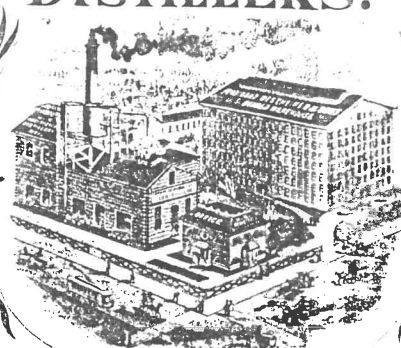


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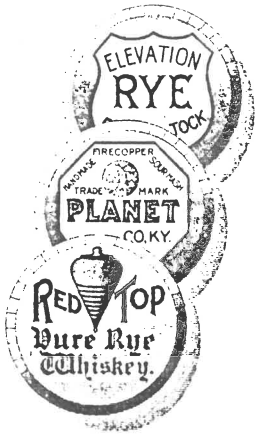
Dear children Lev & Duffie

We have your very sweet
letters and are delighted that you
had a pleasant voyage. We hope
that you will continue to enjoy
your outing and return to us
in the best of health & happiness
here all is well thank God
& from Cincinnati we have
similar good report as also
from Baltimore, Dear Mother &
I will spend part of the summer
with Mavis & Pauline at childswater
& the latter part with Eugene, later
either at Atlantic City or Saratoga

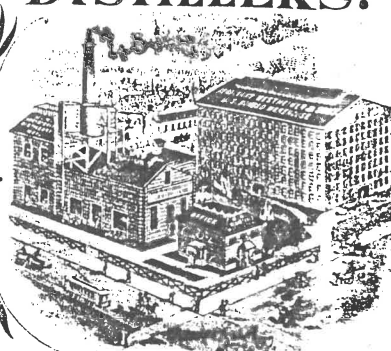
before going east however we
will go to St Paul to attend
the 25th Wedding anniversary of
Mr & Mrs Abner

The Business in Cincinnati no
doubt. Maria's report is
it is quite satisfactory that
of Cash Best Co is fully
as good as can be expected
and I have every confidence that
within two years it will
be one of our Best
and fine Business best about
equals that of last year & this!
(considering that Milton is not
with us here who as you know
had a splendid Business) is
very satisfactory. We used this
morning a copy of its Cincinnati Times Star

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an which are the Spirit Distilling
connections is published with
all the Stock holders enumerated
The long projected Convention Hall
to be built in St Joseph is
now a certainty there will
be a meeting of the Stockholders
to Monday Evening for the purpose
of ratifying the committee
work I will attend it

The weather is delightful
and I expect for us
a very pleasant Summer Vacation

Dear Mother has engaged
a Lady to be her Maid during
the June & is very much pleased
with her

I would like to prolong this
letter if I could serve you
with any thing interesting to
you but small matters
don't interest you so far
exciting news this town is
so small for you to be interested
in except our health &
that is really exceptionally
good with all of us & hope
and pray that you too enjoy
the same blessing to its full
extent remaining with
Love & Kisses from Father
Father

Dear Mother is about to business early in
the hand getting ready for our summer trip
to the sea with dear Mother

Letter from Ferdinand Westheimer (Grandfather of Jean Rotenberg & Leo Westheimer)
to Duff & Leo Westheimer Jean & Leo's Parents.

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Sept. 18th 1906

Dear children

In the approaching

Rush & Bashoo Dear Mother

& myself congratulate you
from the bottom of hearts

and hope that you will
continue to enjoy the blessing
of good health and that our

our darling children will

grow up as they promise to
do to be a pleasure to
themselves and us and an
honour to themselves & the community

at large I would not

know what else to wish you
for our certainty as always

with all that makes life a
pleasure

We attended service
last Saturday and listened
to our new Roblin's lecture
which was very good &
from all appearances he
will give us good satisfaction
he certainly has marked very
magnatic for we have more
over 100 members in our
congregation and the city has
already gone out that we
need a new Temple &
in fact our temple is small
for our members like

With Love & Kiss in whole
Dear Mother from me
cheerful kiss to
Lottie Ferdinand & Joseph
Foster



F. J. BAILEY
MANAGER

CHARLEVOIX, MICH.

Aug 17 1906

Dear Duffie

I wish you
were here or that we
were at Cincinnati
to congratulate you
and give you a hearty
kiss to your Birthday
in person, as I heartily
congratulate you and
with our dear Leo
and our two Darling
Bohies, Pauline and
& Joseph. for they too
are entitled to con-
gratulations for possessing

~~Dear~~ dear

Dear Lew as his loving
Wife

and the children as far
possessing our as
keys about having

Mother, I hope dear
Duffie that our
will our time to enjoy
the choicest blessing
in every respect for many
many years surrounded
by our dear husband
& children all in
the best health, I believe
me

your
loving Father W. D. H. H.



F. J. BAILEY
MANAGER

CHARLEVOIX, MICH.

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3/ when our mother & our
dear Parents please
remember us to them
they seem to have a
splendid time especially
having the boys with
them we have now
quite a party of ourselves
Mr & Mrs Estlin Pauline
Lathrop Sadie Mr & Mrs
Bendish Mrs White
Daughters & if our cousin
he with us with Leo
we would have the most
congenial company
at this Hotel

but we make the best
of what we have as
long as it lasts

next Monday the Bens
and Family will leave
next Thursday the

Mr. Eubank will
leave so all that is left
will be the Bens
& Family until the 25th
when we expect Mr.

& we will be very glad
of it the season

though we have very
hot days much more
than last year

approaching to June
and we will face

St. Joseph road via
Cincinnati & Louisville
via Long Point

Dear Leo
I can see Mother
left a space for me
to fill but I wanted
every nerve this morning
to express my heartfelt
feeling I ~~wanted~~ ^{send}
messages for you
so if I should have
overlooked some
please consider it
and let it well
for its deed
our loving
Father



My dear dear Leo:

It is again my
great pleasure to congratulate
you dear son to your birth
day may you only have joy
and happiness is store for you
as you have now. all is big
you have so much to be happy
about a loving wife whose
sole wish is to see you cared
for three lovely children who
are a great gift of God may

but am very anxious to see
him - and hear about you all
We also wish to thank you and
dear Sophie for New Year letters,
telegramms and lovely beautiful
Boxes - am always so very glad
to receive your happy letters, as
dear Mother wants to add a
few lines will tell you how
very much we enjoy ~~seeing~~
dear Helen and Marshall's being
with us, and felt Dave absent
less than we otherwise Helen's
Oeds love and so does your
loving Mother

they continue to grow as they
have healthy bright and charming
a successful human - every thing
to be proud of Parents make doubly
you friends, by the score - now
what else can a maternal want
and I know you have no other
want, but the love and happiness
of your family and friends -
I am very anxious to see dear
Dave and I learn arrived here
this morning - we have not
seen him yet - and will not
until this evening -

"The Memory of the Righteous is a Blessing"

In Memoriam

Ferdinand Westheimer

Translated from earthly life to the eternal realms of peace, Ferdinand Westheimer remains an inspiration to all who knew and loved him. Rich in achievement, noble in character, gentle in manner, and lovable in his winning personality, full of years, with the winter frost sitting but lightly on his head, he put aside the mantle of life and donned the robe of blessed immortality.

We are the richer because he was our friend. His was a broad liberality, a just mind and a charitable spirit. He practiced through his whole life the best tenets of our order. Benevolence was his watch-word; Brotherly love was in him personified; and Harmony was the ideal for which he ever prayed and labored. In death he continues, as he was in life, a valued member of our lodge.

We shall miss his able counsel, his sage advice, his practical help, his genial and cordial friendliness, and above all things his supreme faith in divine Providence.

In expressing our sympathy to his bereaved family in their great loss, Joseph Lodge No. 73, Independent Order B'nai Brith records its own deep obligation to the memory of a tried friend and true helper in every humane cause, "doing justly, loving mercy and walking humbly with his God."

Resolved that a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes, a copy published in the "B'nai Brith News" and an engrossed copy transmitted to the sorrowing family of our departed brother.

LOUIS BERNSTEIN,
SOL. EHRMAN,
JULIUS MEYER,

Committee.

St. Joseph, Missouri
February 27th, 1913.

In Memoriam

Whereas, It has pleased the Almighty Omnipotent Ruler of Destinies to take from our midst our beloved sister in our faith

Mrs. Sarah H. Wexheimer

therefore, be it

Resolved, That the community has lost in her a woman of the highest nobility in these ideal traits of character which render to home life the distinct, traditional Jewish feature of domestic happiness, extending kind advice and a helping hand to those in need irrespective of religion; ever ready as an active, zealous and devotional leader for the good of Temple Adath Joseph and Judaism.

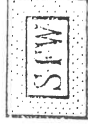
Ordered, That, for the members of Temple Adath Joseph, we convey the expression of our hearty sympathy to the bereaved children and family.

St. Joseph, Mo.,
January, 1914.

S. H. Wexheimer
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Committee

Dear Leo
I've seen work
left a space for me
to fill but I needed
every nerve this morning
to express my heartfelt
feeling I send you
wishes for your
so if I should have
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please consider it
and take it well
for its deed
unending
Father



My dear dear Leo:

It is again my
great pleasure to congratulate
your dear son to your birth
day may you only have joy
and happiness is store for you
as you have now all is bright
you have so much to be happy
about a loving wife whose
sole wish is to see you cared
for three lovely children who
are a great gift of God may

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few lines will tell you how
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hear Helen and Marshall's being
with us, and felt some absence
less than we otherwise Helen's
Orders here and so does your
sister's Mother

they continue to grow as they
have healthy bright and charming
a successful human - every thing
to be proud of Parents make doubly
your friends, by the score - now
what else can a maternal want
and I know you have no other
want, but the love and happiness
of your family and friends -
I am very anxious to see dear
Jane who I learn arrived the
this morning - we have not
seen him yet - and will not
until this evening -

June 10-08

Dearest

Heleen Niel Henry & Sid met
us at the station. We had not
advised them when we would
arrive so they met every train,
& had been at the station an hour
when our train arrived at 7.50.

Dave came on late train
so we are all here ~~except~~ excepting
you dear, Eugene Hatter & Loue.

We called at Borgumens to meet
Carrie - she is charming & (strange
Palt's disease) she is desperately in love
with Henry.

He immediately asked
whether you came & when she learned
you did not proceeded to make you
envious by telling me she had

37 day flat silver.

I do not believe I ever
saw so many beautiful presents.

To cap the climax dearest
sweetest darling her Father
will present Henry with a handsome
home. Envious? not a bit.

Morris is in open revolt
though & has decided to write
Mr. E. Epstein & send him
photos of his brother's home.

Oh I wish you were here
dear & I promise to do all
I can (or rather not to) so that
you will never again miss a
look. Your homeless forlorn

Leo
Kiss my babies & tell Joe that
none of the children here in Charlevoix
ever wet their pants.

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6-22-12

It has come

We have expected it of course
but its here. We have it. By 'me' I
mean me. Its in our midst!

Doris is a suffragette - ardent -
militant - stump speaking
suffragette! True buff. Doris is
at it from early morn till night
& Lou carries pamphlets about for
her. Edith Campbell Helen Froustine
Becky Littleford & Doris are the head &
front of the movement. Doris stands
on the street (4th Race opposite Pogue's)
& addresses whoever will listen. She
is taking instructions - leaving the
art of speaking & standing guessing
& being drilled & will speak

x address audiences anywhere
everywhere. She & Mother had a talk
last night. Doris told Mother
that she talked about things she
knew nothing about. That she
should read up facts & that she
Doris didn't care to discuss the
question with women who were
ignorant & wanted to remain so. So.
That Mrs - Miss - & Mr -
told her it was a waste of breath
to argue with the home circle!!
They're off! The race is being
run.

We had a busy time. I suppose
but Doris doesn't argue she gives
statistics & doesn't care what you
think or say about them.

That's enough news of for
a day?
I haven't prayed for a long
time - you've done it for me.



DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Whosoever these presents shall come Greeting:

I the undersigned, Secretary of State of the United States of America,
hereby request all whom it may concern to permit

Leo F. Westheimer
a Citizen of the United States

_____ safely
and freely to pass and in case of need to give
him all lawful Aid and Protection.

Description:

Age 32 Years
Stature 5 Feet 5 1/2 Inches Eng.
Forehead High
Eyes Brown
Nose Medium
Mouth Large
Chin Ordinary
Hair Dark
Complexion Medium
Face Oval



Given under my hand and the
Seal of the Department of State,
at the City of Washington, C
the 2nd day of May
in the year 1900 and of the
Independence of the United States
the one hundred and twenty fourth

Signature of the Bearer

Leo F. Westheimer

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