

Church; Wallace MacMullen, Metropolitan Temple, Methodist Episcopal; Samuel Trexler, head of the Lutheran Synod; W. Russell Bowie, Grace Church, Protestant Episcopal; J. Percival Huget, Tompkins Avenue Congregational Church; and many others. Also Rabbis Schulman, Krass, de Sola Pool and Stephen S. Wise.

Pastors in other cities: John Fort Newton, Overbrook Church, Philadelphia; Shailer Matthews, Chicago; J. B. Cranfill, Dallas: "A service for world peace unmatched in our history"; Robert Watson, Central Presbyterian Church, Boston: "I am enthusiastic over the presentation and feel that it must appeal to everyone who reads it and thinks of it constructively. . . . I am tremendously interested in the great work being accomplished by our great leader"; Jay T. Stocking, Pilgrim Congregational Church, St. Louis; Arthur Stanley Beale, Milwaukee; Ferdinand G. Blanchard, Cleveland; Peter B. Ainslie, Baltimore; Samuel Van Vracken, Buffalo; John Noble Pierce, First Congregational Church, Washington, D. C.; George Gilmour, Denver; Henry P. Dewey, Minneapolis; Frank E. Smith, Omaha; Chester B. Emmerson, Detroit.

THE WOMEN GETTING BEHIND IT

In putting out this proposal for approval we started with a list of eminent men. We have now come to realize that in this a very important field was neglected. We have just begun to present it to the women. When the peace-loving women of America and all the great women's organizations get behind it, as some of them have, success will be assured.

Among notable women already endorsing it are: Dr. Mary E. Woolley, United States official delegate to the Disarmament Conference and President of Mount Holyoke College; Mrs. Charles E. Simonson, Trustee Woodrow Wilson Foundation; Mrs. F. Louis Slade, Member Republican National Committee; Mrs. Edgerton Parsons, in eminent positions in councils of women, was observer of the Federation of Women's Clubs at the London Naval Conference; Mrs. Anna Garlan Spencer (now deceased), Professor Columbia University and eminent orator; Mrs. Philip North Moore, Honorary President, General Federation of Women's Clubs and of National Council of Women; Mrs. Lucia

Ames Mead, eminent peace advocate, author and lecturer; Mrs. Frank Day Tuttle, Chairman, Women's Pro-League Council; Miss Helen G. H. Estelle, Corresponding Secretary, New York State W. C. T. U.; Florence E. Allen, Justice Supreme Court of Ohio; Mrs. Laura Puffer Morgan, Associate Secretary National Council for the Prevention of War; Mary E. Converse, Mrs. Josepha Whitney, Mrs. Mary C. Fairchild, Mrs. Henry Phipps, Mrs. J. Frederick Talcott, Mrs. Frederick S. Chase; Mrs. Elizabeth Preston Anderson, President W. C. T. U. of North Dakota and prominent in other women's organizations; Miss Lillian D. Wald, Head of Henry Street Settlement; Dr. Valeria Parker, conspicuous advocate of peace; Mrs. Charles J. Reeder, who, as President of the New York State Federation of Women's Clubs, put it before the Executive Committee of that organization with its unanimous endorsement the result; Mrs. Caroline Florence Lexow, President of the Women's University Club, heartily endorses as an individual, the club having a rule forbidding its own endorsement of any public proposal; Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt signed with other distinguished Americans our outlawry of war proposal to President Coolidge, which was in effect the same; Mrs. F. B. Thurber, Jr., approves "with great pleasure." Mrs. Hannah Clothier Hull, National President; Miss Dorothy Detzer, Executive Director, and Miss Amy Woods, another director of the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom, warmly support.

180,000 ENDORSERS NOT MENTIONED

To get a fair idea of the overwhelming support behind it, let it be mentioned that following the early urging of this proposal upon President Coolidge and Secretary Kellogg in 1927, the Federal Council of Churches took to the President a petition bearing 182,782 signatures which declared that "war should be renounced by civilized nations and should be a crime by specific provision of international law."

Could there be better proofs of the immense popularity of the proposal? The President and the Senate that causes its enactment will receive the overwhelming support and the applause of the people.