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Personal correspondence, 1937 December.

December 1, 1937 Mr. Emerich B. Freed. 2364 Demington Drive, Cleveland, Ohio. My dear Mr. Freed: Let me thank you for your kind letter of November 30. I appreciate all that you say about the services which I rendered to you and your family in your hour of bereavement. The check which you enclosed, I shall set aside into a small charity fund which I use from time to time. Some day, my dear Mr. Freed, I hope that we will count you among the members of The Temple. You belong here. You would give us strength and we, I feel, could give you inspiration. It would be gratifying for us to have you take the place of your father on our Temple roster. With all good wishes to you, your dear mother, and your family, permit me to remain Very cordially yours, AHS: BK

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Rabbi Silver. The Temple. 105th Street and Ansel Road.

My dear Rabbi Silver -

I wish to thank you, just as heartily as I know how, for the splendid religious program you have arranged for next week.

You are rendering a most valuable and timely service to the community generally and to those responsible for religious leadership in particular in bringing such a distinguished group of counselors to the city.

As is realized all too well, the present exigency requires the wisest guidance that can be secured, a guidance that only the few specially favored ones are able to furnish.

Personally, I am looking forward to next week with great anticipations; for the city as a whole, for the leaders and religious groups especially, as well as for myself.

With cordial felicitations and profound gratitude, I remain always,

Very sincerdly yours,

Prancis M. Hall.

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December 1, 1937

Dear Rabbi Silver,

Although I have not seen you in several years, I do not feel any hesitation in writing to you because we have always been friends, and because I know that education is

of interest to you.

This is my third year at Bennington, and I am doing the major portion of my work in Religion and Philosophy. At present, I am much interested in finding out the tendencies in Jewish thought today. In this subject, of course, any suggestions you may have will be invaluable to me.

I am not aware of material that has particular reference to Judaism, and these are the concrete things that I would

like to know:

1. Are there Jewish magazines comparable to the Christian Gentury and the International Journal of Ethics(although this last is not strictly non-Jewish, is it)? Could you give me the names of any that you know?

2. What contemporary American Jewish writers are interested in religion and psychology(psychiatry and psycho-analysis)

like Boisen("The Exploration of the Inner World")?

3. What books in religious education show the attempt to reconstruct the tradition in the light of modern religious thought? (The kind of books that Wieman has written in relation to Dewey's work.)

I would appreciate any informantion that you might give

me on this subject.

Then, too, if you could spare me some time, I should like to talk with you on these problems, and fimd out if there are other Jewish leaders in Cleveland with whom I might discuss these matters.

I shall be at home for two months after December 22. May I get in touch with you then?

Very sincerely,

Emily Hecheine

December 1, 1937 The Christian Register, 25 Beacon Street, Boston, Mass. Gentlemen: Please send me two or three copies of the "Christian Register" of November 11, 1937 which contains the address which I delivered before the American Unitarian Convention. With all good wishes, permit me to remain Very sincerely yours, AHS: BK

## International Association of Machinists

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Affiliations:

AMERICAN FEDERATION OF LABOR CLEVELAND FEDERATION OF LABOR

Rabbi A.H.Silver;

Dear Rabbi :

We of Local 1228 Euclid Ohio of the machinist union have been asked to contribute to The Consumers League Of Ohio.

Being Practically a new local we are not very well informed on some things. The Consumers League is one of them.

We know you can give us the necessary information, and will be very grateful to you for same.

Thanking You for your troubles, I remain,

Respectfully yours,

Michael Perella.

Chairman of investigating Committe.

2109 Murry Hill Fd. Cleveland Ohio.

600 Union Trust Building Cleveland, Ohio. December 2, 1937.

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

Dear Rabbi Silver:

After each Sunday morning service this season it has been my thought that I wished the sermons were available in print. and especially is this true of the "Things Permanent" series voicing the sentiments of my sister in Toledo, to whom I always send the excerpts that appear in Monday's Plain Dealer. "you just wish that all the world might hear".

I am also hoping, Dr. Silver, that your voice will be heard sometime in the weekly radio "Message of Israel" services. That is certainly one way of "telling the world".

In the October Issue of The Bender's Digest I saw the article that originally appeared in The Forum, (Children of the Martyr Race), upon which you based a sermon sometime ago. I was late in reading that issue, but you undoubtedly waw it. Don't you think it would still be in order to write the salter along the lines you talked on that particular Sumay, this offsetting the author's views?

I am enclosing the little bulletin which my sister sent me on account of the "I go to church" article, which you may not have seen in the original, and which I am asking that you return sometime. I, too, go to Temple for that which I need after a very busy business life, and it is seldom that I am not present each Sunday morning. The rest of my family feel likewise toward The Temple. My Mother, who is past eighty, enjoys the Tuesday sewing so much, and we always hope for pleasant weather on that day for her sake.

We were so pleased with your announcement of the subject chosen for next Sunday, since we had just read the little book to which you referred. I don't know when anything affected me as that book did.

With best wishes always.

Sincerely.
(Miss) Janel B Rosenbaum

December 2, 1937

Mr. Louis Selden, 2700 Leighton Road, Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Seldent

How delicious a dish! And how thoughtful of you! It made every one of my Chanukah meals at home seem like a sanquet. Isn't it a pity that so many gustronomic institutions of olden times are falling into desuctude? Here is one that you are helping to revive.

With best Chanukah greetings.

I remain

Gratufully,

AHS: BK

December 2, 1937 Mr. Michael Perella, 2109 Murry Hill Rd., Cleveland, Ohio. My dear Mr. Perella: In reply to your kind letter requesting information about the Consumers League of Ohio, I am pleased to say that the Consumers League is one of the finest organizations in our community working for the welfare of our people. It has for years looked after the conditions underwwhich women in Industry work. It has carried on for many years an active propaganda in behalf of a minimum wage law and, more recently, it was the organization which led the movement for unemployment insurance. Any contribution which your organization can make to the Consumers League would be well deserved. With all good wishes, permit me to remain Very cordially yours, AHS: BK

atlanta, Ga. Dec, 2, 1937. Dr abba Hillel Silver Rabbi, The Temple. SEan Rabbi Silver: It is my hobby to study the bulletino Synagogues and Temples. Since your bulletin is a most excellent specimen of a temple bulletin, I would freatly appreciate if you would your mailing list to receive the bulletins I have always looked forward to hearing some of your addresses, but unfortunated have never hald the portunity or do so. Do you ever speak over a national hook-up, and if to, please be kind enough to suform me. I have perused your Excellent book "Kelijanin a Changing World- The addresses are supert. Good wishes - most Respectfully Maurice Schebarts

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Rabbi Abba H. Silver, C/o The Temple, E. 105th and Ansel Rd. Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi:

Upon my return from New York this morning, I found your letter and Raymona Clapper's article, and I fully agree that he is right, but I wish that Mr. Hoover had been elected in 1932 and by now, we would have found a practical way to straighten up this country. I believe that had the Republicans been in office, we wouldn't have owed as much money as we do, and this "balancing of the budget" talk does more harm than good.

I hope something will bring about an improvement pretty soon so that this crying and criticizing may be eliminated. I hope that some time in the future, I may be able to sit down and talk with you regarding this.

With highest regards, I am



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December 3, 1937 Miss Emily Flesheim, Bennington College, Bennington, Vermont. My dear Emily: I was very happy to hear from you and to learn of your work in the fields of Religion and Philosophy. I shall of course be very happy to see you when you come home and I shall place at your disposal books from my own library and from the Temple library in the field in which you are working. I shall also be very happy to discuss these subjects with you. With best wishes and looking forward with pleasure to seeing you, I remain Most cordially yours, AHS: BK

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December 3, 1937

Rabbi Hillel Silver Ansel Road Temple Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi Silver:

I am enclosing an article from the "Radio" which I thought would interest you.

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

Dear Dr. Silver:

Thank you very much for the generous comments that you sent to Mr. J. G. Masters of the Central High School in Omaha, Nebraska. He has been negotiating for an address to be given at the Nebraska State Teachers Convention next October.

His letter to you is a mess of errors and I am glad that you set him right about where I come from, and what I am. The only accurate statement in his letter is that your volume on "Religion in a Changing World" is interesting, provacative, and of finest integrity.

Thank you again for writing.

Cordially yours,

A. L. Sachar

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Cleveland , Ohio December 3, 1937

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

Dear Dr. Silver:

Thank you for granting me an interview yesterday afternoon. I was discouraged and disappointed when I came to your office, but your kind words and genuine interest have given me courage and hope. This means a great deal to me.

For being a Jew, and having practically every door shut in one's face, especially in the professions, I surely could not go to Bishon Schrembs or any one else with my problems, but had to come to you, the leader of our Jewish community.

I was graduated from Ohio State University in June 1937, and held the degrees of B.A. and B. Sc. in Education, My majors were French and Spanish, while my minors were English, and Social and Biological Sciences. I have a four-year high school certificate from the Department of Education of Ohio which entitles me to teach anywhere in the state. But this is as far as it goes!

I do hope, Rabbi, that you will have me in mind. I am willing to do almost any type of work and, I am certain that with your influence, you could help me find my little niche in life.

At the time of the interview you were very busy, and perhaps you now find that my story has not been completely told. Perhaps additional data about myself will be helpful to you in helping me. For this reason I would appreciate greatly Rabbi Silver, if you will be kind enough to allow me to see you again at your early convenience.

May I not hope to hear from you soon?

Jack Samuel Cagan 3389 E. 132 St. Reanectfully yours,

Samuel Cagan

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Respectfully yours, Jack S. Cagan

3389 E. 132 St.

Present address 570 N. Kingsley Dr. Los Angeles, Calif.

Rabbi Silver -Thank your for the Symposiums-inspiration. I.M.W. 12/0/37

- Symposium -Words, words, words, more words last night Let God speak, forget self and follow His path of right And at hateful designations be ready to balk Because long, ago one came to teach That bet ween Jew and Gentile There is no breach Let God speaks, dear Jew and Christian forget your separate way Oh. blessed Symposium usher in a unity of hearts Today.

December 3, 1937 Dr. Emil H. Stone. 5511 Euclid Avenue. Cleveland, Ohio. My dear Dr. Stones Let me thank you for your thoughtfulness in writing to me and in sending me the article from the Current Medical Digest. I read both your letter and the article with the keenest of interest. I shall keep in mind what you say concerning the service which ministers of religion can render to men and women today, the tension of whose lives and the lack of an adequate philosophy of living undermine and ultimately destroy them. I shall endeavor to preach on the subject some time during the season. With all good wishes, I remain Very cordially yours, AHS: BK

## J. M. BERNE

December 4, 1937

Dear Rabbi Silver:

I have been tied up in Court every day this past week on a very important case and have been working every evening in preparation for next day's hearing. I have not had a chance to answer my mail.

I have your kind letter of November 29th, inviting me to sit at the Speaker's Table next Honday Noon. It
may be impossible for me to be there because we are just finishing up the case. However, I will see what happens on
Monday, and if I can get over there, if only for an hour, I
would like to do so.

If this is not definite enough and you feel as though you would want to ask someone else to fill in my place, please feel at liberty to do so. I will come over if I possibly can.

Thanking you,

Sincerely yours,

M. Berne

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

### H. C. KINSEY & COMPANY, INC. PUBLISHERS 105 WEST 40TH STREET, NEW YORK

December 6, 1937

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver 10511 Lake Shore Blvd. Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Dr. Silver :-

We have sent you under separate cover a copy of Mrs. Roosevelt's book on Peace called "This Troubled World".

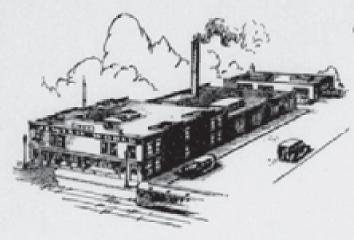
We hope this timely book will be of interest to you.

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Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver The Temple Cleveland, Ohio

My Dear Rabbi:

This letter will introduce to you Dr. Benjamin Fisher of Fairport Harbor, Ohio, a very good friend of mine.

Dr. Fisher is very much interested in securing a connection in the medical service in the new Industrial Rayon Plant, which is nearing completion in Painesville, Ohio.

As a personal favor to me, I would appreciate it if you would give Dr. Fisher a letter of introduction to Mr. Hiram Rivitz and use your influence to obtain for him an opportunity to become associated with the company there.

Very cordially yours,

Leve Twiesengels

December 7, 1987 Mr. Morman Siegel, 10530 Lake Shore Blvd., Cleveland, Ohio. My dear Norman: I waited to acknowledge your kind gift until I had an opportunity to sample it. I can now thank you whole-heartedly. The wine was delicious, and it contributed much to our enjoyment of Chanukah. With all good wishes to you, Margaret and the Newlyweds, I remain Most cordially yours, AHS: BK

December 7, 1987 Mr. Norman Levin, United Artists Corporation, 1745 East 23rd Street, Cleveland, Ohio. My dear Mr. Levins Permit me to thank you for your thoughtfulness in sending me the article from the "Radio" which I read with a great deal of interest. Very cordially yours, AHS: BK

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RABBI A. H. SILVER, THE TEMPLE, ANGEL ROAD, DITY.

DEAR RABBI SILVER!

NOTICING QUITE A NUMBER OF NEWS ITEMS CHAING THROUGH RE!

YOURSELF AND MANY INTERESTING ITEMS ON VARIOUS SUBJECTS RELATING TO THE JEWISH

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INTERESTED.

YOURS VERY TRULY.

THE OHIO NEWS BUREAU, INC.

PER C. S. CRAIGIE.

THE BISHOP OF OHIO 2241 PROSPECT AVENUE CLEVELAND December 8, 1937. My dear Rabbi Silver:-I am glad to report that I am back at my work again after having been absent for six months, as you may have heard. Dr. A.J. Kraus has been to see me and has shown me many letters that he has received from bishops of our Church, and also most important newspaper clippings from our Church journals, which discuss his case, and seem to feel that a great injustice has been done him. I do not know Dr. Kraus. more than just a few moments of visit, but feel that the wide publicity that has been given his case through our Church Press and through our bishops that do know him shows that he is worthy of consideration. I am embarressed in writing you just at present, for the reason that, because of my long illness I have been under such a financial strain during the last six months that I am not able to do anything to all Dr. Eraus, though I am happy to give him this brief note to you. I shall be glad to hear from you when you have time. My warm regards and good wishes to you. Wanen L. Rogers. Rabbi Abba H. Silver, The Temple, Cleveland, Chio. WLR:A

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December 9, 1937 Mr. and Mrs. Dan Wohl, Grand Plaza Hotel, Indian Creek Drive t 31st Street. Miami Beach, Florida. Bear Friends: I was delighted to hear from you. I shall put your check into a small charity fund which I use from time to time. Please do not complain about the weather. We are getting close to zero here. Mrs. Silver and I will be delighted to see you upon your return. We both wish you much joy and happiness in all your future years. Very cordially, AHS: BK

December 9, 1937 Dr. A. S. Maschke, 7016 Euclid Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio. My dear Dr. Maschke: I received the enclosed letter yesterday from Germany. Are the Maschkes who are mentioned in this letter your parents? You might, perhaps, wish to get in touch with this party. With best wishes, I remain Very cordielly yours, AHS: BK Enc.

December 9, 1937 Bishop Warren Lincoln Rogers, 2241 Prospect Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio. My dear Bishop Rogers: I was delighted to receive your letter for it was an indication that you are restored to health. We have been considerably concerned about you. While your friends did not intrude upon you and your household with inquiries, we were following your steady recovery most gratefully. It will be good to see you again. Dr. Kraus was in to see me a few weeks ago. I listened to his story and, like you, I was greatly impressed. He said that he had to go to the Pacific Coast and lacked funds. I gave him one hundred dollars. I shall see him again now that he is in Cleveland and will try to learn what I can do further in his case. With all good wishes for continued good health, I remain Most cordially yours. AHS: BK

My dear Gene:

In preparation for your interview with Dr. Kraus, I am sending you the enclosed folder which will give you a background of his case.

AHS: BK Enc. לכבוד קרובי וידידי חיקר מר רבי אן. סילבר -

### שלום ושפע ברכות!

להטתוממותי הרבה לא בעביתי עד כה ע שני מכתבי הקודמים בהם פניתי אל כבורו בענין עזרתו אלי בקטר את עליי ארצה;אמנם לא אדע את סיבת הדבר אך אני מניח ששני מכתבי הקודמים לא הבעו לידי כבודו בשל סיבה זו או אחרת. אני מניח גם שכתבת כבודו הנמצאית בשותי היא הנכונם,כי אחרת הרי היו המכתבים מניעים אלי חזרה.

ארשה לעצמי לחשריה ולהשריד את כבוד במכתב שלישי ואתי התקוה והאמונה שב שזה יהיה האחרון בנידון זה.

מר מילבד היקר, יודע אני טכבודו עמו וטרוד בענינים יותר הכרחיים ויותר קשים ואולי גם זה הוא המפריע בהשבת תשובה, יודע אני שייתכן שמכתבי הרא-שונים לא הגיעו לידי כבודו בשל הערו במקום מגורו התמידי, אך אני מנסה בפעם נוספת לכתב אל כבודו לפי כתבת זו, כי אחרת הרי איננה בידי.

לפני חודש ימים חזרתי מהדרכים בקשר את מפעל "הגלילה" של קרן הקימת לישראל, בלאיתי מנשוא את המשא הכבד זל חזרה על הפתחים, שבעתי נדודים בענב יני שליחויות שונות של התנועה הציונית בלישא ומשתוקקת הנשמה לחספה לתמיד לפחנה המבשימים בארץ, על אף היושיים חרבים ועל אף המצב הקטה בארץ. למעלה מ-4 שנים שאני עושה את שלישפוי הציונית הזאת בנאמנות ובמסירות, זה למעלם מ-4 טבים שאבי חולם את חלום עליתי ארצה ועתה אחרי שידוע לי וברור לי שיש לי אפשרות עליתי מבחינת רשיון עליה - הרי נתקלתי בקו-שיים ועכובים אחרים לגמרי - דמי עלית (הוצצות הקשורות את עליתי ארצה). דומני שאין לי להוכיף הרבה על שיחתי את כבודו בציריך, בשעת הקונגרם הציוני ב-20, בטיחתי זו את כבודו הרי הוברר לכבודו די והותר על מצבי החמרי, כן, ייתכן שלו לא הייתי מתמסר לפעולת התבועה הציונית, הייתי יכול בכשרובותי ובמרצי להסתדר יפה גם בלישא, למרות כל הקושיים האוביקטיביים, אך אני - דרך אחת בחיי - ע ל י ה לארץ יסראל.

ציינתי גם במכתבי הקודמים מה הם הקושיים שלי בעליהןצוין גם על המכום המינמלי הקשור את עליתי, כן אין לי שום רשות, לא מוסרית ולא יורדית לבוא בדריטות, חלילה, הרי הנני רק מבקט מאדם קרוב, קרבת משפחה, מאדם אשר דמי בדמו, שיגיש לי עזרה בשעת הכרעה זו בחיי ותו לא!

סר סילבר היקר, גני צריך אני להוסיף להסביר לכבודו על רצון צעיר בישראל המשתוקק לגאולה, דומני שלכבודו הדברים ידועים למדי.

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December 10, 1937 Mr. and Mrs. Edgar H. Weil, 20030 Marchmont, Cleveland, Ohio. Dear Friends: You asked me, some time ago, to give you the source of the letter of consolation sent by Plutarch to his wife when their child died. You will find it in Plutarch's "Morals" (Volume V, pages 386-394) edited by Dr. William W. Goodwin and published by Little, Brown, and Company. The title is "Plutarch's Consolatory Letter to His Wife". I have the volume here which I borrowed from the public library. Should you want it, I shall be very pleased to let you have it. With all good wishes, I remain Most cordially yours, AHS: BK

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So that there will be no misunderstanding on your part of the system of registration we use in our office and our method of referring applicants to jobs. I wish to bring the following facts to your attention. You made your first visit to this office on November 26th. Because of your past experience you were referred to the Factory and Restaurant Department which is headed by Miss MacDonald. In taking your application she realized from your work record that your last steady job in a factory was 16 years ago and that your last steady employment in a cafeteria as a steam table attendant was approximately 14 years ago. Miss MacDonald tried to explain to you that factory calls and orders for persons to handle a steam table are very infrequent at the present time and that the few calls that do come in require applicants who have had recent experience in that kind of work.

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Although Miss MacDonald recommended that you register in the Casual Department the day you were interviewed by her, you did not do so until December 2nd. Our records in the Casual Department show that you were referred to a job on December 3rd, to snother on December 4th and also to another job on December 6th. We would much prefer to find you some sort of suitable steady work, however, when that is not obtainable we are certain that you will appreciate day work until such time as regular employment can be secured for you.

- 2 -We also wish to impress upon you that the jobs you have received during the past several days were not the result of any special effort on our part but the result of the same regular daily procedure we employ in relation to all applicants who apply to us for work. The above statement is made because the actual checking of your applications with the Factory and Casual Departments was not made until yesterday, due to unavoidable circumstances. We do not criticize you for the attitude expressed towards us in your letter to Rabbi Silver as we can fully sympathize with every person who is unemployed and in dire need of a job. We have thousands of such cases coming to us weekly and we are anxious to help each and every applicant, however, when jobs are scarce we are able to help only a small percentage of those who apply to us, and all applicants must remember that the employment office is restricted in its referrals of applicants by the requirements of employers as to experience, age, training and education. Should you at any future day again feel that you have not been properly received by any member of our personnel, you are always free to make your grievance known to either Mr. Seiple or myself. Yours very truly,

Ohie State Employment Service

Cleveland Offices

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Asst. Manager

December 10, 1937 Rabbi Joseph Rauch. Temple Adath Israel, 834 S. 3rd Avenue, Louisville, Ky. My dear Rauch: This letter was sent to me as President of the Hebrew Union College Alumni Association. Evidently they do not know that you are the new President. Last year, we sent official representatives to such a conference. I would suggest that the same proceedure be followed this year. Perhaps you would like to designate some Rabbis who are in the vicinity of "ashington to attend such a conference. It would then involve them in no great expense. With all good wishes, I remain Very cordially yours, AHS: BK Enc.

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Commy true Christians there is no prejudice against the Jews, is there? It generally is the irreligious person who bears at all faiths, who voices prejudiced and shows is consideration for any race other than his own. We are accustomed of the familiar term of "Catholics and Pertestants: all um Catholies collectively are judged as Protestants, counting thuistains and papaus as a whole. ( I am a mysty of the worth. Enclid in our church. I have never, at any time detected anything fut a Kindly Japane In Jews. I Should then not by more desimite distinction made among nongrows as Shristians and pagans? It seems an injustice of those who are cornestly traying & Follow the teaching of Jesus and who spendy their lives it sorbice to Him, & HE included in the Whole with those who propers us faith . at all and show no respect for any

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11 December 1937

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver, The Temple, Cleveland.

My dear Rabbi Silver -

My great anticipations were more than realized as I joined in the three immense eager throngs that responded to your summons, to hear what it would be claimed religion had to say to such a time as this. And I must repeat with renewed emphasis, that you have placed the entire community under heavy obligations to you for this undertaking.

I feel certain you can be assured that Christians generally will stand shoulder to shoulder with your Jewish people in stubborn resistance to the hideous anti-Semitism in the world, whether in its horribly violent, or in its milder, forms.

In reference to "children in Christian Sunday Schools being taught that Jews are 'Christ-killers!" I feel very sure you need have no fear whatsoever that anything like that is being done, either by their teachers or by the literature that is put into their hands. In my whole life, from my infancy until now, I have never had any intimation of such a charge. My own conviction- and I think it is shared by intelligent Christians generally- is, that no race and no particular individuals can be charged with exclusive responsibility for the tragedy of the Cross! That responsibility. in my view, rests down deep on human nature, with all of us sharing in it! Indeed, it must be said in all candor, that the Jews represented human nature at its best when Christ was orucified. And any of them who formally participated in it, did no more.

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perhaps they did less, than representatives of any other race would have done under the circumstances.

It is my impression that the principal obstacle to wholehearted religious fellowship between Jews and Christians is in their different regard for Jesus Christ. And yet in this connection, I recall most gratefully hearing you speak in your splendid Temple on "Jesus," a number of years ago. I was delightfully surprised that you attributed to him a character and an influence that until then I had never thought any Jewish Rabbi- Reformed or Orthodox- would grant him. The impression that discourse made upon me abides with me still.

Mevertheless, it seems to me that Jesus Christ in Himself, so represents religion in its completeness, for Christians, that it pains them deeply to realize that anyone would offer Him less than supreme devotion. He is the Alpha and Omega of religion for them. In this unique personal relation they find themselves eagerly searthing His life and teachings, in the full reach of their implications. to determine what they are to believe and do. This. coupled with the universal character of their Faith, prevents them from regarding it as one among many religions, but looking upon it as incomparable. This, whether rightly or wrongly, is. I think, one of the fundamental convictions of Christlans; and, similar convictions, of course, are held by others in refer ence to their Faiths. Of course none of these convictions should be compromised but each should be given the respect it deserves, and we should all strive to cultivate fraternal relations with each other as being children of a common Pather.

The tension arises when these sincere religious convictions come into conflict. It seems to me the tension can be relieved by recognizing frankly and definitely wherein we agree and wherein

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we cannot agree, and then labor together as far as we possibly can. With yourselves we ought to be able to go far, as children of a common Bather, with a common glorious heritage and so many sincere interests in common. Fortunately the temper of the different religious communions is growing more and more favorable to co-operation. This, with the pressure we are all sabjected to from indifference within the religious groups and irreligion without, is bringing us closer together. Confronted as we are by many who have a vague sense of God without religion of any kind and others who are cultivating religious zeal without God and the blatant atheists, in such a time the differences separating the adherents of the great historic should be minimized that we might present a solil front against our comon adversaries.

when I began than just briefly about so-called "Christ-killers." I hope I have not wearied you, and would be very glad to have an expression of your own views on the subject I have drifted into.

With cordial good wishes, I remain always,

Very sincerely yours,

Francis M. Hall.

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ST. JOHN'S METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH. SOUTH KINGSHIGHWAY AND WASHINGTON BOULEVAND IVAN LEE HOLT ST. LOUIS December 13, 1937 Rabbi A.H. Silver, The Temple, 105th Street, Cleveland, Ohio. My dear Friend: I want to thank you for your lovely note, and the enclosed check. I enjoyed every minuts of my stay in in your city, and I think your program was most impressive. With best wishes for you and your family, and hoping that our paths ay cross often in the future, I am Faithfully yours, Lan Easthoor ī h 1 m b

vear Rabbi,

I am coming to you to day with a request of help and advise. I hope sincerely that you will be able to help me one way or the other.

I am 25 years all and arrived in this country 4 years ago from Sermany. I have tried my luck at several jobs and places in the eastern part of the U.S. and come to bleveland about Turouth, ago.

My job here, I am vorking for the Champion Rinet bo. did votgive me a chance to get acquainted with jewish circles in this city.

My father is dead and my mother is still in the old country. From letters I received lately I can set that things are getting worse and worse over there and that it is absolutely necessary for me to bring my mother to this country.

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

Dear Rabbi Silver:-

Our mutual friend, Mr. Hiram S. Rivitz sent me your cooperative letter under date of December 9th.

It is true that the Cleveland Federation has been kind to The National Farm School, but like Oliver Twist, we are always willing to have more.

Will you accept my thanks for your promise to bring Mr.Rivitz' letter to the attention of your Committee?

Again assuring you of my appreciation and with sentiments of high regard, I am,

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Hoping to have the pleasure of seeing you again at a not too far distant date. I am, with kind personal regards,

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Rabbi A. H. Silver, Cleveland, O.

Rabbi:

particularly members of the Oakwood Club, particularly members are interested in our philanthropic drives, have confedred with me in reference to a proper method of disciplining, if necessary, members, prospective or otherwise, of the Oakwood Club who either give nothing at all or who flagrantly undergive to the Community Fund and Jewish Welfare Fund.

We have evolved a proposed form of amendment to be submitted at the annual meeting in January. We are going to ask some twenty or twenty-five members of the Club to propose the same.

Bear in mind that the two articles in question have been amplified only in reference to charitable contributions, and other misconduct. There is now a provision for the suspension, reprimend or expulsion of members, but no specification whatever of grounds therefor.

Will you please give me, within the next day or two, your reaction thereto, and whether you will join us in this proposal?

Simerely your

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ARTICLE VIII. Sec. 2. Applications for membership shall be in writing addressed to the Club, and shall designate the class of membership which the applicant desires to join; shall be signed by the applicant, and contain a statement of the date of his birth, his residense, occupation, place of business, and record of contributions for the preceding three years to the Community Fund and Jewish Welfare Fund of Cleveland, Ohio (if such application be for regular membership); and such other information as the Board may require, and shall be signed by two (2) or more members of the Club who recommend the applicant. No person shall be elected as a member (other than as a non-resident or special member) who, in the judgment of the Board has not contributed during said three-year period to both of said Funds reasonably in proportion to his ability to give thereto. The last named requirement is declared to be escential for the reason that applicants for membership who can afford to pay the prescribed initiation fees and dues must be persons who can and will do their share toward supporting these communal philanthropic organizations.

ARTICLE VII. Sec. 10: Charges against members may be made to the Board either orally or in writing, as the Board may require. Such charges may, among other things be based upon conduct in or about the premises or grounds of the Club, alleged to be unbecoming to a member of the Club, or such as to east discretit upon the Club, or upon the alleged failure of members (other than non-resident or special members) to contribute reasonably in proportion to their ability to give to the Community Fund and the Jewish Welfare Fund of Cleveland. Upon the preferring of such charges, it shall become the duty of the Board to investigate the same, and, after first allowing the accused an opportunity to be heard in defense, the Board may by vote of a majority of the entire Board reprimand or suspend, or by a two-thirds vote of the entire Board, expel such member or members.

THE PUBLIC NATIONAL BANK AND TRUST COMPANY OF NEW YORK AVENUE C OFFICE AVENUE C AND 7TH STREET December 14, 1937 Dr. A. H. Silver The Temple Cleveland, Chio My dear Abba, I truat that you and your family, and Florence, are well. Thanks unuin for the Checker indito separa delignations the work on my book is progressing of and that I have bready received today the first fifteen galleys for treef-results . If no usexpected delays now take place, the book enough he out by the middle or at the latest by the end of January OCA I received a very welcome letter yesterday from the folks. They are apparently faring well, despite the unsettled conditions in Palestine, and are above all enjoying their newly installed steam heat. Father is naturally inquiring anxiously about the sale of He writes me that you have asked him to forward to you 200 his book. copies which you expect shortly to sell and therupon to send him proceeds thereof. In this connection I want to report to you the result of my meeting last week with Mr. Tausner. Mr. Tausner has been handling the sales and of this book for a year new, and is quite discouraged. To date he sold only five copies, among them, I am pleased to report, is the sale of a copy to the Jewish Theological Seminary. He has forwarded to date, in accordance with our decision at the beginning of November, 74 copies to the Herzel Club Group, to some orthodox, conservative and Reform Rabbis, which resulted thus far in his receipt of only two checks, one from Dr. Feinschreiber and one from Dr. Stolz, which last two sales are included in the above five mentioned copies sold to date. Of the T4 mailed, there have been thus far 20 returns. Since my last meeting with him. Hr. Tausner must have FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM NEW YORK CLEARING HOUSE ASSOCIATION



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forwarded about 30 additional copies to various people. Including the mailing expense on the latter, his bill thus far will run up to about \$70., which includes cost of printing the 5000 circulars and letters accompanying his forwarding of the books. I left with him last week my check for \$20. to cover part of his expenses thus far, and he is pleading for the balance which he states he needs badly now. He has of course a detailed accounting of all the said expenses incurred thus far.

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Your considered disposition in this matter will help me here in advising Mr. Tausner on the question of continuing or not the mailing of more books, also on satisfying him on the amount due him, as well as give me some encouraging word to write to father in this connection.

With love to you all in which Jane and the children join me. I am

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

Dear Rabbi Silver:

We wish to thank you for bringing to our attention the letter you received from Mrs. Catherine Elias thereby giving us an opportunity to explain to her the procedure of our service. In the belief that you might be interested, we are attaching a copy of our letter to her.

We also want to take this opportunity to thank you most sincerely for the support given the employment service in your letter to the Editor of the Cleveland Press.

Yours sincerely,

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Editorial y 12/14/07-

December 14, 1987 The J. D. Deutsch Co.. 1486 Crawford Road, Cleveland, Ohio. Dear Friends: It was indeed gracious and thoughtful of you to send me the lovely Chanukah gift which I deeply appreciate. Some day I hope that you will come and open a bottle with me at my home. With all good wishes, I remain Very cordially yours, AHS: BK

December 14, 1937 Mr. Fritz Wolff, 8221 Dorver Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio. My dear Mr. Wolff: Let me thank you for your letter of December 15. I would suggest that you get in touch with Mrs. Miriam Jacobs at the Jewish Social Service Bureau - Huran-Sixth Building. This office has been established for the purpose of giving advice and aid to Garman refugees. I am sure that Mrs. Jacobs will be in a position to heep you. If not, get in touch with me again. With all good wishes, parmit me to remain Very sincerely yours, AHS: BK

R. C. R. KRAUSE CLEVELAND, OHIO December 15th, 1937. Rathi a. H. films, 10311 Lake Shore Blod, Olenland, Q. Dear Rabbi Silmi: you may have frightten the letter I write you from after the death of my husband Which I did not sight thinking if would be sufficient that Jame one whom you had helped. I visited Chautangua. that year where a met Dr. Paul Schuer who were the first Opinition Minister who really gave me what of Janghto 1 I spoke to him of my great last, whereon he huguired to which Church

I belanged. I replied, "none, I attend Rabbi Silners" and he answered, I am readily understand". She asked me to write him but I did not not as I have now I must give my name as I am sending al surver som in recognition of what Gratefully, mrs. C. R. Skanse

## RABBI CHARLES E. SHULMAN GLENCOE, ILLINOIS

December 16, 1937.

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver, The Temple, 105th and Ansel, Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear friend:

Had I known earlier where to communicate with you yesterday, I would have called you prior to the time I did. It was only by accident that I discovered that you were to be in the city.

Avis and I would be delighted to have you as our luncheon guest on the occasion of your visit to Chicago on January 13th. If, however, you will be engaged at that time, we hope that it will be possible for us to spend an hour together. We shall plan to communicate with you at the Blackstone on the forenoon of that day.

With kindest personal greetings and regards to yourself and family, in which Avis joins me, I am

Sincerely yours,

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December 20, 1937 Mr. Eugene L. Geismer. 1021 Euclid Avenue. Cleveland, Ohio. Dear Friend: There has recently come to the attention of Professor Henry Busch, Dean Chester Emerosn, Mr. Eugene L. Wolf and myself, the tragic case of Dr. Arthur Krause, formerly a member of the Department of Philosophy of the College of the City of New York, and now in Cleveland for a few days. Dr. Krause was dismissed from his teaching position five years ago because he protested against the disorders and illiberal activities resulting in the death of two students in the universities of Poland. He felt the matter keenly because is of Polish birth and was educated in Polish universities. He has been unable to secure another position in the intervening years. His funds are utterly exhausted and his health impaired by worry and undernourishment. He is badly in need of immediate assistance if he is to be rehabilitated physically and spiritually. We understand that Professor Albert Einstein, Dr. L. C. Lindenan, Professor John Dewey and other eminent men in New York will seek to secure Dr. Krause's reinstatement in the College of the City of New York through the intervention of Mayor LaGuardia. They have been familiar with the case for many years and have expressed full confidence in and sympathy with Dr. Krause. At least one hundred outstanding professors, ministers, and publicists have endorsed Dr. Krause. Our purpose in writing you is to urge you to give as generously as your means permit to aid in the immediate

rehabilitation of this unfortunate man. A prompt response to this appeal will multiply the value of your gift.

We regret this urgent, personal appeal, but we know of no agency equipped to give the kind of care this situation demands. We can look for aid only to generous individuals who are moved by the unnecessary and prolonged suffering of a sensitive person in this situation.

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Dr. Abba Silver, Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Rabbi:

I beg to take up a few minutes of your time to request your opinion of the following question which came up in our Jewish community.

For many years past, it has been an unwritten law not to have any festivities at our Jewish social club on our Sabbath evening. This year, however, the opinion of a great majority prevailed, or, let me say, that I was the only one who opposed having our New Year's festivities on our Sabbath Eve, December 31st. During such discussion, the question arose that the reformed rabbis in general do not object to this celebration on Friday night. Our Rabbi has ever opposed this departure from our established custom, but his physical condition today prevents him from taking an active part on the question. I would therefore greatly appreciate your writing me your opinion in the matter from a rabbinical standpoint and your views of this matter in general.

Trust you and your family had a pleasant trip last summer, and I was sorry that I didn't see you again on our travel of the continent. Extend my regards to your wife and the two boys, who afforded me great pleasure on board the Normandie.

Cordially yours,

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Cliveland, Ohio Rablie a. H. Silver Temple. Dear Su: Jim weiting to thank you were fresent your tenant I my husbank Thishing you a very Xmas. and God bleed you. Frang Sabanas.



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December 20, 1937

Rabbi Hillel Silver 105th Street - Ansel Road Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi Silver:

I am enclosing a copy of the purpose and initial program of the American League for Peace and Democracy adopted at the People's Congress, November 26-28, Pittsburgh, Pa.

I hope you will express yourself frankly to me concerning our purpose and program with the understanding, of course, that your expression will be given no publicity unless you expressly authorize it.

I need not say that I would be more than happy if you feel like becoming a member of our organization.

Very sincerely yours,

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Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver. Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Rabbi Silver :-

Your splendad address last evening at the closing dinner of the United Jewish Apreal was so magnificient both in its thought and its presentation. so powefull, and so appealing I cannot refrain from expressing a word of personal appreciation to you for it.

I consider myself privileged in having heard what I know Philadelphia will long remember as its outstanding public utterance. I wish that all Jewery could have heard it.

Leon L Bukouts

December 20, 1937 Dr. T. Wingate Todd, The Brush Foundation, 2109 Adelbert Road, Cleveland, Ohio. My dear Dr. Todd: May I be permitted to join your host of friends in extending to you my heartiest felicitations on the occasion of your twenty-fifth anniversary as Professor of Anatomy at Western Reserve University. have been much more than that. You have been a great force in the intellectual and cultural life of our community. Laymen who are unable to evaluate the importance of your scientific contributions are nevertheless conscious of the fine contribution which you have made to the total life of our city. My warmest greetings. Very cordially yours, AHS: BK

# GREET DR. TODD ON 25TH ANNIVERSARY

## 500 Honor Reserve Anatomy Professor at Tea

Surrounded by nearly 500 former and present students and associates, Dr. T. Wingste Todd, professor of anatomy at the School of Medicine of Western Reserve University, yesterday afternoon celebrated his 25th

year as a member of the Reserve faculty at a surprise tea in his honor in the anatomy laboratory.

Dr. Todd beeame anatomy professor in 1912. Formerly a lecturer in anatomy and clinical anatomy at the University of Manchester, M:nehester, England. Dr. Todó w



DR. T. WINGATE

land, Dr. Todá was offered the post by the late Dr. Charles T. Thwing. then president of Reserve.

Born in Sheffield, England, Jan. 15, 1885, Dr. Todd, who was educated in medicine at the University of Manchester and London Hospital, replaced the late Dr. Carl. A. Hamann, who wished to devote more of his time to surgery.

The anniversary celebration came and I as a complete surprise to Dr. Todd. wheel who arrived from Washington yesterday at 1 p. m. Ushered into the after.

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laboratory, he found his associates had decorated it with gay Christmas trimmings.

Dr. James E. Hallisy, senior clinical instructor in anatomy and surgery, presented Dr. Todd several books and etchings on behalf of the anatomy department staff. Dr. Hallisy was among Dr. Todd's first students in Cleveland.

Director of the Hamann Museum of Comparative Anthropology and Anatomy; the largest museum for the study of human and mammalian growth and development in the world, Dr. Todd has won international fame by teaching anatomy as a living rather than a dead science.

Under his guidance, the anatomy department has issued 475 publications. Ten of his former associates are now heads of anatomical departments or sub-departments in institutions in the United States, Canada and on the Continent.

Among those attending the celebration was Dr. W. N. Cobb, head of the department of anatomy at Howard University, Washington, who was trained by Dr. Todd.

#### BOUND OVER IN AUTO KILLING

East Side Physician Faces Manslaughter Charge

Dr. Charles A. Simpson, 43, of 6822 Cedar Avenue S. E., a physician, held as the driver of a car which struck and fatally injured Malon Bretz, 62, on Sept. 19. was bound over to the county grand jury yesterday on a charge of manslaughter.

Police said the sulomobil jumped the curb at Quincy Avenue S. E. and E. 71st Street and pinned Bretz and his son, Elwood, 36, under the wheels. The son was seriously injured and the elder Bretz died soon after.



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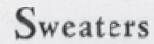
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December 21, 1937 Mr. Nathan Loeser, National City Bank Building, Cleveland, Ohio. My dear Nate: Let me acknowledge receipt of your letter of December 14. I am heartily in accord with the proposed Amendment which you plan to submit to the Annual Meeting of the Oakwood Club and I shall be glad to be one of the signatories to the proposal. Very sincerely yours, AHS: BK

December 21, 1987 Bloch Publishing Co., 31 West Elst Street, New York, N.Y. Gentlemen: Under separate cover I am returning to you two copies of "Mognayim" which you sent to Rabbi Silver. ( 1925-24 and 1925-/105). Please credit these to the account of Rabbi Silver as he has copies of these numbers. Very sincerely cure, Secretary to Rabbi Silver. BJK

December 21, 1937 Mr. Max E. Meisel, The Leader Building, Cleveland, Ohio. My dear Max: I tried to obtain the manuscripts of the addresses which were delivered at the symposium. Niebuhr writes me that he spoke from notes. One or two of the other speakers have not their manuscripts available so that it will be impossible for us to get out a small booklet containing the epitomes of the addresses which were delivered. Next year, if we have a similar symposium, we shall make provisions shead of time either to obtain the manuscripts or to have stenographic reports made of the addresses. Most cordially yours, AHS: BK

December 21, 1937 Mr. Herman P. Taubman, Tulsa, Okla. My dear Mr. Taubman: Permit me to thank you for your thoughtfulness in sanding me the two photographs, one of myself and one of the group, which were taken on the occasion of my visit to your city. The photographs are perfectly beautiful - the one of me, perhaps the best that was ever taken. Please convey to the artist my profound appreciation for his beautiful work. I would a preciate it if he would make up for me a dozen small-sized glosses of the photograph which he took of me. We have occasion to use them frequently in publicity and I should like to substitute his photographs for those I have been using heretofore. I shall, of course, be very happy to pay the cost. With all good wishes, permit me to remain Very cordially yours. AHS: BK

December 21, 1937 My dear Mr. Gresham: I am returning the papers which you left here to be signed. Rabbi Silver has informed me that the package of books are from Moses Silver. There are approximately 100 books in the package. Please value it at \$200. Very sincerely yours, BJK Secretary to Rabbi Silver.

December 21, 1937

Mr. I. M. Kowalsky, Palestine House, Inc., 10 West 28th Street, New York, N.Y.

My dear Mr. Kowalsky:

Under separate cover I am returning the five Mezuzahs which were sent to me. The ones I purchased in Palestine were also made by Bezalel. They seemed far more attractive and also far more reasonably priced. If you have any other samples, please send them to me. I use about twelve Mezuzahs a year for distribution among the members of my congregation and I should like minimum rates.

With best wishes, I remain

Sincerely yours,

AHS: BK

December 21, 1937 Dr. William Fineshriber, Reform Congregation Keneseth Israel, 1717 N. Broad Street, Philadelphia, Pa. My dear Bill: It was a delight to see you and Mrs. Fineshriber Sunday night and to have had the pleasant hour together after the meeting. I enjoyed my short stay in Philadelphia very much. I am onclosing herewith a check to cover your traveling expenses incurred in connection with your visit to us. I wish I could include an honorarium adequate to the service which you rendered - for you made a magnificent contribution to an outstanding program. Some day I hope to be able to return the compliment and come to some program of your Temple. With all good wishes, I remain Most cordially yours, AHS: BK

December 21, 1937 Bloch Publishing Company, 31 Fest 31st Street, New Lork, N.Y. Gentlemen: On Movember 24, I ordered a copy of Rabbi Lazaron's book "Consolations of Our Faith". Please cancel the order as Rabbi Silver has already obtained a copy of this book. Very sincerely yours, BJK Secretary to Rabbi Silver.

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Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver The Temple Cleveland, Ohio

My dear Rabbi Silver:

We are enclosing herewith two season tickets for the productions of The Gilpin Players for the current season in accordance with your order and check received December 12nd.

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2048 East 90th Street Cleveland, Ohio December 22, 1937

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

Dear Rabbi:

You will recall that I wrote you a letter concerning Mr. & Mrs. Ulman of Richmond, Virginia.

I want to know if I can ret any help. These people are depriving me of my hard earned bread and butter and I am desperately in need. May I have your recommendation to the Jewish Arbitration Court in order to explain my case?

These people have obtained my life earnings by deceit. I interviewed Dr. A. Peskin and he stated it was the most heartless and coldblooded piece of business.

These people have persecuted me worse than Hitler is persecuting the Jews in Germany. I am undergoing unmerited suffering by deprivation of my bread and butter. Although I have written these people several letters to return my bread and butter they have failed to answer me.

Respectfully yours,

J. H. WEISS

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Dec. 22. 1937

Dear Rabbei,

ausvering your very Kind leter any somer, but I was able to see Mrs. Jacobs at the Jewish Social Service Bureau only today.

Mrs. Jacobs promised to help me in every way she can and I am sure that she will find some way to bring the mater to an successful end.

I want to hank you for having referred me to this address and I hope to be able to think you sometimes in person when I have the honor of mee-ting you.

Very sincerely yours,

December 23, 1937

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

Dear Dr. Silver:-

In Mr. Rivitz's absence from the city, I am taking the liberty of acknowledging your letter of the 20th inst.

Mr. Rivitz is expected to return home around the middle of January, at which time your letter will be brought to his attention.

Yours very truly,

Secretary to Mr. Rivitz.

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Dr. Hugo Rosenthal, 2135 Coventry Rd., Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Dr. Rosenthal:

The enclosed letter from Miss Helga Kirsch, of Stuttgart, Germany, mentions your name. I do not know what I can do for her. Pechaps you have some suggestions.

With all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS: BK

December 23, 1987 Mrs. Max Bornstein, Park Lane Villa. Cleveland, Ohio. My dear absentee Friend: It is so long that I haven't seen you, that I hesitate to write to you. The Jewish Welfare Fund has requested me to take up with you the matter of your contribution. I understand that there is a difference of opinion between you and the Fund. You are under the impression that you pledged \$100 while the Fund has a record of your pledge of \$100 plus en additional pledge which you were kind enough to make through my solicitation. You may recall that I called you up and asked you to increase your subscription because of the great need which existed for foreign relief and also because of the much higher quota which we were asked to raise last year. You gave \$200 in 1935 and \$300 in 1935 so that your contribution for 1937 really represents clear "revach" to you. Please convey my best wishes to Emily and tell your mother to show herself sometime around The Temple. With best wishes, I remain Most cordially yours, AHS: BK



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I am enclosing a check in appreciation of your services for officiating at the funeral of my-dew father, Wh. Mark Baumoel, and want to thank you so much.

Very truly yours, Mrs. Edna B. Stern

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December 24, 1937 Mr. S. Schwob, The Schwob Company, 1037 Brosdway, Columbus, Ca. My dear Mr. Schwab: Permit me to thank you for your letter of December 20. I cannot speak for Reform Rabbis in general, but I know of many who are opposed to holding New Year festivities in a Jewish mocial club on the Sabbath Eve. I am personally opposed to that practice which unfortunately is quite widespread. I have opposed it here but with little success. The fault is not so much with the Rabbis as with Jewish laymen who haven't enough respect for themselves and the sanctities of their faith to refrain from desecrating the Sabbath in such a public and collective manner. With all good wishes in which Mrs. Silver joins me, I remain Very cordially yours, AHS: BK

December 24, 1937 Rabbi Leon Stitskin, 469 Highland Avenue, Warren, Ohio. My dear Rabbi Stitskins This morning I received from you a complimentary copy of your book "Judaism as a Religion". Let me thank you for your thoughtfulness in sending it to me. I know that I shall read it with a great deal of pleasure and profit. Your emphasis on Judaism as a religion, which is suggested by the title of your book, is grotifying in these days when propaganda for all sorts of "isms" in Jewish life try to distort Judaism out of its essential meaning. With best wishes, permit me to remain Very cordially yours, AHS:BK

December 24, 1937 Mr. Leon D. Berkowitz, Hillcreat, Fox Chase, Philadelphia, Pa. My dear Mr. Berkowitz: Permit me to thank you for your kind note of December 20. It was indeed very thoughtful of you to write me and tell me that you enjoyed the address which I delivered in your city. It was a pleasure to see you again. Most cordially yours, AHS: BK



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Dec. 27, 1937

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

My dear Rabbi:-

Mother has asked me to express to you her very deep appreciation for your hearty words of consolation, and real, sympathetic message of understanding spoken at father's funeral.

I am sure you will be glad to know that the whole family, particularly mother, found in your words a fine source of help and comfort.

Yours sincerely,

Alan L. Littman.

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December 27, 1937 Miss Elizabeth Magee, Consumers' League of Ohio, Engineers' Building, Cleveland, Ohio. My dear Miss Magee: Enclosed herewith is Rabbi Silver's contribution to the Consumers' League of Ohio. With best wishes, I remain Very sincerely yours, BJK Secretary to Rabbi Silver. December 27, 1937

Mrs. Edna B. Stern, 2718 Lancashire, Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mrs. Stern:

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

with all good wishes, permit me to remain

Very cordially yours,

ARS: BJK

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

Dear Dr. Silver :-

The bearer of this note is Dr. Werner Boehm of Germany and France, a nephew of one of the valued members of my congregation.

Dr. Boehm is an LL.S., LL.A. and Ph.D. He has majored in International law, and is seeking an opportunity to apply his knowledge.

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The writer would very much appreciate your sending me a copy of your speech.

Thanking you in advance, I

remain,

Yours very truly,

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LEE J. LOVENTHAL
NASHVILLE.TENNESSEE December 28, 1937.

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver, Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Rabbi:

Thank you very much for your prompt answer to my recent letter. I can well understand that you do not want to leave your pulpit on Sunday. However, our conference will meet only the one day, Sunday, and I regret that we shall have to forego the pleasure of hearing you at this time. I shall, however, take advantage of the last sentence in your letter, and call on you at some future time.

I note in the post script that "I was in Nashville once". Since I am over sixty years of age now, my memory does not serve me so well, and I regret that I do not remember the occasion; but I have had the pleasure of hearing you on a number of occasions, and recall each one of them with a great deal of pleasure. I particularly enjoyed hearing you at the conference held at St. Louis, when I went over to the Social Service Conference (Non-Jewish),

I note that you will address the Council of Jewish Welfare Federations and Welfare Funds in Cincinnati on January 9th, and it is my intention to be present at that time; and, of course, I shall have the pleasure of hearing you.

Did I write you in my other letter, that while in Baltimore recently, attending the funeral of my late brother-in-law, Mr. M. Rothschild, I had several nice chats with your brother-in-law, Rabbi Lazaron? His eulogy at the death of Mr. Rothschild was one of the prettiest to which I ever listened. He had a wonderful subject, and Mr. Rothschild was like a father to him. This address is being published, and I shall ask my nephew, Mr. Rosenblatt, to mail you one.

With personal regards and mest wishes, I remain,

Sincerely your friend,

LJL\*LH.

Mr. Alan L. Littman,
2910 Fontenay,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Alans

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

I trust that you and your dear ones are all well. I am happy that your mother is bearing her loss so well.

Hoping that I may have the pleasure of seeing you soon, I remain

Most cordially yours,

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Reform Congregation Keneseth Israel 1715 NORTH BROAD STREET PHILADELPHIA Dr. Abba Hillel Silver, East 105th St. at Ansel Road, Cleveland, Ohio. Dear Dr. Silver: I am sorry that I did not get a chance to have a chat with you when you were here for the Closing Dinner of our Campaign, but I did have the great privilege of listening to what I consider one of the most powerful and moving addresses that I have ever heard. It is a statement that I would love to have broadcasted around the world. But you have probably heard this so often, that I shall not burden you with the appreciation that I feel. There is something else, however, that I do want to say to you and get your opinion of. I am convinced that a grave mistake was made in following your Address with a cheap auction, even though the auctioneer was a fine and generous fellow. I think it is high time that we learn to conduct our meetings with great dignity, and if we do, I am convinced that the results would be far more encouraging than they are, under the method that was adopted. I am sending Judge Bok's address, given at our Dinner in December, as I think you will be interested in it. With kindest regards and all good wishes, I am, December 28, 1937.

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and state that these books are for your own personal use and not for sale and ask for relief from the provisions ofSec. 304 of the Tariff Ast of 1930, this will be waived and we can then make delivery to you.

Please mail this letter to us for proper filing.

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EDGAR J. BANKS Eustis, Florida

Mew ember 29, 1937

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver, Temple, East 105th St., Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Sir:

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Very sincerely yours,

Edgar & Banks.

Field Director of the Former Babylonian Expedition from

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For your convenience, I am enclosing a stamped, addressed envelope, and I would appreciate hearing from you at your earliest convenience.

With many thanks is anticipation of your helpfulness, I am, with cordial greetings,

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December 30, 1937 Miss Emmolyn Eppink, 13819 Fernwood, East Cleveland, Ohio. My dear Miss Eppink: Let me thank you for your kind note and for your thoughtfulness in writing to me. I appreciate fully the sentiments contained in it and I agree with you entirely. Some of the strongest champions of good will between religions and racial groups and some of the bravest defenders of Jews in those countries where they have been subjected to persecution have been Christians who have faithfully lived up to the teachings of their great Master. In such organizations as the Fellowship of Faiths and the National Conference of Jews and Christians, the greatest cooperation has been effected between Jews and Christians to preserve intact in the modern world their common heritage. With all good wishes, permit me to remain Very cordially yours, AHS: BK

# FRANKELS 228 SECOND STREET S. E. CEDAR RAPIDS, IOWA December 30,1937 Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver 105th and Ansel Avenue Cleveland, Ohio Dear Rabbi Silver:

Our mutual friend, Miss Grace Boston, has granted us the privilege of asking you to dinner at our home on your visit to Cedar Rapids next Thursday, January 6th, 1938.

If this is agreeable to you, kindly drop us a line.

M. J. Ora

Yours truly,

M. CJ. FRANKEL

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# Dear Rabbi:

Cleveland, Ohio

Rabbi Abb Hillel Silver

10311 Lake Shore Blvd.

As we are planning to remodel our Synagogue and do not possess sufficient funds, we are publishing souvenir booklets along with our ARRANGEMENT COMMITTEE annual banquet to be held on April 3, 1938. In these booklets space will be reserved for greetings and advertisements.

> We have heard of your generosity and are hereby requesting you to place a greeting in our booklet. Your greeting will serve us not only as a financial aid but also as an inducement to many individuals. We shall Ross, CH. A. feel most honored for any consideration you will extend towards us, and shall appreciate SPERO, BEN to the utmost any effort on your part to help us. Hoping to hear from you a favorable response, we remain,

> > Very truly yours,

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December 30, 1937 Mrs. Elkan C. Voorsanger, 881 Clinton Springs Avenue, Cincinnati, Ohio. Dear Friends: It was good of you to think of me and to offer me pancakes on my next visit to Cincinnati. Great is the offer and greater still the appreciation! Unfortunately I do not see just where I will find the time. I will not arrive in Cincinnati until late Sunday evening, just in time for my address. I plan to be in my own pulpit on Sunday morning. I will have to leave for Cleveland either that same night or early the next morning in time to keep an engagement in Cleveland on Monday evening. I do hope to see you, however, at the meeting. Perhaps we can have a little time after the meeting for a chat. With all good wishes, Most cordially yours, AHS: BK

December 30, 1987

Dr. Maxwell Silver, Public National Bank and Trust Company, Avenue C. Office, New York, N.Y.

My dear Max:

I am enclosing herewith the checks for the folks.

I agree with you that there is no point in forwarding additional copies of father's book to individuals. People do not like to receive books which they have not ordered. I would suggest that you write father that the books have been moving, but rather slowly, that over a period of years the book will have a good sale, but that for the present. in view of the economic recession, people are not buying books of the character of this one. Whatever money willutltimately be accumulated here, you will keep and at some later time, remit to him. I wonder what arrangements you have made with Mr. Tausner? Was he to incur no expenses at all in advertising the book? In that case, what is his contribution to the arrangement? If all expenses are to be borne by you, just why is he to get a percentage from the sale of each book?

What progress are you making with the publication of your own book?

With all good wishes to you, Jane and the children in which Virginia and the boys join me heartily, I remain

As ever,

AHS: BK

December 30, 1937 Mr. Phil Pressman, The Pressman-Straus Bag Co., 7400 Woodland, Cleveland, Ohio. My dear Mr. Pressmant In reply to your letter of December 28, permit me to state that we do not have available a printed copy of the address to which you refer. With best wishes, I reasin Very sincerely yours, BJK Secretary to Rabbi Silver.

December 31, 1937 Miss Violet Kittner, The Jewish Social Service Bureau, Huron-Sixth Bldg., Cleveland, Ohio. My dear Miss Kittner: The enclosed letter was sent to Rabli Silver. I wonder whether you could have some one look into the satter? Very sincerely yours, Secretary to Rabbi Silver BJK Enc.

December 31, 1937

Mr. R. W. Gresham,
R.W. Gresham Company,
Guyahoga Bldg.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Gresham:

Enclosed herewith is the letter
to the Collector of Customs as per your request.

Very sincerely yours,

AHS: BK

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December 31, 1937 Collector of Customs, Cleveland, Ohio. : mabaM A consignment of Bible Commentaries has been sent to me from Palestine. These books are for my own personal use and for use in the Temple. They are not for sale. I would request relief from the provisions of Section 304 of the Bariff Act of 1930 as I have been informed that these books have been detained for violation of the marking law in our Tariff Act. With best wishes, I remain Very cordially yours, AHS: BK

RABBI WILLIAM H. FINESHRIBER, D. D. Temple: 1717 North Broad Street Residence: 1916 Rittenhouse Square PHILADELPHIA Dr. A. H. Silver. Cleveland. O. Dear Abba: Pardon my delay in answering your letter, but I have been pouring oil on the troubled waters of a local hospital scandal, which has kept me inured (literally so) for days on end as a member of the Arbitration Board. Just finished the oil-pouring job last night. and feel all let down. Thanks for your letter, and the enclosure of the check for my travelling expenses. I don't need any honorarium, for I was much repaid by the pleasure of speaking to that magnificent audience, and being with you and yours in your hospitable home. Our conservative and phlegmatic Philadelphians are still talking about your magnificent Address that you made the other night. With a little practice. I think you will be able to make a fairly good speech within a year or so. Don't give up.

With best wishes to you and yours, I am,

Cordially yours,

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December thirty-first,

1 9 3 7.

December 31, 1937 Mr. Joseph H. Hagedorn, President, Reform Congregation Keneseth Isr el, 1715 North Broad Street. Philadelphia, Pa. My dear Friends It was thoughtful of you to write to me and I was delighted to hear from you. enjoyed my brief visit to your community immensely. I agree with you fully with regards to the auction which followed my midre s. It was particularly inept, and for a representative community like Philadelphia, quite out of character. I am pleased that action was taken at the meeting to organize earlier and better for next year. I have found from experience that much of the success of a campaign depends upon very careful and very painstaking preliminary organization - not to SPeak of dynamic lay-leadership. I am sorry that I did not get a chance to talk to you - an experience which I always enjoy. I should have told you, if we had met, what a perfectly splendid and thought provoking address Dr. Fineshriber delivered in Cleveland in connection with our Symposium. "Religion Speaks". With all good wishes, I remain Very cordially yours, AHS: BK

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Rabbi A. H. Silver, The Temple, E. 105th St. and Ansel Rd., Cleveland, Onio.

Dear Dr. Silver:

I wish to take this opportunity to thank you very much for the very nice Christmas gift I received from the Temple. It was exceedingly kind on your part, and I greatly appreciate both the gift and your good will.

Let me also say that I think the Temple is doing a magnificent piece of work and is contributing the noblest influence to the cultural and religious life of the city.

My sincerest regards and best wishes for the New Year to yourself and family, and to the members of the Temple staff, who have been extraordinarily co-operative with the Plain Dealer, and most courteous toward me.

Sincerely yours,

Walton W. Rankin

RABBI MORDECAI M. THURMAN TEMPLE OF ISRAEL WILMINGTON, NORTH CAROLINA

Dec. 31, 1937.

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

Dear Dr. Gilver:

your lectures on the managed theme throblems of Human Life Reflected in the Wibley West well accorded of your four lectures on "Things Permanent?" (20/5)

best of health, and with every good wish for the New Year, I am

Mordecai M. Thurman

C De Cember, 1937)

Deen atta: Wice I give your postative form -Cales when your Come to Cin Cut in January? I'm rendering Chicken Jat Ly the quart - and Ellian Days my Carting should be good - it in proves mine my age. The term premie is. " " Try inci Came une, June? Tece hu Ellan dare nice go to Claveland michouse Our Junity Joins in her werter to your and yours for the hear Wednesday our Laurete

heh pays I'm down very thing had write your for denne. Where your Come ? When your Come?

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