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May 11, 1937.

Re: Fritz Sohn.

Miss Merle Henoeh,  
1819 Broadway,  
New York City, N. Y.

Dear Miss Henoeh:-

We have been successful in securing quota numbers and visas from the American Consul in Juarez, Mexico. Cases have been sent to us from New York, Chicago and St. Louis. Our only fear at the present moment is that we have taken too much advantage of our American Consul.

Since this young man is in Houston, Laredo, Texas would be a more feasible Port for his application, but if he prefers he may come to El Paso with his documents and I will be glad to examine them. Should the papers meet with what I consider favorable for presentation, I will then instruct the young man about his entry into Mexico.

Yours very truly,

Mrs. Frank Zlabovsky,  
Field Executive.

FZ:LG

NATIONAL COUNCIL OF JEWISH WOMEN  
1819 BROADWAY, NEW YORK CITY

FROM: Merle Henoch

TO: Mrs. Frank Zlabovsky  
El Paso

DATE May 4, 1937

SUBJECT: Fritz Sohn

What experience have you had lately in dealing with the American Consul across the border. Have you any particular pull? I am interested in a case of Fritz Sohn, 22 years of age who seems to be a lad of considerable ability as he has been sent to this country by a large London concern to help them install some <sup>milling</sup> machinery and work for them. Of course this is off the record as far as Consuls are concerned. Fritz can get an affidavit from an aunt who is in very comfortable circumstances. In fact he can get a bank account showing that he has about \$5000. Naturally he is single, with no dependents and it would seem that he ought to get a visa without much difficulty. Where to send him is the question. The thought came to me maybe you could help us in El Paso. How about it?

*Failed to state that Fritz's position is  
in Houston Texas  
M.H.*