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December 8th, 1975

Rabbi Mark Tannenbaum  
American Jewish Committee  
165 East 56th Street  
New York, N.Y.

Dear Rabbi Tannenbaum,

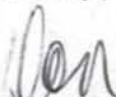
I had intended writing to thank you for your generosity in coming to Halifax and the great insight and inspiration you visit brought to the two hundred or more who heard you.

Now I find myself not only grateful, but mortified. Rabbi Heim and I agreed to take you to the airport so there would be no slip-ups. We overlooked the possibility of very slippery roads. I picked up Rabbi Heim as planned, but then had to confront unusual traffic and traffic problems, so that we were ten minutes late arriving at the hotel. By then you had gone and we both assumed Tom O'Leary had picked you up. Only today did I discover that you had rushed away in a cab.

We are sorry for the stress this placed you under and the impersonality of your leaving, especially when we remember the warmth of your visit. Please accept our apologies and regret.

Thanks for your help.

Sincerely,

  
Rev. Don Trivett  
Co-Ordinator

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cc. T. O'Leary  
L. Heim

October 17, 1975

Mr. Tom O'Leary  
Executive Director, Atlantic Region  
The Canadian Council of Christians and Jews  
228-227 Roy Building  
1657 Barrington Street  
Halifax, Nova Scotia

Dear Mr. O'Leary,

Thank you for your good letter of October 6th. I regret very much the confusion that resulted over the invitation for me to address the several meetings in Halifax around October 14th. Rabbi Heim had explored these dates with me verbally. They were never confirmed and I have since had a number of other commitments.

In any case, this will confirm my acceptance of your kind invitation to visit Halifax on December 3rd. I look forward to the luncheon meeting with university students and the community meeting in the evening. Rabbi Heim had indicated that some of the Catholic colleges and universities were interested in co-sponsoring my presentation. Will they be involved in the present plans? I thought it would be a good thing to do in light of the Tenth Anniversary of Vatican Council II which is being observed in the fall of this year.

I will ask my secretary to take care of the travel arrangements both from and to Halifax. My honorarium for this kind of undertaking would be a minimum of \$500.00 plus expenses.

I would appreciate a confirmation of these understandings with you and with Rabbi Heim.

With warmest personal good wishes, I am,

Cordially yours,

Rabbi Marc H. Tanenbaum  
National Director  
Interreligious Affairs

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Dear Rabbi Tannenbaum:

PRESIDENT  
RICHARD D. JONES, LL.D.

Further to our letter of September 29th, to you, we were very disappointed to receive word from Rabbi Heim, of Shaar Shalom Synagogue, in Halifax, that you would not be coming to Halifax in October.

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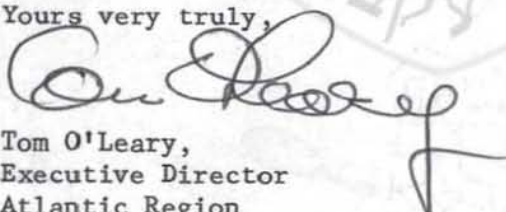
We understood that the dates in October had been confirmed, and that we were to write you only with regard to travel, honorarium, and expenses, etc. We apologize for our misunderstanding, and for not contacting you earlier.

TREASURER  
C. L. HATCHER

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR  
TOM O'LEARY

Rabbi Heim mentioned the possibility of you coming to Halifax, on December 3rd, for lunch with university students, and a community meeting in the evening. This date is convenient for us, and we trust you will forward information as to your travel arrangements, honorarium and expenses.

We look forward to hearing from you regarding your visit to the city of Halifax, on December 3rd, 1975.

Yours very truly,  
  
Tom O'Leary,  
Executive Director  
Atlantic Region

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Dear Rabbi Tannenbaum:

PRESIDENT

RICHARD D. JONES, LL.D.

I have been contacted by Rabbi Heim of the Shaar Shalom Synagogue, here in Halifax, about the possibility of you coming to Halifax, under the Council's auspices, in the month of October, specifically October 14th - 16th.

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We certainly would be quite happy and honoured to have you come to Nova Scotia, and the city of Halifax, to speak on the area of contemporary Christian-Jewish relations. We are just beginning to develop programs in this area, in Halifax, and your presence would give a tremendous boost to the development of a dialogue program here.

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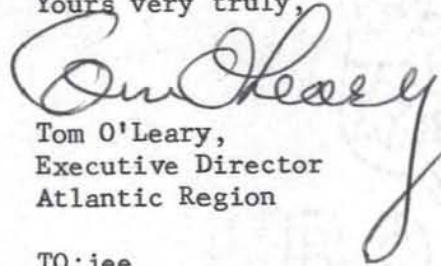
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Could you forward information to me, as to the travel arrangements you plan to make; your honorarium, and any other expenses which you may incur in coming to Halifax? I would also appreciate it if I could receive a short Bibliography, as well as some indication as to the theme you wish to address yourself to, while here in Halifax.

Thanking you in advance for your consideration, and looking forward to seeing you in October.

Yours very truly,

  
Tom O'Leary,  
Executive Director  
Atlantic Region

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December 2, 1975

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Halifax

New York

Thursday, December 4<sup>th</sup> 1975

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