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Jacob S. Raisin,

Rabbi R. K. Beth Elohim,

Charleston, S. C. May 1st, 1923

Rabbi Abba Millel Silver,
The Temple,
Cleveland, Ohio

My dear Colleague:-

I understand there is a vacancy in the pulpit of Congregation Oheb Zedek. Will you be good enough to let me know, if you can, what kind of a congregation it is, i.e., Reform or Conservative, and who is the president or secretary of it?

With heartiest good wishes, and assuring you of my appreciation,

Sincerely yours,

Jacob S. Raisin

PHILADELPHIA, May 1, 1923.

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

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Levin

Cincinnati, Ohio, May 1, 1923.

Dear Rabbi Silver: ²/₄

Just a few lines about the latest college gossip which I suppose will be already old to you. The faculty has made a new addition, Dr. Samuel Cohen of Chicago. Another important action by the faculty is a change in the scholarship basis from a set mark which could easily be spoiled by one or two professors to a basis of scholarship and attitude. Maybe your dense disciple will be able to get one now.

The Sunday that I got back to Cincinnati I presided at a Menorah meeting at which Stephen S. Wise was the speaker. We had an enormous crowd and I felt rather foolish introducing Wise. We held our last Meeting last week and our speaker was Rabbi Horace Wolf. He told me how much he always enjoyed speaking in Cleveland, and also how much more he enjoyed entertaining you in ~~Chicago~~ Rochester.

Dear Rabbi Silver, I wonder whether you can tell me something about the Summer services and also whether I will be able to do some sort of work to keep myself going this summer. You don't know how I dislike to trouble you with these little affairs of mine but I feel that you understand. I can't begin to tell you how much I appreciate what you've done for us. I hope that you won't mind my being frank, but I feel that I am indebted to you for my being at college, and I want you to know that I am always guided by the thought that I want you to be proud of what little I am able to accomplish. With kindest personal regards to Mrs. Silver and Yourself, I am, as ever,

Levin

May 1st, 1923.

Memorah Service Department,
167 West 13th St.,
New York City.

Gentlemen:

Please forward to The Temple,
Cleveland, six copies of Paul Goodman's
"History of the Jews". Upon receipt of
same we shall send you a check.

Very truly yours,

Secretary.

May 1st, 1923.

Mrs. E.L. Dady,
11212 Euclid Avenue,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mrs. Dady,

I want to thank you for your beautiful note which you sent me. If my words have brought any comfort to you in your bereavement I am amply rewarded. I shall set aside the very generous gift which you sent me in a little charity fund which I use from time to time as the occasion presents itself.

I hope that Mrs. Silver and myself will have the opportunity of seeing you before very long.

With kindest regards I beg
to remain

Very sincerely yours,

May 2nd, 1923

Cleveland Telephone Co.
Contract Department
Cleveland, Ohio.

Gentlemen:-

I am mailing herewith contract, signed as you require, covering your service to my residence, 1435 East 106th Street. Also check for \$15.00, the advance payment for three months, required by your rules.

My position as a minister makes it very necessary that I have telephone service in my home without delay. I should appreciate it greatly if you can arrange to install the service for me in less than the three weeks time, which your Mr. Hubber stated would be the time it would take to arrange for the installation.

Thanking you again for anything you may be able to do in the matter, I am

Very sincerely yours,

May 2nd, 1923.

Rabbi Horace Wolf,
117 Gibbs St.,
Rochester, N.Y.

My dear Rabbi Wolf,

My folke in New York have asked me to interest myself in a case in which you too can help and thereby gain a mitzva. There resides in your city a man by the name of Joseph Gelistein who is in the tailoring business at 68 Widman Street. He has a wife by the name of Bashe Halke in the city of Shaki in Lithuania. He has neglected her for the last eight years and has sent her no money at all for support. From all reports the man is well to do. My folke understand that this man is now attempting to obtain an Orthodox Get so as to free himself from any responsibility. I think that something may be done to make this rascal conscious of his responsibility and if you would take the trouble to call him in and make him see the evil of his ways and if necessary intimidate him, I think something may be done for his unfortunate wife. If he insists upon divorcing his wife he should at least set aside a sufficient amount money for her future maintenance for she is in most desperate straits.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

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Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver

Dear Silver:

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relative of my friend Prof. Louis H. Levin.
Dr. Pritzker is a physician recently
arrived in this country & has accepted
employment in Cleveland planning
to study at the university to qualify
him to practice in this country.

Any kindness you may show him
will be duly appreciated by me.

Cordially yours

Charles A. Cowen

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May 4th, 1923

Mr. A. H. Silver,
The Temple,
E. 55th & Central Ave.,
Cleveland, O

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our letter of the 21st and let us have check
for \$100 to cover the balance due us on your
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May 5, 1923.

Rabbi Abba Silver,

Cleveland, O.

My dear friend,

Your letter of the 2nd at hand and I will be glad to take up the case about which you wrote. I will inform you of the results.

Very sincerely yours,

Horace J. Wolf.

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DARWIN P. KINGSLEY, PRESIDENT

May 8, 1923

Dear Dr. Silver,

Unless the policy is paid
for by note or check in a few days,
the company will require another
examination, and I surely don't want
to put you to that inconvenience.

Won't you please take this
matter in hand and dispose of it?

Very cordially yours,

Mark Hoffman

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CLEVELAND, OHIO

May 8, 1923

Rabbi Silver
E. 55th St. & Central Ave
City

Rev. Sir: As a fighter, who never has been bought, beaten, bulldozed, bluffed or out-generalled, I feel free to remark, that the very foundation of liberty, and the fundamental principles of Americanism, are tolerance, religious and political freedom and manhood of mind free from prejudice.

For several generations, my immediate ancestors married cousins. An uncle, my mother's brother, once told me, that on her side, I was a descendant of Simon Fraser, who ran the Indian gauntlet in Canada, and on my father's side, a descendant of Dr. Gen. Joseph Warren, the instigator of the American revolution and the first, great, American patriot; I have before me, a copy of "The Percy Cross", published in Indianapolis, and from the latent force, which I feel within me, I am inclined to believe that my uncle's statement must have been true.

For some time past, I have been perfecting a plan, whereby, sooner or later, as an example and an exponent of true Americanism, I will invade the strongholds of the "K. K. K."; shame that organization out of existence, and replace it, with one of real Americans, and now, I have reached a point where I feel it advisable to consult you and Bishop Schrembs. Mr. Adolph Klein, men's furnishings, and Mr. E. A. Haley, shoe dealer, both located on St. Clair Ave., close to East 105th St., are the only ones at all fully aware of my plans. Mr. Klein is a member of your faith and has known me intimately for about two years.

Sincerely,

J. W. Warren

9802 Euclid Ave

Cleveland, Ohio

Garfield 1556.

May 8th, 1923.

C O P Y

Rabbi Wolf

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple, Cleveland

My dear Rabbi Silver:

Rabbi Wolf has asked me to take care of your letter of May 2.

Called at 68 Gilmore St. and learned that Mr. Goldstein is living at 50 Alphonse St. and is working for his uncle Jacob Levy 15 Rhine St., as a tailor.

Mr. Goldstein called at this office and had a long detailed story to tell, exonerating himself of any crime. He believes that under the circumstances he is acting very much like a gentleman. He claims that he left his wife money in the bank on her name, also a business which was paying very well. Says that he has been sending money right along, in fact sent her \$10.00 for Passover. Would gladly bring her here but he is certain the health authorities will not permit her to enter. Feels that he has been tried enough and has asked Rabbi Berman to start divorce proceedings (Ghet) agreed to send her \$300.00 along with the Ghet.

Mr. Goldstein claims that he is not earning more than \$35. a week, that he is sending money abroad to his parents and that he is not well to-do.

Mr. Goldstein's aunt came in today and corroborated his statements. His family feels that he is justified in his actions. She stated that some of the woman's relatives tried to bring her over to this country but could not because she is so sickly.

Shall be glad to help you further in this matter if I can. Did not tell the Goldsteins who was inquiring altho they were very anxious to know. Told him that I shall get in touch with him again so shall await further instructions from you.

Sincerely yours,

(signed) Stella J. Schifrin
Social Worker.

Baltimore Hebrew Congregation

MADISON AVENUE AND ROBERT STREET

OFFICE OF THE RABBI

BALTIMORE, MD.

May 8th,
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Rabbi A.H. Silver,
The Temple,
Cleveland O.

Dear Abba,

We would like to arrange an evening meeting in the Synagog in the interest of the Palestine Development League work. You know how difficult it is to get the sympathetic ear of the Reform Jewish Community.

I feel that you are the only one who can put this message across satisfactorily. In conversation with Dr. Edgar Friedenwald the other day, I suggested if you are coming east the first part of June - it may be possible for us to arrange the meeting and have De Haas down also. We cannot do anything this month as the Keren Hayesod is about to open its ten day drive and we don't want to interfere.

If we can't arrange the meeting in June and it is rather late, we might let the whole matter go over until the fall.

With love to Jinks and you,

Faithfully yours,

Morris

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Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
Euclid Temple
Central Ave & 55 St
Cleveland Ohio

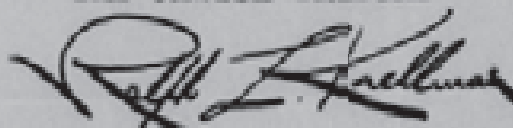
Dear Rabbi Silver:

Owing to the great overhead expense in carrying complimentary subscriptions, we are compelled to abolish our Complimentary List, upon which your name appeared.

We feel sure that you will not hesitate to become a regular subscriber to THE JEWISH TRIBUNE, therefore we are attaching bill for subscription commencing with the current issue.

Your kind interest in our publication is appreciated.

Cordially yours,
THE JEWISH TRIBUNE



Circulation Manager.

May 9th, 1923.

Mr. H. Hoffman,
391 E. 149th St.,
New York City.

Dear Friend,

I have decided to keep the \$7500 policy. Please pardon the delay in sending you the check. I have been out of the city so much of the time that I have been unable to get to it. I am forwarding to you the \$15,000 policy.

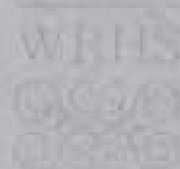
Trusting that you are well and looking forward with pleasure to our meeting again before long I beg to remain

Very sincerely yours,

I had the pleasure of listening to that orchestra a couple of
weeks ago & concert Louis Tre. I don't sure, would draw
a crowd, but not only that, it would encourage its members
to harder work, and probably a good many Knappers would
be attracted to these drum meetings... and last but not
least, I wish the services preceding these meetings last
30 minutes instead of 20 minutes.

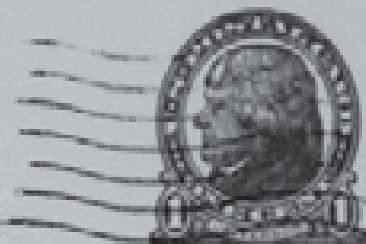
Hoping that you will try some of these suggestions,
I am

Yours truly
Sherry Krantz





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WILLS
Rabbi A. H. Silver
The Temple
Cleveland Ohio

M. Silver

May 10th, 1923.

Rabbi Jacob S. Raisin,
72 Hasell Street,
Charleston, S.C.

My dear Rabbi Raisin,

The Chev Zedek Congregation is
a strictly orthodox Congregation. The
President of it is Mr. Jacob Selman.
I do not think it is a congregation in
which you would be interested.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

May 10th, 1923.

Mr. Leon Feuer,
Hebrew Union College,
Cincinnati, Ohio.

My dear Leon,

I am having a meeting with the
members of our Public Worship Committee
next week relative to our summer Services
and I shall inform you of its position
in the near future.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

Services where?

May 10th, 1923.

Rabbi Louis Mann,
92 Linden Street,
New Haven, Conn.

My dear Louis,

This is the first opportunity I have had to get down to write to you. I want you to know how pleased I was at the call which came to you from the Sinai Temple, and I want to take this occasion to extend my heartiest felicitations. You and I know that you have a big job ahead of you, but knowing your capacity, you will, I am sure tackle it in fine fashion and with great success.

Very sincerely yours,

CEDAR CREST
COLLEGE FOR WOMEN
ALLENTOWN, PENNSYLVANIA

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

May 10, 1923

Miss Dorothy Goodfriend
1529 E. Boulevard
Cleveland, Ohio

My dear Miss Goodfriend:

We have been having some difficulty this year with the girls of your faith adjusting themselves to our work.

I have decided to write you frankly concerning the fact that all our girls must attend our chapel service. They must attend one service a week in the Temple in the city of Allentown, and if that service is in the evening, they must be chaperoned.

You can readily appreciate that we resent the fact that girls of your faith, some of them at least, think we ought to adjust our work to their convenience, when as a matter of fact just the reverse is true--they must adjust themselves to our way of doing things.

While I do not look upon this requirement as being unreasonable, I think it is only fair to let you know before we definitely assign you as to our practice in this regard. If you feel that you are not willing nor able to meet our requirements in this respect, you ought to be given the opportunity of withdrawing your application.

The frankness of this letter may startle you, but conditions we faced this year demand it in justice to the incoming students.

Sincerely,

Wm. J. Curtis
PRESIDENT

WFC/S

5/10/23

Dr/ Kaufman Kohler,
2 W. 88th St.
New York City.

Best wishes and renewed devotion
from a disciple and friend.

Rabbi A.H. Silver.

CEDAR CREST
COLLEGE FOR WOMEN
ALLENTOWN, PENNSYLVANIA



Miss Dorothy Goodfriend

1529 E. Boulevard

Cleveland, Ohio

185/6

Cleveland, Ohio

May 11, 1923

Dear Rabbi Silver,

How I can have your
friendship after having failed for
so long to let you hear from me
is a problem whose satisfactory
solving seems more than I have a
right to assume. But I count on
the little picture that you have of
mine to take my part.

I have debated whether this
letter or I should come to see you.
The letter wins because I think you
will be able to attend to it more

When I see how needful the
work is of artists, how eagerly it
grasps at notions (such as the
Egyptian) that some event of the
day calls to its attention, I wonder
that it does not cater more to
them. But the madness of exploitation
is upon it. Nothing must be
permitted to develop itself. All must
be gathered into the control of the
swift moving machine or taken with
its own motion that the question of
goal is immaterial and we become
dissociated with natural life.

I see no way of improvement
but that the obviously disinterested,
those known to have the interests of
human society at heart be given a
free hand, but that since artists

easily than to me who always
come freighted with difficulty that
I am conscious attends itself upon
your pressing affairs. And yet I am
more concerned that I shall lose this
sense of responsibility that always
manifests itself when I see the few
people of sensibility that I know.
How pleasant it would be to be it
easy, yet how dreadful when I
would recall the many years when
it was my companion.

It seems to me I see very
clearly not only my own situation
but the situation that art or morality
or what you will, faces in this
country and it is on this score that
I hope to engage your interest if
my own problems I can not.

are so needed that those with social
and not primitive or pagan
instincts be furthered in their work.

I hope you will give this or
these ideas some thought.

I think your break with
the Chamber of Commerce was a
bright ray through the generally
murky atmosphere of class activity.

I have lately painted the
scenery for a play at the Chronicle
House. That was an episode I
would like you to know about.

Was successful this year in having
two pictures, the chief ones that I
sent accepted for the Cleveland
Artists Exhibition at the museum.

Miss Glasser art critic of the

Cleveland, Ohio

Phain Dealer was so good as to
give my work some attention and
to describe me as "a young
artist of promise". I hope you
will see the pictures.

Most Sincerely Yours

Bluma H. Korenbaum

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May 11,
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Rabbi A.H. Silver,
c/o The Temple,
East 55 at Central,
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Sir:

Will you kindly let me know whether
or not you will be able to set Sunday afternoon,
June 10th, aside for my wedding ceremony?

Miss Niewonger is, at present, out of
the city, but as soon as she returns, in a week
or ten days, we shall visit you together.

In the meantime, however, I should
like to know whether the above date is convenient
for you, in order that other arrangements may be
made.

Sincerely yours,

Milton M. Benesch ✓

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May 15, 1923

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Mr. M. Lighth 62 E. Chalmers Ave
Youngstown Ohio

May 14th, 1923,
2195 E. 73rd St.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

Rabbi A. H. Silver,
% The Temple,
E. 55th & Central Avenue,
Cleveland, Ohio.

Reverend Sir:

On a former occasion, while a member of the
Solidra Club, the writer communicated with you on con-
cern of the Club's welfare.

A group of Jewish young men is just forming
for the purpose of studying the history of mankind and
I am writing to inquire what books you recommend that
will leave an unbiased impression. It is our intention
to gain a thorough knowledge of religion, economics,
government, labor, industry, and what other main phases
involved in such a study that knowledge of will permit
the carrying on of an intelligent and well balanced dis-
cussion.

Will you kindly inform me the names of books
and authors and the order to study them most profitably.
The group, as well as the writer, will be greatly in-
debted to you for any suggestions.

Sincerely yours,

Reuben Jaffe

Dear Rabbi Silver:

Enclosed please find check
for ten dollars in appreciation of your
services during our recent loss. Should
you not wish to accept same, for yourself
Mother and I wish that you would
kindly use it for some worthy cause.
Sincerely yours
Jerome Joseph.

May 14th, 1923.

Mr. Blum H. Rosenbaum,
14914 Upton Avenue,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Rosenbaum,

I was glad to have heard
from you. Drop in some-time when you
are at leisure. I shall be glad to see
you again.

WRI
Sincerely yours,

May 14th, 1923.

Rabbi Morris Lasaron,
Baltimore Hebrew Congregation,
Baltimore, Md.

My dear Morris,

I would gladly accept your invitation to address a meeting of the Palestine Development League in Baltimore some time in June. From present indications I do not think that I will be east any time before the latter part of the summer. As you know I have a big job on hand here in the building of the new Temple and my presence is required almost continuously.

Dad Horkheimer left for Wheeling this morning. He spent a day with us and was present at our Cornerstone laying. We had a beautiful day for our ceremony. I am sure that "Jinks" will write you about it in greater detail. We are anticipating with great eagerness Pauline's visit. The town is anxious to see her and hear her and you know how happy both Virginia and myself will be when she comes.

Please convey my love to her and to the children.

With kindest regards, I am

As ever

May 14th, 1923.

Mr. Jerome Joseph,
1979 East 105th St.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Joseph,

Permit me to thank you for your note and the check which you enclosed. In keeping with my practice I shall put it into the small charity fund which I use from time to time as the occasion presents itself.

With kindest regards and trusting that both you and your mother are well, I beg to remain

Very sincerely yours,

May 14, 1923

Miss Jessie Turner

Jessie Turner

308 9th St.
Lorain, Ohio.

Dr. Silver
55th St. Central Temple
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Sir:

My friend,
Mr. Lutzman, has kindly
informed me that you might
be able to give me a few
points on the negative side of
the League of Nation question.

I have that question in a
debate May 25. I would be
very glad to receive a few
points if possible.

And O'Hige
Miss Jessie Turner
308 - 9th St.
Lorain, Ohio

May 14th, 1923.

Mr. Milton M. Benesch,
5432 Broadway,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Benesch,

Permit me to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of May 11th. I have two weddings scheduled on Sunday, June 10th, but I can arrange to give you the hour of 4:30. I assume that your wedding will take place in my study; if not, please notify me where. Also please let me know if the hour is satisfactory.

With kindest regards to you and Miss Hiewonger, I am

Very sincerely yours,

New York May 15

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Ich habe die Ehre, Ihnen hiermit
 zu schreiben, dass ich die
 von Ihnen am 1. d. M. erhaltene
 Bestellung für 100 Stück
 von den 100 Stück, die ich
 Ihnen am 1. d. M. in Auftrag
 gegeben habe, heute
 in die Hände der
 Transportfirma
 übergeben habe.
 Ich bitte Sie,
 die Lieferung
 zu bestätigen.
 Mit freundlichen
 Grüßen,
 Ihr ergebener
 Herrmann

[illegible]

Cleveland, O.
May 15, 1923.

Reverend Dr. A. H. Silver,
The Temple,
City. ✓

Dear Sir:

I would like to have
you officiate at my wedding
on Sunday July 8th. 1923 at
6:00 o'clock at my residence
which is 10126 North Boulevard.
If this is convenient for you,
would appreciate it very much
if you would notify me by
return mail and if it is
necessary I can make arrange-
ments to come and see you
regarding same.

Trusting you will

M. Silver



Rabbi Dr. H. Silver
The Temple
Cleveland Ohio

give this your kind consid-
eration, I remain.

Very truly yours,
Hilva M. Stern

Garfield 4036 M.



PAUL L. FEISS

CLEVELAND, O.

May 15, 1923

Dear Rabbi Silver:

Thought the enclosed utterance of a
very wise man would interest you.

Sincerely yours,

Rabbi Silver,
The Temple,
E. 55th & Central,
Cleveland, Ohio

SOLOMON COHEN
ACCOUNTANT AND AUDITOR
71 WEST 23RD STREET
NEW YORK CITY

PHONE GRAMERCY 2435

8607 - 104 St.

Friday May 16, 1923

Dear Abba:-

You will recall that at our last meeting in New York the five of us present at that time, approved the idea of a reunion of the famous 2381 to be held in a Hatke restaurant, as in the good old days. It was the consensus of opinion then that this reunion be held right after the Conference of American Rabbis. The date and place of the conference are probably set by this time. Will you please advise me at once what day in your opinion would be the best for that gathering. As some of our Rabbi friends are leaving their cities at the end of May and it will be difficult to reach them after that I would appreciate an early reply.

I am here with you and Virginia. When do you expect to be in New York. Anna and I are looking forward to the day of meeting and greeting you both in our home.

As ever yours

Sol

May 16th, 1923.

Bell Telephone Co.,
Cor. E. 9th & Prospect Ave.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

Gentlemen:

About ten days ago your man
connected my phone at 1485 E. 105th St.
but failed to connect the up stairs phone.
I would appreciate very much if you would
attend to this at the earliest possible
time.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

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19 23.

Rabbi A.H. Silver,
C/O The Temple,
Central at East 55,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Rabbi:

I am just in receipt of your kind
favor of May 14th in regard to my wedding on June
10th.

I shall be very pleased to have
you set aside the hour of 4:30 for the ceremony
which will take place in your study.

Very sincerely yours,

Milton M. Benesch

RABBI JOSEPH L. FINK
TEMPLE ISRAEL
TERRE HAUTE, INDIANA

May 17th, 1923.

Rabbi A. H. Silver,
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Rabbi Silver:

I hesitate to write you on the subject of this letter because I know how busy you are. Yet I feel that your influence would mean so much that I hope you will find time to write a word or two for me. I have learned from good authority that my name has been suggested to the President of Har Sinai Congregation, Baltimore, Md. I do not make it my practice to write these professional notes but I feel that you know me well enough that I might make this request of you. I have not applied for the position directly nor will I apply for it. But any word that you might write in my behalf will be deeply appreciated by me. I have been here over four years and feel myself prepared for a change.

With kind regards, I am,

Faithfully yours,

Joseph L. Fink.

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Yours very truly,

Ernest A. Tamm Trust Officer.

P:

May 19th, 1923.

Dr. Julian Morgenstern,
Hebrew Union College,
Cincinnati, Ohio.

My dear Dr. Morgenstern,

As per our conversation last Sunday,
I am enclosing herewith a bill from the St. Vincent
Charity Hospital which was contracted by Mr. Julius
Gordon of the Hebrew Union College. I have already
paid one bill of \$18.00 for a special nurse. I would
keep this debt myself. Julius Gordon came to me in
great distress, telling me that he must be operated
on in the morning and that the hospital demanded
advance payment which he was unable to make. I
thereupon called the hospital and told them that I
would guarantee the payment. I should like your
judgment in the matter.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

May 19th, 1923.

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28, Rue Lamartine, 28
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My dear sir:

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listed in your catalogue -XIX 19:

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333	549	608	876	

Upon receipt of these books I shall
immediately forward you a money order.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

May 19th, 1923.

Mr. Reuben Jaffe,
2195 E. 73rd St.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Jaffe,

Due to the pressure of work here prior to the Confirmation Service, I have not the time to go into great detail in answering your letter of May 14th. Off hand I would say that the best book which your group could read would be H.G. Wells' History of Mankind.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

May 19th, 1923.

Miss Jessie Turner,
308 - 9th Street,
Lorain, Ohio.

My dear Miss Turner,

I am dissily involved at the present time with my Confirmation work and I cannot do justice to the task which you set before me. Had this come at a more propitious time I would have been glad to write out in full my position on the League of Nations.

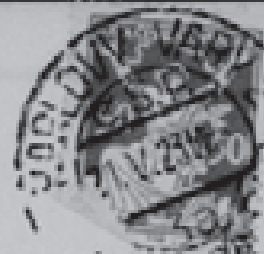
Hoping that I may be of service to you at some future time, I beg to remain

Very sincerely yours,

Cleveland 7/20/27

We are having a fine
and beautiful trip
as Mr. Newberry is
being greatly benefited
the weather could be a
little warmer.

We will
remain another week
and will visit Brooklyn
expected to be home middle
of July. Kind regards
from my wife
only to Mrs. J. & Jas. at Exeter



Rabbi A. J. Siler

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May 22nd, _____, 1923

Rev. Abba Hillel Silver,
55th St. & Central Avenue,
Cleveland, Ohio,

My dear Mr. Silver:

I quite understand that a young husband has not much time to indulge in lengthy correspondence with other people, but, please, tell me frankly why you have not answered my last two or three letters? If I add a number 4 to the series, it is just to show you how much I like you personally, for I would not have written twice without getting an answer, even to the Chief-rabbi-to-be of the United States.

So much said, please, sum up your impressions of the Social Justice pamphlet in a page or so and it will give me great pleasure to reproduce it in the second edition, copy for which goes to the printer this very morning.

With best regards,
Very truly yours,

Isidor Singer

*Communal things are going on in N.Y. just now
Have been at the big perform. in Carm. H. 1 Cent. H. Syn. anniversary
Will be at Kran's "farewell" address next week*

THE HEBREW UNION COLLEGE

CINCINNATI, OHIO

Office of the President

May 22, 1923.

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver,
c/o The Temple,
E 55th Street and Central,
Cleveland, Ohio;

My dear Silver:

Your special delivery letter of the 19th instant with enclosed bill for \$111.75 for hospital fees for Mr. Julius Gordon, a student of our Institution was duly received. I greatly appreciate your kind interest in this matter and also the fact that you are personally taking care of one bill for \$18.00 for a special nurse.

I shall take care of this bill in some way, but it may take me two or three weeks to do so. I shall have to see first whether Mr. Gordon was advised by the College physician to go home to Cleveland for this operation or whether he went, as I fear, contrary to his recommendation. I am inclined to think that if he had remained here and gone to the Jewish Hospital, which takes care of our students free of charge, this whole matter could have been attended to without any cost. However, what is done is done and I shall handle it in the best way possible.

May I ask you, meanwhile, to kindly assure the authorities of the Saint Vincent Hospital that this matter will be taken care of satisfactorily although there may be a slight delay in connection therewith?

With warmest regards to yourself and your dear wife, and assuring you of the great pleasure it gave me to be with you at the cornerstone laying of your Temple and at your congregational dinner, I am

Ever faithfully yours,

Julian Morgenstern
PRESIDENT.

JM/GHG

S. LIEBENTHAL
1430 WEST NINTH STREET
CLEVELAND, OHIO

May 22nd 1923

Rabbi Silver
c/o The Temple
Central Ave & E. 55th Street
CITY

Dear Mr. Silver:-

The enclosed arrived this morning. I do not know whether you are interested in receiving same or not. No acknowledgment is necessary.

With kindest personal regards, I
beg to remain,

Very truly yours,

S. Lieberman

The Jewish Tribune and THE HEBREW STANDARD

The Forum of American Jewry
Dr. NEHEMIAH MOSES SOHN, Editor
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Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver,
Euclid Temple,
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Rabbi Silver:

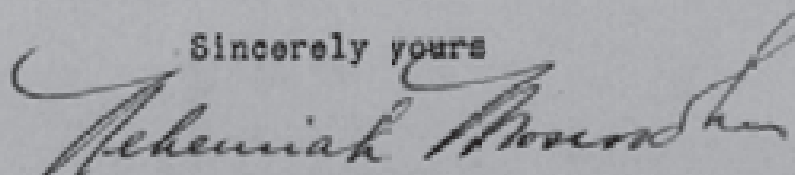
I don't think there can be a question of a doubt that there is a definite necessity for the building up of a real representative Jewish publication printed in the English language for the Jews of America, one that is authoritative and non-factional with an appeal to every American Jew regardless of affiliation.

It is our plan to secure at once representative Jews in each state in the union to act as members of our Advisory Board so that they will advise us regarding all matters Jewish in their particular state and use The Jewish Tribune as a vehicle for constructive, judicious propaganda in connection with Jewish questions in this country. We believe that the joint opinion, carefully weighed, of the leading Jews in America representative of their respective communities and expressed in a constructive way in The Jewish Tribune (which has, as you know, the largest circulation of any English-Jewish publication in this country, and which is widely quoted in the general press) will be most effective in allaying prejudice and in educating, not only our own people, but leading non-Jews as to the contribution the Jews have made to America.

It is our definite purpose to increase the circulation of The Jewish Tribune in every state in the Union to the largest possible extent (100,000 is the number we have set in our present campaign) not only among our own people but among leading non-Jews in order that a better understanding may be had by our fellow citizens of other faiths of the aspirations and the value of American citizens of the Jewish faith.

May we have an expression of opinion from you at your earliest possible convenience as to the value of a plan of this kind as we are naturally counting upon your moral support in this all inclusive non-factional program that must of necessity prove of undoubted constructive value to the Jews in America?

Sincerely yours



Editor

RABBI LOUIS J. HAAS
HARRISBURG, PENNA.

May 24th, '23.

Dear Silver:-

Enclosed find clippings
from local newspapers - Two
evening and one morning paper.
The latter also contained the
editorial which is an unusual
tribute. No speaker has received such praise.

You've set a very high
standard and it will require
some ^{tall} stepping to get within an
approximate distance of you.

Hope to see you here
very soon again and have

the opportunity of spending more
time with you.

With best wishes for
continued success and
with cordial greetings in
which Mrs. Haas joins me, I
am,

Sincerely yours
Mrs. Haas.

P.S. Trust you will keep me in
mind regarding the matter I
discussed with you. Thanks you.
J.H.

May Twenty-fifth, 1923

Mr. Harry Krantz
2198 East 69th Street
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Krantz,

Permit me to thank you for your kind letter of May tenth and for the suggestions contained in it. They will prove very helpful to us in arranging our Forum program for next year.

Appreciating your interest, I remain, with kindest regards

Very sincerely yours,



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May 25, 1923.

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

My dear Rabbi Silver,

I desire to express my delight in having had the opportunity of hearing your most inspiring and edifying address before the Harrisburg Chamber of Commerce last Wednesday.

Your message was more than an hours entertainment. I am sure it has become an inspiration for good and I hope this community may soon again have the pleasure of hearing you.

So many have expressed their wish to have a copy of your definition of "America". If you will see fit to send me the text I will be glad to have it printed and distributed as a souvenir among those who attended the luncheon.

With best wishes for your continued success, I remain,

Yours truly,

The COURIER PRESS

Harry Lowengard

HL-GL

May Twenty-fifth
1923

My dear Joseph,

I should like very much to have a little personal talk with you in my study some day in the very near future. Will you not call me by telephone on receipt of this note and make an appointment to come in and see me.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

Joseph Hargolin
2496 Derbyshire Road
Cleveland, Ohio.

May Twenty-fifth,
1923

To the Mother Superior,
Charity Hospital
East 22nd and Central Ave.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Friend,

I am writing for Rabbi Silver, who has been in correspondence with the Hebrew Union College at Cincinnati, in behalf of Mr. Julius Gordon, who is a student there. The College will forward to you a check to cover the services rendered to Mr. Gordon at Charity Hospital. However, it may be a week or ten days before the check reaches. Rabbi Silver desires to let you know that the money is soon to reach you and hopes that the delay will not too greatly inconvenience you. If this arrangement be not satisfactory to you, kindly let Rabbi Silver know.

Sincerely yours,

Secretary

ABBA HILLEL SILVER, Rabbi
THE TEMPLE

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5/25/23.

My Dear Rabbi:

I desire to
have the honor of your
officiating at my marriage
to Miss Helen Gross on
June 21st 1923, at the Eselston Club.

I will try
to see you within the
next few days concerning
the above.

Sincerely,
Dr. S. B. Abrams
10600 Euclid.

(Home) → Cedar 2501.
(off.) → Fairview 3829.

May 28th, 1923.

Mr. Leon Feuer,
Hebrew Union College,
Cincinnati, Ohio.

My dear Leon,

I am enclosing herewith a card sent to our members which is self-explanatory. I tried very hard to think of a way of holding Services this year so as to be able to have you conduct them, but neither I nor the members of the Public Worship Committee could see their way clear to do it this year. Perhaps when you come to Cleveland next month we might look around and see what we can do.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

May 28th, 1923.

Rabbi Jack Skirball,
Eglia Avenue Temple,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Jack,

I am writing to you at this time with a definite purpose. I have asked you orally four or five times to let me have my thesis, but being busy it has escaped your mind, so I thought I would write you this note so you can keep it constantly before you until such time when you will be sufficiently conscious stricken.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

The Sunday News-Leader

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CLEVELAND'S BEST NEWSPAPER

May 28th, 1923.

Rabbi Silver,
The Temple,
City.

My dear Rabbi:-

The Sunday News-Leader has been fortunate in securing the services of Gellert, noted Hungarian artist and portrait painter, to make character sketches of a few of Cleveland's business leaders.

We believe these studies will prove interesting and a bit different from anything of the kind ever attempted. For this reason we have arranged for the publication of the group in the rotogravure section of The Sunday News-Leader.

In order that the artist may have the opportunity to make the necessary pencil sketches from life, rather than from photographs, a custom often followed, we are addressing this letter to you with the request that you let us know when we may send Mr. Gellert to your office. The sitting will require but a few minutes and may be completed while you are going through the morning or afternoon mail.

Assuring you I will appreciate an early and favorable reply. I am,

Sincerely yours.

B. H. Kenby

Sunday Editor.

5/28/23

Rabbi A. E. Silver
a/c L. Horkheimer
Kenwood Place
Wheeling, W. Va.

Mrs. Theresa Stern member of Temple died.
Funeral Tuesday 3 o'clock.

F. H. Jones.



Orthodox Old Home

בית מושב זקנים

736 LAKEVIEW ROAD
CLEVELAND, OHIO

May 28, 1923.

Rabbi A. H. Silver,
The Temple,
E. 55th & Central,
City.

My dear Rabbi:

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Orthodox Old Home
will hold their second annual dinner at the Home
Wednesday evening, June 13 at 6:00 P. M.

We shall deem it a great pleasure to have you
present at this affair,

Kindly advise us at your earliest convenience
whether we may expect you.

Very sincerely,

THE ORTHODOX OLD HOME.

R. H. Myers Pres.

RG:AP

May 29th, 1923.

Mr. R.H. Myers,
Orthodox Old Home
736 Lakewood Road,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Myers,

Permit me to thank you for your kind invitation to attend the second annual dinner of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Old Home on Wednesday, June 13th. I would gladly accept your invitation if I were in a position to do so. I shall however, in all probabilities be out of the city during the major part of the month of June. I therefore do not wish to make any definite engagements.

With kindest regards, and wishing you well in your work I beg to remain

Very sincerely yours,

May 29th, 1923.

Mr. S. H. Denby,
Sunday Editor,
Sunday News-Leader,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Denby,

I shall be pleased to see
Mr. Gellert, Friday morning, at 11 o'clock
or next Monday morning at the same hour.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

May 29th, 1923.

Rabbi Jos. L. Fink,
Temple Israel,
Terre Haute, Indiana.

My dear Joseph,

I shall get in touch with some
people in Baltimore and will let you know
when I hear from them.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

WARD-BELMONT SCHOOL
NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

May 29, 1923.

Rabbi A. H. Silver,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Sir:

Your name is among the references offered by Mr. and Mrs. Victor M. Moss in their consideration of Ward-Belmont for their daughter's entrance in September.

May I ask you concerning the standing of this family in the church and community? If you are acquainted with Miss Helen perhaps you will give us your opinion of her as a desirable companion for other school girls.

Appreciating any information you may give us, I am

Very respectfully yours,

Alma Paine

AP/SB

Alma Paine, Registrar.

May Twenty-ninth,
1923

Mr. Henry A. Morris,
11213 Ashbury Avenue,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Morris,

Permit me to thank you for the
check which you sent me. In keeping with
my practice, I shall set it aside in a small
charity fund which I use from time to time as
occasions present themselves.

With kindest regards to Mrs. Maschke,
I beg to remain

Very sincerely yours,

May 29th, 1923. .

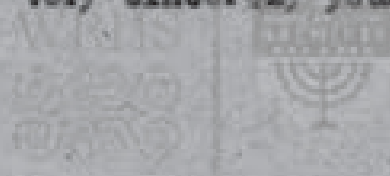
Rabbi Louis J. Haas,
Harrisburg, Pa.

My dear Haas,

Thanks very much for the clippings
which you sent me. I have not forgotten
the matter which you discussed with me. .

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,



May 29th, 1923.

Mrs. Max Frankenger,
Charlestown, U. Va.

My dear Mrs. Frankenger,

I have been informed by some of my colleagues that there is a vacancy in the Charlestown pulpit and it has occurred to me to write you concerning the advisability of having the name of Rabbi Skirball presented to your committee. Jack has resigned his position here as assistant to Rabbi Welsky. He feels that he would now wish to have a charge of his own and from the fine success he has made here in Cleveland, I know that he is completely prepared for such responsibilities. Jack has had two years experience in a large Congregation and he is thoroughly acquainted with the technique of the Ministry. You know him so well that I need not talk any further about him to you. I have not spoken to Jack about it, nor have I advised him concerning my intention of writing to you. I should like to have your judgment in the matter.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

**EMIL JOSEPH
ATTORNEY AT LAW
HANNA BUILDING
CLEVELAND**

May
Twenty-ninth,
1923.

Rabbi A. H. Silver,
The Temple, E. 55th St.,
Cleveland.

Dear Rabbi:

As you may know, the Orphan Home celebrates every National holiday. The next holiday we are making preparations for is the Fourth of July for which we want an orator and you have been unanimously suggested. If the weather permits we usually have the address on the lawn in the presence of all the children and invited guests; if the weather is bad we go to the Chapel. The exercises usually start at 9:30 or 10 A. M. May we rely on you?

Very truly yours,

Emil Joseph

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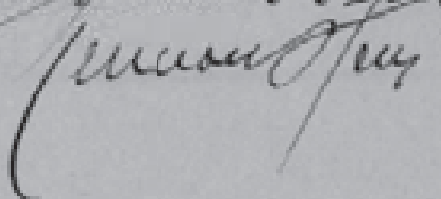
May 31st, 1923.

Rabbi H. A. Silver,
 The Temple at E. 55th & Central,
 Cleveland, O.

My dear Rabbi:-

I do not know whether or not you read the retraction made by Rabbi Benjamin that was published in the Jewish World on May 27th, but since I am very anxious that you shall know how I came out, I am enclosing, herewith, a copy of Rabbi Benjamin's retraction, which explains itself.

Respectfully yours,



HS:MM

May 31st, 1923.

Mr. Emil Joseph,
Hanna Building,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Joseph,

Permit me to thank you for your kindness in inviting me to participate in the July 4th celebration at the Orphan Home. I wish I were in a position to accept your kind invitation, but I shall be in Cape May, New Jersey the week of July 1st attending the convention of the Central Conference of American Rabbis.

Hoping that I may be of service to you at some future time, I beg to remain

Very sincerely yours,

May 31st, 1923.

American-European Jewish Book Co.,
292 East Broadway,
New York City.

Gentlemen:

I am enclosing herewith the catalogue which you sent me. I have checked off some books that I might be interested in getting. If you will let me know the price of each, I shall then inform you which ones I want to get.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

UNIONGRAM

"Speech is the messenger of the heart"
— The Talmud —

Date of Delivery

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Dear Rabbi: I have enjoyed immensely your teachings, I have loved & enjoyed every minute of my nine yrs. of Sabbath School. Thanking you for comforting me and the lovely blessings you bestowed upon me I remain
Very sincerely Yours
Philip E. Haber

Book No.

Sender

Address

June 1st, 1923.

Miss Arline D. Kaber,
11904 Ablewhite Ave.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Arline,

I want to tell you how much I enjoyed the Uniongram which you sent me. It was indeed very thoughtful and kind of you. I enjoyed having you in my class during the past year and now that you are Confirmed I trust that your interest in The Temple will grow as you advance in years.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

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(Address for the summer) Willoughby.

1808 RADNOR ROAD
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June 1st 1923.

Rabbi Silver.
of the Fifty-fifth Street Temple.

My dear Mr. Silver, -

Enclosed please find
the outline I promised to send you. It is
of course, merely tentative, being designed
chiefly to call forth discussion concern-
ing the extension of social education. I will
be glad to call for the outline at your con-
venience and to hear from you whatever
suggestions you may be willing to offer.

Sincerely yours.

Lydia S. Cook.

Cleaveland, O. June 2 - 23

My Dear Rabi A H Silver

Your kind invitation to attend a smoker on June 5th received, for which accept my thanks. I regret very much, not having able to attend on again of this kind for several reasons. First of all, it puts me in a very embarrassing position, because I feel that I ought to have done something to help along a great cause like the New Temple project. But my Dear Rabi. You know the old Hebrew

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saying ~~has~~ ^{to} go — as long as I can
not do my duty, to help along
in a financial way, so its no use for
me to be Kibitz around at such affairs.
I am glad to have a chance in writing to
explain to you, my position in life.
A year ago last Jan. I was compelled
to leave my employment, where I
worked faithfully for 30 years. A strike
was declared at the Laidesmen H & Co
of which our ~~boss~~ ^{boss} Mr Lebenstein
is head of the concern. Its true that
I was offered a job in a small town.
But my Wife strenuously objected
for me to be scolding again as I had
before, so naturally I was left without
a job, but made up my mind that I
will not be one of the strikers, and
rather earn my living and ~~live~~ ^{live} ~~over~~ ^{over}

so the following week of the strike I went
job hunting. I got my lectures from
all those that know me. Even from my
own Cousin B. Houbshman, The Fritz Wolf Co.
all that did not discourage me. I kept
on asking for work. At Last I found
a job at S. Karach's Joe Karach knows
me well, so he gave me a chance, and I
am still there. I did go through an awfull
lot to learn practically a new trade. When
the strike was over. I did expect a call
from the H. & Co., but not hearing from them
than I gave it all up, and stuck to my post,
than I came to the conclusion, that it was more
of a lock out, because none of the older hands
were taking back. Now just a word about
my family. You know my 2 boys.

Ralph & Lester, you had them both in
your Confirmation Class. Lester 18 yrs
will finish next week 2 years in College
Ohio State. Ralph I think you know

best, he won ⁴ 4 debates, and carried
away 3rd prize a week ago Friday
at the Western reserve, it was a total
affair students from all high schools
spoke 6 minutes, and Ralph represented
Glenville. This 2 boys are the friends
of our lives, and if it wouldnt be
for my dear wife, that she helps
along towards the education of
our 2 boys, we simply could not
do it from my wages. Therefore dear
Ralph do not blame me for not
supporting this good project. Its
true I am a member of the Temple &
guess about 15 years and in good standing.
Should I be of any help otherwise
to you and to the great undertaking I
would be only too happy to do it.
Respectfully yours Joseph Goldbury
12011 Scottwood

~~Joe Golding~~
Rabi



W.B.H.S.
A. H. Silver

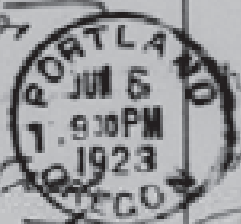
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Rabbi. A. Silver
Cleveland
Ohio

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continue to
improve his
golf game
with the result
I had to hand
over, Cleveland
money to him.

Getting a Volt
you made a bit
with the organans

MONROE A. ULLMAN
1612 EAST 115TH STREET N. E.
CLEVELAND, OHIO

June 6/23

My dear Rabbi Silver:

Please return this picture to
me, at your earliest convenience.
I prize this picture highly -
for sentimental reasons -
nevertheless, am pleased to
loan it to you -

Kind regards

Yours Sincerely
Monroe A. Ullman

SOLOMON COHEN
ACCOUNTANT AND AUDITOR
71 WEST 23RD STREET
NEW YORK CITY
—
PHONE GRAMERCY 2426

June 6, 1953

Dear Abe:

Am awaiting reply by return
mail about reunion. Also when you
and Virginia expect to be in town and
day for the promised visit.
The other boys have all responded.
Will you set the exact date.
Best wishes to Virginia.
as ever Sol
Very truly, therefore this curt note.

June Sixth, 1923

Miss Alma Paine,
Registrar, Ward-Selmont School,
Nashville, Tennessee.

My dear Miss Paine,

Miss Helen Moss who is seeking entrance
to your School is a graduate of The Temple Religious
School and was confirmed by us last June.

Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Moss, are
members of my Congregation and are well and favorably
known in this community.

Miss Helen is a girl of excellent character
and I feel confident that she will in every respect
prove a credit to your School.

Very sincerely yours,

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June 7th, 1923.

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver,
55th & Central,
Cleveland, O.

My dear Abba:

I am very anxious to see you with reference to an important matter. If you will attend the conference, I will see you there.

If you will not attend the conference, can I see you in New York? If you will ring me at Bryant 7129, I will be glad to meet you at your convenience.

Very sincerely yours,

Jacob B. Pollak

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Dear Friend:-

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Do you know that there is a waiting list as large as the present capacity of the home, every one of them incurably ill, and that the only other place for them is Warrensville?

Until now the Home has been carried on by a small group of women who have given largely of time and money to provide a HOME and affection for these women. They are willing to continue but they can no longer turn aside these pitiful cases of Cleveland women who ask to come in. A new and larger building must be erected, and the women can't do it alone! They need your help. There will be the possibility of the following memorial gifts:

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1,000 to furnish one of the single rooms
600 to keep a patient in comfort for one year.

For your convenience and to permit you to make your cooperation as generous as possible, your contribution may be paid in twelve quarterly payments beginning Sept. 1st.

I know there are other campaigns - I know you have other responsibilities - we all have, but of all our needs certainly we cannot fail to care for these women who might be ours, and who by misfortune have been left friendless, penniless, and ill. None of us can say No! I am sure that you will not. You will be called upon sometime between June 7 - 14th by one of those who are giving not only their money but days of their time for this most worthy cause. I know you will make your contribution as large as possible. Many will feel that five dollars every three months will be all they can afford - a great many will be able, and will therefore want to give much more than that.

Thanking you on behalf of these, I am,

Sincerely yours,

Paul Howland

General Chairman.

June 7th, 1923.

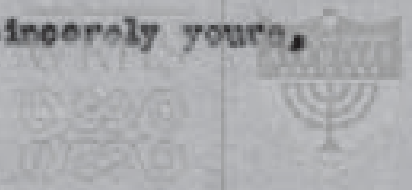
Reznick Menachel & Co.,
46 Canal Street,
New York City.

Gentlemen:

Please send me Abraham Cahana's
"Literature of Jewish History" Vol. 1 and 2.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,



June 7th, 1923.

Dr. Isidor Singer,
a/c Harper & Brothers,
Franklin Square,
New York City.

My dear Dr. Singer,

I owe you an apology for the delay in answering your letters, but I have been moving so much of the time and I have been away from the city so often that much of my correspondence has unfortunately remained unanswered. Add to this the fact that I have somehow misplaced your pamphlet on Social Justice and that I have been looking for it high and low and you will understand why I have not replied any sooner. I would appreciate very much if you would send me another copy of your booklet and I shall be delighted to send you my impression of it.

Trusting that you are well and hoping that I may have the pleasure of seeing you before very long, I beg to remain

Very sincerely yours,

June 7th, 1933.

Mr. Max Englander,
1637 Eddington Rd.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Englander,

Permit me to thank you for your
kind note and for the check which you enclosed.
In keeping with my practice I shall put it in
the small charity fund which I use from time to
time.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

June 7th, 1923.

Miss Rose R. Front,
1109 Main Street,
Wheeling, W. Va.

My dear Rose,

I am sorry that I was compelled to delay so long my reply to your kind letter. I have been so busy here with my new Temple work and have been out of the city so much of the time that I could not get to your letter any sooner; besides we have been in the midst of moving.

I am afraid that I cannot be of much service to you in the writing of your essay. My studies have not been along that line. I think that the secretary of the Chamber of Commerce in Wheeling or the offices of the Rotary Club or one or two business men in your city could be of much greater assistance to you than I am.

Please give my best wishes to your dear parents and be sure to remember me to Jacqueline. I trust that I shall be able to see you when I am in Wheeling next.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

June 7th, 1933.

Dehnen's Jewish Book Shop,
347 Fifth Avenue,
New York City.

Gentlemen:

I am sending you herewith a list of 21 books which I would like to procure. Most of them are Hebrew books. I doubt whether you have them in stock but you may be able to procure them from some of the Hebrew book sellers in New York. I would appreciate very much if you would send them to me at your earliest convenience.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

American-European Freshurun Book Co.

202 EAST BROADWAY

Rabbi A. L. Silver
Cleveland Ohio.

NEW YORK, 6/8 1923

Dear Sir: We are enclosing herewith a list of books and their prices as per your request. You will find the list does not include all books for which you asked, the books of the original list whose prices we did not quote, are out of our stock at present.

Very truly yours,
American-European Freshurun Book Co

Party interested May Karp - 9122 Parkgate Ave

Miriam Karp - detained at Ellis Island.
Steamship Mauretania -

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June 8th, 1923 - 10:30 A.M.

Paid Telegram to

Hebrew Immigrant Aid Society
229 East Broadway
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Please interest yourselves in Miriam Karp and six children, recently
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(Signed) Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver

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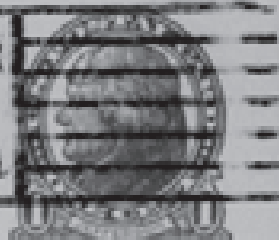
Inclosed find check for ten dollars for services rendered at my dear beloved son, Alton's funeral. Mrs. Cohn and I appreciate the comforting words spoken in our sad hour of bereavement.

Thanking you very kindly, I am,

Very truly yours
S. B. Cohn.



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My Dear Mr. Silver,

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your kind services rendered
at my dear mother's burial.

On behalf of our entire
family accept our utmost
thanks for your kind words
of sympathy and condolence.

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June 11, 1923.

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

Dear Friend:

We are delighted to receive your recent contribution of \$20.00 which was forwarded us by Robert G. Taylor of 1315 W. 102nd St., and we ask you to accept our sincere thanks for this gift.

Could you fully realize how much Russia is suffering today for lack of the commonest necessities of maintenance, you would feel gratified to think that you and other kind friends are helping to meet this terrible need in some degree at least.

A big and important problem, just now, is how to give all the necessary medical attention to those suffering from the various contagious diseases. Malaria is, at present, running through Russia like a terrible scourge and our workers write touching stories of peasants walking for many miles to obtain the few precious tablets of quinine that will cure them of their disease. Some are taking up temporary lodging in places where we have our relief stations, just to be near these sources of medical aid! There is a consensus of opinion that medical assistance in the future will play a larger and larger part in relief work in Russia.

Concerning the feeding, we are distributing rations of flour, cod-liver oil, sugar and cocoa, to 20,000 people in 29 volosts in Pougachev county, as well as to 4800 in the Bashkir Republic and 90,000 in the Buzuluk area.

Again our appreciation for your interest, sympathy and support of our work, I am,

Sincerely,

Acting Executive Secretary.

K:T

June 11th, 1923.

Rabbi Joseph Stolz,
1421 W. Garfield Boulevard,
Chicago, Ill.

My dear Rabbi Stolz,

This will introduce to you
Mrs. Edith Bush. Mrs. Bush was the soprano
in our choir for two years and is now planning
to make her home in Chicago. During her term
of service she proved entirely satisfactory
to The Temple. She has a beautiful soprano voice
and is thoroughly trained and competent. She has
a fine musical reputation in our community. Should
you have at any time a vacancy in your choir, Mrs. Bush
would prove a desirable candidate for the position.

With kindest regards and trusting that
you are well, I beg to remain

Very sincerely yours,

June 11th, 1923.

American-European Jewish Book Co.,
202 East Broadway,
New York City.

Gentlemen:


Please send me the books listed on
the enclosed sheet.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

CCNY
0500





June 11th, 1923.

Mr Solomon Cohen,
8807 - 104th Street,
Richmond Hill,
Long Island, N.Y.

My dear Sol,

Please pardon the delay in answering your letter of the 16th. I have been out of the city so much of the time. I plan to attend the Central Conference Convention in June. I think it closes on the 2nd or 3rd of July. It may be possible for me to come to New York for the 4th of July and spend a day or two there. If you can arrange to get a group together I shall of course be delighted to be with them.

With kindest regards, to Anna, I beg to remain

Very sincerely yours,

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Rabbi A. M. Silver,
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Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Rabbi Silver,

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of
your kind favor of the 7th inst., with
enclosed order for various books. Am
trying to get them together and will
probably send some of them in a few
days. A great number, however, can not
be obtained in this country, and I shall
have to write to Europe for them.

With thanks and kindest regards, I remain

Very sincerely yours,

Levin Behrman

June 12th, 1923.

Mr. A. E. Bernstein,
Engineers Bldg.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Bernstein,

I am taking the liberty of writing to you. The bearer, Mr. S. Racz is a graduate attorney from Hungary. He and his family are now residents of Cleveland. Mr. Racz has had great difficulty in procuring employment. He appears to me to be a highly intelligent man and deserving of any assistance that we can render him. I wonder whether in your large acquaintance among attorneys of this city, you could not find someone who may have need of an interpreter or someone who knows Hungarian and German thoroughly.

Any courtesies which you may extend to him would be deeply appreciated by me.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

June 13th, 1923.

Mr. J. Pollock,
1676 Eddington Rd.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Pollock,

Permit me to thank you for
your kind note and for the check which
you enclosed. In keeping with my custom
I shall put it in a small charity fund
whihh I use from time time.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

June 13th, 1923.

Rabbi Jacob E. Pollak,
1530 Broadway,
New York City.

My dear Jacob,

I plan to attend the conference
this year and I shall be very happy to
see you there.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

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Rabbi Abba Silver,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Dr. Silver:

It was my great pleasure to be present at the Dinner of the Purchasing Agents Association in Cleveland on May 17th, and listen to your address. Since then I have really intended several times to write you, but in the press of business it has been postponed, but I do want to tell you how greatly I enjoyed your address, and I have enjoyed it again by having been able to read part of it in the magazine.

Vision such as you have, is not only wonderful, but when you can paint the picture that others can see it in the way that you did, it is a gift that any one would envy.

I remember your address as one of the shining lights at our Convention, and I hope that I will sometime have the great pleasure of again hearing you, and I am

Very sincerely,

Char. A. Steele

6/13/23

Mrs. Jos. Krauskopf.
a/c Congregation Keneseth Israel,
4715 Pulaski Ave.,
Philadelphia, Pa.

I have just learned with
deep regret of the death of Dr. Krauskopf.
and hasten to tender you the sincere sympathy
of Mrs. Silver and myself.

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver.

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Rabbi A. H. Silver,
1485 East 106th St.,
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Dear Rabbi Silver,

After a number of efforts I have succeeded in obtaining eight books for you, which I am sending by express prepaid under separate cover. It is hardly likely that I shall be able to get the balance in this country, and would have to write to Europe for same. Would you be good enough to let me know whether you are willing to wait until I bring them from abroad, which will probably take about six or eight weeks.

Waiting to hear from you, and with thanks for the order, I remain

Very sincerely yours,

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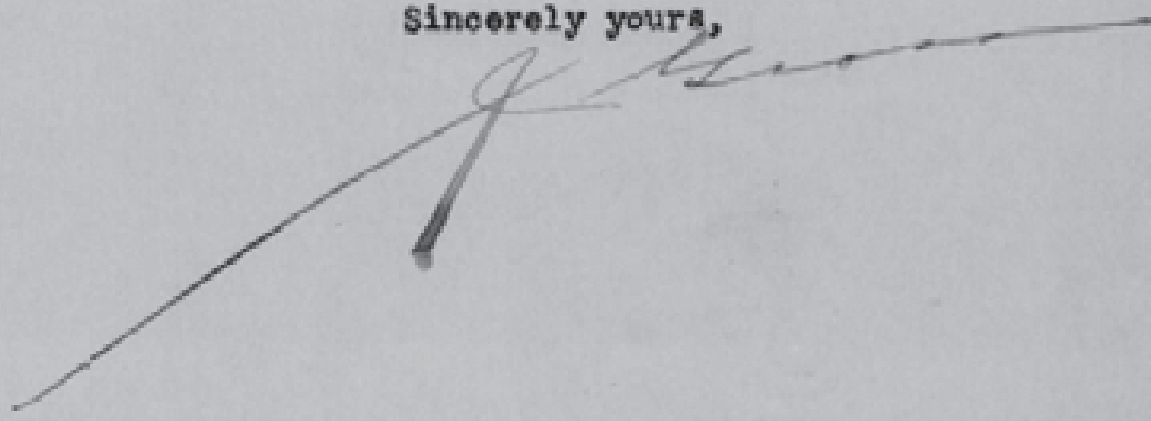
Rabbi Silver,
c/o E. 55th St. Temple,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Dr. Silver:-

You will remember that at Edith's wedding I promised to forward you a pamphlet "Can Jew and Christian Worship Together?" I have not overlooked it but have had a little difficulty in getting to the Community Church and securing it.

I trust that you will find it interesting and with kindest regards to both you and your wife, I am

Sincerely yours,



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Please put through the article away
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M. H. H. H.

I have for a long time
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Dr. Herzl Zion Club

New York, June 18, 1923

Dear Herzlites:-

After a lapse of four years the inseparable friends of the Dr. Herzl Zion Club will meet again at a reunion. This reunion will be somewhat different than the previous ones, as it will be a gathering of ONLY the "old guard" - those who were Herzlites in deed and in spirit and who are tied to one another by the strongest bonds of friendship.

That evening we shall again be carried back to those memorable days of our boyhood, the days of "David Bamilchomc," "Moishe Rabbeinu" and "Mechiras Yosef," and we shall once more all join in the singing of those never-to-be-forgotten Herzl hymns - the songs of our Hebrew performances.

All our Rabbis - Sam Abrams, Barney Brickner, Ben Friedman, Abe Feldman, Abe Silver, all our social workers, educators, physicians, accountants and Wall Street magnates will be present.

The reunion will be in the form of a dinner (with LATKES as one of the courses) and will be held at Weinberger's 17 West 24th Street, Thursday evening, July 5th, at 7:00 P.M. The fee is \$4.00 per plate. Kindly remit as soon as possible by check, money order, or draft to Sol Cohen, 71 West 23 Street, Room 1711, New York. A card of admission will then be mailed to you.

You must make reservation for your plate not later than Wednesday, June 26th. You would greatly facilitate the work of the Committee by sending in your reservation immediately upon receipt of this letter.

With Herzl greetings,

ISRAEL S. CHIPKIN
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My dear Dr. Silver,

Would you be so kind to use your good offices in behalf of Dr. Margaret Stohr, who has applied for a position in the Womens' Hospital 1946 E. 101st St. Cleveland, Ohio.

I met Dr. Stohr a few years ago in Vienna. She was connected with the Von Pirquet Clinic, in Vienna, and more especially with the First University Womens' Clinic in Vienna, and is of course an exceptionally well trained physician with considerable experience. Her personality is splendid, and I am sure that the Womens' Hospital would be grateful to you and to me if they could obtain the services of Dr. Stohr.

Very likely there will come with this a letter from Professor Landstein of the Rockefeller Institute who knows Dr. Stohr from Vienna.

Dr. Stohr is about thirty years of age, has a most pleasing personality, and has of course the very highest credentials which the Medical Universities give to its graduates.

With greetings from my son and myself, and my personal thanks for anything that you may do for Dr. Stohr, I am

Yours sincerely,

June 18th, 1920.

Mr. A. W. Fox,
The May Co.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Fox,

The bearer of this letter is my friend Mr. Leon Feuer. Mr. Feuer has been a student at the Hebrew Union College in Cincinnati and would like to put his summer months to some use and profit. I spoke to Mr. Dauby about him last Friday and Mr. Dauby said that he could undoubtedly find some work for Mr. Feuer at the May Co. and suggested that I request Mr. Feuer to see you. You will find the bearer of this letter a very capable and intelligent man. Any courtesies which you may extend to him will be deeply appreciated by me.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

SOLOMON COHEN
ACCOUNTANT AND AUDITOR
71 WEST 23RD STREET
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—
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June 18, 1923

Dear Abe:

Was glad to receive your favorable reply about the reunion. So were the others whose signatures appear on the enclosed letter. One thing I know: on your word we can build! Henry Kubitz is promised to bring the pictures of the last reunion. ~~we will not pass it up~~

When at Cape May see Feldman, who is the only one who ~~would~~ do not shake up his head about coming and pull him along.

This will be a reunion of the old group out of the 50's.

An immediate reply to the enclosed letter will be greatly appreciated by us. It will act as an incentive to us to make first-class arrangements.
As ever yours

Bob
Remembers me to Virginia. Anna
and her best wishes to you and
yours.

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June 20th, 1923.

Mr. Jacob Gross,
25 West 45th St.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Mr. Gross,

Permit me to thank you for
your thoughtfulness in sending me
Dr. Polace's address on "Can Jew and
Christian Worship Together". I shall
of course read it with a great deal
of interest as I have regard and great
admiration for Dr. Polace.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

June 20th, 1923.

Mr. George Myers,
Guardian Building,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Myers,

It might perhaps be advisable to invite a few more to join our group. Our group is so small that the absence of two or three is decidedly noticeable. I am planning to have Dr. Mann and Dr. Englander at the meeting this coming Friday evening and I would like to have a full attendance.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

June 30th, 1923.

Mr. Louis Bohrmann,
347 Fifth Ave.,
New York City.

My dear Mr. Bohrmann,

Permit me to acknowledge receipt of the books for which I am enclosing a check herewith. I shall try to get some of the books direct from Europe myself. I am afraid of the prices you are quoting. There is no excuse at all for paying \$4.00 for Zune, an abominable printed book, a war product which was undoubtedly purchased in Germany for a song and somebody fooled you on the Meer Bayin.

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My dear Rabbi Silver,

This is the continuation & resumption of a little discussion which was interrupted last January or February. You recall that we were talking about the rise of the idea of immortality among the Jews, which as we all know was very late; and I cited the story of the legend as a classical instance in point, illustrating how keenly the Jews (or the narrators of the story) felt the embarrassing position in which God was placed by allowing the martyr to die & the Roman to live. If immortality had been a living doctrine of the time, this problem could not have been felt, at any rate not with such acuteness (precisely as in the case of the Hook of God); immortality in fact is crystallized &

confirmed of precisely this situation
15 2101 201 15 211 133 - that is, it is the
of such tragic experience.

Now the legend I quoted is interest-
ingly interesting because of the open & un-
asked away in which it uncovers the
problem - uncovers the helpless position
in which God is placed. When God is con-
fronted with the question how he can
allow it all, he replies not with an an-
swer but with a threat - which as you
know is good psychology: the man who
has no answer gets mad.

You demolished my nice little argu-
ment by quoting the text, and I had to
agree because I was relying on a version
which I had not seen for 25 years - I
remembered it as a boy in an old Mag-
azine of my father's. I have now re-discovered
it and I thought you might be inter-
ested in seeing the actual words, which
have stuck in my memory not because
I had thoughts about a finite God, or
the transition-stage in the development
of the immortalizing concept, or any such
high-falutin' things, but because as a
boy I was simply amazed at the simplicity
& honesty with which Jews could picture

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their God.

Now it is. I find it in the ritual service for Tisha B'Av according to the Sephardic rite (in a 17th c. or so printed in Livorno), though I am almost sure it is a quite common piece printed in the full Machzor for Yom Kippur in use among Russian Jews.

You possibly may know it but I want to give it to you. It begins in the ordinary way *וְעַתָּה יְהוָה אֱלֹהֵינוּ*. Then the story how the Roman Caesar Trips up the over *וְהָיָה כִּי יִשְׁמַע הַרְשָׁף* on a question of Jewish law. What is the penalty for selling a Jew into slavery? Death of course. Very well then, you must die, for you prefathered sold Joseph into slavery. They ask for a 3 days' respite: *וְעַתָּה יְהוָה אֱלֹהֵינוּ*. They send up R. Jehuad b. Eliska Cohen Gabol to inquire from the angel *מִלְאָכִים*, named Gabriel, *וְהָיָה כִּי יִשְׁמַע הַרְשָׁף*. He answers: you are caught: *וְעַתָּה יְהוָה אֱלֹהֵינוּ*. *וְעַתָּה יְהוָה אֱלֹהֵינוּ*

Then the story of the agony. As Simon
b. Gamliel's head falls, Ishmael cries
out: *הנה המהרה את אמו עיני איה אלל ימי*
In the case of Ishmael himself the daughter
of the Caesar, looking on & caught by
his beauty (*מה עיני איה מה*), asks for a sign
of execution, which is refused, so she
asks for the skin of his face (*מה עיני איה מה*
מה עיני איה מה). As he is flayed he cries
out aloud, & then follows the colloquy
which I had in mind:

*ימי מה צעקו במרה. זו מרה וזו שברה. מה פלא
מרה. אולי מנהל שם אל גזון ונראה ומהלך אל דברי
מרה:*
*מרה בר קול ממה. אה קול מה אהלך אלם אלם.
מהלך ומהלך אלם. מהלך (namely heaven & earth). מהלך מהלך
מהלך. מהלך מהלך מהלך:*

The answer of a God in despair & agony
himself.

If I have bored you, forgive me; but
I really thought you might be interested
in my ^{view} thoughts & in the support for it.

I hardly had a chance to see you in
Cape May, which I regret very much.
Particularly do I want to know how

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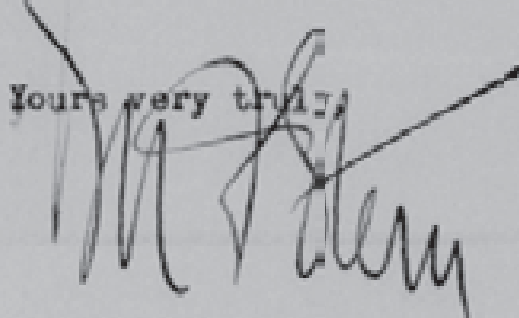
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Rev. Dr. A. H. Silver,
Cleveland,
Ohio.

Dear Sir:

It is with extreme regret that I found, on my visit to Cleveland yesterday, that there were several matters in connection with the death of the late Mr. Desenberg which had been overlooked, and I beg to hand you the enclosed as a slight token of the deep sense of appreciation we have for the kindly services you rendered in the matter.

Yours very truly,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "M. H. Silver", is written over the typed name "M. H. Silver". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

June 22nd, 1923.

Mr. Solomon Cohen,
71 W. 23rd Street,
New York City.

My dear Sol,

Nothing preventing I shall
be with you on Thursday, July 5th.
I would suggest that none but the boys
be present as the presence of others,
parents and wives gives a totally different
aspect to the gathering.

With kindest regards and looking
forward to seeing you, I am

As ever,

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Dear Rabbi Silver,

Your kind favor of the 20th inst. with enclosed check for \$19.70 duly to hand, for which accept my thanks. I am sorry you do not care for the Zunz book and the Moer Enayim, I would prefer if you would mail them back to me as it will be no difficulty for me to return the books to the parties I bought them from. I could get Zunz book in the original edition which would cost you about \$5.50, but it is in a dilapidated condition, many of the pages are marked up, etc. Should you however, prefer the old edition, I can purchase it for you.

It is impossible to get any books in Europe for a song any more: The European book-sellers have become wise and they charge according to the American dollar. Some of the books you asked for I could have obtained, but they asked such exorbitant prices that I ~~have~~ decided to purchase no more, and send you all that I had.

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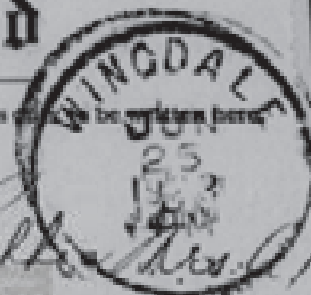
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sely. Hope you are
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E. 55th & Central Ave.,
Cleveland, Ohio

My dear Rabbi Silver:

May we not respectfully remind you that your annual contribution towards the maintenance of our Yeshiva, had not been received in our office as yet?

We understand that our representative presented to you a memorandum for the same, but that you were very busy and could not attend to it at that time.

We know of your readiness to help our cause and we, therefore, are certain that should this matter have not escaped your attention, you would certainly remit the same directly to our office, for which we beg to express to you our thanks and appreciation in advance.

Anticipating your kind remittance

Sincerely yours,

Samuel F. Bar
Manager.

SLS:EB

June 27th, 1923.

American European Book Co.,
202 East Broadway,
New York City.

Gentlemen:

I am enclosing herewith a check
for the books which you sent me. From
time to time send me your catalogue of
Hebrew books in your possession.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

PAUL HOWLAND
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Rabbi A. H. Silver,
1485 E. 106th St.,
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Dear Sir:

We wish to take this opportunity of thanking you for your cooperation in the splendid success of the Eliza Jennings Campaign. As the result of the fine response of friends like yourself Cleveland is assured of a home adequate to care for the many women incurably ill who now are practically homeless. You will rejoice with us in this achievement.

According to our records your pledge is for \$ 50.00
payable Sept. 1st, 1923.

If this is not in agreement with your understanding will you not kindly advise us at once in order that we may correct our records. Checks should be made payable to,-

Mr. Corliss E. Sullivan, Treasurer,
Eliza Jennings Campaign Fund,
Central National Bank Savings & Trust Co.,
Kirby Bldg., Cleveland, Ohio.

For your convenience we will send reminders of payments due.

Again thanking you for your practical help, I am,

Sincerely yours,

Emily L. Orr
President, Board of Managers.

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"She Might Be Yours, You Know"

LIST OF DECEASED
BENEFACTORS

Caroline Weil	\$1000.00
Amelia Mandelbaum	100.00
Isaac Lefr	500.00
Jon. E. Schoenberg	200.00
Anonymous	100.00
Flora Schwab	500.00
Wm. Goldstein	100.00
Joseph and Rosa Rosenwasser	100.00
Kaufman Hays	250.00
Jon. Blalocky	250.00
Jon. H. Glauber	500.00
Emanuel Halle	500.00
Jacob Mandelbaum	500.00
Joseph Hays	250.00
Morris Joseph	500.00
Morris Goldstein	100.00
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The Hebrew Free Loan Association

2491 East 55th Street

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אחיד עסק. את כספך לא
תתן בנשך

וירא כ"ח ל"ד

Thou shalt fear the Lord and let
thy brother live with thee. Thy
money thou shalt not lend him
upon interest.

Leviticus XXV, 36-37

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*Enclosed please find Copy of petition
I mailed to - all the executives
of benevolent institutions - an
a year ago - but they did not
act upon -
The Copy may aid you to
frame a similar petition to
form with present demands -
without being obliged to submit
to any minority opposed to your
plan - this can be done under
the Laws of the Constitution & By Laws
of the Federation.*

*Internally yours
Markus Feder Sr*

ALAN R. MORSE
30 COURT STREET
BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS
June 30, 1923.

Rabbi Abba Silver,-

In an effort to determine whether our expenditures for music are excessive we are making a comparison of the appropriations of other congregations of about our size, and our Rabbi Harry Levi has given me your name as one who might help.

Could you tell me (a) the salary of your organist or choirmaster, (b) the total of other expenditures for music in connection with services in your Synagogue, and (c) the average number of singers in your Sunday choir. Any other information concerning music in its relation to your congregation will, I am sure, be helpful, and I shall be greatly obliged to you for any data you may be willing to furnish.

Yours very truly,

Alan R. Morse

Chairman Music Committee
Congregation Adath Israel.

Rabbi Abba Silver
55th St. and Central Ave.,
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