

Requests for Specific Aid: Flegel, Hyman J.

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My dear Senator Mead:

In General O'Dwyer's absence from Washington, I wish to acknowledge receipt of your recent communication enclosing a letter addressed to you by Mr. Hyman J. Fliegel, of New York, concerning a relative of his who was found among the inmates of the German concentration camp at Buchenwald.

In accordance with your request, I am returning herewith the letter under reference, together with a copy of my letter of today to Mr. Fliegel.

Very truly yours,

Signed: Florence Model

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Assistant Executive Director

Honorable James H. Mead,

United States Senate.

Enclosures.

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Dear Mr. Fliegel:

Senator Mead has referred to me your letter of June 16, 1945, concerning your desire to communicate with Mr. Jacob Norach, a relative of yours who is reported to have been found at the German concentration camp of Buchenwald.

I regret very much that the War Refugee Board is not in a position to be of assistance to you in this problem. It is my understanding that, because of the very limited facilities available for communicating with certain liberated areas, the most satisfactory channel for messages of this nature is the Red Cross. Accordingly, I suggest that you ask your local Red Cross chapter to help you in your efforts to communicate with Mr. Norach.

Very truly yours,

[Signed] Florence Hodal

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Assistant Executive Director

Mr. Hyman J. Fliegel,
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United States Senate

Handwritten:
6/23/45
7.30 pm

Respectfully referred to
The Executive Director,
War Refugee Board,
Washington, D.C.

with thanks for such favorable consideration as
the communication herewith submitted warrants,
and for a report thereon, to accompany return
of inclosure.

By direction of

Handwritten signature: Cas. M. Neal
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June 16th, 1945.

Hon. James M. Mead,
United States Senate,
Washington, D. C.

My dear Senator:

As my senator I turn to you to help me in an unusual situation (I had the extreme pleasure of meeting you personally at one of the zionist meeting - I am a member of the Administrative Council of the Zionist Organization of America).

My cousin and a nephew of my dear cousin Morris Warshafsky of 5100 - 15th Avenue, Brooklyn, N.Y., one NORACH, JACOB (Yaakov) was found alive at the Buechenwald Concentration Camp. His name was recently listed as one found there, in the Yiddish press, and the memorandum stated that he was seeking said Morris Warshafsky of Brooklyn, N. Y.

We went to the World Jewish Congress and the Joint Distribution Committee and the Hias and in each case we were told that they could do nothing about the matter.

I am certain that through your good offices contact could be made with our said cousin or advise could be sent him that our family in New York is ready, able and anxiously willing to help this young lad of 21 who happens to be the only surviving European member of our family of 34. We will spare no expense to contact him and to reassure him that we are happy to help him.

Your humanitarian efforts have done a good deal for our Jewish people in the past and I know that you will assist us in this matter.

An early reply will be greatly appreciated.

Very respectfully yours,

/s/ Hyman J. Fliegel

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