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## Prussia Road-Hog of Europe Lloyd-George

Every Welshman Appeals  
to Fellow Countrymen to  
Rally to British Recruit-  
ing Call—"If Old British  
Spirit is Left, Bully Will  
Be Torn From His Seat,"  
(Montreal Standard Cable.)

Montreal, Sept. 19—4.05 p. m.—  
"There is no man in this hall who,  
throughout his political life, has regard-  
ed the prospect of engaging in war with  
greater repugnance than myself. There  
is no man, either inside or out  
side, this hall who is more convinced  
than I that we could not have avoided  
the present war without national dis-  
honor."

This was the text of a speech which  
David Lloyd-George, chancellor of the  
exchequer, made in Queen's Hall this  
afternoon to arouse Welsh enthusiasm  
for Field Marshal Earle Kitchener's  
new army. The chancellor went on to  
say that any nation which disregarded  
its national honor was doomed, and  
Great Britain was bound by honorable  
obligations to defend the independence,  
liberty and integrity of Belgium.

Referring to the accusation that  
Great Britain had used the treaty pro-  
viding for Belgian neutrality as a cun-  
ning cloak to veil her jealousy of a su-  
perior civilization, the chancellor said:  
"Our answer was the action we took in  
1870. In that case Prince Bismarck  
respected Prussian treaty obligations,  
but it was to the interest of Prussia to  
break her treaty today, and she has  
done it."

"To Prussia a treaty is just a scrap  
of paper."

"This doctrine of a scrap of paper  
goes to the root of all public law. We  
are fighting against barbarism, and  
there is only one way of putting it  
right. If there are nations who say  
they will respect treaties only when it  
is to their interest to do so, we must  
make it to their interest to do so in the  
future."

Referring to the German excuses, Mr.  
Lloyd-George remarked: "A great  
nation ought to be ashamed of behaving  
like a fraudulent bankrupt trying to  
escape his obligations."

Referring to the case of Serbia, the  
chancellor of the exchequer said that  
Emperor Nicholas had given Austria the  
only answer that became a man when  
he said: "I will tear your ramshackle  
empire limb from limb," "and he is do-  
ing it," he added.

"Prussia," said Mr. Lloyd George,  
"is the road-hog of Europe. Men,  
women and children and nations are or-  
dered out of the way. Even Great  
Britain is ordered out of the way. If  
the old British spirit is still left in Brit-  
ish hearts, the bully will be torn from  
his seat. They thought we could not  
beat them. It will not be easy. It  
will be a long job. It will be terrible  
but in the end we shall march through  
terror to triumph."

Appealing to Welshmen to join the  
colors, the chancellor continued:

"This struggle is a great war for the  
emancipation of Europe from the thral-  
dom of the military caste which has  
torn its shadow upon two generations  
of men, and has now plunged the world  
into a welter of blood."

## British Naval Supremacy In- creasing.

Should the war last for another year  
there seems to be no doubt that the  
present disparity between the naval  
forces of Great Britain and Germany  
will be increased greatly in favor of  
the former, says the New York Post.  
That the British Admiralty will ac-  
quire possession of the two enormous  
Chilian battleships (each carrying ten  
14-inch guns, now nearly completed on  
the Tyne, is generally admitted. Four  
new battleships of the Queen Elizabeth  
type, armed with the new 15-inch guns,  
will be ready in three or four months.  
Work is going on by night and day on a  
number of new light cruisers and  
twenty-nine-knot destroyers. When  
the last of her Konig class is commis-  
sioned, probably within a few weeks,  
Germany will have seventeen Dread-  
noughts for service. Two more may be  
completed within six months, but with-  
in that period Great Britain will add six  
capital ships to her first fighting line.

## ADDITIONAL BRITISH CAS- UALTY LIST GIVEN:

London, Sept. 18—The Press  
Bureau has issued an additional  
casualty list. Four officers killed  
and two wounded on Sept. 14.

## Two Years of Tor- ture From Stomach Trouble.

Cured By the Use of Dr. Williams'  
Pink Pills for Pale People

There are two ways usually adopted  
in trying to cure indigestion or stom-  
ach trouble—one the wrong way by  
using purgatives and the other drugs  
which only act locally and which in the  
long run causes more distress by weak-  
ening the whole system. The other  
way and the right way is the Dr. Wil-  
liams' manner of treatment—that is to  
nourish and build up the stomach by  
supplying plenty of new, rich, red blood.  
Give the stomach this much needed  
supply of new blood and distress will  
disappear and stay banished forever.  
The new blood strengthens the nerves  
of the stomach and gives it the neces-  
sary power to digest food. Thousands  
bear witness to the value of the Dr.  
Williams' treatment through the blood.  
Among them is the Rev. P. D. Nowlan  
of Summerville, N. S., who says:—"I  
certainly have great reason to recom-  
mend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, as they  
were the means of saving my life. Till  
I reached the age of thirty I never  
knew what pain or sickness meant, but  
after that my stomach failed me and  
food of any kind caused untold dis-  
tress. I became constipated and was  
forced to use injections daily. This  
went on for about two years; I grew  
weaker and weaker; my weight fell off  
from 185 to 125 pounds; I had a hack-  
ing cough and appeared to be going into  
a decline. All this time I was being  
treated by the best of doctors but with-  
out the least benefit. Night after night  
I could get no sleep the pain and agony  
was so severe. On consultation the  
doctors decided I was suffering from  
cancer of the stomach and advised an  
operation as a means of saving my life.  
This I refused to undergo and began to  
look forward to an early death. Just  
then a friend advised me to try Dr.  
Williams' Pink Pills. I had no faith in  
any medicine and at first refused, but  
my friend was so persistent that finally  
I gave in and purchased half a dozen  
boxes. By the time these were gone I  
felt much stronger and the distress was  
not so severe. I continued their use  
and each succeeding box wrought a  
marked improvement in my condition  
till by the time I had taken a dozen  
boxes every pain and ache had left me;  
my strength increased; my weight was  
back where it was before I was ill; I  
had a good appetite and was completely  
cured. In the years that have elapsed  
since I used the pills not a twinge of  
the trouble has returned. To me Dr.  
Williams' Pink Pills are the greatest  
medicine on earth and I never lose an op-  
portunity in recommending them to other  
sufferers, for I feel that were it not  
for their use I would have been in my  
grave long ago."

What Dr. Williams' Pink Pills did for  
Rev. Mr. Nowlan they have done for  
thousands of others and will do for you  
if ailing. They not only cure cases of  
stomach trouble, but rheumatism, paraly-  
sis, heart palpitation, St. Vitus  
dance and all other troubles that have  
their origin in a bad condition of the  
blood and nerves. The Pills are sold by  
medicine dealers or by mail at 50 cents a  
box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr.  
Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.



Unusual business condi-  
tions are forcing large  
manufacturers to sacrifice  
stocks in order to keep their  
mills running. To the alert buyer this repre-  
sents an unprecedented opportunity to save  
money. These chances come only once in a long  
time—when they do come it pays to act quick.

**WALL BOARD**  
Wall Board takes the place of  
both lath and plaster. It gives  
a finished wall without further  
decorating. Anybody can put  
it on. Now selling at a special price.  
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Lowest prices on record.  
Genuine Asphalt Felt Roofing  
100 per cent. saturation, con-  
tains no tar or paper. In full  
rolls of 108 square feet with nails and cement.  
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**BUILDING PAPER**  
A great snap at this price.  
Full measure rolls 400 sq. feet  
in each. Use it plentifully at  
this price. **SAMPLE FREE.**  
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HAMILTON 1866 CANADA

## What Martial Law Means

The United Kingdom is now  
under martial law. Under this  
law naval or military officers  
may take possession of anybodys  
property, whether land or build-  
ings, destroy buildings, remove  
trees, heeges or fences, and do  
any other act involving inter-  
ference with private rights of  
property which they think is  
necessary for the purpose of  
national defence. Power of un-  
limited requisition is given to  
take from individuals all vehicles,  
boats, vessels, and all other  
forms of equipment and warlike  
stores within any specified area.  
Any such authority may also by  
order require the inhabitants to  
leave any area or neighborhood  
for military or naval reasons.

Any house may be entered at  
any time by military authority,  
and any military or naval officer  
may arrest without warrant any  
person whose behavior is of  
such a nature as to give reason-  
able grounds for suspecting that  
he has acted or is acting or is  
about to act in a manner pre-  
judicial to the public safety or the  
safety of the realm, and such per-  
son may be tried by court mar-  
tial.

Discussing the meaning of all  
this the London Economist  
says: "There seems to be no ap-  
peal from the decision of the  
court martial to any judicial  
tribunal. If so, the Habeas Cor-  
pus will be of no use. Our liber-  
ties are placed at the discretion  
of officers who know nothing of  
the rules of evidence, and are for-  
tified by language so vague that  
they need only allege a suspicion  
and act upon it. We must be-  
ware lest in pursuit of Belgian  
neutrality, or Serbian indepen-  
dence, or even the balance of  
power on the continent, we sacri-  
fice the ancient rights and privi-  
leges of Englishmen."

## Uhlans Will Not Return From Mission.

London, Sept. 18.—The correspondent  
of the Times at Ghent believes that  
most of the recent German raiding in  
various parts of north Belgium, which  
could not be explained in any relation  
to the fighting on a large scale last  
week, was connected with incidents just  
heard of, where some 1,200 Uhlans were  
sent out in small parties to discover  
whether British troops were landing.  
They were told to push their way at  
all costs, he says and it was promised  
that every man who got back with re-  
liable information would receive the  
decoration of the iron cross. "I do not  
think any will get back," is the terse  
comment with which the correspondent  
concluded his despatch.

# PIANO CONTEST

Enter the Contest now and Win

A BEAUTIFUL AMHERST

PIANO

Please remember—this is not going to be one of those low grade Pianos which you wouldnt buy at any price (if you were well advised). It is an instrument of the highest quality that is constructed, and is costing us a great deal more than some other pianos which we could have put into this competition just as well as not. You might be surprised to know that we could put in just about two of "the other kind" for what this is costing us. We decided to do this because we are musicians ourselves and want our real-  
ers to compare for just such an instrument as we would take pride in own-  
ing and using ourselves. We think that the public which we reach will  
appreciate this fact. Everything else being equal you would prefer the  
high grade piano wouldnt you?

You will not have to get your piano out of a catalogue, or from a high  
flown description, or merely from a newspaper cut, but you can see a piano  
of exactly the kind we are giving, at the "Dispatch Office, Woodstock. You  
can examine it and try it. Only this—your piano will be brand new, direct  
from the Amherst factory, and you will have three different styles of cases  
to choose from. In all they are all alike. We want to make this competi-  
tion something worth working for. Something a little bit different from  
what a newspaper generally offers.

The "Amherst" is comparatively a new piano, but one of the highest grade  
pianos made in the Dominion of Canada. The judges at the Toronto Exposi-  
tion awarded it the best. That is saying pretty well of a piano made in  
the Maritime Provinces, isnt it? What more could be said?

There is another thing about this "Amherst Piano." It is the only piano  
made into which you can put a "player afterwards if you want to. "Players  
are very costly when you have to buy them with a piano. Wouldnt you  
prefer a piano into which you could put a player attachment later on, at no  
great deal of money. The Amherst Player, or "Cremonatone is a beauti-  
ful simple instrument, with several improvements over any other, under  
more perfect control, easier to operate. The player mechanism is built under  
exclusive patents, is very compact, and that is why it does not require a  
special piano to hold it, and it can be placed in the ordinary piano which  
the "Amherst" factory turns out. Every Amherst Piano is guaranteed for  
Twenty years, and is the only piano that carries a guarantee for that length  
of time.

Write to the DISPATCH OFFICE for INSTRUCTIONS and SUB-  
SCRIPTION BLANKS for this CONTEST.

## To Be Duly Returned.

(New York Sun.)

The wife of George Meizinger, a dis-  
tinguished French soldier, whose son a  
captain in the army, was recently  
wounded, was travelling from Switzer-  
land to Lorraine a short time ago. She  
says she overheard a conversation be-  
tween two German officers during a  
rainstorm.

One said: "Oh, I left my umbrella  
in a hotel in Paris."  
The other replied: "Never fear, you  
will be able to go and get it next week."  
"Pray do not trouble yourselves,"  
interrupted Mme. Meizinger; "my son,  
who is a captain in the French army,  
will undertake to bring it himself."  
The two officers alighted at the next  
station.

## Germany's Iron Industry.

In the producing of pig iron  
says the New York Outlook,  
Germany today stands second in  
the civilized world, with an out-  
put of seventeen million tons.  
Her native ore is poor, and yet  
by scientific methods she pro-  
duces one-fourth of the total  
pig iron of the world, surpass-  
ing England by over fifty per-  
cent. annually. This extraordi-  
nary production is largely aided  
by a chemical process which de-  
phosphorizes the ore, and the  
phosphate by-product is used to  
an agricultural fertilizer. By the  
application of science to indus-  
try Germany has not only in-  
creased her domestic welfare,  
but has enormously added to her

foreign trade. In twenty-five  
years her foreign trade has in-  
creased one hundred and eighty-  
five per cent.

Navy blue and brown and green are  
the greatest favor for autumn.  
Among light colors sand and putty are  
chosen.

Australia has a fence 1,200 miles long.

The first regular standing army was  
in Egypt, about 1900 B. C. The first  
modern standing army was in France,  
in 1445. The first permanent military  
force in England was the King's Guard  
of yeoman, in 1486.

## A Teachers' Association.

The Officers of the New Brunswick  
High School Teachers' Association fol-  
lows:—

President, F. C. Squires, Woodstock.  
Vice President, Miss Zula Hallett,  
Marysville.  
Secretary Treasurer, E. D. McPhee,  
Sackville.  
Associate secretaries in the different  
inspectionates as follows:—  
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Newcastle.  
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Mills.  
Mr. Brooks, H. C. Ricker, Kingston.  
Mr. O'Brien's, J. C. Hanson, River-  
side.

The general conference of the Meth-  
odist church of Canada meets on Wed-  
nesday, 23rd, at Ottawa. Several im-  
portant matters are to be taken up,  
among others the question of plac-  
ing laymen on the stationing commit-  
tee. Mr. John A. Lindsay, delegate from  
Woodstock, left for Ottawa yesterday  
afternoon. Rev. Thos. Marshall and  
Mr. J. J. Weddall go from Fredericton.