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

Dear Dr. Silver:

Barely six weeks remain to the opening of our forthcoming convention in Atlantic City. In the light of the current political developments, this convention will undoubtedly be the most momentous in the annals of our movement.

In view of the widespread interest which the ZOA convention proceedings will evoke in the press, may I bespeak your cooperation in sending me within the week a 500-word article or statement on what you consider should be the action of the convention on the major problems now facing Zionism and the Jewish people. This article is designed for publication in The New Palestine--News Reporter issue and in the entire Anglo-Jewish press throughout the country.

With warm regards and best wishes, I remain

Sincerely yours

Ernest E. Barbarash

EEB:ad



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Dr. Abba Hillel Silver
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Dear Dr. Silver:

I have taken the liberty of reserving for you a complimentary suite at the Hotel St. Charles for the 48th Annual Convention of the Zionist Organization of America which will be held on November 16-20 at Atlantic City.

I am sure that the enjoyment of your stay in Atlantic City will be enhanced by the comfort of the quarters provided for you.

I would appreciate your courtesy in acknowledging receipt to me of this communication.

My kindest personal regards.

Sincerely yours,

Dr. Sidney Marks

SM:ad

no. 15



October 8, 1945

Dr. Sidney Marks
Zionist Organization of America
1720-16th St. N.W.
Washington, D.C.

My dear Dr. Marks:

Thank you so much for your kindness in
reserving a suite for me at the St. Charles
Hotel for the annual convention of the ZOA.

With all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BK

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NIGHT LETTER

October 25, 1945

Dr. Silver

FILING DATE FOR ELECTION REPORTS FOR CONVENTION DELEGATES EXTENDED TO
OCTOBER 30 URGENT YOUR DISTRICT BE REPRESENTED. WIRE COLLECT
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Dr. Sidney Mark
ZOA
1720 16th St. N.W.
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Office of the Secretary
November 2, 1945

To Delegates and Alternates of
the 48th Annual ZOA Convention

Dear Fellow Zionists:

It is with great pleasure that we enclose herewith your CREDENTIALS to the 48th Annual Convention of the Zionist Organization of America to be held at the Hotels St. Charles and Breakers in Atlantic City, N. J. beginning Friday, November 16th and continuing through November 20th.

REGISTRATION of DELEGATES and ALTERNATES to the Convention will commence Friday morning, November 16th at the Convention Headquarters in the Hotel Breakers. Upon presenting the enclosed card at the registration desk and payment of the necessary fees, your official credentials will be issued to you together with your official badge, convention program, literature, annual reports and other material.

At 10:00 A.M. on Friday there will be a session of the Committee on Unity for Palestine to which you are cordially invited. A luncheon will be held in connection with this session.

Friday evening services will be held in the synagogue of the Breakers Hotel at 4:30 P.M. Arrangements have also been made for services on Saturday morning.

On Friday night there will be the Youth Commission dinner which proved so popular last year. An Oneg Shabbat will be held on Saturday afternoon under the auspices of the Histadrut Ivrit.

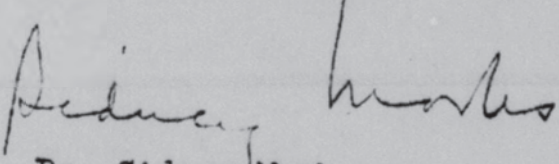
The first plenary session will be held Saturday night, November 17, at which time Dr. Israel Goldstein will deliver the annual presidential address.

We regret that there are no more rooms available at either the Breakers or St. Charles Hotels. We have, however, reserved a number of rooms at the New Belmont and Richfield Hotels which are only several blocks away from convention headquarters. If you have not yet made your hotel reservations, you can obtain a double room with private bath at the New Belmont for \$6, \$7, and \$8 a day; this Hotel also has a number of double rooms with semi-private bath for \$5.50 a day. The Richfield Hotel has double rooms with private bath for \$6 a day. Please send your reservations for both hotels to Mr. Joseph Martin at the New Belmont Hotel, Atlantic City, N. J. Your reservation should be accompanied by a deposit equivalent to one day's stay.

Complete information concerning meal reservations will be sent you early next week.

I look forward to the pleasure of greeting you at the Convention.

Cordially yours,


Dr. Sidney Marks
Acting Executive Director

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Rabbi Franklin Cohn

SEATTLE, 22 WASHINGTON

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1107-31ST AVENUE
EAST 5095

November 23, 1945

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver
Cleveland
Ohio

Dear Colleague:

I take great pleasure in congratulating you on behalf of Seattle Zionist District and Seattle Zionist Council on the occasion of your election to the presidency of the Zionist Organization of America.

The Zionists of Seattle have always professed loyalty and devotion to the cause of Zion and have stalwartly followed our national leadership. You may be assured that the same loyalty will be extended to you and your administration.

We fully realize that you are taking over the leadership of ZOA at a most critical time and that, in order to achieve the highest goal of Zionist aspirations, you will need the full support of every Zionist in the country. I would like to repeat in this connection that you may fully count on us.

Last year our district presented Dr. Israel Goldstein with the Class of 100 Members at the time of his visit to this city, bringing the total of our membership up to 350 at that time. Our Membership Committee is now hard at work and, I am glad to say, the local chapter has enrolled more than 100 new members in the last few months, expecting to increase our membership substantially during the months to come.

Our battle against the American Council for Judaism has been won, and I am enclosing herewith for your information my written report to the Conference of the Committee on Unity for Palestine; unfortunately, the report had to be submitted in writing since, due to illness, I was unable to attend the Convention personally.

Knowing of the many pressing responsibilities which lay on your shoulders, I hesitate to make this request, but I feel that we should at least register our desire at this time, namely, to have you visit Seattle and appear at a mass-meeting before our community. We would be very happy indeed to learn if you anticipate a visiting tour to the districts on the West Coast, and if so, whether you would be willing to include our district in your itinerary.

Wishing you every success, I remain, with Zion's greetings,

Very cordially yours,

Franklin Cohn

Rabbi Franklin Cohn, Chairman
Public Relations Committee
SEATTLE ZIONIST COUNCIL
SEATTLE ZIONIST DISTRICT



Port Chester, N.Y.
November 29, 1945

Dr Abba Hillel Silver
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Dr. Silver -

After some hesitation whether I should take your precious minutes with my letter I have decided to write and congratulate you on the election to the Presidency of the I.O.O.F.

Ever since the inception of the Zionist Policy Committee (of which I pride myself being one of the first members) I was hoping for the day when you would consent to lead the Organization in a progressive and militant way.

I want to wish you and your administration success and the hope that you will lead us to Victory and a Commonwealth in Palestine.

May I assure you of my readiness to serve you at any time in any way possible.

With kindest greetings

Sol Collins

SOL COLLINS
45 ELMONT AVE
PORTCHESTER, N.Y.

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December 13, 1945

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

Dear Rabbi Silver:

We are writing to welcome you home from your trip to Palestine, and to convey our good wishes on the occasion of your election to the presidency of the Zionist Organization of America.

We feel that the organization is indeed fortunate to have a leader with your courage, strength and vision in this critical time. Cleveland is proud that it is giving world Jewry such a dynamic personality to guide it.

May I add my personal good wishes to those of your many, many friends.

Sincerely yours,

Mrs. Benjamin Levine
President

HPL:am

December 19, 1945

Mrs. Benjamin Levine, President
Cleveland Council of Jewish Women
2010 E. 102nd St.
Cleveland, Ohio

My dear Friend:

Upon my return home from Palestine I found your gracious note of welcome and your good wishes on the occasion of my election to the presidency of the Zionist Organization of America. May I tell you how deeply grateful I am for your thoughtfulness, and how much I appreciate your good wishes and those of the Cleveland Section of the National Council of Jewish Women.

With all good wishes, I remain

Most cordially yours,

AHS:BK

December 19, 1945

Mr. Sol Collins
45 Elmont Avenue
Portchester, N. Y.

Dear Mr. Collins:

Upon my return from Palestine, I found your gracious note of congratulations upon my election to the Presidency of the Zionist Organization of America. I am very grateful for your thoughtfulness in writing to me and in sending me your good wishes.

The days ahead are likely to be critical and decisive ones for our Movement, but I feel confident that with the loyal and wholehearted cooperation of all our people we will win through in the end.

With Zion's greetings, I remain,

Most cordially yours,

December 20, 1945

Rabbi Franklin Cohn
1107 - 31st Avenue
Seattle 22, Washington

My dear Rabbi:

Upon my return from Palestine, I found your kind letter of November 23. Permit me to thank you and the members of the Seattle Zionist District and the Seattle Zionist Council for your kind word of congratulations.

I know of the fine work you have been doing in Seattle and of your effective work against the scurrilous attacks of Berger and the American Council for Judaism. Please keep up the good work.

If I should have an opportunity to visit the Pacific Coast during the coming year, let me assure you that I will not overlook Seattle.

With all good wishes, I remain,

Most cordially yours,

SOLOMON COHEN
ACCOUNTANT AND AUDITOR
11 WEST 42ND STREET
NEW YORK CITY
PHONE LONGACRE 5-6880

December 20, 1945.

My dear Abba:-

Yours truly

Under separate envelope I am mailing you two copies - for you and your folks - of "Der Amerikaner", containing an interesting article about you, with a very nice photo of yourself, and also of your folks. I am also enclosing ~~of~~ herewith a snapshot of you taken at ~~PHN~~ ~~NY~~, which appeared in the Forward of December 16th.

As President of the J. O. A. you will soon have to appoint 20 additional members to the Administrative Committee. The greater number should be, I believe, from New York and vicinity, Philadelphia and New Jersey, so that they would be able to attend meetings. Last year, I believe, the following ^{from Long Island} were appointed by Goldstein: Gutzik Abraham Cohen, ^{Rabbi Herman Salit,} Joshua Goldberg, and a few others whose names I do not recall. All were appointed because they were bitter opponents of you.

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SOLOMON COHEN
ACCOUNTANT AND AUDITOR
11 WEST 42ND STREET
NEW YORK CITY
PHONE LONGACRE 5-6880

I would recommend the following Long Islanders to take their place:

- ① Rabbi Arthur N. Neubauer of Richmond Hill whom you know well, and, though a colleague of Goldstein, fought against him and championed your cause and helped me greatly in the Region when the fight was on; ② Mr. Harry J. Moskowitz, of Far Rockaway, a former President of the Long Island Region and always with us; and ③ Mr. Robert Glass a staunch supporter of the Policy Committee who was on the Administrative Committee last year, voted against the Administration representing the Region, but this year will have to make room for one of the Region's officers. He, of course, voted against the Administration. I recommend these three men strongly. They are leaders in the Region and can be relied upon to champion your cause.

I do not know whether you are aware of this, but not only have I been purged from the Executive last year, but also

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SOLOMON COHEN
ACCOUNTANT AND AUDITOR
11 WEST 42ND STREET
NEW YORK CITY
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PHONE LONGACRE 5-6880

from the Board of Directors of the
U. P. A. to which you had appointed
me when you became chairman,
For obvious reasons I was also dropped
two years ago from the Administrative
Committee of the Keren Hayesood, so
that there would be a vote less
to support the budget of the Emergency
Committee.

It is natural that I should
like to be reinstated on the above
two Boards. The election for the
Keren Hayesood Administrative Committee
will take place within a week or
so, while the U. P. A. election I
presume will follow shortly thereafter.
Perhaps if I asked Neumann he
would probably place me there.
But I don't care to be under
obligations. So I am placing this
matter in your hands.

Kindest regards to Virginia.
Anna wishes to be remembered.

As ever yours,
Sol.

December 21, 1945

(Memo from Sol Cohen)

Sol Cohen suggests that from Long Island the following people be appointed on the Administrative Committee:

Rabbi Arthur H. Neulander
Harry J. Moskowitz
Robert Glass

Sol Cohen is also to be restored to the Board of Directors of the United Palestine Appeal and to the Administrative Committee of the Keren Hayesod.



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COLLINGWOOD AVENUE TEMPLE

2335 Collingwood Avenue

Toledo, 10, Ohio

January 17, 1946

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi:

I want to urge again that we embark immediately on the large scale propaganda campaign among Jews which I suggested to you in New York. On the trip back I gave some thought to the matter and my ideas are a bit more clarified. Here they are for what they are worth --

1. A series of six leaflets should go out in two week intervals to a mass mailing of American Jews. If possible, it ought to reach several hundred thousand Jewish homes.
2. The leaflets ought to be brief, 300 to 400 words long. They should be written with extreme simplicity, with short, punchy sentences, and avoiding, or at least giving the appearance of avoiding, ideological discussion. They should be attractive and well printed but avoid flashiness. It might be a good idea to have them signed by a sort of Jewish Citizens Committee, consisting of prominent business and professional men, selected from various parts of the country. The list should not be long, no more than 15 or 20. The names of rabbis should be avoided. The signatures should carry some professional or business identification, such as -- Mr. Jacob Abrams, President, -----Department Store, St. Louis, Mo. I do not know whether this third point is vital to the program but I think it deserves consideration. It might command more attention for the material than if it came from some official Zionist body.
3. The series should carry some such titles as the following --
 - I. WHY YOU SHOULD BE INTERESTED IN JEWISH PALESTINE.
 - II. WHAT ZIONISM AIMS -- AND DOES NOT AIM -- TO ACHIEVE.
 - III. WHY DO WE INSIST ON A JEWISH COMMONWEALTH?
 - IV. WHAT ABOUT THE ARABS?
 - V. WHY ZIONISM IS THE SOUNDEST KIND OF CONSERVATISM.
 - VI. JEWISH PALESTINE AND THE UNITED NATIONS.

I think such a propaganda campaign would be eminently worthwhile from a number of points of view. It would give us an important job to do in the next few months. It would be an effort to do something which desperately needs to be done, reach and educate the masses of Jews on a simple level and counteract the efforts which will be made by our enemies both externally and internally, to drive a wedge between Jews and Zionists and put Zionists in a position of being branded as extremists. It would be an invaluable auxiliary effort to

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to the "Committee on Unity Palestine" as well as for the membership effort of the ZOA. Of course, if the Emergency Council does the job, then we cannot very well plug directly for ZOA and Hadassah memberships, but the effect could be indirectly produced.

If I get a little spare time in the next few days I will try to write out a sample of what I have in mind. But, of course, the job really should be done by a very skilled and imaginative writer.

As ever,

Rabbi Leon I. Feuer



January 18, 1946

Miss Emilie Chamberlin Conklin
1266 Cook Avenue
Lakewood, Ohio

My dear Miss Conklin:

I trust that you will pardon the long delay in answering your kind letter. I was confined to my home with the flu for nearly two weeks, and my correspondence has lagged.

I deeply appreciate your thoughtfulness in writing to me, and the sentiments which you expressed. I was particularly delighted with your lovely poem "Palestine Hymn". I have taken the liberty of sending your poem to the Editor of "The New Palestine". I am sure that he would be pleased to read it.

It is gratifying to know that in our struggle to rebuild the national life of the Jewish people in the ancient land of Israel we have had the support of so many men and women of good will who are not Jews.

With all good wishes, I remain,

Most cordially yours,

AHS:GR

TEMPLE BETH-EL ZEDECK

Thirty-fourth and Ruckle Streets

INDIANAPOLIS 5, INDIANA

Office of
RABBI ISRAEL CHODOS

January 28, 1946

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver
Zionist Organization of America
41 East 42nd Street
New York 17, N. Y.

Dear Dr. Silver:

I accept, with an awareness of privilege,
the appointment as a member at large of the
National Administrative Council.

I am entirely at your disposal for any
service I might render for the cause of Zionism.



Sincerely yours,

Rabbi Israel Chodos

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March 1, 1946

Congressman Emanuel Celler
Washington, (House of Representatives)
D. C.

My dear Congressman Celler:

Dr. Akzin has informed me of the two meetings which you arranged on January 22 and February 26 in order to interest some of the leading men in Washington in our cause. I have had reports of both meetings and I feel that a good job in education was done, and thereby a valuable service rendered to our cause.

I want to thank you personally, and in the name of the American Zionist Emergency Council, for the initiative which you took in this matter and for the time and thought which you devoted to it.

I am hoping that the next time I am in Washington I will have the pleasure of calling on you.

With all good wishes, I remain

Most cordially yours,

AHS:GR

Temple Beth El

ASHLAND AVE.

NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y.

RABBI MORTON J. COHN

April 4, 1946

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

Dear Dr. Silver:

Thank you for your kind and considerate letter of March 21st with reference to the Oklahoma City correspondence which I sent to you.

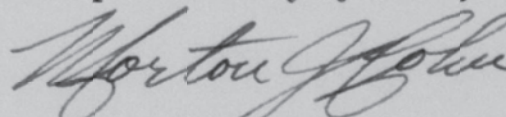
I realize of course, that the autonomy of every congregation in the Union is inviolate and I have no desire to impinge upon it. Consequently, my only reaction to Mr. Weitzenhoffer's letter has been to forward copies of it to Rabbi Eisendrath, Dr. Morgenstern, and yourself. Dr. Morgenstern's reply was a rambling, confused, mumble of words and phrases. Rabbi Eisendrath sent to me a copy of a letter which he wrote to Mr. Weitzenhoffer, in which he gave assurances that the Union has no thought of interfering with local autonomy, but at the same time he reproved them for their policy of censorship and restriction of freedom of the pulpit.

I do not know to what extent Mr. Weitzenhoffer reflects the sentiment of his congregation, although I expect that the American Council for so-called Judaism is quite strong there. While I have no wish to make a cause celebre of the instant, I think it would be wise to bring the matter before prominent Zionists in that community for their information.

If you will do this in your capacity of President of the Z.O.A., I shall be very grateful.

With every good wish and warm personnel greetings, I am,

Respectfully yours,



Rabbi Morton J. Cohn

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April 10, 1946

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Doctor Silver:

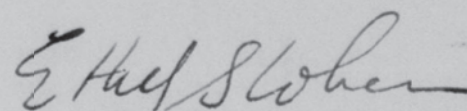
You will be pleased to learn that the Esco Palestine Study is being published by Yale University Press for Esco Foundation for Palestine, the book to be ready for distribution by fall, 1946.

I should very much appreciate your permitting the Board to mention your name in the Foreword in acknowledgement of your kindness in reading the preliminary draft of the Study, which was revised and further developed, constituting the text of the book.

Since the book is now in the process of manufacture, I would appreciate an early reply.

Thanking you for your cooperation, I am,

Very sincerely yours,



Mrs. Frank Cohen

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April 10, 1946

Rabbi Morton J. Cohn
Temple Beth El
Ashland Avenue
Niagara Falls, N. Y.

My dear Rabbi Cohn:

I was in St. Louis last Monday and spoke to some people from Oklahoma about the matter which you brought to my attention. I believe that the Zionists of Oklahoma City will not permit the matter to drop.

With all good wishes, I remain

Most cordially yours,

AHS:GR

April 11, 1946

Mrs. Frank Cohen
Esco Foundation for Palestine, Inc.
521 Fifth Avenue
New York 17, N. Y.

My dear Mrs. Cohen:

I am delighted to learn from your letter that the Yale University Press will publish the Esco Palestine Study, and that it will be ready for distribution before the end of the year.

Of course, you have my permission to use my name in the Foreword. The publication of this important Study will, in my judgment, be a vital contribution to Zionist scholarship and to the advancement of our great cause.

With all good wishes to you and Mr. Cohen for a happy Pesach, I remain

Most cordially yours,

AHS:GR

ZIONIST ORGANIZATION OF AMERICA

COLUMBUS DISTRICT

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Dr. Abba Hillel Silver,
Euclid Ave. Temple,
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Dear Dr. Silver:

Thank you for your letter of April 30th. I am happy to write you that since my last letter we have been able to bring about a decided change in feeling in our board and believe that we are well on our way to a most successful Shekol and election campaign.

We have completely reorganized the committee and its chairman - the sale of Shekolim has been started and we are making plans to bring out a record vote. We are also working very close with Avukah on the Ohio State Campus and believe a large number of votes will be forthcoming from that direction.

Today we had a luncheon meeting at which Mr. Meyer Passow addressed about fifteen of our key board members. His talk, together with the questions and answers which followed, was most interesting, beneficial and timely. We deeply appreciate his visit and feel certain that his message left a deep impression amongst all those present.

I would be greatly indebted to you, Dr. Silver, if you could arrange to have luncheon with our board on the day that you are scheduled to be here for the Temple Israel Centennial Dinner. You failed to mention this in your last letter and I trust that you will be able to arrange your plans with this in mind.

With all good wishes to you, I am,

Cordially yours,

Leonard Manekin

P.S. Thank you for addressing me as Rabbi Leonard Manekin, but I am a layman.

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