

✓ and how friendly is the spirit which has animated the approach to the many problems the solution of which is our common and continuing concern.

✓ That this is a fortunate circumstance for all concerned is, happily, apparent to all, and no responsible person would argue that it should be otherwise. I should like to think that the many working models of our joint co-operation might serve as examples even more widely in other parts of a distressed and distracted world. I should like to think that out of our co-operation on matters close at hand and within our everyday experience, there might arise useful co-operation in matters of world-wide interest and responsibility.

In the waging of war for the winning of victory, we contributed our full share in human and material resources, and in the planning and keeping of peace we have left no doubt as to what we thought should be the cornerstones of a world community in which there should be security and tranquillity and opportunity for all. We have been concerned with food - food for survival and food for relief; with trade, employment and monetary questions on a world-wide basis; with labour relations on an international scale; with refugees and displaced persons in the aftermath of war; with the health of all the nations; and with that community of the resources of the mind which never fails to remind us of the dignity and worth of human personality