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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) ¹, 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 marginilisation 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 21st 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 form 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

¹ Members are affectionaltely referred to as "IB ers".

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 chidren 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 Spanish Civil War, except a moderate mention in Richard Baxell's Ph D, and later book ². 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 dererve. But again they would not speak out publicly. This article now redresses this balance.

² "British Volunteers in the Spanish Civil War", Routledge 2004.

With regard to the Jews who went to Spain from Israel (Palestine Mandate), some argue that they went because they were 'internationalists', not Zionists³. 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 idelogies 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, nee Birnszweig, Madrid, 1937 and Josef Toch *"Juden im Spanischen Krieg 1936-39"*, Zeitgeschichte, Vienna, April 1973) - up to 10,000 men and women. Whilst 20th 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 -

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

- Argentina Prof. Raanan Rein (see below), Prof. of History, Tel-Aviv University, estimates that of the 5-600 Argentinians who went to Spain, about 10% were Jews and yet were only 1.6% of the population
- 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).

³ See the 2003 film by Israeli writer Eran Torbiner, 'Madrid Before Hanita'

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 13th IB) formed a Jewish Company from the 2nd 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 13th and then Moise Micha Sapir on April 2nd 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 6th 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 herosim 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 62nd 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 15th 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 – 50th 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. In addition, a paper by Prof. Raanan Rein of Tel-Aviv University, Israel, revealed a batch of new names from Argentina, in his study, 'Jewish Volunteers in the Spanish Civil War (Argentina and Israel)', 2016, which includes an excellent bibliography. The book by Giles Tremlett, (" The International Brigades", 2020 Bloomsbury Books) was also of great use and a book by Gerben Zaagsma, 'JewishVolunteers in the IB in the SCW', published by Bloomsbury, 2017, which is an

excellent analysis and bringing together of work on the specific subject of the Jewish Volunteers, by many authors including this one!!

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 3rd 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.

<u>The attitude of the Jewish Establishment and Religious Jews to those Jews who went</u> <u>to fight in Spain, from Britain</u>

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 2nd 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 Batallion 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, becuse for Jews clearly, opposition to anti-Semitsm 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 appeasment, 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 bourgeoise, 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 10th 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 2nd 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 $\frac{1}{2}$ % 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. As a point of interest, the total casualties of the IB were also 25%.

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 Kralijic 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 Museum is now with its archive at the Jewish Museum in Camden.

The British Batallion consisted originally of 145 men formed in December 1936/January 1937 at Madrigueras as No 1 Company, of the French 14th Batallion (La Marseillaise), part of the 14th IB. As new arrivals came, the British formed their own Batallion 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 (?) meams 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 Arnhem with 21st Indep. Paras.

George Bright, b. Stockton, Yorks, lived Clerkenwell, kia 12/2/37 at Jarama – aged 60 years he was the oldest member of the British Batallion

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 15th 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 1st 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 Chaike, 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 20th 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 5th 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 General 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 12th February 1937 Jarama, (brother in law of Max Lewis). He was "Leader of the 1st Aid Section, a hero throughout that terrible day of Feb 12th....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 2nd 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, repatrd. 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 Dobralski 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, 13th 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 Feiwel, 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 15th 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 10-17th 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 6th 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 27th 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. 6th 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 26th July 1938, from 12a, Charing Cross Rd WC1, London. He was educated Oundle and Cambridge (Maths 1st 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 Sydney Goodman, 72 Bignor St, Manchester (MML). Son of Hyman and Rebecca, he was a tailor and street trader – lied about his age - 16 not 18. He was forced to return home after 3 months, March/April/May, due to age – later served WW2 Desptach Rider

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 wia 12.1.37/kia July 16th 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 Februry 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 Motoro 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 himslf 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, Teacher, 106 Cheshire St Bethnal Green, POW March 1938, repatriated 10/38(MML). Served also with Macpaps

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 14th 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 7th July 1938 - c/o L Soller, 115 Rossmore Ct, W1.

Pincus Percy Ludwick, Chief Engineer of the 5th 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 31st 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 4th 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 1st 1938 by a sniper.

Major George/Samuel (?) 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 15th Battalion , CO of 11th battalion and of the 14th 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, repatraited 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, 3rd 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, nee Schurer, daughter of Albert Gustav Schurer

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/Baruch Ramelson/Ramuelson, 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-Pappinneau 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 13th 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 kia in Spain at Jarama 12/2/37.

Monty/Maurice Rosenfeld/ Rosenfield (BVFL p246) – 17 Granton St/46 Lord St, Cheetham, Manchester, kia 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 fpilot and de facto Commander (Russian). Stern/Shtern and he were all later recalled to 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, kia 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, templar 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, kia 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, kia 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, kia 31 Jukly 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 11th Brigade, Edgar Andre Batallion, surgeon and anesthesist, 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 15th Brigade, dressing many wounded in exposed positions at Mosquito Hill, Brunete. He was kia 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, kia 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, kia 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 mia/wia 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.

Max Swirsky – b. Mile End 1914, worked on ships taking supplies to north Spain from UK for the IB. Fought with KRRC in Crete and was wounded and POW and later died of wounds in 1942 – buried in CWGC cemetery at Phaleron.

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 wia (MML), USA? Survived sinking of SS City of Barcelona 30.5.37.

Maurice Stott, 131, Sandy Lane, Rochdale kia 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, 125th 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. Was at Cable Sreet, WW2 and 43 Group Jewsh Ex-Service anti Fascist/anti Mosley group.

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 11th Int. Brig. and later 45th Div. June 1937. Probably murdered in Stalin's purges in 1954 Gulag – according to latest research by Ben Macintyre in book 'Agent Sonya'.

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*" (<u>Polish Participation in the Spanish Civil War</u>) 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 28th 1936 (DD p33)

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

For further information on the Botwins, see the important studies by Gerben Zaagsma on the subject published in 2001 and 2003 and his book on Jewsh Volunteers in the SCW in 2017

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 108th 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 Althauser 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 Eliasz 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 5th 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 Brodkin – 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 Borenstain 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 Brodkin - 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 Cejtlis – Latvian kia Guadalquivir - TSD Chaim Chari Jaszar Chein – born Vilna, educated Berlin – Officer in German Thaelmann Brigade, 11th 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" Dzierzgowski

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 Epsztein aka Gilles – shot by Nazis Pinkus Erlich - died Paris Dr Gabriel Ersler aka "Gabrish" - studied Switzerland, MO 13th Brigade - in French resistance WW2 -TSD – left Poland for Israel in 1968 S. Erlich – 3rd 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 "Schwartzer" 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/Jeannette Ferry/Block - 14th 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/Mejcze Flato, CO 35th 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 Gedulding 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 Gluckewsztajn/Glicenstein (Russian/French?) Dr Jacob Glushkin

Leon/Stanisla 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 Jacub Goldricht Abram Goldring Henry Goldschal Chaskiel Goldsztein Leo Goldgrael Eliasz Goldhamer kia 1938 Abram Goldman Chaskiel Goldman Jakub Goldman Josef Fiszel Goldman Michal Goldring Metel Goldryn Chaskiel Goldstein Goleneler Sigmund Golenbiowski Marcin Golenbiasz Leon Goll Jan Golinski Szymon Gombowski Zygmont 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" Gruszkiewicz – 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 – 13th IB, kia with 129th 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 – 4th 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 Jacubowicz Moniek Jacubowski Dr Maria Jacubowski Joseph Jaques Isaac Saloman Jecowic (Pupel) Jacub Jusel - kia French Resistance Leon Jurelstein kia 1936 Madrid Jacub Jzbicki Jacub Jacubowicz Wolf Jacubowicz Leib, born Lodz Feliks Jacubowski aka Strarzak Mordechai/Mordche Jacubowski, UK Jacub 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 Kacenelson Froim Kacenelson 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 "Schepsl" Kirszenbaum - bat. cmdr. Murdered at Auschwitz - TSD

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

Josef Kestenberg, France Dr Joseph Kestenberg 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 – 2nd i/c Polish Brigade 1938 Capt. Antoni "Antek" Kochanek 1901-37 - one of first Dombrowskis KIA in Madrid - CO 4th 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 2nd Russian Bn. Edek Koninski - Polish Army Colonel - died 1968 in Poland Michail Koltsar - Russian war correspondent for "Pravda". Elie Kokotko Eliasz 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 Gabriek 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/Krasnobrodszki 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 35th 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 Kusznir Margarite "Maia" Kutin Josef Kutyn Maks Kuzmak, kia Spain Izaak Kwalwasser Maurice Laban Elie Lader Eliaz Ladeon Leon Landu Armand Landsberg Hirsz Lansberg Izrael Lanje kia 1938 Estramadura Isael Langer Majer Langman Joseph Laroch 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

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Zygmunt Leibowitz Boleslaw Leitmann Josef Leitner POW aged 37 Dr Josef Domb Leitner Hersz Lekert Leon Lemel Moryc Lerer Anton Lesnik Efraim Leszer, POW Pavel "Paul" Leszak aka Peisach Kohn Hersz Lewent Gabriel Lewerzyk Dr Adela Lewinska Benjamin Levinski Adam Lewinski – 3rd 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 Majzesz 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 Lifszye 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 Jacub Lotninger kia Spain **Basil Lozaroy** Szloma Lubelczyk Boleslaw "Kuba" Lubelski aka Bolek Zygielman Henryk Lubliner Szmul Lubliner Henoch Lubraniecki Jankel Lukia Paul Lukacz Ms Rachela Luftig, France Yacob Lurie Samuel Machlewicz Chaim Macoeki kia 26/7/38 Gandesa Hersz Majenowicz

Yosef Kantor Majewssi 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 Jacub 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 aka 'Yosl' (Zaagsma page 37) kia 1937 Cordoba Moris/Mojzesz Najman kia Foma Najszaler – TSD. Elzbiets "Liza" Namiot-Hollender Naratszki - 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 Orlowski Dr Dawid Ostrowski – from Cordoba,Argentina Menachem Ott

Sender Pachter Seweryn Pachter Szulem Pachulski Rozalia "Angele" Paiwa Leon Pakin, murdered by Nazis, Paris 1942 Francisek Palko Jacub Paluskiewiecz 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 Piecznik, Argentina - Pole serving with the Thaelmann's. Herman Piecznik 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 Putkiswisz

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 Rapaport 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 Fiszel Reichman, Israel Adolf Redig/Radig POW aged 39 wia Leon Reiss Gil Richa Marek Richter Leon Ringelbaum Ringler Joel Riterski 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 Rozencweig 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 2nd 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 Majzesz 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 Sczymienski 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 "Jacubowicz", Felek" Straszak Ephraim Striker Ignace Sukiennek Henryk "Largo" Sulewicz - TSD Sulinski – war correspondent KIA. Jose Soler Sturtiwanti - Argentina POW Gerszon Strupiechowicz

Lt Col Jozef Strezelcztk aka Jan Barwinski – 1900-42 – Cpl Plish Army, CO 13th 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 11th Brigade - later lived GDR Tadee Szlachter Salomon Szlamowicz Andrzei 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 Szwarcberg Jakub Szwarcberg Pinkus Szydlowar, Belgium Marcin Szymanski – TSD Jan Szymkiewicz Eliasz Szvfman Mieczyslaw "Mietck" Szleyen - editor of Dombrowski newspaper - died 1955. Zosia Szleyen - wife

Nurse Rachel Szwarcman 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/Sterenzy 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 Wloclawek, 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 Jacub Wajman Eliasz 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 Eliasz Wajsband Eliasz 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 Eliasz 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 Oziasz Zellermaver Ilya Zelmanowicz Adam Zendreijewski 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 40th 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 17th St NYC Bernard Ades Alexander Adler 197 2nd Ave NYC Hans Adolphe – NY kia Jarama 2/37 Leon/Lan Adomian Harry Ain – 1527 43rd St Brooklyn kia Ebro aged 28, 7/38 Reuben Albert kia Gandesa 4/38 - aka Rabone/Robbins - 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 1st St Milwaukee Jack Altman 2438 East 22nd St Brooklyn Richard Altman Ernest Amatniek 315 East Mount Eden Ave Bronx Elmer Merle Amidon – 44 3rd St, San Fran. Joseph Anasevich Jospeh 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 21st 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 Auberbach 1487 College Ave Bronx but born Canada – 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, 82nd St Brooklyn - WW2 Elias Ilya Balagurchik – POW, 76 East 3rd St / 255 East 10th 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 – 1st Commissar of the Lincolns – 46 Bank St NYC Harold H Barnett Samuel Baron Herman Barr – 73rd St Brooklyn 1963 Abbey (Abraham David) Barsky/Barski/Borsky – 3038 Brighton 5th 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 86th St, NYC – died USA 1977 Ephraim Bartlett/Barlet Henry Basko aka Basvowsky /Buszozowsky – 12 West 27th St Bayonne NJ Sidney Bassin/Bassim 627 Linden Blvd/170 E. 35th, 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 23rd 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 124th 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 16th NYC Harry Berger Wilho F. Bergman/Borgman Meyer Berkowitz - 2118 Abbington Rd, Cleveland died of wounds Albacete after Almeira, 9/37 Norman Nathan Berkowitz 235 2nd Ave NYC/1881 Coney Is Ave Brooklyn – WW2 Isadore Berkowitz 306 West 80th NYC - WW2 Samuel Berkowitz/Belkowitz 179 East 105th 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 88th NYC/175 East 155th Bronx c/o H Kraus Hyman Billewitz aka Herbert Burton William Max Binn 327 East 12th NYC Saul Israel Birnbaum 155 South 2nd 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/Blake 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 173rd St NYC Harry Blum 145 East 16th St/30 Lewis St NYC – WW2 Walter Bober Phillip Raphael Bodkin aka Carl Bradley

Nathan Isidore Borensky

Fred Borer POW - 111, West 1st Ave, Columbus Ohio Wayland/William Borer 723 Spring St Toledo Louis Bortz 1036 East 123rd 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 37th St LI, NYC/Queens - WW2 - see Macpaps 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 4th 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 17th Ave N, Birmingham, Al. Morris Brier 277 Grafton St Brooklyn – WW2 George Brodsky Ephraim Bromberg/Bramberg 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 58th St/461 42nd St, Oakland Calif. Benjamin Hirschfield Brown/Bron NYC - 39 Tenafly Rd Inglefield NJ/109 West 76th St, NYC Archie Brown, brother of Frank Hymie – longshoreman – 2062 Union St/27 Clay St, SF Czeslaw Brudzinsky kia Gandesa 4/38 – 685 West 20th St, San Pedro, Calif. Samuel Brustein aka Joe Brandt 975 East 178th St NYC Mike Bubich - printer - 1334a, N 14th St, Milwaukee Bernard Bucher - Ohio Nathan Norman Budish 135 Iglehart Ave, St Paul, Minn Milton Burdick – 915 East 88th St Brooklyn kia Jarama 2/37 Bob Buruk Willy Busch NYC kia Jarama 2/37 Raphael Busch Brage aka Buck 337 East 22nd, NYC Irving Busch 127 West 86th 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 26th 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 11th NYC – WW2 Jacob Jack Chait kia Gandesa 4/38 – 163 West 13th St NYC Abraham Alfred "Chick" Chakin, KIA Caspe 3/38 - 43 East 27th St NYC Samuel Chapoff – 416 Fort Washington Ave, NY kia Jarama 2/37 Victor Chenkin Hyman Frank Chesler 2922 West 35th 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 23rd 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 22nd 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 18th 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 9th Kansas City Sydney Crotto 242 East 21st 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^{st} 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 64th St Brooklyn - d 10.10.86 – wia 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 – wia several times. Fought in WW2 Medical Corps.

Joseph Dallet Jr., kia Fuentes 10/37 - 377 East Lucius Youngstown Ohio Morris/Maury Dashevsky – wia 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 Bvld./ 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 32nd Brooklyn – WW2 Richard Dombrowski – Deroit kia Gandesa Abraham Morris A. Domes/Domas 250 West 57th 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 24th NYC

Morris Ecker aka Acker kia Alcaniz 3/38 – 1449 2nd Ave NYC Sam Ecstein 2969 West 24th Brooklyn/2846 West 29th 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 8th 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 89th St NYC David Engels/Engelson – Commissar No 1 Coy – memoirs B15B p.261 – 739 East 5th St NYC. Hermann Engert Leon Ente – 145 East 23rd NYC Bernard Entin kia Brunete 7/37 – 1408 Sterling Place Brooklyn David Epstein 430 6th Ave NYC Hyman/Edward Epstein – 237 East 25th 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 19th NYC Albert Alton Ettinger – Hyak, Wash. Dr Abraham Ettelson – 3105 Augusta Blvd, Chic. Henry Exstein Jr. 164 West 74th 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 Mever 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 Hijar 3/38-1031 Fillmore St San Fran./Omaha Mike Feller, brother of Joseph – kia WW2 Milton Feller – 1550 55th St Brooklyn – WW2 kia Harry Fellman aka Enrique Feldman kia – 3552 Case St, Omaha – brother of Sol (above) Milton Felson/Felsen 2448 East 24th 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 2nd St, NYC Alexander Finkel – 1845 52nd St Brooklyn kia Brunete/Quinto 8/37, brother of Sam Waters Ben Finkel aka Minor – 3017 Ocean Parkway NYC / c/o Unterman2932 6th 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 39th 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 8th 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 17th 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 154th Pl, Calumet City, Ill. Irving Frankel aka Isidore Isaac 202 Herzl St Brooklyn/23 West 8th St Zalmond David Franklin 1351 Touhey Ave Chic E. Franklin Saul Fredberg

Edward Milton Freed aka Gil Lang kia Jarama 2/37 - 115 East 119th St NYC Harry Freed – 450 East 81st 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 50th 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 16th St, Chic. Adolf Feurlicht – 25 2nd 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 177th St, Manhattan, died 23.5.92 aged 78 years - with 86th Brigade at Cordoba, organiser of 20th 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-Papineaun bat., Canada, POW San Pedro de Cardenas by Italians and exchanged – wia Fuentes del Ebro, Oct 1937. 222 W 23rd NYC

Samuel Gelfan Bernard Gerber 246/8 East 51st 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 15th 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 8th St LA Louis Gnepp 31 South 58th Philad. – WW2 Paul Gobert Hans Goepel kia Belchite 3/38 Sylvester Goett

Irving Goff aka Max Farrar (??) – 2815 West 31st Brooklyn/2019 West 131st 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 Ouentin Arthur Gorgan/Grogan – 135 West 238th 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 7th St NYC/3302 East 136th St, Cleveland - kia Gandesa 4/38 Remy Goldmy Mark/Mart Goldrick - 604 West 23rd 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 32nd 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 22nd 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 49th St Gerald Goldwyn aka Pierre Duvalle – 180 West 135th NYC – may not be Jewish Harry S. Goloff 4722 North Marshall St Philad. Ned Golomb 2936 West 31st 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 162nd 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 - brother of Leo above Louis Melvin Goslin - kia Brunete/Belchite 9/37 - 84 South 4th 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 Grecs aka Gregg - 2931 East 112th St Cleveland/1010 Salter Wav Pitts Herman Greenfield – Averne, LI/154-41 S Street, Jamaica, NY - kia Seguro de Banos 2/38 Hv Greenfield – survived CoB Mitchell Greenfield Ohio kia Brunete 7/37 Arthur Greenspoon - 350 East 13th St NYC Jacob Lee Greenstein – 117-07 107th Ave, Richmond Hill NYC/Jamaica, LI kia Almeira 6/37 Joe Greenstein – 310 East 15th St, NYC Fritz Grell - 518 S Main St, Denison Iowa Paul Grinkevich aka Borisuk Daniel Samuel Groden - 310 East 9th 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 8th 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 60th 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 158th St NYC Henry William Haberkorn aka Heckathan Harry Hakam – 244 East 15th 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 16th 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 Havman 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 21st 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^{rd} 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 151st 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 54th Rd., NYC – WW2 Richard Hoelzner Bernard Hoff

Harold Smith Hoff – 2742 Hollyridge Dr., LA – WW2; though not Jewish his wife Ida Rainman, was and descended from Ukrainian Rabbis (inserted with permission from Ray Hoff, son of Ida and Harold)

Morris Hoffman – 3151 Breckenridge St Pitts – WW2 Herman Hollander – WW2 Leonard Martin Holtzclaw 24-14 28th St, Astoria, LI – kia Sierra Cabollo 9/38 Benjamin Holtzman aka Sam Rubin (?) – 1337 55th St Brooklyn – WW2 Sidney Horowitz William Horowitz/Horvitz aka William Harvey aka Herrick - 210 West 21st St NYC Leonard Hotzman Joseph Hyman Howard 115 Neptune Ave Brooklyn Daniel Hutner kia Belchite 9/37 – Hotel Rutledge, Lexington Ave/30th St NYC Herbert Hort/Hart Hutner/Hatner – writer – 110 East 42nd St NYC Joseph Hyman Howard Isadore Hyman – 2121 Henry St NYC/ 8516 85th St Woodhaven LI – WW2 Harry E. Hynes aka Hall , NY, Coy. Commissar kia Brunete

Benjamin Isaac Iceland - 735 Mace Ave Bronx/ 3952 48th 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 23rd St NYC Boris J Israel aka Baline Owen – 131 East 18th St NYC

Martin Jablow NYC kia Villa Franco de Cordoba 10/38 Walter Jablonski aka Hendryck Jabloski - kia Emil/Emilie Joseph Jacobs – 250 West 22nd St/235 East 26th St NYC – WW2 George Theodore Jacobs – wia Jarama – 2959 North 6th 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 19th 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 7th St Philad. Harland M Kahle kia Belchite 3/38 – 1003 East Huron St, Ann Arbour, Mich Clarence Kailin – 1820 Vilas St Madison, Wis. wia Spartaco Kaiser/Kaisear - seaman b. 1908 in Triste – wia also with Garibaldis – WW2 Yugoslav partisan Louis Kamenetsky aka Morris – 26 Bay 25th Brooklyn Morris Kamer – Israel/Palestine – kia Levi Kaminsky aka Ed Baker – 274 South 60th St Philad/912 Ronvena Ave Detroit Morris Kampel - 72 Orchestra Pl, Detroit John Kanz – kia Jarama Nathan David Kapelner – 964 49th St.,Brooklyn kia Fuentes Siegfried Kapitz Joe Kaplan Joseph Thomas Kaplan – kia Belchite 3/38 – 248 West 17th 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 Bvld., Queens, LI – salesman Chaim Katz – see book by Giles Tremlett, 'The International Brigades' 2020, Bloomsbury Press **RABBI** Hyman Jacob Katz 2011, 1st 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 20th St/ 104 East 17th NYC Hyman Kaufman – 1819 S. Sawyer Ave, Chic. Lewis Kaufman kia 3/38 – 106 North 34th St, Philad. Lorenz Ursos Carles Kaufman – 144a, Clinton Pk, San Fran. Rubin "Ruby" Kaufman 318 Kosciosko, St Brooklyn – WW2 Sidney Kaufman – 314 East 11th St NYC Morris Kawer Lt Conrad Kaye 305 West 19th St NYC – WW2 George Kaye 458 N Genessee St /7733 Oakland Ave LA – WW2 Harry Keen kia Batea 4/38 – 702 East 4th St, Bethlehem, Pa. Anthony Kerhlicker – 202 East 9th 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 6th Ave NYC – WW2 - possible

Charles Kersh Archie Aaron Kessner - NYC kia Sierra Cabollo 9/38 John Keslering/Keslzrina - 16832 Winston Ave Redford Detroit Joseph Kier Leni (?) - (ML)Samuel/Sevek Kirchenbaum 136 East 17th St/3096 Brighton 6th NYC Karl Earl Kirchner Lewis Kirman Max Kirschbaum – WW2 J. William Kirsh aka Mirin/Merin Leslie Kish – 335 East 79th St/1143 1st 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 Caroll 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 25th St Brooklyn – WW2 John/Jan Koblich/Kobeluch - 350 East 13th 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 Koeppel** Louis Kohen – 2806 West Meinecke St, Milwaukee John Kohler - York, Penn. Albert Kohn – 154 East 3rd , 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 46th NYC/1233 7th 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 93rd St, NYC Bennano Bernard Konefski - 1392 Volney Dr, LA Samuel Koneski - POW - Russellton, Pa Kopel Koplowitz aka Matthews/Kaye - 783 East 176th St/337 West 21st, NYC

Morris Koplowitz kia Gandesa 4/38 – 30 Bay 25th 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/Loraine III. 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 Krafsur wia – 68 Phillips St Boston Daniel Kramen 367 20th 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 4th St, Brooklyn kia Brunete/Fuentes 10/37 Morris Kransikoff/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 16th St/461 West 144th St NYC David Solomon Krupke Abraham Kuchersky – 1975 Creston Ave NYC Henry Kuehner aka Kuchner – 1317 West Kelbourn Ave/2128 South 59th St, Milwaukee Cecil Alex Kunstlich aka Honig kia - 330 West 15th 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 13th St NYC Isaac Kupperman – 350 West 20th St, Brooklyn, NY kia Cordoba 4/37 Sidney Kurtz - kia WW2 - 215 2nd 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 Bvld. Jamaica LI, kia Jarama 2/37 Major Leonard Lamb/Lamchick – 420 East 6th St NYC/Cleveland – CO 17th 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 7th St Brooklyn Harold Harvey Lee 555 West 170th 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 19th 1937 probably the first American kia. Born 18.10.1901 son of Jacob and Anna (who lived later at 69 E. 40th, 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 16th St Detroit Sol Leiserowitz aka Solomon kia Sierra Cabollo 9/38– 340 East 15th St NYC George Henry Leiviska – 465 East Pine St, Ironwood Mich. Myron Edgar Lemberger 264 West 19th 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 5th 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 44th St NYC Hyman Lerner aka Kenneth Gale/Gayle kia – 1272 Grand Concourse, Bronx Murray Bernard/Morris Lerner – 2765 West 5th St., Brighton Brook Brooklyn Sol Isiah Lerner POW 1169 52nd St Brooklyn Samuel Lesitz/Lissitz 16 West Maple St/3833 West 14th 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 23rd 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 43rd 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 61st St Chic. - kia Isadore Ralph Levitt aka Jack Cooper – 10627 Morrison Ave Cleveland

David Levy of Dublin – kia Jarama – see C. Shindler "No Pasaran – The Jews who fought in Spain" 50th anniv. Article – ML archive.

Israel Levy 45 east 12th 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 Milawaukee - WW2 Arthur Harry Lidz 408 West 129th 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 form eastern Europe Aaron Lopoff – 219 East 12th St NY kia Ebro/Sierra Pandols 9/38 Vincent Lossowski WW2 OSS (Prago) Eugene Jacob Loveman kia Gandesa 4/38 - 1960 82nd St Brooklyn Carl Lovenberg – Newark kia Belchite Victor Lovsky - tbc Jack Lucid - VALBA web site Martin Ludwig – WW2 Joseph Luftig 11404 109th Ave Richmond Mill NYC - WW2 - survived CoB Israel Lukomnik Walter Lukosky – WW2 Lawrence Lustgarten, Coy. Commander - kia WW2 - 806 East 9th St/216 East 10th 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 84th 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 11th 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 Binghampton 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 6th St, San Pedro, Calif. Wolf Morris Meyerson kia 3/38 – 2682 Broadway NYC George Michalchik kia Gandesa 4/38 – 42, 4th 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 99th NYC Isidore Millstone - 53 West 11th 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 54th 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 46th St, NYC Ben Moses aka Jose Hernandez Sanchez! Harry Charles Moshier – 425 University Ave SE Minneapolis Abraham Moskowitz – 1230 42nd St, NY kia Ebro 7/38 Ignatz Moskowitz – 47 Jackson Ave, Jersey City NJ Morris Motz

Edward Andrew/Andre Mtoczkowski aka Morrow – 11 Broadway Hicksville NY/ 421 West 125th 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 102nd 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/Abram, Neufield/Newfield – kia Brunete 7/37

Isidore James Newman aka Neugass/Naugass – 3915 49th St, Queens, NYC – poet. David Newman – kia Brunete 7/37 Sol Newman – 667 West 161st St, NYC Saul B Newton aka Sol Cohen - WW2 Alexander Nichta – 1129 Levington Ave NYC David Nieder – 356 West 34th St NYC Bela Niederman – 845 Longfellow Ave Bronx - nurse Paul Niepold – Katonah NY, kia Jarama, 2/37 - 2nd Coy. section leader. Leo Nitzberg aka Rosenthal – WW2 Irving Noachowitz aka Norman – 1110 Euclid Ave, LA/1329 Briston St, Brooklyn Harry Nobel – 144 West 16th 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 1st 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 4th St, NYC Daniel Alvin Pasternak – 215 east 18th St NYC - kia Fuentes 13.10.37 by aircraft strafing Samuel Peck – WW2 – 515 West 124th St, NYC Sol Peel Herman J Pekow - 3446 5th 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 84th 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 79th St/502 East 77th NYC Robert Carl Pick kia Jarama 2/37 as Company runner - 337 East 14th St NYC Henry Plotnick - 8757 bay 16th Brooklyn - WW2 Erich Oscar Plutgradt/Flugrath - 231 East 13th St/438 East 88th St NYC Ben Pobersky – 915 North 7th 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 Prager117 East 89th St NYC/ 24 Plant St Newhaven, Conn. Albert Prago - 137 West 75th 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 4th 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 23rd 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 19th St, NYC - WW" Anthony Henry Rautbort – 1713 North 3rd St, Milwaukee.
Joseph Robert Raven – 128 East 22nd St NYC/ Pitts. Bernard Rogers Razanski – 490 Hillside Ave, New Jersey, kia Segurdo de los Banos 2/38 George F. Redlich – 5709 Dorchester Ave, Chic. Arnold Reid aka Reisky – 113 East 31st 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 14th 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 10th St/216 29th St, NYC/ Detroit Morris Rose Lt Sol Rose aka Rosenblum, KIA Ebro 10/38 – Training Officer – 162 West 13th St NYC Albert Rosen Abraham Isaac Rosenberg – 301 West 13th St NYC Albert Abraham Rosenberg - WW2 Leon Lester Rosenberg – 425 East 6th St NYC Willy Rosenberg Sidney Rosenblatt POW, later KIA WW2 - 119 Cannon St NYC Lawrence Rosenkrantz – 1633 East 92nd 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 4th St NYC Charles Rosenthal Leon Rosenthal aka Nitzberg – 380 3rd Ave, Brooklyn kia Estramadura 2/38; also Macpaps Joseph Rosmarin – pilot - WW2 – 1540 40th St Brooklyn – husband of Pauline Hyman Rosner aka Herman Roseman /Rossman – 430 South 5th St, Philad. Adolph Buster Ross aka Adolfo Rodriguez Roces - 2072 74th 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 35th, 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 71st St/6301 Bay Parkway Brooklyn Salman Herbert Salomon Itzik/Irving N. Saloway/Soloway - 1845 52nd St Brooklyn Felix Salter kia Sierra Cabollo 11/38 Florenz Frederick Salzbrenner - 111, W Garfield Ave, Milawaukee 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 81st NYC Joseph Sankovich – 1395 O'Farrell St, S Fran. Abraham Sasson – 65 Est 2nd St, NY kia Belchite-Batea 4/38 Alexander Sauermilch - kia Brunete - 2023 S E Madison St Portland Oreg. - survived CoB David Schachter - 334 West 19th 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 8th St NYC Hans Schaul Ruby?Reuven Schechter – 34-32 91st St., Jackson Heights LI, died of wounds, Brunete 8/37. David Schecter Ed Scheddin aka Carroll Nathan Meyer Schilling - 5610 Dorchester Ave, Chicago kia Fuentes 10/37 Harry Schindler Victor P. Schintone – 4234 65th 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 10th 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 49th 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 5th Ave, Brooklyn kia Fuentes 10/37 David H Schubert kia Gandesa 4/38 Walter J Schuetrum/Scheretrum - 1508 N 21st 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 23rd St NYC Ralph Waldo Schwartz/Schwartzfield – 201 Platt St/1840 East Anaheim St, Long Beach, Calif. Max Mordechai Schwartzberg - 871 hegeman 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 15th Brigade – 327 Livonia Ave Brooklyn Theodore Seelman aka Skelman kia Gandesa 4/38 - 322 West 34th 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 55th St Chic. William Sennett aka Snesetsky 1813 Lombard Ave Cicero III./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 156th 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 124th 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 19th St NYC c/o H C Kahaus Pharmacy 23d and Ave A NYC Charles Siebert – Pittsburgh, kia Brunete Ione Siegel 9 Telegraph St Binghampton NY Joseph Isaac Siegel 43 Deering Rd Matapan, Mass. Sam Siegel Paul Sigel NYC kia Fuentes 10/37 Horace Lionel Sieve - 1740, 46th 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 18th 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 23rd St, Philad. Samuel Simon Sigurd/Sigmund Martin Simonsen – WW2 Bernard Singer kia Ebro 9/38 – 426 Amboy St, Brooklyn Hugo Singer Joseph Martin Sinnot aka Joseph S. Martin – 1, Christopher St NYC Abraham Sirotof 2921 West 29th St Brooklyn/2812 West 36th St NYC - WW2 Louis Siskin - 367 East 95th St NYC Abe Yale Stuart aka Skolnick 109 West 112th St/112 109th St NYC/1422 Stebbins Ave, Bronx? Samuel Slipyem/Slipyan 945 East 181st 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 7th Ave NYC – WW2 Herbert B. Solomon – 248 East 7th 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 16th Brooklyn Sanford Sperberg kia Benjamin Spiesisen - 122 Lewis St NYC Samuel Spiller – 2804West 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 24th St Brooklyn Martin Sramek/Spramek 3185 East 81st St Cleveland Abe Stahl Harry Harris/Hyman Stamler 16 Mclean Ct Boston Mass. Morris Stamm - 3451 East 117th 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 5th St, Brooklyn -1st commissar of Lincoln's. Irma Berm Stenberg 634 East Fordham Rd Bronx Marvin Stern kia 6/38-258 West 88th NYC Jacob Joel Sternbach/Steinbach 4515 43rd Ave, LI, NY -Milton Stillman – 2759 West 155th 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 7th 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; 2nd missing; 3rd 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 75th 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 15th St NYC/ 66 5th Ave NYC Joseph Szerin/Szevin 1018 East 156th St, Bronx Sandor Szilagyi aka Sailoggi WW2 Hy Herbert L. Tabb aka Herman Tabnik/Talb Bud Boris Tamler 31 West 110th 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 13th 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 2nd Ave, Miami – WW2 Jack Isidore Taub – 3804 23rd 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 16th St, 11 Hillside Ave NYC – WW2 Rudolph Tieger - NY kia Jarama 2/37-208 West 28th 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 16th 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 4th 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 23rd 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 140th St Bronx/690 East 139th 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 79th St, NYC

Aaron Wallach Harry Wallach WW2 Hy Wallach POW – WW2 Jesse Wallach 281 West 102nd 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 23rd NYC Max Weil kia Gandesa 4/38 – 100 West 88th NYC Jerry/Gerry Weinberg, aka Warren KIA WW2 - 554 East Parkway Brooklyn Milton Morris Weiner 1422East 48th St Brooklyn - WW2 John Jacob Weinroth 2256 East 7th St Bronx Irving Weinshank – 2865 West 36th 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 117th 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 104th St NYC/1922 Orotona Parkway, Milwaukee - Coy. CO - WW2 Saul Lawrence Wellman - Lincoln Commissar - 136 Pulaski St Brooklyn - WW2 wia B of Bulge 1944 Wilbur Ed Wellman 916 7th St Oakland Calif. - WW2 Dave Wellman 136 Pulaski St Brooklyn Elkan Leon Wendkos – 673 Broadway NY kia Belchete 3/38 Paul Wendorf - 521 West 185th St NY kia Sierra Pandols 8/38 Lawrence Chester Wendroff 2507a North 45th 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 80th 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 5th 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 18th St, Brooklyn Bertram D Wolfe - kia Charles Wolfman – medical team – 34 Attorney St, NYC Robert Wolk – 410 Est 72nd St, NY kia Jarama 3/37 – one of 1st US volunteers Matthew Wolinsky Eugene Wolman – 925 West 41st Drive, LA kia Brunete 7/37 Morton Wolson – WW2 Seymor Herman Wyckoff/Workoff/Wolcoff NYC – kia Gandesa 4/38 Arnold Wyman 95-32 150th St, Jamaica LI

Harry Israel Yanowsky2825 Malabar St LA/187 Matten Ave, Caldwell, NJ

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

Peter Zaim - carpenter WIA Stephen Zak 113 East 3rd St/54 1st Ave, NYC Samuel Zakman 707 East 181st 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 68th 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 Edward Gerchick aka Lewis (IBMT Journal Sept 2019) 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 2nd Ave NYC Mark Straus – 1791 Walton Ave NY Edwin Sherman Weisfield aka Weekfield WW2 - 702 4th 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 82nd 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", Minnieapolis 1979, in ML archives – 425 West 124th 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 17th /242 East 19th NYC – b.1906 Dora Ettleson – wife of Abraham – same address Ena Ferwerda – 64 East 90th St NYC Harold F Flett Helen Freeman/Freiman – 597 Ocean Parkway Brooklyn Sara Ginsburg Rose Sara Goldblatt 440 East 26th St NYC

Mabel Irene Goldin/Spiegel – 230 West 99th 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 18th St NYC - WW2 Rose Gregg Ray Harris 354 West 18th St NYC c/o Sally Harris Universal Press 724 5th Ave NYC Hermine Cornelia Pauline Hartman – 3100 Motas Ave, LA Hannah Hershkowitz – 1184 Cornwell Ave Bronx – died after returning from Spain aged 27 years Matylda Jankovic – 737 Kelly St, Bronx Sally Selma Kahn/Cohn – 226 East 12th 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 111th, 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 57th NYC George C. Moser Bela Noachowitz Mary Rader Ochs – 4000, Washington, Chic. Mary Louise Platkin – 1734 North 11th St, Milwaukee, b. 21.3.01 Hilda Roberts – see VALBA web site Edna Drabkin Romer – 218 East 20th St NYC Eli Salem (French) b. 7.9.87 Rebecca Schulman – 2168 77th St Brooklyn

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

Anne Shuldiner – 131 East 169th St NYC

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

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

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

Alice Elizabeth Wagnon Box 387 RFD 4, Seabastoral, Calif., b.20.1.09 Rose Weiner 3540 Roehampton Ave, NYC c/o B Katasik 964 Est 178th 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 22nd St, NYC Jacob Gruber Victor Hirschfield – 731 Greenwich St NYC Matthias Irving Kornell Carl Rahman 274 East 10th St, NYC Mrs Evelyn Rahman aka Hamilton/Hutchins - 39 East 10th St NYC Helene Weissman – George Washington Hotel, NYC George Zlatovski aka Michaels – 124 West 12th 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 Gina Medem (see books sources above) 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 Jospehs aka Gerald McManus, Paul Ulanoff.

<u>The Mackenzie-Papineau Battalion – Canada – named after the 1837 leaders of the</u> <u>Canada Rebellion – see updated work, in the excellent 'Biographical Dictionary of</u> <u>Volunteers from Canada in the SCW' 2020 by Hoff, Brooks, Petrou, Momryk and</u> <u>Paivio for more detail and many photos.</u>

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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 battalion at all. Also Goldberg's "Mit Der Kanader Yiddisher Volunteer fun Shpania" in Der Kamf. 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 4th 1995.

Samuel Harry Henry Abramson/Abrams/Abrahamson – b. 1909, son of Jacob and Dora, of Montreal Sam was 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^{st} 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 holdup in mid-1960's.

Heinrich Blichfelt Joseph Block, from Wnnipeg, Polish, Ambuance driver

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

Nathan Bloom Harry Jack Boxer aka Cohen aka Morrison, son of Morris and Sarah b. Ontario, WIA Hymie Brown Kenneth/Elie 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 b. Vancouver 1912, Pharmacist Maurice Constant aka Cohen/Constance – born 1.7.1914 into a middle class family in Toronto, one of five children, s of Max and Edith. Studied at Jarvis Collegiate and University of Toronto (Science 1935) and Canadian OTC, Canadian Army, 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 Reconnaisance platoon of the 15th 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/Edwrad Epstein – born 11.11.14, Montreal, KIA 30.1.38. Milton Epstein – prob. American.

Muni Erlick aka Jack Taylor – born Ukraine March 21st 1906, Bessarabia, s. of Israel and Sheiva 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, aka Hawk, s. of Israel and Ida b. Canada, WIA – died 1997 Irving Gold Milton Goldstein William Gordon, Montreal Izzy Goldberg aka Joe Budish – b. 1906, fought with the Dimitrov Battalion (Balkan volunteers). Israel Goldenberg aka Joseph Brudish Cyrus Russell Greenberg, b. Toronto 1911, WIA 2X, served WW2 Canadian Army

Alan Herman-Yermanov aka Ted / Seymour Alan – husband of Kate Schwartz, writer from Montreal, b. 1916, 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 b. 1909 Toronto, s. of Jacob and Annie - Pharmacist Abraham Harris, from Mile End London, b. circa 1899, to Winnipeg

Isaak Ichelson/Ochielson - 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. Isidore Kupchick KIA – see UK list

Arthur Lerner – see Hoff et al study; always a Jewish name

Bert "Yank" Levy – born Isaac Meyer Levy in 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, 39th bat. Jewish Legion 1918 as a machine gunner and boxing champion of 2 batallions (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 – 1st 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 son of Leon and Bertha – linguist as well as doctor, arrived Spain 25.5.37. Died 1949.

Emmanuel Mandel

David Mangel – b. 1900 – WIA - escaped from Spain to North Africa, interned by French and got to Israel to fight in Israeli War of Independence. From Toronto, lived Israel.

Jozef Matlak – kia with the Botwins Volodmyr Mazurkiewiz aja Herz Leib Majerowicz b. 1898 Alex Melnick aka Meznik, b. 1902 Canada Helge Meyers, b Denmark 1896, Sergeant in infantry/Abram Benjamin Mezei – with the Botwins John Miller – WIA Brunete – Coy. Commander

Hyman Thomas Nelson aka Kosmos Stavrous, b. 1903, St Urbain St., Montreal – lived Vancouver – kia Cuidad de Barcelona? Not known

Dr Harry Ostry/Ostrey – served Canadian Army WW2

Marvin Penn/Penas/Pen – aka Michael Palmer b. 1913, son of Joseph and Anne – WIA, from Winnipeg Jack Abie Pascal, aka Isaac Pascoe, b. Montreal 1912 Harry Perles from Montreal Bert Ramelson – see UK section above

Benjamin Rice, b. Poland – was he Jewish?? Leo Rosen, KIA Teruel in 1938 Louis Rosenberg aka Lou Walsh b. 1919 Toronto, reported KIA but may have deserted Bill Zuken/Ross – prob not in Spain but fought WW2 Russell Ross aka Greenberg wia

Harvey Rockman aka Rokmann/Rocklen/Reynolds/Barnes b. 1915 Montreal, son of Sam and Anne nee Steck, WIA Spain, served WW2 Canadian Army

Leon Rosenthal aka Carl Nitzberg - see USA above

Allan Edward/Edwin Ross, b.1917 Winnipeg, son of Jack and Olive, married British nurse Rosaleen Smythe in Spain, d. 1978

Steve Rybac wia

Paul Skup - aka Paul Scott - Toronto - POW

Isaac Schatz from Toronto, b. 1903 son of David and Frure, Canadian army and Merchant Navy; WIA Spain

Issie Schrenzel – kia Fuentes - CO of no 2 Company Henry Saul Mayer Shapiro Arthur Johannes Siven/Seevin, Finnish Jew son of August and Anna, d. 1974

Dr Louis Slotin/Slotkin – from Winnipeg, Chemistry Ph.D, AA gunner in Barcelona. Died of radiation poisoning when responsible for assembling 3 atomic bombs in 1944-46 on Tinian – buried Winnipeg

John Smaller, b.1908, teacher, and was at Univ of Manitoba but not certain he was in Spain

Adam Spamberger, Yugoslav, may not be Jewish? Lived Montreal married to Anna Morris Staimen/Stam – prob. American

Arnold / Arthur Staub, b. Switz. son of Martin and Marie, Company Commander, WIA. WW2 Dutch Bronze Cross, Canadian Force - was he Jewish ?

George Sandor Steiner, b. Hungary, lived Montreal, son of Alex. Samuel Schumack/Szumik – Winnipeg – kia – was he Jewish? J B Salsberg

Jacob Tabacknik – Dombrowski's? Jacob/Raymond Teiger - USA Vangel Terno – Yugoslav? Nathan Titleman – MIA – USA list?

John Cecil Weldon, b. 1901 Manitoba, mother Millie Cohen - so ethnically Jewish

Alfred Winsky/Vinsky – German - went to Mexico; Jewish??

Stanley Wincheski, Ukrainian, was he Jewish?

Joseph Arnold Winkelman, Belgian, son of Catherine and Arnould – not known if survived ;Jewish??? Sam Wolfe, b. Winnipeg 1912, wife Josephine Pollack; Jewish??

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

THE LATVIAN VOLUNTEERS

<u>Simon Hirschman</u> 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.

Ruvin 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 35th Div., 15th Brigade, working in tents close to front line to compensate for lack of ambulances. On Oct 19th was appointed doctor of 59th 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 18th 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**

<u>Reuven Felss</u> - 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. Volunteerd for Spain 1937 and travelled with Simon Hirshmann, and served with Slav gunners. Eventually evacuated toi 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 29th Soviet Army as a capt. I/c Recce of 44th Guards Rifle Division. After war he and Simon met in Riga and Reuven and children eventually emigrated to Israel.

<u>**Ruvin/Robert Fels**</u> – 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

<u>Alexander Ginsburg/Ginssburg</u> – 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 4th 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

<u>Maks Hurevitz</u> - 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 12th 1937. In April he demanded transfer to the machine gunners and then from July 1st fought at Brunete , being wounded in the back, but stayed in action till July 27th. Then transferred to thr Aragon front and was in the storming of Quinto on Aug 17th, 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. 23rd, 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 5th 1938 he re-joined machine gunners without permission and took part on Oct 8th 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 11th March 1941. He joined the 1st bat. Workers Guards in Latvia and later the 201 Latvian Rifle Division. He was kia at Staraja Rusa on Leningrad Front in 1942.

Debora Jakobson – P Mery Jakobson – P **Mira Kretzer** kia 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 1st 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 14th 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 kia in January 1942 at the village of Luchino near Moscow with the 201st Latvian Rifle Div. in a decisive action where the 201st were given the title "Guards" for their courage there.

<u>Kushak – P</u> <u>Dr Kulman – P</u> <u>Katz – kia WW2</u> <u>Woldemar Kolk – Estonian</u> <u>Saloman Ksenzov</u> – kia WW2 <u>Sioma Levitan – P</u> <u>Gershon Lindon – P</u> <u>Sioma Lindon - P</u> <u>Tauba Lindon - P</u> **Simon Levinson** - born 1906 in Belsk, Belarus - worked as a shop assistant - the went to Brno veterinary institute in Czechoslovakia till 1936 where he became prominent in the Communist Party. 1936, with the 15th IB at Albacete where he met M Schwartz. At the Jarama front , he was involeved in a motor cycle crash and injured. After recuperation, he was sent to the join the cavalry at the Aragon Front, then returned to the 15th in 1938. Again he met Schwartz and his engineers. After the war he was interned in Perpignon 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.

<u>Vulf Lichter</u> – 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 11th IB with the Swedish/Norwegian machine gunners. On 20th 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 Madriguerras, 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. The 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 16th 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 13th 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 9th 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 45th 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 14th 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 12th IB (Italian) who sent him to hospital in Barcelona. On 1st 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 11th 1941 with other Latvians. During WW2 he was adc to the Chief of Staff of the 125th Reg. of 43rd 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. She 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?

<u>Dr Miriam Rudina</u> - 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 15th Brigade Engineers ("Zapadores"). Fought at Jarama and wounded 13th March, then back to the Front May 20th 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 18th 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 Fredy Shantir – P Lena Shir – P Itzhok Svetlitzin – P Zalmen Shneier – kia WW2 Dr Spokoiny – P Jossif Shyb – kia WW2 Steinfeld – kia WW2

<u>Sara Shvalbe</u> – 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 26th 1936 joined the Czech volunteers to Spain reaching Figueras on Jan 29th 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 11th German Brigade as doctor, resting after defeating the Italian fascists at Guadaljara. 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

<u>Aaron Taube</u> – 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.

<u>Esther Tulbovitz</u> – kia WW2 <u>Mona Tankel – P</u> <u>Sona Tchernak – P</u>

<u>Tchernine</u> – fought in French Resistance and lived in USSR <u>Boris Tzimis</u> <u>Tzirilin</u> – 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

<u>Youri Water</u> – kia WW2 Shimon Wapne – P David Wasserman – P Eva Wate – P Bernard Wolkowicz (Lithuanian)

<u>Youra</u> – kia WW2 – from Varklani

<u>Shimon Zachar</u> – kia WW2 Mula Zachar – P <u>Wolf Zalmanson</u> – 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 18th 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 8th (DD p33) and the first Parisian kia was Leon Baum. On Sept 11th 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 - BROTHERS 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 – 1st IB Casualty (Prago) Endre Basch Jean Bastien Andre Isaac "Lombard" Baumol - shot by Nazis in Grenoble Ilex Beller Jacob Berbee/Jack Perbee Andre Berei Lya Berger, NURSE - see Giles Tremlett book Szmuel "Solek" Berliner Abraham Motke Maurice Beziner Biezen Szlojme "Chlioma" Bocian - kia Isabelle Blume Auguste Bollemberg 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 Garfunkle David Gent Jozef Ghilman – born 1906 in Bessarabia Desire Glaszer Charles Louis Glaszer Jacob Gluschkin

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 10th bat. "Le Marseillaise" and 35th Division, educated St Cyr Military Academy, architect and 2nd 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, Brussells – 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 – Brussells Maurice Kotek Nuchem Michel Kotek, Brussells - 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) Srulek "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 – NURSE – later member Red Orchestra spy ring against Nazis

Golda Luftig b. 1905 Rachel Luftig 6. 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 Mencel 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 Elioe Rapaport Jacob Rasner - kia Albert Reiter Xavier Relecom Marek Richter Chaim Rochman (brother of Szaja)

Henri Rol-Tanguy – CO 14th 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, Brussells, wia , Belgian commander, murdered Mathausen 1943

Hersz Sapin – brother of Micha

Lt Col Marc/Marcel Sagnier – constructiion worker and French Army NCO, CO 14th 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, maybe Stravinski?? 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 (Gaymunn? 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 AND Auscwitz survivor (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 45th 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 45th 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 13th 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 15th 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

<u>Bulgarians</u>

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 4th 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 Istambul 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 Plovdid 1910, went to Israel

Wladislaus Weiss - Czech

<u>Austrians</u>

I am greatly indebted to Hans Landauer of the Vienna Documentation Centre for so generously supplying me with further details on more than one hundred Austrian Jewish veterans.

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 Drohobyez, feld 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 Yugoslvia 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 – Rudolfinergasse 8, Vienna 19 – Austrian underground in WW2, murederd 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 Kaiserstarsse 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 Stumpergase 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 Paelosiow, 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 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, Mariahilfestrasse 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 Siegmund 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 – Yugos. 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 postwar

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 1st 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

<u>Italians</u>

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 Hungasry 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 17th Nov 1936 (DD p34). Between 350-500 fought (mostly in the Botwins) and c. 70 were kia and a further 50 kia in WW2. There s a JNF Forest in Israel in their memory. Of the total only 60 were listed as actual Communists, less than a sixth; the rest were Zionists. The film of 2006 by Eran Torbiner, 'Madrid before Hanita' is a good introduction to the subject of the Israel volunteers and features many survivors. It should be noted that most of the Israeli dead had served in the Botwins batallion who were regarded as particularly fierce fighters by the rest of the IB. Thanks also to Prof Raanan Rein at Tel-Aviv University.

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.

Robert Aquist - Coy. Commander KIA — married an English nurse, Patricia Darton, who sadly died in Madrid in 1996 when attending the 60th anniversary commemoration. Darton later married veteran Eric Edney and her biography is 'For us it was Heaven' by Angela Jackson, 2012, Sussex Press.

Zundel Abine aka Berl Balti Daniel Abramovicz - KIA 1938 Gandesa Trojan/Touvia Haim Adler - Dizengoff, Tel-Aviv Aram/Armen Agepian Turnek Agepian Gabriel Aitkin - kia David Aleksandrowicz Noah Aloni David Ansrowski Moshe Antler - kia Sonia Antler-Zeidman, Toulouse Resistance Miriam Amram Max Amram - kia by Nazis WW2 - aka Moshe Aram Ms Bruriah Averbach Hanan Ayalti/Yalti aka Kalenbort/Klenbord (Zaagsma page 38) Samuel Bagan - kia Arie Baker, mechanic aged 26 Akiva Bar aka Feivl Zavodnik Moshe Ben-Ari aka Minkov Samuel Ben-Mordechai Samuel Ben-Yakov Robert Bill – kia – aka Hillel Gruszkiewicz (Zaagsma, page 36) Rosa Blanca Israel Bober Leon Arie Boim - kia Adela Botvinska/Weintraub Josef Brikner/Brinker Yona/Jonas Brodkin - kia Capt Misha Bron/Brozstein aka "Michal" - Ops officer 129th Brigade Dr Fina Bronstein Dr Pini Bronstein Simone Bronstein Israel/Jezy Bryn/Brin Ms Marian Burstein

Ariyeh "Liova" Bursuk/Borsuk kia Ebro

Israel Center/Centner, b. Poland 25.12.98 Pinchas Cheifetz/Hefetz, ultra-Orthodox, blinded in battle at Lerida with the Botwins Mark Centner Yaacov Chen Isaac Corinne

Raoul Danine David Degani – member of Haganah Maximilien Derewski Mojzses Dines Gershon Dua/Bogen - kia Isaac Duyts Mordka Dusiany

Wilhelm Einhorn Haim Ekstein kia Estramadura Chaim Elkon – kia Aug 1936 – with Weiss below, they were first to go, and to be Killed Boris/Borys Epelbaum/Apelbaum

Boris Israel/Binyamin ?? Eckstein/Epelbaum/Apelbaum Rubin Eliasz Erlich aka Elie – b. Klobuck, moved to Palestine, died of wounds Estramadura 16.2.38 Elivahu Erlich Adolbert Ernester/Aruster Moise Estreicher/Estreich Lajos Falusi Ms Adama Fasht Joseph Farber – fought in Resistance at Auschwitz. "Arab" Fawzi (?) Michael Feller Yehezchiel Fikkur – b. Poland, lived Israel (Haifa) – air force mechanic Ms Munia Faingelernter/Feingerlernt Angela Feiro Uszet Finquestein Ruth Fogel Bernard Jan Frejktes - kia Moshe Fuks kia WW2 Zvi Herman Fuks Maksymilian Gaelet Shaike/Yehoshua Garber Jonas/Yonah Geduldig - shot by the Nazis Abraham Gelman Ms Yael Gerson Ceska Gillert Ms Cypora/Zipke Gillert (?) - nurse Zvi Ginzer Max Godet Haim Goldenber Kurt/Julius Goldstein Haim Goldstein/Goldenstein Miriam Golod Ze'ev/Philip Gotesman, kia Toulouse French Resistance Gotlib, murdered by Gestapo Paris 1944 Aron Grinstain Brent/Victor Gross Dr Fernand Grossfeld Matias/Meir Grossman Itslele/Isak Gruber aka Alzudom Aharon Arnold Guinsberg Moise Maurice Haft

Ali Abdel Halik (El Tubni) Pepi Halpern Dov Berl Halpern Naftali Halpern/Huletsky Dr Helia Hamerman - kia Yacov Rico Hariri "Kiru" Haim Hawak Chaim Hecht Shula Heiman R Hellen Abraham Helfant Dr Yosef Heller Heniek Hercberg Huber (Polish) Sender Sharon Herskovic Ari (Henry) Hollender b. Berlin 28/12/17 Hans Meyer Horst

Imre Jacobi Emir Jaffe Maria Jacubovski Samuel Jonas - kia Jechok Joffe/Ioffe/Yoffe/Charles Joseph – Major - kia Valesquillo – from Haifa Saloman Joffe /Yoffe Joselewicz Samuel Jungat Moshe Jungreis Abraham Jungstein Tovia Jungstein Chaim Jurkowski Adam Jurski

Jacob Kahman aka Insel

David "Dodo" Kamy/Kami aka Kamenomotsky – aka "Camille" - Russian adjt. to 15th 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 Hyman Katz Morris Kawer – also with Mac-paps Sounia Kesselman Joshua Keselman Jakub Kirmayer - kia Marcus/Buca Klein Kohen Hans Kohen Isaac Korin kia

David/Judko/Degany Karon/ Korin/Korenbaum b. Poland 29/9/15, died Israel 10/2001 – member of Haganah, lived in Israel from 1931, fought with Dombrowskis in Spain – fought in Israel's War of Independence, founder Kibbutz Kfar Menachem, Deputy Head of Mossad.

Angele Kot David Kozak Kopel Kraselnik Boris Kraselnik Abrascha Krasny Ivan Krasnolovev Simon/Sioma Kramskoij Arek Kubalski

Yohan Lamers Moshe Elzam Lasam Marcel Mendel Lenger/Langer - kia Arnold Linker Levi Litwak Zioma/Simon Lechtmann Arie Leon Lev aka 'Moishe Goy' Joseph Levi Meir Levi Moshe Levi Nurse Dora Levin aka Birnbach Arie Levin Meir Levy Yankel Levine Leon Lew Abraham Joseph Libeskind Noach Aloni Lipkes Lipman Simon Wolodja Lipschitz - wia repat. London 12/38 Josef Lipsman Abraham Lissner Litvinski Zvi Herman Litwak - kia Jankele/Yacob Lurie

Ruth Majthes Binyamin Male Ms Ruth Fideli/Maliniak Ms Luba Mamut Artin Manadiano Alexander Maya Artin Muradian Abracha/Abraham Margoules/Margulis/Margalit Chanan Mayar Levi Mayer Dr Anita Meyerovitch Fred Meisuer **Ruth Meitis** Moniek Milenband Munia Milband Ebraim Miller

Capt. Mordechai/Mark/Marx Milman/Millman – kia at Ebro Aug 1938 – CO Palestine contingent and of Lincoln Brigade later

Chaim Menachem Minkes Vladimir Mirochnichenko Jean Mitelman Isaac Meirovici (Rumanian) POW 1938-43 in Spain D Milgrom (Polish) Felix Montreuil Diego Mula

Fawzi Sabri Nablusi (Arab member) Maurice Najman – pilot Shlomo Natan Aaron Nitzan Zippora/Cypora Nilar

David/Mozses Oestrech (see Estreicher above) Rice Oringer (Histadrut member) David Ostrovsky later French Resistance, died 2005 – see Argentinians

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 Eliyahu Perez Sasa Pesanski Alexandre Pieschanski/Peschansky

Yehezkiel Piekar – member of the Haganah - Haifa – pilot – Andre Malraux Sqdn., (Prago) – later fought Israel war of Independence

Felina Pintchuck

Israel Radwanski Eliahu Rappoport Jacob Reuven Maurice Riba Abraham Ritter Moshe Ritter Alfred Rotaru aka Rosenberg /Rotnstrauc Mordechai Roth Abraham Rozenczweig/Shoshani Boris Dov Rudayev Gricha Roitman Major Valter Roman - b. Rumania - CO of all IB artillery David Rutenberg Israel Rzelkowitch Ait Sa'adi Mustafa Sa'adi/Najati Tsadki Garnik Sahakjan Elie Salomon – from LEBANON Nicolas Sama - POW France 2/39 Tornik Sanragorzian Abraham Schneider Abraham Stocschtil Michael Segal Samuel Segal - Sivkin St 26, Tel-Aviv - served UK Army WW2 Simon Shihor Shalom Shiloni Josef Silberman Franciszek Schafer S Schlein Itzak Schlamberger - kia Joske/Yosef Schnitzer Max Schwartzenberg Rachel/Rochelle "Angelka" Schwartzman Abraham Sherf Chaim Shinfaber aka Zelig Scheinberg Samuel Smuel (?) Stamler/Shtemler KIA at Estremadurs David Smulevich – fought in Resistance at Auschwitz Nahum Sofer

Max Sokol M L Solomon David Solomonov - kia Joseph Srolevsky Hana Srulewicz Micha Stelianu Bernard Stern Pinchas Paul Steiner Seigmund Steiner Dov Bernard Stern F Sternberg Heini Sternheim Adela Stever/Weintraub Adolf Stipel Naum Super Wolf Szapiro Nathan Szenker Shlomo Szlayer I. Sztein Marcel "Koth" Szteranzis David Szmulewski - kia

Max Maciej Technitchek – Czech Coy., Polish origin Aaron Tenenbaum Simcha Shmuel Todres Tanhulm Tulchinsky Yakob Tvardowski

Matyss Ulman Emile Urmish kia Ebro

Volodia

Josef Mendel Waisblum Sara Wajsblum/Waisblum Joseph Waisberg - kia Nachum Arie Weiss - kia Nov 1936 Abraham Weitman/Weizmann Mojsez Weitman/Weizmann Dr Jadwiga Welikanowicz - kia Herzl Weksler Rose Wlopolska Baruch Wilder Yehoshua 'Chick' Wind 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 p. 393-4) – lived California. Israel source say he was kia Spain

Imrou Yakobi

Zelman/Zalman Joshua Saltzman/Zaltsman died 2005 – US Army WW2 – led Israeli SCW Veterans Association

Samuel Zoltan kia French Resistance

JEWS FROM MOROCCO (from Nanterre University Archives, Paris)

Isaac Achidjar, artllery 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 Ladislas 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 Aleksei 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 Schvimmer 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 11th 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 1st 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 11th 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 Flurscheim 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 45th 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 11th 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 13th 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 3rd 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 10th bat. 14th 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 11th Thalmann Brig. at Madrid, Boadilla, Las Rosas, Jarama, Guadalajara, Teruel, Ebro – promoted staff officer 45th 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. Golle 28.7.03 Paul Neumann b. Sangerhausen 18.4. 06 Siegmund 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 Schmuek/Schmuck b. Woerth 12.12.98 Gustav Schnitzer Anna Seghers – writer and journalist Heinz Seligmann Else Spiegel-Grunstein Oto Sneidereit Tilly Speigel - 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 11th 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)

Fred Uhlman, based in UK after SCW, poet and painter - Ben Macintyre 'Tanya' p 147

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. 12th Garibaldi Brig. and 45th 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 <u>medical personnel</u> 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 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

Argentinian Jewish Combattants – from research of Prof. Raanan Rein of Tel-Aviv University, Israel, in his 2016 paper (online). Many Argentinians served in the Dombrowski Brigade and attained high rank. So, some names may be duplicated. Among Raanan's sources were 'Argentine Volunteers in the Spanish Civil War' by Gonzalez, Boragina and Sommaro, Buenos Aires 2008 and 'Jewish Volunteers from Argentina in the Spanish Civil War', as above. Short biographies of these fighters can be read in these books.

Bension/Benjamin Abramson, b. 1888 Uktaine

Ms Adelina Abramson, b. 1917 Buenos Aires Ms Paulina Abramson (sisters), b. 1915 B. Aires Ms Rosa Kondratieve Abramson, b. Ukraine, related to Benjamin above Bruno Arciszewski, b. Poland

Ms Berta Miedwiecki Baumkoler, b. Belorussia 1910 and HUSBAND Mendel Baumkoler b. Poland Nicolas Benezisk Gregorio Berman(n) – Doctor from Cordoba, b. 1896 Miss Sonia Besmertnaia, POW 30 yrs. sentence 1937, released in 1944 Ms Lilia Bondareva, b. Vienna 1908 Zanger Borenstein Riman Miguel Brodski, b. B Aires 1913 Antonio Bugan Vijo, b. B Aires, POW

Ms Maria Claramunt, b. Argentina Ms Minerva Claramunt b. Argentina – sisters??

Nat Cohen, b. 1900 from Stepney London, 1922-32 Communist activist in Argentina – SEE BRITISH BATALLION ABOVE

Dr Luis Corach – b. 1914, Doctor, Cordoba, POW

David Davidoff b. Sofia, Bulgaria 1903 Ms Rosa De Galer Max Doppler, b. 1905 Baden, Germany, Commandant Beimler Bn., KIA Teruel 1938

Dr Bernardo Edelman, from Cordoba, b. B Aires

Ms Fanny Jacovkis Edelman, b. San Francisco 1911- died 2011 – wife of Bernardo (SEE DOMBROWSKIS)

Salomon Elguer, b. B Aires 1906 Espinos Santiago Estruch, b. 1912 Argentina

Dr Hipoloto Etchebehere - killed - Doctor

Miss Micaela Mika Feldman (Dentist) b. Argentina 1902 - died 1992 – wife of Hipoloto Etchebehere, above, became a Capt. and CO of her husband's regiment when he was killed

Dr Sofia Fitjman b. 1912 Roumania Jose Dalfo Fort, b. B Aires 1919 Leon Brausberg Friedman POW Miranda

Juan Gaston Gilly, b. Cordoba 1916

Dr Juan Goldstraj, b. 1898 Odessa Aaron Grinstein, b. B. Aires Jose Grunfeld b. 1907 Santa Fe, Argentina Gustavo Grunovas, b. Lithuania, POW Gurs Jose Maria Guigan Lopez, b. 1916, B. Aires

Fernando Jaffa/Iaffa, dentist b. B Aires 1913 Alejandro Jacky b. B Aires, 1911

Enrique Jaso Paz, b. B Aires 1879 (some say in Spain) activist with Spanish agrarian workers, shot in 1936 for treason with his two sons

Manuel Enrique Joglar, b. Argentina 1917, POW 1937-41 Samuel Joukovsky, b. B Aires 1913, husband of Sara Segal (below) Julio Jovel Dr Roberto Jugman, doctor and Commissar Dr Jungman (same as above?)

Boleslao Katinas, b. Lithuania

Jose Kessel b. Argentina 1898, in Jewish town of Villa Clara in Entre Rios; served WW1 as a French pilot, and in French Squadron RAF in WW2; journalist and novelist who went to Spain and wrote in support of Republic in SCW

David Kraiselburd b. 1908 B Aires, was POW

Dr Langer Isaac Lax Martinez Juan Lemus Ms Raquel Levenson b. 1915 B. Aires Isaac Libenson, b. Russia Leon Liebenson

Jacobo Lipovetsky b. 1898 Ekaterinoslaw, Russia and served with British Army 1918 in Israel against Turks

Juan Lluch Roches from Cordoba Pedro Loss b. B. Aires 1915 Salvador Loy Keplach, b. 1908 Moldavia

Sofia Borzecki Mach b. Poland 1893, POW Jacobo Maguid b. Sante Fe Argentina 1907, POWArgeles Jaime Maimo Antonio Marcinkus, b. Lithuania, POW and died in a camp 1939 Dr Milan Matcovitch, naturalised Argentinian . List Mayer, killed by Nazis in France Bernardo Mesquida, POW France Segismundo Milesky Ms Graciela Mochkovsky from Cordoba Beningo Mochkovsky b. Cordobo 1911 Pedro Camilo Moya Senti

Dr David Ostrowski/y from Cordoba (SEE DOMBROWSKIS) – went to Israel for military experience/training in 1937 with and against British Occupation troops with Hashomer Hatzair. After Spain served in French Resistance and then 1948 Israeli War of Independence.

Ms Anita Piancenza Lejzor Piecznik, b. Poland Ms Sofia Poliak, b. La Plata 1912, Dentist Jacobo Prince, b. 1901 Ukraine

Simon Radowitsky, b. 1891 Ukraine Diego Lozano Ralls, b. Argentina 1917 Hugo Pohl Reuter, POW till 1940 at Miranda Samuel Rodoy, b. Rosario Luciano Gauzope Rossel, b. Santa Fe in 1916, shot as a POW 1938, Leida aged 22 years Ms Clara Rosen, b. 1920 B Aires, with father Max Rosen Max Rosen , b. Germany and after Spain went to live in USSR Angel Rosenblat, b. 1902 in Poland Antonio Dionisio Rumanes b. Argentina 1913

Clemente Samanes, b. Argentina 1910 Abraham Schukman Dr Bernardo Serabrinsky from Cordoba Abraham Setty from **Iraq** 15th IB, 59th Division Ms Sara Elisa Segal b. Santa Fe – wife of Joukovsky above Boleslavas Shileika, b.Lithuania , POW France, and headed a partisan group against the Nazis Enrique Sieloff, b. Germany Antonio Silenskis, b. Lithuania, kia 2/4/38 Adolfo Siloff Pedro Sosnowski

Nicolas Steinmetz, b. Hungary 1908, radio and reconnaisance in Spain; killed fighting Nazis in Hungary in WW2

Justo Steiner , b. Entre Rios, escaped to France Dr Dora Sukarte, b. 1895 Kovno, Lithuania

Estanislao Talalis, b. Lithuania Dr Gregorio Topolevsky, b. Grodno, Russia Ms Dora Trumper, b. 1906, Santa Fe Simon Tur

Francisco Uliavichius b. Lithuania

Adolfo Valius b. Lithuania, kia 1938

Wilhelm Von Malinckrodt, b. 1892 Belgium,WW1 pilot, and Argentine Army 1920's and Spanish Army . WIA, he was sent to Miranda camp

Albert Weisbord, b. New York 1900

Zalman Izraelevitch Yaselman, b. Paris 1889

Volodia Zolonitsky Hishel Fiszel Zuckerman Eufrosino Diez Zumel.