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Burton re: "European situation"; correspondence
concerning purchase of plot, Farm Migdal, near Tiberias,
1923 November-December.

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Rabbi A. H. Silver,
c/o The Temple,
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NOVEMBER FIRST
1923

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

My dear Maurice,

Thanks for your letter of October fifteenth.
I was very happy to hear from you. Keep me in touch
with your work from time to time. I shall be in
Cincinnati before long and look forward to the pleasure
of seeing you.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

GUS C. MOSS

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November First
1923

Miss Nettie Levenson,
1948 East 97th Street,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Miss Levenson,

For the first text in preparation
for teaching in our High School, I would suggest

Jacob's "Jewish Contribution to
Civilization".

I believe we have it in our Library
and it is in the Public Library.

As a second book I would suggest-

Cohen's "Jews of Today"

I will from time to time bring
other books to your attention. Please keep
me in touch with the progress of your studies.

With kindest regards, I beg to remain

Very sincerely yours,

November 2nd, 1923

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

My dear Leon,

I was glad to receive your letter and to learn that you graduated from the Preparatory Department with "distinction". I expect to be in Cincinnati during the month of December. We can then get together and talk things over. For the time being keep me in touch with your progress.

With kindest regards from Mrs. Silver and myself, I am

Very sincerely yours,

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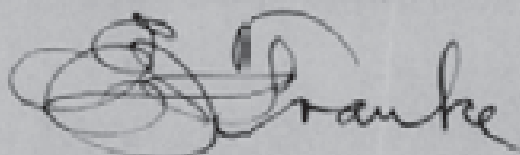
Rabbi Silver,
1485 East 106th St.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Sir:

We understand that you have been requested by
Carrie Diets to mail us your check for your monthly rent.

If she has communicated these instructions to you,
please mail us a check for the rent for the month of
December when due.

Yours very truly,



E. J. Franke,
Assistant Treasurer.

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Nov. 3, 1923

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

My dear Sol:

Your lovely newey letter was forwarded to me from Cleveland. I enjoyed reading it very much.

In connection with the Re-Union last July I want to remind you that I did send a telegram and I was under the impression that that telegram had been received and read. I was called back suddenly to Cleveland for a very important meeting of my new Temple building committee.

I do not know just when I shall be in New York. Virginia has not been well and I am here with her for some medical consultation. I am reducing my lecture engagements this year to a minimum. While I am making no definite promise, I shall try to be with your organization some time before long.

Please remember me to Anna.

With kindest regards, I am,

As ever,

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Nov. 5, 1923

Rabbi A.H. Silver,
The Temple,
City.

Dear Doctor:-

Enclosed you will
find a communication for the Department of Labor
concerning Rabbi Leifer which seems to serve his
purpose. I am also enclosing the affidavits left
with me.

Sincerely yours,

Maurice Maschke

EM:G

SOLOMON COHEN
ACCOUNTANT AND AUDITOR
71 WEST 23RD STREET
NEW YORK CITY
—
PHONE GRAMERCY 2436

8807-104th St.,
Richmond Hill, L.I. Nov. 8, 1923

Dear Abba:

I have your letter of November 3rd. I was very sorry to hear that Virginia has not been feeling well. I hope she is feeling better now. I trust and feel confident that you will keep in mind my congregation and that when you will be in or near New York you will remember my congregation of Richmond Hill. You will no doubt advise me about a week or so in advance of the date and subject of your lecture, so that we may make the necessary arrangements. If I could know two or three weeks ahead it would be still better for I want to make this a gala affair for the entire congregation. I have not mistaken your once delivered sermon on "Jew and Gentile, Will they ever unite?" Has that sermon ever been published? If so, I should appreciate if you would mail me a copy. I have all your sermons that are for sale at Blooms, but he has not the sermon referred to above.

Wishing you and Virginia best of health,
Yours ever, Sol

P.S. Anna wishes to be remembered to you both.

November 9th, 1923.

Palestine Co-operative Company,
15 William Street,
New York City.

Gentlemen:

I note the bill which you sent me for \$400. As soon as I have received from you a check for \$350 covering the traveling expenses involved in my trip to the Pacific coast a year ago last August in behalf of the Palestine Development League, I shall be very pleased to pay my subscription.

Sincerely,

November 9th, 1923.

Mr. Roy S. Sampliner,
54 East 23rd St.,
New York City.

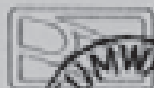
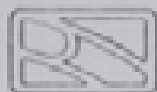
My dear Roy,

Nothing preventing I shall be
with you on Tuesday, February 12th.

With kindest regards and best
wishes, I am

Very sincerely yours,

En Route - Nov. 9th



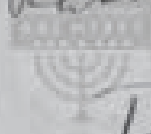
THE NATIONAL PARK SERVICE

Sorry you could
be with us on Nov. 9th.
Hope your wife has
recuperated. We are
bound for the "Wied &
Woody" West. Thanks
so much for message
of congratulations.
Ellinor & Art Steiner.

POST
CARD



Rabbi G. H. Silver



The Temple

E 55th St

Cleveland

Ohio

November 10th, 1923.

Mrs. Adolph Tuteur,
Oakwood Drive,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mrs. Tuteur,

I have just returned from a protracted visit to Baltimore and learned to my great chagrin, my failure to attend the interment of your dear departed husband last week. I can account for this in no other way but by the fact that both Mrs. Silver and I were terribly upset and worried last Sunday and Monday by the announcement of the doctor that Mrs. Silver would have to undergo an operation. We left Monday afternoon for Baltimore where Mrs. Silver has been operated upon and I am grateful to say is rapidly improving.

I am indeed sorry that this has occurred and I trust that you will understand. I am leaving again tomorrow night for Baltimore and upon our return Mrs. Silver and I shall give ourselves the pleasure of calling upon you.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

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November 12, 1923.

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

My dear Mr. Silver:-

I am very glad to note that you have spoken so frankly in regard to the European situation. While I would go somewhat farther than is intimated by the brief synopsis of your address, I very strongly commend your view of the situation, which unfortunately is misunderstood in this country, or is treated from the standpoint of a superficial view of the situation which would accomplish no good results.

With my kind regards,

Very sincerely yours,

TEB/EJ

Theodore E. Burton

M. C. AND I. N. STONE

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Nov. 12, 1923.

Rabbi A.H. Silver,
City.

Dear Sir:-

I am herewith enclosing check
for \$25.00 being fee for officiating at my
father's funeral.

I regret very much that I have
been unable to favor you before this time,
but owing to the fact that the executors were
unable to issue any disbursements before this
time, I am enclosing check under this cover.

Yours very truly,

M. C. Stone

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Lorain Ohio Nov 12nd 23

Mr A. H. Silver

My dear Sir,

Excuse me for this wish of mine
to write you. Commending your
remarks on Armistice day. and
with what you say. I will assume
you are my views. So far as all
other nations, called Eurasse
are concerned, and they as a
people at no time since Adam.
Never saw fit to make their
fellow man his neighbour
while Jealousy was their
Inane Sphere, and what
they framed up to do, they
Butchered and massacre was done
in it most brutal manner.

they were at all times in a
thence of War fare, and the
thots of making their Country
habitable, and make better conditions
for the people to remain at
Home, instead, they migrated.
And America got her full share
of real Home Seekers, and are
here to stay. God bless them.
They wanted the wings of the
Stars and stripes to Hover them.
we find that there are only a
few in each of those Nations
cultured enough to formulate
for the people's good, and the
many aggregated matters are
questioned as you well know
is just simply a case of
Arbitration. 3 or 4 times a year.

³ And Again, with all, while
they are supposed, by those
who seem to know, are only
170,000,000 years old, and yet
so deplete in 1923, with their every
efforts, in this case, what more
can America expect of them when
they are "so deplete", and as you say
"there is nothing else we should do,"
or should be done,
while 2 and a few yet remain of
the Civil War veterans, who help
make it possible for America,
not yet 600 years old, with its
Old Glory spreading its wings
around our Cultural men who dare
say with out fear or molest, for his
Country which he comes to make it, HOME
Land, yours for Charity at Home. First,
Clarence E. Doane
5-39 Washington Ave Lorain Ohio

IRVING B. HEXTER

Nov 12, 1922

Dear Mr Silver:

Please "chop out" of your
engagement book the fateful Tuesday
January eighth for me. It will be a
very eventful day for both Eva and
myself and we want you with us.
More harrowing details as ^{to} time and
place later - I'll see you personally
about them.

Sincerely
Irving B. Hexter

November Thirteenth
1923

My dear Mrs. Auerbach,

On account of my frequent absence from the City and the great burden of work incidental to the building of our new Temple, I have delayed the writing of this note.

I desire to thank you for your generous gift to me. In accordance with my custom, I shall place the amount in a little charity fund of my own, for which I find numerous calls.

While sincerely regretting the occasion, I am happy to be of service to you in your sorrow.

With kindest regards, and again thanking you, I am

Very sincerely yours,

Mrs. Henry Auerbach,
7021 Hough Avenue,
Cleveland, Ohio.

November 13th, 1923.

Mr. Benjamin H. Stone,
501 Kirby Building,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Stone,

Permit me to acknowledge your letter of November 12th. There is no fee in connection with my officiating at any funeral. I shall in keeping with my custom set aside your kind gift in a small charity fund which I use from time to time.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

November 13th, 1923.

Mr. Irving B. Hexter,
2218 Superior Ave.
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Hexter,

I have set aside the evening
of January 8th for you. I shall be
delighted to be of service to you.

With kindest regards to
Miss Joseph, I beg to remain

Very sincerely yours,

November 13th, 1923.

Mr. Ben Silver,
1129 East Blvd.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Silver,

Please send me your check
and I will forward the entire amount to
Mr. Glikin.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

November 13th, 1923.

Mr. M. S. Bialosky,
8120 Kinsman Rd.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Bialosky,

Please send me your check and
I will forward the entire amount to Mr. Glikin.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

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November fourteenth
1923

Mr. A. Rubin,
2811 Avondale Road,
Cleveland Heights, O.

My dear Mr. Rubin,

Please pardon the delay in acknowledging your letter of October 29th. I have been away from the city a great deal of later

I shall be very happy to receive Dr. Clay's book, and I appreciate very much your writing to me.

Of course I did not say that all the legends of the Book of Genesis were borrowed from the Babylonians. I was rather certain that the Blood Legend was, and as for the others, they belong to the common stock of ideas of a primitive people.

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

Very sincerely yours,

November fourteenth
1923

Miss Mary Rennels,
Literary Editor,
Cleveland News,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Miss Rennels,

Permit me to thank you for your note of
October twenty-sixth. I have not as yet had a chance
to read Hall Caine's "The Woman of Knockaloe", and so
am not in a position to send you my reactions.

If at any time I may be of service to you
please do not hesitate to call upon me.

Very sincerely yours,



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Cleveland, Ohio November 14, 1923.

Rabbi Silver,
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Rabbi:

I am sending you under separate cover, a piece of literature which I think is one of the finest things I ever had the opportunity of reading, and I hope you will forgive me for taking the liberty of having this printed and framed.

I remain,

Respectfully yours,

JR/HO

Jack Rosenblum
The Bailey Company.

Palestine Development Leagues
Central Committee
15 William Street

IN ASSOCIATION WITH
PALESTINE DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL

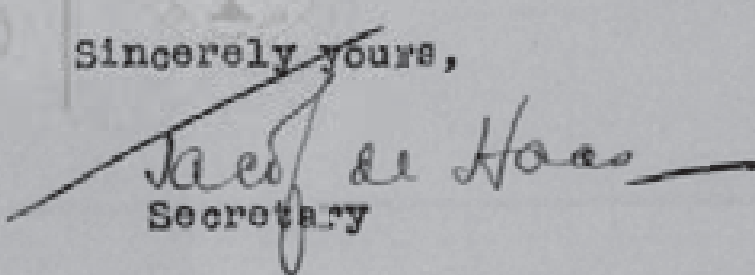
New York,
November 15, 1923

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver,
The Temple,
East 55th Street & Central,
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Rabbi Silver:

I will take up the matter
of your note of the 9th in a few days because
the liability is on the Leagues, and not on the
Palestine Cooperative Company.

Sincerely yours,


Secretary

JdeH/RDC

711 Emerson Street
Evanston, Ill.
Nov. 15, '23.

Ruth Abba Hallel Silver
Cleveland, Ohio.
My Honored Sir:

The Enclaves
Nos 7 verso were insured
by your address on last
Monday are at the Synagogue
in Chicago. . . . as it was
insured at that time, I pass
it on for your perusal & to
keep the Enclaves copy.
I myself have been raised
by gentiles, having lived in
Evanston since 1902 at which

time we moved from Leavenworth
Kansas when I was fourteen years old.
I have always loved the Jewish people
& have gone to them in time of need.
I went to the Synagogue to interview
Rabbi Hurvich, about ten days ago.
I had concerning my parents
I have written other poems "A Song
of Hope" and "God is my Father" which
I left with Mr. Schramm. &
copies of some I sent to Rabbi Hurvich
from Leavenworth. Whether I was
then most unexpectedly three days
after I went to the Synagogue in
December.

I have longed to see a
Christian church of the Jews
built after the architecture
of Solomon's Temple & lived
with the illuminated paintings
of Christian art in doors of Christ.
This is the Jews' heritage - the
art museum, & Christmas festival days.
An inner committee of elders
the boys who pass the text
of annotation on the scriptures in
Hebrew - otherwise, in English.
I have worked for a committee
of Hebrews to do research work
& compile the new Testament.

Writings in this present day
Do you say: I am modern!
I left with Mr. Schwartz some
of my experience in the Church
Church? Today - I if I appear
bitter toward the gentile church
I am not bitter toward my
Christ. I long for a clean
Christian Jewish Church to
which the gentiles might
wish that they could belong.

I very much enjoyed
your scholarly, thoughtful
and well organized address.
I graduated from Northwestern
University in 1910 on M.A. in 1918
and M. R. E. from Boston in 1920
So believe me also a thoughtful
student.
Yours very sincerely,
Janet May Traister

Nov. 12 Seeking!

Monday Eve, I stood in the balcony
There was no room for me to sit ^{down}
For the seats were full and the hall
From wall to wall, around ^{was crowded}.

My soul was thrilled, my heart
As I listened to the ^{was stirred} message
As the speaker ^{night} most quietly
but ^{but} freshly told
Us the quest of the ^{the} restless life.

Seeking!

Seeking - Seeking - Seeking
In countryside and town
Seeking - Seeking - Seeking
For rest, the world around.

Souls in the country Seeking
Souls in the city's glare - do seek
Souls in the heat of midday
Souls in the darkest night - ye seek.

Seeking for luxury and money
For a larger house For this life
Seeking for diamonds and rubies

That he might adorn his wife.

Another seeks food and shelter
Just for his daily bread
To give to his hungry children
That they might be well fed.

Seeking - Seeking - Seeking
In countryside and town
Some for the luxuries of life
And some for the daily pound.

But for each to quell the heart
That feeling of ^{hunger} emptiness fills
Long for a fuller existence
A calm which says "be still"

In the house with its many windows
In the house with fire in one room
Seeking - Seeking - Seeking
For rest and calm to come soon.

We are told that in helping others
The greatest benefit comes
To love ourselves in others
Gives to life the biggest boon.

Christ His own self He did send
To work with God the Creator
and the soul with emotion, oft sent.

For one God did wish for expression
For a closer touch He longed, with mankind
So He sent His own personality
Which in Christ Jesus we find.

Flesh & blood, soul, & passion
In man, three in one
Like to God, a Trinity
In man we have found.

God the Creator
The Holy Spirit, His soul
Christ the expression
And personality, known.

Thus Trinity in God
And in man, yes, we find
A wonderful Trinity
Of God and mankind.

7 Samantha Joy Mayflower
711 Emerson Street,
Branford, Conn.

Divinity and Personality
Personality that quality of power
Given to each as their own
Which only themselves can alter
Given to them alone.

Not like money or worldly possessions
This personality God gave is divine
The more we give to others
Still more in ourselves, we find

From God the greatest creator
The framer of worlds and of men
He gave and created our bodies
Flesh & ~~bone~~, a framework, we know

This outer frame, He created
Then the Soul of Himself He sent
He gave us love and emotion
To have a soul to mankind, He lent

In this framework, with its soul
and person
God longed for expression to find
So He sent personality to bless us
To give expression to them and mankind
That His own personality might touch us

He took the lonely Jesus and
crowned that unselfish life
For that Jew who lived in the
centuries behind
Lives now in cathedrals and
music and art
But most of all in the lives
of mankind.

Seeking - Seeking - Seeking
In unselfish endeavor we find
Ourselves and others together
Crowned
When in giving to others,
Ourselves we have found.

77 Lombard Street, New York

711 Emerson St.

Granston
Dec 11

Myself I have emptied ² for others
My goods I have given away
My soul is still longing and empty
For they took what I gave and
Said nay.

Have others lost themselves in vain
Is there one other forgotten, alone
Ah yes - 'tis the lovely Jesus
He gave himself and His own.

"Forgive them, Father" said Jesus
I commit myself unto Thee
Take Father my offering I offer
I gave it to them for Thee.

So the Father took of his offering
Both of substance and self, all
He took that life which ^{He gave} was given
For Christ bought Himself
Not to save.

As God planned the loaves & the
As Mark says in the ^{gospel} Holy Book
So God took a life fully given
And made it to grow, for us.

Glickin

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Nov. 15th, 1923.

Rabbi Aba Millel Silver,
The Temple,
55th & Central,
Cleveland, O.

My dear Rabbi:-

I am enclosing check for \$200.00 being balance
that I owe on Migdal Land, purchased from Mr. Glickin.

Will you have the kindness to forward this money
and get the deed for the property.

Sincerely yours,

S. Ulmer

BEN SILVER
1820 CLEVELAND DISCOUNT BLDG.
CLEVELAND, O.

November 15th, 1923.

Rabbi A.H. Silver,
E. 55th & Central Ave.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Rabbi:-

Enclosed please find my check for
\$200.00 to apply on account; balance will be
forwarded the early part of next year.

Very respectfully,

BS:FM

Ben Silver

*Malady pay me \$50 for
in Apr. 1922 - this is in
B. Silver - on his account*

November 16th, 1923.

Mrs. Geo. Benberger,
1490 East 106th St.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mrs. Benberger,

I have just returned from Baltimore where Mrs. Silver is splendidly recuperating from her recent illness and she requested me to tell you how much she appreciated your invitation for Wednesday, November 21st, and how sorry she is that she will not be able to be with you. She will probably not be back in Cleveland until the end of the month.

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

Very sincerely yours,

November 16th, 1923.

Bloch Publishing Co.,
26 East 22nd St.,
New York City.

Gentlemen:

Kindly send to Rabbi A.H. Silver,
c/o The Temple, Cleveland, one copy each
of

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Cabbalistic Midrashic texts with
commentaries.

Very truly yours,

11/17/23

Mrs. A. H. Silver,
Woman's Hospital
Baltimore, Md.

Busy as a beaver and feeling fine. Will
see you before long. Have you been sitting
up much? Keep well, my love

Abba

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Rabbi A. H. Silver

Permit me, my dear Rabbi,
in behalf of my brothers and sisters and myself,
who mourn the loss of our beloved mother,
to express, in a small measure at least, our
sincere thanks for your beautiful service
and your kind, comforting words, alleviating
our immense grief and inspiring us with
hope in place of despair.

I wish we were able to materially show
our full appreciation, but trust, you will
accept our small token of our gratitude
in the spirit it is given, with our devout
prayer to the Almighty to reward you with
His blessings and grant you a long, useful
life as a great leader of your race" p. 111
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With profound respect and admiration
Yours very sincerely

Mrs. Eva Rosenthal

Mrs. Gertrude Price

A. Berkstein

2845 Mayfield Rd

DAVID ARMSTRONG
10720 MARSH AVE.
CLEVELAND, OHIO

Cleveland Ohio

Nov 19th 1922

My Dear Mr Silver

Your address yesterday
afternoon in our Judgement
The best we have heard as yet
it was convincing instructive
and to the point at issue; we
were somewhat reluctant regarding
our subscription but your
wonderfull address convinced us of
rightness of the cause you
represent. God Bless you my Brother
in hopes your good words will make
the same impression on many others
that it made on us

Sincerely Yours
David and Emma
Armstrong
1072a Massie ave
Cleveland
Ohio



Mr. and Mrs. Leon Klee

announce the marriage of their daughter

Sara

to

Mr. Benjamin Siegel Lichtenstein

on Monday, the nineteenth of November

One thousand nine hundred and twenty-three

in the City of New York

November 19th, 1923.

Prof. A. R. Hatton,
11350 Heesler Road,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Professor Hatton,

My hearty felicitations on the occasion of your election may seem a bit belated but I have been away from Cleveland most of the time. I want you to know how pleased I am with your election and how delighted I am that the voters of Cleveland had the good sense to make your election possible.

I trust that you will find much satisfaction and great opportunity for civic service.

With kindest regards, permit me to remain

Very sincerely yours,

November 19th, 1923.

Mr. Bradley Hull,
11024 Detroit Ave.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Hull,

My hearty felicitations on the occasion of your election may seem a bit belated but I have been away from Cleveland most of the time. I want you to know how pleased I am with your election and how delighted I am that the voters of Cleveland had the good sense to make your election possible.

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With kindest regards, permit me to remain

Very sincerely yours,

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LANGE VIJVERBERG 3

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver,

1485 East 106th Street,

Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Mr. Silver,

We heard with great pleasure from Dr. Schloessinger that he had been able to see you in Cleveland and that you had encouraged him greatly by your promise to try to raise \$2500 to \$5000^{any year} for the next 5 or 10 years for the Wolffsohn Library. We thank you exceedingly for this cooperation and we wish you success in your efforts.

Dr. Schloessinger, at your suggestion, saw Mr. Nathan J. Miller in New York, who declared his willingness to contribute but could not accept the Chairmanship of the Committee that is yet to be formed, because of lack of time. As Dr. Schloessinger had to return to Europe, Dr. Sol. Loewenstein, 808 West End Avenue, ^{New York} kindly consented to accept the temporary Chairmanship until somebody would be found who could act as permanent Chairman. We would be most grateful to you if you could assist him in finding the proper man. We venture to suggest that a personal appeal from you to Mr. Miller might induce him to recall his decision. Mr. Rosenbloom of Pittsburg is willing to cooperate in every way and will of course contribute his share, - but he feels that his lack of organizing ability and his poor health would prevent him from acting as Chairman.

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2. Dr. Abba Hillel Silver, Cleveland.

It is scarcely necessary to tell you how we will value any suggestions that you can make. Will you ^{be} good enough to communicate with Mr. Loewenstein in this matter.

With kindest regards from Dr. Schloessinger,

we beg to remain

with Zion's greetings,

[Signature]

Max Schloessinger

1695 MAGNOLIA DRIVE
CLEVELAND, OHIO

Nov 20th '23

Rabbi Abbe H Silver

Dear Sir

Enclose subscription Card

for the Cleveland Community Fund

Campaign for 1924. Your quote

is the same as last year \$50⁰⁰

Kindly sign and return to me

Yours respectfully

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November 20, 1923.

Rabbi A. H. Silver,
The Temple,
East 55th Street and Central Ave.,
Cleveland.

My dear Rabbi Silver:

Permit me on behalf of the officers and the Executive Board of the Citizens League to express to you their appreciation, as well as my own, for your acceptance of membership in the organization and your check for fifteen dollars (\$15.00).

We hope you will take occasion from time to time to make suggestions to the Director for the improvement of the work. We want to make it effective in the very best sense of the word.

Very truly yours,

Alva Bradley
Treasurer.

11/20/23

Mrs. A. H. Silver,
Women's Hospital,
Baltimore, Md.

Will be with you Wednesday morning. Love.

Abba.



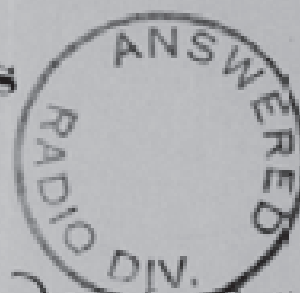
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WHEELING, W. VA.

Nov. 24, 23.

Radio Station WGGX
Union Trust Co
Cleveland Ohio.

Gentlemen:

Want to congratulate you on the wonderful
program Sunday afternoon. Very clear. Many of the
Wheeling fans told me ^{performing} of it. All enjoyed
hearing Rabbi Silver, who was formerly a Wheeling
Rabbi. We in Wheeling would appreciate it if
you were able to broadcast the wonderful talks
he gives every Sunday morning in his Synagogue.

Yours Truly

Bernard Horkheimer

904 LEXINGTON AVENUE.
AVONDALE
CINCINNATI

Nov. 21. 1923

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver,

Dear friend :-

Just learned that you are
to be in the city on Dec. 12th. If you
plan to come here on Tuesday midnight train
how about taking lunch with me,
Frenhof and possibly me & two of the
members of the Faculty. If your
sweetheart will accompany you, Mr.
Englander will take care of her -

With cordial greetings,

Yours truly,

Henry Englander

Mrs. Geo. Zamborger

requests the pleasure of

Mrs. A. Wilson  company

at Excelsior Club

on Wednesday November 21st

at seven o'clock

Bridge or Mah-jongg.

R. S. V. P.

November Twenty-first

1923

Mr. A. Bukstein,
2845 Mayfield Road,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Bukstein,

Permit me to thank you and the members of your family for the kind letter which you sent me. I have taken the liberty of placing your gift in a little charity fund of my own, upon which I find it necessary to make demands from time to time.

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

Very sincerely yours,

November Twenty-first
1923

Mrs. Jacob Mack,
984 Burton Avenue,
Avondale, Cincinnati, O.

My dear Mrs. Mack,

Please pardon the delay in acknowledging your kind note of October twenty-third. I have been out of the city much of the time. Virginia has not been well and about two weeks ago underwent a slight operation in the hospital at Baltimore. I am happy to say she is recovering and is about to go to Atlantic City for a short visit. I am quite sure that she will not be taking the trip to Cincinnati with me, but I shall be happy to spend some time with you both when I come to the city. I shall probably be in Cincinnati only a few hours and do not wish to burden you with me.

With kindest regards to yourself
and Mr. Mack, permit me to remain

Very sincerely yours,

GROVER M. MOSCOWITZ
COUNSELOR AT LAW

PHONE { 2510
2511 MAIN
2512

189 MONTAGUE STREET
BROOKLYN, N. Y.

November 21st, 1923.

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver,
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Sir:

About two or three years ago, at the meeting of all the reformed congregations of Brooklyn, held at the Eighth Avenue Temple, you preached the most remarkable sermon that I have ever heard.

I was especially deeply impressed by your message dealing with your conception of America.

I would appreciate it very much if you would send to me two autographed copies, one which I would like to frame and place upon the walls of the Young Men's Hebrew Association building of Brooklyn, and the other for my personal use.

Please accept my thanks in advance.

Very truly yours,

Grover M. Moscowitz

GMM/KP

mailed
11/23/23

Nov 21/23.
Ranhakee

Dear Sir. you can recall a young man asked you for assist-
ance in raising money for the
Jewish Orphan Home children.
Take this opportunity to tell you
that you did me a great harm
by refusing your aid. For a
Miss Treuboldt of the Jewish Orphan
Home. refused me the aid and
Orphan should get because
I tried to help along for my
classmates.

I tried to get my father to
help our family and he
will not do it. He is the
worst class of Jew that you
spoke of at your Friday -

evening gathering. I take this
opportunistly Rabbi Silver to ask
you if you can spare the time
to help me in forcing Herman
Walt my Father to turn over
part of his money, which he
has mislaid away; toward
helping me and my family.
I am recovering from a disease
and would appreciate your
valuable assistance.

I'm sure you can locate
my father by your influence.
My father is in the clothing
game. Mr. Herman Roenberg
formerly Supt. of the Jewish
Orphan's Infants Home can
give you valuable information

Mr. Simon David I believe
left my family record on
file at the Jewish Orphan Home.
Wishing you a happy Thanksgiving
Respectfully
Michael Walp.

Address. Kankakee State Hospital.
WRHS Chicago Illinois.

November Twenty-second
1923

Hon. Theodore E. Burton,
Hotel Sovereign,
East Boulevard and 106th St.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Burton,

Permit me to thank you for your kind letter of November twelfth. I am pleased to know that you are in sympathy with my attitude regarding America's relation to Europe. I think there is much to be done to restore the American mind to sound thought on International affairs and to rescue it from the blight of propaganda.

With kindest regards and trusting you are well, I am

Very sincerely yours,

Samuel
Hohl

Cincinnati

Nov 22, 1923

Dear Rabbi Silver: -

Consider that I have already
mailed up a number of pages
expressing my heartfelt
thanks for your kindness
and genuine friendship.

The first thing that I
really want to know is
how Mrs. Silver is getting
on. I have received a
note from Mrs. Lysaren
stating that she is
convalescing. But you
have probably seen her
since and I would
appreciate a word
from you.

I feel that I will be
happy here. I am interested
in the courses and the
atmosphere is very pleasant.

I have even experienced
a few thrills. The student
annual banquet which
was held last night was
the most hilarious and
enjoyable affair I have
ever witnessed.

We have secured quarters
and Belle improvised a
kitchenette and we
began our balabatiskit

I need not tell you
how the name Silver
is spoken here.

1/14/1913

Belle wishes to be rem.
to Mrs. Silver and family
Yours
Samuel

The attached song is
one of the classics
You may like it.

Regards from Dr. Freehof

Palestina in the Morning
(To the tune of 'Carolina in the Morning')

Nothing could be finer than to
leave ~~for~~ Palestina

In the morning

Nothing could be sweeter
than to leave for Tel Aviv
In the morning.

Led by Abba Silver, we are
on our way

After he sings Hatikvah,
you'll hear every calli-
say

Nothing could be keener than
to get aboard the steamer

In the Morning.

Nothing could be smaller
than to leave with Jimmie
Heller

In the morning

The C. E. A. R. has agreed
to agree

Hand a Mi-Sheberach to
the P.D.C.

Nothing could be finer
than to be in Palestine

In the morning.

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11-22-23.

My Dear Rabbi Silver

Please accept my sincere thanks
for your congratulations and also for the
splendid moral support you gave to
my candidacy during the campaign. It is
my earnest hope that my record in office
may never cause you to regret the great
part you took in my election. With kindest
regards and best personal wishes I remain
Cordially Yours

Bradley Hull

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230 W. 107th St., NEW YORK
Telephone 592 Academy

New York City,
November 22nd,
1 9 2 3.

Dr. Abba H. Silver,
Congregation, Tefereh Israel,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Doctor Silver:

I have taken the liberty of suggesting to Mr. Lehman, my associate at Camp Wigwam that he take the opportunity of again meeting you, a privilege which I envy him very much.

Mr. Lehman is on a business trip with a view to meeting parents interested in considering our camp for their boys. You visited the camp two years ago and if you feel inclined to speak of it to any friends in Cleveland, it would be a courtesy that might prove helpful and would be much appreciated.

If you felt at liberty to have such parents communicate with either Mr. Lehman or myself at the present time, Mr. Lehman could so plan his stay in Cleveland as to meet the parents and explain to them the possibilities our camp holds open to them.

With kind personal greetings both to you and Mrs. Silver,
I am

Very sincerely yours,

A. Mandelstam

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Nov. 22, 1923.

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

Dear Rabbi Silver:

Re: Eva Friedman.

Several days ago Mrs. Klimo who lives at 7204 Central Avenue requested that we investigate the case of Mrs. Eva Friedman who is now a patient at State Hospital, Newburg. We inquired of Dr. Moses at State Hospital regarding Mrs. Friedman. She stated that Mrs. Friedman has spells when she is very excitable and hysterical and although at the present time she is fairly rational and well behaved this condition is only temporary. She could be released during this rational period but her husband is afraid to assume the responsibility of her care.

Dr. Moses said that if the Hospital authorities thought that Mrs. Friedman was in a condition to be released they would do so in spite of the fact that her husband does not give his consent. If she were released it would only be temporary as she would have to be returned to the Hospital again. Dr. Moses does not think that our organization is in a position to do anything at all regarding this matter as it is something that will have to be settled between the State Hospital authorities and the relatives.

Regretting our inability to be of any service in this matter, we are

Very sincerely yours,

HEBREW RELIEF ASS'N

Selma Weiss

SUPERVISOR.

SW:NL

1478 E. 11th St.

November twentieth -

Dear Rabbi Silver,

Please accept the enclosed check
with my thanks.

I hope Mrs. Silver is well on the road to
recovery and with kindest regards to you
both, I am,

Sincerely, Henrietta Q. Silverman
(Mrs. Aaron)

November 23rd, 1923.

Mrs. Aaron Lehman,
1478 E. 116th St.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mrs. Lehman,

Permit me to thank you for your
kind note of November 20th. In keeping with
my practice I have put aside the gift which
you sent me in a small charity fund which I
use from time to time.

Trusting that you are well, and
with kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

November 23rd, 1923.

Dr. Henry Englander,
Hebrew Union College,
Cincinnati, Ohio.



My dear Dr. Englander,

I shall be very happy to
have lunch with you on Wednesday, December 12.
Mrs. Silver will not be with me. Please
convey my best wishes to Mrs. Englander.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

Nov. 23, 1923.

My dear Rabbi Silver:

Your message
of a few days ago saying that you
could be present at our wedding
in New York surely met with a
heartly reception and I sincerely
appreciate, Rabbi Silver, that
courtesy shown me.

My legal education did not
take me far enough into the
law of domestic relations to know
whether a Rabbi has to have
a license to marry in New York

stead, or not, but if any thing
is necessary, kindly let me know
and I will take care of it.

Thank you again, Rabbi Silver,
and if all is well, I will see
you in New York on Tuesday
the twelfth of February.

Sincerely yours,
Rabbi Silver

54 East 25th St.
NYC

5919 Euclid Avenue
Cleveland

November 24, 1923

Rabbi A. H. Silver
The Temple
Central Ave. & E. 55 St.
Cleveland

Dear Rabbi Silver:

Your remarks at Temple last Sunday morning, about Gen. Haller, have caused a certain amount of comment. In the minds of myself and some of my friends a question was raised, which I should like to have you answer.

We were discussing your masterly appeal for the Community Fund in the afternoon, then the conversation drifted to General Haller, your summing up of the infamy of the man, and the insult and shame that he should be welcomed to Cleveland and even to a certain extent sponsored by some of our so-called civic leaders.

Then this point was raised, on which I ask the reason or justification for your stand, or at any rate, the facts involved. "Why", it was asked, "does not Rabbi Silver, knowing the facts about Gen. Haller, possessing the oratorical ability and the position to effectively represent the Jewish community, go before the Chamber of Commerce and other civic bodies, tell them the truth about their prospective guest and demand in the name of decency that no civic honor be extended to such a man? Has not the Jewish community the right to expect this of him; and is it not moral cowardice on his part if, knowing the facts, he refuses to face an unpleasant situation on behalf of his people?"

I agreed to write and ask you the facts, rather than condemn unjustly. Will you please enlighten me?

Sincerely,

Walter J. Ottinger

November 24th, 1923.

Mr. G.H. Heyfarth,
1410 E. 105th St.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Heyfarth,

I am enclosing herewith
a check to cover the amount of the
enclosed bill. I am sorry that owing
to the absence of Mrs. Silver and
myself from the city, payment of the
bill was delayed.

Very sincerely yours,

Brooklyn, den 26. November 1923.
1101 East, 19. Street
c/o. Mr. Arnold Schwarz
Flatbush.

Ret. to Silver
Dr. Loewe

Herrn

Rabbiner

Abba Hillel S i l v e r
East 55 th. Street and Central
The Temple, Cleveland.

Sehr geehrter Herr Rabbiner,

Mit verbindlichem Dank fuer Ihre freundliches Schreiben vom 21. November beeile ich mich Ihnen mitzuteilen, dass ich jetzt hier in New York die Arbeit in Angriff genommen habe, und dass ich erst in etwa 14 Tagen bis 3 Wochen fuer die Arbeit in Cleveland zur Verfuegung stehen koennte. Ich will so schnell wie moeglich wieder zurueckkehren, doch scheint es mir, dass ich bis zum Januar des begonnenen Werkes wegen in Amerika bleiben muss.

Wenn aber auch die Arbeit in Cleveland erst spaeter durchgefuehrt werden kann, so ist es doch dringend notwendig, dass schon jetzt unter Ihrer Leitung ein Komitee ins Leben gerufen wird, das ebenso wie hier und wie in andern Staedten, die Arbeit vorbereiten und leiten wird. Unser Komitee in New York setzt sich so zusammen, dass alle Parteien darin Platz haben. Es ist keineswegs eine zionistische. Denn die Juedische National- und Hebraeische Universitaets-Bibliothek ist keine Parteiangelegenheit sondern die Sache ~~de~~ des ganzen juedischen Volkes. Jeder Jude, der Verstaendnis dafuer hat, dass nur juedische Kultur dem juedischen Volke eine Zukunft verbuergen kann, soll und muss daran teilnehmen, das wichtigste und unentbehrlichste Kulturinstitut ---und das ist die Bibliothek--- aufzubauen.

Es ist nicht unbedingt notwendig, dass ich grade in einer grossen Versammlung spreche. Aber es ist wuenschenenswert, dass ich Gelegenheit habe, vor einem interessierten Kreise die Notwendigkeiten und Ziele der Bibliothek darzulegen. Auch dazu bedarf es erst einmal der Gruendung eines Komitees aus angesehenen und interessierten Leuten, und ich bitte Sie recht sehr, sehr verehrter Herr Rabbiner, uns bald Mitteilung ueber diese Gruendung zu machen.

Fuer mein Hinkommen nach Cleveland bitte ich die Zeit von Mitte bis gegen Ende Dezember in Aussicht nehmen zu wollen.

Ich begruesse Sie mit dem Ausdruecke meiner
H o c h a c h t u n g

Heinrich Loewe

November 27th, 1923.

Mr. Harry Friedman,
3569 E. 120th St.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Friedman,

I would appreciate very much if you would drop in to see me Friday or Saturday morning in reference to the request of the parents of your wife for me to have her released from the Newburgh Hospital. I should like to get some information from you. If you cannot come at the time above designated, please call me on the telephone and we shall arrange for another time.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

November Twenty-seventh
1923

Mr. M. Glikin,
Care Mr. Marc Wilenkin,
101 Fleet Street,
London, E.C.4, England.

My dear Mr. Glikin,

I am sending you herewith the sum of
six hundred dollars (\$600.00); four hundred for
Mr. S. Ulmer and two hundred for Mr. Ben Silver.
Mr. Ulmer would appreciate it if you would send
him the deeds of the property.

In a few days I shall send you some
additional funds for myself and for the others.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

SIGMA ALPHA MU

1108 HILL STREET

ANN ARBOR, MICH.

November 27, ' 23.

My Dear Rabbi:

You will doubtless be surprised at receiving this letter. I commence with this trite phrase merely because I feel confident that you will be at some pains to recall the writer.

For the purposes of identification I may mention that I was a member of the Confirmation class of 1919. Perhaps you recall me but whether you do or not is rather unimportant to my present purpose. The reason why we have been in less close contact since my Sunday School days is the mere reason of a University education. I have been enrolld in the University of Michigan for the past two years and more and enjoy the opportunity of visiting the Temple only on those infrequent visits home.

Lately it has come to my attention, through the Secretary of our Jewish Student Congregation here on the campus, Mr. Kirschner, that the Jewish students of the University will be given an opportunity to hear you speak here soon. The date is, I believe, January thirteenth.

Let me say that I am more than glad to hear that you will at last be with us. It has been the pet project of all Cleveland chaps on the campus to have you come down some time to address the students here. To have this dream come true is a privelege indeed.

As a member of Sigma Alpha Mu Fraternity, I take the privilege of hoping that you will make the Sigma Iota Chapter house your headquarters while in Ann Arbor. The courtesy of the house is open to you at all times and I sincerely trust that we may have the pleasure of entertaining so welcome a guest.

Sincerely

Herbert Seidman

November 27th, 1923.

Mr. Julius Tuteur,
W.P. Ry. & Lumber Rd
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Tuteur,

Mr. Jacob E. Kraatz is an electrical engineer from abroad who recently arrived in this city. He wants to get in touch with some leading business man in this field of work who could give him some advice which would help him in establishing himself in this city. I can think of no one who could better render him this service than yourself.

I trust that you are well and
with kindest regards, I beg to remain

Very sincerely yours,

November 27th, 1923.

Mr. Samuel Wohl,
Hebrew Union College,
Cincinnati, Ohio.

My dear Wohl, —

I was very happy to receive your letter from Cincinnati and to learn that you are getting fast acclimatized. I shall be in Cincinnati the early part of December and I hope to see you and Belle then. I have requested the Scholarship Committee of The Temple to send you your scholarship. They will probably send it to you in installments of \$35.00 a month. Keep me in touch with your work and your progress and remember me kindly to Belle.

As ever,

F. 463

November 27th, 1923.

Mr. Walter J. Ottinger,
5919 Euclid Avenue,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Ottinger,

Permit me to acknowledge your letter of November 24th. You ask me why I did not make public the facts about General Haller. The facts about General Haller were made public not only from my pulpit but your Jewish newspapers carried the facts in full. The daily Press would of course not print such matter because of the very large Polish element in Cleveland. It is not always advisable to make an issue of matters, especially at times such as this when the attitude of the American public towards things Jewish is not all that it might be. The Boston Jewish community attempted it with the result that the leading Boston paper, The Transcript, turned Anti-Semitic and published some Anti-Semitic articles and much harm was caused.

The Jewish Community of Boston was itself divided on the question whether a city ought not to welcome a representative of a free republic regardless of its Pro or Anti-Jewish sentiments and acts. A full account of the situation in Boston you will find in the Jewish Tribune of New York and the American Israelite of last week.

I do not know who your friends may be but surely this is the first time that any imputation of moral cowardice was applied to me.

Very sincerely yours,

*Temple Emanu-El
Fifth Avenue and Forty-third Street
New York*

My dear Friend and Fellow-Alumnus,

A couple of years ago the Alumni Association bought the late Dr. Deutsch's Card Index and gave it to the Hebrew Union College, as an Alumni Memorial for Dr. Deutsch. We promised to pay for it at least \$2500. Thus far, however, we have sent to Mrs. Deutsch only \$750. Only eighty-seven members of the Alumni have contributed thus far, an average of less than \$10.00 per man. Don't you think that we should try to pay the rest without further delay? Mrs. Deutsch needs the money, and we should all like it better not to owe her this sum any longer than we absolutely have to.

If you agree with me, would you kindly send your contribution to this fund -- whether first or additional -- as soon as possible! Please send it to Rabbi Henry J. Berkowitz, Treasurer, Temple Beth El, Detroit, Michigan.

With many thanks for your kind and prompt consideration, and all good wishes for your success and happiness, I am

yours cordially,

H. G. Enelow.

President, H. U. C. Alumni Association.

New York, November 27th, 1923.

*all ready
an additional
amount*

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F. C. BEYER,
SECRETARY

November 28, 1923.

Rabbi Silver,
The Temple,
Cleveland,
Ohio.

Dear Sir:

I desire to obtain copies of your lecture
"Why I Believe and What I Believe In" and your lec-
ture on "Spiritualism", - two of the former and one
of the latter.

If you will kindly mail these to me, I shall
be very glad to remit the charges, when informed of
same.

Thanking you for your courtesy in this matter,

Yours very truly,

Martha Barr
Superintendent's Office.

November 30th, 1923.

Mr. S. Rosenbloom,
1671 Belmar Rd.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Rosenbloom,

Permit me to thank you
for your kindness in sending me
a framed printed copy of my America.
I am very grateful to you for your
thoughtfulness.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

November 30th, 1923.

Miss Martha Barr,
Superintendent's Office,
Board of Education,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Miss Barr,

I have not yet put my
lecture on "Why I Believe and What
I Believe In" into print. I do not
recall any lecture of mine on
"Spiritualism" which was printed.
Perhaps in the near future I shall
have occasion to print the former
lecture. In that case I shall be very
happy to send you a copy of it.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

November 30th, 1923.

Mr. Robinson,
Robinson Book Store,
Pratt Street,
Baltimore Md.

My dear Mr. Robinson,

I have been expecting to hear from you in reference to the books which I collected in your store a few weeks ago. If you are desirous of selling them please let me have an itemized price list of these books. If you do not wish to sell them please let me know and I will procure them elsewhere.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

T E L E G R A M

Cleveland, Ohio, December 1st, 1923

Sunday -
12:45 P.M.

Rabbi Harry R. Richmond

Congregation B'nai Jeshurun

Paterson, N. J.

Please accept the felicitations of my Temple and myself on
Congregation B'nai Jeshurun
the occasion of the seventy-fifth anniversary of ~~your congregation~~ May
~~your auspicious birthday~~ you be blessed with many years of service in behalf
of our cause.

Abba Hillel Silver

December 1st, 1923.

Mrs. Daniel P. Hays,
260 West 76th Street,
New York City.

My dear Mrs. Hays,

I have just returned from a long absence and learned to my great sorrow of the death of your beloved husband. Mrs. Silver and I wish to extend our condolences to you and to the members of your family. We pray that the good Lord may comfort you in your bereavement.

The passing of Daniel P. Hays is a distinct loss to American Israel. His high idealism and fine consecration to the spiritual values of our faith have meant much to the cause of the religious renaissance of our people in America. He was constantly looked to for guidance and for inspiration. I know that the memory of his life and work will abide as a lasting influence among our people.

Very sincerely yours,

5919 Euclid Ave.
Cleveland

December 2, 1923

Rabbi A. H. Silver
The Temple
Central Ave. & E. 55 St.
Cleveland

Dear Rabbi Silver:

I was very glad to get your letter of November 27th, in regard to the Haller situation.

Certainly it was more or less of a delicate question whether or not it would have been best to actively oppose the welcome of such a man and undoubtedly you are in a position to estimate pretty closely the probable effects of either attitude.

The public library, by the way, does not receive the American Israelite, but I will endeavor to look up one or both of the articles you mention in the near future.

Sincerely,

Walter J. Ottinger

December 3rd, 1923.

Mr. Herbert Seidman,
1108 Hill St.,
Ann Arbor, Michigan.

My dear Herbert,

I was very happy to receive your letter of November 27th. I am looking forward with a great deal of pleasure to meeting you and the students of the University. It is hardly likely that I will be in Ann Arbor more than an hour or two for I must return to Cleveland that same evening. Dr. Franklin is in charge of me. If I shall have any time at all to spend in Ann Arbor, I shall be very happy to visit your Chapter House.

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

Very sincerely yours,

December 3rd, 1923.

Mr. S. Oke,
Hebrew Union College Library,
Cincinnati, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Oke,

Under separate cover I am
returning four books which you were kind
enough to send me. I am still keeping
the Shalsholeth Hakabala.

I wonder whether you can
send me

1. Rabbi Hatili - 260 p. 11
2. Gereonides - Commentary on Daniel
3. Menasseh Ben Israel
 - (1) English Translation on
De Termino Vitae
 - (2) English Translation of
Conciliabulum Edinburgh 1903
 - (3) English Translation of
Experiencia de Israel -
translation by H. Tall.
4. Rabbi Jehuda Liva d Prag. 162, 112
5. Joseph Bohentob

I think this will be the last
batch of books that I will trouble you for.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

December 4th, 1923.

Rabbi Solomon Goldman,
Cleveland Jewish Center,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Sol,

I am enclosing herewith the names of the four books which I would like to have you procure for me from the Seminary Library. I have this morning returned the following three books:

1. Peneach Rata
2. Oheb Michpat
3. Hadar Zekenim

I am also enclosing Dr. Loew's letter.

Sincerely,

Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C.

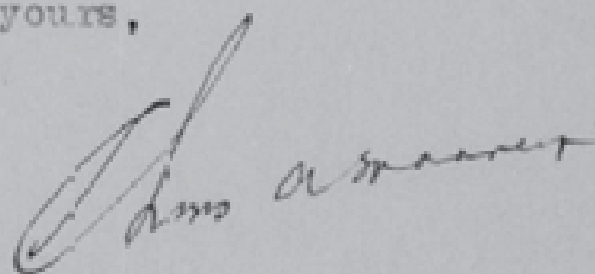
December 4, 1923.

Dear Rabbi Silver:

I have just given myself the pleasure of including your name on the list of Records allotted to me for the coming Session of Congress and trust it may prove of interest.

If this does not reach you regularly will you kindly send a note to me? I shall always appreciate your judgment on pending legislation?

Sincerely yours,



Rabbi A. H. Silver,
7600 Euclid Avenue,
Cleveland, Ohio.

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SECRETARY

December 4, 1923.

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

My dear Rabbi Silver:

Thank you for your letter of November 30. I am sorry that you have not your lecture "Why I Believe and What I Believe In". I wanted to send it to a friend of mine in New York, and I had hoped to be able to send it at this Christmas season.

The lecture on spiritualism which I had reference to was the one you gave at the time Mr. Doyle was here. I did not hear either Mr. Doyle or you, but was anxious to learn your views relative to same, as I confess I am very vague on the subject.

In closing, let me tell you how much I enjoyed your lecture a week ago Sunday. I am a member of First M. E. Church, but hope to attend some of your lectures in the future. I am sure I shall enjoy them much, indeed.

Yours truly,

.....Martha Barr.....

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Dec. 5, 1923.

DELLA KATZENSTEIN
DIRECTOR

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver,
The Temple,
E. 55 & Central Ave,
City.

My dear Rabbi Silver:-

Mr. Algace's address is

Union Business Exchange
1128 Schofield Bldg.,
City.

Sincerely yours,

Della Katzenstein

Director

DK-SW

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230 W. 107th St., NEW YORK
Telephone 592 Academy

December 6th, 1923.

Rabbi Abba H. Silver,
Congregation Tefireth Israel,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Doctor Silver:

I hope this letter-head will bring to you a memory of the pines of Wigwam and a thought of your visit to our little community in which we are earnestly bending every effort to benefit the boys who are entrusted to us each summer. If you were favorably impressed with our work several years ago, please be assured that we have been steadily on the forward march with each succeeding season and, with all due modesty, we can justly say we have attained a position of leadership in the camp movement.

With this preface I wish to let you know of Mrs. Lehman's and my intended visit to Cleveland early in January for the purpose of interesting and interviewing the parents of prospective campers. However, the filling of our membership ceased to be a problem with us a number of years ago. Our concern is rather in the careful selection of our boys and in having as many different cities as possible represented in our camp family. In Cleveland I will be somewhat of a stranger in a strange land, so I am taking the liberty of writing to you in the hope that you might be able to be helpful.

I am prompted in writing this by a willingness you expressed when you were with us and I trust this will therefore not be interpreted as an intentional imposition. It would, of course, be advantageous if I could be in a position to introduce myself in advance to those you think might be interested. Looking forward with pleasure toward meeting you again, I am

Very sincerely yours,

A. M. Lehman

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Paterson, N. J., January 6, 1923

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi Silver,

Thank you very much for your kind words of greeting on
the occasion of our Diamond Jubilee celebration.

Very truly yours
Max Raisin

December seventh

1923

Mr. Leo Wolf,
Wheeling, West Virginia.

My dear Leo,

Thank you very much for your
kindness in send me some of your articles.
Virginia is coming home next week and we
shall be very happy to read your words to-
gether.

With kindest regards to Mrs. Wolf
and Marc, I am

Very sincerely yours,

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My dear Passi

I am enclosing check for \$200⁰⁰ for Mr. Gilkin. During April 1921, I sent you two checks for 200⁰⁰. This included 50⁰⁰ which Mrs. Ben. Silva had given me & makes a total payment by myself of 350⁰⁰. I am returning the Farming Magazine to you wherever they say I paid an installment of 100⁰⁰. Please write to Mr. Gilkin and tell him to straighten out his books. Giving both Mr. Silva & myself proper credit. Also find check enclosed for 1000⁰⁰ for the Temple. Give no credit against our subscription.

With kindest regards I am
Sincerely yours
Paul

December Seventh,

1923

Hon. Charles A. Mooney,
House of Representatives,
Washington, D.C.

My dear Mr. Mooney,

Permit me to thank you for
your thoughtfulness in arranging to
have the Congressional Records sent to
me. I shall be very grateful for them.

I would suggest that you have
my address changed to
1485 East 106th Street.

With kindest regards and wish-
ing you well in your fine service in
Washington, I am

Very sincerely yours,

HEBREW UNION COLLEGE LIBRARY
A. S. OKO, LIBRARIAN
CINCINNATI, OHIO

OKO

December 7, 1923.

Rabbi Abba H. Silver,
Care The Temple,
East 55th Street and Central,
Cleveland,
Ohio.

Dear Sir:

In the absence of Mr. Oko from the city,
I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of
December 3.

The books which you returned to the Library
have been received in good condition.

Under separate cover I am sending you
today the books noted below. The other books requested
are not in the Library.

Very truly yours,
Blum Morgenstern
Secretary to Mr. Oko.

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December 7, 1923

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

Abba Hillel Silver,
The Temple,
E. 55th & Central,
C i t y.

Dear Mr. Silver:

Some time ago you sent a young man to me with a letter of introduction, the bearer being Jacob S. Krants.

The young man made rather a good impression on me and I wrote one of the affiliated companies of the General Electric Company and today received the following reply.

"Referring to the attached letter from Mr. Tuteur, it is possible that I could use the man referred to but of course could not say positively without an interview. If he wishes to take the risk of coming to see us without any definite commitment on our part, we will be very glad to receive him. I assume Mr. Tuteur personally recommends him to us."

You will note, I am asked to personally recommend this man. I hate to do so until I can be sure of this young man's character and before recommending him, would like to have a few lines from you, telling me what you know about him.

Very cordially yours,

JT-W

(dictated but not read)

Julius Tuteur
LW.



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Handwritten text, likely a letter or note, written in cursive. The text is partially obscured by the signature and the address below. It appears to be a personal communication, possibly a letter of introduction or a note of thanks.

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Rabbi Abba Silber

Cleveland, Ohio

My dear Sir:

Not knowing how to com-
municate with the family of
Miss Ida Schott, I take the
liberty of applying to you for
some information. I am
most anxious to see Miss
Schott in New York on her
return from Europe. Will you
be kind enough to ascertain
the name of the steamer and
time of its arrival in New York

ZERLINA REEFER
88 WEST FIFTY-NINTH TERRACE
KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI

so that I may meet her when
the steamer docks, - and send
the information to me in the
enclosed envelope.

I am most grateful to you
in advance. -

Very Respectfully Yours
Zerlina Reeper

December Seventh
1923

Rev. E. Robinson,
1113 East Pratt Street,
Baltimore, Md.

My dear Rev. Robinson,

I am enclosing herewith a check
in the amount of \$34.00. Please send me
the books which I selected.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

Dear Mrs Joseph-

Very happy for this
opportunity to show my appreciation -
I've gained much from Rabbi Silver's
splendid sermons.

As you have no collection and I am a
member of another church, there is no
other way to contribute toward a cause.



which makes these sermons possible -
With sincere regards

Lillian Custer

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Mrs. Custer is a genius and married out of the faith
She Contributed \$10⁰⁰

I thought you would like to know about this
Leave tonight for N.Y. Hope to see

1700 Colburn Road - 7th Summer Ave 73
good by -

Robinda
Gough

December 8th, 1923.

Prof. H. Loewe,
1101 E. 19th St.,
Flatbush, N.Y.

My dear Professor Loewe,

I am enclosing herewith a letter from Rabbi Solomon Goldman which is self explanatory. We are in the midst of two drives at the present time and we have just emerged from our big community drive for all our local charities. I think that your visit at the present time would not result in any material success.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

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43 Cox St. U. of Pa.
Phila Pa.

Dec. 8, 1923

Dear Rabbi,

I am not certain whether or not you know I am at the University of Pennsylvania. At any rate the fact that I am here makes it necessary for me to work most of my way through, which has been the reason for this letter. What I want to do here is take care of youngsters about 8 or 9 years old. On Saturdays only. A friend and I did this kind of work last

opportunity for the idealistic side of life. Of course with youthful barbarians 8 and 9 years old it is hard to try to teach them outright. Consequently, after a strenuous game of some kind I casually manage to tell them a nice story. Especially a story of the Jewish youth like those you tell to the children in Temple, sometimes.

How thankful I am that I have been under your influence. Because of your talks in confirmation class and in your lectures, my life as a Jew is happy and rich. I know why I am proud of my people and faith.

I hope our new Temple is

summer when we had about twenty boys under our care every afternoon for ten weeks. And quite a few of them were from our Temple.

Last Thursday I went to Rabbi Feldman of Henseth Israel Temple to see about getting a recommendation from him, to be able to approach members of his congregation. He said he knew you well and that I should ask you for a statement concerning my character and standing. If you prefer to write the letter directly to him it will make no difference to me.

Aside from the pecuniary consideration I love the work. There is so much

steadily progressing. I look forward
to see it be the finest Jewish
Center in the city. I only wish I
could help more, materially.

Give my love to Jimmy.
My best regards to Mrs. Silver.

Sincerely
One of your confirmants
Harry L. Tucker.

December 8th, 1923.

Mr. M. Glikin,
c/o Mark Woloskin,
101 Fleet Street,
London, England.

My dear Mr. Glikin,

I am enclosing herewith a check for \$675.00. \$75 for Mr. Kellin, \$50 for Mr. Silver, \$350 for Mr. E. Bialosky and \$200 for myself. I believe that this leaves Mr. Bialosky a balance of \$50 and myself a balance of \$200. I cannot at the present writing recall how much Mr. Kellin and Mr. Silver still owe you. I trust that before very long the full amounts on all the purchases will be paid.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

December 8th, 1923.

Mr. Julius Tuteur,
Electric Vacuum Cleaner Co.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Tuteur,

Permit me to thank you for your kind letter of December 7th and for the interest which you have taken in Mr. Krens. I am sorry that I cannot give you any more information than I have. Mr. Krens is altogether unknown to me. He came in to see me some time ago and he impressed me very favorably. He seems to be a man of education and of parts. I have not been able to see him since receiving your letter or I would have asked him the names of any of his relatives that he may have in the city. On my return from the east I shall try to do so.

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

Very sincerely yours,

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Silver Jubilee Convention

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Dr. Abba Hillel Silver,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Dr. Silver:

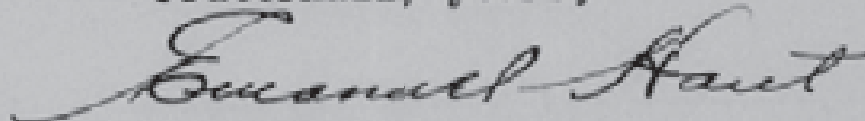
I am enclosing for your approval, the program
for the Memorial Services.

Will you kindly look it over. I would appreciate
any suggestions you may offer in the conducting
of the services.

The final arrangement of these names will be in
alphabetical order.

As this program is now ready to go to press, I
would appreciate a reply at your earliest
convenience.

Fraternally yours,



290 Lincoln Place,
Brooklyn, N. Y.

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"YOU WILL BE ONE OF THE THOUSAND"

CHARLES A. MOONEY

20TH DISTRICT Ohio

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HERBERT PILLEN

SECRETARY

Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C.

December 10, 1923.

My dear Rabbi Silver:

I am just in receipt of your
valued favor of the 7th and shall today give
myself the pleasure of requesting the Con-
gressional Record Clerk to change your address
to 1485 East 106th Street.

Assuring you that it will be a
pleasure to try to be of service to you at any
time, and with kindest personal regards.

Sincerely yours,

Charles A. Mooney

Mooney

Rabbi A. H. Silver,
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London England 10th December 1923 7000 192

Dear Rabbi Silver

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 27th of November enclosing cheque for six hundred dollars for which I thank you. I am also writing to-day to Mr Ulmer about the deeds for which it is necessary to have a Power of Attorney from each of the purchasers authorising a local Tiberias lawyer, Dr Eugen Vadas, to do the necessary things in order to obtain the deeds from the Government.

In two or three days I shall leave London for Palestine ; therefore please address all further correspondence and remittances to Migdal direct. Kindly arrange to send the money by Bankers draft, and not cheque, because cheques have to be sent back to America to be collected or cleared and that means a loss of six weeks.

With best regards to you and our other friends, and hoping to meet you one day at Migdal

Yours very sincerely

! 2022 / r/te

M. Glikin

Address: { M. GLIKIN MIGDAL, TIBERIAS. טבריה. חווה מגדל. }
Telegr.: GLIKIN, - TIBERIAS.

Temple Shalom

Corner Grace Street and Pine Grove Avenue

Chicago, Dec. 11, 1923

*mailed
12/14/23*

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver,
Cleveland, O.

Dear Rabbi Silver:-

Dr. Hirschberg
kindly asks that you will forward
to him, at your earliest conveni-
ence, a recent photograph of your-
self, preferably an autographed one.

Thanking you in
advance sincerely, we remain

Appreciatively

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Dec. 11th, 1923.

Rabbi H. Silver,
The Temple, East 55th and Central,
Cleveland.

Dear Sir:-

Enclosed herewith the writers check for
matrimonial services rendered on October 24th.

Would like to know to whom you gave the
Marriage Certificate as we looked for same immediately
after you left, and have not located it yet. Perhaps
it is on your files.

Very truly yours,

Benj. B. Klein
9999 St Clair Ave.

BEK-B.



December 11th, 1923.

Mr. J. Kaufmann,
19 Schiller-Str.,
Frankfurt, A. M. Germany.

My dear Mr. Kaufmann,

From your catalogue of 1905
I have selected the enclosed numbers.
If you can see your way clear to give me
a reasonable price on these books I shall
be glad to take them or as many of them as
you have in stock. I am buying most of these
books for The Temple library and our funds are
limited.

With kindest regards, permit me
to remain

Very sincerely yours,

December 11th, 1923.

Professor Alexander Marx,
Jewish Theological Seminary,
New York City.

My dear Professor Marx,

I am engaged in writing a paper and I wonder whether you would extend to me the privilege of borrowing a few books from the Jewish Theological Seminary. The College library of Cincinnati does not seem to have these books on its shelves.

1. Menasseh Ben Israel's

- (1) De Termino Vitae - English Translation.
- (2) Conciliador - English Translation.
- (3) Esperanca de Israel - English Translation.

With kindest regards and thanking you in advance, permit me to remain

Very sincerely yours,

December 11th ,1933

Sinton Hotel,
Cincinnati, Ohio/

Please reserve room for me Wednesday morning.

Rabbi A. H. Silver.

SAMUEL H. HOPSTADTER
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WILLIAM S. CREEVEY

December 12th, 1923.

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

Dear Dr. Silver:-

I have just been informed that the Local Committee in charge of the Zeta Beta Tau Convention had refrained from asking you to speak at the Silver Jubilee banquet of the Fraternity on December 29th. in the belief that I had extended the invitation directly, and I had refrained in the thought that the Local Committee had communicated with you.

I find that as a result nobody has communicated with you and I hasten to correct the omission as we look forward particularly to hearing your message at the notable gathering of university men which will occur in Cleveland in commemoration of Zeta Beta Tau's first twenty-five years.

I would certainly leave the choice of subject entirely to your discretion and content myself with calling your attention to the fact that your listeners will represent leaders among Jewish college men.

It is with the keenest pleasure that I look forward to meeting you in Cleveland at the end of this month.

Faithfully yours,

HR:AW

Harold Riegelman

December 13th, 1923.

Mr. Emanuel Hart,
290 Lincoln Place,
Brooklyn, N.Y.

My dear Mr. Hart,

I am returning herewith the program for the Memorial Services. I would suggest that after the Memorial Roll Call (45 on your program) you place the Kaddish.

I shall be very pleased to take care of the music.

Looking forward with pleasure to welcoming you and the members of the Z.B.T., I beg to remain

Fraternally your,

December 13th, 1923.

Mr. Benjamin B. Klein,
9999 St. Clair Ave.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Klein,

Permit me to thank you for your letter of December 11th and for the check which you enclosed. In keeping with my practice I shall put it aside in a small charity fund which I use from time to time. Your marriage certificate was of course forwarded to the Probate Court after it was signed by me. Should you wish a certificate for your personal use I shall be very happy to give you one any time you drop in to The Temple office. Please remember me to Mrs. Klein.

With kindest regards, I beg
to remain

Very sincerely yours,

December 13th, 1923.

Manager, Sinton Hotel,
Cincinnati, Ohio.

Dear Sir:

Yesterday morning I gave a telegram to a bell boy at your hotel to be sent to my wife in Cleveland. I gave the boy fifty cents to pay for the telegram. I arrived home this morning to learn that the telegram was not sent. I occupied room 404. The bell boy was a rather tall slender young man. I think this matter ought to be thoroughly investigated by you as I regard it a very serious reflection upon an institution whose employees cannot be depended upon to forward such important messages as telegrams.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

December 14th, 1923.

Mr. Francis J. Sadlier,
The Arcade,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Sadlier,

On Friday evening,
December 28th the Z. B. T. Fraternity
will hold their Memorial Services at
The Temple. This Service will take the
place of the usual Friday evening forum.
The program calls for the Friday evening
Service and for two special musical numbers.
I wish that you would attend to this matter.
At this Service some five hundred representative
university men of the country will be present
and I am very anxious to have a fine musical
program.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

December 14th, 1923.

Mr. Sam J. Unger,
517 E. South Street,
South Bend, Indiana.

My dear Mr. Unger,

I am referring your
letter to the Jewish newspaper here
in the hope that they may be able to
trace down Mr. Josef Cohn.

am

With kindest regards, I

Very sincerely yours,

M. Rabbi A. H. Silver

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Rev. Dr. Abba Hillel Silver,
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My dear Dr. Silver:

The other day, at the occasion of my visit of condolence to Mrs. Hays, I saw among others your letter, and knowing that you are not in the habit of using hollow phraseology, I can count you among the sincere friends and admirers of poor Hays. It will, therefore, interest you to learn that there is a movement on foot to dedicate, eventually, the YOUNG PEOPLE'S ENCYCLOPEDIA, to the memory of Mr. Hays who was an ardent supporter of the idea, and you know that religious education was one of his hobbies.

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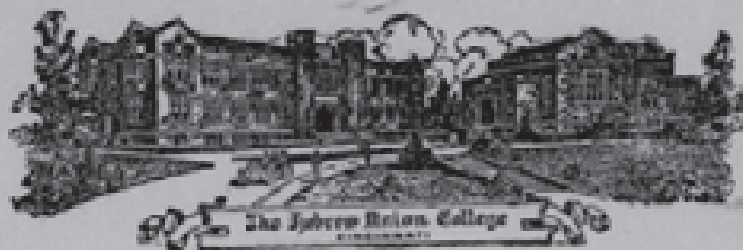
Very truly yours,

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P.S. It is the first time that I came out flatfooted, as to Zionism: both, our modernity and yunker mentalities may kick and spatter, but Opposition, Zeal, Harmony, are staple but the secret fradus and Parnassus, and ad long to: *'Al' 1820 PK*

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I am very thankful to you for your charming note and your assurance of continued interest.

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Just where are you going to be, and when are you coming in.

I have made arrangements to enter the University in February. Dean Chandler remembers you very well. He recalled your poems of the "good old days". I promised him a copy of your America. (Please ask Miss Lipson to mail me one copy)



I have been given official standing
as a first collegiate and I take
also higher litt. criticism with Dr. Mergenson
and Theology with Rabbi Cohen.

Dr. Rosenau delivered himself
at chapel with some pointed advice
to "us students" and ~~fixed~~ Leon
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at the banquet of the Z. B. T. Fraternity
on the 29th of this month.

With kindest regards, I am

Fraternaly yours,

December 18th, 1923.

Rabbi Abraham Feldman,
1717 North Broad Street,
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My dear Abo,

Harry S. Tucker a Confirmand
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I have your letter of recent date, with reference to the telegram which you gave to one of our bell boys to send off for you. This was given to a Western Union messenger, and we are investigating it thru the Western Union Telegraph office in this city, and we will advise you of the results.

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Very truly yours,

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My dear Mr. Klein,

I was pleasantly surprised
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morning your very lovely gift. I need
not tell you that I appreciate it very
much.

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to our home right soon and help me smoke
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Very sincerely yours,

December Twenty-fourth
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Very truly yours,

Abner M. Davis
President and Treasurer.

Rabbi Silver: This letter will illustrate how the majority of so called "unscrupulous" employers best doze wages to lower costs. See the profits. This method of saving profits by manufacturing is customary and usual and not exceptional and furishes employment for more men.

December Twenty-sixth
1923

Miss Edna Josephine Kleinmaier,
Marion, Ohio.

My dear Miss Kleinmaier,

I received with pleasure the
announcement of your engagement. Please
accept my sincere felicitations and best
wishes.

With kindest regards to yourself
and to Mr. Jacobs, I am

Very sincerely yours,

1101 East 19th Street, Flatbush

Telephone:
Midwood 7531

Brooklyn, N.Y., December 28th, 1923

Rev. Dr. Abba Hillel Silver,
Rabbi, The Temple,
1485 East 106th Street,
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Dr. Silver:

I have had no word from you for some time in the matter of the Hebrew National & University Library in Jerusalem. You had stated that in accordance with the letter of Rabbi Sol. Goliman you were of the opinion that a trip to Cleveland at that time would have no results and suggested that the drive for the Library be postponed to the beginning of February.

Would it suit your convenience for me to stop at Cleveland on my return from Chicago at the end of January? I trust you will be able to prepare for the work by that time.

The editor of the Jewish World in Cleveland, Mr. Rucker, will be glad to assist us in Cleveland in every possible way although he is of the opinion that the month of January would not be favorable and that we would most likely be more successful in some other month.

I shall be glad to receive your early response as I intend to start on January 6th on a long trip that will include a visit to Chicago and Cleveland.

With kind regards, I am

Sincerely yours,

Heinrich Lowy

The Berkeley Hotel
FOURTH AVENUE AT BROADWAY
Fon'sville, Kentucky

Dec. 29, 1923

Dear Rabbi Silver: -

I am
enclosing herewith check
for ten dollars for services
rendered.

Respectfully yours,
Harry C. Resnick

December 31st, 1923.

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

My dear Miss Eastman,

I wonder whether you have material in the public library on the subject of Adventist of Millenarian Thought and Speculation in England and the Continent during the 17th century. There were some pamphlets written at the time on the mystic significance of the year 1666. I wonder whether you have anything on that subject.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

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Rev. Dr. Abba Hillel Silver,
Temple Tifereth Israel,
Cleveland, O.

My dear Doctor Silver:

Perhaps you will recognize this as the echo of my voice you often heard at the Plum Street Temple. Well, then, I prayed God, now I pray you; then my prayers followed the notes, now I hope the checks will follow the prayer.

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The Cantors Association of America, is celebrating its 30th Anniversary on the 3rd of February in Madison Square Garden with a grand concert of Jewish Music, the character of which will eclipse in grandeur and uniqueness any Music Festival that ever took place in this country or in Europe. It will be the pride of the Jew.

In connection with this they are issuing a *Saifer Hazichronos*, wherein will be preserved for posterity the story of the Chazan and the Chazamuth and the Congregations in Europe and America and the Synagogue Music and Musicians. The money thus realized will be to alleviate the suffering of the superannuated, whose congregations could not take care of them, as well as to raise the standard of the profession, both, materially and spiritually.

Knowing that you consecrated your life to the cause of Judaism and Humanity, I, therefore, take the liberty to implore you that you exert your influence with your congregation, with whom I have already communicated, that they secure space in our Journal, whereupon they can record their history and the names of all those who have endeared themselves to them by their faithful and zealous labors on behalf of the congregation.

The price of a page 8 x 11 is \$50.00. And I am sure that you will agree with me that this cause is worthy of your assistance and trust that you will persuade the congregation to be very liberal in its contribution.

Trusting to hear favorably from you, I am

Very truly yours,

I. H. Weinstock

Chairman Propaganda Committee.

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