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EDITORIAL NOTES

Tornadoes and floods have been more numerous in North America this spring than ever before. The high level of the Great Lakes is caused by the excessive rain fall and is causing alarm in some districts.

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The vote of censure in the House of Commons against Hon. P. J. Veniot, Postmaster General, was defeated, as was expected. It remains for the people to judge the actions of such an autocrat.

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A great Canadian soldier, General Sir Wiliam Otter, has passed away after a distinguished career with Canadian military forces. He saw service during the Fenian Raid, Northwest Rebellion and the South African war. Gradually the links with the early stirring days in Candian history are passing on with only the memory of such sterling characters remaining. We owe a debt to these pioneers that will never be paid.

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Another advance in electrical achievement was accomplished last week when telephoning from a moving train for the first time became a reality. This again is a credit to Canadian inventive ingenuity, as Graham Bell, the founder of the telephone, was a Canadian citizen of Brantford. The progress of civilization is continuing and in the future there will be more astounding inventions than any of those given to humanity in the past.

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Let Mr. Findlay be fair and above board and acquaint the people with the facts he has for the charge made against Clerk W. J. Bellamy of corrupt practice. It makes Mr. Findlay's actions very black, indeed, when he does not make any explanation. No doubt his sphinx-like silence is attributed to the fact that he knows he is in the wrong and fears to make amends. There is a judgment day coming when the people will rise up and denounce him for what he is.

To Lay Tarvia Road

Reeve Findlay reported at the Council meeting on Tuesday evening that the interview with the Minister of Highways, at Toronto, had been very successful and that the Government will commence shortly to lay tarvia on teh conecting link through the village on the provincial highway. Mr. Henry also stated that a tarvia road would also be laid on the county conecting link. He also stated that the County road would be responsible for the new culvert at the head of the pond.

EVANGELIST TORRIE, B. A. who is in charge of the Great Revival in Flesherton Baptist Church.

The great interest taken in the revival services is evident by the large congregations that have attended each night although the weather was unfavorable. Each night during the week there was a splendid turnout, and on Sunday the church was filled to capacity, chairs being placed down each aisle.

Evangelist Alexander Torrie is a striking personality. He is a man with a message and has the happy faculty of geting it across to the people in a way that they enjoy and appreciate. A combination of wit and spiritual zeal gives him a magnetic charm. His methods are sane and attractive, never does he embarrass a congregation or any emmber of it, and all objectional features of professional evangelism are missing. The speaker depends solely on the message carried by the Spirit of God to the heart and mind of the hearer. One feature of the week night meetings is the lantern slides. These portray the life of Christ and are wonderfully complete and attractive, and are a source of information and blessing.

The song service also deserves special mention. Evangelist Torrie has a happy knack of getting the people to sing and these song services are a splendid beginning to every service.

The church was packed to capacity again on Monday night, when Evangelist Torrie gave a timely message on "Choosing a Wife." If you missed it, you missed a real treat.

A splendid spirit of co-operation has been manifested by all churches and the assisting of the Presbyterian and United Church choirs has been appreciated, and their message in song enjoyed by all.

Eleven Bridges Must Be Rebuilt

As a direct resut of the recent spring freshets and the heavy rainstorm of April 6, which was almost destructive in its character, no less than 11 bridges in the townships of Euphrasia, Artemesia, Bentinck, St. Vincent, and Holland will have to be replaced with new ones this year, the old ones having been completely washed out and destroyed. This will entail considerable expense on the part of the townships, and Engineer R. C. McKnight, who has charge of the work of reconstruction, is being kept very busy looking after them. All of the bridges are comparatively small ones, however, and it will not be more than a couple of months before they will be completed and ready for use. Three of the bridges are in Euphrasia, two in Artehesia and three in Bentinck, two in St. Vincent and one in Holland at Massie, while the bridge just south of Neustadt, which is a county one, will also have to be replaced at once. In addition to the bridges there are a nuuber of places where the roads have been washed out, and they will also have to be replaced.

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Baptist Church Services

REV. M. SAUNDERS, Pastor

SUNDAY, MAY 12, 1929

Evangelist Torrie closes his revival campaign in the Baptist Church on Sunday. Subjects for Sunday are: 11 a.m. "Personal Evangelism." Rock Mills at 3 o'clock "The Greatest Thing in the World." Closing service at 7 o'clock, subject "The Library of Heaven."

Miss Macphail's Letter

Blockade against the Post Office estimates, and the Divorce Bills have occupied another week.

A fresh storm broke over Mr. Veniot, Postmaster General, Tuesday afternoon. It concerned the conduct of one, W. F. Griffith, who was junior post office inspector in the St. John district. In the case of two post offices, called Dupey's Corners, and Shediac, payments were in arrears. These back payments had been paid over to W. F. Griffith who did not turn them in to the Department for several months after he received them, in the meantime he appears to have been promoted, rather than censured for his conduct, and also had his salary increased. Mr. Veniot stated that the man finally turned the money over, and that his rating according to ability was very high.

Mr. Veniot has done a number of things open to grave criticism. Every time the Government tries to move to supply on his estimates, someone moves an amedament, which takes the nature of a Want of Confidence Motion. I wish it were possible to vote censure on one Minister and have him removed fom the cabinet, if it were found necessary, and then the business of the House could proceed. With our present idea of Cabinet solidarity, one has to condemn the whole Cabinet or none, which to me does not make sense.

In regard to divorce, the Ottawa Citizen has an editorial on the subject, Wednesday, May 1st. Among other things it says:-

"Mr. Woodsworth and those other members of the Commons who have joined forces with him in keeping before Parliament the question of a more suitable tribunal in which petitions for divorce in Ontario shall be heard, have rendered signal service by the course they have pursued since the bill to establish a divorce court in this province was rejected some time ago.—It is hard to see in what other way he could have done what he has. No cause was ever served by remaining silent about it. If no further was heard regarding the rather discreditable system which now prevails, the hope of obtaining early reform would soon dissappear. By forcing the House of Commons to face the issue squarely and discuss the glaring anomalies of the existing machinery for dealing with divorce in Ontario, Mr. Woodsworth is providing an opportunity by the most effective means at his disposal to expose to the light the conditions which he objects to, and to which most fair minded citizens must object also.

In previous debates initiated in the House, Mr. Woodsworth has succeeded in revealing the inadequacy of Parliament as a forum for dealing in

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