

Scanlan School

Location: West side of Chicago Road, ¼ mile south of Ryan Road

District: 5

Built: 1934

Closed: 1976

The first Scanlan School was a wood structure built on Chicago Road in 1853. It was replaced by a larger one room schoolhouse in 1896. In 1934, a new schoolhouse was built as part of the federal Works Progress Administration. It continued in operation until 1976. The building was sold and used as a restaurant, nursing home and currently houses Country Home assisted living facility.



The first Scanlan School District 5 built 1853



Scanlan School built 1934



Scanlan building, now an assisted living facility, 2019