

FRIENDS' CONFERENCE ENDORSES COUNCILS FOR DISARMAMENT

Endorsement of the Friends' Disarmament Council, the National Council for the Reduction of Armaments, the Eighteenth amendment, and the enforcement of law, were included in the closing minutes adopted by the General Conference of Friends, which adjourned Saturday. The minute follows:

"The Friends' General Conference in session in Richmond, Aug. 26 to Sept. 2, might well be called an epoch-making conference, the theme of which developed to be spiritual unity through fellowship. It opened with a clear setting forth of what various stages of society have called fundamentals, and has been characterized throughout by a sincere search for those cornerstones upon which we can build today, such as truth, righteousness and love.

The practical application of these principles was considered in the fields of education, industry and international, inter-racial and social relations. We are deeply concerned as we behold the strife and bitterness between races, classes and nations all over the world. Yet we have faith to believe that amid the universal turmoil, the seeds of enduring peace have been sown, and are growing wherever individuals and peoples are seeking better mutual understanding and a spirit of Christian co-operation.

"Feeling, as Friends, our urgent need to express our ideals in the life of our times, we are in sympathy with and endorse the Friends' Disarmament Council, the National Council for the Reduction of Armaments, the Eighteenth Amendment, and the enforcement of law.

"The keynote of spiritual unity has found further expression in some measure of achievement in the tasks definitely set before us at the beginning of the conference. We have taken preliminary steps toward the preparation of a uniform discipline, and the reorganization of the conference for greater effectiveness. The Young Friends' movement has been recognized and incorporated as a part of the central committee, by increasing the membership of this committee from 100 to 125, the additional members being appointed by the Young Friends of the various yearly meetings.

"The attendance of an unusually large number of young Friends made possible by the generosity of an interested friend, and their active interest in sessions of the conference, have helped to create a real fellowship, not only among our number, but with all Friends, and, in fact, with all seekers of Truth. We acknowledge, with profound gratitude, the living message of love and the spirit of goodwill and fellowship brought to us by our very dear English Friends, T. Edmund Harvey, Catherine T. Albright, Herbert Corder, Joseph Rowntree Gillett and Henry Tregelles Gillett. We have been blessed by their consecrated spirit.

"This conference has awakened a deep sense of spiritual unity through fellowship. In closing, we pray that we may be granted strength to carry home the inspirations received, that we may brighten our homes, strengthen our meetings and cheer all with whom we come in contact by reflecting in our lives the presence of God."

Work of Adventure
Work in the non-Christian lands of the world is the challenge to adventurous Christian young people with their courage and love of adventure of their forefathers still in their blood, declared Prof. Elbert Russell, head of the Woolman school, in his address Saturday morning. He spoke in the place of Prof. Charles Foster Kent, of Yale, who is ill.

"Now that the work of physical pioneering is done in America and we have laid the material foundations of our civilization, we may adventure again into the jungles of inhumanity and heathenism which confront the world. All these spiritual frontiers offer us opportunity to give expression to the love of adventure we inherit from the pioneers and to carry into our social and religious world the process of civilization."

BROTHERHOOD

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of inferiority and maintain control of the workers, employers have introduced the 'open shop' and individual bargaining known as the 'American plan.'

Study Problem.
"Fortunately for the workers they have become students of the 'open shop' question and through the propaganda circulated by the employers have become educated to the fact that a world-wide 'open shop' campaign has been launched for the purpose of destroying the trade unions.

"With this knowledge gained through reading 'open shop' propaganda, the workers have stood solidly against the establishment of a plan which may detract from their economic strength and tend to destroy the trade unions.

"The craft union workers have set their standard of intelligence, solidarity and determination in an advanced position against the 'open shop' and against the industrial self theory, and to stand united against the establishment of such conditions can mean nothing else but that those with other unjust and un-American standards will soon pass into history."

May Tie Up Finances
The injunction, brotherhood officials feared today may act to cut off brotherhood finances from use by the striking shopmen.

Bert M. Jewell, shermen leader, last week sent a form letter to the "big four" chiefs asking for financial aid. The Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers, Robertson's organization and the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers have been collecting funds among their memberships for the strikers.

Whether these funds would be turned over to the strikers could not be learned today.

Warren S. Stone, grand chief of the Engineers, and W. C. Lee, head of the trainmen, declined to comment on the injunction today until they had received a copy of it.

NAMED POSTMASTER

NEWCASTLE, Ind., Sept. 1.—Samuel J. Becklin, nominated by Congressman Elliott for the office of Newcastle postmaster, has just received a telegram announcing his election. Ed Smith, present incumbent, will vacate the office on Sept. 5.

BULL MOOSER IS NEBRASKA VICTOR



R. B. Howell.

The nomination of R. B. Howell for the U. S. senate in the recent Nebraska primaries was a defeat for the Republican machine in his state, political experts assert. Howell is city commissioner of Omaha and a former Bull Moose. He is Republican national committeeman from his state.

UNTER DEN LINDEN BECOMES CONEY OF GERMANY'S CAPITOL

(By Associated Press)
BERLIN, Sept. 2.—"Rubber-neck wagon" has become a standard German word and sightseeing tours about Berlin are supplied with all American trimmings.

"This is the German White House, the home of President Ebert," the conductors announce as they pass along Wilhelm street.

When the touring cars cross the bridge over the Spree, in sight of the lock which regulates the height of water in the highly-canalized stream, the conductors shout: "It's just like the locks on the Panama Canal, but not quite so big."

Unter den Linden is now busier than the avenues of Coney Island on a bright day, and half of the pedestrians are speaking English. The touring cars all start from Unter den Linden. Every two hours a flotilla of automobiles moves out of the famous boulevard loaded with tourists bent on getting a bird's-eye view of the German capital.

Guides Speak English
All guides speak both German and English. At least that is what the placards on the autobuses say. But the tax on the voices of the guides has been so great during the summer rush that many of them are too hoarse to be understood in any language.

Unter den Linden is no longer the quiet, dignified thoroughfare it was in imperial days. If the former Kaiser were to quit cutting trees at Dooge, long enough to visit his favorite thoroughfare, he would scarcely recognize it.

Miscellaneous traffic now moves along the boulevard and cars and cabs are parked everywhere. Cafes have extended their crowds far out on the sidewalks. Vendors of postcards are on all sides, and more ivory and amber ornaments are displayed than can be seen on the boardwalk at Atlantic City.

Blind soldiers led by poodles and crippled soldiers in invalid chairs offer matches for sale from Brandenburg Gate to the Royal Castle on the Spree. Flower-sellers, fruit vendors and book-peddlers have found places along the boulevard. Cabarets which advertise ballets notable chiefly for their warm weather costumes and moving-picture houses have flocked into Unter den Linden. It is the home of the tourist, and all the visitors who want to get their money's worth are centering there.

Centerville Culture Club To Hold Picnic Tuesday

CENTERVILLE, Ind., Sept. 2.—A picnic supper, followed by community games and a "general good time" will be held by the Centerville Home Culture club on Tuesday evening, Sept. 5. The picnic will be held on Thomas Ahl's lawn, and all members and friends are invited to attend. A basket supper will be eaten at 6 o'clock.

BIBLE AND U. S. FLAG TO PLAY IMPORTANT PART IN INSTRUCTION

"Back to normalcy" is the keynote in the Wayne county schools for the coming year, according to a letter just sent out by County Superintendent C. O. Williams. The letter orders teachers to resume teaching of the Bible and instruction in respect for the flag, subjects which were in the schools before the war.

Cure of the unrest of the present day and need for inspiring proper reverence for the flag among the citizens of tomorrow are needs which can be met by the public schools, according to the letter. It says:

"There is a great need just now that all educational agencies devote much thought to the cure of the unrest existing today and that we make our democracy safe by the education of our youth in right living, in love for our country, and in reverence and respect for a high moral standard. It is clear that patriotism and moral education lie in the work of the school. The one-sided insistence upon intellectual results is not sufficient and is a theory that is costing us dearly. We must return to the fundamentals for the training of character and complete living. Horace Mann always maintained that love of country and moral training were fundamental with the public schools.

Begin Program.
"This year we expect you to begin on a program to instill the minds of our youth with these ideas, and you are asked to carry out these directions. 'Every child must be taught that he owes a duty to his country to love it; to support its constitution; to obey the laws; and to defend it if necessary.' and 'Our Flag, the Symbol of Our Republic' will be the theme.

"We expect a flag to float from every school building, every hour the school is in session. Old or worn out flags should not be used, but one that is a fitting emblem for display and one that suggests reverence shall be used. One period each week in each room shall be devoted to teaching of Americanism, our country and the ideas of the flag represent.

"It is hard to conceive of teaching a high moral standard without a knowledge of the Bible. Aside from the character uplift and moral training, it contains the best literature of the world and a storehouse of the history of the race. The conception of right living and of our relation to our neighbor are not so well taught in any other book. We should help every child to feel the truth of universal law in the moral world and bring him to an understanding, and respect for things eternal and things divine and that these things are most worth while of all the learnings of mankind.

Will Read Bible
"You are therefore directed during one period each week in your room to read a chapter from the Bible and pupils be required to pay due respect to the reading of it.

"A Bible also should be upon your desk at all times. 'If you do not have a flag or unable to supply the Bible please inform this office and you will be supplied. I am sure you understand what motives prompt these directions and know that we must begin now as never before to develop a patriotic Americanism, and with it a high moral character in the minds of our youth, if we expect our form of government to remain safe.

"Respectfully,
"CHARLES O. WILLIAMS,
County Superintendent."

U. S. SERVES

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United States." He declared the injunction was not aimed at union labor and that the action was necessary to the preservation of the unions themselves.

Summary of Injunction
Briefly, the injunction restrains striking shopmen, their leaders and agents from:

Picketing.
In any manner by letters, circular, telegrams, telephone messages, word of mouth or by interview, encouraging any person to leave the employ of a railroad or to refrain from entering such employ.

Interfering or obstructing any railway.

Hindering inspection, repair or equipment of locomotives or cars.

Conspiring or agreeing to hinder railroads in the transportation of passengers, property and mails.

Interfering with employees going to or returning from work "by displays of force or numbers, threats, intimidations, acts of violence, opprobrious epithets, jeers, taunts or entreaties."

Loitering at or near places of ingress and egress for employees.

Trespassing on the premises of any railroad, or any other place except "where the public generally are invited to come to transact business."

Doing any injury or bodily harm to any employee of a railroad.

Greeks Concentrate Whole Army on Uchak Line

(By Associated Press)
ATHENS, Sept. 2.—General army headquarters has ordered concentration of the entire southern Greek army on the Uchak line in Asia Minor to make a definite stand against the advance of the Turkish nationalists. This maneuver is expected to relieve the situation considerably, and Minister of the Interior Stratos today expressed optimism over the outcome of the struggle. A Smyrna dispatch says that at 9 o'clock last night the Greek retreat toward Uchak was continuing and that thousands of women and children were fleeing ahead of the army to escape the Turks.

VIOLENCE ON

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400,000 Maintenance of Way men have completed preliminary submission of arguments in the request of the employees for an increase in the minimum wage scale before the railroad labor board. Seven days are requested in which both sides to the argument might prepare rebuttal statements. No indication of the course the board will pursue or just when a ruling will be made was given. The hearing began last Monday. The men sought an increase from the present minimum of 23 cents an hour to 43 cents. The presentation of their case consumed four days.

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fore the investigating board and questioned along these lines, it was learned.

MARION, Ill., Sept. 2.—The Illinois Chamber of Commerce, which has been demanding that the "blot of the Herrin massacre be wiped out," today was invited by the convention bureau of the Greater Marion association to "pass on through" Marion on its official tour of southern Illinois, instead of stopping here Sept. 28, as planned. This request was transmitted in a letter by R. B. Jackson, chairman of the convention bureau of the Greater Marion association, after the association had planned to entertain the touring delegates.

"The printed matter that you have put out on the subject (of Herrin)

A NOVEL INVENTION.



The young wizard of the air, Lawrence B. Sperry, is testing his latest invention—dropping the landing gear while in flight and landing on a pair of skids attached to the bottom of the plane. Gen. Mitchell, chief of the air service, says the invention will revolutionize aviation, making it possible to land in shorter spaces and also permit landing on rough hills.

has been very harsh," said Mr. Jackson's letter. "I do not believe the average business man in Marion is in a proper frame of mind to make a genial host for your party."

Police Court News

LEAVES CITY IN HASTE

C. L. Blagg arraigned on a charge of trespass, was warned to get out of town in a hurry in city court Saturday. He did.

Bay Pony Takes Place Of "White Mule" in Court

Daniel and Edward Gray, living east of town, arraigned on a charge of intoxication, were fined \$1 and costs each after conviction in city court Saturday. Both pleaded not guilty. Officials tried to get a connected account of the trouble which resulted in the arrest of the pair on the Underhill farm at 12:30 Saturday morning, but Daniel Gray, the father, was unable to tell them what was the matter.

"Did you have any white mule?" he was asked.

"No we were driving a bay pony," said Gray.

PASTOR OPENS FIGHT ON ANTI-DIVORCE LAW

NEW YORK, Sept. 2.—The Rev. Dr. Percy Stickney Grant, rector of the fashionable church of the Ascension on Fifth avenue, is planning a vigorous fight at the Portland, Ore., conference of the Episcopal church, this month, to sweep away the canon against remarriage of divorced persons. Dr. Grant today retired to the seclusion of a summer residence at Bedford Hills, N. Y., where he waited to see the effect of the first shot fired in his campaign. This took the form of a lengthy statement, distributed to all newspapers in which Dr. Grant made a strong assault on the anti-divorce law.

LEGISLATURE OF OHIO MAY CONVENE TO END PROFITEERING IN COAL

(By United Press)
COLUMBUS, Ohio, Sept. 2.—Calling of the legislature into extraordinary session to enact legislation to check profiteering in coal was regarded as a certainty here today after attorneys had pointed out a provision in the constitution which is interpreted as giving the state full power to regulate coal marketing.

Governor Davis, in Cleveland, had already definitely announced that a reasonable price for coal would be established, despite refusal of operators to accept state proposals, even if it is necessary to have another special session of the legislature to do so.

Provision in the constitution believed to give ample authority for such action reads as follows:

"Laws may be passed—to provide for the regulation of methods of mining, weighing, measuring and marketing coal, oil, gas and all other minerals."

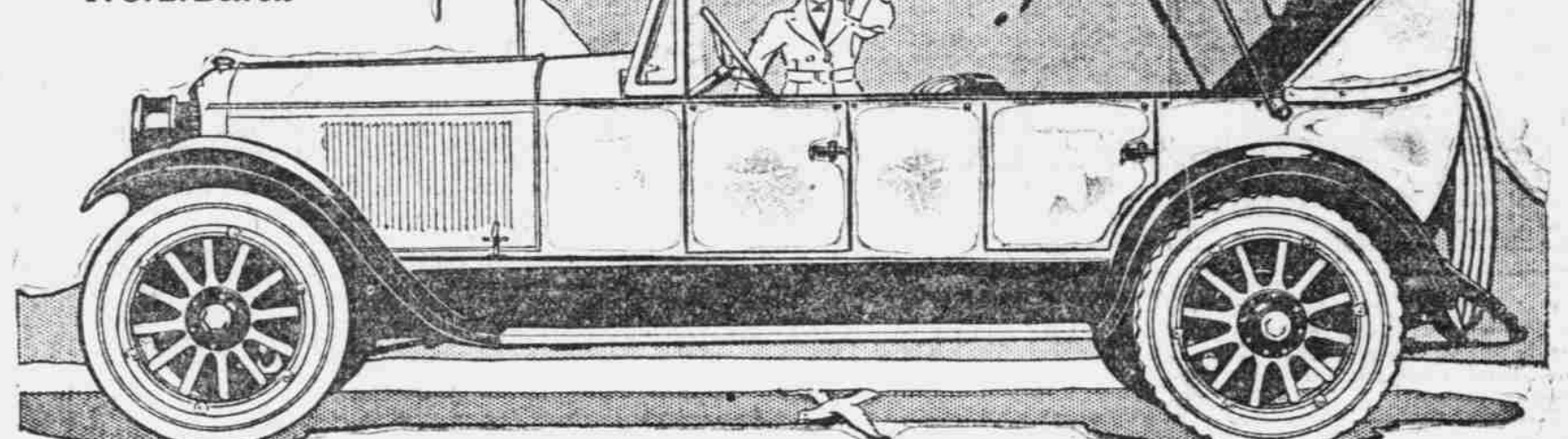
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