

Baha'is Set World Peace Day, Sept. 17

WILMETTE, Ill. — World Peace Day will be observed Sunday, Sept. 17, by the Baha'is of the United States.

Initiated a year ago, this year's theme will stress edu-

cation for world peace.

The question immediately arises, says Charles Wolcott, secretary of the Baha'i National Assembly, as to what kind of education will assure peace? Education of our young people in the sciences? Our teachers in the art of teaching? Peoples in underdeveloped countries to become economically more self-reliant? Those are good, but will they in themselves assure peace?

Baha'is believe not, Wolcott stated. They believe that such education cannot be effective unless and until America takes the lead in educating all men in the knowledge of the unity of mankind and of religion.

This knowledge, declared Wolcott, has already been revealed a century ago through Him Whom Christians look for: Christ returned in the Spirit of the Father; and whom the Jews expect; the

Lord of Hosts. That One has appeared. His new name is Baha'u'llah (t h e Glory of God). His teachings reveal the knowledge and promote the spirit that unite the hearts of men everywhere.

The fruits of these teachings, Wolcott added, are seen in the fact that already some 5 million people in over 250 countries and territories are acting on this knowledge to bring about world peace.