

SAMPLE RESEARCH REPORT KELLER

DATE: 11 June 2023

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BACKGROUND SUMMARY:

Prior research has identified the following:

- Naftali Keller, a musician, was born in about 1859 in Iwla, Austria (present day Poland).
- Naftali immigrated to New York City in about 1886 and became a naturalized citizen.
- Known Manhattan addresses for Naftali include 146 Ridge Street and 24 Willet Street.
- Naftali returned to Austria in 1894, leaving his wife and child behind.
- Naftali remarried in Austria but most of his second family perished in the Holocaust.

OBJECTIVE: Who were Naftali's wife and child that remained in New York?

REPOSITORIES AND SOURCES CONSULTED

- FamilySearch
- New York City Municipal Archives
- Ancestry

A NOTE ON NAMES: Eastern European Jews often had more than one first name, making record searches challenging. The spelling of both first and last names was often inconsistent.¹ In addition, many immigrants changed their names to better assimilate to their new home.²

A NOTE ON CONFLICTING DATES: It is common to encounter conflicting dates (birth, marriage, death, immigration) in genealogical research. These conflicts may result from lack of primary knowledge of the event, faulty memory due to passage of time, or secondary gain for misrepresenting the information. Official event records are typically more reliable sources of the date of that event. For example, the birthdate on a birth certificate should be more accurate than the birthdate provided on a census or death record. It is always important when evaluating historical records to try to identify:

- Who was the informant, and did they witness the event?
- How far in the past was the event when the date was provided?
- Would there be benefit to the informant to alter the date?

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS (See Detailed Findings section for additional information and citations)

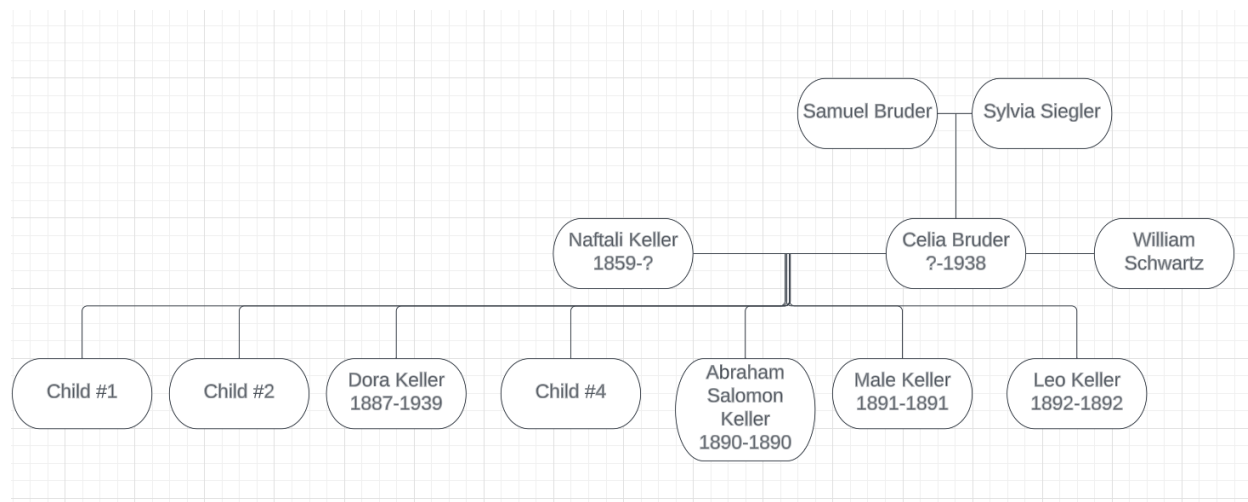
- Celia Bruder was Naftali Keller's wife who remained in New York after his return to Austria.

¹ Heather Dubnick, "Tips and Resources for Researching Ashkenazic Jewish Names," blog post; *LegacyTree Genealogists* (<https://www.legacytree.com/blog/tips-and-resources-for-researching-ashkenazic-jewish-names> : accessed 12 June 2023).

² Alicia Ault, "Did Ellis Island Officials Really Change the Names of Immigrants?" *Smithsonian Magazine* (28 December 2016); e-juornal (<https://www.smithsonianmag.com/smithsonian-institution/ask-smithsonian-did-ellis-island-officials-really-change-names-immigrants-180961544/> : accessed 12 June 2023).

- Celia was born in about 1865 in Hungary to Samuel Bruder and Sylvia Siegler.
- It appears that Celia used the first names Sali and Sarah when she first arrived in New York.
- At least seven children were born to Celia before Naftali returned to Austria in 1894. At least five of these children died young.
 - No records have been found for the first two children, one of whom died prior to 1887.
 - Dora Keller was born on 7 October 1887. She married Harry D. Bruder in 1915 and died of ovarian cancer in 1939.
 - No records have been found pertaining to Celia's fourth child.
 - Abraham Salomon Keller, Celia's fifth child, was born on 19 April 1890. At the time of his birth, two of his siblings were still alive. He died of convulsions and gastroenteritis at ten weeks of age.
 - On 9 September 1891, a male infant born to Naftali and Celia died at 8 hours of life of pulmonary edema.
 - Leo Keller died on 24 August 1892 of asphyxia. He was six hours old.
- Celia Bruder Keller married William Schwartz in about 1895.
- In 1910, Celia and William were enumerated in Manhattan with their two sons and 20-year-old Dora. No other children from Celia's first marriage were identified in the household.
- Celia died in 1938 in Brooklyn of coronary thrombosis and terminal pulmonary edema.

A family tree is shown below:



It is assumed, but not proven, that children 1, 2, and 4 were the children of Naftali.

DETAILED FINDINGS:

Source 1: "New York, New York City Births, 1846-1909," *FamilySearch*

(<https://www.familysearch.org/search/collection/2240282> : accessed 11 June 2023), search last name "Keller," birth year 1886-1894, father's name Na* Keller.

Notes: This collection is an index to birth records from New York City covering the years 1846-1909. As the index is transcribed, alterations or omissions from the original document may be encountered. In addition, spelling variations may complicate record searches.

Abstract: Only one record resulted for the time period searched, that of Dora Keller born 7 October 1887 in Manhattan to 22-year-old Sali Brodi and 22-year-old “Naphtali” Keller. Birthplace for both parents was transcribed as “Hungari.”

Conclusion: Naftali Keller and Sali Brodi had a child named Dora Keller in 1887. Both parents are identified as born in Hungary. The Austro-Hungarian empire was created in 1867, so Austria and Hungary may have been used interchangeably at the time of creation of this record.³ Sali’s age of 22 provides an estimated birthyear of 1865.

Source 2: New York County, New York, “Birth Return,” no. 50327(1887), Dora Keller; digital images, “Historical Vital Records, New York City Municipal Archives (<https://a860-historicalvitalrecords.nyc.gov/view/250050>) : accessed 6 March 2023). **See Appendix A.**

Notes: This document is a scan of the original. The scan is of good quality and the handwriting is legible.

Abstract: Dora was born on Friday 7 October 1887 at 146 Ridge Street to “Naphtali” Keller, a 22-year-old musician born in “Hungari” and Sali “Brodi,” a 22-year-old also born in “Hungari.” Dora was the third child born to Sali, although one of her children had died. Dora’s birth was recorded in Manhattan on 14 October 1887.

Conclusion: This scan confirms the indexed entry from Source 1 with the additional information that:

- Dora was Sali’s third child, although only one sibling was alive at Dora’s birth.
- Naftali was a musician, consistent with known prior information.
- The family resided at 146 Ridge Street, consistent with known prior information.

Source 3: “New York, New York City Municipal Deaths 1795-1949,” *FamilySearch* (<https://www.familysearch.org/search/collection/2240477>) : accessed 11 June 2023), search last name “Keller,” death year 1886-1894, father’s name Na* Keller.

Notes: This collection is an index to death records from the five boroughs of New York City. The collection includes records from Manhattan covering the years 1795-1949. As the index is transcribed, alterations or omissions from the original document may be encountered. In addition, spelling variations may complicate record searches.

Abstract: Three records resulted from the provided search parameters and are abstracted below.

Name	Age at Death	Father	Mother	Date/Place of Death
Abraham “Solomom” Keller	0	Nathan Keller, born Austria	Sarah Keller, born Austria	1 July 1890/Manhattan
Unnamed Male	0	Nathan Keller, born Austria	Sarah Keller, born Austria	8 September 1891/Manhattan
Leo Keller	0	Nathan Keller	Sarah Keller	24 August 1892/Manhattan

Conclusion: Nathan and Sarah Keller had three children who died in infancy. The births of these children were not identified in the birth index search (Source 1), likely indicating that their births were not indexed or that they were indexed with a surname variation.

³ “Ausgleich,” Britannica (<https://www.britannica.com/event/Ausgleich>: accessed 11 March 2023).

Source 4: New York County, New York, "Certificate and Record of Death," no. 21240 (1890), Abraham Solomon Keller; New York Municipal Archives, New York. **See Appendix B.**

Notes: This document is a scan of the original. Writing from an adjacent page appears to have bled onto the document, interfering with its clarity. Despite this, much of the document is legible.

Abstract: Abraham Salomon Keller died at 10 weeks of age at 0800 on 1 July 1890. His place of birth and death was 24 Willet Street. He was the son of Nathan and Sarah Keller, both born in Austria. Cause of death was convulsions and gastroenteritis. He was buried at Washington Cemetery.

Conclusion: This scan confirms the birth and death of Abraham Salomon Keller, the son of Nathan and Sarah Keller, at 24 Willet Street in Manhattan. This address is consistent with known prior information.

Source 5: New York County, New York, "Certificate and Record of Birth," no. 12370 (1890), Abraham Solomon Keller; digital images, "Historical Vital Records," *New York City Municipal Archives* (<https://a860-historicalvitalrecords.nyc.gov/view/403460>) : accessed 6 March 2023). **See Appendix C.**

Notes: This document is a scan of the original. The quality of the scan is adequate, and the handwriting is legible. The scan was indexed using the last name "Kelle," explaining its absence in the search described in Source 1.

Abstract: Abraham Salomon Keller was born 19 April 1890 on 24 Willet Street in Manhattan to 27-year-old Hungarian-born musician Nathan Keller and 25-year-old Hungarian-born Sarah "Brode." Abraham Salomon was the fifth child born to Sarah, with three still living.

Conclusion: This document provides confirmation of Abraham Salomon's birth at 24 Willet Street in Manhattan with the additional information that Sarah had delivered five children, but only three (including Abraham Salomon) were still living. We can thus conclude that only two children remained after the death of Abraham Salomon. Sarah's age of 25 provides an estimated birthyear of 1865.

Source 6: New York County, New York, "Certificate and Record of Death," no. 31416 (1891), Keller; New York Municipal Archives, New York. **See Appendix D.**

Notes: This document is a scan of the original. The quality of the scan is adequate, and the handwriting is legible.

Abstract: An unnamed 8-hour-old male infant born to Nathan and Sarah Keller of 24 Willet Street died at home at 0300 on 9 September 1891 of pulmonary edema. He was buried at Washington Cemetery.

Conclusion: This scan confirms the death of a male newborn infant born to Nathan and Sarah Keller of 24 Willet Street, Manhattan. This infant was born 17 months after the birth of Sarah's fifth child.

Source 7: New York County, New York, "Certificate and Record of Death," no. 31363 (1892), Leo Keller; New York Municipal Archives, New York. **See Appendix E.**

Notes: This document is a scan of the original. The quality of the scan is adequate, and the handwriting is legible.

Abstract: Leo Keller, the son of Nathan and Sarah Keller, died of asphyxia at 2300 on 24 August 1892 at 24 Willet Street in Manhattan. Leo was six hours old at the time of death and was buried at Washington Cemetery. Both of his parents were born in Austria.

Conclusion: This confirms the death of Leo Keller, the newborn son of Nathan Keller and Sarah Keller of 24 Willet Street in Manhattan. This death occurred less than a year after the death of the infant referenced in Source 6.

Source 8: New York County, New York, "Certificate and Record of Marriage," no. 14082 (1915), Keller-Bruder; digital images, "Historical Vital Records, New York City Municipal Archives (<https://a860-historicalvitalrecords.nyc.gov/view/8596395>) : accessed 6 March 2023). **See Appendix F.**

Notes: This document is a scan of the original. The quality of the scan is adequate, and the handwriting is legible. Note that the record is indexed as "Ina H. Keller."

Abstract: On 22 June 1915, 25-year-old Dora Hanna Keller, born in New York City to Nathan Keller and Celia Bruder married Harry D. Bruder a 29-year-old salesman born in Austria to Joseph Bruder and Gittle Berg. It was the first marriage for both. Witnesses included Jacob [last name difficult to read] and Wm. Schwartz.

Conclusion: Dora Keller married Harry Bruder in 1915. Dora's age of 25 would suggest a birthyear of 1890, three years later than Dora Keller's birth record. In addition, this is the first document that identifies Nathan's wife as Celia (versus Sali or Sarah). These discrepancies might be explained by inaccurate age reporting (possibly volitional to appear younger) and continued "Americanization" of Dora's mother's first name.

Source 9: New York County, New York, "Certificate of Death," no. 17027 (1939), Dora Bruder; digital images, "Historical Vital Records, New York City Municipal Archives (<https://a860-historicalvitalrecords.nyc.gov/view/6784366>) : accessed 8 March 2023). **See Appendix G.**

Notes: This document is a scan of the original. The quality of the scan is adequate, and the handwriting is legible. No informant is listed but was obviously not the decedent.

Abstract: Dora Bruder, a 52-year-old housewife, died at Israel Zion Hospital in Brooklyn, New York on 16 August 1939 of cystadenoma-carcinoma of the ovary with massive metastases. Her residence at the time of death was 1532 46th Street in Brooklyn. She was the wife of Harry and the daughter of William Schwartz and Celia Bruder. Both of her parents were born in Austria.

Conclusion: Dora's age at death of 52 correlates to a birthyear of 1887, consistent with the birth record of Dora, daughter of Naftali and Sali. The death record lists her father as William Schwartz, not Nathan Keller. Further information is needed to clarify the relationship of Dora and William Schwartz.

Source 10: 1910 U.S. census, New York County, New York, population schedule, Manhattan, ED 0253, sheet no. 13B, dwelling 19, family249, household of William Schwartz; digital images, *Ancestry* (https://www.ancestry.com/imageviewer/collections/7884/images/4449602_01052?pid=100621875) : accessed 6 March 2023); citing NARA microfilm T624, roll 1011. **See Appendix H.**

Notes: This document is a scan of the original. Census information was documented by the census taker. The informant is not identified in the 1910 census. Census data inaccuracy was not uncommon. Reasons for inaccuracy included knowledge deficits of the informant, inaccurate interpretation or recording by the census taker, and deliberate inaccuracy in reporting by the household.

Abstract: In 1910, William Schwartz, a 34-year-old Hungarian-born musician was enumerated in Manhattan, living on 6th Street. His marital status was "M1," likely indicating that this was his first marriage. He was a naturalized citizen, having immigrated in 1883. The marital status of his Austrian-born wife Celia was "M2," likely indicating she had been married once before. She was 37 and reported giving birth to four children, with three currently living. William and Celia had been married for 15 years, providing an estimated marriage year of 1895. Also in the home were 20-year-old daughter Dora, a pianist, and sons Morris, age 13, and Jacob, age 11. All three children were born in New York.

Conclusion: This census provides evidence that William Schwartz was the second husband of Celia. Daughter Dora was born five years before their marriage, likely indicating she was the daughter of Celia's first husband and the stepdaughter of William Schwartz. This is consistent with Dora Keller's marriage certificate (identifying her father as Nathan Keller, marriage witnessed by William Schwarz), and her death certificate (identifying her father as William Schwartz). Celia's report of having four children with three living is inconsistent with the number of children attributed to Celia prior to Naftali's return to Austria. It is possible Celia's response on the census referenced only Dora and her children with William.

Source 11: New York County, New York, "Certificate of Death," no. 17027 (1938), Celia Schwartz; digital images, "Historical Vital Records, New York City Municipal Archives (<https://a860-historicalvitalrecords.nyc.gov/view/6727656>) : accessed 12 June 2023). **See Appendix I.**

Notes: This document is a scan of the original. The quality of the scan is adequate, and the handwriting is legible. The informant for this certificate was her son.

Abstract: Celia Schwartz, the wife of William Schwartz, died on 24 March 1938 in Brooklyn of coronary thrombosis with terminal pulmonary edema. Her place of death was 67 Hanson Place, a tenement. She was a 62-year-old Hungarian-born housewife and had been in the United States for 50 years. Her parents were Samuel Bruder and Sylvia Siegler, both born in Hungary. She was buried at Mt. Hebron Cemetery.

Conclusion: This document confirms Celia's maiden name of Bruder and provides the names of her parents, Samuel Bruder and Sylvia Siegler of Hungary. Her age of 62 translates to an estimated birthyear of 1876.

RECOMMENDATIONS FOR FURTHER RESEARCH

- Research the William Shwartz household in the 1900, 1920, and 1930 US censuses and the 1905, 1915, and 1925 New York State censuses to search for any other surviving children of Celia's first marriage. Census records can be found on Ancestry and FamilySearch.
- Research the Keller plots in Washington Cemetery in Brooklyn. This may identify additional children born to Naftali and Celia. See <https://www.findagrave.com/cemetery/66651/washington-cemetery>.
- Research birth or marriage records for Celia Bruder, daughter of Samuel Bruder and Sylvia Siegler and wife of Naftali Keller and William Schwartz. Jewishgen.org contains many indexed Jewish records from Hungary. In addition, the New York City Municipal Archives contains marriage records from New York City.
- Research immigration records for Celia/Sali/Sarah Bruder Keller who immigrated before 1887 (the birth of Dora). Note that she may have been traveling with Naftali. As there were two children born before Dora, she may also have been traveling with children. Immigration records can be searched at Stevemorse.org.

ATTACHMENTS

Appendix A: Birth of Dora Keller

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STATE OF NEW YORK.

County of New York. City of New York.

BIRTH RETURN.

(In full when possible.)

1. Name of Child Dora

2. Sex White { Color or Race, } Date of Birth,

MONTH	DAY	YEAR
<u>Oct 7</u>	<u>Friday</u>	<u>188</u>

{ If other than the White }

3. Place of Birth (Street and Number) 146 Ridge St.

4. Name of Father Kaphtali Keller { If out of wedlock and name not given, write O. W. }

5. Full Name of Mother Salie Brodi

6. Maiden Name of Mother _____

7. Birthplace (Country or State) of Mother Hungary Age 22 years.

8. " " of Father Shapir Age 22 years. Occupation Musician

9. Number of Child of Mother { (whether 1, 2, 3, &c.) } 3 How many of them now living 2

10. Name and address of Medical Attendant or other authorized person, in own handwriting { Signature J. H. Gifford Address 175-2 St. }

11. Date of this Return Oct 14/88

Appendix B: Death of Abraham Salomon Keller

COUNTY OF NEW YORK

RECEIVED

1 - JUL 1 1890

STATE OF NEW YORK. 21240

CERTIFICATE AND RECORD OF DEATH

OF

Abraham Salmon Heller

CITY OF NEW YORK

No. of Certificate,

21240

I hereby certify that I attended deceased from *June 26 1890* to *July 1 1890* that I last saw him alive on the *30* day of *June* 1890, that he died on the *1* day of *July* 1890 about *8 o'clock A. M.* or *P. M.*, and that to best of my knowledge and belief, the cause of his death was as hereunder written:

Chief Cause, *Acute Enteritis* Duration of Disease, *5 days*

Contributing Cause, *Convolutions* 4 hrs.

Sanitary Observations, _____

Witness my hand this *1* day of *July* 1890

Place of Burial, *Washington Cemetery* (REGISTRY)

Date of Burial, *July 1 1890*

Undertaker, *John Horner* RESIDENCE, *813 E. 10th St.*

Residence, *194 E. 10th St.*

Burial performed at 101 West Street, Room 25, Week Days, 7 A. M. - 4 P. M. Sundays and Holidays, 8 A. M. - 5 P. M.

Place of Birth	Date of Birth	Sex	Color	Height, Weight or Physical Condition	Occupation	Religion	How long in U. S. if foreign born	How long resident in New York City	Deceased's Name	Father's Name	Mother's Name	Marriage & Birthplace	Place of Death	Last place of Residence	Class of Dwelling	Direct cause of Death	Indirect cause of Death	Date of Burial
<i>Poland</i>	<i>July 1 90</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>White</i>	<i>5 ft 10 in</i>	<i>None</i>	<i>Catholic</i>	<i>10 yrs</i>	<i>10 yrs</i>	<i>Abraham Heller</i>	<i>Mathias Heller</i>	<i>Barck Heller</i>	<i>Poland</i>	<i>24 West 1st</i>	<i>Poland</i>	<i>Acute Enteritis</i>	<i>Convolutions</i>	<i>July 1 90</i>	

Appendix C: Birth of Abraham Salomon Keller

COUNTY OF NEW YORK. STATE OF NEW YORK. CITY OF NEW YORK.

CERTIFICATE AND RECORD OF BIRTH

Received and recorded
1 MAY 1890

No. of Certificate, 12370

Name and address of person making this report, Signature, *Lewis P. Keller*

Residence, *313 St.*

DATE OF REPORT, *April 27* 1890

Name.	Sex.	Color.	Date of Birth.	Place of Birth.	Father's Name.	Residence.	Birthplace.	Age.	Occupation.	Mother's Name.	Mother's Name before Marriage.	Residence.	Birthplace.	Age.	Number of previous Children.	How many now living (in all).	Date of Record.
<i>Abraham Salomon Keller</i>	<i>Male</i>		<i>April 19, 1890</i>	<i>24 Weller</i>	<i>Milton Keller</i>	<i>24 Weller</i>	<i>Youngsey</i>	<i>27</i>	<i>Musician</i>	<i>Frank P. Keller</i>	<i>Frank P. Keller</i>	<i>24 Weller</i>	<i>Youngsey</i>	<i>25</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>April 27</i>

Appendix D: Death of Newborn Male Keller

CITY OF NEW YORK

STATE OF NEW YORK.

CERTIFICATE AND RECORD OF DEATH

No. of Certificate. **31416**

I hereby certify that I attended deceased from **Sept 8 1891** to **Sept 9 1891**, that I last saw him alive on the **8** day of **Sept 1891**, that he died on the **9** day of **Sept 1891**, about **3 o'clock A.M. or P.M.**, and that to best of my knowledge and belief, the cause of his death was as hereinafter written:

Chief Cause, **Pulmonary Oedema**

Contributing Cause, **"**

Sanitary Observations,

Witness my hand this **9** day of **Sept 1891**

Place of Burial **Washington Cem** (SIGNATURE) **Lewis Price M.D.**

Date of Burial **Sept 9 1891**

Underaker, **M.J. Gelle** RESIDENCE, **313 E 4**

Residence, **120 Willst St**

Burial permits issued at 301 Mott Street, Room 38, Week days, 7 A. M.-6 P. M. Sundays and Holidays, 8 A. M.-5 P. M.

Date of Death	Full Name	Age, Sex, Race, color, and date	Color	Status, Married or Widowed	Occupation	Birthplace	How long in U.S. if foreign born	How long resident in New York City	Father's Name	Mother's Name	Mother's Birthplace	Place of Death	Last place of Residence	Name of Doctor	Time elapsed between death and burial	Direct cause of Death	Indirect cause of Death	Date of Record
Sept 9 91	Heller	8 years	White	Single		New York	Long	Long	Nathan Heller	Sarah Heller	New York	New York	New York	Dr. J. Gelle	24 hours	Pulmonary Oedema		

NO DUPLICATED CERTIFICATE WILL BE RECEIVED.

Appendix E: Death of Leo Keller

CERTIFICATE AND RECORD OF DEATH

STATE OF NEW YORK.

County of New York

No. of Certificate, 31363

31363

6 24 1892

Leo Keller

I hereby certify that I attended deceased from Aug 25th 1892 to Aug 26th 1892 that I last saw him alive on the 23rd day of August 1892, that he died on the 24th day of Aug. 1892, about 11 o'clock P.M., and that to best of my knowledge and belief, the cause of his death was as hereunder written:

Chief Cause, *Asphyxia (the chest bones broken)*

Contributing Cause, _____

Sanitary Observations, _____

Witness my hand this 24th day of August 1892

Place of Burial, *Washington Cem* (SIGNATURE) *M. H. Davis* M.D.

Date of Burial, *Aug 24 1892*

Undertaker, *W. J. Bell* RESIDENCE, *175-179 Chr Church St*

Residence, *120 Willett St*

Birth permits issued at 301 Mort Street, Room 30, Week days, 7 A. M. - 6 P. M. Sundays and Holidays, 8 A. M. - 5 P. M.

Date of Death	Full Name	Age, Sex, Race, and Date	Color	Single, Married or Widowed	Occupation	Birthplace	How long in U. S. if foreign born	How long resident in New York City	Father's Name	Father's Birthplace	Mother's Name	Mother's Birthplace	Place of Death	Last place of Residence	Cause of Death	Direct cause of Death	Indirect cause of Death	Time of Death
August 24 th 1892	Leo Keller	6 hours	white	single	Asphyxia	N.Y.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Asphyxia	Asphyxia	—	—

NO MUTILATED CERTIFICATE WILL BE RECEIVED.

Appendix F: Marriage of Dora Keller

10 H-1918

THE CITY OF NEW YORK.
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

STATE OF NEW YORK.

No. of Certificate. **14082**

CERTIFICATE AND RECORD OF MARRIAGE

of
Harry G. Bruder and *Dora Hanna Keller*

Groom's Residence	<i>New Brunswick N.J.</i>	Bride's Residence	<i>New York city</i>
Age	<i>29</i>	Age	<i>25</i>
Color	<i>White</i>	Color	<i>White</i>
Single, Widowed or Divorced	<i>Single</i>	Single, Widowed or Divorced	<i>Single</i>
Occupation	<i>Salesman</i>	Maiden Name, if a Widow	<i>-</i>
Birthplace	<i>Austria</i>	Birthplace	<i>New York city</i>
Father's Name	<i>Joseph</i>	Father's Name	<i>Mathew</i>
Mother's Maiden Name	<i>Gittel Berg</i>	Mother's Maiden Name	<i>Cecil Bruder</i>
Number of Groom's Marriage	<i>First</i>	Number of Bride's Marriage	<i>First</i>

I hereby certify that the above-named groom and bride were joined in Marriage by me, in accordance with the Laws of the State of New York, at *260 E. 4th Street* (Street), in the Borough of *Man.* City of New York, this *29th* of *June* 191*8*.

Witnesses to the Marriage: *Jacob Lemels* and *William Schwartz*

Signature of person performing the Ceremony: *David Fraumet*
Official Station: *349 E. 4th Street*
Residence: *349 E. 4th Street*

WE hereby certify that we are the Groom and Bride named in this Certificate, and that the information given therein is correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Harry G. Bruder Groom
Dora Keller Bride

Signed in the presence of

and

Jacob Lemels
WM Schwartz

It shall be the duty of the clergymen, magistrates and other persons who perform the marriage ceremony to keep a registry of the marriages celebrated by them. * * * * *

Every person authorized by law to perform the marriage ceremony shall register his or her name and address in the office of the Bureau of Records (Sec. 158, Sanitary Code).

It shall be the duty of every person required to make or keep any such registry, of * * * * * marriage * * * * * to present to the Bureau of Records a copy of such registry signed by such person * * * * * within ten days after the * * * * * marriage * * * * * which shall thereupon be placed on file in the said Bureau (Sec. 161, Sanitary Code).

N. B.—Sec. 1239, Chap. 532, Laws of 1905, makes the failure to report within ten days a written copy of the registry of the marriages provided to be registered a misdemeanor, punishable by fine or imprisonment.

Appendix E: Death of Dora Bruder (2 pages)

CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

AUG 17 AM 9:15

1 PLACE OF DEATH: BOROUGH OF Brooklyn Certificate No. 17087
 Name of Institution Israel Ziv Hospital 4802 Tenth Avenue

2 FULL NAME (PRINT) Dora Bruder
 First Name Middle Name Last Name

3 Residence (usual place of abode) No. 1532-46 Ave. St. Borough of Brooklyn
 (If nonresident, give place and State)

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

4 SEX Female 5 COLOR OR RACE white 6 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED Married

6A WIFE Harry HUSBAND OF (Month) (Day) (Year)

7 DATE OF BIRTH OF DECEDENT (Month) (Day) (Year)

8 AGE OF DECEDENT 52 yrs. mos. ds. or min. If LESS than 1 day, hrs.

9 OCCUPATION A Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as spinner, sawyer, bookkeeper, etc. Housewife
 B Industry or business in which work was done, as silk mill, sawmill, bank, etc.
 C Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year) Jan 1939 D Total time (years) spent in this occupation 24 years

10 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) United States

11 How long in U. S. (If of foreign birth) Life 12 How long resident in City of New York Life

13 NAME OF FATHER OF DECEDENT William Schwartz

14 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER OF DECEDENT (State or country) Austria

15 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER OF DECEDENT Celia Bruder

16 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER OF DECEDENT (State or country) Austria

17 INFORMANT

21 PLACE OF BURIAL My Hebrew Cemetery DATE OF BURIAL Aug 17 1939

22 UNDERTAKER Isidor Dora Inc 2046 ADDRESS 2046 Avenue A

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

18 DATE OF DEATH (Month) (Day) (Year) August 16 1939

19 I hereby certify that deceased was admitted to this institution on August 15 1939, that I last saw her alive on the 16 day of August 1939, that she died on the 16 day of August 1939, about 5:40 o'clock A.M. or P.M.

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows: Cystadenoma - Carcinoma of ovary & massive metastases DURATION

Other contributory causes of importance:

What test confirmed diagnosis? positive operation
 Name of operation Bioxy
 Date Aug 16 1939 Was there an autopsy?
 Signature Herbert A. Brunker M. D.
 20 Pathologist's Report

Signature _____ M. D.

BUREAU OF RECORDS DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH CITY OF NEW YORK

TO FUNERAL DIRECTORS

Regulation 3, Section 46 of the Sanitary Code, provides that—

"No permit to remove, ship, cremate or bury the remains *** will be issued unless the funeral director applying for such permit shall sign his name ***** and shall certify in writing that he has been employed by the nearest surviving relative or next of kin."

Caskets containing bodies of persons dead from certain communicable diseases must be permanently sealed before removal from the place of death. Section 101 of the Sanitary Code of the Board of Health requires that every undertaker engaged for, or in charge of, the preparation and burial of the body of a person who died in the City of New York from any of the following diseases: Asiatic Cholera, Diphtheria, bubonic plague, acute anterior poliomyelitis (infantile paralysis), scarlet fever (Scarlatina) and smallpox (variola)—shall immediately place the body in a coffin or casket and permanently close and seal it with seals provided for the purpose by the Department of Health.

Removal of bodies prohibited without permit. The regulations of the Board of Health prohibit the removal of the body of a human being, who died in the City of New York, unless a permit therefor has been obtained from the Department of Health, except when such removal is ordered in connection with an investigation conducted by the Office of the Chief Medical Examiner, a District Attorney or the Police Department.

Permission to remove dead bodies granted by telephone. In keeping with these regulations, the Department of Health will grant to funeral directors by telephone, permission for the removal of a body to a home or funeral chapel, provided the application is made by a licensed undertaker who has in his possession at the time of telephoning, the following documents: (a) the certificate of death; and (b) the physician's supplementary certification.

FUNERAL DIRECTOR'S CERTIFICATE

I hereby certify that I have been employed, without any solicitation on my part or that of any other person, as undertaker to dispose of the remains of Dora Bruder

by Harry Bruder of 452 E 6 St who is the Husband and the nearest surviving relative or next of kin of the deceased.

This statement is made to obtain a permit for the burial or cremation of the remains of the deceased. (Signature) Gerhard A. Bruder, M.D. Business Address 452 E 6 St Permit No. 2046

If another undertaker in your employ is to take personal charge of the work in the care, preparation, or other disposition of such dead human body, give his name. _____ State License No. _____

PHYSICIAN'S SUPPLEMENTARY CERTIFICATION

(Required in Connection with Telephone Application for Removal Permit.)

DEATHS THAT ARE EVEN REMOTELY ASSOCIATED WITH AN EARLIER ACCIDENT, MUST BE REFERRED TO THE MEDICAL EXAMINER.

If death has not been contributed to or caused by homicide, suicide, accident, acute or chronic poisoning, abortion, puerperal sepsis, or any suspicion of those conditions, and the funeral director desires to obtain removal permission by telephone, the physician will execute the following certification:

I hereby certify that the death of Dora Bruder who died on August 16, 1939 at Israel Gen Hospital

has not been contributed to or caused by any of the conditions mentioned in the above list. (Personal Signature of Physician) Gerhard A. Bruder, M.D. Address 4802 - 10th Ave

TO BE FILLED IN BY THE FUNERAL DIRECTOR

Date 8/16/39 Hour 8:00 (A.M.) (P.M.)

Telephone Removal No. _____ granted by Tony (Burial Clerk) Gerhard A. Bruder Undertaker

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Appendix I: Death of Celia Schwartz (2 pages)

Nº A 40843 -1933 14-H 25-2608-33-B

STATE OF NEW YORK
Department of Health of The City of New York
BUREAU OF RECORDS
STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

1 PLACE OF DEATH
BOROUGH OF Brooklyn
No. 67 Hanson Pl. St. _____

Character of premises, whether tenement, private, hotel, hospital or other place, etc. Tenement Registered No. 6528

2 PRINT FULL NAME Celia Schwartz

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE White 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED married (Write the word)

15 DATE OF DEATH March 24, 1938
(Month) (Day) (Year)

16 I hereby certify that the foregoing particulars (Nos. 1 to 14 inclusive) are correct as near as the same can be ascertained, and I further certify that I attended the deceased from Oct. 1, 1937 to March 24, 1938, that I last saw her alive on the 24th day of March, 1938, that death occurred on the date stated above at 6 P. M., and that the cause of death was as follows:
Coronary Thrombosis with terminal Pulmonary Edema

17 duration yrs. mos. ds.

Contributory Arteriosclerosis Hypertension
Operation? _____ State kind _____

17 duration yrs. mos. ds.

Witness my hand this _____ day of _____, 19____

Signature Mark Liebert M. D.
Address 62 Hanson Place

14 Special INFORMATION required in deaths in hospitals and institutions and in deaths of non-residents and recent residents.

Usual Residence _____

14a INFORMANT: son

FILED MAR 25 1938 17 PLACE OF BURIAL mt Arbron Cem DATE OF BURIAL March 25, 1938
18 UNDERTAKER Isador Sander 2946 ADDRESS 52 E. 14th St. N.Y.C.

MARGIN RESERVED FOR BINDING
NO MUTILATED CERTIFICATE WILL BE RECEIVED

TO PHYSICIANS

1. The attending physician must furnish a certificate to the Department of Health within 36 hours after death, and where death has resulted from infectious or contagious disease a certificate must be furnished by him **forthwith** (Sanitary Code, Sections 33 and 90).

2. All physicians practicing in The City of New York (including those in public institutions) must be registered in the Bureau of Records (Sanitary Code, Section 218).

3. If a person dies from **criminal violence** or by a **casualty** or by **suicide**, or **suddenly while in apparent health**, or when **unattended by a physician or in prison**, or in any **suspicious or unusual manner**, it shall be the duty of any citizen who may become aware of the death of any such person to report such death forthwith to the office of the chief medical examiner, and to a police officer who shall forthwith notify the officer in charge of the station house in the police precinct in which such person died. Any person who shall wilfully neglect or refuse to report such death or who without written order from a medical examiner shall wilfully touch, remove or disturb the body of any such person, or wilfully touch, remove, or disturb the clothing, or any article upon or near such body, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor. (Inserted by Laws 1915, Chapter 284, Section 2. In effect January 1, 1918.)

4. Certificates will be returned for additional information which give any of the following diseases, without explanation, as the sole cause of death:

Abortion,	Hemorrhage,	Meningitis,	Phlebitis,
Cellulitis,	Gangrene,	Metritis,	Pyæmia,
Childbirth,	Gastritis,	Miscarriage,	Septicæmia,
Convulsions,	Erysipelas,	Peritonitis,	Tetanus.

(Any one of these may be the result of an injury, and thus be a subject for investigation by a Medical Examiner. If it is not, the certificate should make that fact plain.)

5. No certificate giving "Heart failure," "Dropsy," or other **mere symptom** as the sole cause of death will be accepted, unless accompanied by a satisfactory written explanation.

6. **Statement of Occupation.**—Precise statement of occupation is very important, so that the relative healthfulness of various pursuits can be known. The question applies to each and every person, irrespective of age. For many occupations a single word or term on the first line will be sufficient, e. g., *Farmer or Planter, Physician, Composer, Architect, Locomotive Engineer, Civil Engineer, Stationary Fireman*, etc. But in many cases, especially in industrial employments, it is necessary to know (a) the kind of work and also (b) the nature of the business or industry, and therefore an additional line is provided for the latter statement it should be used only when needed. As examples: (a) *Spinner*, (b) *Cotton Mill*; (a) *Salesman*, (b) *Grocery*; (a) *Foreman*, (b) *Automobile Factory*.

TO UNDERTAKERS

1. No burial permit can be obtained without a proper certificate.

2. Certificates must be written throughout in black ink.

3. No certificate will be accepted which is **mutilated, illegible, inaccurate**, or any portion of which has been **erased, interlined, corrected or altered**, as all such changes impair its value as a public record.

I hereby certify that I have been employed, without any solicitation on my part or that of any other person as undertaker herein by William Seligson

of 67 Avenue Place who is the Hubbard

and the nearest surviving relative or next of kin of the deceased. This statement is made to obtain a permit for the burial or cremation of the remains of the deceased.

(Signature) William Seligson

Business Address 1024 Avenue C

Permit Number (Undertaker's) 2046

If another undertaker in your employ is to take personal charge of the work in the care, preparation or other disposition of such dead human body, give his name and State License number.

State License No. _____