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FLESHERTON BRANCH
GEO. MITCHELL, Manager.

C. P. R. Time Table.

Trains leave Flesherton Station as follows:

Going South	Going North
7.53 a. m.	12.01 p.m.
4.27 p.m.	9.18p. m.

The mails are osed at Flesherton as follows: 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

Friday last was observed as Arbor Day in the schools.

Dr. C. Ottewell and little son spent the week end with his parents here.

Mr. A. S. Thurston of the Weekly Sun, Toronto, spent the week end with his parents here, returning Monday.

Seeds! Get your supply at Becker's reliable general store, Proton. Highest prices paid for your produce.

Will Moore is in St. Catharines this week taking mineral bath treatment for rheumatism.

The proceds at Mrs. Buskin's Red Cross tea was $8.55 and Mrs. Welton's $10.50.

Mr. John Stafford, B.A., B.D., who has been visiting here for some time, has returned to Vancouver.

Born—At Griffin, Sask., on April 18, to Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Whewell. a son —John Lewis.

Potatoes wanted at Becker's Reliable general store, Proton. Call up for prices and days for loading.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Irwin of Durham and the latter's little niece, Miss Vera Mountain, made a pleasant call on friends here Sunday evening.

A son of Township Clerk Thos. Scott of Osprey, has been missing since the 6th of April. It is hoped that he is a prisoner in Germany, not reported.

A memorial service for the late Pte. Charles Meggot is being held in the the Baptist church on Wednesday evening of this week at 8 o'clock.

Nurse Mae Jamieson left last week to enter upon light duties at Toronto General Hospital. Although not yet fully recovered from her long illness, she feels that she must be doing something.

There have been no big fish stories so far this fishing term. They don't bite. Parties who have motored from distant points return home with a feeling that (fishing) life is not worth living.

Sir Baltimore Oriole has arrived with us a little earlier than usual this year and we may now look for warmer weather. This cheery little whistler generally arrives between the 15th and 24th of May, but has made better time than usual on his northern journey.

The Advance man had a pleasant trip around by Thornbury and Collingwood on Saturday and found seeding operations even in the far famed Beaver Valley very backward. There were large fields of ice still visible in the Georgian Bay. Fall wheat generally looks very sickly.

Capt. Hector B. McKinnon, son of Mr. Neil McKinnon, late postmaster of Priceville, has been appointed Equipment Officer in the Royal Air Force, and will not be engaged in active flying in the future. He was wounded some months ago in an aerial duel with a Hun machine.

It is a difficult problem that the farming community is up against this year, caused by the new conscription orders. Production will be heavily reduced by the taking of so many men off the farms, but the authorities high up now tell us that men are the first consideration while production ranks second only.

We have to thank Dr. Orr, Director of the Ontario Provincial Museum, for a copy of his very interesting archæological report for 1917, which contains much valuable information regarding the aboriginal races of the Dominion. The letter press is exceedingly interesting and instructive, and the illustrations are profuse.

The annual meeting of the W. I. was held in the high school on Wednesday, May 1, when the following officers were elected: Pres., Mrs. Robert Best; 1st Vice Pres., Mrs. W. A. Hawken; 2nd Vice, Mrs. D. McTavish; Sec.-Treas., Mrs. E. Wickens; Ass. Sec., Mrs Thurston; District Director, Mrs. Hawken; Organist, Mrs. H. S. White; Auditors, Mrs. Thurston, Mrs. Hickling.

Some young men stole a martingale from a horse in the Methodist shed on Sunday evening. The owner, who has given us the names of these young men, asks us to state that if they do not leave the article at The Advance office within 24 hours after the paper is issued they will have a constable after them. An example will be made and this sort of vandalism stopped.

Mr. Harold Karstedt had another untortunate accident on Sunday morning when his car turned turtle at the creek this side of the station and pirouetted down the embankment, bringing up with its rear in the water. The car was driven by Miss Elda Karstedt, whom her brother was teaching to drive. Elda was considerably shaken up, but Harold was uninjured. The car was badly damaged.

Sergt. R. Irwin returned last week from a round up campaign up in Algoma in company with Inspector Piper. They investigated about 170 cases, and succeeded in fining 86 Austrians for not having papers and travelling without permission. They turned in about 110 men fit for military service, mostly Frenchmen. Among the lot found up there was Albert Teeter of Flesherton, who has been assigned to the First Batt., 2nd C.O.R., at Hamilton. Sergt Irwin has resigned and will go on the road for the Harris Abbatoir people in about two weeks.

A number of young men from this vicinity went to Owen Sound on Friday and Saturday last for examination by the military authorities. Those who have been ordered for military duty are: R. Chard, Max Bannon, Charles Doupe. Lawson Whitehead, Harry Fisher, Jim Harrison, George McTavish, and Frank Duncan. Most of these will be given until the first of July to report. It will be necessary for Mr. Duncan to dispose of his hardware business and Geo. McTavish his garage, or arrangements made in some way to carry them on during their absence.

Have to Register

Men of 19 years of age are to be called upon to register for military service. A proclamation to this effect will be issued shortly and, it is understood, will provide that the men must register before June 1. None of the men will, however, be actually called to the colors before July. The proclamation will apply to unmarried men and widowers without children born since October 13, 1897.

The men will be required to register through the postoffice, as was the case when unmarried men and widowers, between 20 and 34 years of age, were called up on Oct. 13 last. The men will simply give their names and addresses and such details as will permit full registration to be effected. The actual call to the colors will be received by registered post from thedistrict registrar.

South Grey Farmers Ask Exemption

A deputation of South Grey farmers waited upon Sir William Hearst, Minister of Agriculture, on Wednesday of last week. They asked the Prime Minister to use his influence with the Militia Department to have exemption granted from military service for farm laborers until the harvest is over. Dr. David Jamieson, Speaker of the House, of South Grey, introduced the deputation. He pointed out that the enforcement of the Act cancelling the exemptions of men between 20 and 22 years of age would nullify the farmers' efforts for increased production.

The Prime Minister promised to present the case to the Minister of Militia at once.

Take a Look Back

People who complain because they cannot get some of the little luxuries they used to enjoy before the war are asked to remember that their forefathers lived without sugar till the thirteenth century, without coal till the fourteenth, without butter on their bread till the fifteenth, without tobacco and potatoes till the sixteenth, without tea, coffee and soap till the seventeenth, without umbrellas and lamps till the eighteenth, and without trains, telephones, gas and matches till the nineteenth. It may particularly surprise many to know that there are people still living who remember the first lucifer matches—Orillia Packet.

They Found Oil At 1380 Feet

Considerable interest is now being taken in the oil question here. Last week several Midland gentlemen came over to examine the well which they drilled last fall on the outskirts of the village, on Reeve McTavish's farm, and when using the sand pump found quite a quantity of oil in the well. It was the ordinary black petroleum, such as is found at Petrolea and elsewhere. To say that the owners were delighted is putting it mildly. They at once made arrangements for "shooting" the well, which they hope will result in making it a profitable producer.

On Monday of this week tests were made and the oil producing vein located at 1380 feet. The owners propose to put in two shots, one at the bottom and another at the depth above mentioned, and this experiment is being conducted as we go to press.

This well is a privately capitalized concern and has never put any stock on the market. We sincerely trust that the owners may have their hopes more than realized.

Dunwoody----McLean

The marriage of Miss Violet H. McLean, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. McLean of Flesherton, and Mr. Raymond Dunwoody, was solemnized Saturday afternoon, April 20, at four o'clock at the home of the groom's mother, Mrs. L. Dunwoody, Warren, Ohio, the Rev. E. L. Ortt officiating, in the presence of immediate relatives. The bride received many beautiful and costly gifts.

Immediately after the wedding dinner the bridal couple left for Chillicothe to visit the groom's brother, W. J. Dunwoody, who is in camp there. Mr. and Mrs. Dunwoody will be at home after June first at 129 Belmont St., Warren, Ohio.

Wandered Away And Died in a Field

The skeleton of John Hadlow, the inmate of the Beeton house of refuge who disappeared on Nov. 14 last, was found recently on a farm one mile south of Beeton. Mr. Arthur Martin noticed a hand which he supposed the dog had brought home and a search was instituted which resulted in the discovery of the skeleton in a furrow of a plowed field. Governor Swan was notified and going to the scene identified the cap, clothing and boots as those of Hadlow. Dr. Campbell, coroner, was notified. He visited the scene and, after getting particulars, decided that an inquest was unnecessary. The remains were then taken to the house of refuge and interment was made in the cemetery on the farm. Deceased came to the house of refuge from Avening in January, 1914, and was 80 years of age. He was a native of England, but it is not known whether he had any relatives living, either in this or the old country. Last summer his mind became weak and on one or two occasions he had a faint spell. Doubtless after wandering to the Martin farm he fell dead from heart failure on the spot where his remains were found. —Beeton World.

Fight Over Estate

Robert Gordon, of Melancthon, who died on March 29th last, unmarried and without a will, left an estate of $17,124 17 consisting of personal estate and effects valued at $12,324,17 and real estate valued at $4,800. In the absence of a will application was made for letters of administration by Mary Ann Gordon, of Shelburne, an unmarried sister, who lived with and kept house for her brother up to the time of his death. Miss Gordon has behind her the renunciation in her favor of the majority of the persons interested in the estate. The application is, however, opposed by Robert James Dodds, real estate agent of Toronto, formerly of Orangeville, a son of Mrs. Alice Dodds, another sister of the deceased. Dodds claims that he is acting as next friend for his mother, who is represented as being old, feeble and incapable of doing business. He bases his opposition on the allegation that Miss Gordon, who is applying for the letters of administration, is mentally incapacitated and therefore not a fit person to be appointed administrator. Application is also made for administration of the estate by the Toronto General Trusts Co. as the nominee of Dodds.

The heirs to the property are Alex. Gordon, of Shelburne, a brother; Mary Ann Gordon, of Shelburne, Mrs. Alice Dodds, of Toronto, sisters; Wm A. Gordon, of Singhampton, a nephew, and Mrs. James Jamieson and Mrs. Archie McDonald, in the West, nieces. The nephew and the two nieces are the children of another brother. D. E. Dean of Shelburne, is acting for Miss Gordon and Walter A. Sadler, of Toronto, for Mr. Dodds.—Orangeville Banner.

MAIL CONTRACT

Sealed Tenders addressed to the Postmaste General, will be received at Ottawa until noon on Friday, the 7th of June, 1918, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails, on a proposed Contract for four years, six times per week, on the route—

FLESHERTON RURAL ROUTE NO. 2

from the 1st of July next.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Offices of Vandeleur and Fleshertan and at the office of the Post Office Inspector, Toronto.

A. SUTHERLAND,
Post Office Inspector.

Post Office Inspector's Office,
Toronto, April. 22d, 1918.

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MAXWELL RURAL ROUTE NO. 1

from the 1st of April, 1918, next.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Offices of Maxwell and at the office of the Post Office Inspector, Toronto.

A. SUTHERLAND.
Post Office Inspector

Post Office Inspector's Office,
Toronto, April 22nd, 1918.

Odds and Ends

For Sale cheap or rent—Late John J. Martin farm, lot 1, con. 4, Euphrasia, containing about 130 acres; dwelling and new frame barn, stabling under. If not sold in time for seeding will rent. Apply to Charles Martin on the premises or to R. J. Sproule, Flesherton. mar28th

Auto for Sale—Five passenger Regal one man top, demountable rims, ful floating axle, honey-combed radiator, electric starter, new Dominion Nobby tread tires on hind wheel. In first class condition.—Apply to G. C. Graham Eugenia.

For sale cheap and on easy terms, Lot 3, con. 11, Osprey, 110 acres. This is a first class farm and in a good state o cultivation. Good bank barn and new frame dwelling. Apply to R. J. Sproule Flesherton

For Rent—A brick dwelling situated on Collingwood street, Flesherton, frame stable, good well and garden in connection owned by Samuel Colquette. For particulars apply to Silas Shunk, Flesherton.

Keatner's Popular Music Store, Markdale, is the place to buy your Piano, Organ, Phonograph, Sewing Machine, Sheet Music, and all musical supplies.

NOTICE—I have sold my Polled Hereford bull, Admiral Beattie, to Mr. Frank Collinson, Ceylon. Those interested please take notice.—John Adams.

Found--Lap rug found, day of my sale. The owner can have same by applying to me—H. Quigg, Flesherton.

Try Feversham Pastry Flour, the best for your cook. All Ontario wheat.

Buckwheat For Sale—100 bushels of good clean seed.—E. Sargent, Ceylon

MISCELLANEOUS

Having taken over from H. B. McLean the W. G. Pickell Insurance business, I am prepared to look after the interests of the public. Hugh R. Hammond, R. R No. 1, Eugenia Agent. Phone 2 r 2. 1 Aug.

For Sale or rent—Cheap, easy terms, good dwelling, stable and ten acres of land at Portlaw. Don't miss this, must be sold as owner does not require it Apply to R. J. Sproule, Flesherton. mar28tf

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

For Sale—A six octave, Dominion organ, piano case, good as new, will be sold cheap. May be seen at F. W. Smith's, con. 3 Euphrasia, Duncan P.O., R.R. 1. 18 5 18

Alsike and Sweet Clover seed for sale $14 per bushel for each, free from noxious weeds.—Jos. Buchanan, Flesherton.

Highest price for butter and eggs at Graham Bros. Eugenia. June 26

Horse For Sale—Broke to any work, 5 years old. Harry Patton, 4th line, Artemesia, Flesherton P. O.

For Sale—1 purebred Shorthorn bull, ten months old. J. L. Graham, Markdale

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