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New York, January 1st 1920.

Mr. B. Semel,  
90 Grand Street,  
New York City.

My dear Sir:-

We herewith take the liberty to call your attention to the fact that there is a district in East-Galicia, from Stanislaw-Tarnopol up to the Russian border towns: Husiatyn, Okupa, Borszczow, Skala, and Zbrutz, Mielnica, etc., that has not been reached up till now and has been totally neglected by the Relief Organizations, including the Joint Distribution Committee. This part suffers a great deal and is now in a desperate condition.

We, therefore, beg to approach you in this matter, asking you to kindly use your influence as representative of the Galician Jewry of this country, so that help may be extended to the districts mentioned above. We shall feel much obliged if you will kindly see to it that the social workers of the Joint Distribution Committee are instructed to visit this part of Galicia when on their trip to Europe and to help the population in the usual way.

Hoping that your influence will bring good results and thanking you in advance, we are

Respectfully yours,

Chairman of Skalar Relief Committee

7/10/20  
Reference to  
Gentlemen  
J. H.