

Christmas: The Search for Peace

With an urgency bordering on desperation, mankind searched for peace. The hope remained despite: 1) war—in Korea and Indo-China; 2) turmoil—in the Arab world and South Africa; 3) frustration—in the U.N., Western Europe, and behind the Iron Curtain.

How? (QUICK Washington report): “Pres.-elect Eisenhower’s advisers are convinced that the Korean war must be ended as the first step toward re-establishment of peace. But they do not consider Korea apart from the rest of the world.

“At the heart of every plan which has been submitted to Eisenhower, including his discussions with Gen. MacArthur, has been a belief that a solution in Korea lies only through applying more pressure against Red China. Both economic and military pressures—including increased aid to the anti-Communists in Indo-China—are under study.”

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