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**Why Englishmen Proudly Welcome the Statue of George Washington**

By LORD CURZON, in Acceptance Address.



Some may ask why it is that Englishmen gladly and proudly welcome this statue of Washington in Trafalgar square. The answer is this: Because he was a great Englishman—one of the greatest Englishmen that ever lived; because, though he fought us and vanquished us, he was fighting for ideals and principles which are as sacred to us as they are to the American people, and which are embedded in the very fibers of our common race.

The statue is a symbol and a sign. It is a mark of the fact that the two branches of the great English-speaking race are now and henceforth indissolubly one. It is now more than a hundred years since we last fought, and that conflict was one of which none of us are proud and of which some of us are very much ashamed. We can never fight again. I should like to add that we can never quarrel again. We ought never to quarrel again. The idea is such that if anybody got up on a public platform and uttered it in this country he would be hooted from the place. I believe and hope that the same sentiments prevail in your country. But not merely can your nation and mine engage never to fight and never to quarrel; we can do a great deal to prevent other nations from fighting.

That, I submit, is the main function and duty that lies upon us in the future. It is by the example we set, by the common sacrifices that we have endured and are prepared to endure again, by the friendly counsel and co-operation of our ambassadors and statesmen, by the resolute determination of our people, by the influence of the press of both countries—and would that greater restraint were sometimes put upon it, whether it be on one side or the other—it is by these influences that we should endeavor to see that the peace of the world is insured. It is a great and powerful weapon that is in the hands of these two great nations, and if our use of it is inspired by the temperate judgment, the lofty nobility of soul, and the unselfish purpose of George Washington, we ought to be able to use that weapon for the inestimable advantage of mankind.

**Daugherty's Prison Reform Project**

PRISON reform that will remold bad characters into good ones today stands out as one of the big things the administration must do to improve citizenship, Attorney General Daugherty declares, discussing a new system he has evolved for handling federal prisoners. The plan calls for the establishment of a new vocational training plant, where prisoners can be taught trades and "otherwise rebuilt" so they may become useful citizens after their terms expire. There are about 500 young first-termers in federal prisons who would be eligible for transfer.

The attorney general will ask congress to authorize him to take over one of the big cantonments and reconvert it into an educational institution, with industrial features somewhat along the lines of existing reform schools.

"What many of these prisoners need more than anything else is a chance to make good," said Mr. Daugherty.

"I maintain that citizenship can be made better by some system that will reconstruct these prisoners, restore their self-respect and equip them to face the world with some earning power at the end of their terms. "I can walk into any prison in the



United States and pick out ten men I would willingly trust. That applies to any prison anywhere. Put those men on their honor, let them know that there is some one who has an interest in them and they will make good."

Mr. Daugherty's psychology has been tested and found 100 per cent. He cited his experiences with prisoners in reform institutions in Ohio and elsewhere. He has aided in the establishment and operation of some of these reform schools. He has watched the development of the inmates into useful citizens. He has found them in later years, law-abiding, honest with their fellow men, and in some instances filling conspicuous roles as leaders in civic undertakings for community betterment.

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