

A PEOPLE'S HISTORY OF THE UNITED STATES

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CHAPTER 14 **War Is the Health of the State**

1. When did WWI begin? How many died on the battlefield in WWI? How many died of hunger and disease related to the war?
2. What did socialists call WWI and why?
3. Despite no progress and mass casualties of hundreds of thousands on all sides, what was written in the British and German press and official dispatch announcements (that later became the title of novel about WWI)?
4. When did the U.S. join the War and what was the real vs. falsely advertised reason they joined?
5. Did most Americans support the war? Provide 3 pieces of evidence.
6. What was the Espionage Act of 1917?
7. About how many people were imprisoned or prosecuted under the Espionage Act?
8. Who was the first woman in the House of Representatives?
9. When did WWI end and how many Americans died?
10. In 1919 and 1920, how many harmless working "aliens" (a.k.a. non citizen immigrants) were deported for supposedly opposing organized government or advocating destruction of property?
11. Who were the two anarchists and working men who were electrocuted for murder and who the country rallied behind because circumstances suggested they were sentenced to death for being anarchists and foreigners?