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THE EATHQUAKE AND LAKE LEVELS

Canada and the States of the adjoining republic, which have for some time been engaged in a fight to conserve the natural level of the Great Lakes, have won out in the contest to restrict Chicago in its endeavor to unduly divert the waters of Lake Michigan to the Mississippi River in order that her sewage disposal system might be continued and maintained. The United States authorities have intimated to Chicago that the quantity of water hitherto diverted by her shall be considerably reduced, and that she shall immediately begin operations to provide a sewage disposal plant that will enable her in ten years to entirely remove any grievance existing. Thus the waters of the Great Lakes will be maintained at their natural height, and navigation on the St. Lawrence River, essential to the prosperity of the Western States, as well as Canada, will not be menaced. It has been a tough fight, but right has prevailed. A watchful eye will, however, have to be kept on the grasping Chicagoans, for they have complied with the decision of the authorities at Washington with a far from complacent mien.

Meanwhile Chicago is being given some comfort by the declaration of neighboring scientists regarding the recent earthquake. Those savants over the border, on the shores of the Great Lakes, unite in stating that the shake which alarmed many a few days ago was a natural adjustment of the earth's surface caused by internal contraction which is shoving the earth's crust in these regions up in a north and south slant. They aver that after a few hundred years, if Chicago is patient, she will have the water she requires for her drainage and sewage canal by the assistance of these repeated tilts, and that, in all probability, after 10,000 years or so, the waters of the lakes may be turned to the southwest by way of Illinois, and Niagara Falls may be a dry promotory! The wiseacres are very kind to postpone the developments to a time that is not caluclated to alarm the present generation.

A HEALTHFUL PRACTICE

More sickness results from respiratory diseases in the first three months of the year than in all the remaining months combined. A medical expert therefore councils that strict care should be taken of colds, in order that pneumonia may be avoided. Best of all care should be taken not to catch cold. This means keeping away from sick folks —especially coughing and sneezing people. Plenty of fresh air and sunshine are the best kind of medicine. Exercise out-of-doors cures a great many ills — Physical and mental. And remember fresh air does not need to be limited to the out-of-doors. Partially open windows day and night will make the house a healthful home instead of a hot-house to breed sickness.

THE HALF HOLIDAY

Nearby towns are now advocating to stay open Wednesday nights during the season of the half holidays this year and to hold the half holiday on Thursday in place of Wednesday. The commencement of the holiday season is May and will continue to the end of September. This was done by Flesherton last year while most of the towns held Wednesday as their day of rest. It was a most successful affair and everyone was in praise of the past summer when the half holidays were inaugurated and are looking forward to the continuance of them this summer season when half a day will be aken from labor for rest and enjoyment from the tasks of the business world.

EDITORIAL NOTES

A good traffic rule in life's journey is—keep to the right.

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The radio, like the baby, performs best after the company has left.

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The country is all right. It is only man that is vile.—John Millar, M. P. for QuAppelle.

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There will soon be opportunity to experiment as to the strength of the 4.4 per cent. beer, to be legalized by the Ferguson Government. The Ontario legislators have voted by a large majority in favor of the sale of the new liquid.

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The Prince of Wales will add to his popularity by the action he has taken recently in disposing of some of the wool from the sheep on his ranch in Alberta. Recently the largest woollen mill in Canada (that at Hespeler, Ont.) received a consignment of wool from the royal ranch, which went through the usual processes of manufacture and was turned into cloth. The Prince selected a gray from the samples submitted, and it is intimated will have a suit made from it, to be worn on his ensuing tour. We beg to nominate the heir apparent leader of the "Made in Canada" movement.

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Welland is another Ontario county to conserve its agricultural welfare by reforestation. Last year, under the leadership of the County Board of Agriculture 27,000 trees were set out. This spring, arrangements are being made for a reforestation week, when it is intended to ask for united action to plant 50,000 trees. There can be no more worthy movement. When shall we see a similar movement in Grey County?

MAN AND WOMAN

I can't figger out to save my life why some wimmen just naturally always take everything pussonel. The other night Josephine and me wuz settin' one on each side of the lamp as peaceful like as you please and all of a sudden she bust right out loud laughing and she looked at me over the top of her paper with that "now-I've-go-a-good-one-on-you" expression on her face and she read me this:

"Scientific investigation proves the ingredients of a man are:

Fat enough for a bar of laundry soap.

Iron enough for two nails.

Sugar enough to fill a teacup.

Lime enough to whitewash a chicken coop.

Phosphorous for a box of matches.

Potassium enough to explode a toy pistol.

Sulphur enough to rid a dog of his fleas.

But all this junk can be bought at any corner drug store for 89 cents."

Well, whenever Josephine sees humor in a silly piece like that I don't agree with her; I just retire with dignity. Now I retired all right, but I couldn't sleep, and purty soon the answer come to me as a natural inspiration, and I got up and told her gently that I had at last analyzed the subject of woman as men had been trying to do ever since the world began.

"Woman," I said, "has been proved to contain—

Starch enough to be all stuck up with herself.

Brass enough to butt in anywhere.

Gall enough to embitter the sweetest male disposition.

Paint enough for an Italian sunset.

Powder enough to blow up a dreadnought.

Perfume enough to gas a regiment.

All of which can be had in any deparment store for 32 cents."

The next morning I got my own breakfast.—"Farmer Putnam."

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ARTEMESIA COUNCIL

Council met at the town hall, Flesherton, on Saturday the 7th day of March, 1925. Present—T. R. McKenzie, Reeve; J. A. Hogarth, Dep.-Reeve; and A. Carruthers, J. Williamson and H. Corbett, councillors.

By-law No. 7 of 1925 to appoint officers for 1925 as follows was passed:—

Overseers of Highways..—..C. W. Lyons, W. H. Heard, W. J. McFadden A. W. Miller, J. A. Lever, R. Bentham F. Chard, N. Caswell, P. Beard, D. A. Stinson, E. Duncan, T. L. Mercer, J. Teeter, C. W. Foster, F. Smih, P. Teeter, S. McMullen, G. Blackburn, W. F. Shier, F. Taylor, W. J. Love, H. Nicholls, A. Hill, W. McNichol, T. L. Hughes, F. Wright, W. McMullen, A. Stewart, R. J. Vause, A. Badgerow, T. Wauchope, E. Stinson, H. B. McLean, G. Williamson, John Oliver, J. Meads, G. Little, A. McLean, A. Currie, D. McKinnon, A. Carson, A. Stewart, G. Banks, T. Black, J. Lyness, F. Purdy, W. Plantt, J. Pedlar, S. Martin, C. Newell, L. Atkinson, L. Teeter, D. McDonald, A. Cameron, J. Linton, G. Wright, W. J. Hutchinson, R. Gorley, W. Gordon, J. Ottewell, T. Freeman, W. Heath, J. Welch, A. Carruthers, Jos. Sherwood, G. Hutchinson, H. Piper, J. McWhinney, J. J. McGee, J. Carson, G. McGee, A. McDonald, J. J. Carson, E. Baker, W. J. Newell, W. A. Weber Ed. Fisher.

Fenceviewers — R. Parslow, R. Whittaker, D. McMillan, Ben White, Ed. Baker, W. J. Beatty, G. Warling, J. Lockhart, P. Beard, J. L. McMullen, J. Campbell, J. Parson, J. Lyons, R. Swanton.

Poundkeepers—A. McVicar, D. D. McLachlan, W. J. Beatty, W. H. McNalty, J. Lockhart, T. Gilliland, R. Richardson, Geo. Wright.

Accounts ordered to be paid: R. G. Noble, balance on snow plow $25; S. E. DeCudmore, insurance on hall $12.15; Municipal World, assessment supplies, etc., $38.19; C. Moore, gravel, $4.30; H. Fisher, gravel $2.50; Collector McLeod, revenue stamps $5.55; Reeve and Mr. Carruthers, committee $2 each.

The contract for redecorating and painting town hall was let to Mr. Wragget for $74.00.

The auditors presented their report which was referred to Mr. Hogarth and the Clerk for final examination.

The tustees of S. S. No. 3 and Mr. Archibald waited on Council in reference to changing boundaries of S. S. 3 and No. 10.

Corbett — Williamson — That the Clerk notify the Trustees of S. S. 3 and 10, that this Council suggests changing boundaries of said sections, by placing lots 158 and 159, now in No. 3, in No. 10, and placing Lots 157 and 158, now in No. 10, in No. 3.—Carried.

The sum of $1800.00 was appropriated for road expenditure for 1925, $400 in each ward, and $200 for the Valley Road.

The Late Mrs. O. Turner

The above mentioned lady whose death occured on Wed. Feb. 25h, 1925, at her late residence 10th concession, Artemesia, and was the eldest danghter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Magee of this Township and was in her 36th year. She was married to her now sorrowing husband thirteen years ago, who with two children, Evelyn and Harold aged eleven and nine years survive. She is also survived by her father and mother and three sisters, Mrs. C. Smith, 8th line and Misses Mamie and Isla and one brother Percy, at home.

The deceased young woman was of a most lovable disposition, a Methodist in religion and zealous in her masters service, and her beautiful Christian character was a benediction to all whom she came in contact with The passing of this bright young life is a real loss to her family and friends. Her critical illness of heart failure with complications extending over a period of two years was borne with much patience and her last hours bright with the assurance of an abundant entrance into the fuller life beyond. The funeral which was held on Saturday at Salem Cemetery was largely attended, service being conducted at the home by the Rev. Jos. Harrower of Flesherton whose message was one of great comfort and hope.

The floral offerings were beautiful and included beside the family wreath, one from the Magee family one from the Carson family of Cypress River, Man., one from the neighbors on Eighth line. and a spray from Mrs. W. T. Genoe Ceylon and Miss Turner, Toronto.

The pallbearers were Messrs. Bert Garnet, and Wilfred Magee, Wm. A Benson, F. Jamieson, cousins of the deceased and Alex Cameron. The out in full measure to the sorrowing friends.

Not dead—oh, no! but borne beyond
the shadows
Into the full, clear light.
Forever done with mist and cloud and
tempest,
Where all is clear and bright
Not even sleeping—called to God
awakening,
In heaven's endless day.
Not still and moveless, stepped from
earth's rough places
To walk the King's highway.

Hanover cement plant will run full blast this week.

MAPLE SYRUP

Maple syrup this spring will be delivered to Flesherton or Ceylon at the following prices:— In tins of ¼gal. 75cts.; ½gal. $1.40; 1 gal. $2.75; any person supplying their own containers holding two or more gallons at the rate of $2.50 a gallon. Syrup guaranteed pure and above government standard.

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