

Indian Creek School District

The Indian Creek School District was established in 1887, undoubtedly when the Happy Camp district was formed. The first school house was located approximately nine miles up Indian Creek from the junction of Indian Creek and the Klamath River. The building stood on Schoolhouse Flat below the Classic Hill Mine I.

The second school house was erected lower on Indian Creek, approximately six miles from the junction of Indian Creek and the Klamath River. This structure became unusable and a third school, built around the same location, later burned. A residential building (Milo Walker place) is on the old school grounds.

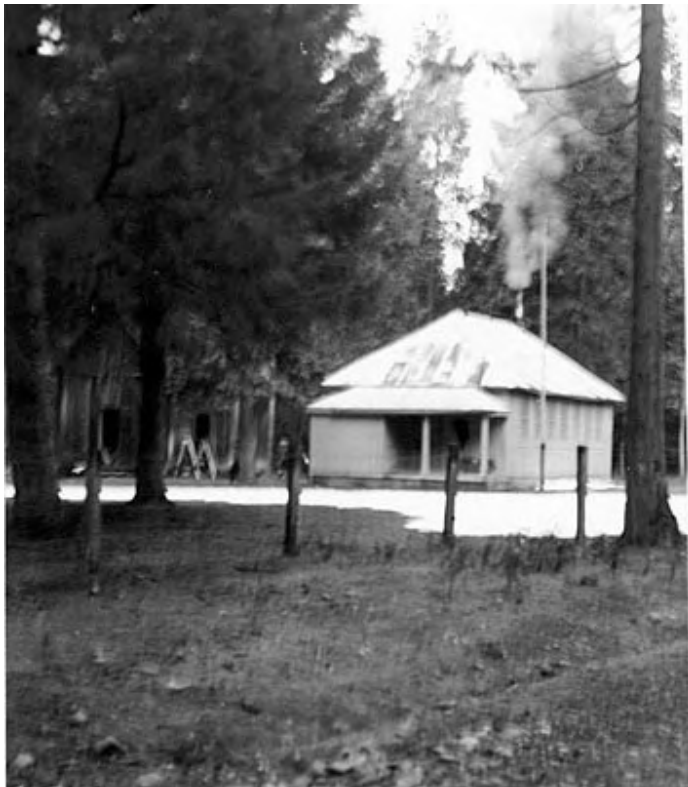
In 1899 the teacher was Miss Elmina Davidson. School was held for a six month term with 17 pupils in attendance. There is no clear record of when this district was discontinued, but the date was undoubtedly sometime after 1941.

Reference in board of Supervisors minutes:

Established: April 6, 1887 – Boundaries described (4-217)

December 3, 1940 – Boundary change 918-408)

January 6, 1942 – Boundary change (19-55)



Indian Creek School, date unknown. Photo by Mildred Grant, donated by Roderick and Larry Grant.



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