

Requests for Specific Aid; FRANKMAN, MARY

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In reply please
refer to: 3081

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Dear Mrs. Frankman:

I have your letter of July 20, 1944, requesting the assistance of the War Refugee Board in bringing your brother and his wife from Italy to the United States.

I am sure you will understand that the task of the Board is so great that, of necessity, it cannot deal with problems limited to seeking out and rescuing specific individuals. We are, of course, doing everything in our power to rescue and save the victims of enemy persecution who are in imminent danger of death.

I am enclosing a list of private organizations which I am advised may be in a position to be of some help to you in this matter, and suggest that you refer your problem to any one of them.

Very truly yours,

(Signed) J. W. Pehle

J. W. Pehle
Executive Director

Mrs. Mary Frankman,
911 Simpson Street,
Bronx, New York.

Enclosure.

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War Refugee Board
Washington, D.C.

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Gentlemen,

May I respectfully solicit your kind assistance in bringing to this country my brother:

Oskar Goldman, aged 56, and his wife,
Isolde Goldman, aged 42

whose present address is:

Oskar Goldman & Isolde Goldman
Sp. Internees and Displaced Persons Sub Commission
I. & D. P. S. C. APO. 394 Bari
Corso Cavour 208, - Italy.

The above, having been barbarously treated and starved in Germany, sought refuge in Italy, where their condition did not improve, however. After having been in a concentration camp and suffered privations of the worst sort, there, their health has been undermined to such an extent, that I am afraid, that unless they are granted a refuge in this country, they may not survive long.

Allow me to add, that just before the outbreak of the present war, they had had most of the arrangements made for them, for their immigration into the United States, but the war has prevented their consummation.

The prospective immigrant, Oskar Goldman

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has a numerous family in the United States: three brothers & myself (a sister), all citizens of the U.S.A. and responsible persons, willing and ready to assist the prospective immigrants to the utmost ability, financially and otherwise, so that they may not become a burden to anyone. The father and mother of the internee, Oskar Goldman also were citizens of the U.S.A. (They are dead now, having died in New York.)

May I therefore, in view of the foregoing circumstances, solicit your assistance in bringing these two unfortunates to this country, for which please accept my heartfelt gratitude in advance, and may God bless you.

Yours very respectfully,

Mrs. Mary Frankman
911 Simpson St.
Bronx, N. Y.

(sister of the internee, Oskar Goldman)