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Location

Yurevichi is located in the Polesie region of Belorussia.

Population

	Jewish Population	Total Population
Late 1700s	Jews are first mentioned	
1811	65	
1897	1,287[1)]	1,577[2)]
1926	1,139	

Schools

A Musar Yeshiva was active in Yurevichi until 1922. It was banned by Soviet authorities. A Jewish elementary school was opened in 1922.

Economy

In the early 1930s, 60% of the Jews were artisans. In 1930, two Jewish kolkhozes (collective farms) near Yurevichi supported 50 Jewish families.

Timeline

- 22 August 1941 - The Germans occupied Yurevichi
- October 1941 - Germans establish ghetto
- 19 November 1941 - Between 200-250 Jews were murdered on the banks of the Pripet Rever.
- 27 November 1941 - Another 200 Jews from the ghetto were murdered beside a pit near the town.

[1)] , [2)]
This population figure probably came from Jewish Encyclopedia of Brockhaus and Efron in Russian

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