

From Long Ago...

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The following first appeared in the Mount Vernon Signal on July 10, 1908. It was recently transcribed from microfilm of this issue of the Signal. With these submissions, I am sharing these glimpses into the Signal's present readers.

PERSONAL NEWS

A. B. Furnish spent the fourth in Louisville. Dr. D. B. Southard spent Saturday in Louisville. Miss Linda Ballard is visiting her brother, Sgt. G. M. Ballard. Miss Mattie Owens, of Barboursville, is the guest of relatives here. Conductors J. D. Miller and C. A. Davis were at home for the fourth. Miss Kath Sperry, of Louisville, is the guest of Miss Francis Sparks. Mrs. M. C. Owens, who has been sick for the past fifteen months, is no better. Miss Clara Kennedy is the charming guest of the Misses Thompson. Mrs. Jane Bloomer is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. Matilda Houk. Miss Minnie Baugh, a sister of Dr. Baugh, is the guest of Mrs. G. M. Ballard. Hon. J. N. Saunders, of Stanford, was one of the visiting attorneys at court this week. Wheeler Meadows spent a short time with his brothers, James and John Meadows. Walter G. Smith, Cashier of the bank of

Owens, the monument man, spent a few days with his brother, R. N. Owens, at Salem, Ind. He stopped at Lancaster on his return home to set up a monument. A. W. Stewart was over from Madison this week looking after some business matters. He has his mustache clipped and has taken on an appearance of several years younger since he has migrated to the Blue Grass region. Messadams James Maer and G. B. Lawrence left Tuesday for Galveston, Texas to spend several weeks with their brother, W. J. Newcomb. Mrs. Maer, who has been in very poor health all spring, had the trip at this time with the hope that the change would do her good. Misses Grace Cox and Maggie Hansel, Robt. and C. C. Cox went to East Bernstadt Tuesday to attend the burial of their mother, Mrs. Eliza Baker. Atty. and Mrs. Joseph Harkins, of Prestonsburg, the latter, who used to be Miss Reqa Baker, are attending the Denver convention. They had the honor of making the trip in the private car of the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mayo.

LOCAL NEWS

The L&N will set tickets to Junction City August 19-20 and 21- for a 28 round trip on account of the Confederate fair at Danville. Harry Curry, who for several years was blacksmith for W. J. Sparks at Sparks Quarry, died Monday of a complication of diseases. The catalogues for the Broadhead fair will be ready for distribution next week. See or write the secretary, John Robins at Broadhead for one. This year's premiums are the most liberal ever offered by the association. If you have not already prepared one or more exhibits, now is the time to get busy and do your best to excel those who may compete against you. This is a county institution and during the twelve years of its existence the county has greatly benefited each year because of its existence. The spirit of improvement and the desire to present the best display of farm products, best horse, mule or calf at the fair has been with us from the very first to the present. Therefore we urge all of you to attend the fair and make it just as good as possible. Mt Vernon Lodge 319 I. O. O. F. celebrated its first anniversary July 4th with a big supper at the Miller Hotel. There were 51 Odd

here this week. Dr. Lee Chestnut, who has returned from Louisville has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Wm. McFarlane. Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Meadows and children spent the 4th with friends here. Mrs. Claude Carmichael and children, of Corbin, spent from Saturday till Monday with her mother, Mrs. E. Rutherford. Rev. Blackburn, filled Bro. Davidson's appointment Saturday night and Sunday. Mrs. John Norville and grand daughters, Misses Elyven Norville and Anfa Older, of Corbin, visited relatives here the first of the week. Quite a crowd attended the singing at Will Cottogim's Sunday evening. Mrs. Wm. Williams, of Orlando, spent Tuesday with her mother, Mrs. Nancy McFarlane. Miss Nell McFarlane will spend a few days in Berea before beginning her school at Calloway on the 20th. Charlie Anderson, of Orlando, will teach the school here. Miss Brynda McFarlane will leave next week for Blanche to visit her sister, Mrs. J. J. Cook before returning to Knoxville, Tenn. Mrs. Nancy Postet and daughter, Mrs. Thomas were visiting in Berea last week. Mrs. G. B. Mullins spent Sunday with her mother at Orlando. The district Sunday school convention will be held here Saturday the 11th. There will be dinner on the ground and everyone is cordially invited to come and help make the meeting a success.

MARETUB NEWS

The much needed rain came at last relieving crops and helping to refresh the low streams of water to make the farmers heart lighter. The drought had almost become serious. Bro. Carl of Keavy preached three interesting sermons at the church Saturday and Sunday. Miss Grace McColl accompanied by Miss Ida Branson, of Hazel Patch, will spend some time at home. Mrs. W. A. Lewis and daughter, Helen, spent last week in Louisville. Miss Julia Reynolds spent the week in Stanford as the guest of Mrs. Brown. Messrs Chandler and Holcomb attended the Odd Fellows lodge at Mt Vernon Monday night. Blackberries seem to be plentiful. Mr. M. Hartz has again opened at her old stand after remodeling her building inside with a new coat of paint. Mrs. Bessie Meier visited

in Livingston Saturday and Sunday. George Owens is in Salem; Ind. visiting his brother, Robt. Miss Angie Hunt has returned from a short visit to Broadhead. Mr. Sam Chandler will teach the public school at this place. Mrs. Florence Sage, of St. Louis, with her little sons, Robbie and Urbin are visiting her father for several weeks visit. Mr. T. Griffin, of Jellico, Tenn., is the guest of his grandfather Nelson Griffin. He will remain at St. Louis with Mrs. Sage.

WILDE NEWS

The fourth was passed very quietly at this place. Hon. to Mrs. Taylor Clark Tuesday twin girls. Mrs. Laura Manus is on the sick list. Rev. Winkler filled his regular appointment at this place Saturday and Sunday. Oval Lawless, son of Dr. Lawless, is very sick with whooping cough. Picking berries is the principal occupation of the day. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wood went to Conway Sunday to see the infant of Mr. Jas. Wood who is very sick of indigestion. Miss Stella Adams, of Berea was visiting friends at this place last week. Quiet a crowd of young folks attended the picnic at Langford the Fourth regardless of the disagreeable weather. All report a nice time. Mrs.

Bill Wood is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Williams at Brook Creek. Baby's baby is reported very bad with whooping cough. Miss Eva Fish, of Buckeye, visited the family of H. S. Brannan Sunday. Also, Mr. Ed Graves, of Paris. Mr. Bob Langford was at Brush Creek last week to see Mr. Wilmer Chastain who has pneumonia fever. Mr. Joe Reams, of Trenton, Mo., who has many relatives in this county, writes that he and his wife are enjoying over the arrival of their first born, a 9 lb. girl.

BROADHEAD NEWS

Mrs. G. W. Brooks has returned to her home at Williamsburg after spending a few days here with her mother and sisters. Mrs. Lula Prentiss, of Garrard County, has returned to her home in Williamsburg after spending a few days here with Mr. and Mrs. John Robins. Miss Elizabeth Tharp, and Roberta Frith have returned home from a week's visit to Riley and Lebanon. Edd Hurt is up from Lebanon Junction for

a few days. O. C. Wilcott has returned to Knoxville, Tenn. after attending the funeral of his nephew Master Clarence Miller. A revival begins at the Methodist Church tonight. O. E. Belcher is on the sick list we are sorry to say. A. V. Smith and V. S. Martin were in Lancaster Tuesday on business. G. H. Frith has opened up an office at East Main Street in Lexington, Ky. and will be there ready to serve all who are interested in his insurance plan. Albert Albright was up from Lebanon Junction Wednesday to see his father, William Albright. Walter Turpin is at home laid up with rheumatism. The play to be given at the Opera House Saturday night July 18 has been put off until July 25th on account of the protracted meeting. This play will sure be played July 25th. Mrs. L. A. Cass of Louisville is visiting her son "Pompey" at this place. R. G. Wilcott came up from Newton to attend the funeral of his nephew Master Clarence Miller.

QUAIL NEWS

R. E. Todd filled his regular appointment at Bethel Saturday and Sunday. Wm. Owens has been visiting her relatives at Lexington. Wheat threshing is the order of the day. The general average of wheat is about one half crop. John A. Proctor is numbered among the sick. G. H. Stuart bought of Mr. Hughes of the Blue Grass section a farm of 70 odd acres for \$7150. Mr. Sutton will move to his farm in about a month. Jacob Elder will move back to Broadhead soon. We regret very much to give him up, but our loss will be Broadhead's gain. Misses Maude and Myrtle Hamon spent Sunday with Miss Minnie Gentry of Spiro. Bud Stringer spent Sunday with one of Ottawa's fairest young ladies. J. W. Proctor is improving. Mr. Robert Taylor of near Bee Lick has been very low but is some better at this issue.

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Mon., Jan. 14th: Broadhead, Copper Creek.
Tues., Jan. 15th: Green Hill, Conway, Fairview, Lambert Rd., Respiratory Care.
Wed., Jan. 16th: Mt. Vernon Manor, Day Health Center, Brindle Ridge.
Cemetery Meeting
The annual meeting of Elmwood Cemetery Perpetual Board will be Thursday, January 10th at noon at Rockcastle Steak House. The meeting is open and the public is welcome.
Forage Meeting
Forage Production Meeting will be held on Tuesday, January 15, at 6:30 p.m. at the Extension office. Forage varieties for the Forage Improvement Program will be discussed.
Basket Class
Monthly basket class will be met at the Extension office on January 14. Join others in learning the heritage art of basketry. Call the office at 256-2403 for details or to register.
Meeting
The R.C.H.S. Curriculum and Instruction Committee will meet on Thursday morning, January 17th in the high school conference room.
Fish Fry
All you can eat fish Saturday, January 13th starting at 4:30 p.m. at the first station in Conway. Adults \$3 Children \$1. Carry out available. Call 256-0000. All proceeds go to the Brindle Ridge Volunteer Fire Dept.

Narcotics Anonymous
Tired or drugs and/or alcohol controlling your life? Come join us at Narcotics Anonymous, every Thursday at 8 p.m. behind Our Lady of Mt. Vernon Church on Williams St. in Mt. Vernon. For more info, call 256-9263.

Al-Anon
Al-Anon meets Tuesday nights at 8 p.m. behind Our Lady of Mt. Vernon Church on Williams St. in Mt. Vernon. For more info, call 256-2129.

FREE Smoking Classes
The Rockcastle County Health Department is offering FREE stop smoking classes beginning January 9, 2002. Classes are from 9:30 a.m.-10:30 a.m. If you or someone you know is interested, please call the Health Department at 256-2242 to register.

Republican Party Meets
The Republican Party meets the second Monday of each month at 6 p.m. at Kastle Inn.

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Saturday, January 19, 2002 at 1:30 p.m.

Negro Creek Section of Rockcastle County

LOCATION: From Mt. Vernon, turn off Highway 150 onto Highway 3245 (Negro Creek Road) near the Broadhead city limits. Proceed 1.7 miles to Tar Kilm Road. Turn right on Tar Kilm Road and proceed approximately 1/2 mile to the farm. From Crab Orchard, follow Highway 39 south approximately 2.5 miles to Simpson Road. Turn left and follow Simpson Road 1.7 miles to Tar Kilm Road. Turn right and proceed 1.3 miles to the farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Frith are reducing their farming operation and have authorized our company to market it at absolute auction.

Tract 1: Contains 24 acres with approximately 18 acres of cropland and the balance in timber. This tract has 1,680 feet of frontage on the Tar Kilm Road. Stock water is provided by a creek and city water is available.

Tract 2: Consists of 33.96 acres of which approximately 25 acres are cropland and the balance in timber. This tract has 2,216 feet of road frontage. It is improved with a 32x40 tobacco barn with a 12 ft. shed and a creek.

Tract 3: Has approximately 14 acres with approximately 9 acres of cropland and 5 acres of timber. It has a creek running through the tract and 1,000 feet of road frontage.

Tract 4: Has approximately 140 acres with approximately 50 acres cleared and 90 acres in timber. It has two 50 ft. entrances from Tar Kilm Road and an entrance from Bryant Ridge Road. This tract has two springs and city water is available from Bryant Ridge Road. There is a loss of marketable timber.

When combined there is a total of 213 acres more or less with approximately 100 acres cleared and the balance in timber. The farm will be offered in tracts, combinations, and as a whole selling in the manner which reflects the best terms for the sellers. All tracts have public water available with some line extensions.

TOBACCO ALLOTMENT: The tobacco allotment of 847 lbs. will be sold separately and not offered with the farm.

TERMS: Real Estate 20% down day of sale, balance in 30 days.
Tobacco Allotment: Cash or check in full day of sale.

AUCTIONEER'S NOTE: If you're looking for a small tract, a larger farm, or timber, this property offers it all. Be sure to mark your calendar to attend this absolute auction on Saturday, January 19th at 1:30 p.m. Announcements day of sale take precedence over printed matter.

For additional information, contact the auctioneers or log onto our website: www.fordbrothersinc.com

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