possessed. Scientific discovery has also brought new blessings and opened up tremendous possibilities for further progress in the improvement of standards of living throughout the world. These developments have brought an increasing appreciation of the interdependence of nations in our modern world. We must set this in the balance as against the difficulties which still exist in achieving that international co-operation for which the Charter of the United Nations provides. We cannot expect these difficulties to be quickly resolved but we must face them with courage and with confidence in the ability of man to guide his destiny towards a better world.

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