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RABBI JONAH B. WISE
35 E. 62ND ST. - New York, N. Y.

September 5, 1940

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
Cleveland, Ohio

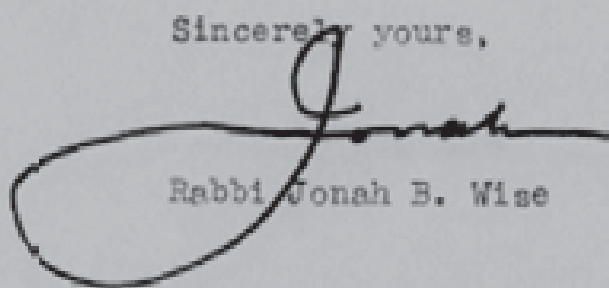
Dear Abe:

I hope you have had a pleasant summer and are refreshed
and ready for your coming season.

It is important that we have a conference soon about various
matters connected with the 1940 drive and ~~some~~ talk about the 1941
drive. If you expect to be in New York please let me know; if not,
I can arrange to come to Cleveland some time soon to take up the matters
with you.

Best regards,

Sincerely yours,



Rabbi Jonah B. Wise

JBW/ks

September 9, 1940

Rabbi Jonah B. Wise
35 E. 62nd St.
New York, N.Y.

My dear Jonah:

Thank you for your letter of September 5.
I shall be in New York on Thursday and Friday,
September 19 and 20. I shall be free Thursday morning
as well as most of Friday. Please let me know what hour
is most convenient for you.

With all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

ARS:BX

RABBI JONAH B. WISE
35 E. 62ND ST. • New York, N. Y.

September 27, 1940.

Rabbi Abba Fillel Silver,
The Temple,
E. 105th St. at Ansel Rd.,
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Dear Friends:

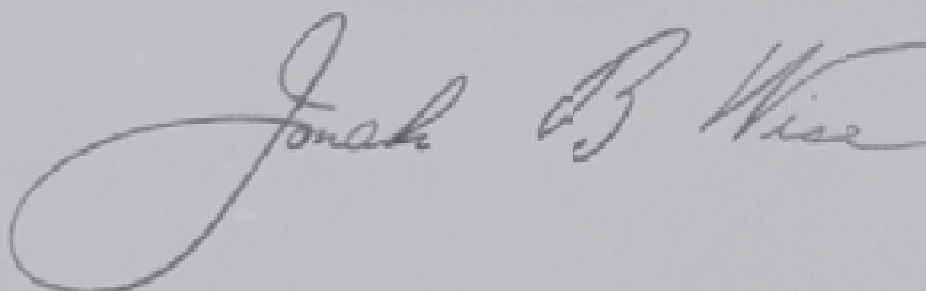
I used to worry about the coming of New Year because of the purely formal tasks involved. I look forward to it now with a feeling that no matter what happens in the world there is enough reserve and righteousness eventually to straighten things out and set people on the right path. This is axiomatic for us Jews.

I want to say that I am greatly helped in these things by the fine cooperation the American Jewish community has given in the effort to find means and money to help our oppressed brethren in the past year. We American Jews can approach the High Holydays with a good conscience in this field and I am sending you this letter to let you know that I am prepared to bear witness for you. I certainly hope you have a good year. I want to tell you that the Joint Distribution Committee understands and appreciates your cooperation.

The J.D.C. must tackle the new problems in the New Year with all the vigor that its experience of a quarter of a century and its enthusiasm which it gets from you and men like you can provide. There is no chance for the J.D.C. to avoid an enormous responsibility for the Year 5701 of the Jewish calendar. When one country is closed two new frontiers are being crossed by exiled Israel today. The scene changes so quickly that I simply cannot give you either examples or details. My colleagues, Mr. Baerwald, Mr. Hyman or Mr. Coons will be glad to do that. It would take a daily bulletin to advise you of the problems which the J.D.C. must grapple with in these days of fiendish cruelty armed with lightning. I was not going into this but somehow or other I can't hold back when I think of the suffering that American Jews can relieve through the J.D.C.

Thanking you again and wishing you and your dear ones a happy New Year,
I remain

Sincerely yours,



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September 28, 1940

Edward M. M. Warburg, Chairman
New York City Campaign
United Jewish Appeal
261 Fifth Avenue
New York, N.Y.

SOME TIME AGO I REQUESTED A MAILING LIST FROM YOUR HEADQUARTERS TO WHOM I MIGHT SEND A NEW YEAR LETTER OF GREETING. THAT LIST HAS NOT BEEN FORTHCOMING. SOME ONE IN YOUR ORGANIZATION HAS EVEN PRESUMED TO REVISE MY LETTER. AS NATIONAL CHAIRMAN OF THE UNITED JEWISH APPEAL I MUST INSIST THAT THAT LIST BE FORTHCOMING IMMEDIATELY SO THAT MY LETTER MAY REACH NEW YORK SUBSCRIBERS TO THE UNITED JEWISH APPEAL BEFORE NEW YEARS. THE SAME LETTER WAS SENT TO TWENTY FIVE THOUSAND KEY LEADERS THROUGHOUT THE NATION. I UNDERSTAND THAT A SIMILAR LETTER HAS BEEN SENT OUT BY WISE FOR THE JDC TO LIST RECEIVED FROM YOUR HEADQUARTERS. KINDEST REGARDS.

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September 29, 1940

Edward M. M. Warburg, Chairman
New York City Campaign
United Jewish Appeal
261 Fifth Avenue
New York, N.Y.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR TELEGRAM. WOULD APPRECIATE GREATLY IF YOU MAKE AVAILABLE TO UNITED PALESTINE APPEAL THE LIST REQUESTED. REGRET INCORRECT INFORMATION CONVEYED TO ME ABOUT MR. WISE LETTER. KINDEST REGARDS

ABBA HILLEL SILVER

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I HAVE RECEIVED YOUR MESSAGE RE NEW YEAR LETTER OF GREETING. NATURALLY AM DISTRESSED AT TONE YOUR REQUEST WHICH I BELIEVE IS BASED ON MISUNDERSTANDING OF FACTS. JONAH WISE SENT OUT A NEW YEARS GREETING LETTER TO A LIST OF JDC FRIENDS PLUS MEMBERS HIS OWN CONGREGATION. THE NEWYORK UJA WAS NOT REQUESTED DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY TO FURNISH ANY LIST TO HIM AND HAS HAD NO CONTACT WHATEVER WITH THE CIRCULATION OF DOCTOR WISE'S LETTER. THE CONSIDERED POLICY OUR NEWYORK UJA EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE CONSISTENTLY HAS BEEN TO RETAIN PHYSICAL CUSTODY CONTROL OUR KEY LISTS BUT NATURALLY ALWAYS WILLING EXTEND TO YOU OR TO JONAH WISE COURTESY OF FORWARDING YOUR MESSAGES THROUGH OUR CHANNELS. IF NOT CONFLICTING WITH LOCAL CAMPAIGN PROCEDURE, WOULD BE VERY HAPPY THEREFORE INSTRUCT NEWYORK OFFICE SEND OUT YOUR LETTER WITH SOME REFERENCE TO UJA INCLUDED, AND I WILL ALSO MAKE SAME SUGGESTION TO YOUR CO-CHAIRMAN DOCTOR WISE. PLEASE ADVISE NEWYORK CAMPAIGN OFFICE. REGARDS. HAPPY NEW YEAR=

EDWARD M M WARBURG.

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THE COMPANY WILL APPRECIATE SUGGESTIONS FROM

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—DR. CHAIM WEIZMANN

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November 1, 1940.

National Chairman

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

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Stephen S. Wise
*Chairman,
Administrative Committee*

Dear Dr. Silver:

Louis Lipsky
*Chairman, Executive
Committee*

A meeting of the Administrative Committee of the United Palestine Appeal to fix our policy for the campaign of 1941 will be held on Wednesday, November 13, at 3:30 p.m., at the offices of the United Palestine Appeal, 41 East 42nd Street, New York City.

Solomon Goldman
Israel Goldstein
Morris Rothenberg

At this meeting we shall hear reports of discussions that have been held between the sub-committees representing the United Palestine Appeal and that of the Joint Distribution Committee. It is urgent that the decisions which are to be made should have the considered discussion of all those who have responsibility as members of the Administrative Committee of the United Palestine Appeal.

Treasurer

Arthur M. Lampert

I would appreciate your assurance on the enclosed card that you may be expected at the meeting.

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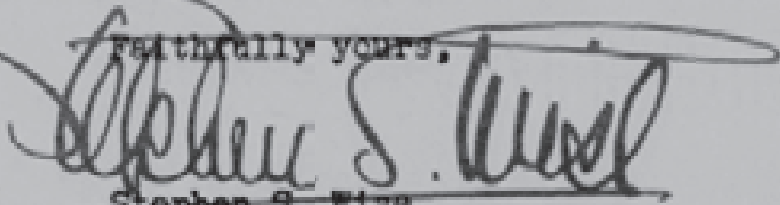
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Faithfully yours,


Stephen S. Wise

Chairman, Administrative Committee

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Nov. 6, 1940.

Dr. Alex S. Wolf
(SUITE 511-513 VICTORIA BLDG)
SAINT LOUIS, U. S. A.

Dear, esteemed friend
Abba Hillel:-

I am in receipt of your communication of Nov. 1st containing my appointment as one of the three representatives to attend the Annual Conference of the Jewish National Fund, to be held in Saint Louis Nov. 9, 10 and 11, '40.

I wish to thank you most cordially for the honor conferred upon me by you as our National Commander-in-Chief. Prof. Klausner informed me of the receipt of a similar appointment, and most likely, the third went to Rabbi Julius Gordon, being the third honorary Vice-Chairman of the U.P.A. residing in our community.

Now, will you please let me know whether it is your wish that either J.G. or myself greet the Conference officially on behalf of the U.P.A.?

Prof. Klausner being the Chairman of the Conference Arrangements Committee, will welcome the delegates at the first, opening meeting on Nov. 9; besides he will also open the Conference banquet. He cannot, therefore, be considered for the function of the U.P.A. representative for the occasion. There remain only two, Rabbi Gordon and myself. To be sure, Gordon declined Klausner's invitation to welcome the Conference on behalf of Jewish Welfare Fund of which he was Chairman General in its drive for 1939-40. Still, as a close personal friend I may be able to prevail upon him to greet the J.N.F. Conference. But it would come with more grace if you, the Head of the U.P.A., would offer him this special honor. We, the leader of the Zionist movement of many decades, can like the mother in Salomon's judgment, step aside for those lukewarm or reserved Zionist intellectuals who through such public representation, may become inclined to take an active part in our local or regional work. And I do not want to leave in your mind, dear friend, that Julius Gordon IS a warm Zion-

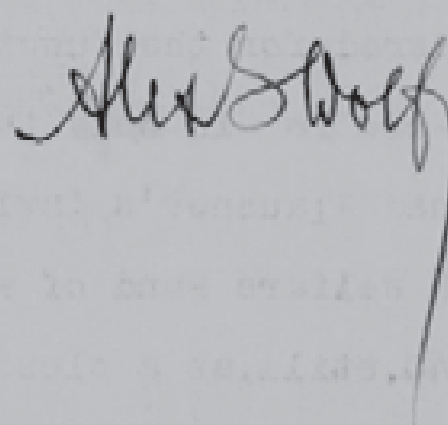
ist, but he shies away from official ~~representation~~ participation in local Zionist affairs. One will not blame him for such reluctance if one considers the quality of leadership the Zionist Organization of Saint Louis had to suffer from in the ^{last} three years. The situation was quite akin to the situation in Cleveland when you had decided to break up the Zionist Tammany Hall in your community. We have succeeded finally to get rid of ours at the last fall election, and have now a fine communal worker at its head and the old leaders heartily co-operating with him.

Should Gordon not accept the proffered office of a spokesman for U.P.A. do you want me to extend the greetings of the ~~U.P.A.~~ U.P.A. to the Conference, or you will designate one or the other of your officers who will be present at the Conference. Under no circumstances, in the latter case, entrust Lipsky with that office as he is an official speaker of the occasion and too ubiquitous in our organizations, to lend specific importance to his words of welcome.

I shall be awaiting your dispositions in this matter and carry out your wishes to your fullest satisfaction.

I remain in old faithful friendship

Cordially yours



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November 15, 1940

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Dr. Silver:

About a week or ten days ago I was so urgently requested by Mr. Warren to let them have \$1,000 at once from the United Palestine Appeal or some Zionist group for the President's Advisory Committee for Political Refugees that I immediately advanced \$1,000 of my own. They will need another \$1,500, making a \$2,500 contribution from us.

Yesterday, at a meeting of the Office Committee of the Emergency Committee it was felt that, in view of the limitation of \$25,000 set as the appropriation for the Emergency Committee for this year for all its political work, the request should be made that the United Palestine Appeal advance that \$2,500.

All the others, including Lipsky, Goldstein, etc., expressed their approval of the plan, but naturally we wish to have your approval as well. I need not point out to you how valuable the President's Committee has been to us in the matter of getting us passports for some of our people, though heaven knows not enough.

Will you be good enough to send a word to Montor or to me with respect to this matter in order that, in any event, I may be reimbursed without delay.

In response to a suggestion of mine that we ask the Joint Distribution Committee to take two-thirds of the burden, and the Zionist group one-third, in relation to the President's Advisory, Montor seemed to feel — and I am inclined to agree with him — that it would be disadvantageous to create a feeling of disparity in the minds of the President's Committee, and that prestige must be considered as well as outlay.

I deeply regret that I could not attend the meeting, which I hear was admirable, but we had long

W. J.

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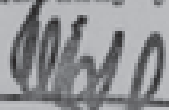
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 Max F. Wolf, *New York*

arranged for the meeting for Free France at Carnegie Hall, and that appointment could not be changed.

With cordial greeting, I am

Faithfully yours,



Stephen S. Wise

P.S. When giving your approval would you have the kindness to mention the sum of \$2,500, so the balance of \$1,500 may be sent without delay.

P.P.S. I have just had a telephone message from Elisha M. Friedman that the business men refuse to give Sunday for a meeting. I suggested leaving out Sunday and having it on Saturday. I believe he will call the meeting for Saturday, November 30. But I said in advance, through the secretary, that I would not attend, unless you assented to the date.

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HAVE ARRANGED FOR IMPORTANT MEETING SATURDAY MORNING NINE
O'CLOCK AT HOME JUSTICE BRANDEIS WITH HIM FELIX BEN HOPE
SINCERELY YOU CAN ATTEND

STEPHEN S WISE.

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November 18, 1940

Dr. Stephen S. Wise
40 West 68th St.
New York, N.Y.

My dear Dr. Wise:

I received your telegram, and I appreciated the invitation to attend the Washington meeting. Unfortunately I was confined to my home ever since my return from New York last Thursday with a bad cold. I am sorry that I could not attend the meeting. I should be very much interested in hearing from you what transpired.

With all good wishes, I remain

Very sincerely yours,

AHS:EK

RABBI JONAH B. WISE
35 EAST 62nd STREET
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November 19, 1940

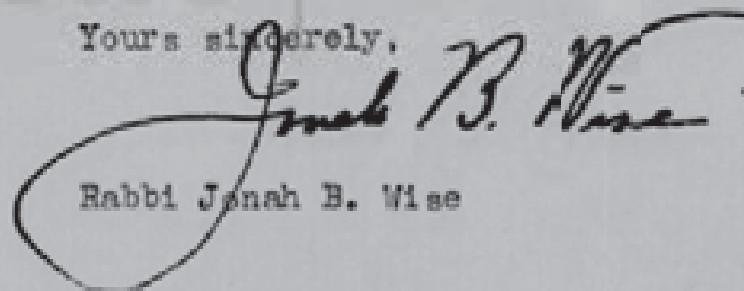
Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
103rd Street & Angel Road
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi Silver:

Thank you for your letter of November 18th, advising me
of the election of Mr. Charles J. Rosenbloom of Pittsburgh as
Treasurer of the United Jewish Appeal and his designation to
serve as Co-Treasurer of the United Jewish Appeal.

We are very happy to have his cooperation and I shall
advise the persons interested.

Yours sincerely,

A large, elegant handwritten signature in dark ink, reading "Jonah B. Wise". The signature is written over the typed name and extends upwards and to the left, looping around the word "Yours".

Rabbi Jonah B. Wise

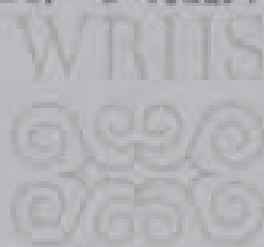
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cc - U.J.A.

P.S. Aren't you disappointed about Lamport's will specifying such causes as the Federation and the Seminary, etc., even the cause of the colored people, and saying nothing, as far as I can see, in the press, about the U.P.A., or even Palestine? But perhaps the will was not published in full.

I learn from Montor that Thursday and Friday, December 5th and 6th, may finally be fixed upon for the meeting of the Allotment Committee. Think of spending two days with Elisha!

The second matter with which we dealt on Saturday was the Jewish Army, which L.E.B. vetoed in most vigorous fashion. A Jewish army or a Jewish legion in Palestine, but not a Jewish army throughout the world. I believe that B.G. remains unsatisfied.



COPY OF TELEGRAM SENT TO RABBI JONAH B. WISE

December 2, 1940

Rabbi Jonah B. Wise
35 East 62nd St.
New York, N.Y.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR TELEGRAM. WE HAVE NOT RECEIVED A CLEAR ANSWER TO THE QUESTION WHICH WE PUT IN BOTH OF OUR LETTERS. UNLESS THERE IS A CLEAR ANSWER FORTHCOMING I SEE NO PURPOSE IN CALLING ANOTHER CONFERENCE. KINDEST REGARDS.

Abba Hillel Silver

THIS SIDE OF CARD IS FOR ADDRESS



Dr. Stephen S. Wise
United Palestine Appeal
41 East 42nd Street
New York City

Dear Dr. Wise:

shall

I shall not attend the meeting of the Administrative Committee of the United Palestine Appeal to be held Wednesday afternoon, November 13, 3:30 P.M. at the office of the United Palestine Appeal, 41 East 42nd Street.

(signature)

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I HAVE READ THE LETTERS EXCHANGED BY YOU AND MR PAUL
BAERWALD AND FEEL THAT IT IS IMPORTANT THAT YOU AND I
AS HEADS OF THE UNITED JEWISH APPEAL CALL A MEETING OF
THE CONFERENCE COMMITTEE ON THE 1941 CAMPAIGN TO MAKE AN
EFFORT TO ARRIVE AT MUTUALLY ACCEPTABLE ARRANGEMENTS.
ALL OF US ARE INTERESTED IN MAINTAINING THE UNITED EFFORT
AS BOTH YOU AND MR BAERWALD HAVE STATED. I SUGGEST THAT
WE MEET ON THURSDAY, DECEMBER FIFTH AT A TIME CONVENIENT
TO YOURSELF WHICH I ASK YOU NOW TO SUGGEST BY RETURN WIRE=
RABBI JONASH B WISE.

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December 6, 1940

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Dr. Silver:

The Administrative Committee of the United Palestine Appeal will meet on Tuesday, December 17, 1940 at 8:00 P. M. at the United Palestine Appeal office at 41 East 42nd Street, New York City.

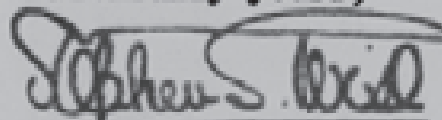
You will recall that at the last meeting on November 13th a certain resolution was adopted with respect to the manner in which the United Palestine Appeal campaign should be conducted in 1941. Action to implement this decision will be decided upon at the December 17th meeting.

May I urge your attendance in view of the decisive character of the step that we are about to take affecting our relationship to the Jewish community in America and to the Jewish community in Palestine.

Won't you assure me on the enclosed card that I may count upon your presence.

I would urge that regardless of any difficulties that may be involved in your attending the meeting, you should manage to be present.

Faithfully yours,



Stephen S. Wise
Chairman
Administrative Committee

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M E M O R A N D U M

TO: DR. ABBA HILLEL SILVER
FROM: HENRY MONTOR

December 13, 1940

Attached hereto is a copy of a letter which Dr. Harold M. Weinberg, one of the really influential men in the New York City trades group has written with respect to the New York campaign.

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December 10, 1940

United Palestine Appeal
261 Fifth Avenue
New York, N. Y.

Att: Mr. Harry Montor

Dear Mr. Montor:

I have been giving a lot of very serious thought to the United Palestine Appeal Campaign negotiations and it is my opinion that we should adopt the "Wilson" method "Open Covenants, Openly Arrived At."

It is also my personal opinion that if all the Chairmen of the Campaigns - both in the trades and community chests thru-out the nation had all the facts before them, they would not tolerate such an unfair distribution of the funds as now exists, and instead of waiting around - waiting for their Royal Highnesses to come down from their exalted perches, let us draw up a broad complete statement to facts and send it out broadcast to all the Chairmen of Campaigns thru-out the land with a questionnaire asking them for an expression of their opinion as to what they think should be a fair distribution of the funds.

I would even go a step further - I would call a meeting of all the former Campaign Chairmen in the metropolitan area, present the facts before them, and have them arrive at some determination and draw up a resolution to be presented to the negotiators.

Let us stop being gelatine spined and stiffen our backs and take some positive action for what we think is right.

I think that if there is the remote possibility that we may have to have a separate campaign that we should be armed with an honest expression of opinion from those who carry the real burden of campaigning, and I earnestly hope that you will find it feasible and practical to send out a questionnaire immediately in order to have responses available for our Administrative Committee meeting on December 17th.

Believe me, I am

Sincerely yours,

(Signed) Dr. H.M. Weinberg

HMW:sa

December 16, 1940

Rabbi Jonah B. Wise
35 E. 62nd Street
New York, N.Y.

My dear Jonah:

I believe that a meeting of the Executive Committee of the United Jewish Appeal should be held before long to receive officially the report of the Allotment Committee and act on its recommendations. In view, also, of the recent developments, it will be necessary to wind up the affairs of the UJA and to set up the machinery for the collection of 1939 and 1940 outstanding pledges. Please let me know what date is most convenient for you.

With best wishes, I remain

Most cordially yours,

AHS:EK

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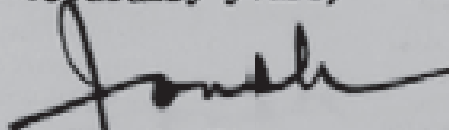
Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
Tenth and Ansel Road
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Abba:

Confirming my telegram of Friday when I was in Chicago, in behalf of the 1941 campaign, I am glad to submit herein the text of a brief statement to be issued jointly by yourself and myself as the representatives of the J.D.C. and the U.F.A., and as the joint chairmen of the United Jewish Appeal of 1940. I shall be glad to have your comments at the earliest moment.

With kind greetings from house to house,

Cordially yours,


Jonah B. Wise

JBW:SF
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We herewith announce that as of December 31, 1940, the United Jewish Appeal will cease to function as the agency for the collection and distribution of new funds for the 1941 programs of the Joint Distribution Committee, the United Palestine Appeal and the National Refugee Service. The United Jewish Appeal will continue to collect and distribute all funds outstanding in the 1939 and 1940 campaigns on the basis of the agreements of 1939 and 1940 and the decisions of the Allocations Committee of 1939 and the Allotment Committee of 1940.

This announcement is made with regret. The campaigns of 1939 and 1940 yielded substantial sums for the three causes. These causes are more deeply involved in American Jewish thinking today than ever before. It is the firm belief of the undersigned that the de facto dissolution of the common fund-raising national organization will not impair the cordial relations and generous cooperation now existing among the three beneficiary agencies of the 1939 and 1940 United Jewish Appeal. They are further convinced that the three agencies will cooperate with all communities and with one another in our primary task of finding adequate funds to meet the needs of reconstruction, relief and refugee service required today. We are grateful to the leaders of the communities all over the United States of America who have given their unstinting confidence and generous support. We shall attempt to repay such favors by such further consideration on the part of our previous beneficiary agencies as will promote our common enterprises and most adequately assist the causes of the Joint Distribution Committee, the United Palestine Appeal, and the National Refugee Service.

Trusting this decision will be for the advancement of Israel in America and for the greatest service of humanity, we remain

Yours,

Abba Hillel Silver
Jonah B. Wise

RABBI JONAH B. WISE
15 EAST 62nd STREET
NEW YORK, N. Y.

December 23, 1940

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
Ansel Road & East 105th Street
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Abe:

I have not heard from you directly about the memorandum of December 16th, addressed to you and Paul Baerwald by Elisha M. Friedman in regard to N.R.S. acceleration.

I am ready to pass on that at the Executive Meeting of the U.J.A., assuming that the Executive Committee of the U.J.A. has power to order payments as per the instruction of the Allotment Committee. According to the minutes sent by Elisha M. Friedman, the matter seems clearly in the hands of the Executive Committee of the U.J.A. If that is the case, it can be settled on Monday.

Please let me know if this is your feeling about it, and, if not, what action you think must be taken to meet the Allotment Committee's decision.

I wrote you earlier today about the joint statement but I neglected to say that the Chicago meeting seemed to me to be very successful. About \$670,000 was subscribed toward the \$2,225,000 goal.

I understand you have a cold and hope, by the time this letter reaches you, you will be quite well again.

Best regards,

Sincerely yours,

*Thanks for your summary on Church of the Air.
You received a great deal of mail and
more to come. I was into down mail
at least 25%.*

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Jonah B. Wise
New York, N.Y.

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Abba Hillel Silver

December 26, 1940

Rabbi Jonah B. Wise
35 East 62nd St.
New York, N.Y.

My dear Jonah:

The report of the Allotment Committee which will be presented to the meeting of the Executive Committee of the United Jewish Appeal next Monday will undoubtedly contain its recommendations concerning the acceleration of payments to the National Refugee Service. The original contract between the Joint Distribution Committee and the United Palestine Appeal makes no provision for such priority payments, but the representatives both of the JDC and the UPA, at the sessions of the Allotment Committee, undertook to recommend to their respective bodies that such acceleration be arranged for. I think that there will be no difficulty on that score. Elisha Friedman seems to have given the impression that we had agreed that during the month of December a sum not less than \$600,000 should be paid over to the National Refugee Service. Dr. Lowenstein told me that he had no such recollection, and I certainly have not. I am now waiting to receive the verbatim and unedited Minutes of the meeting of the Allotment Committee to check up on this matter. We all want to help the National Refugee Service, but certainly not at the cost of crippling the finances of our own respective organizations. The Allotment Committee understood that it had no power to order any such acceleration and wisely made recommendations to the JDC and the UPA. I understand that the JDC has already taken action. The action of the UPA will be taken as soon as we have had occasion to study the final Minutes of the Allotment Committee.

With all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

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P.S. I would appreciate it if you would send me the mail which you receive in connection with my broadcast on the Church of the Air program.

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Dr AN ANSWER DATE CLEVE= Statler Hotel Ball Room

MY UNDERSTANDING WAS THAT NRS WAS TO RECEIVE 600000 DOLLARS FROM FUNDS COLLECTED IN DECEMBER AND THEREAFTER FIFTY PERCENT OF MONTHLY COLLECTIONS UNTIL BALANCE COMING TO NRS IS FULLY PAID. IT WAS NOT ANTICIPATED UJA SHOULD BORROW TO PAY NRS. IF LESS THAN 500000 COLLECTED WOULD SAY THAT ACTUAL COLLECTION BE PAID NRS AND DIFFERENCE BE MADE UP IN JAN

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December 29, 1940

David M. Watchmaker
Boston, Mass.

UPA EXECUTIVE WILL VOTE MONDAY ON RECOMMENDATIONS OF ALLOTMENT COMMITTEE WITH REFERENCE TO NRS. I AM NOT CLEAR IN MY MIND ON ONE POINT AND WOULD APPRECIATE RECEIVING YOUR IMPRESSION. WAS IT YOUR UNDERSTANDING THAT PAYMENT TO NRS BE ACCELERATED IN DECEMBER AND THEREAFTER UP TO FIFTY PERCENT OF TOTAL COLLECTED EACH MONTH UNTIL FULL AMOUNT IS PAID OR TO ADVANCE A MINIMUM OF SIX HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS IN DECEMBER AND EACH MONTH THEREAFTER. ACTUALLY LESS THAN FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS WAS COLLECTED BY THE UJA IN DECEMBER. UNDER LATTER ARRANGEMENT AGENCIES WOULD GET NOTHING IN DECEMBER AND WOULD HAVE TO BORROW TO MAKE UP NRS MINIMUM. NEITHER DR. LOWENSTEIN NOR I HAVE ANY CLEAR RECOLLECTION OF AGREEMENT TO GIVE NRS MINIMUM SIX HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS. WOULD APPRECIATE A WIRE FROM YOU TODAY. KINDEST PERSONAL REGARDS.

ABBA HILLEL SILVER

"Give Today --- Tomorrow May Be Too Late"

—DR. CHAIM WEIZMANN

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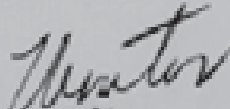
Dr. Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Dr. Silver:

I am sending you herewith some
clippings from the Yiddish newspapers
that you may find of interest, es-
pecially the editorial in The Day of
December 28th.

With kindest personal regards,

Cordially yours,


Henry Montor
Executive Director

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(פארשטעלונג פון ערשטען פיינדע)

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אבער, פארפאלען, די אייגענעקשען
סע אנטוויקלונגס וועגן בלויז,
אדער סאכען זיך בלויז.

און אסאך האט זיך אנגעהויבען דער
"הויפט" אין דעם ווייטער דורשן
איש אפילו בלויז נאך דעם שידוך, פון
האט זיך געהאלטען אין ארץ ארומ
אנגענומען וועגן דעם "צו גרויסען
הילף", וואס ארץ ישראל בעט, ווען
פון דער און פילאנטראפיע טער
זינען פיל "גרויסע פאר די לעבעדיגע
און סאכען פאר די טויטע".

אין אנהויב פון דער פארשטעלונג
האט ארץ ישראל באקומען ארומ סעך
צו פראצעסען פון די געוואלטע
הענטלעך, האבען די הויפט דעם וואלט
גענומען פארשטעלונג דעם פראצעס
אלע יאהר, איינע וואס זיין מיר, וויל
סען געבן ארץ ישראל ארומ איין און
צוואנציג פראצעסען.

דעם איז נאך גוט אלעס, די
"הויפט" פיהרער האבען פאר דעם
קומענדיק יאהר געוואלט איינפירן
דעם א דער דער, אנטשטאט וואס
לעבענדיק, יאהר איז א געוויסע מינימום
פונעם צווייטע געווארען צווישן דעם
ווייטער פאלעסטיין אפילו, דעם
"הויפט" און די "הויפט" דער
פיהרער פיהרער, האבען די
"הויפט" פיהרער געוואלט סאכען
די הויפט פאר דעם קומענדיק יאהר
בלויז איין דעם באוים פון דעם
הויפט, ארץ ישראל האט געוואלט
באקומען בלויז א סיליאן מיט א
פערטעל פאר דעם הויפט, דאס איז
בערענע פארט איז איבערגעלאזט גען
ווארען נאך דער "אפאליקאטאן פארט"
סען צו ערשטענען גוט איינע איינע
ווערענע.

דער "ווייטער פאלעסטיין אפילו"
האט געוואלט א געוואלטע הענטלעך,
פון וואס, איז זיין געווען צופיל
נאכגעטענע, לויט דעם אפער וואלט
ארויסגאנג באקומען ארומ דרוואר
צוואנציג פראצעסען פון די ערשטע
זיין און א האלב סיליאן דאלאר,
אבער דער דאזיקער אפער איז צווייפ
געווענען געווארען פון די "הויפט"
לויט.

ניט איינמאל וואס סען, אן געוויסע
דערהויבער אין "הויפט" טראגען
זיך ארומ מיט דער אירישע (אפער) פאר
דאס א האנטלעכקייט, אן איין וועט
הויפט (ען ארדייטראל הילף) צוואר
סענערענע, און דערפאר האבען זיי
פארשטעלונג דעם וועט הויפט
זינען פונעם, וואס פאר א גרויסע
די דאזיקע אירישע וועט, ווייסען מיר
זיין נאך גוט פון פיהרער.

עס דארף דא געוואלט ווערען, אן
נישט אלע "הויפט" לויט זינען
פארשטעלונג פאר דער דאזיקער
באליידיקט צו דער אייגענער אידע
דער האנטלעך וואס אירישע אין פאר
לעבענדיק פון דער אייגענער פראנטישער
וועלט, די גענערעלע וועט
בלויז א הייפענע גרויסע סאכען,
וועלט סאכען וועט באשליסען און
פיהרער זיי דורך א דאנק דעם טעראר
וואס זיי איבען איינס דורך וועט
סיליאנע.

דער פאלק איז, אן די סעקולעריזע
פון די "וועלטלעך טעכטע" זינען
געווען דער זיין יאסער דיקטאטור,
א סע פון זיי האבען אסען געוואלטען,
אן דעם וועט באקומען אן ערשט
אפער דער לויטער דירעקטאריע אין
זיין יאהר פונעם גוט דעם ערשט
דעם טאג זינען דער הייפענע שטאן
צוויי וואס וואלט גוט געוואלט אפילו
א סענט פאר ארדייטראל ווען עס וואלט
אפהענגען אן זיין.

סאכען מיט איהר, אן דאס איז
איבערגעגעבן, וועט זיין גענוע צו
דערהויבען דעם פאלעסטינען פאלק
דאזיקען פאלק איינער פון די
הויפטע אירישע אין אסערווע, וואס
פונעם דאזיקע יאהר געבן 150 סען
וועט דאזיקע פאר דעם פארזיינענען
אפילו, דאס לעבענדיק יאהר גוט גען
געבן זיין איין דאלאר, וויל איהר
אין גוט געגעבן געווארען דער
שידוך ווייטען ארדייטראל און פאר
לאפאליקאטאן, סען פון זיין פאר
שטעלען וואס פאר א וויכטיק דאס
האט געהאט אויף דער געמיידע
(פרייזשענע), ווען ס'איז באקאנט
געווארען אן דער געשטער אירישער
סיליאנע האט גוט געגעבן א
דאלאר גוט דאזיקע אפילו איינס
שטאט דאזיקע.

אונטער די אויסגעטענען איז, פאר
שטעט זיך, גוט געווען פון אנדער
פיהרער, דער גרויסער אירישער עולם
אין אסערווע, וואס טיילט אדאס גוט
די שטאט צוין פון די פאר אירישע
פילאנטראפן, וועט זיכער ווייסען ווי צו
פארשטעלונג אויף דער דאזיקער געשע
ווערענע.

וואס איז וועט די געווענענע, הא
פון זיין אלעס א סעקולעריזע צו
געווען אן אפילו איינפאכע פון
ווייטענען אירישע אין אסערווע,
לויטער און די לעבענדיק יאהרען לויט
ער גענוי פארטוישט געווארען צוליב
ער שטחאט מיט מענטשן, וואס פאר
ען אויסגעטענע ווען א רענער האט
אנטאט דאס אירישע הייזאנער.

א געווענע סיליאן דאלאר פון אסערוו
נאכער אירישע פאר ארדייטראל, א
וויכטיק פון צוויי און א האלב דא
דאס א פרייזשע, איז אדאס גוט פון
צווייטער סען פאר א באוועגונג
וואס גוט די אירישע ערשטע.

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פך טאג צו טאג

דער גוט צווישען פאנדע,
אביסעל הינטערנעם,
דיקטאטור פון איינע,
ארץ ישראל וועט געווינען.

פון י. פייטמאן

דער גוט צווישען דעם ווייטער פאר
לעסטער אפילו און דער דאזיקע דויט
טרויערען סאכעס איז געווען אסאך
פארשטעלונג נאך דער דיקטאטארישער
שטעלונג, וואס די "הויפט" לויט
האבען אנגענומען אין די לעבענדיק
יאהרען.

נאך בעהר, איצט וואס סען בעסער
איין, אן דער שידוך איז פון אנהויב
אן געווען וואס סען רופט א "פך
דורש" און פאנוויינענעם, און גיט
זיין שידוך פון גלייכע צידים, וואס
וועט זיך צו פארשטעלונג איינע די
אנדער, אדער וואס האבען א גע
פיינשאפטלעך אידעאל,
"פאנוויינענעם" פאר וועסען —
וועט אהר פרעגן?

דאס האט געהאט צו טאן סעלערס
סענען מיט דער באקומענעקייט פון
א פאר געהערליק גרויסע סאכען,
וועלכע ווילען זיך גוט "באדערען" צו
הויכען צופיל טענעם פאר אירישע
הענטלעך, עס וואלט געמינט אסאך
געבן צופיל צייט ברוי אייגענעקייט
באווענדל אין יעדען אפילו פאר א
אירישע לאר, איז סען געפאלען אויף
דעם פלאן פון א "האלדינג קאמפאר
ניש", האט זאל בולל זיין אלעס, דאס
איז ווער, סאדערען, מיט איין טייער
פארט סען אסאך אלע אירישע געווענע
הענטלעך און סען סען זיך נאכטען
אדער פראנטישע נאך דאזיקע דעם נאך
צו יאהר.

אין דאס גוט, אן די "האלדינג"
קאמפארט, אירישע האט זיין נאך
נישט זיין סעלער, דער אסאך איין, אן
די אירישע איז בעסער צוועפאלסט פאר
דעם גלייכע געבער ווי פאר דעם
גרויסע, דער גרויסער געבער פון
געבן פאנטישענע טענעם איבערלאזן
און זיין, הילף, גוט אונטערוויינען,
אבער ווען א סענערער געבער זאל
געשטען צווערעלעך זיין ביטראל אויף
סעלערע צוועקען, וועט ער געבער,
פארשטעלונג ווערען.

אפער דאס איז א געווענאך, דער
"ווייטער דאזיקע אפילו" האט
נישט אויסגעוואלטען צוליב בא
שטימטע ארומגען סעלערען אין
אירישען לעבען, און זיין די צוויי
שטעלעך פון אויסגעוויינען יוניי
סען דאזיקע אפילו האבען זיך גוט
באשליסען צו געבן דעם גוט אן אנדער
פון צווייטראנערלעכקייט, וועט דער
אירישער עולם גוט אונטערוויינען די איין
בערענענע הענטלעכקייט פאר גוט
נעלד, דער עולם וועט פארט ווערען
ווייסען די געשטעט פון דעם גוט, און
ער וועט זיין בארעכטיקט דאס צו
ווייסען.

סען דאך גוט פאר האבען, אן
דער גוט וועט פיהרען צו "אוסאייניט"
קייט, אין אירישען לעבען, וויל דער
ווייטער דאזיקע אפילו האט, לידער,
נישט געשטעט צום וועט פון איינע
קייט, געמינט האט סען סאכען, אן
דורך א שותפות אין פאנדע וועט
קומען בעהר אהרן אין אלע אירישע
אונטערגעוויינען, אבער עס האט זיך
אויסגעוואלט, אן די שותפות צווישען
ווייטער פאלעסטיין אפילו, און
"הויפט" איז געווען בלויז א פך
באנייע, אנטשטאט די סחוקים ווארען
ווערען אסאך גוט פרייז, האבען
זיין זיך גוט אויסגעוויינען איינע
פון די יעדע הילף, הויפט וואס איז
דער וואונדער, וואס דער דאזיקער
"הויפט" האט גוט געהאט די
פיינשאפט ווערענע צום גוטען אויף
די פלינגענע אירישע אהרן אויף
דעם עולם פון אירישע פאליטיק און
אירישען שוץ?

די "אויסאייניט" וועט אויך גוט
פיעל ענדערען אפילו אין די פאלק
נישט פון די געלדזשאנען, סען
דאך האבען איין וועט, אן איין ארומ
הונדערט און אסאך "שטעט" אין
אסערווע געמינט זיך "וועלטלעך"
שטעטס, אדער ערשט גרויס פאר
סען, די "וועלטלעך שטעטען" וועט
ווייטער אננעהן ווי פיהרער, איין דער
גרויסער סעקולעריזע שטעט, ווערען
גוט פארשטעלונג זיין באווענדלעך
"הויפט", עס וועט נאך פארשטעלונג
"די הויפט" פאר די פארזיינענע
פון די "שטעטס" וועט די הילף,
וואסאזוי יאהר און דער "הויפט"
זאלע קיינען.

פארשטעלונג דאך דער איין
דער עולם ווייסען אלע פאסטען אויף
גוט ווי די פארשטעלונג אונטערהאנד
וועט וואס וועט געשטעט געווארען
וויט ערשטע דאזיקע, איין זיין, אן
עס האט געווען באקאנט, וועט איינער
ער זאל פארשטעלונג וועט גענוג
און דאזיקע דעם עולם פארשטעלונג, דאס
וועט נאך אלע זיין בעסער ווי די
געהאט פון פארשטעלונג קלאנגען און
היינער קליינען סעטיות וואס פון
פונעם.

פרייזשעט זיך, איין האט פון
איינעם פיינעם וועט דער נאכער
וואר, א פיינעם, וואס איז באקאנט
דעם סעלער וועטענער אויף צווייטער
דאזיקע אויסגעטענע, ווי איין האט

(פארשטעלונג אויף צווייטען פיינדע)

ענד פון פאראייניגטען אידישען אפיל, געווינס פאר ביידע צדדים

פילאנאפיע און ארץ ישראל קענען נישט זיין קיין שותפים. — ביידע
אקציעס וויכטיג, אבער דארפן נישט צוזאמענגעמישט ווערען. — ווי
מען קען שאפען אחדות צווישען די אמעריקאנער אידען.

פון א. רעוואזקי

אין דער נעמינאמער אפיל געווארען
בלאס און פארבלאזט. מען האט געקענט
רעדן בלויז וועגען באלדיגע נויטען.
און נישט געטראגן זיך אבשטעלען ווי
געהערט אויף וויסערדיגע פערסענע
טיווען. דאס איז אבער נישט גענוג פאר
א וויסערדיגע ערפאלגרייכען קאמפיין. אין
דער אידישער גרויסער צייט, ווען
פילאנאפיע מענטשען, און נישט נאר אידען,
איז אלע עפעס וועלט לידען פון הונג
נער און נויט. קאן מען נישט ווי נען
העריג אקטיוויזירט אפילו דעם אידיש
ש"י רעסנות געפאלן ווען מען נישט
נישט אין דער זעלבער צייט א באגרייף
דעם האפנונג איף די צוקונפט.
אפילו פילאנאפיע מוז איצט האבען
א סין צוקונפטיגלייט, און וועל
כער זי קאן נישט האבען קיין געהעריגע
ערפאלג.

די אויפלייזונג פון'ס יוניטער
דזשוא אפיל" וועט גענערייזירט באקאמט
דזשוא אפיל וועט געבען די מעגליכ
סייט ביידע גרויסע אינ'ס אמעריקאנער
אידענטהום צו אפגלידען נישט נאר
פאר היינט, נאר אויך פאר סארטען.
דער דזשוא וועט קאנען, פארלאנגען
דיג מיטלען פאר באלדיגע הילף, און
דער זעלבער צייט שטארקער פארטוהן
דינען זיין שטארקונג וועגען די
אויסוויכטלע פאר אידען צווישן אויפ
שטעלען זייערע אמאלענע פארזייערע
אין אייראפע נאר דעם קריג. דער פאר
לעסטיג אפיל פארענדיגט גרויסע
מיטלען פאר באלדיגע שטעטיגקייט
און ארץ ישראל וועט קאנען אפגעבן
און שטארקער אונטערשטייען ארץ
ישראל'ס מעגליכקייטען פאר דער צור
קונפט.

אזוי ארום וועט די צוטויילונג פון'ס
יוניטער דזשוא אפיל געבען די
אמעריקאנער אידען א בעסערע געלע
גענהייט זיך פאנאטערעלייכען אין די
גרויסע אידישע פראגע, וואס וועלען
זיך אין נישטן אונטערשטעלען פאר אונז
אין זייער נאנצער שארפלייט. געבענדיג
די הילף וואו זי איז נויטיג, וועלען מיר
אין דער זעלבער צייט קלאהרע ווערען
וועגען אונזערע וויסערדיגע אויסוויכ
טען אלס מאלס.

קלאהרטיט איז דער בעסטער וועג
צו אמת'ע איינונפייט. א מעכאנישע
פאראייניגונג וואס איז נישט באזירט
אויף אזא אידעאלאגישער קלאריטיט.
פארשטייט בלויז די אונפארשטיינליכע
כע מינוטנסימפארשדענהייטען אונטער
דער אויבערפלאך, וואו זיי קריגען דעם
באקאנטער פון אידעלייטע מחלוקת.
אינטריגעס און זיספערדיג "קאס
פיינס", דאס איז נישט דער וועג צו
אמת'ע אידות.

ביי דער געלעגנהייט דארף מען זיך
היטען פון צווישן די יעדות, איז
ניקטיג איין דעמאקראטישען פרוץ
פיינט קיין טאטאליטארישע אינפאר
מיניטיט, ווי זי וועט ארויסגעצוואונגען
אויף דיסטאנצירטע פערסענע.
מיר ווילען האבען דעם סארט איינזיג
סייט וואס עקוויסטיט איצט אין עני
לאנד, וואו פארטייג האבען זיך נישט
אויפגעלייזט, און האבען זיך אויך נישט
אבענזאנט פון זייערע געהאפנטע
פארשיידענע ציעלען. דאך ארבייטען
זיי צוזאמען פאר "ער פארטיידיגונג
פון נעמינאמער פאטערלאנד."

עס קאן זיין, אזאויס'ן וועג צו אוא
דעמאקראטישער איינזיגקייט וועלען מיר
מוזען דורכשטאנען א הייבט ביסעל איין
דעאלאטישען קאמף. עס וועלען מיר
איהם פיהרען אפילו לפני עם ועדת,
סייט פולען דעפולעט פאר'ן גענעראל
שען שטאנפונקט. אפילו ווען מיר זיין
נען מיט איהם נישט איינפארשטאנען.
דאס וועט נישט פירענען אונז צום
ציעל, צו דעמאקראטישער אחדות, איז
דער וועג די דאזיגע אונפארשטיינליכע
דיספוסט אלס באשענעט זיין אין די
הררי חרדים פון'ס אפיציעל פאראייניג
טען דזשוא אפיל.

די נייטע, אז דער "יוניטער דזשוא
אפיל הערט איה צו עקוויסטיטען.
און זיין פלאץ וועלען פארנעמען צוויי
באוונדערע קאמפיינס — פאר ארץ
ישראל און פאר רעליגיע. — שפיגעלט
אפ די וויכטיגסטע געדענקען, וואס איז
פארנעקטעט אינ'ס לעבען פון אמעריקא
האנער אידענטהום פאר די לעצטע פאר
יאהר, זי פארדינט הערדיקער א גענויערע
בעטראכטונג און שפאצונג.

אין דער ערשטער ריזיק, וואלט
פאלש געווען אויספלייטען די דאזיגע
צוטויילונג אלס א קלאס פאר אידיש
שער אחדות. דער אמת איז, אז די
פולשטענדיגע אידעאלע אחדות, וועגען
וועלכער עס טרויסען פילע פון אונז,
איז דורך דעם "יוניטער דזשוא אפיל"
קיין מאל נישט דערנענטערט געוואר
רען. די אידישע קריגען, וואס האבען
זיך פאראייניגט אינ'ס "יוניטער דזשוא
אפיל", און דאס סינג בעיקר די
דזשוא'ס פיהרער און די ציוניסטען,
זיינען נישט דענענעטערט געווארען
נייטע אינ'ס לויף פון זייער געמיין
זאכער ארבייט. געמיין אנערקענען די
ציוניסטען אין וויכטיגקייט פון רעליגיע
ארבייט אין אייראפע, און אפילו די
נעשטע אסימילאנטען וועלען איצט
נישט וואנען — לכלהפחות אין דער
עפענליכקייט — סטיל מאכען די
אויסטהוואונגען, וואס זיינען דערנענטערט
געווארען אינ'ס אידישע לאנד. דאך
האט יעדע פון די צוויי ריכטונגען אין
אמעריקאנער אידישען לעבען נישט
אויסגעהערט צו פארשטענדיקען אויפ'ן
ערשטען פלאך. דער איינערליכער קאמף
פאר דער בבורה האט זיך אויסגע
הויפט נישט נאר אים דינגעניש וועגען
נעלט, נאר אויך אין דער שטרעבונג
ארויסצולייגען דעם אייגענעם נייטענען
פירצף אויפ'ן נעמינאמער קאמפיין.
באוונדערעם אנערקענען זיינען אין דעם
זיין געווען די רעליגיע פיהרער, וועל
כע האבען כסדר געווארענט, אז די
אונטערשטענדיגונג פון דער ארץ ישראל
ארבייט אינ'ס נעמינאמער קאמפיין,
קאן אבשטויסען די רייכערע געלער
געבער, און מען פאר דעריבער נישט
אויסטרעטען אויף זייערע "אידעאלא
גישע" הינעראווען... אויפ'ן גרונד
פון'ס דאזיגען סענטימענט, האט מען
כסדר אונטערגעקראט דעם אנטהיל
פון ארץ ישראל אין נעמינאמער קאמף
פון נישט קוקענדיג אויף די רויזע
אויסגאבע, וועלכע האבען זיך דארט
אונטערגעשטעלט מיט'ן אנהויב פון'ס
איצטיגען קריגען.

נאר דער איינציגער קריגע האט
אנטשטאט צו שאפען סעחר נייטענע
אחדות צווישען די צוויי הויפטפילי
לען אינ'ס אמעריקאנער אידענטהום,
די נאציאנאל עקסטימיטע און פילאנא
טראפיש דענענערע האט נאר שארפער
אנטפלעקט די מינוטנסימפארשדענהייט
געצווישען זיי. פון די זעלבע פאקטען
האבען ביידע צדדים געמאכט פארשידן
דעם אויספיהרונגען. אין דער צייט
ווען די נאציאנאלע אידען האבען אין
די איצטיגע געשעהענישען אין איין
ראשא געווען א נייטע באווייז פון איין
דישער בארענלאזיקקייט, און דער נאצי
טימיט צו גרויסען ארץ ישראל פאר א
מאכען איינציגער נאך דעם קריגע.
האבען די אסימילאנטארען געזעהען
אין דעם א ראיה גענוג דער עקוויס
טענע פון קליינע מלוכות, און דער
צווישלאזיקקייט פון'ס אידישען דראג
צו נאציאנאלער זעלבסטשטענדיגקייט.

בייט אוועקע פונדאמענטאלע מיר
נונסימפארשדענהייטען. האבען די איין
פיהרער פון'ס יוניטער דזשוא אפיל
געטונט אויספיהרען-אין זייער פראפאר
נאנע אלס, וואס האט געקענט ארויס
רופען דעם פראטעסט פון דעם אדער
אנדערע צד. אלס פועל יוצא פון דעם

אונטערשטען ציעל.

עס האנדעלט זיך נאך אלעס, נישט
נאר וועגען נעלט. מיהער אדער שפער
טער וועט דאך קומען א סוף צום איינ
טיגען קריגע. אין אונזער הארצען לויט
בען מיר אלס, אז דאס ערנסטע וועט
פארהייט ווערען, אז היטלער'ס פלענער
ווענען א וועלטהערשאפט וועלען צו
בראכען ווערען דורך דעם העראאישען
קאמף, וואס וויסעלט זיך איצט פאבאר
דער פאר אונזערע אויגען. די ספלה פון
הויפטקריג וועט אונז באווארענען
פון'ס ערנסטען אונגליק און זי הארץ
דעריבער איצט זיין דער הויפטצוועק.
זי זיכערט אבער אונז נישט אליין און
פאר זי, קיין פולע געדעכטנישקייט פאר
דער צוקונפט. די אידישע פראבלעם איז
איצט א סעחר אקטועלע וועלטפראגע,
איידער זי איז געווען ביים סוף פון'ס
מיהערדיגע וועלטפראגע. אויב זי איז
דעסאלט געווען אז ענין פאר איין
טעראציאנאלע ענטשיידונגען, וועט זי
איצט אדאן געשטעלט ווערען פאר
א ברויטערע וועלטפראגע. כדי אבער
זי ואל ענטשיידען ווערען אין איינפלאנע
מיט אידישע וואונטען. מוזען מיר זיין
געווארענט אז די דאזיגע אידישע וואונ
טען, וועלען אויסגעדרוקט ווערען דורך
ארגאניזאציעס און פערזאנען, וועלען
רעכט צו רעדען אין נאמען פון אידיש
שען מאל ואל פון קיינעם נישט קאנען
באצוויסעלע ווערען.

געוויס טארען מיר נישט דערלאזען
אוא לאגע, ווי זי האט זיך אסאל נען
שאפען אין צוויי. ווען צו דער הארץ
פערענע ווענען סליכטלינגע וואס איז
גערופען געווארען פון פרעזידענט רוז
וועלט זיינען געקומען עטליכע צעהנר
ליגע אידישע ארגאניזאציעס, יעדע מיט
איהר סטילה און פלאן. נאך א געזעצ
טראגעדיע וואלט אבער געווען, ווען
עס וועלען קומען דערען אינ'ס נאמען
פון נאנצען אידענטהום פיהרער, וואס
זיינען נישט בעפאלטעכטיגט געווארען
דערצו אויף א געהעריגע דעמאפרא
טישען שטייגער און וואס זיינען נאר
אין זייער הארצען פרעכד צו אונזערע
נאציאנאלע אידעאלען און באשטרע
בונגען. נאך אלעס איז דאס אמעריקא
קאנער אידענטהום איצט דער איינציג
נער אידישער ישוב אויסער ארץ
ישראל, וואס קאן האבען א דעה וועגען
דער ליוונג פון דער אידישער פראגע
נאך דעם קריגע.

געוויס איז דער "יוניטער דזשוא אפיל"
געשאפען געווארען בלויז אויף
צו וואפען נעלט. אונטער די איצטיגע
אידישע אומשטענדען איז דאס אבער
אוא וויכטיגע אויפגאבע, אז זי קאן
גיינג גענוג ווערען אין א דיינגענדיגע
סאפענט צו פרעטענדרען אויף אידיש
שע פארשטעהערשאפט אויך אין ברוי
טערע ענינים. אויב אבער די פיהרער,
וואס האבען דאסנירש דאס יוניטער
אפיל, וואלטען פארטרויט געווען מיט
אוא סארט אויפגאבע, וואלטען זיי נישט
געווען אינטערעסירט אין א פרייע און
ברייטערע ארץ ישראל. אין זי האלד
שען וואהרשיינליך אויך געמאכט די
נאציאנאלע אויטאנאמישע און די בלות
לענדער אלס א "דורכגעפאלענעם פאס"
פערסונענט". אוא מעגליכקייט איז
איצט באווייזט געווארען.

אונט פוסט פאר די צוטויילונג פון'ס
יוניטער דזשוא אפיל נאך דער
פאסטישער אויפלייזונג פון'ס בויט
געבוירענעם דזשוא אפיל וואס
איז געשאפען געווארען מיט דריי
יאהר צוריק אין פיסטבורג. קיינער
האט איצט נישט קיין רעכט צו רידען
אינ'ס נאמען פון אמעריקאנער אידען
טהום, און א קלאהרע, אונגעוויסעלי
האפען דעמאקראטישע מאנראט,
דאס באציהט זיך אויפ'ן "אמעריקאנער
דזשוא אפיל" פונקט אזוי ווי
אויף די "אמעריקאנער דזשוא אפיל"
ש"י, אויפ'ן "דזשוא אפיל" פונקט אזוי
ווי אויף די ציוניסטישע "פארטיידיגער"

אונטערשטען ציעל.

ציון אפ"ל העלפט בריינגען 995

אידען פון ווילנע קיין ארץ ישראל

ביטא. צווישען די 995 געפינען זיך
הבנים, ישיבת-בתורים, חלוצים און
סטודענטען, סענעז, פרויען און קינד
דער, שוין לאנג ווי זיי האבען סערי
טימקאטען, זיי האבען אבער נישט נען
האט קיין געלט אויף הוצאות פאר דער
לאנגער רייזע איבער מאסקווע, סיביר,
טאקיא, ארום אינדישען ים, קיין חיפה,
די הרסה, דורך דער יונגע-עליהו, וועט
צעהלען פאר די קינדער אין דער גרוי
פע. "סיר זעלען אויפ'ן זעלבען שטיי
נער האנדלען אין יעדען עהליכען
פאר", האט ראביי סילווער ערשטערט.

אין דער גרופע פליכטלינגען, וועלכע
וועלען אויסוואנדערען קיין ארץ ישראל
מיט דער הויף פון יונייטעד פאלעסטי
קיין אפ"ל, געפינען זיך: 60 קינדער
אונטער 14 יאחר; 150 קינדער אין
עלטער פון 14 און 17, ארום א העלפט
פון די קינדער זיינען אריינגעל געקור
טען פון דייטשלאנד, פון וואנען זיי
זיינען אריינגעטריבען געווארען קיין
זכאנזשין אין פוילען, 150 יונגע
פרויען אונטער 20, וועלכע זיינען צו
געבויט געווארען פאר לאנדווירט
שאפט אין ארץ ישראל; 75 ישיבה
בתורים; 120 רבנים און זייערע פאר
מיליעס; 100 שרייבער און געזעל
שאפטליכע טוער; 80 קרובים פון איי
דען אין ארץ ישראל און 150 פון
פארשידענע קאטעגאריעס.

די גאנצע פליכטלינגע זיינען אומ
לאפענע פון פוילען, ווען די נאציס
האבען פארקאפט דאס לאנד, די איי

דער פארמיינטער ציון אפ"ל דאס
באשטימט 175 טויזענט דאלאר גרוי
בערצובריינגען 995 אימיגראנטען
מיט סערטיפיקאטען פון ווילנע קיין
ארץ ישראל, האט ראביי אבא זלל
סילווער, נאציאנאלער טשערמאן פון
אפ"ל געמאלדען אויף א פרעסע-יאגן
פערענץ אין האטעל קאמארדאר געכטען



פאלעסטאין אפיעל קאמפעיין

(שלוס פון ערשטער פיינדזש)

שטעהן די געפאהרען וואס די מלחמה קען ברענגען.

(3) צו קענען ווי געהעריג פארזארגן נען די פליכטלינגע וואס געפינען זיך איצט אין ארץ ישראל סתור ווי אין אלע אנדערע לענדער אייף דער וועלט, און פליכט סתור ווי אין אלע אנדערע לענדער צוואסגענומען.

וועלען אריבערבריינגען א מיינענט אידען פון ווילנע קיין ארץ ישראל

הרן דער גרויסער צאל פליכטלינגע וואס געפינען זיך שוין איצט אין פאליעסטינע, שטעלט זיך דער וואוינער אפיל די אויסגאבע צו ברענגען נאך און נאך. אן ער 8 מיינענט אידען אין פארשידענע לענדער האבען שוין איצט ווואס צו פארען קיין פאלעסטינע, נאך עס סתאלען ווי די הוצאות. ראבוי פילדער האט דערנעהלט, אז ער האט שוין אויטאריזירט די אויסגאבע ארץ ישראל 306 אידען פון ווילנע קיין ארץ ישראל. די סומע פון \$175,000 איז באשטימט געווארען צו געבן די קארגע מיינער אידען פון ווילנע און ווי פיהרען דורך מאססאנע, דורך סיביר, דורך יאפא, ארום דעם אינדישען ים, קיין היסת, אין דער גרופע געפינען זיך 60 קינדער אינגער פון 14 יאהר; 150 קינדער אין עלטער צווישען 14 און 17 יאהר; 150 מיידלעך אינגער ווי 22 יאהר; 75 ישיבה בתורים; 100 שרייבער, געלעהרטע און בלל טייער אין אידישען געוועזן שאטליכע לעבען 80 זקנים וועלכע האבען קרובים אין ארץ ישראל, 120 רבנים און וויערע פאסיליעס, און און דערט פון פארשידענע שיכטען פון אידישען לעבען, דאס ווינען סטעינע וועלכע האבען זיך קיים געראטעוועט מיט לעבען פון סתחם געגענטען, זיי האבען שוין סטעינעקאטען אריינגעקוקט מיט זיין פאלעסטינע, אבער האבען נישט געהאט די סענליכע יטען דאס צו טאן. מיט דער הילף פון הרפה, דורך דער ינגע-טעליה, וועט מען זיי איצט בריינגען צו א סתם סתחם.

העלפען אפשטען ארבייטס-לאווינקייט אין ארץ ישראל

ראבוי הלל פילדער האט אויך ער-קלערט, אז ס'איז נויטיג גרעסערע

אויסגעשטען אים צו העלפען אפשטען די ארבייטסלאזיקייט, וואס הערשט אין אידישען ישוב אין פאלעסטינע. ביז א גרויסע גראד האט די אידישע אנגעטור דאס שוין געטאן פיהרע אויך 150 נייע אינדוסטריען ווינען די לעצטע צייט עמאבלירט געווארען דארטען דורך דעם, וואס די אנגעטור האט אויסגעליהען געלט די אינדוסטריען איינצופיהרען און אנצוהאלטען, אבער נאך סתור אין נויטיג, צווייטע טענס, אין נויטיג דארטען אנצופאגן נען „פאבליק וואירקס“, וואס זאל געבען ארבייט צו די, וואס ווינען איצט ארבייטסלאז און אויך העלפען שפייזען די לאנד, און דריטענס, אין נויטיג, דאס איצט, צו קויפען טייערע זענטער און מיינענטער דאס לאנד. איצט קען די לאנד געקויפט ווערען פאר סטעינע פרייען, וועט מען דאס איצט לאזען פארבייגעהן, וועט דער נאך זיין צו שפעט דאס צו טאן.

האט געפאלן באשטימט 46,135,000 דאלער פאר דעליט פאר די זעלס סאגאר פון פון ערשטן יאנואר פון דעם 1906טען דורשן. די דעליט געשעענישן גלייכע, און עס זיינען איצט פאראן מיט 10 פון 13 טויזענט ווייניקער דעליטאייסעס. און די שטאט האט דעריבער געשיקט דעם דעליטאייסעס מיט א פיליאן און 502 טויזענט דאלער ווייניקער ווי פאר די 6 חרשים וואס ערשינען ווי דייט.

די האט דעליט געפאלן באשטימט 46,135,000 דאלער פאר דעליט פאר די זעלס סאגאר פון פון ערשטן יאנואר פון דעם 1906טען דורשן. די דעליט געשעענישן גלייכע, און עס זיינען איצט פאראן מיט 10 פון 13 טויזענט ווייניקער דעליטאייסעס. און די שטאט האט דעריבער געשיקט דעם דעליטאייסעס מיט א פיליאן און 502 טויזענט דאלער ווייניקער ווי פאר די 6 חרשים וואס ערשינען ווי דייט.

צוויי פון יארענע דאלטאידעס וועמען געפאלן עס ווערען דעליטאייט מיט ארויסגענומען ווערען פון דייט טויזנט אפויקען ליווא באשולדיגט אין זיין פארשונגען מיט א דעקעט, וואס האט אין פון יארק און אין וועסטשעסטר טער א געז פון אויספארמאלישע הייזער. די באשולדיגטע גענען זיי אין, אז די הייזער, וועלכע פלענען פון דער דעקעט געשיקט ווערען פון איין פלאץ אין א צווייטע, פלענען צוויי פלאץ א

טויזענט אידען פון ווילנע געשיקט קיין ארץ ישראל דורך „פאלעסטיין אפיל“

175,000 דאלער נייטיג פאר הוצאות. — דר. אבא חיי פילדער האט טאָנעט. — די 1,000 אידישע טענקער, פרויען און קינדער וועלכע זייען און איראק קיין ארץ ישראל.

1,000 אידישע טענקער, פרויען און קינדער, וועלכע געפליען ווי איצט איר לויט, וועלכע געשיקט ווערן קיין ארץ ישראל, פאר וועלכע די לעצטע ארגאניזאציעס זיינען געשטען זען טאטע עוואלד, אין אנאליסעס געווארן דורך דר. אבא חיי פילדער, גאנצער גאנצער טענקער פון ווייניקער פאר געשטיין אפיל, אין דער הויפטקווארטיר טיר פון ארץ ישראל קאמפלייט 41 א. 242 טענקער. דאס איז די ערשטע וויכטיקע ארגאניזאציע פון דעם 12 פיליאן דאלער סטאטוסאפאלין פאר ארץ ישראל, וועלכע דער ווייניקער פאלעסטיין אפיל האט איצט אנגעהויבן בען פאר 1941.

דר. פילדער איז געקומען פון פליזש לאנד קיין פון יארק צו פארשטינען די לעצטע פארמאליטעטען פאר דער ארץ ישראל צי פון די 1,000 אידישע פליכטלינגע קיין ארץ ישראל אז און טענקער, וואס וועט אפגאבען 175,000 דאלער.

צוליב דעם, וואס קיין דירעקטער ווען איז אין דער סטאטוסאפאלין מיט בענקליך, וועלכע די הויפטקווארטיר פון

אידישע מלוכה נאך קריג, וואגט בראדעצקי

גאנצעשטעטע, עוואלד, דעם 31 (איינצלייט) — די איבערזייטונג, אז נאך דער איצטיקער סטאטוס ווערען אירען האבן א אידישע מלוכה אין ארץ ישראל, אין הויפט ארגאניזאציעס נען ווארען פון צווייפטיקען פילדער פאר עוואלד וועלכע בראדעצקי אין א טייל פערש, וואס ער האט צוגעשיקט צו דעם 44טער יערליכער קאנסענצע פון דעם, סאקאבייט אדדער, פון ווערען ער איז דער דירעקטאטאריי פראפעסאר בראדעצקי, וועלכע ער האט ווי איצט אין א סאקאבייט נאך א קליינער אפערציע.

פאר, פון פילדער קיין יארק, פון יארק פאר קיין אינדיע, פון באסעט, איין דעם, וועלכע ווי סאקאבייט קיין באסארא, אויפ'ן פערסישען נאלי, און פון דאס — קיין חיפה, ארץ ישראל, דר. פילדער האט דעריבער דעקלערט, אז די 1,000 אידען אין ווילנע באזיען אין סינאציעסערטיקאציען פון דער הויפטקווארטיר פון די סאנאטען דעלירונג האט זיי באווייליגט ארויספארשיינען און דורכפארזיינען פאר יארק, די דייט וועט געדויערען איין בען א דאס.

אין דער הויפט פליכטלינגע, וועלכע ווערען אויספארמאלישע קיין ארץ ישראל מיט דער הילף פון ווייניקער פאלעסטיין אפיל, געפליען ווי: 60 קינדער אונטער 14 יאר; 150 קינדער אין עלטער פון 14 און 17. ארום א העלפט פון די קינדער זיינען ארויפגעל געקומען פון די הייטשלאנד, פון וואס זיי זיינען ארויסגעפליגן: געווארן קיין וואנאטש, פליזש, 150 יונגע פרויען אונטער 22, וועלכע זיינען צוגעקלייט געווארן פאר לאנדווירטשאפט אין (זען אויף דער צווייטער זייט)

The Day - Dec. 31/40

ראבאי סילווער ערקלערט פארוואס פאלעסטיין
אפיעל פירט פאזונדערען קאמפעין; טויזענט אידען
ווערען געראטעוועט פון ווילנע קיין פאלעסטינע

היינטיגס יאָר נישט פֿירערן דעם פֿאָר
פֿאַר ענאָפֿען מיט דער דזשאַנט דאָס
פֿרייזשאַן פֿאַרמיטל און מיט דער נע
פֿאַרמאָל דעפֿינירשן פֿירערשן, ווי און די
פֿירערשנישן יאָרען, וועט חלילה נאָר
נישט ענטפֿערן דעם באַזיס פֿון פֿאַרמאָל
נישטן אירענטום און אַפֿערדיקע, האָט
דאָס פֿילעטער עקסערט, דאָ און נישט
קאָן פֿאַרנעם פֿון פֿאַרמאָלנינג, נאָר אַ
פֿאַרנעם ווי פֿילעטער בעפֿער אָננעם מיט
דער נאָר וויכטיגער ארבייט, ווען ווי
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RABBI JONAH B. WISE
35 E. 62ND ST. * New York, N.Y.

January 7, 1941

Rabbi Abba Millel Silver,
The Temple,
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Friend:

I delayed writing you about the dissolution of the United Jewish Appeal and the program of the Joint Distribution Committee, as I felt it would be advantageous for both of us to wait until at least some preliminary plans had been made. I had hoped until the very last minute that the dissolution could be averted. I therefore made no plans whatsoever for a 1941 Campaign for the Joint Distribution Committee which did not envision a United Jewish Appeal.

The Joint Distribution Committee will, of course, present its work and basic needs to the country with the same candor as it has for the past twenty-five years. The obligations of the Joint Distribution Committee have expanded in the past year. They are so continuous that to fail to meet them would be most short-sighted on the part of American Israel.

The Nazis are still continuing their well-known tactics of clogging and crowding the highways of the world with miserable refugees in order to divert the powers of defense of the democracies. If we withdraw the Joint Distribution Committee from South America, for example, we leave the field open to the most disastrous anti-Semitic propaganda. If we lessen our work for European Jewish communities, we throw the Jews into the hands of the Nazis as unwilling victims. All this is quite aside from our need as humane human beings to meet what we can of the problems of exiled and impoverished Israel.

The Joint Distribution Committee will do everything in its power to relieve communities and individuals of any ill effects of a divided campaign. As a matter of information, you will be interested in knowing that in the 1940 United Jewish Appeal, under the terms of the national agreement and by action of the Allotment Committee, the sum of \$12,450,000 agreed upon and allotted thus far has been divided as follows:

Joint Distribution Committee	\$6,050,000
United Palestine Appeal	2,900,000
National Refugee Service	2,500,000 for its national

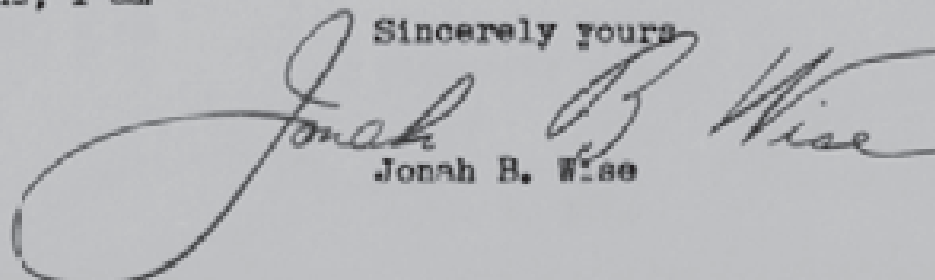
budget, plus \$1,000,000 for the National Refugee Service program from the New York City United Jewish Appeal.

You can rest assured that you can put all your energies into your desire to help and not be harassed on our part by partisan claims. I am confident that the National Refugee Service and the United Palestine Appeal will take the same attitude in this important matter.

You will, of course, hear in ample time of the plans and the essential needs of the Joint Distribution Committee. I am sure you regret the dissolution of the United Jewish Appeal as much as I do and that you join with me in the desire that this dissolution will not work a hardship on the millions of men and women we are obligated to encourage and assist.

With kindest personal regards, I am

Sincerely yours


Jonah B. Wise

JEW:RZW

UNITED PALESTINE APPEAL

41 EAST 42nd STREET
NEW YORK, N. Y.

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CC: DR. Abba Hillel Silver

JANUARY 9, 1941

WIRE

EDWARD M. M. VARBURG
30 ROCKEFELLER PLAZA
NEW YORK CITY

NATIONAL UPA VERY READILY ACCEDED TO REQUEST OF NATIONAL JDC TO TAKE
OVER UJA QUARTERS FOR 1941 CAMPAIGN. NEW YORK CITY UPA WOULD APPRECIATE
IF NEW YORK JDC WOULD RECIPROCATATE BY PERMITTING IT TO RENT NEW YORK
UJA QUARTERS FOR 1941. WOULD BE DEEPLY GRATEFUL FOR EARLY AFFIRMATIVE
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MEYER W. WEISGAL

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January 20, 1941

Dear Dr. Silver:

As President of the American Zionist Guild I wish to extend this invitation to you to be the guest of the Guild at a dinner meeting at the Hotel Willard, on Saturday evening, January 25th, at 5:30 P.M. In addition to yourself the following have been invited to join the members of the Guild on that occasion:

Dr. Israel Goldstein
E. I. Kaufmann
Louis Lipsky
Charles Ress
Judge Morris Rothenberg
Dr. Stephen S. Wise

We have arranged our dinner meeting in Washington in conjunction with the National Conference for Palestine in order to provide out of town members of the Guild with an opportunity to participate in the official inauguration of the Guild as the representative body of the executive staffs of the Zionist organizations in the United States.

This will not be an occasion marked by formal addresses. We hope that you will find it possible to be with us.

Looking forward to greeting you at the Guild dinner, I am

Sincerely yours,

Meyer W. Weisgal
Meyer W. Weisgal, President
AMERICAN ZIONIST GUILD

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
Cleveland, Ohio

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30 ROCKEFELLER PLAZA

CIRCLE 6-3473

January 21, 1941

Morris Simon, Esq.,
Suite 340 Woodward Building
Washington, D. C.

My dear Mr. Simon:

Your letter in response to the telegram that Mr. Paul Eserwald and I sent out has been lying on my desk and I have been awaiting an opportunity when I might be able to answer it in detail.

I share completely your disappointment at the dissolution of the UJA. It had been my hope up to the last moment that some compromise might be reached. Undoubtedly you have received the official statements from both organizations stating their case, but if you will allow me, I would like to go behind those facts, into the principles which seem to me to be at stake.

① The JDC has, from the beginning, maintained that as fixed ratios are, at best, nothing more than the result of bargaining and pressures over the years, they should be relegated to as small a role as possible in the considerations for this year. In fact, they should be applicable only to that minimum amount needed by the three respective agencies to carry on their program without severe dislocations during the first months of the year. A careful study should then be made by an objective group, similar to the 1940 Allocations Committee, which would make its allocations on a monthly or quarterly basis according to the relative needs of each organization. Their decisions would, of course, be based also on the funds available. Such an Allocations Committee would be representative of the giving community. It was my hope, in fact, that the agencies themselves would not be represented at all but might appear before such a committee.

② This was unacceptable to the UPA representatives who wanted a fixed initial guarantee of \$2,500,000, irrespective of any further allocation. This is approximately the sum the UPA received as a fixed allocation during 1940. In other words, they wanted their funds guaranteed, leaving to the other organizations such risks as were involved in the normal process of fund raising. This was, of course, not acceptable. Moreover, they were unwilling to accept the principle of placing the largest possible sum in the hands of an objective Allocations Committee. Their feeling was expressed in Dr. Silver's own words when he said they did not wish "to place the fate of Palestine in the hands of non-Zionists, not to say anti-Zionists", although in 1940 they were willing to have such a committee apportion part of the moneys collected. Lastly, they resented the inclusion again of the NRZ in the campaign and could consider it only if the total it received during 1941 came to no more than two million dollars or approximately half of what it received in 1940.

I do not happen to be active on the NRS, though I am a member of its board, but I know one thing: that as an American citizen, and despite the fact that I happen to be co-chairman of the JDC, I consider the problem of keeping the refugee from becoming a public charge in this country and of adjusting himself as quickly as possible to the American scene, of far greater importance than either of the other two programs. I, for one, was unwilling, even if JDC and UPA could reach a decision, to "sell the NRS down the river". Furthermore, I could not lend myself to any united front which would, in fact, accomplish that purpose.

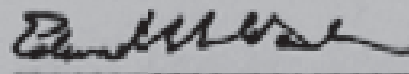
Unfortunately, those of us who have been charged with the responsibility for the actual administration of public funds for the refugee needs, have, in the past few years, encountered in the welfare fund leadership throughout the country, a terrifying apathy as to the issues at stake. Even those who are aware of the situation have, for the sake of supposed harmony within their communities, voted against their better judgment and permitted themselves to be subjected to pressures and power politics. There is no question but that such a procedure is the most expedient and the easiest, but it is just because of such weakness that the recent negotiations failed. For, the Zionists, aware of this weakness, firmly believe that a split campaign, with its opportunities for irritation, pleadings and pressures will enable them to press for a more favorable allocation to themselves. They are evidently convinced that the JDC and the NRS leadership will be unable to hold their following firm in the face of such an attack and the natural urge for community harmony.

If community leadership therefore is willing to abandon the principle of just allocation on the basis of need because of political pressures and fear of the breakdown of community harmony, the road is wide open for those who wish to use such pressures to force greater and greater concessions. For these reasons I am afraid that I, personally, cannot accept the doctrine of harmony at any price. I want to know what the price really is and I see in the power politics of the Zionists a real danger to all of us who are as interested as they are in seeing Palestine prosper.

No one can possibly take exception to the wonderful work being done in Palestine, nor to the need for Palestine as a refuge. But there are many of us who look with fear upon those who are willing to throw aside their responsibility as American citizens and members of the American Jewish community in dealing with the refugee problem as a whole. Another source of irritation derives from the fact that while the NRS and JDC receive their sole support from the UJA, the agencies involved in the UPA, and the other Palestinian agencies, receive funds from this appeal and from side appeals as well.

In the final analysis the problem is one for which community leadership will have to find a solution. They have been unwilling to face this responsibility and have sought to avoid it by forcing the agencies to come to some agreement, just or unjust as that agreement might be. The agencies have failed to reach such an agreement and now it again becomes the problem of the giving public and its leadership to recapture their franchise and to face the problem for themselves fairly and squarely.

Sincerely yours,


Edward M. M. Warburg

January 21, 1941

Mr. Elkan C. Voorsanger, Executive Director
Milwaukee Jewish Welfare Fund, Inc.
421 Brumder Building
135 W. Wells Street
Milwaukee, Wisconsin

My dear Elkan:

I do not know whether you plan to attend the Assembly of the Council of Federations and Welfare Funds at Atlanta next week. If you do, you may be interested in the enclosed letter which I send to the Committee on National Budgeting. The Council is being driven by the JDC and the NRS representatives to force through at the Atlanta meeting, the Hollander Proposals which you have undoubtedly read. These proposals, I believe, are premature and carry with them the threat of setting up an ultimate dictatorship of American Jewish life.

With all good wishes, I remain

Most cordially yours,

AHS:BX

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41 EAST 42nd STREET
NEW YORK, N. Y.

BUSINESS MEN'S COUNCIL
NEW YORK & BROOKLYN FEDERATIONS
71 WEST 47th STREET, NEW YORK

January 28, 1941

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver, Chairman
United Palestine Appeal, Inc.
41 East 42nd Street
New York City

Dear Dr. Silver,

At a recent meeting of the Executive Committee of the Business Men's Council of Federation, the following "Resolution on Records" was adopted.

"WHEREAS, the amounts of gifts made by contributors to various campaigns in New York City have been made a part of the records and used in their solicitation activities by other campaigns, with resulting invidious comparisons and resentment on the part of contributors, be it

"RESOLVED, That Federation instruct its record department not to record on prospect slips the amount of contributions made to other campaigns, and to instruct its personnel not to use such knowledge as they may have of gifts to other campaigns in stimulating contributions, and that Federation will officially request the Joint Distribution Committee, the United Palestine Appeal, and other local campaigns to adopt a like practice in the conduct of their campaigns."

Federation was prompted to take this decision by the protests of many who had given generously to the United Jewish Appeal but modestly to Federation. However tactfully Federation mentioned that larger gifts had been made elsewhere, the contributor felt that this practice unjustly subjected him to pressure, because he had been moved by a cause's appeal and needs and had given more generously to it. As a result, rather than deriving satisfaction from such generosity, he found himself penalized by its use as a comparison by other causes and was made to appear niggardly when no such imputation was warranted.

These are the considerations that moved us to adopt this resolution.

It is our hope that the United Palestine Appeal, Inc. will be guided by the same considerations to adopt a similar resolution to our own and refrain from using these comparisons in solicitations.

We feel sure that it will make for pleasanter relations all around in the community.

Yours sincerely,

Signed - Paul Felix Warburg
Chairman
Business Men's Council

PFW:s

P.S. I have sent a similar letter to Mr. Baerwald of the Joint Distribution Committee, and Mr. Rosenwald of the National Refugee Service.

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January 29, 1941

S. Weisgal
Paramount Building
New York, N.Y.

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RELATIONS HEAD OF EMERGENCY COMMITTEE. REGARDS.

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IN SAME HOTEL WHERE HE IS STOPPING. BELIEVE WOULD BE OF
GREAT POLITICAL IMPORTANCE IN VIEW CHAIMS IMPENDING VISIT
HERE AND PROSPECTIVE POLITICAL WORK. IF YOU AGREE WILL
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February 5, 1941

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

Dear Rabbi Silver:

You have not yet sent in word that you will be with us at the national conference of the Joint Distribution Committee on Sunday, February 16, in the Astor Hotel, New York City.

I want to tell you, in this personal way, how important it is that you be present. Leaders of Jewish community life throughout the United States will be with us to counsel and plan together for the tremendous tasks which face us, if the work of rescuing millions of human beings is to continue.

We are working out an extraordinary program which will give all of us the opportunity to learn the important facts about our people overseas. Governor Herbert H. Lehman will be one of the speakers. Morris C. Troper, Chairman of the European Executive Council of the J.D.C., who has just returned from Lisbon, will describe the latest developments affecting the Jewish people in Europe. But most important of all, we need your advice and your counsel in order that our plans may be successful.

The sessions will start at 10 o'clock in the morning. We want you to be our guest at lunch, following which the meeting will continue through the afternoon. No funds will be solicited, since this is to be purely a planning meeting.

Please let me know, on the enclosed card, that you will be with us.

With kindest regards, I am

Sincerely yours,


Edward M. M. Warburg

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UNITED PALESTINE APPEAL

41 EAST 42nd STREET

MEMORANDUM

Date February 6, 1941

To Dr. Abba Hillel Silver

From Mr. Henry Montor

Subject

Attached is a copy of a letter received from Paul Felix Warburg, Chairman of the Business Men's Council of the New York & Brooklyn Federations. It should properly be discussed at the next meeting of the Administrative Committee.

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KNOW IF CAN COUNT ON YOU. FRANKLY WE NEED YOU BADLY
AS THERE SEEMS TO BE DEFEATIVE AND RATHER APATHETIC
ATTITUDE ESPECIALLY ON PART LARGER GIVERS. BELIEVE IF
ANYONE CAN AROUSE THEM YOU CAN. CAN ALSO ARRANGE AT
SAME TIME EITHER LUNCHEON MEETING OR SMALL MEETING
AFTER EVENING MEETING WITH GROUP OF OUR LARGER GIVERS.
AM COUNTING ON YOU. PLEASE DO NOT DISAPPOINT ME.
ANSWER. REGARDS=

JOE WEINGARTEN..

February 14, 1941

SSW

RM

I have read very carefully the material prepared by the Coordinating Foundation, together with a cover letter of February 4th addressed to you.

These are the observations that I would make:

The Coordinating Foundation expresses the view on page 2 of the Report on the activities from November 1939 to November 1940 that the "scope of our work to cover all refugees, no matter who they are and without any distinction". Nevertheless at no time does the Coordinating Foundation, presumably concerned with so universal an interest in the refugee problem, deal with the subject of Palestine. It is as though Palestine had been completely blocked from the world scene.

It is amazing that the Joint Distribution Committee should be interested in the Coordinating Foundation even though it is disinterested in Palestine, when Mr. Paul Van Zeeland says on page 3 "that aid to refugees, indispensable as it is, does not strike at the root of the problem. Only the resettlement of the refugee in a new country can do this." That is the heart of the Zionist position. But the affirmative Zionist position is never taken, obviously because the Coordinating Foundation is not an objective instrumentality to deal with the refugee problem but the tool of anti-Zionists to mislead public opinion with respect to the nature of the refugee problem and the possibility of solving that problem in Palestine.

What a powerful Zionist and anti-JDC argument appears on page 2 of Appendix 3 as follows: "At the same time, it has become more and more obvious that the sources of such charities cannot last forever, and even under the best forms of relief, the moral and material position of the refugees remains appalling. More and more it has been realized how necessary it is to provide for the prompt, large-scale and final settlement of refugees."

But what is most appalling about this report of the Coordinating Foundation is Appendix 4, with its reference to the project prepared by Mr. Lessing J. Rosenwald for the launching of the American Settlement Corporation. Mr. Rosenwald's project could very well serve Palestine, but it is amazing that this Jew who will remain a Jew regardless of his own will in the matter, insists that the refugee problem is a non-sectarian problem and that he, for one, will have no part of it unless the American Settlement Corporation deals with refugees regardless of race, religion, etc.

It is this refusal to understand that the Jewish refugee problem has aspects of its own that makes the Coordinating Foundation a project with which Jews as such, unless they are self-hating Jews, could have little real connection.

You are an officer of the Coordinating Foundation. I believe that your service within it could be strengthened if you would direct attention to the paradox of a foundation which states that it is, on the one hand, concerned with the final solution of the refugee problem through settlement permanently in a new land, and, on the other, is blind to the existence and to the prospects of the one place where Jews have found a permanent home.

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DINNER OPENING GENERAL CAMPAIGN MARCH 12 AND CANNOT COMPLETE
ARRANGEMENTS BEFORE HEARING FROM YOU WOULD LIKE TO HAVE
YOU AND MRS SILVER SPEND FEW DAYS AT OUR HOME ON YOUR WAY
TO CALIFORNIA IT IS USUALLY VERY LOVELY HERE IN MARCH
PLEASE DONT DISAPPOINT ME AS AM COUNTING ON YOUR REMEMBER
I WENT TO ATLANTA AT YOUR INSISTENCE SO YOU COME TO HOUSTON
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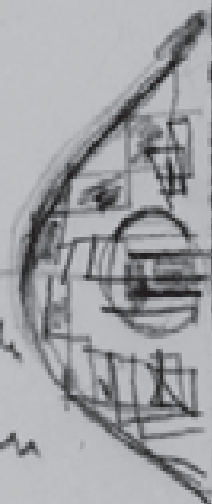
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JOE WEINGARTEN.

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Feb. 24

Joe Weingarten
Houston, Texas

Thank you for your telegram.
I have an exceedingly crowded
program ~~for~~ the Pacific coast.
must visit many communities
and much as I should love
to, I will not be able to
remain in Houston for the 12th.
I am at your service for
whatever meetings you wish to
arrange on March 11th.
Kindest regards.

A. H. S.

\$12,000,000 War Emergency Campaign

UNITED PALESTINE APPEAL

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February 27, 1941

Mr. Wendell L. Wilkie
1010 Fifth Avenue
New York, N.Y.

Dear Mr. Wilkie:

I am writing to you in the hope that we may have your cooperation in helping to rouse the widest public response to the \$12,000,000 War Emergency Campaign of the United Palestine Appeal.

It would be of enormous value to us in stimulating interest in and support for our drive to aid the Jewish community of 550,000 in Palestine in its war effort at the side of Britain in the Middle East, if you could find it possible to participate in a radio broadcast under our auspices.

Since the advent of the Nazi regime in Germany Palestine has absorbed more than 280,000 refugees from Central and Eastern European countries. Despite the difficulties of war, Palestine remains a foremost haven for the homeless and oppressed. The efforts of the Jewish pioneers in the past twenty years have built up an industrial and agricultural machine which is today playing a vital role in furnishing important war materials and supplies to the British forces in the Near and Middle East. More than 8,000 Jews from Palestine are serving in the various branches of the British army and many thousands of others are ready for active service.

It is my earnest hope that we may have your invaluable assistance at this crucial time when American Jewry is seeking to sustain Palestine as a foremost haven for the refugees and as a bastion in the defense of democracy.

With all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

Abba Hillel Silver
National Chairman

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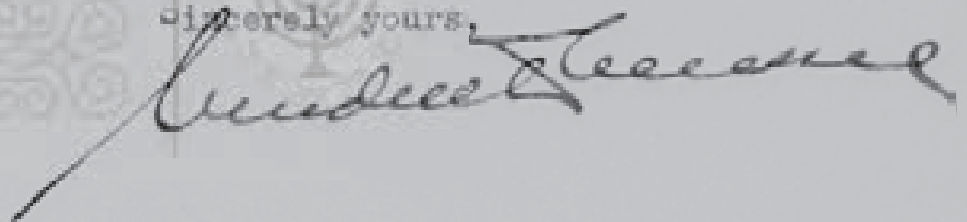
My dear Rabbi Silver;

Many thanks for your wire of
February 12th. I am getting in touch with
your friend, Emanuel Neumann.

I am sorry for the delay but I
have been rushed to death.

My great respects.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Wendell L. Willkie", written over a faint circular postmark.

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

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Jack Warner,
Warner Bros. Hollywood, Cal.

On my flight home I was informed that you graciously accepted chairmanship of campaign. Please accept my profoundest thanks. It will hearten and inspire everyone and will insure success of great cause. The Warners have again demonstrated their high sense of duty, loyalty and generosity.

Abba Hillel Silver

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April 4, 1941

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

Dear Dr. Silver:

A meeting of the Administrative Committee of the United Palestine Appeal will be held on Thursday, April 24th, at 4:00 P. M. at the office of the United Palestine Appeal, 41 East 42nd Street, New York City.

Several members of the Administrative Committee have suggested that there be an indication in advance of some of the items that may be included on the agenda. Tentatively such items include:

- (a) A report on the status of the United Jewish Appeal, through which the United Palestine Appeal is conducting its 1941 campaign.
- (b) A report on the educational program of the United Palestine Appeal.
- (c) The status of the referendum on budgeting.

Looking forward to the pleasure of seeing you on the 24th, I am

Faithfully yours,

Stephen S. Wise

Stephen S. Wise
Chairman, Administrative Committee

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HAVE BEEN CONSTANTLY ON THE GO SINCE MY RETURN TO NEWYORK
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I ENJOYED MY STAY IN CLEVELAND MY VISIT TO WASHINGTON
PROVING VERY USEFUL AM HOPEFUL OF CONCRETE RESULTS WILL
ENDEAVOUR WRITE YOU DURING STAY HERE OR CHAL HAMOED
WHEN WILL HAVE RETURNED NEWYORK. MEANWHILE WISH YOU
A HAPPY AND KOSHER PESSACH=
CHAIM WEIZMANN.

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UNITED JEWISH APPEAL
342 Madison Avenue
New York City

April 7, 1941

Mrs. Chaim Weizmann
Hotel St. Regis
New York City

(sent to Mayflower Hotel
Washington, D. C.)

My dear Mrs. Weizmann:

I recall with particular pleasure your visit and that of Dr. Weizmann to Cleveland last week. The event will serve as a splendid rallying point for enthusiastic action by the community on behalf of the Jewish Welfare Fund campaign. A number of other cities which Dr. Weizmann has agreed to visit have extended to you a most cordial invitation to address women's groups, which in recent years have come to take an increasingly active part in local appeals. I refer specifically to Detroit and Pittsburgh where Dr. Weizmann is scheduled to speak on April 24th and 29th respectively.

It has been the thought of these communities that if you would be kind enough to address a luncheon gathering of leaders among the Jewish women, your message could be most productive in terms of the deepened understanding you will generate.

May I add my own hope that you will find it possible to accept.

With all good wishes, I am

Very cordially yours,

Abba Hillel Silver
National Chairman

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Rabbi Jonah B. Wise
35 East 62nd Street
New York City

April 17, 1941

Dr. Stephen S. Wise
40 West 68th Street
New York City

Dear Dr. Wise:

The Executive Committee of the New York United Jewish Appeal has authorized me to appoint a committee to consider a more competent and adequate fund-raising machinery than we now have.

I am asking you to serve on this committee, which will have nothing to do with the present Campaign, but which will be expected to submit plans and suggestions to the beneficiary agencies of the United Jewish Appeal, looking toward a better fund-raising program for the coming year and thereafter.

Trusting I shall hear from you affirmatively, and with kindest regards, I am

Sincerely yours,

(signed) Jonah B. Wise

JBW/ks

(13. 4/28/41)

April 30, 1941

Dr. Stephen S. Wise
40 West 68th St.
New York, N.Y.

My dear Dr. Wise:

You undoubtedly received an invitation from Rabbi Jonah B. Wise to join a "committee to consider a more competent and adequate fund-raising machinery" for the New York United Jewish Appeal. The committee, as I understand it, contains about three Zionists as against seven others. The purpose of the committee may be to set up an enlarged United Jewish Welfare Fund for the City of New York for the coming years which will include not only the present three beneficiary agencies, but the ORT, the HIAS, and many others. In such an arrangement the UPA will be outnumbered and out-voted, and its interests jeopardized. The constitution of the present committee already indicates the trend. The logical procedure, of course, would have been for the two national organizations, the JDC and the UPA, through their chosen representatives, to have discussed this thing informally among themselves before convoking a meeting in which the UPA will again be put in the position of "resisting" a laudable trend towards Jewish unity.

I suggest that you and the other members representing the UPA do not attend this meeting.

With all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

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May 3, 1941

Mr. Edward M. M. Warburg
Chairman, the American Jewish
Joint Distribution Committee
100 E. 42nd St.
New York City

My dear Mr. Warburg:

Permit me to thank you for your letter of May 2nd. I share with you the desire to have the agreement reconstituting the 1941 United Jewish Appeal signed as promptly as possible, and I am surprised that the matter has been delayed so long. I have left the matter in the hands of Judge Rothenberg, who, as a member both of the Councils of the JDC and the UJA, undoubtedly did his best to expedite the matter.

Frankly, the matter which seems to have stalled the negotiations should never have been raised at all. Whatever expenses the three agencies incurred in launching their individual campaigns were spent for publicity, propaganda, and educational work, which, as you say, will be reflected in the success of the United Jewish Appeal. In the past, the United Jewish Appeal never allocated the expenses of the campaign to each agency in proportion to the funds which it ultimately derived from the joint campaign. All expenses were pooled. Why should a departure be made now? Whatever benefit each agency derived from the moneys which it expended prior to the reconstitution of the United Jewish Appeal is now merged in the common effort, and will accrue to the benefit of the united campaign. It is not, in my judgment, desirable to delay any further the final disposition of this matter, or to charge the Allotment Committee with the responsibility of considering the matter. The Allotment Committee has nothing to do with the terms of the basic agreements between the agencies, and does not act except in relation to the allocation of funds which are raised over

Mr. Edward M. M. Warburg

May 3, 1941

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and above the sums initially allocated by the terms of the agreement.

The UPA yielded on the question of representation of the NRS at the sessions of the Allotment Committee. In a desire to expedite matters, I believe that the JDC should accept our position in the matter of the reimbursement of expenses.

With all good wishes, permit me to remain

Very cordially yours,

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RABBI JONAH B. WISE

35 EAST 62nd STREET
NEW YORK

May 6, 1941

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
102nd Street & Ansel Road
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Abe:

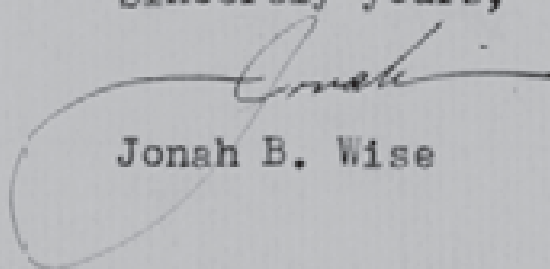
In view of the very serious financial difficulties of the beneficiaries of the United Jewish Appeal for 1941, I suggest that pending the signing of the final agreement, the delay of which I know you regret as much as I do, that you and I authorize the division of the first monies available from the National and New York Campaigns on the basis of the agreement initialled by us when the United Jewish Appeal was reconstituted.

I trust you will agree to this as it in no wise affects the final arrangement and is of the utmost importance to our constituent organizations.

I am making this as a personal request and not at the instigation of officers of the organizations affected.

With kindest regards,

Sincerely yours,


Jonah B. Wise

JBW/ks

May 8, 1941

Rabbi Jonah B. Wise
35 East 62nd St.
New York, N.Y.

My dear Jonah:

I should very much like to comply with your suggestion but I am afraid that it would be just another occasion for what has already been an unfortunate and altogether unwarranted delay in signing the agreement. Inasmuch as no new factors can arise later on to affect the final arrangement, I can see no point in postponing it.

With all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BX

UNITED JEWISH APPEAL, INC.

342 MADISON AVENUE

NEW YORK, N. Y.

PAUL FELIX WARBURG

36 Wall Street

New York

May 8th

1941

Mr. Isidor Coons
United Jewish Appeal
342 Madison Avenue
New York, N. Y.

Dear Mr. Coons:

It is with deep regret that I write you and criticize any part of the work of the United Jewish Appeal, because too well do you know of my deep interest in this program.

Last night I tuned in on the United Jewish Appeal program over station WEAF and was greeted by an extremely well written script, delivered in guttural English by Mr. Van Passen. At the end of the speech I was surprised to hear the voice of the Chief Rabbi of Palestine, who too had a message to give but unfortunately, his English, being what it is, completely confused me and disappointed me. I didn't wait to hear Ray Massey and Jascha Heifetz, for at that point I was disgusted and had lost interest in the program.

The reason that I write you on this subject is because I believe that at this time, it is most important that when we speak for the Jewish people to the American public, we should have in mind the fact that they want to hear English and not foreign accents. This criticism which I am giving you is, of course, done in a most friendly tone as I wish to be helpful and not destructive. Would it not have been wiser to have had Raymond Massey open the program and if you had to have the other speakers, place them at the end so that at least a part of the message would have been listened to by the American public?

With kindest regards,

Sincerely yours,

(signed) Paul Felix Warburg

UNITED JEWISH APPEAL, INC.

342 MADISON AVENUE

NEW YORK, N. Y.

May 12, 1941

Mr. Paul Felix Warburg
36 Wall Street
New York City

Dear Mr. Warburg:

It is only by helpful and constructive criticism such as you have made in reference to the recent broadcast of the United Jewish Appeal that we can hope to improve our methods of presenting this cause to our constituents as well as to the public at large. In these difficult days the United Jewish Appeal should have a high sense of responsibility in all matters involving public relations.

I appreciate sincerely your bringing your viewpoint to my personal attention.

With kind regards, I am

Cordially yours,

Isidor Coons

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THE AMERICAN JEWISH
JOINT DISTRIBUTION COMMITTEE, INC.
100 EAST 42ND STREET, NEW YORK CITY

May 20, 1941

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver,
National Chairman,
United Palestine Appeal,
41 East 42nd Street,
New York City.

My dear Rabbi Silver:

I have your letter of May 9th in which you refer to the action of the Executive Committee of the Greater New York United Jewish Appeal, empowering, as you state, the Joint Distribution Committee to "remove from the funds transferable to the U.J.A. sums raised in connection with the special campaign for matzothe". This is not the situation. The Landemanschaften undertook a campaign on their own responsibility for the purpose of raising funds to purchase matzothe, primarily for the Jews in Poland. The campaign was not conducted by the J.D.C. and was not considered a part of the New York City campaign. Funds were raised by the Landemanschaften not only in New York, but in all parts of the country. As you know, the Landemanschaften continuously raise funds among their members for the purpose of bringing aid to the towns in which they are particularly interested. This has been carried on for many years and traditionally the J.D.C. has been asked to transmit funds to particular communities on behalf of the Landemanschaften. These funds were never considered part of the funds of the J.D.C. nor did these funds ever replace the subventions granted by the J.D.C. for the communities involved; the J.D.C. has merely acted as a transmission agent.

The Landemanschaften came to us in accordance with their usual custom, asking us to transmit for them these special funds which they were raising for matzothe. Because of the fact that there might be some question involved we thought that we would like to have the Executive Committee of the Greater New York U.J.A. take cognizance of this request. This was done and Mr. Lebowitz himself placed the motion, stating that this fund was collected outside of the U.J.A. and was not to be considered as part of the U.J.A. campaign. The appeal was made for a specific purpose. Contributors were given the definite undertaking that the money would not go either to the N.R.S., the U.F.A. or the J.D.C., but that it would be spent only for the purchase of matzothe. The Landemanschaften could very well have carried through the purchase of matzothe by themselves, without reference to the J.D.C. However, they requested the technical aid and experience of the J.D.C. in order to make sure that their funds were spent most effectively. In addition to what the Landemanschaften had promised to make available for matzothe, the J.D.C. had made an independent appropriation of \$70,000 for matzothe. That was the maximum that we felt we could appropriate for this special activity in the light of our budgetary requirements.

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver

May 20, 1941

Unfortunately, it was not possible to secure matzoth to the full extent of the funds available for this purpose. Difficulties arose as regards export licenses from one country, and import licenses into another, with the result that only a small part of the funds had been expended.

The funds belong to the Landsmannschaften and they have the right of disposal of these funds. Neither the U.J.A. nor the J.D.C. can dispose of these funds. There is a balance remaining of these funds and it is intended to call the Landsmannschaften group together and place the situation before them and ask them to make whatever disposition they desire of the balance available.

The J.D.C. feels definitely that it cannot undertake to credit the U.J.A. with any of the sums which had been expended on behalf of the Landsmannschaften for matzoth. As you undoubtedly know, we receive requests from many organizations to make earmarked transmissions to particular institutions abroad. Thus many of the Welfare Funds turn over to us sums earmarked for particular Yeshivoth throughout Europe which we transmit for them as purely transmission items. We consider the matzoth fund of the Landsmannschaften in this same category.

Sincerely yours,

Edward M.M. Warburg
Chairman

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AGREED PAY ITS HALF SHARE AWAITING KAYEMET DECISION
REMAINDER STOP DESPITE REPEATED CABLES FROM US NO
FURTHER NEWS REGARDING KAYEMET STOP COMMITTEE IS COMPLETELY
WITHOUT FUNDS AND WE WOULD URGE YOU AUTHORIZE ADVANCE
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RABBI A H SILVER=

THE TEMPLE ANSEL RD AND EAST 105TH ST=

AT INFORMAL LUNCHEON DISCUSSION WITH NUMBER NONZIONISTS
SUNDAY IT WAS DECIDED I SHOULD NOMINATE SMALL COMMITTEE
EXPLORE POSSIBILITIES STOP IN ADDITIONAL YOURSELF AM ASKING
MONSKY HELD WARBURG GOLDSTEIN ROOHENBERG JOIN STOP REGARDS
YOUR PARTICIPATION GREATEST IMPORTANCE PLEASE WIRE=

WEIZMAN N.

June 9, 1941

Mr. Edward M. M. Warburg, Chairman
The American Jewish Joint Distribution Committee
100 East 42nd St.
New York, N.Y.

My dear Mr. Warburg:

Permit me to acknowledge your letter of May 20 in connection with the special matzoth campaign of the JDC which I brought to your attention in my letter of May 9. You state that "the campaign was not conducted by the JDC" and that "the JDC acted merely as a transmission agent" for funds raised by the Landsmannschaften. This, I regret to say, is not our impression, nor the one which the country at large was allowed to receive.

I am enclosing herewith a Yiddish campaign folder officially issued by the JDC for this Matzoth Fund. It bears prominently on the front page the stamp of the JDC, and on the back page, the list of officers and campaign committee of the JDC. I call your particular attention to the item which I have pencil-marked where the campaign is officially designated as the "Matzoth Chitin (Matzoth) Campaign of the Joint" and where it is stated that the Landsmannschaften can not reach their home cities and can not send any matzoth or any money there this year, and that only the Joint can do so. The appeal continues: "The Joint calls you!"

I shall make available to you also, if you desire it, a booklet of clippings from the Yiddish press in which in every instance the campaign is announced as a JDC campaign. I note from your letter that only a small part of the funds collected in this campaign were actually used for the purchase of matzoth, and that the JDC intends to call the Landsmannschaften together and ask them to make whatever disposition they desire of the balance available.

The United Palestine Appeal will be pleased to receive a report of such a meeting if and when it is called, and what action was taken. But regardless of what action is contemplated, the UPA must take the position on the basis of all data available that the special matzoth appeal was this year a JDC appeal, and that the funds properly belong to the general pool of the United Jewish Appeal.

Cordially yours,

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HAVE BEEN OUT OF OFFICE SEVERAL DAYS PLEASE EXCUSE DELAY
I TOO STRONGLY OBJECTED TO SEVERAL ITEMS OF BUDGET CHANGES
IN WHICH WOULD HAVE RESULTED IN LARGER ALLOCATION TO UJA
BUT BUDGET PASSED BY COMMITTEE SO DONT KNOW WHAT CAN BE DONE
NOW AM WRITING MORE FULLY REGARDS=

JOE WEINGARTEN.

ABBA UJA.

THE COMPANY WILL APPRECIATE SUGGESTIONS FROM ITS PATRONS CONCERNING ITS SERVICE

MURRAY HILL 2-1160

Emergency Committee for Zionist Affairs

41 EAST 42nd STREET
ROOM 1121
NEW YORK CITY

July 2, 1941.

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Dr. Silver:

At Dr. Weizmann's request I enclosed
copy of a letter he has recently sent to F.F.

With kindest regards, I am

Yours sincerely,

Arthur Lourie
Arthur Lourie.

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Drive Is Begun For \$12,000,000 Palestine Fund

United Appeal to Assist Refugee Jews to Flee Europe and Settle Land

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver, national chairman of the administrative committee of the United Palestine Appeal, announced yesterday a campaign to raise \$12,000,000 during the coming year for the establishment of European Jewish refugees in Palestine. The announcement, made in Cleveland, was released through the local branch of the United Palestine Appeal, at 41 East Forty-second Street.

The United Palestine Appeal, a nation-wide organization which combines the Palestine Foundation Fund and the Jewish National Fund, has been instrumental in effecting the immigration of 24,000 Jewish refugees to Palestine since the outbreak of war in Europe and of 280,000 from various countries which Adolf Hitler has dominated since his rise to power in 1933.

Stresses Defense Need

Dr. Silver emphasized Palestine's importance as a British colony in the eastern Mediterranean by saying that "the ability of Palestine to defend itself and to give manpower for its security may help determine the outcome of the struggle. The United Palestine Appeal calls upon American Jewry to secure \$12,000,000 in 1941, with which to sustain Palestine Jewry in its critical hours of heroic defense by the aid of Great Britain and to enable additional thousands of harassed Jews to find refuge there."

It was understood this did not mean the money would be used for war materials, but rather to help establish Palestine as a productive center which could aid Britain with agricultural and other supplies and with volunteer soldiers. Palestine, it was pointed out, can produce oil, textiles and some steel, as well as grain and fruits.

"The economic rationalization of Jewish life," Dr. Silver's statement continued, "has achieved its most effective form in Palestine, where today 137,000 Jews make their living from the soil, a proportion greater than in any other Jewish community in the world. In industry, Palestine has witnessed the most remarkable development in the Near East, with tens of thousands of Jews gaining a livelihood in ships and factories which produce thousands of types of goods vital to a nation's economy. The most modern school system, with some 60,000 students, and a series of higher institutions of learning, including the Hebrew University, are also part of the magnificent framework of a homogeneous and creative community established in Palestine through the labor of the pioneers and the support of the Jews of America."

Agency to Direct Funds

The funds raised by the United Palestine Appeal will be administered by the Jewish Agency for Palestine, recognized by the League of Nations mandatories as the Jewish authority in the rebuilding of Palestine, and the Jewish National Fund, the land-purchasing and land-reclaiming agency associated with the appeal.

Some refugees are taken to Palestine in ships chartered with money raised by the appeal. These ships, which include those of Portuguese, Rumanian, and Yugoslav registry, make their way to Palestine by whatever routes are reasonably free from danger. Those sailing from Lisbon, for instance, go around the Cape of Good Hope and up to Palestine by way of the Red Sea and the Suez Canal. Trains, buses and trucks are supplied wherever possible for those refugees who make the trip overland.

At the local headquarters yesterday it was said that there are now 5,000 Jews in Europe who have their immigration certificates for Palestine approved by the British government and who are waiting only for passage money before starting out. There are, it was estimated, an additional 3,000,000 who would like to get immigration certificates and passage money.

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Dr. Abba Hillel Silver

\$12,000,000 IS GOAL IN PALESTINE DRIVE

Fund to Be Sought in 1941 Will
Be Used to Support 'Major
Haven of Refuge'

PLAN WOULD AID BRITAIN

Jews Playing Increasing Role
in Allied Forces, Chairman
of Campaign Says

The United Palestine Appeal, through its national chairman, Dr. Abba Hillel Silver of Cleveland, announced here yesterday that it would launch a \$12,000,000 nationwide drive in 1941.

The fund, according to Dr. Silver, will be used to rally the widest possible support behind Palestine as a "major haven" of refuge for the oppressed and homeless Jews of European nations and "as a vital point in the defense of the British Commonwealth and democracy in the Mediterranean zone."

Pointing out that the 1941 drive would constitute the largest campaign for Palestine aid ever undertaken by American Jewry, Dr. Silver said that in the last two decades the aid given the Jewish national home in Palestine had increased the population of the community from 33,000 to 330,000. At present Palestine is the second largest free Jewish community in the world, he said, the first being the American Jews.

The fund raised in the campaign will be administered by the Jewish Agency for Palestine, which is recognized by the League of Nations Mandate as the Jewish authority in the rebuilding of Palestine, and the Jewish National Fund, the land-purchasing and land-reclaiming agency of the Jewish people.

"The resolution of America to share in resisting the encroachments and devastation of dictatorship will find its parallel in the willingness of Jews to give generously of their substance so that the Palestine Jewish community may continue to guard one of the most vital battle fronts for civilization," Dr. Silver predicted.

"The ability of Palestine to defend itself and to give manpower for its security may help determine the outcome of this struggle.

"In the first year of the war 24,000 Jewish men, women and children came to Palestine's shores from Nazi-held Europe. A total of 280,000 such refugees have come to Palestine in the last eight years from Germany, Czechoslovakia, Poland and elsewhere.

"Today the Jews of Palestine, playing an increasing role in the Allied forces, are giving to Jews everywhere a symbol of sacrificial loyalty and of steadfast faith in the ultimate triumph of justice—justice for Israel and for mankind.

"American Jewry cannot—the United Palestine Appeal is confident it will not—let down these Jews in Palestine who are our front-rank soldiers in the war for the liberation of mankind."

Dr. Silver asserted that the collapse of the European democracies which had previously contributed substantially to the reconstruction enterprise in Palestine had been instrumental in setting the national campaign at the \$12,000,000 figure.

FRENCH MODERNS AMONG ART SHOWS

'Landmarks' Are Put on Display
in an Exhibition Given at the
Pierre Matisse Gallery

PARIS WATER-COLORS SEEN

Genin Works at Peter Carson's
—American Sculpture
Shown at Buchholz's

By EDWARD ALDEN JEWELL

Always during the holiday season Fifty-seventh Street remains strictly quiescent, so far as new exhibitions are concerned. Last week our gallery list dwindled to almost nothing. The present week is somewhat brisker, but by no means brisk. The handful of openings yesterday includes "Landmarks in Modern Art" (French) at the Pierre Matisse, "American Sculpture of Today" at the Buchholz, water-colors of Paris by Lucien Genin at the Peter Carson, New England subjects by Charles A. Akin at the Fifteen Gallery, paintings by Joseph Presser at Contemporary Arts, and oils and water-colors by Simon Lewin in the little lounge gallery at the Eighth Street Playhouse. Yesterday also marked the private opening of the Museum of Modern Art's new photography department. Tomorrow Julien Levy will show American theatrical posters; Macbeth, water-colors by B. Kilvert and oils and water-colors by a group.

A couple of the holiday arrivals have been noticed briefly here today. Matisse has assembled in his at 41 East Fifty-seventh a group of ten canvases, four have been lent for the occasion five of which are now shown in New York or the These "firsts" are monumental "Wounded" included in the recent exhibition at the Institute in Boston, which has to Washington; Pi- "Luncheon" by Fernand Léger. Gallery off Paris; a large still- Yves Tanguy's "To Destroy."

This Year named pic- year. The a sub- the date the 1927 Gris in the and the one, 1926. pu-

Extra School Holidays Prove, Alas, Idle Ramor

The city's public school children, after a twelve-day Christmas vacation, will return to their classes Thursday, not next Monday, it was made clear yesterday by the Board of Education.

Although the children were told when they were dismissed Dec. 20 that they must return Jan. 2, several reports had circulated to give the impression that they would be free all this week as well as Christmas week.

As it is, the pupils will have had one of the longest of Christmas-New Year's holidays, a total of twelve days, including Saturdays and Sundays. But the doors will swing open again Thursday and there will not be another long holiday until Easter.

GIMBEL WILL HEARING BEGINS WITH PARLEYS

Lawyers Confer on Speeding
Procedure at Philadelphia

Special to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 30—The hearing of a contest over disputed sections of the will of Daniel Gimbel, disposing of an estate of about \$2,800,000, was opened today before Judge Lewis H. Van Dusen in the Orphan's Court.

Frederic A., Adam L. and Louis S. Gimbel Jr., nephews of the late merchant, brought the contest, aimed at parts of the will favoring Ellis H. Gimbel, the testator's only surviving brother, and seeking to have Mr. Gimbel removed as a trustee.

As the hearing began the will, executed on Oct. 23, 1936, nearly three years before Daniel Gimbel's death, was submitted in evidence. Attorneys then spent considerable time discussing the procedure under which documentary evidence could be presented to shorten the hearing as much as possible and cause least possible inconvenience to witnesses.

Under the will and codicil Ellis Gimbel received an outright bequest of \$300,000 and all shares of preferred and common stock of Gimbel Brothers, Inc., held by Daniel Gimbel at the time of his death on Sept. 9, 1939. This stock consisted of 12,731 shares of common valued at \$415,256, and 8,625 shares of preferred valued at \$383,812.

The will made lesser bequests to nephews and nieces to the extent of \$82,000 and left \$25,000 each to May Labe Wolfe, another niece, and Alice G. Kaufman, a sister-in-law. The residuary estate was left in trust, the entire income to be paid to Ellis Gimbel during his life. At his death the principal was to be distributed equally among the three contesting nephews and Ellis Gimbel Jr. and Richard Gimbel, of Ellis A., Sr.

The nephews charged that Ellis exercised undue influence over his late brother's will.

PALESTINE TO GET 1,000 WAR VICTIMS

United Appeal Has Completed
Plans to Transport Refugees
From Lithuania Via Siberia

COST WILL BE \$175,000

Journey Expected to Take 30
Days—Russia, Britain and
Japan Grant Visas

Plans for the transportation of 1,000 Jews from what was formerly Lithuania to Palestine via Siberia, Japan and India have been completed by the United Palestine Appeal, it was announced yesterday by Dr. Abba Hillel Silver of Cleveland, national chairman of the appeal. The cost will be \$175,000.

It is expected that the entire trip will be completed within a month. Immigration certificates to Palestine have been issued by the British Government, while the Soviet and Japan have cooperated by granting the necessary visas, Dr. Silver said. The undertaking is the first major step in the \$12,000,000 war emergency campaign for the immigration and settlement of refugees in Palestine.

The refugee group, many of whom fled to Vilna and Kaunas in Lithuania during the Nazi conquest of Poland in September, 1939, includes a considerable number of German Jews who had found temporary refuge in Poland.

Among them are sixty children under 14 years of age; 150 children between 14 and 17; 150 young women under 22; sixty young men up to the age of 25; seventy-five students of the foremost Yeshivas in Poland; 120 rabbis and their families; 100 writers and social workers, and fifty young men and women who have been trained for agricultural endeavors.

Dr. Silver made an appeal for financial aid for 7,300 others in various parts of Europe who are in possession of entry permits to Palestine but lack the necessary funds for transportation.

In the fourteen months since the outbreak of war, more than 28,000 Jewish refugees have entered Palestine, Dr. Silver said. He pointed out that the continued agricultural and economic development of the country had increased its capacity to absorb large numbers of Jews desperately in need of refuge.

Of the \$175,000 furnished by the appeal for the transportation of the refugees, \$30,000 was contributed by Hadassah, the Women's Zionist Organization.

ADELPHI HAS ADULT PLAN

Educational and Cultural Program Starts Jan. 8

Special to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

GARDEN CITY, L. I., Dec. 31—The first seasonal program of educational, cultural and recreational opportunities for adults will be started by the Adelphi Institute of Arts and Sciences at Adelphi College here Jan. 8, according to an announcement today by Mrs. Robert Westbury.

TREMORS FILL PEWS AT CENTER OSSISPEE

Prayer Meetings Show Revival
of Religion in Earthquake

Special to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

CENTER OSSISPEE, N. H., Dec. 29—Hardness of heart has been shaken out of the town known satirically for 150 years as "Righteous Ossipee." Its five churches were filled today.

Reels, which had been turned upside down by two earthquakes, called a more than willing people to worship.

In the lines approaching the churches was evident the odd "ait" which has developed with the uncertainties of recent days. Every one walks warily, as if expecting every moment that the ground will drop out from under him.

First indications of a revival of religion appeared at weekly prayer meetings. Manifestations were noteworthy in an edifice near the exact epicenter.

Just as a deacon mentioned "Thy displeasure," his long invocation was interrupted by an ominous rumble. Fifty "amens" followed it and a woman started singing "When the Roll Is Called Up Yonder I'll Be There."

But the pastors and the year-long faithful have not been disturbed. Naturally they are welcoming newcomers to meeting but they have no illusions about any permanence in such a response unless the earth continues to shake more or less regularly for at least a decade.

Meantime, a movement is under way to change the name of the town's leading village from Center Ossipee to Epicenter Ossipee. A petition to the Legislature and a memorial to the Geographic Survey are being considered.

There is a serious question, however, how long the place will last. Squire Preston Smart reports the making of many wills, especially by persons with nothing much to bequeath.

The Townsend Club has lost two members who no longer think it worth while to contribute the dime a week.

DR. SIPLE HAILS SCOUTS

Sends New Year Greeting From
U. S. Base at Little America

A wireless message containing New Year's greetings to the Boy Scouts of America from Dr. Paul A. Siple, commander of the West Base of the United States Antarctic Service at Little America, was made public yesterday by Dr. James E. West, Chief Scout Executive, to whom it was addressed.

"For a sixth time in thirteen years," the message read, "it is my pleasure to send you the season's greetings from the Antarctic. Please extend my best wishes to your family for a pleasant New Year and remember me to my many friends at National Headquarters. We have had good fortune with our exploration program and will soon be starting home."

In 1928, when Dr. Siple was 19 years old, he was chosen to represent the Scouts on Rear Admiral Richard E. Byrd's first Antarctic expedition. He was chief biologist of the second Byrd expedition of 1933-1935.

פון מאג צו מאג

(פארטועצונג פון ערשטען פירדעט)

אלע געווארען ביי זיי קלענער ביי ער
האלט שוין אינגאנצען אין פארשווייט
דאן.

און אזוי ארום פון איצט אונזער
אויפגעקלערט סעקס פארדינסט ווערען.
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יאהר מיט גרויס יסורים.

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זיי אין נעלם.

די גרויסע פראגע וועט זיין אין פון
יארן, וועלכע אין גיט פראגראם אין
א "וועלכער שטעט", ווי אנדערע
קליינט, ווי יאזע אין נאך אן "אפערע
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פאר דאס אידישע היילאנד אין ארץ
ישראל.

אין ביי יאזע זיינען דא א סך
"פרייע טעטיקייט", ארץ פאנרס, ווען
פון עס אין מאססישער צו קליינען
אין גרויסע פונען, די פערשטע פון
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JEWISH CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK

Friday, January 3, 1941 Tebet 4, 5701
Sabbath in Philadelphia begins at 4:44 P.M.
Sabbath VAYIGGASH Tebet 5
Seder Genesis xlv, 14; xlvii, 27
Haftarah Ezekiel xxxvii, 13-28
Saturday, January 4 Fast of Tebet
Thursday, January 9

CALL FOR AID TO GREAT BRITAIN

In his characteristic manner of clarity of expression, forthright honesty of purpose and unequivocation, President Roosevelt called on the American people last Sunday evening to come forward with all possible help to England in its present bitter struggle. There may be some difference of opinion as to the extent of such relief or the manner of its transmission, but Americans of all classes and political views, with few insignificant exceptions, are practically agreed on the main principle and will gladly place themselves behind the President in this effort.

As he so trenchantly and so clearly put it, such a step is of realistic necessity at present and is not merely an expression of a sentimental sympathy for a people threatened with destruction by a ruthless power. Americans are becoming fully conscious that the aid that we may give to England is an investment in our own defense, and that the safety of our own liberties depends on the ability of England to ward off its foes in the present crisis.

Aside of the aid in ships, armaments, tanks and planes that the government contemplates to supply, directly or indirectly, to Great Britain, many organizations have come to the fore in an effort to provide other means of relief, such as kitchens, hospital supplies, clothing and other matters of help to the civilian population exposed to the dangers of constant raids. These organizations are composed of Americans of all groups and ideologies and are expressive of the broad human sympathies that agitate the hearts of the people here.

Within the last week the Inter-Faith movement organized such a body, with Dr. Henry Sloan Coffin as chairman. Last Sunday, at Hotel Astor in New York, the special conference called by the American Jewish Congress decided to form a Jewish section of the Inter-Faith Committee and to contribute two hundred mobile field kitchens involving a cost of \$400,000. It is well that the conference agreed to join forces with the more inclusive organization and followed the suggestion of Dr. Henry A. Atkinson, Secretary of the Inter-Faith Committee, "to plan its activities on behalf of Great Britain as an integral section of this committee."

As we indicated in our last issue, the sympathy of the Jewish people with England may be taken for granted and needs no special manifestation. The question is only how best to serve this end alongside of the many official and unofficial efforts made in this direction. A separate Jewish organization for that purpose would be anomalous and pointless.

UNITED PALESTINE APPEAL'S GOAL FOR 1941

The announcement issued by Dr. Abba Hillel Silver, national chairman of the United Palestine Appeal, to the effect that the goal of the Appeal's 1941 campaign will be for twelve million dollars did not surprise those who are cognizant of the turn of events in the Near East and the role that Jewish Palestine will have to play in the immediate future. The financial support that the various funds in behalf of Palestine received from European countries is practically stopped now and it will become the duty as well as the privilege of American Jews to make up the deficiencies as well as to provide for the added responsibilities that have arisen in wake of the war.

Palestine has been designated the "major haven of refuge" from oppression and even the stringencies of the Palestine administration are unable to check the flow of immigrants to that spot which Jews like to designate as home. While in the past few weeks, the administration shipped 1,584 illegal immigrants from Palestine to other British possessions, 7,500 other illegal immigrants were released from internment camps and handed over to the Jewish Agency to take care of them and rehabilitate them. The idealistic and sentimental attitude toward Palestine is thus assuming a most realistic and practical phase which

should engage the sympathy and support of all Jews.

It is unfortunate that a clash of ideologies and a difference of opinion as to the relative merits of the chief Jewish causes made it imperative for the United Palestine Appeal to undertake a separate drive for 1941. For the past three years it was included in the United Jewish Appeal but the share allotted to it appeared to be quite inadequate to the work that it is expected to do and to the commitments made to the various agencies doing work in Palestine.

This separate drive has been determined without any prejudice to the other agencies included in the United Jewish Appeal and, in fact, in many communities like our own the local organizations will be called upon to continue their united efforts and make the allotments in accordance with their views. Zionists everywhere will be urged to cooperate wholeheartedly with the workers in the campaigns in each community, according to the systems that the communities find most efficient. However, the United Palestine Appeal will issue a request to each community for an allotment proportionate to its size and to the national goal. In such a spirit of sympathy and cooperation and with the generous response expected from the Jewish public, the new arrangement may prove beneficial and quite acceptable to all elements concerned.

This separation need not be interpreted as a cleavage in the united efforts of American Jewry, but merely as a method of procedure which seemed best in the eyes of the leaders in the present circumstances. We cannot afford to jeopardize that unity which is so essential to us now and by goodwill and understanding, by hard work and energetic efforts and by a maximum of public generosity, sufficient funds can be raised to supply adequately all the causes that clamor for support.

CHIEF JUSTICE HUGHES HONORED

The Inter-Faith movement, organized in 1928 by Newton D. Baker, S. Parkes Cadman and Charles Evans Hughes, resulting in the National Conference of Christians and Jews, presented to the last-named and only survivor of the trio a citation expressive of the appreciation of the Chief Justice's contributions to the improvement of human relations.

It is difficult to estimate the extent of the influence of this movement on the American people during the past twelve years. It has not succeeded in stamping out bigotry and prejudice but it surely contributed greatly toward checking their progress in our midst. The Rabbin declared that Providence often creates the remedy before the misfortune comes. The hate and rancor unleashed by the sinister powers that have swept over the world in the last seven years would undoubtedly have had a much more deleterious effect on Americans if not for this salutary movement which has brought peoples of different races and creeds more closely together whereby better understanding could be established.

In his remarks, Chief Justice Hughes said: "Liberty cannot be conserved by majority rule unless the majority hold sacred basic individual rights regardless of race or creed, so that, along with our differences of view, political and religious, we have a deep and abiding sense of human dignity and worth. . . . Rancor and bigotry, racial animosities and intolerance, are wholly incompatible with that cooperation. They are the deadly enemies of true democracy, more dangerous than any external force because they undermine the very foundations of democratic effort."

It has been the aim of the Inter-Faith movement to direct American thought towards the things that unite the various groups and creeds in our midst rather than the things that divide them. In this effort, Mr. Hughes' contributions have been significant and the recognition given to them will meet with the acclaim of all liberal Americans. Such influence is vital in our present state of unrest and emotionalism and we trust that it will continue to spread among all sections of the population and help to cement the bond of friendliness and union among all Americans.

ABOUT MEN and THINGS

THE JEWISH COMMUNITY of MANCHESTER

The Nazi fury came down with all its severity on another English industrial city, Manchester, in successive raids from the air during the past week. The number of casualties has not been disclosed but the extent of the damage done was reported to have been considerable. Incendiary bombs and high explosives were poured upon this textile city by hundreds of aeroplanes and large sections of the city's business districts were laid in ruins. The

explosives made rescue work very difficult and most of the victims were civilians.

Manchester is the second largest Jewish town in England. It has about 37,000 Jews in a population of close to a million. There is no doubt that a great many of these have found refuge in country towns round about to which numerous families with small children have been making their way since the war started. Jewish life in Manchester has been much more intense than in many another town and some of the most notable Jewish personalities of the time came from its environment.

Cham Weizmann was connected with the Manchester University before he came to London and assumed the leadership of the Zionist movement. The Laski family, including communal leaders and scholars, originated in that city and some of the delightful novels of Louis Golding have their scene laid in the Jewish districts of the city with which the novelist was so thoroughly familiar.

Both Dr. Gustave Gottheil and Dr. H. Pereira Mendes, leading figures in American Jewish life of the past generation, one Rabbi at Temple Emanuel and the other Hazzan of the Portuguese Synagogue of New York, were ministers in Manchester before their coming to this country.

The Jewish community of Manchester is rather young dating from the end of the eighteenth century when Jews were attracted to settle there because of the rapid growth of the industrial significance of the town. It is one of the largest textile manufacturing towns in England and has for a time held a primary position in these articles of manufacture in the world. Jews began to settle there about 1780 and the first Jewish cemetery was opened there in 1794. A congregation was organized somewhat earlier but with the increase of the population other congregations came in existence and schisms on matters of ritual were not infrequent.

A reform synagogue was established in Manchester in 1856, and Dr. Schiller-Szinessy, a Hungarian Jewish scholar and bibliographer, served as its minister until 1861 when he was succeeded by Dr. Gustav Gottheil. The latter remained in the position for thirteen years when he was called to the pulpit of Temple Emanuel in New York. Reform Judaism did not prosper in Manchester to any large extent as it failed to attract large numbers in all English cities where it established itself. In 1871 a Spanish and Portuguese synagogue was established with Dr. H. Pereira Mendes as minister. Dr. Mendes, after a ministry of three years, was called to Shearith Israel in New York where he remained for the rest of his life, a period of over six decades.

The conservative tendency of the Manchester Jewish community manifested itself not only in the manner of worship and observance but also in the methods of Jewish education. Intensive Jewish education has been the rule not only in the various congregational and communal elementary schools but also in the various synagogues almost all of which maintain regular classes for adults in Mishnah and Talmud. It is not unusual to see large groups of people, including many young men, assemble in the vestry rooms of the synagogues to participate in the study of the intricate Talmudic subjects under the leadership of a Rabbi. There are also Yeshibahs where young men are trained in the study of Rabbinic subjects under the guidance of competent authorities.

There is an intimate relationship established between the Talmud Torahs and the secular schools whose Jewish children are provided with Hebrew and religious instruction under the auspices of Jewish teachers. The prospectus of one of these Talmud Torahs indicates the wide range of subjects included in the curriculum of the Jewish schools. In some of these schools modern pedagogic methods have been introduced of late and in practically all of them the intensive system of daily or three-times a week instruction is the vogue.

The relationship between the Jews and other groups in Manchester has been most cordial. Many Jews have been elevated to important municipal positions and served the city with devotion and zeal. While several of the congregations subscribe to the United Synagogue and recognize the authority of the Chief Rabbi and his Beth Din, Manchester has maintained its own Beth Din for many years and in the last few years several orthodox congregations combined to elect a Rabbi who is designated as the "City Rabbi" and whose authority in matters of Jewish law and practice is recognized.

There is also a large number of charitable organizations and social clubs as well as friendly and benefit societies. Zionism is quite articulate among the Jewish population and a number of societies both of adults and of children with the Zionist program exist in the city. One wonders how many of the magnificent synagogues and other Jewish institutions in Manchester are still in existence and functioning at present.

HERE and THERE

What has been a highly controversial—though ineffectual—subject among Jews and non-Jews throughout the centuries, was injected this week into the ideological disputations raging in war-wrecked Europe, in a statement by Justinian Cardinal Seredi at the Academy of St. Stephen in Budapest, condemning restrictions on marriages between "Aryans" and Jews. The attack against the "racial" legislation of the fascist powers was in the form of praise to the Hungarian St. Ladislaus, who, Cardinal Seredi said, in bringing to successful completion the work of reconstruction begun by St. Stephen, "also forbade marriages of Jews with Catholic women." "But since this measure is falsely interpreted by some," continued the Cardinal, "I must point out that St. Ladislaus based his ban solely on the diversity of religions and not on that of race." It may be safely taken for granted that the revival of this age-old controversy will not evoke any violent disturbance among devout Jews of the world.

In a year-end review of religion published by *The Religious News Service*, Winfred Ernest Garrison, associate Professor of Church History at the University of Chicago, writing on the question: "What has the world done to religions in a year when militant secularism has been rampant if not triumphant and what has religion been able to do in such a world?" makes the following interesting observation: "The progress noted among protestants, Catholics and Jews does not merely happen, for there are many forces working in the other direction. Among the agencies promoting that unity of spirit which is our national defense against those malign forces, whether without or within, which would 'divide and conquer,' the most influential has been the National Conference of Christians and Jews and its associated round-tables in many cities."

In many Jewish pulpits throughout the length and breadth of the land the Sabbath provided occasion for references to the spirit of Judas Maccabeus in these days of military upheaval in so many parts of the world. The defeat by the Maccabees of the Syrian tyrant, Antiochus Epiphanes, offered a comparison, by some of the speakers, between Judas Maccabeus and Mr. Winston Churchill. One of the foremost of our Rabbis in giving expression to his thought said: "Surely Britain's Prime Minister scored a sensation in Italy when he daringly called for the overthrow of Mussolini, immediately following Graziani's explanation of the reasons for Italian defeat in Africa. Even though the Fascists protest, methinks they protest overmuch, thereby indicating that Churchill's speech has made a deep impression on the Italian public. Mussolini may not feel its effects today, but it will not be long, we pray, before his edifice of power crumbles."

Of Jewish interest in the great art collection of William Randolph Hearst, which is to be placed on exhibition and sale at the Saks-Fifth Avenue and Gimbel Brothers Stores in New York this month, is the exquisite Giovanni della Robbia sculpture, "Judith Holding the Head of Holofernes," a glazed terra cotta figure in blue, yellow and violet, with the inscription "Judith Hebraea" on the base. The Hearst collection which includes fifteen thousand objects of art, collected from all parts of the world over half a century and valued at \$15,000,000 to \$50,000,000, will be offered to the public like any other article of merchandise sold in department stores, with a price tag and description attached to each item. The contract for this exhibition and sale was signed this week by Bernard F. Gimbel, president of Gimbel Brothers, Inc., Frederic A. Gimbel, vice-president and managing director, Adam L. Gimbel, president and managing director of Saks-Fifth Avenue.

Members of the Fleisher family of Philadelphia continue to win distinction in the fields of the graphic arts, music, and journalism, and we note this week that B. Wilfred Fleisher, of Tokyo, Japan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin W. Fleisher, formerly of Philadelphia, who was until recently, editor of the *Japan Advertiser*, has signed a contract with the Doubleday Publishing house for a book on Japan. We will await this publication with interest.

For time out of mind, Jewish chess players have worn the laurels of victory in tournaments of this ancient game and now we read that Samuel Reshevsky, the present titleholder and Israel A. Horowitz have completed arrangements for a challenge match for the United States chess championship, the series of games to begin on April 20 in New York. These masters, both New Yorkers, will play at least fourteen games, and there may be more, depending on how many are drawn. They will compete for a purse of \$5,000.

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THE DISSENTERS OF 1940

The vast majority of the American people undoubtedly agree with the government policy of national defense and aid to Britain as stated in unequivocal terms by President Roosevelt in his fire-side talk last Sunday. There is a minority of dissenters, however, who very vigorously and vocally oppose the government policy. This is quite natural and normal in a democracy, where men are free to express different views from those held by any other man, particularly the president. And while this may be very irritating to supporters of the president's policy, and while it is true that the dissenters "unwittingly in most cases are doing exactly the kind of work the dictators want done in the United States," it is very much better that they have every opportunity to speak and write their contrary opinions than that they be silenced by official authority, or public intolerance. For it is one test of democracy that we tolerate the opinions we do not like. If dissent goes beyond debate and indulges in overt acts giving aid to the dictators and endangering the safety of the nation, that is quite another matter. But until a crisis does occur, men should be free to speak their minds.

Aside from the few Nazis, Communists, and Fascist-minded elements who deliberately seek to weaken America by dividing its people on specious issues and prevent that national unity necessary to really strong defense, there is no reason to say that most of the "anti-war" objectors are not honest, patriotic Americans who sincerely desire peace, and believe America should and can divorce itself from any contact with the war overseas.

Every American who values his country just as much as do these objectors may well resent their arrogating to themselves the sentiment of opposition to war. No sane person in this country actually wants war, and every sane American is just as anxious to keep this nation out of war as those who condemn every act of the president to do that very thing. The overwhelming sentiment in America today is anti-war, but it is a sentiment associated with some very sound and understanding consideration of certain stark realities that stare us in the face and cannot be talked or wished away.

The dissenters of the government's policy do not stand on any solid ground of principle. They are not pacifists, such as were the anti-war dissenters of 1917, who were just as much opposed to any sort of American preparedness as they were to fighting the Kaiser. Their theory was that the best way a nation can keep out of war is to be without a single gun, ship, soldier or sailor, because militarism itself invites and provokes war for its own sake. The threat of the Kaiser's invasion of America after he had conquered Europe didn't alarm them in the least. Not only did they poo-poo the very idea of such an enterprise across the Atlantic, but even if possible, they didn't believe in sacrificing millions of lives to avoid it by active resistance. They bitterly opposed any aid to the Allies by a single man, gun, ship or dollar, and they more bitterly opposed conscription. Many of them went to jail as conscientious objectors in the sincere belief that it would be better to live in America under a Kaiser than to risk one human life to keep him out. Patriotism, nationalism, the flag and national honor meant nothing to them. That was their belief, their ideology and their principle, and they stuck to it without compromise or equivocation. We do not agree with that viewpoint, but we do respect it.

We do not respect the dissenters of 1940 who shout for "peace," while at the same time shouting just as vigorously for "national defense to make America strong enough to fight any dictator or combination of dictators that might dare to attack her." The dissenters of 1940 are not pacifists. They loudly declare they would fight if the enemy came over here. They do not even oppose aid to Britain, so long as she has the money to pay for what she gets from us. Their argument is not one of idealistic policy but of mathematical quantity. They are only opposed to the amount of aid given to Britain.

The dissenters of 1940 do not say that it makes no difference to them if Hitler does conquer England, and then with Japan, Russia and Italy undertakes a crack at America, and that so far as they are concerned the swastika might just as well fly over the White House as the stars and stripes. The sincere anti-war pacifist does say that, on the theory that if Hitler happened to land an expeditionary force of two or ten million Nazis to take over America that within a generation they'd all be absorbed among the 130 millions of us and become good Americans just as millions of other immigrants did become, just as the Japanese conquerors will become good Chinese in China if they stay there long enough.

The 1940 dissenters are not anti-war at all. They are merely anti-foreign-war. They would fight Hitler if he attacked North or South America, in defense of the Monroe doctrine. But is Argentina, for instance, any less "foreign" than England? And if Hitler conquered England and gave notice that he was going to invade Argentina, would it be more or less "foreign" to meet Hitler on the high seas somewhere near Germany, rather than wait until he landed in Argentina? And if Hitler conquered England and acquired the British fleet, and the French, Dutch and all other fighting ships, and decided to launch his attack on America, would it make any difference at all where the American fleet met his invading armada.

The distinction between war and "foreign" war, between aid to Britain "short of war" and aid "leading to war," is not a matter of principle, of ideology, of policy or politics. It is not even a matter for civilian debate. These are purely technical questions to be determined by the technicians best able to answer them, the heads of the military and naval forces of the United States.

U.J.A. Is Dissolved Heads Announce

Rabbi Silver and Wise
Issue Statement—U.P.A.
Begins \$12,000,000 Drive

New York (WNS) — The United Jewish Appeal, which has raised upwards of \$30,000,000 for the Joint Distribution Committee, the United Palestine Appeal and the National Refugee Service since its inception in 1939, has been dissolved, it was announced by Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver and Jonah B. Wise, national chairman of the U.J.A.

In a joint statement the national chairmen announced that the three relief agencies would conduct separate campaigns during 1941. The United Jewish Appeal will continue to collect and distribute all funds at its outstanding from the 1939 and 1940 campaigns.

While the prepared statement gave no indication of the cause for the dissolution of the United Jewish Appeal it was generally understood that the agencies could not agree on the proportion to be allotted each organization.

The dissolution was announced despite a last-minute plea by Sidney Hollander, president of the Council of Jewish Federations and Welfare Funds who wired the heads of the three agencies urging them to continue negotiations under the auspices of the Council.

Shortly after announcement was made that the United Jewish Appeal was going out of existence, the United Palestine Appeal announced a precedent-shattering war emergency drive for \$12,000,000 in 1941, the largest campaign for Palestine aid in the history of American Jewry.

The purpose of the 1941 U.P.A. campaign will be "to rally the widest support behind Palestine as a major haven of refuge for the oppressed and homeless Jews of European lands and as a vital point in the defense of the British Commonwealth and democracy in the Mediterranean zone."

Dr. Silver, national chairman of the U.P.A., pointed out that "Through the assistance of American Jewry during the past two decades, the Jewish community of Palestine had grown from 55,000 to 650,000 persons and now represents next to the Jews in the United States, the largest free Jewish community in the world."

"The material support made available through the United Palestine Appeal which combines the Palestine Foundation Fund and the Jewish National Fund," he said, "has made possible the immigration into Palestine of 24,000 Jewish refugees during the first year of the war and a total of 280,000 Jews from Germany, Austria, Poland, Rumania and Czechoslovakia and other lands in the period since the advent of Hitler in 1933."

Funds raised in the \$12,000,000 campaign of the United Palestine Appeal will be administered by the Jewish Agency for Palestine, which is recognized by the League of Nations Mandate.

The only issue before the American people is whether they are determined to resist any aggression or threat of aggression while the war is raging in Europe and Africa, or after. They can decide not to fight or prepare to fight under any circumstances, and adopt a policy of passive non-resistance. But if they decide to resist by armed force, then the only thing that can concern all the American people today is to prepare to make that resistance the most extensive and powerful the resources and energies of this nation can possibly create. So that in any eventuality, near or far, possible or fantastic, the armed forces of America will be able to smash to oblivion any and all attempts to touch a foot of American soil or to interfere with the American system of government and society.

America is or it is not faced with a menace. President Roosevelt believes that it is. He ought to know, being nearest to all the facts. Any man of reason, reading the utterances of the Axis leaders that they are fighting not a war between nations but a do-or-die crusade against the democratic system throughout the world, believes that maybe perhaps there might be a menace. And if there is only one chance in a million that Hitler can move an army across the sea by ship or air, then even that scintilla of chance must not be left entirely to "reason" or fate. If we are determined to preserve democracy and the United States of America let us expend the last ounce of energy and the last dollar to do it in the efficient and the American way.

If there is any justification at all for total national defense, and we are committed to its philosophy of preparedness in keeping with the wealth and spirit of the American people, let us make that defense so impenetrable against invasion over here, and so potentially powerful even for an offensive, if necessary, that the whole gang of dictators in the world will quake with fear as they even dare to contemplate the unholy and impossible task of meeting the armed might of this nation.

If there is even the slightest justification for the position of President Roosevelt, then there can be no dissent that is honest or loyal to America and all it stands for. There can only be dissent with the slow tempo in getting into real high-speed mass production of all the instruments for a more total war machine than the dictators ever dreamed was possible. If any American be actually sincere in wanting peace and keeping this country out of war, that is the way to do it. There is no other way.

date as the supreme Jewish authority in the rebuilding of Palestine, and the Jewish National Fund, the land-purchasing and land-reclaiming agency of the Jewish people.

Emphasizing that the role of small countries may prove decisive in the present struggle for the preservation of democracy, Dr. Silver said that the "ability of Palestine to defend itself and to give manpower for its security may help determine the outcome of this struggle."

With the aid of the United Palestine Appeal more than 270 towns and villages were established in Palestine and within the last four years 69 new agricultural settlements have been founded. A total of 137,000 Jews make their living from the soil, the majority of whom are located in the 267 agricultural colonies established by the Palestine Foundation Fund in the past twenty years.

In appealing to the Jewish community in the United States for increased support of the United Palestine Appeal, Dr. Silver declared: "The resolution of America to share in resisting the encroachments and devastation of dictatorship will find its parallel in the willingness of Jews to give generously of their substance so that the Palestine Jewish community may continue to guard one of the most vital battle-fronts for civilization."

Meanwhile, Paul Baerwald and Edward M. M. Warburg, chairman and co-chairman of the Joint Distribution Committee, wired Jewish leaders throughout the country:

"We of the Joint Distribution Committee are anxious to present the picture of our needs and our general campaign problems, but not until the expiration of the 1940 United Jewish Appeal. Thereafter we can consider all the facts, together with colleagues and community leaders throughout the country, in ample time to meet our responsibilities in these critical days both as Americans and as Jews. We urge that no one commit himself or his community to programs or budgets until the American Jewish responsibility can be studied and appraised as a whole."

JEWISH CHARITIES MEET FOR ANNUAL DINNER

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in addition to skilled case work treatment carried on by qualified case workers. It utilizes visiting housekeepers for motherless homes or families where the mother is ill, a nursery school, foster home care for children, medical and psychiatric treatment, and assistance in budgeting for families living on marginal incomes. The Alfred Benjamin Dispensary, another department of the United Jewish Charities, makes available free medical care for those unable to pay for such care. It offers these facilities on a non-sectarian basis.

The officers of the United Jewish Charities are:

George Gershenheimer President
Alfred Benjamin 1st Vice-President
Paul Uhlmann 2nd Vice-President
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Study Reaction of President's Speech

Government, Diplomats,
Observe World Reaction
on President's Firm Stand

Washington (WNS)—President Roosevelt, the diplomatic corps and high Government officials carefully noted world reaction to the President's radio "fireside chat" in which he called for greater aid to Great Britain and expressed the belief, based "on the latest and best of information" that "the Axis powers are not going to win this war."

While Nazi officials in Berlin refused to comment on the President's speech, awaiting word from Fuehrer Hitler and the German Foreign Office, the Italian press, which earlier had called American Jews Britain's most influential allies, charged that the address signalled the beginning of an "undeclared war" against the Axis powers.

In his address, which neutral sources in the nation's capital described as his most forceful since his election to the Presidency, the Chief Executive declared that "the Nazi masters of Germany have made it clear that they intend not only to dominate all life and thought in their own country, but also to enslave the whole of Europe, and then to use the resources of Europe to dominate the rest of the world."

The President lashed out against fifth columnists and foreign agents, who "try to reawaken long slumbering racial and religious enmities which should have no place in this country."

"Let us no longer bind ourselves," he said, "to the undesirable fact that the evil forces which have crushed and undermined and corrupted so many others are already within our own gates. Your Government knows much about them and every day is ferreting them out."

"Their secret emissaries are active in our own and neighboring countries. They seek to stir up suspicion and dissension to cause internal strife. They try to turn capital against labor, and vice versa. They are active in every group that promotes intolerance. They exploit for their own ends our own natural abhorrence of war."

"These trouble breeders have but one purpose. It is to divide our people, to divide into hostile groups and to destroy our unity and shatter our will to defend ourselves."

"There are also American citizens, many of them in high places, who, unwittingly in most cases, are aiding and abetting the work of these agents. I do not charge these American citizens with being foreign agents. But I do charge them with doing exactly the kind of work that the dictators want done in the United States."

"These people not only believe that we can save our own skins by shutting our eyes to the fate of other nations. Some of them even suggest that we should imitate the methods of the dictatorships. But Americans never can and never will do that."

Ridiculing as "nonsense" proposals for a negotiated peace, the President pointed out that "the history of recent years proves that the shootings and the chains and the concentration camps are not simply the transient tools but the very alphas of modern dictatorships. They may talk of a 'new order' in the world, but what they have in mind is only a revival of the oldest and worst tyranny. In that there is no liberty, no religion, no hope."

"The proposed 'new order' is the very opposite of a United States of Europe or a United States of Asia. It is not a Government based upon the consent of the governed. It is not a union of ordinary, self-respecting men and women to protect themselves and their dignity from oppression. It is an unholy alliance of power and pelf to dominate and enslave the human race."

The President said that a Nazi triumph over Great Britain would mean that "all of us in all the Americas would be living at the point of a gun—a gun loaded with explosive bullets, economic as well as military."

דזשאַינט"ל, ווי
טיילט רעליקט.
מיט א מאַנט
נאָציסע רעדנאָ
(שלוס און)

נאָציסע אַ סאָציאַליזם
פירען זיך איצט. ווי וועלען דארטען
אונזענען די אירואכע פארוואס ווי
האכען דאס פארשטעלט צו סאן אין
צייט.
די אלע וואס האבען זיך רעגיסטירט
זינט וועלען מיט דער צייט באקומען
פון וואשינגטאן דורך פאסט א ספעציעלע
קארטעל וואס באשטעטיגט דעם פאסט פון זייער רעגיסטירונג.

אין דעם געטראלען פאסט ארטיקל
אויף 34טע סטריט צווישען 8טער און
9טער עוועניו. האבען אויף דער רעד
ניסטראציל פון די פארשטעטיגטע ניט
כירגער נעארכוויט ארום 600 טשינאווי
ניקעס. די ארכוויט אין אבער אנגע
נאנען נאנץ לאנגוואס — אומגעפער
א שעה האט גענומען אויספילען די
פראנציזשעלע פון יעדען רעגיסטיר
ראנט.

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פאלעסטינער אפיל און „דזשאַינט“ וועלען פירען באַזונדערע רעליף- דראַיווס אין יאָהר 1941

די היינטיגע ני
רוסען אַרױס די
טערעסאָנטע פּלאַ
ענטפערען? די
וועט דער לעזער
לעזער פּיידזש
„פארווערטס“.

קערפערשאפטען. ווערט דאס נעמאן
כליון צוליב דעם, וואס די ערפארונג
האט געוויזען, אז עס אין צוועקסע
סונדער אנצופירען באזונדערע קאמפי
עניס.
איינציטיג מיט דער געמיינשאפט
ליכער עקלערונג פון די צוויי קער
פערשאפטען. האט איינע פון זיי, דער
„יונייטעד פאלעסטיין אפיל“, געמאלד
דעם, אז די ציוניסטישע פאנדען הוי
בען שוין אן זייער קאמפיון פאר דעם
יאָהר 1941. אין אן דער דאזיגער
קאמפיון פאר פאלעסטינע פאנדען
האט זיך געשטעלט די אויפגאבע צו
שאפן א מיטעל פון צוועלף טיילאן
דאלאר. דעם ציוניסטישען רוף צו
שאפן דעם פאנד האט אונטערנע
טריבען דאס אבא הלל סילווער.
טערמאן פון „יונייטעד פאלעסטיין
אפיל“, די אויפגאבע פון דעם פאנד,
ווערט געלאזט אין דער ערקלערונג.
אין צו פארוויכערען די עקוויטענץ
פון דעם ישיב אין ארץ ישראל און
אנצוואלטען די אידישע איינוואונדער
רונג אהין.

די „דזשאַינט דיסטריביטאן קאמפי
טע“ און דער „יונייטעד פאלעסטיין
אפיל“, וועלכע האבען ביז איצט אבי
נעמירט בשותפות דעם „יונייטעד
דזשאַינט אפיל“, האבען געשטען
ארויסגעגעבן א געמיינשאפטליכע
ערקלערונג וואס זאגט, אז זייער
שותפות נגדיגט זיך אין א פאר טען
ארום — דעם 31טען דעצעמבער.
די ערקלערונג זאגט, דאס ביידע
ערדום האבען באשלאסען, אז פאר'ן
ערפאלג פון זייערע פאנדען, אין בער
בער און יעדער ער זאל אנפירען א
קאמפיון פאר זיך אליין און אז אויף
אזא אופן האפען זיי צו דערגרייכען
סאסטימאל בעסערע רעזולטאטען.
די פארינטערשיט און אויסגעלעזט
געווארען אין די בעסטע און אין די
פריינדליכסטע באציהונגען צווישען די
פארטרעטער פון ביידע ערדום. דערביי
ווערט אין דער געמיינשאפטליכער
ערקלערונג באטאנט, אז אויב זייערע
קאמפניס צו שאפן פאנדען וועלען
אנפאנגענדיג פון ערשטען יאנואר,
נעמירט ווערען באזונדער פון די צוויי

1. דער פאנדא פאר נינטע שטאטען מורא צו האבען טיניק, וואס געסאנטא דאמינגא עד זאנט, אז הויט אריינפירען ווען אין דער דאזעל געווען די איבער דער גאנצ איז עס א דעלט איצט אין ניגער ווי מיט 100 אפערקע צרות, ווייל עס מינוס פאר א וואס אין די מעל
2. וועלכער אפערקאנער דעם בען אנצוהערען, א דונגען באזעס לאנד?
3. ווער האט געפיהרט דעם קאזאלען ארונטערנען אין טעאטער?