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Cottonwood School - Dist. #14

Country School Legacy: Humanities on the Frontier

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GOUNTRY SCHOOL LEGACY:

Humanities on the Frontier

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HISTORIC SITE FORM

State Nebraska County Sioux

Location (in miles & direction from nearest town) 18 miles northwest of Crawford, NE or 22 miles northeast of Harrison, NE

Is this the original location? no--half of the school was west of this location

Name of building & origin of name Cottonwood, located on Cottonwood Creek

Name & number of the district Cottonwood, Dist. 14

Date built _____ Years in use _____

Who built it? A contractor or the community? the community

Does it look like it came from a plan book or was it designed by the community? the community

Names of former teachers:

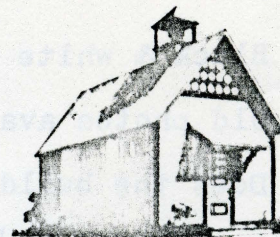
Sharon Bannon Lambert, Mrs. Bell, Mrs. Benzel, Mrs. Christoffersen, Mrs. Nelson, Mrs. Leeling

Names of former students (family names only):

Name & address of person in charge of building:

School Board
Dist. 14

Who is the owner? District 14



COUNTRY SCHOOL LEGACY HISTORIC SITE FORM

Architectural Features:

Size of building 22' x 16' x 12' x 10' x 10' x 30' ("L" shaped building)

Number of Windows (four pane, six pane, etc.) Six 2 pane

Number of doors (entrances) two

Number of classrooms one

Bell tower or cupola no

Materials used (wood, brick, stone, etc.) wood on cement foundation

Type of roof shingles

Outhouses two

Playground Equipment teeter totter

Color of building & trim white

Coal shed or stable no

Teacherage no

Flagpole yes

Other architectural features:

Small cloakroom and storage area was added to the building giving it the "L" shape.

Anything left inside?

School is still in use and is fully furnished.

Narrative Information: Did any special events happen at the school? What stories do people remember?

Current condition & use:

Very good. School is being held there.

District records available: yes x no where stored Sioux County Supt. Office

Black & white photo taken: yes x no

Old photos available: yes no

Does the building have any state or national historic designation?

no

Name & address of surveyor Sandra K. Scofield, Chadron, NE date 11/26/80