Simon Cohen

Simon Cohen, the son of Judah Moshe Cohen, was born in Dobzhinsky, Poland, in 1864. He was educated in Cheder there, learning Hebrew and Jewish studies as well as Polish. He followed the career of merchant, first coming to Tennessee in 1883.

In Memphis, the firm is Simon Cohen and Sons, at 149 Beale.

Mr. Cohen married Miss Frieda Levy, and they had seven children, five of whom are living. They are Ollie, deceased, Isaac, deceased, Abe Cohen, (see biography) Hattie, the wife of Isaac Edelstein, has three children, the family living in New York; Mamie, the wife of Herman Hoshan, also living in New York; Annie, married to J. Cohen, the mother of two children, and making her home in New York; and Julian M., attorney, who married Miss Ellen Kaufman, of Bluefields, W. Va., and has one daughter.

Mr. Cohen is a member of Baron Hirsch synagogue, Sam Schloss Lodge No. 35, B'nai B'rith, and the Knights of Pythias.

Mrs. Cohen, deceased, was a member of the Baron Hirsch Auxiliary and the Jewish Ladies' Aid Society.