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Dear Mr. desCognets:

The valuable encouraging response which you have given to our movement needs just one thing more to be complete - and that is, your personal attendance at the Chicago Conference on March 4th.

Our movement has received widespread publicity and will be a vital factor in the fateful decision on profit repeal to be made FREDERICK R. COUDERT, JR. at the Republican National Convention. We urge you to make a personal sacrifice of your time in order that we shall have the benefit of your counsel at the meeting in Chicago.

> One of our great newspaper publishers said recently that our movement was epoch making and one of our best known Congressman said that the movement was making American history.

We realize that for those who live at a distance from Chicago, your visit will involve postponing business and social engagements, and also the expenditure of some money. On the other hand, we are firmly convinced that you now have an opportunity to do something for the wet cause for the Republican Party, and for your Country which may never be presented again. I trust that the strength of your principles will lead you to take one of the trains from all parts of the country which will arrive in Chicago on the morning of March fourth.

The conference will be held at the Blackstone Hotel, and there will be a morning and afternoon session, an informal lunch and a dinner. The morning session will convene at 10:30 o'clock, A.M. At the dinner, men of National prominence will speak.

> Included on the docket of the conference will be: Resolution demanding a repeal plank in the platform of the Republican Party. Publicity for a repeal plank movement. Appointment of permanent officers of our Committee. Appointment of a ways and means Committee, which will work for wet delegates, arrange publicity, form local committees and otherwise further the movement. Extension of our organization

This invitation assumes that you are a Republican and are in favor of an unequivocal repeal Plank in the platform of the Republican Party in 1932. Please use the enclosed acceptance in making reservations for the Conference.

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Chairman, Republican Citizens Committee Against National Prohibition