

easily available. We have no right to unload upon the youth of today the burden of our adversity.

"We, therefore, declare our faith in the arts. Curtailments in educational budgets must not be permitted to affect vitally the cultural subjects, especially music. Avocations as well as vocations must be provided for the sake of the present times and for the days of larger leisure which lie ahead."

PARTICIPATING ORGANIZATIONS

The following organizations expressed sympathetic interest in the formulation and dissemination of the foregoing platform by: (1) Appointing official and accredited delegates to attend the meeting; or (2) sending unofficial observers; or (3) offering cooperation in the follow-up; or (4) notifying a member to be present at the meeting.

American Association of University Women.³
 American Association of University Professors.
 American Choral and Festival Alliance.³
 American Council on Education.
 American Farm Bureau Federation.
 American Federation of Teachers.³
 American Home Economics Association.
 American Legion.³
 American Society of Composers, Authors, and Publishers.³
 American Vocational Association, Inc.³
 Arizona Education Association.³
 Association for Childhood Education.³
 California-Western School Music Conference.³
 Chicago Artists Association.³
 Chicago Council of Teachers of Singing.
 Chicago High School Music Teachers Club.³
 Colorado Education Association.³
 Council of Past Presidents, MENC.³
 Eastern Music Educators Conference.³
 Eastman Foundation.³
 Girl Scouts.
 In-and-About Chicago Music Educators Club.³
 In-and-About Pittsburgh Music Teachers Club.
 International Society for Crippled Children, Inc.
 Iowa State Teachers Association.
 Jewish Peoples Institute.³
 Jewish Welfare Board.³
 Joint Commission on the Emergency in Education.³
 Lions International.³
 Los Angeles, Calif., High School Teachers Association.³
 Maine Teachers' Association.
 Massachusetts Federation of Teachers.
 Massachusetts League of Women Voters.
 Michigan Education Association.³
 Milwaukee State Teachers College.
 Minnesota Congress of Parents and Teachers, Inc.³
 Minnesota Education Association.³
 Mississippi Congress of Parents and Teachers.³
 Montana Education Association.³
 Music Education Research Council, MENC.³
 Music Education Exhibitors Association.³
 Music Industries Chamber of Commerce.³
 Music Publishers Association of the United States.³
 Music Educators National Conference.³
 Music Teachers National Association.³

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