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First Felshtiner Progressive Benevolent Association. Meetings: First and third Saturdays, 40 East 7<sup>th</sup> Street (Manhattan). Organized: 1905 with seven members, now 110 members. Composition: Mixed, 5% American born, 10% are not Felshtin compatriots. Language spoken at meetings: Yiddish. Cultural Activities: lectures, entertainment, distributing printed materials. Purpose: Mutual aid, sickness and death benefits, cemetery plots, loan bank, fund for needy, support of local institutions. Secretary: I. Fishbayn, 724 East 160th Street, Bronx.

First Felshtiner Women's Auxiliary. Meetings: First and third Saturdays, 40 East 7<sup>th</sup> Street (Manhattan). Organized: 1934 with seven members, now 60 members. Composition: Housewives, 5% American born, 10% are not Felshtin compatriots. Language spoken at meetings: Yiddish. Cultural Activities: lectures, entertainment, helping distribute printed materials, fund for needy, support of local institutions. Secretary: Mrs. Mini Kum, 1978 Bathgate Avenue, Bronx.