



Abba Hillel Silver Collection Digitization Project

Featuring collections from the Western Reserve Historical Society and
The Jacob Rader Marcus Center of the American Jewish Archives

MS-4787: Abba Hillel Silver Papers, 1902-1989.

Series VI: Speaking Engagements, 1917-1964.

Reel
190

Box
72

Folder
64

Buffalo, New York, 1918-1929.

LOUIS J. KOPALD, RABBI
—
S. ROSENBAUM, SECRETARY
75 NORTH PEARL STREET

TELEPHONES
RABBI'S STUDY: TUPPER 4883
TEMPLE CENTRAL: TUPPER 5343
FEDERAL 38152

Temple Beth Zion

Delaware Avenue

Buffalo September 17, 1918.

Rabbi Abba Silver,
The Temple,
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Rabbi Silver:

First of all a hearty word of New Year greeting. Second a suggestion: a member of my congregation, Mr. Louis Weill, tells me that recently, at Mount Clemens, he met Mrs. A. Goldsmith of 2026 Cornell Road, a member of your congregation, who raved to such a degree about you that Mr. Weill is very anxious that you occupy our pulpit. I say that he is anxious about it, but you know how equally eager I am to have you from the fact that, shortly after your arrival in Cleveland, I wrote to ask you to come. How about it now? Can you come to us at an early date on some Friday evening?

It would gratify not only Mr. Weill and Mrs. Goldsmith, but me as much, to say nothing of my people. Do consider it and let me know just when I may look for you.

With hearty greetings,

Sincerely yours,

(Louis J. Kopald)

LJE:EF

September 23rd, 1918

Rabbi Louis J. Kopold,
Temple Beth El
Delaware Avenue
Buffalo, N. Y.

My dear Rabbi Kopold,

I am in receipt of your kind invitation to speak before your Congregation some Friday evening. I shall be very happy to do so, provided you reciprocate some Sunday morning at my Temple.

Is Friday, November 15th an acceptable date for you. Please inform us if that Sunday morning you can come here. We are very anxious to have you.

Sincerely yours,

LOUIS J. KOPALD, RABBI
—
S. ROSENBAUM, SECRETARY
77 NORTH PEARL STREET

TELEPHONES
RABBI'S STUDY: TUPPER 4883
TEMPLE CENTRAL: TUPPER 5343
FEDERAL 36152

Temple Beth Zion

Delaware Avenue

Buffalo September 25, 1918.

Rabbi Abba H. Silver,
The Temple,
East 55th St. and Central,
Cleveland, Ohio.

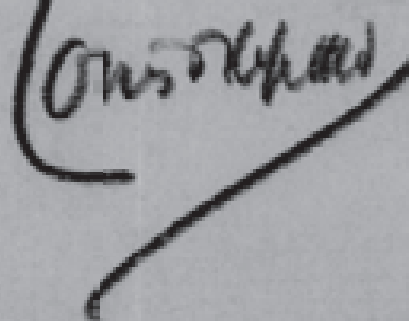
Dear Rabbi Silver:

I am mighty glad to know that
you will come to speak for me and, I, too
shall be glad to speak on some Sunday morning
at the Temple.

Meantime, I shall try to get
in touch with you in a very few days as to
dates.

With best,

Sincerely yours,



LJK:EF

ORDER OF SERVICE

Third Community Thanksgiving Service



Address by HON. JOSEPHUS DANIELS, LL. D., Litt. D.,
Secretary of the Navy

ELMWOOD MUSIC HALL
THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 1918
AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK
BUFFALO

ORDER OF SERVICE

*Organ recital from 10:30 to 11:00 o'clock by
Mr. William J. Compb*

1. "America"

COMMUNITY CHORUS AND CONGREGATION

"My country 'tis of thee, Sweet land of liberty,
Of thee I sing; Land where my fathers died!
Land of the pilgrim's pride!
From ev'ry mountain side, Let freedom ring!

My native country, thee, Land of the noble free,
Thy name I love; I love thy rocks and rills,
Thy woods and templed hills:
My heart with rapture thrills, Like that above.

Let music swell the breeze, And ring from all the trees
Sweet freedom's song: Let mortal tongues awake;
Let all that breathe partake;
Let rocks their silence break, The sound prolong.

Our fathers' God, to Thee, Author of liberty,
To Thee we sing: Long may our land be bright
With freedom's holy light;
Protect us by Thy might, Great God, our King!"

2. Invocation

REV. WILLIAM H. BOOCOCK

3. Thanksgiving Proclamation of the President

REV. W. R. TORRENS

4. "Unfold, Ye Portals".....*Gounod*

COMMUNITY CHORUS OF BUFFALO

"Unfold, unfold, ye portals everlasting,
With welcome to receive—the King of Glory.
He mounts up through the sky.
Unfold, unfold, for lo, the King comes nigh.
But who is he—the King of Glory?
He whom death overcame, the Lord in battle mighty.
But who is he—the King of Glory?
Of hosts He is the Lord,
Of angels and of powers,
The King of Glory is the King of the saints."

5. Readings from Old and New Testaments

REV. B. S. FERRALL

REV. CONRAD HAMEL

6. Prayer of Thanksgiving

REV. WM. S. MITCHELL

7. Statement Concerning Armenian and Syrian Relief

REV. RICHARD W. BOYNTON

Offering to be devoted to Armenian and Syrian Relief
Committee of Buffalo

ORDER OF SERVICE

8. "America, the Beautiful"

COMMUNITY CHORUS AND CONGREGATION

O beautiful for spacious skies,
For amber waves of grain,
For purple mountain majesties
Above the fruited plain.
America! America! God shed His grace on thee,
And crown thy good with brotherhood
From sea to shining sea.

O beautiful for pilgrim feet
Whose stern impassioned stress
A thoroughfare for freedom beat
Across the wilderness.
America! America! God mend thine ev'ry flaw,
Confirm thy soul in self-control,
Thy liberty in law.

O beautiful for heroes proved
In liberating strife,
Who more than self their country loved
And mercy more than life.
America! America! May God thy gold refine
Till all success be nobleness
And ev'ry gain divine.

O beautiful for patriot dream
That sees beyond the years
Thine alabaster cities gleam
Undimmed by human tears.
America! America! God shed His grace on thee,
And crown thy good with brotherhood
From sea to shining sea."

9. Address

HON. JOSEPHUS DANIELS, Secretary of the Navy,
Introduced by RABBI LOUIS J. KOPARD

10. "Hallelujah Chorus".....*Handel*

COMMUNITY CHORUS OF BUFFALO

"Hallelujah! for the Lord God omnipotent reigneth.
The kingdom of this world is become the kingdom of our Lord, of our God.
And He shall reign for ever and ever.
King of kings and Lord of lords, Hallelujah!"

11. Benediction

REV. WALTER R. LORD

12. "The Star-Spangled Banner"

COMMUNITY CHORUS AND CONGREGATION

O say, can you see by the dawn's early light,
What so proudly we hail'd at the twilight's last gleaming;
Whose broad stripes and bright stars, through the perilous fight,
O'er the ramparts we watch'd, were so gallantly streaming?
And the rocket's red glare, the bombs bursting in air,
Gave proof thro' the night, that our flag was still there.
O say, does the star-spangled banner yet wave,
O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave?

ORDER OF SERVICE

STAR-SPANGLED BANNER—Continued

On the shore dimly seen, through the mists of the deep,
Where the foe's haughty host in dread silence reposes,
What is that which the breeze o'er the towering steep,
As it fitfully blows, half conceals, half discloses?
Now it catches the gleam of the morning's first beam,
In full glory reflected, now shines on the stream:
'Tis the star-spangled banner, oh long may it wave
O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave!

Oh! thus be it ever when freemen shall stand
Between their lov'd home and the war's desolation;
Blest with vic'try and peace, may the heav'n-rescued land
Praise the Power that hath made and preserv'd us a nation.
Then conquer we must, when our cause it is just,
And this be our motto, "In God is our trust."
And the star-spangled banner in triumph shall wave
O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave!"

Community Thanksgiving Service Committee

Rabbi Louis J. Kopald, Chairman.....	Temple Beth Zion
Rev. J. J. Allen.....	Delaware Avenue Baptist Church
Rev. T. F. Bode.....	German Evangelical Synod (St. Peters)
Rev. Wm. H. Boocock.....	First Presbyterian Church, The Circle
Rev. Richard W. Boynton.....	First Unitarian Church
Rev. Cameron J. Davis.....	Trinity Episcopal Church
Rev. B. S. Ferrall.....	Church of Christ (Central Church)
Rev. Conrad Hassel.....	Reformed Church in U. S. (Zion Church)
Mr. George L. Hodgson.....	First Church of Christ (Scientist)
Rev. Samuel V. V. Holmes.....	Westminster Presbyterian Church
Rev. W. M. Hopping.....	United Presbyterian (Second Church)
Rev. C. Arthur Lincoln.....	First Congregational Church
Rev. Wm. S. Mitchell.....	Plymouth Avenue Methodist Church
Rev. W. B. Nelson.....	United Brethren (First Church)
Rev. Wm. H. Stauffer.....	F. E. Evangelical Ass'n
Rev. R. C. Stoll.....	Community Church (Snyder)
Rev. A. T. Tidd.....	Methodist Puritan
Rev. W. R. Torrens.....	Reformed Church in America (First Church)
Rev. L. O. Williams.....	Church of the Messiah (Universalist)
Rev. Gustave Wiman.....	Swedish Evangelical

The Community Chorus of Buffalo

Mr. Harry Barnhardt, }
Mrs. George B. Barrell, } *Directors*
Miss Harriet Morgan, *Pianist*
Mr. William J. Gomph, *Organist*

LOUIS J. KOPALD, RABBI
—
S. ROSENBAUM, SECRETARY
12 NORTH PEARL STREET

TELEPHONES
RABBI'S STUDY: TUPPER 4883
TEMPLE CENTRE: TUPPER 5343
FEDERAL 39152

Temple Beth Zion
Delaware Avenue
Buffalo

November 29
1918

Abba Hillel Silver, Rabbi,
The Temple,
East 55th Street and Central,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Rabbi Silver:

Yours just reached me and I hasten to
answer.

I shall be very glad to occupy your
pulpit on Sunday morning, December 29, on the
condition that you speak for me on the previous
Friday, December 27.

Looking forward to having you here, and
with hearty greetings,

Sincerely yours,

LJK K

18

LOUIS J. KOPALD, RABBI
S. ROSENBAUM, SECRETARY
75 NORTH FRANK STREET

TELEPHONES
RABBI'S STUDY: TUPPER 4803
TEMPLE OFFICE: TUPPER 5345
FEDERAL 36122

Temple Beth Zion

Delaware Avenue
Buffalo

December 2

1918

Abba Hillel Silver, Rabbi,
The Temple,
East 55th Street & Central,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Rabbi Silver:

I have just sent you a telegram as follows:

"Regret cannot speak in December. Have
tried to arrange hence delayed answer."

I cannot begin to tell you, My dear Silver, how very, very sorry I am that we cannot get together this month after all. The facts are just these: When your letter reached me on Friday, I immediately dictated the enclosed answer of acceptance, setting the date for December 29th. Shortly thereafter, and before I could sign the enclosed, I received a wire from Camp Mills, where I spent my vacation, asking me to deliver the address at the dedication of the New Jewish Welfare Board Hut on December 15th. The date, however, was not fixed until I could answer as they were good enough to want to insure my presence. I write you this only to show you that I did endeavor to switch things around so that I could both accept the other, which is of immediate and great importance to me, and to them, and also be with you. I find now that it just can't be.

I have been away from my Religious School two Sundays within the last three weeks and inasmuch as Billiekopf and I plan a little vacation which both of us greatly need, some time in late December over a weekend, I shall again be out of town on either the 22nd or 29th of December. You can see of course how impossible it will be for me to be away three Sundays in succession, which my acceptance of your invitation for either the 22nd or the 29th would mean. At first I was willing to arrange to be away for two Sundays, howsoever undesirable that is, but now that I must be at Camp Mills on the 15th, I simply will have to forego speaking for you.

My heart inclines me to cut out the vacation with Billie so that I might speak for you, but as I am terrifically run down I do feel that I owe it to myself and my people to

LOUIS J. KOPALD, HADSI

S. ROSENBAUM, SECRETARY
12 NORTH PEARL STREET

Temple Beth Zion

Delaware Avenue

Buffalo

TELEPHONES

RABBI'S STUDY. TOPPER 4883
TEMPLE CENTER. TOPPER 3343
FEDERAL 29152

-2-

take a bit of rest. I do want you to know how very sorry I am about this as I have long looked forward to exchanging pulpits with you.

Let me just say now that if any emergency arises that, having accepted Dr. Wise's invitation, you find yourself without a speaker in Cleveland at the last moment, you may feel sure that if you wire me and there is any change in my plans making possible my coming, I shall be there. Meantime we must not give up our plan of exchanging pulpits. Surely it can be arranged for January, can it not?

With hearty greetings and regretting my delay in giving you a definite answer in this matter.

Sincerely yours,

LJK K

(over the road)

With me-read!

NEW YORK TELEPHONE COMPANY

COMMERCIAL DEPARTMENT

44 CHURCH STREET

DIVISION ADVERTISING MANAGER

BUFFALO, N.Y.

March 5, 1919.

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

Dear Sir:-

Mr. Lincoln Dickey, Secretary of the Cleveland Advertising Club, telegraphed me today saying that he had obtained your acceptance of our invitation to speak to the members of the Greater Buffalo Advertising Club Tuesday, March 25th, at noon at the Lafayette Hotel.

We understand that there will be an honorarium of \$50.00, and that we shall pay your expenses.

This letter, therefore, is to confirm these arrangements and to give you specific information concerning the date, time and place of the meeting.

Unless you advise me to the contrary, I shall proceed to announce a meeting along the lines of the announcement given you in Rochester for the meeting you addressed there on the 13th of February.

You shall have as your audience a gathering of 200 or more of Buffalo's most prominent business men - an appreciative and sympathetic audience.

Assuring you of our best wishes and a cordial welcome when you come to Buffalo, I am,

Yours very truly,

E. D. Anderson

EDA:W

March 27th, 1919

Mr. E. B. Anderson,
New York Telephone Company,
44 Church Street, New York City.

My dear Mr. Anderson,

I write this letter to express to you how deeply I regret my inability to keep my engagement with the Buffalo Advertising Club, more especially the fact that I was compelled to cancel it almost at the last minute, thereby causing you, undoubtedly, great inconvenience.

For a week prior to my engagement at Buffalo, I suffered with a cold, but seemed to be improving. I therefore got ready to leave Cleveland Monday night and had engaged my berth; but that night my cold took a turn for the worse, my temperature went up and my Doctor absolutely forbade me to travel.

I therefore got in touch with Dr. Kopali by Long Distance and requested him to communicate with you. I trust, Mr. Anderson, that I have not caused you undue embarrassment.

I am really very sorry that I could not come, as I was very anxious to meet the men of the Buffalo Advertising Club. I hope an invitation will be extended to me to speak to them at some future date.

With kindest regards,

Sincerely yours,

WOMEN'S TEMPLE SOCIETY
TEMPLE BETH ZION
DELAWARE AVENUE
BUFFALO, N.Y.

April 14, 1919.

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver,
The Temple,
55th and Central Ave.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Rabbi Silver:

Would it be at all possible for you to be the speaker of the day at the annual meeting of our Women's Temple Society which is to be held on Wednesday, May 14? We mark our season's activities by a luncheon, at the close of which the regular meeting takes place. Last year Miss Helen Fraser of England addressed us and the year before that Rabbi Goldenson came to us.

The Board of Directors would be indeed happy if they could announce to their members that you were to be our guest on that occasion as Buffalonians have been long anxious to have an opportunity to hear you, and we would greatly appreciate the honor that your acceptance would confer upon us. If the time stated does not suit with your convenience, we could probably arrange to set a day which you would prefer.

May we dare to hope for a favorable reply?

Sincerely yours,

Chail B. Wiener.

Chairman Educational Committee,
39 Mortimer Street.

CBW/BSK

Tues - 20.
Wed. 21
— 22

Rec 123 75
9 (Tues 21, Wed 22, Thurs 23) read Ch

April 16th, 1919

Mrs. Cecil R. Winger,
29 Hartman Street,
Buffalo, N. Y.

My dear Mrs. Winger,

Replying to your letter
of the 14th - I could not arrange to come
to Buffalo for May 14th. I could, how-
ever, plan to come for Tuesday, May 20th
or Wednesday, May 21st, provided two or
three other engagements could be arranged for
Tuesday afternoon or Wednesday evening.

On March 25th, I was to have
addressed the Buffalo Aid Club, but illness
prevented my keeping the engagement and I
was compelled to cancel it at the last
moment. I would suggest that you get in
touch with the Aid Club and see if they are
still desirous of having me come to Buffalo
to speak for them.

Waiting further word from you,
I remain
Sincerely yours,

Federated Jewish Charities of Buffalo

Hebrew Union Benevolent Society
Ladies' Jewish Benevolent Society
Sisterhood of Zion
Ladies' Sewing and Aid Society
Jewish Aid Society

OFFICE: 29 MORTIMER STREET

PHONE, HOWARD 393

OFFICE HOURS: 9:30 A. M. TO 12:30 P. M. EXCEPT SATURDAYS AND SUNDAYS

THEODORE HOFELLER, President
EMANUEL BOASBERG, Vice-President
J. G. JOSEPH, Treasurer
NATHAN STEIGERWALD, Financial Sec'y
Miss CECIL B. WIENER, Secy. & Gen. Mgr.

BUFFALO, N. Y. April 18, 1919.

Rabbi A. H. Silver,
The Temple,
East 55th and Central Streets,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Rabbi Silver:

It is a matter of regret that we
will be unable to plan for our annual
meeting for either Tuesday, May 30, or
Wednesday, May 31, the dates which you offer
us in your letter of April 16.

Sincerely yours,

Cecil B. Wiener

Chairman,
Educational Committee.

CBW/BSK

*Buffalo Adv.
Club*

NEW YORK TELEPHONE COMPANY

44 CHURCH STREET

E. D. ANDERSON,
DIVISION PUBLICITY MANAGER.

BUFFALO, N.Y. April 23, 1919.

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

My dear Rabbi Silver:-

In accordance with your letter of the 21st inst., I am arranging to schedule your talk before the Greater Buffalo Advertising Club for the 6th of May. We shall all be very glad indeed to hear you.

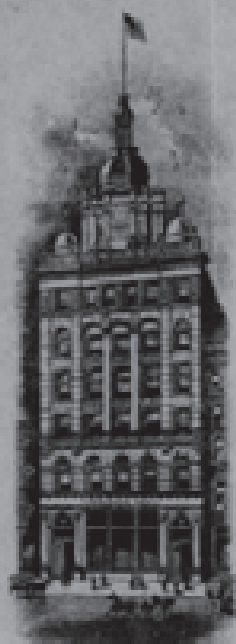
If you purpose changing the title of your talk, or desire us to make any special announcement in the notices concerning the meeting, please advise me at your early convenience.

With kind wishes, I am,

Cordially yours,

E. D. Anderson

EDA:W



EDWARD H. BUTLER
EDITOR AND PUBLISHER

BUFFALO EVENING NEWS.

EDITORIAL ROOMS.

BUFFALO, N.Y. April 28, 1919.

Rabbi Silver,
The Temple,
55th St. and Central avenue,
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Sir:

I am informed you are to address the Buffalo Advertising club at its meeting Tuesday, May 6. I will greatly appreciate the courtesy if you will mail me four copies of your photo, for use in newspapers here. If you have not that many on hand, please phone your photographer to make four prints from your last negative and to mail them to me (unmounted). Also I would appreciate it if you will send me a synopsis of what you will say at the luncheon, running 500 to 800 words. I want to use your address in the final editions of the Buffalo afternoon papers on the day it is delivered and as the interval, between the closing of the mailing and the press time of the papers is brief, it will help materially if I can have in advance the synopsis I am asking for.

Very truly yours,

E Scanlan

PUBLICITY REPRESENTATIVE
BUFFALO ADVERTISING CLUB

April 20th, 1919

Mr. E. Scanlon,
Publicity Representative,
Buffalo Advertising Club,
Buffalo Evening News,
Buffalo, N.Y.

Dear Sir:-

At the request of Rabbi Silver,
and in accordance with your letter to him
of the 20th instant - I am sending you
herewith four copies of the Rabbi's photo-
graph. If possible, will you kindly have
these returned.

Rabbi Silver will try to send you,
within the next day or so, a brief synopsis
of his address for the press. At the present
time he has nothing ready.

Very truly yours,

Secretary.

S. ROSENAU, Secretary
12 North Pearl St., 1901

Rabbin Study:	Topper 4893
Temple Census:	Topper 5143

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

Truly yours,
 (Ours) J. K. P. ald
 J. K.

[illegible]

CLASS OF SERVICE	SYMBOL
Telegram	
Day Letter	Blue
Night Message	Nite
Night Letter	N L

If none of these three symbols appears after the check (number of words) this is a telegram. Otherwise its character is indicated by the symbol appearing after the check.

WESTERN UNION



TELEGRAM

NEWCOMB CARLTON, PRESIDENT

GEORGE W. E. ATKINS, FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT

CLASS OF SERVICE	SYMBOL
Telegram	
Day Letter	Blue
Night Message	Nite
Night Letter	N L

If none of these three symbols appears after the check (number of words) this is a telegram. Otherwise its character is indicated by the symbol appearing after the check.

RECEIVED AT

352 H CY 27

FY BUFFALO NY 508PM DEC 23 1919

RABBI ABBA H SILVER

THE TEMPLE E 55 AND CENTRAL AVE CLEVELAND O
 BUFFALO JEWISH RELIEF COMMITTEE CORDIALLY INVITES YOU TO SPEAK AT
 OPENING BANQUET WAR RELIEF CAMPAIGN SUNDAY JANUARY ELEVENTH PLEASE
 MAKE EVERY EFFORT TO COME WIRE ANSWER COLLECT

LOUIS J KOPALD

556PM

7.2 1-—

LOUIS J. KOPALD, Rabbi

S. ROSENAU, Secretary
77 North Pearl Street

Telephones

Rabbi's Study: Tupper 4893
Temple Centre Tupper 5343

Temple Beth Zion

Delaware Avenue

Buffalo

December 26

1919

Dear Rabbi Silver:

I am mighty glad to know that you are able to come to us on January 11 and to deliver the address at the opening banquet of our Jewish War Relief Campaign. We are to conduct not a non-Sectarian campaign but a Jewish campaign as in other years. The banquet will be held in the Iroquois Hotel in the evening.

Please let me know in due time the hour and train of your arrival that I may meet you at the depot. I am glad that at last we are able to get together on some appointment whereby you may be heard by my people in Buffalo.

With best wishes for the New Year and hearty greeting,

Sincerely yours,

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

Louis J. Kopald

LOUIS J. KOPELKO, Editor

S. ROSENAU, Secretary
73 North Pearl Street

Testosterone

Public's Study:	Topic 4893
Temple Case:	Topic 5312

Temple Beth Zion

Delaware Avenue

Buffalo

January 8

1920

Dear Rabbi Silver:

A word to refresh your memory as to my request that you inform me in due time the hour of your arrival and train on Sunday that I may meet you at the station.

We are all looking forward keenly to your coming and to the message which I know you can give so well.

With best ever and hearty personal greeting.

Sincerely yours,

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver,
Cleveland, O.

telegraphed Sat. p.m.

Temple Beth Zion

Delaware Avenue

Buffalo

January 12

1920

Dear Silver:

Shortly after you left, we decided to adjourn the meeting as it was getting pretty late. Our sum total was \$65,000 for the evening. In view of the fact that a number of our larger subscribers are out of town, that was a mighty good beginning and you ought to feel mighty proud of your big part in this achievement.

Our people were enthused beyond words by you, and really, Silver, it would do your heart good to hear the comments that I have heard since. But I suppose that is more than a thrice-told tale with you as it surely should be. I can only repeat in person what I said before the crowd last evening - that it is with an overwhelming sense of pride in our ministry, as well as a personal joy, that I look upon you and the gifts which God has showered upon you. I said last night that every rabbi in America is jealous of you - but I think you can believe me when I say now that that is not literally true, that there are some of us who rejoice in the remarkable leadership with which God stars the souls of but a few of us.

I have only one regret regarding yesterday, and that is that we did not have an opportunity for a longer personal chat. I hope for that chance the next time you come or when I come to you. We must keep in touch with each other on the matter of the dates so that there will be no slip-up this time.

With deep appreciation of your coming, not only in behalf of the Executive Committee but more especially on my own account, and with warm greeting,

Faithfully yours,

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

(H.C.)
Thanks again, best to you!

January 18th, 1920

Rabbi Louis J. Kopald
Delaware Avenue,
Buffalo, N. Y.

My dear Kopald,

I was very gracious of you to send me the letter which I have just received. I want to tell you how much I enjoyed being with you and in the company of your people last Sunday night. If I imparted any sentiments then, I am quite sure that I derived a great deal of inspiration from them.

I desire to repeat again my invitation to you to come to Cleveland. Designate any Sunday in February or March to suit your convenience. I shall be very happy to come to Buffalo on any Friday evening in February or March that you may suggest.

With kindest regards and wishing you well, I am

Very sincerely yours,

LOUIS J. KOPALD, Rabbi

S. ROSENAU, Secretary
72 North Pearl Street

Telephones

Rabbi's Study: Tupper 4893
Temple Centre: Tupper 5343

Temple Beth Zion

Delaware Avenue
Buffalo

January 19

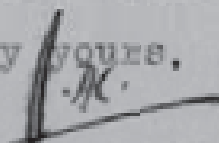
1920

Dear Silver:

Just a word to give you the glorious news of our great success. We went over the top last night at a most exciting and enthusiastic banquet with no outside speakers but just our own people. We were particularly gratified because of the Christian support which we had absolutely unsolicited as the result of a letter sent forth by some of the most prominent Christians in the city to others. All told it was a great week and no small part of our success is due to the magnificent appeal which you made.

My deep, deep personal thanks.

Faithfully yours,



P.S: You will be gratified to know that the sale of copies of your address made a great hit and brought in good solid cash. It was a clever stunt on Mr. Warner's part.

L.J.K.

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver,
Cleveland, O.

GOLDRING & SHERMAN
ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELORS
716-717 ERIE COUNTY SAVINGS BANK BLDG.
BUFFALO, N.Y.

LOUIS GOLDRING
CARL SHERMAN

Jan. 21st, 1920.

Rabbi Abbah Silver,
Temple 55th Street & Central Ave.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Rabbi:-

Upon leaving you last Sunday, I forgot to give you my address. Will you, therefore, keep this letter as my address so you can wire me when you expect to be in Buffalo, and when you expect to occupy the pulpit here.

Will you also let me have one of your pictures as it will aid us in giving the occasion of your coming greater publicity.

Will you also send us 100 copies of your lecture on Zionism that you are publishing and we will remit whatever the cost is.

Mr. Nathan joins me in expressing to you our appreciation for the kind reception extended to us.

Yours in the hope of the New Zion.

Louis Goldring

LG/HCL

Temple Beth Zion

Delaware Avenue

Buffalo

February 23

1920

Dear Silver:

Now to ask you to keep your promise. I am not yet sure whether Dr. Wise will speak for me during my honeymoon as he is to make the trip to Cincinnati to marry us. I am waiting, therefore, word from him. Meantime will you tell me please which date of these three would suit you best to occupy my pulpit while I am learning the art of being a married man? Friday, March 12, ~~March 19~~, or March 26. *Ms. 2/3*

If you ^{both} can write very soon I should be deeply appreciative. And if ~~all~~ of these dates ~~or two of them~~ are possible for you, do let me know that I may adjust the matter after I hear from Dr. Wise. I can't begin to tell you with what pleasure we look forward to your coming. May I also ask whether it will be possible for you to remain over and to preach for me also on Saturday morning? If not I shall understand of course, though naturally I would be very glad if you can. Please let me have the subject of your Friday evening address at the earliest possible moment.

Need I tell you how I appreciate the fact of your coming and how my people look forward to it. It is good to know that while I am loafing they are receiving a real message.

With best ever,

Cordially yours,

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

L. J. K.

February 25th, 1930

Reverend Louis Eppold,
509 Delaware Avenue,
Buffalo, N. Y.

My dear Eppold,

Replying to your letter - I think
that I shall be able to occupy your pulpit on
Friday, March 25th, and shall speak on

"Palestine as I saw it"

if you have no objection.

If the date and the subject are
satisfactory, please let me know at once.

Kindliest regards,

Sincerely yours,

CLASS OF SERVICE	SYMBOL
Telegram	
Day Letter	Blue
Night Message	NMs
Night Letter	N L

If none of these three symbols appears after the check (number of words) this is a telegram. Otherwise its character is indicated by the symbol appearing after the check.

WESTERN UNION



TELEGRAM

NEWCOMB CARLTON, PRESIDENT

GEORGE W. E. ATKINS, FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT

CLASS OF SERVICE	SYMBOL
Telegram	
Day Letter	Blue
Night Message	NMs
Night Letter	N L

If none of these three symbols appears after the check (number of words) this is a telegram. Otherwise its character is indicated by the symbol appearing after the check.

RECEIVED AT 5516 EUCLID AVENUE, CLEVELAND, OHIO

167H MAT 10

FY BUFFALO NY 123:PM MAR 1 1920

RABBI ABBA H SILVER

THE TEMPLE CLEVELAND

WILL YOU SPEAK FOR ME FRIDAY MARCH TWELFTH DURING HONEY MOON

LOUIS J KOPALD

144PM

Sally could come on 12th
Can come on 26th

LOUIS J. KOPALD, Rabbi

S. ROSENAU, Secretary
72 North Pearl Street

Telephones

Rabbi's Study: Tupper 4893
Temple Centre: Tupper 5343

Temple Beth Zion

Delaware Avenue

Buffalo

March 4

1920

Dear Silver:

Yours just came and I hasten to acknowledge it with thanks. I am glad that you can come on Friday, March 26, and the subject, of course, is agreeable to me. Will you just hold the matter and hold the date for me for a few days until I can definitely arrange the program? There is just a little bit of confusion of dates, but you will hear from me in the course of four or five days.

Needless to tell you how grateful I am for your coming or the pleasure you will give my people.

With best ever,

Sincerely yours,

(L. J. K.)

P.S: Elsa writes me that she met you after speaking at the City Club in Cincinnati. She was mighty glad for the opportunity and so am I.

L.J.K.

Rabbi Abba H. Silver,
Cleveland, O.

CLASS OF SERVICE	SYMBOL
Telegram	
Day Letter	Blue
Night Message	Nite
Night Letter	N L
If none of these three symbols appears after the check (number of words) this is a telegram. Otherwise its character is indicated by the symbol appearing after the check.	

WESTERN UNION



TELEGRAM

NEWCOMB CARLTON, PRESIDENT

GEORGE W. E. ATKINS, FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT

CLASS OF SERVICE	SYMBOL
Telegram	
Day Letter	Blue
Night Message	Nite
Night Letter	N L
If none of these three symbols appears after the check (number of words) this is a telegram. Otherwise its character is indicated by the symbol appearing after the check.	

RECEIVED AT 5516 EUCLID AVENUE, CLEVELAND, OHIO

66H MAT 17

FY BUFFALO NY 1035AM MAR 5 1920

RABBI ABBA HILLE SILVER

THE TEMPLE E 55 ST CLEVELAND

MARCH TWENTY SIXTH ENGAGED CAN YOU POSSIBLE COME MARCH TWELFTH PLEASE
MAKE SUPREME EFFORT WIRE COLLECT REPLY

LEWIS J KOFALD

111 AM

*Mar 6 - 12:15 telegraphed
Sorry, but utterly
unable to come for
twelfth. Could come 26th.*

LOUIS J. KOPALD, Rabbi

S. ROSENAU, Secretary
73 North Pearl Street

Telephones

Rabbi's Study: Tupper 4893
Temple Centre: Tupper 5343

Temple Beth Zion

Delaware Avenue
Buffalo

March 5

1920

Dear Silver:

Unfortunately Rabbi Wolf cannot change his appointment from the 26 to the 12, and so I have wired you in the hope that you are able to come to us a week from to-day. I am awaiting your word and hope you will find it possible. I know you will make every effort as I certainly want you while I am on my trip.

With best ever.

Sincerely yours,

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver,
Cleveland, Ohio.

Monahan

h 0081 h

LOUIS J. KOPALD, Rabbi

S. ROSENAU, Secretary
72 North Pearl Street

Telephones

Rabbi's Study: Tupper 4893
Temple Centre: Tupper 5343

Temple Beth Zion

Delaware Avenue

Buffalo

March 8

1920

Dear Silver:

I can't tell you how sorry I am that you cannot arrange to be here this Friday as, unfortunately, Rabbi Wolf of Rochester had promised to be with us on the 26 before your acceptance. It just seems that fate is against us as I particularly wished you to be here while I am on my honeymoon.

With best ever,

Faithfully yours,

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver,
Cleveland, Ohio.

Handwritten signature: JHC

Handwritten note: You must come later!

March 19th, 1930

Mr. Louis Goldring,
Goldring & Thomson,
716 Erie County Savings Bank Bldg.,
Buffalo, N.Y.

My dear Mr. Goldring,

I am in receipt of your letter of the thirteenth, urging me to accept the invitation of Temple Beth El for Friday evening, March 22nd. Frankly, I do not think it advisable. We would be reaching an audience there which we could, in all probability, reach at any time meeting.

I should love, however, to help you out in Buffalo. Let me know your future plans.

Very sincerely yours,

GOLDRING & SHERMAN
ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELORS
718-717 ERIE COUNTY SAVINGS BANK BLDG.
BUFFALO, N.Y.

LOUIS GOLDRING
CARL SHERMAN

March 13, 1920.

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

My dear Rabbi:-

I was grieved to learn that you were unable to make arrangements to change pulpits with Rabbi Kopald on March 26th. I understand that Charles Polakoff, President of Temple Beth El, extended you an invitation to occupy the pulpit at Temple Beth El for the same evening, March 26th. I would urge you to accept the invitation and let me know if you do, so that I may make arrangements for a conference for Saturday afternoon at which you will be the host. I cannot help but reiterate the importance to the drive in Buffalo of such a conference and your presence here will give you an opportunity to be of great value in the coming Restoration Drive.

If you cannot come on March 26th, will you notify Mr. Polakoff and myself whether you can come the following week.

Awaiting your early reply and thanking you for your many courtesies, I am in the hope of the New Zion,

Cordially yours,

IG/HCL

Louis Goldring

CLASS OF SERVICE	SYMBOL
Telegram	
Day Letter	DL
Night Message	NM
Night Letter	NL

If none of these three symbols appears after the check (number of words) this is a telegram. Otherwise its character is indicated by the symbol appearing after the check.

WESTERN UNION TELEGRAM

NEWCOMB CARLTON, PRESIDENT

GEORGE W. E. ATKINS, FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT

CLASS OF SERVICE	SYMBOL
Telegram	
Day Letter	DL
Night Message	NM
Night Letter	NL

If none of these three symbols appears after the check (number of words) this is a telegram. Otherwise its character is indicated by the symbol appearing after the check.

RECEIVED AT 5516 EUCLID AVENUE, CLEVELAND, OHIO
214H RF 34 5 EXTRA

FY BUFFALO NY 147 PM APRIL 9 1920

RABBI H SILVER

207 THE TEMPLE CLEVELAND O

CAN YOU COME TO BUFFALO MONDAY NIGHT APRIL NINETEENTH TO ADDRESS MASS
MEETING TO HELP US COMPLETE OUR QUOTA WE WILL NEED YOUR HELP VERY MUCH
PLEASE WIRE ANSWER

LOUIS GOLDRING 310 INDIANAPOLIS HOTEL

2 PM

OVER

*Will be pleased to
come if you want
to raise funds - over*

Louis Goldring

My brother, - Dr. Mapwell Silver,
is due in Buffalo on
fifteenth. See whether he
could not take care of your
meeting on that date -

(Signed) Rabbi A. H. Silver

over

LOUIS J. KOPALD, Rabbi

S. ROSENAU, Secretary
72 North Pearl Street

Telephones

Rabbi's Study: Tupper 4893
Temple Centre: Tupper 3243

Temple Beth Zion

Delaware Avenue
Buffalo

October 20

1920

Dear Silver:

Must we give it up as a bad job or can't we arrange that which we have so frequently endeavored to bring about? I should like very much indeed to have you in my pulpit this winter as you know it has always been my wish to present you to my congregation as a congregation.

Can you not come to us some Friday evening? You might name almost any Friday or a number of dates convenient to you from which I might make choice. I am having but a handful of men speak for me this season. Dr. Wise, Rabbi Rosenau and Hugh Black definitely, and probably Goldenson. Otherwise the only other one that I care to bring this year is yourself. Can you do it? I sincerely hope so as I have wanted you ever since your coming to Cleveland. Do let me know.

With best ever,

Sincerely yours,

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver,
Cleveland, O.

Alfred Rosenau

October 24th, 1920

Rabbi Isaac Kopold,
509 Delaware Avenue,
Buffalo, N.Y.

My dear Kopold,

I appreciate very much your kind invitation to address your Congregation on some Friday evening during the coming winter.

I am hoping to begin my Friday Evening Forum within the next few weeks, which would, of course, compel me to stay in Cleveland almost every Friday evening. Should I be free some Friday evening, I shall be very happy to let you know.

With kindest regards and wishing you well,
I beg to remain

Very sincerely yours,

TEMPLE STUDY
153 RICHMOND AVE.
PHONE: TUPPER 8787-J

RESIDENCE
212 RICHMOND AVE.
PHONE: TUPPER 7788-W

M. M. EICHLER
RABBI
TEMPLE BETH EL
BUFFALO, N. Y.

Nov. 10, 1920

Rabbi Abba H. Silver,
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi Silver:—

In connection with the Zionist Convention, which will take place in this city beginning Thanksgiving Day, there will be held Friday evening services in Temple Beth El at which many of the delegates are expected to be present. On behalf of our Temple and the Arrangement Committee I extend an urgent request that you occupy the pulpit of Beth El that evening.

November 26, 1920 at 8¹⁵ P.M.

I sincerely hope that you will be able to arrange your affairs so as to be with us that evening. Anticipating an early reply, I am

Fraternally yours

M. M. Eichler.

November 12th, 1930

Rabbi M. M. Kiebler,
Temple Beth El,
155 Richmond Avenue,
Buffalo, N. Y.

My dear Rabbi Kiebler,

I am in receipt of your kind letter of the tenth, inviting me to occupy your pulpit on Friday evening, November 28th.

I should be very pleased to do so, but for two reasons. In the first place, I do not expect to be in Buffalo until late Sunday afternoon, and in the second place, I am scheduled to address a Mass Meeting on Sunday.

Perhaps at some future time I shall be able to be of service to you.

Very sincerely yours,

March 5th, 1921

Mr. I. M. Hellwitz,
793 Ashland Avenue,
Buffalo, N. Y.

My dear Mr. Hellwitz,

Permit me to thank you for your kind invitation to address the annual banquet of the B'nai B'rith Lodge. I should be most happy to accept were I in a position to do so, but unfortunately the number of lecture engagements scheduled for the next few months is so large that I do not feel justified in accepting any more.

Trusting that I may be able to be of some service to you in the near future, I am

Very sincerely yours,

Montefiore Lodge No. 70

INDEPENDENT ORDER B'NAI B'RITH



I. M. HELLWITZ, SECRETARY
792 ASHLAND AVE.

BUFFALO, N. Y.

March 1,
1921

Rabbi A. Hillel Silver,
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Rabbi:

Several of our members have requested me to extend an invitation to you to be one of our speakers at our annual Banquet which takes place Sunday evening, March 27th, at the Hotel Statler of this City.

You made a deep impression upon many of our members on your recent visit to our City and they are desirous of having you with us on this occasion.

Hoping for a favorable reply, I am,

Sincerely and Fraternally yours,

I. M. Hellwitz
Sec'y.

IMH:S

Temple Beth Zion

DELAWARE AVENUE
BUFFALO

March 8

1921

Dear Rabbi Silver:

I am just taking the chance that perhaps you may be able to break away from your Forum meeting on Friday, March 18, if you are not already otherwise engaged, and speak for us. My understanding is that you are usually in your pulpit on Friday evening but I am wondering if you would not arrange to be here perhaps on that night. I am to speak in Kansas City and St. Louis on March 20 and 21 and have received an invitation to speak in my old home town, Omaha, on Friday, the 18, which I should like to accept if I could fill my pulpit adequately.

Please let me know at the earliest possible moment if it be possible for you to come.

With best ever,

Sincerely yours,

Rabbi A. H. Silver,
The Temple,
Cleveland, O.

Louis J. Kopald

March 9th, 1921

Rebbi Louis E. Kopald,
Temple Beth Elan, Delaware Ave.,
Buffalo, N.Y.

My dear Rebbi Kopald,

I am afraid that I shall be compelled to forego the pleasure of addressing your congregation during the month of March. Conditions are such that I must remain on Friday evening with my Forum.

I shall be free, however, in April or May, as my Forum closes the end of this month. If I can be of service to you then, I shall be glad to do so.

Very sincerely yours,

The Temple Women's Association

Cleveland, Ohio

Mrs. Siegmund Joseph, Honorary President
1927 EAST 93RD STREET

Mrs. Mel. B. Wing, President
1926 EAST 94TH STREET

**Miss Edna Goldsmith, Vice President
and National Correspondent**
1925 EAST 117TH STREET

Mrs. Leopold Einslein, Treasurer
11435 EUCLID AVENUE

Mrs. A. M. Graber, Auditor
19608 ASHBURY AVENUE

Mrs. Walter A. Goldsmith, Recording Secretary
2108 ABINGTON ROAD

Mrs. Jos. M. Menkelson, Financial Secretary
10845 LEE AVENUE



RECEIVED 1927

Temple Beth Zion

DELAWARE AVENUE
BUFFALO

March 16

1921

Dear Rabbi Silver:

I am sorry be ond words that you cannot be with us this week. But I am glad that you say you will be able to come to us in April or May. I take it that you are going to the Conference in Washington and will be there on Friday, April 15. If, however, by any chance you are not going to the Conference, how would April 15 be for an address to my congregation while I am out of town. If that be impossible, then any date that you might indicate in April would be agreeable to me as I expect to be here through the month on Friday nights, having been away so much recently. May I suggest, however, that April 22 would be a most agreeable date for me.

Please let me know, and if not that date, then another.

Looking forward keenly to your coming, and with all good wishes,

Sincerely yours,

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver,
Cleveland, O.

Louis J. Kopald

March 21st, 1921

Rabbi Louis J. Kopald,
Temple Beth Zion,
Delaware Avenue, Buffalo, N.Y.

My dear Rabbi Kopald,

Replying to your letter of the sixteenth - I should be glad to come to Buffalo on April 22nd, were it not for the fact that it is Seder and my Congregation give their annual Temple Seder on that night.

The 15th is impossible, because I hope to be in Washington. I could hardly make it on the 8th, as I am to be in Chicago on the evening of the 7th. However, since you contemplate being in Buffalo yourself on Friday nights during the coming month, you would not need me.

If I can find a date in May convenient for you, I shall let you know.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

New York State Campaign
American Jewish Relief Committee

FOR SUFFERERS FROM THE WAR

Quota Six Million Dollars

Five Million Below and One Million above the Bronx

State Headquarters
Room 230 Hotel Iroquois, Buffalo, N. Y.

EUGENE WARNER, State Chairman.

January 25, 1922.

Vice-Chairmen.

J. G. JOSEPH, Buffalo
MORTIMER ADLER, Rochester
HIRAM WEISBERG, Syracuse
R. KAUFMAN, Utica
L. M. KING, Schenectady
NATHAN HATCH, Albany
H. H. BUTLER, Troy
HARRY KITZINGER, Yonkers
HARRY RUBIN, Binghamton
BENJ. P. LEVY, Elmira

Rabbi A. H. Silver,
Cleveland, O.

My dear Rabbi:

Executive Committee.

WILLIAM BAKER, Elmira
MRS. WILLIAM BAKER, Elmira
H. BARASCH, Freeport
HARRY BENJAMIN, Tarrytown
ASHER BERNSTEIN, Beacon
MAX BERNSTEIN, Gloversville
DR. SOL BLOOM, Binghamton
SAMUEL BROADS, Yonkers
EDWARD BURGER, Peekskill
H. H. BUTLER, Troy
SOL COHEN, Newburg
A. F. FEINBERG, Brewster
H. S. FISHER, Ogdensburg
JACOB FINEBURG, Beacon
HENRY FISH, Newburg
JACOB FISH, Newburg
A. FLEMING, Newburg
JULIUS FRANK, Ogdensburg
H. G. FRIEDMAN, White Plains
RABBI BENJAMIN FRIEDMAN, Syracuse
DR. JOSEPH I. GORFINKLE, Mt. Vernon
R. J. GOLDSMITH, Saratoga Springs
EDWARD HARRIS, Beacon
THEODORE HOFELLER, Buffalo
A. M. HOLSTEIN, Syracuse
L. L. HURWITZ, Syracuse
J. G. JOSEPH, Buffalo
LOUIS KADES, Newburg
DR. BERNARD M. KAPLON, Kingston
RUBIN KAUFMAN, Utica
PHILLIP KEMPLER, Newburg
LOUIS M. KING, Schenectady
HARRY KITZINGER, Yonkers
BENJAMIN LEVY, Elmira
SOL N. LEVY, Newburg
JACOB MENDELSON, Spring Valley
W. L. MENNESOWITZ, Albany
MICHAEL MOSES, Newburg
RALPH MOSES, Gloversville
MARIUS RANSOM, Albany
ELIAS REIS, Cedarhurst, L. I.
PHILIP RICHMAN, Catskill
DR. PHILIP ROSENBERG, Yonkers
H. RUBIN, Binghamton
WILLIAM RUBIN, Syracuse
SIGMUND SAMUELS, Newburg
S. SHAPIRO, Syracuse
L. S. SILBERBERG, Niagara Falls
NATHAN B. SPEAR, Rome
ARTHUR SPENCER, Poughkeepsie
BENJAMIN STOLZ, Syracuse
SAMUEL STONE, Yonkers
EMANUEL TAPPER, Elmira
SAMUEL TAUB, Beacon
GATES THALHEIMER, Syracuse
RABBI J. TARNHISEL, Yonkers
JACOB M. VALK, Mt. Vernon
DAVID WATTERHAM, Kingston
WALTER WEISKMAN, Binghamton

You are undoubtedly familiar with the

progress that is being made in the work for the
War Relief Campaign and that to me has been allotted
the task of raising one million dollars in New York
State outside of greater New York.

We are to have the opening of our
Campaign here at Hotel Iroquois, February 5th, and
I wish very much to have you wish us here at that
time. I do hope that you can arrange it and also
to give me a few days after that for this extremely
important work. I would like to have you visit
Syracuse also, if a day can be arranged and may be
Albany and if not asking too much, Elmira and
Binghamton. Of course, if you keep on saying "Yes",
I will keep right on furnishing you with additional
territory. Will you be good enough to wire me
on receipt of this, whether you will be able to be

WE SAVE THEM OR THEY DIE

with us. You of course, recall that we figured on you last November and were extremely disappointed not to have you.

It is no use saying anything at greater length, because you fully realize the importance of the appeal and I think you know how gladly we all welcome you here in Buffalo.

State and local Headquarters are at the Hotel Iroquois.

Yours very truly.

EW:AS.

Eugene Warner.

E. Warner

Jewish War Relief

Iriquois Hotel

Buffalo, N.Y.

Cannot come on the 19th. Can give you the 20th.

A. H. Silver.

New York State Campaign
American Jewish Relief Committee

FOR SUFFERERS FROM THE WAR

Quota Six Million Dollars

Five Million Below and One Million above the Bronx

State Headquarters
Room 230 Hotel Iroquois, Buffalo, N. Y.

February 7, 1922.

EUGENE WARNER, State Chairman.

Vice-Chairmen.

J. G. JOSEPH, Buffalo
MORTIMER ADLER, Rochester
HIRAM WEISBERG, Syracuse
R. KAUFMAN, Utica
L. M. KING, Schenectady
NATHAN HATCH, Albany
H. H. BUTLER, Troy
HARRY KITZINGER, Yonkers
HARRY RUBIN, Binghamton
BENJ. F. LEVY, Elmira

Executive Committee.

WILLIAM BAKER, Elmira
MRS. WILLIAM BAKER, Elmira
H. BARASCH, Freeport
HARRY BENJAMIN, Tarrytown
ASHER BERNSTEIN, Beacon
MAX BERNSTEIN, Gloversville
DR. SOL BLOOM, Binghamton
SAMUEL BROADS, Yonkers
EDWARD BUEGER, Peekskill
H. H. BUTLER, Troy
SOL COHEN, Newburg
A. F. FRINKBERG, Brewster
H. S. FISHER, Ogdensburg
JACOB FINEBURG, Beacon
HENRY FISH, Newburg
JACOB FISH, Newburg
A. FLEMING, Newburg
JULIUS FRANK, Ogdensburg
H. G. FRIEDMAN, White Plains
RABBI BENJAMIN FRIEDMAN, Syracuse
DR. JOSEPH I. GORFINKLE, Mt. Vernon
R. J. GOLDSMITH, Saratoga Springs
EDWARD HARRIS, Beacon
THEODORE HOFELLER, Buffalo
A. M. HOLSTEIN, Syracuse
L. L. HURWITZ, Syracuse
J. G. JOSEPH, Buffalo
LOUIS KADES, Newburg
DR. BERNARD M. KAPLON, Kingston
RUBIN KAUFMAN, Utica
PHILLIP KEMPLER, Newburg
LOUIS M. KING, Schenectady
HARRY KITZINGER, Yonkers
BENJAMIN LEVY, Elmira
SOL N. LEVY, Newburg
JACOB MENDELSON, Spring Valley
W. L. MENNESOWITZ, Albany
MICHAEL MOSES, Newburg
RALPH MOSES, Gloversville
MARIUS RANSOM, Albany
ELIAS REIS, Cedarhurst, L. I.
PHILIP RICHMAN, Catskill
DR. PHILIP ROSENBL, Yonkers
H. RUBIN, Binghamton
WILLIAM RUBIN, Syracuse
RICHMUND SAMUELS, Newburg
R. SHAPIRO, Syracuse
L. S. SILBERBERG, Niagara Falls
NATHAN B. SPEAR, Rome
ARTHUR SPENCER, Poughkeepsie
BENJAMIN STOLZ, Syracuse
SAMUEL STONE, Yonkers
EMANUEL TAPPER, Elmira
SAMUEL TAUB, Beacon
GATES THALHEIMER, Syracuse
RABBI J. TARKISH, Yonkers
JACOB M. VALK, Mt. Vernon
DAVID WATTERHAM, Kingston
WALTER WEISEMAN, Binghamton

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver,
Cleveland, O.

My dear Rabbi Silver:

I received your wire and immediately
wired Syracuse that you can be there on the 20th.
They were glad to go to any extreme if they could
get Rabbi Silver, and accordingly they changed their
date, namely to the 20th.

I am sending Mr. Hiram Weisberg a letter,
advising him to communicate with you direct. Mr.
Weisberg is the Chairman of the Syracuse campaign.

I need not tell you how grateful I am to
you because there are just a few of the leaders in
demand and every city in the State wants you, Wise or
Krass. I realize how many demands are made upon your
time and know that your efforts will bring magnificent
results.

We had our opening dinner here on Sunday
night and Mrs. Kohut and Mr. James Becker raised
\$100,000 at that dinner against our quota of \$150,000.

Mrs. Kohut was at our house for dinner
Sunday and spoke in glowing terms of you and your

WE SAVE THEM OR THEY DIE

stand in the Cleveland community.

With kind regards, I am

Yours very truly,

EW:AS.

Eugene Warner.



Collect Message to

Friday, February 10, 1922

Eugene Warner
Iroquois Hotel,
Buffalo, N.Y.

Please excuse me from the engagement at Troy. Have just
accepted invitation to open a ^{War Relief} ~~League~~ Drive in Pittsburgh on the twenty-
fifth. Am being crowded a bit too much.

A. H. Silver

Pd. Message - 4:30 p.m.

to Eugene Warner

Iroquois Hotel, Buffalo, N.Y.

My message this p.m. should read - "Have accepted invitation to open
War Relief Drive in Pittsburgh &c. &c."

A. H. Silver

CLASS OF SERVICE	SYMBOL
Telegram	
Day Letter	Blue
Night Message	Nite
Night Letter	N L

If none of these three symbols appears after the check (number of words) this is a telegram. Otherwise its character is indicated by the symbol appearing after the check.

WESTERN UNION TELEGRAM

NEWCOMB CARLTON, PRESIDENT

GEORGE W. E. ATKINS, FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT

A reply is requested by the sender of this message. May we rush it for you?

RECEIVED AT 5516 EUCLID AVENUE, CLEVELAND, OHIO

63H RF 92

Q BUFFALO NY 1117A FEB 9 1922

RABBI ABBA HILLEL SILVER

76

CARE THE TEMPLE CLEVELAND OHIO

AM CHANGING YOUR ENGAGEMENT FOR THE TWENTIETH FROM SYRACUSE TO TROY
SYRACUSE HAS BOTH MARSHALL AND YOU AND AS SYRACUSE IS MARSHALLS HOME
TOWN PREFER THAT YOU GO TO TROY WHERE THEY EXPECT TO HOLD TREMENDOUSLY
LARGE MEETING AND ARE GETTING BIG AID FROM NON JEWS AND I WANT TO SHOW
THEM ONE OF OUR FOREMOST JEWISH RABBIS AND WANT THEM TO HEAR A REAL
ELOQUEST SPEAKER PLEASE WIRE ME HOTEL IROQUOI & THAT THIS CHANGE IS
ACCEPTABLE TO YOU IF RABBI SILVER OUT OF TOWN PLEASE WIRE OR PHONE
HIM THIS REQUEST

EUGENE WARNER

1148A

CLASS OF SERVICE	SYMBOL
Telegram	
Day Letter	Blue
Night Message	Nite
Night Letter	N L
If none of these three symbols appears after the check (number of words) this is a telegram. Otherwise its character is indicated by the symbol appearing after the check.	

WESTERN UNION



TELEGRAM

NEWCOMB CARLTON, PRESIDENT

GEORGE W. J. ATKINS, FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT

CLASS OF SERVICE	SYMBOL
Telegram	
Day Letter	Blue
Night Message	Nite
Night Letter	N L
If none of these three symbols appears after the check (number of words) this is a telegram. Otherwise its character is indicated by the symbol appearing after the check.	

RECEIVED AT 2040 EAST 9th ST., CLEVELAND. 1922 OCT 29 PM 3 55 ALWAYS OPEN

BUA107 30 6 EXTRA

FY BUFFALO NY 29 3P

RABBI A H SILVER

2610

THE TEMPLE EAST 55 ST AND CENTRAL CLEVELAND OHIO

MENS CLUB TEMPLE BETHEL BUFFALO DESIRES YOU TO SPEAK ON ANY OF
 DATES NOVEMBER EIGHTH OR FOURTEENTH OR FIFTEENTH PREFERABLY
 NOVEMBER EIGHT WIRE COLLECT

RABBI N M EICHLER 212 RICHMOND AVE BUFFALO.

Del
C. F.

Free
Alone

1008

*Believe I can
 come on fifteenth
 Fee. 100.00 and traveling
 10 expenses.*

TEMPLE STUDY
153 RICHMOND AVE.
PHONE: TUPPER 3787-J

RESIDENCE
212 RICHMOND AVE.
PHONE: TUPPER 7788-W

M. M. EICHLER
RABBI
TEMPLE BETH EL
BUFFALO, N. Y.

Oct. 29, 1922

Rabbi Abba H. Silver
The Temple
Cleveland Ohio

Dear Rabbi Silver:—

I beg to confirm receipt of your Telegram, reading: "Believe can come, Nov. 15th, fee \$100 & expenses" and to state that this is perfectly satisfactory. May I ask you to kindly notify me of the topic of your address that evening as we wish to give this affair proper publicity. Our people will be delighted to hear of your acceptance and I know will extend to you a royal welcome. The Dinner is at the Temple at 6:30 P. M. If we hear from you as to the time of your arrival we shall meet you at the depot.

Fraternally yours
M. M. Eichler

LOUIS J. KOPALD, Rabbi

S. ROSENAU, Honorary Secretary

R. A. GERSTMAN, Secretary

Temple Beth Zion

Delaware Avenue

Buffalo

Telephones

Rabbi's Study:	Tupper 4893
Temple Center:	Tupper 5943
Secretary:	Tupper 5943
Basement:	Tupper 0583

December 8

1922

Dear Rabbi Silver:

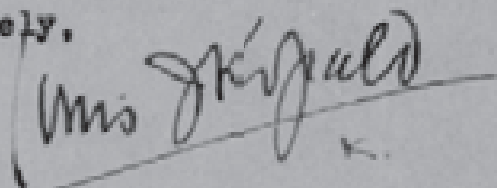
I wonder whether it would be possible for you to occupy my pulpit on some Friday night during the next four or five weeks. I am leaving for Atlantic City on Saturday of this week, where my doctors are sending me in the hope that I may find more sun there as I require a daily sun bath and Buffalo is almost sunless at this time of year.

I have a young student to occupy my pulpit during my absence and the members of my Board feel that unless we can bring one of the outstanding men of the country to the pulpit, it would be better not to ask any one. For this reason I am writing you and just two others in the hope that perhaps you may find it possible to come during my illness. Any Friday night -- December 15, 22, 29 or January 5 would be most acceptable to us.

Please answer care the Shelbourne, Atlantic City.

With earnest hope that you may find it possible to come and warm personal greetings,

Sincerely,



Louis J. Kopald

Rabbi Abba Silver,
The Temple,
Cleveland, O.

December Eleventh
1922

Rabbi Louis J. Kopald,
Care The Shelbourne,
Atlantic City, N.J.

My dear Rabbi Kopald,

Permit me to thank you for your kind invitation. I wish I were in a position to help you out and would be most eager to do so, were it not for the fact that we have our own Friday evening Service, which I am conducting, and I am compelled to remain in Cleveland.

Furthermore, I plan to be married early in January and shall be away from my pulpit for several weeks, on my wedding trip.

I trust that at some future time I shall be in a position to serve you. I hope you will improve rapidly and that before long you will be restored to your usual good health.

With kindest regards and best wishes,
I am

Very sincerely yours,

December Eleventh, 1922

Rabbi Louis J. Kopald,
Care The Shelbourne,
Atlantic City, N.J.

My dear Rabbi Kopald,

Permit me to thank you for your kind invitation. I wish I were in a position to help you out. I would be most eager to do so were it not for the fact that we have our own Friday Evening Service, which I am conducting, and I am compelled to remain in Cleveland.

Furthermore, I plan to be married early in January and shall be away from my pulpit for several weeks, on my wedding trip. I do not wish to be away any day this month.

I trust that at some future time I shall be in a position to serve you. I trust that you will improve rapidly and that before long you will be restored to good health.

With kindest regards and best wishes, I am

Very sincerely yours,

LOUIS J. KOPALD, Rabbi
—
S. ROSENAU, Honorary Secretary
—
R. A. GERSTMAN, Secretary

Temple Beth Zion
Delaware Avenue
Buffalo

Telephones
Rabbi's Study: Tupper 4893
Temple Centre: Tupper 5343
Secretary: Tupper 5343
Basement: Tupper 0383

December 14

1922

Dear Rabbi Silver:

I am arranging the calendar of speakers who are to address the Cornell Jewish Student Congregation at Ithaca during the second semester from February through May, 1923.

A number of students have expressed the strong desire that you be one of the speakers during this semester and I hope sincerely that you will make every effort and find it possible to accept. Needless to tell you my own pleasure in your acceptance.

The success of the Student Congregation idea, as you know, depends wholly upon the speakers. For this reason it is essential that men of marked ability be on our program. I am sure that you will make every effort to co-operate.

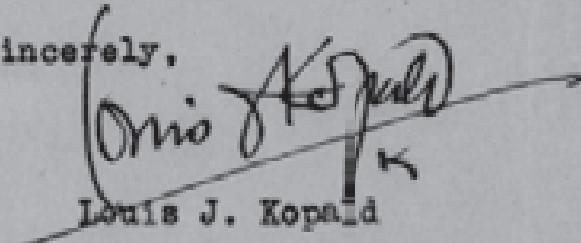
The following are the available dates:

February 18	April 1
March 4	April 15
March 18	April 29
May 13	

Will you be good enough at the earliest possible moment to let me know your choice of date? In arranging such a calendar, however, I find it most difficult to adjust dates according to the convenience of the rabbis. Will you, therefore, be good enough to indicate a second and third, and if possible a fourth preference so that I may assign to you one of the dates most possible, according to the convenience of the majority? I shall appreciate this especially.

With all good wishes and warm personal greeting,

Sincerely,


Louis J. Kopald

Rabbi Abta Silver,
The Temple,
Cleveland, O.

December 16th, 1932.

✓ Rabbi Louis J. Kopald,
399 Delaware Ave.,
Buffalo, N.Y.

My dear Rabbi Kopald,

I wish I could accept your kind invitation to address the Cornell Jewish Student Congregation. You will recall what I wrote you last year. Your meetings are held on Sunday and I cannot leave Cleveland on Sunday. Our principal services as well as most of our Congregational activities take place on that day.

With kindest regards and trusting that you are well, I am

Very sincerely yours,

CHARLES POLAKOFF
President
MAX GROSSMAN
Vice-President
BERTRAM KROHN
Secretary
IRVING M. ROSENBLAT
Treasurer

Temple Beth El

151-161 RICHMOND AVENUE

BUFFALO, N. Y.

TRUSTEES:

JOSEPH S. HARRIS
ABRAHAM ALTMAN
LOUB GOLDRING
AARON NATHAN
MAX STOVROFF
BARNETH SATULOFF
ALFFED M. FREEDMAN
JOSEPH ROTHENBERG
SAMUEL GREENFIELD

RABBI M. M. EICHLER
Study: 151 Richmond Avenue
Residence: 212 Richmond Avenue

Address Communications and Replies to
TEMPLE BETH EL
MRS. EDITH LIGHTMAN
Executive Secretary

REV. B. SCHACHTEL, Cantor
Residence: 22 Ketchum Place

Jan. 4, 1923

Dear Rabbi Silver:—

I have been requested to re-inforce the telegram sent to you by Mr. Frederick Ullman on behalf of the Federated Jewish Charities of this city asking you to open their drive on Sunday, February 4, 1923. Of course it is understood that your usual fee & expenses will be paid i.e. \$100.00 and fare. It is going to be a Dinner Sunday evening and we would want you to deliver an address and inspire the workers and guests. There will be the most representative audience and it will take place at the Traynor. May I ask you to answer me at once.
With fraternal greetings
over

Cordially yours
M. Eichler

Write sorry unable to accept - Give reasons.



THE NEW YORK PUBLIC LIBRARY

ASTOR LENOX TILDEN FOUNDATION
155 E. 42ND STREET
NEW YORK 17, N.Y.

CLASS OF SERVICE	SYMBOL
Telegram	
Day Letter	Blue
Night Message	Nite
Night Letter	N L
If none of these three symbols appears after the check (number of words) this is a telegram. Otherwise its character is indicated by the symbol appearing after the check.	

WESTERN UNION



TELEGRAM

NEWCOMB CARLTON, PRESIDENT

GEORGE W. E. ATKINS, FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT

CLASS OF SERVICE	SYMBOL
Telegram	
Day Letter	Blue
Night Message	Nite
Night Letter	N L
If none of these three symbols appears after the check (number of words) this is a telegram. Otherwise its character is indicated by the symbol appearing after the check.	

RECEIVED AT 2040 EAST 9th ST., CLEVELAND. ALWAYS OPEN

BUB05 10

SO BUFFALO NY 3 445P
RABBI. ABA HILLEL SILVER

787

55 TH ST AND CENTRAL AVE CLEVELAND OHIO

PLEASE CALL ME ON TELEPHONE AT MY EXPENSE TOMORROW MORNING

FREDERIC ULLMAN.

1923 JAN 13 PM 4:58

Deley

LOUIS J. KOPALD, Rabbi

S. ROSENAU, Honorary Secretary

R. A. GERSTMAN, Secretary

Temple Beth Zion

Delaware Avenue

Buffalo

Telephones

Rabbi's Study: Tupper 4893

Temple Centre: Tupper 5343

Secretary: Tupper 5343

Basement: Tupper 6283

January 18, 1923.

My dear Rabbi:

Owing to the continued illness of our Rabbi Kopald we find it necessary to call upon you to give us some Friday evening during the next few months beginning with February first for the purpose of stimulating the interest of our congregation in religious affairs. We are writing a number of letters to prominent rabbis and upon your reply we will confirm the date as otherwise there might be some confusion and conflict of dates. It is understood, of course, that you will be paid an honorarium for this work.

We trust that you will see fit to answer this call for the good of Judaism.

We have a young man who reads the services and gives us weekly talks but we find that the stimulus of men well known in the Rabbinate is necessary to keep up the interest of the congregation in things Jewish.

Yours sincerely

Frederic Ullman

FU/RAG

Rabbi Abba H. Silver

LOUIS J. KOPALD, Rabbi

S. ROSENAU, Honorary Secretary

R. A. GERSTMAN, Secretary

Temple Beth Zion

Delaware Avenue

Buffalo

Telephones

Rabbi's Study: Tupper 4893

Temple Centre: Tupper 5343

Secretary: Tupper 5343

Basement: Tupper 0383

February 6, 1923.

Rabbi A.H. Silver
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Rabbi:


I am writing for the Board of Trustees of Temple Beth Zion to ascertain whether or not you can come to us the last Friday in March, the 30th or the previous Friday, the 23rd.

Needless to say, we will greatly appreciate it if you can find it possible to give us either one of the above mentioned dates, or a date in April.

With the hopes that we may hear from you soon,

Very truly yours,

R. A. Gerstman
Secretary.



February 7th, 1923.

Mr. R. A. Gerstman,
Temple Beth Zion
Delaware Avenue,
Buffalo, N.Y.

My dear Mr. Gerstman,

I am pleased to accept your invitation to address your Congregation, Friday, March 30th. I trust that nothing will prevent me from coming to you on that day.

With kindest regards and trusting that Dr. Kopold is rapidly recovering his health, I beg to remain

Very sincerely yours,

February 21st, 1923.

Mr. R. A. Gerstman,
Temple Beth Zion,
Delaware Ave.,
Buffalo, N.Y.

My dear Mr. Gerstman,

I am afraid that I am unable to accept the kind invitation of the Jewish Federation for Social Service of Buffalo to address their social center the same evening on which I am scheduled to address Temple Beth Zion. I think that would be too much of a strain upon me. I will let you know before long the subject of my lecture.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

KB My dear Mr. Silver.

I want to tell you
again how grateful the Council
is in the magnificent talk.
I wish you might have the congrat-
ulatory telephone message. I have

receiving news of our good fortune
in coming in with her. And may I
repeat that it was a genuine pleasure
to her had a bit of your time & I so
regret that Mr. Barth isn't the one
and is therefore not hearing you tonight!
Thanks many times & up to the top for
all the love & affection and with you, Mrs. Gilbr.
Cordially, Susan Barth.

NEW ADDRESS
PARSONS BUILDING
DELAWARE AVE. AT TUPPER

WALZ-WEINSTOCK, INC.

Advertising

LAFAYETTE BUILDING  BUFFALO, NEW YORK

March 7, 1923.

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

My dear Rabbi Silver:

You will remember last March at Harold's wedding, I mentioned to you I hoped to have the opportunity of again hearing you address the Greater Buffalo Advertising Club.

The directors of the club have granted me the privilege of requesting you to come to Buffalo on April 10th to address them, and I can assure you that they are now looking forward to your acceptance with a great deal of pleasure.

Since you were here the club has grown considerably, and I know that you will have a message for the members that will impress them as deeply as did the words you so ably expressed on your last visit.

The club will deem it an honor to assume any expense connected with your coming here. I am deeply mindful of the fact that your work in Cleveland must keep you fully occupied, but assure you that the mere mention thus far of our desire to have you come to us on the above date has already created a spirit of pleasurable anticipation in expectation of your acceptance.

Yours sincerely,

Edwin J. Weinstock.

EJW:LMC

March 13th, 1923.

Mr. Edwin J. Weinstock,
Lafayette Building,
Buffalo, N.Y.

My dear Mr. Weinstock,

Permit me to thank you for your kind letter of March 7th. I am to address the Buffalo Temple Beth Zion on Friday, March 30th and I am wondering whether your date of April 10th is not too close to the one I have already accepted. I could give you a date later on in the month of April or May. My honorarium would be \$100 and travelling expenses. If the terms are acceptable, please let me know one or two open dates and I will designate one.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

NEW YORK
PARSON BUILDING
DELAWARE, N. J. AT TUPPER

WALZ-WEINSTOCK, Inc.

Advertising

LAFAYETTE BUILDING  BUFFALO, NEW YORK

March 15, 1923.

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

My dear Rabbi Silver:

Perhaps you are right about the dates between March 30th and April 10th being close together. I knew that you were coming to Buffalo on the former date, but just wondered what your own opinion would be.

It is difficult for me right at this moment to say just what arrangement can be made for future dates, but I will be very glad to inform you later and will look forward to the pleasure of seeing you and hearing you address the Greater Buffalo Advertising Club.

Kindest regards.

Yours sincerely,

Edwin J. Weinstock

EJW:LMG

MRS. PAUL PHILIP STERN
61 MANCHESTER PLACE
BUFFALO, N. Y.

Dear Abba:

Our Temple bulletin states that you will preach here at the end of this month, and Paul and I hope that you can arrange to have dinner with us before services.

If you will let us know when your train arrives we shall be at the station with the "bus."

Should Mrs. Silver accompany
you, of course we shall be
delighted to have her with us.

Let us know that we can
expect you.

With kindest regards from
Aunt and myself.

Sincerely,
Lillian.

March 20th, 1923.

Mrs. Paul Philip Stern,
61 Manchester Place,
Buffalo, N.Y.

My dear Lillian,

Permit me to thank you for your kind invitation. As you know I never eat before Services and I should want the few minutes that I will have between the time of my arrival and the Services to myself. I shall be very happy to see you and to spend some time with Paul and yourself after the Services. Virginia is not coming with me in as much as I plan to stay in Buffalo just a few hours.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

LOUIS J. KOPALD, Rabbi

S. ROSENAU, Honorary Secretary

R. A. GERSTMAN, Secretary

Temple Beth Zion

Delaware Avenue

Buffalo

Telephones

Rabbi's Study: Tupper 4893

Temple Centre: Tupper 5343

Secretary: Tupper 5343

Basement: Tupper 0383

March 26, 1923.

Rabbi A.H. Silver
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi Silver:

At a meeting of the Board of Trustees, your letter to Mr. Ullman was read. The Board have chosen the topic, "What Has Become of the Melting Pot" as the subject of your lecture here Friday evening.

Will you please let me know when you will arrive?

Very truly yours,

R. A. Gerstman
Secretary

LOUIS J. KOPALD, Rabbi

S. ROSENAU, Honorary Secretary

R. A. GERSTMAN, Secretary

Temple Beth Zion

Delaware Avenue

Buffalo

Telephones

Rabbi's Study: Tupper 4883

Temple Centre: Tupper 3343

Secretary: Tupper 3343

Basement: Tupper 0383

April 4, 1923.

My dear Rabbi:

We herewith enclose our check for \$50 to cover your expenses for the unselfish service that you have rendered on behalf of our congregation and for our Rabbi.

Please accept our heartfelt thanks and be assured that we deeply appreciate your coming to us at this time.

Very truly yours,

BOARD OF TRUSTEES
Temple Beth Zion

R. A. Gerstman
Secretary

Rabbi A. E. Silver

May 19th, 1928.

Miss Sophie Alexander,
Flint and Kent,
Buffalo, N.Y.

My dear Miss Alexander,

Permit me to thank you for your letter of May 14th. I had accepted the invitation for June 5th. Mr. Goldstein called me up and informed me that the day had been shifted to June 5th. Unfortunately I have a wedding scheduled for that evening and I cannot leave Cleveland, so that I shall have to forgo the pleasure of being with you this year.

Trusting that I shall have an opportunity to be of service to you at some future time, I am

Very sincerely yours,

TEMPLE STUDY
153 RICHMOND AVE.
PHONE TUPPER 8787-J

RESIDENCE
212 RICHMOND AVE.
PHONE TUPPER 7788-W

M. M. EICHLER
RABBI
TEMPLE BETH EL
BUFFALO, N. Y.

Aug. 12, 1923

Rabbi Abba H. Silver

Cleveland, O.

Dear Rabbi Silver:—

Although it is unkind to disturb
your vacation with matters of business
I do so because the season of con-
gregational activities is rapidly
approaching. Our Men's Club would
like to secure your cooperation
during the coming winter and would
ask you to kindly give us a
date. How would Dec. 12, 1923
(Wednesday) suit you? We
trust that the fee of \$100⁰⁰ & expenses
will be satisfactory to you. May

TEMPLE STUDY
133 RICHMOND AVE.
PHONE: TUPPER 8787-J

RESIDENCE
213 RICHMOND AVE.
PHONE: TUPPER 7788-W

M. M. EICHLER

RABBI

TEMPLE BETH EL
BUFFALO, N. Y.

I ask the favor of an early reply
as I should like to insert it in
the first Bulletin.

With best wishes & kindest regards
- which my family joins me
- Yours fraternally



M. M. Eichler

TEMPLE STUDY
153 RICHMOND AVE.
PHONE TUPPER 2757-J

RESIDENCE
212 RICHMOND AVE.
PHONE: TUPPER 7755-W

M. M. EICHLER
RABBI
TEMPLE BETH EL
BUFFALO, N. Y.

Oct. 11, 1923

My dear Rabbi Silver:—

Some time ago I wrote to you about our
News Club and asked you to kindly accept
a speaking engagement. I gave the date Dec.
12, 1923. I suppose that owing to the vacation
period you had no chance to decide upon the
matter. May I most earnestly urge you to
do us the honor & come to speak to us. The
date that I now suggest is: Wednesday,
November 21st. If this date is impossible
will you give us another date preferably
the third Wednesday of any month.
Trusting to hear from you by return
mail, I am with kindest regards.
Cordially yours
M. M. Eichler

October 18th, 1933.

Rabbi H. K. Richler,
Temple Beth El,
Buffalo, N.Y.

My dear Rabbi Richler,

I need not tell you that I appreciate very much your kindness in inviting me again to address the Men's Club of Temple Beth El. I wish I were in a position to come to you again for I always enjoy the evenings I spend with your people. Unfortunately I am so crowded this year with the work of our new Temple, that I have been compelled to reduce my lecture engagements to a minimum. I have not been in the best of health and my wife has taken me in charge so you see I am no longer free to follow the inclinations of my heart. I hope that next season when our Temple will be completed and my work over, I shall again be able to be with you.

With kindest regards to Mrs. Richler and your daughters, permit me to remain

Very sincerely yours,

SJH/5
LAW OFFICES OF SAMUEL J. HARRIS
726 ELLICOTT SQUARE

SAMUEL J. HARRIS
DAVID W. HARRIS

November 8, 1923.

BUFFALO, N. Y.

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver,
The Temple,
East 55th Street and Central
Cleveland, Ohio.

No - sorry

My dear Rabbi Silver:

A committee consisting of persons representative of all sections of the city and including representatives of all racial and religious groups has been formed for the purpose of establishing a Forum in this city. The tentative plans call for eight sessions to be held each successive Sunday night beginning January 13th, 1923. The place of meeting will be the community house of the Lafayette Presbyterian Church; the hall of this place will hold at least eight hundred persons.

The committee upon scope and tentative program comprises the Reverend Murray Shipley Howland, Dean Charles C. Alden, the Honorable Chauncey J. Hamlin, William H. Heath, Esq., James Doyle and myself. At a meeting of this committee held last evening to discuss the program for the winter, it was the unanimous consensus of opinion that those responsible for the Forum and anxious for its success would like to have you as the first or one of the first speakers before the Forum. Personally, I was tremendously impressed and very pleased to find this as the expression of my associates on the committee. I was designated to convey to you from the committee an invitation to address the Forum this winter and I take pleasure in extending this invitation and in urging upon you its acceptance. As it is apparent that the future success of the Forum will largely depend upon the character of this winter's program, we are all very anxious that you give an affirmative reply to the invitation.

For your information I state that approximately one hundred dollars will be available to pay the expenses of each person who addresses the Forum this winter.

Will you not give this matter your most earnest consideration? We trust that you will do so and that such consideration will bring from you an acceptance of the invitation. If you are coming, I shall be glad to hear from you as to what Sunday night will be the most convenient for you and the titles of two or three subjects upon any one of which you would care to be heard.

Awaiting the courtesy of your early reply and with the most sincere regards, I am

Very truly yours,

Samuel J. Harris

LOUIS J. KOPALD, Rabbi

S. ROSENAU, Honorary Secretary

TMAN, Secretary

Temple Beth Zion

Delaware Avenue

Buffalo

Telephones

Rabbi's Study:	Tupper 4893
Temple Centre:	Tupper 5343
Secretary:	Tupper 5343
Basement:	Tupper 0383

November
Thirteenth
1923.

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver,
The Temple
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Silver :

First of all may I express the hope that Mrs. Silver is feeling much better and that the Baltimore doctors discovered nothing serious.

Needless to tell you how sorry we are that you cannot speak at the opening dinner of our drive on Sunday. Jacob Billikopf will be the speaker.

What I write for now, however, is to express the urgent hope that you may find it possible to accept the invitation which the newly organized Forum Committee has just extended to you. It will be a great joy, my dear Silver, if you could be the first speaker of our series on January 13th. If that be not possible I hope you can make it a bit later.

Just this word to cordially welcome you, and I hope that when you come your better half may come with you.

With greetings to you both in which Mrs. Kopald joins me, I am

Sincerely yours,

Louis J. Kopald

LJK*LS

November fourteenth, 1923

Mr. Samuel J. Harris,
726 Ellicott Square,
Buffalo, New York.

My dear Mr. Harris,

Permit me to thank you for your kind invitation to address the Forum which is being launched this season. I appreciate the courtesy and wish I were in a position to accept. Unfortunately, I am so overburdened with work incidental to the building of our New Temple, that I ~~found~~^{feel} it necessary, in justice to myself, to decline any further invitations to speak during this season.

I trust that at some future time I may be in a position to serve you.

With kindest regards and best wishes for the success of your Forum, I beg to remain

Very sincerely yours,

November 16th, 1923.

Rabbi Louis J. Kopald,
Temple Beth Zion,
Buffalo, N.Y.

My dear Rabbi Kopald,

Thanks very much for your letter of November 13th. Mrs. Silver is getting along splendidly and will be home now in a few days.

I was very sorry that I had to decline the generous invitation of the forum committee of Buffalo. The work involved in the building of our new Temple is so great that I have been compelled to reduce my lecture engagements to a minimum. I have even been compelled to cancel those which I made some months ago. Perhaps next season I may be of service to the committee.

With kindest regards and trusting that you are well, permit me to remain

Very sincerely yours,

NOTED
SJH/J
LAW OFFICES OF SAMUEL J. HARRIS
726 ELlicOTT SQUARE

SAMUEL J. HARRIS
DAVID F. HARRIS

BUFFALO, N. Y.

November 19, 1923.

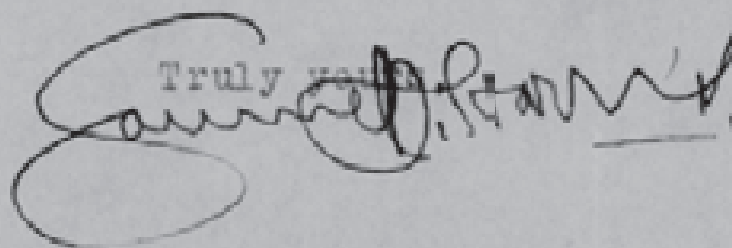
Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver,
The Temple,
East 55th Street and Central
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Rabbi Silver:

I have received your letter of November 14th, 1923 in re the Forum and it is with great regret that my associates and myself have read the contents of the same. I appreciate your burdens and your reason for not accepting our invitation. We trust that any future request that we may make of you may be more favorably answered.

With kindest regards, I am

Truly yours,



NOTED
SJH/J
LAW OFFICES OF SAMUEL J. HARRIS
726 ELlicOTT SQUARE

SAMUEL J. HARRIS
DAVID F. HARRIS

11/35th for object 135th
in ~~June~~
BUFFALO, N. Y.

December 3, 1923.

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver,
The Temple,
East 55th Street and Central,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Rabbi Silver:

Following my letter to you of November 19, 1923, I am again writing to you at the urgent request of my fellow members of the executive committee of the Forum. All of the members of the committee feel that the Forum this winter will not be complete unless you are heard upon its platform; therefore I have been asked to say to you that the committee will be glad if you will express a willingness to speak before the Forum either the first Sunday in March or one of the Sundays in the latter part of February. May I again impress upon you our urgent invitation.

With the kindest personal regards and awaiting the courtesy of your reply, I am

Sincerely yours,
Samuel J. Harris

December 14th, 1922.

Mr. E. L. Schanser,
724 White Building,
Buffalo, N.Y.

My dear Mr. Schanser,

Permit me to thank you for your kind invitation to address a joint Friday Evening Service of the two Congregations in Buffalo. I wish I were in a position to avail myself of the opportunity. Unfortunately the amount of ~~work~~ work here involved in the building of our new Temple is so heavy that I have been constrained to limit my lecture engagements to a minimum.

With kindest regards and hoping that I may be of service to you at some future time, I beg to remain

Very sincerely yours,

PHONES
OFFICE, SENECA 4510
RESIDENCE, JEFF. 2148-J

LAW OFFICES
SAMUEL I. SCHANZER
724 WHITE BUILDING
BUFFALO, N. Y.

December 12, 1923

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi Silver:

The Arya Association of Buffalo and the Jefferson Avenue Synagogue are conducting joint Friday evening services. It has been the custom to invite men, prominent in the Jewish world, to speak after the services are concluded. We have just had the pleasure of an address by Rabbi Morace J. Wolf of Rochester.

The Jewish folk on the east side of our city have never been privileged by an address from you and as chairman of the services, permit me to extend to you an invitation to speak on any one of the next eight Friday evenings. We shall gladly reimburse you for the expenses of the trip. Please do not answer in the negative as we are very anxious to have you with us on the evening which you designate. We have had an attendance of anywhere from five hundred to eight hundred at a service. I know that if you would consent to speak we will have several thousand attend.

May I be favored with a reply at your earliest convenience?

SIS/RC

Sincerely yours

Samuel I. Schanzer

Board of Trustees

Hon. Louis B. Hart, President
Philip Becker Goetz, Secretary
John H. Lascelles, Treasurer
Thomas B. Lockwood
Mrs. Edward H. Butler



The Grosvenor Library

Franklin and Edward Streets

Augustus H. Shearer, Ph. D., Librarian
Frederick C. Wood, Financial Secretary
George Hibbard, Assistant Librarian

A reference library of 166,000 volumes, for the free use of the public.
Incorporated 1859. The charter prohibits the removal of books from the rooms.
Open from 9 A. M. to 10 P. M. Sunday hours 2-6 P. M.

Buffalo, N. Y., December 18, 1923.

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

Dear Rabbi Silver:

Rabbi Kopald encourages us to write to you again concerning speaking at The Town Meeting, a Community Forum. Would it be possible for you to come some later date as February 10, 17, 24, or March 2? Our meetings begin at 7:30. The speaker comes on about 8. The questions are to be over at 10. The honorarium which the Forum has felt it could offer is \$100. This movement is somewhat new here but there is considerable interest. We have three speakers so far for our eight meetings and the subjects of Labor, City Government, and Women are to be covered.

We are hoping that you can be with us on one of the nights mentioned.

Yours very truly,

Augustus H. Shearer

Secretary and Treasurer.

The Town Meeting, a Community Forum.

AHS G

December 18th, 1923.

Mr. Samuel J. Harris,
726 Ellicott Square,
Buffalo, N.Y.

My dear Mr. Harris,

There may be a possibility
of my coming to you on Sunday evening,
March 2nd. If the date is satisfactory
let me know and I will send you a list
of subjects.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

LAW OFFICES OF SAMUEL J. HARRIS
728 ELLICOTT SQUARE

SAMUEL J. HARRIS
DAVID F. HARRIS

BUFFALO, N. Y.

December 19, 1923.

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

Dear Rabbi Silver:

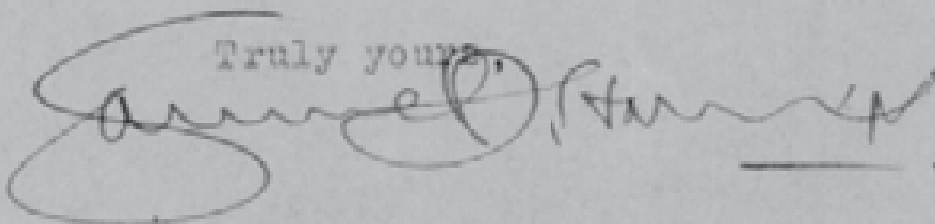
I am in receipt of your letter of December 18th, 1923. I am very glad to know that there is a possibility of your being here Sunday evening, March 2nd, 1924 and I trust that the possibility will develop into a certainty.

I am today sending your letter to Dr. Augustus Sheffer, Grosvener Library, Buffalo, who is the secretary of the committee with the request that he correspond with you as to the proposed subjects and the certainty of the date.

With most sincere regards,

I am

Truly yours,



Board of Trustees

Hon. Louis B. Hart, President
Philip Becker Goetz, Secretary
John H. Lascelles, Treasurer
Thomas B. Lockwood
Mrs. Edward H. Butler



The Grosvenor Library

Franklin and Edward Streets

A reference library of 171,000 volumes, for the free use of the public,
Incorporated 1859. The charter prohibits the removal of books from the rooms.
Open from 9 A. M. to 10 P. M. Sunday hours 2-6 P. M.

Augustus H. Shearer, Ph. D., Librarian
Frederick C. Wood, Financial Secretary
George Hibbard, Assistant Librarian

Buffalo, N. Y. December 21, 1923.

Rabbi Abba Silver,
The Temple,
East 55th Street & Central,
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Rabbi Silver:

Mr. Samuel J. Harris has sent me a copy of your letter to him and his reply. You have also my letter of December 18. As March 2 was one of the dates I mentioned, I am glad that this is satisfactory to you and we have recorded you for that date and will be glad to have your list of subjects.

Yours very truly,

Augustus H. Shearer

Secretary and Treasurer.

The Town Meeting, a Community Forum.

December 31st, 1922.

Dr. Augustus H. Shearer,
The Grosvenor Library,
Buffalo, N.Y.

My dear Dr. Shearer,

Permit me to thank you
for your kind letter of December 18th.
I have already written to Dr. Harris
informing him that I may be able to come
to your Co-society Forum on March 2nd.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

December 26th, 1933.

Dr. Augustus H. Shorer,
The Grosvenor Library,
Buffalo, N.Y.

My dear Dr. Shorer,

I would suggest as the
subject of my address before your
body "The Rising Tide of Cholera".
In this address I discuss some of
the fundamental causes of international
conflicts and some of the sociological
fallacies abroad in our land today.

Looking forward with pleasure
to my visit to Buffalo, I beg to remain

Very sincerely yours,

CLASS OF SERVICE	SYMBOL
Telegram	
Day Letter	Blue
Night Message	Nite
Night Letter	N L
If none of these three symbols appears after the check (number of words) this is a telegram. Otherwise its character is indicated by the symbol appearing after the check.	

WESTERN UNION



TELEGRAM

NEWCOMB CARLTON, PRESIDENT

GEORGE W. E. ATKINS, FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT

CLASS OF SERVICE	SYMBOL
Telegram	
Day Letter	Blue
Night Message	Nite
Night Letter	N L
If none of these three symbols appears after the check (number of words) this is a telegram. Otherwise its character is indicated by the symbol appearing after the check.	

RECEIVED AT 2040 EAST 9th ST., CLEVELAND. ALWAYS OPEN

WB146 61 6 EXTRA

BUFFALO NY 24.555P

RABBI ABBA HILLEL SILVER

CLEVELAND OHIO

BUFFALO HADAFFAH HAVING DINNER TO START CAMPAIGN FOR FUND SUNDAY
MARCH TWO MANY WHO CONTEMPLATED COMING TO DINNER ARE CANCELLING TO
ATTEND YOUR LECTURE. PLEASE BE OUR GUEST DINNER SIX OCLOCK SHARP TO
HELP MAKE IT A SUCCESS OTHERWISE OUR AFFAIR LIABLE TO BE FAILURE WILL
TAKE YOU TO YOUR APPOINTMENT PROMPTLY WIRE ANSWER COLLECT

MRS L H MILLER PRESIDENT 190 CLEVELAND AVENUE.

1924 FEB 24 PM 6 07

INSTITUTE OF TELEPHONE TELEGRAPHY

Central 255th

Telephone No. *Edav 2093*

Telephoned To *Mrs. S. J.*

Time Delivered *646P*

By *Joe*

To be *mepl*

Attempts *Da 625*

to

Board of Trustees

Hon. Louis B. Hart, President
Philip Becker Goetz, Secretary
John H. Lascelles, Treasurer
Thomas B. Lockwood
Mrs. Edward H. Butler



The Grosvenor Library

Franklin and Edward Streets

A reference library of 171,000 volumes, for the free use of the public.
Incorporated 1859. The charter prohibits the removal of books from the rooms.
Open from 9 A. M. to 10 P. M. Sunday hours 2-6 P. M.

Augustus H. Shearer, Ph. D., Librarian
Frederick C. Wood, Financial Secretary
George Hibbard, Assistant Librarian

Buffalo, N. Y., Feb. 25, 1924

Rabbi Abba Silver,
The Temple,
East 55th & Central,
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi Silver:

We will look forward to your coming next Sunday. We would be glad to know what time you will arrive and will want to meet you and take care of you while here. Can you send any publicity material, picture or text for the newspapers by Thursday?

Yours sincerely,

Augustus H. Shearer
Secy, The Town Meeting

AHS VGF

CLASS OF SERVICE	SYMBOL
TELEGRAM	
DAY LETTER	BLUE
NIGHT MESSAGE	NITE
NIGHT LETTER	N L

If none of these three symbols appears after the check (number of words) this is a telegram. Otherwise its character is indicated by the symbol appearing after the check.

WESTERN UNION



TELEGRAM

CLASS OF SERVICE	SYMBOL
TELEGRAM	
DAY LETTER	BLUE
NIGHT MESSAGE	NITE
NIGHT LETTER	N L

If none of these three symbols appears after the check (number of words) this is a telegram. Otherwise its character is indicated by the symbol appearing after the check.

NEWCOMB CARLTON, PRESIDENT GEORGE W. E. ATKINS, FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT

The filing time as shown in the date line on full-rate telegrams and day letters, and the time of receipt at destination as shown on all messages, is STANDARD TIME.

Received at 5604 Euclid Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio. Randolph 11

B16H PH 10 4 EXTRA

X BUFFALO NY 1047A FEB 27 1924

RABBI A HILLER SILVER

83

THE TEMPLE CLEVELAND OHIO

MAIL TODAY SPECIAL DELIVERY LATEST PHOTOGRAPH

WM F O'CONNELL CITY EDITOR BUFFALO NEWS

1123A

*Mailed
spec del -
2/27*

Buff - 2/29/24
MS =

Your address widely advertised
in city and synagog large
audience expected and late
cancellation not understood -
9 o'clock arrival too late.
expect you by 7:45 were
acceptance

Howland
Mrs. Harris Chairman



Cleveland, O.,

2/29/24

Impossible for me to come before
9 o'clock
A.H.S.

Paid Message

Cleveland, March 3rd, 1924

M. S. Howland
760 Pto Mac Ave., Buffalo, N.Y.

Not having heard from you in reply to my last message, I shall
not come.

A. H. Silver.

Paid Straight Message

XXXXX

February 29th, 1924

11:46 A.M.

Samuel J. Harris
726 Ellicott Square
Buffalo, N.Y.

The funeral of an important member of my congregation makes it impossible for me to leave Cleveland at time arranged. Can leave at four o'clock arriving Buffalo at nine. If this hour too late for your purpose I shall be compelled to cancel the engagement. I regret this exceedingly. Please wire.

Rabbi M. H. Silver

LAW OFFICES OF SAMUEL J. HARRIS
726 ELLICOTT SQUARE

SAMUEL J. HARRIS
DAVID F. HARRIS

July
30
1924

BUFFALO, N. Y.

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver,
The Temple,
East 55th street and Central,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Rabbi Silver:

The Town Meeting, our local forum, is preparing its program for this coming season. The dates open at present are January 25th, February 1st, 8th, 22nd, March 1st, and 8th. You were to be with us and speak at the forum last year but a funeral in your congregation prevented your coming at the last minute. The backers of the forum are tremendously interested in getting you for this year and I have been asked to again write you about coming on one of the above dates.

I trust that you will give me a favorable reply and will indicate one of the above dates as being satisfactory to you.

With the most sincere personal regards and trusting that you are enjoying the best of health and the beautiful summer, I am

Sincerely yours,

Samuel J. Harris

SJH/C

August Fifteenth
1924

Mr. Samuel J. Harris,
726 Ellicott Square,
Buffalo, New York.

My dear Mr. Harris,

I have your letter of July thirtieth and thank you for the invitation which you extend to me to address The Town Meeting. You will recall our experience of last year. All my arrangements to speak must be contingent upon my ability to leave Cleveland. I may, at the very last moment, be compelled to cancel a lecture engagement. If this understanding is satisfactory, I shall be pleased to give you a date.

With kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,

LAW OFFICES OF SAMUEL J. HARRIS
726 ELLICOTT SQUARE

SAMUEL J. HARRIS
DAVID F. HARRIS

BUFFALO, N. Y.

August
18th
1924.

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

Re. Town Meeting.

Dear Rabbi Silver:

I am in receipt of yours of August 15, 1924,
and I am sending same up to the secretary of
the Forum. So soon as I hear from him, I shall
be glad to communicate with you again.

Of course, we are very anxious that you should
fill a date at the Town Meeting, and I trust that
matters will work out so that you will do so.
If you desire, will you please be good enough to
send me such date that you think will be satis-
factory to you, and I shall communicate such date
to my associates.

With the kindest regards.

Very truly yours,

SJH/mh

THE TOWN MEETING

A COMMUNITY FORUM

BUFFALO, N. Y.

September 13, 1924.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

REV. M. S. HOWLAND, CHAIRMAN
DEAN CARLOS D. ALDEN
DR. SAMUEL BARONE
JAMES P. DOYLE
CHAUNCEY J. HAMLIN
SAMUEL J. HARRIS
WILLIAM R. HEATH
DOROTHY F. HILL
JOHN MCF. HOWIE
PATRICK L. QUINLAN
DR. AUGUSTUS H. SHEARER,
SECRETARY
GROSVENOR LIBRARY, BUFFALO
LEWIS G. HARRIMAN,
TREASURER
FIDELITY TRUST COMPANY

GENERAL COMMITTEE

DAVID C. ADIE
C. H. BARTON
ELTON H. BEALS
REV. JOHN J. BOLAND
DR. C. R. BORZILLERI
RT. REV. CHARLES H. BRENT
WALTER L. BROWN
SAMUEL P. CAPEN
MISS ELEANOR COIT
GEORGE G. DAVIDSON, JR.
CHARLES DUFFY
RABBI M. M. EICHLER
EDWARDS D. EMERSON
JOHN ALAN HAMILTON
E. C. HARTWELL
WALTER D. HEAD
WILLIAM H. HILL
DR. FRANCES M. HOLLINGSHEAD
JACOB G. JOSEPHS
MISS GERTRUDE KADISH
RABBI LOUIS J. KOPALO
PROF. DANIEL B. LEARY
EDWARD H. LETCHWORTH
DR. F. PARK LEWIS
MRS. E. B. McKENNA
REV. WILLIAM B. McLENNAN
PROF. EDWARD J. MOORE
ADELBERT MOOT
MRS. RICHARD K. NOYE
REV. ALFRED S. PRIDDIS
THEODORE L. RICHMOND
HARRY W. ROCKWELL
MARC A. ROSE
LEWIS STOCKTON
PARTON SWIFT
EUGENE WARNER

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver,
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Rabbi Silver:

I have your note to Mr. Samuel J. Harris saying that it would be possible to address our Town Meeting subject to the same contingencies as arose last year. We would be very glad to have you come here as there are a great number of people who want to hear you and who were disappointed in 1924. Would Sunday evening, February 22, be satisfactory to you? Or if the fact that it is Washington's birthday might mean that you would be tied up, would Sunday evening, February 15, be better? We meet at 7:30. The address starts about 8 and lasts 50 minutes to an hour. The time for questions then follows and lasts from a half hour to an hour.

We will be very glad if you can come.

Yours sincerely,

Augustus H. Shearer

AHS G

Feb. 15.

September Twenty-fourth
1924

Dr. Augustus H. Shearer,
Secretary, The Town Meeting,
Buffalo, New York. (Grosvenor Library)

My dear Dr. Shearer,

Permit me to thank you for your
kind letter of September thirteenth. I will
try to be with you for Sunday evening, Febru-
ary fifteenth, to address your Town Meeting,
and you may book me for that date, subject to
the conditions mentioned in my previous letter.

With kindest regards, I beg to
remain

Very sincerely yours,

Board of Trustees

Hon. Louis B. Hart, President
Philip Becker Goetz, Secretary
John H. Lascelles, Treasurer
Thomas B. Lockwood
Mrs. Edward H. Butler



The Grosvenor Library

Franklin and Edward Streets

A reference library of 176,000 volumes, for the free use of the public.
Incorporated 1859. The charter prohibits the removal of books from the rooms.
Open from 9 A. M. to 10 P. M. Sunday hours 2-9 P. M.

Lecture record

Augustus H. Shewer, Ph. D., Librarian
Frederick C. Wood, Financial Secretary
George Hibbard, Assistant Librarian

Buffalo, N. Y., September 26, 1924.

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

Dear Rabbi Silver:

We are very glad to have your letter this morning and will make up our list with February fifteenth for you, subject as you say, to the conditions.

Yours sincerely,

Augustus H. Shewer

Collected Letter to

October fourteenth - 2 p.m.

Dr. John Nathansen
930 Elmwood Avenue
Buffalo, N. Y.

Regret exceedingly that my very heavy work here
incidental to the opening of our New Temple renders it impossible
for me to accept any more lecture engagements. Best wishes,

A. H. Silver,

ANSWER
BY
WESTERN
UNION

SYMBOL

BLUE

WHITE

set 1

symbol
number of
Other-
ed by the
in check.

WESTERN UNION

TELEGRAM

CLASS OF SERVICE	SYMBOL
TELEGRAM	
DAY LETTER	BLUE
NIGHT MESSAGE	WITE
NIGHT LETTER	N L

If none of these three symbols appears after the check (number of words) this is a telegram. Otherwise its character is indicated by the symbol appearing after the check.

NEWCOMB CARLTON, PRESIDENT

GEORGE W. E. ATKINS, FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT

shown in the date line on full-rate telegrams and day letters, and the time of receipt at destination as shown on all messages, is STANDARD TIME.

2016 East 105th St., Cleveland, Ohio. Cedar 1867

123H NG 26 8 EXTRA

BUFFALO NY 1139A OCT 15 1924

RABBI A H SILVER

123

THE TEMPLE CLEVELAND OHIO

ARE YOU AVAILABLE OCTOBER TWENTY FIFTY OR TWENTY SIXTH FOR

LAFOLLETTE MASS MEETING DR WIRE COLLECT AVAILABLE DATES

DR JOHN NATHANSON CHAIRMAN SPEAKERS COMMITTEE 330

ELMWOOD AVE

1138A

1924 OCT 26 PM 8:16

CLASS OF SERVICE	
Telegram	
Day Letter	Blue
Night Message	Nite
Night Letter	N L
If none of these three symbols appears after the check (number of words) this is a telegram. Otherwise its character is indicated by the symbol appearing after the check.	

WESTERN UNION



TELEGRAM

NEWCOMB CARLTON, PRESIDENT GEORGE W. L. JONES, FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT

CLASS OF SERVICE	SYMBOL
Telegram	
Day Letter	Blue
Night Message	Nite
Night Letter	N L
If none of these three symbols appears after the check (number of words) this is a telegram. Otherwise its character is indicated by the symbol appearing after the check.	

RECEIVED AT

UB9 8 14 BUFFALO NY 26 300P

RABBI A H SILVER

2714 1/2 st. as the answer
THE TEMPLE CLEVELAND OHIO

WILL YOU SPEAK AT FEDERATED CHARITY DRIVE HERE EVENING NOVEMBER.

TWENTY THIRD PLEASE WIRE

RABBI JOSEPH L FINK.

call Rabbi

ced 2093

1-17-20

fcg pm
722-dg
733-dd
740-dd
8da

hal

Collect straight message to

October 27th, 1924

Rabbi Joseph L. Pink,

Care Temple Beth Zion,

Buffalo, N. Y.

Regret exceedingly another engagement prevents my
coming November twenty-third.

A. H. Silver

CLASS OF SERVICE	SYMBOL
TELEGRAM	
DAY LETTER	BLUE
NIGHT MESSAGE	NITE
NIGHT LETTER	N L

If none of these three symbols appears after the check (number of words) this is a telegram. Otherwise its character is indicated by the symbol appearing after the check.

WESTERN UNION



TELEGRAM

CLASS OF SERVICE	SYMBOL
TELEGRAM	
DAY LETTER	BLUE
NIGHT MESSAGE	NITE
NIGHT LETTER	N L

If none of these three symbols appears after the check (number of words) this is a telegram. Otherwise its character is indicated by the symbol appearing after the check.

NEWCOMB CARLTON, PRESIDENT

GEORGE W. E. ATKINS, FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT

The filing time as shown in the date line on full-rate telegrams and day letters, and the time of receipt at destination as shown on all messages, is STANDARD TIME.

Received at 2016 East 105th St., Cleveland, Ohio. Cedar 1867

179H OT 10

BUFFALO NY 117P OCT 29 1924

RABBI A H SILVER

179

105 AND ANSEL RD TEMPLE CLEVELAND OHIO

CAN YOU SPEAK HERE SUNDAY EVENING NOVEMBER THIRTIETH

CHARITY DRIVE

RABBI JOSPHE L FINK

143P

2

10/31/24

Rabbi Jos. L. Fink

~~540 S. 6th St. Temple Beth El~~

Buffalo, N.Y.

Regret exceedingly cannot
accept your invitation for the 30th.
Do not wish to leave Cleveland on
Sunday.

A. H. Silver.

Board of Trustees

Hon. Louis B. Hart, President
Philip Becker Goetz, Secretary
John H. Lascelles, Treasurer
Thomas B. Lockwood
Mrs. Edward H. Butler



The Grosvenor Library

Franklin and Edward Streets

Augustus H. Shearer, Ph. D., Librarian
Frederick C. Wood, Financial Secretary
George Hibbard, Assistant Librarian

A reference library of 176,000 volumes, for the free use of the public.
Incorporated 1859. The charter prohibits the removal of books from the rooms.
Open from 9 A. M. to 10 P. M. Sunday hours 2-9 P. M.

Buffalo, N. Y., *Feb. 9, 1925*

Dear Rabbi Silver,

The Town Meeting is looking forward to your coming next Sunday. The meeting is at 7.30, the address at 7.45, the discussion 8.45-9.30. If you have any descriptive material for publicity, would you kindly send it in. As I will be away from Wednesday, would you communicate with Dr. Murray S. Howland, Lafayette & Elmwood avenues, (or 760 Potomac Ave. home address) any thing that is necessary.

Yours very truly,

Augustus H. Shearer

Secretary, The Town Meeting

2/13/25

Rabbi A H Silver

Please wire care of Lafayette Presbyterian Church time of
your arrival.

(Signed) M S Howland,
Buffalo, New York

1 P. M. Howland

C/L J. S. S. S. (

Men's Temple Club
Temple Beth Zion
Buffalo N.Y.

February 19, 1925.

77 Andrews Bldg.

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

Dear Abba:-

The Men's Temple Club of Beth Zion of which I happen to be Secretary this year, has never had the good fortune of hearing you as their "Speaker of the Evening".

It has been my hope that at the April meeting which will be the last of this season, and the concluding ~~step~~ of the tenth year of our Club, we should be privileged to have you with us.

Rabbi Fink, and W.W. Cohn, President of the Club, join me in extending this invitation to you and we sincerely hope that you will be able to spare the time to come up and talk to us. It is our custom to proffer an honorarium to our speakers, of One Hundred Dollars.

Do write me stating that you will come.

Lillian joins me in kindest regards to the Rebbitsen and yourself.

Sincerely yours,

Paul Stern

PPS:VH

February 23rd, 1925.

Mr. Paul Stern,
77 Andrews Bldg.,
Buffalo, New York.

My dear Paul,

Permit me to thank you
for your letter of February 19th.
I wish I could see my way clear
to accept the invitation of the
Beth Zion Men's Club. Unfortunately
I am already too heavily booked up
for the next few months and I cannot
in justice to myself accept any more
engagements. Perhaps at some future
time I may be of service to you.

With kindest regards to yourself
and Lillian in which Virginia joins me,
permit me to remain

Very sincerely yours,

✓*

BUFFALO HOUSE WRECKING AND SALVAGE CO.

IRON, STEEL AND METAL PRODUCTS
WRECKING AND SALVAGE

479-487 WALDEN AVENUE
BUFFALO, N. Y.

*Agent
Carroll
accept*

Sept. 2, 1926.

Rabi A. H. Silver,
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Rabi Silver:

The School Master's Association of this city are having their annual dinner Tuesday, December 14th at 6 P. M.

This organization represents all the men connected with the school department. They are very anxious to have you deliver an address on that occasion and you could use your own subject. Most of these men are all live wires and would be interested in listening to you.

As I am the Jewish Member on the Board of Education, they requested me to take this matter up with you. They have an appropriation of \$75.00, which would be your compensation.

Kindly advise me as soon as possible if you would be able to be in Buffalo on that date.

ply, I am

Thanking you for your prompt re-

Sincerely yours,

Harry Rosen

HR/DK



September Twelfth
1926

Mr. Harry Rothlin,
479 Walden Avenue,
Buffalo, New York.

My dear Mr. Rothlin,

I regret exceedingly that it will not be possible for me to accept your kind invitation to address the School Masters' Association of Buffalo on Tuesday evening, December 14th.

Perhaps there may be an opportunity for me to serve your organization at some future time.

With kindest regards and best wishes for the New Year, I am

Very sincerely yours,

Cogen Lecture Bureaus

*Representing Famous Men and Women
of Achievement*

EASTERN OFFICE
210 INDUSTRIAL TRUST BUILDING
PROVIDENCE, R. I.

WESTERN OFFICE
1725 LIBERTY BANK BUILDING
BUFFALO, N. Y.

September 27, 1926.

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Rabbi Silver:

I am writing to you to inquire whether you are available for lectures during the coming season. If you are, it gives me pleasure to extend to you an invitation to affiliate with the Cogen Lecture Bureaus, with offices in Buffalo and Providence, R. I.

We are now printing a booklet which will contain the announcements for the coming season and if you think you would like to give us the opportunity of booking some lectures for you, we will be glad to insert your name, your subjects and a statement about you.

The Cogen Lecture Bureaus will attempt to give nation-wide service, although your connection with us does not necessarily obligate you to travel long distances. You may desire to give several or a great many lectures during the coming season. That is for you to decide. You may also limit the territory in which you will be available. There is absolutely no charge to you. Our income is derived from the charge we make to organizations that book the lecturers.

To expedite matters and if these conditions are agreeable to you, please send us a photo, publicity material, your subject and the statement of your fees. In stating your fees, please give us the lowest possible amount you will accept which is, of course, only for our information to enable us to carry on satisfactory correspondence with the client. Sometimes reductions are necessary. What we want to know is to what point you are willing to reduce your fee, if necessary, not including travelling expenses.

I hope I will be favored by a reply from you since I am holding up the printing of the announcement.

Sincerely yours

J. I. Cogen
J. I. COGEN

P.S. Please reply to 1725 Liberty Bank Bldg., Buffalo, N. Y.

October First
1926

Mr. J. I. Cogen,
Cogen Lecture Bureau,
1725 Liberty Bank Building,
Buffalo, New York.

My dear Mr. Cogen,

Permit me to thank you for your kind letter of September twenty-seventh. I am not planning to do a great deal of out-of-town lecture work this season, in order that I may have more time to devote for some necessary work at home and to addresses in behalf of Palestine and other relief funds.

Perhaps another season I may wish to avail myself of the privilege of booking with you.

With kindest regards, permit me to remain

Very sincerely yours,

BOARD OF EDUCATION
OF THE

GRAMMAR SCHOOL No. 42 (Evening)

CITY OF BUFFALO

J. P. Sherrard PRINCIPAL.

October 1, 1926

W/1

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

My Dear Rabbi Silver:

The Buffalo Night School Teachers Association will hold their annual New Year's party on Saturday evening, January 8, 1927.

Our Americanization Division expected to hear you last year, but were disappointed when we learned that you could not be with us. However, we have not forgotten you, and trust that you may see your way clear to be the speaker at this year's New Year party.

Our organization is composed of teachers of all nationalities and all creeds, and in turn they teach adults of all nationalities and creeds.

We, of course, would like a somewhat humorous talk; I thought that the subject "WHO OWNS AMERICA" might be made humorous and at the same time good food for thought. However, I do not desire to select your topic, and will gladly leave the same for you to judge.

May I know your terms, and if possible, we would like you to accept our invitation to be with us on Saturday evening, January 8, 1927.

Respectfully yours,

John P. Sherrard

JPS/JHF

October Eighth
1926

Mr. John P. Sherrod,
Care Board of Education,
City of Buffalo,
Buffalo, New York.

My dear Mr. Sherrod,

Permit me to thank you and your
associated for the kind invitation which
you extend to me to address the Buffalo
Night School Teachers Association on Satur-
day evening, January 8th. I regret that it
is not possible for me to accept. The
duties connected with my Temple make it quite
imperative that I remain in Cleveland on
Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

With kindest regards and wishing
you every success for your New Year's meeting,
I beg to remain

Very sincerely yours,

November 1, 1927.

Mr. Eugene Warner,
1906 Liberty Bank Bldg.
Buffalo, New York

My dear Mr. Warner:

Permit me to thank you
for your kind letter of October 24th
and for the invitation which you
extend to me to address the opening
dinner of your Federation campaign on
November 27th.

I regret exceedingly that
I cannot see my way clear to come
this year. I have a very important
congregational meeting scheduled for
the evening of November 27th. As a
rule it is very difficult for me to
get away on Sunday.

With kindest regards
and wishing your campaign great
success, permit me to remain

Very sincerely yours,

AHS:HEE

LAW OFFICES
EUGENE WARNER
1906 LIBERTY BANK BUILDING
BUFFALO, N. Y.

October 24, 1927.

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver,
c/o Temple, Euclid Avenue,
Cleveland, Illinois.

My dear Rabbi Silver:

You will undoubtedly recall that I have asked you many times in the past to come to Buffalo to speak on behalf of our Federation.

I am again asking if you can come to speak for us at the opening dinner of our campaign which will take place on Sunday November 27th.

Naturally, we will send you an honorarium if you can oblige us.

Will you be good enough to give the matter earnest consideration and to try to accept our invitation?

With kindest regards,

Very truly yours,

Eugene Warner

EW:JP

CLASS OF SERVICE DESIRED	
DOMESTIC	CABLE
TELEGRAM	FULL RATE
DAY LETTER	DEFERRED
NIGHT MESSAGE	CABLE LETTER
NIGHT LETTER	WEEK END LETTER

Patrons should check class of service desired; otherwise message will be transmitted as a full-rate communication.

WESTERN UNION

NEWCOMB CARLTON, PRESIDENT

J. C. WILLEVER, FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT

NO.	CASH OR CHG.
	<i>Collect.</i>
CHECK	
TIME FILED	
4:30 p.m.	

Send the following message, subject to the terms on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to

card ✓

Dec. 30th, 1927

Miss Chase,
First Presbyterian Church
Buffalo, N. Y.

Regret exceedingly cannot come
Have wedding scheduled Sunday afternoon
January 15th

A. H. Silver

Carol ✓

January 16th, 1928.

Mrs. Simon Fleischmann,
190 Edward St.,
Buffalo, N. Y.

My dear Mrs. Fleischmann:-

Permit me to thank you for your kind letter of January 12th, inviting me to participate in the Conference on International Relations tending toward Peace, which will be held in your city beginning February 16th.

It may be possible for me to come to you for an address on Thursday evening, February 16th. I would speak on the subject, "The Church and World Peace".

My customary remuneration is \$250. If your organization is not able to meet such a charge, I shall be satisfied with an amount equal to that paid to the other speakers in your symposium.

With kindest regards, permit me to remain

Very sincerely yours,

AHS/IR

address the
conference on the
evening of February
sixteenth. The Session
will be held in
The Filmore Room
of The Statler Hotel.

Our organization
could not give you
your customary
remuneration much
as they deplore that
fact - and we are
grateful to you for
offering to come
for free.



Jan. 20
1928

My dear Rabbi Silver,
Your courtesy
in answering my
letter so promptly
is much appreciated,
as is your willingness
to cooperate with
us in this cause.

We are delighted
that it will be
possible for you to

The speakers whom we have on our
program, will, for the good of the
cause, and to spread its influence,
come to us for \$50 and expenses. We
realize that this is for each one
in no sense adequate remuneration,
but simply a gesture of appreciation
for their generosity in giving us
their message and their time.

The conference will not be of monetary
profit to anyone, but we know that the
moral and intellectual profit of its meeting
will be widespread.

We need you and are depending on you.
What can you do in such a case?

From
Mrs. Susan Flinchman
190 Edward St

Gratefully yours
Laura Justice Flinchman

CLASS OF SERVICE

This is a full-rate Telegram or Cablegram unless its character is indicated by a symbol in the check or in the address.

WESTERN UNION

NEWCOMB CARLTON, PRESIDENT

J. H. WILLEVER, FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT

SYMBOLS

DL	Day Letter
NM	Night Message
NL	Night Letter
DD	Deferred
CL	Cable Letter
WE	Week End Letter

The filing time as shown in the date line on full-rate telegrams and day letters, and the time of receipt at destination as shown on all messages, is STANDARD TIME.

Received at 2040 East 5th St., Cleveland, Ohio. Telephone, Cherry 1740, Line 87

1928 JAN 27 PM 10 17

Answered

UB790 49 NL XU=BUFFALO NY 27

RABBI ABBA HILLEL SILVER=

THE TEMPLE EAST 105 ST CLEVELAND OHIO=

HAVE NOT RECEIVED REPLY TO MY LETTER JANUARY TWENTIETH SINCE
WRITING YOU THE PROGRAM COMMITTEE OF THE CONFERENCE ON
INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS IS MAKING A FEW EXCEPTIONS WHICH WILL
INCLUDE YOURSELF AND THE HIGHEST FEE WILL BE ONE HUNDRED
DOLLARS BESIDES EXPENSES WHICH WE OFFER YOU PLEASE WIRE
IMMEDIATELY COLLECT=

MRS SIMON FLEISCHMANN.

ONE HUNDRED NINETY EDWARD STREET

BUFFALO, NEW YORK

My dear Rabbi Silver,

We are delighted to have your
acceptance of an engagement to address
the Conference on International Relations
on the evening of January sixteenth.

Will you kindly send to the Hill
Publishing Bureau, Cross Building,
Buffalo, N. Y. a recent photograph of

yourself and whatever printed notices
or data you have at hand. Leaving
in your address.

Thanking you for your trouble

Very sincerely

Laura Justice Hickman

January 30 - 1938.

From
Mrs. Simon Hickman

January 30th, 1928.

Mrs. Simon Fleischmann,
190 Edward St.,
Buffalo, N. Y.

My dear Mrs. Fleischmann:-

In reply to your telegram,
I wired you ~~that I shall be with you on the~~ 20th and that the terms mentioned in your
telegram are perfectly satisfactory.

date of affair
Feb 16th

I am looking forward with
pleasure to my visit to Buffalo.

Very sincerely yours,

AHS/IR

Jan. 31st, 1928.

Hill Publicity Bureau,
Crosby Bldg.,
Buffalo, N. Y.

Gentlemen:-

In accordance with the request of Mrs. Simon Fleischmann, we have today under separate cover sent you a photograph of Rabbi Silver, to be used for publicity in connection with the Conference on International Relations on February 16th.

After same has served your purpose, will you kindly return the photograph to us.

Very truly yours,

Secretary to Rabbi Silver.

February 2d, 1928.

Mrs. Simon Fleischmann,
190 Edward St.,
Buffalo, N. Y.

My dear Mrs. Fleischmann:-

Permit me to acknowledge receipt
of your note of January 31st.

The date mentioned in my letter
of January 30th was an error. Rabbi Silver
will be with you on February 16th.

Trusting that this error has
caused you no inconvenience and with kindest
regards, permit me to remain

Very truly yours,

Secretary to Rabbi Silver.

The Hill Publicity Bureau

MARIE F. HILL

DOROTHY F. HILL

409 CROSBY BUILDING

BUFFALO, N. Y.

Seneca 4041

NEWSPAPER PUBLICITY

for

Organizations
Entertainments
Lectures
Conventions

ANNOUNCEMENTS
MAILING LISTS
FOLDERS

Feb 8, 1928

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

My dear Rabbi Silver:

Thank you for the material for publicity
for the International Relations Conference.

We have heard from W.G.R. , the Federal
Radio station at the Hotel Statler, that they would
be very glad to have you give a fifteen minute speech
on " The Church and World Peace" from that station
at 7.45 , just before our meeting downstairs in the
hotel.

We do not wish to urge this added work
upon you but at the same time we know that many would
listen in and the forces which make for peace would
be that much strengthened.

If you send your reply to me I will give
it to them immediately.

We are all delighted that you are coming
and are looking forward to a splendid conference, the
program of which I enclose.

Sincerely yours,

Dorothy Hill

Feb. 10th, 1928.

Miss Dorothy P. Hill,
409 Crosby Bldg.,
Buffalo, N. Y.

My dear Miss Hill:-

Permit me to thank you for your
kind letter of February 8th.

I shall be very pleased to broadcast
over WGR on the evening of February 16th.

With kindest regards, permit me
to remain

Very sincerely yours,

AHS/IR

CLASS OF SERVICE

This is a full-rate Telegram or Cablegram unless its character is indicated by a symbol in the check or in the address.

WESTERN UNION

NEWCOMB CARLTON, PRESIDENT

J. C. WILLEVER, FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT

SYMBOLS

DL	Day Letter
NM	Night Message
NL	Night Letter
LD	Deferred
CL	Cable Letter
WLT	Week End Letter

The filing time as shown in the date line on full-rate telegrams and day letters, and the time of receipt at destination as shown on all messages, is STANDARD TIME.

Received at 2040 East 9th St., Cleveland, Ohio. Telephone, Cherry 1740, Line 87 1928 FEB 12 PM 10 19

UB265 47 NL=BUFFALO NY 12

RABBI ABBA HILLEL SILVER=

THE TEMPLE EAST 105 ST CLEVELAND OHIO=

WE SHALL RESERVE ROOM FOR YOU AT HOTEL STATLER ON FEBRUARY
SIXTEENTH ENQUIRE FOR SAME ON ARRIVAL SHALL ALSO BE HAPPY
TO ARRANGE COMPANY FOR YOU FOR LUNCHEON OR DINNER IF YOU
WILL ADVISE US TIME OF YOUR ARRIVAL AND WHETHER THIS WILL
BE AGREEABLE TO YOU=

MRS SIMON FLEISCHMANN.

Feb. 13th, 1928.

Mrs. Simon Fleischmann,
190 Edward St.,
Buffalo, N. Y.

My dear Mrs. Fleischmann:-

Permit me to thank you for your
kind telegram of Feb. 12th.

I shall arrive in Buffalo late
in the afternoon of the 16th and I shall go
to the Statler Hotel. I wish to thank you for
having made the reservation for me.

Please do not bother about making
any luncheon or dinner arrangements for me.

With kindest regards, permit me
to remain

Very sincerely yours,

AHS/IR

CLASS OF SERVICE

This is a full-rate Telegram or Cablegram unless its character is indicated by a symbol in the check or in the address.

WESTERN UNION

NEWCOMB CARLTON, PRESIDENT

J. C. WILLEVER, FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT

SYMBOLS

DAY	Day Letter
NITE	Night Message
NL	Night Letter
DCO	Deferred
CLT	Cable Letter
WLT	Week End Letter

The filing time as shown in the date line on full-rate telegrams and day letters, and the time of receipt at destination as shown on all messages, is STANDARD TIME.

Received at 2016 East 105th St., Cleveland, Ohio. Telephone Cedar 1867

194HMR 24 4 EXTRA BLUE DUPLICATE OF TELEPHONED TELEGRAM

BUFFALO NY 1247P FEB 14 1928

RABBI ABBA HILLEL SILVER

THE TEMPLE EAST 105 ST AT ANSEL ROAD

WILL YOU ADDRESS BUFFALO STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE ASSEMBLY NINE TWO TEN;
OCLOCK THIS FRIDAY MORNING HONORARIUM FIFTY DOLLARS WIRE REPLY

GEORGE B NEUMANN

158P

Card

Declined

*11:15
8:45*

CLASS OF SERVICE

This is a full-rate Telegram or Cablegram unless its character is indicated by a symbol in the check or in the address.

WESTERN UNION

NEWCOMB CARLTON, PRESIDENT

J. C. WILLEVER, FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT

SYMBOLS

DL	Day Letter
NM	Night Message
NL	Night Letter
LD	Deferred
CL	Cable Letter
WEL	Week End Letter

The filing time as shown in the dash line on full-rate telegrams and day letters, and the time of receipt at destination as shown on all messages, is STANDARD TIME.

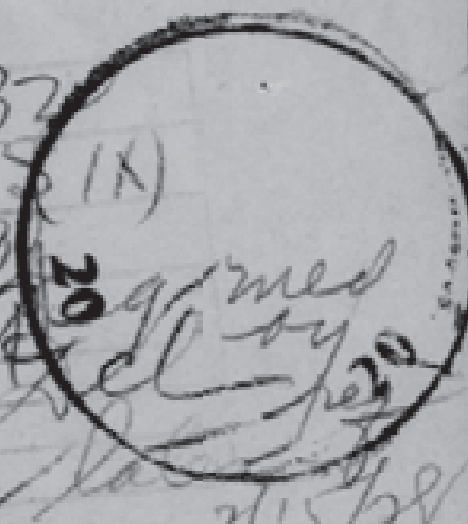
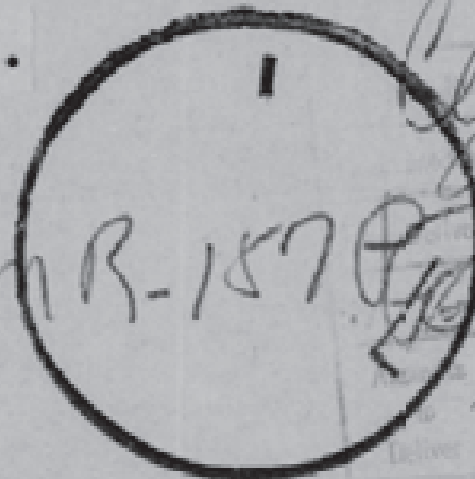
Received at 2000 East 9th St., Cleveland, Ohio. Telephone, Cherry 1740. Line 87 1928 FEB 14 PM 1 23
UB375 (20) BLUE=BUFFALO NY 14 1247P Duplicate of 1928 FEB 14 PM 1 23

RABBI ABBA HILLEL SILVER, THE TEMPLE EAST=
105 ST AT ANSEL RD CLEVELAND OHIO=

WILL YOU ADDRESS BUFFALO STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE ASSEMBLY
NINE TO TEN OCLOCK THIS FRIDAY MORNING HONORARIUM FIFTY
DOLLARS WIRE REPLY=

GEORGE B NEUMANN.

194-28-739-11 R-157



TELEGRAM FROM

Buffalo, N. Y.
Feb. 14th, 1928
1:30 p. m.

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

WILL YOU ADDRESS BUFFALO STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE
ASSEMBLY NINE TO TEN O'CLOCK THIS FRIDAY MORNING
HONORARIUM \$50. WIRE REPLY

Geo. E. Newman

card ✓

Telegram

Feb. 14th, 1928

(Answer to one received today)

Mr. George B. Newman,
Buffalo, N. Y.

REGRET EXCEEDINGLY CAN NOT ACCEPT YOUR KIND
INVITATION. MUST RETURN TO CLEVELAND FRIDAY MORNING.

A.H. Silver

ONE HUNDRED NINETY EDWARD STREET

BUFFALO, NEW YORK

My dear Rabbi Silver, —

The process of becoming a
grandmother prevented my from
greeting you on your short visit to Buffalo
and from hearing your stirring address.
to my great regret.

As we wish to settle the affairs of the
Conference, will you kindly send to

Mrs. Charles M. Armstrong, 95 Ashland Ave.
Buffalo, N.Y. The amount of your contribution
\$100 - plus your railroad fare, and she
will send you a check - as treasurer of
the Conference.

Again, many thanks for coming to
us with such an inspiring message.

With kind regards

Very sincerely

Feb. 27, 1928 Laura Justice Liebekmann

Feb. 29th, 1928.

Hill Publicity Bureau,
Crosby Bldg.,
Buffalo, N. Y.

Gentlemen:-

Under date of January 31st we sent you a photograph of Rabbi Silver to be used in connection with publicity for the Conference on International Relations, held in Buffalo on Feb. 16th.

Will you kindly return this photograph to us, as our supply is running very short.

With kindest regards, permit me to remain

Very sincerely yours,

Secretary to Rabbi Silver

Feb. 29th, 1928.

Mrs. Charles M. Olmstead,
95 Ashland Ave.,
Buffalo, N. Y.

My dear Mrs. Olmstead:-

At the request of Mrs. Fleischmann, I am sending you this statement of my expenses, incidental to my visit to Buffalo in connection with the Conference.

My travelling expenses amounted to \$10. My honorarium, I understand, was to be \$100.

I greatly enjoyed the privilege of addressing the fine group of men and women.

With kindest regards, permit me to remain

Very sincerely yours,

AHS/IR

95 Adelaide Ave.
Buffalo N. Y.

March 8th 1928

Rabbi Atta Hillel Silber:

Dear Sir:

Our letter crossed and received
yours the day after I mailed one
to you - March first.

The check which I mailed to you
covered the following

Amorarium	\$100.00
Estimated travelling expenses	\$20.00
	<hr/>
	\$120.00

Your memorandum indicates
that my check was 10.00 more
than your estimate. As I am
custodian of the funds for the

Inference I feel that I must make
ends meet if possible. The Com-
mittee appreciate deeply the
concerns & your estimate. Espe-
cially as we are running very
close to the margin. Spiritually
I think the Inference was a
success but financially we shall
be glad if we reach even.

If it meets with your approval
that \$10.00 will help us forward
this end.

Thanking you for your kind
appreciation & good will I remain
Very Sincerely Yours

Eugene M. Clouston
(Mrs. C. M.)

95 Oakland Ave.
Buffalo N. Y.

\$10.00
OK sent back.

MRS. C. M. OLMSTED
15 ASHLAND AVENUE
BUFFALO
N. Y.

To Rabbi Silver
The Temple
Cleveland O.

Honored Sir :

May I again express to you the
deep appreciation of the Committee
for your able and inspiring
contribution to our Conference on
International Relations at the Session
of Thursday Evening February Sixteenth

Very Sincerely Yours
Elizabeth M. Olmsted
Secy.

Check enclosed.

MEN'S CLUB OF TEMPLE BETH EL

151 RICHMOND AVENUE

BUFFALO, N. Y.

March 20, 1928.

OFFICERS

DR. GEORGE E. SLOTKIN
PRESIDENT

MARVIN PINCUS
VICE-PRES.

ISRAEL LUSKIN
TREASURER

RAYMOND EHRENREICH
SECRETARY

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

CHARLES DAUTCH

EDWIN J. GERSTMAN

JACOB HARRIS

SAM JACOBSON

SOL JACOBSON

NATHAN E. LAZARUS

MAX WEINTRAUB

Rabbi Hiller Silver
Silver Temple
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi:-

The Men's Club of Temple Beth El is very desirous of having you address us at our April or May meeting.

Mr. Sol. Jacobson, who is in charge of this affair, has been informed by Mr. Nickman that you are limiting your April engagements. In as much as we are anxious to have you with us, we will be glad to arrange the date to meet your convenience.

With very best wishes from your many friends at the Temple and trusting we will hear from you at an early date, I remain,

Yours very truly,

Raymond Ehrenreich
Secy.

RE: VS

Tues. Apr. 24.

March 21st, 1928.

Raymond Ehrenreich, Sec'y.,
Men's Club of Temple Beth El,
151 Richmond Ave.,
Buffalo, N. Y.

My dear Mr. Ehrenreich:-

It may be possible for Rabbi
Silver to come to you on Tuesday evening,
April 24th. His honorarium would be \$250.

If the date and terms are
acceptable please let me know and I will inform
Rabbi Silver of the definite engagement. I
would also send you a list of subjects.

With kindest regards, permit me
to remain

Very sincerely yours,

Secretary to Rabbi Silver.

NIAGARA OVERALL & PANTS Co.

INCORPORATED

OVERALLS
PANTS
SHIRTS



HOSIERY
SWEATER COATS
UNDERWEAR

273-277 SOUTH DIVISION STREET

BUFFALO, N.Y.

March 26, 1928

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

Dear Rabbi Silver:

Your letter dated March 21st advising April 24th as a possible date for you to address the Men's Club of Temple Beth El received.

We are indeed pleased that you are in a position to accept our invitation and we are reserving the date for our meeting.

Now in regard to the honorarium you mention, which is indeed reasonable, the writer sincerely regrets that we are not in a position to pay even that much. As you know, we lost our dear Rabbi Eichler and since his demise, we have been without a leader. The consequence is, that our organizations have not prospered.

Our Men's Club is striving very hard to hold its own and we have concluded that only by having men like yourself address us, may we expect to draw our people. Wouldn't you kindly cooperate with us and under the circumstances, accept \$100.00 as your honorarium?

Assuring you that this cooperation will be sincerely and gratefully appreciated, and awaiting your reply, I remain

Sincerely yours,

MEN'S CLUB TEMPLE BETH EL

M. Pincus

President

MP:MM

Card ✓

March 28th, 1928.

Mr. M. Pinous,
Men's Club Temple Beth El,
Buffalo, N. Y.

My dear Mr. Pinous:-

Permit me to acknowledge your
kind letter of March 26th.

I find that in order to reach
Montreal for my appointment on April 25th, it
will be necessary for me to leave Cleveland on
the afternoon of April 24th, arriving in Buffalo
at 6:30 p. m. and leaving again at 8:15 p. m.
I will therefore have to forego the pleasure of
addressing your Men's Club on that evening.
Perhaps at some future time I may be able to
serve you.

With kindest regards, permit me
to remain

Very sincerely yours,

AHS/IR

Some material for
Forum publicity
Season 1927-28-29

OPEN FORUM SPEAKERS BUREAU
1243 Little Bldg.,
Boston, Mass.

DR. ABBA HILLEL SILVER

Rabbi, The Temple, Cleveland, Ohio.

SUBJECTS

Democracy at the Cross-Roads
Is Progress a Myth?
Jew and Christian - Will they Ever Meet?
The Rising Tide of Cholera
The Fundamental Needs of Human Life
Is Evolution the Foe of Religion?
What is Happening to the American Home?

Rabbi Silver was born in 1893; graduated from the Hebrew Union College in 1915; was two years minister in Wheeling, West Virginia, and at the age of twenty-four was called to the pulpit of The Temple, Cleveland, Ohio, the largest liberal Synagogue in America.

He is a mem., exec. bd., Central Conf. of Amer. Rabbis; mem. Com. of Jewish Education of Union of Amer. Hebrew Congs.; mem., exec. bd., Consumers' League of Ohio; mem., bd. of govs., Hebrew Union Coll.; mem. of bd. Jewish Publn. Soc. of Amer.; mem. of bd., Fed. Jewish Charities of Cleveland; mem. of bd., Cleveland Associated Charities; pres., Bureau of Jewish Education, Cleveland. Vice-pres., Zionist Org. of America, and mem. of World War, at request of Govts. of U. S. and France. Decorated by the French Govt.

Author of "Messianic Speculation in Israel", which was published by the MacMillan Company in 1927.

Some material for
Forum publicity
Season 1927-28

OPEN FORUM SPEAKERS BUREAU
1243 Little Bldg.,
Boston, Mass.

DR. ABBA HILLEL SILVER

Rabbi, The Temple, Cleveland, Ohio.

SUBJECTS

Democracy at the Cross-Roads
Is Progress a Myth?
Jew and Christian - Will they Ever Meet?
The Rising Tide of Cholera
The Fundamental Needs of Human Life
Is Evolution the foe of Religion?
~~The eternal quality of the Bible~~

What is Happening to the American Jew?

Rabbi Silver was born in 1893; graduated from the Hebrew Union College in 1915; was two years minister in Wheeling, West Virginia, and at the age of twenty-four was called to the pulpit of The Temple, Cleveland, Ohio, the largest liberal Synagogue in America.

~~He is Vice-President of the Zionist Organization of America;~~
~~Member of the Board of Governors of the Hebrew Union College,~~
~~and Honorary Vice-President of the Consumers League of Ohio.~~

He was in France during the war and was decorated by the French Government.

Mrs. Spier

W. J. Macmillan Co. 1927

*Please ok (or
revise and ok)
and return for
1928-29*

OPEN FORUM SPEAKERS BUREAU

THE ACCREDITED AGENCY OF THE OPEN FORUM NATIONAL COUNCIL

GEORGE W. COLEMAN, CHAIRMAN

MABEL B. URY, COUNSELLOR

MILDRED CHATFIELD SMITH
EXECUTIVE SECRETARY
TELEPHONE HANCOCK 8239

LITTLE BUILDING, ROOM 1243
80 BOYLSTON STREET
BOSTON, MASS

May 21, 1928

My dear Rabbi Silver:

The Brooklyn Jewish Centre is to let me know definitely about November 5 in a few days when their program chairman returns to the city.

Meanwhile, I am wondering if your letter of May 4 stating you would not be able to accept any invitations for Sunday evenings referred to the Ford Hall Forum in Boston as well as the Waterbury, Conn., Forum? I had hoped you could manage either November 4 or 11 for Ford Hall. Can't you possibly do it?

Sincerely yours,

Mildred C. Smith

Executive Secretary.

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

THE FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
BUFFALO, NEW YORK

ALLAN KNIGHT CHALMERS
MINISTER

WILLIAM HISHOP GATES
MINISTER OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

WILLIAM E. McLENNAN
MINISTER OF SOCIAL SERVICE

MISS HELEN D. CHASE
CHURCH EXECUTIVE

CHURCH OFFICE
100 WADSWORTH STREET

May 21, 1928.

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

My dear Rabbi Silver:

You may recall having heard from me on several occasions regarding our Community Vesper Service. Last winter when you addressed the Conference on International Relations here in Buffalo, you were kind enough to say to me that you would be glad to come to address our service this next season if it could be arranged. We are now making up our program for the season 1928-1929 and are very eager you have a place on it.

These meetings have been held each Sunday afternoon at five o'clock from November to Easter for the past nine years. It is our purpose to aid, in so far as we can, in the formation of a more intelligent and just public opinion regarding some of our great human problems. We, therefore, seek as speakers those who have a message for the day in keeping with progressive ideals and a broad spiritual background. The meetings have attracted the attention of the thinking people of all Buffalo and have enlisted as speakers some very eminent men and women. The enclosed marked calendars will give you some idea of recent series. The speaker has from forty to fifty minutes for his address. There is no question period.

Would it be possible for you to come some Sunday in November or December, say November 18th or December 2nd? We would do our utmost to meet your convenience in the matter of a date whenever you could come.

It is also my privilege to extend invitations for two other engagements which it seemed might be combined with your coming to our service. One would be to address the Hamburg Community Forum (Hamburg is a delightful suburb a short distance from Buffalo) on Monday night, and the other would be to speak to the students of the State Teachers College on either Monday or Tuesday morning at their assembly from nine to ten o'clock. The State Teachers College is an educational institution of the highest order with a student body numbering a little more than eleven hundred. Their regular assembly comes on Tuesday, but it can occasionally be shifted to Monday, the objection being that quite a number of pupils cannot be present on Monday. It is our hope that this joint invitation might make a trip to Buffalo more worth while. We could offer a combined honorarium of \$200. Would that be satisfactory to you?

Should you find impossible to accept the other two engagements, we earnestly hope that you may see your way clear to come to our vesper service; and in that event, we would endeavor to meet such terms as would be agreeable to you. We can assure you a large, representative audience, and it is our conviction that your coming would do great good. We shall eagerly await your reply.

Sincerely yours,

Helen D. Chase

Card ✓

May 22d, 1928.

Miss Helen D. Chase,
100 Wadsworth St.,
Buffalo, N. Y.

My dear Miss Chase:-

Permit me to thank you for your
kind letter of May 21st inviting me to address
the Community Vesper Service of The First
Presbyterian Church.

I wish I could see my way clear
to come but I can not get to Buffalo in time
for your five o'clock service. I have my own
service which lasts until 12:30 and I can not
get a train out of Cleveland that would get me
into Buffalo in time for your meeting. Had
your meeting been scheduled for the evening,
I should have made every effort to come.

Trusting that I may be of service
to you at some future time, permit me to remain

Very sincerely yours,

AHS/IR

THE FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
BUFFALO, NEW YORK

ALLAN KNIGHT CHALMERS
MINISTER

WILLIAM BISHOP GATES
MINISTER OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

WILLIAM E. McLENNAN
MINISTER OF SOCIAL SERVICE

MISS HELEN D. CHASE
CHURCH EXECUTIVE

CHURCH OFFICE
100 WADSWORTH STREET

May 29, 1928.

Abba Hillel Silver, D.D.,
The Temple,
East 106th Street at Ansel Road,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Rabbi Silver:

I cannot tell you how keenly disappointed we are that you find it impossible to speak at one of our Community Vesper Services this coming season. I had hoped that there might be some Sunday in the year you could get away from your morning service and fulfill an engagement such as we had suggested.

If you arrange far enough ahead for such an engagement in the season of 1929 and 1930, would you be able to make such an appointment? As I told you last winter, we shall not be satisfied with our vesper services until you have a place on the program.

Sincerely yours,

Helen D. Chase

HDC:R

THE FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
BUFFALO, NEW YORK

ALLAN KNIGHT CHALMERS
MINISTER

WILLIAM BISHOP GATES
MINISTER OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

WILLIAM E. McLENNAN
MINISTER OF SOCIAL SERVICE

MISS HELEN D. CHASE
CHURCH EXECUTIVE

CHURCH OFFICE
100 WADSWORTH STREET

June 5, 1928.

File

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

My dear Rabbi Silver:

Since writing you on May 29th, we have had a meeting of the Advisory Committee on our Community Vesper Services. I reported to them the fact that you would be unable to speak for us this coming season because you cannot get a train out of Cleveland that would get you into Buffalo in time for our meeting. It was at once suggested that if you would be willing to come by aeroplane we would be glad to take care of the expense involved. If you were not fully convinced before of our eagerness to have you this coming season, I am sure you are now.

Do you think such a plan feasible, and if so can you name a date for an engagement?

Sincerely yours,

Helen D. Chase

HDC:R

OPEN FORUM SPEAKERS BUREAU

THE ACCREDITED AGENCY OF THE OPEN FORUM NATIONAL COUNCIL

GEORGE W. COLEMAN, CHAIRMAN

MABEL B. URY, COUNSELLOR

MILDRED CHATFIELD SMITH
EXECUTIVE SECRETARY
TELEPHONE HANCOCK 8238

LITTLE BUILDING, ROOM 1243
80 BOYLSTON STREET
BOSTON, MASS

July 5, 1928.

Dear Rabbi Silver:

I am writing in the absence of Miss Smith to confirm the date with the Brooklyn Jewish Center for November 5th, at two hundred fifty dollars.

Miss Smith will send further confirmation on her return on or about July 10.

Sincerely yours,

Mildred I. Barton.

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

Secretary to Miss Smith.

OPEN FORUM SPEAKERS BUREAU

THE ACCREDITED AGENCY OF THE OPEN FORUM NATIONAL COUNCIL

GEORGE W. COLEMAN, CHAIRMAN

MABEL B. URY, COUNSELLOR

MILDRED CHATFIELD SMITH
EXECUTIVE SECRETARY
TELEPHONE HANCOCK 9239

LITTLE BUILDING, ROOM 1243
80 BOYLSTON STREET
BOSTON, MASS

July 13, 1928.

My dear Rabbi Silver:

While I am writing you about some forum speaking, I want to ask whether your own Forum is still running?

We have been trying the scheme of letting the Adult Education Association in Cleveland represent us in the Cleveland district, and it has meant that I have rather lost track of the individual forums in that section.

I hope, if your meetings are going on, you will secure as many speakers as possible through Miss Chadsey of the Adult Education Association.

MCS/EB.

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

Sincerely yours,

Mildred C. Smith
Executive Secretary.

HENRY C. PRICE
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW
847 ELLICOTT SQUARE
BUFFALO, N. Y.

Oct. 18th 1928

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My Dear Rabbi:-

This is to remind you that we are looking forward with a great deal of pleasure to your visit with the B.P.O.E. #23 on December 1st. Kindly advise me in advance the hour of your arrival, so that a committee will meet you and we will proceed to the Elks Temple for dinner.

With kindest personal regards, I am,

Very sincerely yours,

Henry C. Price

P-S

October 25th, 1929.

Mr. Henry C. Price,
947 Ellicott Square,
Buffalo, N. Y.

My dear Mr. Price:-

Permit me to acknowledge receipt of
your letter of October 18th.

I am looking forward with pleasure
to my visit on December 1st. I shall take a noon train
which will arrive in Buffalo about five or six o'clock.
I shall notify you the exact hour of my arrival later on.

With kindest regards, permit me
to remain

Very sincerely yours,

AHS/IR

CLASS OF SERVICE

This is a full-rate Telegram or Cablegram unless its deferred character is indicated by a suitable sign above or preceding the address.

WESTERN UNION

NEWCOMB CARLTON, PRESIDENT

J. E. WILLEVER, FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT

SIGNS

DL - Day Letter
NM - Night Message
NL - Night Letter
LCO - Deferred Cable
CLT - Cable Letter
WLT - Week-End Letter

The filing time as shown in the date line in full-rate telegrams and day letters, and the time of receipt at destination as shown on all messages, is STANDARD TIME.

Received at

UA67 60 7 EXTRA DL=BUFFALO NY 27 1116A

RABBI HILLEL SILVER=
CLEVELAND OHIO=

Telephone	1209 11 42	
Time Delivered	28 OCT 27 AM 11 42	
By	R. Q. To be Filed	
Attempts	to	
Delivered		

BUFFALO LODGE OF ELKS URGENTLY REQUESTS TO ACCEPT THIS INVITATION TO BE THE MEMORIAL SPEAKER ON THE EVENING OF DECEMBER 2ND OF COURSE YOUR FEE AND EXPENSES GLADLY PAID A VERY LARGE ATTENDANCE IS ANTICIPATED WILL YOU KINDLY GIVE THIS FAVORABLE CONSIDERATION AND ADVISE ME AT YOUR EARLIEST CONVENIENCE OF YOUR ACCEPTANCE=

HENRY C PRICE 947 ELLICOTT SQ BUFFALO NEWYORK.

Try Co 132

CLEVELAND COPY
SWITZERLAND FILED
REV. ACCING. 878

Time Delivered	1209 11 42	
By	R. Q. To be Filed	
Attempts	to	
Delivered		

THE QUICKEST, SUREST AND SAFEST WAY TO SEND MONEY IS BY TELEGRAPH OR CABLE

Wire Oct. 29th, 1928

Henry C. Price,
947 Ellicott Square,
Buffalo, N. Y.

Regret exceedingly can not accept your kind invitation of
Dec. 2d. Will be in Chicago on that day.

Rabbi A. H. Silver

and ✓



Buffalo - N. Y. -

Buffalo Lodge of Elks urgently
requests to accept this invitation
to be the memorial speaker
on the evening of Dec 2. Of course
your fee & expenses gladly paid

a very large attendance is
anticipated. Will you kindly
give this favorable consideration
and advise me at your earliest
convenience of your acceptance.

Henry C. Price

947 Ellcott Square

GEORGE E. MORGAN
Exalted Ruler
Office Phone, Seneca 0937

DANIEL J. O'NEIL
Esteemed Leading Knight

GEORGE W. WOLTZ
Esteemed Loyal Knight

ELMO V. RAST
Esteemed Lecturing Knight

LOUIS N. DRINKWINE
Treasurer



BUFFALO LODGE, No. 23 B. P. O. ELKS

ELKS TEMPLE, 211 DELAWARE AVENUE

Office Phone, Seneca 1298

W. R. CULLEN, P. E. R.
Secretary
Residence Phone, Tupper 3713-M

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

JOHN M. BOGOLD
AUGUST L. DORRIES
JOSEPH H. TONNIES, Jr., P. E. R.
OEO. W. REIBOLD
ALEX. L. BEDNER

November 22, 1929.

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

My Dear Rabbi:-

I beg to advise you that,
on December 1, 1929 at 6:00 P.M.,
there will be a dinner at the Elks
Temple for the purpose of having
you meet the Exalted Ruler, Committee
and invited guests.

Kindly advise me of the hour
you will arrive in Buffalo.

Sincerely yours,

H. L. Price
per H. J. S.

Nov. 25th, 1929.

Mr. H. C. Price,
Elks Temple,
211 Delaware Ave.,
Buffalo, N. Y.

My dear Mr. Price:-

Permit me to thank you for your
letter of Nov. 22d.

I shall be very happy to have
dinner with your committee on Sunday, December 1st
at six o'clock. I plan to arrive at 5:20 from
Cleveland.

With kindest regards, permit me
to remain

Very sincerely yours,

AHS/IR

HENRY C. PRICE
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW
647 ELLICOTT SQUARE
BUFFALO, N. Y.

Jan 11, 1929.

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My Dear Rabbi:

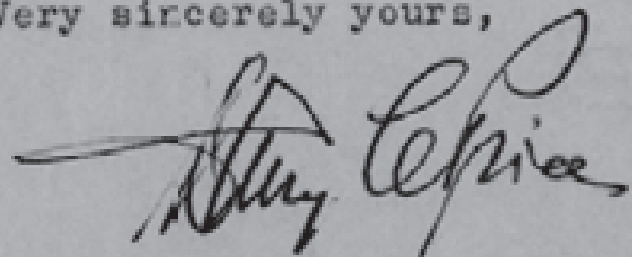
The Memorial Day Committee of
Buffalo Lodge B.P.O.E. No. 23 is very des-
irous of having you as their speaker for Elks
Memorial Day, the first Sunday in December 1929.

In behalf of your very great num-
ber of friends and well wishers in this city,
may I not urge you to accept this invitation.
I presume you know that every Elk's Lodge
celebrates this day in memory of its departed
brethern.

We would be very happy to pay your
customary fee and will appreciate very much
if you will advise me at your very earliest
convenience your acceptance of our invitation.

Very sincerely yours,

HCP:MMK



Jan. 17th, 1929.

Mr. Henry D. Price,
947 Ellicott Square,
Buffalo, N. Y.

My dear Mr. Price:-

Permit me to thank you for your letter of January 11th and for the invitation which you extend to me to deliver the address on Memorial Day, December 1st, 1929. In order that I may know whether I can accept your kind invitation I must know what time the services are held.

I have my own services at the Temple on Sunday morning and it would not be possible for me to get to Buffalo before 5:30 p. m. If your meeting is held after that hour I might arrange to come. My customary honorarium is \$250.

With kindest regards and thanking you again for your thoughtfulness, permit me to remain

Very sincerely yours,

AHS/IR

HENRY C. PRICE
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW
547 ELLICOTT SQUARE
BUFFALO, N. Y.

Jan. 28.1929.

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

My Dear Rabbi:

The Committee of Buffalo B.P.O.E.
No.23 are very grateful that you can accept
our invitation to address us on Memorial
Day, December 1st 1929. The services commence
at 8 P.M.

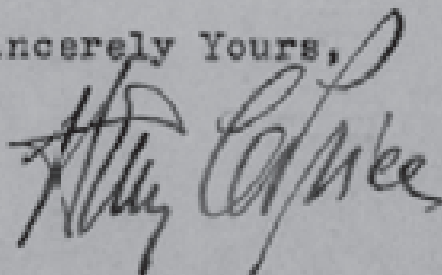
When the time arrives, we shall be
glad to meet you at the train. Your customary
fee is satisfactory to the committee.

I know that we shall have a very
large attendance and we shall give the matter
of your being the speaker ample publicity, thus
doubly assuring a good attendance.

With personal regards, I am

Very Sincerely Yours,

HCP:MMK



card ✓
Jan. 30th, 1929.

Mr. Henry C. Price,
947 Ellicott Square,
Buffalo, N. Y.

My dear Mr. Price:-

Permit me to thank you for
your kind note of January 28th.

I shall be happy to be with
you on the evening of December 1st, 1929.

With kindest regards, permit
me to remain

Very sincerely yours,

AHS/IR

Temple Beth Zion

DELAWARE AVENUE
BUFFALO

OFFICE OF THE RABBI

March 25, 1929

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

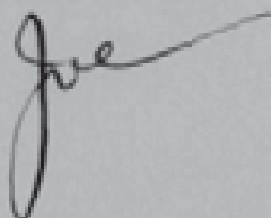
Dear Friend :

I was sorry to learn of the illness that you contracted while out at the Pacific Coast. I am wondering if Union conventions are worth that price ? I hope that you are perfectly well now and able to resume your usual work.

I heard from Dr. Morgenstern that you have consented to come to Buffalo to speak in behalf of the College. I was very happy to learn this and I would advise that your visit be timed for sometime in May, when the wandering members of my flock, who I want to be here, and who sojourn in Florida and California during the winter months, will have returned. However, I want to adjust the time to meet your convenience.

Trusting that all is well and with kind personal greetings, I am

Sincerely,



JLF:LS

Card

April 24, 1929.

Rabbi Joseph Fish,
Temple Beth Zion,
Delaware Ave.,
Buffalo, N. Y.

My dear Joe:-

Thanks very much for your kind note of March 25th. It will be perfectly agreeable for me to come to Buffalo any time towards the end of May. Please indicate to me when you are ready, what evening will be most acceptable to you and then I will let you know whether that evening is free.

With kindest regards and looking forward to seeing you soon, I am as ever

Yours,

AMS/IR

CLASS OF SERVICE

This is a full-rate Telegram or Cablegram unless its deferred character is indicated by a suitable sign above or preceding the address.

WESTERN UNION

NEWCOMB CARLTON, PRESIDENT

J. C. WILLEVER, FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT

SIGNS

DL = Day Letter
NM = Night Message
NL = Night Letter
LCO = Deferred Cable
CLT = Cable Letter
WLT = Week-End Letter

The filing time as shown in the date line on full-rate telegrams and day letters, and the time of receipt at destination as shown on night messages, is STANDARD TIME.

Received at 2040 East 9th St., Cleveland, Ohio. Telephone, Cherry 1740, Line 87

UA25 16 3 EXTRA=BUFFALO NY 18 1101A

RABBI SILVER=

THE CLEVELAND TEMPLE CLEVELAND OHIO=

CAN YOU ADDRESS OUR MENS CLUB SECOND WEEK MAY WIRE DATE AND
RATE=

J HAMMEMAN TEMPLE BETH EL.

ty 0-0132

Telephoned To	DR (P.P.D.)
Time Delivered	11:18 a.m.
By	MTB To be M.H. King
Amount	
Collect	

OK 4

- 3⁹² - - has 250⁰⁰

4/18/29

FROM BUFFALO N. Y.

RABBI A. H. SILVER

WRHS
CAN YOU ADDRESS OUR MEN'S CLUB SECOND WEEK MAY
WIRE DATE AND RATE

J. HANDEMAN
TEMPLE BETH EL

Answer 4/18/29

Can come third week in May Honorarium two hundred fifty dollars.

A. H. S.

card

Temple Beth El

151-161 Richmond Avenue
Buffalo, N. Y.

April 22, 1929

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

Dear Rabbi Silver:

At a meeting of the program committee
of the Men's Club held yester, your response to our
wire was presented.

We all deeply regret the fact that you
found it difficult to come here during the second
week in May. It would be impossible for us to hold
our meeting in the third week, on account of the
U.P.A. drive, which begins during that week.

We look forward to the privilege of
hearing you at some other more favorable time.

Very truly yours,

Marvin Pines

President
Men's Club Temple Beth El

J. L. MARKELL & COMPANY, INC.
INVESTMENT SECURITIES
Marine Trust Co Bldg
BUFFALO, N.Y.

MILTON C. GUGGENHEIMER
VICE-PRESIDENT

October
7
19 29

Rabbi Abba H. Silver,
c/o The Temple,
Euclid Avenue,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Rabbi:

The annual campaign of the Jewish Federation will be held in Buffalo the last week in November, with the opening dinner on Sunday night, November 24th, and it is the unanimous wish of the Committee that you be present on this occasion as our speaker.

As Chairman of the Drive, I feel that your presence here on this opening night would add materially to our success, and I sincerely hope that you will be able to accept our invitation and be present at this time.

Assuring you of my best wishes,
I am, with kind regards

Very truly yours,

Milton C. Guggenheimer

MCG CK

Temple Beth Zion

DELAWARE AVENUE
BUFFALO

October 8, 1929

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

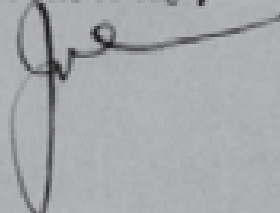
Dear Friend :

Our Jewish Federation for Social Service will inaugurate its campaign in the form of an opening dinner on the evening of the last Sunday in November. The Committee and I are eager to have you as the speaker of the evening. If you can possibly arrange to come, it will be a very great favor to us.

The Chairman of the campaign, Mr. Milton C. Guggenheimer is writing you personally. I am writing this additional word to let you know how eager I am to see you and to have you with us.

With every greeting for the New Year,
I am

Sincerely,



card

Oct. 8th, 1929.

Mr. Milton C. Guggenheimer,
Marine Trust Co. Bldg.,
Buffalo, N. Y.

My dear Mr. Guggenheimer:-

Permit me to thank you for your kind letter of October 7th and for the invitation which you extend to me to address the opening dinner meeting of the Buffalo Jewish Federation Annual Campaign on Sunday, November 24th.

I wish I were free to accept it. But I can not leave Cleveland on a Sunday. Most of our congregational activities take place on that day. I have my services in the morning and I already have two weddings scheduled for that very evening. Perhaps at some future time I may be of service to you.

Wishing you every success in your forthcoming campaign, permit me to remain

Very sincerely yours,

AMS/ER

TELEPHONES:

SENECA 4363
" 4364
" 4365

HEADQUARTERS:

HOTEL STATLER
STORE NO. 1
164 FRANKLIN STREET

Jewish Federation for Social Service

1929 CAMPAIGN

NOV. 24 TO DEC. 1

October 26, 1929.

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

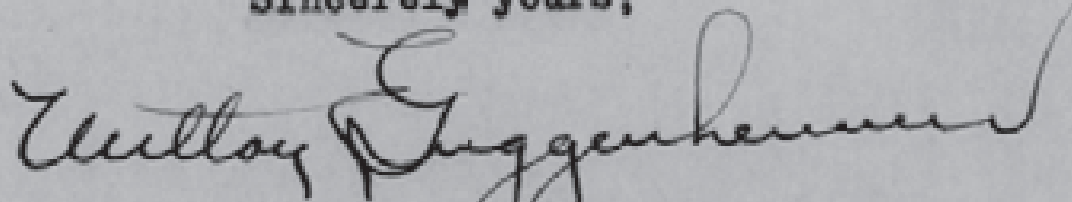
My dear Rabbi Silver:

I want you to know how much we regret that you cannot be with us on the night of our opening dinner, Sunday November twenty fourth.

I am going to ask you another favor if it is possible. On Thursday evening, November twenty first, we are having a final workers meeting, including all the officers and workers in the Federation Drive. This is to be an inspirational meeting and I know of no man better able to inspire these workers than you. Is it possible for you to do this for us?

Assuring you of my appreciation in advance, and with kind regards, I am

Sincerely yours,



Campaign Director.

MCG.MP

Carol

Oct. 29th, 1929.

Mr. Milton Guggenheimer,
Jewish Federation for Social Service,
Buffalo, N. Y.

My dear Mr. Guggenheimer:-

Permit me to thank you for your kind letter of October 26th. I am afraid that I must forego the pleasure of addressing your campaign workers. I am simply overburdened with lecture engagements and I can not in justice to myself accept any more.

With kindest regards and wishing you every success, permit me to remain

Very sincerely yours,

AHS/IR