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OVERCROWDING IS REPORTED

Removing Indifference and Hostility to the Public Schools—Good Work Brings Results.

(Special Frankfort Correspondence.)

Frankfort.—Further proof of the effects of “Moonlight” school work in removing indifference and hostility to the public schools has been received by Mrs. Cora Wilson Stewart, chairman of the illiteracy commission, from McCreary and Bath counties. Miss Nora Alcorn, superintendent of McCreary, where practically all the teachers are conducting “Moonlight” schools, reported that the attendance of day schools has increased so that they are overcrowded, new furniture must be purchased and the county is confronted with a problem in finding room for all the children. Superintendent R. W. Kinkead, of Bath, compared the attendance of schools where they had “Moonlight” schools and where they did not have them with the year before, and found that where the teacher conducted a successful “Moonlight” school the attendance increased on an average of 20 per cent.