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SCHOOL CENSUS, 1920

OF *Washington* COUNTY, SUB-DISTRICT No. 19

KENTUCKY COMMON SCHOOL LAW

"It shall be the duty of the trustee of each subdistrict, biennially during the month of April, to take an exact census of all the children that reside in such subdistrict on the first day of April, who will be, on the first day of July following, between the ages of six and eighteen years, and on or before the first day of May report a list of the same to the County Superintendent, and a duplicate list to the Clerk of the County Court, to be filed in his office, specifying the name, age, sex and names of the parents or guardians of each child to be kept as part of the records of his office. Should said trustee wilfully add to the list the names of persons not entitled to be placed on same, or otherwise knowingly make a false list, such person thus offending shall, in addition to being liable to punishment for the crime of false swearing, be subject to a fine of not less than fifty dollars; and should any other school officer be a party to such fraudulent list, or in any way aid in the commission of such fraud, he shall be liable to the same punishment. For a failure to take such census and report the same within the time and in the manner herein required, the trustee shall be liable to a fine of not less than twenty dollars; and said trustee shall not take the census of any children who have recently removed into the district, and who have been previously reported in the census of the pupil children for the year in the district from which they had removed, or who have recently removed into the district from another state or county; but any pupil child who may not have been reported in the district in which he resides may attend the common school without payment. This section shall be printed on the census blanks furnished by the Superintendent of Public Instruction."

The County Superintendent, who must himself superintend the census taken during the month of April, shall not later than the 20th of March of each year, furnish each sub-district trustee of his county, exact information touching the present boundary of his district, noting with precision the changes for the ensuing year, if any, and at the same time giving definite printed or written instructions as to the best method of obtaining a correct census.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE ENUMERATOR

This report must be made to the County Superintendent on or before the first day of May, and a duplicate list filed with the County Clerk.

Be sure you know the boundary of your subdistrict before attempting to take this census, and be careful not to list children outside your boundary. The power to change boundaries of subdistricts is vested in the County Board of Education.

Include in this list only children who were bona fide residents of the district on the first day of April and will be between six and eighteen years of age on the first day of July.

Include children six years of age on or before the first day of July, but do not include any who are eighteen years of age on or before that date.

Do not include children who moved into the district after the first day of April or who reside only temporarily (for employment or other purpose) in the subdistrict and whose legal residence is elsewhere with their parents or guardians.

Do not include children who have left the subdistrict indefinitely to seek employment in other states.

Do not include in the total count any child that is totally deaf or blind, or any that has been adjudged an idiot by a court of competent jurisdiction, or any feeble-minded child in charge of the State Institute for Feeble-Minded.

After the name of any child that is blind, write BLIND; after the name of any child that is deaf, write DEAF; after the name of any child that is crippled, write CRIPPLED.

Visit each home, residence or place of abode, in the district, and, by actual observation and interrogation, enumerate the census children of the same.

Give the first Christian name of each parent or guardian and of each pupil in full, as also the surname, using initial for the middle name.

In case of parents or guardians of the same name as the child, designate as Sr., Jr., or by such other distinctive terms, as will readily point out which is meant.

In the absence of a family record, which it is always well to consult, if at hand, the mother can, as a rule, readily give the date of birth of each child.

Trustees must deliver this report in person to the County Superintendent, as he is not authorized to receive and file it until signed and sworn to as indicated on the last page.

Be sure you have your report correct before presenting it to the County Superintendent or County Clerk; and do not ask him to add names after he has reported to the State Superintendent.

W. C. BELL,
Superintendent of Public Instruction.

Census of White Children

Number of Pupil Children	Names of Parents, Guardians, Heads of Families, or Persons Having Charge of Child or Children	Names of Children Between the Ages of 6 and 18 Years	Date of Birth			Age	
			Month	Day	Year	Male	Female
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Census of White Children

Number of Pupils/Children	Names of Parents, Guardians, Heads of Families, or Persons Having Charge of Child or Children	Names of Children Between the Ages of 6 and 18 Years	Date of Birth			Age	
			Month	Day	Year	Male	Female
1	W. J. Whitehouse	William J Whitehouse	July	27	1914	15	
2		Charles Timothy =	April	13	1918	12	
3	J. O. Koffinger	Kenneth B Koffinger	Oct	8	1918	11	
4		Hurston = =	April	29	1923	7	
5	W. J. Lynch	Douglas Lynch	May	31	1923	8	
6	B. J. Lynch	James E. Lynch	Feb	14	1922	8	
7		Edna Mae = =	Feb	3	1924		6
8	A. R. Reno	Harold Reno	May	2	1924	6	
9	J. Vincent	Balis Vincent	July	14	1914	15	
10		Georgie = =	Jan	12	1917	12	
11		Annie Bell = =	Jan	7	1919		11
12	Milton Harker	Mirplet Harker	Dec	27	1914		15
13		Addie a = =	July	29	1918		11
14		N. a = =	Feb	18	1921	9	
15		Paul Edward =	Oct	21	1924	6	
16	C. W. Steel	Frank R Steel	Oct	5	1922	7	
17	W. D. Tudar	Gladyis E Tudar	June	3	1914		14
18	Willie Dean = =	Willie Dean = =	May	31	1925		6
19	Dan Braun	Luille M Braun	Mar	24	1914		15
20		Katie Bell = =	Mar	14	1925		13
21		Willard James =	Mar	12	1921	8	
22	J. J. Carter	Albert Carter	Jan	28	1910	14	
23		Vernie = =	Aug	24	1920	10	
24	J. J. Mercer	Ezra J Mercer	Jan	24	1913	17	
25	W. L. Harris	Denford W = =	June	19	1910	13	
26	J. M. Harris	Howard J Harris	Aug	3	1915	13	
27		Nellie Mae =	Jan	14	1910	1	14
28		Maymie = =	Mar	14	1920		10
29		Raymond W =	June	22	1919	11	
30	J. B. Koffinger	Maren Koffinger	Sept	3	1918		11
31	J. R. Durall	Daisy Mae Durall	Jan	18	1910		14
32		Earnestine = =	May	23	1924		10
33	J. a Durall	Margaret Mae Durall	June	6	1917		12
34	W. a Reno	Mary Reno	Mar	19	1922		8
35		Ruby Dean =	May	17	1923		6
36	S. B. Allen	Arthur E. Allen =	Mar	18	1913	17	
37		Alice Maneraw =	Feb	28	1910	14	
38		Martha Mae =	July	28	1918		11
39		Annie Susan =	Sept	20	1920		9
40		Edno D = =	Dec	11	1922		7
41	C. J. Jones	J. B. Jones	May	16	1912	17	15
42		Annie Jones	June	30	1914		15
43		Edgar Clayton	Sept	8	1922	8	
44	Jackson Tooley	Clarence A Tooley	June	22	1915	15	
45		Ray Walton Tooley	Nov	10	1910	12	
46		Charles H Tooley	Feb	14	1920	20	
47		Elsie Mae = =	Oct	10	1923		7
48	S. J. Damer	Lenard E Damer	Mar	30	1910	14	
49		Kenneth Yiffa =	Sept	23	1921	9	
50	C. E. Edwards	Margaret Edwards	Feb	25	1914		16

Census of White Children

Number of Pupil Children	Names of Parents, Guardians, Heads of Families, or Persons Having Charge of Child or Children	Names of Children Between the Ages of 6 and 18 Years	Date of Birth			Age	
			Month	Day	Year	Male	Female
1		Nellie Jean Edwards	Nov	18	1915		14
2		Barbra = =	July	9	1920		10
3		Jahmie = =	Sept	7	1922	8	
4	R. E. James	Raymond James	Aug	7	1914	16	
5		Charles = =	Jan	12	1917	13	
6		J. W. = =	July	31	1921	9	
7		Jahmie = =	Sept	10	1923	7	
8	E. B. McDaniel	Ernest McDaniel	Aug	13	1923	7	
9		Bennie = =	July	11	1924	6	
10	Jarney Randolph	Lenoard Randolph	Mar	7	1923	7	
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Census of Colored Children

Number of Pupils Children	Names of Parents, Guardians, Heads of Families, or Persons Having Charge of Child or Children	Names of Children Between the Ages of 6 and 18 Years	Date of Birth			Age	
			Month	Day	Year	Male	Female
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STATE OF KENTUCKY

Common School Subdistrict No. 19, County of Muhlenberg } 55.

I, J.R. Dewart, Trustee (or census enumerator) of the subdistrict aforesaid, do solemnly swear that the foregoing Census has been made in strict compliance with law and instructions by the Superintendent of Public Instruction, and that this enumeration does not include persons who do not reside in this subdistrict or who are not entitled to be listed.

J.R. Dewart, Enumerator.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 1 day of May, 1920

W.C. Hughes County Superintendent.

Examined and approved for:
 White Male 38; White Female 27; Colored Male _____; Colored Female _____; Subdistrict total 65

May 1, 1920 W.C. Hughes County Superintendent.