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Chairman of Mass Meeting,
American Independence Union,
Madison Square Garden,
New York City.

Dollars stained with the blood of our fellowmen have stifled the American conscience and made us blind and deaf to the tears and sobs of widows and orphans. While securing transient trade in the things that kill, we are allowing our permanent foreign commerce to be crippled and injured for years to come. Let us stop our murder by proxy and so help to end the war. Every American shell that bursts on Europe's battlefields shatters the neutrality and explodes the humanitarian professions of our government.

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