

The International Council of Women.

The International Council is a federation of the National Councils or Unions formed in various countries. The preamble to the Constitution indicates the bond of Union which unites the members together.

It runs as follows :—

We, women of all Nations, sincerely believing that the best good of humanity will be advanced by greater unity of thought, sympathy, and purpose, and that an organized movement of women will best conserve the highest good of the family and of the State, do hereby band ourselves in a confederation of workers to further the application of the Golden Rule to society, custom, and law.

[THE GOLDEN RULE—*Do unto others as ye would that they should do unto you.*]

OBJECTS OF THE INTERNATIONAL COUNCIL.

(a) To provide a means of communication between women's organizations in all countries.

(b) To provide opportunities for women to meet together from all parts of the world to confer upon questions relating to the welfare of the commonwealth and the family.

GENERAL COUNCIL.

1. This International Council is organized in the interests of no one propaganda, and has no power over its members beyond that of suggestion and sympathy; therefore, no National Council voting to become a member of the International Council, shall render itself liable to be interfered with in respect to its complete organic unity, independence, or methods of work, or shall be committed to any principle or method of any other Council, or to any utterance or act of this International Council, beyond compliance with the terms of this Constitution.

OFFICERS.

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