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"My Country 'Tis of Thee, Sweet Land of Liberty."

CLEAR UP ATMOSPHERE.

President Wilson has left no room for doubt as to his attitude toward Germany. His reply is complete and upon it the war will proceed until the grand finish will either perk the Hohenzollerns from their throne or crush the German empire.

Our entire nation is now of one mind and the White House has focused that sentiment in the reply sent forth to Berlin. England and France share our beliefs and aims, so that the allies are united in their demands.

Let the draft continue; let the armies advance, just as they are advancing today in Belgium; let no more words be bandied, but let deeds not words mark all future development of the war.

America entered the war to have humanity. She will stay in until the end and will save Europe from the devastation which the Hun had planned. Not a thing can happen now to deter action—no one word shall be spoken that will stop the American sword from dealing to the Kaiser and his people the justice which an outraged people clamors for and which an outraged people is entitled to have.

America does not falter—she is still the gem of the ocean. Her men are in France and on the seas. Her women are exercising that remarkable womanhood handed down from the war wives of the revolution and the rebellion. "Let no the German empire go unpunished" is breathed at every true American hearthstone today. The sacrifices are great the nation that spread this war over the globe must be crushed.

NO FRIENDS IN AMERICA

The hatred for German methods and German warfare in America reaches to every quarter and to every class of people. Some may think that in Wall street the insatiable desire to acquire wealth has overshadowed the loyalty of men located there. Not so. Here is an extract from the Baehre review, a financial organ that is published in New York:

"Do not let us be misled by this pharisaical agitation in Germany to establish a parliamentary government. The representatives of a people steeped up to the neck in the bloodthirsty crimes of an unjustified and bitterly selfish war, are no better to treat with than their present autocratic leaders. The German people are participants criminals with the Kaiser and his horde of brutal pan-Germans.

"There has not been one minute when Germany and all Germany, including all the German people, have not been ready to share in the plunder whenever and wherever her war bandits were able to seize it; no time when they have not approved oppression and the frightfulness of their armies wading thru

the blood of women and children to reach the spoils.

"The attitude of the whole German nation was defiant and unrelenting when her armies began the drive in March. It was not until after the turn of the tide at Chateau-Thierry in July that she began to relent, and as she was swept on further and further, boldness turned to fear, and boastfulness changed to whining.

"And now with Bulgaria out, and the shell cracking, Germany turns, or pretends to turn to parliaments and the popular representation, as a hypocritical means of wresting an armistice from the avengers.

"After Germany has surrendered, whether the swords are handed to a German parliament or by Hindenburg, there should be not a glance of pity for the German people. They must pay the price—a bitter price—for all the horrors for which they, as much as the Kaiser are to blame; for they supported him in his brutal policies to the very last, and will have adopted the subterfuge of a People's Parliament only because the sword of the avenger hangs over them.

"The London Statist takes occasion, in a recent issue, to emphasize the necessity that the great body of the people through all the Entente countries (and it says 'especially in England,' but it might also have added in America) study carefully the conditions from Germany which must be insisted upon for peace.

"They should, it says, feel the obligation they are now under to their families and to their descendants, not to trust governments; 'on the contrary, they should take it for granted that governments will, as a matter of course, go wrong, and they themselves should feel the great obligation that rests upon them, to see that the coming peace will give security against the renewal of war at least for two generations."

"The Statist then recites the conditions laid down by ex-President Roosevelt in his Lafayette speech, as a model for the people to study, that they may insist upon the conditions therein laid down. The things contended for in this speech are: That Germany had no provocation, that before the war she was free to pursue any peaceful course she liked, nobody had any wish to attack her or to deprive her of any advantage she possessed, and yet deliberately Germany spent half a century in preparing for war, and when she found, or believed she had found, that Russia was completely incapacitated for actively pushing hostilities, she forced on an absolutely unprovoked war. Consequently, Germany should be compelled, when the fighting ends, to recompense to the fullest extent all the countries she has injured.

"First, France should be compensated for all the injury done to the occupied provinces, and should also receive back Alsace-Lorraine. Secondly, full compensation must be made to Belgium, Luxembourg, Serbia, Montenegro, Roumania, and so on; and likewise provinces wrenched from Denmark in 1864 should be restored. Lastly, the portions of Germany, which

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were robbed of home rule in 1865 should get it back—for instance, Hanover; and that Prussian Poland should be restored to the full management of her own affairs; and that she should be restored to the full management of her own affairs and that she should comprise the Austrian and Russian portions of what were once Poland, as well as those of Prussia. The Statist adds: "We do not dispute that Germany will regard the taking away from her of all the provinces as a great wrong, but German opinions of what is right and what is wrong between nation and nation, deserve no consideration. . . . Germany has forfeited all right to generous treatment. . . . The German people never had a right and never can have a right to domineer over nations which have proved to be not strong enough to maintain their independence."

STOCKHOLDERS TO MEET.
Notices have been sent out to all stockholders in the Union County Telephone company calling a meeting at Elgin on Friday, November 15th, at 10 o'clock, for the purpose of considering the obligations of the company, the raising of present rates and the consolidation of telephone companies. It is signed by W. J. Case, president, and Hazel Smith, secretary.

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AGNES M. RUSK,
Treasurer of the City of La Grande Ore. 10-12-31

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