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National Rescue Conference of the United Jewish Appeal [New  
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# PROGRAM

*National  
Rescue Conference*  
of the  
*United Jewish Appeal*

*June 8th and 9th, 1957*

*Hotel Roosevelt*

*New York City*



NOTICE

Tomorrow morning's session is the core of this Conference.

You will certainly want to witness the march of the communal representatives up the gang-plank to report what their communities have accomplished in the current drive for cash. In addition, as you can see from the program, there will be a series of inspiring talks on various aspects of the UJA program.

Moreover, you will have the opportunity of discussing the full range of problems related to the UJA campaign.

Please do not fail to be with us tomorrow in this room at 9:00 a.m. Breakfast will be served.

# PROGRAM



UNITED JEWISH APPEAL  
AMERICAN JEWISH  
NATIONALS  
RESCUE CONFERENCE  
FOR \$50,000,000 CASH

\*  
on behalf of:

United Israel Appeal • Joint Distribution Committee  
New York Association for New Americans  
United Hias Service

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SATURDAY EVENING, JUNE 8

and SUNDAY, JUNE 9, 1957

HOTEL ROOSEVELT

NEW YORK CITY

*(Dietary laws observed at all Conference meals)*

**SATURDAY EVENING, JUNE 8**

*Reception for Delegates*

6:30 P.M. GRAND BALLROOM FOYER

**DINNER MEETING**

7:30 P.M. GRAND BALLROOM

*Hatikvah* The Star Spangled Banner

**INVOCATION**

*Opening Remarks*

**WILLIAM ROSENWALD**

General Chairman, United Jewish Appeal

*Remarks*

**EDWARD M. M. WARBURG**

Honorary Chairman, United Jewish Appeal

**ADDRESSES**

*U. S. Senator* **LYNDON B. JOHNSON**  
Majority Leader, U. S. Senate

**DR. NAHUM GOLDMANN**

President, World Zionist Organization  
and Jewish Agency

*His Excellency* **ABBA S. EBAN**  
Israel Ambassador to the U.S.

**BENEDICTION**

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**SUNDAY, JUNE 9**

*Breakfast and Morning Session*

9:00 A.M. GRAND BALLROOM

*Opening Remarks*

**SAMUEL H. DAROFF**

National Chairman, UJA

*Presentation of Checks to*  
**SAMUEL ROTHBERG and PHILIP W. LOWN**  
Chairmen, National Cash-For-Rescue Committee

*Presentation of Awards to*  
**PHILIP W. LOWN SAMUEL ROTHBERG**  
**MAX H. BLOCK BARNEY MEDINTZ MARTIN NADELMAN**  
**BERNARD J. SAMPSON JOSEPH D. SHANE**  
**ALBERT A. LEVIN**

by

**MORRIS W. BERINSTEIN**  
President, United Jewish Appeal

*Remarks*

**MAX M. FISHER**  
National Big Gifts Chairman, United Jewish Appeal

*Report on Women's Role In 1957*  
**MRS. JACK A. GOODMAN**  
Chairman, National Women's Division, UJA

*Report on Immigration*  
**MOSES A. LEAVITT**  
Executive Vice-Chairman, Joint Distribution Committee

*Resettlement in Israel*  
**DR. LINCOLN HALE**  
Former Director, U.S. Point Four Program in Israel

*Report on 1957 Campaign*  
**RABBI HERBERT A. FRIEDMAN**  
Executive Vice-Chairman, UJA

*DISCUSSION*

*Closing Remarks*  
**DEWEY D. STONE**  
National Chairman, United Jewish Appeal  
and United Israel Appeal

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## "THE GREAT CHALLENGE" – 100,000 IMMIGRANTS

A Special Cable to the  
UNITED JEWISH APPEAL NATIONAL RESCUE CONFERENCE

from

Prime Minister of Israel, DAVID BEN-GURION

JERUSALEM, ISRAEL

WILLIAM ROSENWALD UJAPPEAL NEWYORK

AMERICAN JEWISH ARCHIVES

IN THE HALF YEAR SINCE THE NATIONAL ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED JEWISH APPEAL FIFTY THOUSAND JEWISH REFUGEES SEEKING FREEDOM AND SAFETY HAVE ENTERED ISRAEL STOP THIS FIGURE EQUALS THE IMMIGRATION OF THE ENTIRE PERIOD OF THE PRECEDING TWO MONTHS STOP THROUGH YOUR GENEROUS AID AND THROUGH THE EFFORTS OF THE GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE OF ISRAEL WE HAVE BEEN ABLE TO KEEP OUR GATES OPEN AND TO GIVE ALL OF THESE REFUGEES HOUSING AND A START IN LIFE STOP THE GOVERNMENT OF ISRAEL HAS MADE AN EXTREMELY HEAVY INVESTMENT IN HOUSING IN ORDER THAT NONE SHOULD LACK A ROOF OVER HIS HEAD STOP THIS VIRTUAL MASS IMMIGRATION HAS STRAINED THE RESOURCES OF THE STATE AND THE PEOPLE STOP BUT MORE REFUGEES ARE POURING INTO ISRAEL DAILY STOP IN THE MONTH OF MAY TWELVE THOUSAND NEW IMMIGRANTS ARRIVED IN ISRAEL STOP FOR THE REMAINDER OF THIS YEAR WE FACE THE GREAT CHALLENGE OF PROVIDING SHELTER AND OTHER MINIMUM NECESSITIES FOR AT LEAST ANOTHER FIFTY THOUSAND IMMIGRANTS STOP THEREFORE THE DECISION WHICH YOU OF UJA WILL TAKE AT THE NATIONAL RESCUE CONFERENCE WILL HAVE AN IMMEDIATE AND FAR REACHING EFFECT ON OUR JOINT STRUGGLE TO SAVE THOUSANDS OF JEWS IN NEED OF RESCUE STOP ON THE BASIS OF UJA'S MAGNIFICENT CONTRIBUTION IN THE PAST I AM CONFIDENT THAT YOU WILL CONTINUE TO KEEP FAITH WITH THOSE IN NEED AND DO YOUR UTMOST STOP

DAVID BEN-GURION

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# NATIONAL CAMPAIGN CABINET 1957 UNITED JEWISH APPEAL

*Chairman*

**JOSEPH MEYERHOFF**

*Vice-Chairman*

**FRED FORMAN**

*Emergency Rescue Fund Chairman*

**SAMUEL RUBIN**

*Emergency Rescue Fund Co-Chairman*

**JOSEPH M. MAZER**

*National Cash-For-Rescue Chairmen*

**SAMUEL ROTHBERG**

**PHILIP W. LOWN**

*Co-Chairmen*

**MAX H. BLOCK**

**BARNEY MEDINTZ**

**MARTIN NADELMAN**

**BERNARD J. SAMPSON**

**JOSEPH D. SHANE**

*Big Gifts Chairmen*

**BENJAMIN H. SWIG**

**MAX M. FISHER**

*Regional Chairmen*

**ALBERT A. LEVIN**

**JOSEPH SHULMAN**

*Allocations Chairman*

**ISADORE BRESLAU**

*Speakers Division Chairman*

**MILTON KAHN**

*Trade and Industry Chairman*

**ROBERT W. SCHIFF**

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**JACOB M. ARVEY**

**LOUIS BERRY**

**DAVID BOROWITZ**

**HYMAN BRAND**

**MAX BRESSLER**

**EDDIE CANTOR**

**JOSEPH COHAN**

**LLOYD W. DINKELSPIEL**

**MELVIN DUBINSKY**

**WILLIAM P. ENGEL**

**ABRAHAM FEINBERG**

**I. D. FINK**

**MAX FIRESTEIN**

**KALMAN S. GOLDENBERG**

**ABRAHAM GOODMAN**

**LAZURE L. GOODMAN**

**SAMUEL HAUSMAN**

**JACOB HIATT**

**ABE KASLE**

**LABEL A. KATZ**

**ABE S. KAY**

**ADOLPH KIESLER**

**PHILIP M. KLUTZNICK**

**SAMUEL A. WEISS**

**HARRY LEVINE**

**JOSEPH MARKEL**

**BENJAMIN J. MASSELL**

**IRVING MILLER**

**EDWARD D. MITCHELL**

**ELKAN R. MYERS**

**NORMAN C. NOBIL**

**IRVING S. NORRY**

**JAMES L. PERMUTT**

**A. B. POLINSKY**

**SIDNEY R. RABB**

**BARNEY RAPAPORT**

**LEONARD RATNER**

**SOL SATINSKY**

**JOSEPH J. SCHWARTZ**

**MORRIS SENDEROWITZ, JR.**

**WILLIAM M. SHIPLEY**

**RUDOLF G. SONNEBORN**

**MICHAEL A. STAVITSKY**

**JACK STERN**

**HARRY S. SYLK**

**JOSEPH TALAMO**

**HERMAN P. TAUBMAN**

**MILTON I. TAUBMAN**

## 1957 NATIONAL CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE

MARTIN ABELOVE	PAUL KAPELOW
PHILIP BELZ	LAWRENCE S. KATZ
SHELDON BEREN	DEVERE KAUFFMAN
NORMAN BERLIN	BERNARD KOBROVSKY
MAX H. BLOCK	RALPH N. KOPELOVE
LEON H. BRACHMAN	NATHAN I. KUSS
EDWARD BRANSTEN, JR.	JACK O. LEFTON
CHARLES BROWN	LEON L. LEVY
LOUIS M. BUNIS	DAVID LOWENTHAL
ABRAHAM S. BURG	HARRY MARKS
DAVID M. CITRON	HENRY MASLANSKY
PHILIP N. COLEMAN	MAURICE E. OLEN
NORBERT J. COVY	MAX J. PINCUS
MYER FEINSTEIN	MORRIS C. ROSENBAUM
JACOB FELDMAN	SELIG SCHWARTZ
JULIUS FLIGELMAN	MAX SIEGEL
LOUIS J. FOX	ISAAC D. SINDERBRAND
JOSEPH L. GIDWITZ	SAM J. SINGER
SAMUEL F. GINGOLD	MORRIS SPEIZMAN
SIDNEY C. GLUCKMAN	ALEX F. STANTON
HAROLD SHERMAN GOLDBERG	DAVID STEIN
DAVID GOLDMAN	EDWARD A. SUISMAN
I. E. GOLDSTEIN	ALEX TEMKIN
JULIUS J. GOODMAN	ALBERT TENENBAUM
SAMUEL H. GREENE	JULIAN B. VENEZKY
HENRY J. HASENFELD	HERMAN S. WIGODSKY
JEROLD C. HOFFBERGER	SOL ZALLEA
NATHANIEL P. KANN	PHILIP ZINMAN

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SG  
FC  
Ref.

~~HS~~

September 4, 1957

Mr. Edward M. M. Warburg  
c/o Joint Distribution Committee  
3 East 54th Street  
New York 22, N. Y.

Dear Mr. Warburg:

I am enclosing another, better print of <sup>a</sup>the picture taken at the National Rescue Conference last June. As you will recall, Senator Johnson wanted to have a print autographed by Dr. Goldmann, Mr. Rosenwald and yourself, and then returned to him.

Will you, therefore, please autograph this picture and return it to me. I will then arrange to have the others sign it.

Best regards.

Sincerely,

Melvin S. Goldstein

MSG:GRS

Encl.

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July 12, 1957

The Hon. Lyndon B. Johnson  
United States Senate  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Senator:

In the absence overseas of Rabbi Friedman, I am undertaking to reply to your thoughtful letter to him of July 10th.

I certainly will be glad to pass on to Dr. Goldmann, Mr. Warburg and Mr. Rosewald the autographed prints which you were kind enough to include for them. I have forwarded the additional print you included to Mr. Warburg for his autograph. However, getting this print back to you may take a little time since both Dr. Goldmann and Mr. Rosewald are out of the country at present--and the latter will not be back until September. Please be assured that this print will be returned to you fully autographed just as soon as possible.

Thank you on behalf of the gentlemen concerned for the prints you have so considerately autographed for them--and kind regards.

Sincerely yours,

Melvin S. Goldstein

MSG:GRS

LYNDON B. JOHNSON  
TEXAS

United States Senate  
Office of the Democratic Leader  
Washington, D. C.

July 10, 1957

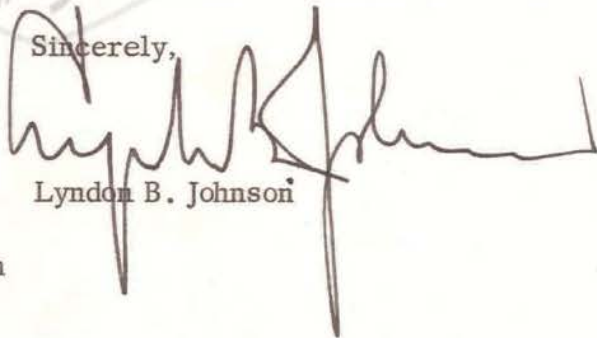
Dear Rabbi Friedman:

Mr. Seymour Zee of the New York Journal American has been kind enough to let me have several prints of pictures taken in New York on the pleasant occasion of my speech before the National Rescue Conference. I have autographed a print for Dr. Goldmann, Mr. Warburg and Mr. Rosenwald which I enclose with the request that you assist me by forwarding them to each of these individuals.

I am enclosing an additional print upon which I should appreciate, at your convenience, your obtaining the autographs of each of these individuals for me. I appreciate the difficulty of the task I am asking you to perform and my gratitude is in full and equal measure.

Many thanks again for your part in making the evening I spent with the UJA group a pleasant and memorable occasion.

Sincerely,



Lyndon B. Johnson

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

P.S. I am forwarding to Ambassador Eban a picture directly to the Embassy here in Washington.

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July 12, 1957

Mr. William Rosenwald

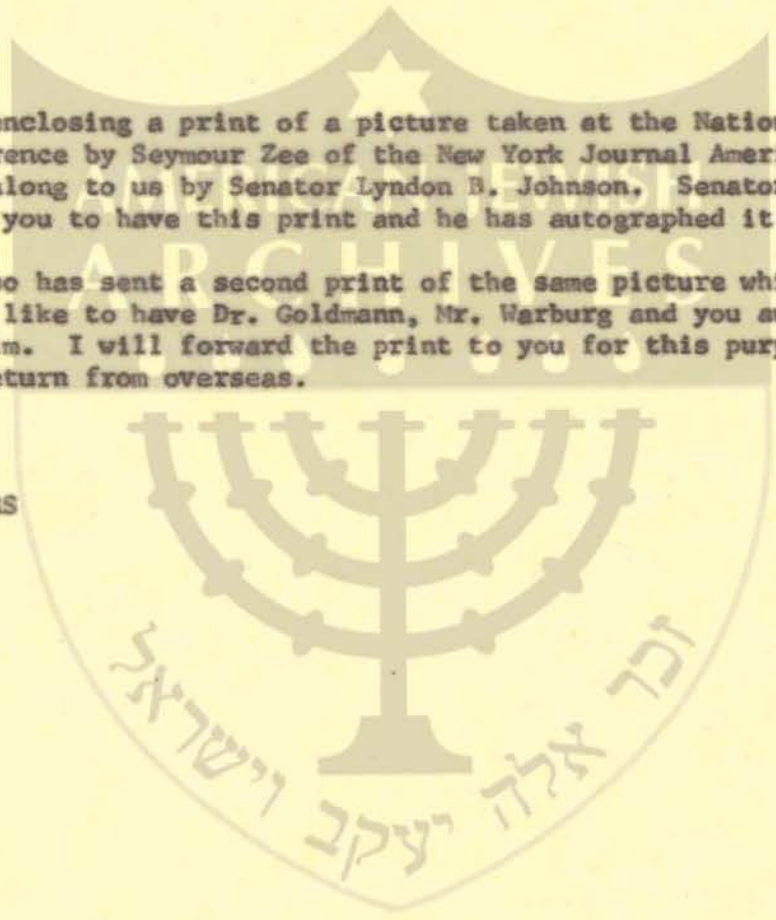
Melvin S. Goldstein

I am enclosing a print of a picture taken at the National Rescue Conference by Seymour Zee of the New York Journal American, and sent along to us by Senator Lyndon B. Johnson. Senator Johnson wants you to have this print and he has autographed it for you.

He also has sent a second print of the same picture which he would like to have Dr. Goldmann, Mr. Warburg and you autograph for him. I will forward the print to you for this purpose when you return from overseas.

MSG:GRS

Encl.



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cc: HS ✓  
SG  
FC

July 12, 1957

Mr. Edward M. M. Warburg  
c/o Joint Distribution Committee  
3 East 54th Street  
New York, N. Y.

Dear Mr. Warburg:

I am enclosing two prints of a picture taken at the National Rescue Conference by Seymour Zee of the New York Journal American, and sent along to us by Senator Lyndon B. Johnson. Senator Johnson wants you to have one of these and he has autographed it for you. He would like to have the other print autographed by Dr. Goldmann, Mr. Rosenwald and yourself, and then returned to him.

Will you, therefore, please autograph this picture and return it to me. I will arrange to have the others sign it when they return from overseas.

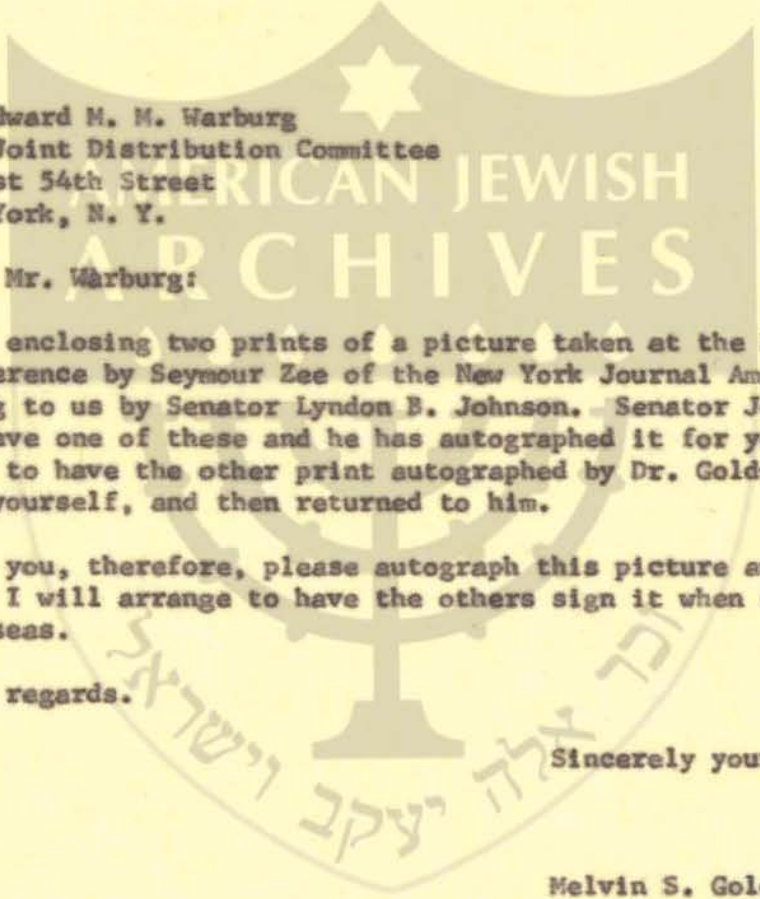
Best regards.

Sincerely yours,

Melvin S. Goldstein

MSG:GRS

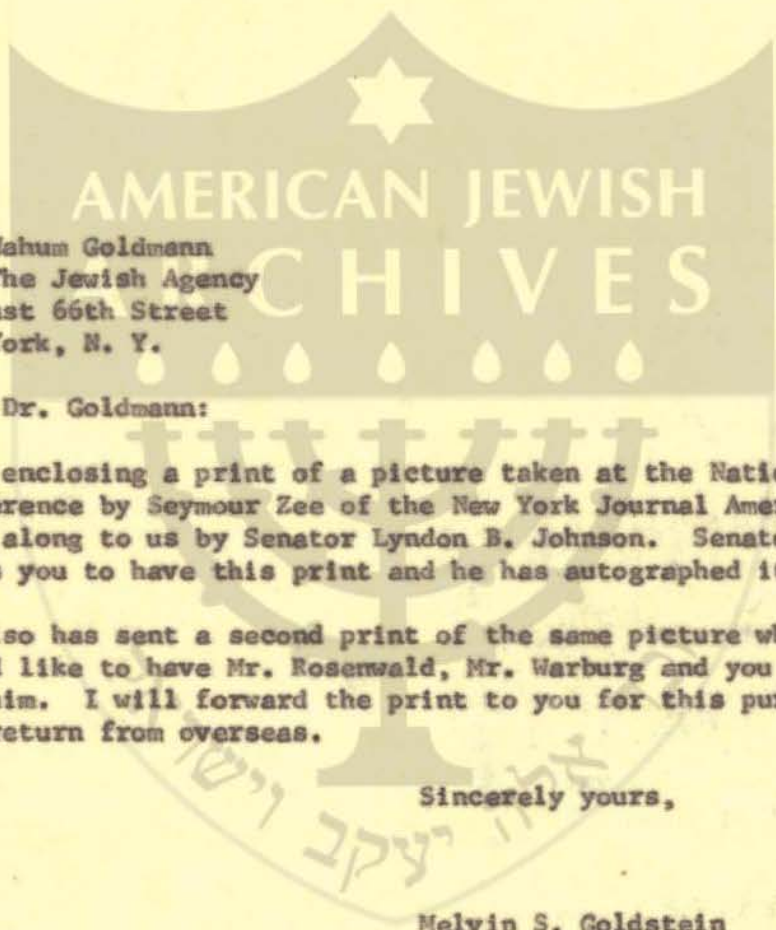
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FC

July 12, 1957



Dr. Nahum Goldmann  
c/o The Jewish Agency  
16 East 66th Street  
New York, N. Y.

Dear Dr. Goldmann:

I am enclosing a print of a picture taken at the National Rescue Conference by Seymour Zee of the New York Journal American, and sent along to us by Senator Lyndon B. Johnson. Senator Johnson wants you to have this print and he has autographed it for you.

He also has sent a second print of the same picture which he would like to have Mr. Rosenwald, Mr. Warburg and you autograph for him. I will forward the print to you for this purpose when you return from overseas.

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Melvin S. Goldstein

MSG:GRS

Encl.



COPY OF CABLE RECEIVED JUNE 7, 1957

Sent ex Jerusalem June 6, 1957

ROSEWALD CHAIRMAN UJAPPEAL NEW YORK

GREETINGS FROM ISRAEL TO UJA CASH CONFERENCE STOP YOU ARE MEETING IN  
MOMENTOUS DAYS WHEN ISRAEL IS VALIANTLY FULFILLING ITS DECLARED PURPOSE  
OF BRINGING TO ISRAEL AND ABSORBING THE HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS OF JEWS FROM  
MANY LANDS SEEKING TO BUILD A NEW LIFE FOR THEMSELVES AND THEIR CHILDREN  
STOP WE ARE BEING OVERBURDENED BY NEED TO PROVIDE FOR THE NEW WAVE OF MASS  
IMMIGRATION THIS YEAR PARTICULARLY FROM EASTERN EUROPE AND EGYPT STOP APEAL  
TO YOU TO CONTINUE YOUR HERCULEAN EFFORT INCREASE CONTRIBUTIONS TO SPECIAL  
RESCUE FUND AND SPEED UP CASH COLLECTIONS SO URGENTLY REQUIRED STOP MAY  
YOU ALL FIND YOUR REWARD IN THE EPIC ACHIEVEMENT OF RENEWED JEWISH LIFE IN  
THE LAND OF ISRAEL STOP WITH WARMEST REGARDS

DOV JOSEPH TREASURER JEWISH AGENCY

fc

6/7/57

cc

SS

ASH

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NOTE FOR M.S.GOLDSTEIN JUNE CONFERENCE FILE:

SEE THAT BERNARD RUBINSTEIN OF SAN ANTONIO IS INTRODUCED TO

SENATOR LYNDON JOHNSON \* SATURDAY, JUNE 8TH.

May 22, 1957

Mr. Bernard Rubinstein  
1020 W. Zaresmore Street  
San Antonio, Texas

Dear Mr. Rubinstein:

We are very happy indeed to learn from Louis Lieblich that you will be at the UJA conference on June 8th and June 9th at the Roosevelt Hotel in New York City.

As I am sure you know, Senator Lyndon Johnson of Texas is going to address this conference and we will certainly be pleased to know that you and, we expect, other citizens of Texas will be with him.

We look forward to greeting him.

Kindest regards.

Sincerely yours,

MSG:js

Melvin S. Goldstein

HERBERT A. FRIEDMAN

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Be sure, if  
possible that  
Rubenstein is  
brought up to the  
date to meet  
Johnson.

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June 3, 1957

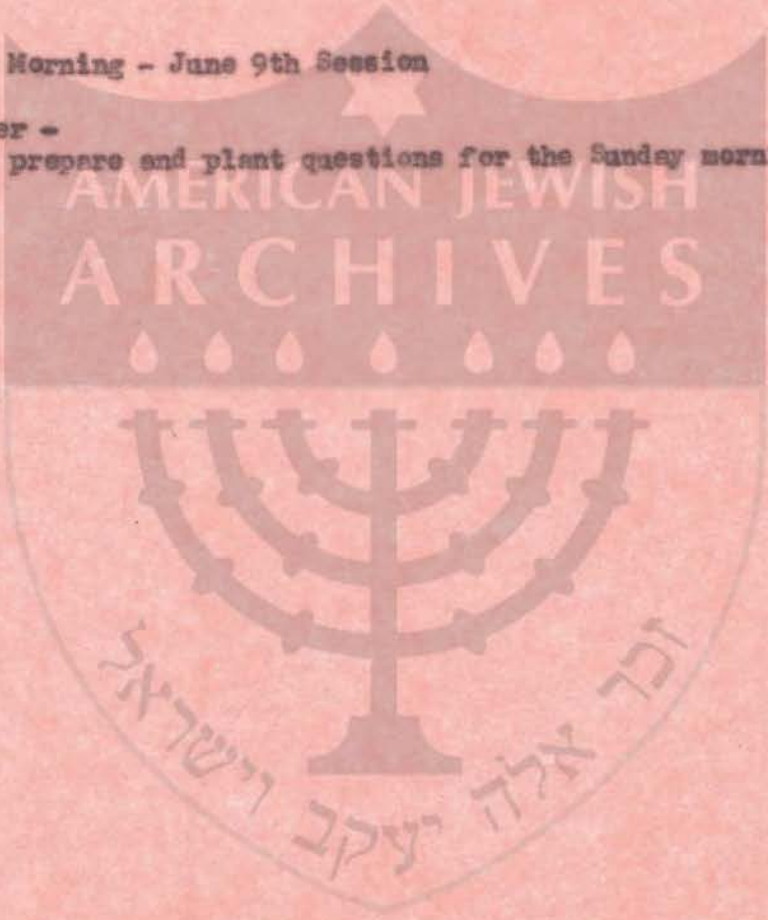
Mr. Sholem Sontag

Melvin S. Goldstein

Sunday Morning - June 9th Session

Reminder -  
Please prepare and plant questions for the Sunday morning session.

MSG:js



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# 11 - tin for Joe 1 -  
Must plot questions for  
floor discussion.

# 14 - tin for Joe 1

This has been  
done!

5/16/57

Had note to setup -

Reminder -

Please prepare and plot questions  
for Sunday morning session.

or the tin for ~~that~~ Tuesday!

6/1/57

5/13 6/1

WR Staff Mtg 5/6/57

ASH 11. The following is an outline of the program for the Sunday morning breakfast session:

Opening Remarks	Samuel Daroff
Introduction of Samuel Rothberg and Phil Lown	Samuel Daroff
Call for Cash Line during Breakfast	Samuel Rothberg
Announcement of Amount Collected	Phil Lown
Presentation of Awards to two Cash Chairmen plus five Co-Chairmen for Cash	Edward M. M. Warburg
Chairman for balance of Sunday session	Max Fisher
Remarks on Emigration	Moses A. Leavitt
Address on Israel	Lincoln Hale
Campaign Report	Herbert A. Friedman
Floor Discussion	Morris W. BerinSTEIN
Closing Address	Dewey D. Stone

13. With regard to getting Cash in for the conference it was noted that quotas have been assigned to the communities and the chairmen and co-chairmen for Cash will cover all the top communities. It was noted that Sam Rothberg seems anxious to do an effective job.

6/1  
ASH 14. In order to dress up the Cash Line for the Sunday morning session, the stage is to be equipped with a backdrop depicting Haifa and its harbour. In addition, a small ship's gangplank, bearing an appropriate legend, is to carry the Cash Line up to a small platform before the Haifa backdrop where the checks will actually be presented.

TENTATIVE OUTLINE OF PROGRAM FOR

NATIONAL CASH CONFERENCE

JUNE 8 and 9, 1957

1. June 8th - LUNCHEON CABINET MEETING

Address by Reuven Shiloah

(Mr. Fishzohn spoke with Mr. Shiloah who agreed to attend this meeting and address the cabinet, providing of course, he will be in the country.)

2. June 9th - BANQUET SESSION

Senator L. Johnson

(Mr. Fishzohn is working on this)

Dr. Nahum Goldmann

(Dr. Goldmann has accepted by cable)

French Ambassador - Herva Alphand

(An invitation is being sent to him over Mr. Warburg's signature)

3. June 9th - SUNDAY MORNING SESSION

Cash Line Lincoln Hale

Moses A. Leavitt

MSG:js

4/11/57

June 4, 1957

NATIONAL RESCUE CONFERENCE FOR \$50,000,000 CASH  
UNITED JEWISH APPEAL

National - 369  
New York City 97  
Total 466

Hotel Roosevelt  
New York, New York

June 8-9, 1957

National Tentative - 16  
New York City Tent. 2

ACCEPTANCES

ARIZONA

TUCSON

Mr. & Mrs. Leo Rackoff

CALIFORNIA

SAN FRANCISCO

Dr. Abraham B. Sirbu

PALM SPRINGS

A. M. Sternberg (plus 1)

SAN BERNARDINO

William Russler

SAN DIEGO

Mr. & Mrs. Abraham Sklar

COLORADO

DENVER

Adolph Kiesler

CONNECTICUT

ANSONIA

Mrs. Michael S. Aaronson  
Dr. & Mrs. Lincoln Hale

BRISTOL

Dr. Maurice H. Mack  
Herbert Schatzki

HARTFORD

Barney Rapaport

MERIDEN

Judge & Mrs. Selig Schwartz

NEW BRITAIN

Mr. & Mrs. Samuel Abrahamson  
Joseph Eisenberg, Exec. Dir.  
Mr. & Mrs. Hershel Rabinowe

NEW HAVEN

Robert V. Adelman  
Louis Feinmark  
Samuel F. Gingold  
Mr. & Mrs. Samuel Goodwin  
Abe Lapidés  
Mrs. Rose Jacobs Levine

NEWTOWN

Dr. & Mrs. Louis O. Nezvesky

STAMFORD

Mr. & Mrs. Leon Kahn, Exec. Secy.

WATERBURY

Ralph Segalman, Exec. Dir.  
David Stein  
Morris Stein

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Mr. & Mrs. Meyer Brissman, Camp. Dir.  
I. Doroth - Embassy  
Paul Himmelfarb  
Senator Jacob K. Javits (plus 1)  
Senator Lyndon Johnson & Mrs.  
Abe S. Kay  
Leon H. Keyserling  
Harry G. Rosenbluh  
Reuven Shiloah  
Mr. & Mrs. Gerald W. Siegel  
Louis E. Spiegler, Dir.

FLORIDA

LAKELAND

Mr. & Mrs. Nat Wolf

MIAMI BEACH

Sidney D. Ansin (plus 1)  
Martin Peppercorn, Camp. Dir.

ST. AUGUSTINE

Israel Feiden

ST. PETERSBURG

M. G. Rosenberg (plus 1)

GEORGIA

ATLANTA

Nahum Astar - Consul  
Sidney S. Gulden  
Edward M. Kahn, Exec. Dir.  
Nathan Lipton  
Mr. & Mrs. Barney Medintz

ILLINOIS

CHICAGO

Max Bressler  
Simcha Pratt, Consul General  
Louis Susman

PEORIA

Samuel Rothberg

INDIANA

INDIANAPOLIS

Mrs. Jack A. Goodman  
Oscar A. Mintzer, Exec. Dir.

MICHIGAN CITY

Dr. & Mrs. M. L. Bankoff

LOUISIANA

NEW ORLEANS

Harry I. Barron, Exec. Dir.  
Label A. Katz  
Henry Maslansky



NATIONAL RESCUE CONFERENCE FOR \$50,000,000 CASH

MARYLAND

BALTIMORE

Louis J. Fox (plus 3)  
Jerold C. Hoffberger  
Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Meyerhoff  
Elkan R. Myers  
Ellsworth E. Rosen  
Isadore I. Sollod, Camp. Dir.

MASSACHUSETTS

BOSTON

Charles Bell  
Mr. & Mrs. Jacob Fitterman  
Philip W. Lown  
(T) Arthur Rabinovitz  
Mr. & Mrs. M. William Weinberg, Camp.D.

BROCKTON

Mr. & Mrs. Dewey D. Stone

HOLYOKE

Mr. & Mrs. Abraham Z. Ritterman

LYNN

Mr. & Mrs. Abraham S. Burg

MIDDLEBORO

(T) Frederick Lobl

WORCESTER

Alan Farber (plus 2)  
Jacob Hiatt  
Joseph Talamo (plus 1)

MICHIGAN

DETROIT

Max M. Fisher  
Joseph Holtzman  
Mr. & Mrs. Isidore Sobeloff, Ex.V Pres.

FLINT

Mr. & Mrs. Arthur Hurand  
Mr. & Mrs. Louis Kasle

MINNESOTA

DULUTH

Abe B. Polinsky

MINNEAPOLIS

Amos S. Deinard (plus 4)  
I. D. Fink  
Kalman S. Goldenberg

MISSOURI

KANSAS CITY

(T) Hyman Brand  
Daniel L. Brenner  
Mr. & Mrs. Chester Litman

ST. LOUIS

(T) Saul Brodsky  
Melvin Dubinsky  
(T) I. E. Goldstein  
Philip C. Kopitsky  
William S. Seltzer  
(T) Charles H. Yalem

NEW JERSEY

ASBURY PARK

Mr. & Mrs. Zimel Resnick

ATLANTIC CITY

Morris Batzer  
William Korn  
Irving T. Spivack, Exec. Dir. (plus 1)

NEW JERSEY - continued

BELMAR

Mr. & Mrs. Abraham R. Klitzman

BERGENFIELD

Mr. & Mrs. Jesse Katzberg

BRADLEY BEACH

Mr. & Mrs. Jacob Cantor  
Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Leib  
Mr. & Mrs. Max M. Warner

CAMDEN

David H. Markowitz

DOVER

Mr. & Mrs. Morris Resnick

ELIZABETH

Mrs. S. Alexander Brailove

ENGLEWOOD

Mrs. Sadie Kolson

FAIR LAWN

Mr. & Mrs. Ivan Grossman  
Mr. & Mrs. Samuel J. Rosenthal, Ex.Dir.

FLEMINGTON

Ben Karrow

FREEHOLD

Mr. & Mrs. Nathan A. Katz  
Mr. & Mrs. Sol Lopatin  
Mr. & Mrs. Harry Silvert

GLOUCESTER COUNTY

William A. Becker  
Max Freeman  
David Rosen  
Benjamin Solof

HACKENSACK

Isadore B. Gelber

HOBOKEN

Dr. David Coyne

JERSEY CITY

Mr. & Mrs. Louis Kagan  
Mr. & Mrs. George Milstein  
Dr. & Mrs. Meyer K. Schleider, Secy.  
Harry Weinberg

KEYPORT

Miss B. Dorothy Cohen

LAKEWOOD

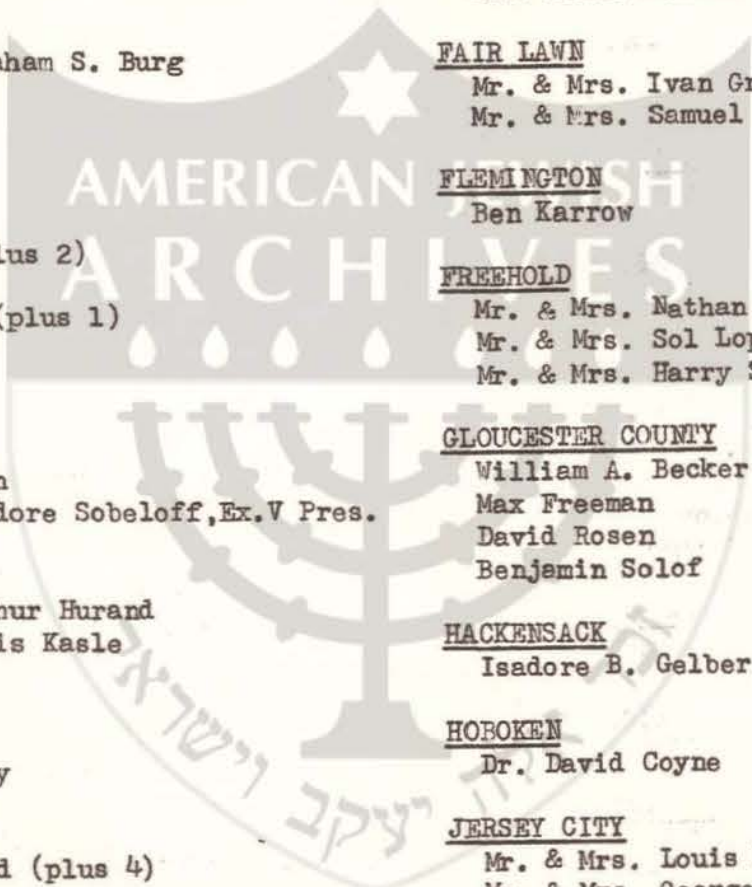
Mr. & Mrs. Morris Kaplan  
Allen Sprung

NEWARK

(T) Herbert R. Abeles  
L. A. Kasen  
Mr. & Mrs. Michael A. Stavitsky

NEW BRUNSWICK

Mr. & Mrs. David Darwin  
Abraham B. Halpern  
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NATIONAL RESCUE CONFERENCE FOR \$50,000,000 CASH

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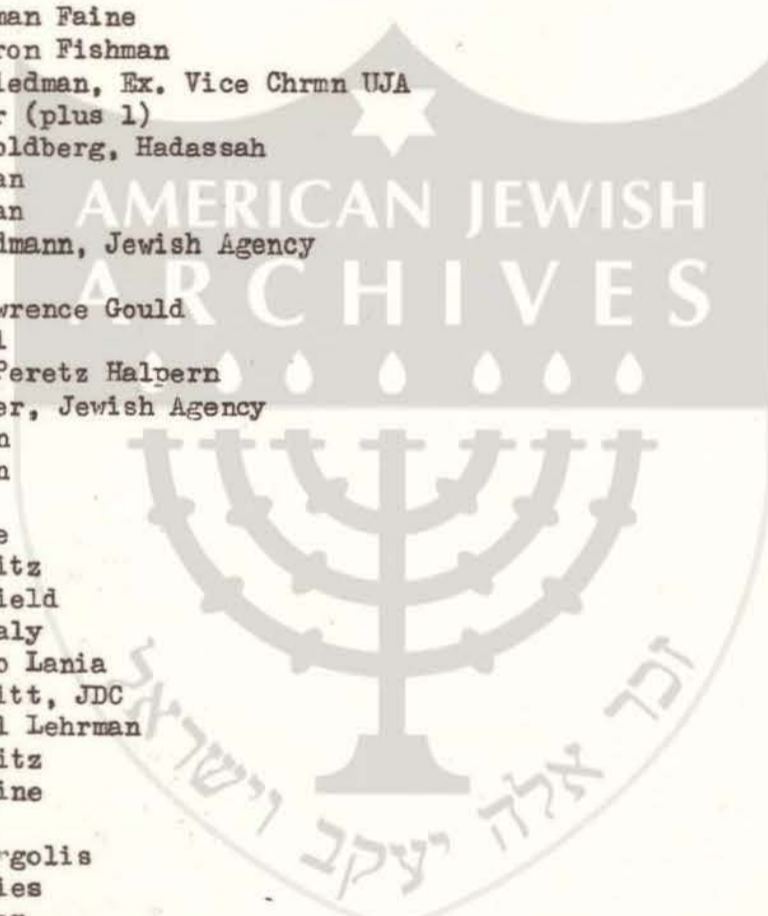
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June 3, 1957

Mr. Sholem Sontup

Melvin S. Goldstein

Sunday Morning - June 9th Session

Reminder -

Please prepare and plant questions for the Sunday morning session.

MSG:js



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WILLIAM ROSENWALD UJAPPEAL NEW YORK

MESSAGE TO UJA NATIONAL RESCUE CONFERENCE

IN THE HALF YEAR SINCE THE NATIONAL ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED JEWISH APPEAL FIFTY THOUSAND JEWISH REFUGEES SEEKING FREEDOM AND SAFETY HAVE ENTERED ISRAEL STOP THIS FIGURE EQUALS THE IMMIGRATION OF THE ENTIRE PERIOD OF THE PRECEDING TWELVE MONTHS STOP THROUGH YOUR GENEROUS AID AND THROUGH THE EFFORTS OF THE GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE OF ISRAEL WE HAVE BEEN ABLE TO KEEP OUR GATES OPEN AND TO GIVE ALL OF THESE REFUGEES HOUSING AND A START IN LIFE STOP THE GOVERNMENT OF ISRAEL HAS MADE AN EXTREMELY HEAVY INVESTMENT IN HOUSING IN ORDER THAT NONE SHOULD LACK A ROOF OVER HIS HEAD STOP THIS VIRTUAL MASS IMMIGRATION HAS STRAINED THE RESOURCES OF THE STATE AND THE PEOPLE STOP BUT MORE REFUGEES ARE POURING INTO ISRAEL DAILY STOP IN THE MONTH OF MAY TWELVE THOUSAND NEW IMMIGRANTS ARRIVED IN ISRAEL STOP FOR THE REMAINDER OF THIS YEAR WE FACE THE GREAT CHALLENGE OF PROVIDING SHELTER AND OTHER MINIMUM NECESSITIES FOR AT LEAST ANOTHER FIFTY THOUSAND IMMIGRANTS STOP THEREFORE THE DECISION WHICH YOU OF UJA WILL TAKE AT THE NATIONAL RESCUE CONFERENCE WILL HAVE AN IMMEDIATE AND FAR REACHING EFFECT ON OUR JOINT STRUGGLE TO SAVE THOUSANDS OF JEWS IN NEED OF RESCUE STOP ON THE BASIS OF UJAS MAGNIFICENT CONTRIBUTION IN THE PAST I AM CONFIDENT THAT YOU WILL CONTINUE TO KEEP FAITH WITH THOSE IN NEED AND DO YOUR UTMOST

DAVID BENGURION

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29th May, 1957

**LETTER OF REQUEST CONFERENCE TO HON. MRS. GROVE BORN OF STATE MISSIONS**

I am writing to stress the urgency of your being present at the UJA National Rescue Conference at the Hotel Roosevelt in New York on Saturday and Sunday, June 8th and 9th. It should prove to be one of the most important UJA conferences ever held. I strongly feel that -- particularly because of the rich background you can bring to it from your experience on a UJA Executive Directors' Study Mission -- your participation will contribute invaluable to the meaningfulness of this occasion.

At the banquet on the Saturday evening of the Conference, there will be an important address by Lyndon Johnson, Senate Majority Leader. Ambassador Abba Eban is to deliver a vital statement on American-Israel relations, and Dr. Nahum Goldman will report on his recent extensive tour of Europe and Israel. It is extremely important that, by means of a capacity attendance in the presence of these dignitaries, American Jewish leaders demonstrate their position in regard to Israel and the current refugee situation. Therefore, I also earnestly request that you make a strenuous effort to assure the presence at the Conference of the maximum number of leaders from your community.

The Conference is intended to provide a suitable climax for the momentous UJA campaign this year. At its Sunday morning session there will be another important report, by Moses A. Leavitt, on the immigration situation -- as well as a talk by Dr. Lincoln Hale, former Director of the U.S. Operations Mission in Israel, that should prove an inspiring one. Scheduled for that session, too, are a discussion of campaign progress -- to which you and the leaders of your community would significantly contribute --, and the cash presentation.

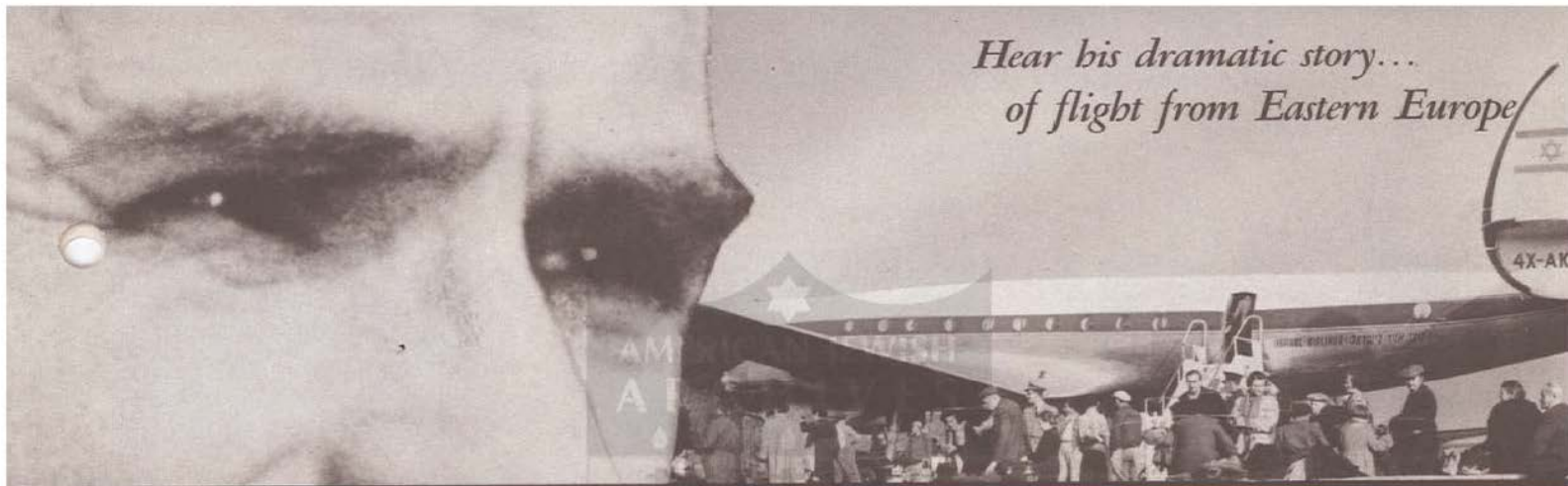
As you know, it is vitally important that at least \$50,000,000 in cash for the UJA be brought together for the Conference. It is equally important that it have the largest possible attendance. I am confident we can count on your usual splendid understanding and cooperation in asking you to help us assure this result.

Sincerely,

Herbert A. Friedman  
Executive Vice-Chairman.

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RELEASE No. 856

May 1957

MONSIEUR RENE COTY, PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF FRANCE

TO ARRIVE IN UNITED STATES ON MONDAY, JUNE 3

FOR EIGHT-DAY STATE VISIT

AMERICAN JEWISH ARCHIVES

His Excellency René Coty, President of the French Republic, will arrive in New York City on Monday, June 3rd, at 9:00 A.M. aboard the Ile de France. He will fly to Washington on the Columbine III and will be met at 12:00 noon at M.A.T.S. Terminal, Washington National Airport, by President Eisenhower and other officials. In the evening, the President and Mrs. Eisenhower will give a state dinner for President Coty at the White House.

On Tuesday morning, June 4th, he will lay a wreath at the tomb of the Unknown Soldier. He will address a joint meeting of the Senate and House of Representatives in the afternoon and will be the guest of honor at a dinner to be given by the Secretary of State and Mrs. Dulles that evening.

On Wednesday morning, June 5th, as a feature of the LaFayette Bicentennial Year, President Coty will lay a wreath at the Statue of LaFayette, at LaFayette Square. He will also address a luncheon meeting at the National Press Club and will be the host at a dinner in honor of the President and Mrs. Eisenhower at the French Embassy that evening.

On Thursday morning, June 6th, President Coty will go to Williamsburg, Virginia, and will visit the Jamestown Festival Park. In the afternoon, he will visit Yorktown and lay a wreath at French graves near the Rochambeau Headquarters. He will fly to New York City later that afternoon.

On Friday, June 7th, after a ticker-tape parade, he will be the guest of honor at a luncheon given by the Mayor. In the afternoon he will attend a reception at the United Nations, after which he will give a dinner for New York personalities.

On Saturday afternoon, June 8th, President Coty will receive an honorary degree from LaFayette College, Easton, Pennsylvania. He will then return to New York, where he will remain until his departure for Paris on June 10th, following a reception for the French community.

*M.S.G.  
If he follows this schedule, he will be in N.Y. the weekend of the conference.*

*re June 8  
Coty*

May 22, 1957

Mr. William Rosenwald

Melvin S. Goldstein

June 8-9 Conference

This is in reference to my memorandum of May 10th on the abovementioned subject.

With regard to a delegation calling on President Coty, Ambassador Taur in France, has informed us that the date must be set with the French Embassy in Washington. Mr. Friedman has spoken with Reuven Shiloah of the Embassy here, as well as to Ambassador Eban, regarding this entire matter. Ambassador Eban is checking into the advisability, as well as the possibility, of having the UJA delegation call on President Coty and will inform us.

MSG:js

17 May 1957

SECRET - BY HAND

TO: Rabbi Herbert Friedman, WA

FROM: BENDOR, PARIS

The Ambassador saw Pineau and Joze who are both favourably inclined towards idea of delegation. They are afraid, however, that the President's program is overcrowded. Much depends on Alphand's recommendation

AMERICAN JEWISH  
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hasn't see how an American group can pay respects to a foreign president. Somehow queer.

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*Joe Dow Joseph file*

MAY 16, 1957

DOV JOSEPH  
JEVAGENCY  
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THANKS YOUR MAY 13 CABLE REFERENCE POLISH SPEAKER FOR JUNE EIGHTH  
CONFERENCE STOP HAVING REGARD FOREIGN OFFICE CONTINUED RELUCTANCE  
AND NO TOP ENGLISH SPEAKING PERSON AVAILABLE HAVE DECIDED DROP MATTER  
THIS TIME BEST REGARDS

HERB FRIEDMAN

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15 May 57

For Herbert Friedman.

Coty's programme undoubtedly being prepared by French  
Embassy Washington. Suggest you approach French Ambassador  
with aid Eban. Shall see what I can do this end.



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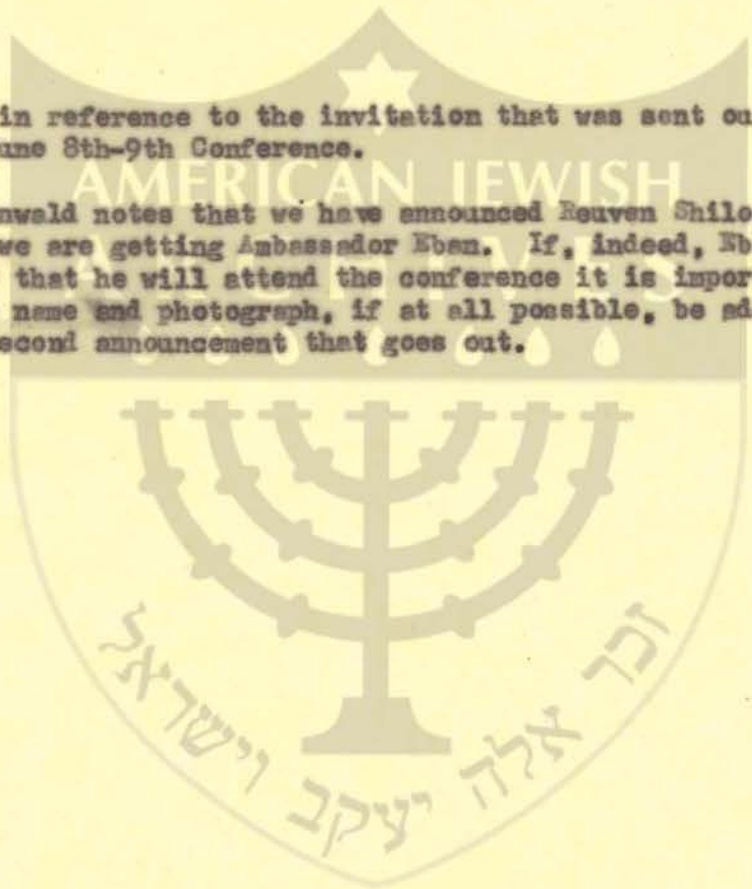
Mr. Raphael Levy

Melvin S. Goldstein

This is in reference to the invitation that was sent out on the June 8th-9th Conference.

AMERICAN JEWISH

Mr. Rosenwald notes that we have announced Reuven Shiloah and now we are getting Ambassador Eban. If, indeed, Eban confirms that he will attend the conference it is important that his name and photograph, if at all possible, be added to the second announcement that goes out.



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At the William Rosenwald Staff Meeting on May 6th (Item #6) there was discussion regarding the appearance of a Polish emigrant at the June 8th-9th conference. A cable was sent to Abe Harman and the following is a copy of reply received from Judah Shuval:

"ABE HARMAN CONVINCED IMPORTANT IMMIGRANTS TYPES YOURS MAY SEVENTH WOULD ENDANGER WHOLE POLICY OTHERS AGREE DEFINITELY INADVISABLE STOP HOWEVER AFTER PRELIMINARY INVESTIGATION NOT YET FOUND ENGLISH-SPEAKING SUITABLE PERSON REGARDS"

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sent thru Israel Consul  
4:30 PM

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MAY 13 1957

AMBASSADOR JACOB TAU  
ISRAEL EMBASSY  
143 AVENUE DE WAGRAM  
PARIS FRANCE

THANKS YOUR MESSAGE STOP WOULD WELCOME OPPORTUNITY HAVE DELEGATION  
TOP UNAPPEAL LEADERSHIP CALL UPON PRESIDENT GOITY STOP CONFERENCE  
BEING HELD NEWYORK JUNE EIGHTH AND NINTH THEREFORE RECEPTION MUST  
TAKE PLACE NEWYORK EITHER AFTERNOON SEVENTH OR MORNING OR AFTERNOON  
EIGHTH KNABLE DELEGATION REPORT TO CONFERENCE STOP WOULD GREATLY  
APPRECIATE YOUR APPROACHING PRESIDENT GOITY OUR BEHALF PLEASE CABLE  
WHAT FURTHER ACTION IF ANY WE SHOULD TAKE THIS MATTER KIND REGARDS

HERBERT FRIDMAN

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cc: A. Fishohn  
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Paris, 9 May 1957

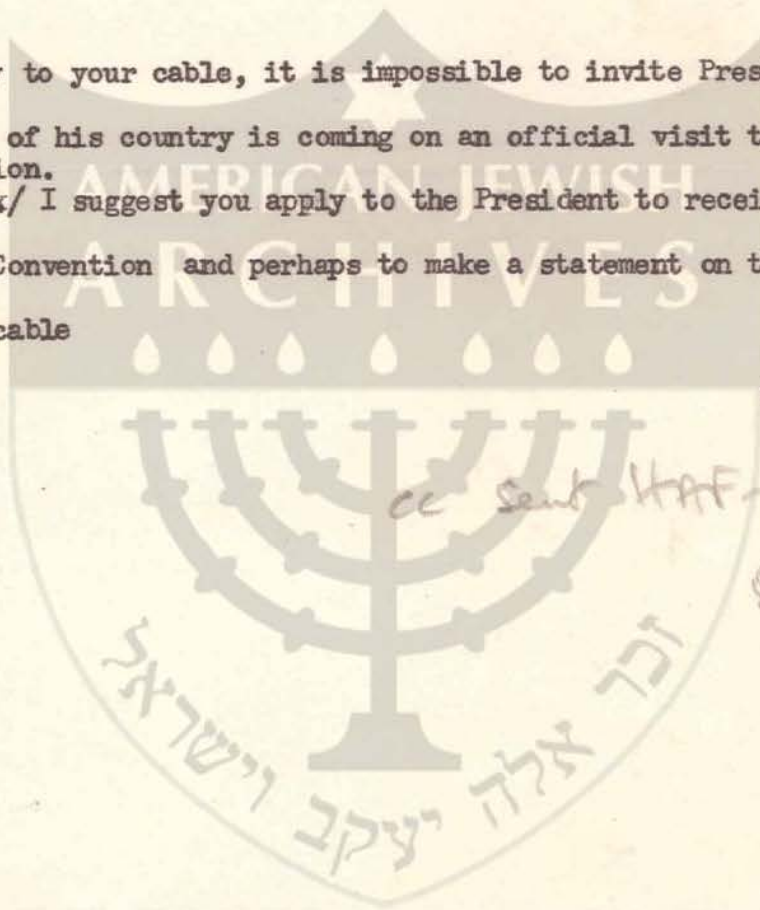
TO: Rabbi Herbert Friedman, WJA

In reply to your cable, it is impossible to invite President Coty who as head of his country is coming on an official visit to attend the Convention.  
~~meeting~~/ I suggest you apply to the President to receive a delegation of the Convention and perhaps to make a statement on this occasion.  
Please cable

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cc sent HAF Westport

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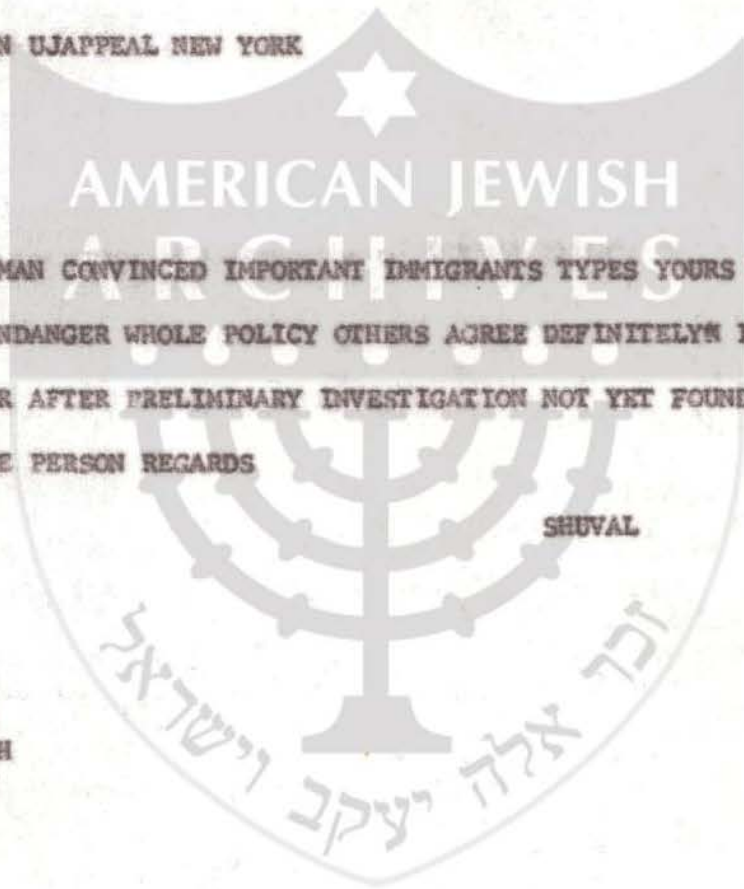
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SHUVAL

cc: SS  
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10th May, 1957

H.E. Abba Eban  
Embassy of Israel  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Aubrey,

I have your letter of May 7th. It would be wonderful to have you address our National Rescue Conference on the subject of American-Israel relations. The best time would be at the banquet session on Saturday evening, June 8th.

The Conference will be held at the Roosevelt Hotel in New York. I will be in touch with you about all the details relating to it later.

Kindest regards.

Sincerely,

Herbert A. Friedman  
Executive Vice-Chairman.

cc: S. KAHANE  
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WASHINGTON, D. C.

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ושינגטון

May 7, 1957

Dear Herb,

I have cabled Jerusalem about suggesting  
your idea concerning Ben Tsur. I shall let you know  
as soon as they reply - I hope affirmatively.

I should also like to be at the June 8 - 9  
meeting myself and say something about American-Israel  
relations. Please keep me in touch.

Yours ever,

*Abba Hava*

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

5/17  
May 10, 1957

Mr. William Rosenwald

Melvin S. Goldstein

**JUNE 8-9 CONFERENCE**

We have received word from Ambassador Eban that Ambassador Ben Tsur, the Israel envoy to Austria, cannot come to the United States to address our conference. The Israel Foreign Office informed Ambassador Eban the reason for this decision is emigration from a "neighboring country".

I have also received a cable from Ambassador Tsur, the Israel envoy to France, in reply to our message regarding President Coty, that it is not possible to invite President Coty to address our conference because he is coming on an official visit to the United States. Ambassador Tsur makes the suggestion that we "apply to the president to receive a delegation of the convention and perhaps to make a statement on this occasion". It is my understanding that Ambassador Tsur would be prepared to ask President Coty to receive a UJA delegation while he is in the United States. The matter of timing is important and I will check on when the president will be in New York. It may be that a group of UJA leaders can call on the president in connection with the June 8th conference and perhaps make a presentation to him.

It will also be of interest to you to note that Ambassador Eban, in a note to Herb Friedman, said that he would be most interested in attending the June 8th-9th conference and speaking on American-Israel relations. We are planning to invite Ambassador Eban to address the conference on Saturday evening, June 8th.

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# "Israel may get 120,000 immigrants"—David Ben-Gurion



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MR WILLIAM ROSENWALD 165 WEST 46TH STREET  
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TENS OF THOUSANDS OF JEWISH REFUGEES FROM LANDS OF OPPRESSION AND TYRANNY HAVE HAD THE GOOD FORTUNE TO FIND A COUNTRY WHOSE GATES ARE WIDE OPEN BEFORE THEM AND A FREE INDEPENDENT JEWISH NATION READY TO GIVE THEM A BROTHERLY AND DEVOTED WELCOME STOP I AM CONFIDENT THAT THE JEWS OF AMERICA WHO HAVE THE PRIVILEGE OF LIVING IN THE CLASSIC OF FREEDOM WILL DO EVERYTHING IN THEIR POWER TO ENSURE THAT ALL THESE REFUGEES . . . MAY BE SPEEDILY INTEGRATED IN . . . ISRAEL STOP WE EXPECT FROM A HUNDRED TO A HUNDRED AND TWENTY THOUSAND NEW IMMIGRANTS THIS YEAR AND I AM CONFIDENT THAT TOGETHER WITH THE REST OF THE JEWISH PEOPLE YOU WILL DEVOTE ALL YOUR EFFORTS TO HELPING THESE IMMIGRANTS TO BECOME INTEGRATED AS FREE MEN IN THEIR OWN FREE COUNTRY STOP

DAVID BEN-GURION

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**MAKE YOUR CONFERENCE RESERVATION NOW!**

# HEAR . . .



**HON. LYNDON JOHNSON**  
U. S. Senator from Texas,  
Senate Majority Leader



**REUVEN SHILOAH**  
Minister Plenipotentiary  
to the U. S. for Israel



**Dr. NAHUM GOLDMANN**  
Pres. World Zionist Org.  
and The Jewish Agency



**WILLIAM ROSENWALD**  
General Chairman  
United Jewish Appeal

*The greatest refugee crisis since 1948 confronts us! Estimates of 100,000 Jewish refugees needing resettlement this year have been outstripped. Israel alone may have to take in that many, and thousands more will need resettlement in other free lands. But lack of funds to meet the burden of absorbing the newcomers can crush Israel's brave people . . . can curtail the flow of Jewish refugees from Iron Curtain countries and danger areas . . . to freedom. Must this happen? The answer must come from American Jews at the National Rescue Conference for \$50,000,000 Cash. Make certain to attend.*



**Dr. LINCOLN HALE**  
Former Director, U. S. Operations  
Mission in Israel



**EDWARD M. M. WARBURG**  
Honorary Chairman  
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**MOSES A. LEAVITT**  
Executive Vice-Chairman  
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**HERBERT A. FRIEDMAN**  
Executive Vice-Chairman  
United Jewish Appeal



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NATIONAL RESCUE CONFERENCE

FOR \$50,000,000 CASH

AMERICAN JEWISH  
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*Rescue refugees, save lives, aid Israel  
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SATURDAY EVENING AND SUNDAY  
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The refugee crisis approaches its peak! What is to be done?

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**NATIONAL RESCUE CONFERENCE**

**FOR \$50,000,000 CASH**

**JUNE 8th-9th, 1957**

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May 7, 1957

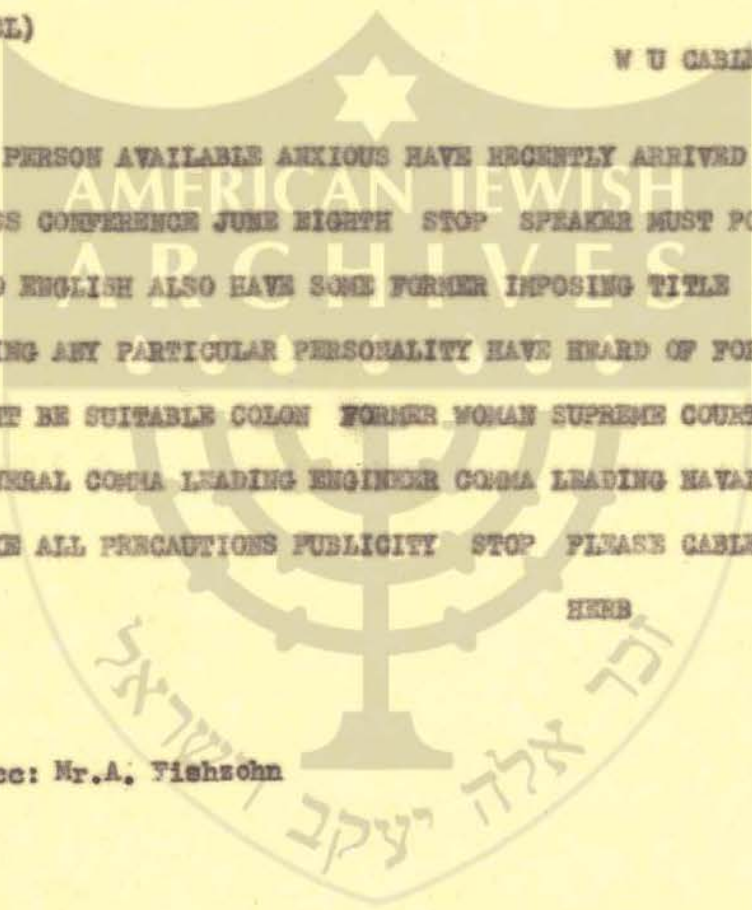
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OF WHOM ONE MIGHT BE SUITABLE COLON FORMER WOMAN SUPREME COURT JUSTICE  
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STOP WOULD TAKE ALL PRECAUTIONS PUBLICITY STOP PLEASE CABLE REGARDS

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MSG:js

cc: Mr. A. Fishohn



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May 6th

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THE HON. JACOB TSUR  
AMBASSADOR OF ISRAEL TO FRANCE  
ISRAEL CONSULATE  
163 AVENUE DE WAGRAM  
PARIS, FRANCE

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UNDERSTAND PRESIDENT OF FRANCE RENE COTY WILL BE IN UNITED STATES AT TIME OF VITAL  
UNITED JEWISH APPEAL NATIONAL RESCUE CONFERENCE FOR WHICH FIFTY MILLION DOLLARS CASH  
BEING MOBILIZED STOP RESPECTFULLY REQUEST YOU USE YOUR OFFICES TO EXTEND HIM OUR FORMAL  
AND MOST CORDIAL INVITATION ADDRESS MAIN BANQUET OF CONFERENCE <sup>in New York</sup> ON EVENING OF SATURDAY,  
JUNE EIGHTH STOP ANTICIPATING ATTENDANCE OF NINE HUNDRED TOP JEWISH LEADERS FROM ALL  
OVER UNITED STATES STOP ALL HERE STRONGLY FEEL HIS PARTICIPATION WOULD BE TREMENDOUS  
INSPIRATION TO LEADERS FURTHER TO HELP ISRAEL AND DISTRESSED JEWS EVERYWHERE STOP HIS  
EXCELLENCY HELD IN HIGH ESTEEM THIS COUNTRY WITH AMERICAN JEWS ESPECIALLY MOVED BY FRENCH  
FRIENDSHIP WITH ISRAEL AND COMPASSION FOR FLIGHT OF JEWS MANY PARTS OF WORLD STOP URGENTLY



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HERBERT ~~FR~~ FRIEDMAN  
UNITED JEWISH APPEAL



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cc. Speaker

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United Jewish Appeal  
165 West 46th Street, NYC.

6th May, 1957

AMBASSADOR ABBA EBAN  
EMBASSY OF ISRAEL  
1621 22nd STREET AT R.  
WASHINGTON 8, D.C.

FURTHER TELEPHONE CONVERSATION REQUEST YOU INVITE ISRAELI MINISTER TO VIENNA  
BEN TSUR TO ADDRESS MAIN BANQUET OF UNITED JEWISH APPEAL NATIONAL RESCUE CONFERENCE  
AT HOTEL ROOSEVELT IN NEW YORK ON EVENING OF SATURDAY JUNE EIGHT. ALL HERE  
CONVINCED HIS PARTICIPATION WOULD HELP ASSURE MAXIMUM IMPACT OF OCCASION BECAUSE OF  
SIGNIFICANCE OF HIS POST'S LOCATION IN RELATION TO REFUGEES NOW ON WAY TO ISRAEL.  
TOP AMERICAN JEWISH LEADERS WOULD RESPOND <sup>WIDELY</sup> ~~INTENSIVELY~~ AND INTENSIVELY TO CHANCE OF  
MEETING PERSONALITY WHO OCCUPIES THIS POST AS WELL AS TO HEAR HIS DESCRIPTION OF  
CURRENT CENTRAL EUROPEAN SITUATION AND ITS EFFECT ON JEWISH EMIGRATION. RESPECTFULLY  
REQUEST YOU TAKE WHATEVER ~~NECESSARY~~ IMMEDIATE ACTION NECESSARY HAVE BEN TSUR ACCEPT OUR  
MOST CORDIAL INVITATION. ORDER INFORM LEADERSHIP SUFFICIENT TIME AND MAKE SUITABLE  
PREPARATIONS WOULD APPRECIATE REPLY SOONEST. REGARDS.

HERBERT A. FRIEDMAN.

CC: SHA: SS: FC: SG:- REF: FIELD:

HAF:GGS



**JOSEPH MEYERHOFF**

CHAIRMAN, NATIONAL CAMPAIGN CABINET

April 24, 1957

**SENT TO ALL MEMBERS OF CABINET**

Now that the composition of the 1957 National Campaign Cabinet is complete, I want to tell you how pleased and privileged I feel to be serving with you. The leadership you can be counted on to provide will, I know, even further strengthen the impact of a team that already has demonstrated an enviable ability for outstanding achievement.

As you know, the UJA currently is engaged in its most crucial campaign. Confronted with a tremendous task from the outset, the scope of our responsibilities keeps growing all the time. For instance, it originally was estimated that the tragic events occurring overseas would create 100,000 Jewish refugees this year -- most of whom would have to be resettled in Israel. At this point it appears that more than 100,000 will be going to Israel, while an additional 25,000 will seek new homes in other hospitable countries.

On the other hand, it is heartening to note that support that has come forward for the Emergency Rescue Fund, which was set up in response to the refugee problem. At the moment pledges in communities all over the country add up to more than twice the value of those made to the Special Fund last year. The regular campaigns, in all cases, are doing at least as well as last year. The following are a few examples of the status of the Rescue Fund campaigns: San Francisco has \$314,000 against \$151,000 from the same people last year. Baltimore has \$835,000 against \$290,000. Miami has \$395,000 against \$160,000 in 1956. Atlanta has \$235,000 against \$100,000. San Diego has \$85,000 against \$22,000. And there are any number of others too numerous to list here.

The Rescue Fund seems to be holding up at the high level I have indicated largely because of the devoted efforts of the Cabinet members in going into community after community and making their impact felt. Of course it cannot be stressed too strongly how important it is for us to assure that the impetus thereby given to the campaign is maintained -- by not letting down our efforts in any way.

In engendering support, we are privileged currently to have unusually talented assistance in the colorful person of the Hon. Robert Briscoe, Dublin's Lord Mayor. The magnificent way he has been giving of his

time and energy is effecting great results. In addition, we are honored by the presence in this country of Brigadier General Chaim Laskov, the military hero of the Negev and an altogether imposing figure, who will visit communities throughout the nation for the UJA.

Both Mayor Briscoe and Brigadier General Laskov are participating in the UJA's closed circuit telecast from New York on the evening of Monday, April 29, in which 30 cities are scheduled to join. This telecast is being planned especially to capture the enthusiasm of those in the middle giving bracket whose additional support in large numbers is so essential to the success of this campaign. The occasion is expected to set a high water mark for us, since the telecast of January 15th gave every indication of the effectiveness of this technique.

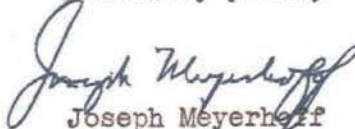
Another important high point in the campaign will be the National Cash Conference, which is to take place at the Hotel Roosevelt in New York City during the weekend of June 8th and 9th. The Hon. Lyndon B. Johnson, majority leader of the U. S. Senate, already has accepted an invitation to speak at the main banquet of the Conference on the evening of June 8th, and several other important personages will be on hand to deliver messages.

The June Conference will serve as the focal point for the completion of the nation-wide Spring campaigns of the UJA and the collection and presentation of cash raised in campaigns during the next few weeks. The resources of the agencies supported by the UJA have been severely strained by the current crisis. Therefore, the maximum presentation of cash as well as maximum attendance at this Conference are of the utmost urgency.

There will be a luncheon meeting of the National Campaign Cabinet on Saturday, June 8th, preceding the main banquet session. Reuven Shiloah, Minister Plenipotentiary in Washington, will join us at the Cabinet meeting. I will write you in more detail about the meeting shortly, but you will probably want to set time aside now in order to make sure of your presence at it.

The length of this letter is due to the fact that the forthcoming Cabinet meeting is still some distance away, and I felt it was important that you be brought up to date on the status of the campaign before then. At the rate events have been moving, I know that there will be a great many new and urgent matters to consider at the meeting, including those of a confidential nature which can only be brought up at a meeting of this sort. For this reason, in addition to a personal desire that as many as possible of the Cabinet members get together to exchange experiences, I am eagerly counting on seeing you on June 8th.

Sincerely yours,

  
Joseph Meyerhoff

April 25, 1957

Mr. Edward M. M. Warburg

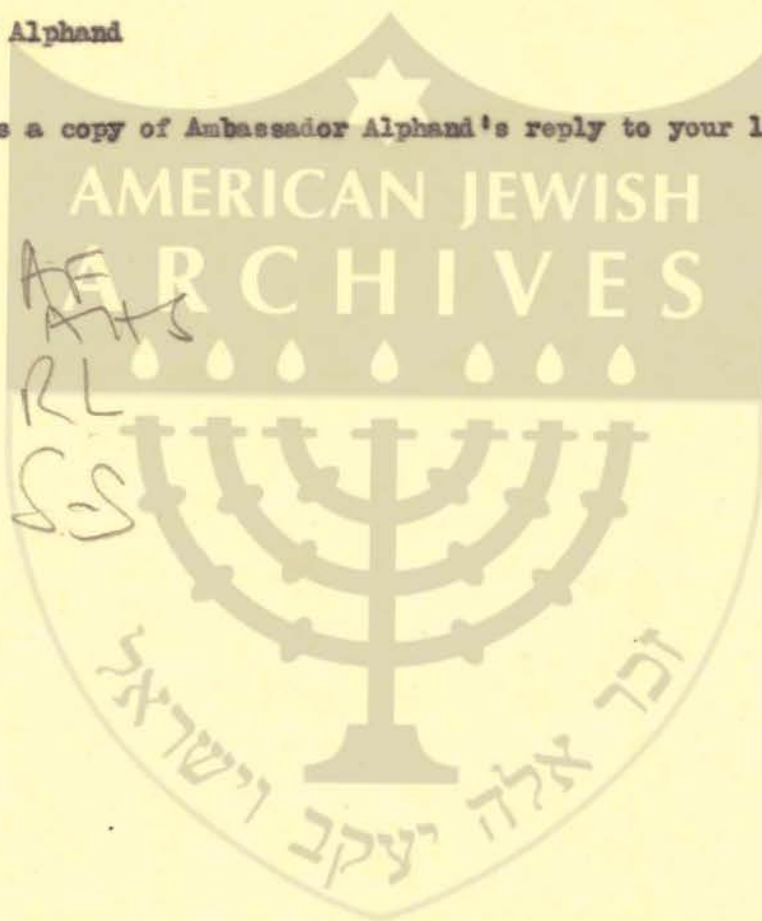
Melvin S. Goldstein

Ambassador Alphan

Attached is a copy of Ambassador Alphan's reply to your letter.

cc.

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RL  
SS



*Ambassade de France  
aux Etats-Unis*

*Washington, le* April 23rd, 1957

Dear Mr. Warburg,

I wish to express to you my appreciation for inviting me to address the main banquet of the National Conference of the United Jewish Appeal to be held at the Hotel Roosevelt in New York, on the evening of Saturday, June 8th, 1957.

I am fully aware of the importance of the United Jewish Appeal which does so much to aid distressed Jews overseas and to assist in the resettlement of many of them in Israel. Unfortunately the date of the banquet coincides with the official visit to the United States of the President of the French Republic and, to my sincere regret, I must decline your invitation.

With best wishes for a successful evening, I am

Sincerely yours,

*Herve Alphand*

HERVE ALPHAND,  
Ambassador of France  
to the United States

Mr. Edward M. M. Warburg,  
United Jewish Appeal,  
165 West 46th Street,  
New York 36, N.Y.

**MEMO FROM**

*[Handwritten signature]*  
**FLORRIE CHIAT**

*ARRIVAL*

★ April 25, 1957  
AMERICAN JEWISH  
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Ambassador. Alphandé has replied to Mr. Warburg's letter (delay due to his absence for several days). Unfortunately he had to reply in the negative due to the fact that the President will be in the U.S. at that time.

cc: SHA: SS:

Miss Crowwell

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April 12, 1957

His Excellency Herve Alphand  
French Embassy  
2535 Belmont Road N.W.  
Washington, D.C.

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# AMERICAN JEWISH ARCHIVES

Dear Ambassador Alphand:

It is my privilege as Honorary Chairman of the United Jewish Appeal to extend a most cordial invitation to you to address the main banquet of the National Conference of the UJA to be held at the Hotel Roosevelt in New York on the evening of Saturday, June 8th, 1957.

This conference is of the greatest importance to the American Jewish community in its efforts to aid distressed Jews overseas and to assist in the resettlement of many of them in Israel. It will serve as a focal point for the completion of the nation-wide Spring campaigns on behalf of the UJA and the collection and presentation of cash raised in the campaigns during the next few weeks. We anticipate the attendance of eight or nine hundred leading representatives of Jewish communities throughout the United States.

Because of the high esteem in which you and the nation which you represent are held by so many Americans, and because of the compassionate interest which France has demonstrated in the present plight of Jews in many parts of the world, my associates and I feel that your presence at our conference would be welcomed with extraordinary warmth. It is felt, in addition, that a message of encouragement from you would be of inestimable value in further inspiring the many leaders of American Jewry who will be assembled for this occasion. The concrete benefit to countless thousands of men, women and children who are dependent on the help of the United Jewish Appeal would be immeasurable.

It is our earnest hope that you will find it possible to accept this invitation and I look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,

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Edward N.M. Warburg.



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LYNDON B. JOHNSON  
TEXAS

United States Senate  
Office of the Democratic Leader  
Washington, D. C.  
April 20, 1957

*Mrs. Roberts*  
*(Outgoing letter is in UJA Conf. file)*  
*cc: RF - 4/24*

My dear Mr. Rosenwald:

Your letter of April 18th has arrived in Senator Johnson's absence from this office. He and Mrs. Johnson are spending the Easter recess of the Congress in Texas.

I know he will be pleased to read your letter upon his return to the office and you can be sure that it will be given him at the earliest opportunity.

In the meantime, and on behalf of the Senator, very best wishes to you, Sir.

Sincerely

*Juanita Roberts*  
Juanita Roberts  
Secretary

Mr. William Rosenwald  
General Chairman  
United Jewish Appeal  
165 West 46 Street, N. Y. 36, N. Y.

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NAHUM GOLDMANN  
JEVAGENCY  
JERUSALEM (ISRAEL)

April 22, 1957

AWAITING CABLE CONFIRMATION YOU WILL ADDRESS CONFERENCE SATURDAY EVENING  
JUNE REPEAT JUNE EIGHTH REGARDS

HAF/gfc

cc: Itzhak Hamlin



April 18, 1957

The Hon. Lyndon B. Johnson  
United States Senate  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Senator:

This is to acknowledge formally and most gratefully your acceptance of the invitation extended you to address the main banquet of the National Conference of the UJA to be held at the Hotel Roosevelt in New York on the evening of Saturday, June 8, 1957.

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Thank you very much once again for accepting our invitation. All of us at UJA are eagerly looking forward to your being with us on this occasion.

Cordially

cc: SHA:SS AF: Joel Fisher  
WR:SG:SS

(William Rosenwald)

April 11, 1957

Mr. Herbert A. Friedman

Melvin S. Goldstein

CJFVF - June 9, 1957

I checked with the Council on any meeting they may be planning for Sunday, June 9th. Arnold Garin said that Zucker could have been the only one to have mentioned a meeting. What is involved is a meeting on Sunday morning of the Council's committee on professional personnel. Only a couple of people are involved; the only one of any importance being Henry Zucker. I told the Council that I thought it would be all right for them to go ahead with this meeting.

MSG:js



Mr. H. A. Friedman

April 11, 1957

Mr. A. Fishohn

Mr. A. Hymen

Mr. I. Jacobs, Mr. R. Levy, Mr. Sholem Sontag

Helvin S. Goldstein

Attached hereto, for your information, is a very, very rough outline of items pertaining to the June conference.

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TEMPERATIVE OUTLINE OF PROGRAM FOR

NATIONAL CASH CONFERENCE

JUNE 8 and 9, 1957

1. June 8th - LUNCHEON CABINET MEETING

Address by Reaven Shiloah

(Mr. Fishohn spoke with Mr. Shiloah who agreed to attend this meeting and address the cabinet, providing of course, he will be in the country.)

2. June 8th - BANQUET SESSION

Senator L. Johnson

(Mr. Fishohn is working on this)

Dr. Nahum Goldmann

(Dr. Goldmann has accepted by cable)

French Ambassador - Herva Alphand

(An invitation is being sent to him over Mr. Warburg's signature)

3. June 9th - SUNDAY MORNING SESSION

Cash Line Lincoln Hale

Moses A. Leavitt

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GOLDMANN

APRIL 11 57

JEWAGENCY  
JERUSALEM (ISRAEL)

W.U. CABLES

HAPPY YOUR ACCEPTANCE BUT CONFERENCE DATE JUNE REPEAT JUNE EIGHTH REGARDS

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cc: AH, SS, IJ, AF, RL







April 9, 1957

Mr. Isadore Hamlin  
Jewish Agency for Palestine  
16 East 66th Street  
New York, N.Y.

Dear Itzak:

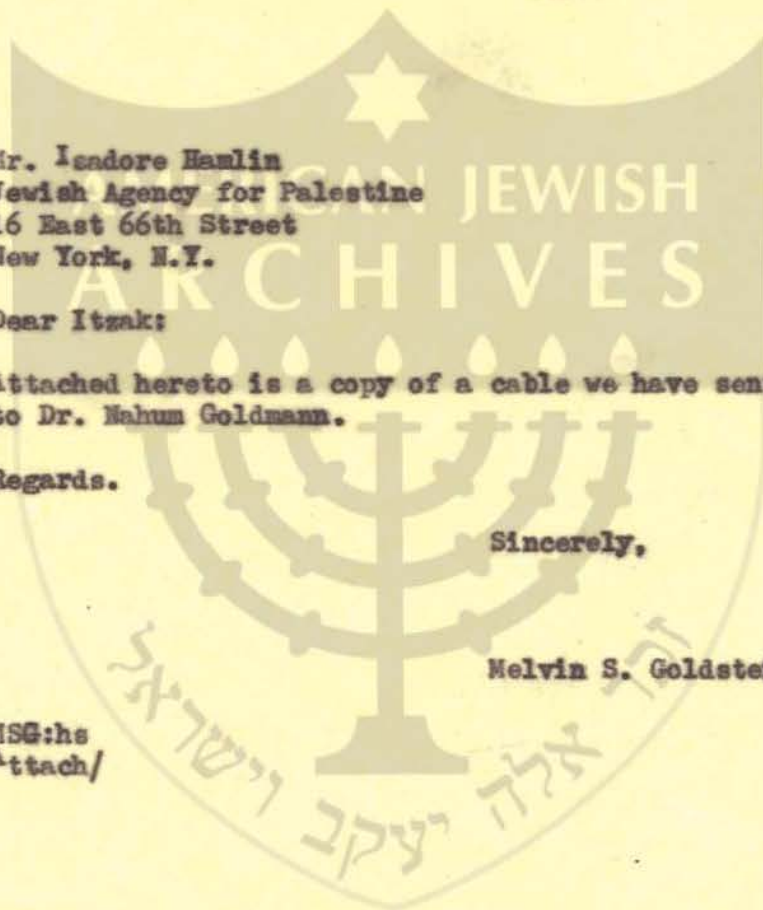
Attached hereto is a copy of a cable we have sent today  
to Dr. Nahum Goldmann.

Regards.

Sincerely,

Melvin S. Goldstein

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NAHUM GOLDMANN

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JERUSALEM (ISRAEL)

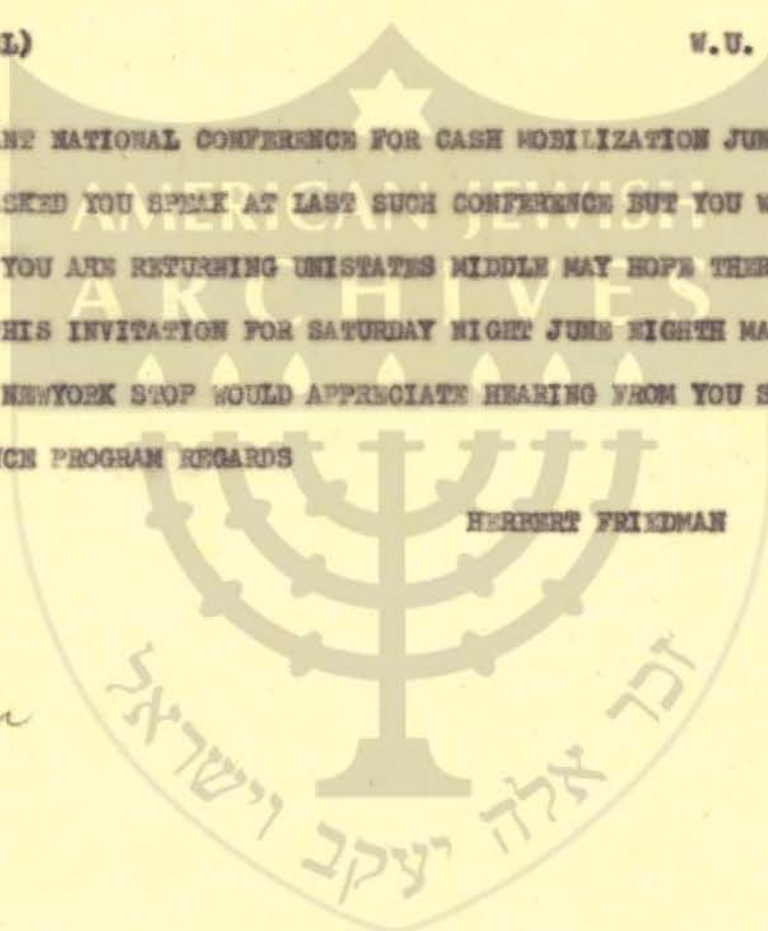
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PLANNING IMPORTANT NATIONAL CONFERENCE FOR CASH MOBILIZATION JUNE EIGHTH AND NINTH  
 YOU MAY RECALL ASKED YOU SPENT AT LAST SUCH CONFERENCE BUT YOU WERE ~~EXCUSED~~ BY ILLNESS  
 STOP UNDERSTAND YOU ARE RETURNING UNISTATES MIDDLE MAY HOPE THEREFORE YOU WILL BE  
 ABLE TO ACCEPT THIS INVITATION FOR SATURDAY NIGHT JUNE EIGHTH MAIN BANQUET SESSION  
 HOTEL ROOSEVELT NEWYORK STOP WOULD APPRECIATE HEARING FROM YOU SOONEST BECAUSE TRYING  
 TO ARRANGE BALANCE PROGRAM REGARDS

HERBERT FRIEDMAN

HAF:ghs

cc: Handlin



April 1, 1957

Mr. William Rosenwald

Melvin S. Goldstein

With further reference to my memorandum of March 25th regarding our meeting on June 9th and meetings to be held by CJFWP, I have just received a letter from Arnold Gurin in which he states that they are very cognizant of the UJA's schedule. Because of that, they have changed their Board meeting from Sunday, June 9th, to Monday, June 10th. The committee meetings they will have on June 9th will be ones that do not tend to involve UJA leadership.

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# CJFWF

## COUNCIL OF JEWISH FEDERATIONS AND WELFARE FUNDS, INC.

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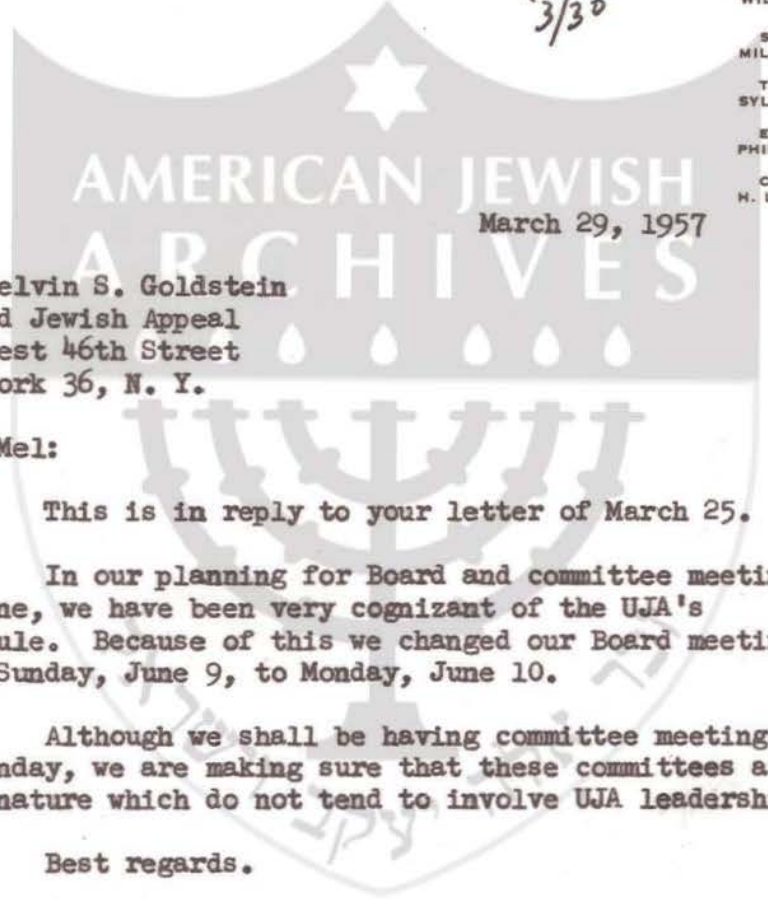
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MILSON*



March 29, 1957

Mr. Melvin S. Goldstein  
United Jewish Appeal  
165 West 46th Street  
New York 36, N. Y.

Dear Mel:

This is in reply to your letter of March 25.

In our planning for Board and committee meetings in June, we have been very cognizant of the UJA's schedule. Because of this we changed our Board meeting from Sunday, June 9, to Monday, June 10.

Although we shall be having committee meetings on Sunday, we are making sure that these committees are of a nature which do not tend to involve UJA leadership.

Best regards.

Sincerely,

*Arnold*  
ARNOLD GURIN  
Director, Field Service

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March 25, 1957

Mr. Arnold Gurin  
Council of Jewish Federations & Welfare Funds, Inc.  
729 Seventh Avenue  
New York 19, New York

Dear Arnold,

Herbert Abeles' letter of March 19th regarding the recent Board Meeting notes, among other things, that the next Board Meeting will be held on June 10th, and that there will be committee meetings on June 9th.

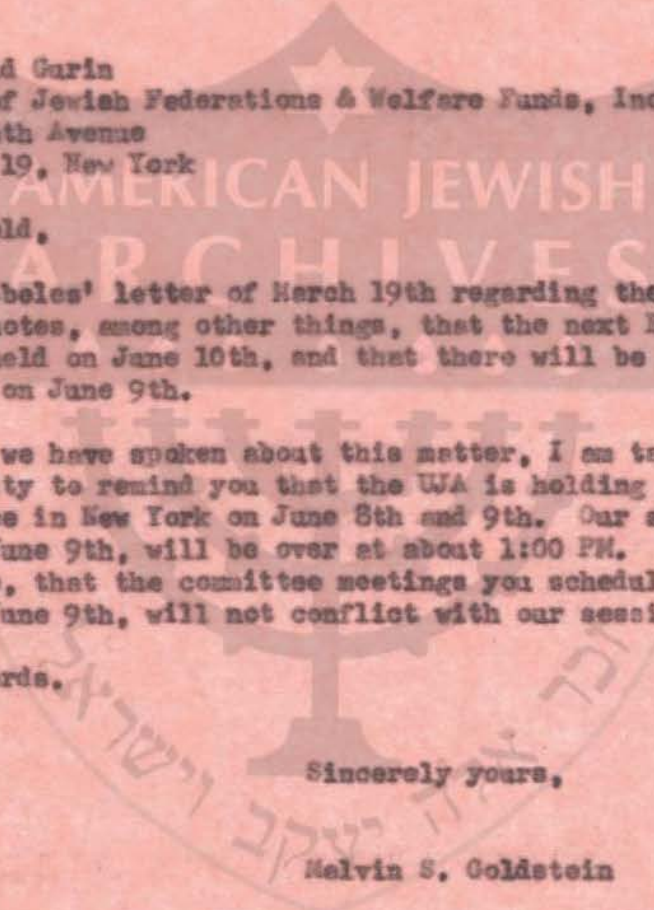
Although we have spoken about this matter, I am taking this opportunity to remind you that the UJA is holding a national conference in New York on June 8th and 9th. Our sessions on Sunday, June 9th, will be over at about 1:00 PM. I do trust, therefore, that the committee meetings you scheduled for Sunday, June 9th, will not conflict with our sessions.

Kind regards,

Sincerely yours,

MSG:js

Malvin S. Goldstein



September 26, 1956

Mr. William Rosenwald

Melvin S. Goldstein

June, 1957, Conference

This is in reference to your inquiry the other day regarding a possible June Conference. I discussed this matter with Mr. Friedman and it is felt that we should have a conference in June and the best date for this conference would be June 8th and 9th.

MSG:ba



## MEMORANDUM

Date September 25, 1956

To Mr. Herbert A. Friedman  
From Melvin S. Goldstein  
Subject June Conference

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cc: S. Sontup  
M. W. Weinberg  
I. Jacobs

didn't we say June 8 -  
and we were going to  
check Hanous + graduations.



September 25, 1956

Mr. Herbert A. Friedman

Melvin S. Goldstein

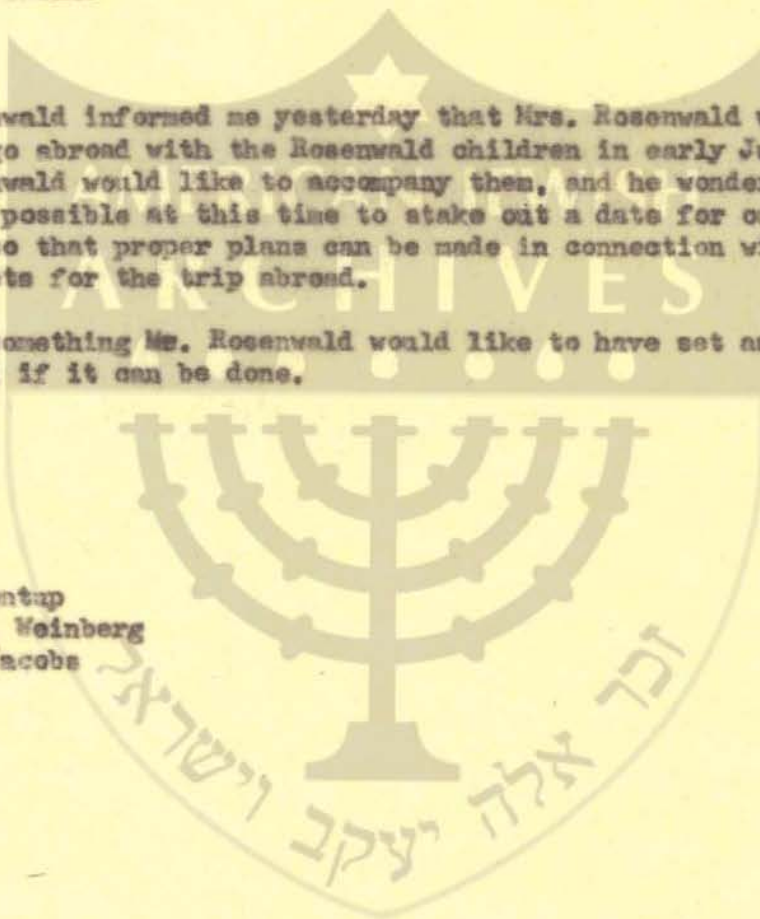
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MEETING \* LUNCHEON 1 P. M. - VANDERBILT-ROOM 8 - SUNDAY, JUNE 9

ADDITIONAL CASH

Morris Berinstein

Henry C. Bernstein

Herbert A. Friedman

Nahum Goldmann

Melvin S. Goldstein

Gottlieb Hammer

~~Rose Halprin~~ *(will try) (out of town)*

Irving Jacobs

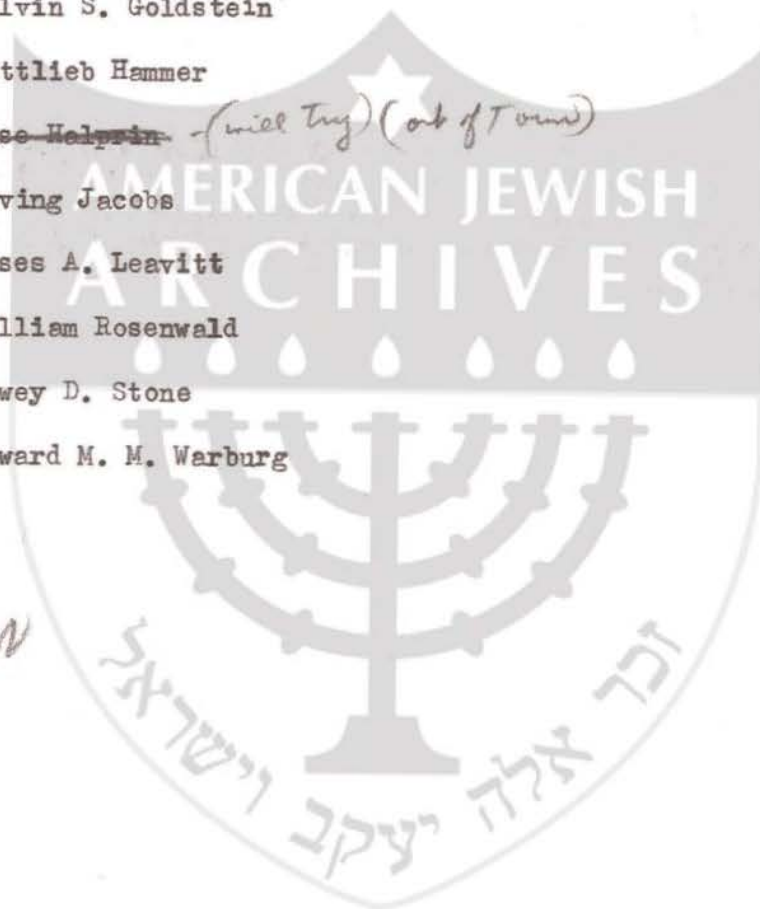
Moses A. Leavitt

William Rosenwald

Dewey D. Stone

Edward M. M. Warburg

*above all accept*



6/4/57

MELVIN S. GOLDSTEIN

~~MISS [unclear]~~  
~~MISS [unclear]~~

Over the [unclear]  
of the [unclear] Federation  
is [unclear]



8/5/7

~~Hold the [unclear]~~  
for the [unclear] today  
now

Goldman -- <sup>Yes.</sup> ~~with cash~~  
Rose Halprin -- <sup>Doubtful, but Will. Fry-</sup> ~~to call advise~~

Gottlieb Hammer. -- Yes.

hon. Rosenwald -- Yes

Green -- Yes

REAL

HCB



Luncheon 1PM Sunday July

Re: Additional Cash

(Vanderbilt-Room 8)

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4 June 1957

Mr. Irving Jacobs  
Mr. Henry C. Bernstein

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Meeting to discuss additional cash

Further to my memorandum of 31 May this is to confirm that the meeting to discuss ways and means of obtaining additional cash will be held at luncheon at 1 P.M. in Vanderbilt-Room 8 of the Hotel Roosevelt on Sunday, June 9th, immediately following the closing session of the UJA National Rescue Conference.



HAF:ajs

Vanderbilt Suite  
Rm 8

1 PM Lunch

31 May, 1957

FL 5-7900  
Nahum Goldmann; Rose Halprin; Gottlieb Hamner; Dewey Stone X  
\*Morris Berinstein; Wm. Rosenwald; Edw. M.M. Warburg; Moses A. Leavitt  
Henry C. Bernstein; Melvin S. Goldstein; Irving Jacobs

Herbert A. Friedman

Meeting to discuss additional cash

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In order to discuss ways and means of obtaining additional cash primarily for the Jewish Agency, a meeting is tentatively being scheduled for luncheon at 1.00 p.m. at the Hotel Roosevelt on Sunday, 9 June, 1957, immediately following the closing session of the UJA National Rescue Conference.

Would you be good enough to note this tentative date. Confirmation of time and place will be sent to you within the next few days.

HAF/gfc