

John R. Franco, Detroit Business Man, Gives Ideas in Bid for Congress

(Editor's note—Following is the statement of John R. Franco, Detroit business man who is candidate for Congress on the Democratic ticket.)

How can we, as a nation, secure more cooperation on the war effort from Business, Labor and Farmers? Basically, all must understand that war means effort, means sacrifice. People will be more ready, no matter to what group they belong to make greater efforts and sacrifices, the more they understand two things:

a. The necessity of sacrifice. This could be repeated more often and as far as possible it is being equated better. More positively, we must be anxious not so much to oppose others as to make sacrifices ourselves. Then, our words of opposition carry weight when attacking evidences of selfish displays of others.

As for the confidence and cooperation between Labor, Management and Farm Groups themselves, the program must be predicated upon a basis of justice and the equality of sacrifice. Most hostility arises from the ignorance of the other fellow and ignorance breeds misunderstanding and conflict. Machinery should exist whereby leaders of each group could meet and discuss difficulties in the most encouraging spirit and England all wars us of the problems involved. It is far from being a Panama.

In case of peace soon, what policies would you favor so that we can avoid another world conflict? How should the nations be regarded peace machinery? That, as it stands, is a pretty large order. However, the following observations may be of some help in our approach to this question. It is a matter of history that rivalry on the one hand and unending pride on the other were in great part the cause of the policy of isolationism adopted by the United States, subsequent to the last war.

Economic warfare through tariffs, barriers, quota systems, blocked monies, etc. constituted in large measure to the unrest of the 1920's and the 1930's, and in this respect a national policy of reciprocal trade treaties was an effort in the right direction, but undertaken too late to accomplish any great results or to have any widely beneficial results.

Access to raw materials of the world on an equal footing should be the right of all nations. The "free" nations were not without some basis for their complaint against being cut off from the markets of the world.

In the drawing up of a peace treaty, absolute justice to all peoples must be the keynote. I do not feel that one evidence of susceptibility to Nazi propaganda in saying that the injustices of Versailles contained the seed of Hitlerism, nor is it an argument to say that victorious Germany would oppress all conquered nations. If we want peace and sincerely want it, then consideration of the rights of all people and all circumstances where they may be must be rigidly observed in any peace machinery setup.

To accomplish this, I do not believe in the necessity of a super nation or groups of great federal states. It would be wise to examine the credentials of all internationalists of this type, mindful that there are several chief exponents of such a program among which Communism is the most conspicuous. We must remember, too, that such a state would, to all effective purposes, be a physical arm to enforce its laws, and unless based on strong principles of right guaranteeing individual liberties, might become the greatest despotism in the history of the world. Its dangers, if abuses are great and whatever good might result from such a super nation will be accomplished through means less radical.

Today, seldom as at any time in the history of the world, we need men of solid principles, who have private and public life, men who have clear insight into the problems that beset the world and men who have the strength of character to act upon these convictions so that we, as a nation, through these men be able to bring a peace of justice to a distressed world.

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