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Dear Fellow Kremenetsers:

We have added a greatly expanded births spreadsheet for towns of the Kremenets District to our Google KDRG Contributors website (<https://sites.google.com/site/kdrgcontributors/>). This spreadsheet now includes records of births that occurred in Belozerk, Katerinovka, Oleksinets, Velikiye Berezhtsy, and Vyshgorodok as well as Kremenets. In one case, the new records take us to 1938, right at the eve of the Shoah. The birth records spreadsheet now has almost 12,500 entries, each with multiple names.

I hope you are as fortunate as I was with these new records. My paternal grandfather, Avraham Diokhter left Kremenets for the US in 1900. I knew from earlier birth records that he had a half brother, Yekusiel Pesach. The new records produced two other half siblings. They also allowed me to trace the movements of my gggrandfather and his children and grandchildren from Oleksinets to Kremenets and on to Katerinovka and Bazaliya. And, they display 7 different ways my ancestral surname was spelled in the records.

We also have added the most recent update of our Revision List translation spreadsheet. A table at the top of the spreadsheet identifies the records that are included as well as records that have been translated but are not yet in the spreadsheet. The latter currently are being processed. Currently, the Revision List translation spreadsheet has more than 60,000 entries. Translation of our original revision list data is almost complete. We are in the process of obtaining new data that will extend the revision list set from 1868 to 1880.

All of the new records are in the updated Concordance, which also is available for downloading. The Concordance now has more than 160,000 entries. The next update, in about 6 months, will bring the total to about 190,000 entries. The Concordance is searchable using Steve Morse's One-Step search engine. The search page is available free to everyone at:

<http://kehilalinks.jewishgen.org/Kremenets/web-pages/master-surnames.html>

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Please let me know if you make any great discoveries in the new data. I am looking forward to hearing from you.

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