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GIFT TO BRANDEIS STARTS AID FUND

Justice Will Devote Money Presented by Admirers to Palestine Relief

Reconstruction of the war-torn temple of Palestine, relief for its thousands of suffering Jews and general rehabilitation of the Holy Land is expected to be effected through a fund which had its beginning yesterday in a birthday presentation to Louis D. Brandeis, justice of the United States Supreme Court, who was sixty years old on November 13.

Eight thousand persons residing in all sections of the country and the Panama Canal Zone signed a testimonial which was presented to Justice Brandeis with a sum of money which will form the basis for the fund. The presentation was made by Nathan Straus at a meeting of the Provisional Zionist Committee, of which Justice Brandeis is honorary president, in Aeolian Hall, 22 West Forty-second Street. Two hundred friends and admirers of Justice Brandeis were present, and presentation speeches were made by Dr. Stephen S. Wise, of the Free Synagogue, and Jacob de Haas, secretary of the Zionist Committee.

No announcement of the amount of money received and pledged was made but it was said that many large donations had been promised by wealthy Jews throughout the country. The fund to which the fund should be devoted was left to the discretion of Justice Brandeis, who is expected to make a formal announcement concerning its application within a few days.

The testimonial, which was read by Mr. Straus, was as follows: "To the Hon. Louis Dembitz Brandeis, on his sixtieth birthday, Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States, honorary president of the Provisional Committee for General Zionist Affairs, imbued to the heart with American and Jewish ideals and indefatigable worker in translating them into action, a testimonial of gratitude for his services to the Jewish people and a tribute of love and loyalty to our leader."

A plea for a "strengthened Zionism" was made by Justice Brandeis in his speech of acceptance and thanks. He described conditions in the war-ravaged Holy Land and urged his hearers to self-sacrifice and unity.

CHARGES DECADENCE IN U. S.

Dr. Eaton Likens Citizens to Romans Just Before Empire Fell

The Rev. Charles A. Eaton, pastor of the Madison Avenue Baptist Church, likened Americans to the citizens of ancient Rome shortly before its fall, in his Thanksgiving sermon yesterday. "I know there are in New York," the pastor said, "some families of wealth, possessed of some refinement and at least a ray of intelligence, who never allow the war to be discussed in their homes because it is an unpleasant subject. Readers of history will recall that the dandies in ancient Rome never cared to discuss the fact that there were blue-eyed giants of the North. But it was these giants that finally overran Rome. It is possible that, like them, we may yet be overrun ourselves."

The destruction of Sodom and Gomorrah is also a tale that has no appeal to the ears of the average New Yorker, Dr. Eaton said.

Warrant for Arbutle Here

Matthew Dolan, a detective of the Milwaukee Police Department, arrived at Police Headquarters yesterday with a warrant for the arrest of Henry Clay Arbutle, the nineteen-year-old dye expert, charged with the theft of \$8,000 worth of gold and platinum from the International Dye Company, of Milwaukee.

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BOSSES IN ROW; WAIST STRIKE DUE

Employers' Association Ousts Mrs. Moskowitz and Peace Faction

30,000 MAY QUIT SHOPS IN SPRING

Trouble Expected to Start Over Present Working Protocol

A split, which labor leaders believe may develop as its aftermath a strike of 30,000 garment workers next spring, has shaken the executive council of the Dress and Waist Manufacturers' Association, it became known yesterday. The association is composed of 215 of the largest dress and waist manufacturers in New York City, who employ 18,000 of the 30,000 workers in the trade.

The four highest officers of the executive council—the president, vice-president, secretary and treasurer—resigned on Wednesday of last week. With them went Julius Henry Cohen, counsel to the association, and at least seven other members of the executive committee. The wholesale resignations came just one day after the executive committee at a hastily called meeting had demanded that Mrs. Henry Moskowitz surrender her post as head of the advisory department of the association.

Mrs. Moskowitz has been associated with the association since the strike of 1913, which she helped bring to a close. For two years she was the manager of the association's labor department. By her resignation the workers lose the person above all others who has stood for the rights of labor.

Wrangle in Committee

From members of the executive committee who wish their names withheld until they are ready to issue formal statements it was learned yesterday that the fight in the committee was between the progressive and the reactionary manufacturers. It is asserted that the quarrel was between "the men who wanted to preserve the protocol that established peace and those who wanted to break every agreement they have ever made."

The fear of a strike in the spring now looms up by reason of the fact that the so-called reactionary element of the executive committee has carried off the victory. All of the committee-men who have withdrawn, along with Mrs. Moskowitz and Mr. Cohen, have been classed as "progressives." They have stoutly maintained the justness of the protocol and have in every instance thrown their influence on the side of meeting the workers' half way.

The executive committee's vote to demand Mrs. Moskowitz's resignation was gained by a strategic move, it was stated. The committee is ordinarily composed of 28 members. It met on Tuesday night, with most of the progressives absent, and the vote to demand Mrs. Moskowitz's resignation was pushed through.

Own Stupidity Blamed

Mr. Cohen's resignation as counsel came the next day. In his letter to the committee he gave as his chief reason the fact that he was too busy to longer do justice to the business of the association, but added: "I am also dreadfully tired of trying to protect certain business men from the serious result of their own stupidity."

The four officers of the committee who resigned did not attempt to veil the fact that their withdrawal was a direct protest at the action forcing Mrs. Moskowitz from the association. They were: J. J. Goldman, president; Samuel Floersheimer, first vice-president; E. A. Jackson, treasurer; and H. S. Benedikt, secretary.

Morris Stern, president of M. Stern & Co., waist manufacturers, who was second vice-president of the executive committee before the wholesale resignations of its officers, is now its head. He said last night:

"For many months there has been a desire among the rank and file of the manufacturers that Mrs. Moskowitz and Mr. Cohen should no longer be associated with our organization. Mrs. Moskowitz's labor activities were particularly objectionable. The present membership of the committee is just as anxious to preserve the peace protocol as were the officers who have resigned. We don't want a strike, and the resignation of their employees does not indicate there will be a strike. The resignations have vastly benefited the association; they have left the executive committee in complete harmony and stronger than it ever has been before."

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MRS. SANGER WILL NOT ATTEND TRIAL

Justice Bears Animosity Toward Birth Control, She Charges

ARREST MAY FOLLOW FAILURE TO APPEAR

Hundred Women Plan Chain of Work to Keep Doors of Clinic Open

Mrs. Margaret Sanger, who has been arrested twice for conducting a birth control clinic at 46 Amboy Street, Brooklyn, said last night that she would refuse to appear before the Court of Special Sessions to-day when her trial for alleged violation of Section 1142 of the Penal Code, which prohibits the dissemination of information relating to birth control, is scheduled to begin.

Her reason Mrs. Sanger declared to be the presence of Justice J. J. McInerney as a member of the court. In Inerney as a member of the court, in her home, at 246 West Fourteenth Street, Mrs. Sanger declared that statements made by Justice McInerney at the trials of William Sanger and Miss Jessie Ashley, over which he presided, have proved that he is "judicially unfit" to try her case and that he "bears a personal animosity toward the advocates of birth control and permits his personal feelings to influence his decisions."

She Accuses Court

"I shall persistently refuse to go before Justice McInerney," said Mrs. Sanger. "In every birth control case which has come before him he has exhibited a relentless prejudgment of the case. In sentencing William Sanger to serve thirty days he said:

"This community, like many others, suffers from a lack of children. The trouble is that many women are too selfish. I think that a lot of those who are devoting their time to equal suffrage, as Christian women, ought to go about advocating childbirth. It would be better for the community." "Although since Mrs. Sanger's trial the question of birth control has become a national issue, every advocate of birth control has had the misfortune to come before this judge whose mind is steeped in the grossest bigotry and religious prejudice.

"At so recent a date as October 20, 1916, in sentencing Miss Jessie Ashley, a practicing attorney and a woman of high standing, Justice McInerney again misused his judicial prerogative and expressed his personal venom, and said:

"This defendant knew the law and deliberately violated it, so I think she should be punished. The people know that this court had repeatedly passed on this law, and if they want to change it why don't they go change it? I do not see why any clemency should be given."

Seek New Trial Court

Mrs. Sanger will be represented in court by her attorney, Jonah J. Goldstein, of 365 Broadway. She has also been held for Special Sessions for \$500 bail as the first case, on a charge of maintaining a nuisance by operating her clinic. Her attorney has filed with the Supreme Court a motion for the transfer of the case to the County and Supreme Court that it may be passed upon by a court of record. It is likely that similar request will be made to-day in Special Sessions.

Mrs. Sanger furnished her own bond in each case, and it is probable that when she does not appear to-day the bond will be declared forfeited and she will be arrested.

Mrs. Sanger said last night that whether or not she went to jail, the birth control clinic, which is still open, would continue to be operated by other women who had become interested in the movement. She said that a meeting to organize the work would be held to-morrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. Amos R. E. Pinchot, 9 East Eighty-first Street, which would be attended, among others, by Mrs. Rose Pastor Baker, Mrs. J. Sergeant Cram, Miss Jessie Ashley and Miss Henrietta Rodman.

It is planned to organize a group of one hundred women who are willing to risk arrest to further the propaganda. These women will take turns operating the clinic, and as soon as one is arrested another will take up the work. "We have a year's lease on the premises," said Mrs. Sanger, "and it will be conducted for a year. As soon as the police have arrested the first hundred women and put them in jail, another hundred will be ready to take up the work."

Fire Wrecks Loft Building

Fire of undetermined origin burned out the four story loft building at 654 to 644 First Avenue yesterday and threatened an adjoining lumber yard. Fanned by a westerly breeze, the blaze gave firemen a bad half hour before it was finally controlled. The damage is said to amount to \$10,000.

JACK LONDON'S ASHES BURIED

Widow Rejects Plan to Scatter Author's Dust Over Land He Loved Santa Rosa, Cal., Nov. 26.—The ashes of Jack London, the author, who died Wednesday night, were buried to-day on a hillside of his Glen Ellen ranch. The original intention was to scatter the dust over the land he loved, but by Mrs. London's direction a concrete receptacle was prepared in the hillside. There, without ceremony, in the presence of Mrs. London, a few neighbors and the employes of the ranch, the urn containing the ashes was placed and the receptacle sealed.

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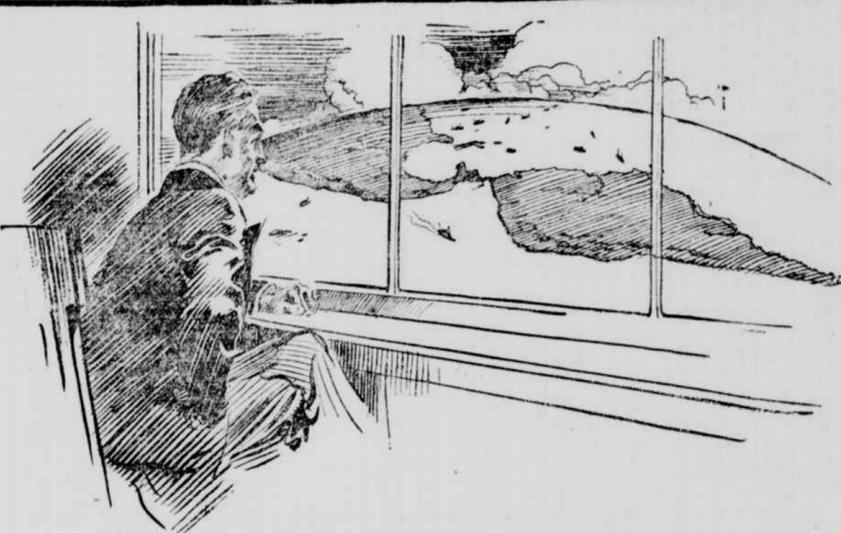
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President Wilson will come here Saturday to take part in the dedication of the permanent flood lighting system for

the Statue of Liberty, accepting it on behalf of the nation. Mayor Mitchell has appointed a committee of 200 to welcome him and has requested Pierre Garcon, Mayor of Bayonne, and Mark M. Fagan, Mayor of Jersey City, to appoint cooperating committees. High Federal officials, the French Ambassador, army and navy officers and other notables are expected. Arriving at 3 p. m., the President's official party will be welcomed by a small delegation of the Mayor's committee, headed by the Mayor, and escorted to the yacht Mayflower. She will precede the Dolphin, the yacht of Secretary Daniels, which will carry the rest of the Mayor's committee, to an anchorage near Bedloe's Island, while the guns of the fleet salute. After the President by a rocket signal has released the current which will light the statue and the ceremonies have been ended the yachts will take their passengers to the Battery. An automobile procession through specially illuminated streets will take them to the Waldorf, where a public reception and a dinner will be given. The permanent flood lighting system for Miss Liberty was provided by the popular subscription of over 50,000 American citizens. It is to be maintained by the government, an amend-

ment to the last rivers and harbors bill providing for its acceptance and maintenance. The plant cost \$30,000.

Peace Women Meet To-night A conference on Pan-American relations will be held under the auspices of the Women's Peace Party of New York City to-night in the Hotel McAlpin. Mrs. Mary Austin, of California, author and lecturer, who has spent several years in South America, will speak on Pan-American relations. Signor Don Luis Bossaro, chief of the Mexican Bureau of Information, will speak on relations between Mexico and the United States.



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—if any nation actually faced bankruptcy, or repudiated a war debt? Or how war debts affect taxation?

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