People Recognize Gravity of

Situation and Don't Re-

quire Goading.

LONG WAR IS POSSIBLE

by Clerks and Commercial

Travelers.

LONDON, May 4, 6.47 p.m .- Pre-

mier Asquith, addressing a meeting of

vholesale and retail distributing

out of 790,000 clerks, commercial tra-

velers and other workers in these

The premier stated that enquiries were being made with regard to re-

cruiting in the cotton trade, biscuit

manufactories, hotels and other

branches of industry, with the view to making a further appeal.

Mr. Asquith proceeded to point out what women had done to release men

for the army. Up to April 24 more than 50,000 women had enrolled on

goaded by rhetorical incitements be-fore they could be induced to obey the

aggression, and the men have shown a spirit worthy of the best traditions of the race. I would say to the na-

in the same temper."
"Every breach in our first line has

suspected resources, which you must

seed for the unsleeping exercise of our

national qualities of patience, con-

there is nothing that we shall leave

undone to bring that cause—be the

struggle long or short-to a decisive

danelles Are Officially

Announced.

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the ancient Ephesus, 35 miles south-

southeast of Smyrna. The Vali of Smyrna is reported to have reopened negotiations with the allies for the

Agamemnon Hit?

Constantinople's Version

sequence of our counter attacks he was in the first place driven back with

heavy losses into very rocky valleys and afterwards repulsed to the coast. "In the meantime our artillery caused a fire on board one of the

transports, after which other tran-

Biarat, in the Aegean Sea, the latter were killed."

British warship Agamemnon

"The British represent

surrender of the town.

INTO INTERIOR

**ALLIES MOVING** 

'Proceed in the same way and

call of duty. Never in the his

trades 430,000 had joined the army.

"VICTORY SURE, IF WAR BE SHORT OR LONG"---PREMIER ASQUITH

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-Date Mixture, Packet, ., 25c; lb., \$1.00. rb Spencer Mixture, 25c; 2 oz., 45c; 14-1b.

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the Beautiful. ered. Take a free trip urney through Musicor that handsome Musued by the System. It contains a of views and a fund of journey some evening h your wife and chilthe door on the doc iking your family on hrough the Musko For all partice F. Horning, district Union Station, To

# Austrians and Germans Cross Donajec River in Galicia to Attack Russians in Big Battle "ULTIMATE RESULT OF WAR NOT IN DOUBT, ONLY DURATION"---LLOYD GEORGE Britain Has Requisitioned

LONDON, May 4, 7.40 p.m.—Walter Runciman, president of the aird of trade, announced in the house of commons this evening that the British Government has requisitioned the entire supplies of meat from Australia and New Zealand.

The supplies that were not needed for the army, Mr. Runciman added would be marketed for the benefit of the civil population in order to prevent such increase in price as would arise from a shortage of supplies.

## CASUALTIES

Armorer-Sergt. George H. Tucker. West Croyden, Eng. Pte. Victor Hardy. Brussels, Bel-

gium.
Pte. Alfred Nelson Turner, Petersfield, Eng.
Pte. Valentine Patman, Dublin, Ire-

Pte. Robert B. Harrison, Wednes-field, Eng. , Lance-Corp. Percy Farnworth, Bol-

on, Eng.
Pte. John Dickson (formerly 12th).
Harpenden, Eng.
Pte. Wilfrid Heighes, London, Eng.
Pte. Harold Cecil Morley, Leicester,

Eng.
Pte. William C. Arthur, Coast
Bridge, Scotland.

SAYS GEO. P. GRAHAM

West Toronto Liberals Held

Political Rally in Broadway

Hall Last Night.

**GET AFTER ROGERS** 

Conservatives Must Put Up

Fight of Their Lives at

Coming Election.

can rest assured that no Conservative

the biggest fight of his life. I contend

ham said. "What will the mother coun-

"Hon. Robert Rogers went to Montreal

wanted, but the only explanation he

gave, it seems to me, was that the gov-

ernment wanted to be returned. He

last night.

think of us?

LID ONLY TILTED

THIRD INFANTRY BRIGADE.

Sergt Leonard Noble (formerly Wonderful Response to Call 5th), Barrow-in-Furness, Eng. FIRST BATTALION,

Wounded Pte. John Clarke, Edmonton. Pte. Wm. Wade, Mecosta, Mich. Pte. Alexander Walker Grant. Galt-Pte Verne Failes, Bracebridge, Ont-Pte. David Glenday, Cranbrook, B.C. Pte George Leslie Green, Chesley,

9th), Edmonton.
Pte. Arthur George Buchanan,
Walkerville, Ont.
Pte. John Alexander Campbell,
(formerly 9th), Pembroke, Ont.
Pte. G. Bennett, Chatham, Ont. trades of the country today, said that

SEVENTH BATTALION

Wounded.
Pte. George Alcock, New Westminster, B.C.
Pte. Sigurdur Goodman (formerly 11th), Piney, Man.
Pte, Valente, Richard Hicks, North ancouver, B.C.
Pte. Frederick Barrington Elworthy,

the war register initiated by the board of trade. In one of the largest engin-eering works in Newcastle, in the de-Victoria.

Company Sergt.-Major Thomas
Gould Hepburn, Chilliwack. B.C.

Pte. John Watson Scott, 118 Richmond Park road, Bournemouth, Eng.

Died of Wounds.

Lance-Corp. Gordon Ashford Mitchell, 315 Avenue road, Toronto. partment devoted to the manufacture of shells, he saw three or four thousand women at work.

Goading Not Needed.

The premier insisted that the people recognized the gravity of the war and did not have to be flogged or

EIGHTH BATTALION.

Wounded.
Pte. Brown Hensall, Saskatoon Pte. Charles Roy Hamilton, Mill Grove, near Hamilton, Ont. has that recognition been more clear and universal, or that obedience more prompt and more inselfish, he said. "We have made a magnificent begin-ning. We have stemmed the tide of Pte. Arthur Myron Beckworth Chat-

Essex P. O., Ont.
Pte. Orton Breally Lawrence (formerly 11th), No. 220 Fourth avenue, West Calgary, Alta. Major James Kirkcaldy, Brandon,

Pte. Alex. Kirkwood, 1300 Annett been made good, but there are still in reserve unused and, to the enemy, unstreet, Toronto. mobilize and organize to the full. I am not the least ashamed to call my-TENTH BATTALION. self an optimist; not that I under-rate the prowess of the enemy, the gravity of the struggle, the imperious

Wounded. Sergt. Bernard S. Mathers, Hull, Pte. Clifford High, Holt, Norfolk

Company Sergt.-Major J. Grant, Kingston Hall, Derby, Eng. Pte. Alex. MacRae, Perth, Scotland. Pte. Stuart McDonald Fox, Liverstancy, resolution and fortitude. I am an optimist because I believe in the righteousness of our cause and be-cause I am confident that by personal and corporate effort and self-sacrifice pool, Eng.
Pte. Walter Edmund Peel, Norwich, Norfolk, Eng.
Pte. Montague Sladen Smith, Wallingdon, Surrey, Eng.
Pte. Robert Smith, Clapham, Lon-

> Pte. Archibald McDonald, Riverside, Inverness County, N. S.
> Pte. Gladstone Edward Secord, St. Catharines, Ont. Bugler Robert Fairhurst, Winnipeg. Corp. Thomas Bell Greenaway, Win-

ripeg.
Pte. Harold Fillmore, Winnipeg. Pte. William Howard, Winnipeg. Pte. Reginald Farley, Calgary, Alta. Important Successes in Dar-Pte. Wmt. T. Beatty (formerly 11th), Perth, Ont. Lance Corp. Walter Roy Congdon, Medicine Hat, Alta. Died of Wounds.

Pte. Alexander Ramsey, address un-TWELFTH BATTALION. Seriously Wounded.

Joseph Lifford. Fredericton,

THIRTEENTH BATTALION.

According to the Turkish war office · Woundedthe British battleship Agamemnon has been disabled. The British censor Pte. Robert Irvine, Montreal. Lance Corp. Geo. Henry Taylor, Pte. Ralph George Parkinson, East

permitted the transmission of the Turkish report of the disabling of the lifton, Que. Lieut. Everett DeV. Chipman, The Agamemnon is a vessel of 16,500 tons and one of the most powerful in the British fleet. She carries a crew napolis Royal, N. S. Sergt. Ernest Harman Tulley, Ver-865 men. Her armament includes dun. Montreal. four 12-inch and ten 9.2-inch guns, FOURTEENTH BATTALION.

length over all 485 feet. She is a sis ter ship to the Lord Nelson. Wounded.

Pte. Charles John; Pte. Olivia J. Auger, Sherbrooke, CONSTANTINOPLE, May 4.—The following statement was issued today at the war office here: Pte. Frederick H. Lodge, St. John, "In order to increase the limited ex-tent of ground he held near Aviburnu, Sgt. Richard H. Wood, Montreal.
Pte. Daniel Dabate, Montreal.
Pte. George Henry Harrington, the enemy yesterday attempted a new advance on his left wing, but as a con-

Killed in Action.

Sgt. Shoemaker William Kalabra,
St. Alban's, Eng.

Sgt. Albert W. Hardwick, London,

Eng.
Corp. Evan Stuart Cameron, Bathurst, Gambiam, West Coast Africa
Lance-Corp. (Peter MacNaughton)
Dumferline, Scotland.

The Code of Code o which attempted to shell Bulair, was struck yesterday by four shells and chief to retire, being no longer able Pte. Alfred F. Godsall, Saltry, Birmingham, Eng.
Pte. Jacob Bolton. North Ormsby. "In an engagement between our gendarmes and seven armed sailors who landed with officers from a submarine on the uninhabited island of

All Australasian Meat

Lieut. J. B. Neale

fighting in France, after having been invalided to England for several

## JAPAN BENT ON COERCING CHINA U.S. IS NEUTRAL

Ultimatum Insists on Acceptance of Terms in Brief Period.

PEKIN IS ANXIOUS

Sudden Jap Coup is Feared Defences Are Made Ready.

(Continued From Page 1). will be unable to oppose the Japanese

It is asserted in high quarters that Hon. George P. Graham was the chief 100,000 troops have been concentrated speaker at a meeting of Liberals of the in the environs of Pekin, but with suf-West Toronto riding in Broadway Hall ficient ammunition for only a brief re-"If the present government are persist- sistance. Japs Warned to Leave. Special police and military precau-

ent in carrying on another election, they tions have been taken thruout the will reach parliament this time without city, especially around the winter palace, where President Yuan Shi Kai that it is a national outrage to bring on resides. The officials declare that they a general election at this time," Mr. Graare suspicious that the Japanese may try think of us? What will the world attempt a repetition of the Korean coup d'etat.

The Japanese legation, it is said, to explain why a general election was notified the Japanese yesterday to prepare to leave Pekin, and that many women and children are getting ready

ernment wanted to be returned. He made some remarks to the effect that the senate would not carry thru the proposals of the government; also that the Liberals had criticized them.

"The lid had only been tilted at the close of the past session, and each one of us had enough data in our desks to keep the Borden government on edge for two sessions.

Extra Tax to Pay Debts.

"Why are the people of Canada paying an extra war tax? Why, to pay off the debts of an extravagant government, and not caused by the war at all. We

and not caused by the war at all. We did not criticize the government when they asked to borrow \$50,000,000 last August, and neither did we when they asked to borrow \$100,000,000 lately.

"The present expenditure could be limited to \$90,000,000 instead of the \$140.

Whether President Yuan Shi Kai regarded as desirable.
Fear Greater Demands.
Whether President Yuan Shi Kai

ited to \$90,000,000 instead of the \$140.000,000 that they reached today. If the
present government had reduced its expenditures, as it should have done,
things would have gone on much smooththan they have for the country.

Whether President ruan Sin Rai
will concede all these points seems to
be an open question. Some of the officials express the fear that the Japanese military party, which they propresent government had reduced its expenditures, as it should have done, things would have gone on much smoother than they have for the country. "What kind of harmony do you think will reign among the homes here when a political campaign is launched? Mothers, sisters, daughters, that have been working in harmony making comforts for the soldiers from Canada who are fighting on the battlefields of Europe will find a wrench in their friendship when the Conservatives and the Liberals are engaged in a political battle at home."

gaged in a political battle at home."

Among those present and who addressed the meeting were: A Dyment, president of the Central Liberal Association:

J. S. Goldberg and C. A. Moss, Liberal candidate at the last election for North Toronto. Lewis Gurofsky acted as chairman. The following were abosen to form to have voiced the suspicion that he may accept an alleged offer from Japan of military support and protec-tion for himself against foreign nations and his own people in return for conceding control of the country in fact, altho not nominally, to Japan. man. The following were chosen to form

### IS KILLED IN ACTION

His Brother Receives a Message From Ottawa Notifying Him of the Casualty.

cott of this city, has been killed in acion at the front according to a private message received from Ottawa today by his brother, G. G. Scott of the Cock-shutt Plow Works. Lieut. Scott be-longed to the Dufferin Rifles and was

Major M. A. Colquhoun, also of the Dufferin Rifles, is reported wounded in a private message from Ottawa which added that he was convalescent ing in the base hospital at Boulogn ELECTED OFFICERS.

# Turks Defeated in Persia Heavy Fighting in Galicia

Austrians and Germans Cross Donajec River, in West Galicia, To Attack Russians, and Claim Taking. of Thirty Thousand Prisoners.

LOYDON. May 4, 10.30 p.m.—The Russians have badly defeated the Turks who had invaded Persia. The defeat took place in a three-day battle near the frontier. and Petrograd reports that the Russians inflicted heavy losses on the Ottomans. If the success of the Muscovites has been followed up, military observers declare, Persia now should be free of her uninvited guests.

Should they succeed in doing this, it is asserted that a general retreat of the Russians would be imperative, and that the whole Carpathian offensive, on which the Muscovites have spent so much time and so many lives, would be nullfifed.

Austrians Cross Donajec.

An official communication issued this evening reports that the Austro-German forces have crossed to the

reprint a compared with what Germany and Austria claim they have done to the Russians in Galicia. Their reports tonight state that 30.000 Russians were captured and that a large number of guns were taken. There was no mention, however, of any towns, such as Gorlice and Tarnow, which were close to the front, being captured, which leads the British military critics to the conclusion that, while the Germanic allies may have won local successes, they have not driven the Russians very far back.

Austrians Cross Donajec.
An official communication issued this evening reports that the Austro-German forces have crossed to the right bank of the Donajec River. in Galicia. It says that desperate fighting continues. A big Austro-German success in the

operations on a large scale in the west, for which the Germans are making In Belgium thus far the fighting has

been confined to the Ypres region, where the Germans claim to have cap-tured some villages which the British evacuated in the process of readjust-

Rev. Henry Alfred Porter of Dallas Says Britain's Ideals Are Theirs.

WALMER ROAD CHURCH

Large Attendance at Graduating Class of McMaster University Last Night.

Last night in Walmer Road Baptist Church, Rev. Henry Alford Porter, B.A., D.D., delivered the baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class of McMaster University. There was a large attendance of the students and their friends, and in addition to the religious and devotional exercises, a sacred musical program was provided by the choir of the church.

The opening service was conducted by Chancellor McCrimmon, Rev. S. S. Bates, D.D., and Professor Farmer. Rev. Dr. Porter, who is a distinguished member of the first graduating class in arts of McMaster University, is engaged in pastoral work in Dallas, Texas, and came at the request of the university authorities for the especial purpose of taking part in the commencement exercises at the college.

Symbols of Honor. Dr. Porter took as his text the words found in the fifth verse of the nineteenth chapter of St. John: "Then came Jesus forth, wearing the crown of thorns." He described crowns as outward symbols or honor, dignity and power. In ancient days to win a crown in battle was a Chic

glorious exploit, and to lose one, humiliation, complete and overwhelming. "In the case of Jesus," he said, "would it not be better to read the words of the text, 'then entered Jesus, wearing His thorns as a crown,' for altho it was placed upon His head by the Roman soldiers in insult, and with ridicule and brutal laughter, the thorns became a crown which outshines all the crowns of the world melted into one. The crown of thorns was offered to Him in bitterness and hate, but He received it in love and gentleness, just as He took all the bitterness in His life and transformed it into radiance and beauty.

"Each thorn stood for a phase of the suffering of the Master, for his loneliness, for the hatred of His enemies, for the trials of His\_earthly life, but He wove them into a crown of glory, until there never was a diadem so royal or costly. We, too, have our thorns," added the speaker;" we may rebel against them and fight against the circumstances which gave them to us, or we may bear them like Stoles, because we have to, or follow the example of the Master and weave them into the crown of a conquering king."

Thorns of Militarism.

king."

Thorns of Militarism.

In speaking of the present war, Dr. Porter likened the soldiers who so brutally forced the stinging thorns into the brow of Christ, to the German war bords who have forced the thorns of militarism on the suffering brow of humanity, "and," he said, "it is for Britain and Canada to make of them a coronet of high ideals which shall ever shine to the honor and glory of Christian civilization." He assured his hearers that from his personal experience in traveling thru the United States, altho the nation was officially neutral, the people were far from being so, and that they realized that the high ideals for which Britain has always stood are also the ideals of the people of the United States, and every other English-speaking country.

NEW YORK, May 3.—The two Americans, in addition to Captain Gunther, who lost their lives when the American steamer Guiffight, was torpedeed off the Scilly Islands, were Charles C. Short of

British and French Have Situation Well in Hand on Battle Line.

WIN AT STEENSTRAATE

French Artillery Begins Bombardment of German Forts at Altkirch.

ial Cable to The Toronto World. PARIS, May 4.-Altho the French night communique contains only brief allies now have the situation on the 425 miles of battlefront well in hand and that Gen. Joffre is continuing his tactics of "nibbling" with a reasonable

measure of success.
On the Belgian front, the French on the Beigian front, the French forces, which were driven back a considerable distance by the German use of asphyxiating gas fumes, are constantly on the aggressive, and tonight the regaining of more territory in the regain of Steamstrate is recorded.

region of Steenstraate is recorded.

Fighting in Champagne.

In Champagne, another important front where the Germans are anxious weeks ago, three successive attacks were made on the French trenches, and were repulsed with heavy losses. French advances were recorded at Bagatelle in the Argonne, where many unburied bodies of Germans were found still lying where they fell in the Argonne. Fighting was continued in the of Le Pretre, where the French new attack gained enough

A despatch from Basic reports that French artillery begen a heavy bombardment of the German fortifications at Altkirch in upper Alsace Saturday, and that it continued its heavy firing to the dissection of Cernay Sunday.

and that it continued its neavy firing in the direction of Cernay Sunday.

The Germans, in a statement intercepted by wireless, lay claim to the capture of three villages in Belgium. The French and British reports on the contrary say that the allies have been holding their own and that only one feeble German attack on a British position was made, and that it was easily sition was made, and that it was easily

### MAY INCORPORATE **MOUNT DENNIS**

Ratepayers Favor Becoming Police Village by Majority of One.

The benefits to be derived from invillage formed the subject of a lengthy discussion at a crowded meeting of the Mount Dennis Ratepayers' Association, and when the question was voted upon the police village project carried by a majority of one.

It was pointed out by the president, I. A. Robinson, that some such action was a necessary step towards the obtaining of improvements, and that it was ladder as a police village with the sup-

ladder as a police village with the support of the township council, than to incorporate at once as a town.

Engineer's Report.

The report of E. A. James, engineer, to the highways commission, on the water supply problem, dealt with the obtaining of water from three sources—Weston, direct from the Humber, and from artesian wells. The report stated that an installation of three miles of water main would give adequate fire protection to the legal area of 500 acres. The frontage tax on 50 feet would amount to \$2.50, and the water bill on a modest outfit to \$4 on each house. Some compensation, however, would be received in reduced insurance rates, and it was estimated that the installation would pay for itself in 20 years.

The executive will meet on Wednesday or Thursday to draw up a petition and arrange for a canvass at once of the district.

It is the intention to submit the petitions by May 16, one month before the June meeting of the county council, and it is believed that if the petition is grant-

it is believed that if the petition is granted the election of three commissioners would take place in July.

It is considered highly probable by Mr. Robinson that the majority of the people will sign the petitions for incorporation, as the general feeling is that, the city having declined to supply water, some such action must be taken.

### FUNDS NEEDED FOR SERBIA

Please send cheques or postal orders to Lady Boyle, hon. treasurer of the

Serbian Red Cross Offices: 5 Cromwell Road, S.W. London, England. 2257

**PURCHASING BOARD** 

Large Staff of Clerks, Buyers and Inspectors to Be Engaged.

McClain and John Callaghan.

South Toronto Liberals.

ociation in Occident Hall, corner Quee

Thos. Shipway was in the chair. Several

well-known Liberals gave short addresses Among the speakers were Dr. St Charles T. Phelan, J. H. Kennedy and

OTTAWA, May 4.—The members of the new purchasing commission. Hon. A. E. Kemp and Messrs. H. Laporte Pte. Alex. Shanks, Pailton, Glen. Stafford, Eng.

Pte. Alfred Sinfield, Leighton Buzzard, Eng.

Pte. John G. McTurk, Bradford, Eng.

Pte. John Roberts, Liverpool, Eng.

Pte. John Roberts, Liverpool, Eng.

Pte. Jacob Bolton. North Ormsby.

And George Galt, met today at the temporary quarters of the commission in the house of commons building and the organization work is now actively under way. A considerable staff is being secured both for the office and inspectors. New quarters will also be obtained.

Pte. John Roberts, Liverpool, Eng.

a committee to organize forces for the coming proposed elections: Lewis Gur-ofsky, A. E. Hacker, R. D. Ross, T. W. LT. SCOTT, BRANTFORD

An organization meeting was held last night by the South Toronto Liberal As-BRANTFORD, May 4.-Lieut. James

BUSILY ORGANIZING one of the first Brantford men to vol-

At the annual meeting of the Chartered Accountants Students' Association, the following officers were elected for the scason 1915-16: President J. A.

BRITAIN TO FINANCE ALLIES the chancellor added, it would be the duty of the house to consider what other contribution the community could make, and in what other form, to enable Great Britain to carry on little discussion of the budget itself, and the usual income tax resolutions were passed before the house ad-

Arthur Henderson, M.P., for the Labor party, protested against the

charges that had been made with regard to the habits of the working-

men, and declared that unless some

workingmen's side of the case stated,

it might be difficult for the Labor

party to give the government the solid

support which they had rendered it during the war.

he could not encourage the idea that the proposed taxation would be drop-ped, but he declared that he would consider the suggestion of discrimin-

ating between raw and mature whis-key. He denied that the case that

key. He denied that the case that had been made out for interference

with the liquor traffic was a charge

against the workers of the country.

Austen Chamberlain mentioned the proposals for increasing the taxes on

beer, wine and spirits, which the Unionists, Nationalists and several

Liberal members declared their inten-tion to oppose. Lloyd George an-nounced that he intended to confer with brewers and distillers and also that he was open to consider other

proposals. He added, however, that he would ask that the government be given power to control the sale of

liquor in the areas where munitions

Lloyd George, in replying, said that

methods were found to have

Lloyd George said he was able to report that the revenue of the country had exceeded the estimates, and that the surtax and income taxpayers were sending in their money with unusual Britain Versus Germany.

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Comparing the financial problems of Great Britain and Germany. Lloyd George remarked that while British im-George remarked that while British imports had increased enormously and exports had decreased considerably, both the exports land imports of Germany had been cut off by the British navy. From the point of a war minister, Lloyd George added, this made Great British better off, but from the point of view of a finance minister, her point of view of a finance minister, her point of view of a finance manister, her position was more difficult. In the ordinary year, the chancellor continued, British imports ranged £130,000,000 (\$650,000,000) above exports, but this year they would be £448,000,000 (\$2,440,000,000) exclusive of govern-

Service to Allies. Referring to the question of discrimination in recruiting, the chancellor said he thought the allies ought to determine the part Great Britain should play in the combination and the best service she could render. She could he declared, keep command of the sea, and that was a valuable service that she had rendered the allies, which was essential to their ultimate success, especially if the war were which was essential to their ultimate success, especially if the war were prolonged. She could maintain a great army on a continental scale, he continued; and a third service was one she had rendered in the Napoleonic days—bearing the main burden of

financing the allies.

Discrimination in Recruiting.

Great Britain, said Lloyd George, could do the first and third of these things, but the second she could do only within certain limits. She has raised an enormous army, but the time had come for discrimination in recruit-ing with suggested limits. However, there was a great boom for recruiting. The chancellor then raised a smile of relief by announcing that there

Liquor Tax to Be Modified. The general impression in the lob-bies after Lloyd George had delivernew taxes on wines, beers and spirits either will be withdrawn or greatly modified, for, above all things, the

of war are made.

The chancellor's speech was taken to indicate that at some future date Lloyd George would propose a huge loan to finance the war for a further period of from six to twelve months. smile country must be relied upon to provide there the necessary funds was presumed to