

# Mrs. Dilling Ordered Cited for Contempt For Trial Outburst

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Flares Up at Husband's  
Attorney, Questioning  
Her on Writings

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, March 27.—Judge Rudolph Resort yesterday instructed an attorney to draft an order citing Mrs. Elizabeth Dilling, author of "The Red Network," for contempt of court.

The action was taken in Superior Court, where she and her husband, Albert, have filed divorce suits against each other.

Her husband's counsel, Maurice T. Weinschenk, questioned her about authorship of "The Red Network," and "The Roosevelt Red Record and Its Background," and then asked if she had written any other books.

"Yes, I put out a book," she testified. "You know what the book is. It answers B'Nail B'Rith. It answers their attempts to shut every Christian mouth and prevent any one from getting a fair trial in this country."

Attorney Weinschenk demanded that she be held in contempt of court and the judge directed him to prepare such an order.

Mrs. Dilling later testified that the book was entitled "The Octopus."

The judge continued the hearing for a week. After adjournment, Mrs. Dilling addressed a remark to her husband. A woman deputy sheriff restrained her, and the Dillings were escorted into the jurist's chambers.

Earlier, she had exchanged words with Mr. Weinschenk and Judge Resort warned that he would hold her in contempt if there was "any outcry."

The subject of the hearing was a motion by Mrs. Dilling to vacate an injunction freezing her bank account.