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Peace History Conference 2014

Alternative Voices of World War One: the courage of their convictions

Saturday 11 October

at the Imperial War Museum
Lambeth Road, London SE1

Organised by:
the Movement for the Abolition of War
in association with the Imperial War Museum
and the International Peace Bureau

Saturday 11 October Programme

Peace History Conference

9.30 Registration

10.00 Welcome by **Terry Charman**, senior historian at the Imperial War Museum and introduction by **Sheila Hancock CBE** (*subject to professional commitments*)

10.30 Talk and discussion: **Cyril Pearce** (author of *Comrades in Conscience*) on 'Communities of Resistance: patterns of dissent in Britain during the First World War'

11.30 Coffee / tea break

12.00 Three portraits:

1. **Ingrid Sharp** (Co-editor of *The Women's Movement in Wartime. International Perspectives 1914-1919*) on 'Challenging the war machine: German peace activism during the First World War'

2. **Clive Barrett** (author of *Subversive Peacemakers: War Resistance 1914-1918*) on 'The Peace Movement reformed, 1914: the context and origins of the Fellowship of Reconciliation'

13.00 Lunch and museum visit

14.00 3. **Heloise Brown** (author of '*The Truest Form of Patriotism': Pacifist Feminism in Britain 1870-1902*) on 'Priscilla Peckover, Peace Campaigner of Wisbech'

14.30 **Common Ground** – Drama produced by Speaking in Tongues Theatre Company with performances by young women from across Europe. Based on original accounts by women who went to The Hague International Women's Congress in 1915.

15.15 Tea / coffee break

15.45 Talk and discussion: **John Gittings** (author of *The Glorious Art of Peace*) on 'Interpreting World War One: a critical assessment of how it is being commemorated'

16.45-17.00 Announcements from the floor and closing remarks

- If you would like to take part in this conference please fill in the booking form over the page and send it with a cheque made out to MAW – or book online at www.abolishwar.org.uk All registrations will be acknowledged.
- Your registration will include tea/coffee morning and afternoon. There is a good café at the IWM for lunch and several others in the area, or you can bring your own sandwiches.
- Concessions and costs. We have kept the registration fee as low as possible in order not to exclude anyone. To balance the books there will have to be outside fundraising. Concession prices are only for full time students.
- If you are able to make a donation on top of the fee it would be much appreciated.
- Registration. Please come early. We will have several teams doing the registration from 9.30 am onwards but we do want to make sure that the first speakers are not interrupted once they have started.
- The timetable is outlined here, though the order of speakers could change.
- During the conference there will be an opportunity to hear from participants about the peace history projects they are engaged in. If you wish to advertise such a project please bring an A4 poster describing the key elements and contact details.
- We regret that MAW cannot undertake visa applications, accommodation or travel.
- Registration fees: £15 early bird (book by 31st August) £20 standard; £5 full time student.