

Requests for Specific Aid: ROSENBAUM, JOAN (Mrs.)

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Dear Sir:

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter of September 9, 1944.

As part of its general program of assistance to the victims of enemy persecution, the Board has taken measures calculated to secure the release from Hungary of all persons holding Palestine immigration certificates. While these measures have not as yet met with overall success, primarily because of the refusal of German authorities to permit the voluntary emigration of Jews from territories under their control, the Board is nevertheless continuing its efforts.

While the Board cannot, for practical reasons, undertake the rescue of specific individuals, please be assured that the Board is doing, and will continue to do, everything within its power to protect the lives of victims of Nazi persecution in Hungary and elsewhere.

Very truly yours,

~~Wm. J. W. Pehle~~

J. W. Pehle,  
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September 9, 1944

War Refugee Board  
Washington D.C.

Attention: Mr. Pehle

Dear Mr. Pehle:

I just got an information from my relatives in Palestine that they have been able to get an immigration visa for my brother-in-law Mr. Gejza Kraus, his wife and his two children.

Mr. Kraus lived formerly in Nitra, Czechoslovakia, but escaped to Hungary and lives now in the small village of Cabaj. We have no exact address, but Cabaj is such a small place that he can easily be located, especially since he is active there as the village doctor.

I understand that the War Refugee Board maintains several agencies in Europe which make it their duty to help such refugees, who are provided with immigration visas, to get safely to Palestine. May I ask for your assistance in this special case?

Thanking you for assistance and hoping to hear from you at an early date, I remain,

Very truly yours,  
*Jona Rosenbaum*  
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