

Scott River School District

The Scott River District was established in 1857. The school house was located in the mining settlement of Scott Bar, three miles up Scott River from its junction with the Klamath River. Several school houses were built on the same site. The last is still standing and is used as a community center.

The first teacher was Miss Nellie Allen. School was held for six months with 12 pupils attending. The district was annexed to Klamath River Union in 1951.

Little is known about this school. The late Gr. George Kleaver of Yreka told me that he was the last surviving pupil of this school (1972). It was primarily established to accommodate his brothers and sisters and one other large family that lived on the Lower Scott River.



Scott River School, ca. 1929. Loaned by the Siskiyou County Public Library.



Scott River School at mine, ca. 1929. Loaned by the Siskiyou County Public Library.



Scott River School at Scott Bar, ca. 1929. Loaned by the Siskiyou County Public Library.



ca. 1935. photo by Bob Dennis, from the collection of Bob Dais.



Date unknown. Siskiyou County Office of Education School History Collection.



Date unknown. Photo by Mildred Grant, donated by Roderick and Larry Grant.



Date unknown. Siskiyou County Office of Education School History Collection.



Scott River School class, date unknown. Siskiyou County Office of Education School History Collection.

Next two photos below: Scott River School room? We are not sure what these pictures are, but they were with the photos of Scott River School. Siskiyou County Office of Education School History Collection.

