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January 16, 1961

Mr. Herbert A. Friedman
Executive Vice-Chairman
United Jewish Appeal
165 West 46th Street
New York, New York

Dear Herb:

Enclosed please find the Jewish National Fund
Philatelic Section price schedule listing the
K.K.L. Stamps available today.

In the upper left hand corner, you will note
that there is a price on each sheet such as
5¢, 10¢, etc. The writer feels sure that you
can make a start in this direction, if you are
so inclined.

In the interim period, the writer has asked
Mr. Wertheim to obtain the "Shai" First Day Covers
which are issued by the Jewish National Fund.
Although he claims that he has only a few remaining,
perhaps, your good offices might be able to secure
two copies of each, dating way back. Would appreciate
having one of the copies.

Looking forward to seeing you real soon, with best
wishes to you and yours.

Sincerely,

Butch

N. Aaron Naboichek

NAN:ELW

Call me concerning Barney's demise.

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January 24, 1961

Mr. Herbert A. Friedman
Executive Vice-Chairman
United Jewish Appeal
165 West 46th Street
New York, New York

Dear Herb:

Finally heard from the Jewish National Fund. They were nice enough to send (10) First Day Covers with the "Shai" imprint.

Enclosed you will find (6) of the (10) which should open up this "Shai" field to you as well as a copy of the invoice, which has been paid.

The writer notes that there is an office in Israel who probably has a much wider selection than they have given to us plus the fact that it could be slightly less in cost. Would appreciate your investigating this to see if we can obtain most all of the "Shai" covers that have been issued since 1948. Will look forward to your report.

With best wishes.

Sincerely,

N. Aaron Naboichek

NAN:ELW

Encs.

P.S. I have kept (4) of the covers and have sent the balance for your collection because they are duplicates of the ones I have. The only reason for sending you the invoice is that the name of the institution in Israel is on the invoice and you may need this for your information.

קרן קימת לישראל

JEWISH NATIONAL FUND

(Keren Kayemeth Le Israel, Inc.)

42 East 89th Street, New York 21, N. Y.

Mr. N.A. Naboichek
The Standard Mattress Co.,
55 North St.,
Hartford 1, Conn.

AMERICAN JEWISH
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DATE

January 20, 1961

10 First Day Covers

• \$2.00 each

\$20. 00

ALL DONATIONS TO THE JNF AND
TO THE EDUCATION OF THE YOUTH
ARE TAX DEDUCTIBLE

PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO JEWISH NATIONAL FUND

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7 February, 1961

Mr. H. Aaron Nabochuck
The Standard Mattress Co.
55 North Street
Hartford 1, Conn.

Dear Butch,

Have just returned from Miami to find the First Day Covers with the "Shai" imprint.

My deepest thanks for sending these to me.

I would appreciate your giving me more of the background as to the exact meaning of these Shai covers. What does the word stand for? These are apparently regular First Day Covers to which the Jewish National Fund adds this particular imprint.

Once I know more about the meaning of this I will certainly do what I can to see if I can obtain for you all the Shai Covers that have been issued since 1948, as you requested. I could do this the next time I go to Israel.

With all best wishes, I am

As ever,

Herbert A. Friedman

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February 11, 1961

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Mr. Herbert A. Friedman
United Jewish Appeal
165 West 46th Street
New York 36, New York

Dear Herb:

Thank you for your note of February 7th.

The only definition the writer has ever had for "Shai" is that it was an imprint used by J.N.F. since the establishment of the State. No doubt, the local New York office will be able to give you the full background. It is my feeling, however, that this is merely a public relations stunt on their part to arouse interest back in the early days.

I trust that you will be able to obtain these covers at a fairly economic price.

Will look forward to seeing you at the March Conference. With best wishes.

Sincerely,

Butch

N. Aaron NaboiCHECK

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March 31, 1961

Mr. Herbert A. Friedman
United Jewish Appeal
165 West 46th Street
New York 36, New York

Dear Herb:

It would be very desirable, when you next visit Israel, if you could obtain, for yourself as well as the writer, from the Israeli Postal Service unusual presentations made to various organizations/or individuals.

Of course, we both will be pleased to pay for this service and if it should be accomplished, it will naturally add to our collections.

Frelicha Pesach.

Sincerely,

Butch

N. Aaron Naboicheck

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December 28, 1962

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Mr. Herbert A. Friedman
United Jewish Appeal
165 West 46th Street
New York, New York

Dear Herb:

Somewhat tardy in my reply but did want to tell you how much I enjoyed the Conference and to compliment you on its planning. The Cabinet Meetings were outstanding as was the presentation of the 25th Anniversary celebration.

RL ✓ The second purpose of this letter is to request your good offices to forward any unusual FDC pertaining to the new U.J.A. stamp. Since I maintain two collections, one for each son, please submit two of each cover being prepared. Please make sure that an invoice accompanies same.

Thank you in advance for this courtesy.

Sincerely,

Butch

N. Aaron Naboicheck

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January 11, 1963

Mr. N. Aaron Nabolich
The Standard Mattress Company
801 Windsor Street
Hartford 1, Conn.

Dear Butch:

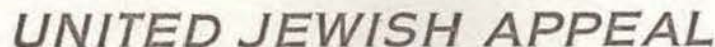
Thanks very much for your complimentary remarks regarding the recent National Conference. It's participation of people like yourself that make such activities worthwhile.

Enclosed are two first-day covers just received from Israel, commemorating UJA's 25th Anniversary. Since you insist, you will be billed for them for \$1.00.

Sincerely yours,

Herbert A. Friedman

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PLAZA 7-1500 CABLE ADDRESS: UJAPPEAL NEW YORK

Mr. Harry Nagler
190 Riverside Drive
New York, New York 10024

Dear Mr. Nagler:

We deeply appreciate your letter of April 9th, for only one who really cares about the cause for which the UJA raises its funds could write such a letter.

Our decision to place the notice in the New York Times reflected our feelings as well as our best judgment on what was appropriate, in view of the overwhelming outpouring of expressions of sympathy from business, industry, and many organizations. We felt that the major fund-raising organization of American Jewry, the organization that is synonymous in the minds of Jew and non-Jew alike with Jewish philanthropy, could not afford to stand aside and remain silent in the presence of the national tragedy.

Secondly, it should be mentioned that Martin Luther King, Jr. was the one Negro voice that was heard in full support of Israel and in strong opposition to the sinister forces that have been trying to set Negro against Jew. On one occasion, March 4, 1965, he addressed a rally of 3,000 Jewish women in New York under the auspices of the UJA of Greater New York, and made a very stirring appeal for the sustained support of the UJA.

We fully share your views that we have the solemn responsibility to run our organization with the minimum of expense. We believe that through the years we have done just that. Thanks, in large measure, to the dedication of the great corps of men and women throughout the country who have given us freely of their time and their talents, professional costs have been kept to the minimum. For your information I am including the following table of income and costs. It reflects the lowest ratio of any fund-raising apparatus in the United States:

	<u>1965</u>	<u>1966</u>	<u>1967</u>	<u>Emergency Fund for Israel 1967</u>
INCOME	\$ 61,471,294	61,507,207	82,034,412	151,783,268
COSTS	3,332,904	3,690,751	3,661,298	541,347

You will notice that there was a very limited expense in regard to the Emergency Fund, which was actually a remarkable voluntary outpouring.

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Mr. Harry Nagler

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April 11, 1968

These figures are taken from our audited reports and are available to any contributor, as I am making them available to you, but are not for publication.

If you have any other questions, I shall be happy to answer them.

Sincerely,

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Herbert A. Friedman
Executive Vice-Chairman

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20 November 1968

Major General Uzi Narkiss
Jewish Agency
Jerusalem, Israel

Dear Uzi:

We need a videotape message from Israel on the subject of immigration with an introduction by yourself and then some shots of immigrants arriving by boat or plane.

A member of our staff, Mr. Paul Leventhal, will be in Israel from the first of December for a few days to try to make all the tapes we need. He will call you for an appointment and I would appreciate your cooperation.

It won't take more than 10 or 15 minutes of your time. Mr. Leventhal will ask you some questions, your answers will be responsive of the needs of Israel in this emergency, and then he will go out and try to get some shots either at Lydda or Haifa.

Many thanks for your cooperation.

Sincerely yours,

Herbert A. Friedman

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THE EXECUTIVE OF THE JEWISH AGENCY

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November 26, 1968

Mr. Herbert A. Friedman
United Jewish Appeal
1290 Avenue Of The Americas
New York, N. Y. 10019
U. S. A.

Dear Herb:


Thank you for your letter of November 20th.

I will be delighted to meet with Paul Leventhal when he is here in Israel, and will do all I can to help him accomplish his mission.

I appreciate the opportunity to be of help to you in any way possible.

Kindest regards,

Sincerely yours,


Uzi Narkiss

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4 November 1968

Ambassador Asher Ben Natan
Israel Embassy
Udierstrasse 78
Bad-Godesberg, W. Germany

Dear Arthur:

Long time no see. Have been busy as hell. In the last 16 months it seems like we have raised \$5 trillion. Anyhow the work has never been more demanding or more satisfying.

The purpose of this note is to inquire whether you would be willing to come to the States for two weeks (the last week in February and the first week in March) to travel around to some cities on behalf of the campaign. As you may have heard, we are running another tremendous Emergency Fund for 1969, trying to raise more than 1967.

I have not yet spoken to Itzhak Rabin to ask him what his reaction would be. First I wanted to find out whether you were available. If you say you are, then I will speak to him to see if it is OK with him (protocol, you know).

With best good wishes, I am,

As ever,

HAF:gb

Herbert A. Friedman

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UNITED JEWISH APPEAL

MAY 22, 1969

ASHER BEN NATAN
ISRAEL EMBASSY
UBIERSTRASSE 78
BAD-GODESBERG (W. GERMANY)

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AM BRINGING UNIVERSITY STUDENT MISSION FORTY BOYS TO MUNICH
TWENTYTHREE TO TWENTYSIX JUNE STOP HAVE TWO REQUESTS FIRST
WOULD YOU BE ABLE GIVE THEM COUPLE HOURS DISCUSSION SECOND
EHUD AVRIEL SUGGESTED YOU SHOULD ASK HEINRICH BOLL GIVE COUPLE
HOURS SINCE HE AS GERMAN WOULD HAVE GREAT IMPACT ON THESE KIDS
STOP POSSIBLE TIMES ARE MONDAY EVENING TWENTYTHIRD TUESDAY
AFTERNOON OR EVENING TWENTYFOURTH ANYTIME THURSDAY TWENTYSIXTH
STOP LOOK FORWARD YOUR REPLY SOONEST BEST REGARDS

HERB FRIEDMAN

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ASHER BEN NATAN
ISRAEL EMBASSY
UBIE STRASSE 78
BAD GODESBERG (W. GERMANY)

JUNE 3, 1969

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SORRY WE WILL MISS YOU DELIGHTED ME ET WITH HANS HEIGERT
BUT TIME YOU SUGGEST IS NOT GOOD BECAUSE WE ARE ON ALL
DAY TRIP TO BERCHTESGADEN ON 25th STOP CAN OFFER FOLLOWING
TIMES ON 24th EITHER FIVE PM OR ~~SEVEN~~ EIGHTTHIRTY PM
AFTER DINNER PLEASE CONFIRM THANKS AND REGARDS

FRIEDMAN





To Herb Friedman

from Butch

קרן קימת לישראל

JEWISH NATIONAL FUND

Department of Youth and Education

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and Education

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Secretary, Educators' Council

PHILATELIC SECTION

Dear Philatelist:-

Please accept this price-list of Jewish National Fund stamps with our compliments. We have endeavored to include in it almost all the stamps available, at present, in our office - quite a number of them have already become rarities.

We invite you to acquaint yourself with these stamps which, you probably know, were initiated by the Fifth Zionist Congress in Basel at the end of 1901. J.N.F. stamps symbolize the striving of the Jewish People towards national revival and have served as popular and important financial and educational means for the redemption of the soil in Israel.

Since the beginning of the present century hundreds of stamps were issued by the J.N.F. to mark important events and projects and honor great personalities who played enviable roles in the history of the return of the Jewish people to Israel.

We will be glad to help you acquire all or some of these stamps and add them to your collection.

Hoping to hear from you,

Sincerely yours,

S. Handel

S. Handel
Chairman

D. A. Wertheim

D.A. Wertheim
Executive Secretary

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Price List for K.K.L. stamps available at the Jewish National Fund
 Philatelic Section
 42 East 69th Street, New York 21, N.Y.
 TR 9 - 9300

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Year	Name	Number of stamps	Colors
1935	Goldberg	1	green - black.
1936	Dizengoff	4	brown, dark-brown, blue-green, black.
1943	Kisch	4	brown, black, blue, green.
1944	Katzenelson	4	brown, blue, sky-blue, reddish brown.
1944	Aaronson	3	brown, black, blue.
1945	Hankin	3	brown, green, blue.
1946	Valley of Jezreel.	3	brown, green, blue.
1947	Zionist Organization	3	green-blue, deep-blue, blue-blue.
1948	Aleph Beth	112	brown, yellow, red, blue. (one sheet of 28 stamps to every color).
1949	Galilee	4	green, yellow, brown on yellow, reddish brown on yellow.
1949	Road to Jerusalem	3	brown, green, blue.
1949	Herzl	3	brown, green, blue.
1949	Nordau	3	brown, green, blue.
1949	Weizman	3	brown, blue, olive-green.
1949	Meirowitz	3	brown, green, blue.
1950	Trumpeldor	3	grey, green, blue.
1950	Hebrew University	2	brown, green.
1950	End of Yemenite Exile	3	grey, black, red.
1950	Million Jews in Israel	1	red.
1950	Mikveh Israel	3	brown, green, blue.
1950	Mishmar Hayarden	2	black, blue.
1951	Eshel Avraham	2	brown, blue.
1951	J.N.F. Jubilee	2	brown, green.
1951	Third Maccabiah	3	brown, green, blue.
1951	Valley of Jezreel	3	brown, green, blue.
1952	Smolenskin	2	brown, blue.
1953	Honor Thy Teacher	3	Class Studying Bible Class Studying Israel Geography. Class Studying General Geography.
1954	Mount Herzl	1	grey
1955	Szold	1	brown.
1957	Degel Yerusholayim	2	blue - 50, brown - 100
1958	Heichal Shlomo (Chief Rabbinate Building)	4	brown, values 50, 100 blue, values 50, 100
1958	Adulam	16	blue, green, red, grey four different scenes in each row.

@ 10¢

year	Name	Number of stamps	Colors
1933	Bialik and Arlazaroff	6	brown, blue, green.
1934	Kremenetzky	1	green-black.
1943	Ruppin	3	brown, blue, black.
1944	Katzenelson	1	green.
1944	Tchernichovsky	3	brown, blue, black.
1945	Trumpeldor	3	brown, blue, green.
1945	Technion	3	brown, blue, red.
1945	Rabbi Kook	2	blue, green.
1946	Jesreel	1	blue - value 10
1949	Independence	2	brown, blue.
1952	Radio stamps	8	various colors & values.
1952	Trumath Oreach	5	various colors, values of 10, 30, 50, 100, 250 pr.
1953	Hebrew Teachers Organization	2	brown, blue.
1953	Shapira	2	brown, green.
1954	Synagogue & Herzl's Birthplace	2	brown, green, value - 50.
1954	Basle Casino	2	brown, green, value - 50.
1954	Herzl's Tomb in Vienna	2	brown, green, value - 50.
1954	Fifty years after Herzl's Death	1	blue, designed on grey background.
1954	Second Aliyah	1	brown - 50.
1955	Einstein	3	brown - 50, green - 100, purple - 100.
1955	Huleh Project	3	brown - 50, green - 100, purple - 100.
1955	Szold with values	4	blue - 10, green - 20, brown - 30, red - 50.
1955	Afforestation	1	orange - 50.
1955	Tractor	4	various colors, values of 30, 50, 100, 250
1958	Ancient Synagogues	5	Rashi Syn. in Worms, Germany Syn. in Rome, in Toledo in Prague and "Besht" Syn. in Medzibozh.
1959	50 years of Tel-Aviv	1	multi-color stamp.
1959	25 years of Kfar Hess	1	green - 50.
1959	5 years of Eilat	2	multi color stamp 50 - 100
1960	Herzl	2	blue-black - 10 agor. olive-black - 15 agor. (portrait of Herzl in relief)

@ 20¢

Year	Name	Number of stamps	Colors
1934	Kremenetzky	2	dark brown, dark green.
1936	Sokolow	2	brown, black.
1938	Herzl	1	blue.
1940	Founder & Presidents of KKL	16	brown, blue, black, green.
1941	Ussishkin	2	black, blue.
1942	Bilu	5	brow, violet, blue, reddish-brown, greenish-blue.
1945	Technion	1	green - 10
1948	Negev	2	brown, yellow.
	Bar-Mitzvah stamps	12	blue, orange, purple, green, sky-blue, (bearing the symbols of the 12 tribes, available in sets of 12, price \$2.00)
1949	Rabbi Bar-Ilan	1	brown.
1954	Rabbi Kalisher	2	grey - 50, blue-grey-100.
1954	Rotshild	1	blue - 50.
1955	Ben-Zvi	2	brown - 150, green - 250.
1955	Tractor	1	blue - 300

@ 30¢

1934	Bialik	6	grey, blue, indigo, green, brown, reddish-brown.
1938	Herzl	1	green.
1940	Jerusalem	2	violet, blue.
1944	Lilienblum	2	brown, black.
1944	Weizman	3	green, reddish-brown, green-blue
1945	Hebrew University	2	brown, blue.
1946	Immigrant Ship	2	green, green - 10.
1946	Jesreel	1	reddish-yellow.
1946	Parashutists	7	brown - 10, green, blue. Available in sets of 7 - \$2.00 each.
1948	Petch-Tikvah	2	brown - 10, green - 50.
1949	Weizman	1	red.
1949	Rabbi Bar-Ilan	1	olive - green.
1950	Mishmar Hayarden	1	red.
1950	Rehovot	1	blue on white - 10.
1951	Hedera	2	green value 10, brown - 50.
1951	Eshel Avraham	1	green.
1951	Histadruth	4	red-10, green-30, yellow-50 blue-100.
1952	Trumath Oreach	1	red - 500
1955	Brigade	1	blue - 50.
1955	Conquest of the Mountain	1	brown.
1955	Tractor	1	reddish + brown - 500
1957	Land Reclamation Project	3	brown.

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Year	Name	Number of stamps	C o l o r s.
1916	Pioneers of the Movement	6	Portraits - brown.
1918	Tchlenov	1	blue with silver borders.
1940	Jerusalem	1	black.
1942	J.N.F. Jubilee	1	blue, value 1 mil.
1944	Weizman	3	violet, green- 5, blue-10.
1945	University	1	green.
1946	Ghetto Uprising	1	blue - 10.
1946	Hero of the Gheto	1	blue - 10.
1946	Jesreel	1	brown - 5.
1947	Ramath-Gan	1	dark green - 50.
1947	Zionist Organization	1	brown - 5.
1948	Jewish State	3	brown, blue, brown - 10.
1948	Negev	1	blue.
1949	Hankin	1	brown - 10.
1949	Galilee	1	reddish-brown.
1949	Bar-Ilan	1	blue.
1950	Rehovoth	1	blue on green - 20.
1952	Weizman	1	blue - 150.
1953	Imber	1	blue - 50.
1953	Kfar Saba	2	green-10, blue-30.

C O P Y

Jerusalem, February 6, 1962

Dear friend:

Your letter of Jan. 29 reached me today and I thank you very much for it. A few days ago I sent you a letter c/o Alfred Yacks.

I am sorry that it has to take some time until you and your wife will be able to know what I wrote about you and the wonderful work you have done. As I wrote to you I am very interested in publishing my book in English. This is under consideration of Dr. Solomon Grayzel, Editor of the Jewish Publication Society, 222 N. 15 St. Philadelphia 2. I am sure that Rabbi Friedman could help us in this matter. I remember Rabbi Friedman well. I met him in your office in Salzburg on the 26th of November, 1946. I do mention this meeting with him in my book, on page 162, and I do bring his opinion on the Brihe work in Austria. I am sure it would interest him to know about that. Under separate cover I'm sending to you a copy of my book for Rabbi Friedman. Please, forward it to him. You could also let him know about my contacts with the Jewish Publication Society. I'm sure that a recommendation of his would encourage the Society to make up their minds sooner.

Or maybe you have another Publishing House which would be interested in publishing this book which casts, for the first time, a new light on the role of the American Army in the underground migration of Jewish refugees to Palestine.

Looking forward to hearing from you soon.

With best wishes to you and your wife from all of us.

Cordially yours,

Aba Gefen

September 1, 1965

AMERICAN JEWISH ARCHIVES

Mr. Chaim Vinitzky
Jewish Agency
P. O. Box 92
Jerusalem, Israel

Dear Chaim:

Gideon Neor, the town manager of Kiryat Gat, has written to us regarding our helping him obtain a scholarship to the Littauer School of Public Administration at Harvard.

It would be most appreciated if you could let us know what you can find out about him without his knowing we are looking into his background, personality and reputation.

Looking forward to hearing from you. Best wishes.

Sincerely,

Irving Bernstein

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2 September, 1948

AMERICAN JEWISH ARCHIVES

Mr. Odedo Neor
Town Manager
Kiryat Gat
Jerusalem, Israel

Dear Mr. Neor:

I am very sorry we missed seeing each other while I was in Israel. It is good to be able to tell you that Mrs. Friedman is now very much better.

Please regard this letter merely as an interim reply to us, since we are now looking into the inquiries you made. I expect to have some answers for you shortly, and at that time I will write you again.

With all good wishes.

Sincerely,

Herbert A. Friedman
Executive Vice-Chairman

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(Translated from Hebrew letter)

Gideon Naor
Town Manager

Kiryat Gat 8/12/65

To Rabbi Friedman
New York

To Rabbi Friedman, Shalom U'vracha,

I was very excited and happy with the number of your telephone calls (while you were in Israel) in connection with your urgent desire to meet me.

I am sorry that the matter did not come about and am even more sorry about the work that was not done because of your wife's health and your return to the United States. (I hope everything in the meantime has turned out for the best.)

I can imagine that you wanted to discuss with me my future plans and you must have certainly heard a few words in this connection from Mr. W. Rosenfeld.

Since I decided in the meantime to occupy myself with other matters, I am permitting myself to write you immediately so as not to delay dealing with it until you arrive in Israel in October.

Therefore to the matter:

Two years ago I took stock of myself. Of my 36 years I devoted a total of 15 to public work. Two years as commander of a Palmach group in a settlement, one year as treasurer of the settlement, two-and-a-half years as manager of the area "Shaar Haneguv", and at present 7½ years as town manager of the municipality of Kiryat Gat.

With all of the tremendous satisfactions in my jobs and particularly since I want to continue in public work, I arrived at the conclusion that a young Israeli should not content himself with a technical and high school education, if we want to be a progressive and developing country.

I decided to try to leave for two-three years for higher studies in public administration in the United States. I did not publicize my decision in these two years, so as not to prematurely arouse public reaction in Kiryat Gat. There are now before me three central problems:

1) Where to study in order to obtain the maximum results. I have been advised of:

Littauer School of Public Administration, Harvard
University of Michigan at Ann Arbor
Columbia University, New York
W. Wilson School for Public a. Intern. Affairs, University of Princeton
Temple University, Philadelphia
University of Pittsburgh

Bill suggests:
Glenn Starr
Littauer felt.

2) And this is the main thing: How can I get some kind of stipend to enable me to support my wife and two children -- as I have no other means of support. It is understood that I will be prepared to work within any framework that will permit me to study without interruption.

3) What will I do at the end of my term here (from November 1965) until the beginning of the fall semester of 1966. (if I do not succeed in arranging my affairs until the spring semester of 1966)

Because of your interest, dear Rabbi Friedman, I have taken the liberty to present my personal problems as they are, and if you will be able to help I will be happy to receive every suggestion.

Respectfully,

(signed)

G. Naor



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New Orleans Jewish Welfare Fund

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March 10, 1954

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Rabbi Herbert A. Friedman
Temple Emanu-el B'ne Jeshurun
Milwaukee, Wisconsin

Dear Herb:

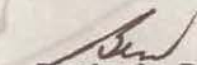
I must drop you this note to tell you how much I personally appreciate the beautiful job you did Sunday night. All of us benefited from your talk and the beneficial effects are not limited to the campaign. The impression you left on our community will be with us for many, many days.

Emil Leipziger has written separately to Mr. Prince, per my suggestion.

We think this is a lovely city and do want to show you more of it and have you meet more people the next time you are here. Then I am sure you will be joined by Mrs. Friedman.

Kindest personal regards.

Cordially,


Benjamin B. Goldman
Executive Secretary

BBG:egj

Zionist Organization of America

Office of the President
41 EAST 42nd STREET
NEW YORK 17 N. Y.

February 1948

Dear Fellow-Zionist:

An historic event in American Jewish life was the decision of the Atlantic City Conference of the United Jewish Appeal, setting the goal of the 1948 campaign at a minimum of \$250,000,000. It was American Jewry's stirring response to the United Nations decision and an assurance of its support for the Jews of Palestine, who are in a battle of life and death for the establishment of an independent Jewish State. Apart from urgent political action, this year's United Jewish Appeal campaign is the most important task facing the Zionists of this country today. The very future of the Jewish people and the fulfillment of our greatest hope depends on Zionists taking immediate action in their local communities.

In order that the proper standards of giving may be established, every Zionist must be prepared to step forward and make the kind of generous contribution which will set an example for the rest of the community to emulate. Zionists must be the pace-setters of this campaign.

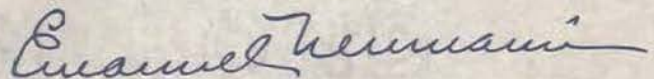
The minimum standard of contribution is evident. The United Jewish Appeal raised \$125,000,000 last year. A minimum of \$250,000,000 must be reached in 1948. This calls upon every Zionist at least to double his 1947 contribution. However, this alone will not be sufficient. Zionists must be prepared to go beyond this simple arithmetical formula. They must add of their own zeal in computing what they will sacrifice in 1948.

Besides their gifts, Zionists must enlist with their local campaign committees, and give of their energy, time and influence in stimulating others to make the kind of contributions which will assure the success of the 1948 campaign in each community.

Please let me hear from you. Let me know what you and your friends are prepared to do in your gifts and in your work for the campaign in the coming months.

With Zion's greetings, I am

Cordially yours,


Emanuel Neumann

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THEODOR HERZL INSTITUTE

515 PARK AVENUE, NEW YORK 22, N. Y. - 2nd floor

September 10, 1965

Rabbi Herbert Friedman
United Jewish Appeal
165 West 46th Street
New York, N. Y.

Dear Herbert Friedman:

The Theodor Herzl Institute will hold a Conference on the theme, "Planning for the American Jewish Community of Tomorrow," over the week-end of November 6 and 7.

This Conference will attempt to come to grips with the major problems confronting the Jewish community, and with new concepts that may be developed to meet the challenges of the future. A program outline for the Conference is enclosed.

I am very happy to join Dr. Emil Lehman, Director of the Herzl Institute, in extending to you a most cordial invitation to participate in the Conference program. We shall be greatly honored if you will deliver an address at the Special Interest Group Session on Sunday, November 7th at 11:00 A.M. on the theme:

"BUILDING AND TRAINING COMMUNITY LEADERSHIP"

Such an address would take about half an hour, and will be followed by a full hour of discussion.

I know that this subject is close to your heart, and I also know that you can make a most significant contribution in discussing this issue, and thus in placing it on an agenda of urgencies for community planning and action.

It is, therefore, my firm hope that you will accept our invitation. We shall be most grateful!

With kindest personal regards, and every good wish for a happy '5726',

Cordially,

Emanuel Neumann

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15 September 1965

Dr. Emanuel Neumann
Theodor Herzl Institute
515 Park Avenue
New York 22, N.Y.

Dear Dr. Neumann:

I am happy to have your invitation to participate in your conference on the theme "Planning for the American Jewish Community of Tomorrow" to be held on November 6 and 7, and to address the Special Interest Group Session on Sunday, November 7 at 11:00 a.m.

I am pleased to be able to accept this invitation and hope that I can make a contribution to the conference.

Looking forward to being with you and wishing you all the best for a good year, I am,

Sincerely yours,

HAF:gb

Herbert A. Friedman

10 June 1966

Dr. Emanuel Neumann
Jewish Agency
515 Park Avenue
New York, N. Y.

Dear Emanuel:

I would appreciate very much receiving a copy of the speech
you gave last night at the UIA dinner.

It might be a useful document for distribution to our young
leaders.

With many thanks, I am,

Sincerely yours,

HAF:gb

Herbert A. Friedman

Jewish Welfare Federation

FRANK H. NEWMAN, Executive Director



615 N. ALABAMA ST., INDIANAPOLIS 4, IND., MELROSE 4-4311

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Rabbi Herbert A. Friedman
United Jewish Appeal, Inc.
165 West 46th Street
New York 36, New York

Dear Herb:

Our 1964 campaign chairman will be Ben Domont who is President of the local Pepsi Cola Bottling Company at 1030 East New York Street, Indianapolis, Indiana. Mr. Domont is beginning to plan the campaign now and is considering an Advance Gifts' meeting early in January. In connection with this event he is hoping to secure Joan Crawford as one of the principals for the function. We also would like you to be a co-principal for this function.

Within the next few weeks Mr. Domont will contact Miss Crawford for an appointment and would like you to accompany him when he makes his call, assuming a convenient time can be established.

Will you be good enough to let me know about your availability to call on Miss Crawford with Mr. Domont, time and schedule permitting; and secondly, whether you could plan to take on a speaking engagement in our community when we finally pin down a date. The dates we are proposing are: January 6, 7, 8; 13, 14, 15 or 20, 21, 22.

All the best and I trust that the Young Leadership mission met with your full expectations.

Very cordially

Frank H. Newman
Executive Director

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23rd August, 1963

Mr. Frank H. Newman
Executive Director
Jewish Welfare Federation
615 N. Alabama Street
Indianapolis 4, Ind.

Dear Frank:

If my schedule is clear, I'll be very glad to accompany Ben Domont when he arranges an appointment with Joan Crawford. By the way, I happen to know her as we spoke together a few years ago at a UJA meeting on the West Coast.

At the present time, my free dates in January are the 13th, 15th, 20th, 21st and 22nd. As you are well aware, my availability on these dates is subject to change.

Looking forward to hearing from you.

Cordially,

Herbert A. Friedman
Executive Vice-Chairman

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*Mr. and Mrs. Fred William Nichols
announce the marriage of their daughter*

Judith Lynne

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Mr. Charles Gordon Huizenga

on Wednesday, the eighth of March

Nineteen hundred and sixty-one

Chapel

Temple Sholom

Chicago, Illinois

28 March, 1961

My dear Friends,

It was with great pleasure that we received the announcement of the marriage of your daughter, Judith. Mrs. Friedman joins me in extending warmest congratulations, both to you and your children.

Sincerely,

Herbert A. Friedman

Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Nichols
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August 21, 1947

Dear Rabbi Friedman:

I am writing to express to you my sincere appreciation of the invaluable services you rendered the cause of the United Jewish Appeal of Greater New York as a speaker during this campaign.

The gratifying results achieved are a tribute to the eloquence with which you delivered the UJA message. These results, I know, are all the thanks you want for the time and effort you so generously devoted to the drive. Nevertheless, I want you to know how grateful the officers of the organization are for your help.

My best wishes for a pleasant summer.

Sincerely yours,

Louis Nizer
Louis Nizer
Chairman
Speakers Bureau

NATIONAL UJA QUOTA \$170,000,000 - NEW YORK GOAL \$65,000,000

13 FEBRUARY 1962
GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA

DEAR HERB:

SATURDAY I RECEIVED A LETTER FROM ABA, WHICH I AM FORWARDING TO YOU WITH THIS LETTER. I AM SURE THIS IS BETTER THAN MY REPEATING ALL OF ABA'S INFORMATION IN MY LETTER. PLEASE, RETURN ABA'S LETTER TO ME, WHEN YOU ARE FINISHED WITH IT.

THE BOOK, WHICH ABA IS SENDING TO ME FOR YOU, HAS NOT ARRIVED, AS YET. BE ASSURED THAT IT WILL BE FORWARDED TO YOU AS SOON AS IT COMES.

I HAVEN'T HAD MY COPY TRANSLATED AS YET. MAYBE, LATER TODAY I WILL GET TO THE HILLEL FOUNDATION, AT THE UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA. PERHAPS I WILL FIND SOMEONE THERE WHO WILL GIVE ME A GENERAL TRANSLATION OF THE BOOK. TODAY IS ALSO THE FIRST DAY OF CLASSES FOR ME.

SINCERELY

STANLEY M. NOWINSKI
711 NE 5TH TERRACE
GAINESVILLE

GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA

5 FEBRUARY 1962

RABBI HERBERT FRIEDMAN

SUITE 1400

165 WEST 46TH STREET

NEW YORK 36 N.Y.

DEAR HERB:

EVERYTHING IS SET FOR ME TO ATTEND THE GRADUATE SCHOOL OF THE UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA, STARTING THE NEXT SEMESTER, 10 FEBRUARY. SEVERAL LITTLE PROBLEMS STILL NEED TO BE SETTLED, BUT I AM NOW ON MY WAY TO GET A MASTER'S DEGREE IN EDUCATION. WE ARE NOW SETTLED IN GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA.

ABA'S BOOK, THE BARRIER BREAKERS, HAS ARRIVED, BUT, BECAUSE IT IS IN HEBREW, I CAN'T READ A WORD OF IT, EXCEPT THE PAGE NUMBERS AND "CATR," AND SOME OF THE DOCUMENTS WHICH WERE REPRODUCED. THE DARN THING IS BACKWARDS. MY WIFE IS ALL EXCITED. SHE CAN'T WAIT UNTIL IT IS TRANSLATED, PARTICULARLY THE PARTS THAT HAVE TO DO WITH ME. NOW THAT WE ARE SETTLED, I SHALL LOOK UP THE RABBI OF THE JEWISH COMMUNITY HERE IN GAINESVILLE, PERHAPS, HE WILL MAKE A GENERAL TRANSLATION OF CHAPTER IV FOR ME. THEN

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PERHAPS, LATTER, IF I SEND YOU THE BOOK, YOU
CAN HAVE SOMEONE TRANSLATE IT FOR ME. I
EXPECT THAT IT WILL BE SOME TIME BEFORE ABA
PUBLISHES IT IN ENGLISH,

THE PICTURES IN THE BOOK BRING BACK MANY
MEMORIES OF EXCITING EXPERIENCES. SOME OF THE
DOCUMENTS, WHICH WERE REPRODUCED, MAKE ME A
LITTLE UNEASY. THEY MAKE ^{WE} WONDER HOW ABA EXPLAINED
THE DOCUMENTS IN THE BOOK.

THE WEATHER HAS BEEN ^{NICE} DOWN HERE, SOMEWHAT
BETTER THAN IT HAS BEEN IN NEW YORK CITY, BY THE
WAY, ALASKA IS HAVING A COLD WINTER THIS YEAR,
RANGING BETWEEN 50 AND 65 DEGREES BELOW ZERO.
AM I GLAD WE CAME HERE.

SINCERELY

Stanley M. Nowinski
711 NE 5TH TERRACE
GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA

Mr. Stanley M. Nowinski
711 NE 5th Terrace
Gainesville, Florida

March 2, 1962

Dear Mr. Nowinski:

I am returning Aba Gefen's letter to you, as you requested
in your letter of February 13th.

Rabbi Friedman is presently on the West Coast, and will be
in touch with you upon his return to New York.

Sincerely,

Secretary to
Herbert A. Friedman

Enc.

29 March, 1962

Mr. Stanley M. Nowinski
711 NE 5th Terrace
Gainesville, Florida

Dear Stan:

I have been travelling almost constantly and so my mail has piled up. I was glad to hear that you have started at the University of Florida and that you are going for a Master's Degree. I have tremendous confidence that you will start a second career and be as successful at it as you were at the first.

I have also received Aba's book, but there is no return address. I want to write and thank him. Therefore I would appreciate having his address from you. Also I am going to get in touch with the people at the Jewish Publication Society in Philadelphia, to see what they are doing about publishing the book in English. If anything comes of it, I will certainly keep you posted. Meanwhile I have had a chance to dip into a few pages, and it is certainly very complimentary to you and to the role of the American Army in general.

I expect to be going to Israel for a few days at the end of April and will try to make it a point to see Aba. I shall certainly pass your regards on to him. With best regards to your wife I am

Sincerely yours,

Herbert A. Friedman

HAF:fb

1 April 1962

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Dear Herb:

I am sorry that Aba's address did not get to you. I thought I wrapped the book as it came to me, I did not realize his address was not on it. But here it is.

ABA GEFEN (WEINSTEIN)

HANUAS DLM II, BETH-HAKEREM

JERUSALEM, ISRAEL

I don't know if it is copied correctly, but a letter addressed like the above will get to Aba, because my letters do.

When you get to see Aba please tell him how much we, my wife and I, appreciate that he devoted so much of the book to me. I haven't been able to get anyone to give me any translation of the book. So if you could get someone to give me a general translation

of chapter IV, I will be grateful.
My wife is on pins and needles
staying to find out what is
in the Book about me.

I finally received a letter
from Rabbi Cohen. It seems
two letters which I wrote
did not reach him.

Things are going along
fine in school. Maybe I
will make it.

Sincerely

Stan

1422 Vine Street
Union Grove, Wis. 53182

December 19, 1966

Rabbi Herbert A. Friedman
United Jewish Appeal
Suite 2900
1290 Avenue of the Americas
New York, N. Y. 10019

Dear Herb:

I am sending you a copy of the Spanish translation of Aba Gefen's book, "The Barrier Breakers." He sent me two copies. As you know, Aba is at the Israeli embassy in Argentina. Maybe, he is the Israeli ambassador to Argentina. He has not admitted it to me as yet. He has given me information of the other Salzburg BRICHA leaders' present whereabouts, and, of course, all seem to be in important positions. (Arthur is ambassador to West Germany) But, I believe, that I have already passed this information on to you in a letter some time ago.

I am glad that Aba had his book translated into Spanish. Now I can read the book and understand most of it, even though I don't do very well with Spanish. Also, It is easier to find someone to translate Spanish than it is to find a person who can translate modern Hebrew. I couldn't find anyone who could translate the Hebrew of the original book.

I hope this finds you and yours well. Hazel joins me to wish you, Mrs. Friedman, and your family a joyous Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Sincerely,

Stanley M. Nowinski

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9 January 1967

Mr. Stanley M. Nowinski
1422 Vine Street
Union Grove, Wisconsin 53182

Dear Stanley:

It was good to hear from you again. Thank you for sending the copy of Aba Gefen's book. Although I don't read Spanish, I am very happy to have the book and it will occupy a special place in my library.

With very warmest wishes to you and Hazel for a happy and healthy New Year, I am,

Sincerely,

Herbert A. Friedman

HAF:hdc

LA

23 December 1963

Dr. Max Nussbaum
Temple Israel of Hollywood
7300 Hollywood Boulevard
Hollywood, California

Dear Max:

It was good speaking to you on the telephone the other night. Under separate cover I am mailing you a letter of invitation to speak at the Palm Springs Conference.

The purpose of this note is to make firm the date between yourself, myself and Max Bressler for Tuesday, January 7, which is the only day I will be in New York long enough to have a serious conversation.

I suggest we meet for lunch that day at my office. Would you be good enough to drop me a note confirming this, or call my office when you get to New York and let me know.

Best regards.

Sincerely,

HAF:gb

Herbert A. Friedman

LA

23 December 1963

Dr. Max Nussbaum
Temple Israel of Hollywood
7300 Hollywood Boulevard
Hollywood, California

Dear Dr. Nussbaum:

The United Jewish Appeal is having its annual conference for the Western Region of the United States on the weekend of February 21-23, 1964.

On behalf of the UJA, the General Chairman, Joseph Meyerhoff, and the officers, would like to invite you to deliver the main Sabbath banquet address on Friday evening, February 21, which will be held at the Riviera Hotel in Palm Springs.

This conference, while sponsored by the UJA, is always co-sponsored by a large committee in Los Angeles of which Mr. Steve Broidy is the Chairman. Mr. Broidy will be the Chairman of that banquet session and joins the UJA officers in extending this invitation to you.

We all realize that this imposes a hardship upon you, but we hope that you will make every effort to accept this invitation, for the inspiration of your message will be vitally important to the 600 delegates who are expected to attend from the 11 Western states. You might already know that His Excellency Abba Eban will also participate in the conference and is speaking the following evening.

We hope to hear from you at the earliest possible moment that you have found it possible to accept our invitation.

Sincerely yours,

Herbert A. Friedman
Executive Vice-Chairman

HAF:gb

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ירושלים, יא' בסבת חשל"ב
29.12.71

לכבוד
מפקד בסיס חיל הים
ח י פ ה.

א.נ.,

ברצוני להביע לך אישית וכן לכל קציני ואנשי בסיסך
אח תודתי העמוקה על הביקור הנפלא שסידרתם בשביל חברי
משלחת הפקר של המגבית היהודית המאוחדת ב-21 באוקטובר ש.ז.
מכתב זה הנו באיחור של חדשים וצריך היה להישלח הרבה
יותר מוקדם, אך ארגוננו אינו פועל באותה היעילות כשלכם.
ביקור המשלחת בבסיסך היווה שיא בחוכניותם. האורחים
החרטמו מאד מקבלת הפנים שזכו לה אצלכם וכן מיעילותכם.
קשה לי להביע לך ולצוות עוזריך עד כמה אסיר תודה אני
לכם על עזרתכם בחיזוק חודעת הזהותם של חברי קבוצה חשובה
זו של יהדות אמריקה עם ישראל.
אני שמח לציין שהמשלחת הצליחה מאד.

בכבוד רב,

הרב רט פרידמן
סגן יו"ר