

any evidence to contrary, e.g. talking neutrality - gives

succor and support to those who are opposed to

- (1) Canada; - *no defence & invites attack,*
- (2) British Commonwealth;
- (3) The democracies.

Declarations of Neutrality in advance are of this character -

they are a "contracting out";

no guarantee they will respect ~~time~~ ^{when} time comes;

what we deem neutrality may not be so regarded by others;

How be neutral if civilization itself were at stake

e.g. world anarchy

civilization depends on survival of British Empire;

Obligation

League of Nations;

British Commonwealth;

Only position, not automatic -

Let Parliament decide.

*- must be people
have their representatives*