

## Galicia Resources at the Center for Jewish History

### Reference Books in the Genealogy Institute

- Beider, Alexander. *A Dictionary of Jewish Surnames from Galicia*. Avotaynu, 2004.
- Beider, Alexander. *A Dictionary of Jewish Surnames from the Kingdom of Poland*. Avotaynu, 1996.
- Cohen, Chester G. *Shtetl Finder*. Periday Co., 1980.
- Magocsi, Paul Robert. *Galicia: A Historical Survey and Bibliographic Guide*. U. Toronto Press, 1983.
- Magocsi, Paul R. *Historical Atlas of East Central Europe*. U. Washington Press, 1993.
- Magocsi, Paul R. *Ukraine: A Historical Atlas*. U. Toronto Press, 1985.
- Mokotoff, Gary, Sack, Sallyann Amdur, and Sharon, Alexander. *Where Once We Walked, Revised Edition*. Avotaynu, 2002.
- Weiner, Miriam. *Jewish Roots in Poland*. YIVO Institute for Jewish Research and Routes to Roots Foundation, 1997.
- Weiner, Miriam. *Jewish Roots in Ukraine and Moldova*. Routes to Roots Foundation and YIVO Institute for Jewish Research, 1999.
- Wynne, Suzan F. *Finding Your Jewish Roots in Galicia: A Resource Guide*. Avotaynu, 1998.
- Wynne, Suzan F. *The Galitzianers: the Jews of Galicia, 1772-1917*. (Suzan F. Wynne, 2006)

### Books in the CJH Partner Collections

Additional copies of most of the above reference books are available in the CJH Reading Room. In the stacks, there are numerous books on Galicia and Galician towns. Many of YIVO's books are in Hebrew or Yiddish, and the majority of LBI's are in German. These are just a few examples:

- American Jewish Committee. *The Jews in the Eastern War Zone*. NY, 1916. **AJHS D 639 .J4 A5**
- Bader, Gershon. *Medinah va-hakhameha: toldot kol ha-hakhamim ve-ha-sofrim [Galician Jewish Celebrities]*. NY, ha-Mimkar ha-rashi be-vet mishar ha-Sefarim ha-Le'umi, 1934.  
**YIVO & AJHS DS 135 .P62 G32**
- Caro, Ezechiel. *Geschichte der Juden in Lemberg von den aeltesten Zeiten bis zur Theilung Polens im Jahre 1792, aus Chroniken und archivalischen Quellen*. Lemberg, Selbstverlag des Verfassers, 1894. **LBI DS 135 .A92 L4 C3**
- Friedberg, Bernhard. *Luhot zikaron: sefer kollel toldot rabbane ha-`ir Krakow, be-tseruf ha`atakot tsiyyune kivrotehem*. Frankfurt-am-Main, Kauffmann, 1904. **AJHS BM 750 .F67**
- Friedman, Filip. *Die Galizischen Juden im Kampfe um ihre Gleichberechtigung (1848-1868)*. Frankfurt-am-Main, Kauffmann, 1929. **LBI DS 135 .P62 G325**
- Greenspan, Sol. *Yidn in Plotsk [Jews in Plock]*. NY, 1960 **AJHS DS 135 .P2 P56**
- Gundacker, Felix. *Historisches Ortsverzeichnis des Königreiches Galizien und es [i.e. des] Herzogtums (Gazetteer of the Former Galicia & Bukowina)*. Wien, F. Gundacker, 1998.  
**YIVO /107704, 93072**
- Migden, Carl Richard. *The Migden Families from Tarnopol and Allied C.R. Migden*, 2001.  
**YIVO /106631**
- Miller, Saul. *Dobromil: Life in a Galician Shtetl, 1890-1907*. [English & Yiddish] Loewenthal Press, 1980. **AJHS & LBI DS 135 .P62 D5**
- Schoenfeld, Joachim. *Shtetl memoirs: Jewish life in Galicia under the Austro-Hungarian Empire and in the reborn Poland 1898-1939*. Ktav, 1985. **YIVO /80385**
- Tenenbaum, Joseph. *Galitsiye, meyn alte heym*. Buenos Aires, Union Central Israelita Polaca al Argentina, 1952. **LBI DS 135 P63 T35**

Zucker, Nechemias. *Libro Conmemorativo: Gedenkbukh Galitsye*. Buenos Aires, Farlag "Zikhronot", 1964. **YIVO**

When searching CJH's online catalog (at <http://search.cjh.org>), please be aware that cross-referencing of geographic names from one language to another is not consistent. For example, keyword searches for Lwow, Lvov and Lemberg (or Galicia, Galizien, and Galitsye) do not return identical results.

## **Archival Collections**

### **YIVO**

Alliance Israelite Universelle, 1868-1930s. **RG 406**. Contains many documents from the 1880s pertaining to Brody as an emigration transit point.

Berlin Collection, 1931-1945. **RG 215**. Includes schedules of transports to death camps, monthly propaganda reports on Galicia and Cracow districts 1942-43.

Eyewitness Accounts of the Holocaust Period, 1939-1945. **RG 104**. Includes a large number of accounts from Lvov.

Hersch Wasser Collection, 1939-1946. **RG 225**. Includes eyewitness accounts from Gorlice.

Territorial Collection, Poland 2, 1939-1945. **RG 119-Poland 2**. Includes materials on Cracow, Lvov, Stanislawow (Ivano-Frankivsk), and Tarnow.

### **Leo Baeck Institute**

Austria; Jewish Community Collection. **AR 2877**. Photos of synagogues in Bohorodczany, Chlodorow, Zloczow, and Zmigrod.

David Berger Collection, 1855-1993. **AR 6471**. Includes family histories of the Berger and Drimer families from Galicia.

Intrator Family Collection, 1820-2000. **AR 5483**. History of the Intrator family from Galicia.

Kallir Family Collection, 1792-1943. **AR 1520-1526**. Family documents (vital records, family trees, etc.).

Kraft Family Collection, Galicia. **AR 5098**. Genealogy written by Susan Kraft (1869).

Loewenthal Family, Buetzow. **AR 7104**. Includes history of Epstein Family, Lwow/Lemberg.

### **Memoir Collection:**

Adele von Mises (nee Landau), **ME 446**. Memoir written between 1929-31 in Vienna. Recollections of the author's childhood in Brody. Her father, Fischl (Ephraim), founded the first orphanage in Galicia (1859). Has genealogy of the Nathanson/Kallir family and family history by her uncle, lawyer Joachim Landau (elected to the Austrian parliament).

Johanna Meta Schechter, **ME 799**. Family life of ancestors in Galicia.

Phoebus Schmelkes, **ME 571**. Memoirs, 1831-1905: childhood in traditional Jewish atmosphere in Galicia, educational experiences.

Ulrich Skaller, **ME 605**. Childhood in Galicia; history of Alexander, Goldstein, Perl, Skaller, Brandt, Ament, Kohl, Kalahora, and Lebenheim families in Galicia and Russia; contains family trees.

- Samson Tyndel, **ME 1281**. Synopsis of published memoirs, including childhood recollections of life in Kolomea.
- Przemysl; Jewish Community Collection. **AR 2876**. Photos of the synagogue.
- Nathan M. Reiss Family Collection. **AR 10534**. Genealogical manuscript by Nathan M. Reiss about his family: Some Jewish families of Hesse and Galicia.
- Roseman Family Collection. **AR 10576**. Family trees of the Rosenman/Roseman family, and the descendants of Chana Axelrad.
- Schlüsselberg Family Collection. **AR 11103**. Comprehensive collection of family trees, genealogical information, and photos.
- Tenzer Family, Galicia. **AR7116**. Family tree (18th-20th cent.) including the Feiler and Zahl families.

### **Galicia Resources at the Center for Jewish History**

#### **Yizkor Books in the YIVO Library**

- Bełżec (P) 1974
- Biecz (P) 1959
- Borshchiv (U) 1960
- Brzesko (P) 1980
- Brzezany (P) 1961
- Brzozów (Rzeczów) (P) 1984
- Buchach (U) 1955
- Budaniv (U) 1968
- Burshtyn (U) 1960
- Busk (U) 1965
- Chełm (P) 1954
- Chełm (P) 1980
- Chmielnik (P) 1960
- Chortkiv (U) 19??
- Chortkiv (U) 1967
- Chrzanów (P) 1949
- Chrzanów (P) 1989
- Ciechanów (P) 1962
- Cieszanów (P) 1969
- Dębica (Powiat) (P) 1960
- Dobromyl' (U) 1964
- Drohobych 1959 (Margolies) (U)
- Drohobych and Boryslav 1959 (Gelber) (U)
- Dukla (P) 1996
- Dynów (P) 1949
- Dynów (P) 1979
- Galicia (P&U) 1968
- Gorlice (P) 1962
- Horodenka (U) 1963
- Husiatyn & Kpychyntsi (U) 1977

**Yizkor Books in the YIVO Library (continued)**

Husiatyn (U) 1964  
Husiatyn (U) 1968  
Hvizdets (U) 1974?  
Ivano-Frankivs'k (Stanislav) (U) 1947  
Jarosław (P) 1978  
Jasło (P) 1953  
Józefów (P) 1974  
Kalush (U) 1980  
Kolbuszowa (P) 1971  
Kolki (U) 1983  
Koło (P) 1958  
Koło (P) 1974  
Kolomyya (U) 1957  
Kolomyya (U) 1972  
Komarno (U) 1965  
Korczyna (P) 1967  
Kosiv (U) 1945  
Kosiv (U) 1964  
Kosiv (U) 1981  
Kraków (P) 1958  
Kraków (P) 1967  
Kraków (P) 1969  
Krosno(P) 2000  
Kurów (P) 1955  
Kuty (U) 1958  
Kuty (U) 1993  
L'viv (Entsiklopedya shel galuyot, t. 4) (U) 1956  
L'viv (U) 1919  
Łańcut (P) 1963  
Lesko (P) 1964  
Lesko (P) 1999  
Leżajsk (P) 1969  
Mel'nytsya (U) 1994 (Melnitsa-Podolskaya?)  
Miechów (P) 1971  
Mielec 1979  
Mogielnica and Błędów (P) 1972  
Monastyrz'ska (U) 1974 \*  
Mykulyntsi (U) 1985  
Nadvirna 1975  
Novyy Yarychiv (U) 1948  
Nowy Sącz (P) 1970  
Olkusz (P) 1972  
Opatów (P) 1966  
Ostroh (U) 1954

**Yizkor Books in the YIVO Library (continued)**

Ostroh (U) 1960  
Ostroh (U) 1969  
Ostroh (U) 1987  
Oświęcim (P) 1977  
Ozernyany (U) 1971  
Pidvolochys'k (U) 1988  
Płock (P) 1945  
Płock (P) 1960  
Płock (P) 1967  
Płońsk (P) 1963  
Poland 1961  
Przedbórz (P) 1977  
Przemyśl (P) 1964  
Puławy (P) 1964  
Radekhov (U) 1976  
Radomyśl Wielki (P) 1971  
Sambir and Staryy Sambir (U) 1980  
Sandomierz (P) 1993  
Sanok 1969  
Sarnaki (P) 1968  
Sarny (U) 1961  
Sasiv 1979  
Siedlce (P) 1952  
Siedlce (P) 1956  
Siedlce (P) 1977  
Skala Podil's'ka (U) 1978  
Skalat (U) 1948  
Skalat (U) 1971  
Skalat (U) 1995  
Skole (U) 1986  
Sosnowiec 1974 (2vols.)  
Stryy (U) 1962  
Strzyżów (P) 1990  
Suchowola (S. Lazar)  
Suchowola (P) 1947  
Suchowola (P) 1957  
Suchowola (Reshimat yehude)  
Szydłowiec (P) 1974  
Szydłowiec (P) 1989  
Tarnobrzeg and Dzików (P) 1973  
Tarnów (P) (2 vols.) 1970  
Tarnów (P) (vols.) 2 1954  
Terebovlya (U) 1981  
Tlumach (U) 1976

**Yizkor Books in the YIVO Library (continued)**

Tovste (U) 1965  
Turka (U) 1966  
Tysmenitsya (U) 1974  
Tyszowce (P) 1970  
Ugnev (U) 1981  
Ukraine (U) 1948 (*2 vols.*)  
Ukraine (U) 1961 (*2 vols.*)  
Wadowice, Andrychow, Kalwarja, Myslenice, Sucha (P) 1967  
Wieliczka (P) 1980  
Wyszkow (P) 1964  
Zabolotiv (U) 1949  
Zarki 1959  
Zbarazh (U) 1983  
Zboriv (U) 1975  
Zhovkhva (U) 1969  
Zolochiv (U) 1947  
Zolochiv (U) 1967

**Galician Landsmanshaftn Collections in the YIVO Archives**

<b>TOWN NAME</b>	<b>ORGANIZATION NAME</b>	<b>RECORD GROUP (COLLECTION) #</b>
Berezhany	Congregation Bnei Jacob Anshe Brzezan	<b>RG 885</b>
Biecz	First Beitcher Sick Benevolent Society	<b>RG 772</b>
Bircza	Birczer Young Men's Benevolent Assn.	<b>RG 1003</b>
Buchach	Buczacz-American Benevolent Sick & Aid Society	<b>RG 844</b>
Buchach	First Bucecer Independent Benevolent Assn.	<b>RG 909</b>
Budanov	Erste Budzanower Kranken Untershtitung Verein	<b>RG 997</b>
Debica	Dembitzer Landsleit	<b>RG 1047</b>
Drogobych	Chevra Gamle Chesed Anshe Drohobych & Boryslaw	<b>RG 936</b>
Dukla	Duklar Relief Society	<b>RG 799</b>
Gusyatyń	Husiatyner-Podoler Friendship Circle	<b>RG 1055</b>
Horodenka	Progressive Horodenker Benevolent Society	<b>RG 820</b>
Ivano-Frankivsk	Stanislavchik Podolier Young Men's Society	<b>RG 1134</b>
Ivano-Frankovo & Ivano- Frankivsk	Chaim Hersch Weiss First Janower Sick & Benevolent Assn.	<b>RG 868</b>
Kalush	Kaluszer Ladies Society	<b>RG 959</b>
Kolbuszowa	Kolbuszowa Relief Assn.	<b>RG 888</b>
Kolbuszowa	Kolbuszower Young Men's Benevolent Society	<b>RG 957</b>
Kolomyya	Kolomear Friends Assn.	<b>RG 792</b>
Kopychintsy	First Kopyczynzer Sick & Benevolent Society	<b>RG970</b>
Krzywca	Erster Krzywca on san Benevolent Society	<b>RG 1013</b>
Kuty	Ray Heit Chapter of the Kitterver Ladies Relief Auxiliary	<b>RG 985</b>
Lutowiska	Lutowisker Young Men's Benevolent Society	<b>RG 827</b>
Lviv	Independent Lemberger Ladies Aid Society	<b>RG 905</b>
Mikulintsy	First Independent Mikulincer Sick & Benevolent Assn	<b>RG 828</b>

Mikulintsy	Mikulincer Independent Lodge	<b>RG 948</b>
Nowy Sacz	Sandzer Society	<b>RG 922</b>
Podgaytsy	Congregation Rodef Sholem Independent Podhajcer Kranken Untershtitzungs Verein	<b>RG 1074</b>
Probezhna	First Probuszna Sick & Benevolent Society	<b>RG 1017</b>
Przemysl	Congregation Tifereth Joseph Anshei Przemysl	<b>RG 793</b>
Przemysl	First Przemysler Sick Benefit Society	<b>RG 932</b>
Radymno	Independent Frymctie Radymnoer Frauen Kranken Unterstutzungs Verein	<b>RG 1050</b>
Rogatin	Independent Rohatyner Young Men's Benevolent Assn.	<b>RG 1082</b>
Rogatin	Rohatyner Young Men's Society	<b>RG 1016</b>
Sambir	Erster Samborer Kranken Unterstützung Verein	<b>RG 960</b>
Sambir	Progressive Samborer Young Men's Benevolent Assn.	<b>RG 796</b>
Skala-Podolskaya	Skalar Benevolent Society	<b>RG 1039</b>
Snyatyn	Paul Revere Lodge No. 464, IOBA (Sniatyner Lodge)	<b>RG 829</b>
Stryy	First Stryjer Sisters Benevolent Society	<b>RG 863</b>
Tarnow	Independent Tarnower Kranken Unterstützungs Verein	<b>RG 1069</b>
Terebovlya	Congregation Agudas Achim Anshei Trembowla Kranken Untershtitzungs Verein	<b>RG 1070</b>
Terebovlya	Erste Trembowler Kranken Unterstützung Verein	<b>RG 1073</b>
Terebovlya	Trembowla True Sisters	<b>RG 794</b>
Yavoriv	Independent Jaworower Assn.	<b>RG 967 *1956 memorial book not on list</b>
Zalishchyky.	Zaleszczyker Kranken Untershtitzungs Verein	<b>RG 1094</b>
Zbarazh	First Zbarazer Relief Society	<b>RG 982</b>
Zborov	First Zborower Sick & Benevolent Assn.	<b>RG 798</b>

**Notes:** YIVO's Film Collection, RG 105, has films of Kolbuszowa (1929) and Sedziszow (1935) that were commissioned by American landsmanshaftn.

**AJHS's Mahler/Trencher Family Video (call number VID-7)** includes a trip to Krakow in 1929.