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"Of a truth, the believers of London, being steadfast servants, stand firm. They shall not slacken, nor, in the lapse of time, shall their light grow dim. For they are Bahá'ís, children of Heaven, and of the Light of the Godhead. Surely, without doubt, they shall be the cause of spreading God's Word, and the channel for spreading the Divine Teachings and bringing about the unity and equality of mankind.

"It is easy to accept the Kingdom, but it is difficult to endure therein for the tests are hard and heavy. On all occasions the English are firm and are not turned aside, being neither prone to begin a matter for a little while, nor ready to abandon it for a little reason through failing in zeal. Verily, in every undertaking they show firmness.

"Now, in thanksgiving for this bounty, pray for blessing upon the people of the world, till by light of the Kingdom of Splendour their eyes become illuminated and their hearts become even as mirrors attaining the rays of the Sun of Truth."

From a Tablet of 'Abdu'l-Bahá to the English believers, 1911.

Nineteen Day Feasts

Feast of 'Izzat, Tuesday, September 8th, 7.30 p.m.
Hosts: Rashid and Marzban Saroosh.
Feast of Mashíyyat, Sunday, September 27th, at 3.30 p.m.
Hosts: Kathleen Hyett and Margot Elliott-Smith.

Thursday Evening Meetings 7.45 for 8.0 p.m.

September 3rd	Torrey Pilgrim	September 17th	Renee Szanto
" 10th	Peter Kabisa	" 24th	-

Teaching Arising out of the discussion recently of the question of emphasis on teaching local people, we quote the following from a letter sent by the Custodians in Haifa to the N.S.A. of Central America:

"The beloved Guardian, as you know, always indicated that the primary emphasis of the teaching work in each country must be the attracting and confirmation of the native peoples who stand so greatly in need of the revitalizing Message of Bahá'u'lláh, and who will form a permanent foundation on which the future of the Faith can be built in each country."

The L.S.A. feels this indicates that we should concentrate on teaching the residents of Britain.

Message from the Treasurer This is a critical stage of the Crusade, and a critical stage in the London Fund. At the date of the last L.S.A. meeting we had spent £21 more than we have received. We urge everyone to think prayerfully about ways to increase the income of the Fund. The contributions of each one of us are a reflection on our faith in Bahá'u'lláh and our will to succeed in the Crusade.

Fireside Meetings

Mr. and Mrs. Wade - every Monday evening at 7.30 at 14 Northumberland Road, New Barnet.

Mr. and Mrs. Nikanpour, every Monday evening at 8 at 25 Nevern Mansions, Warwick Road, S.W.5.

Mr. and Mrs. McDermott, every Wednesday evening at 8 at 21 Palace Gate, S.W.7.

Miss V. Isenthal, every Friday evening at 8 at 95 The Avenue, West Ealing, W.13.

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