

the reader has an interest in Middle East Jewish history, they can expect a heavy but satisfying meal. A good read!

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Kaganoff, Nathan. *Judaica Americana: An Annotated Bibliography of Publications from 1960 to 1990*. Preface by Jonathan Sarna. Brooklyn, New York: Carlson Publishing, 1995. 2 volumes, xii + 917 pp.

The late Nathan Kaganoff, for many years librarian of the American Jewish Historical Society, painstakingly compiled bibliographies of publications relevant to American Jewish studies entitled "Judaica Americana" which were published in that society's journal. The present volumes represent a cumulation of his work and thus stand to serve as an important tool for those engaged in North American Jewish studies. The subject and author indices make the work even more useful. Jonathan Sarna's preface gives us an idea of the importance of Kaganoff and his contribution to the field.

It is clear that Kaganoff's primary focus was the Jewish community of the United States. However a perusal of the subject index will reveal that there are many items of Judaica Canadiana included in this important reference work.

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Whitman, Ruth, editor and translator. *Anthology of Modern Yiddish Poetry*. Detroit: Wayne State University Press, 1995. 209 pp.

This is both a limited book and one of great scope. Included is the cream of Yiddish literature. There are, however, glaring omissions such as the work of Soviet poet Perets Markish,