

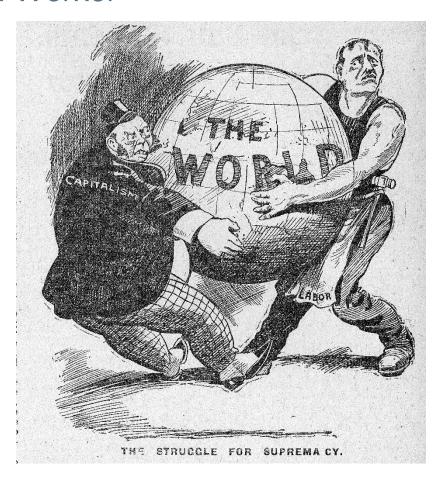
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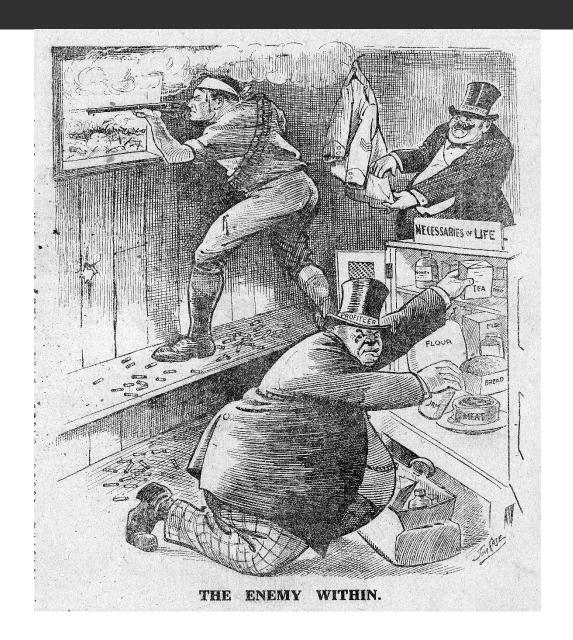
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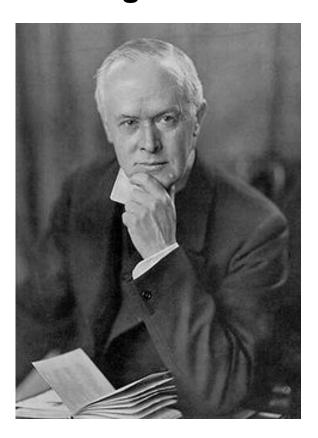
# The enemy within





### Political leaders

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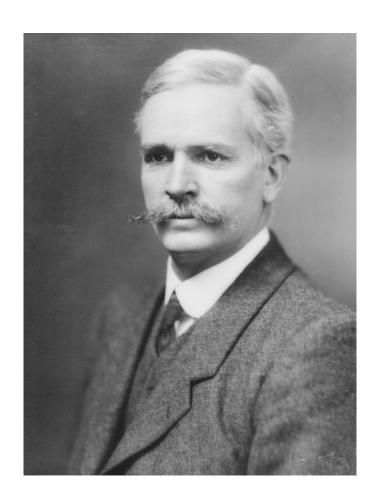


### **Joseph Cook**





### Andrew Fisher & W.M. (Billy) Hughes





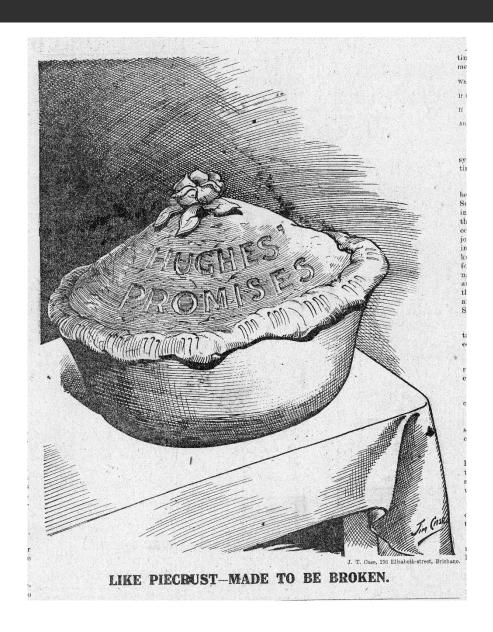


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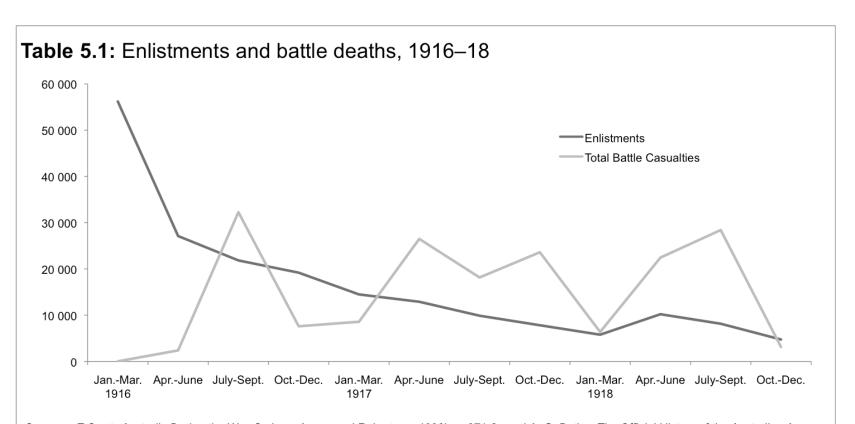


# Hughes' promises





### Enlistments and battle casualties



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### Hughes campaigning





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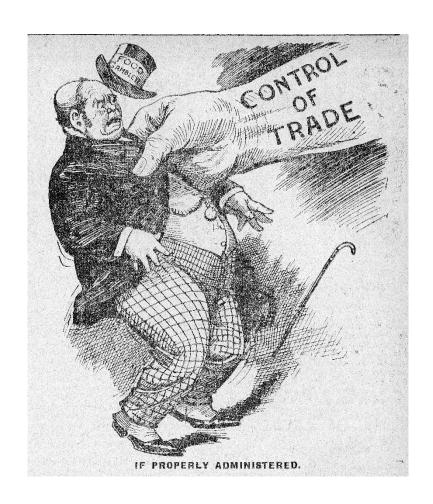
## The Rat Trap





### The Nuptials







### Conscription



#### "MOTHER, HOW DID YOU VOTE ON THE GREAT REFERENDUM?"

THE WIDOW: "I relied on Mr. Hughes's promise that married men would not be needed, and voted "yes."