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THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

In his war message to congress, President Wilson said:

"With a profound sense of the solemn and even tragic character of the step I am taking and of the grave responsibilities which it involves, but in unhesitating obedience to what I deem my constitutional duty, I advise that the Congress declare the recent course of the imperial German government to be in fact nothing less than war against the Government and people of the United States; that it formally accept the status of belligerent which has thus been thrust upon it, and that it take immediate steps not only to put the country in a more thorough state of defense, but also to exert all its power and employ all its resources to bring the government of the German empire to terms and end the war."

In the above words the President rings down the curtain on diplomatic negotiations which have extended for more than three years with the German Empire. It is the final chapter in a series of blunders and mistakes which have characterized German diplomacy since the outbreak of the European conflict, and it marks the beginning of the end of the greatest war in history.

The President has spoken and through the lips of the Nation's Chief Executive is heard the voice of the American people.

But one thing now remains to change the status of the United States from that of a peaceful neutral to that of a powerful and dangerous belligerent. That will doubtless be done today when the Senate and House of Representatives pass a formal Declaration of War against the Kaiser.

If there have been differences of opinion among Americans as to the policy of the administration in handling the European crisis, those differences have been eliminated. The president now faces Germany with a united congress and a united country. With such an enemy among the ranks of the allies, the fate of the German Empire is sealed.

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