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FLESHERTON BRANCH
GEO. MITCHELL, Manager.

C. P. R. Time Table.

Trains leave Flesherton Station as follows:

Going South	Going North
7.33 a. m.	11.36 a.m.
4.27 p.m.	9.18p. 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 at 3.40 o'clock. For morning train south mail close at 9 p. m. the previous ev'g.

VICINITY CHIPS

A Merry Christmas to you.

Between fifty and sixty Durham young men enlisted for the war last week.

Get Bibles for Christmas presents at the Depository, Advance office.

Don't forget Chapman's big Picture sale during Xmas week.

Shooting Match—Flesherton, Monday afternoon, Dec. 27. Geese and ducks. Rifle and shotgun.—T. Fisher.

Misses Ada Wright, Maud Boyd, Hazel Shunk and Dell Thurston are home from Normal for Christmas holidays.

Buy a Grafonola as a Christmar present for your family—$20 up—at this office.

Born—In Flesherton, on Thursday, Dec. 16, to Mr. and Mrs. J. Bowler, a son.

All accounts must be settled by Jan. 15, 1916, by note or cash.—F. G. Karstedt, Flesherton.

It is said the contest for Flesherton Reeveship will again be between Mr. Fisher and Mr. McTavish.

Mr. Will Paul and sister, Sarah, of Cadilac, Sask., arrived here this week to visit relatives. Miss Sarah will remain here.

Durham had a Sunday evening recruiting meeting in the town hall after church service, when about thirty recruits signed up.

Hear Christmas Carols on the grafonola at The Advance office. Grafonola needles, 300 for 20 cents. Records exchanged for small fee if in good order.

The sentence of death passed upon H. T. King, the Owen Sound murderer, has been commuted to imprisonment for l fe. He will be sent to an asylum.

Artemesia Council met on the 15th inst. Owing to the large amount of busines tronsacted we are holding the minutes over until next week.

John Eaton, a Hudson Bay employee, travelled 5000 miles to enlist. We know some young men who would travel 5000 miles to get away from the recruiting officers.

Mr. Robt. Campbell of the valley went to Markdale one day recently to buy a saw. After purchasing the saw, he put it in his cutter, and when he returned Mr. Saw was gone. Moral: Buy your saws in Flesherton.

The Flesherton Citizen's Band was engaged to play at a banquet in Markdale on Wednesday evening, tendered to Lieut.-Col. G. F. McFarland, commanding officer of the 147th Grey County Battalion.

About fifty members of the Presbyterian Guild visited the Guild at Proton Station on Friday evening last and enjoyed the outing exceedingly. The evening was delightfully mild and pleasant for the drive. The visitors supplied the program and the home Guild furnished luncheon. The Proton Guild have been invited to return the call.

Merry Christmas! The 40th annual entertainment of the Presbyterian Sabbath school will be held in Chalmer's church on Saturday eveving, Dec. 25 Tea served from 7 to 8 o'clock. Come and enjoy a spicy program. Rev. A. McVicar, the pastor, will conduct anniversary services on Dec. 26. Collection on behalf of the Sunday school fund.

Mr. W. J. Lever of the East back Line, Artemesia, passed away on Wednesday of last week after an illnes extending over a year or more. The funeral took place to Flesherton cemetery on Saturday. Mr. Lever was born on the farm where he died, 59 years ago. He leaves to mourn his loss a wife and five children, namely; Fred (who is at the front fighting for his country,) Ella, Etta, Roy and Ruby, all at home. The funeral was a large one. Much sympathy is expressed for the bereaved family.

An interesting debate occured in the League Monday evening, the subject being: "Resolved, that international arbitration is a substitute for war." The affirmative was taken by Glenn Davis, Will Buchanan and Artle Wright, while the negative was sustained by Harvey Shunk, Harold McLean and Ina Laidlaw. The negative won out in a hotly contested battle.

The four recruiting officers working here during the past week have succeeded in enlisting the following young men from Artemesia: George Patton, Geo. Richardson, Gordon McKinnon and W. Davis, Flesherton; T. McArthur, Ceylon; E. Hopper, A. Genoe, J. Armstrong, R. Parks, F. Osborne, R. Leppard and G. Benson. Eugenia; D. Graham and G. Buchanan, Vandeleur; E. Partridge, Rock Mills; A. Wyville, Markdale.

Does poultry raising pay on the farm? Well, we know one man who would vote in the affirmative and he lives over at Duncan. He came to town on Thursday last with the handsomest bunch of fowl it has been our pleasure to see for some time, and disposed of them to Mr. F. G. Karstedt, merchant, for the tidy sum of $59.87. It was this gentleman's first business experience in Flesherton, but we trust it will not be his last, as our merchants treat people right and are grateful for their trade.

Mr. Chapman, successor here in the furniture busines, to W. H. Bunt, places a Christmas advertisement in this issue. Look for it on our last page. The store has been remodelled and a large quantity of new stock added—just the place to choose your Christmas presents. Read the advertisement for suggestions. Mr. Chapman also has a handsome hearse for use at funerals and is prepared to do satisfactorily work in the undertaking line. Call in and look over his big stock.

A wedding which will interest Wodehouse people took place at the Methodist parsonage on Wednesday afternoon of last week, when Mr. Gordon Wiley was united in marriage to Miss Eva Buskin, daughter of Mr. John Buskin, both of Wodehouse. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Dudgeon. The young people are much respected in their neighborhood, the bride having been an enthusiastic worker in church and Sunday school and a member of the New England choir. The happy couple have the well wishes of a host of warm friends, among whom The Advance is proud to be included. Mrs. Wiley is a niece of Richard Bentham and W. Buskin of Flesherton.

The young men who have been recruiting here during the past week have had some interesting experiences and some peculiar arguments fired at them. They have been invited several times to go to a place that is hotter than any temperature the Germans can generate with their big guns. They have been told that it would be time to fight the Germans when they came to Canada! Of all the fool arguments put forth by warped logic, that beats anything that can be produced. It was time for Belgium to fight Germany when the latter forced the border and ravished, pillaged, murdered and destroyed, but what good did resistance do the Belgians? It was time likewise for Serbia to fight, but Serbia is crushed and her king an exile. About the only argument that would appeal to such people would be to ship them to Belgium or make a free gift of them to the kaiser, when they would learn what the mailed fist means. Probably if the same people had their barns on Ore—not to say anything of having their homes bombed and babies killed as England has—they would squeal out good and loud for help from their neighbors, and the neighbors would be craven if they did not grant aid. Without apparently realizing it, the philosopher of this calibre is unintentionally showing himself for what he really is—selfish, cowardly slacker.

Election Cards

To the Electors of Artemesia:

Ladies and Gentlemen,—I have decided to become a candidate for the office of Councillor for the Township of Artemesia, for the year 1916, and would respectfully request your vote and influence. —JAMES STINSON

The Ontario Government has adpointed Mr. E P. Heaton, a Toronto insurance expert, fire marshal of the Province.

Osprey Council

Maxwell, Dec 15, 1915.

The members of the Municipal Council of Osprey met at Maxwell, on above date according to adjournment from Nov. 6th last. The members were all present. The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted. Communications and accts., etc., were received from Collingwood hospital accts $21.00, mainitenance of Chas. Hambly; National Sanitarium Association, appeal for aid; Canada Suffrage Association asking for extension of franchise to married women; Collingwood Hardware co,, acct., $4.53 for blasting supplies; Flesherton Advance, acct., $6.25 printing; Isaac Traynor, engineer, reports and certificates regarding drain No. 3 contracts; Hy. Heitman, acct., $6.00 postage for clerk; Jas. Thompson, acct., $10, sheep killed by dogs; Earnest Hawton, acct., $10, sheep killed by dogs; Jas. Douglas, acct., $2.40, sheep valuator; Robt. Taylor, acct., $6.00, sheep valuator; Wm. Jameson, overcharge in statute labor; Hugh Hardy, error in dog tax; Robt. Hill, overcharge in taxes; Jos. Essex, acct., $75.13 service assisting engineer survey drain no. 4; Louis Moore, asking for part payment on drain No. 3 contract; Jos. Bowler, asking for a further payment on contract for Grummet ditch; Enterprise office, acct., $8.20; Bulletin office, acct., $10.75 for Printing Patriotic supplies.

Orders were issued on the treasurer to pay Collingwood hospital $21, keep of Charles Hambly; M. Kerton $8, R. J. Colquette $6, B. Hammill $6, rent of halls for council meetings; Hy. Heitman $6, clerk's postage account; J. Thompson $6.66, and E, Hawton $6.66, sheep killed by dogs; Flesherton Advance office $6.25, printing; Hugh Hardy $1, refund error in dog tax; Robert Hill $1, refund evercharge in taxes; Jos. Essex work on drain No. 3, Jos. Essex $5.50, cutting out and surveying 30th sideroad; Osprey Agricultural Society $40, grant; Robert Taylor $7, sheep valuator; Jas. Douglass $2.40, sheep valuator; Joseph Ferguson $2, collector's postage and expenses; W. S. Inkster $2, postage and expenses; Enterprise office $8.20, Bulletin office $10.15, printing; Thomas Scott $10, service re debentures for drain No. 2 improvement.

Bylaws were passed appointing deputy returning officers and poll clerks, also bylaw to pay township officers.

The taxes of Charles Ross on lots 25 and 26, con. 2 S. D. R., amounting to $27.47, be exempted on account of the owner being absent as a soldier on overseas service.

The Clerk was instructed to give Wm. Jamieson credit for one day statute labor on the list of 1916, being an overcharge on lots 44 and 45, con. 1 N.D.R.

Louis Moore's claim for part payment of drain No. 3 was laid over to allow him o produce the engineer's certificate.

Council adjourned.

—THOS. SCOTT, Clerk.

Odds and Ends

ARTICLES FOR SALE

Cow and heifer for sale, cow supposed to be in calf.—F. G. Karstedt, Flesherton.

For Sale—Good heavy farm horse, coming four years, well broke to drive any way. Applyto R. Bentham, Flesherton.

The Durham Furniture Co. wish to announce to the public that they are prepared to do custom sawing at their mill at ceylon. Sawing to be done early in the Spring.—The D. F. Co. Ltd

For Sale—Single cutter, also pleasure sleigh, good as new.—Preston Beattie,

Cockerels for Sale—Several very fine Rhode Island Red cockerels, rose or single comb, for sale—W. H. Thurston, Flesherton.

Sleighs For Sale—Good farm sleighs. Will sell cheap.—R. J. McKee, lot 37, 4th con., Artemesia.

For Sale—A few well bred cows and calves for sale on lot 12, con. 9, Osprey. —G. H. Burk prop., F. Tyler Manager.

For Sale or Rent—Store and dwelling lately occupied by D. W. Wideman, in Feversham. Will sell or rent cheap, and on easy terms, if sold. Apply to R. J. Sproule, Flesherton, Ont.

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,

MISCELLANEOUS

Xmas Photos—Your portrait a gift that money can't buy, but for you to give, the very thing. To friends and relatives your portrait at Xmas will carry a message of thankfulness that is next to a personal visit.—W. A, Hawken Photo Artist, Flesherton.

Lost—Between Flesherton and Alex. McMullen's on Thursday, Dec. 16th, a muff. Finder will please leave at The Advance office,

Private funds to loan on real estate security at reasonable rate of interest. Apply to R, J. Sproule, Flesherton. sept 23

F. G. KARSTEDT, FLESHERTON — KARSTEDT BROS. PRICEVILLE

XMAS! XMAS! XMAS!

Now is the time to do your Xmas buying. We have a full range of everything in stock. Call in and see us. We will gladly show you our goods. Store open every evening.

Dishes Dishes
Something pretty in china—something suitable for mother or sister for Xmas. Prices from 25c. up.

Paperettes
Boxed writing paper in Holly Boxes and other fancy boxes. Just what you are looking for from 15c. to $1.25.

Suspenders and Armlets
All boxed ready to send to father or brother. A good assortment. 25c. to 50c.

Millinery Millinery
We are selling our hats at half price. Come in and get a new hat for Xmas.

Little Nic Nacs
Boidoir caps in pink and blue, silk with chiffon over, a beauty for 55c. Some in white overlace for 50c. Pink silk hair receiver for 75c. Talcum powder holder for 50c., and a lot of little things too numerous to mention.

Gloves
Men's Mocha gloves in gray and tan, also men's mocha mitts. Ladies mocha mitts, suitable for mother.

Military Brushes
Comb and brush setts—just take a look and see what great values we have and the prices are right.

Toys Toys Toys
Santa Claus has arrived with his toys. Everything for children. Bring the children in to see them.

Mufflers
Men's silk ribbed mufflers, grand shades, boxed $1 50. Mufflers, different shades from 50c. to $1.00.

Ties Ties
Men's silk ties—beauties—in grand shades—silk knitted ties in all shades.

Handkerchiefs
A full range of pretty handkerchiefs, some with colored borders. 3 in a holly box for $1.00. Fancy linen handkerchiefs, linen lace and hand work. 3 in box for $1.00. We have a full range of white fancy handkerchiefs—10c. to 75c. Men's exceldas in colored borders and white with initial.

Linens Linens
Linen towels and tray cloths. Sideboard scarfs.

Produce

We are buying dressed fowl—will pay you the highest prices for turkeys, ducks, geese, chicks, butter and eggs.

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SOCIETIES

A O U W meets on the last Monday in ach month, in their lodge room Clayton's hall Flesherton, at 8 p.m. M. W., W. J. Bellamy; Rec., C. H. Munshaw; Fin., R. J, Sproule. Visiting brethren invited

PRINCE ARTHUR LODGE, No. 333, A.F.& A M, meets in the Masonic hall, Armstrong's Block, Flesherton, every Friday on or before the full moon. J. Wright W. M. F. H. W. Hickling, Secretary.

COURT FLESHERTON, 995, I. O. F. meets in Clayton's Block the last Wednesday evening each month. Visiting Foresters heartily come. C. R., G. Bellamy; R. S., G. Cairns n. Sec., W. Buskin.
Please pay dues to Fin. Sec. before the first day of the month.

CHOSEN FRIENDS—Flesherton Council Chosen Friends meets in Clayton's hall first nd third Wednesday of each month 8 p. m Pay assessments to the Recorder on or before the first day of each month. Chief Councillor . Blakeley; Recorder W. H. Bunt.

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Dr. E. C MURRAY L. D. S., dental surgeon honor graduate of Toronto University and Royal College of Dental Surgeons of Ontario, Gas administered for teeth eXtraction office at residence, Toronto Street, Flesherton.

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Wanted—An industrious man who can earn $100 per month and expenses selling our Products to farmers. Must have some means for starting expenses and furnish contract signed by two responsible men. Address W. T. Rawleigh Co. Ltd. Toronto, Ont., giving age, occupation and references.

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Property For Sale

For sale in the village of Eugenia, a store and dwelling combined—good stable, never failing well, a number of fruit trees, half acre lot, well fenced. For terms and particulars apply to John Boland, Vandeleur, or P. Munshaw, Eugenia, executors of the late Richard Smith estate.

CANADIAN PACIFIC

Christmas and New Year EXCURSION FARES

Between all stations in Canada, Fort William and East, and to Sault Ste. Marie, Detroit, Mich., Buffalo and Niagara Falls, N. Y.

Single Fares

Good going Dec. 24th and 25th, 1915. Return limit Dec. 27th, 1915. Also Dec. 31st, 1915, Jan. 1st, 1916. Return limit Jan. 3rd, 1916.

Minimum Charge 25 Cents.

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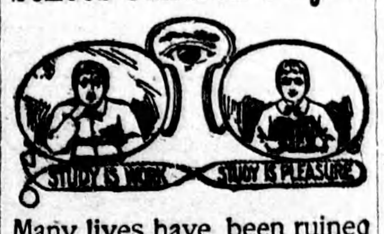
School Children's Eyes.



Many lives have been ruined through neglected eyestrain in childhood. The eyes of every child should be examined. We have made a special study of this branch of optics, and guarantee satisfaction. Consultation free.

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STRAYED

Heifer strayed, mostly red with little white, about Aug. 20, from lot 30, con. 13, Artemesia.
—LESLIE CHARD, Flesherton P.O.

Bull for Service

Pure bred shorthorn bull, Aberdeen Fyvie—8,000—for service on lot 29, S.S. R., Artemesia.
Terms—$1.50 for grades, Pure bred cows $3.00.
Pure bred Tamsworth hog for service on the above lot.
Terms—$1.50 for all animals. Served must be paid for.
5Sep —W. J. Meads

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Oats	34 to 35
Peas	$1 40 to 1 75
Barley	50 to 50
Buckwheat	45 to 65
Flour	$2 90 to $3 40
Hay	$15 00 to 15 00
Butter	26 to 28
Eggs, fresh	35 to 35
Potatoes per bag	75 to 75
Geese	13 to 13
Ducks	14 to 14
Fowl	11 to 11
Chickens	13 to 13
Turkeys	20 to 20

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