

PLEA FOR FRANK TO WILSON.

Sons of Israel Ask President to Intercede for Clemency.

WASHINGTON, May 31. — President Wilson received today a telegram from the Independent Order of Sons of Israel, telling him that ex-Governor Foss of Massachusetts and a delegation had left for Atlanta, Ga., to ask the Governor to commute the sentence of Leo M. Frank, under sentence of death.

The message asked the President to intercede in the case. Mr. Wilson has not yet replied to the telegram.

CONVENTION FAVORS FRANK.

Federation of Russian-Polish Hebrews Meets in Harlem.

At the seventh annual convention of the Federation of Russian Polish Hebrews of America last night in the Harlem Educational Alliance, 132 East 111th Street, President Jacob Carlinger and Secretary David Troutman were re-elected and Morris Kaufman was elected Treasurer.

The convention, which represents 30,000 Russian Polish Jews in the United States, passed a resolution favoring the sending of a petition to the State Prison Commission at Atlanta, Ga., asking that the sentence of Leo M. Frank be commuted.

Another resolution placed the Federation on record as opposed to laws further restricting immigration. A third resolution favored the holding of an American Jewish congress as soon as possible to help the Jews in war-ridden Europe and protesting against mistreatment of such Jews.

The New York Times

Published: June 1, 1915

Copyright © The New York Times