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C. P. R. TIME TABLE

Trains leave Flesherton Station as follows:

Ging South	Going North
8.00 a.m.	11.58a.m.
4.30 p.m.	9.30 p.m.

The mails close at Flesherton as follows: For the north at 11.00 a.m. and 6 p.m.; and the afternoon mail south at 3.30. For morning train south at mail closes at 9.00 p.m. the previous evening.

Local Chaff

The snow is leaving us.

Have you seen a robin yet?

Advertise in The Advance.

Syrup making will soon be in vogue.

Three car loads of stock left Flesherton station on Tuesday.

Miss Rene Cargoe left last week to take a position in Toronto.

Mr. John Runstadler of Toronto was in town last week on business.

The price of bread was lowered one cent a loaf in town last week. A large loaf now sells for 16 cents.

Mr. H. Down has moved to the residence vacated by Mrs. Johnston, opposite the Baptist chapel.

Jack Karstedt of Owen Sound Collegiate spent the week end at his home here.

Mr. John McNally of Markdale spent the week end with his sister, Mrs. S. Semple.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Holland are attending the funeral of the latter's mother, Mrs. Watson, at Woodbridge and will remain for a few days.

Mr. Geo. Brackenbury was in Toronto Monday on business in connection with the securing of patents for his snow auto.

Mrs. A. McAuley, who has spent the winter with her son in Toronto, also with her brother in Guelph, has returned to her home here.

Mr. Dunlop completed his contract of drawing the steel pipes to Eugenia. Most of these huge tubes are already in place and the new line is progressing very favorably.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Sutton moved into town last week and have taken up residence in part of the house now occupied by Mr. Alf. Down. Mr. Sutton has taken a position at Down's garage as a mechanic for the season.

Mr. George Cairns of Glenella, Man., is on a visit to his sister, Mrs. D. D. McLachlan, of Ceylon, who is seriously ill in the Owen Sound hospital. On Tuesday there was no change either for better or worse in Mrs. McLachlan's condition.

Miss Lillian McMullen, who has been a popular clerk in Stewarts' grocery since the present firm took hold, is severing her connection this week and will seek a situation in Toronto. Many friends here will wish her well in whatever situation she may secure.

Mrs. Martin Phillips of town held an old fashioned quilting party on Wednesday afternoon last, when some fifteen ladies of town participated. The afternoon was spent in the regulation way for a quilting party—talking and speech making, some very fine addresses being given by those who know how. A dainty lunch was served by the hostess, and a very enjoyable afternoon was spent.

At the morning service in the Methodist church on Sunday the following delegates were nominated to attend the temperance convention in Massey Hall on Tuesday of this week :—Dr. Murray, W. H. Bunt, Thos. Bentham and H. Down. The convention is being held as a protest against the bringing on of another vote on the prohibition question.

Mrs. H. Down gave a brthday party on Thursday afternoon of last week in honor of the village's oldest resident, Mrs. Wm. Clayton, it being that lady's 87th milestone. Mrs. Clayton is still quite hearty. She was born in Pickering Township and has been a resident of Flesherton since the year 1861. A number of ladies of the village were present, including the honored guest, at the thoughtful invitation of Mrs. Down..

The stock judging contest are being held this week, the first one, on horses, was held on Tuesday afternoon when about 80 were in attendance. Dr. H. H. Ross gave a talk on the ills of horses at the town hall and was very instructive, questions being asked Dr. Ross, who is a veterinary, to the general satisfaction. Messrs. W. J. McFadden, Fred Smith and C. Akins kindly loaned their horses for the instruction to the young men who did the judging. To-day, Wednesday, cattle will be judged by Mr. Gardhouse and on Thursday Sheep and Swine will be the program.

L. O. L. NO. 2855, FLESHERTON, MEETS THIS FRIDAY NIGHT

The regular meeting of L.OL. No. 2855, Flesherton, will be held in Clayton's hall this Friday evening. The District Master will make his official visit to the Lodge and a full attendance is requested. Visitors are cordially invited to attend.

Past Mistress Presented With A Jewel By L.O.B.A.

A very pleasant evening was spent in the hall of L.O.L. No. 1085 on March 8th, 1924, it being a special meeting of Beaver Lodge No. 441, called for the purpose of presenting the Past Worthy Mistress Sister Thornbury with a Past Mistress' jewel. The Lodge was opened in the usual way and after some necessary business was disposed of the Director of Ceremonies, Sister A. McLean, conducted Sister Thornbury to the platform, where Sister Mrs. J. T. McKenzie, Rec. Sec., read an address and Sister Mrs. A. J. Conron, Worthy Mistress, presented Sister Thornbury with the jewel, after which Sister Thornbury thanked the lodge in a few well chosen remarks. The Lodge was then closed and the ladies soon had the tables loaded with good things of which all heartily partook. The following is the address :

We, the members of Beaver Lodge No. 441, have gathered here this evening for the purpose of showing to you, Sister Mrs. T. E. Thornbury, our Past Worthy Mistress of 441, in what esteem we hold you for your interest and faithfulness in the work of the Order during your term of office. We hope you will also have the same interest in our beloved Order in the future as in the past. We now ask you, Sister Thornbury, to accept this Past Mistress' jewel as a small token of our appreciation of you, and we hope you may long live to wear it. Signed on behalf of the members of Beaver River Lodge No. 441 of the Ladies' Orange Benevolent Association of Feversham, Ont.---Mrs. A. J. Conron, Worthy Mistress; Mrs. R. S. McGirr, Deputy Mistress; Mrs. J. T. Mckenzie, Rec. Sec.

LADIES AID HAD A SPLENDID CONCERT

As was expected, the Ladies' Aid concert in the high school was a huge success and words of appreciation were heard on all sides. A large audience was in attendance and nearly $75 was realized, which was highly satisfactory considering that the reserve seats sold for 35 cents. The play this year was of a different character from those of former years, being more of a serious nature but nevertheless veins of mirth ran along throughout the length of the three acts. All the actors and actresses played their parts exceedingly well, and received the commendation of all present. Those taking part and the cast of characters were as followe :

Cynthia Whitcomb, the Deacon's wife, Mrs. W. Henry; Miranda Peasley, Mother O' Mine, Mrs. W. Moore; Martha Tisdale, a neighbor, Mrs. Hawken; Lettie Holcomb, with a nose for news, Mrs. Murray; Lillian Whitcomb, the Deacon's daughter, Miss Aleda Mitchell; Mary Tisdale, Martha's daughter, Miss Elda Karstedt; John Whitcomb, the Deacon, Mr. W. Miller; Jack Payson, the Merchant's son, Mr. Ibbitt; Joe Payson, the merchant, Dr. Murray; Jerry McConnell, the new comer, Mr. Wes. Armstrong; Officer Lewis from Boston, Mr. A. Hawken; Saw Blunt, the constable, Mr. Charles Richardson.

During the intermission Mr. Eric Dowling favored the audience with selections on the piano. Miss Dunham and Miss Mildred Caswell gave a well rendered piano duet, and a trio by Messrs. Cross, Murray and Eaton was well received and encored. Miss Laura Boyd rendered a bird-like whistling solo, accompanied by the piano, which was heartily applauded. Miss Laura is a remarkable whistler.

It is always a treat to attend the concerts given by the Methodist Ladie's Aid, and each year the event is looked forward to with a great deal of interest.

VICTORIA CORNERS

We are pleased to see that March is using us better than February or January.

We are also pleased to report that Mr. Milt. Bannon is slowly improving.

Ernie Stinson and Ross Stevens are home from up north. They report that spring is opening up there.

Miss Ottilie Lockhart has returned to Toronto.

J. J. BOYCE'S SALE ON FRIDAY, MARCH 21ST

J. J Boyce's sale on lot 5, Con. 5, Osprey, takes place on Friday of this week, March 21st. For some inexplicable reason some of the bills were circulated with a wrong date. This sale consists of a number of cows, heifers, steers, pigs and farm implements. Wm. Kaitting is the auctioneer.

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Flesherton Soaked By Gravenhurst Sanitarium

HAVE TO PAY $600 AND COSTS FOR KEEP OF YOUNGBLUTT AT SANITARIUM

On Tuesday of last week this village was plunged into a debt of $800 and village costs, in all about $1000, when an agreement was reached making it necessary for Flesherton to pay the above amount, with no further liability for Youngblutt's keep. Reeve D. McTavish and Messrs. Chas. Stewart, Fred Mathewson, John Nuhn and Mrs. Nuhn went to Toronto as witnesses, but only the latter two gave evidence. The case was clear against the town and in no way could we have got out of paying it. The last writ was for $1900, and the settlement was due to the man having received money from the hospital. Normanby was jointly served with a writ with Flesherton but they were found not liable, although they agreed to pay their own costs.

ROBBED AT RIVERVIEW

THOS. WATTERS ASSAULTED IN HIS HOME AT NIGHT AND ROBBED OF $500

A daring robbery took place at Riverview, several miles from Dundalk, last week when Thos. Watters was assaulted and robbed in his home. About 11 o'clock at night two men entered the home, the door being unlocked. The old man, who lives alone and was asleep in bed, was struck over the head by one of the visitors who used a boot jack as a weapon, making quite a gash which bled profusely. The victim put up a fight, but his hands were tied together by a stout rope and his head covered up with the bed clothes. The sum of $500 in bills was found in the pocket of Mr. Watters' trousers and this is all that was taken although the house was evidently searched for more. The old man loans considerable money and it is thought the robbers expected to get a bigger haul. The men worked mostly in the dark and Watters did not get a look at their faces. Some time after they left the house the victim got over to the corner store and aroused the inmates, but no trace of the robbers was found. The council of Melancthon is offering a reward of $100 for the arrest and conviction of the guilty parties.

Take Notice

To Whom It May Concern :—

If the party or parties who have cut and taken timber on lot 38, Concession 10, do not call and settle at once, costs will be incurred, as they are known.—Mrs. Jas. Genoe, Flesherton.

FLESHERTON Y. P. S. DEBATES TO-NIGHT

The first debate of the Young People's Societies of the Owen Sound District of the Methodist church is being held at Vandeleur to-night with Kimberley and Flesherton Leagues as the participants. The subject for the debate is resolved "that Consolidated schools should replace our present public school system in rural districts," and the affirmative is being upheld by Flesherton. Miss Mildred Caswell and Mr. George Akins will uphold the cause for Flesherton, and without a doubt will give a good account of themselves. It has been announced that the debate between Chatsworth and Inistioge, which was to have been held in Flesherton on March 21st, has been postponed until the 24th.

USED A "SMALL ADVT." IN ADVANCE, SECURED COWS

Mr. Alfred Harrison advertised in The Advance two weeks ago for some young cows to freshen early. Before the paper had been out a day and a half he had fifteen replies and could have stocked a farm with cows, just by inserting the advt. Why not try to get the same satisfaction whether you have an artlcie to sell or something to buy. A "Small Advt." will do the trick.

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GOOD BREAD

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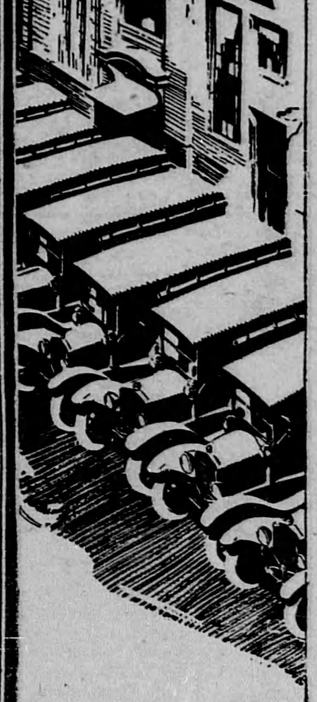
The most perfect cast ever assembled in photo play

Comic--"BIG BLUFFS"

"MIDNIGHT ALARM" IS THE BIGGEST PICTURE EVER SHOWN IN FLESHERTON

ADMISSION :—Adults 50c., Children 25c. War tax included.

F. H. STEPHENSON, Manager. Show starts at 8 p.m.



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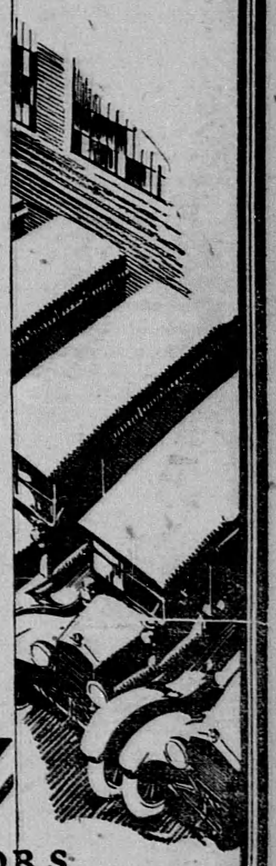

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