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Personal correspondence, 1937 November.

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Washington, D.C.

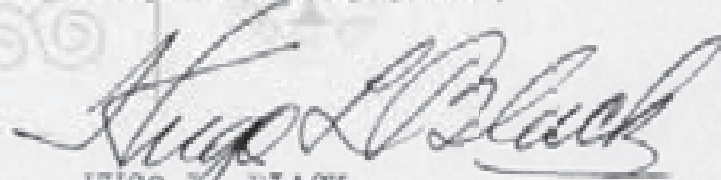
November 1, 1937

Miss Edna Goldsmith  
1932 E. 97th Street  
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Miss Goldsmith:

Your generous letter expressing your  
congratulations, confidence and good wishes was  
received. I appreciate it very much.

Very sincerely yours,

  
HUGO L. BLACK.

P.S. I regret the unavoidable delay in replying.

H.L.B.

BLOOMBERG AND WOLF  
ANNOUNCE THE REMOVAL  
OF THEIR  
LAW OFFICES  
TO  
1910 UNION TRUST BUILDING  
CLEVELAND

NOVEMBER 1, 1937

November 1, 1937

Judge Joseph H. Silbert,  
Municipal Court,  
2001 Payne Avenue,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Joe:

I am sorry that I delayed sending you the enclosed diary. I have just obtained it and I take great pleasure in forwarding it to you. I hope that every day in the calendar will bring you an added happiness.

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BX  
Enc.



**ARLINGTON STREET CHURCH**

**BOSTON, MASS.**

**REV. DANA McLEAN GREELEY, Minister**

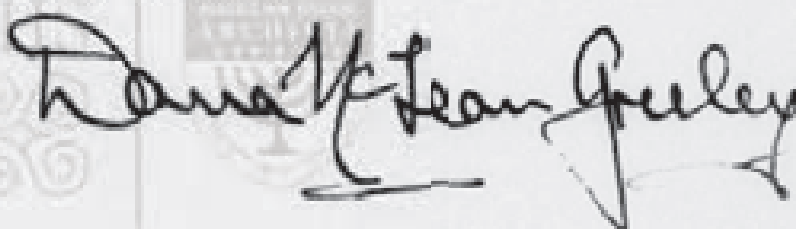
Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver  
The Temple  
East 105th Street  
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi Silver:

Allow me to thank you again for your most inspiring and valued contribution to our meetings at Niagara Falls. It was a message that was needed, and that rang true and touched us deeply.

With cordial and appreciative regards, I am,

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, reading "Dana McLean Greeley". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style. The first name "Dana" is written with a large, prominent "D". The last name "Greeley" is written with a long, sweeping "y" that extends downwards and to the right. The signature is positioned to the right of the typed name "Dana McLean Greeley".

November 2, 1937



Nov 2, 1937



Dear Rabbi and Mrs. Selver,

I am indeed sorry that I am leaving for New York on Sunday evening and will not be in town for your lecture on Tuesday. I had hoped that we could have a session at that time - perhaps later

on in the winter.

Really am disappointed  
as I had looked forward to  
seeing you both.

Sincerely,

Allen S. Lehman



# EDWIN A. STRAUSS

900 UNION TRUST BUILDING

PHONE: CHERRY 1000

CLEVELAND, OHIO

November 2, 1937

Rabbi A. H. Silver  
c/o The Temple  
Cleveland, Ohio

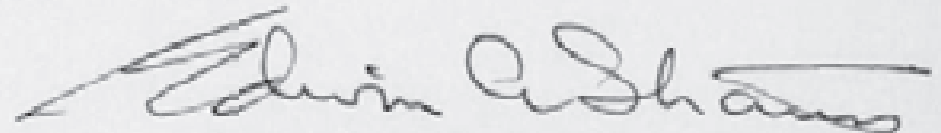
Dear Rabbi Silver:

In accordance with your request I am leaving a proposal covering the Disability Insurance which I discussed with you this noon. I feel confident that your careful consideration of the enclosed information and proposal will convince you of the value of this contract to yourself.

May I ask your immediate consideration of this matter inasmuch as a medical examination is necessary, and if the examination in question is made after five p. m. Wednesday, November 3rd, the premiums rates which would apply will be increased approximately twenty percent (20%) due to a previously scheduled announced increase.

I regret not having brought this matter to your attention earlier, but it is still better to be doing it now than having neglected it completely, since by acting promptly you can take advantage of a considerable saving in premium.

Very truly yours,



Edwin A. Strauss

EAS:BK  
Encl.

*"It is My Business to do Your Worrying"*

◆ INSURANCE ◆



November 2, 1937

Dean W. L. Sperry,  
Harvard University,  
Cambridge, Mass.

My dear Dean Sperry:

Under separate I take pleasure in sending you a copy of my book on "Messianic Speculations in Israel" which I wrote a few years ago. Our very pleasant discussion in your home made me think that you might be interested in looking through at least the first few pages of it which give my slant on the messianic role of Jesus.

I need not tell you that I enjoyed my visit at Harvard immensely, and even more so, the charming hospitality of your home.

With all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BX

P.S. I have not yet received the bill for the long distance telephone call which I made at Lovell House. I should like to pay it.

November 2, 1937

Rabbi and Mrs. David L. Genuth,  
3565 East 153rd Street,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Friends:

Mrs. Silver joins me in extending  
to you our heartiest congratulations on the  
birth of your daughter Esther Rosalind. I  
hope that your child will bring you much joy  
and happiness through all the future years.

Most cordially yours,

AHS:BK

November 2, 1937

Professor A. D. Nock,  
Harvard University,  
Cambridge, Mass.

My dear Professor Nock:

Judging from our pleasant conversation at the home of Dean Sperry a week ago, you might be interested in a work in "English" on the subject of Messianism in early Jewish history. I am therefore happy to send you, under separate cover, a copy of my book, "Messianic Speculations in Israel", which I wrote a few years ago. The first few chapters might be of interest to you.

Hoping that I may have the happiness of renewing our acquaintance in the very near future, I remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BK



11/25/1

Dear Nathaniel,

My note to Justice Black  
(copy enclosed) containing my  
expression of my opinion.


It is not a favorable one  
and he would not have  
thanked me for it.

His reply, evidently a mere  
need for  perhaps of  
congratulation, has not  
changed my opinion of  
his and your worth.

Back to it if we come to it.

Yours,





# UNITED BROADCASTING COMPANY

1310 TERMINAL TOWER  
CLEVELAND, OHIO

W H K - Cleveland  
W C L E - Cleveland  
W H K C - Columbus  
Affiliates:  
W A B N - Washington

OFFICE OF THE VICE PRESIDENT

November 3, 1937

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

My dear Rabbi Silver:-

As one who recognizes the value of radio as an instrument of education, entertainment and community helpfulness, I wonder if I can enlist your cooperation in a plan to acquaint Clevelanders with the names and respective abilities of the many people who have played prominent roles in Cleveland's civic, social and nationality life.

To this end we are arranging a five weeks' contest over Stations WHK and WCLE, starting November 15th and ending December 15th. An automobile and a number of cash prizes will be awarded to the winners on Christmas Day. The name of the contest will be "The Secret Celebrities Contest".

What we intend to do is select from the vast array of talent which Cleveland offers in the way of public speakers, musicians and so forth exactly sixty-one different names.

Each day two of these selected speakers will make five minute anonymous broadcasts from Stations WHK and WCLE and it will be the object of the radio listeners to identify these celebrities from the nature of their voices and the content of their talks. The only clue the listeners will be given as to the identity of the speakers will be the listing in advance newspaper advertisements of some two hundred names from whom the celebrities will be selected.

Because it is entirely possible that more than one contestant may succeed in identifying all of the celebrities it will be necessary for each contestant to write an essay of not more than 250 words on the subject: "What Radio Can do For Cleveland."

Now I come to the part you can play in this new and interesting civic enterprise.

If possible I would like to include your name as one

#2 - Rabbi Silver

of the two hundred Secret Celebrities who may appear on the daily programs. Naturally, the names of the actual speakers will have to remain a strict secret. In order to assure this we are leaving their selection to the judges.

You will, of course, be permitted some latitude in the selection of a topic for your five minute talk. While it is assumed you will talk on something pertinent to you profession, vocation or civic role you will naturally try not to make it so obvious as to expose your identity.

This talk will be electrically transcribed at your convenience in our studios and the actual broadcast will be made from this recording. This is done in order to protect your anonymity and prevent any eavesdropping around the studios during the time of the broadcast.

As I mentioned before, large, full-page advertisements will run at the beginning of the contest and will feature your name and photograph together with the other celebrities who have already consented to serve during the contest.

Also to make it not too difficult for the contestants we will publish daily the names of about ten speakers from whom the two Secret Celebrities for that particular day will be selected ...We shall also name the Stations over which they can be heard and indicate the exact time of the broadcast.


Thus I am asking just three things of you. First: Permission to use your name and photograph in connection with the publicizing of this contest. Second: Your cooperation in making a recording of your talk. Third: Your assurance that you will maintain the strictest secrecy as to the actual part you may play in this contest.

I honestly believe this is going to be one of the most exciting contests ever staged. It will do a great deal for radio in general and for Cleveland in particular.

Your cheerful assistance will go a long way toward making it a success. May I count on your help?

Cordially,

UNITED BROADCASTING COMPANY

  
H. K. Carpenter  
Vice-President

HKC:EW

By Air Mail

POST-CARD

האוניברסיטה העברית בירושלים  
THE HEBREW UNIVERSITY JERUSALEM

תמונה 1271 תמונה 1272 על פנים, ארמון  
AMPHITHEATRE OVERLOOKING THE DESERT OF JUDAEA  
AND TRANS-JORDAN

Greetings from Palestine  
and Hebrew University

*Samuel B. Pinkel*

Samuel B. Pinkel  
Director  
American Friends  
Hebrew University

CLEVELAND, O.

U.S.A.

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BERT A. TREISTER, M.D.  
10515 CARNEGIE AVENUE  
CLEVELAND, OHIO

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November 4, 1937

Rabbi A.H. Silver  
The Temple  
Cleveland, Ohio

My dear Rabbi Silver:

I am not a confirmant of the Temple but am anxious to become affiliated with the alumni organization of the Temple. Upon inquiring at the office there recently I learned that this was not permissible because our family membership in the Temple which has existed for a number of years was recently transferred from my mother's name to that of my brother in order that he might join the Men's Club. At the office, great stress was placed upon the age limit of thirty years. I am twenty-eight.

Since more than one membership to the Temple in our home is not absolutely necessary at the present time, I am wondering whether it is impossible under existing circumstances for me to become a member of the alumni organization.

Hoping to hear your opinion on the above matter,  
I remain

Very truly yours

*B.A. Treister, M.D.*  
B.A. Treister, M.D.

B.T:M.N

November 4, 1937

Mr. Herman Moss,  
Union Trust Building,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Herman:

Apropos of our informal automobile conversation, the other night, you may be interested in the enclosed article which appeared in today's Press, written by John T. Flynn. You may also be interested in following up, as I shall, the proposed series of articles which he will write.

With all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BX  
Enc.

November 5, 1937

Mr. H. K. Carpenter,  
United Broadcasting Company,  
1311 Terminal Tower,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Carpenter:

I regret that it will not be possible  
for me to participate in your "Secret Celebrities  
Contest".

With best wishes, I remain  
Very cordially yours,

AHS:BX

November 5, 1937

Rev. Dana McLean Greeley,  
Arlington Street Church,  
Boston, Mass.

My dear Dr. Greeley:

Let me thank you for your kindness in writing me about the meeting in Niagara Falls. It was a joy to me to address that splendid gathering and I carried away much inspiration from it.

With all good wishes, permit me to remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BX



November 3, 1937

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Neumark,  
2343 So. Park Blvd.,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Friends:

Under separate cover I am sending  
you a "mezuzah" which I obtained this summer in  
Jerusalem. I hope that it will symbolize much  
happiness for you in your new home.

Most cordially yours,

AHS:BK  
Enc.

P.S. We spent a perfectly delightful evening  
at your home.



November 3, 1937

Mr. Louis Horkheimer,  
Wheeling, W. Va.

My dear Dad:

Virginia tells me that you have a cold and that you are confined to the house. I trust that by the time this letter reaches you, you'll be feeling much better. A trip to Atlantic City ought to do you a great deal of good and I hope that you will be able to take it r al soon.

Life here has been moving along quite normally although I have had a real hectic few weeks of it traveling about. I spent a delightful weekend ten days ago at Harvard University, where I spoke in the Chapel on Sunday morning. I met with various groups of students during my three days stay. I also attended the football game where I was drenched to the bone but along with the other thirty thousand crazy people, I stayed until the very end.

A week ago Tuesday, I addressed the American Unitarian Association convention at Niagara Falls and met some of our friends who inquired about you. I also addressed, during the month of October, a great number of school teachers' conventions. My last meeting was last Friday in Madison Square Gardens, N.Y. It was a great rally of some twenty thousand teachers.

How did the election suit you? Our Mayor Burton was re-elected. I was pleased to see the fine endorsement that was given to LaGuardia in New York. I don't think that Mr. Hitler will like it very much.

Virginia and the children are splendid. By the way, Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt is to be the guest of The Temple Women's Association on November 15. The Silvers have a box and would love to have the Horkheimers as their guests. Can you come up?

With love to you and Sadie, I remain

As ever,

Berlin, den 6. November 1937

Sehr geehrter Doktor Silver!

Ich danke Ihnen bestens für Ihr freundliches Schreiben. Wenn Ihre Antwort auch ablehnend ist, so eröffnet sie doch wenigstens die Möglichkeit einer Aussprache und Klärung. Niemand von uns will behaupten, dass Sie eine Verpflichtung übernommen haben, für die Palästina-Arbeit der W.U. Geld aufzubringen, aber wir durften annehmen, dass Sie für diese Arbeit Interesse haben und als Mitglied des Komitees auch eine gewisse Verantwortung für dieselbe fühlen. Es handelt sich nicht darum, in Palästina einige Zentren des Reformjudentums zu schaffen; für eine solche fraktionale oder sektionale Aufgabe würde die Arbeit nicht lohnen. Vielmehr handelt es sich, wie die Dinge in Palästina liegen, um das R e l i g i ö s e überhaupt und um Verhinderung eines immer weiter um sich greifenden Bruchs zwischen den neuen aufbauenden Elementen und der jüdischen Religiosität. Dass die Form der Religionsübung des alten Jischuw die neuen Einwanderer mehr abstösst als anzieht, ist bekannt. Dass der Misrachi sich in politischer Taktik erschöpft und infolgedessen die in seinem Programm liegende Einwirkung auf das religiöse Leben nicht durchsetzt, wissen wir ebenfalls. Es bleibt also kein anderer Weg als der, Theologen mit voller moderner wissenschaftlicher Ausrüstung und ernster religiöser Auffassung nach Palästina zu schicken, die nicht davor zurückschrecken, die Auseinandersetzung mit den Gegenwartsfragen aufzunehmen, und dem Menschen von heute helfen, sich innerhalb der alten jüdischen Ueberlieferung zurechtzufinden. So geringen Umfang die Arbeit bisher hat, so günstig sind bereits die Erfolge. In Jerusalem spricht man bereits allgemein davon, dass der würdigste Gottesdienst während der letzten hohen Feiertage der von Dr. Wilhelm gewesen ist. Elk in Haifa, der lange nicht so grosse Widerstände zu überwinden hat, hat bereits eine ansehnliche Gemeinde.

Wir erheben nun keineswegs den Anspruch, dass Sie sich unseretwegen noch mehr belasten und neue Reisen unternehmen. Der ganze Betrag, der von uns gebraucht wird, ist ja leider minimal (ich sage leider, weil die Arbeit vorläufig nur geringen Umfang hat und wir sie nicht erweitern wollen, bis wir nicht ein ganz festes Fundament gesichert haben). Wenn Sie nur überhaupt zu erkennen geben, dass Sie diese Arbeit der Unterstützung für würdig halten und wenn Sie in Ihrem Kreise dafür eintreten, dass die Arbeit unterstützt wird, so würde das schon viel bedeuten. Die eigenen Institutionen in Ihrer Gemeinde und den gleichgesinnten Gemeinden Ihrer Stadt, die Ermahnung Ihrer Kollegen in den benachbarten Gemeinden des mittleren Westens würde schon ausreichen, uns zu dem kleinen Betrag von 5000 Dollars zu verhelfen, den wir für dieses Arbeitsjahr brauchen. Sie treten sicher an allerlei Leute heran, die für politisch-zionistische Zwecke nichts geben, aber einen Beitrag für religiöse Arbeit nicht verweigern werden. Ohne jede Belastung oder Anstrengung könnten Sie daher für uns wirken, wenn Sie es nur ernstlich wollen.

Mit hochachtungsvoller Empfehlung  
Ihr ergebener

*The whole amount of any collection  
is employed for the work in 'n, there  
are no administrative expenses.*

*J. E. [Signature]*

THE EQUITABLE LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY  
OF THE UNITED STATES

HOME OFFICE NEW YORK, N.Y.

THOMAS I. PARKINSON, PRESIDENT

HERMAN MOSS, C. L. U.  
GENERAL AGENT  
800 UNION TRUST BUILDING  
CLEVELAND, OHIO

CLEVELAND, OHIO.

November 6, 1937.

Rabbi A. H. Silver,  
The Temple,  
Ansel Road and E. 105th Street,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Rabbi Silver:

It was very nice of you to send me the article which appeared in The Press by John T. Flynn and I am sure that I shall read with a good deal of interest the articles which are to follow.

This is certainly a very critical time and any information which the public can receive based on sound economics cannot help but be beneficial in the long run.

With regard to the opinion you expressed, that in your judgment the present business and financial situation was due in a large measure to the devaluation of the French franc and a great dumping of our securities by Europeans, I happened to talk to someone who, in my judgment, understands these conditions unusually well and his belief was that the devaluation of the franc was not much of a contributing factor to the situation, and further that there was not any heavy selling in the New York market of foreign owned securities; that an analysis had been made and such was the conclusion. It is my firm conviction that certain of Roosevelt's financial and economic ideas, as well as his manner of handling the labor problem are major reasons for the business recession which is becoming more and more general. Of course, I do not expect you to agree with my conclusions, but I predict that when the history of the present business recession is read, much of the blame will fall on the President.

Very sincerely yours,

*Herman Moss*

H.M.N

HARVARD UNIVERSITY  
CAMBRIDGE  
MASSACHUSETTS

Eliot House

November 8, 1937

The Reverend Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver, D.D.  
The Temple  
East One hundred and fifth Street at Ansel Road  
Cleveland, Ohio

My dear Dr. Silver:

Thank you very much indeed for your letter and for your great kindness in sending me your "Messianic Speculations in Israel". It is a profound, learned, and moving book and I am reading it with great pleasure and profit. I hope next year to send "St. Paul" to you as a small Gegengabe.

Our conversation gave me a wonderful afternoon. Please let me remind you to write up for the Harvard Theological Review that fascinating piece of exegesis which you told us over lunch.

With every good wish,

Yours very sincerely,

Arthur D. Nock

Shalom !



# THE PUBLIC NATIONAL BANK AND TRUST COMPANY

OF NEW YORK

AVENUE C OFFICE  
AVENUE C AND 7TH STREET

Nov. 8, 1937.

My Dear Abba -

Following up our recent telephone chat in regard to the publication of my book, I have now a final and very reasonable estimate direct from the printer, to whom Block referred me -  
Frosting Linotype Co., 63 Suffolk Street  
N.Y.C. - \$750.00 for 1000 copies, the same including the binding of the first 300 copies.

At the suggestion of Block, I'm going to see the book through the press myself, which thus saves me the 15% which Block would have added to his estimate if he had attempted to this little detail himself.



In accordance with the printing  
arrangement, the book will bear Black's  
imprint anyway, for which "privilege"  
the usual advertising and his selling  
commission, Black is to obtain 50% on  
the sale of each copy, to be priced at  
\$2.50

Mr. finishing of the said Company can  
get the book out by January 15th, if I  
sign the contract this week.

Not meeting & building on too much  
in this matter, I will do my utmost to  
raise between now and Jan. 15 a third  
of the above mentioned cost. And if you can  
therefore advance me now \$500.00, I  
can arrange to have the manuscript go  
to press at once.

With good regards to yourself  
and your family, I am,  
As ever

Max.

November 8, 1937

Dr. Bert A. Treister,  
10515 Carnegie Avenue,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Dr. Treister:

Let me thank you for your kind letter of November 4. I should very much love to have you become active in the life of The Temple. The rules of the Alumni Association which were revised a few years ago, are quite strict in the matter of admission. Only confirmants of The Temple, graduates of The Temple High School and sons and daughters of Temple members are eligible for membership.

Why don't you take out a Junior Membership in the congregation, which is twenty-five dollars a year? This will entitle you to all the privileges of the institution and will enable you to find many opportunities for interesting work and contacts here.

With all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:DK

November 8, 1937

Mr. and Mrs. Myron A. Cohen,  
14321 Superior Road,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Friends:

Mrs. Silver and I regret that it will not be possible for us to attend the marriage ceremony of your daughter, Marian Jane, to Mr. Bailey Ozer on Sunday, the fourteenth of November. We wish, however, to extend to you our sincerest felicitations. Please convey to the young people our best wishes for great happiness in their future.

Most cordially yours,

AHS:BK



HAROLD G. MOSIER  
REPRESENTATIVE AT LARGE  
OHIO

COMMITTEES:  
RIVERS AND HARBORS  
ELECTIONS No. 3  
WAR CLAIMS

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

Nov. 10, 1937

Dear Rabbi Silver:

Will you please advise me if you desire to have  
the Congressional Record continued to you during  
the coming session of Congress.

Cordially yours,

*Harold G. Mosier*  
Harold G. Mosier



# CONGREGATION RODEPH SHALOM

615 NORTH BROAD STREET

PHILADELPHIA

LOUIS WOLSEY  
RABBI

EUGENE J. SACK  
ASSISTANT RABBI

November 10, 1937

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver,  
East 106th Street and Ansel Road,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Abba:

Your postscript interested me very much. I sent for the "Plain Dealer" of November 1, and just received it today. I have looked through it three or four times -- a man of my age hasn't the keen eyes of youngsters -- and I cannot find anything from the unquotation-mark gentleman -- and I am disappointed. Is it possible that the "Plain Dealer" has different editions, and that I was sent the one without the statement? Or is it possible that you gave me the wrong date? I have the Times of October 26, and I am anxious to see the parallel. Can you help me out?

Hearty greetings from Florence and myself to you, Virginia and the boys.

Faithfully yours,

LW:Y

P.S. Thanks very much for the Cradle Roll cards. Very pretty and an excellent idea.

Cable Mayflower



Telephone District 3900

*The Mayflower*

CONNECTICUT AVE. AND DE SALES ST.

Washington, D.C.

November 11<sup>th</sup>

My dear Rabbi Silver:

In our haste to depart it was not possible to say goodbye - to thank you for both your beautiful and impressive ceremony.

I sincerely hope that upon our return Jani and I will have the pleasure of a visit from Mrs Silver and yourself.

Cordially yours -

Paul Libel

November 11, 1937

Dr. Maxwell Silver,  
The Public National Bank and Trust Company,  
Avenue C and 7th Street,  
New York, N.Y.

My dear Max:

I received your letter of November 8 and I shall be pleased to advance you the \$500. I think, however, that it would be a mistake to advance that much money to the printer at the very outset. I think you should make arrangements to give him something now, another installment when the work is half-way through and the final installment only when the work is satisfactorily completed. From my experience, I find that this avoids a great deal of unpleasantness later on. Let me know what you actually require for a down payment and I will send you a check.

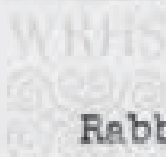
With all good wishes to you and Jane in which Virginia joins me, I remain

As ever,

AHS:BK



THIS SIDE OF CARD IS FOR ADDRESS



Rabbi A.H. Silver

The Temple

Cleveland, Ohio

*Answered*

I am a gentile. There seems to be TWO kinds of jews. Those like Lippman, Mencken, Sololsky etc who know that only through rationalism and avoidance of class prejudice can democracy be maintained. Then there are the other type, like those in the C.I.O. who are using that organization as a vehicle through which to wreck America...Red Raiders...I call them. People like you and I must stand together and FIGHT AGAINST BOTH Fascism and Communism. They are essentially the same thing and as witness the distortion of Socialism in Russia they offer NO ADVANTAGES here. ALSO - the jews best refuge is along the line you espouse for this country would, in a showdown go Fascist before Communist and the number of jews boosting for Communism would surely bring down on them a terrible fate. Roosevelt is playing with fire. OUR ONE HOPE IS DEMOCRACY.

November 12, 1937

Rabbi Louis Wolsey,  
Congregation Rodeph Shalom,  
615 North Broad Street,  
Philadelphia, Pa.

My dear Wolsey:

I am sending you the enclosed two  
clippings. Please return same to me after  
you have perused them as they are the only  
two clippings which I have.

With all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BX

Enc.

P.S. The abstract of the sermon appeared not in  
the Plain Dealer but in the Press.

Thank you for the telegram  
your thoughtfulness is  
greatly appreciated



Mr. and Mrs. Myron Albert Cohen

request the honour of your presence

at the marriage of their daughter

Marian Jane

to

Mr. Bailey Irwin Ozer

on Sunday, the fourteenth of November

at half after eight o'clock

Oakwood Club

Cleveland Heights

Reception following

Please respond

לכבוד פנק אקדמי פולני סתור:

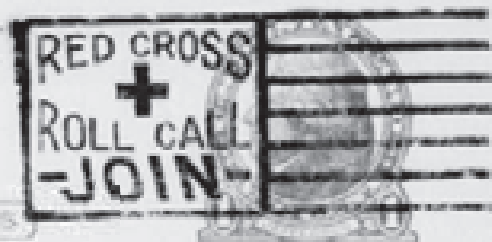
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ורפיוות ק/נאח/פצמי.

קכנוד.

אשר כפ/



THIS SIDE OF CARD IS FOR ADDRESS

WRHS  
Rabbi A. S. S. S.  
"W. Temple"  
Amel Road Cleve. Ohio

CLERK O. Nov. 12 - 1937/201 The Great

David Silver's own Armistice  
day address is like the  
address you ~~made~~ made here,  
like you in the past your  
Chart has been rather hard  
to decipher on certain ques-  
tions of late years - Atlanta Pilot

Pittsburg Pa  
Nov. 13 1937

Rabbi Silver

Dear Sir.

I am returning your book to-day by mail. Sorry I kept it so long. I was in Cleveland 2 weeks ago and called, but you was out of town. I expect to be there again in the near future and will see you if you are there, or you will please leave a message with your office girl, if you have another book for me to study. We are getting along nicely here and hope to continue

so you can perform the ceremony in  
the near future.

Thanking you for your  
help.

Mrs J. Fleishin.

4333 Winterburn



Pittsburgh  
Pa.

My Cleveland address was

16827 Kinsman Rd.

Shaker Heights.



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November 13, 1937

My Dear Abba

Thank you so much  
for your letter of November 11th.

Your suggestion to spread  
out the payments at greater intervals, is  
agreeable to the printers. The down-  
payment will be \$200.00. If you can  
therefore provide two your check for this  
amount currently dated, and another,  
dated, say, December 15th (so that I will not  
have to bother you again in this matter at a  
later date), I can have the book set to press  
at once.

It is hard to believe that this  
manuscript, which has been in the unenviable  
condition of 'To Be or Not To Be' for so long,  
is finally going to press. For this, I am

of course profoundly indebted to you not  
only because of your generous advice  
but equally as much because of your  
opinion that it worthy of being published. I'm  
fixing it at present a final reading  
(after a stay-away therefore of almost a  
year) to check on any 'clerical' errors, before  
turning it over to the printers. And mirabile  
dictu, it still reads well! Let's hope that  
it will read as well to the numerous  
reviewers!

My profound thanks to you again  
in this matter.

With fond regards to yourself  
and family in which my family  
gives me, I am,

As ever,

Max.



Dora Lapon  
305 W. 45 St.  
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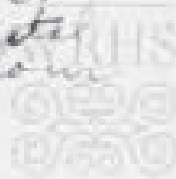
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from a most  
interesting <sup>reception</sup> town  
of Europe.



Regards  
to the dear  
ladies  
I know  
D.L.

Am revoir!  
Dora Lapon

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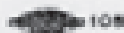
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ABBA HILLEL \$40000.

November 16, 1937

Rabbi Silver

Dear Sir.

We congratulate you on your talk on Isera, it was interesting and educational.

But how can we stop Isera by talk only?

We must go into action early and strong. Just review this administration in their actions.

Preaching share the wealth.

It is a disgrace to work.

It is a Honor to go on poor relief.

When a person works hard and save so when he gets to old to work, so he donot starve, he wants to take it away and give it to the Berty Bume that will not work.

Why did they send committee over to Russia to Study Communism?

Always keeping close to Hitler, Mussolina and Isera in Brazil.

You believe in the Teaching of the Bible and our God, are you in accord with them in destroying food, clothing material, while millions are Starving and Naked?

We can name 50 reasons why Demos has grown so strong under that Bunch of Crooks in the National Capital  
The Only Way to Stop Demos -  
Put Back a Honest Republican Administration.

Yours  
H. J. Lewis

November 16, 1937

Dear Rabbi Silver,

I have taken the liberty of suggesting your name as reference when making application for a position at the May Company. I know that a word from you will carry great weight with them.

Thank you in advance.

Very sincerely yours

Hanns M. Ledermann.

Cleveland Ohio  
2110 Abington Rd  
Nov 17. 1937.

Rabbi Silver

Rev - Dear Sir.

Where is our much  
vaunted freedom when  
it is possible for labor  
racketeers to shake-  
down the Arena which  
opened last week for  
1000 00 because they  
saw fit to order their  
chairs painted which  
was their own business.

We should speak  
kindly, reverently



of Hitler & Mussolini  
for in their respective  
countries this could  
not happen.

Yours very truly  
Malcolm Cowan



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Rabbi A. H. Silver  
The Temple  
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Dear Rabbi:

As per our letter of Oct. 25th we have reserved on the

SS WASHINGTON, sailing from New York, June 29, 1938  
Due at Havre, July 6, 1938  
Suite B-75.

and SS MANHATTAN, returning from Havre, Aug. 25, 1938  
Due at New York, Sept. 1, 1938  
Suite B-76.

Round trip rate \$1428.00 for 2 adults, and 2 children.

There was an increase in rates on Nov. 1st, and in order to protect this booking at the old rate a deposit of \$357.00 is required.

This is a savings of \$162.00 on the old rate. And as you know, this is a fine accommodation, right amidship, which will not be available later on.

Should you find that you can not sail as contemplated, or for any reason whatsoever cancel the space, the amount of deposit will be refunded.

Very truly yours,

THE COLLVER MILLER CO.

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President

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New York Sept. 25 =*

*July 5  
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November 17, 1937

Dr. Baruch Braunstein,  
1832 Spruce Street,  
Philadelphia, Pa.

My dear Baruch:

In looking through the most recent volume of Kirjath Sepher, the Quarterly published by the National Library in Jerusalem - Volume 14, No. 3 - I came upon a review of your book which is highly complimentary and which I thought you would be interested in seeing.

With all good wishes to you and to your dear lady, I remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BX

November 17, 1937

Rabbi Leon I. Feuer,  
Collingwood Avenue Temple,  
Toledo, Ohio.

My dear Leon:

My heartiest congratulations on your great triumph. Launching your campaign in the midst of incipient depression and going over the top inspite of it, is truly an heroic achievement. Most of the credit undoubtedly goes to you for the leadership which you gave your community.

With all good wishes to you and Hortense in which Virginia joins me, I remain

Very cordially yours,

ANS:BX

November 17, 1937

Mr. Edward Grossman,  
2966 East 132nd Street,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Eddy:

I was delighted yesterday when I opened the package in my home and found the perfectly gorgeous book which you sent me. I need not tell you that I deeply appreciate your thoughtfulness - although it was not at all necessary to send anything to me. It was a great pleasure for me to be at your wedding and to have a share in that very happy occasion.

I hope that I shall have the pleasure of seeing you and Carol in the very near future. With all good wishes in which Mrs. Silver joins me, I remain

Very cordially yours,

ARS:BX

November 17, 1937

The Honorable Harold G. Mosier,  
United States House of Representatives,  
Washington, D.C.

My dear Congressman Mosier:

Let me thank you for your kind note.  
I would deeply appreciate having the Congressional  
Record sent to me during the coming session of  
Congress.

With all good wishes, permit me to  
remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BX

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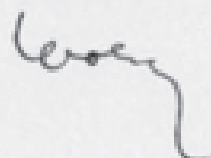
Dr. Abba Hillel Silver,  
E. 105th St. and Ansel Road,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Abba:

Thanks very much for sending me the clippings, which I am herewith returning. The quotation was, of course, brief, but it is indicative of the character and the tendenz. What amazes me is the tolerance of the whole thing by the Cleveland Jewish community. Has it really such poor standards, or is it just forgiving? I have a piece of gossip from one of our colleagues to the effect that he is losing out there, but I replied by saying that I did not believe it. Which one of us is correct?

Kindest greetings from house to house.

Faithfully yours,



LW:Y  
enc.



November 18, 1937

Mr. Ralph Wertheimer, Editor,  
The Jewish Review and Observer,  
310 Lakeside,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Wertheimer:

I thought that you would be interested in reading  
the enclosed letter which I received from New York.

With all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS: BK  
Enc.

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Rabbi Aba Hillel Silver,

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WRHS



Sehr geehrter Herr Rabbiner!

Sie sandten uns heute Check per \$ 10.80, den ich bestens dan-  
kend bestätige und Ihren w. Konto gutgeschrieben habe. Der Betrag des Checks  
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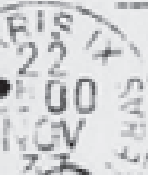
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*Dr. Heinrich Glanz*



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*Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver*  
*Cleveland*  
*Ohio*  
*U. S. A.*

Paris - 11/18/31

Dear Rabbi Silver: —

I am on my way back from Jerusalem where I went to visit the University & to confer on University matters.

You will be interested to know that I visited your folks & found them well. When Prof. Bergman pointed out your folks' home to me, I made up my mind that I would drop in & give them a little pleasure by talking to them about things so. I did not see your mother, but I had quite a conversation with your father.

This was my intention to the University, & I feel that

what was accomplished there  
in the short period of 13 years is  
nothing short of miraculous - es-  
pecially so when we stop to think  
that 13 years in the life of a Univer-  
sity is like 1 year in the life of  
an individual.

With very kind regards to  
Mr. Silver & yourself. I am

Cordially Yours  
Samuel B. Tinker

In the event that you may  
want to make further inquiries regarding  
the University or my visit to the home  
of your parents, I shall be back  
in N.Y. Dec. 3, & shall be glad to answer  
them.

CLEVELAND COLLEGE  
WESTERN RESERVE UNIVERSITY  
CLEVELAND, OHIO

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY  
HENRY M. BUSCH

November 18, 1937

Rabbi A. H. Silver  
The Temple  
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Dr. Silver:

I thought you would be interested in a copy of a letter from my good friend, Dr. Eduard C. Lindeman, which I received this morning.

I saw Dr. Krause after his conference with you and found him greatly encouraged, not only because he had received the generous and sympathetic treatment which I knew would be his at your hands, but because he found that there are still a few people in the world who are not too busy nor too engrossed in their own affairs to give a little attention to the plight of an unfortunate person like himself.

Of course, you realize that I know very little more about Dr. Krause than you do. I could not even guarantee that the man who came in to see us as Dr. Krause is the man who was dismissed from City College, but I think the chances of a successful impersonation are about one in ten thousand. I have no fears on that score.

What we can do about his difficulty is another matter. I see no possibility of securing a place for him in any of the universities and colleges in this area, and I regret to say that my profession has as yet no effective means that I know of for meeting such a situation. I shall, however, continue to canvass the possibilities of working out a plan which may afford a more permanent solution than the sort of thing in which we have been cooperating.

With warm personal regards, I am

Cordially yours

*Henry M. Busch*  
Henry M. Busch

HMB:AL  
Encl

November 18, 1937

Mrs. Pearl Berliner,  
928 Thornhill Drive,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mrs. Berliner:

Let me acknowledge the receipt of your letter of November 12. The question which you raise about your child cannot be discussed adequately in a letter. I shall be free to see you in the Temple study any time during the coming week and give you whatever advice I can in the matter.

With best wishes, I remain

Sincerely yours,

ANS:BX



November 18, 1987

Rabbi S. J. Scheinfeld,  
2583 N. 12th Street,  
Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

My dear Rabbi Scheinfeld:

It is only through chancing upon a mislaid letter of yours that I realized that I did not acknowledge your gracious act in sending me your books. I hope that you will pardon this unfortunate oversight. I need not tell you that I am profoundly grateful to you for your thoughtfulness. I have had occasion to glance through the volumes and I have found them to be a rich treasure house of sound wisdom and such learning. Your forthright and concise style and direct approach in the discussion of human values as well as of Jewish matters are both unusual and refreshing.

Thanking you again for remembering me, and with all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BX

November 18, 1937

Mrs. M. Sanger,  
2624 Glenwood Ave.,  
Toledo, Ohio.

My dear Mrs. Sanger:

I have been away from the city or I would have written to you much sooner, for I am under many obligations to you first for the charming hospitality which you extended to me in your lovely home; secondly, for the pleasure of your company on my return home; and thirdly, for the perfectly beautiful poem which you sent me. A few more such poems and I will be perfectly unbearable.

I hope that you and Mr. Sanger will come to Cleveland soon and give us the pleasure of welcoming you to our home.

I was very pleased to hear from Rabbi Feuer that Toledo went way over the top in its campaign. That is splendid.

With all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BX

November 18, 1937

Mr. Alvin Seder,  
The Higbee Company,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Seder:

Please pardon the delay in answering your kind letter. I have been away from the city a good deal of the time and my correspondence has lagged.

I am in my study every day and I shall be pleased to have you come in to see me. My evenings, unfortunately, are taken. You may perhaps wish to attend a meeting of the Cleveland Zionist Society at which time I shall be glad to see you. Our next meeting is on Chanukah, Sunday evening, November 28, at the Cleveland Hotel.

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BK



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NOVEMBER 18, 1937.

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

Dear Rabbi:

This is your pass to the basketball games of the Jewish Recreation Council to be held each Saturday night at the Jewish Center gym.

We hope you will use it.

The organization's program is worthy of your attention. Some day, perhaps, Cleveland will have its YMHA and that exactly is our goal.

Perhaps you will find an evening to sit in one of our meetings. We shall feel greatly honored by your presence.

Sincerely,

*Milton J. Lapine*  
Chairman of basketball committee.



[1937]



Nov 18, 74.

Rabbi Silver

The Temple

Dear Rabbi,

Will you  
kindly excuse Eva's  
absence from confirmation  
class the last two  
Fridays.

The first  
absence was occasioned  
by our own ignorance  
of the circumstances, and

the second by an  
infection which made  
attendance impossible.

Sincerely  
Arthur Spencer



November 18, 1937

Mr. Jacob Billikopf,  
Bankers Security Bldg.,  
Philadelphia, Pa.

My dear Billie:

The tribute paid to you by the department store heads of Philadelphia in recognition of your position as impartial arbitrator is most unusual. It is as gratifying to your friends who know and admire you as it is to yourself. More power to you.

With all good wishes in which Virginia joins me, I remain

As ever yours,

AHS:BX



November 19, 1937

Judge David Ralph Hertz,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Judge Hertz:

The enclosed letter which I received this morning will interest you. I have followed up the subject which you brought to my attention and I think that before long, a meeting will be held.

With all good wishes, permit me to remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BX  
Enc.



November 19, 1937

Dr. James S. Wolfstein,  
7016 Euclid Avenue,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Jimmie:

I read in the paper that  
you have been made a Fellow of the  
American College for Surgeons and I  
wish to extend to you my congratulations  
on the honor which has been conferred  
upon you. It pleased both Virginia and  
me to read the news.

Most cordially yours,

AHS:BK



James S. Wolfstein, M. D. November 20/27  
7016 EUCLID AVENUE  
SUITE THREE-O-FIVE  
CLEVELAND  
OHIO

Dear Rabbi and Mrs. Silver:

I prefer long-hand to having my Secretary type this note -- a reply to such warm, spontaneous good wishes as yours, deserves that courtesy.

To say that I appreciate your congratulations states my feelings too mildly -- I value them and so does Ruth.

Very sincerely,  
most cordially yours,  
James Wolfstein.

**M. G. SLOSS**

~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~

CLEVELAND, OHIO  
1910 Union Trust Bldg.

November 20th, 1937

Rabbi A. H. Silver  
c/o The Temple  
Ansel Road at East 105th St.  
Cleveland, Ohio

My dear Rabbi Silver:

Enclosed please find check for \$15.00 as a slight token of appreciation for the beautiful services conducted by you at the funeral of Mrs. Adele Glick.

We want you to know that we all appreciate your efforts very much.

Sincerely yours,



M. G. Sloss

MGS:S  
Encl.



Hotel Cleveland  
CLEVELAND, OHIO

November 21-1937

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

It is ~~necessary~~ for me to  
take an earlier train to-day than I had  
contemplated, so it will be impossible  
for me to attend your service. I  
am disappointed as I had looked  
forward with great anticipation  
to hearing you.

I appreciate so much your  
being at the luncheon Friday. I  
hope it will be possible to have  
a strong round table here of



Hotel Cleveland  
CLEVELAND, OHIO

the National Conference of ~~peoples~~  
and Christians - The Conference  
is doing splendid work as  
you know -

It was a  privilege to  
meet you. 

Sincerely yours.

Maudie Bader

(Mrs. Jesse M.)

November 22 1937

Mr. M. G. Sloss,  
1910 Union Trust Bldg.,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Moe:

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

With best wishes, I remain

Most cordially yours,

AHS:EK



LEO M. ASCHERMAN  
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November 22, 1937

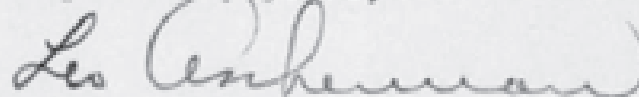
Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver  
c/o The Temple  
East 105th Street & Ansel Road  
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi Silver:

I am chairman of a special committee selected by Deak Lodge, Knights of Pythias, which committee is charged with the duty of investigating the feasibility of establishing a scholarship fund of \$5000.00 for worthy students.

I would be grateful for an opportunity to talk with you at your convenience relative to the actual working and operation of such a fund.

Respectfully yours,



Leo M. Ascherman

LMA:EE



ALAN S. GEISMER  
B-43 ADAMS HOUSE  
HARVARD COLLEGE  
CAMBRIDGE, MASS.

November 22, 1937

Dear Rubbi Silver,

Perhaps you remember that while you were up here I mentioned the hope of spending next year studying in England. The time has now come to apply for a Henry Fellowship, which entitles each of the seven recipients to spend a year at either Oxford or Cambridge on the very generous stipend of £500. As is customary with these applications, the examining committee asks for two or three references; I wonder if I might have permission to use your name. I am not just certain, but I rather imagine that that merely means filling out some sort of a questionnaire the committee will send.

Harvard is just beginning to return to normal after a most gay and triumphant week-end. Finally as a Senior I saw my first Harvard victory over Yale. The game was so well arranged dramatically with 0-0 at the end of the first quarter, and a 6-6 tie in the middle



of the last quarter... I had a most pleasant  
visit with the folks and Dr. Maschke.

Please give my very best regards to Mrs.  
Silver and the boys.

Sincerely yours,  
Alma.



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Dear Rabbi,

Having had the pleasure of hearing you speak on a number of occasions, I was very disappointed because illness forced me to miss your recent lecture at the Pittsburgh Y. M. H. A. My loss was doubly great because I am to address our local Temple on the same subject which you discussed.

My purpose in writing this letter is to ask you if you could give me a copy of your lecture (if you have one) or any reference sources. I should like to know your viewpoint on the question of the Partition Plan in order to be able to give my listeners a well-rounded view of the situation.

Thank you in advance for your assistance.

Very Truly Yours

Harvey Krow

3104 Montgomery Rd.  
Washington 9064

November 22, 1937

Mrs. Henry Heiner,  
~~Pennay Hotel,~~  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Marie:

We are finally at a point where we are ready to install acousticons in The Temple. I should like to have an opportunity to discuss the matter with you with reference to the best apparatuses to be installed, etc. If you are free any time during the week, please come in to see me.

With all good wishes to you and Henry, I remain

Most cordially yours,

AHS:BX

November 22, 1937

Mr. Milton J. Lapine,  
C/o Jewish Recreation Council,  
13512 Kinsman Rd.,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Lapine:

Let me thank you for your kindness in  
sending me a pass to the basketball games of  
the Jewish Recreation Council.

With best wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BX

Dear Abba,      This is one of many contributions that  
have been made to the SURVEY in memory of Ruth.



Yours,

*Abba*

Jacob Billikopf

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver

Nov. 23, 1957

*Thanks for your  
beg. copy letter*

M. CHESSIN  
1430 WEST NINTH STREET  
CLEVELAND, OHIO

Nov. 23 - 1937.

Dear Rabbi Silver:

Understand the  
"taste" of wine you had  
at the Children's wedding  
(Carolyn Chessin and Stanley  
Kramer) pleased you - and  
with Thanksgiving Day and  
Chanukah so close at  
hand - am certain you  
should be able to use  
a little more of the same  
wine.

Please accept  
same with my sincerest  
best wishes.

Very truly yours

Mary Chessin



DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
UNITED STATES HOUSING AUTHORITY  
WASHINGTON

November 23, 1937.

My dear Reverend Silver:

The Administrator has referred to me your letter of November 15 with reference to Dr. Oskar F. Schulze.

The memorandum attached to the enclosed application blank is self-explanatory, but you may rest assured that Dr. Schulze will have every possible consideration.



Very truly yours,

J. A. LATIMER,  
Special Assistant  
to the Administrator.

Enclosure

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

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CLEVELAND, OHIO

November 23rd, 1937

Dear Rabbi Silver,

Carolyn and I would like to express our deep gratitude for the part you played in making our recent wedding something truly inspiring.

While I understand that you haven't a fee for this type of work we do hope that the enclosed small token will be accepted for, perhaps, your favorite charity or any disposition that you care to make.

With kindest regards to Mrs. Silver and yourself, I am

Respectfully yours,

*Stanley L. Kramer*  
Stanley L. Kramer



4301 Chestnut Street  
Philadelphia, Pa.  
November 23, 1937

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

My dear Dr. Silver:-

Many, many thanks for your letter telling me of the review of my book in Kirjat Sefer. The chances are that I would not have known about it for I have not had a chance to see a magazine for some weeks. I have been so busy on my lecture work. I shall see the review just as soon as I can.

Could you, Dr. Silver, recommend me to some of your many groups in the Temple, or in the city, for some lectures? This year I am devoting myself exclusively to this work, and, as you can understand, it is at best a very precarious sort of life. All I ask, however, is a first opportunity. I feel sure I will be able to 'deliver'. I am enclosing my new lecture announcement. Anything you will wish to do I shall very greatly appreciate.

Gladys joins me in kindest greetings to you and Mrs. Silver. Are you coming to Philadelphia soon? If so, I hope we shall see you.

Very sincerely yours,

*Baruch Ben-Zion*

enc.

November 24, 1937

Mr. Leo M. Ascherman,  
1108 Guarantee Title Building,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Leo:

Let me thank you for your letter  
of November 22. I shall be very pleased to  
see you in my study any time next week, preferably  
in the morning. Please telephone before you come  
so that I will be sure to be here.

With all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BX

November 24, 1937

Bloch Publishing Company,  
31 West 31st Street,  
New York, N.Y.

Gentlemen:

Please send me one leather-bound  
copy of Rabbi Morris Lazaron's book called  
"Consolations of Our Faith". Upon receipt of  
same, I shall send you a check.

Thanking you in advance for your  
immediate attention, I remain

Very sincerely yours,

AHS:BK

November 24, 1937

Dr. Oskar F. Schulze,  
1492 Angell Road,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Dr. Schulze:

The enclosed note which I received from Washington is self-explanatory. I would suggest that you fill in the enclosed application and mail it.

With all good wishes, permit  
me to remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BX  
Enc.



# COUNTY OF CUYAHOGA

CLEVELAND, OHIO

THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS

DAVID RALPH HERTZ  
JUDGE

Nov. 24th, 1937.

Doctor Abba Hillel Silver,  
East 105th St at Ansel Rd.,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Rabbi Silver:-

Miss Kittner has communicated with  
me and told me of her plans to arrange for a meeting.

I deeply appreciate your interest and  
co-operation and look forward to an early opportunity  
to discuss the matter once more.

Very sincerely yours,

*David Ralph Hertz*

DRH:S

November 24, 1937

Mr. Harvey Krow,  
Joseph Krow & Son,  
2301 Walnut Street,  
McKeesport, Pa.

My dear Mr. Krow:

I regret that it will not be possible to comply with your request of November 22 as the address which Rabbi Silver delivered before the Pittsburgh Y.M.H.A. was not printed and so therefore have no copy to send you.

With best wishes, I remain

Very sincerely yours,

BJK

Secretary to Rabbi Silver.



November 24, 1937

Mr. Ralph S. Joseph,  
2839 So. Park Blvd.,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Ralph:

I am enclosing herewith the heart of the tribute which I paid to Ray yesterday at the services. The host of friends who attended the services must have told you how much Ray was loved in the community.

You have always had a sound philosophy of life as well as an undergirding faith and they will stand you in good stead now.

With all good wishes, I remain

Most cordially yours,

AHS:BX  
Enc.

November 26, 1937

Mr. Meyer Chessin  
1430 West Ninth Street  
Cleveland, Ohio

My dear Mr. Chessin:

I want to thank you for your kindness in sending me the wine which we were delighted to receive. It was a most pleasant surprise. I hope that you will give us the pleasure some day soon to come and share it with us in our home.

With all good wishes, and thanking you again for your lovely gift, I remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:EK



November 26, 1937

The Jewish Social Service Bureau  
Huron-Sixth Bldg.  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Friends:

I am enclosing this letter which I received from Mrs. Pearl Berliner. You probably know something about this case and I would appreciate your sending me whatever information you have.

Mrs. Berliner would like to take her daughter out of the Sanitarium. The doctor advised her against it. I suggested that perhaps the advice of an outside physician who is not connected with the Reams Sanitarium would be helpful. Under all circumstances, I advised her against taking out her daughter without the advice of a physician.

With all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BE  
Enc.

DR. EMIL H. STONE  
5511 EUCLID AVENUE  
CLEVELAND, O.

Dear Rabbi Silver -

I am taking the liberty of sending you a medical article about high blood pressure. I thought you might be interested in it; both, from the point of view as to the cause of so many of our sudden deaths in the past few years, and also, as it is linked with the topic which we so briefly discussed, at my late brother's house, a few evenings ago.

This article is succinct but yet comprehensive and gives one some idea of the various manifestations of this all too common and all too frequent disease process, particularly, among our Jewish people. Death and particularly, suddenly - is usually, terminal in this slowly evolutionary condition. And so there ought to be some thing done to, at least, mitigate the disabilities of this hypertensive state and forestall those sudden deaths in the middle aged.

You spoke of the "high gear" of the modern business man; I agree with you completely. I have noted, also, that high death rate, a short period after the diagnosis is made - find how ineffectual our medical efforts are.

Do you recall that about 25 years ago there was a movement called the Psycho-Therapeutic Society - instituted by Dr. Worcester of Boston and that it did really help a great many neurotics and Psychasthenics. Well, I believe, the Blinded Calling may have to step in and help our doctors out in this matter. I think you need

can do a great deal to reveal that "equality" of which you spoke and Osler so aptly treated in his book - you men are allays the fears, worries, doubts, disappointment of these persons - to whom somatic and materialistic pleasures are the only ones. The old days of real character, unselfish justice, self-sacrifice and introspection are almost gone. Men are afraid to be alone - solitude and meditation no longer can give solace, and comfort and peace.

It seems Melomane dominates character and nature's price, is high blood pressure, diabetes, arthritis - sudden heart failure and death. I hope to see men, like you, lead a program to lessen the ravages of these modern plagues.

I hope I have not bored you and I do not expect a reply to this note.



Yrs. Louis H Stone

Nov. 24, 1937

# CURRENT MEDICAL DIGEST

A MONTHLY DIGEST OF MEDICAL LITERATURE  
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## THOUGHTS ON HYPERTENSION = *high blood pressure*

DAVID RIESMAN

(Condensed from *Annals of Internal Medicine*, 11: 335, 1937)

*By examining children and adults in whom high blood pressure is discovered, it might be possible to shape their lives that the changes of the development of hypertension in later life will be minimized.*

IT IS still debated whether hypertension is a disease or a symptom, the tendency being to look upon it as a symptom when the cause or apparent cause is known, and when it is not known to consider the hypertension as the disease itself. Essential hypertension is considered a disease entity. The following is the author's classification of hypertension:

1. Primary, essential or arteriospastic.
2. Arteriolitic or malignant.
3. Nephritic.
4. Secondary or accidental.
  - (a) Aortic insufficiency.
  - (b) Coarctation of the aorta.
  - (c) Adrenal tumors
  - (d) Pituitary basophilism
  - (e) Hyperthyroidism
  - (f) Pregnancy
  - (g) Enlarged prostate
  - (h) Arteriovenous aneurysm

Subclasses:

1. Juvenile
2. Superhypertension.

Two etiologic factors not sufficiently appreciated are:

"1. The possible influence of psychologic disturbances both in causing permanent hypertension and in producing temporary rises above the patient's habitual level. Disturbances in the sexual sphere, frustrations, etc., mental strain from business or domestic worries, unsatisfied ambition—seem to be capable of raising the vascular tonus.

"2. Heredity. That heredity is an influential factor in hypertension is easily demonstrated, but that is merely a statistical fact which offers no fundamental explanation. We do not know what genes transmit the tendency or where the point of attack is on the blood vessels—on the

vasomotor mechanism or on the musculature of the vessels, or back of both, on one or more of the hormone-secreting glands. The problems are endless."

#### SYMPTOMATOLOGY

Essential hypertension may be symptomless for years, often being discovered in a routine examination. One or more of the following symptoms may be present in the beginning: dizziness, headache, ringing in the ears, palpitation, slight dyspnea on effort, a sense of weight in the chest, nose bleed and irritability. These may be so slight as to be unnoticed by both the patient and his physician, but they will later become more pronounced and will be principally cardiac, cerebral or gastric.

"The cardiac manifestations are those of early congestive failure—subjectively, dyspnea, objectively, peripheral edema, basal pulmonary congestion or unilateral hydrothorax. These, especially the latter two, must be looked for, otherwise they will be overlooked.

"A rarer symptom, which might be called cardiopulmonary, is acute pulmonary edema, which has a tendency to recur at intervals and usually comes on at night. Air hunger, a sense of suffocation and fear of impending death, together with intense cyanosis, the physical signs of pulmonary edema, and at times but not constantly the expectoration of blood-tinged frothy fluid are the characteristic symptoms.

"An attack of angina pectoris or of coronary occlusion may be either an early or late symptom.

"If the patient presenting such symptoms is carefully examined one or more of the following conditions may be found:

- "1. A high systolic and a relatively low diastolic pressure.
2. Cardiac enlargement.
3. Accentuated second aortic sound.
4. Often a systolic murmur at the aortic area.

5. In late stages a systolic murmur at the apex.

6. The radial vessels are usually soft but the temporal arteries are often tortuous.

7. Arcus senilis or annulus senilis.

8. There may be basal râles.

9. Hydrothorax, generally unilateral.

10. Edema of the shins and ankles.

11. Changes in the retinal vessels."

The term "myocardosis" is suggested to replace "myocarditis" in speaking of the enlarged heart of hypertension, since inflammatory changes are rare; nevertheless the heart muscle gives out; a functional rather than a structural change takes place.

#### CEREBRAL SYMPTOMS

Hemiplegia, aphasia, monoplegia, are transient and are usually ascribed to local angiospastic states. Generalized convulsions may occur and are often wrongly called uremic or epileptic. There may be no evidence of kidney damage. A sudden rise in systolic blood pressure often occurs at the time of the convulsion, reaching 280 or 300 at times. These focal symptoms may last for from a few minutes to 24 to 36 hours, and may then subside without any residue. However, conjunctival anesthesia may persist on the affected side. This may be found even in cases where there was no anesthesia of the general body surface.

Besides angiospastic complications, hypertension may lead to apoplexy, a frequent mode of death in cases of essential hypertension.

The usual gastric symptoms in these cases are a sense of fullness and gaseous distension. In persons over 50 years of age who complain of such symptoms for the first time, a thorough examination should follow since such symptoms may point to beginning malignant disease or the failing heart of long-standing blood pressure.

#### DIAGNOSIS

The value of early treatment in cases of essential hypertension makes early diag-

osis important. Readings should be checked and rechecked to obtain correct readings. A systolic pressure of 140 to 150 in a person under 40 is not to be ignored.

The family background is of importance. A history of hypertension, apoplexy, chronic heart or renal disease may point to hypertension in the descendants.

The following points will assist in the diagnosis:

1. A persistently high systolic pressure.
2. A relatively low diastolic pressure.
3. Absence of disturbance of renal function.
4. Normal blood chemistry, that is as regards urea nitrogen and chlorides.
5. Absent or minimal eye changes.
6. A symptomatology trivial compared with the height of the systolic pressure."

#### PROGNOSIS

1. An individual can live to be 80 or 100 years with high systolic blood pressure.
2. Women bear high blood pressure better than men.
3. The diastolic blood pressure is more important as a prognostic index than the systolic blood pressure. A low diastolic blood pressure favors relative longevity.
4. Good renal function—traces only of albumin or no albumin, a few hyaline casts, good concentration—is a favorable prognostic finding.
5. Moderate cardiac hypertrophy is not unfavorable.
6. Cerebral accidents even of apparently trivial nature as well as anginal pain and retinal hemorrhages are all ominous signs."

#### TREATMENT

Much may be accomplished by employing psychology in these patients; we must endeavor to assure them of the comparative harmlessness of high blood pressure, attempting to erase from their minds their fears gained from various sources. As

long as the patient is cooperative it is not necessary for him to know the high blood pressure figures; on the other hand, it may be necessary to frighten him into cooperation when this is lacking.

Corrections must be made when the patient overworks, overeats, undersleeps, and over-smokes; a slowing down of the sexual life must be advised in both sexes.

#### DIET

It is more important to regulate the quantity than the kind of food consumed. While alcohol has been condemned by many, a small amount will do no harm. Tobacco is harmful and should be reduced to a minimum; in cases in which there is cardiac pain, it should be forbidden. *Vigilance; fastidious*

The bowels should be regulated to one or two daily, easy movements. In particularly constipated persons a weekly dose of castor oil is useful.

Exposure to the hot sun should be avoided. *Sun baths?*

Reasonable exercise is permitted; it should not be prolonged or violent. *My wife is playing golf. Walking and swimming.*

#### MEDICINAL TREATMENT

There is no specific drug that will permanently lower arterial blood pressure. Best results are obtained with sedatives, particularly those of the barbituric acid group. Phenobarbital in one form or another is very useful. The bromides are also useful; they may be combined with elixir phenobarbital with advantage. Chloral hydrate in reasonable doses is good.

When blood pressure is high and the heart labors, or convulsions or acute pulmonary edema occurs, venesection often brings about immediate and dramatic relief.

The endocrine products offer a means of relief in women at the time of the menopause.

The nitrites are good when the pressure is abnormally high, erythrol tetranitrate in

Note throughout the inefficiency of medicinal and physical remedies - note the vicious evolution of high blood pressure, arteriosclerosis, apoplexy or coronary occlusion have become **fact** or a fact.

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1/2 to 1 grain doses being preferred for regular use. In any emergency and when there is cardiac pain nitroglycerin under the tongue is the best remedy.

"Roentgen ray therapy has been used on the adrenals and on the pituitary gland, the latter on the theory that pituitary basophilism might be the cause of essential hypertension. The data are as yet insufficient for a definitive conclusion.

"Physiotherapy, including diathermy, has been tried—personally, I have not seen much benefit from these measures."

prominent surgeons have devised procedures consisting mainly of cutting off the vasomotor supply to the abdominal arteries and arterioles. Theoretically this seems rational and it can be attempted in various ways. Practically, the results have not reached the ideal desired. Perhaps in the future with the pharmacologist, the biochemist, the clinician and the surgeon, all continuing their intensive studies, the chemical agent that causes vascular spasm may be found and the problem solved.

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

#### SURGICAL TREATMENT

In the absence of a definite medical cure for essential hypertension, a number of

"Many funerals discredit a physician."

—For and Against Doctors.

One sudden heart failure individual;  
1. does not lead a simple life; 2. does not know how to play to relax; 3. has no hobbies; 4. ego-centric as a rule; 5. no calm philosophy to meet adversity; 6. hope and faith; 7. rarely

### NOTES ON THE PHYSIOLOGY AND PATHOLOGY OF THE VERMIFORM APPENDIX

Revised to pass on and resistant; 8. no outlet to his

visions or to other fallacies of consciousness.

HUBERT A. ROYSTER

(Condensed from *Southern Medical Journal*, 30: 613, 1937)

Reginald Fitz (Boston) was the first to ascribe acute suppurative processes in the right iliac region to the vermiform appendix. He coined the term "appendicitis" over fifty years ago.

**T**HE proof that the normal appendix has a possible function and a more thorough knowledge of its working knowledge by all physicians, would serve greatly to aid in reducing the present mortality rate from appendicitis. "Intelligent treatment depends upon diagnosis, diagnosis upon pathology, pathology upon physiology."

#### PHYSIOLOGY

While the appendix shows evidence of having performed a function in the body at one time, it is now generally regarded as a

vestigial structure and is therefore probably functionless. However, it has a peristalsis of its own. Suggestions regarding its functions have been: "secretory, a digestive secretion, an internal secretion and a secretion to eliminate bacteria; the same physiological cycle of changes as in other parts of the digestive tract; an endocrine function," and, recently, it has been suggested that the appendix provokes a desire for defecation independent of other reflexes involved in the act. Proof of the latter supposition is seen in changes in bowel habits after



November 26, 1957

Mr. Alan S. Geisner,  
B-43 Adams House,  
Harvard College,  
Cambridge, Mass.

My dear Alan:

Of course I shall be most happy  
to have you use my name in connection with your  
application for a Henry Fellowship. I hope that  
you will get it.

With all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BX



WM. E. RITTER  
UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA  
BERKELEY, CALIFORNIA

Nov. 27, 1937

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver  
The Temple, Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Sir: I am writing you under the stimulus of your significant article "Some Fundamental Needs of Human Life" (The Christian Register, Nov. 11, 1937).

I trust you will believe my motive to be desire for information rather than veiled criticism, in asking the following questions: (1) Is such a view of morality as that expressed by Charles Darwin (my article in the same journal, October 7, 1937) reconcilable with the view you express on the subject in your article?

(2) Is it justifiable for me to subscribe myself, as I have on one of the leaflets enclosed, as treating a subject of natural history in the "spirit" of Charles Darwin?

The meaning of the word spirit has perplexed me not a little since my interest in the larger problems of mankind has grown ~~to~~ interest with me.

Yours with high respect and in the spirit of truth

Wm. E. Ritter

answered  
card  
Nov. 29



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Cleveland, O.

Nov. 28/37

Dear Friend:-

I received word from  
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Holland that he has not  
yet received payment  
for the 2 volumes of Rashi  
sent you. Will you not  
kindly send me your  
personal check for \$5<sup>00</sup>  
which together with  
other checks sent me, I  
will convert into an  
Holland money order payable  
to Maarsen. Will  
appreciate your giving  
this your immediate  
attention. With

Kindest greetings,

Yours, cordially sent

Henry Englander

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# The Challenger

SAN FRANCISCO

Nov. 28, 1937

Dear and Revered Rabbi Silver:

On my way back to Cleveland all my thoughts are concentrated on you. As I already confessed to you I have been preparing myself to meet you with a feeling of reverence which one only has when meeting his deliverer and liberator. I was told time and again not to give up the hope until I see you.

For my stand in a



2)

tragically hopeless situation in Poland, I have never expected honors and this inspite of having been named by some good authority a "heroic man". Today I am embittered about the gravest injustices which wreck my total existence for my original stand.

For instance I am speeding to the bed of my dying mother in Chicago who is not dying as a mother of a "heroic man" but as a poverty stricken woman. For long years she poured out tears over the fate of her son declared to be

3)

# The Challenger

SAN FRANCISCO

"mentally unbalanced". She is dying from aneurism and not by natural death. I carry with me a letter to the Bishop of Chicago, Craig Stewart, and shall also ask the Jewish Community to be mindful of my sacrifice to human rights and arrange a peaceful departure of my mother who is dying on the frontier of the Kraus Case.

# The Challenger

SAN FRANCISCO

It is by a divine guidance  
that at this phase of my  
struggle I had the honor to  
meet you. And I will hurry  
to your majestic temple  
which is so different from  
other beautiful temples by  
containing the spark of God  
which you understand to  
impart on an afflicted  
person.

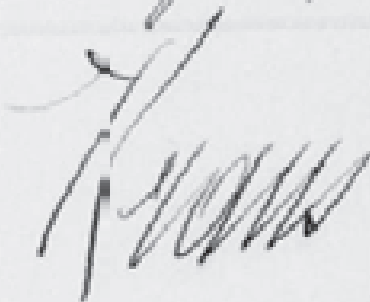
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# The Challenger

SAN FRANCISCO

In anticipation of this happy  
moment to see you again,  
I am sending you my highest  
regards coming from the deepest  
recesses of my soul which  
only God can fathom.

Yours most respectfully



P.S. Excuse my  
writing.

Train is shaking.

[29 Nov 1937]

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טלפון 16

עיר יזרעאל, 29 נאום 1937

To Mr. לכב' הו' יזרעאל סיני

Subject: הנדון:

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בכבוד רב

המועצה המקומית.



[29 Nov 1937]

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November 20, 1937

Standard Book Company,  
240 Madison Avenue,  
New York, N.Y.

Gentlemen:

Please send me a copy of the  
book "Primitive Secret Societies" by Hutton  
Webster, List No. 174. Upon receipt of same  
I shall send you my check.

With best wishes, I remain

Very sincerely yours,

AHS:BX



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UNAVOIDABLE CIRCUMSTANCES PREVENT MY BEING AT DINNER TONIGHT.

VERY SORRY

IRWIN GREENE.

November 29, 1937

Dr. Henry Englander,  
904 Lexington Avenue,  
Avondale,  
Cincinnati, Ohio.

My dear Dr. Englander:

Enclosed herewith is my check  
of \$5 to cover the cost of the two volumes  
of Rashi which were sent me.

With all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

ANS:BX  
Enc.

November 29, 1937

Mr. Casper J. Miller,  
The Collier-Miller Co. ,  
2083 East Ninth Street,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Miller:

I did not write to you sooner because I was not clear in my own mind as to the dates of our sailing. I should like to get accommodations on a fast steamer sailing around July 5 as I will have conventions to attend to up to that time. On the return trip, I should like to make a later crossing inasmuch as our High Holidays, next year, will be late. A boat sailing between September tenth and fifteenth would be ideal. Please let me know what you have available and whether the Washington or the Manhattan will fit in these dates. If not, I suppose we will consider the Normandie again.

With best wishes, I remain

Very sincerely yours,

AHS:RK

November 29, 1937

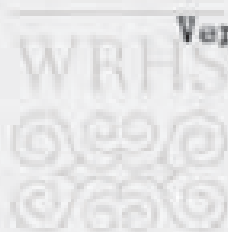
The Menorah Journal,  
63 Fifth Avenue,  
New York, N.Y.

Gentlemen:

Please send me one copy of the  
Menorah Journal Volume XXV, No. 3 - Autumn, 1937.  
Upon receipt of same I shall send you a check.

Very sincerely yours,

AHS:BI



November 29, 1937

Mr. D. C. Seiple, Manager,  
Ohio State Employment Service,  
Cleveland Office,  
108 City Hall,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Seiple:

I am enclosing a letter which  
I received this morning. I wonder whether  
anything can be done for this woman?

With all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BX  
Enc.

November 29 1937

The Jewish Social Service Bureau,  
Huron-Sixth Bldg.,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Friends:

The enclosed cards were sent to  
Rabbi Silver. Will you kindly investigate  
the case?

bjk:

Very sincerely yours,

Secretary to Rabbi Silver.

November 29, 1937

The Palestine House,  
10 West 28th Street,  
New York, N.Y.

Gentlemen:

I should like to purchase some silver  
"Mezzuzahs". Please send me some of your samples  
and I will indicate to you which I prefer.

Very sincerely yours,

AHS:BX





EMERICH B. FREED

Cleveland O. November 30, 1937

My dear Rabbi Silver:

I am at a loss for words sufficient to express my appreciation and gratitude for Your kindness to my family in performing the services for my dear departed father. Your words of consolation were tremendously helpful to mother.

I wish my financial circumstances would permit me to make the enclosed check materially larger but public office does not give one great resources.

I shall never forget your words at the funeral. Wisdom and beautiful diction and unlimited power of expression are your possessions.

Thank you again from the bottom of my heart.

Sincerely  
Emerich B. Freed

Philadelphia Sunday Nov 21st 1937  
88 West 1902 Arch Room 8x4 Floor  
Philadelphia Pa

Dear Doctor H. Silver

105 Uclid av Cleveland, Ohio

I state a few lines about my letters  
and apartment from 1936 to 1937  
send all my letters to Rabbie Milgrom  
1631 S 32nd st apartment  
or to my Residence 88 West  
1902 Arch Room 8 apartment  
or to Doctor S. Wolsey 1615 Roubidoux  
shoulen 615 N Broad st temple  
I have saw you many times  
and I could not get in touch  
with you because you are a  
busy man I was at the Franklin  
Hotel by the Jewish convention  
to see your Wife I was for two  
hours late and my letter to  
Mrs H. Silver was to late she  
went back to Cleveland

Please Doctor & Silver please  
send all the letters from 1936 to  
1937 to my residence S S Weiss  
1902 4 floor Room 8 1902 Arch at  
Philadelphia Pa in care of Mrs  
Stor don't take offence of my  
writing and send to me all my  
letters from you the Secretary  
Your sincerely S S Weiss

