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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

Mr. Frank Vancise of Batteaux, spent a few days with J. T. Sled.

Mr. C. Stewart is in Toronto this week attending the Fairs Association.

Miss M. Lindsay of Walkerton spent a few days the past week at Mr. J. O. Patton's.

Miss Maud Henderson of Winnipeg spent a few days the past week with friends here.

Miss Dell Thurston, teacher in Holland spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sled of Lumsden, Sask., are visiting their son, J. T., of the suburbs.

Feversham carnival has been postponed until Wednesday, Feb. 10, owing to the storm.

Arnold Thurston, who is going with the second contingent, paid a farewell visit to his parents here over Sunday.

Mr. W. L. Wright advertises a special stock-taking sale this week. The prices are attractive and should be noticed by our readers.

The Advance is empowered to offer the daily and Sunday World until July 1, for the small sum of one dollar. Subscriptions taken at this office.

Mrs. Mark Wilson has received word that her nephew, Mr. T. W. MacDonald, who is known here, has joined the second Canadian overseas expedition at Victoria, B. C. He is in the army medical corps.

Emerson Bellamy, son of Mr. W. J. Bellamy, has enlisted as Sergeant of the 37th infantry battalion for the third contingent, but we understand that this battalion is likely to be taken as reserves for the first contingent.

Wilfred Teeter, son of Mr. Price Teeter, east back line, suffered a severe injury to his foot last week. While chopping in the bush his axe accidently glanced and cut a gash in his foot which required seven stitches to close.

On Saturday afternoon last, Mrs. H. S. White entertained about twenty of the young ladies of the village at an afternoon tea in honour of her sister, Miss Kindree, who left for Blenheim on Monday of this week.

A barn belonging to Thomas Fenwick at Eugenia was burned down on Thursday morning of last week. There was no one living on the premises and the fire is supposed to be incendiary. The barn contained a few implements, hay and straw, but no live stock.

The Presbyterian of last week reports a call from Midhurst, in the Barrie Presbytery, to Rev. L. W. Thom, of Hawkesville, who expects to move to his new charge about the middle of this month. Mr. Thom has had a successful pastorate in his present charge.

At the regular January meeting of Flesherton Lodge, A. O. U. W., the following officers were installed: M.W., R. H. Moore; Foreman, J. L. McMullen; Overseer, P. Teeter; Recorder, A. Harrison; Fin., W.J. Bellamy; Treas., F. G. Cole.

The annual meeting of Flesherton public library will be held at the residence of W. H. Thurston on Friday evening of this week at 8 o'clock. All members are requested to attend in order that a satisfactory staff of officers may be elected and other important business may be transacted.

The special services held in the Methodist church during the past week have been largely attended. There were three services on Sunday and at all the church was well filled. At the evening service the seating capacity was taxed to its utmost. On Monday evening Mr. Dean gave his lecture on the Bible and Science, which attracted many from a considerable distance around. Rev. Stewart of First Methodist church, Owen Sound, was present.

Died—At Collingwood on Tuesday, Feb. 2' Edward Norval, infant son of Edward Thompson aged 16 months.

Wanted—For Flesherton High School, 30 cords of green hardwood, beach and maple. Must be good sound body wood, two feet long J. P. Ottewell, Flesherton.

One of the worst snowstorms experienced here in years began from the east on Sunday, and increased in violence on Monday, reaching its greatest fury Monday night. By noon on Tuesday it had worn itself out. Only the Kimberley mail came through on Tuesday, and there were no trains from Monday noon until 6 a.m. Wednesday.

Arrangements have been made whereby the ordinary rate of two cents per ounce applicable to all letters sent from Canada to the United Kingdom, will apply to letters addressed to British and Canadian troops on the continent. The rate on ordinary letters from Canada for the continent is five cents for the first ounce, and three cents for each subsequent ounce, so that this extension of the two cent an ounce rate to letters addressed to our soldiers on the continent, is a decided reduction in favour of correspondence going to the soldiers.

The adjourned Agricultural Society meeting was held in the town hall on Friday evening last, and though the attendance was not all that could be desired, still those present went into the business with enthusiasm, and it is felt that chances are good for a most successful show this year. The secretary announced that there are 119 members in good standing and a number more who have signed but have not yet paid in their membership fee. The treasurer stated that funds in the bank amount to over $200. The date of the show was set for Tuesday and Wednesday, Sept. 28 and 29. All the old board of directors was re-elected so as not to interfere with the prize list, which was printed last year and held over. The president, Mr. C. Stewart, was appointed to attend a convention of the Agricultural and Arts Association in Toronto this week.

To Advertisers

Changes for contract advertisements must be in The Advance office not later than Monday at noon of each week to ensure insertion in current issue. Thursday is the day of publication but the paper is printed the day before (Wednesday). Kindly make a note of this.

Why Wheat is Dear

Italy is faced by a most serious problem, namely, that of a wheat famine. On an average the production of wheat in Italy is about 4,657,444 tons a year and an additional 1,531,656 tons are annually imported. Despite an abundant harvest this year, owing to the partial mobilization of the army large quantities of wheat have been bought up by the War Office so that the amount left for ordinary consumption has been greatly diminished. It is therefore estimated that an additional 2,000,000 tons of wheat must be imported.

Since the beginning of the war the two central empires as well as Switzerland have been extensively getting wheat from Italy, and owing to the exceptionally good prices offered many corn merchants cannot resist the temptation of sending wheat abroad. The majority of the wheat imported into Italy came from Russia and Roumania, which last year supplied over 160,000 tons. Both these markets are now closed. All the wheat from Australia and India is sent to England and it has been contracted for ahead. The same can be said of American wheat, which this year is almost exclusively exported to Great Britain, France and other countries in northern Europe. During August and September over 1,100,000 tons of wheat from the United States have been sent to England. So far Italy has imported only about 100,000 tons of American wheat and it is considered very difficult that in future more wheat can be imported from the United States.—Beck's Weekly.

The Bruce County Council, in session at Walkerton this week, passed a grant of $30,000 for patriotic funds. For the purpose a tax of one mill is levied on the entire assessment of the county. Half the amount will be raised this year and half next year.

Odds and Ends

ARTICLES FOR SALE

For Sale Cheap—young driving mare about 950 pounds, or would exchange for good driving horse about 1100 pounds.—Apply to R. J. Sproule, Flesherton. Jan. 22

Legal Blanks For Sale—R. J. Sproule keeps constantly on hand and for sale cheap a full stock of Deeds, Mortgages, Wills and all other legal blanks. Any requiring such will find it to their interest to give him a call.

For sale cheap and on easy terms, Lot 13, con. 11, Osprey, 110 acres. This is a first class farm and in a good state of cultivation. Good bank barn and new frame dwelling. Apply to R. J. Sproule Flesherton.

For Sale—Cheap and on easy terms—comfortable frame dwelling in Flesherton; good well on premises; also Park lot of 4 acres in good state of cultivation with barn thereon. R. J. Sproule, Flesherton, Ont. Sept. 17 14

MISCELLANEOUS

Wanted—large second hand box heating stove, must be cheap and in reasonably good condition.—Apply to R. J. Sproule, Flesherton. Jsn.22

MUSIC STUDIO

Mark Everette Wright, organist and choir master of the Methodist church, Flesherton, teacher of piano, organ and voice. Mr. Wright holds credentials from conservatories of music where he has taught, also from eminent doctors and teachers in New England conservatory, Boston Metropolitan Conservatory of Music and Steinway Hall, New York city. Both Mr. and Mrs. Wright are open for concert engagements.

Valuable Information

For the Travelling Public--Canadian Pacific Train Service Between Toronto Montreal and Ottawa.

Attention is called to excellent night service from Toronto to Montreal and Ottawa via Canadian Pacific. Train No. 22 leaving Toronto Union Station at 11.40 p. m. daily, carries electric lighted sleepers, compartment observation car from Toronto to Montreal, and Toronto to Ottawa. This train runs via Lake Ontario Shore Line, due Montreal 8.55 a. m. daily, the Ottawa sleeper arriving in Ottawa 7.25 a. m. daily. Smoking is permitted in the lounge or observation room of the Buffet Library Observation Compartment Car Toronto to Montreal, and arrangements have been made whereby porters on this car will press clothes for passengers at very reasonable charges.

Being the last night train from Toronto for Montreal and Ottawa, it gives the travelling public the opportunity of spending the entire evening with their families, or enables them to attend the theatre and other places of amusement, and still have plenty of time to take the train. Sleepers are placed for occupancy at 10.00 p. m. at Toronto Union Station, enabling passengers who so desire to retire at that time.

Dining Car is attached at Smiths Falls every morning, serving breakfast into Montreal, so that business men may proceed direct to their offices or appointments immediately on arrival.

The Canadian Pacific operates a high class passenger train from North Toronto Station at 10.00 p. m. daily, carrying electric lighted sleepers and compartment car for Montreal—and sleeper Toronto to Ottawa. Train is due Montreal 7.35 a. m. daily, and Ottawa car reaches that point at 7.25 a. m. daily.

A solid night train is also operated from Toronto Union Station to Ottawa leaving Toronto 10.50 p. m. daily, this train carrying standard electric lighted sleepers and compartment car, arriving Ottawa 7.25 a. m. daily. Carries from Smiths Falls to Ottawa the standard sleepers for that point, leaving North Toronto at 10.00 p. m. and the standard sleepers leaving Toronto Union Station at 11.40 p. m. daily, so that Ottawa passengers may take their choice of either one of these three trains, and reach Ottawa at exactly the same time.

The Canadian limited No. 20 via Lake Ontario Shore Line route leaves Toronto daily 9.00 a. m. for Montreal, connection at Smiths Falls for Ottawa, stopping at important places, carrying Observation Parlor Car, Dining Car, and first and second class coaches.

Particulars from any Canadian Pacific Ticket Agent, or write M. G. Murphy, District Passenger Agent, Toronto.

While unloading brick Wednesday last from a car at the C. P. R. station at Markdale, for Jas. Ellison, Mr. Ed Simpson of Dornoch, received severe injuries. Some shunting of an engine made the horses start and on going up to steady them they careered still more and in some way he fell, being tramped on by one of the horses, and severing three ribs from his vertebrae. We hear that action is to be taken against the C. P. R. for allowing engines to be shunting while unloading is in process.—Review.

Special 12 Days' Stock Taking Sale

Only a few of the many bargains mentioned as our space is limited.

Ladies' and Gentlemen's Coats Reduced to Cost

Mrs.', Misses' and Men's Rubbers at cost and below. These goods must go to make room for spring shipments.

Ladies' Corsets, regular $1.50, for 95c. Ladies' Corsets, regular 75c., for 54c. Several more lines of Corsets greatly reduced.

ALL DRESS GOODS REDUCED

Regular 45c. per yard for ..... 29c.
Regular 40c. per yard for ..... 25c.
Regular $1.00 per yard for ..... 75c.
Regular $1.30 per yard for ..... 85c.

A new lot of silks just arrived, regular prices $1.25 and $1.00 for ..... 79c.
Plain and corded velvets, all colors, for ..... 35c.

Hockey shoes for women, men and boys, a few pair left to sell at cost.

Men's Sweater Coats reduced to half price, now selling for $2.75, $2.25, $1.95 and 75c.

Only a few sett of furs left, mink, black fox and marmot, selling below cost.

12 feet Linoleum, per square yard 50c

Sheep lined coats and mackinaws, regular $6.50, selling for $4 50.

GROCERIES

Olives, large bottle for 19c. Soap, 7 bars for ..... 25c.
No. 1 Salmon, 2 cans for 25c. Pork and Beans, per tin ..... 10c.
Tomatoes, Corn and Peas, 3 tins for 25c.

CASH OR PRODUCE

W. L. WRIGHT

FLESHERTON, - ONTARIO

Our Clubbing List

The following prices are for strictly paid in advance subscriptions only. We ave no accounts with other papers.

Flesherton Advance	$ 1 00
Youths Companion	2 00
Toronto World, daily	3 00
Toronto Daily News	2 00
Weekly Globe	90
Mail-Empire	75
Family Herald & Star	90
Toronto Star	2 00
Farmer Sun	90
Farmers Advocate	1 50
Weekly Witness	90
Saturday Night	3 00
Home Journal	90
Poultry Review	40
Rod and Gun magazine	90

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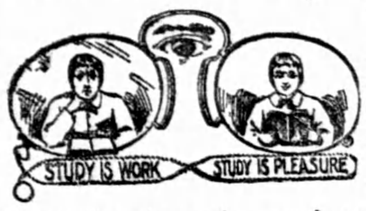

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Wareroom—Wellington Street.

Feversham, — Ontario.

Christmas Gifts

There is a movement on foot this year for something substantial for Christmas, now that the German flimsy ware is debarred (as it should have been years ago).

Just by way of suggestion we would propose that you call in and examine our stock of furniture suitable for presents, which is unusually full this year. For instance we have rockers for mother, easy chairs for father, beautiful pictures and frames for sister, handsleighs for little brother, little rockers, dolls beds and wicker chairs and other things for little sister—something for everybody. Come in and see the latest thing in dolls beds and rockers.

Then we have the usual stock of all kinds of parlor, bedroom and dining room furniture—desks, chairs, odd pieces, secretaries—Oh! there is too much to enumerate. Come in and go over our stock yourself. Always happy to show goods and to demonstrate that our prices are as low as the lowest.

We are prepared to furnish flowers and floral designs for funerals, weddings, or social gatherings, having arranged with the Dale estate of Brampton to handle their business here.

W. H. BUNT

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Flesherton - Ontario.

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All kinds of Deering Implements. Parts always on hand. Agent for Barrie and Mt. Forest Cutters, Barber Buggies, London Litter Carriers, Hay Tracks, Pedlar shingles and siding. These Implements require no recommendation as they are standard goods and recognized as the best on the market.

ED. RUTHERFORD

Proton Station

MASSEY HARRIS IMPLEMENTS

This famous make of implements is well known all over the country and their own good work is the best recommendation they can receive. If you require anything in the line of Binders, Mowers, Seed Drills, Cultivators, Pulpers, Plows, Sleighs, Waggons, Cream Separators, Harrows, Rollers, Cutting Boxes, Ensilage Cutters, Gasoline engines, Sawing outfits, etc., give us a chance to quote prices.

John Wright, - Agent

Flesherton

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Columbia records fit any disc machine

The latest patriotic records in stock.

Come in and hear some of them if you are interested.

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Send for list of SPRING OFFERINGS, and terms to Agents.

Liberal Commissions. Handsome free outfit.

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THE MARKETS.

Carefully Corrected Each Week

Wheat	$1 20 to 1 20
Oats	55 to 55
Peas	$1 25 to 1 25
Barley	60 to 60
Buckwheat	60 to 60
Flour	$7 00 to $8 00
Hay	$15 00 to 15 00
Butter	23 to 23
Eggs, fresh	28 to 28
Potatoes per bag	50 to 50
Geese	11 to 11
Ducks	11 to 12
Fowl	8 to 9
Chickens	10 to 10
Turkeys	14 to 15