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Dear Wm. Mackendrick:-

Read your letter in Friday's Herald. My sentiments exactly. I am afraid that the militaristic fools - pardon the expression - will lead us into a scheme of "preparedness" that can but plunge us into war. But what can we do about it? God help us!

I don't remember whether I wrote you anything about the meeting in Assonet. I talked to them, as I agreed to. A fairly good audience, although nothing to brag about.

Do you advise me to buy that book by Dr. Holmes, on Pacificism? Your review leads me to look with favor on the proposition.

Hope I shall be able to run in and look at you soon.

Sincerely

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