

*January 26, 1917.*—Villalobar very despondent; says the Germans are feeling that the war touches its end, and that they cannot win; and, enraged by the response of the Allies declaring that they will make the peace by war, are now going to move to every kind of frightfulness.

But I think with ever more pride of the President's document. It has lighted a hope, I believe, for humanity. I have a letter from little Jacqueline Hamels, expressing her childish joy in it; and tonight, as Josse Allard entered de Sinçay's salon, where we were dining, he cried: "Magnificent! But it is magnificent!"