***Day Three Discussion Questions on Lusitania***

**Germany’s response to sinking of Lusitania**

1. Why was the Lusitania considered a military target?
2. Why was it considered a belligerent and dangerous vessel?
3. Who, according to this statement was responsible for the deaths of civilian passengers?
4. Why were Americans allowed on board the ship by British authorities?
5. How would you characterize the German position?
   1. Realistic?
   2. Barbaric?
   3. Modern?
   4. A slippery slope?
6. Why did you choose to characterization that you did in the previous answer? Explain your position.
7. Was the attack a defensible military action?