

**LOOKING AT WASHINGTON**

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 maintained by the disinclination of peoples to fight wars. It can be bolstered if the peoples of the world give evidence of a willingness to surrender some degree of national sovereignty in order to effectually organize the governments and institutions of the earth in the cause of peace.  
 Recently, Irwin D. Canham, editor of The Christian Science Monitor, declared that "the world's hope for peace does not lie with the politicians and diplomats; it lies with the people." This is correct from a long-

range point of view, but unless the peoples of the world can be represented by "politicians and diplomats" able and willing to translate the popular desire for peace into the machinery of peace, there will be no reasonable expectation of peace.  
 The problem is not, as Mr. Canham asserts, one of opening "the channels by which people speak to peoples." In the present development of the world, peoples speak to peoples through officials who represent the respective populations. This is about the only process by which the conversation can be carried along, because it is obviously impossible for peoples in the millions to conduct negotiations or make agreements with other peoples, likewise in the millions.

Let us take the United States and China as an example. How in the world can the four-hundred-million people of China talk to the 140,000,000 people in the United States? Obviously, the people of both countries must be represented by agents in whom they have implicit confidence. These agents can only be the duly constituted representatives of the nations that include the mass populations.

In view of what has happened in the world, it would be suicidal for the people of the United States to conclude that the people of any other country desire peace so strongly that this country needs no preparedness and no machinery of government to act on international problems. The aggressive dictators have demonstrated how far the ruthless leadership can go in mobilizing people and resources for sinister purposes.

The Communist minority in Russia gives us a similar example. Regardless of the will of the Russian people for peace, which we may grant exists, the rulers of Russia can cast the lot for war and utilize the human and natural resources of Russia in the conflict.

The question is not whether our officials are ready to play a peaceful role in world affairs. It is whether the people of this country will support an intelligent program, including recognition of world responsibility

and a willingness to make a contribution for world improvement that is in proportion to our resources and ability. This question has not yet been answered and there are evidences of a rising isolationism, coupled with expressions that seemingly reflect a response to greed.

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This 15 day of November, 1947.  
 MARY LINDA UMPHLETT,  
 Executrix of James T. Umphlett.  
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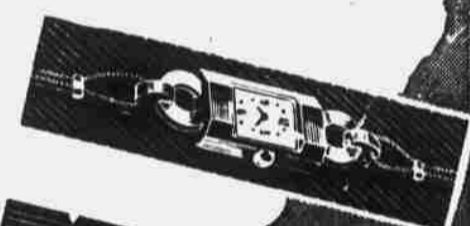


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