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States and Norway. Repeated warnings were in fact given the Finnish government that if it persisted in the invasion of purely Russian territory, a situation would arise in which a declaration of war would become inevitable. It was made equally clear that if Finland should end her war against Russia and withdraw to her 1939 frontiers - not those of 1941 - every consideration would be given to proposals for guaranteeing her present and future security, and to measures for economic co-operation.

In spite of these warnings, however, and, indeed, in spite of the repeated protests of large sections of the Finnish people both in their homeland and abroad, the present Finnish regime has persisted in its armed support of the Nazis; has become, indeed, an Axis ally in a general war.