

GERMAN REARMAMENT **THE PEOPLE CAN PREVENT IT**

THE great majority of British, French and German people, as in every other European country, strongly disagree with the plan to rearm West Germany and equip it with atomic weapons.

They realise that West German rearmament will start a new arms race in the heart of Europe, with the possibility of an atomic world war as its terrible outcome.

The life of every man, woman and child, the very survival of the human race, is at stake.

The people demand a peaceful solution to the German problem, reached by negotiation between Britain, the Soviet Union, the U.S.A. and France.

Negotiations must start now, before German rearmament begins. Later may be too late.

2 out of 5 M.P.s

For the Government to proceed with its policy of rearming West Germany is a travesty of democracy.

Only two out of every five M.P.s voted for the Government's new German Army Plan. 60 per cent of the M.P.s did not vote one way or the other.

That such a large number of M.P.s did not vote shows the strength of feeling in the country. Action taken now can get these M.P.s to reject the German Army Plan.

In France

Plans to rearm West Germany have been rejected twice in the French Assembly.

Pressure and threats from London and Washington have now secured a small majority in favour, with 100 M.P.s not voting.

Frenchmen and women realise that to sign the plan to rearm West Germany is like signing their own death warrant.

They will refuse to accept this parliamentary verdict and will insist on a new debate.

West Germany

In West Germany, the Labour Party and the Trades Union Congress (with 6 million members), and the youth movements are solidly against restoring German militarism.

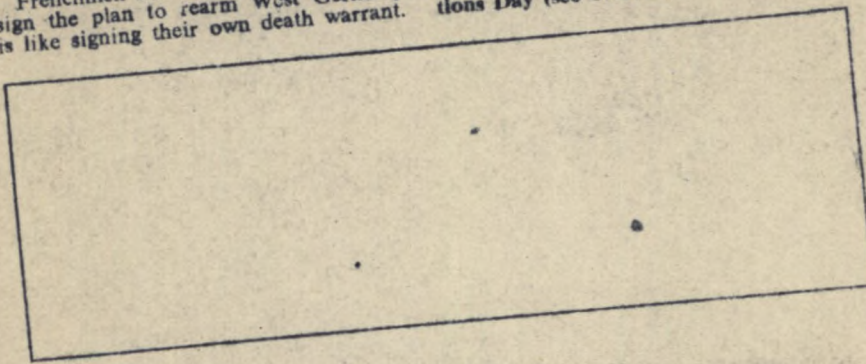
Action at once

No combination of Governments can carry through a plan which is opposed by so many people.

The last word does not rest with the Parliaments, but with the people to whom they are responsible.

Take action at once, with the people of France and other countries, for the defence of peace.

Flood every M.P. with letters and resolutions. Join the great National Deputations Day (see overleaf).



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You Can Help

STOP GERMAN REARMAMENT

START NEGOTIATIONS NOW
for peace in Europe

JOIN IN THE
ALL-BRITAIN
DEPUTATION DAY

Form a deputation from your
neighbourhood, organisation,
or place of work

SEE YOUR M.P. AT THE HOUSE OF
COMMONS, TUESDAY JAN. 25th

Write to your M.P. today asking for an appointment on
January 25th at the House of Commons, when Parliament
reassembles.

Collect signatures, messages and resolutions to take with
you.

Collect money to help pay the fare.

Write to the British Peace Committee (address below) for
advice on procedure and to be put in touch with others from
your constituency.

Report before you see your M.P. to the Deputation Day
Advice Centre, Dennison House, Vauxhall Bridge Road (near
Victoria Station).

Join in the March afterwards

Assemble at Mannette Street (Charing Cross Road, Foyle's Corner)
at 8.30 p.m. for March through West End and back to Mannette
Street for "next steps" meeting at 9.30 p.m.

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