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## **Against Fascism – Jews who served in The International Brigade in The Spanish Civil War**

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### **Introduction**

For reasons best known to themselves, most adherents of the Left - both old and new - and the mainstream Jewish community itself – have been, till recently, loathe to acknowledge and recall the dominant Jewish role in the International Brigade's (IB) struggle against Fascism in the Spanish Civil War. Stereotyped as timid and submissive, the reality is that thousands of Jews from 53 countries went to fight and die opposing Franco, firing the first shots against Fascism. Some went openly as Jews, others took aliases; some fought in the battalions of their country of birth, others with other national groups; some went via a third nation, others went direct to Spain; some were refugees from anti-Semitism or political oppression already, others went freely from the

democracies. In addition thousands more Jews world wide were active in solidarity campaigns, fund raising and refugee rescue, on behalf of the Republican Democrats. Most non-Jewish students of the conflict, however, have no problem emphasising the major part played by Jews in the International Brigade (IB) <sup>1</sup>, and the Black actor Paul Robeson, for example, even sang and recorded Yiddish songs for the Jewish soldiers in Spain (see reference to O’Riordan, below)

Evidence shows that the marginalisation of the huge part played by the Jewish fighters in Spain is due to the tight grip held by old fashioned Stalinists who have been the “Keepers of the Memory” of the IB in the post war period, and right up to the 21<sup>st</sup> century – especially in the UK and the USA. To acknowledge the incredible role of the Jews is to have to admit that many went to Spain as proud Jews as much as proud Socialists, and that many were also Zionists, especially the large number – proportionally the largest from any country – who came from Mandate Palestine/Israel.

For those on “The Hard Left” , this somewhat explodes the myth that everyone who went was a certified member of the Communist Party or was totally imbued with Communist ideals. This was most certainly not the case as the author heard first hand from Jewish veterans he interviewed. Indeed, Peter Fry openly says in an interview in the film “Forever Activists” that he went primarily because he was Jewish and this was because of his strong Jewish sense of Social Justice, which he felt all the Jewish volunteers had. This is verified by his wife Thelma. In his University of Manchester thesis (2001) Paul Bagon (great nephew of Samuel, who was killed fighting with the Polish Dombrowski battalion) examined this assertion further in interviews with 13 mostly Jewish veterans of the IB, coming to the definite similar conclusion, that Jews went as Jews and anti-Fascists as much as Socialists or Communists. It is also interesting to note that after WW2, most of the Jewish fighters returned to Jewish communities and the cultural life they were used to; they were by no means estranged from Jewishness or even Judaism. Some visited Israel many times and others have children living there to this day. They also said they sensed a strong strand of anti-Jewish feeling in some of the non-Jewish veterans leaders, and this naturally fed into the tendency by modern writers on the Spanish Civil War to ignore the Jewish contribution to the IB.

Stalinist opposition to Zionism, especially after 1948 and the re-birth of Israel, has meant that the Left has to denounce and invisibilise any overt and separate recognition of the massive Jewish contribution to the IB and the Republican struggle, in order to fit in with its perverse and passé Marxist view of history. Hence it can justify celebrating – quite rightly - the part played by Irish and Black volunteers, for example, but not the Jews. Not to give Jews the credit they so richly deserved, of firing the first shots against European Fascism, can thus be justifiably described as anti-Semitic, as it appears that national liberation is alright for everyone else – Ireland, Black Africa, Asia, the Arabs – but not alright for the Jews of Israel. This is open discrimination against Jews and the Left needs to now revise and take a more mature attitude to this issue. Till now, one will not thus find any reference to the contribution of the Jews to the IB in any book on the IB in the

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<sup>1</sup> Members are affectionately referred to as “IB ers” .

Spanish Civil War, except a moderate mention in Richard Baxell's Ph D, and later book<sup>2</sup>. Indeed when I met Richard Baxell at the first Len Crome memorial lecture at the Imperial War Museum, where I raised this issue at the discussion that followed, of the marginalisation of the Jews in the IB, to the extreme discomfort of Jack Jones and others present (Jack loudly asserted that I was surely not accusing the IBMT of anti-Semitism!), Baxell said privately to me that I should not expect more from him in his book – although it turned out he gave a paragraph or two and some footnotes - very generous compared to previous writers. Perhaps he saw sense after my remarks at the lecture, or perhaps he just could not avoid the glaringly obvious truth of the sheer number of Jews who served and died? Afterwards at the reception, members of the Crome family came and said to me they agreed with my objections but would not say it publicly at the lecture for fear of upsetting the apple cart of traditional views! And when I asked the amazing Milton Wolf (last Jewish Commander of the Abraham Lincolns), the same question, at a lecture he gave on his story at LSE, about a year later, just before he died, he tried to dismiss this matter amusingly as a red herring, but was clearly somewhat flummoxed by the question, conveniently taking the passé stance that you do not break ranks with the established wisdom and “don't mention the Jews”. But yet again young Spanish students came up to me afterwards and said I was right to point out this anti-history of ignoring the Jews, and that in Spain they have no problem giving the Jewish IBers the high profile they so richly deserve. But again they would not speak out publicly. This article now redresses this balance.

With regard to the Jews who went to Spain from Israel (Palestine Mandate), some argue that they went because they were ‘internationalists’, not Zionists<sup>3</sup>. In which case why did those among them who were refugees from Europe, go to Israel in the first place when there were many other countries they could have fled to? Why did they return to Israel after the SCW ended? Why did they fight in Israel's War of Independence in 1948 - if they were not Zionists as well as Socialists? One can be both – these are not incompatible ideologies and never have been or will be.

### **Some facts**

It is estimated that up to 25% of all the IB Fighters were Jewish (Alberto Fernandez, *“Judios en la Guerra de Espana”*, Tiempo de Historia, Madrid, Sept., 1975; *“Los Judios Luchadores de la Libertad”* by Gina Medem, Madrid, 1937 and Josef Toch *“Juden im Spanischen Krieg 1936-39”*, Zeitgeschichte, Vienna, April 1973) - up to 10,000 men and women. Whilst 20<sup>th</sup> century history documents well the mass murder of Jews, Jewish resistance by comparison is feebly recorded. This included in Spain the following approximate numbers – certainly an underestimate - of Jewish fighters and participants in the IB -

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<sup>2</sup> “British Volunteers in the Spanish Civil War”, Routledge 2004.

<sup>3</sup> See the 2003 film by Israeli writer Eran Torbiner, ‘Madrid Before Hanita’

Poland - 2,250 (of 5,000 Poles - 45% - Jews only 10% of Polish population)

USA - 1,250 (38% of total USA Volunteers – Jews only 4% of USA population)

France - 1043 (15% of French volunteers - Jews only 0.5% of population)

Britain – some 350 (15% - Jews 0.5% of population - David Diamint's book, mentioned below)

Israel/Palestine - 300-500

Hungarian, Austrian (120-150 volunteers based on research by Hans Landauer and others in *The Leo Baeck Year Book* 1995, footnote page 17), Czech, Yugoslav (34 – probably a huge underestimate), Bulgarian (17), Canadian (71 Jews from Canada - in The Mackenzie-Papineau Battalion), Italian, Scandinavian, German - totalling 1095 (work by Arno Lustiger in "*German and Austrian Jews in the International Brigade*" published in Frankfurt 1989 – and also "Schalom Libertad – Juden in Spanischau Burgerkrieg", also published in French - and the Leo Baeck Year Book No. 35 1990, shows at least 400 to 500 German Jews fought in Spain).

Belgian ( an article by Rudi van Doorslaer "Belgian Jews in the International Brigade" is mentioned in the IB archives at the Marx Memorial Library (MML) box D4, dated 17.7.86 and is in the AJEX archives, describes 200 Belgian Jews in Spain (30 of them women), 31 of whom were killed in action (kia) and a further 20 more kia in the Belgian Resistance in WW2). It is important to note here that most of the European volunteers went on to fight in the Resistance groups in WW2, many of them being captured and murdered by the Nazis.

Soviet Union - 53. This is a vast underestimate and current researches into newly available files in Russia have yet to yield new information on Jewish participation.

Virtually all the Romanians (see the article by Lending in the Jewish Workers Circle (JWC) journal, "Horizons" - mentioned below)

40 other countries - 1602.

Fifty-nine of the 124 American medical team were Jews (48%) – Prago's article mentioned below - and virtually all of the 40 Polish doctors. Of the estimated 66 American Jews from Brownsville in Brooklyn, for example, who went to Spain, only 25 returned (Prago).

The Polish Dombrowski Brigade (part of the 13<sup>th</sup> IB) formed a Jewish Company from the 2<sup>nd</sup> Palafox Battalion (Palafox was a Spanish patriot from the Napoleonic invasion), called The Botwin Company, on 12 December 1937 at Tardadientes, and named after Naftali Botwin (a famous Polish Jewish radical, executed in 1924 for assassinating a Polish Secret police agent). Their orders and banner were written in Yiddish, Polish and

Spanish and they issued a Yiddish written newspaper (“Botwin”), first published on 30 December 1937. In fact the first edition of a Yiddish newspaper called “Der Freihaits Kempfer” or “Fighters for Liberty”, appeared at the Front on 7 August 1937. Jews also spoke Hebrew and Ladino as a lingua franca among themselves within the different national groups. The Republic also allowed radio broadcasts in Yiddish. The Botwins included the only two Arabs in the IB, one of whom was from Jerusalem and spoke Yiddish! The last stanza of the company hymn was “...how Jewish Botwin soldiers drove out the fascist plague! No Passaran!” (see “The Jewish Naftali Botwin Company”, J Rothenberg, Jewish Frontiers Journal, USA, date unknown, at IB archive, MML; it includes references to several books written in Poland by Botwin and Dombrowski Jewish veterans).

Trained at Albacete, the Botwins went into action on 12 February 1938 in the Sierra Quemeda near Belal Alcazar, then fought at Belchite 12-16 March 1938. They were virtually wiped out at the battles of the Ebro/Estramadura at Hill 281 (eighteen out of 120 survived!) and received the “Medalla de Valor” from the government (see Hirschmann below). All four successive commanders were killed in action – including Carol Gutman on February 13<sup>th</sup> and then Moise Micha Sapir on April 2<sup>nd</sup> at Lerida. Hirschmann also provided extracts from the books, “*Poles in the Spanish Civil War*”, Ministry of Defence, Poland, and “*International Solidarity with the Spanish Republic*”, Progress Publishers, Moscow 1975, containing numerous references to the Botwins. The newly reinforced Botwins later formed the rearguard for the IB as they withdrew into France as the fighting ended.

It is ironic that the first IB casualty was Jewish (Leon Baum, from Paris) and the last (Haskel Honigstern; the Spanish poet Jose Herrera wrote of him “...Haskel Honigstern, Polish worker of the Jewish Race, son of an obscure land, killed in the light of my homeland”. He was given a state funeral in Barcelona on 6<sup>th</sup> October 1938). Later, most Botwins joined the Maquis and other Partisan groups in WW2, many dying in fighting the Nazis. In Poland, however, after the Six-Day War in 1967 and the anti-Jewish purges, all the memorials to the Botwin men that had been erected, were destroyed.

As Simon Hirschmann said, in an interview before he died, Jewish youth of this period - especially in eastern Europe - were living under anti-Semitic regimes and chose to fight back by becoming either Zionists or Communists; many chose the latter and Spain gave them a chance to take up arms in the cause of working people and democracy, with much heroism and self-sacrifice. They are a group much to be admired. But Zionists were equally anti-Fascist and many of the Jewish volunteers from Europe and Palestine/Israel were Zionist Socialists.

Joe Garber, Intelligence Officer to the British Battalion, in an interview before he died, testified to the fact that there were hundreds of Jews in the German and Austrian Thaelmann battalion and hundreds with the French.

Of the known British Jews who went to Spain, figures are far from complete as many did not identify as Jews and used aliases, but made themselves known as Jews to other Jews once they were in Spain; but most witnesses have died before being able to testify just who was who. On this issue Joe Garber was an inestimable source of information and I thank him enormously.

### Sources

Reference to MSCW is to the book "*Memorials of the Spanish Civil War*" by Williams, Alexander and Gorman, Alan Sutton, UK, 1996. BVFL is "*British Volunteers for Liberty*" by Bill Alexander, Lawrence and Wishart, 1982. CTC is "*Cheetham to Cordova*" by Maurice Levine and Neil Richardson, Manchester Jewish Museum, 1984. MML is Marx Memorial Library. Much came from personal interviews (PI) held whilst at the 62<sup>nd</sup> Anniversary of the start of the War reunion at Jubilee Gardens, London on 18.7.98, carried out by Martin Sugarman with Jewish veterans, or whose names were given at the reunion, to him by other veterans. Lou Kenton also sent names from the roll in Bill Rust's book "*Britons in Spain*". The Leo Baeck Year Book has contained articles about Jews who fought in Spain and is published by the Leo Baeck Institute in London. KIA means killed in action; WIA is wounded in action.

Other important works on this subject include "*Combattants Juifs dans l'Armee Republicaine Espagnole*" by David Diamint (DD), Editions Renouveau, Paris 1979, in French - describing the massive contribution of Jews in the IB and containing lists of names, numerous first hand accounts by Jewish fighters and a section on women fighters. Also excellent is Alfred Prago's "Jews in the International Brigades in Spain", Jewish Currents, New York, February and March 1979; G E Sichon, "Les Volontaires Juifs dans la Guerre Civile en Espagne", Les Temps Modernes, October 1988; and A S Rockman, "Jewish Participation in the IB's in The Spanish Civil War", MA thesis California State University, Fullerton.

Much information and several photos were also found in "*The Book of the 15<sup>th</sup> Brigade*" published by The Commissariat, Madrid 1938 and republished by F Graham, Newcastle, 1975 - abbreviated as "B15B" below. More details came from "*The Shattered Dream*" by Alek Szurek, Columbia University Press 1989, abbreviated as TSD and "*Apprentices of Freedom*" by J Cook, Quartet 1979 - especially on George Nathan and Maurice Levene.

Mentioned also in the latter book is the brief description of discrimination made against Jewish POW's; Bob Doyle (page 119) noted that after his capture (with Maurice Levitas, Dave Goodman and others) at Calaceite near Gandesa on 31 March 1938, Italian and Gestapo guards "ordered all Communists and Jews to step forward"; this is described in more detail in a long article "Irish and Jewish Volunteers in the Spanish Anti-Fascist War

– 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary lecture” pp. 25-28 by M. O’Riordan of the Irish TGWU at the Irish Jewish Museum in Dublin, Nov 1987, found in the MML Archive. Gary McCarthy (Cook, p.123) noted that “at San Sebastian prison in 1938, Spanish and German guards took photos of those lads who were obviously Jewish, and of Negroes too and when Jimmy Goldstein/Goldsmith was singled out I stepped forward too!” In fact Jews were constantly slandered in Spanish fascist radio broadcasts and newspapers – even though virtually no Jews lived in Spain. Their large presence in the IB was often a target for fascist newspapers all over Europe.

As I have said, many Jewish volunteers had non-Jewish aliases (as Joe Garber and others have testified) and we may never know their religious affiliation or origin because of this. Spellings, especially of Polish first and surnames, may have lost accuracy in the transliteration and thus also result in some duplications which are almost impossible now to unravel. Finally some more detail has come from the book by Richard Baxell (see footnote), on the British Volunteers, which he kindly sent me. It includes some of the actual ID numbers issued to the men and women who went to Spain and I have included these where known.

### **Jews from the East End and the Spanish Civil War**

This specific topic is of great interest to the Jews of London. I also wish to be clear that when I use the term East End Jews, I also include those whose homes were on the fringes in places like Hackney, Bethnal Green and what is now Newham, as many had recently moved to these areas from Stepney and Whitechapel. Also some had not been born in the east end but were living there at the time of enlisting to go to Spain; and furthermore, many addresses we have as just “London” may indeed be those of eastenders, but we simply have no further information.

The Spanish CW began in July 1936. The Battle of Cable Street took place in October 1936, when British Fascism was at its peak; Hitler had been in power in Germany since 1933; there were right wing governments all over Europe – for example, Italy had been Fascist since 1922; Portugal since 1926; Poland was ruled by a militaristic and right wing government from 1918, and very anti-Semitic; Romania, Hungary, Bulgaria – were all officially allies of the 3<sup>rd</sup> Reich well before WW2 and had huge fascist parties. And in the Far East Japan had all the trappings of a fascist and militaristic Empire and by 1931 was occupying large chunks of China. Even the Finns willingly had Nazi troops on its side in the Finno-Russian war of 1939-40, but that was after WW2 had officially begun and the SCW had ended, in Sept 1939.

The point is that for Jews and Socialists this was indeed a very bleak period, despite the success of Soviet power in Russia; because even in the 1930’s many left wingers could see the beginning of the corruption of Soviet communism into Stalinist Fascism and the notorious terror – much of it anti-Semitic - by the late 1930’s; many on the Left, whilst trying to remain true to their Socialist and Communist beliefs, were already having

serious doubts about the allegedly idealised Socialist State of the Soviet Union, and what it was becoming, especially after the Nazi-Soviet Non-aggression Pact of 1939.

### **The attitude of the Jewish Establishment and Religious Jews to those Jews who went to fight in Spain, from Britain**

Traditionally the Religious and Jewish establishment has frowned on radical Jews who make waves, especially if they come from the Left in politics. The Board of Deputies told Jews to stay away from the Cable Street rally against Mosley, for example. But Establishment Jewish attitudes to Jews volunteering to go to Spain were mixed. The Jewish Chronicle, usually at that time reflecting a Board of Deputies viewpoint, reported on Oct 2<sup>nd</sup> 1936 page 12, a meeting called by the Jewish Labour Council, under the heading, "Spain's fight is your fight", describing the speaker, Mr J Jacobs, as saying, "Jews in Britain must organise to fight for their co-religionists in Spain. General Franco has threatened to turn back the clock to 1493 – the time of the Jewish persecutions. Once the international Fascists win in Spain, they will march on". Clearly he linked the fight against the Fascists with the fight against anti-Semitism, and this explains clearly and conclusively the reason why Jews were so disproportionately represented in the British Battalion which went to Spain. Conversely, it also explains why after the Soviet-Nazi pact of 1939, many Jews left the Communist Party in protest at this blatant alliance with Hitler, because for Jews clearly, opposition to anti-Semitism easily over-rode loyalty to Communism.

Most working class Jews saw the Communists and Zionists as the only organisations willing to fight Fascist-related anti-Semitism in the early and mid 1930's. But as Paul Bagon's on-line PhD study points out in such detail, they were mostly not committed, ideological Communists (though some were, and rejected Judaism) – for even large numbers of the JLB and Jewish youth clubs, including Zionist Youth (research by James Carmody), joined the YCL (Young Communist League) because it offered the chance to fight anti-Semitism, despite the JLB and the clubs being very conservative, anglicised, establishment oriented Jewish organisations. As a result many ordinary working Jews willingly joined violent anti-Fascist protests throughout the 1930's in order to fight anti-Semitism and that is also mainly why they went to Spain. Working Jews felt the appeasement, apathy and classist attitudes of the Board of Deputies (BoD) towards working class Jews as a disgrace and betrayal, so they became Communists or Zionists in order to be organised to fight back! Once they joined the Communists, especially, it was a natural progression to then go to Spain and fight, especially as it became overtly obvious that the Nazis were on the side of Franco.

Although some religious Jews feared the atheist Communists as much as the Fascists, equally many believing Jews saw that the attitudes of social justice - which permeate wholesome socialism and Communism - as akin to those moral teachings of Judaism, and were able to happily have a foot in both camps.



It is certainly the case that the BoD was bourgeoisie, intransigent and assimilationist to a large degree, and made up of elderly, wealthy men more fearful of their poorer co-religionists than they were of the fascist threat; they were embarrassed by the involvement of poor Jews with the anti-Fascist movement. Like the British government, they took a non-interventionist view, splitting the Jewish community on the issue not only of Spain but Jewish self defence against violent fascist attacks on Jews in Britain.

On July 10<sup>th</sup> 1936 (p.10), for example, a letter in the JC from the United Synagogue called for more self defence groups; the BoD responded by recommending a committee be set up to discuss it! And on Oct 2<sup>nd</sup> 1936 the JC reported the now infamous BoD instruction to Jews to “keep away “ from what became the Battle of Cable St. How wrong they were.

### **The Figures and the sacrifice**

The figures are very telling; approximately 350 Jews served in the British battalion of the approximately 2,400 who went to Spain ie 15%; yet we were only then as now ½% of the population.

89 Jewish IBers were killed out of the total of 526 in the battalion ie 17% of the dead, a slightly higher percentage of our participants as a proportion. (A further 10 Jewish participants died in WW2, incidentally).

At the same time the British dead totalled 526 out of 2400 (22%) but the Jewish dead taken separately were 89 out of 350 (25%), not only a higher proportion, but from such a small British ethnic minority, this was a much more intensely felt sacrifice. Even if we compare the non-Jewish participants killed, 437 dead out of 2050 is 21%, less than the 25% above.

East End Jewish IBers also made a huge sacrifice. About 100 IBers had East End addresses, ie 28% of all the Jews who served (and 4% of the whole British battalion; and it would be interesting to analyse if this was indeed the biggest % from one British location); and 30 of these were killed ie 30% of Jewish East Enders who went to Spain were killed, compared to the 22% killed for the whole battalion. Jewish East enders made up nearly 6% of the total dead – and again it would be interesting to analyse addresses to see if this was the biggest % of fatal casualties in one British location.

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I was able to add considerable detail and names by consulting many files in the IB archive at the Marx Memorial Library in Clerkenwell, London, and thank the librarian there (Tish Newland) for her assistance. One particular list in these files was compiled by either Peter Kerrigan or Ted Edwards, the Attlee Battalion secretary, during or soon after the war and contained many British Jewish names not found elsewhere. Special thanks also goes to James Carmody who supplied me so generously with extra material from his own researches on the IB over many years at both The National Archives and with correspondents abroad, including many names from David Diamint's rare book (see below) which I also consulted at the British Library. James Carmody also pointed me to a book by Marcel Acier, "*From Spanish Trenches*" written in 1937 (Modern Age, NY) at the MML, containing many personal memoirs of Jewish Brigaders. Thanks also go to Paul Phillipou of the University of Stirling; Prof Stellan Bojerud, Royal Staff College Stockholm; Robert Llopis of Benissa, Spain; and John Kraljic of NY, USA; Jean Goldsztejn of Paris for his search in the Soviet files stored at Nanterre University in Paris.

A specific memorial to the Jewish fighters of the IB was unveiled in Barcelona in October 1986, by President Chaim Hertzog of Israel, himself a WW2 British Army Major veteran. It is located near Montjuich (appropriately, "The Hill of the Jews") and a photograph was in the Jewish Military Museum in Hendon, London, which also had a permanent display of Jews in the Spanish Civil War – and in my book "Fighting Back – the contribution of British Jews in WW2".

**The British Battalion consisted originally of 145 men formed in December 1936/January 1937 at Madrigueras as No 1 Company, of the French 14<sup>th</sup> Battalion (La Marseillaise), part of the 14th IB. As new arrivals came, the British formed their own Battalion in 1937, of four Companies (3 Infantry and one Machine-gun). No.1 Company, the longest serving, were then named in honour of Labour leader and later Prime Minister, Clement Attlee. Of the approximate 2,400 volunteers as many as 350 to 400 were Jewish (15% , as described by David Diamint)**

Some other nationalities are included here due to the order of the original interviews with Joe Garber and others and /or because they were at some time associated with the British Battalion. A (?) means the person may not be Jewish and awaits further research.

1056 Sgt Samuel/Sydney Aarons, Melbourne/Sydney, Australia.

201 Joseph Albaya (?).

Jack /Jacob Alexander , Bethnal Green and Australia , POW March 1938 .

736 Maurice Chaim Aaronberg , born Lithuania 1897, served Russian Army 1917-18, then Sgt. In British Army 1919 in Archangel, then to Sheffield, 43, Wolstenholme Rd, kia 27 February 1937 at Jarama.

Nathan Abramson , 590 Old Ford Road, Bow, London kia April 1938, Gandesa/Calaceite.

Paul Abrams, POW February 1937 for 3 months, exchanged for Fascist POW's.

Is this Mendel Abrahams?? (Above) and Basil Abrahams (BELOW)

Sidney Avner, more than 6 feet tall from London, attended Davenant Foundation School, kia Boadilla 20 December 1936, from 53/55, Clapton Common, Upper Clapton.

Abraham Abrahamson kia Brunette, Hero of the Soviet Union (Prago).

1309 Basil Abrahams, aka David Minsk, 15th Brigade Staff, POW 13/2/37 and repat. 5/37, later returning to Spain to fight again! From 187, Mare St, Hackney, London/3, Cecil St., Mile End, a baker BVFL p 185 - died 1/6/95.

175 Lt Harry Aubrey/Horbury ; B15B. 4, Albin Terr, Barnsley

H. Adams (an alias) – from Hackney

Louis Babot, b. 1916 of 46 Hedsa Flats, Shoreditch (?)/ 24 New Ct Hse, Pott St, Bethnal Green

Nicholas Barblinger, possibly born Russia, later fought in French Foreign Legion, interned Oran, then joined Pioneer Corps in British Army and fought in North Africa, Italy and at Arnheim with 21<sup>st</sup> Indep. Paras.

George Bright, b. Yorks, lived Clerkenwell, kia 12/2/37 at Jarama

Cyril/Charles Bloom , London, wia Jarama, PI Joe Garber.

598 Cyril Bowman, 164 Cheetham Hill, Manchester.

Sam Baron, newspaper correspondent, Crook diaries at MML.

Emeric Biederman, born . Romania, 44/4a Birch Lane, Longsight, Manchester 13 (MML), after WW2 lived in Romania.

Brentman - see Harrison below

Keva (probably Akiva) Bronson from Stepney – Rent Control activist later deported from New Zealand with wife Golda

1445 Thomas Arthur Bielstein, 19 Birmingham Rd, Scunthorpe (MML).

David Baumgartner/Baumgarten, aka Bennett , 46, Lord St, Manchester.

43 Zelig Isaac Bronstein , Paris (MML), mechanic with 15<sup>th</sup> Brigade.

Dave Buffman, 9, Orchard Sq, Leeds, kia Sept. 1938 Ebro.

Charles Sewell Bloom, 54 Imperial Avenue Stoke Newington N16, and Shoreditch - served Badalona Hospital (MML).

Karl Boden, 46, Alpha St , Salford, Signals (MML).

Reginald Bayer, 98 Gosvenor Rd, N1, Highbury, London N. (??)

Harry (Henry)(Charles) A. G. Bayer/Beye, 16 Barclay St., St Pancras (MML) –wia (??).

L Boyarski from Jo'burg, South Africa .

105 Jack Braverman PI, 44 Cromer St Kingsland Rd, Shoreditch, E2 (MML).

Ronald Burgess - son of Charlotte Guest, nee Franken, second wife of Prof J B S Haldane, PI Joe Garber. Charlotte Haldane was a War Correspondent in Spain and her first husband was a Burgess, and hence her son used this name - 54 Fitzroy Rd, NW1

Alec Bernstein , Manchester.

Barnett Becow, Stepney

Barbara Briscoe (alias ?) – nurse of Tredean, Guildford - tbc

1141 Arthur Blackson/Blackman, London and 91 Stewart Cres, Winchester, repatriated May 1938 , possibly not Jewish.

Else Behrens , photographer, MML.

Capt. Dr Bernstein/Berstein MML.

David Blick/Black MML, aka Block/Bloch, pilot kia WW2 on the 1<sup>st</sup> 1000 bomber raid on Cologne , Runnymede memorial. His brother Sam also kia RAF WW2.

Bill Briskey kia Jarama 12.2.37, from Hackney.

Ralph C(K)antorovitch/Cantor, 142, Waterloo Rd, Manchester, kia Mosquito Hill, Brunete July 1937.

Sidney/Solomon Chaginsky aka Moreland, POW March 1938, repatriated 10/38 , from 3, Bayford St, Mare St, Hackney, London PI.

Phil Caplan – see Richards below

Fred Chaikie, wia Brunete July 1937 (MML).

H. Carrass (possibly Jewish?).

Lisbeth Carrit nee Liesel Lowenstein, b. Germany, husband of Noel Carrit

Alfred Ernest Capps, of 1, Ruthven St, Hackney, London, kia 20<sup>th</sup> Jan 1938 at Teruel.

Nat Cohen PI, MSCW p 126/7, from 52 Lewin Rd, Streatham.

1311 Nathan Cohen, Stepney, Tom Mann Centurion – KIA – WITH SAM MASTERS THE FIRST TWO BRITONS IN SPAIN

Ramona Cohen, wife of Nathan, above.

Vic Cohen MML – Hackney .

Ovadia Cohen, Greek Jewish.

Harold Ceiternbaum aka Bourne/Sittingbaum, from 693 London Rd, Westcliff on Sea.

Sgt. Max Cohen/Colin/Collins aka Myer/Meir Cohn, BVFL p 138. Born 1912 in Stepney, of 82 Kyverdale Rd. N16 and 73 Wigan House Warwick Grove E5 , ambulance driver and mechanic, wia by Italian planes at Brunete and evacuated and then returned for a second tour! Drove ambulance from London to Barcelona. Detailed diaries at MML.

101 Simon Cohen, 2, Leander St., Mt Pleasant / 2 Overton St, Liverpool – builder, wia in head (MML). Nickname was Avi (info Dan Payne, Liverpool historian 2014) – b. 28/7/15

748 Sidney Cohen, 51 St Thomas Rd., Hackney E9 (MML) . Fought with Mac-Paps.

Edward Coleman, Manchester.

A. Cohen - possibly Abe Lewis of Hackney

Jack Cohen, wia, Manchester/Leeds.

Jack Cohen, kia by a strafing aircraft , February 1937, Jarama, 152, Old Haymarket, Liverpool.

Leon Cohen, kia (MML), Liverpool. LEON AND JACK MAY BE THE SAME PERSON & MAYBE NOT KILLED

Larry Cohen aka Collier, ambulance driver and also served WW2.

Harry Cohen b. 26/6/18 Liverpool at 110, Pighue (?) St – tailor – info from Don Payne of Liverpool and J Carmody - via MI5 files at Kew

Jacob Cohen b. 17/7/17 Liverpool- tailor – info Don Payne as above

Stafford Cottman , alias , from London.

Reuben A. C. Cohen of 43 Dunk St/ 15 Sydney St, E1, furrier.

Leonard Cochrane , alias, PI Joe Garber – 29 Primrose Ave, Romford – later believed kia RAF in WW2 North Africa

Maurice Cohen.

492 Julius Jud Colman of 3, Lytton Ave., Cheetham, Manchester , CTC page 30 , served on Cordoba front (information from K R Bradley, author of *“International Brigades in Spain”*, Osprey 1984) with Nathan in 14th Brigade at Lopera where Cornford was killed, and at Jarama in the 15th Brigade at Morata De Tajuna. Booklet by him in MML archives, *“Memories of Spain”* 1995.

Major Dr Leonard Crome/Kromen , MC (WW2, Colonel RAMC, Cassino) . C.O. Medical Services IB and later 5<sup>th</sup> Army (MSCW p24) PI. Russian, born 1909, Dvinsk, in Latvia, educated in UK , wia.

David Crook , from Hackney, parents lived 11, Rowans rd, Harrogate, and 69 Warrington Rd, Maida Vale - lived in China with his two sons, PI Joe Garber. Spent 7 years in solitary confinement during Cultural Revolution and in 1990 was still in Beijing. Detailed diary in MML archives.

752 Percy Cohen, information from Joe Garber, 83 Cotswolds Gardens., Hendon ,ambulance driver.

Pincus Cohen , London.

893 Myer Cohen, 1, Gold St., Stepney.

Richard Nigel Cullen (born Australia, lived Putney), later RAF pilot awarded DFC, kia May 1941 in Greece in WW2. Real name Cohen, wia in Spain and nephew of Gneral Cullen/Cohen, highest ranking Jewish soldier in Australian forces in WW2

Danielis , Czech medic, MML.

753 Moishe Davidovitch/Maurice Davis, of 24, Teesdale St, London, E1/ 638, Seven Sisters Rd., Tottenham , kia 12<sup>th</sup> February 1937 Jarama, (brother in law of Max Lewis). He was “Leader of the 1<sup>st</sup> Aid Section, a hero throughout that terrible day of Feb 12<sup>th</sup>....up, down and across shell-scarred and bullet swept slopes, he and his men carried the wounded in stretchers....and when they gave out, blankets. He escaped death a hundred times until in the late afternoon, while running to help a wounded man, he himself was fatally wounded” ( B15B page 62).

Ted (Edward) A. Dickinson/Dickenson, b. Grimsby ? (an alias, originally Austrian or Australian ? (Probably Jewish) , from 13 Upton Lane, Forest Gate, London – WW1 veteran and member of Zionist Socilaist Youth Group Hashomer Hatzair (J Carmody information) , He was murdered as a POW on 2<sup>nd</sup> February 1937, Jarama , after protesting the murder of two other Jewish POW’s, Elias and Stevens. He e was tied to a tree and shot through the head. He had calmly shouted to his men, “Salud Comrades” as he fell. Joe Garber says he was Jewish but there was also an Australian with the same or similar name.

Robert Carl Daniels, 92 Ernest St., Stepney (MML) – from Birmingham – poss Jewish.

Joshua Davidson , 116 Bignor St, Salford/Manchester, upholsterer.

243 Henry Harry Daniels, c/o Mrs Bellow, 24 Barnsbury Pk, NW1 (MML) – b. Gibraltar, tbc Jewish.

John Diamond , MML, Canada (?).

Gustav Daubenspeck, 40 Lamb Lane , Hackney.

F. David - after Jarama, repatrtd. due to illness

Andre Diamint/Diamond , Anglo-Egyptian French Jew, 17 Antikhane el Masrich , Cairo , BVFL p 98 , lost his leg but served in French Resistance in WW2, and was executed by the Nazis. His diary is in MML archive.

Sam Dobraliski from Camden , address c/o Alec Horlich, Quebec, POW.

Leslie Daikin (named by Levitas in O’Riordan article).

Joseph Epstein, wia, French, fought in partisans in WW2, shot by Nazis.

1298 Samuel Epstein , 114 Main St, Jo’Burg, South Africa (MML), b. Zagre, Lithuania. KIA

Hans Eisler , Crook diaries .

Ilya Ehrenbourg, MML, amous Russian writer and war correspondent in Spain, spoke and met many of the British Batallion .

Lewis Emmanuel or Emmanuel Lewis? 162/102 Clapton Common , arrested July 1937 entering Spain illegally but returned later.

Elstob MML, pilot, arrested, released; may not have been Jewish.

Emrich, MML.

424 Lt. Herman Ehlert, aka Theo Edward Mann , German born anti-Nazi refugee , c/o Toynbee Hall, Whitechapel (ML)/ 28 Commercial Rd. He also fought with Lincolns.

420 Sydney Edelman, 17 Wellington Row, E2, London, kia/ died of wounds April/August 1938 Aragon/Tarragona. However, a report states he was at a reunion in 24/2/78 and living in Bloomsbury (John Moon)

Sid Philip Elias, 11/17, Camp Rd., Leeds , was murdered by machine gun with Stevens as a POW Jarama, 13<sup>th</sup> February 1937, when he asked permission to smoke and lowered his hands.

421 Jack Ellis, 116 High St Whitechapel (MML).

Vera Elkan aka Morley ,14a, Manchester Sq., W1, photographer, born in South Africa; served all over Spain; details at MML..

Willy Engels, a Thaelmann Intelligence Officer, att. Attlee Company.(?).

1514 Solomon Frankel PI 9.5.99 and tapes and photos at AJEX archive. He was born in Rothschild Bldgs., Osborne St, and 8, Hunton St, Brick Lane E1, 31.3.14 son of Rose and Philip, Portuguese Jewish Primary and JFS – usual route to Spain arriving December 1937 (see details and tapes at AJEX Museum). As a Sergeant at Brunette saw first action against tanks with British Battallion , almost being decapitated when a canon shell took off his forage cap! On 27.7.38 whilst attacking at Ebro crossing, was seriously wounded and was invalided home December 1938.

Isidore Farstenfeld aka Jim Field, London; medically unfit and invalided home from Barcelona

Louis Feldman (MML), born Bethnal Green, lived Hammersmith ,Israel and Bronx NY City; British Machine Gun company.

Penny Feiwei, nurse, born 1910 wife of Michel Feivel. She was not Jewish but her husband was; active in fund raising for the Hebrew University until her death in 2006.

Ronald Frankau.

Frank Frankford/Frankfort/Frankfurt, born 1913 in Slough and then moved to Hackney (P. Bagon Manchester University study on Jews and the IB , 2001).

Ziloman Wolf Fishel aka Zusman , born. Stoke Newington, lived Antwerp/Israel.

Jacob/Jack Flior from Burtrams, Jo'burg, S Africa, born Dvinsk, Latvia, POW March 1938, repatriated 2/39.

Dr Louis Fischer ,German , Crook diaries.

Fred Freedman/Frieman, 28 Duckett St., Stepney, kia 20.1.38 at Teruel with 57 Battalion 15<sup>th</sup> Brig .  
**Member Hashomer Hatzair Zionist Socialist youth group.**

Dr Murray Fuhram, doctor from Brooklyn, lived Oxford

1580 Sydney Samson Fink , 69 Fenney St, Salford, kia March/Nov 10-17<sup>th</sup> 1938 Aragon.

Joseph Farber, Polish, later in uprsing at Birkenau Auschwitz (Prago).

1414 Joseph Fuhr MSCW page xv , Walworth, London, wia.

1805 Ben Glaser, 25, Wellclose Sq., London E1, kia 6<sup>th</sup> September 1938 Ebro/Sierra Caballs. His letters at MML.

767 Benny/Bernard Goldman , 2 Brewery St., Strangeways, Manchester, upholsterer, wia (MML). He was cited for “displaying untiring work whilst Battalion Commissar”.

80 Jack/John Goldstein, 17 St Cuthbert's Place, Gateshead/5, Smith St., Amble, Northumberland.

Kurt J Glaser, born 3.9.1918, kia Germany in No 3 Jewish Troop, No 10 Commando, at crossing of Aller River 11.4.45, aka Capt James K Griffith.

Alfred H. Gold, 8 Spelman St, E1, London/ 98 Bourne Hse., Shepard St E1, kia 27<sup>th</sup> Februry 1937 Jarama.

Harry Gomm (probable ??), 35, Amberley Rd, London W., kia February 1937 Jarama

Phillipe Goodman , Anglo-French Jew , WW2 Royal Fusiliers, Captain attached Para. Reg., later met Joe Garber in Balkans SOE work. PI Joe Garber.

760 Phillip Goodman, 20 Mabfield Rd., Fallowfield, Manchester /Nottingham ,MML.

426 Joseph Garber, born Bethnal Green 19.9.1911 and lived 7 Dunk St, Whitechapel, and attended JFS School . In 1925 aged 14 years he was awarded the Royal Humane Society Medal for saving the life of a man who fell in the Thames at Tower Bridge (PI). He served in the Merchant Navy 1928-31. He was later an Intelligence officer of the IB and a source of much information about Jewish lads in the IB. He manned a Heavy MG with Yank Levy at Jarama where he was wounded twice. He knew the enigmatic George Nathan and Churchill's nephew, Giles Romilly. He sadly witnessed the deaths of both Phil Morris and Nathan Steigman at Jarama. In WW2 , served RAMC and RASC (3 coy. 6<sup>th</sup> Bat). number 7406801. Due to maritime experience was in SOE smuggling arms to Balkans and Albanian partisans 1943-44 with allied Italian Commandos, working from Monopoly with FANY's assisting. Helped smuggle weapons to the Haganah during RASC service and was a member of Trepper's "Red Orchestra" spy ring giving information to Russia from Nazi sources. Memoirs recorded at IWM and AJEX, photo and AJEX Chaplains card.

David Tony Gilbert, POW March 1938, repatriated 10.38, from Bethnal Green and 21 Code St, Brick Lane.

Reuben Ginsburg aka Gainsborough, from King St, EC2 London and Blue St, Carmarthen.

A Gunter, 26, Reed Hse, Clayton St, Kennington.

David Guest, kia Ebro/Gandesa 26<sup>th</sup> July 1938, from 12a, Charing Cross Rd WC1, London. He was educated Oundle and Cambridge (Maths 1<sup>st</sup> Class), son of Islington Labour MP Dr Haden-Guest. His mother Carmel was Jewish, daughter of Col. Albert Goldsmid, founder of the Jewish Lads Brigade.

Angela Haden-Guest, S' Agoio Hospital, 199 Sloane St London SW1, sister of David Guest.

260 Maurice Goldberg MSCW p 17, from Southern Rhodesia. POW, sentenced to death at a Spanish trial, commuted. He was held hostage with Leeson till after war ( B15B p.199). Lived 41, Clark St, Bethnal Green and 120, Clarence Rd, Clapton, E5. Born Merthyr Tydfil ?

M. Goldberg, from Russia, 41 Clack St Stepney, Joe Garber PI.

Charles Gavatzman/Gautzman aka Boyd, 165 Balderston Rd/132 Balls Pond Rd, Hackney E8/ Stoke Newington.

W. Gilman.

Jimmy Goldsmith, "*Apprentices Of Freedom*" p123.

R Goodman, 10, Newton Rd., The Park, Nottingham, kia February 1937 Jarama.

Alfred./Albert Goodman, 3, Kenmure Rd, Hackney (ML).

W R Goodman, 18, Briggs St., Salford, kia February 1937 Jarama.

Ben S. Goodman, 72 Bignor St, Manchester (MML).

Charlie Goodman, 8, Eagle Place, Stepney.

673 Bob Goodman, boxer from Manchester (CTC p 39). He was believed mia/ thought kia, Arganda Bridge olive groves, Jarama, or a POW, 12.2.37. Other sources say he survived and was a Tank Commander at Alamein WW2.

Leo Green kia February 1937 at Jarama. From Dublin, possibly not Jewish

Maurice Green, 58, Heywood St, Manchester (MML), kia March 1938 Aragon.

Dave Goodman, 14 Rockliffe Rd., Middlesborough, POW March 1938, repatriated 2/39-(MSCW p 74).

Henry/Harry Gross/Groeser, 346, Commercial Rd., London, E1 via 12.1.37/kia July 16<sup>th</sup> 1937 Brunete. He was cousin of Louis Stoller of Leeds. His father owned a small sweet shop. Was active in Jewish Lads Brigade and YCL. When his family discovered he was going to Spain they took and hid his clothes! He went anyway.

George Albert Gross, Hammersmith.

Gunel/Gunal.

D Grossart, Glasgow, died of wounds April 1937 Jarama.

Mark Gura, 18, Sigdon Rd, Hackney, London, kia February 1937, Jarama.

Alan aka Abe Harris, 34, Cowper St, Leeds PI - upholsterer.

Sidney Harris, POW (MML), Leeds, lived in Chicago.

Bertram Harris, 24 Kerbele St, E2, aged 17 years - b. Leeds

Samuel Hanvet/Hansey, 3 Exchange St, Cheetam, Manchester - may not have gone to Spain??



Stanley Israel Brentman aka Harrison , 42, Gains Rd, Southsea, Hants, born Southwark.

Willy Heriberg, South Africa, POW.

Augustus Harris , Bootle kia 21/23 July 1937 Brunete, 29 Bandor St, Liverpool.

Jack Harris, 34 Cowper St, Leeds (MML) – brother of Alan/Abe above?.

Dr Tudor Hart (TSD), 16 King St (?) London , Chief Doctor at Mотор Hospital.

427 William Harvey/Horwitz , USA, Prago. Aka Aubrey Redman, lived 22, Whitechapel Rd and 54 Prince George St, Portsea, Portsmouth.

763 Martin Hempel , Leyton, London – kia July 1938, Ebro.

Mark Hartstein

“Jock” Charles Hyman ,123b, South Portland St., Glasgow , kia 30 March 1937, Jarama. **Member Hashomer Hatzair Zionist Socialist youth group**

Jacob Hyman/Hyman Jacobs (?) (MML).

Charles L Hart , 1, Stanmore Rd, Burley, Leeds (MML).

Simmy/Simon Hirschman/Hirshman (Simanis Hirsmanis) , born 14.2.12 in Auce, Latvia, son of Wolf and Lily nee Weinberg . His memoirs recorded by Cyril Silvertown and Martin Sugarman PI. Simmy lost all his family in The Holocaust when Latvia was overrun. Served Latvian artillery 1932-3. He served in Spain in a Balkan heavy artillery group (Kolarot), completed officers and commissars training, then in a German 11th Brigade anti-tank battery. Eventually he served in the Polish Dombrowski Battalion and witnessed the Ebro battle where most of the Botwin Company were virtually wiped out; wounded 4 times; he crossed into France with many refugees on 14 February 1939, his birthday! From 1940-47 served in the British Merchant Navy, as many IBER's were refused service in the Armed Forces and regards himself as a British veteran. Separate information and tapes in AJEX archives, with photos.

Sid Hamm, Cardiff Labour Party, kia July 1937, Brunette , 32 Lisvane St, Cathays – tbc if Jewish.

Morris Isaacs , Stepney, E.1, wia Madrid (MML).

1393 Lionel Jacobs, Nottingham, born 5, Aspland Rd, Hackney, E8 , POW March 1938, repatriated 2/39 , Gandesa . He was exchanged for Italian POW's 1939 ( MSCW p 105).

Hyman Jacobs aka Harry Jackson, born 1913, 30 Bedford St, Stepney and described in his brother Joe's book *“Out of the Ghetto”*, pub. by .J Simon 1978 (MML). POW March 1938, repatriated 2/39. Hyman witnessed many atrocities committed on Republican POW's.

Jacobs , South African pilot.

460 Lazarus Jacks/ Leslie Jacques, lived at same address as Davidovitch, 638 Seven Sisters Road, London.

431 William Frank Jacobson ,44 Winsford Terr., Edmonton, E18/N18.

Arnold Jeans, aka Geenes/Genis, b. Latvia, lived 43 Brighton Grove, Manchester, kia 19.12.36 Boadilla with Sid Avner (above).

Emmanuel “Manny” Julius , London , kia August or October, 1936 Aragon/Alcubierre. Born 25.5.1912 Westcliff-on-Sea, moved in 1925 to Brondesbury, London NW2, educated at Kilburn Grammar School. Went to Spain in late 1935 as driver and correspondent for the *“News Chronicle”* Ambulance Volunteers,

joined the militia who went on raids behind the enemy lines and he was killed. Letter from sister Faiga Olins 4.1.99, with photo.

George Jeger, 24 New Oxford St, London

Kahn? kia PI at reunion 1998, not in MSCW.

Dr Kahn, MML archive.

Arnold Kellan/Kallan, ambulance driver , MML archive.

Kagan ,wia Brunete July 1937.

Sam Kaplan kia at Fuentes de Ebro, rescuing a wounded comrade; also Lincoln Brigade.

Joe Kahn aka Raphael Cohen, Warehouseman, 37, Wellington Ave., Stamford Hill, N16, London. Information from Cyril Silvertown.

Stanislaus/Stephen Kaminiski , London (MML)/Glasgow – tbc if Jewish

Alfred Asher Keffenbaum/Kaffebrum (TNA index Foreign Office 1937), Israel/London.

1584 Jack Kramer aka John Kremner, salesman from 269 Middleton Rd, Manchester/Bolton and Birmingham, MML.

Isidore Konigsberg , 106 Cheshire St Bethnal Green , POW March 1938, repatriated 10/38(MML).

Herbert Klein, became US news correspondent for “*New Masses*” , Crook diaries.

Jacques Kaminiski (Polish/French) , Prago.

“K” Kavetsky – USA (?).

Lou Kenton, WW2 Merchant Navy PI , b. Mile End, lived Holborn, wia as medic ( see AJEX archives for detail).

Lillian Kenton, wife of Lou ,physiotherapist.

P. Kop, kia Brunete July 1937 (DD p392).

Peter Kroger aka Israel Altman aka Morris Cohen , wia Aragon 1937. Born 1910, died 1995, served 15th Abraham Lincoln Brigade/USA and with British. Born in New York of Russian - Polish parents. 1226 Sherman Ave, NYC. Fought in WW2 in the US Army in Europe. Part of the notorious Portland spy ring in 1961. Fled to UK after Rosenberg trial; exchanged for UK spy in Russia.

Dr Richard Kisch, London , wia September 1936 in Battle for Majorca (BVFL p51) . Tom Mann Centurion.

Arthur Koestler, famous Hungarian born British writer and journalist, POW.

Joachim/Joseph Kalkstein , born 21.7.20 in Berlin of Polish parents. Fought in Spain and after joined Palestine Police, Czech Legion and then the British SAS. He was kia in France 27 August 1944 and buried at the CWGC cemetery at Recey in Southern France. A sister lives on a kibbutz in Israel and a brother in New Zealand. His grave originally had a cross but a non-Jewish comrade had this changed at a ceremony in 1999.

Kraus , London PI.

Krevatitsky – 2, Lewis Bldgs., Sydney St, E1 – ret. From Spain 3/9/38 (MI5 IB TNA, Kew)

M Kuhen, Liverpool, kia Jarama February 1937 (DD).

Issy/Isidore Kupchick Canadian kia at Segovia June 1937 14<sup>th</sup> IB (BVFL photo p81).

George Leeson MSCW p 17, POW Jarama, tried in Spanish court, sentenced to death, commuted, hostage with Goldberg till after war (B15B p.199 – 95). From Dalyell Rd Brixton SW9; Bill Alexander says he was Jewish.

Bernard Lampert.

436 Conrad Levine, 22, Shore Rd , Hackney (MML)

Mathew Levin/Levine (MML) ,Caerphilly.

1395 Maurice Elijah Levy, 33, Ridley Rd, Dalston, (MML).

Bert “Yank” Levy , 319 Glengarry Ave, Windsor, Ontario – served also with Macpaps and was SOE Guerrilla trainer in WW2 UK

434 Alf Levy , 123, Stepney Green Bldgs., E1 (MML).

Reuben J. Lewis , 15 Sydney Sq, Stepney (MML).

Sydney Lewis, London , kia July 1938 Gandesa (MML) – lived Block 7, Princlet St, E1.

Joseph Levinsky, Chicago, served with British, wia Jarama 20/3/37

600 Cecil M. Louis, 14 Sandringham Rd, Golders Green , Air Force air mechanic (MML).

M Landau, London.

David Lomon – see Solomon, below

1420 Alfred Litchfield , alias Lichtfeld kia Gandesa 7<sup>th</sup> July 1938 – c/o L Soller, 115 Rossmore Ct, W1.

Pincus Percy Ludwick , Chief Engineer of the 5<sup>th</sup> Brigade, born Oct. 1908 London, lived Manchester. His father was born Minsk and returned to Russia and kia 1920 in Civil War against Whites. After Spain Percy served in the Soviet Air Force in WW2; details at MML including his unpublished book. Married Sasha, lived Russia after WW2.

Samuel R. Lee aka Levy , 29 Norcott Rd., Stamford Hill, N16, London, kia 23-27 February 1937 Jarama with Lincoln bat. , only son of Mr and Mrs Levy of Hoxton Rd, London, N1. Entry in Jewish Chronicle of 28/2/41 page 3 . Other sources say with the Irish Connolly column. Believed sent home at one point, for misbehaviour

1207 Ariel Levine, 40 Parliament Fields, Hampstead, London kia March 1938 31<sup>st</sup> Aragon/Caspe.

1241 Lt Frank/Ernest/Ephraim Lesser PI, Hackney.

Jack Victor Levy aka Lewis, London

Sam/Manassa Lesser aka Russell wia ankle and back 28.12.36 (MSCW pp.23/4) , 39/89 Lauriston Rd, Hackney E9, brother of Frank above.

Simon Lipschitz, b. Poland, from Haifa, Israel, returned Israel 1939

601 Maurice Levine , 63, Kings Rd., Prestwich, Manchester, a tailor’s cutter , author of “*Cheetham to Cordova*” published by the Manchester Jewish Museum, 1984, by Neil Richardson. Levine was a veteran of the Kinder Scout Trespass, was twice wia in Spain (firstly at Brunete) and was in WW2 ( page 80 MSCW). Maurice was guard over Col. Delasalle the night he was shot for treason. He also saw Josip Broz (TITO) in Spain even though Tito denied being there.

Moritz Levy/Loewy, born 13.9.1921, Czech, fought in No 3 Jewish Troop, No 10 Commando as Maurice Latimer and fought at Dieppe, Normandy and Walcheren.

Morry Levitus/Levitas POW March 1938 by Italians at San Pedro Camp, repatriated 2/39 (PI) of 3, Durward St./78 Brady St Mans., E1. Originally from Dublin , he was the only Irish Jewish volunteer from a tiny community. Son of Harry (born Kovno and came to Ireland 1912) and Leah nee Rick, he was born 1.2.17 at 8, Warren St, Dublin, educated at St Peter’s Church of Ireland School. Family went to Glasgow

1927 and London 1931. Morry served WW2 RAMC Burma, became a plumber after and then lecturer, then taught in East Germany.

Paul Lewis aka S Silver, 36, Hallswell Rd., Golders Green, London PI ; veneer worker. Mother French, he later lived in Australia.

Arthur Lerner , 39 Alkham Rd, Stoke Newington/ also Canada , POW March 1938, repatriated 5.2.39.

Maurice Linden, aka Lubliner – from Kirkaldy, Scotland, medical services

Cecil Frederick Mennel , Canada/ 44 Seymour St., Camden ,London , 1938 kia at Terruel , PI Joe Garber.

Alan Marks aka Jacsensky , tailor , 6, Craven St., E1 London kia, July 1937 Brunete.

Sam (Simon) Masters aka Morris Simon, 16/110, Newark St., E1 London, kia July 1937 Brunete. Cited for “coolness and efficiency”, MML archive.

George Mayer – discharged as medically unfit

Joe Maisters , 82 Grange Ave., Leeds PI.

Martin Messer , Glasgow and 26 Lydon Rd SW4, kia 20 December 1936 Boadilla, CO British 4<sup>th</sup> Machine Gun Coy.

Mike Milton aka Wolf Kupinsky, born USA, lived Oxford

1340 Maurice/Sam/ Lionel Miller , 47, Morpeth St, Hull, kia Aug 1938 Ebro/Sierra Pandols, Hill 666.

Jacob Nus Mendel, pilot from Jo'burg South Africa.

Dr Minkoff, worked with nurse Goldin/Spiegel (MML), Bulgarian via UK.

1348 Alex Marcovitch ,tailor, 415 Eglinton St., Glasgow (MML).

Morris Mendelson , 135 Wellington Rd South, Stockport, Manchester (MML), upholsterer.

Montague Mandell , 16 Aristotle Rd, Clapham (MML) and Manchester ,kia July or Feb 1937 Brunete/Jarama.

Marcel Montague , Richmond Rd, W12, London.

David Mindline aka Danker, 25 Shakespeare Gdns, NW10 Finchley/45 Marlborough St, W1 (MML).

1093 William Moses aka W Stewart (MML) , 127 East Rd, London N1, plumber, army no 143424, Canadian (?) – kia??.

Phil Morris, 33, Cambridge Bldgs., Darling Row E1, London – kia 2 February 1937 Jarama .

Bert Masky, aka Barnet Masanskey, 167, Lloyd St/ 61 Moreton St, Manchester (CTC p39), kia Arganda Bridge olive groves, Jarama 12.2.37 or POW - not known. Born Lithuania. Sister married to Sam Wild.

Anton Miles , 1, Stapleton Villas, Wadsworth Rd/Wordsworth Rd , Stoke Newington, N16.

Wolf Nathan aka William - POW 3/38 , repat. 10/38 – fruiterer and seaman, Aubrey's Fruit Store, Newington Green N16/12 Challis Ct, Commercial Rd. E1 - boxed under name of Jock McGregor

A S Nathan - London - KIA July 1937, Brunete

David H. Newman – 54, South Rd, Edmonton, N9 (ML)

1399 Max Nash aka Nunez/Nashitz - Sephardi from 13 Clarence Gdns, Clarence Rd, Hackney, London - KIA Ebro/Gandesa July/Aug 1<sup>st</sup> 1938 by a sniper.

Major George Montague Nathan, b. 1896, WW1 Professional Guards Officer or NCO, POW 1917-1918 - Brigade Staff and Operations Officer in Spain, smart, pipe-smoking with clipped moustache, from Bethnal Green, London, and Manchester , arrived Spain 1936 – kia 16 July 1937 at Torra le Donas, Brunete, constantly exposing himself to enemy fire with his pistols, officers riding boots and riding crop. He was accused by some comrades for being with the Black and Tans in Ireland, and accused of murder in Limerick, but acquitted at an informal hearing of any misdeeds. He was wia by aerial bomb shrapnel organising withdrawal at Brunete in Guadarrama hills, and died in Madrid. Nathan had been the first CO of the British No 1 Company Nov/Dec 1936 (see above), Staff Officer and later Chief of Staff of 15<sup>th</sup> Battalion , CO of 11<sup>th</sup> battalion and of the 14<sup>th</sup> Brigade, and First CO of the Dumont Batallion on Madrid and Cordoba fronts (Fred Copeman, British Batallion Roll of Honour, 1939, courtesy of Louis Stoller of Leeds). Owing to his great popularity and well known contempt for danger, he was given a funeral with full military honours when buried. Melody Buckley of USA and Ireland working on his biography.

Alfred H Needleman, 420, Mare St, Hackney/ 8 Junction Place, Amhurst Rd., Hackney, London (PI) , POW March 1938, repatriated 10/38.

1379 Michael Nuns aka Emile Pezzaro kia Aragon March 1938, of 107, Mt Pleasanr Lane, Clapton E5, Hackney.

Nurse Jeanette Opman aka “Jadzka” and “Juanita” from Vilna via France, information from Len Crome (Len says there were dozens of Jewish women fighters and nurses especially from Poland and Czechoslovakia - PI).

Samuel G. Paesta/Paster, Stepney/Hammersmith , wia Madrid Nov/Dec 1936, No 1 Coy, 3<sup>rd</sup> Section, with Thaelmann Brig. (MML); probably alternative name for Sam Masters.

Elliott Paul , journalist and author of “*Life and Death of a Spanish town*”.

Avigdor Pickholz , born 1915 in Poland and lived in Essen, Germany, and Paris. He was wia and died Gibraltar 1938/9. Two brothers lived in Israel.

Marc Persoff/Perzoff/Penzoff , Swiss – kia 20/3/37 Jarama (MML).

Leslie Praegar, Victoria Park, Manchester , Ambulance unit.

Edward “Ernie” Paul, 71 Malham Rd., Forest Hill London , seaman, kia February 1937 Jarama.

1553 Michael/Michaelis Pavlov , London (MML) , possibly a Greek Jew from Cyprus or Polish - tbc? Also served Lincoln Brigade – info from Paul Phillipou who is half Jewish and half Cypriot!

Dr Ruth Prothero, b. Leipzig

Stephen Pollak, b. Berlin, lived Chelsea and Stepney E1

866 Richard Harry Pressman, 63, Higher Carbridge St/64 Brook St, Manchester , Anti Aircraft Batallion (MML) .

Bert Ramelson , Leeds (MSCW p 92) born Bachran/Baruch Ramelson/Ramilevich in, Cherkassy Ukraine, 22.3.10, lived first in Canada as a child in 1921 in Edmonton, Alberta. Was a University law graduate, but went to Spain 24.8.37 as a Lieutenant and fought on the Ebro and Aragon fronts in the Canadian Macpaps (McKenzie-Pappineau Batallion) and was twice wounded. Returned to UK March 1939 to Royal Tank

Corps in WW2, POW at Tobruk in 1941 and in Italy, escaped after 2 years and then served in the army in India. Later on executive of British Communist Party. Died 13<sup>th</sup> April 1994.

Louis Rosenbloom, possibly from Manchester, one of 3 brothers who served also in WW2 – information from family. May have used an alias in Spain

Phil Richards , an alias for Caplan, after Richard St, off Canon St Road E1, where he lived, and 83, Shirland Gardens, Maida Vale, W7 - information from childhood friend Louis Stoller of Leeds (letter Sept. 1999). He was a lightweight boxing champion and killed in Spain at Jarama 12/2/37.

Monty/Maurice Rosenfeld/ Rosenfield (BVFL p246) – 17 Granton St/46 Lord St, Cheetham, Manchester, killed in Italy in WW2, won MM in Italy.

Reginald Rose, Elgin Cres, Paddington – tbc if Jewish

David Rosenberg, joined from Belgium, family in UK.

A. Rubens ,Cheetham, Manchester – found to be under age and repatriated.

Gen. Yaakov Vladimirovich Smushkevich (“Douglas”) , Senior Air Force adviser and pilot and de facto Commander (Russian). Stern/Shtern and he were all later recalled to Moscow and executed by Stalin.

Arthur Stakewski/Stashevsky , Polish/Russian and economic adviser to Republican Government, later executed by Stalin.

Jacques Sokel/Sokol, 112 Carleton Rd, N7, Polish born, killed on board ship ‘City of Barcelona’ (MML and J Carmody).

Joseph Samson (MML).

David Samson.

Alfred (later SIR) Sherman aka Theodor Vladimir Carmel, born 19 Median Rd., Clapton, London/40 Amhurst Pk/5, temple hse, Southwold rd, E5 b. 10.11.1919, POW March 1938, repatriated 10/38, married to Zahava nee Levin, also fought in WW2 , was journalist for Jewish Chronicle and Daily Telegraph post war, economic advisor to Israeli and British Governments, fellow of LSE, a member of The West London Synagogue. Died 2006.

Alan Sheller/Alick , Stepney ,Tom Mann Centurion.

Louis Shine/Schein, b. in Whitechapel – of 4 Gardiner Ave., Cricklewood , POW (MML). Recruited by General Morris ‘Two Gun’ Cohen from Norwood orphanage

450 Alec Terry “Tiny” Silverman , 4 or 7, Beaumont Sq, E1 (MML).

Louis Silverstein , 7, Darnley Rd, Hackney E9 (MML).

Nathan aka “Nicholas” Segal OR Cohen , 7, Connaught Rd, West Ham , London , killed 27 December 1936/37 Cordoba/Lopera, cut down by aircraft machine gun fire.

R L Samuel.

Charles Percy Santor, 1, Quantock Hse, Lynmouth Rd, Hackney, N16

Frank Squires aka Antrim – wife Jewish and son live in Jerusalem, Israel.

Gerald Shirlaw/Steele, b. Poland, from Liverpool

Alfred Sterling/Stirling also of Sheffield – lived 74 Manor Rd, Stoke Newington, b. Ukraine 1899 – real name Jacob Schwartz – POW WW2

Harry Strauss, b. UK but served with Thaelmann's

547 Victor Shammah, 116, Burton Rd, Withington, Manchester, k/a March 1938 Aragon, letters at MML archive.

J G Schwitzer, Czech born 8.3.1920, fought No 3 Jewish Troop, No 10 Commando in WW2 as Tommy Swinton.

Jack Sherpenzeel/Sherpenell, London, k/a 31 July 1938 Ebro, from Maaschavenbib, Rotterdam.

Dr Randall/Randolph Sollenberger, from Baltimore USA and Highland Falls NY, working at St Mary's Hospital, London (Paddington), Manchester (Bury Infirmary) and USA. Was in 11<sup>th</sup> Brigade, Edgar Andre Battalion, surgeon and anesthetist, short, stout, bearded, with a slight speech impediment. Refused to stay at base but kept in the front line with his men, often taking up arms to fight. Later served 15<sup>th</sup> Brigade, dressing many wounded in exposed positions at Mosquito Hill, Brunete. He was k/a tending wounded in his truck after running back and forth all day, rallying men all the time to fight, July 1937 Brunete; he pioneered the use of a mobile operating theatre.

Nathan Steigman, baker, 65 Greenfield St., E1, London, k/a 27 February 1937 Jarama.

John Stevens, aka Moses Myer Nagelman, Norwood orphan, engineer from 15 Highbury Hill, Islington, murdered whilst a POW Feb 1937 Jarama with Elias, 381 Mile End Rd.

David Smulevitch m, Polish, took part in Auschwitz uprising of October 1944 (Prago).

Jack/John Sylvester aka Silverstone, 60, Church St/45 Redchurch St, Bethnal Green/, London, student at Shoreditch Technical College, k/a February 1937 Jarama.

Stephen Spender, Jewish writer and poet.

1171 Sam/Charles Spiller, London, PI Joe Garber.

718 Sidney Silvert/Silver, 26a Hewitt St/26 Perth St, Manchester (MML).

Solomon Simon, 17 Broughton St., Cheetham, Manchester (MML), tailor.

163 Ernest W. Spenger/Sprenger, 26, Greenham Rd, Muswell Hill, London m/a/w/a Caspe, 3/38(MML).

Moses Stang – 13, Brixton Hill Rd, Brixton (MML).

Joseph Sloan, Kilburn

1274 Leslie and Edward Starr, 41, Fairey/Fairway Lane, Bury New Rd., Manchester 8 (MML) – TWO brothers (James Carmody).

Jack/George Stone aka H G Levenstern/Levenstein, London.

1543 David Solomon aka Lomon, POW March 1938, repatriated 10/38, salesman of 60, Gore Rd, Victoria Pk., Hackney E9. Later served worldwide in Royal Navy in WW2. When he died in 2013 he was the last Jewish UK veteran of the SCW, after Phil Tammar, who died in Jan 2014.

G Silverstone, Norveegan St, Copenhagen, Denmark.

Jack/George Stone/Silverstone, London (Crook diaries MML).

Vladimir Sheraman, London.

Gordon Leslie Siebert, West Ham and 45 Grange Rd, Chigwell.

Geoffrey Servantes, 40a Amhurst Pk, Stamford Hill N16 b. Scotland (?)

Rafael Schaltz w/a (MML), USA? Survived sinking of *SS City of Barcelona* 30.5.37.

Maurice Stott, 131, Sandy Lane, Rochdale k/a 12.3.37, Jarama.

Maurice Swindells (“Eddie”), 15 Clifton Ave., Manchester, kia February 1937 Jarama.

Joseph Selligman aka Frank Neary, student of 1415 Willow Ave, Louisville, Kentucky USA

John Sommerfeld aka Sommerfield, London , Commune de Paris Batallion, 125<sup>th</sup> Brig., Madrid.

Julian Sanders/Saunders , Clapton, London , POW March 1938.

Ronald A. Robert Symes , London , died of wounds Casa de Campo Nov/Dec 1936, Madrid; from Hants., possibly not Jewish.

Paul Schuster , South Africa, Thaelmann Batallion.

J. or G. Slavenberg.

Conrad Singer /Chuna Zhinger, served Rumanian Army, Anna Paulker Battery in Spain . Was wia battle of Teruel and later served WW2 French Foreign Legion. Was POW, liberated and joined British Army , lived in Blackpool after War (MML), died Oct 2006.

1426 Alf Salisbury, b 1907 , 11 Sydney Sq, Stepney, parents refugees from Riga, booklet at MML archive.

Isidore Springer, Polish, later in the “Red Orchestra” spy ring against the Nazis (Prago).

Robert Silcock, Liverpool , POW with M. Goldberg and G Leeson; Bill Alexander says he was Jewish but the family refute this.

917 Jack Shaw/Schukman/Shore of 47, Fieldgate Mansions, Myrdle St, E1 (PI ), born 1917 Stepney , retired cab driver.

C. Simmons kia 27/2/37 Jarama (?) aka Charles John Fairbank, born Portsmouth, possibly not Jewish

333 Robert Andrew Sloss (? Tbc if Jewish)

Morris Simon, b. Bulgaria.

Isidore Sonin, husband of Natalie of Whitechapel; see obituary of David Sonin in Times 11/6/08

Sam Smil, wia Jarama , Romanian lived in London . After was interned in France and then offered French nationality by General Weygand to join the Foreign Legion as did many Spanish Civil War veterans. Fought at Narvik in 1940 , escaped by boat to UK and joined the British army.

General Emilio/Emile/Grigori Kleber CO International Bnigade , aka Morris or Manfred /Lazar/ Stern/Feteke, born Czernowitz, Russia 1896/8 (?) , where there is a street named after him. He was captured as an officer in the Austro-Hungarian cavalry in 1916 in WW1 then fought against Whites in Red Army as commissar of a partisan unit 1921 , wia several time. He then fought Japanese and Czechs in Soviet Far East, advised Chinese 1933 , was Chief Soviet advisor to Spanish High Command. Later he lived in Canada , charismatic defender and saviour of Madrid commanding 11<sup>th</sup> Int. Brig. and later 45<sup>th</sup> Div. June 1937. Possibly murdered in Stalin’s purges in 1954/1938 (?). ARE MANFRED AND GRIGORI STERN TWO DIFFERENT PEOPLE??

638 Lewis James Stansfield, alias?? - 39, Cuthbert St , Newton, Manchester.

Ernest Spenger, 26 Greenham Rd (?)

873 J. (?) Samson Tobias, 6 Cricketfield Rd. Clapton, E5.

Phil Tammer /Tammar aka Diamond , 134 Vallance Rd, E2, b. 1915, father of Maxine, died 2014 - POW March 1938, repatriated 10/38 (MML). – the last Jewish SCW veteran in UK

Louis Tanklevitch/Tankovitch , 38 Fortescue St, Liverpool, kia March or July 1938 Ebro/Gandesa with Lincolns/Washingtons. Also of 15 Dardew Ct, N12.



Victor Tabbush , b. Cairo, lived 49, Weston Pk, N8, London.

Abraham Trauber, 3, Dundridge Place, Bethnal Green, kia September 1938 Ebro.

Ena Vassie, Czech nurse (PI).

H. Wise ,London, kia Janury 1937, Cordoba.

Ernie Wooley an alias – b. Manchester, of 9 Bishpan Ave, Redditch, kia behind the lines as an agent

Claude Warsaw/Warson /Warsow, born 9/10/1906 or 03 Southsea, Hants , RAF 1926-31, FO 101 Bomber Sqdn in Palestine and Egypt , c/o Hampden Club, NW1. Served in Andre Malraux Sqdn in Spain kia 26.9.36 Toledo/Taluvera and given full Jewish funeral. Left a father and widow and daughter ; see AJEX files from Daily Express and Foreign Office. Son of Joshua Warsow, Turkish national..

George Westfield , an alias, from 159, Grove Rd, Liverpool/Manchester 8 (?), kia October 1937 Aragon/Fuente del Ebro.

Frederick Weinbusch/Wimbush, of Donegal St, Pitsea and London W11

Alec Wainman of Oxford – tbc if Jewish

Jack S. White, 52, Myrdle St, E1, London, kia 13 February 1937, Jarama.

1055 Wilfred/Alfred Winnick , machinist of 8, Eastham Ave., Fallowfield Manchester (MML).

Albert Wallace, alias, Cheetham, Manchester.

Sam Wagenheim, Leeds , MSCW p 92-3.

Mick White, brother of Jack kia, 10, King John St, London, E1, tailor.

Jack/James Wolfe, 11, St Margaret's Rd, Hillingdon, London, b. Plymouth, **member Hashomer Hatzair Zionist Socialist youth group**, kia Aug 1937 Belchite. Possibly survived

Bernard G Winfield, 76, St Answell Rd, Nottingham - kia 19/1/38 Teruel.

Harry Wise , 20, Kenmount Gdns, NW10, London - kia 12/1/38 Las Rozas.

Charles Wightloff – an alias - from Margate

1251 Pantelis/Zacharia Zachriov/Zachriou, London (MML) , Greek, WiA (?). Lived 74, Berwick St – tbc if Jewish – info Paul Phillipou

501 Doumont Z(S)ubchaninov , 15 Sandcroft Abbey, SE2 (MML), aka Jim Ruskin IB interpreter from Russia , linguist and transmissions officer.

### **THE JAROSLAV DOMBROWSKI BRIGADE**

**The Polish Jewish Volunteers - extracted mostly from “No Passeran – Polacy w Wojnie Hiszpnskiej” ( Polish Participation in the Spanish Civil War) pub. by Ministry of Defence, Warsaw, 1963 by Simon Hirshman and DD. Other names come from Szurek’s book “The Shattered Dream”. The Polish battalions were the last to leave Spain. The first Polish and Italian Jewish volunteers fought at Irun on Aug 28<sup>th</sup> 1936 (DD p33)**

**Four of the 22 Committee members of the surviving 500 Polish Brigade after the war, which gathered in February 1939 at the beaches of St Cyprien in Southern France, with the survivors of the IB and the Republican army, were Jews**

Sgt Chaim Jungman

Capt. Julian Kirchner, kia with Polish Partisans

Capt Seweryn Sewe Kirszenbaum, kia with French Partisans

Capt. Emanuel Mundek Mink, CO of the Jewish Botwin bat. (which had its own Yiddish newspaper, flag and language of command) and French Resistance WW2. Born 23.4.1913 in Tomaszov, Poland – lived Paris after WW2.

**Other ranks**

Abram Abramovicz, KIA 1936 defence of Madrid, Casa de Campo

Abram “The Blockhead” – Botwins - TSD

Abram Abramovich – tank commander (Russian) KIA Brunete in 1937 with 108<sup>th</sup> Brigade (TSD).

Nachni Abramowich

Godel Abramovitch

Bronislaw Abramowski

Krasny Abrascha – fought with Thaelmann’s (?)

Marian Abramczyk – machine gunner – TSD

Gabriel Adler

Joseph Adler aka Feldman - died 1955 Poland

Maurycy Adler

Maurice Aisenberg (French)

Moryc Aizenberg (French) KIA 1937

Severyn Ajzner aka “Victor” – war correspondent - TSD

Tovie “Mick” Aizen aka Tadek aka Alek Tmoasz kia Estramadura

Victor Seweryn Aizner aka “Wiktorek”

Aron Aker

Ms. Golda Akerman murdered by the Nazis

Weronika “Vera” Akerman aka Wera

Aksenberg

Salomon Albaum

Albeck

Simcha Albert

Moise Alcobitz – Turkish - Botwins

David Aleksandrowicz KIA with Polish Partisans

Waclaw Aleksandrowicz

Jacob Aleksandrowicz

Efraim Altenberg died in Australia

Aleksander Alter

Simon Alter

Lazar Althausser

Dr Josef Altman

Ms Sara “Ala” Altman

Maurice Maryc Amtler - disappeared in Toulouse fighting Nazis

Alfred Angersztain

Anka aka Paris

Jacob Aronowicz/Aronovich - died Belgium

Leizor Aronowicz

Mans/Max Aronowicz aka Michel  
Josef Leon Aronson  
Adrian Aronson  
B Aronson  
Alfred Augersztajn – engineer – TSD  
Jacob Augustin  
Chaim Augarten – France – aka Rzeszow, wia Spain and fought in French Resistance  
Aaron Aumont aka Butkow  
Boris Aszychmin

Edwin Bachman  
Jacub Bachrach - UK  
Dr “Kuba” Bachrach - TSD  
Natan Badian  
Josef Balcen - died in Warsaw Ghetto uprising  
Isaak Szumon Bailowicz b. 1906, brother of Wolf, below, kia 1943 with Kostcinko Division  
Wolf Bailowicz b. Mlawa, Poland 1902 aka Vovke – lived France, kia  
Jerzy Bajer  
Izaak Bajlowiez  
Josef Balcerzak - shot by Nazis 1942  
Banamerzyk  
Pejsach Baranczuk died in Anjele sur Iller camp, France  
Peissach Baranek  
Stephane Barsoni  
Lombard Baruach  
Josef Baruak  
Jacub Baruch  
Abraham “Motke” Basok kia 1938 at Syre/Ebro  
Leszek Eliaz Bastocki (“Red Thread”) – a Commissar – TSD  
Dr Simon/Szmuel Baulka - TSD  
Leon Baum/Boim kia Madrid  
Bora Baumacz  
Isaak Baumel aka Lombard – shot by Nazis  
Geoge Beck  
Elias Begelman (Russian)  
Bekasinski  
Elizabeth Bekier  
Alexander Beker aka Ferry (?)  
Szmuel Ben  
Leon Liova Bengom  
Josef Benda  
Samuel Benmordchaj  
Samuel Baumorojchaj – USA  
Bengold – pilot  
Luis Betschner  
Samuel Ber  
Berenstajn  
Alex “Ferry” Olek Bekier – Commissar 5<sup>th</sup> Corps - TSD  
Mendel Berestecki  
Mendel Berenstecki  
Adolf Berger  
Antoni Berger  
Lea Berger  
Rafal Berger/Eleazar Berger /Grunbaum - journalist

Rozalia Berger  
 Samuel Berger  
 Abram Berger  
 Mayer Berger  
 Samuel Berliner  
 Abram Bereman  
 Maurycy "Marek" Berman  
 Abram Berman  
 Wolf Berman  
 K. Bernstein  
 A. Bernstein  
 L. Bernstein  
 Micha Bernstein  
 Chaim Besser  
 Zygmunt Besser  
 Herst Henrtk Bialawaz  
 Abraham Bielenki/Bielinski - kia Spain  
 Wolf Bielowicz  
 Jacub Biezywski  
 Boleslaw "Bolek" Bilgrajer  
 Zysza Birencwaig  
 Bernard Birman  
 Henach Beankrot/Heinich Blankrot - kia Madrid/Zaragossa - from Kalisz, Poland.  
 Ernest Blank aka "Karl" German Commissar kia Granollers 1938.  
 Jonasz "Jonas" Blejwas/Bleisweis  
 Lucja Blic  
 Leon Blic  
 Blicban – aka Skorupinski – emigrated to Israel – died 1985 - TSD  
 Morris Blizbau – POW aged 26  
 Jadwiga Bloch  
 Michael Bron – Coy. Cmdr. - TSD  
 Salomon Blocian  
 Marcel Bociar  
 Marcek Boczar - murdered by Nazis in French Resistance  
 Jonas Brodtkin – born Turkish Palestine – expelled to Austria, lived France, WIA Spain (lost a leg) – TSD.  
 Jeehok/Isaac Blumenkrauc/krantz  
 Dr Blumenstein  
 Marian Boben - Israel  
 Gerszon Dua Bogen - died Poland 1948  
 Jakob Bornsztajn  
 Leon Borenstajn  
 Chaim Borenstein  
 Marian Borenstajn  
 Monieck Borenstein  
 Lowa Borsuk  
 Efroim Borys  
 Pawel Borys  
 Mayer Boski  
 Samuel Max Bot kia Spain – from Lublin  
 Boruchowski  
 Brand  
 Fanny/Freda Bre - nurse  
 Breuer  
 Brener  
 Moryc Bresler

Josef Brikner kia Lerida, 1938, Spain  
Jerzy Brin/Bron  
Jonas Brodtkin – b 1901, wia Ebro – died Israel 1985  
Jerzy Bromberg  
Isaac Bronstein (Russian)  
Zelig Bronstein - pilot  
Mietek Broniatowski from Czenstochow  
Josek Bruchner from Rzeszow kia  
Dr Josef Bryl/Brill  
Helena Brzostoska – nurse  
Wincenty Brzozka  
Hersz Brzustowski  
Felix “Fajka” Bulinski  
Boleslaw “Simon” Bulka  
Ms Frida Buchbinder - murdered by Nazis in Holocaust  
Szmul Buchhendler  
Miguel Bukovic, labourer aged 34 – Hung.  
Benjamin Burg – b. 1916 Tchernowitz - kia  
Jozef Burka  
Abram Bursztyn - kia Spain 1938

Jose Campillo  
Ignace Cantor  
Celemayer  
“Carlos” – from Argentina, a Commissar - TSD  
Boris Cejtis – Latvian kia Guadalquivir - TSD  
Chaim Chari  
Jaszar Chein – born Vilna, educated Berlin – Officer in German Thaelmann Brigade, 11<sup>th</sup> Coy. – TSD.  
Boris Chein, brother – died 1975 Paris.  
Pinkus Chaite died 1952 USSR  
Abraham Chaikin  
Abram Chapel  
Abraham Chaskiel  
Kazimierz “Winkler” Chichowski  
Christian  
Joseph Chmarnik  
Abram Chroskiel – Belgium  
Leon Chrzastowski  
Chwat  
Simche Cialek - died with French Resistance  
Herman Cohn  
Roza Cretien  
Boleslaw Cugowski  
Chaim Emile Cukier – b. 1919 Radom, 12 in family of 13 – kia Madrid  
Fischel Cukierman  
Jankel Cukierman/Jaime Chukiermann (??)  
Tadeusz “Wladyslaw Stopczyk” Cwik  
Israel Cyngiser  
Zelik Cyngiser  
Leon Cyngiser  
Jacob Cyngiser  
Natan Czak - kia 1937 madrid  
Franck Czaplinski – machine gunner former French Legionnaire – TSD

Leopold Czernick  
Leon Czopek aged 41 - POW

Salomon Damrun  
Dantzig  
Szymon Daroszewski  
Julio David aged 33 – Hungary  
Dawidko  
Adam Dawidowicz  
Leon Dawidowicz  
Dekhtyar/Dekhtar, Fydor – Soviet pilot mia 1937 but esc. to France and UK, served in British Army in Palestine - last known in Israel in 1946

Izaak Derowicz  
Henri Deutsch  
Henri/Henryk Deutscher - France  
Moise Diner/Dines  
Azrie Dierschman (Russian)  
Stanislaw Dobrowski POW  
Gerson Dona  
Karol Dorfman  
Dorka - TSD  
Elie Drabinek  
Bernard Driva  
Szmelke Drozkarz  
Gershon Dua-Bogen (Prago)  
Izaak Duczkin  
Salomon Dvorin  
Enzebiusz Dworkin  
Grzegorz “Gricha” Dzierzowski

Fanny Edelman nee Jabcovsky, from Argentina – died 2011 aged 100 yrs  
Josef Edenhofer – aka Pepe – Czech ambulance driver - TSD  
Jakub “Wolf Eimerl” Ehrlich/ “Karol” - died of wounds 1937 Spain  
Simon Eiber  
Simon Eicher – USSR  
T Einhorn (Rom.)  
Beniamin Ekstein kia 1938 Spain  
Szloma Elbaum b. 1911 Chelm - kia Gandesa 1938  
Szmuel Elbaum  
Michal Eilbaum  
Lipa Eiss (Pol/Fr)  
Szimen Elbaum  
Ms Zofia Senia Elingen - murdered at Auschwitz  
Chaim Elkon/Elkron kia Ciudad Universitaria, Madrid (see Israel list)  
Josef Elkon  
Doctor Zofia “Sonia” Ellinger  
Mattes Elman  
Israel Englender  
Hersz Enis  
Pavel Epstein  
Col. Josef Epszstein aka Gilles – shot by Nazis  
Pinkus Erlich - died Paris

Dr Gabriel Ersler aka "Gabrish" – studied Switzerland, MO 13<sup>th</sup> Brigade – in French resistance WW2 –  
TSD – left Poland for Israel in 1968  
S. Erlich – 3<sup>rd</sup> Coy. Mieckiewicz Bat.  
Urko Erlich  
Miriam Esther

Josef Faifer  
Lt Henry Fajbushak  
Jozef Fajtyk  
Emanuel Faingelerut - died Poland  
Adolf Fajerajzen  
Moise Faingeld  
Moniek Faingold – b. 1907 in Lodz, lived in Paris  
Mojzez "Wonka" Faingold  
Zsmul Fainkwas  
Faiwuszewitz  
Feliks Fajbusiak  
Michal "Jaroslaw Tichy" Fajgman  
Teofil Fajka  
Maurice Fayuns/Fajuns/Fains  
C Falk  
Motel Mauryey "Schwartzter" Faltenberg Lenoir died 1959 USSR  
Schlomo Feburan  
Schmaia Feder  
Shmarie-Ozias Feder  
Abram Feterberg  
Alter Fainzylberg  
Samson Feinzilber  
Fischel Fefer – killed by Nazis  
Wiker Fejgin  
Herman Feld

J Feld  
Leon Feldmann  
Stefan "Szloma Salomon" Felman  
Dr Felix  
David Felsaistain kia Ebro 1938  
Felz  
Jeanne/Jeanette Ferry/Block - 14<sup>th</sup> Brigade (?)  
Abram Feterberg  
Saloman Feuerberger  
Leib Szmuel Fidel  
Mieczyslaw Fiala (Fialkowski)  
Leib Samuel Fidel  
Koppel Fiderer  
Janek Josef Figlarz  
Moise Fiks  
Szmul "Stach" Fidel b Stasiow 1912, lived Belg., kia Guadalajara 14.1.37  
Bernard Finkelstein  
Ilya Finn, Russian Jewish pilot (Jan Safarik web site)  
Hersz Henryk Finkestajn kia 1938  
Mojzese Fisz kia 1938  
Moise Fisch  
Wolf Fischer

Abram Fiszelson  
Fefer Fiszek - kia in French Partisans  
Jonas Naftali Fiszek/Fiszman  
Moritz Fischman  
Nachman Feek/Felk - escaped internment camp at Argeles but was betrayed and murdered at Dachau  
Bernard Flam

Dr Major Stanislaw (Moishe) Flato, Polish Army, later served in China and Burma against Japanese, died Berlin 1972 – TSD. Is this Samuel/Victor/Mejcz Flato, CO 35<sup>th</sup> Div. Medical unit??

Menachem Fleg/Fleck – murdered by Nazis fighting in the Resistance in France

Walenty Flesar  
Simon Sumon Flok/Flek  
Dr. Andre Flohrberbaum  
Maria Fortus (Russ.)  
Franciek  
Leizer Frajol/Frajd  
Jan Franckawiak  
Eliezer Freid  
Dr Theodore Frankel  
Jacub Frankenstein  
Symcha Frenkel  
Pavel Friedman  
Leon Friedman – Argentina  
Oscar Friszwasser  
Abram Frizer  
Leon Fritz  
Bernard “Jam” Frejtkes  
Herman Frogel  
Zdzislav Fruchter, nurse  
Gustav Frumer  
Frydman living in Varsovie  
Boleslaw Fucks  
Albert Furman  
Slozinez Fursa

Aron/Arnold Gabrier  
Jan Gabrowski POW  
Baruch Gaelet  
Zygmunt Gal  
Josef Galant - kia 1938  
Jaime Gallego  
Gartenbaum  
Gayman-Tenenbaum – nurse  
Joseph Gdula  
Anna Gecow

Jonas Geduldung aka Michele Martiniak – shot by Nazis in French Partisans 21.2.44 in Paris , buried Ivry – TSD.

Isak/Sasha Ghelbruch  
Leon Cukier Geler  
Andre Gellert  
Josef Gelert



Maks Geller/Galer aka Seiger  
Guta Geliebter  
Gelman  
Gelman (Fr)  
Josef Gerlach  
Vida Geza – Roumanian artist – fought in French and Roumanian Resistance.  
Zelek Gingiser  
Jehuda Gilary  
Symcha Giolek  
Maks Giller  
Arnold Ginsburg  
Josef Zdizslaw Kolbinsky Glazer - kia 1937 Barcelona  
Jan Gluck  
Wolf Gluckewstajn/Glicenstein (Russian/French?)  
Dr Jacob Glushkin

Leon/Staniśla Godlenski  
Kasimir Godlenski  
Joseph Goerlich  
Michalak Gold /Sewek  
Efraim Goldart  
Jacques/Isaac/Icek Goldbaum  
Josef Goldberg  
David Goldberg  
Emmanuel Goldberg  
Ivan Goldeszczuk (Ukrainian)  
Jacob Goldgevicht

Lt Adolphe Goldgewicht – Belgian Resistance, deported to Nordhausen – died 3 months after liberation aged 30 years.

Leon Goldgrub/Goldgrab  
Adolf Goldhar  
Charles Goldhar (?)  
Szyja Goldhar  
Simon/Freud/Willi Goldhar/Goldean  
Jacob Goldricht  
Abram Goldring  
Henry Goldschal  
Chaskiel Goldsztein  
Leo Goldgrael  
Eliasz Goldhamer kia 1938  
Abram Goldman  
Chaskiel Goldman  
Jakub Goldman  
Josef Fiszal Goldman  
Michal Goldring  
Metel Goldryn  
Chaskiel Goldstein  
Goleneler  
Sigmund Golenbiowski  
Marcin Golenbiasz  
Leon Goll  
Jan Golinski

Szymon Gombowski  
Zygmunt Gombiewski  
Michal Gorenczack  
Aron Gorian  
Izaak/Jacques Gorowicz  
Morisca/Marien Gotelf, nurse  
Maria Gotelf, nurse  
Chaim Gotfeld  
Joseph Gotlib  
Salomon Gotlib – b. Lvov kia Jan 1938 nr. La Gariga  
Simon Gotlieb  
Chaim Gottlib kia 1938 Estramadura  
Josef Gotlice  
Dr Basil Goubin  
Antoine Grabowski  
Kasimir Graf  
Josef “Stefan Kurt” Granas  
Leib Granowitch  
Herman Grant

Albert Grinbaum aka Berger ; mother lived in Palestine - murdered by Polish Fascists 1946 Kielce, Poland  
Mattes Grinberg  
Rachmiel Grinberg  
Szaya Grinberg  
Simon Griner  
Jacub Grinszpan  
K. Grinstajnk  
Maurice Gross  
Ber Grossman  
Matias Meir Grosman – murdered by Nazis in France  
Naftali Grosman  
Ander Grosz  
Eugenia Gross  
Jan “Jampoler” Grot  
Abraham Ber Growajs  
Bernard/Louis Gruber  
Jacub Gruber - died in France  
Antoni Grudzieck  
Jean Grudziak  
Micha Grunber  
Dr Jacques Grunblatt b. 26.10.11, Kolonia, Poland  
Saeah/Suzanne Grunstein, nurse  
Ernest Gryc  
Chaim Grynberg/Grunstein  
Roman Grynberg  
Alter Grynblat  
Aron Grynstein  
Aron Grynszpan  
Shlomo Grzywacz – shot by Nazis in Polish partisans – TSD.

Hillel “Bill/Robert” Gruskiewicz – with Polish partisans, committed suicide rather than reveal secrets under torture – TSD.

Mendel Grzye

Uszer Gruszka aka “Napoleon” because of shortness – Botwins, left Poland in 1968 purges and died Israel 1973.

Capt. Dr Kuba Grynsztajn – studied Zagreb – 13<sup>th</sup> IB, kia with 129<sup>th</sup> bat. – TSD.

Jozef Gudys

Salomea Gudys

Dr Maya Guimpel – sister of Boris (see Franco-Belge)

Matyss Gosman

Ms Rachela Gunzig - Belgium

Eugenia Gurski

Zygfryd Guterman

Wlodzimierz Gutiens

Zygmunt Simon Gutt – TSD.

Hentyk Guterman kia 1938

Zystryd Feliks Guterman - murdered Buchenwald

Henryk Gutman

Josef Gutman

Simon/Salomon Gutman

Sofia “Sonia” Gutman

Daniel Haber

David Haber

Lisbeth Haas

Moise Haft

Josef Hajsler

Izrael Halbersberg b. Lublin kia Ebro 1938

Kalman Halfant kia Ebro 1938

Haller, kia Lerida

Arnold Halpen kia Estramadurs 1938

Artur “Stefan” Halpern

Boris Halpern – 4<sup>th</sup> M Gun Coy

Berl Halpern kia 1937 Valencia

Naftali Halpern aka Stefan Hlicki – fought with Palestinian Jews

Stefan Halpern kia 1938 Estramadura

Henryka Hass-Larson

Jacub Halas

Josef Harenzlau

Piekar Hatskel - pilot

Simon Hausman-Zelman

Aron Hazenberg , France

Dr Joseph Heller aka “Rudek” – died Tel-Aviv 1976 - TSD

Leib Hecht

Dr Czeslaw Heilbrun

Jozef Hejman

Abraham Helfand kia 1938

Kalman Helfant

Celina Heller

Dr Sonja Hellinger

Efraim Helman

Rosner Herman

Robert Herschel

General. Juliusz “Julek” Hubner

Juliusz Hibner

Scholem Hildesheim

Salomon Hildestein  
Szlamek Hindelsheim  
Benjamin/Benedykt Beniek Hirszowicz aka "Lasota"  
Gustaw Herszkowicz  
Josef Hirczowski, kia Ebro  
Leopold Hofman

Chaskiel Hourfstein/Honigstein, of Lublin , died of wounds at Barcelona, battle of Ebro, last IB fighter to die manning his MG named "Leon Rubinstein", a former Botwin commander who had been kia.

Ratman Honik  
Aron Hozenberg  
Hozgor

Leon/Yosef Iampolski/Delbeder  
Maurice Igla  
Ilecher  
Abraham Itzig  
Jacob Izbicki

Aleksander Jablkowski  
Stanislaw Jablonski  
Mordecai Jacobowicz  
Moniek Jacobowski  
Dr Maria Jacobowski  
Joseph Jaques  
Isaac Saloman Jecowic (Pupel)  
Jacob Jusel - kia French Resistance  
Leon Jurelstein kia 1936 Madrid  
Jacob Jzbicki  
Jacob Jacobowicz  
Wolf Jacobowicz Leib, born Lodz  
Feliks Jacobowski aka Strazak  
Mordechai/Mordche Jacobowski, UK  
Jacob Jorosiwski

Saloman Justyn Jaczwuski/Jaszunski aka Bacewicz - kia 1938 Ebro – born 1902 and was at universities of Lvov/Krakow.

Col Selig Joffe – chief engineer of Air Force  
Samuel Jonas  
Davy Jons  
Josef Joskowicz  
Srul Szwlul Joskowicz  
Israel Joscowicz  
Joselevitsh  
Juliusz Joselewicz  
Leib Juda  
Junckrant kia Madrid  
Dr Roberto Jungman - Argentina  
Sgt Chaim Jaime Jungman, Israel  
Abram Jurski Adam Jungstein  
Towia/Tove/Tadee (?) Jungstein kia Madrid  
Chaim Jurista

Josip Jusinec aged 32

Doktor Grisja Hercz/Henri Kac/Katz , USSR

General Simon Krivoshein – Russian – info. from Prof Asher Tropp- commander of Tanks.

Leon Kac, died Poland 1946

Emanuel Kacnelson

Froim Kacnelson

Emmanuel Kacy

Bernard Kagan

Capt. Vesebil Kagan

Jan Kahan

Saul Kalman

Dr Kalman

Josef Kalb, kia 1937 Spain

Mayer Kaliski

Zygmunt Kalicz/Koppell

Abraham Kalmanowicz kia Estramadura 1938

Dawid Kami, kia Spain

Aleksander Kaminiski

Jacques Kaminski

J. Kamuskri

Max Kane

Marks Kaner

Zygmunt Kanner

Herszel Kanter

Kantor – murdered by Nazis WW2

Tauba Kapla - nurse

Michal Kaplan

Dr Adolphe Kapler

Abraham Karuer

Zygmunt Karlinski died 1952 - TSD

Ben-Yosef Kamy – brother – kia - TSD.

Jan Kantowicz

Kapita

Saloman Karnet

Isail Karas

Rafal Karas

Gedale Karawan

Karl Karmet

Abraham Karner

Dawid Karon

Chaim “Adolf” Karp, France

Laib Karp

Simon Karpinski

Abush Kartenbaum

Pinkus Andrzej Piotr Kartin aka “ Szmidt”/Andrzejek - kia Warsaw Ghetto Uprising 1943.

Chaim Karys

Simon Kasanowicz

Jacob Kasterenkow (Russian)

Leon Katz

Max Katz

Natan Kaufman

Leon Kaufman  
Josef Kawa, kia 1938 Gandesa  
Josef "Gorecki" Kawa  
Maks Kawa, kia France  
Izaak Anton Kawenski  
Izaak Kawenoki aka Anton  
Bernard Kayan  
Leib Ken/Keh  
Salomon Kenig  
G Kenig  
Louis Kenigsberg  
Kesler  
Sewek "Scheps!" Kirszenbaum – bat. cmdr. Murdered at Auschwitz - TSD

Simon Chamberlain "Boks" Konigsburg - b. 1917 Klimentov kia defending retreating comrades, Madrid  
Feb. 1937.

Josef Kestenber, France  
Dr Joseph Kestenber  
Szaja "Winkler" Kinderman  
Julius "Julek" Kirchner, kia Spain  
Jan Kirschner  
Jerzy Kirchner  
Julian Kirchner  
Jacub Kirmayer, kia Spain  
Jan Kirsz  
Gedalie Klajmic  
Gedale Klanjurkine  
Szulim Kleiman  
Peter Klein  
Jacques Kleinman  
Scholem Kleinman  
Henryk Kleinminz  
Leon Kleinminz (Kolarski)  
B Klain  
F Klein  
Natan Klein, murdered by Nazis 1944  
Ignace Kliger  
Moise Knal  
Leon Knysz  
Beniamin Benieck/Benki Kochanowicz – 2<sup>nd</sup> i/c Polish Brigade 1938

Capt. Antoni "Antek" Kochanek 1901-37 – one of first Dombrowskis KIA in Madrid – CO 4<sup>th</sup> bat.

Bernard Kochanowski  
Mordechai "Moniek" Kociak  
Jacub Kofman kia 1938 Ebro  
Kohn  
Armand Kohn/Cohn  
Nicolas Kolman  
Mikhail Koltzov –Russian news correspondent

General Waclaw Komar 1909-72 – TSD – comm. of 129 Brig throughout war. Was Zionist Hashomer  
Hatzair in Israel before Spain – later in Polish Army till 1968!

Adelina Kondratieva nee Abramson, born Argentina, served 2<sup>nd</sup> Russian Bn.  
 Edek Koninski – Polish Army Colonel – died 1968 in Poland  
 Michail Koltzar – Russian war correspondent for “Pravda”.  
 Elie Kokotko  
 Eliaz Korotkie  
 Bernard Kon  
 Samuel Konski  
 Sholem Konsul (alias) kia in French Resistance  
 Moise Kohn  
 Michel Kohn  
 Josef Kolacz  
 Pejsach “Lechter” Kon  
 Szmul Koninchowski - murdered by Polish Fascists  
 Jakob Kopaolsz  
 David Korenbaum  
 Mosel Korenblick  
 Karl Kormes (Ukr) aged 28 years  
 Anna Korn  
 Moise Kornblit  
 Eva Korotak/Korsak, nurse  
 Gabrieik Kosik  
 Josef “Marcel” Kostecki  
 Jacob Kosternkov  
 Izaak Kotlarz – Botwins - TSD  
 Kotowski aka Kac  
 Arthur Kowalski aka Aronson  
 Anna Kowalski  
 Sarah Kowalski  
 David Koza  
 Daniel Kozak  
 Jechiel Henryk “Henri” Krauauer kia 1938 Spain  
 Chil Krakauer  
 Ignace Krakaus – Resistance Commander, Lyon  
 Jospi Kraksner carpenter aged 32  
 Sjonka Kramsky – TSD  
 Sioma Kramski  
 Abram Abracza Krasnowicki/Krasni/Krasnobrodzki  
 Kraska  
 Krassiolick  
 Daniel Kraus, from Lvov  
 Icchak Kricjer  
 Kranjold - murdered by Nazis in Poland  
 David Kraus  
 Max Krautman  
 Sigmund Krawsyk  
 Dr Kreisler  
 Ignace Krieger - Lodz  
 G Krantzdorf  
 Maurice Krempel  
 Eduard Krupman , Russian Jewish pilot (Jan Safarik web site)  
 Ignacy Krzemien aka Feuerberg  
 Maks Kucmak  
 Jacub Kujlen  
 Majer Szulim Kukler  
 Mayer Kukles aka Scholem

Mayer Kulkes  
Lt Josef Kuligowski - TSD  
Samuel Kuper  
Vladimir/Valdemar Kupcis aka Volodia – Lithuanian medical orderly 35<sup>th</sup> Div. - TSD  
Izrael Kupferman  
Israel Kuperman  
Haskiel Kuperman  
Marcel Kuperman  
Kupice - France  
A Kupiec  
Issak Kupiec  
Samuel Kupper  
Benjamin Kur b. 1908 kia WW2 defending Moscow  
Rachmil Kurc/Kurtz, kia 1937 Guadalajara  
Michel Kurc  
Josef Kutin – later Deputy Minister for Trade in Poland - TSD  
Aleksander Kuszniir  
Margarite “Maia” Kutin  
Josef Kutyn  
Maks Kuzmak, kia Spain  
Izaak Kwalwasser

Maurice Laban  
Elie Lader  
Eliaz Ladeon  
Leon Landu  
Armand Landsberg  
Hirszt Lansberg  
Izrael Lanje kia 1938 Estramadura  
Isael Langer  
Majer Langman  
Joseph Laroeh  
Borys Laskier  
Majzesz Chaim Laskier  
Moise Laskier  
Adama Lazanick  
Kazimierz Lazarowicz  
Casper Lazaro  
Sioma Szymon Lechman, murdered Auschwitz 1945  
Roman Lechter – war correspondent of Polish “Naje Presse” - TSD  
Moise Lechtch  
Jacub Leibler  
Dr Riva Leibovitch  
Zygmunt Leibowitz  
Boleslaw Leitmann  
Josef Leitner POW aged 37  
Dr Josef Domb Leitner  
Herszt Lekert  
Leon Lemel  
Moryc Lerer  
Anton Lesnik  
Efraim Leszer, POW  
Pavel “Paul” Leszak aka Peisach Kohn  
Herszt Lewent



Gabriel Lewerzyk  
Dr Adela Lewinska  
Benjamin Levinski  
Adam Lewinski – 3<sup>rd</sup> Coy. Mickiewicz bat. – kia Ebro  
Maurycy Leser, shot by Fascists in Spain  
Benoit Leszak  
Maks Lewandowski POW aged 32 wia  
Meir Lewi, kia Spain  
Ignace Lewi  
Leib Lewi  
Jozef Lewicki  
Dorota “Dora” Birubach Lewin  
Lewin  
Majesz Lewinson/Levinson  
Simon Lewinson  
Saloman Lewkowic, kia with French Partisans 1944  
Scholem “Scholek” Lewkowicz  
Szloma Liben  
Salomon Liber b. Tomaszow 1902, aka Lubelski – kia  
Abraham Liberman  
Mendel Liberman  
Ignacy Liberman  
Abraham Licht  
Leon Lichtenstein  
Samuel Lifszyc  
Dr Artur Lilker POW aged 33  
Zelig Limkowicz  
Zelik Linkowicz  
Rubin Lipman (Russian?)  
Aron/Jacques Lipnik  
Natan Lipszyc  
Simon Lipschitz  
Simcha Lifszyc b. Rzeszow – fought with the British  
Abram Lipskind  
Eva Lipszyc  
Abram Lipskind  
Josef Lipskind kia 1938 Lerida

Beniamin Lorento Lipszyc – Bundist kia Lerida  
Barcelo Lipszyc, kia Spain  
Natan Lipszyc  
Joseph Liyskowicz  
Marcel Lisner  
August Lisik POW aged 31  
Majer List aka Markus - murdered by the Nazis – from Argentina  
Zwi Litwak - kia France 1943  
Herman Litwak  
Z Litvak  
Michel Litwin  
Stefan Litwin  
Mlle G. Litynska  
Lytynski  
Basil Lobasky POW aged 32  
Marcel Loewi  
Jakob Lompik

Szaja Lonkiewicz  
Dr Laura Lorska aka Slavka  
Andre Lorski  
David Jacob Lotninger kia Spain  
Basil Lozaroy  
Szloma Lubelczyk  
Boleslaw "Kuba" Lubelski aka Bolek Zygielman  
Henryk Lubliner  
Szmul Lubliner  
Henocho Lubraniecki  
Jankel Lukia  
Paul Lukacz  
Ms Rachela Luftig, France  
Yacob Lurie

Samuel Machlewicz  
Chaim Macoecki kia 26/7/38 Gandesa  
Hersz Majenowicz  
Yosef Kantor Majewski  
Josef Majzer/Majder kia Spain 1938  
Chaim Makowski  
Janine "Juanita" Majler  
Eli Males  
Sender Malach  
Peter Malek  
Emmanuel Maler  
Jacob Maler  
Ruth Malinka, nurse  
Leon Mandel - kia Spain  
Henryk Mandelbaum  
Joseph Mandelbraut  
Manes  
Edmund Marciniak  
Aron Moszek Manhajm  
Josef Mania kia, Casa de Campo, Madrid  
Josef Mansfeld  
Jacob Marbach  
Ermina Marcusohn, nurse  
Samuel Margulies  
Leon Markowicz  
Georges Markowicz  
Herman Markiewicz  
Botman Markovicz  
Jerzy Markowicz  
Martin Markovic  
Paul Markowiak  
Markus  
Franz Masur/Francisek Mazur aged 40 POW  
Natan Martynowiecki  
Daniel Maslicki  
Josef Mateak/Matkack kia Spain  
Abraham Matorin  
Jacob Mauer  
Emil Mayer kia 1938 Ebro

Josef “Josiek Sulinski” Mazel b. Voronej, Russia 1914 husband of Sula , kia Ebro 1938 aged 24 years – war correspondent

Leib Mazowiecki

Daniel Mazrycer

Samuel Mazrycer

Gina Medem – war correspondent for Yiddish newspaper – TSD.

Josef Mehlman

Sgt Abrasha Melchior

Roman Melchior – Dombrowskis – TSD.

Maria “Maryska Jonasowa” Melchior

Hersz Leib Majerowicz, kia France 1941 with partisans

Simon Melikin

Jan Melerovicz

Constantin Melniker/Melnik

Mendz

Isak Merovici (Ukr.) aged 35, carpenter

Horst /Chanan Meyer b. 16/2/12 in Laibau, went to Israel

Emerich Mezai

Seweryn “Gold” Michalak

Arnold Michelson

Mordcha Michrowski

Motel Mielnickier

Szymon Milgram/Milgrom

Szymon Milikin

Abram Millerman

Michal “Stefan” Mielzynski – Polish partisan kia Warsaw.

Michel Mielzynski

Mieczyslaw Mietkowski

Jozef Miler

Zacher Miler

Frumka Miller

Abram Milman kia Ebro 1938

Abraham Millerman

Emmanuel Millenbank

Abraham Mine/Minc

Chaim Minkes aka Mietek Fiala

Hersz Minkowski

Daniel Minarski

Ferder/Feodok Misner

Natan Mitnowiecki

Henryk Mlynars

Rebele Moche (Le petit Rabin)

Dawid Mondszaju

Jakub/Mospan Jacubi Filip Mopan

Bernard Morgenstern

Matias Morgenstern

Szmul Morgensztern

Emmanuel Moritz

Elie Moses (Schmidt)

Isidor Moskovitz

Isaak Moszew

Maria Mota

Stefan Motyka - TSD

Josef Mozart  
Eliasz "Elek" Mozes  
David Mundstein  
Pinkus Muszkat  
Efraim Mylen

Albert V. Nachumi aka Arie Weitz – pilot - kia  
Nagiel  
Jose Efraim Naischuler  
Josef Najder aka Mickew kia 1937 Cordoba  
Moris/Mojzesz Najman kia  
Foma Najszaler – TSD.  
Elzbiets "Liza" Namiot-Hollender  
Naratzki - pilot  
Chaim Narocki  
Leon Narvitch  
Liuba Naskatir – nurse  
Jan Navrotzki  
Wolf "Bruno" Nerger  
Lazar Niemand  
Loar Niemard  
Ivan Nikiforovich aka Nesterenko – Ukrainian Commissar - TSD  
Regine Ninkler - nurse  
Feliks Nisenholc  
Constanty Nocun  
David Noitlender  
David Notlaender  
Dawid Notlaemoler  
Desiderin Novak  
Albert Nowak  
Ignacy Nowak  
Igund Nowak  
Franciszek Nowal  
Antony Nowakowsky  
David Nowosielewski/Novosielecky  
Baruch Bobrus Nysenbaum kia 1937 Villamajor de Gallago

Maurycy Ochshorn - doctor  
Piotr Oduszewski  
Mojzesz Oestreich/Osterich/Estreicher  
Jacub Okonski  
Israel Oksenberg/Oxemberg  
Aisik Olek Olejar  
Orzek "Olek" Hercel Nuss b. Siedlice 1912 wia – composed the Botwin Hymn – murdered by Nazis WW2  
Major Tadeusz "Tadek" Opman – husband of Jeanette – one of Chiefs of Staff of Polish Brigade – lawyer,  
doctor (?) WIA, French Resistance – died 1958 in Paris – TSD.  
Roman "Orlov" Orlovski  
Moise Orlovski  
Dawid Ostrowski  
Menachem Ott

Sender Pachter

Seweryn Pachter  
Szulem Pachulski  
Rozalia "Angele" Paiwa  
Leon Pakin, murdered by Nazis, Paris 1942  
Francisek Palko  
Jacub Paluskiewicz  
Eliasz Panas  
T.M. Pangalos/Panoglas (Greek)  
Felix Pankovski  
Abraham Pantfil  
Mateuss Pastor  
Max Pawel POW aged 33  
Zaim Pener  
Feliks Pfefer kia with partisans, France  
Josef Pfefer  
Sgt. Lejzor Piecchnik, Argentina – Pole serving with the Thaelmann's.  
Herman Piecchnik  
Pierre (?)  
Hersz Pimerman  
Herman/Henryk Pisarz  
Herman Pitar  
Chaim Pletnicki  
Plarczyk  
Israel Platkiewicz  
Jacub Platkiewicz  
David Hersz Plomik – married a Spanish girl and kia aged 35 years leaving a child  
Lt. Chaim Harry Poncz/Pencz aka "Chari" – wia.  
Portgang  
Aisik Poszt  
Henry Potasz  
Nathan Poutfil  
Maks Preszow  
Jan Primus  
Prokosz  
Leon Wolf Propper  
Artur/Aron Projekt, Israel  
Motel Prymerman  
Zygmunt Przygoda  
Constantin Putkiswiz

Josef Rabinowicz  
Chaim Rachelbaum  
Leon Racher  
Natan Radzitirski  
Abram Raiter, kia 1939 Catalonia  
Zygmunt "Zach" Rafalovitch  
Isydore Rafalowski  
Czeslaw Rais  
Abram Rajter  
Hersz Rajzman  
Gustaw Rajcher (Rwal)  
Dawid Ralicki  
Abram Rapoport

Adam Rapoport POW aged 34  
Hersz Rapoport, kia crossing Wisla River with Polish Army  
Jonasz Rapoport  
Liliane "Rilka" Ras  
Jakub Rasner  
Chaim Raczelbuch  
Ravitski  
Dawid Rawicki  
Marian-Leon Rawicz  
Michal Rawicz  
Israel Yehuda Rechter  
Micha Reger aka Szyr Gerson aka Eugenisz Szyr ("Misza") - Commissar of the Palafox  
Reger  
Yakub Reich  
Heinz Reich  
Dr Rachel Reich b. Varsovia, Poland  
Simon Rejzman – TSD.  
Izrael Juda Reicher  
Gusrav "Rwal" Reicher murdered by Stalin 1940's  
Leopold Reicher  
Fiszal Reichman, Israel  
Adolf Redig/Radig POW aged 39 wia  
Leon Reiss  
Gil Richa  
Marek Richter  
Leon Ringelbaum  
Ringler  
Joel Ritterski  
Ritter, kia 1937 Jarama  
Charles Rochman, murdered by the Nazis in Belgian Resistance  
Marian Rogosz  
Daniel Roman  
Jacob Romer  
Victor Rosen  
Bohuslav Rosenbaum  
Leib Rosenblum  
Leon Rosenblut  
Lawrence Rosenkrantz - nurse  
Ernest Meir Rosental  
Majer Rosner  
Michal Herman Rosner from Kalisz - TSD  
Michael Rosner  
Markus Rot  
Dawid Rogovski Rotenberg  
Lt Gerszon Rothalc, kia 1938 Gandesa – machine gunner – member of Poale Zion.  
Hersz Rozenberg  
Izrael Rosenberg  
Maurycy Rosenberg  
Szlama Rozenberg  
Leon Rosenbilt kia Jarama  
Leib Rosenblum  
Fajwer Rosengart  
Mojzez Mende Rosenhalc (Ukr.??), shoemaker aged 25 POW  
Emanuel "Mundek" Rozenholc – b. 26.5.19 – nurse?  
Marian Mojzesz Rosenknop

Moise Rosenknop  
Mieczyslaw "Emil Vedin" Rosenstein  
Mietek Rozenstein  
Ernest Majer Rosental  
Abraham Rozenzweig  
Joseph Rozmaryn/Rosmarin - pilot  
David Rothberg  
Lt. Gerson Rotholz b. Varsovie 1917, kia Pradel 18.10.38  
Abraham Rotman  
Saul Rozanski  
Scholek Rozanski  
Wincenti Rozen  
Joel Rozental  
Maurycy Rozental  
Zelman Rozman  
Aron Renka Rozowski  
Josef Rozowski kia 1938, Spain  
Lew Rubin  
Izidor Rubinstein  
Josef "Gruby Le Gros" Rubinstein kia 1937 Saragossa  
Leon Rubinstein died Poland 1961 – CO 2<sup>nd</sup> Naftali Botwins  
Capt Leon Rubinsztayn kia Caspe 3/38  
Josef Juda Leon Rubel, kia Spain  
Szymon Rudzik murdered at Buchenwald  
Moniak Rusinek POW aged 30  
Jan Rutkowski – aka Simon – QMS Polish Brig. – French Resistance.  
Abraham Ryezkin  
Maurycy Rygielhaupt  
Joel Ryteski  
Fred Rzepkowicz – wia Lerida – TSD  
Adam Rzepkowicz  
Joseph Rzepkowicz

Leo Sadowski  
Majesz Moshe "Michel" Safir/Sapir  
Bruno Salomon  
Israel Sandipher  
Rachel Sapir aka Vilner-Fanstein, sister of Moshe above – died of illness after Auschwitz  
Joseph (?) Salzman/Salomon Salzman/Joseph Salomon (??)  
Leon Samet  
Stefan Samulik  
Samuel Sarnik  
Manes Sarkowski  
Abraham Schaffel  
Dr. Isidore Schapiro  
Nussen (Jacques??) Scharf  
Chiel Scharin  
Sarah/Else Schauer  
Sabine (Vera??) Schaver  
Abraham Shapira - artillery  
Naftali Scheinberg  
Naftuli Scheiberg  
Scheyen

Andrzejek Shuviut (?)/Schmidt POWkia Warsaw Ghetto uprising  
Scheinfeld  
Kalman Schel  
Saloman Schif  
Osee Schiffman  
Elie Schiffman  
Uscher Schiffman  
Schiller/Schilleng - Hungarian  
Lena Schir – nurse

Josef Schitzer kia 16.2. 1938 Estramadura – b. Aleandria Egypt 1917 when Polish parents Joshua and Ursula fled Palestine from Turks

Saloman Bruno Schleien, carpenter aged 34 (Ukr.) POW  
Charles Schmidt  
Eliasz Schmidt  
Scholem Schnitz  
Moritz Marycy Schneebaum/Schnobaum  
Henri Schneiderman  
Wolf Schneiderman  
Josef Schoenbach kia Aragon 1938  
Paul Schonfeld  
Bernard Schobaum  
Szulim Schnitzer  
Scholem Schnitzer  
Chaim Schummacher  
Chaim Schuster  
Schniel Kopel Schwarz  
Max Schwartz  
Hania Schwartz aka Faltenberg  
Mendel Schwartzman  
Rachel Schwartzman  
David Schwartzstein  
Edouard Sczymiński  
Michal/Maurice/Moneiro Segal  
George Seldes  
Josef Seidel  
Jose Setewski  
Abraham Setty  
Shalom Shilom  
David Sieradzki  
Solomon Siff  
Boris Sikora  
Epstein Silverstein - nurse  
Michal Singer  
Maurice Skalka kia  
Srulek Skiersabolski, of Kalisz, kia  
Salomon Skirbolski  
Zelig Skorecke  
Zelig Skroniecki  
Sender Skrzynia  
Micha Skorupinski wia/pow  
Wolf Slodki  
Antonin Smelik  
Jacub Sobkor



Basil Sobaski, farmer aged 34 – Ukr.  
Leon Sobkowski  
Kalman Sobol  
Nachum Soifer  
Tader/Tadee Sokol  
Andrea Sokoloff  
Stefan Solibera/Solibieda  
Majer Solman  
Stefan Sosnowski  
Joel Spatz  
Israel Speiser  
Izaak Sperber  
Samuel Spielman  
Jakob Spilein (Russian?)  
Samuel Spilman  
Jozef Spira  
Karol Spiro  
Jesel Spotz  
Richard Springer  
Martin Sramek  
Eugene Stark b. 5.9.09 - nurse  
Hersz “Maks” Stark  
Robert Steck  
Sygmunt Stein  
Natan Steinberg  
Rudolph Steinberg  
Emil Steingold  
Lazar Sterheim  
Sternhall  
Dr Henryk Sternhel  
Dr Henryk Stern  
Marcel Sternzis  
George Stoika  
Dr Emanuel Stockman  
Samuel Stolar/Stolarz  
Stanislaw Stolar  
Stopczyk  
Feliks “Jacobowicz”, Felek” Straszak  
Ephraim Striker  
Ignace Sukiennek  
Henryk “Largo” Sulewicz - TSD  
Sulinski – war correspondent KIA.  
Jose Soler Sturtiwanti – Argentina POW  
Gerszon Strupiechowicz

Lt Col Jozef Strelcztk aka Jan Barwinski – 1900-42 – Cpl Polish Army, CO 13<sup>th</sup> Brigade in Spain – kia  
WW2 partisans

Ms Roza Susman  
Pierre Svarzenberg (Russian?)  
Jacques Sypkin  
Abraham Szafel  
Maurice Szainbaum  
Mieczyslaw Miteke Szafram  
Mojzesz Szafran kia Ebro 1938

Chaim Zelig Szajnfaber  
Willi Szajewicz  
Dr Ilja Szapiro (Vilna) kia Spain  
Stanislaw Szefer  
Szeman/Szejman  
Adela Szerman, Belgium – Polish nurse  
Albert Szerman, Belgium/Polish  
Alter Szerman, Belgium/Polish – from Anvers – Botwin commander  
Karol Szeferowicz  
David Szeradzki  
Major Gustav Szinda - CO 11<sup>th</sup> Brigade – later lived GDR  
Tadee Szlachter  
Salomon Szlamowicz  
Andrzej Szmidt  
Dawid Eugeniusz Dawidek Szmulewski – escaped St Cyprien and survived Auschwitz.  
Jan Szmulewski  
Kalman Sznajder  
Izrael Szpajzer  
Gedale Szpiro  
Charles Szpiro  
Ryszard Szpryngier  
Pawel Szpyrka  
Chil Szraga  
Josef Strzelczyk aka Jan Barwiniski - TSD  
Jacub Aron Sztajner  
Sameli Sztamler, kia Aragon  
Isaak Szreiber  
Bernard Sztern kia 1937 Spain  
Leon Szterenzys  
Abram Sztokstil, died in French camp 1939  
Dr Emmanuel Sztokman  
Efraim Sztriker  
Norbert Szulklaper  
Samuel Szumik, kia 1938, Spain  
Josef Szplat  
Franciszek Szubert  
P. Szwarc  
Szmuel Kopel Szwarc  
Hersz Szwarberg  
Jakub Szwarberg  
Pinkus Szydlowar, Belgium  
Marcin Szymanski – TSD  
Jan Szymkiewicz  
Eliasz Szyfman  
Mieczyslaw “Mietek” Szleyen – editor of Dombrowski newspaper – died 1955.  
Zosia Szleyen - wife

Nurse Rachel Szwarzman aka “Angele” – from Bialystok – French Resistance – left Poland 1969, died Israel 1973 – married to Communist Paraguayan Indian Paiva, killed by Nazis in France – TSD.

Capt Aleksander Ilya Davidovitch Szurek aka “Alek” – born 3.8.1907 in Kalisz Poland, died March 1978 USA – author of “The Shattered Dream”- TSD – adjt. to Gen. Walter Swierczewski of Polish Brigade, and then Gen. Boleslaw Moloja – served Polish Army WW2, POW, French Resistance, fled Poland 1968; family murdered in Holocaust – hus. of Berta.

Icchok Szynbach  
Chaim Szyster  
Marcel/Mendel Szterenzys/Sterenzys aka Kot

Tabacznik – kia Aragon  
Boleslaw Taichman  
Alter Tajtelbaum  
Dawid Taneletnik  
David Tandetnik  
Dr Capt. Victor Taubenfligel – later Prof of Medicine at Univ. of Gdansk - TSD  
Maurice Tauber  
Simon Teichman (Russian?)  
Aron Tenenbaum – murdered at Auschwitz  
Chaskiel Tenenbaum – murdered by the Nazis in Paris in WW2, cousin of Janina Hochland, Manchester.  
Dawid Tenenbaum, kia Jarama  
Isaak Tenenbaum  
Izaak Tenenberg  
Bernard Tiszler  
Szmul Todres/Tudres  
Simcha Todres  
Rubin Toltis  
Abram/Abraham Tomaszewski  
Leon Tomaszewski  
Izaak Tomaszuk

Col. Henryk Heniek Torunczyk – b. 1909 Wlodek, served Polish army - former Polish soldier and engineer, last commander of the Botwin Company, Chief of Staff Polish Dombrowskis Brigade - later a Polish partisan (Prago)

Laurenc Tozcer  
Henryk Tragibetregier, kia Spain  
Henryk Tracki/Trojan aka Anton Muller – went to Israel & served British Army WW2  
Hersz Trocki kia France  
Saul Trocki , murdered by Gestapo Berlin 1943  
Jakub Trojnacki  
Yosef Trojnacki  
Gerszon Trupiechowisz  
Tuchman  
Aleksander Turkieltaub  
Victor Tulman – Hungarian and later the “Red Rabbi” of France  
Leib Tygier

Nathan Ulman

Gustav Veiner  
Salom Veintraus  
Sarah Vronsky-Rosenblum (VALBA website)

Arie Weitz / Wajc aka Albert Nachumi , pilot , kia 1936, Madrid  
Israel Wachter POW  
Don Wagman-Grott

Jacob Wajman  
 Eliaz Wajnberg/Weinberg  
 Jozef Waidberg  
 Wajhaber  
 M. Wajnberg  
 Herman Wajnberger, died 1943 in Kirgizia, Russia from wounds recieved in Spain  
 Herman Waingeber  
 Brana Waisman  
 Henryk Wajngart  
 Guta Wainsztajn  
 Saloman Wajngart  
 Aron Wajngart  
 Nachman Wajnrit  
 Jan Wajntraub  
 Saul Wajntraub  
 Stanislaw Waintraub  
 Z Wais  
 Eliaz Wajsband  
 Eliaz Wajsberg  
 Josef Wajsberg, POW Spain and perished  
 Lejzor Wajsberg, kia Spain  
 M. Wajsberg  
 Salomon Wajsberg  
 Josef Mendel Wajsblum  
 Mordechaj Wajsbort  
 Karol Waks  
 Scholem Waks  
 Lucien Walach  
 Jacques Wallach  
 Antonio Wanslag  
 Chaim Warszawski, kia with French Maquis  
 Mieczyslaw Warszawski  
 Dawid Warszawski kia France 1942  
 Szlama Warszawski, kia in Paris Resistance laboratory making grenades  
 Nachman Gerszon Wasermann  
 Szulim Waserbach, carpenter aged 33 POW  
 Faivel Wasserman  
 Waszyk  
 Mendel Weichenberg  
 Dr Zalman Wabery/Weinerman aka "Zenek" - TSD  
 Eliaz Weinberg, kia French Resistance 1944  
 Saloman Rysiek "Rubio" Weinberger - TSD.  
 Rucio Richek Weinberg  
 Samuel Weinberg  
 Abraham Weinrot  
 Saul Weinrot  
 Zenon Weinerman  
 Jacob Weinman  
 Szolek Weinrib  
 Nachman Weintit  
 Majer Weintraub  
 Abram Weintraub  
 Salomon Weintraub  
 Micha Werter  
 Israel Weisberg, kia in Paris Resistance

Salomon Weisberg  
Elie Weisband  
Weiss – Hungarian in Polish bat. – cartographer kia Polish Partisans WW2 - TSD  
Marek Weissenberg  
Helene Weissman - nurse  
Abram Weitman kia Teruel 1937  
Mojzesz Josef Weitman, brother of Abram  
Moise Weisman  
Roman Weintrych  
Samuel Weinberg  
Hersz Weksler kia Spain 1938  
Josef Welker  
Jerzy Welikanowicz  
Nicolas WENZEIMAN  
Dr “Wiska” Welikanowicz  
Jakub Wegman  
L. Wielopolski, Israel  
Abram Wien  
Abram Wiener  
Mendel Wien  
Aleksander Wierkila  
Edeman Wigdaratz  
Kalman Wigdorowicz  
Iser Wilf  
Pawel “Paul/Pol” Wimia  
Jozef Winklef  
Regina Winkler

Leon Winter aka Zagorski – partisans, sent to Siberia, Polish Govt. official till 1968 pogroms – died West Germany 1984.

Dr Erwin Wolf  
Karol Wolf  
Tomaz Wozniak  
Ms. Celina Wolfzahn  
Isydor Ernest Wolfzahn  
Eliasz Wolkowicz  
Pavel Wultz  
David Wurzel/Wirsztel  
Froim Eduard Wuzek  
Jan Wyka (poet)  
Jan Wyka  
Szulim Wyszogrodzki, Israel

Josef Zajdel  
Szaja Mojzesz Zajderman  
S. Zajdman  
Dr Alexander Wojnarek Zajdorfa, murdered by Nazis in France 1943  
Dr Dora/Dorota Zajdorf b. 11.7.13  
Szymon Zajdorf, Canada  
Kazimierz Zajdenstrumf  
Abram “Antoni” Zajoutz  
Izydor Zalzman died 1963 Poland  
Jacob Zavidovicz

Sonja Zaydman – nurse b. 1.10.10  
 Samson Zeidenstadt  
 Leova Zeiman  
 Meier Zeller, murdered in Auschwitz  
 Ozjasz Zellermayer  
 Ilya Zelmanowicz  
 Adam Zendrejewski  
 Hersz Henryk Zimmerman/Cymerman, kia with French Resistance 1942  
 D Zimmerman  
 Zelek Zisman  
 Andrzej Zmijewski  
 Janos Zsiros metallurgist aged 28 – Hungarian  
 Yankel Zuckerman  
 Awin Zundel  
 Josef Zylberman  
 Abraham Zylberstein, kia Spain 1937  
 Lipman Zyngierman  
 Kopel Zyskind  
 Aron Zysman  
 Schepsl Zyngerman  
 Joseph Zyngier  
 Moise Zyngier  
 Salomon Zysman  
 Marian Zysman  
 Szulim Icchok/Izak Zysman/Suesman??

### **THE AMERICAN VOLUNTEERS - ABRAHAM LINCOLN / WASHINGTON BRIGADE**

The American veterans were the first to publish a list of their volunteers in the early 1980's. It was fraught with difficulties as during the McCarthy era many records were hidden and lost, whilst many volunteers used aliases and nick-names, often misspelt. Using their own written and oral archives as well as a passport study by the Subversion Activity Control Board, ship passenger lists and US Military Intelligence records, the project was completed after three years. Most of the addresses came from copies of "*Scope of Soviet Activity in the USA – Hearings before Congress, Feb 1957*" copied for the author by James Carmody.

So far as Jews are concerned, numerous obvious Jewish names have been extracted by the author from the list but there are many Jewish sounding names as well of those who may not be Jews. These have been included as the VALB researchers quite rightly say that equally there are many Jews who used Anglicized or Spanish aliases whose Jewish background we may never know, and those of course could not be extracted ; so the one balances out the other. Over one third of the American Fighters in Spain were Jews.

I am most grateful to Moe Fishman of the Jewish VALB in New York, USA, for his help in supplying me with a copy of the list of American volunteers. The ML archive of the IB revealed a newspaper cutting of 21.2.39 listing the American kia and a book of the list of the American volunteers by Adolf Ross, dated 1993.

Bernard Abramofsky aka Leonard Abiel kia – 82 Bank St NYC  
 Herman Hyman Abramowitz – 1448 40<sup>th</sup> St Brooklyn kia Jarama aged 27, 3/37  
 Nathan Joseph Abramowitz – born 247 Madison Ave, Youngstown Ohio 6.12.13 – kia Gandesa 4/ 38

Leon Acker  
Bertram Blanchard Acosta – 46 West 17<sup>th</sup> St NYC  
Bernard Ades  
Alexander Adler 197 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave NYC  
Hans Adolphe – NY kia Jarama 2/37  
Leon/Lan Adomian  
Harry Ain – 1527 43<sup>rd</sup> St Brooklyn kia Ebro aged 28, 7/38  
Reuben Albert kia Gandesa 4/38 - 36 Beaufort St Rochester NY  
Marcus Mordechai Alper 27 Egmont St Brookline Mass./39 Tavern Rd Boston – WW2  
David Robert Altman – kia WW2 – 2739 North 1<sup>st</sup> St Milwaukee  
Jack Altman 2438 East 22<sup>nd</sup> St Brooklyn  
Richard Altman  
Ernest Amatniek 315 East Mount Eden Ave Bronx  
Elmer Merle Amidon – 44 3<sup>rd</sup> St, San Fran.  
Joseph Anasevich  
Josphe Appel  
David/Irving Ernest Arion/Arlon kia Brunete 7/37 - 51 Horatio St NYC  
Bert Arnberg  
Jack Arnold aka Waks kia Sierra Caballs 9/38  
Sidney Milton Arnold – 3230 N Osceola Ave, Chicago kia Jarama 2/37  
Abe Arnowdin (letter)  
Jack Arnovitz  
Meyer Aronovitch – 2890 West 21<sup>st</sup> St Brooklyn  
Myron Mike Aronberg aka Ehrenberg aka Hill 317 Summit Ave Boston  
A. Asa – Turkish veteran  
Joseph Auerbach – 272 Kosclusko St, Brooklyn kia Brunete 7/37 aged 24  
Louis Auerbach 1487 College Ave Bronx – WW2  
Abraham Avram – 1200 Andrus St Akron, Ohio kia aged 46  
Joseph Harold Azar 327 Grand St Brooklyn

Sidney Esak Babsky – executed as a POW 1938 – 2010 Grand Ave Bronx  
Babetski – PI – J Garber  
Lionel Backler – died of wounds Murcia  
Rubin Bacofsky aka Barr aka Henry Conrad – POW and kia Teruel 1/38  
Isaak Bagner – 105 Buena Vista Ave Yonkers  
Mike Moses/Morris Bailin 2820 Bright St Brooklyn  
Bertram Bakerman 82, 82<sup>nd</sup> St Brooklyn - WW2  
Elias Ilya Balagurchik – POW, 76 East 3<sup>rd</sup> St / 255 East 10<sup>th</sup> St, NYC – WW2  
Edward Ross Balchowsky 1418 Lake Shore Dr, Chicago  
Mario Baldassio aka Levenson

Joseph Baran/owsky aka Barron/Spencer/Len Fletcher - 2809 South Maple St LA/ 323 Commerce St  
Klamath Falls Oreg.

Ted Baranowsky aka Barrows  
Thomas Michael Barcovitch /Barkovitch b. 1914? In Case, W Virginia - 4810 Blackberry Way Pitts/ and  
Lawrenceville Pa.

Isidore aka Frank Barcena/Barcona 40 Palmetto St/ 980 Utica Ave Brooklyn  
Philip Bard – 1<sup>st</sup> Commissar of the Lincolns – 46 Bank St NYC  
Harold H Barnett  
Samuel Baron  
Herman Barr – 73<sup>rd</sup> St Brooklyn 1963

Abbey (Abraham David) Barsky/Borsky – 3038 Brighton 5<sup>th</sup> St, Brooklyn kia Ebro  
Ben Barsky – 2150 Crotona Parkway NYC kia Corbera/Sierra Pandols 8/38  
Dr Edward K Barsky – ML – Chief MO of the IB – 127 West 86<sup>th</sup> St, NYC – died USA 1977  
Ephraim Bartlett/Barlet  
Henry Basko aka Basvowsky /Buszozowsky – 12 West 27<sup>th</sup> St Bayonne NJ  
Sidney Bassin/Bassim 627 Linden Blvd/170 E. 35<sup>th</sup>, Brooklyn – WW2  
Ralph Bates (British?)  
Julian Baublis aka Babbit – 14 Ashmont St, Worcester Mass., kia Fuentes 10/37  
Albert John Baumler aka Bamler - pilot – 43 Myrtle Ave Trenton NJ  
Bet Becker  
Samuel Beckowitz

Lt Elias Begelman aka Beal – memoirs in B15B p.70-1 – Brigade Staff Officer – 457 West 23<sup>rd</sup> NYC -  
WW2

Carl Gustave Belau/belan POW – 768 Reaney St, St Paul Minn.  
Sam Belkowitz  
Ed Bender – Cadre Training Officer – WW2  
Samuel Beregovsky  
Ludwig Beregszaszy – 107-32 124<sup>th</sup> St, Richmond Hill LI, kia Almeira 7/37  
Delmer Berg aka Daniel Edelsey/Esly 132 N Hill St, LA/ Manteca, Calif.  
Jacob Bergen/Bergin 161 West 16<sup>th</sup> NYC  
Harry Berger  
Wilho F. Bergman/Borgman  
Meyer Berkowitz – 2118 Abbingdon Rd, Cleveland died of wounds Albacete after Almeira, 9/37  
Norman Nathan Berkowitz 235 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave NYC/1881 Coney Is Ave Brooklyn – WW2  
Isadore Berkowitz 306 West 80<sup>th</sup> NYC – WW2  
Samuel Berkowitz/Belkowitz 179 East 105<sup>th</sup> St NYC  
Leopold Berman aka John Berkeley – POW/WIA – 1536 East Pratt St Balt./ Boston/Brooklyn  
Raymond Berman kia Gandesa 3/38 – 1013 Hudson Ave , N Bergen, NJ  
Abraham Bernard aka Eugene Allen – Ferry Hotel, San Fran.  
Benjamin Bernstein  
Hilliard Edgar Bernstein 2416 Park Ave Richmond Virg.  
Louis Bernstein – 1312 Park Ave NYC  
Samuel Bernstein kia Ebro 8/38 – 717, Coster St Bronx  
George Isaak Bernstock  
Alvah Cecil Bessie – staff officer – 161 Lexington Ave NYC  
James Bezanovich aka Albert Brezovic – kia Gandesa/Ebro 7/38  
Hermann Bieber  
Samuel Bierman/Berman 125 West 88<sup>th</sup> NYC/175 East 155<sup>th</sup> Bronx c/o H Kraus  
Hyman Billewitz aka Herbert Burton  
William Max Binn 327 East 12<sup>th</sup> NYC  
Saul Israel Birnbaum 155 South 2<sup>nd</sup> Brooklyn – WW2  
David Blair – 302 Peshine Ave, Newark NJ  
John Blank kia Gandesa 4/38  
Emil Micky Blaser aka Brown kia Jarama 2/37  
Stanley Emil Blaskiewicz 1115 Dillon St St. Louis/2626 West Thomas Chic.  
Paul Block Jr. – Port Chester/Brooklyn, No 3 Coy Commander – kia Belchete 9/37  
Joseph Block  
Maurice Bloom kia Alcaniz 3/38 - 34 Van Guilder Ave La Rochelle NY  
John Oscar Bloom  
Nathan Nehemiah Bloom  
Abraham Bluestone aka Stern aka Blumenfeld 508 East 173<sup>rd</sup> St NYC  
Harry Blum 145 East 16<sup>th</sup> St/30 Lewis St NYC – WW2  
Walter Bober



Phillip Raphael Bodkin aka Carl Bradley

Nathan Isidore Borensky  
Fred Borer POW - 111, West 1<sup>st</sup> Ave, Columbus Ohio  
Wayland/William Borer 723 Spring St Toledo  
Louis Bortz 1036 East 123<sup>rd</sup> St Cleveland – WW2

Herman Bottcher/Boettcher - German born highly decorated WW2 soldier DSC and bar, 3 purple hearts, as well as Spanish medal of valour, fought in New Guinea – kia Leyte 1945 WW2

Elijah Botuck 66 Dorchester St Worc. Mass.

Max Meicher Bowers aka Bauers 104 West Main St Grass Valley Calif/2531 S. Clara Ave, Almeida Calif/S Francisco.

Harry Jack Boxer aka Cohen 30-34 37<sup>th</sup> St LI, NYC/Queens - WW2  
Charles Boyce aka Karl Boehacke kia 24/11/37 - Crestwood Rd Fairfield, Conn.  
Harry/Harvey Karl Boyer aka Hans Hoyer 4436 Latour St Seattle – WW2  
Oscar Braunstein  
Morris Breier/Brier  
Max Brenner

Lt Sam Stone Brenner – store owner of 4<sup>th</sup> and Green St and pilot of 702 South Washington Sqdn – b 30.6.94 Philadelphia, served WW1, d 8.4.71 or 41; brother of Mollie

Bertram Arthur Breslow

Albert Louis Brezovic/aka James Bezanovich Canada/Pitts – kia Ebro 7/38 – 212 Edgewood Ave, Trafford Pa

Kenneth Deforest Bridenthal 3419 17<sup>th</sup> Ave N, Birmingham, Al.  
Morris Brier 277 Grafton St Brooklyn – WW2  
George Brodsky  
Ephraim Bromberg  
Eugene David Bronstein – 161 Columbia St Camb, Mass/Bronx kia Brunete 7/37  
Louis Bronstein  
Oscar Bronstein/Brownstein – 5942 Pine St, Philad.  
Jean Bronstein  
Benny Bernard Benzion Brostoff 666Stone Ave/600 Van Sicklen Ave, Brooklyn  
Frank Ferrel Hymie Brown 494 58<sup>th</sup> St/461 42<sup>nd</sup> St, Oakland Calif.  
Benjamin Hirschfield Brown/Bron NYC – 39 Tenafly Rd Inglefield NJ/109 West 76<sup>th</sup> St, NYC  
Archie Brown, brother of Frank Hymie – longshoreman – 2062 Union St/27 Clay St, SF  
Czeslaw Brudzinsky kia Gandesa 4/38 – 685 West 20<sup>th</sup> St, San Pedro, Calif.  
Samuel Brustein aka Joe Brandt 975 East 178<sup>th</sup> St NYC  
Mike Bubich – printer - 1334a, N 14<sup>th</sup> St, Milwaukee  
Bernard Bucher - Ohio  
Nathan Norman Budish 135 Iglehart Ave, St Paul, Minn  
Milton Burdick – 915 East 88<sup>th</sup> St Brooklyn kia Jarama 2/37  
Bob Buruk  
Willy Busch NYC kia Jarama 2/37  
Raphael Busch Brage aka Buck 337 East 22<sup>nd</sup>, NYC  
Irving Busch 127 West 86<sup>th</sup> St NYC  
Sam Buskin  
Frank Walter Buturla aka Buturich 693 Riverdale Ave Brooklyn/ 579 Lafayette St Bridgeport Conn.

Leonard Cahn aka Eli Cohen  
 Morris Cain  
 Ben Camnitz kia Sierra Cabolla 9/38 – 2338 N 26<sup>th</sup> St, Milwaukee  
 Karl Jacob Cannon/ Connon 352 Batavia St Toledo – survived CoB  
 William Harris Cantor – survived “City of Barcelona” sinking  
 Arthur Carlson aka Carl Joseph kia Jarama 2/37  
 Samuel Carsman aka Carson 23 S. Sherman Wilkes-Barre, Pa – kia WW2  
 Allan H Cass aka Kushner  
 Robert Cecil-Smith  
 George Chaikin 245 East 11<sup>th</sup> NYC – WW2  
 Jacob Jack Chait kia Gandesa 4/38 – 163 West 13<sup>th</sup> St NYC  
 Abraham Alfred “Chick” Chakin, KIA Caspe 3/38 – 43 East 27<sup>th</sup> St NYC  
 Samuel Chapoff – 416 Fort Washington Ave, NY kia Jarama 2/37  
 Victor Chenkin  
 Hyman Frank Chesler 2922 West 35<sup>th</sup> Brooklyn  
 Joseph Chimilowski – 2601 W Selzer St Philad.  
 Isadore Chocheles 405 Belmont Ave NYC  
 Richard Joseph Chodoff -  
 Max Cimet – Pilot – San Fran.  
 Joseph Cobert, Kraft Farm Toms River NJ – WW2  
 Edgar James George Cody kia 503 West 23<sup>rd</sup> NYC  
 Abraham Cohen – kia Jarama 2/37 - 58 Sagamore St Lynn, Mass.  
 Albert Cohen  
 Alvin Cohen aka Al Warren 286 MacClennan Ave, Mt Vernon, NY  
 Bernard Cohen NYC kia Jarama 2/37  
 Isadore Cohen aka Albert Robbins 399 East 22<sup>nd</sup> NYC  
 Lawrence Cohen aka Larry Cane, Coy. Commander - 7 Mt Morris Park West/ 1619 Madison Ave NYC  
 Leon Cohen 5355 La Cresta Ct, Hollywood LA  
 Lewis Cohen  
 Louis Cohen – NY City – kia Gandesa 4/38  
 Milton Mitchell Cohen 5435 Kenwood Chic. – survived CoB  
 Robert R. Cohen 2010 Peoria Rd Springfield Ill/Chicago?  
 Robert Garland Colodny 5558 Ellis Ave Chic. – WW2  
 Franklin Fay Cone 379 Montclair Ave Glen Ellyn, Ill/3516 lake Park Ave Chic.

Maurice Michael / Morris Conway aka Cohen POW – S Fran/58 South Oxford Brooklyn/317 Dodge St  
 Janesville Wisconsin. Is this Israel Altman, later later a Soviet spy in the Rosenberg scandal , exchanged for  
 a British spy and later died in Russia??

Jack Cooper aka Isidore Ralph Levitt/Leavitt POW – WW2  
 Milton Cooper – NY kia 23/12/37  
 William Wolf Bill Cooper  
 Phillip Cooperman kia – 345 East 18<sup>th</sup> St NYC  
 Arthur Henry Coopman/Coapman 14047 Faircrest Detroit kia  
 Abraham Copeland – 1565 Fulton Ave Bronx  
 Frederick Leon Copp kia Gandesa 4/38 – 290 Hanover St Manchester, NH  
 Michael Costa 26 Rhine St Rochester NY  
 Harry Allen Crain – 1501 Firestone Blvd. LA  
 Phillip Crane aka Cohen/Conway/Rotter/Potter aka Jacob  
 Virgil Ray Cresswell aka Ray Hornberger 10203 East 9<sup>th</sup> Kansas City  
 Sydney Crotto 242 East 21<sup>st</sup> NYC  
 Joseph Cuban kia Gandesa 7/38 - 1157 Wheeler Ave Bronx  
 Frank James/Joseph Cwierz/Civiers/Swierz/Civietz/Curez, 1042 Howard St San Fran.

Sidney W Danzic

Capt. Samuel Leon (?) Stephen Daduek/Daduk – 1<sup>st</sup> American to fly for Loyalists, red/blonde haired pilot, stocky, former sign writer and electrician, wore a red bandana and blue overalls when flying – b 10.2.10 Brooklyn – 2367 64<sup>th</sup> St Brooklyn - d 10.10.86 – via in crash breaking his thigh – flew in battles over Madrid, in Potisis, Fokkers and Breguets (in which he shot down one Heinkel 111). Before and after flying he had fought in the infantry as a company commander of the Lincolns and with the Thaelman's – via several times. Fought in WW2 Medical Corps.

Joseph Dallet Jr., kia Fuentes 10/37 - 377 East Lucius Youngstown Ohio  
Morris/Maury Dashevsky – via Belchete – memoirs B15B p. 167 - 165 Massasolt St Springfield Mass  
Murray Dauber

David Davidson 1326 Oak Pt Bronx – WW2

Joe Davidson

Solomon Davis – 924 Stone Ave Brooklyn – WW2 – survived CoB

John N Degelman

Julius Herman Deutsch, Coy. Commander 41 Charlton, NYC/1815 Washington St., Laredo, Tex – WW2

Gershon Devinsky

Daniel Dickstein 1819 Humboldt Blvd./ 815 West Harrison, Chic

Raymond Henry Disch – 1037 West Michigan St Milwaukee – WW2

Nicholas Doggendorf - Seaman – 1423 Decater St Balt.

David Dombroff /Dornhoff aka Richard Kenney – 68 Bay 32<sup>nd</sup> Brooklyn – WW2

Richard Dombrowski – Deroit kia Gandesa

Abraham Morris A. Domes/Domas 250 West 57<sup>th</sup> NYC

Dave Doran/Dransky - USA commissar – Prago – engineered the mass surrender of Fascists at Belchite, aged 28 years. Son of a paper mill worker from Albany, NY, worked with Black TU's in Alabama in 1930's – B15B pp. 223,277. Born Albany NY 4.10.09, lived 725 Lexington Ave, NYC/Pitts – kia Gandesa 4/38

Leon Lenel Dorsky 107 Union Hall St, Jamaica NY

George Dubovich - b. 1910 - Duluth, Minn. - POW and executed after Belchite - Alcaniz 3/38

David Drummond b. Seattle 10.5.05 – lived 223 West 24<sup>th</sup> NYC

Morris Ecker aka Acker kia Alcaniz 3/38 – 1449 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave NYC

Sam Ecstein 2969 West 24<sup>th</sup> Brooklyn/2846 West 29<sup>th</sup> NYC

Julius Jack Lennard Eggen/Eagen kia 3 or 4/38 – seaman – 714 Coronado St LA/San Fran.

Edward “Teddy” Mann aka Ehlert

Isadore Ehrenberg aka Jack Jordan – 6220 Cottage Grove Chic. – WW2

Dave Ehrenurg

Edward Ehrlich aka Erik Edwards – MG Coy. – 176 Waverly Place NYC – WW2

Rubin/Ruben Ehrlich – 800 8<sup>th</sup> Ave NYC – WW2

Louis A. Eider 12328 Brackland Ave Cleveland/3016 Folsom St LA – WW2

Abraham Boris Eisenberg aka Ben Sobel/Sam Abelson/Henderson/Julius Lieberman/aka Albert – 104 Devon St, Roxbury, Minn/ Boston, Mass./1646 Union St Brooklyn/1600 Eastern Parkway Brooklyn – law student

Robert Bill Ellis aka William “Bill” Susman/Sam Susman – Treasure Is, Cidra PR/160-04 89<sup>th</sup> St NYC

David Engels/Engelson – Commissar No 1 Coy – memoirs B15B p.261 – 739 East 5<sup>th</sup> St NYC.

Hermann Engert

Leon Ente – 145 East 23<sup>rd</sup> NYC

Bernard Entin kia Brunete 7/37 – 1408 Sterling Place Brooklyn  
David Epstein 430 6<sup>th</sup> Ave NYC  
Hyman Epstein – 237 East 25<sup>th</sup> Brooklyn/Chicago/Vancouver kia 3/38  
Milton Moses Epstein aka Milton Rayfield – 377 Montgomery St Brooklyn NY kia Ebro 7/38  
Sydney Epstein  
Solomon Epstein  
Jacob Epstein aka Jake Berman 242 East 19<sup>th</sup> NYC  
Albert Alton Ettinger – Hyak, Wash.  
Dr Abraham Ettelson – 3105 Augusta Blvd, Chic.  
Henry Exstein Jr. 164 West 74<sup>th</sup> NYC – WW2

Max Farrar aka Farber/Herman Goff – 9102 Palatine St Seattle – WW2 – survived CoB  
William Maurice Faber aka Fahr  
Isidore Fajans - 268a Kosclusko St Brooklyn – West Point Officer aka “Toots” – Italy OSS WW2  
Irving Fajans – WW2 OSS  
Joseph Farkasovski NYC kia Teruel 1/38  
Richard M Fein aka Meyer  
Francis Feingersh aka Frank Lister 3125 Fairmont St LA/NYC – WW2  
Hammy Feigin  
Herman L. Feld - pilot – b Berlin 21.2.14 kia Madrid 7/37  
Sol Feldman/Fellman – 1059 Glenmore Ave Brooklyn/Philad. Brother of Harry (below)  
Abraham Feldman  
Orrin Erlandy Feldt – 6742 Seneca Ave Detroit  
Joseph Samuel “Yussie” Feller/Feher kia Hajar 3/38– 1031 Fillmore St San Fran./Omaha  
Mike Feller, brother of Joseph – kia WW2  
Milton Feller – 1550 55<sup>th</sup> St Brooklyn – WW2 kia  
Harry Fellman aka Enrique Feldman kia – 3552 Case St, Omaha – brother of Sol (above)  
Milton Felson/Felsen 2448 East 24<sup>th</sup> St Brooklyn – WW2  
Francis Edward Fender POW – 409 W Gordon St Valdosta Ga.  
Adolf Feuerlicht  
William Fierman aka Herman – Philadelphia kia  
Eugene Finick/Finnick pilot – 246 East 2<sup>nd</sup> St, NYC  
Alexander Finkel – 1845 52<sup>nd</sup> St Brooklyn kia Brunete/Quinto 8/37, brother of Sam Waters  
Ben Finkel aka Minor – 3017 Ocean Parkway NYC / c/o Unterman 2932 6<sup>th</sup> St NYC  
Norman Finkelstein kia Gandesa 4/38 – 624 N Caldwell St Charlotte NC

Harry Finkenberg , hus, of Charlotte – WW2 – badly burnt Spain - from 2349 Benson Ave., Brooklyn – died 1970

Louis Fischer – “The First American Volunteer” – CQMS – veteran of 39<sup>th</sup> bat. Jewish Legion, Royal Fusiliers WW1

Nelson Nathan Fishelson – 1728 N Appleton St, Balt/NY kia Teruel 1/38  
Harry Fisher – 592 Greene Ave Brooklyn – WW2 B26 Fl Engin. USAAF – later worked for Tass in NY  
Irving Fishgold – 1514 West 8<sup>th</sup> St, Brooklyn kia Gandesa/Ebro 7/38  
Harry Fishman  
Henry Fishman b. Russia – LA grocery clerk  
Morris Simon Fishman 4015 Perry St LA/NYC - seaman  
Moe Moses Fishman 2909 Broadway Astoria LI  
Sol Fishman 119 East 17<sup>th</sup> St NYC  
Emyl Charles Flam kia Belchite 3/38 – 2034 Vista Del Mar LA/NYC  
Leo Fleischman kia 10/36  
Edward James Fliegle 705 N Coronado St/5958 Carlton Way LA

Victor Franco kia Fuentes 10/37 – 33 Westminster Rd Brooklyn  
 Raymond Frank kia 3/38 – 118 154<sup>th</sup> Pl, Calumet City, Ill.  
 Irving Frankel aka Isidore Isaac 202 Herzl St Brooklyn/23 West 8<sup>th</sup> St  
 Zalmond David Franklin 1351 Touhey Ave Chic  
 E. Franklin  
 Saul Fredberg  
 Edward Milton Freed aka Gil Lang kia Jarama 2/37 – 115 East 119<sup>th</sup> St NYC  
 Harry Freed – 450 East 81<sup>st</sup> St NYC  
 Jack Jacob Freeman – 906 Dekalb Ave Brooklyn kia Ebro/Sierra Cabollo 9/38  
 Maurice Freeman 3260 Beech Ave Chic – WW2  
 Sam Freeman  
 Raymond Fridle – Chicago kia Ebro  
 Saul Friedberg – 8052 Muskegon Chic/382 Summit Ave Cedarhurst LI – WW2  
 Marcus B. Fried – 25 Wilcock St Dorchester Mass.  
 Sylvester Frank Friedle kia Ebro 10/38 – 3614 N Mozart St, Chic.  
 Eli Friedman  
 Jack Friedman, Accord, NY – WW2  
 Martin Friedman – 2105 Daly Ave NYC/41-15 50<sup>th</sup> St Woodside LI  
 Maurice Wolf Friedman kia Gandesa 4/38 – 1914 Golden Gate Ave, San Fran./LA  
 Morton Laurence Friedman – 236 Shady Ave Pitts/Brooklyn kia Brunete 7/37  
 Roswald Friedman  
 William Friedman – 403 Shatford Brooklyn  
 Herman Fries  
 Morris Frisch  
 Nicholas Fritzhand - 1107 Prospect Ave Bronx  
 Raleigh Frohman – 1075 Gerard Ave, Bronx – kia Teruel 1/38  
 Peter Frye aka Friedman  
 Julius Funk aka Giula – kia Cabera 9/38 – 4812 Vanderbilt St, Detroit  
 Samuel Saul David Fuhrer aka Sam Fuller – 3425 West 16<sup>th</sup> St, Chic.  
 Adolf Feurlicht – 25 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave NYC

Lt Milton Meyer Gale aka Galitska – Staff Officer.

Johnny Gates - USA (known to Lou Kenton) aka Solomon Israel Regenstreif – born 144 South Forest St, Youngstown, Ohio/lived 1981 East 177<sup>th</sup> St, Manhattan, died 23.5.92 aged 78 years - with 86<sup>th</sup> Brigade at Cordoba, organiser of 20<sup>th</sup> bat. and “ a political and organisational spirit of the English speaking company...which demonstrated great fighting courage...later Brigade Commissar” – letter from Lt Col Moradi – B15B p226 – highest ranking American officer - fought in WW2.

Louis Anton Gayle – 278 Henry St NYC/810 Marcey Ave Brooklyn  
 Ben Gardner – kia WW2  
 Sam Gebin 4008 W Grenshaw St Chic. – WW2  
 Leo Geer/Geir/Girr – 3225 Orange St Chic

Carl Frederick Geiser - Commissar, Mackenzie-Papineau bat., Canada, POW San Pedro de Cardenas by Italians and exchanged – wia Fuentes del Ebro, Oct 1937. 222 W 23<sup>rd</sup> NYC

Samuel Gelfan  
 Bernard Gerber 246/8 East 51<sup>st</sup> Brooklyn  
 Julius Gerhardt POW - Illinois  
 Frank Gilek/Yilek  
 Henry Giler aka Gilerowitz POW – WW2

Louis Ginsburg – 1057 51 St , Brooklyn  
Lester Lazarus Gittelson 244 East 15<sup>th</sup> NYC – pilot – WW2  
Robert Gladnick  
Herman Louis Glickman 932 Vick St Pitts. – WW2  
Harry Gluck – 6162 Hollywood Blvd., LA – WW2  
Max Gluck/Glick kia Gandesa 4/38 – 2744 West 8<sup>th</sup> St LA  
Louis Gnepp 31 South 58<sup>th</sup> Philad. – WW2  
Paul Gobert  
Hans Goepel kia Belchite 3/38  
Sylvester Goett

Irving Goff aka Max Farrar (??) – 2815 West 31<sup>st</sup> Brooklyn/2019 West 131<sup>st</sup> NYC – WW2 OSS Italy – American Legion of Merit.

Arthur Gold  
Isadore Gold – 2112 Douglass St Brooklyn  
Sam Gold  
Irving Gold/Dolb – WW2  
Alex Goldberg 157 Adams St Newark  
Arthur Goldberg kia 4/38 - aka Quentin Arthur Gorgan/Grogan – 135 West 238<sup>th</sup> St, NYC  
Sam/Emmanuel Goldberg  
Manuel Goldberg  
Paul Pincus Goldberg 1298 Brook Ave Bronx – WW2 - nurse  
Ruben Goldberg  
Moses Goldblatt kia Gandesa 4/38 – Uncasville, Conn.  
Alfred Joseph Goldenberg kia Fuentes 10/37  
Micheal Goldenburg kia  
Samuel Sanford Goldman 251 East 7<sup>th</sup> St NYC/3302 East 136<sup>th</sup> St, Cleveland – kia Gandesa 4/38  
Remy Goldmy  
Mark/Mart Goldrick – 604 West 23<sup>rd</sup> St NYC  
Benjamin Goldring 121 Howard Ave Brooklyn – WW2  
M. Goldstadt  
Abraham David Goldstein 99-13 Farmers Ave Hollis/183-23 Jamaica Ave NYC – WW2  
Benjamin “Butch” Goldstein 1915 North 32<sup>nd</sup> St Philad.  
Easey Isidore Goldstein 1816/61 South Millard Ave Chic.  
Jack Yechem Goldstein aka Bjoze engineer – 2141 Honeywell Ave Bronx  
Jack Jerome Goldstein – 216 West 22<sup>nd</sup> St NYC  
Maynard Goldstein aka King/Meyer/Isaac  
Meyer Isaac Goldstein  
Milton Goldstein – 340 Snediker Ave, Brooklyn – WW2  
Morris Goldstein aka Gould 653 Britton St Bronx/163 East 49<sup>th</sup> St  
Gerald Goldwyn aka Pierre Duvalle – 180 West 135<sup>th</sup> NYC – **may not be Jewish**  
Harry S. Goloff 4722 North Marshall St Philad.  
Ned Golomb 2936 West 31<sup>st</sup> Brooklyn – WW2  
Alex Gomer 1617 Canton St Toledo  
Samuel Gonshak/Gunshuck  
Henry Paul Good kia Brunete 7/38 – New Plymouth, Idaho/Lexington, Neb.  
Carroll Kibby Goodman 26 Horation St NYC – WW2  
Robert William Goodman – WW2  
Isidor Irving Jackie Gordon b. Maryland 5.20.12, lived LA - kia  
David Gordon – 1614 Walnut St Toledo – WW2  
Lazar Gordon 566 West 162<sup>nd</sup> St NYC  
Leo Gordon aka Mendelowitz NYC kia 4/38  
Louis Gordon aka Dalton 451 Kingston Ave Brooklyn – WW2  
Joe M. Gordon aka Mendelowitz – kia Merchant Navy WW2

Louis Melvin Goslin – kia Brunete/Belchite 9/37 – 84 South 4<sup>th</sup> St., St Jose Calif  
 Rubin Montaivo Gotay (?) – San Juan PR – alias??  
 Harold Francis Gotterman  
 Albert Gottlieb – aka Albert Stone Brooklyn Longshoreman - WW2 WIA twice  
 Leo Grachow Binghampton, NY kia Brunete 7/37  
 Kenneth Graeber – Detroit/433 Ohio St., Lawrence, Kan.  
 Alfred Graf – NY kia Jarama 2/37  
 Morris Granat aka Teitelbaum  
 Lanny Grant  
 Sam Andrew Grant – POW – 230 East 2nd St, LA – WW2  
 Joseph Greco aka Gregg – 2931 East 112<sup>th</sup> St Cleveland/1010 Salter Way Pitts  
 Herman Greenfield – Averne, LI/154-41 S Street, Jamaica, NY - kia Seguro de Banos 2/38  
 Hy Greenfield – survived CoB  
 Mitchell Greenfield Ohio kia Brunete 7/37  
 Arthur Greenspoon – 350 East 13<sup>th</sup> St NYC  
 Jacob Lee Greenstein – 117-07 107<sup>th</sup> Ave, Richmond Hill NYC/Jamaica, LI kia Almeira 6/37  
 Joe Greenstein – 310 East 15<sup>th</sup> St, NYC  
 Fritz Grell – 518 S Main St, Denison Iowa  
 Paul Grinkevich aka Borisuk  
 Daniel Samuel Groden – 310 East 9<sup>th</sup> St NYC – WW2  
 August Grod  
 Frank Grodski POW – 155 Wythe Ave, Brooklyn – WW2  
 Joe Louis Gross – 25 McKibben/101 Polaski Brooklyn  
 Nathan H Gross – 58 West 8<sup>th</sup> St NYC/ 17 Summit Ave, Hackensack NJ – WW2  
 Henry / Arnold Grossman  
 Samuel Grossner kia Sierra Cabollo 9/38 – 195 Prince St NYC  
 Daniel Joseph Grosso – 134 Union Ave New Rochelle NY kia Brunete 7/37  
 Gustav Gruman  
 Leonard Grumet/Brunet - 522 Pennsylvania Ave Turtle Creek Pa – WW2  
 Martin Jerome/Johnson Grumet – 252 Farnsworth Detroit  
 Harold Gruskin – 138 Bennett St, Youngstown Ohio – WW2  
 Walter Gunderman aka Gunderson – 349 Kingsland Ave, Lindhurst NJ  
 Samuel Gunshick – 688 Rockaway Ave/2083 60<sup>th</sup> St Brooklyn  
 Edgar A. Gurevitz/Geveritz kia 4/38 – 1305 Farwell Ave, Chic  
 Maurice Gurko/Gurkow POW – 2145 W Cremak Rd, Chic.  
 Hans Gutman/Glutman – 1150 President St Brooklyn  
 Efraim Leo Guasch b. Cuba - kia  
 Paul Hans Richard Gunther kia

Sol Hass – fought WW2  
 Rudy Haber/Cohn akas Kleiman kia Gandesa 4/38 - 153 Norfolk St/799 158<sup>th</sup> St NYC  
 Henry William Haberkorn aka Heckathan  
 Harry Hakam – 244 East 15<sup>th</sup> St NYC – WW2  
 Abraham Irving Halpern aka Alvin Berg – 125 Ruthuen St Roxbury Mass/ Brookline mass  
 Ernest Halperin  
 Joe Max Hamberger/Hamburger – 5514 Blackstone Ave, Chic. – survived CoB  
 Harold Harbison aka Harkson  
 Manny Harriman (ML)  
 Aaron /Roy A. Harris – 15 Attorney St NYC  
 Sydney Harris POW – WW2  
 Abe Albert Lyonel Harris – 5, West 16<sup>th</sup> St NYC  
 Marshall Hartzell from Durham N. Carolina  
 Jacob Jack Hartzman 3256 Beach Ave Chic. – WW2  
 Harvey, William – ALBA records

Daniel Irving Haskell – 485 Howard Ave Brooklyn kia Jarama 2/37  
Carl Hausman (ML) – aka Hausman/Jansman/Hans/Heus - POW  
Isidore Hayman  
Joseph Hecht – kia WW2 – 637 Saratoga Ave Brooklyn  
Leo Hecht aka Seymour Rosenberg 317 Rodney St Brooklyn  
Harry Jack Heeb kia Gandesa 4/38 – 4390 Eastern Ave Cincinnati  
Pacid Hefferman  
John Heinz  
Gus Heisler – 47 East 21<sup>st</sup> St/ 117 Columbia St NYC – WW2  
David Leonard Hellman kia Sierra Cabollo 9/38 – 941 Intervale Ave, Bronx  
Rudolf Hellmich  
Max Hendler – 2077 Antony Ave Bronx kia Sierra Cabollo 9/38

Dr Julius Anault Hene/Herne/Heeney – kia WW2 either at Malmedy or POW train bombed by allies –  
147 East 33<sup>rd</sup> St NYC

Stanley Anthony Henricher/Heinricher POW – 5571 Camellia St Pitts – WW2  
Michael Herceg / Erceg – 460 Fair Oaks Ave, San Fran. – kia Gandesa 4/38  
Francis J Herman 324 Haight St, SF  
Seymour/Alan/Ted Herman - correspondent (?)  
Max Herrsher  
Arthur Hersh kia Gandesa 4/38 – 1565 Inwood Ave NYC  
Herman Hershkowitz – 596 Marcy Ave Brooklyn  
Leon Herschman – 806 East 151<sup>st</sup> St NYC  
Hugo Heurich, chauffeur - 3751 Van Dyke/5780 Fisher Ave Detroit - nurse  
Aaron Arthur Hilkevitch – 1713 Humboldt Blvd, Chic. – WW2  
Emanuel Hochberg – Laurel Hill, LI/4621 54<sup>th</sup> Rd., NYC – WW2  
Richard Hoelzner  
Bernard Hoff  
Harold Smith Hoff – 2742 Hollyridge Dr., LA – WW2  
Morris Hoffman – 3151 Breckenridge St Pitts – WW2  
Albert Clarence Hoffman (twin brothers) – nurse – 228 Encinal Ave, Alameda, Calif.  
Herbert Frank Hoffman – twin of above  
Herman Hollander – WW2  
Leonard Martin Holtzclaw 24-14 28<sup>th</sup> St, Astoria, LI – kia Sierra Cabollo 9/38  
Benjamin Holtzman aka Sam Rubin (?) – 1337 55<sup>th</sup> St Brooklyn – WW2  
Sidney Horowitz  
William Horowitz/Horvitz aka W. Harvey aka Herrick - 210 West 21<sup>st</sup> St NYC  
Leonard Hotzman  
Joseph Hyman Howard 115 Neptune Ave Brooklyn  
Daniel Hutner kia Belchite 9/37 – Hotel Rutledge, Lexington Ave/30<sup>th</sup> St NYC  
Herbert Hort/Hart Hutner/Hatner – writer – 110 East 42<sup>nd</sup> St NYC  
Joseph Hyman Howard  
Isadore Hyman – 2121 Henry St NYC/ 8516 85<sup>th</sup> St Woodhaven LI – WW2  
Harry E. Hynes aka Hall , NY, Coy. Commissar kia Brunete

Benjamin Isaac Iceland - 735 Mace Ave Bronx/ 3952 48<sup>th</sup> St., LI City, LI – WW2  
Walter B Iczek – NYC – alias??  
John Ingbert/Inget NYC kia 5/37 “City of Barcelona” (CoB)  
William Isaak  
Robert Woodrow Isenberg – 503 West 23<sup>rd</sup> St NYC  
Boris J Israel aka Baline Owen – 131 East 18<sup>th</sup> St NYC



Martin Jablow NYC kia Villa Franco de Cordoba 10/38  
Walter Jablonski aka Hendryck Jabloski - kia  
Emil/Emilie Joseph Jacobs – 250 West 22<sup>nd</sup> St/235 East 26<sup>th</sup> St NYC – WW2  
George Theodore Jacobs – wia Jarama – 2959 North 6<sup>th</sup> St., Milwaukee  
Edward Deyo Jacobs kia Belchite 3/38 – Highland, NY  
Edward Jacobs  
Hyman Jacobs – 423 Blue Hill Ave Roxbury Mass  
Lester Jacobs – Roxbury Mass., kia Fuentes 10/37 – 55 Warrington St, Providence, RI  
Oscar Jacobson – NY kia Madrid 10/37  
Morris Jelen/Jelin kia Jarama 2/37 – 309 West 19<sup>th</sup> NYC  
Ms. Toby/Tillie Jensky aka Gensky – 1305 Seneca Ave Bronx  
Hans Joachim – 1256 Montgomery St, San Fran.  
Simon Morris Jokoffsky aka Zykoffsky – 339 Neptune Ave Brooklyn  
David Everett Jones aka Starr  
Max Jupnick , Montclair NJ – kia

John Henry Kahler/Kohler/Kobler 915 North 7<sup>th</sup> St Philad.  
Harland M Kahle kia Belchite 3/38 – 1003 East Huron St, Ann Arbor, Mich  
Clarence Kailin – 1820 Vilas St Madison, Wis. wia  
Spartaco Kaiser/Kaisear - seaman b. 1908 in Trieste – wia also with Garibaldis – WW2 Yugoslav partisan  
Louis Kamenetsky aka Morris – 26 Bay 25<sup>th</sup> Brooklyn  
Morris Kamer – Israel/Palestine – kia  
Levi Kaminsky aka Ed Baker – 274 South 60<sup>th</sup> St Philad/912 Ronvena Ave Detroit  
Morris Kampel - 72 Orchestra Pl, Detroit  
John Kanz – kia Jarama  
Nathan David Kapelner – 964 49<sup>th</sup> St., Brooklyn kia Fuentes  
Siegfried Kapitz  
Joe Kaplan  
Joseph Thomas Kaplan – kia Belchite 3/38 – 248 West 17<sup>th</sup> St, NYC  
Maurice Kaplan – b. Ukraine, kia  
Sam Kaplan – 403 Thatford Ave, NY kia Fuentes

Pincus Pinky Kaplinsky aka Kenneth Brotman/Brown aka Rodman – 316 Sea Breeze Ave, NY kia Fuentes  
10/37

Morris Kaplovitz  
Jacob Karson/Carson 513 West central 374 Mekubin St St Paul, Minn – WW2  
Benjamin Kasinap/Kasinof 1711 North Monroe St Balt. – WW2 – survived CoB  
Benjamin Katine 2538 Valentine Ave Bronx  
Bernard Katlan aka Kaplan 92-41 Winchester Blvd., Queens, LI - salesman  
**RABBI** Hyman Jacob Katz 2011, 1<sup>st</sup> NW Wash. DC kia Belchite 3/38, brother of Isaac and Max!  
Henry Katz  
Isaac /Joseph (?) Katz kia 4/38 – 25 Fort Washington Ave, NYC  
Max/Michael (?) Katz 173 Henry St NYC – kia WW2  
Harry Katzin – 149 East Columbia, Detroit  
Samuel Katzman 1050 N Spaulding Ave, Chic  
Keith Kaufman

Alfred Leo Kaufman aka Al Friedman/Oscar Everett/ Oscar “The Kid” Ovrutsky – 1829 Georges Lane,  
Philad. – kia Gandesa 4/38

Al Kaufman  
Charles Lawrence Kaufman aka Keith POW – 550 West 20<sup>th</sup> St/ 104 East 17<sup>th</sup> NYC  
Hyman Kaufman – 1819 S. Sawyer Ave, Chic.  
Lewis Kaufman kia 3/38 – 106 North 34<sup>th</sup> St, Philad.  
Lorenz Ursos Carles Kaufman – 144a, Clinton Pk, San Fran.  
Rubin “Ruby” Kaufman 318 Kosciusko, St Brooklyn – WW2  
Sidney Kaufman – 314 East 11<sup>th</sup> St NYC  
Morris Kawer  
Lt Conrad Kaye 305 West 19<sup>th</sup> St NYC – WW2  
George Kaye 458 N Genessee St /7733 Oakland Ave LA – WW2  
Harry Keen kia Batea 4/38 – 702 East 4<sup>th</sup> St, Bethlehem, Pa.  
Anthony Kerhlicker – 202 East 9<sup>th</sup> St, Madrid, Iowa  
J. Irving Keith aka Kreichmar, Chicago - kia Batea 4/38  
Anton Leonhard Keller – 430 Bleecker Brooklyn – WW2

Fred Paul Keller Jr – Commissar and athlete, born 1914 NY, cited for bravery on Aragon Front – 1364 6<sup>th</sup> Ave NYC – WW2 - possible

Charles Kersh  
Archie Kessner NYC kia Sierra Cabollo 9/38  
John Keslering/Keslzirina - 16832 Winston Ave Redford Detroit  
Joseph Kier Leni (?) – (ML)  
Samuel/Sevek Kirchenbaum 136 East 17<sup>th</sup> St/3096 Brighton 6<sup>th</sup> NYC  
Karl Earl Kirchner  
Lewis Kirman  
Max Kirschbaum – WW2  
J. William Kirsh aka Mirin/Merin  
Leslie Kish – 335 East 79<sup>th</sup> St/1143 1<sup>st</sup> Ave NYC - nurse  
Lawrence I. Kleidman kia Teruel 1/38  
Harry Kleiman  
Albert Gerald Klein 243 Herzl St Brooklyn – WW2  
Herman Gaby Klein aka Hyman Rosenstein – 1347 Bristow St Bronx  
Joseph Klein  
Dr Jack/Jacob B. Klein – 1102 Eastern Parkway Brooklyn  
Seymour R. Klein – 302 Ave C, Brooklyn – seaman – WW2  
Joseph “Red” Kleinman kia Sierra Cabollo 9/38 – 2700 Bronx Pk East, Bronx  
John Henry Kleinow /Klernow – 1515 Gough San Fran./2207 E Monterrey St, Bakersfield Calif.  
Joseph Carroll Klerlein – 508 Kenyon St NW Wash DC/ 10 S Carey St Balt.  
Gustav Klieger – 560 Fox St Bronx  
Joseph Klimowski aka Kalinowski 512 Brush St Detroit kia CofB 5/37  
John Kline

Max Robert Klonsky – after 5 months in front line discovered to be under-age and sent home! – WW2 – 729 Howard Ave, Brooklyn

Theodore Knecht – Switzerland/Chicago kia Jarama 2/37  
Jack Jacob Koble aka Kovo – 126 Bay 25<sup>th</sup> St Brooklyn – WW2  
John/Jan Koblich/Kobeluch – 350 East 13<sup>th</sup> NYC - WW2  
Sollie Kobrin – kia Brunete 7/37 – 5610 Dorchester Ave Chic.  
Charles Koch/Kuch – pilot – Bristol Pike, Bristol, Pa.  
Harry Kochigan 96 Main St Worcs, Mass.  
Cyprian Kochinsky aka Kochinas/Kochins Frank – 368 N Lockwood Chic. – WW2  
Richard Koepfel  
Louis Kohen – 2806 West Meinecke St, Milwaukee  
John Kohler - York, Penn.

Albert Kohn – 154 East 3<sup>rd</sup> , NYC – WW2  
 Stanley Kohn kia Gandesa 4/38 – 2624 Michigan Ave, LA  
 Dr Edwin Koll aka Lincoln aka Jim Kall aka Jack Kalleborn 412 West 46<sup>th</sup> NYC/1233 7<sup>th</sup> Ave Moline, Ill.  
 Morris/Maury Samuel Kolow aka Manny Colow 416 Livonia Ave Brooklyn aged 18 years – WW2  
 Walter Kolowski – 3136 Lehman Ave Hamtramck, Mich/ 3104 Jemons St, Hambronst, Mich.  
 Hugo Kolping  
 Herman Leo Kondell kia Gandesa 4/38 - 64 West 93<sup>rd</sup> St, NYC  
 Bennano Bernard Konefski – 1392 Volney Dr, LA  
 Samuel Koneski – POW - Russellton, Pa  
 Kopel Koplowitz aka Matthews/Kaye – 783 East 176<sup>th</sup> St/337 West 21<sup>st</sup>, NYC  
 Morris Koplowitz kia Gandesa 4/38 – 30 Bay 25<sup>th</sup> St, Brooklyn  
 Valentine Koppal  
 Max Korb/Kord kia – 88 Middleton St Brooklyn  
 Sam Korenblatt  
 Samuel Sid Kornblatt 1314 Elder Ave Bronx – WW2  
 Dr Morris Kornblum – WW2  
 Joel Kornblutt – 1343 Interworle Ave Bronx  
 August Korpi aka Hille  
 Abraham Barney Al Koslow - kia – 169 Belmont Ave, Brooklyn  
 John/Gene Kosesak/Kosocak/Kascsale kia Sierra Pandols 8/38 - Box 254 Tiltonville Ohio/Lorraine Ill.  
 William Koster  
 Leo Koster (ML) – died of typhus as POW.  
 Ernest Koslowski – kia WW2 – Pittsburgh/Aberdeen Wash./ 703 Bellevue N Seattle, Wash.  
 Mortimer Kosowatski  
 Samuel Krafzur wia – 68 Phillips St Boston  
 Daniel Kramen 367 20<sup>th</sup> St/1702 Church Ave, Brooklyn  
 Jacob Albert Kramer – 385 Hampshire St Buffalo, NY/NYC  
 Louis Nathan Kranes aka Krasna – 1561 Sheridan Ave, NYC  
 Morris Krangel – 406 South 4<sup>th</sup> St, Brooklyn kia Brunete/Fuentes 10/37  
 Morris Kranskoff/Krausikoff – 110 Montague St Brooklyn  
 Louis Krasner/Krasna – 3508 St Clair St, Cleveland - 1903-71 – wia also with Dimitovs  
 Max Kraus aka Morris Krausikoff – WW2  
 Max Krauthamer – 110 Montague St, Brooklyn - NY lawyer kia at Brunete 7/37  
 Kremmer  
 John Krivesy/Kortvesy , LA kia Gandesa 4/38  
 Max Krupke – 31 West 16<sup>th</sup> St/461 West 144<sup>th</sup> St NYC  
 David Solomon Krupke  
 Abraham Kuchersky – 1975 Creston Ave NYC  
 Henry Kuehner aka Kuchner – 1317 West Kelbourn Ave/2128 South 59<sup>th</sup> St, Milwaukee  
 Cecil Alex Kunstlich aka Honig kia - 330 West 15<sup>th</sup> St, Apt. 1c, NYC  
 John Kunz – kia Jarama 2/37 - 1540 North La Salle St, Chic  
 Wolf Kupin/Kupinsky aka Harry Milton 10 Monroe St NYC  
 Louis Kupperman aka Levine – 245 East 13<sup>th</sup> St NYC  
 Isaac Kupperman – 350 West 20<sup>th</sup> St, Brooklyn, NY kia Cordoba 4/37  
 Sidney Kurtz - kia WW2 – 215 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave NYC  
 Harry Allan Kushner aka Pico  
 Samuel Kushner  
 Allen Kushnier/Hushnier aka Antti Kushinen kia Batea 3/38  
 Felix Kusman  
 Barnett (Steven) Kutler aka Ben Kotler – 210 Madison St NYC

Louis Ladman – 106-19 Hutphin Blvd. Jamaica LI, kia Jarama 2/37  
 Major Leonard Lamb/Lamchick – 420 East 6<sup>th</sup> St NYC/Cleveland – CO 17<sup>th</sup> bat. wia

Joseph Julius Lampert aka Lambert – 5906 Hough Ave Cleveland/NY kia Brunete after surviving CoB 5/37

Sanford/Stafford Karl Land – 9007 Yale Ave Cleveland – WW2  
Arthur Harold Landis aka Max Straub – 1209 South Maple LA/226 North Irena St Redondo Beach, Calif.  
Gil Lang aka Freed

Manny Morris Lanser/Lancer/Lanzer – MG Coy Commander – memoirs B15B p.265 – 327 Rodney St. Brooklyn – WW2

Joseph P. Lash – 16 Bank St, NYC – WW2  
Benzion Lasher/Lacher – 2117 Vyse Ave, NY, kia Teruel 1/38  
George Laskowski – Canada – Waterloo, Ont. – kia Jarama  
Stanley Lawrence  
William Lazar aka Lawrence  
Barnett David Leavitt 2741 N California Ave Chic. – WW2

Edwin Lebovitz/Leibovitz aka Lyons – stocky, dark, swarthy, with thin moustache, husband of Pearl - pilot , former shoe salesman, head of Loyalist Bombing Sqdn for 6 months, later specialised in ground strafing – founded the Palestine Flying Service 21.12.38, flew with Chinese Air Force , own Flying School in USA and retired as a Colonel (Sunday Worker Magazine, USA, April 1937). 1854 Ocean Ave Brooklyn; born 2.4.10. Lived later in West Hempstead, LI.

Isidore Lebowitz – 1840 Vyse Ave, Bronx  
Louis Lefkowitz 3111 Brighton 7<sup>th</sup> St Brooklyn  
Harold Harvey Lee 555 West 170<sup>th</sup> Street NYC  
Edgar Albert Lehmann – 5709 S. Harper Ave, Chic.

Ben Leider aka Jose Lando husband of Dorothy – journalist from 101 Ocean Parkway, Brooklyn/101 Ocean Parkway, kia Jarama sector, Feb 19<sup>th</sup> 1937 probably the first American kia. Born 18.10.1901 son of Jacob and Anna (who lived later at 69 E. 40<sup>th</sup>, Brooklyn) in Kishinev , family fled 1905 – fighter pilot – see UK – he shot down a Heinkel in his first dog fight, was wia and crashed a number of times; and in the battle in which he was killed, 14 enemy planes were shot down even though outnumbered 82 to 32!! – friend of Leibowitz. He was mortally wounded but crashed landed his plane, dying later of loss of blood. Orphanage in Spain was named after him. His body was brought home to NY and buried at Mt Hebron Jewish cemetery, Flushing, LI, Sunday 21.8.38 , Rabbi Jacob Greenfield presiding

Simon Leinoff aka Thomas Lane 9703 N Martindale/ 4640 16<sup>th</sup> St Detroit  
Sol Leiserowitz aka Solomon kia Sierra Cabollo 9/38– 340 East 15<sup>th</sup> St NYC  
George Henry Leiviska – 465 East Pine St, Ironwood Mich.  
Myron Edgar Lemberger 264 West 19<sup>th</sup> St, Apt 22 NYC  
John Lembke kia aka Bernard Lemble kia Teruel 1/38 - 75 Roosevelt Ave, Buffalo, NY  
Maxim Lemchuk  
Otto Ernest Lemke – kia Gandesa or POW - 315 East 5<sup>th</sup> St NYC  
Isaac Edward Lending 1815 Grand Concourse Bronx – WW2 Jan 1992 “Horizons” Journal of Jewish Workman’s Circle  
Louis Leoane aka Seoane Castro/Esmagardo  
Ernest Carl Earl Leppo kia - 729 Ritner St Philad.  
David Lerner kia Belchite 3/38 – 902 44<sup>th</sup> St NYC  
Hyman Lerner aka Kenneth Gale/Gayle kia – 1272 Grand Concourse, Bronx  
Murray Bernard/Morris Lerner – 2765 West 5<sup>th</sup> St., Brighton Brook Brooklyn  
Sol Isiah Lerner POW 1169 52<sup>nd</sup> St Brooklyn  
Samuel Lesitz/Lissitz 16 West Maple St/3833 West 14<sup>th</sup> St Chic.  
Walter Peter Lesniak kia Gandesa 4/38 – 2519 Cortland St, Chic.

Abraham Letvin 28 Hinsdale St Brooklyn  
Leonard Bertrand Levenson 38 Sutton Place , NYC – Machine Gunner with Macpaps.  
Lionel Levick – 7 Jones St NY, wia Belchete, kia Fuentes 10/37  
Louis Levin - 395 Stratford Ave, Brooklyn  
Louis S. Levin  
Milton Levin  
Nathan Levin 53 Shepard St/66 Vine St Lynn, Mass.  
Abraham Robert/Joseph Levine 358 West 23<sup>rd</sup> NYC/21 Gibbs St Boston  
Benjamin Levine aka Lane 1614 Silverlake LA – WW2  
Harry Levine – Philadelphia kia Quinto 9/38  
Jacob Levine 738 Rockaway Ave Brooklyn  
Louis Steve Levine 583 Chester St Brooklyn – WW2  
Samuel Levine aka Jay/ Joseph Sherman - 67 Herzl St/403 Chester St Brooklyn

Lt Sidney Levine, Coy. Commander and commander of crucial MG coy. at Jarama and Brunete and later Training Officer MG base. 174 East 43<sup>rd</sup> St Brooklyn – WW2

Samuel Harold Levinger – 2267 Indianola Ave Columbus Ohio, son of Rabbi - kia Belchite 9/37 M Gun Coy.

William Levinger  
Joseph Levinsky 435 East 61<sup>st</sup> St Chic. - kia  
Isadore Levitt – 10627 Morrison Ave Cleveland

David Levy of Dublin – kia Jarama – see C. Shindler “ No Pasaran – The Jews who fought in Spain” 50<sup>th</sup> anniv. Article – ML archive.

Israel Levy 45 east 12<sup>th</sup> St NYC  
Alex Lewandowski 6682 Seneca St Detroit – WW2  
Morris Lewis  
Reuben Lewis  
Michol Liber (Canada?)  
Henry Libin  
Harry Edward Lichter/Lighter aka Richter 2210 West Walnut St Milwaukee – WW2  
Arthur Harry Lidz 408 West 129<sup>th</sup> St NYC  
Jack Liffland NYC – kia Ebro 7/38  
Reuben Lifschitz  
Isaac Lifshitz  
Sidney Linn 2278 Blaine Ave Detroit/ Cleveland (?)  
David Watson Lippert 64 Webster Ave Fort Washington NY  
Reuben Lippman  
David Raphael/Robert Lipton kia Sierra Pandols 9/38 – 2144 Crotona Parkway Bronx  
Norman Lisberg kia Teruel 1/38 – 919 East Jefferson St, LA  
Paul List  
Abraham aka Alfred Harvey Litvin/Litwin/Lytton – WW2  
Anthony Litvinas 5329 S Homan Ave Chic. – WW2  
Jacob Loch – Canada kia Belchite – from Guelph, Ont.  
Rudolph Loch aka Toch - Bartlesville Ohio/914 Market St Wheeling, W Virg.  
Aaron Lopolf  
Victor Michael Losch/Loesch kia Gandesa 4/38 – 315, S. San Pedro St, LA/N Dakota  
Karl Loewenberg Newark, NJ – kia Belchite 4/38  
Abraham Lomsky/Lonsky 583 Pennsylvania Ave Brooklyn – WW2  
Harold David (Arthur) London – originally from eastern Europe  
Aaron Lopoff – 219 East 12<sup>th</sup> St NY kia Ebro/Sierra Pandols 9/38  
Vincent Lossowski WW2 OSS (Prago)

Eugene Jacob Loveman kia Gandesa 4/38 - 1960 82<sup>nd</sup> St Brooklyn  
Carl Lovenberg – Newark kia Belchite  
Victor Lovsky - tbc  
Jack Lucid – VALBA web site  
Martin Ludwig – WW2  
Joseph Luftig 11404 109<sup>th</sup> Ave Richmond Mill NYC – WW2 – survived CoB  
Israel Lukomnik  
Walter Lukosky – WW2  
Lawrence Lustgarten, Coy. Commander – kia WW2 – 806 East 9<sup>th</sup> St/216 East 10<sup>th</sup> St, NYC  
Paul Lutka  
Lt Fred George Lutz, Commissar – 104 Winthrop Ave Morristown NJ  
Henry Lyons – actor, Chicago

Friedrich Maas – Bronx kia Brunete 7/37  
Henry Mack aka Maki  
Henry Rudolph Maier 2326 Amsterdam Ave NYC  
Joseph Maier 324 East 84<sup>th</sup> St NYC  
Jack Mail – POW - 2114 N St NW Washington DC/410 Madison Ave NYC  
Henry Mak aka H. Alfred Buska  
Martin David Maki – WW2  
Henry / Harold Malofsky kia Belchite – 1022 Stebbins Ave NYC  
Emanuel Mandel – 62-16 Mt Olivet Ave, Maspeth , Woodside LI, kia Seguro de los Banos 2/38  
Phillip/Sam Mandelblatt kia  
Solomon Charles Mandelblatt aka Mann – 1706 Washington Ave, NYC – kia Ebro 7/38  
Harold Mulford Mann – The Precidio, San. Fran.  
Heinrich Mandelbaum  
Erwin Manheim – 133 West 11<sup>th</sup> St, Saxon Ave NYC – WW2  
Benjamin Martin Mantell – 403 Hewes St NY kia Jarama 2/37  
Herbert August Marberg – San Francisco, kia Brunete 7/37  
Irving Margolis – 1117 Manor Ave Bronx  
Alec Markovitz  
Abe Matorn  
Leo Isaac Markowitz aka Lee Marcus 269 Christopher Ave/390 Stone Ave, Brooklyn – WW2  
Rubin Markowitz – 348 Williams Ave Brooklyn – WW2  
Sam Markowitz kia Sierra Cabollo 9/38 - 73 Reed St, Pitts.  
Dan Markowsky  
Dave Mates/Maten aka Metropolitan  
Morris Matz/Katz kia Gandesa 4/38 – 8 Crandall St Binghamton NY  
Charles Mayer aka Carl Mayer Fuchs – POB 2 Cotati, Calif/San Fran.  
William Mayer aka Miller/Mitchell  
Edward Melnicoff aka Edgar Allen Menick – WW2  
Harold Meloff aka Melefsky/Melofsky NYC kia Belcetie 9/37  
Isadore Menacker kia Brunete 7/37 – 731 Alabama Ave, Brooklyn  
Samuel “Curley” Mendelowitz aka Mende or Kramer – WW2 – 530 Manhattan Ave, NYC  
Jacob Joseph Mendelowitz aka Joe Gordon – 765 Lafayette Ave Brooklyn  
Wilfred/Wilford Mendelson, 1223 Avenue V , Brooklyn, KIA Gandesa/Ebro 7/38  
Harry Mensh – WW2  
Nick Merinoff - Canada kia Jarama  
Marian Meriman aka Wachtel  
Paul Merkel – seaman – 849 6<sup>th</sup> St, San Pedro, Calif.  
Wolf Morris Meyerson kia 3/38 – 2682 Broadway NYC  
George Michalchik kia Gandesa 4/38 – 42, 4<sup>th</sup> Ave, NYC/Mass.  
Carl Perez/ Joseph Michitsch – kia Jarama – iron worker

Morris Mickenberg aka Maken – 1067 Eastern Parkway Brooklyn  
David Micah Miller – WW2 – 306 West 99<sup>th</sup> NYC  
Isidore Millstone - 53 West 11<sup>th</sup> NYC  
George Irvin Millstone – WW2  
John A. Miltenberger/Mittenberger – 1084 Boyd Ave, Johnstown, Pa  
Reuben Miner/Minor WW2 – 239 Parish St, Battle Creek, Mich.  
Irving Mitchell - 1512 54<sup>th</sup> St Brooklyn – WW2  
Louis Mohar RFD 2 Barberton Ohio  
Julius Molnar - 512 F St NW Washington DC  
Artin Moretion - Turkish  
Joe/Charles Eugene Morse – WW2 – 10319 114th St, Richmond Hill, LI – wia – J Garber  
Virgil Lanny Morris – 11 N Hancock St, Portland, Oreg.  
Irving Morrison  
Ignatz Moscowitz POW – kia WW2  
George Cherry Moser – 129 West 46<sup>th</sup> St, NYC  
Ben Moses aka Jose Hernandez Sanchez!  
Harry Charles Moshier – 425 University Ave SE Minneapolis  
Abraham Moskowitz – 1230 42<sup>nd</sup> St, NY kia Ebro 7/38  
Ignatz Moskowitz – 47 Jackson Ave, Jersey City NJ  
Morris Motz

Edward Andrew/Andre Mtozkowski aka Morrow – 11 Broadway Hicksville NY/ 421 West 125<sup>th</sup> St, NYC

John Phillip Muller – 17 Clifton St, Carrick, Pitts.  
John V. Murra aka Isidore Lipshitz  
G Murray

Robert Arnold Nagle 5057 Whitfield Detroit – WW2  
Sam Nahman aka Manny Harriman 49 East 102<sup>nd</sup> St NYC – WW2  
Wolfe Nathan  
Alexander Narurwicz – 5507 Kenwood Ave Chic.  
Marvin Nelsen – 1919 W Blvd, Racine, Wis.  
Marvin Nelson – USA

Murray Nemeroff – 500 Chester St Brooklyn – survived CoB

Abraham Neufield – kia Brunete

Isidore James Newman aka Neugass/Naugass – 3915 49<sup>th</sup> St, Queens, NYC – poet.  
David Newman – kia Brunete 7/37  
Sol Newman – 667 West 161<sup>st</sup> St, NYC  
Saul B Newton aka Sol Cohen - WW2  
Alexander Nichta – 1129 Levington Ave NYC  
David Nieder – 356 West 34<sup>th</sup> St NYC  
Bela Niederman – 845 Longfellow Ave Bronx - nurse  
Paul Niepold – Katonah NY, kia Jarama, 2/37 - 2<sup>nd</sup> Coy. section leader.  
Leo Nitzberg aka Rosenthal – WW2  
Irving Noachowitz aka Norman – 1110 Euclid Ave, LA/1329 Briston St, Brooklyn  
Harry Nobel – 144 West 16<sup>th</sup> St NYC – WW2  
Marion M. Noble – 252 Farnsworth Ave Detroit/2357 Arnsworth St NYC

Charlie Nusser – 4 Duncan Way East Carnegie, Pittsburgh, wia Belchete, cited for bravery on night patrols  
– WW2.

Howard Oberman aka Bailey – 158 Walnut Ave, Roxbury, Mass.  
James Bartle O’Hara aka Ernest Halpern/Kaplin kia Sierra Cabollo 9/38 – 1149, West 1<sup>st</sup> St, LA  
Melvin Ofsink kia Gandesa 4/38 – 1035 Hegeman Ave, Brooklyn  
Robert Okun  
Boris Rudolph Oretkin/Oretchkin Chic. - kia Belchetie 9/37  
Louis Noah Ornitz – POW – 896 Bryant Ave Bronx – WW2  
Abraham Osheroff – photo – 468 Chester St Brooklyn /lived Seattle – WW2 – survived CoB  
Ernest Albert Ozias

Isaiah Padolin  
Max A. Parker POW – WW2  
Isaac Harry Parnes – kia Fuentes 10/37 – 351 West 4<sup>th</sup> St, NYC  
Daniel Alvin Pasternak – 215 east 18<sup>th</sup> St NYC - kia Fuentes 13.10.37 by aircraft strafing  
Samuel Peck – WW2 – 515 West 124<sup>th</sup> St, NYC  
Sol Peel  
Herman J Pekow – 3446 5<sup>th</sup> Ave/3928 Wilcox Ave Chic.  
Milton Pekow – kia Jarama 2/37 – as above  
Harry Perchik/Purchick kia Teruel 1/38 – 920 St John Ave, Bronx  
Henri Percikow  
Harold David Perez  
Harry Perlman NYC kia Belchitie 1/38  
Norman Perlman – 1941 84<sup>th</sup> St Brooklyn  
Joseph Louis Perlman Spokane, Wash – kia 3 or 4/38  
Jim Jacob Persoff/Perzoff aka James Prescott – kia Jarama – 1359 Findlay Ave Bronx.  
Irving Peshkin – 356 East 79<sup>th</sup> St/502 East 77<sup>th</sup> NYC  
Robert Carl Pick kia Jarama 2/37 as Company runner – 337 East 14<sup>th</sup> St NYC  
Henry Plotnick – 8757 bay 16<sup>th</sup> Brooklyn – WW2  
Erich Oscar Plutgradt/Flugrath – 231 East 13<sup>th</sup> St/438 East 88<sup>th</sup> St NYC  
Ben Pobersky – 915 North 7<sup>th</sup> St, Philad.  
Samuel Polansky POW - 141 Hawthorne Ave Bronx  
Abraham Polen aka Leslie McKenney - 2506 Stanley St, Philad.  
Lt Harry Poll – Staff Officer.  
Samuel Emil Pollack 651 Cleveland St, Brooklyn  
Irving Portnow 1071 Elder Ave Bronx – WW2  
Stanley Postek aka Szliga  
Thomas Theodore Prager 117 East 89<sup>th</sup> St NYC/ 24 Plant St Newhaven, Conn.  
Albert Prago – 137 West 75<sup>th</sup> St NYC – wia Belchite  
Morris Presser – ammunition expert  
John Prosick  
Leo Pudinski – 83 Norfolk St NYC

Gabriel Jack Quinones/Quinn 977 Intervale Ave, Bronx

George Rabie/Rabey 88 Clinton St Binghampton NY/ Schenectady NY  
I. Rabinovitz – 1113 Grant Ave Bronx



John Harold Rabyor/Raybor  
 Joseph Radacoy POW - WW2  
 Walter Jack Radin kia Gandesa 4/38 - 2025 East 4<sup>th</sup> St, LA  
 Albin Ragner aka Ragauskas  
 John Augustus Ramatowski kia Gandesa 4/38 - 2540A University St, St Louis  
 Aaron Ramer kia Belchetie 3/38 - 300 West 23<sup>rd</sup> NYC  
 Victor Rank  
 Robert Raport/Rappaport Seattle, Wash – kia  
 David Rappaport  
 William Rappaport  
 Irving Rappaport – WW2  
 Israel Rapoport - 381 Powell St Brooklyn  
 Milton Mordecai Gershon Rappaport – 3475 Knox Place, Bronx kia Jarama 2/37  
 Mark Benjamin Rauschwald – 117 Pulaski St/255 West 19<sup>th</sup> St, NYC - WW”  
 Anthony Henry Rautbort – 1713 North 3<sup>rd</sup> St, Milwaukee.  
 Joseph Robert Raven – 128 East 22<sup>nd</sup> St NYC/ Pitts.  
 Bernard Rogers Razanski – 490 Hillside Ave, New Jersey, kia Seguro de los Banos 2/38  
 George F. Redlich – 5709 Dorchester Ave, Chic.  
 Arnold Reid aka Reisky – 113 East 31<sup>st</sup> NYC  
 Charlie Reid  
 Alex Reinholm  
 Harry Hyman Reinleb/Reinler – 2425 Kings Highway Brooklyn  
 David Morris Reiss, Bat. Commander from NJ – kia Belchite 3/38  
 Peter Reiter – WW2  
 John Reitz – Watonga/Quinton Village, Oklahoma  
 Izie aka Robert Rennert – NY kia Cordoba 4/37  
 Charles Rhines  
 Reuben J. A. Richards  
 Benjamin David Richman 17 Summit Ave, Hackensack NJ – WW2  
 Morris Richman – 317 East 14<sup>th</sup> St, NY kia Belchite/Gandesa 4/38  
 Walter William Richter - NYC  
 Carl Herman Riffe POW  
 Irving Rifkin kia Sierra Caballo 9/38 - 3916 Laurel Ave, Brooklyn  
 Dr Sidney/Seymour Stanley Robbins – kia Brunete – 1155 N Sycamore Rd, Hollywood, Calif.  
 Alan Robbins – WW2  
 Dr Sydney Robleins/Robbins kia Brunete 7/37  
 Harry Tony Rodd  
 Charles Roffeld – 2321 Monument St Balt./Youngstown, Ohio  
 Joseph Roffman – 2192 Flatbush Ave Brooklyn  
 August Rohmann  
 Edwin Rolfe aka Sol Fishma/Fishback - poet and writer - WW2  
 Samuel Romer POW – 250 West 10<sup>th</sup> St/216 29<sup>th</sup> St, NYC/ Detroit  
 Morris Rose  
 Lt Sol Rose aka Rosenblum , KIA Ebro 10/38 – Training Officer – 162 West 13<sup>th</sup> St NYC  
 Albert Rosen  
 Abraham Isaac Rosenberg – 301 West 13<sup>th</sup> St NYC  
 Albert Abraham Rosenberg – WW2  
 Leon Lester Rosenberg – 425 East 6<sup>th</sup> St NYC  
 Willy Rosenberg  
 Sidney Rosenblatt POW , later KIA WW2 – 119 Cannon St NYC  
 Lawrence Rosenkrantz – 1633 East 92<sup>nd</sup> LA  
 Herman Rosenstein – WW2  
 Joseph Rosenstein – Detroit kia Gandesa 4/38 – 2640 Gladstone, Detroit  
 Sidney Rosenstein – kia Sierra Cabollo 9/38 - 66 Morton St NYC/Cleveland  
 Julius Rosenthal – kia Jarama Feb 1937 – 171 East 4<sup>th</sup> St NYC

Charles Rosenthal

Leon Rosenthal – 380 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave, Brooklyn kia Estramadura 2/38

Joseph Rosmarin – pilot - WW2 – 1540 40<sup>th</sup> St Brooklyn – husband of Pauline

Hyman Rosner aka Herman Roseman /Rossman – 430 South 5<sup>th</sup> St, Philad.

Adolph Buster Ross aka Adolfo Rodriguez Rocas – 2072 74<sup>th</sup> St Brooklyn/ Bensonhurst NY – WW2

John Rossen – 52 East Willis Detroit/1333 Temple Pl, St Louis – WW2

Charles Roth – b. 12.4.16 New York City; en route to Spain his ship was torpedoed by a German submarine and he had to swim 200 metres ashore under machine gun fire. Fought at Brunete and Teruel, where he was evacuated with rheumatic fever to Villa Paz IB Hospital near Madrid (“Sanscript” magazine, USA, Oct 1946/May and August 1948 – photo). 467 Neptune Ave Brooklyn.

Jacob Rotter – 411 Hinsdale St Brooklyn

Leo Manuel Rozen – Chicago kia Teruel 1/38 – 2020, Arthur, NYC

Ben Barnard Rubin – WW2

Harry Rubin – wia Quinto street fighting – 649 Argyle Rd Brooklyn – survived CoB

Henry Mortimer Rubin aka M. Henri – 219 S Orange Dr/364 S Cloverdale, LA – WW2

Irving Rubin

Jack Rubin

Sidney Rudner aka James Besante – 1089 Eastern Parkway Brooklyn – WW2

William Rudnisky aka Wasel Rudnicki - 212, H St NW, Washington DC

Ruby Ryant – Commissar – NY/Montreal kia Belchite 3/38

Lee Sabinson – 1912-1991 (ML)

Joseph D Sacal aka Sakalauskas aka Skol kia WW2

David Sachs – Patterson NJ kia 3 or 4/38

Harry/Henry Saks/ Sachs – kia Brunete by aerial bomb rescuing wounded men – B15B p. 172

William Sachs kia Sierra Cabollo 9/38 – 2773 West 35<sup>th</sup>, Brooklyn

Ely Joseph Sack – 8201 Bay Parkway Brooklyn

Leon Meyer Sacks – RFD 9 Box 366 College Hill, Cincinnati

Harry Saksonsky kia Brunete 7/37

Bernard Benzion Sall – 1837 71<sup>st</sup> St/6301 Bay Parkway Brooklyn

Salman

Herbert Salomon

Itzik/Irving N. Saloway/Soloway – 1845 52<sup>nd</sup> St Brooklyn

Felix Salter kia Sierra Cabollo 11/38

Florenz Frederick Salzbrenner – 111, W Garfield Ave, Milwaukee

Carl Samuels Philad. kia Gandesa 4/38

Victor Samulis – Phoenix Hotel, 307 N Main St, Mansfield, Ohio

Charles Sandberg aka Sanborn

Joseph Sanders aka Sandera

Israel Erwin Sandipher – 381 East 81<sup>st</sup> NYC

Joseph Sankovich – 1395 O’Farrell St, S Fran.

Abraham Sasson – 65 Est 2<sup>nd</sup> St, NY kia Belchite-Batea 4/38

Alexander Sauermilch – kia Brunete – 2023 S E Madison St Portland Oreg. – survived CoB

David Schachter – 334 West 19<sup>th</sup> NYC

Phillip Paul Schachter kia Brunete 7/37 - NYC

M. Schaffer

Jacques Schaffran

Michal Schantzec

Theodore Schattner – kia Cordoba 4/37 – 1905 Douglas St Brooklyn

Murray Schattner

Phillip Aaron Schatz

Jack/Jacob Schatzberg kia Belchetie 3/38 – 53 West 8<sup>th</sup> St NYC  
 Hans Schaul  
 Ruby?Reuven Schechter – 34-32 91<sup>st</sup> St., Jackson Heights LI, died of wounds, Brunete 8/37.  
 David Schechter  
 Ed Scheddin aka Carroll  
 Nathan Meyer Schilling – 5610 Dorchester Ave, Chicago kia Fuentes 10/37  
 Harry Schindler  
 Victor P. Schintone – 4234 65<sup>th</sup> St, Woodside LI, kia Guadalajara with Garibaldi Brigade 5/37  
 Walter Schlekau aka Edwards – 2102 Chicago St, Omaha  
 Herbert Schlessinger – 1302 Ave. K Brooklyn, NY kia Gandesa/Sierra Cabollo 9/38  
 Ernest Anthony Schmidt – 641 N 10<sup>th</sup> St Milwaukee  
 Norman James Schmidt – WW2 – 192 N Clark St, Room 713, Chic.  
 Eddie August Schneider – pilot – 50 Jones St, Jersey City, NJ – alias??  
 Murray Schneider – 2725 Sedgwick Ave Bronx  
 Theodore Samuel Schneider fought in WW2 – 165/160, East 49<sup>th</sup> St NYC  
 Rubin Schneiderman – WW2 – 1273 Stebbins Ave, Bronx  
 ?? K. Schnell kia Gandesa 4/38  
 Harry Schoenberg/Shinsberg – adjutant Lincoln bat. – 607 N Clark St Chic/103 Hester St NYC – WW2  
 Fred Jacob Schofs aka Gottfried Shatz  
 Paul Schreiber – 1483 Hoe Ave NYC  
 Isadore Schrenzel – 4909 5<sup>th</sup> Ave, Brooklyn kia Fuentes 10/37  
 David H Schubert kia Gandesa 4/38  
 Walter J Schuetrum – 1508 N 21<sup>st</sup> St, Superior, Wis. – WW2  
 Clarence Schuler – RFD 1, Denison, Iowa – WW2  
 Maynard Schuler – N Seagrave Ave, Denison, Iowa – WW2  
 Yechiel Schulevitch – poss. Polish, lived USA  
 Elias Schultz 1930 Grand Concourse NYC – WW2  
 Herbert Lawrence Schultz – alias??  
 Gunnar Nils Schultzberg, 53 Goffe St., New Haven, Conn. - kia  
 William Martin Schultz – 727 Greenwich St, Brooklyn kia Brunete or CoB 5/37  
 Samuel Schumack  
 Irving Raymond Schumann – 3332 W. Grenshaw, Chic  
 Sydney Schurr/Scharr  
 William Schutt  
 Herbert Lawrence Schutz 8542 Alcott St, LA  
 Abraham Schwartz – 2187 Douglas St, Brooklyn kia Brunete/died of typhus Villa Paz 5/37  
 Max Schwartz kia Gandesa 4/38– 145 East 23<sup>rd</sup> St NYC  
 Ralph Waldo Schwartz/Schwartzfield – 201 Platt St/1840 East Anaheim St, Long Beach, Calif.  
 Max Mordechai Schwartzberg – 871 hegean Ave Brooklyn - MG Coy wia Brunete  
 Alexander Schwartzman – 40 Monroe St NYC – WW2  
 Arthur/ Albert Hellmath F. Schwecke - kia Jarama 2/37  
 Moses Schwerner aka Murph Strong  
 Celia Seborer - nurse  
 Lt Lou Secundy, Transport Officer 15<sup>th</sup> Brigade – 327 Livonia Ave Brooklyn  
 Theodore Seelman aka Skelman kia Gandesa 4/38 - 322 West 34<sup>th</sup> St NYC/Chic.  
 Charles Joseph Seibert kia Brunete 7/37 – 1617 Falck Ave NE Pitts  
 Joseph Seligman Jr. aka Dino/ Frank Neri/Nerry – 1415 Willow Ave, Louisville Ken./Philad. - kia Jarama  
 12/2/37  
 George Seligman  
  
 Eddie Lester Semons – pilot – salesman b NYC, died San Rafael, California 3.9.76 having lived with wife  
 Gloria at 220, Canal Street – fought in Navy Air Force WW2 - 3 sons Ralph, Steven, Alexander, brother  
 Robert, 6 grandchildren, cremated Vallejo, ashes scattered at sea.  
  
 Morris Sennett aka Snetzki/Snestzki – 1447 East 55<sup>th</sup> St Chic.

William Sennett aka Snetsky 1813 Lombard Ave Cicero Ill./Chic. – WW2  
Elman Rogers Service 202 east Pottawatomie, Tecumseh, Mich. – WW2  
Paul Seus/Sens  
Jack/Jacob Joseph Shafran 2000 Daly Ave NYC/3017 Ocean Parkway Brooklyn – WW2  
Kenneth Rubin Shaker 32 Winchester St, Hartford Conn. – WW2  
Michael Shansky/Shantzak 722 N Hoover St/1017 S Ardmore Ave LA – WW2

Arthur “Artie” Micheal Shapiro – pilot aka Arturo Vasnit – b 17.1.10 Brooklyn/Woodhaven, LI – pupil of Lebowitz – husband of Evelyn Kovalsky, married Spain 31.12.36 followed by a Jewish wedding after return to USA.

David Daniel Shapiro/Shupin – pilot – kia Jarama 2/37 – Hempstead Lake, Hempstead NY  
David Shapiro aka Daniel Shupin kia – 67 Herzl St Brooklyn  
Eugene L. Shapiro – 1132 Main St, Springfield, Mass.  
Henry Shapiro kia Teruel 1/38 – 166 Howard Ave, Roxbury, Mass./Boston  
Larry Shapiro  
Manuel Shapiro kia Gandesa 4/38 – 2538 South 10th St, Philad.  
Mordechai Morris Shapiro – 868 East 156<sup>th</sup> St, Bronx  
Saul Mayer Shapiro – 1472 Bedford Ave Brooklyn  
Nathan Meyer Sheir – 2519 Mermaid Ave, Brooklyn

Joseph Adolphe Shenkir aka Lloyd C. “Red”/ Reed Johnson – Olympia Hotel, Aberdeen, Wash – kia Gandesa

Joseph Shenkiz  
Joseph Sherman WW2  
Solomon Shiff 62 West 124<sup>th</sup> St NYC  
Nathan Mayer Shiff  
Jack Shiffman – Detroit kia Fuentes 10/37 – 206 East Alexanderline Detroit  
Arthur Shilman – 993 NY Ave, Brooklyn  
Peter /Petar Shimrack/Simrack – ship worker -  
Charles Shinson  
Robert Garis Shissler – 417 Highland Ave , Johnstown Pa., kia Fuentes 10/37

Lt Sidney Shosteck – kia Belchete 9/37, Staff Officer – aged 23 years from 1121 Orren St NE Washington DC – survived CoB – former head of Teamsters in Washington DC

Max Shufer aka Irving Rabinowitz - POW  
Jack Shulman 67 Nassau St Rochester NY – WW2  
Michael Sidorovich 341 East 19<sup>th</sup> St NYC c/o H C Kahaus Pharmacy 23d and Ave A NYC  
Charles Siebert – Pittsburgh, kia Brunete  
Ione Siegel 9 Telegraph St Binghamton NY  
Joseph Isaac Siegel 43 Deering Rd Matapan, Mass.  
Sam Siegel  
Paul Sigel NYC kia Fuentes 10/37  
Horace Lionel Sieve – 1740 , 46<sup>th</sup> St Brooklyn/Boston – kia Gandesa 4/38  
Paul Sigel – NY kia Fuentes  
Benjamin Sills 438a Monroe St Brooklyn – WW2  
Sidney Silver  
Conrad Silverman – kia WW2 – 7006 18<sup>th</sup> St Brooklyn – survived CoB  
Ivan A. Silverman kia Gandesa 4/38– 3397 Blair Dr., LA  
Max S. Silverman 30 St Marks Pl., NYC – WW2  
Samuel Silverman 1659 Boston Post Rd, Bronx/1468 Wilkins Ave NYC – WW2  
Arthur Paul Silverstein 1479 Macomb’s Rd Bronx – WW2  
Herbert Simmons – Baltimore kia Belchite 10/37

Israel Simon  
 "Doc" John Leopold Simon – 3510 North 23<sup>rd</sup> St, Philad.  
 Samuel Simon  
 Sigurd/Sigmund Martin Simonsen – WW2  
 Bernard Singer kia Ebro 9/38 – 426 Amboy St, Brooklyn  
 Hugo Singer  
 Joseph Martin Sinnott aka Joseph S. Martin – 1, Christopher St NYC  
 Abraham Sirotof 2921 West 29<sup>th</sup> St Brooklyn/2812 West 36<sup>th</sup> St NYC – WW2  
 Louis Siskin – 367 East 95<sup>th</sup> St NYC  
 Abe Yale Stuart aka Skolnick 109 West 112<sup>th</sup> St/112 109<sup>th</sup> St NYC/1422 Stebbins Ave, Bronx?  
 Samuel Slipem/Slipyman 945 East 181<sup>st</sup> St NYC – WW2  
 David Smith Boston, Mass./ 39 Crook Ave Chelsea, Mass  
 Harold Jacob Smith 9 Main St, San Fran. – died Typhoid Belalcazar 12.7.37  
 Abe Smorodin 153 Ave B NYC/538 Amboy St Brooklyn – WW2  
 John W. Snyder – WW2  
 George Soich – kia Guadalajara 2/37 – 623 Chestnut St Springdale Penn.  
 Leo Solodkin – 1801 7<sup>th</sup> Ave NYC – WW2  
 Herbert B. Solomon – 248 East 7<sup>th</sup> St, Bronx kia Brunete or CoB 5/37.  
 Irving Soloway aka Fred Saloway/ Fred Arthur  
 Pedro Sosnowski – Pol/Argent.  
 Bunni Sovetski – 3116 S Halstead St., Chic.  
 Philip Spector kia 3/38 - Bronx  
 Ralph Spector  
 Gustave Sperber aka John Rotte 2704 West 16<sup>th</sup> Brooklyn  
 Sanford Sperberg kia  
 Benjamin Spiesisen - 122 Lewis St NYC  
 Samuel Spiller – 2804 West Lehigh/Leigh Ave, Phil. – WW2  
 Abraham Spindler  
 Paul Spiwak  
 Sepp Spunn  
 Walter Howard Sprungman – 121 West Grant/Grand St Minneapolis  
 Zachary Michlin Stadt – 1056 East 24<sup>th</sup> St Brooklyn  
 Martin Sramek/Spramek 3185 East 81<sup>st</sup> St Cleveland  
 Abe Stahl  
 Harry Harris/Hyman Stamler 16 Mclean Ct Boston Mass.  
 Morris Stamm – 3451 East 117<sup>th</sup> St, Cleveland  
 Al Stanley/Handler  
 Werner George Stark kia Jarama 2/37  
 Robert Steck POW – 804 Sutler Ave Brooklyn/Rock Is. Ill. – WW2  
 Raymond "Spike" Steinbach 2259 Cedar Ave Cleveland/Cole Rd, Golden, NY  
 Charles Steinberg kia Gandesa 4/38  
 Harry Jack Steinberg aka Fred Gruff - 21 Covington St, Pitts/Philad.?  
 Irna Bern Steinberg  
 Jack Steinberg aka Stein POW – WW2  
 Emil Karl Steiner kia Jarama 2/37  
 Aarne Theodore/Ernest Steinman – WW2 – 838 Putnam Ave, Detroit  
 Samuel Julian Stember – 1500 East 5<sup>th</sup> St, Brooklyn – 1<sup>st</sup> commissar of Lincoln's.  
 Irma Bern Stenberg 634 East Fordham Rd Bronx  
 Marvin Stern kia 6/38– 258 West 88<sup>th</sup> NYC  
 Jacob Joel Sternbach/Steinbach 4515 43<sup>rd</sup> Ave, LI, NY -  
 Milton Stillman – 2759 West 155<sup>th</sup> Brooklyn – WW2  
 George Stoiceff kia Belchetie 3/38  
 Conrad Harry/Henry Stojem/Stojewa aka Reuben Barr - 306 South Figuersa, LA  
 Louis Stoloff kia Sierra Caballo 9/38– 46 Avenue B, NYC  
 Charles Stone

William Carl Stone aka Fred/Charles Ellis Stone 423 7<sup>th</sup> St, Rockford, Ill.  
Harold Wilhelm Stone 309 Bryant Ave N, Minnieapolis  
Hy Stone aka Hershkowitz – Coy Adjutant - cited for bravery, brother of Sam Stone  
Joe Stone kia Brunete 7/37 aka Sheer Isaac Hershkowitz

Sgt Sam Wesley Stone aka Hershkowitz – kia Brunete 7/37 – 1 of 3 brothers in Spain; 2<sup>nd</sup> missing; 3<sup>rd</sup> Hy Stone (above). San Fran./Garden Plain, Kans.

Shevia Stone  
Joseph Stotzer  
Sam Straus/Strass 1329 South Independence Blvd., Chic.  
Walter Frederick Strauss 233 Lowell Ave, Providence, RI – WW2

Joseph Streisand/Strysand – 16 Goerck St NY/ 351 N Dearborn St Chic., CO's runner at Jarama – kia Jarama 2/37

Alfred Strom 2418 N Avers Ave, Chic.  
Emanuel Strom – 2622 North 75<sup>th</sup> Ave, Elmwood Park , Ill. – kia Gandesa 4/38  
Daniel Sugrue  
William Bill Susman/Sussman aka Sam/Robert Ellis – WW2  
Abraham Susnow/Sasnoff – kia WW2 – 148/234 Glenmore Ave Brooklyn  
Milton H. Swartzberg aka Robertson – 431 East 15<sup>th</sup> St NYC/ 66 5<sup>th</sup> Ave NYC  
Joseph Szerin/Szevin 1018 East 156<sup>th</sup> St, Bronx  
Sandor Szilagyi aka Sailoggi WW2  
Hy Herbert L. Tabb aka Herman Tabnik/Talb  
Bud Boris Tamler 31 West 110<sup>th</sup> St NYC/ Denver, Col. – WW2  
Joseph Tannenhaus – 302 Owen St, Detroit  
Milton Tannenkupf kia – 2056 Grant Ave, NYC

Lt Alfred Leo Tanz – wia Jarama – NY lawyer – Transport and Supply Officer. 1256 East 13<sup>th</sup> St, Brooklyn/ 1436 R St NW, Washington DC – WW2

Michael T. Tasseff/Tasevic kia Gandesa 4/38  
Howard Taub/Toub – 2842 S Alder St, Philad/234 N E 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave, Miami – WW2  
Jack Isidore Taub – 3804 23<sup>rd</sup> St, San Fran. – kia Gandesa 4/38  
Louis Taub  
Morris Taubman  
Jacob Louis Teiger/Jack Tiger 673 Vanderbilt Ave/ 350 Osborne St, Brooklyn – WW2  
Morris Moe Teitelbaum 1339 S Harding Ave, Chic.  
Leon Tenor/Tenner POW – 207 West 16<sup>th</sup> St, 11 Hillside Ave NYC – WW2  
Rudolph Tieger – NY kia Jarama 2/37– 208 West 28<sup>th</sup> St NYC  
Robert Tischbiereck kia Gandesa 4/38  
Victor Tiship/Tishup 1539 Morris Ave Bronx WW2  
Nathan Titleman Camden, NJ – kia Gandesa 4/38  
Isadore Tivin – 3134 West 16<sup>th</sup> St, Chic.  
Julius Toab 1123/1206 Poplar St Philad.  
Herman Tob  
Hev Tob  
Morris Tobman POW – 8758 Bay Parkway Brooklyn WW2  
Samuel Coleman Toole aka Loak POW - RFD No.6 Lexington, Ky.  
Leon Sloan Torgoff kia Jarama 2/37 – 629 Ocean Parkway, Brooklyn  
Len Tour aka Coleman  
John Toutoloff 37 Green St Valley Stream LI  
David Tovsky kia Brunete 7/37 – 1462 Wilkins Ave, Bronx  
George Trenkler kia Belchete 3/38 – Brice Museum Cottage, Greenwich, Conn.

Henry Louis Ulanoff/Ulannus  
Anton Ulvi/Ulrich  
Herman Ungar – 125 East 4<sup>th</sup> St, NY kia Belchete 3/38  
Henry Frederick Unger Luther, Oklahoma  
A. Unterman  
Elie Uretsky

Alvin Van Ausdale – Utah/Sutter Creek, Calif  
Steve Varga aka Wargos – Detroit kia Brunete or CoB 5/37  
George Lawrence Vinovich kia Gandesa 4/38 - 3804 23<sup>rd</sup> St, San Fran.  
Joseph Vogel 34 Horatio St NYC – WW2  
Otto Paul Vogel 2057 Bissell St Chicago  
Dr Sydney Leon Vogel – 53 Greenwich Ave NYC – WW2

Erwin E. Wagner 111 W Burnside St, Portland, Or./Yonkers NYC – seaman  
Samuel Waitzman 680 East 140<sup>th</sup> St Bronx/690 East 139<sup>th</sup> St NYC – WW2  
Bror Helmer Wadman 8536 Stoney Is Ave, Chic.  
Moses David Walba Boston – kia Brunete 7/37  
Leroy Walkoff WW2 – 2626 Frankford Ave, Philad.  
Levin Smith Wallace Jr.

Albert Aaron Wallach – believed murdered in Spain during leftist purges – ML archives of the IB box D3  
– 226 West 79<sup>th</sup> St, NYC

Aaron Wallach  
Harry Wallach WW2  
Hy Wallach POW – WW2  
Jesse Wallach 281 West 102<sup>nd</sup> St NYC – WW2  
Bernard Walsh 122 Lexington Ave NYC – WW2  
Sam Walters – fought WW2 aka Sam Finkel  
Harry Max Wanger 960 Simpson St Bronx  
Isadore Wasserstein kia Belchete 3/38 – 2900 Ellis Ave, Chic.

George Watt aka Israel Kwiatkowsky/Kwatt - last USA commissar - Prago - WIA later gunner in a B17 in  
WW2, shot down and escaped back to UK. 115 Brightwater Ct, Brooklyn.

Robert Rubin Weber – 442 West 23<sup>rd</sup> NYC  
Max Weil kia Gandesa 4/38 – 100 West 88<sup>th</sup> NYC  
Jerry/Gerry Weinberg, aka Warren KIA WW2 – 554 East Parkway Brooklyn  
Milton Morris Weiner 1422 East 48<sup>th</sup> St Brooklyn – WW2  
John Jacob Weinroth 2256 East 7<sup>th</sup> St Bronx  
Irving Weinshank – 2865 West 36<sup>th</sup> St, Brooklyn kia Ebro 7/38  
Jack Weinstein aka “Kayo”, Brooklyn - kia  
Alex Weinerman 1201 Ave K Brooklyn  
Harry Oscar Weir kia Gandesa 4/38 – 33 Washington Sq West, NYC  
Nathan Weisenfeld aka Neil Wesson 2055 Virginia Park /2061 Pladston Detroit  
David Weiss – 3021 Surf Ave, Brooklyn

Henry Nathan Weiss – 8762 117<sup>th</sup> St, Richmond Hill, Queens NYC  
Jack Weis – kia Brunete – 619 Nostrand Ave, Brooklyn  
Jacob Weiss – 173 Floyd St, Brooklyn – kia Brunete 7/37  
Joseph Weisz kia Belchete 9/37 - 119 East Vernon Highway , Detroit  
Martin Weiss – 3211 W. Dakota St, Philad.  
Irving Ira Weissmann 63 West 104<sup>th</sup> St NYC/1922 Orotona Parkway, Milwaukee – Coy. CO – WW2  
Saul Lawrence Wellman – Lincoln Commissar - 136 Pulaski St Brooklyn – WW2 via B of Bulge 1944  
Wilbur Ed Wellman 916 7<sup>th</sup> St Oakland Calif. – WW2  
Dave Wellman 136 Pulaski St Brooklyn  
Elkan Leon Wendkos – 673 Broadway NY kia Belchete 3/38  
Paul Wendorf – 521 West 185<sup>th</sup> St NY kia Sierra Pandols 8/38  
Lawrence Chester Wendroff 2507a North 45<sup>th</sup> St Milwaukee  
Don Rod Wergeles aka Rogers/Niner 5626 Homeside Ave, LA  
Milton White – WW2  
Robert White aka Porvosnik - LA – kia Gandesa 4/38  
Leslie Wiches Dair  
Louis Aaron Widder 3717 Broadway Huntington Pk, Calif.  
Samuel Widerhorn aka Weissman aka Jack Waters b. 11.8.11 NYC lived 1297 Hor Ave Bronx – WW2

Ezra Wild  
Capt. Wild (?)  
Lawrence Arthur Winsheimer 1193 Grandview N Braddock, Pa.  
Henry G. Wissman aka Weissman – kia Cordoba 6/37  
Isadore Wittels 163 West 80<sup>th</sup> St NYC

Saul/Sol Wellman - USA - last commissar of the Canadian bat. – Prago – born 1913 New Jersey, machine gun commander, cited for bravery at Belchete.

Major Milton Wolff of 1628 West 5<sup>th</sup> St / 74 Quentin Rd., Brooklyn - last CO of the Lincoln Bat. and the early Washington Bat. - USA - known as El Lobo, “The Wolf” by the Fascists – trained British Commandos 1939-41 and later fought in OSS in France, Italy, Burma WW2 - photo. PI LSE 25/11/99 – author of “Another Hill”. West Point graduate.

Asher Wolf  
Fish (?) Wolf  
Nathan Wolf kia Ebro 29/7/38 aka Julius Heller - 1632 East 18<sup>th</sup> St, Brooklyn  
Bertram D Wolfe - kia  
Charles Wolfman – medical team – 34 Attorney St, NYC  
Robert Wolk – 410 Est 72<sup>nd</sup> St, NY kia Jarama 3/37 – one of 1<sup>st</sup> US volunteers  
Matthew Wolinsky  
Eugene Wolman – 925 West 41<sup>st</sup> Drive, LA kia Brunete 7/37  
Morton Wolson – WW2  
Seymour Herman Wyckoff/Workoff/Wolcoff NYC – kia Gandesa 4/38  
Arnold Wyman 95-32 150<sup>th</sup> St, Jamaica LI

Harry Israel Yanowsky 2825 Malabar St LA/187 Matten Ave, Caldwell, NJ

Jack Harley Yellin 2921 West 31<sup>st</sup> St/3831 31<sup>st</sup> St, Brooklyn – WW2  
Isaak Yoffee - Israel  
Milton Young NYC kia Brunete 7/37



Peter Zaim – carpenter WIA  
Stephen Zak 113 East 3<sup>rd</sup> St/54 1<sup>st</sup> Ave, NYC  
Samuel Zakman 707 East 181<sup>st</sup> St/2164 Prospect Ave, Bronx  
Sol Zalon 291 Crown St Brooklyn  
Walter Zalonz/Zaronz/Zaionz 34 McKibben St Brooklyn – executed as POW  
Emanuel Zap  
Daniel Abraham Zarat aka Jarrett 2125 68<sup>th</sup> St Brooklyn  
Boris William Zaslovsky aka Stencil 3504 Lake Park Ave, Chic.  
Joseph T Zawadowski – 3329 S Morgan St Chic.  
Frank Ziedman – 50 Chester Ave, Chelsea, Mass.  
Albert Ziegler POW  
Stephen Charles Zielinski kia 1212, Hudson Blvd., Bayonne, NJ  
Mike Zielinski aka Norman Duncan  
Harry Zientz 911 S Blvd., Bronx  
Robert Zimmer – b. 1916 Croatia – seaman – Artillery in Spain - WW2 US Navy  
Charles Lester Zingraf – 4418 N Menard Ave, Chic  
Louis Zivin/Zwin/Civin – 1310 N. Washtenaw/4256 Bernard St, Chic  
Louis Zlotnik – 1308 N Damen Ave, Chic – WW2

### **Doctors**

Dr Barski aka Siegfried Beer  
Franklin E Bissel  
N.N. Bloom  
Irving Busch  
Joseph Richard Chodoff  
Lewis/Louis I. Cohen – kia Gandesa 4/38  
Jaime de Guzman  
Dubois aka Domanski (Polish) - living in France – kia Aug 1937 (ML)  
Leo Eloesser – San Fran.  
Samuel Nathan Franklin  
Marcus Bernard Fried  
Abraham Irving Friedman, Little Ferry NJ  
Philip Packier Goland  
Dr Jacques Grunblatt  
Dr Max Langer  
Barney Malbin  
William Pike – WW2  
Capt. Norman Charles Jacob Rintz/Ritz – 4627 Howell St, Philad.  
Dr Robbins – (see Massons 1994 p 342)  
Maurice Rotzach  
John Simon  
Alan Howard Sorrel – 104 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave NYC  
Mark Straus – 1791 Walton Ave NY  
Edwin Sherman Weisfield aka Weekfield WW2 – 702 4<sup>th</sup> St, Seattle  
Oscar Israel Weissman 800 Bay Parkway Brooklyn  
Louis J. Zauderer – 1083 S Plymouth Blvd., LA

### **Dentists**

Joseph Highkin – 1, Convent Ave NYC  
Jack B. Klein  
John Jacob Posner – 127 West 82<sup>nd</sup> NYC

M. Zachary Stadt

### Nurses

Rose Abramson

Hilda Bell – 3017 West Fontaine Philad./ NYC

Luba Brisker 106 Peabody St NW Wash., DC – b. 1904 Russia, to USA 1922

Selma Ruth Chadwick – WW2

Lini/Lena Moerkirk de Vries (Fuhr) - Sephardi Dutch - excerpt from her book “Up from the cellar”, Minneapolis 1979, in ML archives – 425 West 124<sup>th</sup> St, NYC.

Rose Freed – 307 Berriman St, Brooklyn

Eugenia Grunsky/Gursky – 1405 N. Commerce St, Stockton, Calif.

Morris Balter Kornblum

Grace Berkowitz aka Korkowitz 404 Hart St Brooklyn

Ruth Rebecca Davidow NYC

Ruth Wilson Epstein – 305 East 17<sup>th</sup> /242 East 19<sup>th</sup> NYC – b.1906

Dora Ettleson – wife of Abraham – same address

Ena Ferwerda – 64 East 90<sup>th</sup> St NYC

Harold F Flett

Helen Freeman/Freiman – 597 Ocean Parkway Brooklyn

Sara Ginsburg

Rose Sara Goldblatt 440 East 26<sup>th</sup> St NYC

Mabel Irene Goldin/Spiegel – 230 West 99<sup>th</sup> St NYC – served all over Spain – and nursed the English ambulance driver Max Cohen, wia – served with Dr Barsky and was injured on active service. Her husband was wia at Ebro and were married Sept 1938 at Mutaro – both served in Resistance in France in WW2. Details in ML.

Anna Goldman (ALBA records)

Fanny Golub 142 east 18<sup>th</sup> St NYC – WW2

Rose Gregg

Ray Harris 354 West 18<sup>th</sup> St NYC c/o Sally Harris Universal Press 724 5<sup>th</sup> Ave NYC

Hermine Cornelia Pauline Hartman – 3100 Motas Ave, LA

Hannah Hershkovitz – 1184 Cornwell Ave Bronx – died after returning from Spain aged 27 years

Matylida Jankovic – 737 Kelly St, Bronx

Sally Selma Kahn/Cohn – 226 East 12<sup>th</sup> St, NYC

Bertha F. Kipness – 178 Grand St Brooklyn/Philad.

Morris Kornblum aka Balter

Josefine Kumerova, Czech b. 1907

Naomi Langer

Clara Leight – 531 East 84 th St, NYC

Faith May/Mable Levine WW2 – 145 East 111<sup>th</sup>, NYC, b. 1914

Ray Marantz – Palm Springs – served Madrid (ML)

Grace Miriam Margulis – 1410 Arlington Ave St Louis/NYC, b. 25.8.10

Fredericka Imogen Cohen Martin (Dr Barsky’s team) – 46 Copper Sq, NYC

Sonia Merims – 289 Convent Ave NYC

Carol M. Miller

George Milstone

Martha Esther Mitchell – 119 West 57<sup>th</sup> NYC

George C. Moser

Bela Noachowitz

Mary Rader Ochs – 4000, Washington, Chic.

Mary Louise Platkin – 1734 North 11<sup>th</sup> St, Milwaukee, b. 21.3.01  
Hilda Roberts – see VALBA web site  
Edna Drabkin Romer – 218 East 20<sup>th</sup> St NYC  
Eli Salem (French) b. 7.9.87  
Rebecca Schulman – 2168 77<sup>th</sup> St Brooklyn

Celia Seborer (Marion) – assistant to Dr Bethune of Blood Transfusion fame – served throughout Spain and diary at ML.

Anne Shuldiner – 131 East 169<sup>th</sup> St NYC

Esther Miriam Silverstein/Blanc – 538 20<sup>th</sup> Ave, San Francisco – served with Goldin/Spiegel - was ill on duty and invalidated home (ML).

Anna Taft – 1436 Clay Ave, Bronx, b. 1.1.13  
Leonora Chandos Temple 432 West 124<sup>th</sup> St NYC

Rose /Rachel Wachsmann/Waxman aka Wexford – 228 East 26<sup>th</sup> St NYC/132 Atlantic Ave, Delray Beach Florida – WW2

Alice Elizabeth Wagon Box 387 RFD 4, Seabastoral, Calif., b.20.1.09  
Rose Weiner 3540 Roehampton Ave, NYC c/o B Katasik 964 Est 178<sup>th</sup> St, Bronx; Chief Nurse  
Adela Weinraub  
Sarah Weisblum/Wajsblum, Polish, b. 17.4.06  
H. Wilkes  
Helen Williams  
Isabelle Ziegler

### **Ambulance Drivers**

Joseph Cessick  
Christopher Cross aka Charles Fine – 261 West 22<sup>nd</sup> St, NYC  
Jacob Gruber  
Victor Hirschfield – 731 Greenwich St NYC  
Matthias Irving Kornell  
Carl Rahman 274 East 10<sup>th</sup> St, NYC  
Mrs Evelyn Rahman aka Hamilton/Hutchins - 39 East 10<sup>th</sup> St NYC  
Helene Weissman – George Washington Hotel, NYC  
George Zlatovski aka Michaels – 124 West 12<sup>th</sup> St NYC

### **War Correspondent**

Helen Joy Davidson later Gresham – later wife of C S Lewis  
Robert Capa aka Freedman b. Hungary lived USA – see Thaelmann section

Emma Goldman – “Red Emma” – aged 67 worked in Spain – on Aragon front twice. Born Kovno 26/6/1869, to USA 1889 – died Canada 18/5/1940

Martha Gellhorn  
Joseph North

The following stowed away to Spain, in Aug 1938, were caught and imprisoned in France for 2 months and then returned to the USA

Marshall Hartzell, Willam Joseph Hollander, Walter B. Iczek, Bernard Kaplan, Israel Luckonick, Jerome Josphe aka Gerald McManus, Paul Ulanoff.

### **The Mackenzie-Papineau Battalion – Canada – named after the 1837 leaders of the Canada Rebellion**

Of the approx. 1,500 men in this battalion, there were 58 Canadian Jews (average age 30 years) and 13 American Jews – 71 in all or approx. 5%. Their contribution is fully described in “Canadian Jewish Boys in Spain” by Myron Momryk (unpublished ms 1995) and his “Jewish Volunteers from Canada”, Canadian Jewish Historical Association, Montreal, 1995, but only since the opening of the IB archives in Moscow in 1994 has anything much been discovered about the Jews in the Macpaps, or indeed about this bat at all. Also Goldberg’s “Mit Der Kanader Yiddisher Volunteer fun Shpania” in Der Kampf. All the Canadians were in violation of the Foreign Enlistment Act – designed to prevent Canadians serving in Spain. Many of the Jews assumed aliases (G . Tulchinsky, “*Branching Out – The Transformation of the Canadian Jewish Community*” Stoddart, 1998). Whereas only 25% of the Battalion were Canadian born , 65% of the Jews (46) among them were Canadian born – and there were, among others - 1 lawyer, 2 doctors, 2 pharmacists, a social worker, a writer, a male nurse as well as an aviation mechanic, a furrier, a miner, 2 students, a musician, a warehouseman, 2 painters, 2 salesmen, 2 clothing workers, a driver, 2 seamen and a barber.

Most left for Spain in Spring/Summer 1937, travelling by bus to Detroit, New York, then Europe, or sailing from Montreal or Quebec City. From Le Havre, they went to Paris, then Spain via the Pyrenees. Eight were non-combatants; seven had military experience including 4 who served with the CEF in WW1 in France. Of those whose fate is known, 20 returned from Spain (17 to Canada and the USA), 2 were POW’s, 8 were WIA – some twice – 8 were KIA and 1 missing. One Rabbi volunteered as chaplain but was turned down, later being minister at the Holy Blossom Synagogue, Toronto.

A memorial to the Macpaps was unveiled in Queen’s Park, Toronto on June 4<sup>th</sup> 1995.

Samuel Harry Abramson/Abrams/Abrahamson – a Zionist activist, went to Spain in June 1937 as an ambulance driver and corresponded with Hananiah Caiserman of the CJC about life in the IB in Spain (CJC archives ZB S.H.). He reported John McGrandle for anti-Semitism and the man was forced to apologise. Abramson served in US Army in North Africa in WW2.

Israel Altman

Illia Elias Aviezora aka Aviezer/Aviezner aka Albert Levson – 1<sup>st</sup> Canadian KIA in Spain – 22.2.37 at Jarama aged 38 years – from Montreal and NYC and served WW1 CEF.

Meyer Berkowitz

Jack/John Blanc – served in Israel War of Independence 1948 – killed in Toronto attempting to stop a hold-up in mid-1960’s.

Heinrich Blichfelt

Joseph Block

John Oscar Bloom – kia Brunete at Villaneuva de Canada – red head from Edmonton, Alberta – aged 24 years.

Nathan Bloom

Harry Jack Boxer

Hymie Brown

Kenneth Brotman aka Brown – born 7.12.11, KIA 13.10.37

Alfred “Fredo” Brugera – French Canadian of Jewish origin – friend of Sommerfeld (UK)

Sydney Cohen

Joe Cohen aka Joe Brown

Milton Cohen – probably American – machine gunner

Saul Bernard Cohen – b 22.6.06 – St John New Bruns.

Sidney Cohen

Maurice Constant aka Cohen/Constance – born 1.7.1914 into a middle class family in Toronto, one of five children. Studied at Jarvis Collegiate and University of Toronto (Science 1935) and Canadian OTC, was an athlete and member of the Left – Wing Zionist group Hashomer Hatzair. Got to Spain via Halifax (NS), Liverpool, Le Havre, Paris, Toulouse, Perpignon, Figueras, Barcelona. Was an Infantry Officer with the IB, adjutant with Intelligence Section, and CO of Reconnaissance platoon of the 15<sup>th</sup> IB. Fought at Brunette, Aragon front, Fuentes de Ebro, and wia at Caspe - eventually evacuated to Canada (interviewed 13.8.1996) after being rescued by the Royal Navy in Feb. 1939. From Waterloo, Ontario.

Pte Michael Stanislaus Devries Canadian Infantry KIA 26/5/44, DCM, b. Holland lived Canada, fought in Spain against Franco (from Canadian Jews at war 1947-8 pub. by Canadian Jewish Congress)

George Edgar – B Columbia – oldest volunteer aged 55yrs. -

Edward Epstein

Hyman Herman Epstein – born 11.11.14 KIA 30.1.38.

Milton Epstein – prob. American.

Muni Erlick aka Jack Taylor – born Ukraine March 21<sup>st</sup> 1906, Bessarabia, Paris 1924, Romania 1925, USA 1926 (Detroit), Montreal 1927 working as truck driver and labourer, then for various Jewish Communist organisations. Arrived Spain Dec 1937 as correspondent for “Daily Clarion”. Was liason between the bat.and the Friends of the Bat. in Canada, distributing parcels for example. After Spain (left 22.7.38), interned in Canada and released 4.11.42, he joined the Canadian Army in 1942, and was KIA in the Armoured Corps in Normandy on 20th August 1944, serving in the Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry Highlanders.

Gerald Glow

Irving Gold

Milton Goldstein

William Gordon

Izzy Goldberg aka Joe Budish – fought with the Dimitrov Battalion (Balkan volunteers).

Israel Goldenberg aka Joseph Brudish

Alan Herman-Yermanov aka Ted Alan – writer from Montreal injured in Spain July 1937 and left in Sept. Jewish Canadian author Mordechai Richler dedicated his novel “Joshua Then and Now” to him.

Victor Himmelfarb  
Abraham Harris

Isaak Ichelson – stowed-away on a ship from Montreal on 13.8.37.

Lazar Jelic - 1901-81 b. Bosnia – miner – lived Winnipeg

Mortimer/Matthew Kosowatsky/Kowalski – aka Jack Steele – after arriving in Spain was recalled to Canada in October 1937, returned in June 1938 and was KIA in August.

J Kaplan – KIA  
L Kaufman  
Jehoshua Kesselman  
Joseph Korinski – 57 Champagne Ave, Ontario (?) – POW (ML)

William Krehm – born Toronto 23.11.1913, worked as a translator for the IB in Barcelona but was arrested 15.6.37 by the Communist Party during the internal squabbels and deported on 28.8.37. Later a reporter for Time magazine in Latin America.

Archie/Aaron Kessner – born 8.11.15 – KIA 20.9.38 – believed last American killed  
George Kostoff b. 1910(?) Macedonia – artillery wia.

Bert “Yank” Levy – born Hamilton, Ontario 5.10 1897, son of Sam Levy, brought up in Windsor and in Cleveland USA, chauffeur and printer by trade, served Merchant Navy, 39<sup>th</sup> bat. Jewish Legion 1918 as a machine gunner and boxing champion of 2 battalions (sent home after gas attack and malaria), Mexico 1920-21, gun running to Nicaragua 1926, 6 years in US jail for armed robbery. Husband of Mary Prezenter, father of Mrs Toby Rose. Went to Spain in 1.1.37. Was machine gunner in British bat. In 1937 – POW Jarama 13.2.37 for 6 months – 1<sup>st</sup> Canadian POW – exchanged for two Italian officers after protest from Canadian government. In 1940 lectured British Home Guard on guerrilla tactics at Osterley Park, was a Canadian Army instructor and wrote the standard book on the subject for US Army Infantry Journal in 1942 (“Guerrilla Warfare”) and trained their Special Forces. Died 2.9.65. Photo BVFL page 208.

Capt. Dr Aaron Magid – Batn. Doctor, extremely tall, born Winnipeg 5.4.1905 – linguist as well as doctor, arrived Spain 25.5.37.

Emmanuel Mandel

David Mangel – escaped from Spain to North Africa, interned by French and got to Israel to fight in war of Independence. From Toronto.

Jozef Matlak – kia with the Botwins  
Benjamin Mezei – with the Botwins  
John Miller – WIA Brunete – Coy. Commander

Hyman Thomas Nelson aka Kosmos Stavrous – Vancouver – kia Ciudad de Barcelona

Dr Harry Ostry/Ostrey – served Canadian Army WW2

Marvin Penas/Penas – from Winnipeg  
Jack Abie Pascal

Benjamin Rice  
Leo Rosen  
Louis Rosenberg  
Bill Zuken/Ross – prob not in Spain but fought WW2  
Russell Ross aka Greenberg wia  
Harvey Rockman  
Leon Rosenthal aka Carl Nitzberg  
Allan Ross  
Steve Rybac wia

Paul Skup – aka Paul Scott – Toronto - POW  
Isaac Schatz from Toronto  
Issie Schrenzel – kia Fuentes - CO of no 2 Company  
Henry Saul Mayer Shapiro  
Arthur Johannes Siven/Seevin  
Dr Louis Slotin – from Winnipeg, Chemistry Ph.D, AA gunner in Barcelona.  
Adam Spamberger  
Morris Staimen/Stam – prob. American  
Arnold Staub  
George Sandor Steiner  
Samuel Schumack/Szumik – Winnipeg - kia  
J B Salsberg

Jacob Tabacknik  
Jacob Teiger  
Vangel Terno  
Nathan Titleman – MIA

Alfred Winsky/Vinsky – went to Mexico  
Stanley Wincheski  
Joseph Arnold Winkelman

Edward Zdanowskas – Lithuanian, lived in Canada from about 1928 - POW

## THE LATVIAN VOLUNTEERS

**Simon Hirschman** provided much of the biographical information from his personal experiences and a Latvian language book in his possession published by Liesna publishing in Riga, in 1965 about the volunteers for Spain, many of whom he knew as Jewish. They mainly fought with the Polish Dombrowskis, but like Simon were often merged with other units. Other names are from Diamint's book. "P" means partisan in WW2. All are from Riga unless otherwise stated.

Ruvn Arch – P  
Schlome Arch – P  
Marcus Berma – P  
Rafa Blum - P

**Abram Baron** - born 27.7.12 in Daugarpils and at high school was involved in Left Wing politics although his family were wealthy middle class.. He developed a Left Wing library in his home and taught younger students. Was arrested in 1929 and in 1930 moved to Brno in Czechoslovakia. As an active Communist he often crossed into Germany delivering the "Rote Fahne" (Red Flag) newspaper to anti-Nazi groups. He returned to serve in the Latvian army then went back to Brno. He then went to Prague to work and met Michael Shwartz (see below) in 1935. He went to Spain in 1936 with the Czech volunteers and became the post deliverer to the front lines due to his knowledge of Russian, Latvian, Hebrew, Czech, German, French and Spanish! He then joined the Masyryk bat., machine gun coy., and was killed on the Aragon front near Morela

**Jan Benikis**

**Binun** – kia WW2

**Moritz Bosner/Basner** kia WW2

**Peisach Bernshtam** – born 1906 in Bausk, Latvia, high school in Riga, studied medicine in Vienna and Paris, graduating 1934. Returned Riga and was an active anti-fascist running a printing press in his flat for 2 years. Negotiated for Latvian comrades to go to Spain in 1936 via Sweden; he went via Tallin in Estonia to Paris with 3 comrades after a group were arrested in Sweden, then Marseilles, then Barcelona in May 1937. (his ship was later torpedoed and 75 comrades killed). At Albacete he was Chief MO of "Gardia Nacional" barracks and with help from the Austrian Brigade he improved the bad conditions there. They examined 2-300 men daily for combat service. He was then sent to the front with 35<sup>th</sup> Div., 15<sup>th</sup> Brigade, working in tents close to front line to compensate for lack of ambulances. On Oct 19<sup>th</sup> was appointed doctor of 59<sup>th</sup> bat. at Fuente del Ebro front where he evacuated many wounded from the fighting, and again later in Dec from Teruel until Feb 1938. Here there was a terrible flu and dysentery epidemic to cope with as well as wounded and he organised a 50 bed hospital in the town itself using sheets and medicines from destroyed houses and chemist shops. In Feb. he caught flu himself and he had to be evacuated, but returned soon to Seguro de Banecas as he was badly needed. Later he was in Belchite when they had to evacuate all medical units immediately to avoid encirclement. They met a British Lt. who thought they were deserting and he drew his pistol, but Dr B managed to convince him who they really were. In March 1938 they received a call for help from an encircled brigade under Meriman, who had many wounded and little ammunition. Dr B and a driver volunteered to try and break through but the ambulance was hit and they had to crawl back to their lines under heavy fire. As enemy tanks approached they had to retreat to Alcanis and Kaspe, where he met the Latvian anti-tank group! Many more wounded were evacuated by him under intense fire and he was promoted captain. He was soon back at the front line until mid September. In Feb 1939, left for France with the IB where he was "rescued" by the Soviet embassy from a camp. And returned to Moscow on March 18<sup>th</sup>



1941. Simon Hirschman met Dr B in Riga in 1981, finding him married to a Catalonian woman! They had a son who was a doctor and then all three later returned to live in Barcelona.

**Kalman Brod**- kia WW2

**Boruch Ceitel** - born Riga 19.6.08 - studied law at Latvian State University from 1926, learning English at the British Institute. Was active in Left Wing and Jewish politics and arrested in 1928. He later emigrated to Paris where he again studied law and then in 1936 went to Spain with French volunteers joining the Thaelmann Brigade. He was killed in the defence of Madrid.

Chalavin – P

**Riva Dora Donda** kia WW2 – nurse b. 30.2.04

Moshe Diamint – P

Micha Dubinski – P

Dr Wolf Etchin – P

Ida Eydus – P

**Ekobson**

**Reuven Felss** - b. 1914 into a working class family in Krustpils, Latvia. 1929 moved to Riga - He and Sima Fridland met Simon Hirshmann in the anti-Fascist groups of the Jewish Socialists. Volunteered for Spain 1937 and travelled with Simon Hirshmann, and served with Slav gunners. Eventually evacuated to Gurs camp in France from where he escaped after two punishing attempts. After many attempts on various ships he got to New York and he was sent home via Siberia by the Latvian Soviet consul, by March 1941. Served on Staff of 29<sup>th</sup> Soviet Army as a capt. I/c Recce of 44<sup>th</sup> Guards Rifle Division. After war he and Simon met in Riga and Reuven and children eventually emigrated to Israel.

**Rubin/Robert Fels** – journeyed with Simon to Spain – from a wealthy merchants family which spent much time in Moscow as well as Riga.

**Daniel Ferber** – kia WW2

Chaim Ferber – P

Ruven Ferber – P

**Emmanuel Ferber** - kia WW2

**Zena Fridman** – kia WW2

**Alexander Ginsburg/Ginssburg** – born 17.8.09 in Riga, Latvia – was early on involved in left wing groups and was chairman of the woodworkers union. In 1930 emigrated to Belgium to study Chemistry, then returned to Riga and was arrested eight times! Emigrated to Prague and joined the Czech volunteers in Spain. Sent to Pezorubio officers school and promoted lieutenant (Teniente) and instructor at Madrigeras training centre. He then fought in many battles with the Dombrowski and Masyryk bats. And was commended for courage on the Aragon Front, where he was killed fighting in the rearguard during the retreat.

Zoma Gelbart – P

Mira Gomish/Gamish – P

**Frida Marta/Mara (?) Ginsburg** – wife of the above, b. 1909 – was a nurse in Spain – was murdered at Ravensbruck by the Nazis in WW2.

**Chaim Glasman** – kia WW2

**Dr Gorinkol** – P

**Vitali Gotlib** – kia WW2

**Simon Grichan**

**Lev Gutkins aka Brivibas Ienaidnieku Rokas** - born 1909 Riga, and studied medicine in Prague and then in 1931 in Turin.. In 1935 returned to Riga as a doctor and in 1938 was doctor to 283 Republican Army Brigade in the Central Front and later with the 4<sup>th</sup> Valencia bat. After the Republican defeat he suffered terrible experiences not detailed in his biography from S Hirshmann, and in 1943 was in a North African German concentration camp, then prison in Algiers. After WW2 he returned to the Soviet Union working as doctor in Riga.

**Micha Gurevitz** – Riga  
Boris Herzbach – P  
Dr Sioma Hirson – P

**Maks Hurevitz** - Born Polock, Belarus, 1915 and moved to Latvia in 1918. Went to Spain Nov. 1936 and trained as a Sanitario (Red Cross orderly) at Albacete and then posted after one month to Dimitrovs at Jarama on Feb 12<sup>th</sup> 1937. In April he demanded transfer to the machine gunners and then from July 1<sup>st</sup> fought at Brunete, being wounded in the back, but stayed in action till July 27<sup>th</sup>. Then transferred to the Aragon front and was in the storming of Quinto on Aug 17<sup>th</sup>, where he was wounded in shoulder and face as a battle observer/spotter. Sent to hospital in Barcelona he lost one eye in Benicasin hospital but went back to bat. on Sept. 23<sup>rd</sup>, but was allowed only to be stores supervisor due to his wound. As his wounds worsened he was declared unfit but he insisted and was returned to the front yet again! On April 5<sup>th</sup> 1938 he re-joined machine gunners without permission and took part on Oct 8<sup>th</sup> in battle of Levante Hill. He then volunteered to join a snatch squad to take fascist prisoners and arms. Finally crossed into France and was at St Cyprien and Vernet camps, and he returned home 11<sup>th</sup> March 1941. He joined the 1<sup>st</sup> bat. Workers Guards in Latvia and later the 201 Latvian Rifle Division. He was kila at Staraja Rusa on Leningrad Front in 1942.

Debora Jakobson – P  
Mery Jakobson – P  
**Mira Kretzer** kila WW2  
Tauba Kapla – P  
Chaim Katz – P  
Louba Katz – p  
Michai Kit – P  
Hanna Knok – P  
Mira Knok – P  
Beny Kreditor – P  
Itzik Kriger – P

**Leon Kleinman** – born Riga 1913 and after college worked in various textile mills as a mechanic. After service in the Latvian artillery, he WALKED to Palestine, being arrested and imprisoned on a number of occasions on the way! He then returned to Latvia as an activist and had to escape to Paris. Then went to fight in Spain in the artillery, withdrew to Gurs at the end of the war, escaped back to Latvia, joining the 1<sup>st</sup> Soviet tank army, became a major and died of wounds in 1945 fighting the Nazis. In the archive photo he is on the right.

**Benjamin Kur - 1908-42** - b. Daugarpils (Latvia) to a working class family and worked Riga - jailed for 4 years for political activity and then emigrated to Czechoslovakia where he spent 3 months in Prague prison. Then moved to Paris from where he volunteered for Spain. His ship was torpedoed off Barcelona by an Italian submarine. Survived and went to the Slav artillery battery with Simon Hirschmann, later becoming an interpreter due to his linguistic skills. Evacuated to Gurs camp in France at war's end he escaped on March 14<sup>th</sup> 1939 to Bordeaux and got on a Danish ship. But Denmark was then occupied by Nazis and so he got on a Finnish ship to Drogheda in Ireland and eventually home to Soviet Latvia. He was kila in January 1942 at the village of Luchino near Moscow with the 201<sup>st</sup> Latvian Rifle Div. in a decisive action where the 201<sup>st</sup> were given the title "Guards" for their courage there.

**Kushak – P**

**Dr Kulman – P**

**Katz – kia WW2**

**Woldemar Kolk – Estonian**

**Saloman Ksenzov – kia WW2**

**Sioma Levitan – P**

**Gershon Lindon – P**

**Sioma Lindon -P**

**Tauba Lindon - P**

**Simon Levinson** - born 1906 in Belsk, Belarus - worked as a shop assistant - then went to Brno veterinary institute in Czechoslovakia till 1936 where he became prominent in the Communist Party. 1936, with the 15<sup>th</sup> IB at Albacete where he met M Schwartz. At the Jarama front, he was involved in a motor cycle crash and injured. After recuperation, he was sent to join the cavalry at the Aragon Front, then returned to the 15<sup>th</sup> in 1938. Again he met Schwartz and his engineers. After the war he was interned in Perpignan and Gurs with Lipkin and other Latvians where the French failed to force them into the Foreign Legion! He was sent to Algiers and liberated by the allies and went back to Russia serving in the Soviet Army.

**Vulf Lichter** – born Liepaja, Latvia, Dec. 1912, mother a maths teacher. As a teenager was frequently arrested because of left wing views, and family moved to Riga. He then worked in a bicycle factory and in Dec 1936 left for Spain, arriving via Paris in Jan. 1937. (He originally met Simon Hirshman in the Latvian horse-drawn artillery and after the Fascist putsch they were sent to a Labour Bat.). Vulf served in the Edgar Andre bat. of the 11<sup>th</sup> IB with the Swedish/Norwegian machine gunners. On 20<sup>th</sup> Feb. they were wiped out and Simon did not find out about his death until after returning to Riga many years after.

**Aaron Lipkin** – a leading member of the illegal Latvian Society for Political Prisoners, he was arrested and released on bail, when he fled using the name Levinson to Prague via Stettin (Germany) and Tallin (Estonia). From here he was expelled to Austria in May 1936 and then walked via Switzerland to Paris in June, where he lived among other Latvian political refugees. With 20 others he went to join the IB via Bordeaux arriving at Madrigueras, Spain and joined an anti-tank battery in Albacete. In July 1937 he was appointed ADC to Commander Chisba, of the anti-tank regiment and he fought at Villafranca del Castillo, Villanuevos del Pardillo, Villanueva del Candelas, Villamajora (Saragossa) – after which he was promoted sergeant. Then he fought at Fuentes del Ebro, Tardientas and was promoted Lieutenant. At the Aragon front he drove a car under very heavy fire to capture ammunition for the battery. On March 16<sup>th</sup> 1938, he was badly wounded by strafing aircraft and was in five different hospitals for 5 weeks. Whilst on a Red Cross train to Barcelona, it was bombarded and many wounded were killed. Aaron left the train that night and hitch-hiked to Barcelona hospital in his underwear! On getting well, he was sent to officers training at Los Planos then Belsarat with the 13<sup>th</sup> Brigade. In Jan. 1939 he took part in the defence of the final retreat of the IB from Spain and reached France at Portbo on Feb 9<sup>th</sup> 1939. Here they were interned in camps at Areles and Jurs and in March 1940 he took part in organised escapes among the Latvian internees. He was re-captured and returned to Vernet then Karpian, from where he got home eventually to his home in Valmiera, Latvia.

Isaak Meterstein – P

Abracha Meyerstein – P

Pavlik Meyorovitsh - P

**Jasha Meler** – kia WW2

Abracha Naishloss – P

Boris Naishloss – P

Louba Nashatir – P

Iuda Negelov – P

Ossa Pasternak – P

Ida Portnoi – P

**Haim Permand** – born 1918 in Daujarpils to a working class family, went to Trade school and became a mechanic, and was arrested for political activity in Jan. 1937 and badly beaten and tortured by the police.

His parents died and his sister disappeared and nobody knew his whereabouts in a prison for the mentally disabled. Eventually freed by a ruse by a group that befriended political prisoners, he was sent to recover in a hospital in Autumn 1937. Under constant danger of re-arrest he was advised to leave for Sweden but instead went to Spain on 1st June 1938, via Paris.

At Figueras he trained 9 days with the 45<sup>th</sup> div and was sent to help defend the left flank of the Ebro army and at Tortosa stopped the fascists crossing the Ebro. In August he was with the 14<sup>th</sup> French Brigade and captured hill 452. Later he was wounded in the head, leg and arm and later again in the side and left for dead. When he came to, he was on the edge of a ravine and hid in some bushes and soon crawled to a First Aid post of the 12<sup>th</sup> IB (Italian) who sent him to hospital in Barcelona. On 1<sup>st</sup> Feb 1939 crossed into France with rest of Baltic volunteers to St Cyprien where he met Simon Hirshman for first time since 1932! He was sent home on March 11<sup>th</sup> 1941 with other Latvians. During WW2 he was adc to the Chief of Staff of the 125<sup>th</sup> Reg. of 43<sup>rd</sup> Latvian Guards and after being badly wounded was transported on a sledge by 5 dogs. He was later a Capt. In Soviet Army. In 1946 he started a career as teacher in Technical Education and died in the 1990's.

**Ramon Roberg - Estonian**  
**Tola Rozenblum – P**

**Dr Brainy Rudina – aka Rodin/Fos-Rodin/ Rodin-Voss aka Marlena Nenadova** - born 1902, studied medicine in Vienna, graduated 1927, worked Germany and in Czechoslovakia from 1933. Went to Moscow 1935 and Spain via Yugoslavia in 1936 but was arrested and spent 8 months in jail, reaching Spain in 1938. Was in charge IB hospital at Villanueva de la Hara and later at Sagaro where she was a captain. He returned to Moscow in 1939 and spent the war as a doctor in military hospitals until returning to Riga in 1945. Died 1973. See Yugoslav list?

**Dr Miriam Rudina** - born 1898 and graduated in medicine from Jena in Germany, working in German clinics. Went to Spain via Paris in 1937 and was in charge of hospitals at Albacete, Sagaro and elsewhere. Promoted to Lt., she then worked through WW2 in evacuation hospitals and returned to Riga 1944.

**Capt. Misha/Michael Schwartz/Shvarc- aka Egon Schmit** – born Minsk 27.12.03 - engineer from wealthy family, moved to Moscow 1915 as a group of very privileged Jewish families outside the Pale. Then family moved in 1921 to Daugaupils (Latvia) and Misha went to study in Prague. He was a very active Revolutionary and after graduating in engineering went with wife (Helen) to Riga and arrested without charge 7.11.30, then called up to army after release, arrested twice more after army service and then given permission by Communist Party to go to Czechoslovakia again, then went to Spain in 1936. Arrived Albacete 8.2.37, put in charge later of 15<sup>th</sup> Brigade Engineers (“Zapadores”). Fought at Jarama and wounded 13<sup>th</sup> March, then back to the Front May 20<sup>th</sup> and fought Brunete, Quinto, Belchite, Fuente del Ebro. His unit suffered heavy losses and he was promoted Captain and Commissar at Pozorubio Officer School where he met Simon Hirshman. Lecturers included a Colonel Klaus, one of a small group of anti-Nazi Prussian Officers.

Simon and Misha befriended a pretty Czech woman Vera Mirceva, and all competed at being the best shot - Vera won!! School closed March 1938 and Misha returned to the Front for Ebro crossing, constantly repairing bridges and ferries under intense enemy fire. He was killed August 18<sup>th</sup> by a shell burst on hill 666 on way to Brigade HQ. Schwartz was also a talented writer and poet, published in Latvia and abroad, including his more famous War Diary, describing his active service with the British, American, Dimitrov and other battalions. This Diary was published in Latvia and Moscow after WW2. A concrete monument still stands at the spot where he was killed in Spain (photo)

**Motke Shechtzer** - kia WW2

**Dr Abram Shalit/Schalit** – P – b. Lith. studied medicine in Prague/Milan/Sienna, served Lith. army

**Fredv Shantir – P**

**Lena Shir – P**

**Itzhok Svetlitzin – P**

**Zalmen Shneier** – kia WW2

Dr Spokoiny – P

**Jossif Shyb** – kia WW2

**Steinfeld** – kia WW2

**Sara Shvalbe** – 1904-66 – Born Daugavpils into a small trader's family, became a nurse and then studied medicine in Prague and was politically active in the CP; became a doctor in 1934 and worked in Prague University. On Jan 26<sup>th</sup> 1936 joined the Czech volunteers to Spain reaching Figueras on Jan 29<sup>th</sup> and then with 400 others to Barcelona – she was the only woman in her group. Sent to hospital at Albacete for two months and then to the 11<sup>th</sup> German Brigade as doctor, resting after defeating the Italian fascists at Guadalajara. She was given a doctor's van, ambulance, a Spanish nurse and two Czech drivers with several sanitarios (medical orderlies). She was in action with them at Brunete, Belchite and Quinto. At Brunete she worked in a surgical tent as much equipment was lost or destroyed in the fighting. At Teruel, she worked in a cave right near the front line and at the Ebro assisted in the difficult and dangerous evacuation of the wounded across the river under intense enemy fire from land and air. After the IB was disbanded, she worked in a hospital located in several hotels at Sagaro, Catalonia, on the Mediterranean coast, and met two Jewish colleagues from Latvia, Dr Briny Rudin and Miraim Rudin. In Jan. 1939 they were shelled by warships and evacuated to Sadamente and Sara was in charge of one of the smaller hospitals. However, as the Republicans retreated towards Port Bou, the IB again reformed to guard the retreat and Sara was involved in moving the wounded under heavy bombardment. In France they were badly treated by the Gendarmes but arrived in Perpignan safely. But there was no hospital available and they were prevented from treating their wounded as nuns took over. Sara was not allowed to return to Latvia for political reasons and the French sent her to a camp near Spain at Orlone. Here she contacted the camo at Gurs and met L Cherwin and B Kur. Only 9 other women were in the camp. Then the Germans invaded France and she fled to Vichy using her Latvian passport to reach the Soviet Embassy (Latvia was now a Soviet province) where she worked as a nurse for a while. When the Soviets broke with Vichy she was arrested and sent to Rienkros camp in the north and imprisoned with French and German Communists. However, the Soviets got her released and she went via Italy, Turkey and USSR, to Moscow! Here she worked in a military hospital until returning to Latvia in 1945.

Mira Schwalbe – P

**Aaron Taube** – Estonian, only son of a Talin textile factory owner and studied in Paris and Berlin, speaking German, French, Russian and Spanish - yet left all to fight in Spain. Simon Hirshman met him in the camp at Gurs but has never heard of him since.

**Esther Tulbovitz** – kia WW2

**Mona Tankel** – P

**Sona Tchernak** – P

**Tchernine** – fought in French Resistance and lived in USSR

**Boris Tzimis**

**Tzirilin** – kia WW2

**Ilya/Ilia Velkov** – b. 1909 in Sebe – went with his poor, widowed mother and his brother to Riga in 1916 where he became a shoemaker and joined the illegal YCL. Following various arrests he fled to Moscow and worked in car factory. Then after intensive military training was allowed to go to fight in Spain, via Paris, arriving in Jan. 1937. Then to Valencia and Albacete where he was assigned as gunner to an armoured car with Vily (a German) as commander and Molino (Spanish). They fought in Madrid and Brunete supporting infantry attacks and withdrawals, and Belchite, Quinto, Fuentes del Ebro and Saragossa where they joined tanks. Here they took dangerous mountain tracks and came behind the Fascists, capturing many men and much equipment. Then the cars moved to the Aragon front where Villy was killed by a Moorish sniper. When the IB was disbanded, Ilya arrived in France in Feb. 1939 and then returned to Moscow (all information from translation by Simon Hirshman from the Latvian books on the Spanish Civil War).

**Miriam Volshonok**

**Youri Water** – kia WW2

Shimon Wapne – P

David Wasserman – P

Eva Wate – P

Bernard Wolkowicz (Lithuanian)

**Youra** – kia WW2 – from Varklani

**Shimon Zachar** – kia WW2

Mula Zachar – P

**Wolf Zalmanson** – kia WW2

Feliks Ziburg – P

**Zilberman** – kia WW2

**FRANCO – BELGE BRIGADE** – included volunteers from Luxembourg and Holland. Of the 1,600 Belgians, 196 were Jews, many originally from Poland. On Aug 18<sup>th</sup> 1936, the first French and Belgian Jewish volunteers among the Workers Olympic team arrived in Barcelona. The first French Jewish group of volunteers left Paris for Spain on Aug 8<sup>th</sup> (DD p33) and the first Parisian kia was Leon Baum. On Sept 11<sup>th</sup> 1937, a large exhibition in Paris was devoted to the Jewish participation in the IB (DD).

Kalma “Clement” W. (Antwerpen?) b. Silesia 1909

Henri Alois

Emile “Tarzan” Ackerman – kia

Israel “Piet” Pierre Ackerman, Anvers – kia

Oucher Abramovitch

Maurice Antler

Dr Jacob Arager kia b. Varsovie 12.4.02 – twice wia and then kia tending wounded men

Todor Angeheloff (Bulgarian)

Edward Anseele

Aronchik (Lithuanian)

Chaim Augarten

Jovan Bach

Doctor Jacques “Kuba” Bachrach aka Barron – Latvian, later captain UK Army WW2

Samuel Mulke Bagan – Liege – kia Fuencarral

Raoul Baligaud

Leon Baum – kia Irun – 1<sup>st</sup> IB Casualty (Prago)

Endre Basch

Jean Bastien

Andre Isaac “Lombard” Baumol – shot by Nazis in Grenoble

Ilex Beller

Jacob Berbee/Jack Perbee

Andre Berei

Szmuel “Solek” Berliner

Abraham Motke Maurice Beziner  
Biezen  
Szlojme "Chlioma" Bocian - kia  
Isabelle Blume  
Auguste Bolleberg  
Leon Friedman Bransburg – Argent.  
Andre Broda - Commissar  
Andor "Bondy" Brunner – kia  
Joseph Buber/Bober  
Max Buset  
Dr Biezen  
Frieda Buchhalter – kia against Nazis  
Mordko Bressler – kia against Nazis  
Buchendler  
Buchman  
Chanot Beniek

Armand Cohen  
Jacques Jacob "Griner" Censor - kia against the Nazis  
Lucien Cohn  
Czarny  
Emmanuel Cacanelson  
Chaim Cukier – kia  
Natan Czak - kia

Henri Dajczer  
Julio David  
Jean Delavigne  
August de Block  
Lt David Diamint – lost both legs at Jarama  
Rene Dillen - Antwerp  
Raymond Dispy – Bruxelles  
Dreyfus  
Dunek

Abraham Ehrenberg born 1909 nr. Wroclaw - artillery  
Ruchela "Rachel" Eksztejn  
Dr Elie Elbaum  
Pinkus Erlich

Jajub Fajgelzon born 1910, Warsaw  
Faivuszewicz  
Feliks Fajbusiek  
Avram Farcas  
Ook "Srulek" Feld – wia – internet info. from M A Felsenstein, London  
Israel "Josef" Feld  
Paul Finet  
Szlamek Foster  
Alter Fajnzylber  
R. Felzenstein  
Lajb Szmul Fidel - kia

Bernard Flam  
Frankenstein  
Chlioma "Mikado" Fridman  
Gustave Frumer

Michael Garfinkle  
David Gent  
Jozef Ghilman – born 1906 in Bessarabia  
Desire Glaszer  
Charles Louis Glaszer  
Jacob Glusckin  
Gold  
David Goldberg  
Rachel Gold  
Jajza "Janina" Goldfinger  
John Goldstein  
Salomon Gordon  
Elie "Francois" Goth  
Rachel Goth  
Israel Gotlib - kia  
Heniek Goldszal  
Abraham Gotinski/Gostynski – kia  
Joachim Grau  
Eduard Gredner  
Hesch "Matisch" Grinberg - kia  
Motek "Motoush" Grinberg  
Simon Grinner (tailor)  
Joseph Groudka  
Cecile Grunberg, nurse  
Henri Grunberg  
Paul Grunberg  
Genia Gross  
Dr Joseph Gudys  
Dr Suzanne Saloman Gudys

Capt. Boris "Bob" Guimpel – CO 10<sup>th</sup> bat. "Le Marseillaise" and 35<sup>th</sup> Division , educated St Cyr Military Academy, architect and 2<sup>nd</sup> Lt in French Reserve, Paris – WIA - TSD

Jacques "Dolly" Gunzig – kia against the nazis  
Jacques Gutman aka Simcha Appel kia  
Karol Gutman – 1st CO of Botwins kia Sierra Quemadas – 2/37

Lt. Adolf Goldgewicht, Brussels – deported to Nordhausen and died 3 months after liberation aged 30 years

Laslo Gyaros

Henia Henryka Hass-Larsson - nurse  
Imre Max Hercz – kia  
Camille Huysmans

Isaac Ickowicz



Maurice Igla – French Resistance  
Jacob Insel – murdered by the Nazis  
Kalman Inzel

Leon “Lajbusz” Inzelsztein – born 1902 in Wloszczowa, Poland – kia Casa del Campo 1936, CO Franco  
Belge Bat

Francois Jacobi  
Leon Jampolski/Yampolski - wia  
Boleslaw Jelen  
J Joselewicz

Israel “Potty” Katz aka Shepse (?) - kia  
Itka Katz  
Dr Kalmanovitch  
Emmanuel Katznelson - kia  
Szaja Kindermann  
Andor Andre Klein – kia against the Nazis  
Laszlo Klein - kia  
Mozes Kleinhaus  
Benoit Kochanowicz  
Arpad Kohn – kia  
Pesach Kohn  
Koimek  
Adolf de Konschegg  
Ignace Kotlarz  
Anton Kaltenbrunner – kia against the Nazis  
Josel Kotlarsz  
Adele Korn – nurse from Anvers  
Anna Korn – nurse from Anvers  
Baruch Mordka Kotek – Brussels  
Maurice Kotek  
Nuchem Michel Kotek, Brussels – kia  
Abrasha Krasni aka Krasnowiecki kia  
Emile Krocner  
Aizik Korn  
Kaufman  
H. Kleinminc  
Joseph Knoll  
Isaac Kupiec/Kipietz  
Joseph Kutine  
Marguerite Kutme - nurse  
Chaim “Szlome” Kutnowski – kia

Cpl Labranecki  
Leon “Lajbusz” Landau - kia  
Marcel Langer – guillotined in Toulouse by Nazis; Chev. Leg. d’Hon; Medal de la Resist. avec rosette  
Julien Lahaut  
Jean Lamers aged 41  
Joseph Leemans b. Verviers 31.01.01, d. 1976 – General Staff IB 1936-7  
Roman Leszez  
Meyer Levy  
Matias Lazlo - Hungarian in Belgium (IB archive ML)

Dov Liebermann – ML archive D4  
Ignatz Liberman  
Joseph Liss  
Abram Lissner  
Oswald Litman (Belgian)  
Srulik “Georges” Livschitz – kia against the Nazis  
Bernard Loifer  
Walter Loridan  
Capt. Andre Lorberbaum/Loberbau, Murcia Hospital CO of the Brigade Franco-Belgique  
Hersz Lorenberg  
Bolek Lubelski  
Salomon Lubelczyk  
Jules Lubka – kia  
Feigla “Vera” Luftig b.1909  
Golda Luftig b. 1905  
Rachel Luftig b. 1908 – all three sisters  
Nuchem Lypszyc – kia against the Nazis

Emmanuel Mailer  
Isaac Mailer  
Jeanine Mailer  
Charles “Karol” Mancel/Manchel – later French Resistance  
Israel Mandelbaum  
Albert Marteaux  
Leon Mauvais  
Henri Mayerovitch – murdered Paris by Nazis  
Dr Anita Mayerowicz  
Jozek Mazel kia  
Isaac Mehiel  
Charles Meler  
Ms Maryska Melon  
Victor Mencil  
Abracha Mitelman  
D Mlynarski  
Nachman Mytnowiecki – kia against the Nazis

Prof Neumann  
Nicolas (Hung.) from Aidincourt  
Joseph Nissenhalz  
Felix Nissenhalz  
Paul Nothomb

Leon Pakin  
Oscar Portgana  
Jacques Jacob Penczyna  
Dr. Michel Perilman  
Leiser Piecznik  
Hersz Pisarz  
I. Platkiewicz  
Dr Plateau  
Ignace Potoszman

Presiler – kia  
Laja Pryzant

Adam Raiski – Pole via France to Spain (? IB archive ML)  
Dr Zygmunt Rafalowicz  
Elie Rapaport  
Jacob Rasner - kia  
Albert Reiter  
Xavier Relecom  
Marek Richter  
Chaim Rochman (brother of Szaja)

Henri Rol-Tanguy – CO 14<sup>th</sup> Brig. “La Marseillaise” – wia – WW2 Regional CO FFI Ile de France  
Resistance 1944-5

Joseph Rormann – kia against the Nazis  
Maurice Rosenthal  
Rozenburg  
Marian Rozenknop  
Joseph “Beinush” Rajchman – from Roanne  
Leon Rubinstein kia  
M Ryba  
Ryterski  
Hersch Reisman - kia  
Leon Leib Reis of Anvers – born 1909 East Galicia  
Szaja (Charles) Rochman, Brussels, wia , Belgian commander, murdered Mathausen 1943

Hersz Sapin – brother of Micha

Lt Col Marc/Marcel Sagnier – construction worker and French Army NCO, CO 14<sup>th</sup> Brigade, Commune  
de Paris - wia

Jean Schalbroeck  
Leon Scharz  
Hermann Scheerboom - Dutch  
Walter Scherenels  
Emile Schneiberg – kia 21.2.37 at Brunete aged 23 years – batn. CO – “B15B”  
Karol Charles Schmidt – kia against the Nazis  
Leon Schreiber  
Max Sokol  
Soltysik/aka Soltyczk - kia  
Micha “Mojzesz” Spira/Sapir – KIA (IB archive ML) – commander of the Botwins.  
Francois Spira - nurse  
Anton Spinoy  
Maks Meier Stark – born 1907 eats Galicia - kia  
Abraham Stockstil/Stockatiehl  
Alexandre Strausz – kia against the Nazis  
Albert Stravinski  
Henri Szulevic (LBYB)  
R. Scislowski  
Elie Shapiro kia  
A. Skrzynia  
Georges Soria – war correspondent

Bela Spitzer - kia  
Isidore Sabor Springer – kia against the Nazis  
Sternzy  
Albert Strawozynski  
David Stern  
Dr Struzer  
David Sznulewski  
Chilek “Chil” Szraga  
Moszek “Moniek” Szafran - kia  
Alter Szerman  
Dr Szterhol  
Pinkus Szydlower – kia against the Nazis  
Mordko Szymanowicz

Maurice Tauber  
Victor Thonet  
Leon Leibel Tigier aka Gordon  
Abram Tomaszewski  
Touchschneider kia Jarama  
Olek Turkieltaub

Jakob/Jacques Unglik

“Lucien” Nusen Vaiser b. Eupen 26.2.10  
Dr Jean Valery aka Wainberg  
Harry van Loon - Dutch  
Lucien Vidal (Gaymann? Gayman?) - Commisar  
Faiwelis Vinikas  
Jake Visser - Holland  
Civja “Cyla” Vospe

Nechemjasz “Leo” Wachter  
Rachel Wacsman  
Elie Waisbart  
“Gutka” Wajnsztejn  
Sophie Wanderer  
Mendel Weintraub aka Max Lieger of Liege – kia  
Simone Weil – French philosopher (JC obit. 30/12/05)  
Joseph Wientzer  
Richard Weinberg  
Bruno Weingast – kia against the Nazis  
Joseph Mendel Weisblum  
Sandor Weiss – kia against the Nazis – Hungarian aka Istvan Molnar  
Jouska Joseph Weisz  
Aroun Wiener  
Joseph Wiener  
Joseph Wientzer  
Wilfried Wouters  
David Wirsztel

Josef Zalcsztejn, Warsaw  
I.P. Zaleski  
Jasza Zawidowicz  
Estera “Estucha” Zilberberg  
Hersz Zimmerman – kia against the Nazis  
Malka Zimmerman  
Isak Zbyszewski  
Jan Zbyszewski  
Chil Zyotnicki  
Bolek Zygelman  
Benjamin Zygelman

**SWEDEN** – Sure Sachnowitz – typographer – b. Stockholm 23/2/20 – in Spain 8/37 to 3/38

**Georges Dimitrov** – named after the Bulgarian international Socialist, this group contained fighters from Yugoslavia, Czechoslovakia, Bulgaria and other nations; mostly Sephardim; 7 were kia (2 Bulgarian) and 6 wia (2 Bulgarian); 11 died in the Yugoslav Resistance against the Nazis. Of the Yugoslavs, 11 were labourers, 5 students, 4 doctors, 2 nurses, 2 businessmen, 2 journalists and one office worker; 29 were men and 5 were women. These numbers are almost certainly a vast underestimate.

Yugoslavs and others

Albert Radonovic Abinun, b 1913 Sarajevo, Djakovic Brig., POW till 1943, agricultural engineer aged 34  
Salomon Albahari, aka Josif Ivanovic - b 1915 Sarajevo, kia in WW2 in partisans  
Isaac Altaratz/Altarac, b. 1910 kia 1941  
Reuben Abramov aka Gen Miguel Gomez – Bulgarian  
Rolf Ahron – from Tel-Aviv – see Martin below  
Haim Athias/Atijas b 1912, wia Ebro

Isaac/Isa A. Baruch b 1913, electrician, Djakovic Brig., twice wia and then kia Central front  
Jacob Salamon Baruch b 1914 Sarajevo , journalist and labourer, anti-tank gunner, kia WW2 Yugoslav partisans  
Silvio Baruch b. 1900 Sarajevo, kia Aragon  
Lt. Andre Basch/Bas, artillery – h. of Anna Maria – murdered by Gestapo WW2 French Resistance  
Anna Maria Basch – b 1883, nurse  
Capt Dr Imre Basch – b 1905, died in Soviet prison 1942  
Jacov Basch/Bas

Janos Jean Basch son of Andre and Anna, b 1916, “Anna Pauker” artillery batt., fought in Belgian Resistance WW2

Dr Imre Beer  
Alia Begovitsch  
Dr Rosa Berger - Czech  
Alfred Bergman – b 1901, businessman, kia WW2 Yugoslav partisans  
Otto “Merin” Bihalfa/Bihalji b 1904 fought Yugoslav partisans WW2  
Dr Adela Anka Bohumincka (Arca Poca?) – b. 1905

Mirko Jakob Dojht b 1906 businessman, fought in French Army WW2  
Robert Domany/Domani - aka Vladimir Ivanovitch b 1908 kia Yugoslav partisans Apl. 1942  
Velimir Dreschler/Dreksler aka Marco Peric b 1914 fought in Yugoslav partisans

Joseph Edenhoffer – Czech ambulance driver (ML)

Eisig – see Martin below.

Elias “Ilija” Engels/Engl, aka Ilya Anazic - b 1912 wia/kia Sarajevo partisans 1941

Fajerbach - Polish national

Dr Josef Faerber – Czech dentist b. 1909

Peter Fried/Friedberg/Friedmann – German kia at Brunete rescuing a wounded comrade – see Martin below

Beno Fischer b 1901 kia Ebro

Ivan Fischer kia Ebro 1938

Dr. Carl Fodor b 1900 d. Prague 1947

Dr Braina Fos-Rudin , wife Alfred Bergman

Jakov Greenstein – Polish national

Matija Gros kia Murcia 1938

“Dolly” Jacques Gunzig – Czech

Rachel “Roushka” Gunzig – Czech medic.

Capt. Dr Joseph Hauptman, b 1910, French maquis and Yugoslav Army d. 1973

Dr Edit Jugerman

Dr Volf Jungerman

Major Commissar Kagan – “B15B” – CO Dacovic bat. – wia Brunete 6/37

Lt Col Hans Kahle - senior German Officer – had been Lt in German army WW1, CO 45<sup>th</sup> Division in Spain – after Spain was interned in UK by British and deported to Canada - later lived as police officer in East Germany (SH letter) – died 1947(?)

Knessel – “B15B”

Lt Alcalay Samuel Kamchi b 1911, forester, wia/kia

Arthur Kerschner/Kersner b 1912 Djakovic bat., kia Penamara

Franz Klatecki

Lea Kraus b 1914, nurse, fought in French Resistance

Dr Major Francisek Hans Kriegel – Chief MO 45<sup>th</sup> Div. IB – later Deputy PM Czech. until Soviet takeover  
– PI Len Crome – also fought in China against Japanese and was in Dubcek Cabinet 1968.

Samuel Lehrer, aka Voja Todorovic - b 1914, artillery, Yugoslav partisans

Ivan Loebel/Lebl, b 1912, Djakovic bat., interned by Nazis, died USSR in Nikolaievski

Bela Lustig – Hung. wia

Velimir Majder, wia, partisan commander Yugoslavia WW2

David Martin/Ludwig Detsinyi – born 1915 Hungary – author of “My Strange Friend”, where he names many Jewish fighters – lived Germany, Holland and Israel then UK after WW2, then Australia. He wrote that some Palestinian Jews were with the Tchapaiev bat. of the 13<sup>th</sup> Brigade and five he knew were kia but

cannot recall names. As a trained medical navy man from Palestine Plugath Ha Yam, he became a medical orderly with 15<sup>th</sup> Lincolns

Moshe Menachem Pappo, b 1915, hairdresser, French Resistance, kia against Nazis 1943  
Janos Posner, Czech  
Vilko Pressburger b 1906, salesman, kia Belchite Sept 1937  
Andrija Preger kia Albacete  
Leonard Pivok – Polish national

Joseph Secheleguen  
Maurice Simon (Bulgaria) (ML).  
Andre Simon – murdered after Slansky trial 1952  
Maria Schneimann/Sneeman, b 1896, w. of Steinmacher, died WW2  
Dr Dobrila Siljak-Hauptman  
Doctor Otto Sling – murdered after Slansky trial 1952  
Sigismund Statler, b 1914, wia Aragon, murdered by Ustachi in Zagreb 1941  
Drago Steinberger b 1916, office worker, artillery, kia Yugoslav partisans WW2 against Chetniks  
Moses Spiro, Polish national – kia with Polish partisans 1943  
Cornelia Popovic-Szende, b 1914, nurse, tortured to death in Yugoslav Resistance Aug 1941

Arthur Weidman kia Teruel (in above book).  
Gerhard Weiss, aka Stevan Petrovic - b 1914, kia Belgrade April 1941

### Bulgarians

Jaques Achere – b Bourgas 1892, journalist, radio broadcaster in Barcelona, d .March 1939  
Lt. Leon Anavi – b Plovdiv 1912 – kia 1937  
Yako Assa Sami – b. Kustendil 1901 – artillery, wia, WW2 French Army and Resistance  
Nissim Barouch – b. Sofia 1888 – fate unknown  
Victor Barouch-Mevorach – b. Sofia 1914 – kia  
Isaac Bechmoarach – b Varna 1889, military adviser to 4<sup>th</sup> Corps  
Karl Beredjik – b. Sofia 1903, died Paris 1946 (?)

David Davidoff – b Sofia 1903 – wia Ebro, went to live in Argentina

Harry Echkenazi – b Sofia 1912, lived later in Belgium

Iossif Eliezer Iossifoff – b Plovdiv 1914 – fate unknown

Dr Yanto Davido Kaneti – b Kasanlik 1912, served throughout war and later went to China as doctor against the Japanese. Lived in Bulgaria.

Sarah Kovo – b Istanbul 1904, correspondent and nurse, died Paris 1939  
Cesar Kovo – brother of Sarah, b Sofia 1912, wia Guadalajara, lived in Paris

Roubene Avramov Levy – b Samokov 1900 – condemned to death by Bulgarians as a revolutionary, went to Russia 1925. Inspector General of Commissars in Spain, afterwards Bulgarian MP.

Robert Echoua Melamed – b Slivene 1914, artillery, French Resistance WW2, returned to Sofia.

Gabriel Morvay - Czech

Isaac Mochev – b Sofia 1903 – artillery, French Army WW2, POW, returned Sofia.

Dr Leo Schwarz

David Nathan Solomonoff - b Plovdiv 1910, went to Israel

Wladislaus Weiss - Czech

## **Austrians**

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### **Doctors**

Fritz Adler – fate unknown

Ernst Amann

Ignaz Bauer – kia

Mme Dr Fritzi Brauner nee Riesel – b. 16.4.11 Artzin – lived Schottenfeldgasse 5, Vienna 7 -

Dr Alfred Brauner b. 3.7.10 Elsasser, husband of Fritzi

Mme Herta Bren - kia

Emmanuel Edel – b. 26.6.10 Vienna - fought in Free French Forces as Roger Dumaine, 1945 lived Yugoslavia – died 1992

Walter Freudman - b. 5.10.15 Vienna, lived Glassergasse 19, Vienna 9 – fled to UK, then worked as doctor in China

Alfred Gold – b. 6.5.04 Vienna Lazarettgasse 12/12 Vienna 9, via Drancy deported to Auschwitz convoy 42, and murdered.

Mme Anja Hammermann b. 7.3.07 Drohobycz, fled to England and after WW2 to Yugoslavia – lived Israel 8, Joseph St., Haifa

Mme August/Gusti Jirku - b. 22. 8.90, Seidengasse 14, Vienna 7

Dr Hans Kaiser - b.15.6.09 Seegasse 21/6, Vienna 9 - after Spain fled to Uk and died 1941

Mme Mimi Karner

Mme Edith Kent - nee Marcuse 17.11.08 Hanover - later worked in China

Heinrich Kent aka Markus aka Karner - b. 4.7.10 Weitmosergasse 3, Vienna 3 - , then served in China and died in Vienna in 1961

Franz Landsberg kia

Hans Landsberg – b. 10.2.12 Grose-Stadtgutgasse 7, Vienna 2 – fled to England and lived in Conn., USA in 1990

Karl Langer – b.11.1.07, Erdbergstarsse 67, Vienna 3

Marie Langer nee Manovil –b. Glas 31.8.10 – fled to England



Doctor Max Julien Langer – husband of Marie.  
Wilhelm Manovil

Heinz Pollak

Mme Rangun kia  
Heinrich Ranzenhofer – engineer – b. 3.2.96 Perinetgasse 1, Vienna 20

Dr August Teiteibaum

Kurt Wallis  
Wariek

### **Medical Support Teams**

Juliane Baranay kia  
Franziska Blitz  
Paula Draxie  
Anni Edel nee Schwartz– nurse b. Vienna 2.6.12 – escaped to UK 1939 then Yugoslavia 1945 to live  
Minna Ender nee Guth

Melanie Ernst nee Grunberg aka Emma Bachmayer/Melitta Gruber - b. 4.4.93 Cernowitz, lived  
Johnstrasse 52, Vienna 15 – deported to Ravensbruck 1943, died Vienna 8.3.49

Melitta Gruber  
Gusti Gunsberg kia  
Mara Maria Gunsberg kia  
Gusti Guttmann  
Hernstadt  
Ruth Jensen-Jerusalem  
Dora Kaiser  
Henriette Kleinmann  
Lotte Kohn kia  
Antonia Kopp kia  
Eva Korcak/Korciak b. 1904 kia  
Rudolfine Josefine Kostler  
Anni Moldauer – nurse b.11.2.18 Rembradtstrasse 30 Vienna 2 - fled to UK  
Anni Peczenig - b. Sofia 9.2.11 – deported Ravensbruck and murdered Buchenwald 1944  
Irene Spiegel  
Margot Sylvia Spindler kia  
Elizabeth Steinitz  
Gundl/Gundula Steinmetz b. 25.6.16 – fought with Belgian Resistance

### **Combattants**

Josef Adler b. 8.10.00 – perished via Drancy to Auschwitz on convoy 25, Aug 28th 1942  
Heinrich Alter  
Egon Altmann kia  
Josef Altmann  
Isaak Alzufrom b. 1910 – to Israel – POW St Cyprien 2/39  
Josef Amann

Capt. Arthur Atlas kia – b. 24.7.01 - 8/5 Volkertplatz, Vienna 2  
Rudolf Franz “Fabian” Auerhahn – journalist b. 8.6.02 in Graz, kia 20.9.38 at Sierra de la Vall de la Torre

Norbert Herman “Endler” Badian b. 5.10.1895 in Brody – lived Obere Donaustr 6, Vienna, 2 – POW  
North Africa and freed by Poles WW2 – d.13.3.71 Austria

Siegfried Badian b. 18.1.04 – dentist - fought in Red Army WW2 – d. May 1990 Austria

Ilse Barea-Kulczan nee Pollack – b. 20.9.02 Vienna , wife of Arturo – lived UK working fir BBC radio,  
died Austria 1.1.73

Friedrich Bayer kia

Richard Baranay

Alexander Barfus

Leo Bauer

Steffi Bauer nee Kanagur – b. 23.4.13 Tarnow, lived Margaretenstrasse 82 Vienna 5, died 1992 Vienna.

Leon Bauer – Coy. Secretary educated France – TSD.

George Beer

Ludwig Luzi Beer – b. 27.3.19 – Rudolfnergasse 8, Vienna 19 – Austrian underground in WW2, murdered  
by nazis at Dachau 20.9.44.

Lt. Ignatz Phillip Bendiner – b. 10.6.11 Graz, Griesgasse 24 – deported Dachau 20.6.44, liberated at Bad  
Tolz, lived France.

Rudolf Berger

Abraham Berger kia – b. 16.11.02 Posiczna, Ukraine – lived Tempelgasse 3/15 Vienna 2 – with partisans in  
Yugoslavia, lived Vienna

Alexander Gandi Bielewicz

Charlotte Bindel aka Lilly Stern – b. 22.1.08 – lived Schreigasse 2, Vienna 2 -

Alfred Brandeis b. 6.9.10 lived - Custozzagasse 2 Vienna 2.

Bruno Benno Brecher b. 11.6.06 Romergasse 72, Vienna 16 - kia

Jacob Cohen – Turkish

Ernst Cohen - Greek

Josef Dank

Franz Dahlern LBYB

Alexandro Dendel – Hung. POW

Wolf Dennenberg

General Dr Julius Deutsch – b. 2.2.1884 Lackenbach - one of the leaders of the 1934 Schutzbubd uprising  
against Fascist Dolfuss regime – a Founder of the Austrian Social Democratic party – TSD died 16.1.78 in  
Vienna

Renee Durmayer b. 30.8.07 Vienna nee Lelewer – nurse, fought in Free French Army – died Austria

Karl Ebner  
Hans Ehrenfeld  
Heinrich Eisenberg  
Moritz Eisenberg  
Gerhard Eisler  
Jan Eisner - Czech  
Karl Ellenbogen b. Innsbruck 30.4.17, lived Kaiserstasse 107, Vienna 7 - kia

Leo Engelmann – b. Vienna 30.9.14 , POW North Africa, liberated and served British Pioneer Corps, joined Soviet partisans and kia 1.4.45

Willi Engelmann  
Alfred Epstein

Hermann Falkner kia

Lajos Falusi – electrician b. 23.3.07 Vienna – went to Palestine 1936 then to Spain, POW North Africa, British Pioneer Corps, Red Army, returned Austria.

Hans Feiertag kia  
Toni Feiertag  
Georg Schurl Feigel kia  
Koppel Fiderer – b. Tluste 17.2.09, cartographer in Czech Repub. , fought in French Resistance, Toulouse.  
Moritz Moses Fisch kia – b. Kopyozynce 12.6.10, lived 1/19 Karl-Meisslstrasse, Vienna (?)  
Arnold Flesicher b. 26.8.1888

Walter Fleischer/Fleischner – b.5.10.15 Vienna, Taborstrasse 14, Vienna 2 – lived in UK and then returned to Austria after WW2.

Alfred Frank kia  
Josef Frank  
Karl Frank kia  
Siegfried Fritz Freitag kia  
Georg Frenlker  
Jakob Freund kia  
Paul Freund kia  
Lt. Walter Friedmann confectioner, b. Vienna 13.11.09 at Konstantingasse 4/3 - kia 31.3.38  
Franz Frisch kia  
Hugo Frischmann  
Ernst Fuchs  
Johann Fuchs kia  
Otto Fuchs kia  
Egon Furst, clerk , b. 6.6.12 lived Vienna at Hasnerstrasse 105 – kia Ebro Sept. 1938

Nikolaus Gal - b. Budapest 18.1.15, lived Heiligenstadterstrasse 82/17/9, Vienna 19, fought with French Army WW2, POW Stalag 11B till March 1945, died Oct 1991.

Jomisius Gold kia  
Erich Goldmann  
Julius Goldman  
Otto Goldstaub kia

Goldstein kia  
Elias Goth kia  
Herbert Gottlieb kia

Ignace Walter Greif b. Vienna 30.6.11 Zittenhofergasse 8 Vienna 7 – worked as a foreign worker alias Alfons Muller, but was sent to Auschwitz and murdered.

Jacob Grossbard/Grossbart warehouseman, b. 4.10.05 Vienna – Vorgartenstrasse 188, Vienna 2 -  
Theodore Grunspan-Gruber b. Vienna 23.8.04 - Glasergasse 9.  
Frank Leo Gunzer kia  
Heinrich Guenzer, labourer aged 33  
Gyula Gunser

Julius Gunser aka Martin Flohr aka Gustav Meyer - b. Vienna 6.12.10 Taborstrasse 14, Vienna 2 – survived posing as foreign worker in Austria but was eventually deported to Mathausen.

Dr Felix Gutfeld b. Vienna 28.4.93 Glatzgasse 4/15 Vienna 19 - kia Jarama 20.2.37  
August Gutman b. 4.8.94, deported to Auschwitz Convoy 75  
Alfred Gutmann kia  
Fritz Guttmann murdered by Nazis – fate unknown  
Fritz Gutmann  
Max Gutschein , photographer aged 23  
Siegfried Guttmann kia

Walter Haider/Heider mechanic b. Vienna 6.1.11, Margaretengurdel 134, Vienna 5 – died in Terezin camp.

Rene Hajek

Walter Spuli Hajek textile technician b. Vienna 2.3.11, Wahringerstrasse 125/1/13- posed as a foreign worker in WW2 but murdered Dachau 28.3.45

Julius Halpern - carpenter b. Vienna 12.4.11 Stumpergasse 16 Vienna 6 – was in Dachau and Buchenwald but fled after to England

Fritz Hamburger kia  
Wilhelm Harriberg, labourer aged 45 – South African/British wia

Dr Friedrich Hautmann b. Vienna 8.11.90 Grohrmuhlgasse 38, Wiener Neustadt – later worked in Congo, Africa

Phillip Hecht civil servant, b. 20.1.05  
Capt Rudolf Heinmisch, b. Frankenberg Austria

Otto Heller aka Raymond Brunet – writer b. Vienna 14.12.97, interpreter in Lille, deported to Mathausen and Auschwitz, died 25.3.45

Peter Heller writer b. Vienna 6.11.05, Johann Strasse 42, Vienna 4 – served US Army WW2  
Dr Walter Heller - b. 2.11.06, Bernardgasse 35, Vienna 7 - medical student  
Albert Hirsch  
Oskar Hock aka Bernhard Schein kia  
Gerhard Hoffman b 9.6.17, Firmianigasse 34 Vienna 13

Wolfgang Hoffmann - seaman - b 23.5.12 - (address obscured) - deported to Dachau and Gross-Rosen and died 11.3.42

Dr Otto Hoffman-Ostenhof aka Otto Biach - university Prof. Biochemistry - 18.10.14 - 14.10 92  
Nikolaus Hollander - b. 16.11.97, Tyrol - painter

Imre Jakobi

Paul Jellinek – shopkeeper - b. 17.4.10, Keilgasse 7/18 Vienna 3 - anti-aircraft gunner - deported to Auschwitz and Buchenwald - liberated 1945

Siegfried Jurmann - b.20.1.15, Castellezgasse 2, Vienna 2 - lived New York

Leopold Kallina kia

Dr Sigmund Kennedy Kanagur - journalist - b 12.10.09 Paelosiw, interned North Africa, liberated and joined British Pioneer Corps, then the US Army, then OSS in Italy and Austria. During WW2.

Karl Kaspar aka Zimmermann – leatherworker - b. 21.2.12 Bockhgasse 2/4/8 Vienna 12 - Commissar kia Teruel Jan. 1938

Franz Kasteiner

Josef Katz kia

Alexander Kerschbaum kia

Alexander Kerzenbaum kia

Franz Kerzner , Hung., chauffeur aged 38

Leopold Knopp - b. 14.2.07 Grunetorgasse 31 Vienna 9 - Commissar, fled to France and England and later returned to Austria

Viktor Stein Koblicek

Leopold Kohn kia - jouirnalist

Robert Kohn kia - engineer - b.8.3.18 Obere-Donaustrasse 45a Vienna 2 - tank driver - Landauer says fled to France and deported to Auschwitz but survived, died Vienna 1990.

Walter Kohn kia - electrician b. 5.5.08 Graz - POW North Africa. Liberated and Landauer says went to Russia, then returning to Austria.

Georges Kopp kia

Kurt Koppel kia - b. 18.4.15 Baumgasse 54/16, Oroszvar - may have been a Getsapo agent!!

Korner

Oskar Krigel

Hans Krug

Kurt Kruh – book-keeper - b. 10.5/6.10 Amerlinggasse 1, Vienna 6 - later fled to England and Sweden

Norbert Kugler kia

Ernst Kupferstein - born Vienna 1914 and reached Spain via Palestine and later went to Russia.

Kurt Landau kia - b. 29.1.03 Vienna

Siegmund Lang kia

Sioma Lechtman – mechanic b. 1.8.16 Ybbsstrasse 28 Vienna 2, deported and murdered in Auschwitz

Samuel Lifschitz aka Karl Lechner kia

Martin Lobel kia

Robert Loffler kia  
Leo Losch  
"Raberger" Lowe kia

Theodor Arthur Malcher  
David Mangel – Czech - b. 10.9.90 – lived 75 Bordens St Toronto, Canada  
Dr Herbert Manovil – lawyer – b. Graz 9.10.06, Tempelgasse 7, Vienna 2 – kia Jarama  
Josef Mark kia

Josef Meisel aka Josef Born aka Raymond Mesmer – carpenter b. 18.4.11 Wagg-Neustadt – fought in the  
Maquis in WW2 – survived Auschwitz

Josef Mendel kia  
Hans Menzel kia  
Max Salomon Mordechai – b. 11.9.11 Czerningasse 8 Vienna 2 - lived USA

Natter kia

Hans Nass – shopkeeper b. 15.9.03 Hauptstrasse 14/2/2/37a Vienna 17 – fled to UK, Canada and served in  
US Army 1945-46

Hans Helmut Neumann – student – b. 30.9.14, Mariahilfstrasse 99, Vienna 6

Alfred Gottfried "Red" Ochshorn - student b. 6.4.15 Grosse Sperlgasse 37/12 Vienna 2 – murdered  
Mathausen 20.10.43

Josef Pasternak – lived USA

Hermann Peczenik – writer b. 27.1.10 Cjomikowka lived Plenergasse 24 Vienna 18 – Commissar –  
murdered in Auschwitz

Anton Pelikan  
Kurt Politzer kia

Dora Quinton – nurse – fled to UK

Josef Rath kia  
Hans Rauch kia  
Hermann Rein kia  
Marinus Richel – Dutch POW  
Viktor Roll – shop keeper – b.28.7.11 Langegasse 53 Vienna 8 – lost arm in action – fled to UK  
Louis Roth kia  
Kurt Roth b. 20.7.20 Obere-Donaustrasse 45/2/2/23 Vienna 2 – fled to UK  
Siegmond Roth father of Kurt – b. 6.6.92 Lemberg – same address as Kurt  
Arthur Rubner – civil servant b. 24.6.80 Untere-Viaduktgasse 3/1/15 Vienna 3 -

Erich Sachslad – Yugosl.  
Paul Salzer/Selzer from Vienna kia Romanillo  
Robert Salzer – student - b. 9.11.18 Pyrkegasse 13 Vienna 19 - kia  
Samuel Salzmann – tailor b. 28.11.09 Grosse Mohrengasse 34 Vienna 2  
Max Sauer  
Karl Saul – Vienna kia Teruel  
Hans Scheifele kia

Bernhard Schein aka Oscar Hock – leather worker b. 21.7.09 Mortaraplatz 20, Vienna – deported to  
Stutthof and murdered Flossenburg 5.7.42

Otto Schick  
Heinrich Schiffer kia  
Gerti Schindel - b. 5.1.13 Schuttelstrasse 93/14 Vienna  
Thomas Schocken kia  
Hans Schorr – murdered Auschwitz  
Alfred Schreiber  
Fritz Friedrich Schreiber  
Leon Schreiber

Bezalel Schwager - b. 21.7.08 Husiatyn, Galicia – son of Abraham and Gittel (murdered in Holocaust) and  
hus. of Irma Wieselberg, father of Monika and Ernst – fought in French Resistance and in Yugoslavia –  
became police officer in Austria after war

Abraham Schwartz  
Isidor Schwarz  
Josef Schwarz kia  
Leo Schwartz kia

Richard Sehr – shoemaker - b. 24.3.07 Universumstrasse 34 Vienna 20 – fought with Maquis and died in  
Israel 1987.

Albert Selin kia  
Lt . Ferdinand Selinger kia – b. Unterholz, Carinthia  
Otto Selinger kia  
Adolf Sieder - brother of Josef – kia Pozo Blanco, Cordoba

Josef “Spuli” Sieder kia – student - b.12.4.18 Vienna – fought in Maginot line with French army 1940  
and Maquis. Deported Stutthof-Natzweiler and murdered Belsen 20.1.45.

Dr Oskar/Osias Sigall - surgeon – b. Tarnopol 31.12.89 lived Linz -

Robert Singer – baker b. 22.5.00 in Innsbruck and Vienna Untere-Augartenstrasse 35 – lived Austria post-  
war

Harry Spiegel – student b. 18.11.10 Bennogasse 30/2/12, Vienna 8 – fought in French Resistance.

Hans Spielmann – tailor - b. 13.12.14 Graz, Annenstrasse 34 – deported Buchenwald and murdered  
Auschwitz

Leopold Spira - student b. 2.5.13 Myrthengasse 12 Vienna 7 son of Emil (1875-1938) and Doris (1877-  
1954 in Cleveland) and brother of Emma Karoline Plank, US child psychologist - fled to UK and married  
1940 to Eva Zerner (b.1921) children Toni Elizabeth and Liesl Margaret Nitsch.

Heinzich Spitzbart  
Caesar Spitzer kia

Egon Steiner – student b. 22.6.16 Ausstellungsstrasse 1/11 Vienna 2 – survived Auschwitz and Ravensbruck

Siegmund Steiner/Heiner via Israel - kia  
Leo Stern  
Max Stern – b. 3.10.03 in Switzerland  
Michael Sternberg kia  
Egon Steiner kia  
Egon Suess kia Gandesa 1.8.38 – leatherworker b. 8.7.09 Vienna  
Friedrich Stricker kia  
Max Strommer kia

Hermann Talkner  
Taubert kia  
Stefan Tauchner  
Albert Tekanjer kia  
Ludwig Thorn b. 3.6.17  
Janus Toth – Hung. POW

Dr Max Umschweif – survived Dachau and Buchenwald – died 1986  
Johann Unger

Walter Wachs – b. 2.8.13 – POW N Africa and then joined British Army and fought in Jugoslavia.  
Bruno Weingast  
Fritz Weiss  
Kurt Weiss  
Erwin Wenger  
Major Hugo Wittmann kia – aka Buschmann – CO 1<sup>st</sup> bat. Edgar Andre

Karl Zimmermann

Hans Zipper aka Viktor Muller aka Schuster b. 24.10.12 Resistance, deported Gross-Rossen and murdered Flossenburg 28.3.45

Leo Zobel

## **Italians**

Cesare Colombo  
Jose Granata  
Piero Jacchia  
Luigi Longo (LBYB) aka Gallo, Inspector General of the IB; one of original founders of the IB  
Rita Montagnana  
Carlo Rosselli



Dr George Schon, Hungarian national living in Italy, later interned at Gurs, went to live in China and returned to Hungary in 1950's – letter from niece Linda Wilkins in Australia

Alessandro Sinigaglia

George Tioli

Leo Valiani

Moize Venezia

Vittorio Vidali – aka Commandante Carlos – founder and CO of Quinto Regimento – 1906-83

(NB several also fought for Franco!!)

**Israel (Palestine Mandate)- Most detail is from the MML.** The first group of 60 arrived and fought on 17<sup>th</sup> Nov 1936 (DD p34). Between 350-500 fought (mostly in the Botwins) and c. 70 were kila and a further 50 kila in WW2. There s a JNF Forest in Israel in their memory. **Measured as numbers in the proportion of the population of any nation that sent volunteers to the IB, the Israelis were the largest national contingent in the IB in Spain.**

Zundel Abine

Robert Aquist - Coy. Commander KIA — married an English nurse, Patricia Darton, who sadly died in Madrid in 1996 when attending the 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary commemoration

Trojan Haim Adler – Dizengoff, Tel-Aviv

Noah Aloni

Daniel Abramovicz - KIA 1938 Gandesa

David Ansrowski

Moshe Antler

Sonia Antler-Zeidman, Toulouse Resistance

Miriam Amram

Max Amram – kila by Nazis WW2 - aka Moshe Aram

Arie Baker, mechanic aged 26

Moshe Ben-Ari

Samuel Ben-Mordechai

Samuel Ben-Yakov

Israel Bober

Boim

Adela Botvinska

Josef Brikner

Capt Misha Bron aka “Michal” – Ops officer 129<sup>th</sup> Brigade

Dr Fina Bronstein

Dr Pini Bronstein

Simone Bronstein

Micha Bronzstein

Israel Bryn/Brin

Marian Burstein

Ariyeh “Liova” Bursuk kila Ebro

Israel Center b. Poland 25.12.98

Pinchas Cheifetz  
Mark Centner

Raoul Danine  
David Degani  
Maximilien Derewski  
Isaac Duyts  
Mordka Dusiany

Wilhelm Einhorn  
Haim Ekstein kia Estramadura  
Chaim Elkon – kia Aug 1936  
Boris/Borys Epelbaum/Apelbaum  
Israel Eckstein/Epelbaum/Apelbaum  
Rubin Elias Erlich aka Elie – b. Klobuck, moved to Palestine, died of wounds Estramadura 16.2.38  
Eliyahu Erlich  
Adolbert Ernester/Aruster  
Moise Estreicher/Estreich

Lajos Falusi  
Adama Fasht  
Joseph Farber – fought in Resistance at Auschwitz.  
“Arab” Fawzi (?)  
Yehezchiel Fikkur – b. Poland, lived Israel (Haifa) – air force mechanic  
Munia Faingelernter/Feingerlernt  
Angela Feiro  
Uszet Finquestein  
Ruth Fogel  
Moshe Fuks kia WW2

Maksymilian Gaelet  
Shaika Garber  
Jonas Geduldig – shot by the Nazis  
Abraham Gelman  
Ceska Gillert  
Cypora Gillert (?) - nurse  
Zvi Ginzer  
Max Godet  
Haim Goldenber  
Haim Goldstein  
Ze'ev Gotesman, kia Toulouse French Resistance  
Gotlib, murdered by Gestapo Paris 1944  
Aron Grinstajn  
Dr Fernand Grossfeld  
Itslele Gruber  
Aharon Arnold Guinsberg

Moise Maurice Haft  
Pepi Halpern  
Dr Hamerman  
Yacov Hariri “Kiru”  
Chaim Hecht  
Shula Heiman

R Hellen  
Abraham Helfant  
Dr Yosef Heller  
Heniek Herberg  
Huber (Polish)  
Sender Herskovic  
Ari (Henry) Hollender b. Berlin 28/12/17

Jacobi  
Emir Jaffe  
Maria Jacobovski  
Jechok Joffe/Ioffe/Charles Joseph – Major - kia Valesquillo – from Haifa  
Saloman Joffe  
Chaim Jurkowski  
Adam Jurski

David “Dodo” Kamy aka Kamenomotsky – aka “Camille” - Russian adjt. to 15<sup>th</sup> brigade, via Belgium – engineer, emigrated to Palestine, served WW2 in French Army, winning Cr. de Guerre avec palme and Red Orchestra – captured and murdered by Nazis in Belgium – TSD.

N Kali  
Morris Kawer – also with Mac-paps  
Sounia Kesselman  
Joshua Keselman  
Marcus/Buca Klein  
Kohen  
Hans Kohen  
Isaac Korin kia

David/Judko Karon/ Korin/Korenbaum b. Poland 29/9/15, died Israel 10/2001 – lived in Israel from 1931, fought with Dombrowskis in Spain – fought in Israel’s War of Independence, founder Kibbutz Kfar Menachem where he died.

Angele Kot  
David Kozak  
Kopel Kraselnik  
Boris Kraselnik  
Ivan Krasnolovev  
Arek Kubalski

Yohan Lamers  
Marcel Lenger  
Arnold Linker  
Levi Litwak  
Zioma/Simon Lechtmann  
Arie Lev aka Moishe Goy  
Moshe Levi  
Nurse Dora Levin aka Birnbach  
Meir Levy  
Yankel Levine  
Leon Lew  
Lipman  
Simon Lipschitz – wia repat. London 12/38  
Jankele Lurie

Ruth Majthes  
Ms Ruth Fideli/Maliniak  
Abracha Margoules/Margulis  
Levi Mayer  
Dr Anita Meyerovitch  
Fred Meisuer  
Ruth Meitis  
Moniek Milenband  
Munia Milband  
Ebraim Miller  
Mordechai/Mark/Marx Milman/Millman – kia at Ebro – CO Palestine contingent  
Vladimir Mirochnichenko  
Jean Mitelman  
Isaac Meirovici (Rumanian) POW 1938-43 in Spain  
D Milgrom (Polish)  
Felix Montreuil  
Diego Mula

Maurice Najman – pilot  
Shlomo Natan  
Nizan  
Zippora/Cypora Nilar

Rice Oringer (Histadrut member)  
David Ostrovsky later French Resistance, died 2005

Jaques Penczyna - one of 13 members of Palestine Jewish Hapoel who fought in Barcelona in June 1936; they were in Spain for the Workers' Olympiad, a protest against the official Nazi Berlin Olympics; when hostilities began they joined the Barcelona Militia - Prago and JWC.

Dr Perelman  
Sasa Pesanski  
Alexandre Pieschanski/Peschansky  
Yehezkiel Pikar – Haifa – pilot – Andre Malraux Sqdn., (Prago) – later fought Israel war of Independence  
Felina Pintchuck

Israel Radwanski  
Elie Rappoport  
Maurice Riba  
Alfred Rotaru aka Rosenberg  
Mordechai Roth  
Boris Dov Rudayev  
Gricha Roitman  
Major Valter Roman – b. Rumania - CO of all IB artillery  
David Rutenberg  
Israel Rzelkowitch

Elie Salomon – from LEBANON  
Nicolas Sama - POW France 2/39  
Samuel Segal – Sivkin St 26, Tel-Aviv – served UK Army WW2  
Shalom Shiloni  
Josef Silberman

Samuel Stamler kia  
Micha Stelianu  
Bernard Stern  
Franciszek Schafer  
S Schlein  
Joske Schnitzer  
Max Schwartzberg  
Rachel/Rochelle “Angelka” Schwartzman  
Samuel Smuel (?)  
David Smulevich – fought in Resistance at Auschwitz  
Nahum Sofer  
M L Solomon  
Joseph Srolevsky  
Hana Srulewicz  
Seigmund Steiner  
F Sternberg  
Adela Stever/Weintraub  
Adolf Stipel  
Naum Super  
Wolf Szapiro  
Nathan Szenker  
Shlomo Szlayer  
I. Sztein  
Marcel “Koth” Szteranzis

Max Maciej Technitchek – Czech Coy., Polish origin  
Yakob Tvardowski

Matyss Ulman  
Emile Urmish kia Ebro

Volodia

Sara Wajsblum  
Nachum Weiss – kia Nov 1936  
Rose Wlopolska  
Baruch Wilder  
Ephraim Wuzek  
Zippora Wolfson  
Isidore “Ernst” Wolfson

Bernard Wolkas/Volkas – Kovno, Lithuanian, b 1916, went to Palestine 1934, went by Paris and Marseilles on SS Ciudad Barcelona, torpedoed 30.5.37 by Italian submarine, only 3 survivors out of 56 volunteers aboard, including Wolkas who later lived in the USA, Isaac Kupietz and Abe Osheroff of the USA. Was in the artillery of the IB, wia, fought with Soviet partisans and Paras in WW2, POW and survived Auschwitz (Resistance group) and Buchenwald (DD p393-4) – lived California.

Imrou Yakobi

Zelman/Zalman Saltzman/Zaltsman died 2005 – US Army WW2 – led Israeli SCW Veterans association  
Samuel Zoltan kia French Resistance  
Feivl Zavodnik aka Bar Akiva

**JEWS FROM MOROCCO (from Nanterre University Archives, Paris)**

Isaac Achidjar, artillery  
Salomon Bendayan  
Simon Dahan, artillery  
Abraham Elbas  
Abraham Levy  
Robert Maroch, Pilot  
Francois Pinto  
Israel Rubio/Rusio

### **THE ROMANIANS**

These names are from Diamint's book.

Abram Abram  
Oscar Abramovich  
Gheorghe Adorian  
Oscar Abramovich kia  
Lazar Alexandru  
Simka Appel  
Hans Arbore aka Sternschuss  
Dr Leo Arco (Russia)  
Jacob Aronovitch (Russia)  
Armand Avramescu  
Gabriel Axel/Axler – kia

Olga Bancic – VALBA web site  
Samuel Berkowitz  
Casimir Bodeon – kia  
Aron Boguslavski - kia  
Michal Boico  
Enta Braunstein  
Albert Brefman – kia  
Dr Buca (Russia)  
Galea Burke  
Benjamin Bura  
Burg

Ishael Carol  
Ladislav Citron aka Mexique  
Bucur Clejan  
Michal Codrutz  
Iosif Condero kia  
Grigre Cotovski  
Iacob Crasnov – Russia  
Pavel Critescu aka Kleinman  
Isaac Cuntz

I. Diamant

Bela Ernster

Motl Feifman  
I. Felix kia

Sofia Fijtman  
Marcel Finkelman  
Albert Finkelstein kia  
Fichel Finkelstein  
Usher Finkelstein  
Mihail Florescu  
Maximilian Fridman/Friedman kia

Herbert Gabbe/Gable  
Sara Gartenstein  
Isaac Gelbruch kia  
Ariol Gershman - Russia  
Chaim Goldstein  
Chaim Goldenstein  
Carol Goldstein kia  
Michal Grinberg – Russia  
Usher Grinspan kia  
Urel Grofaru aka Tehapaiev  
Mauriein Gross  
Micha Gurievski  
Iasha Gutman – Russia

Arnold Iacobovitch/Icbovici  
Dr David Iancu/Jancu  
Iancu Iankelevitch kia  
Petru Iosif aka Brauchfeld  
Bera Iurgroi kia

Elemer Katz  
Abram Kauf  
Ali Kelmer kia  
I. Kilimnik – Russia  
Severin Kilmayer kia  
Buke Kleinn aka Marcu  
Simon Kranzelic

Abram Landau  
Alexandru Larenciu  
Alexander Lazar kia  
Lazarovitch  
Michal Leb  
Leon Lebelsohn kia  
Boria Leiserovitch  
Noemie Lerer  
Alexander Levoi kia  
D Levoi  
S Livshitz USA  
Bercu Loseanu kia  
Elisabeta Luca  
Iuliu Lunevski  
Mihail Lungu aka Micha Vechter

Adalbert Mandel kia  
Manole H. Manole (Russia)

Leon Marcovitch/Marcovici  
Vladimir Mazepa kia  
Jacob Mehr  
Isaac Mera aka Mayerovich  
Saloman Michail aka Israel  
Andre Micu  
F Michailanu  
David Mihail aka Veisbuch  
Petru Mihaleanu aka Hershkovitch  
Ionel Militineanu  
I. Milma  
Horia Moldoveanu aka Lazarovitch  
Isidor Moscovitz  
Ionel Munteanu aka Iancu Goldstein

Grigore Naum  
Carol Neuman  
Aron Nice (French)  
David Novosileck

Ricu Ogareanu aka Israel Oringer

Capt. Dr Michal Perelman/Perilmann – studeid medicine Toulon/Paris

Elie Rapport (French)  
Elie Rapoport  
Adolf Reiter  
Wolf Rotberg  
Andre Roman  
Ladislau Rosenberg kia  
Alekssei Rozner

Ion Sakelarie aka Schenker  
Zoltan Samuel  
Iso Schapira  
Natan Schenker  
Wolf Schimens  
Emil Schneiberg kia 2/37 – CO 15 bat. 6'ieme Fevrier  
Emile Schneidert  
Josef Scheinbach  
Schmill  
Mauriciu Schpitz  
Samuel Schreier kia  
Ladislau Schwimmer  
Mauriciu Segal  
Abram Sharf  
Basil Sherban  
Zoltan Simion kia  
Sanda Sova  
Moshe Spiro b. 1911 – kia Polish partisans 1943  
Hans Sternshus  
Gherghe Stoica  
Anna Strulovitici  
Petre Sutchiu aka Scherf  
Avsic Naum Svet (Russia)



Rene Tailer (France)  
Jacob Tchaikel  
Josef Tchatchma (Russia)  
Alexander Tcheresnies (Hungary)  
Dr Hermina Tismeneanu  
Leon Tismeneanu  
Leonte Tismeneanu  
Dr Anna Tudiker

Emil Vasser  
Peissah Vasserman  
Salomon Veinberg  
Stefan Veinrub  
Veisbruch (Russia)  
Philippe Veis  
Abram Veissman (Russia)  
Meyer Veksler kia  
Rossilca Veksman (Russia)  
Jacha Volevitch

Wasserstrom  
M. Weidenfeld  
L Weksler – kia French Resistance  
Julius Wilhelm  
Francois/Francisc Wolf kia aka Joseph Boczow, kia French Resistance 21.7.44

Mauriciu Zemler  
Iancu Zilberman kia  
Anna Zinger  
Zigmund Zonnreich kia

### **THE GERMANS – Thaelmann bat.**

Approx 500 IBers were from German speaking countries, many already having been in Nazi camps and were later murdered after the war in Spain when they fought in the Resistance in various countries. They have in many cases left no trace except their index cards in Soviet and Gestapo records. Many were in fact the first defenders of the Republic as they had gone to live in Spain from Nazi Germany or Austria and fought with the first of the international combat units, Gruppe Thaelmann – but as 14 of the 18 founders were Jews it was known as the Judische Gruppe Thaelmann, founded 24 July 1936 in Barcelona and first went into battle 22 Aug at Saragossa! As with many other Ibers, many also fought in the Resistance Groups in WW2.

Many of the names come from Diamant's book (see introduction) but others have been added by a list supplied by Fred Dellheim in Germany, from which Sydney Goldberg of AJEX UK helped pick out Jewish names. This is not the most accurate way of finding the Jewish fighters from Germany but the the only recourse given we have no information on religious affiliation except from Diamant.

Jacob Altmaier - born 23/11/1889 Florsheim, Iron Cross WW1, correspondent in Spain and WW2 in Cairo, W. German MP, helped with Germany-Israel Treaty 1952, died Bonn 8.2.63

Hans Adler  
Herman Haim Adler  
Rolf Aron  
Rudi Auerbach

Leopold Bauer b. Skalat 18.12.12

Wolf Bayn/Bayan – Ex 11<sup>th</sup> Brigade – POW France 13/38 – came from Israel  
Max Beer

Hans Beimler b. Munich 2/7/95 – Commisar , ex-German MP, escaped Nazi camp, kia Madrid – founder of 1<sup>st</sup> Thaelman centurion 1936

Anton Belski  
Dr Gotz Bobby Berger – b. Berlin 26/1/05.  
Otto Bergmann  
Paul Bergmann  
Peter Bergmann  
Rudolf Bergmann b. Essen 28.02.08  
Gerhard Berkel  
Chaim Besser  
Willy Bick b. Essen 1.12.03

Peter Blachstein – writer and journalist – b. Dresden 30.4.1911, Socialist – Zionist arrested 1934 Hohenstein concentration camp, , via Oslo to Spain 1936 with Willy Brandt and Max Diamant, became a Lieutenant at front, escaped to Sweden via France, then returned to Germany in 1947, MP and Ambassador to Yugoslavia – died Hamburg 4.10.77.

Fritz Blattmann

Dr Gunter Bodek – b Berlin 7/5/1895, WW1 veteran, fled to Spain 1933, , i/c military hospital Benicassim , killed 26.6.37.

Mrs G Kathe Bodek – was with husb. in Spain working in an orphanage and escaped later to Mexico with her children where she died in 1981.

Hans Brandes  
Heinrich Brandes b. Salzwedel 31.10.11  
Walter Breitfeld b. Meinersdorf 5.12.03  
Willy Brostowski

Alfred Cahn b. Koln 15.12.18/ 25.2.18?  
Hugo Cahn

Robert Capa – aka Andrei Friedmann b. Budapest 1913 – came to Berlin 1931 as a photographer , then fled to Paris where he married the Jewish Gerta Pohorylle aka Gerta Taro b. Lemberg Poland 1911. She invented his name Capa. Gerta was kia at Brunete aged 26 years. After Spain Capa worked in China and with the US army in WW2 from Tunisia to Paris and Berlin – then to Russia, Israel (1948 War) and was killed in Vietnam on 25.5.54 by a mine.

Henri Cohen b Melilla 13.7.20  
Dr Ernest Cohn b. Koln 1901  
Fritz Cohn  
Hans Cohn

Fritz David b. Berlin 7.10.15  
Max Diamint/Diamant – writer and journalist b. Lodz 3.8.08

Julius Deutsch – b. 2/2/1889 Lackenbach, Austria, studied Zurich ,officer WW1 Austro-Hungary army , Ministry of Defence, fled to Prague 1933, went to Spain and became a general commanding coastal defences No 3 Div., Spanish Army. 1939 helped form Austrian bat. in French army, fled USA 1941, returned Austria 1946, died 17.1.68 in Vienna (see Austrian section) . Son Gustav murdered by Stalin 1939.

Jacob Donaer b. Schnappach 11/10/00  
Arthur Dorf b. Barmen 17/7/08 – Commisar 11<sup>th</sup> brig.  
Jacob Driess

Gerda Ebstein  
Heinrich Ebstein  
Herbert Ebstein  
Georg Eckstein

Carl Einstein – b. Karlsruhe 26/4 1895 or 85 , fled to France, to Spain 1936 with wife, fought with the anarchists, interned Argeles. When Germans occupied France he committed suicide.

Mrs C Einstein – wife of above.

Karl Ellenbogen  
Erwin Eppstein

Melanie Ernst – nee Weinberger – b. Czernowitz 4.4.1893, aka Emma Backmayer arrested by Swiss for smuggling hundreds of Volunteers in to Spain.

Julius Fechenbach  
Richard Feibelmann

Lt. Herman L. Feld – b. Berlin 21/2/1914, family in Dachau/Buchenwald, murdered Auschwitz; brother Siegfried fled to UK and fought in British army throughout war in Guards, died aged 36 years. Hermann became a British pilot and then fought in Republic's Espana Squadron commanded by Andre Malraux. He was acting cmdr No 2 Sqdn. of 30 Group flying Natasha aircraft. Kia 5/6/June 1937 at Quintanar saving the life of cmdr. Sabate by drawing fire from Italian Fiat aircraft.

Simon Feldmann b. Dresden 1.5.13  
Dr Feldmann  
Gustav Feuergarten  
Michael Flurschein  
Simon Fottelmann  
Bruno Frei - writer and journalist  
Dr Liesl Freund

Max "Mackie" Friedemann – born Orsey, Ruhr 13.2.1905, settled in Barcelona, built and was second i/c of all communications/signals in Spanish army. As Commandant Francois Heuze he was a combat leader in French Resistance WW2 and became Sec of State for Mining in GDR post war – died 10.11.86

Thea Friedemann b. Orsey 10.10.06  
Haydu Friedemann b. Orsey

Golda Friedemann b. Dabrova 1.7.07 – wife of Max also fought with him in Spain and France. Married Spanish Front 1936!

Paul Friedmann  
Herbert Friedlander  
Martin Fuerer/Fuhrer

Ludwik Gecinski/Geczinski  
Edgar Ginsberger b. Pforzheim 18.8.11  
Max Goldberger b. Vienna 12.8.04  
Werner Goldenberg b. Dusseldorf 18.12.13/17.7.13  
Oscar Goldenhirsch  
Emil Goldmann  
Delfried Goldstaub  
Ernst Goldstein  
Julius Kurt Goldstein b. Dortmund 3.11.14 – Auschwitz survivor  
Doctor Goldstray  
Leon Grunbaum  
Gottfried Grunberg b. Beuthen 29.5.89  
Elsa Grunstein nee Spiegel  
Herbert Grunstein b. Erfurt 27.7.12  
Siegfried Arnold Gutman

Bert Halpern  
Harry Heffeld/Helfeldt aged 33 wia  
Dr Werner/Gustav Heilbrunn – kia MO 45<sup>th</sup> Div.  
Franz Hel

Otto Heller – b. Brun 1897 – WW1 Lt. – Spain 1936 and WW2 French Resistance as Raymond Brunet – captured 1943 and murdered Ebensee camp 1945.

Kaete Hempel  
Werner Hermerlin  
Hessentaler  
Stefan Heym – writer and journalist  
Adolf Hirsch  
Walter Hirsch  
Herbert Hirsch -Hoffman  
Otto Albert Hirschmann b. Berlin 7.4.15  
Aizik Hoffman  
Reinhold Hoffman

Georg Hornstein – b. 1900 Berlin, officer German army 1918 - Coy Cmdr 11<sup>th</sup> Thalmann Brig. Wia 8.7.1937, fled to Amsterdam 1941 and arrested by Gestapo his statement being the only one extant of an interview of a Jewish German Resistance fighter – ending in Buchenwald he was murdered 3.9.42.

Egon Illfeldt/Ilfeld

Heinrich Jacobs b. Volklingen 7.2.15

Fritz Jensen – aka Frederick Jerusalem b. Prague 26/12/1903 – Chief MO 13<sup>th</sup> Brigade and in 1938 Chief MO main hospital at Benicassim – 1939 went to work for Red Cross in China against Japan, married, returned to Vienna 1948, killed in an air crash 1955 on way to 3<sup>rd</sup> World Meeting in Indonesia.

Max Kahane b. Hanover 31.1.10

Maurice Kahn

Alfred Kalmanovitz

Rudi Kampf student aged 32 years b. Dresden 22.12.19

Dr Friedl Kassowitz – b. Toplitz-Schonau 1907 – German army service, defended Ernst Thalmann in German court, 1937 – in Spain was Lt. comm No 3 Coy 10<sup>th</sup> bat. 14<sup>th</sup> Brigade, kia Navalperal 4/7/37

Frieda Kantorowitsch b. Gottingen 18.6.05

Alfred Kantorowicz – writer and journalist b. Berlin 12.8.99.

Karl Katzenberger b. Remscheid 1907/9?

Max Katzenellenbogen b. Berlin

Prof. Dr Alfred Katzenstein b. Monchen-Gladbach 16.5.15

Florentin Koester metallurgist aged 35

David Kohn – b. Vienna, arrested for smuggling volunteers into Spain

Dr Bedrich Kisch

Egon Erwin Kisch – writer and journalist ( Czech brothers)

Leo Kneler b. Warsaw 12.12.02

Erich Knobloch b. Coblenz

Walter Knobloch

Joseph Koenigsberger

Fritz Kohn b. Flensburg 26.6.01

Dr Heinz Kohn

Karl Kormes (ML – O’Riordan)

Willi Kornmann

Kurt Krause

Otto Kronberg

Friedrich Krupinsky

Norbert Kugler – b 10.4.1906 Schonen- Spain 1936 via France – in 11<sup>th</sup> Thalmann Brig. at Madrid, Boadilla, Las Rosas , Jarama, Guadalajara, Teruel, Ebro – promoted staff officer 45<sup>th</sup> Div. Married Mira (a nurse) in 1938 in Spain – French Resistance cmdr. In Lyon area – returned GDR and imprisoned 5 years – died Berlin 4.5.82.

Mira Kugler – wife of Norbert – nee Bromer b. Lodz 30.4.1914 - served in Spain and French Resistance with her husband.

Erich Kurschiniski b. Gera 25.12.83

Markus Landau  
Matthias Landau  
Paul Langer, mechanic  
Richard Lehmas/Lehmann b. Jankendorf 12.4.11  
Moritz Levin  
August Levin/Lewin b. Loitz 25.5.95  
Rudolf Lewandowsky  
Federico Lewy  
Hans Lewy  
Kurt Lewy  
Leib Lewy  
Dr Fritz Lewy  
Michael Licht  
Robert Licht  
Herbert Lichtenstein  
Horst Lichenstein  
Karl Heinz Lichtenstein b. Berlin 1.12.17  
Kurt Lichenstein b. Berlin 1.12.11  
E Lieber – later served UK Forcs WW2  
Paul Lindau

Dr Bernhard (Benko) Littwack/Litwak – b Ortelsburg 1902 – doctor in “Red” Moabit hospital in Berlin, much hated by Nazis – fled to Belgrade with wife Eva then to Spain – Lt and Chief MO No.1 hospital Albacete - with Eva as nurse – fled to France and survived Drancy and Blechhammer camps - wife and child also survive Harz mtns camps. Feld to GDR, then fled to Frankfurt after Slansky trials in Prague.

Dr. Eva Littwack – wife of above.  
Jacob Lorschneider  
Josef Lorschneider b. Saarbrucken 2.9.99  
Franz Loewenstein b. Berlin  
Walter Loewenstein  
Hans Loewy b. Hamburg 12.12.99  
Hilda Loner/Cahn b. Berlin 26.7.09  
Adolph Low, later served French Foreign Legion died 11/11/2002 aged 97 yrs

Florentin Manilla  
Herman Markiewicz  
Ludwig Markowski  
Paul Marchinski  
Dr Charlotte Margolin  
Herman Mayer b. Ludwigsburg 6.12.06  
Dr Ursula Mayer  
Edward Maus  
Lothar Mendl  
Karl Merkel  
Karl Merkel b. Saarbrucken 21.1.03  
Felix Meschuleit  
Rudolf Michaelis b. Leipzig 31.3.07

Alfred Neuman b. Berlin 15.12.09

Alfred Neumann  
Alfons Neumann  
Arthur Neumann b. Obersdorf 24.10.99  
Erich Neumann b Berlin 3.4.08  
Erich Neumann b. Berlin  
Hans Neumann  
Helmut Neumann  
Oskar Neumann b. Golle 28.7.03  
Paul Neumann b. Sangerhausen 18.4. 06  
Siegmond Neumann b. Tarnow 14.2.07  
Walter Neumann b. Nieder-Ingelheim 23.10.05  
Emma Neumann-Ostrowski  
Erika Neumann-Prados

Dr Rudof Neumann – b. 1899 Berlin – fled to France and then was a Chief MO and founder in Spain of the IB– then to USA and then GDR as Minister of Health – died Berlin 1962.

Otto Perl  
Hans Piller  
Gert Pinkus  
Theo Pollack

Hans Rauch b. Mainz 11.11.14  
Heinz Rauch b. Leipzig 23.12.14  
Ignacio Rauch  
Jacob Rauch b. Przemys, Pol. – 20.9.97  
Fritz Reichwein

Georg Reisner – b Breslau 9.12.1911 – worked Spain as photographer, arrested 1937, interned France, committed suicide.

Ruth Rewald b. Berlin 5.6.06 - married to Hans Schaul (below) – arrested with daughter Anja 17.7.42 and murdered in Auschwitz.

Willi Rewald – nurse – b.1.11.04  
Moritz Rosenthal  
Abraham Rosentrauch  
Hermann Rudkowsky b.Leipzig/Grajewo, Poland – 20.7.04  
Arno Rudkowsky b. Grajewo, Poland – 20.6.10

Dr Fritz Salaman  
Max Salomon  
Robert Salomon  
Rudolf Salomon b. Homburg 21.1.14  
Dr Hans Salomon b. Berlin 25.3.90 – served as a doctor in WW1  
Alwin Sass  
Iso Schapira

Prof. Hans Schaul – journalist and writer – b. Frankfurt 13.12.1905 – photographer pupil of Capa in Spain – later returned to GDR.

Kurt Scheffler b. Leipzig 3.3.08

August Scheffler  
Leo Schein b. Sonnefeld 2.3.84  
Heinz Schemberger  
Walter Scherf b. Lobtau 4.8.02  
Max Schlesinger  
Otto Schmuck/Schmuck b. Woerth 12.12.98  
Gustav Schnitzer  
Anna Seghers – writer and journalist  
Heinz Seligmann  
Else Spiegel-Grunstein  
Oto Sneiderit  
Tilly Spiegel - b. 10.12.1906 Nowosielice, Romania – brought up in Vienna – arrested for smuggling  
hundreds of volunteers into Spain.

Lotte Spanenberg  
Hans Stark b. Heilbron 2.3.12  
Fred Stark – Swiss??  
Isl Stefan  
Harry Steinfeld

Wolfgang Stern – younger brother of Gen Manfred Stern – also Red Army WW2 – returned Poland after  
war.

Dr Leo Stern – brother of Wolfgang – b. Woloka 27.3.1901 – then after taught in Moscow Univ. - Col in  
Red Army in Austria.

Kurt Stern – b. Berlin 18.9.1907 – Commissar in Spain and lived in GDR  
Manfred Stern b. Woloka 20.1.96

Max Stern – b Vienna 1903 – aka Otto Glaser – commander of Transport of 11<sup>th</sup> Brig. – Soviet partisan  
WW2 – lived Vienna.

Walter Stern b. Bochum  
Wolf Stern b. Woloka  
Michel Sternberg  
Rudolf Sternberg  
Dr August Stettenbaum  
Jakob Stoll

David Szymin aka David “Chim” Seymour – b. Poland 1911 and worked in Spain as photographer – then  
WW2 in US army and killed at Suez in 1956. Close friend of Capa/Friedmann (see Thaelmann)

Gerta Taro aka Pohorylles – wife of Capa – kia Brunete b. Leipzig 1.8.11  
Dr Joseph Toch (Austria) – b. 10.3.08, fled to UK  
Son of Joseph Toch – Prago - kia  
Peter Triersheidt, metallurgist aged 40 – b. Dusseldorf  
Victor Toulman (Hungarian)  
Capt Traulitz (Austrian)

Kurt Vogel b. Potsdam 3.2.10



Max Weidman  
Johann Weiss b. Lambo  
Hans Wischnewski  
Kurt Wohlrath  
Bruno Wolf b. Berlin 22.7.07  
Erik Wolf  
Ernst Wolf  
Herbert Wolf  
Isaak Wolf  
Johann Wolf b. Neunkirchen  
Josef Wolf  
Nikolaus Wolf  
Paul Wolf

Gen Mate Zalka aka Paul Lucacs/Lukacz aka Kemeny – b. Rumania - fought as officer Austro-Hungarian army WW1, captured by Russians and then fought in Red Army against Whites – comdr. 12<sup>th</sup> Garibaldi Brig. and 45<sup>th</sup> Div – kia 11.6.1937 near Huesca.

Moritz Zaidermann  
General Wilhelm Zaisser aka Gomez b. Germany  
Dr Rudolf Zuckermann b. Wuppertal 2.10.10

**The following names have been taken from lists of medical personnel who served with the Republican Forces, kept at the Archivo Generale Militar de Avila, in Spain, supplied to the author by James Carmody. The Nationalities are not known. Also helpful was a privately published memorial book by Prof M. Kremer of Israel, on his uncle, Dr D Tallenberg, kia**

Dr Herbert Baer  
Dr Walter Blank  
Dr Nelson Boch  
Oscar Biro  
Dr Rolf Becker  
Dr Pierre Blin  
Dr Hanna Boehme  
Dr Braunstein

Dr Fritz Eckert

Dr Samuel Flato  
Dr Manuel Flato  
Dr Freudmann  
Dr Fried  
Dr Fruchter  
Dr Feldstein  
Dr Fuhrmann  
Dr Fullman/Fuhlman

Dr Gruenstein  
Dr Victor Gross

Dr Alexander Hart from UK, b Fiesole, Italy

Dr Kretzschmar  
Jose Kutin  
Vladimir Kupcicz  
David Kraus b. Poland 1906  
Alexander Korchevski  
Sarah Kalma

Dr Alexander Langer  
Dr Max Laufer  
Dr Luschinski  
Dr Landesberg  
Dr Lustig  
Franz Lazar

Dr Eugen Neumann

Dr Peck  
Dr Polak

Dr Radevski  
Stefan Reikovich

Dr Seidmann  
Dr Schwertz  
Alec Szurek  
Dr Maurice Segal

Dr Sandor Tuchman  
Dr Desire David Thalenberg/Tallenberg – MO129th Brig – POW, executed.  
Dr Trocki

Dr Vogel

Dr Zendeck Wiesner  
Albine Wiesner (wife)  
Dr Woronowski

Dr Zimmermann  
Dr Zlink

**The following names come from the list of approx. 1600 contained in the final volume of “Spanja”, from page 505, published in Belgrade in 1971, and consulted at the MML, about Yugoslavs who fought against Franco. These are in addition to the Dimitrovs listed by Diamint (above) and are only inspired guesses by the author using the surnames.**

Emil Belin Belino b. 1909 – aka Emilio Bellen? Miner? – b. Fiume/Italy 1902? – perhaps kia Spain – son of Leone.

Rudolf Berger b. 1885  
Dzozef Josip Berkovic (Majer) b. 1885  
Lazar Bukovic b. 1896

Jovan/John Centor b. 1906  
Anton Cimerman b. 1911  
Havi Con b. 1905  
Karmelo de Leo (Leon-Djovani Karnio Cernais) – Italian b. 1916

Aleksa Demnijevski (Sergije Bauman) b. 1905

Egon Erlih b. 1913

Frank Govnic b. 1905  
Matija Gros

Karel Haz/Hatz aka Hose Lopez Moreno/Sergej Kozlov b. 1898  
Bernard Haufner

Milan Isakov b. 1911

Josip Jakopovic (Josko Stranic) b. 1903 – Croatian Canadian kia Aragon  
Franjo Jakovsic/Jakovcic b. 1902  
Mato Jakovcic b. 1902

Viktor Jazbinsek (Antonio Lopez) aka Robert Reiner b. 1903  
Lazar Jelic b. 1901  
Mate Jelic b. 1884  
Stefan Jelen

Mitan Jeroncic aka Mile Koren b. 1912

Jozo Kacman  
Adolf Kittl b. 1908  
George Koslov b. 1909  
Lea Kraus b. 1914 Zagreb, medical student  
Martin Kuzman b. 1919

Stefan Laski/Lasic b. 1914  
Franc Lazar/Koroser b. 1906 kia Belchite 8/37  
Friedrich Lehmann b. 1895 Berlin  
Jozef Lisinski b.1903

Lazar Mirkovic b.1910 kia Madrid 20/11/36

Fridrich Pinter b. 1903  
Karl Pinter/Pintar b. 1909  
Andrija Preger b.1908  
Vilko Presburger b 1906 Zagreb  
Karol Preminger/Predniger b 1907  
Maks Puskin b 1901

Anton/Tone Rancinger/Franc Stajn b 1910  
Franc Rozman b 1912

Juraj Rozman b 1908

Safranovic

Albin Salomon b 1904

Stanislav Stanko Salomon b 1920

Julius Sol b 1893

Drago Adolf Stajnberger b 1916

Sigismund Bobi Stetler b 1914

Izidor Strok b 1911

Adam Strumberger (Mihail Mojsejenko Romanic) b 1900 kia 22/11/36 Casa del Campo

Milen/Milan Todorovic

Vojo (Samuel Lener) Todorovic b 1914

George Winterstein

