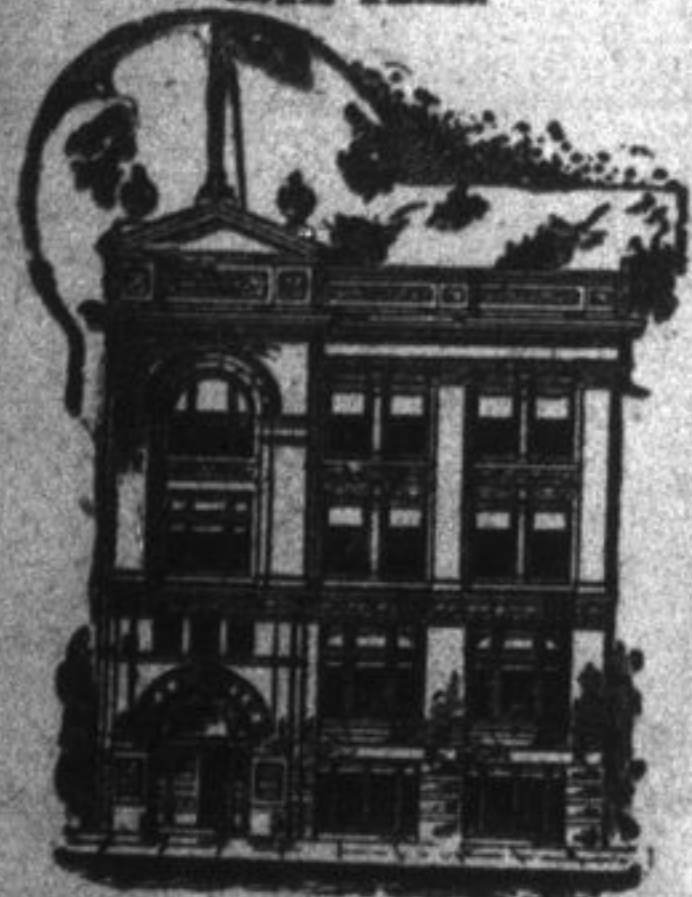


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There is only one real preventative for the riots which are taking place in the Canadian camps in England.

The return to Europe from Canada of so many aliens should have beneficial results for that continent.

Over one thousand soldiers are to return to Kingston on Friday for demobilization.

If the Barrieffield Huts are not used as a permanent barracks, then what is to be done with them?

W. T. R. Preston's statement that there are soldiers lying in Flanders Fields to-day simply because they voted for the Liberal party at the last election is hard to believe.

Premier Gouin's splendid record in building good roads for Quebec province had much to do with his overwhelming majority at the election.

A list which has been published showing what cities in Ontario have done for veterans of the war does not do credit to Kingston.

It is stated that the school boards of Nuremberg, Germany, have decided to remove a picture of the Crown Prince, because it is too immoral.

The war service gratuity scheme has now been extended to include all men who went only to England.

The shoe dealer who told the high cost of living committee that ladies would pay almost any price for stylish shoes, and would not buy them if reduced in price, has earned the thanks of the husbands who have been wondering why their wives' boot bills have been so high.

Harris Tanner, the soldiers M.P.P. for Saskatchewan, opposes the two thousand dollar gratuity scheme for veterans on the ground that it means one-third of the population asking the other two-thirds for three times as much money as Canada has in circulation at present.

The Hon. T. A. Crerar has raised himself 100 per cent. in the eyes of the people of the west by the announcement that he had cut himself from drawing a salary of \$15,000 a year from the United Grain Grow-

ers' Company while holding the rank of cabinet minister.

The people of the United States seem to be receiving the self-appointed president of the Irish republic with open arms, but they will have to understand that John Bull's motto in regard to Ireland is "No interference."

A soldier patient in a London, Ontario, hospital writes to the London Advertiser stating that the returned men ask, not patronage, but friendship and equality.

THE NICKLE DIVORCE BILL.

The Uxbridge Journal the other day came out with a strong protest against W. F. Nickle's divorce bill on the grounds that it will make it easier to obtain a divorce than it has been in the past.

It is evident that the Journal cannot have read a copy of the bill or of Hansard containing the debate on the second reading.

What the bill does affect is the financial burden of divorce. Under the system whereby the senate tried divorce appeals, the cost averaged from five hundred to one thousand dollars.

HOUSING SUGGESTIONS.

By defeating the housing bill the sidersmen of Kingston threw away the best chance possible of solving the city's housing problem.

It is necessary that some steps be taken immediately, even although they be of only a temporary nature, to care for the families who are without dwellings.

Then there are many large buildings in the city which could very well be divided into flats and rented in apartments.

ments, and which it at present vacant. These buildings could very easily be utilized to house a large number of Kingston's population who are looking for dwelling places.

An Empire Calendar.

Discovery of Quebec, July 3, 1609. It is just three hundred and eleven years ago to-day since Samuel de Champlain, the famous French explorer, and the first governor of French Canada, sailed up the St. Lawrence and fixed the site of the city of Quebec.



FIRST "HOME" BUILT IN THE RUINED CITY OF LENS. The citizens of Lens are beginning to return to the sites of their former homes, penniless and forced to make what they bravely try to call a "home" from the scattered debris.

Rippling Rhymes

TRANSIENT The rosebush blooms a little while beside my cottage door; a weak or two it puts on style, and then it blooms no more.

—WALT MASON.

Charles de Brissac. When the army was disbanded he joined his uncle and was given command of a vessel to make an expedition to the West Indies. He was away for two years, during which time he visited many ports, and pushed inwards from Vera Cruz to the city of Mexico.

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