

TIMBER SCHOOL
teacher is 4th person from
left in back row

KEUTERVILLE SCHOOL

Picture supplied by Mrs.
Steve Mader. The year
is unknown. Can you at-
tach names to the faces?



ALICE SPRUTE

taught the 6th
grade in Cotton-
wood after the
Keuterville
School was closed
in 1969. She re-
tired in 1979,
capping a total of
39 years of
teaching.

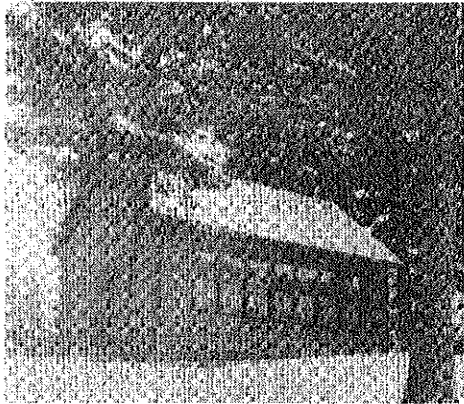


MRS. LEO MADER
retired in 1971 af-
ter teaching 30 years,
and lives near a
daughter in Moscow.



HUSSMAN FAMILY IN HUSSMAN MEADOW

Mr. Hussman taught many years in the Keuterville area.
The other Mr. Hussman is the sawmill owner.



DEEP CREEK SCHOOL

The DEEP CREEK SCHOOL, located 3 miles north of Keuterville had many teachers. G. D. Waltz, Sarah Ellis and Mrs. C. P. Puilliesin were teachers in 1896 and 1897, Jenny Newman in 1899, D. W. Gibbons-1900, Mrs. Flora Parker in 1901. Besides many others, Josie Malich and Ellen Lydia taught. Alice Sprute did her first teaching there in 1937 and 1938. Many men employed at the Hussman Mill sent their children there. When the school was closed was not found out. A Christmas celebration was held yet in December of 1946.

FIRST SCHOOL DAYS IN KEUTERVILLE

Mr. J. H. Uhlenkott went to Mt. Idaho to speak with Judge Robbins, then ex-officio superintendent of schools, about opening a school. Arrangements were made for a three month session during the summer of 1888. Gottfried Hendricks was hired to teach in the Luchtefeld cabin, the children sat on benches built by Mr. Uhlenkott and Mr. Forsman. Among his pupils were: August, Katie and Lizzie Uhlenkott, George, Annie, Katie and Lena Forsman, Ben, Dick, and Dell Cooper, Bunk and Cap Eller, Bert and Lula Tefft, Joseph, Annie and Theresa Hoffman, and Andrew and Theresa Sprute.

Mr. Hendrichs taught the summer of 1889, Joseph Schultz taught in 1890, his brother August taught the next two years.

(Archives, St. Gertrude Convent)

SCHOOL STUDENTS AT PINE VIEW 1949-1950

Front, L to R: Dennis Lightfield, Doreen Uptmor, Thelma Uptmor, Carol Gehring, Margy Uptmor, Marlys Uptmor, Bill Sprute; Back - Bob Uptmor, Ellen Gehring, Evelyn Uptmor, Vern Gehring, Charles Gehring, David Gehring, Doris Uptmor, Victor Gehring, Tom Sprute. Woodsied barn visible behind children.



THE TIMBER SCHOOL

The Timber School, west of Keuterville on the Thyering ground, had Bertha Trapp, Marie Denson, Miss Gall, Edna Burbow, Miss Selius Greene, Cora Coder, Ella McGrade, Marie Sherman, Bertha Nuttman and Elinor Neis listed as early teachers, plus many whose names were forgotten. In later years, Pat Rustemeyer and Miss Neis, now Mrs. Leo Mader and Mrs. Steve Mader taught. The school was also known as the Schroeder School, and was designated as No. 30 for identification.

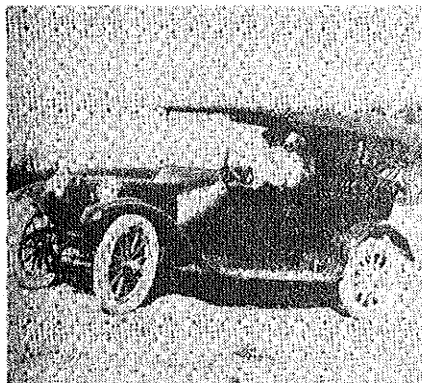
Mrs. Steve Mader was the last teacher, and closed the school in 1958.



TIMBER SCHOOL
taught by Ella McGrade in 1916



MRS. STEVE MADER
retired in 1971 and
continues to live
on her ranch near
Keuterville. She
taught a total of
37 years.

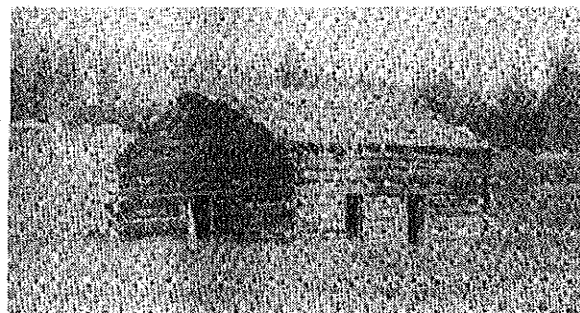
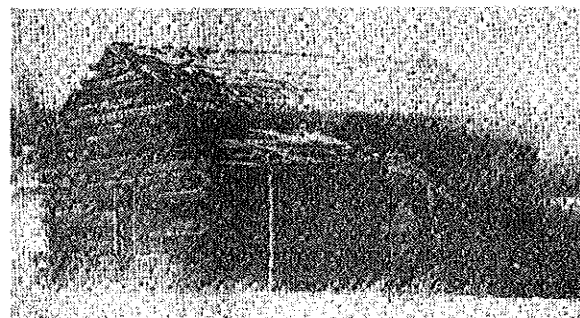


An early car (photo
provided by Urban
Uhlenkott)

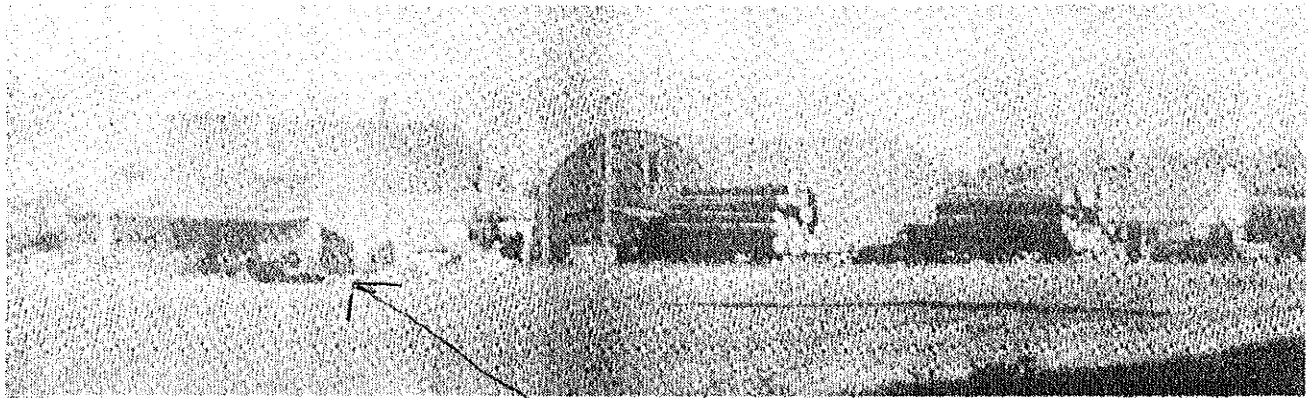
Lay people taught until 1918, when Fr. Jerome Veth, O.S.B., secured two sisters, Sister Hedwig and Sister Thecla, to teach, one in the public school and one in the parochial school. Mrs. Walter Sprute was one of the teachers there. Mrs. Louis (Alice) Sprute, Mrs. Steve (Elnora) Mader and Mrs. Leo (Elinor) Mader were the last teachers in Keuterville, closing in 1969 to all go to teach in Cottonwood.



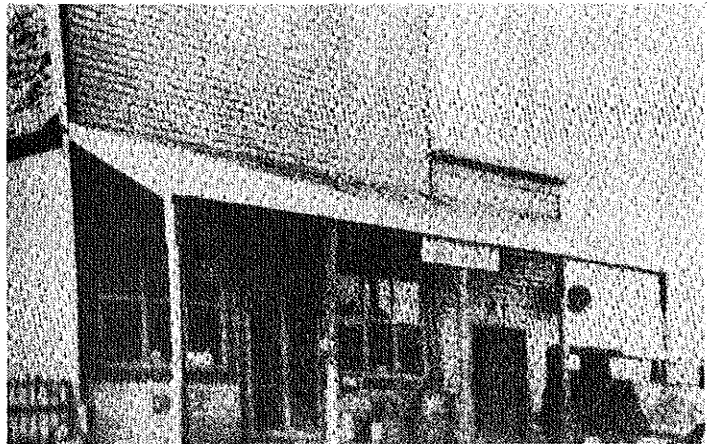
Louis Abbl with his car.



Gobel House near Keuterville, used
as a church before one was built.



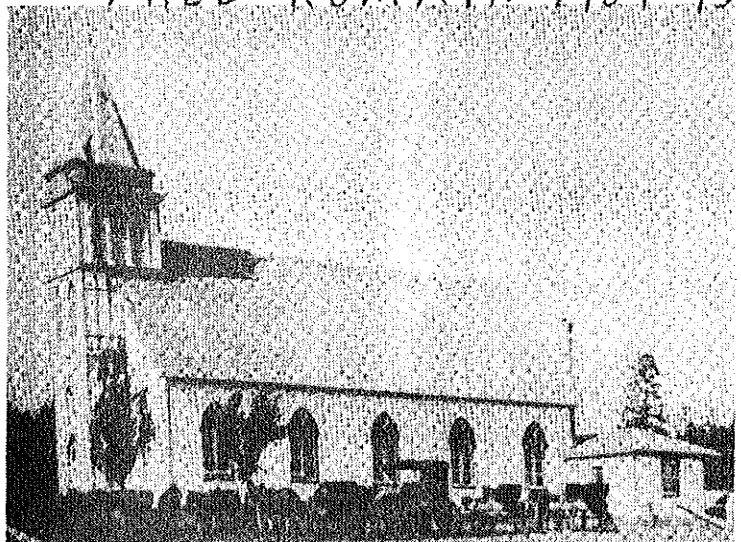
L to R: Jack Hilberts house, Keuterville store, the Quonset dance hall, Nick Hilberts house almost hidden by the Wimer's log trucks.



Store and post office at Keuterville.
FRED ROMAIN 1909-13



The present Holy Cross Church being built. Raymond Kaschmitter is the man in center on top tier.



Coming to church in the horse and buggy days.



Frank Enneking, Marshall of the Day, in Cottonwood in the 1940s.