

Acquisitions

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MINUTE BOOKS OF CONGREGATIONS

- Congregation Beth Medrash Hagodol, Denver, Colorado, Board of Trustees, Vols. I-II, 1919-1945
- Congregation Aaron, Trinidad, Colorado, Ledgers, Vols. I-II, 1899-1912, *Manuscript*
- Congregation Temple Israel, Gary, Indiana, Board of Directors, Vols. I-II, 1923-1945
- Congregation Temple Israel, Gary, Indiana, Ledger, 1918-1942
- Congregation Ahavas Sholem, Ligonier, Indiana, 1888-1917
- Congregation Adath Israel, Louisville, Kentucky, 1847-1857
- Congregation Adath Israel, Louisville, Kentucky, Annual Meeting Minute Books, Vols. I-IV, 1866-1950
- Congregation Adath Israel, Louisville, Kentucky, Board of Trustees, Vols. I-XIII, 1862-1951
- Congregation Adath Israel, Louisville, Kentucky, Building and Finance Committee, 1866-1876
- Congregation Adath Israel, Louisville, Kentucky, Cash Book, 1843-1845, *German*
- Congregation Adath Israel, Louisville, Kentucky, Cemetery Board of Governors, 1876-1897
- Congregation Gates of Prayer, New Orleans, Louisiana, Membership List, 1828
- Baltimore Hebrew Congregation, Baltimore, Maryland, Ledgers, Vols. I-II, 1834-1841, *Manuscript*
- Congregation Har Sinai, Baltimore, Maryland, Vols. I-II, 1854-1870, *German*
- Congregation Oheb Shalom, Baltimore, Maryland, Vols. I-II, 1853-1880, *German*
- Congregation Beth El, Detroit, Michigan, Records of Burials, 1871-1913
- Congregation Temple Emanuel, Grand Rapids, Michigan, 1857-1946
- Congregation Temple Emanuel, Grand Rapids, Michigan, Cemetery Records, 1857-1946
- Congregation Temple Emanuel, Grand Rapids, Michigan, Treasurer's Book, 1874-1939
- Congregation Emanu-El, Spokane, Washington, Vols. I-II, 1890-1930

MINUTE BOOKS OF CLUBS, EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS, HEBRA KADDISHAS, HOMES, LODGES, AND SISTERHOODS

- Congregation Beth Medrash Hagodol Cemetery Association, Denver, Colorado, 1904-1921
- B'nai B'rith Lodge, No. 293, I.O.B.B., Trinidad, Colorado, Vols. I-II, 1886-1897, *Manuscript*
- B'nai B'rith Lodge, No. 293, I.O.B.B., Trinidad, Colorado, Ledger, 1901-1910, *Manuscript*
- Hebrew Ladies Aid Society, Trinidad, Colorado, Vols. I-II, 1881-1933, *Manuscript*

Documents and letters in the Acquisitions List which are to be published in a forthcoming volume by the American Jewish Archives will be restricted until the volume appears.

The acquisitions listed in the present issue represent but a part of the material that has been received by the American Jewish Archives. We ask the forgiveness of our friends if the documents which they presented are not included here.

- Congregation Temple Israel Ladies Auxiliary, Gary, Indiana, 1911-1930
 Temple Israel Sisterhood, Gary, Indiana, 1931-1940
 Congregation Adath Israel, Brotherhood, Louisville, Kentucky, 1912-1916
 Congregation Adath Israel, Sunday School, Louisville, Kentucky, Vols. I-II, 1854-1892
 Congregation Adath Israel, United Hebrew Relief Association, Louisville, Kentucky, 1884-1891
 Ladies Aid Society, Grand Rapids, Michigan, 1912-1926
 Ladies Hebrew Benevolent Society, Grand Rapids, Michigan, 1890-1913
 Men's Club, Grand Rapids, Michigan, 1944-1947
 Temple Emanuel Sisterhood, Grand Rapids, Michigan, 1925-1951
 B'nai B'rith Lodge, No. 336, I.O.B.B., Albuquerque, New Mexico, Correspondence, 1883-1898
 Jerusalem Lodge, No. 6, I.O.B.B., and Osterman Lodge, No. 6, I.O.B.B., Cincinnati, Ohio, Vols. I-II, 1850-1904, *Manuscript*
 Jerusalem Lodge, No. 6, I.O.B.B., and Mt. Carmel Lodge, No. 20, I.O.B.B., Cincinnati, Ohio, Vols. I-II, 1850-1906, *German, Manuscript*
 Ladies Hebrew Benevolent Society, Victoria, Texas, 1876-1901, *Manuscript*

LETTERS AND PAPERS

ALEXANDER, MOSES; *Letter*, 1914, *Boise, Idaho; Manuscript*

The Governor of Idaho wishes Fannie Czamanski, the addressee, a Happy New Year.

(Gift of the Hebrew Union College Library, Cincinnati, Ohio.)

AMSTERDAM JEWISH COMMUNITY; *Petition*, 1655, *Amsterdam, Holland, Dutch; Photostat*

A petition to the Directors of the West India Company in behalf of twenty-three Brazilian Jewish refugees, who had just arrived in New Amsterdam and had lost their possessions, that they be granted the right to reside and conduct business in New Amsterdam, together with other inhabitants. "It is well known . . . that the Jewish nation in Brazil have at all times been faithful and have striven to guard and maintain that place, risking for that purpose their treasure and their blood."

(Copy from the Historical Society of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, Pa.)

BELMONT, AUGUST; *Four letters*, 1861, *Newport, R. I.; Schlagenbad, Germany; New York, N. Y.; Nice, France; Photostats*

In these letters, addressed to Salmon P. Chase, the influential New York banker and politician, August Belmont, reports to the Secretary of the Treasury on his

mission to Europe to secure a loan in order to finance the Union. He describes his conversations with Lord Henry John Palmerston, the political situation in England and France, the economic source of the enmity to the Northern cause, the troubles caused by the sensational press, the negative aspect of a foreign loan, the deplorable effect in England of the capture of the Rebel commissioners on the English mail steamer, and the possibility of gaining the friendship of the English.

(Copies from the Historical Society of Pennsylvania.)

BEN-GURION, DAVID; *Letters and papers*; 1940-1942, *New York, N. Y.; San Francisco, Calif.; Washington, D. C.; English and Hebrew; Photostats*

A verbatim account of David Ben-Gurion's remarks at a National Board meeting of Hadassah in New York, 1940; reports on Jewish war efforts, and on a proposal for a Jewish army, 1941; excerpts from an address by David Ben-Gurion at a press conference in New York, 1942.

(Copies from the American Zionist Council, New York, N. Y.)

BEN-GURION, DAVID; *Letter*, 1954, *S'deh Boker, Israel; Manuscript*

David Ben-Gurion asks Nelson Glueck, to whom the letter is addressed, to return

to Israel, and to continue his archaeological work.

(Gift of Dr. Nelson Glueck, Cincinnati, Ohio.)

COHEN, FREDERICK E.; *Letter*, 1850, *Detroit, Michigan*; *Typed copy*

To Andrew Warner on the value of his paintings, and on the habit of the American Art Union of "rejecting paintings no matter how much merit they may possess."

(Gift of E. Maurice Bloch, New York, N. Y.)

DALSIMER, LEON; *Two letters*, 1901, *Philadelphia, Pa.*; *Manuscripts*

Leon Dalsimer discusses with Rabbi William Rosenau the "English Religious Service Movement," and a plan for organizing a "National Hebrew College."

(Gift of Dr. Isaac M. Fein, Baltimore, Md.)

DAVID, MOSES; *Three letters*, 1808-1812, *Sandwich, Michigan Territory*; *Photostats*

To James Henry on business matters.

(Copies from the Sibley Papers, the Burton Historical Society, Detroit Public Library.)

DICKSON, HENRY, AND OTHERS; *Letter*, 1831, *no place*; *Photostat*

The "Union and States Rights Party" invites Marks Lazarus to participate in a dinner on the Fourth of July.

(Copy from the National Archives, Washington, D. C.)

EDGEWORTH, MARIA; *Thirty-seven letters*, 1816-1838, *Edgeworthstown, England*; *Warrenton, N. C.*; *Typed copies*

Correspondence between Maria Edgeworth and Rachel Mordecai on personal matters. Included are some explanatory notes by Miss Ruth F. Butler.

(Gift of Miss Ruth F. Butler, Beechwood Birdlip, Gloucester, England.)

EZEKIEL, JACOB; *Letter*, 1879, *Cincinnati, Ohio*; *Manuscript*

To Isaac Mayer Wise, on behalf of the Board of Governors of the Hebrew Union College, of Cincinnati, Ohio, con-

gratulating him on his twenty-fifth anniversary as rabbi of K. K. Bene Jeshurun.

(Gift of the Hebrew Union College, Cincinnati, Ohio.)

GRATZ, HYMAN; *Three letters*, 1846-1848, *Philadelphia, Pa.*; *Manuscripts*

Hyman Gratz, founder of Gratz College in Philadelphia, writes to Henry J. Williams on business matters.

(Purchased from the Autograph Dealer, La Marque, Tex.)

GRUND, FRANCIS J.; *Letter*, 1841, *Bremen, Germany*; *Photostat*

Francis J. Grund, newly appointed consul to the free city of Bremen, Germany, reports to the Secretary of State, Daniel Webster, on "the state of trade carried on in this city with the United States of America." He is afraid that the treaty concluded between the United States and the Hanseatic cities in 1827 "has proved most disastrous to the American shipping." America's entire trade with the nations of the Baltic Sea suffers greatly, since it is not possible for American shipowners to compete with the low rates of the Hanseatic merchants.

(Copy from the National Archives.)

HART, NAPHTALI, JR.; *Petition*, 1766, *Newport, R. I.*; *Manuscript*

In this petition to the General Assembly of Rhode Island, Naphtali Hart, Jr., requests "a day in court" to settle a business litigation.

(Purchased.)

HEUSTIS, RACHEL LYONS; *Collection*; 1859-1865, *English and French*; *Photostats*

This collection contains letters from James Fountain Heustis to his wife Rachel; from Augusta Evans to Rachel Lyons Heustis; poems, written by Henry Timrod, addressed to Rachel Lyons; also, some biographical material, and miscellaneous correspondence.

(Copies from the University of North Carolina Library, the Southern Historical Collection, Chapel Hill, N. C.)

HIRSCH, EMIL G.; *Letter*, 1877, *Baltimore, Md.*; *Manuscript*

Rabbi Hirsch assures his Har Sinai Congregation that he will remain in Baltimore if he receives a better salary, despite the fact that he has received a call from Adath Israel Congregation of Louisville, Ky., with a three-year contract.

(Gift of Dr. Isaac M. Fein, Baltimore, Md.)

JOSEPH, S. J.; *Letter*, 1842, *New York, N. Y.*; *Photostat*

S. J. Joseph complains that Senator William Woodbridge, to whom the letter is addressed, has unjustly accused the Joseph brothers of certain business tactics in a speech delivered by him in the Senate. Joseph wants to "correct this error of fact," stating that they (the Josephs) were "at least not stricken with the Western land mania."

(Copy from the Williams Papers, the Burton Historical Collection, Detroit Public Library.)

LAUPHEIMER, ELIAS AND HENRY; *Four letters*, 1881-1884, *Muskogee, Indian Territory*; *Washington, D. C.*; *Photostats*

The correspondence of the Laupheimer brothers with the "Principal Chief of the Creek Nation," Indian Territory, and with the Department of the Interior, Indian Affairs, Washington, D. C., relating to their trade in the Indian Territory.

(Copies from the Indian Archives Division, the Oklahoma Historical Society, Oklahoma City, Okla.)

LAWE, JOHN; *Two letters*, 1823-1827, *Green Bay, Wisconsin*; *Photostats*

John Lawe sends Senator William Woodbridge, in the name of the inhabitants of Green Bay, a memorial concerning a treaty in favor of the Stockbridge Indians. "If the treaty was confirmed it would be the ruin of this part of the country."

(Copies from the Woodbridge Papers, the Burton Historical Collection, Detroit Public Library.)

LEWIS, SAMUEL A.; *Letter*, 1864, *New York, N. Y.*; *Photostat*

Samuel A. Lewis warns Abraham Lin-

coln, the addressee, against Jewish committees soliciting funds.

(Copy from the Library of Congress. Gift of Rabbi Bertram W. Korn, Philadelphia.)

LILIENTHAL, MAX; *Letter*, 1858, *Cincinnati, Ohio*; *Typed copy*

Rabbi Max Lilienthal sends George Bancroft a little volume of German poems, "the first original ones, ever published in the United States. The first part treats of subjects familiar, as well as dear, to every American heart, and tries to inspire the German immigrant with that love for our country and its glorious institutions, and that reverence for its greatness, that distinguishes our native fellow-citizens."

(Gift of Dr. Joshua Bloch, the New York Public Library, New York, N. Y.)

LOPEZ, JOSEPH; *Petition*, 1783, *no place*; *Photostat*

To the General Assembly of Rhode Island. The petition is signed also by Jacob Rodriguez Rivera and Sara Lopez.

(Copy from the Rhode Island State Archives, Providence, R. I.)

LOWENSTEIN, WILLIAM; *Letter*, 1862, *Richmond, Va.*; *Manuscript*

This letter, addressed to Dora Wassermann, was written during the siege of Richmond.

(Gift of Mrs. Robert D. Stecker, Dallas, Tex.)

LOWER, ABRAHAM, JR.; *Letter*, 1863, *Philadelphia, Pa.*; *Photostat*

To Abraham Lincoln, relating to Jews captured by Union soldiers: "At the Point of Rocks I entrapped the spy Dobson now confined in the Capitol prison, also three Jews with a large amount of money and jewelry."

(Copy from the Library of Congress.)

MAGNES, JUDAH L.; *Letter*, 1948, *New York, N. Y.*; *Typed copy*

To Mrs. S. J. Rosensohn, president of Hadassah, concerning the University Hospital in Jerusalem. This was the last letter which Dr. Judah L. Magnes wrote, typed himself, and signed before his death.

(Gift of Dr. E. M. Bluestone, Montefiore Hospital, New York, N. Y.)

MARSHALL, LOUIS; *Collection (Supplement); Correspondence, posthumous biographical matter, Vols. I-XIV, New York, N. Y., 1891-1930; Manuscripts*

This correspondence deals with the American Bar Association, 1926-1927; the American Jewish Committee, 1915-1920; the American Jewish Relief Committee, 1914-1916; the Council of the Y.M.H.A., 1914-1918; the Federation for the Support of Jewish Philanthropic Societies, of New York, 1917; the HIAS, 1917; the Hebrew University in Jerusalem, 1923-1928; the Immigration Commission of the State of New York, 1907-1912; the Jewish Welfare Board, 1917-1922; the Kehillah of New York City, 1908-1920; the Palestine Economic Corporation, 1920-1929; the Palestine Jewish Homeland, 1891-1929; and the Roumanian question, 1916-1919. The collection also includes biographical material relating to Louis Marshall, 1899-1923; letters concerning the distribution of Kaufmann Kohler's and Solomon Schechter's books on Jewish theology, 1923; and Marshall's last illness and death.

(Gift of James Marshall, New York, N. Y.)

MASHBURNE, E. B.; *Letter, 1863, no place (probably Washington, D. C.); Photostat*

E. B. Mashburne, a congressman, writes to Abraham Lincoln approving General Ulysses S. Grant's order against the Jews.

(Copy from the Library of Congress.)

MAY, JAMES; *Two letters, 1805-1806, Detroit, Michigan Territory; Photostats*

To Moses David, discussing business matters.

(Copies from the Sibley Papers, the Burton Historical Collection, Detroit Public Library.)

MONTEFIORE, MOSES; *Letter, 1848, London, England; Manuscript*

To H. Rosenbaum, president of the Glasgow Jewish congregation, concerning marriage and death certificates.

(Gift of Harry L. Rosenbaum, Roanoke, Va.)

MYERS, GUSTAVUS A.; *Memorandum, 1865, Richmond, Va.; Photostat*

In this memorandum (no addressee), Gustavus A. Myers, a prominent Jewish lawyer of Richmond, Va., tells of a meeting with Abraham Lincoln when the President visited Richmond. At this meeting political questions were discussed, and especially the matter of an enforced oath of allegiance to the United States of America. "I confirmed the President that the conciliatory course pursued by the Federal forces since their arrival in Richmond had had a powerful effect in allaying apprehension and producing kindly feelings on the part of the citizens, and expressed the opinion that the adoption of any other course on the part of the Federal authorities would be productive of irritation and conducive to no good result."

(Copy from the Virginia Historical Society, Richmond, Va.)

NOAH, MORDECAI MANUEL; *Two letters, 1824, New York, N. Y.; Photostats*

Mordecai Manuel Noah complains to Azariah Cutting Flagg, a representative of the New York Assembly in Albany, and a newspaper editor, about the bad condition of his own newspaper, *The National Advocate*. "We are so oppressed by every other paper in the city, every party seems to combine against us, that unless our Democratic friends in the Legislature by an act of justice and liberality sustain us we shall not be able to sustain ourselves after all my toils and labours."

(Copies from the New York Public Library, Mordecai M. Noah Miscellaneous.)

NOAH, MORDECAI MANUEL; *Two letters, 1836-1839, New York, N. Y.; Photostats*

To Henry M. Phillips on legal matters.

(Copies from the New York Public Library, Mordecai M. Noah Miscellaneous.)

NONES, HENRY BEAUCHAMP; *Letter, 1849, no place; Manuscript*

Henry Beauchamp Nones, who became Lieutenant Commander of the Atlantic Fleet during the Civil War, reports, in this letter to the "Collector of Philadelphia," on the sickness of a seaman. The letter is signed for Nones by Henry Wilkinson.

(Purchased.)

PATERSON COLLECTION; *Correspondence*, 1864-1913, *Atlanta, Ga.*; *Baltimore, Md.*; *Mobile, Ala.*; *New Orleans, La.*; *New York, N. Y.*; *Photostats*

Correspondence between members of the Cohen, Hart, Lazarus, Levy, Luria, Lyons, and Mordecai families. The collection includes also biographical and genealogical data concerning these families.

(Gift of Mrs. W. B. Paterson, Mobile, Ala.)

PHILIPSON, DAVID; *Correspondence*, 1918; *Manuscripts*; *Restricted*

Correspondence of David Philipson with Cyrus Adler, Henry Berkowitz, Isaac W. Bernheim, Benjamin N. Cardozo, Henry Cohen, Simon Fleischmann, Leo M. Franklin, J. Walter Freiberg, Ephraim Frisch, Kaufmann Kohler, Max J. Kohler, Alfred Mack, Louis Marshall, Henry Morgenthau, Adolph S. Ochs, William Rosenau, Jacob H. Schiff, Max Senior, Oscar S. Straus, Mayer Sulzberger, Simon Wolf, Louis Wolsey, and others, on the "League of American Jews" (against Zionism).

(Gift of the late Dr. David Philipson, Cincinnati, Ohio.)

SALOMON, HAYM M.; *Letter*, 1827, *New York, N. Y.*; *Photostat*

This interesting letter, addressed to James Madison, contains a kind of short biography of Haym Salomon. "My father Haym Salomon was a native of Poland (a countryman and friend of Count Pulaski); he died in Philadelphia about the end of 1784, left no relations in the country, myself not quite a month old, a brother about 5 years old, a young widow entirely unacquainted with his affairs who, with my brother, also some time since departed this life." Haym M. Salomon

asks James Madison to give him some information about the financial situation of his father at the time of his death and about his debtors. "It has been reported to me that before my father left the city of New York [in] 1778 he had undertaken for congress or some of the generals the accomplishments of some important enterprise. That it was disc[overed] by the British General Clinton, he was committed for it, sentenced to military death from which he only escaped by the sacrifice of a large sum in gold, and arrived safely in Philadelphia a few days afterwards."

(Copy from the New York Public Library, Haym Salomon Miscellaneous.)

SALOMON, HAYM M.; *Seven letters*, 1839-1852, *Albany, N. Y.*; *New York, N. Y.*; *Washington, D. C.*; *Photostats*

To William Henry Seward on political matters, and in search of a government position. Included are two letters of recommendation written by Robert Brown and William H. Seward, in 1850.

(Copies from the Rush Rhees Library, the William Henry Seward Collection, Rochester, N. Y.)

SENIOR, MAX; *Papers*; 1888-1941, *Cincinnati, Ohio*; *Manuscripts*

Correspondence, 1888-1941; reports, 1907; passports, 1918; speech, 1938.

(Gift of Dr. James K. Senior, Chicago, Ill.)

SENER, ISAAC; *Letter*; 1791, *Newport, R. I.*; *Photostat*

Isaac Senter writes to Thomas Jefferson about the discovery of converting salt water into fresh water by Jacob Isaacks, of Newport, R. I.

(Copy from the Manuscripts Assistant, Colonial Williamsburg, Williamsburg, Va.)

SOLOMON, EZEKIEL; *Letter*, 1777, *Mackinac, Michigan Territory*; *Photostat*

To an unnamed person, whom Ezekiel Solomon addresses as "Sir," on business matters.

(Copy from the Williams Papers, the

Burton Historical Collection, Detroit Public Library).

SONDHEIMER, JOSEPH; *Papers; Seven items, 1881-1900, Muskogee, Indian Territory; Photostats*

Business correspondence of Joseph Sondheimer, "the last of the old fur traders in Indian territory," a prominent exporter at Muskogee and the old Creek agency, with Samuel Chicote, "Principal Chief Muskogee Nation," Okmulgee, Indian Territory, and with the Executive Department, Muskogee Nation, Indian Territory.

(Copies from the Indian Archives Division, the Oklahoma Historical Society, Oklahoma City, Okla.)

STEWART, ADAM D.; *Letter, 1819, Michilimackinac, Michigan Territory; Photostat*

Adam D. Stewart reports to John J. Deming that John Lawe "is the most influential person at Green Bay."

(Copy from the Woodbridge Papers, the Burton Historical Collection, Detroit Public Library.)

SZOLD, HENRIETTA; *Letter, 1904, New York, N. Y.; Manuscript*

A personal note to Rabbi Max Raisin.

(Gift of the Hebrew Union College Library, Cincinnati, Ohio.)

THOMAS, JAMES; *Letter, 1820, Washington, D. C.; Photostat*

To Eli Hart on business matters.

(Copy from the Woodbridge Papers, the Burton Historical Collection, Detroit Public Library.)

WISE, ADOLPHE; *Eighteen letters, 1864-1865, Harrisonburg, Va.; Typed copies*

Personal and family correspondence, mostly love letters, written by Adolphe Wise to his fiancée, Fanny Bowers, of Staunton, Va.

(Gift of Rabbi Joseph Freedman, then of Harrisonburg, Va.; now of Wheeling, W. Va.)

WISE, ISAAC MAYER; *Letter, 1849, Albany, N. Y.; Manuscript*

To Bertha Schwarz, requesting that her wedding be held in Albany so that he might be able to participate.

(Gift of the Hebrew Union College Library.)

WOODBIDGE, WILLIAM; *Letter, 1821, Detroit, Mich.; Photostat*

To John Hays, the Indian agent, on financial matters.

(Copy from the Woodbridge Papers, the Burton Historical Collection, Detroit Public Library.)

AUTOBIOGRAPHIES, BIOGRAPHIES, DIARIES, AND MEMOIRS

BARBE, LIZZIE J.; *Autobiography, 1934; Photostats*

Mrs. Lizzie J. Barbe vividly describes the life of her father, Marcus M. Spiegel, a colonel of the 120th Ohio Infantry in the Civil War. Colonel Spiegel was mortally wounded at Snaggy Point on the Red River, in Louisiana, in 1864.

The autobiography includes a history of the Hamlin family; a genealogy of the Greenbaum-Spiegel family, ca. 1719-1931; two memoranda to Mrs. Lizzie J. Barbe; and letters and papers relating to Colonel Spiegel's Civil War activities, 1862-1864.

(Gift of Mrs. Ernest Stein, Chicago, Ill.)

BARTLETT, WASHINGTON; *Memoirs, 1824-1873; Photostats*

Washington Bartlett, son of a Sephardic Jewess, was born in Augusta, Ga. He moved from Tallahassee, Florida, by ship around the Horn to California, in 1849. He describes vividly the economic and political conditions in California, and his attempts and failures in the newspaper business.

(Copies from the Bancroft Library, the University of California.)

BLANK, SOLOMON H.; "My Life as a Merchant," Vols. I-III, 1881-1942, Cincinnati, Ohio; *Manuscripts*

Solomon H. Blank (father of Dr. Sheldon H. Blank, of the Hebrew Union College - Jewish Institute of Religion, in Cincinnati) describes his youth in Germany, his emigration to America, his business experiences, his participation in local civic affairs, and his family life. Included is a letter written by Isaac Mayer Wise.

(Gift of Solomon H. Blank, Cincinnati, Ohio.)

CONE, HERMAN; *Short Biography, no date, no place; Typed copy*

Herman Cone came to the United States in 1846, at the age of seventeen. He started as a peddler in Richmond, Va., and became a wholesale grocer a few years later. His sons founded the first Cone Cotton Mill in Asheville, N. C., and the Proximity Manufacturing Company in Greensboro, N. C., in 1895.

(Gift of J. W. Cone, Greensboro, N.C.)

DE BEER, JACOB; *Memoirs, 1853-1951, no place (probably Albany, N. Y.); Photostats*

A description of the origin of the De Beer family in the 18th century; Jacob De Beer's schooling and life in Germany; his emigration to the United States some time after 1885; his beginnings in business, and his family life.

(Gift of Frederick S. De Beer, Albany, N. Y.)

FRANK, WILLIAM; *Translated Autobiography; Typed copy; Restricted*

William Frank describes his early beginnings as a peddler and storekeeper in Pennsylvania and Ohio. He finally achieved success as a dry goods merchant and glass manufacturer in Pittsburgh and became one of the founders of Rodef Shalom Congregation.

(Gift of Dr. Floyd S. Fierman, El Paso, Tex.)

GLAZER, SIMON; *Diary, 1909, 1922-1923, English and Hebrew; Manuscript*

The late Rabbi Simon Glazer discusses cases in Jewish law, marriage and divorce

settlements, problems of Kashruth, rabbinical duties, marriage problems, conversions, fascinating situations involving Halachah, and Zionist activity. The diary deals also with food concerns and arrangements for Hechshers, with factions in the community, with contracts and agreements, with his literary work, and with Jewish life in Montreal, Canada, and in New York.

(Gift of Mrs. B. Benedict Glazer, Detroit, Mich.)

HECHT, SIMEON; *Memoirs, 1824-1872, no place (probably Baltimore, Md.); Photostats; Restricted*

A description of Jewish life in Baltimore, Md., in the 19th century, particularly the Civil War years.

(Gift of Dr. Isaac M. Fein, Baltimore, Md.)

HIRSCH, AARON; *Excerpts from a Diary; Photostat*

After Aaron Hirsch left France he first settled in Louisiana, where he became a peddler in the rural districts. At the outbreak of the Civil War he was the proprietor of "the largest and best business in northern Arkansas." He describes his activities during the Civil War and his secret sympathy with the Federal government.

(Gift of Alvin D. Goldman, St. Louis, Mo., and Bernard Postal, New York, N. Y.)

HYAMS, HENRY M., SR.; *Memorandum, ca. 1766-1936, no place; Photostats*

From the original "Memorandum for my children of my Father's family and my Mother's family," written into the Bible by Lieutenant Governor Henry M. Hyams, Sr., of Louisiana, and recopied by Mrs. Judith Hyams Douglas for Clarence D. Sprigg, in 1936. Some notes are added by Judith Hyams Douglas relating to Judah P. Benjamin, and to Mary Todd Lincoln, a friend of the Hyams family.

(Gift of Mrs. Judith Hyams Douglas, Baton Rouge, La.)

KUHN, SAMUEL; *Biography, written by James K. Senior, no date, Chicago, Ill.; Manuscript*

The business activities of James K. Senior's grandfather, Samuel Kuhn. He left Germany and settled in Cincinnati in the 1850's, where he established himself in the clothing business. He later entered the banking business with Abraham Kuhn and Solomon Loeb, and subsequently he and his sons successfully conducted the Cincinnati bank of S. Kuhn and Sons.

(Gift of Dr. James K. Senior, Chicago, Ill.)

LYONS, JOSEPH; *Diary, 1833-1835, Savannah, Ga.; Photostat*

A brilliant and serious young man, destined to die in Paris in his twenty-fourth year, describes his graduation from South Carolina College in Charleston, and his life in Savannah, where he studied law and met many members of Jewish society, such as Penina Moise, "who is somewhat famous." In this diary, Joseph Lyons reflects on life and death, religion, philosophy, history, political matters, Judaism and Christianity, and on the Charleston congregation, "the most respectable congregation in America."

(Gift of Thomas J. Tobias, Charleston, S. C.)

MAYER, JACOB; *Biographical data, 1931, Baltimore, Md.; Chicago, Ill.; New York, N. Y.; English and German; Manuscripts*

Biographical data and an account of Rabbi Mayer's dismissal from Har Sinai Congregation, Baltimore, Md.

(Gift of Dr. Joshua Bloch.)

MORDECAI, ELLEN; *Memoirs; Photostats; Restricted*

These memoirs, entitled *Gleanings from Long Ago*, are divided into three major chapters. Chapter I, "Spring Farm," tells of Ellen Mordecai's early years spent on her grandparents' farm near Richmond, Va. The second chapter, "Boarding School in Warrenton," deals with her life in this institution, founded by her grandfather, Jacob Mordecai. Chapter III, "Letter to Antony Gerard van Schaik," her grandson,

describes her background in more detail. This letter was written in 1912, when Ellen Mordecai was ninety-three years old.

(Copy from the Library of Congress.)

MOSES, CLARA LOWENBURG (1865-1951); *"My Memories"; Photostats*

The writer's family, on the paternal side, originated in Hechingen, Hohenzollern, Germany. The family settled in Natchez, Miss., where its members were engaged in the cotton and grocery business. There is a lively description of the culture and manners of a well-to-do Jewish middle-class family; of the author's education; of her friends and acquaintances, Jewish and Christian; of her childhood romances; of her marriage to Abraham Moses in 1885; of his suicide four years later; and of her travels in America and Europe.

Throughout the narrative there are one or two anti-Semitic incidents, but these, as well as the Jewish question in general, are never discussed from any point of view except the most factual. The entire emphasis of the memoirs is on the social life of the family and its friends, their experiences as well as their personal affairs. During one of her trips to the European Continent, the author breaks off abruptly and without any reason, while she is describing her experiences in Spain.

(Gift of Mrs. Morris L. Ernst, New York, N. Y.)

PICARD, AUGUST; *Autobiography; Translated from the French; Photostats*

An interesting description of August Picard's childhood in Wintzenheim, Alsace-Lorraine; the death of his mother and his subsequent arrival in Paris. He relates his experiences in the French army and the reasons for leaving France and subsequently England. He arrived in New York in 1841, started a small business and married Fanny Levy. In 1848, Picard and a number of his fellow-Frenchmen formed a company of the New York Militia, known as the Lafayette Guard, which was later incorporated into the New York State Militia.

(Gift of Joseph Mendelssohn, Cincinnati, Ohio.)

REZNIKOFF, CHARLES; *"The Artistic Millinery Company": A Biography. ca. 1900-1940, New York, N. Y.; Photostats*

A history of the Reznikoff family, an interesting and moving description of the life and struggles of East European immigrants, of the needle-trade, and of Jewish life in New York. It includes a sketch of Charles Reznikoff's background and education.

(Gift of Charles Reznikoff, New York, N. Y.)

SARTORIUS, PHILIP; *Autobiography, 1831-1910; Typed copy*

Recollections of Philip Sartorius' childhood in Germersheim, Germany; of his father, a reader in the local Jewish congregation; his decision to emigrate to America; the voyage and his arrival in Vicksburg, Miss. The autobiography gives an interesting description of life in Vicksburg, with some emphasis on Jewish activity; social and political events, such as the Mexican War and the Civil War (he was wounded and nearly died during the Civil War), and of the changing economic conditions in Mississippi and Louisiana.

(Gift of Rabbi Samuel R. Shillman, Roanoke, Va.)

SCHOENTHAL, HENRY; *Short Biography, written by Hilda Schoenthal, 1952, Washington, D. C.; Typed copy*

Born in Hesse, Germany, in 1843, Henry Schoenthal attended the Jewish Seminary in Cassel, Germany, and became a teacher, hazan and shohet in Trendelenburg. He emigrated to the United States in 1866, because he disliked the political and economic conditions in Germany. He bought a small book and stationery store in Washington, Pa. It soon became a meeting place of some of the college professors, who frequently consulted him about Hebrew and German translations. He later moved to New York, affiliated with the Free Synagogue, and became a close friend of Rabbi Stephen S. Wisc.

(Gift of Miss Hilda Schoenthal and Rabbi Hugo B. Schiff, Washington, D. C.)

SELIGMAN, ISAAC; *Reminiscences, 1834-*

1925, edited by Ray Ginger, Harvard University; Typed copy

A description of the activities of an international financier, a friend of General Ulysses S. Grant, Abraham Lincoln, August Belmont, and the Rothschilds. Included are editorial notes, and letters, written by Isaac Seligman's son, Sir Charles Seligman, and by George S. Hellman.

(Gift of George S. Hellman, Monsey, N. Y.)

SIMMONDS, CARL HAUER; *Biography, 1824-1895; Photostat*

Carl Hauer Simmonds, a native of Saxe-Weimar, Germany, was "destined to a life of adventure and romance." At the age of twenty-one he sailed to the West Indies, and then went to Santa Marta, Colombia, where he developed the cultivation of anilines, tobacco, and dyed woods. He became the principal factor in the establishment of steamship navigation in the channels of Santa Marta. A clever, honest, and generous man, he rose to a position of influence and became prominent in politics. As a result of political upheavals, business reverses began to set in, and he lost his fortune. Heavily in debt, he moved to Cali, Colombia, where he soon created a flourishing export business and became president of the Banco del Cauca. In 1895 he was murdered by an American.

(Gift of Mrs. H. B. Weiss, Cincinnati, Ohio.)

TELLER, CHESTER JACOB; *"I Am a Father." An American Memoir in War-Time, 1943; Manuscript*

An unpublished manuscript dealing with the experiences and thoughts of Jewish community workers; also meditations on family life.

(Gift of Mrs. Chester Jacob Teller, Point Pleasant, Pa.)

WILE, HERMAN; *Autobiographical and biographical material, 1864-1953, Buffalo, N. Y.; Manuscripts; Restricted*

A native of Baden, Germany, Herman Wile describes his childhood and educa-

tion, his emigration to the United States in 1881, and his business experiences in Buffalo, where he owned a men's clothing factory; his family life and various trips to Europe; his strong religious feelings;

his activities as president of Temple Beth Zion and as the founder of the Jewish Bureau of Education; and his friendship with Orthodox and Reform rabbis.

(Gift of Herman Wile, Buffalo, N. Y.)

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ABRAHAM, CHAPMAN; *Deed*, 1776, *Detroit, Michigan Territory*; *Photostat*

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AMRAM (AMARAM), W. D.; *Service record*, 1860-1864; *Photostat*

(Copy from the Department of the Army, Office of the Adjutant General, Washington, D. C.)

BENJAMIN, JACOB; *Military papers*, 1857-1858, *Kansas*; *Photostats*

(Copies from the Kansas State Historical Society, Topeka, Kans.)

BRYLASKI, MICHAEL; *Service record*, 1861-1865; *Photostat*

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COHEN, ISAAC; *Sales and receipts*, 1817, *Savannah, Ga.*; *Manuscripts*

(Purchased from the Autograph Dealer, La Marque, Tex.)

FRANKS, DAVID; BENJAMIN LEVY; AND MICHAEL LEVY; *Letters of Administration*, 1754, *Register of Wills, Philadelphia, Pa.*; *Photostats*

Executors of the will of Nathan Levy. Included is an inventory of the household goods of Nathan Levy.

(Gift of Maxwell Whitman, Philadelphia, Pa.)

FRANKS, JACOB; *Certificate*, 1802, *Mackinac, Michigan Territory*; *Photostat*

(Copy from the Williams Papers, the Burton Historical Collection, Detroit Public Library.)

GRATZ, BARNARD; *Deed*, 1776, *Philadelphia, Pa.*; *Photostat*

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GRATZ, BARNARD; *Order of payment*, 1792, *Philadelphia, Pa.*; *Photostat*

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GRATZ, MICHAEL; *Deed*, 1801, *Philadelphia, Pa.*; *Photostat*

To Simon and Hyman Gratz.

(Copy from the Sibley Papers, the Burton Historical Collection, Detroit Public Library.)

LAZARUS, MARKS; *Two affidavits*, 1832-1833, *Charleston, S. C.*; *Photostats*

"In order to obtain the benefit of the act of Congress passed 7th June 1832" Marks Lazarus declared that he was a native of Charleston, S. C., seventy-five years of age, and was almost always in service during the Revolutionary War, "suffering with the comrades the usual privations and hardships incident to the life of a soldier." He served at the siege of Charleston as a sergeant major, and later he was captured, remaining a prisoner until the end of the war. Included are several statements confirming his affidavits.

(Copies from the National Archives.)

LAZARUS, RACHEL; *Affidavit*, 1838, *Charleston, S. C.*; *Photostats*

A statement by Rachel Lazarus to the effect that she is the widow of Marks Lazarus and entitled to the "benefit of the 3. section of the act of Congress of the 4th July 1836." Included are five certificates (July 16 and 23, 1838) confirming Rachel Lazarus' declaration, and signed, among others, by Sarah Cardozo,

Judith Abrahams, and the trustees of the Charleston Hebrew Congregation.

(Copies from the National Archives.)

LOPEZ, ISAAC; *Affidavit*, 1818, *New York, N. Y.*; *Photostat*

Isaac Lopez declares that "some time in the summer of 1777 he enlisted as a soldier in [the] Company commanded by Captain Broderick and in the fifth Regiment of the New Jersey line of the army of the United States commanded by Colonel Spencer to serve for three years." He is "now far advanced in years unable to do much work and in indigent circumstances." Included are: a sworn statement of Samuel Decker (1818) confirming Lopez' affidavit, and declaring that Isaac Lopez participated in the battle of Brandywine and Germantown; a certificate of R. Riker, recorder of the city of New York (1818), that Lopez is "justly entitled to the benefit of the act of Congress of the United States entitled 'An act to provide for certain persons engaged in the land and naval service of the United States in the revolutionary war'"; and a certificate of Peter Augustus Jay, recorder of the city of New York in 1819, that Lopez needs the assistance of his country.

(Copies from the National Archives.)

NONES, BENJAMIN; *Deed*, 1786, *Philadelphia, Pa.*; *Photostat*

"A certain tract of land called 'Bayonne'

situate in the North West Side of the River Ohio in the County of Westmoreland" is granted to Benjamin Nones.

(Copy from the Emmet Collection, the New York Public Library.)

SALOMON, HAYM; *Two certificates*, 1782, *Philadelphia, Pa.*; *Photostats*

(Copies from the Meredith-Webb Papers, the New York Public Library.)

SALOMON, HAYM; *ca.* 1784, *Philadelphia, Pa.*; *Typed copy of an unrecorded broadside* Representing J. Jacob Abraham of Poland in his legal obligations.

(Gift of Maxwell Whiteman, Philadelphia, Pa.)

SCHOENTHAL, HENRY (HEINEMANN); *Six Documents*, 1863-1866, *Cassel, Germany, German*; *Manuscripts*

(Gift of Miss Hilda Schoenthal and Rabbi Hugo B. Schiff, Washington, D. C.)

WISE, ISAAC M.; *Sworn statement*, 1897, *Cincinnati, Ohio*; *Manuscript*

Concerning the marriage of Meyer Oettinger and Bertha Morgenthau.

(Gift of the Hebrew Union College.)

WOTIK, EMANUEL; *Service record*, 1856-1864; *Typed copy*

(Copy from the Department of the Army, Office of the Adjutant General, Washington, D. C.)

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ELZAS PAPERS; *Statistical and biographical notes on the Jews of Curaçao; on the Carvalho, Cohen, Hart, Nunes, and Pinto families*, 1696-1932; *Photostats*

(Copies from the Elzas Collection, the New York Historical Society.)

EZERIEL, JACOB; *Papers and correspondence relating to the Old Jewish Burying Ground, Franklin Street, Richmond, Va.*, 1791-1917; *Photostats*

(Gift of G. F. Ezekiel, Richmond, Va.)

GEORGIA JEWRY; *List of names*, 1775-1925; *Typed copies*

(Copies from the State Department of Archives and History, Atlanta, Ga.)

LINCOLN, ILLINOIS; *Jewish Cemetery Tombstone Inscriptions*, 1804-1953; *Typed copies* (Gift of Rabbi Leo E. Turitz, Decatur, Ill.)

KANSAS, STATE OF; *Circumcision Record Book*, 1884-1916; *Manuscript*

(Gift of Rabbi Jerome Rosen, Leavenworth, Kans.)

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etery, near Chatham Square, on New Bowery, New York; Photostats

(Copies from the Elzas Papers, the New York Historical Society.)

NEW YORK, N. Y.; *Green Street Synagogue; Marriage Record Stub Book*, 1866-1868; Photostats

(Copies from the Burton Historical

Collection, Detroit Public Library.)

TOBIAS FAMILY; *Records of Births, Marriages, and Deaths*, 1770-1928; *Typed Photostats*

From the Tobias family Bible.

(Copies from the Elzas Papers, the New York Historical Society.)

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JEWISH PARTICIPATION IN AMERICAN COMMUNITY LIFE, by John P. Dean, 1954, *New York, N. Y.*; *Typescript*

(Gift of John P. Dean, Cornell University, Ithaca, N. Y.)

HISTORICAL NOTES OF LOUISIANA, 1822-1860; *Photostats*

Memorandum concerning the first Jewish migration into North Louisiana.

(Copies from the Louisiana State Library, Baton Rouge, La.)

A STUDY OF AMERICAN JEWISH COMMUNITY BACKGROUNDS, A DESCRIPTION OF JEWISH ORGANIZATIONS AND THE JEWISH COMMUNITY COUNCIL IN COLUMBUS, OHIO, ca. 1830-ca. 1942, by Phillip Haskell Rabin, 1942; *Photostats*

(Gift of Phillip Haskell Rabin, Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio.)

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(Gift of Dropsie College, Philadelphia, Pa.)

MATERIAL ON TEXAS: GALVESTON CUSTOM HOUSE RECORDS, 1835-1846; MATERIAL ON THE TEXAN SANTA FE EXPEDITION, 1841-1844; *Microfilms; Restricted*

(Copies from the Rosenberg Library, Galveston, Tex.)

HISTORY OF THE ISAAC MAYER WISE FARM, by Isaac Mayer Wise, Jr., 1954, *Cincinnati, Ohio*; *Typescript*

(Gift of the late Isaac Mayer Wise, Jr., Cincinnati, Ohio.)

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BRAV, LOUIS; *Sermons*, 1924-1929, *Cincinnati, Ohio*; *Typescripts*

(Gift of Rabbi Stanley R. Brav, Cincinnati, Ohio.)

DALSIMER, LEON; *Address*, 1869, *Baltimore, Md.*; *Manuscript*

Remarks made at a meeting of a group organized to promote religious services in English and to revive interest in Judaism among the youth.

(Gift of Dr. Isaac M. Fein, Baltimore, Md.)

GOTTHELF, BERNHARD HENRY; *Thirty-*

three sermons, 1870-1878, *Vicksburg, Mississippi*; *Photostats*

(Gift of Anshe Chesed Congregation, Vicksburg, Miss.)

GUTHEIM, JAMES KOPPEL; *Sermons and prayers*, 1846-1873, *New Orleans, La.*; *Manuscripts*

(Gift of Temple Sinai Congregation, New Orleans, La.)

KAHN, BERNHARD; *Address*, 1930, *New York, N. Y.*; *Typescript; Restricted*

An address delivered by Dr. Bernhard Kahn, of Berlin, at the home of James

N. Rosenberg, of New York, giving a cross-section picture of the plight of the Jews in Eastern and Central Europe. It touches especially on the growth of anti-Semitism, and the possible effect of the spread of this movement on a world-wide scale.

(Gift of the Hebrew Union College Library.)

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(Gift of Louis Ginsberg, Petersburg, Va.)

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BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS; *Records: Case of Solomon Bibo and lease of Acoma Indian lands*, 1884-1885. *Letters relating to the Bibo family*, 1871-1880. *Documents relating to the Spiegelberg family*, 1870-1880; *Microfilms*

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On disabilities in early state constitutions; on Jewish disabilities; on the desire to acculturate "uncouth" Jews to American life; on anti-Semitism; and on a statement of Raphael J. Moses to his political opponent: "Would you honor me? Call me a Jew."

(Copy from the Elzas Papers, the New York Historical Society.)

COHEN, JACOB; *Report on Petition of Heirs of Jacob Cohen. House Reports, No. 233, 26th Congress, 1st Session, Vol. 1, March 5, 1840*; *Report on Petition of Representatives of Jacob Cohen. House Reports, No. 353, 35th Congress, 2nd Session, Vol. 1, January 25, 1859*; *Photostats*

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DAVID, MOSES; *Business papers*, 1794-1811, *Detroit and Sandwich, Michigan Territory*; *Photostats*

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FRANK, LEO M.; *Papers*; 1913-1953, *Marietta, Ga.*; *Tulsa, Okla.*; *Photostats and copies*

Relating to the famous Leo M. Frank trial.

(Gift of Samuel A. Boorstin, Tulsa, Okla.)

GRATZ, REBECCA; *Testimonial*, 1862, *Philadelphia, Pa.*; *Photostat*

"The Teachers And Pupils Of The Hebrew Sunday School To Their Beloved, Revered Superintendent: Miss Gratz on Her Birthday."

(Copy from the Gratz Papers, the Henry Joseph Collection.)

MORDECAI, JACOB; *Account Books*, 1828-1829, *Warrenton, N. C.*; *Photostats*

Used as scrapbooks for poems and reflections by one of his daughters, in 1839.

(Copies from the Virginia Historical Society.)

NATHANS AND HART; *Price Current*, 1752, *Halifax, Canada*; *Photostat*

According to Marie Tremaine, this is a rare and early Canadian imprint.

(Copy from the Massachusetts Historical Society. Gift of the Canadian Jewish Congress, Montreal, Canada.)

OKLAHOMA PIONEERS; *Abstracts from Interviews, no date, no place*; *Typed copies*

Interviews with various persons for the purpose of securing materials on the lives and activities of Jewish pioneers among the Indians, such as Julius Haas, one of Aroka's most important businessmen, who was a fur, hide, and snake root dealer; Ike Levy; Joseph Sondheimer; Samuel Sondheimer; Joseph Meyer; and others.

(Copies from the Indian Archives Division, the Oklahoma Historical Society, Oklahoma City, Okla.)

PHILIPSON FAMILY; *Biographical Data*; 1809-1844, *St. Louis, Mo.*; *Typed copies*

Relating to Amanda, Jacob, Joseph, Philip, and Simon Philipson, especially to their business activities, and to Joseph

Philipson's brewing firm. Included is an inventory of the personal estate of Joseph Philipson, containing 390 paintings, one ascribed to Titian, another to Paul Veronese, and two to Rembrandt.

(Copies from the Missouri Historical Society, St. Louis, Mo.)

PHILIPSON, SIMON; *Report*, 1805, Philadelphia, Pa.; *Photostat*

The report of the "Committee of Commerce and Manufactures" concerning a petition of Simon Philipson.

(Copy from the Library of Congress.)

SALOMON, HAYM M.; *Seven reports*, 1848-1864, Washington, D. C.; *Photostats*

1. Report on the claim of Haym M. Salomon. House Reports, No. 504, 30th Congress, 1st Session, 1848.
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3. Senate Reports, No. 177, 31st Congress, 1st Session, 1850.
4. Senate Reports, No. 353, 35th Congress, 2nd Session, 1859.

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The above reports and claims have frequently misled historians into believing that Haym Salomon actually financed the American Revolution.

(Copies from the Library of Congress.)

WEILER, MOSES CYRUS; *Papers*, 1952, Johannesburg, South Africa; *Manuscripts*

On the Reform Movement in South Africa, and especially regarding the dispute with the Port Elizabeth Orthodox Chevra Kaddisha over the burial of Mrs. Lily Richards, the wife of the Reverend I. Richards, who was the minister of the Port Elizabeth Jewish Reform Congregation.

(Gift of Rabbi Moses Cyrus Weiler, the South African Union for Progressive Judaism, Johannesburg, South Africa.)

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