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Scope and Content of Collection

Contains correspondence relating to the treatment of Jewish businessmen in Russia, in general, and of Leon Lewisohn, in particular. Leon Lewisohn, a German-born businessman and naturalized British citizen, was ejected from Imperial Russia and denied the ability to conduct business because he was Jewish. The British Foreign Office interceded with Imperial Russia on his behalf.

System of Arrangement

This collection is arranged chronologically.

Indexing Terms

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Lewisohn, Leon.
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Great Britain -- Foreign Office.

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Inventory:

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Treatment of Jews Case of Mr. Lewisohn. vol. 1, 1847-1881 July and Treatment of Jews Case of Mr. Lewisohn. vol. 2.1881 Aug- 1883.