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Small and Lesser-Known Camps

Testimony by Melekh Leyzerovitsh (extract concerning Bobrojsk)

Until 1939 I lived at home and worked in my profession – as a baker. Also later in the days of the outbreak of the War until 1942 I succeeded in remaining in place. In May of that same year a hunt took place during which I was caught together with around another 1300 (one thousand three hundred) and taken to Bobrojsk (Soviet White Russia). There I worked transporting foodstuffs. I worked in a brigade of 350 (three hundred and fifty) Jews. Our brigadier was called Henoch Statman. I worked there until August 1943.

From Bobrojsk we were transported to a prison in Minsk.