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Jan 7^{1894.} 11

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Jan 12.

The entertainment on Dec. 22nd was a decided success. The room was crammed and the children were much applauded both for their manner and the words of their pieces. The Flag Drill was especially good. Re-commenced on Tuesday morning. Very wet only 9 present. Mr. Sykes visited on Thursday.

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One absentee. Lessons well attended to. Had a pleasant hour with G. V & V on Thursday in "Missing Word Finding".

" 26

On Thursday had another lesson to find Missing Word (adjective) this week with "a" before, last week with "an" before. For Home lessons

they were formed sentences using the adjectives they had found. This has indeed been most interesting.

Feb 2.

A very poor week. Monday the attendance was good but since then snow has been so thick that children from a distance could not attend. Edith Preston

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Feb 9

S. I was sent home on Monday very ill indeed. Absent all the week. Half Holiday Throve Tuesday. Church at 11 o'clock Ash Wednesday No Scripture. Reg. marked at 9. Stormy weather since Tuesday. School partially flooded. Can only see east end of school. Av. for week only 16.6
 Mistress & a few children have had colds through the damp walls and floor of the schoolroom.

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Mistress too unwell to attend school on Monday. Rev^d J. P. Sykes visited on Tuesday afternoon. Attendance Officer exam^d registers Wednesday morning. Received Notice of Drawing Exam. May 28th at 1.30. Approximate No. in each Stand. I. 2. III. 2. IV. 1 = 5.

March 1

" 2

" 9

" 16

Irregular attendance owing to stormy weather & colds. Again a stormy week. Lessons according to Line Table. Av. for week 15.9

On Wednesday sent home three children of Prestons because of a skin disease amongst them. Closed school on Thursday noon for the week^{end} Mistress going away.

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March 29

Registers found correct (2.30.) J. P. Sykes.

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Holiday for Good Friday & Easter Monday
 Prestons' not much better. On Tuesday
 admitted 2 sisters St. III & Infants. Wed.
 nesday little one refused to come. &
 parents seem to be unable to get her
 to come since.

April 6.

3 Absentees Prestons. Varied Occupation
 for Infants Mat Plaiting. Oral Lesson
 on Thursday "The Nails of the Hand".
 Grammar, Poetry, Needlework, Specially.

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Boys Progressing favorably with Drawing.
 Object lesson covering of different creatures.
 Infants Mat Plaiting. Drawing for boys.

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Examined Standards in all Subjects.
 Sarah & Edith Preston returned. Boy
 still absent. Infants Reading, Writing,
 Arithmetic, Mat Weaving. On Friday
 taught Infants to fold paper & cut
 out figures. & doll figures. On
 Thursday while St. III, IV, V, & VI were
 writing out what they could remember
 of previous week's Object Lesson, took
 Infants & Sts. I & II for conversation on

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Colours. Singing Lesson on Thursday.
 Drawing for boys Monday, Wednesday &
 Friday as per Time Table.

April 27

Attendance good. Gave examination
 in Arithmetic in all Standards.

May 4

Church in the morning at 11. Holiday
 in the afternoon for Ascension Day.
 Instead of Reading Lesson on Thursday
 gave Upper Standards Questions to test
 general Intelligence. To answer on paper.
 Result not very good. Look St. I & II
 in Easy Problems. R. Shirkby absent
 all week working on Farm. Infants
 Mat weaving & paper folding.

8 Registers Verified. 3 P.M. J. P. Sykes.

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Bad colds very prevalent. 6 children
 absent through sickness. Have lost
 2 very promising children this week
 Annie Lawson St. II & Wilfred St. I.
 Parents leaving Farm in this district
 & moving to Wigglesworth. Had
 an grievous case of insubordination
 on Wednesday Tuesday afternoon. R.
 Shirkby showed a disobedient sullen

disposition for which he had to be chastised. & Mr. Lykes happening to come in at the time he was publicly reprimanded & ordered to be more obedient in future. After apologising he was forgiven by teacher. Game Holiday for Monday & Tuesday for Whitsuntide.

May 18

Only an attendance of 9 on Wednesday. 14 on Thursday. & 16 on Friday. The rest sick. Drawing for boys. General Intelligence Questions Friday Morning. Great Improvement in Answers. Mr. Lykes sent up Notice of Inspection to be held Friday morning June 22nd at 9.30. by Mr. Watkins H. M. I.

May 25.

Admitted Jas. Parker a boy turned 7 who having previously lived 4 or 5 miles from any school has never been to one before. He knows a few letters of the Alphabet but has not the slightest knowledge of writing or counting. Att: better this week. Edith Prestons very sick since Wednesday.

June 1.

Commencement of New Registers.

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June 8th

2 admissions Percy & Annie Hodgson. 11th Inf. Meeting of Trustees on Wednesday. Half Holiday on Friday for School Cleaning.

June 15

Registers verified. 11.30 AM J. P. Lykes.

Rev. J. P. Lykes accompanied by his son the Rev. W. Lykes Sheffield visited this morning. Rev. W. Lykes gave the children a most interesting account of the manufacture of a Steel Pen Knife, and of elephants' tusks.

P. Hodgson unfortunately hurt his foot in the playground on Tuesday. neither he nor his sister have been since.

List of Selected Poetry for 94-5

Sh. V. VI. VII

TV

~~III~~
II

~~I~~
Inf

June 21st

Death of de Boune from "Lord of the Isles" (Scott)

The Lighthouse (Longfellow)

The May Queen Part II (Tennyson)

Bruce & the Spider (Eliza Cook)

The Lion & mouse (Mary Howitt)

School visited by Mr. Cooper H. M. I. while children were decorating school-room with flowers ready for exam. day.

June 22nd

Mr. Watkins H. M. I. visited and examined