

17 Not very cold Mr F-B Withins family came to
 Clayton to say Tenders for the Mearns School house
 for the sum of \$597.00 Tenders to be opened at noon to day
 19 Yesterday very fine to day soft, Braiden of Carleton got
 contract of School at \$550.00 20th fine day. 21 22 Soft raining
 finished Craigs Cow house. 23 working at Robert Afflecks.
 raining in the forenoon and freezing in the afternoon.
 24th working at Robert Afflecks very stormy at night. 26 Yesterday
 very cold. working at Hugh Bowlands. 27 & 28 working in the
 Shop heavy fall of snow. Mrs George Mansen died
 29 very cold Brother James came down and brought sisters Cathrine
 and Marion with her lly and Ullick and Vessie. 30 still cold
 working in Shop. Francis Timms went home to night with Charles Hinton
 Robert Affleck and Estella was down to night. Feb 4th still cold
 5th at Almonte present day 12 pleasant weather David Boyl.
 died yesterday morning at 6 o'clock 13 William Kemp Buried
 to day very soft and rainy. 14 David Boyl buried to day
 16 pleasant stormy at night 17 18 19 very pleasant