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New York City

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September 12th, 1927.

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

Dear Silver:-

I am very sorry that I did not see you while you were here. I tried to reach you on the telephone ^{Thursday} about 3 and again a little later but they were unable to locate you at the hotel. It so happened that I myself was tied up here in the afternoon and I had my secretary telephone to say that I would see you on Friday morning; but my attempts to reach you on Friday morning were equally unsuccessful.

I would love to have a good chat with you. I suppose that will have to wait until you happen to be here again or I should come out to Cleveland.

Let me congratulate you upon your re-election as a member of the Actions Committee.

I understand the next national conference of the United Palestine Appeal will take place in Cleveland October 30th. I am not sure whether I will attend it, but if I do we can perhaps have our chat then.

Please give my kindest regards to Mrs. Silver. As ever

Faithfully yours,

Emanuel

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ALEX LISCHKOFF

Realtor

8 South Palafox Street

PENSACOLA, FLA.

Sept. 12th, 1927.

Mr. Leo J. Frachtenberg,
Atlanta, Ga.

Dear Mr. Frachtenberg:

I received your letter sometime ago, regarding the rebuilding of Palestine, and also received a statement showing a balance due on my pledge to the Kern Hayesod Fund.

I have given this matter very serious consideration, as I have learned from different sources that the money is simply wasted. A friend of mine recently returned from the Holy Land, and he gave me some confidential information regarding the work there. I regret very much to advise you that this party has also confirmed the report that I had ere this.

I am certainly sorry to be informed that such is the case. I am not going to spread this confidential information. I have about decided to use that money to more advantage, as I have some relatives there, and can help individually, instead of a lot of office holders, wasting a lot of our good money. I am giving you this information, as I know you personally, and I am certainly not going to broadcast it, as I hope some day it will take a change for the best.

Sincerely yours,

Signed..... Alex Lischkoff

UNITED PALESTINE APPEAL

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Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi Silver:

I take pleasure in informing you that in accordance with our conference of the 13th inst. I have arranged a luncheon meeting to consider the personnel problem now demanding our consideration in order to assure the success of the forthcoming campaign of the United Palestine Appeal.

The luncheon conference will be held at the Hotel Hollenden, Parlor C of the Lounge on Thursday, the 15th inst. at 12:30 noon, and I am sure that we can look to you for a hearty response to our call for co-operation.

With kind regards, I am,

Sincerely yours,

Jacob R. Geoffrey
Regional Director

JRG*IR

P.S. The following people have been invited to this conference: Messrs. A. Simon, Max Simon, Harry Weinraub, Maurice Gusman, Nathan D. Engelman, Max Ozer, Ezra Shapiro, Alfred H. Sachs; Rabbi Solomon Goldman; and Mesdames Henry Frankel, Leo Lesser, Arthur Fischer.

UNITED PALESTINE APPEAL

Norris Building

Atlanta, Ga.

September 20, 1927.

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Mr. Bernard Stone
United Palestine Appeal
114 Fifth Avenue
New York City

Dear Mr. Stone:

I am, herewith, enclosing copy of a letter received on September 12th. Needless to say the letter disturbs me a great deal because it has been written by a man who has been our key man in the City of Pensacola, and who during the last campaign contributed the sum of \$500.00. I have answered him myself, but feel that additional encouragement should come to him from the National Office.

I have a suspicion that Mr. Lischkoff has received his recent information from the local Orthodox Rabbi, Rev. Spector who has returned a short while ago from a trip to Palestine. Spector must have interviewed some "soreheads". Kindly have some one of weight write to Mr. Lischkoff, and send me a copy of this letter for future reference. I would suggest that a letter over the signature of Rabbi Silver, who has recently returned from Palestine, may prove of some value.

Very cordially yours,

LEO J. FRACHTENBERG

Executive Director.

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September 25, 1927.

Rabbi A. H. Silver
c/o the Temple
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi Silver:

I have received the enclosed exchange of correspondence between Dr. Frachtenberg and Mr. Lischkoff. As you will observe, Dr. Frachtenberg suggests that we ask you to write to Mr. Lischkoff. I shall be very glad indeed if you will see your way to do this, in which case, I would appreciate it very much if you would be good enough to send me a copy of the letter, and another one to Dr. Frachtenberg.

I regret very much that I did not have an opportunity of seeing you when you passed through New York on your way back to Cleveland. I should have liked to have heard at first hand, your latest impressions of Palestine.

With kindest regards to you, and best wishes for a Happy and Prosperous New Year, I am,

Cordially and sincerely yours,

Bernard Stone
BERNARD STONE
Executive Secretary.

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Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
Cleveland, Ohio

My Dear Rabbi Silver:

No doubt you will be interested in the enclosed brief statement of my initial experience in endeavoring to organize the local Jewish Community for the U.P.A. Campaign.

It is a question for serious consideration to be taken up at the Executive luncheon meeting to be held on Monday, October 3 at the Hotel Statler, as to the advisability of proceeding with the campaign at this time.

With kindest personal regards, I am,

Sincerely yours,

Jacob R. Geoffrey
Regional Director

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Dear Friend:

With the advent of the New Year, we are called upon once more to fulfil our communal obligations in the upbuilding of our Jewish Consciousness, Philanthropy and Cultural work.

At this time comes urgently to our attention the impending Campaign of the United Palestine Appeal to be held in Cleveland during October.

To participate in the deliberations and to assist in directing a successful campaign, you are earnestly and cordially invited to attend a luncheon conference to be held on

MONDAY, OCTOBER 3, at 12:00 O'Clock

HOTEL STATLER

when general plans will be determined for the administration of the Campaign.

In view of the short time to make our plans, please make a special effort to attend.

Sincerely yours,

Max Simon
Chairman

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The Jewish Community of Cleveland has been subjected to a preliminary survey with a view to securing information necessary to establish the possibility of a successful campaign during the month of October.

The community has been investigated from three angles:

1. An effort to secure a campaign chairman
2. An effort to establish a collegium
3. An effort to organize a group of captains and volunteer workers.

(a) To date there is no definite indication of any individual being willing to accept the chairmanship of the Cleveland Campaign. Among those who have been interviewed are Mr. Nathan Loeser, Judge Maurice Bernon, Mr. I. Freiburger;

(B) The collegium or organization of a responsible directing committee has not yet materialized in view of the fact that only two men have indicated any sympathy with such a committee, namely: Mr. Nathan Loeser, who was amiably indifferent and Judge Bernon, who indicated a desire to co-operate providing he is not called upon to exercise any initiative in the campaign.

(c) Thirty-six letters have been sent out to those who captained teams during the 1926 campaign. To date we have on lady who has accepted captaincy in writing, (Mrs. S. J. Bialosky) and four ladies who have verbally signified their intention to work as captains (Mrs. Harry Simon, Mrs. Leo Lesser, Mrs. Henry Frankel and Mrs. Arthur I. Fischer.) Verbal acceptances as captains have also been accepted from Messrs. S. Ismach and Mr. N. D. Engelman.

(d) Four Hundred letters have been circulated to the prospective workers who participated in the 1926 campaign. In response to this invitation six replies have been received from men and seven replies from women, of which four were verbal acceptances.

Indication of the prospects of the campaign may be derived from the following report of personal interviews with different elements in the community:

Wholesale Jeweler, Mr. Alex Swirsky, In the judgement of Mr. Swirsky, it is not wise to organize the jewelry business as a unit because the personal relations that exist between the competitive elements in this industry makes it ineffectual for one jeweler to collect from another.

Real Estate, Mr. Aaron Graber and Mr. Solomon Ulmer, In conference with active workers of the past year in the real estate field, the reports were discouraging. The general economic conditions indicate a demoralization in the response we might expect from this section.

Retail Jeweler, Wm. Friedberg, Owing to inability to pay his past obligations, Mr. Friedberg is unweilling to ask others to contribute toward the Cause.

Dry Goods, Mr. Meyer Lurie, General business conditions make it impossible for Mr. Lurie to take any active part in the campaign for 1927.

~~Several conferences have been held by the officers of the local Zionist and U.P.A.~~

Attorneys, Mr. E. Schanfarber, Will not take an active interest in organizing attorneys this year.

Physicians, Dr. M. Garber, will organize as hertofore.

Arrangements for publicity have been adequately prepared but will not be launched pending the decision of the Executive Board, now being called.

Every Jewish Organization has been requested to co-operate by assigning a date upon which the executive office will supply a suitable speaker to present the campaign needs effectively.

Several conferences have been held by the officers of the local Zionist and U.P.A. Executive boards to consider the local problems, but apart from the announced pending resignations of the presidents of the Zionist Organization and the U.P.A. together with the consideration of resignation by the Secretary of the District and the general apathy of the local community together with a prevailing spirit of pessimism; no constructive suggestion has as yet been presented.

Unless drastic steps are taken immediately and an unusual effort is displayed it is useless to plan a campaign within the next twenty days!



The New Palestine

Official Organ of the

ZIONIST ORGANIZATION OF AMERICA

114 Fifth Avenue, New York

Telephone, Chelsea 10400

October 4, 1927.

Rabbi A. H. Silver
c/o The Temple
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi Silver:

We are gathering material for a special Cleveland supplement to the Balfour issue, which will appear in time for the Cleveland Conference of the United Palestine Appeal. We feel that the Cleveland supplement would be incomplete without some contribution from you, and I would suggest that you write on the following subject: "A Review of Six Years of Progress in Constructive Work in the Upbuilding of Palestine, with Special Reference to Cleveland in 1921 and Cleveland in 1927". Though the article really needs much more space, editorial requirements suggest that it should be between 1500 and 2000 words long.

I am sure you realize how far in advance this material is needed, and I would like to urge you to send on the article as soon as possible.

I hope you do not have to give too much of your time to this article.

Sincerely yours,

Meyer W. Weisgal

MEYER W. WEISGAL
EDITOR

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NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON PALESTINE

Auspices

UNITED PALESTINE APPEAL
CLEVELAND, OHIO, OCTOBER 30th, 1927

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October 7, 1927.

Dear Friend:

The National Conference on Palestine to be held in Cleveland will be asked to give consideration to comprehensive reports on what has been done in Palestine with the moneys collected the past year through the United Palestine Appeal. It will be the outstanding American gathering of those interested in the upbuilding of Palestine.

It is ten years since the Balfour Declaration was promulgated. During that period a great work has been done in Palestine through the instrumentality of the funds established by the Zionist Organization. This investment of capital and labor in the making of the Jewish National Home imposes a continuous obligation especially upon the Jews of America. If we neglect what we have built through our contributions, the resultant loss of national assets we have accumulated in Palestine may rightly be ascribed to us, and that which could have become a living monument of active life, productive of Jewish ideals, may through our indifference fall into ruin.

Healthy and fruitful foundations of a new Jewish Life have been laid in Palestine. Tremendous difficulties have been encountered, and are being overcome, thanks to the patience and devotion of our pioneers

in both city and town, who look to us for a continuance of our generous support and cooperation.

In order to take effective action on the reports to be rendered, we are inviting representative men and women interested in the great cause to attend the National Conference to be held in Cleveland on Saturday evening, October 29th and Sunday, October 30th.

This great work deserves your attention. It is a cause that involves a reconstruction of Jewish life, the rehabilitation of Eretz Israel, and the vindication of Jewish honor.

Hoping that I may be favored with your acceptance of this invitation at your earliest convenience, I am,

Very truly yours,

Nathan Straus

Chairman,
Committee on Invitation

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 ALSO MAYOR OF CLEVELAND TO ADDRESS NATIONAL CONFERENCE
 UNITED PALESTINE APPEAL OCTOBER THIRTIETH STOP NO ANSWER
 RECEIVED STOP KINDLY USE LOCAL INFLUENCE ON BOTH TO ACCETT
 INVITATION AND INFORM US RESULT.

WILLIAM EDLIN.

October 10, 1927.

Mr. Jacob Fishman,
Editor, New York Morning Journal,
New York City.

My dear Mr. Fishman:

You undoubtedly received a
letter from Mr. S. Cutler of Jerusalem.

In his lengthy letter to me
he informs me that he also wrote to you
about his "honorable discharge" from the
National Fund office in Jerusalem. What
can be done about the matter? He is
evidently in great straits and seriously
perturbed.

Would you get in touch
with Mr. Lipsky and ask him whether he
would consent to send a telegram to Mr.
Ussishkin in the name of the three of
us, asking him to delay action until he
will have received a letter from us.

Cutler makes out a strong
case for himself in his letter. You are,
perhaps, in a better position to judge
the real merits of the case than I am.
I should like to help him as much as possible.

With kindest regards,
permit me to remain

Very sincerely yours,

AHS:NEB

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Send the following message, subject to the terms on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to

October 10, 1927.

Mr. William Edlin,
Zionist Organization of America,
115 Fifth Ave.
New York City.

Did you invite the City Mayor or the City
Manager for Palestine conference.

N.E.B.
4:15

A. H. Silver



U.P.A.

T E L E G R A M

October 13, 1927.

Day Letter

Governor Vic Donahey,
State House,
Columbus, Ohio

WRHS



Have been informed by the United Palestine Convention Committee that they have extended to you an invitation to address the very important national conference which will be held in Cleveland on Sunday, October 30th. May I not add my own urgent request that you honor our community by your presence on that day. The organization has national significance for the Jews of America.

Rabbi A. H. Silver
The Temple
Cleveland, Ohio

2.40 P.M.
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New York City

Rabbi A. H. Silver

Our records show only Governor was invited / stop
use own discretion regarding Mayor or Manager

Wm. Edlin.



Nathan Straus

FOUNDER OF PASTEURIZED MILK LABORATORY IN 1892
PRESENTED TO HEALTH DEPARTMENT, NEW YORK CITY 1920

"Driftwood"
Mamaroneck, New York,
October 13, 1927.

My dear Rabbi Silver:

I read your interview in the New Palestine of
October 7th.

I heard about your having visited the Holy Land,
and I was most anxious to know your report. I agree with ninety per-
cent of the impressions you give. But what most interests me is what
you say about American Jewry not having done its duty to Palestine in
the past. No doubt you remember that on every occasion I have uttered
the same sentiments.

I am positively convinced that it would be very
beneficial for the result if you could address meetings and just repeat
what you say in this connection. With your influence and the respect
you enjoy all over the country your words will receive attention and
cannot fail to bring our people to the realization of their responsibil-
ities. Until now they have sadly shirked them.

If you succeed in having every Jewish community
tax itself for the reconstruction of Eretz Isroel, the financial prob-
lem of the Holy Land would be solved and with sufficient means every
other problem as well.

I have done and am doing my share to the extent
that since 1912 I have spent more than half of my fortune. In spite
of this, people don't believe it, and I am continually besieged with
requests for contributions here and from abroad.

I keenly regret that I cannot come to the con-
ference in Cleveland. I have just recovered from a sickness which
attacked me last June, and I am not allowed to travel for the present.

Very cordially your friend,

Rev. Dr. Abba Hillel Silver,
Congregation Tifereth Israel,
Cleveland, Ohio.

Nathan Straus

Disease in Milk—The Remedy: Pasteurization

By LINA GUTHERZ STRAUS

*The following references are taken from this book, published 1917 by E. P. Dutton & Co.
Copies of this book are found in all the Public Libraries throughout the United States.*

There is a MILK PROBLEM because milk is the only animal food used in its raw state (page 28). There are six diseases—typhoid fever, diphtheria, scarlet fever, septic sore throat, tuberculosis and the summer complaints of children—that may be transmitted by raw milk (page 345).

PASTEURIZATION destroys all the germs of disease that may be in the milk, but does not greatly impair the taste, nor at all affect the digestibility or nutritive qualities of the milk (page 31). PASTEURIZATION consists of heating milk to a temperature of 145 degrees Fahrenheit and holding it at that temperature for half an hour.

In the former Nathan Straus Laboratory, since 1920 conducted by the New York City Health Department, the best certified milk is used. It is modified in five different mixtures according to formulas prescribed by eminent physicians. These formulas are adapted to babies of various ages and conditions. The milk is then Pasteurized in the bottle and quickly cooled to below 50 degrees Fahrenheit (pages 33-39).

Coincident with the development of this work the death rate among children under five years of age has dropped from 96.2 per thousand per annum in 1892 to 24.7 per thousand in 1922, the mortality statistics of the City Health Department recording the saving of 367,666 lives in these 30 years.

The efficacy of PASTEURIZATION was clearly demonstrated at Randall's Island, where the death rate among the City's foundlings was cut from 41.8% to 21.75% by Pasteurizing the same milk, which had previously been used in its raw state. Similar favorable results were attained in Washington and in many cities in this country and in Europe. "And wherever Pasteurized milk is introduced, the death rate falls as if by magic."

In the fight against Tuberculosis, PASTEURIZATION is nowadays considered a most important factor. Dr. E. C. Schroeder of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, proved that "*one of the chief, if not the most important source of infection is the tuberculous dairy cow*" (page 219).

The first Infant Milk Depot was founded by Mr. Straus in New York City in 1893. By the year 1920 there were 297—distributed over 36 cities.

PASTEURIZATION has been endorsed by The American Medical Association, The National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis, The American Public Health Association, The U. S. Public Health Service, The National Commission on Milk Standards, and by Officers of Health Departments all over the United States.

In order that no baby may be deprived of properly PASTEURIZED MILK, Mr. Straus in 1909 perfected a "fool-proof" HOME PASTEURIZER, which any tinsmith can make and any mother can operate. The plans and directions for manufacturing and for use are supplied free to anyone who applies (pages 85-88).

All that has been said for PASTEURIZATION applies with equal force to cream, butter, ice cream and cheese. All cream, including that used for ice cream and butter, should be properly Pasteurized to be safe. Cold does not kill germs; only by heat (PASTEURIZATION) can they be destroyed (pages 109-110).

Under the caption, "PASTEURIZE AND THEREBY PREVENT," Dr. Park, the celebrated bacteriologist and at one time Dean of the Bellevue Hospital Medical College, made known the results of experiments conducted in cooperation with the Rockefeller Institute of Medical Research. The cases of 500 babies were watched, and the results of feeding them with different kinds of milk were observed. Dr. Park reported: "The observations proved that mother's milk is the best milk for a baby, and that *Pasteurized milk* is the next best. One group of fifty babies had been given Pasteurized milk for three weeks; then half of them were changed to the same milk not Pasteurized. Eleven of the twenty-five became ill, which proved conclusively the good effect of Pasteurization. We discovered that it wasn't the chemical combination that hurt, but the amount of noxious bacteria in the milk."

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RABBI A H SILVER

THE TEMPLE EAST 105 ST CLEVELAND OHIO

OUR RECORDS SHOW ONLY GOVERNOR WAS INVITED STOP USE OWN DISCRETION
REGARDING MAYOR OR MANAGER

WILLIAM EDLIN.



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Time *11 22*
To *A. K. ...*
Oct 13



STATE OF OHIO
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
COLUMBUS

October 18, 1927.

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

Dear Rabbi Silver:

I wish to acknowledge receipt of your telegram urging my attendance at the United Palestine convention Sunday, October 30, at Cleveland. I appreciate the importance of the assembly and would love to attend but other plans make it impossible.

Very truly yours,

W. C. Bronk

Governor.

October 19, 1927;

Hon. William R. Hopkins,
City Manager,
City Hall,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Hopkins:

On Sunday, October 30th,
there will be held, at the Statler Hotel,
the National Convention of the United
Palestine Appeal. This convention will
bring together hundreds of delegates from
all parts of the country who are interested
in the upbuilding of the Jewish Homeland
in Palestine.

They and I would appreciate
very much if you would extend to the
delegates a word of welcome in the name
of the City of Cleveland.

With kindest regards,
permit me to remain

Very sincerely yours,

AHS:NEB

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Send the following message, subject to the terms on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to

October 19, 1927.

United Palestine Appeal,
115 Fifth Ave.
New York City.

Governor cannot come. Will try to get City Manager.

A. H. Silver

Sent by
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October 24, 1927.

United Palestine Appeal,
114-Fifth Ave.
New York City.

City Manager Hopkins will address convention Sunday morning. Please wire at what time you wish him to speak.

A. H. Silver

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RABBI A H SILVER

CARE THE TEMPLE CLEVELAND OHIO

PLEASE ARRANGE TO HAVE CITY MANAGER HOPKINS ADDRESS CONFERENCE ELEVEN
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AS DIRECTOR KEREN PLEASE CONSUMMATE ENERGETICALLY KEREN
DEMANDS TO U P A MEETING AS CABLED HAKEREN YESTERDAY.
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Rabbi A. Silver,
Cleveland.

Rev. Sir,

At the request of Mr. Ussishkin we beg to confirm
his cable to you of 25th inst. as follows:

"As Keren Director Please consummate energetically
Keren demands to UPA Meeting as cabled Hakeren
yesterday." Ussishkin".

With Zion's greetings,

Yours faithfully,

For Head Office,
KEREN KAYEMETH LEISRAEL.

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October 27, 1927.

Mr. Nathan Straus,
Driftwood,
Mamaroneck, New York.

My dear Mr. Straus:

Permit me to thank you for your kind letter of October 13th and for the thoughtfulness which prompted your writing.

I read with great interest your comments on the interview which I gave to the New Palestine. I am doing my utmost to spread the doctrine of our great responsibility to Palestine in every Jewish community which I visit. It is, however, difficult as you well know to convince the well-to-do American Jews of their supreme obligation.

There is but one Nathan Straus in America and while his example is bound to inspire many others, the task is a slow and arduous one.

I am sorry, indeed, that you will not be able to come to the Cleveland conference. Our City was eagerly awaiting to welcome you. We trust that we may have that pleasure in the near future.

Please convey my greetings and best wishes to Mrs. Straus, in which Mrs. Silver joins me.

With kindest regards to you, permit me to remain

Very sincerely yours,

AHS:NEB

HON. NATHAN STRAUS

has the honor to invite

Rabbi Hillel Silver

TO ATTEND THE
NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON PALESTINE

SUNDAY, OCTOBER THIRTIETH

Nineteen Hundred Twenty-seven

At ten o'clock

AT THE HOTEL STATLER

CLEVELAND, OHIO

Preliminary Conference, Saturday Evening, October 29th, Hotel Statler.

I SHALL BE PRESENT AT THE NATIONAL
CONFERENCE ON PALESTINE, SUNDAY,
OCTOBER 30th, AT THE HOTEL STATLER,
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Name _____

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Preliminary Meeting Saturday evening,
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HON. NATHAN STRAUS, *Chairman*

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Tel,

November 2, 1927.

Mr. Charles Rosenbloom,
Diamon Bank Bldg.
Pittsburgh, Pa.



Regret exceedingly cannot accept your
invitation for November 13th.

A. H. Silver

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RABBI ABBA H SILVER.

CARE TEMPLE EAST 105 ST AT ANSEL RD CLEVELAND OHIO.

ABSOLUTELY NECESSARY TO HAVE YOU EVENING NOV THIRTEEN FOR
OPENING U P A CAMPAIGN MOST VITAL TO HAVE YOUR ACCEPTANCE
AT THIS TIME HAVE SECURED COOPERATION OF IMPORTANT REFORM
LEADERS WOULD APPRECIATE YOUR WIRE OF ACCEPTANCE BY
WEDNESDAY FOR PUBLICITY.

CHAS J ROSENBLOOM.

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November 3rd, 1927.

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
Cleveland, O.

Dear Rabbi Silver:

I take pleasure in informing you that at the Annual National Conference of the United Palestine Appeal held in Cleveland on Sunday, October 30th, you have been unanimously elected a member of the National Campaign Committee of the United Palestine Appeal.

Permit me to congratulate you upon your election. I know that you have been an ardent worker in the Cause, and that we may depend upon you for your excellent service, in helping to raise the quota of \$7,500,000. which has been set for the new year.

I shall be happy at all times to keep you conversant with what takes place, not only in the national office, but throughout the country, and I shall be glad to have your suggestions from time to time.

Please be good enough to notify me, on the enclosed card, of your acceptance to serve on the Committee.

With kind regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

Bernard Stone
National Executive Secretary.

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The Temple
Cleveland, O.

Dear Rabbi Silver:

I take pleasure in informing you that at the Annual National Conference of the United Palestine Appeal held in Cleveland on Sunday, October 30th., you were unanimously elected a Vice-Chairman of the National Campaign Committee of the United Palestine Appeal.

I sincerely hope that we may have your valuable cooperation in our effort to raise the quota of \$7,500,000. which the Conference has set for the ensuing year.

Please be good enough to notify me, on the enclosed card, of your willingness to serve on the Committee.

Very sincerely yours,

Bernard Stone

NATIONAL EXECUTIVE SECRETARY

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Rabbi Silver

Pittsburgh Committee opening campaign November 21st.
Urge you accept invitation to speak. Please wire acceptance.

Bernard Stone

Rec. 12:00
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Mr. Bernard Stone
114 Fifth Ave.
New York City

Regret verymuch cannot accept Pittsburgh invitation.

A. H. Silver

EP. 1230

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November 7, 1927.

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
Cleveland, Ohio

My dear Silver:

We have succeeded in securing a satisfactory arrangement in Baltimore for a joint campaign with the Jewish Relief Committee.

The relief forces are expected to have present at Baltimore, Louis Marshall, Felix M. Warburg and David A. Brown. We are informed that the assurance of the acceptance of these gentlemen has already been received. It is important for us, in view of the fact that we are having a joint campaign, and in view of the importance of the speakers that have been selected by the Relief Committee, that we also be represented in an adequate manner.

It is the consensus of opinion here, re-enforced by the views of the Baltimore U.P.A. committee, that you are indispensable to meet this situation.

The date is January 15th.

Will you please give us your cooperation in this connection?

With best regards, I am

Very cordially yours,

Louis Lipsky
President

LL/RW

November 8, 1927.

Mr. Louis Lipsky,
Zionist Organization of America,
114 Fifth Ave.
New York City.

My dear Mr. Lipsky:

It will not be possible for me to go to Baltimore on January 15th. I cannot leave Cleveland on a Sunday. I am away from the city so much of the time that I feel that I owe that day to my Congregation.

With kindest regards, permit me to remain

Very sincerely yours,

AHS:NEB

MAX J. FINKELSTEIN
BROOKS BUILDING
SCRANTON, PA.

November 9th
1927

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

My dear Rabbi;

Permit me to ask you the favor of accepting an invitation to deliver a lecture in Scranton, sometime during this winter, whenever convenient to you and your regular fee.

The lecture to be delivered under the auspices of the local Zionist District.

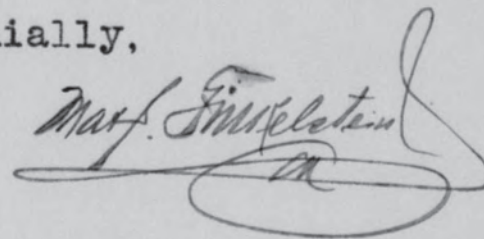
I beg of you not to refuse our request, as the local District is rapidly dying away, for lack of interest only, and they need a man like you to revive interest and put new life into the organization.

While I realize that you are doing your share towards the Zionist Organization, and I would not think of depriving them of a lecture, yet I feel that you will do us the favor of placing us on your regular tour schedule at your regular fee. I know that your presence here will help rebuilt our organization.

Please give this matter your serious consideration and oblige me with your early response.

Thanking you in advance, and with my personal regards, I beg to remain,

Cordially,



MJF.MS.

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RABBI ABBA HILLEL SILVER

THE TEMPLE

BALTIMORE JEWRY EXTENDS YOU INVITATION TO ADDRESS OPENING BANQUET JOINT CAMPAIGN FOR UNITED PALESTINE APPEAL AND UNITED JEWISH CAMPAIGN SUNDAY EVENING JANUARY FIFTEENTH ON WHICH OCCASION WE WOULD LIKE YOU TO SPEAK ON ZIONISM AND PALESTINE FELIX WARBURG AND LOUIS MARSHALL HAVE ACCEPTED TO SPEAK ON RELIEF PLEASE HONOR US WITH AFFIRMATIVE PROMPT REPLY WIRE MY EXPENSE

SIMON J LEVIN 506 HEARST TOWER BLDG

520P

We are always taking out of the world. We must
put something in -

Poverty fosters ① hatred ② envy ③ restrict
free exercise of native powers ④ Encourages
selfishness.

1. Hard winter for poor - unemployment - Men
come daily to WRH - What will become of them?
Stars - fall off, discouraged - lose his
ambition + self-respect - all they ask is
work! What kind of civil is ours which
permits it - much of social problem!
- poor shall tramp the streets! Mark at
the fatherless of the poor -

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Nov. 13, 1927.

Rabbi Abbe Hillel Silver,
C/O The Temple,
East 105th St. At. Ansel Road,
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Rabbi Silver:

On behalf of the Executive of the Toronto Zionist Council, permit me to extend the thanks of our Organization for your acceptance of the invitation extended to you by Mr. David Dunkelman, to be the guest speaker at the inauguration Dinner of the 1928 Toronto Keren Hayesod Campaign.

We would like to hold the Dinner on Thursday evening, April the 12th, 1928, if this date is suitable to you, otherwise we would request that you let us have the first day that you have available for us, after this date.

At a meeting of the National Executive held this morning, the announcement of your acceptance created a degree of enthusiasm which augurs well for the success of our coming Campaign.

Awaiting your confirmation as to the date convenient for you, I am

Very sincerely,

AEH.

Honorary Secretary.



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November 14, 1927

Simon J. Levin,
506 Hearst Tower Bldg.
Baltimore, Md.

Have already wired to Lipsky cannot leave
Cleveland on a Sunday. Accept best wishes
for successful campaign.

A. H. Silver

ER, 1045 AM

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November 15th, 1927.

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

Dear Rabbi Silver:

As you are undoubtedly aware, our leading Zionists in Baltimore have arranged with the leaders of the J.D.C. to hold joint campaigns in Baltimore and in many of the smaller cities in Maryland. Both groups are to be represented by national figures who would be acceptable to all.

We have been asked to write you, and inform you that it is the concensus of opinion that you are the person who would be best suited, for this occasion, and to urge you to be good enough to accept the invitation of the Baltimore Committee to be the Zionist representative at the opening banquet on Sunday evening, January 15th.

Baltimore, as you may know, has long been one of those cities which, for a variety of reasons, has not responded fully to the U.P.A., and we are therefore doubly anxious that this campaign be successful, and that we be properly represented. Baltimore's response to the U.P.A. will find its reflection in the other campaigns in the state.

In view of these facts, may I urge you to please be good enough to inform me of your acceptance, so that I may in turn inform the Baltimore Committee, and enable them to go ahead with their plans.

With kindest regards, and looking forward to an early response, I am

Very sincerely yours,

Bernard Stone
National Executive Secretary.

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15th Nov. 1927

E/B No. 192

The JNF Bureau for America,
114, Fifth Avenue
NEW YORK U.S.A.

Dear Sirs,

I am writing to you in explanation of our telegram of 11th inst: DEFER CONCLUSION UPA AGREEMENT PENDING RECEIPT LETTERS FROM SACHER AND OURSELVES. KEREN.

We are exceedingly disturbed by the news that negotiations between yourselves and U.P.A. have not been concluded because of the suggestion that the Keren Kayemeth income should be appropriated for the Zion Commonwealth. I regret to say that we cannot consent to such a suggestion for very weighty reasons.

The liabilities of the Keren Kayemeth were undertaken and the payments on account of same arranged, on the basis of the income which the JNF could normally expect. A considerable share of that income comes naturally from the U.S.A. It was on the basis of the income assured to us by the U.P.A. and which the JNF was fully entitled to expect would be raised, that obligations were entered into of a very binding character. The liabilities of the

JNF are, as you know, in the form of mortgage charges and bills and any failure to meet them would have disastrous consequences. If the JNF received the income normally due to it from the U.S.A. and which has been promised to it by the U.P.A., we can adequately meet our obligations. But in order to do so we need every dollar and cent of our normal receipts.

The receipt in full of the JNF quota from the U.P.A. will only enable us to discharge our present obligations which concern purchases already effected, It will not enable us to make new acquisitions. It is not the intention of the Board of Directors to enter into any further obligations involving additional payments during the next two years. Our entire receipts up to 1930 will be required to meet existing liabilities only. You will appreciate therefore why we cannot forego any proportion of those receipts and in particular those due to us from the Jews of the United States.

I would like to assure you that the gravity of the Zionist situation in America caused by the state of affairs of Amzie, is fully understood by us. If there should possibly be a solution to the problem of saving Amzie for which the JNF's assistance was needed and could be rendered without endangering the JNF itself, then we should be willing to consider same. But any solution to that problem which would involve rescuing Amzie at the cost of the JNF - and you will realise that such cost means under present conditions not less than the ruin of the JNF - must be adamantly opposed by us.

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New York Office.

A solution that will not have the effect of endangering the JNF, must be one which will not call for any payments by the JNF prior to the year 1930, since our full receipts including those from America up to that time are fully mortgaged. Other conditions being favourable we should be prepared, in view of the difficulty confronting the Zionist Organisation of America and as earnest of our desire to mitigate those difficulties, to consider a solution on these lines.

It must be borne in mind that we are not at present in need of fresh land for colonisation, and that moreover the prices at which the Amziq lands were bought, are high. If and when we are able to consider the acquisition of fresh territory, we should give preference to lands other because more important, than those held by the Amziq (excepting Haifa-Bay) However, in order that this vexed problem may be satisfactorily settled, we should yield these objections, providing always that our indispensable condition be complied with, namely that no payment in addition to those we have already undertaken, be required from us prior to the year 1930.

A proposal on these lines has been made by Mr. Sacher with whom, as representative of the Zionist Executive, I have had a long discussion on the subject, which is to the effect that the JNF should help the Amziq by accepting financial obligations beginning not sooner than 1930. This, too, presents difficulty, since the Amziq property, besides Haifa Bay will cost with interest and other charges, the huge sum of £160,000 (the figure of £130,000 in Mr. Sacher's letter of 13th inst. to Mr. Lipsky is an error). Nevertheless in order to save Amziq providing there is

New York Office.

15.11.27

no other solution, negotiations on the basis of this proposal are feasible. It would mean that the money ~~xxxxxx~~ needed by Amzic until 1930 must be found from other sources excluding U.P.A. through private loans, or loans guaranteed by the JNF, unless the payments due from Amzic can be postponed until 1930.

I am sending a copy of this letter also to the Directorate of the JNF now in America, Rabbi Silver, Rabbi Meir Berlin and Mr. Hermann Struck. I again beg and demand of you to save the JNF from the danger which will ensue if our receipts from America during the coming years are not received promptly. Further I would ask you to despatch to us promptly and regularly month by month, those monies received by you from the usual JNF collections.

With Zion's greetings.

Yours faithfully,

sgd M. U.

Chairman,
BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

November 17, 1927.

Mr. Bernard Stone,
United Palestine Appeal,
114 Fifth Avenue,
New York City.

My dear Mr. Stone:

In reply to your letter of
November 15th, permit me to remind you
that I have already written to Mr. Lipsky
and to the good people of Baltimore that
I cannot leave Cleveland on a Sunday.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

AHS:NEB

November 21st, 1927.

Bernard Vise, Hon. Sec'y.,
The Toronto Zionist Council, Inc.,
206 Beverly St.,
Toronto, Canada.

My dear Mr. Vise:-

There must be some mistake. I do not recall having accepted any invitation from Mr. Dunkelman to address the Toronto Keren Hayesod Campaign.

I cannot at the present writing say whether I can come to Toronto in April. I have scheduled a lecture tour through the south for the month of April and I rather think that I shall not be able to go elsewhere.

With kindest regards, permit me to remain

Very sincerely yours,

AHS/IR

November 23d, 1927.

Mr. Max J. Finkelstein,
Brooks Bldg.,
Scranton, Pa.

My dear Mr. Finkelstein:-

I wish I could see my way clear to accept your kind invitation. Unfortunately I am so crowded with lecture engagements this season that I cannot in justice to myself accept any more.

Perhaps I may find it possible next season to be with you.

With kindest regards, permit me to remain

Very sincerely yours,

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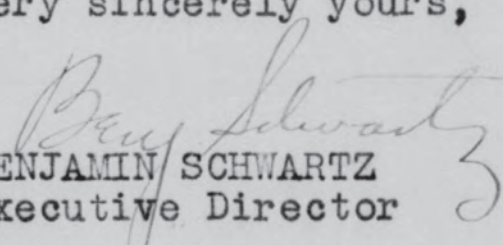
Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
Cleveland, Phio.

My dear Rabbi Silver:

I am writing to inquire if you are prepared to answer the invitation of our Regional Chairman, Benjamin L. Rubinsohn, Esq., to you to be the speaker at the Regional Conference in Atlantic City on January 2nd. I understand from Rabbi Louis Mischkind that he submitted our letter to you in Newark, Del. last week.

In view of the fact that there is little time in which to make arrangements, will you be good enough to let me have your answer promptly. Philadelphia, having tried many times to secure you as a speaker during the past few years, hopes that you will be able to arrange to be with us on January 2nd.

Very sincerely yours,


BENJAMIN SCHWARTZ
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December 7, 1927

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
c/o The Temple
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi Silver:

This is to confirm my telegram of today which reads as follows: "UPA COMMITTEE IN OMAHA NEBRASKA URGES YOU ACCEPT THEIR INVITATION OPEN OMAHA CAMPAIGN DATE YOUR CONVENIENCE WITHIN TWO OR THREE MONTHS PLEASE SET DATE AND INFORM ME YOUR ACCEPTANCE SINCE CAMPAIGN DEPENDS YOUR GOING TO OMAHA."

We have today received a letter from Mr. J. J. Friedman of Omaha in which he informs us that he is ready and willing to go ahead with the campaign for the United Palestine Appeal sometime within the next two or three months if you will accept their invitation to be the speaker. You will recall that some time ago you tentatively accepted the invitation pending our making definite arrangements for the campaign. For a number of reasons it has been impossible for us to arrange for the campaign at an earlier date and it now seems that the Omaha Committee will not go ahead unless they first have your acceptance. You will note from my telegram that the Committee is willing to give you a choice of dates anywhere between now and three months from now in order that they may be assured that you will consent to go there.

I know how very busy you are but I am nevertheless urging you to find the time somewhere on your calendar for Omaha and to let me know of your acceptance.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

Bernard Stone

NATIONAL EXECUTIVE SECRETARY.

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Dec. 8th, 1927

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Bernard Stone
United Palestine Appeal
114 Fifth Ave.,
New York City, N. Y.



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A. H. SILVER

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Day letter
received 12:00 p. m.
from New York City

WRHS
Rabbi A. H. Silver

Boston Campaign opens January 22d, 23d,
24th or 25th depending on which date
you can accept invitation to speak there.
Boston Committee urges you to accept
Please inform me.

Bernard Stone.

Answer sent 12/13/27

Regret cannot accept Boston engagement

A.H.Silver



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NEW YORK, U.S.A.

December 22, 1927.

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

Dear Rabbi Silver:

I am writing to you as one of our principal keymen and therefore as a responsible and leading Zionist in your community, in order to acquaint you with the financial situation of the United Palestine Appeal at the present moment.

As you may be aware, this is the time of the year when with one or two exceptions, no substantial campaigns for the United Palestine Appeal are taking place, since our work for the fiscal year does not get into full swing until the middle of January when campaigns in the larger cities are organized. Another fact with which we have to reckon is the falling off in the collections on account of the 1927 pledges, which is seasonal at this time of the year.

This situation makes it difficult for us to meet our obligations toward the Palestine budget, and we are in urgent and immediate need of funds to fulfill our commitments to the Palestine Zionist Executive to whom the Zionists of America owe a debt of loyalty this year more than ever before, since this new homogeneous Executive is largely the creation of American Zionists, and for whose success we are directly responsible, especially, as an American, Miss Henrietta Szold, is one of the three members of this Executive.

In order to enable this Executive to carry on even with a reduced minimum budget, it is necessary for us to send them the sum of \$160,000 before December 31st, which we still owe on account of our regular monthly remittances toward the Palestine budget.

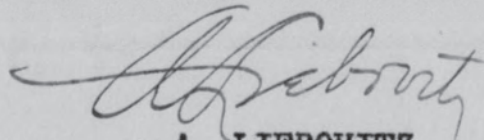
We have therefore decided to send this letter to 160 persons, all of them UPA keymen or members of the National Executive

Committee of the ZOA, in the hope and with the appeal that each one of these 160 Zionists should, independently of any other effort collect the sum of \$1,000 either on account of collections on outstanding pledges of 1927 remaining unpaid, or to receive advance cash pledges on account of the 1928 campaign in the respective communities, and in this way we could secure the sum of \$160,000 minimum which would enable us to meet the immediate emergency in our remittances to Palestine and fulfill our obligations toward the Zionist Executive and the Palestine budget.

I am therefore addressing this letter to you in the hope and expectation that you will give this matter your very serious and immediate consideration, consult with your colleagues, and remit immediately the sum of \$1,000 to the National Office, in order that the work in Palestine may go forward and the position of the Executive maintained.

With deep appreciation of what I know will be your immediate and helpful response, I am

Cordially and sincerely yours,



A. LIEBOVITZ

Treasurer

I am making a personal appeal and hope you will not fail me.

הקונסיל של קרן הקימת לישראל דקליבלנד, אה"י

CLEVELAND COUNCIL OF
JEWISH NATIONAL FUND

1124 EAST 105TH STREET

CLEVELAND, O.

December 25, 1927

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver

The Temple
Cleveland, Ohio

My Dear Rabbi Silver:

At the request of the local Council for the National Fund, I take pleasure in inclosing herewith a copy of the annual financial report of the 1927 activities.

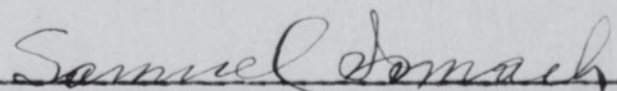
In submitting this report the Council wishes to express their appreciation for the cordial co-operation you have given in the past, and feel that you will continue to serve this cause in the same way during the forthcoming year.

On behalf of the National Fund Council I am writing to invite your further co-operation, and am confident that a word of encouragement from you to the local Council will be highly appreciated.

It is planned to hold a function of major importance, similar to last year's Jubilee Celebration, early in February 1928, and it is hoped that you will find it possible to inspire this activity with your presence and moral support.

May I hope to have an expression of interest from you?

Very sincerely yours,



Samuel Ismach
Chairman, Jewish National Fund Council

General Finance Report Jewish National Fund Council 1926-1927

November 16th, 1927

General Income.....\$13,124.08
 Cash Receipts \$12,559.08
 Outstanding M's 565.00
 Gener. Expenses 853.34
 New York 11,705.74

Total Expenditure

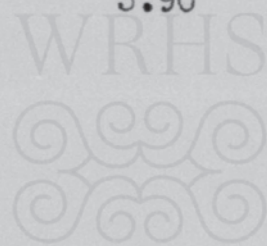
Rent from July 1926-November 1927 \$225.00
 Printing and Stationery..... 130.00
 Advertisements..... 143.00
 Postal Cards..... 58.19
 Stamps..... 77.20
 Extra Clerical Work..... 41.50
 Express Paid on National F.Boxes 21.36
 Prizes for Flower Day & Chanukah 26.27
 Extra Banquet & Mass Meeting
 Expense, Music \$50.00
 Mashgiach 15.00
 Flowers 10.00
 Caps 3.90

Details of Collect

Golden Book Inser. \$4,329.17
 Land Donations 901.91
 Dr. Levenberg 400.00
 Boxes Collections 2,089.34
 Mr. Max Savlon 500.00
 Synagogue Taxations 856.61
 Tishah B'av 606.45
 Trees 125.75
 Purim 268.01
 Flower Day 731.30
 Flag Day 782.04
 Jubille M. Meet & Ban. 634.88
 Chanukah 333.62
\$12,559.08

78.90

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Dec. 30th, 1927.

Mr. Samuel Ismach,
Chairman, Jewish National Fund Council,
1124 E. 105th St.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Ismach:-

Permit me to thank you for your
letter of December 25th.

I was interested in your
financial report for the year 1926-27. It
was very creditable that during that year you
raised a sum of over \$12,500.

I note too, with satisfaction,
that you are planning a major activity for
1928. I wish you every success. It will not
be possible of course, for me to give you the
same amount of time as I did last year and I
do not believe that you will require it. I
stand ready at all times to help you.

With kindest regards, permit
me to remain

Very sincerely yours,

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My Dear Rabbi Silver:

The Committee on arrangements for the State Convention of the United Palestine Appeal for the State of Ohio requests that you address the Conference on the afternoon of Sunday, January 22, 1928.

We trust that you will find it possible to arrange to be with us on that day.

Please let me know promptly of your acceptance.

With all best wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,

Nathan D. Engelman
Chairman, Committee on Arrangements

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 INVITATION TO OPENING BANQUET LATTER PART OF JANUARY OR FIRST
 PART OF FEBRUARY STOP SUCCESS OF CAMPAIGN WILL BE ASSURED BY
 YOUR ACCEPTANCE PLEASE DO NOT FAIL US AND WIRE ACCEPTANCE=
 UNITED PALESTINE APPEAL JACOB RABINOVITZ CHAIRMAN
 24 SCHOOL ST BOSTON MASS=

Carol

Jan. 3d, 1928.

Mr. Nathan D. Engelman,
Chairman, Committee on Arrangements,
Ohio Region, United Palestine Appeal,
1124 E. 105th St., Cleveland Ohio.

My dear Mr. Engelman:-

Permit me to acknowledge
receipt of your kind letter of January first.

I regret very much that I shall
not be able to address the Conference on Sunday
afternoon, January 22d.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

AHS/TR

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January 5th, 1928

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
c/o The Temple,
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi Silver:

We are in receipt of urgent requests from the leading Zionists and other influential members of the Los Angeles Jewish community, demanding that we make every effort to see to it that you come out to Los Angeles in the Spring of this year for the opening of the campaign for the UPA. In order to convince you of the great importance of your making every possible effort to accede to this request, I am writing to you herewith to acquaint you with the developments of the situation on the Pacific Coast.

When Dr. Weizmann visited the Coast in 1923, the maximum results then attained for the Keren Hayesod from the whole Coast was about \$70,000 in pledges of which about \$59,000 was afterwards collected. Subsequently I visited the Coast and conducted a campaign for the Keren Hayesod, as a result of which we raised nearly \$100,000 that year. The following year I again went out there, but in view of existing conditions we were obliged to enter into a combination with the JPC, and we secured about \$130,000 in cash from the Coast that year. Last year, however, the local leaders established a Chest for all Jewish activities other than local charities, and the results have been disappointing, and our share in Los Angeles has dropped from over \$100,000 to less than \$60,000, and the proceeds from the whole Coast fell from \$180,000 to about \$135,000.

The information we now get from the Pacific Coast indicates that if we allow matters to proceed as they have been going along, we are likely to have a further large reduction in the amount of money we are to get this year, and in Los Angeles we are told that it is quite probable that a very severe further reduction in the amount to be allotted to us out of the local Chest is quite likely.

In the circumstances, we are considering a plan whereby I would be released from my duties in the National Office so as to enable me to spend the months of March, April and May on the Coast in order to strengthen our position there and either secure a considerable increase in the amount it is contemplated to give us out of the local Chest in Los Angeles, or to make such

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver:

arrangements as will enable us to go out independently for a campaign of our own.

Moreover the local Jewish community in Los Angeles has been split into fragments on an issue entirely unconnected with our work, but due to differences of opinion as to the manner in which the Anti-Defamation League of the Bnai Brith Order dealt with the King of Kings film depicting the life of Jesus. At any rate, it is clear from all information that has reached us here that we stand before a very critical situation so far as the U.P.A. is concerned on the Coast, and that nothing but the strongest possible measures will enable us to maintain our position and avoid a severe loss of income.

According to the consensus of opinion of all our workers in Los Angeles, it is essential that one of the strongest national figures in the Zionist world visit Los Angeles if we are to succeed in our efforts to maintain our position, and you are their unanimous choice for such visit, and we are asked to book you for a date suitable to your convenience during the month of May.

I need hardly tell you that I thoroughly understand and appreciate the great sacrifice involved in having you give up your valuable time to make this journey across the continent and back, but I feel emboldened to ask you to make this sacrifice none the less, by reason first of all of the urgent need for funds and the danger to our work in Palestine if the income from the Coast were to fall down as everything seems to indicate unless heroic steps are taken to remedy the situation, and secondly because I know your heartfelt devotion to the Cause of Palestine and the tower of strength you have been to this movement.

Under the circumstances, I hope you will give this matter your favorable consideration, and if there should be some obstacles in the way of your going out to the Coast, we hope some way can be found to overcome them, in order that your visit there in May will be assured.

With kindest personal regards and awaiting a favorable reply, I am

Cordially and sincerely yours,

Bernard Stone
BERNARD STONE
EXECUTIVE SECRETARY.

JULIAN W. MACK
U. S. CIRCUIT JUDGE
NEW YORK CITY

January 7, 1928

Dear Silver:

The enclosed letter to Fred Butzel tells what I should like to say to you in reference to Cleveland. I don't know whether you know Golding or not, but he is really worth knowing. If there is anything that you can do in the matter for Cleveland, or indeed for any other place, won't you communicate in the way that I have asked Fred to do.

Mrs. Mack would join me in cordial greetings and best wishes for the new year to you and Mrs. Silver.

As ever faithfully yours

Julian W. Mack
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Rabbi A. H. Silver

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Jan. 10th, 1928.

Rabbi
XX. Jacob Rabinovitz
24 School St.,
Boston, Mass.



Regret exceedingly cannot accept your very kind invitation. Wish your campaign every success.

A. H. Silver

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Cards

January 10th, 1928.

Bernard Stone, Executive Secretary,
United Palestine Appeal,
114 Fifth Ave.,
New York, N. Y.

My dear Mr. Stone:-

I regret very much that I can
not accept your kind invitation to address
the Los Angeles Jewish community in May. It
is the month of Confirmation and I am compelled
to remain in the city.

I was also unable to accept
the invitation from the Boston U. P. A. Campaign
Committee.

With kindest regards, permit me
to remain

Very sincerely yours,

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January 16, 1928

Dear Friend:

I am anxious to have a representative delegation for Cleveland at the State Conference of the United Palestine Appeal to be held in Toledo on Saturday, January 21 and Sunday, January 22.

I am, therefore, inviting you to plan to attend this Conference as one of our delegates from Cleveland, and I trust you will find it possible to respond. For the welfare of the Movement, it is essential that the Various districts throughout the State be adequately represented and as far as Cleveland is concerned, I am anticipating that you together with the other ladies and gentlemen whom I am inviting will demonstrate their interest in the Cause by participating in this second annual conference.

Please indicate your intention to attend by signing and mailing the enclosed reply postal card immediately.

With kindest personal regards, I am,

Sincerely yours,

Barnett R. Brickner

Chairman

P.S. Official program will be sent within a few days.

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THIS SIDE OF CARD IS FOR ADDRESS



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Rabbi Barnett R. Brickner, Chairman
Chio Region, United Palestine Appeal
1124 $\frac{1}{2}$ East 105 Street
Cleveland, Chio

My Dear Rabbi Brickner:

will not attend
I take pleasure in informing you that
I ~~will~~ attend the State Conference in Toledo
on January 21 and 22 as a delegate representing
Cleveland.

Sincerely yours,

Name _____

Address _____

*called up
1/17/24*

הקונסיל של קרן הקימת לישראל דקליבלנד, אה"י

CLEVELAND COUNCIL OF
JEWISH NATIONAL FUND

1124 EAST 105TH STREET
CLEVELAND, O.

January 24, 1928

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
Cleveland, Ohio

My Dear Rabbi Silver:

Within several weeks, we are going
to proclaim ten Palestinian Days "Aseret Yomay Eretz Yisroel."

During these Palestinian Days, we are
going to ask all the Jewish Organizations, Congregations and
institutions to assist us in redeeming the soil of Palestine.

Every Organization will be asked to
participate in a popularity contest and the Palestine Carnival
which will end the Ten Palestinian Days.

We would like to have your opinion on
this affair so that we can publish it in the "Jewish World"
within a week, and in this way stimulate publicity for this
large affair.

We would appreciate your reply not later
than January 27th, Friday of this week.

Sincerely yours,

CLEVELAND COUNCIL JEWISH NATIONAL FUND

Samuel J. Tamm
Chairman

UNITED PALESTINE APPEAL

For the
KEREN HAYESOD, JEWISH NATIONAL FUND
HADASSAH, JUNIOR HADASSAH
HEBREW UNIVERSITY FUND
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ALABAMA, ARKANSAS, FLORIDA, GEORGIA, LOUISIANA,
MISSISSIPPI and TENNESSEE

Norris Building

Atlanta, Ga.

LEO J. FRACHTENBERG, A. M., Ph. D.
Executive Director

January 30, 1928.

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

Dear Rabbi Silver:

I met the other day with our Birmingham committee and organized the next annual effort for the U. P. A. for that city which will begin with a banquet on Wednesday, March 21st, for a quota of \$20,000. We have succeeded in obtaining this year as our chairman the most influential man in Birmingham. He is very eager to make a success of this campaign. The Birmingham committee has requested me to make the utmost effort to secure you for the opening event. I need not point out to you the great need for having you come to Birmingham. This is the best Zionist city in the South and your presence will stimulate them as they have never been stimulated before. The South does not have the privilege accorded so freely to the cities of the North of hearing the great leaders of American Israel.

I, therefore, beg to urge you as strongly as possible that you give me one day for the South, and that this day be devoted to the opening of our annual campaign in Birmingham. If the date of March 21st interferes with any previous engagement of yours, I would suggest that you set another date to suit your personal convenience, but please do not turn me down.

Very cordially yours,

Leo J. Fracht
LEO J. FRACHTENBERG.,
Executive Director.

LJF:M

card ✓

Feb. 2d, 1928.

Dr. Leo J. Frachtenberg,
United Palestine Appeal,
Norris Bldg., Atlanta, Ga.

My dear Dr. Frachtenberg:-

Permit me to thank you for your
kind letter of January 30th and for the invita-
tion which you extend to me to address the
Birmingham community in the interest of the U.
P. A.

I wish I could see my way clear to
accept, but I am so over-crowded with lecture
engagements that I can not in justice to myself
accept any more.

With kindest regards, permit me
to remain

Very sincerely yours,

AHS/IR

UNITED PALESTINE APPEAL

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February 13, 1928.

LEO J. FRACHTENBERG, A. M., Ph. D.
Executive Director

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver,
E. 105th St. at Ansel Rd.,
Cleveland, O.

Dear Rabbi Silver:

I was away from the office and was unable to answer your letter of February 2nd at an earlier date. Of course, I am greatly disappointed. I know that were it at all possible you would have accepted this invitation. You thoroughly understand, I am sure, the difficulties under which we are working in the South. We never have the advantage of contact with our outstanding Jewish leaders. If you, Weizmann, Wise, and other outstanding figures in the cause of Zionism could see your way clear towards making now and then a sacrifice and giving us a few days in the South I feel certain that we could more than better our income. When I took charge of the Southern Region in 1927 I found that prior to that time the South had never contributed more than \$25,000 in cash during any one year. In 1927 we produced over \$50,000 and the outlook this year for \$100,000 in cash is very good provided we can receive some cooperation from the men to whom we look up for guidance and enthusiasm.

If in view of this letter you can still see your way clear towards giving us one day during the month of March, and letting this day suit your own convenience, you would help us accomplish a big thing for Palestine and our ideal.

With the kindest of personal regards, I remain

Very cordially yours,

Leo J. Frachtenberg
LEO J. FRACHTENBERG.,
Executive Director.

LJF:M

הקונסיל של קרן הקימת לישראל דקליבלנד, אה"י

CLEVELAND COUNCIL OF
JEWISH NATIONAL FUND

1124 EAST 105TH STREET

CLEVELAND, O.

February 22, 1928

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi Silver:

I regret very much that so far you have not co-operated with us in the planning of the "Ten Palestinian Days."

I feel that your non-participation in this, our annual undertaking, is a great loss to us.

During the "Ten Palestinian Days" we are arranging to have a tremendous cultural program. All Temple, Synagogues, Forums, etc. are promising to have a special lecture on Jewish National Fund on Sunday, March 10. I know it would be a great help and influence to us if you would also co-operate in this way by arranging your sermon for that Sunday on the same subject.

If this is agreeable to you kindly let me know through your secretary, either by mail or by telephone (Gar. 5234) and give us the subject you have chosen, so that we may publish this in the "Ten Palestinian Days Calander" now being prepared for the Press.

We are also having a contest in a small form within the Hebrew and Sunday Schools throughout the city. May we count upon your schools?

If you have any objection to this contest, may we then count upon your schools for a donation from the "Sunshine Fund?"

Cordially yours,

Samuel Bernack

Chairman

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Feb. 29th, 1928.

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

Dear Rabbi Silver:

I am taking the liberty
of again requesting you to render us the great
service of being our Guest speaker at the
Banquet to inaugurate the United Palestine Appeal
Campaign, in the city of Toronto on Tuesday evening,
April the 17th, 1928.

The Canadian Campaign is being
held to raise our usual quota for the Keren Hayesod
and in addition, the \$300,000. required for the
first payment on the Canadian Zionist Million
Dollar Land Purchase in Palestine.

It is because we all feel
so keenly that your presence with us will make
this Campaign an assured success, that I respect-
fully urge that you reconsider your decision.

Awaiting your reply, I am

Very gratefully,

David Dunkelman
CHAIRMAN - UNITED PALESTINE APPEAL.

AEH.

card ✓
March 2d, 1928.

David Dunkelman, Chairman,
United Palestine Appeal,
206 Beverley St.,
Toronto, Canada.

My dear Mr. Dunkelman:-

I wish I could see my way clear to accept your kind invitation to address the opening dinner of the United Palestine Appeal on Tuesday evening, April 17th. Nothing would give me greater pleasure.

Unfortunately a previous engagement necessitates my remaining in Cleveland that day. I wish you every success in your great undertaking.

With kindest regards, permit me to remain

Very sincerely yours,

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INVITATION THEREBY ASSURING SUCCESS AKRON DRIVE FOR PALESTINE
STOP SHALL AWAIT YOUR ANSWER HOTEL PORTAGE THANKS=

WILLIAM EDLIN.

Anser same date

Very sorry can not accept your invitation

A.H.Silver

UNITED PALESTINE APPEAL

155 NORTH CLARK STREET, ROOM 516

TELEPHONE STATE 9347

CHICAGO

March 27, 1928

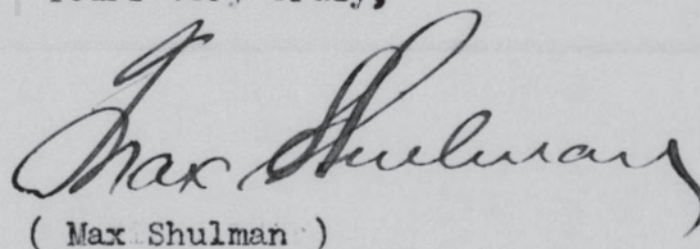
Dr. Abba Hillel Silver,
c/o The Temple,
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Dr. Silver:

On Wednesday, April 25, we will tender a dinner to Dr. Chaim Weizmann, and on the behalf of the Committee, desire to extend to you a most cordial invitation to be with us and, together with Dr. Weizmann, address the meeting in the interest of the United Palestine Appeal.

Hoping that your time will permit you to be with us in the interest of our Cause, I beg to remain

Yours very truly,



(Max Shulman)

MS:IM

Carol

March 28th, 1928.

Mr. Max Shulman,
United Palestine Appeal
155 North Clark St.,
Chicago, Ill.

My dear Mr. Shulman:-

Permit me to thank you for your
kind letter of March 27th and for the invitation
which you extend to me to address the United
Palestine Appeal meeting on the occasion of Dr.
Weizmann's visit.

Unfortunately I am booked to be
in Montreal on that evening to address the Canadian
Conference of Social Workers. I wish you every
success.

With kindest regards, permit me
to remain

Very sincerely yours,

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APPEAL LUNCHEON WEDNESDAY MAY 2 ONE THOUSAND WOMEN EXPECTED
SENT URGENT INVITATION TO HAVE YOU AS SPEAKER FEEL YOUR
PRESENCE ESSENTIAL FOR SUCCESS OF UNDERTAKING AWAITING YOUR
ACCEPTANCE=

MRS POOL CHAIRMAN HADASSAH SPEAKERS BUREAU.

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members

COLLECT DAY LETTER
TO MRS. POOL

4/17/28

Regret exceedingly can not accept invitation
for May second Am scheduled to be in Memphis
attending National Conference Social workers
Best wishes.

A. H. Silver

Tel. Hancock { 4693
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UNITED PALESTINE APPEAL

FOR \$7,500,000.

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GREATER BOSTON EXECUTIVE OFFICE
24 School Street, Rooms 311-314
Boston, Mass.

May 14/28

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Rabbi Silver:

The Lynn Jewish community is planning a campaign in behalf of its Community Center and at a meeting held last night Mr. Henry Yozell, a prominent business man and communal worker, assumed the leadership of the campaign.

Mr. Yozell and his associates are very anxious to secure your co-operation and have asked me to extend an invitation to you in their behalf to deliver the principal address at a banquet to be held during the middle or latter part of June---definite date to suit your convenience. We would appreciate very much if you would accept this invitation.

You will be rendering a real service to one of our important Greater Boston Jewish communities.

Hoping that we may look forward to a favorable reply,
I am

Sincerely yours,

R. Silverman
Regional Director.

P.S. It is understood of course that your regular fee and of course expenses will ^{be} paid you.

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AWAITING YOUR KIND ACCEPTANCE FOR JULY EIGHTH PER PREVIOUS

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MEETING SUNDAY JULY EIGHTH STOP MEETING WILL BE UTILIZED TO
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WILL HELP MAKE MEETING A SUCCESS STOP HOPE TO RECEIVE YOUR
ACCEPTANCE BY WIRE=

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Answer

June 18, 1928

REGRET EXCEEDINGLY CAN NOT ACCEPT YOUR KIND INVITATION
MUST BE IN CLEVELAND ON THAT DAY.



A. H. SILVER



card ✓

June 25th, 1928.

Mr. Max Shulman,
U. P. A.,
155 North Clark St.,
Chicago, Ill.

My dear Mr. Shulman:-

We are in receipt of your
wire as follows:

"Awaiting your kind acceptance for
July eighth per previous wire."

Under date of June 18th we wired you an answer
to your previous wire as follows:

"Regret exceedingly can not accept your
kind invitation must be in Cleveland
on that day." (Signed) A. H. Silver.

With kindest regards, permit
me to remain

Very truly yours,

Secretary to Rabbi Silver.