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## WHEN'S THE TRAIN?

- by Ken Armstrong

The Canadian Pacific Railway was an enthusiastic user of Mixed Trains to provide freight and passenger service across their prairie rail network. Even during the 1930s Depression years, when premier trans-Canada and regional passenger train schedules were cutback, the little ubiquitous CPR Mixed Trains continued to reliably serve thinly-populated areas.

In 1950, at a time when party-line telephone service and all-weather roads were becoming commonplace, the CPR used two train crew assignments to provide regular passenger/baggage/package/mail service to Consul and southwestern Saskatchewan.

The first train crew operated Shaunavon-Consul on Monday, then ran to Val Marie Tuesday, returning to Consul Wednesday, back to Shaunavon on Thursday morning, then rounded out their long work week with a trip to Manyberries, AB, on Friday and then back to Shaunavon on Saturday.

A second crew, based out of Lethbridge, AB, headed east to Manyberries on Monday, then Manyberries to Shaunavon on Tuesday, operating west to Manyberries on Wednesday, returning to Lethbridge Thursday morning. On Friday and Saturday, the crew operated a round trip to Manyberries.

The CPR operated a daily-except-Sunday dedicated passenger/mail train between Shaunavon and Moose Jaw, with connections east to Weyburn and south to Rockglen-Coronach-Big Beaver and Mankota branches.

In other words, passengers who solely relied on CPR Mixed Train service to get them in and out of southwestern Saskatchewan could expect to take a two day trip to reach Moose Jaw, and in the case of Tuesday/Wednesday-only service on the Val Marie branch, it was a three day event.

### MOOSE JAW—ASSINIBOIA—SHAUNAVON—LETHBRIDGE

READ DOWN			READ UP		
	319 ExSun	Miles	TABLE 96	320 ExSun	
	A.M.	0.0	Mountain Time	P.M.	
..	9.45	0.0	Lv. Moose Jaw	5.05	..
..	10.11	10.0	.. Archive ..	4.39	..
..	10.25	16.0	.. Buttress ..	4.26	..
..	10.41	23.1	.. Crestwynd ..	4.12	..
..	10.54	29.4	.. Dunkirk ..	3.56	..
..	11.02	33.4	.. Bishopric ..	3.49	..
..	11.15	36.7	.. Expanso ..	3.36	..
..	11.32	43.6	.. Mossbank ..	3.16	..
..	11.50	51.9	.. Vantage ..	2.58	..
..	12.08	58.0	.. Congress ..	2.45	..
..	12.30	67.5	Ar Assiniboia 100 Lv	2.25	..
..	1.00	67.5	Lv Assiniboia 100 Ar	1.55	..
..	1.11	73.6	.. Valor ..	1.40	..
..	1.26	80.2	.. Limerick ..	1.26	..
..	1.47	89.6	.. Melval ..	1.07	..
..	2.02	94.9	.. La Flèche ..	12.55	..
..	2.21	101.8	.. Woodrow ..	12.39	..
..	2.34	107.3	.. Meyronne ..	12.28	..
..	2.50	114.7	.. Kincaid ..	12.13	..
..	3.04	120.8	.. Hazenmore ..	12.00	..
..	3.21	128.3	.. Aneroid ..	11.44	..
..	3.39	137.1	.. Ponteix ..	11.27	..
..	3.55	147.0	.. Gouverneur ..	11.13	..
..	4.08	150.2	.. Cadillac ..	11.00	..
M657 Wed.	4.22	156.9	.. Crichton ..	10.46	M644 Tue.
Mon.	4.38	163.7	.. Admiral ..	10.32	M656 Thu.
A.M.	4.55	170.6	.. Scotsguard ..	10.17	
9.00	5.10	177.5	.. Instow ..	10.02	P.M.
9.45	5.30	185.7	SHAUNAVON	9.45	P.M.
10.25	5.45	194.0	.. Dollard ..	2.20	1.00
11.30	5.55	200.9	.. South Fork ..	1.45	12.40
11.50	6.05	209.0	.. Eastend ..	1.15	12.10
12.35	6.15	214.8	.. Knollys ..	12.45	11.45
12.05	6.25	222.5	.. Ravenscrag ..	11.40	10.50
1.05	6.35	230.0	.. Pallade ..	11.10	9.50
1.35	6.45	236.1	.. Robart ..	10.55	9.30
2.20	6.55	242.6	.. Vidart ..	10.25	9.00
3.10	7.05	248.2	.. Consul 110 ..	9.55	8.30
P.M.	7.25	251.4	.. Notukeu 110 ..	9.30	A.M.
7.45	7.45	256.7	.. Senat ..	9.00	..
8.20	7.55	263.6	.. Govenlock ..	8.40	..
8.45	8.05	269.8	.. Altwan, Sask ..	7.55	M642 Mon.
9.45	8.25	276.4	.. Jaydot, Alta ..	7.30	Fri.
10.20	8.40	284.7	.. Cressday ..	7.10	..
10.55	8.50	291.2	.. Bain ..	6.45	..
11.25	9.05	297.9	.. Craigow ..	6.15	P.M.
11.55	9.15	307.8	.. MANYBERRIES ..	6.15	6.10
12.25	9.25	314.4	.. Orion ..	5.35	5.35
1.20	9.35	321.0	.. Pakowl ..	4.50	4.50
1.55	9.45	328.1	.. Etzikon ..	4.25	4.25
2.30	9.55	335.8	.. Nomicam ..	3.45	3.45
P.M.	10.05	343.1	.. Foremost ..	3.20	3.20
P.M.	10.20	350.8	.. Legend ..	2.15	2.15
P.M.	10.35	359.1	.. Skiff ..	1.45	1.45
P.M.	10.50	367.7	.. Conrad ..	1.15	1.15
P.M.	11.05	376.4	.. Wentham ..	12.40	12.40
P.M.	11.20	384.0	.. Judson ..	11.40	11.40
P.M.	11.35	392.3	.. Stirling 127 ..	11.20	11.20
P.M.	11.50	400.2	.. Wilson ..	10.50	10.50
P.M.	12.05	411.5	Ar LETHBRIDGE Lv	10.20	10.20

1950 train schedule

## Southwest Corral Cleaners



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## COMING EVENTS

B is for bundle of joy. Join us for a **baby shower** honouring Melissa (Manley) & baby, Silas Bechtold, **Monday, September 26**, 7:30 pm in the Church of God basement.

Some things get better the older they grow,  
Antiques, Wine and SOMEONE Special we know.

Please join us for a **Come and Go Tea** as  
Saloma French turns the big 8.0!!!!

**Saturday, October 1st, 2016** from 2:00-4:00 pm  
at Whiskey Creek, 937 13th Ave. S.W., Medicine Hat, Alberta

Everyone is welcome to the **Reno Multiple 4-H Club Re-organizational Meeting** on **Monday, October 3rd** at 5:00 pm at the Consul School. Beef project offered for sure. Many other projects to choose from! Check out the Saskatchewan 4-H website at [www.4-h.sk.ca](http://www.4-h.sk.ca) to see what else there is. If there is interest in new projects, please contact Heidi Beierbach before the meeting. Leaders for those new projects will be required as well. For more info, please contact Heidi Beierbach at 306-299-2058.

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The Southwest Community Club will hold their annual **Bingo and Bake Auction** at 7:30 p.m. on **Friday, October 14th** in the Govenlock Hall. Doors will open at 7:00 p.m. Lunch will be served and the winning ticket for the quilt that is on display at the Credit Union will be drawn.



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SAVE THE DATE and MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

**Saturday, October 29th, 2016**

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**Terry Fox Run** will be **Friday, September 30th** at 9:00 a.m. Everyone is welcome!  
**Magazine Drive** will kick off **Tuesday, October 4th**.

Check us out on the web to access the latest school newsletter and to see everything going on around Consul School! Go to [chinooksd.ca](http://chinooksd.ca) and select Consul School in the menu under 'Schools'.

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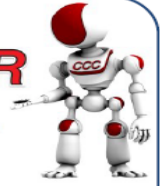


*our precious baby girl*

Born June 18th, 2016  
4lbs 13.8oz ~ 18 inches  
Welcomed with love by parents,  
Monty and Pamela Stokke, and  
big sister Savana and big brother  
Chase.

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Cost is \$145 for Adults, \$120 for Children (under 18). Price includes game ticket and a seat on the bus. **Deadline to purchase tickets is September 29.**

To reserve your ticket please call Stephen Behrman 299-7700 C, 299-4450 H. Tickets are selling fast so don't wait and be disappointed.

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The next Reno Reader deadline is October 10th at noon.

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Thanks to everyone who brought their children in over the summer. If you have not collected your "prize", please stop at the library and pick it up.

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Fall hours start on September 23 - December 16 inclusive. The library will be open on Mondays and Wednesdays at the regular time of 1:00-4:00 pm, and Fridays will now be open from 9:00 am until 3:00 pm.

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*Linda Brown*  
Branch Librarian



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*October 10, 2016*



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