

The new phase on which we may be embarking shortly may offer new opportunities for developing the international peace-keeping machinery envisaged in the Charter to replace efforts in the field which have so far had to be accomplished by ad hoc improvisation. The problem for a country like Canada will be to decide how much of our limited military resources to put into the deterrent forces which will have to be maintained for a long time to come and how much to devote to developing international machinery for the preservation of peace, conscious that such machinery probably represents the character of the future.

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