evinced by all makes it one of the best features. Room One contains the Nature Study exhibits. Scores of neatly bound collections of well mounted

bound collections of well mounted and named plants cover the tables. Collections of insects also are a prominent feature, while a large case of live snakes, captured and cared for by pupils, was a special source of interest. The walls are hung with pictures of trees, birds and insects in passe-partout.

In Room Two is the school garden exhibit. This is vastly in advance of last year's exhibit. Every variety of vegetable is shown in abundance. Photographs of the various stages of progress in the garden are shown. There is also a fine flower exhibit transplanted from the garden on Raleigh street. One girl shows canned tomatoes grown there also. Several pupils show dressed vegetables, which make a very amusing feature.

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HON. DR. PYNE VISITS SCHOOLS

Mrs. Pyne, which was a point lace handkerchief, was made by Miss Marie Thibodeau, daughter of J. U.

Thibodeau, of this city, and Miss Nanno Hayes, of Peterboro. The Hon. Minister made a very fitting address to the scholars and teachers at the conclusion of the program. He thanked them most sincerely for the grand reception they had tendered to him. It was a surprise to him to be so well resurprise to him to be so well received, as it had come upon him so unexpectedly. He thanked the teachers for affording him the privilege of knowing what was going on in Chatham in an educational way and he would be pleased to carry back to his colleagues word of what it has been his privilege to see. He was sorry that he was the only member of the Cabinet who was fortunate enough to be present to see. ber of the Cabinet who was for-tunate enough to be present to see the beautiful Maple City. He was very glad to meet "The Pines" in Chatham and humorously remarked that he was unaware that he would find relatives in Chatham. He con-cluded by thanking the scholars and teachers for their excellent recep-tion.

The party then adjourned to the Garner House.

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Miss Ethel Wickham, of this city, left got Guelph this morning to spend her holidays with friends and

Minard's Liniment Cares Colds.

GREET CENTRAL SCHOOL FAIR

Continued from Page One. professor in a Toronto University ners would some day find the way to the top of any of the professions they may choose. He hoped the present medal win ners would some day find the wa

In announcing the Dr. Cornell medal at Mr. McCoig named it the Dr. Thornton medal. He was cvorrected, however, and replied humor ously-

"Oh, ves: the Lir Cornell medal You know I always have Dr. Thorn-to i in my mind. I met him many tines on the platform in my cam-paign and I have recollections of many hot shots from him."-Laugh

The T. W. Poile medal, for highest standing in Art, to Grace Arnold; and the H. D. Smith medal, for highest standing in 3 R's and Spelling, to Bessie Kerr, were then present-ed by P. H. Bowyer, M. P. P.

Mr. Bowver made an excellent address. He thanked the management of the Fair and the proprietor and editor of The Planet for the priveditor of The Planet for the privilege of being present. One of his chief pleas ires was to participate in the elegant recep ion tendered to Hon. Dr. Pyne. The Minister has made an excellent impression on the people of Chatham. I have always found him an agreeable, affable gentleman and easily approached. He is without doubt a man of promise and we will look to him to fulfil the promises he has made to day. The Central School, he thought, was fortunate in having as able a principal as is Mr. P.ewes; in fact, all of the schools in Kent enjoy excellent reputations, and by no means of the schools in Kent enjoy excel-lent reputations, and by no means least are those in Ridgetown. They have magnificent schools there, all of which send greetings to the Cen-tral. He hoped the Minister would some day see fit to visit Ridgetown. He also spoke complimentary words of the two inspectors. In East Kent Mr. Colles' visits were always looked forward to with pleasure East forward to with pleasure, East Kent claims the credit for owning the pupil who won The Planet Jun-ior Gold Medal—Miss Jean McGreg-

In presenting the silver medal to Miss Arnold, he said the pleasure was enhanced because the name is an honored one in Kent.

an honored one in Kent.

In presenting the H. D. Smith medal, he gave due praise to Mr. Smith, who, while in Ridge(own, took a derp interest in educational affairs, and he was pleased to see that he (Mr. Smith) is keeping up the good work in Chatham, Ridgetown suffered a severe loss in the removal of Mr. Smith, but Chatham made a great gain in securing him.

THE FAIR.

The first thought that strikes one is the very immensity of the exhibition. The basement is occupied by tion. The basement is occupied by the pet show and hundreds of neat-ly boxed pets afford a most inter-esting sight for the visitors. There are dogs, goats, cats, mice, rabbits, chickens and the genuine pleasure

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ing feature.

Room Four is the cafe, which is most beautifully decorated. It proved a most popular feature.

Room Three is fronted by the andy booth, where home made confections in pretry magual fraining, boxes were sold. This booth is lighted by furthers. Room Five is fronted by the pupils.

Room Five is fronted by the passepartout picture booth. The success of this sale is a repetition of last

Room Six is again occupied by the rom 35c to 5oc. kindergarten exhibit. Here the pro-gressive spirit of the kindergarten is shown, as the nature of the work is almost entirely different from last rom 30c. to 50c.

is almost entirely different from last year. The color scheme is green.

Room Seven has a fine exhibit of color work and drawing. The color scheme is white and green. An attempt has been made to have at least one piece of work by each pupil. The blackboards are filled with ambidextrous designs and sketches in charcoal and chalk.

The water color work is simply

charcoal and chark.

The water color work is simply wonderful. Several of the best pieces wonderful. Several of the best pieces are mounted and framed.
Room Right is decorated in red, white and blue. It contains a sample of writing by every pupil in the school on slates or paper. The spelling and exercise books are here plso.
Room Nine is used as a waiting

Room Ten is devoted to picture post cards with which the walls are covered. A stationery booth is situated here

Room Eleven is decorated in vellow and blue. Every variety of manual training work in paper, raffia, clay, reeds, cardboard and sewing are here in profusion. Daintily decorated lan terns are strung across the room and the whole scheme gives a most pleas-ing effect.

The whole of the south wing or

the second floor is occupied by the Art Loan. This alone is well worth a visit and deserves more than pass-ing mention. Hand painted china and ing mention. Hand painted china and valuable collections of curios fill several large cases. Historical needle work is displayed on tables while the walls are hung with a profusion of painting. Mr. A. M. Fleming has loaned all his work, which covers half a room. Messrs. J. P. Hunt and S. K. Davidson, of London, have each a whole wall of magnificent work. cent work,

BANQUET TO THE MINISTER

Continued from Page One. Board, and Drs. Galbraith, Dresden Board, and Drs. Galbraith, Dresden;
Langford, Storey and Hanks, Blenheim; J. C. Bell and C. B. Oliver,
Merlin; Fraser, Thamesville; Ingram, Dover Centre; Seighorn, Kent
Bridge; and J. L. Bray, LL. D., T.
K. Holmes, W. R. Hall, Fleming, McKeough, Charteris, Duncan, R. V.
Bray, Musson, C. Bell, Sullivan, J.
W. Rutherford, R. W. Rutherford,
and P. Miller, and Messrs. Stephenson. Truickshanks and Plewés. son, Truickshanks and Plewes. The chairman and toastmaster of

The chairman and toastmaster of the evening was Dr. R. V. Bray, president of the Chatham Medical and Surgical Society, and the speeches delivered at the close of the excellent repast were well delivered and enjoyably received. The chairman welcomed the guests on behalf of the Medical Society. He thought it an honor to preside as president of the Society over such a gathering. He referred in kindly and appropriate terms to the honored guest of the evening. He then took charge of the toast list, making a few appropriate remarks in introducing each toast. Dr. T. K. Holmes responded to the toast of "The Chatham Medical Men." He was preased to be present at He was preased to be present at the gathering, and particularly pleas-to be asked to respond to this toast. He was one of the oldest medical practitioners in Chatham and to set. He was one of the oldest, medical practitioners in Chatham and he always found the members of the profession in the city capable physicians, educated gentlemen, holding positions of trust and having the confidence of the public. He referred in kindly terms to the guest of the evening as a gentleman whom he has known for several years, able conscientious and approachable. Premier Whitney made no mistake in calling in consultation Dr. Pyne to take charge of the educational interests of the Province.

Rev. W. H. G. Colles, I. P. S., and Robert Park, I. P. S., responded to the County Educational Interests, and both acquitted themselves admirably, mentioning the aid given education by Kent County Council, this keeping Kent County schools at the head of the Province.

Dr. Pyne responded to the toast to Our Guest.

He expressed his gratitude to the Society for the splendid banquet and was pleased to meet so many medical friends, especially the younger members who passed through his hands, he being registrar of the college. He referred in high terms to Drs. Willoughby and Reaume, who are also members of the Cabinet, and went on to speak briefly on reciprocity between Great Britain and Canada in a medical sense and also interprovincial reciprocity.

Dr. W. R. Hall then took charge

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of the program.
Dr. J. L. Bray, LL. D., and Dr. Storey responded ably to the toast "The Ontario Medical Association," and Dr. Bray's speech was especially enjoyed. The doctor is a member of the Medical Council and dealt at some length on the reciprocity before re-ferred to. Canada received her share of at-

tention from H. S. Clements, M. P., while A. B. McCoig, M. P. P., and P. H. Bowyer, M. P. P., responded HOUSE WITH GAS. If you now use Gas for fue o the toast to Ontario.

After the toast to Ontario.

After the toast to the Press, which were ably responded to by Messrs.

S. Stephenson, of The Planet, and W. E. Cruickshanks, of the News, the meeting dispersed with "God Save the King."

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