

through the medium of the Security Council, in establishing a basis for a lasting solution of the Kashmir dispute is a clear answer to those cynics who have failed to see the far-reaching possibilities which lie in the United Nations.

"The Security Council is now about to begin its fourth year of work. As you know, the members of the United Nations have conferred, under the Charter, primary responsibility for the maintenance of international peace and security upon this Council. At no time in the Council's history have its responsibilities been more serious than they are now. We cannot expect that our problems will yield to easy solution. The Security Council does, in fact, face a very difficult task both in this month of January and in those to follow. To aid in achieving success, we will require the continued support and understanding of men and women of goodwill throughout the world and it is imperative that this be given in full and generous measure.

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