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Money Wasted.

In effect this means the money spent by the ordnance bureou of the war department in experimenting and perfecting American guns will be taken over bodily. French type of munition must be used and American gunses will be taken over bodily. French type of munition must be used and American gunners must learn to handle the French field pieces. The decision of the war department virtually eliminates the ordnance bureau as a factor in the field in which it was supposed to be pre-uminent.

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g. Gen. Crozier, chief of ord-is absolved from the responsi-for this condition. The depart-places it on the failure of con-

tions which he has been differen years.

The war bureau already has announced that the Springfield riffe which the government perfected and considered the best gun of its character, also will be thrown out of use immediately and the British riffe will be used, because this country has no facilities with which to turn them out

(Continued from Page 4) country; and having put our poli-cles of reconstruction before the nation, go to the country upon them.

A Patriotic Suggestion.

The Government is asking for a year's extension. The longest extension which has ever been given in the old country is eight months. The two right hon. gentlemen have a great responsibility. One has discharged his responsibility. I leave my right hon, friend beside me (Sir Wiltrid Laurier) to deal with his in his own way. They enjoy in an unparalleled degree the confidence of their fellow citizens, and I say it would be a great thing for Canada and the Empire if they could get together yet and agree to an eight months' extension, which would take us over until next June. In all probability by that time the war will have passed out of its acute stages, and the considerations which water tester will not then exist. I nut stages, and the considerations which arise today will not then exist. I put this to my right hon. friends in the best spirit, as a patriot, as a lover of the country, as a lover of the Empire, and as a lover of the Empire, and as a lover of the great cause at issue in this war. I feel, however, the appeal will be in vain. If they do not come together, we are going to have a general election.

well, in that case, we shall have to say, let it come. Let the graves of our dead be descrated. There are twenty thousand or thirty thousand Canadian soldiers at present lying in British and French hospitals. Let their hearts be wrung, as their bodies have already been wrung—so that we may settle which side is most to blame for the Ross rifle, and whether it would not be well to have a change in the present lime. My views as expressed in these few words are perhaps better put in an article in the London Daily News and Leader, of April 18 last; which I will read to the House.—The Daily News and Leader is not too indulgently friendly to the present Government at Westminster, and April 18 was the day after the extension was carried in the British House. It said:

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The Bill further prolonging the life of the present Parliament passed its second reading yesterday. There was no serious opposition to the proposal, and there should be none. An election at the present time would be an outrage, which the country would very justly resent. There is no issue before the constituencies, and there is only one task for Parliament. It is to get on with the war. An election, so far from promoting this object, would very gravely interfere with it, and would raise political issues which the country does not want to see raised new and which cannot be settled in the midst of the dominating preoccupations of the war. We hope this will be the last exension necessary, but this extension is, on every ground, imperative.

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For my part, I would say, if the die is cast the sooner this debate comes to an end the better. Let us clear our minds of cant, and let us clear our conduct of sham. Let us get to the election. If there is to be an issue, let us get to it. If this matter should go to a vote, I would vote for the extension of Parliament. I should be afraid to do otherwise. I should be afraid to to take any step, and I have not taken any step during nearly three years, which would cast any doubt anywhere that any but one public object I cared for at the moment, and that is the winning of the war.

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