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7 December 1970

Mr. Ian Ballantine  
Ballantine Books, Inc.  
101 Fifth Avenue  
New York, N.Y. 10003

Dear Mr. Ballantine:

I have read the uncorrected page proof edition of Michael Elkin's book, "Forged in Fury," which you sent me.

First of all there are two facts which are possibly errors. On the bottom of page 253 it is stated that there were "half a million Jewish survivors rotting in the DP camps in Europe." I worked in Europe at that time with the Bricha, and to the best of my knowledge, there never were more than a quarter of a million in camps. This was the maximum figure we ever used. There may have been additional Jews living freely in German towns and villages.

The second fact which I question is stated on the top of page 261 - and again on the bottom of page 263 - namely, that more than \$500 million was contributed to Haganah. I was quite familiar with this operation also, and I don't think one-tenth of this amount was ever contributed.

At any rate, I assume you will look into these two matters.

Now as to the more important comment, I found the book excellent. I think he did a beautiful job in the chapter entitled "Illusion and Reality," on the nagging question of Jewish resistance. It really is an excellent reply to Hannah Arendt.

I also think he performed a service in revealing the point of view embodied in the organizaion DIN. While this obviously never became Jewish public policy (and the Haganah would not go along with the Technit Aleph scheme), nevertheless I think it is important historically for people to know that this point of view existed among a group, however small.

Mr. Ian Ballantine

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7 December 1970

I would hope that the book would have a large distribution. Speaking personally, as one who is intimately familiar with this material having lived through a great deal of it, I found that my interest was caught at the beginning and sustained to the end.

Sincerely yours,

Herbert A. Friedman



*Friedman*  
*Union Square*  
*NYC*

Copy of a letter to Dr. Bardin dated August 10, 1971, from Myrna Lubin, who attended the Brandeis Camp Institute in August, 1970, from Tulsa, Oklahoma.

Dear Dr. Bardin,

As I write it is early morning in Jerusalem. I have been in Israel almost three weeks now and I have found it to be more beautiful than I had ever imagined.

I don't know how much you know about the group I am with. I am part of the United Jewish Appeal Student Study Mission whose purpose it is to train the future leaders of the UJA. In the past five weeks I have come to understand the reasons why we need the UJA and I better understand the meaning of Israel.

But I wanted to write you because I know that whatever I gain from my experience this summer rests squarely on the foundation I received at Brandeis. I know what the UJA does is vital and yet I know I would be unable to do it had I not found my Jewishness at BCI. This UJA mission speaks to me in rational and logical tones of a commitment to the Jewish people and their needs. But Brandeis infused a feeling for my people - their heritage, their beautiful traditions - into my heart. And I believe that only when one feels Judaism in their heart can they transmit it to their minds and act upon it.

Brandeis is vital to the spirit of Judaism and I believe that the spirit is the cure. I want to thank you - as I have thanked my lucky stars so many times - for Brandeis. It continues to run through my veins giving me strength and peace.

Shalom,

signed/ Myrna "Big Eyes"

Subject: Directions to officers lecturing  
within the framework of U.J.A.  
and Bonds activities.

General

1. You are about to go abroad in order to be of help in the fund raising activities of the U.J.A. or the Bonds.
2. You are likely to appear in one or all of the following situations:
  - a. Giving a lecture, in front of audiences or tens or hundreds. Following your lecture funds will probably be raised either by voluntary contributions, or by the chairman calling the names of those present.
  - b. Before small groups of up to 30 people. (Parlor meeting). These meetings will be held, on the whole, in private homes and take the form of a lecture or a conversation - questions and answers. On these occasions there will also probably be a Fund-raising session.
  - c. Lecturing to any number of active members of either organization. On this occasion you will merely be briefing and bringing up-to-date active members. Usually, there will be no Fund-raising following your talk; these meetings are used for inner organizational purposes.
  - d. Individual solicitations - within the framework of a group of up to 3 participants (yourself included). On this occasion, you may visit a person at his home or office in order to persuade him and even put pressure on him to donate to U.J.A. or buy Bonds.
3. Your participation in any of the above mentioned events will give reinforcement to fund raising activity. Since you will be wearing army uniform, you represent not only Israel but also the I.D.F., therefore you will have to present the situation according to the directions you have been given. You may be called upon to ask directly for money and you should present the grave needs of Israel in such a way that the participants will donate (or buy Bonds) even if it requires a special sacrifice on their part.

Directions

4. Remember that most countries prohibit the type of fund raising activity which is meant to support the war efforts of another country. Thus, currency regulations prohibit the transfer of funds meant to help our defence efforts. However, fund raising for humanitarian reasons is not prohibited. Such donations are even tax deductible.
5. Explain that the burden of the Israeli defence budget constitutes 90% of the taxes raised from the Israelis themselves, yourself included. Therefore, the donors will be requested to contribute to the financing of immigration, welfare, and other services, for which there is almost no money left, after defence expenditures are paid for.
6. Remember that on many of these occasions you will not be the only speaker. Limit yourself to only 20 minutes in order to talk about your military topic, concentrate on essentials.
7. Sometimes, you may not have to stick to the above mentioned routine. This can only be done within the framework of a question and answer session in which there are only few participants.
8. Spice your talk with statistical data (e.g. numbers of incidents and casualties, the price of arms and ammunition) but do not give too many for fear of boring your audience. Emphasize the fact that the defence burden has not diminished during the Cease-fire period, but that the defence budget for next year will be even higher, due to the necessity of procuring equipment, making preparations, etc.
9. Your audience will be interested to hear about your personal military experiences as well as in general humanitarian topics.
10. Humour never does any harm!

Topics for propaganda

11. The topics you will be asked to talk about will vary according to the military situation at the time. Therefore, accommodate the examination of your topic to the particular needs of the moment and to the particular audience which you will be addressing.
12. As a rule you will have to ~~be~~ present your topics according to the directions given to you by the Department of Information, and in additional verbal briefings.
13. The presentation of any military topic always requires the presentation of the Russian involvement in Egypt and Syria and its military implications.
14. Do not underestimate the strength of the enemy. For example, even though the terrorists do not represent a real military threat to Israel, they should be presented as a dangerous element which does harm to the civilian population and have therefore to be dealt with firmly. (Mention our defensive and offensive means against them).
15. Point out to your audience the enormous financial and manpower potential of all our enemies, a potential which has been wasted on barren objectives - armaments. These objectives have not led to a settlement for the crisis for over 23 years.
16. Indicate to your audience that the reason that the Israeli National economy has not collapsed under our constant war effort is due to the help and donations of Jews everywhere.
17. Emphasize to your audience the need for a maximal national effort on the part of Israel and their own share in this effort of maintaining the existence of the state of Israel.
18. Terminate your talk with the "Jewish Point" - the unavoidable link between the Jewish people in Israel and those in the diaspora who share together with us a common responsibility.

19. Do not be in a hurry to leave the place, converse with your listeners and answer their questions.

Not to be said

20. Never make any political declarations. Your audience will appreciate the fact that in your capacity as a military officer you refrain from dealing with political issues.
21. Never make "bombastic statements" as military topics even when you are estimating the power of I.D.F. in relation to the power of the enemy.
22. Never enter into an analysis of a possible confrontation with the Russians.

Summary

23. A meeting with Jews for whatever purpose is an experience not to be quickly forgotten.
24. This experience is mutual to them and us.
25. On your return to Israel share your experiences with your subordinates and inspire them with the "Zionism" you absorbed in the diaspora.

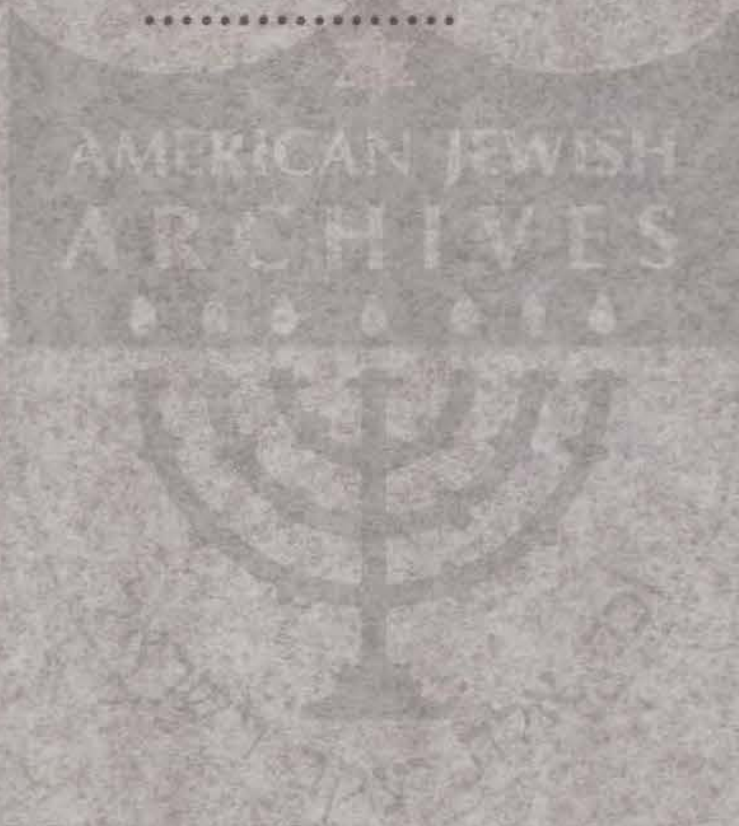
Additional Thoughts

1. Themes for 1972 campaign are:-
  - a. Military Preparedness
  - b. Immigration (especially Russian)
  - c. Poverty
2. All three of these items will require more money in 1972 than 1971:
  - a. Defence budget is higher
  - b. Immigration costs are higher - not only on behalf of Russian immigrants, which is the new miracle, but also Rumanians; and in general the necessity of providing larger apartments and better services for the immigrants, than we did in former years.



c. Social problems at home will require more money to be devoted to finding solutions. Ten per cent of the Jewish population (250,000 persons - roughly 50,000 families) are living on the poverty line which is defined as \$100 per person per month, i.e. a family of five trying to live on \$500 per month, is living in poverty, and perhaps even hunger.

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August 16, 1971

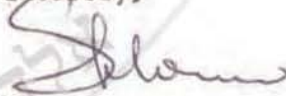
Dear Herbert:

I heard from Dr. Verbit about the wonderful 7 hour lecture that you gave to a group of important people. I am very eager to get a copy of the tape of that lecture. I assure you that we will not give it out to anyone unless we ask your permission, but we would like to have it for our own group here, including the students. Whatever expenses are involved, we shall be glad to remit.

This mornings mail brought a letter from a girl from Tulsa, Oklahoma who attended our Leadership Training Institute last year. She is now in Israel on the UJA study mission, and I thought you might enjoy reading her comments.

Warm regards and all best wishes.

Sincerely,



Shlomo Bardin

SB:ph

Mr. Herbert A. Friedman  
Exec. Vice Chairman, United Jewish Appeal  
1290 Avenue of the Americas  
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Enclosure



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17 October 1971

Dr. Shlomo Bardin  
The Brandeis Institute  
Brandeis, Calif. 93064

Dear Shlomo:

You won't believe this but your letter to me of 16 August just reached me yesterday. Some ridiculous confusion must have occurred in my office in New York. I am now living permanently in Israel and there is, apparently, still some bureaucratic difficulty regarding the forwarding of old mail.

At any rate, you certainly may have a copy of the tape of the marathon lecture I gave. I delivered it to the cabinet of the Young Leadership, at a weekend retreat in April. Please contact Mr. Ernest Spickler at the national UJA office in New York, and ask him to loan you "the complete kit." This contains, not only a tape of the lecture, but copies of maps and charts which I used, as well as slides, books and other material. The complete presentation is in a small suitcase and simply send him a copy of this letter to you, which is his authorization to loan the kit to you.

The copy of the letter you sent me from the girl who was on our University Study Mission this Summer, indicating that her source of inspiration was Brandeis Institute, was a delight to read.

I want you to know that I could almost write the same kind of letter - for I, too, recall the special magic of several weekends in old Santa Sussana.

Life in Israel is very rewarding and the next time you are here, please find me. My office is in the Jewish Agency building in Jerusalem.

As ever,

HAF:SS

Herbert A. Friedman

Handwritten initials: HF

AMERICAN JEWISH ARCHIVES  
11 August 1967

Lt. Col. Bar-Niv  
Kamat Hasharon  
Nevo Hagan  
Babov Harison 49  
Herzliyya, Tel Aviv-Yafo, Israel

Dear Colonel:

Just a short note to express thanks and appreciation for all you did for me during my visit to Israel. It was an unforgettable experience.

Enclosed is a picture I thought you would like to see.

With kindest regards.

Sincerely,

Herbert A. Friedman

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AMERICAN JEWISH  
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11 August 1967

Mr. Tsvi Barlas  
Be'er Gimmel 45  
Kiryat Haim  
Haifa, Israel

Dear Tsvi:

Just a short note to express thanks and appreciation for all you did for me during my visit to Israel. It was an unforgettable experience.

Enclosed are two pictures I thought you would like to see. I would appreciate your giving the other two to the other pilot.

With kindest regards.

Sincerely,

Herbert A. Friedman

HAF:SS  
Enc.

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JANUARY 2, 1968

GENERAL HAIM BAR LEV  
CHIEF OF STAFF, ISRAEL ARMY OF DEFENSE  
TELAVIV (ISRAEL)

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CONGRATULATIONS ON YOUR APPOINTMENT AS CHIEF OF STAFF ISRAEL  
DEFENSE FORCES STOP EYE JOIN YOUR MANY FRIENDS THROUGHOUT  
THE WORLD IN EXTENDING EVERY GOOD WISH FOR THE FUTURE

HERBERT FRIEDMAN



20 November 1968

General Haim Bar Lev  
Ministry of Defense  
Jerusalem, Israel

Dear Haim:

In order to help the Emergency Fund, we need strong messages from a few top leaders of Israel. The best message is in videotape form, which we can reproduce and send to many communities.

A member of our staff, Mr. Paul Leventhal, will be in Israel December first, to make these tapes. He will call you for an appointment, and I would appreciate your cooperation.

The time needed to make the tapes will not exceed 10 or 15 minutes. Mr. Leventhal, an ex-newspaperman, will ask you a series of questions designed to elicit from you a description of the continuing emergency situation in Israel and to create a climate for successful fund raising in the United States.

Many thanks for your interest and cooperation.

Sincerely yours,

Herbert A. Friedman



THE I. D. F. SPOKESMAN

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December 17, 1970  
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Herbert A. Friedman,  
Executive Chairman,  
U.J.A.

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Dear Herb,

Thank you for your letter to the Chief of Staff of December 14, 1970. I was asked by the Chief of Staff to inform you that we will do our utmost to support the special mission as mentioned in your letter. I am sure that you can trust me to make the necessary arrangements.

Concerning the overnight stay at Bir Temade or Bir Gafgafa, we'll have to check with the commander and investigate whether suitable facilities exist.

In regard to the request for speakers, the Chief of Staff will try to fulfill it as far as is possible.

I do hope that the weekly missions are going well, and that the results are as you had planned.

Looking forward to seeing you in Israel,

Sincerely,

E. Bar-Lev - Lt. Colonel  
Acting I.D.F. SPOKESMAN



*File  
man*

23 April 1963

Mr. Bernard H. Barnett  
Kentucky Home Life Bldg.  
Louisville 2, Kentucky

Dear Barney:

I received a full report from Pete Colwin about the meeting in Tulsa. I am enclosing his factual memorandum, written for the records. In between these matter-of-fact lines, I can see the respect he has for the job you did. It should make you feel good and we appreciate it very much.

When the hell are we going to see you?

As ever,

HAF:gb

Herbert A. Friedman

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September 6, 1967

Mr. Herbert Friedman  
United Jewish Appeal  
1290 Avenue of the Americas  
New York City, New York


Dear Herb:

Enclosed is a copy of an address given by Rabin upon being awarded an Honorary Doctorate by Hebrew University.

I think it is one of the greatest things I have read. I would like to get some copies and send them to a selected list, especially to some of the Congressmen and Senators, with whom I am in contact.

Will you please see if you can get me 100 copies of this address. Also, I would recommend that you send this out to members of the U. J. A. Cabinet.

Sincerely

  
Bernard H. Barnett

BHB/s  
Enc. }

# ADDRESS

by

MAJOR-GENERAL YITZHAK RABIN



JERUSALEM  
AT THE MAGNES PRESS  
THE HEBREW UNIVERSITY

1967

*An address by Major-General Yitzhak Rabin,  
Chief of Staff of the Israel Defence Forces,  
delivered at a ceremony held in the Amphitheatre of the Hebrew University of Jerusalem  
on Mount Scopus on Wednesday, 28th June,  
1967, at which the title of Honorary Doctor  
of Philosophy was conferred on him by the  
Hebrew University*

*(Translated from the Hebrew)*

**M**R PRESIDENT, Mr. Prime Minister, the President of the Hebrew University, the Rector of the Hebrew University, members of the Board of Governors of the Hebrew University, Ladies and Gentlemen:

I stand in awe before you, leaders of this generation, here in this ancient and magnificent spot overlooking Israel's eternal capital and the birthplace of our nation's earliest history.

Together with several distinguished persons who are without doubt worthy of this honour, you have chosen to do me great honour by conferring upon me the title of Doctor of Philosophy. Permit me to express my feelings on this occasion.

I regard myself here as the representative of the entire Israel Defence Forces, of the thousands of officers and tens of thousands of soldiers who brought victory to the State of Israel in the Six-Day War.

It may be asked why the University saw fit to award the title of Honorary Doctor of Philosophy to a soldier in recognition of his military activities. What do soldiers have in common with the academic world, which stands for civilisation and culture? What is

there in common between those whose profession is violence and those who are concerned with spiritual values? I am, however, honoured that you have chosen through me to express your deep appreciation of my comrades-in-arms and of the uniqueness of the Israel Defence Forces, which is no more than an extension of the uniqueness of the Jewish people as a whole.

The world has recognised that the Israel Army is different from other armies. Although its first task is the military one of maintaining security, it has numerous peace-time roles, not of destruction but of construction and of strengthening the nation's cultural and moral resources.

Our educational work has been widely praised, and it received national recognition in 1966 when the Israel Prize for Education was awarded to the Israel Defence Forces. The Nahal, which combines military training and agricultural settlement, also provides teachers for border villages who contribute to their social and cultural development. These are only some examples of the Israel Defence Forces' uniqueness in this sphere.

Today, however, the University is conferring on us an honorary degree in recognition of our Army's spiritual and moral superiority, as revealed precisely in the heat of war. For we are all here in this place only by virtue of the war which, though forced upon us, was forged into a victory which has astounded the world.

War is intrinsically harsh and cruel, and blood and tears are its companions. But this war which we have just waged brought forth rare and magnificent instances of courage and heroism, and at the same time

humane expressions of brotherhood, comradeship and even of spiritual greatness.

Anyone who has not seen a tank crew continue its attack though its commander has been killed and its track badly damaged, who has not watched sappers risking their lives to extricate wounded comrades from a minefield, who has not witnessed the concern and the extraordinary efforts made by the entire Air Force to rescue a pilot who has fallen in enemy territory, cannot know the meaning of devotion among comrades-in-arms.

The entire nation was exalted and many wept when they heard of the capture of the Old City. Our *sabra* youth, and most certainly our soldiers, do not tend to be sentimental and they shrink from any public show of feeling. But the strain of battle, the anxiety which preceded it, and the sense of salvation and of direct confrontation with Jewish history itself cracked the shell of hardness and shyness and released wellsprings of emotion and stirrings of the spirit. The paratroopers who conquered the Wailing Wall leaned on its stones and wept—in its symbolism an act so rare as to be almost unparalleled in human history. Rhetorical phrases and clichés are not common in our Army, but this scene on the Temple Mount, beyond the power of words to describe, revealed as though by a flash of lightning truths that were deeply hidden.

And there is more to be told. The joy of triumph had seized the entire nation. Nevertheless, a strange phenomenon can be observed among our soldiers. Their joy is incomplete, and their celebrations are

marred by sorrow and shock. There are even some who abstain from celebrations entirely. The men in the front lines saw with their own eyes not only the glory of victory, but also the price of victory—their comrades fallen beside them soaked in blood. I know too that the terrible price paid by our enemies also touched the hearts of many of our men. It may be that the Jewish people has never learned and never accustomed itself to feel the triumph of conquest and victory, with the result that these are accepted with mixed feelings.

The Six-Day War brought to the fore numerous instances of heroism far beyond the kind manifested in the daring, one-time assault in which the attacker goes unthinkingly forward. In many places there were desperate and lengthy battles. In Rafia, in El-Arish, in Um Kataf, in Jerusalem, on the Golan Heights and elsewhere, our soldiers displayed spiritual courage as well as bravery and tenacity in a degree to which no-one who has witnessed this great and inspiring human phenomenon can remain indifferent. We speak a great deal of the few against the many. In this war, perhaps for the first time since the Arab invasions of the spring of 1948 and the battles of Negba and Degania, units of the Israel Defence Forces stood few against the many in *every* sector. In other words, relatively small units often entered seemingly endless networks of fortifications, surrounded by hundreds and thousands of enemy troops, and had to force their way, hour after hour, in this veritable sea of dangers. Even after the momentum of the first attack had passed and all that remained was the overwhelming necessity of believing



in our own strength and in the goal for which the battle was being fought, since there was no alternative, we summoned up every spiritual resource in order to continue the fight to the end.

Thus our armoured forces broke through on all fronts, our paratroopers fought their way into Rafia and Jerusalem, and our sappers cleared minefields under enemy fire. The units which penetrated the enemy lines and reached their objectives after hours of struggle, continuing on and on while their comrades fell to the right and left of them, were carried forward by great moral force and by deep spiritual resources far more than by their weapons or the techniques of warfare.

We have always demanded the cream of our youth for the Israel Defence Forces. We coined the slogan *Hatovim l'Tayis*—The Best for the Air Force—and this became a meaningful phrase. It referred not only to technical and manual skills. What it meant was that if our airmen were to be capable of defeating the forces of four enemy countries within a few short hours, they had to be imbued with moral values and human values.

Our airmen who struck the enemies' planes so accurately that no-one understands how it was done and the world seeks technological explanations in secret weapons; our armoured troops who stood their ground and defeated the enemy even when their equipment was inferior to his; our soldiers in all the various branches of the Israel Defence Forces who overcame our enemies everywhere, despite their superior numbers and fortifications—all of them re-

vealed not only coolness and courage in battle but a burning faith in the justice of their cause, and sure knowledge that only their personal stand against the greatest of dangers could bring victory to their country and to their families, and that if the victory were not achieved the alternative was annihilation.

Furthermore, in every sector our commanders, of all ranks, far outshone those of the enemy. Their insight, their understanding, their preparedness, their ability to improvise, their care for their men and, above all, the fact that they went at the head of their troops into battle—all these are not matters of equipment or technique. They have no rational explanation, except in terms of a deep consciousness of the moral justice of their fight.

All this springs from the spirit and leads back to the spirit. Our warriors prevailed not by their weapons but by their sense of mission, by the consciousness of the rightness of their cause, by a deep love for their country and an understanding of the difficult task laid upon them: to ensure the existence of our people in its homeland, to protect, even at the price of their lives, the right of the Jewish people to live in its own state, free, independent and in peace.

This Army, which I had the privilege of commanding through these battles, came from the people and returns to the people—to a people which rises to great heights in times of crisis and prevails over all enemies by virtue of its moral and spiritual strength.

As the representative of the Israel Defence Forces, and on behalf of every one of its soldiers, I accept with pride this token of your appreciation.

June 14th, 1972

Mr. Eli Barnoon  
American Israeli Paper Mills Ltd.  
15 Carlebach Street  
Tel Aviv

Dear Mr. Barnoon:

I have just returned from New York where I discussed with Mr. Irving Bernstein your offer of a special printing of the Ben Gurion book. I recommended to him most strongly that he take advantage of this, and keep this stock in Israel for distribution to mission groups.

I have today received your letter with the specific figures, which I am forwarding to Mr. Bernstein in New York, as a reminder that he must make his decision before July 1st. I will ask him to communicate with you directly. I repeat, I hope that he will come to an affirmative conclusion.

Very truly yours,

Herbert A. Friedman

HAF:amg

*File  
misc*

1 February 1963

Hon. Israel Barzilai  
Deputy Speaker  
Knesseth  
Jerusalem, Israel

Dear Israel:

I have just heard the news of your election as Deputy Speaker of the Knesseth and I hasten to send my warmest congratulations. It is always good to hear such fine news about someone whom I like very much. I hope you receive much satisfaction from this new position and I know you will serve well and honorably in it.

The campaign for 1963 looks to be a very difficult one. We will have to work very hard to overcome many handicaps. The aliyah now is not large, so everyone wants to know - what is the emergency. Also there is no publicity possible, so we are working in the dark. There are many people who have not yet paid past year's pledges, because of the break in the stock market last May.

Nevertheless, even when we take all these things into consideration, I am hopeful that we will have a good campaign again. Everyone is working very hard and the morale of the leadership is good. Also, we are getting many new young leaders.

I do not want to burden you with all these details, but I know you are interested in the campaign and we all remember how well you worked for it.

Again, my fondest congratulations and good wishes.

As ever,

HAF:gb

Herbert A. Friedman

21 March, 1961

Mr. Nachman Beitner  
53 Abbas Street  
Haifa, Israel

Dear Nachman,

I have received your letter of 5 March and am very touched by its contents. I have been trying to think of what suggestions to offer, and so far I do not have any practical ideas.

I will be in Israel for just five days, from 6th through 11th April. I will be staying at the Sheraton Hotel in Tel Aviv most of the time. I will be fantastically busy trying to do many things in a very short time, but would be delighted to try to find an hour to meet with you and discuss this matter further.

Do you think it might be possible to meet your friend, the Navy Commander? I certainly do not want to raise his hopes and I cannot promise anything, but maybe if we talked together I could get some thoughts that I do not have now.

You know I would like to help.

Looking forward to seeing you, I am

Sincerely,

Herbert A. Friedman

HAF/fo

5.11.61 22/1

Dear Herbert.

It is for the first time that I take the opportunity to write to you in a matter which is rather important to me.

I would like to get your advice and help in regards of a friend of mine, who is a Commander in the Israeli Navy. His baby girl (5 years old) is paralyzed and has to get special treatment in the States. For this reason he has been granted special leave from the Navy so he can go to the States for a period of 2½ years. The trouble is that the hospital and school for the baby are in New-York and he wasn't able to find a job there. He had many propositions for jobs in the States & Canada but not in N.Y. His wife is a Clinical Psychologist and received already some propositions for work in N.-Y. The time they would like to come to N.Y. is June-July this year, and as my friend wasn't able yet to find a job he cannot reserve a place for the baby.

The time when we were working together in the Russian Zone after the war my friend was smuggling arms into Israel and from this time dates my friendship with him. In the Israeli Navy he has an important job dealing with economical, financial, administrative and production matters.

I wonder if you could help by finding a suitable job for him.

Our friendly relations dating from the Berlin days give me the courage to trouble you in this matter and also the assurance to have your full assistance.

With the best regards to you and your Family

Wachman

אברהם וואכמן  
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HAF files  
Thisc. Con

3 May, 1961

Mr. Nachman Beitner  
53 Abbas Street  
Haifa, Israel

Dear Nachman,

I am happy to tell you that I have found a position for your friend Gideon Ben Aharon.

The man who is offering him the position is Mr. Charles Frost who owns a large factory called "Bright Star Industries". It is located in Clifton, New Jersey. It takes about forty minutes to travel from midtown New York to the plant. This is what we in America consider normal commuting time.

Mr. Frost is willing to pay one hundred dollars per week. He manufactures batteries, flashlights and electric motors.

I do not know what papers Mr. Ben Aharon needs, but if you will tell me what is required, I will follow through with Mr. Frost. He understands that he might have to write some sort of letter, but I did not go into the details with him.

I am leaving for a trip overseas on 29 May and will be in Israel myself with the UJA mission from 2 June to 15 June. You can always find out where I am staying by checking with Mr. Chaim Vinitzky at the Jewish Agency in Jerusalem; his telephone number is 4671.

As ever,

Herbert A. Friedman

HAF/pc



Herb

Haifa 24. V. 61

Dear Herb,

I was very glad to get your letter dated 3 May 61.

I told the good news to my friend who started immediately to find out what kind of papers he needed.

But even before he got the necessary information from the Consulate, he has been offered a position with the Israeli Government in New-York. He was of course happy to accept it as he doesn't have to cut his ties with Israel. He sends you his best regards, thanking you very much for your help and all the trouble he has put you to. When he arrives to the States he will come to see you and thank you personally.

I am joining my thanks also and hope very much to see you in Israel in Haifa. Anyhow, after beginning of June I shall try to get in touch with you through Mr. Vinitzky from the Jewish Agency.

With the best regards,

I remain

Nachman

Nachman Baitner  
53 Abbas str  
Haifa

bcc: HLS  
~~RE~~EMS

19 April, 1966

Mr. Leonard Bell  
Bell Manufacturing Company  
777 Main Street  
Leviston, Maine

Dear Leonard:

I have read the glowing reports of your participation in the State of Maine UJA Inaugural Dinner and hasten to extend my heartiest congratulations.

Your untiring efforts to develop the right kind of attendance at the dinner and your dynamic influence in securing so many increased gifts were, by far, the most important factors assuring the success of the meeting. My only regret is that I could not be with you to witness your adeptness and efficiency.

I am deeply grateful to you Leonard and look forward to thanking you personally when we meet in Atlanta this weekend.

With warmest wishes,

Sincerely,

Herbert A. Friedman  
Executive Vice-Chairman

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students on 34 campuses in the Boston  
area—the most collegiate district in Con-  
gress. The Johnson Administration got  
his early support on the Viet Nam  
War. Then, in 1967, O'Neill made a  
hawkish speech at Boston College, his  
alma mater, to a hostile young au-  
dience that included two of his chil-  
dren. Irked by one student questioner,  
he exploded: "I've had 43 briefings on  
the war from all the experts—Johnson,  
Westmoreland, Abrams, Bunker, Lodge,  
Rusk, McNamara—and I think I know  
more about this subject than you do."  
Replied the student: "Have you ever  
been briefed on the other side of the  
issue?"

Later his children besieged him with  
antiwar arguments. Back in Washington,  
O'Neill interviewed top officials off the  
record and found all of them privately  
opposed to the war. As a result, he  
took the then "lonesome" step of break-  
ing with L.B.J., and became the first out-  
spoken dove among New England Con-  
gressmen. He has not wavered. In a  
recent House speech, he urged his col-  
leagues to "change the perilous course  
of this nation." And he added: "Truly,  
my children awakened me three years  
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Leonard D. Bell  
10 Bowser Road  
Lexington, Mass. 02173

August 25, 1970

Rabbi Herbert A. Friedman  
United Jewish Appeal  
1290 Ave. of the Americas  
New York, New York

Dear Herb:

I look forward to our get-together at your earliest convenience in order to further define what you have in mind over the next three or four months. I make the assumption that Irving has been in touch with you and has conveyed to you my reaction to your request.

In the meantime, let me call your attention to a thought expressed about many things and one that I am sure can apply to the present conflict in the Middle East. You might like to know that I had a rather extensive conversation in this regard, just recently, in Chicago with Tom Klutznick. I think this problem about the "other side" is going to start appearing more and more and one that we should be prepared to face and answer properly.

Sincerely,

*Leonard D. Bell*  
Leonard D. Bell

LDB/lp  
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*seen by mlp*



מלון שרתון-תל אביב  
SHERATON-TELAVIV HOTEL

GIDEON BENI AHARON - 29 Stella Meris Rd.  
German Colony  
Haifa

Baby girl - 4 1/2 - cerebral palsy

Haverstraw, N.Y. - hospital - ready to  
take baby - expect 2-3 years treatment.  
Hospital is \$450 per month

Wife works in Yotvat-diyah in Haifa. They  
have arranged job opportunity for her as  
clinical psychologist - either Columbia or private  
institution.

He can get leave of absence from Navy.

Wife can probably earn enough to keep the  
baby.

He has to earn enough to "keep <sup>himself</sup> ~~them~~ alive."

No other children

In order to get a visa, he must have a job.  
Wife can get visa, to accompany the child.



מלון שרתון-תל אביב  
SHERATON-TEL AVIV HOTEL

He is asst head of dept of repairs  
supplies, administration, budget. Like Bureau  
of Ships plus supplies.

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Technician - civil engineering, but never  
practical - studied production  
engineering - did not work, but know  
French army school - economics <sup>fields of job</sup>  
2 yrs.

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Navy - 5 yrs. in Royal Navy  
13 yrs. in Israel Navy

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Must give notice to hospital by beginning  
June to reserve place.

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Place in hospital obtained through Haim Sheba.

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Needs letter of employment - to get visa.  
If job works out, fine. If not, no responsibility  
to employer. He can change - get job on his  
own.



מלון שרתון-תל אביב  
SHERATON-TELAVIV HOTEL

He supervises dockyard. - 600 men

Production control

Planning + scheduling

Budget control

He is executive - running department of 125 men.

Engineering + supplies, repairs.

meanwhile Shimon Peres is trying, manor,  
Seldiger - perhaps something works.

studied textile manufacturing in France -  
wool + cotton.

ask  
Chas. Frost

write to him  
if I find  
something



HAF File -  
Miss Con

CONSULATE OF ISRAEL

קונסוליה של ישראל

Gibraltar, 22nd December 1960.

Rabbi Herbert A. Friedman,  
United Jewish Appeal,  
165 West 46 St.,  
New York 36, N.Y.

Dear Rabbi Friedman,

I was indeed very agreeably surprised when I received a few days ago a parcel containing the wonderful book "Exodus Revisited" which you had the kindness in sending to me.

I have already had a glance at it and I find it most interesting; over the holiday period I hope to be able to read it.

It was most thoughtful of you to send me this wonderful gift which I highly value.

Really, if I have the "zejut" of helping in our cause there is nothing for you to thank me but on the contrary I must thank Almighty God for having chosen me as one of His "tools" on this sacred undertaking.

I sincerely hope you will give us the honour and pleasure of coming to Gibraltar again, when I then expect to have the opportunity of adequately looking after you and show you something about our Community and of the Rock of Gibraltar.

With renewed thanks and my best wishes,

Yours sincerely,

Vice-Consul.



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UNITED JEWISH APPEAL  
1290 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS  
NEW YORK, N.Y.

ALUF BENDAVID  
ISRAEL DEFENSE FORCES  
TEL AVIV (ISRAEL)

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W. U. CABLES

APPRECIATE YOUR PROPOSAL REPLACE BENOR WITH ALUF YOSEF GEVA STOP  
BECAUSE OF TIME FACTOR REGRETFULLY DECLINE STOP WILL ATTEMPT  
REPLACEMENT WITH VARIOUS ISRAELI GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS AND ARMY  
OFFICERS NOW IN U.S. THANKS ANYHOW.

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UJAPPEAL

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MR HERBERT A FRIEDMAN UJAPPEAL NEWYORK

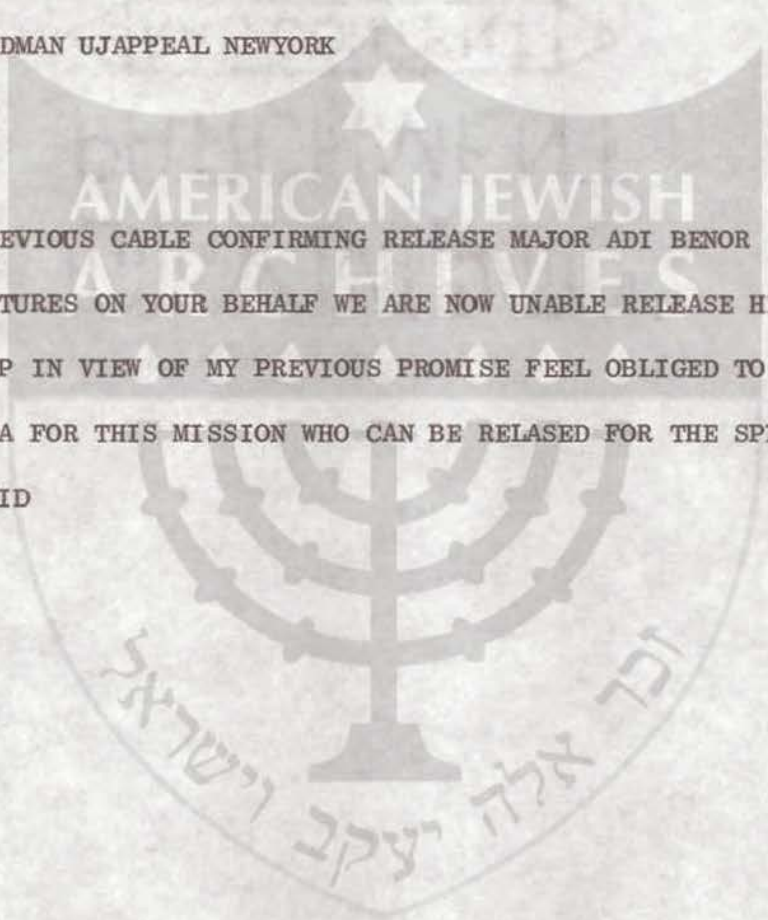
REGRET THAT MY PREVIOUS CABLE CONFIRMING RELEASE MAJOR ADI BENOR

FOR SERIES OF LECTURES ON YOUR BEHALF WE ARE NOW UNABLE RELEASE HIM

FOR MONTH MAY STOP IN VIEW OF MY PREVIOUS PROMISE FEEL OBLIGED TO PROPOSE ALJF

GENERAL YOSEF GEVA FOR THIS MISSION WHO CAN BE RELEASED FOR THE SPEAKING TOUR

STOP ALJF BENDAVID



C O P Y

January 4, 1972

Rabbi Tubia Ben Horin  
Chairman  
The Israel Movement for Progressive Judaism  
P.O.B. 17172  
Tel Aviv

Dear Rabbi Ben Horin:

Many thanks for your recent letter inviting me to join your Movement.

I should be very interested to join the Organization, and I would appreciate your putting me on your mailing list so that I may receive all relevant literature and times of meetings, etc.

Looking forward to hearing from you soon,

Yours sincerely

Herbert A. Friedman

CHARLES J. BENSLEY  
1616 Bronxdale Avenue  
New York 62, N.Y.  
TA 3-9500

*me*

March 28, 1963

Mr. Norman Cousins, Editor-in-Chief  
Saturday Review  
25 West 45th Street  
New York, N.Y.

Dear Norman:

Pursuant to our pleasant conversation which I had with you the other day at the Century Club, I am forwarding to you, under cover, as much material as I was able to dig up quickly. I am enclosing a list of the items and would ask you to return them when you have finished. Some of these pamphlets are no longer available, so we would not want them to be lost. I believe that the material is sufficient to get started on.

I have also ascertained that there are three living survivors of the Warsaw Ghetto Uprising here in New York City. It is conceivable that if you think it necessary, they might be interviewed for real live interest as well as historical significance.

I think you would be interested to know that in addition to the fact that President Kennedy issued a proclamation, copy of which is enclosed in this letter, he is very interested in the matter and is following up by having the Vice-President, of the United States, Lyndon Johnson, speak at a rally Sunday afternoon, April 21st at Carnegie Hall, commemorating the Ghetto Uprising.

May I again thank you for the opportunity to discuss what I believe is a matter of great historical import to our entire Western civilization.

With best regards to you and Dr. "Bill" Hitzig, I am,

Very sincerely yours,

CJB:gb

Charles J. Bensley

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13 February, 1964

Mr. Adi Ben Or  
23 Avner Street  
Zahala, Israel

Dear Adi:

I understand from Eddie Ginsberg that you are very much interested in coming to the United States in order to negotiate with the Hilton people regarding a public relations position at the new Hilton in Tel Aviv.

I am writing to you directly as Eddie was uncertain as to the time you needed to make this trip and whether or not the trip is essential to obtain the job. Since you are a good friend and an old one, I am writing to you as frankly as I know how in order to understand your situation and to see whether or not I can be of help.

At the present time, we have already completed our commitments for speakers for this year's campaign. However, if this visit is crucial for you in order to obtain the position, I would try to extend myself, even though it would create some severe problems for me, and have you come over. I feel both of us should undertake this trip only if you have definite appointments arranged for you beforehand so that you will not be on a wild goose chase. If you do come to the United States it would be necessary for us to try to arrange for you as many speaking engagements as possible. Therefore, you would also have to let me know just how much time you must spend in the country and how much time you need for New York City. *the Hilton people*

Please let me hear from you at your earliest convenience so we can plan accordingly. Kindest regards.

Cordially,

Herbert A. Friedman

HAF:bmm

Major Adi Ben-Or  
23 Avner Street  
Zahala, Israel.

February 19, 1964

Dear Herb,

You have no idea how much I do appreciate your willingness in helping me, and I have no words to express my thanks, however my romance with the Hilton is over and there is no need for me to undertake such trip.

As you know I am leaving the Army in May and until then I left my old post with the Public Relations Dept and have been appointed as special Assistant to Asher Ben Nathan (Director General Of The Defence Ministry) and we are working on a project called " The Year of THE Illegal Immigration in other words the Government has decided that the year 64/65 will be the year of the H A P A L A.

And so we are planning many events which will take place during that period starting with the celebration of the Independence Day.

Should the U.J.A. be interested to be integrated in such project, for instance, a day for the young Leadership mission, or the big Study mission, or both.

I think we could arrange a good program for them, please let me know if you are interested.

In general everything is alright, I have started to look for a job, and I do hope something will turn up. Bati and the kids are fine, and we are looking forward to see you all with us.

How is Francine ? we hope to hear good news in the near future, please give her our Love and best wishes.

Once again many thanks Herb, let us know when you are coming, and until then, all the best, and AUREVOIR,

Fondly

*Adi*

cc Eddy Ginsberg

5 March 1964

Major Adi Ben-Or  
23 Avner Street  
Zahala, Israel

Dear Adi:

I have your letter of 19 February in which you tell me that the Hilton proposition is over. I am sorry to hear that but I am sure everything will be all right and you will locate a good job.

In the meanwhile, I would like to ask you whether you are available to come to the United States for the UJA to make a tour in the late Spring of eleven communities which begin their campaign in the Fall. In other words, I would want you to visit these cities now, in order to give them a progress report of what is happening in Israel and to create interest and enthusiasm without asking for money. You could call this a sort of good will tour or hasbara tour. These particular communities conducted their campaigns approximately six months ago for 1963 and will start their 1964 campaign until six months from now. You would be coming to them at exactly the mid-point, in order to bring information and inspiration.

Just to give you an idea of the nature of this kind of operation, we used Katriel Salmon last October-November to visit communities which would start to campaign in March.

So, I would like you to come around May to visit communities which will begin their campaign next October.

I do not have any fixed date in mind but it seems to me that the month of May would be the best time for us. We would need approximately a month, for you to cover the eleven communities in question, plus any others that we might want to add where the campaign is actually in progress in May.

Please let me hear from you at your earliest convenience.

Major Adi Ben-Or

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5 March 1964

I am enclosing some slides of you, Bati and the kids taken in front of the old house in Connecticut in October, 1961. It will show you how you looked when you were young and handsome two and one-half years ago.

All the best,

HAF:gb

Herbert A. Friedman

*cc. E. Gussberg*





*Misc*

29 April, 1964

Major Adi Ben Or  
23 Avner Street  
Zahala, Israel

Dear Adi:

Irving has explained to me about the situation you described in your letter of April 20th. I am very sorry that you are not coming here, but I realize the importance of your trip to Europe.

We are, of course, interested in the work you are doing on behalf of "The Year of the Illegals", and I would appreciate your keeping us informed.

David and Francine are fine. Francine and I look forward to seeing you in July, when we will be in Israel with the UJA Young Leadership Mission.

With warmest regards,

Sincerely,

Herbert A. Friedman

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SOLOMON GRAYZEL  
EDITOR

April 17, 1962

Miss Francine Bensley  
United Jewish Appeal  
165 W. 46th Street,  
New York 36, N. Y.

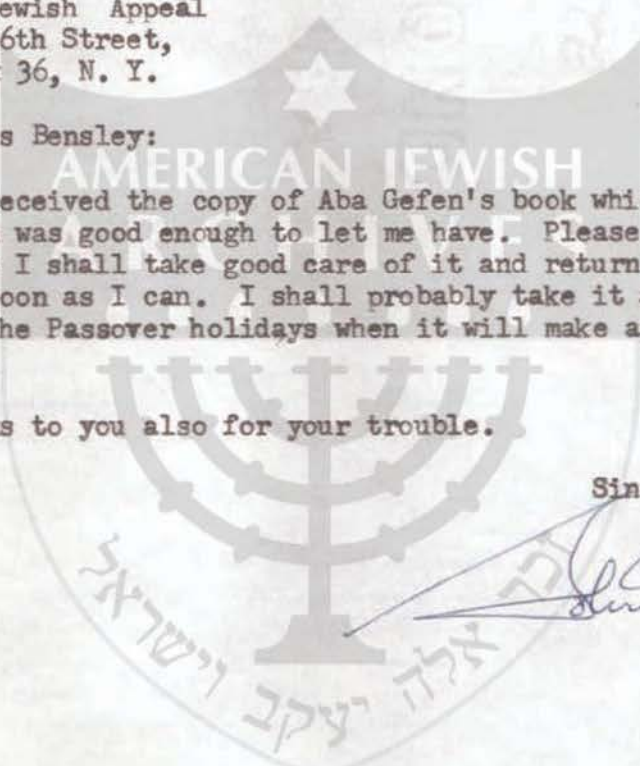
Dear Miss Bensley:

I just received the copy of Aba Gefen's book which Rabbi Friedman was good enough to let me have. Please assure him that I shall take good care of it and return it to him as soon as I can. I shall probably take it along with me for the Passover holidays when it will make appropriate reading.

My thanks to you also for your trouble.

Sincerely,

SG:dm



September 19, 1972

Mr. Robert M. Beren  
1130 Vickers-KSB & T Building  
Wichita, Kansas, 67202  
U.S.A.

Dear Mr. Beren:

Your letter of September 6, with its enclosure of July 11, has just reached me.

I thank you for the invitation to serve on the Board of Directors, but it is obviously impossible for me to do so, since I now live permanently in Jerusalem.

My best wishes to you for a successful year.

Sincerely yours,

Herbert A. Friedman

HAF:amg

ROBERT M. BEREN  
1130 VICKERS-KSB&T BUILDING  
WICHITA, KANSAS 67202

September 6, 1972

Mr. Herbert A. Friedman  
15 Lockwood Circle  
Westport, Connecticut 06880

Dear Mr. Friedman:

Perhaps my letter of July 11 asking that you serve as a director of The Wellesley College Parents Association did not reach you. I am, therefore, enclosing a copy for review. So that plans can be completed for our meeting October 13 and 14, I wonder if you would be kind enough to call or write me with what I hope will be an affirmative response. My office phone number is 316-267-8211; at home 316-683-3353.

The year ahead will be an interesting one for us all. I look forward to hearing from you, and do hope you will serve.

Very sincerely yours,

*Bob Beren*  
Robert M. Beren, President  
The Wellesley College Parents  
Association

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Enclosure

ROBERT M. BEREN  
1130 VICKERS-KSB&T BUILDING  
WICHITA, KANSAS 67202

July 11, 1972

Dear Mr. Friedman:

Recently I was asked to serve as President of the Wellesley College Parents' Association. I was delighted to accept this position because I believe there are many ways in which parents can assist Wellesley College.

I attach a copy of the by-laws of the Parents' Association. As you can see, we have provided for a sizeable and representative Board of Directors as well as four officers. I am writing to ask you on behalf of the officers of the Association if you would, as the parents of a sophomore, serve as a Director for the year 1972-73. The contribution of your talents and interest can mean a good deal to the College, and in this way, to your daughter.

We are planning two meetings this year. The first will be on October 13 and 14, while the second will be in the Spring on the occasion of Sophomore Father's Day.

It is my hope that the Directors of the Association will become fully acquainted with Wellesley and take one or more of the opportunities offered to work with students and faculty or in some other aspect of the College's program. This form of participating is a new concept at Wellesley. It should be very interesting.

I look forward to working with you as a member of the Board of Directors and hope you will serve.

If you would please return the enclosed card, it would be most useful.

Sincerely,

Robert M. Beren, President

**Enclosures**

Mr. Herbert A. Friedman  
15 Lockwood Circle  
Westport, Connecticut 06880

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11th January, 1962

Mrs. Gerald S. Berenson  
144 Audobon Boulevard  
New Orleans 18, La.

Dear Joan:

Thank you very much for your nice note of January 2nd. The invitation you extend to me is a very kind one, and I wish I could accept your gracious offer. I am very sorry to have to tell you, however, my schedule for the time I will be in Biloxi already is a very full one and will prevent me from spending an evening at your home.

It certainly will be good to see you and Gerald again at the Biloxi Institute itself. I am very pleased to know that Gerald is studying Hebrew, and perhaps he and I will have a chance to talk about that at the Conference.

Both you and he have all my good wishes for the New Year, along with my warmest regards.

Sincerely yours,

Herbert A. Friedman  
Executive Vice-Chairman

haf:bgs

Mrs. Gerald S. Berenson  
144 Audubon Boulevard  
New Orleans 18, Louisiana

January 2<sup>nd</sup>

Dear Rabbi Friedman,

First want to wish you and Mrs. Friedman a Very Happy New Year, and then say how much both Harold and I are looking forward to the Biloxi Institute.

● We would very much like you and those coming down for the conference to have a drink with us at the house one night before the meeting begins. Since you possibly have a "few" other commitments, you set the time and date you might even be able to throw in a few pointers on Gerald's new Hebrew lessons.

● We hope your answer will be "certain"  
As always cordially,  
Joan

BERNARD BERGER

Dear Rabbi Friedman,

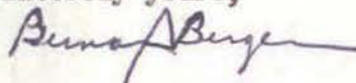
When you so graciously extended a helping hand through your generous cable to Minister Zadok in my behalf, you said: "Don't thank me. I am pleased to do it for a friend. I only hope my cable will help you".

In those terse sentences, you have manifested three meanings of true *גְּמִילוּת חַסֵּד*. You asked me not to thank you because the *קִצְוָה* of rendering a good deed makes one deservant of greater heavenly reward if he refuses to accept thanks. In honoring me with your expression of friendship, you have professed the grade of *עֲנוּיָה* usually associated with the behavior of a *רִבְּזֵן שֶׁל חֲסִידִים* who though crowned as the inspiring leader, nevertheless practices humility by accepting the humble as his friends. And, in uttering hope that your intercession would be helpful to me, you inadvertently prayed also for yourself. As it is said: *הַמֵּתְפַלֵּל בְּעַד חֲבֵרוֹ הוּא נִעְנֶה תְּהִיָּה*

It is as yet unknown whether your cable accomplished its intent. Regrettably politicians in the Holy Land are no different than politicians of Tammany Hall. This rather irreverent accusation is not *חַס וְחֵן* my own. It was blasphemously made by no less a personage than Foreign Minister Golda Meir when during the recent elections she referred to the strong partisans of Ben Gurion's RPI in these interesting terms. Politicians do not care who gets hurt. It is unfortunate that I am trapped at a time when there is a struggle for "Cabinet Portfolios". However, believing as I do in the aphorism that justice will always triumph, I only pray that the triumph comes in my own good time. Historically, justice usually rehabilitates the sufferers at a time when it is only useful for general historic information.

The above notwithstanding, I do not want to protract my already belated expression of heartfelt thanks for your wholesome deed performed in true goodness. I shall never forget it.

Sincerely yours,



Rabbi Herbert Friedman  
1290 Avenue of the Americas  
New York, N.Y.

December 29, 1965



10 January 1966

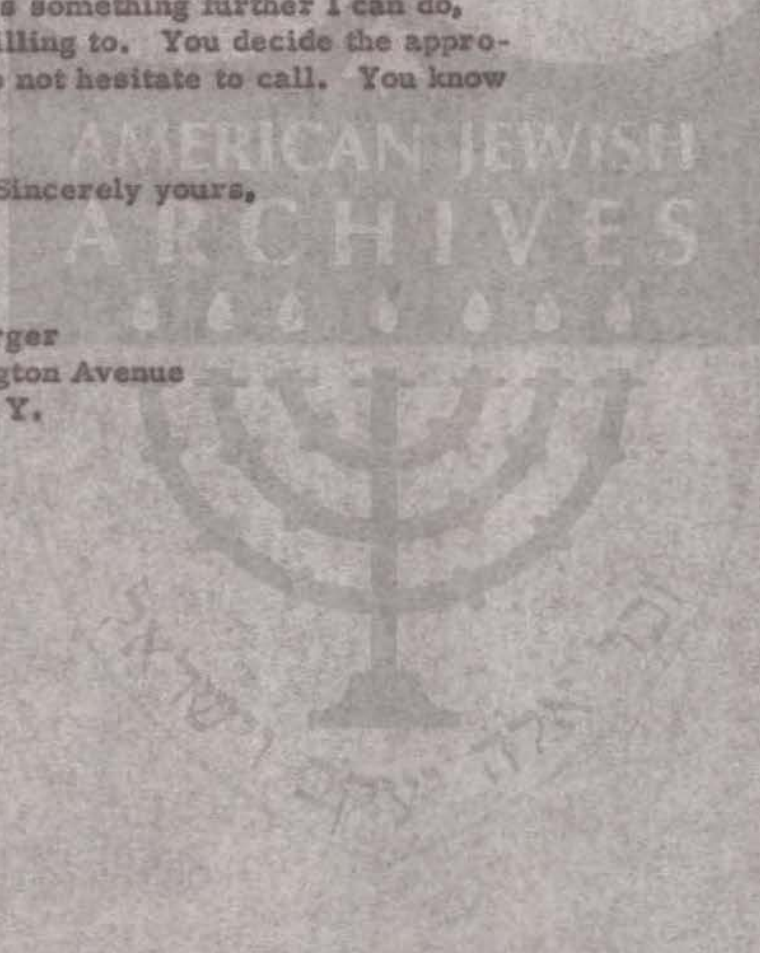
Dear Dr. Berger,

I have just returned from overseas to find your most kind letter of 29 December. It is overly generous in its praise, and the thanks expressed therein are as yet unmerited, for neither of us has as yet received any answer.

I stand at your disposal and await your next request. If there is something further I can do, you know I am willing to. You decide the appropriate time and do not hesitate to call. You know I mean this.

Sincerely yours,

Dr. Bernard Berger  
336 Fort Washington Avenue  
New York 33, N. Y.



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HARRY ROSENBLUM

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You are earnestly invited to attend the big gifts banquet to be held on Sunday Evening, November 9, 1947 - 6 P.M. Rabbi Herbert A. Friedman of Temple Emanuel Denver will be guest speaker. Rabbi Friedman has served for two and one half years as captain in the Chaplains Corps in Europe. Henry Morgenthau states that the speech Rabbi Friedman made at the emergency conference of the U.J.A. in Wernersville, Pa., as the "finest I ever heard".

Rabbi Friedman will discuss the significance to the Jews of Europe and Palestine and to Jewish Refugees arriving in the United States of the \$170,000,000 campaign of the United Jewish Appeal in 1947.

This meeting will mark the official opening of our Pueblo United Jewish Appeal Campaign drive for \$55,000.00 to rebuild the lives of Europe's 1,500,000 Jewish survivors through the large-scale relief, rehabilitation and resettlement programs supported by the United Jewish Appeal. With your generous support our community last year was able to help rescue from death and starvation hundreds of men, women and children who have lived in virtual slavery for the past thirteen years. This year we must take our rightful place in the nationwide historic effort to help these people stand on their own feet, to help them build a future for themselves in the land of their own choosing.

It is my earnest hope that you will make every effort to attend our opening dinner on Sunday evening November 9, 1947, 6 P. M.

Sincerely yours,

Ben Bergerman,  
Chairman

P.S. Please mail enclosed card for reservations,  
Don't delay--send card back Today.



כרטיס ארוחה וכבוד קל  
meal and  
refreshment card



JOYCE BERKMAN  
54 BULWANE RD  
E. ROCKAWAY  
N.Y. 11518  
(516) 887-9558

מיוחזקת

9/4/62

March 6, 1973

Mrs. Joyce Berkman  
54 Bulaire Road  
East Rockaway  
New York, N.Y. 11518  
U. S. A.

Dear Joyce:

It has taken a long time since you saw Francine in New York, and asked her for camp information, for you to get a letter from me. But the best camp in Israel, whose brochure I am enclosing, has only just completed its decisions about this summer. So I am sending the information on to you just as soon as I got it,

The cost is \$350 per three week period. They will take a child for either one term or two terms. I can recommend the place wholeheartedly, it really is quite the best camp in the country.

There is no need for you to use me as a middle man any longer. If you are interested, fill in the forms, send in the deposit and deal with Mr. Frankl directly.

If there is anything else that I can do for you please do not hesitate to ask.

Sincerely yours,

Herbert A. Friedman

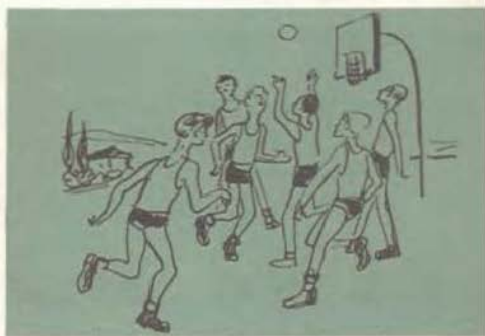
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# HADASSIM CAMP 1972 תשל"ב קיטנת הדסים

CAMPLÉADER: WALTER FRANKL בהנהלת: ולטר פרנקל



# HADASSIM CAMP

Camp Leader: WALTER FRANKL



## The Hadassim Youth Village

is situated among the Sharon orange groves between the resorts of Herzliya and Nathanya, which boast the most beautiful Mediterranean bathing beaches in Israel. Founded 23 years ago by Hadassah-Wizo (Canada) and developed as a boarding school. Hadassim is famous for its lovely flower gardens and lawns, sports facilities and its experienced staff of excellent teachers.

## The Camp Leader

Mr. Walter Frankl, teacher for Sport and Agriculture, who has more than 20 years camp experience in Israel, will be pleased to accept children (girls and boys) from 6 - 15 years old and meet them either at Haifa Port or at Lydda Air-port and conduct them to the camp by special transport.

## Special Age Groups

Children will be divided into special age groups of ten in each group. Five children will share a well-aired bed-room. Each camp house is provided with hot showers, recreation room and radio.

## Children from Overseas

Will be grouped together with Israel children of their own age. Camp broadcasts will be in Hebrew and English.

## The Personnel

includes the chief and assistant counsellors, sport instructors, music and handicrafts teachers, the chief housemother, the camp doctor qualified nurses, the chef de cuisine, kitchen and house personnel, gardeners, life-guards, etc. All personnel are fully qualified and experienced.

## The Camp Program

includes a wide variety of sports activities, such as swimming in the camp pool and in the sea, horse-back riding, table tennis, basketball, etc. Children will also receive instruction in handicrafts, metal work, olive-wood carving, raffia weaving, glass-blowing,

etc. your child will bring you his self-made souvenir from Israel. Hebrew songs, Israeli folk dances, local movies as well as dramatic and stage performances.

## Sightseeing

will include a visit to Jerusalem the capital of Israel, the antiquities of Philistine Ashkelon, the beautiful hills of Galilee, ancient Acre and modern Nahariya, Mt. Carmel and Haifa town, as well as to Tel-Aviv, Rishon le Zion, Rehoboth with the famous Weizman Institute for Science, etc. All trips will be made by comfortable buses.

## Studio for Hebrew - «Ulpan»

campers from foreign countries may join our daily Hebrew language lessons for beginners and advanced. (free of additional charge).

## Necessaries

A complete list of clothing and equipment needed for the camp will be given upon payment of the registration fee.

## Food

Five meals per day are provided. Meat or poultry are included in each day's menu. Eggs, cheese, cream, butter and honey from Hadassim's own farm as fresh salads, fruits and vegetables.

## Cost

290-\$ per child, including full pension for three weeks, medical care, laundry fees, material for handicrafts and arts, entertainments, riding lessons, Sightseeing-tours, Hebrew-lessons, transport-fee from air-port to camp and back, etc.

100.-\$ to be paid at the time of registration, the remainder to be paid in travellers-cheques or in cash upon the child's arrival.

## Registration

Directly by mail to:

Walter Frankl, P.O.B. 7033, Jerusalem Israel, Phone: 33595.

## Camp Periods

1<sup>st</sup> term: July 6<sup>th</sup> - July 26<sup>th</sup>

2<sup>nd</sup> term: July 26<sup>th</sup> - August 15<sup>th</sup>.

## Hurry!

A large number of children from abroad have participated in Hadassim camps during the past 10 years. They found it exciting and full of fun and many of the children have been returning regularly every year. As accommodation is limited, we would ask you to make your reservation as soon as possible.

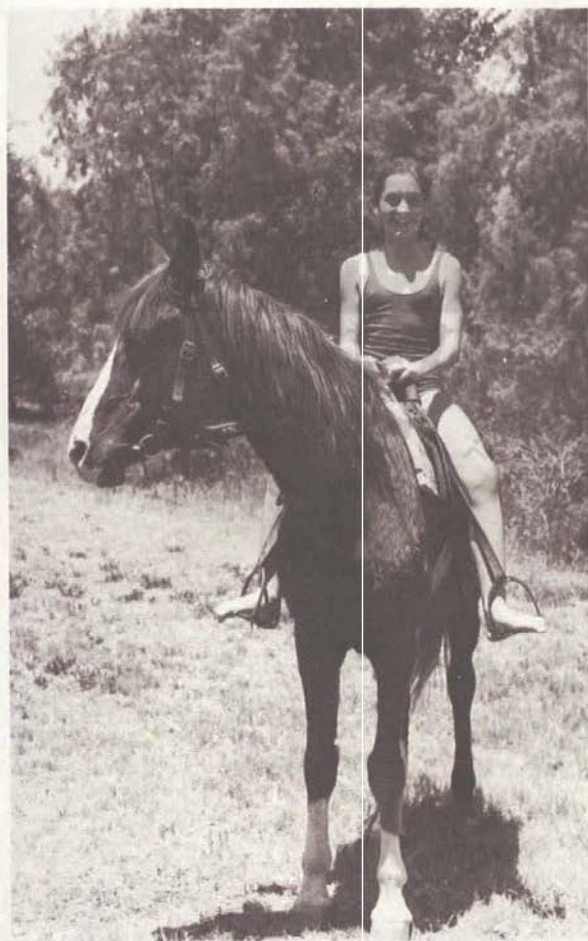


Hadassim Youth Village Children's Camp



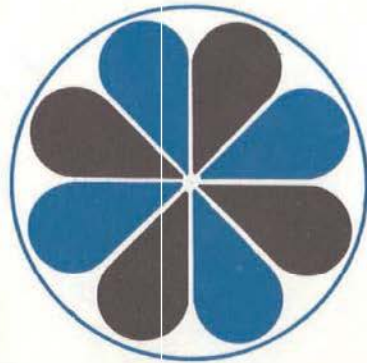
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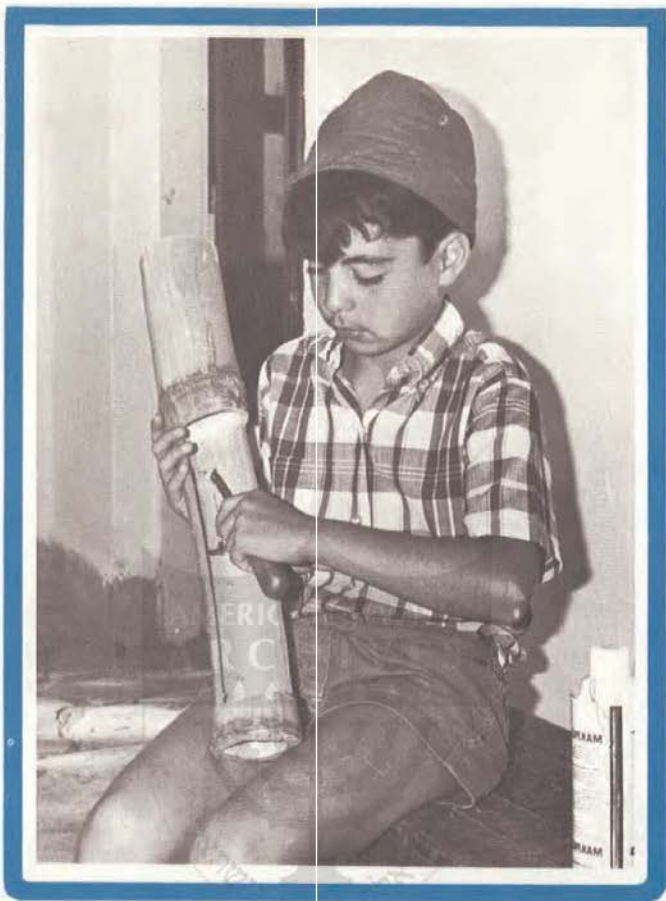
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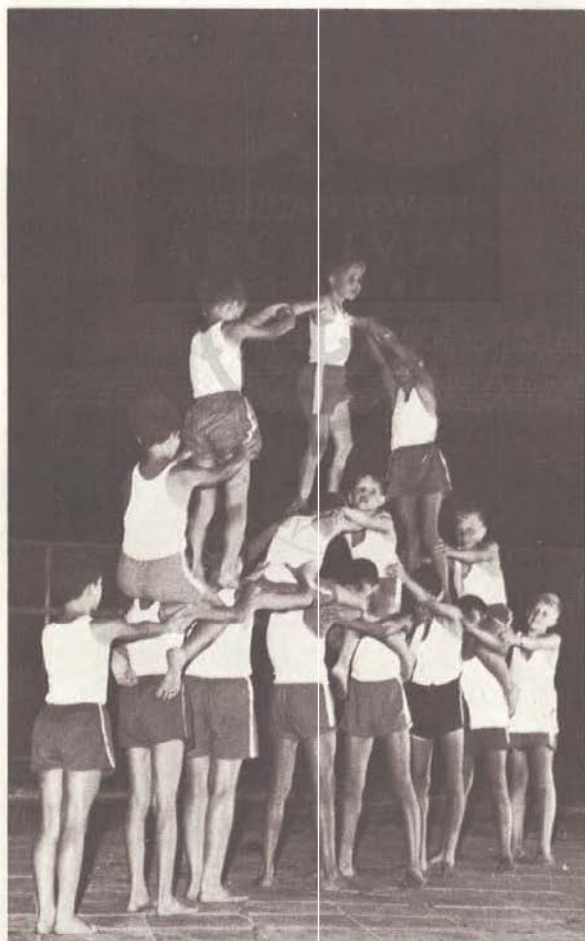


בית אלה יעקב וישראל



# HADASSIM CAMP

CAMPLEADER: WALTER FRANKL



W.FRANKL P.O.B. 7033 TEL. 33595 Jerusalem, Israel

נא להחזיר מיד!  
Please return at once!

קיטנה הדסים בהנהלת ולטר פרנקל  
Hadassim Children's Camp  
Campleader WALTER FRANKL

## טופס הרשאה Registration Form

.....	מחזור camp period	
שם פרטי: first name	שם המשפחה: family name	
גיל: age	עולה לכיתה: next class grade	
כתובת ההורים (או האחראים): מקום parents' (or responsible person's) address: place		
מס' הטלפון phone at home	מס' הבית house-no.	הרחוב street
(אך אם אין טלפון בבית באיזה מס' טלפון אפשר להודיע הודעה דחופה להורים) (if there is no telephone at home — to whom may we send an urgent call for the parent)		

רגישות מיוחדות או פרטים שיש לשים לב עליהם בקשר עם הטפול בילד:  
allergy or other kinds of sensitiveness to be observed in connection with the care for the child.

.....  
בבנק  
per Bank  
(I send in cash in cheque)

..... ל"י  
שלמתי על חשבון הקיטנה סך של  
I paid the registration fee (first payment) of  
(שלחתי בשיק, במזומנים)

.....  
חתימה  
signature

.....  
תאריך  
date



פִּיעֻנָה הַדַּסִּים בַּחֲנֻלָּה וְלִטְוּ פְּרֻנְקֵל  
 יְרוּשָׁלַיִם ת.ד. 7033  
**Hadassim Children's Camp**  
 Camp-leader **WALTER FRANKL**  
 P.O.B. 7033 Jerusalem

נָא לְהַחְזִיר מִיָּד  
 Please return at once!

**טוֹפֵס רְפוּאָה**  
**HEALTH FORM**

שֵׁם הַמְּסַמָּח: \_\_\_\_\_ שֵׁם טְרַטִּיז: \_\_\_\_\_ מִין: \_\_\_\_\_ גִּיל: \_\_\_\_\_  
 family name first name sex age

כְּתוּבַת הַחֹרִים (או הַאֲחֵרָאִים) מְקוּם: \_\_\_\_\_ רְחוֹב: \_\_\_\_\_ מַס': \_\_\_\_\_  
 parents' (or responsible person's) address: place street house-no.

מַס' טֵלֶפּוֹן: \_\_\_\_\_ (אם אין טֵלֶפּוֹן בְּבַיִת בְּאִיזָה מַס' טֵלֶפּוֹן אֲשֶׁר לְמַסּוֹר הוֹדִיעָה דְרוֹמָה)  
 phone at home (If there is no telephone at home - to whom may we send an urgent call for the parents)

הֲאִם הַיֶּלֶד (ת) נִמְצָא (ת) בְּטוֹמֹל אוּ בְּהַשְׁגָּחָה רְפוּאִית בְּגִלּוֹל מַחֲלָה מְסוּיֶמֶת? כֵּן / לֹא (לְמַחֹק אֶת הַמִּיּוֹתֵר) בְּאֵם כֵּן  
 Is the child under medical care for a special disease? YES / NO (cross out the wrong) If "yes,"

מַה הַמַּחֲלָה? \_\_\_\_\_  
 what kind of disease?

מַה הַטְּמוּל? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Which treatment?

שֵׁם הָרֹפֵא הַמְּטַל: \_\_\_\_\_ כְּתוּבַת: \_\_\_\_\_ מַס' טֵלֶפּוֹן: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Doctor's name address phone

מַה הֵן הַמַּחֲלוֹת שֶׁהַיֶּלֶד חָלָה בָּהֶן בְּעֵבֶר (מַחֹק אֶת הַמַּחֲלוֹת שֶׁהַיֶּלֶד חָלָה בָּהֶן):  
 child's sicknesses during the past (please cross out all names of sicknesses the child has already passed):

חֲצֵבָה, אֲדִמָּה, סְקָרְלִיטִינָה, אֲבַעְבוּצוֹת רוּחַ, חֹרָה, שַׁעֲלָה, דִּפְטֵרִיָּה, טִיפּוּס  
 Typhoid Diphtheria Whooping Cough Mumps Chicken Pox Scarlet Fever German Measles Measles

הֲאִם הַיֶּלֶד חוּסַן עַיִ טֵטָנִים (tetanus toxoid) כֵּן / לֹא בְּשֻׁלּוֹב עִם דִּפְטֵרִיָּה (diphtheria) כֵּן / לֹא (לְמַחֹק אֶת הַמִּיּוֹתֵר)  
 Did the child receive a prophylactic injection against TETANUS? YES / NO (cross out the wrong) If "yes" -

בְּמִקְרָה וְכֵן, נָא לְרְשׁוֹם אֵם \_\_\_\_\_ please describe the kind of treatment (e.g. Tetanus Toxoid or Tetanus Toxoid combined with Diphtheria)

מְסַר הוֹרִיקוֹת: \_\_\_\_\_ הַתְּאָרִיכִים שֶׁל הוֹרִיקוֹת: \_\_\_\_\_  
 number of "shots" dates of injections

הֲאִם הַיֶּלֶד קִבֵּל כֶּבֶר פְּעַם זָרוּם כֵּן / לֹא אִם כֵּן אִיזָה מִין \_\_\_\_\_  
 Did the child receive a serum? YES / NO If "yes" please describe the kind of the serum

הֲאִם קִיַּמַת רְבִישׁוּחַ אוּ אֲסוּר בְּשִׁמּוֹשׁ בְּתַרְוּסָה כְּגוֹן פְּנִיִּילִין, אֲסִפִּירִין, סוּלְפָה אוּ חֲרוּסָה אַחֲרָה?  
 Is the child sensitive (allergic) against medicaments? Please describe the susceptibility (e.g. Penicillin, Aspirin, Sulfa, etc.)

הֲאִם הַהוּרִים חֲבֵרֵי קוֹמַת חוֹלִים כֵּן / לֹא אִם כֵּן, אִיזָה קוֹמַת חוֹלִים \_\_\_\_\_  
 Are the parents members of a Sick Fund (Kupath Holim)? YES / NO "yes" - please give the name of the Sick Fund

מְסַר הַמְּנַקֵּס: \_\_\_\_\_ מְסַר הַחֲבִירָה: \_\_\_\_\_

8 November, 1961

Rabbi Herbert A. Friedman,  
Executive Vice-Chairman,  
United Jewish Appeal,  
165 West 46th Street,  
New York 36, N.Y.

Dear Herbert:

On the Ezer Weizmann matter, I have just had a long discussion with Pincus. I told him what we had asked Weizmann to do, namely, to give U.J.A. four weeks and take two weeks for himself. I told Pincus that Weizmann had countered with a proposal of two weeks for U.J.A., two weeks for himself and his wife along with him. Pincus agreed that the time schedule was all wrong and that Weizmann was duty bound to give U.J.A. at least four weeks. However, on the question of Weizmann's wife he said that if you really needed Weizmann and he was willing to give four weeks to U.J.A., he would authorize me on his responsibility to invite Weizmann and to include an invitation to his wife.

However, I do want your final word on this, before I do anything. Please cable me, "Go ahead with Weizmann", if you want me to make the offer of four weeks for U.J.A., two weeks for himself and his wife along with him.

With very best wishes,

Yours,

Morton M. Berman

# קרן היסוד המגבית המאוחדת לישראל KEREN HAYESOD UNITED ISRAEL APPEAL

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Jerusalem, November 23, 1961

Rabbi Herbert A. Friedman,  
Executive Vice-Chairman,  
United Jewish Appeal,  
165 West 46th Street,  
New York 36, N.Y.

Dear Herbert:

*No*  
*in this*  
I am waiting to hear from you with respect to Ezer Weizmann. I refer to my letter of November 8th copy of which is attached. Please let me know what your decision is.

Dr. Goldstein asked me to inquire about the possibility of your assisting us in the campaigns in South Africa, Australia and in Canada. He would like to suggest to South Africa a visit by you in August or September, 1962. As to Canada, could we say to them that you might be available at a time when your own campaign will permit you to visit? Montreal seems a likelihood, for there they campaign in October or November, though I assume that your Study Mission to Israel might have to be taken into consideration.

As to Australia, their campaign runs from about May to the middle of July. Could you be free any time after your campaign slows up to include Australia for a possible visit?

Dr. Goldstein's view is that just as important as fund-raising would be your briefing leaders in these communities on method and technics, just as you did so admirably for us here.

I would appreciate hearing from you on the above.

With very best wishes to you and Elaine in which Elaine joins me,

Sincerely yours,

*Morton M. Berman*  
Morton M. Berman

Encl.

mmb/rh

P.S.- What do you think of Leonard Lyons and Leon Uris as possible added attractions at big meetings in England? Please comment.- MMB.



HAF

November 27, 1961

Rabbi Morton M. Berman  
Keren Hayesod  
P. O. B. 583  
Jerusalem, Israel

Dear Rabbi Berman:

This is in reference to your letter of November 23rd in respect to Ezer Weizmann.

Mr. Friedman took this matter up with Mr. Pincus and told him that as a matter of principle and precedent it would not be wise for us to invite Ezer Weizmann and his wife. It was felt that this might establish a precedent.

With regard to the balance of your letter relating to South Africa, Australia and Canada, Mr. Friedman said that he would communicate with you direct.

Sincerely,

Malvin S. Goldstein

MSG/fo

cc AF

22 January, 1962

Rabbi Morton H. Serman  
Kzran Haysod  
P. O. B. 583  
Jerusalem, Israel

Dear Nickey:

It seems to me that I have about five letters from you which I apparently never answered. This campaign has been so fantastic so far that my normally neat and systematic attitude toward correspondence has been utterly destroyed. In addition to the pressures of the campaign, the internal reorganization through which we have been going has caused everyone to be working fifteen hours a day. Now, for the moment, there seems to be a lull. So let us try to catch up.

1. Your letter of 5 November, 1961, regarding Lt. Col. Ezra. You will recall that this is the Commander in the Navy for whom I was asked to find a job. I asked you to interview him, which you did and wrote me as of the above date. I have not been able to do anything about this, of course. I do not know whether you feel it incumbent upon you to give my report to the Commander in Chief of the Navy. The matter is so long overdue that perhaps the best thing to do is simply forget it. In any case, I have not been able to find a job opportunity for the chap.

2. Your letter of 23 November, 1961, regarding visiting South Africa and Australia. Up to now I have not been able to give any serious thought to this question. You suggest South Africa in August or September 1962, and Australia from the middle of May to the middle of July.

Our own plans seem to be growing concrete around the idea of another Young Leadership Mission of the UJA to Israel for July. The dates are quite tentative as yet, but I am toying with the idea of leaving right after the 4th of July, spending a few days in some city in Europe, (possibly Vienna again -- or Rome) and then coming to Israel for approximately twelve days. That would mean that we would finish in Israel tentatively around 20 July. This would appear to make it too late to be of any use to Australia. Would it be too early for South Africa?

In other words, without making any commitment whatsoever, but in an effort to be helpful, I would be willing to explore with you further this whole question. Why don't you discuss it with Israel Goldstein, and let us continue to write to each other to see whether any useful plan can emerge.

3. Your letter of 17 December, 1961.

a) Yaël Dayan - We have received a cable saying that she would be arriving on the West Coast approximately mid-March. That is fine. You bring up the item of some clothing needs for her. As I recall it, we have a standard procedure for a clothing allowance where necessary, do we not? If my memory is correct, then I would think you could make the usual arrangements with her. Please refresh my recollection on this score.

b) Mr. Josef Tchornicki - You say that he asks whether UJA is covering Puerto Rico. The answer is that we do. But I would be happy to go into this with him when I see him later this month. I had a letter from Israel Goldstein saying that Mr. Tchornicki was coming through New York around 26 January, and I answered indicating that I would be happy to see him.

4. So, what else is new?

5. How did you do in England? I tried to get Abba Millel Silver for them for the Opening Dinner in February. At first he said yes and they were very pleased. Then, he changed his mind, offering health and age as the reasons for his refusal.

6. Chaim Vinitsky. As you probably know I cabled Chaim inviting him to come here for consultation, so that he could work out procedures with the newly reorganized chain of command. He is due to arrive 30 January and we shall have some good talks.

7. Our next big function is the Inaugural Dinner to be held on 11 February. This will be the launching of the campaign in place of the usual Miami opening. The Dinner will be held here in New York, and we have obtained an acceptance from General Clay in Berlin. Of course, it is dependent on the international situation, but he promises to make every effort to be present. We are also using Chaim Herzog at the same Dinner.

8. The Campaign. All I can say about this is that we have obtained a fabulous start on the Big Gifts level, and that we are working like mad to keep the pace going. It is frustrating to work without publicity. Everything depends upon face to face confrontation. When appointments can be made and prospects can be seen in person, greatly increased contributions can be obtained. When people can be brought to a meeting, tremendous results can be achieved. The difficulty, of course, is that such coverage is possible with only a limited number of people. As for the rest, I can see almost no way to interject a mood of great excitement or enthusiasm, when we must operate under the blanket of secrecy. It is maddening. But we shall certainly keep trying.

I would appreciate it very much if you would share this letter with Moshe Rivlin and Louis Pincus. I am enclosing copies with covering notes for both of them which I would appreciate your delivering.

Please give my best to Elaine and the kids.

As ever,

cc: Henry C Bernatein

B

*Smith*

*sent in dup to  
HCB -  
il*

November 27, 1964

To the Town of Palm Beach  
Palm Beach, Florida

The undersigned, United Jewish Appeal, Inc. hereby consents to the solicitation of funds for its benefit by the committee named in the attached application as herein requested.

Herbert A. Friedman  
Executive Vice Chairman

J

December 4, 1964

Mr. Henry C. Bernstein

Herbert A. Friedman

Cash

Pursuant to our telephone conversation I am sending you some relevant cash statistics:

Received from the 13 Headquarters communities for 12 months 1963	<u>\$20,442,000</u>
Received from the 13 Headquarters communities for 11 months 1963	<u>17,200,000</u>
Received from the 13 Headquarters communities for 11 months 1964	17,241,000
Remittances for December 1963, (which are anticipated to be at least equal in 1964)	<u>3,242,000</u> <u>20,483,000</u>
Received from country (exclusive of N.Y.C.) for 11 months 1963	<u>36,722,000</u>
Received from country (exclusive of N.Y.C.) for 11 months 1964	<u>37,033,000</u>
Received from N.Y.C. for 12 months 1963	<u>17,663,000</u>
Received from N.Y.C. for 11 months 1964	14,502,197
Remittances for December 1963	<u>2,292,000</u> <u>16,794,197</u>

Therefore, as you can see, the Headquarters communities are running approximately even, while New York City would run \$870,000 behind. I bring this to your attention in the hope that it might be possible for you to do something during the month of December which would enable you to remit an amount for the month to bring your yearly total to last year's figure. This means something over \$3,000,000 for December.

If there is anything I can do to be helpful, please do not hesitate to call.

HAF:jb

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*Handwritten signature*

February 10, 1965

Dear Henry:

Just as I did in December, I thought I ought to drop you this note to bring you up-to-date on our collection figures.

As of the close of business last night, we have collected nationally \$4,829,034 compared with \$4,759,011 for the same period in 1964. On the other hand, we have received from New York City \$1,210,534 as compared with \$1,871,173.

We are approximately \$50,000 ahead nationally and approximately \$660,000 behind from New York City.

I would welcome any insight that you may have concerning collection possibilities in the near future.

HAF:VSH

cc: IB  
MP  
HR



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August 18, 1947

VIA AIR MAIL

Rabbi Herbert A. Friedman  
Temple Emanuel  
1595 Pearl Street  
Denver, Colorado

Dear Herb:

Enclosed herewith is a check in the amount of \$107.25 to reimburse you for expenses incurred on the trip to Chicago.

I did not get to Denver as I had originally planned, since it was felt that Harry Goldstein could organize the trade meetings without additional help.

Knowing of your interest in the proposed study of overseas activities by the Council of Jewish Federation and Welfare Funds, I am sending you a copy of the outline of the project.

Hoping this finds you well and happy and looking forward to seeing you soon (under happier circumstances than in Chicago), I am

Sincerely,

*Harry*

Harry D. Biele

HDB:JK  
Enc.

*P.S. Isadore Rubin  
and Mordecai Eyzekiel  
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Rabbi Herbert A. Friedman  
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Dear Herb:

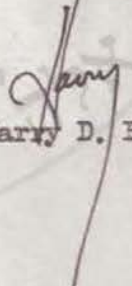
Thanks a million for arranging the matter of Golda Myerson's luggage so effectively. She was so delighted with the first few pieces that, before her departure, she requested several more.

In accordance with your request, a check covering the total amount will be forwarded to you.

The matter that we discussed will undoubtedly be acted upon, on Henry Montor's return at the end of the month.

With warm personal regards, I am

Sincerely,

  
Harry D. Biele

HDB:IG



*Misc  
File*

27 March 1963

Mr. Julius Bisno  
United Jewish Welfare Fund  
590 North Vermont Avenue  
Los Angeles 4, California

Dear Julius:

When Treg was in England during January and February of this year helping them with their campaign, he came to know some of their leadership. Recently he alerted me to the fact that one of their important leaders was now in the States. The name of the man is Rosser Chinn. He is here with his wife. He will be in Los Angeles between the 3rd and 14th of April, staying at the Beverly Hills Hotel.

He knows many people in Los Angeles including Joe Shane and Joe Mitchell. He would be very interested in meeting you and also in seeing something of the campaign activity. Although he is on a holiday, he offered to be helpful if there was any way in which he could be.

Might I suggest that you arrange to meet him by calling at the hotel and seeing if there is any way in which you could be helpful to him or he to you.

With all good wishes, I am,

Sincerely,

HAF:gb

Herbert A. Friedman

Rabbi Herbert A. Friedman  
165 West 46<sup>th</sup> St.  
New York City

Brooklyn 19, N.Y.  
March 27, 1961

My dear Rabbi:

Before I say anything, we would like to extend to you our heartfelt thanks for giving us the opportunity to attend the great important UJA annual conference + the Candle-lighting ceremony, as well as the Memorial of the Warsaw Ghetto which took place at Manhattan Center yesterday. We thought this great affair was extremely well organized.

I do hope that you and family are well and everything is fine. And needless to say you are really doing a wonderful remarkable job.

Hanna and I are fine, I am working on the same job. Stanley is still in the hospital and his state of health improved a little.

Again thank you so much.

With all best wishes and fondest regards to you and Mrs. Friedman

Respectfully yours  
Leo Porticini

P.S. Hanna joins me in her sincere regards to both of you.

April 3, 1961

Mr. Leo Birstein  
1105 -- 54th Street  
Brooklyn 19, N.Y.

Dear Mr. Birstein:

Just before leaving for Europe and Israel, Rabbi Friedman received your letter of March 27th, and asked that I send his thanks and best wishes to you and Mrs. Birstein for the Holidays.

Very truly yours,

Secretary to  
Herbert A. Friedman

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October 8, 1964

VIA AIR MAIL

Mr. Herbert Friedman  
United Jewish Appeal  
1290 Avenue of the Americas  
New York, N. Y. 10019

Dear Herb:

Congratulations on securing Justice Arthur Goldberg for our Opening Dinner here in Los Angeles.

I think he will be a tremendous draw and we are grateful to you.

Cordially,

*Julius Bisno*  
JULIUS BISNO  
Associate Executive  
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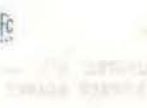
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SCHOOL OF SOCIAL WELFARE  
LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA 90024

September 24, 1965

Mr. Charles Jordan,  
American Joint Distribution Committee,  
3 East 54th Street,  
New York, New York

Dear Charlie:

I have just finished reading the article in LOOK. I must honestly tell you that, aside from the unfortunate phrasing of some of Moskin's statements and quotes from other people, in essence I am in agreement with the observations in the article. I certainly do not believe that "Israel is a testament to the inability of men to live together". This is the most unfortunate sentence in the entire article. Israel Katz' quote is accurate but I think unfortunately phrased. There is a very good explanation for why European Jewry think of themselves as "superior". I don't defend their position, but I think I can explain it and understand it.

I think perhaps what is missing in the article, and one cannot really build it into this popular type of presentation, is an understanding of the sociological, cultural and psychological factors which make up Israel, not to mention the ideological factors. I felt, during the five years I was in Israel, that what Moskin writes about was going to become increasingly more visible. It was not until after I knew the Israelis quite well, that I could venture some observations as to the evidences of growing discrimination.

One of the most unfortunate problems which Israel has to face, and this is not touched on in the article, is that the very groups who are so culturally deprived, uneducated, and even primitive in their acting-out of feeling, are also the ones who fall in the lowest level of the socio-economic scale. This stratification along economic and cultural lines makes the dimensions of the problem almost overwhelming. I have been struck, since my return to the U.S., by many of the similarities in our own "culturally deprived population. The fact that these are the Israelis who now constitute more than half of the population and with

every indication that this percentage will increase further, <sup>means</sup> the panic on the part of the Western-oriented Jews, including those in the Diaspora, is mounting.

There was much conversation when I was in Israel about whether the country really should take on its natural coloration as a member of the Middle Eastern part of the world, and there are many Israelis who think this is not only inevitable but desirable. Obviously, if 60 or 70% of the population is to be ultimately from Middle Eastern cultures, this would be inevitable. One thing that really struck me as quite apparent in Israel was the feeling on the part of the Ashkenazi, European Jews, that their way of life was the preferred one and that all the adjustments should be made by newcomers. The article is certainly not calculated to have people understand the reasons for the uniqueness of Israel. There is no question in my mind that no other group of people could have survived even to this point with the tremendous task which had to be performed, had they not had many of the enduring qualities and characteristics of the Jewish culture and Jewish society. The fact that Israel has managed to come to the point it has is a credit to people everywhere, that this could be realized by a segment of the world's population. This is why I say I think Moskin's sweeping opening sentence is a most unfortunate one.

If you feel that some of the comments made in this letter could well be made to Moskin or the magazine, I would be glad to make them. However, I could not write any strong disagreement with him, because I do think that he has hit on many of the very critical and crucial issues which Israel and Jews outside of Israel must be willing to face up to.

With all good wishes

Cordially,

*Eileen*

Eileen Blackey

EB:jb



13 October 1965

Miss Eileen Blackey  
U. C. L. A. School of Social Welfare  
Los Angeles, California 90024

Dear Miss Blackey:

I am writing with reference to your letter of 24 September to Charlie Jordan concerning the article in Look.

I thought your letter was a fine one, and I would like to take advantage of your willingness, expressed in the last paragraph, to make some of the same comments to Moskin or the magazine.

I feel that your letter is balanced and that its tone and temper are exactly what Look should receive. Would you be good enough to send me a copy of the letter you write to the magazine?

Thank you very much for your helpful cooperation.

Sincerely yours,

HAF:gb

Herbert A. Friedman

cc: HAF MBF IL MP - ERV

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United Jewish Appeal  
1290 Ave. of the Americas, N.Y., N.Y.

DAY LETTER (TO BE DELIVERED. PLEASE DO NOT TELEPHONE.)

November 21, 1966

MR. JACOB BLAUSTEIN  
AMERICAN FRIENDS OF THE HEBREW UNIVERSITY  
11 EAST 69 STREET  
NEW YORK, NEW YORK

HEARTIEST CONGRATULATIONS ON RECEIVING SCOPUS AWARD CONFERRED BY AMERICAN FRIENDS HEBREW UNIVERSITY. NO ONE MORE DESERVING GREAT HONOR IMPLICIT IN THIS AWARD. YOUR VISION, YOUR PIONEERING LEADERSHIP AND PERSONAL DEDICATION IN UNITED JEWISH APPEAL HAVE ENRICHED NOT ONLY ISRAEL, BUT ALL THAT IS GREAT AND NOBLE IN JEWISH LIFE EVERYWHERE. WITH WARM FELICITATIONS WE EXPRESS HEARTFELT HOPE YOU WILL CONTINUE FOR MANY YEARS TO BE IN VANGUARD OF JEWISH LEADERSHIP SERVING AS CHAMPION AND COUNSELOR FOR PRESERVATION JEWISH CULTURE AND JEWISH LIFE THE WORLD OVER.

MAX N. FISHER

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March 21, 1972

Mr. Herbert A. Friedman  
15 Ibn Gabirol  
Jerusalem, Israel

Dear Herb:

I have received your letter of February 24th. I plead guilty - with some extenuating circumstances - but, by and large, you are right. Therefore, you can be assured that in the future, any editing done on your manuscripts-- for whatever reason, legal or otherwise -- will be cleared through you before final production.

In reference to the address you delivered at the National Conference, please be advised that all changes made -- except for minor grammatical and punctuation changes -- were dictated by Herb Rose. He felt that the sections in question, namely sections #2 and #3 on Page 11 and your last few paragraphs, were strongly political in nature. I can guess what you think of an attorney's theology, but he felt this portion unusable because it referred to Israel as a nation, rather than a people. If you were annoyed, so was I. We spent days battling back and forth on this. As you might imagine, he had extensive reservations, and initially had even more changes to "suggest."

Please understand that I am not excusing the fact that you were not extended the courtesy of reviewing these corrections. But according to Herb Rose if we did not make the changes he requested, he would not permit us to reprint the address. Although we did not agree with all the corrections he suggested, he gave us no choice. I don't know what else could have been done at that point - except to either scrap the speech or get it out.

I am sorry that this upset you. I am especially sorry if I upset you. I will do everything in my power to make certain that a situation such as this does not reoccur.

On the constructive side, I have to do some serious thinking now about 1973. The floor is open to flashes of brilliance.

My love to Francine and the children.

Warmest personal regards,

Mel Bloom  
Director Public Relations

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Rabbi Herbert Friedman  
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Dear Herb:

Thank you very much for taking the time to answer my letter. Please do not think that an acknowledgement to this one is necessary.

The "shock" that you mentioned which we in America might experience soon is not nearly as fearsome as the thought of what might happen to Israel if the war should continue. Therefore, the prospect of raising one billion dollars and of sending one million alliyot is not too terrible by comparison.

I wonder if the Israeli Government has ever considered soliciting money by giving as securities, non-interest bearing bonds for a given period of time. There may be many people who would be willing to lend money in such a matter. It is also possible that the bonds could have interest payments beginning after, say, ten years.

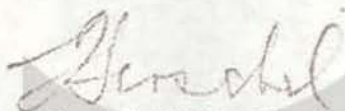
The news as we receive it here today is promising with regard to the prospects of a meaningful cease fire. Especially noted is the fact that Egypt and Syria have made some effort to control the guerrilla propaganda sources. We hope that this is not just a window dressing action to induce Israel to accept cease fire.

The knowledge that almost everything does change and the fact that we possibly shall see a change in the war situation in the Middle East in which Russia has had a significant role, and further, the fact that Russia has obviously had some influence on Egypt's acceptance of the United States peace package leads me hopefully to dream that perhaps the time is not too far away when Russia may find that it is willing to open its doors to permit the Jews to leave.

Rabbi Herbert Friedman  
July 30, 1970  
Page Two

I just received a note from Ed stating that he had complied with your request to go to Israel. He states that he met with Golda Meir and that he is therefore calling a meeting for September 10. I look forward to seeing you then.

Sincerely,



Herschel W. Blumberg

HWB/pp



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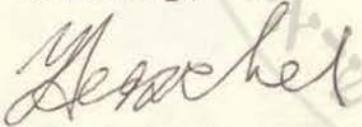
Dear Herb:

I want to thank you again for your invaluable assistance which you so graciously extended to me in San Antonio. I have retained a copy of your suggestions and shall be referring to them regularly.

I'm sure we will be talking to each other soon.

Best regards,

Sincerely,



Herschel Blumberg

HB/mb



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July 30, 1962

Rabbi Herbert Friedman  
c/o United Jewish Appeal  
165 West 46th Street  
New York City

Dear Rabbi Friedman:

Dr. Yahuda Bauer, Lecturer at the Hebrew University's Institute of Contemporary Jewry, is in the United States for a short period of time to pursue a special research project.

His work deals with the "Brichah" specifically and the displaced persons' problem in general.

Dr. Bauer is eager to meet with you in connection with his research project. We would be most appreciative if you would find it possible to arrange such meeting. Dr. Bauer can be reached at 318 West 106th Street, Apartment 2 FW, New York City. During the course of this week, he can be reached at Yivo during the day, LE 5-6700, Extension 30.

With best wishes, I am,

Sincerely yours,

*Rita Blume*  
Rita Blume, Director  
Special Projects

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cc: Dr. Yahuda Bauer

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July 31, 1962

Miss Rita Bluse  
American Friends of the Hebrew University  
11 East 69th Street  
New York 21, New York

Dear Miss Bluse:

This is to acknowledge receipt of your letter of July 30, 1962,  
addressed to Rabbi Herbert Friedman, regarding Dr. Yahuda Bauer.

Rabbi Friedman is presently out of the country and is not  
expected back until the end of August, at which time your letter  
will be brought to his attention.

Sincerely,

Secretary

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cc: Dr. Yahuda Bauer



November 22, 1966

Mr. Hyman H. Bookbinder  
Office of Economic Opportunity  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Bookbinder:

I was very pleased to note the results of your November 16th speaking engagement on behalf of the United Jewish Appeal in Youngstown, Ohio.

Your interesting analysis of the activities of the D.E.O., which are similar in many respects to the operations of UJA constituent agencies, and your eloquence in relating your impressions of Israel stimulated the members of the Youngstown community to increase their contributions by more than \$7,000 - representing a gain of 14.7 per cent above last years campaign.

I am grateful to you for presenting the UJA story with such clarity and import, and sincerely hope that you will be available to address other meetings on our behalf.

With all good wishes, I am,

Cordially,

Herbert A. Friedman  
Executive Vice-Chairman

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MAURICE M. BOURSTEIN  
37 WALL STREET  
NEW YORK, N.Y. 10005

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September 29, 1967

PERSONAL

Dear Herb:

This is to wish you and your family a truly happy and joyous New Year.

The events of the last year will remain with us for the rest of our lives. It was given to you to play a particularly significant part in giving expression to the deep unity that can and does prevail among Jews when the chips are really down, and you have every reason to be proud of your accomplishments.

Times ahead are not going to be easy and it is good to know that you are there to carry so important a part of the burden.

Chazak Veematz.

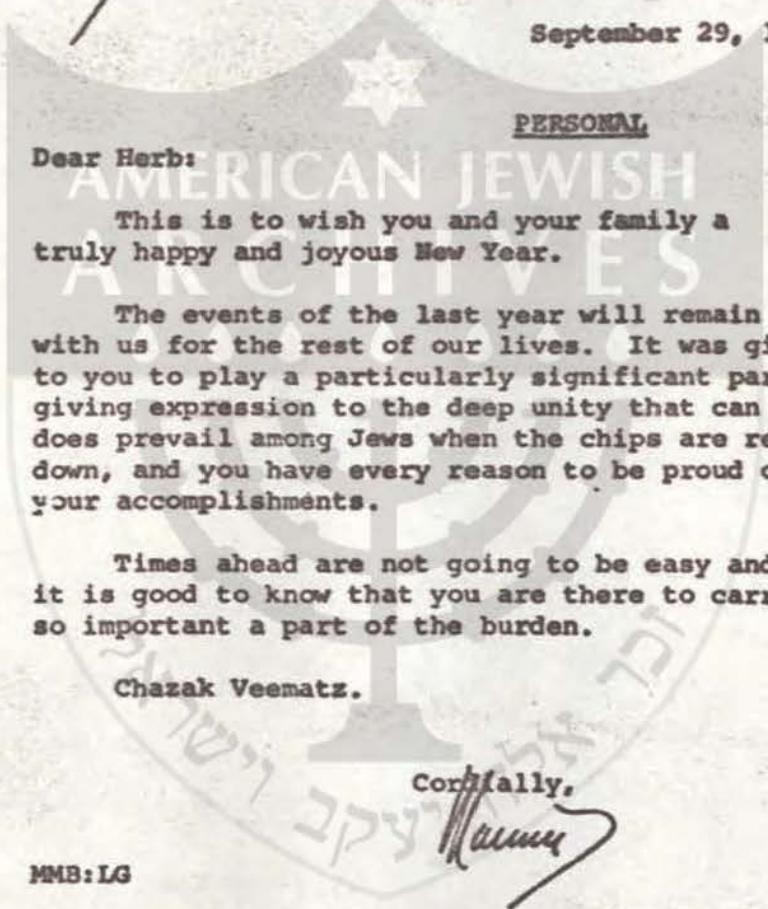
Cordially,

*Maurice*

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Rabbi Herbert A. Friedman  
United Jewish Appeal, Inc.  
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October 4, 1960

Rabbi Herbert Friedman, Executive Director  
National United Jewish Appeal  
165 W. 56th Street  
New York, New York

Dear Herb:

I have been meaning to drop you a line for some time expressing my pleasure at having had the opportunity to meet you in Israel this summer and to spend the time with you that we were both able to sandwich in.

Upon my return home, I was catapulted into the hectic preparation period for our marketing of the \$10,000,000 securities issue of the Industrial Development Bank of Israel that we are presently in the process of distributing. In addition to this, you will note from our letterhead that we have moved to a new location. As a matter of fact, we are in the process of moving. We will not be located on Wall Street until conceivably the middle of November. In the meantime, we are working out of makeshift offices at 250 West 57th Street. The telephone number on this letterhead is that of the 57th Street address.

It will be interesting to you to know that we have begun to receive communications from a number of federations throughout the country requesting information about our interest in purchasing Israeli securities that have been given to campaigns in lieu of cash. It is our intention to enter this field after sufficient study and exploration have taken place. I tell you this so that you may keep it in mind in case you have need, in the future, to explore this with us.

I am spending most of my time in New York these days. Lunch with you would be delightful if you find an interlude for it one of these days.

Warmest regards.

Cordially,  
*Harry*

Harry E. Brager  
President  
BRAGER & COMPANY

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October 17, 1960

Mr. Harry E. Brager  
Brager & Company  
60 Wall Street  
New York, N.Y.

Dear Mr. Brager:

This is to acknowledge your letter of October 4th addressed to Rabbi Herbert Friedman.

Rabbi Friedman is at present out of the country on UJA matters, and upon his return early November, your letter will be brought to his attention.

Sincerely yours,

Secretary to  
Herbert A. Friedman

15 February 1965

Mrs. Mathilda Brailove  
1046 Harding Road  
Elizabeth 3, N. J.

Dear Mathilda:

So far the title of the show we should write for you is "Star Over Texas." I really want to thank you for what you have done in Dallas and Houston. In both places I have the feeling it was more than worthwhile and that you really shook them out of their "business as usual" lethargy.

I understand you are now going on to Kansas City and that Pittsburgh has been postponed somewhat.

Good work -- keep up the enthusiasm -- and continue to inspire us all by your usual wonderful performance.

As ever,

HAF:gb

Herbert A. Friedman

Mrs. S. Alexander Brailova  
1046 Harding Road  
Elizabeth, New Jersey 07208

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1 October, 1967

Dear Herb,

Thank you for your letter.

I tried to get an appointment and learned  
of your monstrous schedule. Now I know it would  
be an imposition. Irving has been extremely  
considerate and I shall proceed with my plans.

I cannot let this miraculous New  
Year dawn, without wishing you - a prime  
factor in its creation - and your family all  
the best - good health and success.

With warm regards and affection and  
respect

Masha

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10 June 1964

Mr. Max A. Braude  
World ORT Union  
Centre International  
Place des Nations  
Geneva, Switzerland

Dear Max:

I have just had an opportunity to read the minutes of the JDC meeting in Geneva on May 6 in which there was a discussion reported on pages 24 and 25 regarding the UJA campaign for education. This was part of your report on ORT activities.

There are several misstatements of fact in what you said, and I thought you would like to know it. I do not know where you got the idea that the UJA was planning to produce \$15 million a year, of which \$5 million would go into vocational education. We never alleged any figure, at any time. No one is in the position to make any prediction.

Furthermore, I wonder what you thought would be gained by stating that Israel was "relying too much on the special UJA campaign which hasn't started yet, which may not succeed, and which will undoubtedly be a costly endeavor." Obviously, if these are your personal opinions, you have a right to them. But, I wonder what is to be gained by expressing such thoughts publicly and having them reprinted in a set of minutes which is rather widely distributed.

I can understand your problems, in which you want the Ministry of Education and Ministry of Labor to take a greater share in the cost of the ORT operation. You make a very strong case for this and should indeed do so. But, I have learned in my experience that one does not advance one's own cause by deprecating someone else's.

I just thought that you would like to know that I was rather disturbed when I read these comments, and I think that the next time we meet we should go into this whole thing in much greater depth.

As ever,

HAF:gb  
cc: Mr. Charles Jordan

Herbert A. Friedman

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15th June, 1964

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Rabbi Herbert A. Friedman  
United Jewish Appeal  
1290 Avenue of the Americas  
New York 19, N.Y.

Dear Herb,

Your letter of June 10 has just arrived and added misery to a bout of migraine. Unfortunately, I never got a chance to review the minutes of the May 6 JDC Department Heads meeting. If I had, I would certainly have doctored the paragraphs to which you refer, primarily because my comments were not as precise as quoted. I am sure that if the tape is available for review, any figures I cited were introduced as assumptions--not mine -- but assumptions of the Ministry of Education. In addition, I was until now naïve enough to believe that the total distribution of these minutes was to the JDC offices. The wide distribution to which you refer is news to me. Lastly, I think you know me well enough to know that I would never consciously deprecate anyone else's cause in order to advance my own. You also know that I am not stupid enough to bite the hand that feeds my children.

The minutes are accurate in so far as they reflect my frustration, a frustration arising out of unmet needs, out of carrying responsibilities which are properly governmental and out of the knowledge that the government is as of today not equipped, organizationally and staff-wise, to do what has to be done.

I am indeed sorry about my statements at the meeting of May 6; your criticisms are completely justified. I hope it won't happen again.

Cordially,



M.A. Braude





8 December 1970

Mr. Eli Broad  
10801 National Boulevard  
Los Angeles, California

Dear Eli:

It has been a long time since we met in your office with Ed Sanders. As I recall it, we ended that conversation on the note that we would get together to discuss a trip to Israel - either for yourself alone, in connection with one of your business trips, or together with your family. I would like to hear from you as to what your calendar looks like in the two or three months ahead and what you think the possibilities might be. I would like to be of service and to plan something with you.

Looking forward to hearing from you, I am,

As ever,

Herbert A. Friedman

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**SAMUEL BRONFMAN**  
1430 PEEL STREET  
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Dear Herb,

It was most kind of you to write me as you did and I deeply appreciate your good wishes and kind sentiments.

I am getting along fine and hope to be back on the job in a week or two.

Please accept for yourself and convey to your associates my sincere thanks.

Yours sincerely,

*Sam*

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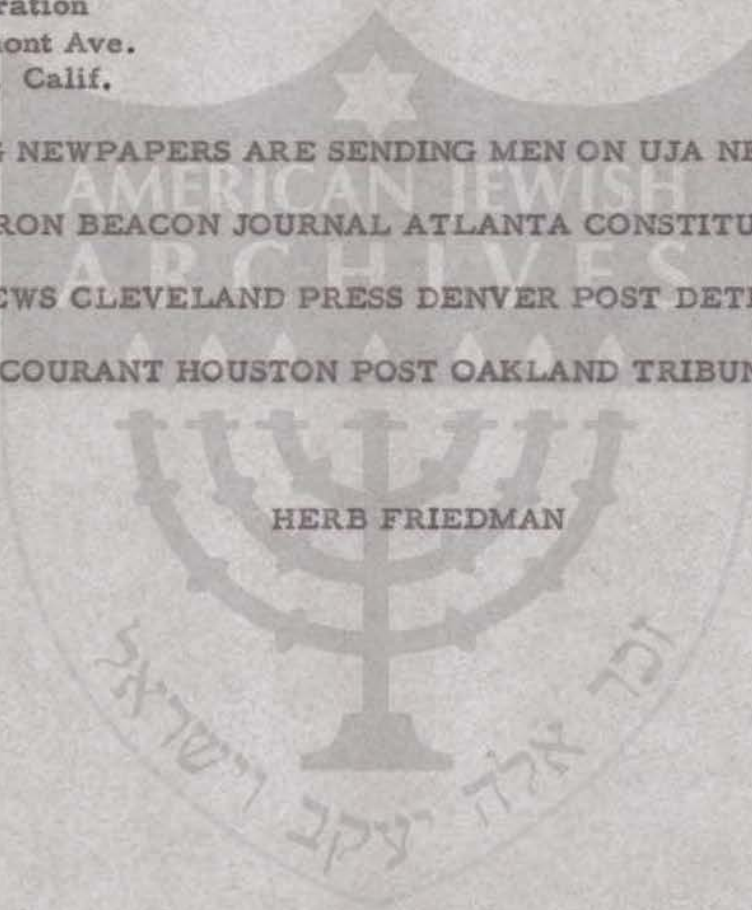
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NOVEMBER 6, 1968

Alvin Bronstein  
Jewish Federation  
590 N. Vermont Ave.  
Los Angeles, Calif.

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HERB FRIEDMAN





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November 11, 1970

Rabbi Herbert A. Friedman  
Executive Chairman  
United Jewish Appeal  
1290 Avenue of the Americas  
New York, New York 10019

Dear Herb:

Thank you very much for sending me a copy of your acknowledgement of the magnificent gift from Jack L. Warner. I must say that you are to be warmly congratulated for your all important role in achieving this result. I sent a copy to Chester Firestein, who has labelled your letter a "master piece".

Just to assure you on one point, we have sent our own acknowledgement and I do hope that Mr. Warner will see fit to come to New York to announce the gift himself.

With kindest regards and looking forward to seeing you both in Kansas City and New York, I am

Cordially,

Alvin Bronstein

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13 December, 1960

Dear Herb,

The weekend was exceptional and I should like to extend congratulations and gratitude.

Each session achieved a new, higher plateau ending at the summit on Sunday.

This was the most inspiring closing meeting I have ever attended, perfectly planned, perfectly executed by a superior group of leaders. Your search for new leadership is constantly successful which is testimony to your own greatness and leadership.

I went to the Women's Division Board meeting, ready for the "housework" of the

Campaign - a discussion of techniques and was  
assaulted and exalted by "A Memo to Eichmann"  
which is tremendous. From title, through  
script and your outstanding voice and performance  
we were so deeply moved that there was no  
applause at the close.

Herb, may I again express my  
gratitude for the honor you paid Alice's memory  
on Saturday. This show of compassion, I shall  
never forget.

Warm regards, keep strong and  
with great affection,  
Methilde.

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Herbert R. Bloch, Jr.  
EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT

July 8, 1970

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Rabbi Herbert Friedman  
United Jewish Appeal  
1290 Avenue of the Americas  
New York, New York 10019

Dear Herb:

Cincinnati will be celebrating its 75th anniversary as a "Federated community" in the year starting June, 1971. In thinking about ways to turn this anniversary year into a profitable one, we have felt that the fund raising elements of the Federation will get some inspiration out of having the Midwest Regional UJA Meeting here in January, 1972.

There has been some discussion between our staff members and your people about this and it's my understanding that your people would look favorably on our hosting that meeting.

I'd appreciate it if you'd let me know if we might have the convention here and, if so, what special responsibilities you would want the local community to take on in handling the program.

Best regards,

Cordially,

*Herb*

/s

cc: Mr. Pat Goldberg

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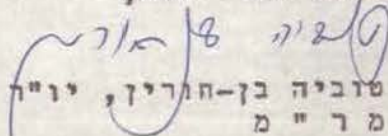
רב פרידמן היקר,

לאור החלטת מועצת הרבנים המתקדמים בישראל בישיבתם ביום 5.12.72 (כ"ט כסלו, חש"ג), יש לי הכבוד להזמין רשמית להצטרף כחבר במועצתנו.

הנני מקווה שתחלק עמנו בנסיוןך העשיר והרומתי החשובה לקרוב תפוצות ישראל למדינתנו. מי יתן ובנסיעתך לארצות הברית תמצא את המכנה המשותף עם צמרת תנועתנו שם ונראה אוחך עמל אתנו לקראת פחוה ושגשוגה של תנועתנו.

נא ציין לפניך שישיבותינו מחקיימות ביום ראשון האחרון לכל חודש, בבית הכנסת "קדם" רח" קרליבך 20, בשעה 14.00. ישיבת הועד הארצי מחקיימת לאחר מכן בשעה 16.30 באותו מקום.

בכבוד רב ובידידות,

  
הרב טוביה בן-חורין, יו"ר  
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העתק: הרב ר. סמואלס