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INTERNATIONAL.

THE International work for the past year is summed up in the Zurich Congress. It had been originally intended to hold the Congress simultaneously with the Congress of the Powers, but this was found to be impossible, and, after several changes of plan as to time and place, it was held in Zurich from May 12 to 17. Full reports of the proceedings and of the resolutions, the subsequent deputation to Paris, and the re-organization of International Head-quarters, are given in the Occasional Paper, "Towards Peace and Freedom," which has been recently published. The Head-quarters Office is now settled at Geneva, 19 Boulevard Georges Favon, with Miss Emily Balch, U.S.A., as Secretary. Mrs. Swanwick and Miss Macmillan were elected members of the new International Executive, and the British Executive has since appointed Miss Courtney as one of the two consultative members, to which it is entitled by the new Constitution, to the International Committee. Miss Balch has already issued some useful monthly reports of her work (copies of the last of which are obtainable from the Office), and it is hoped that before long a regular International paper may be started.

Our International Organization is thus, at last, really in being. We need to remind ourselves of this in making plans for future work. For the past four years our International

work has been at a standstill; we have barely kept in touch with other national sections. We have consequently taken up a good deal of home political work, which, though not irrelevant to International work (for it is becoming more and more difficult to define the boundaries between the two), is now secondary in importance to the work to which we pledged ourselves at Zurich, and for which no other women's organization in this country exists. The League's first object now is to organize support for the resolutions passed at Zurich, and its immediate work should concentrate upon propaganda for revision of the Treaties of Peace. We must not let our energies in this direction be sapped by the expectation—now gaining ground everywhere, even in official quarters—that the Treaties will have to be revised, sooner or later, because of their impracticability. We have, instead, to take advantage of that almost universal opinion and work persistently to turn the expectation into resolve and to carry the resolve into effect. The Treaties, however short-lived we may think them, are in operation *now*: Germany and Austria are *now* groaning under the terms which have been so savagely imposed. While these terms hold there is no possibility of the re-establishment of Central Europe. The expectation of revision cannot restore industry and trade. These are dependent upon instant revision, and so dependent that future revision may easily come too late. What was urgent at Zurich is ten times more urgent now; the rule of violence which the Peace re-constituted is three months' older now than it was when the Congress met in May. The seeds of future war—poverty, disease, and despair—have passed the stage of sowing: their growth is visible everywhere, and our practical policy must be to rouse opinion in this country as to these shocking facts before it is too late.

Previous to the Congress, the following action had been taken during the year:—

1. A Conference on Democratic Representation at the Peace Congress was held on November 6, at the King's Weigh House (see page 15 of this Report). A memorandum was subsequently sent to the Prime Minister pressing for Democratic Representation at the Peace Congress.

2. November 8 a letter was drafted and sent by the Chairman to the Prime Minister and the War Office, pleading for the return of German prisoners. This letter was printed in the *January News Sheet*. It is satisfactory to know that recently, under pressure from Mr. Hoover, the Allies have

agreed to return the prisoners whose detention after the signature of the Treaty has been a disgrace to the civilized world and unexampled in the history of wars. But at the same time it is reported from Switzerland that permission has not yet been given for the return of German prisoners from Siberia. It is said that there are over 150,000 there, and that in the district of Tomsk alone 37,000 have died during this year. The German, Austrian, and Swiss press abound with appeals for the return of these miserable men. The League of German Women, in beseeching President Ebert to act quickly, said (August 8): "We do not believe that there is a power on earth to induce our enemies to return us these 800,000 one hour before ratification. Nevertheless, should your voice shorten our sons' imprisonment by only one day, remember that this will count altogether as 800,000 happy days given to the sufferers abroad, not to mention the millionfold joy which we women will thereby receive."

3. In the *January News Sheet* was also printed the Memorandum which the Executive sent to the Prime Minister, the Foreign Office, and the Ministry of Blockade, urging the Government to raise the Blockade and to do its utmost to hasten the supply of the necessary foodstuffs to Central Europe. It supported the appeal of the German Women's Societies to British Women and sent a resolution to the German and Austrian Sections I.C.W.P.P. greeting them upon the cessation of hostilities, expressing "sympathy with all those suffering from the economic breakdown" and reporting the petition to the Government to raise the Blockade. The resolution concluded: "We are using our influence at the forthcoming elections to promote a just peace and to oppose vindictive terms." A Trafalgar Square Demonstration to protest against the Blockade was held on April 6 (see page 16 of this Report).

4. In January a cable was sent to President Wilson emphasizing our support of his policy, and urging the connexion between the feeding and pacifying of Europe. A letter of welcome to the President, appealing to him to stand fast by his principles at the Paris Conference had been previously sent on December 11 (see *January News Sheet*), and received acknowledgment. A public meeting was held on New Year's Day, at the Central Hall, Westminster, in support of President Wilson and the "Fourteen Points," and the Women's International League assisted the *ad hoc* Committee which arranged this. Another meeting for the same

purpose, organized by the Women's International League, was held on February 12 (see page 16 of this Report).

5. When the Draft of a League of Nations was issued by the Paris Conference in March 1919, the Executive drew up "suggestions on the Draft Agreement," which were sent to President Wilson, Colonel House, and members of the British Delegation in Paris. The "suggestions" were afterwards published in pamphlet form.

6. The Teats Fund. (See page 19 of this Report.)

After the Zurich Conference public meetings were held to greet the delegates on their return and to welcome Miss Jane Addams upon her arrival in England. At the latter the resolution on the Blockade which was passed at Zurich was carried *nem con.* by a large audience. On July 5, a Deputation—Mrs. Swanwick, Mrs. Pethick Lawrence, Miss Rankin (U.S.A.), and Miss Sheepshanks—presented the resolutions passed at Zurich to Mr. Adamson and a few members of the Parliamentary Labour Party at the House of Commons. On Sunday, June 22, a big meeting was held in Trafalgar Square to protest against the Peace Terms (see page 19 of this Report). The Executive has recently written to the German Section in reply to a letter received from them (see *August News Sheet*) re-iterating this pledge and meeting the German Women's acknowledgment of Germany's responsibility for the outbreak of war, with an acknowledgment of their own Government's guilt in maintaining the Blockade and in consenting to a Peace as wicked as any declaration of war.

As reported in the *August News Sheet*, the Women's International League has appointed six delegates to take part in a Conference called by several representative women's societies, of which the Women's International League is one, to consider the best method of securing the representation of women in the League of Nations." This Conference is to be held on September 4, and its recommendations will come before the Autumn Council meeting, at which this Report will be presented.

MEMBERSHIP.

In the fourth year of its organization, the Women's International League has attained a membership of 3,383 Branch members and 870 Central members, some of whom also belong to Branches.

BRANCHES.	MEMBERSHIP.
Aberdeen	28
Balham	87
Barnet	38
Bath	27
Beaconsfield	40
Birmingham	253
Bolton	72
Brighton and Hove	21
Bristol	93
Cambridge	59
Catford	21
Chelsea	48
Croydon	63
Darlington	28
Derwent Valley	60
Dundee	28
East Cheshire	36
Edinburgh and Midlothian	50
Glasgow	311
Golder's Green	75
Hampstead	76
Harlesden	56
Heywood	43
Huddersfield	63
Hyde	46
Kensington	83
Kingston	40
Leeds	180
Letchworth	84
Liverpool	40
Manchester	650
Newcastle	55
*Northern Heights	29
Norwich	21
Oldham	75
*Petersfield	24
Sheffield	76
Shipley	30
Stevenage	15
*Stockport	38
Street	80
*Swinton (Manchester)	19
York	120

Total 3,383

* Last year's figures.

Since the affiliation fees were paid there are several additional members in different Branches.

The Executive Committee, consisting of twenty-six members, including officers, held seventeen regular and two special meetings during the year. Representatives from it were appointed to the National Peace Council, the Legislative Sec-

tional Committee, and the Peace and Arbitration Committee of the National Council of Women, the Fight the Famine Committee, the Morality Commission (which was convened by the Association for Moral and Social Hygiene to inquire into the growth and prevalence of Venereal Disease), a Conference called by the N.U.W.S.S. to consider what could be done to follow up the International Allied Suffrage Conference in Paris, a meeting held by the N.U.S.E.C. to discuss a scheme for Widows' Pensions, the N.P.C. meeting in Manchester. Invitations were accepted also to be represented on a Deputation arranged by Mr. Locker Lampson, M.P., to wait upon Mr. Austen Chamberlain on the question of the Married Women's Income Tax; and to co-operate with the Church League for W.S. in a Service of Thanksgiving in St. Martin's-in-the-Fields on the Anniversary of the Royal Assent to Representation of the People Act. Resolutions passed during the year included one of sympathy to Miss I. O. Ford on the death of her sister, Miss Bessie Ford.

The Office.—There have been a very few changes in the Office. Miss K. E. Royds is still Secretary. Miss Brewster and Miss Anderson are now running the Literature and Finance Departments, while Miss Horscroft remains Clerk. Miss Marsh has worked through the year as General and Meetings Organizer. Miss Ashby Wood retired in January owing to re-arrangements and retrenchments, and the Executive passed a resolution of appreciation of her devoted services. In April Ethel Gibbs was appointed as office girl. Miss Phillips left in September to take up other work.

Sub-Committees.—The following new Branches have been formed:—Bath, Brighton, and Heathfield. Manchester Branch has also formed two new Branches at Radcliffe and Burnley.

Election Sub-Committee.—A Sub-Committee was formed to deal with the Finance and Organization of an Election Campaign. Mrs. Pethick Lawrence stood for Rusholme (Manchester) and Mrs. Despard for North Battersea, both as Labour Party Candidates with the official support of the League. Both were, unfortunately, defeated by Coalition candidates.

Education and Literature Committee.—A Memorandum was sent to Miss Balch at Geneva and Dr. Arnesen (Hon. Secretary of Head-quarters Education Committee) on the resolution on education as passed at Zurich, pointing out

that the Women's International League seeks to establish a basis for a new human civilization, and that to do this it is necessary to begin with the education of the peoples, and suggesting the lines on which a real International Education should be carried out.

Bibliography.—The Bibliography Sub-Committee, convened by Mrs. de Bunsen in 1917, has produced a "Bibliography for Teachers of History," edited by Miss Eileen Power, M.A., Director of History at Girton College. This book, with a Foreword by Lord Buckmaster and an introductory essay by Miss Eleanor Doorly, M.A., was issued in April at 2s. net. Two Conferences were held—one in April and one in June, the first to discuss plans for circulation, and the second chiefly to consider the production of new educational books, the need for which had been revealed by the Bibliography. Good reviews had meanwhile appeared, notably in the *Times Educational Supplement* (by Mr. Clutton Brock) and in the *Neue Zürcher Zeitung* (by Dr. Hertz). There has been a steady demand for the book from educational organizations and from individuals, indirectly through the trade as well as directly. The July Conference reduced the price to 1s. for teachers, and a fund has been raised for defraying the cost of this and for advertising. The fund stands at £12. 5s.

General Election.—Special leaflets of three kinds were issued for use at the General Election. These were distributed in the constituencies and at Albert Hall Labour Meetings.

League of Nations.—A series of criticisms of the draft League of Nations Covenant was issued by the Executive. These criticisms were published, with the text of the Draft itself, as a pamphlet "League of Nations or Holy Alliance." Copies, with covering letter, were sent to the Press and to Labour Leaders.

Monthly News Sheet.—As a result of the discussion at the Annual Council Meeting the *News Sheet* was changed at the beginning of Volume IV to its present form (4 pp. quarto). The regular monthly circulation has increased. In June a supplement was issued in the form of a reproduction of a poster which had been specially designed in Berlin to announce the distribution of the rubber teats. The picture was also reproduced on better paper, and sold separately.

Occasional Paper.—"Towards Peace and Freedom."

The illustrated descriptive report of the Zurich Congress, edited by Miss Leaf, appeared in August. It was subsidized by special donations in order that it might be sold at a popular price (3d), which was below the cost of production.

All publications issued during the year are given in the following list with the number disposed of in each case:—

PAMPHLETS.	PRICE.	NUMBER DIS- POSED OF.
Education in Love. By Mrs. Pethick Lawrence	2d.	... 1,200
National Endowment of Motherhood. By A. Maude Royden (Reprint)	2d.	... 700
League of Nations or Holy Alliance	6d.	... 412
BOOKS.		
Bibliography for Teachers of History. Edited by Eileen Power, M.A.	2/-	... 720
LEAFLETS.		
Food and Justice (Index letter T).....	2/6 a 100	... 2,000
Equal Pay and Women's Wages	½d. each	... 600
Election Leaflet 1.—Questions for Candidates...	1/6 a 100	... 700
Election Leaflet 2.—Democracy at the Peace Congress	2/- a 100	... 4,000
Women Voters and the Red Flag	1d. each	... 2,050
W.I.L. Leaflet and Membership Form	1d. each	... 448
OCCASIONAL PAPER.		
Towards Peace and Freedom	3d. each	... 560

Previous publications have also been disposed of during the year as follows:—

BOOKS.	PRICE.	NUMBER DIS- POSED OF.
Report of Conference on Teaching of History and Scripture	1/-	... III
LEAFLETS.		
Manifesto and Object	½d. each	... 900
" "	½d. each	... 1,285
Our War Aims (Index letter R)	1/6 a 100	... 6,000
To Men who are Electors (Index letter P)	1/- a 100	... 1,500
The Choice (Index letter S)	1d. each	... 700
PERIODICAL.		
Monthly <i>News Sheet</i>	1d. each	... 1,800

COUNCIL MEETINGS.

The Annual Council Meeting took place on October 22 and 23, 1918, and was attended by seventeen members of the Executive and fifty delegates representing twenty-five Branches. The Chairman, in her opening speech, said that the great task before the Women's International League was to re-twist the three strands of the League—labour, feminism, and pacifism. After the peace, pacifists must support labour and feminism as inter-dependent; and the base of the whole was one. The freedom of women was at the base of a free democracy, and the question of the relations of the sexes and endowment of motherhood were thus bound up with the cause of peace. Pacifism would abolish property in nations; feminism would abolish property in women; labour would abolish property in anything other than personal requirements. For a long while men would tend to forget the feminine strand, and for this reason we were necessary as a Society. From the Manchester Branch had come a suggestion for arranging national Conferences of different bodies of women as a result of which a woman's minimum programme might possibly be drawn up, including such things as the International abolition of State Regulation of Vice, &c. This, the Executive would consider. The need for preparation for a General Election was emphasized, as it would probably come now if negotiations fell through. Among candidates we should like to help were: Mr. Lansbury, Dr. Salter, Mr. Brailsford, Mr. C. Roden Buxton, Mr. Hobson (for the Free Universities), Mr. Pethick Lawrence and Mr. E. D. Morel (if he stood). Even if *we* might feel ourselves unimportant, our work was not so, and this thought should say to everyone of us "Sursum Corda"—rise to the height of the occasion and of our reputation, at this opportunity of doing something really effective at a critical time of the world's history.

The following resolutions were passed:—

Corrupt Use of Public Money.—This Council, in view of an approaching General Election, protests against the present Government's misuse of public money for party purposes. It urges that, in view of the biassed and unrepresentative nature of the War Aims Committee's propaganda, the work of this Committee should be suspended until after the General Election.

Freedom of Opinion.—This Council deplores the increasing acquiescence in the denial of the right to disseminate opinion either by speech or writing. It particularly notes the issue of the D.O.R.A.

Regulations 27 C, the restriction of the right to circulate certain newspapers, the refusal of passports to representative citizens, and the proclamation of meetings on the one hand and the apathy of the Government in allowing the breaking up of meetings on the other.

Intervention in Russia.—This Council views with regret the armed intervention of the Allies in Russia, believing that it is a direct negation of the right of self-determination, to which the Allies are definitely pledged, and injurious to our future friendly relations with the Russian people.

Disarmament.—This Council of the Women's International League should proceed to advocate universal disarmament as the only safe course to pursue for the prevention of future wars.

Repatriation of Enemy Aliens.—This Council protests against indiscriminate and oppressive action in the matter of repatriation of enemy aliens.

Marriage Laws.—That in view of the tragedies for women involved in national differences in Marriage and Divorce Laws, an International Agreement be speedily arranged to unify and legitimize by International law the marriage of persons of different nations, so that marriage may be a binding contract in all countries alike; and that at the same time freedom of choice of nationality be secured to all women.

Disabilities Hindering Women's Service as Members of Parliament, &c.—This Council calls upon the Government to remove the remaining disabilities which prevent women from serving as Members of Parliament, as Magistrates, and on Administrative Bodies such as Juries, Commissioners of Prisons, Asylums, &c., and to appoint women in increasing numbers to the Civil Service on equal terms with men.

Wages and Family Endowment.—This Council, believing that men and women should receive the same rate of pay and the same promotion for the same work, calls upon the Government to carry out this principle in all Government offices and workshops, and so overcome the grave labour dangers arising from the custom of having a male and female rate of wages which will be accentuated at the time of demobilization and reconstruction.

This Council affirms its conviction that the only way to secure fair wages for men and women is to establish the principle of equal pay for equal work. At the same time it recognizes that the establishment of such principle does not ensure the minimum necessities of life to every member of the community nor the safeguarding of child life, which is essential to the well-being of the State, and it desires to record its conviction that some system of family endowment should also be established.

This Council affirms that in bearing and rearing children women are rendering an essential service; and it calls upon the Government to recognize this by State payment of motherhood in order (1) that every child shall be brought up in decent and healthy surroundings, (2) that all mothers shall be as independent economically as wage earners, (3) that employers shall not be able to pay women less than men for the same work on the pretext that a man has a wife and family to keep.

Bastardy Laws.—This Council urges upon the Government the propriety of altering the Bastardy Laws so that children born out of

wedlock shall be legitimized upon the subsequent marriage of the parents as is done in Scotland and some other European countries.

Veneral Diseases.—This Council demands the immediate withdrawal of D.O.R.A. Regulation 40D, which has proved both futile and mischievous. It declares emphatically that legislation of the character of the C.D. Acts is an insult to the conscience of civilization, a danger to young manhood and a degradation to womanhood.

This Council declares its opposition to further legislation of this character which has been foreshadowed in Parliament on the grounds

- (a) That compulsory examination is degrading and useless;
- (b) That the cure of disease would be checked and not promoted;
- (c) That all such proposals act unfairly against women, and against those who are least able to protect themselves.

The W.I.L. draws attention to the statement made by Mr. Muskett and the article in the *Lancet* of August 17 in proof of these contentions, and urges upon women voters all over the country to demand from all candidates for Parliament a pledge that they will insist upon the withdrawal of 40D and oppose any proposal for fresh legislation on these lines.

The W.I.L. holding that all experience proves that penal legislation is ineffective and creates an atmosphere of security which is misleading, is convinced that reform can be obtained only along the lines of education in moral hygiene and self-restraint.

International Situation.—This Council welcomes the establishment of Parliamentary Government in Germany as a guarantee of future permanent peace, and demands that the Allied Governments should openly and immediately endorse the policy put forward in the five points of President Wilson's speech of September 27 and accepted by the Central Powers, this involving the repudiation of the Secret Treaties and of the policy of an Economic War after the War. The Council is further of opinion that the Allied Powers should not use their advantage to force now a settlement of questions which can be rightly dealt with only by International Conference.

Ireland.—The Women's International League (being the British Branch of the I.C.W.P.P.) regards with shame the bankruptcy of British statesmanship in regard to Ireland, now in the hands of an arbitrary, repressive, militarist Government. If the Congress of Powers which will meet to determine the World Settlement after the War should still find the Nationalist aspirations of Ireland unsatisfied, nothing can prevent the arraignment of Great Britain before the bar of international opinion and the certain condemnation by the whole world. The W.I.L. therefore calls upon the Government to withdraw the military occupation of Ireland and give the Irish people control of their own affairs.

Amendment to Wording of Election Policy.—In Resolution 5 A (b) to substitute for the words "Peace by Immediate Negotiation" the words "Immediate Negotiations for Peace." The resolution would then run:—

"The W.I.L. shall support the candidate who, taking into consideration public record and likelihood of success, will best promote the one object of entering into immediate negotiations for Peace. Under 6 Schedule I.—For an Election during the War (Minimum), substitute for heading "Peace by Immediate Negotiation" the words "Immediate Negotiation for Peace."

A discussion followed on our immediate policy. It was resolved to accept the criticism of the League of Nations Covenant which was drawn up at Zurich, with a short addition. At Zurich, the right of nations to territorial self-determination was claimed, but the right to self-determination of form of government was not made explicit. This was now added to the previous claim.

It was agreed that the Executive should be free itself to send up resolutions urging our policy on the Government or on the Secretariat of the League of Nations, or to ask Headquarters to do so, and that Branches should do so through the Executive.

The Executive Committee were elected as follows :—

Hon. International Secretary : Miss I. Cooper Willis.

Hon. National Secretary : Mrs. Ayrton Gould.

Hon. Treasurer : Mrs. Pethick Lawrence.

Executive Committee—

Miss Ford.	Miss Ellis (Lady Parmoor).
Miss Ashton.	The Hon. Mrs. R. Russell.
Lady Courtney of Penwith.	Mrs. Huth Jackson (now retired).
Miss Courtney.	Miss Morland.
Mrs. Despard.	Miss Marshall.
Mrs. Swanwick.	Mrs. Hobson (now retired).
Mrs. Salter.	Mrs. Sandiforth.
Mrs. Trevelyan.	Mrs. Raymond Unwin.
Mrs. Wedgwood.	Miss Ward.
Miss Sheepshanks.	Miss Huntsman.
Miss Wilson Wilson.	Mrs. Briggs.

Mrs. Barton.

The Executive Committee at its first meeting re-elected Mrs. Swanwick as Chairman.

A SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING was held on Wednesday, July 16, at Denison House, to consider the attitude of the W.I.L. to the League of Nations Covenant. It was called not so much with the idea of arriving at a definite conclusion, as to try to get clearer expression for different points of view, which had manifested themselves in discussions.

Mrs. Swanwick, in introducing the subject from the chair, pointed out that a consideration of our differences might aid us to crystallize our agreements and help us towards a practical policy of action. Very shortly, we must be faced with the problem of what policy to adopt towards the appointment of women on the Commissions, and it was our distinctive problem to approach the question from the international feminist point of view.

Mrs. Pethick Lawrence, in opposing, made it clear that what she said was her own personal conviction and not on behalf of any general resolution for adoption by the W.I.L. Her arguments were urged on two lines—first, that the League of Nations as constituted is a thoroughly reactionary force; and secondly, that this will be quickly grasped by all progressive sections of society, and that the W.I.L. should be in the van. We may, under pressure of circumstances, take part in, in order to improve temporarily, a scheme into which we will not, and cannot, put our creative energy, and faith and hope.

Miss Macmillan, while agreeing with many of the criticisms of the Covenant made by Mrs. Pethick Lawrence, pointed out that now the League of Nations is part of the political raw material of the world, and to say we oppose it, is as meaningless as to say we oppose the House of Commons. It is there, and the only question is, "How shall we make the most of the existing situation and prevent it from going from bad to worse?"

At the close of the discussion the following resolution, drawn up by the Standing Orders Committee, was put forward by Miss Courtney :—

That this Council resolves that the W.I.L. shall co-operate with other organizations to secure the representation of women on all Bodies and in the posts set up under the League of Nations, in accordance with Article VII of the Covenant, which provides that "all positions under, or in connection with, the League, including the Secretariat, shall be open equally to men and women."

Miss Courtney, in moving the resolution, gave some account of the arrangements being made for a Conference of Feminist Societies to consider how to secure this representation, which she describes elsewhere. Miss Ashton seconded, and the resolution was carried with one dissident.

PUBLIC MEETINGS.

A Conference at King's Weigh House, on November 6, 1918, was held to discuss democratic representation at the Peace Congress of the Powers to determine the settlement with a view to a lasting peace.

Speakers.—Afternoon Session, 2.30 p.m. : Mr. J. A. Hobson, Mr. Brailsford, Mr. Fairchild, Lady Horsley, Mr. Lansbury. Evening Session, 7 p.m. : Mr. Woolf, Mr. Ramsay Macdonald, Mr. Ponsonby. Chairman for both Sessions : Mrs. Swanwick.

Debate on Capital Levy in Essex Hall, January 16, 1919.

—A debate took place between Mr. Pethick Lawrence and Mr. Bernard Shaw on Capital Levy, before a large audience.

Votes of thanks were moved by Miss Evelyn Sharp and seconded by Miss I. O. Ford.

Meeting at Central Hall, Westminster, February 12, 1919.—This was a very successful and well filled meeting—our first in this Hall since 1917.

Speakers: Mrs. Despard, Mrs. Ayrton Gould, Major Gillespie, D.S.O., Mrs. Pethick Lawrence, Mr. H. W. Nevinson. Chairman: Mrs. Swanwick.

The following resolution was passed unanimously:—

This meeting congratulates President Wilson on the adoption by the Peace Conference of the principle of a League of Nations and trusts that this will be so organized as to make possible the International co-operation of peoples.

It recognizes, however, that no such League can be established in a continent distracted and tortured by want, unemployment, and suspicion, and therefore urges most insistently that the blockade shall be immediately relaxed and all the suffering peoples of Europe helped impartially, and in every possible way to resume their normal life, their industries, and their trade.

At Homes at 16 Harpur Street.—A series of At Homes were held on Thursday evenings, from 6.30 to 9 p.m., in February, March, and April. They were intended to be partly social gatherings that members might meet together and talk things over, and partly to discuss International questions. They were arranged by Head-quarters with the help of a different London Branch each week, who supplied the Chairman and stewards for their special At Home.

The following is the complete programme:—

February 20: Mrs. Swanwick on the "International Situation." February 27: Mr. W. N. Ewer on "How the League of Nations Idea is being worked out at the Peace Conference." March 6: "Discussion on Military Service," Major Gillespie, D.S.O., Mr. Francis Meynell, and others. March 13: Mrs. Crawford on "Housing." March 20: Miss Jewson (National Federation of Women Workers), "Women in Industry." March 27: "The Socialist Conference at Berne." April 3: Mrs. T. Rickman on "Russia." April 10: Miss K. D. Courtney on "The Peace and the Women's Programme."

Homer Lane Lectures at the Central Hall, Westminster.—An extremely successful series of six lectures were given by Mr. Homer Lane on "Authority." They were so popular and the audience so large that the lectures had to be given in a hall twice the size of the one originally engaged for them,

and this was packed out every Tuesday. The following syllabus was arranged:—

"Authority: the Fundamental Problem of Society."—I, The Little Commonwealth; II, Behaviour; III, Dynamics of Mind; IV, Factors in Conduct; V, Health, Physical and Mental; VI, Education.

Conference of Women's Societies at the Fabian Hall, on February 28, 1919.—A Conference of Women's Societies to draw up a Feminist Programme took place at the Fabian Hall, on February 28. Among subjects discussed on which resolutions were framed were: "Equal Opportunities," "Nationality," "Guardianship of Children," "Endowment of Motherhood," "Equal Pay for Equal Work," "Education in International Co-operation," "The Standard Minimum in Each Country," "Abolition of the State Regulation of Vice."

A considerable number of societies sent representatives, and discussions took place on the different subjects. A number of resolutions were passed, but merely in order to take the sense of the meeting, and the societies represented were in no way committed to the resolutions voted for by their representatives.

Trafalgar Square Demonstration, April 6, 1919.—A Women's Demonstration was organized by the Women's International League Executive in Trafalgar Square to give public expression to the urgent need for the raising of the Blockade and the feeding of Europe by means of organization on a war scale. The handbill announcing the demonstration told the one terrible fact—that, owing largely to the Allies' Blockade, millions of women and children, apart from the men who are also suffering, were dying of starvation in Europe. The crowd of about ten thousand people which filled the Square to hear what our speakers had to tell them was a crowd not at first sympathetic, but ready to listen, to weigh what it heard, and to form its own judgments. The speakers included Mrs. Pethick Lawrence, Mrs. Ayrton Gould, Miss Wilson Wilson, Miss Dawson, Miss Ward, Miss Jessie Stephen, Miss Evelyn Sharp, and representatives of the Women's Co-operative Guild and of the Shop Stewards' Movement. The resolution was carried unanimously when put from two sides of the plinth:—

This meeting calls upon the Allied Governments to raise the Blockade immediately; demands that all the starving peoples of Europe shall be adequately fed; and, finally, this meeting undertakes to submit to any restrictions necessary to secure this end.

At the end of the meeting the whole crowd, led by the

speakers, marched to Downing Street to deliver the resolution to Mr. Bonar Law. A cordon of police stopped the procession at the end of Downing Street but allowed the speakers' group to pass. Mr. Bonar Law was out, so the speakers left a message saying they would come in deputation at 11 o'clock the following morning, and returned to announce what they had done to the waiting crowd before its dispersal.

Deputation to Mr. Bonar Law.—The emotions expressed by the crowd at the demonstration were so unmistakable and fervent that it was not surprising Mr. Bonar Law should consent to receive the deputation which waited upon him the following day at Downing Street. He declared then that the people's desire to put an end to the sufferings of the starving peoples in Europe did them credit, and it was this feeling on his part which had induced him to receive the deputation. His manifest desire to express humane feelings was evident, but he maintained that the Blockade could not be raised until Peace was signed, and there was no time to argue this point with him.

Bazaar at Central Hall, Saturday, April 5, 1919.—A very successful sale was held in the Central Hall, Westminster, in aid of the Women's International League, kindly organized by Miss Brewster. The Opening Ceremony was performed by Miss Picton-Turbervill, O.B.E., who spoke of our aims and work during the war and the work that lay before us in the future. There was a very good attendance of members and friends, which was further increased by various other societies who had stalls on behalf of their own funds. At the close of the evening an auction of the remaining goods was conducted with great spirit by Mr. H. W. Nevinson, who succeeded in a very short time in increasing our takings by the satisfactory sum of £9. 2s. 6d. The total raised at the Sale and on goods sold later from the Office was £161. 4s. 2d.

Meeting in Essex Hall, May 26, 1919.—A meeting was held to welcome the delegates on their return from the Women's International Congress at Zurich. Speakers: Miss K. D. Courtney, Miss Macnaghten, Miss Royds, Miss Sheepshanks, Mrs. Swanwick. Chairman: Miss Cooper Willis. The resolution demanding revision of the Peace Terms, as passed at Zürich, was passed unanimously.

Caxton Hall Meeting, June 16, 1919.—A meeting was held at the Caxton Hall to greet Miss Jane Addams on her arrival in England. The speakers were Miss Addams, Dr.

Ethel Williams, and Miss Jeannette Rankin. Mrs. Swanwick took the chair and put the resolution on the Blockade which was passed at the Zurich Congress. This was carried *nem con.*:—

This International Congress of Women regards the unemployment, famine, and pestilence extending throughout great tracts of Central and Eastern Europe, and through parts of Asia, as a profound disgrace to civilization. This Congress urges the Governments of all the Powers now assembled at the Peace Congress to develop the inter-allied organization formed for purposes of war into an International organization for purposes of peace, and that immediate action shall be taken (1) that the Blockade be immediately lifted, (2) that all resources of the world—food, raw material, finance, transport—be organized immediately for relief of peoples from famine and pestilence, (3) that if there is an insufficiency either of food or of transport facilities to supply all the demands, luxuries shall not be given transport from one country to another until necessities of life are supplied to all; and the people of every country be rationed in order that all the starving shall be fed. We believe that only immediate International action of this kind can save humanity and bring about the permanent reconciliation and union of the peoples.

Trafalgar Square Demonstration, June 22, 1919.—The League held a big meeting in Trafalgar Square. The speakers were: Mrs. Despard, Mrs. Ayrton Gould, Miss Jessie Stephen, Miss P. Rickards, Miss Evelyn Sharp, Mrs. Ganley, Miss H. Ward, Mrs. Salter, Miss F. Barker, Miss I. O. Ford, and Mrs. Rickman. Chairmen: Mrs. Swanwick and Mrs. Pethick Lawrence. The speakers received a splendid hearing from the crowd. The following resolution was carried unanimously at one platform and with two dissentients at the other:—"This meeting protests against a Peace of Violence and pledges itself to work for a Peace of Reconciliation based upon Freedom, Self-determination, and Economic Justice."

Gift of Rubber Teats to German Babies.—In response to an appeal from Mr. Nevinson in Cologne, which appeared in the *Daily News* in December 1918, the Women's International League decided to send a million india-rubber teats to Germany for babies' feeding bottles, since large numbers of babies were dying for lack of them. Permission was obtained from the Foreign Office with some difficulty to send out cases of teats to Germany, via the Red Cross. Then, in a comparatively short space of time a million teats were sent out and were most gratefully and joyfully received by the women all over Germany, where they were distributed through the kind help and able organization of Dr. Rotten. £6,225. 11s. 3d. was raised by subscription to pay for the cost of the teats and carriage.

SUMMARY OF PUBLIC EVENTS.

The Blockade.—The two following resolutions were sent by the Women's International League :—

(1) To German and Austrian Sections of the I.C.W.P.P. and to the Press.

We, the British Committee of the International Committee of Women for Permanent Peace, at this time when all nations are rejoicing at the cessation of hostilities, send warm greetings to the German and Austrian Sections of the International Committee of Women for Permanent Peace, uniting with them in the determination to continue working for just and lasting peace, promoting development and progress of all nations. We express our sympathy with all those now suffering from the present economic breakdown, the natural outcome of four years of war, and are trying to give practical expression to this sympathy by petitioning our Government to alleviate the food situation in Central Europe. We are using our influence at the forthcoming elections to promote a just peace and to oppose vindictive terms.

(2) To the Prime Minister, Foreign Office, Ministry of Blockade, and the Press.

The Women's International League having noted the appeals made by the great organizations of women in Germany to British women to do their utmost to alleviate the distress prevailing in Germany owing to the food shortage and the continuance of the Blockade, desires to support the appeal of the German Women's Societies; signed by leading women of high character.

The Women's International League urges the British Government to do all in its power to accelerate the supply of the necessary food-stuffs to Central Europe, and to remove or modify the Blockade as soon as may be possible. This seems necessary, not only in order to save the lives and health of vast masses of the population, but in order to avert panic and consequent disorder in Central Europe, which would be likely to prevent the Armistice terms being punctually carried out, would give occasion for armed intervention, and would detain our troops for a further period in a foreign country.

Any course of action likely to defer the return of our troops will be deplored and resented by the women of this country.

For the sake, therefore, of our own country's welfare, its reputation for justice and generosity, and for the sake of the suffering population abroad, the Women's International League urges the Government to take speedy and effective action.

The Fight the Famine Committee.—This Committee was formed in January with Lord Parmoor as Chairman; its objects were to do everything possible to get the Blockade raised and to get relief sent to starving Europe. The Women's International League had a representative on its Executive Committee and the League co-operated with them

in various resolutions and protests to the Government as well as helping at their meetings.

In October 1918 it was decided to hold a commission to inquire into the conditions of, and possible remedies for, venereal disease. The Commission was convened by the Association for Moral and Social Hygiene, and the Women's International League co-operated in the scheme and subscribed £10 for it. The Commission, which is called the Morality Committee, has been sitting regularly through the year; the Women's International League's representative on it being Mrs. Swanwick.

Amnesty for Political Prisoners.—The following resolution was sent by the Branches and Head-quarters of the Women's International League to the Prime Minister in November :—

The Women's International League demands complete amnesty for all political prisoners in this country, including Conscientious Objectors to Military Service, untried Irish prisoners, and persons convicted under D.O.R.A., and it calls for the immediate repeal of the Conscription Act.

Blockade Leaflet Prosecution.—On May 15, at the Mansion House Police Court, Mrs. Ayrton Gould, with Miss E. Jebb (of the Fight the Famine Committee), and the National Labour Press, answered a summons in connexion with the publication in April last of leaflets and posters in which the raising of the Blockade was demanded. The Women's International League was involved in one of these charges, that of the publication of the leaflet "Our Blockade has caused This," reproducing the photographs of two starving Austrian children. A Sub-Committee of the Executive had drawn up the leaflet for distribution at the Trafalgar Square Meeting on April 6, and Mrs. Ayrton Gould had merely acted in her capacity as Hon. National Secretary in ordering its publication. The leaflet was not submitted to the Censor because, as Mrs. Gould pointed out in her defence, Regulation 27C, under which she was charged, relates to the conduct of the war or the peace, and not to the interim situation of an armistice, which is neither war nor peace. She was authorized by Mrs. Swanwick to say that the Committee on whose behalf she had acted had decided not to submit it to the Censor on these grounds. Mrs. Ayrton Gould was fined only £10 on the two charges by the Lord Mayor, after the Public Prosecutor had declared that the possible penalty was £5 for each copy of the leaflet.

CONSTITUTION AND RULES.

I. TITLE.

"Women's International League" (British Section of the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom).

II. OBJECT.

To establish the principles of right rather than might, and of co-operation rather than conflict, in national and international affairs, and for this purpose to work for:—

(1) The development of the ideals underlying modern democracy in the interests of constructive peace, by

(a) The strengthening of the democracies of the world by the inclusion of women in the ranks of equal citizenship.

(b) The education of the democracies in their responsibility towards international relations, and the creation or development of constitutional machinery by which they may exercise control over foreign policy through their legislative representatives.

(c) The protection of the rights and interests of children and young people, and their education in the ideals of co-operation, national and international.

(d) The acknowledgment of the right of men and women to determine the government of their country, and the denial of the right of annexation by conquest.

(e) The abandonment of the theory of the Balance of Power. The reference of international differences to arbitration or conciliation. The creation of the international machinery necessary for these purposes, including a stable body of international law.

(f) International agreement to unite in bringing moral and social pressure to bear upon any country that resorts to arms instead of referring its case to arbitration or conciliation.

(g) The abolition of private profit in the manufacture of, and traffic in, arms and munitions of war, as a step towards general disarmament.

(h) The promotion of liberty of commerce and opening of trade routes to all nations on equal terms.

(i) Insistence that investors who place their capital abroad shall do so at their own risk without recourse to the official protection of their property by their own Government.

(j) Opposition to conscription, whether military or industrial.

(2) The emancipation of women and the protection of their interests, including:—

(a) The extension to all adult women of the Parliamentary franchise.

(b) Their admission to national and international councils.

(c) The establishment of their economic independence and legal freedom.

III. METHODS OF WORK.

(a) To take political and international action in support of the objects of the League as opportunity offers.

(b) To conduct educational and propaganda work by the formation of study circles, the holding of meetings, the distribution of literature and other methods.

IV. MEMBERSHIP.

(a) Membership shall be open to all women who are British subjects, who accept the above object, whose purpose it is to work for its accomplishment, and who pay an annual subscription either to a local Branch or direct to the national headquarters.

(b) Women resident in Great Britain, other than British subjects, who wish to become associated with the work of the International Committee of Women for Permanent Peace, may subscribe direct to international Headquarters at Geneva, and be received on terms of fellowship by Branches of the British Section.

V. BRANCHES.

(a) **Formation.**—Branches shall be formed in consultation with the Executive Committee. They shall consist of not less than ten members who support the object of the League, and shall pay an affiliation fee of 1*d.* per member annually to Headquarters. Branches may make their own rules and by-laws, subject to the general rules and constitution of the League.

(b) **Subscription.**—Local Branches shall fix the amount of their members' subscriptions. Central members shall pay a minimum annual subscription of 1s.

(c) **Affiliation to other Organizations.**—Branches are free to *co-operate* with other societies in their neighbourhood, but before *affiliating* to any other organization Branches of the League shall obtain the sanction of the Executive Committee.

(d) **Affiliation of other Organizations.**—Branches of the League shall have power to accept for affiliation any local organization of women in their district which supports the object of the League and pays an annual subscription of the same amount as the annual subscription of two individual Branch members. Such an affiliated organization shall be entitled to send two voting delegates to general meetings of the Branch, such delegates to have the same power as members of the Branch.

VI. EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

(A) Constitution of Executive Committee.

(a) **Committee.**—The Executive Committee shall consist of the Hon. Officers and 22 members, who shall be elected by representatives of the Branches at the Annual Meeting of the Council.

(b) **Officers.**—The officers shall be a Chairman, Hon. Treasurer, and Hon. Secretaries. The Hon. Treasurer and Hon. Secretaries shall be elected by representatives of the Branches at the Annual Meeting of the Council; the Chairman shall be elected by the Executive Committee from among its members.

(c) **Co-option to fill Vacancies.**—The Executive Committee shall have power to co-opt members to fill vacancies that occur during the year.

(B) Powers and Duties of Executive Committee.

(a) The Executive Committee shall meet at least once a month.

(b) The railway fares of country members shall be paid so long as funds are available for this purpose.

(c) The Executive Committee shall carry on the business of the League between the meetings of the Council in accordance with the policy agreed to thereat.

(d) It shall administer the funds of the League and direct the organizing work.

(e) It shall have power to appoint special Committees for carrying out the work of the League.

(f) It shall have power to appoint and dismiss all paid officials.

(g) In all things on which the rules are silent, the Executive Committee shall have power to decide, subject to appeal to the Council.

VII. AFFILIATION OF WOMEN'S ORGANIZATIONS.

Central Executives.—The Executive of the League shall have power to accept for affiliation the Central Executive of any national women's organization which supports the object of the League and pays an affiliation fee of 5s. a year. Affiliated Central Executives shall be entitled to send two voting delegates to the Council Meetings of the League, such delegates to have the same powers as Branch delegates.

VIII. GENERAL COUNCIL.

(a) The Council of the League shall consist of the Executive Committee and delegates from the branches.

(b) Each branch shall be entitled to one delegate and one card vote for every 25 or part of 25 members for whom the affiliation fee for the previous year has been paid. This must be paid not less than a month before the date of the Council, in the case of new branches or increased membership.

(c) The Council shall meet at least once a year, to transact the usual business of an annual meeting.

(d) A meeting of the Council can be called at any time by the Executive Committee or on demand of one-tenth of the total number of Branches.

IX. RULES FOR COUNCIL MEETINGS.

(A) Ordinary Council Meetings.

(a) Ordinary meetings of the Council shall be held at a time and place to be fixed by the Executive Committee.

(b) The General Secretary shall notify the Branches two months before the Council Meeting, and all resolutions to be printed on the Agenda must reach the Secretary not later than one month before the Meeting.

(c) The Preliminary Agenda shall be issued to Branches three weeks before the Meeting.

(d) All amendments to Resolutions must reach the office not later than fourteen days before the Meeting.

(e) The Final Agenda will be issued to Branches one week before the Meeting.

(f) Resolutions and amendments shall be placed on the printed Agenda in the name of a Branch of the League, or of the Executive Committee, or of a member of the Executive Committee, and shall be moved and seconded by Members of Council.

(g) No business which is not on the Agenda may be taken at a Council Meeting, unless urgency is voted on the recommendation of the Standing Orders Committee.

(h) Delegates shall be admitted to Council Meetings on presentation of the official delegate's ticket signed by the Secretary of the Branch which she represents.

(B) Annual Council Meetings.

(a) At the Annual Meeting of the Council, which shall be held in October, in addition to the ordinary business, the Council shall—

- (1) Receive and adopt, if approved, the Report and Balance Sheet for the year;
- (2) Elect by ballot the Treasurer and Hon. Secretaries and twenty-three members of the Executive Committee;
- (3) Consider any alterations of the rules that may be proposed.

(b) Nominations for the offices of Hon. Treasurer and Hon. Secretaries, and for the Executive Committee, must reach the Secretary two weeks before the Council Meeting. Resolutions to be placed on the agenda and proposed alterations of the rules must reach the Secretary not later than one month before the Council Meeting.

(c) The consent of the nominees must be obtained in writing before nominations are sent in.

(d) The financial year shall end on 31st August, and all affiliation fees must be paid before that date.

(e) Branches which have not paid their affiliation fees before the end of the financial year will not be entitled to send delegates to Council Meetings.

(f) The Final Agenda and draft Annual Report shall be issued to the Branches one week before the Annual Meeting.

(C) Special Council Meetings.

(a) The Secretary shall give the Branches at least three weeks' notice of a Special Council Meeting, except in case of national emergency. Resolutions to be printed on the Agenda must reach the Secretary at least fourteen days before the Council Meeting.

(b) The Preliminary Agenda shall be issued to Branches at least one week before the Meeting, and a Final Agenda, including amendments, shall be issued before the Meeting if time allows.

(c) At special meetings of the Council no other business shall be taken except that specified in the notice calling the Meeting.

(d) Rules may be altered at Special Council Meetings, provided that notice of such alterations be given in the summons to the Council.

X. AGENDA AT COUNCIL MEETINGS.

(a) The first business to be taken at a Council Meeting shall be—

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| (1) Appointment of Tellers for the votes in Council; | } At
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Meeting
only. |
| (2) Appointment of Standing Orders Committee; | |
| (3) Appointment of Members of the Council as Returning Officers and Tellers for the ballot voting; | |
| (4) Appointment of Auditor; | |
| (5) Adoption of Annual Report and audited Statement of Accounts. | |

(b) Otherwise the order of business shall be left to the discretion of the Executive Committee, and shall include the following:—

- (1) Report of the Executive Committee;
- (2) Election of Hon. Treasurer, Hon. Secretaries, and Executive Committee (at Annual Meeting only);
- (3) Correspondence;
- (4) Amendment to Rules and Standing Orders (if any);
- (5) Resolutions, of which due notice has been given to the Secretary and by her to each society, and Amendments relevant to the motions before the Meeting;
- (6) Other business.

BRANCH FINANCIAL STATEMENTS.

—	AMOUNT RAISED.	EXPENDITURE.	BALANCE IN HAND AT END OF YEAR.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Barnet	7 16 10	3 0 11	4 15 11
Bath	36 3 4	32 6 3	3 17 1
Beaconsfield	12 4 10½	7 10 5½	4 14 5
Bristol	59 8 8	59 8 8	—
Cambridge	31 13 0	28 15 7	2 17 5
Croydon	17 16 10	17 16 10	—
Derwent Valley.....	4 2 6	1 12 3	2 10 3
East Cheshire	9 8 8½	2 9 1	6 19 7½
Glasgow	455 2 8½	418 4 11½	36 17 9
Golders' Green	4 4 8½	2 10 2½	1 14 6
Hampstead	71 8 1	62 1 0	9 7 1
Huddersfield	10 8 6½	9 9 5	19 1½
Kensington	64 13 2½	52 14 11½	11 18 3
Kingston	28 15 10	28 15 10	—
Leeds	25 18 3	22 11 0½	3 7 2½
Letchworth	90 0 7	85 2 8½	4 17 10½
Liverpool	15 12 7½	12 12 1	3 0 6½
Manchester	2174 5 5½	2068 0 4	106 5 1½
Newcastle-on-Tyne ...	56 13 11	42 0 1	14 13 10
Norwich.....	5 0 3½	3 0 3	2 0 0½
Oldham	9 14 5½	6 7 7½	3 6 10
Stevenage	6 4 7½	6 1 7½	3 0
Swindon	15 12 7	7 10 1	8 2 6
York	19 2 1½	15 12 7	3 9 6½
Total	£3231 12 9	£2995 14 10	£235 17 11

SUBSCRIPTIONS AND DONATIONS.

Year ending August 31st, 1919.

	SUBS.		DONS.			SUBS.		DONS.	
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Abbatt, Mrs.	0	3 4			Baker, Mrs. J. Allen ...	2	2 0		
Albright, Miss M. C. ...	3	0 0			Banks, Mrs.	0	1 0		
Albright, Mrs. W. A. ...	0	10 6			Barbour, Mrs.	2	0 0		
Alexander, Mrs. C.	0	2 6			Barber, Miss Nora L....	0	1 0		
Alexander, Miss M. A....	0	1 0			Barker, Mrs. I. M.			0	5 0
Alexander, Mrs. W. H. ...	0	10 0			Barnes, Miss E.	0	5 0	0	5 0
Allen, Miss E. A.	0	2 0			Barralet, Miss W. P. ...			0	1 6
Allwork, Miss E. C. M. ...	0	2 6			Barratt, Miss E.	0	2 6		
Almond, Mrs. M. E. ...	2	2 0			Barrington, Mrs.	0	5 0		
Anderson, Miss K.	0	1 0			Barry, Miss F. A.	0	2 6		
Anderson, Miss Mora ...	0	2 0			Barton, Mrs.	0	1 0		
Anderson, Mrs. S.	0	10 0			Bath Branch			0	18 0
Andrews, Mrs. M.	0	2 6			Bayes, Mrs. A. H.	0	5 0		
Anning, Miss A.	1	0 0			Baylis, Miss L.	0	3 6		
Anon. (per Mrs. Swan- wick)			25	0 0	Beach, Miss O.			0	3 6
Anon. (per Mrs. Pethick Lawrence)			30	0 0	Beaconsfield Branch ...			5	9 6
Anon. (per Miss Mac- naghten)			20	0 0	Beesley, Mrs E. M. ...	1	1 0		
Anon. (per Mrs. Ayrton Gould)			25	0 0	Behrens, Miss	0	2 6		
Anson, Mrs. Harold ...	0	2 6			Bell, Miss E. M.	0	1 6		
Archer, Mrs. F.	0	2 6			Bell, Mrs. G.	0	5 0		
Ascough, Mrs. F. S. ...	0	3 6			Bellamy, Miss A. K. ...	0	1 0		
Ash, Miss A. E.	0	5 0			Bellamy, Mrs.	0	1 0		
Ash, Miss J. M.	0	5 0			Bennett, Mrs. E. N. ...	1	0 0		
Ashby, Miss A. L.	1	10 0			Bennetton, Mrs.	0	2 0		
Ashby, Miss E. E.	0	4 0			Berry, Miss A.	0	8 6		
Ashby, Miss E. M.	0	7 6			Besant, Mrs. Annie ...	1	1 0		
Ashby, Miss I.	0	10 0			Bishop, Mrs. E. A.	0	2 0		
Ashton, Miss M.			75	0 0	Bishop, Miss E. R.	0	1 0		
Atkins, Miss T.	0	1 0			Black, Mrs. S. E.	0	5 0		
Ayrton, Mrs. Hertha ...	1	1 0	1	0 0	Blackledge, Miss C. ...			0	10 0
Bacharach, Mrs. O. ...	0	2 6			Blagden, Mrs. J.	0	15 0		
Backhouse, Mrs. E. ...	10	0 0			Blaise, Mrs.	0	5 0		
Bailey, Mrs. F. M. ...	0	2 6			Bloxam, Miss E. E. ...	0	10 6		
"B. C. E."	0	5 0			Bloxham, Miss F. W. S.	0	1 0	0	1 0
"B."	0	1 0			Boileau, Dr. Margaret...			1	0 0
Baker, Mrs. G.	1	0 0			Bolton, Miss E.	4	4 0		
					Boswell, Mr. A. B.			1	1 0
					Bowler, Miss	0	1 0		
					Bowron, Miss E.	0	1 0		
					Boyajian, Miss Z. C. ...	0	2 0		
					Bradish, Miss M.	0	5 0		

SUBS.			DONS.			SUBS.			DONS.				
£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		
Bradley, Miss D.	0	2	0			Clipstone, Mrs.	0	1	0				
Bradley, Miss M.	0	3	6	1	1	0			Clodd, Miss M.	0	2	6	
Braithwaite, Mrs. Snowden	5	0	0			Coates, Mrs. A. Schofield	1	0	0				
Brett, Miss D.	0	1	0			Coffin, Mrs. Hayden ...	1	1	0	0	1	0	
Brewster, Mrs.	1	1	0			Colbeck, Miss M.	0	1	0				
Brewster, Miss B.	0	8	6			Colenso, Mrs.	0	10	0				
Brinton, Miss D.	0	1	0			Collier, Mrs. L.	0	2	6				
Bromhall, Miss W.	0	5	0			Collins, Mrs. A. S.	0	10	6				
Brown, Mrs. A. E.	0	1	0			Commander, Miss G. N. ...	0	3	6				
Brown, Miss B. C. M. ...	0	1	0			Cook, Miss E. M.	0	10	0				
Brown, Mr. J.				5	0	0	Cooke-Taylor, Mrs. ...	0	8	6			
Brown, Miss M.	2	0	0			Coombs, Miss B. M.	0	1	0				
Brown, Miss R. E.	0	1	0			Cooper, Miss E. S. ...	0	5	0				
Brown, Mrs. Sadd	5	0	0			Courtney, Miss D. A. ...	5	0	0	5	5	0	
Brown, Miss S. C.	1	0	0			Courtney, Miss K. D....	5	0	0				
Browne, Miss E. M. ...						Courtney of Penwith, The Lady				10	0	0	
Gore	1	0	0			Cowen, Miss H.	3	0	0				
Brunlees, Miss A. M. ...	0	10	0			Cox, Miss Marguerite ...	0	2	0	0	5	0	
Burns, Mrs. Elinor	0	1	0			Craigie, Mrs. E. W. ...	0	5	0				
Butler, Miss Jane	0	5	0			Crane, Mrs.	0	1	0				
Button, Miss R.	0	2	6	0	5	0	Crane, Mrs.	0	1	0			
Buxton, Mrs. C. Roden ...	1	0	0			Crawford, Mrs. V. M. ...	0	3	6				
Byfield, Miss M. J.	0	5	0			Crichton-Stuart, Miss C. ...	2	2	0	2	2	0	
Cadbury, Mrs. Barrow ...	25	0	0			Crofts, Mrs.	0	10	0				
Cadbury, Miss C.	0	10	0			Cromarty, Miss A. G....	0	5	0				
Candler, Miss L.	0	10	0	0	10	0	Crook, Rev. Margaret B. ...	0	2	6			
Candler, Miss P. M. ...	0	8	6	2	10	0	Crosthwaite, Mrs. J. S. ...	0	2	6	1	0	0
Candler, Miss S.	1	1	0	2	0	0	Crowley, Miss M. C. ...	1	0	0			
Carpenter, Mrs. H.	0	10	0			Croydon Branch				4	0	0	
Carter, Mrs. Gwen	0	2	0			Culpin, Mrs. T.	0	10	6				
Carter, Mrs. William ...	0	10	6			Cunningham, Mrs. A. ...	0	2	6				
Case, Miss E.	0	2	0			Curry, Mrs. M. B.	2	2	0				
Case, Miss E. M.	0	5	0	0	5	0	Curtis, Mrs. F.	0	2	0			
Case, Miss J.	0	5	0			"D. G."	1	1	0	1	1	0	
Catford Branch				1	13	2½	Davey, Miss L.	0	10	0			
Caukill, Mrs.	0	1	0			Davies, Mrs. Ben	0	1	0				
Causton, Miss V.	0	10	0			Davies, Mrs. Dixon ...	2	0	0				
Cazalet, Mrs.	1	0	0			Davies, Mr. Dixon				3	0	0	
Chadwick, Miss M. ...	5	0	0			Davies, Miss E. D. ...	0	5	0				
Charles, Mrs.	0	2	6	1	0	0	Davies, Miss Gwen ...	0	1	0			
Chesley, Miss Mary A. ...				10	10	0	Davis, Mrs.	0	1	6			
Chettle, Mrs. G.	0	5	0			Dawson, Miss L.	0	1	0				
Chick, Miss Mary	0	10	0			Day, Mrs. A. M.	0	1	0				
Churchman, Miss L. J. ...	1	1	0			de Bunsen, Mrs.	0	10	0				
Chuter, Miss B. C.	0	1	0			Delbanco, Mrs. E.	0	5	0				
Clapham, Miss H. R. ...	0	1	0			Dell, Mrs. J. C.	0	2	6				
Clark, Mrs. Dawson ...	0	10	0			Dennis, Mrs. F.	0	1	0				
Clark, Mrs. E. M. N. ...	1	1	0			de Perrot, Madame M. ...	0	5	0				
Clark, Dr. Hilda	0	10	6			Deshborough - Brown, Mrs. V.	0	2	0				
Clark, Miss M. E.	0	1	0			Despard, Mrs. C.				15	0	0	
Clark, Mrs. Roger	5	0	6			de Swietochowski, Mrs				0	9	0	
Clark, Miss Th. E. ...	0	5	0			Dexter, Mrs. T.	0	2	6				
Clarke, Miss D. T.	0	5	0			Dick, Miss C. E.	0	2	0				
Cleaver, Miss E.	0	6	6			Dick, Mrs. J.	5	0	0	1	0	0	
Clerke, Mrs. A. B. H. ...	5	0	0										

SUBS.			DONS.			SUBS.			DONS.				
£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		
Dilks, Mrs. A.	0	1	0			Ford, Miss E. H.				5	0	0	
Dobbs, Mrs. G.	1	0	0			Ford, Miss I. O.	5	0	0				
Dodds, Miss R.	0	1	0			Forrest, Miss F. M. ...	0	2	6				
Donkin, Miss M.	0	1	0	0	2	6	Fowkes, Miss C.	0	5	0			
Dougall, Miss L.	2	2	0			Fowler, Miss M.	0	3	6				
Dowell, Miss E.	0	2	6			Fox, Mrs. E. L. Tylor ...	0	5	0				
Dowson, Mrs. H. Enfield	10	0	0			Fox, Mrs. Howard	3	3	0				
Dowty, Mrs. J. M.	0	1	0			Fox, Miss M. C.	0	5	0				
Drinkwater, Miss E. ...	0	1	0			Fox, Miss O. L.	0	5	0				
Drucker, Miss	0	1	0			Franklin, The Hon. Mrs. O. N.	1	1	0				
Dunstan, Mrs. F.	0	1	0			Fraser, Miss V.	0	1	0				
Durham, Miss M. E. ...	0	5	0			Fraser, Mrs. M.	0	2	6				
Duval, Mrs. E. D.	0	5	0			Friend, A	0	6	8				
Dyer, Miss W. K.	0	2	0			Frith, Miss G.	0	10	0				
Earp, Miss M. S.	0	12	6			Fry, Mrs. and Miss ...	0	5	0				
East, Miss	0	2	6	0	5	0	Fry, Miss A. Ruth	1	1	0			
Ecroyd, Miss E. M. ...	0	2	0			Fry, Miss J. M.	3	3	0				
Ecroyd, Mrs. Mary ...	0	2	6			Fry, Miss M.	5	0	0				
Edinburgh Branch				13	11	11	Fuller, Mr Edward ...				0	1	0
Edminson, Mr. Fredk. J. ...				0	2	6	Furnivall, Mrs. J.	0	1	0			
Edwards, Mrs. F. M....	0	1	6			Fyffe, Mrs. C. A.	0	10	0				
Edwards, Mrs. K.	0	2	6			Gardner, Miss L.	0	2	6				
Edwards, Mrs. L. M. L.	1	0	0	3	0	0	Garstin, Miss Alethea ...	0	5	0	0	5	0
Edwards, Mrs. M. E. ...	1	0	0			Gerard, Miss L.	0	10	0				
Ehrhardt, Mrs.				2	0	0	Gerding, Mrs. M.	0	2	6			
Elder, Mrs. Austin	0	1	0			Gibberd, Miss K.	0	1	0				
Eldridge, Miss A. M. ...	1	0	0			Gibbings, Miss L.	0	5	0				
Elgey, Mr. and Mrs. A. H.				1	0	0	Gibbins, Mrs. Hugh ...	1	0	0	24	0	0
Elliott, Mrs.	1	0	0			Gill, Miss M. H.	1	0	0				
Elkin, Miss W. A.	0	5	0			Gillett, Mrs. H. T.	1	0	0				
Ellis, Miss C. M.	0	1	0			Gillett, Miss M. M. ...	0	3	6				
Ellis, Miss H. M.	0	10	0			Gillett, Mrs. R.	0	10	0				
Ellis, Miss M.	0	5	0			Gilliatt, Miss A.	0	1	0				
Emson, Miss N.	0	1	6			Ginz, Miss	0	1	0				
Epstein, Miss E.	0	2	6			Gittins, Miss M. C.	1	1	0				
Evans, Miss B. R.	1	1	0			Glaisyer, Miss M.	0	2	6	0	5	0	
Evans, Miss D.	0	1	0			Gloyn, Miss A. E.	0	1	0				
Everitt, Miss	0	1	0			Gooch, Mrs. G. P.	1	0	0				
Eyre, Miss M.	0	2	0			Gould, Mrs. Ayrton ...	1	1	0				
Eyre, Miss Penelope ...	0	1	0	1	0	0	Gray, Mrs. and The Misses	0	4	0			
Falconer, Mrs. L.	0	9	0			Green, Miss M. M. ...	0	1	0				
Fanghanel, Miss H. ...	0	1	6			Green, Mrs. W. M. ...	0	1	6	0	5	0	
Feek, Miss F. E.	1	0	0			Greene, Mrs. E.	1	1	0				
Ferguson, Miss E. M....	0	5	0			Greg, Miss E. M.	5	0	0				
Fight the Famine Council				50	0	0	Greg, Miss M. L.	1	0	0			
Fincken, Mrs. A.	0	2	6			Greg, Mrs. W. Wilson ...	0	10	0				
Finlay, Miss	0	1	0			Gregg, Mrs. K. M. ...	0	1	0				
Finnemore, Mrs. H. ...	0	1	0			Griffith, Miss K.	0	2	6				
Finnett, Miss M.	0	2	6			Grinling, Miss H. E. ...	0	1	0				
Fisher, Mrs. Corbett ...	1	1	0			Grubb, Mrs. E. M. ...	0	10	0				
Fletcher, Mrs. M.	1	0	0			Grubb, Miss E. M. ...	1	0	0				
Follows, Miss E. A. ...	0	1	6	0	5	0	Grunebaum, Mrs. H. ...	0	2	6			

SUBS.		DONS.		SUBS.		DONS.	
£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Haines, Mrs.	0 1 0			Houghton, Miss E. K.	0 1 0		
Hall, Miss Isabel M.		0 5 0		Huddersfield Branch		2 0 0	
Halliday, Mrs. K.	0 10 6	1 1 0		Hudleston, Miss H. E.	0 10 0		
Hamer, Mrs.	0 2 6			Hughes, Mrs.	0 2 6	1 0 0	
Hamilton, Miss C. W.		5 0 0		Hughes, Mrs.	0 5 0		
Hamilton, Mrs. M. A.	2 2 0			Hughes, Miss M.	0 5 0		
Hammond, Mrs.	0 4 0	0 2 6		Humphrey, Miss L. M.	0 5 0		
Hanson, Miss	0 1 0			Hunter, Miss A. A.	0 5 0	0 5 0	
Hardcastle, Miss, and Williams, Dr. Ethel	15 0 0			Hunter, Mrs. D.	1 1 0		
Hardie, Mrs.	0 2 0			Hunter, Mrs. W.		1 1 0	
Harlesden and Willes- den Branch		16 12 0		Huntsman, Miss M. H.	0 10 0		
Harlock, Misses A. and M.	0 2 0			Hurst, Mrs. Martha, and Mrs. M. L.	0 2 0		
Harlock, Miss G.	0 10 0			Hutchinson, Miss E.	0 10 0		
Harlock, The Misses (per)		0 2 6		Ibbotson, Miss O. M.	0 3 6		
Harrington, Mrs. Ernest	0 2 6			Illingworth, Mrs. Alfred	0 8 6		
Harris, Mrs. B. Duncan	0 8 6			Ireland, Mrs.	0 5 0		
Harris, Mrs. M. O'Brien	0 9 0	1 0 0		Irving, Mrs. H. C.	0 2 6		
Harris, Mrs. Tindall	0 10 0	0 10 0		Irwin, Mrs. M. L.	3 0 0		
Hartas, Misses A. C. and L.	0 10 0			Irwin, Miss Rachel M.		1 0 0	
Hartel, Mrs. E.		0 5 0		Isaac, Miss T.	0 5 0		
Harvey, Miss W. M.	0 1 6			Jackson, Mrs. Huth	2 2 0	135 0 0	
Harvey, Mrs. William	3 0 0			Jeaffreson, Mrs. G.	2 2 0	2 0 0	
Hauff, Miss J. W.	0 6 0			Jefferys, Miss M.	0 2 6		
Hawker, Mrs. C. V.	0 4 0	60 10 0		Jeffrey, Miss R. S.	1 0 0		
Hawkins, Mrs. A. M.	0 2 6			Jerram, Miss L. E.	0 1 0		
Heady, Mrs. Percy	0 5 0			Johnson, Mrs. E.	0 2 6		
Heath, Mrs. Carl	0 5 0			Johnson, Mrs. E. G.	0 1 0		
Henderson, Mrs.	0 1 0			Jones, Miss E. A.	0 2 6		
Henderson, Miss M.	0 2 6			Jones, Miss E. F.	0 10 0		
Herbert, Miss F.	0 2 6			Judson, Mrs. M.	0 3 6		
Hicks, Mrs.		0 10 0		Jupe, Mrs.	0 1 0		
Hicks, Miss	0 2 0			Kapherr, Mrs. J.	0 2 0		
Hicks, Miss C. E.	0 1 6			Kauffer, Mrs. E.			
Higgs, Mrs. M.	0 10 0			McKnight	0 1 6		
Hills, Mrs. H.	0 10 0			Kaye, Mrs.	0 5 0		
Hinks, Mrs. F.	0 5 0			Keegan, Miss E.	0 10 0		
Hipsley, Mrs.	0 1 6			Keen, Miss E.	0 2 6		
Hobson, Mrs. J. A.	2 2 0	5 0 0		Kellaway, Mrs. I. J.	0 1 0		
Hoare, Mrs. E. C. Newenham	1 0 0	1 1 0		Keeling, Mrs. J.	0 10 0	0 10 0	
Hodgkin, Mrs. G. L.	0 3 0	0 5 0		Kensington Branch		5 1 0	
Hodgkin, Miss L. V.	2 2 0			Kent Bank Comradeship & Interntl. Brotherhood	0 5 0		
Holah, Miss F.	0 1 0			Kenway, Mrs. Gawen	1 0 0	20 0 0	
Holah, Mrs.		0 1 0		Kershaw, Mrs. H.	0 1 6		
Holdsworth, Mrs.	1 0 0			Kewley, Miss T. L.	0 2 6		
Holmes, Mrs. Alfred	0 10 0			Kimber, Miss K.	0 5 0		
Holmes, Mrs. B. M.	0 3 6			King, Miss F. M.	0 5 0		
Holmes, Miss K.	0 5 0			King, Miss Jessie	0 2 6		
Homes, Mrs. H. M.	0 1 0			Kingston Branch		0 10 0	
Hooley, Miss D.	0 1 0			Kinton, Mrs. W. G.	0 5 0		
Horwill, Mrs. H. W.	1 1 0			Kirkpatrick, Miss I.	0 5 0	0 2 6	
				Kirlew, Mrs. G. R.	0 10 0		
				Kleinwort, Mr., Mrs., and The Misses		7 7 0	
				Kleinwort, Miss A.	0 5 0		

SUBS.		DONS.		SUBS.		DONS.	
£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Kleinwort, Miss S.	0 5 0			Marsh, Mrs. A. W.	1 0 0		
Knaggs, Miss L.	0 2 0			Marshall, Mrs. F. E.	1 1 0	2 2 0	
Knaster, Miss V. G. A. B.	0 1 0			Marston, Mrs. E. M.	1 1 0		
Knight, Mrs. H. F.	1 0 0			Maryon - Wilson, Capt. Percy		0 7 6	
Knight, Mrs. H. M.	0 5 0			Massingham, Mrs.	0 1 0		
Kohnstamm, Mrs.	0 5 6			Mata, Miss M. K. C.	0 1 0		
Koritschner, Miss Ida	0 10 0			Mathews, Mrs. and Miss J.		0 10 0	
Kydd, Miss J.	0 1 0			Matthews, Mrs. D.	0 1 0		
Lamport, Miss	0 2 0			Mawson, Miss E. Cameron	2 2 0	0 5 0	
Lanchester, Mrs.	0 5 0			Mayo, Miss C. M.	0 2 6		
Lane, Miss M. A.	0 2 6			Mayor, Mrs. R. G.	2 0 0		
Lansbury, Mrs. Minnie	0 10 0			Megahy, Mrs. P. B.	0 10 0		
Lansbury, Miss N.	0 3 6			Melland, Miss M. H.		10 0 0	
Lawrence, Mrs. E. Pethick		20 0 0		Mellor, Mrs. H. A.	0 5 0		
Lazarinck, Miss D.	0 2 0			Mendel, Miss V. R. W.	0 1 0		
Lee, Miss Hetty	0 5 0			Mennell, Miss		1 10 0	
Leech, Miss L. M.	0 2 6			Mertens, Mrs. & Miss	2 10 0		
Lees, Miss Nora	0 1 0			Metcalfe, Miss A. E.	0 1 0	4 3 5	
Leggatt, Miss A.	0 2 6			Middleton, Miss C.	0 10 0		
Leigh, Mrs. E.	0 1 0			Miller, Miss Burgess	0 5 0		
le Lacheur, Mrs.	2 0 0			Mills, Mrs. F.	0 1 0		
Leonard, Mrs.	0 1 0	0 10 0		Millward, Mrs. D. E.	0 5 0		
Lester, Miss M.	0 2 6			Millward, Mrs. L.	0 2 6		
Levy, Mrs. R. E.	0 10 0			Milne, Mrs. Ernest		1 1 0	
Levy, Miss I.	0 2 6			Milton, Miss M. A.	0 19 0		
Little, Mrs. Arnold	0 2 0	0 2 6		Mitchell, Miss M. L.	0 5 0		
Little, Mrs. Raymond	1 0 0			Mittell, Miss E. A.	0 1 0		
Liverpool Branch		2 2 0		Moffat, Mrs.	0 2 6		
Lloyd, Mrs. M. F. R.	0 5 0			Mole, Mrs. F. M.	0 2 6		
Lloyd, Miss M. L.	1 0 0			Mollett, Miss M.	0 2 6		
Loat, Miss L.	0 5 0			Molteno, Mr. P. A.		5 0 0	
Lock, Miss M. C.	0 2 6			Montagu, The Hon. L. H.	1 0 0	2 2 0	
Longbourne, Miss M. M. B.	0 3 0			Montefiore, Mrs. D. B.	0 2 6		
Lowy, Miss G.	0 5 0			Moore, Mrs. A. C.	0 2 6		
Luard, Miss F.	1 0 0			Morden, Mr. C. R.		0 1 0	
Lucas, Miss A. A.	0 10 0			Morel, Mrs. E. D.	1 0 0		
Lupton, Mrs. E.	0 10 0			Morgan, Miss E. A.	0 5 0		
Lyon, Miss C. C.	5 0 0			Morland, Miss L. F.	0 5 0		
Lythall, Miss Matilda	0 2 6	0 2 6		Morris, Mrs. A.	0 1 0		
Lythgoe, Mrs. E.		0 3 0		Morrison, Mrs. E. M.	0 2 0		
MacColl, Miss M.	0 5 0			Moscheles, Mrs. Felix	1 0 0		
Macdonald, Miss C. I.	0 5 0	0 5 0		Moscrip, Miss	0 2 6		
Macdonald, Miss D.	0 5 0			Moser, Miss C.	0 1 6		
Mack, Miss H. N.	0 10 0			Muirhead, Miss A. M.	1 0 0		
Mackenzie-Kennedy, Mrs. S.	0 3 6			Muriel, Countess De La Warr	5 0 0		
Macnaghten, Miss E.	0 1 0	23 0 0		Murray, The Lady Mary	1 0 0		
Macnaghten, Miss L.	0 2 6			MacDermott, Miss S.	0 2 6		
Macnamara, Miss M.	0 10 0			McGowan, Miss M. S.	0 1 0		
Manor Mission Club		0 2 6		McKenzie, Mrs. B.	0 2 0		
Manus, Mrs. M.	0 9 0			McLaren, Mrs. D. B.	5 0 0		
Marquardt, Miss	0 10 0			McLaren, Miss Dora	0 1 0		
Marsden, Mrs. M.	0 5 0						

SUBS.		DONS.		SUBS.		DONS.		
£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	
McNay, Miss A. M.				Playne, Miss C. E.	2	2	0	
Cameron	0	2	0	Plimley, Miss M.	0	3	6	
Naumann, Miss Elise	0	5	0	Plowman, Mrs. Max	0	1	4	
Neal, Mrs.	0	2	6	Plumb, Miss N.	0	1	0	
Neilans, Miss Alison	0	5	0	Pocock, Mrs. M. A.	0	10	0	
Neumann, Miss L. T.	0	2	6	Postlethwaite, Miss				
Neumann, Miss S. E.	0	2	6	M. E.	0	1	0	
Newcastle Branch		1	1	0	Potbury, Mrs. B.	0	10	0
Newcomb, Miss H. C.	2	0	0	Potter, Miss F.	0	2	6	
Nixon, Mrs. E.	0	1	0	Poyser, Miss F. Ross	0	1	0	
Norman, Mrs.	0	1	0	Price, Miss	0	1	0	
Norwich Branch		1	0	0	Price, Miss D. E.	0	5	0
Nuttall, Mrs.	0	3	0	Pritchard, Miss E.	0	2	6	
Ohlsson, Mrs. T.		0	1	0	Procter, Miss A. M.	0	10	0
Oppenheimer, Mrs. F.	0	10	6	Procter, Miss M. E.	0	2	0	
Oppenheimer, Mrs. F. M.	0	10	0	Procter, Miss Z.	0	1	0	
Oppenheimer, Mrs. and				Pumphrey, Mrs. W.	0	5	0	
Miss		1	1	Pye, Miss E. M.	0	10	0	
Orr, Miss M.	0	1	0	Quarmby, Miss	0	5	0	
Osborn, Mrs.	0	5	0	Quarmby, Mrs. A. M.	0	1	0	
O'Shea, The Misses	1	0	0	Raisin, Miss A. M.	0	1	0	
Over, Miss F. M.	0	10	0	Randle, Mrs. H.	1	10	0	
Paget, Mrs. F. Howard		1	1	Ransome, Mrs.	0	5	0	
Paine, Miss E. C.	0	2	6	Ratcliffe, Miss E.	0	5	0	
Paisley Branch		1	11	Ratray, Mrs. J.	0	2	0	
Pannett, Miss E.	0	1	0	Rawlins, Mrs. Hulley	0	3	0	
Parker, Mrs. C. S.	0	1	0	Reckitt, Miss Juliet	5	5	0	
Parker, Mrs. Murray	1	1	0	Reid, Miss Barbara H.	0	1	0	
Parker, Mrs. S.	0	2	6	"Reigate"				
Parkes, Miss L. H.	0	2	6	Revell, Miss D.	0	1	0	
Parr, Mrs. M.	0	5	0	Rice, Mrs. E.	0	1	0	
Partridge, Miss J. B.	0	5	0	Richardson, Miss M.	0	1	0	
Patterson, Mrs. N.	0	2	0	Rickman, Mrs.	0	3	6	
Paull, Mrs. Doris	0	1	0	Rickman, Mrs. John	1	1	0	
Payne, Miss	0	1	6	Riddell, Miss Jennie	0	2	6	
Payne, Mrs. C. E.	9	0	0	Riddell, Miss J.	0	15	0	
Peachey, Mrs. Alice	0	1	0	Riddell, Miss M.	0	2	0	
Pearce, Miss E.	0	1	0	Rigby, Mrs. E.	0	5	0	
Pearce, Miss F.	0	1	0	Rintoul, Miss S.	1	0	0	
Pearce, Mrs. I. D.	1	1	0	Rintoul, Miss W.	1	1	0	
Pearce, Miss J.	0	1	0	Ritchie, Mrs. M. A.	0	1	0	
Pease, Mr. C. A.		2	0	0	Robertson, Miss J.	1	1	0
Peckover, Miss	1	0	0	Robertson, Mrs. P. C.	0	2	6	
Pedder, Mrs. H. A.	0	2	6	Robinson, Miss M.	0	1	0	
Peile, Mrs.		10	0	0	Robson-Young,			
Peile, Miss F.		50	0	0	Miss E. L.	0	2	6
Peile, Miss H.		45	0	0	Rock, Miss D.	0	1	0
Pendlebury, Mrs. D.	0	2	0	0	Roe, Mrs. E.	0	1	0
Penrose, The Hon. Mrs.		0	2	6	Rolfe, Mrs.	0	1	0
J. D.	0	10	0	Rosen, Miss K.	0	2	6	
Phillips, Miss M.	0	2	6	Roth, Mrs. Bernard	0	10	0	
Phillips, Mrs. M.	0	1	0	Rownthwaite,				
Philp, The Misses	1	0	0	Mrs. M. M.	0	1	0	
Pickworth, Miss E.	0	7	6	Rowntree, Mrs. Arnold	2	2	0	
Pilgrim, Mrs. A. G.	0	5	0	Rowntree, Mrs. T. H.	2	0	0	
Pinder, Miss	0	4	0	Rushton, Miss	0	3	6	

SUBS.		DONS.		SUBS.		DONS.								
£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.							
Russell, The Countess	5	0	0	Spencer, Miss A. E. J.	0	1	0							
Russell, The Hon. Mrs.				Sprentall, Miss M.	0	1	0							
Rollo	5	0	0	0	Stables, Miss N.	0	3	6						
Rutter, Mrs. A. K.	1	1	0	0	Stafford, Miss E. M.		0	1	0					
Ryle, Miss Effie	1	0	0	5	Stalbridge, Lady	5	5	0						
Salter, Mrs. A.	2	2	0	0	Stansfield, Mrs. M. L.	0	5	0						
Sand, Miss	0	5	0	0	0	Stevenage Branch (per								
Sanderson, Miss E.	2	2	0	0	Miss Villiers)			2	0	0				
Sandiforth, Mrs. E.	0	1	0	0	Stevenson, Sir D. M.			10	0	0				
Sanger, Mrs. C. P.	10	0	0	0	Stewart, Miss E. C. M.	0	2	6	1	18	7			
Sanger, Miss J. A.	1	0	0	0	Stewart-Brown, Mrs.	10	0	0						
Saunders, Miss M. I.	0	2	0	0	0	Stone, Miss A.	0	1	0					
Schiassi, Miss E.	0	2	6	0	0	Stone, Miss J.	1	0	0					
Scott, Miss E. P.	0	2	6	0	0	Strachan, Miss	0	2	0					
Scott, Mrs. Minturn				1	1	0	Stratton, Miss J.	0	2	0				
Scott, Mrs. H.	0	1	0	0	0	0	Strauss, Mrs. Ben.	0	10	0				
Scott, Mrs. Philip	0	1	0	0	0	0	Strickland, Mrs. J. E.	0	5	0				
Scott, Mrs. R. P.	0	2	0	0	0	0	Sturge, Miss H. M.	1	1	0				
Scurr, Mrs. J.				0	10	6	Sturge, Mrs. P.	3	3	0				
Selby, Mrs. C.	1	1	0	0	0	0	Sutcliffe, Miss	0	2	6				
Selby, Miss K.	0	2	6	0	2	6	Sutcliffe, Miss E.	0	1	0				
Sell, Miss M.	0	1	0	0	0	0	Sutcliffe, Mrs. M.	0	2	6				
Senior, Mrs. M.	0	5	0	0	0	0	Swanwick, Mrs. H. M.	1	0	0				
Sennett, Miss M.	0	5	0	0	0	0	Swinton Branch (per							
Shanks, Miss E.	0	2	0	0	0	0	Mrs. Barratt)			1	1	0		
Shannon, Miss A. M.	0	5	0	0	0	0	Tassell, Miss Bessie	0	2	6				
Shapley, Miss N. G.	0	1	0	0	0	0	Taylor, Mrs. Crosland	2	0	0				
Sharp, Miss Evelyn	1	1	0	0	10	6	Taylor, Miss D. Irene	0	2	0				
Shaw, Mrs. Bernard	2	0	0	0	2	6	Taylor, Miss Mary	0	2	0				
Shaw, Mr. J. F.				0	2	6	Theobald, The Misses J.							
Shipway, Miss Enid				0	5	0	and E. M.	0	5	0	1	0	0	
Prowse	0	5	0	0	0	0	Thompson, Miss A. C.	0	10	0				
Shipway, Miss Elizabeth				0	3	0	Thompson, Miss F.			1	0	0		
Prowse	0	3	0	0	2	6	Thompson, Miss H.	0	1	0				
Shore, Miss A. A.	0	2	6	0	2	6	Thompson, Mrs. Hugh	1	1	0				
Shore, Miss C.	0	2	6	0	10	0	Thompson, Miss H. G.	1	5	0				
Shuckburgh, Miss D. F.	0	10	0	0	11	0	Thompson, Mrs. Percy	3	0	0				
Sidgwick, Miss E.	1	1	0	0	0	0	Thompson,							
Simmonds, Mrs. I.	0	5	0	0	2	6	Mrs. Silvanus	1	0	0	1	0	0	
Simon, Mrs. W. R.	0	2	6	0	3	6	Thornburgh-Cropper,							
Sims, Miss T.	0	3	6	0	5	0	Mrs.	0	1	0				
Skeate, Mrs.	0	5	0	0	5	0	Thornton, Miss M. B.	2	0	0				
Slater, Mrs. O.	0	5	0	0	1	0	Thrum, Miss I.	0	1	0				
Smith, Mrs. A.	0	1	0	0	1	0	Thurston, Miss E. M.	0	1	0				
Smith, Mrs. B.	0	1	0	0	5	0	Tidmarsh, Mrs. H. E.	0	10	0				
Smith, Miss C.	0	1	0	0	1	0	Todd, Mrs. C. E.	0	1	0				
Smith, Miss E. D.	1	0	0	0	1	0	Todd, Miss M.	0	1	0				
Smith, Miss G.	0	1	0	0	7	6	Todhunter, Mrs. A. E.	0	2	6				
Smith, Mrs. H. Bran-				0	7	6	Tollemache, Miss A. E.	0	1	0	0	10	0	
son				1	0	0	Tomlinson, Mrs.	1	0	0	5	0	0	
Smith, Mrs. R. Ford	1	0	0	1	0	0	Tohill, Miss M. C.	10	0	0				
Smithson, Mrs. S.	1	0	0	1	1	0	Towers, Miss C.	0	2	6				
Snowden, Mrs. Philip	1	1	0	1	1	0	Townshend, Miss M.	0	2	6				
Solomon, Mrs. Saul	1	1	0	1	0	0	Trevelyan, Mrs. C. P.	2	2	0				
Sorensen, Mrs. B. D.	1	0	0	0	10	0	Trevelyan, Mrs. R. C.	1	0	0	1	0	0	
Southey, Mrs. E. M.	0	10	0				Trim, Miss A. W.	0	2	6				

SUBS.		DONS.		SUBS.		DONS.		
£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Tucker, Mrs. H.	0	1	0	Wheaton, Mrs.	0	5	0	
Tuke, Miss	0	1	0	Wheeldon, Mrs. M. ...	0	1	0	
Tuke, Mrs. J. E.	0	2	0	White, Miss D.	0	2	0	
Turner, Miss M. E. ...	0	6	0	White, Dr. E.	0	1	6	
Turquand, Miss L. ...	0	10	0	White, Miss H. J.	0	5	0	
Tuteur, Mrs. M.	1	1	0	Whiteman, Miss E. M. ...	0	5	0	
Twitchett, Mrs.	0	1	0	Whiting, Miss	0	5	0	
Tynte, Miss G. K.	1	1	0	Whyte, Mrs. A.	1	0	0	
Unwin, Mrs. Cobden ...	1	1	0	Wickham, Mrs.	0	1	0	
Unwin, Mrs. Raymond	1	1	0	Wigmore, Mrs.	0	2	6	
Usherwood, Mrs.	0	1	0	Williams, Mrs. F. E. ...	0	2	0	
Utting, Mrs.	0	1	0	Williams, Miss L. W. ...	0	5	0	
Vesel, Mrs.			0 4 0	Williams, Miss A. L. ...	0	2	6	
Villiers, Miss B.	1	12	0	Williamson, Miss A. ...	0	7	0	
Wackrill, Miss A. M. ...	0	5	0	Willis, Miss E. L.	1	0	0	
Waddell, Mrs.			0 1 0	Willison, Miss J.	0	5	0	
Waddington, Miss Doris	0	4	6	Willmore, The Misses...	0	7	6	
Wade, Miss J.	0	12	0	Wilson, Mrs. W. E. ...	0	5	0	
Waid, Miss M. E.	0	3	6	Wilson, Miss Th. Wilson	1	1	0	
Waley, Mrs. R. S.			1 1 0	Wimbledon and Fulham				
Walker, Miss K. M. ...	0	10	0	Branch (per Miss Mur-				
Wall, Miss M.	0	2	6	ray)			1 9 10	
Wallace, Miss A. L. H.	0	2	6	Wise, Mrs. E.	0	1	0	
Wallis, Mrs. Percy	2	0	0	Withers, Mrs. Hartley	1	0	0	
Walsh, Mrs. W.	0	10	0	Witty, Miss B. M.	0	1	0	
Ward, Miss A. H.	0	10	0	"Women's Social Hour"				
Warren, Miss F. M. ...	0	2	0	(per Mrs. F. Bartlett)	0	2	0	
Warren, Mrs. M.	0	1	0	Wood, Miss A. M.	0	5	0	
Waterhouse, Mrs. T. C.	10	0	0	Wood, Miss K. Saunders	0	1	0	
Waterlow, Mrs. Sidney	0	10	6	Woodcock, Mrs. M. A. ...			0 2 6	
Waters, Miss C. M. ...	0	1	0	Woodward, Miss A. L. ...	0	2	0	
Watson, Miss A. G. ...	0	2	6	Woodward, Mrs. Rose	0	1	0	
Watson, Miss Mary ...	0	2	6	Wragge, Miss P.	0	8	6	
Watt, Miss T. A.	0	3	0	Wright, Miss L. A. ...	2	0	0	
Weaver, Mrs. Baillie ...	0	10	0	Wright, Miss O.	0	10	0	
Wedgwood, Mrs. Bowen	0	10	0	Wyatt, Mrs. E.	1	0	0	
Weiss, Miss	0	5	0	Wyer, Miss C.	1	0	0	
"Well wisher, A"			5 3 6	Yoole, Miss S.	0	5	0	
Wells, Miss U.	0	3	0	Zangwill, Mrs. E.	3	0	0	
Welsford, Miss M. F. E.	0	1	0	Zimmern, Miss A.	0	5	0	
West, Mrs.	0	1	0					
Westoby, Mrs. E. M. ...	0	1	0					
				Total	499	11	2 865 7 1½	

TREASURER'S STATEMENT.

We have a very interesting Balance Sheet to put before the members of the Women's International League this year. Our receipts for the year have sprung up from, roughly, £2,611 last year to £9,155 this year, an increase of £6,544. £6,225 comes under the heading of the German Babies Fund, for this sum was expressly raised and expended in providing indiarubber teats for German babies. This was the biggest financial task undertaken during the year, and its achievement was a test to our organization and a proof that there is a great deal of support and sympathy for our ideals throughout the country, if they can be put before people in a way which they can understand and are connected with the possibility of some active and practical expression of sympathy.

We have again to note that there is an increase in our proceeds of meetings—namely, from £260 last year to £357 this year. The direct expenses of the meetings have also increased, but the Balance Sheet still shows a good margin of profit on meetings. This means that we have held more public meetings this year than last year, and that, as always, they have proved to be the best methods of propaganda.

The British Section of the Women's International League contributed £1,165. 8s. 3d. to the expenses of the Zurich Congress and to our International Headquarters now located at Geneva.

Two months have elapsed since the accounts were made up and our balance has now fallen very low. The work for which the League was founded is only at the beginning. During the war difficulties of propaganda were very great. Those barriers have happily now been removed. The prejudices and misunderstandings engendered by the war are quickly passing away. The longing for brotherhood is growing in the hearts of all. Now, then, at last we have our opportunity. We ought to have our organizers in all the big towns and our members and helpers in all the villages. But organizers cost money; railway fares cost money; printing and postage cost money. This expenditure is the backbone of organization. We ask our members to double their subscriptions and double their energy and enthusiasm during the year that is now before us so that we may make the Women's International League a real influence in the political, social, and educational life of the country.

EMMELINE PETHICK LAWRENCE.

WOMEN'S INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS FOR YEAR ENDING AUGUST 31st, 1919.

RECEIPTS.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	PAYMENTS.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
To Balance September 1st, 1918	307	12	1				By Rent and Office Expenses	291	0	0½			
„ „ on Deposit for Congress Fund	815	0	0				„ Office Salaries	636	15	2			
				1122	12	1	„ Organizers' Salaries and Expenses	291	2	1			
„ Subscriptions	499	11	2				„ Stationery	89	15	5			
„ Donations	865	7	1½				„ Postage, Cables, and Telephone	122	11	9			
„ Affiliation Fees	15	6	6				„ Travelling Expenses	54	5	9			
„ Proceeds of Meetings	357	11	5				„ Direct Expenses of Meetings	331	7	0½			
„ Sale of <i>News Sheet</i>	89	10	1½				„ Literature	139	1	8½			
„ Literature Sales and Donations	135	8	5½				„ <i>News Sheet</i>	170	14	6			
„ Proceeds of Sale	159	9	1				„ Delegates' Fees	1	6	0			
„ Interest on Deposit	19	0	4				„ Audit Fee	5	5	0			
„ Language Classes	3	7	0				„ Expenses of Sale	5	13	5			
„ Printers' Fine Fund	9	12	0				„ Income Tax	2	6	0			
„ 40 D Fund	4	17	6				„ Affiliation Grants	15	0	0			
„ European Relief Fund	7	5	0				„ Grants to Branches	120	0	0			
„ Election Fund	109	9	0				„ 40 D Campaign	83	17	6			
„ German Babies Fund	6225	11	3				„ European Relief	7	5	0			
„ Donations to Congress Fund	654	1	2				„ Election Expenses	109	9	0			
				9155	7	1½	„ Teats for German Babies	6225	11	3			
											8702	6	7½
							„ Expenses of International Work :						
							Zürich Congress	665	8	3			
							Grants to Headquarters	500	0	0			
											1165	8	3
							„ Balance—Cash at Bank	208	12	0			
							Cash on Deposit	200	0	0			
							Cash in hand	1	12	4			
											410	4	4
											£10277	19	2½
											£10277	19	2½

I have examined the above Statement with the books and vouchers relating thereto, and find the same to be correct in accordance therewith.

9 Regent Street, S.W. 1. September 23, 1919.

M. S. CLUGSTON,
Certified Accountant and Auditor.