Pacifism

While holding no brief for aggressive militarism, we repudiate the pacifism of Protestant Religious Modernism as represented by the Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America. Therefore, be it resolved that we commend to the Congress of the United States a Universal Military Training which should serve as a deterrent to any nation with aggressive tendencies; such training to make available at the same time, a strong spiritual program, based on the Bible as the Word of God, which we believe to be, in the final analysis, America's greatest line of defense.

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