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THANCIAL REPORT The Treasurer reports that by September 20th the financial situation has been as follows:

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Total outgoing .. 188, 3a, 6d.

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"Lift up your hearts above the present and look with eyes of faith into the future. To-day the seed is sown, the grain falls upon the earth, but behold the day will come when it shall rise a glorious tree and the branches thereof shall be laden with fruit. Rejoice and be glad that this day has dawned, try to realise its power, for it is indeed wonderful. God has crowned you with honour and in your hearts has He set a radiant star; verily the light thereof shall brighten the whole world."

('Abdú'l-Bahá)

THE FEAST OF THE BIRTH OF THE BÁB FRIDAY, OCTOBER 20th 1950 - 7 p.m. Kenilworth Hotel ALLIANCE HALL, PAIMER STREET, S.W.1. Great Russell (St. James's Tube Station) Street,

In this Centenary Year, the Feast of the Birth of the Martyr- 1. Prophet, has a special significance. It will be only for the Bahá'is.

(Please bring contributions in kind towards the refreshments.)

NINETEEN - DAY FEAST of 'IIM (Knowledge) Monday, October 16th, 1950 at 7 p.m. At the home of Mrs. Slade (129 Ebury Street, S.W.L.) by her kind invitation.

<u>OUR COMMUNITY</u> We offer a loving welcome to Mr. Reuben Shamia of Iraq, who has come to London, to complete his studies.

Dr. M. Samandari has come from Belfast to take a post-graduate course. To him also goes our loving welcome.

<u>OUR VISITORS</u> Miss Derakhshandeh Muqaddam has arrived from Tehran for medical treatment.

Mr. Iraj Ayman (now of Edinburgh) and Mr. Habib Hazari (of Sheffield) have been in London for a short while.

Meeting these dear friends has brought us great joy.

FINANCIAL REPORT

The Treasurer reports that by September 20th the financial situation has been as follows:

Total income.... £102. 10s. 0. Total outgoing.. £88. 3s. 6d.

The balance in hand is indeed small, considering we have no Centre at the present time, and must have one before long. Also we cannot make a substantial contribution to the National Fund, as we should. We are the largest Bahá'í Community in this country.

TUESDAY MEETINGS (7 p.m.) at 129 Ebury Street, S.W.1.

| October | 3rd | Isobel Slade |
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| October 1 | Oth | H.M. Balyuzi |
| October 1 | .7th | Edmund Cardell (visiting speaker from Brighton) |
| October 2 | 4th | Dorothy Ferraby |
| October 3 | lst | Mehrangiz Munsiff |

NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. <u>Centre</u> There is a possibility now of getting a Centre in the Earls Court area. However, it is dependent upon the sanction of the L.C.C.

2. <u>Public Speaking Classes</u> Following Classes can be arranged and are specially recommended by the Assembly:

Tuesdays and Thursdays: Voice Production. Wednesdays: Public Lecture Preparation. (Six in all)

(Cost 2/- to 2/6 per class. Those who can't pay can have special terms by arrangement.)

If interested please contact the Secretary.

3. Personal News

This Bulletin will publish your personal news. Have you any to share with your fellow-believers? Please send it to The Editor. (H.M. Balyuzi)