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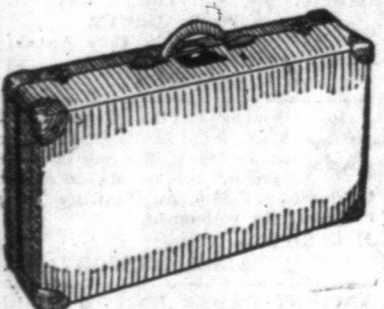
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Shareholders' Meeting
The annual meeting of the shareholders of the Chatham Hodge Fence Company, Limited, will be held in the Company's office, Chatham, Ont., on Jan. 22nd, 1902, at 1 p. m., for the purpose of receiving the report of directors and auditors for the past half year, election of the directors and auditors, passing by-laws and general business.

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GREETED BY BIG HOUSE

Presentation of Opera "Said Pasha" was Enjoyed by Immense Audience.

Delightful Production in Which Young Chathamites Distinguished Themselves.

Chatham is one of the most musical cities in Ontario, and that the music rendered by her amateur artists is fully appreciated was plainly evinced by the exceedingly large crowd which attended the Opera, "Said Pasha," which was put on at the Grand last evening by the Chatham Amateur Opera Company, an aggregation of singers, including some of the most promising of Chatham's soloists.

This company is under the management of R. Victor Carter, of the Krause Conservatory of Music, who is to be very heartily commended for the success which has crowned his efforts. During the time Mr. Carter has been here he has been the means of providing some excellent musical treats for all lovers of the art in the Maple City, and for this the people should feel highly grateful. Already this year he has succeeded in bringing here two of the finest musical concerts ever given in our city—Camello Urso, and the Welsman-Yunck recitals.

The house last evening was literally packed to the doors, and those who attended had no reason to feel the least disappointment at the performance which was given.

E. J. MacIntyre, as Said Pasha, was the star, and he is certainly deserving of the greatest of praise for the able manner in which he handled this heavy part.

T. G. Stegmann, as Hassan Bey, an officer of the Turkish Patrol, was also exceptionally fine, and performed his part faultlessly.

James Rhody, as Terena, the Mexican Nobleman, performed and sang very acceptably.

Hadad and Nockey, Ross Ball and Harry Scott, were the comedians of the evening and were really funny, keeping the audience in peals of laughter during the entire time they were on the stage.

F. W. Plewes and E. G. Sutherland, the Commander of Altara, and Troubadad, Sergt. of Patrol, both performed their parts very successfully.

Among the ladies were Miss Allie Humphrey, as Serena, Miss Edith Dolsen, as Altie, Queen of the Altara, Miss Reva Stegmann, as Balah Sojah, Altie's Stepmother, and Miss Florence Stephenson and Miss Effie Quinn, as Semer and Punza, Altie's attendants.

Miss Humphrey made her debut as a young singer, her reputation as a soprano soloist is well established and her work last evening was well up to the standard.

Miss Dolsen made her debut as an operatic singer and created a most favorable impression. She is possessed of a rich, full, mezzo-soprano voice of exceeding sweetness, large range and great power, and which she knows well how to use. From the first notes of her solos last evening the audience was wrapped in the greatest of attention and she was obliged to respond to repeated encores.

Special mention should be made of the manner in which Miss Stegmann performed her part. She had an exceedingly hard role to play, but she interpreted it intelligently and well.

Misses Stephenson and Quinn are also deserving of encomiums on the pleasing manner in which they fulfilled the obligations of their parts.

The opera was complete in three acts, all of which were of a very enjoyable character, the actors succeeding in holding the interest of the audience until the fall of the curtain on the last act.

The play will be repeated on Friday evening. The following is the cast:

Said Pasha, a Turkish diplomat—Mr. E. J. MacIntyre.
Hassan Bey, officer of Turkish Patrol—Mr. T. G. Stegmann.
Terena, a Mexican Nobleman—Mr. James Rhody.
Hadad, an adventurer—Mr. Ross Ball.
Nockey, his companion—Mr. Harry Scott.
Rujah, commander of Altara—Mr. W. F. Plewes.
Officers of the Indian Government—All Musfid—Mr. J. W. Mann.
Musfid Ali—Mr. Nelson Emery.
Plain Musfid—Mr. Clarence Terry.
Troubadad—Mr. E. G. Sutherland.

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Serena, Pasha's daughter—Miss Allie Humphrey.
Altie, Queen of the Altara—Miss Edith Dolsen.
Balah Sojah, Altie's stepmother—Miss Reva Stegmann.
Semer—Miss Florence Stephenson.
Punza—Miss Effie Quinn.
Chorus of Turkish soldiers, sailors, Indians, natives, Mexicans and grand ballet, etc.
Ladies' Chorus—Misses Adele McLean, Margaret Staniewicz, Lizzie Smith, Mabel Tillson, Annie Bogart, Maud Holmes, Edith Baumann, Grace Jones, Edith Glenshaw, Mabel Bennett, Edith Eberts, Effie Eberts, Edith Reid, Edith Daniels, Ruby Maggs, Pearl Maggs, Dora Weaver, Daisy Weldon, Edith Wildgen, Carrie Snell, Isabel Stewart, Alice Heath, Belle Baxter.
Gentlemen's Chorus—Messrs. J. W. Mann, Wm. Chrysler, Wm. McCaw, W. Houston, Jos. Robert, Alf. Wrigley, T. Poole, Clarence Terry, Ross Hicklin, E. Weldon, N. Emery, E. Kelly, Joseph McRomer, Wm. Rutley, Richard Paxton, J. W. Bowers, Frank Dunkley, H. Anquetil, A. Glassford, W. Head.
Terena's Attendants—Aileen I. Master Jas. Boyd; Aileen 2. Master Walter Peck.
Miss Nellie Rhody acted as accompanist in her usual finished style.

BOER ATTACK

Come Against British Post but Retire After Some Sharp Fighting.

Bloomfontein, Jan. 7.—A Boer force attacked a British post at Brand Drift near Thaba N'Chu. The post consisted of a sergeant and three men. The Boers, who numbered forty, rushed the post at night, shouting, "Don't shoot, we are Picher's men." The post was overpowered and stripped before assistance arrived. When reinforcements reached the place there was a sharp fight, in which two British officers were wounded. The Boers then retired, taking their wounded with them.

NEW BRIDGE OVER THE MODDER

A railway bridge across the Modder River is in course of construction. It is expected that the railway to Thaba N'Chu will be completed in six months, and that fifteen months will be occupied in extending the line to Ladybrand. Native labor, however, is scarce.

NOW AGAINST NATAL

Cape Town, Jan. 7.—Instead of making peace the Boers have apparently resolved upon a continuance of the war, directing the operations, principally against Natal. They say that the British have destroyed their country, and they have nothing now to lose. Mr. Kruger possesses no influence with the Boers in the field. A certain number may surrender, but the mass are determined to carry on the war to the death. De Wet has supplied the key-note of the resistance. The Boer plans include a descent on Natal through the Drakenberg. De Wet is to be the chief actor in this move, and Botha is to co-operate from the north. Swazi duplicity has resulted in arms, ammunition and correspondence from Europe getting across the border, and the enemy is well mounted and provisioned.

A PERIPATETIC GOVERNMENT.

Schalkbargher and Reitz continue aimlessly moving the peripatetic Government. The archives, which are contained in a Cape cart, are now in the neighborhood of Roos Senekal, to the north of Middleburg, with a small body-guard. Botha is supposed to be southeast of Ermelo, accompanied by about 800 Boers.

THE RECENT SUCCESSES.

In this district are due three facts, the excellent intelligence service, the line of blockhouses from here to Ermelo, and the fact that the columns having left everything heavy with the transport, have made rapid night marches.

District Chief Ranger Andrew Brown, of Dover, will install the officers of Court Hope, A. O. F., this evening, at 8 o'clock.

OFFICERS INSTALLED.

The following officers of Chatham Lodge, No. 29, I. O. O. F., were installed by D. D. G. M., S. McCormick: N. G.—W. G. Terry.
V. G.—C. A. Vanetten.
Rec.-Sec'y.—A. W. Gould.
Fin.-Sec'y.—F. M. Thompson.
Treas.—John McCorvie.
Warden.—H. W. Smith.
Conductor.—H. V. Cameron.
R. S. S.—H. Avichouser.
L. S. S.—W. H. Shepley.
R. S. N. G.—A. L. Heath.
L. S. N. G.—H. V. Cameron.
R. S. V. G.—J. A. Bradshaw.
L. S. V. G.—H. Garrett.
O. G.—J. Northwood.
I. G.—Harry Smith.
Chap.—Isaac Smith.

Hamilton Daughters of the Empire will take up a subscription for the purpose of keeping in proper condition the graves of the fallen Canadians in South Africa, and will send a box of books and other literature to the Canadian Mounted Rifles for use on the voyage to South Africa.

CARD OF THANKS.

To the Electors of Ward No. 2.
For electing me to the School Board by such a handsome plurality, I beg to return my most heartfelt thanks to all who so generously supported me and I trust that the great confidence that has been placed in me will be merited by the account I shall give of myself at the School Board.
Yours faithfully,
W. H. BENSON.

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PEOPLE HAVE SPOKEN BY THEIR VOTES

HARWICH.											
REEVE.											
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11—Total
Morrison.....	71	40	64	42	107	63	81	37	59	74	712
Young.....	59	47	23	39	56	58	23	84	54	47	324

COUNCILLORS.											
Buchanan.....	44	24	65	71	136	106	18	22	61	83	57—690
Bentley.....	7	7	49	29	69	58	3	5	51	80	98—457
Campbell.....	20	23	16	19	29	22	70	96	40	13	365
Langford.....	41	21	48	42	50	28	82	25	36	32	330
McCormick.....	89	65	52	62	61	82	28	78	74	59	611—641
Tole.....	17	7	21	41	78	64	6	20	28	56	29—367
Wilson.....	78	39	35	21	52	51	41	21	35	26	16—415

P. Morrison, Reeve.
C. Buchanan, J. McCormick, B. H. Bentley, M. J. Wilson—Councillors.

CHATHAM TOWNSHIP.											
REEVE.											
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10—Total	
Cunningham.....	95	47	131	67	88	48	58	103	59	62—758	
Abram.....	186	68	35	29	40	45	64	68	25	36—596	

COUNCILLORS.											
George.....	79	75	75	51	64	54	101	87	64	54—704	
Templeton.....	73	18	104	32	40	60	60	107	43	64—621	
Wickens.....	66	76	39	39	61	44	83	94	37	35—574	
Tompkins.....	156	36	60	57	40	25	26	29	22	64—515	
Stephens.....	77	41	56	67	90	24	28	12	31	71—497	
Stewart.....	164	38	79	19	44	18	25	26	17	23—441	
O'Neill.....	40	39	21	23	19	8	11	13	5	16—195	
Haviland.....	69	13	8	10	11	7	23	11	17	7—176	
Hazelton.....	0	8	6	6	0	19	6	14	12	4—75	

RIDGETOWN				
FOR MAYOR.				
Wards	1	2	3	4—Total
W. B. Graham.....	48	68	83	50—249
R. W. Wilson.....	48	47	78	75—248

FOR COUNCILLORS.				
Geo. Hunter.....	59	69	95	59—282
R. K. Lowthian.....	46	63	48	39—196
A. Long.....	18	19	41	62—140
Dr. Delaski Marr.....	43	55	90	60—248
John McPherson.....	25	56	31	16—128
William Regan.....	39	44	74	78—235
L. J. Rayercraft.....	55	77	116	78—326
David Simpson.....	39	42	78	51—201
C. West.....	37	31	37	32—137
John Wallace.....	22	23	59	46—150

Majority for Graham, 1.
The council will therefore be composed of the following gentlemen:—L. J. Rayercraft, Geo. Hunter, William Regan, Dr. D. Marr, David Simpson, R. K. Lowthian.

ROMNEY				
FOR REEVE.				
	1	2	3	4—Total
Fox.....	40	99	53	44—236
McLean.....	22	26	31	29—172

COUNCILLORS.				
Brown.....	47	32	38	23—158
Dawson.....	12	29	18	3—76
Edwards.....	34	31	23	37—125
Fatherston.....	18	60	33	51—201
Gahan.....	12	23	33	23—68
Goodson.....	1	6	17	12—36
McLean.....	25	88	43	16—185
Simpson.....	44	77	72	43—195
Wickwire.....	27	17	27	3—79

The four polling the greatest number of votes are elected.

TILBURY EAST.				
REEVE—FLETCHER.				
COUNCILLORS—				
Clark.....				
Graham.....				
Hope.....				
Cooper.....				

DOVER.				
REEVE—C. PURSER.				
COUNCILLORS—				
C. Wright.....				

BOTHWELL.				
MAYOR—THOS. HALLER, acclamation.				
COUNCILLORS—				
WALTER GOODYEAR, 72.				
RICHARD JOHNSTON, 71.				
GEORGE MAHLER, 62.				
CHARLES SIMPSON, 67.				
HENRY RICHARDS, 50.				
GEO. SWALLOW, 46.				
Henry Godding, 22.				

DRESDEN.				
MAYOR—ASA RIBBLE, acc.				
COUNCILLORS—				
JAS. BLACKBURN, 243.				
ELI WRIGHT, 255.				
R. McCONNELL, 163.				
T. M. STEEPER, 230.				
J. C. TASSIE, 259.				
D. A. WARNER, 179.				
R. P. WRIGHT, 214.				
W. WARD, 299.				
J. W. WARD, 85.				
J. W. Green, 82.				
School Trustee, Centre Ward—ROBINSON, 107.				
Jas. Houston, 35.				
St. Truette, South Ward—J. B. CARSCALLEN, 128.				
E. H. Dever, 28.				