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Kahal - The Jewish community in the Polish-Lithuanian Commonwealth which was autonomous in its internal affairs. It had compulsory power on all Jews in a town as well as on the Jews living in the villages in its vicinity.

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