

## **Cedar Lake School District**

The Cedar Lake District was established in 1896. The school house was located on the west bank of Cedar Lake at the foot of a small hill. (From Four-Corners junction of A-12 and Big Springs Road, travel north on Big Springs Road for approximately two and half miles, then west on Springer Road (Cedar Lake Road) for seven tenths of a mile.)

The school building was moved to a nearby ranch and used as a cookhouse for many years. It was finally demolished and no trace now remains.

School was held for six months during the 1899-1900 school year. Miss Ella Chestnut taught the first three month term and Miss Della Nichols presided over the last three month term. There were 13 pupils. The last teacher was Bertha Collins in 1904-05. There were seven pupils that year.

The district lapsed in 1906 and the territory was added to the Table Rock School District.

### **Reference in Board of Supervisors minutes:**

Established: April 6, 1896 – Boundaries described (5-545)

January 4, 1897 – Boundary change-description given (6-23)

July 3, 1906 – Lapsed and added to Table Rock School District (7-238)

August 1, 1907 – Board of Supervisors proceed to sell property (7-370)

December 14, 1907 – Sale of property postponed (7-406)

January 8, 1908 – Board of Supervisors authorized sale of property (7-421)

No photos available.