

## World War I Panel Discussion/Debates

You will be assigned to role-play a panel of the following people discussing an important question. You are expected to research your role and prepare a brief written statement (**maximum** of two pages). Panel members will make a short, but opinionated, opening statement, followed by a discussion of the question.

### **Question #1: Should the US enter WW I? DUE WEDNESDAY**

**Theodore Roosevelt**  
**Senator George Norris**  
**Wm. Jennings Bryan**  
**Woodrow Wilson**  
**Edward M. House**  
**Robert Lansing**  
**Walter Hines Page**  
**Charles Evans Hughes**  
**Henry Cabot Lodge**  
**William McAdoo**  
**Sir Edward Grey**  
**Jeanette Rankin**  
**Eugene Debs**  
**Jane Addams**  
**"Big Bill" Haywood**

### **Question #2: Should the United States join the League of Nations?**

**DUE FRIDAY**

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| <b>Woodrow Wilson</b>     | <b>Sen. Hiram Johnson</b>     |
| <b>Sen. William Borah</b> | <b>Sen. Robert LaFollette</b> |
| <b>David Lloyd George</b> | <b>Georges Clemenceau</b>     |
| <b>Vittorio Orlando</b>   |                               |
| <b>Henry Cabot Lodge</b>  |                               |
| <b>George Norris</b>      |                               |
| <b>James M. Cox</b>       |                               |

Your written statement must be typed, double spaced, and no longer than 2 pages. This is what you will turn in for a grade, as well as your contribution to the debate. If you are in the other debate, you will be the "jury" who decides what the U.S. will do in each scenario.