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ROYAL LITERARY FUND. Registrar

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Form of Application for an Author.

Christian name and surname of the Applicant in words at length.	Bernhard Horwitz
Profession, University or other titles.	Artist
Age, Date and Place of Birth.	65 born 1807 Neustrelitz Merklenburg
Present Residence.	London
Whether single or married; and if married, or having been so, and having a family, the number, respective ages, and circumstances of the children.	single
If relieved before by the Royal Literary Fund; and if so, how often, and to what amount on each occasion.	not at all
Present means and sources of income, whether from Salary, Annuity, Pension, or other kind of provision; and the amount thereof.	occasional Remuneration Chess Lessons and Printing 50/-

TITLES OF PUBLISHED WORKS, in full.			
** In the case of an Application founded on Contributions to Periodical Literature, the Titles of the Articles must be given, together with the Names, Dates, and Places of Publication of the Periodicals in which they appeared. See Schedule in the next page.	No. of Vols.	Size.	Place of Publication. Date of Publication.
The Chess Studies by Kling and Horwitz	1 Vol.	8o.	London 1853
The Chess Player a Monthly Periodical with notes both these are in English	2 Vols.	8o.	London 185
In German contributions to the Chess Zeitung at various times 1849 to recent date			1851 and

Dated this 15th day of October 1872

(Signature of Applicant.) B Horwitz

3 Francis Street Tottenham
Court Road. (2)

October the 15th 1872.

My Lords and Gentlemen.

Unfortunate circumstances compel me to
ask assistance of your Society, so excellent
in its objects.

I am a German and a literary man,
and have now resided in this country for
nearly 26 years. I have all this time supported
myself by giving Chess lessons, by taking
portraits and by contributions to various
foreign and English periodicals. I am
sorry to say that lately through circum-
stances over which I had no control I have
had but little to do and that I have been
in somewhat feeble health, so that I
have found myself in some severe dif-
ficulties, and have had to part with
very many of my properties. I need
I hope but little help to recover my
losses, and to restore my peace of mind

and

and it is for this that I now venture
to make application to your admirable
Society. I was well known to the late
Prince Albert, who subscribed to my
first Chess work. I can explain
more in detail if needed, the nature
of my mishaps, and the causes of
misfortune.

I am My Lords and Gentlemen

your obedient servant
B. Horwitz

To the Committee of the
Royal Literary Fund.

15, Tower Hill,

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near St. Katherine's Dock

London, October 7th 1872
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My Lords & Gentlemen,

In accordance with your rules
I beg to assure you that my friend
Mr. Bernhard Horwitz is in some
distress at present & would be much
benefitted by your kind help and
aid. I beg to assure you that he is
thoroughly deserving of any help
that you may feel disposed to
give him. I wish him every possible
success.

I am My Lords and Gentlemen,

Yours

Most obedient servant

P. Krauss Klein

To the Committee of
the Royal Anniversary Fund

(3)

Terrace Villa,
Rochampton Sec.

9th Oct. 1872.

Sir, Mr. B. Horwitz has
requested me to state - in
furtherance of his application
to the Royal Literary Fund -
what I know about him.

Mr. Horwitz is an author
well known in the Chess
World - and a very good
Artist - I have known
him personally for some

him, and know him to
be in great need of
assistance arising from
ill health and various
vicissitudes. Here, I
feel sure a most worthy
object for the Charity of
the Royal Literary Fund.

I am Sir,

Yours faithfully,

H. Finckell Parsons

A. Blewitt Esq. Sec. v.

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