High School to Close for One Week to Help Complete Quarantine

The Montrose County high school is to close for one week to make the quarantine more effective. The school was practically forced to close temporarily due to the attendance, which was not at all what it should be. The statement issued by Superintendent Melcher is as follows:

The high school committee has decided to close the Montrose County high school at Montrose for one week in order to make the quarantine more effective.

The plan will be to attempt a year’s work still with those pupils who return to school on January 13, and the school will continue later in the spring to make this possible.

If there are pupils who do not enter at the reopening of school, but plan to enter later in the school year, it will be the plan to organize classes early in March to accommodate them, and only one-half the year’s work will be attempted with this group.

This will necessitate the reorganization of the school on a half-year plan of promotion. The school is large enough to do this and the plan will result in a saving of time to students new and in the future. This will make it possible for any who lose a half year, and any who are ambitious to do more than four units work in one year, to finish the course in three and one-half years. This plan will make it possible for many who lose a half year now to make up the work by carrying extra courses and so finish with their class.

The faculty and senior class are asked to report at the high school on Monday, January 6, at nine a.m., to make plans and for the assignment of work in order that work in senior subjects may be carried forward during the coming week.

WM. MELCHER, Supt.