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#### METEOROLOGICAL

Toronto, Feb. 6-8 p.m.-A depression of some importance is centered tonight over Southern Dakota, and high pressure covers the Northwest Territories, accompanied by cold wea-ther. Snow is falling locally in Mani-toba; elsewhere in Canada the wea-ther is generally fair. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 38-46; Barkerville, 12-28; Calgary, 2-10; Qu'Appelle, 8 below-2; Winnipeg, zero-22; Port Arthur, 12 below-22; Parry Sound, 12-28; Toronto, 16-34; Ottawa, zero-20; Montreal, 8-14; Quebec, zero-14; Helifox, 22-28 14; Halifax, 22-36.

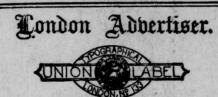
Local temperatures: The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory on Tuesday, Feb. 6, were: Highest, 30° above; lowest, 12°

Today sun rises at 7:25, sets 5:37; moon rises 11:32 a.m., sets 2:07 a.m.

#### The Divine Flower

CARNATION-is now in its glory. Come in and

GAMMAGE & SONS, Dundas and Clarence.



-Mr. James M. Hickey, Grafton's local manager, is in Dundas today. -Miss Merritt Riddle, of this city, is risiting her grandmother, Mrs. George Brady, Kingston.

—A sitting of the minth division court was held yesterday by his honor Judge William Elliot.

-The ladies of the Askin Street Methodist Church held a Red Cross sewing bee yesterday afternoon. -Messrs. R. R. Bland and S. K. Davidson will represent the Western Art League on the Western Fair As-

-Mr. W. J. Swaisland, of Glencoe formerly of this city, will succeed Mr. T. S. Petrie in the Traders' Bank, Guelph. The latter has been transferred to Arthur.

-The school room of St. John the Evangelist's Church was the scene of a merry party on Monday evening. The young women of the congregation from the church free of charge. responded to the invitation of the Dorcas Chapter to spend a social time with them. Games were the chief feature of LTTEDE EDAN proved to be the favorite. The meeting dispersed at a reasonable hour after singing "Auld Long Syne."

-A special session of the police court was held yesterday afternoon for the convenience of the parties concerned in an assault and damage to property case. The complainant was William Griffin, of William street, and William Rose and George Humphrey were the defendants. Humphrey's wife died some time ago, and he made arrangements with Mrs. Griffin to care for his youngest child for \$1 a week. He also left some furniture at Griffin's. cently the arrangement has been un-satisfactory, and the child was taken away. Griffin wanted to hold an organ as security for \$5 worth of clothing bought for the child. The result was a squabble, in which some of Griffin's furniture was smashed. The case was adjourned until Thursday. Mr. Essery represented the plaintiff, and Mr. Mc-Evoy the defendants

ABERDEEN CARNIVAL

A carnival was given at the Aberdeen rink, at the corner of Hamilton road and Adelaide street. The rink was de-Durdin, royal prince; second, John Bryce, prince; third, Richard Leathorn, colored gent; extra, Zackie Pickworth, royal page. Others in costume were: Arthur Moore, Indian; Sam Cook, tramp; Howard Bryce, Indian; Frank Ellis Ragtime Jimmie; Isaac Ford, ragtime lady; Nat Johnson, hobo; Tom Maitland, colored tramp; William Godwin, tramp; Harold Bowles, sailor; Herbert Phillips, postman; Charlie Watling, Mephisto.

"WHO IS RIGHT?"

Guelph Mercury: Mr. J. H. Aiken, of Cape Town, South Africa (London, Ont., pro tem.), has again visited ness in South Africa for the past fifteen years. He is the pioneer Canadian importer of typewriters, bicycles, furniture, books, etc., in that country, with head office in Cape Town, Cape Colony, and branches in Durban, Natal; Johannesburg, Transvaal, and with agencies in all parts of the sub-continent of Africa, including Rhodesia and the Portuguese territory. Probably no living Canadian or Englishman has traveled more extensively throughout the whole country. Mr. Aiken is a man of great intelligence and keen observation, an' excellent talker, and is thoroughly posted on every feature of thoroughly posted on every feature of the sand as a state of the s South Africa and all South African questions. While in Canada a few years ago he was induced to give a series of lectures on "Life in South Africa,"

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and in Toronto, Ottawa, London, Windsor, and, in fact, most of the leading towns in Ontario, he spoke to crowded and delighted audiences, and received the most flattering notices from the press of those cities. Although Mr. Aiken only arrived from South Africa on Jan. 13 of this year, he has already given several lectures to crowded houses, and he has now arranged for a series of lectures object. ranged for a series of lectures, choosing the subject which fills the house and holds his audience, namely, "Briton or Boer: Who is Right?" ANNIVERSARY ENTERTAINMENT.

The anniversary entertainment of the First Congregational Church attracted a large number of the pupils and their friends to the church last night. Tea was served in the basement from 6:30 to 8 o'clock. The teachers had invited the little ones from the Protestant Or-Miss Mabel Pink were the accompanists. Among the numbers were an instrumental by Miss Bessle Goodwin; recitation by Laura Dixon; drill by girls, with Miss Stoneman as director; recitation, Miss Clara Metcalfe; song, Miss Gussle Graham; violin solos, Miss Hay: recitation Edith Johnston, in Hay; recitation, Edith Johnston; instrumentals, Mr. E. Moule; dialogue, "The Days of the Week," by seven girls of Miss Emery's class; drill, by Miss Moule's class; instrumental, Miss Miss Moule's class; instrumental, Miss Nellie Moule; dialogue, by a number of boys and girls, directed by Miss Crossin; solo, Miss Inga Anundson; recitation, Mrs. Herbert J. Emery; duet, Misses Williams and Brown; recitation, Miss Webb; and a drill and chorus, "Soldiers of the Queen," by sixteen uniformed boys, directed by Miss Marion Porteous. The street

Life With the First Canadian Contingent at the Front.

The London Boys in Good Health and Good Spirits-The Raid on Sunnyside.

Mr. Wm. H. Chapman, of 400 Queen's avenue, on Monday received the following letter from his son Harry, formerly of the postoffice staff, who is with the first Canadian contingent at the seat of war:

Belmont, S. A., Dec. 30, 1899.

Dear Folks at Home,—Christmas has come and gone, and with it no letter from home. You cannot tell how disappointed I was when the mail was appointed and only one letter for me corated with Chinese lanterns. The all sorted and only one letter for me, crowd was fairly large. Those who re-crowd was fairly large. Those who re-read all you send, and you can send some papers, too, for some of the boys get them right along. Run the chances

of them reaching me safely. Christmas here was very dry and quiet, so much so that you would not think it was a Christmas at all. But for the extra rations, we should have forgotten it altogether. I suppose you wonder what we had to eat, and how

it was prepared.

Well, in the first place, we had beef, turkeys, chickens, ducks, cabbage, onions, parsnips and "spuds." These were put in one large kettle together, and boiled to a finish; then we ate the mixture; so when we ate a piece of chicken, we could taste everything else, and the vegetables the same way. Guelph. Mr. Aiken has been in busi- For dessert we had apricots, plums bananas, pineapples, and last, but not least, plum pudding, such as it was. It was not the kind mother used to make, but the kind Belva [his sister] could make; yes, and with her eyes

It would make you laugh to see how we devoured everything in sight. Our table was the ground, our tablecloth a blanket, and our knives and forks our dirty fingers. We enjoyed the novelty as well as the food, or nearly so. sists greatly in the digestion of food, and our stomachs would be so surprised that we would have to take stimulants or quack medicine to assist in diges-tion, but we came through the ordeal O. K., none the worse for the experi-

My health is good, so are my appet-ite and spirits. All the boys are feel-

ite and spirits. All the boys are feeling good.

Charley Redge had a letter from his folks, and they said they were going to come down and see you. Have they been down yet? I hope Leslie Barton comes over to see you often. Give him my respects. Also to the Saunderses. I have written both of them. I have written the boys in the office, and several friends in Woodstock. eral friends in Woodstock.

I am now occupying the position of regimental orderly mail clerk. I have a little postoffice all to myself, screened off in a small room, with about 40 little boxes behind me. I sleep right where I work, so that I can rest more comfortably

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AT SUNNYSIDE.

Lieut. Reginald Temple, of Toronto, an officer in B Company of the First Royal Canadian Regiment, in a letter to his father, Dr. J. A. Temple, writ-ten on the return of the Canadians from their raid on the Sunnyside laager, on New Year's Day, says: "In the fight one of our chaps was wounded in the leg, but he did not report it. Moving into action, we were in a perfect hail of bullets, so God must have been with us. One fell just behind me, and as one of the men pointed this out, another struck directly in front of me. We took fortyfour prisoners and from 90 to 100 refugees. Lieut. Adge, of the Queenslanders, who was killed, had four bullets through him, and of the Queenslanders two were killed and two wounded. On New Year's Day we marched from 6 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. on a biscuit and a cup of water. Our mouths and lips were cracked with the sun."

A FALSE ALARM, Pte. Chester McLaren, writing to a friend in the city on Jan. 4 says: "Our boys are all in good health and spir-its. Notwithstanding our hard tack food and hardships I have gained 12 pounds phans' Home and the Children's Aid in weight, and now turn the scales at Society's shelter, to join the festivities, and won their hearty gratitude for the kindly way in which they were treated. A musical and literary programme was rendered in the church, with the superintendent, Mr. Alf Anundson, as chairman. Mr. W. A. Bleuthner and Miss Mabel Pink were the accompanthe hills, and as we did not have our clothes off for a week, we thought we could safely take them off and have a good sleep. We all retired early, and stacked our rifles, and were just getting in our best licks, when the color-sergeant opened our door and called us to get out immediately. 'Don't say a word or light a candle.' You can imagine the pickle we were in. Our clothes got mixed. I got the boots belonging to my next bedfellow, and got the right boot on the left foot, We could not find our own rifles, and you can imagine what we looked like. But we got out and away to the fortifications, only to remain and find it was all a false alarm. So in future we will always sleep in our clothes.

#### PTE. McMURPHY HAPPY.

The following are extracts from a letter received from Pte. A. McMurphy, of the first Canadian contingent, B company, by his parents in West London, and dated Belmont, Jan. 4, 1900. "On Sunday night 300 New Zealanders, 200 Canadians (of C, G and H companies), 200 Cornwalls, with two batteries of artillery, left camp to aters about twenty miles from camp, and they licked them badly, only losing three men killed and eight Canadians wounded. Our company was not in the engagement, although we are all anxious to have a shot at the Boers. It is nice weather here now, although very hot in the day and cold at night. I am getting used to it now, and do not find it disagreeable. We have lots of fun out here, but of course I would rather be at home, although I am not at all sorry I came. I would not have missed it for anything. I have seen, since I left London, the sights of a lifetime. We get very good eatables here, and there is no kick in that respect. The only kick we get is when we go to get ostrich feathers, and get a punch in the 'slats' from the birds. it is, from the mules braying. There have been no very important battles time you get this, perhaps two will have been fought, and the officers say that if all goes well we will leave here to be home in June. It is also reported we are going to England, and will stay there about two weeks. Say, I am going to have my picture taken, and

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am going to send one home, but it is not likely you will know me, for I have whiskers two inches long, as we do not shave. A. Burwell, J. Hyman, S. sympathy of a host of friends in this shave. A. Burwell, J. Hyman, S. Crockett, E. Taylor and the rest of the boys, I believe, are all well. When you write send me some writing paper, as I can't get any here. We have plenty of envelopes, but writing paper is very scarce. You will find enclosed a Kruger coin. You must write soon and send me newspapers. Remember me to all inquiring friends. From your "R. C. R., South Africa."

CANADIANS WERE COOL. Mr. John Weaver, of Wellington street, has received from Private G. Woodliffe, a member of the first Canadian contingent, a box containing e number of interesting relics, that he picked up near Belmont. lection includes dum-dum bullets, and many regimental decorations belonging to the Gordon Highlanders, and others. Writing about the raid on Sunnyside
Pte. Woodliffe says: "The Canadians
were very cool under fire. When they
got up to the top of the kopje, some of our boys found a barrel of water and stopped to take a drink. But a volley from the Boers caused the boys to drop behind the rocks. They pulled the barrel down, and after getting a drink got up and went down at the Boers with right goodwill. It was an awful

MAJOR STEWART GOES TO CAPE , TOWN.

The Montreal Star's correspondent with the first Canadian contingent in South Africa, sends the following: Belmont, Jan. 6, 1900.—All well among the Canadians. Sergt. Macbeth and 12 men of B Company, es-

among the Canadians. Sergt. Macbeth and 12 men of B Company, escorted the 42 Boer prisoners to Orange River yesterday, handing them over to Major Cartwright, who is acting as staff officer at that point."

"Regimental orders yesterday announced that Capt. Weeks had been appointed regimental quartermaster. Major Denison still fills the position of camp quartermaster. In tonight's orders it is announced that Capt. Stuart, of B Company, will proceed on Monday to Cape Town, to relieve Lieut. Layburn, who has been in charge of of B Company, will proceed on Mon-day to Cape Town, to relieve Lieut. Layburn, who has been in charge of the small contingent left at the base ever since the regiment landed. Lieut. Layburn will return to the regiment. It is not yet known who will succeed

### Obituary.

Capt. Stuart in command of B Com

pany.'

MRS. CATHARINE D. POWELL. Many readers of The Advertiser will regret to hear of the death of Mrs. Catharine Dunn, wife of Mr. Michael Powell, of No. 644 King street, who passed away very suddenly at 1:45 yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Powell had been ailing for two or three weeks, but her death was totally unexpected. At the hour referred to Mrs. Powell was sitting up, and had just been speaking to her husband, who stepped to her side to adjust her pillows, when he noticed a sudden change in his wife, and almost instantly she passed away. Medical aid was sought, but proved of no avail, heart failure having caused her death. Mrs. Powell, who was born in Templemore, Ireland, and married in 1853, came London with her husband from Malta, and they had lived in their King street residence for 33 years. Deceased was a devout adherent of the Roman Catholic Church; she was a faithful and fond wife and mother, a kindly neighbor, and her many estimable traits of character won for her the affection of a wide circle of friends. Besides her bereaved husband, Mrs. Powell leaves piles. Then Bucklen's Arrica Salve two daughters and four sons. The family includes Miss Mary Powell, at home; Mrs. (Dr.) J. J. Roach, Bennington, Mich.; James and Michael, at T. Strong & C.

A St. Thomas Lady in May, '97, Told How Doan's Kidney Pills Cured Her of Backache and Made Her Strong and Healthy.

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statements made by Mrs. E. W. Trump, of St. Thomas, Ont.
The first of these, made May 10, 1897, is as follows: When I commenced taking Doan's Kidney Pills I was sick and miserable with severe pains in my back and kidneys. I was also very weak and nervous. Since using these pills the pains have been removed, my nerves have been strengthened and good health has been restored to me. They are a splendid medicine for kid-

ney troubles of any kind. The second statement which we give below is of a recent date, and shows what splendid health Mrs. Trump has had since Doan's Kidney Pills cured her over two and a half years ago. "Over two years ago I wrote telling of the cure made in my case by Doan's Kidney Pills. At the present time I am enjoying the very health, sleep well, eat well and my old enemies, backache and kidney trouble have never returned. Instead of misery and a broken down constitution, I have for the past two years enjoyed a fresh sense of the and beauty of life."

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