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- 1.11 Dovid Bergelson
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- 1.13 Jews and the American Polity: Critics from Within and Without
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- 2.12 Liminal Jewish Characters in Intercultural Performance: Y. Lerner and His Legacy of Adaptations on the Yiddish Stage
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