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C.P.R. TIME TABLE

Trains leave Flesherton Station as follows:

Going South	Going North
8.08 a.m.	11.52 a.m.
4.10 a.m.	8.53 p.m.
8.31 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

Mr. F. G. Karstedt was in Hamilton on Saturday visiting his son, Jack.

Mr. George Brackenbury is in Toronto and Hamilton this week end.

Mrs. Wes. Armstrong spent the past few days at Dundalk.

Mr. Cecil McTavish was in Toronto and Oshawa for several days last week.

Miss Marie McEachnie, Toronto, spent the week end with her parents here.

Mr. Wes. White left on Monday morning to take a position with the hydro at Waubaushene.

A number of Markdale people held a fowl supper at the Munshaw House on Friday evening.

Mr. F. H. W. Hickling is having his store redecorated by Mr. W. J. Wellwood of Dundalk.

The Presbyterian congregation held their service in the Baptist Church on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. John Runstadler of Toronto was in town on Friday and expects to return in a couple of weeks to commence the spring buying of eggs.

Mrs. Leslie Smith and Miss Margaret Thompson of Singhampton spent the week end with the former's mother Mrs. J. A. McFadden.

Markdale Standard says: Flesherton has a real snappy bunch of young hockey players and they know the game to perfection.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Karstedt of Toronto spent a day last week with the former's brother here. They had attended the funeral in Owen Sound of Mrs. Karstedt's father, Mr. Stervall.

Messrs Haze Freeman, Jack Perkins, G. B. Welton, Alex. McEachnie, and H. Gorrell attended the funeral of the late Elmer Tuck, Markdale, which was held on Saturday.

There was a noted absence of criminal cases at the sitting of the Supreme Court of Ontario for the County of Grey at Owen Sound this week Only three civil cases were on the docket.

Miss Allie Norris returned last week from Durham hospital, where she underwent an operation for appendicitis. Her mother, Mrs. E. Tremp, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Mark Wilson at Durham, while Allie was in the hospital.

At the Brant and Norfolk meeting of the Trustee and Ratepayers Association, held in Brantford recently, Mr. Herb. Corbett, President of the Rural Section, addressed them on "Will the farmer of the future require a better education than has the farmer of the past." The Rev. W. M. Morris held a round table conference on the "Township School Board Bill."

Mr. R. Nixon left on Monday morning for Oshawa and will be there for two weeks attending a Chevrolet service school. Royden McDonald, Dick's working partner in McTavish's garage, took a two week's course in Oshawa early in January, and since then has been employed in General Motors maintenance garage. He will return to his duties here on April 1st.

Messrs. Mark Wilson, Dan McTavish, Mark Stewart and John McDonald of town enjoyed a dance and social evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Snell on Friday evening. The music was so stimulating that it brought back pleasant memories of earlier days and it is stated that what these esteemed gentlemen didn't show the younger generation in the art of dancing wasn't worth showing.

Mr. J. O. Dargavel, manager of the Durham Furniture Co., at Rock Mills, has had an excellent year at buying logs. With the conditions of the roads and the weather, the logs have been coming in very fast. On Monday of this week. 181 loads were bought. The mill yard is full to capacity now, and the Company has ceased buying.

Proton Council Has Abolished S. Labor

At the recent meeting of the Proton Township Council it was decided to abolish statute labor on the roads of the Township forthwith. A vote of the ratepayers one year ago was against the change, but the present council decided to make the change nevertheless. The rate per day for work was set at 50 cts per hour for man and team and 25cts per hour for shovellers.

Feversham L.O.B.A.

Feversham Ladies' Orange Lodge No. 441, held their election of officers and installation, as follows:

Past W.M.—Mrs. Mary McMullen.
W. M.—Mrs. Minnie McLean.
Dep. M.—Mrs. Myrtle Magee.
Rec. Sec.—Miss Pearl Fawcett.
Fin Sec.—Mrs. Myrtle McKenzie.
D. of C.—Mrs. Mary McMullen.
Chaplain—Mrs. Annie Ottewell.
1st Lect.—Mrs. Isobel Ottewell.
2nd Lect.—Mrs. Mary Hollingshead
Com.—Mrs. Elizabeth Beatty, Mrs. Charlotte Conron, Mrs. Marg. Kernahan, Mrs. Annie Conn, Mrs. Mary Hollingshead.
Organist—Miss Pearl Fawcett.
I. G.—Stewart McMullen.
Tyler—John Beatty.
Trustees— Bros. Stewart McMullen, Jas. McKenzie and John Beatty.
Auditors—Bros. Jas McKenzie and Stewart McMullen.
Guardian—Mrs. Alice Parsons.

Additional Local Items

Miss Elsie Ferris of Owen Sound spent the week end at her parental home here.

Miss Perle McMaster, R. N., of Owen Sound spent the past few days at her home in town.

Mrs. John Beecroft of Owen Sound returned home last week after spending a couple of weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Pedlar.

The W. I. will meet at the home of Mrs. H. Wilson on Wednesday, March 6th, 3 p.m. Paper "Proper system of house cleaning by Mrs. W. A. Armstrong. Roll call—Aid in house cleaning. Social Com.—Cake, Mesdames Gilchrist, Harrower and Kennedy. Sandwich, Mesdames McTavish, F. Thurston and Mitchell.

Flesherton's Old Home Week received some excellent publicity on Monday evening through the London Free Press. In broadcasting through a London station the Free Press gave out as a news item that Flesherton was holding an Old Home Week. Publicity, and plenty of it, will make the get-together of the old boys and girls a success.

PROTON STATION

Mr. Bradley of Berkley visited with the Dever Bros. on Monday.

Mr. Clark Wyville, who has been spending the winter at his home here, intends to resume his old position on the boats at the early part of next week.

Rev. Mr. Oldham is conducting Lenten Services in the Anglican church each Thursday evening until the end of March. The service next Thursday evening however has been withdrawn.

Mrs. Quigg spent a part of last week with Mrs. Geo. Ludlow, Victoria Corners.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Stinson have both been ill with the flu. We hope to see them around again soon.

We believe that the teams belonging to the broom ball league must have well-nigh reached perfection. It seems possible to break the broom, break the ice and break their anatomy, but impossible to break the tie. The game with Flesherton last Friday night resulted in another tie.

An interesting event took place on Wednesday evening when a large number from the community met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Meddaugh to express their kindly respects and good wishes by Dep. Reeve Corbett and Postmaser McCannel and after greeting had been extended Miss Marjorie Acheson read an address and on behalf of the community a purse was presented by Mr. Robert Bates. The remainder of the evening was spent at the the home of Mrs. Bob White Saugeen Junction.

Evidence Given by Constables Purvis and Cook at Inquest

A charge of shooting to maim has been laid against Constables Purvis of Collingwood and Cook of Orillia, following the inquest at Lindsay on Thursday into the circumstances surrounding the death of Peter Brennan who was shot near Bolsover on February 16th.

The verdict of the Coroner's jury was "That Pete Brennan came to his death on February 16th, about 3 a.m., near Bolsover, from two bullet wounds, either of which have caused death, b yrevolver shots from a .32 revolver fired by either Constables Cook or Purvis; that the constable did not intend to wound Brennan; that it would have been better had Brennan been allowed to escape, rather than have him killed; that we recommend that police officers be restricted in the use of firearms to protect their own lives."

Constable Purvis stated in his evidence to the jury that he believed Brennan was reaching for a gun when he shot. He saw him run, and he heard the order to stop him. He said he fired one shot over Brennan's head, followed by a second. Then he fired one at his feet, followed by a second shot. He would not say whether any one else fired, but at the time he thought some one had. Constable Kelly said he heard the shots behind him. He saw Constable Cook fire two or three shots at Shaw, as Cook joined Kelly, 100 yards away in pursuit of Shaw. Constable Cook said he had fired six or seven shots, all at Shaw, and not one at the time Brennan was hit.

Constable Elwood Purvis of Collingwood testifies as follows:

"I was in the lead with the Inspector, I saw the two men approaching, and heard the Inspector speak to the men. I saw the light flash, and saw the man with the red sweater jerk his right hand up, and I thought it was a revolver. The man jerked away, and I heard the Inspector yell: 'Stop him.' I fired two shots over his head, and he kept on going. I fired two at his legs. Sergeant Creasy ran ahead and jumped on the man, and they both fell. Shaw was possibly either eight or ten feet behind Brennan.

"The shots I fired were well in the air, and then I fired two with the intentions of hittingj him in the legs. I was perhaps 25 feet away. I was running when I fired. I saw only the one man. I could not say that I heard any other shots when I fired. The shots I fired may have hit Brennan. I thought at the time that there were other shots fired at the same time, but I am not sure now. I thought at the time I saw the flash of another gun. Sergenat Creasy passed me, and caught up to the man before he fell.

"I fired because the man was escaping from custody. I could not overtake the man, and I shot to frighten him. I consider Brennan was under arrest when the Inspector placed his hand on his arm."

Constable Cook of Orillia said he saw Brennan raise his hand and saw him run. He heard a command to stop, and the shots resulted.

"I do not know who fired," the officer said. "Afterward, when chasing Shaw, I fired seven shots. I fired with the intention of stopping Shaw. I fired low. We do not feel we have a right to shoot a man unless he is an escaped man, charged with an indictable offense. This man was running from custody. I believed the man was under arrest I am positive I never fired at Brennan

The officers all claimed that they believed Brennan to have been under arrest immediately the Inspector placed his hand on the man's shoulder.

Crown Attorney J. E. Anderson informed the jury prior to its withdrawal that he would take the responsibility for the statement that Brennan was not legally under arrest when Inspector Patman placed his hand on his shoulder, nor did Brennan relize it when he broke and fled from the posse of five. The jury arrived at its verdict after two hours' deliberation.

The two constables were confined to jail at Lindsay, received a hearing on Friday and were remanded one week on $10,000 bail each. They entered neither plea nor election.

Constable Purvis is at present at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Purvis, of Eugenia and will return to Lindsay in time for the trial on Friday.

HOGS 100% SELECTS

James Benson, of Con. 5, Proton, shipped seventeen Yorkshire hogs with James A. Fraser, U.F.O. shipper at Dundalk. The entire shipment of seventeen hogs graded selects in Toronto. This is certainly a showing which cannot be beaten and not frequently equalled. The top market price was procured.—Dundalk Herald.

Baptist Church Services

REV. M. SAUNDERS, Pastor

SUNDAY, MARCH 3rd. 1929
Flesherton, 11 a.m.—Four Pillars of Christanity.
Rock Mills, 3 p.m.—A Closed Door and waiting Savior.
Flesherton, 7 p.m.—A Closed Door and a Waiting Savior.

Old Home Week to Be Held in Flesherton August 4th to 7th

Flesherton's Old Home Week for 1929 is away to a splendid start by the enthusiastic attendance of the business men of town at a meeting held in the new town hall last week. The hearty support of the whole town is behind the movement and the old boys and girls will be assured of a royal reception when they come for this great event, to take place from August 4 to 7, inclusive. The festival will start on Sunday, August 4th and Monday, as Civic Holiday, will enable many to attend who would otherwise not be able to leave their work. Later on as events occur we will publish the plans of the committee as they mature.

Thirty business men are backing the project to the extent of ten dollars each and this was signed up in very few minutes at the meeting. The committee selected to promote Old Home Week is as follows: C. B. Walton, F. H. W. Hickling, M. Wilson, J. McCauley, W. G. Kennedy, C. N. Richardson, T. W. Findlay and two ladies from the Women's Institute. W. A. Hawken was selected as Secretary, with F. J. Thurston as assistant, and E. A. Preston is Treasurer.

All the old boys and girls of Flesherton and of Artemesia township are given a most cordial invitation to be present and meet with the old chums they used to play with a few years ago. Boyhood scenes will be recalled and a splendid time will be assured all who come "Home" for that occasion. The committee wishes to secure the names and addresses of all those who have resided within five miles of Flesherton, so as to send invitations, and the assistance of the local residents is necessary to this end. There are scores of names the Secretary has on file without addresses. Sit down at once, make out a list of those you know who spent their early days here and the addresses, and send them to the secretary or call The Advance and an invitation to attend will be issued. Every one of the old boys nad girls are wanted home for those days and it is not the intention of the committee to miss anyone if avoidable.

The Advance would be pleased to receive communications from any old residents who expect to come at that time. Allow us to tell your friends of your intention to be present.

BORN

McKENZIE — At Calgary, Alta., on February 14, to Mr. and Mrs. G. L. McKenzie (nee Odessa Walter) the gift of a daughter, Aura Colleen.

Fall Fairs which suffered from rainy weather last year will draw on the Ontario Government indemnity fund. There is an annual grant of $10,000 distributed last year in 36 counties and districts, in proportion to loss in 1927 but 1928 was quite wet during the time when most agricultural societies held their exhibitions, and claims total about $13,000 it was stated recently by J. Lockie Wilson, superintendent of the branch Assistance will have to be gauged accordingly.

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114 acres in the Township of Proton nearly all cleared, good buildings, two miles from Proton Station, will sell with last year's crop or without; or would consider a small property in exchange.

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Friday, March 8th

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