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Fol. 10. Recto: 36 lines, some words illegible. A declaration of assets and liabilities. Maimon b. Khalifah al-Maghrebi, known as ibn al-Yatim, has been taken ill while on a business trip to Egypt; he now states in the presence of witnesses what goods he has brought with him, to whom they belong, and what some of his own financial investments are:

A. Goods belonging to Abu 'l-Fadi b. Yefeth b. Solomon, known as b. ^{75106x} ~~75106x~~ :
1 bale of cotton, 1 basket containing copper, ^{lincularrabih, sofa cushion? (75106x)}
1 basket containing books, a quantity of Iraqi copper filled with (regular) copper inscribed ^{75106x 10 in reddish-brown colour} (^{75106x}), a bundle of coarse cloth (^{75106x}) in which is wrapped a gold bracelet, 18 small pieces of silver, some jar-lids (^{75106x}), signet-rings, and chunks of iron (^{75106x}). These goods—and probably many of those mentioned further on in the document—were brought to Egypt by Maimon on the ship belonging to Abu 'l-Surrur Farah b. Atiyah ~~75106x~~.

B. Goods belonging to Abu 'l-Khair Faraj b. Nahum: 1 bundle of carpeting (^{75106x}) cloth? (^{75106x}), 1 reed-basket containing glass, and 1 basket containing thin copper.

C. Goods belonging to Abu Yahya Nahrai, who had given Maimon instructions to get them from from Abu 'l-Bashr Azhar b. Abraham: 3 boxes of books, 1 thin sack (^{75106x}), also containing books.

D. Miscellaneous goods: 3 copies of the Torah and Prophets, belonging to Hasan b. ^{75106x} al-Askalani; 1 dinar belonging to Ya'ir (i.e., Azhar); 1/2 dinars of his own money.

E. Goods sent west: Maimon has bought a crystal vase (^{75106x}) for 3 3/4 d., half of this sum belonging to Ya'ir (i.e., Azhar) and half to Maimon. He has sent it to Menasseh b. Musa; the latter will sell it, and the profit will be equally divided. Maimon has also sent a basket containing 20 rotls of sal ammoniac

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() to Faraj b. El azar al-Maghrebi, through the agency of Musa (b. Musa) b. Najan. The latter, furthermore, has $3 \frac{1}{6}$ d. —a sum held in partnership with Maimun—which appears to represent the profit made on the sale of some cotton and miscellaneous goods ().

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Signers: Joseph b. El azar b. Hashophet, Moses b. Solomon.