

1878
Jan 7th

School reopened this morning but owing to the wet morning only 14 present. 19 in the afternoon. M. Mansergh, L. & J. J. Newhouse & J. W. Redmayne returned to school.

" 11th

Alice Ree absent all week with chicken pox. M. Suter sick since Monday. Mr. Sykes came on Tuesday with a Syllabus from the Diocesan Inspector, visited again on Friday. Fowlers' absent & J. Tomlinson & J. Mandaley.

" 18th

~~Monday~~ ^{Wednesday} and ~~Tuesday~~ ^{Tuesday} exceedingly wet and stormy. ~~Monday~~ ^{Tuesday} 8 present. Wednesday 4 in the morning, 5 in the afternoon. No visitors.

18 Registers examined, found correct. John P. Sykes.

" 25th

Monday morning so exceedingly rough no scholars at all present. 4 in the afternoon, attendance better the rest of the week. Friday examined each Standard in Arithmetic. Needlework neatly and carefully done. Mr. Sykes visited on Friday.

Feb 1st

Fowlers' returned to school, been absent since Christmas. Received papers from Settle School Board to be filled up. Attendance inspector called with "Child's

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School Books.

Feb. 8th

Seems according to Miss Webb. Children
examined and Westons' in all standards
Charles Clarke and Miss A. Watson

15th

He admitted. Clarke very backward in
writing & A. W. in spelling of the Roman
Primitives this week. Attendance better.
Clarke absent again. Children poor. Examined
and Westons' & all standards. Some of the
Paper Compositions exercised good & others
poor. Miss Watson sick.

March 1st
22nd

End of 3rd Quarter. Examination in
subjects & each standard. Friday sum-
mer day rest & Weston's in as well. Mrs.
& Miss Ogden visited Thursday. Mr. Moore
still absent.

8th

Wednesday (Let) took the children to
Church at 11. No Latin lessons. Mrs.
Watson at 9. Saturday in the afternoon
Primitives returned. Clarke still absent.
Members in registers 29.

15th

Attendance good. Lessons according to
course at the Commencement standards in

History lessons.

- March 22nd. S. H. J. Newhouse + J. W. Redmagne absent since Wednesday their couples having returned Alfred Sykes ill. Received notice of Division exam: which is to be held April 11th. Clarke is now better but his father keeps him at home still to assist him.
- " 29th. Same children sick as last week and J. Mutton and Leslie Sykes ~~etc~~ and Al. A. Harrison absent this week. M. J. Mutton has been absent 2 weeks. All these children have a return of Hooping Cough. Lessons according to Term Table.
- April 5th. Newhouses returned on Friday J. Mutton + Redmagne present. J. A. Chamber absent. Fowler's absent since Wednesday. Grammar & History lessons to St. II. III. IV. V. VI. VII. Geography lessons all classes. Sent notes of inquiry to Harrison's + Clarke's.
- April 9. School Registers examined found correct
John P. Sykes
- " 12th. Thursday Mr. Ward examined the children in Religious Knowledge Registers

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not marked. Miss Row 1st St. left
 the neighborhood. Arrive to Regent's
 house. Her attendance was made up.
 But it is doubtful if she will be
 able to be present at the examination
 Monday all absent. Lessons according to
 some table. Geography and Grammar -
 History lessons.
 Under took temporary charge of this
 school during the absence of the Miss
 Mrs. J. P. Harris, visited school. Attendance
 rather poor. 8. 1875.

April 26th

" 29th
 May 1st
 D
 It was according to some table
 at good attendance this morning.

When school returned to school, there
 been absent some children
 attendance very low this morning
 morning to the end

" 9

Mrs. J. P. Harris visited school this
 afternoon, number present 20:

" 13

Brightest lesson absent. Lessons according

To-True Table.

- May 21st John Tomkinson absent from school without leave.
- " 23 Examined the upper Standards in English History in place of the usual afternoon Geography Lesson.
- " 27th After a Month's absence recommenced duties this morning. Mrs Lodge 1st Class certificated. Mistress having had charge of the school. Found the children have been well taught & were in good order.

X Annie and Nellie Towler have left to go to a private school. The reason alleged was that she stole was in the school. But on that being contradicted, &

both Mr. & Mrs. Sykes kindly speaking to the parents, & soon after the mother promising to let them attend till the end of the quarter and make up the number of attendances. They have not been since but have gone to a school at Little.

Registers examined found correct.

John T. Sykes

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- May 31st. Examined the children's and all subjects. There had shortly before to the lessons on the Greek Bible on that account. End of school year.
- June 7. Admitted 1 boy. Admission papers all names say his father. School visited by Mr. Lykes. Sent papers (Registers) to Parents of Admission last week. The father returned ^{at} on Monday saying he objected to the id. pap. recitation of the children present this week on cause of absence sent down. The Lykes visited.
- " 19. Now Lykes brought papers from J. B. Stanton & Mr. S. fixing the date of examination for June 25th at 9 o'clock.
- " 20th. School closed on Friday to be cleaned. This morning all children except 2 infants present.
- " 24th.

List of chose songs.

" The Sea
On the Water

Oh, had I wings to fly
see the Rain is falling

Far above the deep blue sea

I take my way through the shady woods
to the Greenwood's sunny glade

It cannot remain so for ever.

Recitations for 1879

S. T. "Woman's Mission" - Levi. Carroll

" W " "The Douglass" - Scott. (Collins IInd Ed. p. 198).

J. H. Haslam
25/6/78.

June 25th

Holiday in the afternoon after examination.

" 26th

Broke up at Noon on Friday for a
month for Midsummer Holidays.

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Summary of the Spectator's Report.

" The report continues to be very well conducted. The children are most orderly and their instruction is carefully & diligently attended to. Some of the younger children in the first standard were rather backward in reading & spelling. Sewing was very well done.

John Barrett Dykes
August 1st 1878

Matilda Louise Parsons
certificated teacher of second class.

John D. Dykes
August 1st 1878.

- July 29th. Re-commenced school this morning, only 10 scholars present in the morning, 12 in the afternoon. Went after absences.
- Aug. 2. Mr. Sykes with, Mrs. Sykes visited yesterday very poor attendance all the week. M. P. L. Sisters away from town. Al. Parsons left school to help her mother. She 'Sylvia' (Mrs) gone to Wegglesworth & M. Morphed left Rathmore - gone to better school, M. Mansergh gone to Richiton New, reducing the number on registers from 24 to 24. No percent at all 15.
- " 9th. Attendance better 10 percent 22. Harmon's, Chambers' L. Sykes & J. Tomlinson returned. Sisters still absent.
- " 16th. M. P. Sisters sick. Al. Lund sick part of the week some days very wet. Causing the children from a distance to remain at home. Mrs & Miss Sykes visited on Friday afternoon.
- " 23rd. No absentees No. Percent at all 24. Today very wet & stormy few children present. Lessons in Geography Grammar & History to Standards. Sisters returned.

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Aug 27

" 30

Specimens correctly marked. John J. Drake
 returns according to some letters.
 end of 1st Quarter. Charge for the Quarter

20.

Sept 4
 B. Liles left having finished the education
 now pursuing W. on August 23. Mr. L. &
 his father & sister, visited on Tuesday
 afternoon & his father on Wednesday afternoon
 about visited by his mother & his father
 Standard Set (with) to each student
 on Friday. Geography, Grammar & History
 lessons on Tuesday & Wednesday.

" 20
 The 3 children to be prepared for the 1st
 are very backward, one not even knowing
 how to start & none of them able to do
 much work.

" 27

Miss Goldard visited on Tuesday
 afternoon. The children were having
 reading lessons and she thought to have
 them read. Thought analysis to
 W. T. Reading Mr. W. & T. A. Green like
 the map language & made it is made
 case are unable to have shown the map
 in the Geography lesson. History A. W. H.

The reign of King John.

- October 4th Composition exercises in Standard V moderately done. Spelling poor in St. III. St. I able to read simple words & to add simple sums. Not much prospect of their being ready for examination.
- " 11th John Tomkinson absent this week Sick. M. Lister got a high number of marks in Mental Arithmetic on Thursday. N. Lind St. III. very backward in spelling, and the same may be said of J. Matton St. IV. No visitors this week.
- " 18th Examination in Dictation and Arithmetic to Standards II, III, IV, & V.
- 24 Registers correctly marked. (afternoon) John P. Sykes.
- " 25th Gave geography lesson to Standards on Thursday. John P. Sykes absent this week. Sent a note of inquiry. No answer yet. Leslie and Alfred Sykes sick part of the week. Came to school on Thursday afternoon.
- Nov 1st Joseph Sykes returned on Thursday having been sick. Garrison's and

- M. Chambley absent. Dictation exercises in Std. II & III badly done. Copy books all very neat this week. No visitors.
- Nov. 8th. All children present this week. Friday snow and storm prevented many of the children from being present. Mr. Lykes called on Monday & Mrs. & Miss Lykes on Thursday afternoon.
- Nov. 13th. Monday evening there was a heavy fall of snow followed by a storm of wind, and by Tuesday morning the snow had drifted so much that not one child was present at school the day. This (Wednesday) morning 15 are present. This is the second time that so few scholars have been present owing to the severity of the weather.
- " 15th. Lessons this week carefully prepared. Miss Giddard visited on Wednesday morning. Chambley absent all week. Friday very wet, only 14 present.
- " 22nd. Attendance better this week. Spent rather more time this week with dictation exercises than is marked on the Time Table. See 1st Standard

progressing moderately, but I fear it will be almost impossible to have them ready for examination. E. Green is especially backward.

Nov. 29th End of 2nd Quarter M. Lister absent since Wednesday.

Dec. 6 Registers verified by me, this morning. John T. Sykes.

" " M. Lister, Chamley's & Kidmayne absent all week. Examination of each Standard in Arithmetic & Dictation. Mrs & Miss Sykes visited on Thursday, Mr Sykes on Friday.

" 13 This week the weather has been most bitterly cold, the frost remarkably severe, preventing children from a distance (with the exception of T. & W. ^{Tomlinson} Gelling) from attending.

" 19 Again very poor attendance owing to the severity of the weather. No. present at all 15. Closed school at 11^½ this morning and gave a fortnight's Holiday for Christmas.

- Jan. 10 Re-commenced school on Monday morning. The attendance this week has been very low indeed only 3 girls and 8 boys have attended at all. The numbers on books are now reduced to 22. J. W. Redmayne has left the village and gone to live with his parents at Clitheroe. Mr. Lykes visited on Friday morning.
- " 17 Rather better attendance. Chamblay, Harrison & J. Robinson still absent. M. A. Taylor re-admitted from Wigglesworth School. Examination in Arithmetic and Dictation to all standards.
- 22 Registers verified this afternoon. John P. Lykes
- " 24 Mr. Southwood Attendance Clerk called on Wednesday with paper from Att. Comm. which was filled up & returned the same evening. M. A. Taylor & Linds' absent this week. Attendance very poor.
- " 31 Still many absences. Gave an examination in all subjects. Geography & Grammar included to all standards. Spelling seems to be the worst subject.

- Feb. 7 Average for this week only 12.3. Lessons according to Time Table.
- " 14 Geography to Upper Standards. Definitions to Standard II. Composition exercises A. V. Needlework very neat. No visitors this week.
- " 21. Examination in all Subjects. Dictation and Composition exercises slightly improved. Mr. Sykes called on Friday morning. Attendance low.
- " 26th Ash Wednesday. Registers marked re-opening school. No Scripture lesson. Took children to Church at 11 o'clock. Holiday in the afternoon.
- " 28th End of 3rd Quarter. sent out bills. Children who have not attended during the Quarter are Matt + Janet Chamley, & Al. A. + Mich: Harrison, C. Green & M. Nation, have not been seen since Christmas.
- March 4. Only 14 present this week. Two admissions Infants.
- " 14. Harrison's + M. J. Wilton attended. This week admitted 1 infant. Thursday gave examination in Arithmetic & Reading. Geography on Sunday & Thursday.

March 21.

Harrison's again absent and J. Green & A. Lund also. Lessons according to Time Table.

" 25

Harrison's still absent, sent a note of enquiry; weather excessively cold and stormy. Examination in Standard work on Thursday. Mrs. Sykes visited.

April 4

No. present 17. The two infants (Greenhalgh) who were admitted at the beginning of this Tr. have been taken back to Manchester. Jos. Ayrton and Chamley's have not been this Tr. Jos. Ayrton (Infant) has removed to a great distance from school ^{4 miles} and unless his parents find somewhere for him to stay during the week he cannot come any more. J. Green assisting father & A. Lund same.

" 10

J. U. Chamley returned to school, her brother still absent. Allan Lund is now too lame to walk without crutches. It is feared he will have to go to Leeds Infirmary. Holidays on 11th Good Friday and on 14th Easter Monday.

Admitted two infants. Examined all Standards in all Subjects. Going over History Lessons against Standards IV and V. Registers correct - J. P. Sykes

Attendance better, absentees P. Green, A. Lund & M. J. Mitton. Lessons according to Time Table. Received papers from Mr. Hallam. G. M. S. Peter Green absent 3 weeks. Allan Lund still same. History and Grammar lessons to Standards.

Examined Standards in all Subjects. Peter Green present 3 times this week. Gave a special examination to Sk. II, III, IV + V in Writing & Dictation and Composition. G. Newhouse & T. The rest paper. History, Grammar & Needlework & Geography lessons. Thursday being Ascension Day registers were marked at 9. No scripture lesson. Children went to church at 11 o'clock. Holiday in fore afternoon. Allan Lund was able to be present once but he is so very lame that unless he can ride a part of the way he cannot.

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May 30.

Came much. Lessons as usual.
End of School Year. Monday exceedingly
wet. only 7 present in the morning and
9 in the afternoon. Allan Lund has
been able to attend twice this week.
H. Green's mother has promised that Peter
shall attend better after Whitentide.
School to be closed Monday + Tuesday
for Whitentide holiday.

June 5 (Morning 11.50) Examined the Registers. (Correct.)
John P. Lykes

6 Commenced school on Wednesday
morning. J. Tomlinson, (Harrisons) + A. Lund
absent all week. Harrisons present to day
(Friday.) Special lessons in History, Geography
and Grammar to each Standard.

11th Examined all the Standards in all
Subjects on Monday. Special Subjects to
each class on Tuesday and Wednesday.
Other lessons according to Time Table.
Mr. Lykes brought up notice on Saturday
that the Annual Examination would take
place on Monday the 16th at 2 o'clock by R. M. Foster

H. M. J.

List of Songs.

Attention

Spring

The Volunteers

Bold Robin Hood

Autumn

The silently falling snow.

Excelsior

The hardy Roesseman

Inspected the School

16. June 1879

R.M. Fowler

July 28th

Recommenced school this morning after 5 weeks holiday - Mistress was absent the rest of the week after examination. School duties taken by Mrs Kent - a half holiday was given the following day and school broke up on the Friday. During the holidays the weather has been so wet that the farmers have been unable to get in their hay consequently there are only 8 present this morning.

August 1st

Only 8 children have attended this week. Leslie and Alfred Lykes have left to be

- instructed at home. John and M. J. Mitton
have left, they have removed to Long Paston.
- Aug. 8th Still only 8 children present. Lessons
according to Time Table.
- " 15th Alice Iron & Nicholas Harrison & S. J. J.
Newhouse present this week. No. present 12
- " 22nd 14 present this week Assam & J. Lund -
Mr. Lykes visited on Wednesday and
copied the report in the Log Book. Mrs.
Lester has let me know that Matt.
Lester St. W. has now left school to work
at home.
- " 29th End of School Quarter. J. Tomlinson,
Greens, & Chamley's, still absent. Gave
holiday on Wednesday as the Agricultural
Show was held at Little.
- Sept. 5. Chamley's have still not finished
harvesting. Greens Willie & Elizath present.
Neter absent. has probably left school.
- " 12th Same number present. Lesson accor-
ding to Time Table. Gave Special Lesson
in Geography and Grammar.
- " 19th Lessons according to Time Table.
Same number present.

Summary of the Inspector's Report.

This little School is orderly & the work, with the exception of Arithmetic in the fourth Standard, is generally satisfactory.

Needlework is good. Two of the books in use in the first & second standards respectively First & Second Royal Readers } are not of reasonable length & difficulty for those standards; others should be got."

John Poulett Sykes
August 19th 1879.

Matilda Louisa Parsons
certificated Teacher of second class.

John P. Sykes
August 19-1879.

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- Sep. 26th Jane Ann and Matt. Chamley present this week. Gave an oral lesson to all scholars on Thursday instead of the usual lesson. Subject "The Cat".
- Oct. 3. Tom H. and Walter Newhouse had to be sent home on Monday now as they have ringworms - Many wet days - Examined Standards. The 1st Standard very backward.
- " 10 Newhouses better, returned to school on Tuesday.
- " 17 R. Taylor (infant) left the village - Numbers on books very low indeed. Mr. Lykes visited on Monday.
- " 24th Gave an examination to all Standards in Arithmetic dictation and reading. Needlework very neatly done. Learned a New Song "Little Children marching".
- 29 Registers correct (2.15 P.M.) J. P. Lykes
- " 31 Attendance still about the same - 17 present. Matt. Chamley absent since Wednesday helping his father. Rev. J. P. Lykes & Mr. Lykes visited Wednesday.

Gave Grammar Lessons to Grs. III, IV, & V
 Dictation Exercises rather better done this
 week. Needlework and Writing kept.
 Walter Newhouse absent through
 sickness this week. The usual routine
 of school work gone through.

Attendance very poor on Friday
 owing to the excessively wet state
 of the weather. The children from
 the greatest distance could not
 possibly attend. No Visitors.

Harrison's and Chamley's absent all week.
 End of 2nd Quarter Geography &
 Grammar lessons to Grs. IV to V. Examination
 in Arithmetic and writing.

Harrison's, Chamley's absent all week. E. Green
 & Newhouses' absent part of the week.
 weather frosty. J. Tomlinson Gr. VI.
 returned having been absent since June.
 E. Green returned on Thursday. Other absent
 as last week. No Visitors.

Gave an examination in all Subjects
 to each Standard. School broke up
 this afternoon for Christmas Holidays.

Jan: 5th ¹⁸⁸⁰ Re-commenced school - 12 present a.m.

13 p.m.

" 9th Two Harrison's & M. Chamley absent all week

" 16th Same number in attendance - no visitors.

" 23rd Gave History, Geography, and Grammar lessons to Nos. II - VI. Lessons according to Fine Table.

" 30th J. Green & C. Fowler sick - Attendance low. Examined Standards in Arithmetic and Dictation.

Remarks

There being no officer who attends to the children of this district, and no one to enforce the appeals to the parents made by the teacher that the children should regularly attend school, the scholars are very irregularly and kept away for the most trivial causes. Thus greatly hindering the teacher's work of preparing them for examinations. Attendance this afternoon 5 above 7 and 5 under 7 total 10 - 7 boys, 3 girls.

- Feb 6 Harrison came on Monday for the first time since holidays. Charles & Robt. Boyer have removed from the Village to Wigan. Thus reducing the No. on books to 16.
- " 13 Tom & Walter Newhouse are gone away from home on account of their parents' illness for one or two weeks. Mr., Mrs. & Miss Lykes visited on Wednesday.
- " 20 Examined Standards in all subjects Absentees Harrison's and Newhouses. M. Chamley absent all Quarter.
- " 27 Gave Geography, Grammar and History lessons to St: II to VI. attendance for all the Quarter. end of 3rd Quarter.
- March 5 Annie Lund St: IV. left school to go and live at Selside. She has made up her attendances and her parents have promised that she shall attend the examination. J. & H. Newhouse returned to school after a fortnights absence. Weather very stormy & wet. No child present on Wednesday morning attendance very low all week.

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March 12.

Examined each child in all Subjects.
No visitors. work according to time
Table.

" 14th The usual routine of school work gone
through this week. Received Copy of New
Code for 1880 - no. present 14 = No. on registers

" 25th Needlework very carefully & neatly
executed this week. children orderly
and painstaking. Most backward
scholars are two St. III boys ^{in spelling} - girl in
St. II & J. Newhouse St. I. Closed
school $\frac{1}{2}$ past 3 Thursday afternoon
until Tuesday morning. Holiday
for Good Friday & Easter Monday

April 2nd resumed school on Tuesday - Harrison
and J. Tomlinson absent all week.

Children absent on only 5 present morning
and afternoon. J. Tomlinson St. VI. Express
word that he was leaving to go to
work now, having turned 64 years of
age. I have decided to see his father
when he comes to Richmond (he lives
at Clitheroe) to see if he cannot
remain until after examination.

Tomlinson still absent. Harrison's returned. One admission F. Harrison nearly 8 and neither knows his letters or figures.

Tomlinson still absent. have received no answer to my enquiry respecting his attendance until June. Joseph Ayetow re-admitted after about 1 year's absence. is nearly 8 and with Harrison has to begin learning his letters.

Lessons according to Time Table.

Examined each child in its Standard book. Visitors Mrs Slater & Miss Lykeson Tuesday afternoon.

Received papers from Mr. Haslam C. M. S. on Friday. Approximate No. for Examination 15. Tomlinson after an absence of 5 weeks returned on Wednesday morning. By punctual attendance he may make up his 150 att: he being qualified under Act. 20 (a) 2.

Thursday being vacation the children were at work & registers marked before 9.

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 went to Church at 11. Holiday in the afternoon.
- May 14. Lessons according to June Table. Attendance fair. L. Fowler has ring-worm will have to stay at home until better.
- " 21. Miss Ann, Nicholas, & Fred. Harrison & J.O. ^{& L. Fowler} Charley, absent all week. Holiday on Monday and Tuesday for Whitentide. Examined scholars in all subjects.
- " 24th. Mr. Lykes brought the notice of Examination this morning, which is to take place June 4th at 10 a.m. by Mr. Wilson & Mr. Harrison present J.O. Charley absent again. L. Fowler still absent.
- " 28. All present but L. Fowler. her face is much better. C. Burdick sick since Monday. H. Tomlinson has taken the measles since Tuesday.
- June 4. Examination Day. all present including R. Lund. Monday very wet only 2 present both a.m. & p.m. Mr. Lykes visited Thursday & Friday. Holiday this afternoon.

List of Songs
 Little Children Marching ✓
 The Volunteers ✓
 The Nightingale
 Suppose the little cowslip
 The harvest time
 The sea gulls
 To the School ✓
 The farmer's call.

Inspected the School
 J. R. Wilson
 4/6/80

June 7 So very wet this morning no scholars
 came to school. only 3 in the afternoon
 A. & L. Fowler & J. J. Newhouse have
 measles. L. Newhouse left school
 having finished her education.

" 9 No scholars present. most of them have
 got the measles. have decided to close
 the school until the illness is
 over.

June 23. Re-opened school after being closed a fortnight. All the scholars have had measles. Most of them are better now but only 4 were present to day.

Midsummer Holidays.

Four weeks.

July 26th. The Mistress ill and unable to teach from June 24th. Therefore closed the school for the holidays and re-opened them this morning only 3 present. Hay time not over.

August 6th. Still 3 infants only present owing to the hay not being all got in.

" 13th. Admitted 1 infant. 4 infants present this week.

" 17th. Yesterday 10 children were present and to day 15 present. Annice Lund re-admitted St. V. Admitted R + M. Lund 2 infants. L. Newhouse and J. Tomlinson left school to work at home. J. Ayston helping with hay at home. G. Green absent & J. A. Chumley.

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Bathmell National School.
(York.)

Summary of the Inspector's Report on the School
and Remarks (if any) to be made. —

"Reading, writing and
arithmetic are fairly taught.
Geography and history are poor;
the other class subjects are satisfactory.

The Infants read and write nicely,
but should be better instructed in
the elements of number.

Alterations in the Registers should not
be made by means of erasures or
obliterations."

The accounts of the Day
and Sunday Schools should be
entered separately.

June 29th 1880.

Matilda Louisa Parsons
certificated Teacher of second class.

June 29th 1880.

John P. Suptes

Aug. 19th

M. Lund whose name was put down on the register on Tuesday is not to attend school until next year. School closed tomorrow for the Agricultural Show at Lethbridge.

" 26th

J. A. Chamley & J. Ayrton still absent. End of 1st Quarter. The attendance has been very unsatisfactory and as a consequence very little has been done in preparing for examination. Fred. Harrison 8 years old can say the letters & figures but can neither add or read yet, only the very simplest words & numbers. Mr. Lykes visited on Tuesday and Friday, & Miss Geldard on Thursday.

Sept. 3rd

Made again inquiries respecting J. Chamley. Find she is away visiting. Lessons as usual - Miss Geldard visited.

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Garnie Lund has gone away for a month. So wet on Friday that children from a distance could not come.

Sept. 17

J. A. Chanley returned on Monday
admitted John Chanley on Thursday.
He is 8 years old and therefore must
be just in St. I. but as he can
not tell any letter or figure & has
no idea of writing or arithmetic
it will be almost impossible to
prepare him in the time. The
same with Fred Harrison & R. Lund.

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School attendance officer for the
Settle district called on Thursday
called and took down names & addresses
of a few children. but as they are
mostly living beyond 2 miles from
school it is feared they cannot be
compelled to attend.

Oct 1st

Lessons as usual according to
Time Table. No Visitors.

" 8th

No scholars present on Tuesday
owing to the severe weather. R.
Lund still absent from home
A. A. Harrison absent since
Monday. A Turner sick both
this week & last.

- Oct. 15th Annie Lane returned after an absence of 5 weeks. Gave Geography & Grammar to all Standards.
- " 22nd Attendance fair 1 absentee i. Turner ^{infant}
Lessons according to time table.
- " 29th Annie Turner left for the winter months.
- Nov 5th Examined Standards in all Subjects.
H. Newhouse absent this week sick.
- " 12th Some child still absent. Arithmetic on paper. Reading & Spelling
- " 19th Tuesday very stormy only 3 girls & 1 boy present. Harrison's absent since Monday.
- " 26th Harrison's still away. Chamleys present twice. Attendance officer called on Friday & took their names promising to see after them.
- Dec. 3rd Attendance same as last week.
- " 10th Two boys of Harrison's attended this week. Alice Ann still absent. Lessons according to time table.
- " 17th Es. present as last week Chamleys attend very badly indeed making only 6 or 4 times each week.

After an absence of nearly 5 weeks
A. Harrison returned on Monday morning.
Closed school to-day (Thursday) for a
week's holiday. Miss Giddard visited.
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Feb. 11th

Again a stormy week. The 3 Harrisons & J. S. Newhouse absent all week. Chandler, J. & H. M. M. & E. Green absent most of the week. In a small school like this children being absent of course makes work more difficult. To go on with the usual routine of work.

. 18th

Attendance as unsatisfactory as before. Sent in 9 names of irregular attendees to Attendance Officer Little.

. 25th

Every child but J. T. Newhouse who is present this week. S. Tomlinson away from home 3 days. End of 3rd Quarter.

March 4th

This has been the worst week we have ever had. Monday 10 present. Tuesday 7 present. Wednesday (Ash Wednesday) 5 in the morning went to church in the morning at 11. Holiday afternoon - 5 present on Thursday morning. -

- March 11th Attendance again poor. Geography & Grammar Lessons given according to Time Table.
- " 18th A very infectious cough & cold has gone round amongst all the scholars both from a distance and from the village. Thus causing a poor attendance this week. 1 infant admitted on Monday.
- " 25th A. Turner gone to Gildersleets - P. R. Haythornthwaite sick.
- April 1st Two infants absent. Needlework well done: Grammar & Geography.
- " 8th Examined all children in Arithmetic & dictation. Have been informed that A. Turner (infant) has left the village.
- " 14th Closed school Thursday afternoon until Wednesday morning for Easter holiday.
- " 22nd Attendance good from Wednesday, no absentees. W. Green left to night. They have entered on a new farm at Kettlebeck. Dayth is

- coming to school till Tuesday.
- April 29th Mr. Green left on Tuesday night.
 Exam. is in St. IV. Cljth St. II. They
 will. P. R. come to the examination.
 They are going now to Aldrich
 School. No. on books reduced to 15.
- May 3rd Admitted 2 children above 7 + 2
 infants this morning. Sent Appointments
 number to Mr. Haslam S. M. I. 15 over + 10.
- 7 - (Papers received on Friday)
- 6th Harrison's + J. M. M. often absent
 this week.
- 13th Attendance better this week - examine
 all Standards - gave Geography +
 Grammar lessons to all classes.
End of week.
- 20th Two girls (Hartley's) absent all week. The
 very wet. only 7 present in the morning.
 Usual routine as nearly as possible.
 Singing + poetry afternoon from Nov.
- 27th On Wednesday Mr. Lykes brought
 notice of examination which is
 to be held on Thursday June 9th at
 1.45 o'clock.

Admitted 3 children Comthroates.

1 Stand. V. 1 Stand. III + 1 infant.

Numbers on books now raised to 24.

June 3rd

1 Admission by. Aytow. turned 7 years
does not know his letters. indeed has
not the slightest knowledge in any of
H I subjects.

6th & 7th

Holiday Whit Monday + Whit Tuesday.

List of School Songs

The Snow flakes

The Wood horn

Home! home!

Up the hills in early morn

Oh the sunny Summer time

May Song

The Water lilies

The Rain.

June 9th

Examination Day.

June 10th

3 Absentees this week.

June 1st: Admitted A. Cornthwaite infant. N. Lund
Left school to go out to service. A. C.

Harrison absent all week.

" 24th: Attendance good. Lessons according
to Time Table.

July 1st: Admitted 1 infant. G. Chambrooke. on
Monday. Attendance as last week. A. C.
Harrison has left school.

" 8th: Received Duplicate Schedule on Wednesday
There was a dreadful ^{thunder} storm on

Tuesday evening accompanied by
a heavy downfall of rain. The

school room was flooded & on

Wednesday morning the scholars

came had to be sent home as

school had to be thoroughly washed

from the sand that had accumulated

" 13th: School closed for a month for

Midsummer Vacation.

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Summary of the Inspector's Report
on the School and Remarks (if any)
to be made. —

"The School is in good order
and, except some weakness in
spelling, is very fairly taught." —

August 15th 1881.

Matilda Louisa Parsons
certificated ~~as~~ Teacher of Second Class.
August 15th 1881. —

John P. Lykes

- Aug. 19 Reopened school on Monday morning
25 present at all this week. Admitted
M.A. Cornthwaite St III + 1 infant.
- " 26 Chamley's not done hay time yet.
Lessons as usual according to
Time Table.
- Sep. 9th Last week the school had to be
closed after Monday owing to
the sudden illness of the mistress
and no one able to take charge
of the school at the time. This week
one of the old scholars came to
assist mistress each day.
- " 16th Care Geography, History & Grammar
Lessons. Reading & Dictations.
- " 23rd M^{rs} A. Chamley away from home
this week. Miss Geldard & Miss
Butler visited the school on Thursday
morning & heard the children sing
2 songs.
- " 30th The children all went to Cappleton
on Monday afternoon to a garden
party to which they were invited
by Miss Geldard. Attendance good.

Oct 7th Miss Geldard visited on Monday
afternoon and Friday morning &
assisted in 1 lesson each day. All
present this week.

14th Miss Geldard came and taught on
Tuesday and Thursday mornings
Friday excessively rough & stormy.
only 12 children were present.

21st Have introduced a new system
of Marks to try to cause a little
healthy emulation amongst the
children. one drawback to a small
school like this ^{is} being that only
being one or two in each upper
Standard there is no one for
the children to strive against.
Miss Geldard visited on Monday
and Thursday mornings, and
Mrs Sykes called on Friday
afternoon. Mr Sykes visited on
Tuesday afternoon.

28th Gave Geography Grammar & History
to upper Standards. Needlework
progresses slowly owing to the new

- scholars' (Cornthwaite's 3 girls)
untidy and poor sewing.
- Nov. 4th A very stormy week. Children from
a distance unable to attend
regularly.
- " 11th Chicken pox has broken out
amongst the scholars. There were
8 children absent on Friday. all
having the illness.
- " 14th There are 15 children sick to-day.
- " 18th The attendance this week has been
very poor indeed owing to so many
having chicken pox. Wednesday very
wet. 5 present in the morning -
4 in the afternoon. Mr Lykes
visited in the afternoon of Tuesday.
- " 25th Attendance better this week - most
of the scholars are better. End of
2nd Quarter.
- Dec 2nd Needlework rather better. Lessons
according to time table.
- " 9th Have Geography & Grammar &
History lessons to respective standards.
Miss Gildard visited Wednesday. There

and Friday mornings.

- Dec. 16th The attendance has been better this week. M^{rs}. Cornthwaite sick the latter part of the week - E. Tomlinson left until warm weather. Visited each morning except Friday by Miss Geldard. No. on books 26
- " 22nd Closed at Noon on Thursday for Christmas holiday until Wednesday Jan. 4th.
- Jan. 6th Attendance fair. Lessons according to the Time Table.
- " 13th Have this week given much time to reading in Standard I. J. & H. System are slowly advancing in reading. They can now read easy words of 3 letters.
- " 20th Miss Geldard visited each day in the early part of the morning and on Thursday afternoon to hear the singing lesson. Mrs. Lykes called on Wednesday afternoon.
- " 29th No. present at all 26 this week. Had