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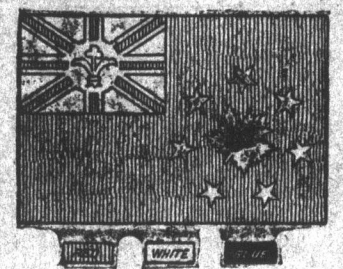
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A SUGGESTION REPRESENTING OUR PAST, PRESENT AND FUTURE.

Victor Laurier Places in the Very Centre of the Union Jack the Fleur de Lis, Representing Our Past—Our Present is Set Forth in the Union Jack, and Our Future in the Maple Leaf.

As a Canadian, proud of my country, I bring forward the accompanying design. It represents at once our past, our present, and our future.

Our Past—New France. In the very centre of the Union Jack I have placed the fleur de lis. The royal fleur de lis, far more than the republican tri-color, is the proper emblem of the discoverers, and founders of Canada. Under it Jacques Cartier sailed forth, and Champlain and Frontenac labored, and Montcalm fought and died. To the heroic men its founders, the nation owes and should justly render the triding tribute of a place for their



CANADIAN FLAG SUGGESTION. Historic emblem upon which nation's flag. Their sons have doubly earned it; they have stood at the front for Canada and Britain in three great wars, and will do so yet again.

Our Present—Britania. The Union Jack must represent the Empire to which we are all proud to yield allegiance. It will represent the glorious memory of 1812, and our united pride in the British name. And I have ventured to preserve, despite statutes, fate and a forbidding heraldry, the old red ensign that we all love.

Our Future—Canada. The Maple Leaf has undisputed place as the nation's emblem. A stirring national song has enshrined it in our hearts. Let it stand for the world-empire our fathers are, which we ourselves may some day be.

Each star of the circle of seven represents a Province, as the enclosed design of this question, that the patriotism of the Canadian people may have a fitting rallying-point—Victor Laurier (Wm. E. Park) of the Chatham Planet in The National Monthly of Canada.

Mr. Justice Clute. Roger C. Clute, K.C., LL.B., of Toronto, has been appointed a Judge of the High Court, in succession to Mr. Justice Idington, who goes to the Supreme Court at Ottawa. Mr. Clute was born near Picton in 1848, of U. E. Loyalist stock. He was educated at the Sterling Grammar School and at Albert College, Belleville, taking the degree of LL.B. in 1873. The same year he was called to the Bar. He was made a Queen's Counsel in 1890, and has acted as

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To Secure Beasts of Emblematic.

An attempt is being made to form a society which shall have for its object the education of the public to realization of the advantages to science attending the study of the brains of illustrious personages. A committee consisting of Dr. Alexander Hrdlicka, Dr. E. A. Spitzka and Professor B. G. Wilder has been appointed for the purpose of preparing a general form of brain bequest which will hold in law and not be rendered null by any action that may be taken by relatives of the person making the bequest.—Medical Record.



HOW TO WIN A HUSBAND.

Woman's sphere in this 20th century is not limited any more than man's. She can occupy almost any business position or profession, and yet the popular view of womanhood is that she best fits the position of wife and mother and head of the household. Every girl should know her heart and also know that her womanly system is equal to the strain of marriage.

If a girl is nervous and irritable ten chances to one it is due to some trouble peculiar to womanhood.

Cupid has no place in a girl's heart if she is nervous and irritable, feels dragged down, worn out for no reason that she can think of. The weak back, dizzy spells and black circles about the eyes are only symptoms. Go to the source of the trouble and correct the irregularity. Stop the drains on the womanly system and the other symptoms will disappear. This can be done easily and intelligently. So sure of it is the World's Dispensary Medical Association, the proprietors of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, that they offer \$500 reward for women who cannot be cured of leucorrhoea, female weakness, prolapsus, or falling of the womb. All they ask is a fair and reasonable trial of their means of cure.

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Justice Idington.

Who Succeeds Justice Killam on the Supreme Court Bench.

Justice Idington of Toronto, has been appointed to the Supreme Court to fill the vacancy created by the appointment of Justice Killam to the Chairmanship of the Railway Commission.

Justice John Idington was appointed to the High Court Bench in Ontario last year. He is in his 65th year, having been born near Morrison, Ont., Oct. 14, 1840. He is the great-grandson of the first Chief Justice of the Province of Ontario.

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THE MAGIC BOTTLE.

A Trick That Will Teach a Little Lesson in Physics. Here is a trick that will prove a puzzle to those who are not pretty well up in physics.

Take an ordinary dinner plate and fill it with water, then a small empty bottle, and assure the spectators that you are wizard enough to pour water through the solid bottom of the latter.

Pass the bottle around that all may see it perfectly empty and dry; then, having thrust a stick into it and held it to the fire until it is very hot—



THE WATER RISING IN THE BOTTLE.

hot to hold in the bare hands—stand it, mouth downward, in the plate of water. At the same time pour a tablespoonful of water on the upturned bottom, as if you were beginning to fill it in that way.

Each time you do this the bottle will be seen to retain more water, and as a corresponding amount will have disappeared from the plateful from which you are dipping it, it will easily appear as though the water had passed through the bottom of the bottle.

Of course the fact is that the water really rises from the plate with the contraction of the air as the bottle cools.

THE GIRAFFE.

Hard For It to Browse on the Ground, So It Lives High.

"You can always tell giraffe country at a glance," said Captain Manel, the big game hunter. "A place of low bushes or no bushes or trees at all is sure to have any giraffes in it. Always look for low trees with abundant leafage before you look for the giraffes. No matter how fertile the ground may be or how full it may be of fine juicy grasses and other vegetation that would furnish abundant food for the giraffes, you won't be likely to find them unless there are trees. The reason for this is that it is very nearly as hard for a giraffe to browse on the ground as it would be for a man to stoop over without getting on hands and knees and pick something up from the ground with his mouth. There is no more awkward and painful sight than to see one of these beautiful beasts feeding from the ground. It straddles its immense forelegs out sideways till they look as if they were being stretched like India rubber. Then it slowly and clumsily lowers its body, jerking its forelegs spasmodically to keep its balance. That is why a giraffe is not eager to browse on low growing vegetation."

Novel Fishermen.

The boys who live near a body of water containing perch, bullheads or catfish can make large catches by means of simple devices.

An old jug, well stoppered, makes an excellent assistant. After emptying the jug and corking it securely take it to the place where you want to fish and, making a line fast, bait your hook and carefully lower the jug in the water. A tempting worm on a hook below a jug is liable to result in a bite, and then the jug commences to bob about in an amazing manner. If the fish is large it may tow the jug around the water for awhile, but a heavy jug will soon tire out even a big fish, and then you can haul in the captive.

If jugs are not obtainable, large bottles are effective, although they do not offer the resistance the heavy jug does and, unless dark colored, are hard to see on the water.

To Extract Flower Essence. Any little girl may make perfume in the following manner: Place a layer of the flowers in a clean earthen pot and over them a layer of fine salt. Repeat the process until the pot is filled, cover closely and place in the cellar. Forty days afterward strain the essence from the whole through a crape by pressure. Put the essence thus expressed in a clear bottle and expose for six weeks in the rays of the sun and evening dew to purify. One drop of this essence will communicate its odor to a pint of water.

Wanted the Trousers. Little Antony, aged three, was at Sunday school in his first pair of trousers. A picture of several little angels was before the class.

"Antony, would you like to be a little angel?" asked the teacher.

"No, ma'am," replied Antony after a careful inspection of the picture.

"Not like to be an angel, Antony? Why not?"

"Cause, ma'am, I'd have to give up my trousers."—Little Chronicle.

Cleaning House. Dolly's clothes are on the line. Dolly's dishes fairly shine. Dolly's home is swept all through. Chairs and tables look like new. Dolly's little mother, May, Has been cleaning house today.

—Gunsberg.

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NEW FIELD MARSHAL.

Gen. Sir F. C. A. Stephenson Is a British Crimean Veteran.

General Sir Frederick Charles Arthur Stephenson, G.C.B., K.C.B., who has been given the rank of Field-Marshal, is one of Britain's Crimean veterans. He was born in 1831, and joined the Scots Guards in 1857. He served through the Crimean war,

On the Crimea, who makes some wonderful shots.

Alfred De Oro, a Cuban, is undoubtedly the greatest pool player in the world and has a box full of world's championship emblems. De Oro is a sensational, brilliant player, who carries the spectators of their feet in deliriums of excitement.

De Oro is rapid in every action. His work is usually so dazzlingly fast that he bewilders his opponents. As soon as his turn comes to shoot after the break De Oro shoulders arms with his cue, a quick, hurried march around the table, a brilliant flashing glance of his intense black



GENERAL SIR F. STEPHENSON.

being present at Alma, Inkermann, Balaklava, and the siege of Sebastopol. Then he went to China as Deputy Adjutant-General, and took part in the capture of the Taku forts, 1857-61. He commanded the Home District 1876-1879, and was one of the principal officers in the Army of Occupation in Egypt, 1883-88, being made general in 1885. For his services in Egypt he received the thanks of both Houses of Parliament and the Grand Cross of the Medjidie. General Stephenson retired at the end of 1888, and has been Constable of the Tower of London since 1898.

The Fear of Paris.

Depression reigns in Paris owing to the poor men in society who have to make presents to the rich at the new year. Says one unfortunate: "For two months after New Year's day I hesitate to buy a pair of gloves or take a cab when it rains. Cigars are forbidden luxuries, and at home I smoke a pipe. What has become of my money? It has been spent on flowers and bonbons for the wealthy hostesses whose invitations to dinner my social position forces me to accept. And they are not amusing, those dinners! Observe that I am invited by these ladies solely because they know I shall have to send them presents, and when their salons look like the sweetstuff shops or the florists, they have to give most of the things away, and run the risk of letting the donor recognize his gift in another house!"

Truly Parisian society is very complex.—London Chronicle.

Cookery and Government.

Rossini, the Italian composer, is reported to have said a droll thing on the unification of Italy when some one asked his opinion on this matter. He replied that he thought it very difficult if not impossible to effect it for the simple reason that the Neapolitans eat nothing but macaroni, the Florentines nothing but fagottoli and the Lombards only polenta, while the Piedmontese swallow all they can get. "It is clear," he said, "that uniformity of cookery must precede unity of government."

What Makes the Sky Blue? The sky has long been a puzzle to physicists. There are two mysteries to explain about it—its reflection of light and its color. The old view was that the blue of the sky was due simply to atmospheric oxygen. Oxygen has a faint blue tint, and the idea was that several miles of the gas, even when diluted as it is in the air, would have a bright blue color. But this did not account for the intense illumination of the sky, and of recent years Tyndall's "dust theory" or some modification of it has been generally accepted. Recent calculations by Professor Spring of Liege, Belgium, however, indicate that the dust in the air is not sufficient to support this explanation, and he rejects it for this and other reasons. He has gone back to the old oxygen theory and accounts for the general illumination of the sky on the hypothesis, first advanced by Hagenbach, that intermingled layers of different density in the atmosphere give it the power of reflecting light.—Success Magazine.

A Higher Law. "Doesn't the constitution guarantee a man the right of life?" "Yes, unless he's a married man."

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