

TEACHERS' COURSE OF STUDY
GRAHAM COUNTY
ARIZONA

GRAHAM COUNTY TEACHERS COURSE OF STUDY FOR THIS YEAR.

TEXTS:

Nature Study and Life—*Hodge*. School Sanitation and Decoration—*Burrage* and *Bailey*.

(Nature Study and life is in the 1902-3 Teachers' Reading Course in the states of Nebraska, Iowa, West Virginia and Colorado).

In his introduction to Nature Study and Life G. Stanley Hall says: "The time has now happily passed when it is necessary to urge the importance of the love and study of nature, or to show how from it have sprung love of art, science, and religion, or how in the ideal school it will have a central place, slowly subordinating most other branches of study as formal and accessory, while it remains substantial."

SEPTEMBER.

MEETING SEPT. 27.

“Nature study is learning those things in nature that are best worth knowing to the end of doing those things that make life most worth living.”

1. The Point of View.
2. Values of Nature Study.
3. Children's Animals and Pets.

Chaps. I.—III

OCTOBER.

MEETING OCT. 25.

“To know nature and man is the sum of earthly knowledge.”

1. Plan of Insect Study.
2. Insects of the Household.
3. Elementary Botany.
Chaps. IV—XI.

NOVEMBER.

MEETING NOV. 22.

“To learn what is true in order to do what is right is the summing up of the whole duty of man.”

1. Insect of the Garden.

2. Beneficial Insects.

Chaps. XII—XVII.

DECEMBER.

MEETING DEC. 20.

We are a part of all that we have met.

Text: Burrage and Bailey's School Sanitation and Decoration.

1. School Room Decoration.
2. What can we do in this line?
3. Effect of surroundings on children.

JANUARY.

MEETING JAN. 24.

Arbor Day.

Who does his duty is a question
Too complex to be solved by me,
But he, I venture the suggestion
Does part of his that plants a tree.—*Lowell.*

Text: Hodge's Nature Study and Life.

Elementary Forestry.

Chaps. XXII—XXIII.

1. What can we do to improve our school grounds?
2. Effect of this work on children.

FEBRUARY.

MEETING FEB. 21

Education is not a preparation for life; it is life.—*John Dewey.*
Progressive Schools.

1. Francis W. Parker School.
2. Dewey School.

What are these schools attempting?

(Catalogues explaining plans can be had by writing to principals of these schools.)

MARCH.

MEETING MAR. 21.

Put into the school that which you would have the state.—

German Motto.

1. Our Common Birds.
2. Miscellaneous Animals.
Chaps. XVIII—XXV.

APRIL.

MEETING APRIL 19.

“The needs of society determine the work of the school.”

Text: Sanitation and Decoration.

1. Beauty in School Work.
2. Examples of Artistic School work.

DIVISION OF DISTRICTS.

GROUP 1—Elizabeth Caruthers, leader, Safford, Solomonville, San Jose, Sanchez, Graham, Lone Star and Layton.

GROUP 2—O. C. Jones, leader, Thatcher, Central, Lee, Provo and Hubbard.

GROUP 3—Abbie McKenzie, leader, Pima, Bryce, Lamb, Matthews and Carter.

GROUP 4—Katherine Carson, leader, Ft. Thomas, Shiloh, Geronimo, Emery, Goodwin, Eden and Coon.

* GROUP 5—J. A. Hogan, leader, Morenci and Metcalf.

GROUP 6—Mrs. Guild, leader, Clifton, Blue, Benton, Dix, Guthrie and Hill.

GROUP 7—Sarah Carlton, leader, Duncan, Day, Franklin and York.

Aravaipa and Bonita optional to attend any organization.

COMMITTEE ON TEACHERS' COURSE OF STUDY.

Judge Moody	Solomonville.
Elizabeth Caruthers	Safford.
R. W. Smith	Thatcher.
V. B. Callison	Pima.
Alice Bishop	Solomonville.
Charlotte Kemp	Pima.

LIST OF BOOKS.

List of books in Graham County Teachers' Library in the office of the County School Superintendent:

Art of Study.....	Hindsdale.
The Method of Recitation.....	McMurry.
— Myths of Greece and Rome.....	Guerber.
Education.....	Spencer.
Evolution of Dodd.....	Smith.
Ways of Wood Folk.....	Long.
Wilderness Ways.....	Long.
The Philosophy of Education.....	Rosenkraz.
A History of Education.....	Painter.

The Rise and Early Constitution of Universities.....	Laurie.
The Ventilation of School Buildings.....	Morris
The Education of Man.....	Froebel.
Elementary Psychology and Education.....	Baldwin.
The Senses of the Will.....	Preyer.
Memory: What it is and How to Improve it.....	Kay.
The Development of the Intellect.....	Preyer.
How to Study Geography.....	Parker.
Education in the United States.....	Boone.
European Schools.....	Klemm.
Practical Hints for the Teachers of Public School.....	Howland.
Pestalozzi: His Life and Work.....	Guimps

School Supervision	Pickard.
Higher Education of Women in Europe	Lange.
Essays on Educational Reformers	Quick.
A Text Book on Psychology	Herbart.
Psychology applied to the Art of Teaching	Baldwin.
Rousseau's Emmile	Rousseau.
The Art of Teaching	White.
Phelps and His Teachers	Dan V. Stephens.
Silas Cobb	Dan V. Stephens.