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**1955**

**Ongoing Correspondence**



# CENTRAL CONFERENCE OF AMERICAN RABBIS

40 WEST 68th STREET

NEW YORK 23, N. Y.

August 4, 1955

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

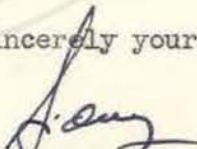
Dear Herbert:

In accordance with sentiments expressed on the floor at the convention of the Central Conference of American Rabbis held in June and concurred in enthusiastically by its members, I am writing to express, on behalf of the Central Conference of American Rabbis, our hearty congratulations to you on assuming the position of Executive Vice Chairman of the United Jewish Appeal.

We of the Conference are proud of your appointment to this office of such high responsibility, to which we know you bring great ability and dedication.

The United Jewish Appeal, which has the support of the Conference and of its members in their respective communities, has given great service to Jewry and we know that its work will go on with unabated vigor. We send to you our warmest good wishes for satisfaction and success in this great work which you have undertaken.

Sincerely yours,

  
Rabbi Sidney L. Regner  
Executive Vice President

et

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September 8th, 1955

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Rabbi Sidney L. Regner  
Central Conference of American Rabbis  
50 West 68th Street  
New York 23, N.Y.

Dear Sid:

I have just returned from a visit to Europe, North Africa and Israel where I saw some of the programs of the constituent agencies of the United Jewish Appeal. That is why I could not write you sooner to thank you for your warm greetings expressed in your letter of August 4th, for which I am most grateful. It is good to know that I could count on you and the CCAR.

As I am sure you know, I have always felt very strongly that the Rabbis in this country have a most important role to play in helping to meet the needs of Israel. The fact is that the best way of helping Israel is by supporting the United Jewish Appeal and I have some plans to mobilize rabbinical strength this year. I will certainly be in touch with you regarding them.

I am also taking this opportunity to enclose herewith my check for \$100 representing my dues to the CCAR.

Warmest personal regards.

Sincerely,

Rabbi Herbert A. Friedman  
Executive Vice-Chairman

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RABBI DUDLEY WEINBERG  
TEMPLE EMANU-EL B'NE JESHURUN  
2419 E. KENWOOD BLVD.  
MILWAUKEE 11, WISCONSIN

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August 31, 1955

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

Dear Herbert:

I wish there were time to write at length. There isn't at the moment. Pressure of preparation for my installation on September 9 and for the High Holy Days grows apace.

I hope with all my heart that all is well with you and your dear ones.

I assume that you have seen the enclosed release from the Moroccan Office of Information.

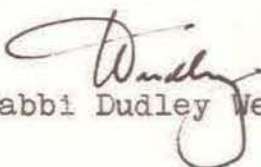
I am curious to know whether according to your information and in your judgment the facts are as they are set forth in this bit of propaganda.

Try to take a moment to write to me with your comments.

I shall write you more fully about Milwaukee affairs a bit later on.

Marian joins me in sending large quantities of love to you, Elaine and the children.

Faithfully,

  
Rabbi Dudley Weinberg

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12th September, 1955

Rabbi Dudley Weinberg  
Temple Emano-El B'ne Jeshurun  
2419 E. Kenwood Boulevard  
Milwaukee 11, Wisconsin

Dear Dudley:

The telegram from Boston last night was self-explanatory, I hope.

Under tremendous pressure since my return on Tuesday, the 6th, I don't think I read my mail until Thursday or Friday, the 9th, which was the actual day of your installation. I meant to send you a wire at that moment, but too many things were competing for my attention.

I am sure the ceremonies were simple but impressive and I am sure you are already in their hearts.

In opening additional mountains of mail, I found your letter with the memorandum from the Moroccan Office of Information. I haven't the time to comment on the document in detail, except to say that most of it is outright misinformation.

It is one thing to say that the Jews in an independent Morocco in the future will be free and equal citizens. That is a goal devoutly to be sought and if the Istiqlal Party promises this, we shall all be very happy (but wary and doubtful).

To say, on the other hand, that Jews "have never lived in inequality" is an outright lie, for the past is open to everyone to see. The Jews have been people without status before the law and, in a theocratic country, have enjoyed no rights.

The memorandum seems to be based a great deal on the statement of the Casablanca Jew, Meyer Toledano, whose article is quoted to indicate that the Jews are very happy with the Moroccan nationalists.

I was in Casablanca when the article appeared and it received the almost unanimous denunciation of the leadership of Moroccan Jewry. So much for that.

From what I can gather, the document in question was mailed out by the

Rabbi Dudley Weinberg

12th September, 1955

Moroccan Office of Information to a large group of rabbis and other opinion-makers, seeking to win support for the Moroccan position. Whatever general humanitarian appeal they may have in their bid for freedom, they certainly cannot employ the argument that they will also be good for the Jews. I have grave doubts concerning Jewish security in an independent Morocco.

Sorry that time will not permit a longer exposition.

Regards to Marian and fondest good wishes for the New Year.

Sincerely,

Rabbi Herbert A. Friedman  
Executive Vice-Chairman

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## Chronological Correspondence





2nd November, 1955

Mr. Theodore Kollek  
Office of the Prime Minister  
Jerusalem

Dear Teddy:

I hate to bother you with this item right now, but it is a small piece of unfinished business.

You remember you wrote that the two copies of the book of the Dead Sea Scrolls would be sent in the pouch to Reuven Dafni. They have not arrived as yet.

Reuven wants to know in which pouch they were sent. Do you have any way of tracing them?

With regard to our meeting on November 18th for the special fund, we are going ahead full steam and I will be able to report in a week or so what the attendance looks like and what the mood feels like. At the moment the whole staff is busy on the project.

Fondest regards to Giora, Shoshana and everyone else.

Sincerely,

Rabbi Herbert A. Friedman  
Executive Vice-Chairman

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**1956**

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משרד ראש הממשלה  
PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE

Jerusalem, May 17, 1956

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

Dear Herb:

I was very happy to hear that Elaine is coming home next week. It is a great relief to know that she is on her way to recovery -- I was really worried about her. I do hope that she will be quite well in no time.

With all good wishes to you both,

As ever,

*Teddy*  
Teddy Kollek

25th May, 1956

Dear Teddy,

This morning I received your nice note about Elaine. She got quite a kick out of receiving another bouquet of flowers from you with a card enclosed, "To cheer you up all the way from Jerusalem". It really did cheer her up because she has a soft spot for you.

She is now home from the hospital and is mending physically, although her mood leaves much to be desired. She is still depressed and fairly gloomy. I think that will gradually dissolve as her convalescence improves.

I am sure Giora has written you about his meetings here. He and Peres did a beautiful job explaining the need for an extra 35 million dollars. Both of them came to see, however, that there was really no additional money to be gotten from the UJA beyond the Special Fund and the Refunding Loan. Everyone seemed to agree that whatever extra money possible could be found would have to come from the Bond Drive. So I have not seen him for the last few days -- he has been spending a great deal of time over at Joe's office. He has also been looking into all kinds of other schemes.

We are pushing hard to get cash on the regular and special campaigns. The Loan is going along well and I think there is a good chance of having at least 30 million dollars (including New York's 13) by the end of June. We may even be able to reach 35, although I would prefer to be cautious in my estimates.

After the big conference on June 9th and 10th, I will know better where we stand and will write to you again. Meanwhile, all good wishes.

Sincerely,

Herbert A. Friedman

Mr. Theodore Kollek  
Government of Israel  
Jerusalem, Israel

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30th August, 1956

Mr. Harry Philipps  
Four Magnes Square  
Jerusalem, Israel

Dear Mr. Philipps:

The parcel with the glass pieces has just arrived, and I am delighted with all of the objects. May I also thank you for the very careful manner in which you wrote out the certificates. These will add to the impressiveness of the gifts when we present them.

I am sorry to say that of the three pieces which I chose for myself, and which you placed in a separate parcel, one arrived broken. It was the only casualty in the entire shipment.

I do not know whether you have kept a copy of the numbers, but it was Number 9, which was the tall, thin bottle. I shall try to have it glued together, but I fear I may not be successful.

Again, I wish to thank you for all of your trouble and to tell you how pleased I am.

Very sincerely yours,

Herbert A. Friedman  
Executive Vice-Chairman

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HARRY PHILIPPS  
ANTIQUAIRE  
4, MAGNES SQUARE  
JERUSALEM, ISRAEL  
P. O. B. 392 PHONE 3549

הרי פיליפס  
קתיוקוה  
כנר סנס 4  
ירושלים, ישראל  
ה.ד. 392 טלפון 3549

JERUSALEM, September 5th, 1956

Rabbi Herbert A. FRIEDMAN  
Executive Vice-Chairman  
United Jewish Appeal  
NEW YORK

Dear Rabbi Friedman,

Yesterday I received your kind letter of August 30th,  
and I wish to thank you and answer it immediately.

I am very sorry that one piece got broken and I would  
like to make up for the damage. Would you be so kind and send  
the pieces with the diplomatic post; I hope that it will be  
possible to restore it.

I am very glad having been able to serve you and  
shall be delighted if I can be helpful to you.

May I express my sincerest wishes on the occasion  
of the New Year.

With respectful regards, I remain,

Yours very truly,

*Harry Philipps*

Harry Philipps

September 13, 1956

Miss Esther Herlitz -  
Israel Consulate

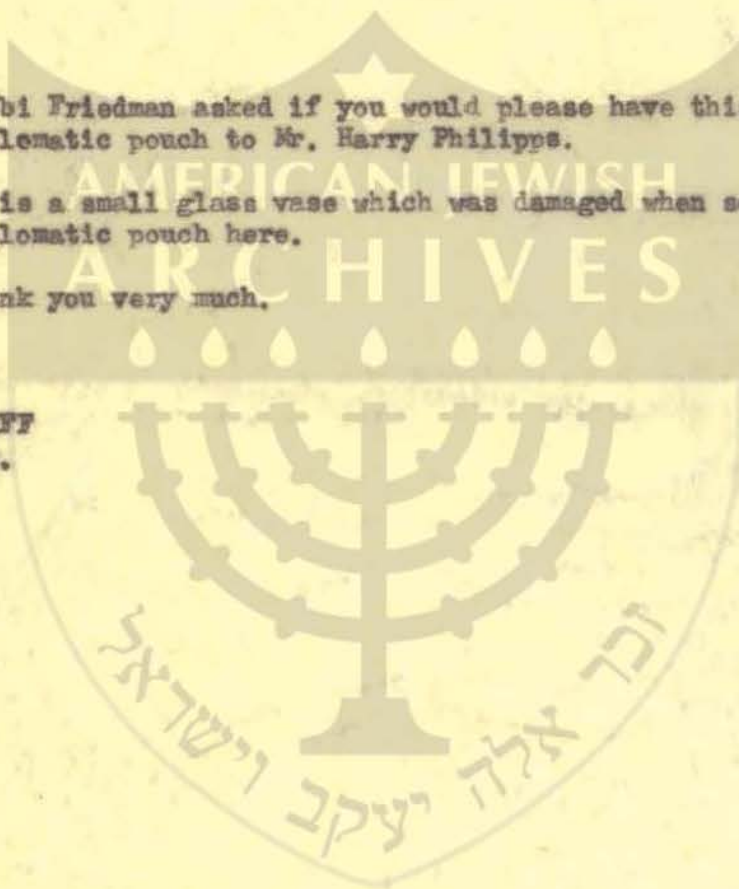
Irving Jacobs

Rabbi Friedman asked if you would please have this sent by  
diplomatic pouch to Mr. Harry Philipps.

It is a small glass vase which was damaged when sent through  
diplomatic pouch here.

Thank you very much.

IJ:FF  
Enc.



September 13, 1956

Mr. Harry Philipps  
Antiquaire  
4, Magna Square  
Jerusalem, Israel

Dear Mr. Philipps:

I am taking the liberty of answering your letter of September 5th. to Rabbi Friedman, who is out of town.

When you receive this, you will also be receiving the broken piece, about which he wrote you.

Rabbi Friedman hopes that there is the possibility of restoring this piece, and he wants you to know that he very much appreciates your concern.

Rabbi Friedman will be in Israel from October 17th through October 25th, and may then be able to pick up the restored piece.

Very truly yours,

Irving Jacobs  
Comptroller

IJ:FF  
Enc.



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July 30, 1956

Mr. Shlomo Eisenberg  
Jerusalem, Israel

Dear Mr. Eisenberg:

Mr. Friedman receives from the Ministry of Posts of the State of Israel regular advice on new stamps that are coming out. You know, of course, that while he was in Israel, Mr. Friedman received a stamp album with stamps from the Minister of Posts containing all stamps issued during the past two years or so.

Mr. Friedman is very anxious to get new stamps as they come out. It is understood that the Ministry of Posts maintains a service whereby such new stamps can be purchased on a regular basis. It would be greatly appreciated if you would make inquiry and let me know at your convenience what arrangements can be made to obtain all new stamps on a regular basis and what the cost is.

Kind regards.

Sincerely yours,

Melvin S. Goldstein

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SHLOMO EISENBERG

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Aug. 5 1956  
Jerusalem, Israel..... ירושלים  
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Mr. Melvin S. Goldstein  
United Jewish Appeal  
New York.

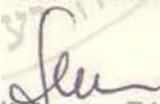
Dear Mr. Goldstein,

I have your letter of July 30th  
regarding Mr. Friedman's request for  
stamps.

I am getting in touch with the  
Special Stamps Service of the Ministry  
of Posts and Telegraphs, and as soon as  
I have their reply, in this matter, I  
will let you know.

Kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

  
Shlomo Eisenberg

July 7

August 3, 1956

Personal

Mr. Shlomo Eisenberg  
Jewish Agency  
Jerusalem, Israel

Dear Shlomo:

I have written you about stamps because Mr. Friedman is so interested in having a set of Israel stamps. He spoke with me about it upon his return, and we decided that the best and easiest way of getting what he wants is by purchasing the stamps. We have pleaded on the costs here and I want to give them to you as follows:

- A complete set of every stamp issued in Israel, one each, since the beginning of the State, with tabs \$325
- A complete set of stamps, one each, of every stamp issued in Israel since the beginning of the State, without tabs \$200
- A complete set of first days covers \$115

Would you be good enough please to have somebody check with a commercial office in Israel on what the cost would be of a set of stamps and a sheet of covers as indicated above if purchased in Israel and let me know as soon as possible so that Mr. Friedman can make the necessary arrangements. Please do not take this up with the Minister of Posts or anybody else in the Government; this is a purely commercial matter and Mr. Friedman wants to buy the stamps.

The sooner you can let me know, the better.

Best regards.

Sincerely yours,

Melvin S. Goldstein

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SHLOMO EISENBERG

P.O.B. 92  
JERUSALEM, ISRAEL

23. 8. 56

שלמה איזנברג

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ירושלים, ישראל

Personal

Mr. Melvin S. Goldstein  
United Jewish Appeal  
New York.

Dear Melvin,

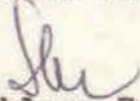
I have your letter of August 3rd  
regarding a set of Israel stamps for Mr.  
Herbert Friedman.

Mr. Yitzhak Brochstein, who is him-  
self a stamp collector, has looked into  
the matter, and given me the following in-  
formation:

	<u>Cost</u>
A complete set of every stamp issued in Israel, one each, since the beginning of the State, with tabs (complete with variations)	IL 800
A complete set of stamps, one each, of every stamp issued in Israel since the beginning of the State, without tabs (complete with variations)	IL 450
A complete set of first day covers	IL 220 - IL230

Kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

  
Shlomo Eisenberg

MAF file

September 4, 1956.

Personal

Mr. Shlomo Eisenberg  
P.O.B. 92  
Jerusalem, Israel

Dear Shlomo:

Thank you very much for your letter of August 23rd regarding the Israel stamps for Herbert Friedman. It was very good of Yitzhak Brochstein to look into this matter and to give you the information in such detail.

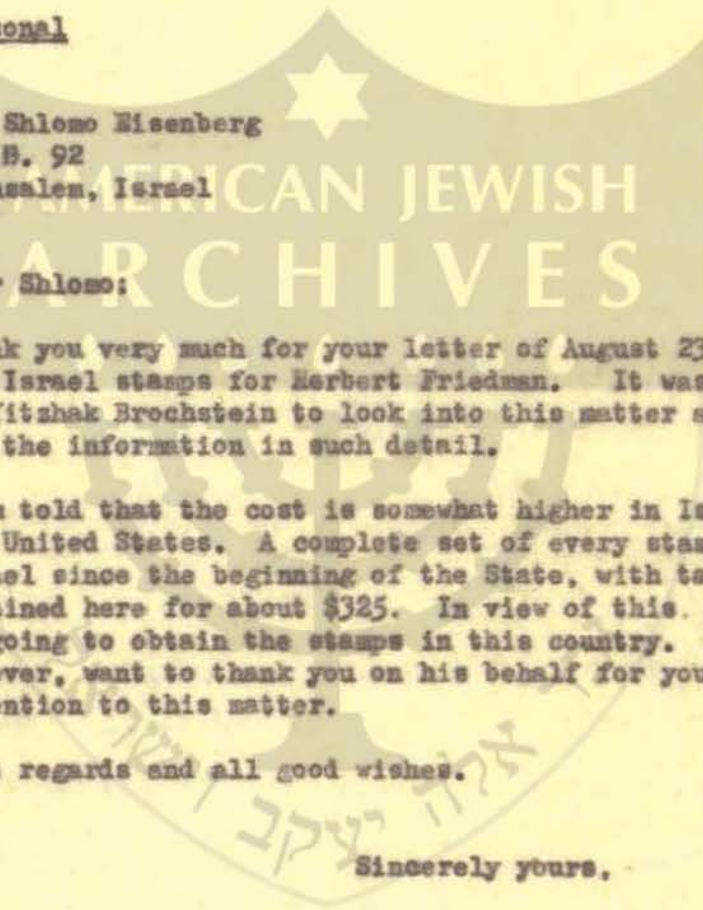
I am told that the cost is somewhat higher in Israel than in the United States. A complete set of every stamp issued in Israel since the beginning of the State, with tabs, can be obtained here for about \$325. In view of this, Mr. Friedman is going to obtain the stamps in this country. I do, however, want to thank you on his behalf for your very kind attention to this matter.

Best regards and all good wishes.

Sincerely yours,

Melvin S. Goldstein

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October 22, 1956

Mr. Shlomo Eisenberg  
Jewish Agency  
Jerusalem, Israel

Dear Mr. Eisenberg:

One thing I forgot to take up with you is an item in which Mr. Friedman is most interested. It concerns a plot of land registered in the name of Inez Bogdally. The plot is located in Tel Aviv -- Parcel 86, Block 6106 on the east side of the Yarkon River.

Mr. Friedman has a number of questions regarding this plot and I wonder if it would be at all possible for you to check into this matter and let me have your comments. The following are Mr. Friedman's questions:

1. Is it a vacant lot?
2. What is near and around it?
3. What is the general trend of the neighborhood -- immediate and in the future?
4. What are the taxes on it?
5. Can it be sold to another American in the U.S.?
6. How is deed transferred?
7. What is it worth at prevailing real estate prices in Tel Aviv?
8. How large is it?
9. What improvements (road, water, etc.) exist?
10. What is the real estate appraisal, if possible to obtain?

Kind regards.

Sincerely,

Melvin S. Goldstein

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SHLOMO EISENBERG

שלמה איזנברג

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29.10.56

Jerusalem, Israel.....ירושלים

P.O. Box 92 ת.ד. 92

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Mr. Melvin S. Goldstein  
United Jewish Appeal  
New York.

Dear Mr. Goldstein,

I have received your letter of October 22nd regarding the plot of land registered in the name of Inez Bogdady - in which Mr. Friedman is most interested.

I am making the necessary enquiries and will let you know what transpires.

Kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

*Shu*  
Shlomo Eisenberg

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December 5, 1956

Mr. Shlomo Eisenberg  
Jewish Agency  
Jerusalem, Israel

Dear Mr. Eisenberg:

I wonder if you have been able to get any information on the plot of land in which Mr. Friedman is interested. This is the property registered in the name of Inez Bogiadly — Parcel 86, Block 6106, east side of the Yarkon River, Tel Aviv, and as you will recall from my letter of October 22nd, there were a number of questions on which your comments would be greatly appreciated.

Kindest regards.

Sincerely,

Melvin S. Goldstein

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*Letter reviewed from  
Eisenberg sent to  
Israel Friedman*

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**1956**

**Chronological Correspondence**



הסוכנות היהודית לארץ ישראל  
THE JEWISH AGENCY FOR PALESTINE  
16 EAST 66TH STREET, NEW YORK 21, N. Y.

TRAFALGAR 9-1300

Cable Address JEVAGENCY

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND CULTURE

March 15, 1956

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Rabbi Herbert Friedman  
United Jewish Appeal  
165 W. 46 St.  
N.Y.C.

Dear Herbert:

I did not have a chance to talk to you after you delivered your address in Ottawa; hence, this note.

I never heard you speak in public and that is what prompts me to tell you that it was a very gratifying experience to hear you. There was something of the temperament and the manner of presentation of your theme which made me feel that Stephen Wise's labors have not been in vain. It will please you to know that I heard echoes of your address throughout my stay in Ottawa.

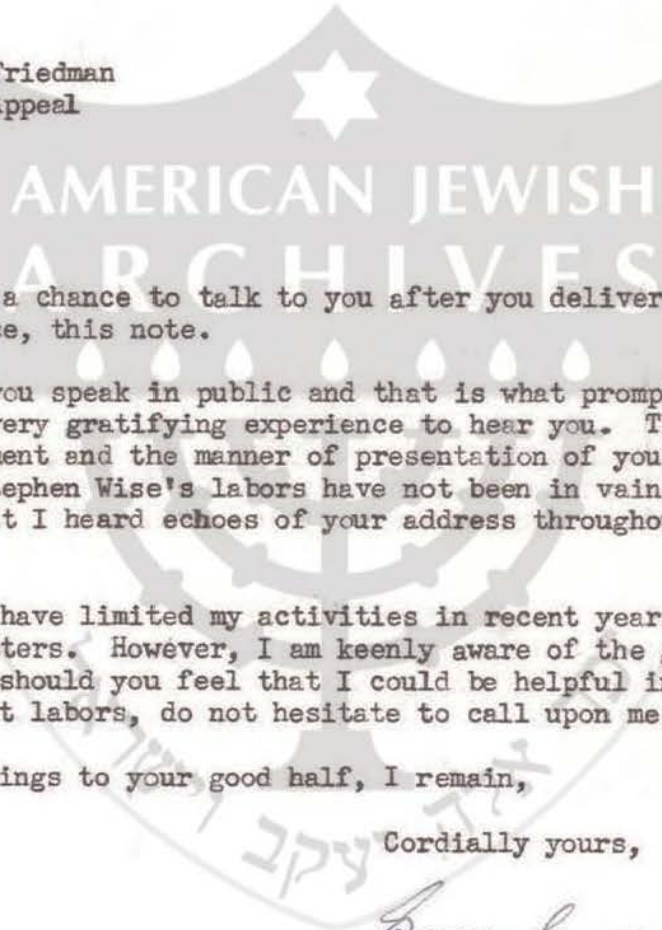
As you know, I have limited my activities in recent years to school and educational matters. However, I am keenly aware of the great crisis we are facing and should you feel that I could be helpful in some aspect of your significant labors, do not hesitate to call upon me.

With warm greetings to your good half, I remain,

Cordially yours,

Dr. Samuel M. Blumenfeld

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THE MOST EXCITING GIFT FOR EVERY JEWISH CHILD:

AN UNFORGETTABLE EXPERIENCE FOR LIFETIME --

3 WEEKS HOLIDAY IN "HADASSIM" THE ISRAEL SUMMER CAMP

THE YOUTH VILLAGE "HADASSIM" is situated amidst the Sharon Groves between Herzliya and Nathanya, the most beautiful bathing beaches of Israel. It was founded 10 years ago by "hadassa" (WIZO) Canada and developed as a boarding school, based on modern education of "self-government", containing elementary and secondary agricultural classes as well as a teacher's seminary. "hadassim" has become famous for its lovely flower gardens, its lawns and sport facilities, by its experienced staff of excellent teachers and by its all - electric, up-to-date kosher kitchen.

THE CAMP LEADER MR. WALTER FRANKL chief coach for the Hebrew University Jerusalem, who has more than 20 years camp experience in Israel, will be pleased to accept children (girls and boys) from 7 - 15 years old and meet them either at the Haifa sea port or at the Lydda air port station and conduct them to the camp by special transport.

SPECIAL AGE GROUPS . The children will be divided into special age groups of ten in each group. Every 2 groups get their own camp house. Every 5 children will board a well aired bedroom, radio, hot showers, hygienic W.C. etc.

THE PERSONAL includes the chief and assistant counsellors the instructors for all kinds of sport, music and handicrafts, the "chief hausmutter" the camp doctor, several dipl. nurses, the "chef drcuisine" kitchen and house personal, gardeners, life savers, etc. All well trained and experienced men and women with paedagogic training and love for children.

THE CAMP PROGRAM. All kinds of sport activities, as swimming in the pool and at the sea shore, fishing, horseback riding, tennis, table tennis, basketball, baseball, lawn games, archery track and field competitions etc.

All kinds of handicraft. incl. supervision in the traditional Israel i arts and craftsmanship yemenite metal work (brass and iron) olive wood carvings, carnalite and marble works, raffia weavings. etc. "every child will take home and present his parents his SELF MADE SOUVENIR FROM IARSEL.

Entertainment, composed of a full Jewish cultural program, Hebrew songs, Israeli folk dances, local movies as well as dramatics and stage performances.

Sightseeing, including a visit to Jerusalem, the capital of Israel; to Philistinian Ashkelon, a trip to the hills of Galilee, a boat party on the Lake of Kinereth, a campfire in an Jordan Valley settlement together with the local youth, a visit to Mt. Carmel and to Haifa, as well as to Tel-Aviv and Rishon-le Zion - all trips by special camp buses.

CHILDREN FROM OVER SEA will be in groups together with Israeli children of their age. "every official camp broadcast will be in Hebrew and English. There will be a translator in every group.

COST AND PAYMENT not yet

pro one child, including car fees with baggage from and to port, full pension for 3 week (five meals a day) medical car, laundry fees, material for handicraft and arts, entertainments, trips by buses and boat, etc.etc.

One third of the money has to be paid in advance by registration, the remainder will be paid by the child's arrival.

REGISTRATION: In the Israel Tourist Offices.  
In all Consular Offices of the State of Israel.  
In all branches of the.....Bank in U.S.A.  
or directly by mail to: Walter Frankl, ~~XXXXXX~~  
P.O.B. 3077 Jerusalem, Israel.

SPECIAL ARRANGEMENTS will be made by registration of more than 15 children from one town or from one organisation. Possibilities of common flights or boat journeys, guided by American ~~XXXX~~ counsellors, will be studied after announcement.-

CAMP PERIOD: July - August. (Details not yet fixed)

VISITS TO THE CAMP: There are no special visiting hours. You are cordially invited to visit your children when ever you desire - except during resting time from 1 p.m. - 4 p.m.

EQUIPMENT: Every camp child receives a list of the camp equipment after the payment of the registration fee.

THEY ARE JOINING AGAIN... A reasonable number of American children participated in our "Hadassim" camp during the last 3 years. They found it exciting, full of fun and satisfactory. Many of the children's parents booked their reservation for the next following saison. The number of our camp children is limited. Please book your reservation as soon as possible.

LAST REGISTRATION TERM - April 25th.

THE CAMP LEADER  
"HADASSIM" YOUTH VILLAGE CHILDREN'S CAMP  
I S R A E L

signed: Walter Frankl

25th May, 1956

Dear Ed,

This is the first chance I have had to reply to your note of May 14th. Elaine is now home from the hospital and is entering upon a period of convalescence which may be lengthy. She is sometimes melancholy and I have a hunch it will take the better part of the summer for her to get back on her feet. She keeps reliving some of the episodes of the accident and I guess only time will banish those thoughts.

Judy seems to have bounced back rather nicely and returned to school this week.

It's really quite impossible to describe in a letter what the past year has been like. This is quite a fantastic job -- sort of like running three Gimbels at once. As a matter of fact, that is approximately the volume of our business. Seriously, though, satisfactions have been deep in the sense that one has a genuine feeling of accomplishment. These last months of international tension have obviously had their repercussions in my office.

Do you ever come East? I would love to see you, and over a quiet scotch could more adequately describe my reactions.

Thanks for writing, and please give our best to Molly and Bobbie.

Sincerely,

Herbert A. Friedman

Mr. Edward R. Prince  
101 West Wisconsin Avenue  
Milwaukee 1, Wisc.

2nd August, 1956

Mr. Ariel Bar-Sela  
c/o Baylor University  
College of Medicine  
Texas Medical Center  
Houston, Texas

Dear Ariel:

I have just come back from Israel, and that is why I have not answered your letter of 12th July.

It sounds as though you have had a good first year, and I am delighted to hear that you had no financial difficulties. I accept your check for \$50 on your personal debt. Whenever you can pay the balance of it, that will be fine. Do not press yourself but, on the other hand, I think that you would want to clear this up. I am sorry that you did not make a good contact with Rabbi Kahn, but I don't think you should be discouraged. Perhaps the circumstances were not right. I would suggest that you try again. I would also suggest one other person who is a great worker for Israel. His name is Martin Edelman, and if you call him, you can say that you got his name from me.

Mrs. Friedman and the children are all well now, although she was involved in a bad automobile accident last April. They all send their fondest regards.

If you ever get to New York, please be sure to call us because she would love to see you again.

Best regards.

Sincerely yours,

Herbert A. Friedman

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Jerusalem, August 5, 1956

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

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Dear Herb:

I am sorry for the delay in sending you the antique glassware that you picked out when you were here. However, I have in the meantime found a few more nice pieces for you, and will send everything to you by diplomatic mail within the next few days. I have also ordered some samples of different things which I think you may find interesting, and will forward them to you by pouch as soon as I get them.

Hope both you and Elaine are well, and with best regards to you both,

*and the children*

As ever,

*Teddy*  
Teddy Kollek

WILLIAM ROSENWALD

Ninalhaven, Me.,  
August 20, '56

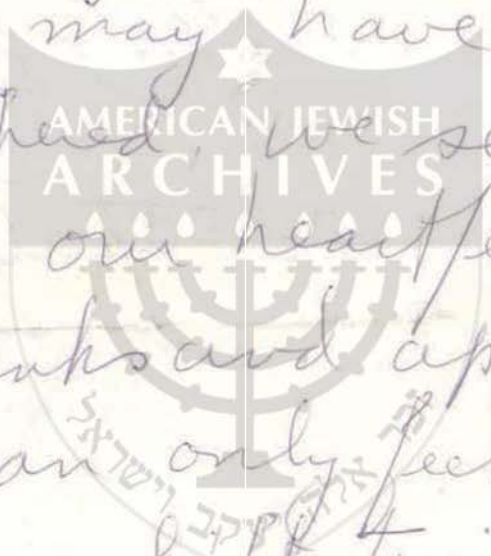
Dear Elaine and Herb,

○ Mary and I didn't know whether we were more deeply touched by your thoughtfulness in sending us the unusual birthday gift, by its sheer beauty and historic association, or by



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The very nice card  
which you enclosed.  
In any event, as  
you may have  
gathered, we send  
you our heartfelt  
thanks and appreciation.  
I can only feel a  
very slight twinge  
of conscience at  
depriving you of  
it!



We, too, enjoyed  
having you and the  
children in Greenwich  
and hope that all  
of you continue well.  
We are fine - the kids  
love it here - our  
oldest is on route  
here from her  
Montana camp -  
we plan to be  
home about

Saturday, the first.

Best wishes to you  
and your family.



Gratefully,

D. J. Jell

פולה בן-גוריון

Jerusalem,  
5 December 1956.

Dear Rabbi Friedman,

Many thanks indeed for the beautiful napkins - they are a delight to look at and to use, and we are so grateful to you and Mrs. Friedman for your thoughtfulness in sending them.

It is always the greatest pleasure to see you both here, and we do hope that you will come again soon.

With affectionate regards to you both,  
and every good wish,

I remain

As ever yours,

*Paula*

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