb school.

Mrs. Zodoc Rosenthal and children have gone to Shreveport to spend the holidays with Mrs. Groner, Mrs. Rosenthal's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Glaser have returned from a two month's trip to Colorado, Oregon and California.

Mr. S. S. Mallinson has returned from resorts in the East.

Mr. L. Phillipson and daughter, Mrs. Arnold Harris, arrived home Sunday from a six weeks' visit to Estes Park, Manitou and Denver.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo S. Levi and daughter, Miss Florence Minna have returned from the East. Miss Levi attended Trippe Lake Camp in Maine.

Ben F. Lewis left Friday for New York City.

Felix Goldman left Wednesday afternoon for St. Louis, where he will visit relatives for ten days. He will enter the University of Pennsylvania the latter part of September.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Adler, 3120 Nichols street, Omaha, Neb., announce the engagement of their daughter, Lillian, to Herman Phillipson of Dallas. The wedding will take place early in November.

A. A. Hart and Miss Hildegard Timon, daughter of Mrs. H. Simon were married Sunday afternoon at the home of Carrol Simon, brother of the bride, 2814 Forest avenue. The ceremony was performed by Dr. David Lefkowitz. Out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Hart of Lufkin, Mrs. Dave Pandres of Marshall, and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hart and children of Palestine.

Mr. and Mrs. Hart left Sunday night for New York City and other points in the East. After October 1st they will be at home at 1717 Pennsylvania Avenue.

The Sunday School Teachers of Temple Emanu-El met with Dr. Lefkowitz in his study Sunday morning at 10:30 to discuss plans for the ensuing year. Great enthusiasm is being manifested both on the part of Dr. Lefkowitz and the teachers for an unusually successful term. Classes in Hebrew will be held on Saturday morning and a high school department subdivided into post biblical and social service work will be added to the religious school. Classes will be enrolled Sunday morning and parts will be assigned for the Harvest Service.

**SIR STUART SAMUEL'S OFFICIAL REPORT**

Sir Stuart Samuel's Official Report on the Outrages Committed Against the Jews in Poland--Full Text with Extracts from the Supplementary Report by Captain Peter Wright

(Continued from Last Issue)

(The report of Sir Stuart Samuel, owing to the responsible character of the Mission which he headed, and of the Government which it represented, has been eagerly awaited by all who are interested in knowing and spreading the truth about the treatment of the Jews in Poland. The British government has delayed the publication of this report for about six months, and on its final presentation to Parliament it elicited a lively and memorable debate. Sir Sturat's report is accompanied by a supplementary one from Captain Peter Wright, Assistant to Sir Stuart, which, owing to lack of space, is here printed in extract only.)

**Beaten, Robbed, Shot.**

Salomon Gittelman, a teacher, deposed that he was arrested at the Peoples' House at about 5 o'clock. He

was a member of the Co-operative Society and attended the meeting. He heard a shot. Soldiers then came in and said, 'Why have you shot as us?' and ordered all to stand with hands up. They were all searched and beaten. No arms were found. The soldiers ordered all out, surrounded them and took them to the Kommandatur. They were severely beaten on the way. An army doctor named Bakraba stopped them on the way and inquired what it all meant, and the soldiers replied that the Jews had shot at soldiers. A soldier stepped up and said that they had shot at him and wounded him in the head. The doctor replied, "All these Jews ought to be shot." They arrived at the Kommandatur, were stood out in the street, and were all robbed. There were several officers present.