

State Board of Health

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Scarlet Fever Prevention

Scarlet fever is, just now, somewhat more prevalent than usual for this time of the year. It is quite natural for us to ask ourselves what can be done to prevent it. The most effective means of preventing the spread of scarlet fever rests with the parent. If all parents would but take a minute each morning to look at their children, particularly their noses and throats, and inquire as to how they feel and would keep them away from other children whenever they have such symptoms as a sore throat, headache, nausea, watery or inflamed eyes, a spotted or "strawberry" tongue, or a rash, much would be accomplished in preventing the spread of not only scarlet fever but other communicable diseases as well. Practically all of us know this but how few practice it is evidenced by the number of children who are sent home from school every day with one or another of these symptoms suspicious of a communicable disease.

The Dick Test is a skin test, very similar to the Schick Test is diphtheria, which will determine whether or not a child is likely to contract scarlet fever if exposed to it. The result of the test is observed or "read" twenty four hours after it has been given. A negative Dick Test means that the child has protection and is not likely to contract scarlet fever. A positive test, of course means that the child is susceptible and therefore likely to contract the disease if exposed to it. In general a rather large number of children under ten years of age will be found susceptible to scarlet fever and a smaller number.

There are two kinds of protection which can be effected, passive and active immunity. Passive immunity is short time protection used only to protect the child who has been exposed to the disease. It lasts but a short time, probably not over two weeks. Passive immunity against scarlet fever may be effected by convalescent scarlet fever serum or by scarlet fever antitoxin. Active immunity means

long time protection. From three to four weeks must elapse after the last dose has been given before protection is fully developed. Since not all children are susceptible to scarlet fever the Dick Test should be made before attempting active immunization and obviously the child to whom Dick toxin is given should be re-Dick tested, a month or more after the last dose has been given, to determine whether or not protection has been effected. Dick toxin is given in either three doses, given ten days or two weeks apart, or five doses given one week apart.

No matter what protection you afford your child, don't let him go to school or play with other children when he has any symptoms which are suspicious of a communicable disease.

FARM REMINDERS

Out of more than 4000 samples of farm drinking water that have been analyzed by Oregon State college during the last few years, more than one-third have been found to be polluted more or less seriously. Samples properly submitted are analyzed free by the bacteriology department of the college.

As a result of activity among Oregon county agents in work in connection with orchard and small fruit soil management during 1929, more commercial fertilizer is being used profitably than ever before, and unwise use of commercial fertilizer has been practically eliminated.

Before treating any seed potatoes, it is always best to run them over a slatwork working table or rack and discard all tubers which are bruised, cracked or show any evidence of decay, says the Oregon experiment station. Any sprouts which have started are removed at that time.

Successful marketing of spring lambs means that they are sorted for tops at least four times.

Farm Topics Regular Feature

Regular farm programs twice each day except Sunday are included in the schedule of KOAC at Oregon State college. A news digest from the Morning Oregonian, and market and weather reports are given at noon from 12 to 12:45 o'clock. Talks on farm problems are included in the evening programs from 6:30 to 7:30 o'clock in addition to market and weather reports, and news items from the Oregon Journal and associated press dispatches.

Mist

Mr. and Mrs. John Devine and children were over from Clatskanie visiting his brother Grover, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. McGee had Sunday guests from Birkenfeld.

Mr. and Mrs. James Jones and children were up from the Fish Hawk visiting relatives.

Elmer Christiansen came up from Astoria, Thursday for a few days visit with the A. K. Melis family.

Mrs. A. Dowling and son Bernard were business visitors in Clatskanie Thursday.

Ruth and Grace Carmichael were shopping in Mist Saturday.

Mrs. Buckley and Mrs. Rachiel from Vernonia were visiting their mother one day last week.

Mrs. G. Devine was a Clatskanie visitor last Friday afternoon.

Robert Shields drove down from Cottage Grove last Wednesday to take his mother, Mrs. Shields and brother James back to their home at Cottage Grove. They have been visiting her daughter Mrs. G. Devine for the past month.

Mrs. Niel, Miss Hilts, Miss Taylor and Miss Krauss, Vernonia teachers were afternoon callers Sunday at the J. E. Knowles home.

Funeral services were held in Vernonia Sunday for Grandma Haycox, who passed away at that place at the home of her grand daughter last week, a short reading was given at the grave here where she was laid to rest beside her husband who preceded her several years ago. We all join in extending our sympathy to those left to mourn.

J. E. Knowles was a Vernonia visitor one day last week.

Mrs. Geo. Taylor is up and around again after being confined at home a couple of weeks with measles.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Haycox and daughter, Mrs. Johnson came down from Portland to attend the funeral of his mother Sunday.

HOME POINTERS

A few bits of sapolio run through the food chopper as though grinding food will sharpen the knives when dull.

An oil fire can be extinguished with salt, flour, meal, sand or gravel but water will only spread it.

Scalding hot compresses can be wrung out without burning the hands if they are laid lengthwise in the center of a towel and the ends of the towel twisted in opposite directions.

Copper and brass vessels may be brightened by using vinegar and salt in the water in which they are washed.

Many families spend far too little time on the planning of purchases and far too much worrying over how to pay the bills. One cure for this is a well-planned budget, strictly adhered to.

Many housewives can save time and effort when cleaning by sweeping all the rooms at one time, and when dusting all at one time, to avoid handling tools and equipment several times.

The evening dessert can often be cooked and watched while the luncheon or breakfast dishes are being washed, thus allowing mother more free time in the afternoon.

Oiling of detour along Pacific highway between Medford and Phoenix completed.

Hood River—Contract awarded to L. C. Baldwin, on bid of \$58,498, for construction of a packing shed for Apple Growers' association.

St. Helens—Streets in this town will be improved.

Scappoose

P. T. A. FINAL MEET

P. T. A. Entertained By the 4-H Club

Scappoose Parent Teachers' members were entertained by 4-H club classes at the final meeting of the year last Friday evening. Eleanor Bryant and Melba Boyd of the Girl's Cookery club demonstrated making of palatable milk shakes before the audience.

Philip Frakes and Sonny Rainey recited suitable poems regarding the value of milk. Miss Nettie Alley, county health nurse gave a twenty minute talk on milk and dairying.

During the business meeting Miss Vera Price, teacher of the second grade was presented with a picture, "Innocence," as a reward for the second grade room which won most members in the membership drive. The following committee chairman were appointed for the coming year:

Program, J. G. Watts and Mrs. McPherson; membership, Otto Peterson; hospitality, Julia Miller; library treasurer, Helen Johnson; Americanization, Mrs. A. R. Davis; 4-H clubs, Otto Peterson; summer round-up committee to function; service shop, Vera Price.

Following the program the Boys Cookery club served milk shakes with cake, the hospitality committee assisting.

Former Resident Honored

Rev. Vernon W. Cooke of Peoria, Ill., has been elected moderator for the state of Illinois, to begin his duties at once. Rev. Cooke is a son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Watts of this city.

Home From South America

Mrs. Watts Price of Buenos Aires, South America, is visiting relatives in New York, while enroute to Nebraska, where she will visit her parents. She will proceed with her small daughter from Nebraska to Oregon, to spend several weeks with Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Price.

Give Special Program

A special program and noon day luncheon was given by the Lavendar club of Apple valley to its members and their mothers on Friday at the home of the president, Mrs. J. T. Bennett.

Maupin—Plans under consideration for establishment of football and baseball field.

Sheridan—Civic Improvement club improved city park.

Yashats—Construction of the Roosevelt highway south of here progressing steadily.

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J. E. Tapp, W. M.
J. B. Wilkerson, Secretary.

WOMENS RELIEF CORPS
Meets third Thursday of each month at the I.O.O.F. hall.
Mrs. May Mellinger, president.

NEHALOM ASSEMBLY NO. 18 ORDER OF RAINBOW FOR GIRLS
Regular meeting second and fourth Mondays.
Margaret Nelson, Recorder

Order of Eastern Star
Nehalom Chapter 153, O. E. S. Regular communication first and third Wednesdays of each month, at Masonic Temple. All visiting sisters and brothers welcome.
Mrs. Gwladys Macpherson, W. M.
Mrs. Grace Reberger, Secretary.

American Legion
Vernonia Post 119, American Legion. Meets second and fourth Tuesdays each month, 8 p.m. Connie Anderson, Commander. P. Hughes, Adjutant

Mountain Heart Rebekah Lodge No. 243
No. 243, I.O.O.F., meets every second and fourth Thursdays in W. O. W. hall, Vernonia. Visitors always welcome.
Marie O'Donnel, Vice Grand
Edna Linn, Noble Grand
Myrtle John, Secretary.
Della Cline, Treasurer

Pythian Sisters
Vernonia Temple 61 meets every 2nd and 4th Wednesdays in W.O.W. hall.
MARJORIE COLE, M. E. C.
DELLA CLINE, M. of R. & G.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS HARDING LODGE 116
Meets every Monday night in the W.O.W. hall. Visiting brothers welcome.
James Nanson, C.C.
U. A. Scott, K.R.S.

I. O. O. F.
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