

Requests for Specific Aid:

NOWEMIEJSKI, CHASKIEZ

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Dear Mr. Nowomiejski:

A copy of your letter of February 7, 1944, to Secretary Morgenthau, has been referred to this office. You have requested the assistance of the War Refugee Board in saving your wife and son in Poland from Nazi persecution.

I think that you will understand that the task of the Board is so great that, of necessity, it will have to confine itself to projects involving the relief or rescue of groups of persons and that it cannot deal with problems limited to seeking out and rescuing any specific individuals. I suggest that you may wish to refer your problem to a private organization. There is enclosed a list of some of the organizations which I am advised may be in a position to be of help to you.

Very truly yours,

(Signed) J. W. Pehle

J. W. Pehle
Acting Executive Director

Mr. Chaskiel Nowomiejski,
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New York 3, New York.

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February 7, 1944Mr. Henry Morgenthau, Jr.
Secretary, United States Treasury Department
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

I am a Polish citizen and arrived in this free and happy country in Juli 7, 1941. I came here as an immigrant with my son. I am 45 years of age and my son is 19. On November 27, 1941 I received my First Papers for citizenship and my son received his on November 18, 1942.

Since I have been in this country, I have participated in all the War Bond Drives. Of course, I haven't been able to contribute very much because of the short while that I am in this country, but I always try my best to help. For the present Fourth War Loan Drive, I am enclosing herewith applications for bonds and checks to cover them.

May I take the liberty, at this occasion, to appeal to you as a member of the recently established War Refugee Board. Though I succeeded in coming to this country with my older son, my wife and second son, aged 16, were left behind. I am sure you can realize how desperate and unhappy my plight is. I suffer constantly with the thought that my family is in Poland, suffering under the cruelties of Nazi oppression. I have always known that it was the policy of the United States to reunite families that have been torn asunder. Isn't there anything you can do to help me? Please help me in my greatest need.

I should be very grateful to receive a reply from you, and will be able to supply you with any additional information about my family that you may require.

Thanking you in advance for your cooperation, I am,

Respectfully yours

(Signature) Chas. Nowomiejski

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The list of applications and checks for bonds.

1)	1	bond	50.-	Mr. & Mrs. Leaf	1 check of Philip Leaf	dol.	37.50
2)	1	"	100.-	"	" Fishman,	" " R. Fishman	" 75.-
3)	1	"	100.-	"	" Gefter	" " David Gefter	" 75.-
4)	1	"	100.-	"	" Abramson	" " H. Abramson	" 75.-
5)	1	"	100.-	"	" Brand	" " Jack Brand	" 75.-
6)	1	"	100.-	"	" Dobshinsky	" " B. Wasser	" 75.-
7)	1	"	100.-	Miss Ruth Miriam Wasser			
8)	1	"	100.-	Esther Sara Wasser			
					1 check of B. Wasser	"	150.-
9)	2	"	100.-	Mrs. & Mr. Kron,	" " M. Coopersmith	"	150.-
10)	2	"	100.-	Nowomiejski	1 " " B. Wasser	"	150.-
11)	1	"	500.-	Mr. & Mrs. Silberstein			
					1 check of J. Silberstein	"	375.-
12)	1	"	500.-	"	" Berger, 1 " " Bernard Berger	"	375.-
13)	1	"	500.-	"	" Rosen 1 " " J. Rosen	"	375.-
14)	1	"	1.000.-	Messrs. I. Shalom & Co. Inc.	1 check		1.000.-

The bonds can be sent to Chas. Nowomiejski, 67 7th St. N.Y.3,N.Y.
or to the purchasers.