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CONGRESS OF AMERICAN WOMEN

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WE ARE THE CONGRESS OF AMERICAN WOMEN . . .

. . . a national organization of American women. We are the American arm of the Women's International Democratic Federation, organized in Paris in 1945 by women from 44 countries, to work for a lasting peace and a world free from fascism. Today the WIDF numbers 81 million women the world over, and has consultant status with the Economic and Social Commission of the United Nations.

. . . CAW has active chapters in New York, Los Angeles, Chicago, Pittsburgh, Detroit, and other cities. Find out if the CAW exists in your town, and if not, remember that **TEN WOMEN ANYWHERE CAN START ANYTHING**, including a new CAW branch.

. . . CAW supports itself through dues payments, voluntary contributions, and fund-raising activities. CAW acts through its three commissions to carry out its program.

WHAT WE STAND FOR . . .

Strengthening and extending democracy in the United States
Unity of all peoples for a just and enduring peace
Full social and economic rights for women
Food for the hungry peoples. No interference in their political affairs

WHAT WE ARE AGAINST . . .

Fascism in any form at home or abroad
Discrimination because of race, color, sex, creed or beliefs
High prices
Universal military training
Manufacturing atom bombs as a threat to world peace

WHAT WE DO . . .

Detroit—CAW members sparked a city-wide consumer protest against soaring meat prices—lined up community, church, trade union, retail support for "50c meat week"—enlisted the sponsorship of the Mayor and the City Council—spear-headed the biggest organized movement against high prices ever seen in Detroit!

Chicago—CAW chapter organized a city-wide movement to protect day nurseries and nursery schools against the attacks of city politicians—and won! Now they're battling to increase child-care facilities. They also sent a petition for peace with 10,000 signatures to UN Secretary General Trygve Lie.

Again and again CAW delegations to Washington have protested our foreign policy, high prices, rent increases. CAW members have collected thousands of petition signatures demanding price control, peace, democratic relief for hungry peoples abroad. CAW chapters have adopted a hospital in Poland, a children's home in Yugoslavia, hungry families in France, and sent over clothing, food, medical supplies, toys.

Women who must divide their precious time between young children, and a household or a job, have found in the Congress of American Women an organization through which they can

- inform themselves
- express their views
- act together with other women for a secure future and a better world for all of us.

OFFICERS

DR. GENE WELTFISH	<i>President</i>
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AFFILIATES

Among the many affiliated organizations who cooperate with us in our program are:

Hollywood Women's Council
Child Study Group, Cleveland, O.
Emma Lazarus Div., Jewish Peoples Fraternal Order, IWO
National Association of Colored Women, Inc.
Henry St. Settlement Adult Council, N.Y.C.
Teachers Union, Local 155, UPWA, CIO, N.Y.C.
United Electric, Radio & Machine Workers of America, District 6, CIO
Croatian Women's Council, Detroit, Mich.
Illinois Association for Colored Women
Ladies Auxiliary, Painters Union, District 9, AFL
American-Serbian Democratic Women's Committee, Pittsburgh
Illinois Parents Council for Nursery Schools
Central Council of American Women of Croatian Descent, Pittsburgh

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Name

Street

City or Borough..... Zone.....

Occupation

I wish to become a member of the Congress of American Women for one year.

I enclose \$1.00 for Regular Membership. \$3 for Contributing Membership. \$5 \$10 \$25 \$50 \$100 for Donating Membership.

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