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The Temple, general, 1924-1925.

June 20, 1924.

Dear Mrs. Feder:

This is the tentative program which we have drawn up with careful consideration of the regular days of Sisterhood Activities. Inasmuch as we are sending it so early, we hope that it will be possible to arrange not to have any large open meetings during the same week that the Co-operative and Council hold theirs. These open meetings come once in each month, chiefly the first Wednesday, so that will give ~~each~~ of the Sisterhoods three other weeks to choose from.

If there is any conflict that you can foresee now, please notify Mrs. Levine immediately.

Cordially yours,
(signed) Hattie Wolin

Open Meetings

Oct. 15th

Nov. 5

Dec. 10

Jan. 7

Feb. 4

Mar. 4

Apr. 1

May 6

Board Meetings

1st Tuesday

except Mon., Oct. 6

Blind Committee

1st Thursday

Martha House Board

2nd Thursday

Education Committee

3rd Thursday

Parliamentary Law Course,
Oct. 27th to 31st

Social Service, Nov. 3 to Dec. 10
9 to 10 A. M. Monday and Wednesday
probably.

Current Events Course
3 P. M. Wednesdays
Dec. 17, 31
Jan. 14, 21, 28

Investment Course
Wednesdays 3 P. M.
Feb. 11, 18, 25

Big Sisters, 3rd Wednesday
10:30 and noon meetings

Luncheon of Co-operative Presidents
Nov. 10, Jan. 12 and Mar. 9th

July 23rd, 1924.

Rev. H.M. Kingsley,
2225 E. 93rd St.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Rev. Kingsley,

I have consulted with the officers of the Congregation. We shall have need of the bulletin in our new Temple building but we shall be very pleased to have you make use of it until the first of September. We should like to have you put a card bearing the name of the Mt. Zion Temple over the name of The Temple. We do not wish to have any of the present inscriptions painted out.

We have a bulletin in the basement of The Temple which with a little paint can be made very attractive.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

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August 20, 1924.

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver,
c/o The Inn,
Point Chautauqua, N.Y.

Dear Friend:-

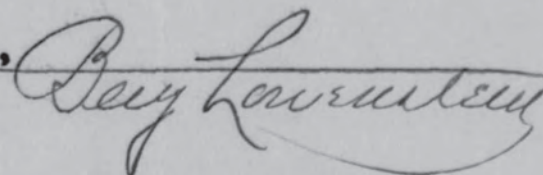
At the meeting last night the Board decided that they would engage Mr. Blum, but were averse to making an agreement for three years, but ratified the appointment for a period of two years, believing that if he proved satisfactory and also was pleased to remain, there was no question but what we would continue the appointment.

As you have been making arrangements with him, thought possibly you would prefer to write to him and make final arrangements. If you think, however, that the proposition should come from myself, I will communicate with him on your return.

We had a very pleasant meeting, and will take up next Wednesday night at a meeting before the Building and Finance Committee the arrangement for the sale of seats.

Trusting you are having a pleasant visit and with kind regards to Mrs. Silver, I am,

Sincerely yours,



BL:HF

September Twenty-third, 1924

Mr. Alfred A. Benesch,
Society for Savings Bldg.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Benesch,

I wonder if you will me
during the coming Holy Day Services,
assisting in the elevation of the
Torah at the Morning Service on Rosh
Hashanah.

I should be very glad if you
will do this. Will you kindly telephone
me at The Temple saying whether or not
I can count on you.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

Letter same as above
to Mr. Max Myers
Hanna Building

RABBI M. J. MERRITT

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MONTREAL

RESIDENCE, 101 ACADEMY APART.
TELEPHONE WESTMOUNT 1983

Sept. 30th '24

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver

Cleveland Ohio

My dear Silver,

Could you assemble for me and send me at once the data of the Mahler gift of the Community Hall to the new Temple you have just dedicated? I want the sum of the gift for the building, a word as to the spirit in which the gift was given and what you think it will do to stimulate the spiritual and cultural life of your community? I am working on a very wealthy man in my own congregation to give just such a gift and I want to show him that he is following a worthy precedent. I need the data at once. May I count on you for it? Happy New Year to you and yours.

Yours sincerely

M. J. Merritt

Gries Memorial
Chap. Dedic.

CHARLES F. THWING
WESTERN RESERVE UNIVERSITY
CLEVELAND

2 October 1924

My dear Rabbi Silver:

I am grateful to you for the invitation to attend the dedication services of the Memorial Chapel to Rabbi Gries.

In my lack of ability to be present in person, may I say that Rabbi Gries embodied great qualities of manhood and equally great qualities of human service? He was, easily, one of the most commanding citizens of Cleveland and of the Commonwealth. He loved people, and his love was returned in overflowing measure. He was eloquent in speech, a master of assemblies, and his voice was heard constantly, and afar, in behalf of noble causes.

I rejoice that this Chapel is, bearing his name, to perpetuate his memory. But we know his influence also endures in lives which he has quickened unto righteousness, and in hearts which loved him and are grateful for him.

Believe me

Ever yours,

Charles F. Thwing

Rabbi A. H. Silver.

October 2nd, 1924.

Rabbi M.J. Merritt,
Temple Emanu El,
Montreal, Canada.

My dear Merritt,

Mr. Baruch Mahler, one of our representative citizens was one of the prime movers in the new Temple enterprise. He headed the list of contributors with a donation of \$25,000 and followed that up with another gift of \$25,000 just prior to the completion of the building. He did not request that the hall be named after him, but the Board in appreciation of his fine spirit, paid him that tribute. The Hall seats approximately eight hundred and fifty people and will be used for Religious School assemblies, Forums, plays, dinners, dances, etc. It will probably be the most used room in our institution.

With kindest regards and wishing you a very happy year, I beg to remain

Very sincerely yours,



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Henry Einstein

Oct. 6, 1924.

The Board of Trustees,
The Temple,
E 105th St & Ansel Rd.,
City

Gentlemen:

It is with regret that I have a complaint to make against Jimmy, the janitor, but for the good of the Temple I am making same.

On Saturday afternoon I had as a guest Mr. Edwin B. Meissner of St. Louis, President of Dr. Witt and Dr. Sale Temple who was very anxious to see our Temple.

First he was over at the Temple with Mrs. Joseph Printz and Mrs. Samuel Kauffman and Jimmy's wife refused to let them in and was very impertinent to them.

When I met them I got in communication with Rabbi Silver who gave us permission to go into the Temple and when I went over there with him, first Jimmy's wife refused to let us in and then when I asked for Jimmy and he came, he himself was very impertinent and white with rage and closed the door on us, refusing to let us go through.

I again got in communication with Rabbi Silver who called up the Temple and we were allowed to enter by Mr. Stevens but I had to show him through myself, although I could not show him everything as some parts were locked.

I certainly feel that Mr. Meissner should be written a letter of apology for the conduct of Jimmy toward him and hope for the good of the Temple this will not occur again.

Then yesterday while I was telling this to Mr. Eugene Wolf, Mrs. Sidney Sloss came up to us and said one of the janitors refused to open a door for one of the members to go out to find a pocket book which was lost.

Regretting very much to have to make this complaint, I remain

Yours very truly

Henry F. Einstein

"Save the surface and
you save all" *Paint & Varnish*

October Seventh
1924

Dr. Israel Bettan,
Hebrew Union College,
Cincinnati, Ohio.

My dear Dr. Bettan,

I am sending you herewith
a check for five hundred dollars, to com-
pensate you for assisting in our recent
Holy Day Services.

The Congregation and I are
deeply grateful for the excellent service
you rendered us and for the helpful messages
you brought to our people.

I trust that you will be able
to see your way clear to come to us again
next year.

With kindest regards, I am

Sincerely yours,

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Oct. 8, 1924.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

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Mr. S. M. Hexter,
c/o S. M. Hexter & Co.,
2212 Superior Ave.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Sir:

Your letter of September 17th with your letter
of October 7th, greeted me on my return from a trip to
California.

I am enclosing you herewith my application
which I promised you during our recent talk.

Very cordially yours,

Julius

JT:O
Encl.

October eleventh
1924

Mr. S. M. Hexter,
Care S. M. Hexter & Co.,
2212 Superior Avenue,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Hexter,

The fact has just been called to my attention that you have secured the application of Mr. Julius Tuteur for membership in The Temple Congregation. I am very glad to learn of this and appreciate your efforts.

Mr. Tuteur's application will be presented to the Executive Board at its next meeting. We shall be pleased to number him among our Temple membership.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

Whipple

October 13th, 1924

To The Temple Employment Committee,
Rabbi Silver and President Lowenstein,
Cleveland, Ohio.

Gentlemen:-

Please accept my resignation, to
take effect at your earliest convenience.

Yours respectfully,

November Third

1924

Mr. Henry F. Einstein,
The Upco Company,
4801 Lexington Avenue,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Einstein,

Rabbi Silver has asked me to send you Mr. Weissner's letter, which is in answer to our letter regretting the incident at The Temple on his recent visit here. I am enclosing also our office copy of the letter to Mr. Weissner. Will you kindly return both when you have read them.

Sincerely yours,

Secretary.

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**Headquarters: 2032 East 90th Street
Cleveland, Ohio**

November 11, 1924.

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

My dear Rabbi Silver:

Some time ago, I understand, a plan was worked out which gave Monday to the Euclid Avenue Temple Sisterhood, Tuesday to the Temple Women's Association and Wednesday to the Council for meetings. It was with this arrangement in mind that we have sought to schedule not only our monthly open meetings, but all our afternoon meetings, as far as possible, on Wednesdays.

Our Big Sister Advisory Committee, composed of six women, met on the morning of the third Wednesday of every month last year. Since this was only a small committee meeting, we did not consider that it constituted a conflict with the Temple Women's Association Board meeting. The Big Sisters' Association, composed of our volunteer social service workers, held its luncheon meeting at noon of the same day. This meeting was arranged especially for our Big Sisters, but was open to any interested Council member. Since the Board of the Temple Women's Association adjourned by noon, we saw no conflict in that case.

The question of a possible conflict was raised at our recent Board meeting after Mrs. Sam Freedman announced, with evident distress, that the Temple Women's Association also would have a luncheon and afternoon meeting on the third Wednesday of the month, - November 19th. A simple statement of fact was then made, to the effect that a letter giving our program and the day of the Big Sister meetings had been sent to the Temple Women's Association in June and that the day had been mentioned again later to Mrs. Feder. You will note from that letter, copy of which is enclosed, that our Big Sister committee meetings are definitely scheduled as noon meetings on the third Wednesday of every month, which in November falls on the 19th. It is unfortunate

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that when The Temple Women's Association inaugurated the policy of luncheon and afternoon meetings on that day, our program was not consulted.

Inasmuch as we now know of the plan of The Temple Women's Association to hold luncheon meetings following the Board meeting, and since we consider the situation, which has arisen, most unfortunate, we shall arrange to change from the third to the fourth Wednesday, except in January and February, when Dr. Goddard of Columbus will speak. We regret that it will not be possible to change those dates, since Dr. Goddard arranged his engagements with special consideration for our request for the third Wednesday of the month. We shall urge that, in the future, program dates be cleared by a conference of Sisterhood and Council Program Committees. We feel confident that a situation, such as has arisen, will then not occur.

Sincerely,

Carolyn L. Grossman
President

CKG/L

November 12th, 1924.

Mrs. Marc J. Grossman,
2219 St. James Parkway,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mrs. Grossman,

I am sorry that this new confusion of dates has occurred. Mrs. Feder tells me that she has taken into consideration the Council dates for its open meetings but that she did not and could not take into consideration the meetings of any sub-committee of the Council. As you know, The Temple Women's Association has held for years its big open meetings on Wednesdays, Tuesday being its sewing day. The Council likewise holds its open meetings on Wednesdays. With the Big Sisters also meeting on Wednesdays, the calendar would considerably limit the opportunities of The Temple Women's Association in arranging for speakers, etc. I would suggest that whenever the Big Sisters plan a large luncheon meeting, that the Sisterhoods be notified a month or so ahead of time.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

November 12th, 1924.

Mrs. Julius Fryer,
1383 East Blvd.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mrs. Fryer,

Mr. Greco this morning
brought me the monogram which he
drew at your request. I am sending
it to you under separate cover.
I think it is beautiful.

Very sincerely yours,



Mizpah Congregation

Chattanooga, Tennessee

SAMUEL R. SHILLMAN, RABBI

November 20th, 1924

Rabbi Abbe Hillel Silver
The Temple
Cleveland, Ohio

My dear Rabbi Silver:-

I know that you have built a new Temple recently and wish to extend to you my best wishes for your happiness in this new structure.

Mr. Adolph S. Ochs has offered to build for my congregation a Temple, Community House and Parsonage. Our needs are not as great as yours and therefore we are not likely to erect a structure as costly as yours is but I should like to be guided by the plans you have drawn. I would appreciate it if you would have your Temple Committee send me pictures and some plans and suggestions. I promise to return in good shape anything you may lend me.

Most cordially yours,

Samuel R. Shillman

PS- I am a member of the last graduating class of the Hebrew Union College. I wonder if you remember when I was initiated into the alumni last summer - SRS

Mr. Wolf,

Will you kindly give this letter attention at your convenience. I would appreciate it.

A. H. Silver

Dec. 1, 1924

2-5 Levy
Heddings?

December 2nd, 1924.

Mr. Eugene E. Wolf,
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Eugene,

I thought that I should like to give you my ideas about the use of this building by other than Temple organizations.

1. In the first place our policy should be not to permit extra-Temple organizations to regular meeting quarters here. We are conducting a Temple center and not a community center. We wish to extend the courtesy of the use of parts of our building to worthy organizations from time to time, but we do not wish to saddle ourselves with organizations who wish to have permanent meeting quarters in The Temple. We must first develop our own resources and we will find that we shall find need for the building ourselves.

2. I believe that the Council of Jewish Women, the Cooperative League of Jewish Women, the Junior Council of Jewish Women, Hadassah, and the B'nai B'rith, should be given the use of Mahler Hall once or twice a year gratis. This has been our practice in years past. Other Congregations are pursuing the same policy.

3. This does not mean the use of the kitchen which imposes upon us an added expense both as to extra janitor service, heat, light etc. If the above organizations wish to use the kitchen, they should be asked to meet the additional expense; I should say approximately, \$20.00.

4. As a general policy we should discourage the use of the kitchen in entertainments. I do not wish The Temple to be turned into a restaurant and it is becoming increasingly rare to hold a meeting without feeding the people. That holds good for our own as well as outside activities.

5. We should not rent Mahler Hall to any other organizations than those above mentioned without approval of the House Committee and the Rabbi or of a special committee appointed for this purpose.

6. I believe that a fair charge for the use of the Chapel for wedding purposes would be \$15.00 for members and \$25.00 for non-members.

7. The use of class rooms for club purposes should for the time being be restricted to Temple clubs. Applications of outside organizations, juvenile or adult should first be approved by the above mentioned committees.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,



TEMPLE BUILDING COMMITTEE
Louis M. Wolf, Chairman
804 Hickox Bldg.

Cleveland, Ohio, December 3, 1924.

Rabbi R. Shillman,
Mizpah Congregation,
Chattanooga, Tenn.

Dear Sir:-

Your favor of the 20th ult. addressed to Rabbi Silver, was turned over to me with the request that I give you the information asked for, and I in turn have communicated with our architect, Mr. Charles Greco, of Boston, Mass., who will send you photographs and give you details as asked for.

The only thing we have available is the picture post card which I am enclosing, and which is an exact reproduction of the building and surroundings.

Trusting Mr. Greco will furnish you with all information you may desire, beg to remain,

Yours very truly

I have forwarded information
M. Wolf

Temple Shalom
Corner Grace Street and Pine Grove Avenue

Chicago, Dec. 4, 1924.

Rabbi A.H. Silver,
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Rabbi Silver:

Rabbi Hirschberg suggested that I write to you about some information regarding your Fathers' and Sons' Club. I would appreciate it very much if you would send me at your very earliest convenience, a program of activities of your Fathers' and Sons' Club, the number of members, and all other information that in your opinion will be helpful to us in organizing such a club at our Temple.

Cordially yours,

Miles Goldberg

MS/ME

December Seventh
1924

Mrs. Louis M. Wolf,
2227 Elandon Drive,
H e i g h t s,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mrs. Wolf,

Rabbi Silver suggests the following
inscription for the trowel which Mr. Wolf used
on the occasion of the laying of the cornerstone:

THIS TROWEL WAS USED IN
LAYING THE CORNERSTONE OF
THE NEW TEMPLE OF
CONGREGATION TIFERETH ISRAEL
East 105th Street at Ansel Road
CLEVELAND, OHIO
MONDAY, DECEMBER 4TH, 1922

Rabbi Silver appreciates your in-
tention to have the trowel appropriately inscribed
and presented to The Temple.

Sincerely yours,

Secretary.

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December 9, 1924

Secretary Tifereth Israel Congregation
Ansel Road & E. 105th Street
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Sir:

WRHS



We are sending you herewith a copy of
our December issue. You will find a picture of
your new temple on page 109.

Very truly yours,

Paul S. Gensberger

Assistant Editor

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EXECUTIVE OFFICE

December 10th, 1924.

SPECIAL DELIVERY

Rabbi A. H. Silver,
c/o The Temple,
East 105th & Ansel Road,
C i t y.

My Dear Rabbi:

I wish to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 8th.

Some of the points you mention, I took up with 'Jimmie' myself last week and I believe we are working on the lines to get matters straightened out, organized and systematized. However, your suggestions are very helpful and I appreciate them very much.

I am going to take some of your suggestions up with the balance of our Committee so there will be a uniform understanding by us, and the help throughout the building so advised.

Very sincerely yours,

Sam M. Gross

SMG/s

December 12th, 1921.

Mr. Benjamin Lowenstein,
c/o The Landesman-Hirscheimer Co.,
West Ninth & St. Clair,
C i t y.

My Dear Mr. Lowenstein:

I was at the Temple last night, and only two of our Committee showed up. I rather expected to see you there as there were some things I wanted to take up with you.

WRHS I understand from Rabbi Silver, that janitors and the janitress have been in the habit of receiving tips from the various associations that participate in the Temple activities; I told 'Jimmie Gannon' very plainly, that under no circumstances, do we want any of the employees of the Temple to receive any tips of any kind, and that if it came to our attention again, that whoever received them would have to look for a job somewhere else. I also asked him to deputize his work in such a manner that there would be no cause for complaint on the part of the Rabbi. I am reasonably certain, however, that 'Jimmie's' statement to me has more or less merit. He claims there are activities that take place which he is not aware of. For instance: The other night, a bunch of young men came into the building and wanted to know what room they were going to have for their meeting? 'Jimmie' asked them who they were, and they said 'Western Reserve Students', and this was the first intimation that 'Jimmie' had of any such meeting; he knew nothing about it. They just walked in on him, and advised him accordingly. This is the second incident of this kind.

It seems to me that whoever is responsible for these various activities should work in conjunction with the Temple, at least until such a time as your new Secretary takes hold.

12/12/24.

Mr. Benjamin Lowenstein - 2.

I am also advised that the office is working out very unsatisfactorily. The help are coming and going when they please. They report as late as 9:30 in the morning; take anywhere from one hour to two hours for dinner, and that last night they left the building without making any effort to have the Temple Bulletin properly mailed, and 'Jimmie' had to take his men off of their work and see that this part of the office work was completed.

Another thing which I think is very important is, for you to furnish me with a list of the activities that take place; that will have some bearing on charges to be made as a result thereof to the various associations that participate in the Temple activities. When women give affairs, it becomes necessary for 'Jimmie' and his people to clean up after them. I would like to know emphatically, just what the status of things are in this regard, so that the House Committee will know where they are at, in order to give the various bodies the proper support and a distinct understanding as to what they are entitled to and what they are not.

Another thing I noticed last night was, that some one upon their own authority, has caused to be installed on trial, an addressograph. I don't know whether you know or not, but it seems to me whether they are on approval or not, this means an obligation on our part, and I as Chairman of the Committee, do not like to have material, supplies and so forth, brought into the building without having the matter taken up with us, as it means that our Committee is 'groping in the dark'. We don't like the idea of just being 'a rubber stamp'. We want to do all we can to cooperate in every possible manner, and the objection that I have made heretofore was, that there are too many 'cooks' on the job, instead of having each branch of the Committee's service function properly.

In my opinion, things never will be right, until you get your new man installed, which should be done immediately.

I trust you will take all of my criticisms and suggestions in the spirit in which they are intended. I have no desire to usurp any one's authority, but in order for all the committees to function properly, there must be system and organization.

Yours very respectfully,

SMG/s

CC- Rabbi Silver,
c/o The Temple,
East 105th St. at Ansel Rd., City.

December 12th, 1924.

Mr. Miles Goldberg,
Temple Sholom,
Corner Grace St and Pine Grove,
Chicago, Illinois.

My dear Mr. Goldberg,

The Temple has no Fathers'
and Sons' Club. Once a year we have
a Fathers' and Sons' dinner. I should
be interested in the development of
your organization.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

WRHS




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Rabbi A. H. Silver,
The Temple,
Ansel Rd. & E. 105th., City

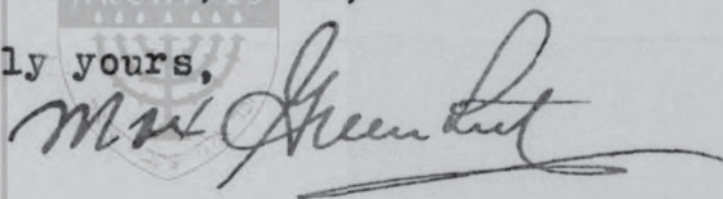
Dear Rabbi Silver:-

Last Sunday while in the Temple, I again visited the library and was surprised to see that the memorial tablet for my dear daughter, which you suggested is not yet there.

I have been wondering why this is being delayed and would like to hear from you regarding this.

Thanking you for your trouble, I am,

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Mrs. Greenhut", written over a faint background watermark.

MG/ME

RESIDENCE:
1016 SAN PEDRO AVENUE

RABBI EPHRAIM FRISCH, PH. D.
TEMPLE BETH-EL
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS

December 29, 1924.

Rabbi Abba H. Silver,
55th and Central Avenue,
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Colleague:

This will introduce to you Mr. Malcolm
Simons, whom we have engaged as architect of the
new temple which we are about to construct. I
would appreciate it if you would permit him to
inspect your temple and put at his disposal such
information as he may desire.

Sincerely yours,

Ephraim Frisch
R

EF:R.

Explained to Mr.Greenhut about the bronze
plate. He desires to see you regarding some
further memorial. Will call you for appoint-
ment.

F. H. J.

Sunday, Dec.21, 1924



FRANK R. HERRICK
EVAN H. HOPKINS
JOHN N. STOCKWELL
ALFRED A. BENESCH
WALTER C. KELLEY

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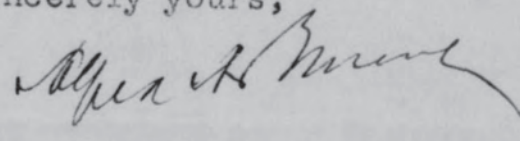
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The Temple,
East 105th St. & Ansel Rd.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Rabbi Silver:

I am asking Miss Jones to send out over my signature a letter, of which I enclose a copy, to each member of our Board of Trustees.

I confess that I myself have been rather remiss, because it is rarely possible for me to leave my office before 5:30 on Friday afternoon. I shall, however, make an especial effort next year to attend the service regularly.

Very sincerely yours,



AAB-MD

Mr. Silber
to select those
we desire to keep

PAUL J. WEBER
PHOTOGRAPHER
405 WASHINGTON STREET
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TEL. DORCHESTER 1003

Oct. 13/25

My dear Mrs Wasserman

Regarding the price
of the Kimpel photos they
are 3⁰⁰ each. As I
wrote Rabbi Silber, if
these are any he does
not care for he can
return them.

Thanking you I am

Yours truly
J. Weber

DOMAIN OF OHIO

GRAND LODGE KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS

OFFICE OF

ALBERT H. KUNKLE: GRAND CHANCELLOR
SPRINGFIELD, OHIO

OFFICE OF
FRED E. BRUML
901-2-3 SOCIETY FOR SAVINGS BLDG.
CLEVELAND, OHIO

February 18, 1925.

Rabbi A. H. Silver,
c/o The Temple,
East 105th & Ansel Road,
Cleveland, Ohio.

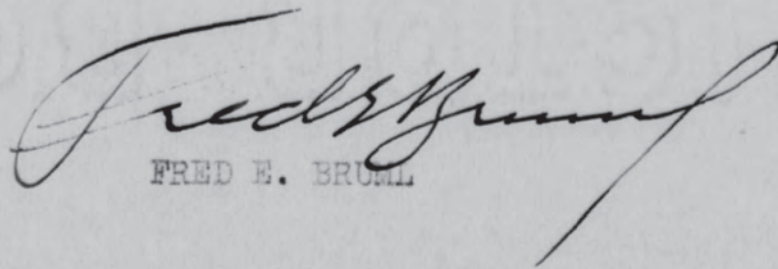
My Dear Rabbi:

On behalf of the Pythians, Pythian Sisters and the Pythian Association of Cuyahoga County, I desire to sincerely thank you for permitting us to use your beautiful Temple for our Memorial Service which was so successfully held on February the 15th. I appreciate your willingness which resulted in our being permitted to use The Temple auditorium proper.

We think that we had a very dignified service. The Temple was filled to overflowing and many were turned away, and I am sure that you will have no regret in having consented to its use for our service.

With kindest personal regards, I remain,

Sincerely yours,


FRED E. BRUML

FEB:MB

February Twenty-four
1925

Mr. Saul J. Weber,
405 Washington Street,
Dorchester, Mass.

Dear Sir:-

Just recently have I found the opportunity to look over the group of photographs of our New Temple, which you sent to me at the request of Mr. Greco.

I have selected ~~thirteen~~ seventeen which The Temple will buy. The remaining thirteen I have had returned to you by insured mail today.

Kindly send a statement for the seventeen and a check will be mailed to you promptly. The pictures are very beautiful.

Very sincerely yours,

TEMPLE

February 24th, 1925.

Dr. I. Bettan,
Hebrew Union College,
Cincinnati, Ohio.

My dear Dr. Bettan,

The Temple will be delighted to have you occupy its pulpit again during the next Holy Days. We were so tremendously impressed with the conduct of the services and the inspirational messages which you brought that we are eager to have you return again this year. Please let me know at your earliest convenience whether we may look forward to your coming.

With kindest regards, permit me to remain

Very sincerely yours,



March 5, 1925.

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver,
The Temple
Cleveland, O.

My dear Sir,

Which as I should like to return
to Cleveland for the next Holy days, with the
memory of the strain to my poor throat
still fresh in my mind I cannot
bring myself to accept the tempting
invitation. It seems that while the quality
of my voice has suffered no impairment
from the operation on the vocal cords,
its capacity has been greatly diminished,
perhaps for all time. To guard
against a recurrence of the old
trouble, I must refrain from



Addressing in places where my voice
would be taxed to the utmost of
its capacity. It is a very unpleasant
fact for me to contemplate but
it is a fact that I must face.

With appreciation of your
kindness and with most cordial
greetings, I am

Sincerely yours,
Isaac Betts

March Seventh
1925

Dr? Henry Englander,
Hebrew Union College,
Cincinnati, Ohio.

My dear Dr. Englander,

We have been thinking of our Holyday Service next Fall. The Temple and I would be delighted and honored to have you with us again. Your many friends here are anticipating your return. You have not yet been in our new Temple and I know you will enjoy the experience immensely. Please let me know whether you are free to come.

With kindest regards to you and Mrs. Englander, in which Mrs. Silver joins me, I am

Very sincerely yours,

The Rorimer-Brooks Studios

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2232 Euclid Avenue, Cleveland

March 14th, 1925.

Rabbi A. H. Silver,
Temple Bldg.,
Ansel Rd & E. 105th St.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Silver:

In reply to your favor of recent date calling the writer's attention to the following articles, wish to report that the curtains for back of both Arks in the Temple and in the Chapel, also the curtain for the outside of Ark in Chapel, and the panel which is to be painted for Sisterhood's room will be completed next week.

In regard to the dictionary, I find that this was delivered two or three weeks ago and was put in the wrong room. Was out to the Temple this morning and had it placed in the Library.

Yours very truly,

Charles R. Streetfall

CBW:AAK

THE HEBREW UNION COLLEGE

CINCINNATI, OHIO

HENRY ENGLANDER
REGISTRAR

March, 15, 1925

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver,

Cleveland, O.,

Dear friend :

I appreciate since rely your kind invitation to be with you again during the next Fall Holydays. According to present plans, I expect to be in the West during the latter part of the summer, and I therefore deem it inadvisable to accept any engagement at this time.

Would suggest that you try to get some one else, and if you do not succeed will be glad to hear from you again say about the middle of June, and if absolutely necessary will change my plans, though I would prefer not to do so.

Am pleased to inform you that your thesis has been accepted. As soon as the Faculty has heard the report of the Referee and Co-referee will send you the original report, with the request that you either return the original, or have a duplicate copy made and send same to me for filing.

With all good wishes to you and yours,

Henry Englander

Mar. 23/25

MRS. JULIUS FRYER
1383 EAST BOULEVARD
CLEVELAND, OHIO

Dear Rabbi Silver;

The members of the
Friday Bible Class have asked
me to express their gratitude
for the interesting work you de-
voted to our lectures. We have
gained so much in knowledge
and have been so inspired by
your beautiful faith and

power to impart it, That
we cherish every moment given
to us. It is our earnest hope
that we may again have the
privilege of your leadership
when the class forms next year.
With personal expressions of
heartfelt thanks, I am,

Faithfully yours

Winnie Fryer.

MRS. JULIUS FRYER
1383 EAST BOULEVARD
CLEVELAND, OHIO

Dear Rabbi,

They should ever again ask me
to write a formal letter to you!
It can't be done. I could have
really wasted eloquent if I
didn't know you so well
and didn't feel so close to you.
Iner - how hard it is to say
pretty things to people who
mean most to us. In the language

of Edna "Somebody once said.

"Where the feelings are deepest the
words are fewest."

You understand.



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March 23rd, 1925.

Mr. Guy Lombardie,
Willard Storage Battery Co.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Lombardie,

May I not take this occasion to express to you and to the members of your splendid orchestra my own appreciation and that of The Temple for your generous service to us last Wednesday afternoon. You made the children's hour most delightful. I want you to know that we are very grateful to you.

With kindest regards,

I am

Very sincerely yours,

March 26th, 1925.

Mrs. Julius Fryer,
1383 East Blvd.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mrs. Fryer,

Permit me to thank you and through you the members of the Friday Bible class for the kind letter which you sent me. I received ~~great~~ enjoyment from the work and was greatly stimulated by the interest which the members of the group manifested throughout the year. I hope that it will be possible for me to continue the work next year.

With kindest regards, permit me to remain

Very sincerely yours,

P.S. The above sounds like a presidential message, but dignity demands that it be couched in the most formal stereotyped style. But I really enjoyed the work.

April 2nd, 1925.

Dr. Henry Englander,
Hebrew Union College,
Cincinnati, Ohio.

My dear Dr. Englander,

Please pardon the long
delay in replying to your ~~last~~ letter.
I have been out of the city most
of the time. I hope that you will still
find it possible to come to us for the
Holy Days. We do want you very much.
You said that you were forwarding to me
the report of Dr. Mann for me to typewrite.
I have not as yet seen it. Would you let
me know how much time I have before I must
report for the examination.

With kindest regards, permit
me to remain

Very sincerely yours,

The Temple

EAST 105TH STREET AT ANSEL ROAD

TELEPHONES - CEDAR 132-133

Cleveland

ABBA HILLEL SILVER, RABBI

—
SOLOMON BLUHM

DIRECTOR OF TEMPLE ACTIVITIES

April 2nd, 1925.

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

My dear Rabbi Silver,

I have the honor of
appointing you a member of the
Committee on Arrangements for
the Annual Meeting of The Temple.

Trusting you will
consent to serve, I am

Sincerely yours,

Benjamin Lovenstein
President.

Committee

A.H. Silver
Max Meisel
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Mrs. Marcus Feder.

Social Workers Club

BOARD OF EDUCATION

BUSINESS DEPARTMENT

Cleveland
Fifth Ave.

REPLYING TO

Yours of March 29, 1925.

SUBJECT Social Workers' Club
April Meeting

TO

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver,
The Temple,
Ansel Road and E. 105th St.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

DATE April 7, 1925.

My dear Rabbi Silver: -

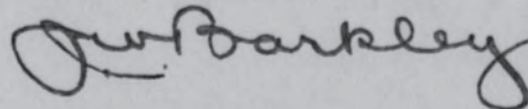
This confirms telephone conversation with your secretary, when it was agreed that Wednesday evening, April 22, 1925, should be the date for the meeting of the Social Workers' Club at the Temple.

Miss Friedman of Mount Sinai Hospital is chairman of our hospitality committee and I asked her to get in touch with you at once relative to the buffet supper she wishes to serve. The chairman of our entertainment committee is Mr. William Telzrow of the Citizens League and I have asked him to arrange the program to your satisfaction. We shall hope to have a personally conducted tour of the Temple with yourself as guide and speaker.

The few members of our organization who know where the meeting is to be are most enthusiastic and I can assure you I deeply appreciate the hospitality of yourself and the Temple. I trust we shall be able to reciprocate your kindness sometime.

With all good wishes, I remain

Very sincerely yours,



J. W. Barkley,
Assistant Director of Schools.

4-7-25
JWB:SMT

April 8th, 1925.

Mr. Max Greenhut,
1373 East Blvd.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Greenhut,

I have just received your contribution of \$1000 to the Library Fund. I need not tell you that the officers and members of The Temple and I, deeply appreciate your great generosity and your fine spirit. We are proceeding with the purchase of additional valuable books which will undoubtedly prove very helpful to hundreds of people who will make use of them.

I trust you are fast recovering from your indisposition and that I shall have the pleasure of seeing you soon.

With kindest regards, permit me to remain

Very sincerely yours,

The Cleveland Section National Council of Jewish Women

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**Headquarters: 2032 East 90th Street
Cleveland, Ohio**

April 16, 1925.

My dear Rabbi Silver:

Pursuant to our recent conversation, I am writing to ask whether we may have the use of the Temple for the opening meeting of the Ohio State Conference of Council Sections on Sunday evening, October 18th.

We should like very much to have you give the invocation, and devote the evening to a very fine musical program, given by Ernest Bloch and Beryl Rubinstein, if it is possible to secure them.

We should greatly appreciate permission to use the Temple for this occasion, as we are desirous of giving our deliberations that religious spirit which a conference of Jewish Women should have, and also because we are eager to have our guests have the privilege of seeing our beautiful Temple.

Sincerely,

Carolyn K. Grossman
President

April 21st, 1925.

Mrs. Marc J. Grossman,
2219 St. James Parkway,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Carolyn,

Permit me to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of April 16th. I shall refer it to the next meeting of the Board for action. As you are undoubtedly aware, our Board passed a resolution at the time that we came into the new building, that The Temple proper should be used exclusively for religious services and we have during the year adhered very strictly to this ruling. We have had no meeting of The Temple Women's Association in The Temple this year except on the occasion of the dedication of the organ. There might therefore, be some objections raised. I think that if you could let me know more definitely the program for that evening, I should be in better position to present the request to the Board. You mention Beryl Rubinstein in your letter. I do not believe that the committee would consent to have a piano brought on to the pulpit.

Should the committee act adversely on your request, we should of course be most happy to give the State Conference the use of Mahler Hall that evening if that is agreeable and to open The Temple for inspection after the meeting.

With kindest regards, permit me to remain

Very sincerely yours,

THE HEBREW UNION COLLEGE

CINCINNATI, OHIO

HENRY ENGLANDER
REGISTRAR

April 21, 1925.

Rabbi Abba H. Silver,
% The Temple,
East 105th St. at Ansel Rd.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Abba:

I found your note on my return urging that I join you on the High Holydays, but I would very much appreciate your getting someone else if at all possible, as my present plans call for a trip to the West.

If, as I already wrote you, you cannot get anyone else then write me not later than the middle of June and I will endeavor to change my plans in order to help you out.

With kindest greetings to Mrs. Silver and yourself,
I am

Cordially yours,

Henry Englander
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**Headquarters: 2032 East 90th Street
Cleveland, Ohio**

April 22, 1925.

My dear Rabbi Silver:

I confess that the difficulty of having a piano on the pulpit had not occurred to me. I realize that it would not be right to do so, and unless it were possible to have a piano on a slightly raised platform between the seats and the pulpit, clearly our idea of having the meeting in the Temple must be given up.

Should our suggestion seem impracticable, it will not be necessary to bring our request to the Board of the Temple. In that event, we should be very happy to have the use of Mahler Hall for the opening meeting of the State Conference.

For your information, our tentative program for the meeting is as follows:

Invocation.....Rabbi A. H. Silver
Welcome.....Mrs. Marc J. Grossman
Response.....Mrs. Bert Printz
Musical
Beryl Rubinstein Andre de Ribeaupierre
Ernest Bloch

With kindest regards,

Sincerely yours,

Carolyn K. Grossman.

April 23rd, 1925.

Mrs. Marc J. Grossman,
2219 St. James Parkway,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Carolyn,

I believe that it would perhaps be best to hold the opening meeting of the State Conference in the Mahler Hall. It would save us the embarrassment of a precedent for public meetings in The Temple. We shall do everything in our power to make your meeting a success. We shall have Mahler Hall in perfect condition for your meeting and the rest of The Temple open for inspection. Please feel free to call upon me or The Temple for any service we can render.

With kindest regards, permit
me to remain

Very sincerely yours,

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Religion — Education — Civics — Social Welfare

Office of the Executive Secretary
2109 BROADWAY, NEW YORK CITY

COMMITTEE ON CIVIC AND COMMUNAL AFFAIRS

MRS. SIEGMUND HERZOG, CHAIRMAN
2558 EUCLID BOULEVARD

Cleveland, Ohio,

April 24th, 1925.

My Dear Rabbi Silver:

I am enclosing a letter with a plan of work recently issued by my department of the National Council of Jewish Women. I believe you will be interested in looking it over.

Very sincerely,

Chairman

National Committee on Civic and Communal Affairs.

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April 26, 1925

Dear Rabbi Silver -

Received your letter, and am very much interested in the work you spoke of. You can send me particulars by mail if you wish to or else you can tell me when you come to Cincinnati for your doctor's exam. I suppose you will be able also to tell me whether all arrangements have been made for services this summer.

Looking forward to seeing you in a few days, I am,

Sincerely,

Moses Weis

Leon.

Feuer



May 29, 1925

Dear Rabbi Silver-

Not having heard from you, I have been wondering whether you are going to have the Summer Sabbath School you spoke to me about, and whether you want me to teach for you. I will be in Cleveland on Friday to conduct the first service, and you can depend on me to see that the services are well conducted throughout the summer. Please drop a line to send your cutaway suit down to the tailor so that I can have it fixed when I get to Town on Friday. Hoping that you and Mrs. Silver have a very enjoyable trip & a most pleasant summer,

As ever,

Leon.

Sisterhood of Temple Beth El

Gladstone and Woodward Aves.

DETROIT

July 20, 1925

Miss Frances H. Jones, Sec'y
The Tifereth Israel Congr.
E. 55th St. & Central Ave.
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Madam:

We are advised that your congregstion has one or more women on its Board of Directors. We take it for granted that to be eligible to the Board, one must be a member. As membership in a congregation or temple usually rests with the man or head of the family, we are very much interested in knowing what means you have adopted to make it possible for these women to serve on your Board.

Also, if you have found some way of making such women members in their own right by some nominal fee, do you count them on your membership list in computing your per capita tax to the Union of American Hebrew Congregations?

We should also like to know the number of members you have on your Board, and how many of them are women.

Trusting you will favor us with this information and anything else along the same line that might be of help to us, we are, with thanks in advance for your courtesy,

Very truly yours,

SISTERHOOD OF TEMPLE BETH EL

Mrs. Wallace Rosenheim

~~Chairman~~

Pres.

Affiliated With



July Twenty-second
1925

Mrs. Wallace Rosenheim,
President Sisterhood of Temple Beth El,
Gladstone and Woodward Avenues,
Detroit, Michigan.

My dear Mrs. Rosenheim,

Replying to your letter of July twentieth - A resolution passed by the annual meeting of the Congregation held in April, 1913 the Board of Trustees was empowered to change the laws of the Congregation to permit a limited number of women of The Temple Women's Association to serve and act with the Executive Board of The Temple. The laws of the Congregation and of The Sisterhood (The Temple Women's Association) make it necessary that women representatives on the Board of the Congregation be wives of members of The Temple, or that they maintain an individual membership in the Congregation.

The Temple has a great many women who maintain membership in The Temple. The majority of these, however, are widows who have assumed the membership at the time of the husband's death, or have become members at that time to secure cemetery rights. A few women have joined because they preferred the service of The Temple to that of some Orthodox Synagogue to which the husband belongs. A few unmarried women hold membership in the congregation of The Temple. With few exceptions, the dues paid by women members of The Temple are the regulation dues for Temple membership.

Twenty-seven members constitute The Temple Board of Trustees, of which six are women. The women representatives are selected by the Sisterhood and accepted and sworn in at the first meeting of following the Congregational Annual Meeting.

The Temple roster contains the names of the persons who made applications for membership and who are responsible for obligations to The Temple.

I trust I have given you the information you desire, but please do not hesitate to question me further if I have not been quite clear.

Very sincerely yours,

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The National Council of Jewish Women

OHIO CONFERENCE
OF COUNCIL SECTIONS

MRS. BERT H. PRINTZ, PRESIDENT
298 TOD LANE
YOUNGSTOWN, OHIO

2032 East 90th St. Cleveland, Ohio

July 23rd, 1925

The Temple,
105th & Ansel Rd.,
City

Att: Mr. Bluhm

Dear Mr. Bluhm:

As you probably know, the State Conference of Ohio Council Sections will meet in Cleveland on October 18th, 19th and 20th, and will be attended by representative women from every Section in the State.

We are writing to confirm the date of the opening meeting of the Conference, Sunday evening, October 18th, which, thru the courtesy of the Temple, will be held in Mahler Hall. We understand, also, that our guests will be given the privilege of seeing the Temple that evening.

We would also appreciate it if we might have the use of Mahler Hall for the first business session on Monday morning, October 19th.

Will you kindly advise us whether we may plan on this?

Sincerely yours,

(Mrs. Benj.) Hedwig P. Levine
Cor. Sec'y State Conference

HPL:RPL

July Twenty-fourth
1925

Mrs. Hedwig P. Levine,
Secretary State Conference,
Council of Jewish Women,
2032 East 90th Street, City.

My dear Mrs. Levine,

Mr. Bluhm is out of the city and is
not expected to return to Cleveland until the first
of September.

Rabbi Silver made the arrangement
with Mrs. Marc Grossman for the State Conference to
hold its opening meeting in Mahler Alumni Hall on
Sunday evening, October 18th. I think there is
nothing in the way of your having Mahler Hall for
your business meeting on Monday morning, October
19th and will have a record made of the reservation.

~~Someone will~~ be delegated to open
and light The Temple on Sunday evening to afford your
guests an opportunity to see it.

Very sincerely yours,

BY-LAWS OF THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS
of

THE TEMPLE MEN'S CLUB

ARTICLE I OFFICERS

Sec. 1. The President of the Temple Men's Club shall be the presiding officer of the Board of Governors and the Secretary of the Club shall be the Secretary of the Board. The ranking Vice President shall preside in the absence of the President.

ARTICLE II MEETINGS

Sec. 1. A meeting of the Board of Governors shall be held on the first Wednesday of each month, unless otherwise ordered by the President, and due notice of every meeting shall be sent by the Secretary to each member of the Board. Special meetings may be called by the President or upon written request of nine members of the Board.

Sec. 2. Any member who fails to attend three consecutive meetings of the Board without an excuse acceptable to the remainder of the Board shall be deprived of his membership on the Board.

ARTICLE III COMMITTEES

Sec. 1. The President shall be ex-officio a member of all committees.

Sec. 2. The President may appoint such committees as are necessary for the proper conduct of the Club, and provided that the Chairman of each Committee be a member of the Board of Governors.

ARTICLE IV QUORUM

Sec. 1. A quorum of the Board of Governors shall consist of nine members.

Sec. 2. A motion or resolution may be adopted by a majority vote of the members present and voting.

ARTICLE V AMENDMENTS

Sec. 1. These By-Laws may be amended at any meeting of the Board by a resolution duly presented on the floor of the meeting and adopted by a two-thirds vote of the members of the Board.

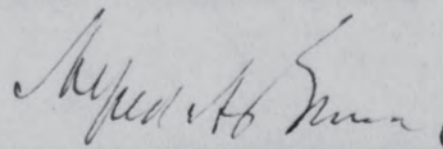
Although the attendance of our membership at the Vesper Service has been fairly satisfactory, I am confident that we have not yet reached our maximum attendance.

Unfortunately, the members of the Board themselves have not responded at all generously to this beautiful innovation of our congregational life. At Rabbi Silver's suggestion, therefore, I am again calling the Vesper Service to your attention, and beg leave to stress the desirability of as large an attendance of the members of our Board as possible on each Friday evening, so that an example may be afforded the entire membership of the congregation.

It will undoubtedly interest you to know that an anonymous donor has contributed a sum of money sufficient to enable us to engage splendid musical talent, vocal or instrumental, once a month for the Vesper Service.

Will you not cooperate to make the Vesper Service an outstanding feature of our congregational activities by attending as frequently as possible with the members of your family?

Very sincerely yours,



CHAIRMAN, PUBLIC WORSHIP COMMITTEE.

AAB-MD