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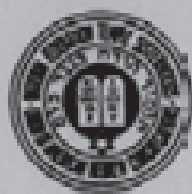
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ATLANTA, GA. Sept. 29 1920

Dear Dr. Silver,

My letter to you during the summer must not have reached you since we have had no reply. It was in regard to your honoring us with a visit and talk at one of our Sisterhood meetings which occur the second Thursday in the month from October to May.

Of course we do not wish you to incur any expense which such a trip would entail, but we would deem it a great favor if you could come and when it would be most convenient.

Hoping for an early and favorable
answer I am

Sincerely

Mrs. M. S. Hirsch
707 Place de Serres. Apt 6.



October 6th, 1920

Mrs. H. S. Hirsch,
707 Ponce de Leon Avenue
Atlanta, Ga.

My dear Mrs. Hirsch,

I am in receipt of your letter
of September 29th. I am sorry that I did not
receive your earlier letter to which you refer.

I should be most happy to accept
your kind invitation to address your Sisterhood,
but cannot at this time avail myself of your
kindness. I am not contemplating a visit to your
part of the country this year. Should I, however,
decide upon such a trip later, I shall be very happy
to get in touch with you.

Thanking you for your courtesy,
I beg to remain

Very sincerely yours,

Alber ✓

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October 13, 1925

Rabbi A. H. Silver,
1485 E. 106th St.,
City

Dear Rabbi Silver:-

Our Atlanta manager thinks he can handle a date or two down around Atlanta. Could you get away to go down there some time this winter? He would expect to handle it on a regular percentage commission of 25 or 30 percent. Would you let us know just what you would charge to make such a trip on this kind of a basis?

Sincerely yours,

President

LJA:MW

October 28th, 1925.

Mr. Louis J. Alber,
2443 Prospect Avenue,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Alber,

Please pardon the delay
in replying to your letter of October 13th.
I have been out of the city so much of the
time. I am planning to make a tour of some
of the Southern cities this coming winter
but I am not in a position as yet to say
just when I can get away from Cleveland for
a two weeks tour. As soon as I have adjusted
my calendar I shall get in touch with you
and if you have still need of my services I
shall be very happy to incorporate your en-
gagements with mine.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

Louis J. Alber
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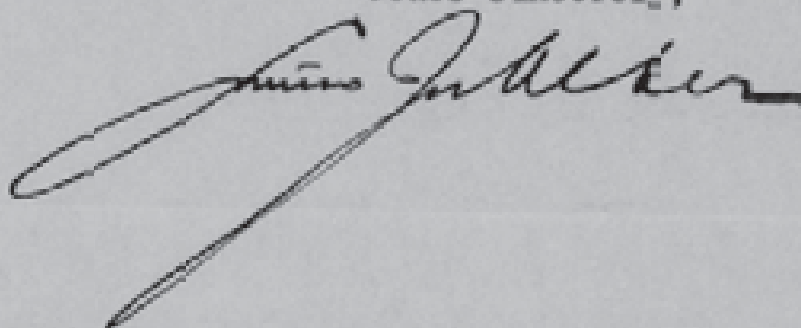
November 2nd, 1925.

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

My dear Rabbi Silver:-

I have your good letter of the 28th, and note it is impossible for you to state definitely at this time when you will be able to get away from Cleveland for a two weeks' period to fill some lecture engagements in our southern territory. After you have your schedule arranged I shall be glad to hear from you again, and if, at that time, our Atlanta manager is able to work his engagements into your schedule, I am sure he will be pleased to do so.

Yours sincerely,



LJA:LW

Louis J. Alber
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CLEVELAND, OHIO

December 28, 1925.

Rabbi A. H. Silver,
1485 E. 106th Street,
City.

Dear Rabbi Silver:-

Our Atlanta manager, Mr. Bridges,
can book a lecture date for you down in Atlanta
some time this winter. He writes that he will
be glad to pay the usual 25% commissior. If you
are thinking of going down that way at any time,
let me know by return mail just what would be
your fee for such a date.

Sincerely yours,

Louis J. Alber

LJA:MW

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January Eighth
1926

Mr. Louis J. Alber,
2443 Prospect Avenue,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Alber,

In reply to your letter of December 28th permit me to say that I do not think it will be possible for me to make a trip to the vicinity of Atlanta during this season, much as I should like to do so. If ~~by any~~ chance an opportunity to go south presents itself, I shall be glad to get in touch with you.

Thanking you for your interest,
I beg to remain, with kindest regards

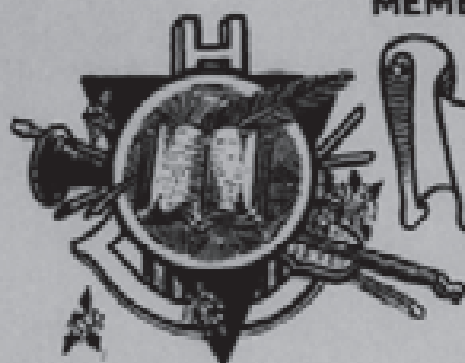
Sincerely yours,

Nashville, Tenn. ✓ *

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ATLANTA, GA. January 15, 1926.

Rabbi A.H. Silver,
c/o The Temple,
E. 105th Street,
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Rabbi Silver:

I have yours of January 8th addressed to Mr. Louis
J. Alber, of the Cleveland office.

The urgent call I had for a lecture by you was at
Nashville, Tenn.. and not Atlanta. Nashville is
only a night's journey from Cleveland, and I hope
you will find it possible to run down there for a
lecture some night during the remainder of the win-
ter or spring, as the Jewish Council in Nashville
seem very anxious to have you come.

Wor't you kindly look over your calendar carefully and
let me know if you find a date you could give them,
and the best terms you could make for the run down
there. If we could get the Nashville dates fixed
for some time in late February or March, or even
in early April right soon, we could probably find
something else to connect with it in that section if
you desire, in order to make the trip more worthwhile.

I will appreciate hearing from you regarding this mat-
ter at your earliest convenience, and oblige

Sincerely yours,

R. Bridges

SRE-WE

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February First
1926

Mr. S. R. Bridges,
Alkareet Lyceum System,
Healing Building,
Atlanta, Georgia.

My dear Mr. Bridges.

Permit me to thank you for your kind letter of January 15th inviting me to address the Council of Jewish Women at Nashville. Much to my regret I shall not be able to avail myself of the opportunity offered. My lecture program for the year is very much crowded and I do not plan to add any more engagements.

Perhaps another season there may be an opportunity for me to serve you and I shall be glad to hear from you.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

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CLEVELAND OHIO=

THE TEMPLE BOARD IS DESIROUS THAT YOU BE THE GUEST SPEAKER
AT ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL SUPPER DECEMBER THE FIFTH OR IF
INCONVENIENT NAME TIME IN FIRST OR SECOND WEEK IN DECEMBER
THAT YOU CAN COME I HEARTILY PARTICIPATE IN THIS INVITATION
WIRE ME COLLECT AND OBLIGE CORDIALLY=

DAVID MARX..

Answer 11/12/29 Day letter collect

Regret can not accept your kind invitation. Am unable to accept any more
out of town engagements for the months of December or January. Kindest regards

A.H. Silver

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March 3, 1930

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Sir:

Last year we succeeded in persuading Mr. Louis Marshall of New York to come to Atlanta and address a public meeting under the auspices of the B'nai B'rith. He enjoyed the visit and said he was gratified by his reception and felt fully repaid for his efforts.

We are encouraged by this success to hope that we may persuade you to make a similar address from the same platform. Our feeling is that the power which the Almighty has given you is an instrument possessed by all our people, and that though distant, we have, in a way, the right to expect you to help us.

The Hillel Foundations and the great preservative purpose which lies behind them are but imperfectly understood by our people here, who do not realize the disintegrating effect of American life, or, if realizing it that the only defense is the knowledge of the Faith. We would like you to speak on this subject. We believe that you could strike a blow for the Faith by speaking to the people here and trust that you will feel moved to grant our request.

Needless to say we will endeavor to make your trip as pleasant and convenient as possible, and with a minimum interruption of your regular work.

With sincere regard and respect, I am,

Very truly yours,

HAA/AF

Henry A. Alexander

Carol

March 11th, 1930

Mr. Henry A. Alexander,
Atlanta, Ga.

My dear Mr. Alexander:-

Permit me to thank you for your kind letter of March 3d and for the invitation which you extend to me to address a meeting of the B'nai B'rith of your city.

I should very much love to avail myself of your kind invitation. Unfortunately my lecture program for the rest of the season is so crowded and my work here is so heavy that I can not in justice to myself accept any more engagements. Perhaps at some future time I may be of service to you.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

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March 28, 1930

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Dr. Silver:

The B'nai B'rith were keenly disappointed that you could not accept our invitation. We take hope, however, from the last sentence of your letter and trust that it may not be long before you will be able to come to Atlanta. If you can arrange it for this spring or the early part of the summer it will give us great pleasure, but if not, we will hope to have you with us in the Fall.

With sincere regards,

Respectfully,

H. A. Alexander

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June 20, 1930

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

Dear Dr. Silver:

Referring to our correspondence of last March and particularly to your letter of the 11th of that month, I am bringing up again the subject of your making a public address in Atlanta under the auspices of Gate City Lodge of the B'nai B'rith.

I am in hopes that by writing at an early date you will be able to include us in your plans for the Fall and that we may hear from you favorably.

Very respectfully,

H. A. Alexander

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July 21, 1930

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi Silver:

The Young Judaeans of the South, organized under the name of the Southern Interstate Young Judaeen Association will hold their Eleventh Annual Convention in Atlanta, Ga., Aug. 3rd, thru 7th, at the Jewish Educational Alliance.

This association is made up of clubs of Jewish Boys and Girls between the ages of 14 thru 24 interested in promoting a deeper loyalty to the Jewish people and a greater knowledge of the Cultural Heritage of the Jew.

A message from you to this convention will be a source of encouragement and an inspiration to the delegates assembled there.

On behalf of the Convention Committee, may I urge your favorable consideration of this request.

Your early response will be more than appreciated. Assuring you of our grateful thanks, we remain,

Yours very truly,

Joseph Cuba
CHAIRMAN CONVENTION COMMITTEE.

JK/JC

Wire Day letter Aug. 14th, 1930

Please accept my heartiest congratulations on the occasion of your Joseph Cuba eleventh annual convention stop It will take many years for 627 Washington St. the upbuilding of our National Homeland It is Atlanta, Ga. therefore of utmost importance that the rising generation shall be loyal to our ideals stop You are therefore rendering a most vital service to the cause by educating and inspiring the youth of our people.

Abba Hillel Silver

GET READY FOR THE 1930 WONDER CONVENTION IN ATLANTA

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August 4th, 1930

Mr. Henry A. Alexander,
1211 Fourth National Bank Bldg.,
Atlanta, Ga.

My dear Mr. Alexander:-

Please pardon the long delay in
answering your letter. I have been out of the city most
of the time.

At the present writing I can not
definitely say whether it will be possible for me to
make a lecture tour in the South this season. Should I
be free to do it, I shall be most happy to get in touch
with you.

With kindest regards, permit me
to remain

Very sincerely yours,

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DR ABBA HILLEL SILVER=

THE TEMPLE 105 AT ANSEL ROAD CLEVELAND OHIO=

MAY I JOIN HENRY ALENANDER OF ATLANTA IN HIS REQUEST THAT
YOU OPEN ATLANTA JOINT CAMPAIGN JANUARY SEVENTEENTH AM
TOLD ATLANTA NEVER HAD THE PRIVILEGE OF VISIT FROM YOU
FEEL CERTAIN THEY ARE ENTITLED TO THIS NOW PERHAPS YOU
CAN COMBINE THIS WITH MEETING OF UNEMPLOYMENT COMMISSION
IN COLUMBUS=

I M RUBINOW.

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RABBI ABBA HILLEL SILVER=

:THE TEMPLE=

ATLANTA COMMITTEE WIRES US THEY HAVE EXTENDED INVITATION TO
YOU SPEAK JOINT CAMPAIGN JANUARY SEVENTEENTH STOP THAT IS
DATE FIXED HERE FOR NATIONAL CONFERENCE AMERICAN PALESTINE
CAMPAIGN INAUGURATE NINETEEN HUNDRED THIRTY TWO EFFORT
STOP HOPE YOU WILL BE ABLE GO TO ATLANTA FIXING DATE NOT
FAR OFF. KIND REGARDS=

MORRIS FOTHERNBERG,

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RABBI ABBA HILLEL SILVER=

THE TEMPLE CLEVELAND OHIO=

REFERENCE MY TELEGRAM YESTERDAY ATLANTA WIRES QUOTE RABBI
SILVERS PRESENCE WOULD MEAN SUCCESS DRIVE AND PERMANENCE
FUTURE EFFORTS WOULD MOVE DATE TO JANUARY TWENTY FOURTH OR
IF NECESSARY LATER UNQUOTE THIS CHANGE MADE AT MY REQUEST TO
ENABLE YOU ATTEND NATIONAL CONFERENCE NEWYORK JANUARY
SEVENTEENTH WHICH EARNESTLY HOPE YOU WILL DO STOP WILL
WRITE YOU FULLY CONCERNING PLANS FOR CONFERENCE WHICH STILL
UNDER CONSIDERATION STOP BOSTON ALSO WIRES ASKING YOU KINDLY
AGREE SPEAK THERE JANUARY ELEVENTH IN CONNECTION YOUR VISIT
THAT CITY=

MORRIS ROTHENBERG.

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Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
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My dear Rabbi Silver:

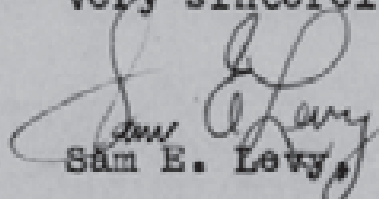
I was sorry to learn from Mr. Harry A. Alexander that you will be unable to be with us at the opening of our United Jewish Appeal scheduled for January 17th.

This is the first attempt of Atlanta Jewry to unite all elements in the community on behalf of the three great causes included in our appeal, The American Palestine Campaign, Joint Distribution Committee and B'nai Brith Wider Scope Fund.

Your presence with us will practically assure the success of our drive. If necessary we will be glad to delay the drive a short while or if you would prefer coming any other day of the week than Sunday, we would rather make the change in the date.

I am firmly convinced that your presence will mean success for the drive as well as future permanence of a United Appeal for this work from Atlanta. You may set any date in the near future that may be convenient for you. May I urge you to be with us?

Very sincerely yours,


Sam E. Levy, Chairman

United Jewish Appeal of Atlanta.

SEL:RG

"We Never Close"

Dec. 29th, 1931

Mr. Sam E. Levy,
United Jewish Appeal,
814 First Nat'l. Bank Bldg.,
Atlanta, Ga.

My dear Mr. Levy:-

Permit me to thank you for your kind letter
of Dec. 24th.

I wish I were free to come to Atlanta for
the Campaign. I should like to help you in the cause in
which you are engaged and I should also like to visit
Atlanta. Unfortunately my program for the next five or
six weeks is so crowded with out-of-town lectures that I
can not accept any more. I am already scheduled to be
away from Cleveland two or three days a week.

Perhaps at some future time I may be of
service to you and your community.

With kindest regards and best wishes to you
in your campaign, permit me to remain

Very sincerely yours,

AHS/IR



Letters forwarded today are not likely to be acted on before Monday

A WESTERN UNION NIGHT LETTER WILL GET ATTENTION EARLY SATURDAY

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RABBI ABBA HILLEL SILVER=

THE TEMPLE EAST 105 ST AT ANSEL RD CLEVELAND OHIO=

MAY I PERSONALLY URGE YOU TO ACCEPT INVITATION OF THE UNITED JEWISH APPEAL OF ATLANTA TO SPEAK AT THEIR OPENING CAMPAIGN AT DATE CONVENIENT FOR YOU IN THE VERY NEAR FUTURE I AM SURE YOU WILL ENDEAR YOURSELF TO THE HEARTS OF ALL ATLANTA JEWRY KINDEST PERSONAL REGARDS=

SIMON S SELIG.

El. 24

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RABBI ABBA HILLEL SILVER=

CARE THE TEMPLE CLEVELAND OHIO=

PRESENT JOINT CAMPAIGN IS FIRST UNITED EFFORT OF ALL
ELEMENTS HERE AND THEREFORE SUCCESS EXTREMELY IMPORTANT
STOP YOUR APPEARANCE WOULD BE OF IMMENSE HELP AND EARNESTLY
HOPE THAT YOU CAN FIND AN OPEN DATE IN FEBRUARY=

H A ALEXANDER.

~~Card~~

WIRE 1/8/32

H. A. ALEXANDER
ATLANTA GA.

ANSWER N. L. JAN. 7th, 1932

I FIND THAT IT WILL BE POSSIBLE FOR ME TO COME TO
ATLANTA ON WEDNESDAY FEBRUARY 24th FOR YOUR CAMPAIGN

A. H. SILVER

~~Train schedule~~

~~leave Cleveland 3:30 p.m.~~

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

My dear Rabbi Silver:

Immediately after having received confirmation of your coming to Atlanta February 24th, I set about perfecting as large an organization as possible for the successful culmination of our Appeal.

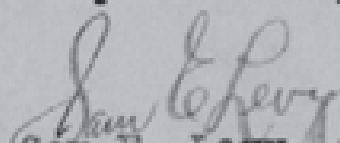
At a meeting of our Executive Council held last night, I formally announced your acceptance of our invitation to be with us and was asked to express not only on behalf of that body but, we feel sure, of the entire Jewish population of Atlanta, their sincere appreciation of your unselfish and devoted interest in our common cause.

We realize that your time is much in demand and in coming here at this particular season of the year in order to enable us to make our Appeal successful, it is keenly appreciated.

We trust we will have the pleasure of having you with us long enough to be able to make your stay enjoyable and if you will be kind enough to communicate with me and advise exactly when you expect to arrive and how long you will remain, I shall be grateful to you.

Anticipating the pleasure of meeting you personally,
I am

Very sincerely yours,



Sam E. Levy, Chairman
United Jewish Appeal of Atlanta.

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January 22, 1932.

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver,
c/o The Temple,
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Dr. Silver:

I will not attempt to tell you how grateful to you those responsible for our drive are for your acceptance of our invitation. We feel that your appearance here will be an outstanding event in the history of this community and furnish the basis for every just hope of success for raising our quota.

In order to become better acquainted with you, I would like to read your new book and would be gratefully obliged if you will send the enclosed check for \$2.00 to the proper address. I understand that this is the retail price of your book "Religion in a Changing World".

With kindest regards,

Sincerely yours,

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

My dear Rabbi Silver:

Due, no doubt, to the claim upon your time of other activities and duties, we have not yet heard in reply to our last inquiry as to the exact time of your arrival in Atlanta and as to how long you will be able to remain with us.

Because we want to arrange the final details of our program, I shall call you long distance Monday evening, February 1st, around 6:30 P.M., for the purpose of finding out this information without troubling you any more than we can possibly help.

The advice that you are coming here has had a splendid, stimulating effect upon our community and we are looking forward to the campaign, the results of which will not be measured entirely by dollars and cents alone. We intend to make the organization that is conducting this campaign a permanent one, in the nature of a Jewish Community Chest for outside calls for relief.

We have secured to date 150 of the best possible workers that can be had for such a campaign. Our major problem is, of course, the old problem of reaching our so-called Big Givers and making them fully understand their responsibility. It is our idea at present to have a Mass Meeting the evening of February 24th, at which time, of course, you will be the principal speaker and make an appeal for funds. We shall, however, begin in advance of the opening date to get subscriptions from the so-called Big Givers and while we hope to obtain quite a sum, may I ask your advice on something of this sort?

Do you think it a good idea to have a luncheon, or dinner a couple of hours prior to the Mass Meeting, to which will be invited not only those of the Big Givers who have already pledged themselves but also those who may not have subscribed and at that luncheon or dinner appeal for subscriptions and additions to the subscriptions already given? Would that be asking too much of you?

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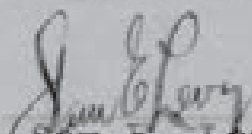
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If for some reason or other the telephone call at the time mentioned above will be inconvenient, we will appreciate your advising us by telegram collect.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,



Sam E. Levy, Chairman

United Jewish Appeal of Atlanta.

SEL:RG

"We Never Close"

Feb. 24, 1932

Mr. Sam E. Levy,
United Jewish Appeal,
816 First Nat. Bank Bldg.,
Atlanta, Ga.

My dear Mr. Levy:-

I was out when you called long distance and I received your letter advising me of this call this morning.

I plan to arrive in Atlanta Wednesday morning at 11:40 and will leave again that same night.

If you wish to arrange a luncheon for me at noon to meet the so-called big-givers, I shall be pleased to attend such a luncheon.

The method of raising funds at a mass meeting has not usually proved successful. The most effective method, of course, is to have an appeal made at a dinner, with the big givers solicited prior to it. Their gifts are then announced at the dinner meeting. People as a rule do not come to mass meetings with the idea of making contributions.

With kindest regards and best wishes, I remain

Very sincerely yours,

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GATE CITY LODGE No. 144. B'NAI B'RITH
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February 19, 1932.

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

My dear Rabbi Silver:

I am enclosing program for February 24th, the day on which you will be our guest. I am submitting the program in detail and trust it will meet with your approval.

After going into the matter very carefully, we find that in order to have any of the big givers at a meal at which you would speak, it was necessary to give a dinner and so we have a dinner arranged for 6:00 P.M. The audience should be about 250 and the dinner will be given at the Temple House by the Temple Sisterhood.

We hope to begin the dinner just as promptly after 6:00 P.M. as possible because it was also felt absolutely necessary that you speak before the general public. The Mass Meeting will be held at 8:15 P.M. in the Temple auditorium, which is at the other end of the building so that the dinner guests will simply go from the Assembly Room to the main auditorium, where seats will be reserved for them there.

I realize that it will be quite a task to ask you to speak twice the same evening but I am sincerely hoping that you will be able to do so.

For the afternoon, we place ourselves entirely at your disposal. Should you care for a ride about the city or a private talk with Rabbi Marx or prefer resting for the afternoon, that time will be left for your discretion.

The luncheon will simply consist of a few of those who are actively interested in the campaign, the official family so to speak, and while scheduled for 12:30, will also be subject to your convenience.

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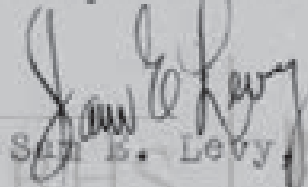
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You wrote me you would arrive at 11:40 A.M. but you did not say over which railroad you were traveling. From what city are you leaving? There are three stations in Atlanta and, of course, we would like to meet you at the right one.

If there is anything you would like to suggest or anything you would like for me to do, I will appreciate your writing me.

Very sincerely yours,



Sam E. Levy, Chairman

The United Jewish Appeal of Atlanta.

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GATE CITY LODGE No. 144. B'NAI B'RITH
ATLANTA, GEORGIA

PROGRAM FOR FEBRUARY 24th

Arrival at 11:40

RECEPTION COMMITTEE:

Rabbi David Marx
Sam E. Levy
H. A. Alexander
Max F. Goldstein
A. L. Feldman

Luncheon: 12:30

BILTMORE HOTEL

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
Rabbi David Marx
Rabbi Harry H. Epstein
Sam E. Levy
A. L. Feldman
H. A. Alexander
J. Saul
Max F. Goldstein
A. J. Weinberg
Julian Boehm
Sol I. Golden
Herbert J. Haas
Alfred Fox
Nathan H. Saltzman
Harold Altschul
David M. Meyer

PROGRAM EVENING OF 24th:

Dinner 6:00 P.M.

THE TEMPLE HOUSE

Sam E. Levy, Chairman
Grace by Rabbi Harry H. Epstein
Dinner
Purposes of United Jewish Appeal - Sam E. Levy
Presentation of Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver by
Rabbi David Marx
Speech - Rabbi Silver
Announcement by chairman
Adjournment to Temple Auditorium

Mass Meeting: 8:15 P.M.

On Rostrum, Rabbi Silver, Rabbi Marx, Mr. Levy
Opening Prayer - Rabbi Epstein
Organ and Vocal Solo - Chas. Sheldon.

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Purposes of United Jewish Appeal - Sam E. Levy

Presentation of Rabbi Silver by Rabbi Marx

Speech - Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver

Collection of pledge cards by ushers during
Organ solo by Prof. Chas. Sheldon

Announcements by chairman

Benediction - Rabbi Tobias Geffen.



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WILL ARRIVE IN ATLANTA=

SAM E LEVY CHAIRMAN UNITED JEWISH APPEAL OF ATLANTA.

Answer 2/22/32 Collect

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eight fifteen Wednesday morning.

A. H. Silver

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March 4, 1932.

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
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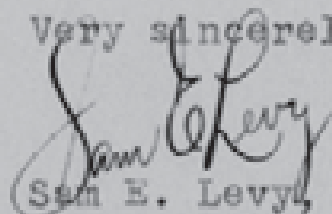
My dear Rabbi Silver:

It is with a great deal of appreciation that I write to thank you for having come to Atlanta in behalf of The United Jewish Appeal. Your words have left us inspired to carry on the work which seems to be the lot of the Jew.

Up until the present time, our campaign has not, I am sorry to say, been productive of as much in cash as we had hoped but we are still carrying on.

We wish for you many years of continued good health so that you may lead us in the work of Zionism and Israel.

Very sincerely yours,


Sam E. Levy, Chairman

The United Jewish Appeal of Atlanta.

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The Synagogue Brotherhood

of the Congregation Ahshath Achim

Atlanta, Ga.

November 1, 1938.

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

Dear Rabbi Silver:

I beg your kind attention to the following request, which I am making on behalf of our Congregation (orthodox), our Brotherhood and the Jewish community at large.

We are very anxious to have you appear in Atlanta to lecture. We, in this part of the country, stand in great need of having our recognized leaders come to us from time to time to clarify and analyze for us these trying times in which Jewry finds itself. We need a word of guidance as well as encouragement. We can think of no person more fit and able than yourself to bring such a message to a large community. Your presence would bring out a large audience both Jew and non-Jew.

Your appearance here would be sponsored by our Brotherhood and we shall gladly meet any honorarium you may set.

Any weekday evening would suit us. Won't you please make this sacrifice and come to us at a convenient date to yourself, thereby rendering great service to Jewry of Atlanta and the vicinity?

Awaiting your early and favorable reply, I am

Very sincerely yours,

Harry H. Epstein
Rabbi Harry H. Epstein.
714 Pulliam Street, S.W.

November 4, 1938

Rabbi Harry H. Epstein
714 Pulliam Street, S.W.
Atlanta, Ga.

My dear Rabbi Epstein:

I deeply appreciate your kind letter and your invitation to address your congregation. I wish that I were free to come to you. However, the work which I have undertaken this year in connection with the United Palestine Appeal on top of my normally crowded schedule makes it impossible for me to avail myself of the pleasure of accepting your invitation.

Perhaps at some future time I may be of service to you. With all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

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The Synagogue Brotherhood

of the Congregation Ahavath Achim



Atlanta, Ga.

November 9, 1938.

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Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Rabbi Silver:

Naturally, your reply disappointed us greatly. However, we realize full well how overcrowded your calendar is and we trust that in the future we shall be fortunate in securing a convenient date for your appearance here.

It has come to my intention that you are scheduled to be in Birmingham, Alabama, on January 16th. Now, Birmingham is only four hours ride from Atlanta. Could you perhaps give us the evening of January 17th? I cannot sufficiently convey to you the great good your address here would do for the entire Jewish community. If only possible for you, please give us January 17th.

As I have stated in my previous letter, a large audience, Jew and non-Jew, would welcome hearing your lecture.

Thanking you for your reply, I am

Sincerely yours,

Harry H. Epstein
Rabbi Harry H. Epstein.

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November 11, 1938

Rabbi Harry H. Epstein
714 Pulliam Street, S.W.
Atlanta, Ga.

My dear Rabbi Epstein:

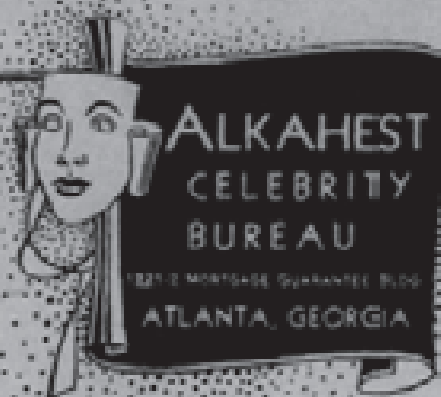
On January 17th, I am scheduled to address the convention of the Union of American Hebrew Congregations. You will therefore understand my inability to come to Atlanta.

With best wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

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June 6, 1942.

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

Dear Dr. Silver:

We have just received a call from one of our clients at Columbus, Georgia, wanting to know whether you would be available for a lecture engagement on their forum program there some time during the coming season, fall or winter or in the early spring. I think they would prefer a date early in the week, say Tuesday or Wednesday, though that could doubtless be arranged to suit your convenience.

Please let me know by return mail whether this would be possible and if so what fee you would expect, subject to the usual bureau commission.

In case we get this date set, we would be glad to make an effort to secure some engagements for you to connect. I believe we might secure a booking on one of our programs here in Atlanta.

If you have any literature, giving a list of your lecture topics, etc., I would appreciate your sending us a few copies of this in your reply.

Yours sincerely,

SRB.p.

June 12, 1942

Mr. S. R. Bridges, President
Alkahest Celebrity Bureau
1221-2 Mortgage Guarantee Bldg.
Atlanta, Ga.

My dear Mr. Bridges:

Thank you so much for your kind letter of June 6 and for your invitation to come to Columbus, Georgia sometime this coming season. I am afraid that I will not be available for lectures during the coming season. I have already undertaken so many lectures that it will not be possible for me to add to my schedule. Perhaps at some future time I may be able to be of service to you.

With all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BX

538 East Ave., N.E.
Atlanta, Ga.

S L B

Dec. 23, 1948

My dear Mr. Silver:

You will recall that you spoke with me by long distance telephone on Wednesday in New York. This letter is the promised memorandum of which we spoke.

The Women of Bnai B'rith in Atlanta are especially anxious to raise a tremendous amount of money on behalf of the State of Israel. We expect to use as our earning technique a dinner dinner. We need the most effective personalities

possible as the speaking
attraction, so that a
maximum benefit can be
realized in Behalf of Israel.

Needless to say, we
all have followed your
own brilliant contribution
to the cause of Israel. And
it would be our great
privilege and deep
pleasure if you could
find time in your busy
schedule to come to
Atlanta to address such
an occasion as I
have mentioned.

Any date between
now and May would
be suitable for us. We
are anxious only to
suit your convenience.

S L B

As I mentioned on the telephone, you would probably be asked to appear, during the same visit, on the Emory University Lecture Series.

We do not anticipate any problems connected with our enterprise. Our local Jewish Welfare Fund is a completely separate matter.

Please let us hear from you accepting our invitation. Our women - and the community will do anything to make your

appearance here comfortable
for you personally, and
profitable for Israel.

Every good wish
for Chanukah and
for always.

Sincerely yours,
Mrs. Paul S. Baron
for
Atlanta B'nai B'rith
Women

P.S. If you have several
dates which are available,
perhaps you can give us
the benefit of choice

December 24, 1948

Mrs. Paul J. Baron
538 East Ave., N.E.
Atlanta, Georgia

My dear Mrs. Baron:

Permit me to acknowledge your very kind letter of December 23rd. It would indeed give me great pleasure to address the Atlanta Women of B'nai B'rith. However, I have gone over my schedule very carefully, and in all justice to myself, I do not see my way clear to accepting any additional engagements for the current year. In addition to the manifold responsibilities of my own congregation in Cleveland, I am committed to a number of responsibilities which necessitate my being away from Cleveland frequently, and until things are more settled in our cause, I cannot obligate myself further. I would very much have enjoyed being with you, and I extend to you my best wishes for a very successful campaign.

Most cordially yours,

ABRA HILIEL SILVER

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JEWISH WAR VETERANS OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

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4th Region
1319 C & S Nat'l. Bank Bldg.
ATLANTA, GEORGIA

December 26, 1948

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
19810 Shaker Blvd.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Rabbi:

As National Vice Commander, in charge of the coming National Constitutional Convention of the Jewish War Veterans of the United States, it was the consensus of opinion of the Convention Committee, that an invitation be extended to you, and you be urged to be the principal speaker at the banquet to be held Sunday night, March 27th, 1949.

The Jewish War Veterans of the United States will hold its National Constitutional Convention in Atlanta, Georgia, from March 24th to 28th inclusive, and we anticipate representation of delegates from over 600 JWV Posts throughout the country.

This will be one of the most outstanding conventions ever held by JWV, and in view of the close cooperation of our organization and those whom you represent, we have come to the conclusion that from a public relations standpoint, both on a local as well as a national scale, that you, and only you, in your usual dynamic manner could cement more firmly that direly needed relationship for the great cause to which you have pledged your life, and about which we think alike.

As Georgia's representative to the Zionist Emergency Council Meeting held in Washington, D. C. last year, I had the pleasure of meeting you, and will forever hold dear those few minutes.

Your address at this function has been discussed with District and Regional Zionist heads and leaders, all of whom have agreed that your appearance in Atlanta at the appointed time, is one of the most important appearances you will make throughout the entire year.

All community officials will be invited as our guests to hear your address at this banquet, and your message will be directed at a potential reservoir of those whom we need as our friends for this great cause.

Of course, all of your expenses incident to your trip to Atlanta for this occasion will be paid for by this organization.

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Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver,

page 2

12/26/48

There will be no money raising activities in connection with your appearance or this convention, or attendant thereto, as your appearance is not only desired, but direly needed, solely for public relations purposes in the deep south.

With every good wish for a successful, happy and prosperous New Year, and anxiously awaiting your acceptance, I am,

Sincerely,



PAUL GINSBERG

National Vice Commander,
Jewish War Veterans of the United States.

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CONGRESSIONAL RECORD

Universal Military Training Mass Meeting

SPEECH
OF
HON. JAMES C. DAVIS

OF GEORGIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, March 29, 1948

Mr. DAVIS of Georgia. Mr. Speaker, on March 20, 1948, in Atlanta, Ga., the veterans of Georgia, led by my good friend Paul Ginsberg, commander of the Department of Georgia, Jewish War Veterans, held a mass meeting and demonstration, urging the adoption of universal military training, as a measure to insure peace.

The Georgia veterans UMT committee had as its chairman Mr. Paul Ginsberg, with my good friends, Dr. W. E. Burdine, commander, Department of Georgia, American Legion, and C. Flannery Pope, commander, Department of Georgia, Veterans of Foreign Wars, as vice chairmen.

This was an outstanding meeting, with well known national exponents of universal military training participating in the program, and I think that the example set by Georgia veterans should be followed in other of our States. For this reason I should like to extend my remarks to cover in detail the events as they transpired, which should prove beneficial to other veteran and civic groups who desire such an undertaking.

The veterans organizations of Georgia, in cooperation with many civic organizations of Atlanta, held a mass meeting and demonstration, urging the adoption of universal military training, as a measure to insure peace, with its theme "we are calling on Congress to insure peace through UMT."

This meeting was sponsored by the Jewish War Veterans, Department of Georgia; the American Legion, Department of Georgia; Veterans of Foreign Wars, Department of Georgia; Disabled American Veterans, Department of Georgia; AMVETS, Department of Georgia; Military Order of World Wars; Marine Corps League; Reserve Officers Association; Air Reserve Association; Atlanta Barbed Wire Club; Fleet Reserve Association; Reserve Officers' Naval Services; Naval Reserve Officers' Association; United Spanish War Veterans; the participating civic organizations being the Atlanta Chamber of Commerce; the Atlanta Junior Chamber of Commerce; Atlanta Lions Clubs; Kiwanis Club of Atlanta; and the Atlanta Lodge, No. 78, BPO Eiks.

The program was presided over by Mr. Paul Ginsberg, commander, Department of Georgia, Jewish War Veterans. Rev. Courteney Oakes, chaplain of the Depart-

ment of Georgia, American Legion, delivered the invocation, which was followed by the singing of the national anthem and the salute to the flag. Hon. M. E. Thompson, Governor of Georgia, was the first speaker. He favored UMT, stating: "I favor UMT if I knew there would never be another war." He was followed by the Honorable William B. Hartsfield, mayor of Atlanta, who likewise favored UMT. Hon. Blake R. Van Leer, president of the Georgia School of Technology, was the next speaker on the program, followed by the Army UMT expert, Brig.-Gen. Josef R. Sheetz, commanding general of the experimental UMT unit, at Fort Knox, Ky. General Sheetz gave a thorough outline of the training procedure that is being carried on at Fort Knox and the procedure that would be used under the UMT program.

Admiral L. R. DuBose, commandant of the Sixth Naval District of Charleston, S. C., gave a stirring address. He declared that UMT is conceived as a cold, practical means to protect our very lives. He warned that another Pearl Harbor in this atomic era might spell national disaster if our military punch is too little or too late. He emphatically warned that, should war come again, we might have only 1 hour to prepare.

Maj. Gen. Edward P. King, Jr., retired, our hero of Bataan, and himself a prisoner of war, who was charged with the heartbreaking task of surrendering our forces on Bataan to the Japanese, arose and offered himself as a horrible example of the results of unpreparedness. General King spoke with feeling, as he told what it means to send untrained men into battle. His plea rang true.

Paul Ginsberg, commander of the department of Georgia, Jewish War Veterans, and chairman of the meeting, opened the rally by declaring that Representative Leo ALLEN, Republican, Illinois, is keeping the UMT bill off the floor of the House and called upon Representative ALLEN to let the measure be brought out for a congressional vote, and a democratic discussion in this democratic country where the will of the people could be heard and carried forth.

A combat motion picture, featuring captured Japanese newsreel films, and showing the invasion of Bataan and Corregidor, the capture of our forces, death march of Bataan, and a detailed account of the Battle of Manila, was the closing feature of the program.

Among the distinguished guests present on the rostrum were: Brig. Gen. Alpha Fowler, adjutant general of Georgia; Brig. Gen. George Finch, commanding general, Fifty-fourth Fighter Wing; Col. Donald Spicer, commanding

officer, United States Marine Corps; Capt. Edward S. Addison, United States Navy; Col. Jack Gillespie, United States Army; Capt. George Griffin, commanding officer, United States Naval Reserve; Dr. George Sparks, director, University of Georgia, Atlanta division; and Earle Cocke, Jr., national defense chairman, American Legion, of Georgia.

Gov. M. E. Thompson acted as host at a buffet supper given at the Governor's Mansion, for the speakers and the distinguished guests. The YAARAB temple Shrine "Million Dollar" band furnished the music.

It is respectfully submitted, that meetings such as this, are good investments in patriotism. That veterans and civic organizations throughout the country, should follow the lead set by the Georgia veterans.

I want to particularly commend most highly, the efforts of Paul Ginsberg, who first conceived the idea of this mass meeting, and devoted a considerable amount of time and effort to make this rally a success. Mr. Ginsberg is a veteran of World War II, having served with distinction in the southwest Pacific where he received several awards. He was permanently injured as a result of enemy action and was retired as a captain. He is active in veterans affairs, also being commander of the Betty Harrison Jones, chapter 1, Disabled American Veterans, the sixth largest DAV chapter in the United States, and is also national junior vice-commander of the Disabled American Veterans organization, and a past commander of another veterans organization in Atlanta.

He is the type of patriotic citizen who deserves recognition and has always led the light for justice for those who have sacrificed their youth and part of their bodies or their health in our country's most hazardous occupation, its military and naval services during time of war.

Mr. Ginsberg is a leader, and believer that faith must be kept with those who have made such sacrifices in the past, as well as those who are, or have been, dependent upon these heroes, so that other young men who, in the future, may be called upon to make similar sacrifices, will have the assurance, on the basis of past performances, that if they, too, should also be so unfortunate, that they will not be permitted to become mere forgotten heroes.

I cannot let this opportunity pass without paying high tribute to the leadership, ability and integrity of one of Georgia's heroes, outstanding veterans and a leading citizen of the Atlanta community, Mr. Paul Ginsberg.

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December 30, 1948

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
19810 Shaker Blvd.
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi Silver:

You doubtless have been informed of the JNV's National Constitution Convention to be held in Atlanta from March 24-28 inclusive. It will be a most propitious time to further the great cause for which you have pledged your life, and about which we think alike.

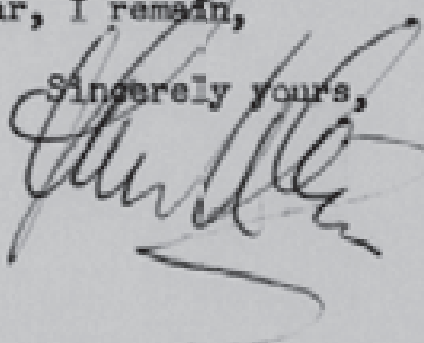
The JNV has become an institution in America - one of which we are all very proud; nevertheless, we must at all times maintain good public relations. With your dynamic character, national prominence and great influence upon our people, I know that only you can effectively cement the relationship between the Atlanta community and the JNV, and the relationship of our people to the entire country.

My pleasant and memorable associations with you have always served as inspiration for me to carry on for our noble cause. And I know that same inspiration can be imparted to all the delegates to the convention, and to the Atlanta community. Therefore, I urge you to accept the invitation to be principal speaker at the banquet to be held Sunday night, March 27th. Whenever the Zionist organization or any of the affiliated organizations called on me to be of service to them, I always responded affirmatively. Now we call on you to be of service to us; I know that you will not fail us. It will mean so much to all of us if you do decide to accept.

I will be present at the convention and will look forward to seeing you there.

With best wishes and kindest regards from Mrs. Klein and myself for a very Happy New Year, I remain,

Sincerely yours,



JK:cl

December 31, 1948

Mr. Paul Ginsberg
National Vice Commander
Jewish War Veterans
1319 C & S National Bank Bldg.
Atlanta, Georgia

My dear Mr. Ginsberg:

Permit me to thank you for your kind letter of December 26th and for your gracious invitation. I have not in recent years been able, because of my pre-occupation with Zionist activities, to accept invitations to speak. I was compelled to decline an invitation last year from the Jewish War Veterans. I feel, however, that I should like this year to meet with your splendid body, and accordingly, I shall be most happy to accept your invitation to address your banquet on Sunday evening, March 27th. This will necessitate my being out of my own pulpit that morning, but I shall try to find someone to occupy it.

Please convey my good wishes to my friends in the Jewish War Veterans of the United States who have so magnificently helped in our common cause during the last few critical years, when we were fighting for the establishment of the state of Israel.

Most cordially yours,

ABBA HILLEL SILVER

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January 3, 1949

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

Dear Rabbi:

I wish to thank you very kindly for your letter of December 31 accepting our invitation to be the speaker at our banquet of the National Constitutional Convention of the Jewish War Veterans of the United States to be held in Atlanta on March 27.

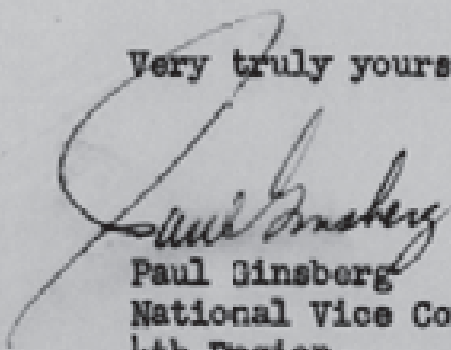
Within the near future we will break publicity on your appearance.

We anticipate a minimum of 1,000 people at this banquet representing our delegates from throughout the country together with various leaders of the community as our guests. I shall be in touch with you from time to time and would appreciate your advising me your expected date of arrival in order that arrangements might be made for private receptions in your honor with local as well as Southeastern community leaders.

I am grateful for your acceptance of this invitation, and after you attend this function, I am sure you will agree that this will be the most important appearance that you will make throughout the entire year.

With every good wish for a happy and most successful New Year and for the years to come, I am

Very truly yours,


Paul Ginsberg
National Vice Commander
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January 24th
1949

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver
19810 Shaker Blvd
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Dear Rabbi Silver:

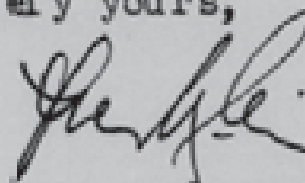
I was very pleased to hear that you will be the principal speaker at the Jewish War Veteran's banquet on Sunday night, March 27th, at the National Constitutional Convention of the Jewish War Veterans of America. I am sincerely grateful that you have seen fit to accept our invitation.

Your appearance at the convention will promote immeasurable goodwill between JWV and the Atlanta community, and will be of tremendous value to JWV in general.

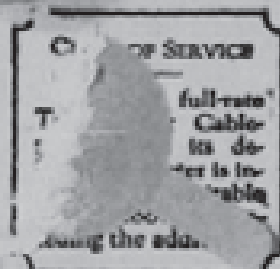
As always, I am at your service whenever you feel I can be of some help. I will be present at the convention, and will look forward to seeing you there.

With best wishes and kindest regards from Mrs. Klein and myself, I remain,

Sincerely yours,



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RABBI JACOB M. ROTHSCHILD
THE TEMPLE
1889 PEACHTREE ROAD, N. W.
ATLANTA, GA.

February 8, 1949

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

Dear Dr. Silver:

I have just learned that you are coming to Atlanta to address the Convention of the Jewish War Veterans on Sunday, March 27. I know how busy you are but I am hoping against hope that you can find it possible to accept this most warm invitation to occupy my pulpit on the Friday preceding your J. W. V. speech.

I can't begin to tell you what a thrill it would be for me to have you in the pulpit of the Temple here in Atlanta and I know that the Congregation would certainly consider it a great privilege and honor to be given the opportunity to hear one of the great Jewish leaders of our time. We shall of course take care of any additional expense you might have.

I have not mentioned how nice it would be to have you here long enough so that we would be able to spend some time together. Nor have I made any mention of the fact - as an off the record commentary - that we could definitely use a sermon from you in this Congregation!

With best wishes and kindest personal regards, I am

As always, sincerely,

Jack

JMR:bw

February 11, 1949

Rabbi Jacob M. Rothschild
The Temple
1589 Peachtree Road, N.W.
Atlanta, Georgia

My dear Jack:

I deeply appreciate your kind letter of February 8th. I wish very much that I could come and occupy your pulpit on the evening preceding my appearance at the Jewish War Veterans Convention on Sunday, March 27th. Unfortunately, I shall not be able to spend that much time in Atlanta. I plan to arrive the day of the meeting and to leave that same evening, if possible. As you must know, my schedule has been a very crowded one, and it is quite impossible for me to spend three days in any one community.

I am looking forward with keen pleasure to seeing you in Atlanta. With all good wishes, I remain

Most cordially yours,

ABBA HILLEL SILVER

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JEWISH WAR VETERANS OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

1319 CITIZENS & SOUTHERN NATIONAL BANK BLDG., ATLANTA, GEORGIA

PAUL GINSBERG

National Vice Commander
4th Region

February 15, 1949

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

Dear Rabbi:

Enclosed you will find a few newspaper clippings relative to your appearance as principal speaker at the banquet to be held on Sunday evening, March 27, in Atlanta as a climax to the National Constitutional Convention of the Jewish War Veterans of the United States.

I am delighted to advise that our entire organization, as well as our community, is ablaze with excitement over your appearance here, which will mark a historical event for this community.

Both local newspapers have requested that I obtain a copy of your speech a few days in advance in order to give them an opportunity to publicize same in the morning papers following your address. The morning paper goes to press Sunday evening prior to the time you will finish your address.

Even though the function is approximately six weeks away, we have reservations for practically all of the 900 available seats for the banquet, which include approximately 200 invited guests. Along with the Mayor and Governor, our invited guests include outstanding Gentile and Jewish citizens of this community.

From the reservations received, indications are that we will have representation from practically our entire national organization, from Boston to California.

Please advise me, at your earliest opportunity, when you expect to arrive and your method of transportation. If you plan to travel by air, please check the weather the night before; and if there is any danger of delay in your arrival in Atlanta by Sunday, please travel via train, as one thing is certain, nothing must prevent your being with us.

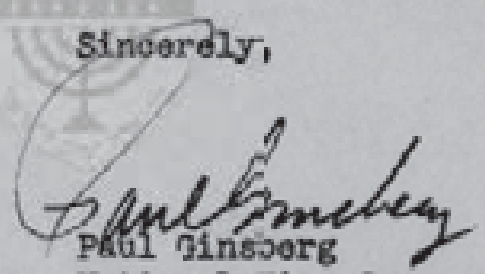
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Further, I would like to send you a check for your expenses in advance, and plans are being made for cocktail party, luncheons and a reception in true Southern style which, unquestionably, you will never forget. Thus, it is necessary that the date, time and method of your arrival be known as soon as possible in order that we might invite guests to these functions and set the dates and time therefor.

I am enclosing a copy of the Congressional Record in order that you might acquaint yourself with the writer. Being very active in Palestine affairs, certain of our enemies took up the cry "dual citizenship". I thereupon evolved upon the idea of holding a mass meeting and rally urging the adoption of Universal Military Training, and so successful was this venture that President Truman sent for me. I visited with him in Washington, where he highly commended me for this patriotic American spirit. If you have the opportunity of reading the attached copy of the Congressional Record, you will note the magnitude of the meeting.

With every good wish and looking forward to hearing from you as soon as possible, I am

Sincerely,


Paul Ginsberg
National Vice Commander
4th Region, J. W. V.

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February 17, 1949

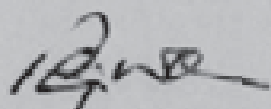
Dr. Abba Hillel Silva
c/o Temple
Cleveland, Ohio

My dear Doctor Silva:

General Julius Klein was so thoughtful as to bring to my attention your visit to Atlanta to speak to the organization of Jewish war veterans. I am advised by Mr. Paul Ginsberg of Atlanta, who is in charge of the program, that you are firmly determined to limit your engagements here to this one address. I hope that subsequent events have changed your determination. It would be a pleasure to have you as a guest of the University.

With kindest regards and high respect,

Sincerely yours,



Philip Weltner
President

PW:mn

GEORGE STARR PECK
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March 3, 1949

Rabbi Abta Hillel Silver,
The Temple,
East 105th Street and Ansel Road,
Cleveland, Ohio.

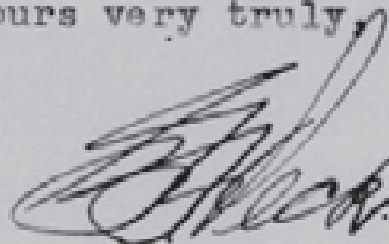
Dear Rabbi:-

I am writing you at the suggestion of Honorable Paul Ginsberg of Atlanta who advises me that you will be in our City on March 27th and 28th.

As Chairman of the Atlanta Masonic Club Program Committee, we would be very happy if you could find it possible to address our Club on Wednesday, March 30, 1949 at our Noon dinner meeting. Brother Ginsberg is a member of our Club and if you are able to come I would be happy to have him introduce you.

I know that you are a very busy man but if circumstances permit we would be honored to have you as our guest speaker on that day. I shall hold the date open until I hear from you.

Yours very truly,



GSP/eb

March 4, 1919

Mr. George Starr Peck
1510 The 22 Marietta St. Building
Atlanta, Georgia

My dear Mr. Peck:

Permit me to acknowledge your letter of March 3rd and your kind invitation to address the Atlanta Masonic Club on Wednesday, March 30th. It would indeed give me great pleasure to do so, but unfortunately, I shall have to return to Cleveland on Monday, March 26th.

With all good wishes, I remain

Most cordially yours,

ABRAHAM HILFEL SILVER

AHS:er

March 7, 1949

Mr. Paul Ginsberg, National Vice-Commander
Jewish War Veterans of the United States
1319 Citizens & Southern National Bank Bldg.
Atlanta, Georgia

Dear Mr. Ginsberg:

With regard to Rabbi Silver's engagement in Atlanta on Sunday, March 27th, he is planning to arrive by train on March 27th at 10:40 a.m. via the "Ponce de Leon". As yet, we do not have confirmation of space, but I am hopeful that it will be available. Rabbi Silver will leave Atlanta on Monday, March 28th, at 2:20 p.m. via Capitol Airlines Flight 480. I shall appreciate your notifying me of the hotel where you are making reservations for Rabbi Silver.

Sincerely yours,

Secretary to Rabbi Silver

or

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PAUL GINSBERG

National Vice Commander
4th Region

March 9, 1949

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

Attention: Miss Elizabeth Rice

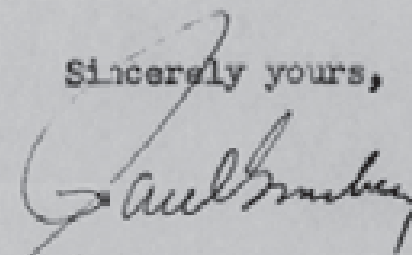
Dear Miss Rice:

Thank you for your communication of March 7. We will make arrangements to meet Dr. Silver at the train Sunday morning, March 27, upon the arrival of the "Ponce de Leon" at 10:40 A.M. If there is any change in schedule, please notify me accordingly.

A suite has been reserved for Dr. Silver at the Piedmont Hotel, which is Convention Headquarters, and I am sure he will be comfortable.

Thanking you very kindly, I am

Sincerely yours,



Paul Ginsberg
National Vice Commander
4th Region, J. W. V.

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March 22, 1949

Mr. Paul Ginsberg
Jewish War Veterans of America
1319 Citizens & Southern National Bank Bldg.
Atlanta, Georgia

Dear Mr. Ginsberg:

Dr. Silver will arrive in Atlanta via Delta Air Lines
Saturday night, March 26th, at 9:11 p.m.

As far as expenses are concerned, I believe that \$100
will cover round trip transportation and any incidental
expenses en route.

With best wishes for a very successful Convention, I
am

Very sincerely yours,

Secretary to Dr. Silver

or

March 29, 1949

Mr. Myer Lorfman, National Commander
Jewish War Veterans of America
50 East 77th Street
New York 21, New York

My dear Friend:

Upon my return home, I found the enclosed memorandum which was sent out by the President of the Northwest Zionist Region on the recent controversy. I think it is a very good statement on the behind-the-scenes factors of the recent controversy. Having promised to send you something on the subject, I am passing it on to you. If you will obtain the last issue of the "New Palestine", you will find a few articles there which will give you the broad outlines of the controversy.

With all good wishes, I remain

Most cordially yours,

ABBA HILLEL SILVER

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4th Region

March 29, 1949

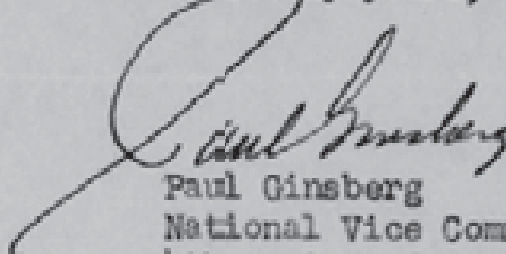
Miss Elizabeth Rice
The Temple
East 105th Street at Ansel Road
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Miss Rice:

In response to your letter of March 22, I am herewith enclosing check in the amount of \$100.00, as per your suggestion, to cover the expenses of Dr. Silver incidental to his trip to Atlanta.

We were delighted to have Dr. Silver with us. The banquet was a huge success, one of the greatest ever held in the State of Georgia, and words fail me if I attempt to express my appreciation of Dr. Silver's acceptance of this invitation. I do hope an opportunity will arise wherein I can in some small way reciprocate.

Sincerely yours,



Paul Ginsberg
National Vice Commander
4th Region, J. W. V.

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JEWISH WAR VETERANS OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

50 WEST 77TH STREET, NEW YORK 24, N. Y.

MYER DORFMAN
NATIONAL COMMANDER

April 1, 1949

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

Dear Rabbi:-

I first wish to take this opportunity of telling you how much I enjoyed meeting and visiting with you in Atlanta.

I thank you for the memorandum on the controversy that we discussed and I shall make it a point to digest all the information so that I can intelligently discuss it with interested people as I travel around the country.

With warm personal regards, I am

Sincerely yours,

Myer Dorfman
National Commander

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PAUL GINSBERG

National Vice Commander
4th Region

April 4, 1949

Rabbi Abba Hiller Silver
The Temple
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi Silver:

On behalf of our entire organization, the Jewish War Veterans of the United States, I wish to express to you our heartfelt thanks and appreciation for your having graced us by your presence at our recent convention, held here in Atlanta. I have heard from many of the people who were in attendance at the final banquet, at which you spoke, that your speech was the most invigorating and challenging they had ever heard.

We of the Jewish War Veterans of the United States are proud to have been your host on this occasion. Your presence at our convention was emblematic of the strong ties of friendship and cooperation which exist between the Jewish War Veterans of the United States and our National Zionist Organization.

Yours very truly,

Paul Ginsberg
PAUL GINSBERG
National Vice-Commander
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Dr. Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Dr. Silver:

Atlanta Zionists herald your sixtieth anniversary and wish you "ad gevuros".

Our district would be grateful and proud to have you as an A. Z. F. banquet guest on any of the following dates most convenient to you.

Sunday, March 8th
Sunday, March 15th
Sunday, March 22nd
Wednesday, March 25th
Sunday, March 29th

Your presence in Atlanta would lend impetus and unquestioned zeal to our quickened spirit for a re-mobilization of our Zionist efforts and ranks. We have indeed cried out, in your words, in a recent membership effort in our town, ---"is this the time for Zionists to demobilize?"

Consider our invitation in your kindest manner and come reason with us so that we can breathe fresh insight into some of our "atzomoth yeveshoth".

All necessary arrangements will be provided for your visit. Zionists from all ranks will be invited to attend the banquet which will be both an inspiration and a landmark for Atlanta Jewry.

May we have your favorable reply?

Very truly yours,

Sidney Q. Janus
Dr. Sidney Q. Janus, President
Atlanta Zionist District

EVERY MEMBER A BOND HOLDER

February 13, 1953

Dr. Sidney L. James
Atlanta Zionist District
617 Peters Building
Atlanta, Georgia

My dear Dr. James:

Thank you for your letter of January 12th and for your good wishes on the occasion of my 60th anniversary. I am sorry that I have not replied to it before now, but I have been away from the city a good deal of time and my correspondence has lagged.

I wish I could accept your gracious invitation to attend the AZF banquet in your city during the month of March. It would have given me a great deal of pleasure to come. Unfortunately, time will not permit it. I am leaving within a few days for an extensive visit in behalf of the AZF to the Pacific coast. Early in March I am also to be in Mexico. I have already scheduled quite a number of out-of-town engagements for March and April. It is, therefore, quite out of the question for me to take on any additional responsibilities away from Cleveland. I trust that you will understand. I hope that I may be of service to you at some future time.

Wishing you great success in your undertaking, I remain

Most cordially yours,

ABBA HILLEL SILVER

AHS:er

JOSEPH F. HAAS

1116 FIRST NATIONAL BANK BLDG.

ATLANTA, GEORGIA

September 18, 1954.

My dear Dr. Silver:

I know that the demands on your time are heavy, and I am sure that with the Tercentenary celebrations, the next six months will be particularly full.

Nevertheless, when the Atlanta Tercentenary Committee, of which I am Chairman, determined upon the idea of sponsoring a series of lectures to elaborate upon the theme of the Tercentenary, I immediately thought of you and how much your giving the opening lecture in this series could mean to the entire community.

Our program calls for a series of four lectures to which the public will be invited, and the subjects of these lectures and the proposed Lecturers are, as follows:

"The American Adventure in Freedom" - Dr. Abba Hillel Silver

"Jewish Contributions to American Freedom" (not yet determined).

"Today's Challenge to American Freedom" - Henry Steele Commager.

"Tomorrow's Promise for American Freedom" - Dr. Frank Graham.

Our hope is to have the first lecture some time during the month of November, preferably after the 15th. The second one probably in January, the third one in February, and the fourth one in March.

If you could possibly accept this invitation it would be a great thing for Atlanta and the Jews of Atlanta.

I would appreciate very much your advising me whether you could accept this, and, if so, whether anything should be provided in addition to your full expenses. I should like to add that Betsy and I would deem it a great privilege to have you and Mrs. Silver as our guests. I should also appreciate it if you could let me know what date after the 15th of November would be most suitable. The reason I suggest a date after the 15th is that I am going to have to be out of the City from the 7th until the 15th. A date in November prior to the 7th would be equally satisfactory to us as after the 15th.

JOSEPH F. HAAS

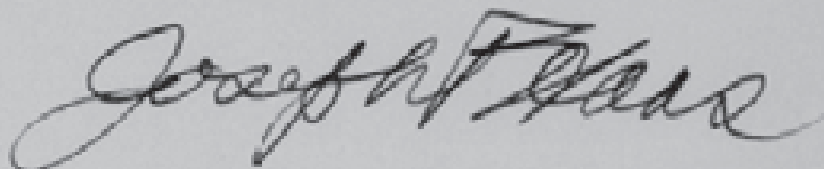
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I look forward to hearing from you.

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

Cordially yours,



JOSEPH F. HAAS

JFH:RS



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

September 27, 1954

Mr. Joseph F. Haas
1116 First National Bank Building
Atlanta, Georgia

My dear Friend:

Permit me to thank you for your kind letter of September 18th and for your gracious invitation to participate in your Tercentenary program. I wish I were free to come, especially as it would have offered me the pleasure of seeing you and Betsy again.

Unfortunately, I have accepted so many invitations from communities throughout the country in connection with the Tercentenary that I cannot, in justice to myself and to my work here in Cleveland, take on any additional out of town engagements. I do hope that I may be of service to you at some future time.

Wishing you and Betsy a most happy New Year in which Virginia joins me, I remain

Most cordially yours,

ABRA HILLEL SILVER

AHS:rms

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Eighty-Five Peachtree Building - ATLANTA
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March 21st, 1955

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

Dear Doctor Silver:

The Kfar Silver project of the Atlanta Zionist District will be climaxed on Sunday, May 29th, 1955.

I am writing to urge that you most earnestly consider addressing us as our guest of honor at a formal banquet to be held at the Grand Ballroom of our large and commodious Progressive Club.

The proceeds for the Kfar Silver dormitory will be derived from a unique effort on our part, culminating in the publication of a spiritual history of the Atlanta Jewish community.

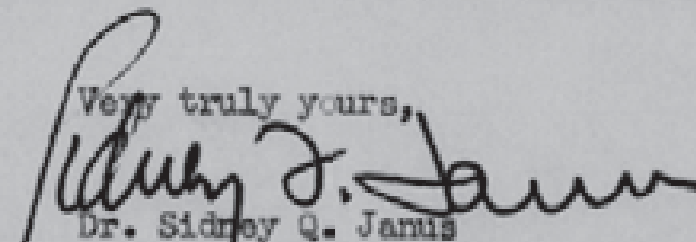
Authored by Zionist leaders in our community, this publication will be ready for presentation to the banquet guests on May 29th.

It is from the already committed sponsorship and the sale of this Zionist document, titled "Our Story", that we intend to present to you on May 29th, a substantial check in fulfillment of our pledge for a dormitory in Kfar Silver.

In this, the Sabbath year of Israel's statehood, we can think of no better way to demonstrate our faith in Zion Restored.

Won't you please make every effort humanly possible, to be with us. We shall be diligent to search for a new date, should May 29th be inconvenient for you. The community is cleared for your arrival on that date.

Very truly yours,



Dr. Sidney Q. James
Chairman, American Zionist Fund - Atlanta

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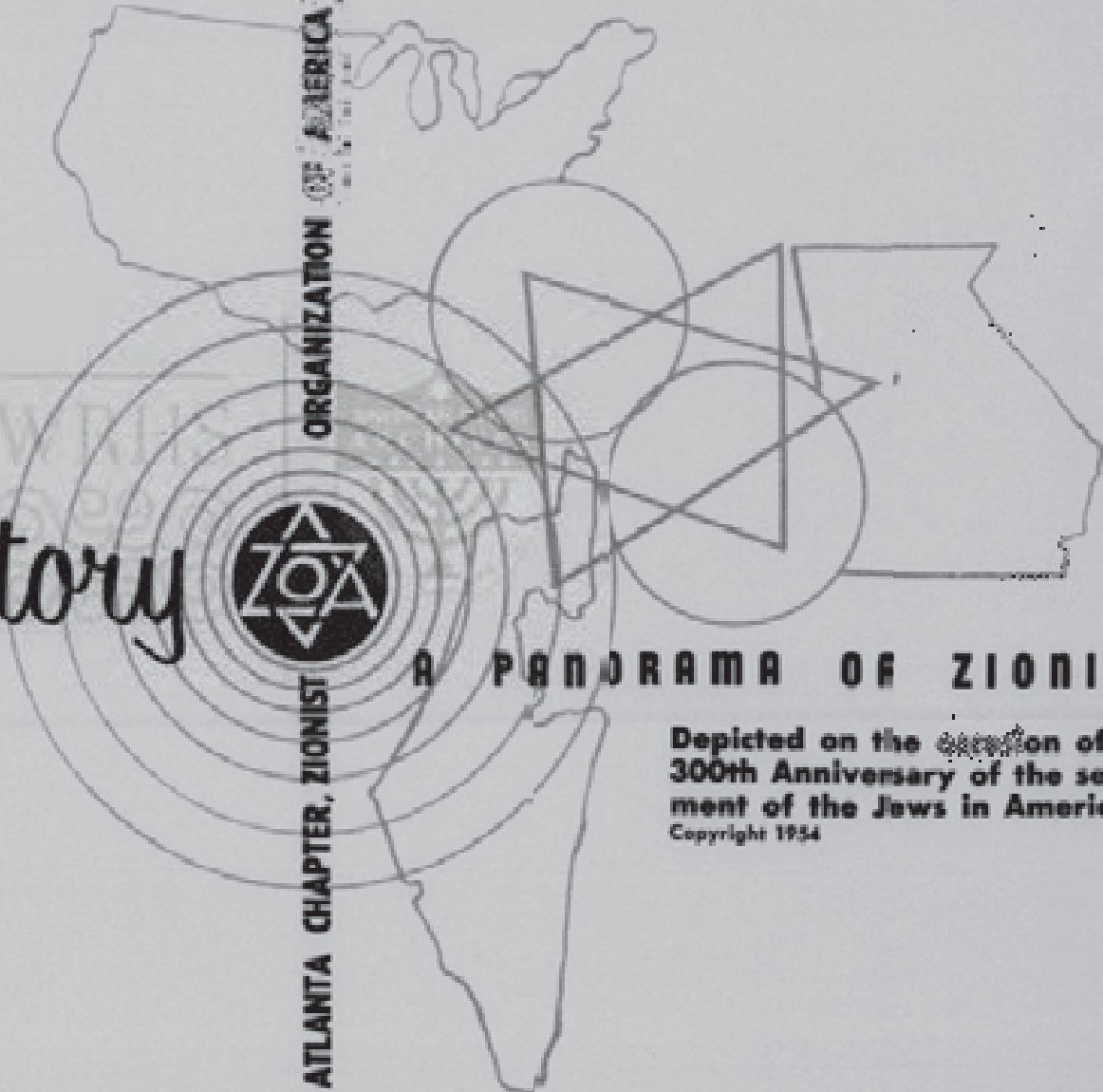
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Pledged to alert the members of our community to the problems facing Israel; to foster positive and sound Israel-American relations; to advance the knowledge of Hebrew and our Jewish heritage in our country and in our community; to extend economic aid to Israel, we set forth on this project with full realization of its magnitude, and with confidence that success is within our grasp, when as individuals and collectively, we become aware that by supporting Israel we enrich ourselves.



Our Story

ORGANIZATION OF AMERICA

ATLANTA CHAPTER, ZIONIST

A PANORAMA OF ZIONISM

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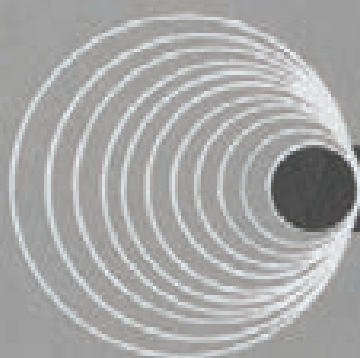
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March 24, 1955

Dr. Sidney Q. Janus
805 Peachtree Building
Atlanta, Georgia

My dear Dr. Janus:

Thank you for your kind letter of March 21st and for your invitation to address the Atlanta Zionist District on Sunday evening, May 29th.

Unfortunately, I have a long-standing wedding scheduled for that evening. Sundays generally are not good days for me as I must attend to my congregational duties then, including preaching in my own pulpit. It may be possible for me to come on a weekday. Furthermore, before I commit myself to an engagement, I should like to know what your actual contribution to the Kfar Silver will be.

With all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

ABBA HILLEL SILVER

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DR SIDNEY Q JANUS CHAIRMAN AMERICAN ZIONIST
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March 29, 1955

Dr. Sidney Janas
805 Peachtree Street Building
Atlanta, Georgia

Dear Sidney:

Thank you for sending me a copy of your invitation to Dr. Silver to address a function on May 29.

As I told you, Dr. Silver will only address a ZOA district if he will receive a written commitment for a minimum of \$15,000. In your letter to Dr. Silver you made no such commitment, and later you wrote me that the check would be something in four figures. This may be anywhere from \$1,000 to \$9,000. I am afraid that in such circumstances it is doubtful that Dr. Silver will agree to accept your invitation. I believe that it is necessary for you to have a much heavier commitment for Dr. Silver before you can get his acceptance.

I hear very many nice things about the progress of your book, that it should not be difficult to make a commitment of this kind.

I look forward to hearing from you, and send you my warmest wishes.

Sincerely yours,

Harrah Stein, Director
American Zionist Fund

HS:mky

cc: Dr. Abba Hillel Silver
Helen Schneider

April 1, 1955

Mr. Mortimer May
Zionist Organization of America
145 East 32nd Street
New York 16, New York

My dear Mortimer:

Dr. Janus of Atlanta contacted me about coming to Atlanta on Sunday evening, May 29th for the Kfar Silver project. I wrote him on the date of March 24th that I could not come on May 29th. As it is a Sunday, I must be in my own pulpit, and I have weddings in the evening.

I suggested some mid-weekday, and I also inquired what their actual contribution to Kfar Silver will be. I have received the enclosed telegram which indicates that they are postponing the date to September or October. I am in no position to commit myself now to any dates in September or October. Furthermore, the amount of their commitment is rather disappointing.

With all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

ABBA HILLEL SILVER

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June 7, 1955

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
E. 105th St. & Ansel Road
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Dr. Silver:

Once again it is my pleasant task to reopen the possibility of your gracing our community. It was with deep regret that we had not been able to arrange an appearance for you here, up to this point.

It has this week been made possible for the Atlanta Zionist District to provide you with a more widely representative group than was previously planned. The Convention of the Southeast Region of the Zionist Organization of America has been scheduled for the Labor Day week-end, September 2nd through the 5th, in Atlanta, Georgia.

We are planning to combine this convention with the launching of the much discussed book about which I have already written to you.

Could you possibly choose a date during this week-end and ^{be} with us?

I shall not repeat the obvious, by relating to you what a tremendous impact your appearance would be, both to Atlanta and the Jewish community of the Southeast Region of Z.O.A.

I shall appreciate an early reply from you.

Kindest regards,

Sidney Q. Janus
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June 29, 1955

Dr. Sidney Q. Janus
Zionist Organization of America
Suite 604
41 Exchange Place, S. E.
Atlanta 3, Georgia

My dear Dr. Janus:

I am leaving for Europe within a few days and will be gone until the first of September. It will not be possible for me to be away from Cleveland so soon after my return from a protracted absence abroad, so that I must decline your gracious invitation to address the convention of the Southeast Region of the Zionist Organization of America in Atlanta on the Labor Day weekend.

I hope that I may be of service to you at some future time.

With warmest regards, I remain

Most cordially yours,

ABBA HILLEL SILVER

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Dr. Abba Hillel Silver,
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East 105th Street at Ansel Rd.,
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Dear Dr. Silver:

Thank you for the opportunity to discuss your
forthcoming visit to Atlanta.

Dr. Sidney Q. Janus, our Chairman of the Funds
Committee, will communicate with you in reference to
details.

We trust your reply to Dr. Janus will be a
stimulus for the full dress dinner affair at which
time you will be presented with your check.

Kind personal regards.

Sincerely yours,

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May 19, 1956

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
East 105th Street at Angel Road
Cleveland 6, Ohio

My dear Dr. Silver:

Atlanta Zionists are inestimably privileged to extend to you their most cordial invitation to be our featured guest at a banquet planned for September 17 or 24, 1956, whichever is more convenient to you.

This will be the occasion when our District can officially present to the community our chef d'oeuvre upon which we have labored for more than two years.

I refer to "Our Story", a pictorial publication of the story of Zionism in Atlanta over the years.

The Kfar Silver project is prominently featured in this book and we shall render you a substantial contribution to Kfar Silver, in excess of the eight thousand dollars originally voted by our membership and spread upon our minutes.

I have no doubt that our community which now boasts an Israeli Consul will draw fresh inspirations from your long overseas visit enabling them to rededicate their energies to Zion restored. Please let us know as soon as possible which date is convenient.

Very cordially yours,

Sidney Q. Janus

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May 15, 1956

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
East 105th Street at Ansel Road
Cleveland 6, Ohio

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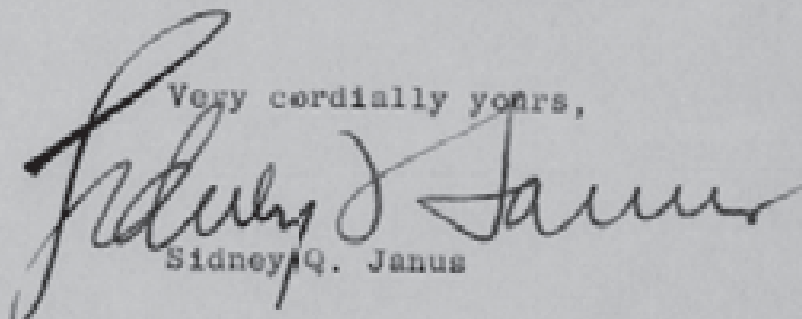
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SIDNEY Q. JANUS
CONSULTING PSYCHOLOGIST
SUITE FOUR-THIRTY
EIGHT-O-FIVE PEACHTREE
ATLANTA 8, GEORGIA

18 June 1956

My dear Dr. Silver -

I am wondering
if my letter of 15 May went astray -
If so, may I invite your attention
to the invitation Atlanta Zionists
extended to you as the copy enclosed
indicates.

May I hear from you at
your earliest convenience -

With love's Greetings

Sidney Q. Janus

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
East 105 St
Cleveland, Ohio.

July 13, 1956

Dr. Sidney Q. Janus
805 Peachtree, #430
Atlanta 8, Georgia

My dear Dr. Janus:

Rabbi Silver received Mr. Benamy's telephone message before leaving the city, but unfortunately was not able to answer himself before his departure.

He has asked me to write you in his behalf and say that it will not be possible for him to come to Atlanta during the months of September or October. These are crowded holiday months and the opening of Temple activities.

It may be possible for him to come to you later in the season if you would be kind enough to indicate to him some few dates in either January or February for his consideration.

I convey kind personal regards from Rabbi Silver.

Sincerely,

Miss Sophia Levine
Secretary to Dr. Silver

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SIDNEY Q. JANUS, PH.D.
CONSULTING PSYCHOLOGIST
119-A ELEVENTH STREET, N. E.
ATLANTA 9, GEORGIA

August 3, 1956

Miss Sophia Levine
The Temple
East 105th Street at Ansel Road
Cleveland 6, Ohio

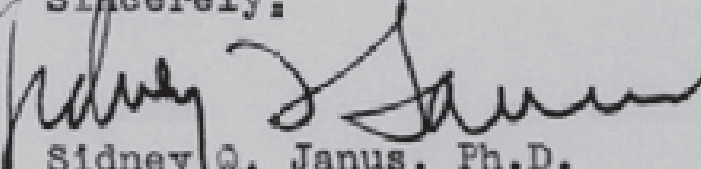
Dear Miss Levine:

Thank you for your suggestion incorporated in
yours of July 13th.

May I suggest that you ascertain if Dr. Silver
can come to Atlanta either January 14 or
February 11, 1957, and let me know as soon as
possible so that I may set the date most
convenient to him upon our community calendar.

May I express again the urgency of our having
Dr. Silver for our A.Z.F. function since a
substantial contribution to KPAR Silver has
been pledged by our district.

Sincerely,


Sidney Q. Janus, Ph.D.

cc: Mr. Sol P. Benamy

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~~W.S.~~
Tues. Feb. 12

August 8, 1956

Dr. Sidney Q. Janus ✓
119-A Eleventh Street, N.E.
Atlanta 9, Georgia

Dear Dr. Janus:

Rabbi Silver left yesterday morning for a much needed, although too short, vacation and is expected to return on or about the 11th.

Your letter indicating the dates of January 11, 1957 or February 11, 1957 for his visit to Atlanta will be directed to his attention immediately he returns.

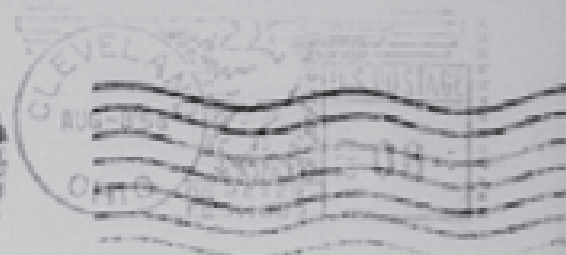
Sincerely yours,

Miss Sophia Levine
Secretary to Dr. Silver

/s/
cc/ Mr. S. P. Benary

The Temple

EAST 105TH ST. AT ANSEL RD.
CLEVELAND 8, OHIO



AIR MAIL



Mr. S. P. Benamy
Zionist Organization of America
Atlanta, Georgia

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August 14, 1956

Dr. Sidney Q. Janus
119-A Eleventh Street, N. E.
Atlanta 9, Georgia

My dear Dr. Janus:

I found your letter on my return from a short vacation and have checked my calendar for a possible date for a visit to Atlanta. It may be feasible for me to come to Atlanta on Tuesday, February 12, 1957. Please let me know whether that date is acceptable to you.

With all good wishes, I remain

Most cordially yours,

ABBA HILLEL SILVER

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SIDNEY Q. JANUS, PH.D.
CONSULTING PSYCHOLOGIST
119-A ELEVENTH STREET, N. E.
ATLANTA 9, GEORGIA

August 20, 1956

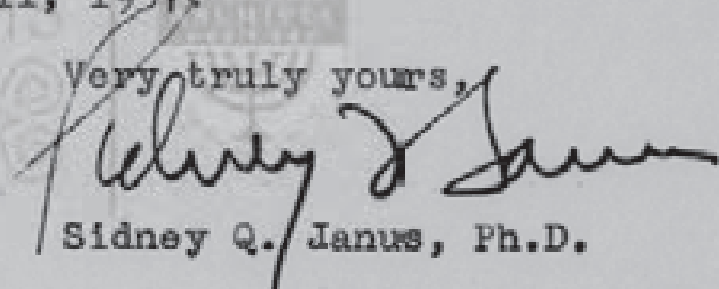
Dr. Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
East 105th Street at Ansel Road
Cleveland 6, Ohio

My dear Dr. Silver:

Thank you very much for your letter of August
14th.

Our community is heavily booked for Tuesday,
February 12, 1957. May I therefore suggest
Monday, February 11, 1957?

Very truly yours,


Sidney Q. Janus, Ph.D.

SQJ/pl

cc: Mr. Sol P. Benamy
Mr. Morris Mitzner

August 22, 1956

Dr. Sidney Q. Jamus
119-A Eleventh Street, N. E.
Atlanta 9, Georgia

Dear Dr. Jamus:

In reply to your letter of August 20th, I am somewhat concerned with the change of date. I could change the date from the 12th of February to the 11th, but I am wondering whether that will be advisable since you say the community is heavily booked for Tuesday, February 12th. Is it advisable to have your meeting within twenty-four hours of other important meetings in your community?

Most cordially yours,

ABBA HILLEL SILVER

AHS:rms

SIDNEY Q. JANUS, PH.D.
CONSULTING PSYCHOLOGIST
119-A ELEVENTH STREET, N.E.
ATLANTA 9, GEORGIA

August 28, 1956

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
East 105th Street at Ansel Road
Cleveland 6, Ohio

My dear Dr. Silver:

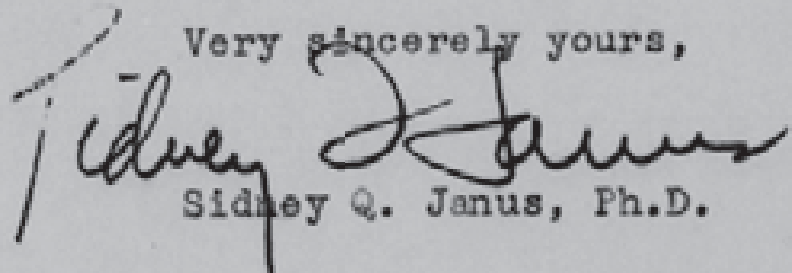
I can readily understand the concern expressed in your letter of August 22nd.

May I hasten to explain that our community is "club conscious" and Tuesday is the traditional club night - if I may use "traditional" in this untraditional sense.

Therefore, it seems best not to interfere with habit patterns of long standing, and to schedule your appearance for the 11th of February, 1957, Monday. We plan to arrange our affair in banquet style and, if agreeable to you, have our outstanding lay leaders and donors meet you informally before dinner.

I might add that the Tuesday club night is exclusively social and recreational; and that, furthermore, no event of any magnitude is scheduled in the proximity of your date - so far. Once you confirm the eleventh we can alert the community to steer clear of this date within a reasonable margin.

Very sincerely yours,


Sidney Q. Janus, Ph.D.

SQJ/pl

August 31, 1956

Dr. Sidney Q. Janus
119-A Eleventh Street, N.E.
Atlanta 9, Georgia

Dear Dr. Janus:

This will confirm the date of Monday, February 11, 1957 for
Dr. Silver's visit to your community.

I will appreciate it if at an early convenient time you will
apprise me of the exact place and time of your event and what
the dress requirements will be.

Sincerely,

Miss Sophia Levine
Secretary to Dr. Silver

/sl

SIDNEY Q. JANUS, PH.D.
CONSULTING PSYCHOLOGIST
119-A ELEVENTH STREET, N. E.
ATLANTA 9, GEORGIA

September 28, 1956

Miss Sophia Levine
Secretary to Dr. Silver
The Temple
East 105th Street at Ansel Road
Cleveland 6, Ohio

Dear Miss Levine:

Thank you for your letter of August 31st.

Would you kindly combine both yours of 31 August and that of Dr. Silver of August 14 into one letter for Dr. Silver's signature and send it to me. It would then read of Dr. Silver's coming in the first person, signed by Dr. Silver.

My intention is to photostat Dr. Silver's letter and alert our outstanding leaders to reserve the date on their calendar by writing them and enclosing the photostat.

You requested the following:

Exact place and time:

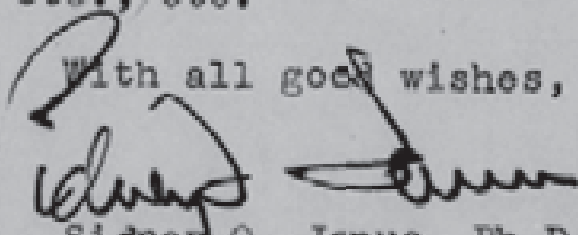
Atlanta's Mayfair Club, Monday evening, Dinner,
7 P.M., February 11, 1957.

Social hour, 6 to 7 P.M. at a private home if agreeable to Dr. Silver. This would take place at the home of Mr. Benjamin J. Massell, Atlanta's foremost philanthropist, currently in his 70's.

Dress: semi-formal. We plan a banquet type dinner, with careful attention to every detail.

Atlanta is served by Eastern, Delta and Capitol Airlines. We will, of course, meet Dr. Silver at the airport, arrange for his hotel reservations, etc., etc.

With all good wishes,


Sidney Q. Janus, Ph.D.

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November 15, 1956

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver
19810 Shaker Avenue
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Dr. Silver:

I understand from our friends in Atlanta that you have kindly agreed to address a function there on February 11 and I understand that they plan to present you with a check for \$10,000.00.

I am writing you today to check with you as to whether they have actually given you a written commitment to this effect. I merely want to make doubly certain that this minimum amount will be turned over to you on that day.

I look forward to hearing from you and meanwhile send you and Mrs. Silver my very fondest wishes.

Cordially yours,

Hannah.

Hannah Stein, Director
American Zionist Fund

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SIDNEY Q. JANUS, PH.D.
CONSULTING PSYCHOLOGIST
119-A ELEVENTH STREET, N. E.
ATLANTA 9, GEORGIA

January 12, 1957

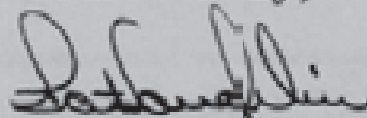
Miss Sophia Levine
Secretary to Dr. Abba H. Silver
The Temple
East 105th Street at Ansel Road
Cleveland 6, Ohio

Dear Miss Levine:

Dr. Janus would like to have, immediately,
publicity material including a photograph
of Dr. Silver.

We would appreciate your cooperation in
getting this material to him at the earliest
possible time.

Yours truly,



(Mrs.) Pat Laughlin
Secretary to Dr. Janus

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January 16, 1957

Mrs. Pat Laughlin
Secretary to Dr. Janus
119-A Eleventh Street, N.E.
Atlanta 9, Georgia

Dear Mrs. Laughlin:

In reply to your request of January 12th I am enclosing herewith autobiographical data and a glossy print of Dr. Abba Hillel Silver for your use in connection with the publicity for the A.Z.F event in Atlanta.

Sincerely,

Miss Sophia Levine
Secretary to Dr. Silver

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encl.

SIDNEY Q. JANUS, PH.D.
CONSULTING PSYCHOLOGIST
119-A ELEVENTH STREET, N. E.
ATLANTA 9, GEORGIA

January 31, 1957

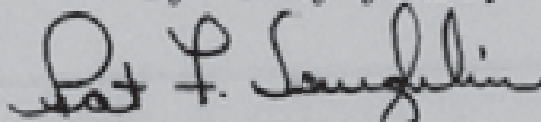
Miss Sophia Levine
Secretary to Dr. Silver
The Temple
East 105th Street at Ansel Road
Cleveland 6, Ohio

Dear Miss Levine:

Under separate cover Dr. Janus is sending for Dr. Silver's information a copy of "Our Story", the AZF project for Atlanta. Also attached is a copy of the program for the evening of February 11th.

Dr. Janus would like to talk with Dr. Silver by telephone Wednesday, February 6th and he will place the call.

Very truly yours,



Pat F. Laughlin
Secretary to Dr. Janus

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January 31, 1957

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Dr. Silver:

It has been some time since I wrote to you. You are scheduled to be in Atlanta, Georgia on February 11th. This is the information given to us by the Atlanta Zionist District, which apparently solicited your appearance.

Hannah Stein is in Atlanta and called me. Since this engagement is in connection with funds for Kfar Silver, we indicated to them that it would be necessary to present a check to you on that occasion. We put tremendous pressure on them to collect \$10,000 in time for your appearance.

We are somewhat wary of their efforts to raise funds. They have some kind of book promotion which is supposed to bring the funds, but to date we have not seen these monies forthcoming.

Hannah Stein tells me that they agreed that they will either call you or ourselves by next Friday and let us know exactly how much money is actually available for presentation on February 11th, and at that time it will be decided whether or not you will come. The phone call apparently will either be made to you or to us.

I am writing you on the chance that they will call you. Miss Stein spoke to Dr. Neumann and Dr. Neumann asked me to advise you.

I trust that you and Virginia and the family are in the best of health and spirits.

Accept my affectionate regards, and please extend them to your family.

Sincerely,

Dr. Sidney Marks
Executive Director

1957

Monday, February 11 to Atlanta, Georgia

Lv. Cleveland 9:30 A.M.
Ar. Atlanta 12:54 P.M.

Eastern Flite #701

meeting in Atlanta:

§ Dr. S.O. James, 117-A 11th St. NE

~~Semi-formal dress~~

They will meet you at airport
hotel res. made by them

Tues., 2/12

Lv. Atlanta 12:30 Noon

Eastern Flite #514

luncheon flite

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(Herman L. Sainer, 263 Frances St. Trk)

Thurs., 2/14

Lv. New York 11:30 A.M.

International Airport United Flite #723

Ar. Cleveland 1:25 P.M.

Friday, February 15

Lv. Cleveland 10:35 A.M.

Eastern Flite #709 (Golden Falcon)

Ar. Miami 2:25 P.M.

luncheon flite

Sunday, February 17

Lv. Miami 5:30 P.M.

Eastern Flite #618

Ar. New York 9:00 P.M.

Newark Airport

Hotel Res. Commodore

Mon. Feb. 18 - Luncheon meeting

Hotel Statler

Mon. February 18

Lv. New York 6:30 P.M.

United Flite #631 - LaGuardia Airport

Ar. Cleveland 8:35 P.M.

Temp cancelled
due to

not sufficient funds

March