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Dr. J. Baker-Edwards, Public Analyst, of Montreal, in his paper on "Sewage Disposal"

"I have, after due consideration, strongly recommended the gradual abolition of all cess-pits and privy vaults within the city, and the substitution of dry closets and frequent removal. I believe it to be practically both the best and cheapest yet devised, whether 'Dry Earth,' ashes, or charcoal be used as the absorbent, and that the only practical objection to them which has hitherto existed is removed, in the Heap's patent closet, in which the fluid is separated from the solids excreta."

The Value of the Earth Closets.

These are claimed by the inventor to be the "best in the world," having taken thirteen prize medals in open competition with Morrell's, Moule's and other celebrated makers, amongst others, at the Sanitary Exhibition at Glasgow, in 1883, at the International Exhibition, Amsterdam, in 1883, and at the Health Exhibition, Dublin, 1884, and they are here on exhibition this evening to speak for themselves.

Extract from a Lecture on "Sewers and Sewage" delivered by Alan McDougall, Esq., O.E., before the Sanitary Association of Toronto.

"The dry earth system was the oldest sanitary system which we could trace. The disposition of sewage of towns and cities could be treated under two heads. 1. The dry sewage system. 2. The water carriage system. Most of our country towns were worked under the first system—in Toronto to an alarmingly prejudicial degree. The numerous privies and outhouses were a most frightful source of disease. After a time the noisage would extend to an area sufficiently large to reach the wells in ordinary town lots. These outhouses, privies, cesspits, are in proximity to dwelling houses, bedrooms, living rooms and the wells of drinking water. This was the most disgusting arrangement possible. The material while being removed was a perfect nuisance. The Dry Earth System of Closets was, on the other hand, the best system of dry sewage, and if properly carried out would not endanger the public health. He referred to and described under this head the ash closets and pail system of Manchester and Rochdale, England, and then produced a model of

"Heap's Patent" Dry Earth Closets.

as erected on the Exhibition Grounds last September by Mr. Wm. Heap, of Owen Sound. He had inspected these closets while in use, and found them to answer admirably, and he understood that a number were now in use in Toronto.

From G. H. Corbet, Esq., M. D., Orillia.

"ORILLIA, March 7, 1885.

"DEAR SIR,—The Dry Earth Closet furnished me by you is entirely satisfactory, supplying a long felt want and in no small degree conducive to the health and comfort of my family."

* Four of our closets were erected, and 1,123 visitors made use of them.

From N. A. Bosworth, Esq., Druggist, Stratford.

"17 Market St., STRATFORD, ONT., March 11, 1885.

"GENTLEMEN,—The commode with Urinal Separator purchased from you has been in use for some time. I find it perfectly satisfactory in every way, and a very great convenience, besides its advantage in a sanitary point of view.

(From Wm Mackie, Esq., St Lawrence Hall Port Hope, Feb. 26, 1885).

DEAR SIR:—The five Self-acting Closets fitted with Urine Separators, which you placed in my hotel, have now been in use upwards of four months and have proved a great convenience and comfort to my guests and myself. I wish I had known about them years ago. They would have saved me much annoyance. If hotel proprietors and the general public only knew the many advantages of your system they would lose no time in doing away with abominable and unhealthy privies and adopt your Dry Earth Closets, which are simply invaluable and all you represent them to be.

From E. Play'er, Esq., M. D., &c. (Sanitary Journal).

"OTTAWA, March 9, 1885.

"GENTLEMEN,—I have received the commode you sent to me in good order, and like it very much indeed. We use coal ashes with it. A child of five years, with a few words of instruction, can use it without inconvenience. We have it in an unoccupied bedroom, and there is not the slightest odor from it. The 'Separator' brings the closet up to about perfection. I believe the commodes, and also the apparatus for connecting outside closets, only require to be well known to be in great demand. The universal use of such, instead of the vile and life-destroying privy vaults, and a large proportion of the water closets, would prevent many premature deaths."

From D. Creighton, Esq., M. P. P., Owen Sound.

"The Self-acting Dry Earth Closet, with Urine Separator fitted up, up-stairs in my house by you, has now been in use several months, and is giving perfect satisfaction. I found it all you represented, perfectly inodorous and a great convenience in the house. When the Sanitary, and other advantages of your Closets are known, I believe they will come into very general use."

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