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Augustana College (Rock Island, Illinois), 1935.

Augustana College

Rock Island, Illinois

Office of the Dean

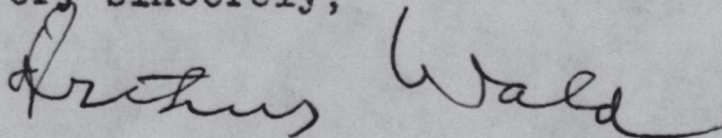
July 22, 1935

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

Dear Rabbi Silver:

I am writing on behalf of a faculty-student committee charged with responsibility of arranging for lectures for the coming school year to inquire whether you would be inclined to accept an invitation to speak at Augustana College at some time during December, January, or February. I may add that my good friend, Rabbi Goldstein of Davenport, whose advice I asked, strongly urged that we make every effort to include you in our schedule. The committee will be greatly pleased to know that you will find it possible to come to Rock Island.

Very sincerely,



Dean

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July 24, 1935.

Dean Arthur Wald,
Augustana College,
Rock Island, Illinois.

My dear Dean Wald:

Permit me to acknowledge your letter of July 22.

Rabbi Silver is abroad on his vacation and will be gone until the middle of September. He will answer your letter when he returns.

Very sincerely yours,

BJK

Secretary to Rabbi Silver.

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September 24, 1935

Dean Arthur Wald,
Augustana College,
Rock Island, Illinois.

My dear Dean Wald:

In going through my correspondence which accumulated during my stay abroad this summer, I came across your kind letter of July 22 and your invitation to speak at Augustana College some time during the winter months. I wish I were free to accept your gracious invitation. Unfortunately I am compelled to limit my out of town lecture engagements this year because of an increased schedule of activities which I have undertaken. Perhaps at some future time I may be of service to you.

With all good wishes and thanking you again for your kind invitation, permit me to remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS: BK