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My dear Eugene:

I read with very great interest your article on the four Federal By-elections. From your point of view especially, as well as from the National point of view, this work should be kept up vigorously.

I happened to look on the back of the page and found a review of Professor E. H. Carr's book "Conditions of Peace." The review says that Mr. Carr begins with the "important recognition" that the present war, the last of a long series of German-made wars, is an episode in a world revolution against liberal democracy, national self-determination, and laissez-faire economics.

Forgive me if I say that I consider this unadulterated nonsense. It is remarkable how men always consider a war to be a revolt against something they want to change themselves. In my judgment, Gustave Stolper has stated in plain terms, faithful to truth, the fundamental cause of this and other wars. It is just the same as Napoleon's and Alexander's and even old Xerxes—the thirst for power, plunder and fame.

Yours very truly,

AM/E.

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