The Personal Element in Banking affairs

BETWEEN the curtness and coldness of printed bank forms and the human element for whose use they are designed, are vast oportunities for the banker to give valuable personal assistance. The Standard Bank, throug the members of its staff, is anxious to use any opportunity that arises to demonstrate its value in offering personal advice on financial matters. The local manager of the Standard Bank will be glad to give intimate counsel upon money matters pertaining to your business.

BANKING FIFTY YEARS

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FLESHERTON BRANCH—C. T. Batty, *Manager*

C.P.R. TIME TABLE

Trains leave Flesherton Station as follows:

Going South	Going North
8.00 a.m.	11.52 a.m.
4.10 p.m.	9.08 p.m.
8.41 p.m.	4.33 p.m.

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

Local and Personal

Shop in Flesherton!

Mrs. Jas. Wilson and little son visited in Collingwood last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Nuhn visited in Durham on Sunday.

Miss Lillian Bunt of Toronto was a visitor in town last week.

Quite a nhmber from here attended the circus in Owen Sound Saturday.

Miss Beatrice Thistlethwaite is holidaying at her home here.

The crowds are still flocking to Flesherton on Saturday nights.

Mr. Fred Crew and sister of Toronto are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Beecroft, East Back Line.

Mrs. T. W. Findlay spent a few days the past week at Owen Sound and Bognor.

Mrs. Ed. Tremp and Miss Allie Norris are spending this week in Toronto.

Mr. George Beecroft is spending a few days with his son, Jack, in Owen Sound.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Smith of Oshawa visited the former's aunt, Mrs. Hanley, and other friends last week.

Miss Gladys Pinder has been spending the past couple of weeks with Newmarket friends.

Mr. John Dow has returned from Kitchener and left on Tuesday for the West.

Mrs. F. H. W. Hickling and Miss Bessie Goff are spending a week in Weston.

Mr. Austin Shackleford. enjoyed a trip to Kitchener and London last week.

Mrs. Walter Marr of Toronto gave The Advance a pleasant call on her return from visiting friends at Feversham.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Thompson of Chesley called on friends here on Sunday.

Mrs. J. Cargoe and Jeanette are spending a few weeks in Detroit, the guests of the former's son and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Carrol and two children of Mitchell called upon old friends here on Saturday. They had been enjoying a camping trip.

Mr. Mervyn Baxter, Mr. John Baxter of Caledon and Mr. George Bracken of Caledon visited Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Osborne over Sunday.

There was good representation of Black Knights at the Derry Day celebration at Brampton on Thursday of last week.

Mr. Wm. Moore has made extensive improvements in his store, occupied by T. W. Findlay, furniture dealer and undertaker, by removing part of the partition and other improvements.

Mr. and Mrs. George Irwin and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Fowler and daughter of Dungannon were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Henry over the week end.

Mr. Roy Patton and Mrs. Harpell and daughter, Ruth, of Toronto spent the week end in town. Mr. John Bellamy accompanied them home after spending two weeks in Toronto.

The first meeting of the United Church W.M.S. will be held to-morrow (Thursday) at 3 p.m. in the school room of the church. It is hoped that all members of the former societies will be in attendance.

Shipped Syrup for Use of Royal Family

We have always known that the maple syrup which is made every year in the evaporator at Mr. Walter Akitt's was first class and at last it has even become known abroad. Mr. Akitt last week shipped a quantity of maple syrup directly to Balmoral Castle, Scotland, and will be served to thein Majesties, the King and Queen of England. This is a real distinction for a product of Artemesia Township.

Cemetery Improvements

Last week work was commenced on the levelling of the Flesherton Cemetery and three men and a team are on the job. The Cemetery Board has an extensive program on hand of plowing the ground so as to level the plots to enable mowers to be used in cutting the grass and keeping the cemetery in a respectable condition. The Board levied a tax on each plotholder some time ago in order to raise funds for the work and the response has been so satisfactory that the work is now proceeding.

The ground throughout the cemetery will be levelled, none of the plots will be raised and the corner and head stones will be sunk level with the ground to enable greater ease in mowing. Lawn grass seed will be sown next spring. It is very gratifying to know that at last this great work is started and in place of being a disgrace to the community the last resting place of our loved ones will be a beauty spot that will be a credit to this town.

ADDITIONAL LOCALS

Mrs. Geo. Small and daughter, Ivy, Mrs. Mulhall and Reuben Carter, all of Toronto, Mrs. Sleep of Mich., and sister, Mrs. John Carter, of Corbetton spent last week and this with the latter's daughter, Mrs. Robt. Down.

The work of painting the remainder of the high school in town is being rushed to completion at present in time for the re-opening of school on September 1st. Mr. J. Graham of Durham secured the contract from the school board and is making a good job of the work.

The young ladies of town and the C.G.I.T. class of the United Church Sunday school held a miscellaneous shower at the home of Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy McDonald, recent bride and groom. The young couple were taken completely by surprise and a jolly time was spent.

A trial was supposed to have taken place in the town hall on Tuesday morning when Mr. Robert Carson was charged with being under the influence of liquor. Magistrate Creasor of Owen Sound was ready to receive evidence but Mr. Carson failed to put in an appearance. The trial is to be held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the town hall.

John Caeser in the East

WAS STATION AGENT AT MARKDALE FOR NUMBER OF YEARS —STARTED FLOWER BEDS

Associated with the business of railroading for more than half a century, John Ceaser of Vancouver, and now a visitor in Toronto, enjoys the distinction of being, in all probability, the oldest living employee who has seen service in the Canadian Pacific Railway, says the Toronto Globe. To John Caeser also belongs the honor of instituting the practice of beautifying Canadian railway stations with flowers and shrubbery. Little he dreamed, when in the '80's, as station agent at Markdale, Grey County, he raked up the rubbish littering the grounds, and planted a few five-cent packages of flower seeds, that the garden idea would develop and spread until there evolved the C.P.R. slogan: "The Floral Route to the West."

Tells many a Good Yarn.

Active, with a keen memory and dauntless enthusiasm despite his 75 years, John Caeser is in possession of a fund of sprightly stories of pioneer railroading in Canada. It was away bark in 1871 that he undertook his first railroad job, and the earlier years of service were spent in the employ of the Great Western and the Toronto, Grey & Bruce Railway. It was in the year 1882 that the Toronto, Grey & Bruce Railway was taken over by the C.P.R., and among Mr. Caeser's most interesting reiniscenses is the opening of teh new Markdale Station, when a delegation, including the late Colonel George Ham, attended the event. This constituted the first official railroad station opening in Canada, it is said, and with the exception of North Toronto Station the only Canadian station to be thus honored.

When Sheriff Impounded Train.

With twinkling eyes the veteran railroader recalls those momentous and precarious days in the history of the Toronto, Grey & Bruce Railway, when a passneger train en route from Toronto to Teeswater was seized by the Sheriff.

It was a common occurrence in those days, said Mr. Caeser, for the wood piles stacked along the railroad, and providing fuel for engines, to be seized by the Sheriff for debts.

During the 37 years that John Caeser planted and nurtured the flowers that brightened the grounds of the Markdale Station, he developed two hot beds, passing his surplus stock on to other station agents along the line.

Encouraging the venture the C.P.R. brought into effect the Floral Department. Although he was pensioned in 1917, Mr. Caeser retained his interest in the station gardens, and for several years assumed the responsibility as Chief Gardener of the C.P.R. lines east of Fort William.

In recent years a signal honor has come to the veteran railroader, a Canadian Pacific Railway Station, located in the vicinity of Nelson, B.C., having been named "Caeser," in recognition of "the long and faithful service of John Caeser."

ADDITIONAL LOCALS

Mrs. C. R. Wood and three children left on Monday for her home at Cadillac, Sask., after spending two months with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Bentham. She was accompanied by her sister, Elizabeth, who will spend some time in the West.

Col. Ern Arstrong is in a three-cornered fight for the representation in Parliament of South Temiskaming. We have abiding faith that Ern, with characteristic determination to succeed, will get there. The fight is hot, however.

W. A. and Mrs. Hawken attended the reunion of the Taylor family at Wasaga Beach the first of the week, there being present relatives from Toronto, New Market, Lindsay, Port Perry, Markdale, Harkaway sad Feversham. There were over thirty present and a very enjoyable time was spent. It was decided to make it an annual gathering.

World's largest Annual Exposition. 900 acres—80 permanent buildings.—Attendance 1925, 1,461,300. Left—New Ontario Government Building to be opened this year.

CANADIAN NATIONAL EXHIBITION TORONTO

1926 Dates—Aug. 28—Sept. 11

Middle School Results

The results of the normal Entrance examinations were received by The Advance on Tuesday evening from the principal, C. F. Lawrence, and are published below.

SCHEDULE — First class honors 75 to 100, 1; second class 66 to 74, 2; third class 60 to 65, 3; credit 50 to 59, C.

ALLEN, HAROLD — Comp. C; Br. Hist. 2; Chem. 3; Latin Comp. C.

BENTHAM, ELIZABETH — Lit. C; Anc. Hist. 3; Fr. Authors C; Fr. Composition C.

BOYD, LAURA — Br. Hist. 2; Anc His. C; Alg. C; Physics 3; Chem. C; Fr. Authors 3; Fr. Comp. C.

BLACKBURN, HARTLEY — Br. Hist. 1; Anc. Hist. 2; Fr. Authors 2; French Composition 2.

BROWN, INEZ — Eng. Comp. 3; Lit. C; Br. Hist. C; Alg. 3; Latin Authors C; Latin Com. 2; Fr. Com. C.

CAMERON, RUSSEL — Br. Hist. C; Anc. Hist. 1; Geom. C; Chem. 2; Latin Auth. C; Latin Comp. C; Fr. Composition C.

CLEMENTS, IRENE—Anc. His. C.

ENGLISH, BERNICE — Comp. 3; Br. Hist. C; Physics 3.

HOWDEN, ORLOFF — Br. Hist. 1 Geom. 2; Fr. Auth. 1; Fr. Comp. 2.

INKSTER, HAZEL — Anc. His. 3.

KNOX, ALEX. — Latin Comp. 2.

LONG, ROSS — Comp. C; Alg. 2.

McDONALD, SAM — Comp. 3; Br. Hist. 1; Alg. 3; Geom. C; Physics 2; Chemistry C.

McMILLAN, CATHARINE—Comp. C; Lit. C; Br. Hist. C; Anc. Hist. C.

McCALLUM, EDNA—Lat. Com. 3.

McFADDEN, FLORENCE —Comp. 3; Lit. 1; Anc. Hist. 1; Alg. 1; Chem. 2; Lat. Auth. 1; Lat Comp 1; French Composition 2.

McKECHNIE, HILDA—Anc His C.

NICHOL, MURRAY—Anc. Hist. 3.

NICHOL, REBECCA — Comp. 3; Lit. 3; Anc. Hist. C.

PINDER, GLADYS — Comp. C; Anc Hist. 2; Alg. C; Lat. Comp. C.

SCOTT, MINA — Anc. Hist. C; Algebra C; Chemistry C.

SLED, MELVIN — Comp. C; Br. Hist. C; Anc. Hist. C.

STINSON, MARGUERITE — Br. Hist. C; Fr. Auth. C; Fr. Comp. C.

WILSON, EVADA — Anc. Hist. 2; Chemistry 1.

The following have complete standing for Entranee to the Normal Schools:-

Hartley Blackburn, Laura Boyd, Russell Cameron, Bernice English, Orloff Howden, Hazel Inkster, Alex. Knox, Sam McDonald, Murray Nichol, Evada Wilson.

Miss Ethel Goff of near Coldwater is the guest of Mrs. Hickling this week.

W. A. and Mrs. Hawken, Mrs. W. Taylor and Mrs. F. W. Taylor of Markdale returned last week from a motor trip when they visited relatives at the following places: New Market, Uxbridge, Port Perry, Lindsay, Bobcaygeon, Fenelon Falls, Bowmanville, Toronto and Niagara Falls.

There passed away at his home in London, Ont., Dr. H. Arnott, who for many years was a noted physician and advocate of temperance in Western Ontario. Dr. Arnott had reached a ripe old age. He was an uncle of Mrs. Wm. Inkster of Flesherton.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Rody Stewart wishes to thank her many neighbors and friedns for their kindness and sympathy shown during the illness and death of her husband and for the beautiful floral tributes.

The opinion of some wives whose husbands are always going fishing is that they are a whole lot better at going than they are at fishing.

Out of $6,000,000 spent on accident compensation in Ontario, $1,000,000 goes to pay for blood-poisoning.

Even the watch a man keeps on his tongue will run down occasionally.

It is safer to have a woman driving from the back seat than to have her in the front seat hugging the driver.

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