

STATE FEDERATION MUST HAVE POWER

Resolution Adopted At Rock Hill Meet. Should Set Time and Conditions of Organization Campaigns.

Rock Hill, Sept. 29.—A resolution declaring each state federation of labor and the United Textile Workers of America should jointly determine "when and how" an organization campaign should be conducted among textile operatives was adopted today at the closing session of the two Southern labor conferences.

The resolution as adopted was a compromise reached after Louis P. Marquardt, secretary-treasurer of the Georgia Federation of Labor, had introduced one which would have put the conference on record as favoring leaving the decision as to when and how organization work should be conducted in each state up to that state's labor organization.

The state federations of labor are the state governing units of the American Federation of Labor with which the United Textile Workers of America is affiliated.

Marquardt's resolution was bitterly opposed by Francis J. Gorman, international vice-president of the United Textile Workers of America.

"Don't put us in the position where we must sacrifice our rights to the state organization," he pleaded.

Marquardt cited instances where he said Georgia labor had been injured by organizers who "drifted in and stirred up turmoil and left it to the state organization to carry on."

"The inference is left," said Alfred Hoffman, representative of the United Textile Workers and the hosiery workers in North Carolina, "that we go crashing into a local city where we are not wanted."

In the compromise the resolution was made to read: "That each state federation of labor and the United Textile Workers of America shall determine when and how campaigns shall be conducted."

Previously the resolution had read: "That it be the consensus of this conference that each state federation of labor shall determine when and how an organization campaign among the textile workers is to be conducted in their particular state."

The introduction of the resolution had brought Gorman instantly to his feet.

"I wonder what is the intent of such a resolution. We always consult a state federation, but I am merely trying to protect our sovereign rights. I feel certain we reserve the right of going in where we please to conduct a

campaign. I honestly think that to give the state federation the entire power would reflect on the United Textile Workers of America. Don't let it go out of here that we are not capable."

Dowell E. Patterson, president of the South Carolina Federation of Labor, defended Marquardt's position, declaring, "I think we know the economic conditions better in a particular locality. We are not trying to take anything from the United Textile Workers."

Today's meeting again saw the "Communists" excluded from the gathering. At the opening this morning Gorman again announced that "Communists are not welcome" and asked any to retire. There was no movement among the members of the audience.

"I'll ask the brother on the right who is reading the newspaper if he is sympathetic with us," Gorman said.

The man so queried arose and said he was.

"What is your name?"

"Carter."

"Is there any objection to Brother Carter remaining?"

There was no voiced objection and the man, who later gave his name as H. R. Carter of Atlanta, sat through the meeting.

A committee was appointed today which was called the Southern textile organizing council. It is to have charge of the selection of a place for a second Southern labor conference. It personnel contains: Francis J. Gorman, chairman; William Ross of Marion, N. C., hosiery workers' organization secretary; Paul J. Aymon, president of the Tennessee State Federation of Labor; W. C. Birthright, secretary of the Tennessee Federation of Labor; Dowell E. Patterson, president of the South Carolina Federation of Labor; J. E. Powell and J. S. Hall, vice-presidents of the South Carolina State Federation of Labor; Louis Marquardt, secretary and treasurer of the Georgia Federation of Labor; George L. Gooze, Georgia representative of the American Federation of Labor; T. A. Wilson, president of the North Carolina Federation of Labor; John S. Peel, vice-president of the North Carolina Federation of Labor; Alfred Hoffman, North Carolina representative of the United Textile Workers of America; Miss Matilda Lindsay, Virginia representative of Woman's Trade Union League; Vernon Allen, South Carolina organization of the United Textile Workers of America.

Another resolution was adopted today asking that the American Federation of Labor at its Toronto meeting "take up and consider the necessity of more organizers representing the

South Carolina Presbyterians To Raise Large Sum for Activities

Clinton Presbyterians will be interested in the following summary of the work of synod in Anderson last week.

The adoption of a budget of \$330,000 was the principal matter before the synod, it is stated. Much discussion took place before the budget was finally adopted.

Of the total, 51 per cent is for the state synod and presbyteries. Of the 37 per cent assigned to synod work, the bulk of this amount goes to the educational institutions of the state. Presbyterian college heading the list with 11 per cent, while Chicora is given 7.5 per cent, Columbia seminary 5.6 per cent and Thornwell orphanage 5.5. For home mission work the synod allotted 4.4 per cent and the historical commission .5 per cent.

Budget Outlined

The budget, as adopted upon the recommendation of the committee on synod's work provides for the expenditure of the \$330,000 as follows:

Foreign missions	27.0
Assembly's home missions	14.3
Chris. ed. and min. relief	7.0
Religious edu. and publication	1.7
Assem. training school	.5
Bible cause	.5
Total for assembly	51.0

Synod's home missions	4.4
Presbyterian college	11.0
Chicora college	7.5
Columbia seminary	5.6
Thornwell orphanage	5.5
Historical commission	.5
Com. on synod's work	1.0
(For worker in religious education, committee expenses, executive secretary, etc.)	
Total for synod	37.0
Presbytery's home missions	12.0
Total for synod and presbytery	49.0

Grand totals	100.0
Division of the budget among the presbyteries calls for each to raise the following sum:	
Bethel, \$65,000; Charleston, \$21,000;	

American Federation of Labor and its affiliated international union in the Southern states.

Just prior to adjournment Mr. Aymon discussed the situation at Elizabethton, Tenn., asserted the strike vote last week was not a just one. He said the majority of the workers favored a strike and predicted that the attitude of the company would be changed when these results of a vote being taken now were announced next week.

Congaree, \$35,000; Enoree, \$75,000; Harmony, \$31,000; Pee Dee, \$33,000; Piedmont, \$30,000, South Carolina, \$40,000, totaling \$330,000.

Other recommendations approved are as follows:

"That the recommendations on stewardship, pages 86 and 87, minutes of the assembly, 1929, be commended to presbyteries and church sessions.

"That treasurers of churches, Sunday schools, auxiliaries and treasurers of all organizations are asked to remit regular benevolent offerings thru presbytery's central treasurers.

"That the secretaries of stewardship in the presbyteries be requested to meet with the sub-committee on stewardship each year for conference in the preparation of this report.

"That ministers preach at least once a year on stewardship of money and acquaint their people with the needs of the causes.

"That our churches and people be urged to support the budget fully.

"That Thornwell orphanage be authorized to make a special appeal for \$36,000 as has been done in the past.

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Bolt Absolved In Wife's Death

Laurens, Sept. 27.—Lawrence Bolt, Laurens county farmer, tonight stood absolved of guilt in connection with his wife's death last June 24 after trial in general sessions court here on a charge of murder.

The jury early today brought in a verdict of "not guilty" after deliberating overnight. It received the case at 8 o'clock Thursday night and was ready with its findings when court convened this morning.

One of the final witnesses, in the case was Bolt, himself, who testified he deeply loved his wife at the time the tragedy took place. He said she had threatened to commit suicide and that he was of opinion this was what happened. He denied all charges. He admitted infidelity with a woman who was living in his home at the time.

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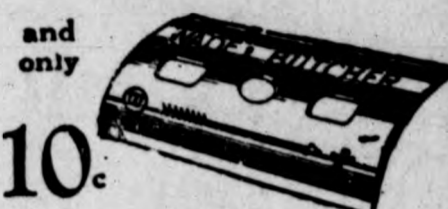
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