

Annotation

Master Thesis „Benjamin Muremelstein“ introduces life and work of the last *Jewish Elder* of Terezin Ghetto who survived. The Thesis describes a formation of *Jewish Councils* during World War II and their tasks in general. In concrete it describes historical conditions of work of Benjamin Muremelstein before and during the War and also his life after the end of the War and aftermath of his work. Also different perspectives on work of *Jewish Councils* and Benjamin Muremelstein are introduced.