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Zhitlowsky, Dr. Chaim, Jubilee Committee, 1935.

January 28, 1935.

Mr. Joseph Feder,
Zhitlowsky Jubilee Committee,
Prospect -Fourth Bldg.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Feder:

I am enclosing herewith the publicity which
Rabbi Silver promised to write for you.

With best wishes, I remain

Very sincerely yours,

BJK

Secretary to Rabbi Silver.

Enc.

P.S. I find that I have no record of your telephone
number, which makes it hard to get in touch with
you. Would appreciate it if you would let me
know what your phone number is.

The Jewish Community of Cleveland is preparing to participate in the national testimonial celebration which will be held in the Spring in connection with the Seventieth Anniversary of the great Jewish writer, thinker and leader, Dr. Chaim Zhitlowsky. All elements of Jewry, regardless of their particular economic or political outlook, will wish to do honor to this outstanding Jew whose writings have helped to mold the ideas of the Jewish masses for nearly half a century.

A conference of representatives of Jewish organizations in the city to plan the celebration for Cleveland will be held this Sunday afternoon, February 3, at two o'clock at the Jewish Center. A cordial invitation is extended to the friends and admirers of Dr. Zhitlowsky to meet with the representatives of the Jewish bodies to take counsel together as to the most appropriate ways of celebrating this important event.

February 8, 1935.

Mr. Joseph Feder,
Zhitlowsky Jubilee Committee,
Room 503,
Prospect-Fourth Bldg.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Feder:

I am enclosing herewith a copy of the address
which Rabbi Silver delivered at the Zhitlowsky meeting
on the Jewish Center last Sunday afternoon.

With all good wishes, I remain

Very sincerely yours,

Secretary to Rabbi Silver.

BJK
Enc.

[February 20? 1935]

My dear Friend:

American Jewry is celebrating. In April, the seventieth anniversary of the ~~Jewish~~ eminent Jewish thinker and writer, Dr. Chaim Zhitlowsky. Dr. Z. has for nearly half a century devoted his great literary talents to the advancement of the cause of Jewry throughout the world.

The Cleveland Jewish community is arranging a public ~~xx~~ reception for Dr. Z. at The Temple on Sunday Evening, April 28 at which time Dr. Z. will be the guest of honor.

A reception committee is being formed, composed of some of the leading Jews of the city. In the name of the Arrangement Committee, of which I am chairman, I have the honor of extending to you the invitation to accept membership on this Reception Committee. The acceptance will involve you in no financial or other obligation.

I trust that I may hear from you at your earliest convenience. I remain

Very cordially yours,

My dear Rabbi Silver:

I shall be very pleased to serve on the
Reception Committee to Dr. Chaim Zhitlowsky.

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My dear Rabbi Silver:

I shall be very pleased to serve on the
Reception Committee to Dr. Chaim Zhitlowsky.

Signed.....

Em Baker

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

Dear Rabbi Silver:

I am in receipt of your letter and I discussed the entire situation with our Board of Directors. Everybody was in favor of the great celebration in honor of a great Jewish scholar, Dr. Chaim Zhitlovski. We are ready to express our feelings by a congratulatory page in the book that you are planning.

Incidentally a great number of our directors are already engaged in this enterprise and are members of the Executive Committee. However, they are doing their share also as directors of the Orphan Home so that our institution will be appropriately represented.

With kind personal regards, I remain,

Sincerely yours,

AP:MB

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DR. CH. ZHITLOWSKY JUBILEE COMMITTEE
503 PROSPECT-FOURTH BUILDING
CLEVELAND, OHIO



March 19, 1935

Miss Bessie Klein,
The Temple,
East 105th and Ansel Road,
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Miss Klein:

I am enclosing herewith a copy of a letter to be used by Rabbi Silver as his personal appeal to the list of people which was furnished to you by Mr. Resnick and also to the additional list which the Rabbi is to make up.

I shall appreciate it very much, if you will call this to the Rabbi's attention, immediately upon his arrival.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Joseph Feder".
Joseph Feder,
Administrative Secretary

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ד.ר. חיים זשיטלעווסקי יוביליי קאמיטעט

DR. CH. ZHITLOWSKY JUBILEE COMMITTEE

503 PROSPECT-FOURTH BUILDING

CLEVELAND, OHIO



My Dear Friend:

The Jewish community of Cleveland will celebrate the seventieth anniversary of the great Jewish thinker and leader, Dr. Chaim Zhitlowsky in the month of April. A preliminary conference was held last month, attended by delegates from more than ~~sixty~~ ^{sixty} organizations, at which time a resolution was adopted to celebrate this important national event appropriately in our city. A public celebration, at which Dr. Chaim Zhitlowsky will be the guest of honor, will be held on April 28th.

A Testimonial Volume will be printed in honor of the occasion which will contain literary contributions from the foremost Jewish writers in this country and abroad. In order to make the publication of this Volume possible, and in order to raise Cleveland's quota to a National Jubilee Fund to enable Dr. Zhitlowsky to carry on his work in relative comfort, Jews of Cleveland as well as Jewish business establishments are asked to send their greetings through the columns of this Volume. The names of the individual donors or business houses will be inscribed in it. The price per page is fifty dollars, and proportionaely, parts of a page may be subscribed for.

May I urge upon you to join with all others in our city to make this Volume a success and to honor a man who has devoted more than half a century of his life to the cause of our poeple. I would appreciate an early response as we should like to complete the Volume before the end of this month.

With all good wishes, permit me to remain

Very cordially yours,

chairman .

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The Temple

EAST 105TH STREET AT ANSEL ROAD

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ABBA HILLEL SILVER, D.D.
RABBI

HARRY A. LEVY
EXECUTIVE SECRETARY

My dear Friend:

The Jewish community of Cleveland will celebrate the seventieth anniversary of the great Jewish thinker and leader, Dr. Chaim Zhitlowsky in the month of April. A preliminary conference was held last month, attended by delegates from more than sixty organizations, at which time a resolution was adopted to celebrate this important national event appropriately in our city. A public celebration, at which Dr. Chaim Zhitlowsky will be the guest of honor, will be held on April 28th.

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With all good wishes, permit me to remain

Very cordially yours,

Abba Hillel Silver

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Dr. Chaim Zhitlowsky Jubilee Committee

1133 BROADWAY, ROOM 429
NEW YORK CITY
TEL. CHelsea 3-6139

Office of Chairman,
460 Main Street, Winnipeg, Man.

March 22nd, 1935.

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver,
c/o The Temple,
East 105th Street and Ainsel road,
Cleveland, Ohio.
U. S. A.

Dear Sir,

I noticed from the letter head that you are
one of Dr. Zhitlowsky's Jubilee Committee.

I happened to make a little trip out West
and I came in contact with many Jews, whose knowledge
of Yiddish is very scant, and consequently, they know
very little about Dr. Zhitlowsky or his works.

I feel that if we had here a letter from you,
or a short article, giving your views of Dr. Zhitlowsky
and why you have consented to head this Committee, we
could accomplish a great deal in the way of subscriptions
to the Jubilee Fund. I hope therefore, that you will find
a little time to prepare one, and let me have it at your
very earliest convenience.

Yours truly,

Chairman.

JAC *MG

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

Dear Sir:

In response to your letter of March 25th, I am unable at this time to help you in celebrating the seventieth anniversary of Dr. Chaim Zhitlowsky.

I have rendered financial help on some recent Jewish matters, for which I have been solicited, but at this time, find I can go no further.

Very truly yours,

F. J. Auxer

FPA:DF

April 1, 1935.

Mr. J. A. Cherniach, Chairman,
Dr. Chaim Zhitlowsky Jubilee Committee,
1133 Broadway,
New York, N.Y.

My dear Mr. Cherniach:

Let me thank you for your kind letter of
March 22. The Jewish Daily Bulletin of yesterday contains
an article of mine of Chaim Zhitlowsky which I believe you
may use in connection with your celebration.

I wish you every success.

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BK

April 1, 1935.

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

My dear Mr. Fuchs:

Again I call upon you for your artistic contribution. The Cleveland Jewish community will celebrate the seventieth anniversary of Dr. Chaim Zhitlowsky, one of the outstanding leaders of Jewish thought, with a civic meeting to be held in the Public Music Hall on Sunday evening, April 28, at which meeting Dr. Chaim Zhitlowsky himself will be the guest of honor. I will be chairman. A Volume commemorating the occasion to which friends of Dr. Zhitlowsky will contribute will also mark the occasion. The purpose of the civic meeting as well as of the Volume is to raise Cleveland's share to a national fund for Dr. Zhitlowsky which will enable this great scholar and thinker to spend the remainder of his life in comfort.

It was the unanimous wish of the committee that you would grace the occasion and present a musical program. The City of Cleveland has offered the Music Hall free of charge because of the purpose of the meeting. We would deeply appreciate it if you would make your distinguished contribution to this occasion by rendering a musical program. The community would be much indebted to you.

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

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BK

April 10, 1935.

Dr. Chaim Zhitlowsky,
1133 Broadway,
New York, N.Y.

My dear Dr. Zhitlowsky:

The Cleveland Jewish community has arranged a community-wide celebration in honor of your seventieth anniversary on Sunday evening, April 28, at the Public Music Hall. Our people wish to express their tribute to you for your many years of devoted and distinguished service to the cause of Israel and of humanity.

I am extending herewith to you the official invitation of the committee, of which I have the honor to be Chairman, to be our guest that evening. We shall all be happy to receive an acceptance from you.

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

Very sincerely yours,

AHS:BK

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April 11th, 1935

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver

The Temple

East 105th St. at Ansel Rd.

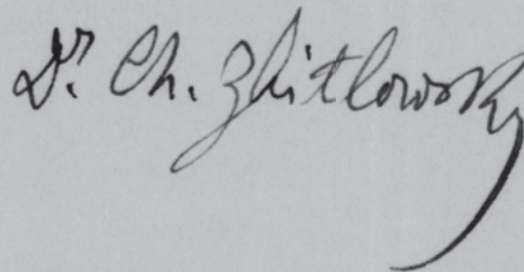
Cleveland, Ohio

My dear Dr. Silver:

In reply to your letter of April 10th, I take great pleasure in accepting your invitation to be guest at the celebration arranged in my honor at the Public Music Hall in Cleveland, Sunday evening, April 28th.

I will be very happy to greet the people of Cleveland and be your guest that evening.

Very sincerely yours,



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1133 BROADWAY, ROOM 429
NEW YORK CITY
TEL. CHELSEA 3-6139

April 11th, 1935

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

My dear Dr. Silver:

In reply to your letter of April 10th, I take great pleasure in accepting your invitation to be guest at the celebration arranged in my honor at the Public Music Hall in Cleveland, Sunday evening, April 28th.

I will be very happy to greet the people of Cleveland and be your guest that evening.

Very sincerely yours,

A. Glanz-Lefeleles
Dr. J. Globus
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B. Z. Goldberg
Rabbi J. Goldberg
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DR. CHAIM ZHITLOWSKY JUBILEE COMMITTEE

503 PROSPECT-FOURTH BLDG.

CLEVELAND, OHIO

MAin 4492

April 11, 1935

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

Dear Rabbi:

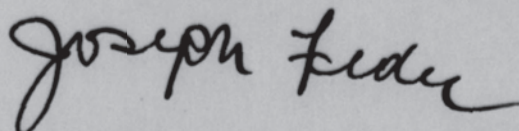
As per your advice, I got from Miss Klein, the Jewish Daily Bulletin of March 31st, and read your editorial. I find that while this editorial serves a good purpose for the national Zhitlowsky Jubilee activities, the article in the special Zhitlowsky Jubilee Volume for our city, should be, in my judgement, of a strictly local character. You are the chairman of the Zhitlowsky Jubilee Committee and your article should be more of a summary statement in regard to our local activities, such as commending all those organizations who have so splendidly responded, and the individual workers, such as the Executive Committee and your Vice-chairmen. Of course, you understand, Rabbi, that this is my personal opinion, and if you should think otherwise, I will be glad to make up an article from the one in the Jewish Daily Bulletin.

While I am writing to you, I may as well inform you that the follow-up committees of your letters did not bring any results. I hope I am not asking too much by suggesting that you get in touch with some of the individuals that you think will respond to our cause. So far, very few individuals have been approached. Practically all the money coming in is from organizations.

Your article of March 31st in the Jewish Daily Bulletin was sent to all the local newspapers, and today the Cleveland News carried a very fine story about it. I am up against the problem of getting a good publicity man for the English publicity for the last 10 days before the Zhitlowsky Jubilee. I hope you will excuse me for putting so much burden upon you, but I feel that if I were passive toward this matter, I would not be performing my duty rightfully.

Herman Rosen has accepted our invitation to play at the Jubilee celebration, which solves our program problems, as it is now complete.

Respectfully yours,



Joseph Feder,

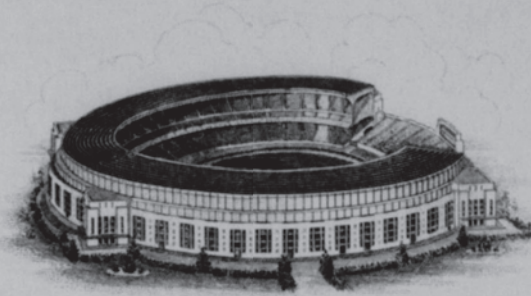
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CLEVELAND AUDITORIUM STADIUM

AND
Underground Exhibition Hall

OWNED AND OPERATED BY
The City of CLEVELAND



April 30, 1935.

The Zhitlowsky Jubilee Committee
East 105th Street & Ansel Road
Cleveland, Ohio

Attention Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver, Chairman

Dear Rabbi Silver:-

We enclose herewith copy of your contract signed and approved, covering rental of the Music Hall of the Cleveland Public Auditorium for your Lecture which was held Sunday, April 28, 1935.

Please be assured that we shall be glad to cooperate with you at all times and trust that all arrangements were made to your satisfaction.

Very truly yours,

Commissioner of
CLEVELAND AUDITORIUM AND STADIUM

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4. As a further consideration of this agreement the City shall have and retain complete custody, control and possession of all moneys received from the sale of all tickets wherever sold and of all moneys received for admission fees; the entire proceeds from the sale of all tickets, all moneys received for admission fees, and the sum deposited as a minimum guarantee in accordance with paragraph two above shall all be the rightful property of the City for the purpose of applying in accordance with all the terms and conditions of this agreement toward payment of any unpaid balances for rent and/or for any and all amounts of any nature or kind due the City for any purpose whatsoever necessarily arising in preparing and maintaining the said premises for the use above stipulated, and said Grantee shall not be entitled to receive any part of said moneys unless and until all charges for rent and all other items shall have been fully received by the said City.

6. The form and contents of all tickets shall be subject to the written approval of the Commissioner of the Cleveland Auditorium and Stadium. The schedule of admission prices to be charged by the Grantee is as follows:

10. In the event that the several portions of the said hall are not vacated by the Grantee on the date above

11. Grantee shall use and occupy said premises in a safe and careful manner; it shall comply with all laws, rules, regulations and ordinances in force in the City of Cleveland, Ohio; and all rules and regulations relating to the use of said hall; it shall use said premises solely for the purposes herein provided; it shall not permit said premises, or any part thereof, to be used for the sale of liquor or for any unlawful or immoral purpose or in any manner as to injure persons or property in, on or near the premises covered by this concession; said Grantee shall not do any act or suffer any act to be done during the term of this agreement which will in any way mar, deface or injure any part of said hall; and upon termination of this agreement Grantee shall deliver up to said City the premises aforesaid in as good condition and repair as the same shall be found at the beginning of the term of this concession, loss by fire alone excepted.

13. Grantee shall pay and save the City harmless from any and all damages, loss or liability of any kind whatsoever occasioned within said hall or on the premises adjacent thereto by reason of any injury to person or property occasioned by any act or omission, neglect, or wrong doing of the Grantee or any of its officers, agents, representatives, guests, employees, invitees or other persons admitted by Grantee upon the premises, and said Grantee will at its own cost and expense defend and protect said City against any and all such claims or demands.

14. If any term, condition, agreement or covenant of this concession agreement on the part of the Grantee to be performed, shall not be complied with as required by the terms of this concession agreement; or if the Grantee shall cause or permit any substantial waste or damage to be done within the premises herein described, or any part thereof, then the City may, at its option, forthwith enter on said premises and terminate this concession agreement without in any manner impairing the right of the City to retain so much of the money as the City may have in its possession, under and by reason of the terms of this concession agreement and to apply the same to the payment of any and all claims which may then be justly due the City, and in the event such sum of money is insufficient for such purpose or purposes the right of the City shall not be impaired to recover such portion of the rent, other charges and damages then due the City, and also to recover such other damages to which the City may be entitled by reason of the default, violation or other wrongful acts committed or permitted by the Grantee, and the City may if it so elects waive its right to so enter into possession of the aforesaid premises and may pursue its remedy at law to collect any and all amounts which may be due said City. In the event the City of Cleveland waives its right to and/or refuses to enter into possession of the aforesaid premises, the City shall not thereby waive any or all rights said City may have or had prior to or subsequent to said breach of the terms of this concession agreement on the part of the Grantee, and in any event the City shall have the right to retain any and all moneys received from the sale of tickets whensoever and wheresoever sold and the receipt from any and all admission charges, and to apply all or any part of said proceeds to any rent due, expenses incurred and damages sustained by said City of Cleveland, and this the City shall have the right to do either before or subsequent to any breach of any or all of the terms of this concession agreement on the part of the Grantee.

15. In case said hall or any part thereof shall be destroyed by fire or damaged by fire, or other cause so as to prevent the use of the premises for the purpose and during the time specified in this agreement, then and thereupon this agreement shall terminate and the Grantee shall pay rental for said premises only up to the time of such termination of the rent herein specified, and the said Grantee hereby waives any claim for damages or compensation which might arise by reason of such termination.

16. The City assumes no responsibility whatsoever for any property placed in said hall, and said City is hereby expressly released and discharged from any and all liabilities for any loss, injury or damages to person or property that may be sustained by reason of the occupancy of said hall under this agreement; and all watchmen or other protective service desired by the Grantee must be arranged for by special agreement with the Commissioner of the Cleveland Auditorium and Stadium or his representatives.

17. As a further consideration for this concession agreement, it is agreed by and between the parties hereto that the Grantee shall pay to the City of Cleveland, in addition to all other rents and charges hereinbefore mentioned and referred to, an amount of money sufficient to cover the liability insurance for personal injury, at the prevailing rate, carried by the City of Cleveland therefore on the premises herein let; said total sum to be determined upon the basis of actual attendance at the particular event or events.

18. The City specifically reserves the program, checking, taxicab, and refreshment privileges and concessions and any and all concessions except **No exceptions.**

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, the parties have hereunto set their hands to duplicates hereof, the date and year first above written.

The within instrument is hereby approved as to legal form and correctness.

By Ernest Shapiro
Director of Law

By Thomas H. Fritz
Asst.
4/29/1935

Approved by: [Signature]
Commissioner of Cleveland Auditorium and Stadium

Grantor:
THE CITY OF CLEVELAND

By [Signature]
Director of Parks and Public Property

Grantee:
THE ZHITLOWSKY JUBILEE COMMITTEE

By Abba Hibel Silver
RABBI ABBA HILLEL SILVER,
CHAIRMAN

For

Date

CLEVELAND AUDITORIUM
AND STADIUM

OF THE CITY OF

CLEVELAND

GRANTEE

Remarks:

May 9, 1935.

Mr. Joseph Feder,
503 Prospect-Fourth Bldg.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Feder:

I should like you to call a meeting of the Zhitlowsky Jubilee Committee at which time the final detailed financial report of the Zhitlowsky Jubilee should be presented. I feel that the Committee ought to know the exact financial set-up. I should like a list of all the organizations that have paid for their inscriptions in the book and those which have not yet paid; also the names of all individuals, business firms etc. which have made contributions and their amounts; also the number of tickets sold and paid for, and the amounts outstanding.

I should also like to have an itemized list of all expenditures, of all bills paid and those still unpaid, etc.

Please communicate with me as to the best hour for such a meeting. With all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BK

DR. CHAIM ZHITLOWSKY JUBILEE COMMITTEE

503 Prospect-Fourth Bldg.
Cleveland, Ohio

May 15, 1935

ZHITLOWSKY JUBILEE FINANCIAL STATEMENT

INCOME:

Greetings from Organizations	\$826.00
Greetings from Individuals and bus. firms	327.63
Admission Tickets	<u>242.20</u>
	1395.83
 Loans	
	<u>75.00</u>
	1470.83

DISBURSEMENTS:

Printing	\$357.50
Telephone and teleg.	35.19
Postage	56.21
Office work	92.56
Office supplies	7.30
Miscellaneous	<u>103.33</u>
	652.09
 Secretary's salary	155.00
Payment of Loans	<u>75.00</u>
	882.09

Total disbursements 882.09

Cash Balance 588.74

Cash in Bank	\$540.69
Cash on Hand	<u>48.05</u>

588.74

May 31, 1935.

Mr. L. Singer,
11707 Tuscora Ave.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Friend:

I am endeavoring to close the accounts of the Zhitlowsky Jubilee Committee so as to forward a check to Dr. Zhitlowsky within the week as the gift of the Cleveland Jewish Community to him. Our records show that you have not yet accounted for twenty-five tickets amounting to \$6.25. I would appreciate it if you would send the money to me at once.

With all good wishes, I remain

Very sincerely yours,

AHS:BK

CHAIRMAN, Zhitlowsky Jubilee Committee.

June 3, 1935.

Mr. Mendel Elkin, Director,
Dr. Chaim Zhitlowsky Jubilee Committee,
1133 Broadway,
New York, N.Y.

My dear Mr. Elkin:

I take pleasure in enclosing herewith a check for \$1000 which is the contribution of the Cleveland Jewish community to the Dr. Chaim Zhitlowsky Jubilee Fund which is being raised throughout the country. The local committee, of which I had the honor of being chairman, worked very faithfully to educate the community concerning Dr. Zhitlowsky's contribution to Jewish life and thought and arranged a very impressive meeting on April 28 at which Dr. Zhitlowsky was the guest of honor. I hope that you will succeed in obtaining the entire fund which you are seeking.

With all good wishes to you and with kindest regards to Dr. Zhitlowsky, I remain

Very cordially yours,

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DR. CHAIM ZHITLOWSKY JUBILEE COMMITTEE
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ZHITLOWSKY JUBILEE OUTSTANDING ACCOUNTS.

			Tickets	
✓ Poltaver Aid Society	J.H. Tucker -	1661 Belmar Rd.	50	\$12.50
Edith [unclear] [unclear] Aid St.	Mrs. Ed. Cohen	3305 E. 121st	10	2.50
✓ Poalie Zion	Mr. A. Terris	3609 E. 147th St.	100	25.00
Jewish Orthodox Orphan Home		879 Parkwood Dr.	4	1.00
Branch 79 Workmen's Circle	B. Axelrod	3368 E. 116th St.	10	2.50
Kinsman La. Auxiliary Orphan Home	Mrs. Roth	Y. 15	25	6.25
✓ L. Singer		11707 Toscora	25	6.25
Cleveland Hebrew Ben. Society,	Meyer Atkin (will step in)		50	12.50
Light Buss. Greeting	9910			3.00
N. Chaikin Greeting		14429 Superior Rd.		2.00
			274	73.50

BILLS TO BE PAID:

Public Music Hall

\$71.00



4.75
5.00
3.20

13.00

Dr. Halpern

Herman Stein.

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ZHITLOWSKY JUBILEE COMMITTEE

Room 503

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Prospect-Fourth Bldg.

Cleveland, Ohio

Joseph Feder

main 9229

Cedar 5115

Kenner Hayswood
Womens Club

7389 W.

Weyfield

9816 South
3rd

Mr R. B. Post

Gift Giving
meeting

Room 429
1133 Broadway



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Jubilee Committee