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United States Consulate at Jerusalem
January 2d 1872

Hon 2d Asst. Secretary of State
Washington D.C.

Sir:

I have the honor to transmit herewith my account, with the necessary inclosures and vouchers, for the Quarter ending December 31. 1871. amounting respectively to, viz:

$134 23/100 for Rent & Miscellaneous Expenses act. and
$138 89/100 for Salary of Interpreter and guards; and

to advise my drafts for the same at 15 days sight in favor of Melville P. Berghein, banker at Jerusalem.

I also transmit herewith such annual returns as are required by the Circular regulations.

I have the honor to remain, Sir:

Your obedient Servant
R. Beardsley
U. S. Consul

Nine (9.) inclosures, viz:
No. 1. Register of Official letters sent
No 2. do " " received
3. Aggregate of fees received
4. List of resident American citizens
5. List of dispatches as per Paragraph No 96 of C. R.
6. Names of persons employed in Consulate
7. Return of deceased American citizens
8. Rent & Miscellaneous Ex. act. (6 inclosures)
9. Salary of Interpreter & Guard (2 inclosures)

List of the citizens of the United States residing within the jurisdiction of this Consulate at this date December 31. 1871

Name	age	Residence	Birth place	where Naturalized	Year of Arrival in Country	Remarks
Silenthal, Benjamin	66	Jerusalem	Bavaria	New York	1846	
" David	23	do.	Jerusalem	—	—	Child of Benjamin
" Anna	21	do.	do.	—	—	do.
" Betty	19	do.	do.	—	—	do.
" Moses	17	do.	do.	—	—	do.
" Ezekiel	15	do.	do.	—	—	do.
" Mordechai	9	do.	do.	—	—	do.
" Emanuel	12	do.	do.	—	—	do.
Coppal, Myer	46	do.	Prussia	San Francisco	1862	
(Yetta Coppal) " Yetta Perla	10	do.	Jerusalem	—	—	Child of Myer
Natkin, Solomon N.	51	do.	Russia	New York	1870	Born Feb. 20. 1872
Berman, Simon	52	Nazareth	Cracow	New York	1870	
White, Joseph	24	Jerusalem	Poland	New Orleans	1871	
Hay, Ann M.	52	Jaffa	Virginia	—	1869	
Baldwin, Mary B.	59	do.	do.	—	1868	
Floyd, Rolla	33	do.	Maine	—	1866	
" Theodocia	42	do.	do.	—	1866	wife of Rolla
Leighton, Martha	42	do.	do.	—	1866	
" Adella	18	do.	do.	—	1866	Child of Martha
" Ralph	12	do.	do.	—	1866	do.
Ward, Melville B.	23	do.	do.	—	1866	
Clark, Herbert	15	do.	do.	—	1866	
" Mary	11	do.	do.	—	1866	
" Frank	9	do.	do.	—	1866	
Alley, Abigal	39	do.	do.	—	1866	Child of Abigal
" Willie	11	do.	do.	—		

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Names of Persons employed at the United States Consulate at Jerusalem December 31. 1871

Name	Place	of what country a subject	Rank	Date of Com.	Date of Ex.
Jacomo Bamayotti	Jerusalem	Turkey	Dragoman	Aug. 27. 1871	Oct 3. 1871
Mohamed Juseid	do.	do.	Caouass	Jany 1st 1870	Jany 1. 1870
(Dismissed) Achmed Juseid	do.	do.	do.	Aug 2d 1871	Aug 2. 1871
E. Hardegg	Jaffa	Prussia	Consular Agent	Oct 27. 1871	Not received
Jacob el Musa	do.	Turkey	Dragoman	Dec. 15. 1871	"
Constantine Sir	do.	do.	do.	Dec. 22. 1871	"
Achmed Tells	do.	do.	Caouass	Dec. 15. 1871	
Mohamed Tasid	do.	do.	do.	Dec. 15. 1871	

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Leave of absence for four months granted

No. 71

United States Consulate at
Jerusalem January 18th 1872

Hon Second Secretary of State
Washington, D.C.

Sir:

I have the honor to apply for leave of absence for four months, for the purpose of visiting the United States on business of a private nature, which is liable to arise at any moment during the present year.

If this application is granted, and if it shall become necessary for me to be absent from my post I will leave the affairs of this Consulate in charge of a competent and trustworthy person untill my return.

I am, Sir
Your obt. Servt.
R. Beardsley
U S Consul

Forwarded through the Legation