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1929

Another year has swung slowly through its twelve months' span, has matured and declined while this old world worked and built and prospered. And as it moves grandly into the eternity from whence it came, we have no regrets but welcome its successor, the infant 1930. Another year-and it will be a year of achievement. Another year-and science, culture, and commercial prosperity will have moved our world a step further toward ultimate perfection. May it be a year of success and happiness for all of us.

A happy journey all the way, -Where comforts wait and joys attend, Good cheer to spare good health to share, And good luck to the New Year's end.

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What undeciphered fate. What trembling fear and hope Upon thy footsteps wait? th, what hast thou to give Of bitter or of sweet? ---

Of faith whereby men live?

Of fallure or defeat? What-fortune dark or bright, What welrd sibylline doom Of love our days to light: " Of joy shall burst in bloom?

From Time's uncharted land Who at our dubious door In dread disguise dost stand! Put from thy feet the dust Here, where thy journey ends!

From God in child-like trust We take whate'er He sends. Of thee, O brave young year; Courage to face life's task

And strength its load to bear, Patiently to endure Whate'er God's love may send Then wait with spirits pure The sad gray twilight's end.

A CANADIAN FLAG

The following are extracte from the

gation in the city of Tokio, Japan, "the Canadian national emblem" was raised omcially for the first time on

What was the emblem? It was not the Union Jack. In August, 50,000 Boy Scouts from ing-of-age jamboree. Each contingent carried the flag of their country. Had Canada's boys carried the without need of special orders-in-

proper figg. they would have marched behind the Union Jack—and no it was, they flew "the Canadian emrong flag. For "the Canadian em- a flag. olem"-they used was a shipping flag which may be flown with official sanc-

Ashore in Canada there is, officially, no such "Canadian emblem." There the flag of Canada—and that is Let a Canadian set forth, on

high seas in a Canadian vessel, and dian flag. That flag is not the Union' Jack, but the Canadian Red Ensign, Last year at the Olympic games Canadian victories were honored by the hoisting of the Canadian flag." That flag was not the Union Jack but the Canadian Red Ensign, a flag which, within Canada, has no official status. And yet that is the flag which flies over Canadian Government buildings outside the Dominion. But surely, I hear a reader

Zealand has a flag. Ireland has a flag. Haven't we got a flag that we can call our own?"

We have and we haven't It may be hazarded that one-third of our people are using the Canadian merchant marine flag, and that most of them believe that it is the flag of limited to ships owned by the Canadian Government and to Canadian sphere. It is then a flag without the sanction of any authority, and can claim no recognition. In order to distinguish Canada

House in London and the Canadian Embassy in Washington, official permission has been granted them to fly the Canadian merchant-shipping flag Otherwise they would fly the Union Jack and be lost amid the Union Jacks of London, or undistinguished from that at the British Ministry in Wash-

Thus Camadians at home are denied the right to a distinctive flag of their own on land, while that right other than the official flag of the country they, officially represent-has been specially granted to Canadian ington, Paris and Tokio. If it be not disloyal for Canada to

fly at sea and over buildings outside Canada a flag other than the Union Jack, how can it be disloyal .to fly flag of the same nature everywhere Possibly one-third of our people display the Union Jack or neglect to

display any flag, while many among our French-speaking population, roughly another third. By the flag of the French republic-this apart from religious flags, and as denoting na-Small sections of our people feel very strongly about the Union Jack and its retention as the sole emblem

It is the individual right and privilege of every British subject to fly this flag. It is the right and privilege of every Dominion to fly it. In proposing the creation of a Dominion flag for Canada, there is not the slightest suggestion of abolishing the But it is proposed that there should be a distinctive Canadian flag, to supplement the Union Jack, and to distinguish Canada from the other British nations, just as the distinctive flag of the Commonwealth of and dry. Australia supplements the Union Jack, and distinguishes Australia from the other British nations.

Neglect to provide for and mark the growth, dignity and funity of Canada in this matter of a distinctive flag has exposed- Canada and Canadians to ridicule and scorn, and has caused ill-feeling of a nature

ber of customs houses the city must possess. He referred sarcastically to the wide use of the Canadian merchant-shipping flag on buildings. Here is part of a news story from Dominion in the British Empire." Amsterdam, August 2, 1928: Canadian officials deeply resent the

have been conducted. The dispatch Why don't you drown your sorrow?" gives some instances and proceeds: Sad one: "She's bigger than I am,

do with the raising of the Canadian THAT AFTER CHRISTMAS FEELIN flag, Monday, when Percy Williams won the 100-metre race. The custom Your money is spent and you have is to raise a huge flag on the centre field. Canadians grigved when the To meet bills that have to be paid. Dutch authorities were unable to You're burdened with care and the produce a regulation flag. A protest was made, with the result that a With nothing in sight you can raid; regulation flag was secured and used. The wolf at the door gives a horrible

meant the Canadian merchant-ship-Does not this intendent show that Your coal is all gone, you have noth the Dutch were entirly blameless? How could they be expected to know You are living on one meal per day. that Canadian athletes wished to be A stone heart would melt as you pull designated by a flag other than that

of Canada—the Union Jack? -... Dosent H. show that the statement Then a man of affairs rises up and from Canadian sources that "the Union Jack is good enough for us." The country is rolling in wealth." i incorrect in that at Amsterdam the Union Jack was not considered good enough because it was not sufficienty distinctive?

There is no question of loyalty incolved in any, way. The Union Jack s as much our flag as it is that of the British Islanders of the present it was their fathef's flag. The elder stay-at-home son succeeds to the family firm's title and trademark. The younger sons abroad use that trademark(differenced by a distinc-

alone on their visiting cards. When they grow up, their own names appear thereon. As the eldest Miss Britain, it is not contemplated that Canada will change her name or leave the family, but it is surely time that her own visiting cards were pro-

perly engraved. Far from being a cause of disunity article by Hugh Savage, published in and disagreement the adoption of a support, neep the September number of MacLean's distinctive Dominion flag for Canada agreement and by opposition, by give the September number of MacLean's distinctive Dominion flag for Canada ing and by withholding, by firmness. On Dominion Day last, at the tem- tory causes to the development of a and by compliance, by praise and by porary quarters of the Canadian le- national consciousness and pride in blame, by silence and by words, by national consciousness and pride in blame, by silence and by words, by Canada and her connection with the what is pleasant and by what is pain-

would designate Canada, Canadian institutions, and Canadian people. Its adoption, would end the ridicule we reach the resting-place, we shall with which Canada's present attitude almost every nation gathered in Eng- invites, and prevent embarrassment to what each has done for the happiness of the rest—for joy, or for goodness. Embassies and government build ings abroad would then fly this flag

Abroad, a distinctive Canadian flag

Exhibitors of Ganadian commerc one would have known from the and trade would be properly distinflag that they were Canadians. As guished by a Dominion flag. Much valuable publicity has in the past been blem," and in so doing, they flew the lost to Canada through lack of such

James B. Bowes, the Chatsworth personal views. Often public men Sage who forecast with precision the are discouraged by this thing and cold snap of the end of November two drop out, and the community is months in advance, has predicted the loser. Every citizen who wants weather conditions for the northern see his community prosper should be

In predicting the cold snap of Nov- Town and rural councillors, and ember, Mr. Bowes also foretold the other public men, give their time and mild weather which visited these parts. as a rule try to do their best, and He said it would last till about the fif-teenth of the month. Mr. Bowes bases for their efforts. his predictions on study of the planets. Of his new forecast, the Chatsworth Sage says:

"The following forcasts are for any and men as old as they feel. That is part of the northern hemiphere located wrong. A man or woman is as old the equator and the pole os North ing old is largely a habit of the America. The forcasts are not to be mind. "As a man thinketh in this applied to countries or areas which re- heart, so is he." If he begins shortly ceive their heat from the torrid or after middle age to imagine himself ocean currents, such as Great Britian old, he will be old. To keep oneself or the British Columbia coast.

to the 45 degree of latitude. Often to the man who hangs unto life with the storm or blizzard of the north will both hands. He who lets go, will go. be rain in the south. A decidedly cold Death is slow only to tackle the tenwave will take at least four days from actous. Ponce de Leon searched the time it starts in the great north- the wrong place for the fountain west before it reaches Newfoundland, youth. It is in one's self. One must merchant ships. The Admiralty war-this out for themselves. I expect to while the outer man perishes, the in-I leave to readers the task of figuring keep oneself young inside; so that rant gives no authorization for flying be 80 per cent correct if these forecasts, ner man is renewed day by day. It ashore. When it is flown on land which are not for local, but for gener- When the inner man ceases to exert

January-Very decidedly mild about tiv interest in the affairs of life; the 20th. About the 22nd very strong when the human stops reading and winds, rain, snow and quite cold. Last thinking and doing, the man, like a few days quite mild. The pronounced blasted tree, begins to die at the top. thaws in this month of the heavy snow You are as old as you think you are. of Dec., 1929, will cause serious floods Keep the harness on; your job is no in many places. February-First few days quite mild.

About the 6th very strong winds, heavy rains and snow are -very cold. After this very mild to about the 19th, then in most countries it assumes with the fresh winds, rain, snow and quite cold. Balance mild.

ded wind, rain and show storm for the same usage prevails. It declined about a week, then quite mild. Last in the Church of England, but was half about average temperature. Last evived by several of the dissenting two third of month very dry and calm. isodies, the watch night of the Metho-May—Very calm and dry till about dists being merely a modification, of the 18th, then strong cool winds, rains the once general practice. Among and frost, and a probable snow storm. the convivially inclined, however,

June Calm, cool and dry to about pariously, and the new year is welthe 18th, then very strong persistent comed with such signs of rejoicing winds with very heavy rains that will far to one who did not understand fill in balance of month. Probable the systems would seen to indicate frost about the 20th. July-The first week has a continu- existence and glad to see their years ance of wind and rain storm of June. go by as speedily as possible.

Then very decidedly warm. About the the 15th strong winds and heavy rains commencing about the 8th of July and extending into August. Will be period noted for its excessive heat humidity and thunder storms. There Christmas at the home of Mrs. Munwill be very serious floods in some places, owing to the heavy rainfall of last part of June and fore part of July here, has been appointed caretaker of September—Very calm and very dry the county building at a salary of \$300 to about the 19th, then strong winds, a year, succeeding Archie McGibbon

rains and frosts. Balance mild and October-First week calm and dry About the 7th, cool winds and rain. | lor Waldbrook, announced on Monday Balance very calm and dry. November-First few days calm, and 1930 council. It is generally felt that dry. About the 7th, winds rain, snow the new council will go in by acclamaand frost, centre quite mild. About tion the 22nd, very strong winds, heavy rains, snow and very cold to the end. December-Very decidedly mild, calm G.I.T. groups and their leaders visited

1931. January First half of month Christmas carols and well they did to rain, snow and frost. Latter half very i'he singing was much appreciated, February--Very mild.

April 6th and 21st strong; May 20th Church and lived at Huntsville for 25 strong, June 20th very strong, and pert years and for the past 15 years in sistent, July 1st very strong, July 15th Clarkson and Nelson Township. She strong. August 27th medium, Septemis survived by seven sons and four landing at Vancouver, is reported to have commented on the large number of customs houses the city must strong, November 22nd very strong. In such a flag, Canadians of every McGibbon made Christmas joyous as class, athletes included, will have their possible by treating the fourteen priown distinctive Dominion emblem, just soners to a fowl dinner. Miss Myrtle

Wednesday. It may have been pos-sible that the Dutch did not consider A message of hope to his band— Canadians would win and therefore Then the story is told of a mountain a Canadian flag would het be needed but that can be hardly a satis- Piled up by a prosperous land.

factory excuse. Presumably by this "Canadian" or "Regulation" flag is A winter of chills brings a bundle bills · · - -Which nit you with rage and dismay ' ing to pawn, in your belt, A doctor would weep at your health.

declares:

Ottawa department of Marine and Fisheries that a systematic check-up day. It was our fathers' flag just as of unlicensed radio sets is being made by the inspectors. Each radio set owned by a dealer and loaned to a prospective customer for demonstration purposes must be licensed. The installation and operation of such sets may be covered by portable li-The daughters of a family do not censes issued in the name of the dealforever carry their mother's name er, or by a license taken out in the loaned. In order to avoid court proceedings all interested are requested to govern themselves accordingly.

WHAT is duty? With regard to oursenses, and with regard to others, it is to be untiring in giving help and vellers of the same hour, and companions along the same road, we ought to help one another; and when

A kind look will win its reward. AN exchange makes the observa tion that many a good-spirited citizen, who in private life has held the good-will and respect of his neighpublic office, that he is run down right and left by people who try to These people never take the trouble but are quick to strike a jarring note hemisphere up to the end of February a booster, not a knocker, in both

"These forecasts are more applicable ter of will power. The fates are kind done vet .- Exchange.

> WATCHING the old year out has seen a common custom in many lands. serious minded the phase of devotion. in many countries where Roman very Catholicism is the prevalent form of faith the year is begun with midnight masses. Among the Greek Catholics that all men were heartily tired of

MILTON

Judge and Mrs. W. N. Munro spent ro's parents in Wiarton. Arthur Mayes, turnkey at the jai resigned.

Every member of this year's Trafalgar township council, except Councilthat they would be candidates for the

There was quite an innovation i Milton on Christmas eve, when the C the homes of the sick, where they sang Margaret Janet Howson, widow of Thomas Lush, died at the residence The strongest winds over the whole of her son, Cuthbert F. Lush, Nelson globe for 1930 will be about January township, yesterday, in her 83rd year, 22nd strong, February 6th very strong. Deceased was a member of the United

tall here -Christmas when Governor as have their cousins in every other Field and her St. Paul's United Church Sunday School class of young ladies paid their annual visit to the fail and distributed Christmas cheer among the "She's bigger than I am, anges, candy, nuts, pie, cake and