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THE AIMS OF THE EUROPEAN FEDERALIST MOVEMENT

1. A European policy conducted by a European Government and controlled by a European Parliament. The latter would comprise two Houses : a House of Commons, the member of which would be elected by universal suffrage; and a House of States, the members of which would be chosen by national parliaments. The Federal Government would, within the limits fixed by a Constitution, dispose of the necessary power in the political, economic and military fields, to take and apply all measures of common interest.
2. A European Federal policy which could effectively guarantee the freedom of individuals, groups, cities and organisations against the abuse of power by national governments.
3. A European economic and social council which would, within the framework of the larger possibilities offered by a united Europe, pursue an active, bold, continuous and balanced policy of social construction, aimed at rising living standards.
4. A Court of Justice which would effectively guarantee the rights of men and organisations, recognised by a European Federal Charter.
5. To open up to labour and youth a future of progress, social justice and the possibility of accession to new responsibilities which do not exist within the obsolete framework of nation states.
6. To undertake, without thought of domination, concerted and effective action on a European scale, on behalf of the less developed countries, and associate them with Europe within a federalist perspective.
7. To hasten the coming into effect of the Common Market, and complete its organisation by introducing a common currency, so as to put an end to all hindrances to the free movement of people, goods and capital.
8. To suppress or effectively control all monopolies, so that the European economy will be at the service of the consumers and not an instrument in the hands of a few privileged groups, whether private or State-controlled.
9. To institute European teaching, with books written in a federalist spirit, so as to protect the rising generation from a spirit of narrow nationalism, and prepare it to play a constructive rôle in Europe and the world.

