

From Long Ago...

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The following is an attended by Mount Vernon Signal on July 31, 1908. It was recently transcribed from microfilm of that issue of the Signal. With these submissions, I am sharing these gleanings with the Signal's present readers.

PERSONAL NEWS

D. E. Davis will move by family to Berea. Mr. W. J. Sparks was in Chicago Wednesday. C. H. Rice, Sr. was in from Livingston Monday. V. C. Tate is assisting at the post office at Broadhead. R. A. Sparks was in Chester, Tenn., a few days since. Frank Miller, of Indianapolis is spending the week here. Mrs. Cleo Brown is visiting in Lancaster and attending the fair. Tom Brown was in from Level Green Wednesday on business. Mrs. Booth Patten and children visited relatives here Saturday and Sunday. Dr. and Mrs. John M. Williams spent Saturday until Monday with relatives here. Miss Mayne Ferguson is visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Champ at Paint Lick. Mrs. E. E. Davis and children are visiting in Lancaster and attending the fair. Mrs. Oscar Davis and Walter Wallin, of Crab Orchard, attended the ball game here Saturday. Miss Maggie McClary is spending the week with her cousin, Miss Eva Fish near Buckeye. Masters James and Will Thompson are visiting their sister, Mrs. L. R. Hughes, at Stanford. J. Tucker Bowling is back from a visit among relatives and friends at Middleboro and Harlan. J. D. Miller, Elmer Lechleifer and W. E. Smith, L. N. Brakenen are at home

this week. Miss Louana Whitehead is with her cousin, Miss Grace McCall, at Hotel Panch, who has typhoid fever. Frank Meyers, extra gang foreman at Shepherdsville, is at home for a few days on account of bad health. Thomas Barnett, of Wildie, who has been in poor health for some time, was in town Wednesday very much improved. Dr. and Mrs. A. C. Towery and little son, Biggie, are visiting in Richmond, Winchester and Irvon this week. Atty. Dave Hamrick and Mr. Chas. Chandler were down from London Sunday to see two of London's thirteenth bellies who were visiting in Mt. Vernon. Mrs. Willis Adams and daughters Miss Ida Mae and Elizabeth were called to Lancaster Tuesday on account of the serious illness of Mrs. Adams mother, Mrs. Schooler. Mrs. James Maret, who is visiting in Galveston and other Texas points, for her health, writes that she is greatly enjoying the outing and finding strength and health in that Southern climate and hopes to return home, after several weeks' sojourn, fully restored. W. J. Newcombs one of Rockcastle's boys who learned the telegraph business at the Mt. Vernon depot has had the position of cashier of the Southern Pacific Railroad and Steamship company at Galveston, Texas for the past twelve or fifteen years, is now, we are glad to say, on easy street. With judicious investment in Texas real estate and patience he has realized a snug fortune. Will has not forgotten his native hills and friends of his boyhood days and he wishes them to know of his wishes to return some day and spend the remainder of his allotted time in Rockcastle. Cash-

ier W. L. Richards spent the whole of last week in Gallatin County looking after some business interests. Miss T. Fish gave a delightful party for her young friends Thursday evening in honor of her thirteenth birthday. Misses Berda Brock and Lucy Harris, of London, were guests of Mrs. E. S. Albright from Saturday until Monday. Miss Jennie Davis attended "The Deacon" at Broadhead Saturday night and visited her cousin Miss Bettie Hicks. Mrs. Alice Tate and daughter, Miss Anna, and Mrs. J. F. Griffin and children leave tonight for a visit with relatives in Indiana. Misses Lillie and Tanna Thompson returned home Sunday after an extended visit to their grandmother Mrs. W. M. Poynter. W. H. Jones, L. T. Stewart, J. C. Bullen and Granville Owens, Esq., were in from the Wildlife Section Tuesday. Sheriff R. L. McFerron went to London Thursday and took young Adams, who was given 18 years for killing Jim Hayes, to the pen. Charley Fletcher, L. N. Brakenen, who has been sick at the home of his father, Ed Fletcher for about two weeks, is improving. John Gregory, telegraph operator, London, stopped off here yesterday and went on to Lancaster, fair this morning accompanied by Lloyd Maret. Nate Evans, another one of the boys who learned to telegraph at Mt. Vernon depot, now dispatching trains for the L & N at Knoxville, Tenn., was out last week to see his father, Capt. A. H. Evans, Broadhead, whose death occurred Sunday night. A party composed of the following persons left here yesterday morning for a two day's stay at Mammoth Cave: Mesdames G. M. Ballard, W. L. Richards, Misses Mary Jones, Daisy Fish, Sadie Richards,

Bessie Caldwell, and Mrs. E. S. Albright.

LOCAL NEWS

DEAD: Mrs. Mary Langford aged about 70 years died yesterday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Monroe Singleton, of a complication of diseases. Three sons and a daughter survive her, Tip, Dock and Elza Langford and Mrs. Singleton. She was a good Christian woman and was loved and respected by all. The remains will be laid to rest this morning in the family burying ground near Cove. EVANS: After two weeks illness death claimed the spirit of Captain A. H. Evans aged 70, Sunday night at his home in Broadhead. Capt Evans was a veteran of the Civil War and served with distinction as a captain of an Ohio company from the place of his nativity. After the war he took up law as a profession and successfully practiced until he moved from Zanesville, Ohio to a farm near Mt. Vernon, Ky., where he followed farm many years as well as practicing his profession. He later moved to Broadhead and was appointed postmaster where he gained the reputation from post office inspector as being one of the best in the state if not in the republic. He was a pleasing speaker and was a force in politics. He was a man of honor and had the confidence of the people. The burial took place Tuesday afternoon in the Baptist churchyard, at Broadhead, under the charge of the Masonic fraternity. Two brothers survive him: Thos. W. Evans, a retired businessman of St. Joe, Mo., and George E. Evans, Vice President of the L & N. R. R. There are four daughters and one son. One daughter, Mrs. Ann E. Miller is the postmistress at this place and the son, Nate Evans, is train dispatcher at Knoxville for the L & N.

QUAIL NEWS

Rev. John Elder filled his regular appointment at Providence Sunday. Geo. Wheeler is very sick at this writing. He has typhoid symptoms. The writer is honored with the presence of Samuel Proctor of this place and W. H. Barnes, of Broadhead at this writing. J. W. Parsons of Livingston returned to his home Wednesday after spending several days with relatives and friends at this place. Walter Elder of Eubanks has recently become a citizen of our section. We are glad to have him as such. Mrs. Logan Scott is on the sick list. Misses Maggie and Allie Taylor visited the Misses Stringer Sunday.

Jacob Elder and William Owens began a singing school at Buckeye last Saturday night. It will continue three Saturdays and Sundays. A protracted meeting will begin at Providence August 20th to be conducted by John A. Chagnon, of Sellersburg, Ind. The berry industry is about over for the season.

BROADHEAD NEWS

Mrs. Ira Dunn and sister Miss Virginia Kresh Edwards of Knoxville, Tenn., have returned home after spending a few days here at the guest of relatives and friends. Mrs. E. B. Newland and children are visiting in Pittsburgh. Mr. Chas. P. Pike returned to his position at Knoxville, Tenn., after being at home three months. Miss Lou Phillips is the charming guest of her aunt, Mrs. Lou Tate. Mrs. Percy Benton and daughter, Miss Willie have returned from a two weeks visit to Cynthiana and Mt. Sterling. John D. Pike and B. R. Wilton were up from Lebanon Junction Wednesday. D. R. Belcher is some better at this writing. Wm. Carlton, of this place and Miss Lillie Fugel, of Hiatt, were married last Thursday in Mt. Vernon. They will reside in Broadhead on West Main Street. Mrs. Ed Sprule and children of Paris are here for a three weeks visit with Mr. and Mrs. F. Francisco. Miss Ethel Cherry Hilton of Stanford visited her aunt, Mrs. Susie Cherry of first week. Miss Jennie Davis of Mt. Vernon was down from Saturday until Sunday with Miss Bettie Hicks. Wade H. Leech reports a very enjoyable trip to New Haven, where he was the guest of Miss Maude Grayham. Victor C. Tate of Mt. Vernon is assisting his uncle J. W. Tate in the post office. Miss Ella Canon, of Mareburg, is a pleasant visitor of Miss Clyde Watson. Misses Rosa Pike and Cora Sigmon returned today from a several days visit to Corbin, Ky., Norton, Va., and Jellico, Tenn. Mr. and Mrs. Edw. McAfee and daughter, Miss Alma came over from Harrodsburg and spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hutchison. Miss Lillie Smith has returned to her home at Hiatt after spending two weeks here as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Graveley. Quite a crowd of Masons attended the funeral of Capt. A. H. Evans here Tuesday. Several from here are attending the fair at Lancaster. John Robbins is numbered with the sick for this week. Rev. A. J. Pike was in Harrison County last week. Our

school is progressing nicely. We think the trustees did themselves proud when they employed Mr. Allen Barnett as principal and Miss Carrie Frith and Ben Pike as assistants. Everybody is pleased so far. Broadhead will soon take a vote on whether we are to have a graded school or not. Let everyone who is interested in Broadhead's welfare put their shoulder to the wheel and see that we get a graded school. The play given at the opera house last Saturday night was a success in every respect. Everyone left there saying, "I got my money's worth." This play will be reproduced two nights during the Institute, which will be held in September. Wade Leech is up from Monticello and will remain with his parents until after the fair. Remember the fair dates August 12, 13 and 14th. Be sure and come all three days. Mrs. Pike has returned to her home in Lexington after spending several days here with her sister, Mrs. Florence Ponder. G. M. Frith was in Stanford Monday morning. Homer H. Wallen and sister, Miss Beulah have returned to their home at Cedar Creek after spending several days with their aunt, Mrs. J. E. Wallin. Jack Adams and Percy Benton are selling their western horses very fast. They can furnish you with a good horse as cheap as dirt. Miss Jewel Francisco entertained Monday night and Miss Eta Frith Tuesday night in honor of Miss Rhea Edwards of Knoxville. Everybody was happy. Uncle Dock Woodward has returned from a weeks stay with his daughter, Mrs. H. Hilton at Stanford. Miss Gertrude Martin returned Saturday from a weeks visit to Mrs. Dora Dickerson at Livingston. Thomas Francisco's eyes are some better. We are glad to say.

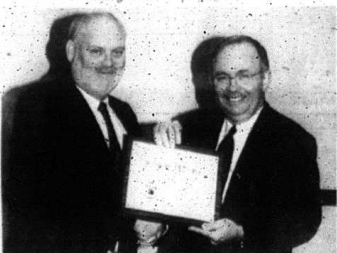
LIVINGSTON NEWS

Mrs. W. H. Satterfield and two daughters of Louisville were guests of Mrs. Satterfield's sister, Mrs. H. D. Magee at the Eight Gables from Tuesday until Saturday afternoon when they returned to Mt. Vernon where they are spending the summer with Mrs. Satterfield's other sister, Mrs. R. A. Sparks. S. E. Pennington is making some much-needed improvements to the Eight Gables Hotel by a new porch floor and a new coat of paint, which adds very much to the beauty of the place. Sam is certainly a hustler and is worthy of the success he is having.

Congratulations

Ford Brothers, Inc.

held their annual Awards Banquet last week to recognize the accomplishments of those Realtors and Auctioneers who had excelled in sales and listings for the company in 2001.



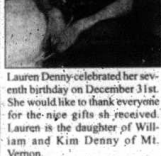
For the second straight year, Roy Adams was presented with the Top Listing Agent and the Top Sales Agent of the Year Awards for the Mt. Vernon office for generating the most listings and sales for the company as well as the Two Million Dollar Club Award. Roy was responsible for over 2 million dollars in sales in 2001. Roy has been a Realtor/Auctioneer with Ford Brothers for many years. His wife, Judy and their two sons, Roy D. and Eric, reside near Broadhead.



Danetta Ford Allen was presented with the One Million Dollar Club Award for the Mt. Vernon office for the second year in a row. This award is given to the Realtor who generates over one million dollars in sales for the company. She has been a Realtor with Ford Brothers for the past four years. She and her husband Darren, and their sons Ben, reside in the Hunter Ridge subdivision.



Jeff Cropper was presented with the Rookie of the Year Award for the Mt. Vernon office. This award is given to the Realtor who, in their first year, demonstrates the potential of becoming a Top Producer. In addition, Jeff was presented with the One Million Dollar Club Award for generating over one million dollars in sales for the company. Jeff and his wife, Anna, live near Crab Orchard. Jeff has two sons, Jeffrey and John.



Lauren Denny celebrated her seventh birthday on December 31st. She would like to thank everyone for the nice gifts she received. Lauren is the daughter of William and Kim Denny of Mt. Vernon.



John and Sandra Hamm would like to announce the birth of their first child, Destiny Paige Hamm. She was born December 9, 2001 at Lake Cumberland Regional Hospital in Somerset. She weighed 9 lbs. 7 ozs. and was 21 inches long. Her paternal grandparents are Bennett and Carol Hamm of Mt. Vernon. Her maternal grandparents are Bill and Brenda Gay, also of Mt. Vernon.



Kyle and Audrey Fletcher would like to announce the birth of their baby boy, Kaden Markus Fletcher. Kaden was born December 11, 2001 at 8:40 p.m. in Somerset at Lake Cumberland Regional Hospital. He weighed 6 lbs. and 13.4 ozs. and was 19 inches long. Kaden's maternal grandparents are Joy and James Payne of Ottawa and Andy Lovins of Hamilton, Ohio. Paternal grandparents are Michelle and Timmy York of Broadhead and Kevin Fletcher of Indianapolis, Ind. Great grandparents are Sue and John Bullock, Treva and Robert Levine, and Ernest Maney, all of Mt. Vernon, Cookie Mason of Broadhead and Louise Fletcher of Orlando.

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