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I. Glicksberg and J. Wermer, Remark on *Measures Orthogonal to a Dirichlet Algebra*, vol. 30 (1963).

We can also prove the Lemma of §5 without use of Proposition 6, by appealing to the following result about measures in the plane, which is proved by Bishop in [3]:

Let μ be a measure of compact support in the z -plane and $|\mu|$ its total variation. Assume that

$$\int \frac{d\mu(z)}{z - \alpha} = 0 \quad \text{whenever} \quad \int \frac{d|\mu|}{|z - \alpha|} < \infty.$$

Then $\mu = 0$.

Proof of Lemma. Let α be any point in the plane with $\int (d|\sigma|)/(|z - \alpha|) < \infty$. If α lies in a bounded complementary component of X or on X , put $C = \int d\sigma/(z - \alpha)$ and set

$$\nu = (z - \alpha)^{-1} \cdot \sigma - C \cdot \lambda_\alpha.$$

Then for $n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$, we get $\int (z - \alpha)^n \cdot d\nu = 0$. Thus $\nu \perp P(X)$. By Proposition 2, then, $(z - \alpha)^{-1} \cdot \sigma \perp P(X)$ and hence $\perp 1$. Thus $\int d\sigma/(z - \alpha) = 0$. If, on the other hand, α lies in the unbounded complementary component of X , then $(z - \alpha)^{-1} \in P(X)$, and so again

$$\int \frac{d\sigma}{z - \alpha} = 0.$$

By the result on measures stated above, it follows that $\sigma = 0$.

J. W. Moeller, *Translation Invariant Spaces with Zero-free Spectra*, vol. 31(1964).

Formula (3.8) now reads:

$$(T^{-1}\tilde{l})(x) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{|\lambda|=p} \lambda^{-1}(R_\lambda\tilde{l})(x) d\lambda$$

where

$$R_\lambda = (T - \lambda I)^{-1}, \dots$$

This formula should actually read

$$(T^{-1}\tilde{l})(x) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{|\lambda|^{-1}=p} \lambda^{-1}(R_\lambda\tilde{l})(x) d\lambda,$$

where

$$R_\lambda = (T - \lambda^{-1}I)^{-1}, \dots$$