

September 6, 1938.

Mr. Isidore Hershfield,
1317 F Street, N. W.,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hershfield:

Please read the inclosed letter, and give me your opinion on this problem.

Mr. Schwartz and his family are among the wealthiest citizens of El Paso and are well able to take care of the immigrants mentioned in the letter.

The block on the Czechoslovakia quota for one year would make it difficult to get these people in on a non-preference quota, but because they are Agriculturists, I wonder if it could be possible to get preference quota numbers for them. In discussing this project with Consul General W. P. Blocker of Juarez, Mexico, who is a personal friend of Mr. Maurice Schwartz, he told me that Mr. Schwartz was prepared to spend \$50,000.00 on the purchase of land and building facilities in order that his people may become self-sustaining by tilling the ground.

Mr. Blocker sent a copy of the letter and a note (personal) to George Brandt, who is at present in Europe serving on the Commission for the aid of refugees. When Mr. Schwartz consulted with me in regard to the matter, I felt that your office was in better position to handle a project of this nature, and I am appealing to you to use every effort to help get these people into the United States.

Thanking you for your assistance, and awaiting your advice,
I am

Yours very truly,

Mrs. Frank Zlabovsky,
1016 Olive Street,
El Paso, Texas.

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August 8, 1939.

Mr. Isadore Hirshfield,
1317 F St., N. W.,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hirshfield:

Will you please contact the Quota Control Office and ascertain if it is possible for the American Consul in Juarez, Mexico, to secure non-preference quota numbers from Hungary during this fiscal year.

I have in mind a case where three numbers are required. They are now in El Paso on a Visitor's Visa, and are anxious to change their status from alien to that of Immigrant.

Thanking you, I am

Yours very truly,

Mrs. Frank Zlabovsky,
Field Executive.

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