

## **Cottonwood School District**

**(Also see Hornbrook)**

The Cottonwood School District was established in 1856, one of the first to be established in Siskiyou County. The school house was located in the town of Henley, situated southwest of what is now that intersection of Oregon Road and Interstate 5.

In 1887 the railroad was constructed one mile east of Henley and a new town called Hornbrook was started. In 1889 the school at Henley was moved to Hornbrook. In 1924 the school name was officially changed to Hornbrook.

During 1937, the original one-room, 16 by 18 school house burned. The following year the present building was constructed.

The earliest records in the County Superintendent of Schools office show that in the 1899-1900 school year, the Cottonwood School had two teachers, Mr. William A. Wilson and Miss Sara Foy. There were 106 children in the school.

No photos available.