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Subject: Re: Langsam Website: Meller genealogy From: Ariel Kornblit <ari.kornblit@gmail.com>

Date: Thu, Aug 09, 2018 8:50 pm
To: moishe.miller@totalben.com
Attach: Jose-Meller-tree.jpg

Hi, I did a bit more research last night (see attached... built in Ancestry AND Photoshop).

I couldn't get past Gershko/Hersh but I did find siblings of Pinchas. Also was able to expand the Erlich branch a bit.

Found this too - https://www.geni.com/people/Herman-Meller/5122514432510021040 Built my Ariel Meller (Alan's brother. Jose's nephew)

I hope your son is alright. Tend to all those needs first obviously before you're in the mindset of genealogy.

Best.

Ariel

On Wed, Aug 8, 2018 at 10:32 AM Ariel Kornblit <ari.kornblit@gmail.com > wrote:

I'm in Rock Center - 48th and 5th, so not really close. I didn't bring my laptop either today and today is super busy at work.

Record doesn't say Gershko/Hersh's parents. But now that I know that Gershko=Hersch Mylech maybe I can do some more record searching.

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 8, 2018, at 10:00 AM, <moishe.miller@totalben.com> <moishe.miller@totalben.com> wrote:

Do we know who the parents of

Gerszko Meler was?

And where was Gershko, who is probably Hersh Mylech ("G" sounds like "H" in some languages), from?

I am in Joint Disease later today on 2nd & 17th. Is that anywhere near where you work?

----- Original Message -----

Subject: Re: Langsam Website: Meller genealogy From: Ariel Kornblit <ari.kornblit@gmail.com>

Date: Tue, August 07, 2018 2:52 pm To: <a href="mailto:moishe.miller@totalben.com">moishe.miller@totalben.com</a>

Keep in mind that this is one person's translation:

## Record #24

It happened in the town Szczebrzeszyn on August 18th, 1890 at 5 o'clock in the afternoon. Appeared in person Hersz Cimerman [Cymerman/Zimmermann], clergyman residing in the town Szczebrzeszyn, together with Pinkwas Meler, bachelor, 18 years old, son of Gerszko and Dyna née Erlich [Ehrlich], the spouses Meler, both alive, born and living with his parents, merchants, in the town Szczebrzeszyn, and the maiden Cypra Erlich, 20 years old, daughter of Gerszon and Szandla [maiden name not provided], the spouses Erlich, born and living with her parents, merchants, in the town Szczebrzeszyn,

and —in the presence of the witnesses Izrael Tofil, 57 years old, and Nuchim Tuchsznajder, 48 years old, synagogue sextons residing in the town Szczebrzeszyn— he declared that he, in his capacity as clergyman, performed today a religions wedding ceremony between Pinkwas Meler, bachelor, and the maiden Cypra Erlich.

This marriage was preceded by three announcements of the banns published in the Jewish synagogue of Szczebrzeszyn on August 4th, 11th, and 18th of the current year. The permission [to get married] was given in oral form by the newlyweds' respective parents who personally attended the wedding act. The newlyweds stated that no prenuptial agreement has been contracted between them. After having been read aloud this document was signed by Us and by the people present.

The newlyweds are illiterate.

Clergyman Hersz Cimerman

Witnesses: Izrael Tofil, Nusim Tuchsznajder [signed in Yiddish]

Keeper of the Civil registry, mayor Lieutenant-colonel [Golyszyn?]

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 7, 2018, at 2:15 PM, Ariel Kornblit <ari.kornblit@gmail.com> wrote:

Yes. I got it translated (there's a Facebook group called Genealogy Translations where people translate for you for free, usually within 24hrs). I'll send later when I have a free moment.

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 7, 2018, at 1:59 PM, <moishe.miller@totalben.com> <moishe.miller@totalben.com> wrote:

Once you have the translation, would you write something I could use to update the information I have on my website for this branch?

----- Original Message -------Subject: Re: Meller genealogy

From: Ariel Kornblit < ari.kornblit@gmail.com >

Date: Thu, July 26, 2018 9:12 pm To: moishe.miller@totalben.com

Yes, I met him a few years ago as well in his office. He didn't relay any additional information than what's already on your site. I was also able to connect with his nephew Alan in Chile (we're now Facebook friends) but frankly I knew more than him. Alan's father is Patricio - <a href="https://es.m.wikipedia.org/wiki/Patricio Meller">https://es.m.wikipedia.org/wiki/Patricio Meller</a>

I was able to find Jose's/Patricio's grandparent's marriage record (linked from JRI Poland) and I'm currently getting it translated. Not sure what it will glean but it's worth a shot.

Pincus Meler + Cipra Erlich:

https://szukajwarchiwach.pl/88/780/0/-/15/skan/full/RfhIJFk6RG1LrBDsDTgH7w

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 26, 2018, at 8:03 PM, <<u>moishe.miller@totalben.com</u>> <<u>moishe.miller@totalben.com</u>> wrote:

The Dr is still practicing. He is on Park Ave.

See: https://www.ics.uci.edu/~dan/genealogy/Miller/brknmilr.htm#A2

----- Original Message -------Subject: Fwd: Meller genealogy

From: Ariel Kornblit <ari.kornblit@gmail.com>

Date: Thu, July 26, 2018 11:01 am To: moishe.miller@totalben.com

From my uncle Manny below (I highlighted in yellow). Who knows!?

-------Forwarded message --------From: **EMeller** <<u>mellere@gmail.com</u>>
Date: Tue, Jul 24, 2018 at 3:38 PM
Subject: Re: Meller genealogy

To: Ariel Kornblit <ari.kornblit@gmail.com>

Ariel

Good to hear from you. Hope all is well with you and your family. Your father's memory may be better than mine. I have no such recollection

Yes I remember my father mentioning Abe Miller was his first cousin. Changed his name when he came to US. Did not know names of any of my paternal grandfathers siblings. So thanks, now know one was named Meyer Ber, plus THEIR parents were Yoel and Bracha. This also makes sense since in addition to my father their grandson, two of my dad's siblings were named Yoel and Bracha, obviously named after their grandparents (you must know this as they must be on your tree). It seems very likely that you're right and Yaakov is another sibling. Seem to remember my father got in touch with a Meller who lived in Boro Park who

turned out to be a distant relative, likely descended from one my grandfather's brothers.

BTW, don't know if you know this but there is (or was, maybe died by now) named Jose Meller a well known cardiologist who was associated with Weill Cornell- New York Hospital. My dad called him once and told me they were related but I can't remember any details.

Anyway, thanks very much for the update- always fascinating and I am so glad someone in the family got around to investigating our roots. Too bad neither I nor your mom or Eva did this when we were young and our parents were still around.

All the best for the summer. Manny

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 24, 2018, at 11:33 AM, Ariel Kornblit <ari.kornblit@gmail.com> wrote:

Hi Manny, I hope you are well and enjoying summer (with 80%+ humidity 'enjoying' might not be the best word).

I thought perhaps I could pick your brain re some Meller roadblocks I'm up against.

My father mentioned to me that years ago you met up with a 'Meller' in Israel who was studying at the Weitzman Institute. Do you recall such a meeting? If so, who was this person?

## A few updates:

You probably see on your DNA match list a Jared Miller. This is Abe Miller's great-grandson. I share quite a bit of DNA with him as does my mother so I think it's safe to assume that Abe and your father were FIRST cousins and it confirms that Menachem Mendel and Meyer Ber brothers. (Btw, Abe Miller's son Nathan is still alive. He's 100!)

This leads me to other possible siblings.

I found the attached tree on Geni (screen cap attached) that shows a Yaakov Meller, the son of Yoel and Bracha Meller. Could Yaakov be another sibling?

- Menachem Mendel's parents were Yoel and Bracha
- The dates fit
- Yaakov was born in Dubiecko as was Abe Miller and one of his siblings.
- Yaakov was a baker (or ran a bakery) just like Mendel (gleaned from Yad Vashem testimony of his daughter).

It's all very intriguing.

## Another tidbit -

this person <a href="https://www.amberbblair.com/biography">https://www.amberbblair.com/biography</a> is a descendent of Mordeche Flicker's brother, Seussel Flicker. My mother and I share DNA with her but you do not. She's a 4th cousin.

Best,

Ariel

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