THE CHATHAM DAILY PLANET

EDITORIAL.

MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE-

As Minister of Agriculture Mr. Clancy will put into force all the adwanted agricultural legislation and education promised under the ne clean and progressive government.

And the people of Kent will confidently petition the minister, their own member, to use his influence to have the new agricultural college erected in the Garden of Canada.

THE COMING CABINET

Compare a Provincial Cabinet consisting of Whitney, Meredith, Foy, Clancy, Robertson, Blake and Clark, with the men with which Ross has surrounded himself-and vote as your judgment guides in the interests of Ontario.

With such a cabinet as will sit in the new government what room will there be for the Sullivans, the Vances, the Lotts and others of that ilk ?

ROSS AND HIS CANDIDATE

weeks ago in which Mr. L. B. Labrosse defeated Hon. Mr. Evanturel by a large majority. Mr. Labrosse placed his resignation before the Executive and was willing to abide by their decision. After considering his resignation the vote was sixteen to four in favor of Mr. Labrosse." And, again quoting from the same Globe, in its account of the East

Wellington Liberal convention: "At this stage Mr. Carter said he had received a telegram from Premier Ross, and in response to requests he read the following mes-

"Sincerely hope convention will give Hon. Mr. Gibson unanimous mination. His services to the Government have been invaluable and are equally important at this juncture. I want him very much. George W.

"Dr. Johnston, of Fergus, said that in accordance with that telegram he did not think a ballot was necessary. They could give the no-

mination to Mr. Gibson at once. "I think we are here to choose our own candidate, not to have Hon. Geo. W. Ross choose him for us," replied Mr. Alex. Moyer, of Nicol Township: and, heeding the objections, the convention proceeded with the ballot without delay.

"The Chairman thereupon declared Mr. Gibson the candidate, but Mr. Halstead pressed his motion as one that would give better satisfaction, Mr. Gibson's name being the only one that had been prominently before the convention.

"Senator McMullin, of Mount Forest said they wanted to do whatever would best secure peace and harmony, while Mr. Dignam believed a second ballot would give a better confidence and Dr. Johnston thought they should unite for Mr. Gibson.

"It was then decided by a show of hands to have a second ballot. While it was in progress the candidates all retired except Mr. McKimmon and Mr. Gibson, Dr. Hamilton of Erin village, took occasion to say he thought the riding should be represented by a local man. They were not opposed to Col. Gibson personally, but there were local reasons why they should have a local man,"

And both these men are Ross ministers, "Hon." Mr. Gibson and "Hon." Mr. Evanturel.

In spite of Ross's telegraphic "insistence" the people of Prescott won't have Evanturel, and Gibson is practically forced on the opposing factions in East Wellington.

When the Ross ministers meet such receptions when they go back to their own constituencies-and remember the reports are both taken from the Globe-what are we to expect from the Province at large? Those who run may read,

******* Local Briefs ******

Percy K, Morley spent Monday in B. S. Sainsbury, of London is in the city,

W. J. Gibson, Toronto, is registered at the Garner,

T. C. McNabb has returned from a visit to Springfield. Office Boy Wanted—Apply to Wilson, Pike & Gundy.

Wm. Turnbull, of London, was a Maple City visitor yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. McVean, of Dresden, were in the city Monday. Mrs. Maggs, Joseph street, who has been seriously ill for some time, is

doing nicely. "Erminie" plan opens Saturday morning at 2 o'clock, First come, first served,

Mrs. E. J. MacIntyre left for Dresden last night on a few days' visit to her mother.

Guaranteed 25 years' perfect sewing—the handsome "White is King." Geo, Stephens & Co.

Dr. T. L. McRitchie, of McKay's Corners, was in the city yesterday on professional business. "Erminie" plan opens Saturday morning at 9 o'clock. First come,

When you want an artistic design, call up or visit Victoria Ave. Green Houses. Phone 181.

Judge J. L. Dowlin has fixed the date of trial of Leitch vs. John Mc-Vannell for Priday, the 16th day of December.

Nervous, irritable people are very trying to live with, we speak feelingly: to all such we recommend "The D & L" Emulsion. It is prescribed by the leading physicians and used in the principal hospitals.

Mrs. S. A. Ball, of Bethel, Maine, leaves to-day for her home after a pleasant visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Murphy, Head atreet,

Will C. Power, of Brockville, is registered at the Garner,

A Treacherous wind hits you in the back and the next morning you have lumbago. Rub often and well with Perry Davis' Painkiller, and you will be astonished to find out how quick-ly all soreness is banished.

Messrs. A. I. McCail & Co., are installing a new heating apparatus.

ALL YE

Who would choose your Christmas Present from a fine selection of DINNER

LAMP8 TEA GLASSWARE CHAMBER SETS

Call and see our assortments.

The goods are from the best house in Canada and are Al. We will give you back 8 cts. on every dollars' worth of Lamps. Chins and Glassware, until the lat day of January. 5 per cent. off all Dinner, Tos and Chamber Sets. Come early and secure your choice. The goods must be sold.

Talk Don't Count

It's the prices and quality that inter Fresh Soda Biscuits per lb

New Dates per lb.

Mixed Nuts per lb

Ginger Snaps per lb

4 lbs. Special Mixed Candy

3 lbs. Reyal Mixed Candy

3 lbs. new select Rainins

3 lbs. new Currants.

Lemon Peel per lb.

Figs per lb.

Please leave us your Christmas order. It hall have our prompt attention. John McConnell

PARK STREET.

CONGRATULATE COLLEAGUE

Members of Public School Board Pay Tribute to Herbert S. Clements

Dr. Mc Keough Presents a Complimentary Motion which was Unanimously Carried—Some Salaries Raised.

School Trustee Herbert S. Clements, the popular young M. P. for West Kent, received a very pleasing ovation from his feilow trustees at last night's meeting of the Public

last night's meeting of the Public School Board.

This is the first meeting which has been held since "Mr. Clements' election, and Dr. McKeough took admanage of Mr. Clements' presence to move, the congratulations of the Board to Mr. Clements on his splendidly won victory. In doing so he said:

said:
"I take advantage of the presence
at the Board of our new Member of
Parliament to move that the Board Premier Ross, the man who has been associated with Sullivan, Stratton, Vance et al, in the recent efforts of the Government to hang on to office, is meeting some difficulty with the people in his efforts to dictate the candidates for the various consistuencies.

His telegraphic "insistings" do not always work out as well as they did on the Liberals of West Kent and Ald McCoig.

It seems these telegraphic instructions are handed out peremptorily to the people of every constituency. West Kent is not the only one. We quote from the Toronto Globe, the chief Ross organ, off yesterday:

"The Liberal Executive of Prescott County met in session here today at the request of Premier Ross to consider their decision of a few weeks ago in which Mr. L. B. Labrosse defeated Hon. Mr. Evanturel by thanking the Roard for our new Member of Parliament to move that the Board of our new Member of Parliament to move that the Board of our heartiest constraints. While some of us may obtained to him their heartiest constraints. While some of us move that the Board of our new Member of Parliament to move that the Board of our heartiest constraints. While some of us move that the Board of our new Member of Parliament to move that the Board of our new Member of Parliament to move that the Board of him their heartiest constraints. While some of us may obtained by the problem of the problem. While some of us may obtained by the policial work and we cannot help out admirers of fair play, and we cannot help out admirers of fair play, and we cannot help out admirers of fair play, and we cannot help out admirers of fair play, and we cannot help out admirers of fair play, and we cannot help out admirers of fair play, and we cannot help out admirers of fair play, and we cannot help out admirers of fair play, and we cannot help out admirers of fair play, and we cannot help out admirers of fair play, and we cannot help out admirers of fair play, and we cannot help out admirers of fair play, and we cannot help out admirers of fair play, and we cannot

Mr. Clements replied briefly, thanking the Board for their kind sentiments.

There was a full meeting of the Soard last evening.

E. B. Arthur wrote applying for E. B. Arthur Wrote applying for the position of music teacher in the city schools. The new curriculum calls for the teaching of music. The matter was hid over until the next meeting R. M. Paxton reported that the managers of the Central school had purchased wood to heat the Central this year as it was found impracticable to use coal. Action confirmed.

Mr. Robertson moved that as a by. law to provide new heating systems for the schools could not be submitted this year, the committee on heatings be dismissed. Carried.

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Mr. Clements suggested that members of the Board should inspect the heating in the Windsor and Detroit schools, so that when the by-law is being prepared for a new heating system will soon have to be considered by the Board—they will know which system to recommend.

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Dr. R. V. Bray reported that the Central School staff had presented to the Board a piano, purchased out of the receipts of the recent school fair. The piano was gratefully received, and a motion was put, thanking the teachers for their excellent gift. The piano cost \$300. piano cost \$300.

The motion was carried amid en-thusiastic applause.

Miss Mildred Turner, of the Cen-Miss Mildred Turner, of the Central School Kindergarten, was granted a three months' leave of absence. The matter of arranging the work of the Kindergarten during her absence was left to the Kindergarten

sence was left to the Kindergarten committee with power.

Dr. McKeough then moved certain increases in the teachers' salaries. He felt that in order to keep our present staff of excellent teachers we must pay them good wages, and this was the general opinion of the members of the Board. The following were the increases made: he increases made:

Miss Hillman, from \$500 to \$550. Miss Trwin, from \$400 to \$425. Miss Green, from \$450 to \$500. Miss McTaggert, from \$350 to \$375.

Miss Abram, from \$800 to \$900.

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Miss Irving, from \$150 to \$500.

Misses Park, Angus, Hall and Abram will receive the customary increases of \$50 each according to the precedent established with Normal school teachers.

The Central School managers asked for a new gong for the school. Left to them with power.

Storm windows will be provided for the Central school kindergarten room, and certain minor improvements for McKeough school were left with the managers with power.

The Finance committee recommended the payment of the following accounts, which was adopted:—CENTRAL SCHOOL.

CENTRAL SCHOOL. Teachers salaries, \$578.71. Substitutes salaries, \$1.50. W. W. Snell, ianitor, \$41.66. A. Edward, \$22.92. A. Edward, \$22.92.
G. W. Sulman, \$10.75.
C. Austin & Co., \$3.03.
J. P. Taylor, \$3.00.
S. Hadley Co., \$1.85.
Central Drug Store, \$1.90.
Gas Co., \$16.15.
John R. Snell, \$13.25.
The News, \$12.00.
Miss M. S. McColl, \$18.83.
Dominion Express, 75c.
Baxter, printing, 75o.
Jos. A. Tilt, \$1.85.
McDonald, furniture, \$9.56.
McKeough School.

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Teachers salaries, \$329.38.
Substitutes salaries, \$3.00.
D. C. Clements, \$45.83.
G. W. Sulman, \$10.06.
C. Austin, \$5.50.
Central Drug Store, \$3.00.
Daily News, \$11,00.
KINDERGARTEN NO. 1.
Teachers salaries, \$102.50.
G. W. Sulman, \$2.98.
KINDERGARTEN NO. 2.
Teachers salaries, \$49.18.

Teachers salaries, \$49.16. G. W. Sulman, \$2.63. MODEL SCHOOL.

Miss S. C. Irwin, \$38.33. GENERAL ACCOUNT. Robert Park, \$100.00. Thos. C. Macnabb, \$62.50. James Birch, \$34.64.

Mooney did it

The Mooney bakery has doubled in size in the first year. The bakers are working night and day, the railroads are running extra trains, the grocery stores are busy as bees, and the whole nation is cracker-hungryall because cf

Mooney's Perfection Cream Sodas



FUEL ACCOUNT. Pere Marquette, \$136.50.
Thos. Morrish, \$44.00.
C. R. Hancock, \$27.65.
R. M. Paxton, \$3.00.
Daily News, \$3.12.
W. J. Moore, \$16.73.

TRUANT ACCOUNT. Baxter's Printing Co., \$2.0).
Grand total, \$1,760.10.
The following is Inspector Park's eport, which was adopted:

Chatham, December 5, 1904.
The Public School Board of the City of Chatham,
Gentlemen,—The following is a statement of the attendance at the public schools of the city of Chatham for the month of November, 1904.

McKEOUGH SCHOOL The following is the class, teacher, number of scholars enrolled, average attendance and percentage of atten-

Jance:
Jr. 1—Nellie Young, 69, 60, 87.
Jr.-Sr. 1—Ella Longwell, 51, 40, 79.
Sr. 1—Florence N.chol, 39, 33, 85.
Jr. 2—May Abraham, 43, 39, 91.
Sr. 2—Gertrude Holmes, 37, 34, 92.
Jr. 3—Kate Garrett, 38, 33, 87.
Sr. 3—Georgie Morrison, 42, 37, 88.
Jr. 4—Martha Irving, 41, 36, 89.
Sr. 4—Esther Abram, 40, 39, 98.
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Jr. 1-Edith Tackaberry, 59, 48, 80 Jr. 1—Edith Tackaberry, 59, 48, 80.
Jr. 1—Alice Mounteer, 57, 48, 84.
Jr. 1—Susie Barassin, 58, 48, 83.
Sr. 1—Lettie M. Thomson, 56, 46, 82.
Sr. 1—Bella Angus, 52, 46, 88.
Jr. 2—Ethel Park, 48, 40, 83.
Jr. 2—Jessie Snell, 45, 42, 93.
Sr. 2—Hattie Hall, 47, 43, 92.
Sr. 2—Ella Arnold, 50, 43, 86.
Jr. 3—Daisy King, 55, 50, 91.
Jr. 3—Marion McColl, 56, 47, 84.
Sr. 3—L. M. Gordon, 52, 46, 88.
Jr. 4—Alice Birch, 35, 31, 89.
Jr. 4—Laura Ryan, 33, 32, 97.
Sr. 4—S. C. Irwin, 37, 35, 96.
Sr. 4—Ida Hillman, 45, 40, 89.
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dance:
A. M.—Lily Green, 71, 53, 75.
P. M.—Lily Green, 57, 45, 79.
The following are the totals:
McKeough—400, 351, 88.
Central—785, 885, 87.
Kindergartens—178, 135, 76.
Totals—1,363, 1,171, 86.
November, 1903—1,323, 1,123, 85.
The eurollment for November is the same as for October. The average, however, is 33 less. The enrollment, however, is 40 greater than for November, 1903, and the average is 48 greater. A few cases of diphtheria and chicken-pox have affected the attendance somewhat, especially in the Kindergartens.

Gentlemen, Your obedient servant, ROBERT PARK, The Board then adjourned.

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contains all the tonic laxative principles of fresh, ripe fruits. Children, as well as grown folk, may get its mild, gentle action on stomach, liver and bowels, without fear of ill-effects resulting. AT ALL DRUGGISTS, 25C AND SQC A BOTTLE

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Better Values

Are to be had at Northway's, at any time, than you are likely to find elsewhere.

During this December Sale the values given are of more than ordinary interest. If you are a Cash buyer and anxious to do the most and best for your money, you'll not fail to visit the Busy Cash Store often during this month. Such values as these should bring you early and often.

We can save you 10 to 25 per cent. on choice furs during this month. If you have a fur need see our stock and our prices-they'll please you. \$2.50 to \$3.25 UNDERSKIRTS AT

Rich black and black and white, and mercerised safeen petticoats, beautifully made and finished with rufles, flounces, pleatings, cordings, tc., assorted lengths, regular \$2.50 o \$3.50 each; December price \$1.89

\$6.90 CRAVENETTE COATS AT

25 only; pure wool Cravenette Rain Coats, colors light and dark Oxford greys, made with capelets and belt-ed back, lengths 54 to 60 in., worth \$6.90 each; December price

40c. TABLE LINENS AT 29c. YARD-3 pieces heavy, half-bleached linen damask, 60 in. to 64 in. wide, in choice designs, fine, firm quality, ex-cellent value, regular at 40c yard;

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75c. AND 85c. TABLE LINENS AT 68c. YARD-Pure Linen, full 2 yards wide, heavy double damask, rich satin finish, pure grass bleach, choice designs, regular 75c to 85c a yard; Decem-

68c

\$1.10 TO \$1.20 TABLE LINENS AT 93c. VARD.

3 pieces fine, heavy, pure linen dou-ble damask, extra quality, full 2 yards wide, pure and black, regular value \$1.10 to \$1.20 a yard; Decem-

TABLE NAPKINS-About 25 dozen fine pure linen, satin finish, full size napkins, some slightly soiled but otherwise perfect, clearing at December prices

7c. LINEN TOWELLING AT 5c. A YARD-300 yards pure linen crash towelling, good, firm quality, regular 7c | yard; December price 5c

12 1-2c. PURE LINEN SCOTCH CRASH AT 9c. YARD-

3 pieces superior quality, pure lin-en Scotch Crash Towelling, 18 inches firm weave, regular 121-2c yard; De-cember price BLACK SATEENS AT 12 1-2c YD.

Rich heavy silky finish sateen, best black dye, full width, worth 20c yard, December price

Oc. SHAKER FLANNELS AT 7c. A YARD-900 yards fine, heavy stripe, shaker flannel, 32 inch wide, fast colors, a good 10c quality; at Desember price

FLANNELETTE BLANKETS 88c A Good quality, heavy fleecy finish, full size, grey or white, with fancy borders, December price a pair

TRA LARGE FLANNELETTE BLANKETS \$1.10 A PAIR— Heavy quality, soft fleecy finish, grey or white, with fancy borders, December price a pair

\$1.10 WHITE WOOL BLANKETS \$2.75 A PAIR-

Fine soft fleecy quality, heavy weight, size 60 inches by 80 inches, will not shrink, well worth \$3.25 a pair, December price PURE WOOL BLANKETS-

6 lb., 7 lb., 8 lb. and 10 lb. blank-ets, fine soft pure wool, large size, will not shrink, matchless values at December prices a pair \$3.40, \$4.00, \$4.50 and

RICH FRENCH TAFFETA SILKS AT 46c YARD-300 yards rich heavy pure quality black taffeta silk, 21 inches wide, best dye, bright finish, will not cut, worth regular 60c a yard, December

Dress Goods

25c AND 35c DRESS GOODS AT, 19c YARD-

14 pieces 42 inch tweeds, 48 inch Panama mixtures, 42 inch plain cloths in good range of colors, regular 25c and 35c a yard, December price

THOSE SKIRTS AT \$3.68-

You cannot afford to overlook them—beautifully tailored skirts in pure wool homespuns, frieze, cheviots, tweeds, venetians and new flaked mixtures, cut in very latest styles, prettily trimmed, colors black, navy, mid and dark greys and fancy mixtures, in good range of sizes, regular \$5.00, \$6.00, \$6.50 and \$7.50 each, December price cember price

LADIES' 35c. CASHMERE HOSE AT 25c. A PAIR-40 dozen pairs fine, pure wool, imported Cashmere Hose, plais or rib knit, seamless double heels and toes, best dye, regular 35c a pair; December price

LADIES' 25c. ALL WOOL HOSE AT

19c. A PAIR-10 dozen ladies' plain knit, pure wool hose, medium weight, seamless feet, sizes 81-2 to 91-2, regular 25c a pair; December price

121-2c., 15c., and 25c. RIBBONS AT 9c. YARD-About 40 pieces, in plain and fan-

cies, in almost every wanted shade, 2 inch to 5 inch wide, regular 121-2c to 25c a yard; December price

NEARLY TEN THOUSAND HAND-KERCHIEFS-RERCHIEFS—

Ready for the holiday trade, the greatest values in fine pure linen and Swiss lawn handkerchiefs we have ever shown, a saving of fully 20 per cent. on what you would have to pay elsewhere for equal quantities; the styles are the prettiest you will see this season; they are going quick at our special December prices, each 5c, 10c, 12 1-2c, 15c, 19c, 25c, 35c, 40c, 50c, 60c, 75c, 90c, \$1.00, \$1.25 \$1,50 and

STORES The NORTHWAY CO'Y; Limited TWO

ANNOUNCEMENTS. A Little Outcast-Dec. 8. Erminie—Dec. 13-14.
King Do-do—Dec. 17.
Citizens' Band Course—Dec. 19. Al. H. Wilson in "The Watch on the Rhine,"-Dec. 20. Alice Neilson, "The Fortune Teller,"

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THE STAGE

cortainly has always ex elid, These who saw her in "Barnes of New York" will remember that she made that diabolical "enfant terrible" Mand Charteris' the most taking bit in the play. Her work as "Bob" is said to be along different lines, and even better than her other roles, Many changes have been made in "A Little Outcast," new lines and characters added and marvellous stage effects introduced, and marvellous stage effects introduced, and marvellous stage pictures.

Township Clerk Anderson, of Comberging Was in town yesterday.

The rink will be flooded as soon as the weather is cold enough.

BLENHEIM

Dee. 7.—The At Home given last evening by Kent Lodge A. F. & M. No. 274, was one of the most enjoyable that has ever been held in the town. There were a large number

An electric launch is a novel fea-ture, and a fight in the water off ture, and a fight in the water off Government Pier is an exciting event. Miss Blancke is surrounded by a large company, which includes Edwards Davis, Joseph Smiley, Frederic Clay-ton, George Elmore, Antoinette Smart, Florence Elmore, Irene Meara, Little Naoni, and some 20 others. The famous original newsboy quin-tette is a special feature.

DISTRICT DOINGS.

Dec. 7.—The At Home given last evening by Kent Lodge A. F. & M., No. 274, was one of the most enjoyable that has ever been held in the town. There were a large number present, about four hundred invitations being sent out. The stage was prettily decorated with plants and Masonic emblems. The entertainer for the evening was Mr. Williams, of New Brunswick, who gave the scene from the Merchant of Venice, J. Whitcombe Rileg's Poems, and The Sleeping Car. The two latter renderings were highly appreciated by the audience. The local talent who assisted were the Misses E. L. Green L. Crookshank, M, and E. VonGunten and Mr. P. Haggart. After the entertainment refreshments were served. The At Home broke up about eleven o'clock, everyone going home highly pleased, thinking the Masons ideal hosts.

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R. Pegley has severed his connection at Mr. Geo. Bounsall's store.

Mr. Norsworthy, of Hamilton is visiting his friend Mr. O. Coburn.

Miss Florence McCullough, of Detroit, sang a solo "Plains of Peace" in Trinity church last Sunday morning. ing.

Hector Carmichael, of Jackson,
Mich., is visiting his parents.

GENERAL FEELING OF USELESSNESS

It Comes From The Stomach And Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets Will Cure.

It's not the pains and aches that are the worst feature of Indigestion and Dyspepsia. It is the general feeling of discomfort and uselessness. When the Stomach is wrong the whole body is wrong, because its source of supply is not working right, and the body lacks nourishment and dacks strength.

Put the Stomach right with Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets if you would do a good day's work and enjoy it. They never fail. Mr. Joseph Leake, 194 McCaul street, Toronto, says:

"I was troubled for three years with Biliousness and Dyspepsia, I tried many medicines, but none could cure me till I began to use Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets. They cured me. My daughter too was troubled with Headache and Dyspepsia, and Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets cured her."

Your stomach is everworked and needs rest. It will find the rest it needs in Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets.