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Rabbi Silver To Address J. C. Bond Dinner, June 9

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to world Jewry will go down in history and will be known and remembered for many generations to come. As chairman of the then - organized American Zionist Emergency Council, Rabbi Silver headed the efforts at the United Nations which played such a vital part in the establishment of the State of Israel. All of us in Jersey City are overjoyed by his decision to visit us for our opening dinner."

Rabbi Silver To Address Opening Israel Bond Drive Dinner, June 9



RABBI ABBA H. SILVER

The world-renowned American Zionist leader, Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver, has accepted an invitation

to be guest of honor at the opening dinner of the 1960 Jersey City Committee for Israel Bonds, it was announced by Sol Berger, general chairman.

The event will be held Thursday evening, June 9, in observance of Israel's twelfth anniversary of statehood. Formal invitations will be issued this week.

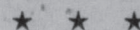
Mr. Berger stated: "We are fortunate indeed to have been able to secure this acceptance from one of Jewry's outstanding personalities, a man who played a leading role in the establishment and upbuilding of Israel."

The general chairman continued: "Rabbi Silver's contribution

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RABBI SILVER



Rabbi Silver To Speak in Jersey City

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The dinner will be held at the Hotel Plaza on June 9 in observance of Israel's 12th anniversary of statehood, Sol Berger, general chairman, announced.

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DR. SILVER is now chairman of the board of governors of the Israel Bond organizations, heading the planning body for the bond drive in communities in this country, Canada, Latin America and Western Europe.

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Morris Stein Is Chairman Of 1960 Israel Bond Fete

Morris Stein, one of Jersey City's outstanding business and communal leaders, realtor and a vice-president of J.I. Kislak, Inc., will serve as chairman of the 1960 Israel Bond opening dinner which will welcome and honor Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver here on Thursday evening, June 9th.

The announcement of Mr. Stein's acceptance was made by Sol Berger, general chairman of the 1960 Jersey City Committee for Israel Bonds, who expressed confidence that "under Mr. Stein's leadership, a truly memorable affair will be achieved, both in tribute to Rabbi Silver and in support of Israel's industrial development."

Mr. Stein, who recently returned from an intensive tour of Israel, served as a co-chairman with Abraham Miller of the 1959 opening dinner which welcomed Haifa's Mayor Abbe Hushi, and is a key leader in UJA, as well as in Temple Beth-El.

The dinner is scheduled for the Hotel Plaza. Because of the limited seating capacity, dinner guests are urged to make reservations immediately.

Other key officers of the dinner committee include: A. D. Hirsch and Louis Ross, honorary chairmen; Mrs. Esther H. Markowitz, women's division chairman; Louis Struhl, Fall dinner chairman; Nathan Feldman, Isidore Gunsberg and Benj. Landau, High Holiday co-chairmen; Sol Schustrin, cash collection chairman; Aaron Nutkis, Max Pillersdorf, Jos. Podhurst and Jos. Schupper, cash collections co-chairmen; Alan Kraut, David Nutkis and Dr. Harry A. Silberman, organizations; Henry S. Marmorstein, business sections chairman; Herman K. Cantor, Joseph Novick, business sections co-chairmen; Abraham Miller, legal division chairman; Raymond Chasan, Bernard German and Chas. James, legal division co-chairmen; Isadore Kabakow and Morton M. Levine, real estate co-chairmen; David Birk, industry chairman; Irving H.



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Kriegel, personal solicitation chairman; Herman Donchin, Chas. Kanter, Louis Migdoll, Louis Schneiweis and Harry Solomon, personal solicitation co-chairmen; Rabbis S. A. Berman, A. L. Gottesman, A. Heisler, C. J. Levene, D. L. Levine, B. Foltkin, Z. H. Shurin, I. Siegel, A. G. Sungolowsky, H. Wininger, and Z. Zdanowitz, Rabbinical Council.





TOP LEADERS OF J.C. Israel Bond Drive, gathered at first executive meeting, plan community-wide Israel Bond Dinner June 9 which will welcome the distinguished Rabbi Aba Hille Silver, guest speaker. Seated from left: Mrs. Esther Markowitz, Women's Division chairman; Louis Ross, Hon. chair.; Sol Berger, Gen. chair.; Morris Stein, Opening Dinner chair; Isidore Gunsberg, High Holiday Co-chair. Standing, from left: are other chairmen and co-chairmen: Sol Schurtrin, cash collects; Aaron Nutkis, Cash Collection co-chair.; Morton M. Janoff, Real Estate; Louis Migdoll, Personal solicitation co-chair.; David Nutkis, Organizations; Theodore S. Chazin, Legal Division; A.D. Hirsch, honorary chairman; Judge Louis

Kagan, Executive Committee member; Raymond Chasan, Legal Division co-chair.; Irving H. Kriegel, Personal solicitation; Abraham Miller, Legal co-chair.; Sidney Goldfarb, Executive Committee member; Harry Solomon, Personal solicitation, co-chair.; Morris J. Janoff, Executive Committee member; Benjamin Landau, High Holiday co-chair.

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THE JEWISH STANDARD, FRIDAY, MAY 20, 1960

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Jersey City To Mark Israel's 12th Anniversary, June 9

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Israel Bond leaders declared:

"With the observance of her 12th anniversary, Israel has to a remarkable degree succeeded in bridging the gap between centuries of neglect and the rapid pace of development that is changing recognize in Israel the answer to their own critical need for a blueprint of development that will put a solid foundation of economic stability under their newly - won political independence.

"If Israel can be viewed as a bridge of various levels—spiritual, cultural and developmental—we must be aware that its substance, structure and strength derive in great measure from two vital sources. These are the toil and self-sacrifice of the people of Israel and the continued cooperation and practical faith of the million investors in State of Israel Bonds.

They added: "Israel's bridge to the future could not have been built without more than \$425-million in Israel Bond proceeds which have provided the girders and supports of the structure. By the end of 1960, which is the tenth year of the Israel Bond drive, it is hoped that the \$500-million mark in Israel Bonds sales will be reached. We can make sure of this by cooperating in the attainment of the goal of \$75,873,550 for the current year."

Jersey City To Mark Israel's 12th Anniversary At Bond Fete, June 9

The distinguished leader of American world Jewry, Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver, will participate in the Jersey City observance of Israel's 12th anniversary at the community-wide Israel Bond Dinner on Thursday evening, June 9th, at The Hotel Plaza, Journal Square.

Rabbi Silver was a key leader 12 years ago at the United Nations deliberations which led to the establishment of the State of Israel, and is recognized as one of the architects of the State.

The event was announced jointly by Sol Berger, general chairman of the Jersey City Committee for Israel Bonds, and Morris Stein, realtor, and a vice-president of J. I. Kislak, Inc., who is



SOL BERGER

serving as dinner chairman.

Reservations are being accepted at Israel Bond Hdqrs., 20 Journal Square, OL 3-0227.

In their statement, the two
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Record Turnout to Honor Rabbi Silver Here June 9

A record-breaking attendance and Israel Bond achievement is expected by dinner chairman Morris Stein for the 1960 Israel Bond Opening Dinner which will welcome and honor the world-renowned Zionist leader, Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver, on Thursday evening, June 9th, at the Hotel Plaza.

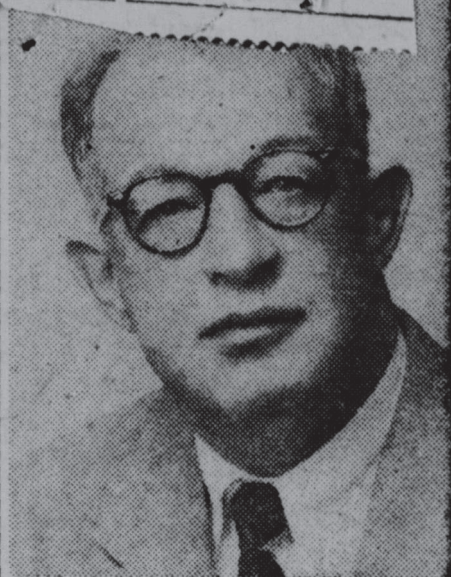
Only a limited number of reservations for this historic dinner remain, Mr. Stein reported. He urged all prospective dinner guests to make reservations immediately by calling Israel Bonds at OL 3-0227, to assure their admission.

IN ADDITION to opening the community's annual Israel Bond campaign, the dinner will also observe Israel's 12th Anniversary of Statehood. Rabbi Silver, who was active at the United Nations in appealing for statehood for Israel in 1947, is one of the architects of the Jewish State.

"As the Israel Bond effort enters its 10th year, it is evident that the more than \$435 million derived from Israel Bond sales since 1951 have brought far reaching improvements in Israel's economic position," said Mr. Stein, realtor and a vice-president of J.I. Kislak, Inc.

"Not so long ago the use of the term investment in relation to Israel was greeted by skepticism and disbelief. Today, thanks in large measure to the solid foundations established by Israel Bonds, we are witnessing a remarkable upsurge in public and

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private investment. The country's steady progress on the road to economic independence has generated a new spirit of confidence in its economic future and this is reflected in the constant rise in Israel Bond activity and results in Europe and elsewhere," he said.



WELCOME ISRAEL MILITARY LEADER — One of Israel's foremost naval and military heroes, Captain Zvi Kenaan (second from right) was honored at an Israel Bond reception given by Mr. and Mrs. A.D. Hirsch at their home in preparation for the community-wide 1960 opening dinner which will welcome Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver. Shown at the reception (l. to r.) Standing - A.D. Hirsch, host and honorary chairman of the Israel Bond Drive. Seated (l. to r.) are: Rabbi Samuel A. Berman, spiritual leader of Temple Beth-El; Sol Berger, general chairman; Louis Ross, honorary chairman; Capt. Kenaan, and Morris Stein, dinner chairman.

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AID BOND DRIVE DINNER — Key leaders of Jersey City's Israel Bond drive are shown before the 1960 opening dinner at the reception which they gave to the world-renowned Zionist leader, Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver. (L. to R.) are: Sol Berger, general chairman; J.I. Kislak, member of the executive committee Mrs. Esther Markowitz, women's div. chairman; Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver, guest of honor; Morris Stein, opening dinner chairman; David Nutkis, organizations; Louis Ross, hon. chairman and A.D. Hirsch, hon. chairman.

REACH \$175,000 MARK:

Rabbi Silver's Appeal Helps Achieve Record Bond Response At J. C. Fete

Responding to an impassioned plea by Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver, noted Zionist leader, members of Jersey City's Jewish community brought 1960 Israel Bond sales to the \$175,000 figure at the drive's opening dinner held Thursday evening, June 9th.

The response was one of the biggest from the community for an inaugural dinner in many years, it was announced jointly by Sol Berger, general chairman, who served as chairman of the dinner committee.

In addition to Mr. Berger and Mr. Stein, key participants in the program included: Lou Ross, hon. chairman, who conducted the bond appeal; J. I. Kislak, who introduced Rabbi Silver; A.D. Hirsch, hon. chairman, who led a candle-lighting ceremony in honor of Israel's 12th anniversary, and Rabbi Samuel Berman, who delivered the invocation.

In his remarks, Dr. Silver stressed the many peaceful achievements of Israel since her establishment as a state in 1948. He pointed to the "atomic reactor for peaceful purposes" now being built in Israel, the desalting plants which "will benefit the entire world", and the technical assistance being given by Israel to Burma and other undeveloped countries in Asia and Africa.

Rabbi Silver also declared that he was "hopeful of the settlement of the problems of the Middle East". He said, "If Israel continues to be strong, both economically and militarily, other Middle Eastern countries will recognize that she is here to stay."

He continued, "In assisting Israel, we are building a temple of the future. We are making real the dream and hope of our people."

Rabbi Silver closed by commenting on the historic justice which saw Adolf Eichmann, who was to achieve the "final solution" for Hitler of exterminating the Jewish people, captured by Jews and in the hands of Israel.



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26 Journal Square - Room 1003

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Israel 12th Anniversary

I will be happy to join in the celebration of Israel's 12th Anniversary at the Dinner, Thursday evening, June 9th, at the Hotel Plaza.

Enclosed please find check for \$..... for
..... reservations.

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Please make check payable to: Israel Dinner Committee



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MEMORANDUM

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To Max Helvarg

From Morris H. Miller

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Enclosed you will find some material relating to Dr. Silver's
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Regards.

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