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Bridgeton, New Jersey, 1937.





## THE CITY OF BRIDGETON

BRIDGETON, N. J.

MICHAEL STEINBROOK  
COMPTROLLER

May 22, 1937

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver  
The Temple  
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi:

The Congregation Beth Abraham of this city sponsors each year a series of Forum events and we are now making arrangements for the next season.

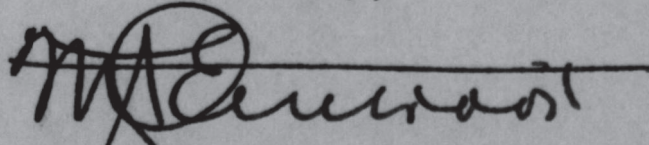
We are eager to include in our program an address by you in the spring of 1938, the date for which you could probably arrange on one of your trips to this section of the country. Assuming that you are not acquainted with the location, may I say that Bridgeton is thirty-nine miles from Philadelphia.

I would appreciate it very much if you would let me know what your honorarium would be, and may I ask you to telegraph me at my expense so that I may hear from you by Monday, May 24th.

I am,

Anticipating your favorable response,

Yours very truly,

  
Comptroller

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June 2, 1937

Mr. Michael Steinbrook, Comptroller,  
The City of Bridgeton,  
Bridgeton, N.J.

My dear Mr. Steinbrook:

Please pardon the delay in answering  
your kind letter. I have been away from the city  
most of the time attending various conventions.

I am in no position at the present time to  
indicate whether I can come to the forum of your  
congregation next season. It may be possible for me  
to combine your forum with some others in or around  
Philadelphia but I will not know that until early  
in the Fall.

My customary honorarium is \$250.

With all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:BK