

ALVINSTON

The regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held at the home of Mrs. Dan McKellar, but owing to the small number present no program was presented.

The local girls baseball team met the Napier aggregation on Friday evening and were defeated by six runs, the score being 29-23. The local girls were considerably handicapped in only having seven players.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Auckland and daughter Marion, spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. D. Tedford. Mr. and Mrs. L. Welch and family spent Sunday with relatives in Florence.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Warner of Chatham are visiting at the home of their son, John Warner, Church ave.

Mr. Clifford Jones of Detroit is spending a few days as the guest of his parents here.

Mrs. Bessie McVicar is holidaying at points on the St. Lawrence River.

Mr. and Mrs. John Campbell and children of Clachan, and Mrs. James Fisher and son Roderick of Whitla, Alta., spent Sunday at the home of W. J. Reader.

Messrs. Gordon and Glenn Shaw of Detroit returned home after spending the holidays at the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George Shaw.

Mrs. A. Luckham and daughter Lorna, of Glencoe, are visiting relatives in town.

Miss Margaret Sands is spending the holidays with friends in Napier.

Mr. Kenneth McEachern, of Detroit, is visiting at his home here.

Miss Grace Shaw, of Detroit, is visiting with relatives in town.

Mr. Ross McRoberts has returned home after spending the holidays with friends in Detroit.

Miss Effie McCallum is visiting with friends in Detroit.

Several from here attended the picnic held at Springbank on Saturday for the G.T.E. employees.

Mrs. (Rev.) W. E. Larter and daughter, Geneva, have returned after spending a few days as the guest of friends at Morpeth.

SEND IN THE NEWS

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SICK PEOPLE MADE WELL

CHIROPRACTIC ADJUSTMENTS
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MacLACHLAN CLAN

HOLDS BIG REUNION

Over 250 people were present at the reunion of the McLaughlin Clan all of whom were descendants of the late Hugh McLaughlin, who landed from Kilmartin Manse, Argyleshire, Scotland, and from whence the name of the settlement a short distance from the picnic springs. In addition to baseball games and other sports there were addresses from various members of the clan. Alex. Leitch read the history of the clan in which he outlined the accounts of various members of the family from the landing of Hugh McLaughlin to the day of the gathering. Nevin McLaughlin also gave a well-worded address. A musical program was also followed out with Henderson's Pipe Band, of London, and Sam and Dorothy Munro, London, loyally entertained the audience and were later assisted by home talent. Relatives from Detroit, Bad Axe, Calgary, London and local points began to gather shortly after ten o'clock and there was a continuous round of entertainment from then till well on into the afternoon. Persons, who had not seen one another for years, met and chatted over bygone days and in other ways the time passed pleasantly for all. Luncheon, which displayed a high calibre of culinary art, was prepared in the early evening and ample justice was done to the repast.

PLYMPTON

A number of gypsies are camping on the side road adjoining the Shane farm. By the number of horses and people it would appear they are holding a reunion.

A large number of farmers are in need of rain as water is scarce for the stock. The grain is all harvested and the ground ready for fall plowing.

Archie Dawson accompanied by Mr. McDonald, the ex-member from Chesley, is spending some days with his cousins, Archie and Alex Dawson of Plympton, also with his cousin, Miss Mary Dawson of Wyoming.

WANSTEAD

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Morningstar and Mr. and Mrs. A. Morningstar spent Thursday in Port Huron. Mr. Stanley Morningstar, Merlin, spent Friday at his home here. Mrs. Elma Ramsay and Miss Gladys Ramsay spent last week visiting in Sarnia.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Morningstar and daughter Jean motored to Lynbrook Saturday and spent over Sunday with Mrs. McKnight, who taught school on the townline a few years ago.

Chas. Patterson and Arthur Vickin left Wednesday for the West. The Wanstead Farmers' Club shipped two cars of hogs and lambs to Toronto Saturday. They will load again in two weeks.

Asthma Victims

The man or woman subject to asthma is indeed a victim. What can be more terrifying than to suddenly be seized with paroxysms of choking which seem to fairly threaten the existence of life itself. From such a condition Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy has brought many to completely restored health and happiness. It is known and prized in every section of this broad land.

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HOW T.B. MAY BE SPREAD

Careful Experiments Made With Cattle and Hogs.

Communication and Destruction of Germs—Not Blown About Like Fog or Vapor—Kept Alive in Manure.

(Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

At a conference of veterinarians engaged in the eradication of tuberculosis in live stock, held in Chicago, a valuable paper was read by Dr. Schroeder, Superintendent of the Bureau of Animal Industry at Bethesda, Md., who gave details of the results of experiments which he has conducted during many years on the subject of how tuberculosis is carried from one animal to another.

The first experiment he described was where two stables were used, designated T and H.

T. B. Germs Destroyed by Air and Sunlight.

Stable T held for six years a tuberculous herd of about 20 cattle ranging from cattle that were healthy to those that were in the last stages of generalized tuberculosis. Healthy cattle put into this stable contracted the disease very quickly, and deaths were not uncommon. In stable H a herd of 20 to 30 cattle were kept during the same time, but no case of tuberculosis developed among them. Men employed in stable T were not allowed in stable H nor were utensils used in T ever taken into H. Dr. Schroeder believes that this experiment confirms the research of various investigators to the effect "that we have no satisfactory reasons to believe that tubercle bacilli can retain their virulence long enough in tuberculous sputum or other substances to become pulverized sufficiently to be carried about by currents of air, and even if this were possible the germs would be so exposed to light in the minute particles which can float in the air that they would speedily die."

Germs Not Blown About Like Fog or Vapor.

Another experiment of a similar character was carried out on a two-acre field which had been divided into three inclosures, each containing a stable 16 feet square. The inclosures were designated A, B and



C. A was separated from B by a woven wire fence. C was separated from B by two lines of woven wire fence eight feet apart. Several tuberculous cows, some healthy cattle and some healthy brood sows were placed in stable B. Healthy cattle and healthy brood sows were placed in A and C. At first each inclosure had its special attendant but later one man was given the care of all of them, with the injunction that he should attend to the stock in the order of C, A, B. If it was necessary to enter A or C after having been in B, he was required to clean his shoes of manure. This experiment continued with the one man in charge for seven years. Inclosure B proved to be a dangerous place for both hogs and cattle. A few hogs in A contracted tuberculosis, but none of the cattle, and both hogs and cattle in C remained free. As a comment on this experiment, Schroeder says, "Tuberculous infection is a concrete thing, which is not blown from place to place like a mass of vapor or fog. There are many ways in which it can be transported, but they are simple, easily comprehended ways." This he showed by a third experiment. He had two pastures separated by a small woodland and a cultivated field. A stream flowed from one field called I to the other called E. A herd of tuberculous cattle was placed in I and a healthy herd in E. Several of the cattle in E contracted tuberculosis.

Healthy Cattle Contract the Disease by Contact.

Experiments regarding the danger of allowing healthy cattle to come into contact with diseased ones are quite impressive. Calves which nursed a tuberculous udder only once or were fed just once on tuberculous milk from a pail invariably contracted the disease. Schroeder has two records of healthy bulls contracting the disease while serving tuberculous cows, but none of healthy cows contracting the disease during service by tuberculous bulls.

T. B. Germs and Manure Piles.

Dr. Schroeder closed his paper with this significant statement, "Tubercle bacilli have been proved at the station to remain alive and virulent in a manure pile, some distance below its surface, for a period upwards of six months, but they will not stay alive, in stables or elsewhere, unless they are protected by opaque masses of some kind against the action of the light."

Dehorn cattle on any fine dry day when flies do not abound, but not in very hot or very cold weather. The operation should not be performed when a cow is advanced in pregnancy. It is best done after she has recovered from calving.

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