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Quoted Mr Mackenzie King as say that objective **6246376**-**A** Canada was the overthrow of National Socialism in Germany and not Germany itself. This, said the announcer, was in flat contradiction with the officially declared aims of France which meant the destruction of the Reich. Announcer also quoted the ^Prime Minister as saying that **Hammany** ^C anada intended to participate in post-war peace negotiations and would oppose **thumman** such another injustice as the Treaty of Versailles. Canada, the ^Prime Minister was further quoted as saying, had no desire to make sacrifices which would only lead to new conflicts.

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If those were the views of the Prime Minister of Canada, the announcer continued," we are entitled to ask for what reason Canada is taking part in the European war at all." Why, then, should the blood of French-Canadians be shed?"

G.H. Ottawa, March 4, 1950



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