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The Temple, general, 1933-1934.

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## THE FEDERATION OF JEWISH CHARITIES OF PHILADELPHIA

330 SOUTH NINTH STREET

October 9, 1933

Dear Abba:-

Mrs. Pinchot just called me on the long distance telephone to give her data for the speech she is to deliver in Cleveland on Wednesday. Please ask your secretary to send me clippings, etc. and I hope to have your own personal reaction in case you hear the speech.

Kindest regards,



Yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive ink that appears to read "Belle".

October 13, 1933.

Mr. Jacob Billikopf,  
The Federation of Jewish Charities of Philadelphia,  
330 South Ninth Street,  
Philadelphia, Pa.

My dear Billie:

I am enclosing herewith some of the clippings about Mrs. Pinchot's visit to Cleveland. She had a splendid turn out of women and was very well received. The newspapers, particularly were interested in her coming. Her address was good though extremely hurried, as she was very anxious to catch the plane for Pittsburgh where she was scheduled to speak that same evening. This fact unfortunately marred her address a bit but she spoke courageously and forcefully. We enjoyed having her with us very much.

With all good wishes to you and yours,  
I remain

As ever,

AHS:BK  
Enc.

December 18, 1933.

Mr. Josef Fuchs,  
2311 Overlook Rd.,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Fuchs:

May I tell you how much we all enjoyed your beautiful playing at The Temple Services yesterday morning. Throughout the day I heard comments in high praise of your artistry. You added much to the beauty of our Festival Service. I am deeply appreciative.

With all good wishes, to you and to your dear wife, I remain

Most cordially yours,

AHS:BK  
Encl. 1

January 17, 1934

Rabbi Joseph L. Fink,  
Temple Beth Zion,  
599 Delaware Avenue,  
Buffalo, New York.

My dear Joseph:

Just a line to let you know how much I enjoyed my stay in Buffalo, particularly the evening spent at your home. My trip to Buffalo proved a relaxation for me even though I had to speak three times.

There is another reason for writing this letter to you. My Temple has for years arranged an annual fathers' and sons' dinner meeting. This is usually held in connection with Lincoln's birthday, and is an outstanding event in our congregational year. The dinner will be held this year on Sunday evening, February the 11th. The Committee on Arrangements met yesterday and decided to invite two men as the principle speakers at this event; one, Professor Busch of Cleveland, to speak on the significance of Lincoln's message to young people today; and the other, Rabbi Joseph L. Fink of Buffalo, to speak on the central theme of the evening, fathers and sons.

I do hope, Joe, that you can see your way clear to come. A real warm reception will await you here, and I am sure that you will enjoy the day with us. Please say yes. We shall, of course, be happy to take care of your expenses.

With kindest regards (to your dear wife and sister.)  
I remain, as ever,

Yours,

AHS:AY

January 17, 1934.

Mr. Joseph Guggenheim,  
3035 Meadowbrook,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Joe:

I am enclosing a letter which I received and which will interest you. We must find ways of stopping conversation and restlessness during the service. Have you been stationing the two ushers in front of the Temple as we had arranged?

I am printing a card to be put in the pews and in the prayer books asking the people to assist in maintaining the dignity and decorum of our service.

With all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BK  
Enc.

January 18, 1934.

Dr. Robert Maynard Hutchins, President,  
The University of Chicago,  
Chicago, Ill.

My dear Dr. Hutchins:

I had the great pleasure of addressing the Chapel Service of the University of Chicago again this year on January 7th. It was an altogether satisfying experience. The services in the Chapel are among the most impressive that I have ever attended.

You may recall that my Temple extended an invitation to you a year ago to honor us with your presence and to address one of our Sunday morning services. At that time you could not come. I wonder whether you would be free to come some time during the Spring season?

I understand that you are to be in Cleveland on March 6th. Would it be possible for you to address the Temple congregation on Sunday morning, March 4th?

The Temple is the largest liberal congregation in the United States. There would be two thousand worshippers at the service eager to receive your message. It would be a distinct contribution to the religious life of the entire community if you could come.

With all good wishes, and hoping to hear from you at your earliest convenience, I remain

Very sincerely yours,

AHS:BK

THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO

CHICAGO ILLINOIS

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

January 20, 1934

Dear Dr. Silver:

As President Hutchins is down in Georgia and does not expect to return until the twenty-fifth, I am replying to your letter of January 18.

I cannot say definitely what his reaction will be to your invitation but I do know that he had planned to spend only one day in Cleveland. His schedule is so heavy now that he must be away from Chicago no more than is absolutely necessary. In spite of this unpromising outlook, I shall hold your letter for his immediate attention.

Very truly yours,

*Lawrence J. Schmidt*

Secretary to the President

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver  
East 105th Street at Ansel Road  
Cleveland, Ohio

Temple Beth Zion

DELAWARE AVENUE

BUFFALO

OFFICE OF THE RABBI  
JOSEPH L. FINK

January 22, 1934

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

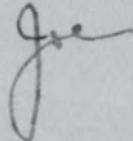
My dear Friend :

I postponed answering your letter for a few days because I had hoped to devise some scheme to be with you. I am deeply flattered and appreciative of your very kind invitation to speak before your Men's Club, but I find that I must keep my radio engagement for that afternoon, and it is impossible for me to leave Buffalo in time to be present at your meeting. In addition to that I am now writing my Ph.D. dissertation, which I must hand in before April 1st in order to get my degree this year.

I want you to know, however, how much I enjoyed seeing you, and how deeply<sup>9</sup> appreciate your thought of me in connection with your program. I hope that at some future date, if you want me again, to be able to be with you.

With kind personal greetings, I am

Sincerely yours,



January 22, 1934.

Mr. Josef Fuchs,  
2311 Overlook Rd.,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Fuchs:

The announcement that you are to play at The Temple, which I made yesterday morning at the services, was received with deepest satisfaction by the members of the congregation. The schedule of your appearances at The Temple is as follows: January 28th, February 4th, February 18th, March 4th, March 18th, April 1st, April 15th and April 29th.

You will play immediately preceding the sermon, in other words, between 10:50 and 11:10. You would be able to leave immediately after your playing. Please let us have, not later than Monday morning, the names of your musical selections so that we may announce them in our Bulletin. It would, of course, be most desirable to select music which has a definite significance and which is of a religious quality, i. e., music which will be in consonance with the spirit of the religious service.

It might be advisable to fix a definite time for your rehearsals with Mr. Beymer, the organist.

With all good wishes, and looking forward with great pleasure to your contribution to the musical part of our Sunday morning service, I remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BK

January 23, 1934

Rabbi Philip E. Bernstein,  
Temple Brith Kodesh,  
Rochester, New York.

My dear Philip:

My Temple has for years arranged an annual fathers' and sons' dinner meeting. This is usually held in connection with Lincoln's birthday, and is an outstanding even in our congregational year. The dinner will be held this year on Sunday evening, February the 11th. The Committee on Arrangements met yesterday and decided to invite two men as the principle speakers at this event; one, Professor Busch of Cleveland, to speak on the significance of Lincoln's message to young people today; and the other, Rabbi Philip E. Bernstein of Rochester, to speak on the central theme of the evening, fathers and sons.

I do hope, Philip, that you can see your way clear to come. A real warm reception will await you here, and I am sure that you will enjoy the day with us. Please wire me whether you can come. We shall, of course, be happy to take care of your expenses.

With kindest regards, I remain, as ever,

Yours,

AHS:AY

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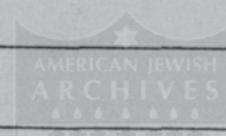
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To Dr. A.H. Silver

Street and No. The Temple

Place \_\_\_\_\_



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Philip Bernstein

Rochester, N.Y.

Sender's address  
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Temple B'rith Kodesh

117 GIBBS STREET  
Rochester, N.Y.

THE RABBI'S STUDY

Jan. 24, 1934

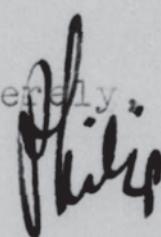
Dear friend,

Supplementing my telegram of this morning, I write to tell you that I would be delighted to address your Fathers and Sons Dinner meeting, but cannot come on Sunday night, February 11th. Dr. Wise's daughter, Justine, is speaking at our Temple that evening. We are close persoanl friends, and she has accepted this engagement only at my urgent personal invitation. It would be ungracious of me to be absent at that time.

If you could arrange your dinner for Saturday evening, the tenth, I would be happy to come. If that should not be convenient, then we will have to let it go this time, and I will be glad to come for some other occasion.

With kind regards,

Sincerely,



January 25, 1934.

Rabbi Philip E. Bernstein,  
Temple B'rith Kodesh,  
117 Gibbs Street,  
Rochester, N.Y.

My dear Philip:

I regret very much that you cannot come to our meeting on the 11th. I am sorry that we cannot change the date as all arrangements have already been made and tickets printed. I hope that it will be possible for you to come to us at some future time.

With all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BK

January 25, 1934.

Pond Bureau Inc.,  
580 Fifth Avenue,  
New York, N.Y.

Dear Friends:

It will not be possible for us to  
arrange a meeting for Emma Goldman. Our Lecture  
Course program for the year is complete.

With all good wishes, I remain

Very sincerely yours,

AHS:BK

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January 26, 1934

My dear Dr. Silver:

I know I should enjoy speaking before the Temple congregation on Sunday, March fourth, but I had not planned to come to Cleveland that early, and I doubt that I shall be able to get away from here for it. You were very kind to ask me, and I hope that at some future time I can oblige you.

Very sincerely yours,

*Abraham Freedman*

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver  
East 105th Street at Ansel Road  
Cleveland, Ohio

January 26, 1934.

Rabbi Julius Gordon,  
6830 Delmar Blvd.,  
St. Louis, Missouri.

My dear Julius:

I am delighted to know that you will be with us on Sunday evening, February 11th, for our Father-Son Banquet. The Dinner Meeting will begin at 6:30 P.M. in Mahler Hall of The Temple. We hope to have a very large turnout of our fathers and sons. The age of the sons has been limited to fourteen years and over so that in building up your address, please keep in mind the age group, which as far as the young people are concerned, will range from fourteen to twenty.

I would suggest the length of your address to be about thirty minutes. We will have Professor Busch, of Cleveland, speak briefly on Abraham Lincoln inasmuch as the Banquet falls on the eve of his birthday. We shall also have a musical program.

Please let me have your subject as soon as possible and also one or two photographs of yourself for use in our publicity.

With all good wishes, and looking forward with great pleasure to your coming to us, I remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BK

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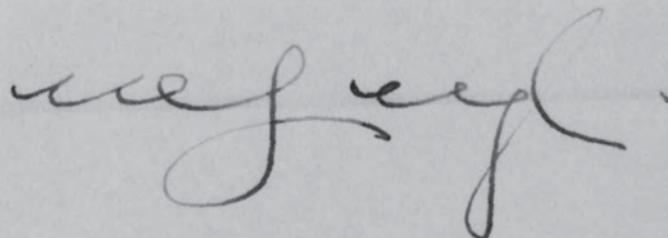
January 31, 1934

Rabbi A. H. Silver  
The Temple  
East 105th Street and Ansel Rd.  
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi Silver:

Very fortunately your night letter arrived while our representative, Mr. Charles Pearson, was in Cleveland and I wired him to get in touch with you immediately. Mr. Sokolsky has an engagement on the 28th of February.

Yours very sincerely,



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To Rabbi A. H. Silver

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Julius Gordon

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Jan. 29, 1934.

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver  
c/o The Temple  
East 105th St. at Ansel Rd.  
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Rabbi Silver:

I will arrive in Cleveland early Sunday morning and will go immediately to the home of my parents-in-law who live in Cleveland. You need not, therefore, make any hotel reservations for me. I will get in touch with you before noon.

My subject will be: How Shall the Jew Face the World? and I will be guided in the development of the subject by the approximate age of the "sons." As to dress, I assume this is not a formal affair. If it is, please inform me.

With kindest regards to your family,  
I am,

Sincerely yours,

*Julius*

JG/SB

February 2, 1934.

Mr. Walter Weil,  
% National Smelting Co.,  
6700 Grant Ave.,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Walter:

There are a few Temple matters which I should like to talk over with you and have your judgment on. I wonder whether you would be free to meet me for luncheon some day next week, say Wednesday or Thursday noon, at a place convenient to you. Will you give me a ring?

With all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BK

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3. Februar 1934.

Lieber Onkel Hartmann,

Das Resultat der durch Ihre fürsorglichen Briefe, für die wir herzlich danken, angeregten Besuche wollte ich erst zu einem gewissen Abschluss kommen lassen, bevor ich den Bericht erstatte. Nachdem ich 3 Tage die Abschrift Ihres Briefes an Rabbi Wise in Händen hatte, sprach ich auf dem Büro Hanoverstreet 7 vor. Man telefonierte mit Rabbi Wise und gab mir den Bescheid, zuständigkeitshalber sei Ihr Schreiben an den Council of Jewish Women weitergeleitet worden. Rabbi Wise wüsste selbst persönlich nicht irgend etwas positives zu tun.

Am nächsten Tag schrieb mir dann die Leiterin des Council of Jewish Women und bat mich um meinen Besuch. Gestern hatte ich auch eine Unterredung mit der Dame, die klug, bewandert und liebenswürdig ist. Wenn sie mir auch keine besonders neuen Informationen geben konnte, so hatte ich aber die Ffreudige Empfindung, dass von allen Beratungsstellen diese die beste und am meisten zu empfehlen sei. Man geht individuell auf jeden Fall ein, vermeidet jedes Schema, weiss Bescheid und legt eine persönliche Note in die jüdische Hilfsbereitschaft. Aus der Abschrift des mir übersandten Briefes sah ich auch, dass Rabbi Silver wohl auf Ihre Veranlassung hierher geschrieben hat, auch für diese Bemühung danke ich herzlich. Seit Monaten lese ich mit grösstem Interesse seine frischen und mutigen Artikel in dem Jewish Daily Bulletin, er scheint mir einer der wenigen, wirklich aus dem Rahmen fallenden, jüdischen Führer zu sein.

Für Dienstag war unsre Reise nach Kanada angesetzt, sie wird aber nach dem Resultat einer heutigen Besprechung etwas verschoben werden. Eine einflussreiche politische Persönlichkeit, mit der ich in meiner Angelegenheit und in einer grösseren juristischen Sache seit einigen Wochen verhandele, hat sich erboten, im Laufe der nächsten Woche im State Departement in Washington mit mir vorzusprechen. Wenn nicht alle Zeichen trügen, habe ich jetzt den Hebel gefunden, um mit nicht zu grosser Mühe das schwierige Problem an den Angeln zu fassen. Wenn wir dann nochmals ausser Land müssen, werden dann aber alle Wege voraussichtlich genügend geebnet sein. Sie können sich lebhaft vorstellen, dass wir es in unsrer Lage besonders dankbar empfinden, wenn die grossen Schwierigkeiten des Schicksals von hilfsbereiten Menschen mit aus dem Weg geräumt werden. Selbstverständlich zählen wir auch Sie unter diese Menschen und warten auf den Tag, an dem wir uns erkenntlich zeigen können.

Von der Adresse des Herrn Berger haben wir Gebrauch gemacht, viel Neues hörten wir von ihm nicht, er erwartet seine Frau am 15. Februar.

Nochmals innigsten Dank und beste Grüsse

Ihr

*A. Haas,  
Edith Haas*

# New York Evening Post

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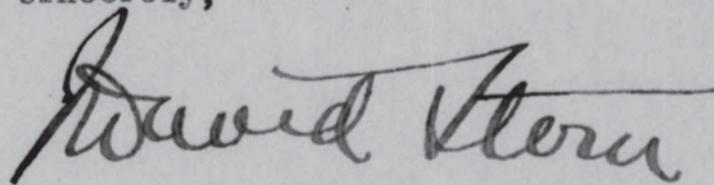
This is an explanation and not an excuse.

I purchased the New York Evening Post some six weeks ago and I have been unable to give any time to outside interests.

True to my forebearer Adam, who said that Eve tempted him, I may add that I was strongly advised by Samuel Untermyer to buy the Post so that he should assume some of the blame for my dereliction in the matter of which you wrote on January 12th.

I hope that in another month the present pressure will be somewhat relieved and I can give sometime to the good work which you are so ably carrying on.

Yours sincerely,



Dr. Abba Hillel Silver,  
The Temple,  
Ansel & E. 105th Street,  
Cleveland, O.

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To RABBI SILVERStreet and No.Place

REGRET THAT OTHER ENGAGEMENTS MAKE IT IMPOSSIBLE TO COME TO CLEVELAND

THIS SUNDAY WOULD WELCOME AN INVITATION TO MEET WITH YOUR GROUP AT

SOME LATER DATE

Sam Willaman  
Columbus, OhioSender's address  
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February 8, 1934.

Mr. Walter Weil,  
National Smelting Co.,  
6700 Grant Ave.,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Walter:

I was happy to have had the opportunity of speaking to you last evening. I hope that you will be free at some time in the near future to meet with me at lunch when we can go into the matter further.

WRHS  
AMERICAN JEWISH  
ARCHIVES

One thing which perturbed me a great deal last evening was the fact that you were not sent tickets for the Holidays. I asked Mr. Levy about it this morning. He is positive that tickets were sent to you and when I reported to him what you had said, he was distinctly shocked. It is clear that the tickets went astray. I was certain that the office of The Temple could not have been guilty of such an act of discourtesy. I am furthermore confident that whatever questions of finance are involved could be readily adjusted to the satisfaction of all. Please forget the unpleasantness and meet with me again soon to talk the matter over.

With all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BK

February 8, 1934.

Dr. Joel Hayden,  
Western Reserve Academy,  
Hudson, Ohio.

My dear Dr. Hayden:

I am turning to you for a great favor. Can you occupy my pulpit on Sunday morning, March 11th? I am scheduled to be at the University of Syracuse that morning -- an invitation which I accepted months ago. You helped me out last year and I really hesitate to turn to you again. But you would confer a great favor upon me and upon the Temple folks if you could see your way clear to come to us on March 11th. Rabbi Feuer would conduct the services and will introduce you to the congregation. I am sure that you will receive as warm a welcome this year as you did last year.

With all good wishes to you and yours, I remain

Very cordially,

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Rabbi A. H. Silver  
The Temple  
Cleveland, Ohio

My dear Rabbi:

I am enclosing a letter I just received from the young man in whose behalf we addressed letters to Rabbi Jonah Wise of the American Jewish Committee.

On behalf of Mr. Alfred Haas as well as myself, I wish to thank you for your helpfulness in this matter which I can assure you is deeply appreciated.

It is with great regret that I find it impossible to be present at the Fathers and Sons' Dinner next Sunday night as I am leaving the city on Saturday to be gone the better part of two weeks.

Trusting that the affair will be most enjoyable and helpful, I am

Sincerely yours,

Sam Hartman

SH:RF

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Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver,  
The Temple,  
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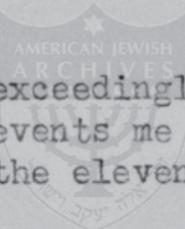
Dear Abba Hillel:

I exceedingly regret that  
my schedule is full and prevents me from accepting  
your fine invitations for the eleventh of March.

Please try me again sometime, because I like nothing  
better than meeting your fine people and sharing  
deep convictions and hopeful dreams with them.

Affectionately yours,

*Jesse*



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February 22, 1934.

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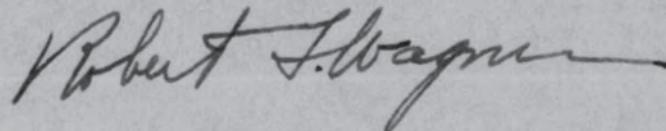
My dear Rabbi Silver:

Thank you for the complimentary comments about my talk at The Temple last week, I assure you it was a pleasure for me.

I enjoyed it enough that it was worth much more than the expense involved, but I appreciate your thoughtfulness of this matter, nevertheless.

Hoping that I may again participate in the civic activities of Cleveland and that I may also have the privilege of your cooperation and company, I am

Very sincerely yours,



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EDWARD A. LIEBENTHAL  
ATTORNEY AT LAW  
1344 UNION TRUST BUILDING  
CLEVELAND  
MAIN 9626

February 26th, 1934.

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

Dear Rabbi Silver:-

I am writing you to repeat the sincere regrets that Jimmie Mahler and I have for the very unfortunate incident that occurred during the "25th" Annual Dance of the Alumni Association on Saturday. We agree that this was the only thing that has marred an otherwise perfect social affair.

Neither Jimmie nor I can apologize for what happened; neither of us knew that the "entertainment" would be in the nature of a dance and neither of us saw the dance. We certainly would have prevented such a thing if we had, or could have, known that the dance was planned by the orchestra.

I feel that the less said about the incident the better. I believe that too much has already been said about it. This, of course, makes the results appear much worse than they would otherwise be.

Although both Jimmie and I had nothing to do with what happened, we realize that such naturally reflects on the Alumni Association and on The Temple and feel very badly that we, as the chairman and president, are ultimately responsible for everything that took place.

Sincerely yours,

*Edward Liebenthal*

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To BISHOP WARREN LINCOLN ROGERSStreet and No. LAYFAYETTE HOTELPlace WASHINGTON, D.C.AMERICAN JEWISH  
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WOULD IT BE POSSIBLE FOR YOU TO PREACH IN MY PULPIT SUNDAY MORNING

MARCH 11TH I MUST BE AT UNIVERSITY OF SYRACUSE CHAPEN SERVICE THAT

MORNING STOP YOU WOULD CONFER AN INESTIMABLE SERVICE TO ME AND TO

MY PEOPLE IF YOU WOULD ACCEPT STOP A DISCUSSION FROM THE TEMPLE

PULPIT BY YOU OF CHRISTIAN-JEWISH RELATIONS AND GOOD WILL WOULD

AT THIS PARTICULAR TIME HAVE NATIONAL SIGNIFICANCE PLEASE WIRE

ME WHETHER YOU CAN COME

A H SILVER

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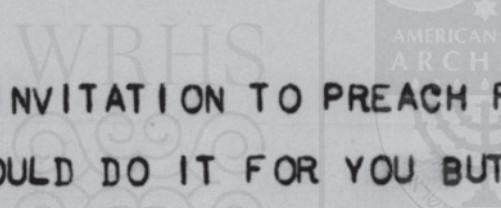
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RABBI A H SILVER

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SUNDAY AND CAN NOT SHIFT DATES AM EXCEEDINGLY SORRY GOOD WISHES  
TO YOU

WARREN L ROGERS.

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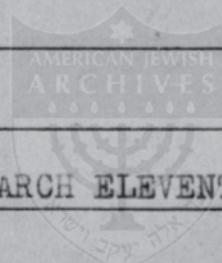
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To Mr. William Hard

Street and No. Washington, D.C.

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CAN YOU SPEAK IN MY PULPIT SUNDAY MORNING, MARCH ELEVENTH WIRE ALSO

HONORARIUM

A H SILVER

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To Rabbi Silver

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Place \_\_\_\_\_

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CANNOT POSSIBLY LEAVE WASHINGTON AT THIS TIME IMMENSELY SORRY WRITING

William Hard

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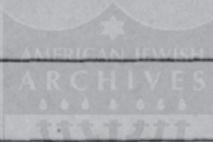
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To Dr. Leo Franklin

Street and No. Hotel Commodore

Place New York, N.Y.



WOULD YOU BE ABLE TO OCCUPY TEMPLE PULPIT SUNDAY MORNING MARCH ELEVENTH

I WOULD KEEEEEKX BE DEEPLY GRATEFUL AND SO WOULD THE ENTIRE CONGREGATION

YOU HAVE NOT BEEN HERE IN MANY YEARS PLEASE WIRE ME WHETHER YOU CAN

COME KINDEST REGARDS

A H SILVER

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To Harold R. Peat

Street and No. 2 West 45th St.

Place New York



WOULD BE INTERESTED IN HAVING WILLIAM HARD IN MY PULPIT SUNDAY

MORNING, MARCH 25th IS HE FREE TO COME WHAT IS HIS HONORARIUM

PLEASE WIRE

Rabbi A H Silver

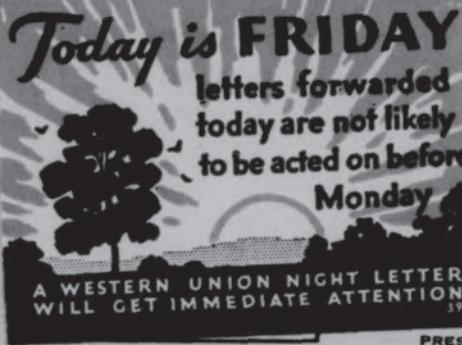
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DEEPLY REGRET INABILITY TO ACCEPT YOUR KIND INVITATION BOTH  
BECAUSE I MUST BE AWAY FROM DETROIT THIS SUNDAY AND ALSO  
BECAUSE I HAVE AN ENGAGEMENT FOR THE ELEVEN WHICH I CANNOT  
POSSIBLY CANCEL ASSURE YOU THAT I APPRECIATE YOUR  
INVITATIONS KINDEST REGARDS=

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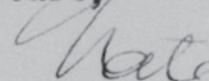
Rabbi A. H. Silver,  
Cleveland, O.

Dear Rabbi:

I would like to arrange an appointment at lunch with you and Mr. Benesch some time within the next few days.

I wonder if your Secretary could phone Mr. Benesch and arrange an appointment?

Sincerely yours,



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To Mr. WadeStreet and No. WTAMPlace 
 AMERICAN JEWISH  
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UNLESS TEMPLE WISHES TAKE CHANCE OF KEEPING ENGAGEMENT AND BEING ABLE  
 TO FLY NEW YORK SAME AFTERNOON MUST DECLINE

Walter B. Pitkin

3:35 - 6:00

In Boston      Stoller Hotel  
Boston

Sender's address  
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March 8, 1934.

Mr. Herbert Coulter,  
Federal Knitting Mills Co.,  
Detroit & West 29th St.,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Herbert:

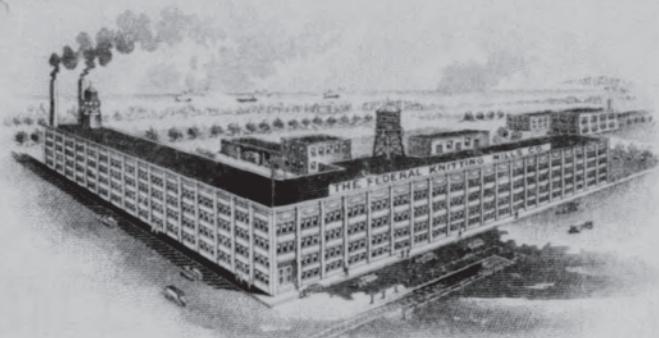
Some time ago, I realized from numerous comments which I have received from Temple members that the music in our Sunday morning services was not entirely adequate. You will recall that we had to cut our allotment to the choir budget very drastically. At that time, I talked the matter over with Mr. Eugene E. Wolf and we agreed that it would be a fine thing to engage the services of Mr. Josef Fuchs, concertmaster of the Cleveland Symphony Orchestra, to play at the Temple Services on alternate Sunday mornings. Mr. Wolf volunteered to pay the whole cost of Mr. Fuchs' services for the remainder of the year -- \$200. Mr. Fuchs' playing has added much to the quality of our music.

For the other Sundays, I have made arrangements with the Cleveland Jewish Singing Society, under the direction of Mr. Charles Dawes, to sing at our services and supplement our Temple choir, through the end of the season, i.e., five Sunday mornings. The cost for all the five services would be \$200. The Jewish Singing Society, composed of thirty voices sang at our Father-Son banquet this year and made a tremendous impression.

I wonder, my dear Herbert, whether you would undertake to raise this sum among a few of your friends. I should not like to tax the Temple budget for this amount. The Singing Society will make its first appearance at The Temple this coming Sunday morning.

With all good wishes and hoping that you had a very pleasant vacation in Florida, I remain

Very cordially yours,



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Rabbi A. H. Silver, D.D.,  
The Temple,  
E. 105th and Ansel Road,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Rabbi:

Have your letter of the 8th and note you claim the music at the Sunday morning services was not entirely adequate.

This is the first intimation I have had there had been any complaint whatsoever, in fact, have been of the opinion it was entirely satisfactory.

Shall personally do all I can to try to get members of our congregation interested in subscribing towards the cause, but inasmuch as I expect to be away considerably on business, would much prefer that you turn this matter over to some one else.

In the meantime, I am enclosing my check for \$25.00, as my share towards the fund.

Sincerely,

HGG:B

March 12, 1934.

Mr. Herbert Goulder,  
The Federal Knitting Mills Company,  
Detroit Ave. W. 29th Street & Vermont Ave.,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Herbert:

Let me thank you for your thoughtfulness  
in sending me your contribution to the fund. I  
hope that you will be able to interest some  
of your friends who are interested in outstanding  
music at the Temple to make some contribution  
to this fund.

From all reports the Jewish Singing  
Society added greatly to the musical service  
last Sunday morning.

With all good wishes, and hoping to  
see you at the Board meeting Tuesday night,  
I remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BK

March 12, 1934.

Dr. Henry Busch,  
Cleveland College,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Dr. Busch:

I need not tell you how much I appreciated your kindly and helpful cooperation in stepping in at the last moment and occupying my pulpit. That miserable swine of a prima donna, Pitkin, left me in the lurch at the last moment.

AMERICAN JEWISH  
ARCHIVES

From all sides I hear that that gentleman was not at all missed on Sunday morning and that you gave them a perfectly magnificent address. I was sure that you would.

I am enclosing herewith a check equal to the amount we would have paid to Pitkin.

With all good wishes, I remain

Most cordially yours,

AHS:BK  
Enc.

March 12, 1934.

Dr. Walter B. Pitkin,  
2960 Broadway,  
New York, N.Y.

My dear Doctor:

I ought not to let this opportunity go by without telling you of a few things that I learned about you in the last few days. First, that you are a liar. You told me that you would call me back from Dayton. You did not. Secondly, that you are a welcher. You contracted through your manager to speak before our organization on Sunday morning. When you discovered that you would have to inconvenience yourself by taking a late train out of Dayton to keep your engagement with us, you welched. And lastly, I have learned that you are a swine. For the sake of personal comfort you had no hesitancy in disappointing an organization and a large congregation that counted upon you.

Your Cleveland manager told me about your unwillingness to travel in an ordinary pullman car or drawing room. Ever since you became a prima donna you must needs have a special bed on the train. It isn't that the berths aren't long enough for you, my dear Doctor. It is that they aren't big enough for your head.

I shall take the trouble to inform all the lecture groups and forums with which I contact throughout the country of your bizarre and revealing escapade of last Sunday.

Sincerely yours,

AHS:BK

copy to Mr. Clark Getts

Waldorf-Astoria Hotel

New York, N.Y.

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March 13, 1934

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The Temple  
East 105 and Ansel Road  
Cleveland, Ohio

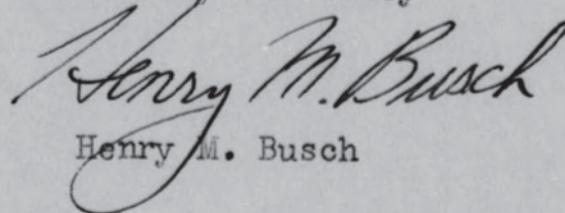
My dear Rabbi Silver:

I want to thank you for your kindness in sending me the check which would ordinarily have gone to Pitkin, but I appreciate much more your very generous statement about my address.

I was most happy to be able to help you out of the very difficult situation in which Pitkin left you. It seemed to me that the call could not have come at a more inopportune time, and I was somewhat fearful about my ability to rise to the occasion. I had kept miserable hours, not only during that immediate week, but for several weeks preceding. As I told you over the phone, I had not been to bed before 1:30 a single night in the past two weeks and on two occasions in that very week I had turned in at 4:00. However, the fates must have been with me because, before Mr. Wolfe introduced me, I felt that I knew what I wanted to say and had a keen desire to say it. Evidently many of your people felt that the substitution was acceptable.

I trust you had a good trip. With cordial good wishes,  
I am

Yours very sincerely

  
Henry M. Busch

HMB:AL

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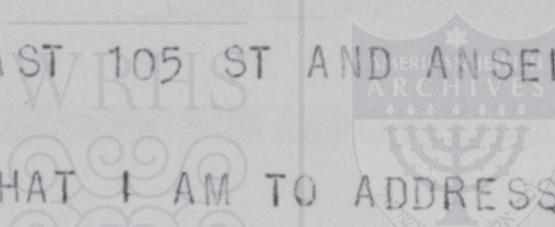
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OWING TO THE FACT THAT I AM TO ADDRESS A CHILD WELFARE CONFERENCE IN THE AFTERNOON OF SUNDAY THE TWENTY FIFTH AS WELL AS PULPIT IN THE MORNING AND MUST SPEAK AT YALE ON A SUNDAY A FEW WEEKS LATER REGRET CANNOT BE WITH YOU GREETINGS=

Lou. Mann

DAY LETTER

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To POND BUREAU

Street and No. 580 Fifth Ave.

Place NEW YORK



WOULD BE INTERESTED IN HAVING MARGARET SANGER SPEAK TO MY CONGREGATION

SUNDAY MORNING MARCH 25TH IS SHE FREE TO COME AND WHAT WOULD BE

HONORARIUM PLEASE WIRE

A H SILVER

Sender's address  
for reference

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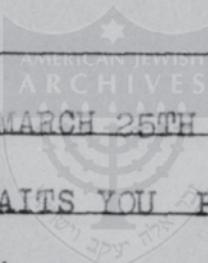
Street and No. Chicago

Place

CAN YOU GET AWAY FROM YOUR GRIND ON SUNDAY MARCH 25TH AND OCCUPY MY

PULPIT I HAVE TO BE EAST WARM WELCOME AWAITS YOU PLEASE WIRE

ABBA

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March 16, 1934

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver  
The Temple  
East 105th St. at Ansel Road  
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi Silver:

I had to get in touch with Margaret Sanger before I could answer you, and as there has been some delay getting word from her, I am not now wiring you a reply as undoubtedly the urgency is past.

Mrs. Sanger advises me that she is so busy in Washington she cannot accept any engagements this season.

Yours sincerely,

POND BUREAU, INC.

*James B. Pond*  
President  
*EAB*

JBP:EAB

NATHAN G. RICHMAN  
1800 EAST 55<sup>th</sup> ST.  
CLEVELAND

March 19th,  
1934.

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

Dear Doctor Silver:

Do the various agencies which you sponsor receive money that is given to The Jewish Welfare Fund?

I receive requests for donations from Jonah B. Wise and Felix Warburg quite often; it is my understanding that contributors to The Welfare Fund should not be asked for additional contributions.

I will thank you to advise me in this matter.

I believe that I told you we have twenty-three relatives in Bavaria whom we assist. We know that the money we send to them is needed and we much prefer to care for our own people than to put money in a fund for general relief in Germany.

With kindest regards, I am,

Respectfully yours,

*M. Glickman*

*not sent*

March 23, 1934.

The Honorable Harry F. Payer,  
Assistant Secretary of State,  
Guarantee Title Bldg.,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Payer:

You rendered us such a fine service a few months ago in inducing Senator Wagner to come to address The Temple Forum that I make bold to venture another request. In May of this year, The Temple will celebrate the tenth anniversary of the new Temple structure at Ansel and 105th. All the organizations in The Temple, including The Temple Women's Association will unite in making this venture outstanding in the life of the institution and the Jewish community of Cleveland. We wonder whether it would be possible for Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt to be the guest of The Temple and The Temple Women's Association on that occasion. We would arrange the banquet suitable to her convenience any evening in May other than Friday evenings. I would appreciate if you would use your good offices in extending our invitation to Mrs. Roosevelt and advising her of the nature of our organization and the significance of her addressing a meeting such as ours, particularly at this time.

With all good wishes and hoping that I may hear from you in the near future, I remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BK

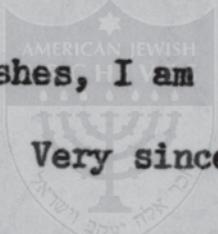
RECONSTRUCTION FINANCE CORPORATION  
WASHINGTON

March 27, 1934.

My dear Rabbi Silver:

Just learned that Mrs. Roosevelt  
must be in Syracuse on the day in question.

Very sorry arrangement could not  
be made but her program is inordinately full  
long, long ahead.

With best wishes, I am  
  
Very sincerely yours,

*Harry I. Payer*

Special Counsel,  
Foreign and Export Matters

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

March 27, 1934.

Mr. Nathan G. Richman,  
1600 East 55th St.,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Friend:

In reply to your kind letter of March 19, permit me to say that the Jewish Welfare Fund includes all those agencies which I have been sponsoring. It is the same Fund in whose behalf I spoke to you last year. It is a very worthy Fund embracing as it does all national and international causes which are not covered by the Community Fund.

The requests for donations which you have received in the past from Jonah B. Wise and Felix Warburg are evidently for causes which are included in our Jewish Welfare Fund and you may well pass them by.

The Jewish Welfare Fund in its campaign last year raised a little over \$90,000. It is endeavoring to raise a little more this year.

With all good wishes and hoping to give myself the pleasure of calling on you before long, I remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BK

NATHAN G. RICHMAN  
1800 EAST 55<sup>TH</sup> ST.  
CLEVELAND

April 9th,  
1934.

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

Dear Doctor Silver:

The employees of The Richman Brothers Company  
wish to place a bronze tablet in the plant as  
a memorial to brother Henry.

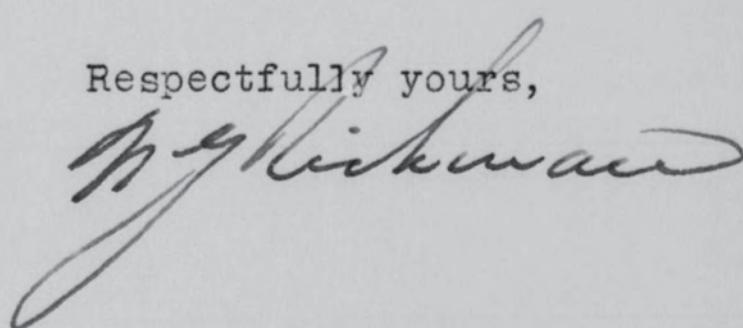
Several of us have endeavored to write a  
tribute of about one hundred words that has  
the sentiment that will appeal to almost  
everyone .... but we have not succeeded.

Will you please write a tribute for us? We  
will thank you, very much, for your kindness.

I really dislike to trouble you, knowing  
well that I am but one of many who come to  
you all the time, and I trust you will pardon  
me.

With regards, I am,

Respectfully yours,



April 10, 1934.

Mr. N.G. Richman,  
Richman Bros. Co.,  
1600 E. 55th St.,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Richman:

Of course I shall be happy to write a tribute of one hundred words for the bronze tablet which the employees of your organization wish to place in memory of Henry. I shall have it ready for you in about a week -- if that isn't too late.

With all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BK

RABBI SOLOMON B. FREEHOF, D.D.  
K.A.M. TEMPLE  
920 EAST FIFTIETH STREET  
CHICAGO

April 15,  
1934.

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver,  
The Temple,  
East 105th St. and Ansel Road,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Abba:

I hope you have had time to look at the pamphlet prayerbook for the Sunday Services. I know that some parts of some of the services are not as good as they might be, but, all in all, I believe that the very fact that we have four services is in itself an improvement; and the Committee feels that if we had five services instead of four, and particularly if the fifth service were a very good one, our whole Sunday Service ritual would be improved.

It is for this reason that I am writing to you, inviting you to write a Service (*for Sunday*). The task is not as arduous as you may perhaps imagine. If you wish to retain the standard text of the blessings between the Borchu and Shema and the Shemone Esra (the standard text is that which is found in the First Service) then all you need to write is an introductory prayer to come before Borchu, an additional prayer for the intervening blessings of the Shemone Esra, and a prayer before the Kaddish, and selections of responsive readings suitable to the spirit of the prayers which you write.

If you want to have a different form of prayer before the Borchu and Shema and the first two blessings of the Shemone Esra then make them entirely different in wording except that the theme of your version of the prayer deal with the idea of God in nature, God in history, etc. In other words, these standard

RABBI SOLOMON B. FREEHOF, D.D.  
K. A. M. TEMPLE  
920 EAST FIFTIETH STREET  
CHICAGO

Dr. Silver - page two -

parts must either be just as in the Standard Service or else entirely different in wording although similar in thought, but the other prayers mentioned above are to be entirely original and if possible consistently expressing one theme in relation to each other.

I hope that you will find it possible to accept this invitation. I know that a service written by you will strengthen our entire Sunday Service ritual. Let me hear from you soon.

With best wishes,

Sincerely yours,

*Sol.*

SBF.lbs



P. S. The Adoration is to be the same in all Sunday Services.

S. B. F.

P. P. S. What I mean by one theme being expressed in all the prayers that you write is this: inasmuch as we have four or five services we can let each one represent one emphasis in Jewish thought. Your service, if you will consent to write it, can deal with the theme of Israel and his place in the world, or some other theme you feel has not been sufficiently stressed in the four services we already have.

S. B. F.

NATHAN G. RICHMAN  
1600 EAST 55<sup>TH</sup> ST.  
CLEVELAND

April 21st,  
1934.

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver,  
The Temple,  
East 105th St. at Ansel Road,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

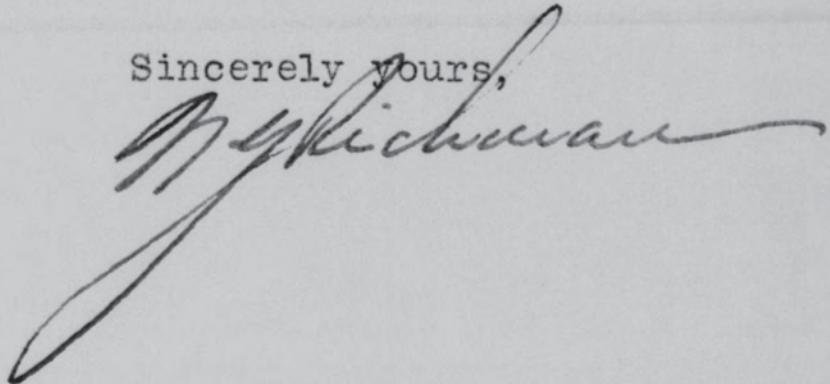
Dear Doctor Silver:

Please pardon me for calling your attention to my letter of April 9th, in which I asked you to please write a tribute for a bronze tablet.

You very kindly wrote that you would send the copy in about a week.

Thanking you for your many courtesies, and with regards, I am,

Sincerely yours,



April 23, 1934.

Mr. Nathan G. Richman,  
1600 E. 55th St.,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Richman:

Please pardon the delay in sending you the Memorial Tribute for the bronze tablet which you requested. I made a draft of it last week but due to pressure of work I delayed sending it to you. I hope that the enclosed will prove satisfactory. Are the dates given correct?

With all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BK  
Enc.

April 25, 1934.

Dr. Solomon B. Freehof,  
K.A.M. Temple,  
920 East Fiftieth Street,  
Chicago, Ill.

My dear Sol:

I received your letter of April 15th and your request to write a Sunday Morning Service. You did not indicate in your letter when you want the Service written. I will not be able to do it before summer. If that is not too late, let me know.

What are your plans for the summer? Are you planning to attend the Rabbinical Conference? I shall be in Chicago on May 2nd and will give you a ring.

With best wishes, I remain

As ever,

AHS:BK

April 26, 1934.

Mrs. George Furth,  
1387 E. Blvd.,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Jessie:

I recall speaking to you about Vera Brittain and the possibility of engaging her for the Opening Meeting of the T.W.A. If your Program Committee is considering her, I think arrangements should be made right soon. She is on the Lecture Platform of the W. Colston-Leigh.

With all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BK  
Enc.

RABBI SOLOMON B. FREEHOF, D.D.  
K.A.M. TEMPLE  
920 EAST FIFTIETH STREET  
CHICAGO

April 29,  
1934.

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver,  
The Temple,  
East 105th St. at Ansel Rd.,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Abba:

Of course I should prefer to have the Sunday Service as soon as possible but if you cannot do it before summer that will be all right. Just write it during the summer in accordance with the plan which I outlined to you in my letter and try to get it to me before the fall holidays.

I know that a Service from you will add greatly to the strength of the Sunday Services.

With best wishes,

Sincerely yours,

Sol

SBF.lbs

April 30, 1934.

Mr. Josef Fuchs,  
2311 Overlook Rd.,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Fuchs:

Now that your engagement with us for the season is at an end, may I tell you how happy we have been that you were able to play at The Temple during some of our services and how much your playing contributed to the beauty of the service. From many sides I have heard expressions of highest appreciation for your artistry and the charm of your playing.

I hope that we may be able to have you with us next year under some such arrangement as we have had this season.

With all good wishes, permit me to remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BK

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May 4th, 1934

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

Dear Rabbi Silver:

When I was in Cleveland last month, Bob told me that you had spoken to him regarding certain memorial windows for the Gries chapel of the Temple.

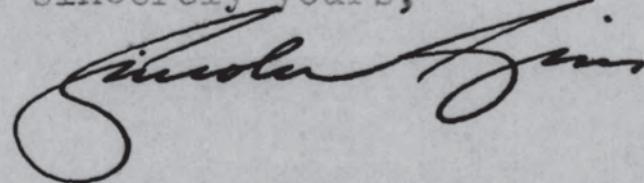
This is something in which I was very much interested but I have not heard either from him or from you regarding it.

I am going to be away until the first of June but if you could have the information by that time, we could make up our minds whether or not to do this in time for the anniversary of Mother's death on June 8th.

I am sending a copy of this letter to Bob's office so that he may have it upon his return.

With best personal regards to you and family.

Very sincerely yours,



LHG:HG

May 7, 1934.

Mr. Lincoln Gries,  
The M. O'Neill Company,  
Akron, Ohio.

My dear Lincoln:

I was very pleased to receive your letter of May 4th. We have been following up the matter of the memorial windows for the Gries Chapel. We have been taking estimates for them. I am interviewing a few people this week. Upon your return I shall have all the data available for you and Bob so that you can make your decision. These memorial windows I believe will add tremendously to the beauty of the Chapel which is dedicated to your father's memory and will be a fitting memorial tribute as well to your dear mother.

The Congregation will hold its annual meeting on Sunday evening, May 27th. The organization will celebrate the tenth anniversary of the New Temple Building and all of the organizations of our Temple will participate in this celebration. It has occurred to me that it would be a very fine thing to announce at this annual meeting that you and Bob are donating these stain glass windows.

With all good wishes to you and

I remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BK

# THE M. O'NEIL COMPANY

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May 8th, 1934

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Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver,  
The Temple,  
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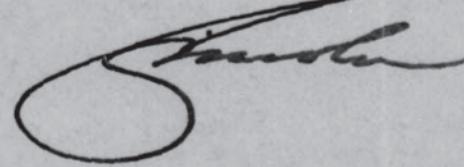
Dear Rabbi Silver:

I received your letter today just before leaving and have written Bob asking him to get in touch with you immediately upon his return. He can then cable me what he learns.

I have no objection to your making this announcement, if we are interested in going through with it, at the annual meeting but personally I do not care for such publicity.

However, I will leave that up to you and Bob.

With kindest regards,



LHG:HG

May 14, 1934.

William B. Feakins, Inc.,  
500 Fifth Ave.,  
New York, N.Y.

Gentlemen:

The Temple Women's Association may be interested in having Ludwig Lewisohn address its body on Wednesday, September 27th, in the afternoon. Would you please inform me whether Mr. Lewisohn is available for that date or thereabouts and what his honorarium is.

With best wishes, I remain

Very sincerely yours,

AHS:BK



May 17, 1934.

Mr. Joseph Guggenheim,  
3035 Meadowbrook,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Joe:

Just a word about our Confirmation Service. Because it is to be held on Sunday we will probably have an unusually large congregation. I hope that you will have a large enough usher corps to handle it. Please give particular instruction to the ushers not to permit any moving about and to watch for restlessness and conversation among the congregation. Please arrange as in previous years to have two ushers at the head of the pulpit steps to assist the children as they come down during the benediction.

The children are to march into The Temple while the Largo is being sung by the choir, not after.

With all good wishes, I remain

As ever yours,

AHS:BK

May 28, 1934.

Dr. Philip Smead Bird,  
Church of the Covenant,  
11205 Euclid Ave.,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Dr. Bird:

Need I tell you how much your gracious act in sending flowers to us on the occasion of the Tenth Anniversary of The Temple and your greetings were appreciated by the fellowship of The Temple. I wish I could tell you in this letter what a warm response the reading of your note evoked last evening from the men and women who attended the meeting. It is gratifying to receive such expressions of neighborliness and good will and it is good to know that there exist in our community great religious institutions presided over by inspired religious leaders who in the midst of a world going mad with all forms of fanaticism and intolerance are nevertheless remaining true to the essential inspiration of their historic faiths.

With best wishes and hoping that you and your family will enjoy a pleasant summer, I remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BK

June 5, 1934.

Mr. Sidney N. Weitz,  
Leader Bldg.,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Sidney:

I should very much like to have you represent The Temple on the board of the Teachers Institute of our city, which as you know, trains the students for religious school teaching. Up to this year Mr. Milton Altschul was our representative. Please let me know whether you can accept this office which involves at most attendance of two or three meetings during the year. I will then request Mr. Wolf to appoint you officially as The Temple's representative.

With best wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BK

June 6, 1934.

Mr. Eugene E. Wolf,  
Engineers Bldg.,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Genet:

I understand that the matter of Mr. Beymer is still up in the air. We can make no progress in the matter of completing our choir for next year until the Beymer matter is adjusted. Mrs. Kraft whom the Choir Committee voted to engage will not sing if Mr. Beymer remains the organist. We must have another audition soon for a soprano. I cannot invite Mr. Willard to play at this audition unless the matter of the organist is settled. Rabbi Feuer and Mr. Levy told me of the interview which you had with Mr. Beymer. In spite of all that he said, I believe that you should send him an official notification in the name of The Temple that his services will not be required next year. It is the only way we can get a fresh and very necessary new start in our Temple music. The longer this matter is delayed, the more difficult it will become.

With kindest regards and best wishes, I  
remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BK

SIDNEY N. WEITZ  
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW  
LEADER-NEWS BUILDING  
CLEVELAND

June 6th, 1934

Rabbi A. H. Silver  
c/o The Temple  
E. 105th St. at Ansel Rd  
Cleveland, Ohio

My dear Rabbi:

I am in receipt of your letter of the 5th inst.  
concerning representation of The Temple on the board of the  
Teachers Institute. If in your opinion I can be of any  
service in this connection I shall be pleased to accept the  
office.

Sincerely yours

*Sidney N. Weitz*

W:B

June 8, 1934.

Mrs. Norman Polster,  
3661 Euclid Heights Blvd.,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mrs. Polster:

I have spoken to Mr. Sidney Weitz  
and he will be pleased to serve on the board  
of the Teachers Institute.

With all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BK

June 25, 1934.

Mr. Eldy Gross,  
The May Company,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Eldy:

I understand that Mr. Loren Weber, whose address I am enclosing herewith, is ready to join The Temple. He and his wife would like someone on the Membership Committee to call on them. I wonder whether you would have a leisure moment within the next week or ten days to drop in on Mr. and Mrs. Weber and get their application. I would be deeply appreciative of your effort.

With all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BK  
Enc.

June 26, 1934.

Mr. Eldy Gross,  
The May Company,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Eldy:

Mr. H.D. Koblitz writes me that Milton Dawes has expressed his readiness to join The Temple. He wishes his application to date as of September 1st. He told Mr. Koblitz that when he joined he would like to give his application to you. I am enclosing herewith an application blank and I would appreciate if you would contact with Milton within the next few days and get his application. There will be no charge for his membership until the Fall term begins.

With all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BK  
Enc.

EDWARD A. LIEBENTHAL  
ATTORNEY AT LAW  
1344 UNION TRUST BUILDING  
CLEVELAND  
MAIN 9626

July 13th, 1934.

Rabbi A. H. Silver,  
The Temple,  
East 105th at Ansel Rd.,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Rabbi Silver:-

Now that my worries and aggravations appertaining to the office of Alumni President are over, I want to take this opportunity of thanking you for all that you so graciously did for the Association and for me during the year. It was only natural that we should have some disagreements as to policy, but I feel that these petty differences are merely the disclosure of the spark of fire that has resulted in the recent successes of our group.

Inasmuch as I appreciate to some extent the many duties you have to fulfill, I can more readily appreciate the time and effort you have expended for the Alumni Association and I regret the gray hairs we cause in making you "keep us in hand." So whatever words I might use to thank you for everything, they could not properly express my true feeling and gratefulness.

Although my official capacity has come to an end in the Association I hope to be able to continue to be active and I hope, and will be only too glad, to be able to be of assistance to you at some time.

Sincerely yours,

*Ed Liebenthal*

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