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Mount Gilead, Ohio, 1941.

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October 10, 1941

Rabbi Silver. Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Rabbi Silver:

Our community sponsors what is known as a "Town Hall" series -- four programs scheduled during the winter months. The 700 seats are sold in advance at \$1 per ticket for the four numbers. The proceeds, over and above expenses, are used in the community for various civic purposes. For the most part, the tickets are sold to adults. The audience is almost one hundred percent runal, representing all of Morrow County. VV

We are interested in having you appear on one of these "Town Hall" programs this winter if satisfactory arrangements can be worked out. What do you charge for filling an engagement of this type? The selection of a date for your appearance would be left up to you. The series will run from December to March or April.

We would like to have our first number about the middle of December. Naturally, we are anxious to print our circulars and get our tickets on sale as soon as possible. We shall appreciate hearing from you soon.

Very truly yours.

Elwood Davis,

County Agr'1 Agent.

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October 22, 1941 Mr. Elwood Davis, County Agricultural Agent Court House Mt. Gilead, Ohio My dear Mr. Davis: It would have given me great pleasure to accept your kind invitation if I were free to come. Unfortunately I am so burdened with work in connection with the United Jewish Appeal and the United Palestine Appeal that I have been compelled to decline many invitations which normally I would be most happy to accept. Thanking you for your thoughtfulness in inviting me, and with all good wishes, I remain Very cordially yours, AHS: BK