

Jacob Stiman

Jacob Stiman was born in Taraspl, Sedhtz, in 1887, the son of Samuel and Sara Stiman. His father was a railroad builder, and gave his son an excellent education, in Russian and in the Talmud. When he was 23, Mr. Stiman came to this country, settling in Newark, N. J., where he went into business.

This business was not successful, and he left Newark, coming to Memphis in 1916, with his family. He had married Ethel Fladsner in 1908, and they have three children, George, who is in business with his father; Sylvia, who just finished high school; and Robert, still in school.

On coming to Memphis, Mr. Stiman began his furniture business, which he still conducts successfully, at 241 N. Main. The family residence is at 1452 Tutwiler.

Mr. Stiman is a past secretary of the Newark branch of the Arbeiter Ring. He has been active in P. O. W. work in Memphis for the past seven years, and is a member of the executive committee.