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Cleveland Zionist District, including motion to remove Rabbi
Samuel Benjamin as a member of CZD, 1922.

ההסתדרות הציונית של קליולאנד

Cleveland Zionist District

214 Electric Building

CLEVELAND, OHIO

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10/9/22
October 6th, 1922

Rabbi A. H. Silver,
The Temple,
City.

My dear Rabbi Silver:

The committee appointed to suggest nominees for the forthcoming election of the Zionist District has had several sessions and carefully considered a number of names. The committee was particularly careful in selecting the names for the Executive Committee, the purpose being to get together the strongest available group.

You have been nominated for a place on the Executive Committee, and it would give us great pleasure to have your formal acceptance. We feel certain that you can be of great service to the cause of Zionism by accepting a place on the governing committee of the District.

The election will take place in the near future, the date still to be announced. The ballots must be printed soon. May we ask you to be kind enough to send us your reply at your very earliest convenience.

If we do not hear from you to the contrary by the 12th of October, we shall assume that you accept the nomination and we shall proceed to print your name on the ballot.

It is scarcely necessary to remind you that recent political events have completely transformed the character of our movement and of our program for the future. It will be decidedly worth while to participate in the historic task that lies ahead of us.

Trusting to have your early and favorable reply, I am,

Yours, for the Rebuilding of Zion,

Dr. M. Garber

CHAIRMAN NOMINATING COMMITTEE

JJ/AEH

ההסתדרות הציונית של קליולאנד

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October 18th, 1922

Dear Fellow-Member:

At a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Cleveland Zionist District held on October 16th, the following motion was adopted:

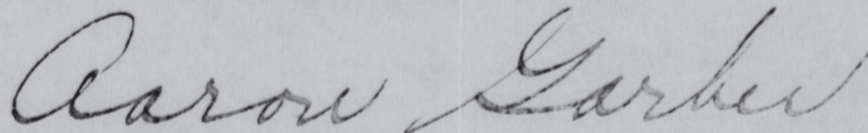
That the presence of Rabbi Samuel Benjamin as a member of the Cleveland Zionist District is a continued and growing menace to the welfare of the Zionist movement in the city of Cleveland, and for that reason steps should be taken at the earliest possible moment to remove him from membership from the Cleveland Zionist District.

To carry out the intention of this motion, a special meeting of the entire membership of the District has been called for Monday night, October 23rd at the Cleveland Jewish Center. The meeting will start at eight o'clock.

Only members in good standing will be admitted and allowed to participate in this meeting.

This letter will entitle you to admission.

Yours, for the Rebuilding of Zion,



PRESIDENT

CLEVELAND ZIONIST DISTRICT

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ההסתדרות הציונית של קליולאנד

Cleveland Zionist District

214 Electric Building

CLEVELAND, OHIO

November 18, 1922.

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver,
The Temple,
Cleveland, Ohio.
Dear Rabbi:

The Cleveland Zionist District extends to you a cordial invitation to attend a noon luncheon to be held in Statler Hotel Tuesday November 21, 1922 at 12 A. M. to welcome Dr. Ruppin who comes to Cleveland as a guest of the Mizrachi Convention, now being held in Cleveland.

We do not intend to make an appeal nor a collection for any funds.

Your presence will be greatly appreciated by the honorable guest and by the Cleveland Zionist, and it will serve to emphasize to the Jews of Cleveland of our unanimity of purpose.

With The Rebuilding of Zion.

Yours very cordially,

Arion Garby

President of Cleve. Zionist District.

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