Whereas the present international system contains a dangerously high probability of catastrophic war.

Therefore be it resolved that the AAAS commends Congress and the President for appointing a Commission on proposals for the National Academy of Peace and Conflict Resolution and expresses the hope that such an Academy will be established, with the ability to mobilize the scientific community for information exchange and research into the processes by which stable peace and disarmament can be generated and the probability of war reduced.

Memorial Statement

The Council approved the following statement drafted by T. C. Byerly on behalf of the Board.

Elvin Charles Stakman, 1885–1979

E. C. Stakman was a major participant in the development and implementation of methods and institutions for the control of wheat rusts. His contribution to their control is a major and continuing factor in the assurance of the world's bread supplies. Rusts are fungal diseases which have destroyed bread wheat crops in many countries. Losses in the USA in the 1916 war year were estimated at two hundred million bushels.

Dr. Stakman was co-discoverer of the first biological race of Puccinia graminis tritici, the phytopathogen. More than 200 such races are now known. He organized the barberry eradication program initiated in the U.S. Department of Agriculture in 1917 to eliminate this host plant on which the rust pathogen undergoes sexual reproduction, resulting in new, sometimes virulent, biological rust races. He organized the Federal Cereal Rust Laboratory and participated in the establishment of International Rust Nurseries that are now operated in more than fifty countries to identify new, virulent rust races so that new wheats resistant to them may be bred promptly.

Dr. Stakman participated in the establishment of the cooperative Mexico-Rockefeller Foundation corn and wheat improvement program (CIMMYT) in 1943. Wheats developed in that program have increased the bread supplies for Mexico and for many other countries.

He was President of the AAAS in 1949. He served on the United States Atomic Energy Commission, 1948-54, and on the National Science Board, 1951-54. He was author or coauthor of more than 300 scientific papers and two books. He was given six honorary doctorates by universities in the United States, England, and Germany. He received the first Award of Distinction from the American Phytopathological Society and was the recipient of the first Cosmos Club Award.

The AAAS Board of Directors and Council join in the tribute to Dr. Stakman which was published in the March 1979 issue of *Phytopathology*: "In his passing, we his former students and associates, and men of many degrees in many lands, feel a sense of deep personal loss—he was a mighty champion for science, intellectual enlightenment, and improvement of human welfare."

Sense-of-the-Meeting Statements

The Council adopted two statements drafted by Robert D. Allen, as follows:

1) Genocide. It is the sense of the meeting that the AAAS deplores any form of genocide, regardless of its motivation or causes. Consequently, the recent and continuing loss of a substantial portion of the Cambodian population causes in every member a sense of profound helplessness and despair.

2) Amazonian Ecosystem and Human Populations. It is the sense of the meeting that the Chair be asked to express to the Brazilian Government, by whatever means is appropriate, the concern of the Council for the integrity of the Amazonian ecosystem and the welfare and continued existence of the indigenous Amazonian human populations.

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