

Applegate School – Nellie Rumsey Myer, Grace Norton, Charls Voorhis, Joe Wallenbeck, George Arnold, Alice Norton, Maude Newman (Teacher)

DISTRICT #5 - (Stone School House) located east side of Applegate Road south of State Route 79. Annexed to District #6 Enfield Center on July 12, 1916. Appears on the 1866 Town of Enfield map.

The remains of this school house were used in road construction according to the memory of some long-time residents. Teacher: Maude Newman.

Record book of this school in 1888 show school operations cost approximately \$200 and the tax levy provided \$88.03. Some purchases were a 50-cent water pail, wash dish and dipper for 25 cents, one eraser at 20 cents, a fire shovel for a quarter, and broom which cost 30 cents. 1896 it cost 50 cents to bring a stove from Ithaca and set it up at the school; a pump and fixings from Treman, King and Co. \$3.09 and for putting it in, 50 cents; 1899 flag rope, 30 cents; for fixing pump twice, 25 cents; 1900 for well chain, bucket, tin pail and dipper, \$1.27 and for one globe, 25 cents; 1901 slating for blackboard 50 cents, latch for door, 15 cents and padlock for schoolhouse 35 cents.

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