

## Pinchas Halevi Horwitz

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**Name:** Pinchas Halevi

**Last name:** Horwitz

**Date of birth:** 1867

**Date of death:** 1920

**Father:** [Shaul Halevi Horwitz](#)

**Father's name:** Shaul Halevi

**Community:** [Tysmenytsia](#)  
[Bohorodchany \(Brotchin\)](#)

**Died in:** [Bohorodchany \(Brotchin\)](#)

**Organizations:** [Ahavat Zion in Tarnow](#)

**Additional information:**

A descendant of a famous family of rabbis ([Ohalei Shem](#), 223-4).

Rabbi of Bohorodczany from 1898 till 1920. Head of the yeshiva "*Torat Haim*" in Bohorodczany ([Ohalei Shem](#), 223-4).

On his election and pro-Zionist stance see [Ha-magid, no. 1, 5 January 1899, p. 5](#).

During the conference of the "[Ahavat Zion](#)" in Tarnow in April 1899, Rabbi Hurvits was elected a member of the association's Board ([Gelber, Toldot](#), 1:367). He followed the example of his

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predecessor R. Schreier and published a halakhic decision preferring *etrogim* from the Land of Israel ([Marcus, Pri Etz Hadar](#), 20; [Ha-magid, no. 39, 27 September 1900, cover](#)).

He left behind unpublished *responsa*, commentary on the Talmud, a work on the Torah, and other writings ([Ohalei Shem](#), 223-4; [Pinkas Hakehilot](#), 72).

He was also active in Orthodox Jewish politics and took part in the World congress of Orthodox rabbis convened in Kraków in 1903 ([Ha-magid, no. 31, 20 August 1903](#), p. 354).

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