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Russell

The local achievement day of the homemaking club unit of Junior Institute work of Russell was held at the United church hall under the leadership of Mrs. Leonard MacEwen.

The 12 girls who completed their sewing course displayed dresses, sewing baskets, duster bags and record books. Annette LaPlante, Louise LaPlante, Edith Sullivan and Ethel Sullivan presented a skit. Dress prizes were awarded to Elizabeth Rankin, Faye Stephenson and Donna MacArthur. Other sewing prizes went to Georgina Gamble, Louise LaPlante, Donna MacArthur, Annette LaPlante and Mabel Thompson. Prizes for record books went to Ethel Sullivan, Edith Sullivan and Georgina Gamble.

Judges were Mrs. A. Shelp, Mrs. R. M. Warner and Mrs. L. M. Shanks.

Mrs. William Hume gave a talk on garden brigades. Marion Gilbert sang a solo, accompanied by Audrey McEwen.

With Mrs. David Carson presiding at the tea table, members of the Women's Institute served tea.

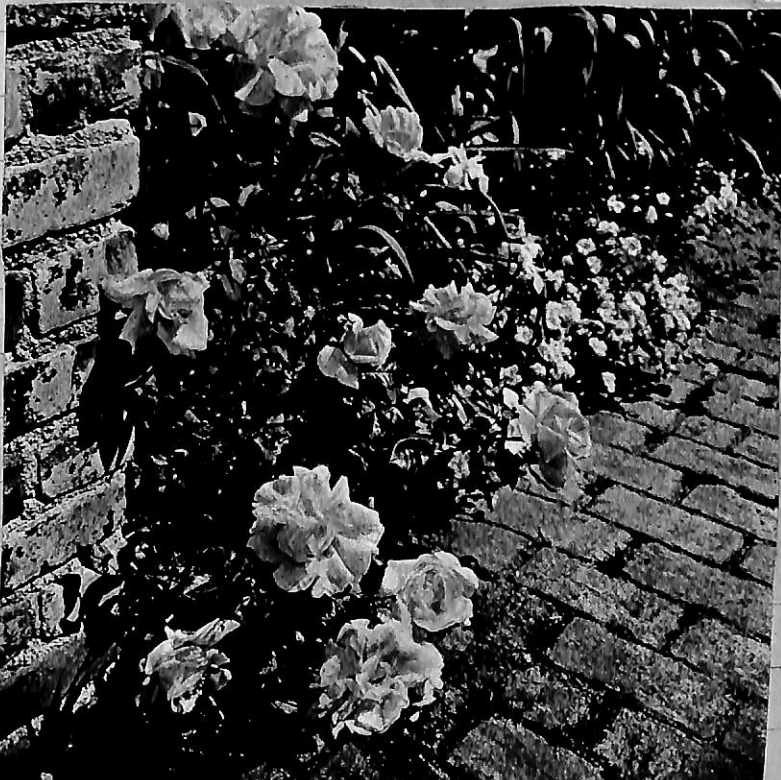
JUNE

Russell Village

The June meeting was held in the club room of the curling rink. The new 1945-46 officers are as follows: President, Mrs. D. Carson; vice-president, Mrs. D. A. McArthur; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. M. Walker; district director, Mrs. G. T. Browne; branch directors, Mrs. William Loucks, Mrs. K. Boyd, Mrs. R. W. Gamble; agriculture and Canadian industries, Mrs. John Twiname, Jr.; household economics, Mrs. L. A. MacEwen; historical research, Mrs. C. E. McCaffrey; social welfare, Mrs. Tace Wade; citizenship, Mrs. A. J. Shelp; publicity, Mrs. R. W. Gamble; war work, Mrs. D. A. McArthur; program committee, Mrs. George Browne and Mrs. J. Twiname, Jr.; auditors, Mrs. A. J. Shelp and Mrs. J. Twiname, Jr.

Reports of the district annual were given by Mrs. D. Carson and Mrs. A. J. Shelp. Plans were made for our annual picnic to be held at MacDougall Park on July 3. The guest speaker of the evening was the manager of the local bank, E. G. Rankin. His address was on banking.

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Aug. 1945

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The Institute held an open-house meeting in the clubrooms at the curling rink. Mrs. David Carson, president, was in charge. Plans were made for a flower and vegetable show to be held on Sept. 4. The social welfare convener, Mrs. Tace Wade, RN, gave a talk on penicillin, displaying the product and relating her own personal experiences with the use of the new drug in a rural home.