

Requests for Specific Aid: KAUFMAN, JACOB

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MAR 23 1945

Dear Mr. Kaufman:

I have your letter of March 22, 1945, concerning your desire to bring your cousin to this country from France.

I am enclosing a list of private organizations which I understand are qualified to assist in problems of this nature. I suggest that you seek the assistance of any one of these agencies, which will be able to advise you concerning the procedure to be followed when facilities for immigration to the United States from France are available.

Very truly yours,

William O'Dwyer
Executive Director

Mr. Jacob Kaufman,
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Enclosure.

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1187 Anderson Ave.
Bronx, New York, N.Y.
March 22, 1945

The War Refugee Board
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sirs:

Can you tell me if it is possible to bring into this country a young refugee boy now living in France, and what must be done to accomplish this?

The lad in question is my cousin. He is of Polish origin, and was living with his parents in Paris at the time France fell. His parents were deported to a concentration camp, and have not been heard from since. There is very little hope that they are still alive, which leaves my parents and me as his closest living relatives, and the only ones in a position to extend him a helping hand. The boy, now about fourteen years old has been located in the village of Savaré, about one hundred miles from Paris, where he is living with a family that has been kind enough to take him in temporarily.

My parents and I, of course, will assume full financial responsibility for him. He would appreciate any assistance you can give us in directing our inquiries to the correct official channels.

Very truly yours,
Jacob Kaufman

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