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HISTORICAL ARGUMENT

Instructions: For each document, pick out the author's CLAIMS and the EVIDENCE used to support those claims.

1. The True Interest of America Impartially Stated, 1776 → Page 18

((Should we start a war against our mother country, England?))

Author's Claim: _____

Evidence supporting the claim:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

2. Henry Adams Statement on his recent freedom from slavery → Page 32

((Were slaves truly free after the Civil War?))

Author's Claim: _____

Evidence supporting the claim:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

3. Woodrow Wilson Speech about our involvement in WWI → Page 83

((Should we get involved in Europe's War (WWI)?))

Author's Claim: _____

Evidence supporting the claim:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____