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July 2, 1956

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

Dear Dr. Silver:

The Medical Society of the State of New York will celebrate the 150th anniversary of its founding, during a four-day meeting beginning on February 18, 1957. On the opening day, the Committee on Arrangements has planned a luncheon at which outstanding representatives of the three leading religious faiths are being asked to discuss the practice of religion as it overlaps with the practice of medicine.

It gives me great pleasure to invite you to participate in this anniversary celebration, as one of the outstanding speakers at this luncheon meeting, which will be held in the Hotel Statler in New York City, Monday, February 18, 1957.

An honorarium and expenses will be paid.

Sincerely yours,

James Greenough
James Greenough, M.D.
President

July 10, 1956

Dr. James Greenough, President
Medical Society of the State of New York
386 Fourth Avenue
New York 16, New York

My dear Dr. Greenough:

Permit me to acknowledge receipt of your letter of July 2 and to thank you for your gracious invitation to participate in the anniversary celebration of the Medical Society of the State of New York and to address its luncheon meeting on Monday, February 18, 1957.

I am pleased to accept your invitation and I shall look forward with pleasure to meeting you and the members of your organization on the occasion of the anniversary.

With all good wishes I remain

Very cordially yours,

ABBA HILLEL SILVER

ABS:sl

Lincoln Park JEWISH CENTER

329 CENTRAL PARK AVENUE
YONKERS, NEW YORK

September 25, 1956

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
East 105 Street & Ansel Road
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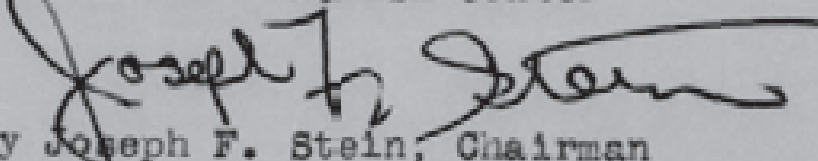
Dear Dr. Silver,

Your brother at the First National Bank is known to me for many years. Your name is also known to me for many years.

I am chairman of the speakers program of the Lincoln Park Jewish Center and setting up our forum for 1956/57. Since your name stands out pre-eminently, we would very much like to have you at the Lincoln Park Jewish Center, on any Monday convenient to you, during January, February or March 1957. Will you kindly advise whether you can be here and how much is your fee.

Most respectfully yours,

Lincoln Park Jewish Center


by Joseph F. Stein, Chairman

JFS/es

AMERICAN ZIONIST COUNCIL

342 MADISON AVENUE

NEW YORK 17, N. Y.

OFFICE OF THE CHAIRMAN
RABBI IRVING MILLER

September 26, 1956

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

My dear Dr. Silver:

Apparently I belong to those who cling to hope. In any event, I am taking advantage of your suggestion and am writing to you to advise you that the dinner I spoke of is scheduled to take place on November 18.

I am sure you know without my telling you what your presence would mean to me. At the same time, I do understand and appreciate fully the many demands upon your time. However, if it is at all feasible, would you be good enough to advise me.

With kindest personal regards,

Cordially yours,

Irving Miller
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September 28, 1956

Rabbi Irving Miller, Chairman
American Zionist Council
342 Madison Avenue
New York 17, New York

My dear Irving:

I went through my schedule and regret more than I can tell you that it will not be possible for me to be away from Cleveland on November 18th.

I have services in the morning and a lunch with the parents of my confirmation class that day.

Hoping that I may be of service to you at some future time I remain

Most cordially yours,

ABRA HILLEL SILVER

ARS:sl

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October 2, 1956

Very Rev. Msgr. James G. Wilders, Director
Hospital Apostolate, Archdiocese of New York
Mary Manning Walsh Home
420 East 59th Street
New York 22, N. Y.

Dear Monsignor Wilders:

I have just read your letter of yesterday to Dr. Samuel Z. Freedman over the telephone.

Doctor Freedman has asked me to assure you that you, Rabbi Silver, and Reverend Blake will each be requested to make a separate address at our sesquicentennial celebration luncheon, February 18, 1957. He suggested that about twenty minutes would be the preferable time for each of you.

Thank you for inquiring. I am sending a copy of this letter to your two companions on our program.

With appreciation, I am

Yours very sincerely,

W. P. Anderson, M.D.
Secretary

WPA/b

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October 5, 1956

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver,
Very Reverend Monsignor James J. Wilders.

Dear Friends:

I understand from Dr. W. P. Anderton, Secretary of the Medical Society of the State of New York, that you have agreed, as I have, to address the luncheon of that Society on Monday, February 18th, 1957 on the general subject of "Religion and Medicine". If either of you have any suggestions as to how it might be best for us to approach the assigned subject, I would be most grateful.

Cordially yours,

Eugene C. Blake

ECB/H

cc Dr. Anderton

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October 9, 1956

Mr. Joseph F. Stein, Chairman
Lincoln Park Jewish Center
329 Central Park Avenue
Yonkers, New York

Dear Mr. Stein:

Dr. Silver is grateful to you for your kind invitation of September 25 to speak on your program of the Lincoln Park Jewish Center.

He has asked that I convey to you that due to a very full calendar for this season he is under the necessity of having to decline further engagements but that perhaps at some future time he may be able to be of assistance.

Sincerely,

Miss Sophia Levine
Secretary to Dr. Silver

/sl

Mary Manning Walsh Home
420 East 59th Street
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November 7, 1956

Reverend Eugene Carson Blake
Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver

Dear Friends:

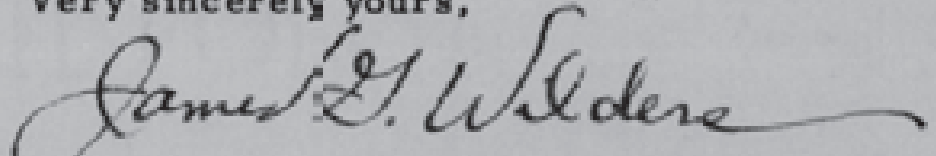
As regards the approach to the assigned subject of our talks on February 18, 1957 at the Luncheon of the New York State Medical Society, I suggest that we each introduce our talks with general remarks on the "Inter-relation of Religion and Medicine" and then from personal experience and examples, each of us might treat of our dealings with patients of our particular Faith.

Certainly there is no better way to bring home to those who will hear us the great importance of the spiritual care of the sick, than by discussing personal experiences which bring out the same.

If this suggestion meets with your approval, will you kindly let me know, then we can all prepare accordingly.

With cordial regards and looking forward to the pleasure of meeting you, I remain

Very sincerely yours,



Very Rev. Msgr. James G. Wilders, Director
Hospital Apostolate, Archdiocese of N. Y.

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November 13, 1956

Very Rev. Msgr. James G. Wilders, Director
Hospital Apostolate, Archdiocese of N.Y.
c/o Mary Manning Walsh Home
420 East 59th Street
New York 22, New York

Dear Friend:

I have received your letter consenting on the subject which has been assigned to us by the New York State Medical Society for its meeting on February 18, 1957, and containing your suggestion that we introduce our talks with "general remarks on the 'Interrelation of Religion and Medicine' and then from personal experience and examples, each of us might treat of our dealings with patients of our particular Faith".

While I have, in the course of my ministry, paid pastoral visits to many sick patients in hospitals or in their homes, I have not had, what you might call "professional" experience in this field so that in my address, while I may refer in passing to personal experience, I will discuss the broader outlines of the interrelation of religion and medicine.

With warmest regards and all good wishes, I remain

Most cordially yours,

ABBA HILLEL SILVER

AHS:al

cc: Reverend Eugene Carson Blake
c/o Mary Manning Walsh Home

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November 15, 1956

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver,
Very Rev. Msgr. James G. Wilders,

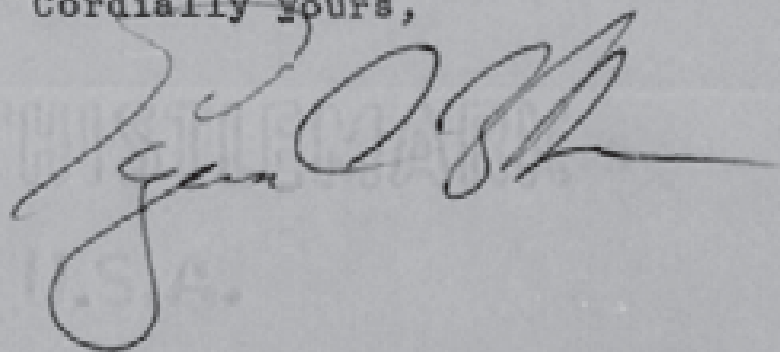
Dear Friends:

Responding to Monsignor Wilders' letter of November 7th, addressed to Rabbi Silver and me, I am very happy to follow Monsignor Wilders' suggestion that in the introduction I discuss the general subject of the interrelation of religion and medicine and then, out of my pastoral experience, illustrate the application of what seems to me are the essential and most important principles.

I am sure that I shall be very much interested in hearing what both of you will say on this subject. I am more sure of that than that you will be edified by what I shall say.

Cordially yours,

ECB/H

A large, stylized handwritten signature in dark ink, likely belonging to Eugene Carson Blake, is written over the typed name. The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

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JOHN MURRAY

December 28, 1956

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

Dear Rabbi Silver:

We are working with the Medical Society of the State of New York on promotion and publicity for their 150th Anniversary Celebration, in February, 1957. In this connection, may I request that you send to me a biographical sketch and an 8 x 10 glossy finish photograph of yourself for use in releases and the luncheon program. ✓

I would appreciate it if you could send me the above by January 8.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

John W. Murray

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

Dear Rabbi Silver:

May I request that you send me a list of eight personal guests whom you would like invited to the New York State Medical Society's luncheon, on February 18?

Thank you for sending me your biography and photograph.

Very truly yours,

John W. Murray

jwm/vb

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JOHN MURRAY

January 21, 1957

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

Dear Rabbi Silver:

Thank you for sending the material we requested for use in publicity for the anniversary luncheon of the Medical Society of the State of New York.

To facilitate accurate press coverage and interpretation, may I request that you send me an advance copy of the remarks you intend to deliver at the luncheon?

I would appreciate receiving the above at your earliest convenience.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

John W. Murray

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February 12, 1957

Mr. John W. Murray
Tex McCrary, Inc.
122 East 42nd Street
New York 17, New York

My dear Mr. Murray:

Enclosed please find an advance copy of the address which I am to deliver at the luncheon meeting of the New York State Medical Society on February 18th.

With all good wishes, permit me to remain

Cordially yours,

ABRA HILLEL SILVER

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344 STATE STREET
ALBANY

February 25, 1957

Dear Rabbi Silver:-

Please accept my sincere thanks for the delightful exposition of the relations of the Clergy and the Doctors, which you made last Monday.

You helped me to recognize the close interests in the welfare of patients and will be of great benefit in the future.

With every good wish for your continuing efforts to make the present and future worthwhile, I am

Most respectfully yours,

Arthur Hays Sulzberger

Rabbi Abba H. Silver
The Temple
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February 27, 1957

Rabbi Abba Hilliel Silver
The Temple
East 105th Street and Ansel Road
Cleveland 6, Ohio

Dear Dr. Silver:

Enclosed please find check for \$100. which is forwarded to you as an indication of the appreciation of the Medical Society of the State of New York for your splendid presentation at our luncheon, February 18, 1957, at the Hotel Statler in New York City.

President Greenough is writing an official letter of appreciation. I am sure you realized by the rapt attention of your audience how much weight your every word carried.

With thanks in the name of our Society, I am

Yours sincerely,

W. P. Anderton

W. P. Anderton, M.D.
Secretary

WPA:dg
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February 27, 1957

Dr. James Greenough, President,
Medical Society of the State of New York,
386 Fourth Avenue,
New York 16, New York.

Dear Dr. Greenough:

I thought you would like to know the amount of expenses incurred by Dr. Silver in connection with the Medical Society's meeting of February 18th in New York City.

His travel, hotel and incidental expenses totaled \$74.06.

Sincerely,

Miss Sophia Levine
Secretary to Dr. Silver

/sl

February 28, 1957

Dr. Arthur J. Badell
344 State Street
Albany, New York

My dear Dr. Badell:

It was gracious of you to write to me and I appreciate your thoughtfulness very much.

I enjoyed my meeting under the auspices of the New York State Medical Society.

With warmest regards, I remain

Very cordially yours,

ABBA HILLEL SILVER

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March 1, 1957

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

Dear Miss Levine:

Dr. James Greenough, President of the Medical Society of the State of New York, has asked me to thank you for your letter of February 27, 1957. Shortly after our treasurer has signed the check, we are sending an honorarium of one hundred dollars to Rabbi Silver.

I am sorry you did not have the pleasure of hearing him at our meeting February 18th. He was perfectly splendid, and held his audience spellbound.

Yours sincerely,

W. P. Anderton

W. P. Anderton, M.D.
Secretary



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OFFICE OF
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MEDICAL SOCIETY OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

11 LAWN AVENUE

ONEONTA, N. Y.

March 5, 1957

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi Silver:

I am writing to thank you for addressing the lunch on February 18th, at our Sesquicentennial, on the subject of the interrelationship of religion and medicine.

For me, this was one of the most interesting and inspiring occasions of the entire celebration. You and your fellow speakers held the audience enthralled throughout the presentation. Possibly, you realized, sitting at the head table as I did, the very close attention which was paid by all those present to each speaker.

The occasion is one which will long be remembered by all who attended the luncheon. Again, I wish to thank you for making this event such an outstanding one.

Very sincerely yours,

James Greenough, M.D.
President

JG:vr

April 11, 1957

New York State Journal of Medicine
366 Fourth Avenue
New York 16, New York

Gentlemen:

Thank you for sending me the galley proof of the address which I delivered before the New York State Academy of Medicine.

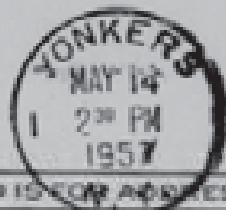
You evidently used the manuscript which I forwarded by mail to the Academy prior to the meeting. I revised the address considerably for delivery. I have made corrections on the galley proof indicating the revisions. If it is not yet too late, I would appreciate it if you would incorporate these revisions when you publish this article.

With kindest regards, I remain

Most cordially yours,

ABRA KILIEL SILVER

AHS:sl
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Rabbi Abba Hillel Silvers
The Temple
Cleveland, Ohio

5/14/57

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26 VARK ST. - YONKERS 1, N. Y.

Dear Doctor:

I would greatly appreciate a reprint of
Interrelationship of Religion and Medicine

which appeared in N.Y. State J. Med. 57: 1651, 1957

Thank you for your courtesy.

Very truly yours,

S. L. SHAPIRO, Ph. D.

Director, Organic Research

ABBOTT LABORATORIES RESEARCH DIVISION



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May 14, 1957

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
Cleveland, Ohio

Sir:

May I have a reprint of your speech, reprinted in the New York
State J. Med., May 1, 1957 ?

I should greatly appreciate your kindness.

Very respectfully yours,

Helene Lemberger

May 16, 1957

Dr. Helene Lemberger
Abbott Laboratories
Research Division
North Chicago, Illinois

Dear Dr. Lemberger:

Thank you for your communication of May 14th and for your interest in Rabbi Silver's address which he delivered in New York City before the Medical Society of the State of New York.

I regret very much that I have no available reprints of this address and am unable to comply with your request.

Sincerely,

Miss Sophia Levine
Secretary to Dr. Silver

/sl

May 16, 1957

Dr. S. L. Shapiro
Director, Organic Research
U. S. Vitamin Corporation
Research Laboratory
26 Vark Street
Yonkers 1, New York

Dear Dr. Shapiro:

Thank you for your communication of May 14th and for your interest in Rabbi Silver's address which he delivered in New York City before the Medical Society of the State of New York.

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AM GREATLY HONORED BY YOUR INVITATION TO BE SPEAKER AT MY FRIEND
DR. FELDMAN'S TESTIMONIAL ON JUNE 13th. UNFORTUNATELY I WILL
NOT BE ABLE TO LEAVE CLEVELAND THAT DAY BECAUSE OF AN IMPORTANT
COMMITTMENT HERE. DEEPLY REGRET MY INABILITY TO BE WITH YOU.

ABBA HILLEL SILVER



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

Dear Rabbi Silver:

This November 4th the URJA (United Rumanian Jews of America) is honoring Senator Jacob K. Javits for his work in helping provide housing in Israel for the displaced homeless of Europe.

Monies realized from the dinner will be used to promote the Israel Housing Project of the URJA to be built by RASSCO Israel Cooperation. The goal of the URJA is 1,000 units, or \$2,500,000 in deed sales.

The housing need in Israel is well known to all of us. This effort by the URJA will help alleviate the housing shortage by providing needed building capital for RASSCO.

We would like you to honor us by giving the Invocation and Benediction at this affair.

Because Senator Javits, Robert K. Christenberry and Attorney General Louis K. Lefkowitz will be the principal speakers, the Dinner should be well covered by the press.

I hope you will honor us with your presence and help make this Dinner to Senator Javits one of the outstanding events of the year.

Sincerely,

Dr. I. Glickman
President

September 3, 1957

Dr. I. Glickman, President
United Roumanian Jews of America, Inc.
31 Union Square
New York 3, New York

My dear Dr. Glickman:

I greatly appreciate your gracious invitation to have me participate in the affair honoring Senator Jacob K. Javits on November 4th.

I wish I were free to come. Unfortunately, prior commitments make it impossible for me to leave Cleveland at that time.

I would like to join the host of friends who pay tribute to Senator Javits on that day.

With all good wishes, I remain

Cordially yours,

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ABBA HILLEL SILVER



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October 4, 1957

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

My dear Dr. Silver:

You will remember Julius Klein of Chicago, who was one of your most invaluable aids in the struggle for Israel's independence. He was a valiant and courageous champion of our cause and if you will kindly recollect, his name loomed very high among those whom you could summon and who could be depended upon in that historic struggle that you have led.

The JNF, recognizing the many burdens that you carry, has not imposed on you in recent years. We shall long remember your triumphant tour to South Africa.

I have a simple request to make of you, that wouldn't require such a long journey. We are planning a very large-scale function in honor of Julius Klein. His acceptance to be the guest-of-honor was on the condition that we could secure your consent to be the guest speaker on that occasion. It would indeed be a fitting tribute to a valiant comrade if you would make the exception and agree to participate in the tribute that we are to give to Mr. Klein.

Our Chicago friends have suggested that the date of the Dinner should be in January. If you can give them the choice of a few dates, they will arrange the function to suit your convenience. If January should prove difficult, then they are prepared to have the affair in May.

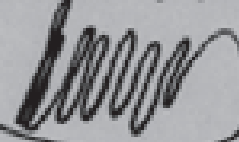
We will have the cooperation of all of our forces in Chicago and it would give us an opportunity to do a really fine piece of work for our new project and a special effort would be made for the Kfar Silver, although the proceeds for the affair will go to the JNF. We feel confident that with the new approach we are making for Kfar Silver and the JNF, that we can really do a very effective piece of work if you would

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver

October 4, 1957

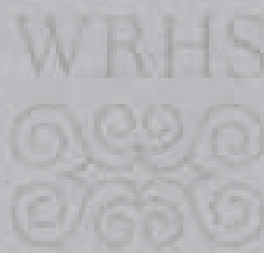
consent, as I hope and pray you will, to accept. Please give my very, very best to your dear wife, and, once more, accept my very good wishes for the New Year.

Faithfully yours,



MENDEL N. FISHER
Executive Director

MNF:al



October 7, 1957

Mr. Mendel N. Fisher
Executive Director
Jewish National Fund
42 East 69th Street
New York 21, New York

My dear Mendel:

Let me acknowledge your letter of October 4th. I appreciate the invitation to address a testimonial dinner in honor of Julius Klein for the benefit of the Jewish National Fund.

I have high regard for Mr. Klein and for the devoted service which he rendered to our common cause. Were I free to come it would have given me great pleasure indeed. Unfortunately, I am already so heavily booked with out of town engagements that I cannot, in justice to myself, take on any additional responsibilities.

As it is, I have an Israel Bond Rally to address in Chicago on December 15th.

With all good wishes for a very happy New Year, I remain

Very cordially yours,

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November 19, 1957

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
East 105th Street and Ansel Road
Cleveland 6, Ohio

Dear Rabbi Silver:

We would like to set up a series of symposium meetings in New York similar in general nature to those we held in Philadelphia last May as a part of our 50th Anniversary Jubilee Celebration. We are all agreed that one of the series should be the one in which you participated on "Judaism and Christianity at the Parting of the Ways" and with the same participants—except that in this instance Dr. Neuman would preside.

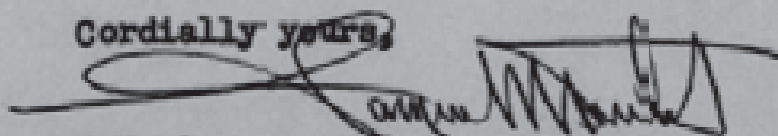
We would fix the date to suit your convenience. The place would be determined by our collective estimate of the probable size of the audience. In any event, it would be in an auditorium having an academic atmosphere. Invitations would go to a highly selective group—Jewish and non-Jewish. You may, of course, assume that we shall arrange the meetings on a high plane of dignity—completely free from propagandistic fanfare and from the remotest approach to fund raising.

A meeting of this sort, I am sure, would have a good "press". It is my hope that we will have all the papers printed in pamphlet form. Above all else, the discussion would be a real contribution to scholarship and a service generally to Jewish and non-Jewish relations.

Dr. Neuman and Dr. Zeitlin join me in hoping that you will accept. We are sure that you will if you can. Upon receipt of word from you that you will, we shall proceed to do the necessary in setting up the meeting.

With all good wishes and kind regards, I am

Cordially yours,


Samuel B. Finkel
Executive Vice-President

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cc: Dr. A. A. Neuman
Dr. S. Zeitlin

Letter (in reply) from Finkel - 173/5-7

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November 29, 1957

Mr. Samuel B. Finkel
Executive Vice-President
The Dropsie College
1776 Broadway
New York 19, New York

My dear Mr. Finkel:

Thank you for your letter of November 19th. Please pardon the delay in answering your communication. I have been out of the city most of the time.

If you have in mind a repeat of the symposium which we had in Philadelphia, I may be able to participate. I am not in position to undertake writing a paper on a new theme. I am too crowded with commitments of all sorts.

As regards the time element, I would be free prior to the Passover holidays. After Passover I plan to go to Israel for a few weeks. I would not be free to come on a Friday, Saturday or Sunday.

With all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

AFS:sl

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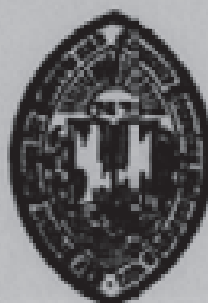
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December 3, 1957

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

Dear Rabbi Silver:

We are all delighted to have your acceptance of our invitation to participate in our symposium in New York on "Judaism and Christianity at the Parting of the Ways". It will not be necessary to prepare another paper, firstly because the general theme will be the same as it was in Philadelphia; and secondly, because your paper was so superlatively good that we would not want you to change a single word of it.

In order to meet with your schedule we shall arrange the meeting for some time in March, and for a day other than those you have eliminated (Friday, Saturday or Sunday). At the earliest possible moment we shall submit for clearance to the other participants and you the specific date.

With deep gratitude for your gracious collaboration, I am

Cordially yours,

Samuel B. Finkel
Executive Vice-President

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cc: Dr. Neuman
Dr. Zeitlin

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Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi:

The Decennial Anniversary of our Temple will be celebrated during the ten-day period from April 29th through May 9th, 1958.

During this period, there will be a Dinner, which will be addressed by the Professor of Preaching of the Yale Divinity School on the subject "Religion In The Satellite Age". After the Dinner, a panel including Professor Barr of the Yale Divinity School, Reverend McGuire, Reverend Thomas of Larchmont and myself will answer questions from those present.

A few days later, our Youth Groups are inviting to our Temple representatives of Youth Groups from the County including representatives of Temples, Synagogues and Churches to discuss the place of the youth in their respective religious institutions.

A few evenings later, our Sisterhood is sponsoring a Choir Festival, where the respective choirs of Churches and Temples of our community will render examples of their religious music, with their Choirmasters explaining its use in their Services and the background of same.

The climax of the celebration will be the Sabbath Service on May 9th, 1958, to which we hope to invite our neighboring Temples and our friends of Larchmont, to hear an address by the outstanding religious leader of our movement and of the world, who, we trust, will use as his subject the challenge to the Larchmont Temple for the future. For this address, we are asking that you occupy our pulpit and deliver that important message.

Our Congregation extends to you its warm invitation to spend the entire weekend, with your wife, with us in Larchmont and in New York and, of course, all of your expenses will be borne by our Congregation.

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We trust that you will accept this invitation, as I know it will be a stimulant to our Temple, to our community and to all religious leaders.

Sincerely yours,

RABBI LEONARD S. SCHOFER

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December 20, 1957

AIR MAIL - SPECIAL DELIVERY

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
East 105th Street and Ansel Road
Cleveland 6, Ohio

Dear Rabbi Silver:

Supplementing our exchange of letters regarding the symposium in New York on "Judaism and Christianity at the Parting of the Ways," Dr. Enslin has accepted our invitation to participate.

The specific purpose of this letter is to determine a date. All of us here feel that for many reasons some time during the last two weeks in March would be best. Will you be good enough to designate in the order of your preference which of the days between March 18th and the 27th would be acceptable to you. Dr. Zeitlin has a slight preference for any Monday or Thursday within this period, but will gladly defer to your convenience. Immediately on receipt of your letter I shall submit to Dr. Enslin by telephone your order of preference. As soon as Dr. Enslin indicates his preference I will take the matter up with you again for the purpose of making a final choice.

Cordially yours,

Samuel B. Finkel
Executive Vice-President

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Respectfully

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December 23, 1957

Rabbi Leonard S. Schofer
Larchmont Temple
75 Larchmont Avenue
Larchmont, New York

My dear Rabbi Schofer:

I wish to thank you for your letter of December 18 and for your invitation to address the Decennial Anniversary of your Temple.

As I told you over the phone, it would have given me great pleasure to come to you. Unfortunately, my crowded program will not permit it.

I shall be in Israel the major part of April and the early part of May and upon my return I shall have to devote myself to my work here.

I trust that your celebration will be eminently successful.

With kindest regards I remain

Cordially yours,

AHS:sl

ABBA HILLEL SILVER

December 23, 1957

Mr. Samuel B. Finkel
Executive Vice-President
The Dropsie College
1776 Broadway
New York 19, New York

My dear Mr. Finkel:

Thank you for your letter of December 20th.

Any day between March 18 and 27 would be acceptable to me except the weekend of March 21 through 24 inclusive.

With warmest regards, I remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:sl

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January 23, 1957

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

Dear Rabbi Silver:

The delay in confirming the date for the symposium meeting in New York on "Judaism and Christianity at the Parting of the Ways" was due to the difficulty in getting a suitable auditorium. We have reserved one of the two available auditoriums at Temple Emanu-El for Thursday evening, March 20th.

I shall communicate further with you as occasion requires. In the meantime, I want to express again in behalf of all of us how flattered and pleased we are that you have agreed to participate in this program.

With warm regards,

Cordially yours,

Samuel B. Finkel
Executive Vice-President

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P. S. — May I ask you to be good enough to confirm receipt of this letter.

January 27, 1958

Dr. Samuel B. Finkel
Executive Vice-President
The Dropsie College
1776 Broadway
New York 19, New York

My dear Dr. Finkel:

Acknowledging your letter of January 23rd I have scheduled the symposium meeting in my calendar for Thursday evening, March 20th, in New York.

With warmest regards and all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:sl

ABBA HILLEL SILVER

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Dr. Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
19810 Shaker Boulevard
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Dr. Silver:

On April 27, the American Committee, of which you are an Honorary Co-Chairman, is arranging a program at the Polo Grounds to mark Israel's Tenth Anniversary. The occasion will provide an opportunity for public support of Israel, both from the speaker's platform and through audience participation.

Associate General Chairman

GEORGE BACKER

Would it be possible for you to address this meeting?

Chairman

DR. ISRAEL GOLDSTEIN

The theme of the occasion is a salute to Israel on its progress; and an appeal for a policy which comprehends that Israel's security is related to our own; and that Arab-Israel peace and development for the area as a whole are the only means of denying the Kremlin the grounds on which it is subverting the area.

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We are planning a program of two and one-half hours, about half of which will be devoted to speeches and half to musical and dramatic presentations by distinguished artists. Among those invited to speak are Mrs. Franklin Roosevelt, Governor Thomas Dewey, Mr. George Meany, General Moshe Dayan, Ambassador Eban, and outstanding clerical representatives of the major faiths.

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In order to make the sharpest kind of impact both on our immediate audience and on the press, we must ask all our speakers to be brief. I hope very much that you will add your distinguished presence and voice to this important occasion. We wish we could offer you unlimited speaking time but we hope you will be prepared to speak for about eight minutes, which is to be the optimum for each of our speakers in order to get as many voices as possible to be heard on the central theme, within the framework of a one-hour speaking program.

I shall hope to have your early acceptance.

With kindest personal regards,

Yours very sincerely,

Herbert H. Lehman
Herbert H. Lehman

Treasurer

JACK D. WEILER

February 3, 1958

Senator Herbert H. Lehman
American Committee for
Israel's Tenth Anniversary Celebration
Suite 1120
120 East 56th Street
New York 22, New York

My dear Senator Lehman:

Thank you for your kind letter of January 30th and for your gracious invitation to participate in the program on April 27th at the Polo Grounds marking Israel's Tenth Anniversary.

I regret that I will not be able to attend this celebration as I shall be in Israel at that time.

With all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:sl

ABBA HILLEL SILVER



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February 7, 1958

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Dr. Silver:

On behalf of the Presidium and executive of the Histadruth Ivrit of America, it gives me great pleasure to extend to you an invitation to be the Guest Speaker (in English) at our Annual Banquet, dedicated to the Tenth Anniversary of the State of Israel and to its achievements and influence in the diaspora in the field of culture.

This function will take place on Sunday afternoon, March 9th, 1958 at 12:30 at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel in New York.

The annual banquets of the Histadruth Ivrit are always attended by a representative group of American Jewry who, we are sure, will look forward to hearing you. All of us here would deem it a privilege to have you in our midst.

We look forward to your favorable response at your very earliest convenience. Many thanks.

Sincerely yours,

S. K. Mirsky
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February 10, 1958

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

My dear Dr. Silver:

I very much regret that you will not be with us on April 27, but I am glad that you will be at the heart of the celebration, in Israel itself.

With best regards,

Sincerely,

Herbert H. Lehman
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I hope that your trip to Israel will be a happy and successful one

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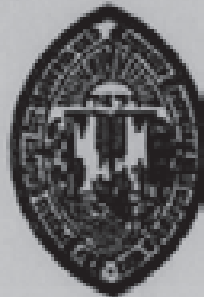
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February 17, 1958

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

Dear Rabbi Silver:

Enclosed herewith for your information is a copy of the invitation which we are using for the meeting in which you have so kindly agreed to participate.

It is our desire to have as representative an audience at this meeting as possible. In view of the subject, we are inviting a number of churchmen, Christian Biblical scholars and lay leaders. I am compiling also a comprehensive list of Jews drawn from a wide range of Jewish organizations. Do you have any suggestions as to any special groups, Jewish or Christian, we should contact? I am told that the Herzl Institute has a good mailing list. If you agree would you be willing that I use your name in trying to make their list available to us.

Do you have any special friends you would like to have us invite?

It occurs to me that since the Macmillan Company are the publishers of your recent book, it might be advisable to ask them for a list of persons they would recommend we invite. They could be helpful, too, in the matter of local newspaper publicity. I shall, of course, not approach them in either of these two respects without your consent that I do so.

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver

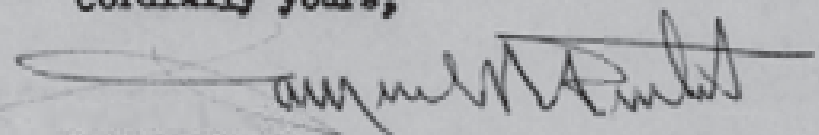
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February 17, 1958

I hope you will bear with me if I appear to be burdening you with matters pertaining to this meeting which are obviously outside of your scope of responsibility. I am taking the liberty of seeking your cooperation in full confidence that as one experienced in such matters you understand the importance of making the maximum use of a meeting of this sort public relations-wise, and ultimately money-wise (perish the thought—I wish I could add "perish the necessity thereof"), and that as a friend of Dropsie College you will want to be as cooperative as possible toward these ends. And this entirely apart from your own personal participation.

With warm regards,

Cordially yours,



Samuel B. Finkel
Executive Vice-President

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Enc.

February 27, 1958

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Dr. Silver:

I am taking the liberty of writing to you on behalf of the Adult Education Committee of our Congregation. For the past four years we have conducted the most enriching and instructive forums by inviting the authors of outstanding Jewish books to discuss their writings. We would be deeply honored if you would accept the invitation to discuss your book "Where Judaism Differs" a volume which I enjoyed and profited from considerably.

Please select any of these four dates, Monday evenings, Oct. 20th, Oct. 27th, Nov. 13rd, and Nov. 10th. Our Honorarium is \$300.00 plus expenses.

I sincerely hope and pray that it will be possible for you to accept this invitation. I know that our Congregation, which holds 800 seats, will be filled, and many copies of your book would be readily sold.

Very respectfully yours,

RJR;ag

Rabbi Jacob Radin

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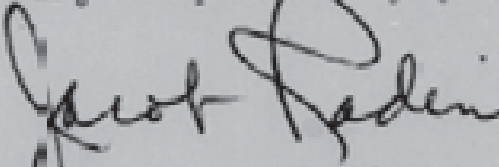
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March 5, 1958

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
East 105th Street and Ansel Road
Cleveland 6, Ohio

Dear Rabbi Silver:

It would please Dr. Neuman and me if you could be our guest at dinner at the Harvard Club on the evening of the symposium meeting, Thursday, March 20th, at 6:30 p.m. We are inviting all of the program participants to join us, with perhaps three or four other guests.

The Harvard Club is located at 27 West 44th Street. The dinner will be held in the Weld Room, which will be listed in my name.

I would appreciate your advising me whether we shall have the pleasure of your company.

Cordially yours,

Samuel B. Finkel
Executive Vice-President

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I am disappointed not to have received
a reply to my letter to you of the 17th
S.B.F.

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ABBA HILLEL SILVER



March 6, 1958

Mr. Samuel B. Finkel
Executive Vice-President
The Dropsie College
1776 Broadway
New York 19, New York

My dear Mr. Finkel:

Please pardon the delay in answering your letter of the 17th. I have been away from the city a good deal of the time.

Of course I have no objection for you to ask the Herzl Institute for its mailing list.

You may also approach the Macmillan people. They, of course, would be interested in providing you with a list of names (provided they have such) if it is your purpose to have my book, which they published, on sale at the meeting. As to whether this is desirable, you are in the best position to decide.

I am looking forward to the meeting on March 20th. I shall be very happy to be with you for dinner at the Harvard Club. Are the ladies welcome? Mrs. Silver will be with me in New York that day.

With all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:sl

ABBA HILLEL SILVER



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March 13, 1958

Dear Dr. Silver:

Enclosed please find a copy of a letter
that was mailed to you on February 27, 1958. I
do hope you may accept this invitation.

I am anxiously awaiting your favorable
reply.

Very respectfully yours,

Rabbi Jacob Radin

RJR:ag

Mailed
Special Delivery

March 17, 1958

Rabbi Jacob Radin
Inwood Hebrew Congregation
111 Vermilyea Avenue
New York City, New York

My dear Rabbi Radin:

I wish to thank you for your kind letter and for your gracious invitation to address the Forum of your congregation some Monday evening in October or November.

I am very tempted to accept it, but unfortunately I am in no position to make commitments for the Fall months. My program is very indefinite and I do not wish to pin myself down to definite engagements which I might have to cancel at the last moment.

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

With all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

ARS:sl

ABBA HILLEL SILVER

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THE RELIGIOUS EDUCATION ASSOCIATION
of the United States and Canada
545 West 111th Street
New York 25, N. Y.

April 3, 1958

Dr. Samuel B. Finkel,
Executive Vice-President,
The Dropsie College,
1776 Broadway
New York 19, New York.

Dear Mr. Finkel:

I much appreciated the privilege of attending the symposium on "Judaism and Christianity at the Parting of the Ways" held at Temple Emanu-El on March 20, 1958. All of the three papers were excellent and I was especially impressed by the paper given by Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver.

I am wondering if the papers given at the symposium will be published. I am especially interested in having a copy of Rabbi Silver's paper. If it is to be published, or is otherwise available, I would be grateful for a copy. If there is a charge please bill the Religious Education Association at the above address.

Sincerely yours,

(Signed) Herman E. Wornom
General Secretary

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April 4, 1958

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
East 105th Street and Ansel Road
Cleveland 6, Ohio

Dear Rabbi Silver:

I am attaching herewith copy of letter which explains it-
self. Do you have an extra copy which I can forward to
Mr. Wernon?

With Passover greetings,

Cordially yours,

Samuel B. Finkel
Executive Vice-President

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Enc.

April 8, 1958

Dr. Samuel P. Finkel
Executive Vice-President
The Dropsie College
1776 Broadway
New York 19, New York

My dear Dr. Finkel:

In answer to your communication of April 4th in which you advise of the request of Mr. Wornom of the Religious Education Association for a copy of Dr. Silver's paper on "Judaism and Christianity at the Parting of the Ways", I am enclosing herewith a copy which you may forward to him.

Dr. Silver has asked that I convey to you his kind regards and best wishes for the Passover holiday.

Sincerely yours,

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Miss Sophia Levine
Secretary to Dr. Silver

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April 10, 1958

Miss Sophia Levine, Secretary
To Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
East 105th Street at Ansel Road
Cleveland 6, Ohio

Dear Miss Levine:

This will acknowledge with thanks the copy of Dr. Silver's paper on "Judaism and Christianity at the Parting of the Ways" which I shall forward to Mr. Wernon of the Religious Education Association.

In view of the fact that you have had this paper mimeographed, Mr. Finkel wonders whether you could let him have for distribution about twenty-five copies.

Sincerely yours,

Lillian Lesselbaum
Secretary to Mr. Finkel

April 14, 1958

Mr. Samuel B. Finkel
Executive Vice-President
 Dropsie College
1776 Broadway
New York 19, New York

Dear Mr. Finkel:

Miss Lesselbaum has written me that you would like twenty five copies of Dr. Silver's paper JUDAISM AND CHRISTIANITY AT THE PARTING OF THE WAYS for distribution.

I find that my supply numbers twenty two copies and I have forwarded these to you under separate cover.

If these will not suffice for your needs I shall be pleased to make up some additional copies.

Thank you for your interest in Dr. Silver's paper.

Sincerely,

Miss Sophia Levine
Secretary to Dr. Silver

Dr. Saul I. Teplitz

Rabbi's Study
Laurelton Jewish Center
1855 St. El 137th Ave.
Laurelton 13, L. I.
Laurelton 7-0400

June
19th
1958

Dear Dr. Silver:

At a meeting of our Forum Lecture Committee, held last night, it was unanimously recommended that I inquire of your availability as a lecturer in our Temple on Tuesday evening, November 12th. Ours is the first Congregation in the country, you may recall, that instituted compulsory membership in the Z.C.A., when one becomes a member of the Synagogue.

Your presence would be a source of great honor and prestige to our Congregation. Therefore, would you kindly inform me what your honorarium would be for such an appearance.

With thanks for your kindness and looking forward to hearing from you, I am

Respectfully yours,

Rabbi

SIT:S

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
1855 Ansel Road
Cleveland 6, Ohio.

June 30, 1958

Dr. Saul I. Teplitz
Laurelton Jewish Center
229th St. & 137th Ave.
Laurelton 13, L.I., New York

My dear Dr. Teplitz:

I deeply appreciate your gracious invitation to lecture in your Temple on November 12th.

It would have given me a great deal of pleasure if I were able to accept it. Unfortunately, I am already so heavily committed with out of town engagements for next season that I cannot, in justice to myself, take on any additional responsibilities.

Wishing you all success in your lecture forum, I remain

Very cordially yours,

AHS:el

ABBA HILLEL SILVER

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December 22, 1958

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
E. 105th Street & Ansel Road
Cleveland 6, Ohio

Dear Dr. Silver:

The building of our Temple begun last summer is reaching its final stage and we are now planning the dedication. At a meeting of the committee charged with the dedication ceremonies, speakers for the Dedication Banquet were discussed and we decided to write to you and invite you to deliver the main address that evening. Our people expressed the unanimous opinion that your record as Rabbi, Jewish Leader and public figure has been such that you would strike a vital and much needed note for our congregation.

The date is Sunday evening, April 19th and I sincerely hope that you will be able to come. It may interest you to know that we have extended an invitation to Governor-Elect Nelson A. Rockefeller to be present at the banquet.

I should add that we have a young, virile and exciting congregation to whom your message would mean much. Please let me have your positive answer at the earliest possible time. With cordial good wishes.

Sincerely,

Walter H. Plaut
Rabbi Walter H. Plaut

WHP/pb

P.S. In checking with our colleague, Jacob Rudin, I do not believe that you have ever spoken in Great Neck. Your coming, therefore, would honor us doubly.

December 24, 1958

Rabbi Walter H. Plaut
Temple Emanuel of Great Neck
Hicks Lane at Station Road
Great Neck, New York

Dear Rabbi Plaut:

Dr. Silver is out of the country on a world tour. He will not be back until the end of February, and he has expressed his desire not to make any commitments until his return. If you so desire I shall therefore hold your letter for his view. If you desire to make other plans I know that Dr. Silver will understand.

Cordially yours,

DANIEL JEREMY SILVER

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January 5, 1959

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

Dear Rabbi Silver:

The great, good news has just been relayed to me through our mutual friend, R. W. William F. Rosenblum, Grand Chaplain, that you have agreed to speak at our Breakfast on Sunday morning, March 20, 1949, at the Hotel Astor.

All of us are delighted. You have such a national reputation that many of our brothers have been telling me if we could only get you our Breakfast would assume the largest proportions that it has ever reached. I know you will send us away with one of your typical messages that warms all hearts.

With deep appreciation of your kindness and looking forward to seeing you, I am

Sincerely yours,

Frank M. Totton
Grand Master

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HISTADRUTH IVRITH OF AMERICA

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February 11, 1959

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi Silver:

On behalf of the Presidium and Executive of the Histadruth Ivrit of America, we take great pleasure in extending to you a warm and cordial invitation to be the Guest Speaker at our Annual Banquet to be held on Sunday afternoon, April 5, 1959 at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel in New York.

We are sure that it is hardly necessary to tell you what the Histadruth Ivrit stands for. You have been very close to our organization for many years and we know that you are eager to help us.

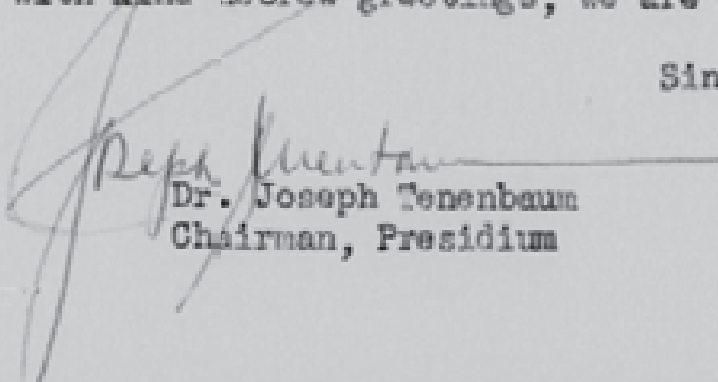
It is most important that your voice should be heard about vital problems that concern American Jewry, by the distinguished gathering which our annual affairs attract. Your views on Jewish education in general and Hebrew culture in particular will no doubt find an echo in the press and in the community at large, which are very important at this crucial time.

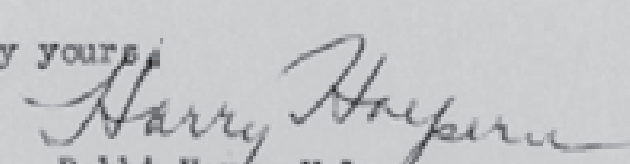
A most stimulating program in English and Hebrew is being prepared.

We shall feel honored indeed by your acceptance and we look forward to your early reply.

With kind Hebrew greetings, we are

Sincerely yours,


Dr. Joseph Tenenbaum
Chairman, Presidium


Rabbi Harry Halpern
Chairman Banquet Committee

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February 20, 1959

Rabbi Walter H. Plaut
Temple Emanuel of Great Neck
Hicks Lane at Station Road
Great Neck, New York

My dear Rabbi Plaut:

I deeply appreciate your gracious invitation to participate in the dedication services of your new Temple on Sunday evening, April 19th. I regard it as a high honor that you have asked me and I wish I were free to come. Unfortunately, I have just returned from an extended sojourn abroad and my work here has accumulated in such a way that I must decline most of the out-of-town engagements for the next few months which I have received. I must remain here at home.

With many congratulations on the completion of your new project and with all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

ABBA HILLEL SILVER

ANS:bfm

February 20, 1939

Dr. Joseph Tenenbaum,
Chairman, Presidium
Histadruth Ivrit of America
120 West 16th Street
New York 11, New York

My dear Dr. Tenenbaum:

Upon my return from abroad, I found your letter of February 11th inviting me to speak at your Annual Banquet on Sunday, April 5th. I deeply appreciate the honor of your invitation but unfortunately, because of our prolonged absence from Cleveland on our world tour, I find it necessary now to stick close to home - especially on Sundays to occupy my own pulpit - and to attend to congregational functions. I am sure that you will understand.

With all good wishes for success in your work,
I remain

Very cordially yours,

ABBA HILLEL SILVER

AHS:bfm

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כ"ד אדר א' תשי"ט
6 לסרץ 1959

לכבוד

ד"ר אבא הלל סילבר,
קליבלנד, אוהיו.

ד"ר סילבר הנכבד והיקר,

סתוך הכרה והוקרה ליחסו הנלבב לענייננו אנו מחבדים לבוא
לפניו בבקשה זו:

ביום השני, ב' סיון, תשי"ט (8 ליוני 1959) חתמים בסלון
ניו-יורק בניו-יורק המסיבה השנתית של "הדאר". מסיבה זו, והמסיבה
הנכרכת עמה, נועדה לאפשר את קיומו של "הדאר" במשך השנה. אנו,
הקוראים אל "הדאר" ושומרים קיומו הקבוע והסתמי, משקיעים במפעל
זה פכסיוס של מאמץ והתנדבות, כי בתוצאותיו תלויה בסידה סכרעת
אפשרות הופעתו של העתון. מדעתנו כי מכיר הוא בחשיבות קיומה של
במה ספרותית עברית זו, שסביבה סתרכת משפחת היוצרים בעברית על
אדמה הארץ הזאת, - אנו פונים אליו בבקשה נמרצה, כי יואיל להיות
אורח-הכבוד ונואם-הכבוד במסיבה זו.

אנו מחוננים להוציא לרגל המסיבה גליון מוגדל של "הדאר"
שיכיל רק דברי ספרות ומחקר של סופרים וחוקרים צעירים ילידי וגידולי
ארצות-הברית. יש קבוצה ניכרת של צעירים כאלה ברחבי הארץ שראויים
וסוכרים לקיים המשך נאה ליצירה הספרותית העברית באמריקה. לרעיון
החמשך הזה חוקרש מסיבת "הדאר" השנה, ורבים מבין הסופרים הצעירים
גם ישתתפו בה. בטוחים אנו כולנו, כי דברו לצעירים אלה, אשר באולם
ואשר מחוצה לו, על ערך יעודם לספרות העברית וליהדות אמריקה יעשה
רושם מיוחד ויסייע בסיפוחה של היצירה העברית באמריקה. שרק בה חורם
כל קיבוץ יהודי את תלקו לאוצר-הספרות של האומה.

תקוותנו ואמנחנו, כי יקבל בעין יפה את הזמננו וייענה
לבקשתנו. עצם הופעתו במסיבתנו תעשה כל-כך הרבה להצלחה, הדרושה
כל-כך להבטחת קיומו של "הדאר", ואנו נושאים את עינינו ונפשנו
לתשובתו החיובית.

בהוקרה עמוקה

ובמיטב האיחולים,

ישראל ניומן
נשיא חברת "הדאר"

יעקב מ. אלקוב,
יו"ר ועדת המסיבה

March 11, 1959

My dear friend:

I received your gracious invitation to address the annual meeting of the Hadoar on Monday, the 8th of June. I wish I were free to come but, as you probably know, the date which you have set is a few days before Shabuot and those days are very crowded ones for me and for every Rabbi in preparation for confirmation services on Shabuot. It is impossible for me to leave the city during that week. I am sorry that I cannot be of help to you at this time.

With warmest regards and all good wishes, I remain

Most cordially yours,

ABBA HILLEL SILVER

AHS:bfn

Mr. Israel Neuman
Hadoar
120 West 16th Street
New York 11, New York

M. TORCZYNER
6 WEST 77TH STREET
NEW YORK 24, N. Y.
TRAFALGAR 3-1043

Newyork, march 11th. 1959

Rabbi

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple,
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Dr. Silver,

The Manhattan Region of the Zionist Organization of America, devoted to an allout effort for UJA in 1959, has scheduled it's dinner at the Plaza, Thursday, April 16th. Mr. Abe Goodman and Dr. Harry Wechsler have consented to be our guests of honor that evening. The contributions of our members have exceeded 1,500.000 \$ every year so far.

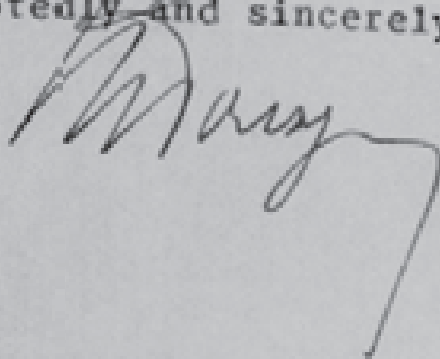
As President of the Region I take liberty to appeal to you to honor us with your address at the dinner. No other leader enjoys like you, dear Dr. Silver, our faithful respect, admiration and love. No other leader can command our additional effort and devotion like you.

We are very conscious of the task and the challenge. With your help we shall not fail to make this evening the most memorable one in every way.

May I, therefore, appeal to you to, please, accept our invitation to address us on April 16th. And may I further appeal to you for your kind reply within the next few days so that all necessary printing can be done without delay.

I do hope that Mrs. Silver and you, dear Dr. Silver, enjoyed your trip and returned with renewed vigor and in good health. Looking forward to a favorable reply, I remain with best wishes

Yours devotedly and sincerely



March 28, 1959

Mr. M. Torczyner
6 West 77th Street
New York 24, N.Y.

My dear friend:

Thank you so much for your kind letter and for your gracious invitation to address the dinner in honor of Mr. Abe Goodman and Dr. Harry Wechsler on Thursday, April 16th. It would have given me great pleasure, indeed, to attend this function and to participate in a double purpose - to honor two dear friends of mine and at the same time raise money for the United Jewish Appeal. Unfortunately, I have quite an important and long-standing engagement here at the Temple for that evening. I have been away from the Temple for nearly three months on a tour around the world and I do not wish to absent myself from important functions of the Temple.

With warmest regards and all good wishes, I am

Most cordially yours,

ABBA HILLEL SILVER

AHS:rbfm

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בליסטאטא של ההסתדרות העברית באמריקה

120 WEST 16th ST., NEW YORK 11, N. Y.

Phone: ALgonquin 3-9617-9638

March 16, 1959.

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
East 105th St. & Ansel Rd.
Cleveland 6, Ohio.

Dear Rabbi Silver:

I am taking the liberty of mailing you under separate cover, a book by our Editor, Mr. Moshe Maisels. This book, as you most likely know, is an English translation and condensation of his two-volume Hebrew essays, "Mahshava v' Emet."

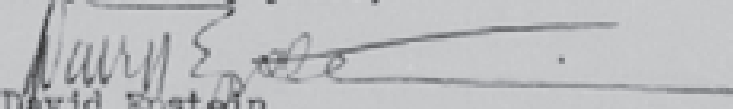
You undoubtedly know that Mr. Maisel's book was received when his original Hebrew volumes were published, about twenty years ago, with great enthusiasm by the Hebrew critics and Thinkers. The testimonials of Dr. Martin Buber and Prof. A. J. Heschel and other Thinkers of note, indicate the esteem in which he is held by those who are authorities in the field of Jewish Thought and Philosophy.

I assume that you are acquainted with Mr. Maisel's Hebrew works, but this translation of his which was masterly performed by Mr. Regelson, a former resident of Cleveland, is a book which should be in your library, and I deem it an honor to mail it to you with my personal compliments.

You undoubtedly do not remember me personally, but I too resided in Cleveland in my early youth, when my father, the late Hayim Fishel Epstein was a Rabbi in Cleveland in the late twenties.

With kindest personal regards, I remain

Respectfully yours,


David Epstein
Managing Director

DE:RT

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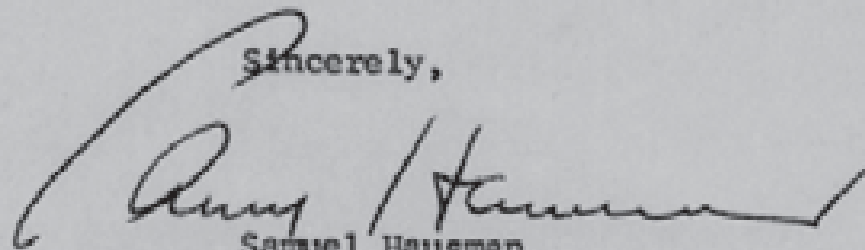
Dear Rabbi Silver:

For the first time in many years, the United Jewish Appeal of Greater New York is planning a mass demonstration in Madison Square Garden, where we hope to mobilize as many as 18,000 Jews who are concerned with the success of our current campaign. The event will take the form of a farewell to Ambassador Abba Eban, and mark the occasion of Israel's 11th anniversary. It will take place on Thursday evening, May 14th at 8:30 p.m.

All our officers join me in extending to you a most cordial invitation to address this gathering. Certainly there are few men in America whose participation in such a program would be as appropriate as yours. I do hope you will let us know right away that we can count on you because we are most anxious to include the fact that you will be present in the preliminary material now being prepared.

I shall look forward with great eagerness to your reply. Warmest personal good wishes.

Sincerely,



Samuel Hausman

Chairman of the Board

120 WEST 16th ST., NEW YORK 11, N. Y.

Phone: ALgonquin 3-3617-3638

March 24, 1959.

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
E. 105th St. at Ansel Rd.
Cleveland 6, Ohio.

Dear Rabbi Silver:

Upon my return from a trip out of town I found your letter of March 11th and beg your forgiveness for the delay in answering it.

My friends and I on the Hadoar Board were very distressed to learn of your inability to accept our invitation to be our principal speaker at our annual dinner on June 8th.

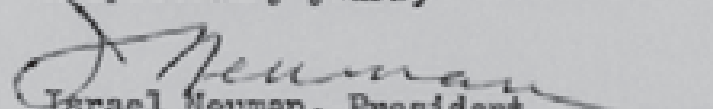
I understand that Mr. David Epstein, our director, has contacted his friend, Mr. Harold Manson, requesting his assistance, and he in turn was notified that your decision is irrevocable because of the proximity to Shabbat and your previous obligations for that date. I hope that you won't think that it is an affront on my part if I will again appeal to you to make it possible to be with us on June 8th.

I understand your first obligation is to your community, and it would be presumptuous on my part to tell you of HADOAR'S importance in appealing to you to lend us your aid and great prestige in helping us in our work to assure the continued existence of the HADOAR. If it is at all possible for you to leave your city for that day it would be of immeasurable help to us.

We have tried to postpone this gathering and even to advance the date, but to our great regret we could not do either because of many problems involved. You will please forgive me, therefore, for writing you again beseeching you to make an effort to be with us on June 8th. I am anxiously awaiting your kind reply and thank you in advance for your consideration.

Knowing of your deep interest in our cause, I feel assured that you will forgive me for repeating our request.

Respectfully yours,


Israel Neuman, President
HADOAR ASSOCIATION, INC.

IN:RF

March 25, 1959

Mr. David Epstein
Managing Director
Hadoar Hebrew Weekly
120 West 16th Street
New York 11, New York

My dear Mr. Epstein:

Permit me to thank you for your thoughtfulness in sending me Mr. Meisels' "Thought and Truth". I know that I shall read it with a great deal of pleasure and profit.

With warmest regards, I remain

Very cordially yours,

ABBA HILLEL SILVER

AHS:bjm

March 25, 1959

Mr. Samuel Hausman
Chairman of the Board
United Jewish Appeal of
Greater New York, Inc.
220 West 58th Street
New York 19, New York

My dear Mr. Hausman:

Thank you very much for your letter of March 23rd and for your gracious invitation to speak at the Madison Square Garden demonstration meeting as a farewell to Ambassador Abba Eban on May 14th. Because of my high regard for Ambassador Eban, and also because of the United Jewish Appeal effort which you are making, I shall be most happy to be with you.

With all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

ABBA HILLEL SILVER

AHS:bfa

March 25, 1959

Mr. Israel Neuman
President
Hadoar Hebrew Weekly
120 West 16th Street
New York 11, New York

My dear Mr. Neuman:

Let me acknowledge your letter of March 24th.
I assure you that if it were possible for me
to be with you on June 8th I would have done so,
but it is a physical impossibility and I deeply
regret it. Perhaps at some future time I may be
able to be of service to you.

With warmest regards, I remain

Very cordially yours,

ABBA HILLEL SILVER

AHS:b'm

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=RABBI ABBA HILLEL SILVER, DLR IMMY:

=EAST 105 ST AT ANSEL RD:

WE WERE EXCEEDINGLY HAPPY TO HEAR FROM OUR FRIEND CHAIM ORLAN THAT YOU GRACIOUSLY CONSENTED TO APPEAR AT THE HADOAR DINNER PROVIDED IT WILL TAKE PLACE MONDAY JUNE 15TH STOP WE WERE SUCCESSFUL IN SECURING ACCOMMODATIONS FOR THIS DATE BUT IT IS NECESSARY THAT WE HAVE YOUR IMMEDIATE CONFIRMATION OF SAME=

I NEUMAN PRESIDENT HADOAR ASSI

THE COMPANY WILL APPRECIATE SUGGESTIONS FROM ITS PATRONS CONCERNING ITS SERVICE

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Mr. I. Neuman
President Hadoar Ass'n
New York City

Will be pleased to be with you Monday June 15th

ABBA HILLEL SILVER

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Phone: ALgonquin 3-9637-9638

April 6, 1959.

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver
East 105th St. at Ansel Rd.
Cleveland 6, Ohio.

Dear Rabbi Silver:

Forgive me for not writing you immediately after receiving your kind wire advising us that you will be with us on June 15th when the HADOAR annual dinner will take place.

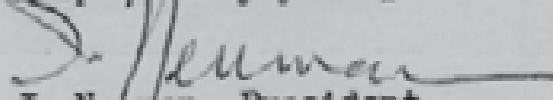
Believe me, Rabbi, that I am not exaggerating when I say that your acceptance was the cause of great rejoicing among our friends, and we are looking forward to seeing and hearing you on that occasion, which will be, because of your participation, a milestone in the history of the HADOAR.

We are confident that your appearance at our dinner will not only enhance the importance of the gathering, but will also strengthen HADOAR'S foundation.

Please accept our thanks for your acceptance.

With kindest regards, I am

Respectfully yours,


I. Neuman, President
HADOAR ASSOCIATION INC.

IN:RF

M E M O R A N D U M

TO DR A. H. SILVER

FROM H. L. SHAPIRO

DATE 4/9/59

DEAR DR. SILVER:

ENCLOSURE IS THE BROCHURE
ON THE MAY 14TH, MADISON SQUARE GARDEN RALLY.
THOUGHT YOU WOULD LIKE TO SEE IT.
WARBURG IS SERVING AS CHAIRMAN
AND THE MAYOR WILL MAKE A SHORT PLEA FOR
THE WORKERS TO DO THEIR "STUFF."

KINDEST REGARDS—

P.S. BEST WISHES TO VIRGINIA—
Harry—

SPEED-LETTER
REPLY IMMEDIATELY

JEWISH CENTER LECTURE BUREAU
OF THE
NATIONAL JEWISH WELFARE BOARD
145 EAST 32ND ST. NEW YORK 16, NEW YORK

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TO:

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

SUBJECT:

REFERENCE:

FROM:

S.D. Freeman
(EBB)

INSTRUCTIONS

1. WRITE REPLY TO MESSAGE. DATE AND SIGN.
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MESSAGE

One of our constituents, the Inwood Hebrew Congregation, is very much interested in having you accept a lecture appearance before their Congregation in New York City. This is in connection with their Adult Program Series.

Would you let me know whether you would be available on one of the following dates:

November 9th, or 16th, or 23rd or 30th (Monday evening)

The Congregation is prepared to offer an honorarium of \$300.00 plus travel expenses.

Please let me know which date you prefer and whether the honorarium is acceptable to you.

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[Signature]
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REPLY

April 15, 1959

Mr. S.D. Freeman
Jewish Center Lecture Bureau
145 East 32nd Street
New York 16, New York

My dear Mr. Freeman:

I regret very much that I will not be able
to accept the invitation of the Inwood Hebrew
Congregation for a lecture in November.

With all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

ABRA FILLEL SILVER

AHS :bfm

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May 4, 1959.

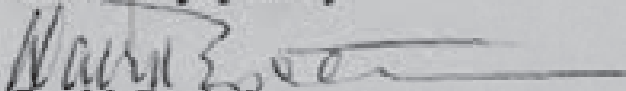
Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
East 105th St. at Ansel Rd.
Cleveland 6, Ohio.

Dear Dr. Silver:

I see from the press that you are to be in New York next week. I wonder if I can impose upon you in requesting you to honor me with an interview. I assure you that this interview will be very brief as I wish to acquaint you with the program of the Hadoar dinner on June 15th, 1959, at which you will be our guest speaker.

Thanking you in advance for your reply and hoping that you will be in a position to grant me this short interview, at your convenience, I remain

Cordially yours,


David Epstein
Managing Director

DE:RF

May 6, 1959

Mr. David Epstein
Managing Director
Hadcar
120 West 16th Street
New York 11, N.Y.

My dear Mr. Epstein:

I will arrive in New York late on May 14th in time for the Eban meeting. I do not know as yet what time I shall leave New York on the next day, Friday May 15th. I would suggest that you telephone me around ten o'clock. I shall be stopping at the Plaza Hotel.

With all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

ABBA HILLEL SILVER

AHS:bfm

May 11, 1959

Mr. Harold Shore
United Jewish Appeal
220 West 58th Street
New York City, N.Y.

My dear Mr. Shore:

At the suggestion of Mr. Harry Shapero, I am sending you a few paragraphs from the address which I am going to deliver Thursday evening at the Madison Square Gardens.

Cordially yours,

ABRA HILLEL SILVER

AHS:bfm

Enclosure - 2 pages.

UNITED JEWISH APPEAL

OF GREATER NEW YORK

220 WEST 56 STREET, NEW YORK 19, N. Y.

May 15, 1959

Dr. Abba Willel Silver
The Temple
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Dr. Silver:

This is my personal way of saying thanks for a magnificent job. From all sides, I hear nothing but great praise for the address which you made last evening.

I expect to be out in your part of the country during the next couple of months, and hope to have the pleasure of seeing you again.

With all good wishes, I am

Cordially yours,

Harry L. Shapiro
Harry L. Shapiro

HLS:hd

May 18, 1959

United Jewish Appeal of
Greater New York
220 West 58th Street
New York 19, New York

Gentlemen:

Dr. Silver's traveling expenses from New York
to Cleveland on May 15th were \$55.97.

Sincerely yours,

Beatrice F. May (Mrs.)
Secretary to Dr. Silver

Check Rec'd \$55.97
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May 18, 1959.

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
East 105th St. at Ansel Rd.
Cleveland 6, Ohio.

Dear Dr. Silver:

I was very disappointed that I could not reach you over the telephone on Friday at the Plaza Hotel. I called you at 10 o'clock, as you had suggested, and a number of times later, until I was finally informed that you checked out. Though I understood that your few hours in New York were very crowded and you had to rush back to Cleveland, I regretted, nevertheless, that I could not see you even for a few limited minutes.

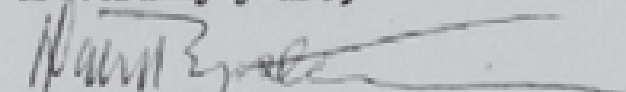
I wish to discuss with you the program we are planning for our dinner on June 15th, at which you graciously accepted to be our guest speaker. For your information, I wish to note the following data regarding our dinner.

Because the great number of participants and supporters of the HADOAR do not understand Hebrew, the proceedings at our dinners are conducted mainly in English, though every speaker begins his address with a short Hebrew introduction. Many of our friends who never heard you speak in Hebrew are anxiously awaiting the occasion to hear your remarks in Hebrew as well, and I hope you will not consider it presumptuous on my part when I assure our inquirers that you will start your address in Hebrew and continue in English. I will be grateful to you if you will write me regarding this.

I will also appreciate if you will inform me when you expect to arrive in New York and how long you expect to stay here. I will reserve a hotel suite, and if you prefer the Plaza Hotel please tell me. I also would like to know if you will have time before or the day after our dinner, to receive one of our writers for an interview regarding your trip to Japan and other countries, as well as on Zionist and other problems all of us, needless to say, are keenly interested to learn of your ideas and hear your observations.

Thanking you in advance for your reply, I remain

Gratefully yours,


David Epstein
Managing Director

DE:RF

May 18, 1959

Miss Alice Grossman
Secretary to Michael Arnon
Embassy of Israel
1621 - 22nd Street
Washington, D.C.

My dear Miss Grossman:

As requested in your telephone conversation on May 15th, I am enclosing a copy of Dr. Silver's address which he gave on May 14th at Madison Square Gardens.

I hope this reaches you in time to give it to Ambassador Eban before he leaves the country.

Sincerely yours,

Beatrice F. May (Mrs.)
Secretary to Dr. Silver

VIA AIR MAIL
SPECIAL DELIVERY

It is my great pleasure to join with you tonight in saying farewell to Ambassador Eban. He has been the Israeli Ambassador to our country for nearly nine years. He is now returning to Israel to continue, in another capacity, his remarkable career of public service and statesmanship. We say farewell to him only as the needs of Israel have summoned him away from us to other needs and duties within the same orbit wherein he has so brilliantly distinguished himself.

Ambassador Eban was sent to the United States to represent a small country which was perilously situated at the political cross-roads of world power-blocs, and which was hemmed in by irreconcilable enemies. All things had to be improvised by the new State of Israel, including the very men whom it sent forth as its ministers and ambassadors. They, in turn, had to extemporize their own techniques and skills, for they were not long-term experienced diplomats.

Abba Eban was sent to the most important post in the foreign service of his country - to Washington. His critical task was to mount guard for the safety of Israel in the early and dangerous years when lack of vigilance might have proven disastrous, to hold on to gains already made, and to advance its interests still farther.

His mission was to win friends for Israel, not only in government circles - but among the people of our country - non-Jews and Jews alike. The good-will of the American people was of paramount importance to Israel - as it still is - and that good-will was constantly being undermined by hostile propaganda emanating from many sources.

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And so he spoke with confidence and authority - and with the power of enkindling speech. True eloquence is logic on fire. To have music in your speech you must have harmony in your thoughts. We thank Abba Eban for having brought to us the proud song of Israel's rebirth, the song of the new land and its new hopes, and we are grateful that something of its rythm and melody has come to abide permanently in our own hearts.

In our traditional High Holy Day service, there is a special personal prayer prescribed for the Chazan - "the representative of the people". The prayer reads: " May those who have designated me not be disappointed in me, and my I not be disappointed in them".

Need we assure Ambassador Eban, the representative of Israel and our spokesman, that we have not been disappointed in him? I believe, too, that he has every reason to feel that we have not disappointed him.



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TO AMBASSADOR ABBA EBAN
GIVEN BY DR. ABBA HILLEL SILVER
AT MADISON SQUARE GARDENS
NEW YORK CITY on May 14, 1959.

It is my great pleasure that

*to join with tonight
in saying farewell to
I am ~~glad~~ present to you*

Ambassador Eban. He has been the Israeli Ambassador to our country for nearly nine years. He is now returning to Israel to continue, in another capacity, his remarkable career of public service and statesmanship. We say farewell to him only as the needs of Israel have summoned him away from us to other needs and duties within the same orbit wherein he has so brilliantly distinguished himself.

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May 19, 1959

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

Dear Rabbi Silver:

I am happy to advise you that the response to your address at our Festival of Freedom has been gratifying. We have had a number of requests for copies of your address, and I write in the hope that you can make the text available to us for reproduction and distribution.

Thanks again for your participation in the program and for the inspiration and impetus which you have given the campaign.

May I know what expense you incurred so that we may reimburse you.

All good wishes and kindest regards.

Sincerely,

Henry C. Bernstein
Executive Vice-President

HCB:bb

May 20, 1959

Mr. David Epstein
Managing Director
Hadoar
120 West 16th Street
New York 11, New York

My dear Mr. Epstein:

I am sorry that I did not get to see you last Friday. I was overwhelmed with appointments during the few hours that I was in New York. I shall keep in mind what you say about the meeting and your desire to have me say a few words in Hebrew. I do not at the present time know when I will arrive in New York. Please reserve an air-conditioned room for me - not at the Plaza Hotel, but at the Commodore Hotel. I will write you later whether I will have the time for an interview with one of your writers.

With warmest regards and all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

ABBA HILLEL SILVER

AHS :hfm

May 23, 1959

Baltimore & Ohio Railroad
Baltimore, Maryland

Attention: Comptroller

Gentlemen:

On May 13, 1959 I purchased for Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver a ticket to Baltimore on your railroad. At that time I had not received the Clergyman's Discount Certificates from the Eastern Clergy Bureau. The clerk at your Cleveland ticket office informed me that when I did receive the certificate I could send it in to you with the receipt and you would refund \$11.67 to Dr. Silver.

I paid the full fare of ^{35.99}~~\$36.99~~ and am enclosing the receipt together with Coupon #1 - Dr. Silver's certificate #18854.

Thanking you for giving this your attention,

Sincerely yours,

Beatrice F. May (Mrs.)
Secretary to Dr. Silver

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May 25 1959

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver
19810 Shaker Avenue
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Dr. Silver:

I am dictating this letter on the eve of my departure to Israel to attend the meeting of the World Zionist Actions Committee. God willing, I shall return on June 13th, but I would like to check with you if it would be possible for you to accept to speak at the Metropolitan American Zionist Fund Dinner to be held on Monday evening, November 23rd. You will recall my conversation with you over the telephone, following my letter to you and your reply to me. You were kind enough to tell me that you would be glad to give us one or two days at your convenience and no more. Since the Metropolitan Dinner is our major ZOA function of the year, it would be wonderful if you could grace the affair with your presence. We must know early so as to build a program around you. I would appreciate your writing to the office and Mr. Robert Abrahami, our Acting Director, has been instructed to proceed immediately upon receipt of your confirmation.

With kindest personal regards to yourself, Mrs. Silver and your family, Shalom.

Cordially yours,

Morton

Morton J. Robbins, M.D.,
National AZF Chairman

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May 27, 1959

Mr. Henry C. Bernstein
Executive Vice-President
United Jewish Appeal of
Greater New York, Inc.,
220 West 58th Street
New York 19, N.Y.

My dear Mr. Bernstein:

Dr. Silver has requested me to thank you for
your good letter of May 19th. We regret there
are no copies of his address which you requested
available for distribution.

This will also acknowledge the check which you
sent for expenses incurred.

Sincerely yours,

Beatrice F. May (Mrs.)
Secretary to Dr. Silver

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F. H. BOPP
AUDITOR PASSENGER TRAFFIC

May 28, 1959

IN REPLYING QUOTE FILE NO.

SUBJECT:

1-Refund.

Mrs. Beatrice F. May, Secretary,
The Temple-East 105th Street at Ansel Rd.,
Cleveland 6, Ohio.

Dear Mrs May:

Acknowledging receipt of your letter of May 25, 1959, with which you enclosed for refund, receipt from Ticket Agent at Cleveland, O., showing payment of full fare, and Eastern Clergy Coupon 1 No. 18854.

Our Passenger Traffic Department makes refund on all unused tickets and Clergy coupons. We are therefore, forwarding your letter, receipt from Agent, and Clergy coupon to Mr. J. D. Healey, General Passenger Agent, Chicago, Ill., with request that your claim be given prompt attention.

Yours truly,

F. H. Bopp

Auditor Passenger Traffic

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Cy-Mr. J. D. Healey-GPA.,
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120 WEST 16th ST., NEW YORK 11, N. Y.

Phone: ALgonquin 3-9677-9638

June 9, 1959.

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
E. 105th St. at Ansel Rd.
Cleveland 6, Ohio.

Dear Dr. Silver:

We have made reservations for you at the Hotel Commodore, as
you requested.

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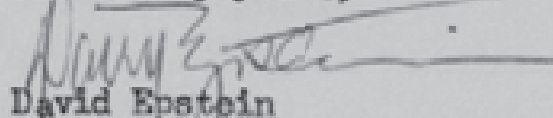
Kindly inform us when you expect to arrive in New York and
how long you expect to stay. I hope you will be able to grant
us an interview. If you will let me know either before you
arrive or upon your arrival when our representative may see
you, we would greatly appreciate this.

Is it at all possible for you to submit to us either before
or after your arrival in New York, the draft of your address
so that we will be able to mimeograph it for distribution to
the press.

Needless to say the entire Hadoar family, together with the
hundreds of people who have already made their reservations
for our dinner, are anxiously waiting to hear your message.

With kindest regards, I remain

Gratefully yours,


David Epstein

DE:RF

June 10, 1939

Mr. David Epstein
Radoar
120 West 16th Street
New York 11, New York

My dear Mr. Epstein:

I wish to acknowledge your kind letter of June 9th. Thank you for making reservations for me at the Hotel Commodore. I can be reached at the Hotel Commodore after 10:00 Monday morning. I will try to send you an abstract from my address in a day or two.

With warmest regards and looking forward with pleasure to seeing you, I remain

Very cordially yours,

ABBA HILLEL SILVER

AHS:tfm

GERSHON JACOBSON

SUITE 2900

110 West 40th Street, New York 18,
New York

June 16, 1959

Rabbi Dr. Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi:

You will recall that last night at the Hadoar dinner, when I asked you for a copy of your speech you suggested that I write to you to Cleveland.

Will you please be kind enough to send it to me as soon as possible, because my paper is very anxious to do a story on it.

I am enclosing a stamped self-addressed envelope for your convenience.

Sincerely yours,

Gershon Jacobson
Gershon Jacobson
London Jewish Chronicle
Correspondent

GJ:s

June 17, 1959

Mr. Gershon Jacobson
London Jewish Chronicle
Correspondent
Suite 2900 - 110 W. 40th St.
New York 18, New York

My dear Mr. Jacobson:

I am enclosing herewith a copy of the address
which I used at the meeting of the Hadoar dinner
Monday evening.

Very cordially yours,

ABBA NILIEL SILVER

AHS:bfm

June 18, 1959

Mr. David Epstein
Hadoar
120 West 16th Street
New York 11, New York

My dear Mr. Epstein:

I am enclosing herewith a copy of the address
which I used at the meeting of the Hadoar dinner
Monday evening.

Very cordially yours,

ABBA HILLEL SILVER

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June 26 1959

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver
19810 Shaker Avenue
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Dr. Silver:

On my return from Israel I learned from Mr. Robert Abrahami that we had not yet heard from you regarding our Metropolitan Dinner, on which subject I wrote to you prior to my departure.

Negotiations are underway to obtain Mr. Nelson Rockefeller, the Governor of New York, and Mr. Rockefeller has indicated his desire to know with whom he would share the platform.

As it is imperative that we advise Mr. Rockefeller immediately as to whether or not you will be in attendance, I would be most glad if you would confirm.

You will be interested to learn, I am sure, that Kfar Silver is developing to a degree that evokes the admiration of all who visit it and I, myself, was impressed beyond words with what I saw.

Trusting you are well, know me to be

Yours most sincerely,

Morton J. Robbins, M.D.,
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July 1, 1959

Dr. Morton J. Robbins
National American Zionist
Fund Chairman
145 East 32nd Street
New York 16, New York

My dear Dr. Robbins:

Thank you for your letter of June 26th. I should like to attend your Metropolitan Dinner but I cannot come on November 23rd. I am scheduled to be out west during that week. If you can set the meeting for some other date, I shall be pleased to come. You might suggest a few dates. Please bear in mind that I am to be in New York on October 14th in connection with a dinner of the Hebrew University.

I am very happy to learn of the fine impression which Kfar Silver has made on you. I have heard similar reactions from other friends who have visited Israel.

With warmest regards and all good wishes, I remain

Most cordially yours,

ABBA HILLEL SILVER

ANS:bfm

July 1, 1959

Mr. David Epstein
Radoar
120 West 16th Street
New York 11, New York

My dear Mr. Epstein:

Thank you for your kind letter. I enjoyed the meeting which I addressed very much. You asked me to send you a statement of my expenses. My hotel bill at the Commodore was \$48.01. I shall charge you with a one-way trip by air to New York; part of the expenses of the trip will be covered by the University of Virginia which I addressed the day before. The one-way plane trip to New York was \$30.97.

With all good wishes, I remain

Very cordially yours,

ABRA HILSEL SILVER

AHS:bfm

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July 8, 1959.

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
East 105th St at Ansel Rd.
Cleveland 6, Ohio.

Dear Dr. Silver:

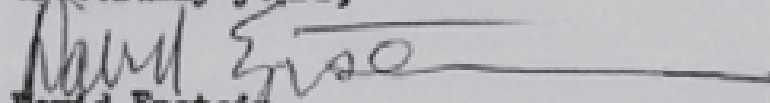
Please forgive me for the delay in mailing the enclosed check for your expenses, amounting to \$76.98. Because of the summer vacation, I had to wait a few days to secure a second signature on the check.

Your address (a translation of the draft you submitted to me several weeks ago) will appear in one of the forthcoming issues of the HADOAR, in the form of an article, but, naturally, with an editor's remark that it was delivered at our annual dinner.

Believe me, it is not flattery, nor said in the form of a compliment, when I say that people are still talking about that memorable evening at which you were our guest speaker. Many who could not attend the dinner have requested that we publish your address, which we actually planned beforehand.

With kindest personal regards and best wishes, I remain

Gratefully yours,


David Epstein
Managing Director

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August 3, 1959

Abba Hillel Silver

East 105th Street at Ansel Road
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Dr. Silver:

Please forgive the delay in answering your kind letter of July 1, which was addressed to the office in New York.

The main reason for the delay is the fact that we have made an effort to switch the date of the dinner to suit your schedule. It took all this time before all the circumstances could be studied.

I exceedingly regret to tell you that it is impossible to have the date changed, primarily because we cannot obtain hotel facilities for any other day than November 23.

With warmest regards and with grateful appreciation for your willingness to co-operate, I remain most,

Sincerely yours,

Morton J. Robbins, M.D.
President

MJR:mpg



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Aug. 25, 1959.

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
E. 105th St. at Ansel Rd.
Cleveland 6, Ohio.

Dear Dr. Silver:

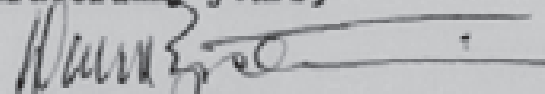
Please forgive the delay in writing to acknowledge your check for \$100.00 which you were kind enough to send to Dr. Davis for the special Maisels' Fund.

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I am utilizing this opportunity to send you a few pictures which we just received from the photographer, who was out of town. These pictures were taken at our annual dinner, at which you honored us with your presence. To us, who were privileged to be on these pictures, it will be a constant reminder of that unforgettable evening on that memorable June 15th, 1959.

With Best wishes, I remain

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I would greatly appreciate it, if you would let me hear from you by December 28th, whether you will be able to join us.

Sincerely yours,

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Thank you very much for your gracious invitation to attend the annual Dinner-Concert of the America-Israel Cultural Foundation on January sixth. I wish I were free to come. Unfortunately, I must remain here in Cleveland on that date. The program seems very attractive indeed.

With warmest regards, I remain

Very cordially yours,

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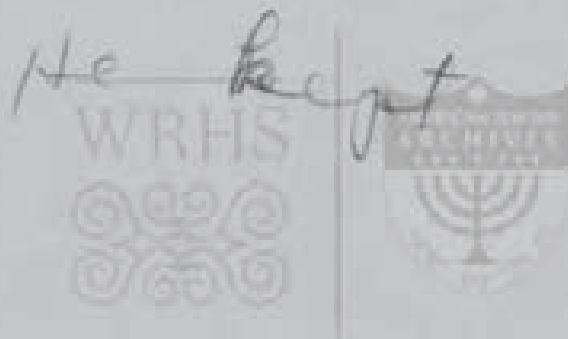
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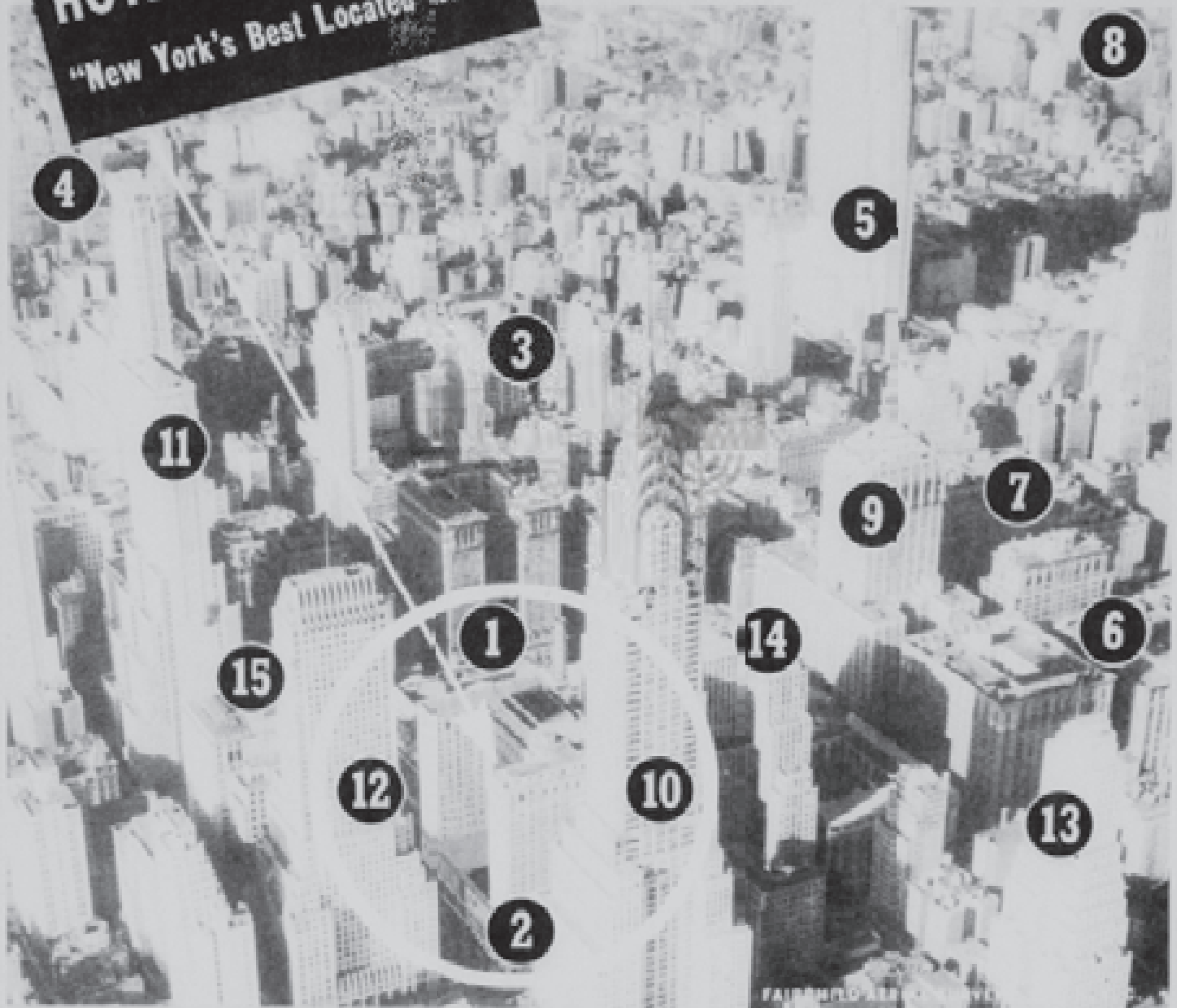
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