United Jewish Fund of Toledo

September 7, 1944

Dear Mr. Entine:

Thank you for asking me to address the dinner which opens the 1944 campaign for national and overseas relief of the United Jewish Fund of Toledo. I am honored by the invitation and wish that I might accept it. However, circumstances are such that it seems best that I make no commitments for that time.

With best wishes for the success of your meeting and campaign,

Sincerely yours,

(Signed) J. W. Pehle

J. W. Pehle
Executive Director

Mr. Harry A. Entine, Chairman
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UNITED JEWISH FUND OF TOLEDO
1900 LINWOOD AVENUE
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September 1st, 1944

Mr. John W. Pehle,
War Refugee Board,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Pehle:

On behalf of the Jewish community of
Toledo and the organization of the United Jewish Fund
of Toledo, which I have the privilege of leading this
year as chairman, I have the honor of inviting you to
open the 1944 campaign for national and overseas relief.

The Toledo campaign this year will seek
to raise almost $200,000.00 for the purposes of Jewish
help and succor, with which you are quite familiar.

Our campaign will open on November 19th,
with a dinner, at which some five hundred of the most
prominent Jewish citizens of Toledo will be in atten-
dance. It is to make the address and appeal in the
launching of this effort that we should like to have
you come to us. I recognize the demands upon your
time and the responsibilities of your work, but I feel
that you could do no greater service to the causes
which you serve than to be helpful in properly stimu-
lating our community to meet its responsibilities.

May we have your most earnest considera-
tion to this invitation. I shall look forward with
eager anticipation to your acceptance of it.

With profoundest of respect for your
efforts on behalf of the President's War Refugee Board,
I am

Cordially yours,

Harry O. Entine, Chairman,
UNITED JEWISH FUND OF TOLEDO

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