

## BINFORD SCHOOL NOTES

The high school pupils are now practicing a high school play entitled "A Hoodooed Coon," which will be given some time in the future. The proceeds of this play will go toward buying pictures for the high school room and adding a few books to the reading library.

Mrs. Mathilda Johnson called a meeting of principals which was held last Saturday for the purpose of making plans for Play Day. The general plan this year is to have competition between schools in addition to the individual honors. So it was decided that a banner would be given to the school winning the highest number of points in the athletic contests. One banner will be given in the high school department and one in the grades. As everyone would notice, that would put Binford high school into the contest competing against Cooperstown high school, Hannaford high school and Sutton Consolidated school. That, as everyone sees, would not be fair. So it was agreed that Cooperstown high school would be permitted to enter the same contestant in but one event. Hannaford would be permitted to enter each contestant in two events, and Sutton and Binford would be permitted to enter each contestant in three events. This puts the schools on more of an equal basis. In figuring up the points, first place will count three points; second place, two points, and third place, 1 point. There are sixty points in the high school events altogether. No money prizes will be offered, but in its place will be given a medal for first and second places in high school events and printed badges in the grades.

We have received a number of returns from the State Department so far, as a result of the examinations taken in January.

J. W. Riley Rural School Inspector, and Supt. Mrs. Johnson were here to make an inspection of the school on Tuesday. As a result of this inspection, we received a below standard mark in Maps, and above standard mark in Teachers, Laboratory, and General Library.