

Forum: Paris Peace Conference

Subject: War Guilt

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The Paris Peace Conference,

Deeply Disturbed by the amount of military and civil casualties caused by this war,

Alarmed by the scope this war has reached, making it the most costly one ever,

Emphasizing the German Empire's role in causing this conflict by violating the nations' neutrality,

Noting with concern that neither Germany nor Austria Hungary seem to be aware of their guilt,

The Paris Peace Conference:

- 1) Notes that the Bosnian government's policy after the assassination of Archduke Franz Ferdinand was not optimal;
- 2) Emphasizes that the Austro-Hungarian demands after the incident in Sarajevo were too high to meet;
- 3) Reminds every nation of Germany's role in causing the conflict to escalate by violating Belgian and Luxembourgian neutrality and attacking France preemptively;
- 4) Strongly condemns Germany's role in further worsening the conditions of this war by:
  - a) employing chemical weapons against ground troops,
  - b) attacking civilian ships with submarines, resulting in thousands of deaths,
  - c) continuing the fighting even after the defeat was imminent.