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Israel Bonds, Detroit, Michigan, 1958.

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver E. 105th St. at Ansel Rd. Cleveland 6, Ohio

Dear Dr. Silver:

It was good seeing you again and I enjoyed very much being with you in Pittsburgh. The meeting was very satisfactory and productive and has stimulated the campaign in Pittsburgh to a high degree.

As I pointed out in our discussion, many cities have made requests for a visit from you. The following are the ones which we consider most important and with the greatest potential. As you requested, I am sending you the dates and some background of each, so you can clear them on your calendar.

> MIAMI, FLA. - DECEMBER 20th This is the annual Chanukah Festival to be held at the Miami Beach Auditorium which seats several thousand people.

JERSEY CITY, N.J. - (During the 1st or 2nd week of December, preferably on a Wednesday, but subject to your availability)

This will be a City-wide Dinner in honor of Louis Ross, former chairman and elder statesman of the Bond campaign. You will recall Mr. Ross spoke to you about this dinner in Miami and its importance in terms of Bond sales.

NEW YORK CITY - (During the latter part of October) This will be a dinner in honor of Mr. Abe Stark, President of the City Council in New York. Expected attendance for this borough-wide function for Brooklyn will run to many hundreds and the hoped for goal is over \$500,000. The specific date will be determined on the basis of your availability.

It would be very helpful if we could get a confirmation of the above functions at your earliest convenience so that the necessary publicity and preparation can be started as far in advance as possible. I will call you sometime next week in the hope that by then you will have had an opportunity to clear your calendar.

With warmest regards, I remain

Max ational Director

MH/so



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215 fourth avenue, new york 3, oregon 7-9650, cable address: bondisra

June 5, 1958

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver
E. 105th St. at Ansel Rd.
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Dr. Silver:

It was good talking to you and I want to again thank you for the autographed photo.

As a reminder I want to add the following about the request for your appearance at a meeting in Detroit.

This will be a testimonial dinner to Harry Cohen, on the occasion of his 75th birthday. Mr. Cohen is a very popular and highly revered Jewish leader. It is expected that this dinner honoring Mr. Cohen will be the major Bond sales function in Detroit for 1958.. The date indicated is any time between October 13th - 30th, subject to your convenience.

With kindest regards, I remain

MH/so

Max Melvarg, National Director Community Leadership Division



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July 1, 1958

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver E. 105th St. at Ansel Rd. Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Dr. Silver:

Subsequent to my clearing with you the other day, I have confirmed the following dates for your appearance, to our respective city managers:

Wednesday, Oct. 22nd - NEW YORK CITY

Tuesday, Oct. 28th - DETROIT

Saturday, Dec. 20th - MIAMI

I will, in due time, advise you in greater detail as to time, place and type of function.

Thanks again for confirming these dates.

With warmest personal regards, I remain

Cordially

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Mak Melvarg, National Director Community Leadership Division

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Sept. 19, 1958

The Temple
East 105th St. at Ansel Road
Cleveland 6, Ohio

ATT: Leo S. Bamberger Executive Secretary

Genthemen:

State of Israel Bonds, Development Issue

We enclose State of Israel Bonds, as shown below, registered in the name of Boteith Sefer Limlacha Chabad.

in accordance with the instructions received from you in letter dated August 27, 1958.

\$ None Issue Amount Ten Year Dollar Savings Bonds, Numbered

\$ 1000 Principal Amount Fifteen Year 4% Dollar Coupon Bonds, with January 1, 1959 and subsequent coupons attached Numbered M-1132-CL.

Documents Returned: None

Please acknowledge receipt of the enclosures by signing and returning the accompanying copy of this letter and remit for postage and insurance expenses as per bill also enclosed.

THE CHASE MANHATTAN BANK

FISCAL AGENT FOR STATE OF ISRAEL

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43 EXCHANGE PLACE

STATE OF ISRAEL FIFTEEN YEAR 4% DOLLAR COUPON BONDS DEVELO-MENT ISSUE DUE JANUARY 1, 1969 RE:	NEW YORK 15, N. Y	SEP 19 1958
PLEASE REMIT THE SUM OF \$ 86 BONDS OF THE ABOVE ISSUE SHIPPED TO YOU.	COVERING THE FOLL	DWING CHARGES ON
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Oct. 1, 1958

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver E. 105th St. and Ansel Rd. Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Dr. Silver:

As always, it was good seeing you again and I particularly enjoyed the opportunity to sit in on part of the Succoth services.

I have advised our offices in New York City, Toronto and Springfield that you have agreed to speak on the requested dates and I want to tell you that the respective managers and leaders involved are delighted with the news and look forward to very successful and highly productive functions.

I should also like to convey to you that Miami was very disappointed to learn that you will not be able to appear there on December 20th for their Chanukah Festival as originally scheduled. I explained to them that this was occasioned by a change in your personal plans which involves your leaving the United States during the first week of December, for an extended period of time.

For your information I am listing below the schedule of your visits as it appears presently:

October 28th - DETROIT

November 22nd - TORONTO

November 23rd - SPRINGFIELD

November 25th - NEW YORK CITY

I will be in touch with you again shortly and advise you in greater detail as to transportation, hotel and other arrangements in connection with each community.

With warm personal regards, I remain

Max Helvarg, National Director Community Leadership Division

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Oct. 14, 1958

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver E. 105th St. and Ansel Rd. Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Dr. Silver:

I have just received the details of the Detroit function on Tuesday, Oct. 28th where you will speak and I hasten to transmit them to you.

This will be a dinner at the Statler Hotel called for 7:00 P.M. A cocktail reception is scheduled for 6:00 P.M. A suite has been reserved for you at the Statler.

Mr. Louis Levitan, our manager for Detroit, (address and telephone: 2200 David Stott Bldg. - Tel: Woodward 2-5091) is arranging a press conference and is awaiting word from me as to the exact time of your arrival, so he can set a time for this. Fortunately there is a special flight scheduled from downtown Cleveland to downtown Detroit via TAG Airlines which takes 45 minutes. The departure and arrival time on oct. 28th is as follows:

8:00 A.M. 9:00 A.M. 10:00 A.M.

8:45 A.M. 9:45 A.M. 10:45 A.M. 4:45 P.M.

If it is agreeable with you to depart on the 10:00 A.M. flight, it would enable you to be at the Statler Hotel about 11:00 A.M. - 11:15 A.M. We could schedule the press conference for 12:00 Noon or thereabouts -- a time, I am told, most preferable to the press in Detroit. I would appreciate hearing from you immediately so I can notify Mr. Levitan accordingly.

The return flights on TAG Airlines from downtown Detroit to downtown Cleveland are equally convenient.

I want to take this opportunity of extending to you my congratulations on the occasion of the dedication of the Temple Annex and best wishes for many years of enjoyment and use.

With warmest personal regards, I remain

MH/so

Max Heavarg, National Director Community Leadership Division

October 17, 1958 Mr. Louis Levitan 2200 David Stott Bldg. Detroit, Michigan My dear Mr. Levitan: I will be arriving in Detroit on the TAG Airlines at 10:45 A.M., Tuesday, October 28th. Mr. Helvarg of New York wrote me that you would like to have the information. Cordially yours, ABBA HILLEL SILVER AHS :bfm

TAG Airlines - Cleveland Lakefront Airport

Reservations:

To Detroit - Tuesday, October 28 - Return Wednesday, October 29

Lv. Cleveland Tues. 10:00 AM Flight #204 Lw. Detroit Wed. 10:00 AM Flight #205

Fare \$27.50 tickets may be picked up before flight time (includes tax)

Confirmed





DR. ABBA HILLEL SILVER

Voice of Prophecy

The inescapable logic of events will in due time make Palestine a Jewish State. The rebirth of Israel as a nation in its historic home is as sure to come to pass as God's word never returns empty until it has accomplished that for which it was sent.

From the infested, typhus-ridden Ghettos of Warsaw, from the death-block of Nazi-occupied lands where myriads of our people are awaiting execution by the slow or the quick method, from a hundred concentration camps which befoul the map of Europe, from the pitiful ranks of our wandering hosts over the entire face of the earth, comes the cry: "Enough; there must be a final end to all this, a sure and certain end."

The world was silent at the ruin and outrage of a whole people which beggars all human speech, which is beyond words, beyond tears, beyond all utterable woe. Here and there one heard a feeble protest. Here and there a gesture of sympathy! But no uproar of outraged humanity, no furious outburst at the assassination of a people! . . . Nowhere was there evident a great moral exertion, nowhere an heroic enterprise of the challenged spirit of man . . . and so myriads of our precious sons and daughters perished who might otherwise be alive today.

The representatives of the Jewish people of Palestine should sit in your midst — the representatives of the people and of the land which gave to mankind spiritual and ethical values, inspiring human personalities, and sacred texts which are your treasured possessions. We hope that that people, now again rebuilding its national life in its



ancient homeland, will be welcomed before long by you to this noble fellowship of the United Nations.

May, 1947 — before the UN General Assembly.

Men who can die as bravely as the ghetto Jews of Warsaw and who can build as magnificently as the pioneer Jews of Eretz Yisrael belong to a deathless race. We are of that race, and something of their passion and power and faith and tenacity is with us and we shall share their immortality.

May, 1944.

. . . The Jews of America, proud and loyal citizens of this great country, will materially help Israel to absorb as many Jews as will wish to go there or may have to go there. They will help to build up its cultural, scientific and spiritual institutions, as well as its economic life so that it may become a land of which Jews everywhere can be proud. For the eyes of the world will be on the land of Israel to see what Jews, as a people, can accomplish on their own.

Dr. Silver, our standard bearer in securing international sanction for Jewish Statehood, will deliver an address of major significance on Israel's world mission in the future.

Israel's Second Decade Inaugural Dinner Sunday evening, November 23, 1958 six-thirty p. m.

Temple Beth El

R.S.V.P.

\$5.00 per Plate

Dietary Laws Observed

The Springfield Israel Bond Committee



Dinner Committee

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Mrs. Milton Zundell



Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver, an inspired orator, has been the impassioned spokesman of American Jewry for more than a quarter century. One of the first to recognize the tragic implications of Hitlerism, he raised his voice in the fight for Jewish survival and was foremost in mobilizing sentiment in the United Nations for the establishment of Israel.

As chairman of the Zionist Emergency Council, as president of the Zionist Organization of America, and as chairman of the United Jewish Appeal, he served American Jews, European Jewish survivors and the State of Israel.

Today, when its economic development is Israel's greatest problem, he serves as chairman of the Board of Governors of the Israel Bond organization which is supplying the financial sinews for the continuing absorption of today's distressed refugees from Egypt and Iron Curtain countries and is helping in the development of Israel as a self-sustaining, prosperous, and free democracy.

One of the country's great spiritual leaders and a distinguished scholar, he has served as president of the Central Conference of American Rabbis and is the author of many important works including the recent challenging book, "Where Judaism Differed."

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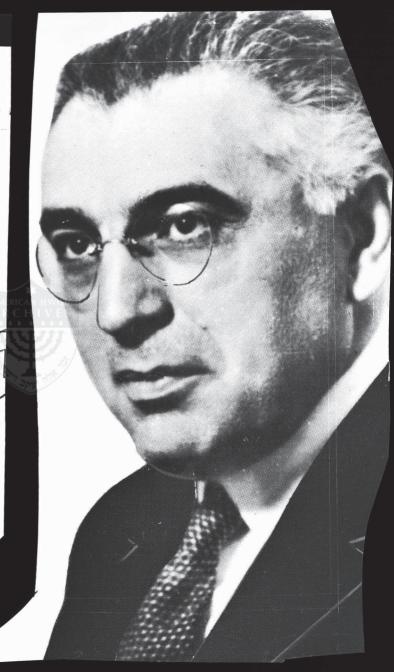
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