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Mr. H. Rosenfeld,
572 Alfred St.,
Detroit, Michigan.

Dear Sir:

In further reference to your request for birth record of ROSEN, Nochun Chaim Yudel, same has just been received and is enclosed herewith.

Yours truly,

MM/a
enc.
registered

M. Milsky
Secretary
October 8, 1938.

IMPORTANT:

Miss Cecelia Razovsky,
1819 Broadway,
New York City.

Re: Hyman Rosenfeld,
Mexico City, D.F.

Dear Miss Razovsky: (About 48 years of age)

Will you please assist me in securing character letters for the above mentioned Mr. Rosenfeld. Mr. Rosenfeld lived in New York City from 1903 to 1913, and would like a police certificate for that period. It appears that he attended the Baron De Hirsch School for Immigrant Children from 1904 to 1906. I would like a record of his school attendance after 1906 when he is supposed to have entered the public school system.

These documents are necessary to establish Mr. Rosenfeld's character during his stay in the United States, and would appreciate your usual prompt attention.

Thanking you, I am

Yours very truly,

Mrs. Frank Zlabovsky,

FZ:LG
El Paso, Texas, October 8, 1938.

Mr. Julius Rosenfeld,

572 Alfred Street,

Detroit, Michigan:

Dear Mr. Rosenfeld:

Your Son, Hyman Rosenfeld, of Mexico City, has asked me to assist him in securing visa for permanent entry into the United States. In order for me to do this, I must have your assistance in securing the following documents:

Will you please call on the Chief of Police and ask for a Police Certificate from the time of his entry into Detroit from 1914 to 1917. You may explain that this document is for the purpose of proving the good character of your son.

A record from the Ford Motor Company, where your son was employed, showing the time of his employment.

Also your Son's birth certificate will be required. If possible, send it in duplicate and have it translated into the English. (Your son made mention that he has already written you to send this document to me.)

All of the above papers will be needed for presentation to the American Consul.

At the time that your son filed an application with the American Consul in Mexico City, he made the statement that he is worth about $40,000 Pesos (about $8,000) Since he has liquidated his business and returned to the Texas-Mexican Border, I find that his finances have dwindled considerably, and would like to suggest that you help establish a favorable financial standing. Mr. Rosenfeld is very reluctant about asking any such assistance from his relatives, and this is wholly my suggestion. Would it be possible that you and your sons, who are now living in Detroit, would make an affidavit in the form of a letter, addressed to the American Consul in Mexico, that Hyman Rosenfeld has in the past six months sent
to you sum of money (you may use your own discretion as to amounts and dates) amounting to about $3,000 altogether, for you to invest for him. Please bear in mind that your son has some money, but I do not think it is sufficient to impress the American Consul. In times such as these, where thousands of emigrants are trying to enter the United States, the American Consul must be convinced as to the financial stability of the applicant. It is for this reason that I ask you to supplement his financial position in this manner.

With all the aforementioned documents, I feel we shall have no difficulty in getting favorable consideration from the American Consul, and immediately upon receipt of same, I shall present his case.

Thanking you for your co-operation, I am

Yours very truly,

Mrs. Frank Zlabeskay
1016 Olive Street
El Paso, Texas.
Dear Mrs. Zlabovsky:

My Father received your letter dated the 9th regarding my brother Hyman Rosenfeld.

We are taking care of the details as to contacting the police department and also the Ford Motor Co.

The matter regarding affidavits that Hyman sent $3000.00 here for investment we were advised against by our attorney because the question may arise wherein he may be asked to show receipts for money sent to us which of course he cannot produce; so under the circumstances we feel it would not be wise to do this. However if he needs additional funds to show to the counsel we may be able to raise $1000.00 in cash for that purpose.

If you feel that this is the better way; under the circumstances have him advise me and we will send him the money.

The birth certificate has been mailed care of your address a few days ago by registered mail and I presume you have same by this time.

Hoping to hear further regarding this matter; and thanking you for your interest I remain

Harry Rosenfeld

October 11th 1938.
October
12th
1938

Ford Motor Company
Personnel Department
3674 Schaefer Road
Dearborn, Michigan

Gentlemen:

My client, Hyman Rosenfeld, was employed at the Ford Motor Company during the years 1914 to 1917. Will you kindly send me a letter confirming such employment and setting forth the period of same?

We expect to forward your letter to the Department of State of the United States in connection with a matter which does not involve the Ford Motor Company either directly or indirectly.

Thanking you for your courtesy in this matter,

I am

Very truly yours,

jjb-t

Dear Mr. Zablonsky,

We arrived here Saturday morning. We came right through and didn't stop at Phoenix.

I hope you are feeling better and that everything is O.K.

My address is the following:
0300m Apartments
# 341 So. Alvarado
Los Angeles Cal.

Best regards to all from Fabry and myself. Greenfeld.
Mr. F. Zlabonsky
1016 Olive St
El Paso Tex.
Dear Mrs. Zelovzky,

I hope you are well and everything is O.K.

In case you have not received updates on the police certificates from Mexico and Durango and Detroit, and the letter from my brother about the investment, please let me know as I will write them again.

Thanking you for everything, I am—

Sincerely yours,

Regard(s) to Mr. & Mrs. Goldfarb.

H. Greenfeld
Los Angeles, Calif. 19th Oct., 1938
Ozmun Apartments
S. Alvarado 341

Mrs. H. Blatowsky
4016 Olive St. El Paso, Texas

Dear Madame:

Incidentally, I had the pleasure of meeting the Reverend Captain here in L.A. and referring to the people of El Paso he seems to know you spoke of you in high and praising terms, naturally my friend Mr. Rosenfeld and myself quite agreed with him. There was no opposition. Rev. Mr. Captain will be in El Paso within a week or so, we gave him your address. I suppose you won't resent that. I hope you are quite well and am sure you keep as busy as ever making every effort to do good to people. As far as I am concerned am just taking my bearings before taking possession of California.

Wishing you the very best.

I remain,

Sincerely yours,

L. Robinson

P.S. Kindest regards to all the friends.
October 22, 1938.

Mr. H. Rosenfeld,
Ozmun Apartments,
341 S. Alvarado St.,
Los Angeles, California.

Dear Mr. Rosenfeld:

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 10th inst., and regret to inform you that no papers have been received as yet from either Mexico or Detroit. I would suggest that you write them again urging them to hurry them along.

With kindest personal regards to both Mr. Robinson and yourself, I am

Yours very truly,

Mrs. Sol Goldfarb.
Secretary.

LG:5
October 23, 1938.

Mr. H. Rosenfeld,
30mm Apartments,
341 S. Alvarado St.,
Los Angeles, California.

Dear Mr. Rosenfeld:

I took the privilege of opening the enclosed letter and would not advise you to go to Mexico until I have all papers arranged for you. It is possible that I may secure the police certificate through the American Consul in Mexico City and make it unnecessary for you to take the trip.

While at the Consulate Saturday I requested the Vice-Consul to call for your application from Mexico City. Will notify you of any further developments.

With my kindest regards to Mr. Robinson and yourself, I am

Yours very truly,

MRS. FRANK ZLABOVSKY,
October 25th 1938.

Mrs. F. H. Zlabovsky,
1016 Olive St.,
El Paso, Tex.

Dear Mrs. Zlabovsky:

As per your previous request I am enclosing herewith a letter from the Detroit police department, also a letter written by me stating that my brother Hyman has deposited $2500.00 with me for investment, and a copy of a letter written to the Ford Motor Co. where he was employed from 1914 to 1917 together with their answer.

Hope you will be successful in your endeavor in securing a visa for my brother.

Thanking you for your efforts, I remain

Very truly yours,

Harry Rosenfeld

P.S. Please acknowledge receipt of this letter so I will know you received same.

Thank you.
Mrs. F. Zlabovsky
El Paso -

Dear Mrs. Zlabovsky,

Received your letter of Oct 23 including letter from Mexico about birth certificate -

If you have not yet received the letter about the investment from my family about the investment of 2500 dollars I think it would be admirable for you to write direct to my father requesting such a letter. I think you will get a prompt reply. I let them file the letter Nov. 15, 1937 when I which is about 10 days after I arrived to detroit where I stayed for about 3 months.

I certainly appreciate and am very thankful to you for all that you and done to bring this matter to a speedy and successful ending.

Kindest regards to Mr. and Mrs. Goldscharf and yourself from Mr. Robinson and myself.

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October 28, 1933.

Mr. M. Rosenfeld,
30004 Apartments,
341 S. Alvarado St.,
Los Angeles, California.

Dear Mr. Rosenfeld:

I wish to inform you that I have received the papers requested from Detroit. They were unable to secure any records from the Ford Company.

With reference to the Police Certificate from Mexico City, the matter was taken up with the American Consul in Juarez, Mexico, and he advises that you make every effort to secure said document. I think if you will write direct to the Chief of Police, they will send the certificate to you. I am having the birth certificate translated and photostatic copy made.

As soon as the police certificates from Mexico and New York are received, I will advise you further.

With kindest regards to Mr. Robinson and yourself;

I am

Yours very truly,

Mrs. Frank Zlabovsky.

FZ:LG
October 28, 1938.

Mr. Harry Rosenfeld,
2235 Woodward Avenue,
Detroit, Michigan.

Dear Mr. Rosenfeld:

As requested by you, I am now pleased to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 25th inst., with enclosures, and wish to thank you for same.

Immediately upon receipt of other documents from Mexico, I will be in position to present your brother's application.

Yours very truly,

Mrs. Frank Zlabovsky,
November 8, 1938.

Mr. H. Rosenfeld,
204 Sun Apartments,
341 S. Alvarado St.,
Los Angeles, California.

Dear Mr. Rosenfeld:

With reference to Policy Certificate from Durango, Mrs. Pinchuk advises me that she has received no mail for you to date.

In discussing your case further with the American Consul in Juarez, I think it would not be amiss to get an affidavit, and if it is agreeable with you, I will write to your folks with reference to that matter.

Please advise me immediately, and send all letters to 207 El Paso National Bank Bldg., to Mrs. Sol Goldfarb, as I am away from home so much and believe it would facilitate matters.

With kindest personal regards, I am

Yours very truly,

Mrs. Frank Zlabovský.
We are enclosing herewith copy of a reply from our New York Section. As soon as you send us additional information, we will try to obtain the police records.
NEW YORK SECTION
of the
NATIONAL COUNCIL OF JEWISH WOMEN
SERVICE FOR FOREIGN BORN

FROM........ AUGUSTA MAYERSON
TO ........ CECILIA RAZOVSKY

DATE......October 25, 193
SUBJECT...

HYMAN ROSENFELD

We are in receipt of a memo from you asking us to get police records and school records for Mr. Hyman Rosenfeld.

We cannot get police records for Mr. Rosenfeld without his fingerprints. It will be necessary for him to go to the police in Mexico City, have himself fingerprinted and request that they obtain the information from the New York Police Department. We have written to the school system for a record of Mr. Rosenfeld's schooling. We are not certain that we will have an adequate answer because we have very poor information regarding Mr. Rosenfeld from your memo. We do not know what years he attended school, what his address was at the time he went to school, or what his age was.

Will you please write to El Paso, Texas, and ask the Committee there to obtain this pertinent information because we are certain that the Board of Education will require it before they can give us specific information, especially since the name Hyman Rosenfeld is an extremely common one in New York.

Ella Courtlander AG
Mr. Blakemore

El Paso, Texas

Dear Mr. Blakemore,

I understand that you are in need of funds and have requested a loan of $25. I am writing to inform you that it is necessary to return the $25 to Mr. Johnson as soon as possible. Mr. Johnson has a balance due of $25, and I am unable to lend him the funds at this time.

Please let me know if there is any way I can assist you further.

Yours sincerely,

L.A. Mar 23, 1934
start to work on his case with much probability for success—He wrote me he had already written you and as soon as he will get your reply he will send you whatever you tell him. By return mail if you cannot write Spanish you may write him in English.

If there is anything you want me to explain to him I'll be glad to do so if you tell me what—

Hoping this will find you in best of health—and with best regards from [illegible] and myself to you and Mr. [illegible] and to Mr. and Mrs. [illegible].

I am very truly yours.

[illegible]

P.S. Mr. [illegible] is a very nice fellow. His reputation in business and otherwise is excellent. Anything you may be able to do for him—will be sincerely appreciated.

Have you received the police certificate from New York yet?

In New York we live on 27 Market St.
Nov. 10th 1938

Mrs. F. Zlabowsky
El Paso Tex

Dear Mrs. Zlabowsky,

Your letter of the 8th inst. just received - In reply I would say that if there is no other way out and you consider same necessary, then it is agreeable to me. So please write to my folks requesting them - either my father or brother or both to send you this affidavit.

With kindest regards from
Mr. Johnson and myself -

I am Very truly yours.

H. Greenfeld

P.S. I do not know how to obtain the police certificate from Durango - I wrote to the Police Commissioner and enclosed 2 pesos but I see nothing has arrived as yet.
November 14, 1938.

Mr. H. Rosenfeld,
20zmun Apartments.
341 S. Alvarado St.,
Los Angeles, California.

Dear Mr. Rosenfeld:

Acknowledging your letters of November 9th and 10th, I wish to state that an affidavit from your family will help, and I shall write to them.

About your investment in business I would suggest that a bank account would make a better showing at this time because an investment such as I imagine you are referring to, would not make such a good showing. The only business that would carry any weight would have to have the endorsement of an agency like Dun & Bradstreet, and naturally you will not have been in business long enough for such a report. The Police certificate from New York is being held up for lack of your finger prints. Please send them to me at once. You may take a photograph of your naturalization certificate from Mexico. I think the finger prints appear on that. If not, it will be necessary for you to go to a police station or immigration office where they will be glad to accommodate you.

We have written to Mr. Garalnek, but up to the present time have received no reply from him. I shall be glad to assist him.

With kindest regards from both Mrs. Goldfarb and myself to Mr. Robinson and yourself, I am

Yours very truly,

Mrs. Frank Zlabovsky.
Mrs. F. Zlaborsky.
El Paso Tex.

Dear Mrs. Zlaborsky,

I have just received from Durango my Police Certificate - which I am enclosing herewith.

Early this morning, I have sent you the fingerprints and as soon as I get the certificate from Mexico City, I will send it to you.

Kindest regards from

James Lyda
Goldfarb
November 28, 1938.

Re: Hyman Rosenfeld

Miss Cecelia Razovsky,
1819 Broadway,
New York City, N. Y.

Dear Miss Razovsky:

The enclosed document is self explanatory, and I would very much appreciate your getting the police certificate as quickly as possible.

Thanking you, I am

Yours very truly,

Mrs. Frank Zlabovsky,
Field Executive.
December 5, 1938.

Mr. Hyman Rosenfeld,
202rnmun Apts.,
341 S. Alvarado St.,
Los Angeles, California.

Dear Mr. Rosenfeld:

Your suggestion about the building transfer sounds good. I wish you would take care of that at once.

I am today writing to your folks in Detroit for an affidavit because I want to build up a strong case for you before presenting it to the Consul. As soon as the police certificate from Mexico City and New York reaches me, also the aforementioned documents I will want you to come to El Paso and present your case in person.

In discussing the case with the American Consul, in Juarez, he advised that it would be better for you to make your application before he writes to Mexico City for your record.

With kindest regards from both Mrs. Goldfarb and myself, I am

Yours very truly,

Mrs. Frank Zlabovsky,
December 5, 1938.

Mr. Harry Rosenfeld,
2235 Woodward Avenue,
Detroit, Michigan.

Dear Mr. Rosenfeld:

Replying to your letter of October 25th with enclosures, I wish to state that it will be necessary for you to certify the enclosed statement made by you. I would further suggest that you send affidavit of support in order to strengthen your brother's application which we hope to present to the American Consul within the next week or ten days. These applications of support are a mere formality and you can rest assured that your brother will not impose upon you. He has sufficient finances to take care of himself, but not quite strong enough to support his application.

I would appreciate your taking care of these matters at once, returning them to me via airmail.

Thanking you, I am

Yours very truly,

Mrs. Frank Zlabovsky,
Mr. F. Zlabovský
1016 Olive St.
El Paso, Tex.

Dear Mr. Zlabovský:

In accordance with your letter of Dec. 5th, I have executed the enclosed papers per your instructions, and I hope it will be the mean of obtaining favorable results.

Thanking you for your interest, I remain

Very truly yours,

Harry Rosenfeld
December 23, 1938.

Mr. Hyman Rosenfeld,
Zozmun Apartments,
341 S. Alvarado St.,
Los Angeles, California.

Dear Mr. Rosenfeld:

Mrs. Zlabovsky is eager to present your case immediately after Christmas - before the first, and she has asked me to write you to come as soon as possible.

Up to the present time we have not received the Police Certificate from Mexico City, and if you can secure it, please do so. We have all your other papers in order, and if you cannot get the certificate from Mexico City, believe it wise to present your case at this time without further delay.

Awaiting your arrival, and with kindest regards from both Mrs. Z. and myself to both yourself and Mr. Robinson, I am

Sincerely,
January 11, 1939.

Mr. Joseph Rosenfeld,
922 Chapman Building,
Los Angeles, California.

Dear Mr. Rosenfeld:

Your nephew, Hyman Rosenfeld, wishes to acknowledge receipt of documents sent in my care. The affidavit is incomplete because of the nature of the request made by the American Vice Consul in Juarez, Mexico, and I have taken the privilege of drawing up another affidavit which I will ask you at this time to sign before a Notary Public, also your son Daniel.

If you do not wish to release the last Tax Receipt, please have a photostat copy made of it and send it to your nephew care of my address at the earliest possible moment along with signed affidavit.

Thanking you for your immediate attention to these matters, and assuring you that I will do everything in my power to assist Hyman Rosenfeld in securing his visa, I am

Yours very truly,

Mrs. Frank Zlabovsky.

FZ:IG
(ENCS)
January 16, 1939.

Mr. Harry Rosenfeld,
2235 Woodward Avenue,
Detroit, Michigan.

Dear Mr. Rosenfeld:

Your brother Hyman presented his case before the American Vice-Consul in Juarez, Mexico, but said Consul refuses to accept the documentary evidence in this case. (I may here mention that he is a hard man to deal with at best).

Because of my determination to get this case through, I am going to ask you to do the following:

It is going to be necessary that you take the $2500, add to that interest at the rate of 6% and deposit it to the credit of Hyman Rosenfeld in one of your banks. Get a letter to that effect from the bank and bank book and send it to your brother with a letter to him explaining that the investment which you made for him has been paid and is now to his credit in the bank pending his arrival in the United States.

I hope you understand that all of this will be taken care of as soon as Hyman Rosenfeld receives his quota number.

Thanking you for your cooperation in this matter, I am

Yours very truly,

Mrs. Frank Zlabovsky,
Field Executive.

FZ:LG
February 2, 1939.

Mr. J. Rosenfeld,
922 Chapman Bldg.,
Los Angeles, California.

Dear Mr. Rosenfeld:

Replied to your letter of the 1st inst.,
I wish to advise that your nephew Hyman
Rosenfeld, has been very busy in Juarez,
Mexico the past few weeks.

He will leave for Chihuahua, Mexico, either
this coming Saturday or Sunday where his
case will be presented to the American Consul.
We experienced some difficulty in getting his
case accepted in Juarez Consulate, but am quite
confident that he will clear his case in Chihuahua
and receive a visa.

If you could contact some high powered Politician
or Congressman to write a letter to the American
Consul in Chihuahua, Mexico asking that Hyman
Rosenfeld's application be accepted, it may carry
weight because the Consuls are advised against
issuing visas and we use every influence imagineable
to bring our cases to a successful termination.
That letter will have to be sent Airmail.

I will advise your nephew about this letter as soon
as I can contact him.

Yours very truly,

Mrs. Frank Zlabovsky,
Field Executive.

FZ:LG
Dear Hymie:

Just received your wire and notified the bank to send the letter in your name care of American Consul at Chihuahua City Mexico by Air Mail.

I am enclosing herewith bank book together with letter showing a deposit for $2575.00. The letter explains the interest item of 75.00.

I am also enclosing three more bank cards which you are to sign with your signature same as you signed on the other cards which was (H. Rosenfeld) sign where the X is on cards and fill in the date of signing and be sure you make the year 1939, as some people in signing documents still through error use 1938.

These cards are on file with the bank and gives me a power of attorney to handle your account.

The reason for the delay until now was due as you probably know to money raising, so go right ahead with your plans and advise me by wire as soon as you get the visa.

Good luck and kind regards from everybody.

Your Brother,

Harry

Feb. 3rd 1939.
February 8, 1939.

Mr. Harry Rosenfeld,
2235 Woodward Avenue,
Detroit, Michigan.

Dear Mr. Rosenfeld:

I am happy to inform you that your brother Hyman Rosenfeld's application to the American Consul in Chihuahua, Mexico, has been favorably accepted by him, and a cable has been sent to Russia for quota number. As soon as same is received will advise you.

Also wish to inform you that the cards will be sent you next mail.

Yours very truly,

Mrs. Frank Zlabovsky,
1016 Olive St.
El Paso, Texas.
February 8, 1939.

Mr. Joseph Rosenfeld,
922 Chapman Bldg.,
Los Angeles, California.

Dear Mr. Rosenfeld:

I am just in receipt of the good news that your Nephew Hyman's application to the American Consul in Chihuahua, Mexico has been accepted, and a cable sent to Russia for his quota number, which I hope is available at this time.

As soon as further word is received, will let you hear.

Yours very truly,

Mrs. Frank Zlabovsky,
1016 Olive Street,
El Paso, Texas.
February 9, 1939.

Mrs. Frank Zlabovsky  
Field Executive  
National Council of Jewish Women  
1016 Olive Street  
El Paso, Texas  

Dear Mrs. Zlabovsky:

Your letter of some days ago and yours of February 8th received, and I sincerely appreciate your efforts in letting me know about my nephew, Hyman Rosenfeld.

I am surely glad to learn that his application to the American Consul in Chihuahua has been accepted and I hope there will be no further obstacles barring his entrance into the United States.

Again thanking you for your kindness, I remain

Yours very truly,

J. Rosenfeld

JR:S
2-11-39

Mrs. J. Glabovsksy
1016 Oliva St.
El Paso, Tex.

Dear Mrs. Glabovsksy:

Thank you very much for your letter of Feb 8th. Informing me that my brother Hyman has received favorable acceptance by the American Council of this application.

Your untiring work in this matter is very much appreciated.

Thanks again, and kind regards.

Yours very truly,

H. Rosenfeld
El Paso, Texas,
February 13, 1939.

Mr. Hyman Rosenfeld,
333 Calle Libertad,
Chihuahua, Chihuahua,
Mexico.

Dear Mr. Rosenfeld:

Mrs. Zlabovsky has asked me to answer your letter which arrived today.

It does seem that the Consul should have known that Riga is the Clearing House for all of Russia, and that the Cable should have been sent there instead of Moscow. As it is there is nothing you can do but wait until you get your number, but you should have been spared this delay.

Just as soon as you hear, please let us know at once, as we are eager for the good news.

With kindest regards from both Mrs. Z. & Myself, I am

Yours very truly,

Mrs. Sol Goldfarb.
The Police Department reports that "the prints submitted are not sufficient to make a proper search of our files. Mr. Rosenfeld can secure an official set of prints by applying to the Los Angeles police authorities."

The Board of Education informs us that they have no record on file in their office concerning Hyman Rosenfeld. They suggest that we contact the last school that Mr. Rosenfeld attended while living in the City of New York. His record may be on file there.

Will you please communicate with the El Paso Section and obtain the name of the last school where Mr. Rosenfeld attended and the dates of his attendance there, and also an official set of fingerprints so that we can again ask for police certificates.

ELLA COURLANDE
Dear Mrs. J. Labounsky,

I received your letter by Dec 5th. Now I have everything ready which I am enclosing herewith.

No. 1. I am enclosing deed of property transferred to me by my cousin (uncle's son) with statement of income and value.

This property has been purchased for me by my cousin in March 1935 with money I have sent him at that time to invest for me. He had my permission to have it in this name during my stay in Mexico to make more arrangement for management of my property.

I am also enclosing police certificate from Mexico city which dearment is no longer issued by the police in Mexico city but they
have delegated this work to a special department created for that purpose. It is now necessary to have witnesses testify before a court of justice personally that I am an honorable man and have always been so in all my dealings with everybody.

I hope all this will prove satisfactory and am awaiting your instructions as to whether you want me to come to El Paso.

My very best regards to you and Mrs. Goldfarb from Mr. Johnson and myself.

Very truly Yours,

H. Greenfeld
1894 Detroit 1917 Broadbrook Court

My father arrived in N.Y. in 1902.

3 I arrived in U.S. with my mother and 5 younger brother and sisters. (I am the oldest 2 younger children were later born in the U.S. making a total of 8 - 6 boys and 2 girls - 2 boys and 2 girls. All living in Detroit except youngest sister in N.Y. My mother died about 8 years ago.

My father, brother and sister, living, and all relatives in U.S.

Father owns property in Detroit almost 30,000 dollars. One brother, Victor, is a doctor. Another in the shoe business. The rest working.

I arrived in Mexico 1917.

I have no passport as none was required at that time for entrance to Mex.
Am in business in Mexico City, electrical supplies.

I married a girl from Chihuahua about 1912/13 who died in Chile in 1937—no children.

My capital about 40,000 pesos in merchandise and accounts collectable.

I have not become a Mexican citizen.

I have never visited the state since I left for Mexico.

During my stay in Mexico, I had the business—among others—Chihuahua and Mexico.

P.S. My name, age, and date of arrival to U.S. I have given according to first papers and school certificate which I have.
What the Consul required

1. Birth Certificate

2. Police certificate from wherever I have been in the States and Mexico, namely—New York, Detroit—Mexico City, Chihuahua, and others.

3. Statement of Certified accountant as to the value of my business

4. Death Certificate of my wife

O have not returned
These letters of introduction I have obtained after several weeks—after I have applied for a visa. I made that trip to Utah through Laredo and returned to Mexico through El Paso.

Naples 1903-1913
Detroit 1914-1919-1924
Boston in London
1916-1919
Highland Park
Mr. F. Zlabonsky 6/0 Goldfarb
207 El Paso Nat. Bank Bldg.
El Paso Tex

Dear Mrs. Zlabonsky,

Your letter of Nov. 14, received and as regards a matter of investment—I would say that a bank account could not be possible owing to the fact that all our money will have to be invested shortly and I believe it would not do. However if you consider advisable a deposit of about $3,000 dollars more a little can be deposited in my name in a Los Angeles bank and I can send you the bank book but this will have to be withdrawn the next day for investment by Mr. Johnson and according to your letter he cannot be rated as yet by Dun & Bradstreet.

Last night after having received your letter I met
an uncle of mine who is my brother of my father—and he make me the following offer

He owns a house here in Los Angeles a 2 story building having rooms upstairs & a store down stairs producing about 100 dollars a month in rent— the property according to him is worth about 10,000 dollars against which he has a mortgage of 3,100 dollars.

He offers to transfer in my name the deed to this property. I can than mail you a copy of this deed please let me know by return mail whether this arrangement will be satisfactory so I can arrange this matter as soon as possible.

I will take care about the fingerprints—and will write you again as soon as I have them.

With kindest regards to Mr. and Mrs. Goldfarb and yourself from Mr. Goldfarb and myself

Your very truly

H. Goldfarb
My business is still Merceri's Murea
Libertia 316
I had to return to Chil to collect accounts due me from customers
Mrs. F. Zlabovsky
El Paso Tex.

Dear Mrs. Zlabovsky,

I am enclosing herewith my fingerprint taken before a Notary which I believe will be acceptable to the police in New York.

I have delayed sending these prints because I expected a like request from Mexico City and expected to make both affidavits at the same time.

I have not yet received the certificate from Mexico City. I am advised that the matter is being taken care of. It has been made more difficult to obtain these certificates from Mexico City which is the result of a tendency on part of the Mexican Government to withhold emigration as much as possible— at least, this is what I am led to believe. I am also informed that even people who happen to be in Mexico City are made to wait several months for
for their police certificate so that even going to Mexico city wouldn't help. However, there is nothing impossible so we can leave this for last and if I don't get it by the time all the other papers are ready so I will send them 125 Peso and the certificate will be obtained more quickly. I have written to the Chamber of Commerce in Durango where I was a member at the time I was there and am awaiting their reply regarding my police certificate from there. If there is anything else I can do please let me know.

With kindest regards from Mr. Johnson and myself to Mr. & Mrs. Goldfarb and yourself.

I am very truly yours,

H. Rosenfeld
I believe it advisable to drop Mexico and take up only Chihuahua—where I have been in business.

From Chihuahua—

I have a Police Certificate.

I have a few tax receipts showing I paid taxes there on my business.

I have a Death Certificate of my wife who died in Chihuahua last year.

I have a letter of recommendation from my bank in Chihuahua stating that I am honest and my credit is good.

The only drawback is that when I applied for a border crossing permit which I needed for my frequent trips to buy goods in El Paso I stated that I have never been in the States before that I was born in Mexico and am a Mexican citizen.
and any trips to El Paso is for buying goods.

Perhaps it is advisable to confess that I told a lie in this case because advised by a man I met in the train that in this way I will get it quicker and not lose valuable time which I needed for making my purchases.

and this is really the truth.

There are two firms in El Paso from whom I bought goods for my store. The Mexico Hardware Co. and Moseman Dunnegan El Paso.

I think I can get letters from them if necessary.

If any other documents needed from Skirvin's - I think I can get it.
In case I drop Mexico, I can state that I entered Mexico at any time either before or after the war.