

Bahá'í Centre,
46 Bloomsbury St.,
London, W.C.1.

December 29th 1941.

Dear Friends,

We have received the following cable from the
Guardian :-

"Ruhi Afnans sister married secretly covenant breaker
"Her mother and brothers concurred All manner
"communication with them according Masters Will forbidden"

The Will of 'Abdu'l-Bahá enjoins us to avoid all
intercourse with the Covenant-breakers. To do this does
not mean harbouring rancour, it simply means warding off
influences that bring discord into the community of
Bahá'u'lláh; it means not associating in any way with those
who have disobeyed His commands. Those who associate
with the Covenant-breakers bring upon themselves the
consequences of the Master's prohibition.

Let us read again the Will and Testament of
'Abdul-Bahá, with full faith that the Power of Bahá'u'lláh
is all-sufficient and all-pervasive, and that it protects
and sustains the Cause and the community associated with
His Name.

In the Service of Bahá'u'lláh,

NATIONAL SPIRITUAL ASSEMBLY.