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C. P. R. Time Table.

Trains leave Flesherton Station as follows:

Going South	Going North
7.43 a. m.	11.41 a.m.
4.17 p.m.	9.12p. m.

The mails are osed at Flesherton as ollows: For the north at 10.40 a.m. and 7 p.m.; and the afternoon mail south as 3.40 o'clock. For morning train south mail close at 9 p.m. the previous ev'g.

VICINITY CHIPS

Miss Adda Wright of Beaverdale spent the week end at her parental home.

Miss Bowes of Markdale spent Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. J. Heard.

Miss Zella Bentham visited last week with her grandparents at Eugenia.

The village council will meet on Monday, June 1, as a Court of Revision.

Mr. Roy Thistlethwaite returned on Tuesday from Business College in Owen Sound.

Master Newton Cornfield of Toronto visited with his uncle, Mr. Jos. Cornfield last week.

Miss Etta and Tena LeGard of Toronto are visiting at their parental home in the suburbs.

Dr. Fred Murray of Toronto spent a few days of the past week whipping the trout streams in this vicinity.

Mr. Jas. McClocklin, who went to Moosejaw a few weeks ago writes that he likes the place and propects are good.

Mrs. W. A. Armstrong has been elected to represent the Mission Band at the Annual Branch meeting in Toronto on May 27-29.

Mr. Mark Wilson received a despatch on Monday, announcing the death of his sister, Mrs. McConnell, at Goderich. The news was not unexpected.

The Presbyterians of Priceville purpose erecting a fine cement shed on their church property and advertise for tenders in this issue of The Advance.

The boys of the village are talking up lacrosse for the popular summer sport. A few weeks will make it plain whether it will be all talk.

One of the great advantages in living in a small country town like Markdale or Flesherton is the fact that we are exempt from the moving picture nuisance.

Mr. Arnold Thurston, Toronto university student, is home for a few days this week. Arnold goes to British Columbia next week to spend the summer in government forestry work.

The chemical fire engine which the village is taking on trail, arrived last week and will be given a trial on Saturday evening next at 8 o'clock on the common near the drill shed.

The buyer for the Hydro-Electric was up last week and purchased a number of the farms affected by the Eugenia development. He will return in a week or two and complete the work.

Prof. Joseph Stafford of McGill college spent Sunday here with his daughters, Misses Minerva and Valeria, while on his way to the Pacific coast to enter upon his biological investigations, where he has worked the past two seasons.

An interesting exercise was held in the Primary Class of the Methodist S. S. last Sabbath when eight members of the Cradle Roll were promoted to the beginners class. The exercises consisted of recitations and music, and were listened to by several visitors.

Mr. Henry M. Douglas is in town on business, he having returned recently from Edmonton, Vancouver, Seatte and San Francisco, where he has been for the past two years. During his stay in the West, Mr. Douglas was singularly unfortunate, having gone under six operations while there.—Meaford Express.

Mr. T. Blakeley discovered the other day another way in which mysterious fires occur. While working in the chopping mill he smelled cotton burning and on making examination discovered a bag of chop on fire. A nail had gone through the chopper and become so hot that it set the chop on fire. When discovered a hole was burned in the tag. Had it occurred at night about shutting down time without discovery there would have been another mysterious fire the origin of which could not have been traced.

Mr. W. Buskin has this week received a car of western oats. This is quite a change from the past in this oat-growing district. A good many car loads of pressed hay has also been imported this spring. The harvest was good last year, too, and these facts would go to show that the farmers are going more into stock raising than in former years.

A meeting will be held in the town hall Flesherton, on Monday evening, May 25, to discuss the question of submitting the Scott Act in Grey County. The movers in the matter desire to get the feeling of the different sections before committing the county to a campaign, and meetings are being held throughout the county for that purpose.

Singhampton is about to lose Dr. McFadden who has been there nearly eight years. He has disposed of his practice to Dr. Rossell of Maxwell who takes possession this week. Dr. McFadden has made many friends who regret the departure of himself and his estimable wife. They are going to Toronto where the Dr. will continue to practice on Carlton street.

Mr. J. Weber & sons of the Valley received this week five thousand seedling trees from the government nursery which he is planting on a bush lot in the valley recently purchased by him. These consist of 1000 white pine, 1000 red pine, 1000 Scotch pine, 1000 black walnut and 1000 black locust. Most of us old fellows will not see the harvest that will be reaped in future years, but if these do well each year will see the property become more valuable instead of depreciating. We are of the opinion, however, that planting to maple would bring quicker returns It takes a generation for evergreens to become marketable.

Mr. George Buchanan of the Meaford Road had an exciting and perilous time on Thursday last. He was driving a load of hay to town and when coming down Hewett's hill, which is long, steep and crooked, with a bridge at the bottom, the tongue broke through the neckyoke and the load ran on the horse's heels. Of course they attempted to run away, but George, instead of allowing them free rein, jerked them into the ditch and up the bank. This upset the load. The horses ran and passed one on each side of a telephone pole, separating them. The wagon was strewn along the road for some distance, and the harness broken, but surprisingly little damage was done considering the nature of the accident.

The services in the Methodist church on Sunday were of much more than usual interest. The morning service was communion and thirty new members were added to the roll. Dr. Fred Murray of Toronto sang "Jesus Lover of my Soul," and assisted the choir. At the night service he also assisted and rendered two beautiful solos, which were listened to with rapt attention and enjoyed by a large audience. The choral singing was also especially good. Miss Plewes has brought this choir to a pitch of excellence that it has never attained before, and her efforts are appreciated. The choir as it is to-day would be a credit to a city church. The pastor is also to be congratulated on the success that has waited upon him during the past year of his pastorate, the various departments all showing progress of an encouraging nature.

Mr. John Wright lost a young dog by poison the other day. We had thought the dog poisoner was a thing of the past in Flesherton, but it appears that the breed still exists Probably this class of human vermin is like other vermin—it springs up spontaneously in the most unlikely places and at unexpected times. Any person who has watched the death of an animal by poison would have a heart of stone to administer a dose to even a dog. But then some people who call themselves human have hearts of stone and some have no hearts at all—only a flabby chunk of rotten meat in motion where the heart ought to be to keep their blood in circulation Another more but sordid aspect of the affair is that the village loses a couple of dollars in dog tax. A standing reward should be offered for the discovery of criminals of this kind.

A Card

We, the undersigned, hereby agree to sell a package of five standard size 5c boxes of Silver Tip Silent matches for twenty cents. Quality guaranteed. W. Buskin, Flesherton. June 15

High School Examinations

The coming departmental examinations take place as follows: Lower school, June 10,11 and 12. Eighteen candidates will write in the Flesherton school, with 13 recommended as having a fair chance of success. On the combined Entrance to Normal and Matriculation there are nine candidates. On the Entrance to Normal alone there are seven candidates. The latter two examinations take place on June 22, and following days. One hundred and sixty-one dollars were taken in here as examination fees.

A Case of Whiskey

Councillor Thomas Blakeley of Flesherton received a letter from the C.P.R. the other day stating that a case of booze shippod in his name to Melancthon could not be delivered there as there was no agent at that point, but lay at Shelburne for him. This was an eye-opener for our worthy alderman, who rubbed his optics twice and read the letter again to see if he had read aright. Then he sent the message to Constable Cook for his interpretatioa, and the said interpretation will culminate to-day, when a gentleman named Frank Devaul will be tried at Orangeville for the crime of keeping liquor for sale in prohibited territory. Mr. Blakeley will go down to Orangeville today to assist in bringing a lawbreaker to justice.

The Late Mrs. Stewart

The late Mrs. George Stewart, whose death was recently chronicled, was a woman of exemplary character, a kind mother and a friend of all who knew her. She was a native of Tipperary, Ireland, and came to Canada with her parents when ten years of age. For a number of years they lived in Toronto, where she was married at the age of 27 to the late George Stewart. Together they settled in Artemesia near this village and were among the most respected of the early residents. Her husband predeceased her fifteen years ago last fall. Eight children survive to cherish the tender memories surrounding a beloved mother, who reared them to take their places among our best citizens, and in the knowledge of the value of industry and thrift. The children are—William, Charles and Albert, on farms in the suburbs; Harry, of St. Pauls, Ont.; Mrs. D. McTavish, Flesherton; Mrs. E. White, P. E. I.; Mrs. Jacob Williams, Eugenia; and Mrs. Herbert Smith, Markdale. The remains were laid to rest beside those of her husband in Flesherton cemetery to await the "Well done, good and faithful servant."

The Duke of Argyll, who was formerly Governor-General of Canada, died in England.

Odds and Ends

ARTICLES FOR SALE

For Sale—Horse, heavy driver, splendid for farm work—James Pattison & Company, Ceylon.

Jersey heifer, in calf, for sale—W. Pedlar, Flesherton.

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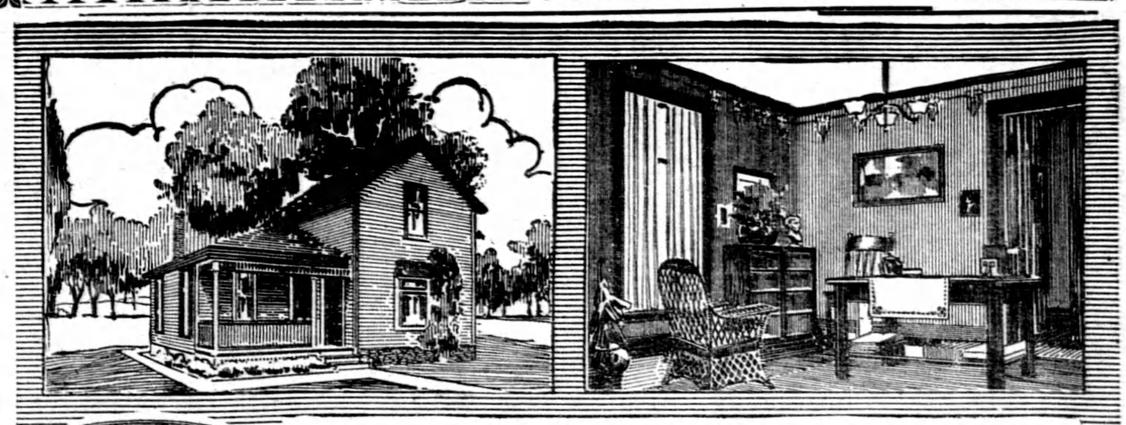

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