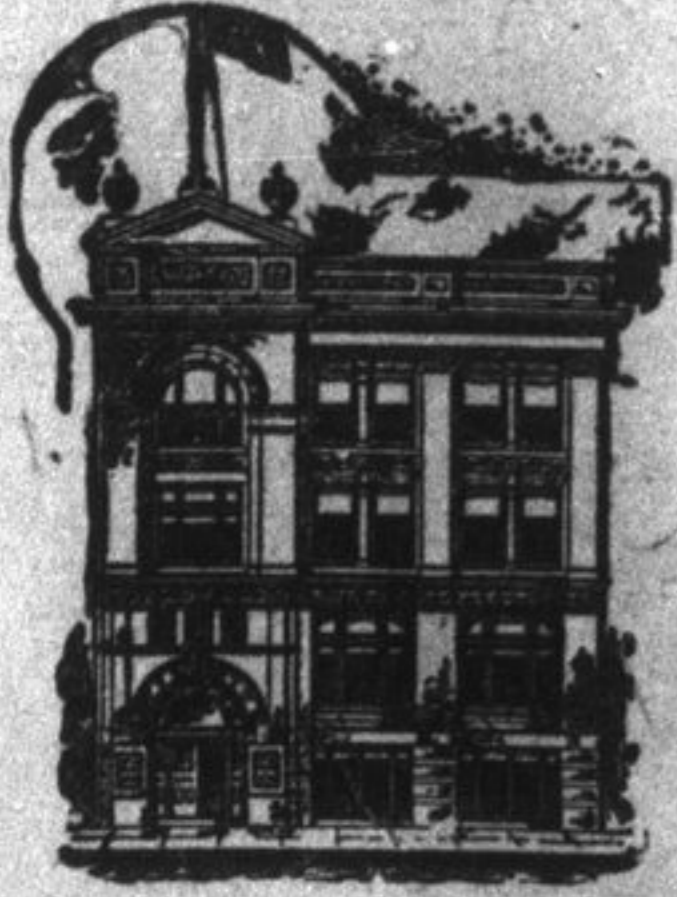


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It's taking the United States as long to make peace as it did to make up its mind to go to war with Germany

Kingston's Industrial Exhibition will be the next big attraction. It promises to beat all records. Even Manager Dushell says so

Some people are debating whether the ex-kaiser should be hung, shot or electrocuted. It might be the surest policy to do all three

Public ownership has not strengthened its case by the half billion dollar deficit in the operation of the United States railways by the government during the last eighteen months

Henry Ford says twenty days' labor a year is all a farmer need give to his soil. On his part, Henry needs to give further particulars before he can convince the farmer that he is talking sense

The Hungarians occupied Bucharest, so why should not the Rumanians occupy Budapest? Revenge is sweet to the Rumanians as to other people. At the same time, it is usually a foolish policy

The high rate of exchange is causing Canadians to stop buying in Buffalo, and the merchants of that city are grieving over the fact. Our people should boycott all American cities until the Canadian dollar is recognized at its par value

The failure of a municipal coal yard to have its order filled by any of the fifteen companies appealed to gives food for thought. The public will naturally want to know the reason why a municipality cannot purchase coal for its citizens when it has the money to pay the bill

We have got to teach the boys and girls in the public schools that the finest business in this world, the one that offers the biggest opportunity for home building and the greatest opportunity to become a useful citizen, is that of tilling the soil on a good farm—Hon. Duncan Marshall, of Alberta

Toronto has decided to spend \$1,000 in erecting an arch in honor of the coming visit of the Prince of Wales. It reminds us of the time when Kingston erected an arch in honor of another Prince of Wales, away back in 1860, but the royal visitor refused to pass under it because it was built by the Orangemen

In the last three years the railroad employees have received hundreds of millions of dollars in wage increases for which the general public is paying. As a reward for its generosity the country is to be taken by the throat and choked into submission if the most complicated economic issues that have ever confronted it are not settled forthwith. If there is any difference between that kind of arrogance and the arrogance of the German general staff in July, 1914, we should like to know what it is—New York World

PRESIDENT WILSON HAS THE RIGHT IDEA

An announcement just made from Washington to the effect that President Wilson has abandoned the conferences with Republican and Democratic senators on the League of Nations until the high cost of living

problem has been solved, shows that the president has sensed correctly the greatest problem which he, before his country at the present time. The League of Nations is a secondary matter compared with the great work of relieving the critical situation into which the country has been placed by the soaring cost of the necessities of life, and the president is to give his whole time to the finding of a solution. No doubt his action was accelerated by the report of the children's bureau at Washington, which stated that from three to six million children in the United States are not getting enough to eat because their parents cannot, at present prices, buy the nourishing food required. When twenty-five per cent of the American school children are insufficiently nourished, it is an arresting condition, and it is not to be wondered at that President Wilson considers it of primary importance

The situation in Canada is not one whit better than it is in the United States. The same high figures prevail, and it is true that tens of thousands of families find themselves very restricted in their buying powers where food is concerned. No official figures are available as to the number of children who are suffering from want owing to this condition, but it is quite likely that the percentage is on a par with that of the United States. What Canada needs, then, to cope with this situation is a leader who will do as President Wilson has done. It needs a man at the head of affairs who will subordinate everything else to the solution of the problem of the high cost of living. That is a big task, but it should be tackled without any delay. Every day that goes by without any action being taken is a day wasted, and there should be no time lost in this matter. We commend President Wilson's attitude to the attention of Premier Borden, and call upon him to lose no time in using all the power at his command to secure some relief for the people of Canada, who are borne down by the heavy burdens they have to carry in providing themselves and their families with sufficient nourishing food and ample clothing for their needs

KINGSTON LEADS THE DOMINION

The report of the information and Service Branch of the department of soldiers' civil re-establishment for Kingston shows that this city has now attained the proud position of leading the whole dominion in placing returned soldiers in employment. The figures given show that during the week 136 men applied for employment. Every one of these was placed in a satisfactory position, and in addition six men whose applications had been lying over from the previous week were placed. This gives a percentage of 103.6 for the Kingston office, which is the headquarters of the southeastern district of Ontario. Since the office was opened in the Bank of Toronto building in February, W. G. Butler, the officer in charge, reports that out of 1960 returned soldiers who have applied for employment, 1,900 have been found suitable work, this making a percentage of approximately 97 for the whole period

This is a remarkable record. The Whig has from time to time traced the growth and development of the work of this department of service for the soldiers, and it is with much gratification that we learn that it now leads the whole dominion. These offices, which are in operation in practically every city with a population of over 10,000, are doing a splendid work towards the stabilizing of labour conditions in Canada. Every soldier who is placed in a satisfactory position is an asset to the country, and every dissatisfied soldier is a danger to Canada. These offices exist for the primary object of seeing that every man who has served his country during the war is given every opportunity of making good in civil life. Its work does not stop when the man is found a position, but trace is kept of him, and in some cases many positions have to be found for the same man before he is satisfied. These problem cases are hard to handle, but it is worth while to ensure that they are properly dealt with. Unless this were done, the man would rapidly become a follower of Bolshevik principles, and would be a menace to the country

Kingston's part in providing the soldiers with employment should be made known broadcast. This city has had many jobs cast at it because of its alleged lack of interest in the soldiers. These jobs are given the lie in no uncertain manner by the official figures just issued, and Kingstonians have good reason to be proud of their record

From the Outside Looking In

Toronto World. In view of the fact that Kingston is after extensive harbor improvements, some people down there are thinking it might be good policy to have the constituency represented by a cabinet minister, and it is said that Dr. J. W. Edwards is suggesting an acclamation for Sir Harry Drayton, who was born there. Local Liberals, however, say that if the Union government intends staying out of an election until the passing of time compels their appeal to the electorate a Liberal candidate will surely be put up against him

PUBLIC OPINION

One Good Result. (Savannah News) Anyhow and anyway, German culture finally brought Germany to a more intimate and detailed knowledge of the fighting men of several of the nations of earth

Good Reasoning. (Louisville Courier-Journal) Mr. Capper, of Kansas, who says it is more important to reduce the cost of living than to get the League of Nations, doesn't, apparently, know that the cost of living is due largely to our not having had a league

A Spoil-Sport. (Buffalo Express) The motor commissioner of New Jersey has made the important ruling that young men, or old men with spring fever, make themselves liable to forfeiture of their driving license if they persist in running their automobiles with one hand while using the other arm to entertain young women or old women with the spring fever

The Course of Bolshevism. (Chicago Tribune) Bolshevism thrives so long as it has the bank balance or organized society to back it. When that slowly accumulated reserve is at last thrown to the winds, it must resort to de-bauchery of those who protest, and then to the inevitable collapse

The Greater Evil Free. (Toronto Times) It is a crime to carry concealed, either a pistol or a large knife, yet any one can buy such weapons without any great difficulty. The sale of poisons is rigidly supervised. An automatic magazine pistol is worse than carbolic acid, especially as the good citizen has no occasion for its use

Members of the Chinese peace delegation declared at Paris they were highly dissatisfied with the statement of Viscount Uchida, Japanese foreign minister, with regard to the proposed return of Shantung to China

The first direct uncensored mail from America to Germany began arriving at Berlin on Friday, the letters received ranging from business communications held up for weeks, months and even years to recent letters from three to five weeks old. Germany is a broken nation, both in body and spirit, and a long time will elapse before the efficiency of her people is restored, it is declared in a report of British scientists on food conditions in Germany

THE WORLD'S TIDINGS IN CONDENSED FORM

Tidings From All Over Told in a Pointed and Pithy Way

The Chamber of Deputies, Belgium, unanimously ratified the peace treaty with Germany

Some U. S. authorities predict that more coal will be mined soon and that the shortage which now exists will not increase

Lieut. General Shaw, commander-in-chief of the British forces in Ireland, was thrown from his horse and badly injured on Saturday at Belfast

The British Government is refusing to renew the licenses of some Canadian-owned vessels and commanding the space in them for its own requirements

One dead, one missing and heavy property damage, was the summary of the damage wrought by a cloudburst and storm at Bathurst, N.B., Houses were torn from their foundations

All policemen and troops, which had been assigned to the Chicago stock yards, were withdrawn Saturday. It was hoped this would settle the difficulty between the packers and the employees

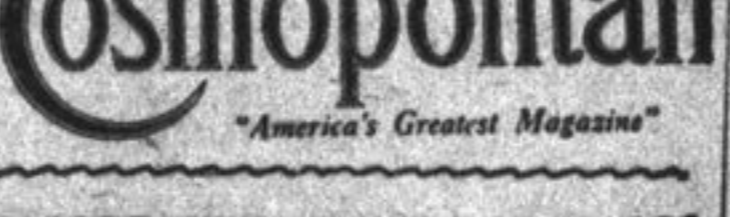
At Bathurst, N.B., during a cloudburst Vincent Power, a returned soldier, was killed as he neared a barn in which he took shelter, by the collapse of the structure and the falling of heavy beams upon him

The peace conference has decided to carve Thrace into a number of parts, some going to Greece and others being designated to form the future Free State of Constantinople, and a new Free State under the League of Nations

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—WALT MASON.

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