

The Wakefield School
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Dumfries School District
White 1870s

Almost nothing is known of this school. Indeed, it is not even known if it was a private or public school. The only mention made of the Wakefield School is in a county Deed Book of 1885 which records the purchase of land for the Minnieville School near "the old Wakefield School", Minnieville was located where what is now Cardinal Drive forked to go either to Dumfries or Neabsco Mills and it can be presumed that was also the approximate site of Wakefield School. Obviously it had disappeared by 1885.

It is included in this stusy only for the sake of completeness and in hope that future research may reveal more information.