

SCHOOL ITEMS.

We regret to say that Miss Ethel Moore is on the sick list this week.

Robert and Grace Gray have been absent from school for the past week on account of measles.

Joe McCarthy has just recovered from an attack of the measles and has started to school again.

Singing school was adjourned on Monday evening on account of the small attendance.

Friday being St. Valentines Day there will be Valentine boxes in the lower rooms. In the higher room, nobody seems to care for one.

There will be two debates on Friday afternoon in the highest room. The question for the first class in Civil Government will be, Resolved: That war with England to uphold the Monroe Doctrine would be justifiable if England persisted in violating it.

The question for the second class will be, Resolved: That the young man with plenty of money and little education can have more pleasure in life than the young man with a good education and little money.

The school-house was washed throughout last Saturday. The wood work being treated with a bi-chloride solution.

A good question for debate is: Resolved, That improvements in the ventilating and heating system of the school-house would cost the town of Hope less than the medicines for the alleviation of sickness caused by the poor system now in use.