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SCHOOL CENSUS, 1920

OF
Atch COUNTY, SUB-DISTRICT No. *71*

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	Fem
1	James Cox	James Cox	July	18	1913	16	
2	J. C. Pendley	Golden, Pendley	Feb	19	1914		1
3		Carnel, Pendley	avg	14	1916		1
4		Paul Pendley	Feb	6	1921	9	
5	R. E. Pendley	Jewell Pendley	July	19	1919		1
6		Alfred, Pendley	July	21	1920	9	
7	J. B. Casebier	Joseph E. Casebier	Sept	7	1922	7	
8	Netter Hunt	John Hunt	April	18	1916	14	
9		Herman Hunt	Oct	14	1921	8	
10	C. D. McPherson	Elden McPherson	Mar	5	1916	14	
11		Herbert McPherson	avg	3	1919	10	
12		Hazel McPherson	Sept	7	1922	7	
13	Everett Childress	Lula M. Childress	Jan	28	1922		
14		Eula M. Childress	July	12	1923		
15	J. A. Mahlosky	Robt. H. Mahlosky	avg	1	1914	15	
16		Wmell, Mahlosky	avg	20	1918		1
17	Elmer Knight	Gracie Knight	Oct	6	1922	7	
18	Will Knight	Eula M. Knight	Mar	23	1916		1
19		Howard, Knight	avg	23	1919	10	
20		Arthur, Knight	April	17	1923	7	

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	Jack Jernigan	Edith Jernigan	Oct	10	1913		
2		Robert Jernigan	June	8	1919	10	
3		Lattie Jernigan	Nov	26	1922		
4	Harry Knight Sr	Estle Knight	May	29	1913	16	
5		Bell Knight	July	29	1915		
6		Charlie Knight	Oct	30	1917	12	
7		Harry Knight Jr	Feb	4	1920	10	
8		Margerie Knight	April	22	1924		
9	Blaine Pryor	Lindell Pryor	Mar	14	1916		
10		Will Pryor	April	2	1918	12	
11		Paradine Pryor	Aug	7	1922		
12	James Sullivan	Mary R. Sullivan	Sept	19	1922		
13	E.S. Fulkerson	Claudy Fulkerson	Oct	4	1913	16	
14		Howard Fulkerson	Sept	13	1915	14	
15		Eva May Fulkerson	Nov	4	1917		
16		Elsie Dimple Fulkerson	April	9	1919		
17		Lora Delaware Fulkerson	Feb	20	1924		
18	E.R. Wood	Hazel Wood	Dec	10	1914	14	
19	Presley Wood	Merle Wood	Aug	2	1921		
20	Walter Erkin arendell	Worthy arendell	Mar	19	1924		
21	N.A. arendell	Evelyn arendell	Mar	4	1919		
22	C.M. Bendley	Audry Bendley	July	26	1916		
23		Margerie Bendley	April	5	1918		
24		Charles Bendley	July	16	1922	7	
25	Clyde Draper	Robert Draper	June	28	1919	10	
26		Dallas Draper	Aug	30	1923	6	
27	Ed J. Hobbs	Martine Hobbs	Jan	27	1923		
28	Henry Brewer	James Brewer	Nov	10	1922	8	
29		Howell Brewer	April	2	1918	12	
30	Doll Harper	Elizabeth Harper	Feb	13	1923		
31	R.W. Depoyster	Lenord Depoyster	July	30	1913	17	
32		Margerie Depoyster	Nov	25	1915		
33	Ira Williams	Alvina G. Williams	Feb	4	1924		
34	Gabe Wood	Clearance Wood	Nov	6	1915	14	
35		James Wood	May	1	1917	12	
36		Loelle Wood	Mar	13	1919		
37		Ruth Wood	Oct	23	1922		

Census of Colored 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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STATE OF KENTUCKY

Common School Subdistrict No. 71, County of Muhlenberg } **SS.**

I, John Cox, 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.

John Cox, Enumerator.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 3 day of May, 1930.

E. J. Traugott
County Superintendent.
Notary Public. My commission expires Jan. 15, 1934

Examined and approved for:
White Male 29; White Female 28; Colored Male.....; Colored Female.....; Subdistrict total 57

May 6, 1930.....
County Superintendent.