

the United States of America ~~in the pursuit of their~~
~~common purposes and aims,~~ lies the surest guarantee of
international peace, and of the furtherance of the
well-being of mankind throughout the world.

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We rejoice, Mr. President, that your visit
to Canada's Capital comes at a moment when ^{for the first} combined
~~time in our long history as close neighbors, soldiers of~~
British, United States and Canadian forces, ~~have~~ entering
~~Canada~~ ^{and the United States have fought shoulder to}
upon the liberation of the conquered countries of Europe
~~shoulder side by side in the occupation of Sicily~~
have succeeded in occupying the island of Sicily in
the Mediterranean, and when the combined operations of
United States and Canadian forces have completed the
successful occupation of the Aleutian Islands in the North
Pacific.

~~The island of Sicily has been liberated by a~~
~~combined British~~ ^{combined}
~~In the liberation of Sicily troops from~~
~~British, Great Britain, the United States and~~
~~Canadian~~

Combined British, United States and Canadian
forces have just completed the occupation of
Sicily as ^{the} first step in the liberation of Europe.
Combined United States and Canadian forces have
just ^{occupied} ~~liberated~~ the last Japanese stronghold in the
western hemisphere ^{outpost}