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June 1, 1936

Dr. Hugo Rosenthal,
2761 Euclid Heights Blvd.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Dr. Rosenthal:

Let me thank you for your kindness in showing me the enclosed letter which you received. I read it with considerable interest. Clearly, the young lady who wrote it is a cultured woman but evidently not of the material out of which pioneers are built. I can readily understand her desire to leave Palestine at the earliest opportunity.

I enjoyed my visit with you very much.
With all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

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June 1, 1936

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

Dear Rabbi Silver,

Remembering the many calls on your time and your devotion to your duties, I hesitate to ask if a copy could be obtained of the thoughts you expressed and the words you used during that brief but very beautiful and impressive ceremony three days ago. But if you should find it possible to do this for us sometime when it would not be a tax on your all too limited leisure, we would very greatly appreciate your bestowing on us this favor.

I have already expressed my thanks, but I repeat them again with emphasis and appreciation.

Faithfully yours,

BPG

June 1, 1936

Professor William Sandoz,
1770 Delmont Ave.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Professor Sandoz:

Let me thank you for your thoughtfulness in inviting me to attend the Fencing Night on Monday, June 8. I would have been most happy to avail myself of your gracious invitation. Unfortunately, I shall be in the East on that day.

With all good wishes and thanking you again for your thoughtfulness in inviting me, I remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BK

The Temple

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June 1, 1936

Rabbi Isaac Marcuson,
204 Buford Place,
Macon, Georgia.

My dear Rabbi Marcuson:

I want to have my Baccalaureate Address printed in booklet form. In Cleveland we do not have a printer who has both English and Hebrew type. Would you please let me have the name and address of the publisher of the C.C.A.R. Yearbook?

With all good wishes, I remain

Very sincerely yours,

Abba Hillel Silver

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The Yearbook is printed by the Kingsport Press Sales Agency,
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and brought to the personal attention of Mr. A. J. Barlow,
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I am sure you will find any work given them satisfactorily
finished.

I. E. Marcuson.

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June 1, 1936

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
Cleveland, Ohio

My dear Rabbi,

I note your letter of May 26th. I think you are flattering me inasmuch as I did not contribute anything to the Welfare Fund other than my financial support. Like nearly everyone who is well-informed, I am of the opinion that the success of the campaign will be directly attributed to your fine effort and that of your associate, Rabbi Brickner.

Confidentially, in speaking with Mrs. Louis Kane, I find that she is quite incensed as a result of having received no credit for her effort in connection with the recent campaign. She makes the statement that she organized the women's group and her name was not mentioned during the entire campaign in any of the organization literature. You no doubt recognize that she is a very competent worker and will take steps to smooth her ruffled position in the matter. I am sure you fully realize the necessity of preserving her good will as she exerts a great deal of influence with certain groups.

With kindest regards, I am

Sincerely yours,


S. D. Wise

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

Dear Abba:

It was a real pleasure to be with
you and the family for dinner. I was only
sorry that I picked such a bad day to visit,
for I could see how terrifically pressed you
were for time.

I have written Mr. Levy about the
details of our solicitation in Cleveland, and
expect to hear from him shortly. I know he
will consult with you as to further plans.

Your baccalaureate created quite a
stir, and I hear from all sides that it was by
far the finest and most worth while that had
been delivered in many years.

If I don't see you before, we will
have a real visit at the Conference.

My regards and thanks to your wife.

Sincerely,

Elkan

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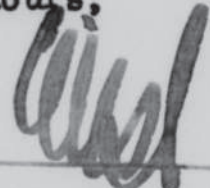
June 3, 1936

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
East 105th Street & Ansel Bldg.
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Dr. Silver:

I should be very grateful to you if you will let me have a full copy (if it has been published or if copies be available) of your baccalaureate address before the H. U. C. When I read of it in "Every Friday" magazine, I felt that I wanted to have the whole of the address and discuss it with the students of the J. I. R. when we resume in the fall. It was a magnificent utterance, and I am eagerly looking forward to a study of the whole document.

Yours,



Stephen S. Wise
National Chairman

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Temple Beth El

151-161 Richmond Avenue

Buffalo, N. Y.

STUDY OF THE RABBI
REUBEN J. MAGIL

June 3, 1936

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi Silver:

Thank you very much
for your generous consent to send me
a copy of your paper which I believe
is entitled "Israel".

I am confident that
I will gain much from reading it and
I assure you that I deeply appreciate
your generosity.

With kindest regards,

I remain

Sincerely yours,

Reuben J. Magil

RJM: JH

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is the largest Charitable Institution in the Holy Land, and has been established to care for old men and women in reduced circumstances, who are unable to care for themselves.

These old people find in the Home a comfortable shelter of spacious accommodation, fresh air, good beds and clean linen. They receive careful attention wholesome food and kind care, and are able to spend their declining days in studying the Law and praying for the welfare and well-being of their benefactors.

With the help of the Almighty and due to the zealous and unfailing support of generous co-religionists, the institution has developed from a kitchen and food-distributing centre into its present important position as a large and congenial Home for hundreds of aged people, a credit and honour to the Holy City and an eloquent testimony to Jewish charity.

The Institution, the largest of its kind in Palestine, consists at present of a number of large new buildings some distance from the City Walls. Situated on a tract of land some 40,000 square yards in area, surrounded by a beautiful fruit and flower-garden, the enlarged Home contains 200 airy and commodious bedrooms, a vast dininghall and a library of most valuable works.

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The inmates of the Home, dwelling within its amenable shelter, now number 300 old men and women.

דער מושב זקנים וזקנות המאוחד

איז דער גרעסטער אידישער אנשטאלט אין דער הייליגער לאנד. זיא היים פיר הונדערטע ארימע אלטע לייט פון אלע טהיילען פון דער גרויסער וועלט.

דער מושב זקנים איז די היים פאר עלטערע מענער און פרויען ארימע פערלאסענע און עלינדע, דא פינדען זיין גוטע ריינע און ליכטיגע צימערן מיט פרישע געזונדע לופט, ריינע בעטטען און וועשע, געזונדע בעקאסטיגונג, בארמהערציגע בעדינונג, און פאלשטענדיגע רוהע.

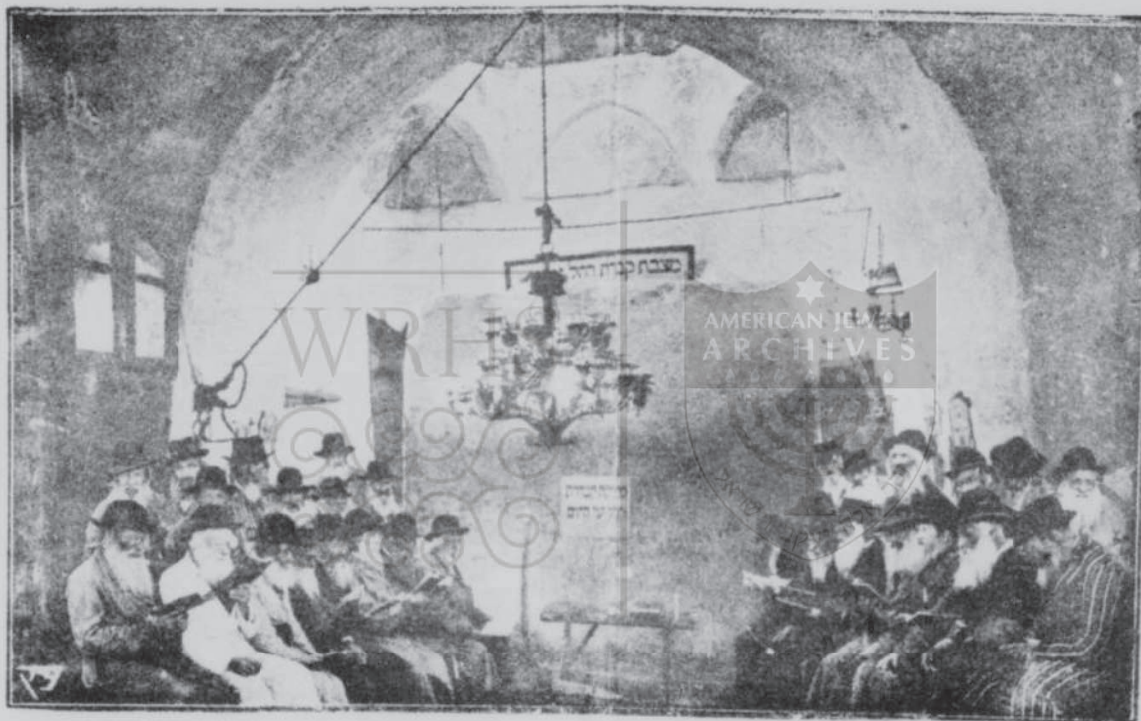
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אינהאלט דער אנשטאלט.

דער אנשטאלט האט זיינע אייגענע זעהר שעהנע געביידען אין א גרויסען הויף וואו עס איז פערפלאנצט פיעל פערשיידענע בוימער און בלומען אויף רעהנעם קלימאט אויסער דער שטאט דאס פלאטץ ענטהאלט 40000 קוואדראט איילען, און ענטהאלט 200 הייזער וועלכע צערטיילען זיין: (1) מענער אבטיילונג, (2) פרויען אבטיילונג, (3) האספיטאל פיר דיא קראנקע או אינוואלידען, מיט ספעציעלע ערצטע, און בעזונדערען אבטהיילונגען, (4) "אפאטעהק" און קליניק, (5) "באד" אייראפעישע שוויץ באד און וואנען, (6) "סינאגאגען" (שוהלען). אין מושב זקנים זיינען דא 4 "סינאגאגען" (פאן וועלכע

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כגמלו הטוב, ויראה בעיניו בישועת עמנו וארצנו, אמן.

כלב דוי אנו כותבים מכתבנו זה כי עדיין השטן מרקד בארצנו,
ובכלל עמנו אנו נמצאים במצב האיום של הפרעות בארץ .

ואולם משנה-צרה הוא לנו המצב האיום הזה, כי הביא את
מוסדנו במצוקה נוראה ובסכנה גדולה כאשר כבר הודענו לו במכתבנו
הקודם, ועם המשך המהומות הורע מצבנו עוד יותר, כי לרגלי המצב אין
לנו למי לפנות לעזרה פה בארץ, היות שהכל טרודים ועסוקים בדאגת
הבטחון, ואין לנו מוצא .

הננו מבקשים בזה שוב את כבודו כי יוסיף להוסיף לנו את
ידו לעזרה, ויפנה למקורביו ויספר להם את המצב האיום שבו נמצאים
מאות זקנינו שפחד הרעב בכל מוראותיו מרחף עליהם, וימהר להמציא לנו
עזרה בעוד מועד .

תקוותנו כי כשישקטו המהומות בארץ, נשוב למסלולנו בהנהלת
המוסד, ואולם בשעה זו, איום ונורא מצבנו, ועזרה דחופה מוכרחת לבוא
ממי שהכח בידו .

והשם ישלח לנו עזרתו בקודש בתוך כלל ישראל, ושלום לו
ולב"ב .

כברכת מוקיריו החותמים בברכה ובכל רגשי הכבוד:

אברהם סתם

מנהלי מושב זקנים וזקנות המאוחד



June 5, 1936

Mr. Philmore J. Haber,
1090 Union Trust Bldg.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Phil:

I just received the enclosed bill from the
Netherland Plaza Hotel for the room which I occupied
at the B'nai B'rith Convention. Please refer it to
the proper authorities.

With all good wishes, I remain

Very sincerely yours,

AHS:BK

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June 5, 1936

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
Cleveland, Ohio

My dear Rabbi Silver:

Attached is a clipping of an editorial from
the June 2, 1936 issue of THE JEWISH ADVOCATE,
the largest Anglo-Jewish paper in the country.

A word of comment or acknowledgement from you
would be appreciated.

The Next President

As the date for the national convention of the Zionist Organization of America approaches, there is increasing interest in the question of the choice of a new president to succeed Morris Rothenberg who last year announced that he would not be a candidate to succeed himself. Excitement is particularly tense as to whether the new president will be "one of the old crowd," or whether fresh blood and spirit will assume control.

Many who have been close to Zionist administrations for the past dozen years feel that now is the opportunity to clean house and to return to Zionist leadership men of intellect, ideals and statesmanship. One of the outstanding men in the country whose name is constantly being mentioned as a leading contender for the position of Zionist head is Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver of Cleveland. There is no doubt that Rabbi Silver possesses the ability and the understanding as well as the necessary idealism, a quality which has long been lacking, to administer this office well. He comes uncontaminated with political intrigues. In his own city he withdrew from the regular district and was named leader of a group of fine people who as the Cleveland Zionist Society have been champions of a new deal for the Z. O. A. It is possible that Rabbi Silver may be the man for whom Zionism has been waiting.

Very truly yours,

Carl Alpert

Carl Alpert
City Editor

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June 5, 1936.

Rabbi A. H. Silver,
c/o The Temple, East 105th and Ansel Rd.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Rabbi Silver:-

Herewith I hand you a reprint of the article "I Was an
Editor in Germany", of which I spoke to you night before last.

I am also enclosing a copy of the letter that I told
you I had written to Rabbi Stephen S. Wise.

Neither enclosure need be returned to me.

Sincerely yours,

George
George W. Furth.

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June 5, 1936

Mr. A. J. Barlow, President,
Kingsport Press Sales Agency,
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My dear Mr. Barlow:

Rabbi Isaac Marcuson, secretary of the Central Conference of American Rabbis, recommended your organization to me for the printing of the Baccalaureate Address which I delivered at the Hebrew Union College last week. Inasmuch as there is need for some Hebrew letters, I have been unable to find a publisher in Cleveland. I should like to have 500 copies of the address printed in the same format as the reprint of my Paper "Israel" which you made for me last year, using the same paper, type and outside folder. I am enclosing the Address herewith and I should like to have you send me an estimate of the cost.

With all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

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Rabbi & Mrs. Silver.

I feel so grateful to you
dear Rabbi for the lovely words spoken
at my dear Myron's last visit.

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I want to show you in such a
small way how appreciative I am.

Am therefore enclosing a request
for you to purchase something
for your dear Boys that will add
to their happiness.

Please do not turn this over to the
Temple or anything else, we all do

our share when called upon.

Am sending also bottles of
liquor, which is very old. and it
will give you strength to carry on
your many noble deeds; you
may share it with Mrs. Silver

Again thanking you for all
your kindness, and attention;
with best wishes

Very Fondly
Hara Horroan

June 6-36 -
1601 East 115th St.
Cleveland O.

Mrs. Ada Jacobson
11002 Carl Ave.
Cleveland, Ohio.

June 7, 1936

Dear Rabbi Silver,

Excuse me, that I bother you and also my poor English.

My husband left Cleveland for a few days and when he will be back, we intend to leave Cleveland for ever and go somewhere to look for a job, but before I want to ask you, maybe you will find the possibility now to engage my husband as a cantor in your Congregation even for a very small salary, as we have no children, we do not need much.

My husband, as you know, is not only a perfect modern cantor, but, as a man of high musical education, is also able to organize and lead a choir,

and will be very useful for your temple.
It is very hard for my husband
to find a suitable Congregation,
because the most orthodox Congre-
gations in America are not intelligent
enough to understand and appre-
ciate such a cantor like my husband;
they prefer a vulgar cantor with
his ridiculous manners of praying.
The reform Rabbis do not want
invite a cantor and have christian
singers. instead to ~~give~~ the possibility
for making a living for a Jew.
Maybe you will be the exclusion
of them, as the greatest reform Rabbi,
and act otherwise.

May I ask you, please, for your
kind and prompt reply.

Respectfully yours
Ada Jacobson.

Cleveland, Ohio.
June 8th, 1936.

Rabbi A. H. Silver,
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Rabbi Silver:

Once again I am coming to
you for a great favor.

I have been very fortunate
in having been given an opportunity to
secure a fine position as secretary to
the United States Commissioner General
of the Great Lakes Exposition, contin-
gent upon your help.

This morning I had an appoint-
ment with Mr. Zychick and I feel confident
of receiving the appointment, providing
you will give me a letter of recommenda-
tion.

I told Mr. Zychick that I had
been your secretary for five years and
gave him your name as reference. He
asked that I secure a letter from you,
addressed to him, and bring it to him in
person on next Friday.

I need not tell you how much
this would mean to me. I have been very
unhappy in my present employment and feel
that this is a splendid opportunity for
something worth while, although I have
never given up hope of returning to your
employ.

Won't you please send me a letter of recommendation, such as Mr. Zychick requests, addressed to him;- Mr. A. Harry Zychick, United States Commissioner General of the Great Lakes Exposition, Cleveland.

With kindest regards to yourself, Mrs. Silver and the children, and thanking you very kindly in advance for all your kindness to me, I am

Very sincerely yours,

Irene Pathenberg



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

Dear Dr. Silver:

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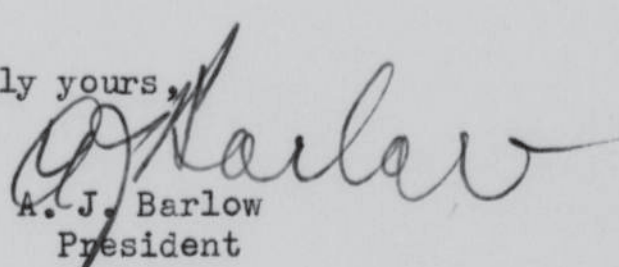
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A. J. Barlow
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Sincerely yours,

Frederic Cromwell

Mrs. Frederic Cromwell
Treasurer

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

June 9, 1936

Carl Alpert, City Editor,
The Jewish Advocate,
251 Causeway Street,
Boston, Mass.

My dear Mr. Alpert:

Let me thank you for your kindness in sending me the clipping of an editorial which appeared in the Jewish Advocate relative to the next President of the Zionist Organization of America. AMERICAN JEWISH ARCHIVES Thank you for all the nice things which you say about me in the editorial but as for being a "leading contender for the position of Zionist head" at the forthcoming Convention, I must say that you are under a false impression. I am not a contender for the office and I can not accept it if offered.

The present incumbent of the office, Mr. Morris Rothenberg, has made an excellent president. He has brought to his position fine qualities of devoted and quiet leadership, integrity and a spirit of conciliation. His Administration this year was particularly successful. His tour through the middlewest and the west in behalf of the Zionist cause was eminently successful and made a host of friends for Palestine.

I trust that the Zionists of America will have the wisdom to re-elect him at the forthcoming Convention.

With all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BK

June 10, 1936

Bloch Publishing Co.,
31 West 31st St.,
New York, N.Y.

Gentlemen:

Please send Rabbi Silver at your earliest
convenience, one copy of KIRJATH SEPHER, Twelfth
Year - Number Two.

Thanking you for your courtesy, I remain

Very sincerely yours,

AHS:BK

Secretary to Rabbi Silver.

June 10, 1936

Mr. Bernhard P. Grunauer,
11425 Glenwood Ave.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Grunauer:

Thank you for your kind note of June 1.
I wish I could comply with your request and send you
a copy of the marriage service. Unfortunately I
haven't it in manuscript and I am very much crowded
at the present with Temple activities prior to my
leaving for my summer's vacation. Perhaps when
I return I shall have the time to put the service
in written form and send it to you.

I trust that you and your dear ones
are all well. I wish you all a very happy summer.
When you go fishing, please think of me. With best
wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:EK

June 10, 1936

Mr. Edgar B. Smith,
3 Russo Court,
Newport, R.I.

My dear Mr. Smith:

Let me thank you for your kind note of May 24. I was very much interested in reading what you say about the Judah Touro plaque in The Temple and that you grew up in the shadow of the old synagogue in Newport, R.I. I have never visited the synagogue and I hoped to be there this summer. However I shall be out of the country this summer and must forego the pleasure of visiting it for the present.

Thanking you again for your thoughtfulness in writing to me, and with all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BK

June 10, 1936

Mr. Jacob Billikopf,
National Labor Relations Board,
Bankers Securities Building,
Philadelphia, Pa.

My dear Billie:

Thanks for your letter of May 25. I went to Buffalo and addressed their opening campaign banquet. The meeting was a good one but I don't think the Buffalo people will reach their quota. The whole scale of giving in that community is ridiculously low. They brought in lists of pledges already obtained and announced them at the meeting so that while some of the people increased their pledges, most of them were satisfied to let their announced contributions stand. I do not know whether you have won your bet or not because I did not wait for the final figures nor have I heard from the Buffalo people since. I am sure that Mr. Saperston could give you the final figures.

I am leaving with my family for Europe, sailing on the "Normandie" the 17th of this month. We shall spend most of the summer in France. I may go over to Palestine for a short visit to be with my folks who are celebrating their golden wedding this year. What are your plans for the summer?

With all good wishes to you and Ruth in which Virginia joins me, I am

As ever yours,

AHS:BK

June 10, 1936

Mrs. Edith Fletcher,
1487 E. 112th St.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mrs. Fletcher:

Please pardon the long delay in answering your note. I have been extremely busy and out of the city a good deal of the time.

We are contemplating no changes in our choir for the coming year. If there should be a vacancy, I shall be very happy to communicate with you.

With all good wishes for a pleasant summer, I remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BK

June 10, 1936

Mr. Martin L. Fein,
10602 Earle Ave.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Fein:

Please pardon the long delay in acknowledging your kind letter and your statement "Jewish Youth Should Table Zionism". I read both with great interest.

A fundamental error in thinking is that you assume that interest in Zionism and interest in helping American youth to solve its economic problems are mutually exclusive. This, of course, is not the case. The true Zionist is also a loyal citizen and wherever he lives he endeavors to devote himself to all movements which will make for the greater economic security and well being of the country in which he lives. Many leading Zionists are outstanding champions of social justice in this country and in other lands. It is not a case of "either-or". Both are important. Zionism does not contemplate the transplanting of the sixteen million Jews in the world to Palestine nor is it predicated upon the liquidation of Jewish life outside of Palestine. It aims to establish a strong and culturally creative homeland in Palestine.

With all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BK
Enc.

While our present civilization is tottering to its self-destruction, we young people are being held in a confused state of mind by Zionist propaganda.

In my mid-western city the Young Jewish Clubs have been organized into a league which has an ample number of advisors and chaperons. From the very start, Zionism was made the principle topic expounded by well-meaning seers. With fervent passionate discourse, with statistical blueprints, with emotion-strained voices, these romanticists appealed to us. But even though this furor continued unabated over several years it has met with comparative slight response. Those employed are practically united in their resistance to leaving established roots and embarking for Palestine; even the unemployed are disinclined to start anew in strange surroundings. The only tangible result has been an outlet for wistful thinking.

We are realistically confronted with a most trying situation. The superannuated have trapped themselves in an economic maze which seemingly has no outlet; and now frantic for release the savage instincts are very perceptible under the worn veil of civilization. This man-made plague has, as ever before, been blamed on the Jews--a people who have even weathered the devastating results of pogroms. Now however, under the current duress, our weakened elders advise our flight to a mythical haven.

How Palestine can be pictured as the solution of the Jewish problem is beyond all logic when one takes into consideration the present background. England controls the country with an iron hand, and necessarily so. Angry Arabs resenting the intrusion of our race have flared up time and time again but mighty England has kept the fire to a smouldering degree. Should we Jews by some miracle obtain the complete independence of Palestine, then our immediate and persistent problem would arise with the Arabic peoples. So Zionism from a practical viewpoint cannot assure one of less hardships---but only increased aggravation.

With fascistic countries on the rampage for more and more territory, an independent Palestine, with a concentrated percentage of the Jewish race, would rather seem an ideal set-up for annihilation. Herr Hitler could easily concoct some provocation on order of the "Reichstage Fire" and re-enact another invited slaughter. The previous one being the foolish unresistance on the Sabbath while Roman legions butchered at will. On that distant occasion fanatics prevailed and if the same practice is followed again, then only those ~~few~~ wise, calm Jews--scattered by geographical classification but firmly united by spiritual bonds--would survive to see a better world.

Meanwhile our Jewish Youth, rent with conflicting emotions, has been dissipating its energies by internal bickering. Pertinent problems have been ignored. The wide-spread pressure of these problems are being met daily in contacts with frustrated unemployed, many of whom never had an opportunity since leaving school; with the acquaintance of those climbing up the ladder via CCC; with the struggles of those trying to keep a family group intact; with those remaining engaged for years and years and years. All this we know, too well, but mired down in irrelevant Zionism nothing is being accomplished to ameliorate these acute conditions.

Not once have I heard an advisor suggest affiliation with other youth groups toward mutual economic advancement nor have our periodicals tried to cope with the immediate problems of youth. Instead we are all advised to remain aloof and aesthetically dreaming while the progressive AYC ~~movement~~ movement, with limited support, is chiefly responsible for the Benson-Amlie Youth Bill, now pending in Congress.

This bill provides permanent vocational training and employment on public works under a decent wage scale for those 16 to 25 years of age, and also to subsidize students; these projects being in no way connected with military or private enterprise. The bill, IF ENACTED, would provide all young people with an opportunity for social usefulness and moral strengthening.

Until the AYC acted, youthful idealists were ignored while those more equipped to combat a relentless world have secured, or are on the way to securing, necessary assistance. This leads us to point an accusing finger at our advisors who seemed greatly concerned over personal interests but refrained from employing their mature guidance on behalf of bewildered youth. So under the circumstances it may be necessary to formulate our own policies.

The American Youth Congress is composed of the YMCA, YWCA, National Students Federation, American Students Union, and the National Council of Methodist Youth. As you see, organized Jewish Youth has been conspicuously absent in a movement of undisputable merit. Only by eliminating untimely discussion, and putting our shoulders to the wheel, can we avail ourselves of the opportunity to help our fellows in a true democratic manner.



June 10, 1936

Mrs. Ada Yacobson,
11002 Earle Ave.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mrs. Yacobson:

Let me thank you for your kind letter of June 7. The Temple at present is not contemplating any change in its choir for the coming year. I am grateful to you for having written to me.

With best wishes to you and to your husband, permit me to remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BK

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Otis Aal

announce the marriage of their daughter

Idelle

WRHS to
Mr. Arthur Carl Haber



on Wednesday, June the tenth

Nineteen hundred and thirty-six

Saint Paul, Minnesota

June 11, 1936

Mr. A. J. Barlow, President,
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My dear Mr. Barlow:

Let me thank you for your kind letter of June 9. The price which you indicate, \$60, for 500 copies of my Baccalaureate Address printed and bound in a style similar to my paper, "Israel", is satisfactory. I am awaiting the proofs.

With best wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BK

June 11, 1936

Jewish Telegraphic Agency,
220 Fifth Ave.,
New York, N.Y.

Dear Friends:

I plan to sail for Europe on Wednesday, June 17, on the "Normandie". Please have the daily bulletins of the Jewish Telegraphic Agency mailed to me in care of the American Express Co., Paris, France. I should also be grateful to receive your European Bulletin if you publish one. Please send them to that address until September 1, 1936.

With best wishes, I remain

Very sincerely yours,

AHS:BK

June 11, 1936.

Dear Rabbi Silver:

The morning mail brought in this
"chain letter" - a bright and shining example of
"how to start the day wrong."

Very likely one of these outrageous
epistles has already come to your attention. However,
since it is distributed thru personal channels and
directed only to non-Jews, it may have been somewhat
delayed in reaching your notice.

With all those staunch Republicans now
assembled in Cleveland, an "anti-Jewish vote" might
even be underground!

Your address in Buffalo should have
jolted a great many more of our selfish and thoughtless
Jews from their abominable lethargy and illiberal
smugness. To work among some of the so called
"subscribers" in the campaign has been a very saddening
experience, but I fervently hope that Jews elsewhere
are heeding the call with heart and hand generously
outstretched to meet the urgent need.

Sincerely,

Nettie Nathan

Miss Nettie Nathan
1955 Hertel Ave.,
Buffalo, N.Y.

June 11, 1936

New York Times,
Circulation Department,
Times Square,
New York, N.Y.

Gentlemen:

Beginning Thursday, June 18, please send
the New York Times to me in care of the American Express Co.,
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Very sincerely yours,

Abba Hillel Silver,
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Very sincerely yours,

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Dear Dr. Silver:

We regret exceedingly that we are unable to supply at present Year 12, #2 of the Kirjath Sepher. We reordered this issue some time ago but they have not yet arrived. Please advise if you wish us to send a copy when they reach us from Palestine.

I am taking the liberty of sending you some late Palestinian Hebrew publications which I feel sure would interest you enough to take with you on your trip which I hope will be a most enjoyable one. You are at liberty to return these if not desired.

With greetings, in which Mr. Bloch joins me,

Yours sincerely,

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Cordially yours,

A. J. Barlow
A. J. Barlow
President

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June 13, 1936

Mr. Maxwell Silver,
Public National Bank and Trust Co.,
102nd St. and Madison Ave.,
New York, N.Y.

My dear Max:

We plan to leave for Europe on Wednesday of this coming week. We are sailing on the "Normandie" at noon. If you and Jane can get away, we shall be delighted to see you before we sail. We are going to France, and possibly, if things in Palestine will quiet down, Virginia and I will go there for a visit with the Folks.

With best wishes, I am

As ever yours,

AHS:BK

June 13, 1936

Mr. Jack Skirball,
St. Moritz Hotel,
New York, N.Y.

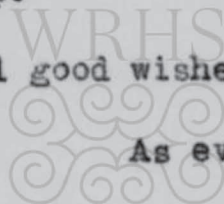
My dear Jack:

We sail Wednesday noon on the "Normandie".
If you can get away, we would be delighted to see
you on board ship.

With all good wishes, I remain

As ever yours,

AHS:BK



June 14, 1936

Mr. F. S. Crosley,
Kingsport Press Sales Agency, Inc.,
1 East 57th St.,
New York, N.Y.

My dear Mr. Crosley:

I am returning herewith the corrected proofs as well as the chart which you sent me. I should like to have second proofs sent to me together with the chart again. I should like to check up again on the Hebrew quotations. Please rush the proofs.

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BK
Enc.

June 14, 1936

Miss Nettie Nathan,
1955 Hertel Ave.,
Buffalo, N.Y.

My dear Miss Nathan:

Thank you for your thoughtfulness in writing to me and in sending me the chain letter. Undoubtedly there will be a considerable amount of this underground work carried on in this country in the next few months. Every effort, however, is being made by organized Jewish bodies to check just that sort of vicious propaganda.

I have not heard of the final results of the Buffalo Campaign. I was quite disappointed at the response which was made the night of the meeting. Evidently Buffaly Jewry is not sufficiently awake to the desperate urgency of the situation.

With all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS: BK

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June 15, 1936

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

Dear Dr. Silver:

Your letter of June 14, enclosing author's first proof of the Front Cover and pages 1-10 of THE ANCIENT PATHS, with dead manuscript pages 1-14 and photostat chart of Hebrew characters, was received this date.

This matter has been returned to our plant with instructions to set the corrections in accordance with your marks and to rush author's second page proof to you with all possible haste; this second proof will go to you via airmail, special delivery.

Cordially yours,

F. S. Crosley
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The photostat chart will accompany proof.
F.S.C.

June 15, 1936

The Nation,
20 Vesey Street,
New York, N.Y.

Gentlemen:

Please send copies of "The Nation", starting
with the next issue to me in care of the American Express
Company, Paris, France, until September 1, 1936.

Thanking you for your attention to this
matter, I remain

Very sincerely yours,

AHS:BK

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

June 15, 1936

Robert Thormann, Manager,
Congress Hall,
Cape May, N.J.

My dear Mr. Thormann:

Please cancel the reservation which Rabbi Silver made in his letter of May 15. Since writing to you, Rabbi Silver has made arrangements to leave for his vacation earlier than he had expected. He is sailing for Europe on June 17th and will therefore not be able to attend the convention of the Central Conference of American Rabbis.

Thanking you for your courtesy, I remain

Very sincerely yours,

BJK

Secretary to Rabbi Silver.

June 15, 1936

Mr. Morris Rothenberg, President,
Zionist Organization of America,
111 Fifth Ave.,
New York, N.Y.

My dear Rothenberg:

Thank you for your letter. Since I wrote to you, I have been informed that the "Normandie" sails at ten o'clock Wednesday morning. I shall be very happy to see you if you can manage it.

With all good wishes, I remain

Very sincerely yours,

AHS:BK

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June 15, 1936

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi Silver:

We are grateful indeed for the renewal
of your membership dues. Our receipt is enclosed.
Your continued interest and support are essential
to the unrelenting fight we urge against repression
in all the many forms it takes in these days of
bitter conflict and reaction.

Sincerely yours,

B W Huebsch
Treasurer.

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PALESTINE ALSO WHETHER OR WILL SEE YOU THREE MRS SILBERFELD
AND I LEAVE ON QUEEN MARY JUNE TWENTY FOURTH IF CONDITIONS
PERMIT WILL ARRIVE IN PALESTINE ABOUT JULY TENTH=

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June 15th, 1936.

Dr. A.H. Silver,
The Temple, Ansel Rd. & E. 105th St.,
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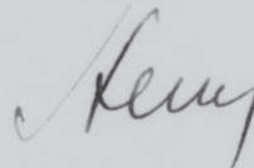
Dear Rabbi Silver:

Rabbi Cohen informs me that you have promised to have The Temple or The Sisterhood contribute \$100.00 per year to our mutual friend Rabbi Eckstein, for the purpose of providing him with living quarters until he will obtain a position. The Center will do likewise.

Please accept my thanks for your interest and cooperation.

With best wishes for an enjoyable vacation, a pleasant journey and safe return, I am,

Sincerely yours,



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	<u>\$508.20</u>
Cabin 617 - All (maid and children)	
Rate	\$454.10
Fr. Tax	8.50
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June 16, 1936

Mr. S. Kerstein,
Bloch Publishing Co.,
31 West 31st St.,
New York, N.Y.

My dear Mr. Kerstein:

Let me request you in the future not to send me any books unless I order them. It is quite a bother returning books which you do not need.

I would appreciate if you would follow through my order of Volume 12 - number 2 of the Kirjath Sepher. When you get it, please send it to me.

With all good wishes, I remain

Very sincerely yours,

AHS:BK

June 16, 1936

Rabbi Julius Silberfeld,
Congregation B'nai Abraham,
32 Ingraham Place,
Newark, N. J.

My dear Rabbi Silberfeld:

The address of my Folks is: Moses Silver, Rechaviah, Jerusalem. You will have no difficulty in locating them. There is a possibility of my visiting them this summer although my plans are not at all definite. We shall make our headquarters somewhere on the seacoast of Northern France. Our mail address will be - American Express Co., Paris, France.

I hope that you and Mrs. Silberfeld will have a wonderful trip. With all good wishes in which Mrs. Silver joins me, I remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BK

MAX KOCH

C/o Mr. J. Goodhart

1354 Yale Ave.

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June 16, 1936

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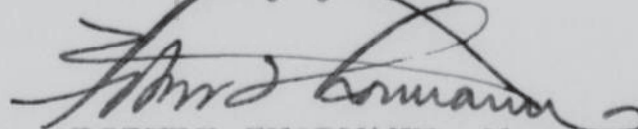
Miss Bessie Kline,
The Temple,
East 105th St. at Ansel Road,
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Miss Kline:

We have as you requested in your letter of June 15th cancelled Rabbi Silver's reservation, and we exceedingly regret that he will not be with us during the Central Conference of American Rabbis.

We trust that his vacation abroad will be a very pleasant and beneficial one.

Cordially yours,


ROBERT THORMANN, Manager.

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Date 6/17/36

To Dr. A. H. Silver

The Temple, East 105th Street at Ansel Road

Cleveland, Ohio

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June 17, 1936

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
Cleveland

Dear Sir:

When I returned home from the Commencement exercises of Western Reserve University, I found the notification of acceptance from Hebrew Union College.

My gratitude to you for helping me attain my goal is very great, believe me. The measure to which I can indicate my thanks here is altogether too slight, I am sure. I have only to regret that the opportunity was not mine to have you know me better than you perhaps do.

The last term I spent at Adelbert was very enjoyable. In May I was inducted into Delta Sigma Rho, national collegiate honor forensic society. And June 9 I was formally initiated into Phi Beta Kappa.

My hopes now are to prove myself worthy of your reference and to further our acquaintance.

Thanking you again, I am

Gratefully yours

Joseph Narot

June 17, 1936

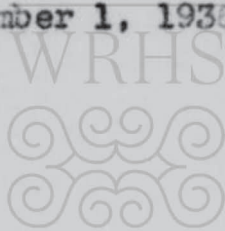
Claud Cockburn,
The Week,
20 Victoria Street,
London, S.W.1.

Dear Sir:

Please send my copies of the Week to me,
starting with the next issue, in care of The American
Express Company, Paris, France. Please continue to do
so until September 1, 1936.

Very sincerely yours,

AHS:BK



June 17, 1936

Mr. Eugene E. Wolf,
Engineers Bldg.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Mr. Wolf: _____

Rabbi Silver asked me to send you
the enclosed.

Very sincerely yours.

BJK
Enc.

1904 Arch St., Phila. Pa.

Phila., Pa. June 18, 1936.

Rabbi H. Silver,
105 Euclid Avenue,
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Rabbi:

The writer is a former Cleveland resident, and expects to come to Cleveland sometime during the month of September.

I would like to discuss a matter of great importance with you at that time, and would request your advise on this subject. I would therefore request an appointment with you at any time that suits your convenience during that month.

In the event, you are coming to Philadelphia before that time, and will so advise me, I shall be pleased to meet you here at any time you may designate, and go over this matter with you.

Trusting you see your way clear to grant my request, and assuring you that the discussion I have with you will be of mutual interest, I am,

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Yours truly,



Samuel Wise
SAMUEL WISE

June 22, 1936

Mr. Samuel Wise,
1904 Arch St.,
Philadelphia, Pa.

My dear Mr. Wise:

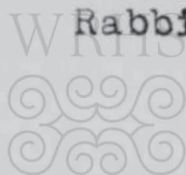
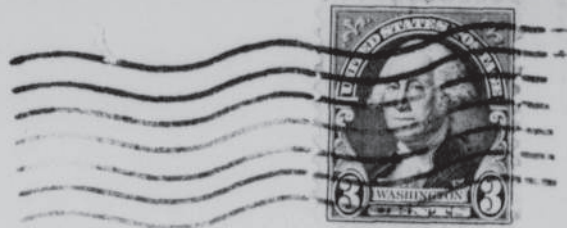
Permit me to acknowledge your letter of June 18. Rabbi Silver is spending the summer abroad and will be gone until the early part of September. May I suggest that you telephone the office when you are in Cleveland and if Rabbi Silver is here, I am sure that he will be pleased to see you.

 Very sincerely yours,


BJK

Secretary to Rabbi Silver.

From Samuel Wise
1902 Arch Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.



Rabbi H. Silver

105 Euclid Avenue,

Cleveland,

Ohio.

Reformed Temple.

June 22, 1936

Dear Rabbi Silver:

I trust that you, Mrs. Silver and the children had a pleasant crossing and that you are now comfortably settled for the summer.

Am enclosing the mail that has come in to date as per instruction. Have acknowledged all letters received inviting you to speak saying that letters would be forwarded to you.

Re letter from Miss Weisman: In your last letter to her you asked her to have Atlantic City people write to you in Fall.

Re letter from Mr. Hollender: Do you wish me to send you manuscript? I have it here. Wrote him that letter would be referred on your return home.

Re Nathan Kaber - Mrs. Auerbach called me on Friday. She told me that Nathan had been to see her. She told him that she could do nothing until you had O.K.'d scholarship, etc. Mrs. Auerbach asked me to write to you. What do you wish done in this matter? Nathan Kaber's letter is enclosed.

The enclosed clipping shows the result of the election of delegates to the ZOA Convention. Mrs. Fischer called me this morning. Needless to say, she was very much hurt and practically in tears. Her opinion is that the election was unfair (that's mine too) and that ballots were stuffed. Dr. Falkman hasn't presented his side of the argument yet. Mabe something can yet be done. She would really be an asset at Convention because she "knows the ropes."

Will be glad to answer any of the letters if you'll return them with notations.

With best wishes, I remain

Sincerely,

June 22, 1936

Mr. F. S. Crosley,
Kingsport Press Sales Agency, Inc.,
1 East 57th St.,
New York, N.Y.

My dear Mr. Crosley:

I am returning herewith the corrected
2nd proofs of Rabbi Silver's Baccalaureate Address
as well as the chart which you sent him. Corrections
made on pp.1-10 stamped "author's 2nd proof" were not
clear. We are therefore sending corrected pp. 1-10
of another set. I trust that corrections are clear.

Very sincerely yours,

BJK

Secretary to Rabbi Silver.

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June 24, 1936

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

Dear Dr. Silver:

Yesterday, June 23, we received your letter of June 22, from Miss Kline, enclosing author's second proof of outside front cover and outside back cover and duplicate marked second proof pages 1-10 with the photostat chart of Hebrew characters. We also received your telegram replying to our telegram that was sent before the proofs were received.

The proofs you sent were forwarded yesterday to our plant for correcting and printing. In view of the fact that the corrections were so minor in character, we instructed our plant not to send further proof but to correct, guarantee the corrections, and to print. If these instructions are not in accordance with your wishes, will you be kind enough to let me know?

Cordially yours,

F. S. Crosley
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[June 24, 1936]

K. HARALD ISENSTEIN
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Lieber Herr Dr. Silver.

Wenn wir auch sehr lange nichts mehr von Ihnen
gehört haben, so wissen wir dennoch, daß Sie
uns nicht vergessen haben.
Unsere Lage hier in Dänemark hat sich leider
durch die dauernde Krankheit meiner Frau, die
das hiesige Klima nicht verträgt, sehr verschlechtert.
Meine Frau lag den ganzen Herbst im Hospital
mit sehr schwerer Gicht, ~~was~~ for all arthritis
ergriff, und mußte durch Injektionen mit
Gold behandelt werden. Sie sehen also, wohin
die Reize unseres einstigen Vermögens gegangen
sind. Das selbst habe hier sehr wesentliche
pädagogische Erfolge erzielt durch Unterricht, den
ich den Lehrern in Kindererziehung und
fine Arts Appreciation erteile. -
Wir haben noch immer nicht die Hoffnung aufge-
geben, Sie einmal wiederzusehen. Ein kleiner
Fünkchen ist im Augenblick entzündet durch
eine Anfrage bei der Southern University
in California, wo man vielleicht Interesse
an meiner Wirksamkeit als Lehrer für
Plastik und Kindererziehung haben könnte.
Die Angelegenheit liegt in Händen der

Kommissariat für die vertriebenen Deutschen
Geistesarbeiter, dessen Leiter, Dr. W. M. Kotschnig
in Genf gerade aus Amerika zurückgekehrt ist
und Drüben für mich gesprochen hat. Dem Präsi-
denten der Southern University Dr. Klein-Smid
sind meine Papiere und photographischen
Unterlagen zugesandt worden. Es weiß ich
nicht, lieber Herr Dr. Silver, ob Sie irgend-
welche Beziehung zu diesem Präsidenten
oder anderen einflussreichen Leuten dort
haben. Für meine Frau und mich
wäre California die ideale Lösung aus
unserer nicht länger haltbaren Lage besonders
auch wegen des heilsamen Klimas. Hier werden
wir niemals gesund. Es selbst habe seit 3
Jahren einen ständigen Halskatarrh. Zudem
habe ich hier in diesem engen Land keine
Möglichkeit, mich ernsthaft zu entwickeln.
Sollten Sie also in irgend einer Weise mir zur Erlau-
gung dieser position beizuhelfen sein können,
so wäre ich Ihnen ganz besonders dankbar.

Noch eins: Im Keller der Jüdischen Gemeinde
in Berlin steht das Gipsmodell für Heinebüste in
Cleveland. Wie denken Sie darüber, wenn man
einen Mann fände, der diese allgemein anerkannte
Darstellung des Dichters dem Museum in Tel
Aviv von Dizengoff schenken würde? - Kennen
Sie Dizengoff? Können Sie ihn nicht darauf hin-
weisen, dass meine Einsteinbüste in das
Museum gehört? -

Kommen Sie wieder einmal nach Europa
oder haben Sie sich für Ihr Leben genügend
negative Eindrücke erworben, als sie die
braune Pest in Berlin sich verbreiten sahen.
Der Kunsthistoriker Karl Schwarz ist jetzt
auch in Palästina als Museumsleiter.
Kopenhagens Oberalebinder Dr. Friediger
war jetzt gerade in Palästina und hat
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Mr. Abba Hillel Silver
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June 25, 1936

Dear Rabbi Silver:

There isn't much in today's mail.

Letter from Rabbi Minda - You wrote him offering date of Feb. 22 - day after you are to be at University of Chicago. Honorarium stated - \$250.

Letter from S. D. Schwartz - Mr. Schwartz wrote on May 19 inviting you to participate in symposiums. You declined invitation. He wrote again May 27 - copy of letter enclosed - and again on June 23 - letter acknowledged and copy enclosed. Do you wish to answer it?

Letter from Adult Education Council of Chicago - not answered. You were waiting to hear from Rabbi Minda.

News from CZS Front - Rabbi Sherman spoke to Dr. Falkman who said that all delegates elected to go to the ZOA Convention were not able to go and that Mrs. Fischer would go in some one's place. It must be so because Mrs. Fischer has not called since my last letter to you. There is to be a meeting of delegates this evening. You'll probably hear details from The Doctor himself.

Funeral - Mrs. Herman Selman, 2295 Chatfield Dr. - mother of Elsie Selman Eckstein. Mrs. Selman passed away yesterday.

Emanuel Rosenberg asked me again to remind you of letter you promised to write to some one in London. He leaves the end of next month.

There is nothing particularly new or exciting going on here. So far we are still enjoying comfortable cool weather. I hope it stays that way. Regards from all of us at The Temple.

Sincerely,

P.S. Would you care to have me send you any of periodicals? You are receiving all letters except advertisements.

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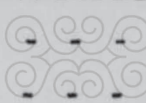
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The Temple,
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Dear Abba:

I am writing this letter and marking it "do not forward", in order that it may greet you on your return. I hope that when you will receive this letter you and Virginia will have had a delightful, restful and invigorating trip abroad.

On my insistence the Alumni Association has returned to its old custom of one year terms and therefore you have been elected president of the Alumni for the coming year. I hope you will enjoy the office as I enjoyed it, which was a great deal.

Do you mind if I suggest that you write inviting "Duke" Margolis and Henry Berkowitz and Eddie Israel to take charge of the fun at the next Alumni meeting? The boys need a great deal of time to prepare. The Alumni Association meetings would be empty without them and naturally they will not act unless they receive an invitation from you.

With best wishes.

As ever,

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

Dear Dr. Silver:

Enclosed please find a snapshot of
you and your brother taken at the Hebrew
Union College last month. I am sorry that
they are not more clear, but this condition
is due to taking the picture indoors. How-
ever, I thought you might be interested in
having it anyway.

With kind personal regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

Louise W. Antick
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June 30, 1936

Mr. Jack H. Skirball,
444 W. 56th St.,
New York, N.Y.

My dear Mr. Skirball:

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Very sincerely yours,

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June the 30th,
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Rabbi A. H. Silver
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My dear Rabbi Silver:

I hasten to reply to your letter which I just received. Needless to say I was very happy indeed to hear from you. I felt terribly bad that I did not get a chance to say goodbye to you and Mrs. Silver and the boys. After all, that was more important than the races. I did not even see you get away and the first thing I knew when I asked for you I was told you had gone. Nevertheless, I sincerely hope that you and your family will have a very pleasant and healthful summer and will return in the fall in fine spirits and good health.

The picnic was a huge success. Out of the 20,000 tickets which I ordered and sold 19,300 were cashed in through the various concessions. That in itself tells the story of the fine time our children had. There was an exceptionally large crowd in the evening and many of our board and outstanding members were present. The Alumni dance at the Log Cabin was not a success. It seems that people would much prefer dancing on the main floor where they have plenty of room than being confined to the Log Cabin. I think for next year we should think up some other stunt. It seemed a shame to put money in an orchestra with very few people taking advantage of it.

Regarding my vacation, I have not as yet made up my mind where and when to go. I am fully cognizant of the fact that I need one. I feel it, but I am quite uncertain as to what I plan to do. A great deal depends on Miss Salberg. She is coming back July 1st and if her eye is in such condition that she can do close work, I shall feel more inclined to consider a vacation, if not, I would not want to force her to do anything that would not be right, and go away and worry about conditions at the office. I shall arrange

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somehow to get away for a short time anyway.

I have been successful in the last few weeks in getting a few new members and I have others lined up who have promised to join in the fall. I look forward to quite an influx of new members before the Holy Days.

The summer choir has been engaged. We have a quartette and from what Mr. Willard tells me they are very good. Our Friday evening services, by the way, have been very well attended. I have also arranged for Mr. Kraft to play at the branch services for the high Holy Days, and he and I are now lining up the members of the choir for those services. We had two auditions for baritone. At the first, we had six men and at that time the committee decided to hear three of the six again. We had them here late yesterday afternoon and they sang with the entire choir to determine how their voices would blend with the other singers. We have not as yet made a definite decision. The committee felt that we ought to wait and perhaps hear a few more voices. We are making contacts now through various other channels to see if there are available some additional baritones. If not, we will have to make choice from one of the three we heard. It is not an easy matter to get baritones in Cleveland. There is no doubt that we are spoiled after having a man like Dixon. It will be very difficult to satisfy us now but, nevertheless, we shall do the best we can, I assure you.

We have not yet called a meeting of the finance committee regarding the question of dues. I was most anxious to get the choir matter off my hands before going into this other matter. I might also mention at this time that I have signed up the other members of the choir for the coming season.

I assume that Miss Kline has written to you and informed you of the death of Mrs. Herman Selman. I was out to the house with Rabbi Sherman and the entire family are quite upset about her death. If you are interested in writing to them their address is 2295 Chatfield Drive, Cleveland Heights.

My collections this month have been very good. We went considerably ahead of June, 1935. I hope it keeps up. You can easily understand how good the collections were that even I feel satisfied, which is something. The boys are busily engaged in cleaning

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the school building and while we have considerable work ahead of us I have so planned it that I hope to be all set and ready to go when the season opens.

I received a letter this morning from your brother, Maxwell, in which he made inquiry as to your address. He stated that he had not heard from you and was quite anxious to contact with you before you went to Palestine. I told him the address we had available and if you will please cable him or write him your permanent address when you have decided he will be most happy.

I do not know of any more news at this time so will close with kindest regards from Mrs. Levy, myself and everybody at the office to all of you. I will write to you from time to time keeping you informed as to all the doings.

Sincerely yours,


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