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The Right Hon. Winston Churchill
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Dear Sir,

In very recent Hitler- Hugenberg speeches it was solemnly declared that "Pacifism and Blasphemy had to be stamped out of the German nation".

This blasphemous combination of words is actually brought into practice by many facts, of which I indicate a few only: the attempt of occupying Kehl by armed Stosz-truppen; the organisation of such forces in Danzig opposite the Westerplatte; the official incorporation of hundreds of thousands of these troops in the German army; the imprisonment of leading Germans who take still Stresemans Peace-policy seriously.

It may be that the obvious material- spiritual- and coördinated war-preparations in Germany, Hungary, Italy and Bulgaria are considered by a certain part of British public opinion with indifference or some sort of satisfaction. Yet most of those who do not think it in any way serious for England as well, must have heard about the existence of a world-crisis, one of the chief causes of which is said to be the lack of confidence in Peace.

It seems to me that the time has come to adopt generally a more fair policy towards France, Poland and world- peace.

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