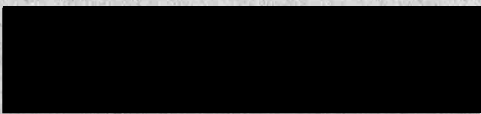


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To-The Secretary of the Clapham Branch.

This circular was sent to the Secretarys of all Branches.

The question of raising sufficient funds to ensure an effective Organisation has become of increasing importance at this stage of the League's development. Proposals are being laid before the Provisional Council at its next meeting on Friday, April 21st, to launch an Appeal in London for financial support for the League, and it is hoped that the Branches will co-operate in this attempt to put the League on a sound financial basis.

Until the details of the appeal have been worked out there is no need for the Branches to take any active steps, but we would welcome ideas for suggestions about the Appeal from members of the League.

It would be also very desirable if, at the next meeting of your Branch, you were to take steps to form an Entertainment Committee to arrange for the holding of functions of a social nature which would have the effect both of recruiting members and of raising revenue.

Another suggestion which has been made is for each Branch to undertake active canvassing for new members by door-to-door visiting. It may be possible for you to detail off voluntary workers for its object.

If you have not already done so I should be grateful if you forwarded to me a list of the paid up members in your area with subscriptions, and an account of any expenses which you may have incurred.