



Wesley T. Roush (1910-2006)

Wesley T. Roush spent four decades as an educator and administrator in Highland County, mostly as principal at Washington Elementary School in Hillsboro. He began his career during the Great Depression in a one-room schoolhouse, and as principal and longtime educator, Mr. Roush was known as a positive influence on countless students who came through Hillsboro City Schools. Decades later, many still recall the impact he had on their lives and talk about the fond memories they have of him. It was written that he received so many requests from parents over the years for shoes, coats, pants, boots and free lunches for their children, that it left an impression that Mr. Roush ran a department store with a lunch counter. But, no, he ran a school, ran it well and was dedicated to his job, school, family and community.



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