

Wilson Discussion



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Support of Monroe Doctrine

Moral Obligation

Economic Incentives



Why did the US at first resist intervening in WWI?



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Farewell Address
History

Feared intervention would disrupt trade
Nation of Immigrants- disputes?



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Why did it later retreat from this policy and send troops?

- discuss whether these decisions revised or reinforced earlier US foreign policy



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British blockade of Germany

Lusitania

US trade with Britain

Zimmerman Telegram



How did Progressive ideals fare during wartime?



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Gains associated with war & labor

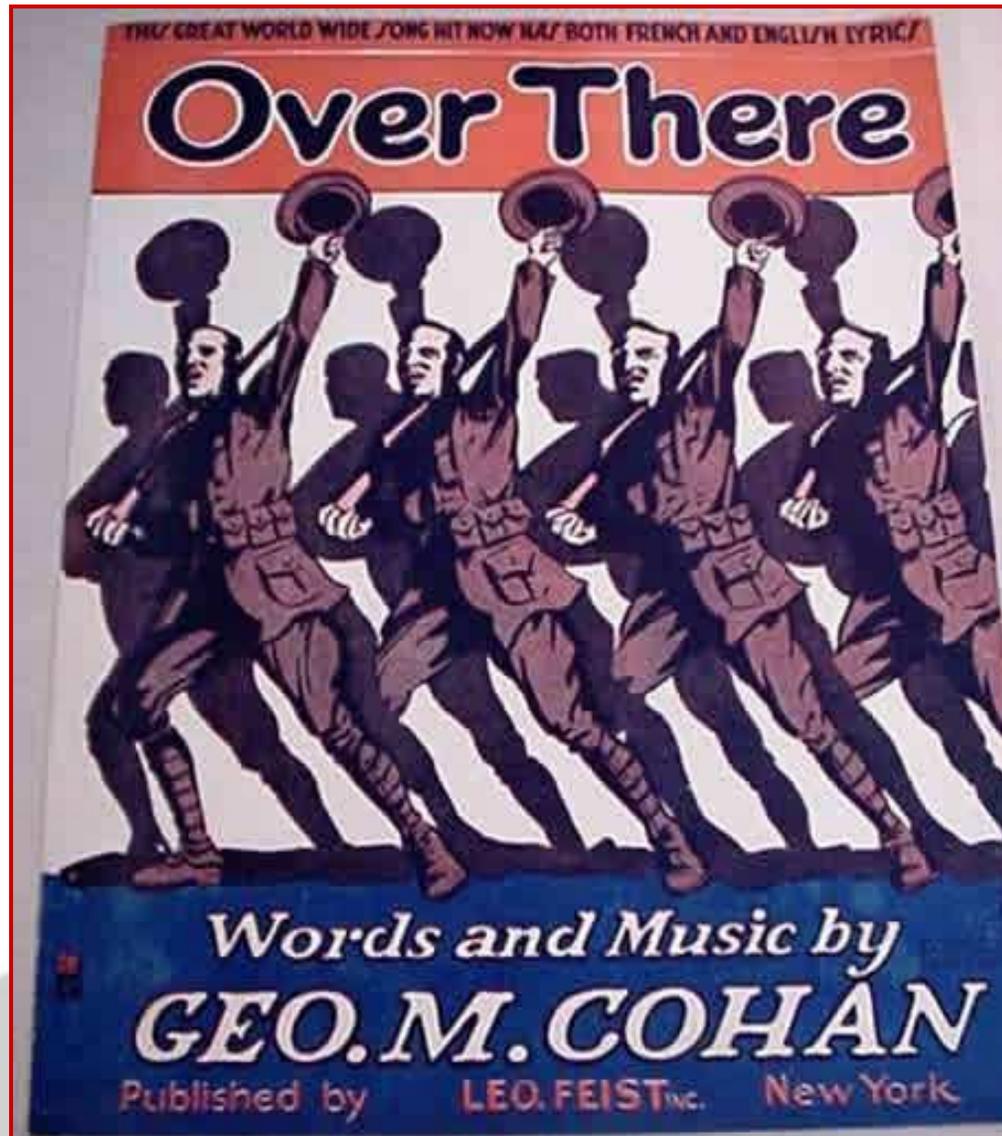
War & management expertise
(Bernard Baruch & Herbert Hoover)

War & social progressives

Dangers of dissent



World War I American “Anthem”



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Johnnie get your gun, get your gun,
get your gun,
Take it on the run, on the run, on
the run,
Hear them calling you and me,
Every son of liberty.
Hurry right away, no delay, go
today,
Make your daddy glad to have had
such a lad,
Tell your sweetheart not to pine,
To be proud her boy's in line.



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Over there, over there
Send the word, send the word over
there
That the Yanks are coming, the
Yanks are coming,
The drums rum-tumming everywhere
So prepare, say a prayer
Send the word, send the word to
beware
We'll be over, we're coming over,
And we won't come back till it's
over, over there!



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Johnnie get your gun, get your gun,
get your gun,
Johnnie show the Hun you're a son
of a gun,
Hoist the flag and let her fly,
Yankee Doodle do or die.
Pack your little kit, show your grit,
do your bit,
Yankees to the ranks from the towns
and the tanks,
Make your momma proud of you
And the old Red White and Blue.

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THE GREAT WORLD WIDE SONG HIT NOW IN BOTH FRENCH AND ENGLISH LYRIC

Over There

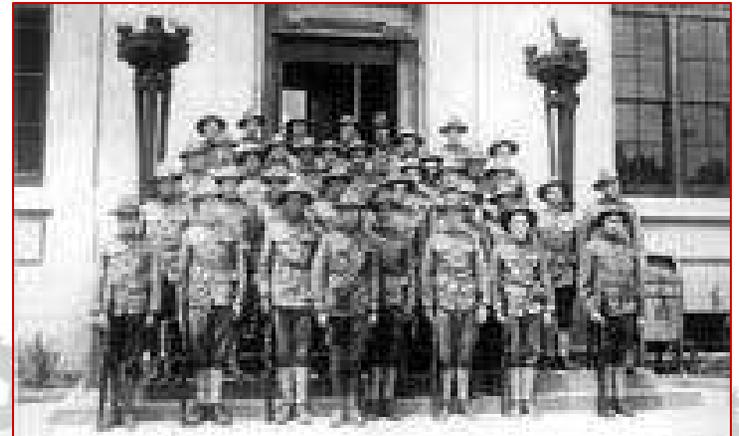
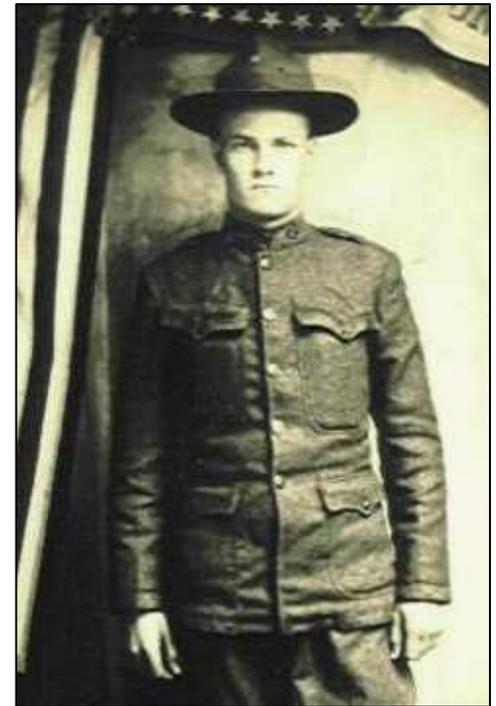
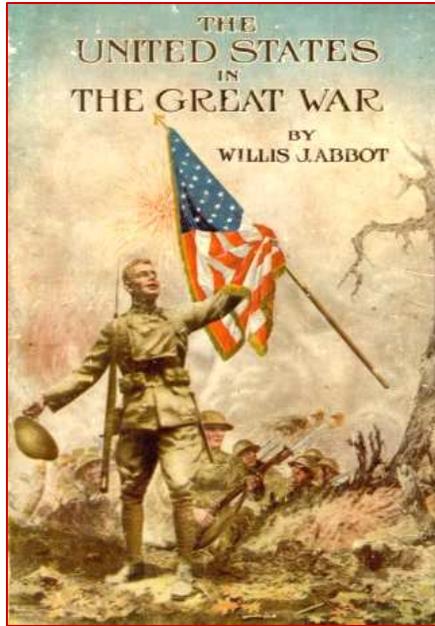


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The Spirit of '76'



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Checking German advance

John Pershing

Check G at France

G @ Marne & Meuse led to revolt
against Kaiser Wilhelm II leading to
peace negotiations

