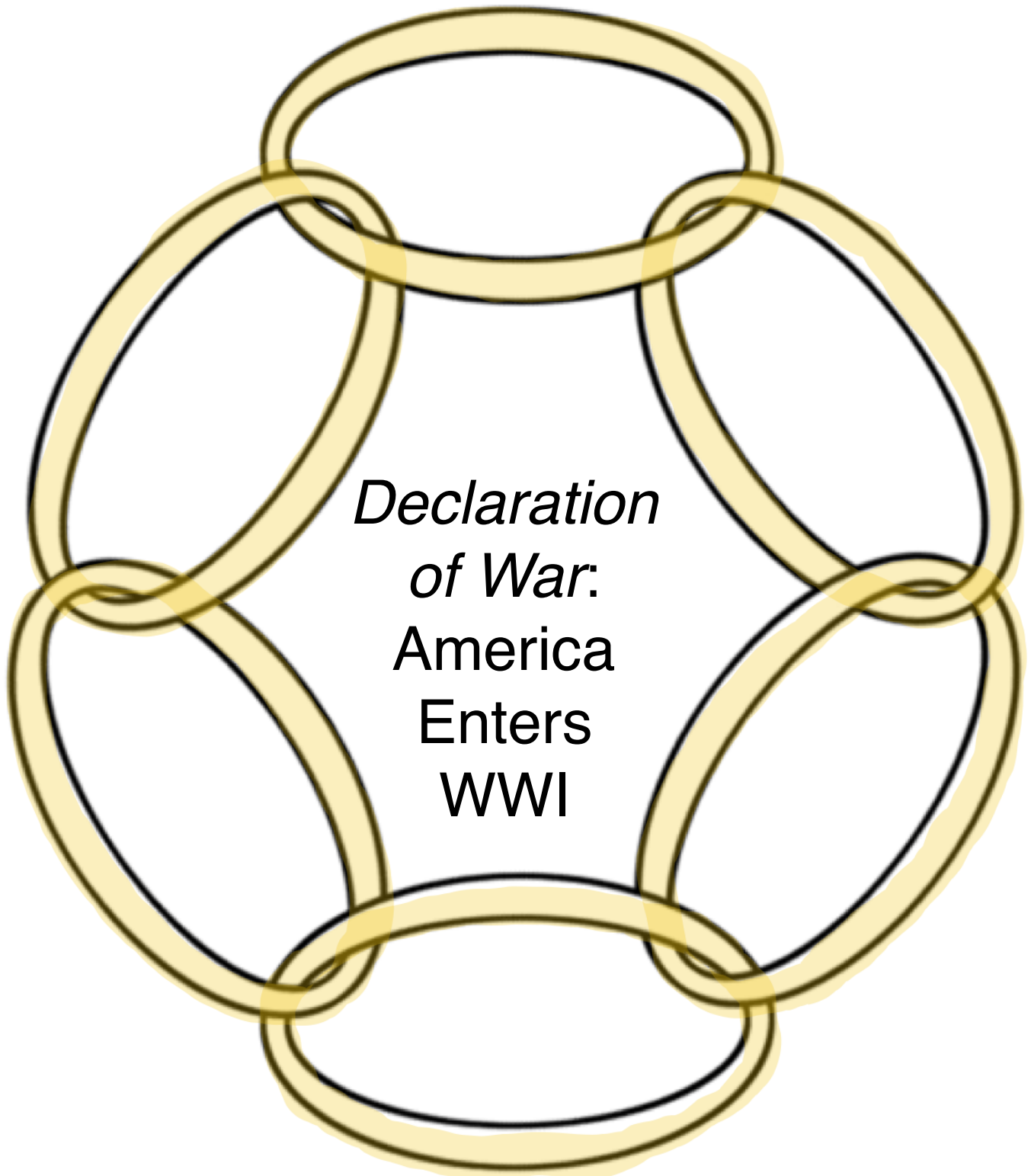


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1. Germany went back on their pledge not to wage an unrestricted submarine warfare campaign (which included the prior attack on Americans with the sinking of the Lusitania).
2. The interception of the Zimmermann Telegram which signaled Germany's attempt to undermine international relations between the United States and Mexico.
3. The autocratic nature of the German government and growing American concerns over perceived German militarism.
4. Lobbying on the part of those with invested business interests in the war effort such as munitions manufactures and bankers.
5. Successful British propaganda campaigns designed to form a U.S.-British partnership including the British effort to draw U.S. attention to the atrocities committed against Belgium by Germany.
6. Significant cultural and financial ties between the United States, Britain, and the Allied Powers.