PACIFISTS ATTACK U.S.STAND IN PARIS

Peace Group Ends Its Visit After Seeing Bruce

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PARIS, March 9—A band of 171 American pacifists ended today a pilgrimage during which they prayed with David K. E. Bruce, the chief United States truce negotiator, sang with his associates and explored the issues of the Indochinese war with all parties here.

At the end, the consensus appeared to be that the key to peace was an American decision to wtihdraw from Vietnam. Spokesmen said they found no such intention on the part of the United States delegation to the Paris peace talks, but, on the contrary, "rigidity" and inability to see the other side. The group, from 41 states, was sponsored by three organizations: the American Enjand.

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At least a few of the pacifists saw merit in President Nixon's proposal for an unconditional cease-fire. But Paul Jameson of Wellesley, Mass., a lawyer who described himself as a Republican, expressed what appeared to be the majority view that Mr. Nixon's proposal amounted to accepting the continuation of the present Government in Saigon.

'Outrage' Expressed
Mr. Bruce received 12 of the
delegates in a three-hour, offthe-record session yesterday.
Stephen Ledogar, the United

States spokesman, said later:
"We just tried to explain our position; they tried to explain how they felt, which is how a lot of Americans feel. They said they came to Paris to express outrage, and they expressed it."

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Mrs. Honey Knopp of Philadelphia, a Quaker, said the session had ended with a prayer for peace, during which some of the delegates wept and Mr. Bruce stood in silence.

A long night meeting of the entire pacifist delegation with Mr. Ledogar and other members of the United States mission reached a climax with Judy Collins, the folk singer, leading the audience in "All We Are Saying, Is Give Peace a Chance."