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77. GREAT RUSSELL STREET,
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10th September 1931.

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver, The Temple, CLEVELAND.

Sir,

On behalf of the Executive of the Zionist
Organisation I have the honour to inform you that
you have been elected by the 17th Zionist Congress
held in Basle

a Member of the Council of the Jewish Agency.

Jewish Agency.

With Zion's greetings,

I am, Sir,

Yours faithfully,

Secretary, Organisation Dept. of the Executive

NIGHT LETTER

SEPTEMBER 10th 1931

LOUIS I BING, JR.
JEWISH WELFARE FUND OF CLEVELAND
610 FEDERAL RESERVE BANK BLDG.
CLEVELAND OHIO

HAVE RECEIVED MOST ALARMING CABLE REPORTING
DESPERATE FINANCIAL CONDITION AND SUFFERING PALESTINE
POPULATION AND APPEALING FOR IMMEDIATE ASSISTANCE
STOP DISINTEGRATION OF JEWISH POSITION IN PALESTINE
WOULD NOT ONLY BRING GRAVE CONSEQUENCES TO PALESTINE
COMMUNITY BUT WOULD BE SERIOUS BLOW TO JEWISH PRESTIGE
THROUGHOUT WORLD STOP EARNESTLY APPEAL TO YOU REMIT
TO US AT ONCE ANY CAMPAIGN COLLECTIONS ON HAND TO WHICH
JEWISH AGENCY MAXMEXXEX MAY BE ENTITLED AND IF POSSIBLE
MAKE EFFORT TO ACCELERATE PAYMENT OUTSTANDING PLEDGES
SO WE CAN AT ONCE CABLE ASSISTANCE IN SERIOUS CRISIS

MORRIS ROTHENBERG
NATIONAL CHAIRMAN AMERICAN PALESTINE CAMPAIGN
111 FIFTH AVENUE
NEW YORK CITY

הסוכנות היהודית בשביל ארץ ישראל THE JEWISH AGENCY FOR PALESTINE.

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In reply please address the Secretary:

and quote the following Reference No.:

77. GREAT RUSSELL STREET.

LONDON, W.C.1.

11th September, 1931.

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver,
The Temple,
CLEVELAND.

Sir,

On behalf of the Executive I have the honour to inform you that you have been elected by the Second Meeting of the Council of the Jewish Agency held in Basle

a Deputy-Member of the Administrative Committee of the Jewish Agency.

I am, Sir,

Lours faithfully,

Secretary. Organisation Department.

ההסתדרות הציונית . המשרד המרכזי. THE ZIONIST ORGANISATION. CENTRAL OFFICE. TELEGRAMS: "ZIONIBURO, LONDON." TELEPHONE: MUSEUM 3817 (4 LINES) CODES: BENTLEY'S & MOSSE'S. 77, GREAT RUSSELL STREET, In reply please address The Secretary. LONDON, W.C.1. and quote the following Reference No .: 5.J.A.3 11.September 1931. Dear Sir, 1. I shall be obliged if you will kindly let me know in which edition (English, Hebrew or German) you wish to receive the reports and communications of the Executive. 2. I shall also be glad if you will kindly let me have your correct address. With Zion's greetings, Yours faithfully, CENTRAL OFFICE OF THE ZIONIST hobauterbally

JEWISH WELFARE FUND OF CLEVELAND

Cleveland, Ohio

COPY

September 11th, 1931

Mr. Morris Rothenberg, National Chairman American Palestine Committee 111 Fifth Ave New York City

Dear Mr. Rothenberg:

We regret exceedingly to advise you that responses on the pledges made to the local Jewish Welfare Fund have been inadequate to meet the periodic remittances to the Agencies included; however, as soon as sufficient funds are in hand to enable us to make a further transmittal of funds to the Palestine Campaign Committee, we shall be only too happy to do so.

Very truly yours,

(Sgd) Louis S. Bing, Jr.

Treasurer,
JEWISH WELFARE FUND OF CLEVELAND

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OCTOBER 22 1931

LONDON ZIONISTS NEUMANN NEWYORK

JEVAGENCY WIRES QUOTE AFTER CERTAIN ARRANGEMENTS HERE FINANCIAL
SITUATION AS FOLLOWS ONE 29TH OCTOBER 31ST OCTOBER 3500 1ST NOVEMBER
10TH NOVEMBER 4000 11TH NOVEMBER 20TH NOVEMBER 3700 21ST NOVEMBER
30TH NOVEMBER 3600 TWO SALARIES ARREARS COMPENSATION DISCHARGED
TEACHERS OFFICIALS APPROXIMATELY 3000 DUE MIDDDE OF NOVEMBER THREE
SMALL EXPENSES 1500 FOUR SALARIES UNDISCHARGED TEACHERS OFFICIALS
AND SUBVENTION INSTITUTIONS 12500 STOP BEGINNING OF EXPENSAXX
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AMERICA SECURE BILLS SMALL EXPENSES TOTALLING 16500 END OF NOVEMBER
WHILE OTHER PAYMENTS FAILING SOUTH AFRICA TO BE SECURED BY LOANS
REPAYABLE 10 MONTHLY INSTALMENTS BEGINNING OF MARCH STOP WITHOUT SUCH
DEFINITE ARRANGEMENTS IMPOSSIBLE EXECUTE DISCHARGE AND XMAINTAIN
POSITION TEACHERS OFFICIALS BEING 5 MONTHS WITHOUT SALARIES FUNDS
ENTIRELY EXHAUSTED 29TH OCTOBER UNQUOTE INFORM ROTHENBERG

ZIONIBURO

LONDON OCTOBER 26 1931

ROTHENBERG ZIONISTS NEWYORK

REFERRING OURS TWENTYFIRST NEUMANN URGE YOU MAKE ALL EFFORTS

REMIT MINIMUM & 3000 BEFORE OCTOBER TWENTYNINTH AND & 13500

DURING NOVEMBER CABLE

ZIONIBURO

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ZIONIBURO

OCTOBER 28 1931

LONDON ZIONISTS NEUMANN NEWYORK

JEVAGENCY CABLES QUOTE RELUCTANTLY CONSIDERING PAYMENTS JUNE SALARY
BY BILLS UNAVOIDABLE PAY SALARY ARREARS HALF COMPENSATION DISCHARGED
OFFICIALS TOTALLING 7900 CASH WHICH MUST BE REMITTED BY THIRTEENTH
NOVEMBER OTHERWISE WILL NOT LEAVE STOP ON TWENTYNINTH OCTOBER SHALL
BE FORCED STOP PAYMENT BILLS THUS AUTOMATICALLY CANCELLING WHOLE
BUDGET BASED MAINTENANCE OUR CREDIT UNQUOTE PROSPECTS STOPPING PAYMENT
BILLS OBVIOUSLY VERY DANGEROUS FROM ECONOMIC POLITICAL VIEW URGING YOU
ROTHENBERG ALL FRIENDS DO UTMOST REMIT IMMEDIATELY MINIMUM \$3500 AND
MOBILIZE FUNDS ACCORDING OURS TWENTYFIRST STOP OUR CABLE RE HADASSAH
READ FIFTH WORD RANGE RATNOFF FUNDS INSTEAD AVAILABLE

Honorary Chairmen t FELIX M. WARBURG CYRUS ADLE: HERBERT H. LEHMAN STEPHEN S. WISE JULIAN W. MACK

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Honorary Secretary

AMERICAN PALESTINE CAMPAIGN OF THE JEWISH AGENCY FOR PALESTINE

111 FIFTH AVENUE NEW YORK National Chairmen

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SOLOMON LOWENSTEIN
Treasurer

October 29, 1931.

OFFICE OF NATIONAL CHAIRMAN

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver The Temple Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi Silver:

Thank you very much for your letter of October 23rd.

As to the luncheon in Iowa City on November 3rd, I wired our field representative, Mr. Fisher, as to your willingness to address a luncheon meeting only in the event that there was a definite objective, and Mr. Fisher is giving careful attention to the plans. You will be advised further with regard to this city.

I fully appreciate what you say in reference to my request that you agree to be the guest of honor at a function in Albany. I know how taxed you are, but my dear Dr. Silver, what are we to do here? The cables come in from Jerusalem and London at the rate of almost two a day, telling us that they are at the point of exhaustion and cannot hold out any longer unless additional funds are sent. I attach hereto several of the cables which have come in within the last few days, which will indicate to you how serious the situation I am straining every nerve, giving practically all of my time and thought to the Campaign and have managed thus far to stave off disaster by remitting funds to meet the cry that comes from Jerusalem even though the amounts be much reduced as compared with previous years. We understand here that if the Agency in Jerusalem can manage to pay the bills that are due until the first of the year, they will probably succeed in pulling through, as the obligations after the first are not quite as pressing.

The only manner in which this can be done is to keep campaigns' going so that money continuously flows in here. There are some communities in which no campaign is possible unless we hold out to them the attraction of a visit by a person of your eminence, and Albany is one of such cities. The leaders in that community insist upon your coming and they feel that only you can stimulate the community to go forward with the campaign. A great deal of effort has been exerted in bringing about a campaign, to which there was much resistance, and unless you agree to come, the Albany campaign will collapse. I dislike very much using this pressure upon you, but I have no alternative. Albany asks for a date in the latter part of November. I do hope you will say yes.

Sincerely yours,

MR/W P.S. I Lare nead " why do the Heathern Rage no 2" of

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The American Palestine Campaign

OF THE

JEWISH AGENCY FOR PALESTINE
1324 CHEMICAL BLDG.,
SAINT LOUIS, MO.

November 5, 1931.

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> MENDEL N. FISHER EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

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

Dear Rabbi Silver:

It was cruel on our part to ask you to address the meeting after your lecture in Iowa City, but you were gracious enough to accept which made it possible for us to raise the entire quota for Iowa City to the American Palestine Campaign.

Please accept our sincere appreciation for your ever readiness to assist us at all times. I was personally very gratified as it will not necessitate my returning to this small community to "schnorr" for funds.

I am enclosing herewith an excerpt of the address you delivered, which appeared in the University Paper.

I am watching very closely your itinerary and I will surely utilize your visits in this part of the country to the fullest advantage for the cause that is so dear to you. You are expected in Des Moines in March, and I have made tentative arrangements for a luncheon that will be utilized for a particular purpose. Please don't accept any engagements in Des Moines for the afternoon.

With many thanks and cordial greetings,

Sincerely yours,

Mendel N. Fisher, per oh

Executive Director.

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Dictated but not read by Mr. Fisher.

other, provided we do not have to pay too high a price for such joinder

Compaign, having functioned most efficiently and having in its structure representatives of all groups, Zionist and non-Zionist, should be continued as a permanent organization with such changes in its personnel

4 - The members of the committees agree that the American Falestine

5 - With reference to the request that the Z.O.A. be included in the Budget and quotes of the American Palestine Compaign for 1832, a number

a - That the Zionist Organization, as such, be officially made a party to the agreement and be assigned a quota and a budget

b - That individual subscribers or contributors to the American Palestine Campaign should be given the freedom to designate up

c - That in lieu of any such official relationship between the Z.O.A. and the Agency and the subscribers to the Agency, the Ad-

to 36. of their respective contributions for the 2.0.A.

as the experience of the last year may dictate.

of formulae have been presented:

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ministrative Committee of the Campaign be empowered, in its discretion, to make payments for such publicity and campaign aid actually and legitimately rendered which, in the epinion of the Administrative Committee of the Campaign, specifically and definitely advance the fund-raising possibilities of the Campaign.

It was on the latter theory that some small payments this year were made to the New Palestine for actual publicity in connection with the New York City drive of the American Palestine Campaign.

II - Establishment of Agency Section.

- 1 The committee which has studied this problem is convinced that a meeting for the purpose of establishing an Agency Section should be called as soon as possible.
- 2 As to the structure of such Section, they believe that there should be the fellowing membership:
 - a All of the duly elected members and deputy members of the Council and of the Administrative Committee residing in the United States.
 - b From the number of these members and deputy members, there should be selected, either by a manifesting committee duly authorized therete, or at the open meeting to be called shortly, the following officers and committees:
 - o The Executive Committee of the American Section. Theoretically, this Executive Committee could have on it either all of the members of the Administrative Committee in the United States or without regard to such formal membership, a more comment committee which would represent all groups of Zionists and non-Zionists in this country. The Zionists would have to take into account whether or not in this committee it is necessary to have formal representation of the Mizrachists, of the Labor Group, of the Hadassah and of any other parties within the Zionist movement.

If it be desired to make the Executive Committee of the Section in this country correspond literally with the members of the Administrative Committee in this country, the composition of the Executive Committee and of the Administrative Committee - being identical - would be the following:

Non-Zionisto: Dr. Cyrus Adler, Mr. James H. Becker, Dr. Selemen Lowenstein, Mr. Alexander Kohn, Judge Irving Lehman, Judge Horace Stern and Mr. Henry Winesen.

On the Zionist side, the membership would be:

For the Zionist Organizations Mr. Rebert Szeld, Mr. Morris Rothenberg and Dr. Stephen S. Wise.

For the Hisrachis Mr. Gedalish Bublick, Mr. H. Carp and Rabbi Auron Teitelbaum.

הסוכנות היהודית בשביל ארץ ישראל THE JEWISH AGENCY FOR PALESTINE. TELEPHONE: MUSEUM 3817 (4 LINES). 77. GREAT RUSSELL STREET. TELEGRAMS: "ZIONIBURO, LONDON." CODES: BENTLEY'S AND MOSSE'S. LONDON, W.C.1. In reply please address the Secretary: 19th November, 1931. and quote the following Reference No.: Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver, Zionist Organisation of America, 111, Fifth Avenue, NEW YORK CITY, N.Y. Dear Rabbi Silver, It is with great pleasure that I write, on behalf of my colleagues of the Jewish Agency Executive, as well as on my own behalf, to congratulate you on your recent election as Vice-Chairman of the Administrative Committee of the Zionist Organisation of America. The very gratifying results of the Convention and the establishment of a united front in American Zionism, have been received here with the deepest satisfaction, and are regarded as a happy augury for the future progress of the movement in the United States. With renewed congratulations and best wishes. I am Yours sincerely, Misself

ההסתדרות חציונית של ארצות הברית

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HARRY P. FIERST

111 FIFTH AVENUE NEWYORK

November 23, 1931.

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi Silver:

Board of Officers, in this office, on Wednesday, November 25, at 4 P.M., which will deal with the proposed organization of the American section of the Jewish Agency, I enclose copy of Memorandum prepared by Mr. Hyman.

Cordially yours,

Robert Szoid,

Chairman, Administration.

Enci.

Jan. 4th. 1932 Mr. Morris Rothenberg. American Palestine Campaign. New York, N. Y. My dear Rothenberg:-Thank you for your kind letter of Dec. 31st and please pardon the long delay in answering your previous communications. I have been away from the city a good deal of the time and my correspondence has accordingly lagged. I am sorry that I will not be able to attend the meeting of the American Palestine Campaign Conference on the 17th. It is on a Sunday and that makes it impossible. The Sunday previous I shall be out of my pulpit, being scheduled in Boston for three or four lectures including the Annual Donors Luncheon of the Hadassah. I can not be away from my pulpit on two successive Sundays. I am happy to know that the American Palestine Campaign is to continue as a permanent fund and that the Jewish National Fund will be included in it and that the Z.O.A. will receive the reimbursement for its outage in connection with the campaign. This ought to help the finances of the Z.O.A. substantially. I note that you have tendered your resignation as Chairman of the Campaign. How can you do it? There is no other one to take your place. I wish I were free from my many pressing congregational duties to do more for the Campaign than I have been able to do but the duties imposed upon me by my large congregation make it quite impossible. Perhaps at

some future time conditions will be different.

With kindest regards and best wishes, I remain As ever yours,

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JEWISH AGENCY FOR PALESTINE

PALESTINE FOUNDATION FUND (KEREN HAYESOD)
AND HADASSAH

NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS:
111 FIFTH AVENUE, NEW YORK CITY

TELEPHONE ALGONQUIN 4-3600

January 6, 1932.

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver, Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi Silver:

I note that you have not yet sent in your acceptance of the invitation to the National Conference on Palestine that is to be held in New York City on Sunday, January 17th. Knowing the important part you have played in stimulating American Jewish interest in the rebuilding of Palestine, I am most eager that the conference have the benefit of your counsel and cooperation in the many pressing problems that will be decided upon.

Serving as an officer of the campaign to raise funds for Palestine, you are in a position to appreciate the situation in Palestine as well as in this country. The National Conference will be better able to make authoritative and effective decisions, if you are present to help mold the discussion.

The year to come will be critical in the history of Jewish reconstruction work in Palestine. If we Jews in America demonstrate that our support will not be diminished, the Palestine community will derive additional strength to bridge the transition period. It is one of the major purposes of the national conference to provide that token of faith and confidence. We here cannot do less than match the spirit of courage and patience that has been displayed by the Jews in Palestine during the past year.

Nahum Sokolow, President of the Jewish Agency for Palestine and of the World Zionist Organization, who recently arrived in this country, will be a guest of honor at the conference. His report on the various phases of the Palestine situation will be invaluable. Your presence at the conference will be a mark of courtesy to our distinguished visitor that he will greatly appreciate.

It is my earnest hope that you will accept the invitation that has gone forward to you.

Sincerely yours,

Morris Rothenberg

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PLEASE SEND STATEMENT TO BE READ AT CONFERENCE REGARDS=
MORRIS ROTHENBERG.

The Officers of the American Palestine Campaign earnestly invite you to a

National Conference

on

Sunday, January 17, 1932, beginning 2 P.M.

at

Hotel Astor

Broadway and Forty-fourth Street, New York City

to consider the 1932 Palestine effort

The Jewish Agency for Palestine

in co-operation with

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THE ACHIEVEMENTS OF THE UNITED PALESTINE CAMPAIGN LAST YEAR
UNDER THE LEADERSHIP OF MORRIS ROTHENBERG WERE VERY
CREDITABLE TAKING INTO CONSIDERATION GENERAL ECONOMIC
CONDITIONS STOP THE CAMPAIGN WILL REQUIRE STILL GREATER
EFFORTS THIS YEAR ON THE PART OF ALL WHO REALIZE THE
CRITICAL CONDITIONS IN PALESTINE AND THE SUPREME IMPORTANCE
OF OUR CAUSE STOP I PLEDGE TO THE MEN WHO WILL BE ENTRUSTED
WITH THE LEADERSHIP OF THE CAMPAIGN MY WHOLEHEARTED SUPPORT

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Gentlemen:

I shall attend the meeting of the American Members and Deputy Members of the Council of the Jewish Agency for Palestine, at the Hotel Astor, on Saturday evening, January 16th, 1932, at 8:30 P.M.

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at Eight-thirty o'clock

To receive reports both on the second meeting of the Council held in Basle, Switzerland, July 1931, and on the present status of the affairs of the Jewish Agency in Palestine and America, and to consider proposals for the organization of an American Section of the Jewish Agency.

Nahum Sokolow, President of the Jewish Agency and President of the World Zionist Organization, will honor us with his presence.

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January 21st, 1932.

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver The Temple Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi Silver:

I have the pleasure to inform you that at the National Conference of the American Palestine Campaign held in New York City on January 17th, you were elected as a National Chairman of the fund-raising effort for 1932 on behalf of the Jewish Agency for Palestine, which comprises the Keren Hayesod, the Hadassah and the Jewish National Fund. Such election constitutes you also a member of the Administrative Committee and the Board of Directors.

Knowing the interest you have taken in the Jewish effort to rebuild Palestine, I am confident that we may look forward to your cooperation in helping to make the forthcoming campaign the success that the present situation in Palestine demands.

In order that the technical matters in connection with the organization of the campaign, such as press announcements, may be facilitated, I should appreciate receiving your acceptance of this election by return mail.

Sincerely yours,

For the National Chairmen

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January 22nd, 1932

TO THE MEMBERS OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE COMMITTEE

The first meeting of the Administrative Committee of the American Palestine Campaign will be held on Wednesday afternoon, January 27th, at 4 o'clock, in the Board of Trustees Room of the Federation Building, 71 West 47th Street, New York City.

You are urgently requested to be present as a number of important items are to be considered.

Sincerely yours,

Henry Montor

For the National Chairmen

Jan. 25th, 1932 Mr. Henry Montor, American Palestine Campaign, New York, N. Y. My dear Mr. Montor:-Permit me to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of Jan. 21st. I note that the Mational Conference ot the American Palestine Campaign has elected me as one of the National Associate Chairmen for the Campaign which appointment I accept with pleasure. With kindest regards, I am Very sincerely yours, AHS/IR

GEORGE J. KLEIN

Jan. 27th, 1932.

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver, The Temple, Ansel Rd. & E. 105th St., Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi:-

I had a conversation with Mr. Goldhammer with reference to advancing a sizeable check to Mr. Sokolow in case he comes to Cleveland, and he refuses to commit himself whatsoever.

First of all he contends that they would be establishing a very bad precedent, especially in view of the fact as he says, "that the J.D.C. representatives were in to see him about a similar preference". I tried to press
Mr. Goldhammer for definite information as to the J.D.C. representatives and he rather evaded my questions.

He did say, however, that within the next four or five weeks enough money might come in to give us a sizeable check to hand to Mr. Sokolow.

I understood that you had given thought to a luncheon of the Federation ledders with Mr. Sokolow and have taken the liberty to include that in my letters to New York.

This looks like a very fine thought and should be very healpful to us in Cleveland and should be an added incentive for Mr. Sokolow coming to Cleveland.

The National Fund feel that they will be able to raise approximately \$1500.00 within the next three or four weeks and I feel quite certain that we will be able to get enough money from the Wedfare Fund to make at least a \$5000.00 check that we could give Mr. Sokolow.

GEORGE J. KLEIN

Jan. 27th, 1932.

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Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver,

In view of the immense amount of time wasted in our endeavor to get him here, it now looks like it would be better to bring him here around the 10th of March.

It would help considerable if you would write New York urging his visit.

Even though I tried to make it quite clear that all Zionist forces were united in this effort, I have apparently not succeeded. I would appreciate your help.

With kindest personal regards, I am,

Sincerely yours

Geo. J. Klein

Dic. GJK:DM

Jan. 27th, 1932.

Mr. Morris Rothenberg, American Palestine Campaign, 111 Fifth Ave., New York, N. Y.

My dear Mr. Bothenberg:-

I have written several letters and wired in my endeavor to arrange for a visit of Mr. Sokolow to Cleveland to address a large meeting of all Mionist forces in this community.

On the 19th instant Mr. Magida wrote me that my request was referred to your committee for action.

On the 22nd instant I received a reply from alex stating that ar. Sokolow cannot come to Cleveland.

Now, it surely is urgent that ar. Sokolow come here. We are making a stremmous effort to collect some of the unpuid pledges from our 1931 campaign so that we will be able to give ar. Sokolow a check of \$5000.00 or \$6000.00 when he comes to Cleveland. We are also making a stremmous effort to collect in membership dues and building up our district membership.

Rabbi Silver is also planning on arranging a luncheon for Mr. Sokolow with leaders of the Jewish Welfare Federation. No doubt you are aware of the fact that the Welfare Federation are supervising the fund raising in Cloveland for Keren Hayesod and surely need some inspiration.

We feel that Mr. Sokolow's visit with them and talk to them will be highly beneficial and it would be a pity if Mr. Sokolow would leave the country without rendering this service to the Sionist cause in Cleveland.

I sm quite sure that Mr. Sokolow is going to be in the vicinity of Cleveland during his visit here and that he could stop over here without a great deal of additional effort for at least a day or two.

Jan. 27th, 1932.

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Mr. Morris Rothenberg,

We are all convinced much impetus can be given all michiat activities by his visit. We are proceeding aggressively toward the collection of the money sentioned above, anticipating a visit from him, at which time we would be very happy to present him with a good sized check.

I hope that you will realize that this is an urgent matter; give it serious thought and let us have a decision in the affirmative at an early date.

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Tincerely yours,

Coo. J. Klein

P.S. I am enclosing a copy of my letter of the 22nd to which I have not as yet had a reply.

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January 29th, 1932.

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver The Temple, Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Rabbi Silver:

As a result of your efforts, Nahum Sokolow has been persuaded to visit Cleveland on the understanding that a substantial check for Palestine will be presented to him there. The two days on which he will be available for you are Monday, February 29th and Tuesday, March 1st. It is important, however, that he leave Cleveland on the 1st so that he can arrive in Providence to attend the dinner that is being given to him on the evening of March 2nd. He is to go to Providence by way of Boston, directly from Cleveland.

We feel certain that under your leadership, the efforts being made to welcome Sokolow to Cleveland will have effective results both for the American Palestine Campaign and for the general Zionist spirit.

If there is any way in which this office can cooperate with you in regard to Mr. Sokolow's visit, please do not hesitate to call upon us.

Sincerely yours,

Alex Rothenberg

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111 FIFTH AVENUE NEWYORK

February 1, 1932.

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver The Temple Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Rabbi Silver:

The sub-committee on the organization of the American Palestine Campaign is to meet tomorrow afternoon. I will write you full details of the results of the meeting on Wednesday.

Sincerely yours,

Chairman, Administration.

A meeting of the Organization Committee of the American Palestine Campaign was held on Wednesday, February 3rd, at 4 o'clock in the Federation Building, 71 West 47th Street. There were present:

Morris Rothenberg, William M. Lewis, Robert Szold, Harry L. Glucksman, Louis Lipsky.

Mr. Glucksman moved that there be created in the framework of the American Palestine Campaign an executive committee to consist of the Chairman of the Administrative Committee, Messrs. Lewis, Rothenberg, Szold, Mrs. Judith Epstein, Messrs. Nelson Ruttenberg, Blucksman, Lowenstein and karbay Liebovitz.

Judge Lewis proposed the name of Mr. Lipsky as the Chairman of the Administrative Committee.

The motions of both Mr. Glucksman and Judge Lewis were unanimously adopted.

It was decided to accept the offer of Rabbi Silver to act as Chairman for the Middle West, and plans with reference thereto are to be formulated in conjunction with Dr. Silver.

It was decided that all matters of personnel should be placed within the control of the Executive Committee.

Mr. Szold proposed the addition of Mr. Bernard Stone as executive director. The proposal was not accepted by the Committee on the ground that the present staff, together with the Executive Committee, the Chairman of the Administrative Committee and the active cooperation of a number of chairmen of the Campaign, is sufficient for all purposes.

It was decided to ask Mr.Alex Rothenberg, in conjunction with Mr. Greenspun, to prepare a budget and a forecast of campaigns, both to be submitted to the Executive Committee.

The matter of extending an invitation to Mr. Leib Yaffe was deferred until the report of Messrs. Rothenberg and Greenspun is received. It will hereafter be decided upon by the Executive Committee.

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A. H. Silver

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February 4th, 1932

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver The Temple, Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Rabbi Silver:

We are preparing a new pamphlet for the American Palestine Campaign which is intended to be an appeal from the six Chairmen on behalf of the 1932 fund-raising effort.

I would be deeply appreciative if you could send me a statement of about 200 to 250 words which could be used in this pamphlet. I should also like to have a new photograph of yourself that might be used in connection with this statement and for other publicity material during the year.

May I hear from you at your earliest opportunity?

Sincerely yours,

Henry Montor
Publicity Director

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February 5, 1932.

Rabbi Abba Hiller Silver The Temple Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Dr. Silver:

The Administrative Committee of the American Palestine Campaign (now a fairly large body) met a week ago yesterday for the purpose of organizing. Mr. Rothenberg read a prepared statement that he was no longer to be the active Chairman, but that he was prepared to be one of six. I stated at the meeting that you were prepared to take active charge of the Mid-West Region. That matter, together with all other matters, was referred to a committee to be appointed by the Chairman, Mr. Mothenberg. Mr. Mothenberg appointed Lipsky, Lewis, Mothenberg, Glucksman and myself. Among other matters referred to the committee were an active Chairman, the staff of the main office, the proposal to divide the country into Regions with you to take one.

The sub-committee met on Wednesday afternoon. The report of the sub-committee provides for an Executive of nine, Mr. Lipsky to be Chairman of the Administrative Committee and to take the responsibility for the day-to-day work of the office, the staff of the office to remain as it is at present. I dissented on the ground that I thought there should be an Executive Director and I proposed Bernard Stone for this purpose. Your proposal was accepted. A copy of the sub-committee's report is enclosed.

A full meeting of the Administrative Committee of the Campaign was called yesterday. Those present approved the report of the sub-committee, again with my dissent. It is planned to have frequent meetings of the Executive Committee

ZIONIST ORGANIZATION OF AMERICA

(Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver)

of Nine. The next meeting is called for Monday, four o'clock.

Mr. Sol Lamport was added yesterday as a member of the smaller Executive.

With kind regards, I am,

Sincerely yours,

Chairman, Administration.

Encl.

Feb. 8th, 1932 Mr. Robert Szold. New York, N. Y. My dear Mr. Szold:-Permit me to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of February 5th, as well as the minutes of the Organization Committee of the American Palestine Campaign which was held February 3d. 1932. I note the statement in the minutes, "it was decided to accept the offer of Rabbi Silver to act as Chairman for the Middle West, and plans with reference thereto are to be formulated in conjunction with Dr. Silver." I am at a total loss to understand this action of the Committee. At our informal conference luncheon which you, Judge Mack and others attended, I outlined a definite plan of re-organization for the American Palestine Campaign. This called for a division of the country into three or four autonomous regions, each one to be headed by a chairman and each region to be self-governing. This proposal was in keeping with my general position which I have endeavored to advocate for some time now, namely the decentralization of all Zionist effort in this country. My plans for the American Palestine Campaign did not call for any Central Executive Committee in New York to plan the Campaign for the whole of the United States, such as you have now established; nor for a chairman of such a committee who would be the national head. I most certainly do not accept the proffered chairmanship of the Middle West unless my plan is accepted in toto and at least two other chairmen appointed, one to organize the campaigns in New York and in New England and the other in the South. I am suggesting a new and radical departure in our method I should like to see it tried both for the sake of the Campaign and for the future organization of Zionism in America. I am not willing to accept responsibility for the Middle West within the framework of the old setup. With kindest regards and best wishes, I am Very sincerely yours, AHS/IR

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February 8th, 1932.

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver The Temple, Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Rabbi Silver:

In order to have a successful campaign this year, it will be essential to intensify our activities throughout the country.

I believe that if the people of the Middle West could feel the stimulus of your leadership, the American Palestine Campaign in that section could raise a substantial sum. Have you formed any plan for communication with the various cities in Ohio and surrounding communities? It is important that we correlate our activities so that the maximum can be secured.

If we could take advantage of your offer to supervise activities in the Middle West, it would mean a great deal for the campaign.

Please let me hear from you as to what plans you have in mind and as to how we can give you the utmost of cooperation from this end.

Sincerely yours,

Louis Lyns Louis Lipsky National Chairman

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February 10, 1932.

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver The Temple Cleveland, Chio

Dear Dr. Silver:

I presented the matter of dividing the territory for Campaign purposes into three Districts. I suggested that Lewis take the South, and that others take New York and New England. Apparently, however, the only thing that I was able to have understood was that you were willing to take over the Mid-West Region.

I will present your letter of February 8 to the next meeting of the Administrative Committee of the Campaign.

Sincerely yours,

Chairman, Administration.

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

My dear Silver:

Your letter to Szold which I was shown must have crossed my letter which was sent to you after a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Campaign had been held and the matter had been considered.

The impression we got at a meeting of the Board of Officers was conveyed to us by both Szold and Judge Mack. I am sure that no one present at that meeting had any idea of the broad implications of your plan. It was put up to the Board as a generous offer of service on your part to be concentrated on the Middle West territory. Szold was also present at a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Campaign and made no suggestion of the broader plan that you had in mind. To have adopted the scheme you are thinking of at the National Conference would have been impossible, nor is it possible at this time to undertake the reconstruction of the campaign, which would also involve to some extent a reconstruction of the entire Zionist Organization.

I would therefore urge you most earnestly to extend your cooperation insofar as possible under the conditions that prevail, and I can assure you that the entire Executive Committee is in accord in wishing to give over to you as broad an autonomy in the conduct of the work in the Middle West as you would be willing to accept.

With best regards, I am

Very cordially yours,

Truis Lins Louis Lipsky.

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February 11, 1932.

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver The Temple Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi Silver:

Enclosed herewith is a copy of a message entitled "To Every Jew in America" which we propose to include as a statement by the six National Chairmen of the American Palestine Campaign in a new pamphlet that is being issued.

This pamphlet is, except for this statement, devoted entirely to remarks by the Honorary Chairmen. A subsequent pamphlet is to include an appeal by the National Chairmen.

I should deeply appreciate it if you would go over this statement within the next day or so, so that I may have your authorization to proceed with the printing.

Sincerely yours,

Henry Montor Publicity Director

HM/W

Feb. 11th, 1932 Mr. Louis Lipsky, 111 Fifth Ave., New York, N. Y. My dear Mr. Lipsky:- . In reply to your kind letter of February 8th I am enclosing herewith a copy of a letter which I sent to Mr. Szold when he informed me of the action which was taken at the last meeting of the American Palestine Campaign Committee. The enclosed letter explains my position. With kindest regards and best wishes, permit me to remain Very sincerely yours. AHS/IR

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February 12th, 1932.

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver, The Temple, Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Dr. Silver:

The question has arisen through correspondence with Mr. Samuel Goldhamer, Secretary of the Jewish Welfare Fund, as to the inclusion of the American Palestine Campaign within the Welfare Fund's campaign this year. Mr. Goldhamer has had some correspondence with Mr. Rothenberg and now has inquired for advice as to whether the American Palestine Campaign intends to join the Welfare Fund in its effort this year.

I have wired Mr. Goldhamer that you will take up the matter with him as representative of the Campaign. I would suggest that the matter be discussed among the Zionists of Cleveland as to which they think would be preferrable - an independent campaign, or to be included within the Welfare Fund. We shall be guided entirely by the decision of the Zionists of Cleveland in this matter.

Mr. Goldhamer informs us that the Budget Committee of the Jewish Welfare Fund meets within a few days. It is important, therefore, to get in touch with him without delay.

Thanking you for your cooperation, I am

Very cordially yours,

Louis Lipsky
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February 15th, 1932.

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

Dear Rabbi Silver:

May I express appreciation for the very careful manner in which you went over the statement "To Every Jew in America" which is to be included in a pamphlet of the American Palestine Campaign.

Your suggestions for revision are certainly well taken and your interest is very encouraging.

Sincerely yours,

Henry Montor Publicity Director.

HM/P

Feb. 15th, 1932 Mr. Louis Lipsky, American Palestine Campaign, 111 Fifth Ave., New York, N. Y. My dear Mr. Lipsky:-Permit me to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of Feb. 10th. Please let the suggestion which I made about the regional organization of the Campaign drop. Evidently we are not yet ready for it. Please continue as you planned originally and I shall give you all the cooperation which I can, without accepting any direct responsibility for any specific region. I wish, too, to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 12th with reference to the inclusion of the American Palestine Campaign in the Jewish Welfare Fund of Cleveland. I shall get in touch with the local Zionists and with Mr. Goldhamer right away and shall communicate with you in the near future. With kindest regards, I am Very sincerely yours. AHS/IR

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Dear Rabbi Silver:

I have already written to the other Rabbis asking them to announce from their pulpits, on the Friday and Sunday preceding, the coming of Nakum Sokolow to the Jewish Center on Monday, February 29, and am simply sending you this reminder so that you will have it before you.

With kindest regards, I am,

Sincerely yours,

Council of Zionist Organizations of Cleveland

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February 25th, 1932.

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver The Temple, Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Rabbi Silver:

I think that what you accomplished in Cleveland is of very substantial benefit to the American Palestine Campaign. Your success in securing the abandonment of the 40-60 principle is important not only because it increases the ratio of funds allotted to us, but because it does away with a principle that has been very injurious to the cause of Palestine, not only in Cleveland but in other cities.

I am extremely hopeful that Cleveland will be able to raise the quota which it has set for itself so that the Jewish Agency can secure as great a portion as possible of the \$30,000 that has been allotted to us. Do you believe that any further communication should be sent from this office in regard to the arrangements that you have made? May I say that we are very appreciative of the results which you achieved.

I am wondering if you could possibly do something with some of the other communities in Ohio, such as Dayton, Columbus, Akron, etc.

Sincerely yours,

Yours Lysky Louis Lipsky

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February 25, 1932

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver The Temple Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi Silver:

Mr. Joseph C. Hyman has turned over to

me a cable from London, copy of which I am sending

herewith to you as one of the Zionist deputy members

of the Administrative Committee of the Jewish Agency.

Will you please let me know by return mail

whether it will be possible for you to attend this

meeting, in order that I may inform London accordingly.

Very sincerely yours,

Robert Szold

Vice-Chairman, Council of the Jewish Agency

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March 3rd, 1932.

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver The Temple, Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Rabbi Silver:

We are intending to issue a pamphlet for the American Palestine Campaign for nation-wide use which will be in the form of an appeal by you to the Jews of America to support the fund-raising effort. I intend to make it a four-page leaflet in an appropriate format.

I should be deeply grateful if you would find it possible to write from about 800 words for this purpose.

Sincerely yours,

Thury montor
Henry Montor

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March 9th, 1932.

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver The Temple Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Rabbi Silver:

One of the best sections, as far as the actual proceeds for the New York campaign are concerned, is Long Island. The committee there is to hold a dinner at Far Rockaway on April 10th. The major part of their quota will be raised on account of that function.

The committee feels that if they could have you there as guest of honor, they would be able to generate an extraordinary amount of enthusiasm for the affair. May I express the hope that your engagements will permit you to accept? We look forward to a very substantial amount in that section which has just been very effectively reorganized. Your presence would make certain the securing of the maximum amount.

Hoping to hear from you favorably, I am

Sincerely yours,

Louis Lipsky

March 10th, 1932

Mr. George J. Klein,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My deer George:
I am sending you the enclosed letter which I just received. Would it be possible for us to get together a sum of \$500 to help the Organization out?

Please get in touch with me after you have read this letter.

With best wishes, I remain

Very sincerely yours,

AHS/IR

March 10th, 1932 Mr. George Klein. Novelty Lighting Corp., Cleveland, Ohio. My dear George:-I am enclosing herewith a bill which I received from the Hotel Cleveland covering traveling and hotel expenses of Dr. Sokolow. Please have the district pay the bill right away. Has any activity been launched in behalf of membership in the District. The weeks are slipping by and we shall soon be up against another Zionist convention. With best wishes, I am Very sincerely yours, AHS/IR

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REMARKABLE STIMULUS STOP SUCCESSFUL NEWYORK OPENING IMPORTANT NOT ONLY FOR THIS CITY BUT AS SIGNAL TO ENTIRE COUNTRY WOULD DEEPLY APPRECIATE YOUR WIRING ACCEPTANCE= LOUIS LIPSKY.

Answer 3/15/32

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REGRET EXCEEDINGLY CAN NOT ACCEPT YOUR INVITATION FOR MARCH TWENTY-FOURTH HAVE ANOTHER IMPORTANT ENGAGEMENT FOR THAT EVENING.

A. H. SILVER

CONFIDENTIAL 16th March, 1932. The Director, Department of Immigration, JERUSALEM Sir, We have the honour to refer to Section 7 (4) of the Imigration Grdinance 1925-28 and to submit herewith a memorandum regarding the requirements for Jowish labour during the half year commencing April 1, 1932, on the basis of which the Executive of the Jewish Agency hereby make applications for the entry into palestine of: 2.688 men 1,035 women 3,723 total 2. The calculations on which this application is founded have been made on the strength of a thorough investigation of the Jewish labour market which has not only strikingly improved since the date of the previous schedule, but shows at present a marked upward trend on account of addite ional investments of Jewish capital, the natural progress of industrial and commercial activities, the continued expansion of plantations in tho citrus belt, and the execution of irrigation and construction works in the colonies in connection with the Thousand Families Schome which is now being proceeded with on a larger scale than was anticipated six months ago. 3. It should be noted that the economic capacity of the country to absorb now arrivals has improved to the extent that there are at present only about 1,000 unemployed, part of whom cannot be considered a burden upon the labour market, being chronic invalids, etc. This fact is the more significant as about an equal number of workers were released in the course of the last few months upon the completion of the Rutenberg Works on the Jordan and as a result of the retrenchments which the PICA Administration was compelled to effect in several colonies in Samaria. Novertheless the Executive has added. as a measure of precautions, 450 unemployed to the present day figure, to account for the potential unemployment in the colonies during the dead season in the summer. 4. As to new developments in the plantation zone, it should be observed that according to detailed lists in our possession an area of 17,000 dunams in the aggregate will, at a conservative computation, be planted in the course of the next agricultural year. The bulk of the labour force required for this work, however, will not be needed before the winter. For the purposes of the present schedule we have included 250 workers only who will be occupied on an area of about 4,000 dunams which will be improved and planted in the course of the summer. In assessing future labour requirements the general trend in this field of activities should be taken into consideration. 5. Our schodule includes further 450 workers for larger private and semiprivate construction schemes. On former occasions we were informed that the Lamigration Authorities did not find it possible to recommend the inclusion of this item in the labour schedule as experience had shown that additions and reductions on small building projects usually balance within a given period. Whatover the general morits of this assumption it is clear that it could only apply to periods of normal activity. It should however, be pointed out that at present building activities in certain places go far beyond what in the conditions of Palestine might reasonably be termed small building schemes. In Tel-Aviv as well as in Jerusalem a building movement is in progress which, according to detailed lists in our hands, will absorb at least LP.400,000 of capital within the coming half year. At Haifa the Workers' Buburb scheme is being proceeded with. In our estimated requirements under this head do not exceed the figure mentioned above, it is because the particular character of building activities has not been everlooked in our calculations.

- 6. On the basis of applications made by the Palestine Manufacturers' Association a number of 542 workers for larger industrial developments has been included. It is important to note that manufacturers, particularly at Tol-Aviv have recently been complaining of actual shortage of labour and of the consequent tendency for wages to rise.
- 7. With reference to Government and Municipal Works the Executive of the Jowish Agency has reportedly suggested that, in accordance with the undertakings given in the Prime Minister's letter to Dr. Weizmann of February 13, 1931, a fair share of employment on such works should be allotted to Jowish Labour. It is understood that the formula which would concretely determine the share due to Jowish labour in these works has not yet been laid down. Nor is this Executive in possession of the Public Works Estimates for the financial year 1932-33. In these circumstances only those Government works have been included of the execution of which the Jewish Agency has been informed either by Government officially or through the tenders having been issued, or else by previous negotiations. The list of Government works included cannot, therefore, claim to be complete. As to Municipal Works it should be berne in mind that particularly in Jerusalem the works to be undertaken during the schedule period are of a scope which renders them especially important from the point of view of employment.
- 8. With regard to the immigration certificates for relatives, this Executive would, first of all, point out that 2,500 applications of this category (900 referred to us by Government) have so far been filed by Palestine residents. This Executive has repeatedly maintained that the inclusion in the labour schedule of all relatives, especially of the female sex, belonging to the working and small shopkeeping classes, is a procedure not warranted by the facts. It has therefore only recently carried out an investigation in order to determine the extent to which relative immigrants enter the labour market. This invostigation has shown that an appreciable section does not seek paid employment, as many of the womanrelatives either marry upon arrival or take charge of the households of their relatives. It should, moreover, be clear that even a male immigrant who has a near relative living in the country does not in many cases become a charge on the labour market to the extent as an immigrant the has to subsist on his wage carnings only. This Executive has submitted to His Excellency the High Commissioner a suggestion to take these facts into account by allowing a number of relatives equal to that included in the labour schodule to be admitted under Category D. as dependents of permanent residents. The relevant item in the labour schedule as submitted herowith is based upon this assumption, in the confident hope that Government will sce their way to providing proper facilities for a category of immigrants which is regarded as a valuable asset in every country of immigration.

- 9. For the registration of travellors 200 immigration certificates are included, in view of the fact that it has been the practice of the Department of Immigration to retain a reserve for those travellers who succeed in finding occupation in the country. As such persons must satisfy the Immigration Authorities that they have already established themselves in some pursuit from which they are able to derive their livelihood, this Executive considers it unwarranted that their certificates should be charged against the part of the schedule which is intended to meet additional requirements of the labour market.
- 10. The calculation of woman labour is based on the normal share which is accorded to women workers in the various fields of activities.
- 11. It is suggested that 200 certificates be made valid for persons up to the age of 45 years so as to provide for special cases (skilled artisans, etc.)
- 12. The Executive of the Jowish Agency intends to spread the issue of the immigration certificates to be approved under the present schedule over a certain period of time, taking into account the extent to which the anticipated development of the labour market will take effect and in keeping with the gradual progress of the works enumerated in the schedule or of others not at present foreseen.
- 13. On behalf of the Jewish Agency we hereby guarantee the maintenance for the period of one year of the immigrants who will be nominated by this Executive, in case of unemployment.

We have the honour to be,

60 Sir,

Your obedient servents,

(sgd) Ch. Arlosoroff. W. Senator

Executive of the Jowish Agency

MEMORANDUM

Schedule of Jewish Labour required for the period April - Sept. 1932.

<u>C:.1</u>	culation as to the Labour Situation.		
1.	New public buildings, roads & schemes.		
	Building of the Blind House at Jerusalem Dam at Bethania (Palestine Elcc. Corp.). Additional Labour at the Doad Sea Iraq Potrol Co.	30 120 65 75	290
2.	larger private buildings and semi-public bu	ildings.	
	Jerusalom: Buildings to the extent of LP 303,000 30% . which to be spent on wages, i.e. LP 91,000 at the rate of LP78 for labourer per year 1150 Persons already employed 1000	150	
	Tel Aviv: Buildings to the extent of LP 360,000 out of which Lp 79,000 will be spent on wages for building labourers at the rate of LP 84 for labourer per year Persons already employed 800	AN JEWISH HIVES	
	Haifa: Workers' Suburb at Haifa Bay: buildings to the extent of LP 16,500 35% for wages, i.e. LP 5,775 (9 months of work)	100	
	Tiberias: Private buildings and repairs in the Hot Springs	60	450
3.	Larger industrial developments. As per Annex		542
4.	Government works:		
	Haifa-Acre road: work for LP 10,000 additional labour required	40	
	Rohoboth-Rushmin-Godern road for LP 4,200	80	
	Roparis for roads in the Northern and South districts 5,000	30	
	Ain-Hai-Raanana road 1,300	25 175	1232

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Brought forward Acre-Safed-Megiddororad & Shfaran-	175	1282
Haifa-Acre road	120	
Main road at Haifa Repair of road in Southern District 100	30	
" " Northern " 100	200	
Building of Post Office, Jerusalem for LP 20,000 55		
Building of the Arab Teachers' College		
for LP 12,500 35 Building of the Police School at Jeru-		
salem for LP 10,000 30	120	
Museum 30 Building of Kadoorie School 30	60	
Building of Kadoorie School 30 Miscellaneous	30	735
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Municipal works.		
Jorusalom:		
Drainage budget - LP 40,000; big pond's - LP 9,000; making and re-		
pair of roads and water-installution -		
LP 15,000; total LP 64,000, 35% for wages, i.e. LP 22,400, 50% for Jow-		
ish labour at the rate of LP72 for labourer	-4-	
per year WRHS ARCHIVI	155	
Tel Aviv:		
Works outside the ordinary ones: drainage to the extent of LP 12,000 of which		
LP 3,000 is to be spent on wages at the rate		
of LP 78 for labourer per year	35	
Haifa:		
Making and repairing of roads (in accordance with the registration of last year)	50	
Tiberias: Erection of the market buildings of the		
municipality and repair of roads	25	
Jaffa:		
	25	290
Agricultural extensions:		
400 dwellings and farm buildings, etc. at LP	140	
each gives LP 56,000, 35% for wages, i.e.		
LF 19,600 at the rate of Lp 72 for Labourer p	272	
for the amount of Lp 12,000 20% for wages, i		
LP. 2,400 at the rate of 72 for labourer per		
your 35		

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6.

Water installation for the irrigation
of 200 farm unites (each unit comprising
7 dunams) at the average expenditure of
LP 6 per dunca, i.e. LP. 8,400, 35% for
wagers making LP 2,940 at the rate of
LF 72 for labourer per year 40

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Investments of the Mortgage and Loan Bank in the above 200 farm units - LP 6,000, 20% for wages, i.e. LP 1,200 at the rate of LP 72 for labourer per year 17	92	
Buildings in the colonies to the extent of LP 3,300 (including a loan of Lp2,000 of the Mortgage Bank), 35% for wages, i.e. LP 1,164 at the rate of LP 72 for labourer		
per year	25	
Irrigation works at Mishmar-Hayardon: according to the confirmation of PICA employment will be given to labourers	20	
Reconstruction of Moza: erection of 20 houses, 20 cow-sheds and cisterns to the extent of LP 5,000, 40% for wages, i.e. 2,000 at the rate of LP 78, for labourer per year	25	
of hi 75, for indocarer per year	45	
Now plantations	250	
Girls' Farms at Noss-Zionah, etc.	60	
Additional Labour for farms:		
Gowath- 10, Degania A - 10, Tel-Joseph - 10	30	76
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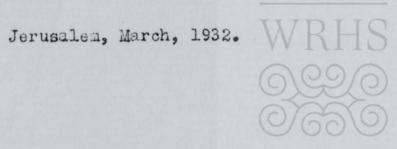
Buildings of the Palestine Emergency Fund at Safed for LP 2,850, 35% for wages, i.e. LP 1000 at the rate of LP 78 for labourer per year 13

	additional labour required 75	88 3159
8.	15% for domestic service	450
9.	Small employers and relatives: estimated requirement	1000
10.	Reserve for the registration of established travellers	200
11.	Labour reserve	1000

12. The following numbers have to be deducted:

2.	Unemployment:	Jerusalem Tel-Aviv	158 183
		Haifa	302
		Enek	163
		Tiberias	30

	Unemployment amongst Oriental Jews, etc. not registered with the labour exchanges 200	1036	
b.	Estimated unemployment in the colonies in the summer	450	
c.	Relatives: Estimate of persons who will enter the labour market	500	
d.	Labour immigrants en route - 200 cf whom 50% will not enter the specified works	100	2086
IMM	GRATION CERTIFICATES REQUIRED		3723





CONCLUSION

Proposed Schedule

	Men	Women	Total
New Public Buildings, roads and schemes	275	15 (5%	6) 290
Larger private buildings and semi-public buildings	425	25 (5	5%) 450
Larger industrial developments	364	178 (3	5%) 542
Government works	700	35 (5	5%) 735
Municipal works	275	15 (5	5%) 290
Agricultural extensions			
Plantations 250 - 25% for women 62			
Girls' Farms 60 - 10% " 60			
Other items 454 - 10% " 167	597	167	764
Miscellaneous WRHS	C H 188 S		88
15% for domestic service		450	450
Small employers & relatives (surplus)	250	250	500
Reserve for established travellers	150 3124	50 11.85	200 4309
Less surplus for unemployment over			
normal reserve & immigrants en route	436	150	586
IMMIGRATION CERTIFICATES REQUIRED	2688	1035	3723

ANNEX

LARGER INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENTS

Reference Para. 3 of the Memorandum.

	Men	Women	Total
Foodstuffs	9	16	25
Apparel, footwear and tannery	87	96	183
Furniture	50	20	70
Building material	72		72
Metal works	35		35
Manufacture of cases for oranges	25		25
Chemical industries	30		30
Printing industry WRHS	AMERICAN JEWISH ARCHIVES		20
Paper manufacture	3	30	33
Miscellaneous	33	16_	49
	364	178	542

Government of Falestine Chief Secretary's Office Jorusalem, Palestine 16/3/32 1/145/31. The Executive of the Jewish Agency, P.O.B. 92. JERUSALEM. Gentlemen, I am directed by the High Commissioner to inform you that His Excellency has had under consideration the question of amending the definition of the Category of persons of independent means under the Immigration Regulations with the object of providing in proper cases for the admission as immigrants of prospective farmers, merchants and industrialists who are in possession of a capital of less than LP 1000. While His Excellency has no present intention of generally or unconditionally reducing that minimum figure, he is satisfied that there are cases in which immigrants will be able to establish themselves on a sound economic basis in Palestine on the land or in urban undertakings with a small amount of money. With the approval, therefore, of the Secretary of State for the Colonies, His Excellency has decided to create a new sub-category of immigrants, to include any person who is in bona fide possession of, and freely disposes of, a capital of not less than LP 500, if the Director, Department of Immigration is satisfied that:-(i) the settlement of such person in Palestine will not

lead to the creation of undue competition in the pursuit which the proposed immigrant states his intention of entering:

(ii) His capital is sufficient to assure him a reasonable prospect of success in that pursuit; and

(iii) he is qualified and physically fit to follow that pursuit.

As stated, the creation of this new sub-category will not affect the application or conditions of the existing sub-category (known as Category A (i)) for which the minimum qualifying capital is LP. 1000 .

A copy of this letter has been sent to the General Council (Vaad Leumi).

I am, Gentlemen,

Your obedient servant,

sgd. . . M.A. Young Chief Secretary

REGISTER OF THE PALESTINE IMMIGRATION BUREAU

FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL 1st UNTIL MAY 1, 1932.

During the past month, from April 1st until May 1st, 1932, the Palestine Immigration Bureau has acted upon the following applications for permits to settle in Palestine:

	Name	Address	Capital
2. 1 3. 1	J. W. & family Dr. M. M. I. P. T. D.& family A. S., wife & 2	Bronx, N. Y. Woodbine, N. J. New York City Newark, N. J.	\$ 10,000.00 10,000.00 10,000.00 15,000.00
6. I 7. I 8. I 9. I 10. S	M. H. & wife RH D. S. & wife RH M. M. H. L. & wife S. G. J. D.	Brighton Beach, N. Y. Brocklyn, N. Y. New York City Nanty-Glo, Pac Brooklyn, N. Y. Toronto, Canada New York City	10,000.00 6.500.00 6,000.00 5,000.00 5,000.00 5,000.00
2	M. B., wife & Children G. M. R., wife & son	Chicago, Ill. Macon, Ga.	15,000.00
15. S	G. & wife G. C. M. T. & wife	Brooklyn, N. Y. Brooklyn, N. Y. Brooklyn, N. Y.	6,700.00 5,000.00 4,500.00
18. H 19. I	4. U.	Brooklyn, N. Y. Brooklyn, N. Y. Brooklyn, N. Y.	4,200.00 4,500.00 4,100.00 4,000.00
24.	P. D. L. S. S. N.	Milwaukee, Wisc. Dorchester, Mass. Kansas City, Mo. Brooklyn, N. Y.	4,000.00 4,000.00 4,000.00
26. I 27. S 28.	Rabbi A. P. L. B. S. S. & wife J. L. L.	Pueblo, Colo Bronx, N. Y. Bronx, N. Y. Brooklyn, N. Y. Hartford, Conn.	4,000.00 4,000.00 4,000.00
30. I	D. S. M. L. J. B. N. J. & son	Detroit, Mich. Springfield, Mass. Brooklyn, N. Y.	4,200.00 4,500.00 4,500.00

Name	Address	Capita'i
33. A. S. 34. E. S. A. & wife 35. A. S.	Bronx, N. Y. New York City Brooklyn, N. Y.	\$ 4,000.00 4,000.00 4,200.00
	TOTAL	\$ 202,900.00

Reg. April 1932.

OTHER CATEGORIES

Bond-cases (Dependents)

35.	Mrs. Sonia Bernfeld & Child	952 E. 24th St., Bklyn
37.	Yechiel Wilkis	116 Grand Ave. Brookl

38. Nathan Shacter

39. Miss Jaffe Birenberg

40. M. B. Leon 41. J. Levin 952 E. 24th St., Bklyn, N. Y.
116 Grand Ave. Brooklyn, N. Y.
232 Crescent Street, Brockton, Mass
308 E. 173rd St., Bronx, N. Y.
589-6 Central Ave., Cleveland, O.
2911 Park Row, Dallas, Texas
(for relatives in Latvia)

Chalutz-applicants

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43. Reuben Brodsky

44. O. Bromberg

45. Jack Fox

46. Albert Goodman

47. Ben Farbstoin

48. Vigdor Arkavo

49. Susan Goldborg

50. Moyer Bergtoin

51. Pinhas Rosen

52. David Eisen

53. Mordochai Buber

54. Zoev Barash

55. Zevi Lifshitz

56. Roger Lapow

45 E. Hastings St. Vancouver, B.C.

436 Tree St., Philadelphia, Pa.

327 So. Lucas St. Iowa City, Ia.

324 Hickory St. Buffalo, N. Y. c/o Wallerstein, 332 Spadina Ave.

Toronto, Canada.

631 So. 9th St., Joseph, Mo.

3422 W. 15th St., Chicago, Ill c/o National Labor Com. for

Jewish Workers in Palestine New York City.

1934 Brooklyn Ave., Los Angeles, Ca

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Judging from the volume of inquiries and applications which we are now attending, the month of July and August will see the departure of a large number of Palestine settlers. It will not be surprising if together with the family members, the number of such settlers in July and August should mount well the figure of 500.

Rego April, 1932.

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From our recent applications we note the remarkable characteristic that the amounts of money at the disposal of the present applicants are less than the amounts of our previous applicants. The reason for this, judging from the information received from the applicants, is simply that the applicants have lost the greatest part of their fortune and the amounts given represent practically the last remnants of their savings.

The 50 Capitalist-Certificates which were at the disposal of the British Consulate at New York are now exhausted. As we cabled the Jewish Agency at Jerusalem a fortnight ago the request for a further supply of Certificates, we hope that our request will soon be complied with. If no new Certificates will be received in the meantime, we will withold from referring to Jerusalem all pending cases but keep them at this office until the arrival of the Certificates, which we expect almost daily.

We also asked the Jewish Agency by cable to forward to us at least 35 Chalutz-Certificates, including 10 for women. Should we not obtain these Certificates we will be in a great predicament. Practically hundreds of young men and women are daily knocking at our doors for Chalutz-Certificates and the above number is the minimum we must have. We have impressed this fact upon the Jewish Agency most emphatically.

We are now encountering much trouble in the cases of many applicants of whom the Palestine Government requires U. S. Return-permits. It has been the custom of the Palestine Government to request such permits from applicants who are not in possession of any national passports. A number of our applicants, although for many years residents of America, have not become citizens and are thus not in a position to obtain national passports. In many cases they do not know the date of their arrival, which prevents them from obtaining U. S. Return-Permits. These applicants, although granted a visa by the Palestine Government, cannot obtain this visa without presenting a Return-Permit.

In a number of such cases the Polish Consul General in New York was helpful in granting these people national Polish passports upon our recommendation and with the friendly cooperation of Mr. Tygel, Executive-Director of the Federation of Polish Jews. We will have to renew our representations with the Jewish Agency with a view to inducing the Palestine Government to modify its attitude in this respect.

Reg. April, 1932.

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In view of the issuance by the Palestine Government of 2000 Chalutz-Cortificates (300 of which will be retained by the Government), the question has now arisen in Zionist circles as to whether the Jewish Agency, because of lack of means, will be able to utilize these Cortificates. Should such an emergency arise, the Zionist Organization of America will be in a position to use up all the Cortificates for American so called Chalutzim or for workers and ski.11-ed laborers who are not in possession of the full amount of one thousand pounds.

We have on our files about 250 applicantion by American Chalutzim of whom a large number have the sum of \$500 to \$1000 and more. We have a large number of skilled laborers and small tradesmen in possession of \$1500 to \$2000. All of them are under the age of 35 and on the whole represent a very good and suitable element for Palestine. Should the contingency arise, we will be able to bring into Palestine not only a good and suitable element but also prevent loss of prestige of the Zionist movement in the event of the inability of the Jewish Agency to utilize the 1700 Certificates.

The economic aspects of this question was submitted by us to the American Economic Committee for Palestine. In case the matter will reach a stage when action is required, the problem will be submitted to the decision of the Zionist Organization of America.

The question of relatives in Eastern Europe whom American residents desire to bring to Palestine has this month been an acute one. The desire to bring over these relatives to Palestine has become intensified because of the following reasons: The applicants in Poland write to their American relatives from whom they receive regular monthly remittances that since they are required to deliver the money to the Government for taxation there is no sense of sending further remittances. In regard to Russia the situation is still worse, the relatives begging them to abstain from sending them money. While they do not state the reason for this request, the American residents understand that it is because the Russian Government forces them to deliver the money into the State treasury. As a solution they desire to bring their relatives over from Russia to Palestine.

Much to our regret, however, the requirements governing the execution of Bond-Guarantees for relatives are so severe as to give little hope of accomplishing tangible results in this respect. We are now giving serious consideration to this problem with a view to effecting some modification, and we hope in a few days to enter into negotiations with the Jowish Agency on this subject.

Rog. April, 1932.

During the month of April the number of inquiries, in person and by mail, on immigration to Palestine exceeded 500. The work of attending to this heavy volume of business was a great strain to the staff of this Department.

Respectfully submitted,

Dr. S. Bernstein, Director.



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OMAHA UNITED CAMPAIGN BEING LAUNCHED MAY EIGHTH STOP

GUEST OF HONOR STOP WOULD DEEPLY APPRECIATE YOUR COOPERATION

IF YOU COULD ACCEPT ENGAGEMENT STOP KINDLY WIRE=

LOUIS LIPSKY ..

Answer collect April 6th, 1932

Regret very much can not go to omaha May 8th,

A.H. Silver
THE QUICKEST, SUREST AND SAFEST WAY TO SEND MONEY IS BY TELEGRAPH OR CABLE

THE JEWISH AGENCY FOR PALESTINE

April 4th, 1932.

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver, The Temple. Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Dr. Silver:

You will recall that on January 16th, 1932, the American members and deputy members of the Council of the Jewish Agency were called together for the purpose of considering the formation of an American Section of the Jewish Agency. At this meeting, the subject was very carefully considered and it was the decision of those present that a Sub-Committee be appointed to study the most effective plan of organizing a Section of the Agency. This Committee was instructed to report back to a reconvened meeting of the members of the Council within three months time.

The Committee was duly appointed and consisted of Messrs. Abraham Goldberg, Joseph C. Hyman, Alexander Kahn, Emanuel Libman, Louis Lipsky, Morris Rothenberg, Horace Stern and Abraham Tulin. At its initial meeting on February 14th, the Committee elected Judge Horace Stern to act as its Chairman. The Committee has held its sessions and is now prepared to submit its report to a reconvened meeting of the members of the Council.

We are, therefore, reconvening the American members and deputy members of the Council to consider the plans which the Sub-Committee has discussed.

> This meeting will take place on Wednesday evening, APRIL 13th, 1932, at 8:30 o'clock in the Federation Building, 71 West 47th Street, New York City.

We earnestly urge you to make every effort to be present and we would appreciate your mailing the enclosed card indicating your ability to be with us.

Sincerely yours,

Cyrus Adler Robert Szold

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TELEPHONE ALGONQUIN 4-3600

April 26, 1932.

Rabbi A. H. Silver The Temple Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi Silver:

I am going to be in Cleveland on May 11th, and I am wondering if the meeting could be utilized to secure an additional allotment from the Federation in Cleveland.

We have received a series of pressing cables from Palestine in the last few days, and we must make extraordinary efforts in order to send as large a sum as possible. In view of the fact that Cleveland still owes us a substantial sum on the 1931 campaign, perhaps a few thousand dollars could be obtained at this time. I know that you will want to do everything in your power to see that something is done in this respect.

I should appreciate hearing from you in regard to the situation.

With kind regards, I am

Cordially yours,

Louis Lijaky Louis Lipsky National Chairman

LL/RW

April 28th, 1932 Mr. Louis Lipsky. 111 Fifth Ave. . New York, N. Y. My dear Mr. Lipsky:-Permit me to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of April 26th. I would suggest that when you come here on May 11th you arrange to meet Mr. Sam Goldhamer who is the secretary of the Jewish Welfare Fund. That ever comes in on the 1931 account of the Welfare Fund is divided 60-10 between the Joint and the American Palestine Campaign. All other agencies have already been paid in full. When Mr. Scholow was here I had the Fund advance us \$5000. That was practically all the money which was at that time in the treasury. Since that time the Welfare Fund has had to send a similar amount to the Joint. I do not know how much money there will be in the treasury by May 11th. The 1932 campaign is moving along very slowly. Only about a fourth of last year's donors have so far renewed their contributions through mail and telephone calls. The personal solicitation campaign begins on May 3d. I shall be very glad to see you when you come here. With kindest regards, I remain Very sincerely yours. AHS/IR

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Answer collect May 4th, 1932

LOUIS LIPSKY. Regret can not accept Washington engagement May twenty-second That is my closing Sunday morning service of the season and my Fifteenth Anniversary Service as well.

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A. H. Silver

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Mrs. Silver - 23

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May 2nd, 1932.

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver The Temple, Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Rabbi Silver:

In accordance with your suggestion,
I shall communicate with Mr. Goldhamer in reference to
any funds that may possibly be available for allotment
to the Jewish Agency. I have no doubt that a word from
you will be very helpful.

I have today wired you in regard to the campaign function in Washington on Sunday evening, May 22nd. I hope that you will be able to accept. It is one of our most important fund-raising efforts and your presence would do much to stimulate not only Zionists, but non-Zionists.

Cordially yours,

Louis Lipsky
National Chairman

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BY WIRE=

M A ZELDIN ..

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May 4th, 1932

Dear Rabbi Silver:

Enclosed herewith is copy of a letter received from Dr. Werner Senator of Jerusalem to which is attached a draft of the tentative budget of the Jewish Agency for Palestine for the coming year.

Sincerely yours,

Louis Lipsky National Chairman You can send a ten word reply to this message for only

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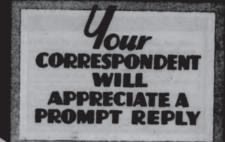
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URGE YOUR ACCEPTANCE AS ALL FEEL SURE YOUR PRESENCE AND INSPIRING
MESSAGE WILL MATERIALLY ASSIST IN SUCCESS OF CAMPAIGN WIRE REPLY
OUR EXPENSE=

LOUIS E SPIEGLER 1529 16TH ST NW.

PLEASE ANSWER
BY POSTAL TELEGRAPH

RECEIVED AT

4900 Euclid Ave. MAin 6390, Sta. 30 Wired yesterday New York my inability to come to Washington on Pay twenty-second stop The Last Sunday service of the season as well as my anniversary service takes place that morning stop Best wishes

A. H. Silver





To Rabbi Silver

As National Chairman I hope you will contribute to our New York
Campaign the two days mentioned in the previous telegram June 5th - 15th
Please wire immediately

M. A. Zeldin

Answer collect May 5th, 1932

June fifth out of the question. Must attend to Temple duties on that day Stop Write me more fully about meeting on June fifteenth.

WRHS.

A.H. Silver

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May 5th, 1932.

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver The Temple, Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Rabbi Silver:

After a great deal of difficulty with the local leaders, it has finally been decided to conduct an American Palestine Campaign in Providence, R.I. to begin on Sunday, June 5th. There is still some feeling that the campaign should have been postponed.

To secure the full cooperation of all elements in the community and to secure the maximum benefit from the campaign, it is important that it be launched auspiciously. The leaders are unanimous that your presence at the banquet would provide the needed stimulus. They are so anxious to have you that they are willing to set the date of their campaign opening to suit your convenience, should the date of Sunday, June 5th be impracticable. I understand that, on several occasions, you indicated to Mrs. Archibald Silverman that you might like to visit Providence. This is an excellent opportunity and would be a great help to the fund-raising effort.

I should appreciate hearing from you at the earliest possible moment so that the Providence committee can proceed with their plans in accordance with your wishes.

Cordially yours,

Louis Lipsky

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Rabbi A. H. Silver The Temple Cleveland, O.

Dear Rabbi Silver:

Many thanks for your wire. Of course I am sorry you cannot accept June 5th. As for June 15th we expect a large gathering with the most active workers of our campaign in New York. The purpose of the evening is to cash in pledges. It will be used as a stimulant for all our committees to make a strenuous effort to collect outstanding pledges and present the cash at the banquet. If we will be successful to get in some of the known Zionists who have not pledges as yet. We may make an appeal there too. At any rate we think that this should be the outstanding city-wide affair of the entire campaign.

At a meeting of our sectional directors of Greater New York everyone expressible opinion that besides our own local celebrities you are the only one that will be an attraction.

With the sincere hope that you will accept this engagement and anticipating your kind reply, I am,

With regards and best wishes, sincerely yours,

m. a. godin M. A. ZELDIN, Director Greater New York Campaign



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May 12th, 1932 Mr. M. A. Zeldin, American Palestine Campaign, 111 Fifth Ave., New York, N. Y. My dear Mr. Zeldin:-Permit me to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of May 6th. I note what you say about the meeting which you are planning for June 15th. I should like to come if you think the meeting of sufficient importance to warrant my traveling from Cleveland for it. You probably know that I am in the midst of a terrific amount of work incidental to my leaving on a sabbatical year which my congregation generously granted me in recognition of my fifteen years of ministry here. You may well understand that there are numerous things which have to be done. So that I am not happy about the thought of leaving Cleveland for two days in June. However if you feel that the occasion is of sufficient importance to the Campaign, let me know and I will make every effort to come. I shall be in Philadelphia over the weekend and shall address the Donors Luncheon of the Hadassah next Monday. With kindest regards, I am Very sincerely yours. AHS/IR

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May 13,1932

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver The Temple Cleveland, O.

Dear Rabbi Silver:

Owing to very important developments in our New York campaign, we are compelled to postpone the wind-up affair from June 15th to June 22d. Every one of our sectional directors, as well as the New York Campaign Committee, are of the opinion that you would be the attraction for this function and I, therefore, appeal to you to be kind enough and accept our invitation.

On the 15th of June, however, we are planning to have the annual banquet in Bensonhurst. Again I want to plead with you to accept this date. It will be highly appreciated by the leaders of that section and it will be the greatest favor you can do for me in this campaign, exclusive of course of the wind-up affair.

I know that you are always ready to cooperate with me and I hope that you will wire confirmation of these dates, immediately upon receipt of this letter.

With kind regards and best wishes, I am,

Sincerely yours,

M. G. Geldie

M. A. ZELDIN, Director Greater New York Campaign

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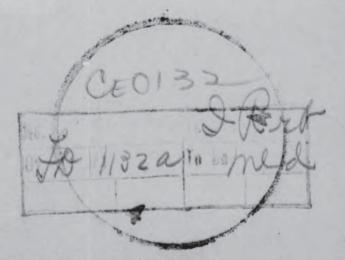
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FIFTH STOP WANT YOU TO SET WHATEVER DATE IS CONVENIENT

WHETHER WEEK DAY OR SUNDAY=

LOUIS LIPSKY.

Can not come to Providence during week of Time Eight because it precedes Confirmation

AMERICAN REPRESENTATIVES

JEWISH AGENCY FOR PALESTINE

111 FIFTH AVENUE, NEW YORK CITY Telephone ALgonquin 4-3600

May 20, 1932.

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Dr. Silver:

At the meeting of the American Representatives of the Jewish Agency for Palestine, held on April 13, 1932, the following resolution was adopted:

> "It is deemed desirable that the future American membership in the Council of the Jewish Agency, as in this body, shall include a wider representation of those elements in American Jewish life which are interested or may be induced to become interested in Palestine, but are not affiliated with the Zionist Organization. To that end it has been suggested that the American non-Zionist representation in the Council as in this body shall in the future consist of members at large, representatives of national Jewish organizations and of local community groups to be organized on the basis of interest in Palestine upbuilding. The achievement of the aim here set forth shall be one of the primary functions of the Administrative Committee, which shall study the subject and report thereon at the next meeting of this body."

It was decided that a copy of the foregoing resolution be circulated among the members of this body for comment so that the Administrative Committee might have the benefit of their views when it considers the subject.

Please let us have your thought on the resolution before May 31st, the date on which the Administrative Committee will meet.

Sincerely yours,

Morris Rothenberg

Chairman Administrativ

Committee.

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HARRY P. FIERST.

LOUIS P. ROCKER,

May 26, 1932

Rabbi A. H. Silver The Temple Cleveland, Ohjo

Dear Rabbi Silver:

For your information I transmit herewith text of

a cable I have just received from London:

*SUGGEST TENTATIVELY ACTIONS COMMITTEE
JULY FOURTEENTH ADMINISTRATIVE COMMITTEE
JULY TWENTY-FIRST INFORM SOKOLOW WIRE*

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Cordially yours,

Vice Chairman Council of the Jewish Agency

when you

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May 26,1932

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver The Temple Cleveland, O.

Dear Rabbi Silver:

The Bensonhurst dinner which originally was scheduled for June 15th and for which I have asked you to be kind enough to be the guest speaker, has been postponed for June 23d. The reason for this postponement is because I expressed the hope that I may be able to ask you to stay one day after the Greater New York wind-up affair, in order that you may be able to be the guest speaker at the Bensonhurst dinner. If, God Forbid, you refuse this, the dinner in Bensonhurst will have to be given up and you can readily understand what a loss this will mean for our campaign. I, therefore, plead with you to please accept the date of the 23d.

In order that the committee may be able to print invitations immediately, I will appreciate a reply from you, by wire.

With the hope that you will fulfill this request and with reiterated thanks for accepting June 22d., I am, with personal regards,

Sincerely yours.

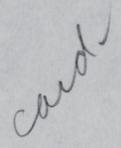
MORRIS A. ZELDIN, Director Greater New York Campaign

Wire May 27th, 1932

Mr. M. A. Zeldin, American Palestine Campaign, 111 Fifth Ave., New York, N. Y.

I shall try to be with you on June 23d for the Bensonhurst dinner

A. H. Silver





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May 28, 1932

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
Cleveland, O.

Dear Rabbi Silver:

Many thanks for your acceptance of June 23d. I must say that you are a source of great encouragement to me in this struggle to raise funds. I wish there were many more like you.

With kind personal regards, I am,

Sincerely yours,

MORRIS A. ZELDIN, Director Greater New York Campaign ההסתדרות חציונית של ארצות הברית

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Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver The Temple Cheveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi Silver:

Herewith is a copy of a cable that I have just received from the London office of the Jewish Agency and of the World Zionist Organization. Will you be good enough to let me know whether or not you will be able to attend the meetings at the time specified in the cable, so that I may inform the London office.

Cordially yours,

/ Robert Szold

Chairman, Administration

June 2d, 1932 Mr. Robert Scold, Zionist Organization, New York, N. Y. My dear Mr. Szold:-In reply to your letter of June 1st permit me to say that it will not be possible for me to attend the Sessions of the Jewish Agency this summer. With kindest regards, I remain Very sincerely yours, AHS/IR

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June 6, 1932

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Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver The Temple Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi Silver:

I am happy to learn that you have kindly accepted our invitation to deliver the principal address at the dinner to conclude the Greater New York drive of the American Palestine Campaign on Wednesday evening, June 22nd, at Hotel Astor.

I am looking forward to the pleasure of seeing you at the dinner.

Sincerely yours,

Nathan Straus, Jr. Chairman for Greater New York HONORARY CHAIRMEN
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June 8, 1932.

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

Dear Rabbi Silver:

The wind-up dinner of the New York campaign, for which you accepted to be the guest speaker, takes place on Wednesday, June 22d, at the Hotel Astor. We will have several local speakers among whom will be Warburg, Lipsky, Rothenberg and who will only make ten-minute addresses.

Arrangements for the dinner in Bensonhurst on the 23d of June are going along nicely and the committee is exerting every effort to make this occasion a success.

Will you kindly notify me in what hotel you expect to stop when you are in New York, so that I may be able to communicate with you?

With kind personal regards and best wishes,

I am

Sincerely yours,

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Morris A. Zeldin, Director Greater New York Campaign. THE AMERICAN PALESTINE CAMPAIGN OF THE

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Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver Euclid Avenue & Ansel Road Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi Silver:-

On Saturday, June 25, and Sunday, June 26, the New England Zionists will meet at Holyoke, for the Eleventh Annual Convention, and we will greatly appreciate it if you will be kind enough to send us a message to be read at the Convention.

Thanking you in advance for the message and with the hope of a new Zion, I am

Sincerely you

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June 16th, 1932.

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver The Temple, Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Rabbi Silver:

It would be very helpful to the interests of the American Palestine Campaign if I could have, by Tuesday, June 21st, a complete copy of, or an excerpt from the address which you are to deliver at the closing dinner of the American Palestine Campaign of Greater New York at the Hotel Astor on Wednesday evening, June 22nd.

Your cooperation will be deeply appre-

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ciated.

June 17th, 1932 Mr. Jules Meyer, Publicity Chairman, American Palestine Campaign, 24 Province St:, Boston, Mass. My dear Mr. Meyer:-Please extend to the delegates attending the Eleventh Annual Convention of the New England Zionists my heartiest felicitations. Zionist philosophy, as well as the Zionist program are today receiving remarkable vindication. The failure of assimilation which Zionism proclaimed decades ago is again being proved by the rise of Hitlerism and medieval Jew bating in Germany and the spread of anti-Semitism practically all over the world. The remarkable economic progress of Palestine in the last few years and the steady development of that country through Jewish initiation and labor at a time when most of the countries of the world are sunk deep in economic depression. is another magnificent tribute to the soundness of our program. as well as to the devotion of our people. But our work in Palestine is just begun and if continued without interruption it will gain such momentum that in a reasonably short time we may see in Palestine great and prosperous Jewish commonwealth.

In the name of this great goal I summon you to renewed effort.

With best wishes and with Zion's greetings,

I remain

Fraternally yours,

June 17th, 1932 Mr. Morris A. Zeldin, 111 Fifth Ave., New York, N. Y. My dear Mr. Zeldin:-With regards to the meeting at Bensonhurst I must leave New York City (New York Central on the 23d. Depot) at 11:30 p. m. Thursday evening in order to arrive in Cleveland in time to conduct services Friday evening. My associate is gone on his vacation and I must be at the Temple Friday evening. Please see to it therefore that I am placed on the program of the Bensonhurst meeting early enough to enable me to get away in time to catch the train. You will recall that we had some difficulties about a similar situation in Brownsville. With best wishes, I remain As ever yours, AHS/IR

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June 20th, 1932

Dear Rabbi Silver:

A meeting of the Administrative Committee of the American Palestine Campaign, of which you are a member, will be held on Monday afternoon, June 27th, at 4 o'clock at the American Palestine Campaign offices, 111 Fifth Avenue.

A number of matters will be considered which will benefit by your presence and counsel.

Sincerely yours,

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Louis Lipsky Chairman, Administrative Committee

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Dr. Abba Hillel Silver, The Temple, East 105th Street, Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Dr. Silver:

It was indeed with a great sense of gratification that we learned from the Headquarters of the American Palestine Campaign of your kind acceptance to appear as the guest of honor and main speaker at the Keren Hayesod Dinner, arranged in our Bensonhurst Community, for Thursday evening, June 23rd, at the Jewish Community House, 79th Street and Bay Parkway, Brooklyn.

This Dinner is to be the closing function of our Campaign, and your message on Palestine is, of course, being expected with much eagerness and anxiety.

We understand that you are scheduled to be in New York City the Wednesday night preceeding our Dinner, and our Reception Committee is making the necessary arrangements to get in touch with you on Thursday morning in order to set the exact hour of your appearance at our Dinner on that night.

Again thanking you most heartily for your kind acceptance to be with us on Thursday night and anticipating the pleasure of seeing you personally, I am

Sincerely yours,
ABRAHAM BEIER, Chairman.

Reception and Dinner in honor of Dr. Abba Hillel Silver and Rev. Zwi Hirsch Masliansky, at the Jewish Community House, on Thursday Evening, June 23rd, 1932.

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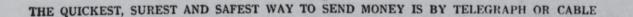
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June 27th, 1932 Mr. Morris A. Zeldin, 111 Fifth Ave. . New York, N. Y. My dear Mr. Zeldin:-I enjoyed both my meetings in the East and I hope that they were helpful in the Campaign. My traveling and hotel expenses amounted to \$50. With best wishes, I remain Very sincerely yours, AHS/IR

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June 28,1932

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver The Temple Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Rabbi Silver:

Enclosed you will please find check for \$50. to cover your railroad fare to New York.

Permit me to express my heartiest appreciation for your visit to New York. Everybody agrees with me that if not for your appearance at the wind-up affair, the people present would have been left cold, without any inspiration. Your remarkable address made a tremendous impression on all present and enthused even our workers who are newcomers in this campaign. You absolutely saved the affair.

I regret that I was unable to be with you at the Bensonhurst dinner, but I was informed by the leaders of the community as well as by our Director, Mr. Pecker, that there too the assembled guests were greatly enthused by your fine address and feel very grateful to you for your participation.

With reiterated thanks and kind personal regards,

I am.

Sincerely yours,

MORRIS A. ZELDIN, Director Greater New York Campaign

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June 28th, 1932

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi Silver:

A meeting of the Administrative Committee of the Jewish Agency for Palestine, of which you are a member, is scheduled to take place in London, England, during the first week of the coming August.

We have been requested by the office of the Jewish Agency abroad to ascertain whether it is your intention to attend the meeting. Please be good enough to let me have this information at your earliest convenience, as in the event of your inability to be present a deputy member may be designated to attend in your place.

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Chairman, Administrative Committee

June 29th, 1932 Mr. Morris Rothenberg. Jewish Agency for Palestine, 111 Fifth Ave., New York, N. Y. My dear Mr. Rothenberg:-In reply to your letter of June 28th permit me to say that it will not be possible for me to attend the meeting of the Administrative Committee of the Jewish Agency for Palestine in London, England. With best wishes, permit me to remain Very sincerely yours, AHS/IR