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METEOROLOGICAL

Toronto, Ont., Dec. 25—8 p.m.—The weather has become unsettled in Ontario, attended with light snow falls, and colder conditions are now generally indicated from the lakes to the Atlantic. In the territories and Manitoba the cold has moderated. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 42-46; Kamloops, 26-36; Calgary, 16-32; Qu'Appelle, 12-36; Winnipeg, 16 below-12; Port Arthur, zero-18; Parry Sound, 24-32; Toronto, 26-34; Ottawa, 28-34; Montreal, 30-34; Quebec, 30-34; Halifax, 36-42.

Local temperatures, Tuesday, Dec. 25: Highest, 30; lowest, 19.5 degrees.

Today (Wednesday) the sun rose at 7:50 a.m. and sets at 4:46 p.m. The moon rose at 10:32 a.m. and sets at 10:22 p.m.

London Advertiser.

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A LOCAL BUDGET.

"Yule's come, and Yule's gane,
And we hae feasted weel;
Sae Jock maun to his flail again,
And Jenny to her wheel."

—Mr. Arthur Wilson, of the Bank of Toronto, spent the holiday here.

—Mr. and Mrs. R. Farrel, of this city, spent Christmas in Brantford.

—Mr. W. A. Thompson, of Texas, is visiting friends at his home in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. B. Merritt, of Chatham, spent Christmas in this city.

—The only offender at the police court yesterday was a drunk. He was allowed to go.

—Captain and Mrs. White, of Detroit, are guests of Mr. Joseph Smith, of Princess avenue.

—Miss Annie Alexander, of this city, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Geo. Geddes, at St. Thomas.

—Miss Ada C. Hodges, of the staff of the West Side Hospital, Chicago, is home for the holidays.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Savage, of this city, were at Brantford on Monday on their way to Waterford.

—Miss Mabel Bennett, of Chatham, spent her vacation with her cousin, Miss Flora Merritt, in this city.

—Police Magistrate Morrison, of Ingersoll, spent Christmas with his daughter, Mrs. W. L. Underwood, this city.

—Mr. John Bray, of the Bank of Montreal, spent Christmas with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Bray, at Chatham.

—Mr. Andrew Lamb, of the A. K. Melbourne Company, Hamilton, spent the Christmas holidays at his home in this city.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jewell and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jewell, with their families, are holidaying with their parents in this city.

—Mr. Harvey Farrington, of Norwich, purposes taking a course at the military school here during the early part of the new year.

—Mr. J. F. Sherlock, of South London, has been in Ingersoll, where he purchased Mr. Jas. Davies' bay pacer, for which he paid $200.

—Mrs. Clara Barnes-Holmes, the popular contralto soloist, of Buffalo, N. Y., who has delighted so many audiences in London during the last five years, will sing at the regular monthly organ recital to be given by Mr. Hewlett in Dundas Center Church on Thursday afternoon next.

—Mr. R. H. Welburn, electrical superintendent of London street railway, was the recipient on Christmas Day of a valuable pipe and a box of choice cigars from the members of the car barns staff. Also from the power house staff, another pipe, silver-mounted, accompanied with a nicely-worded address.

—Special Christmas services were held at St. Paul's Cathedral, the Memorial Church and Christ Church, yesterday by the rectors. Rev. C. H. Yatman addressed a meeting at the First Methodist Church, reciting various incidents of his evangelistic trip around the world. There was a good attendance.

—Mr. F. James Lowry, of Maymore, Killyleagh, county Down, Ireland, second son of the Rev. Mr. Lowry, 317 King street, this city, arrived home Christmas morning after an absence of nearly eight years, in response to a cablegram sent him some time ago, calling him home to see his mother, who is lying very ill at her residence. He sailed on the steamer Vancouver, which reached Portland on the 23rd, having made the voyage in about ten days.

—Toronto Mail: The marriage of the Rev. Donald Macdonald, principal of St. Andrew's College, to Miss Parfitt, of London, will take place in Montreal on Wednesday, Dec. 26. The ceremony was arranged, when it was hoped that the bride's brother, Dr. Parfitt, formerly of Toronto, who is now at Saranac, would be able to be present, if it were held in Montreal. Unfortunately, however, his health has not been so good during the last week, and it is now feared he may not be able to take the journey after all.

BLAZE IN A PAWNSHOP.

The firemen were called to a small blaze in the pawnshop of Jos. Fox, King street, last night. Some curtains near a stove became ignited. Damage $5.

GOOD SKATING.

The skating rinks were largely patronized yesterday. The cold snap made the ice excellent. Music was furnished the skaters at the Princess Jubilee and Westminster rinks.

JUDGMENT GIVEN.

Police Magistrate Davidson, of St. Thomas, has delivered judgment in the charge against Duncan Campbell, of reckless driving and maliciously damaging the wagon of George Gill, of this city, by colliding with him on Kain's Hill. The magistrate imposed a fine of $1 and $15 for damages.

FARMERS' INSTITUTE.

The East Middlesex Farmers' Institute will have meetings in January, 1901, at Lambeth and Ilderton, on the 16th and 17th respectively. They expect excellent meetings. The delegation consists of Dr. Mills, of the O. A. C., Guelph, and Mr. W. N. Hutt, Southend, a specialist in fruit-growing questions. Messrs. W. E. Grieve, of Wilton Grove, and James E. Orr, of Tempo, will assist at Ilderton, and Messrs. Thomas Knapton, of Masonville, and T. B. Scott, of Vanneck, will assist at Lambeth.

VETERINARY ASSOCIATION.

The annual meeting of the Ontario Veterinary Association was held at Toronto on Friday, Dec. 21, and was opened by Mr. W. J. Wilson, V.S., of this city, who gave a short and interesting address. The usual routine of business was then called for. Some new members were elected. A committee on the revision of the bylaws was appointed, and the meeting adjourned for luncheon. After luncheon an animated discussion took place in connection with some alleged violation of professional ethics, in which many members participated. Cases of interest were described and discussed; also the pathology and therapeutics of some well-known diseases, on which different views may be held, and the meeting adjourned. The following is list of officers appointed for the ensuing year: H. S. Wende, president; J. H. Tennant, London, first vice-president; W. Steele, second vice-president; C. H. Sweetapple, secretary-treasurer; directors, F. G. Hutton, J. H. George, J. Wagner, W. Shillinglaw, F. J. Gallanough, W. Lawson, D. H. McMurty and S. E. Boulton; auditors, C. Elliott and J. H. Reed.

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THE JOYOUS HOME-COMING

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thoughts, and through many weary nights have cried to God that he would hold his hand as a shield over you and keep you in the darkness of the night, the storms of battle and the troubles that have beset you. I hold it as a direct answer from God that you have been brought back to us in peace and safety. We desire to thank him for his gentle mercy in watching over you by sea and by land. In the great war in which you have taken part, he shielded you when others were laid low. One thousand may have fallen at your side and ten thousand at your right hand, yet death had not come nigh you, for the great arm of God was strong to protect you.

"It is a good thing to give thanks unto God and to show forth his praise. This Christmas morning we wish to lift up thanks to God the Father for his mercy and goodness to you and to us all.

"The empire is grateful to you for your noble answer to the call which came to you. The nation rises to thank you and to say that it is proud of its sons, who, at the call of Queen and country, left home, with all its tender associations and memories to go forth and fight the battle of the nation. From our beloved Queen on her throne to the humblest subject the empire is proud of you today. We thank God that we can grasp your hands and welcome you back to your native land.

"We have followed you with our deepest prayers, we have heard of the trials you have borne so bravely, we know of the dangers you have faced so unflinchingly, and today we rejoice in the goodness of God to you all.

"In conclusion, let me entreat of you that you let your gratitude to God show forth in your lives, that you give yourselves up to God and lay your homage and faith at the feet of him whose birth we commemorate today, and who died to make us free. May God's gracious aid be with you and the sunlight of his grace rest upon you now and forever."

PRAYER AND PRAISE.

The bishop's remarks were followed by the reading by Dean Innes of a prayer of thanksgiving for the return of the soldiers. Col. Buchan and Capt. Carpenter were then asked to step into the chancel while the grand old Christian hymn, the "Te Deum," was sung. Its solemn words and triumphant strains rang through the cathedral and found an echo in every heart. Another hymn of thanksgiving was sung and then came the climax of the service. The National Anthem was announced, and probably never in London has it been rendered with such soulful fervor as it was yesterday. There was not an individual in the vast congregation who did not know and love the words of the national air, and as the united voices took up the strain and rolled it heavenward in a flood of sound, the effect was indeed magnificent and inspiring.

GREETING THE HEROES.

The service of welcome was over, and the congregation filed slowly out. Egress was of necessity slow, for the exits were blocked with crowds of people eager to see and welcome the returned warriors. Many affecting scenes marked the meeting of friends and relatives. Here an aged father kissed his brave son, there a stalwart giant clasped the little mother in his arms, here again a circle of admiring youths raised their returned comrade to their shoulders and carried him through the crowd to a waiting hack. The escorting companies were formed up and marched off, the crowds slowly dispersed homewards, and one by one the heroes of the day were led away to the enjoyment of a Christmas dinner very different indeed from that of a year ago, when sand formed one of the principal ingredients of the meal, when one rib of a chicken was considered a large share, and when each man's share of plum pudding was, as one expressed it, "About as big as a glass alley and nearly as hard."

Lieut-Col. Buchan.

Lieut.-Col. Buchan, the gallant gentleman from this city who shared the honors of the command with Col. Otter, and who won the affection of every man in the regiment, was met yesterday afternoon by an Advertiser representative. He had just issued triumphant from a struggle with the nearly forgotten intricacies of civilian's dress.

"I've just got into this suit," said the colonel laughingly. "I've almost forgotten how to put it on. It's a welcome change, though, after living in khaki for fourteen months."

IN OLD LONDON.

Speaking of the welcome accorded them in England, he said: "It was a remarkable and wholly unexpected demonstration. Lord Roberts led us to believe that after the march-past in Pretoria was over, and we had started for home, we would go to England, and right on to Canada. We believed that there would be no formal reception. Well, when we got to London, you know what happened. They simply overwhelmed us with kindness. Right from the Queen and the Prince of Wales down they all tried to make us enjoy ourselves as much as possible. I thought they were overdoing it, but they all seemed to think that we had done something to deserve it. One ovation followed another until we were simply tired out. There was absolutely nothing that was too good for us.

IN LIVERPOOL.

"The same thing happened in Liverpool. When we left London, we thought that we would go straight from the Liverpool station and go on the ship. When we got off at the Lime street station we found the streets literally packed with people. It was estimated that there were at least a quarter of a million people on the streets. They all had flags and were cheering and waving and blowing horns, just like the people here did today. We had four or five receptions before we reached the boat. It was simply indescribable. When we got on the ship we found that it would not be able to sail until Wednesday. That left us there all day Tuesday. The enthusiasm was wonderful, when a Canadian walked along the streets a cheering crowd would follow him. If an officer stopped on the street to look in a window, a crowd would gather that would block the street and stop the traffic. Everything was free to Canadians. Some of the British officers warned us of the trouble we'd have getting the men on the ship. When a British regiment embarks they generally have to take the men down in carts. We didn't have the least trouble. Although everything was free to our fellows, they were remarkably well-behaved. In fact, only two or three needed any help at all when they were getting on the boat.

LEAVING LIVERPOOL.

"When we started down the Mersey another wonderfully enthusiastic demonstration occurred. The docks were crammed with people, waving and cheering. All the ships in the place were decorated. Whistles were blown continuously, and when we were finally off, the ships, with thousands of people on them, followed us down the river. It was simply overwhelming, and more particularly since we didn't expect anything of the sort. All we had known of it was that the lord mayor had telegraphed to learn when we would arrive."

THE GORDONS.

Referring to South Africa, Col. Buchan spoke of the Gordon Highlanders. "We rubbed elbows with them," he said, all through the campaign. They were our best chums in the imperial service. Fine fellows they are, too. It was natural that we should be so friendly. We landed at the Cape on the same day, they were sent up the country the day before we were. Then we caught up to them. We were together off and on all the time after that. When Gen. Roberts' famous march was planned, we were brigaded with them in the 19th, under Smith-Dorrien. We were the two regiments that were first suggested for the charge at Kimberley. We were chosen, as you know, and the Gordons supported us.

A MATTER OF MEN.

"They were good-sized chaps, but they didn't have the physique of our men. I offered to wager once with a British general that the Canadians weighed heavier and had higher average height than any other imperial regiment, not even excepting the Household Guards. I am sure I'd have won it, too. For all that, I don't consider the large man the best soldier. The smaller chap is quicker and more active and doesn't expose so much surface to the enemy. If I had to choose a regiment again, I'd take men not over 5 feet 10 inches. The six-footer isn't in it with a smaller man."

ILLNESS AND WATER.

"You were not ill yourself, were you, colonel?"

"Not a day. Never had a scratch of a wound, either. I attribute my health in a measure to the fact that I refrained as much as possible from using the bad water out there. The stuff the men had to drink was awful. It was putrid. When we were bivouacked beside the Modder there was a freshet. The next morning we counted 172 Boer corpses floating in the river, and carcases of horses, oxen, sheep, goats and other animals without number. The men had to drink that water. It was thick. The men were told not to drink it unless they boiled it first. An order like that was no good. They couldn't boil it. There wasn't anything to boil it with. It was a barren country there, no trees or anything, hardly, that would burn. I have seen men fight, actually fight for a fence-post, a thin stick that holds up a barbed wire fence, and carry it all day so as to have something to boil the water or cook anything they might get to eat.

THE PRESENT UPRISING.

Col. Buchan said of the present uprising: "I consider it simply an effort to cause the disloyal inhabitants of Cape Colony to rise. That was the original intention, but it failed then. Now Dewet and Botha are making a last effort. They are all desperate now. They are outlaws. Their farms are gone. Their business is spoiled. They don't know where their women are, so they have decided to fight. They have no other way of making a living. I believe that it will last six months yet."

The appreciation they had received both in England and at home made up in his opinion for all the dangers and worries of the campaign.

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Notes of the Reception.

The St. Thomas men went home on an M. C. R. special. They dined with Col. Stacey.

The soldiers brought back many interesting souvenirs, both of Africa and England.

Nearly all the soldiers donned their civic suits as soon as possible after getting home.

Ptes. West and Turner unfortunately missed the train, the former in Montreal and the latter in Toronto.

The turnout of citizens was fully as large as that on the occasion of the departure of the first contingent on Oct. 25, 1899.

Sergt. Gorman, Ptes. Johnston and McMillan, of Sarnia, went straight through. They were cheered heartily by the crowds at the station. Mr. Harry Gorman, sen., was on the train with his son.

Christmas dinner at Wolseley Barracks was delayed long enough to allow the returned members of No. 1 company to enjoy it with their comrades. It was an especially merry Christmas feast.

Of those who returned yesterday, Sergt. Sippi, Pte. Wheatcroft and Pte. A. H. Cole were wounded in South Africa. A number of the others were missing for some time, and several were sick, though not very seriously. In fact, those who came back were for the most part the men whose physical condition had allowed them to go all through the campaign.

The members of the Oregon Club seized Pte. Bert Cole as he left the church and carried him to the waiting carriage which contained his father and mother.

TRAGEDY IN CHATHAM.

Patrick Kennedy, Who Has Relatives in Detroit, Is the Victim—Murder Suspected.

Chatham, Ont., Dec. 26.—The bruised body of Patrick Kennedy, of Bothwell, was found on the ice on the River Thames on Sunday.

The finding of Kennedy's coat on Bathe street, containing a letter addressed to his daughter, Nora Kennedy, Bothwell, has raised suspicion of foul play. The coat is said to bear blood-stains, and a theory advanced is that the man may have been attacked and robbed, as he was known to have had considerable money, and none was found in his pockets. It is presumed Kennedy was rendered unconscious, and upon recovering wandered in the dark towards the lighted streets on the opposite side of the river. This may account for his being on the ice. Kennedy was 40 years of age and a widower. His daughter lives at home, and a son is employed by a brother of Kennedy's in Detroit.

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