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A MESSAGE FROM AMERICAN YOUTH

The following message to Lord Halifax from the Cleveland (U.S.A) Council of American Youth for a Free World has been transmitted through the Board of Education to the Standing Conference of National Juvenile Organisations in this country:

"The 75 representatives of Cleveland youth organisations gathered in this conference would like you to convey to the youth of Great Britain our greetings and our pledge of staunch friendship and of determination to carry through our common job of winning this war and of building the free world of tomorrow.

"Today our youth are fighting on the same battlefields and will soon be engaged in a mighty offensive on the European continent aimed at crushing the Fascist enemy. Tomorrow we will be working together for the establishment of a world of free and equal peoples.

"Together the youth of Great Britain, the Soviet Union, China, the United States and the other United Nations will honorably meet the responsibilities of the war and the peace to follow-- confident that in their unbreakable unity rests an invincible strength."

The Standing Conference in their reply expressed "their warmest thanks and appreciation for the greetings and pledge of friendship from the Council to the Youth of Great Britain."

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