

## **Information Sheet**

**R**      **Conway Public Schools (Conway, Mo.).**  
**915**      **Booklet, 1912.**  
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This booklet provides information concerning the 1912-1913 school year for the Conway Public Schools at Conway in Laclede County, Missouri. The principal was Lonnie S. Haymes.

Conway is a small community in southwestern Laclede County, Missouri. The public schools there in 1912-1913 had a six-member Board of Education and a faculty of five. Included were a three-year high school course and a 350-volume library. School opened on 2 September 1912 and closed with commencement exercises on 18 April 1913.

This 20-page booklet describes Conway as a town with “no saloons” and an ideal place to acquire an education free from “the distracting influences of the larger cities.” Pupils were forbidden to “use chewing-gum, cigarettes or tobacco in any form.” Upon completion of the course of study, “one year in a preparatory school will admit the student to Drury and other colleges.”

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