

have establishments of joint interest to the Americans and to ourselves in our territory. But all that is done by arrangement whereby it is recognized that in our territory we are sovereign; in their territory they are sovereign.

Question: Inaudible

It frequently happens that people have diverging views and that an outsider can be a little bit more objective but not by imposing anything but merely by suggesting what would appear to him as a reasonable course to follow. I know from the quarrels that we have had at home that sometimes we consider that our English-speaking fellow-Canadians were not being very objective about us and I have no doubt that they feel that we were not being very objective about them. We were able to finally get on to common ground and arrange matters. Perhaps if we had been separate nations the Province of Quebec on one side and the other English-speaking parts of Canada on the other side, there might have been occasions when we would have come to real active conflict. But that was not the condition in which we lived. We are all in one country and have to live together, and so we decided to work together.

Question: Are you going to mediate between Pakistan and India over Kashmir?

Oh no. Some newspaper said that I was going to try to poke my nose into other people's business. That is not the purpose of my visit. I want to leave better relations between Canada and the countries I visit after my visit than I found before I attempted the visit, and I am old enough to know that the way to do that would not be by attempting to tell the statesmen of other countries that I knew more about the way to conduct their affairs than they do.

Question: Do you think the Commonwealth should present a solution of the colour problem in South Africa?

I have never been in South Africa. It is a very anxious problem down there. There has been and there still is in many parts of the world discrimination on lines of colour, lines of race, lines of religion. We are all trying to overcome it. We are all trying to realize that that is intolerable. I do not know enough about the situation there. I am very happy that we have not a situation in Canada similar to the situation which appears to exist in South Africa.

Question: Could your visit to India and Pakistan contribute to peace between the two?

I would hope that the relations between India and Pakistan would before very long be the kind of relations that exist between the United States and Canada. A century ago, you know, we were very much afraid of them and that was why, that was the spur which urged us on to unite and to try to work together. During my life-time the relations have been very much improved, though we still feel that they have pretty high tariffs and that we would be very much better off if their tariffs weren't so high. We think that ultimately they might be better off too, but of course they are the masters of their tariffs