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HISTORY

Paper 1 Section B/A: Conflict and tension: the First World War, 1894–1918

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Source A for use in answering Question 01

Sources B and C for use in answering Question 02



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Source A

A French poster, 1901.

It was produced to celebrate the visit of the Russian leader, Tsar Nicholas II, to France in September 1901. He is shown here with the President of France.

The writing at the bottom says, 'If you want peace, prepare for war.'



Source B

Adapted from an account given some years later by a German army officer who fought on the Western Front in 1918.

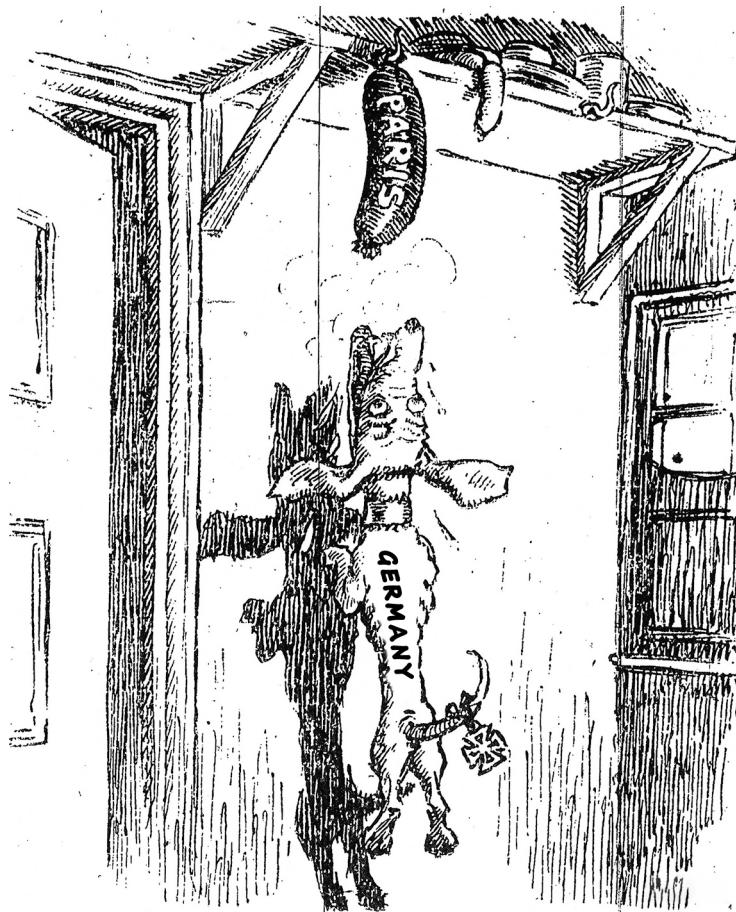
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Source B is a German army officer describing the early successes of the Spring Offensive.

Source C

A cartoon and poem published in a widely read British newspaper, June 1918.

The title was, 'So near and yet so far.'



Again and again the little doggy tries,
 But weaker his efforts get:
 Out of reach the sausage lies,
 And always will – you bet!

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