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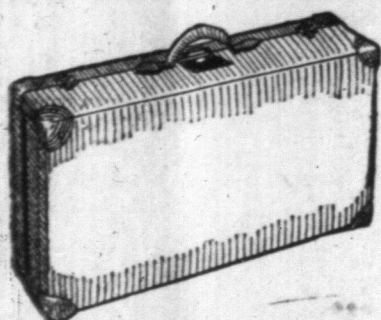
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IN CHATHAM

Consumers' Tobacco Company, of Leamington, are Anxious to Locate Here.

Leamington, Dec. 30. — Chatham will, in all probability, have the opportunity early in the new year of securing the tobacco factory of the Consumers' Tobacco Co., situated in Leamington. The directors have been contemplating a change ever since the natural gas supply failed and coal had to be substituted for fuel. Inferior shipping facilities is another reason given for removing the factory from Leamington.

"We are not satisfied with Leamington as a manufacturing town," said a director of the company to a reporter. "Coal costs 50 cents per ton more in Leamington than in Windsor or Walkerville. This is an important item, but the chief disadvantage is the poor shipping facilities. It frequently requires two weeks to get a consignment of tobacco shipped by freight to Toronto, and from 8 to 10 days is a common occurrence. When you consider that the trip may be made in one day, the poor service is more fully appreciated. The L. E. & D. R. is not altogether to blame for these conditions, for the larger railways always give the Lake Erie the poorest service."

"It is immaterial to our company whether we locate in Windsor, Walkerville, Chatham or London, when we finally decide to leave Leamington, it will be up to these places to offer inducements to secure the location of the factory. About 40 hands are employed at Leamington, many of whom are girls, and the annual pay roll will run nearly \$20,000 per annum."

DISTRICT DOINGS.

TILBURY

Dec. 30.—Miss Turner, of Dakota, is visiting the Misses Jardine, Tilbury North.

Miss Gertrude Clark, of Iowa, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Lumley.

There will probably be a hockey match at the rink here on New Year's Day.

Mrs. (Dr.) Macdonald, of Detroit, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Powell.

Mrs. Munro and family expect to leave this week to join Mr. Munro in Walkerton.

The Daily Planet is on sale at Johnson's Drug Store.

DRESDEN

Dec. 30.—Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Wells left this morning for a visit to Toronto.

Mrs. J. C. Tassie is entertaining a number of friends this evening.

The Misses Lawrence entertained a number of friends on Friday evening last.

A meeting of the ratepayers took place in the Town Hall on last Friday evening and was well attended. The question of the advisability of granting a bonus to a canning factory was discussed and the idea was favorably received. The by-law will be voted on on the municipal election day.

Mrs. M. Brien is visiting friends in Toronto.

Mrs. S. Shaw and cousin Miss Shain, of Toronto, who have been visiting relatives in Detroit, are returning home this evening.

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WALLACEBURG

Dec. 30.—Miss Maud Merritt, of Kingsville, is visiting her many friends in town.

On Monday, the fire company resigned in a body, but the fire is still kept in the engine and Engineer Little is ready for the first sound of the fire alarm.

A very large number attended the evangelistic services Sunday.

This, Monday night, the subject discussed will be the modern dance, Tuesday, the modern theatre, also a great watch-night service after the usual service; Wednesday afternoon the farewell service will be held.

Mr. Dennis Duggan, Jr., of Detroit, is spending a few days with friends in town.

Miss Keenan, of Windsor, formerly assistant teacher in the separate school here, is visiting Mrs. John Murphy, and other friends.

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S. S. NO. 1, HARWICH.

The young people of School Section No. 1, Harwich, have scored another triumph which should fill with pride the bosom of anyone belonging to that favored section. Such was the unanimous verdict of those fortunate enough to be present at their concert last Friday night. Long before the hour for the commencement of the concert the seating capacity of the large and commodious school building was taxed to its utmost, and ere the program began standing room was at a premium.

When the curtain rolled back, revealing the smiling countenance of Al-berman McColg, the genial and witty chairman of the evening, with a background of gorgeous and skilful decorations, the work of No. 1's expert stage

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dresser, A. R. Everett, and his staff of able assistants, the enthusiasm of the large and appreciative audience burst forth into rounds of applause. After a very brief speech the chairman announced the first selection on the program.

The pupils of the section, under the skilful management of the talented and energetic teacher, Miss Tena Houston, furnished the choruses, recitations and drills, which so delighted the audience. Among those claiming special mention were, the Highball duetting by the eight-year-old tot, Miss Fern Cameron, which was heartily encored; an oration by Thos. Lewis, which brought down the house, and recitations by Gracie Duff, C. Bateman and others.

Miss Houston's efforts were ably seconded by the Literary and Debating Society, a healthy and vigorous organization of which No. 1 is a proud possessor. This society presented two dialogues and a monologue, which were greeted with roars of laughter. The musical part of the program was splendidly rendered by Miss Allie Humphrey, Robt. Knight, the city's star tenor, Miss Swan, the rising young soprano, and Mr. Miller. The latter, as comic singer, had to respond to repeated encores. Miss G. Terry gave several excellent recitations, which were well received, while the exhibition of stick-twirling, given by Drum Major Moss, caused the wildest applause.

Miss Ethel McKerrall, the winner of the Krause Conservatory of Music scholarship, one of No. 1's most talented musicians, gave an excellent piano solo, while Misses Mary Peate and F. McGavin acted most acceptably as accompanists. The splendid program was brought to a close by the production of the thrilling historical tragedy, "Death of Thomas A'Becket," by the Harwich No. 1 Dramatic Club.

It is needless to say that it was a pronounced success. In fact, W. D. A. Ross, the manager of the club, has an offer for its reproduction from one of the leading city churches, besides several liberal inducements from outside points. At the conclusion of the concert the prizes and presents were distributed, including a beautiful and most valuable present from the school children to their teacher, Miss Houston, showing the high esteem in which she is held by them. The proceeds of the entertainment will be devoted to the interests of the Literary and Debating Society.

Miss Houston, the program committee and section generally should be congratulated upon the conception and successful presentation of such a splendid evening's entertainment, and it will only be necessary for No. 1 to mention the date of any future concert to insure a bumper house.

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BIG YEAR

Building Operations in the Frontier City Have Been Extensive in 1901.

Windsor, Dec. 30.—The building operations in Windsor for the year just closing have been the most extensive of any year in the city's history. Every carpenter and bricklayer has been given steady employment by the contractors and there is yet considerable work to do before a number of the buildings will be completed. It is estimated by the contractors that fully \$150,000 has been expended in the erection of new buildings and repairs to old ones.

Many of the buildings erected are of a substantial character and add to the appearance of the streets on which they are located. The business blocks are constructed of brick and iron and, owing to the rigid clauses of the fire by-law, the buildings are substantially fireproof.

Following is a list of the buildings erected and the repairs done in the city this year:

New Buildings.	
Armories.....	\$ 50,000
Penberthy Injector Co.'s factory.....	10,000
Davis block.....	8,000
Windsor Laundry building.....	5,000
Manning House annex.....	6,000
Lassaline block.....	6,500
Cruikshank terrace.....	7,000
Residences.....	20,000
Repairs.	
Hotel Dieu.....	5,000
Crawford House.....	10,000
Separate schools.....	7,000
Post office.....	3,500
Driving Park.....	2,000
Other repairs.....	10,000
Total.....	\$150,000

Theatrical

THE FLAMING ARROW.

Beautiful Western Drama—At the Grand To-night.

Princess Goo Won Gohawk, who takes the part of White Eagle, is an accomplished and refined Indian. Her bearing on the stage is superior to that of many actors with good companies. Among the Indians there are other noted characters. Chief Red Flash was a noted Indian runner and scout. Chief Ga Ne Gue was a famous Arapahoe brave. A number of the Indians are graduates from the Carlyle Indian school and are well educated. One of the features of the evening is the Indian brass band, composed of about ten of the savages, who discoursed beautiful music.

The stage settings are most magnificent, portraying in an excellent manner the picturesque western scenery.

THE 'HOTTEST COON IN DIXIE.'

In Chatham on New Year's for matinee and night. Nothing has been or will be overlooked in the expenditure of money to make the 'Hottest Coon in Dixie,' the best colored attraction on the road this season. The show will be dressed with immaculate care, and costumed to the extreme of perfection. Bob Kelly will still be seen in his old character, the production will still keep its reputation as to refinement and cleanliness. New up-to-date ideas will be interspersed, and will be a wealth of pleasing surprises and Ed. W. Cook, the manager, has always made it a point to try and secure the most popular entertainers of their race. The 'Hottest Coon' is a new path through the comedy forest from which bubbles nothing but originality.

'MAM'ELLE 'AWKINS.'

Grand Opera House, Saturday evening, Jan. 4th. Mr. Harry Wilson, the baritone of George R. White's comedians, now appearing in 'Mam'selle 'Awkins,' is a handsome and graceful young man of pleasing voice, and has come to the front as an "idol" of the matinee girls.

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Heavy swaths were cut in the stock during those final days up to Tuesday night, yet our assortments are still wonderfully complete. It was no timid stock to begin with. We expected you and you came, and here is every reason why you should come again, for all the varied wants that January cold will certainly bring to light. We are as ready as ever.

Might give you pages of interesting prices. Take this for summary; The wanted thing for man or boy to wear is here, the price is as close as it can be made consistently with a fair honest profit and if the purchase disappoints you on getting it home there's always this quick, cheerful remedy—money back.

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never were given in Chatham before every dollar's worth must go by first of January. Come with the crowd and save money, don't wait too long if you want to get your pick. Don't forget the place—

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Baldoon Street, North Chatham

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