

This is the student body of S. S. No. 11, Westmeath, at R. R. 3, Cobden in about 1936. Front row, from left, are Harry Faught, Tommy Buttle, Beatty Johnston, Alberta Buttle, Margaret Wilcox, Bernice Faught, Calvin Eckford, Ira Wilson, and (Orville?) Markus. Back row are Harold Buttle, Jack Purcell, Stewart McLeod, teacher Margaret Cochrane, Isobell Faught, Mary Collins, Margaret Burns, George Price, and Jack Berry.



School days

This is the student body of the Haley school in 1905. The photo is from the collection of Ken Barber of Renfrew. Back row, reading from the RIGHT, are Blanch Gilpin, Birney (?) Logan, Lizzie Nixon, teacher Jim Russel, Amy Dean, Elmor Rose, Noay Riscoe. Next row: Oliver Low, Erwin Haley, Pearl Edmunds, Edyth Phillips, Jennie Rose, Roy Dean Nellie Gilpin, Norman Edmunds, Eger Risco, Tony Peters. Third row: Annie Smith, Clara Scoble, Truman Olmstead, Harvy Haley, James Arthur Edmunds, John Phillips, Bill Smith, Warner Smith, Lester Smith. Front row: Edyth Hutton, Pearl Low, Jessie Code, Ambrose Risco, Emerson Haley, Carl Gilchrist, Charlie Smith, Carman Gilchrist, Casle Schobie.

Another milestone in Cobden's history was given formal recognition Friday night when about 200 people from Cobden and S.S. No. 10 Ross gathered in the high school auditorium for the official opening of Cobden's new public school.

Seated on the stage for the ceremony were the school board, teachers, architect, contractor, school inspector and others who had a part in the planning or building of the school.

A welcome to guests was extended by Mr. H. W. Hawkins, a Cobden resident needing no introduction and a former principal of the old public school.

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