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Dr. Frank B. Robinson
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Dear Doctor:

It was a distinct pleasure to receive your brief letter of recent date in which you expressed your views on that vital and important question, neutrality.

You very aptly stated it, when you said "To sell arms to anyone means war and, by God, we don't want that." That has been my thought for a long time, and you may be sure that I am going to oppose vigorously and protest any modification or alteration of our Arms Embargo Provision in the existing Neutrality Law.

I have taken the position that our Neutrality Law, as it now stands, was passed in peace time days to meet just such an emergency as we are now facing, and it appears entirely consistent to me that this statute should remain upon our books to insure America's neutrality and to help us in remaining aloof and free from the European mess.

Your letter is indeed encouraging, and I am hopeful that we will be able to enlist a sufficient number of Congressman in this battle to maintain our status quo.

With warm personal regards, I am

Sincerely yours,

Henry