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Dearest daughter,

I went to the Sup. Court at 10.40 to hear the Goldman (Emma) + Birkman case. It did not begin until 1.40 + then court adjourned at 2 for 1/2 hr. I went back again after a bite of lunch in the Senate restaurant, but only staid a little while as I had work to do. I did some lobbying + then came back to Hdqtrs + signed letters + dictated batches of them. I am trying to count as much of the pledges made on Sunday as poss.

We have been having the most beautiful snow storm all day. Wash. is the loveliest city I know, I enjoy every phase of its beauty. I dare say it will all be melted tomorrow. Mary Cowan has been a joy to work for these days. I am going to let her go back tomorrow. What do I owe you dear for the cheque you gave her? I'll find out from her.

Miss Paul + Miss Younger + I dined at 5 at such a nice little restaurant + then I had an hour's rest (more) + here I am now at the N.A.W.S.A. meeting. Mrs. Catt is to speak on their [party?] we understand - so 8 of us are here in the front row of the top gallery, listening for the moment to secretly leave - they have all applauded some reference to the President, twice now. This meeting is so different from ours, it is really funny. Dr. Shaw is presiding. She wrote to me last night while she was sitting on the platform at their chapel meeting + said she would be looking for me this evening. She will see a bored countenance I fear.

There is danger of our bill being forced to a vote next week

and it means we all have to work hard to prevent such a disaster. We can get it through next month + we must shove it off. Fortunately the N.A.W.S.A thinks as we do, so they also will help stave it off.

Isn't the taking of Jerusalem too marvelous? Now the Jews [can] go back. Sec'y Lane is saying that some years ago the Kaiser entered Jerusalem through the city wall, in order to make the ~~Turks~~ ~~Turks~~ think he was a Mohammadan - and adds that he hopes the British will enter the city by way of Mount Calvary. Do you suppose he thinks Mt. Calvary is [inside] the city wall? Good bye dearest. It will be perfect to see you [soon]. Very lovingly
Mother