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January 3, 1954.

The Rabbi Doctor Aba Hillel Silver, Cleveland,

Dear Doctor,

I take me the liberty to ask you, Lear Rabbi, for a favour. The matter is as follows: I have one son only who finishes his meddine studies in Bruxelles/Helgium and gets there his doctors degree in July next. I am sure that my son would make his doctors degree with distinktion, as he has made till now his examinations. My son is a very serious, brave and good lucking boy.

As the American meddine is famous in the world, my son wishes therefore after getting his doctors degree in July mext to go for some years to America in order to specialize himself there in a good hospital and to make in this hospital his Extern and Residentsyears.

As I hear here is the Mount Sinai Hospital in Cleveland a famous Hospital in America. Therefore I would be happy if my son could specialize himself in this Hospital and make there his Extern and Residentsyears, the more as this Hospital ist also a Jewish one.

My son in Bruxelles has already submitted his application for an admission to the Mount Sinai Hospital in Cleveland and the Hospital has informed him that it would let him know the result of his application in January or February next.

Should you be, Dear Doctor, in the position to support there the application of my son, Heinz David Itkin, for an admission to the Mount Sinai Hospital, I would be very much obliged to you. I wish to hope that such a support would not make you any trouble and I tahnk you very much for your favour in advance. I am also asking my son in Bruxelles to send you separate a recommendation-letter of the Unversity in Bruxelles.

Again much thanks for your favour, I remain, Dear Doctor,

Yours very truly

Lilli Fittein.

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The Rabbi Doctor Aba H.Silver, CLEVELAND / OHIO.

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January 3, 1954

Mr. Howard Wertheimer, Editor Jewish Review & Observer Cleveland, Ohio

Mr. Editor, I'm puzzled. And by a man whose thoughts and logic I can usually follow, although, when it comes to his expressions and beleifs on religion, we don't always (or hardly ever) see eye to eye.

I am referring to Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver's address to the joint session of the C.J.F.W.F. and the 50th Annual Meeting of the Jewish Community Federation of Cleveland which was held here at the Statler Hotel the latter part of November. It seems that this address "On the Threshold of the Fourth Century" was so favorably received that the Federation distributed reprints to its large mailing list.

One must certainly admire the breadth of vision and the depth of feeling displayed in this address. The portion dealing with the history of the Jewish people on the American scene for the past three centuries, and what may possibly be the development of the American Jew in the fourth century were the profound thinking one would expect from an Abba Hillel Silver.

But when it comes to the advocacy of a return to the observance of "the prescribed way of Jewish life, at least in its essentials" and to restore "the religious disciplines of Judaism", I am at a loss to know exactly what the Rabbi means. It is these thoughts and these expressions that puzzle me.

I would wenture to say that among the most desecrated of the prescribed "religious disciplines of Judaism" (to which Rabbi Silver refers) are the desecration of the Sabbath as the Torah-prescribed day of rest, and the utter indifference of the great mass of American Jews to the observance of Kashruth, the latter particularly by leaders in Jewish life, among them Rabbi S. himself, at public Jewish functions and dinners.

If not the observance of such basic Torah-prescribed "essentials" as these, to what essentials does the Rabbi refer? Certainly, I would hope not, to relegating the Sabbath services, en Saturday morning I mean, to a secondary role of a thirty or forty-five minute observance by the good ladies of the Temple, and the publicizing and advertising of Sunday morning services, with the occassional added attraction of an Orthodox Cantor (not averse to picking up a fast buck for the rendition of a few selections) to supplement the weekly organ recitals of some accomplished goy.

The Rabbi deplores the possibility of "the rise of a generation of prosperous Jews who have no spiritual anchorage a generation

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Mr. Howard Wertheimer, Editor

of ... Jews rooted in no religious tradition, reverent of no moral code, ignorant of all Jewish learning and held to social responsibility by no inner spiritual restraint". In Heaven's name, Rabbi, if the whole ideology of the observance of Kashruth is not an inner spiritual restraint, then what is it?

I cannot conceive that Rabbi Silver would utter phrases merely for their elecutionary elegance or phraseological suphony alone. I must believe that he believes what he advocates. And if he advocates these principles in principle, why not then in the specifie? Or did I mis-read, or misunderstand, this whole section of the Rabbi's address?

As I said at the cutset, Mr. Editor, I'm puzzled. Could you, or the Rabbi perhaps, shed a little light?

Sincerely yours,

Sam H. Bonohek

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Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver, Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Rabbi Silver:

This letter will introduce Mr. Herman Bruckner, President of Eardware Lodge, Binai B'rith of New York City.

Mr. Bruckner has been very instrumental in formulating and bringing into fruition several projects for Israel which have proved very beneficial.

He is in Cleveland at the present time on a matter concerning a new book written by his wife, Mrs. Leona Bruckner.

Anything that you will be able to do to help Mr. Bruckner would be greatly appreciated by this office.

Many thanks for your cooperation.

Sincerely yours,

OSCAR GOLDSTEIN

Assistant Secretary

OG: ER

POW Generals

WASHINGTON -- There seem to be two schools of thought among the military about Maj. Gen. William F. Dean, now returning from 3 years in a Chinese prison camp. Or

maybe three schools. The General's critics, who admit they know nothing much about the cir-

cumstances of his capture, claim that generals are not supposed to become prisoners of war. They're too valuable. It costs too much in effort and money to turn 'em into

So they're supposed to stay back where it's safe, according to this theory, and direct the proceedings by remore control.

The military men holding to this contention claim that a commanding officer allowing himself to be captured is something like the corporation treasurer who goes into the machine shop and mangles his good right hand. That rains him for signing checks.

These same bystanders also profess to be unhappy about the adulation being given returning prisoners of war in general. Their idea here is that the best soldier usually manages to fight when fighting is in order, to retreat in good time, and return to fight again.

Some Couldn't Avoid It

They are not denouncing all the returning prisoners, of course. The majority of these could not possibly have escaped, no matter how highly trained and alert they may have been. Circumstances simply were against them.

The second and perhaps the larger group WinDeniagenians figure that Gen. Dean was a really brave man, who deserves every medal he receives. They claim that anybody who criticizes him for being captured is as heartless as a Nazi staff officer.

I never met Gen. Dean, but from looking at his photographs and reading all the interviews

By Gilbert Love

By Fred Othman

with him. I'd say that he's an exceedingly gal-

lant soldier, a gentleman and an intelligent

He can't be blamed for the fact that his

eep driver took the wrong fork in an unmarked

road and headed toward the Chinese, instead of

away from them. You can't blame the driver,

Only way to choose road forks in such cir-

That brings us to the third school of opinion

This group of military men claim that an

cumstances is to flip a quarter. Luck was

on Gen. Dean, I guess you'd call it the cynical

occasional general in the front lines, risking his

neck along with other necks not nearly so valu-

able (militarily speaking), is good psychologi-

Their idea is that a general captured cheers

I suppose there's something to this theory,

up the mother of the GI taken captive, and

assures her that her son was asked to take no

which currently is under lively discussion in the

officers' messes hereabouts, but somehow to

me it is unpleasant to think about. Kind of de-

too, and don't need generals in danger to bolster

pleases me. The General has announced in

words more dignified than these, that he has

life with his family and his rose bushes in California. That's fair enough. He's done more for

his country than most of the big brass here arguing about him; even if he just looks at his

roses, instead of spraying 'em, I'm on his side.

He intends to resign from the Army at his earliest opportunity and spend the rest of his

My own feeling is that mothers are brave,

Gen. Dean is returning home with all the honors we can bestow upon him. That still

against him and the General.

cally for the folks back home.

more risks than the boss.

Degrading Idea

Geografun You've been traveling around this summer, probably-or at least looking at maps for one reason or another-so let's see how much you remember about the map of the U. S. A.

Give yourself 10 points for each of the following questions you answer correctly. The answers follow the questions. No prompting, please.

1-In which state is most of Yellowstone Park located? 2-Which state has all of Grand Canyon National Park?

3-Reanoke Island is a part of what state?

4-- Is New Orleans at the mouth of the Mississippi River? 5-Delaware. Maryland and Vir-

through Friday.

would have accepted

immediate death,

rather than face the

precarious future. I

was too confused

and cowardly to kill

Never will I com-

pletely eradicate from

my mind the pale.

frightened face of

the doctor when he

said. "In all the years.

I have been deliver-

ing bables. I have

not seen anything

like this, a monstros-

ity." I was gasping

for breath: I could not

re this burden.

Waited for Son to Disappear

myself.

ginia all have pieces of the peni between Chesapeake and Delaware Bays. Which state has the southern tip of this Delmarva

Toronto or Philly Closer to Us?

6-Which is closer to Pittsburgh... Toronto, Ontario: or Philadelphia, Pa.

7-Pennsylvania is a very mountainous state. Are our mountains the highest in the

Appaiachian chain?

5-1f you drave from Washington, D. C., to Key West, Fla., how much of the trip would be in Florida: 10 per cent, 25 per cent, or 40 per

9-Memphis is in Tennessee. What two

This I Believe ...

Herman E. Bruckner, whose family's unusual

story is told by his wife in the book, "Triumph of

Love," reveals his creed. This is one of a series of

afatements by thinking, useful people in all walks

of life. "This I Believe" appears in this paper

every Saturday and is presented by Edward R.

Murrow over WJAS at 11:95 p. m. Monday

March 7, 1950, my second child, a boy, was

I was terrified, shocked, and desperate. I

born armiess. I shall never forget that night

of horror. It was as though my life came to

son. I wanted him sent to an institution or

placed in a home for adoption. During this

period I could not eat, I could not sleep, I could

I was miserable and tortured by constant

mental strain. Life had no purpose other than

half dozen of those words without referring to a map, credit yourself with a score.

Now for the Answers

Now for the answers to those diabolic questions. Some of them were a little tough, 1-Most of Yellowstone is in the northwest

corner of Wyoming. 2-Northern Arizona is the location of

Grand Canyon Park. 3-Roanoke Island, where Sir Walter Ra-

leigh's colony got lost, is part of North Caro-

4-New Orleans is 107 miles above the mouth of the Mississippi. 5-Virginia governs the lower end of the

Deimarva Peninsula. 6-Philadelphia is closer than Toronto, but by only about 40 highway miles.

7-Pennsylvania's mountains are low ones. While our highest peak is 3213 feet above sea evel, New York mountains go as high as 5314 leet, Virginia's to 5720, and North Carolina's

he highway miles between Washington and

9-Arkansas is just across the Mississippi River from Memphis, and Mississippi is only ten miles south of the city limits.

10-State name abbreviations that make words are: Wash., Ore., Ark., Ill., Miss., Me., Hass., La. and Neb. I looked up those last two. La is one of the sounds that singers doubt may what an adminate when they're running the scale, and is said splenoff these that so = perfectly good word. Neb is a nose or nted object.

names you could very well include Pa., Cal., Mont., Tex., Minn. and Mo.

If you wanted to throw in slang and nick-

a for a number of persons here at The Press. They averaged 6 state names spell words. If you can name a -ut of 10-or 60 per cent-correct.

By Herman E. Bruckner

New York Salesman

waiting for my son to completely disappear from my memory. Brief moments of peace of mind came to me

only from pleading prayers. I begged GOD to please show me the right way. I kept saying over and over. "Why do I love my daughter and not my son?" I do not believe that at any time did I lose faith in HIM. God must have been watching me, and

waiting to see if I was ready to accept this great challenge. He sent me to my son. I love him; I am proud of him; I now want to show him off to the entire world, because I am ais father. The good LORD seems to have lighted a spark in me which hastens me on to help the worried and afflicted, just as he has blessed my

Not Afreid of Son's Future

I know I am now strong, aggressive, and desire to undertake tasks perhaps others would hesitate to attempt. Am I afraid of my son's future? No. However, in my heart, I feel there must be a way I can bring comfort and strength to other disabled.

I am anxious to be associated with honest programs of developing better understanding of the handicapped. I am proud to say I am presently trying to spread this gospel in behalf of the Institute for the Crippled and Disabled. No one asked me to lend my support to this urgent need. It is something I want to do, and I am doing it.

I believe my real purpose on this earth is to fry to help those who can not help themselves. I am determined to attempt an allout campaign in behalf of the crippled which will

make their lives worth living. With the grace of GOD, I pray HE keeps this burning spirit within me alive, and guides me in this chosen task. For this privilege, I

am indeed grateful and say, "Thank you almighty God."

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SECTION TWO





HOW RUSSIAN WOMEN do the heaviest work is shown in these pic-(1) Construction workers are a far cry fashion-wise from their sister (2) modeling today's Russian fashions, but they're sisters under the

skin. (3) This girl sailbr isn't afraid of rope hands and (4) the Russian version of the milkmoid.

How the Women Live--and Work--in Russia

Most of Them Are Squat, Chunky

MOSCOW, Sept. 5—(Uncensored)—Soviet Russia Shoes are 150 to 500 routies to see an occasional woman with ters who do not go to work, today is a woman's country. In a sense perhaps the only and very heavy, clumsy, and lightly varnished nails digging which is quite a revolution for woman's country in the world. For Russian women stand poor in quality they are. I have in the streets. in absolute equality with men.

8-Florida would account for 40 per cent of children-an extra to which peasants of the most depressed judging from the fact that there kind. They were rough, chill of state-made nylon. are many families of ten and clother selected mainly for darahealthy vicor. Needed for Industry

the same wages as men.

Our ardent feminists will no

Do Heaviest Work

For example, the women of The women needed for industry Stussia do not merely do the light and decorative jobs or hold. administrative posts that demand labor hard in order to keep special qualities.

They do the heaviest work as

They not only sweep the roads, but they make them, digging, drilling, trenching, and wheeling heavy barrows Russia, they work a full eighthour day, with one break of six days a week. .

about in burrows, and manning The crowds in the clothes Diplommts to the End the cranes just as men do. shops are great. You have to

nd as far as I could see, run pever seem to shrink. cow's excellent subway.

Unfemining Women

One gathers the impression women are slinky, dark-eyed is poor. alluring and passionate.

The present generation of Rus think it is wonderful. stars is certainly not like that at all.

There are few slim figures. to be seen. Most of them tend to be squat, chunky, fat and expensively bosomy.

Life has been very hard for

Tackle Same Heavy Jobs as Men; girl 250 roubles, which is slight-the attractive holders familiar to So the family endbavors to

By JOHN GORDON, London Express Service World Copyright 600 roubles.

MOSCOW, Sept. 5-(Uncensored)-Soviet Russia Shoes are 130 to 300 roubles to be used a little, and it is odd There are now even daugh-

They do the same work as men sometimes even their mothers, women. plus the extra job of bearing were little better than serfs and

And of course they are paid

Our andest feminists will be of the country was of your and the any area of the country was of your and the appearances. I am organized their fact to the country was a pening that an admirate and appearance to the country was a pening that any have consider and appearance that may have consider that may have that may have

tremendous strain and loss. were swept off to the Urals or the remote heart of Asia to their country strong. They ceased to be witten except that they bore children.

Peace brought them back to the towns again. But still the labor and the austerity had to continue to repair the ravages about. Like all people in of war and speed up the construction of the new Russia.

45 minutes for a mid-day meal, months has the austerity been rouble for a small box, and lip- in the most attractive part of son. I am told, is still in the all eased. Now those things dear to sticks, very small and without the country. They seem to me to do most the hearts of all women are of the housebuilding as well coming into the shops. Already laying the bricks, wheeling them you can see the effects of it.

They tend the parks, lay out fight your way into the shops, the flower beds, drive train and fight your way to the engines, pilot passenger planes, counters through throngs that

Quality Low, Prices High

When you get there, a very from romantic novels written by limited choice of goods is yours non-Russians that Russian The style and cut of the dresses The quality of the materials

out since the revolution sweet Moscow is pathetically poor by lie of Korea, is a relieved man today, the countesses away. So far as Western standards, though Rusremember they were all sian girls who have never known Rhee gave to President Elsenanything so good in their lives, hower. Mr. Briggs had been member the last time I saw Dr. and the poor, dear beers migh With no fashion guides to

help them they have to feel their way forward to feminine attractiveness By instinct. And there are signs that instinct is beginning to work.

For the first time they are By and large they are the most starting to make their own close friends. unfiminine women I have ever dresses. The shops are now full of summer cotions and prints by Mr. Eriggs them. Their grandmothers, and signs seem crude, already one his best State can see in seem of the home. Department made dresses worn by the young. smile. Outer girls the first little original wardly he was iches of reperiment from delighted in which chie will come.

Few girls appear to have more to accept the bears. But prices are very high. than one change of clothes, a than one change of coolies, a lit is, he figured there is nothing lies. No. One also formed a light summer dress and a suit.

worse. The popular style at the poment is the Bog Jacket, with heavily padded shoulders for comment, which was just as smart man, too, and short skirts. Too often the well. She was busy cookingpacket fits merely where it the entire staff walked out when

A very poor-cryle cotton frock The whole thing started last was seen fleeing down halls and ests the equivalent of \$65 in winter when President Rhee bacricading himself in the presithe shops. But such a price com- went to his villa in Chinhae to deutial mop closet. parison is an untair one because rest. The Korean secret service. Whatever was the truth, Minthe Russian go-ernment insists an alert catfit, captured a couple ister Pyun took off for Washingagon a valuation rate for the of subvensive bears which had too and important conferences rouble which is at least six times been raiding the Rhee hen house. In Washington they keep bears

does normal heavy work is about fed and setted them. posities a mont a. A light sum- cubs grow up.

ly less than half a month's us from one to ten roubles. wages. A suit would cost 500 to Middle Class Rising

never seen such badly shod

roubles for slockings - again corrings, there was none of the of a heavy and poor quality better accessories and lapel jewelry that I cannot say. Neither could

be a trying job. A set and trim them is three to five roubles.

The leastly shops are exgirls. By all accounts, some of the lotims, creatos, scents, and soaps all very good.

Nail varnish is just beginning home.

did not see half a dozen wemen in Russia wearing neck-A Russian girl pays 20 to 20 lases, and though a few wear What happens in the top gradi little decorative accessories like of all?

att anderun, of course, are just seem to wear wedding rings.

Increasing to develop in Russia.

There is an increasing ten that surrounds life in the Kren. The hairdressing shops are dency among married women lin, and the country darbus ?

rather austere salohs. You see even inherit it. So the children wives. If they go into the shops the whole works through the of these families start on a to the theater or to the more open windows as you walk along middle-class basis. Social stand, exclusive hairdressing salons. the street. A permanent costs 23 ing becomes important, because they go unknown. rosables, and it seems to me to it insures the right future for lit is indeed not even generally known whether some off

Right School Important

tremely well-patronized by the right people, the children can the wives when the susbandsges to the right school. It is now die is equally a mysthry. I have tried to find out what school in Russia. For from the has happened to Stallij's widow Face mowder, still not very right school the son stands more and daughter, though without Only within the last few extensively used, costs half a chance of getting the right job the slightest success. But his

'Vell, anyway, he did sniff me

"This ought to be pretty

Later I heard directly from the

Took Off for U. S.

But I don't believe those re-

in a thoroughly alarming fash-

thinking out loud:

side, but tender,"

cultivate the state-directors so cially. It's just like being at

Eussia, and does not seem to square with the alligiris-areequal theory.

When the revolution came, packed to country daches a dency among married women lin, and the country daches a chication and the december of monitor till large at right. You the heginning of a great social for relaxation in areas strict.

the leading figures in the government are married and have If Mama and Daddy know the families. And what happens to

Rhee's Gift Bears to Ike Gone

Culis Make Mistake of Growing Up So Briggs Puts Them in Hibernation

By JDI LUCAS, Scripps Foward Staff Writer

SEOUL, Korea, Sept. 5-The Honorable Ellis O. Briggs, United was everwhelmed, But_sadly, he Perhaps that type has gone and dresses on sale even in States ambassador extraordinary and plenipotentiary to the Repub-simply couldn't take them back

He get rid of the bears. Those two bears President Syngman

Kliee. keeping them in his house. Bear No. 1-I never did inquire "I've sever and about their names-took a disbeen carght turbing interest in me. He sam-

in a stuation like this," Mr. Briggs told But outward-

occupied. He was right. I know Mr. Lucus the name of the President and that bear took a genuine fancy of the people of the United States to me. presidential scullery maids that

The world situation being what Bad as the sresses are, the stillored suits are infinitely evil-temptred bears.

Mrs. Briggs was not available Pyun was not flattered. He's a

the bears came in. ports that the foreign minister

The p-esident was delighted, locked up. He brought the bears, just cubs.

back to least with him. They Mrs. Rice finally and firmly The wage of a woman who were cute little devils. Everyone announced that the bears must gs. She had been such a calm 500 roubles a month; the wages | But everyone seemed to over | person heretofore. of an office girl 600 to 700 look one indisputable fact: Bear anyhow, when Secretary of God and look to hearen .

note dress would cost an office. These aid, anyhow. I well re here recently, Mr. Rhee took him

aside one evening and gave him

the bears for Ike. Credit Mr. Dulles with quieli thinking. He was delighted. He

The baggage compartment is auffecate

with him.

That left the Honoruble Ellis O. Briggs to be the fall guy. What else are amiliassadorsfor?

So yesterday he marches ion. You could almost hear him bravely up to the firesident's house and took custody of those onery critters. He smiles

good stuff. Little on the fat throughout the ceremony, I sure felt sorry for Elli-The interview was most unsat. Briggs. I feel sorry for like, then isflictory. As I left the president Mr. Briggs shipped the bears our

remarked that I had seemed pre-tonight.

Sketche= By BEN BURROUGHS

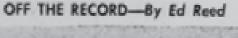
Hest No. One also formed a The Comeback If your luck is rather shaky

, but you have the will to to embrace him every time they try . . . nothing ever will engulf you . . . and I know you will get by . . . when you've failed to conquer trouble . . but you turn not to retreat nothing in the world can stop you . . . and you'll never know defeat . . . ; when the world around you trembles . .

but you cling to whatt is right

greater height . . . it's the will to keep on trying . . . then to try and try again . that will lead you on to victory . . and in faith

Nor do I credit reports that to a joyful happy gien you must take in scride all beartaches . . . you must not lack . . . look to State John Foster Dulles was and you always will come back





"Sure I look over twelve-I worry a lot."



"Administration economists are optimistic about investment opportunities-so if you would spore a dime_>



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Labor Day Traffic

By the time this appears in print, the Labor Day rush will be on. The first part of it left home yesterday, to take advantage of the last long week-end of the summer season. Others will be pulling out today for the parks, the lakes, or just to ride around in the country.

Tomorrow and Monday will be heavy traffic days on the road. The Pennsylvania Turupike is getting set for the rush of the year. Both on the Turnpike and on the other roads of Western Pennsylvania, police will be

The point of these observations is to warn, as forcefully as we can, against any fancy driving, any attempts to make excessive speed, any driving after a few drinks or any driving when you're too sleepy to stay awake. * * *

The hazards of the read are greater now than ever before. Motor registrations are at an all-time peak. There are more cars on the read and more drivers than ever before. Some of these drivers lack experience.

True, we have more roads and more safety precautions. Almost a half-century of motoring has taught us and our public officials a lot of tricks on how to prevent accidents and save lives. By good fortune and hard work, our acrident statistics have not increased in proportion to the increase in traffic.

But the danger still is there and, on weekends like this, it's a danger that points at whole families, all leaded in the same car and out for a happy holiday.

Let's hope that each driver realizes full well the responsibility he holds for the safety of his passengers and his obligation to the other motorists on the road. The safer the holiday, the happier it will be.

Zhukov Eclipse Again?

(From the St. Louis Globe-Democrat)

SOMETIMES the absence of Russian officfals from occasions of accustomed prominence screams the political news of Moscow louder than does the Russian press. In fact much of America's best fore-guessing of Polithuro intentions has come from noting "among those not-

So the speculation may not be profitless concerning the apparent new obscurity of Marshals Georgi K. Zhukov and Alexander M. Vasilevsky. Neither was seen or mentioned in connection with Moscow's recent welcome of the East German Communists' delegation, the Soviet celebrations for the Air Force, the reception honoring the North Korean Government, or the three-day meeting of the Supreme Soviet. Both were made Deputy Defense Ministers following Stalin's death.

But much in evidence was their boss, Defense Minister Nikolai Bulganin, and many other high ranking generals and admirals. In fact it seemed the absences were thus spotlighted deliberately. The conjecture was their personal popularity might be considered by Premier Malenkov a threat to his dictatorship. Russia's ruling Communist clique is traditionally apprehensive of possession of undue power by the military.

For Zhukov particularly it would signify the precarious lot of national military heroes. Having halted, in World War II, the German armies in front of Moscow, subsequently marching his men into Berlin, he is a sort of Russian Eisenhower. After the war he was second in popularity only to Stalin.

Stalin did not like rivals and sent Zhukov to the Ukraine to command the Odessa garrison. It bore the earmarks of political "expediency," although later there were rumors it was not a banishment but a planned concealment to cover up Zhukov's assignment to a secret research or military project.

In either event, when Stalin died, Malenkov knew he needed army support to stay in office and recalled Zhukov as First Deputy Defense Minister. Bulganin, put in top spot, is a good politician but never had Zhukov's personal following. Hence Malenkov may now consider his own position so well solidified it is safe for him to get rid of an inherent threat. It will be interesting to note in what connection, if any, Zhukov's name comes up during the treason trial of secret police boss Lavrenti P. Beria, the former Interior Minister who was purged.

Homecoming

30 many bigwig Democrats are announcing they won't go to Chicago for Adlai Stevenson's jamboree, he may have to take his show on the road to get a welcome-home.

NEUTRALIZING MANEUVER



-Jensey in The Chicago Switz Nove.

Bob Toth Returns

THE long fight to get Bob Toth back from Kerea has ended successfully. A U. S. Court has ruled that the Air Force exceeded its powers when it took Toth away from his job in Pittsburgh and proposed to try him in a military court for the alleged murder of a

So, once again, the Constitution has been upheld and its provisions applied to protect the individual against an unauthorized use of

The Toth case isn't over, however. There still are some angles to be determined. What has been won, subject to review by the higher courts, is simply a finding that the military can't shanghai a veteran back into service for purposes of a court martial. * * *

Bob Toth served in the Air Force in Korea and was honorably discharged. He came home, got a job and settled down with his family to his civilian life.

Then the Air Force stepped in to take him back to Korea, and it is this action which has been ruled against by the courts. This case did not concern the crime which was charged against Toth by the Air Force. It had to do only with the rights of a civilian as against the power of the military.

The Air Force based its action on a law recently passed by Congress which gives the. military authority to try an ex-serviceman for serious crimes allegedly committed white he was under military jurisdiction.

Mr. Toth's lawyers contended that the legal provision cited by the Air Force is unconstitutional. And thus far, the courts have agreed with them.

What new?

A civilian court obviously could not try a man accused of a military offense in a foreign country. The only recourse is a military trial, But before a civilian is subjected to such a trial, the military should be compelled to establish its jurisdiction in a civilian court.

If the law emits to provide for that precess, then it is a law entirely out of line with the fundamental institutions on which this country was founded and built, therefore unconstitutional, and no law at all,

Any statute which gives the military exclusive and arbitrary authority over a civilianregardless of the cause-is foreign to our whole concept of justice. It directly bisects the American principle that civil power is paramount to the military-and on this basis its danger potential is alarmingly high.

The King's English

WHEN a young lady from Peoria or Dubuque is sent to one of the expensive colleges in the East, she absorbs among other things an accent that sounds strange to the folks back home. It sounds strange to everyone else, too, except other young ladies who go to such colleges. But parents have long endured it in the belief that daughter sooks like New England aristocrats and hence had acquired culture.

New Englanders themselves, never ones to pass up a good thing, have encouraged this illusion. It enables all Yankees who travel in the hinterlands to pose as aristocrats, despite the fact that practically all New Englanders speak with a broad "A", and a Boston sockhand or a Rhode Island clamdigger is quite as likely to drop the "r" in a word as the most elegant banker.

A Cornell professor, C. K. Thomas, now has come up with what should be the final debunking of this notion. He learned through painstaking research that the "broad A" type of speech originated among the lower classes. in London, and was brought to America by New England businessmen who had commercial dealings with the Cockneys of that day.

* * * New England speech is distinctive and not unpleasant. But there are those who like the accent of the region around Charleston, S. C., and can carry on a conversation with a native of those parts without an interpreter.

The experts say that in 100 years or so, because of intermingling and the influence of radio and television, Americans will all speak alike in a slightly softened modification of the English now spoken in the Midwest. In the meantime, thanks to the professor from Cornell, we can be assured that whatever our accent, it does not mark us as a savage, and that it is perfectly all right to call a "caoaw" a

Oil City Advertises

(From the Memphis Commercial Appeal) A LADY from Dallas, Tex., recently found a parking ticket on her car in Oil City, Pa. When she went to the city hall to pay the dime fine, she hit the jackpot. Mayor William Morch presented the lady, Mrs. Alden Gannett, with a quart of oil, a registered key case and an ash tray. This, he explained, was routine in the case of any out-of-town motorist who volun-

tarily paid off on a traffic ticket. Next the mayor gave Mrs. Gannett a rose corsage, a bottle of perfume, a metal shoe rack, an electric hand lantern, a five-pound box of candy, three pairs of nyions, a set of crystal glassware, an aluminum tray and a book,

The big pay-off was because the lady was the 1000th stranger to come in and settle up. It is certainly an illustration of the fact that honesty is the best policy, as well as extraordinarily smart advertising on the part of

Most cities, towns and states could profitably take a leaf from Oil City's book. Nothing makes a finer impression on motorists away from home than some such courtesy as that here noted. The impression lingers, too, and is told and retold over the years.

UNIONS

Labor Law Changes Expected

By PETER EDSON

WASHINGTON-Labor Day inds representatives of both e well up in



Sear. President Elsenhower's sage on lasion is supposed to be in final

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their rela-

tions with the Govern-

eraft form some time in late. The early draft of the President's labor statement which Baked out a month ago had to

He pulled back in a hurry for aurther revision. Listing some 15 proposed shanges in the Taft-Hartley Law, it still did not go far

enough to suit the labor union But it scared the daylights out of U. S. Chamber of Commerce because it made many

concessions to the unions. President Eisenhower is on something of a spot with regard to labor law revision. He promised it in his campaign

After inauguration, he created a labor-management-pub-Ilc commission to study the squestion. It broke up after one meeting in which the conferees sould not even agree on what

Foces Death

To fill this void, Secretary of Labor Martin P. Durkin has been working with two White House counsels, Bernard M. Shanley and Gerald D. Morgan. Mr. Morgan was one of the drafters of the original legislation that turned out to be the Taft-Hartley Law.

The President's new message on amending the Taft-Hartley Law therefore seems doomed to the same fate that has met every other proposal along this line-Democratic or Republican.

Labor union extremists want the law killed outright, Management extremists want the law let alone or made even

To get around this difficulty. Cyrus S. Ching, former head of the Conciliation Service and one of the smartest labor relebeen advocating that an andsprodent commission be allowed to try its hand at a complete overhaul of all labor laws.

Kept Out

As a suggestion, the commis sion might have three senators, three representatives and six outsiders appointed by the President. Members of both the labor unions and the National Assn. of Manufacturers would be kept off this commis-

Employes and employers might scream that this was legislation without representa-

But the fact that it was the spokesmen for these two groups who upset President Elsenhower's conference earlier this year is cited as evidence that they have no place on a commission to study complete revision of the labor laws.

In addition to many conflicting state laws, there are the Federal Fair Labor Standards Act, the Davis-Bacon Prevailing Wage Act, the Walsh-Healy Public Contracts Act, the Railway Labor Act and

Several new labor practices such as pensions, cost-of-living escalator clauses and automatic productivity increases have been introduced since Taft-Hartley became law,

Questions on whether these practices should be legally meognized have arisen. Whether automatic cost of living increases can be made compati-He with rigid economic strois in time of war is de-Batable.

Even the Railway Labor Act. which was considered model Egislation at the time of its passage, has shown signs of ng apart at the seams during recent rail wage disputch-

A WOMAN'S VIEW

antiques. The beautiful old

things are snapped up as soon

For this reason, it's sad to

Bear a woman say, "I don't

Inow why I hang on to that

eld compote of Grandma's.

"he children don't care for

such things these days. They

want the newest in everything.

so I guess after I'm gone it

It probably will, too, unless

some person in the family has

the discrimination to see that

Let's not sniff at the "save

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never wanting to dispose of

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have antiques because

will end in the trush can."

I is worth saving.

as they are offered for sale.

Cherish Old Things

By MRS. WALTER FERGUSO I

MOST up-to-date women love to old bits of household stuff

Which she loved.

its inventive genius.

and the oldiplace.

to one's children.

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Item: Teacher Takes Higher-Paid Truck Job

OF COURSE

I CAN READ ---

I USED TO BE A

SCHOOLTEACHER

and then the residents of reserves the right to condense Pennsylvania cross the line or reject any letter. and buy it back at 17 cents the best educational and huper quart or 55 cents per galman interest material had her the inclination to pursue the-

This is the same milk that, subject beyond his "newsworthy" world. when produced in Pennsyl-Fires, mites, ticks and revania and bought here, in lated organisms may seem in- . priced at 25 cents per quart or significant to your staff writer... but they have not always been.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Every day thousands of gal-

Pennsylvania milk is sold to

Chio dairies, processed, bottled.

This is proof that the Pyno-

sylvania Milk Control Com-

We should abolish the milk

those patriots who clamor for

free enterprise and keeping

business free from government

The Republican Party in

Pennsylvania is surely writing

its death warrant-and fast.

They do not know it yet, but

the people will stand just so

FRANK L. BOGART

much pushing around.

Glenburn Drive

Urges Respect

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ectors and donors, as well as

Unfortunately, he chose

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tially could provide some of

It seems to me that a genera-

tion that creates no antiques

will be a sterile one, despite

Our living space is limited.

Young married couples haven't

the room to get in their wed-

ding presents, to say nothing

of relics lest by grandparents.

And as this condition gets

worse, the value of antiques

will rise. For deep within us is

a yearning for the old ways

Antiques exist because some

perfectionist with creative im-

agination made them. They

were preserved by people who

bended them with loving care.

forever," said an English poet.

So anything of beauty should

be cherished and handed down

"A thing of beauty is a Joy

those of the Museum itself.

For Fleas

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mission is a farce.

For example, certain fleam and lice are involved in the transmission of plague and 15 phus. It is obviously imporfault to know which of the thirty kinds of fleas and lice-

are responsible and how they may be controlled. There are other diseases. not epidemic at this time, but which could become so, and for which controls are waiting. Methods of transmission are not always known.

If a robin or a field mouseshould become a reservoir for such a disease, I venture toguess that you would be interested in knowing what mites and fleas any lice parasitized. these anima's, and whether they might transmit the discase to you.

At least you might feel more secure if yourwere aware that. the Public H-alth Service had the information necessary toprotect you.

D. P. SNYDER Gibsonia, Pa-

Sympathy For Ike

Editor, The Pittsburgh Press: Editor, The Pilisburgh Press: It appears that one of your

May I see my condolences: staff writers had considerable to Marcella Ternezy as a reenjoyment and not a few private laughs in writing "Musult of her letter regarding seum Hopes Folks Get the Itch," in the Aug. 27 issue. At the same time, I wish to-He may understand the place

extend my crepest sympathy: and purpose of a museum, but no evidence is seen in the to all others who thought. President Eisenhower had a. In the "hot off the mimeomagic wand and, the day after graph" green and pink releases at his disposal were listed some taking over, would be able towave it and mumble a few 20 accessions. From these he picked a few which he may words and-presto!-a comhave known were important plete change from the set-upto the Museum and possibly to in Washington that the Democrats had tween 20 years to-Nevertheliss, he succeeded build up. in making out as somewhat

Of course, all of us have a childish wish for magic. But: we have to frow up too and learn this world is not run bymagic.

If our country is to become better, we must all delve beneath the surface and find out:

Republicans Called to Answer For Milk Commission 'Farce'

what is underneath. Our hon-

est basic beliefs are there but

they have been snowed under, Now, my sympathy goes to President Eisenhower, who is trying to put this U.S. back on a firm, even keel and who rectives so much criticism.

AGNES M. NICHOLS

Hilands Place

Editor, The Pittsburgh Press: Recently, Robert Mauch of Tulsa. Okla., wrote regarding a traffic experience in Pitts-

burgh. Two years ago, my family toured New England. While going through Vermont, we stopped at Montpeller.

As we pulled to the curb and parking meter, out of nowhere a policeman appeared, greeted us with a friendly "good morning," and put a "welcome to Montpelier" sign on our car.

He told us there would be no meter charge for parking since we were out-of-state visi-

I also remember a few years back when we went West and stopped at a bank in Tulsa to cash a check. The teller greeted us like long-lost friends. Everywhere along the way we were given courteous treat-

Mr. Mauch realized he was a few minutes over-parked. Why couldn't that policeman have extended some Pittsburgh courteny and allowed that family

to drive away with a good feeling for Pittsburgh? But no, some policeman had to show his authority and Pittsburgh has another black

mark against it. If police in other cities can be courteous, why can't ours?

H. L. MADDEN East Street

Bus Ride For a Nickel

Editor, The Pittsburgh Press: While vacationing in the South, I could not help but think of our Pittsburgh transportation fares, and how many articles I've seen in the papers.

about them, when I saw this

"Shoppers Bus Stop -Cents." This was in the heart of downtown Dallas, Tex., and the hours were 9 a. m. to 4

This was too good to keep to myself-such a contrast to the Pittsburgh shopper's fare MRS. C. W. PRESTON

ALL IN A LIFETIME



DEFENSE

Alaskan Defense Is 'Iffy'

By ALBERT M. COLEGROVE

Scripps-Howard Staff Writer ANCHORAGE, Alaska - II global war should come to-morrow, all Alaska seems destined to be- su come a no

man's land which neither side There's been much talk about the early battles of any future war being

fought in our far Mr. Colegrove northern territory. The facts disprove such talk.

The mere presence of A ground army-either ours or Russia's - in Alaska vould not greatly threaten either na-

A Russian army, or an American army, in Alaska still would be many hundrens of miles from the enemy seems Furthermore, any army is

Alaska-if it could even land there under air bombarument. - would be a sitting dusk for enemy planes only a few hours' flight away.

Any aizable ground ma-neuvers would be sulcide. So why try to put an army there at all?

Alaska's potential value to Russia - er us - is that of a place from which atom bombers and hydrogen Bombers can fly to blast the enemy

Useless

But it is common knowledge that there are few air bases in Alaska big enough in accommodate bomoer fleets,

Let either side knock out this handful of usable air strips and Alaska would become all but uscless for military airmen.

If Russia makes war on us, she almost certainly will try to bomb our Alaslan air fields into rubble within a few hours - probably at the same time she sends bombers to strike at our cities.

If Russia succeeds in erasing our Alaskan air felds, then the territory's most likely role would be that of a no man's land.

Can Russia do it? All the signs say-yes. Yes-if war should come tomorrow

Maj. Gen. George R. Acheson our Air Commander in Alaska. He is officially hopeful that we can leep our bases there intact long enough to launch retaliation raids against Russia in event of war.

But he does not give the impression of great confidence. We expect the Russians to try to hit us at tny time they strike at the smtes," General Acheson told this reporter. He added candidly: "They'd be fools if they didh't."

Fences Built

"We have our air warning radar 'fence' pretty well built along North and West Alaska," General Accesson said. "It it from those elections that the bombers legically would

General Aches-n pointed out:

"Of course, we have other

means - which I can't talk about-by which we hope to get warning of a Russian at-Presumably. Be mean our

intelligence men - our spy system-and our routins air patrols. After we got the warning.

we'd still need the fighter planes and untilaircraft guins to stop the invading bombers. What about our anti-aircraft defenses in Alaska? Most of the facts about sur AA veapons are secret. But no matter how good they may be, balance that against this fact:

times have freely admitted that the most modern air defense systems cannot keep more than four enemy bombers out of 10 from reaching their target arens. Thus, Alaska n war seems

Our military leaders many

due for no man's land status, at least in the sonflict's early

Victor es In Peace

BY GEORGE MATTHEW ADAMS OFTEN that flumous purase comes to our mind: "Peace

hath her victories no less than War. It took great courage to conquer this western world, to build it under great difficulties, to face failure time and again,

and yet finally to conquer. To conquer orn's own spirit is no small task... There are conquerors in nature. Through storms and cold, birds and animals face

hardships that are unbeliev-

Jesus was a conqueror, even upon the cross. In foret-fling His death. He said: "I, iff I be lifted up from the earth will draw all men umo me."

For 2000 years He has been the inspiration of all mankind. In His prourrection He gave a new birth to us all as an example. "P-ace hath her arictories.

Jan. 4. 1954 Rabbi A. H. Silver Alud bullotin The Temple ansel Rd. + C. 105 St Cleveland. O. Dear Rabbi: Would it be possible to obtain a copy of the speech you made to the members of the city club on December 12 th? Very buly yours Ruth & Lusting (Mes Philip) 173? Cumbelland Rd. Chaeland Neighto 18. O.

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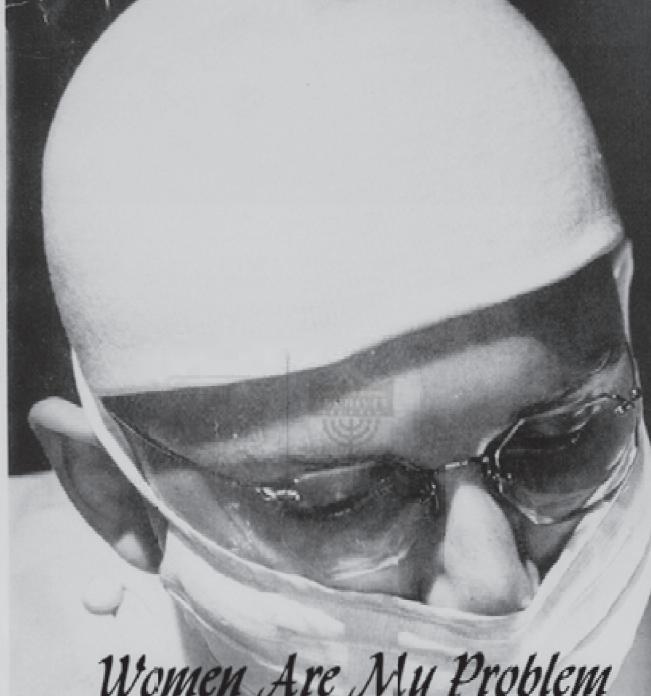
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January 7, 1954 Dr. Jacob L. Bubis 2010 East 102nd Street Cleveland, Ohio My dear Dr. Bubis: I did not have the good fortune to find time to read your book which you graciously sent me until this last week. I want to tell you that I was delighted with it. It is full of interest, even for a layman, and it is written in a very attractive style. I want to thank you for your thoughtfulness in sending it to me. May I also extend to you my warmest wishes for the New Year. Very cordially yours, ARBA HILLEL SILVER AHS :rms



Women Are My Problem

THE AUTOBIOGRAPHY OF AN OBSTETRICIAN AND GYNECOLOGIST

DR. JACOB L. BUBIS

OMET RESS LOOKS

WOMEN ARE MY PROBLEM

By Dr. J. L. Bubis

This is the autobiography of one of America's outstanding obstetricians and gynecologists. Dr. Bubis's bitter and sometimes personal fight for his ideals and theories has won him a place in medical history. His was an impersonal victory—a victory that belongs to the mothers of the world and for which they will be eternally grateful.

Here is the inside story of the struggle of an idealistic member of a respected profession who, since the turn of the century, has devoted himself to improving the health and bringing an added measure of comfort to his patients. His story of how he overcame the shortsightedness, envy and selfishness on the part of the people who opposed him will be of particular interest to all women as well as doctors.

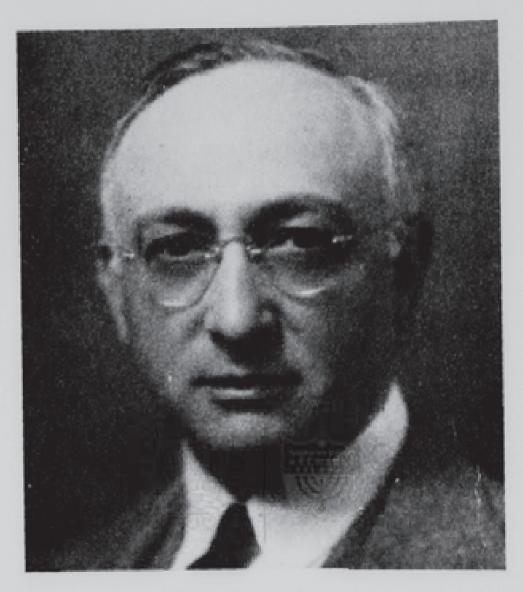
The reader's interest will be captivated by Dr. Bubis, the man. That the touching trust and faith of his patients were rewarded by his loyalty is evidenced by the many nights that he came home so utterly exhausted that (Continued on back flap) he fell asleep in the bathtub . . . the exciting moments, like the time the lights went out during a serious Caesarean operation . . . the many fascinating case histories that reveal important, interesting facts to women . . . all add up to make this a most unusual, moving story of a warm, generous, unselfish man.

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Dr. J. L. Bubis was born in the old Haymarket district of Cleveland, Ohio on July 23rd, 1865. He received his schooling and hospital training in the same city. He has gained international recognition for his pioneer work in obstetrics and gynecology.

From internship in the old Mt. Sinai Hospital, he rose to be Chief of Obstetrics and Gynecology in the new Mt. Sinai Hospital of Cleveland. Since 1949, he had been consultant in that combined department. He has done extensive traveling and writing in his fight for better professional service.

On June 3rd, 1964, he married Etta Finke of New York. She has collaborated with h m in most of his medical writings. They have three married daughters, the eldest of whom, Sylvia, is also an M.D.

January 7, 1954 Dr. Robert Gordis Rockaway Park Hebrew Congregation 445 Beach 135th Street Belle Harbor, L. I., N. Y. My dear Dr. Cordis: Thank you for your letter of December twenty-fourth and for the copy of your new book on The Song of Songs which you sent me and which I enjoyed reading greatly. In our forthcoming Bulletin there will be a motice of the book as well as excepts from your splendid introduction to 1t. With all good wishes, I remain Most cordially yours, ABBA HILLEL SILVER AHStrms



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January 7, 1954

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Dear Babbi Silver;

It was good of you to give me a few minutes, and I will be there at 3:00 p.m. Monday, January 11, 1954.

With very best wishes

Sincerely,

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Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
105th & Ansel Road
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Dear Dr. Silver:

One of the compensations for being hospitalized was getting your lovely letter and the warm and affectionate greetings that were conveyed from you and Virginia. It really gave me a lift, and with such good throughts around me, I recovered quite quickly.

I have just returned from two weeks in Florida where the Shapiros made me most welcome. Harry picked me up each day at a quarter to six and took me home, where Ethel cooked special dishes for me. Another week of this and I really would have been spoiled.

As it is, I am back at the office and will be working three or four hours a day for the next week or so while my strength is returning. But I am in quite good shape and all the diagnostic progressications of the specialists prove to be unfounded.

I hope that you both and the children are well and that this New Year will hold for you the fruition of all your fondest hopes.

My love to you and Virginia.

Cordially,

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> January 11th 1954

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver Cong. Tifereth Israel E. 105 Street and Ansel Rd Cleveland 6 Ohio.

Dear Dr. Silver:

I write to tell you how very sorry I am that it will be impossible for me to have the pleasure of hearing you when you speak this Thursday evening at the dinner being given in your honor by the Brookline-Brighton-Newton Zionist District here in Boston.

Several weeks before the date of your dinner was announced, I had promised Dr. Abram Sachar that I would participate in a special Convocation being held that same evening on the campus at Brandeis University. Had I known that was to be the evening of your dinner I would not have accepted, but having already done so it would obviously be improper for me not to follow through.

My inattendence Thursday evening will be my loss but I know the Boston Jewish community has in store for it rich inspiration from you. I hope your brief visit here will be as enjoyable for you as it will be for the Jewish community of this area.

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Very sincerely yours,

Rabbi Roland B. Gittelsohn

January 11, 1954 Dr. S. Baumoel 10515 Carnegie Avenue Cleveland 6, Oldo My dear Dr. Baumoel: Permit me to thank you for your kind note. I was pleased to have been of some service to you even though the occasion was a very sad one. I do not accept any honorariums, and so if you will permit me, I am returning the check to you. I appreciate your sending it to me. With warmest regards and all good wishes in which Mrs. Silver joins me, I remain Most cordially yours, ABBA HIMEL SILVER

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#35 check returned

January 11, 1954 Mr. Ernest Schwartz, President The Cleveland Motion Picture Exhibitors Ass., Inc. 713 Film Building 2108 Payne Avenue Cleveland 11, Ohio My dear Mr. Schwarts: It was indeed very thoughtful of you to send me a season courtesy card to many of Cleveland's motion picture theaters. I need not tell you that I am very appreciative of your kindness. I hope that I shall find time during the year to take adventage of this generosity. With all good wishes, I remain Very cordially yours, ABBA HILLEL SILVER AHS :rms

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Dr. Abba H. Silver The Temple Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Ratbi Silver,

I am writing to say that I have just read one of the greatest addresses that I have ever seen in print, one that has both courage and hope in a measure so rare in our generation. I am referring to your address before the City Club of Cleveland on December 12, to which Harold drew my attention.

I have reported it at length to Zmanim, the new daily newspaper appearing in Jerusalem, whose correspondent in the U.S.A. I now am. This does not mean that I have become a "Progressive" or changed my mind about the fact that this party should not have existed in the first place. However, I did think that a more positive approach than the nihilism of forever-critisism of the Haaretz was needed. Personally I hope to be able to maintain the same record of independent journalism which I have established for myself in the past.

I shall be happy if you would put me on your Temple's mailing list for the "Temple Bulletin" and any other publication with which your name is associated.

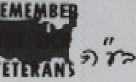
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Dear Laber Silver, The impression you made was magnificent. on our whole community. There were certain element present who perhaps never attended a finist meeting before and were then exposed to the wondrous character of you love of our people and your dedication to Sion. The superb example indulitably

communicated itself to all present; the cool and indifferent were stirred to a warm devotion to Israel;

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WILLIAM B. NORRIS Attorneys - at - Law Netional City E.6th Building Cleveland 14, Ohio January 15, 1954 Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver The Temple East 105th and Ansel Road Cleveland, Ohio Dear Rabbi Silver: I very much appreciated your thinking of me in sending the speech of Ambassador Abba Eban to the United Nations. It is a magnificent effort. He has a beautiful command of the English language - in fact, I kept the speech so long so that my boys could read it over the holiday season. In addition to his sensitive and accurate use of the language, his logic is irrefutable. No legal brief was ever more convincing. I was very much interested to note from recent dispatches that the United States Delegation in the United Nations has supported the position of Israel in this dispute. I have no doubt that Ambassador Eban's statement was largely effective in convincing our Delegation. The Statement and Map are both returned. Thanks again for letting me have them. With warmest greetings,

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Cordially yours,

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I received this morning your beautiful and moving prayer spoken by you at the In. augusation of our Vieridant.

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January 19, 1954 Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Weil 635 Park Avenue New York 21, New York My dear Friends: Thank you for your kind invitation to supper on Tuesday, January twenty-sixth. I regret that I shall be unable to accept as I shall be on a short vacation during the latter part of January. With all good wishes, I remain Most cordially yours, ABBA HILLEL SILVER AHS:rms

January 19, 1954 Mr. David A. Kaufman Halle, Haber, Ferick & McMulty 1090 Union Commerce Building Cleveland 11, Ohio My dear Davids Thank you for your kind note and for the check which you enclosed. I shall place it into The Tomple Museum Fund where I know you and Frances would like to have it placed. It was a joy to me to officiate at your wedding, and both Mrs. Silver and I were delighted to be a part of the happy occasion. We send you and Frances our best wishes. Most cordially yours, ABBA HILLEL SILVER AHSITMS

January 19, 1954

Mr. I. Elchanan Bronstein 104-A Federal Oberlin College Oberlin, Ohio

Dear Mr. Bronstein:

I have referred your letter of January seventh, written to Rabbi Silver, to Rabbi Earl Stone, his assistant. Rabbi Stone served as a chaplain during the last war and would probably be able to help you with your problem.

I would suggest that you telephone Rabbi Stone here at The Temple upon your arrival in Cleveland in order to make an appointment to see him while you will be in town. He will be very happy to meet with you.

Very truly yours,

(Hrs.) Ruth M. Sparrow Secretary to Rabbi Silver

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January 19, 1954 Rabbi Joseph S. Shubow 125 Holland Road Brookline 46, Massachusetts My dear Friend; Thank you for your kind letter and for the elippingswhich you sent me. I enjoyed my visit to Boston greatly, and I particularly enjoyed the opportunity which it afforded me to see you again. With warmest regards and all good wishes, I remain Most cordially yours, ABBA HILLEL SILVER AHS 17mm

Jamiary 19, 1954 Mr. Herbert Fayard Swope 7h5 Fifth Avenue New York, New York My dear Friend: This morning I receive The World Almanac, which you graciously sent to me. I want to thank you for your thoughtfulness. I use the Almarac frequently during the year, as you may well imagine, and every time that I pick up the book I think of you. It was a pleasure to see you at the White House a few weeks ago looking fit and in good spirits. I send you all my good wishes. Very cordially yours, ABBA HILLEL SILVER AHS 17mm

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meanwhile, I would like to find some work here in Jerusalem. I have heard that there might be a place in the Ministry of Trade and Industry and I would appreciate very much if you could send mea letter of introduction to Mr. Bernstein there, or to anyone you think introduction to Mr. Bernstein there, or to anyone you think might be able to help me. I saw Dr. Neuman who gave me are introduction to Mr. Lee Harris of the Palestin Commie Corporation, but the work they have in mind for methere, to sell where in the corporation, would involve a lot of travelling and night work which certainly does not help a successful courtship. I would be deeply grateful for any advice or help in these matters.

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regardo to all

as ever, Danny

Naniel H. Matlan Yo Joseph Bira Shreler - Pinath Tachkemoni, #55 Jerusalem, Larael

January 19, 1954

MF. Everett E. Loeb 3310 Warrensville Center Road, Apt. 306 Shaker Heights 22, Ohio

My dear Everett:

Thank you for your kindness in sending me a copy of the convention booklet of the Tau Tpsilon Rho Law Fraternity, which I was glad to look through. It brought back to me pleasant memories of a beautiful evening which I spent with the leaders of the Fraternity back in 19hs.

With all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

ABBA HILLEL SILVER

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Daniel H. Matlaw To Joseph Bira Theler - Pinath Tachkemoni # 55 Skrusalem, Israel

January 20, 1954

Mrs. Joseph M. Sands 13800 Fairhill Road Shaker Heights, Ohio

My dear Lillian:

Virginia told me the other day and this morning the letter which you sent to The Temple was shown to me about your contribution of \$500 to the Temple Museum for a memorial in memory of your dear father, Louis E. Levy. I want to thank you for your most generous gift. I shall be looking around for some appropriate and beautiful memorial object to be placed in The Temple Museum. Before I make any purchase I shall, of course, get in touch with you.

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

Most cordially yours,

ABBA HILLEL SILVER

AHS :rms

Mrs. Samuel Stillman
Memorial Hospital
hhh Fast Sixt, sighth Street
New York, New York

My dear Mrs. Stillman

From mutual friends I have learned this morning that you have not been well and that you are at Memorial Hospital in New York. I hasten to send you a word of greeting and good wishes in which Virginia joins me most heartily.

I trust that your indisposition will be of short duration and that you will soon recover fully. We have you in our hearts and in our prayers.

Most cordially yours,

ABBA HILLEL SILVER

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Dear Miss,

Following our telephone conversation this mornang I deemed it advisable to convey to you more data and information in reference to the film which I propose to present this coming week end during the NAC Session in your city.

This 16 minute running time film taken by myself on Yom Hoatzmout (Israel Independence Day)4-20-53,
in Haifa, outmodes and surpasses all other Israeli Military Parades taken by me in former years for the following
reasons,

First--the location being Haifa furnished a most beautiful background for this all color film because of the dark blue clear skies, silvery clouds, casting its shadows upon the sparkling Mediterranean Sea, with several hundred thousand spectators spoting from the historic Mount Garmel.

Secondly--with a license as a press photographer granted to me by Moshe Perlman, Israeli Propoganda Minister, gave me the opportunity to select the best location and without police intervention to photograph what I desired at close and distant range.

The film embraces the following military units, Army, Navy, Marines, Anti Air Craft, Tanks, Dogs, Women Corps, Engineer, Artillery, Cavalry, Air(planes in action) at sea with varships(in action) etc. The titles among white lettering upon blue background, the music is of military marches. I am confident that the film will create a phenomenal sensation among the political minded Zionists. Please be sure to explain the program chairman of this affair that my film is not to be compared with just another boring, re-hashed, non color JNF or refugee depressing picture. Have him read the American Zionist issue for reference "first part Sept. 1953" or inquire from Mortimer May, Judge Jos. Goldberg, Dr. Fleisher from Des Moines, who have seen the film at the Waldorf during the ZOA convention.

Kindly convey my best wishes to Dr. and Mrs

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January 21, 195h

Mrs. S. Klein Ferway Hall Hotel Euclid Avenue at 107th Street Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Mrs. Klein:

I am so glad I was able to find you and that you and your relatives may now be re-united, in a sense.

It was very pleasant speaking with you on the phone today. I hope you are in good health.

Very truly yours,

(Mrs.) Ruth M. Sparrow Secretary to Rabbi Silver

> Letter sent from relatives in Jarael Forwarders To Mr. Klein

January 21, 1954

Dr. Morris Mark 660 Michmond Cincinnati, Chio

Dear Dr. Mark:

I spoke with Dr. Fred M. Palkaan here in Cleveland yesterday regarding the showing of your film. He promised that he would speak to the proper people so that this showing would be included in some session of the program. I believe he said it could be shown some time on Sunday and you would be advised of the exact time when you are here.

I was glad to have been able to be of service to you.

Very truly yours,

(Mrs.) Ruth M. Sparrow Secretary to Dr. Silver

LOUIS PILLERSDORF, M. D. 430 OSBORN BUILDING 1020 HURON ROAD CLEVELAND 15, OHIO MAIN 1-1741 January 21, 1954 Rabbi Abba Fillel Silver The Temple Ansel Road and E. 105th St. Cleveland, Ohio Dear Rabbi Silver: During your talk on Sunday, January 17th, on "living with yourself", I was again impressed with your philosophy of the tremendous potentialities inherent in mam and of his responsibility to develop these capabilities to their utmost. The following statement seems to express this in the most succinct manner that I have ever seen in print. found it in Dr. H. A. Overstreet's "Mature Mind", page 34, paragraph 2. Here is the statement: "Man is at his best when he is doing his best at what he can do best" In discussing this subject in the corridor with others after the services, there seems to be an interest in hearing this theme developed in terms of living with others, indicating the need to maintain one's own individuality but also of developing a working relationship with others. This is, of course, most difficult where the emotional factors are strongly concerned, such as in the home in our relationships with the parents, spouses and the children. Very truly yours Tillen Louis Pillersdorf, M. D. LP md

Dear Rubbi Silver

It will seem always to you that a South African should write to you from Comada, but as I hope to open a few York and as I am anxious ofend a few weeks in hew York and as I am anxious to be fay my respects to you. I dought it wice to write to pay my respects to you. I dought it will to write to be.

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Cleveland, Ohio

Nothing made us happier than to follow in the newspapers that Rabbi Miller, no doubt under your guidance, has called all Zionists to involve themselves in Jewish community activities dealing with the promotion of Jewish e ducation and the "furtherance of the Hebrew language and literature."

January 25, 1954.

It is high time that Zionists should take the lead in the promotion of Hebrew language and literature, and expecially of an existing institution in America, like Bitzaron, which for over fifteen years has been dedicating all its efforts to the promotion of Hebrew culture in America.

At the same time it is sad to note how little the 2.0.A. has done to implement such fine intentions. After fifteen years of existence, BITZARON will be compelled to discontinue unless our national leaders will come to our immediate assistance.

May we take the liberty of asking you therefore to please write or a ven telephone to Rabbi Irving Miller and Max Bressler at the Z.O.A. urging them to implement immediately the Z.O.A. resolution to support Bitzaron with \$3,000 annually. (Such a decision was accepted at the last National Convention a half year ago. Yet only \$250 was so far given to Bitzaron on this account.) As you recall, under your administration Bitzaron used to receive \$3,000 annually.

The Bitzaron has always been faithful to the Zionist movement and its objectives as you well know. It now needs your help most critically. We feel confident that you will help us solve this immediate emergency.

With appreciation in advance, and with Zion's Greetings, I am Sincerely yours,

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January 26, 1954

9310 Colesville Road Silver Spring, Maryland

Dear Dr. Dembrow:

In response to your recent note, I regret that we do not make copies of Rabbi Silver's sermons and unfortunately we are unable to supply you with a copy of the lecture titled "Can You Live With Yourself?"

Your interest, however, is deeply appreciated by Rabbi Silver.

Very truly yours,

(Mrs.) Ruth M. Sparrow Secretary to Rabbi Silver

STANLEY WARNER MANAGEMENT CORPORATION 1407 EUCLID AVENUE CLEVELAND 15, OHIO

January 27, 1954

Ratbi A.H. Silver The Temple Ansel Road & E. 105th Street Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Sir:

I am enclosing your season book for 1954 which I have just received from our Pittsburgh office.

I sincerely hope that it's use will help you plan many evenings of enjoyment and entertainment for the coming months.

Cordially yours

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January 28th 1 9 5 4

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver, The Temple East 105th and Ansel Road, Cleveland 6, Ohio.

Dear Rabbi Silver:

Thank you for sending me the City Club address, which I received this morning.

Very truly yours,

S. Z. Baum

SZB/cd

Jun. 29/54. Dear Resti Alder want to thank you for the wonderful clover of held for mother. She who losed and admired Jones tremendously frateful for the understanding The course through you sunf for permitting wale the to say Kaddick one our hear mathers grave I don't believe I have ever wetulesed suntling more generous and under standing. It is only a mon of your stature who would have spare unter week such a gesture meant to one who was so exulled.

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Mrs. Hugo W. Gotham

Dan Silver

January 29, 1951;

To Lear Dans

I hope that you succeeded in refurnishing and reprovisioning yourself after the fire and that your new quarters are fairly comfortable. That was a thoughtful gift which you sent us of the assortment of teas. You know how fond I am of tea and we have been drinking a good deal of the perfectly delicious brews of teas.

This morning at the meeting of the Temple Homen's Association they read four note of acknowledgment of the cookies which they sent you. They were all very delighted to hear from you.

I was in Boston last Thursday for a meeting of the Tionist region there, and I received a most royal welcome. The affair was a very impressive one, the nicest, they said, that they have had in twenty years. I am leaving for a meeting tomorrow called by Covernor McKeldin of Maryland at which an organization of some of the outstanding leaders of America will be formed to counteract, I believe, the Friends of the Middle East organization which has been doing quite a bit of damaging propaganda on the American scene.

The administrative board of the Zionist Organization of America meets this weekend in Cleveland, so that I will probably be busy for the next few days.

Mother and I are leaving for a ten-day vacation in Florida beginning Monday. We shall be stopping at the Sans Souci Hotel in Miami Beach. We both need a little rest and a lot of sunshine. We have both had annoying colds in the last two weeks, but fortunately we are over them.

How are you enjoying your work? Have you been able to carry on any serious study in the midst of your many activities? We hear from Raphael regularly and we spoke to him the other day on his birthday. He is in excellent spirits and he is enjoying his work a great deal.

S. BAUMOEL, M. D. 10515 CARNEGIE AVENUE CLEVELAND 6, OHIO

Dear Jabbi:

Joseph to thank you heartily for the warm. and heartiful service you delivered at the funeral of my dear ivite.

Jappreciated it immensely.

Perpentfully yours,

Disafrical Bassacel



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Bailey Avenue and Coursin Street Telephone 3-0938 McKeesport, Pa.

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Y. C.

Dear Rabbi Silver.

I read parts of your address delivered to the Council of Jewish Federations and Welfare Funds in Cleveland as quoted in the Editors Column of the National Dewish Post.

Jewish Community in america.

complete copy of this address? I would appreciate it immensely.

Respectfully, Joins Mulman

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[] animy lest WILLIAM L. DEMBROW, M. D. Phone: JU. 9-9161 Office Hours: 9319 Colesville Road Silver Spring, Md. By Appointment Only Reg. No. 3437 Refill C-1-2

12800 Farshell Fd. Sheller HS. Dear Rabbe Silver: Dee and I wish to express our appreciation for making our wedding ceremony so memorable. We were very pleased and honored that you were able to officiate.

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1425 Broadway Thew Jork 18, 4.4. Dr. Roba Silver, Kabbi The /surfle East 105% St at auch Kord Clave land 6, Okio Deer Kabbi Dilvers_ Que again we are nearing Passore and I've / taken the liberty of writing you to ascertain whether or not Aplans have been made for the musical service on That day. De remember with a great deal of Strasure my small contribution too years ago in 1952, and would look & preverd Ho returning to the /Euple. Showed you be in thested in having our return of I would be delighted Ho hear from you. They fer serbice Vis 3 do 00 Please give my Friedest regards to Mes. Silver and the Forey bod of health to you. Dincerely yours, Lawrence Spiridson trb. 3, 1954

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MRS. JACOB MATLAW Dear Virgina , alla 3/1954 Know that there is a Trogel Low Coming to ust Our aux Daniel who proceeded directly from As Idischarge from the diny in Hurshuy, Germany to drues, and the very first week he is there neets a " worderful girl and is now engaged, He called us by show from Cemsalen to give us the glad tidings, the were quite Expited, but have received preseguent mail from Jarael ord chaya zeman who entroduced

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so that we can come There -I haven't peen you took for a long time and on really Honesome for you - The pow-Raphael recently, He looks well and happy I, but true to Selver fasker, he dressit like to visith, that as long as he is in new york, we hope to yange to trap them sometimes, What is new about Daniel? - How much longer must be be in service? this way - Hould love to head from your all our lave Kase and rep

February 7, 1954

Sens Souci Hetel Collins Avenue Miami Beach, Florida

Gentlemen:

It seems that Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver, who left your hotel on Friday, February 5 after spending about two weeks there (in Room 408), left his bathrobe on a hook in back of the bathroom door. The letters RDS are embroidered on the pocket. It would be very much appreciated if you would mail this bathrobe to him at your earliest convenience. We are sorry to have to put you to this trouble.

Very truly yours,

(Mrs.) R. Sparrow Secretary to Rabbi Silver

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Marysville, California February 8, 1954

While you were still in Huntington I was tremendously impressed with your genius, and during World War 1 I found what I call the "Psalm of America! Since then I have treasured a copy of this in a frame in my own home. But recently a friend of mine was so delighted with it that he took it with him and asked me to forgive hims - he has it in his office in San Francisco.

Will you please send me another copy, or if you have it in pamphlet form I'll take several - my intention now is to send it to my congressman and Senator Enowland in Washington and to use it in a paper I am to present before the Literary Section of our loos! Toman's Art Club.

I am enclosing my chack for 11.00 to defray expenses and if I owe you more, please send me a bill. It begins

"God Built a continent and filled it with treasures untold."

I know it almost by heart but need the exact wording - It is a thing of music and beauty.

I trust life has been good to you and rewarded your genius. Inasmuch as I hope to receive this before February 22nd, do please return it to me via air mail.

Thanking you in advance for your gracious cooperation I am,

Sincerely yours

Mrs. Josephine Clark.

1315 D Street Marysville, California

Hon. Rabbi Silver, Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Sir:

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February 9, 1954 Mr. Alfred A. Benesch Benesch, Friedlander & Mendelson Citizens Building Cleveland 11, Ohio My dear Al: In reply to your kind note offebruary second, I am in full agreement with you on the undesirablity of another vewish weekly news publication to be issued by the Jewish Community Federation. Such community subsidized and controlled papers create in the Mong run controversy and dissension. Our community has adequate news coverage in the two existing Jewish weeklies, in the numerous publications of organizations and synagogues, and in the daily press. With all good wishes, I remain Very cordially yours, ABBA HILLEL SILVER AHS:rms

February 9, 1954 Mrs. Hugo W. Gotham 2189 Overlook Road Cleveland Heights 6, Ohio My dear Friend: Upon my return from Florida I found your gracious note and your generous gift. In keeping with my custom, I shall place it in a fund which I use from time to time. I am pleased that I was able to be of some service to my good friends of the Wayne family even though the occasion was a sad one. I trust that you are all well. With warmest regards in which Mrs. Silver joins me, I remain Most cordially yours, ABBA HILLEL SILVER AHS 17ms

Cleveland Ohio February 9,1954

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver 19810 Shaker Blvd. Shaker Heights Ohio

Dear Rabbi Silver;

For over two years I have been engaged in what up to now seems a vain effort to bring my only remaining relatives from Europe to this country, all others some 41 persons died in the German gas chambers.

Perhaps you or someone in your compression can successfully accomplish the seemingly impossible, as you are undoubtedly aquainted with the new Nationality and Immigration Act usually known as the Mc Carran Act, this act contains a provision allowing 50% of a countrys quota to be allocated to persons who because of their high education or other qualifications would be of use to the United States, these persons are being given preferential status in emigration.

A; though the act specifies that such petition may be filed by anyone individual, it is impossible to do so because of the requirement that the petitioner submit written proof that such persons as are being imported are not available here.

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Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver Shaker Hts. Ohio

The relatives I am seeking your intervention for are my uncle and his family a total of five persons. I have and as did Mr.Leonard Rattner submitted Affidavits of Support in their behalf, but we are informed by the U.S.Consulate that these affidavits are of no value as far as putting them on the preferential status is concerned.

Those papers will only come under consideration if and when their turn comes through the quota or someone files the necessary petitoon for them.

I am certain, Rebbi Silver, that your appeal to your congregation in this matter will not be ignored.

I wish to assume anyone who is in sposition to help that it will require no outlay of any funds of their own, I will personally garanteesny needed amount. Although I am not wealthy or even well to do, being a government employee and a minor one at that, I am nevertheless willing to make any secrifics in order to bring them here.

11607 Castlewood Ave. Cleveland 8 Ohio Sigmund Weintreub

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver Shaker Hts.Ohio

Their Names and ages and professions are:

MOSES A.LORBER	April 30,1891	Architect & Engineer, Professor University of Tecnology Zagreb, Yugoslavia. Born in Poland Major, Royal Enginners Austrian Army World War I
ROZALIE LORBER	January 1,1894	Housewife, formerly schoolteacher Born in Poland
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Oskar Lorber	August 25,1929	Architect & Engineer Sorn in Zagreb Yugoslavia
Teodor Lorber	February 3,1960	Minor, attends school. Born in Zegrab Yugoslavia

They have been living in Yugoslavia since 1921.

PETITION FOR CLASSIFICATION OF QUOTA IMMIGRANT FOR ALIEN WHOSE SERVICES ARE NEEDED URGENTLY IN THE UNITED STATES

NOTE.—This form is for use by a person, institution, firm, organization, or governmental agency for whom the services are to be performed, and who is seeking the classification of quota immigrant (under section 204(b) of the Immigration and Nationality Act) for an alien whose services are needed urganity in the United States. Attach the required remittance. (See instructions.)

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INSTRUCTIONS

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- 1. ALIENS ELIGIBLE TO CLASSIFICATION.—Under section 203 (a) (1) (A) of the Immigration and Nationality Act, "Immigrant visas to quota immigrants shall be allotted in each fiscal year as follows: (1) The first 50 per centum of the quota of each quota area for such year, plus any portion of such quota not required for the issuance of immigrant visas to the classes specified in paragraphs (2) and (3), shall be made available for the issuance of immigrant visas (A) to qualified quota immigrants whose services are determined by the Attorney General to be needed urgently in the United States because of the high education, technical training, specialized experience, or exceptional ability of such immigrants and to be substantially beneficial prospectively to the national economy, cultural interests, or welfare of the United States."
- 2. PREPARATION OF FORM.—This form must be typewritten or printed legibly with pen and ink, and submitted in duplicate to the office of the Immigration and Naturalization Service having jurisdiction over the place where the beneficiary is to be employed. (See list of Application Receiving Offices on reverse side.)
- 3. EXECUTION OF FORM.—This petition must be made under oath. It may be sworn to before an officer of the Immigration and Naturalization Service, without payment of notarial fee, or before a notary public or other officer authorized to administer oaths for general purposes; in such cases the official seal or certificate of authority to administer oaths must be affixed. If this petition is executed outside the United States it must be sworn to before a consular officer of the United States.

When this petition is filed by an agent or representative of an institution, firm, organization, or governmental agency, there must be attached evidence showing that the official executing this petition is the properly authorized representative of such institution, firm, organization, or governmental agency.

- 4. DOCUMENTS TO BE ATTACHED.-The following documents shall be attached to and made a part of the petition:
- (1) One copy of a clearance order bearing a statement, from the United States Employment Service, that qualified persons are not available within the United States to perform the work, labor, or services which are to be performed by the beneficiary. The clearance card issued by the Employment Service of the Territory of Guam shall be accepted in lieu of that issued by the United States Employment Service in connection with a petition to import laborers for employment in Guam.
- (2) The petitioner shall attach to the petition affidavits of persons having special knowledge or information in the field of work, labor, or services which the beneficiary is to perform, showing the approximate length of time required for a person to become skilled or proficient in the performance of such work, labor, or services.
- (3) The petitioner shall attach to the petition, as a part thereof, a statement of efforts made by him or on his behalf to secure persons in the United States to perform the work, labor or services to be performed by the beneficiary, including clippings of advertisements placed in newspapers, trade journals, professional and similar publications in the field of such work, labor, or services and copies of all correspondence, reports, replies, and responses received or obtained as a result of such advertisement. If no reply, response, or report was received, the petitioner should so indicate.
- (4) The petitioner shall attach to the petition, as a part thereof, a statement setting forth a full, complete, and detailed analysis establishing in what manner the services of the benefic ary will be substantially beneficial prospectively to the national economy, cultural interests, or welfare of the United States.
- (5) The petitioner shall attach to the petition, as a part thereof, a full, complete, and detailed description of the high education, technical training, specialized experience, or exceptional ability of the beneficiary on the basis of which the beneficiary's services are alleged to be urgently required in the United States. Allegations of high education or technical training shall be supported by original, certified, or photographic copies of diplomas, school certificates, or equivalent documents or affidavits attesting to such education or technical training executed by the person in charge of the records of the educational er other institution, firm, or establishment wherein such education or training was acquired, improved, or effected. Allegations of specialized experience or exceptional ability shall be supported by affidavits attesting to and describing the degree and extent of special experience or ability, executed by the appropriate officer of the firms, organizations, establishments, or other institutions wherein the beneficiary acquired, improved, or perfected such experience or ability.
- 5. FEE.—A fee of ten dollars (\$10) for each beneficiary must accompany this petition. Remittances should be made payable to the "Treasurer of the United States." If residing in the Virgin Islands, remittances should be drawn in favor of the "Commissioner of Finance of the Virgin Islands." If residing in Guam, remittances should be drawn in favor of the "Treasurer, Guam." Do not send coins or postage stamps.

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February 9, 1954 Mr. 3. Kuper c/o 21onist Organization of America 115 East Thirty-second Street New York, New York My dear Mr. Huper: I was very happy to hear from you and pleased to learn that you will be in the states for a time. It will give me the pleasure of seeing you. I plan to be in New York on Tuesday, February 23rd. I shall probably be stopping at the Waldorf-Astoria. Please telephone me there in the morning and we will arrange to get together. I recall with deep pleasure my visit to South Africa and the many courtesies which Mrs. Silver and I enjoyed at your hands. With all good wishes, I remain Very cordially yours, ABBA HILLEL SILVER AHS trms

February 9, 1954 Mr. Robert Herman 12800 Fairhill Road Shaker Heights, Ohio Dear Bobs On my return from Florida I found your gracious note and the check which you enclosed. In keeping with my practice, I shall place it in a small fund which I use from time to time. We were delighted to be with you and Dee at your wedding. It was a beautiful event in every way. Mrs. Silver joins me in wishing you continued happiness and well-being. With warmest regards, I remain Very cordially yours, ABBA HILLEL SILVER AHS rrms

February 9, 195h

My dear Daniel:

Mother and I have just returned from a ten-day holiday in Florida which we enjoyed tremendously. This is the first time that we have taken a short vacation in mid-winter, and it was a good investment. I believe that it toned us up for the coming few months of snow and ice in Cleveland.

We enjoyed reading the letters which we found awaiting us upon our return. I do hopethat it will be possible for you to come back to the states a few months ahead of the time of your discharge from the service so that you can make your plans for the coming year.

There is no news here. Dr. Freehof occupied my pulpit during my absence. We held our annual Father-Son Dinner Sunday - very successful, and our Mother-Daughter Dinner is scheduled for next Sunday. I shall return to Miami on February 21st to address the National UJA Conference. From there I shall go to the University of North Carolina to address an Institute on Religion under the auspices of the University. On the following day I shall be attending a testimonial dinner in New York to my old friend, Sol Cohen.

We just learned from sister Rose Matlaw that her son, Daniel, has met a fine girl in Israel and that he is engaged to her. Thereis the possibility that he will remain in Israel.

February 9, 1954 Mrs. Jacob Matlaw 9403 Sixty-Eighth Avenue Forest Hills, New York My deer Rose and Jack: I was delighted to receive your note informing me that Daniel is engaged to a wonderful girl in Israel. This is good news indeed. We also received a letter from Daniel from Jerusalem conveying the same news. There are many fine opportunities in Israel, and the girl and her folks may help him greatly in establishing himself. I shall write to Daniel in a day or two. In the meantine, I send you both my heartiest Mazol Tov. Our own Daniel is still in Japan. We don't know just when he will return. His enlistment will not be over before August, but it may be that he will be allowed to finish the la c few months of his enlistment here in the United States. Raphael is in New York, as you know, and he is enjoying his work. We are well. We have just returned from a short holiday in Florida which was very delightful. I plan to be in New York on February 23rd for a testimonial meeting which is being tendered to Sol Cohen, and I will in all probability see you then. With love, I remain As ever. AHS :rms

February 10, 1954

Mr. Dick Wright
District Manager
Stanley Warner Management Corp.
11:07 Euclid Avenue
Cleveland 15, Ohio

my dear Mr. Fright:

It was indeed thoughtful of you to send me a season pass to your theatres.

I know that I shall derive much pleasure during the coming year as a result of your kindness.

With many tounks, I remain

Very cordially yours,

ABBA HILLEL SILVER

AHS trms



February 10, 1954

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver The Temple East 105th Street at Ansel Road Cleveland 6 Ohio

Dear Rabbi Silver:

Immediately upon receipt of the letter from your secretary we checked with our housekeeper and regret to advise you that your bathrobe was not found in your room after you checked out. We do hope it will turn up someplace.

It was grand having you with us and we hope that you enjoyed your Sans Souci holiday.

With kindest regards,

Sincerely yours,

Managing Director

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Hotel Park Crescent 87th Street and Riverside Dr New York 24, N. Y.

Gran Rabino DAmram Blum Profesor de la Universidad Nacional de Buenos Aires

February 10, 1954

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver The Temple Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi Silver:

I should first like to introduce myself to you.

I am the Chief Rabbi of Argentina. Recently the Argentine Government established a Chair for Hebrew Culture at the University of Buenos Aires. This is the first time that such a Chair was established in a Latin American country. I was honored by being placed in charge of that Department, and was requested to work out the practical details involved in fixing its curriculum and in the employment of its staff.

I am presently in the United States where my primary mission is to confer with the administrative and teaching staffs of universities which have had experience with departments such as we propose to establish at the University of Buenos Aires.

While here, I want to use the occasion to meet the leaders of American Jewry personally and to exchange views with them on matters of mutual interest. In this connection, your name, of course, occurs to me.

I wonder whether I may have the privilege of meeting you during my month's stay in the United States. If you will indicate to me when I might see you, I will so arrange my schedule as to make it possible to avail myself of your kind invitation.

Sincerely,

Chief Rabbi Dr. Amram Blum

February 11, 1954

Mr. Jacob Gabbai Chicoun Dora 267 Natania, Israel

My dear Friend:

I wish to thank you for sending me your drawing, which I enjoyed viewing.

With all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

ABBA HILLEL SILVER

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My dear Leonard:

Virginia and I want to extend to you our profoundest sympathies on the passing of your revered father.

I had hoped to attend the services last Sunday, but unfortunately our Father and Sons Dinner, as you probably know, took place at noon, thus making it impossible for me to come.

I knew and respected your Dad a great deal, and I enjoyed at his hands many acts of thoughtfulness and courtesy. He was highly regarded in our community.

With deep sympathy and with all good wishes, I remain

Most cordially yours,

Mr. Leonard S. Labowitch 8937 Euclid Avenue Cleveland, Ohio DR. MORRIS MARK
660 RICHMOND STREET
CINCINNATI 3, OHO

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February 12th, 1954

To the Honorable Thomas A. Burke, United States Senator from Ohio, United States Senate, Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir.

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As one of your devoted constituents, as a World War I veteran, as a recepient of three Certificates of Appreciation two from the late President Franklin D. Roosevelt and one from the recent President Harry S. Truman in recognition of uncompensated service which I rendered for my country as chief medical examiner of my district during World War II in the Administration of the Selective Service System for a period of over four years, and as a possessor of the United States Congressional Metal, I take the privilage and the opportunity in presenting your honor this letter for your sincere consideration and immediate action.

after having read the inclosed clipping from the Cincinnati Enquirer I decided to mail it to your honor together with elaboration. There is no doubt in my mind that 90% of the hundred thousand Cincinnatians who likewise had read this editorial had agreed as I did with the editor's remarks and opinion.

sentative for any religious nor political group be it Arab, Israeli or otherwise, I am doing this as a free American citizen, as an observer, a humanitarian, a busy physician who for more than twenty five years had practiced general medicine among the masses, who on four different occasions had traveled throughout Europe and the Midle East, who loves peace, justice, freedom, reform and everything that is constructive and progressive in human life.

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DR. MORRIS MARK
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The Arab autocratic rulers so far have resisted every effort of Israel and of the United Nation to bring about a peace settlement which would pave the way toward a constructive development which would be of mutual benefit to Israeli and Arabs alike. Hather they prefer to continue the cold war, to continue sustaining tention, economic warfare, boycott, blockade, marauding and infiltration. They prefer to obstruct any and every effort which the State of Israel at its own and in its own territory wishes to make to utilize its own water resources in order to build up its own economy or any financial aid which may accrew to Israel in agreement with other nations such as recently had been concluded with it and Western Germany.

The Arab League hopes to continue this condition of No Peace, No War, until it feels itself strong enough for war and Israel so weakened by its economic burdens and the Arab States so strengthened by the arms and the military aid it received from the United States Government or from other countries that it will give them the chance for the second round and that they would be in a position to attack with greater success than they did in 1948.

In due to these facts it becomes increasingly difficult to understand our own Governments' eagerness to send arms to all Arab States with the exception of Egypt against whom Great Brittain recently had strongly protested to our State Department because they were aware of the fact that those arms would be used by the Egyptians to slay the British subjects in the Suez Canal area and not to fight Communist Aggression. Surely our Government knows that Israel is planning no aggression against its neighbors and is anxious for peace and that it has requested time and again the American Government to use its good offices to bring about peace negotiation. Just why is our State Department eager to supply Arms to the Arabs whose leaders (according this editorial) are ready to sacrifice ten million Arab lives in order to wipe out Israel?

Is it assumed for a moment that the arms which will be sent to the Arabs will be used by them to defend Democracy? To fight Communist Aggression? This must appear as incredible to any one who knows the history of that region. These rulers will not fight the Soviet any more than it fought the Nazis.

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The weapons will be used against Israel if these rulers have their way. They have left no doubt in any ones mind about it any more than King Saud did. The American Government must send arms to these Arab rulers and at the same time must show that it is unfavorably disposed towards Israel lest these Arab States become disgrunted and swing into the "Communist Orbit"?--is a form of blackmail frequently used by Arab propagndists and by their spokesmen in the United States. This argument is a fantastic "Hoax". Communish is a brutal enemy to these Arab Lords--they hate it worse than poison--it is the last conceivable thing they would think about doing--to throw themselves into the arms of Communism.

The American Government has never shown any favoratism to Israel and it should not now show favoratism to the Arab States at the expense of Israel. By arming the Arab States our Government will create a situation of mortal danger to the only true Democracy, a "Temple of Peace surrounded by a World Aflame", the infant State of Israel.

Israel has fulfilled its obligations when it proclaimed its independence nearly six years ago. It established a Bemocratic State. It took in nearly 3/4 of a million of refugees. It reclaimed a land neglected, wasted and inhospitable for human civilization. It always has stood for peace. There are outstanding which exist between Israel and its neighbors, -- problems of refugees, of reparation, of resettlement which can be solved all of them with good will as part of an everall peace settlement. Once the representatives of Israel and of the Arab States sit around the conference table with the desire to straighten out their difficulties thus finding a lasting peace formula, -- the danger of a World War III may be averted and the constant Middle East tengion be eliminated.

In conclusion it will be highly appreciated by the undersigned if your honor will concentrate upon the final paragraph within the inclosed editorial,

> With great regards and respect, I beg to remain

> > Morris Mark M. D.

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

February 23, 1954

Mr. Edward Wald 1190 Woodlawn Avenus Cincinnati 5, Ohio

Dear Mr. Wild;

[wish to acknowledge receipt of your letter of February 19th enclosing phototic copies of Dr. Morris Mark's letter to Senator Burke and the editorial from the Cincinnati Enquirer.

I agree one hundred per cest with the editorial and certainly feel that Dr Mark's letter was excellent and timely. I assure you that my actions as a member of Congress will be governed by the thinking expressed is the editorial and Dr. Mark's letter.

I wish to thank you for writing me with reference to this matter.

Singerely yours,

Gordon H. Scheres

GHS: OR

February 12, 195h

The Waldorf-Astoria
Park and lexington Avenues
L9th and 50th Street
New York 22, New York

Gentlemen:

Please reserve a single room and bath for Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver for the night of Tuesday, February 23rd.

A confirmation at your earliest convenience will be appreciated.

Very truly yours,

(Mrs.) Ruth M. Sperrow Secretary to Dr. Silver

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C. CLIFTON HOSMER
ORGANIST AND CHOIRMASTER
DOROTHY BURHOE
SECRETARY

My dear Doctor Silver:

It has been a good many years since I saw you at the Mayflower Hotel and in our 1660 house in Plymouth. We have often thought of you and wonder where Raphael is.

I am sending you a copy of a recent book on world leaders that I wrote, based on visits with some of the post war leaders in Europe. I have been over twice since the close of the war and should like to go over again this summer. I taught for three years in Tenching University in Peiping and have seen a good deal of the Far East and been able to make a half dozen trips to Europe. I have not yet been to the Mear East.

A friend f mine was taken over recently by the American Christian Palestine Committee, I should like to take a similar journey. I am not sure what the American Christian Palestine Committee is and how it operates. If it is a worthy enterprise, possibly you may have some contacts with their work. I should be grateful for your suggestions and your help. My hobby has been interviewing world leaders and I should like to meet a few significant men and women in the Near East.

We left Michigan in the fall of 1951 and like this growing suburb of Worcester, where we are close to Plymouth and our eastern friends. Mrs. Bartlett joins me in greetings and good wishes to you and your family.

Cordially yours,

THEODORE THURSTON SINDELL 2053 LITCHPIELD ROAD SHAKER HEIGHTS, ORIO

Dr att Silver Feb 15-54 The Temple Cleveland O Dear Rabbi moved you be thend enough & have the enclosed form filled out for my San Richard (an alumni of the Andry School and grandson of Charles Frushery Washi Stone Kums Kichard well and no doubt can feel in the details. Upon completion of the form please have your secretary send it to The Office of admissioner Cornell Uneventy Ithaca new York. many thanks for you trouble Aucerely Report ocut gelis 41 Ted Sudeel

TEMPLE BETH ZION DELAWARE AVENUE BUFFALO, N.Y.

OFFICE OF THE RABBI JOSEPH L. FINK, PH. D., D.D.

February 15, 1954

Dr. Abbs Hillel Silver Congregation Tifereth Israel East 105th Street and Ansel Road Cleveland 6, Ohio

My dear Friend:

I am writing this letter in behalf of a friend of mine, Leona Z. Shoor of Buffalo who plans to marry Murray Gennis of Cleveland this weekend. They want to have a quiet ceremony in your study.

I am merely writing to advise you that she is a lovely girl, of a prominent Buffalo family and is a good friend of mine. Any kindness you may be able to show her will be deserved and deeply appreciated.

With kind greetings, I am

Sincerely,

Joseph L. Fink

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[February 15,1954]

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לכבוד הרב דר אבא השל פילנוער קליתלנד, אהיר

אדדן מאד בעלה! יסנה לי כח שהנני מטרידו בטכתבי זה, בצירוף מכתבי הנני שולה מאהרי שפרקהתי לפני זטן קצר, אודות ענין זה כתבתי גפיבאיריטען פאלקה בניר יודק בקרוספדבדבציה שלי אודות "מצב הציונית באמריקה הלישינית", אסיפת הציונים בבראויל קיבלה החלטה זו. קבני זפן שלותי ל כח שפרי יתיבער צרואנציג לאשיין אמעריקאנער לענדערייואני פקוח שכבר קבל ספרי הנל

פוד הפעם בבקשו לפלות לכ

שלום וברכה!

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האבעו אים געשאפעו דעם פלאץ

פאסירוננין און קאמענטארען

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חלל סילווער איבערצונעמען

פון א ספעציעלפר זיצונג פון יעם ציוניססישעו ראט. וואס איז פיט א קורצער צייט צוריק שפנעהאלטעו געווצרעו אין ניור ישרק, איז געשיקט געווארען א דרינגענדינעד רוף עום באקאנטן ציוניסטיטען סנהיו אין אמערי-ציונ"ום. דער רוף דער פארם פון א רעושלוציע אויה דער אויסער" ארם ניסטראטיוועו אננענוסעו נעוושרבו. עם בלייבט איצם פיין ספק נים. אז ראבי מנחות וואם האם ווינע יא" רען אוועקנענעכעו דער ציונים-

יער נאמעו ראבי אבא חלל לווער איז ענג מארבונדעו פיים אלע מאועו מון אודוש אמעררי נענעראל. זוינע שטענדונע אוני מענמעו עווישעו זיי די אינטער" יאר 1939, ווען ער האם צווא- מארם בין אמעריקע, סיי ביי איי מעו פיט דעם פארשטארבענעם דעו און פין בין ניט־אידען, אין זערע רעכט אויף מדינת ישרשל. נער כיי אידען אין אטעריקע, די האם פים זיך נעבראכם נוסע בליבעו וענעו פיר אין וכרון פאר מענשליכע רעכט. נאך אין די שווערע פריוים י יארען אין וועד באשטיפט אלם פיטנליד ישאפט) פון דער פראווינץ אהיא, טינער פירער אין דארטינען נעוושלם אויסבעסערען נעועצעו. השם זו צו דעם צוועק פייננעלפי נעשאפען או ערנישעו סעם פאר אין אויך אין יאר 1942 געשיקט געשטעים אלם פורער פון וועלט ער אירענטום - דער כוח וואס דיפלאטאטישער שליחות. און ביי מארשירענע נעלענענהייטען צולים וועלבע אכא הלל סילווער איז דער שנערקענונג פון סדינת איינגעלאדעו געווארעו אין "וויי" האט ויך צדריקגעצויגעו פון דער רענט נענעראל אייזענהאוער. די טענס אלעטענס אוינען זענען יר, סילווער קעו עם דיפלצמארן איריטע וועלם באסראכם אים איצם נעווקרעם. עם אין אינטער מישע סמראטענים. אין דער ווי א פירער פון אמעריקאנער רעסאנט, אוי ביי דער לעצטער אירענטום, האסועלבע קוקט מען ציוניסטישבר קאנפערענץ פו? אויף אים אין די אפיציעלע רעד פערואן פה דער שעה. צו וועד מפנעהאלטעו נעוושרעו אין סאן

ראבי אבא חלל סיכווער, האט מאולא, דואט די לאומערעניו בו אלע אונוערע שונאים וואס ציוניסטישע ארנאניואציע. אני ועלבע אושענרערפאנטע רעואי מובען איצט אנגעהויבען ארוים: הויבענדיג אלס נאנץ יונגער לוציק.

דאם. וואם האם זיך מים זיין די נעלענענחיים צו קאנעו נעני מוט און סליים דערדינט עהרליך טער רבבי אכא הלל סילווער, און עהרענהאפט צום ראנג פון קומען מיט אים אין קאנטאקט "און הערען זיינע רערעס כיי פאר טערווענצעו איו קריטישע מאר שירענע געלענענהייטעו, וואס

זיין טעמפל אין פליוולאנד. דער רופעו מארשידענע השערות ארן אפילו די נאלעריעו באועצט. רערט ווענען דעד בארייטונג פארגעקומען פים א פאר יצר פון נופן הירותינו". דער שעהר צורוק, די צאל נעוואקספון האבעו ביי די צוהערער ארוים: מערופען אזוי פול אינפערעם.

> פירער פון וועלט-אידעגטיי פון אמעריכע.

וועגען אירישער דערותונג

א צווייטעו משל השב איך אים עיסערעו זענעו באקאנט נעווארו יעהערט רעדעו פסח. מאקע אין האבעו די רעוולמאטעו ארויסנדי ראבי אבא חלל בילווער האט גע" אסויו די פארמרעטער פון דער צר זיינע רעדעם.

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מאר די וואס האבעו געהאט אויפגעשטעלט און געוונגעו די וועלנו אירישער דערציהונג אין צוואנציג פרטצענט און לעצטען ניו-ישרק, אוז נשכדעם ווי די מעמשל איז נעווען איבערנעפולם קאטענטארען. לוים די באקאנט (ישראל כאלעווא), אליין א פער (עסאכטע ציפערעו אין זיים דער דאנאו. א וויכטינער לערער אין עצטער צעהלונג, וועלכע אדו די שלום עליכם שולעו שרייבט נער כלאנג פון זיין שטיטע. די טים זיכעו פראצענט. דא רעדט איום" האט ביי זיין לעצטער לויטערע דיקציע און זיין כאר זיך נאטירקיך ווענען ניודיארה האנפערענין אין כאן פראנצים־ יעסטעטישע פינור און עסאציעס (איןין. עס אין אינטערעסאנט פין קא אנגענוטען א פראנראס סאר אווי עם איו געווען דער אפר ול פון די פארשידענע קרייונו. ווייטקרו טייל פון זיין ארטיקל נעווארעו. פייל זענעו נאר נעו מאראו נענוג פראבלעסעו יכיסטיש ביז נצר... אנתעין וואס ווערו ארויסגערוסו צוויר שעו קינדער און עלטערעו, אבער ווודער בעבומיכמיש. שרייכט ארט זענען זיי ניט אזוי שארף מוי אין די אירישע שולעו". ..דת יעמאר פון די ארכיימערי שוכעו אין אן ארטיקעל אין רעם אויבענאן-- און ראס קאן לייכט געטון ווערען אווף ענני זיכער, אז אלע אידעו וונלן ליש. אין דער אירישער שול צומרידעו זייו עו הערו, או דער שים איעם שמארקער אגיא מיע כאנע נכייך ווי מעו וואלם איצט

מקחאלסעו ביים בראשיר". חאבעו נאנצע זיבעו און יציג פראצענט אידישע ק (י ווערם פארשטענדליד דער אר-כאננדישרינער רעדאסטשר מון שקופעו פארפאלגונגעו איז די בפאג מארגעו זשורנאל, וועגעו (אויף דער ציפער זיים)

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TELEPHONE: ELDORADO LDORF-ASTORIA AND LEXINGTON AVENUES / NEW YORK 22/ February 15, 1954 Mrs. Ruth M. Sparrow, Sec'y to Dr. Silver, The Temple, Best 195th St. at Ansel Road, Cleveland 6, Ohio Dear Mrs. Sparrow: This will acknowledge receipt of your letter of February 12 requesting reservation of a single room with bath for -Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver for the night of Tuesday, February 23. We are sorry to have to tell you that it will not be possible for us to take care of Rabbi Silver on the above date. The Waldorf-Astoria is completely booked at that time because of reservations already received for the National Frozen Foods meeting. In an attempt to be of assistance, we communicated with The Plaza Hota, Fifth Ave. and 59 St., The Roosevelt Hotel, Madison Ave. 45-46 Streets and The Hotel New Yorker, 8th Ave. and 34 St., and learned from them that they will have space available. If Rabbi Silver is interested and would like to have us make reservation for him at the hotel he prefers we shall be pleased to comply with his wishes. We shall await your further word regarding the above suggestion. Very truly yours, E. WARREN WHITEMAN Assistant Manager eww/efb cc; exo cot amr

CHARLES ROBERT NORBERG 3104 N STREET, N. W. WASHINGTON 7, D. C.

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Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver The Temple Ansel Road Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi Silver:

This has reference to telephone conversation I had with you regarding my son Ronald.

He is graduating from Dartmouth College this coming June and has made application to the Harvard Graduate School of Business.

You undoubtedly know that Ronald graduated Temple High School in 1950, and took a very active part in the religious school, completing his courses with high honors.

The officials of admission at Harvard stated that recommendation from anyone who knows him well, would be given consideration in rating the applicant's fitness.

I would, therefore, appreciate it very much if you would send such recommendations to the following address: Office of Admissions, Harvard Graduate School of Business, Soldiers Field, Boston, Massachusetts.

Ronald is in school at the present time, otherwise he would have seen you personally regarding this matter. We will be very grateful for anything you can do.

Most Sincerely yours,

Samuel Stillman



February 16, 1954

Mrs. Josephine Clark 1315 D. Street Marysville, California

Dear Mrs. Clark:

At the request of "abbi Silver, I am pleased to send you a few copies of "America," in accordance with your request.

Very truly yours,

(Mrs.) Ruth M. Sparrow Secretary to Rabbi Silver

February 16, 1954 Rabbi Amram Flum Hotel Park Crescent 87th Street and Riverside Drive New York 2h, New York My dear Rabbi Blums Permit me to thank you for your kind letter of February tenth. I shall be for our day in New York, Tuesday, February twenty-third, stopping at the Waldowf-Astoria. Please telephone me in the morning and we shall errange a time for our meeting. With all good wishes, permit me to remain Very sincerely yours, ABRA HILLEL SILVER AHS 12mm

Mrs. Lawrence D. Freiberg 30 Village Lane, Garden Village San Francisco 25, Cal. Dr. Charles N. Loeser 2030 Hillsboro Road Cleveland Heights 12, Ohio Cleveland, Chio, February 16th, 1954 The Temple, (Attention: Dr. Abba H. Silver), East 105th at Ansel Rd., Cleveland, Chio Dear Rabbi Silver: To honor the memory of our dear father, we wish to make a gift to The Temple. This gift is represented by the enclosed check. Our best regards to you personally. Very sincerely yours, (Charles V. Loeser) CNL-K

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Dear Rabbi Silver, I have an article on Israel in the current issue of

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The Churchman. I value your judgement so highly that I am emclosing

a copy herewith and would be glad of your comment.

I happen at the moment to be delivering & ctures at

Fisk University. I shall be coming to the Oberlin Board of Trustee

Meeting at Oberlin Ohio on March 26 and 27. If I could speak to any group of yours on Israel on March 26th or Monday March 29th let me know. I could show them some of my kodachrome pictures I suppose too.

I do hope that you are in good health and that all is going well with you. I enclose one of our reprints which may interest you. We supply these free. So if you wish any just write me.

Cordially,

Jerome Davis

February 18, 1954 Office of Admissions Harvard Graduate School of Business Soldiers Field Boston, Massachusetts Centlemen: Ronald Stillman has informed me that he has applied for admission to the Harvard Graduate School of Business. I have known Ronald as a student in my religious school and in The Temple High School. He is a personable young man of fine character and evidenced during his years here qualities of leadership and marked scholarly interests. He was well liked by the young people in The Temple and was very active in the life of the school. He completed his courses here with high honors. Ronald is graduating from Dartmouth College this coming June and I understand has achieved a fine record there. He comes from a home of culture and refinement, and his parents have been active in many worthy community enterprises. I recommend him most highly for admission to the Harvard Graduate School of Business. Very sincerely yours, ABBA HYLLEL SILVER AHStrme

February 18, 195h

Mr. Samuel Stillman

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My dear Frierd:

Cleveland 4, Ohio

I am enclosing herewith a copy of a letter which I sent this morning for Ronald to the Harvard Graduate School of Business.

With warmest regards, and trusting that Mrs. Stillman is making progress in recovery to full health, I remain

Very cordially yours,

ABBA HILLEL SILVER

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ט"ז באדר א' תשי"ד (19.2.1954)

לכבוד דייר א.ה. סילבר, בליכלכד אוהיו, ארצות - הברית.

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עם שובי מארה"ב הצטרפתי מיד לועדה שניהלה את המשא-ומתן על הקמת מסטלה חדשה ולכן לא פלא שעד לפני ימים אחדים פייתי שרוד ועמום עבודה.

מסיבה זו נתאחר מכתבי זה אליך ואתך הסליחה.

הממשלה החדשה, הפעם בראשותו של מר שדת, התחילה בינתיים בפעולותיה ולא קשה לבבא כי דרכה כלל וכלל לא תהיה סוגה שושנים.

זה עתה, סיד עם הקסת הסמשלה, התגרבו על קושי רציני חדש שהית כרוך בתקציב החדש. אטנם הושגה פשרה והצלחנו להשיג אף ויתורים רציניים אחדים סהצד שכנגד אולם אי אפשר לופר שאנו "סאושרים" על פה שהושג.

אין כל ספק שאצל רבים פאתנו גימוק מכריע בעת השקולים לקראת הפשך השתתפותינו במפשלה היה קשור במושג ששפו – שדה בוקר. לא פעשים היו בדעה שפסוכן פאד יהיה לגכי העתיד ולקראת הבאות אם בצבור יוצר הרושם שבלי ב'.ג'. אין פסוגלים לכונן פפשלה ולגבי דידם של אלה שוב יותר לותר בנקודה זו או אחרת אם כתוצאה מכך זנו נשארים בירושלים והוא בשדה בוקר.

איבני סגלה את עצמי ואיבני מבור שב זה נסתיימה פרשת שדה בוקר ומוכשוני שמשט עוד שפויות לנו הרבה הפתעות.

בהזדפנות זו הנכי לצרף חפר הפתיחם לבקורי בארה"ב פתוך הנחח שתפצג בו ענין.

אשמח מאד לעמוד אתך, ד"ר סילבר תיקר, בקשר גם להבא ואדע להעריך כל פעם שתתשנה לרגעים ספורים על מבת להריץ אלי אי-אלה שורות.

דרישת שלום לרעיתך הנכבדה וכל שוב לה ולך.

שלך בברקה.

RABBI MORRIS N. KERTZER

386 Fourth Avenue New York 16, N. Y. MUrray Hill 5-0181

February 23, 1954

Dear Doctor Silver:

We are looking forward to your visit with us in April.

The enclosed letter from your son is an obvious indication that he has some of his father's fire. We are discussing ways and means of answering his challenge.

From several military sources I have learned that my books seems to be peculiarly fitted for G.I. interest. I am approaching a few people to ask them to underwrite the sending of a few hundred copies. My publishers -- World -- promised to give me a substantial discount. If you have any suggestions in this regard, I would appreciate hearing from you.

With kirdest regards and all good wishes,

Sincerely,

Rabbi Morris N. Kertzer

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President

P. O. B. 1256 JERUSALEM

February 23,1954 1 West 64th Street, New York 23,N.Y.

My dear Rabbi Silver:

I see from the press that you are in New York City today.

I believe that you may remember me from Israel, where I had the privilege of meeting you at the Manufacturers' Association meeting in Your honor in Tel-Aviv. We also met twice in Jerusalem.

I would like to see you in general informally, of course, because of my own position relative to the economy of Israel; but I also have a special purpose for which I seek your valued counsel.

One of the mission which has brought me here is the establishment of the New York offices of the Jerusalem Bible Publishing Company which I founded in Israel and which has just completed the publication of the first Complete Hebrew-English Bible ever to be produced within the walls of Jerusalen and the Holy Land. On this Bible, in particular I would like your advice.

Even more, I should like to discuss with you several problems which cannot easily be set forth in this brief mote. I can well imagine that your schedule is crowded. However, I shall be ready to meet you at your convenience at any hour that you may appoint while you are here in New

NAHUM LIPHSHITZ

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York.Of course, if that is not convenient I, shall be glad to arrange to come to Cleveland to see you.

I can be reached at SUsquehanna 7-3636 tonight and tomorrow all day.

With Zion greetings,

Yours sincerely,

February 24, 1954 Mr. Robert I. Broida 19201 Ven Aken Boulevard Cleveland 22, Chio My dear Bob: I want to thank you for the check which you sent me. In keeping with my practice I shall place it into a fund which I use from time to time. I trust that you and Eve are well. With warmest regards, I remain Most cordially yours, ABBA HILLEL SILVER AHStrme

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Contlemen:

Enclosed please find 12 cents in stamps. Please send me last Monday's issue of the Press (February 22, 195h).

I would appreciate receiving this as soon as possible.

Very truly yours,

(Mrs.) Ruth M. Sparrow Secretary to Dr. Silver

Similar letters sent to BTE and News.

February 26, 1954 Dr. Robert Merrill Bartlett First Congregational Church Shrewsbury, Massachusetts My dear Dr. Bartlett: Permit me to thank you for your thoughtfulness in sending me a copy of your book, They Dare to Believe. I know that I shall read it with a great deal of pleasure and profit. With reference to the American Christian Palestine Committee -I do know the organization. I would suggest that you get in touch with Dr. Kerl Baeher and talk the matter over with him. The address of the organization is 342 Madison Avenue, New York. It was nice to hear from you. With all good wishes to you and Mrs. Bartlett in which Mrs. Silver joins me, I remain Very cordially yours, ABBA HILLER SILVER AHSirms

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Dr. Jorge Garcia-Granados Chalet Alcala Calle Real Delavilla, Guatemala City Guatemala

My dear Dr. Granados:

I send you my warmest greetings. It is some time since I have had the pleasure of seeing you, and I do hope that you are well. I am eager to know how you are getting along and how the problem which you discussed with me on your visit to Cleveland worked out.

Mrs. Silver joins me in sending you our warmest greetings.

Most cordially yours,

ABBA HILIEL SILVER

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February 26, 195h

My dear Dan:

I was on a junket tour these last few days and I have just returned. Last Sunday I opened the National Conference of the United Jewish Appeal in Miami Beach. That is the annual kick-off meeting for the campaign. It was a very enthusiastic meeting and some \$13,000,000 was raised. The next day I addressed a forum in Raleigh, North Carolina - a university audience, and I enjoyed the experience very much. On Tuesday I wastin New York attending a testimonial meeting to my old friend, Sol Cohen. Mother had gone on to New York the day I left for Miami Beach and spent a few pleasant days with Raphael. We met in New York and came home together.

Wednesday evening the Temple Men's Club had its annual brotherhood dinner. The program was a panel discussion on civil liberties. I am enclosing some clippings which will give you a picture of the meeting. It was the largest attended meeting of the Men's Club Brotherhood Dinner and created quite a stir in the community.

On the Sunday that I was away in Miami the Temple pulpit was occupied by Mr. Alben Barkley. People were very glad to see him, although I understand he didn't have much to say.

As the weeks go by and the time of your return approaches, we are becoming increasingly eager to see you. I hope things will work out in such a way that you will be able to return perhaps at the beginning of the summer or earlier so that you will have time to plan for your next year's work.

Otherwise there is no news.

February 26, 195h

Dr. Charles N. Loeser 2030 Hillsboro Road Cleveland Heights 12, Ohio

My dear Charles:

Upon my return from the East your letter and the generous gift of yours and Mary Ann's to The Temple was brought to my attention. I need not tell you that I am deeply appreciative of your generosity and of the lovely way in which you honored the memory of your dear father who was so greatly revered and admired by all the men and women of The Temple and for whom Mrs. Silver and I, as you undoubtedly know, had a particular affection. You will receive an official acknowledgment from The Temple.

It is some time since I have seen you, and I do hope that I may have the pleasure of seeing you before long. We would be delighted to have /cu and Mrs. Loeser drop in at our home some day where we can spend a little time together.

With warmest regards, I remain

Most cordially yours,

ABBA HILLEL SILVER

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DR. MORRIS MARK 660 RICHMOND STREET GINGINNATI 3, DHD

February 26th, 1954

To the Secretary of Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver, 105th at Ansel Road, Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Miss,

I am addressing this letter to you for two reasons--First--the letter may be too long for our busy leader to read Secondly--because I request an answer.

I snapped theinclosed picture at the recent NAC Session in Cleveland on 1-23-54 as Fabbi Silver mentioned, "Israel has the right to enjoy the confidence and the continued good will of all fair minded men in the United States. We must give these fair minded people the facts, the true facts, we must reach them etc". If we don't do it there is no one else on the American scene that will do it".

The last paragraph somehow worried me. By being in the office 9 to 9, twelve hours a day, five days a week, with four to five hours of sleep, seeing from 90 to 110 patients during a day it makes it impossible for me to invade colleges, churches etc. I therefore decided to write to Senator Burke after noticing the editorial. I know nothing of the new Senator. I was well aquainted with the late RobertTaft.

Mr.Edward Wald, for the past twenty five years is one of my prize patients with a blood pressure from 220/140 to 280/160, has been the leading Republican politician at the Court House for many years. Both of our congressmen Mr.Hess and Mr.Scherer must have "Eddie's" support to be re-elected. I had typed Senator Burke's letter the night before Mr.Wald's appointment at my office. I asked Eddie if the letter was too long to which he replied," I know very little of Bob's successor but for Hess and Scherer it is just the thing, —they are both plain Goyim and know very little of the Middle East politics. If an explanation of true facts such as is described in the Editorial and my letter does not come to them—they would easily fall for the Arab propoganda. He took the inclosed copy of my letter together with the Editorial had photostats made and together with his personal letter that same morning sent them on to both tongressmen. From Mr.Hess I likewise received a favorable reply.

I must apologize for being a copy cat. As I explained above the lack of time forced me to copy from the Rabbi's speech nearly ver-batum. The first page explains all my "Yichus" the other two pages contains passages from the Rabbi's splendid oration.

With all the good wishes I remain

For this question I would like an answer. Can I be of further service by probably sending Mr. Wald to Washington at my personal expenses he converses with the two Congressmen with the purpose that they may possibly use their influence to enlighten other Congressmen?

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THE ENQUIRER

EDITORIALS:

Arms For The Arabs

Recent reports of impending United States free grants of arms to the countries of the Middle East have caused grave concern to the government of Israel. We believe they also are a matter of proper concern to all who are interested in maintaining the precarious peace of that critical segment of the world.

Elsewhere, U. S. military assistance has run up on questions involving various degrees of calculated risk. Decisions have had to be made whether grants of arms actually would assure allies in the event of war, whether there would be a capacity or willingness to use them in repelling Communist aggression, and, in some cases, whether they would be used for us or against us.

The granting of arms to the Middle East states involves questions (in

DAILY THOUGHT:

True happiness is of a retired nature, and an enemy of pomp and noise; it arises in the first place from the enjoyment of one's self; and in the next, from the friendship and conversation of a few select companions.— Addison.

Unrest In Tokyo

In our preoccupation with the Bricker amendment, the Berlin conference and President Eisenhower's domestic program, we tend to minimize the problems of the Far East. We should realize that all is not well in Japan. The pro-American Premier Shigeru Yoshida is seeking to put through a legislative program to curb inflation. His plan would impose a certain austerity on the population. It is meeting resistance both from left and right in the Diet.

The other day the debate took a pronounced anti-American form. A left-wing Socialist in the upper chamber jibed that the new budget had been "compiled in the American embassy." Ignoring the aspersion, the premier merely remarked that he was staking his political future on the budget and that, if it failed to rescue Japan from its plight, he would resign.

A right-wing member belonging to the ultraconservative Progressive party accused the government of "slavish" adherence to American wishes and demanded a new constitution fit for an independent people to replace the one "written by Mac-

Arthur"

fact serious questions) of this kind. But, additionally, it involves the hazard that our military assistance might foment the renewal of wur in the Middle East. That certainly has no place in our grand strategy of Communist containment. And we have no right, as a matter of fact, to subject the democratic state of Israel to undue jeopardy.

The Arab states insist that they still are at war with Israel, despite the attempts of the Israeli government to arrive at a peace. Just last month, a press association quoted the king of Saudi Arabia as saying: "The Arab nations should sacrifice up to 10 million of their 50 million people, if necessary, to wipe out Israel." The Egyptian government, meanwhile, has embarked upon a policy of confiscating all shipments bound for Israel—including even gifts of clothing.

Seven of the member states of the Arab League are joined in a security pact frankly aimed against Israel. This very fact makes it extremely difficult, to say the least, for the United States to attach any reliable safeguards against misuse of arms aid. In whatever quantity arms might be provided one or more members of the Arab League, they would free other available arms for potential use against Israel.

THE ABAB STATES — for the most part military dictatorships rather than democracies — have shown scant concern heretofore in the world-wide struggle to contain Communism. The government of Egypt, the leader of the Arab League, has maintained a studiously neutralist attitude throughout the Korean affair. It declined to have a part in the United Nations Security Council decision to aid the Republic of Korea, and it has abstained from voting on even such open-and-shut issues as condemning atrocities in Korea.

In the light of the record, we fail to see what assurance the United States could have that the Arab states would use the grants of arms to halt Communist aggression—or what assurance we could have that the arms would not be used either directly or indirectly to resume the war with Israel, which has petitioned U.S. military aid unavailingly since the enactment of the Mutual Security Act in 1951.

Why is is, no matter when a clock radio turns on, it's always time for a commercial?

A Common Purnose

February 26, 1954

Mr. Sigmund Weintraub 11607 Castlewood Avenue Cleveland 8, Ohio

My dear Mr. Weintraub:

I have read your letter, but I find myself in no position to be of help to you in the matter which you brought to my attention.

May I suggest that you get in touch with the Jewish Family Service Association and talk the matter over with them. Perhaps they can give you some helpful advice in this matter.

With all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

ABBA HILLEL SILVER

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