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Dear Mr. Weissman:

Your letter to Secretary Morgenthau of July 13, 1944, has been referred to me in the Secretary's absence from Washington on important official business.

While I am sure that Secretary Morgenthau will deeply appreciate your request for a statement from him for publication in your Rosh Hashona number, I regret ~~to have~~ to advise you that it ~~is contrary~~ would be contrary to the Secretary's policy to ~~supply~~ supply such a statements.

Very truly yours,

*15/ Herbert E. Gaston*

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Mr. Henry Morgenthau, Jr.  
Secretary of the Treasury  
Washington, D. C.

My dear Mr. Morgenthau:

The 48th annual edition of this newspaper will be dated September 15, 1944. We propose to carry a symposium in that issue on the subject - WHAT OF POST WAR JEWRY!

What is American Jewish leadership planning for the destiny of the harassed Jews of Europe? What is world Jewry planning for those countless beleaguered men and women in Israel? What do YOU, as a leader in the United States Government, have in mind that will add a little hope to the future of European Jewry? What are the hopes, the plans and aspirations of your department in that direction? What blueprint are you prepared to present to the world as the solution for the Jewish problem?

To this question will the annual Rosh Hashona number of the B'nai B'rith Messenger be devoted, and we respectfully request from you an article for publication on that occasion.

Our deadline for these articles will be August 30, 1944, but we urge that you submit whatever article you propose to submit earlier, together with a recent photograph of yourself.

Of course, your co-operation is gratefully appreciated.

Yours very truly,

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