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January 2nd, 1929.

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

My dear Rabbi Silver:

Confirming telephone conversation with your Secretary, we want you to know that we were very much pleased, indeed, when you consented to do your part on our Vesper Service plan. As you doubtless know, our Vesper Services are held each Sunday afternoon from 5:30 until 6:30 P.M., and we are giving you the schedule up to and including March 31st.

Jan 6th - - -	Unity Church - - - - -	Rev. Viva M. January
" 13th - - -	Catholic Church - - -	Bishop Schrembs
" 20th - - -	Protestant Church - -	Federated Churches
" 27th - - -	Jewish Temple - - - -	Rabbi Silver
- - - - -	- - - - -	- - - - -
Feb. 3rd - - -	Protestant Church - -	Federated Churches
" 10th - - -	Catholic Church - - -	Bishop Schrembs
" 17th - - -	Protestant Church - -	Federated Churches
" 24th - - -	Jewish Temple - - - -	Rabbi Silver (Or Anyone He Appoints)
- - - - -	- - - - -	- - - - -
Mar. 3rd - - -	Protestant Church - -	Federated Churches
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" 31st - - -	Protestant Church - -	Federated Churches
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The Federated Churches are sending us a complete list of the Ministers they will appoint for the various Sundays scheduled for their Churches. This list with accompanying photographs will be received by January 7th as our Newspaper publicity will be on the 13th. Your photograph has already been received.

You may select your own subject for this service and also furnish the music you desire for the hour. We do not have an organ in the Studio but are equipped with a very good grand piano and you may bring either a quartet, soloist or choir with you. The entire hour is your's.

We are looking forward with great anticipation to our plan for this Vesper Service hour and are very grateful to you for being so willing to co-operate.

Very sincerely,  
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January 5, 1929

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver  
16311 Lake Shore Blvd.  
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My dear Rabbi Silver

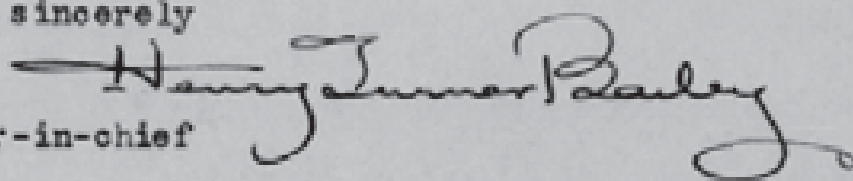
As Editor-in-chief of the forthcoming book "Cleveland Student Life" I have been going over the material which others have gathered for the chapter entitled "Religious Advantages". I am going to make a general statement covering all the Protestant churches, another general statement covering the Roman Catholic churches, and a third covering the Temples and Synagogues.

I am sending you a copy of the best I have been able to achieve with such data as I find here. Will you please look this over and suggest such modifications as you think best? I want it as near right as a general statement can be without going into the peculiar activities of each individual temple.

Any help you can give me will be greatly appreciated.

Yours sincerely

Editor-in-chief

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Henry Turner Bailey". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned to the right of the typed name "Henry Turner Bailey".

THE CLEVELAND CONFERENCE FOR EDUCATIONAL COOPERATION

January 5, 1929

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver  
10311 Lake Shore Blvd.  
Cleveland, Ohio

My dear Rabbi Silver

I happen to be Editor-in-chief of a volume to be called "Cleveland Student Life" to be published by the Cleveland Conference for Educational Co-operation.

In the chapter on "Religious Advantages" for students coming to the city I want to emphasize the importance of each student finding a church home to which he is predisposed by home training and local experience.

I want to emphasize the beautiful places of worship by publishing the best single view I can get of the new Epworth-Euclid Church, the Ansel Road Temple and St. Agnes as being typical and comprehensive. Will you not send me a photograph from which I can have a plate made showing your church at its best and greatly oblige

Yours sincerely

*Henry Turner Bailey*  
A  
Editor-in-chief

Might I add. I am a director of Lutheran Lutheran Lutheran  
by virtue of being Pres. of the P. T. A.:

Dr. Charles Kederer

DENTIST

SUITE 302-303 CARLETON BUILDING  
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Jan. Feb. 1929.

Dr. Alva Kellid Silva:

Dear Dr. Silva:- As you know. there is  
a movement on foot to merge. St. Louis  
Quai St. Louis Lutheran congregations.  
Hence it is asking to much of you. To get  
down some of its benefits you have found  
fortunities in our Lutheran congregations as compared  
to three success ones. outside of its  
duplication of buildings - up keep etc -

Again you will excuse my  
audacity to bother you. with your already  
many duties but feeling that you can give  
me certain information not procurable  
elsewhere. with best wishes to you and  
yours from all of us. remain,  
Sincerely - Charles Kederer

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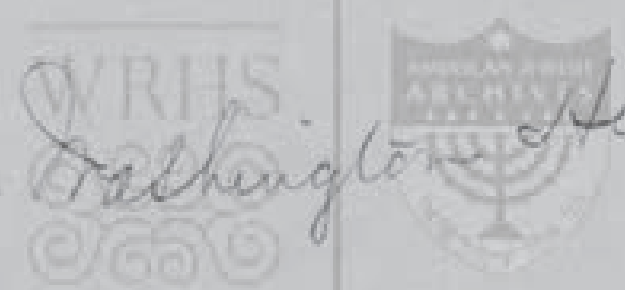
Dr. Abraham Simon,  
3722 Harrison St.,  
Washington, D.C.

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TO LEAVE CLEVELAND KINDEST REGARDS

A. H. SILVER

*card*

*25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Washington Hebrew Cong.*



1904

1929

The pleasure of your presence

is requested at a

Dinner

in honor of

Rev. Dr. Abram Simon

on the occasion of

The Twenty-Fifth Anniversary

of his spiritual leadership

of

The Washington Hebrew Congregation

Saturday Evening, January the Twenty-sixth

nineteen hundred and twenty-nine

six-thirty o'clock

Hotel Mayflower

Washington



Jan. 9th, 1929.

Dean Henry Turner Bailey,  
11105 Euclid Ave.,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Dean Bailey:-

I am enclosing herewith a view of  
the Temple which you might want to use. I like it  
most of all the pictures which I have seen of the  
Temple.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

AHS/IR  
P.S.

After you have made the plate please return the  
photograph to the Temple office as it is the only  
copy we have of its kind.

Jan. 9th, 1929.

Dr. Abram Simon,  
3722 Harrison St.,  
Washington, D. C.

My dear Dr. Simon:-

This morning I sent you a telegram in which I expressed my regrets at my inability to accept your kind invitation to participate in your twenty-fifth anniversary celebration. Nothing would have given me greater pleasure than to be with you but upon consulting my date book I found that I have a long standing engagement with the Youngstown community for that evening.

Please accept my heartiest felicitations on your silver anniversary. May God grant your Congregation many more years of your distinguished leadership and to you good health and undiminished power.

I am afraid that it will not be possible for me to attend the meeting of the Joint Commission on Good Will in New York on January 23d. I have a lecture engagement scheduled on that evening. As I wrote you last time the purpose of this Joint Commission needs a restatement. In view of the other commissions on good will which have been established, I am just wondering whether our Commission has not outlived its usefulness.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

AHS/IR

Jan. 11th, 1929.

Dean Henry Turner Bailey,  
11105 Euclid Ave.,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Dean Bailey:-

The article which you sent me covering the Temples and Synagogues of Cleveland seems to be a write-up of one Temple only and its activities. In order to cover all the Temples and Synagogues the article would have to be thoroughly revised. I would suggest the enclosed draft which summarizes the situation.

With kindest regards, permit  
me to remain

Very sincerely yours,

AHS/IR

The Reform Temples have lecture services on Sunday mornings to which young people are welcome. They also conduct Friday Vesper services and Saturday morning services. Their religious schools meet on Saturday and Sunday mornings. They include high school departments for young people who have completed their elementary training course (10 years.) The high school departments offer a three year course on Sunday mornings in Jewish history, ethics, Biblical and post-Biblical literature, current events, etc.

The confirmants of the Temples are organized into Alumni Associations which conduct social, religious, cultural and recreational activities.

Under the auspices of the Reform Temples lecture courses are presented on Monday evenings (at the Temple) and on Tuesday evenings (at the Euclid Ave. Temple.) These lectures are open to the public. Many noted lecturers on various themes are presented each year.

The Conservative Congregations hold late Friday evening lecture services, as well as Saturday morning services. On Sunday mornings they present forum speakers and historical lectures. The Conservative Synagogues have also their religious schools and high schools as well as their alumni associations.

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January 14th, 1929.

Rabbi A. H. Silver,  
The Temple,  
E. 105th St. & Ansel Road,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Rabbi Silver:

We are enclosing a list of persons to whom the Jewish Daily Bulletin was sent for one year at your request, beginning January 5th, 1928.

The subscriptions expired January 5th, 1929 and we have not taken them off our mailing list since we had no instructions to that effect from you.

Will you please let us know which, if any, you wish to renew?

Your prompt reply will be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

*Henrietta M. Kaplan*  
Henrietta M. Kaplan,  
Circulation Manager.

HMK:AS

P.S. We trust that you will not send us names of adults for this very low rate as you know it is intended only for students who cannot afford to pay the regular subscription price. You can readily see that \$5 does not pay for the printing and postage.



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Jan. 16th, 1929

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A. H. SILVER



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## THE FEDERATION OF JEWISH CHARITIES OF PHILADELPHIA

330 SOUTH NINTH STREET      January 17, 1929.

Dear Silver:-

*our* I have asked Mr. Ben Rosen, in charge of  
~~his~~ Jewish Educational Work, to rite you a letter telling  
you of the activities we are carrying on in the two new  
Talmud Torah buildings, or Community Centers as we call  
them, which the Federation recently erected in South Phila-  
delphia. The picture of the activities will be enormously  
interesting to you.

As ever,

Yours,

*Billikoff*

Rabbi Abba H. Silver

Jan. 17th, 1929.

Henrietta M. Kaplan,  
Circulation Manager,  
Jewish Daily Bulletin,  
New York, N. Y.

My dear Miss Kaplan:-

Permit me to acknowledge receipt of  
your letter of January 14th addressed to Rabbi Silver,  
in connection with the renewal of subscriptions.

Please be advised that none of the  
people on the list which you enclosed with your letter  
are desirous of renewing their subscriptions to the  
Jewish Daily Bulletin.

With kindest regards, permit me  
to remain

Very sincerely yours,

Secretary to Rabbi Silver.

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January 17, 1929.

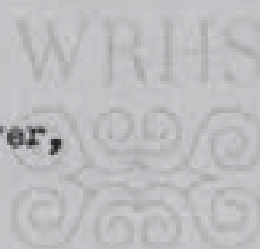
My dear Rabbi Silver:

What a lovely view of the Temple you sent us! It's ideal for the purpose. Thank you, and thank you also for writing the section for the forthcoming book. Cooperation with you is something more than a mere word. I hope we shall have a Year Book that will be a great credit to the City.

Ever cordially yours,

DIRECTOR.

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





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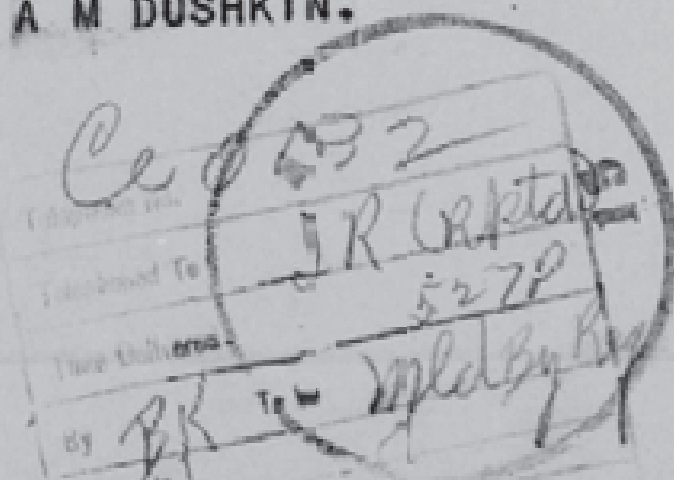
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ARRIVE SUNDAY MORNING EIGHT TWENTY SEVEN SHOULD LIKE VISIT

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A M DUSHKIN.



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Jan. 18th, 1929.

Miss Esther E. Hill,  
c/o W. J. A. Y.,  
Schofield Bldg.,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Miss Hill:-

The following is the musical  
program which will be presented by the Temple  
Choir during the Vesper service next Sunday,  
January 27th:

Anthem -

Bless Thou the Lord - Ippolitof - Ivanof

Responses -

Borechu

Sch'ma

Nichomoco

May the Words -

Idelsohn

\* \* \* \* \*

The subject of my address will be:

"What Is Happening To The American Home?"

With kindest regards, permit me  
to remain

Very sincerely yours,

AHS/IR

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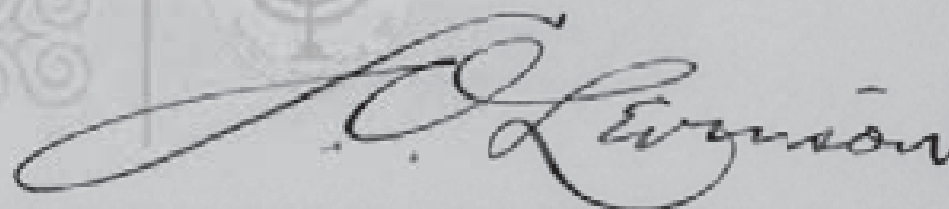
Dear Rabbi Silver:

While in Washington your telegram was relayed to me. I appreciated it deeply. It expressed so much in such few words.

I am off for New York, having been here for only two or three days.

I wish I might have a long talk with you, not only about the Peace Pact, but reparations and debts, the great subject that looms now.

Hastily and sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "A. B. Levinson". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large, sweeping initial "A".

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

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Dr. Charles Rederer  
DENTIST  
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Jan. 24-1929.

Dear Doctor Selvie:

Wish to thank you for your  
reply to my letter and waited to answer  
till after our meeting, the outcome of  
which was that we favor a merger of  
the three reformed congregations but  
not as agreed by the eccl. dist. committee  
that is of building a new Temple etc.  
Again thanking you with kind  
regards from Louis till to Louis love  
remains.

Yours very truly,

Charles Rederer

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CINCINNATI, OHIO

January 25, 1929.

Rabbi Abba Silver,  
The Temple,  
Ansel Rd. & East 105th St.,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Rabbi Silver:-

A meeting of the B'nai B'rith Hillel Foundation  
Commission will be held at the Standard Club, Chicago, Ill.,  
on Tuesday morning, February 5th at ten o'clock. This  
meeting is of utmost importance and your attendance is  
urgently requested.

Kindly indicate on the enclosed card whether we  
can expect you.

Sincerely and fraternally yours,

Secretary.

*Boris D. Bogen*

3DB/R

*declined*

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## THE FEDERATION OF JEWISH CHARITIES OF PHILADELPHIA

330 SOUTH NINTH STREET    January 29, 1929.

Dear Silver:-

Mr. Ben Rosen has shown me copy of a letter he has written you regarding the activities in our two Centers, and of which I wish there were seven or eight scattered throughout the city. I hope the statement is satisfactory.

As ever,

Yours,

*Billikoff*

Rabbi A. H. Silver



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January 30, 1929

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

Dear Rabbi Silver:

I am wondering if you have finished reading the chapters on the Medieval History of the Jews which I sent to you sometime ago. The entire manuscript will go to press at the end of next month and I am very anxious to incorporate whatever criticism there is before the volume is set up.

It would have been most desirable if I could have spent a little time with you when I last visited Cleveland. But as I wrote you then, I was lecturing in Chicago on the Sunday preceding my talk in Cleveland. If it is not possible to send any detailed notes, perhaps a general statement will be enough to correct outstanding imperfections.

I assure you that I appreciate very much your courtesy in taking time and energy to help me in this way.

With many thanks and best wishes,

Cordially yours,

*Al Sachar*

ALS:GM



*Telephoned*

# GAN IVRI BAZAAR AND EXPOSITION

TAYLOR AUDITORIUM

February 11 to 16th, 1929

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Dear Friend of Mr. Hopkins:

You are cordially invited to be at the speakers' table at the testimonial dinner to City Manager Hopkins which is being given by the Gan Ivri League and cooperating agencies.

This dinner is being given as a testimonial to the manager because he has made the Gan Ivri project possible.

As you undoubtedly know, the Manager has been ill for sometime and in the event that he may not be well enough to be present at this dinner we will make it a testimonial by radio, so that he can listen in. President Vinson will be the principle speaker and two minute messages will be given by presidents of the federated groups interested in the undertaking.

Enrico Glicenstein of Rome, reputed to be the greatest living sculptor and Jacob Zuker of Paris, renowned artist, both of whose works will be on exhibition at the Gan Ivri Bazaar which is being launched by this dinner will be the guests of honor.

A musical program has been prepared in cooperation with Mrs Adella Prentiss Hughes which includes some of the leading members of the Symphony Orchestra.

Reservations must be in no later than Wednesday morning. Please telephone them in to: Kenmore 1076, Kenmore 1078, Fairmount 9612, and Cherry 7920 - or send them to Taylor's Men's Store, Fifth Floor or the office of Mrs. Adella Prentiss Hughes.

Sincerely yours,

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February 6, 1929

Miss Irene Rothenberg  
The Temple  
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Miss Rothenberg:

I shall reach Cleveland at  
twelve-twenty on Monday. There is no need of having  
anyone meet me as I shall go directly to the Statler  
on my arrival.

With kind regards,

Sincerely yours,

*M. B. Hexter*

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## The B'nai B'rith Hillel Foundation

At the University of Michigan

615 E. University Ave.,

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Director

Feb. 7, 1933

Dr. Abba Silver  
The Temple  
Cleveland, Ohio

My dear Dr. Silver:

We are adopting a policy this year of printing on the editorial page of the Hillel Foundation newspaper communications by leaders in American Jewry on problems of interest to Jewish students. Such a policy we feel would serve to stir up interest among the students on important problems and would be worthwhile in every respect.

Therefore, I am taking the liberty of writing to ask if you would find it possible to favor us with such a communication. A discussion of any problem of general interest to a Jewish student body would be appropriate; the specific subject to be determined by you.

Could you let us have such a communication, about 250 words in length, in perhaps two or three weeks? To carry out this policy with any degree of success it will be necessary for us to get returns from several Jewish leaders of national repute. We would highly appreciate your aiding us to achieve this end by favoring us with this essay.

Thanking you for an early reply, I am

Sincerely yours,

Joseph Zverovling  
Editor, Hillel News

JZ:MP

on

Feb. 8th, 1929.

Joseph Swerdling, Editor,  
Hillel News,  
615 E. University Ave.,  
Ann Arbor, Mich.

My dear Mr. Swerdling:-

In the absence of Rabbi Silver  
permit me to acknowledge receipt of your letter of  
February 7th in connection with an article for your  
editorial page.

Rabbi Silver is attending the  
Convention of the Union of American Hebrew Congrega-  
tions on the Pacific Coast and will be gone the  
entire month of February. I will refer your letter  
to him immediately upon his return, at which time  
you will undoubtedly hear from him.

With kindest regards, permit me  
to remain

Very sincerely yours,

Secretary to Rabbi Silver

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February 8, 1929

Miss Irene Rothenberg  
The Temple  
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Miss Rothenberg:

Thank you for your letter of the 6th.  
As I wrote you it is unnecessary to meet me. I shall come  
to the Temple with Mr. Goldhammer who wrote to me at the  
beginning of the week.

Sincerely yours,

*M. B. Hexter*

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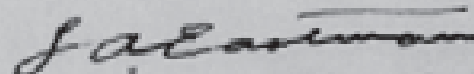
My dear Rabbi Silver:

Next Monday, February 18th, will mark the sixtieth anniversary of the opening of the Cleveland Public Library. It has been thought that those who throughout many years have profited by the service of the library, may care to show their appreciation by contributing to an endowment fund for books for the blind which is greatly needed.

To put a book into braille type costs about five hundred dollars, a sum which affords opportunity for either a single gift, or, if put at interest, will yield enough to buy annually one or two books already in braille type, since these books are much more expensive than books in ordinary type. Amounts of any size will however be extremely welcome. The service to the blind extends throughout the state of Ohio and reaches many outside points. The enclosed folder explains more fully.

Hoping that you will care to draw the attention of your congregation to this notice, either by printing it in your bulletin for next Sunday or by word of mouth, and will also extend to them an invitation to visit the special exhibits displayed in connection with the anniversary at the Main Library, I remain

Yours very sincerely,



Librarian

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Possibly, if there is space, you will like to use or to quote the enclosed poem of Robert Louis Stevenson.

## THE CONSECRATION OF BRAILLE

I was a barren tree before,  
I blew a quenched coal,  
I could not, on their midnight shore,  
The lonely blind console.

A moment, lend your hand, I bring  
My sheaf for you to bind,  
And you can teach my words to sing  
In the darkness of the blind.

--Robert Louis Stevenson

# Thanks for Our Eyes

HAVE YOU ever groped about in a perfectly dark room, and, while trying to find your light, come to a sudden realization of what it would mean to be blind?

If you have not, try it—and then think what the ability to read with the fingers must mean to the sightless.

"Life did not seem worth while and I craved only death, till three years ago I learned to read both Moon and Braille types and to write by touch; since then I have lived in my books," said a deaf-blind woman whom the Cleveland Public Library is attempting to keep supplied with reading matter.

IT HAS taken more than thirty years for the Library to accumulate the few thousand books which it now has for blind readers. It can not yet serve even the Cleveland blind satisfactorily, and it is being asked to send its books in raised types far and wide through the State, and even beyond its borders. The smaller libraries can not possibly build up collections of books for their few sightless readers, so the largest libraries must assume the burden of a regional service, and find the means for supporting it.

The Government is assisting by sending library books for the blind through the mails without charge, but three or four thousand dollars are needed annually for books and service to carry on this work, which should not be charged to local tax funds.

The books in embossed types are very expensive, often costing ten times as much as the ink types, and the Library greatly needs a larger and much more varied collection. The subject matter represented at present is quite limited, and entirely inadequate for the needs of blind students. Both Braille and Moon types are needed because the latter is better adapted to the use of persons losing their sight late in life, after their fingers have become less sensitive, while the point system has many advantages for other readers.

THE LIBRARY has a very small beginning of an endowment fund for this work. The one annual contributor of a few dollars has just written:

"Once again comes my little mite to help fellow sufferers, with whom I can fully sympathize, for I can see very little, and read only with the fingers. I know all the characters of the Braille, and can read it by looking at it, but that I must not do, so, if I live much longer, I shall have only the Moon type to rely on, because my arthritis has made my finger tips so insensitive that I cannot feel the dots. I have read most of the worth while books of Moon type and very few are being imported, mainly novels are left, and I do not care for them. I did find Luther lately and have enjoyed it much."

Can you help with this fund?

By sending a check or cash contribution?

By interesting others to do so?

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February 20, 1929

Dear Sir:

This is to remind you that the next meeting of the Board of Trustees will be held on Thursday, February 28, at 4:30 P. M., at the offices of the Society, 219 North Broad Street, Philadelphia.

Sincerely yours,

*Julius Grodinsky*  
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February 20th, 1928.

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

Dear Dr. Silver:

I have been somewhat concerned about not receiving any word from you in reply to my letter written several weeks ago. I hope that it was brought to your attention. I know that you have had many responsibilities recently that have taken you from the city.

Rabbi J. Max Weis of our Committee, informs me that your office had asked that no effort be made to collect the balance due on pledges from Cleveland, because of an appeal that was taking place in your community last Fall. Cannot some effort be made to obtain the collection of this sum, which is slightly in excess of \$500, especially since we are in urgent need of funds to prevent any interruption to the building schedule. The work of the college would be seriously hampered if the construction schedule now in effect could not be carried out.

I am also hoping that arrangements could be made for me to call on or meet with a number of men from whom additional contributions could be obtained. Perhaps many who had given on the previous occasion would be inclined to renew their contribution toward the equipment of the institution. The funds that we have collected are only for the construction of the building. Our additional needs are for the equipment and also for the annual budget and scholarships for the students.

In consideration of the very brief time that I have at my disposal before it is necessary for me to return to Palestine, you will oblige me greatly if you will reply to this letter at the earliest possible opportunity.

With kindest regards,

Sincerely,

David Yellin  
David Yellin.

Handwritten notes in Hebrew script, likely a translation or commentary on the letter's content, mentioning financial matters and the college's needs.

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February 20, 1939.

Dr. O. B. Silver,  
The Temple,  
E. 105th St. at Ansil Rd.,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Dr. Silver:

On behalf of the Committee, I  
invite you to membership in the SEMINAR IN  
MEXICO, which meets in Mexico City, July 13 -  
August 3, 1939.

We feel that the Seminar affords  
an effective method for the study of Mexican  
life and culture. The membership will con-  
sist of a carefully selected group of men and  
women who will be able to carry the results  
of the Seminar to large numbers upon their  
return.

Inasmuch as we are holding further  
invitations until we have heard from those to  
whom we are writing this week, I shall ap-  
preciate an early reply.

Cordially yours,

*Henry Goddard Leach*

H. G. Leach: DP

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OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY  
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February 22, 1929

Dear Brother:-

Our next regular business meeting will be held Wednesday, February 27, at the Hotel Sovereign, the hour 7:30 P. M. and we are hoping for a large attendance.

Because of the fact that many of our members are planning to attend the debate on Science vs. Religion between Rabbi Brickner and Dr. Harry Elmer Barnes of Smith College to be held Wednesday evening, March 13, it has been thought best to postpone the open meeting scheduled for that date to some future evening to be duly announced later.

Word has just come from the Cleveland Advertising Club that those of our membership who are anxious to hear this debate may order their seats in advance of the public seat sale, and thus be assured of choice locations. They have furnished us with a number of announcements, one of which is enclosed. Seats are on sale at the Cleveland Advertising Club office, Allerton Hotel. According to the Club the seat sale is progressing rapidly and prompt ordering is suggested. This is along the line of our cultural program, and it is suggested that you take advantage of this opportunity to buy seats early.

You will also find enclosed a folder telling of the remarkable work being done at Denver, and which is worthy of our consideration.

Fraternally yours,

Secretary.

Feb. 25th, 1929  
From San Diego, Calif.

To Rabbi Silver

Sorry but can not visit Cleveland April 12th Shall not get home until the sixth and will have enough to keep me busy for at least two months.

M. E. Tracy.

Phoned in by Mr. Selzer of the Press.



*card*

Feb. 25th, 1929.

Mr. H. G. Leach,  
307 E. 17th St.,  
New York, N. Y.

My dear Mr. Leach:-

Permit me to thank you for your  
kind letter of February 20th and for the  
invitation which you extend to me to join  
your Seminar in Mexico.

I regret to say that I shall not  
be able to avail myself of your kind invitation  
as I have already made other plans for the  
months of July and August.

With kindest regards, permit me  
to remain

Very sincerely yours,

AHS/IR



Feb. 26th, 1929.

Dr. David Yellin,  
2107 Broadway,  
New York, N. Y.

My dear Dr. Yellin:-

Permit me to acknowledge receipt of your kind letter of February 20th. I have been on the Pacific Coast for nearly a month and I have therefore delayed attending to much of my correspondence.

I have requested my secretary to send out letters at once asking those who have not fully paid up their pledge to the Teachers College to do so at once. As soon as I receive the money I shall forward it to Rabbi J. Max Weis.

I do not think however that it would be wise to make at this time a further effort for the Teachers College. The Cleveland Bureau of Jewish Education is now organizing its 1929 campaign and all of our energies are being monopolized by this effort to raise enough money to maintain the Talmud Torahs of our city. The campaign will not be over before the middle of April. Should you still be in the country at that time please communicate with me and I will try to arrange a meeting for you.

With kindest regards and best wishes,  
permit me to remain

Very sincerely yours,

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H.A. Silver,  
Temple Ansel Rd.,  
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Dear Friend:

At our last conference held Feb. 24th 1929, you were selected as one of the members in the reception committee consisting of one hundred and fifty, to receive Mayor David Bloch at the Union Station 12:35 o'clock, Wednesday noon, March 6th 1929.

Mayor David Bloch of Tel Aviv, who is one of the most prominent leaders of the Jewish organized labor movement in Palestine, is here in United States to boost the drive for \$300,000, to aid in the upkeep of the various co-operative and cultural institutions of Palestine.

After our honorable guest will be received at the Union Station, he will then be escorted to the City Hall where he will be welcomed by the Mayor of Cleveland.

Those that have machines will convene at the May Company's garage situated on Ontario and Lakeside Ave., which was made possible through the generosity and kindness of the May Company. The garage will be opened at 10 A.M.

Trusting that you will be there on time, we  
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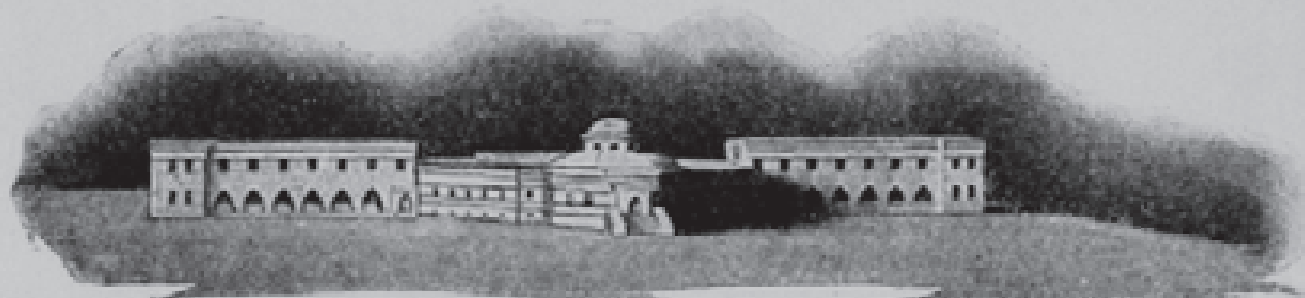
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March 1st, 1929.

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

Dear Dr. Silver:

I thank you very much for your kind reply to our letter of February 20th. It pleases me greatly to learn that you are asking for the immediate payment of pledges still unpaid. I thank you for arranging to send the sums collected to Rabbi Weis.

Within the next two weeks I shall determine how long I shall remain in the country. There is a likelihood that it will be necessary for me to remain after April 1st, when I had hoped to go back to Jerusalem.

I appreciate your suggestion that I communicate with you about the middle of April in the event that I am still here, with reference to arranging a meeting for me.

With kindest regards,

Sincerely,

*David Yellin*  
David Yellin.

# THE CLEVELAND ADVERTISING CLUB

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March 2nd, 1929

Rabbi Abba H. Silver  
10311 Lake Shore Blvd.,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Rabbi Silver:

I am very glad to enclose, with our compliments, a pair of tickets for the coming debate between Dr. Harry Elmer Barnes of Smith College and Rabbi B. R. Brickner, Wednesday evening, March 13.

The tentative subject for the argument, as originally announced was Science Versus Religion. Both men have been working on their respective papers, and now it seems that the subject can be coined in the question, "Is God a Myth?".

Dr. Barnes takes the side of science against religion, basing his remarks upon the statements made in January before the American Association for the Advancement of Science. Rabbi Brickner will discuss the case for religion in a world of science.

We are advised that the March issue of CURRENT HISTORY contains a leading article by Dr. Barnes, also the April FORUM.

The debate promises to be a real opportunity of finding out just what Dr. Barnes contentions are on sin, which he stated "belonged in the limbo of superstitions" -- his attitude toward the Decalog -- and his opinions on a new concept of God as opposed to the Old Testament, Biblical conception. Advice from Rabbi Brickner promises a worthy handling of his side of the subject.

Yours very truly,

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March 4, 1929

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

Dear Dr. Silver:

I have just received the manuscript of my medieval chapters which you were good enough to read. I cannot thank you sufficiently for giving the time and the energy which several hundred pages required. I have noted your corrections and criticisms and I shall embody most of them in the work. Even where I am following another interpretation, as in the case of Jewish Messianic run notes to point that there are other important points of view. Before I received the manuscript, I had already revised my presentation of Jewish Messianism and my analysis of Messianic movements, in order to correct the bias which I originally had.

Next week the entire manuscript goes to George Foot Moore, who will be Knopf's reader. If my manuscript should have any merit, it will be due considerably to the constructive criticism and the kindness of friends like yourself.

With best wishes,

Sincerely yours,

*Al Sachar*

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March 4th, 1929.

Miss Linda A. Eastman,  
Cleveland Public Library,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Miss Eastman:-

Permit me to thank you for your kind letter  
of February 12th.

The children of our Religious School, out  
of their Sunshine Fund would like to contribute the amount  
of \$50. to the Endowment Fund for books for the Blind,  
which is being raised to mark the Sixtieth Anniversary of  
the opening of the Cleveland Public Library.

I will bring this fund to the attention of  
others in the Temple who may perhaps be interested in  
making a contribution to it.

With kindest regards, permit me to remain

Very sincerely yours,

AHS/IR



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March 5, 1929

Rabbi Silver  
The Temple, Ansel Rd. & E. 106  
Cleveland, Ohio

My dear Brother Silver:

On the behalf of the President,  
Brother H. W. Marucson, I am pleased to  
inform you that you have been appointed  
to act as member of the Spiritual Com-  
mittee.

At some time in the near future  
you will be informed of any duty which  
may fall to you to perform as such a  
member.

I am sure that the duties will  
not be burdensome, and I hope that you  
will act in this capacity during 1929.

Thanking you for your coopera-  
tion, I am

Fraternally yours,

*Edward J. Schweid*  
Secretary

EJS/ss

March 5th, 1929.

Mr. H. C. Treharne,  
Cleveland Advertising Club,  
Allerton Hotel,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Treharne:-

Permit me to thank you for your  
kindness in sending me complimentary tickets  
to the Barnes-Brickner Debate. I appreciate  
your thoughtfulness very much.

With kindest regards, permit me  
to remain

Very sincerely yours,

AHS/ER

MRS. STERLING P. DAY  
1231 WELLESLEY STREET  
EAST CLEVELAND, OHIO

March 11/9.

Mr. Atta Hill Silver -

Dear Sir -

Your invitation to us to  
be your guests at the Annual dinner  
to be held March 23 at the Hotel Hollenden  
was received yesterday.

I shall be most happy to be your  
guest that evening and also to meet  
Mr. Behr whom I have not met as  
yet but my daughter Florence must  
take the place of Mr. Day as Mr. Day  
passed on three years ago to be  
with his Savior and the dear one  
gone before.

If such is your pleasure we would both  
be very happy to meet you and take  
part in your evening of fellowship  
together. Thank you very much for  
your thought of us,

Very truly yours,  
(Mrs. S. P.) Minnie R. May



*Tomorrow & Sunday*

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March 7, 1929.

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

My dear Rabbi Silver:

For the Trustees of the Cleveland Public Library and for myself, as well as for the thousands of blind readers in the years to come who are going to be made happier through this gift, I send our most grateful thanks to you and to the children of your Religious School. It is literally a case of putting sunshine into darkened lives.

We shall indeed appreciate also your bringing the Fund to the attention of others in the Temple who may perhaps be interested in making a contribution.

Very sincerely yours,

*Linda A. Eastman*

Librarian.

LAE:D

March 7, 1929

2508 EDGEHILL ROAD  
CLEVELAND HEIGHTS, OHIO

Dear Rabbi Silver -

Thank you for  
your cordial words regarding my  
lecture, as well as for your cordiality  
& that of your fellow-workers on  
the occasion itself. I enjoyed the  
evening myself, heartily!

Thank you also for your book, which  
opens up to me a field in which  
I was heretofore quite ignorant.

You kindly wrote that you were  
enclosing two tickets to the concert,  
but only one was in the envelope.  
I should much appreciate a second,  
so that Mrs. Bloch could accompany me.



Very sincerely yours,

J. S. Moore



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

Dear Rabbi:

For many years I have been very much interested in reading several of your articles from time to time in various Jewish periodicals. One of those which interested me most was one you wrote for the "Jewish Criterion" of Pittsburgh in their New Year's issue of last year entitled, "What is happening to the American Home".

We have recently started a publication in Albany serving the Jewish people of this city and other cities of the Capital District called the "Jewish Record". Knowing of your ability to write and your renown among the Jewish people of this country, we would appreciate it very much if you would be kind enough to favor us with such an article for our Passover Number.

Trusting that you will give this matter your kind attention, we are

Yours very truly,

*Isadore Warshaw*  
THE JEWISH RECORD.

W:L.

P.S. If there will be any compensation in connection with this we shall certainly be glad to reciprocate.

March 11th, 1929.

Mrs. Sterling P. Day,  
1834 Wellealey St.,  
East Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mrs. Day:-

I was very happy to learn that it will be possible for you to attend our Fathers-sons, Mothers-daughters banquet.

There is a slight error in your letter. The date is Saturday, March 30th at 6:00 p. m. and the place is Hotel Cleveland.

Enclosed please find two complimentary tickets for you and your daughter.

Looking forward with pleasure to meeting you, permit me to remain

Very sincerely yours,

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Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver,  
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My dear Rabbi Silver:

I am writing to learn whether your Congregation has a Foundation or Endowment Fund for Temple or Temple House activities. We have in mind encouraging members of our Congregation during their lifetime or in their wills, to make provision for substantial gifts, to be used outright for educational, cultural and religious activities of the Temple House, or of which only the interest will be used.

Do you know of any congregations in the country which have an Endowment or Foundation Fund of this kind? In the event that your Congregation has one of its own, we would appreciate having information concerning its rules and method of procedure.

Have you any other voluntary funds in your congregation? If so, would you give me their names and the purposes for which they are gathered?

With cordial regards, and looking forward to a word from you at your convenience, I am,

Sincerely yours,

*Louis I. Newman*

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March 13, 1923

Rabbi A.H. Silver  
East 105th and Ansel Road  
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Dear Rabbi Silver:

The next regular meeting of the Board of Directors of the Council Educational Alliance will be held on Wednesday, March 20th at 1:15 P.M. in the offices of the Jewish Welfare Federation, 609 Hanna Building.

The Mt. Pleasant Committee is ready to recommend a modification of the membership scheme for next season. Your advice is needed. Please arrange, if possible, to attend.

Sincerely yours,

*Marc G. Grossman*  
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March 13<sup>th</sup> 1939.

625 EAST GREEN STREET  
CHAMPAIGN, ILL.

Dear Dr. Silver,

Thank you very much  
for your wire. I shall be at your  
office 5:22 Friday at 11 AM.

Yours very sincerely  
M. Jung.

Dr. A. H. Silver  
The Temple  
Cleveland, O.



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March 13, 1929

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver  
10311 Lake Shore Boulevard  
Cleveland, Ohio

My dear Rabbi Silver:-

Plymouth Church has undertaken to bring to the people of the community a brilliant program presenting the political, educational and religious conditions in China today. In connection with this we have set up a most interesting exhibit of Chinese art, hand-craft and material illustrative of the revolutionary period. This Institute and Exhibit will be held Thursday, March 21 and Friday, March 22.

While the cost of this enterprise is considerable, we are charging simply enough to cover the expense and we want the people of all the churches to share in this program which will be both educational and inspirational.

We are sure that a great many will want to hear that distinguished orator and scholar - Professor William Hung, Yenching University Exchange Professor at Harvard. Dr. Hung will speak Thursday evening upon "China and the Problems of the Pacific." We are asking an admission fee of only 75¢ for this lecture but the tickets at \$1.25 each including the Chinese dinner and other interesting features is an attractive combination which doubtless will appeal to many. Enclosed is the program with prices.

Would you be kind enough to bring this Institute and Exhibit to the attention of your people and, if possible, announce it in your church calendar? We feel certain that it will greatly stimulate missionary activities of the right kind.

Very faithfully yours,

*J. Myers*

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March 13, 1929

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver  
The Temple  
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi Silver:

The Publication Society's Annual Meeting will be held at the Synagogue House of Congregation Rodeph Shalom, Broad and Mount Vernon Streets, Philadelphia, entrance on Mount Vernon Street, on Sunday, March 31, at 6:30 P. M., when dinner will be served.

As a mark of your interest I trust you will attend.

Cordially yours,

*Simon Miller*  
President

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March 14, 1929

Dear Dr. Silver:

My wife plucked out of a more or less obscure magazine your "America's Making". I have had it copied and am making a modest distribution of it.

I think it is perfectly beautiful - so full of real patriotism, so descriptive of the country, so satisfying in its poetic expression of emotion and thanksgiving, and singing such a divine song of composite humanity.

Why don't you get out a booklet of your dashings-off? I saw another beautiful one recently in Unity.

When did you say you would be next in Chicago and if possible won't you visit us?

Affectionate greetings to you and Mrs. Silver.

Sincerely yours,

  
Salmon O. Levinson

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

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# THE FORUM

441 LEXINGTON AVENUE  
NEW YORK

March 15, 1929

Dear Rabbi Silver:

Will you please favor the Editor of The FORUM with a brief letter, telling him whether you believe the government is justified in suppressing radical propagandists?

In the May issue, The FORUM is publishing a debate on the question, "Should Radicalism be Suppressed?" Mr. Arthur Garfield Hayes, the well-known lawyer who aided Clarence Darrow in the Scopes case, contends that the government is exceeding its powers when it runs down and prosecutes any man, merely for his opinions - no matter how violent or radical his opinions may be. Mr. Hayes insists that freedom of speech must always be considered one of the primary rights of an American citizen, and that it is not only a right, but even a duty, to criticize one's government or the country's institutions if they seem misguided or unjust. He cites many cases of recent history to support his contention that since the war, the government has been too zealous in stamping out opinions not approved by the authorities.

Answering this indictment, Mr. Archibald Ewing Stevenson, another well-known lawyer, says that the government is amply justified in the action it has taken in all the cases cited by Mr. Hayes. He maintains that when a radical makes a speech inciting his hearers to violence, this speech is itself an act of violence, and that the law is justified in prosecuting it as such. He says that one citizen's rights end where the exercise of those rights infringe upon the rights of others, and that the government's primary function is to keep order.

Perhaps this may seem to you a rather academic and legalistic discussion, but the vital points at issue will be brought home to you if you read the last annual report of The American Civil Liberties Union, which shows that free speech prosecutions and raids upon public meetings by the police were more frequent in 1928 than any time since the Palmer "Red Raids." The FORUM is attempting to compile a symposium of enlightened opinion on the question raised in this debate. Will you not therefore, address a letter of not more than one hundred words to the Editor setting forth your opinions and giving him permission to quote from it?

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

Sincerely yours,

*Henry Laddard Leach*

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March 16, 1929

Rabbi Abba H. Silver,

Dear Sir :-

The lecture by Mr Joseph Remenyi on Friday evening next (March 22) will be of very special interest, I know, to many of your people. Mr Remenyi, as you know is a very thorough scholar and a brilliant speaker and his talk is on a subject of great interest to the better-educated folks who have come to America from the countries of whose literature he is to speak.

May I ask you to bring this lecture to your people in the ways it may seem best to you? I call this lecture to your attention particularly, because I believe that this subject by so fine an authority will be of great interest

throughout the East End.

With appreciation for your co-operation,

I am

Very sincerely yours,

Lura S. Haupt

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March 17, 1929

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2112 HARRIS PARK AVE.

Dear Dr Silver,

I have been on the point of writing on several occasions to tell you how much we enjoyed your visit to Austin and your beautiful address, and now your book on "Messianic Speculation in Israel" has come. I am very grateful to you for your thoughtfulness and am enjoying your fascinating account of one of the most interesting chapters of our history.

May I add that just a week ago, Rabbi Meyer realizing that under our present circumstances, the congregation could not maintain him any longer, tendered his resignation effective September first, 1929, and we have no plans at present for a rabbi for next year, with the prospect of two hundred and fifty Jewish students in the University of Texas next year. We shall need to lean very heavily on the support of the Hillel Board if any plans are to materialize for the spiritual needs of our Jewish student body for next year. I shall be very deeply obligated to you if you will urge the Hillel Board to undertake without delay to formulate a plan whereby a Hillel Foundation may be established at the University of Texas.

Again expressing my appreciation for the gift of your book, I beg to remain, with very best wishes and regards,

Very sincerely yours,

*H. Edelinger*

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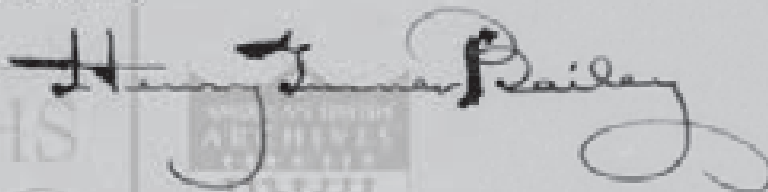
March 20, 1929.

Dear Dr. Silver:

On Monday evening, April 8, 1929, the Cleveland Conference for Educational Cooperation is giving a public reception to Rev. Frank Jennings of the University Church, Minneapolis, recently called to the pastorate of the Church of the Master, Cleveland. This meeting will be held in the Amasa Stone Memorial Chapel, W.R.U. at 8:00 o'clock in the evening.

Will you, as representing one of the fifteen religious organizations in the vicinity of University Circle interested in meeting the religious needs of students, participate in the reception by welcoming Mr. Jennings to this field? We would expect a two-minute friendly greeting from you. I ardently hope you will favor us by signing and returning the enclosed card.

Cordially yours,

  
WRHS

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

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March 20th, 1929.

Mr. Salmon C. Levinson,  
134 South LaSalle St.,  
Chicago, Ill.

My dear Mr. Levinson:-

It was good to receive your note of March 14th and pleasant to read the fine things you say about the few bits of mine which you happen to come across in some magazines.

I have been reading more pleasant things both in local and European papers. I have noticed with greater and greater frequency mention of the fact that you ought to be presented with the Nobel Prize this year. I know of no one more deserving.

I hope to be in Chicago on April 10th and I shall get in touch with you.

With best wishes to Mrs. Levinson and you in which Mrs. Silver joins me, I am

Very sincerely yours,

AMS/IR



March 20th, 1929.

Mr. Simon Miller,  
Jewish Publication Society,  
Flint Bldg.,  
219 North Broad St.,  
Philadelphia, Pa.

My dear Mr. Miller:-

I regret very much that it will not be possible for me to attend the Annual Meeting of the Jewish Publication Society on Sunday, March 31st. I am compelled to be in Cleveland on that day in order to conduct the services in my Temple.

Wishing you every success, permit me to remain

Very sincerely yours,

AHS/IR

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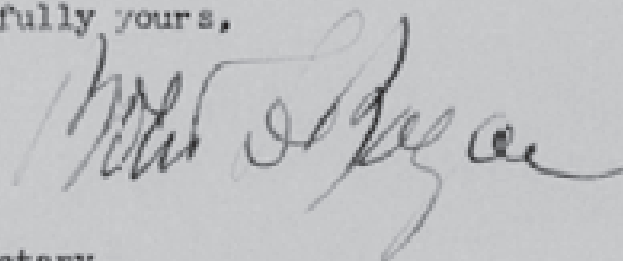
Rabbi Abba Silver,  
The Temple,  
Ansle Rd. & East 105th St.,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Rabbi Silver:-

This is an advance notice that the meeting of the B'nai B'rith Hillel Foundation Commission will take place in Chicago, Monday, April 15th, 10 A.M. at the Covenant Club. Your presence is urgently requested because important matters will be presented for consideration.

The members of the Commission are also invited to attend a dinner on April 14th, 8 P.M. at the Covenant Club which will be followed by a debate of two of the Hillel Foundations' winning teams. This presents a splendid opportunity for the members of the Commission to get in personal touch with the representatives of the student body and we hope that you will make arrangements to be present at this affair.

Respectfully yours,



Secretary.

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Yours truly,  
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March 27, 1929.

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

Dear Abba:

You will be interested to know that our meeting with the Orthodox Rabbis and Presidents was successful beyond expectation and about \$800.00 was pledged from these various sources. I know that after this auspicious start in the small Columbus community and among the poor Orthodox Jews of Cleveland, you will not want to stand back altogether. You should be able to raise \$150.00 to \$200.00 without any great effort and assist in getting these boys out of their difficulty, and putting the Kosher Boarding Club on a sound basis.

The money is to be sent to Mr. Robert Mellman, Attorney, 150 E. Broad St., Columbus, Ohio, who is chairman of the Committee of Sponsors, and will see that the money is properly disbursed. Thank you for your personal courtesy and your cooperation.

Incidentally, our Hillel Players are bringing an excellent production of the Dybbuk to Cleveland on April 6th, to be staged at the Euclid Ave. Temple Center. I hope you will be able to see it as it is by all odds the finest thing in both a dramatic and educational sense which our Foundation has accomplished since its inception, and one of the outstanding achievements of the Hillel Foundation movement, generally.

You can understand what a huge educational job it meant to imbue 40 actors and a large student body with the Chassidic spirit so that the play was a success both artistically and in support.

I know that you will be willing to have tickets on sale at your Temple office and to give some kind of a notice in your congregational Bulletin. I assure you that you will be surprised and gratified by the excellence of the production.

Cordial regards,

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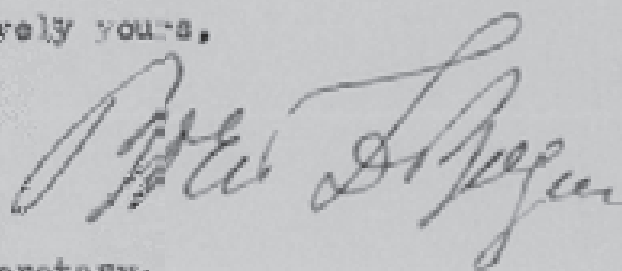
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Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Rabbi Silver:-

Will you kindly indicate on the enclosed postal card whether we can expect you to attend the meeting of the B'nai B'rith Hillel Foundation Commission, which is to take place in Chicago on Monday, April 15th at ten o'clock A. M. at the Covenant Club?

Your presence is highly desirable and we trust you will make every effort to be there.

Sincerely yours,



Secretary,

BDB/R

April 1st, 1929.

Dr. A. L. Sachar,  
625 E. Green St.,  
Champaign, Ill.

My dear Dr. Sachar:-

Permit me to thank you very much for your courtesy in sending me the brief summary of my conception of the role of Jesus, which you plan to incorporate in your forthcoming volume. I have made a few slight changes in it and I am submitting them to you.

With kindest regards, permit me to remain

Very sincerely yours,

AHS/IR

*See  
Miss' file*

WALLACE G. MOSER  
ATTORNEY AT LAW  
CONNELL BUILDING  
SCRANTON, PA.

April 2, 1929.

Rabbi A. H. Silver,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Rabbi Silver:

Am informed that you recently made an address  
in favor of the managerial form<sup>of</sup> municipal government.

Am scheduled to discuss the matter in this city  
on the 11th of April, and if possible, will you send me  
a copy of your address or one of the Cleveland papers  
which printed it.

If you can direct me to any sources of informa-  
tion on this subject, I will greatly appreciate it.

Thanking you in advance for any assistance you  
may give me, I am

Yours truly,

*Wallace G. Moser*

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April 3, 1929.

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

My dear Dr. Silver:

May I ask you a favor? I am rather worn out. But I am anxious to be in trim for the lecture. I would, therefore, prefer to meet people after the lecture rather than before. Dining out would be quite a strain on me.

*Best regards!*

Sincerely yours,

*A.S. Oko*

S.



April 4th, 1929.

Mr. Wallace G. Moser,  
Connell Bldg.,  
Scranton, Pa.

My dear Mr. Moser:-

Permit me to acknowledge receipt  
of your letter of April 2d addressed to Rabbi Silver.

I am enclosing herewith a copy of  
the abstract of Rabbi Silver's address which appeared  
in the Cleveland papers.

With kindest regards, permit me  
to remain

Very sincerely yours,

Secretary to Rabbi Silver

RABBI HERMAN LISSAUER

631 S. MAPLEATTAN PLACE

LOS ANGELES

April 4, 1929.

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Rabbi Silver:

My congregation has been thus far  
a "regular" reformed congregation. During the past  
two years I have been preaching the heresies which,  
finally, I drew up in the form of the enclosed docu-  
ment and submitted to them ~~as a~~ general basis for  
*the* ~~future~~ religious principle of the congregation.  
This statement is to be submitted to the congregation  
in about a week. If it is accepted I should like to  
amplify and enlarge it with your comments. I shall  
deeply appreciate your opinion.

With cordial greetings,

Sincerely yours,

*Herman Lissauer*

HL:MM

April 7th, 1929.

Mr. Harry J. Elconin,  
Union Trust Bldg.,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Elconin:-

I am enclosing herewith Rabbi Silver's  
check for \$10. together with check of the Temple Religious  
School covering patrons' tickets for the "Dybbuk."

The check of the Temple Women's  
Association will be forwarded to you in a few days.

With kindest regards, permit me  
to remain

Very sincerely yours,

Secretary to Rabbi Silver

April 8th, 1929.

The Ohio Jewish Chronicle,  
Columbus, Ohio.

Gentlemen:-

It was called to my attention today that a photograph of Rabbi Silver appeared in your paper last week. The picture which you are using of Rabbi Silver is about ten years old. I am taking the liberty of enclosing herewith a more recent picture of Rabbi Silver and would ask that you kindly destroy all others that you may have used in the past.

With kindest regards, permit me to remain

Very sincerely yours,

Secretary to Rabbi Silver

W. J. Silver

April 8th, 1929.

Dean Henry Turner Bailey,  
Cleveland School of Art,  
11441 Juniper Rd.,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Dean Bailey:-

I regret exceedingly that unforeseen circumstances will make it impossible for me to attend the public reception which is being tendered tonight to Rev. Frank Jennings who has been called to the pastorate of the Church of the Master.

Will you not convey to Rev. Jennings my greetings and my joy in welcoming him to Cleveland. The Temple joins with me in wishing Rev. Jennings great success in his ministry both in his church and in the community. Cleveland is an understanding city and offers a rare opportunity for creative work to such as serve in faithfulness and sincerity.

With kindest regards, permit me  
to remain

Very sincerely yours,

ATS/IR

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*Monday Evening, April Eighth, 1929*

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*The Glee Club of the College for Women,*

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Representatives of the following religious organizations in the vicinity of University Circle have been invited to participate:

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CHURCH OF THE COVENANT

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April 8, 1929.

Abba Hillel Silver, D.D.,  
E. 105th Street at Ansel Road,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Sir:

Am in receipt of copy of abstract of your address for  
which I thank you. Will return it to you in the course of a few  
days.

Yours truly,

*Wallace G. Moser*

WGM:SMB

2172 West 14th St.,  
Cleveland, Ohio

April 9, 1929

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver,  
The Temple  
City.

My dear Rabbi:

I herewith inclose a circular for which you asked me.  
It speaks for itself in behalf of Dr. Risner.

Not only has the Doctor the subjects; but, as a lecturer,  
he is eloquent in his delivery. It is a treat to hear him. His  
lecture on: "The Three Links That Bind Humanity" illustrates  
Cain's reply to the Lord, "Am I my brother's keeper?" The lec-  
ture brings us the idea of amalgamation of humanity, at least in  
brotherly love and good feeling.

I am,

Very truly yours,

*Charles Schovaneck*

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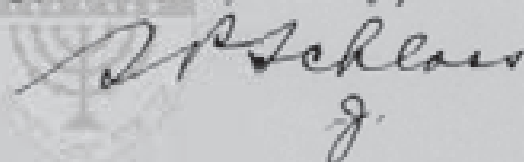
Mr. A. H. Silver  
C/O Temple  
East 105th & Ansel Rd.

My dear Mr. Silver:

Your letter of the 11th at hand  
and in reply wish to say that it will be impossible  
for me to meet you today or tomorrow, but if you  
will give me a ring next week, I shall be pleased  
to arrange a meeting.



Yours very truly,



S. Schlosser  
J.

# The Jewish Unity

*"Florida's Leading Jewish Weekly"*

ELLARD G. KOHN, PUBLISHER

RABBI JACOB H. KAPLAN, Ph. D., EDITOR

April 12th, 1929.

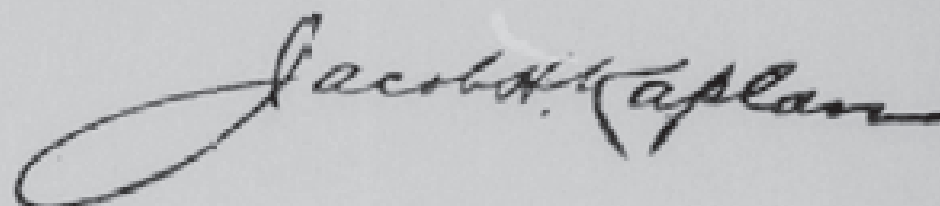
Dear Colleague:

I have been asked to become the editor of The Jewish Unity in this city and as part of my remuneration I have accepted a subscription to every Rabbi in the Central Conference of American Rabbis. You are under no obligation to me, in fact I deem it an honor to send you a copy in the hope that occasionally you will find time to read some of the things that I comment on.

Reform Judaism has about the same standing down here as it had when Isaac M. Wise came to this country, and I am trying to bring about a better understanding of Reform Judaism through a sympathetic appreciation of the various shades of thought in the House of Israel.

Kindly accept this paper, and if you find time occasionally to write an editorial when the spirit moves you, I shall greatly appreciate it.

Very sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Jacob H. Kaplan". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned to the right of the typed name "JHK:K".

JHK:K

WALLACE G. MOSER  
ATTORNEY AT LAW  
CONNELL BUILDING  
SCRANTON, PA.

April 12, 1929.

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

My dear Rabbi Silver:

Am returning herewith the manuscript which you recently sent to me regarding the City Manager Plan. It was very helpful and I am very grateful to you for the same.

Yours truly,

*Wallace G. Moser*

WGM:SMB  
Enclosure

MINUTES OF MEETING OF THE B'NAI B'RITH HILLEL FOUNDATION  
COMMISSION, HELD AT THE BISMARCK HOTEL, CHICAGO,  
ILLINOIS, APRIL 15, 1929.

Pursuant to call by the Chairman, a meeting of the B'nai B'rith Hillel Foundation Commission was held today at ten o'clock A.M. at the Bismarck Hotel, Chicago, Illinois.

Present: Alfred M. Cohen, Chairman; Dr. Louis L. Mann, Acting National Director; Isaac Kuhn, Rabbi Solomon Goldman, Edwin L. Schanfarber, Philip Seman and Dr. Boris D. Bogen, Secretary. By invitation: Rabbi Jacob Cohen of the United Synagogue of America.

The last meeting of the Commission resolved to invite the Directors of all Foundations, except that of California, and a representative of each such Foundation to attend a meeting to be held in Chicago simultaneously with a debate scheduled to take place in Chicago on the night of April 14th, so that the Commission might discuss with the Directors and representatives of the student bodies problems of interest to the Foundation movement.

The Chairman of the Commission designated this morning as the time when such discussion and conference might take place and Mr. Fred Bernstein, Chairman of the Hillel Advisory Committee of District No. 6 made arrangements for the attendance of the visitors.

When the meeting was called to order there were present besides the members of the Commission hereinbefore named, Dr. A. L. Sachar, Director of the Illinois Foundation; Rabbi Adolph Fink, Director of the Michigan Foundation; Rabbi Solomon Landman, Director of the Wisconsin Foundation; Rabbi Lee J. Levinger, Director of the Ohio Foundation; Rabbi Samuel H. Baron, Director of the West Virginia Foundation; Rabbi Isidor B. Hoffman, Director of the Cornell Foundation; Dr. Moses Jung of the Illinois Foundation; Morris Sostrin, Organizer; Morris Blank, President of the student Council of the Illinois Foundation; Stanley A. Katcher of the Illinois Foundation; Iola K. Zeckhauser of the Ohio Foundation; Dorothy Ozer, President of the Student Council of the Ohio Foundation; Richard Meyer, President of the Student Council of the Michigan Foundation; Allan Polachuck, President of the Student Council of the Wisconsin Foundation; Albert Spitzer, President of the Student Council of the West Virginia Foundation; Lawrence L. Levy, Secretary of the Student Council of the Cornell Foundation and Mr. Fred Bernstein.

The Chairman welcomed all present and thanked Mr. Fred Bernstein. He requested Dr. Louis L. Mann, Acting National Director of the Foundations to take charge of and conduct the meeting during the conference.

Dr. Mann assumed the chair and invited a free and frank discussion, which invitation was fully availed of. Those who spoke were Dr. Jung, Dr. Sachar, Mr. Bernstein, Mr. Blank, Mr. Levy, Rabbi Goldman, Mr. Sostrin, Mr. Levinger, Dr. Landman, Rabbi Hoffman, Rabbi Fink, Mr. Meyer, Mr. Spitzer and Mr. Cohen.

A stenographic report of what was said was taken and is on file.

Dr. Mann thanked all who had participated for what they had offered, which he assured them would receive the careful consideration of the Commission. He then returned the gavel to the Chairman who on behalf of the Commission reiterated the observations of the Acting National Director.

The guests of the Commission retired at one P.M. and after a short recess the Commission resumed its sessions.

The minutes of the last meeting of the Commission, held on February 5, 1929, as transmitted to the members were approved.

The Secretary presented the following financial report:



Expenditures from January 1, 1929 to March 31, 1929.

Illinois		4,827.27
Ohio		4,140.00
Wisconsin		3,711.01
Michigan		3,390.00
California		2,321.24
Cornell		2,283.90
West Virginia		
	Current	2,496.57
	Permanent	850.00
Travelling Expenses - Meetings		73.91
		<u>\$24,093.90</u>

Dr. Louis L. Mann, Acting National Director, reported on various matters which were discussed and where action was necessary were disposed of as follows:

a. There are applications from quite a number for the vacancy of the Directorship of the California Foundation. Rabbi James G. Heller, who had occasion to be in California was asked while there to make a survey of the situation. He made a very interesting and fine survey, in which he interviewed all parties concerned. He stated that they need the services of a full-fledged Rabbi in California. Meanwhile the position is being occupied by the former Assistant Director.

The thanks of the Commission were voted Rabbi Heller for the comprehensive report he made of the situation at Berkeley and the condolence of the Commission was offered to Dr. Heller on the death of his father.

- It was moved and carried that the Acting National Director be authorized to engage a successor to Rabbi Goldstein as Director of the California Foundation.

b. A communication from Rabbi Landman requesting a reconsideration of the decision that the Summer School at Madison, Wisconsin be discontinued, was presented. After consideration the former action of the Commission was reaffirmed unanimously.

c. In view of the fact that the term of Rabbi Isidor Hoffman as Director at Cornell would end at a date which would be unfortunate for him were he not re-engaged, it was moved and carried that the engagement of Rabbi Hoffman be extended to September 1, 1930, the extension being upon the same terms as prevail in his present appointment.

At this point Mr. Fred Bernstein entered the meeting and suggested that a conference during the last week in the year of the Directors, student representatives and Commission be held.

It was moved and carried that a conference of the Commission and the Directors of all the Foundations (with the possible exception of California) and the Presidents of the Student bodies of the same Foundations, be held during the last week of the present year, the cost in so far as the Directors of the Foundations and the President of the student bodies is concerned, to be borne by the Commission in a sum not to exceed \$600.00.

The Secretary presented the matter of added quarters being need in the West Virginia Foundation. It was moved and carried that the matter of securing by lease or otherwise new quarters for the Foundation in Morgantown be referred to the Chairman with power to act.

The following applications for new Foundations or Foundation extensions were presented: Miami, University; Austin, Texas; Athens, Georgia; University of Kansas.

With reference to the foregoing it was resolved that the Commission does not see its way clear to establish additional Foundations during the present year and that those making application be so advised.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at six o'clock P.M.

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April 15, 1929.

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver,  
East 105th St. & Ansel Road,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Dr. Silver:

I have your kind note of April 12,  
enclosing a check for \$88.00 - thanks.

I am very glad that your people  
liked my address.

With cordial greetings, I am

Yours sincerely,

*A. S. Oko*

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*Lecture Course*

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April 19, 1929.

Dr. Abba H. Silver,  
The Temple,  
Ansel Road & East 196th St.  
Cleveland, Ohio

My dear Dr. Silver:

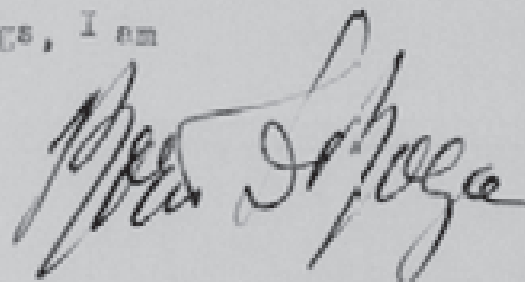
We were waiting for you before we started the meeting of the Hillel Foundation Commission on Monday, April 15th because I was sure you would appear, and I was exceedingly sorry you were not there.

Within a few days I shall send you the minutes of the proceedings and you will then learn in detail what transpired. It was a very interesting gathering. You undoubtedly would have enjoyed attending the Championship Hillel Debate that took place on Sunday evening, April 14th, and you would have been especially thrilled with the meeting in the morning when the Directors and the students frankly expressed their constructive criticism of our endeavors. I am making a full transcript of the proceedings so as to give an opportunity to those who were absent to have an account of the meeting.

Under separate cover I am sending you a pamphlet entitled "Between Us Jews" which deals with the Hillel Foundation and which is used in connection with our Campaign. Please let me hear what you think of it.

With best personal greetings, I am

Sincerely yours,



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**JEWISH WAR VETERANS**  
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CLEVELAND POST NO. 14  
HOTEL WINTON

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

Dear Rabbi Silver,

Enclosed you will please find copy of letter sent to the Board of Directors of your Temple requesting the use of the Temple for Sunday Morning May 26th for Memorial Services.

Should we be favored by the Board of Directors may we not ask for your services for that morning?

We are enclosing a program of our services of last year which will give you an idea of the exercises.

Thanking you in advance for any courtesy you may show us and hoping to hear from you soon, we beg to remain

Yours respectfully,

JEWISH WAR VETERANS.

Ed. Rubinstein

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The Board of Directors,  
Of The Temple  
Ansel Rd & E. 105th St.  
Cleveland, Ohio.

Gentlemen:-

The Jewish War Veterans of the U. S. will  
on Sunday morning May 26th hold Memorial Services  
in various Temples throughout the country.

The Cleveland Post, is preparing to conduct  
such services on above mentioned date, and would  
greatly appreciate the sanctioning of the use of  
your Temple for this purpose.

For the past ten years, this post in conjunction  
the the Cleveland Lodge Bnai Brith held successful  
Memorial Services in various Temples and other insti-  
tutions in this city and at this time, we very much would  
appreciate the use of your Temple.

As you will note the time for making all  
proper arrangements is limited. May we not ask that  
you please reply at your earliest possible convenience,  
so that we may arrange suitable exercises for Sunday  
Morning May 26th?

Trusting that you will grant us this request,  
we beg to remain

Yours respectfully

THE JEWISH WAR VETERANS

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In consideration of the gifts of others and for the purpose of providing an endowment for The College for Women, Cleveland, Ohio, I promise to pay to  
*Sidney S. Wilson, Treasurer*

the sum of \_\_\_\_\_ Dollars

Payable quarterly each year for a period of five years beginning April 1, 1929

Or will pay \_\_\_\_\_

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ORT-BANQUET - BILTMORE HOTEL APRIL 21, 1929.

STATEMENT READ BY SAUL S. BRON, PRESIDENT OF THE AMTORG TRADING CORPORATION OF AMERICA AND TELEGRAM FROM MOSCOW SIGNED BY S. ROSEN REPRESENTATIVE AGRO-JOINT.

On behalf of the GOMZET, The Committee of the Soviet Central Executive Committee for the Settlement of Jews on the Land and for Industrial work, I am happy to greet this distinguished gathering brought together by the ORT on the occasion of the inauguration of its campaign for industrial reconstruction.

The problem of drawing the declassified Jewish masses into large scale and handicraft industry occupies a prominent position in the economic program of the Soviet Government. That the Soviet Government is most favorable disposed to the work of the Ort Union is demonstrated by the agreement which was recently concluded between the government and the central committee of the Ort in Berlin. The work of supplying the Soviet Jewish urban population with machinery and raw materials is regarded as of such great importance by the Soviet Government that, in exception to the general rules, permission has been given to bring in these articles duty free and special transportation rates are granted in the U.S.S.R.

The leaders and the participants in the Ort Campaign in America may be fully assured that the Soviet Government in the future as well will extend the utmost cooperation in every constructive effort of the Ort to rehabilitate the Jewish masses through productive activity in the U.S.S.R.

TELEGRAM FROM DR. S. ROSEN

MOSCOW - Recently visited number towns cities Kieff Odessa Districts. Situation declassified Jewish population appalling. Local organizations straining every effort equipping various shops drawing declassified into productive work but their means insignificant compared magnitude problem stop Your plans helping Ort activities along these lines have wholehearted approval and support all Jewish organizations Russia stop. To be of real value these plans must be materialized without delay. Every day counts.

(Signed)

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WHITING WILLIAMS  
3030 EUCLID AVENUE  
CLEVELAND, OHIO

April 22, 1929.

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver,  
10311 Lake Shore Blvd.,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Rabbi Silver:

Won't you try to hold 12:30 next Tuesday,  
April 30, Room C, at the Chamber of Commerce,  
for lunching with a group of ten or twelve  
heads of various civic groups?

I won't take your time to set forth  
here what I have on my chest - except to say  
that it is an idea about Cleveland on which  
I'd like to have the group's judgment - an  
idea which doesn't involve any money at all,  
either now or later.

Won't you let me hear that you'll gamble  
an hour on me?

Sincerely yours,

*Whiting Williams*

P.S. If it's impossible for you, won't you  
advise me who will be your representative?



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who pay 50 -
- ② Cause not sold - Recent  
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& Education
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be taken jointly - for  
that reason a joint  
cause was afforded
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Tax to raise debt -

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April 22, 1929

Rabbi A H Silver  
10311 Lake Shore Boulevard  
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi Silver

This is to advise you that you have been selected as a member of the Honorary Advisory Committee of the Better Homes Association of Cleveland. This Association has been formed under the auspices of the Cleveland Chapter American Institute of Architects, the Cleveland Real Estate Board, the banking interests, the Builders Exchange and other organizations for the purpose of promoting better homes in our community as a civic, industrial and moral benefit.

An active committee and officers as noted herein will carry on the program of the Association, and members of the Advisory Committee are merely asked to permit the use of their names as a sponsoring group in sympathy with the movement.

The names of members of the Honorary Committee are printed on this letterhead in a tentative way to give each prospective member an opportunity of knowing the entire personnel as agreed upon.

If you prefer not to have your name used in this connection, kindly notify the undersigned, as the officers do not wish to make this appointment without advising you beforehand. Otherwise, we will assume that you have no objection to the suggestion.

Very respectfully  
BOARD OF TRUSTEES  
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*Edward A. Roberts*  
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CLEVELAND, OHIO

April 23 1929.

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Rabbi A. H. Silver,  
The Temple,  
Ansel Rd., Cleveland.

Dear Rabbi Silver:-

The one year term  
of your representative on the Board  
of Trustees of the Jewish Teachers  
Institute, namely Milton P. Altschul,  
has expired.

Will you kindly  
either re-appoint Mr. Altschul or name  
a new Board member for a term of three  
years?

The next meeting of the  
Board will take place on Thursday, May  
23 1929, at 12:30 at the Hotel Statler.

Will you please  
advise the name of the appointee?

Sincerely yours,

*Mrs. Norman Polster*  
*Su.*

*Wolf*

*Mr. Levy see mg R*



April 24th, 1929.

Mr. Whiting Williams,  
3030 Euclid Ave.,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Williams:-

Thank you for your note of April 22d.  
I shall make every effort to attend the meeting on  
Tuesday.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

AHS/IR



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April 30, 1929.

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

My dear Rabbi Silver:

Mr. George H. Hallett, Jr., of the Proportional Representation League, has advised me that you are in position to help me in gathering information regarding P. R. in Cleveland. I am writing a master's thesis in political science on P. R., and also am making a study of election laws with a view to introducing a bill on that subject. I am especially anxious to know the facts regarding the elections held under P. R. in Cleveland. I would very much appreciate a statement by yourself regarding the merits of the Hare system.

I wonder if you would be good enough to try to secure newspaper clippings, copies of official records, or other data, on the elections held in Cleveland on November 6th, 1923, November 3rd, 1925, and November 8th, 1927.

I shall very much appreciate any help you may extend me in this research work.

Yours very truly,

*Rolland Bradley*  
Rolland Bradley.

RB:MF

*information forwarded  
direct from Library to Mr. Bradley.*

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April 30, 1929

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

My dear Rabbi Silver:

It is my privilege and pleasure as President of the Greater Cleveland Council of the Boy Scouts of America to invite you to attend the First Annual Boy Scout Exhibition to be given at the Public Auditorium on the evening of May 10th.

This exhibition will undoubtedly be the finest of its kind ever put on in Cleveland and will include about six thousand Boy Scouts in the cast. There will be between six and eight thousand proud fathers and mothers in the audience.

We are asking Governor Myers Y. Cooper to attend and we hope it will be possible for you to honor us with your presence.

Very truly yours,

CWH  
MAB

GOODRICH SOCIAL SETTLEMENT  
1420 EAST 31st STREET  
CLEVELAND

May 1st, 1929

Rabbi Abba H. Silver,  
10311 Lake Shore Blvd.,  
Cleveland, Ohio

My dear Rabbi Silver:

Dr. William A. Leiserson, of Antioch College, will be in Cleveland on Thursday, May 9th, and has agreed to meet with the Cleveland Committee on Unemployment at 1:30 in the afternoon at Goodrich House.

Dr. Leiserson, as you doubtless know, has been for years a student of labor problems and contributed one of the leading articles to the recent unemployment number of the "Survey Graphic".

I hope that you will be able to come to this conference. Will you please let me know?

Sincerely yours,

Alice P. Gannett

APG:JM

*See Correspondence  
in Cleveland file.*

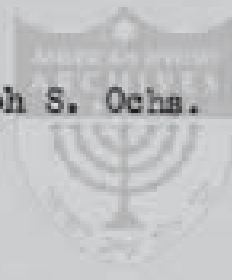
WIRE FROM NEW YORK

5/2/29

Rabbi A. H. Silver

Plan to leave Cleveland on midnight train for Chicago until  
then am yours to command. I expect Gilbert Bettman to  
meet me in Cleveland tomorrow and should like to have him  
present at luncheon.

Adolph S. Ochs.



# The Cleveland Section National Council of Jewish Women

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Rabbi A.H. Silver  
Ansel Road and East 105th St.  
City

My dear Rabbi Silver:

The Council of Jewish Women extends to you a cordial invitation to be its guest at the thirty-fifth anniversary and annual luncheon, which will be held on Wednesday, May 15th, noon at the Excelsior Club.

Will you kindly let us know if we may expect you?

Sincerely,

*Anna B. Peiser*  
President.

*Meris Chab-  
-Allen*



May 6th, 1929.

Mrs. Simon Peiser,  
Nat'l. Council of Jewish Women,  
10616 Euclid Ave.,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mrs. Peiser:-

Permit me to thank you for your kind invitation to attend the thirty-fifth anniversary luncheon of the Council of Jewish Women on May 15th.

I would gladly have availed myself of your invitation but I must attend the annual meeting of the Temple Men's Club which will be held on the same day at the same hour at the Allerton Hotel.

Thanking you again for your thoughtfulness, permit me to remain

Very sincerely yours,

AHS/IR



# The Jewish Tribune

Founded by Dr. Scheniah Moessohn

THE AMERICAN JEWISH WEEKLY

570 Seventh Avenue

New York

EDITORIAL DEPARTMENT

May 6  
1929

Dear Rabbi:

Our issue of June 7 will be a Confirmation Number and will contain, in addition to its usual features, articles of particular interest to the younger generation and an extensive list of this year's confirmands.

Will you be good enough to send us a list of the confirmands of your congregation at the earliest possible moment, by May 15 if possible, but no later than May 24, to insure publication?

Cordially yours  
THE JEWISH TRIBUNE

*David N. Moessohn*

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