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C. P. R. Time Table.

Trains leave Flesherton Station as follows :

Going South	Going North
7.53 a. m.	12.01 p.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

Mr. B. Butchard of Lions Head was visiting with Mr. R. Bentham last week.

The Ontario Legislature was opened on Tuesday.

Sgt. Roy Phillips of the 198th Batt , was home on last leave over the week end.

Mr. Wright of Guelph visited his sister, Mrs. A. McAuley, last week.

Pres. C. Stewart and Director Fred Mathewson represented East Grey fair at the Fairs Association in Toronto last week.

Mr. Wickware, returned missionary from the Congo, Africa, will occupy the Methodist pulpit Sunday next, morning and evening.

Chalmer's church and Sunday school gave a donation of $26 to the Belgian Relief Fund last week.

Clark McMillan, son of Mr. John McMillan, Ceylon, is the latest to join the colors here.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Henderson, 844 Algoma Ave.,Moose Jaw, on Jan. 6, 1917, a son, Donald Winslow.

Miss Dafoe of the High School staff has gone to her home for a short time and Miss Hulse of Orangeville has taken her place here.

The Flesherton Red Cross sent a bale of 140 pairs of socks to the headquarters at Toronto. The bale is intended for the 228th Battalion.

Mrs. Wm. Chard, of Rock Mills, left Saturday morning to visit her daughter, Mrs. John Hutchinson, at Aberdeen, Saskatchewan.

Sneak thieves stole a cord of wood and a quantity of coal from a Durham widow who has three sons at the front. It is to be hoped that Durham is not cursed with many of such vermin.

A credit auction sale will be held on Tuesday, February 20, 1917, on lot 15, con.12,Osprey,of farm stock,implements, etc., commencing at 1 o'clock. See bills. D.Field,prop., Wm.Kaitting,auctioneer.

Mrs. Adam Smith, Eugenia, recently received a letter from her son, Fred, who has been a prisoner in Germany since April, 1915, from which we learn he is well and apparently received all the parcels and letters sent him.

The recent storms have been instrumental in delaying all trains on this line of railway. The line is in such shape now with the heavy snow fall that it does not take much of a storm to tie up traffic. Several trains were stuck in the snow for several hours during the past week.

The 248th Batt. are holding a Patriotic Mass Meeting in Priceville, on Mon., Feb. 19, in Watson,s Hall. Lieut. M. E. V. Kelley of Markdale, Rev. W. G. Blackwell and Lieut. Wright, Dundalk. Local speakers from Priceville will also be present. A good musical programme will also be provided.

Markdale junior hockeyers came down on Friday night last and for a second time walloped the Flesherton junior boys —this time to the tune of 7 4. Anyway, the Flesherton kids are not too proud to fight, even if they do get licked with monotonous regularity.

Rev. James Dudgeon, pastor of the Flesherton Methodist church, has received an invitation to Tottenham and has accepted provisionally. The Flesherton Methodist Board have invited Rev. Lamb of Singhampton, but have not yet received a reply.

Spring Hill Red Cross Society are arranging for a social to be held in the school on Friday evening, March 2. Watch for full particulars next week and remember the date—March 2. The meeting this week is withdrawn. Proceeds of last meeting $3.25.

The "oldest inhabitant" is to the fore again. He has never seen more severe weather than we have experienced during the past month. For the past week it has been particularly severe, reaching the climax Monday morning when the thermometers in town registered from 24 to 32 below zero, according to location.

The Ontario Legislature was opened on Tuesday.

Word from Toronto is to the effect that Sergt. Bert Jamieson, whom we announced last week as being in hospital with pneumonia, is much improved and hopes to be around again in a few weeks.

Owners of Ford cars will want to disguise their go-carts this year, after the disgraceful sentiments uttered by their manufacturer last week when he charged England with being capable of sinking the Lusitania herself in order to bring on war with the United States and Germany, also in the present crisis of being capable of sinking an American ship for the same sinister purpose. Both Ford and and his car should not be allowed to travel on Canadian highways. We mean by this that the old skinflint should not be allowed to do further business in this country.

Letters were received in town last week from Dr. W. T. Little, who has for some months been working in a hospital at Bombay, India, stating he would be in Flesherton in March to resume his practice. The Dr. has had a great experience since leaving here a year ago and this should be a great asset to him in coming years. He has been in Egypt, India and Mesopotamia with the army. When in the latter country he took typhus fever and was removed to Bombay, where he recovered and has since been doing hard work on the staff there. He will receive a warm welcome on his return here.

Cost of Bad Roads

A company in Stanislau county, California, that buys skimmed milk from the farmer has demonstraced to the rural residents in an emphatic manner the value of good roads to them. This company sends trucks directly to the farms to collect the skimmed milk, but it pays higher prices to farmers living on good roads than on bad roads. On poor roads the company pays 17½ cents per 100 pounds, but on good roads it pays 20 cts. Of course, the farmer always has been paying this tax on every hundred pounds he hauled over bad roads and he has been relieved of it on every hundred pounds he had hauled over good roads, but that fact has not been brought to his notice as in the case cited. When he measures his distance from town in minutes instead of miles he will see the profit of good roads.

Lottie Has Departed

The notorious Lottie Tillotson came to the end of her Canadian tether at the Sault last week, and was deported. The despatch from the Sault says :

Lottie L.Tillotson,alias Mary McLean, alias Melba Costella, who has during the past two years lectured in nearly every town and hamlet in Ontario, advertising herself as a native of Hawaii, was arrested here to-day by Travelling Immigration Inspector Reynolds,of Ottawa, for breach of the Canadian immigration laws. The movements of the woman were regarded with considerable suspicion by the Dominion police authorities for some months past. She appeared before Police Magistrate Elliott this afternoon,pleaded guilty and was fined $50 and costs or three months in jail. After paying the fine Lottie was deported to the United States.

On September 4,1913, under the name of Mary McLean, the Tillotson woman was sentenced to six months for shoplifting. In the same year at Hamilton, as Melba Costella, she was given suspended sentence for the same offence. Owing to the unlooked for action of the Immigration officers the much advertised lecture of Miss Tillotson in one of the leading churches was necessarily called off.

Honor Rolls

FOR JANUARY.

S. S. No. 3, Osprey

Sr. 4—A Winters.

Sr. 3—P Winters, G Campbell.

Sr. 2—M Campbell.

Jr. 2—J Winters,E Campbell,B Ring, A Hayes.

Pr.A.—D A Winters,M Moore,I Ring, J Moore, C Hayes.

Br. B.—H Ring, L Seeley.

—M. H. CAMPBELL, Teacher.

Scalp Torn Off Head

A terrible accident befell Margaret, the bright little fourteen year old daughter of Dr. McKay, Elmbank, on Sunday night last.

She with her father had finished milking and were in the dairy house where the separator is. The gasolene engine had been started and Margaret stooped to adjust the belt connecting the separator with the driving shaft. The shaft runs in hangers inverted and placed on the floor. The little girl's hair hung down her back in two long plaits and in stooping over the braids touched the revolving shafting and in a moment wound about it. A startled cry caused the father to run to his daughter and a horrible sight met his eyes. Margaret's scalp had been completely torn off her head from eyes back and from ear to ear,one being partly removed. The child never lost consciousness. The doctors, who were immediately called in, decided to replace the scalp and sew it in position. On Tuesday the little girl's position was so serious that it was thought she could not live, but yesterday there was considerable improvement and to day, Thursday, they were able to remove her to the General Hospital. Now it is hoped that she may recover and even that the scalp may grow on again.

Dr. and Mrs. McKay are almost prostrated by the terrible happening to their little girl. We join with their many friends in hoping she will be spared to them.—Brampton Banner.

Artemesia Council

The Municipal Council met at the town hall, Flesherton, on Saturday, the 10th day of February, 1917.

The members were all present, the Reeve in the chair.

The minutes of the last session were read and confirmed.

Communications as follows : From the Treasurer of Osprey re telephone rates of 1916 ; Charles Moore, account for gravel $9.00 ; The Flesherton Advance Assessment Rolls and Stationery, $18.98; The Municipal World Poll Books and subscriptions, $15.60 ; the Reeve and Mr. Burnett, report re Treasurer's securities.

Cameron-Stinson—That the Township of Osprey be remitted $131 91, being amount collected in 1916 on telephone rate from subscribers of the Osprey Telephone System.—Carried.

Stinson—Mathewson—That the acct. of Charles Moore of $9.00 for gravel used on road by Overseer be paid.—Carried.

Cameron—Mathewson—That the report of Committee re Treasurer's securities be received.—Carried.

Burnett—Cameron—That Archie McLean be refunded $1.00, being dog tax charged in error in 1916.—Carried.

Mathewson—Burnett-That the account of Flesherton Advance of $18.98 for Assessment Rolls, notices and forms be paid.—Carried.

Cameron—Burnett—That the Reeve and Mr. Mathewson be a Committee to examine the rock crusher and to report at next meeting of this Council as to the repairs required and cost of same.—Carried.

Stinson—Cameron—That the account of Joseph H. Watson of $20 25 for wood for town hall be paid.—Carried.

Cameron—Mathewson—That the acct. of the Municipal World of $15.60 for poll books and subscriptions be paid.—Carried.

Burnett-Stinson—That the claim of T.L.Mercer for damages to certain timber said to have been cut on his property be not entertained as this Council has not incurred any liabilities in the matter.—Carried.

Cameron—Stinson—That this Council do now adjourn to meet on the 10th day of March next at 10 o'clock a.m., instead of the 3rd day of March.—Carried.

The Council adjourned.

S. S. No. 7, Artemesia.

Sr. 4—A Gilchrist, F Oliver, R Muir.

Jr. 4—B Watters, A Parslow.

Jr. 3—M Parslow,F J Vause,M Muir, M Gilchrist, G Oliver, E Oliver.

Sr. 2—E Watters, T Currie.

Sr. 1—J Meads, M McDonald.

Pr.—B Parslow, M Watters,I Turner.

—A. C. MACMILLAN, Teacher.

A Collingwood girl, Isabella McArthur, a stenographer, who roomed by herself in Toronto, left the gas burning, started to read in bed, fell asleep, and was found dead next morning. The body was sent to Collingwood for burial.

Soapstone Griddles.

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OCTOBER 7th, 1916.

The Owen Sound Sun says : Mark Pitchkoff, on the C.P.R train arriving here at noon, had a rather exciting experience at Holland Centre. He jumped off the train to sell his papers and was busy making change when the train pulled out. He grabbed the hand rail of the car but being impeded by his bundle of papers was unable to climb on to the steps. He hung onto the rail and as his name would suggest, he also hung to the papers until the brakeman, seeing his dilemma, stopped the train. Some one suggested that Mark should change his name from Pitchkoff to Hangoff or Falloff. Anyway he had a close call as had he let go he would have rolled under the wheels as the snow was banked up at the sides of the track. He was as white as a sheet when he finally got aboard the train.

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