Union Hill School

Location: S11/T1/R8E

Funds: \$166.40 School District: 30

Teacher in 1923: Mrs. Ada

Wallace

Trustees in 1923: H. V. Johnson

and J. H. Adams

Teacher in 1939: Mrs. Ada Wallace

Location: Stevenson

1908-1939 One teacher



Union Hill is a one-teacher school between Stevenson and Bridgeport covering grades 1 through 6. Its first mention in the newspaper is 1900 when already, a Union Hill school building existed, and J. M. McNeely is teaching a mathematics school there. In 1922, Union Hill was designated District 30 and residents voted whether to electively pay a 3 mil tax for 7 years to support the school. The building was a wooden structure consisting of two 30 x 30 rooms. The school had no library, lunchroom, or bus service and only minimal school supplies. The school sat on only one acre of land that accommodated both the school and the playground. In 1950, there was no running water; water had to be carried in a bucket 1/3 mile. In 1938, Miss Loraine Matthews and Miss Ada Wallace were teaching there. In 1950, only 26 students were enrolled in the school. Some time after 1950s, it was consolidated with Stevenson or Bridgeport.

Nov 15, 1900 PA: "J. M. McNeely will commence a mathematical school at Union Hill schoolhouse on Nov 12."

Nov 2, 1922 PA: Vote in the district on the 30mil tax for a period of 7 years "for the support of public education." Boundaries of district defined. See article.

Jan 20, 1927 PA: County School Report, \$353.53 to Educational Exchange Company for desks for this school.

Dec 8, 1927 PA: County School Report, H. V. Johnson was paid \$22.22 to provide coal for Union Hill School

Apr 5, 1928, PA: Charles Lawson at Union Hill School wrote the editor of the school page to tell her how much he enjoyed it.

Jul 24, 1930 PA: "Union Hill Leads the County in Attendance. With a percentage of 97 per cent attendance for the year, Union Hill leads all the other schools."

Mar 31, 1932 JSC: Movie shown by the health department about diphtheria, hookworm, malaria, sanitation, and drainage.

Jun 30, 1932 PA: Clinics for DPT inoculations.

Aug 13, 1936 PA: DPT inoculations clinic

NOTICE OF SPECIAL SCHOOL ELECTION UNION HELL DIS-TRICT No. 20.

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Notice is borshe given that a special obecome will be held at the entered house in Union Hill School Distract No. 20, in mid sectory, on the 25th day of Navember, 1902, to determine whether to me a special two of thirty extra on anch one handred delined worth of transite peopersy assessed for transition in said Union Hill Edited No. 20, in said country, shall be levied and reflected amountly for a partied of 7 years from September 20th, 1962, for the amparet of the public actions with the country, and the two continued in 7 years from September 19th, 1962, for the superior of the public actions with the country, are described as follows:

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A. H. Moody, Judge of Probate,
Members of the Count of County
Countingforces of Junior County. M. C. Thumas, Sheriff of Julysen County, Als.

Feb 11, 1937 PA: "Pupils having a perfect attendance record for January are: Jack Elliott, Louise Whittaker, first grade; Lee Hughes Jr., second grade; J. C. Lyda, third grade; Izola Whittaker, Oscar Cooksons, fourth grade; and Leuseania Whitaker, sixth arade."

Jun 13, 1940 PA: DPT inoculations

May 22, 1941 PA: Rabies shots given.

Jun 19, 1941 PA: "Friends of Man" film

shown at the school.

Aug 7, 1941 PA: A: Typhoid clinic

Nov 20, 1941 PA: Forestry film shown at the school.

Apr 30, 1942 PA: Miss Sallie Lyda at Union Hill School available so you can sign up for sugar rationing.

August 1942 PA: Typhoid clinics. Also April 6, 1944. Also Mar 31, 1949.

Jul 8, 1948 PA: Tuberculosis screenings at the school.

UNION HILL SCHOOL

towns of Stevenson and son and Bridgeport High. port and one mile east of taught. It serves the viciin a radius of a mile from hool house. tes is only one active trusnd one teacher. There is chroom, bus drivers or number in each grade is: grade, 3; second grade, 4; in bad condition.
grade, 7; fifth grade, 6;
grade, 6. Total enrollment a new, modern house with new After finishing 6th grade 1 1/2 of a mile.

The school house is built of ghway. Grades from 1 to wood and has two rooms each 30x30 ft. There is only one acre of school ground which serves for playgrounds, etc. There is no library, community service or organizations of any kind. The equipment consists of desks, chairs, blackboards, tables and bookcases. All of them old and

e average attendance is and more equipment, and a well All these children live on of water. Present water is carried

RETURNS OF THREE-MILL SCHOOL ELECTION IN UNION HILL DISTRICT NO. 20 Commissioners' Court,

November Term, 1922. The Cour: of County Commissioners of Jackson County, in said State, having canvassed the returns of the Special Election held on the 25th day of November, 1922 in and for UNION HILL SCHOOL District No. 30, in said County, to determine whether or not a special tax of thirty sents on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property in said school district in said county, should be levied and collected annually for a period of 7 years from September 20th, 1923, for the sup-port of the public schools within within said district, in said county, hereby declares under oath that the result of said election is as follows: 12 votes were cast in said election

for the proposed taxation. I vote was cast in said election

egainst the proposed taxation.
Witness our hands this the 28th

cay of November, 1922.

R. S. Skelton, I. W. Wimberly, C. T.
Bobe, County Commissioners.

A. H. Moody, Judge of Frobate.

Hembers of the Court of County ty Commissioners of Jackson Coun-

ly, Alahams. Swern to and subscribed before me this 28th day of Noy. 1922. B. F. Shook, Register.