

## ABRAHAM AND SIMONE SLOWES COLLECTION, CIRCA 1905-1991 2000.355

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### Supplemental material:

Below is an inventory of the Abraham and Simone Slowes collection.

- .1 **Photograph;** portrait of Abraham Yehuda Slowes; location: Vilna, Poland; dated: September 26, 1928
- .2 **Photograph;** portrait of Abraham Yehuda Slowes; location: Haifa, Palestine; dated: December 28, 1933
- .3 **Photograph;** image of Shoshana Róza Slowes Breitbord, Abraham's sister, standing on the bank of the Vilnia River; verso: black ink inscription: "To my dear brother as a memento from Shoshana" dated: September 1936; location: Vilna, Poland; in Hebrew
- .4 **Photograph;** image of Dr. Malka Slowes, Abraham's mother and Abraham Slowes, walking in the street, during his visit from Palestine; dated: July 1937; location: Vilna, Poland
- .5 **Photograph;** group portrait of Dr. Malka Slowes, Abraham's mother, standing third from right and Dr. Moshe Dow Slowes, Abraham's father, standing on left, with friends during their vacation; dated: July 1938; location: Druskininkai, Lithuania, Poland
- .6 **Photograph;** portrait of Shoshana Róza Slowes Breitbord, Abraham's sister; dated: July 13, 1937; location: Vilna, Poland
- .7 **Photograph;** family portrait taken on the occasion of wedding of Róza Slowes and Szymon Breitbord. This photograph was taken in the living room of Abraham's parents in Vilna. At the head of the table are the bride and the groom. Dr. Salomon Slowes sits fourth from left, wearing uniform; his nephew, Elchanan Rubinowicz stands in front of him. Standing first on right is Israel Slowes, Abraham's paternal uncle, and his wife, Riwa Guterman, from Homel. Dr. Malka Slowes stands third from left, wearing dark dress and Dr. Moshe Slowes, Abraham's father, stands behind the groom; dated: July 12, 1938; location: Vilna, Poland
- .8 **Photograph;** family portrait of Drs. Moshe and Malka Slowes and their grandson, Elchanan Rubinowicz; dated: 1937; location: Vilna, Poland
- .9 **Photograph;** portrait of Fania nee Jezierski, Abraham's maternal aunt and her husband; both perished; location: Bialystok, Poland

- .10 **Photograph;** portrait of Drs. Moshe and Malka Slowes, Abraham's parents; dated: 1937; location: Vilna, Poland
- .11 **Photograph;** image of Shoshana Róza Slowes participating in a "Beitar" sports event; dated; c. 1935; location: Vilna, Poland
- .12 **Photograph;** Slowes family portrait: seated from left: Dr. Malka Slowes; Elchanan Rubinowicz; Dr. Moshe Slowes; standing from left: Abraham Slowes; Róza Slowes; Dr. Salomon Slowes; Dina Slowes Rubinowicz and her husband, Miron Rubinowicz; this portrait was taken on the occasion of Abraham's visit from Palestine; dated: 1937; location: Vilna, Poland
- .13 **Photograph;** Slowes family portrait taken on the eve of Abraham's Aliyah to Palestine: seated are: Drs. Malka and Moshe Slowes; standing from left: Róza Shoshana; Salomon; Abraham; Miron Rubinowicz and Dina Slowes Rubinowicz; dated: September 1930; location: Vilna, Poland
- .14 **Page from Photo Album;** five photographs depicting Dina and Miron Rubinowicz with their son, Elchanan; dated: c. 1930; location: Vilna, Poland
- Verso:** left: studio photograph of Abraham Yehuda Slowes; dated: c. 1916; location: Vilna, Poland; right: portrait of Abraham and Salomon Slowes taken before Abraham's journey to Palestine; dated: 1930; location: Vilna, Poland
- .15 **Page from Photo Album;** five photographs depicting Elchanan Rubinowicz, Abraham's nephew between the years 1930 and 1937; location: Vilna, Poland
- .16 **Photograph;** portrait of Michael Jezierski, Abraham's maternal uncle and his wife, Rachel; dated: c. 1905; location: Suwalki, Poland
- .17 **Photograph;** portrait of Lipka and Gita Jezierski, Abraham's maternal aunts; dated: c. 1905; location: Suwalki, Poland
- .18 **Photograph;** portrait of Mera Miriam Jezierski, Abraham's maternal grandmother; location: Suwalki, Poland
- .19-.22 **Photographs;** four images depicting Salomon and Abraham Slowes, after Dr. Salomon Slowes' arrival with the Andres' Army in Palestine from USSR and Iran; dated: December 1943; location: Rechovot, Palestine
- .23-.24 **Photographs;** two images depicting Dr. Salomon Slowes, in the Polish Army uniform, standing on a roof of a house, with a young boy and a young woman; dated: 1943; location: Rechovot, Palestine
- .25 **Photograph;** portrait of Abraham and Salomon Slowes, after their reunion in 1943 in Rechovot, Palestine
- .26 **Photograph;** portrait of Abraham Slowes during his service in the Israeli Army; dated: 1948; location: Israel
- .27 **Photograph;** group portrait of members of the Urban Development Regional Commission, chaired by Eng. Abraham Slowes; he stands first on left in the second row; dated: c. 1960; location: Israel

- .28 **Photograph;** image of a letter from the Commissioner of Immigration of the Government of Palestine notifying Mr. Abraham Slowes that an immigration certificate was granted to his parents, Moshe Dow and Malka Slowes; the certificate was awaiting them in Istanbul, Turkey; dated: March 19, 1942; location: Jerusalem, Palestine; in English
- .29 **Photograph;** image of a letter from the Assistant Commissioner for Migration of the Government of Palestine answering Mr. Abraham Slowes' inquiry regarding the validity of the immigration certificate issued to his parents and notifying him that his parents have to apply at the office of the British Passport Control in Istanbul, Turkey; dated; June 30, 1942; location: Palestine; in English
- .30 **Telegram;** a draft of a telegram sent to Chaya Feigenbaum, Abraham's paternal aunt, in Vilna: "Doing everything bring parents from Turkey to Palestine"; the telegram was sent by Abraham Slowes, in Haifa; dated: March 25, 1941; location: Haifa, Palestine; in English
- .31 **Receipt;** number 48624 certifying sending of the above telegram; dated: March 25, 1941; location: Haifa, Palestine; in English, Hebrew and Arabic
- .32 **Photograph;** image of a letter from the Assistant Commissioner for Migration of the Government of Palestine notifying Mr. Abraham Slowes that the British Passport Control Officer in Istanbul has been authorized to grant entry visas to Moshe Dow and Malka Slowes, Abraham's parents; dated; August 12, 1943; location: Haifa, Palestine; in English
- .33 **Carbon of Letter;** sent by Abraham Slowes in Haifa, Palestine to the Swedish Consul in Jerusalem, requesting assistance in forwarding a copy of the permission to immigrate to Palestine to his parents in German occupied Vilna; in addition, Abraham requests assistance in leaving the occupied territory by his parents; dated: August 18, 1943; location: Haifa, Palestine; in English
- .34 **Carbon of Letter;** sent by Abraham Slowes in Haifa, Palestine to the Aliyah Department of the Jewish Agency in Jerusalem requesting assistance in bringing his parents to Palestine; he requests to transfer copies of the Immigration Certificate granted by the Government of Palestine to Istanbul; to notify his parents in Vilna and to transfer the Certificate to them; Abraham Slowes notes that both of his parents were active Zionists in Vilna; dated: August 15, 1943; location: Haifa, Palestine; in Hebrew
- .35 45 pages; photocopies of different letters and documents relating to Mr. Abraham Slowes' efforts to save his parents, Moshe Dow and Malka Slowes as well as other members of his family and to bring them out of German occupied Vilna; originals in Beit Lohamei HaGhetaot [Ghetto Fighters' House], Israel dated; 1940-1945; in English, Hebrew and Yiddish
- .36 Photocopy of Slowes and Weil family history written by Mrs. Simone Weil Slowes for their children: Malka, Moshe Dow and Dina; Mrs. Slowes' father, Dr. Ephraim Arthur Weil, served as chief Rabbi of Basel, Switzerland, for 30 years; dated: 1991; location: Haifa, Israel; in Hebrew