

to give up their claims on the territory now held by the other side. What they would be asked to give up of course is the use of military means to achieve their aspirations. In other words, negotiations for a cease-fire need not involve any question of the final disposition of the territory in dispute; for in our view this is a suitable matter for international negotiation at a later date through the United Nations or otherwise.

I am sure this House will particularly welcome the closing paragraph of the President's message which is as follows:

"Our purpose is peace. That cause will be served if we demonstrate our unity and our determination. In all that we do we shall remain faithful to our obligations as a member of the United Nations to be ready to settle our international disputes by peaceful means in such a manner that international peace and security, and justice, are not endangered."

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