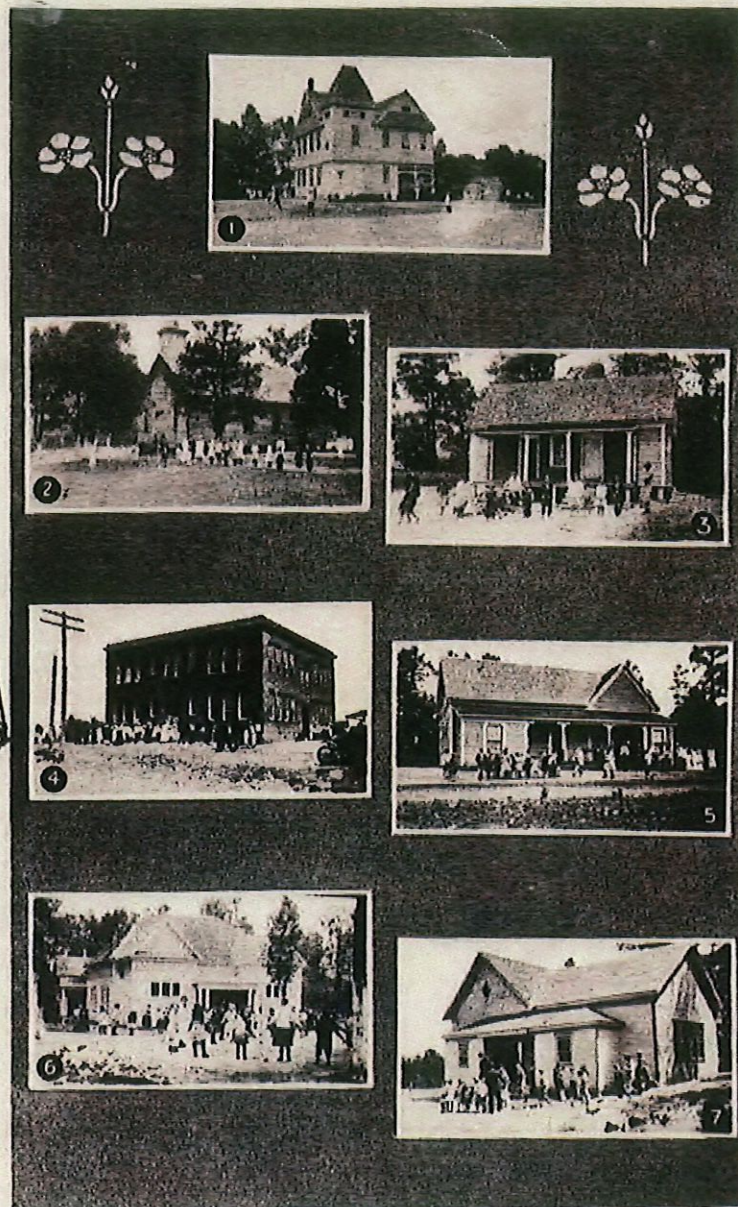


MONTREAL SCHOOL - Briarcliff ROAD _ DEKALB COUNTY GA.

#7

The first Montreal school was located on Montreal Road near Seaboard RR (where Mama Zurie went to school). This is the second Montreal school built after the first was destroyed in 1907. This is where my Mother and Dad went to school.
Grace G. Flowers (9-30-85)



5th grade
1921-1922

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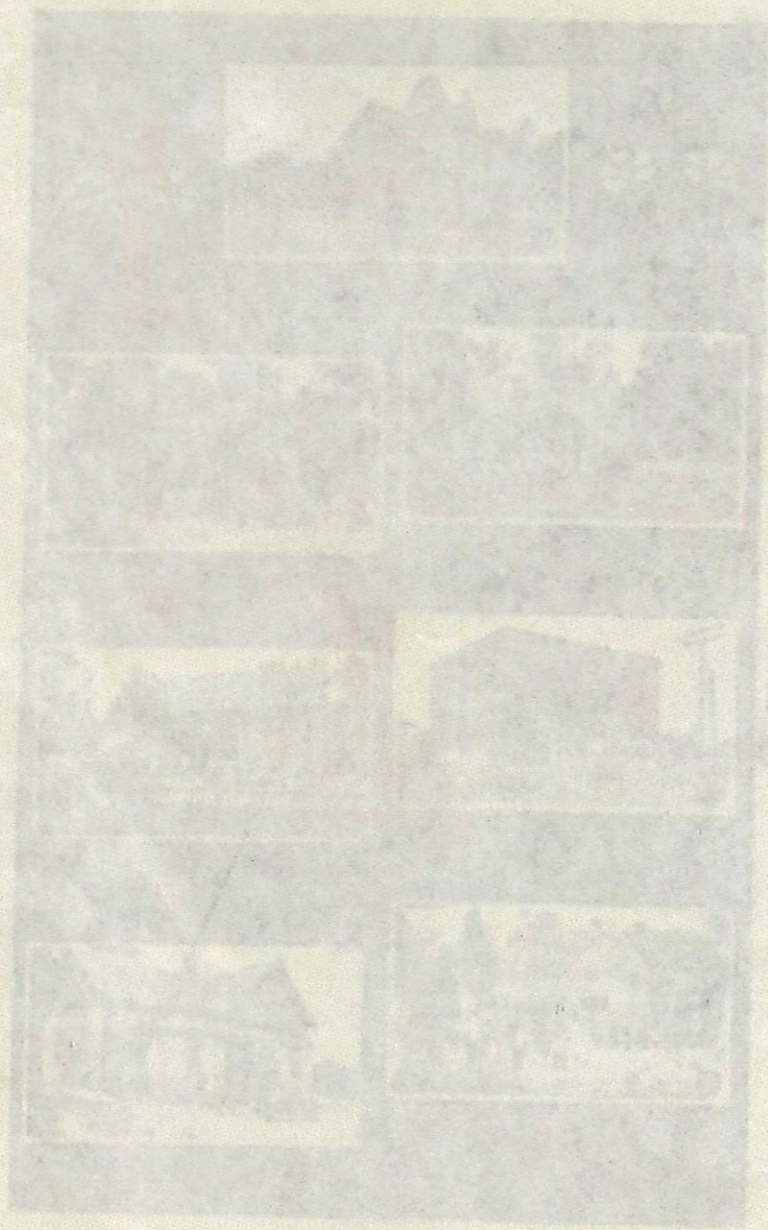
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Miss Pauline Burgess Teacher

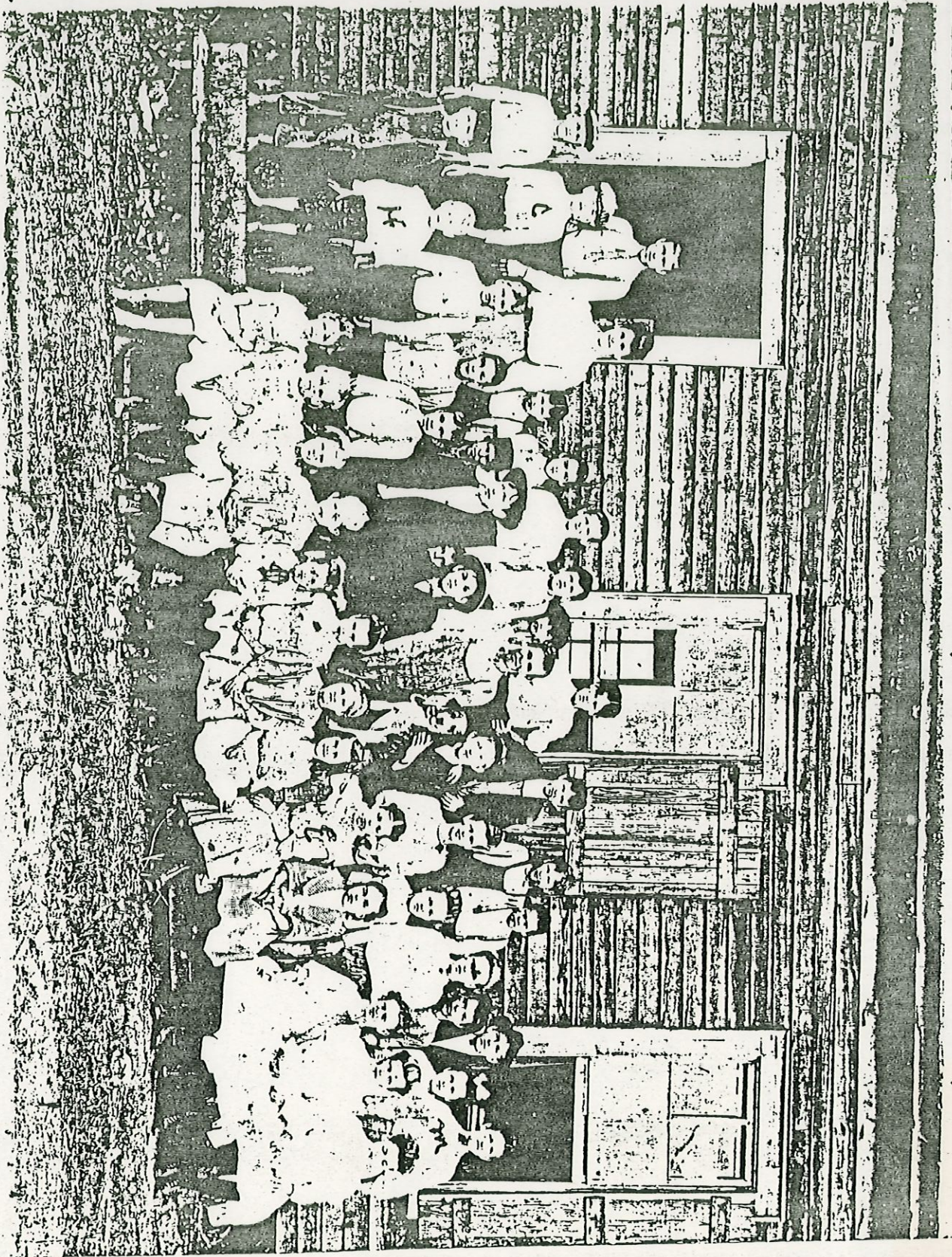
1 a. lot in ground ⁸¹ 1,600.00 Bldg.

2 Class rooms 7 grades

73 pupils.



1907 MONTREAL SCHOOL, MONTREAL ROAD, DEKALB CO. GA (see Back for names)
 MISSOURI CASH (Second Row - standing on left end) (Grandmother of Grace Flowers)
 ALLIE PLYANT (Front row - 4th on left) (Great-Aunt of Grace)
 CLARENCE & HENRY HENDERSON (Standing near door-way) Henry m. Cora Cash)
 EULA CASH (Front row 9th from left side) (Sister of Missouri Cash)



1907 MONTREAL SCHOOL MONTREAL RD. DEKALB CO. GA. (NEAR) TUCKER

1907

FRONT Row - SEATED

- 1 CHARLOE HUDSON
- 2 ESTELLE HUDSON - m. WILL COZA
(COUSIN TO CLARA)
- 3
- 4 ALLIE PLYANT (SISTER TO LOW PLYANT
m. SAM HALL #2 EB CHEWING
- 5 HORAZIE TALTON
- 6 LILLIE GARNER - SIS. OF COLUMBUS
m. JESSIE FRAZIER
- 7 MYRTIS TALTON - Dgr. OF BILLIE TALTON
- 8 FLOSSIE TALTON - Dgr. OF JOHN TALTON
- 9 - ELLA DASH - SIS. MISSOURI
1896
- 10 IDA PLYANT - m. BEN HAINES - BROWNING
- 11 - CHARLIE TALTON - m. DAVIS
SIS: FLOSSIE TALTON DORSETT
- 12 IRENE MYERS
- 13 CLARA HUDSON - Dgr. OF PLINY HUDSON

MIDDLE Row

- 1 WYMAN DASH (SON OF WASH DASH)
- 2 - ~~HENRY NIGHT?~~ HENRY NIGHT? BROTHERS
~~BY GRACE DASH~~
- 3 - BERT MYERS
- 4 - HOKE HUDSON - SON OF PLINY HUDSON
- 5 - OTIS MYERS
- 6 - CLIFF PLYANT (MART)
- 7 - ROY Mc DONALD (MART)
- 8 - COLLIE PLYANT - BRO. OF IDA
- 9 - COLUMBUS GARNER
- 10 - GROVER HUDSON - SON OF: FOREST HUDSON
- 11 - JACK Mc DONALD + DOG
- 12 - EMMER HILLIE
- 13 - ESTELLE PLYANT
- 14 - OLA HONER - m. JOHN LANGFORD
- 15 - GROVE HILLEY
- 16 - ~~HETTIE KNIGHT~~ HETTIE KNIGHT

BACK Row

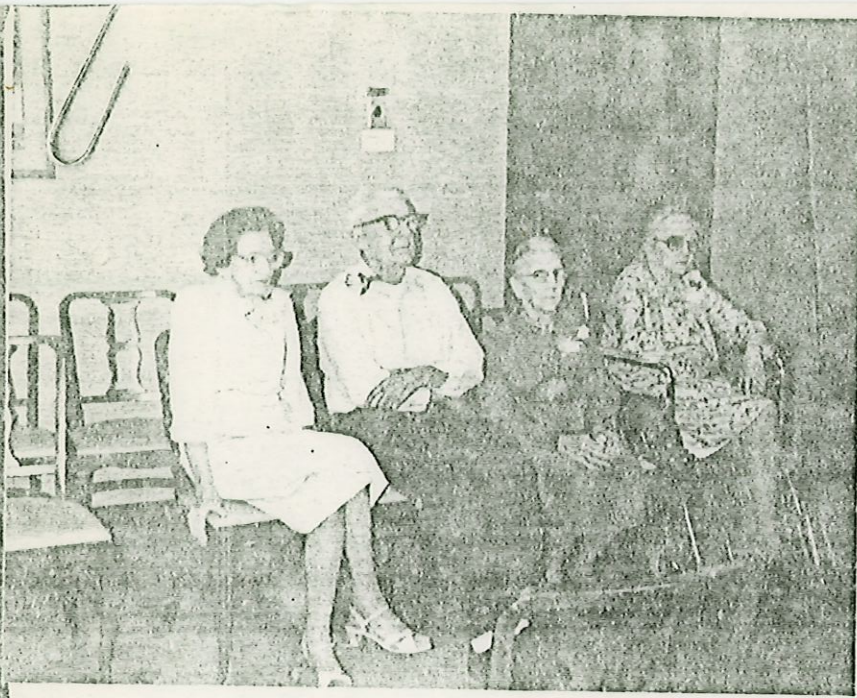
- 1 - HENRY HENDERSON
m. CORA DASH
- 2 - CLARENCE HENDERSON
- 3 - EARLY PLYANT
- 4 - IRENE UPSHER - TEACHER
- 5 -
- 6 - RUFFUS HUDSON
- 7 - JOHN BEE HUDSON
- 8 -
- 9 - WILLIE HILLEY
- 10 - JOHN LANGFORD
- 11 - ~~DELLA (LORD)~~ DELLA (LORD)
- 12 - DARLING HENDERSON (BOOTS)
- 13 - BRUCE HONER

1908 - BLDG UP AS MORNING CHURCH

SCHOOL MOVED TO BRIARCLIFF RD. #4
AND ONE ROOM SCHOOL NEXT TO REHOBOTH CHURCH

18 - MISSOURI DASH PLYANT AKAHLSON (Age 13) Apr. 24, 1894
(GRANDMOTHER OF: GRACE G. FLOWERS)

5642 MAHEIN LN.
LIBURN, GA.
991-7025



Pictured --- 1 to r.

- Clara Hudson
- Waymon Cash
- Missouri Cash Haralson
- Ida Payton Browning

MONTREAL SCHOOL REUNION -- CLASS OF 1907

On May 6, 1984, a reunion was held at the Tucker Federal Building at Briarcliff Village, for the members of the 1907 Class of Montreal School of DeKalb County.

Class members present were:

MISSOURI CASH HARALSON	AGE: '90
CLARA HUDSON	86
IDA PAYTON BROWNING	86
WAYMON CASH	84

Delia Gilliland, of the DeKalb Historical Society, shared the history of the Montreal School. The land had belonged to Winston Cash and was deeded to DeKalb County, then later sold to John Richardson.

The school was located on the right side of the road between LaVista Road and the Seaboard Railroad.

Several pictures of the 1907 Class were available and copies were given to each class member present. Missouri Haralson was able to identify 42 of the 44 class members pictured.

Missouri Cash Haralson is the granddaughter of Oliver P. and Amanda J. Cash. Her great-great-grandparents were James and Nancy Cash, early settlers of DeKalb County.

Clara Hudson is the daughter of Pliney and Dovie (Livsey) Hudson, and the granddaughter of George Baylis and Sarah (McDaniel) Hudson, who came to DeKalb County from Gwinnett County.

Ida Payton Browning, shared many stories of her father Leonard C. Payton, and her mother, Martha Ann Brannor Payton, and their farm in DeKalb County.

Waymon Cash, the son of Washington H. and Laura (Bagwell) Cash, is also a descendant of early DeKalb settlers James and Nancy Cash. Waymon shared many stories of the change in the area of DeKalb where he grew up, their farm was located on LaVista Road near Northlake Mall.

Subject Files School - early Montreal School

The Bombing of Montreal School

George Washington Bragg and his family were Mormons. They lived up where Northlake Mall is now. Other Mormons lived around there, too. Two of the Payton girls joined the Mormon Church so the Paytons and some others were Mormon sympathizers.

Montreal School wasn't being used as a county school and John Richardson bought it when they closed it down. His wife had joined the Mormon Church so they used the school as their meeting house. They were using it as a school and as a church.

It was bombed on a Monday night. On Monday nights all the men went to Decatur to the Odd Fellow's meeting. My father, Bud Akin, was the Grand Master of the Odd Fellows that year.

They put 50 pounds of dynamite in each corner of the school. Only one end of the school blew - only 100 pounds of the synamite shot. The other dynamite didn't go off.

My father always said that he thought one particular man did it. He claimed this man did it because he knew about dynamite. But nobody was ever caught.

Fielding Payton's family and several other families that were in sympathy with the Mormons guarded their houses for a while after that. People would shot at the Mormons but I think it was more to scare them than to kill them.

It was right after that that the Braggs moved to Idaho.

This took place in 1908.

Milton Chandler Akin, Jr.

Oak Grove Road

Deaatur, Georgia

April 16, 1984